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SEARS SURGICAL LABORATORY TO BE ACTIVATED AT CITY HOSPITAL—TRUSTEES SO VOTE AFTER PROLONGED NEGOTIATIONS—TO BE LOCATED IN SURGICAL OPERATING BUILDING—TO BE MEMORIAL TO LATE DR. GEORGE G. SEARS—TRUSTEES NOW HAVE SUM OF $1,590,341.13 TO BE USED FOR PURPOSE AS RESULT OF BEQUEST TO HOSPITAL.

At a meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Hospital Department of the City of Boston held on December 22 at Boston City Hospital final votes were taken to activate the Sears Surgical Laboratory of Boston City Hospital.

This action came as the result of several months of continuous study and a prolonged series of negotiations on the part of the trustees.

The new laboratory for surgical research will be located in the Surgical Operating Building. Surgical operations formerly performed in this building are now done elsewhere within the hospital.

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REPORT OF DENNIS C. HALEY, SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS, ON ATTENDANCE AT MEETING OF SUPERINTENDENTS IN CITIES WITH POPULATION OVER 200,000, IN LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY, OCTOBER 13-16, 1954, INCLUSIVE.

The following is the report of Superintendent Dennis C. Haley on attendance at convention in Louisville, Kentucky:

The Semiannual Meeting of the Superintendents of Schools in Cities with Population over 200,000 was held in Louisville, Kentucky, on October 14, 15, and 16, 1954. Superintendent Dennis C. Haley represented the Boston public schools.

The general activities were planned by Omer Carmichael, Superintendent of Schools in Louisville, Kentucky. The program schedule included visitations to schools in Louisville and a series of conferences and discussions on important problems in education. The conference agenda for this meeting was prearranged by the chairman of this group, Claude V. Courter, Superintendent of Schools in Cincinnati, Ohio. Dr. Courter prepared

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CITY COMPELLED TO TAKE LAND BY EMINENT DOMAIN FOR AN OPEN DUMP IN CEDAR GROVE SECTION OF DORCHESTER ON BANKS OF NEPONSET RIVER — LAND OWNED BY KEYSTONE MANUFACTURING COMPANY — MAYOR JOHN B. HYNES ISSUES EXPLANATORY STATEMENT FOLLOWING ACTION OF COUNCIL AT MONDAY'S MEETING — PROBLEM OF DISPOSAL OF REFUSE AND GARBAGE SETTLED ONLY TEMPORARILY, MAYOR EXPLAINS.

As a result of the rejection by the City Council of the plans of Mayor John B. Hynes for a $1,500,000 incinerator in the Cedar Grove section of Dorchester, along the banks of the Neponset River, it will now be necessary for the city to take land by eminent domain from the Keystone Manufacturing Company for an open dump across Granite avenue from the Cedar Grove site.

This was made known in a statement issued by Mayor Hynes following the Council vote. The statement reads as follows:

The unwillingness of the City Council to approve the site on the Neponset River marshes for a modern incinerator further aggravates a very aggravating problem. The site chosen by the Public Works Commissioner seemed to be the best, if not the only, site in Dorchester which would be free from substantial and legitimate objections. It will now be necessary for the city to arrange to take land adjoining the present dumping site on Hallet street in Dorchester for dumping purposes. This site is now owned by the Keystone Manufacturing Company and will be separated from the main properties of that company by the new Southeast Expressway which will be built next year.

Disposal Problem Continues.

At the best, this site will provide for dumping for two years, more or less. The problem of disposal of refuse from the Dorchester district will continue to be an aggravating and acute problem until such time as the city can get the approval of the City Council for a site in that district for an incinerator.

A modern incinerating plant, such as those now operating in various cities and towns throughout the country, is neither obnoxious nor detrimental to a neighborhood. In Boston, which has little if any available land for open dump sites, incinerating plants must be constructed. We shall go forward with the construction of an incinerator in the South Bay section of the city, and construction should begin sometime in the late spring. This incinerator will take care of the refuse from the Roxbury, South End, North Dorchester, and South Boston districts. It will not be large enough to meet the requirements of the entire city.

I commend those City Councillors who, fully understanding the situation, voted for the site along the Neponset River.

"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean;
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, January 3, at 2 P.M.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the officials directly in charge. The failure of such official to make reply within a reasonable length of time should be brought to the attention of the Mayor. Communications should be directed as follows:

TO THE PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT COMMISSION, Room 403, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways, the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments of streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped area for streets and the opening of private ways; the making of specific repairs in public streets; the naming of public streets including the use of public ways for location of conduits, poles, and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railways, coal holes, and vaults.

TO THE BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION, 112 Southampton street, for information relative to regulation of vehicular street traffic on all or any streets, ways, highways, roads, and parkways under the control of the City of Boston, the issuing of all permits in connection therewith.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting, and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catchbasins, the operation of Sumner Tunnel, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges, and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Haymarket Square, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish, and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughterhouses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases, of public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth Avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park, and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts, also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview, and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

TO THE COMPLAINTS DEPARTMENT, 25 City Hall, for complaints concerning any matters in which the citizens of Boston may be interested that need correction or investigation.

TO THE DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS, 28 Norman street, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

TO THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, ROOM 907, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal, or tearing down buildings.

TO THE ELECTRICAL INSPECTION DIVISION OF THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT, 1001 City Hall Annex, for all information relative to the erection of poles, building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division; also for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings of the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

TO THE BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT, 43 City Hall, relative to changes in the boundary lines of zoning districts of the City of Boston as established by chapter 488 of the Acts of 1924, and amendments thereto.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending December 25, 1954.

Population as of July, 1950, Massachusetts State Census, 817,713; population estimated July, 1954, United States Census Bureau, 810,633; number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 168; nonresidents, 62; total, 230.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 14.86; nonresidents deducted, 10.81.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:

Last week, 15.76; corresponding week last year, 13.61.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 13; one year to four years, inclusive, 4; sixty years and over, 148. Total deaths: Male, 135; female, 94; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 156.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Dec. 25, 1954.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Dec. 26, 1953.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior Poliomyelitis	1	—	2	—
Diphtheria	2	—	—	—
Encephalitis Lethargica	—	—	—	—
Influenza	—	—	—	—
Measles	99	—	—	—
Meningitis Epidemic	—	—	1	—
Pneumonia (lobar)	—	6	—	1
Scarlet Fever	14	—	18	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary)	19	4	20	4
Childhood Type Tuberculosis	—	—	—	—
Tuberculosis (other forms)	2	2	1	1
Typhoid Fever	—	—	—	—
Whooping Cough	11	—	1	—

* Residents and nonresidents included.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

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the agenda from data which he had received as a result of an earlier request that all participating superintendents submit to him important problems affecting both local and national educational policies. The conference and discussions were most valuable and covered a very wide range of subject matter.

FINANCE AND COSTS.

Although there was general agreement that educational costs had continued to increase in 1953-54, ten cities reported that necessary funds had been easier to obtain, and no city reported curtailment of services because of inadequate financial support.

Cafeteria costs were considered as increasing items in school budgets. Discussion indicated that cafeterias are operated without loss in twenty-seven cities; that free lunches are provided in budgets of eight cities; and that local Community Chests assist in the financing of free lunch programs in six cities.

In regard to per pupil cost factors, it was found that in fifteen cities classes are larger, in six cities classes are smaller, and in nineteen cities classes are the same size as last year.

Other subjects considered were custodial costs and night football, which is conducted in twenty-two cities.

BUILDINGS.

Twenty-one cities reported a downward trend in construction costs. Dallas, for example, recently let a substantial contract at eighty-five cents per cubic foot for an elementary school with auditorium and cafeteria, and sixteen other cities have let contracts within the past six months at less than one dollar per cubic foot. Twenty cities are now building two-story elementary schools, and ten cities have reduced building costs by using one basic plan for all elementary schools. Twenty cities cited decreased use of glass blocks because of heat, glare, and difficulty of replacement when broken.

Only four cities noted an increase in damage to school property by vandals. Through night shifts operating in school buildings up to eleven o'clock and through use of mobile units of personnel, who tour the city after dark checking on school property, other cities have brought about a reduction in losses from vandalism.

ADMINISTRATION — INSURANCE.

Pupil accident insurance, now in effect in twenty cities, was discussed at length. In one city the plan is administered by the Parent-Teacher Association. In another city the School Department sends information to the homes, and parents then deal directly with the insurance companies, in the selection of which the Board of Education has no part.

Two cities view pupil accident plans as commercial activities and hold that it is illegal to participate.

Fire insurance was also carefully considered. It was found that fifteen cities have self-insurance plans, under which they put aside $50,000 per year as a replacement fund. Dayton has a $100,000 deductible policy on each building. Dallas, with 500,000 population, spends about $60,000 per year for this type of coverage.

ADMINISTRATION.

Among subjects discussed under administration were maximum and minimum class sizes, counseling and guidance in schools of all levels, teacher-pupil ratios, type and duties of supervisory personnel, use of teacher-consultants to assist supervisors, free selection of high schools by pupils, personalizing of large schools, liaison work with voluntary youth agencies, and organization of specialized high schools.

CURRICULUM.

The constant evaluation and revision of curriculum by specially qualified personnel is of increasing importance in successful operation of a modern school system. So vital is this work considered that seventeen major cities currently appropriate funds for summer employment of teachers and other staff members in curriculum development, and twenty-five cities follow the policy of releasing teachers from regular duty during the school term to work on curriculum and replacing them in the classroom by substitutes.

Among the many current curriculum practices discussed, the following were of major importance:

1. Foreign language instruction in elementary grades. This practice is now followed in eight major cities. In San Diego 90 per cent of all Grade V pupils receive one hour per week of instruction in conversational Spanish by traveling teachers. In Richmond one and one-half hours per week are offered in Spanish or French as an introduction to more advanced study in junior high school. Washington, D. C., gives courses in Spanish, French, and German on television. As yet, no large city offers mass instruction in foreign languages for elementary school pupils.

2. Programs for gifted children. Several cities conduct noteworthy programs for superior students. Toronto compresses the work of three elementary grades into two years. Indianapolis conducts fifteen centers for elementary school students above Grade IV with I.Q.'s over 130, instructing these students in such subjects as science and typing in classes of not more than twenty. Portland, Oregon, employs leadership abilities and special interests rather than I.Q. scores as bases for selection of students for membership in accelerated groups. At high school level these pupils work after regular school hours in seminars with college professors. The Portland program, which has been from its inception financed by grants from the Ford Foundation, has proved so successful that the city plans to continue its operation out of public funds.

3. Programs for maladjusted and exceptional children. During the past year eight more cities followed the lead of Boston in setting up programs for pupils having I.Q.'s under 50. Twenty-three cities now offer such services, nine in special centers, and fourteen in regular buildings. St. Paul has established a maximum class size of eighteen with a teacher and a matron in attendance.

In Seattle a prevocational school offers special training to socially and emotionally maladjusted pupils who are potential drop-outs. The school reports a high average of pupil retention.

4. Special activities to meet current youth problems. Of the numerous activities introduced to improve youth conduct in the community, the program sponsored in Portland, Oregon, appeared to reach the largest number of pupils. In nine city schools a social room has been set up with snack bar and juke box. These rooms are open every evening except Saturday and Sunday until nine o'clock, with a social worker in charge. The average attendance at the various centers ranges from 75 to 100. A considerable improvement in youth conduct has been observed in the community since the inauguration of this program.

Other subjects of discussion were recruitment of teachers, methods of selection and promotion of teachers, salaries, sick leave, and the organization and direction of public relations programs.

The program of school visitations and the broad range of vital subjects considered in conference and discussion periods by the superintendents of cities with populations over 200,000 made this meeting at Louisville one of exceptional educational value.

TRUSTEES OF BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL APPROVE SEARS SURGICAL LABORATORY.

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The Sears Surgical Laboratory will be a memorial to the late Dr. George G. Sears, for many years a prominent Boston physician. Dr. Sears was for several years a member of Boston City Hospital's Board of Trustees and served as secretary to the Board.

The late Charles H. Tyler of Boston, who died December 6, 1931, established a public charitable trust in his will and left $1,000,000 to the Boston City Hospital for this memorial to Dr. Sears. The money became available gradually as the estate was settled. The funds have now accumulated in the amount of $1,590,341.13.

TEACHING SURGICAL SERVICE.

A teaching surgical service will also be established in connection with the Sears Surgical Laboratory. This will be conducted in conjunction with Harvard Medical School and complements two teaching surgical services now operating in cooperation with Boston University School of Medicine and Tufts College Medical School.

The action taken by the Board of Trustees establishes the Sears Surgical Laboratory as a major project conducted in conjunction with Harvard Medical School. Tufts College Medical School will benefit directly in the surgical research activities at Boston City Hospital, since the medical schools of Harvard and Tufts are specifically mentioned in the Tyler will and both had teaching services at the hospital at that time.

The trustee vote contains the following specific language:

". . . until it is determined by this Board that other arrangements might better serve the welfare of the sick of Boston, the teaching of medical students and young physicians, the advancement of surgical science, and the effectuation of the intent of the public charitable trust left to the Boston City Hospital by clause 'E' of the will of the late Charles H. Tyler (who died December 6, 1931—Essex Probate No. 172079)—

"1. The Director of the Sears Surgical Laboratory shall be appointed only after consultation with and nomination by the President and Fellows of Harvard College;

"2. The Director of the Sears Surgical Laboratory shall be the responsible, full-time administrative head not only of the Sears Surgical Laboratory but also of the teaching surgical service established in connection therewith, shall supervise all the activities of each, and shall be a member of the staff of the Boston City Hospital;

"3. The professional staff (including residents and interns) of the Sears Surgical Laboratory and of the teaching surgical service established in connection therewith shall be appointed by this Board only from persons nominated by the Director of the Sears Surgical Laboratory;

"4. So much of the legacy given to the Boston City Hospital by clause 'E' of the aforesaid will of the late Charles H. Tyler as may be necessary, but in no event in excess of $500,000, shall be used, but only after consultation with the Director of the Sears Surgical Laboratory, to establish the Sears Surgical Laboratory in fact by remodeling, renovating and equipping the portions of the Surgical Operating Building designated this day as such Laboratory; and the balance of said legacy together with all accretions and accumulations prior to the completion of such establishment in fact, saving only such sums as may be necessary for the salary of the Director of the Sears Surgical Laboratory and any assistants prior to such completion, shall be funded, with the income to be used, but only after consultation with such Director, for payment of salaries either in full or supplemental to salaries from other sources to such Director and to his clinical and laboratory assistants and for laboratory equipment and supplies but not to be applied to ordinary administration personnel or repairs; and

"5. This Board shall use its best efforts at all times to provide suitable and adequate facilities for the conduct of the research program of the Sears Surgical Laboratory including, but without limiting the generality of the foregoing, laboratory space, research beds, operating rooms and animal quarters."

IMPORTANT MILESTONE.

Said Richard J. Condon, president of the Board of Trustees, in commenting on the action by the Board:

"This is a happy occasion for the members of the Board. We have long waited for this day. Dr. George Packer Berry, dean of Harvard Medical School, has been informed of the action of the Board. It is expected that the nomination of the director of the Sears Surgical Laboratory will be made by the authorities at Harvard very soon.

"Planning for the necessary remodeling of the Surgical Operating Building will be started immediately. It is hoped to get the necessary work under way within a very short time.

"This is an important milestone in the growth and development of Boston City Hospital. This new laboratory holds great promise for the future of medical science. The City of Boston and patients at Boston City Hospital will be the direct beneficiaries."

The trustees of the Boston City Hospital are Richard J. Condon, president, Thomas J. Giblin, secretary, Stuart C. Rand, Henry E. Foley, Henry C. Berlin.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Faneuil Construction Company has been directed to perform the following extra work under the contract dated September 20, 1954, for roofing work on various buildings of the Sanitary Division at Victory road, Dorchester, and 650 Albany street, Boston.

At Victory Road.—Furnish all labor and material necessary to do the painting of the new cornices that are being built at the Victory road disposal building, for the sum of one hundred and seventy dollars ($170). This work will include the painting of the cornices and two coats of lead and oil paint to all new lumber installed on the side and rear of the building.

At Albany Street.—Furnish all labor and material necessary to do the work of installing a new strip of copper cornices on the exterior of the blacksmith shop building in the Sanitary Yard on Albany street, for the sum of one hundred and eighty-five dollars ($185).

The above extra work is to be done at the above agreed prices.

Estimated cost of extra work, $355.

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James A. Susi has been directed to perform the following extra work under the contract for bituminous concrete pavement in Alward road, Andover road, Lantern Lane, Ledgedale road, Parklawn road, President road, and Wedgewood road, dated June 30, 1954.

In Alward road, deliver to the nearest city yard 5.3 linear feet of new circular edgestone at $3.42 per linear foot. In Andover road, deliver to the nearest city yard 12.9 linear feet of new circular edgestone at $3.42 per linear foot and 22.8 linear feet of new straight edgestone at $2.35 per linear foot. In Ledgedale road, deliver to the nearest city yard 4.3 linear feet of new circular edgestone at $3.12 per linear foot. Hauling of the above to be paid for under Item 5-e of the contract.

Estimated cost of extra work, $130.53.

X-RAY OF SCHOOL PERSONNEL.

The General Court of Massachusetts passed a law effective July 1, 1951, requiring all school personnel coming in contact with pupils to submit X-ray proof of freedom of tuberculosis in a communicable form—such proof to be filed every three years.

In accordance with the provisions of the law, the Health Department provided free X-ray service for school personnel desiring it. 70 mm. equipment was used where possible and was located in strategic areas to accommodate the large numbers of teachers, nurses, custodians, clerical workers, and others covered by the provisions of the law. The X-ray bus was stationed for an entire month on Boston Common, and 70 mm. equipment was also placed in Boston Teachers College. Four health units having 70 mm. X-ray machines were open daily for a six-week period to provide service for outlying sections of the city. All retakes were made at the South End Health Unit. More than 24,500 X-rays were taken during the program. Provision was also made for new employees of educational institutions to be X-rayed at the usual X-ray locations provided by the Health Department.

—Health Department Report.

WOOING FRINGE LOT PARKING PATRONS NOT EASY.

Enticing motoring commuters into fringe parking lots can be a difficult courtship. Recent experience in Washington, Baltimore, Cleveland, and St. Louis indicates that success cannot be achieved unless there is provided an attractive parking-transit fee, frequent bus service between the lot and central business district, and easy approaches to the lot. St. Louis offers a 5 to 7½ minute bus service, no parking fee, and a special 35-cent round-trip fare. Patronage of the 600-car lot is increasing, but a profitable operation has not yet been achieved. However, a survey of 500 of the lot's patrons showed 72 per cent rate the service as "excellent." Three out of four said they arrived closer to their downtown destinations than when they drove in. Private lots in downtown Cleveland are now getting short-term parkers—which produces more revenue for the operator than all-day parkers. In Baltimore the consensus is that fringe parking now "does not work".

Another necessity for cities planning fringe parking lots is the provision of convenient shelters to protect patrons from inclement weather. — *American Municipal Association Report.*

POPULATION OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

April 1, 1950.

As Returned by the United States Department of Commerce, Bureau of Census.

Ward	
1	53,296
2	31,332
3	50,644
4	35,889
5	40,701
6	30,328
7	31,484
8	29,355
9	33,357
10	30,281
11	30,456
12	36,880
13	29,805
14	52,580
15	26,661
16	33,233
17	32,322
18	48,348
19	29,525
20	39,053
21	38,984
22	33,930
Total	801,441

IMPORTANCE OF FOOD-BORNE DISEASE.

The relationship of food to disease continues to be an important public health program. The United States Public Health Service reported 327 outbreaks of food-borne disease in the United States in 1948, which resulted in 9,962 cases and 17 deaths. As only one out of ten cases of food-borne disease is ever reported, the resulting situation is far more important than available statistics would indicate.

The United States Public Health Service reports that there occurred in the United States in 1948, 30 cases and 6 deaths resulting from botulism; 74 cases and 1 death resulting from chemical food poisoning; 120 cases of dysentery; 8,832 cases and 7 deaths resulting from food infection and gastroenteritis; 270 cases of scarlet fever.

—Health Department Report.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

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FURNISHING AND DELIVERING MISCELLANEOUS FURNITURE.

	S. M. Levin Co.	E. F. Mahoney, Inc.	Cascade School Supplies, Inc.	American Seating Co.	McCarthy Brothers	Business Equip. Corp.
Item 1. 30 Couches	No bid	No bid	No bid	No bid	$41 05*†	No bid
20 Pads	No bid	No bid	No bid	No bid	$15 75*†	No bid
Item 2. 60 Windsor Chairs	$12 85*†	No bid	$17 65†	No bid	$13 09†	$17 40†
Item 3. 30 Folding Screens	$10 34*†	No bid	$12 30†	No bid	$11 95†	No bid
Item 4. 12-inch Height Chairs	$3 98*†	$5 64†; $4 83†	$5 28†; $4 99†	No bid	No bid	$4 40†
300 13-inch Height Chairs	$3 98†	$5 64†; $5 06†	$5 72†; $4 99†	No bid	No bid	$4 40†
100 14-inch Height Chairs	$3 98*	$5 64†; $5 06†	$5 72†; $5 24†	No bid	No bid	$4 40†
Item 5. 50 Teachers Swivel Chairs	$15 24†	$16 39†	$15 87†; $18 47†	No bid	$15 73†	$15 80†
Item 6. 12 Portable Blackboards	$45 90†	No bid	No bid	No bid	No bid	No bid
Item 7. Universal Desks						
10 Size B	No bid	No bid	$26 85†	$30 58*†	No bid	No bid
4 Size C	No bid	No bid	$26 65†	$30 28½†	No bid	No bid
S. J. Baker School						
6 Size A	No bid	No bid	$27 15†	$30 88½†	No bid	No bid
8 Size B	No bid	No bid	$26 85†	$30 58½†	No bid	No bid
S. J. Baker School						
11 Size B	No bid	No bid	$26 85†	$30 58½†	No bid	No bid
3 Size C	No bid	No bid	$26 65†	$30 28½†	No bid	No bid
D. Alighieri School						
Item 8. 70 Typewriting Desks	$38 40†, wood $37 90*†‡	No bid	No bid	No bid	No bid	No bid
Item 9. 70 Pupils Chairs	$8 88†; $13 94‡	$6 62†‡	$6 97*	No bid	No bid	No bid
Item 10. 2 Cutting Tables	$74†	No bid	No bid	No bid	No bid	No bid
Item 11. 2 Kitchen Cabinets, BD418	$72 50*†	No bid	No bid	No bid	No bid	No bid
Item 12. 2 Kitchen Cabinets, BD318	$67 50*†	No bid	No bid	No bid	No bid	No bid
Item 13. Principal's Suite Complete	$565	No bid	No bid	No bid	No bid	$524*
Item 14. 2 Table and Chair Units	$85*†	$101 60†	No bid	No bid	$101 35†	$86†
Item 15. 40 Lockers	$19 88†	No bid	No bid	No bid	No bid	$20 55†
Item 16. 50 Storage Cabinets	$46 63† $39 63*†‡	$39 95†‡	$52 96†	No bid	No bid	$42 98†
Item 17. 10 Wardrobe Cabinets	$45 14† $38 14*†	$38 02†‡	$49 20†	No bid	No bid	$40 34†

FURNISHING AND DELIVERING MISCELLANEOUS FURNITURE.

	Henry S. Wolkins Co.	Gledhill Brothers, Inc.	Milton Bradley Co.	O. P. Killam & Son	The Berger Mfg. Co. of Mass.
Item 1. 30 Couches, 20 Pads	No bid	No bid	No bid	No bid	No bid
Item 2. 60 Windsor Chairs	$16 80†	$18 60†, not rodded $19 80, rodded†‡	$18 80†	No bid	No bid
Item 3. 30 Folding Screens	No bid	$12 05	No bid	No bid	No bid
Item 4. 100 12-Inch Height Chairs	$5 16; $4 96; $4 58†	$5 75†	$4 45†	No bid	No bid
300 13-Inch Height Chairs	$5 16; $4 96; $4 58†	$5 75†	$4 45†	No bid	No bid
100 14-Inch Height Chairs	$5 16; $4 96; $4 58†	$5 35†	$4 45†	No bid	No bid
Item 5. 50 Teachers Swivel Chairs	$14 32*†	$16 78†	$16 85†	No bid	No bid
Item 6. 12 Portable Blackboards	$48 75†	$39*†	No bid	No bid	No bid
Item 7. Universal Desks					
10 Size B	$23 17†	No bid	$23 40†	No bid	No bid
4 Size C	$22 87†	No bid	$23 15†	No bid	No bid
S. J. Baker School					
6 Size A	$23 59†	No bid	$23 70†	No bid	No bid
8 Size B	$23 17†	No bid	$23 40†	No bid	No bid
S. J. Baker School					
11 Size B	$23 17†	No bid	$23 40†	No bid	No bid
3 Size C	$22 87†	No bid	$23 70†	No bid	No bid
D. Alighieri School					
Item 8. 70 Typewriting Desks	$29 83† $25 80†‡	No bid	$43 50† $14 95†‡, typing table	$39†	No bid
Item 9. 70 Pupils Chairs	$7 88†, 18-inch $7 68†‡, 17-inch	$7 85†	$7 42†	$7 70†	No bid
Item 10. 2 Cutting Tables	$59 90*†	$167 85†	No bid	$142†	No bid
Item 11. 2 Kitchen Cabinets, BD418	$79† (deduct $5 if do not have to fasten down top)	No bid	No bid	No bid	No bid
Item 12. 2 Kitchen Cabinets, BD318	$74 50† (deduct $5 do not have to fasten down top)	No bid	No bid	No bid	No bid
Item 13. Principal's Suite Complete	No bid	No bid	No bid	No bid	No bid
Item 14. 2 Table and Chair Units	No bid	$91†	$97†	No bid	No bid
Item 15. 40 Lockers	No bid	No bid	No bid	$16 88†	$17 80*†
Item 16. 50 Storage Cabinets	$42 81†	$48†	$43 85†	$45 69†	$46 90†
Item 17. 10 Wardrobe Cabinets	$45 44†	$39 80†	$43 90†	$43 34†	$44 45†

* Contract awarded. † Each. ‡ Alternate.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 28.

GAS FITTER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Lewis McConkey	329 Albany street	8	Connecting heater	$35
Max Loiterstein	800 Beacon street	21	Connecting range	32
John J. Tierney	308 Belgrade avenue	20	Connecting range	1,000
Thomas H. Matthews	27 Bellevue street	15	Connecting range	300
Emilio Pascucci	6 Brigham street	1	Connecting range	40
Joseph Vangi	123 Brighton street	3	Connecting heater	45
Simon Sawtelle	112 Brook avenue	13	Connecting range	25
George S. Trethewey	973 Canterbury street	18	Connecting range	225
Emilio Pascucci	190 Cottage street	1	Connecting range	225
Henry Latorella	181 Cowper street	1	Connecting heater	45
Samuel Shulman	29 Deforest street	18	Connecting range	300
Philip Murtha	97 Draper street	15	Connecting range	60
Frank E. Odenweller	631 East Sixth street	6	Connecting range	75
Nathan Deutsch	259 Everett street	1	Connecting range	300
Emilio Pascucci	70 Frankfort street	1	Connecting heater	25
Francis Fitzgerald	12 Garden street	3	Connecting range	100
Charles O'Connor	89 Greene street	2	Connecting range	45
Milton Slishman	883 Harrison avenue	8	Connecting range	35
Emilio Pascucci	95 Horace street	1	Connecting range	15
Daniel Greenwood	14 Kingsboro park	19	Connecting range	50
Nathan Deutsch	101 Leyden street	1	Connecting range	1,500
Joseph Vogel	526 Massachusetts avenue	9	Connecting range	35
Nathan Deutsch	31 Mead street	2	Connecting range	75
Max Loiterstein	19 Melvin avenue	21	Connecting heater	32
Harold Hinckley	74 Mornine street	19	Connecting range	10
Max Loiterstein	29 Mt. Hood avenue	21	Connecting range	38
Stephen M. Stephens	42 Norton street	18	Connecting range	150
Nathan L. Deutsch	69 Pearl street	2	Connecting range	85
George S. Trethewey	36 Penfield street	20	Connecting range	260
George S. Trethewey	35 Philbrick street	18	Connecting range	25
William E. Hogan	195 Pilgrim road	4	Connecting range	200
George S. Trethewey	527 Poplar street	18	Connecting heater	175
Frank T. Delltufo	10 Presley road	16	Connecting range	200
Emilio Pascucci	740 Saratoga street	1	Connecting range	8
Daniel Slavet	215 Shawmut avenue	3	Connecting range	15
Max Loiterstein	153 Strathmore road	21	Connecting heater	40
Henry Latorella	293 Sumner street	1	Connecting range	300
Nathan Deutsch	352 Sumner street	1	Connecting range	35
Joseph D. Freedman	36 and 38 Symphony road	4	Connecting range	250
G. L. Spiers	106 Tremont street	22	Connecting range	20
Max Loiterstein	126 Warren street	21	Connecting range	35
Ephraim Rothenberg	301 Washington street	14	Connecting heater	85
S. J. Connolly	71 Stoughton street	13	Connecting range	100
Philip J. Gulesian	2 Austin avenue	18	Connecting range	200
David Krenger	68 Belden street	7	Connecting range	100
S. J. Connolly	501 Blue Hill avenue	12	Connecting range	20
S. J. Connolly	10 Dana terrace	12	Connecting range	50
David Krenger	2021 Dorchester avenue	17	Connecting range	200
John H. Corcoran	35 Selden street	17	Connecting range	200
Philip J. Gulesian	933 Metropolitan avenue	18	Connecting range	200
John E. Esterhill	2 Roseclair street	7	Connecting heater	75
John J. Tierney	342 Rutherford avenue	2	Connecting range	75
David Krenger	119 Saratoga street	1	Connecting range	200
James F. Fleming	77 Sargent Crossway	10	Connecting range	950
Philip Gulesian	10 Stark avenue	18	Connecting heater	100
Morris Eskowitz	12 Symphony road	4	Connecting range	25
S. J. Connolly	9 Wayne street	12	Connecting range	25
Benjamin Gillis	137 West Brookline street	9	Connecting range	40
L. Rubin	215 Forest Hills street	11	Connecting heater	500
S. Chipman	44 Devine Way	7	Connecting range	50
W. Award	587 Washington street	22	Connecting range	50
W. Award	46 Ashford street	21	Connecting range	50
W. Award	11 Collston road	21	Connecting range	50
W. Award	25 Haskell street	22	Connecting range	50
W. Award	39 Academy road	22	Connecting range	50
W. Award	4 Forest street	22	Connecting range	50
W. Award	90 Bennett street	22	Connecting range	100
W. Award	3 Lothian road	22	Connecting range	75
S. Shuman	8 Spring terrace	12	Connecting range	150
J. Riccardelli	124 Falcon street	1	Connecting range	45
B. Baldassaro	219 Leyden street	1	Connecting range	50
L. Rubin	27 Byrd avenue	18	Connecting range	50
W. Brodner	407 Mt. Vernon street	13	Connecting range	50
P. Gulesian	68 Arlington street	18	Connecting heater	200
P. Gulesian	117 Arlington street	18	Connecting heater	150
H. Hinckley	295 Beacon street	5	Connecting range	60
S. Slavet	7 Billerica street	3	Connecting range	35
A. Filger	52 Blue Hill avenue	8	Connecting range	50
H. Cutler	1213 Blue Hill avenue	14	Connecting range	15
P. Gulesian	30 Bradlee street	18	Connecting range	200
W. Broadbent	143 Brookline avenue	1	Connecting range	100
P. Gulesian	1 Coronado road	18	Connecting range	75
J. Butler	27 Fossdale road	16	Connecting range	40
J. Butler	51 Franconia street	16	Connecting range	100
J. Butler	406 Gallivan Boulevard	16	Connecting range	40
Halsband	222 Harrison avenue	3	Connecting range	100
P. Gulesian	16 Hopewell road	18	Connecting range	150
P. Gulesian	911 Hyde Park avenue	18	Connecting range	75
H. Hinckley	110 McBride street	11	Connecting range	15
A. Granara	14 North Russell street	3	Connecting range	10
B. Weiner	55 Park Drive	5	Connecting range	100
P. Sparco	23 Plain street	16	Connecting heater	100
F. Trabucco	13 Rockville park	12	Connecting range	75
S. Slavet	95 Salem street	3	Connecting heater	250
E. Dorr	43 Union avenue	11	Connecting range	250
J. Rull	184 West Canton street	1	Connecting range	75
J. Butler	11 Wilcox road	16	Connecting range	70
P. Gulesian	15 Winslow street	18	Connecting range	200
Clark	7 Belmont terrace	19	Connecting heater	400
Clark	66 Bowdoin avenue	14	Connecting heater	400
Deutsch	149 Chelsea street	1	Connecting range	30
Avery	52 Chestnut avenue	10	Connecting range	25
Avery	286 Commonwealth avenue	5	Connecting range	10

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees:

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Frank F. Whitecross, senior construction engineer, has been continued in employment for one year.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Approval has been given to the further extension of time for a period of six months for the temporary transfers of the following employees:

James E. Hanlon, from construction and structural engineer, Grade V, to construction and structural engineer, Grade VI, at $127.25 a week.

Harold J. Welch, from clerk to assistant contract supervisor at $94 a week.

James D. McCarthy, from civil engineer, Grade II, to civil engineer, Grade IV, at $90.50 a week.

Norman W. Rodham, from draftsman to civil engineer, Grade IV, at $90.50 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

The following resignations have been approved:

Catherine Maheigan, clerk and typist; Madeline Lydon, clerk.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

For the week ending December 15:

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Louise Blanchard, 31 Eaton street, Milton, 7 days; Ruby Childs, 270 Huntington avenue, Roxbury, 2 days; Sophie Cotter, 173 Vine Rock street, Dedham, 3 days; Carrie Coleman, 360 Thacker street, Milton, 4 days; Norma Dean, 696 Massachusetts avenue, 7 days; Florence Dowd, 93 Williams avenue, Hyde Park, Patricia Doucette, 352 Athens street, South Boston, 2 days; Elizabeth Donlan, 21 Ferndale street, Dorchester, 1 day; Yolnander Evans, 126 Waverly street, Everett, 2 days; Anna Ferrara, 53 Blue Hill avenue, Milton, 7 days; Christine Finn, 230 Commonwealth avenue, 3 days; Dolores Flanagan, 2 days; Clarice Garney, 27 Dean street, Bridgewater, 3 days; Stella Graham, 43 Mercier avenue, Dorchester, 5 days; Jeanne Gerety, 8 days; Mary B. Healy, 163 East Cottage street, Dorchester, 3 days; Ruth Isaakson, 58 Cheney street, Roxbury, 2 days; Dorothy Jewkes, 305 Lynn street, Malden, Charlotte Kelleher, 48 Waverly street, Roxbury, Anne Lynskey, 52 Tilsa street, Medford, 1 day; Joan Linehan, 775 Parker street, Roxbury, 5 days; Margaret Leonard, 7 Speedwell street, Dorchester, 1 day; Veronica McElligott, 34 Dickenson street, Somerville, 2 days; Mary R. Mahon, 29 Kempton street, 7 days; Anna Murphy, 115 Peterborough street, 1 day; Mary Murphy, 37 Hampden Circle, Wollaston, 3 days; Thelma Mills, 9 Albemarle Chambers, 1 day; Phyllis Nigro, 271 Dartmouth street, 7 days; Alyce Powers, 67 Prospect avenue, Wollaston, Mary Pursley, 38 Van Brent street, Hyde Park, 2 days; Ethel Rahaim, 665 Massachusetts avenue, 4 days; Ann Romsey, 146 Massachusetts avenue, Angelina Smith, 3 Walford Drive, Canton, 2 days; Margaret M. Sullivan, 28 Weymouth street, Holbrook, 7 days; Bernice Smith, 105 Walnut avenue, Roxbury, 4 days; Ber-

nice Stanley, 25 Beacon street, Hyde Park, 1 day; Mabel Smith, 7 days; Doris Stoddard, 1 day; Kathryn Welch, 49 East Springfield street, 7 days; Katherine Foley, 30 Walton street, Dorchester, Isabel Sutton, 121 Boston street, Dorchester, 1 day.

The following provisional employees have been appointed:

Ernest M. Giardina, 580 East Third street, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; George B. Regan, 8 Sumner park, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—Accursio Arena, 171 West Third street, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; Charles J. Doran, 26 Walk Hill street, Jamaica Plain, ambulance driver, $73 a week; Rosalyn Glazer, 12 Winston road, Dorchester, floor nurse, $1.60 an hour; Florence L. Lennon, 1 Centre Street terrace, Delia M. Nestor, 12 Dennis street, Roxbury, hospital house workers, $53 a week; Julia M. Sargent, 109 East Canton street, hospital medical worker, $50.50 a week.

Temporary.—Ellsworth L. Averill, 276 Gallivan Boulevard, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; Carrie A. Coleman, 360 Thacker street, Milton, floor nurse, $1.70 an hour; William J. Goode, 32 Burke street, South Boston, Mary Conway, 563 Hyde Park avenue, Florence Schultz, 689 Massachusetts avenue, hospital medical workers, $43 a week.

The following permanent employee has been appointed:

Marcus Van Praag, 679 Washington street, Dorchester, hospital laundry worker, $43 a week.

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For the week ending December 21:

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Louise Blanchard, 31 Eaton street, East Milton, 4 days; Rita Buscher, 238 Norfolk street, Wollaston, 1 day; Barbara Blake, 27 Blakeville street, Dorchester, 4 days; Mary Canty, 45 Magdala street, Dorchester, 2 days; Sophie Cotter, 173 Vine Rock street, Dedham, 3 days; Carrie Coleman, 360 Thacker street, Milton, 7 days; Elaine Darnell, 111 Warwick road, Melrose, 3 days; Norma Dean, 696 Massachusetts avenue, 4 days; Patricia Doucette, 352 Athens street, 5 days; Elizabeth Donlan, 21 Ferndale street, Dorchester, 4 days; Patricia Daily, 1 day; Anna Ferrara, 53 Blue Hill avenue, Milton, 6 days; Clarice Garney, 27 Dean street, Bridgewater, 1 day; Ethel Goff, 40 Rockwell street, Dorchester, 3 days; Jeanne Gerety, 7 days; Helen Hagenberger, 207 Park Drive, 4 days; Doris Holland, 24 Chestnut road, West Roxbury, 1 day; Anne Lynskey, 52 Tilsa street, Medford, 6 days; Margaret Leonard, 7 Speedwell street, Dorchester, 4 days; Mary Lawlor, 49 Alton street, Arlington, Veronica McElligott, 34 Dickenson street, Somerville, 1 day; Rita McCallum, 162 Bowdoin street, Dorchester, Mary R. Mahon, 29 Kempton street, 2 days; Anna Murphy, 115 Peterborough street, 5 days; Mary Murphy, 37 Hamden Circle, Wollaston, 1 day; Thelma Miles, 9 Albemarle Chambers, 7 days; Phyllis Nigro, 271 Dartmouth street, 4 days; Helen Nauss, 46 West Newton street, 6 days; Virginia

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APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 28.—Concluded.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Deutsch	32 Concord street	2	Connecting range	$75
Clark	11 Conrad street	7	Connecting range	100
Clark	9 Cordis street	2	Connecting range	100
Clark	568 East Third street	6	Connecting heater	400
Clark	51 Edgewater Drive	18	Connecting heater	400
Deutsch	78 Elm street	2	Connecting range	50
Mellyn	49 Everett street	19	Connecting range	85
Deutsch	116 Everett street	1	Connecting range	30
Deutsch	103 Federal street	3	Connecting range	30
Greenwood	12 Forest Hills street	19	Connecting range	85
Pryor	16 Franklin street	2	Connecting range	28
Deutsch	259 Havre street	1	Connecting range	50
Avery	9 Herbertson road	19	Connecting range	10
Jorgam	319 Hyde Park avenue	19	Connecting range	50
Eskovitz	22 Irving street	3	Connecting heater	250
Clark	5 Loring street	6	Connecting range	100
Hering	16 Myrtle street	19	Connecting range	30
Avery	53 Neponset avenue	19	Connecting range	25
Greenwood	11 Rock road	18	Connecting range	40
Fafara	128 Shirley street	8	Connecting range	40
L. Rubin	375 Silver street	6	Connecting range	45
Avery	717 South street	20	Connecting range	35
Crane	125 S. Huntington avenue	10	Connecting range	100
Avery	10 St. Germain street	4	Connecting range	10
Clark	8 Theodore street	14	Connecting range	100
Meffan	85 Warren street	12	Connecting range	75
Greenwood	655 Warren street	12	Connecting range	60
Clark	49 Woodhine street	12	Connecting range	100
Sullivan	600 Atlantic avenue	3	Connecting heater	2,500
O'Neill	32 Billings street	20	Connecting range	25
Mooney	76 Billings street	20	Connecting range	10
Zuff	99 Chauncy street	3	Connecting range	100
O'Neill	1 Cohden street	11	Connecting range	20
Kramer	100 Commonwealth avenue	21	Connecting range	10
O'Neill	16 Francis street	10	Connecting range	40
Franco	3 Harrison park	16	Connecting range	10
O'Neill	26 Lamartine street	11	Connecting range	25
Downey	215 Manthorne road	20	Connecting range	30
Cooper	12 Maywood street	12	Connecting range	235
Gaverin	58 Myrtle street	5	Connecting range	50
Connell	10 Newport street	13	Connecting range	50
Zuff	66 Norfolk avenue	8	Connecting range	125
O'Neill	18 Pond Circle	19	Connecting range	10
Spiers	2566 Washington street	12	Connecting heater	400
Vallati	29 Whitten street	16	Connecting heater	200

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM BOILER WORK

FOR THE MONTH ENDING OCTOBER 30, 1954.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
James Cass	412 Huntington avenue	18	Heater	$300
Antonio Valeri	27 West Milton street	18	Heater	1,000
John McLaughlin	24 Norway park	18	Heater	300
William McKellegan	203 Reservation road	18	Heater	500
M. Mullen	73 St. Marks road	16	Heater	100
Joseph Summers	94 Wood avenue	18	Heater	100
Katherine Taylor	122 Wood avenue	18	Heater	300
Elizabeth Morrill	31 Lynde street	2	Heater	880
Paul F. Curley	3 Van Winkle street	16	Heater	1,690
Society of Jesus	2150 Commonwealth avenue	22	Generator	45,000
Harry Weider	1188 Blue Hill avenue	14	Heater	3,000
Georgian Hotel Company	490 Commonwealth avenue	5	Heater	200
Frank Reavey	250 West Third street	6	Heater	100
Fred Trenholm	83 Annafran street	18	Heater	400
Fensgate Operating Corp.	534 Beacon street	5	Heater	500
Harold Shaw	160 Beaver street	18	Heater	300
Joseph Weizel	33 Brainard street	19	Heater	400
R. C. Archbishop of Boston	Foster street	22	Generator	3,500
A. Doorly	11 Taft street	13	Heater	100
Mrs. Goodwin	155 Beacon street	5	Heater	600
John Sullivan	133 Belnel road	18	Heater	100
Mrs. Marjorie Grant	658 East Fifth street	6	Heater	500
Lodge Construction Co.	6 Ayles road	18	Heater	100
Lodge Construction Co.	12 Ayles road	18	Heater	150
Lodge Construction Co.	29 Ayles road	18	Heater	200
Miss Collins	529 Washington street	21	Heater	300
Mr. Meany	7 and 9 Cufflin street	22	Heater	500
Mr. Putnam	35 Burmah street	18	Heater	700
Lillian Sheehan	76 Hamilton street	18	Heater	300
Mr. Fay	49 Roslin street	17	Heater	1,500
Montague-Brown	124 Brighton avenue	21	Heater	300
R. C. Archbishop of Boston	736 Cambridge street	21	Generator	9,000
Brown Realty Company	1204 River street	18	Heater	100
Albert Kumberger	144 Walter street	20	Heater	100
O. Joyce	36 Cedar Grove street	16	Heater	100
Joseph A. Sapanaro	271 Webster street	1	Heater	1,700
M. Mullen	37 Hemlock road	20	Heater	150
Anna Moran	89 Westminster street	18	Heater	400
Charles Dacey	9 Fawndale road	20	Heater	100
Franciscan Sisters of Africa	172 Foster street	22	Heater	150
G. E. Donohue	33 Hill Top street	16	Heater	100
Joseph Kelley	38 Linnet street	20	Heater	100

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 28.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Marvin Gallaway	62 Armandine street	17	Garage	$875
Boston Terminal Company	630-690 Atlantic avenue	3	Alterations, office, terminal, theatre	40,000
Meet House Hill Coop. Bk.	200 Bowdoin street	15	Bank	95,000
Chester Borden	1380 Boylston street	21	Alterations, sales, service	2,000
Charles View Trust	536 Commonwealth avenue	5	Alterations, store, dwelling	1,000
Westinghouse Electric	26 Damon street	18	Warehouse	75,000
Hersey Manufacturing Co.	25 Dresser street	6	Alterations, storage	200
Hersey Manufacturing Co.	25 Dresser street	6	Storage	7,000
John and Helen Jackowitz	572 East Broadway	6	Alterations, dwelling	None
Boston Edison Company	620 East First street	6	Alterations, boiler house	$20,000
M. DeMatteo Const. Co.	Rear 260 Gardner street	20	Use premises	None
William Conrr	23 Glendower road	18	Dwelling	$10,000
William Conrr	27 Glendower road	18	Dwelling	10,000
Frank Kent	171 Grove street	20	Dwelling	10,000
Albert Conrr	265 Hebron street	18	Dwelling	10,000
Page & Hall Mfg. Company	1600 Hyde Park avenue	18	Storage	1,500
Arthur Wood	1 Lillie Way	20	Dwelling	11,000
Arthur Wood	2 Lillie Way	20	Dwelling	13,000
Builders Realty Company	4 Lorraine terrace	21	Alterations, dwelling	1,500
John L. Ridgeway	26 Magee street	18	Garage	1,500
M. Hazel Neylan	79 Mt. Vernon street	5	Alterations, dwelling	800
Lester Fogg	65 Newfield street	11	Dwelling	12,000
Mary Fibotte	36 Rockingham road	18	Dwelling	11,000
Ruth and Irving Rosen	15 Rosedale street	17	Garage	570
Raymond Capobianco	22 Roxana street	18	Dwelling	10,000
H. P. Hood Company	500 Rutherford avenue	2	Sign, dairy process	4,800
Stony Brook Village Corp.	5 Senders court	18	Dwelling	8,000
Stony Brook Village Corp.	6 Senders court	18	Dwelling	8,000
Stony Brook Village Corp.	10 Senders court	18	Dwelling	8,000
Stony Brook Village Corp.	14 Senders court	18	Dwelling	8,000
Stony Brook Village Corp.	18 Senders court	18	Dwelling	8,000
Stony Brook Village Corp.	19 Senders court	18	Dwelling	8,000
Stony Brook Village Corp.	22 Senders court	18	Dwelling	8,000
Stony Brook Village Corp.	23 Senders court	18	Dwelling	8,000
Stony Brook Village Corp.	26 Senders court	18	Dwelling	8,000
Stony Brook Village Corp.	27 Senders court	18	Dwelling	8,000
Stony Brook Village Corp.	30 Senders court	18	Dwelling	8,000
Stony Brook Village Corp.	31 Senders court	18	Dwelling	8,000
Lottie Lipper	5 Spring street	3	Alterations, store, dwelling	None
Boston Mutual Life Ins.	156 Stuart street	5	Alterations, school, office, store	$5,000
Rocco Paneiocco	32 Thompson street	18	Dwelling, garage	9,000
Mary Hudson	3 Union park	3	Alterations, dwelling	200
United Consumers, Inc.	85 Van Ness street	5	Alterations, storage	21,000
Arthur Wood	307 Veterans of Foreign Wars Parkway.	20	Dwelling	9,000
Arthur Wood	311 Veterans of Foreign Wars Parkway.	20	Dwelling	9,000
Boston & Maine Railroad	25 Water street	2	Alterations, sign, warehouse	11,000
Nathumel Smoske	456 Western avenue	22	Alterations, dwelling	None
Nathaniel Smoske	458 Western avenue	22	Alterations, dwelling	None
Sabina Pasquale	32 Woodland road	18	Dwelling	$9,000
Margaret and George Estey	1075 Adams street	17	Alterations, dwelling	400
Unity Real Estate Company	12 Belden street	7	Alterations, dwelling	500
A. Castagnolo	567 Bennington street	1	Alterations, store, dwelling	990
Matmore Village	856 Bennington street	1	Temporary wood locker	25
Sidney Saxe	31 Blue Hill avenue	8	Alterations, store, dwelling	250
M. Camuso	117 Bolton street	6	Alterations, dwelling	500
Susan Regan	1000 Boylston street	5	Fire escape, store, dwelling	225
Herbert Mann	138 Brighton avenue	21	Sign, store, office	950
Joseph Tuson	11 Burard street	20	Alterations, dwelling	304
Wellington Gray	3 Carlisle street	12	Alterations, dwelling	300
W. F. Walsh	107 Centre street	11	Alterations, dwelling	100
Joseph Phillips	129 Centre street	16	Alterations, dwelling	800
M. Epstein	49 Cheney street	12	Fire escape, dwelling	165
M. Epstein	51 Cheney street	12	Fire escape, dwelling	165
M. Raza	42 Clayton street	15	Fire repairs, dwelling	450
Lahey Clinic	605 Commonwealth avenue	5	Alterations, clinic	900
Boston University	685 Commonwealth avenue	21	Alterations, classrooms	785
Hub Realty	355 Congress street	6	Sign, restaurant, shop	200
Julius Brooks	53 Donnybrook road	22	Alterations, dwelling	725
Paul Delaney	1681 Dorchester avenue	16	Alterations, dwelling	2,050
Mary Quinlan	333 Dorchester street	7	Alterations, dwelling	330
John P. Doherty	262 East Cottage street	13	Alterations, dwelling	1,590
William Osteguy	909 East Fourth street	6	Alterations, dwelling	590
William Chadwick	6 Francesca street	20	Alterations, dwelling	340
Anna Farallo	29 Gordon avenue	17	Alterations, dwelling	900
James Martel	116 Hancock street	13	Alterations, dwelling	250
Casino Theatre	11 Hanover street	3	Sign, theatre	90
North End Veterans Asso.	216 Hanover street	3	Fire repairs, hall	600
Joseph Heuaghan	8 Harvard avenue	14	Alterations, dwelling	589
John E. Joseph	59 Hollander street	12	Alterations, dwelling	700
Gertrude Wassenber	27 Holton street	22	Fire escape, dwelling	425
Sidney Saze	4 Hucking street	8	Alterations, dwelling	250
Barney Sheff & Son	557-561 Huntington avenue	1	Alterations, restaurant	500
Charles Musuret	183 La Grange street	20	Alterations, dwelling	300
Harold Lichenstein	22 Larkhill road	20	Alterations, dwelling	320
David Kaplan	11 Linden street	21	Fire escape, dwelling	125
David Kaplan	11A Linden street	21	Fire escape, dwelling	125
Esther Levine	35 Lorne street	14	Alterations, dwelling	1,425
Frank Guilfoyle	37 Magdala street	16	Alterations, dwelling	500
Harry Richmond Estate	31 Mall street	12	Alterations, dwelling	125
S. Percival	520 Massachusetts avenue	9	Fire escape, dwelling	150
Thomas Quinn	8 Melvinside terrace	15	Alterations, dwelling	80
A. Aronson	88 Merrimac street	3	Alterations, storage	175
P. J. Lynch	238 Metropolitan avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	400
Mr. Griffin	10 Morrow road	22	Alterations, dwelling	350
Walter Hines	12 Mt. Pleasant avenue	8	Fire escape, dwelling	200
W. J. Welch	46 Neponset avenue	19	Alterations, dwelling	560

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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Nikas, 607 Franklin street, Cambridge, Dora Picarsky, 31 Edison Green, Dorchester, 1 day; Ethel Rahaim, 665 Massachusetts avenue, 4 days; Ann Ramsey, 146 Massachusetts avenue, Margaret M. Sullivan, 28 Weymouth street, Holbrook, 2 days; Bernice Smith, 105 Walnut avenue, Roxbury, 5 days; Mabel Steed, 223A Walnut avenue, Roxbury, 2 days; Bernice Stanley, 25 Beacon street, Hyde Park, 4 days; Mabel Smith, 1 day; Kathryn Welch, 49 East Springfield street, 6 days; Marie Allen, 51 Cherry street, Malden, Priscilla Beckwith, 686 Massachusetts avenue, Glenness Calhoun, 2 Avondale street, Dorchester, 1 day.

The following weekly nurses have been appointed:

Permanent.—Belle Buccigross, 902 East Broadway, South Boston, floor nurse, $65.50 a week; Alma Crowley, 1 Newcroft Circle, Mattapan, floor nurse, $60.50 a week.

South Division.

For the week ending December 14:

The service of the following employee has been terminated:

Permanent.—Virginia M. Swan, 88 Dix street, Dorchester, hospital house worker, $50.50 a week.

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For the week ending December 21:

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—Mary Boyce, 170 Medford street, Charlestown, hospital medical worker, $50.50 a week; Carl R. Moore, 33 Stevens terrace, Randolph, chef, $98.75 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

The following employees have been transferred:

Joseph Pilato, senior bookkeeper; Mary Driscoll, senior clerk and stenographer; Jerome Lynch, permanent clerk and typist.

The following retirement has been approved:

Gerard Kelley, permanent social work supervisor.

The following resignations have been approved:

Margaret McCluskey, provisional statistical machine operator; Marcia Ward, permanent clerk and typist; Helen Melia, permanent clerk and typist.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following appointments:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Norman S. Weinberg, 33 Wade street, Brighton, assistant assessor, part time, $263.18 a month.

John C. Foran, Jr., 62 Welles avenue, Dorchester, assistant assessor, $263.18 a month.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Paul W. Mooney, 68 Chittick road, Hyde Park, plan coordinator, $85.55 a week.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Edmund T. Burke, 18 Ardale street, Roslindale, fire alarm operator, $70.69 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Health Division.

June G. Otway, 178 Humboldt avenue, Roxbury, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Mary A. Smith, 422 Columbia road, Dorchester, clerk and typist, $45.50 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Frank G. Mills, M.D., Boston City Hospital, night executive, $348 a month.

Alfred W. Delehanty, 95 Dana avenue, Hyde Park, elevator operator, $48 a week.

Robert H. Allen, 33 Glenwood street, Roxbury, hospital kitchen worker, $48 a week.

South Division.

Mary T. O'Brien, 42 Blue Hill avenue, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $45.50 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

Francis McHugh, 11 Colby road, Roslindale, hospital medical worker, $50.50 a week.

William Whitcomb, M.D., 249 River street, Mattapan, resident physician, $202 a month.

Thomas Parker, M.D., 249 River street, Mattapan, resident physician, $162 a month.

Frank T. Kilfoy, 696 Massachusetts avenue, hospital medical worker, $48 a week.

Veroniea J. Botti, 4 Duxbury road, Mattapan, intermittent relief telephone operator, $55.50 a week.

Long Island Division.

James Lovett, 88 Rossmore road, Jamaica Plain, steam fireman, $60.50 a week.

Martin J. McCarthy, 718 East Second street, South Boston, carpenter and cabinet maker, $60.50 a week.

Winifred Hayes, 44 Parkman street, Dorchester, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

John W. McCue, Jr., 321 Neponset avenue, Dorchester, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Patrick A. Sullivan, 18 Lark street, South Boston, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Helen F. Freeman, 18 Treadway street, Dorchester, play leader, $7.50 a day.

Mary A. DeCoster, 49 Regent street, Roxbury, play leader, $7.50 a day.

Arthur A. Coreoran, 8 Irvington street, public relations representative, $58 a week.

Mary W. Alcott, 44 Longfellow street, Dorchester, recreation instructor, $7.50 a day.

Virginia A. Burkholder, 231 Park Drive, reereation instructor, $7.50 a day.

Nancy R. Croke, 68 Emerald street, reereation instructor, $7.50 a day.

Virginia M. Cullity, 15 Nelson street, Dorchester, reereation instructor, $7.50 a day.

Denise M. Dagle, 13 Walker street, Charlestown, recreation instructor, $7.50 a day.

Rose M. Durante, 6 Hull street, recreation instructor, $7.50 a day.

Frances M. Kilgallen, 11 Dana avenue, Hyde Park, recreation instruetor, $7.50 a day.

Mildred E. Musgrave, 710 Massachusetts avenue, reereation instructor, $7.50 a day.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 28.—Concluded.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Ellen Boylan	3 Nira avenue	10	Alterations, dwelling	$190
James F. Morse Co	Rear 44 and 46 Norfolk avenue.	8	Alterations, storage	900
John H. Lang	75 Orchardhill road	11	Alterations, dwelling	350
M. J. Powers	586 Park street	17	Alterations, dwelling	225
Antone Dias	4 Parker place	10	Alterations, dwelling	828
Robert Cairnes	75 Peter Parley road	11	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Unity Real Estate Co	1 Phillips place	7	Alterations, dwelling	500
Harvey Brooks	30 Pine Ridge road	17	Alterations, dwelling	275
Ernest Siovino	116 Prince street	19	Alterations, dwelling	275
Thomas F. Brianco	273 Princeton street	1	Alterations, dwelling	1,340
Katherine Leonard	28 Prospect street	2	Alterations, dwelling	100
Lloyd Frank	64 Revere street	5	Fire escape, dwelling	500
J. D. K. Willis	145A Richmond street	3	Sign, store, dwelling	400
Robert Goldson	449 River street	18	Alterations, dwelling, office	200
Henry Lamb	7 Robin Hood street	13	Alterations, dwelling	300
Masury-Young Co	76 Roland street	2	Take-down, office	650
A. Kearney	30 Rosemont street	18	Alterations, dwelling	950
John W. Burrell	75 Rutland street	9	Alterations, lodging house	40
Harold Whitten	63 St. Marks road	16	Alteratious, dwelling	280
Mary McCauley	1121 Saratoga street	1	Alterations, dwelling	100
Robert Marion	58 Sherman street	12	Alterations, dwelling	766
David Ovans	2 Sinclair place	22	Fire escape, dwelling	700
Peter Pappas	143 Stanwood street	14	Alterations, dwelling	490
A. Richmond	53 Tremont street	3	Alterations, theatre	75
S. E. Feinstein	50 Union street	3	Sign, sales, storage	990
Joseph Falkowski	34 Vinton street	7	Alterations, dwelling	965
Michael Nackley	89 Waltham street	3	Fire repairs, lodging house	200
H. E. Korelitz	945 Washington street	3	Alterations, store, storage	475
Enterprise Stores	2285 Washington street	9	Alterations, storage, stores	600
Margaret Lennon	4003 Washington street	19	Alterations, dwelling	620
Kazys Paulauskas	306 West Third street	6	Alterations, dwelling	990
Harold and Morris Brown	1292 Commonwealth avenue	21	Alterations, dwelling	12,000
Chestnut Hills Apartments	1868 Commonwealth avenue	21	Alterations, dwelling	2,000
Chestnut Hills Apartments	1870 Commonwealth avenue	21	Alterations, dwelling	2,000
Chestnut Hills Apartments	1872 Commonwealth avenue	21	Alterations, dwelling	2,000
Chestnut Hills Apartments	1880 Commonwealth avenue	21	Alterations, dwelling	2,000
Dorothea Burke	212 Harrison avenue	3	Alterations, store, dwelling	100
Embassy Apartments	146 Massachusetts avenue	4	Alterations, apartment hotel (sign)	15,000
Suzanne Percival	520 Massachusetts avenue	9	Alterations, dwelling	900
Anthony and Ralph Correale	281–85 Maverick street	1	Use premises	None
Northeast Airlines Inc	239 Prescott street	1	Alterations, hangar, service building	$25,000
George Moses	108–116 Tyler street	3	Alterations, garage, repair shop	1,500
D. Totten-M. Andrews	18 Whitmar street	17	Garage	800
Chandler School	448 Beacon street	5	Alterations, school	150
Alessio Puopolo	215 Bennington street	1	Alterations, dwelling	900
Keane & McGillicuddy	1264 Boylston street	5	Sign, stores	250
H. Mann-S. Schwartz	128 Brighton avenue	21	Take-down, theatre	5,000
Loew's Boston Theatres	38 Bromfield street	3	Alterations, store, offices	340
S. Capidolupo	5 Cleaves street	11	Fire repair, dwelling	350
Charles V. VonEuw	8 Courtney road	20	Alterations, dwelling	205
The Little House	275 East Cottage street	13	Alterations, recreation center.	600
James Anderson	12 Francis street	10	Alterations, dwelling	750
Court Street Parking	47–55 La Grange street	3	Take-down, storage	8,000
Margaret McLellan	204 Lexington street	1	Alterations, dwelling	150
Z. A. Rothenberg	8½ Mountfort street	21	Sign, store, dwelling	75
George Ware	Rear 101 Mount Pleasant avenue.	8	Alterations, boat shed	375
George Feinberg	152 North Beacon street	22	Sign, store	30
Dovercraft Incorporated	82 Oakland street	22	Excavation	200
Tileston-Hollingsworth	875 and 877 River street	18	Take-down, dwelling	500
Winsor Real Estate Inc	5 Spring terrace	12	Fire repair, dwelling	75
Loew's Orpheum Theatre	413 Washington street	3	Alterations, theatre	280
Bessie Shapiro	204 Woodrow avenue	14	Fire repair, dwelling	75

Mary R. Nolan, 11 Bertson avenue, West Roxbury, recreation instruetor, $7.50 a day.

Josephine M. Parker, 114 Gladstone street, East Boston, recreation instructor, $7.50 a day.

Maryjo A. Quigley, 1128 Commonwealth avenue, Brighton, recreation instructor, $7.50 a day.

Elizabeth A. Ryan, 32 Patterson Way, South Boston, reereation instructor, $7.50 a day.

Ella J. Wessling, 66 West Eagle street, East Boston, recreation instructor, $7.50 a day.

Mary J. Matthews, 74 Whitten street, Dorchester, recreation instructor, $7.50 a day.

Evelyn B. Harris, 24 Gayland street, Dorchester, recreation instructor, $7.50 a day.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

Henry W. O'Brien, 22 Hewlett street, Roslindale, correction officer, $63 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Sanitary Division.

Frank B. Wilson, 887 Hyde Park avenue, Hyde Park, laborer, $58 a week.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

PROBATE COURT.

Mary E. Bates, 173 Beacon street, permanent officer and guardian ad litem, $204.45 semimonthly.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following changes in status:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

M. Dorothea Sullivan, 62 Granite avenue, Dorchester, from prineipal elerk, temporary, at $80 a week to principal elerk, permanent, at $80 a week.

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TAX ABATEMENT DECISIONS RENDERED BY THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS FOR THE WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 3.

LEGEND.

* Appellate Tax Board Settlement. ¶ Illegal assessment. | Chapter 59–5.
† Appellate Tax Board Decision. § Duplicate assessment. = Chapter 58–8.
‡ Overvaluation Settlement by Board of Assessors.

Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Resnick, Bessie	52–58 Blackstone st.	3—1950	$9,450.00	$2,205.00	*
Resnick, Bessie	52–58 Blackstone st.	3—1951	9,420.00	2,198.00	*
Bell, Marion W., et al.	7 Herbertson rd	19—1951	471.00	31.40	*
Bacigalupo, Andrea, et al.	205 Salem st.	3—1952	434.20	100.20	*
DeStefano, Agostino	46 Prince st.	3—1952	1,002.00	33.40	*
DeStefano, Alba	79–79A Prince st.	3—1952	801.60	33.40	*
DeStefano, Rosa	78–80 Prince st.	3—1952	1,068.80	66.80	*
DeStefano, Rosa	26 Margaret st.	3—1952	1,002.00	66.80	*
Resnick, Bessie	54–64 North st.	3—1952	10,020.00	2,338.00	*
Rossi, Donata, et al	41 Sheafe street	3—1952	801.60	100.20	*
Wasserman, Eva	177–181 Broadway	3—1952	1,402.80	66.80	*
Morse, George W., et al	659–661 Boylston st.	5—1952	4,208.40	868.40	*
Alpert, Fred L., Industries, Inc.	280 Summer st.	6—1952	8,350.00	1,336.00	*
Cutler, Abraham D.	66 Blue Hill av	8—1952	494.32	126.92	*
Cutler, Abraham D.	68 Blue Hill av.	8—1952	467.60	100.20	*
DeStefano, Rosa	475–475A Dudley st.	8—1952	467.60	66.80	*
DeStefano, Rosa	477A Dudley st.	8—1952	467.60	66.80	*
Wolpert, Nathan I.	609–613 Albany st	8—1952	1,369.40	167.00	*
Popkin Realty Trust	800 Tremont st.	9—1952	374.08	66.80	*
Eliot Motor Co., Inc.	1540 Columbus av.	11—1952	3,740.80	801.60	*
Eliot Motor Co., Inc.	Rear 1542 Columbus av	11—1952	2,004.00	400.80	*
Salvi, Rose	3492 Washington st.	11—1952	935.20	133.60	*
Goldman, Julius	317 Blue Hill av.	12—1952	1,336.00	66.80	*
Scully, Lillian	16 Gaston st.	12—1952	634.60	100.20	*
Segal, Samuel	404 Savin Hill av.	13—1952	1,002.00	133.60	*
Abramovitz, Sophie	15 Outlook rd	14—1952	581.16	13.36	*
Stein, Rebecca	133 Woodrow av.	14—1952	267.20	26.72	*
Schwom, Ellis	1735 Dorchester av.	16—1952	1,336.00	233.80	*
Gordon, Leo	563 Norfolk st.	18—1952	2,738.80	66.80	*
Silva, David A., et al.	200 Neponset Valley Pkwy	18—1952	2,004.00	334.00	*
Bell, Marion W., et al.	7 Herbertson st.	19—1952	501.00	33.40	*
Walenz, Max, et al.	105 Strathmore rd.	21—1952	601.20	66.80	*
Silverman, Annie E.	191–191A Main st.	2—1953	671.65	247.45	*
Cintolo, Joseph, et al.	41 Sheafe st.	3—1953	848.40	106.05	*
DeStefano, Agostino	46–52 Prince st.	3—1953	1,060.50	35.35	*
DeStefano, Alba	79–79A Prince st.	3—1953	848.40	35.35	*
DeStefano, Rosa	12 Sheafe st.	3—1953	1,060.50	70.70	*
DeStefano, Rosa	78–80 Prince st	3—1953	1,131.20	70.70	*
Resnick, Bessie	54 North st.	3—1953	10,605.00	2,474.50	*
Robinson, W. S., Realty Co.	82 Bedford st.	3—1953	3,181.50	707.00	*
Wasserman, Eva	4 Osborne pl	3—1953	1,484.70	70.70	*
Boston Storage Warehouse Co.	365 Huntington av.	4—1953	78,477.00	14,140.00	*
Inman, Arthur, et al.	26 Mt. Vernon st.	5—1953	2,828.00	494.90	*
Morse, George W., et al	659–661 Boylston st.	5—1953	4,454.10	919.10	*
San Remo Restaurant, Inc	21–23 Eliot st.	5—1953	1,414.00	353.50	*
San Remo Restaurant, Inc	25–27 Eliot st.	5—1953	1,414.00	353.50	*
Alpert, Fred L., Industries, Inc.	280 Summer st.	6—1953	8,837.50	1,414.00	*
Cutler, Abraham D	66 Blue Hill av.	8—1953	523.18	134.33	*
Cutler, Abraham D.	68 Blue Hill av.	8—1953	494.90	106.05	*
DeStefano, Rosa	475 Dudley st.	8—1953	494.90	70.70	*
DeStefano, Rosa	477 Dudley st.	8—1953	494.90	70.70	*
Wolpert, Nathan I., Trustee	609 Albany st	8—1953	1,449.35	176.75	*
Popkin Realty Trust	800 Tremont st	9—1953	395.92	70.70	*
Eliot Motor Co., Inc.	1540 Columbus av	11—1953	3,959.20	848.40	*
Eliot Motor Co., Inc.	Rear 1542 Columbus av	11—1953	2,121.00	424.20	*
Salvi, Rose	3492 Washington st.	11—1953	989.80	141.40	*
Goldman, Julius	317 Blue Hill av.	12—1953	1,414.00	70.70	*
Scully, Lillian	16 Gaston st	12—1953	671.65	106.05	*
Segal, Samuel	404 Savin Hill av.	13—1953	1,060.50	141.40	*
Stein, Rebecca	133 Woodrow av	14—1953	282.80	28.28	*
Schwom, Ellis	1735–1741 Dorchester av.	16—1953	1,414.00	247.45	*
Norfolk Apartments, Inc.	563–565 Norfolk st.	18—1953	2,898.70	70.70	*
Silva, David A., et al.	200 Neponset Valley Pkwy	18—1953	2,121.00	353.50	*
Bell, Marion W., et al	7 Herbertson rd	19—1953	530.25	35.35	*
Boston University Trustees	795 Commonwealth av.	21—1953	17,321.50	6,009.50	*
Butters, Saul	46 Bennington st	1—1954	1,919.50	174.50	‡
Ciacciarelli, Vincenzo	232 Chelsea st	1—1954	621.22	69.80	‡
Cohen, Ida	14 William C. Kelly sq.	1—1954	977.20	209.40	‡
Deeran, Taruiz	262–264 Bennington st	1—1954	628.20	104.70	‡
Deeran, Taruiz	266–268 Bennington st.	1—1954	628.20	104.70	‡
East Boston Motor Mart	319–327 Chelsea st.	1—1954	3,141.00	349.00	‡
Grassa, Rosalia L	3 Brigham st.	1—1954	8,776.00	62.82	‡
Hodson, William E.	177 Bennington st	1—1954	349.00	83.76	‡
McWilliams, Mary A.	93 Cowper st.	1—1954	418.80	69.80	‡
Masullo, Beniamino, et al	81 Orient av	1—1954	537.46	69.80	‡
Matmor Village Corp.	934 Bennington st	1—1954	1,926.48	523.50	‡
Puhcori, Giovachino	93 Cottage st	1—1954	279.20	34.90	‡
Scaffio, Louisa	70 Bremen st	1—1954	251.28	41.88	‡
Steinbrugge, Camilla, et al.	Sumner st.	1—1954	2,785.02	635.18	‡
Auclair, Wilfred M.	Cottage Row, Ss.	2—1954	5,604.94	3,210.80	‡
Clear, Elizabeth, et al.	26 Cedar st	2—1954	153.56	34.90	‡
Chase, Francis, et al	18–22 Monument st	2—1954	314.10	55.84	‡
Powers, Grace	310 Bunker Hill st	2—1954	62.82	34.90	‡
Silverman, Annie E	191–191½ Main st	2—1954	663.10	244.30	‡
Bacigalupo, Antonio, et al	205 Salem st	3—1954	453.70	104.70	‡
Bloom, Jacob, et al	123 Pearl st	3—1954	1,396.00	209.40	‡
Capodilupo, Louis J	Vacant lot, N. Margin st.	3—1954	795.72	244.30	‡
Callahan, Patrick	11 Columbia st	3—1954	1,256.40	488.60	‡
Chin, Edward	Way st	3—1954	41.88	13.96	‡
Chin, Mabel	Way st	3—1954	34.90	13.96	‡
Chin, Mabel	Way st	3—1954	34.90	13.96	‡
Chin, Mabel	32 Oak st	3—1954	418.80	69.80	‡
Cintolo, Joseph, et al	41 Sheafe st	3—1954	837.60	104.70	‡
Cohen, Albert A	207 Commercial st	3—1954	8,725.00	698.00	‡
Cohen, Moe, et al	30 Haymarket sq	3—1954	12,215.00	2,792.00	‡
Cora Chandler's, Inc.	48–50 Temple pl	3—1954	20,940.00	5,235.00	‡
DeStefano, Agostino	46–52 Prince st	3—1954	1,047.00	34.90	‡
DeStefano, Alba	79 Prince st.	3—1954	837.60	34.90	‡
DeStefano, Rosa	78–80 Prince st	3—1954	1,116.80	69.80	‡
DeStefano, Rosa	12 Sheafe st	3—1954	1,047.00	69.80	‡

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AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

John Flanagan, Jr., 857 Saratoga street, East Boston, from principal statistical machine operator at $73 a week to supervisor of statistical machines, temporary, at $87 a week.

BOSTON RETIREMENT BOARD.

Joseph J. Grifone, 434 Meridian street, East Boston, from senior accounting machine operator, temporary, at $55.08 a week to senior accounting machine operator, permanent, at $55.50 a week.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Walter J. Kelley, 12 Dewey street, Dorchester, from clerk at $87.46 a week to principal accountant, temporary, at $103.50 a week.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Edmond J. Sheehan, 558 Ashmont street, Dorchester, from captain at $107.66 a week to captain-drillmaster at $115.33 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Registry Division.

Margaret M. Barry, 88 Norton street, Dorchester, from second assistant city registrar at $103.50 a week to second assistant city registrar at $113 a week.

Charles H. Mackie, 79 Glenville avenue, Brighton, from first assistant city registrar at $127.25 a week to city registrar at $153.25 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Joseph A. Moran, 97 Horadan Way, Roxbury, from carpenter at $70.50 a week to carpenter foreman, temporary, at $73 a week.

Charles F. Lynch, 8 Fernoy Heights avenue, Dorchester, from first-class steam fireman at $73 a week to third-class stationary engineer, temporary, at $76.50 a week.

Long Island Division.

Mary F. Connolly, 55 Julian street, Dorchester, from senior clerk and stenographer at $55.50 a week to principal clerk and stenographer, temporary, at $65.50 a week.

Clifton F. Dexter, Long Island Hospital, from watchman at $50.50 a week to guard at $53 a week.

Frank Engel, 15 Dix street, Dorchester, from guard at $68 a week to senior guard, temporary, at $70.50 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Cemetery Division.

Augustine V. Dalia, 18 Westville street, Dorchester, from grave digger at $60.50 a week to motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week.

Charles E. Fortune, 71 Jamaica street, Jamaica Plain, from grave digger at $60.50 a week to motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week.

Mario Gilberti, 89 Surrey street, Brighton, from grave digger at $60.50 a week to motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

House of Correction.

Leonard J. Candelora, Deer Island, from correction officer and assistant herdsman, temporary, at $73 a week to correction officer and assistant herdsman, temporary, at $73 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Highway Division.

Arthur J. Kiley, 29 Falkland terrace, Brighton, from clerk at $68.29 a week to principal account clerk at $80 a week.

John A. Vozzellia, 76 Wellsmere road, Roslindale, from junior civil engineer at $83.50 a week to assistant civil engineer, temporary, at $87 a week.

John B. Ferri, 1422 Commonwealth avenue, Allston, from assistant civil engineer at $98.75 a week to senior civil engineer, temporary, at $108.25 a week.

Sanitary Division.

Francis Walsh, 137 Centre street, Roxbury, from street cleaning and waste collection inspector at $80 a week to district foreman of street cleaning and waste collection at $83.50 a week.

Sewer Division.

Thomas H. Byron, 6 Stone terrace, Dorchester, from laborer at $53 a week to motor equipment operator and laborer, temporary, at $55.50 a week.

Water Division.

John F. Santino, 12 Blakeville street, Dorchester, from legal assistant at $90.50 a week to senior cashier at $87 a week.

Joseph M. Finneran, 36 Howe street, Dorchester, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior clerk and typist, temporary, at $55.50 a week.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Collecting Division.

Mary T. Foley, 637 Gallivan Boulevard, Dorchester, from senior clerk and stenographer, temporary, at $55.50 a week to senior clerk and stenographer, temporary, at $55.50 a week.

Joseph M. Porter, 701 Bennington street, East Boston, from deputy collector, temporary, at $80 a week to deputy collector, temporary, at $80 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Edward Real, 49 Linwood street, Hyde Park, from social worker at $76.50 a week to head statistical clerk, temporary, at $83.50 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following transfers:

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Mae M. Murray, 32 Ditson street, Dorchester, from Building Department, Electrical Inspection Division, as clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to Public Works Department, Central Office, as clerk and typist at $50.50 a week.

Robert E. O'Brien, 92 L street, South Boston, from Public Works Department, Sanitary Division, as laborer at $58 a week to Public Works Department, Highway Division, as laborer at $58 a week.

Anthony D. Pallotta, 164 F street, South Boston, from Commonwealth of Massachusetts, State Airport Management Board, as laborer at $69.92 a week to Public Works Department, Highway Division, as laborer at $58 a week.

The following leaves of absence have been approved:

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Health Division.

Adolph Sandberg, 656 Huntington avenue, public health dentist, $85.52 a week.

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TAX ABATEMENT DECISIONS RENDERED BY THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS FOR THE WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 3.—Continued.

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‡ Overvaluation Settlement by Board of Assessors.

Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Equitable Life Assurance Society	388 Washington st	3—1954	$52,350.00	$24,430.00	‡
Equitable Life Assurance Society	384 Washington st	3—1954	31,410.00	4,537.00	‡
Fagelman, Barney, et al	760 Washington st	3—1954	5,235.00	698.00	‡
Fifteen Hathaway Corp	15 Hathaway st	3—1954	10,470.00	1,396.00	‡
Giannasca, Achille	280 Commercial st	3—1954	1,144.72	349.00	‡
Giannasca, Achille	286 Commercial st	3—1954	3,490.00	698.00	‡
Goodman, Ethel	365 Harrison av	3—1954	488.60	69.80	‡
Grand Lodge of Masons	51–53 Boylston st	3—1954	74,860.00	9,946.50	‡
Halpern, Frances L	Vacant lot, Harvard st	3—1954	90.74	41.88	‡
Hip Sing Association	339–339B Harrison av	3—1954	453.70	34.90	‡
Jacobs, Harold	163 Washington st	3—1954	4,537.00	1,047.00	‡
Kenny, Eugene W	V. L., N. Washington st	3—1954	27.92	13.96	‡
Kenney, Mabel F	60 Allen st	3—1954	418.80	139.60	‡
Kenney, Mary F., et al	Vacant lot, Milford st	3—1954	411.82	174.50	‡
Khoury, Louis, et al	293 Shawmut av	3—1954	383.90	69.80	‡
Leery, Mary L	32 Stuart st	3—1954	1,116.80	279.20	‡
Menzelbi, Felice	42 Bennet st	3—1954	558.40	69.80	‡
Mercantile Wharf Corp	84–90 Clinton st	3—1954	26,175.00	1,745.00	‡
Nasif, Pauline	2 Milton st	3—1954	216.38	90.74	‡
Petrocelli, Philip A	Seneca st	3—1954	69.80	34.90	‡
Petrocelli, Philip A	Seneca st	3—1954	69.80	34.90	‡
Petrocelli, Philip A	Seneca st	3—1954	69.80	27.92	‡
Petrocelli, Philip A	Vacant lot, Seneca st	3—1954	62.82	34.90	‡
Policoff, Frank	80–90 Portland st	3—1954	3,141.00	349.00	‡
Pugnette, Antoinette A	21 Cornhill	3—1954	1,396.00	349.00	‡
Resnick, Bessie	52–58 Blackstone st	3—1954	10,470.00	2,443.00	‡
Sargent Realty Corp	226 Tremont st	3—1954	3,490.00	698.00	‡
Salone, Concetta, et al	252–254 North st	3—1954	453.70	104.70	‡
Anastasi, Salvatore	99 Salem st	3—1954	767.80	69.80	‡
Stanley Stephen Corp	68–78 Portland st	3—1954	6,980.00	698.00	‡
Straccia, Frank	29 Charter st	3—1954	453.70	69.80	‡
Thruman Realty Co	110 State st	3—1954	10,819.00	1,605.40	‡
Wasserman, Eva	4 Osborne pl	3—1954	1,465.80	69.80	‡
Zango, Harry V	5 Ashburton pl	3—1954	2,443.00	174.50	‡
Filling Stations Realty	Huntington av	4—1954	439.74	188.46	‡
Filling Stations Realty	549 Huntington av	4—1954	1,884.60	279.20	‡
Finn, David A	31 Yarmouth st	4—1954	209.40	27.92	‡
Finn, David A	Vacant lot, 21 Harwich st	4—1954	62.82	13.96	‡
Finn, David A	Harwich st., Ns	4—1954	62.82	13.96	‡
Finn, David A	14 Harwich st	4—1954	62.82	13.96	‡
Finn, David A	Vacant lot, Harwich st	4—1954	69.80	13.96	‡
Finn, David A	Vacant lot, Truro st	4—1954	76.78	20.94	‡
Finn, David A	199 West Newton st	4—1954	314.10	69.80	‡
Huntington Warehouse	365–369 Huntington av	4—1954	77,478.00	13,960.00	‡
Portnoy, Gertrude, et al	2–12 Hemenway st	4—1954	1,745.00	139.60	‡
Portnoy, Gertrude	93–95 Francis st	4—1954	1,116.80	174.50	‡
Steinberg, Samuel	351 Massachusetts av	4—1954	1,396.00	139.60	‡
Chin, Dorothy J	96 Carver st	5—1954	767.80	139.60	‡
Chin, Edward	165 Shawmut av	5—1954	174.50	48.86	‡
Cooper, Harry L	105 Charles st	5—1954	1,116.80	174.50	‡
Inman, Arthur, et al	26 Mt. Vernon st	5—1954	2,792.00	488.60	‡
Molz, Ellen M	414 Beacon st	5—1954	1,047.00	349.00	‡
Porter, Beatrice V	84 Commonwealth av	5—1954	1,605.40	209.40	‡
San Remo Restaurant, Inc	25–27 Eliot st	5—1954	1,396.00	349.00	‡
San Remo Restaurant, Inc	21–23 Eliot st	5—1954	1,396.00	349.00	‡
Sheridan, Philip E. A	80 Bay State rd	5—1954	767.80	139.60	‡
Two Fifty-five Newbury	255 Newbury st	5—1954	1,047.00	279.20	‡
Alpert, Louis, et al	280 Summer st	6—1954	8,725.00	1,396.00	‡
Conlon, Patrick, et al	37 M st	6—1954	279.20	69.80	‡
Czeikus, Elizabeth	506 East Broadway	6—1954	628.20	139.60	‡
Dandrea, Domenica	537–539 East Third st	6—1954	321 08	41.88	‡
Fitz Inn Auto Parks, Inc	148 Dorchester av	6—1954	349.00	174.50	‡
Mandell, Pearl, et al	36 West Broadway	6—1954	3,629.60	488.60	‡
Moulton, Marjorie F	170–174 West Third st	6—1954	383.90	104.70	‡
Renisen, Viola M	139 M st	6—1954	174.50	48.86	‡
Stukas, George C., et al	453 West Broadway	6—1954	2,094.00	698.00	‡
Tautvasian, Vincent J	378 West Broadway	6—1954	1,256.40	139.60	‡
Allen, Mary M	31 Bellflower st	7—1954	419.40	62.82	‡
Burke, Nora T	233 L st	7—1954	495.58	69.80	‡
Callanan, Thomas F	35 Mt. Vernon st	7—1954	488.60	69.80	‡
Clark, Dana L., Jr	Vacant lot, Rawson st., Ns	7—1954	1,116.80	349.00	‡
Dowling, Margaret A	41 Woodward st	7—1954	174.50	69.80	‡
Dressler, Louis	44 Mt. Vernon st	7—1954	537.46	90.74	‡
Freeman, Samuel, et al	750 Dudley st	7—1954	3,839.00	349.00	‡
Frisone, Concettina, Trustee	Rear 722–726 Dudley st	7—1954	2,303.40	349.00	‡
Kaminski, John, et al	12 Belldower st	7—1954	418.80	34.90	‡
Karnilla, John, et al	111 G st	7—1954	445.41	69.80	‡
Siegel, Bernard, et al	730A Dudley st	7—1954	1,675.20	279.20	‡
Troope, John L	65 Mt. Vernon st	7—1954	418.80	69.80	‡
Wilfand, Frank	168 H st	7—1954	307.12	62.82	‡
Bigelow Realty, Inc	36 Blue Hill av	8—1954	628.20	34.90	‡
Cutler, Abraham D	68 Blue Hill av	8—1954	488.60	104.70	‡
Cutler, Abraham D	66 Blue Hill av	8—1954	516.52	132.62	‡
DeStefano, Rosa	477 Dudley st	8—1954	488.60	69.80	‡
DeStefano, Rosa	475 Dudley st	8—1954	488.60	69.80	‡
Stamatos, Nicholas	2A Worcester sq	8—1954	663.10	104.70	‡
Stamatos, Nicholas	1742 Washington st	8—1954	698.00	209.40	‡
Stamatos, Nicholas	1746 Washington st	8—1954	767.80	34.90	‡
Sweet, Anna Z	473A Dudley st	8—1954	572.36	69.80	‡
Sweet, Anna Z	471B Dudley st	8—1954	551.42	69.80	‡
Sweet, Anna Z	471–471A Dudley st	8—1954	551.42	69.80	‡
Lucas, George P	Tremont st., SEs	9—1954	167.52	34.90	‡
Lucas, George P	Weston st., S corner	9—1954	62.82	34.90	‡
Popkin, Isaac, Trustee	800A Tremont st	9—1954	390.88	69.80	‡
Rosengard, Helen, et al	2173 Washington st	9—1954	8,027.00	1,745.00	‡
Bigelow Realty, Inc	Rear 38–40 Whitney st	10—1954	418.80	34.90	‡
DiBenedetto, Gene, et al	16 Bynner st	10—1954	349.00	34.90	‡
Powers, Helena A., et al	12 Eldora st	10—1954	279.20	48.86	‡
Proctor, Walter J	42–42A Whitney st	10—1954	418.80	69.80	‡
Weisenberger, William B	107 Bynner st	10—1954	649.14	20.94	‡

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Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Doyle, William T	95 Child st.	11—1954	$314.10	$34.90	‡
Salvi, Rose	3492 Washington st.	11—1954	977.20	139.60	‡
Salamy, Abdou	4 Woodside st.	11—1954	572.36	118.66	‡
Salamy, Abdou	3316 Washington st.	11—1954	1,954.40	418.80	‡
Salamy, Abdou	Rear 3300 Washington st	11—1954	279.20	69.80	‡
Salamy, Abdou B	3298 Washington st	11—1954	279.20	69.80	‡
Salamy, Abdou B	3296 Washington st.	11—1954	300.14	69.80	‡
Salamy, Abdou B	3308 Washington st.	11—1954	663.10	139.60	‡
Salamy, Abdou B	3306 Washington st.	11—1954	300.14	69.80	‡
Salamy, Abdou B	3304 Washington st.	11—1954	300.14	69.80	‡
Salamy, Abdou B	3302 Washington st.	11—1954	300.14	69.80	‡
Sullivan, Mary E	24 Hampstead rd	11—1954	628.20	69.80	‡
Cohen, Harry, et al	20 Brookledge st.	12—1954	628.20	139.60	‡
Goldman, Julius	315 Blue Hill av.	12—1954	1,396.00	69.80	‡
Greenblatt, Theodore	6 Wyoming st.	12—1954	383.90	69.80	‡
Greenblat, Theodore	8 Wyoming st.	12—1954	418.80	69.80	‡
Hendriex, Ada B.	4 Mills st.	12—1954	244.30	62.82	‡
Lissack, Naomi	379-381 Warren st.	12—1954	1,256.40	209.40	‡
Miller, Annie	349A Blue Hill av.	12—1954	1,396.00	104.70	‡
Needle, Abraham, et al	627A-627B Warren st.	12—1954	628.20	104.70	‡
Rushman, Abraham, Trustee	30 Catawba st	12—1954	453.70	69.80	‡
Rushman, Abraham, Trustee	221 Blue Hill av.	12—1954	558.40	69.80	‡
Scully, Lilban	16 Gaston st	12—1954	663.10	104.70	‡
Sokoloff, Charlotte	Vacant lot, Clifford st.	12—1954	48.86	27.92	‡
Sokoloff, Charlotte	Vacant lot, Clifford st.	12—1954	48.86	27.92	‡
Shubert, Rose	82 Humboldt av.	12—1954	488.60	34.90	‡
Todaro, Flavia	38 Edgewood st.	12—1954	418.80	69.80	‡
Trotman, Lambert	22 Gaston st	12—1954	453.70	69.80	‡
Westminster Motors, Inc	416-420 Warren st.	12—1954	4,048.40	558.40	‡
Cifino, Frank	564-566 Columbia st.	13—1954	3,839.00	139.60	‡
Cifino, Frank	568A-570 Columbia st.	13—1954	2,931.60	418.80	‡
Goldman, Lizzie	1031 Dorchester av.	13—1954	628.20	139.60	‡
Launie, Francis A., et al	122 Hancock st.	13—1954	523.50	34.90	‡
Segal, Samuel	404 Savin Hill av.	13—1954	1,047.00	139.60	‡
J. S. Tomasello Corp	401 Mt. Vernon st.	13—1954	1,382.04	209.40	‡
Buxbaum, Rebecca, et al	45 Wellington Hill st.	14—1954	837.60	69.80	‡
Cavagnaro, Walter B., et al	24 Washington st.	14—1954	1,256.40	349.00	‡
Farmen, Sigurd	148 Stanwood st.	14—1954	544.44	69.80	‡
Golubchin, Morris	1047 Blue Hill av.	14—1954	977.20	139.60	‡
Greb, Jennie	11 Woolson st.	14—1954	1,081.90	104.70	‡
Hurwitz, Boris, et al	81 Kingsdale st.	14—1954	488.60	104.70	‡
Jobel Realty Corp.	600 Blue Hill av.	14—1954	2,931.60	349.00	‡
Jobel Realty Corp.	20 Wales st.	14—1954	3,280.60	139.60	‡
Kerzner, Benjamin	76-78 Erie st.	14—1954	349.00	69.80	‡
Kerzner, Edward, et al	67 Bernard st.	14—1954	907.40	209.40	‡
Leshin, Simon	382 Norfolk st.	14—1954	665.00	69.80	‡
Levine, Hyman B.	24 Bradshaw st.	14—1954	907.40	209.40	‡
Levine, Naomi L.	496 Blue Hill av.	14—1954	767.80	209.40	‡
Matzrin, Meyer, et al	1056 Blue Hill av	14—1954	3,978.60	907.40	‡
Midman, Sam A., et al	622 Walk Hill st.	14—1954	593.30	69.80	‡
Neitlish, Sumner J.	783 Blue Hill av.	14—1954	2,792.00	349.00	‡
Primack, George, et al	95 Devon st.	14—1954	495.58	34.90	‡
Raine, Sarah	48 Charlotte st.	14—1954	558.40	104.70	‡
Sibitt, Hyman	8 Old rd.	14—1954	1,745.00	349.00	‡
Stein, Rebecca	133 Woodrow av.	14—1954	279.20	27.92	‡
Strachman, Bella	10 Ioln st.	14—1954	698.00	139.60	‡
Strachman, Max	23 Harvard st.	14—1954	537.46	48.86	‡
Strachman, Rachel	81-83 Intervale st.	14—1954	698.00	69.80	‡
Ziff, Goldie	14 Abbot st.	14—1954	488.60	139.60	‡
Hill Operating Co	254 Bowdoin st.	15—1954	2,792.00	698.00	‡
O'Connor, Mary A.	113 Hancock st.	15—1954	439.74	104.70	‡
Costello and Kelly Rest. Co	1503 Dorchester av.	16—1954	2,582.60	448.60	‡
Dambrouski, Albina	78 King st.	16—1954	698.00	34.90	‡
Fencer, John E., et al	65 Chickatawbut st.	16—1954	509.54	76.78	‡
Foley, Coleman J.	45 Pierce av.	16—1954	397.86	55.84	‡
Gallagher, Myra W.	162 Tenean st.	16—1954	1,347.14	509.54	‡
Kerzer, Benjamin	495-561 Geneva av	16—1954	767.80	209.40	‡
Kozak, Pauline	80 King st.	16—1954	698.00	34.90	‡
Lynch, William J	2 Ashmont pk.	16—1954	209.40	69.80	‡
Noble, Anna, et al	76 King st.	16—1954	698.00	34.90	‡
Philopoulos, John	711 Old Colony Parkway	16—1954	4,537.00	837.60	‡
Ruby, Bertha	Vacant lot, Browning av.	16—1954	153.56	76.78	‡
Settino, Anthony J.	730 Adams st.	16—1954	628.80	69.80	‡
Wolfrum, Carl H.	67-69 St. Marks rd.	16—1954	544.44	34.90	‡
Johnson, Mary E.	6 Charles rd	17—1954	174.50	48.86	‡
McCarthy, Mary A	49 Selden st.	17—1954	509.00	90.74	‡
Powers, Francis J.	47 Tremlett st.	17—1954	488.60	125.64	‡
Walsh, John	827 Washington st.	17—1954	1,396.00	209.40	‡
Capone, Antonette	Vacant lot, Beech st., Ns	18—1954	83.76	13.96	‡
Capone, Antonette	380 Beech st.	18—1954	593.30	34.90	‡
DeMatteo, Stella	587 Hyde Park av.	18—1951	2,094.00	488.60	‡
Fitzgerald, Mary L.	91 Babson st.	18—1951	383.90	69.80	‡
Freeman, George C., et al.	7 Summit st	18—1954	473 69	69 80	‡
Gondelman, Samuel	V.L., Messinger st., NWs	18—1954	27 92	13 96	‡
Gondelman, Samuel, et al.	50 Brockton st	18—1954	118 80	69 80	‡
Giant, William D.	81 Providence st.	18—1951	209 10	34 90	‡
Jeromin, Amelia	1398 River st.	18—1951	677 06	69 80	‡
Kirwin, Thomas G.	1039 Morton st	18—1951	453 70	69 80	‡
Nee, Anne E	73 Edgewater Drive	18—1954	404 84	69 80	‡
Norfolk Apartments, Inc.	563-565 Norfolk st.	18—1954	2,861 80	69 80	‡
Orphans, Louis, et al.	1667 Blue Hill av.	18—1954	5,584.00	558 40	‡
Philopoulas, John	535-541 River st.	18—1954	4,188.00	1,047 00	‡
Sandock, Anna M.	Vacant lot, Pinedale rd., Es	18—1951	20 94	6 98	‡
Sandock, Anna M.	Vacant lot, Pinedale rd.	18—1951	20 94	6 98	‡
Sidrich Realty Corp.	883 Hyde Park av.	18—1951	342 02	104 70	‡
Silva, David A., et al	200 Neponset Valley Pkwy	18—1954	2,094 00	349.00	‡
Squires, Celia	1465 Blue Hill av.	18—1954	572 36	69 80	‡
Swanbon, Albert H.	641 Hyde Park av	18—1954	872 50	34 90	‡
Swide, Mathilda A.	28 Whitford st	18—1954	467 66	69 80	‡
Tech Realty Corp.	4258-4264 Washington st.	18—1954	6,980 00	698 00	‡

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HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Margaret Collery, 916 Harrison avenue, hospital house worker, $55.50 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Sophie Levenson, permanent clerk and typist.

Eleanor Power, 8 Sunset street, Roxbury, clerk and typist, $53 a week.

Freida Wheeler, 16 Wardman road, Roxbury, clerk and typist, $50.50 a week.

STEP-RATE INCREASES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved step-rate increases for employees of the following departments:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

William J. Cummings, senior clerk, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Sarah J. Callahan, senior statistical machine operator, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Joseph F. Farrell, senior clerk, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Marguerite M. Kearney, senior clerk, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Mary V. O'Toole, senior statistical machine operator, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Patricia M. Tausevich, senior statistical machine operator, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Catherine M. Wallace, senior statistical machine operator, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Helen J. Ware, senior clerk, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Willard O'Brien, assistant assessor, part time, from $274.05 to $284.93 a month.

AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

John Flanagan, Jr., supervisor of statistical machines, from $82.58 to $87 a week.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

James F. Elwell, traffic signal repairman, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Edward Ferguson, senior storekeeper, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Grace Mackey, senior clerk and typist, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Henry I. Jacobs, chief plumbing inspector, from $94 to $98.75 a week.

CIVIL DEFENSE.

Leo Conlan, assistant to the director, from $67.11 to $76.50 a week.

Joseph Doherty, assistant to the director, from $67.11 to $70.50 a week.

William F. Carr, assistant to the director, from $76.11 to $80 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Health Division.

Mary C. Shea, public health nurse, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Bernice Lichtenstein, public health nurse, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

John Regan, senior X-ray technician, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Ethel A. Sullivan, dental assistant, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Thomas Goode, environmental sanitation inspector, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Albert G. Tobin, environmental sanitation inspector, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Samuel Spiegal, environmental sanitation inspector, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Vincent A. Falcone, hospital medical worker, from $43 to $48 a week.

Long Island Division.

James J. Farren, attendant nurse, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Irving T. Duggan, laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Wendelyn Dujsik, motor equipment operator, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Christian G. Hanson, park keeper, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

William F. Igoe, laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Barbara A. Sullivan, clerk and stenographer, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Cemetery Division.

Mario Marotta, grave digger, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Coleman Ridge, laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Edward L. Friel, Jr., parole agent, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

House of Correction.

Peter J. Joyce, correction officer and baker, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

John J. McGann, head clerk, from $87 to $98.75 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Automotive Division.

John S. Gorski, welder, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Highway Division.

John Hammond, highway construction inspector, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Joseph Merithew, highway construction inspector, permanent intermittent, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Louis DeFranzo, senior engineering aid, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Frederick A. Hohn, heavy motor equipment operator and laborer, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Nathan Sontag, paver, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Edmond P. McGonagle, paver, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Antonio Valerio, paver, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Daniel G. Parma, paver, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Cesidio Tempesta, paver, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

William F. McDonald, paver, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Bartholomew McCarthy, motor equipment operator and laborer, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

John Rose, motor equipment operator and laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

John Farrell, laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

William P. Silk, laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Sewer Division.

Walter H. Thorpe, senior engineering aid, from $60.50 to $65.50 a week.

Vico Allibrandi, senior engineering aid, from $60.50 to $65.50 a week.

TAX ABATEMENT DECISIONS RENDERED BY THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS FOR THE WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 3.—Concluded.

LEGEND.

* Appellate Tax Board Settlement. ¶ Illegal assessment. ‖ Chapter 59–5.
† Appellate Tax Board Decision. § Duplicate assessment. = Chapter 58–8.
‡ Overvaluation Settlement by Board of Assessors.

Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax	Reason for Abatement
Weiner, Ruben	1410 Blue Hill av	18—1954	$558.40	$69.80	‡
Wentworth, Samuel R.	1641–49 Blue Hill av	18—1954	3,839.00	349.00	‡
Allerton Hospital	V. L., Chestnut st., SWs	19—1954	174.50	174.50	‖
Bell, Marion W., et al.	7–9 Herbertson rd	19—1954	523.50	34.90	‡
DiModena, Carmen G.	81 May st	19—1954	684.04	83.76	‡
Kozoday, Max, et al.	180 Moss Hill rd	19—1954	698.00	174.50	‡
Kozoday, Max, et al.	Moss Hill rd., SWs	19—1954	62.82	27.92	‡
McSwiney, Walter, et al.	20 Louder's Lane	19—1954	488.60	69.80	‡
Nasif, Ernest C.	36 Burroughs st	19—1954	558.40	139.60	‡
Novack, Louis	324 Pond st	19—1954	698.00	139.60	‡
Provenzano, John, et al.	64 Moraine st	19—1954	1,047.00	69.80	‡
Travers, Edward W.	10 Neillian Crescent	19—1954	558.40	139.60	‡
Twomey, David	6 Craft pl	19—1954	523.50	34.90	‡
Bunker, Ichabod	Vacant lot, Baker st	20—1954	139.60	69.80	‡
Cole, Andrew	2 Brook Farm rd	20—1954	453.70	104.70	‡
Crasten, Elsie	1461 Centre st	20—1954	558.40	139.60	‡
Cummings, Richard M., et al.	201 Bellevue st	20—1954	404.84	34.90	‡
Fitzgerald, William J.	280 Belgrade av	20—1954	314.10	69.80	‡
Gonser, William, et al.	30 Mendelssohn rd	20—1954	349.00	34.90	‡
Haffer, Herbert R	Vacant lot, Edgemere rd	20—1954	6.98	6.98	‡
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Haffer, Herbert R	Vacant lot, Edgemere rd	20—1954	6.98	6.98	=
Haffer, Herbert R	Vacant lot, Edgemere rd	20—1954	6.98	6.98	=
Haffer, Herbert R	Vacant lot, Edgemere rd	20—1954	6.98	6.98	=
Kalnin, John, et al.	120 Walter st	20—1954	558.40	69.80	‡
Laughlin, Catherine M	10 Gretter rd	20—1954	383.90	69.80	‡
Malgaldi, John B.	40 Cerdan av	20—1954	453.70	34.90	‡
Thompson, Araminta M.	1790 Centre st	20—1954	2,931.60	349.00	‡
Children's Mission	Cummings rd., NEs	21—1954	802.70	802.70	‖
Gile, Georgia L., et al.	28 Ashford st	21—1954	418.80	139.60	‡
Kailher, Charles D., Trustee	122 Cummington st	21—1954	1,535.60	349.00	‡
Kaplan, Gertrude	1437–43 Commonwealth av	21—1954	3,978.60	349.00	‡
Voyel, Marion, et al.	190 Washington st	21—1954	663.10	104.70	‡
Minnici, Ellis P.	1202 Commonwealth av	21—1954	2,443.00	209.40	‡
Mishara, Irving E	14 Radcliffe rd	21—1954	1,291.30	244.30	‡
Mishara, Irving E	10 Radcliffe rd	21—1954	1,256.40	209.40	‡
Mishara, Irving E	6 Radcliffe rd	21—1954	1,291.30	244.30	‡
Portnoy, Gertrude, et al.	15 Buswell st	21—1954	1,256.40	209.40	‡
Portnoy, Gertrude, et al.	1A Buswell st	21—1954	1,395.00	139.60	‡
Arthur C. Harvey Co	60 Harvey Steel rd	22—1954	44,371.86	3,978.60	‡
Connell, Beatrice M., et al.	16–18 Dickinson rd	22—1954	488.60	34.90	‡
Daniels, Nuvert	261 North Harvard st	22—1954	1,535.60	349.00	‡
Fox, Alexander	39 Brooks st	22—1954	1,954.40	418.80	‡
Maraggia, Vittorio C.	12 Speedway av	22—1954	188.46	76.78	‡
McGuire, William, et al.	179 Foster st	22—1954	537.46	188.46	‡
Murphy, Ruth M.	36 Glenley ter	22—1954	349.00	69.80	‡
O'Donnell, William J.	11 Hobson st	22—1954	502.56	34.90	‡
Piatkowski, Leo, et al.	110–112 Kenrick st	22—1954	488.60	69.80	‡
R. C. Archbishop of Boston	172 Foster st	22—1954	1,675.20	1,675.20	‡
Scannell, John	73–75 Surrey st	22—1954	579.34	27.92	‡
Simonetti, Lawrence C.	302 North Beacon st	22—1954	698.00	244.30	‡
Soave, Mary M.	8 Seager ct	22—1954	209.40	104.70	‡
Steinkrauss, Joseph F.	16 Dunstin	22—1954	349.00	69.80	‡
Wasserman, Jeanne L.	Glenley ter., Ss	22—1954	1,249.42	1,249.42	‡
Weinczek, Mary, et al.	51 Duval st	22—1954	251.28	20.94	‡
Wilton Braintree, Inc.	20 Braintree st	22—1954	977.20	139.60	‡
PERSONAL PROPERTY.					
McLellan, Herbert J.	1 Charles st	5—1954	$1,186.60	$321.08	‡
Somerville, Clarence E.	68 Humboldt av	12—1954	13.96	6.98	‡
Gallaher, Francis J.	162 Tenean st	16—1954	349.00	279.20	‡

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

Buildings Division.

George P. Donovan, plant superintendent, from $95.13 to $108.25 a week.

Charles Fopiano, head clerk, from $94 to $98.75 a week.

James F. Kennedy, building construction and repair inspector, from $68 to $73 a week.

Henry S. Whyte, senior building custodian, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Christopher O'Brien, senior building custodian, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Joseph Silva, senior building custodian, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

William J. Davis, junior building custodian, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Gertrude Gerety, custodial worker (janitress), from $50.50 to $53 a week.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

MUNICIPAL COURT, WEST ROXBURY DISTRICT.

Richard F. Fell, clerk, from $93.53 to $98.96 a week.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following requests:

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

William P. Hourihan, supervising roofing inspector, from time to time, at $3 an hour.

VETERANS' RETIREMENTS.

The Mayor has approved the following veterans' applications for retirement:

John J. King, 15 Colchester street, Hyde Park, senior building custodian, Hemenway School.

Teresa A. Cohnn, 740 Saratoga street, East Boston, medical nid, Department of School Hygiene, School Department.

Martin Masalski, 202 Savin Hill avenue, Dorchester, carpenter, Bridge Division, Public Works Department.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award the contracts for work, materials, and supplies, in accordance with recommendations of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Upon November 5 the Mayor approved contracts as indicated in the following letter:

BOSTON, December 16, 1954.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

In response to an advertisement in the *City Record* of November 6, 1954, proposals for furnishing and delivering miscellaneous furniture, steel lockers, metal wardrobes, and metal storealls for various schools were received and publicly opened and read aloud on November 15, 1954.

The attached schedule is a summary of the proposals received. Based on this schedule and samples received, I have awarded contracts, subject to your Honor's approval, as follows:

S. M. Levin Company, Inc.

Item 2. 60 Windsor chairs at $12.85 each, $771.

Item 3. 30 folding screens at $10.34 each, $310.20.

Item 4. 100 12-inch height chairs at $3.98 each, $398; 300 13-inch height chairs at $3.98 each, $1,194; 100 14-inch height chairs at $3.98 each, $398.

Item 8. 70 typewriting desks at $37.90 each, $2,653.

Item 11. 2 kitchen cabinets, BD418, at $72.50 each, $145.

Item 12. 2 kitchen cabinets, BD318, at $67.50 each, $135.

Item 14. 2 table and chair units at $85 each, $170.

Item 16. 50 storage cabinets at $39.63 each, $1,981.50

Item 17. 10 wardrobe cabinets at $38.14 each, $381.40

Total, $8,537.10.

McCarthy Brothers.

Item 1. 30 couches at $41.05 each, $1,231.50; 20 pads at $15.75 each, $315.

Total, $1,546.50.

Henry S. Wolkins Company.

Item 5. 50 teacher's swivel chairs at $14.32 each, $716.

Item 10. 2 cutting tables at $59.90 each, $119.80.

Total, $835.80.

Gledhill Brothers, Inc.

Item 6. 12 portable blackboards at $39 each, $468.

American Seating Company.

Item 7. 10 size B Universal desks at $30.58½ each, $305.83½, 4 size C Universal desks at $30.28½ each, $121.13½, to be delivered to Sarah J. Baker School; 6 size A Universal desks at $30.88½ each, $185.30, 8 size B Universal desks at $30.58½ each, $244.66⅔, to be delivered to Sarah J. Baker School; 11 size B Universal desks at $30.58½ each, $336.41⅔, 3 size C Universal desks at $30.28½ each, $90.85, to be delivered to Dante Alighieri School.

Total, $1,284.20.

Cascade School Supplies, Inc.

Item 9. 70 pupils chairs at $6.97 each, $487.90.

Business Equipment Corporation.

Item 13. Principal's suite complete, $521.

The Berger Manufacturing Company of Massachusetts.

Item 15. 40 lockers at $17.80 each, $712.

Very truly yours,

JAMES H. MOONEY,
Superintendent of Construction.

Bids, opened November 15, were as follows:

(*See* TABLE ON PAGE 5.)

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Upon December 23 the Mayor approved a contract with Rossano Construction Company in the amount of $14,685 for alterations and repairs to two George Robert White Health Units, one on Paris street, East Boston, and one on Whittier street, Roxbury.

Bids, opened December 16, were as follows:

Rossano Construction Company, Inc., $14,685; M. Solimando, $17,282; Martin J. Kelly Company, Inc., $28,065.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Upon December 27 the Mayor approved a contract with P. J. Dinn & Co. for furnishing and erecting chain link fence and metal pipe hand-rail, Franklin Street Footway, Ward 22, at an estimated cost of $1,925.80. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed January 31, 1955. The following bids were received December 22:

P. J. Dinn & Co., $1,925.80; Colorado Fuel and Iron Corporation, $2,008.

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Upon December 23 the Mayor approved a contract with Park Construction Company, Inc., for construction of office building and garage, Arborway and Forest Hills street, Ward 11, at an estimated cost of $139,800. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed before May 1, 1955. The following bids were received December 16:

Park Construction Company, Inc., $139,800; S. Volpe & Company, Inc., $151,000; M. S. Kelliher Company, $152,536; James S. Kelliher, $154,219; M. Solimando, $156,936; S. & A Allen Construction Company, $157,400; G. L. Rugo & Sons, Inc., $158,850; J. A. Singarella Company, $159,470; Concrete Construction Company, $171,500; Oxford Construction Corporation, $221,900.

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Upon December 23 the Mayor approved a contract with Roslindale Contracting Company for sewerage works in Hackensack road and Hackensack court, West Roxbury, at an estimated cost of $7,020, including concrete pipe. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed within 90 days after the contract is approved by the Mayor. The following bids were received December 15:

Including Clay Pipe.—Roslindale Contracting Company, $7,125; Joseph Capone & Son, $8,165; H. DiTullio & Sons, Inc., $8,630; Susi & DeSantis Company, Inc., $8,311; J. D'Amico, Inc., $8,900; Z. & S. Construction Company, Inc., $11,120.

Including Concrete Pipe.—Roslindale Contracting Company, $7,020; Joseph Capone & Son, $7,955; H. DiTullio & Sons, Inc., $8,210; Susi & DeSantis Company, Inc., $8,290; J. D'Amico, Inc., $8,858; Z. & S. Construction Company, Inc., $10,700.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Upon December 27 the Mayor approved a contract with T. Mickle & Sons for painting and tinting ceilings at 43 Hawkins street. Bids, opened December 15, were as follows:

T. Mickle & Sons, $1,293; R. Van Putten, $1,381; S. Rosenthal & Son, Inc., $1,700; John W. Egan Company, $2,221; Lester Bateman, $2,246; Nicholas Bello, $2,490; Kabot Painting Company, $2,613; D. M. McCartin, $2,825; R. & F. Painting Company, $3,000; John M. Kennedy & Company, Inc., $3,540.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

Upon varying dates as indicated the Mayor approved contracts with local firms, contractors, etc., for furnishing labor, supplies, and the like. Communications from heads of the departments interested were as follows:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.
Purchasing Division.

BOSTON, December 11, 1954.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The Parks and Recreation Department has submitted two requisitions to this office for the following equipment:

One new Oliver 5-ton, Model B, crawler tractor as per specifications; one new Oliver 7-ton, Model D, crawler tractor as per specifications.

H. F. Davis Tractor Company, the sole distributor for this equipment in Massachusetts, has submitted an informal written quotation. Owing to the fact that this company is the sole distributor, authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to H. F. Davis Tractor Company. It is my opinion that, in this way, the best interests of the city will be served.

Approximate total amount of contract for the two pieces of equipment will be $20,140, net.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, December 14, 1954.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The Assessing Department has submitted a requisition for 700 canvas binders as per specifications. The McBee Company, the manufacturer of the particular binder complying with specifications, has submitted an informal written quotation.

Inasmuch as this company is the manufacturer, authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to the McBee Company. It is my opinion that, in this way, the best interests of the city will be served.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $2,877, less 1 per cent discount for payment within ten days.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, December 15, 1954.
HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.
DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The Assessing Department has submitted a requisition to this office for filing equipment to be delivered as soon as possible.

Informal requests for prices were solicited from three vendors. Authority is requested at this time to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and make awards to the lowest bidders, by item, on the informal quotations. Approximate total amounts of awards will be as follows:

Contract for Boston Desk Company, $2,125.80, less 2 per cent discount, ten days—Item 1.

Orders for S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $780.40, less 1 per cent discount, ten days—Items 2 and 3.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

BOSTON, December 10, 1954.
HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.
DEAR MR. MAYOR:

On October 22, 1954, your Honor approved an unadvertised contract in the amount of $48,000, between the City of Boston, Department of School Buildings, and P. J. Cantwell & Son, 644 East Fourth street, South Boston, Mass., providing for extensive repairs at the George Bancroft School, necessitated by reason of a recent fire.

The biggest portion of the work covered by the contract has now been completed, and we are in a position to more accurately determine all the phases of work that need to be done in order to place the building in a satisfactory and usable condition.

As a result, we now find that it will be necessary to do a certain amount of painting work in some sections of the building damaged by fire. The cost of this painting work will not exceed $2,400. Furthermore, we are reasonably certain that the entire project including the painting work will be completed at a cost not to exceed $48,000, the original contract sum.

Therefore, your authorization is requested to dispense with public advertising and to incorporate in the specifications a detailed description of the painting work that needs to be done on those areas of building affected by the fire.

In view of the foregoing it would not appear that public advertising in the present instance would be of any avail to the City of Boston.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES H. MOONEY,
Superintendent of Construction.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.
Long Island Division.

BOSTON, January 2, 1955.
HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.
DEAR MR. MAYOR:

I respectfully request your authorization to dispense with a public solicitation of proposals in the *City Record* and to award a contract to the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway Company, a Massachusetts Corporation with offices at 165 Devonshire street, Boston, Mass., providing for the furnishing of daily bus service from the rapid transit station at Fields Corner to Long Island Hospital, Boston 69, Mass., commencing with January 1, 1955, and ending with the last day of the month in which the annual municipal budget of the City of Boston for 1955 becomes effective, but in no event later than March 31, 1955, at a cost not in excess of $12,000. The number of trips is governed by the need, which at present is seven round trips and two one-way trips daily. The proposed contract will contain a provision extending to the city an option to renew the contract upon the same terms and conditions and at the same rates, to cover the remainder of 1955, terminating on December 31, 1955, if funds are available therefor.

The aforenamed firm has carried on this bus service since its inauguration in the summer of 1951, and has conducted its operations in an efficient and satisfactory manner.

On all the facts, and as this company has the franchise over the route and since it is willing to continue the service under the existing terms and conditions, including the present rates, it is my opinion that nothing would be gained by publicly advertising for bids for performance of the subject bus service.

Respectfully yours,

RICHARD J. CONDON, *President,*
Board of Trustees of the
Hospital Department.

Sanatorium Division.

BOSTON, December 17, 1954.
HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.
YOUR HONOR:

Your approval is respectfully requested to award a contract without publicly advertising to the Dorchester Plate & Window Glass Company, in an amount not to exceed $2,942, for replacing windows and skylights which were broken during the recent hurricanes.

The bids received were as follows:

Dorchester Plate & Window Glass Company, $2,942; Karas & Karas Glass Company, Inc., $3,211; McIntire-Williamson Company, Inc., $3,373.

This work is to be charged to the appropriation "Hurricane Emergency, 6-52-51."

Respectfully yours,

RICHARD J. CONDON, *President,*
Board of Trustees,
Hospital Department, and of the
Boston City Hospital.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, December 9, 1954.
HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.
DEAR SIR:

Chapter 69, Acts of 1941, provides "that all persons committed for any crime, unless the court otherwise orders, have or cause to be taken his name, age, height, weight, photograph, and general description and copies of his fingerprints in accordance with the fingerprint system of identification of criminals. All such photographs and identifying matter shall be committed forthwith to the Commissioner of Public Safety." The above law took effect on June 8, 1941, and, since that date, it is compulsory that all inmates be photographed upon commitment.

In accordance with the above law, I therefore respectfully request permission to award a contract, without public advertising, to pay Fay Foto Service, Inc., for the performance of taking photographs of all persons committed to the House of Correction, Deer Island, in the sum of $1.75 for each set of the pictures of each person photographed. The contract shall be for a period beginning with the first day of January, 1955, and ending on the thirty-first day of December, 1955. Estimated cost will exceed $1,000.

This type of work is necessarily of a very confidential nature. The Fay Foto Service, Inc., has done this work for a number of years in a highly satisfactory manner. Because this company has guarded carefully these confidences and because the confidential matter is best intrusted to one company, I feel that the city's interests will be best served by engaging their services.

Yours very truly,

EDWARD L. FRIEL,
Commissioner.

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BOSTON, December 17, 1954.
HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.
DEAR MR. MAYOR:

I respectfully request your authorization to dispense with public advertising in the *City Record* and to engage the services of Joseph Page, doing business as Page Construction Company, Architects-Engineers, with offices at 20 Pemberton square, Boston, Mass., as architect, to furnish detailed estimates of the construction costs of, as well as to prepare plans and specifications for the replacing of, certain structures at Deer Island, viz., the stock barn, the combination poultry, refrigeration, and storehouse building, and the small cattle and storage building.

The aforenamed firm is to be paid a fee of $10,000 for its services, involving the production of cost estimates, plans, specifications, and including supervision of the construction of the aforementioned buildings.

One of the prime reasons for engaging an architect at this time, to provide the cost estimates, plans, and specifications as indicated above, is in order to establish an equitable basis for the determination of the amount of the reimbursement to be made by the Metropolitan District Commission to the city for the taking of these buildings by the commission, in connection with its establishment of the new sewerage system and filter beds authorized under the provisions of chapter 645 of the Acts of 1951.

In view of the professional nature of the services involved it is not felt that public advertising would be of advantage to the city.

Yours very truly,

EDWARD L. FRIEL,
Commissioner.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, December 15, 1954.
HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.
DEAR MR. MAYOR:

Your approval is respectfully requested to award the contract, without public advertising, to John McCourt Company, a Massachusetts corporation, having a usual place of business in the City of

Boston, for placing curbing, surfacing with bituminous concrete, and seal coating the surfacing of the proposed off-street parking area under the Fitzgerald Expressway from Traverse street to North street, Boston.

Since time is of the essence, with winter closing in on us, and since we have been informed that the price of granite curbing and bituminous concrete is going to increase about 15 per cent within a week, it is essential that we award the contract now for the work, to be commenced at once.

As a result of negotiations with John McCourt Company, they have agreed to surface the area with two inches of bituminous concrete at $7 per ton. The area will require approximately 2,000 tons. This is the same price that John McCourt Company is charging the Commonwealth of Massachusetts for surfacing a tremendous area on the Fitzgerald Expressway, as the lowest bidder two years ago.

The John McCourt Company has also agreed to supply, in place, 3,600 linear feet of VA4 granite curbing at $3.25 per linear foot, which figure is reasonable, in accordance with current prices. They also agreed to supply ten 2½-inch radius corners, at $20 each, in place, which is also in keeping with moderate current rates.

The John McCourt Company also agreed to seal coat the entire surface of about 14,000 square yards, at 45 cents per square yard, which is 5 cents per square yard cheaper than the last bid price presented to this department recently, after publicly advertising similar work for the construction of our Dudley Street off-street parking area.

The total contract with John McCourt Company will amount to $32,200.

The John McCourt Company has also agreed that they will proceed with the work with alacrity and that, in the event that it is impossible for them to obtain the full amount of the cut curbing, they will surface the entire area, weather permitting, and next spring, after they have obtained the cut curbing, they will put it in place and resurface to the city's satisfaction, at no additional charge to the city.

In my opinion, no advantage would be gained by the City of Boston in publicly advertising the work, inasmuch as speed is of the essence, and the price is reasonable.

Respectfully yours,

HERMAN CARP,
Commissioner of Real Property.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Approval has been given for the extension of the time of completion of the contract (approved September 7, 1954), with John F. Shea Company, Inc., for emergency hurricane roofing repairs at the Roxbury Memorial High School from December 31, 1954, to April 30, 1955. This extension was requested because of difficulty in obtaining necessary labor to complete work and also because of inclement weather conditions.

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Approval has been given for the extension of the time of completion of the contract (approved October 21, 1954), with Gledhill Brothers, Inc., for new auditorium seating at the Jamaica Plain High School from November 8, 1954, to January 31, 1955. This extension was requested because the contractor was delayed on account of school being in session and delay in obtaining seats from factory.

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Approval has been given for the extension of the time of completion of the contract (approved October 29, 1954), with H. A. Smith for hurricane emergency roofing repairs at South Boston High School from December 31, 1954, to April 30, 1955. This extension was requested because of difficulty in obtaining labor and because of inclement weather conditions.

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Approval has been given for the extension of the time of completion of the contract approved September 7, 1954, with J. E. Morin for hurricane emergency roofing work at the Boston Latin School from December 31, 1954, to April 30, 1955. This extension was requested because of difficulty in obtaining necessary labor and inclement weather conditions.

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Approval has been given for the extension of the time of completion of the contract approved September 7, 1954, with J. E. Morin for hurricane emergency roofing work at the Boston Technical High School from December 31, 1954, to April 30, 1955. This extension was requested because of difficulty in obtaining necessary labor and inclement weather conditions.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Approval has been given for the extension of the time of completion of the contract dated October 5, 1954, with Adams Asphalt Company, Inc., 53 Blanche street, Cambridge, for bituminous concrete pavement in Mt. Vernon street, from December 31, 1954, to June 30, 1955. This extension was requested because the contractor was obliged to suspend work over the winter months and will resume work under the contract in the spring.

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Approval has been given for the extension of the time of completion of the contract dated September 2, 1954, with Adams Asphalt Company, Inc., 53 Blanche street, Cambridge, for bituminous concrete pavement in Bowdoin avenue, St. William street and South Munroe terrace, from December 31, 1954, to June 30, 1955. This extension was requested because the contractor was obliged to suspend work over the winter months and will resume work under the contract in the spring.

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Approval has been given for the extension of the time of completion of the contract dated August 23, 1954, with Adams Asphalt Company, Inc., 53 Blanche street, Cambridge, for bituminous concrete pavement, etc., in Summit street, etc., from December 31, 1954, to June 30, 1955. This extension was requested because the contractor was obliged to suspend work over the winter months and will resume work under the contract in the spring.

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Approval has been given for the extension of the time of completion of the contract dated September 23, 1954, with John J. Amara & Sons, 1019 Hyde Park avenue, Hyde Park, for artificial stone sidewalks, etc., in Bonad road, Bond street, etc., from December 31, 1954, to April 30, 1955. This extension was requested because the contractor was obliged to suspend work over the winter months and will resume work under the contract in the spring.

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Approval has been given for the extension of the time of completion of the contract dated September 23, 1954, with John J. Amara & Sons, 1019 Hyde Park avenue, Hyde Park, for corner cutbacks, etc., in Arlington street, Edgewater Drive, etc., from December 31, 1954, to April 30, 1955. This extension was requested because the contractor was obliged to suspend work over the winter months and will resume work under the contract in the spring.

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Approval has been given for the extension of the time of completion of the contract dated November 2, 1954, with S. J. Tomasello Corporation, 25 Huntington avenue, Boston, for bituminous concrete seeding of abandoned car track rails in Boston street, Boylston street, etc., from December 31, 1954, to May 15, 1955. This extension was requested because the contractor was obliged to suspend work over the winter months and will resume work under the contract in the spring.

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Approval has been given for the extension of the time of completion of the contract dated October 26, 1954, with Dooley Brothers, Inc., 39 George street, Roxbury, for bituminous concrete pavement in Newmarket square (east road and north road), etc., from December 31, 1954, to May 31, 1955. This extension was requested for the reason that the contractor was obliged to suspend work over the winter months and will resume work under this contract in the spring.

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Approval has been given for the extension of the time of completion of the contract dated September 23, 1954, with John J. Amara & Sons, 1019 Hyde Park avenue, Hyde Park, for replacement of artificial stone sidewalks where excavations have been made by the Water Division of the Public Works Department in any location of the downtown area, etc., from December 31, 1954, to April 30, 1955. This extension was requested for the reason that the contractor was obliged to suspend work over the winter months and will resume work under the contract in the spring.

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Approval has been given for the extension of the time of completion of the contract dated October 21, 1954, with Dooley Brothers, Inc., 39 George street, Roxbury, for bituminous concrete pavement in A street, from December 31, 1954, to May 31, 1955. This extension was requested for the reason that the contractor was obliged to suspend work over the winter months and will resume work under this contract in the spring.

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Approval has been given for the extension of the time of completion of the contract dated October 26, 1954, with Dooley Brothers, Inc., 39 George street, Roxbury, for bituminous concrete pavement in Grampian Way, Pope's Hill street, and Victory road, from December 31, 1954, to May 31, 1955. This extension was requested for the reason that the contractor was obliged to suspend work over the winter months and will resume work under the contract in the spring.

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Approval has been given for the extension of the time of completion of the

contract dated October 5, 1954, with J. D'Amico, Inc., 49 Ellison avenue, Dorchester, for bituminous concrete pavement in Ansonia road, Bowditch road, etc., from December 31, 1954, to July 31, 1955. This extension was requested for the reason that the contractor was obliged to suspend work over the winter months and will resume work under this contract in the spring.

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Approval has been given for the extension of the time of completion of the contract dated December 14, 1954, with John McCourt Company, 910 Huntington avenue, for sheet asphalt pavement in Columbus avenue, from December 31, 1954, to June 1, 1955. This extension was requested for the reason that the contractor was obliged to suspend work over the winter months and will resume work under the contract in the spring.

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Approval has been given for the extension of the time of completion of the contract approved September 28, 1953, with Patrick Ross Company, 175 Webster avenue, Cambridge, for waterproofing the exterior walls and installing a new tar and gravel roof at the East Boston Ventilation Building, Sumner Tunnel, from September 16, 1954, to January 15, 1955. This extension was requested for the reason that the contractor has been delayed by weather conditions and the nature of the work.

TRANSFERS OF APPROPRIATIONS.

The Mayor has approved the following transfers of appropriations:

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

From 430, Bond and Insurance Premiums, $116, 530, Fire-Fighting Equipment, $205, to 490, Miscellaneous Charges, $1, 560, Office Furniture and Equipment, $270, 591, Agricultural, Park and Recreation Equipment, $20, 593, Library Books, $30.

From 100, Permanent Employees, $30,500, to 310, Building Supplies and Materials, $4,200, 330, Heating Supplies and Materials, $10,000, 360, Office Supplies and Materials, $2,500, 370, Fire-Fighting Supplies and Materials, $2,000, 380, Public Works Supplies and Materials, $50, 390, Miscellaneous Supplies and Materials, $12,000.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

From 320, Food Supplies, $33,000, to 100, Permanent Employees, $20,000, 110, Temporary Employees, $13,000.

Long Island Division.

From 260, Repairs and Maintenance of Buildings, $2,000, 270, Repairs and Servicing of Equipment, $3,000, 310, Building Supplies and Materials, $3,000, 390, Miscellaneous Supplies and Materials, $6,000, 560, Office Furniture and Equipment, $1,000, to 320, Food Supplies, $15,000.

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

From 260, Repairs and Maintenance of Buildings and Structures, $17,000, 519, Machinery and Equipment, $400, 539, Equipment, $200, 549, Furniture and Equipment, $1,400, 561, Chairs and Desks, $1,600, 564, Typewriters, $2,500, 569, Furniture and Equipment, $400, 594, Motorless Vehicles, $800, 599, Miscellaneous Equipment, $700, Available Sources, $15,000, to 100, Personal Services, $40,000.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

From House of Correction, 100, Permanent Employees, $1,169.90, to Central Office, 100, Permanent Employees, $1,169.90.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Sanitary Division.

From 100, Permanent Employees, $3,335, to 221, Electricity, $700, 222, Gas and Fuel, $320, 279, Repairs and Servicing of Equipment (Not Otherwise Classified), $910, 360, Office Supplies and Materials, $200, 371, Firefighting Supplies and Materials, $5, 390, Miscellaneous Supplies and Materials, $1,200.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Collecting Division.

From Police Department, 1, Personal Services, $4,000, to 290, Advertising and Printing, $2,000, 360, Office Supplies and Materials, $2,000.

From 430, Insurance, $218, Water Service, 1, Personal Services, $270, to 590, Library Books, $18, 360, Office Supplies and Materials, $150, 420, Dues and Subscriptions, $20, 473, Rents, $150, 294, Miscellaneous Contractual Services, $150.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

BOSTON JUVENILE COURT.

From Municipal Court, City of Boston, 1, Personal Services, $897.23, to 100, Permanent Employees, $457.58, 110, Temporary Employees, $339.65.

MUNICIPAL COURT, CITY OF BOSTON.

From 100, Permanent Employees, $7,100, to 240, Recording and Judicial Services, $1,500, 360, Office Supplies and Materials, $5,000, 593, Library Books, $600.

MUNICIPAL COURT, BRIGHTON DISTRICT.

From Municipal Court, City of Boston, 1, Personal Services, $508.99, to 100, Permanent Employees, $203.23, 110, Temporary Employees, $305.76.

EAST BOSTON DISTRICT COURT.

From Municipal Court, City of Boston, 1, Personal Services, $200, to 100, Permanent Employees, $50, 110, Temporary Employees, $150.

MUNICIPAL COURT, WEST ROXBURY DISTRICT.

From Municipal Court, City of Boston, 1, Personal Services, $525, to 110, Temporary Employees, $525.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 1,970.

The following-named officer having requested retirement under the provisions of the Statutes of 1892, chapter 353, as amended, for the reason that he is incapacitated, it is hereby

Ordered, His Honor the Mayor having approved the same, that he be retired from active service in the Police Department, effective Friday, December 17, 1954, at 7.45 o'clock A.M.:

Patrolman Joseph O. Dignin, Division 10, 33 years of service.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 1,972.

Acting under provisions of chapter 521, Acts of 1922, section 13, as amended, the Boston Retirement Board has approved for retirement, on account of accidental disability, the following-named police officer, effective at the close of business Friday, December 31, 1954.

In view of this operation of law, after December 31, 1954, the said police officer shall no longer be an active member of this department, and it is hereby ordered that its records be so amended.

Patrolman Henry F. Wachter, Division 9.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 1,973.

The resignation of Patrolman Thomas J. Dwyer, Division 4, having been presented, it is hereby accepted, to take effect on Thursday, December 23, 1954, at 5.45 o'clock P.M., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 1,974.

Acting under the provisions of chapter 658, Acts of 1945 (State-Boston Retirement System), the Boston Retirement Board has approved for retirement, on account of accidental disability, the following-named police officer, effective at the close of business, Friday, December 31, 1954.

In view of this operation of law, after December 31, 1954, the said police officer shall no longer be an active member of this department, and it is hereby ordered that its records be so amended.

Patrolman John P. Ryan, Division 9.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 1,975.

The resignation of Patrolman John E. Topham of Division 18 having been presented, while charges against him are pending, it is hereby accepted, to take effect on Monday, December 27, 1954, at 7.45 o'clock A.M., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 1,977.

CHAPTER 357.

The following chapter of the Acts and Resolves of 1954 is published for the information of the department.

An Act authorizing and directing all cities and towns to make a listing of dogs owned by inhabitants simultaneously with the listing of persons twenty years of age or older subject to a poll tax.

Chapter 140 of the General Laws is hereby amended by striking out section 150, as amended by section 12 of chapter 320 of the Acts of 1934, and inserting in place thereof the following section:

SECTION 150. Persons authorized or directed by section four of chapter fifty-one or by any special law to make lists of persons twenty years of age or older liable to a poll tax shall make a list of all dogs owned by the inhabitants at the time of making lists required under such section and return the same in duplicate to the city or town clerk, or, in Boston, to the Police Commissioner on or before April 1. An owner or keeper of a dog who refuses to answer or answers falsely to persons directed or authorized to make a list of the owners of dogs shall be punished by a fine of not less than ten dollars, which, except in Suffolk County, shall be paid into the county treasury.

The police listing of all dogs, together with the name of owner or keeper, will be made in conjunction with Police Listing which begins January 3, 1955.

Space for the listing of all dogs and sex of same is provided at the bottom of each green and white listing card.

When a person is listed who is also the owner or keeper of a dog, the listing officer will record the dog data at the bottom of the listing card made out for such person.

Where a member of a family who is under twenty years of age owns or keeps a dog, the listing officer will write such owner's name in the blank space at the bottom of the listing card that is made out for the head of the family with which the owner or keeper of dog resides.

Where a member of a family, not of the same name, who is under twenty years of age owns or keeps a dog, the listing officer will write such owner's name at the bottom of the listing card made out for the head of the family with which the owner or keeper of dog resides.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 1,978.

The resignation of Patrolman Thomas H. Dowling of Division 4 having been presented, it is hereby accepted to take effect on Monday, January 3, 1955.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS L. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 1,979.

Due to the number of persons still absent from their homes as members of some branch of the United States military service, it is doubly important that all officers detailed to listing work exercise the greatest care to the end that absolute accuracy be obtained in the listing of all residents twenty years of age and over, and particularly the above-mentioned persons, male and female, in the armed services who must be listed from their last legal Boston residence.

The particular branch in which men and women are enrolled in the United States military service shall be indicated in the space on the card that is set aside for "Occupation" as Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine Corps, etc.

It is imperative that all listing officers visit each and every building to secure the names and required information of the occupants. *Under no circumstances shall the printed list of the previous year be referred to as a basis of residence, nor shall it be assumed that a resident according to the 1954 printed list is now an occupant of the same dwelling.*

The attention of the department is called to Superintendent's order of December 27, 1951, in reference to police listing which begins on Monday, January 3, 1955.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 1,980.

A Trial Board, consisting of Captains John H. Cloran, Michael T. Clougherty, and Charles J. Deignan, having heard by reference a complaint made by Frank H. Sliney, captain, commanding Division 4, against Patrolman Richard F. Donahue, Division 4, charging him with violation of the Rules and Regulations of the Police Department, has reported a finding of guilty, recommending punishment duty of 210 hours.

This recommendation is accepted, and it is ordered that the said Patrolman Richard F. Donahue perform 210 hours' punishment duty.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

PRINCIPAL ACCOUNT CLERK, BOSTON LICENSING BOARD, JANUARY 29, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, January 10, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $65.50 a week; the maximum salary is $80 a week.

Vacancies: At present there is one vacancy for a male, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: To prepare schedules of bills receivable, including license number, names, and amount of fees, and forward the schedules to the City Collector with a copy to the City Auditor; to keep a record of all receipts and reconcile the total received monthly with the records of the Collection Department; to notify licensees and do follow-up work on all licenses issued and not collected; to prepare payrolls; to perform necessary clerical work in connection with tax summaries, expense accounts, orders, requisitions, invoices, etc.; to keep a record of the total number of licenses granted for quota and budget purposes; to answer inquiries at the counter, give out applications, licenses, and transfer forms, and explain the procedures to be followed in connection with the filing of the various forms of the department; and to perform related work as required.

Ability to meet and deal pleasantly with people is required.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants must have at least three years of full-time paid experience as an accountant, bookkeeper, or account clerk. *Substitution:* Successfully completed full-time or equivalent part-time education in a degree-granting school of business administration or in a professionally-recognized school of accounting may be substituted, year for year, for a maximum of two years of the required experience.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5. Also a practical test in typewriting.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject and in the practical test in order to become eligible.

SENIOR CIVIL ENGINEERING DRAFTSMAN, BOSTON PLANNING BOARD, JANUARY 22, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, January 3, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $73 a week; the maximum salary is $90.50 a week.

Vacancies: At present there is one vacancy for a male, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: Under general supervision to do drafting and to perform drafting and engineering calculation work of ordinary professional difficulty in connection with the design and construction of public works and improvement projects; and to perform related work as required.

Examples of Duties: Drawing plans to scale for streets, land use, zoning, traffic improvements, and other projects; making the necessary calculations in the preparation of drawings and cost estimates; checking the design and engineering accuracy of subdivision plats; doing general drafting and mapmaking; reviewing public improvements and preparing reports relative to them.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants must have at least five years of full-time paid experience (in either field or office work) in civil engineering, city planning, architecture or landscape architecture, of which at least two years must have been in drafting in the above fields. *Substitution:* Up to a maximum of three years of the required general experience may be met by successfully completed years of engineering, city planning, architectural or landscape architectural training: (*a*) in a recognized university or engineering school granting the bachelor's degree, on the basis of one school year for one year of the required experience; or (*b*) in a recognized technical school not granting the bachelor's degree, on the basis of one school year for one half year of experience; or (*c*) in an equivalent combination of (*a*) and (*b*). Training may not be substituted for the requirement of at least two years of experience in civil engineering or city planning drafting.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, including mathematics, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

DIAGNOSTIC LABORATORY.

The work of the Boston Diagnostic Laboratory reflects the medical and lay interest in the causes and prevention of tuberculosis, Boston's highest bacterial cause of death and the fourth highest of all causes. With constant and continual immunization for diphtheria, typhoid fever, and whooping cough, and increased use of antibiotics in the treatment of venereal diseases, the annual total examinations for these latter diseases have not increased, while routine sputa examinations for tuberculosis have demanded a major part of the diagnostic services.

—*Health Department Report.*

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, December 20, 1954.

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 2 P.M., President WHITE in the chair, and all the members present.

The Right Reverend Augustine C. Dalton of St. Kevin's Church, Dorchester, was escorted to the rostrum.

INVOCATION BY RT. REV. AUGUSTINE C. DALTON.

Before I say the prayer, I feel I should respond in kind to these nice words said about me up here. I feel that the work accomplished hy the present Council is certainly one of great record, and that as far as I am concerned, I have the greatest admiration for your work, and pray the Lord you will continue it.

Ir the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost. Amen.

Provident and Gentle Ruler of the Universe, Who seekest a Kingship in the hearts of men, behold us here, iavoking Thy blessings upon our deliberations. Give us the grace to imitate Thee in guiding the political destinies of the people oi Boston. Temper our decisions with fraternal love and compassion. Let us not be unmindful of this duty of love and compassion toward our fellow Councillors in arriving at these decisions. Illumine our minds with the wisdom of the Holy Spirit and sharpen this wisdom with prudence and common sense. Give unto us a just pride in the confidence placed in us by our people—a confidence that makes for the scrupulous performance of every duty. Let us never forget that we serve not ourselves but our fellow man, and that, in so serving, we serve Thee.

At this blessed Christmastide may our hearts, more than ever, be attuned to Thy Diviue Will, so that, as men of good will, we may look back on all our actions with fullest contentment, to the end that Thou may bless us, one and all, with peace of heart, of mind, of soul—Thy Own blessed peace. Amen.

The meeting was opened with the salute to the Flag.

LOAN FOR PROPOSED NEW YORK STREETS PROJECT.

Coun. HAILER called up, under unfinished business, No. 1 on the Calendar, viz.:

1. Order for loan of $1,500,000 for defraying part of the land acquisition and development costs of the land assembly and redevelopment project for the New York Streets area.

On December 6, 1954, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 7, nays 0.

The order was given its second reading and passage, yeas 9:

Yeas—Councillors Ahearn, Foley, Hailer, Hurley, Keirigan, McCormack, McLaughlin, Piemonte, White—9.

JURORS DRAWN.

The following jurors were drawn in the manner prescribed by law, Councillor Foley presiding at the box in the absence of the Mayor, viz.:

Sixty-seven traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, to appear January 1, 1955:

Joseph Magnell, Jr., Ward 1; Americo Raponi, Ward 1; Joseph Ricci, Ward 1; Gerald M. Barry, Ward 2; Daniel J. Callahan, Ward 2; John M. Holland, Ward 2; Arthur H. Holmquist, Ward 2; Rocco Albanese, Ward 3; Michael Sidor, Ward 3; Catherine S. Wentworth, Ward 4; Walter W. Hill, Ward 5; Charles S. Knudson, Ward 5; Joseph B. Meo, Ward 5; Joseph Caputo, Ward 6; Edward R. Gallagher, Ward 6; Norman Stavris, Ward 6; James F. Driscoll, Ward 7; Joseph W. McDonough, Ward 7; Thomas A. Quinn, Ward 7; Paul Stuart, Ward 7; John W. Joniec, Ward 8; Rose Spiel, Ward 8; Frank Butler, Ward 9; Peter A. Younis, Ward 9; John Killilea, Ward 10; Cecil Lee, Ward 10; William O'Connell, Ward 10; Joseph T. Lydon, Ward 11; Dennis Corkery, Ward 12; Bernard F. Doherty, Ward 12; Theodore Fellner, Ward 12; Walter A. Perrineau, Ward 12; Samuel Rachilis, Ward 12; James J. Byrne, Ward 13; Charles A. Carroll, Ward 13; John B. Corey, Ward 13; Alexander F. MacDonald, Ward 13; Joseph F. Phillips, Ward 13; Stuart Rohbins, Ward 13; Barnet Collier, Ward 14; Philip Liss, Ward 14; Max H. Silverstein, Ward 14; Edwin T. Irwin, Ward 15; Marguerite R. Frazier, Ward 16; Arthur J. Nighan, Ward 16; Walter J. Butler, Ward 17; Herbert N. Hagar, Ward 17; William W. Harvey, Ward 17; Albert Abraham Kaye, Ward 17; Anthony J. Trenchera, Ward 17; James E. Lavigne, Ward 18; William J. Nichols, Ward 18; Sidney E. Nickerson, Ward 18; Henry A. Reed, Ward 18; Timothy Donoghue, Ward 19; Patrick J. Henry, Ward 19; Albert Wittenauer, Ward 19; William E. Grant, Ward 20; Grace G. Burke, Ward 21. Joseph P. Dyer, Ward 21. Lee Manning, Ward 21. Anna May Aylward, Ward 22. Louis P. Barkus, Ward 22. Lester M. Haggerty, Ward 22. Richard Hohson, Ward 22. Joseph MacGillivray, Ward 22. Terrance V. Winn, Ward 22.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR.

Subject to confirmation hy the Council, the Mayor submitted the following appointment:

Constable with authority to serve civil process upon filing of hond for the term ending April 30, 1955: Hyman Fritz, 20 Stratton street, Dorchester.

Referred to the Committee on Confirmations.

APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES OF THE CITY HOSPITAL.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, December 20, 1954.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith, in response to the order adopted by your Honorable Body on Decemher 13, a communication from the Director of Administrative Services furnishing certain information requested relative to the appropriations and expenditures of the Boston City Hospital for the years 1950 to 1953 inclusive. It will he noted that at the end of each of the years in question an unexpended balance of a sizahle amount existed in the accounts of the City Hospital.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Administrative Services Department,
December 20, 1954.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Sir:

In response to the order adopted by the City Council at its meeting on December 13, 1954, requesting information concerning appropriations and amounts remaining unexpended by the City Hospital for certain years, I have had prepared the accompanying table. Since the accounts for the current year have not heen closed, and the information concerning the year 1954 is not available, I have deemed it advisable to present the information requested for the years 1950 to 1953, inclusive.

Respectfully yours,
Charles J. Fox, Director.

Boston City Hospital.

1950	
Appropriations and Credits	$9,886,127 24
Expenditures	$9,376,967 96
Unexpended Balances	$509,159 28
1951	
Appropriations and Credits	$10,809,223 36
Expenditures	$10,285,347 50
Unexpended Balances	$523,875 86
1952	
Appropriations and Credits	$11,665,283 41
Expenditures	$10,914,635 78
Unexpended Balances	$750,647 63
1953	
Appropriations and Credits	$11,438,118 22
Expenditures	$11,126,976 26
Unexpended Balances	$311,141 96

Placed on file.

STATUS OF PLANS FOR INCINERATORS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, Decemher 20, 1954.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Public Works relative to your order of November 29, 1954, concerning answers to certain questions regarding incinerators in Boston.

Respectfully,
J. B. Hynes, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Public Works Department,
December 17, 1954.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

This is in reference to the following order that was passed in the City Council under date of November 29, 1954:

"Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor he requested, under the provisions of section 17F of chapter 376 of the Acts of 1951, and any amendments pursuant thereto, and under any authority vested in the City Council, to furnish the City Council, at the meeting of the Council next ensuing after one week from receipt of this order, answers in writing to the questions set forth in the following:

I. The status of plans for incinerators in Boston.

2. The proximate earliest date incinerators will be in operation in Boston and the areas they will serve.

3. The monies allocated to date by the Council for plans on incinerators and the dates of passage by the Council.

4. The monies spent in connection with plans or the preparation of the same and a detailed schedule of payments showing dates, amount, and account to whom monies were paid.

5. A detailed statement of monies appropriated by loan or otherwise by the Council for the erection of incinerators, stating date of action by the Council."

I submit herewith answers to the above five questions, in the same sequence as contained in the City Council order:

1. The consulting engineering firm of Metcalf & Eddy of Boston has been under contract since November 29, 1951, for engineering services in connection with the Central District Incinerator proposed to be constructed in the vicinity of the South Bay. Preliminary studies were completed in June of 1952, determining the required capacity of the plant and the area to be served. Further plan work was delayed hy difficulties with the Massachusetts Market Authority and the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad over selection of a plant site that would not interfere with development of the Wholesale Market Terminal. Delay was also occasioned hy the necessity of awaiting a decision hy the State Department of Public Works as to the location of the Central Artery and its connection to the Southeast Expressway in this vicinity. When a site was finally determined last summer, northerly of South Bay avenue, that would not conflict with any proposed developments, it was discovered that a large tract of Commonwealth-owned land required for the incinerator could not be transferred without an enabling act of the Legislature. It was too late to file a hill then, and we must now await action at the next session. In the meantime, the basic ideas of the proposed plant have been developed and approved, and the Law Department is arranging to lease the land until legislation is enacted. It was decided to take bids on several types of mechanically-stoked furnaces and, after evaluation of the hids, award a contract for the equipment that appears most advantageous, and then design the incinerator building. The plans and specifications for the furnaces and appurtenant equipment are now in the final stages of completion. It is our intention to advertise for bids on the furnaces in January of 1955.

A study was completed in March, 1952, by Thomas Worcester, Inc., for the M.D.C., in which recommendations were made that the M.D.C. construct and operate several incinerators, most of which would serve sections of Boston, namely, East Boston and Charlestown, Brighton, West Roxhury, Hyde Park, and most of Dorchester. To date, no detailed plans or specifications have heen prepared for any of the proposed M.D.C. incinerators.

Legislation was passed—chapter 523, Acts 1954—providing for a Brighton-Watertown Incinerator Authority to construct and operate an incinerator in Watertown for use of both communities. The Boston City Council accepted the act, but the Watertown Town Meeting rejected this act on October 18, 1954.

Plans and specifications were prepared for an incinerator in Brighton hy the C. A. Maguire Associates, Engineers, in 1945. The site selected—upon which the plans were based—required a variance in zoning which was refused hy the Board of Appeal. There is little prospect that these plans could be adapted to another site.

Plans were prepared for an incinerator at Southampton and Atkinson streets hy Coffin and Richardson, Inc., in 1946. Considerahle controversy developed over the adequacy of the plans at that time. The site selected is no longer available, and the capacity provided for is too small for the present requirements.

2. It is expected that the Central District Incinerator will he placed in operation hy April 1, 1956. This incinerator will serve Boston Proper, including the North and West Ends, Back Bay and South End, also South Boston, Roxbury, part of Northern Dorchester, and possibly Charlestown and Brighton.

If the City Council approves the site for an incinerator on the M.D.C. Neponset River Reservation in the Cedar Grove section, it is estimated that the plant could he built and placed in operation by the M.D.C. by April 1, 1956.

3. Monies allocated by Council for incinerator plans.

March 21, 1945—Appropriated from sale of city property	$30,000
October 15, 1945—Appropriated from sale of city property	2,420
	$32,420
June 4, 1946—Approved by Mayor and City Council for down payment on Brighton incinerator	$149,000

4. Monies spent in connection with incinerator plans.

To Coffin and Richardson, Inc., Engineers, for plans for Southampton Street Incinerator.

June, 1945	$6,020
August, 1945	6,020
August, 1945	6,020
October, 1945	6,020
Final, December, 1946	4,500
	$28,580

To Charles A. Maguire & Associates Engineers, for plans for Brighton Incinerator.

August, 1947	$3,750
April, 1948	9,250
	$13,000

To Metcalf and Eddy, Engineers, for plans for South Bay Incinerator, encumbered $145,000; paid to date $0.00

b. Monies appropriated by Council for erection of incinerator.

June 4, 1946—Approved by Mayor and City Council for down payment on Brighton Incinerator previously listed under Section 3 —encumbered for payment for plans	$149,000
November 20, 1947—Loan appropriation for Brighton Incinerator approved by Mayor and City Council	200,000
November 30, 1951—City Auditor reallocated an amount from balance remaining in prior Construction of Buildings Account to be used for plans	18,000
May 5, 1953—Approved by Mayor and City Council for down payment on Construction of Buildings.	128,860
May 19, 1953—Loan order of November 20, 1947, rescinded by City Council and Mayor	200,000
May 19, 1953—Loan order approved by Mayor and City Council of $3,300,000 for Construction of Buildings—of this amount, for construction of the South Bay Incinerator	2,700,000
May 4, 1954—Approved by Mayor and Council for down payment for Construction of Buildings	16,000
September 28, 1954—Loan order approved by Mayor and City Council of $7,500,000 for Construction of Buildings—of this amount, for construction of the South Bay Incinerator	800,000
Total amount available for construction of South Bay Incinerator	$2,700,000 800,000
	$3,500,000
Plus possibly	128,860 16,000
	$3,644,860

Respectfully yours,
GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS OF THE DOWNTOWN AREAS OF OTHER CITIES.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, December 20, 1954.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the chairman of the City Planning Board relative to your resolve of April 5, 1951, concerning development programs being undertaken in the downtown areas of other cities.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

City Planning Board,
December 17, 1954

Hon John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

The accompanying memorandum is submitted in partial reply to the inquiry embodied in the following Council order of April 5, 1954:

"Whereas, Serious problems are facing the downtown area in this age of decentralization, and

Whereas, It is well known that the downtown business area is vital to the entire municipal government's economy, and

Whereas, In comparable cities recognition of this problem and concerted action on the part of citizens' groups have initiated constructive programs of city improvements, and

Whereas, In other cities a program of downtown development has brought about an increase in taxable property, now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor order a survey to be made of the programs now being undertaken in other cities in respect to their downtown areas and send a detailed report of said findings to the Boston City Council."

For present purposes, emphasis is given to projects involving physical improvements of one sort or another for the central areas of cities more or less in Boston's population class. Attention is also restricted to projects which are either underway or in prospect, or which have been undertaken within the postwar period.

The material assembled was obtained through letters of inquiry to other cities, supplemented by information from trade construction magazines. In many instances there was a delay of several months or more in obtaining replies to the letters of inquiry.

The gist of the report appears to be that activities, project-wise, in downtown Boston compare favorably with those in process, proposed, or recently completed in other cities.

Very truly yours,
THOMAS I. MCDONOUGH,
Chairman.

I Postwar Construction in Selected Central Business Districts—a Preliminary Inventory.

In the following list, the projects are grouped by city. The list to each case may not be complete. It is nevertheless felt that most of the more significant improvements are mentioned and, thus, that this begins to suggest the scope and substance of new physical improvements in the central business districts of these cities.

The basic data supplied for each project includes a brief identification of facilities provided, an indication of current status and, where possible, a reference to type of financial backing. Occasional references to more extensive published descriptions are also made.

Following the summary generalizing upon the list covering other cities, reference is made to comparable projects underway, recently completed, or in prospect for the business district in downtown Boston.

BALTIMORE.

Downtown Office Buildings.

A $10,000,000 state office-buildings group is in prospect for a 16-acre tract on the fringe of the downtown business district designated for publicly-subsidized slum clearance and redevelopment.

Circulation Facilities.

a. At least 18 public garages have been constructed in the downtown area since the creation of the Off-Street Parking Commission in 1947. Most of them small (250 to 300 cars), they have a total capacity for more than 3,700 cars. Construction of an additional 5 is pending.

b. Beginning in 1955, a 1.7-mile, twin-tube tunnel is to be constructed under Baltimore Harbor just three miles southeast of the downtown area. With its 14 miles of approaches, this facility will serve to divert through traffic from the business district and much of the remainder of Baltimore. Planned for completion by 1958, the project will cost an estimated $155,000,000.

CHICAGO.

Downtown Office Buildings (Among Others).

a. Prudential Building.—A $40,000,000, 41 story slab under construction along Michigan avenue in the northeast corner of the Loop. The first office building to be built in the Loop in 20 years, it will provide one million square feet of office space, a 400-car garage, and a 1,000-seat auditorium, and will be ready for occupancy toward the end of 1955.

b. Near West Side Project (Simon Group.—A prospective development for three blocks immediately across the Chicago River to the west of the Loop. Will include an exhibition building for manufacturers of heavy machinery, an office building and, more conditionally, a building to house the studios and midwest headquarters of a television network; all to be constructed over existing railroad trackage. Air rights were leased by the developer from the railroads concerned in October, 1953. Expected development costs are between $75,000,000 and $100,000,000.

c. Fort Dearborn Project.—A proposal for the total redevelopment of a 150-acre site in the near north side, just across the Chicago River to the north of the Loop. The area's present use is for mixed manufacturing, commercial, and residential in generally deteriorated structures. Proposed uses: (i) A 60-acre government center, including a City Hall, a county building, a federal building, a consolidated courts building, and the main public library; (ii) a score or more of high-rise apartment buildings providing approximately 5,000 units; (iii) an intown campus for the University of Illinois, covering more than 30 acres; and (iv) underground parking facilities for 6,000 cars, covered by a 6-acre public esplanade. Privately proposed (March, 1954) and sponsored, it is expected to qualify as a redevelopment project under current federal, state, and city programs. Present estimate of ultimate development costs are $400,000,000.

(ARCHITECTURAL RECORD, May, 1954.)

Circulation Facilities.

a. Two intown elements of the expressway system under construction:

i. The intown extension of the west route, or Congress Street Expressway which, when completed in 1956, will pass just to the south of the Loop, to connect with Lake Shore Drive to the east; and

ii. Wacker Drive extended, a two-level affair to be completed in 1955 which will pass just to the west of the Loop and connect with the west route at Congress street.

b. Grant Park Garage.—A three-level underground facility just completed (September, 1954) at a cost of $8,000,000 and having a capacity for nearly 2,400 cars.

c. Nine additional public garages under construction within the Loop and the near north side, and scheduled for completion by mid-1955, which will provide off-street parking space for approximately 6,650 cars, at a total cost of $20,000,000. (ARCHITECTURAL RECORD, March, 1954.)

d. Greyhound Bus Terminal.—A five-level structure which, as completed to date, includes groundfloor shops and a 500-car garage occupying the second- and third-story levels, as well as waiting rooms and bus concourse in the two subsurface levels. Plans call for the eventual addition of a 10-story office building above the center of the present structure, and the creation of a park-type surface on the roof of the upper garage level. (ARCHITECTURAL RECORD, April, 1954.)

e. A consolidated railroad passenger terminal proposed (in 1953) by the City Plan Commission as a major improvement for the area just south of the Congress street right-of-way. Three existing stations would be replaced by a single terminal. Also included in the scheme: (i) Coordinated mail and express facilities; (ii) Such a reduction in trackage that nearly 60 acres would be released for new development; and (iii) A southern extension of an element in the expressway system.

CLEVELAND.

A Downtown Redevelopment Project.

An as yet unnamed development of major proportions has been proposed (in mid-1953) for a 60-acre site in the northern section of the downtown area, and adjacent to City Hall. Stimulated by the intended sale by the Pennsylvania Railroad of an 11-acre tract included within the proposed project site, this $200,000,000 development, according to one source, would include two department stores, an industrial mart building, a hotel, several office buildings (for both public and private occupancy), and five 22-story apartment buildings.

Circulation Facilities.

a. Nearing completion is a 13-mile rapid transit line which will serve the downtown area from east and west. At surface and following existing railroad right-of-way, except for the approaches to the central terminal under Union Station, this 12-station facility will form the spine of Cleveland's public transit system when completed in early 1955. Construction and right-of-way costs will approximate $30,000,000. Further extensions are already being planned, including an underground loop to serve the downtown area proper.

b. No public garages are under construction in the downtown area. Current emphasis, rather, is on the provision of: (i) "Fringe" parking lots near the inner-belt of the freeway system; and (ii) Outlying facilities near the new rapid transit stations.

DENVER.

Downtown Office Buildings.

a. "Mile High Center".—A $15,000,000 commercial development under construction in the heart of the business district to be dominated by a 23-story office building, and to include also a 4-story bank building, an airline passenger terminal building, and a parking garage. (ARCHITECTURAL RECORD, April, 1954.)

b. Denver Club Building.—Another 23-story office building under way.

Circulation Facilities.

Under construction are two 10-story public garages which will have a total capacity for nearly 1,000 cars.

DETROIT.

Civic Center Development.

Nearing completion are the 15-story city office building and the 20-story county courts building, to cost an estimated $23,000,000. Also under construction is the 2,900-seat Henry and Edsel Ford Auditorium. Other units to be added to complete this $85,000,000 development are a convention hall and exhibits building, and perhaps state and federal office buildings. A Veterans' Memorial Building was completed in 1950 as the first unit for this Center.

KANSAS CITY.

Two Downtown Redevelopment Projects.

a. The "Quality Hill" development.—A 20-acre private project well underway one-half mile to the west of the business district, to include both office buildings and apartment houses. Five 100-unit apartment buildings have already been completed, and one office building. Ultimate development (receiving state-local subsidy in the form of tax abatements) will include more of each. Anticipated total improvement value is $25,000,000.

b. The "South Humboldt" redevelopment project.—A Title I proposal (in the planning stage) for a 20-acre area immediately to the south of the business district. Light industry is being recommended as a re-use.

Circulation Facilities.

a. Intercity Freeway.—A one-mile stretch of expressway to form the north side of the arterial "loop" around the business district. Land acquisition is complete, and construction, estimated to cost $12,000,000, is scheduled for completion by mid-1956.

b. A bridge across the Missouri River, an I connecting the business district with the airports (Municipal and International). Construction, to cost an estimated $13,000,000, is to be initiated this year (1954).

c. Auditorium Plaza Garage.—A three-level, underground structure with plaza at surface (providing a block of public open space adjacent to Municipal Auditorium), and an intended capacity for 1,200 cars. Municipally financed and under construction.

d. "Northside Terminal" parking project.—Part of the first Title I redevelopment project scheduled for Kansas City. Property has been acquired and is being prepared for resale to a private developer. Combination garage and lot facilities will have a capacity for approximately 1,800 cars.

MILWAUKEE.

A garage on a downtown site already acquired. A 6-level, 500-car garage is soon to be constructed, at an estimated cost of $1,000,000.

PHILADELPHIA.

Downtown Office Buildings, a Hotel, and a Transportation Center.

a. "Penn Center."—A "Rockefeller Center" type office building group in the process of development on the 8-acre tract freed for new growth by the removal (in 1952) of the Pennsylvania Railroad Broad Street Station and its train yard. One 20-story office building is currently under construction and another three or four are planned. Current plans also call for the construction of a transportation center, including a consolidated bus terminal, airline offices, and a parking garage as part of this $100,000,000 development.

b. Prospective changes for the area immediately adjacent to the Penn Center site include: (i) Construction of a 1,000-room hotel in a block now vacant; (ii) the construction of a new municipal office building in Reyburn Plaza; and (iii) the construction of an apartment house west of the site.

(ARCHITECTURAL RECORD, May, 1954.)

Circulation Facilities.

a. A 1½-mile addition to the subway system serving the central area from the west via Market street, completed in 1953 at a cost of more than $18,000,000.

b. Three near-in elements of the expressway system under construction or scheduled for early development:

i. The first five-mile section of the Schuylkill Expressway which will parallel the river and improve access to the central city from the northeast, the northwest, and southwest parts of the region.

ii. Vine street extended and its connection with the expressway.

iii. The Pennsylvania Boulevard connection between the new Penn Center development area and the expressway at the Pennsylvania Railroad 30th Street Station.

c. Three completed downtown public garages having a total capacity for more than 1,500 cars.

Near-In Title I Projects (in the Planning Stage).

a. "North Triangle" Project.—Proposing, chiefly, a residential development for a 12-acre site just to the northwest of the central area.

b. "Lombard" Project.—Proposing both residential and commercial reuse for an area immediately to the southwest of the central business district.

Other (Public).

Independence Mall and Independence National Historical Park.—A 20-acre park area with historic associations being created in the eastern section of the central area. Completion of Independence Mall in the block just to the north of existing Independence Square is scheduled for 1955 as the first stage in this federal-state-city development. Eventual inclusion of an additional two blocks to the north of the Mall will complete the project.

PITTSBURGH.

Downtown Office Buildings and Apartments.

a. "Gateway Center."—An office building group in the process of development on a 23-acre site adjacent to Point Park. Three buildings have already been completed, at a cost of $35,000,000, by the Equitable Life Assurance Society, as developer. Current plan is that an additional four or five office buildings will be constructed by other developers to complete the group. Land acquisition, clearance, and resale has so far been carried out under provisions of the state redevelopment law.

b. The Mellon Square Group (Completed to Date).

i. The U. S. Steel-Mellon Bank Building, a 41-story office building costing $30,000,000.

ii. The Alcoa Building, a 30-story building costing $12,000,000.

iii. Two downtown apartment buildings rising to 16 and 19 stories and costing $12,000,000.

Circulation Facilities.

a. Four completed parking garages having a total capacity for approximately 2,700 cars, built at a cost of $9,000,000, including:

i. Mellon Square Garage, a 6-level structure, largely underground, having a capacity for 900 cars, and covered by park-type landscaping at approximately second-story level.

ii. A 300-car underground garage in the Gateway Center area, with additional facilities being planned for this section.

iii. Two multi-story, open-cage garages having a total capacity for 1,500 cars.

b. Point Park overpass and interchange, an approved intown section of the proposed Penn-Lincoln Parkway. This addition to the city-county expressway system will pass over the Golden Triangle, between Point Park and the Gateway Center development, and connect north side and south side via new bridges over the Allegheny and Monongahela Rivers.

Other (Public).

Point Park.—A 32-acre state park with historic associations being created at the apex of the Golden Triangle.

ST. LOUIS.

Downtown Residential.

A $20,000,000 Title I project will provide apartments for 1,400 middle-income families on a 14-acre tract immediately adjacent to downtown Memorial Plaza, and across Market street from Union Station.

A Garage.

Under construction is a seven-block, $10,000,000 public garage which will have a capacity for 3,800 cars.

SAN FRANCISCO.

Downtown Office Buildings.

a. Nearing completion is the 25-story, $13,000,000 Equitable Life Assurance Society Building, the first office building to be constructed in downtown San Francisco since the enactment in 1948 of the city's new earthquake-resistance building code.

b. Proposed is a plan for the expansion of the Civic Center. New buildings would be provided for municipal, state, and federal offices, for police and fire department headquarters, and for an "art and drama center."

Circulation Facilities.

a. Broadway Tunnel.—A 0.3-mile, twin-bore facility under Russian Hill (immediately to the north of the business district), completed in 1952 at a cost of $6,000,000. This tunnel now serves to expedite traffic movement between the business district and the northwest section of the city, and, with the completion of connecting near-in freeway facilities, will serve to relieve the business district of much of the traffic between the Golden Gate and San Francisco and Oakland Bay bridges.

b. Two downtown private garages, one of them completed, having a 1,000-car capacity, and for the most part underground; the other, a nine-level facility still under construction which will have a capacity for 1,300 cars.

c. Two public garages for the downtown area, one of them a seven-level, 900-car facility to be completed within the year (1954); the other, still a proposal (for either 1,000 or 2,000 cars) for an area beneath Civic Center Plaza.

WASHINGTON, D. C.

Two Downtown Redevelopment Projects.

a. "Potomac Parkway Plaza".—A $70,000,000 to $80,000,000 project in the process of development on a 12-acre tract along the Potomac, just north of the Lincoln Memorial. To be privately financed, this project, as currently planned, will include six office buildings, a 1,000-room hotel, a shopping center, and two apartment buildings grouped around a central plaza with skating rink and underground 2,000-car garage.

b. The Southwest Area Project. A Title I scheme in the planning stage for a 350-acre area immediately to the south of the Mall, and fronting on the Tidal Basin. Current proposal has distinct plans for each of three sections of this area:

Present estimate of the ultimate development cost, $500,000,000.

i. An office buildings group to be developed around a new, monumental "South Mall," and a smaller "L'Enfant Plaza." Also proposed for this section of the development are an opera house, a symphony hall, a 15,000-seat convention hall, and a hotel.

ii. "Georgetown-type" row-houses and garden apartments for 20,000 people, plus shops, schools, playgrounds, and the other facilities needed by the new residential area to be created.

iii. A reconstruction of the water-front facilities along the western Tidal Basin flank of the project area, including the provision of a produce market, a water-front shopping center, and new docking facilities for small crafts.

(ARCHITECTURAL RECORD, May, 1954.)

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By Way of Summary (and Including Passing Reference to Some Significant Projects in Other Cities)

a. In all of these cities, active programs are underway designed to expedite travel to and from the downtown business district. Most frequently, these programs include the construction of one or more public garages in the downtown area, with the most ambitious efforts apparently being undertaken in Chicago and Baltimore. Also under construction in most cases are systems of arteries or freeways which, when completed, will serve to provide more efficient access to the central area, while freeing downtown streets from most through traffic. Significant additions to the rapid transit systems are in process in Cleveland, Chicago, and Philadelphia, and under study for San Francisco and Los Angeles. Central bus and railroad terminals are proposed for, or recently completed in, Chicago, Philadelphia, Denver, and New Orleans. And a heliport construction program has gotten under way in Baltimore.

b. At the same time, many of these downtown areas are experiencing their most significant period of primary construction since the twenties, and the ground is yet to be broken for some of the more ambitious schemes. There are few downtown areas which do not have at least one office building under construction or recently completed, and an impressive number of "Rockefeller-Center" type developments are proposed if not yet all under way.* New hotels are recent additions to downtown Los Angeles and Dallas, and planned for Philadelphia, among others. New or expanded civic centers of various scope are in process or proposed for Detroit, Chicago, Philadelphia, San Francisco, and Cleveland. New apartment house developments are rising in downtown Pittsburgh, Kansas City, and St. Louis, and are proposed for downtown Chicago, Washington, and Cleveland. Mention should also be made of the downtown park space being created in Pittsburgh and Philadelphia, and proposed for Detroit and St. Louis.

c. By their very nature, many of these improvements are being financed with public funds. This is, of course, especially true for the circulation facilities mentioned, although some of the garages are being privately financed. And this is true, in part, for the Title I projects as well, and for the other developments receiving some form of public subsidy. As a rule, however, the primary construction is being financed privately without public assistance.

In view of the foregoing, it may be fairly said that corresponding activity in downtown Boston compares favorably with that in process, proposed, or recently completed in other cities. Toward the more efficient handling of traffic to and from the downtown area are: (a) three large public garages have recently been completed and a fourth is soon to be constructed; (b) Storrow Memorial Drive along the Charles River Embankment has been completed, and the downtown section of the Central Artery is under construction, as two elements of the metropolitan area's freeway system; and (c) an addition to the rapid transit system was opened to business in 1953. Recent primary construction has included new buildings for the John Hancock Life Insurance Company, the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, and the Federal Reserve Bank of Boston, and Jordan Marsh has completed the first stage of its rebuilding program. Title I projects are taking shape as proposals for two areas contiguous to the downtown business district, with high-density residential as the plan for one, and low-density light industry for the other. And in its "Back Bay Center" scheme, Boston even has a "Rockefeller-Center" type proposal for a railroad yard soon to be given up for reuse.

II. Conclusions and Reservations.

A. GENERAL CONCLUSIONS.

1. The magnitude and variety of projects cited in the foregoing section would suggest strongly that downtown business districts are not being allowed to die on the vine. Indeed, there seems to be general acceptance that the downtown business district is here to stay. At the same time, it is to be observed that an impressive number of private developers and public agencies are accepting the fact that bold treatment must be the order of the day if these business districts are not only to survive but to prosper.

2. In few cases, however, can it be said that projects in process or proposed have been designed to offset demonstrable tendencies toward "decentralization."

a. To the extent that efforts have been made to measure any "decentralization" in process, the tentative conclusion seems to be that this shift is not appreciable, if at all apparent. Correspondents in Chicago, Cleveland, Kansas City, and St. Louis, among others, point, in fact, to gains in the central area in recent years, rather than to losses. And the typical attitude toward new commercial development in suburban areas sees this as being "largely for the purpose of meeting the demand of the new population established in suburban areas too remote to be conveniently served by the central business district alone," as one correspondent has put it. Suburban growth is more frequently seen as a net gain to the entire metropolitan area than as a gain at the expense of the downtown business district.

3. It would be more to the point, therefore, to observe that this bold treatment is necessary simply to create downtown business districts which will in time be more inviting and efficient places to work, shop, and do business, and which in some cases will be more attractive places to live in as well. And the programs cited may be credited with promising to contribute toward these ends.

a. In one or two cases (the "Quality Hill" development in Kansas City, for example), a conscious effort at "recentralization" is at work. More typically, however, the concern is with: (a) the development possibilities of an expendable railroad yard, (b) the reuse suitable for a near-in slum; (c) improved circulation facilities for going operations.

4. At the same time, many of these improvements carry with them the promise of significant increases in the tax base, both directly and indirectly.

* For an informative, though brief look into the postwar building boom in New York City, see "The New Yorker," July 24, 1954, p. 14.

a. To take "Gateway Center" (Pittsburgh) as an illustration. With only two of its buildings completed, and a third under construction, the 1953 valuation of this area has already exceeded $17,000,000, versus a 1950 total of less than $7,000,000 before redevelopment. And a total of eight buildings are planned for this area.

b. To mention an instance of anticipated indirect gains to the tax base: Independence Mall and Independence National Historical Park (Philadelphia) will, of course, be themselves tax exempt when completed. It has nevertheless been observed that "they have already resulted in major new-built office buildings in this area, and that "it looks as though they will serve the purpose of restimulating activity in this older section and of anchoring the business section at river front, assuring continuity of activity from river to river."

B. RESERVATIONS.

Before much weight can be attached to the foregoing conclusions, however, it must be recognized that they are subject to at least the folowing qualifications:

1. This inventory of developments within or significantly affecting the downtown business districts of the enumerated cities is not exhaustive.

a. Although the foregoing check list of physical improvements begins to suggest the magnitude and variety of such developments (recent, in process, or in prospect), no claim is made that all such projects have been accounted for. Emphasis, and variety of such developments (recent, in process, or in prospect), no claim is made that all such projects have been accounted for. Emphasis, rather, had to be restricted, as a rule, to those for which published descriptions are readily at hand.

b. Little treatment has been given to "developments" which, though just as concerned with the improvement of downtown areas, are at the same time not so directly associated with some form of physical improvement:

i. Regulatory innovations, such as those recently introduced in Washington and Philadelphia, for example, toward the improvement of traffic conditions.

ii. Creation of special government agencies, further than the passing reference to the creation of the Baltimore Off-Street Parking Commission.

iii. Organization of special citizen groups, having downtown problems as a special concern, as these have been organized in Detroit, Philadelphia, and St. Louis, as well as in Boston, to mention four.

iv. Other evidence of organized concern for downtown area problems, such as: (a) the recent sponsorship of the Chicago Contest by Carson, Pirie, and Scott; (b) the studies into the feasibility of rapid transit systems for San Francisco and Los Angeles, and (c) the recent study of consumer shopping habits in the Boston Metropolitan Area, sponsored by the Herald-Traveler Corporation.

2. Many of the enumerated projects are still proposals, and the remainder are either still in process or just recently completed. It may, therefore, be too soon to evaluate their respective contributions to the business districts concerned. As instances of contemporary design, all may be expected to enhance the appearance of the areas they will occupy, but it may be some time before it will be possible to determine how far they go toward the solution of the accumulated problems facing their respective business centers. To be more specific:

How far do these new office buildings, retail accommodations, etc., go toward satisfying demonstrable needs for (net) additional space within their downtown areas? Or is this new construction to be evaluated, rather, as replacement of existing accommodations which have outlived their usefulness?

Are these new office buildings going in at such densities that the development potential is being "drained" from the remaining downtown area?

Though this new construction will in most cases have a higher valuation than property replaced, and hence represent gains to the tax base, how much of this may in fact be credited as net gain in the long run?

Are these new accommodations creating new traffic faster than existing traffic problems are being solved?

And this is only to suggest the type of questions which should be answered before these projects can be evaluated in terms of their measurable consequences.

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For these reasons alone, it is to be seen that the foregoing conclusions are tentative at best, and that this report is, therefore, in the nature of a preliminary report. Accordingly, it will be appropriate to anticipate: (a) That the inventory of downtown improvements (and their measurable consequences) is to be continued as an adjunct to the Central Area Study being undertaken by the Planning Board; and (b) That further reports on this subject may be forthcoming from time to time as desired.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

APPROPRIATION FROM PARKMAN FUND.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, December 20, 1954.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I am in receipt of the attached communication from the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation requesting the appropriation of $16,441.74 from the income of the George F. Parkman Fund, to be expended under the direction of the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation, for the Maintenance and Improvement of the Common and Parks in Existence on January 12, 1887.

The 1954 budget estimates for the personal service requirements of the Park Department included an estimate of the total yearly income from the George F. Parkman Fund. The budget allowances made provision for the appropriation of this income as it accrued for the purpose of defraying the cost of work actually performed on the Common and Parks in Existence on January 12, 1887.

I submit herewith an order appropriating the sum of $16,441.74, the accrued income now available from the Parkman Fund, and respectfully recommend its immediate passage by your Honorable Body.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Parks and Recreation Department,
December 15, 1954.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Sir:

I respectfully request that you ask the City Council to transfer from the income of the George F. Parkman Fund the sum of $16,441.74, which is now available, to be expended under the direction of this department for the following purpose:

Common and Parks in Existence on

January 12, 1887, Maintenance and Improvement of..... $16,441 74

When making up the budget estimates for the year 1954, a sum equal to the total yearly income of the George F. Parkman Fund was deducted from Item 100, Permanent Employees, with the understanding that this deduction was to be replaced by the total yearly income of said Parkman Fund for 1954, to be transferred as it accrued from time to time during the year to the regular maintenance appropriation of the Parks and Recreation Commission.

Respectfully yours,
FRANK R. KELLEY, Commissioner.

Ordered, That the sum of $16,441.74 be, and hereby is, appropriated from the income of the George F. Parkman Fund, to be expended under the direction of the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation for the Maintenance and Improvement of the Common and Parks in Existence on January 12, 1887, as follows:

Common and Parks in Existence on January 12, 1887, Maintenance and Improvement of..... $16,441.74

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Finance.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committee named, viz.:

Claims.

James J. Barry, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Automotive Division, Public Works Department.

Herman W. Carter, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect in East Boston Tunnel.

Barry and David Cohen, for compensation for injuries and damage to property by city motor vehicle.

Frank W. DiNatale, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Police Department.

Estate of Walter M. Evatt, for compensation for damage to property at 20 Buckingham street, caused by break in water main.

Edward G. Feeney, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Police Department.

Harvey Lenvitt, for compensation for damage to property at 71 Billings street, West Roxbury, during sidewalk construction.

Hugh Murphy, for compensation for injuries caused by Water Department vehicle.

Mary Nicholas, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 12 Bexley road, Roslindale.

Helen Ostopawich, for compensation for injuries caused by motor vehicle of Police Department.

Gino R. Parrelli, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Sewer Division, Public Works Department.

Florence Pollini, for compensation for injuries caused by motor vehicle of Police Department.

Janet Pollini, for compensation for injuries caused by motor vehicle of Police Department.

Joseph Pollini, for compensation for injuries caused by motor vehicle of Police Department.

Mildred Pollini, for compensation for injuries caused by motor vehicle of Police Department.

Bernard Shalit, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 237 Washington street.

Harry Shuman, for compensation for injuries and damage to property caused by an alleged defect at Columbia road and Hamilton street.

Thomas J. Sullivan, to be reimbursed as result of execution issued against him on account of his acts as employee of Sanitary Division, Public Works Department.

The Travelers, for compensation for damages incurred by Celia Wieder by city motor vehicle.

Whyte's Laundry, Inc., for compensation for damage to property at 172 Roslindale avenue, caused by water.

Charles and Rose Zeytoonjian, for compensation for damage to property at 2 Bronson terrace, Jamaica Plain, caused by blasting done by city.

APPROVAL OF CONSTABLE'S BOND.

The constable's bond of Milton Shaffer, having been duly approved by the Collector-Treasurer, was received and approved.

PERMIT FOR CHILDREN.

Petition for children under fifteen years of age to appear at places of public amusement was received as follows:

Louis Cline, manager, the Colonial Theatre, December 25, 1954, to January 8, 1955.

Permit granted under usual conditions.

PETITION FOR ANNUITY.

Petition of Alice M. Gaffey to be paid annuity on account of death of her husband, Patrick J. Gaffey, late member of the Police Department.

Referred to the Committee on Claims.

APPROVAL OF STATE HOUSING BOARD.

Notice was received from the State Housing Board of approval of sale of fourteen parcels of property under section 6 of chapter 372 of the Acts of 1946.

Referred to the Committee on Public Housing.

COMMUNICATIONS FROM DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES.

A communication was received from the Department of Public Utilities transmitting copy of order granting petition of Boston Edison Company for locations for pipes and cables in William T. Morrissey Boulevard at Victory road.

A communication was received from the Department of Public Utilities transmitting copy of order granting petition of Boston Edison Company for locations for pipes and cables in Leo M. Birmingham Parkway.

Severally placed on file.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ORDINANCES.

Coun. HURLEY, for the Committee on Ordinances, submitted the following:

Report on message of the Mayor and ordinance (referred December 13) transferring to the Building Commissioner powers and duties re street numbers for buildings—recommending that the ordinance ought to pass.

The report was accepted, and the ordinance was passed.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFIRMATIONS.

Coun. McCORMACK, for the Committee on Confirmations, submitted the following:

Report on appointment by the Mayor (referred December 13) of Harold Learner as constable with authority to serve civil process upon filing of bond for the term ending April 30, 1955—recommending that appointment be confirmed.

The report was accepted, and the question came on confirmation. Committee, Councillors Hurley and McCormack. Whole number of ballots 8, yeas 8, and the appointment was confirmed.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCE.

Coun. PIEMONTE, for the Committee on Appropriations and Finance, submitted the following:

Report on message of the Mayor and order (referred today) appropriating $16,441.74 from the income of the George F. Parkman Fund, to be ex-

pended under the direction of the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation—recommending that same ought to pass.

The report was accepted, and the order was passed, yeas 8, nays 0:

Yeas—Councillors Foley, Hailer, Hurley, Kerrigan, McCormack, McLaughlin, Piemonte, White—8.

Nays—0.

TEMPORARY APPOINTMENTS IN CLERK OF COMMITTEES DEPARTMENT.

Coun. WHITE offered the following:

Ordered, That effective December 22, 1954, the following persons be, and they hereby are, appointed in the service of the Clerk of Committees Department in the positions set against their respective names until the fourth Wednesday of January, 1955, at the salaries in effect for them on December 21, 1954:

Francis R. Burke, temporary clerk; Peter J. Cloherty, temporary clerk; Nicholas DiMella, temporary stenographer-clerk; Agnes G. Dinsmore, temporary clerk-receptionist; Katherine E. Dunn, temporary stenographer-clerk; Mary E. Flynn, temporary stenographer-clerk; Catherine Monahan, temporary stenographer-clerk; Paul G. O'Hara, temporary clerk.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

SUMNER TUNNEL TRAFFIC ONE WAY BETWEEN 4 P.M. AND 6 P.M.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Ordered, That the Traffic Commissioner study the advisability of having the Sumner Tunnel traffic flow one way in the direction of East Boston between the hours of 4 P.M. and 6 P.M. daily except Sundays.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

METERED PARKING UNDER FITZGERALD HIGHWAY.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Resolved, That all of the area available for parking under and adjacent to the Fitzgerald Higbway in that section running from the North Station to North street be utilized for metered parking exclusively; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this order be forwarded to the Public Works Commissioner of the Commonwealth and the Commissioner of Real Property in the City of Boston.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

DEATH OF REPRESENTATIVE WILLIAM A. GLYNN.

Coun. HAILER and all the members of the City Council offered the following:

Resolved, That the City Council of the City of Boston, in meeting assembled, hereby expresses its deep regret at the untimely passing of Representative William A. Glynn of Roxbury, who served in the House of Representatives since 1949, who continually strove to assist the unfortunate, and who interested himself particularly in youth activities, with the establishment of baseball and football teams, and extends to his family its sincere sympathy and condolence in their sad bereavement.

The resolution was adopted by a unanimous rising vote.

WORKING HOURS OF NIGHT PLATOONS OF BOSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Coun. FOLEY and HAILER offered the following:

Whereas, The night platoons of the Boston Police Department have recently had their hours of duty extended to cope with Boston's ever-increasing traffic problem; and

Whereas, Night police duty was commonly considered less desirable than day duty because of the shifting hours of work even before the lengthened hours of duty provided for in the Superintendent's order of November 26, 1954; and

Whereas, Before the said order of November 26, 1954, the night platoon on duty during the so-called "first half" (6 P.M. to 12.30 A.M.) before a holiday would receive compensation for working on the holiday; and

Whereas, Under the rearranged hours of duty the said night platoon assigned to the 4 P.M. to 12 P.M. duty period just before a holiday will no longer be granted holiday pay; be it therefore

Resolved, That the Boston City Council feels it to be inequitable that the officers assigned to the so-called "first half" before a holiday be required to work longer hours for less pay than heretofore; and be it further

Resolved, That it is the sense of the City Council that the tour of duty as enunciated in the Superintendent's order of November 26, 1954, should and ought in justice be extended to 12.15 A.M. or 12.30 A.M., to afford the officers serving on night duty an opportunity of earning a yearly average compensation at least as high as it was before their duty hours were extended.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

SIDEWALKS ON GARFIELD STREET, HYDE PARK.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor request the Commissioner of Public Works to take the steps necessary for installing sidewalks on both sides of Garfield street in the Hyde Park section of Boston.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPELLATE PROCEDURE ON GRIEVANCES ON RECLASSIFICATION OF MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Whereas, When the matter of reclassification of municipal employees was before the City Council, the Council was assured that adequate appeals were available to an employee aggrieved by the decision of his department head; and

Whereas, The Council in accepting the reclassification plan relied upon the word of the administration that such appellate procedures were available and would be honored; and

Whereas, Many employees appealed to the Civil Service Commission and obtained a decision they had been unfairly classified; and

Whereas, Such decisions were not honored by the administration but rather were delayed awaiting the outcome of the so-called "Gediman" case on appeal to the Supreme Judicial Court; and

Whereas, The position of the City of Boston in the so-called "Gediman" case was one of extremely doubtful legal validity giving rise to a strong suspicion that the case was appeal only as a dilatory tactic by the city; and

Whereas, The said "Gediman" case was decided as to be expected against the city; and

Whereas, Even then the decision of the Civil Service Commission has been avoided in a devious and dishonorable way by refusing to award additional compensation in accord with the Civil Service Commission's decision; be it therefore

Resolved, That the City Council regards such devious and underbanded avoidance of the appellate procedure as a breach of faith with it.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

RECESS.

On motion of Councillor Hurley, the Council voted to take a recess at 3.41 P.M., subject to the call of the Chair. The members reassembled in the Council Chamber and were called to order by President WHITE at 5.49 P.M.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. McCORMACK, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following:

1. Report on order (referred October 25) that the Land Assembly and Redevelopment Plan for the New York Streets Project be remanded to Boston Housing Authority—that no further action is necessary.

2. Report on order (referred May 24) that the Boston City Council and others meet with Citizens' Committee on study of Police Department—that no further action is necessary.

The reports of the committee were accepted.

3. Report on communication from Election Commissioner (referred December 6) for changes in voting precincts in Wards 13 and 16—recommending the communication be placed on file and ordered printed as a City Document.

The report was accepted, the communication was placed on file, and printed as a City Document.

4. Report on message of the Mayor (referred November 22) concerning legislation to permit the city to tax certain land and buildings of the Commonwealth—that no further action is necessary.

The report was accepted.

5. Report on the message of the Mayor (referred today) on survey of programs undertaken in other cities in respect to their downtown areas—that the message be placed on file.

The report was accepted, and the message was placed on file.

6. Report on the message of the Mayor and order (referred November 22) that the Collector-Treasurer be authorized to pay Federal National Linen Service Company the sum of $875, to be charged to 1952 unliquidated reserve.

The report was accepted, and the order was passed, yeas 8, nays 0:

Yeas—Councillors Foley, Hailer, Hurley, Kerrigan, McCormack, McLaughlin, Piemonte, White—8.

Nays—0.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC HOUSING.

Coun. HURLEY, for the Committee on Public Housing, submitted the following:

1. Report on notice of State Housing Board (referred October 25) approving sale of 27 parcels of property in Mattapan and Roslindale under section 6 of chapter 372 of Acts of 1946—that same be placed on file.

2. Report on notice of State Housing Board (referred October 25) approving sale of five parcels of property in Roslindale under section 6 of chapter 372 of Acts of 1946—that same be placed on file.

3. Report on notice of State Housing Board (referred November 8) approving sale of seven parcels of property in Roslindale and Mattapan under section 6 of chapter 372 of Acts of 1946—that same be placed on file.

4. Report on notice of State Housing Board (referred December 13) approving sale of three parcels of property in Mattapan under section 6 of chapter 372 of Acts of 1946—that same be placed on file.

5. Report on notice of State Housing Board (referred December 6) approving sale of twelve parcels of property under section 6 of chapter 372 of Acts of 1946—that same be placed on file.

6. Report on notice of State Housing Board (referred November 8) approving sale of ten parcels of property in Mattapan under section 6 of chapter 372 of Acts of 1946—that same be placed on file.

7. Report on notice of State Housing Board (referred November 22) approving sale of nine parcels of property in Mattapan and Roslindale under section 6 of chapter 372 of Acts of 1946—that same be placed on file.

8. Report on notice of State Housing Board (referred November 8) substituting approval of sale of property at 295 River street, Mattapan, to Samuel Feinstein and George Zedes under section 6 of chapter 372 of Acts of 1946—that same be placed on file.

The reports were accepted and the notices were severally placed on file.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ORDINANCES.

Coun. HURLEY, for the Committee on Ordinances, submitted the following:

1. Report on order (referred January 25) that 1956 budget be prepared in program form—that same be placed on file.

2. Report on order (referred December 14, 1953) that monthly audits be made of the books of garbage and rubbish contractors—that the same be placed on file.

The reports were accepted, and the orders were severally placed on file.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON HOSPITALS.

Coun. HURLEY, for the Committee on Hospitals, submitted the following:

1. Report on order (referred February 15) that Welfare Department and Boston City Hospital establish a bureau to place patients in rest homes—that the same ought to pass.

2. Report on order (referred February 15) to provide parking area for doctors and nurses at Boston City Hospital—that the same ought to pass.

3. Report on order (referred March 1) to provide compensation for salary reductions in change of meals plan at Boston City Hospital—that the same ought to pass.

The reports were accepted, and the orders were severally passed.

4. Report on message of the Mayor (referred April 12) re certain information on Crotty Brothers contract—that the message be placed on file.

5. Report on message of the Mayor (referred December 20) re transfer of ambulance at Carney Hospital to South Boston—that the message be placed on file.

The reports were accepted, and the messages were severally placed on file.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC LANDS.

Coun. FOLEY, for the Committee on Public Lands, submitted the following:

1. Report on message of the Mayor and order (referred September 20) for transfer of 56,771 square feet of land on Lewis street, East Boston, known as South Ferry Landing, from Public Works Department to Commissioner of Real Property—recommending no further action is necessary.

The report was accepted.

2. Report on message of the Mayor (referred October 11) withdrawing order of September 20, 1954, for transfer of 56,771 square feet of land on Lewis street, East Boston, known as South Ferry

[illegible] from Public Works Department to Commissioner of Real Property that the message be placed on file.

The report was accepted and the message was placed on file.

3. Report on message of the Mayor and order (referred September 20) for transfer of 82,531 square feet of land on Sumner street, East Boston, known as North Ferry Landing, from Public Works Department to Commissioner of Real Property—recommending that the order ought to pass.

4. Report on message of the Mayor and order (referred September 20) for transfer of 485,401 square feet of land on westerly side of Truman Highway, formerly known as Hyde Park Waterworks, from Public Works Department to Commissioner of Real Property—recommending that the order ought to pass.

The reports were accepted, and the question came on the passage of the orders, and the orders were severally passed, yeas 8, nays 0:

Yeas—Councillors Foley, Hailer, Hurley, Kerrigan, McCormack, McLaughlin, Piemonte, White—8.

Nays—0.

5. Report on communication of Boston Finance Commission (referred May 24) on Health Unit Buildings and Health Department Building in Haymarket square—that the communication be placed on file.

The report was accepted and the communication was placed on file.

ANSWER TO INQUIRY ON PATCH PAVING BY PRIVATE CONTRACTORS.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Whereas, On Monday, May 17, 1954, an order in proper form was passed by the Boston City Council making inquiry as to the amounts of money expended for so called "patch paving" to private contractors, whether such contracts are put out on competitive bid or otherwise, the paving districts, and so forth; and

Whereas, It was properly directed that the inquiries be answered in fourteen days, and

Whereas, The said fourteen days expired on June 1, 1954 be it

Resolved, That the attention of the Public Works Commissioner is directed to the fact that the reply to this inquiry is long overdue, and be it further

Resolved, That the said inquiries be answered in due form immediately.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

COMMENDATIONS TO MAYOR'S CHRISTMAS FESTIVAL COMMITTEE.

Coun. HAILER offered the following:

Resolved, That the City Council, in meeting assembled, commend the Mayor's Christmas Festival Committee on the fine work they have put into this year's display and particularly for keeping the Festival as close to a true spiritual theme as was possible; and be it further

Resolved, That appreciation also be extended to the sponsors of the Festival who have lent their assistance to Harry J. Blake, the general chairman, Paul Hines, the Festival director, and the other committee members in establishing the beautiful display which we have on Boston Common.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

COMMENDATIONS TO BOSTON "POST" ON SANTA FUND.

Coun. HAILER offered the following:

Whereas, The Boston "Post" Santa Fund has brought joy and help to many needy and underprivileged people, both adults and children for many years; and

Whereas, The Boston "Post" has contributed unselfishly to the full use of its newspaper to raise funds for this charity drive, which is now a joint effort with the City of Boston, therefore be it

Resolved, That the Boston City Council, herein assembled, does commend the Boston "Post" on its wholehearted participation in this most worthy project.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

Adjourned at 6.10 P.M., on motion of Councillor Piemonte, to meet on Monday, December 27, 1954, at 2 P.M.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

(Stenographic copy of such debate on file in office of City Clerk.)

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

NOTE—Applicants are advised to file applications early. In event of a tie on the eligible list, the applicant who filed his application first will be given precedence.

STEWARD, LONG ISLAND HOSPITAL DIVISION, BOSTON HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, JANUARY 29, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, January 10, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $87 a week; the maximum salary is $108.25 a week.

Vacancies: At present there is one vacancy for a male, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: Under administrative direction, to be responsible for the proper preparation and service of all food in the hospital, and to plan and direct the purchase and storage of all such food; to authorize the purchase or the repair of equipment and facilities; to confer with the dietitian in the preparation of menus; to consult with the director of the hospital on major operating problems concerning food service; to issue operating rules and regulations; and to perform related work as required.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants must have at least two years of full-time, paid experience in the supervision of meal planning and the purchase, storage, preparation, and serving of food in a large institution or similar establishment.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

CAFETERIA ATTENDANT, BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS, JANUARY 29, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, January 10, 1955.

Salary: $48.18 a week.

Vacancies: From time to time, for females.

Duties: To assist the cafeteria manager in the preparation and serving of food in large quantities; to assist in the maintenance of sanitation in food service areas; and to perform related work as required.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants who have passed their fifty-fifth birthday on the date of examination will not be eligible to apply. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application *unless* one has been filed with a previous application.

Veterans who had not reached the maximum age limit at the time of entering military or naval service will not be disqualified by reason of age within five years after the date of honorable discharge. (See chapter 179, Acts of 1950.)

Applicants must have had at least one year of full-time paid employment in food preparation.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

Eve Karas, 297 Revere street, Winthrop, in the sum of $385, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the crosswalk on Providence street, corner of Church street, Boston, May 21, 1952.

Hurlburt D. and Kenneth W. Pagington, 4 Ellis street, Hyde Park, in the sum of $85, as compensation for collapse of hot water boiler in above premises caused when the water was shut off by employees of the Water Division, Public Works Department, without proper notice, while making repairs, April 27, 1954.

Ward General Contracting Company, 157 Hampden street, Roxbury, to be reimbursed in the sum of $431.40, for excavating and relocating the fire alarm post on Commonwealth avenue, near University Bridge, as per contract with the Fire Department dated December 21, 1953.

Vera Carney, 56 Austin street, Hyde Park, in the sum of $450, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a defective curbing on Hyde Park avenue, near corner of Cummins Highway, September 1, 1954.

Anna DiNitto, 58 Plymouth street, Cambridge, in the sum of $490, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 97 Salem street, October 23, 1952.

John J. Katz, 54 Lawton street, Brookline, in the sum of $435, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk on Sudbury street, near Portland street, August 26, 1954.

Stephen A. Dunn, 87 Dunboy street, Brighton, in the sum of $415, as compensation for damage to property caused during the construction of Dunboy street by the Public Works Department in July, 1954.

George DeMeo, 182 Bennington street, East Boston, in the sum of $420, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a broken curbing on North street, at the intersection of North Market street, July 1, 1954.

Lucy LoVerme, 226 Paris street, East Boston, in the sum of $250, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a broken curbing on Oxford street, near Essex street, May 14, 1954.

Ernest G. Giovino, 116 Prince street, Jamaica Plain, in the sum of $100, as compensation for damage to property caused by a change in grade during the construction of the sidewalk on Prince street by the Public Works Department in the spring of 1954.

Ruth M. Thornberg, 109 Summer street, Malden, in the sum of $225, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk on Summer street, near Hawley street, November 19, 1951.

Reba Stewart, 24 St. Botolph street, in the sum of $390, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 88 Tremont street, September 13, 1954.

Laurence W. McGrath, 195 Willow street, West Roxbury, in the sum of $130.90 as compensation for damage to property caused when his automobile struck a hole in the highway opposite 206 Neponset avenue, Dorchester, April 17, 1954.

PROCEEDINGS OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Oct. 18, 1954.

A regular meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, at 9:45 o'clock P. M., the Chairman presiding.

Present: Messrs, Carr, Lee, and Musco.

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APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The reading of the minutes of the meetings of Oct. 4 and Oct. 8, 1954, was omitted, the Committee approving them as printed.

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APPRECIATION FOR USE OF BOSTON LATIN SCHOOL

The following two communications were presented:

14 October 1954

William F. Carr, Chairman
Boston School Committee
15 Beacon Street
Boston 8, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Carr:

I am pleased to send you the inclosed letter of appreciation from Brigadier General Lawrence F. Carew, Commandant of the Massachusetts Military Academy.

I desire to add my words of appreciation of the fine spirit of cooperation displayed by all personnel of the Boston Latin School during the period of its occupancy by the staff and cadets of the Massachusetts Military Academy. The friendly relationship which existed between your personnel and the members of the National Guard contributed immeasurably to the success we feel the Military Academy has achieved.

Sincerely yours,
(Signed) William H. Harrison, Jr.
Major General, AGC. Mass NG
The Adjutant General

Placed on file.

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13 October 1954

Subject: Appreciation, Use of Boston Latin School
To: Chairman, The School Committee
The City of Boston
15 Beacon Street
Boston 8, Massachusetts
Thru: The Adjutant General of Massachusetts

1. Due to the great amount of work involved in moving to our new quarters at the Commonwealth Armory, and the many details incident to preparation for our entrance examinations and the conduct of our first sessions, it has been necessary to delay until now this expression of our appreciation and thanks for your generous support of the Academy through the use of your facilities at the Boston Latin School. These thanks are no less sincere, even though late.

2. From 1948 to June 1954 the Academy was housed in, and has conducted all of its sessions at the Latin School. It was only through your cheerful and generous cooperation in answer to our original request for facilities that we were able to achieve the successes we enjoyed. Much of your support, and the support of the Headmaster in answer to our requests for expanding facilities, was rendered with sacrifices to yourselves. We trust that we were not a burden during the years we occupied the Latin School.

3. In addition to thanking the School Committee for their support and cooperation, we also offer our thanks and appreciation to Mr. McKim, the Headmaster, to the office staff of the school, and to the custodians, for their willing and generous services in making our stay at the Latin School both happy and successful.

(Signed) Lawrence F. Carew
Brigadier General
Commandant

Placed on file.

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APPROVAL OF STATE-AIDED WORK

A communication was received from Walter J. Markham, Director, Division of Vocational Education, Massachusetts Department of Education, under date of Sept. 14, 1954, reporting that the State-aided vocational and/or continuation school work conducted in the Boston Public Schools during the school year 1953-54 under the supervision of that Division, is approved and reimbursement in the statutory amount—50 per cent of the net maintenance sum (in agricultural department, two-thirds of the salary of instructors) — has been recommended to the Commissioner of Education.

Placed on file.

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PROGRESS ON CONSTRUCTION OF ADDITION TO CURTIS GUILD SCHOOL

Mr. Musco: Mr. Chairman, I believe it is appropriate at this time for us to voice an opinion and inquire as to the status of the progress in our new building program throughout the entire City.

I am particularly interested in the Curtis Guild School addition, of which I have had many complaints by mail, telephone, and personal visits from parents and residents in the district who feel that the progress in that particular school is rather slow.

I know the School Committee has approved it and is now waiting for action and plans from the Department of School Buildings to carry on this program. There is no question in my mind that the thing has gone a little bit too far and that we have not had any action.

I ask the Committee tonight to direct a letter to the Commissioner of the Department of School Buildings for a report so that we can submit a report, in turn, to those people who have worked so hard to obtain a new building. It is about time that we had some action—even ground-breaking plans that have not at least risen at the horizon.

I would like your indulgence to go along with that and ask for a report. I think we have waited long enough. We ought to take a firm stand in getting some action on this particular thing.

Chairman: Well, Mr. Musco, although she is not here, Miss Fitzgerald has inquired about the progress on the Curtis Guild School in East Boston, and she, in talking to me, seemed to be very much upset at the delay over there. She seemed to feel that the new school should be much further along than it actually is.

I have no knowledge of the particular situation, although the Superintendent tells me the plans are still being formulated.

Superintendent: That's right.

Chairman: Well, I feel that they have had sufficient time since the Committee allocated the money to have the plans completed by now. If it is your desire to send an inquiry to the Chairman of the Schoolhouse Commission, I think we can direct the Secretary to do so.

Secretary: The Chairman of the Board of Commissioners, Mr. O'Connell.

Mr. Musco: I would like to change the word "inquire" to "demand." It is our province to see that these buildings are erected, and fast. We are in a serious problem at Orient Heights. We are transporting the pupils, and the children are still in a portable building. I think we ought to force them into some immediate action.

Mr. Lee: Would you say, Mr. Musco, that the City has had a right to expect that that building should start before now and that at least you are at a loss to know why it hasn't started?

Mr. Musco: Yes. I communicated with those parents back in the Spring, and I assured them that construction would start the first day of September. The building was razed and levelled sometime in June, and we have had no action as yet on the Curtis Guild addition.

Mr. Lee: Did we give the O. K.?

Superintendent: Yes, Mr. Lee. We have executed all of our requirements.

Mr. Lee: We gave the go-ahead long ago, did we not?

Superintendent: That's right.

Mr. Musco: Well, unfortunately, the public doesn't know the procedure and the difficulties that the School Committee is presented with, and they seem to point the finger of responsibility at us.

Actually, however, we have done as much as we could, and have submitted our plans and our appropriation to the Department of School Buildings. Now, it is up to us right at this point to make a lot of noise.

Chairman: Well, I don't know what kind of noise would be most effective; but if it is your wish that we have the Secretary direct a letter to the Chairman of the Board of Commissioners of School Buildings and express the sentiments of this Committee that we are very much disturbed

at the lack of progress in that particular school, the Curtis Guild Building, that will be all right. We should ask for the status quo of the construction plans for that school.

Is that it?

Mr. Musco: Anything to get action.

Mr. Lee: I think a strong letter of that sort would be very good.

Chairman: Would you do that, Miss Reynolds?

Secretary: Yes, sir.

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IN MEMORIAM

The Superintendent regretfully reported the death of the following-named teacher who had been retired under the provisions of the Boston Retirement System:

Charlestown High School — Joseph H. Connors, Oct. 6, 1954.

Placed on file.

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The Superintendent regretfully reported the death of the following-named teacher who had been retired under the provisions of the State-Boston Retirement System:

Conservation of Eyesight Classes—Eleanor F. Morris, Sept. 24, 1954.

Placed on file.

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The Superintendent regretfully reported the deaths of the following-named teachers who had been retired on pension:

Henry Grew District—Frances E. Brigham, Sept. 14, 1954.

Thomas Gardner District—Eva M. Neth, teacher, elementary, Sept. 19, 1954.

Placed on file.

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The School Committee requested that a letter of condolence to be signed by the Secretary be sent to the bereaved families.

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RETIREMENTS ON PENSION

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 18, 1954, reporting the retirement from active service of the following-named members of the State-Boston Retirement System, to take effect Oct. 31, 1954, as certified by the Boston Retirement Board:

Boston Technical High School —John V. Dole, senior building custodian.

Roxbury Memorial High School —John J. Sheehy, junior building custodian.

Samuel Adams District—Annice A Anderson, teacher, elementary.

Department of Industrial Arts —Arthur E. Olsen, shop foreman; Emil W. Zepp, shop instructor.

Placed on file.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 18, 1954, reporting the retirement from active service of the following-named veteran who has been retired under the provisions of Chapter 32 of the General Laws, as amended:

Old Agassiz School—Bernard W. Winston, senior building custodian, Oct. 12, 1954, $3025.88 per annum.

Placed on file.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 18, 1954, reporting that His Honor, the Mayor, has approved a correction in the retirement allowance payable to John D. Benson, submaster, Abraham Lincoln-Quincy District, who was retired effective Aug. 31, 1954, from $3594.24 per annum, to $3650.40 per annum.

Placed on file.

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HONORARY TITLE

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That in consideration of his many years of devoted and efficient service in the Boston Public Schools, the following-named person who has retired, be granted the honorary title indicated, to take effect Oct. 6, 1954:

Department of School Hygiene —James A. Keenan, M. D., director emeritus.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Carr, Lee, and Musco—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Miss Fitzgerald, and Mr. Ward—2.

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RESIGNATION

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 18, 1954, reporting the resignation of the following-named teacher, to take effect on the date stated:

Boston Latin School—Samuel N. Sheinfeld, junior master, Aug. 31, 1954.

Accepted.

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APPOINTMENTS

The following nominations by the Superintendent, certified by him as being in accordance with the rules and regulations, to take effect on the dates stated, were presented

(FROM THE ELIGIBLE LIST)

East Boston High School — James N. McCormick, shop instructor, cooperative branches (from shop instructor, Department of Industrial Arts), Oct. 25, 1954.

On roll call the rules were suspended and the appointment approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Carr, Lee, and Musco—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Miss Fitzgerald, and Mr. Ward—2.

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LIST OF TEACHERS APPROVED FOR TEMPORARY SERVICE

The Superintendent submitted, under the provisions of Section 265, paragraph 3 of the regulations, the following list of teachers approved by him from which assignments may be made for temporary service:

Josephine Ryan Acorn, Thelma G. Adamson, Mabel Hermance Adams, Ellen M. Ahern, Marie L. Albiani, Frances Griffin Allen, Paul C. Allen, Roberta J. Ambrose, Doris Clark Anderson, Elizabeth J. Anderson, Ann M. Andreas, Delores Ripple Andrew, Phoebe Reed Angino, James H. Armstrong, Elvira Vecchione Artick, Ernest B. Ashford, Pauline Freeman Assmus, Virginia Ganim Baghdady, Donald H. Bailey, Paul Bailey, Louis D. Bailow, Dorothy Buck Baker, Robert F. Baker, Claire Bryant Baldwin, Barbara R. Barkan, Martin Barooshian, Virginia A. Barry, Josephine F. D. Basiliere, Catherine A. Baxter, Grace McDougall Bell, Ruth Bailey Belliveau, Barbara A. Bennett, Marjorie Talbot Bennett, Margaret Gleeson Benson, Ethel Love Berardi, Dorothy Berger, Anna Gordon Berig, Michael J. Berrigan, Catherine R. Berry, Beatrice Besbris, Leo W. Bieler, Jr., Irene Norris Birmingham, Lillian G. Blacker, Francis X. Blackwell, Mildred Newcomb Boland, Grace McKinnon Bowker, Carmel Byrne Boyd, Catherine Flaherty Boyle, Mary Melvin Bradbury, Priscilla A. Bradford, Mary Keliher Bradley, Katherine Barry Branca, James S. Breen, Sumner M. Brenner, Catherine Donahue Bresnahan, Margaret Flanagan Brine, Patricia Trayers Brougham, Edith M. Brown, Elaine E. Brown, Emily Brusell, John P. Bryant, John J. Buckley, Jr., Rosalie Dundon Buckley, Richard J. Burgess, Helen Whalen Burke, Lauretta Q. Burke, Mary Tierney Burke, Helen F. Burns, Joseph F. Burns, Frances Garrett Byrd.

Ann E. Cahill, John A. Calabro, Victor P. Caliri, Dorothea Brett Callahan, Kathleen R. Callahan, Robert P. Callanan, Olga E. Callender, Barbara L. Cameron, Evelyn Tuohig Cameron, Paul J. Cameron, Claire Carty Campbell, Elinor Lynch Cannata, Francis J. Caples, Justin P. Capodilupo, Charles T. Caputo, Patricia Johnson Carlow, Beatrice Chase Carlson, Theodora Kazantis Carlton, Ruth A. Carr, John L. Carroll, Mary E. Carroll, Robert P. Carroll, Adeline Oswald Cary, Mary Deeley Casey, Rosemary A. Casey, Suzanne H. Casey, Walter J. Casey, Jr., Rosemary A. Cassino, Joan M. Cerwonka, Matilda Camer Chadic, Ruth Gallant Chenell, Matilda Cohen Christie, Howard L. Churchill, Florence Hubert Clark, Esther McColough Cleary, Norma Giust Cleary, Selma Cloper, Mary E. Clune, John F. Cogliano, Mary Gleason Cohan, Sibyl Murphy Cohen, Mary A. Colleran, Joan P. Collins, William J. Collins, William L. Concannon, Grace Flanagan Conley, Dorothy Gladding Conn, Mary E. Connell, Isabel Furlong Connelly, Barbara F. Connolly.

Patricia A. Connolly, Rosalie Patten Connor, Margaret Mahoney Cosgrove, Marjorie A. Cotter,

Patricia A. Coughlin, Jean F. Courtney, Lorraine Cowan, Olive Peters Craigwell, Agnes Drea Creamer, Jeanne M. Creamer, Maria Critikos, Margaret Dempsey Crofwell, James A. Cronin, Alice Haggerty Croke, Rita H. Crowley, Therese M. Cullinane, Helen O'Dea Cummings, Elizabeth A. Cummings, Mary Healey Cummings, Ann A. Cunningham, Ruth Ambrose Cushman, Hazel Butler Daley, Margaret Condon Daley, Alice Groden Daly, Paul D. Daly, Shirley M. Darish, Edward J. Davis, Gertrude Schnurr Dean, Rose Dente DeFronzo, Marie Scollard Degnan, Marie Farley Deignan, Margaret O'Hara Delaney, Ruth A. Delaney, Margaret Corkery Dempsey, Margaret M. Dennison, Arthur Depoian, Ann Dawley Deveau, Catherine E. Deveney, Elizabeth A. Devlin, Evelyn Murphy Devlin, Joseph M. Dhosi, Mary Tree Dickie, Ettore A. DiDonato, Beth A. Dignan, Joseph DeLeo, Eleanor F. Dillon, Marjorie Burton Dillon, Mary Callahan Dillon, Margaret Faherty DiNatale, Justina McLaughlin Dinn, Mary E. Doherty, William J. Doherty, Margaret A. Dolan, Frances McCarron Donaghy, Mary Conlon Donlon, Mona Kelley Donnelly, Eleanor Mullen Donohue, Jeremiah J. Donovan, M. Louise Holland Dooley, Dorothy A. Downey, Frances Rattigan Downey, Mary Walsh Downey, Editha Sharkey Doyle, Catherine Doherty Driscoll, Joan R. Driscoll, Marilyn M. Driscoll, Theresa Hogan Driscoll, Vera Ross Dudley, Helen Harrington Duffy, John J. Duffy, Jr.

Henry L. Duggan, Jr., Helen O'Brien Dunbar, Frances Conley Dunton, Cecile B. Durham, Eleanora T. Duross, Virginia M. Duseau, Mary E. Duwan, Theresa Adan Dwyer, Alice Vincent Dyson, Martha Flaherty Earls Charles H. Early, Joseph O. Eblan, William F. Eddy, Anna McGovern Edwards, Margaret Flaherty Egan, Mary Gillis Egan, Arthur Eldracher, Evelyn M. Ellis, Irving Emmanuel, Gertrude Rooney English, Ada Hodges Eva, Hazel Noyes Eye, Muriel T. Fahey, Katherine Fanning, Mary Russo Faria, Rudolph A. Feudo, Esther Rudd Fine, Saul Finestone, Marilyn Hourihan Finnegan, Anne E. Fisher, Janet M. Fitzgerald, Josephine Kenneally Fitzgerald, Elizabeth Teaffe Fitzpatrick, Kathleen V. Fitzpatrick, Anita Horn Flaherty, Robert J. Flanagan, James J. Fleming, Ann Halloran Floyd, Anne B. Flynn, Kenneth L. Flynn, Mary F. Flynn, Elizabeth Crowley Foley, Grace Murray Foley, John A. Foley, Marie McCabe Folkhart, Ethel Partridge Folsom, Genevieve Grass Ford, Phyllis O'Neil Forster, Arthur E. Foster, Jr., Joseph P. Fotos, Catherine A. Fouhy, Marie A. Fox, Anne M. Fraher, Edwin L. Francis, Myrtis Andrews Freeman, John P. Frost, Ralph C. Fuccillo, Lillian Dubrow Gabelnick, Alice Benedict Gagan, Eva Gall, Lester E. Gallagher, Margaret L. Gallagher, Mary F. Gallagher, Persis A. Gallion, Regina M. Gannon, Howard F. Garniss, Celena Hoar Gavin.

Frances Sullivan Gavin, John J. Gearin, Hattie Fletcher Gemmel, Arthur K. George, Peter P. George, James F. Gibbons, Rosemary Mahan Gibbons, Josephine Heffernan Gill, Anne Sullivan Glancy, Helen Zarling Gold, Norman B. Goldberg, Samuel Goldfarb, Sarah Marget Goldings, Merrill H. Goldwyn Sylvia Mogolisky Gollub, Margaret Clifford Goode, Annette Kanter Goodman, Dorothy Blenkhorn Goodwin, Judith Devorin Gorin, John W. Gorman, Jr., Margaret E. Gorman, John A. Grasso Robert J. Gravellese, Beverly J. Gray, Williemae Johnson Gray, Zelda Rosenberg Green, Marie T. Greene, Dorothy Muldoon Griffin, Joan F. Griffin, Mary Downing Griffin, Joseph Gropper, Theresa T. Gross, Frederick G. Guerra, Paul J. Hagerty, Loretta McDonough Haley, Edna Purcell Hall, Ruth Kupperstein Hallperin, Ruth Carroll Hambelton, James J. Hamrock, Eileen Sheehan Hanley, Joseph M. Hanley, John W. Hannon, Virginia Noonan Hardy, Elizabeth A. Harney, Ruth J. Harrell, Joanne M. Harris, John F. Harris, Kathleen Fitzpatrick Hartigan, Jeannine C. Hastings, Philip C. Hatton, Gertrude Gorey Hayes, Marie T. Hayes, Mary L. Healy, Kathleen R. Heiser, Carolyn H. Henderson, Rhoda H. Henderson, Mary Bailey Hennessey, Elizabeth A. Heywood, Elizabeth Carty Heywood, Anne Murphy Hickey, Alma Blinn Hill, Mary Hartigan Hoar, Audrey Taylor Holmes, Leo G. Holmes, Marian Swartwood Holodinski, Gertrude Lynch Holzman, William T. Horan, Ruth E. Horgan, Ethel Downey Horner, Patricia M. Horrigan, Claire C. Horton, John H. Howard.

Leo M. Howard, Anne R. Howe, Dora Holmes Howe, Elizabeth Dempsey Hughes, John M. Hughes, Nancy C. Hughes, Helen R. Humpage, Lillian Allen Hurley, Maurice F. Hurley, Michael F. Hurley, William J. Hurley, Isabel Ahearne Hussey, Doris I. Hynes, Marie E. Hynes, Vincent F. Jackmauh, Klementyna James, Florence A. Jennings, Vincent J. Jerome, Alfred J. Johnson, Genevieve Lane Joyce, Mary Brady Joyce, Albert A. Julian, Edith Kates Kaplan, Murray Karlsberg, Jane I. Keating, Mary Grey Keating, Arline Fahey Keefe, Raymond H. Keegan, James F. Keenan, Marie F. Kehoe, Janice Kellett, John E. Kelley, Barbara M. Kelly, Frances M. Kelly, Kenneth R. Kelly, Rita Fitzgerald Kelly, Mary Reardon Kennedy, Thomas J. Kennedy, Jr., Virginia A. Kenny, Mary Conaty Ketlak, Rose Haddad Kfoury, Gertrude Malone Kiely, Claire Bulger Kiley, Arthur Kinas, Mary M. King, Melvin H. King, J. Lillian Bloomberg Klein, Naomi Wexler Kliman, Elsie Guild Knight, Harry Kobialka, Louis G. Kreinsen, Mary Veracka Kremmell, Barbara Cowen Labitt, Margaret Shea Lane, Bertha Ives Lang, Alice McNaughton Langley, Lucille LaPlant, Charles B. Lawrence, Thelma L. Lawrence, Dorothy Whalen Lawton, Castella Burton Laymon, Anna Harrington Leary, Sara McDonough Leary.

Francis X. Ledwith, Walter P. Lee, Shiela Stember Leese, Nicholas J. Lembo, Alfred J. Lennon, Catherine Crane Leonard, James D. Leonard, Mary A. Leslie, Dorothy Freedman Lesser, Lawrence J. Lesser, Dora Rosengard Levenson, Anne E. Lewdansky, Florence Terry Lewis, Mary Driscoll Linnehan, Lois A. Littleton, Mary O'Brien Lizio, Helen Buckley Logan, Ursula Ryan Looney, William L. Lorenz, Joseph P. Loughnane, Paul A. Lovett, Mary Curran Lundy, Marie Turcotte Lyddy, Barbara J. Lynch, Thomas G. Lynch, Christine M. Lyons, Frances T. Lyons, John W. Lyons, Edward P. Mabardi, Dorothy C. MacDonald, Marilyn MacKenzie, Dorothy P. MacLellan, Marjorie Kelley MacLennon, Eugenia L. Madden, Marian Warren Mahoney, Maureen L. Mahoney, Paul F. Mahoney, Mary Jensen Mahony, William J. Mallen, Patricia L. Malloy, Nancy J. Mann, Janet LaPointe Manning, Ida Betti Mannix, Sarra Rosenbaum Marcus, Harry Marderosian, Philip Marino, Catherine Fitzpatrick Marks, Elizabeth Thomas Marr, Joan Kelley Marshall, Salvatore J. Mastrorillo, Josephine Cauley McAuliffe, Elizabeth A. McA'Nulty, Mary A. McCabe, Genevieve Connor McCaffrey, Alice Willis McCarron, Ann L. McCarthy, Eunice M. McCarthy, Herbert F. McCarthy, Margaret E. McCarthy, Ruth A. McCarthy, Grace Farrell McCarty, Howard E. McClure, Ann E. McCourt, Helen Redding McCready, John W. McCue, Joseph P. McCusker, Francis E. McDade, Claire T. McDonald, Madeleine A. McDonald, Kathryn Fallon McDonough, Genevieve McCready McEleney, Thomas D. McElroy, John D. McGovern, Catherine Mangan McGrath, Margaret E. McIntyre, Patricia McCulloch McIntyre, Joseph P. McKenney, Mary Callahan McLaughlin, William F. McLaughlin.

Josephine Finnerty McMahon, Mary Fuhs McMann, John J. McManus, Ellen V. McPartland, Margaret Donovan McPhee, Marcia E. McPherson, Rose McDonough McQuillan, Elizabeth Good McSwiney, Eleanor McTernan McVey, Mary Corliss Mead, Mary E. Meagher, Mary Broderick Melia, Thomas R. Melia, Ruth Finston Melin, Genevieve V. Mellett, Ethel Bickoff Menitoff, Nancy Carino Messina, Judith A. Miles, Marion Brooks Millett, Helen C. Mitchell, Janet Ekdahl Mitchell, Lillian Connors Molloy, Theresa L. Molloy, John F Moloney, Muriel A. Moloney, Joan H. Molway, Mary Carrigan Monahan, Henry E. Montane, Vilma M. Montenigro, Alice Burke Mooney, Frances M. Morgan, Helen Tarbox Morrill, Julia Morris, Adelaide Burke Morrissey, Claire M. Morrissey, Mary

A. Morrissey, Edwin J. P. Mosher, Jr., Ruth Costello Moulds, Muriel Murray Mulkerin, Margaret Donahue Mulkern, Frederick J. Mullane, Anna Bergin Mullaney, Mary O'Neill Mullen, Henry F. Mulloy, Mary Sullivan Mulloy, James W. Mulroy, Ethel Twohy Murphy, George A. Murphy, George E. Murphy, Katherine M. Murphy, Katherine Riley Murphy, Marilyn C. Murphy, Maureen E. Murphy, Clare M. Murray, Frederick A. Murray, Margaret C. Murray, Robert L. Murray, Nicholas L. Najjar, William Nash, Paul W. Needham, Esther Winer Needle, Martha L. Newton, Margaret Coulter Nicholson, Constance B. Noble.

Charles R. Noel, Anna Flanagan Noonan, Elizabeth Costello Norcott, Catherine Crowley Norton, Eileen Norton Norton, Jane Norton, Louise Geary Novicki, Adele M. O'Brien, Anna Hayes O'Brien, Catherine Malone O'Brien, Elizabeth Corrigan O'Brien, George G. O'Brien, Gladys Clahane O'Brien, Joseph E. O'Brien, Walter V. O'Brien, John D. O'Bryant, Claire C. O'Connell, Philip A. O'Connell, Daniel J. O'Connor, Marie Butters O'Connor, Timothy F. O'Connor, James J. O'Donnell, Mary Daniels O'Donnell, Edward J. O'Gorman, Ruth Libby O'Halloran, Francis M. O'Hara, Robert P. O'Hara, Joan Kenney O'Hearn, Julienne O'Connell O'Keefe, Agnes Donaghy O'Leary, Anthony Olivieri, Jr., James H. O'Malley, Jr., John H. O'Neil, Jr., Martha Crane O'Neil, Emma McDonald O'Shea, Ann M. O'Sullivan, Ann Driscoll Oteri, Frances Ford O'Toole, Annie Lawlor Owen, David S. Owens, Rita A. Palermo, Claire Doyle Pauley, Phyllis Brandes Paulive, A. Thomas Pellegriti, George C. Penshorn, Sylvia Mullaney Pernokas, Gerald T. Peters, John A. Pietrowski, Hazel D. Pitters, Marie Cullity Plante, Paul L. Poirier, Rita Burak Polit, Maurice J. Pomfret, Leo T. Power, Mary Woleyko Powers, Mary Daniell Prussman, Carol M. Punch, Maryjo A. Quigley, Gertrude Twombly Quinn, Irene T. Quinn, Isabelle Ehrlich Rabinovitz, Mary O'Connell Racine, Emily Brady Ramisch, Lois Webber Ramstrom, Jeannette Lorina Rapacki, Isabel Doherty Reardon, Marguerite Higgins Reardon, Thomas J. Regan, Alice Smith Reilly, Donald F. Reilly, James F. Reilly, Frances Connor Reynolds.

Edith Pureiello Riccio, John C. Riccio, Vera Laviscount Riley, Stanley Rimmer,, Paul J. Ring, Rosalie Ackley Roberts, Theodora Wooten Roberts, Edward C. Roche, Margaret Conley Roche, Joanne B. Rogers, Demetrias C. Rokas, Fay Harris Ross, Nancy J. Roumacher, Beverly Gray Roye, Agnes Doggett Ruddy, Dorothy McCormack Rudsit, Matthew J. Ruggiero, Mary Wagenseller Runge, Joseph Rusel, Arthur L. Ruskin, Margaret Lynch Russell, Marguerite C. Russell, Marie V. Russell, Theresa Minichiello Russo, Ruth Rutman, Daniel E. Ryan, Eileen McGovern Ryan, Richard Ryan, Edith Neagle Sagan, Rhoda A. Saltzman, Adeline Gamer Salvin, Marilyn Davison Sanborn, Catherine Jennings Savage, Mary Jane Lapp Saylor, Jeanne M. Scanlan, Grace Thorne Scanlan, Dorothy T. Scanlon, Ellen F. Sharpe, Grace Corrigan Shaughnessy, Mary O'Neil Shaughnessy, Raymond L. Shaw, Nancy L. Sheehan, Robert P. Sheridan, Hilda Reinstein Sherman, Mary Sullivan Shields, Theresa O'Reilly Shields, Clare Flynn Shruhan, Anna Blake Shue, Herbert B. Siegel, Elizabeth A. Silverman, Anna Weisblatt Silverson, Ernest W. Simms, William A. Simon, Madeleine O'Brien Simonds, John R. Simpson, Donald J. Sinclair, Lena Ulman Singer, Charles E. Singleton, Anna Bayard Smith, Margaret Lyons Smith, Beatrice Segall Snyder, Robert M. Speetor, Mary Onley Spratley, Judith Ravitt Springer, Samuel I. Squires, James N. Stamos, Velma Ball Stankard, Joan E. Steele.

Mary Boyle Stephens, Sydney R. Stoller, Anita Stone, Miriam Greenberg Stone, Natalie Waldman Sugarman, Charlotte Blue Sullivan, Clara Mee Sullivan, Eleanor Donovan Sullivan, Eugene F. Sullivan, Raymond J. Sullivan, Donald J. Surette, Gerard J. Swanson, Alice McLaughlin Sweeney, Richard Talanian, Jr., Louis J. Taris, Daniel F. Tarpey, Della Brown Taylor, Francis C. Taylor, Maurice Temple, Frances Kelley Terrasi, George W. Thissell, Emma C. Thomas, Harold L. Thomas, Maybelle Supple Thompson, Claire L. Thornton, Emma T. Timons, Ursula McMahon Tirrell, Louis E. Tobasky, Ann Connelly Tobin, Catherine D. Tobin, Mary Davey Tobin, Frank J. Toland, Jr., Janet Murphy Toner, Mary Gallagher Toomey, Edward G. Topalian, Rose M. Torre, M. Gregory Toupouzis, Ruth Onigman Toyster, Stephen Triantafel, Josephine G. Trocchio, Lucille Guaragna Troy, Ernestine O'Brien Tuitt, Dorothy Goler Turner, Adele M. Twomey, Loretta Monahan Untz, John R. Vacirca, Jewell Cox Vanderhoop, Michael J. Vaughan, Alexander D. Visser, June McLellan Visser, Alfred V. Voega, Rita Caporizzo Wade, Mary Crowley Wall, James G. Wallace, Ann M. Walsh, Archie J. Walsh, Jerome Walsh, Victoria Blue Walters, Rena Bell Walton, Anita M. Ward, Nina Forsythe Ward, Robert E. Ward, Joan Gross Weisz, Mary Toomey Welby, Thomas P. Welch, Anne Wells Westbrooks, Sarah Lee Whelan, Adelaide M. Whelton, Mary Cronin White, Norma Frances White, Evelyn Buss Williams, Mary Gallagher Williams, Richard S. Willits, Edward F. Winston, Lea Wolff, Edward F. Worth, Mary McDermott Wynne, Eleanor M. Zaia, Evelyn Hurwitch Zintz.

Audiometer Technicians

Lauretta Q. Burke, Priscilla Stahl Miles.

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Visual Testers

Mary K. Fitzgerald, Elizabeth Thibeault Gotgart, Mary Cronin Mahady, Gertrude Mellen McCormick, Helen Holland McNeese, Madeline Eich Moore.

On roll call the list of teachers was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Carr, Lee, and Museo—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Miss Fitzgerald, and Mr. Ward—2.

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INSTRUCTION OF PHYSICALLY HANDICAPPED CHILDREN

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 18, 1954, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has assigned the following-named temporary teacher for instruction of physically handicapped children, to take effect Oct. 18, 1954:

K. Gertrude Tucker

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Carr, Lee, and Museo—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Miss Fitzgerald, and Mr. Ward—2.

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DEPARTMENT OF ADULT EDUCATIONAL AND RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES

(Extended Use)

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 18, 1954, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has made the following assignments and re-assignments of persons to serve in the Department of Adult Educational and Recreational Activities (Extended Use) for the term 1954-55:

Assignments

Jacqueline Ellas, Ada H. Gordon, Angelo Lazzaro, Rachel T. Riley, Esther Schawbel, Oct. 6, 1954; Marie L. Chartier, Rose Mary Hoye, Margaret E. Vogel, Oct. 13, 1954.

Re-Assignments

Phyllis Abruzzi, Frank J. Alberts, Roberta J. Ambrose, Margaret Antonellis, Helen V. Baker, Walter E. Barringer, Garrett T. Barry, Jessie L. Barry, Thomas F. Barry, Henry Bernard, Ethel H Blute, Marie A. Bond, Herbert L. Bourgault, Vincent A. Braudis, Margaret E. Breslin, Ellen L. Brophey, L. Halbert Brown, Harold W. Burnham, Robert E. Burns, Rose A. Butler, Daniel J. Campbell, Thomas J. Carty, Joseph Celona, Ann L. Clayton, Stanley F. Clement, Mary Kane Coombs, Clara G. Corrado, Sa-

rina G. Costa, Phyllis M. Coughlin, Albert H. Crooker, John J. Cummings, Paul J. Cummings, Margaret M. Cunniff, James F. Daly, Wesley J. Davey, Thomas S. Davie, Thomas Davies, Lilla DeMar, Eugene E. Desaulniers, Joseph P. Devaney, Elizabeth C. Devin, Ernest A. DiMattia, Joseph A. Doherty, William L. Dowling, William F. Duffy, Alice M. Dundon, Edward B. Eagar, Emma E. Ecker, Gertrude E. Ennis, Frances Farrell, John J. Farren, Frederick J. Faulstich, Joseph W. Fitzgibbons, Anne R. Fleming, Mary A. Flynn, John J. Foran, Joseph A. Gallo, Anna B. Gardner, Frank J. Gately, John Gehm, Flora M. Gerwe, Lucy Giarle, Rosemary Gibbons, Nellie M. Gilbride, Paul B. Gill, Frederick J. Gillis, Jr., Edith E. Glennon, Helen T. Glynn, Frederick G. Goodwin, Thomas J. Gordon, Earl E. Gowen, Jessie B. Greene, Marie Guercio, Frederick J. Gumbs, Antoinette E. Guzzo, Mary P. Hagan, Leo C. Haley, Edna P. Hall, Gertrude E. Hallett, Herbert C. Hambelton, James P. Hand, Raymond T. Harrington, Mary A. Hawkes, Sarah A. Hawkes, Gerald M. Hennigan, Irene F. Herlihy, Agnes A. Higgins, Raymond L. Higgins, Winnifred L. Hinds, Katherine E. Hoar, Vivian Hodge, Matthew T. Hoey, P. Francis Hogan, John M. Hogarty, Thomas E. Houston, James J. Keegan, James Kelley, James J. Kelley, James Joseph Kelley, John F. Kelliher, John J. Keohane, Mabel M. Kerwin, Henry A. Kiley.

Josephine V. Lamborghini, Kathleen M. Lamir, Lillian A. Laurano, Edward B. Leach, Lewis B. Leary, Lena Leefman, Victor J. Lemay, Frances M. Lentini, Francis P. Leonard, Gandolfa Lima, Francis J. Linehan, Primo Lorenzoni, Daniel V. Lovett, Edwin M. Luippold, Angus J. MacDonald, Marion D. Macaskill, Gertrude B. MacKay, James S. Maguire, Florence V. Mahoney, Lawrence C. Mahoney, Francis H. Maloney, Ralph E. Mann, Irene M. Maraghy, Mary E. Maxwell, Jeremiah F. McAuliffe, Mary A. McCaul, Helen F. McCauley, Alice G. McCool, Patrick McDonough, Thomas F. McDonough, Barbara T. McEachern, James J. McKiernan, Joseph M. McLaughlin, Barbara J. McLean, John E. McManus, Francis W. McPhee, James P. Meade, Henry F. Mealwitz, Genevieve L. Merritt, Peter Milano, Martin Mitchell, Charles J. Moloney, Clare E. Morgan, Harry E. Morrissey, Nicholas J. Mulcahy, Josephine A. Murray, Anna E. Nash, Eileen H. Norton, Ruth E. Noyd, Nettie M. O'Brien, Catherine E. O'Brien, Madeline B. O'Callaghan, Stephen A. O'Neill, Vivian G. Pearson, Lewis B. Peluso, Raymond J. Pemberton, Mary M. Penta, William J. Pepicelli, Ernest V. Perreault, Gladys Foster Piscopo, Charles W. Pistorino, Norman C. Plausky, Norman Raum, Francis V. Reardon, Isabel M. Reardon, Mary E. Regan, Freda Regolsky, Francis L. Renaud, Sarah E. Reth, Joseph F. Ricci, Florence C. Rider, Paul E. Roach, Helen M. Rooney, Theresa M. Russo, Dorothy E. Ryan, Vincent J. Sacca, Tomasina Santoro, Eleanor C. Scannell, Rosalie Schlosberg, Carmine A. Serino, Florence H. Sexton, Mary A. Shane, James C. Sherlock, John J. Shine, Stanley F. Sikora, Josephine Semione, Albert E. Small, Allen T. Smith, Irene R. Smith, M. Edward Spillane, Charles A. Spire, Daniel J. Sullivan, James P. Sullivan, John P. Sweeney, Robert W. Swett, Grace L. Thompson, Joseph A. Trongone, Frank S. VanWart, Andrew J. Walsh, John F. Wanders, Elvira D. Webb, Edward R. Welch, Henry J. Whalen, Ida Wingert, I. James Zyntell, Oct. 6, 1954.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the assignments and re-assignments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Carr, Lee, and Musco—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Miss Fitzgerald, and Mr. Ward—2.

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APPRENTICESHIP AND JOURNEYMAN CLASSES

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 18, 1954, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee and in accordance with the order passed at the meeting of Oct. 6, 1941 (p. 195), he has appointed the following-named persons to the Apprenticeship and Journeyman Classes for Various Trades, to take effect on the dates stated:

First Assistants — William T. Miller, Stephen T. Reilly, Oct. 2, 1954; Louis A. Van Ham, Oct. 4, 1954.

Instructors — Donald W. Blair, Charles W. Bopp, Richard A. Canty, Philip V. Dellascio, John W. Fallon, James D. Fitzgerald, Austin S. Ford, Carl E. Johanson, Jeffrey J. Keating, John A. Macquarrie, Walter L. Maguire, Edward L. Maurer, Edward J. McDonald, Paul E. Milward, Roger F. Monet, John F. Mullen, Clarence H. Myers, Stanley O. Nickerson, Joseph P. O'Connell, James F. O'Rourke, Alfred A. Osterman, Anthony L. Pistorino, George G. Rose, Rocco J. Sammartano, J. Edward Sharkey, Daniel F. Shea, James J. Sullivan, John F. Sullivan, Frederick J. Teed, Simeon W. Touchette, John E. Welch, Oct. 2, 1954; Michael J. Crowley, Silvio L. Drinkwater, Harold F. Garrett, Philip F. Garufi, Joseph Hackett, Alf J. Munnick, Gunnar Munnick, Gregory Smith, Oct. 4, 1954; Daniel J. Galvin, James M. Macintyre, Oct. 5, 1954; John W. Lewis, Oct. 7, 1954; John E. DeCoste, Jr., Joseph M. Sullivan, Oct. 16, 1954; Walter A. Roman, Oct. 18, 1954

Assistant Instructor — John R. Savarese, Oct. 2, 1954

Clerical Assistants—Katherine A. Gormley, Anne M. Shelsey, Oct. 2, 1954

Toolkeepers—Eric Hampe, Gerard S. Novicki, George A. Treantafel, Oct. 9, 1954

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Carr, Lee, and Musco—3

NAYS—0

ABSENT—Miss Fitzgerald, and Mr. Ward—2

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LEAVES OF ABSENCE

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 18, 1954, recommending that leaves of absence be granted the following-named teachers in order that they may render training service with the armed forces of the United States:

Boston Latin School—Paul J. Boylan, junior master, Oct. 18 to 29, 1954, inclusive, without loss of pay

Department of Physical Education—John W. Brennan, junior master, physical education, Oct. 18 to Nov. 1, 1954, inclusive, without loss of pay, and Nov. 2 to 12, 1954, inclusive, without pay

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the leaves of absence were granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Carr, Lee, and Musco—3

NAYS—0

ABSENT—Miss Fitzgerald, and Mr. Ward—2

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 18, 1954, recommending that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, and under a suspension of the regulations, leave of absence be granted Dr. James J. Regan, Ophthalmologist, Department of School Hygiene, without loss of pay, for three days, Sept. 20 to 22, 1954, inclusive, to attend the XVII International Congress of Ophthalmology and Otolaryngology in New York City.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the regulations were suspended and the leave of absence granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Carr, Lee, and Musco—3

NAYS—0

ABSENT—Miss Fitzgerald, and Mr. Ward—2.

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ASSIGNMENT

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 18, 1954, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has assigned the following-named teacher, as indicated, without change of rank or salary, to take effect Oct. 11, 1954, and to continue for the school year 1954-55, unless earlier terminated by the

Superintendent, with the approval of the School Committee:

High School of Commerce—Charles E. Duffy, master, to the Jamaica Plain High School.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the assignment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Carr, Lee, and Musco—3

NAYS—0

ABSENT—Miss Fitzgerald, and Mr. Ward—2.

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DESIGNATIONS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 18, 1954, reporting that he has made the following designation of a teacher, to serve in the position indicated until such time as it shall be filled otherwise, in accordance with the rules and regulations, but not beyond Aug. 31, 1955:

Jamaica Plain High School—Arthur V. Donnellan, master, as acting head of department, Sept. 1, 1954.

Placed on file.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 18, 1954, reporting that he has made the following designations of teachers, to serve in accordance with Order 6 of the Salary Schedule, to take effect Sept. 1, 1954, and to continue for the school year ending Aug. 31, 1955, unless earlier terminated by the Superintendent:

Dorchester High School—Gerard J. Deeley, master, as acting head of department.

Roxbury Memorial High School (Boys)—Fred Holmes, master, as acting head of department.

South Boston High School—Helen J. Mitchell, assistant, as acting head of department.

Placed on file.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 18, 1954, reporting that he has made the following designations of teachers to serve in charge of buildings, in accordance with Order 7 of the Salary Schedule, to take effect Sept. 1, 1954, and to continue for the school year ending Aug. 31, 1955, unless earlier terminated by the Superintendent:

Boston Technical High School—William Harrison, master, as teacher in charge of classes in annex, Theodore Roosevelt School.

Agassiz District—Josephine M. Friery, teacher, elementary, as teacher in charge of Joseph P. Manning Building; Gertrude P. Shea, teacher, elementary, as teacher in charge of elementary classes, Mary E. Curley Junior High School Building.

Blackinton-John Cheverus District—Joseph T. Casey, teacher, elementary, as teacher in charge of unit at Daniel Webster Building, Samuel Adams District.

Charles Sumner District—Isabel A. Phillips, teacher, elementary, as teacher in charge of elementary classes in the Washington Irving Junior High School.

Elihu Greenwood District—Della S. Scott, teacher, elementary, as teacher in charge of the Amos Webster School Building; Kathryn F. Doherty teacher, elementary, as teacher in charge of Elihu Greenwood School Building.

Ellis Mendell District—A. Florence Pow, teacher elementary, as teacher in charge of elementary classes in the Theodore Roosevelt School Building.

Emily A. Fifield-Gilbert Stuart District—Isabel C. Scott, teacher, elementary, as teacher in charge of the Thomas F. Leen School Building.

Harvard District—Mary T. Martin, teacher, elementary, as teacher in charge of the James A. McDonald School Building.

James A. Garfield District—Vera K. Flaherty, teacher, elementary, as teacher in charge of the Oak Square School Building.

James J. Chittick District—Mary J. Sullivan, teacher, elementary, as teacher in charge of the Lowell Mason School Building.

Longfellow District—Helena McEvoy, teacher, elementary, as teacher in charge of the Theodore Parker School Building.

Patrick F. Lyndon District—Beatrice Barish, teacher, elementary, as teacher in charge of elementary classes in the Robert Gould Shaw Junior High School Building.

Thomas Gardner District—Ellen C. Rooney, teacher, elementary, as teacher in charge of the David L. Barrett School Building; Bessie A. Lovewell, teacher, elementary, as teacher in charge of the James J. Storrow School Building.

Warren District—Irene E. Collicott, teacher, elementary, as teacher in charge of the Oliver Holden School Building.

William E. Russell District—Marion F. Hally, teacher, elementary, as teacher in charge of morning classes, Columbia Point Unit; Dorothy A. Cook, teacher, elementary, as teacher in charge of afternoon classes, Columbia Point Unit.

William Lloyd Garrison District—Mary I. Lynch, teacher, elementary, as teacher in charge of the Williams School Building.

Placed on file.

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REPORT ON MARRIED TEACHERS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 18, 1954, reporting that, in accordance with the provisions of Section 283 of the regulations, the following-named female teachers have reported that they were married on the dates indicated:

Henry L. Higginson District—Ruth M. Kamp, teacher, elementary, married Sept. 25, 1954, new name Ruth M. Connaughton.

Patrick F. Gavin Junior High School—Mildred L. Fitzgerald, teacher, junior high, married Sept. 14, 1954, new name Mildred L. Ambuhl.

Department of Home Economics—Helen J. Swaine, teacher of sewing, elementary, married Oct. 9, 1954, new name Helen J. Flood.

Placed on file.

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LEASING OF SCHOOL BUILDING, 5 GLENWAY STREET

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the School Committee, in the name of the City, lease to the Jewish War Veterans of the United States, Mattapan, Dorchester, Roxbury District Council, the school building at 5 Glenway Street, Dorchester, for a five-year period at a rental price of one dollar ($1) per year, such occupancy to be discontinued at the will of the School Committee; and the Chairman of the School Committee be and hereby is authorized in the name and behalf of the School Committee to execute said lease.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote.

YEAS—Messrs. Carr, Lee and Musco—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Miss Fitzgerald and Mr. Ward—2.

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PUBLIC SCHOOL MEMBERSHIP

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 18, 1954, submitting a statement of the number of pupils belonging in the Boston public day schools, exclusive of the Continuation School, on September 30, 1954, together with a comparative statement of the number belonging on September 30, 1953, as follows:

The total number belonging in the Boston public schools on September 30, 1954 was 90,930 which is 159 less than were enrolled in the schoools on September 30, 1953. Latin and day high schools show a decrease of 286 pupils; in grades VII, VIII, and IX there is an increase of 87 pupils; in grades I to VI, there is an increase of 366 pupils; in the kindergartens there is a decrease of 341 pupils; and in the special schools, an increase of 15.

In the Continuation School, the membership on September 30, 1954 was 46 as against 29 on September 30, 1953, an increase of 17.

An analysis of the changes in membership for 1953 and 1954 is shown by the following table:

	1953		1954	
	Inc.	Dec.	Inc.	Dec.
Latin and Day High Schools	—	156	—	286
Day Elementary and Junior High Schools:				
Grades VII to IX	—	428	87	—
Grades I to VI	467	—	366	—
Kindergartens	—	700	—	341
Special Schools	—	137	15	—
	467	1,421	468	627

1953—net decrease—954
1954—net decrease—159

GENERAL SUMMARY

	1953	1954	Inc.	Dec.
Latin and Day High Schools	18,735	18,449	—	286
Day Elementary and Junior High Schools: Grades VII to IX	15,008	15,095	87	—
Grades 1 to VI	45,641	46,007	366	—
Kindergartens	9,567	9,226	—	341
Special Schools	2,138	2,153	15	—
	91,089	90,930	468	627

SUMMARY BY SECTIONS

	1953	1954	Inc.	Dec.
Latin and Day High Schools	18,735	18,449	—	286
Junior High and Elementary Schools:				
East Boston	5,367	5,213	—	154
Charlestown	2,614	2,480	—	134
North End	774	788	14	—
West End	1,486	1,401	—	85
City Proper	2,393	2,212	—	181
South End	2,375	2,267	—	108
South Boston	5,212	5,416	204	—
Roxbury	13,016	12,802	—	214
Brighton	5,013	4,945	—	68
West Roxbury	9,678	9,692	14	—
Dorchester	18,822	19,505	683	—
Hyde Park	3,466	3,607	141	—
Special Schools	2,138	2,153	15	—
	91,089	90,930	1,071	1,230

STATEMENT BY SCHOOLS AND DISTRICTS

A—High and Latin Schools

	1953	1954	Inc.	Dec.
Boston Latin	2,450	2,509	59	—
Girls' Latin	1,283	1,356	73	—
Boston Technical High	1,394	1,507	113	—
Brighton High	1,115	1,143	28	—
Charlestown High	607	598	—	9
Dorchester High	1,349	1,027	—	322
East Boston	882	861	—	21
English High	1,270	1,303	33	—
Girls' High	1,210	1,108	—	102
High School of Commerce	253	113	—	140
Hyde Park High	1,032	1,007	—	25
Jamaica Plain High	812	790	—	22
Jeremiah E. Burke High	1,130	1,170	40	—
Roslindale High	853	867	14	—
Roxbury Memorial High (Boys)	1,044	972	—	72
Roxbury Memorial High (Girls)	1,051	1,007	—	44
South Boston High	1,000	1,111	111	—
Totals	18,735	18,449	471	757

Net Decrease—286

B—Junior High and Elementary Schools

District	1953	1954	Inc.	Dec.
East Boston				
Blackinton-John Cheverus	975	1,011	36	—
Chapman	744	723	—	21
Donald McKay	467	434	—	33
Emerson	782	760	—	22
Joseph H. Barnes	660	637	—	23
Samuel Adams	711	633	—	78
Theodore Lyman	1,028	1,015	—	13
Totals	5,367	5,213	36	190
Charlestown				
Clarence R. Edwards	703	690	—	13
Harvard	983	923	—	60
Warren	928	867	—	61
Totals	2,614	2,480	—	134
North End				
Michelangelo-Eliot-Hancock	774	788	14	—
West End				
Wendell Phillips	1,139	1,083	—	56
William Blackstone	347	318	—	29
Totals	1,486	1,401	—	85
City Proper				
Abraham Lincoln-Quincy	1,217	1,086	—	131
Prince	1,176	1,126	—	50
Totals	2,393	2,212	—	181
South End				
Dwight	1,050	994	—	56
Rice-Franklin	1,325	1,273	—	52
Totals	2,375	2,267	—	108
South Boston				
Bigelow	657	672	15	—
Hart-Gaston-Perry	1,240	1,680	440	—
John A. Andrew	1,252	1,154	—	98
Norcross	948	807	—	141
Patrick F. Gavin	1,115	1,103	—	12
Totals	5,212	5,416	455	251
Roxbury				
Dearborn	1,297	1,255	—	42
Dillaway	1,076	1,062	—	14
Dudley	593	637	44	—
Ellis Mendell	907	873	—	34
Henry L. Higginson	1,131	1,214	83	—
Hugh O'Brien	823	767	—	56
Hyde-Everett	838	795	—	43
James P. Timilty	743	702	—	41
Jefferson	669	753	84	—
Julia Ward Howe	1,193	1,146	—	147
Lewis	422	433	11	—
Martin	1,118	1,093	—	25
Sherwin	1,154	1,105	—	49
William Lloyd Garrison	1,052	967	—	85
Totals	13,016	12,802	222	436
Brighton				
Bennett	888	1,011	123	—
James A. Garfield	727	1,049	322	—
Thomas A. Edison	438	472	34	—
Thomas Gardner	686	656	—	30
Washington Allston	1,676	1,153	—	523
William Howard Taft	598	604	6	—
Totals	5,013	4,945	485	553
West Roxbury				
Agassiz	1,237	1,195	—	42
Beethoven	1,037	1,034	—	3
Charles Summer	1,346	1,315	—	31
Francis Parkman	893	895	2	—
Longfellow	1,536	1,557	21	—
Lowell	411	462	51	—
Mary E. Curley	965	963	—	2
Patrick F. Lyndon	929	918	—	11
Robert Gould Shaw	568	549	—	19
Washington Irving	756	804	48	—
Totals	9,678	9,692	122	108
Dorchester				
Christopher Gibson	962	897	—	65
Edmund P. Tileston	1,182	1,095	—	87
Edward Everett	813	771	—	42
*Emily A. Fifield-Gilbert Stuart	—	1,183	1,183	—
*Emily A. Fifield	954	—	—	954
*Gilbert Stuart	794	—	—	794
Grover Cleveland	769	897	128	—
John Marshall	1,359	1,349	—	10
John Winthrop	1,024	972	—	52
Mary Hemenway	914	780	—	134
Mather	1,278	1,256	—	22
Minot	499	707	208	—
Oliver Wendell Holmes	332	344	12	—
Patrick T. Campbell	1,131	1,081	—	50
Phillips Brooks	803	846	43	—
Robert Treat Paine	958	944	—	14
Rogert Wolcott	1,033	1,694	661	—
Solmon Lewenberg	1,156	1,206	50	—
William E. Endicott	1,168	1,123	—	45
William E. Russell	845	1,459	614	—
Woodrow Wilson	848	901	53	—
Totals	18,822	19,505	2,952	2,269

*Emily A. Fifield District combined with Gilbert Stuart District 1/18/54—except Charles Taylor School to Roger Wolcott District and Ellen H. Richards School to Minot District.

Hyde Park				
Elihu Greenwood	1,292	1,352	60	—
Henry Grew	714	758	44	—
James J. Chittick	724	732	8	—
William Barton Rogers	736	765	29	—
Totals	3,466	3,607	141	—
Grand totals, junior high and elementary schools	70,216	70,328	4,427	4,315

C—SPECIAL SCHOOLS

Boston Trade High School	1,300	1,302	2	—
Trade High School For Girls	305	320	15	—
Horace Mann School	97	103	6	—
Boston Clerical School	293	284	—	9
M. Gertrude Godvin School	143	144	1	—
Totals	2,138	2,153	24	9

Placed on file.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER

The Annual Report of the Business Manager on the cost of public school education in the City of Boston for the fiscal year 1953, being School Document No. 5, 1954 was presented.

The report of the Business Manager was accepted and was adopted as the financial report of the School Committee for the year 1953.

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IN MEMORIAM

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 18, 1954, reporting the death, on Oct. 7, 1954, of Anthony Marino, junior building custodian, East Boston High School, who had been retired under the provisions of the State-Boston Retirement System.

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The School Committee requested that a letter of condolence to be signed by the Secretary be sent to the bereaved family.

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SCHOOL MILK PROGRAM

Mr. Musco read the following statement:

The extension of the Boston School milk program has been made possible by a recent Federal grant of $1,169,000 to Massachusetts.

All school children will be able to buy milk at a lower cost, and the Boston school system will take advantage of this grant for its 91,000 students.

Instructions on carrying out this extension of the milk program has been sent to our school officials by Commissioner of Education John J. Desmond, Jr. The milk may be served during lunch, at morning or afternoon recess, or at other periods during the school day, with no restriction on the number of half-pint containers consumed by each child.

The grant to Massachusetts was made by the Commodity Credit Corporation through the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

The Commissioner of Education will also seek a further allotment of Federal funds after February 1, if allotments made to other states at the present time are not fulfilled.

I know it is the desire of the Boston School Committee to encourage the sale of more milk in our schools, so that we can increase our consumption by at least 50% in this current two year project. At present we are serving 50,000 containers daily.

Placed on file.

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The following extract from the conference notes of this date were ordered spread in full on the records of the meeting:

Mr. Musco: Mr. Chairman, we have a project here that I know all of us are interested in because an extension of the Boston school

milk program has been made possible by a recent Federal grant of $1,169,000 to Massachusetts.

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I know that it is the desire of the Boston School Committee to encourage the sale of more milk in our schools, so that we can increase our consumption by at least 50 per cent in this current two-year project.

At the present time we are serving 50,000 containers of milk daily. I would like to have the Superintendent furnish further information on this worthy school lunch milk program, so that we can keep the School Committee members advised.

Superintendent: I will be very glad to, Mr. Chairman.

Chairman: Mr. Superintendent, out of that $1,169,000 to Massachusetts, how much would we get? Does anybody know?

Superintendent: Would you know, Mr. Smith, how much we get for a subsidy on milk?

Business Manager: Under the new law, all milk sold above the base figure (which is the daily average number of cartons sold in each school during 1953-54) will have a four cents reimbursement. We will continue to receive two cents reimbursement on milk below the base figure in each school.

Chairman: How much does the half pint cost the children—a nickel?

Business Manager: Just a fraction over five cents to be paid to the milkman. On the base of last year it will be a little over three cents for the child to pay, and for the additional milk this year it will be just over one cent for the child to pay.

Mr. Musco: So the way I understand it, Mr. Chairman, is that the more milk that is consumed by the school children of Boston, the less cost, of course; and if the other cities and towns do not consume this particular allocation to Massachusetts, it means that on February 1st we can get more milk allocated in terms of dollars than the other cities or towns in the entire Commonwealth.

So I think it behooves us to advertise and to educate the children to drink as much milk as possible. At the present time, as you can see here, we are serving 50,000 containers daily. With the help of a few more cents in reimbursement from the Government — per half pint — we will be able to distribute approximately 50% more this year.

Chairman: Any objections to this being spread upon the public record?

Mr. Lee: Mr. Chairman, this is to me one of those very mixed up situations. As I understand what is happening, the Federal Government through taxes is taking perhaps $3,000,000 or $4,000,000 from us and then it is very graciously giving us back about a third of it. Maybe it is nowhere near that much — some small fraction of it — so that we can buy a little milk. In fact, we can buy a third as much as if they had not taken large sums from us for distribution to most every other State in the Union.

Is that substantially what is happening? That is, we are getting back this money that the Federal Government has extracted by taxes, and we all know that Massachusetts, as a high tax-paying State, pays out much more than what it gets back. What it pays out is distributed to the other States. Then we use the little that comes back to buy milk and then the children come and pay us a few pennies for the milk, at a cut rate, provided their parents have any pennies left to give them after they have met Federal taxes.

The milk is local milk that comes straight from the New England farms—is that what is happening?

Do we get our hands on this small refund from the Federal Government — this $1,000,000 that is coming back to us—whereby we do the buying of the milk and get it to the school buildings, and then the child comes up to us and buys it cut-rate from us?

Superintendent: That's right.

Mr. Lee: That is how it works out?

Superintendent: That's right.

Mr. Lee: Well, I suppose since they have taken the money from us there is nothing to do about it. It is one of those frauds that characterize the modern age where we could just as well spend one-third as much money, but now we have to spend it through Washington, and for the glory of having it pass through the hands of those bureaucrats we get back a third of what we gave them.

Chairman: The children get the milk, though, Mr. Lee.

Mr. Lee: If we had the $3,000,000 which is taken from us, we could buy three times as much for the youngsters as this little return they give back to us after most of our money goes to other States.

However, I suppose, since they have already taken the money, there is not much we can do about it.

—

The Committee adjourned.

Attest:

AGNES E. REYNOLDS,
Secretary.

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

Mary S. Parker, 18 Euclid avenue, Quincy, in the sum of $50, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk on Berkeley street, near Columbus avenue, November 16, 1953.

Rose Vocino, 3 Endicott court, in the sum of $395, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a broken piece of curbing at the corner of Blossom and Parkman streets, September 1, 1954.

Rose Perriello, 11 Stillman street, in the sum of $35, as compensation for collapse of hot water boiler caused when employees of the Water Division shut off the water, without proper notice, while making repairs May 26, 1954.

DETROIT SAFETY PROGRAM PAYS OFF.

Detroit produces more automobiles than any city in America. It used to produce more traffic accidents and deaths as well. Long ranked as America's most dangerous city to drive in, the Motor City has made remarkable progress in the past thirteen years under city government-business leadership. At least 1,829 people are now alive in the city as a result of the work of the Traffic Safety Association of Detroit. Most of the success is attributed to a progressive municipal traffic engineering program. Detroit claims the first police traffic squad, the first one-way streets, the first traffic signals, the first pedestrian safety zones, and the first blueprints for a municipal parking garage.—*American Municipal Association Report.*

BOSTON POLICE TRAFFIC DIVISION.

The Traffic Division embraces the area lying within the jurisdiction of Divisions 1, 2, 3, 4, and 16 as well as the traffic post at Boston University Bridge, Division 14. It is charged with the enforcement of statutes, ordinances, rules, and regulations pertaining to traffic within this area, the processing of parking violation notices for the entire department, and the providing of a safety educational program directed to the general public.

RESTAURANT SANITATION.

Although there are approximately 2,100 eating and drinking establishments in Boston, the Food Division makes a thorough sanitary inspection in each case at least four or five times during the year. Those establishments that require closer supervision are visited more frequently.

A new set of educational posters in restaurant sanitation has been prepared with the assistance of the Health Education Division and is being widely distributed.

—*Health Department Report.*

Registered Voters (Men and Women), City Election, November 3, 1953.

WARDS.	PRECINCTS.																					Totals.
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	
1	2,063	1,994	1,811	1,934	1,818	1,923	2,018	1,843	1,699	2,042	2,097	1,548	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	22,790
2	1,549	1,428	1,722	1,758	1,671	1,607	746	827	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11,308
3	1,611	1,652	1,625	1,649	1,412	1,618	1,368	1,490	1,510	1,185	1,437	1,489	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18,046
4	1,549	1,607	1,083	1,352	1,877	1,565	1,552	1,670	1,568	1,149	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14,972
5	1,763	1,094	1,664	1,256	1,787	2,007	2,280	1,648	1,650	1,273	1,231	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17,653
6	1,769	1,612	1,496	1,485	1,442	1,481	1,560	1,464	1,523	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13,832
7	1,590	1,725	1,677	1,671	1,645	1,844	1,747	1,569	1,609	1,739	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16,816
8	1,311	1,776	1,056	1,379	1,464	968	1,593	1,614	946	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12,107
9	1,358	1,649	1,508	1,794	956	1,089	1,075	521	1,293	964	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12,207
10	1,571	1,577	1,625	1,526	1,547	1,652	1,154	1,591	1,789	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14,032
11	809	728	741	712	828	940	1,143	971	957	887	1,136	817	709	1,121	691	789	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14,009
12	820	716	837	909	787	860	1,016	851	886	1,029	938	999	987	938	951	1,004	949	1,096	854	.....	.....	.....	17,427
13	778	857	1,069	979	1,060	906	793	923	682	748	771	686	926	888	948	1,027	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14,041
14	1,347	1,156	1,091	1,174	1,155	961	939	1,157	1,283	1,140	1,149	1,242	1,331	1,255	1,072	1,040	1,136	1,359	1,234	1,479	997	.....	24,997
15	1,043	976	983	897	856	902	889	900	955	951	938	1,012	818	799	959	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13,878
16	947	1,195	931	878	1,020	1,005	929	930	826	873	939	971	1,077	893	929	967	887	896	918	819	.....	.....	18,830
17	807	806	736	938	835	780	941	1,043	986	842	1,035	1,067	1,037	983	1,142	960	856	807	927	1,050	.....	.....	18,578
18	1,916	1,164	1,352	930	1,105	1,269	996	1,244	1,692	1,027	1,505	1,343	941	910	1,149	1,087	2,020	1,164	1,113	1,247	1,162	.....	26,369
19	1,053	983	888	1,090	1,140	960	943	953	798	871	1,136	1,102	1,024	792	934	1,331	1,028	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17,026
20	978	908	813	912	948	1,588	819	906	971	1,182	937	981	1,004	1,121	1,228	1,494	1,439	991	1,192	1,390	1,055	907	23,794
21	1,548	1,223	1,203	963	931	1,220	1,390	1,436	987	737	2,447	1,449	1,360	1,565	1,358	1,054	1,007	1,441	.....	.....	.....	.....	23,319
22	826	940	890	869	1,074	945	906	911	1,451	1,265	1,065	981	990	1,049	980	1,184	1,507	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17,833
Grand Total																							383,864

Number of Persons Registered Who Voted, City Election, November 3, 1953.

WARDS.	PRECINCTS.																					Totals.
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	
1	870	840	790	768	702	826	676	690	662	957	849	840	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9,470
2	626	664	774	798	740	639	378	388	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,007
3	835	942	926	866	519	629	575	610	593	414	518	608	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8,065
4	562	544	377	376	729	618	594	561	513	376	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,250
5	669	443	756	452	923	803	896	667	613	440	434	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,096
6	763	751	759	572	697	671	708	722	908	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,551
7	970	784	733	825	813	918	838	687	798	763	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8,129
8	557	712	408	688	673	430	728	769	415	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,380
9	543	588	483	573	323	333	396	193	482	337	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,251
10	789	789	819	603	788	645	373	608	850	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,264
11	319	314	282	262	267	371	502	422	402	354	488	436	310	468	299	369	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,865
12	326	271	320	337	263	263	321	327	335	320	309	332	410	429	375	498	415	446	326	.....	.....	.....	6,623
13	370	433	513	410	498	418	383	424	388	455	412	370	505	502	490	626	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,197
14	602	490	529	598	503	457	418	629	705	664	565	579	651	657	480	585	790	739	526	779	490	.....	12,436
15	489	418	428	447	387	476	498	400	441	415	436	422	370	422	433	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,482
16	427	575	495	520	541	431	487	470	368	510	519	527	475	492	424	515	467	506	493	452	.....	.....	9,694
17	410	354	344	369	407	405	459	439	450	436	523	490	391	423	550	462	448	420	491	535	.....	.....	8,806
18	904	460	623	422	434	519	492	540	677	504	637	564	341	319	481	460	971	401	345	653	540	.....	11,287
19	439	511	521	442	530	359	428	555	406	357	603	534	553	394	450	636	649	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8,367
20	459	399	409	418	445	898	461	430	455	587	549	542	491	658	476	547	712	490	642	605	546	413	11,632
21	439	407	480	354	295	439	489	288	365	311	721	500	376	492	493	420	481	440	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,790
22	312	344	319	344	415	442	441	440	534	507	493	489	541	442	444	595	749	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,851
Grand Total																							169,493

Proportion of Persons Registered Who Voted, 44.15 Per Cent

CITY OF BOSTON AND COUNTY OF SUFFOLK.

STATISTICAL FACTS FOR THE YEAR 1953

Date of incorporation	February 23, 1822
Date of adoption of present City Charter	1909
Form of Government	Mayor and City Council
Area (square miles)	47.81
Population — Federal Census (August 1, 1950)	790,863
Number of employees as of February 1, 1954	22,806
Boston Housing Authority:	
Federal Program (7,920 apartments housing 7,920 families)	
Number of apartments in veterans' permanent 1- and 2-family homes housing 1,306 families	
State-Aided Developments (containing 3,177 apartments housing 3,177 families)	
Building Department:	
Permits issued	17,515
Estimated cost	$35,771,706
Cemeteries: Number 19—Area (acres)	161.71
Election Department:	
Registered voters	383,864
Number of ballots cast last general election	169,493
Percentage of registered voters voting	44.15
Fire Department:	
Number of stations	53
Number of fireboats	2
Alarms responded to	17,204
Health Department: Health Units	10
Hospitals (Including Boston Sanatorium):	
City Hospital:	
Number of buildings	57
Bed capacity	2,460
Patients, daily average:	
Wards	1,798
Out-patient	891
Long Island Hospital:	
Number of buildings	27
Population	952
Library Department:	
Number of libraries	37
Number of employees (full time)	640
Number of volumes	2,011,358
Circulation	3,162,338
Markets, number of	2
Municipal buildings, number of	27
Park Department: Parks, number of acres	2,240.29
Area of playgrounds and play areas (acres)	807.12
Number of playgrounds and play areas	121
Number of municipal golf links	2
Number of municipal beaches	3
Public grounds and squares (acres)	57.41
Swimming pools (indoor) 2, (outdoor) 2	4
Number of recreation centers and indoor bathhouses	15
Police Department:	
Number of stations and headquarters	18
Arrests	93,294
Public Works Department:	
Bridges, number of	101
Miles of accepted streets and alleys	731
Sewers: Miles of sewers	1,302.75
Catch basins	23,972
Average number of gallons pumped daily at main pumping station	112,980,821
Sumner Traffic Tunnel: Length (feet)	5,654
Two-lane drive: Vehicles passing through — 1953	10,835,674
Water Service:	
Number of meters in service	95,653
Per capita daily average consumption (gallons)	139
Miles of mains: Ordinary	999,136
High pressure	18.72
Rapid Transit: Miles of subways and tunnels	16.81
Schools:	
Number of school buildings	224
Number of teachers	3,655
Average membership	94,774
Average daily attendance:	
Elementary and junior high schools	54,546
High schools	16,201
Kindergartens	8,151
Special schools	1,800

ASSESSED VALUATIONS CONTINUE TO RISE.

A survey of 43 assessing jurisdictions over 100,000 population, recently completed by the National Association of Assessing Officers, discloses that the latest totals of assessed valuations average 4.3 per cent higher than those for last year. Last year's survey of 46 jurisdictions showed an increase for the preceding period of 6.35 per cent. Duval County (Jacksonville), Florida, reported a 19.7 per cent increase, the highest of any jurisdiction. Other jurisdictions reporting high percentage increases in valuations were Dade County (Miami), Florida, 13.3 per cent; Providence, Rhode Island, 10.5 per cent; King County (Seattle), 10.4 per cent; Grand Rapids, Michigan, 9.3 per cent; Richmond, Virginia, 8.8 per cent; Los Angeles County, 8.5 per cent; Minneapolis and San Antonio, 6.9 per cent; and Erie, Pennsylvania, 6.7 per cent.

POLICE PENSIONS AND BENEFITS.

On December 1, 1952, there were 709 persons on the pension roll. During the year 25 died, 68 were added, leaving 752 on roll to date, 676 pensioners and 76 annuitants. Payments on account of pensions and annuities during the past year amounted to $1,377,183.62, and it is estimated that $1,717,827.71 will be required for pensions and annuities in 1954. The invested fund of the Police Charitable Fund amounted to $207,550.

MILK INSPECTION.

The people of Boston are drinking a high quality milk that is good as well as safe. Results of bacteriological examinations of samples taken of milk—pasteurized, the poorest quality of milk sold in Boston, contained an average of less than 5,000 colonies of bacteria in one cubic centimeter. This average is more than twice as good as that prescribed for Grade A milk by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and more than five times as good as the requirements of the United States Public Health Service Code. Grade A milk sold in Boston averaged about 1,000 colonies of bacteria in one cubic centimeter.

—Health Department Report.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT COMMISSION.

IN PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT COMMISSION, CITY OF BOSTON, DECEMBER 15, 1954.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Commission is of the opinion that public necessity requires the taking of a parcel of land, supposed to belong to the Dania Realty Corporation and the Flax Realty Company, in the Dorchester district for Fire Department purposes, bounded and described as follows:

Westerly by Morton street; northerly by other land of the Dania Realty Corporation and by Fuller street; easterly by land supposed to belong to Agostino Dovidio *et al.*; and southerly by land supposed to belong to Edith Horblitt; substantially as shown on a plan on file in the office of this Commission; that it intends to pass an order to make said taking; and that it appoints 10 o'clock A.M., of Wednesday, January 12, 1955, and the office of this Commission, 401 City Hall Annex, as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

GEORGE G. HYLAND, *Chairman*,
HERMAN CARP,
WM. ARTHUR REILLY,
Public Improvement Commission.

A true copy of an order passed by said Commission on said day.

Attest:

MICHAEL J. CORRAO,
Secretary.

(Jan. 1.)

PAROCHIAL SCHOOL HEALTH PROGRAM.

This is the first full year the Pure Tone Audiometer has been used in the parochial schools. Before starting its use, the entire staff was given intensive training in the use of the audiometer. The nurse in the school makes all the preparations and helps with the children when the testing is done, but it has been found advisable to have one nurse, who is responsible and specially trained, to do the actual testing. All children in the third grades and also those children referred by the teachers from other grades were tested.

—*Health Department Report.*

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JOSHUA H. JONES, *Editor.*

LEGAL NOTICE.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

MUNICIPAL COURT OF THE SOUTH BOSTON DISTRICT.

Order relative to disposition of old and obsolete papers and records in the Municipal Court of the South Boston District:

Ordered, In accordance with the Rules of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, adopted and promulgated on the twenty-fourth day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-six in pursuance of chapter 221, section 27 of the General Laws as amended by chapter 150 of the Acts of 1946:

The Clerk of said Municipal Court of the South Boston District is hereby authorized to destroy or cause to be destroyed any old and obsolete papers described in the aforesaid named rules, and in accordance with the regulations set forth in the said rules.

LEO H. LEARY,
Justice,
Municipal Court of the South Boston District.
(Dec. 18-25-Jan. 1.)

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING.

CITY OF BOSTON.

REAL PROPERTY BOARD,
ROOM 809, CITY HALL ANNEX.

IN REAL PROPERTY BOARD OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, ROOM 809, CITY HALL ANNEX, December 23, 1954.

Ordered, That due notice he given that this Board is of the opinion that public necessity requires the taking of a parcel of land on the southerly side of Belden street and the westerly side of Belden square, Dorchester district, also a second parcel on the northerly side of Belden street, extending through to the southerly side of Wendover street, with a right of way over Phillips place to Dudley street, Dorchester district, containing approximately 26,000 square feet, for off-street parking purposes, substantially as shown on a plan on file in the office of this Board; that it intends to pass an order to make said taking; and that it appoints 11 o'clock A.M. of Monday, January 17, 1955, and the Public Hearing Rooms of the Public Improvement Commission of the City of Boston, 401 City Hall Annex, as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

REAL PROPERTY BOARD,
HERMAN CARP, *Chairman,*
WILLIAM F. KEESLER,
DAVID L. CURRIER,
THOMAS F. MCDONOUGH,
GEORGE P. DONOVAN.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on this date.

Attest:
JOSEPH B. BURKE,
Executive Secretary.
(Jan. 1.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

REAL PROPERTY BOARD
PROPERTY DIVISION.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

JANUARY 11, 1955, ON THE PREMISES.

	Upset Price.	Deposit.
9.30 A.M.—Vacant land, Buttonwood Street, west side, adjacent 124 Buttonwood Street, South Boston, 10,000 square feet	$600	$500
9.45 A.M.—Vacant land, Bloomington Street, Lot A, adjacent 20 Bloomington Street, Dorchester, 2,992 square feet	150	150
10.00 A.M.—Vacant land, Coffey Street, Lot 5, adjacent 20 Coffey Street, Dorchester, 5,525 square feet	100	100
10.15 A.M.—Vacant land, Argyle Street, east side, adjacent 502 Talbot Avenue, Dorchester, 1,233 square feet	150	150
10.30 A.M.—Vacant land, Groveland Street, Lot 61, adjacent 76 Groveland Street, Dorchester, 3,700 square feet	200	200
10.45 A.M.—Vacant land, Greenfield Street, Lots 101 and 102, 50 feet from Greenfield on Sefton Street, Mattapan, 4,200 square feet	200	200
11.00 A.M.—Vacant land, Wilmot Street, Lot 21, corner Navarre Street, Roslindale, 4,293 square feet	200	200
11.15 A.M.—Vacant land, Lot D-1, Metropolitan Avenue, corner Burley Street, Roslindale, 3,605 square feet	100	100
11.30 A.M.—Vacant land, Lot 12, North Avenue, and Lots 10 and 11, Wright Road, corner North Avenue and Wright Road, West Roxbury, 11,880 square feet	300	300
11.45 A.M.—Vacant land, Lot 28, northeast side, Willow Street, adjacent 117 Willow Street, West Roxbury, 5,122 square feet	300	300
12 NOON—Vacant land, Catherine Street, northerly side, corner Meyer Street, Jamaica Plain, 2,500 square feet	200	200
12.15 P.M.—Vacant land, 3 Wheaton Square, adjacent 1 Wheaton Square, Jamaica Plain, 848 square feet	100	100

The Chairman reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

For further information call L A 3-5100, line 236.

HERMAN CARP, *Chairman.* JOHN J. MCGRATH, *Auctioneer.*
(Jan. 1.)

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING.

CITY OF BOSTON.

REAL PROPERTY BOARD,
ROOM 809, CITY HALL ANNEX.

IN REAL PROPERTY BOARD OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, ROOM 809, CITY HALL ANNEX, December 23, 1954.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that public necessity requires the taking of a parcel of land on the northerly side of Winthrop street, Hyde Park district, between Hyde Park avenue and Harvard avenue, containing approximately 24,000 square feet, for off-street parking purposes, substantially as shown on a plan on file in the office of this Board; that it intends to pass an order to make said taking; and that it appoints 11 o'clock A.M. of Monday, January 17, 1955, and the Public Hearing Rooms of the Public Improvement Commission of the City of Boston, 401 City Hall Annex, as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

REAL PROPERTY BOARD,
HERMAN CARP, *Chairman,*
WILLIAM F. KEESLER,
DAVID L. CURRIER,
THOMAS F. MCDONOUGH,
GEORGE P. DONOVAN.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on this date.

Attest:
JOSEPH B. BURKE,
Executive Secretary.
(Jan. 1.)

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING.

CITY OF BOSTON.

REAL PROPERTY BOARD,
ROOM 809, CITY HALL ANNEX.

IN REAL PROPERTY BOARD OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, ROOM 809, CITY HALL ANNEX, December 23, 1954.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that public necessity requires the taking of a parcel of land on the westerly side of River street, Dorchester district, with a right of way extending through to Blue Hill avenue, containing approximately 27,300 square feet, for off-street parking purposes, substantially as shown on a plan on file in the office of this Board; that it intends to pass an order to make said taking; and that it appoints 11 o'clock A.M. of Monday, January 17, 1955, and the Public Hearing Rooms of the Public Improvement Commission of the City of Boston, 401 City Hall Annex, as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

REAL PROPERTY BOARD,
HERMAN CARP, *Chairman,*
WILLIAM F. KEESLER,
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GEORGE P. DONOVAN.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on this date.

Attest:
JOSEPH B. BURKE,
Executive Secretary.
(Jan. 1.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR BOOKMOBILE SERVICE.

The Trustees of the Public Library of the City of Boston, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invite sealed proposals for bookmobile service for the period commencing June 1, 1955, and extending to March 31, 1956, with mutual covenants to execute renewal contracts for the following periods: April 1, 1956, to March 31, 1957, and April 1, 1957, to March 31, 1958, respectively, provided there is available to the Awarding Authority an unencumbered appropriation sufficient for the renewal contract for each one of the aforespecified periods.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Tuesday, January 18, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals shall be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Business Office of the Public Library of the City of Boston, Central Library, Copley square, Boston, Mass. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, and enclosed in a sealed envelope, plainly marked with the name of the bidder and the description of the work bid upon. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of the proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a certificate of deposit issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of twelve hundred dollars ($1,200), shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked. Bid bonds will not be accepted.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

Specifications for the work may be obtained on and after Tuesday, January 4, 1955, at the Business Office of the Boston Public Library, Copley square, Boston, Mass. Plans of a bookmobile may be seen at the same office.

A performance bond, issued by a surety company satisfactory to the Awarding Authority, in the full amount of the contract will be required of the successful bidder.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

THE TRUSTEES OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY OF THE CITY OF BOSTON,

by JOHN J. CONNOLLY,
Assistant to the Director, and Chief Executive Officer.
(Jan. 1.)

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MAYOR JOHN B. HYNES FORECASTS AIMS AND ACHIEVEMENTS HOPED FOR IN 1955—DELIVERS ANNUAL ADDRESS TO CITY COUNCIL, DEPARTMENT HEADS, AND GUESTS IN COUNCIL CHAMBER—WOULD REASSESS ENTIRE CITY BY SCIENTIFIC REVALUATION AND EQUALIZATION OF PROPERTY VALUES BUT ONLY AFTER NEW FORM OF REVENUE IS PROVIDED TO LOWER PRESENT HIGH TAX RATE—WILL SEEK $5,000,000 FOR REPAIRS TO CITY PROPERTY—POINTS WITH PRIDE TO ACHIEVEMENT ALREADY ACCOMPLISHED IN CUTTING COSTS AND MAKING FOR ECONOMY AND EFFICIENCY.

The following is the annual message of his Honor the Mayor, John B. Hynes, to the Boston City Council on January 3:

To the City Council.

GENTLEMEN:

Another year in the long history of our city has passed into the shadows of time. However posterity may judge our efforts and our accomplishments during the year 1954, I believe it must be recorded that we have, according to our lights and within our capabilities, performed our duties, and accepted our responsibilities in keeping with the faith reposed in us by our fellow citizens.

This New Year we have entered will not be without its problems, for government on any level is never static. New problems constantly arise to confront us; old, deep-rooted problems, which have no quick or easy solution, remain to extend us to the fullest if answers to those problems are to be reached. I am sure we will meet those problems head on, with a spirit of determination at least as great as that which characterized our efforts during the past year.

1955's First Page

Today, we begin to write the first pages in the book of our city government for the year 1955. Because of the paucity of materials at hand, and because of circumstances beyond our control, we cannot, try though we may, make each chapter in that book invigorating and refreshing. If, however, by our joint efforts, and within our prescribed powers, we can make brighter and more encouraging those chapters in the book of 1955 which, heretofore, have been dull and dismal reading, we shall have done our duty well.

In this annual message, let me first discuss those difficult and challenging factors which have defied our best efforts in the past;

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SUBSTANTIAL IMPROVEMENTS NOTED IN MANY AREAS OF PUBLIC HEALTH BY COMMISSIONER JOHN H. CAULEY—GAINS IN FIGHT AGAINST TUBERCULOSIS, INFANT DEATHS, HEART DISEASE, AND CANCER—DEATHS BY ACCIDENT JUMP TO FOURTH IN CASUALTY LIST—459 LOST LIVES NEEDLESSLY.

The summary of public health statistics for 1954 released by Health Commissioner John H. Cauley revealed substantial improvements in many areas of the public health. Gains were made in the fight against tuberculosis, infant deaths were reduced, the communicable diseases were insignificant, and fewer deaths were attributed to heart disease and cancer. Accidental deaths, however, continued to increase and they remain the fourth leading cause of death in the city. "Four hundred and fifty-nine Bostonians" said Doctor Cauley, "lost their lives needlessly this past year. Accidental deaths are always preventable deaths but the cooperation of every individual is needed if we are to make substantial improvements.

"The usual public health preventive methods cannot be employed," he said. "There is no way to immunize children or adults against accidents as we can to prevent smallpox, nor can we wipe out accidental deaths by improving sanitation as in the case of milk or water-borne diseases—and, unfortunately, the accidental death total reveals only a minor part of the problem. It does not show the many nonfatal accidents which result in crippling incapacitation, and loss of employment, frequently of a permanent nature. May I urge the citizens of our city to make a New Year's resolution to help in every way

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BOSTON IN AGREEMENT WITH M.T.A. TO KEEP OVER 12 MILES OF TRACKAGE CLEAR OF WINTER SNOWS—PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT COMMISSIONER AND ROAD MAKE AGREEMENT, WITH APPROVAL OF MAYOR.

Boston is plowing approximately 12 miles of public streets to keep the snow removed from streetcar tracks during the winter. This was made known in a letter to Mayor Hynes asking for approval of the agreement reached between Public Works Commissioner George G. Hyland and the M.T.A. The letter announcing the agreement reads as follows:

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, December 23, 1954.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

At the present time, this department is plowing approximately 12½ miles of public streets in which streetcar tracks are located. The following schedule contains a list of said streets and the mileage involved:

	Linear Feet.	Linear Miles.
Tremont street, Broadway to Roxbury Crossing	10,000	1.89
Columbus avenue, Egleston square to Walnut avenue	2,200	.42
Columbus avenue, Egleston square to Roxbury Crossing	5,800	1.09
South street, Forest Hills to Centre street	3,400	.64
Centre street, South street to South Huntington avenue	3,700	.70

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"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the shipteeming plain of the ocean;
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, January 10, at 2 P.M.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the officials directly in charge. The failure of such official to make reply within a reasonable length of time should be brought to the attention of the Mayor. Communications should be directed as follows:

TO THE PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT COMMISSION, Room 403, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways, the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments of streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped area for streets and the opening of private ways; the making of specific repairs in public streets; the naming of public streets including the use of public ways for location of conduits, poles, and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railways, coal holes, and vaults.

TO THE BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION, 112 Southampton street, for information relative to regulation of vehicular street traffic on all or any streets, ways, highways, roads, and parkways under the control of the City of Boston, the issuing of all permits in connection therewith.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting, and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catchbasins, the operation of Sumner Tunnel, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges, and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Haymarket Square, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish, and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughterhouses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases, of public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth Avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park, and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts, also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview, and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

TO THE COMPLAINTS DEPARTMENT, 25 City Hall, for complaints concerning any matters in which the citizens of Boston may be interested that need correction or investigation.

TO THE DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS, 28 Norman street, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

TO THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, ROOM 907, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal, or tearing down buildings.

TO THE ELECTRICAL INSPECTION DIVISION OF THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT, 1001 City Hall Annex, for all information relative to the erection of poles, building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division; also for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings of the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

TO THE BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT, 43 City Hall, relative to changes in the boundary lines of zoning districts of the City of Boston as established by chapter 488 of the Acts of 1924, and amendments thereto.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending January 1, 1955.

Population as of July, 1950, Massachusetts State Census, 817,713; population estimated July, 1954, United States Census Bureau, 810,633; number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 206; nonresidents, 73; total, 279.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 18.01; nonresidents deducted, 13.06.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:

Last week, 14.86; corresponding week last year, 18.08.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 22, one year to four years, inclusive, 1; sixty years and over, 17 . Total deaths: Male, 154; female, 125; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 191.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Jan. 1, 1955.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Jan. 2, 1954.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior Poliomyelitis	—	—	7	—
Diphtheria	1	—	—	—
Encephalitis Lethargica	—	—	—	—
Influenza	—	—	—	—
Measles	173	—	—	—
Meningitis Epidemic	1	—	1	—
Pneumonia (lobar)	—	—	—	2
Scarlet Fever	29	—	—	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary)	24	3	14	5
Childhood Type Tuberculosis	—	—	7	—
Tuberculosis (other forms)	3	1	—	—
Typhoid Fever	—	—	—	—
Whooping Cough	17	—	5	—

* Residents and nonresidents included.

MAYOR HYNES DELIVERS ANNUAL MESSAGE TO CITY COUNCIL—OUTLINES AIMS FOR COMING YEAR.

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and then let me discuss those encouraging factors which give us reason to look to the future with confidence.

That part of our picture which is not so bright is now, as it has been for some years, an abnormally high tax rate. This is the result of a combination of circumstances so ingrained and longstanding that only by extraordinary measures or remedies can they be corrected.

Narrowing Tax Base.

These circumstances include archaic valuation and assessment practices which stem from the necessity of maintaining the giant structure of the city government on an ever-narrowing tax base. The burden of sustaining that tax base rests, with varying weight, upon the shoulders of those who own real estate in our city. A thorough, city-wide equalization of real property values should be made, but should be held in abeyance until such time as a new source of income is available to the city. To do otherwise would merely shift the present heavy tax burden to those least able to assume it.

A complete, scientific revaluation and equalization of property values would serve the further objective of reducing to the vanishing point the annoyances, the aggravations, and all the other disturbing, time-consuming, temper-fraying incidents which have become part and parcel of the present outmoded system of placing valuations on taxable properties. Unless our assessing system, which has been chaotic for a period of 30 years, or more, is revised from the ground up, the flow of petitions for tax abatements will increase rather than lessen. To install a new system of assessing procedures will require the cooperation of your Body. I hope I can rely on such cooperation.

The loss of taxable valuations has reached alarming proportions. Extensive public improvements, the expansion of educational, charitable, or religious real estate holdings, together with a relatively small amount of new taxable construction, has narrowed the already narrow tax potential to the point where one third of all properties in our city are tax exempt. Lest this statement be misunderstood, let me emphatically declare that Boston is pleased, rather than displeased, at the growth of religious, educational, or charitable institutions, and pleased, also, at the extent of public improvements in our city.

Shrinking Tax Base.

The shrinking tax base is not because of tax-exempt holdings. It is because there has not been, in our city, in recent years, enough new taxable construction to compensate for the amount of tax-exempt construction. As long as this situation continues, and no new income source is available, we shall continue to have a tax rate which is a barrier to progress, and a deterrent to new business or industrial construction, now the main source of income to our city.

If the answer to our high tax rate, and all that flows from it, were a sizable, sensible reduction in municipal expenditures, it would be our bounden duty to effect those economies. But the answer to our high tax rate is not that simple. To arrive at a tax rate of $50 or $55 per 1,000 rather than the present rate of $69.80 would mean reducing city expenses by over $20,000,000. Obviously, any such reduction would, of necessity, involve hardship to employees, and deep slashes in the amounts provided for health and hospital services; for fire and police protection, and for other essential and vital municipal services. Clearly, the answer to our financial problem is not in arbitrary, unwise, or forced economies. This does not mean, however, that we should not continue to seek out greater economies in municipal operations wherever those economies can reasonably and sensibly be made, but we know, as a practical matter, that the eventual answer to our tax rate enigma is either a broadening of the tax base, or the inclusion of Boston in a metropolitan form of government. This latter possibility, though on the way, is still remote. It would appear, therefore, that a broadening of our tax base, with a resultant decrease in the tax rate, is the quickest medium through which Boston can share in the growth and progress of a growing and progressive community and nation.

Other factors which cause flickering shadows to cross the pages of 1955 are the upward turn in disbursements for general welfare relief and relief to veterans. From present indications, medical care grants to welfare recipients, which include payments to apothecaries, doctors, and nursing homes, will be $700,000 greater in 1955 than in 1954. This increase is by legislative edict over which we have no control. The number of cases on general relief has risen from 3,400 to 3,800, which will mean an increase of about $300,000 in the appropriations for this year. In the Veterans' Services Department, $80,000 additional must be provided in 1955 to meet a 6½ per cent increase in family budgets ordered by the State Department of Veterans' Services. An additional $20,000 must also be provided in this department for an increase in the number of recipients. On the whole, the appropriations for general welfare relief and for veterans' relief in 1955 will exceed those of 1954 by $1,100,000. The obligation of our city to provide this type of relief is a primary one. We must and we shall meet it. Only by an upward turn in the economic cycle can we hope for any betterment in the present relief picture.

Pension Demands.

The contributions we must provide in 1955 for noncontributory pensions will be about $4,250,000 or $600,000 in excess of the amount provided in 1954 for the same purpose. This large increase for this type of expenditure would be most disturbing were it not for the fact that the work of the retired employees, in many cases, can be spread among other employees, thus saving a considerable amount in the personnel appropriations for positions left unfilled.

The condition of the over-all city plant is a cause for concern. In an effort to keep maintenance appropriations at a minimum, insufficient money has been provided over recent years for major and semi-major plant repairs. We have now reached the stage when substantial sums must be made available for such repairs. In order that these sums may be provided without a resounding impact upon the tax rate of this year or next year, we are asking the legislature to permit the city to borrow for this purpose. I am hopeful that your Body will give this proposed legislation unanimous support.

Akin to this problem is the necessity of replacing worn-out equipment in almost every city department

with new and modern equipment. Old equipment is expensive to maintain and operate, but its replacement cost is far too great to include in the budget of any one year. For this reason, and for the reason too, that we intend to invest in considerably more street cleaning and snow fighting equipment, and other heavy equipment which we now utilize on a rental basis, I shall present to your Body during the present year a loan appropriation for equipment of various kinds for various city departments.

What to do with our refuse and garbage is an ever-pressing problem. It might well be termed our No. 1 housekeeping headache. We must begin, without further delay, to construct incinerators to take the place of open land dumps, which are fast disappearing. The construction of several well placed, modern incinerators in our city is of compelling necessity. On this point, there can be no doubt. Deferring such construction until sites are found which will engender no opposition whatsoever will mean that construction would never begin. There will always be some objectors to an incinerator on any site, even though it is admitted that a modern type, attractively built incinerator is relatively smokeless, completely odorless, and in no sense a nuisance as compared with land dumps.

INCINERATOR PROBLEM.

The designation and approval of sites for incinerators is our public responsibility as officials of this city government. I am sure that once we have given approval to a site and an incinerator is constructed and put into operation, whatever opposition there might have been to that incinerator will completely disappear. This has been the experience of other cities and I believe it will be the experience in our city. And now may I turn to matters of brighter hue.

The construction of the new central artery is proceeding rapidly. Already that section coming from the north to the mouth of the Sumner Tunnel is completed. Already its advantages are apparent. It is now possible to travel one mile over the central artery in two minutes, as compared to the fifteen to forty minutes it formerly took to traverse the same distance over our traffic-clogged streets. When the central artery is fully completed, it will tremendously accelerate traffic movement in and out of our city and should, we are extremely hopeful, encourage building improvements and new construction along and in the vicinity of its route.

Undoubtedly, easy and quick access to the heart of downtown Boston will increase the demand for parking facilities, and these facilities must be provided if we are to take full advantage of new and long-planned traffic improvements in our city. The municipal government has the primary duty of providing additional parking facilities. We welcome, however, and will encourage private enterprise to join with the city government in an effort to create some 10,000 or 12,000 new off-street parking spaces estimated to be needed in the downtown area. The city government has already embarked on an ambitious program which aims for the construction of about 5,000 spaces for off-street parking and these spaces should be available during the next year and a half. The city has no desire, however, to monopolize the parking business in our city. It would be pleasing to us if private enterprise would show greater interest and a more adventurous spirit in a business which promises to be a lucrative one for many years to come.

I am happy to again commend the Boston City Council for the affirmative action taken in the matter of slum clearance for urban redevelopment in that part of our city commonly referred to as the New York Streets Area.

Ideally situated for the establishment of plants for light industry and manufacturing, I am confident that your approval of this, our first venture into urban redevelopment, will turn out to be the turning point in the physical life of our city.

Cities grow old. Blight and decay, hardly discernible at first, can eat away a section of our city and travel at a rapid pace, unless we take heroic measures to stem the tide. Boston is an old city. A casual walk on the fringes of the downtown area is proof positive that age is taking its toll of once attractive and prosperous areas. Through the interest and activity of local rehabilitation committees, working in harmony with city officials, we have begun to stay the dead hand of decay in some sections of our city.

SLUM CLEARANCE.

A new law makes it possible, for the first time, to stimulate and accelerate our efforts by broadly defining slum clearance, rehabilitation, or conservation, or any combination of these, to be within the terms of the Federal Renewal Act. However, where there are entire sections of a city not redeemable or salvageable, the only possible and only realistic means of renewing those sections is through the medium of clearance and redevelopment on a large scale.

Therefore, and in short, three methods are open to us to improve the physical appearance of our city: by local rehabilitation activities, by taking advantage of the new Federal Renewal Law, and by urban redevelopment on a major scale. Moving forward in these three directions will make Boston a better place to live in, to work in, and in which to do business. During the course of the year, I shall request your whole-hearted support in this three-pronged endeavor to improve our city.

The program of the President of the United States for nation-wide improvements to our highway system is still in the preliminary stage. This is a long-range program calling for the expenditure of $50,000,000,000, $3,000,000,000 of which will be devoted to urban improvements. We have already made known what Boston would like to receive under such a program. Our tentative plan calls for appropriations from the Federal Government of about $150,000,000, the major portion of which would be for the dismantling of the M.T.A. elevated structure and the substitution of a subway therefor. We have no present means of knowing if we will receive approval of all or any part of our program, but I am sure you will agree with me that if $50,000,000,000 is to be spent for highway improvements in the United States our request is a very modest one.

As you are aware, the Boston & Albany Railroad Company is going to move its yards from Exeter street and Huntington avenue. This will leave a 28-acre site in a very desirable section of our city for development. Pending in a committee of the Legislature is a proposal which will make it possible for the development of this site in such a manner that short-range and long-range benefits will accrue to our city. It would be the shame of our generation, in my opinion, if this large site were cut up into minuscule portions to be used for a variety of purposes, none of which nor all of which together, would improve the general area of the Back Bay and the city itself. A modern development of this site would have much to

do with reversing the trend of decentralized shopping. It would revitalize a neighborhood which needs to be exhilarated.

ADD TO TAXES.

It would bring into our city government more taxes than we have ever received from the railroad company. Like all progressive moves, there is opposition to any plan which gives protection to those who are willing to risk many millions of dollars in a venture of this sort. In my judgment, this opposition is shortsighted, for anything which benefits our city in one particular section or in one particular way will also benefit the whole city. I respectfully appeal to the members of the City Council and all my fellow citizens to give support to the legislative proposal when the hearings on it are held early this year. If ever Boston had a chance to turn the corner and look down the broad highway of a better future, this is that opportunity.

Another possibility which can result in a more prosperous and progressive city is the organization of a world trade center in our city. Boston has one of the finest ports in the world. It is redundant for me to state that it is not being used to its full advantage. For years, sporadic efforts have been made to revive the port, but only recently have the kind of improvements been completed which make it possible for Boston to compete with other eastern ports. There is, currently, intense interest in the creation of a new organization, called the World Trade Center, which will bring together every interested group in the city to pledge and to lend concerted support to the rebuilding of the business of our port.

Boston, nearer to North European ports, nearer to South American ports than some of our rival cities, is in good position to go after business, to get business, and to revivify our port. The city of New Orleans has benefited in myriad ways from the World Trade Center which it organized some 10 years ago. The new business which has come to New Orleans has spread prosperity throughout every segment of the population of that city. We can do the same in Boston. I look forward to the early organization of the World Trade Center and the contributions it can make to the general prosperity of our city and the whole community in the years to come.

The sale of homes built by the City of Boston for veterans of World War II is taking place as required by law. To date, we have sold 200 houses to veteran purchasers. Seventy-one dwellings are now in the process of being sold. During 1955, we shall sell the balance of the 504 single or double houses, and we shall also proceed to the sale of the five multiple-dwelling projects which have a total of 315 units.

The average cost of the construction of the houses which have been sold was $22,000, as against an average selling price of $15,000. The houses sold have now been placed on the tax rolls and will, hereafter, be assessable as any other residence in the city. This year, the houses which have been sold will represent $1,448,000 in taxable valuations.

DEPARTMENT REORGANIZATION.

The reorganization of city departments and the general streamlining of the city government has begun to bear fruit. New methods of operation can now be instituted and economies can now be made which were impossible before the reorganization. Fewer employees are now on the payrolls of the city and their number will further decrease as deaths and retirements take place. The internal reorganization of the Fire Department, which we are content will result in better and more efficient operation, will mean savings of approximately $500,000 yearly. This is an example of what can be accomplished by reorganization and by instituting efficient management procedures.

The new Department of Administrative Services is proving to be the heart and core of the whole reorganization plan. Through the authority reposed in this department, more efficient practices are being adopted in various city departments. I am immensely pleased, and I know you are, that this new department, under the able direction of Charles J. Fox, is meeting with our expectations and has come to be the generating force, the guiding hand that inspires and leads our various departments to better and more economical management.

The City Hospital, which now and again is a target for criticism, is making rapid strides in the field of improved hospital service. The improvements already instituted and in operation, and those contemplated, are so numerous that they must await a later date for recounting. Merely let me state, at this time, that there is no city hospital in our country which is better staffed or better equipped to give the very best of care to its patients than the Boston City Hospital. The reorganization has brought under one head the Main Hospital, the Boston Sanatorium, and the Long Island Hospital. Within a short time, and under the most energetic supervision of the new superintendent, Dr. John F. Conlin, I am quite certain that our hospital services and facilities will be acclaimed, by every recognized expert, as equal to or better than any in our country.

The gross funded debt situation in our city continues to improve. This is not accidental. It has been done in order that the credit of our municipality might be sound, and in order that we might go into the financial market on even terms with other borrowers. In the year just passed our gross funded debt has been reduced by $2,000,000. Over the past five years this debt has been lowered by $12,000,000. This is an accomplishment which strengthens our financial structure.

M.T.A. BURDEN.

For many years the increase in deficits of the M.T.A. has been a very burdensome factor in our tax rate. This year, on the basis of figures for the first 11 months of 1954, it would appear that that part of the deficit which must be borne by the City of Boston will be $1,000,000 less than last year. Although this decrease in the M.T.A. deficit has been made possible by an increase in passenger fares, nevertheless it is a welcome relief from the pattern of recent years. However, despite this reduction in the M.T.A. deficit, the charges assessed on Boston for this mass transportation facility will represent, this year, approximately $4 on the tax rate.

On an occasion such as this there is a temptation to discuss every city activity. I shall not do so, although I must make passing and brief mention of our new Division of Complaints which is meeting, very capably, a very obvious need and which I recommend to you, gentlemen, as a referral agency on matters which come to your attention and which require follow-up and report.

Let me conclude this talk by expressing my appreciation of your continued devotion to the task

which confronts you, both as individuals and collectively. Your position in the city government is not exactly an enviable one. Your authority and your power, under the City Charter, are limited, and yet, you are expected on many sides to do things which are beyond your jurisdiction. Whether your power and your authority should be broadened and extended is not for me to pass upon. I do hope, however, and confidently, that in those fields where you have sole jurisdiction, or concurrent jurisdiction with me, that we may see eye to eye, and work hand in hand. In doing so, we keep faith with our fellow citizens; we contribute toward a better City of Boston of the future.

In my judgment our city has made gratifying progress during the past 12 months. Our goal must be to continue that progress in the months ahead.

MAYOR AND P.W.D. COMMISSIONER IN AGREEMENT WITH M.T.A. ON SNOW REMOVAL.

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South Huntington avenue, Centre street to Huntington avenue....	1,500	85
Huntington avenue, South Huntington avenue to Tremont street	2,100	40
Cambridge street, Union square to Washington street....	3,900	71
Washington street, Cambridge street to Tremont street).	5,000	95
Tremont street, Washington street to Newton line.....	2,000	38
Brighton avenue, Commonwealth avenue to Union square...	3,500	66
Blue Hill avenue, Seaver street to Mattapan square....	13,800	2 61
Washington street, Egleston square to Forest Hills..	7,000	1 33
		12.66

For many years we have had an agreement with the M.T.A. and the former Boston Elevated Railway, whereby certain streets would be plowed or cleared of snow under a cooperative agreement. Under the provisions of statute law, the M.T.A. is required to clear snow from their track area only. However, it would be most impractical for the M.T.A. to plow and clear snow from their track areas and leave the rest of the roadway areas to be cleared of snow and plowed by the Public Works Department. Therefore, as stated, we have had a long-standing agreement with both the M.T.A. and the Boston Elevated Railway, whereby we would plow and remove snow from certain streets, and they would furnish certain units of equipment to assist in the plowing and removal work.

I discussed this matter with Mr. Dana of the M.T.A. very recently, and we came to an agreement, whereby the M.T.A. will lease to the City of Boston, for $1 annually, four 1947 FWD heavy-duty snowplows, with the understanding that the Public Works Department will continue to plow the above-listed streets in which streetcar tracks are located, for a period of 10 successive years or for a lesser period, if the tracks are removed, and that at the end of the lesser period or at the end of the 10-year period, the City of Boston will automatically become the owner of the four pieces of equipment referred to above. These units are used not only for heavy-duty plowing, but also for sanding and salting operations. This agreement, in my opinion, is very equitable and beneficial both to the M.T.A. and the City of Boston.

I respectfully request, therefore, your approval to the entering into of an agreement with the Metropolitan Transit Authority, based on the above-referenced provisions; and with the further understanding that the agreement will be prepared to the mutual satisfaction of the Corporation Counsel of the City of Boston and the General Counsel of the Metropolitan Transit Authority.

Respectfully yours,

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

PUBLIC HEALTH OF BOSTON IMPROVES.

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to cut down the awful, mounting toll from accidents wherever they occur,—in the home, in industry, or in the automobile."

ENCOURAGING PICTURE.

A more encouraging picture which has been made possible by active public cooperation is the situation in tuberculosis. For the eighth consecutive year, the death rate has decreased to achieve the lowest death rate from pulmonary tuberculosis ever to be recorded in Boston. In 1954, 203 pulmonary tuberculosis deaths occurred, with a resulting rate of 24.9 — a 60 per cent reduction from the rate of 60.7 per 100,000 population of eight years ago. Credit for the remarkable improvement must be shared by the public who have taken advantage of the Boston Health Department's active case-finding X-ray program, the Tuberculosis Association, and, above all, the improved medical techniques and treatment which makes it possible to restore the patients to normal life more quickly than ever before.

Infant deaths were also materially reduced in 1954, with only 345 deaths reported as contrasted with 375 in 1953. Estimates of resident births give a total of 14,820, slightly under that of 1953 but still reflecting the high birth rate of the last decade. In spite of the thousands of births occurring each year, maternal mortality continues to be very low, with only 10 deaths reported during the year.

The communicable diseases have been so well controlled in recent years that, although cases continue to occur, deaths are rare. For example, 1954 was a year of high measles incidence, with 5,500 cases, a sharp contrast with the 127 cases reported in 1953. In spite of this tremendous increase, no deaths occurred in either year. The year 1954 also saw an increase in the number of polio cases from 39 in 1953 to 114 in 1954, but in spite of the large increases in incidence only one death occurred. In addition to measles, no deaths at all were attributed to scarlet fever, typhoid fever, or whooping cough. Six cases of diphtheria were reported with one death.

"Although the picture for communicable disease is extremely favorable," said Doctor Cauley, "may I remind parents that it is only made possible by careful observation of good immunization practices. Children should be protected against diphtheria, whooping cough, tetanus, and smallpox well before their first birthday and their immunity retained by 'booster doses' at intervals throughout childhood. It is only maintenance of immunization at a high level that makes it possible to control deaths from communicable disease."

The year 1954 also saw improvement in sanitation, with many plans initiated which hold promise of permanent correction for certain problem areas. The Mayor's program for rehabilitation and restoration of certain areas of Boston will do much to eliminate trouble spots. Within the Health Department, sani-

STATISTICAL SUMMARY IN BOSTON 1950 1954.*

YEAR.	Population.	Deaths.	Death Rate.	Births.	Birth Rate.
1954	813,696	9,146	11.2	14,820	18.2
1953	810,633	9,262	11.4	16,114	19.9
1952	807,570	9,337	11.6	15,255	18.9
1951	804,507	9,617	12.0	15,322	19.0
1950	790,863	9,250	11.7	16,179	20.5

YEAR.	Infant Deaths Under One Year.	Infant Death Rate Per 1,000 Live Births.	Maternal Deaths.	Maternal Death Rate.
1954	345	23.3	10	0.7
1953	375	23.3	5	0.3
1952	428	28.1	7	0.5
1951	404	26.4	7	0.5
1950	412	25.5	15	0.9

DEATHS OF BOSTON RESIDENTS DUE TO REPORTABLE DISEASES.

	1954	1953	1952	1951	1950
Anterior Polio	1	0	1	1	2
Diphtheria	1	1	1	6	7
Pulmonary TB	203	210	270	297	329
Typhoid Fever	0	0	0	0	0
Whooping Cough	0	0	0	2	2
Scarlet Fever	0	0	1	0	0

* All statistics allocated for residence — 1954 estimated.

tation activities in housing and food are being consolidated, with environmental sanitation inspectors caring for all types of sanitation problems in a given district.

Environmental cleanliness in a city as old and congested as Boston always presents problems, but much progress has been made and the city, as a whole, is clean and tidy.

STREET WIDENING AND CONSTRUCTION.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the widening and construction of Public Alley No. 908, Boston Proper district, on the southeasterly side at the bend approximately 100 feet northerly of Marlborough street, named, bounded and described as follows:

The Public Alley No. 908 is hereby widened on the southerly side at the bend approximately 80 feet north of Marlborough street, and ordered constructed. For the making of the aforesaid improvement an easement for street purposes is hereby taken in the following described land, exclusive of trees, shrubs or structures standing upon or affixed thereto.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Henry H. and Virginia N. Davis, bounded:

Westerly by the easterly line of said alley, 20.68 feet; northerly by the southerly line of said alley, 20.68 feet; and easterly by the easterly line of said alley, 34.56 feet on a curve of 25 feet radius, containing 85 square feet, more or less.

Trees, shrubs or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforedescribed land, shall be removed therefrom within thirty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Said Public Alley No. 908 as hereby widened is bounded:

Westerly by the easterly line of said alley as it existed prior to this order, 20.68 feet; northerly by the southerly line of said alley as it existed prior to this order, 20.68 feet; and easterly by the easterly line of said alley as hereby widened, 34.56 feet on a curve of 25 feet radius, containing 85 square feet, more or less.

No betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Voted, That this commission determines that the undermentioned persons sustain damages in their estates by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the widening and construction of Public Alley No. 908, Boston Proper district, on the southerly side at the bend approximately 80 feet north of Marlborough street, under the order of the commission of December 9, 1954, in the amount hereinafter mentioned and awards said amount therefor.

Henry H. and Virginia N. Davis, 85 square feet, $1.

TUNNEL TRAFFIC IN MAY.

In the month of May, 1,031,226 vehicles used the Sumner Tunnel. This is the first time in the history of the tunnel that in excess of 1,000,000 vehicles used the facility in any one month.

In May of 1953, 979,920 vehicles went through the tunnel, or 51,306 less than May of this year.

COASTING ALLOWED ON CERTAIN CITY STREETS BY PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT COMMISSION, UNDER POLICE SUPERVISION.

The following communication has been received in this office from the Public Improvement Commission:

"*Voted,* That until otherwise ordered by this commission, coasting be allowed during the winter seasons, not later than sunset, under such restrictions as the Police Department may deem proper to impose, in the following-named streets, excluding sidewalks:

POLICE DIVISION 3.

Allen, Brighton, Poplar, Parkman, North Anderson, Hale streets.

POLICE DIVISION 6.

Silver street, between Dorchester and F streets; East Third street, between N and P streets; East Fifth street, between I and K streets; West Fifth street, between Dorchester and F streets.

POLICE DIVISION 7.

Bayswater street, from Barnes avenue to Thurston street; Breed street, from Gladstone street to Ashley street; Byron street, from railroad bridge to Coleridge street; Cottage street, from Webster street to Marginal street; Glendon street, from East Eagle street to Condor street; Homer street, from Byron street to Moore street.

POLICE DIVISION 9.

Laurel, Belden, Fountain, Marshfield, Dewey, Hazelwood, Wyoming, Fairland, Dunreath, Hulbert, Holborn, Robin Hood, Rochdale, Moreland streets; Whiting street, between Warren and Winthrop streets; Devon street, easterly from Blue Hill avenue; Julian street, easterly from Rand street; Randall street, between Albany and Fellows streets; Schuyler street, between Maple street and Blue Hill avenue; Bainbridge street, between Paulding and Dale streets; Wendover street, from Dudley street to dead end, excluding arm leading to Humphreys street.

POLICE DIVISION 10.

Fulda, Gay Head, Haskins, Hillside, Norfolk, Minden streets; Chestnut avenue, Lambert avenue, between Logan and Bartlett streets; Highland street, between Fort avenue and Cedar street; Thornton street, northerly from Ellis street to Oakland street; and that coasting warning signs be posted at the junction of Valentine and Ellis streets.

POLICE DIVISION 11.

Avondale, Bailey, Dix, Denny, Richfield, Sumner streets; Wrentham street, from Bruce street to Florida street; Alpha road, Vinson street, between Park and Marlowe streets; Ocean street, between Welles avenue and Ashmont street; Greenbrier street, between Park and Bloomfield streets; Buttonwood street, between Grafton street and Crescent avenue; Templeton street, easterly from Dorchester avenue to Florida street; Everdean street, northerly from Blanche street to Freeport street; Kenwood street, easterly from Washington street; Longfellow street; Hillsdale street, from Richview street northwesterly to land of the City of Boston; Medway street, from Huntoon street to Ventura street; Elmer road, from Fossdale road to Adams street; Belton street, from Milton street to 629 Gallivan Boulevard; St. Gregory street, between Dorchester avenue and Washington street, not later than 6 o'clock P.M.; Oakton avenue, downgrade in the direction of Plain street; Tilesboro street; Woodworth street, from Redfield street to Walnut street; Lithgow street, between Talbot avenue and Wainwright street.

POLICE DIVISION 13.

Cornwall street; Spring Park avenue, between Enfield street and Chestnut avenue; Tower street; Woodlawn street, to Hyde Park avenue; Wachusett street, from Patten street to Eldridge road.

POLICE DIVISION 14.

Newton, Union, Hobart, Saunders, Dustin, Ridgemont, Mansfield streets; Blenford road; Burton street, between Washington street and Hunnewell avenue.

POLICE DIVISION 17.

Glenellen road, Glendower road, Howitt road, Montclair avenue, Maxfield, Ridge streets; Westbourne street, from Beech street to West Roxbury Parkway; Stratford street, from Bellevue Hill road to Pelton street; Burt street, between Durnell avenue and Albano street; Avalon road, from Weld street toward the Newton boundary line; Chilton road, from Weld street toward the Newton boundary line; Farquhar street; Coniston road, from Walter street to Selwyn street; Dwinell street, between Corey and Lyall streets; Fairview street, from Primrose street to the Arboretum gate; Russett road, from Weld street to the Brookline boundary line; Mendelssohn street; Tennyson street, between La Grange and Bellevue streets; Bellevue street, between Robin street and Martin street; Winton street; Wren street, from Robin street below Martin street; Leland road, from Brookline boundary line to Hackensack road.

POLICE DIVISION 18.

Child street; Metropolitan avenue, from Burley street to Dale street; Neponset avenue, Charles street to Roxana street; Tacoma street, from Wood avenue to Bradlee street; Lexington avenue, southerly from Westminster street; Maple street, between Oak and Walnut streets; Laval street, from Arlington street to Jefferson street.

POLICE DIVISION 19.

Wales street, between Harvard and Nightingale streets; Fairmount street, from Milton avenue to near Gallivan Boulevard; Spencer street, between Athelwold and Park streets; Wilmington avenue, from Milton avenue to Gallivan Boulevard; Westmore road, from top of hill at about Gilmer street to Deering road; West Tremlett street; Cedar street, between Manchester street and River street.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING JANUARY 4.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Mary Desmond	14 and 16 Allen street.	19	Alterations, dwelling	$600
Harvey Lofton.	55 Bainbridge street	12	Alterations, dwelling	1,965
Women's City Club, Boston.	40 Beacon street.	5	Alterations, clubhouse.	500
M. Winer Foundation	25 Belden street.	7	Take-down, dwelling	500
M. Winer Foundation	27 Belden street.	7	Take-down, dwelling.	500
M. Winer Foundation	29 Belden street.	7	Take-down, dwelling.	500
Charles Ross	45 Bowdoin street.	3	Alterations, lodging house.	200
W. Weisberg	8 Bulfinch street	3	Fire repairs, lodging house	750
New England Theatres Corp.	543 Columbia road	13	Sign, theaters, store, office	500
New England Theatres Corp.	568½ Columbia road	13	Sign, theater, store, office	350
Thomas Goodkin	221 Corey street.	20	Alterations, dwelling	365
Modern Blue Print	51 Cornhill	3	Alterations, office.	375
Charles Von Euw	8 Courtney road.	20	Alterations, garage	150
Charles Miller	30 Covington street.	7	Alterations, dwelling	740
Allied Tires	421-425 Dorchester avenue.	7	Sign, industrial.	650
Nate Rasking	2258A Dorchester avenue.	17	Sign, store.	600
Elm Farm Foods	246 Dorchester street.	7	Alterations, store	450
B. O'Brien	265 and 267 Dorchester street	7	Alterations, tavern, dwelling.	650
Alfred Dailey	628 East Fourth street	6	Sign, show room.	825
Peter and Ida Maclett	43 Essex street.	5	Alterations, dwelling.	75
Federal Building Trust	24 Federal street	3	Alterations, offices.	600
Federal Street Trust	24 Federal street	3	Alterations, offices.	200
Y. Langone	14 Fendale avenue.	17	Alterations, dwelling.	500
Chester Sasso	208 Friend street	3	Alterations, dwelling, tavern.	200
Patrick Turner	12 Friendship road	18	Alterations, dwelling.	250
John P. Doherty	38 Greaton road.	20	Alterations, dwelling.	100
Christine Bunopane	342A Hanover street	3	Sign, store, dwelling	100
Eva Amodeo	363 Hanover street	3	Sign, store, dwelling	150
Toras Moshe	113 Harold street.	12	Fire repairs, synagogue.	675
Eleanor Ivas	71 Harvard street	14	Alterations, dwelling.	130
J. McLean	89 Hobart street	22	Alterations, dwelling.	675
Joseph Ramuda.	1119 Hyde Park avenue.	18	Alterations, dwelling.	160
Sarah Green	7 Kensington street.	11	Fire repairs, dwelling	375
Fred Suck.	268 Lamartine street.	19	Alterations, dwelling.	380
Edward Games	100 Landseer street.	20	Alterations, garage	120
Henry Ward	16 Marcy road	18	Alterations, dwelling.	100
Cobb Lumber Company	195 Medford street	2	Take-down, storage.	400
Revere Sugar Company	333 Medford street	2	Alterations, manufacturing.	1,000
John Reardon	25 Moultrie street	17	Fire repairs, dwelling.	450
Mary McWhinnie	51 Neptune road	1	Alterations, dwelling	900
Channing Management Corp.	430 Parker street.	4	Alterations, garage	350
Harold Hickey	9 Pierce avenue	16	Alterations, dwelling.	100
Santo Nascarella	124 Pleasant street	15	Alterations, dwelling.	800
Alonzo Plukeman	10 St. Margaret street	7	Alterations, dwelling.	200
Huntington Building, Inc.	18 St. Stephen street.	4	Take-down, store, lodging house	600
Huntington Building, Inc.	20 St. Stephen street.	4	Take-down, lodging house.	600
Supreme Public Market	68 Salem street.	3	Sign, store.	250
M. Avery	16 Shafter street	14	Alterations, dwelling.	288
A. C. Lawrence Leather	161-171-173 South street	3	Alterations, office.	2,800
Bolton Market	19 South Market street	3	Alterations, storage.	800
Daisy Miller	30 Spring street	3	Alterations, fire repairs, store, dwelling.	125
Motor Mart	241 Stuart street	5	Alterations, garage	400
Alvin Cohen	42 Union street	3	Alterations, store, storage.	400
Charles Hudson	75 Union street.	22	Fire repairs, dwelling.	150
American Theatres	326 Washington street	22	Sign, theater, stores.	250
Max Gopin	657 Washington street	3	Sign, restaurant, tavern, office	600
Arthur Harris	2978 Washington street	11	Alterations, dwelling	900
Max Klubock	6 Windermere road.	13	Alterations, hospital	250
P. J. O'Donnell	3 Winter street.	15	Alterations, dwelling.	300

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM PLUMBING FOR THE WEEK ENDING JANUARY 4.

Plumber.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
C. Bevelander	14 Alcott street	22	Fixtures	$100
J. Sullivan	600 Atlantic avenue	3	Fixtures	2,500
L. Marchant	202 Boylston street	5	Fixtures	100
William Baker	581 Cambridge street	21	Fixtures	100
L. Downey	798 Centre street	19	Fixtures	500
G. Patey	1005 Centre street	19	Fixtures	1,200
G. Trethewey	1463 Centre street	20	Fixtures	250
J. Devlin	680 Columbus avenue	9	Fixtures	3,500
E. Kelly	75 Eastwood Circuit.	20	Fixtures	700
A. Grogan	2 and 3 Eliot place	9	Fixtures	400
P. Russo	503 La Grange street	20	Fixtures	650
H. Ribeck	28 Long avenue	21	Fixtures	500
R. Kirby	8 Marlborough street	5	Fixtures	1,000
C. Rose	75 North Beacon street	21	Fixtures	100
S. Fox	152 North Beacon street.	21	Fixtures	90
F. Losordo	123 Summer street	18	Fixtures	300
F. Losordo	126 Summer street	18	Fixtures	300
F. Losordo	130 Summer street	18	Fixtures	300
F. Losordo	127 Summer street	18	Fixtures	300
F. Losordo	131 Summer street	18	Fixtures	300
C. Bevelander	59 Temple place	3	Fixtures	100
William Long	11 Tyndale street	20	Fixtures	375
H. Caras	3895 Washington street	19	Fixtures	350

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees:

Fire Department.

William J. Mahoney, 29 Dickinson road, Brighton, district chief, has been retired at $4,440 a year.

James W. McQuaide, 2 Parker Hill terrace, Roxbury, aide to medical examiner, has been retired at $2,906.67 a year.

Henry P. Doherty, 67 Radcliffe street, Dorchester, ladderman, has been retired at $2,773.33 a year.

Hospital Department.

Main Division.

For the week ending December 21, 1934:

The following permanent employee has been appointed:

Melvin F. Proctor, 6 Stafford street, Roxbury, hospital laundry worker, $43 a week.

The following provisional employees have been appointed:

William H. Jordan, 394 Riverway, Georgette A. Slattery, 26 Annunciation road, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; Frederick Matta, 7 Savoy street, hospital laundry worker, $43 a week.

The following weekly nurses have been appointed:

Permanent.—Emma Foster, 7 Roberts street, Somerville, floor nurse, $1.70 an hour; Doris Jacques, 710 Massachusetts avenue, floor nurse, $63 a week; Joyce Sybrant, 4648 Washington street, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour.

Temporary.—Jane Stoelzel, 202 Columbia road, Dorchester, floor nurse, $1.60 an hour.

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Ether Bandlow, 5 Reddy avenue, Hyde Park, 1 day; Priscilla Beckwith, 686 Massachusetts avenue, 7 days; Lillian Blackburn, 18 Parkvale street, Allston, 4 days; Carrie Coleman, 360 Thacker street, Milton, Norma Dean, 696 Massachusetts avenue, 7 days; Eva Durgin, 14 Hardwick road, Quincy, Elizabeth Donlan, 21 Ferndale street, Dorchester, 2 days; Patricia Daily, 6 days; Christine Finn, 230 Commonwealth avenue, 7 days; Jeanne Gerety, 4 days; Helen Hagenberger, 207 Park Drive, 6 days; Doris Holland, 24 Chestnut road, West Roxbury, 2 days; Mary B. Helly, 163 East Cottage street, Dorchester, 1 day; Margaret Leonard, 7 Speedwell street, Dorchester, 6 days; Claire McLeod, 379 Washington street, Islington, 1 day; Mary R. Mahan, 29 Kempton street, 2 days; Mary Murphy, 37 Hamden Circle, Wollaston, 4 days; Thelma Miles, 9 Albemarle Chambers, 7 days; Phyllis Nigri, 271 Dartmouth street, 5 days; Helen Nauss, 46 West Newton street, 1 day; Dora Picarsky, 31 Edison Green, Dorchester, 8 days; Ann Romsey, 146 Massachusetts avenue, 4 days; Verna Snow, 75 Damon avenue, Melrose, 1 day; Margaret M. Sullivan, 28 Weymouth street, Holbrook, Eleanor Shalatt, 43 East Springfield street, 3 days; Mabel Steed, 223A Walnut avenue, Roxbury, Marie Allen, 51 Cherry street, Malden, Glenness Calhoun, 2 Avondale street, Dorchester, Martha Castillo, 17 Henshaw street, Brighton, Patricia Doucette, 352 Athens street,

South Boston, Veronica McElligott, 34 Dickenson street, Somerville, Anna Murphy, 115 Peterborough street, Alyce N. Powers, 67 Prospect avenue, Wollaston, Bernice Stanley, 25 Beacon street, Hyde Park, Mabel Smith, Kathryn Welch, 49 East Springfield street, 1 day.

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—Patricia Camirand, 41 Falmouth street, Ruth V. Ikssokson, 58 Cheney street, Roxbury, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour.

Temporary.—Barbara Blake, 27 Blakeville street, Dorchester, Louise Burns, 44 Concord avenue, Milton, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour; Dorothy Gulbankian, 21 Mt. Ida road, Dorchester, Charlotte Kelleher, 48 Waverly street, Roxbury, Jane Stoelzel, 833 Beacon street, floor nurses, $1.60 an hour; Catherine A. Powers, 29 West Eagle street, East Boston, floor nurse, $1.65 an hour; Mary T. Murphy, 3 Jess street, West Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

The following resignations have been approved:

Thomas Donovan, M.D., resident surgeon; Wolf Sapirstein, M.D., resident physician; Mary F. Murdock, registered graduate nurse, part time; Eileen Donovan, clerk and typist; Eileen F. Stewart, intermittent relief telephone operator; Anna Gallagher, hospital medical worker; Leo Lennon, hospital medical worker, provisional; Mary Driscoll, hospital laundry worker.

Long Island Division.

The following employees have been appointed:

Thomas Athridge, hospital kitchen worker, temporary; Anna V. Murphy, clerk-stenographer, provisional; William J. Prendergast, hospital house worker, temporary; Patrick A. Sullivan, hospital kitchen worker, temporary; Margaret M. Tierney, telephone operator.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

MUNICIPAL COURT, SOUTH BOSTON DISTRICT.

Mary H. Sullivan has been appointed as senior clerk in the Probation Department at $137.03 semimonthly.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following appointments:

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Mary Higgins, 44 Faunce road, Mattapan, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Patrick D. McGrath, 25 Cambridge street, clerk, $50.50 a week.

Marie H. Peters, 309 Emerson street, South Boston, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Anne M. Goshue, 6 Spaulding street, Dorchester, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Helen T. Ney, 26 Brown avenue, Roslindale, clerk and typist, $45.50 a week.

Eileen F. Gettleman, 69 Millet street, Dorchester, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Eileen MacEachern, 3 Oakley street, Dorchester, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

Joseph C. Levangie, 586 Tremont street, hospital medical worker.

Charles T. Stoddard, 108 Regent street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker.

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING JANUARY 4.

GAS FITTER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Francis Carr	4 Champney place	5	Connecting range	$12
Francis Carr	57 Myrtle street	3	Connecting range	12
Francis Carr	47 Joy street	5	Connecting range	12
Francis Carr	8 Brimmer street	5	Connecting range	12
Francis Carr	47 Garden street	5	Connecting range	12
Francis Carr	16 Bulfinch street	3	Connecting heater	25
Francis Carr	15 Cleveland street	3	Connecting range	12
Francis Carr	2 Thatcher street	18	Connecting range	25
Francis Carr	6 Leverett street	3	Connecting range	15
Francis Carr	18 Lynde street	3	Connecting range	12
Francis Carr	18 Garden street	5	Connecting range	12
Francis Carr	25 Cleveland place	3	Connecting range	15
Francis Carr	36 West Cedar street	5	Connecting range	12
George Trethewey	60 Westover street	20	Connecting heater	250
George Trethewey	180 Corey street	20	Connecting heater	320
John Greer	1915 Washington street	9	Connecting coffee maker	55
Anthony Granara	11 Chambers street	3	Connecting pipe	25
J. Honvitz	47 Dewey street	13	Connecting range	250
J. Honvitz	237 Everett street	5	Connecting range	250
George Thethewey	53 Bradfield avenue	20	Connecting heater	75
Henry Beaulieu	9 Arcola street	10	Connecting range	15
E. Kelly	31 Aldrich street	20	Connecting range	45
E. Kelly	3 Capital street	20	Connecting range	35
C. Lang	18 Capital street	29	Connecting heater	10
P. Gulesian	65 Davison street	18	Connecting range	150
S. Stephens	207 E street	6	Connecting range	35
L. Greenwood	8 Gore street	10	Connecting range	45
L. Luxton	14 Harlow street	13	Connecting range	35
A. Onessima	20 Henchman street	3	Connecting range	135
P. Gulesian	3 Holmfield avenue	18	Connecting range	150
P. Gulesian	18 Irving street	18	Connecting range	50
Wm. Connell	24 Gallivan Boulevard	16	Connecting range	35
O. Weider	35 Lonsdale street	16	Connecting range	40
P. Gulesian	47 Maple street	19	Connecting range	300
B. Capone	27 Newcomb street	8	Connecting range	35
C. Lang	250 Park street	20	Connecting range	35
C. Lang	40 Searle road	20	Connecting heater	10
C. Lang	200 Spring street	20	Connecting range	15
P. Gulesian	14 Stanbro street	18	Connecting heater	200
E. Kelly	175 Temple street	20	Connecting range	35
P. Sparco	15 Walden street	10	Connecting range	35
P. Gulesain	137 Washington street	19	Connecting range	200
C. Lang	532 Weld street	20	Connecting range	15
E. Murphy	66 Adams street	15	Connecting range	60
S. Clayman	967 Blue Hill avenue	14	Connecting cooker	15
G. Trethewey	53 Bradfield avenue	20	Connecting range	35
G. Trethewey	1463 Centre street	20	Connecting heater	255
D. Greenwood	2136 Centre street	20	Connecting heater	50
Wm. Awad	33 Easton street	22	Connecting heater	35
N. Clark	16 Hall street	11	Connecting range	400
Wm. Awad	734 Huntington avenue	10	Connecting range	35
S. Wolf	172 M street	7	Connecting heater	35
G. Vallati	6 Maple park	16	Connecting heater	200
A. Granara	1 Mechanic street	3	Connecting range	30
S. Kushnir	1279 River street	18	Connecting range	55
Wm. Awad	45 Strathmore road	21	Connecting heater	40
M. Kushnir	19 Stuart street	3	Connecting range	65
H. Cutler	71 Symphony road	4	Connecting range	30
W. Cheesman	175 Walworth street	20	Connecting range	49
N. Clark	3466 Washington street	11	Connecting range	400
N. Clark	61 Wellsmere road	20	Connecting range	45
N. Clark	325 West Third street	6	Connecting range	40
G. Sanders	600 Atlantic avenue	3	Connecting range	35
N. Clark	55 Devon street	14	Connecting range	35
N. Deutsch	8 Emmons street	1	Connecting range	30
N. Deutsch	76 Eutaw street	1	Connecting range	35
N. Clark	166 Fairmount street	17	Connecting range	45
A. Stahly	211 Hancock street	15	Connecting range	35
D. Palmariello	Hanover street	3	Connecting heater	350
N. Deutsch	284 Meridian street	1	Connecting range	50
N. Clark	100 Pearl street	2	Connecting range	400
N. Deutsch	81 Princeton street	1	Connecting range	50
N. Deutsch	285 Princeton street	1	Connecting range	50
N. Deutsch	869 Saratoga street	1	Connecting range	50
A. Stahly	12 Sargent street	13	Connecting range	15
A. Stahly	106 Templeton street	16	Connecting range	60
A. Stahly	10 Treadway road	15	Connecting range	10
N. Clark	92 Warrenton street	3	Connecting range	40
N. Deutsch	29 Wordsworth street	1	Connecting range	25

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM BOILER WORK

FOR THE MONTH ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1954.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Dr. A. Brown	104 Chestnut street	5	Heater	$275
A. Driscoll	15 Stockton street	17	Heater	100
Trade Composition Co	15 Hathaway street	3	Heater	300
Zallen's Restaurant	1924 Beacon street	21	Heater	1,000
Old Timers Cafe	28 Bunker Hill street	2	Oven	10
William P. Sliney	1 Hallet street	16	Heater	100
Mr. Hutchings	238 Savin Hill avenue	13	Heater	935
Louis Freeman	119 Tyler street	3	Heater	750
Gaetona Camarda	1152 Washington street	17	Heater	100
Mrs. Coppola	31 North Munroe terrace	16	Heater	700
H. Sieber	110 Norway street	4	Heater	300
George Jordon	26 Boylston street	19	Heater	400
Edith Robinson	1 Dean Way	6	Heater	340
Meghiola Construction Co	26 Navarre street	18	Heater	65
South Boston Yacht Club	1849 Wm. J. Day Boulevard	6	Heater	700
South Boston Yacht Club	1849 Wm. J. Day Boulevard	6	Heater	1,500
Stony Brook Village Corp	6 Daniel court	18	Heater	600
Stony Brook Village Corp	32 Dietz road	18	Heater	600
Stony Brook Village Corp	20 Dietz road	18	Heater	600
Stony Brook Village Corp	41 Dietz road	18	Heater	600
Stony Brook Village Corp	29 Dietz road	18	Heater	600
Stony Brook Village Corp	39 Kardon road	18	Heater	600
Stony Brook Village Corp	34 Kardon road	18	Heater	600
Stony Brook Village Corp	14 Susanna court	18	Heater	600
Stony Brook Village Corp	2 Susanna court	18	Heater	600
Stony Brook Village Corp	14 Alcott street	18	Heater	600
J. McQuarrie	1476 Centre street	20	Heater	600
Garland School	407 Commonwealth avenue	5	Heater	2,100
Blackpoint Corporation	14 Otis place	3	Heater	2,500
James Needham	Metropolitan avenue	18	Heater	300
Lodge Construction Co	5 Derry road	18	Heater	300

TAX ABATEMENT DECISIONS RENDERED BY THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS FOR THE WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 10.

LEGEND.

* Appellate Tax Board Settlement. ¶ Illegal assessment. ‖ Chapter 59–5.
† Appellate Tax Board Decision. § Duplicate assessment. = Chapter 58–8.
‡ Overvaluation Settlement by Board of Assessors.

Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Marli Realty Trust	125 Park Drive	5—1951	$6,594.00	$628.00	*
Marli Realty Trust	131 Park Drive	5—1951	6,594.00	628.00	*
Middlebury Land Co.	1345–1355 Boylston st.	5—1951	8,792.00	2,512.00	*
Rothwell, James M., et al	101 Massachusetts av.	5—1951	6,280.00	628.00	*
The Noyes Corporation	313 Congress st.	6—1951	10,048.00	1,570.00	*
Prudential Ins. Co.	764–770 Dudley st.	7—1951	8,540.80	2,260.80	*
Rubin, Anna G.	1108 Blue Hill av.	14—1951	3,454.00	314.00	*
Adams, Winthrop C., et al	6 Beaufort rd.	19—1951	14,130.00	1,570.00	*
Bentley, George W., Jr.	186–190 State st.	3—1952	2,004.00	334.00	*
Bentley, George W., Jr.	192–194 State st.	3—1952	1,803.60	334.00	*
Boston Bldg. Corp.	39–43 Tremont st.	3—1952	30,728.00	10,688.00	*
Cataldo, Giacomo, et al	117 Chambers st.	3—1952	534.40	33.40	*
Ladd, Katherine F.	283 Washington st.	3—1952	43,693.88	18,683.88	*
Levine, Benjamin D., et al	231 Harrison av.	3—1952	4,676.00	2,338.00	*
Behr, Esther	489–491 Tremont st.	5—1952	601.20	100.20	*
Berman, Walter, Trustee	131 Park Drive	5—1952	7,014.00	668.00	*
Berman, Walter, Trustee	125 Park Drive	5—1952	7,014.00	668.00	*
Crist, Virginia G.	2 Mt. Vernon sq.	5—1952	734.80	66.80	*
Gianetto, Guiseppe	9 Grove st.	5—1952	534.00	80.16	*
Gould, David J.	41 Garden st.	5—1952	1,002.00	133.60	*
Middlebury Land Co.	1345–1355 Boylston st.	5—1952	9,352.00	2,672.00	*
Rosen, Max, et ux	84 West Cedar st	5—1952	768.20	133.60	*
Rothwell, James M., et al	101–107 Massachusetts av.	5—1952	6,680.00	668.00	*
Town Bridge Club	109 Commonwealth av.	5—1952	2,004.00	467.60	*
The Noyes Corporation	313 Congress st.	6—1952	10,688.00	1,670.00	*
Prudential Ins. Co.	764–770 Dudley st.	7—1952	9,084.80	2,404.80	*
Cohen, Bessie	33 Kingsdale st.	14—1952	601.20	66.80	*
Crocker, Dora	31–35 Irma st.	14—1952	868.40	66.80	*
Feldman, Issac	56 Callender st.	14—1952	968.60	33.40	*
Greenblatt, Ellen	16 Nightingale st.	14—1952	534.40	33.40	*
Rosenburg, Louis, et al	870 Blue Hill av.	14—1952	2,605.20	267.20	*
Rubin, Anna G.	1108 Blue Hill av.	14—1952	3,674.00	334.00	*
Trachtenberg, Sarah D.	232 Harvard st.	14—1952	567.80	33.40	*
Fagan, Edith M.	58 Lathgow st.	17—1952	534.40	66.80	*
Gordon, Maurice	124 Sutherland rd.	21—1952	1,803.60	200.40	*
Gordon, Maurice	120 Lanark rd.	21—1952	1,803.60	200.40	*
Gordon, Maurice	30 Kinross rd.	21—1952	1,803.60	200.40	*
Gordon, Maurice	34 Kinross rd.	21—1952	1,803.60	200.40	*
Gordon, Maurice	130 Sutherland rd.	21—1952	2,471.60	133.60	*
Gordon, Maurice	100 Lanark rd.	21—1952	1,803.60	200.40	*
Gordon, Maurice	110 Lanark rd.	21—1952	1,803.60	200.40	*
Gordon, Maurice	116 Sutherland rd.	21—1952	2,538.40	200.40	*
Gordon, Maurice	120 Sutherland rd	21—1952	1,903.80	200.40	*
Jobel Realty Corp.	20 Colborne rd.	21—1952	4,074.80	334.00	*
Jobel Realty Corp.	24 Colborne rd.	21—1952	4,342.00	334.00	*
Jobel Realty Corp.	28 Colborne rd.	21—1952	4,342.00	334.00	*
Kertzman, Louis, et al	15 Radnor rd	22—1952	567.80	46.76	*
Bentley, George W., Jr.	186–190 State st.	3—1953	1,979.60	212.10	*
Bentley, George W., Jr.	192–194 State st.	3—1953	1,767.50	212.10	*

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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John F. Tangney, 539 Washington street, Brighton, hospital medical worker.

Long Island Division.

Thomas F. Barry, 231 Commercial street, East Braintree, laundry manager, $68 a week.

Marguerite C. Cochran, 180 Stimson street, West Roxbury, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Imogene N. Powell, 36 Sussex street, matron, $43 a week.

Emma I. Mahoney, 526 Centre street, Jamaica Plain, matron, $43 a week.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

House of Correction

Bartholomew L. McKeon, 15 Weeks avenue, Roslindale, correction officer, $63 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Sanitary Division.

Angelo Vozzella, 536 Hyde Park avenue, Roslindale, blacksmith, $60.50 a week.

Pellegrino C. Vozzella, 2 Meehan place, Jamaica Plain, blacksmith, $60.50 a week.

VETERANS' SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Cyril M. Lydon, 30 Kenwood street, Dorchester, physician general, $94 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following changes in status:

BOSTON RETIREMENT BOARD.

Joseph J. Grifone, 434 Meridian street, East Boston, from senior accounting machine operator at $55.50 a week to senior account clerk at $55.50 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Charles W. North, 120 West Concord street, from hospital medical worker at $50.50 a week to hospital house worker at $50.50 a week.

Main Division.

Gertrude Pinckney, 49 Harbor View street, Dorchester, from hospital medical worker at $50.50 a week to hospital house worker at $50.50 a week.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Helen T. Hallisey, 18 Charme avenue, Roslindale, from clerk and stenographer at $50.50 a week to senior clerk and stenographer (temporary) at $55.50 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Dorothy M. Curran, 35 Glendale street, Dorchester, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior clerk and typist at $55.50 a week.

Barbara A. Sullivan, 14 Johnson street, West Roxbury, from clerk and stenographer at $48 a week to senior clerk and typist at $55.50 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Automotive Division.

John B. Moran, 62 Birchwood street, West Roxbury, from motor equipment repairman at $68 a week to working foreman-motor equipment repairman (temporary) at $70.50 a week.

Highway Division.

John J. Doherty, 62 Wyman street, Jamaica Plain, from highway construction inspector at $80 a week to chief construction inspector (temporary) at $103.50 a week.

Sanitary Division.

James M. Fleming, 8 Springer street, South Boston, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week to motor equipment operator and laborer at $65.50 a week.

Sewer Division.

John M. Belyea, 120 Blake street, Mattapan, from tide gate repairman at $73 a week to sewer construction inspector at $76.50 a week.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

Property Division.

George C. Hallisey, 10 Lila road, Jamaica Plain, from assistant civil engineer at $108.25 a week to senior civil engineer (temporary) at $113 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following promotions:

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Building Division.

James P. Molloy, 8 Marie street, Dorchester, from head clerk at $98.75 a week to head administrative clerk at $103.50 a week.

Dennis J. Keohane, 111 Perham street, West Roxbury, from chief building inspector at $108.25 a week to head of construction and safety inspections division at $122.50 a week.

Frank J. Coughlin, 65 Horace street, East Boston, from head administrative clerk at $512.21 a month to executive secretary at $532.88 a month.

Edward P. Lang, 14 Falcon street, East Boston, from fire protection engineer at $108.25 a week to head of mechanical inspections division at $122.50 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Arthur Berson, 27 Kerwin street, Dorchester, from hospital medical worker at $50.50 a week to hospital house worker at $50.50 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following leaves of absence:

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Helen E. Boyle, 221 Dudley street, Roxbury, hospital kitchen worker, $50.50 a week.

Loretta Ronan, 58 Julian street, Dorchester, hospital laundry worker, $48 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Mary McCann, 45 Westover street, West Roxbury, recreation aid and accompanist, $58 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following transfer:

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Edward J. Colman, 50 Sawyer avenue, Dorchester, from Pubic Works Department (Survey Division) as title examiner at $80 a week to Law Department at title examiner at $80 a week.

TAX ABATEMENT DECISIONS RENDERED BY THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS FOR THE WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 10.—Continued.

LEGEND.

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‡ Overvaluation Settlement by Board of Assessors.

Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Boston Building Corp	39 Tremont st	3—1953	$32,522.00	$11,312.00	*
Cataldo, Giacomo	117 Chambers st	3—1953	565.60	35.35	*
Ladd, Katherine F	277 Washington st	3—1953	10,605.00	4,595.50	*
Ladd, Katherine F	283 Washington st	3—1953	46,244.87	19,732.37	*
Levine, Benjamin D., Trustee	231 Harrison av	3—1953	4,949.00	2,474.50	*
Alnor Realty Corp	41 Garden st	5—1953	1,060.50	141.40	*
Behr, Esther	489–491 Tremont st	5—1953	636.30	106.05	*
Berman, Walter, Trustee	131 Park Drive	5—1953	7,423.50	707.00	*
Berman, Walter, Trustee	125 Park Drive	5—1953	7,423.50	707.00	*
Crist, Virginia G	2 Mt. Vernon sq	5—1953	777.70	70.70	*
Gianetto, Guiseppe	9 Grove st	5—1953	565.60	84.84	*
Middlebury Land Co	1335 Boylston st	5—1953	9,898.00	2,828.00	*
Rosen, Max and Sarah	84 West Cedar st	5—1953	813.05	141.40	*
Rothwell, James M	101 Massachusetts av	5—1953	7,070.00	707.00	*
Town Bridge Club	109 Commonwealth av	5—1953	2,121.00	494.90	*
The Noyes Corp	313 Congress st	6—1953	11,312.00	1,767.50	*
Prudential Ins. Co	764–770 Dudley st	7—1953	9,615.20	2,545.20	*
Market Realty Co., Inc	Vacant lot, Southampton st	8—1953	15,143.94	9,544.50	*
Devlin, Louis	77 Terrace st	10—1953	7,374.01	5,040.91	*
Gilman, Nettie	20 Wardman rd	11—1953	579.74	141.40	*
Cohen, Bessie	33 Kingsdale st	14—1953	636.30	70.70	*
Crocker, Dora	31 Irma st	14—1953	919.10	70.70	*
Feldman, Isaac	56 Callender st	14—1953	1,025.15	35.35	*
Greenblatt, Ellen	16 Nightingale st	14—1953	563.60	35.35	*
Jobel Realty Corp	24 Colborne rd	14—1953	4,595.50	353.50	*
Rosenberg, Louis	870 Blue Hill av	14—1953	2,757.30	282.80	*
Rubin, Anna G	1108 Blue Hill av	14—1953	3,888.50	707.00	*
Shapiro, Samuel	48 McLellan st	14—1953	671.65	141.40	*
Trachtenberg, Sarah D	232 Harvard st	14—1953	695.00	35.35	*
Fagan, Edith M	58 Lithgow st	17—1953	565.60	70.70	*
Crystal Apartments, Inc	120 Sutherland rd	21—1953	2,014.95	212.10	*
Crystal Apartments, Inc	116 Sutherland rd	21—1953	2,686.60	212.10	*
Crystal Apartments, Inc	110–110A Lanark rd	21—1953	1,908.90	212.10	*
Crystal Apartments, Inc	100 Lanark rd	21—1953	1,908.90	212.10	*
Crystal Apartments, Inc	130 Sutherland rd	21—1953	2,615.90	141.40	*
Crystal Apartments, Inc	124 Sutherland rd	21—1953	1,908.90	212.10	*
Crystal Apartments, Inc	120–120A Lanark rd	21—1953	1,908.90	212.10	*
Crystal Apartments, Inc	30 Kinross rd	21—1953	1,908.90	212.10	*
Crystal Apartments, Inc	34 Kinross rd	21—1953	1,908.90	212.10	*
Jobel Realty Corp	28 Colborne rd	21—1953	4,595.50	353.50	*
Jobel Realty Corp	20 Colborne rd	21—1953	4,312.70	353.50	*
Kentland Realty, Inc	718 Commonwealth av	21—1953	5,302.50	494.90	*
Kertzman, Louis, et al	15 Radnor rd	22—1953	600.95	49.49	*
Alberto, Principe, et al	47 Saratoga st	1—1954	453.70	104.70	‡
Bromfield, Isadore, et al	276 Border st	1—1954	2,792.00	1,186.60	‡
Secatores, Inc	57 Maverick sq	1—1954	753.84	125.64	‡
Secatores, Inc	61–63 Maverick sq	1—1954	830.62	132.62	‡
Secatores, Inc	266 Border st	1—1954	3,001.40	209.40	‡
Revere Sugar Refinery	Medford st	2—1954	49,907.00	4,886.00	‡
Amory Realty Trust	127 Chambers st	3—1954	418.80	139.60	‡
Bernstein, Israel, Trustee	42–48 Batterymarch st	3—1954	1,814.80	418.80	‡
Boston Bldg. Corp	39–43 Tremont st	3—1954	32,108.00	11,168.00	‡
Burgin, Milly	25A Temple pl	3—1954	1,221.50	104.70	‡
Cataldo, Giacomo, et al	117 Chambers st	3—1954	558.40	34.90	‡
Kaufman, Joseph	Vacant lot, 20–22 Bowdoin st	3—1954	1,067.94	349.00	‡
Kaufman, Joseph	Vacant lot, Bowdoin st	3—1954	1,382.04	349.00	‡
Ladd, Katherine F	277–281 Washington st	3—1954	10,470.00	4,537.00	‡
Ladd, Katherine F	283–285 Washington st	3—1954	45,656.18	19,481.18	‡
Levine, Benjamin D., Trustee	231–235 Harrison av	3—1954	4,886.00	2,094.00	‡
McLaughlin, Geo. T., Co	120 Fulton st	3—1954	3,490.00	209.40	‡
National Shawmut Bank	40 Water st	3—1954	223,360.00	62,820.00	‡
National Shawmut Bank	33–35 Congress st	3—1954	36,645.00	1,745.00	‡
Wildey Savings Bank	30–34 Boylston st	3—1954	10,470.00	3,839.00	‡
Donato, Natalie	261 West Newton st	4—1954	837.60	209.40	‡
Gordon, Isabelle	98–98A Huntington av	4—1954	1,326.20	209.40	‡
Spiegel, Sidney	53 Belvidere st	4—1954	1,745.00	279.20	‡
Stavers, Sarah E	111 St. Botolph st	4—1954	453.70	69.80	‡
Taylor, Myrtle L	38–46A Burbank st	4—1954	1,396.00	837.60	‡
Abbott, Jane L	44 Cedar Lane Way	5—1954	698.00	209.40	‡
Abbott, Jane L	77–77A Charles st	5—1954	1,745.00	558.40	‡
Abbott, Jane L	139–139A Charles st	5—1954	837.60	139.60	‡
Alnor Realty Corp	41 Garden st	5—1954	1,047.00	139.60	‡
Bartevian, Vera May	118 Newbury st	5—1954	4,537.00	1,745.00	‡
Behr, Esther	489–491 Tremont st	5—1954	628.20	104.70	‡
Berman, Walter, et al	125 Park Drive	5—1954	7,329.00	698.00	‡
Berman, Walter, et al	131 Park Drive	5—1954	7,329.00	698.00	‡
Bush, Mary E	329 Commonwealth av	5—1954	977.20	139.60	‡
Canner, Arnold, et al., Trustees	30 Newbury st	5—1954	8,376.00	1,047.00	‡
Charlesview Trust	534 Commonwealth av	5—1954	8,027.00	1,047.00	‡
Colburn, Ione E	179 Marlborough st	5—1954	1,396.00	139.60	‡
Crist, Virginia G	2 Mt. Vernon sq	5—1954	767.80	69.80	‡
Dellorfano, Eleanora	348 Beacon st	5—1954	1,745.00	418.80	‡
Eta Chapter of Phi Kappa	229 Commonwealth av	5—1954	1,396.00	314.10	‡
Fine, Murray R., Trustee	184 Commonwealth av	5—1954	3,490.00	432.76	‡
Fine, Murray R., Trustee	186 Commonwealth av	5—1954	3,490.00	432.76	‡
Fine, Murray R., Trustee	188 Commonwealth av	5—1954	3,490.00	439.74	‡
Fine, Murray R., Trustee	190 Commonwealth av	5—1954	3,490.00	439.74	‡
Galer, Maurice M	107 Jersey st	5—1954	2,512.80	314.10	‡
Galer, Maurice M	111 Jersey st	5—1954	2,652.40	349.00	‡
Gianetto, Guiseppe	9 Grove st	5—1954	558.40	83.76	‡
Handy, Joseph K	186–188 Columbus av	5—1954	767.80	104.70	‡
Krafchick, Joseph	15–20 Peterborough st	5—1954	1,396.00	174.50	‡
Lang, Fannie I., Trustee	132 Beacon st	5—1954	4,886.00	1,396.00	‡
Lang, Fannie I., Trustee	15 Marlborough st	5—1954	1,745.00	209.40	‡
Levine, Maurice	93 Charles st	5—1954	2,094.00	488.60	‡
Middlebury Land Co	1345–1355 Boylston st	5—1954	9,772.00	2,792.00	‡
Mitchell, Robert S	109 Commonwealth av	5—1954	2,094.00	488.60	‡
Rosen, Max and Sarah	84 West Cedar st	5—1954	802.70	139.60	‡
Rothwell, James M., et al	101–115 Massachusetts av	5—1954	6,980.00	698.00	‡
Turner, Charles A	148 Beacon st	5—1954	3,071.20	279.20	‡
Wasserman, Eva	159–161 Broadway	5—1954	1,396.00	279.20	‡

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LEGEND.

* Appellate Tax Board Settlement. ¶ Illegal assessment. | Chapter 59-5.
† Appellate Tax Board Decision. § Duplicate assessment. = Chapter 58-8.
‡ Overvaluation Settlement by Board of Assessors.

Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Ward, Josephine M.	260 266 Commonwealth av	5—1954	$5,584 00	$1,047.00	‡
Schur, Dinn	62 Myrtle st	5—1954	1,715 00	349.00	‡
Sears, E. R	122 Beacon st	5—1954	1,605 40	349.00	‡
Sears, E. R	8 Byron st	5—1954	663 10	139 60	‡
Sears, E. R	4 and 5 Byron st	5—1954	4,537 00	1,715 00	‡
Simpson, Gordon K	186 Beacon st	5—1954	1,396 00	139 60	‡
Svietovsky, Boris	174 Newbury st	5—1954	2,792 00	349 00	‡
Sweet, Annn J	17 Irving st	5—1954	1,396 00	69 80	‡
Gibbons, Charles H., et al	135 139 West Broadway	6—1954	809 68	251 28	‡
Landy, Martin J	96 98A B st	6—1954	349 00	69 80	‡
Abbott, Henry D	551 East Sixth st	7—1954	453 70	34 90	‡
Carr, Michael T	235 Dorchester st	7—1954	279 20	69 80	‡
Carr, Michael T	231 Dorchester st	7—1954	279 20	69 80	‡
Damigella, Joseph	239 Dorchester st	7—1954	677 06	18 86	‡
Lipson, Nathan I	149 Dorchester av	7—1954	1,095.86	349 00	‡
Prudential Ins. Co	764-770 Dudley st	7—1954	9,492 80	2,512 80	‡
Shapiro, Harry	390 Dorchester av	7—1954	300.14	34 90	‡
Shapiro, Harry	400 Dorchester av	7—1954	593.30	69 80	‡
Lipson, Nathan I	160 Cummings st	8—1954	802 70	349 00	‡
Ward, John J., et al	157 Hunpden st	8—1954	2,792.00	488 60	‡
Barbosian, Agnes	107 Roxbury st	9—1954	558 40	69 80	‡
McAuliffe, Mary E	37-51 Roxbury st	9—1954	1,884 60	209 40	‡
Shubert, Rose	59 Williams st	9—1954	362 96	34 90	‡
Sweet, Anna Z	2 Hammond st	9—1954	432.76	48.86	‡
Sweet, Anna	209-219 Roxbury st	9—1954	1,214.52	139 60	‡
Sweet, Anna Z	666A Shawmut av	9—1954	314.10	34.90	‡
Gilman, Nettie	20 Wardman rd	11—1954	572.36	139 60	‡
Kelley, Alice F	3096 Washington st	11—1954	1,326 20	279.20	‡
Levenson, Leon J	3127-3131A Washington st.	11—1954	2,443.00	698 00	‡
Smith, Donald A	2729 Washington st	11—1954	265 24	90.74	‡
Dane, Dnvid H	65 Homestead st	12—1954	1,745 00	349.00	‡
Jasionis, Walter	10 Clifford st	12—1954	3,839 00	698 00	‡
Palatnick, Dorothy	36 Nazing st	12—1954	523.50	69.80	‡
Warren Trust	568 Warren st	12—1954	732 90	139 60	‡
Warren Trust	564 Warren st	12—1954	732.90	139.60	‡
Graiver, Goldie	19-21 Cunningham st	13—1954	907.40	104.70	‡
Leary, Arthur A	111 Pleasant st	13—1954	293.16	34.90	‡
Blacker, Hyman	15 Ashton st	14—1954	732.90	139.60	‡
Crocker, Dora	31-35 Irma st	14—1954	907.40	69.80	‡
Elaine Realty Corp	504 Blue Hill av	14—1954	2,443 00	139 60	‡
Elaine Realty Corp	143 Columbia rd	14—1954	2,792.00	349.00	‡
Elaine Realty Corp	147 Columbia rd	14—1954	2,792.00	349.00	‡
Greenblatt, Ellen	16 Nightingale st	14—1954	558.40	34.90	‡
Feldman, Isaac	56 Callender st	14—1954	1,012.10	34.90	‡
Jobel Realty Corp	24 Colborne rd	14—1954	4,537.00	349.00	‡
Lipson, Alexander	310 Washington st	14—1954	907.40	139.60	‡
Lipson, Alexander	314 Washington st	14—1954	1,326.20	244.30	‡
Mishara, Irving E	106 Wales st	14—1954	977 20	34 90	‡
Mishara, Irving E	110 Wales st	14—1954	1,047 00	69.80	‡
Rogers, Charles A	1085 Blue Hill av	14—1954	698 00	153.56	‡
Rosenberg, Louis, et al	862-870 Blue Hill av	14—1954	2,722.20	279.20	‡
Rubin, Anna G	1108 Blue Hill av	14—1954	3,839.00	698.00	‡
Rubinvitz, Mary	15 Estelln st	14—1954	516.52	132.62	‡
Schneider, Annie	580 Blue Hill av	14—1954	1,039.00	279.20	‡
Shapiro, Samuel	83 Ellington st	14—1954	418.80	139.60	‡
Shapiro, Samuel	137-141 Erie st	14—1954	1,256.40	209.40	‡
Shapiro, Samuel	116 Erie st	14—1954	314.10	104.70	‡
Shapiro, Samuel	15-17 Harlem st	14—1954	628.20	209 40	‡
Shapiro, Samuel	48 McLellan st	14—1954	663 10	139.60	‡
Siegal, Harry	23 Greendale rd	14—1954	698.00	69.80	‡
Trachtenberg, Sarah D	232 Harvard st	14—1954	593.30	34.90	‡
Gerstein, Miriam, Trustee	219-223 Adams st	15—1954	3,490.00	349.00	‡
Hennessey, Edith E	42 Charles st	15—1954	2,094.00	349.00	‡
Irwin, Edward, et al	6 Glen st	15—1954	383.90	34.90	‡
Darey, John F., et al	60 Cedar Grove st	16—1954	139.60	48.86	‡
Emond, Leo F., et al	473 Adams st	16—1954	572.36	104 70	‡
Gadue, Herbert G	118 Park st	16—1954	282 80	34.90	‡
Gleason, Edith E	Vacant lot, Wm. Morrissey Blvd	16—1954	418.80	139 60	‡
Gleason, Edith E	741 Wm. Morrissey Blvd	16—1954	1,396.00	314.10	‡
Hennessey, Edith G	Vacant lot, Freeport st., NWs.	16—1954	698.00	279.20	‡
Kay, John, et al	80 Minot st	16—1954	349.00	34.90	‡
Keveny, Herbert P	58 Westglow st	16—1954	418.80	69.80	‡
Sullivnn, Gilbert	90-92 Welles av	16—1954	523 50	139.60	‡
Antelmi, Joseph	38 Torrey st	17—1954	349.00	69.80	‡
Connor, Thomas J	85 Waldeck st	17—1954	453.70	34.90	‡
Connor, Thomas J	87 Waldeck st	17—1954	453.70	34.90	‡
Connor, Thomas J	89 Waldeck st	17—1954	460.68	34 90	‡
DiDomizio, Sabatino	282-292 Talbot nv	17—1954	1,703.12	139.60	‡
DiDomizio, Sabatino, et al	48 Aspinwall rd	17—1954	1,975.34	139.60	‡
DiDomizio, Sabatino	28 Aspinwall rd	17—1954	565.38	69 80	‡
DiDomizio, Snbatino, et al	37 Aspinwall rd	17—1954	640.12	48.86	‡
Fagan, Edith M	58 Litbgow st	17—1954	558 40	69.80	‡
Leavitt, Thomas	790A Washington st	17—1954	1,186.60	209.40	‡
LaTraverse, Osenr E	271 Norfolk st	17—1954	558.40	69.80	‡
Quinn, William F., et al	80 Wilmington av	17—1954	328.06	69.80	‡
Soteros, Fotos	2255 Dorchester av	17—1954	1,221.50	335.04	‡
Spelidoro, Rose	21 Tremlett st	17—1954	488.60	69 80	‡
Sullivnn, Michael	132 Washington st	17—1954	670.08	139.60	‡
Craven, John J., et al	120 Beacon st	18—1954	607 26	139.60	‡
Hennessey, Elizabeth G	637 River st	18—1954	558 40	104.70	‡
Langone, Michael, et al	28 Ruskindale rd	18—1954	404 81	55.84	‡
O'Rourke, Joseph J., et nl	32 Ruskindale rd	18—1954	404 81	55.84	‡
Herrity, Margaret T	7 Moraine st	19—1954	628 20	69.80	‡
Leonard, Mary T	10 Roanoke nv	19—1954	907.40	139.60	‡
O'Connell, Louise L	10 Rockwood st	19—1954	502.56	69.80	‡
Demareo, John, et al	52 Vermont st	20—1954	418.80	69.80	‡
Donato, Natalie	16 Lorraine st	20—1954	488.60	69.80	‡
Fowler, Robert T., Jr.	Roslindale av	20—1954	125.64	27.92	‡
Johnson, Hannah	125 Temple pl	20—1954	314.10	69.80	‡

STEP-RATE INCREASES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved step-rate increases for employees of the following departments:

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Francis X. Drummond, X-ray technician, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

Dr. Haruo Kanagani, junior staff physician, from $90.50 to $94 a week.

Andrew McFarland, electrician, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Winnifred Hodson, hospital medical worker, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Ann Mitchell, hospital medical worker, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Rose Carroll, hospital kitchen worker, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Margaret Mohan, hospital kitchen worker, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Helen Stewart, hospital kitchen worker, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Long Island Division.

Hazel L. Walsh, registered graduate nurse, from $60.50 to $68 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Bridge Division.

Lester J. Tanner, assistant drawtender, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Nathan Goldberg, drawtender, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

John F. Holland, first assistant drawtender, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

VETERANS' SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Eileen F. Barry, veterans' services investigator, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Paula DiGregorio, senior clerk and typist, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Katherine Kelliher, senior settlement clerk, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Anne Salemi, clerk and typist, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Kathryn V. Shine, senior clerk and typist, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Eileen Gilmartin, nurse, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

SUPERIOR COURT.

(For Civil Business.)

Helen F. Driscoll, principal clerk, from $153.34 to $158.78 semimonthly.

Gertrude C. Morrissey, principal clerk, from $153.34 to $158.78 semimonthly.

Anne J. Carleton, principal clerk, from $147.90 to $153.34 semimonthly.

Katherine M. Hanson, principal clerk, from $147.90 to $153.34 semimonthly.

Albert F. Henneberry, principal clerk, from $147.90 to $153.34 semimonthly.

Christine M. Mackay, principal clerk, from $147.90 to $153.34 semimonthly.

John McDonald, principal clerk, from $147.90 to $153.34 semimonthly.

Marjorie H. Moore, principal clerk, from $142.46 to $147.90 semimonthly.

Albert L. Crimmins, principal clerk, from $142.46 to $147.90 semimonthly.

John E. Carey, senior clerk, from $131.59 to $137.03 semimonthly.

Mary E. Collins, senior clerk, from $131.59 to $137.03 semimonthly.

Mary T. Gaquin, senior clerk, from $131.59 to $137.03 semimonthly.

Virginia M. Batts, senior clerk, from $126.15 to $131.59 semimonthly.

Catherine M. McGillicuddy, senior

clerk, from $126.15 to $131.59 semimonthly.

Margaret C. Norton, senior clerk, from $126.15 to $131.59 semimonthly.

Claire M. Provasoli, senior clerk, from $126.15 to $131.59 semimonthly.

Anne M. Callahan, senior clerk, from $120.71 to $126.15 semimonthly.

Michael J. Sclafani, senior clerk, from $120.71 to $126.15 semimonthly.

Marguerite E. Donovan, clerk, from $98.96 to $104.40 semimonthly.

MUNICIPAL COURT, CITY OF BOSTON.
(For Civil Business.)

Mary Sullivan, executive secretary, from $108.25 to $113 a week.

Frank L. Tierney, deputy assistant clerk, from $98.75 to $103.50 a week.

Timothy J. Hurley, deputy assistant clerk, from $98.75 to $103.50 a week.

John M. Kelly, deputy assistant clerk, from $98.75 to $103.50 a week.

Philip M. McDavitt, deputy assistant clerk, from $98.75 to $103.50 a week.

Joseph A. Woods, deputy assistant clerk, from $98.75 to $103.50 a week.

Thomas F. Lynch, deputy assistant clerk, from $98.75 to $103.50 a week.

Benjamin J. Wall, deputy assistant clerk, from $94 to $98.75 a week.

Frederick C. Leahy, head clerk, from $90.50 to $94 a week.

Joseph P. Doherty, head clerk, from $90.50 to $94 a week.

Peter J. Rogers, head clerk, from $87 to $90.50 a week.

MEDICAL EXAMINER SERVICE, NORTHERN DIVISION.

Frederick L. Gross, mortuary attendant, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following requests:

AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

For the week ending December 28, 1954:

John Flanagan, Jr., 17 hours at $3 an hour; John Hartin, 4 hours at $3 an hour; Edward M. Herlihy, 8 hours at $3 an hour; John J. Hopkins, 4½ hours at $3 an hour; John J. Kirby, Edwin J. Sullivan, 8 hours at $3 an hour.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

John Kiely, second-class stationary engineer, 8 hours at $3 an hour; Lillian Ciccolo, principal clerk, 4 hours at $2.29 an hour; George F. Regan, principal clerk, 8 hours at $2.29 an hour.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.
Cemetery Division.

Edwin W. Banks, cemetery foreman, Evergreen Cemetery, 8 hours at $2 an hour.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.
SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

For the week ending December 28, 1954:

Charles C. O'Neil, 8 hours, $18.10; John R. Slattery, 8 hours, $16.60.

VETERAN'S RETIREMENT.

The Mayor has approved the following veteran's application for retirement:

Daniel D. Sullivan, 84 West Third street, South Boston, assistant drawtender, Bridge Division, Public Works Department.

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LEGEND.

* Appellate Tax Board Settlement. ¶ Illegal assessment. || Chapter 59-5.
† Appellate Tax Board Decision. § Duplicate assessment. = Chapter 58-8.
‡ Overvaluation Settlement by Board of Assessors.

Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Karofsky, Joseph, et al.	5201 Washington st.	20—1954	$628.20	$139.60	‡
Markey, Lucy A.	2600 Centre st.	20—1954	418.80	83.76	‡
McNeil, Alexander	3 Conway st.	20—1954	5,584.00	698.00	‡
Moore, James G.	40 Linden rd.	20—1954	202.42	6.98	‡
Oakes, Owen F.	311 Belgrade av.	20—1954	2,094.00	349.00	‡
Oakes, Owen F.	317 Belgrade av.	20—1954	2,443.00	209.40	‡
Abromson, Onne	100 St. Mary's st.	21—1954	3,141.00	698.00	‡
Agnew, James E., et al.	92 Wallingford rd.	21—1954	488.60	34.90	‡
Agnew, James E., et al.	Chestnut Hill av.	21—1954	20.94	13.96	‡
Agnew, Mary C.	35 Blenford rd.	21—1954	558.40	69.80	‡
Crystal Apartments, Inc.	30 Kinross rd.	21—1954	1,884.60	209.40	‡
Crystal Apartments, Inc.	34 Kinross rd.	21—1954	1,884.60	209.40	‡
Crystal Apartments, Inc.	100 Lanark rd.	21—1954	1,884.60	209.40	‡
Crystal Apartments, Inc.	110 Lanark rd.	21—1954	1,884.60	209.40	‡
Crystal Apartments, Inc.	116 Sutherland rd.	21—1954	2,652.40	209.40	‡
Crystal Apartments, Inc.	120 Sutherland rd.	21—1954	1,989.30	209.40	‡
Crystal Apartments, Inc.	120 Lanark rd.	21—1954	1,884.60	209.40	‡
Crystal Apartments, Inc.	124 Sutherland rd.	21—1954	1,884.60	209.40	‡
Crystal Apartments, Inc.	130 Sutherland rd.	21—1954	2,582.60	139.60	‡
Divaio, Henry J., et al.	899 Beacon st.	21—1954	1,396.00	279.20	‡
Hamacher, Harry A.	19 Chester st.	21—1954	2,443.00	349.00	‡
Hamacher, Harry A.	159 Kelton st.	21—1954	4,886.00	349.00	‡
Hamacher, Harry A.	1139 Commonwealth av.	21—1954	5,235.00	698.00	‡
Hamacher, Harry A.	21 Chester st.	21—1954	1,047.00	349.00	‡
Hamacher, Harry A.	25 Chester st.	21—1954	1,047.00	349.00	‡
Hamacher, Harry A.	161 Allston st.	21—1954	1,465.80	279.20	‡
Kotock, Ada	9 Linden st.	21—1954	523.00	69.80	‡
Kotock, Ada	7 Linden st.	21—1954	523.50	69.80	‡
Jobel Realty Corp.	20 Colborne rd.	21—1954	4,257.80	349.00	‡
Jobel Realty Corp.	28 Colborne rd.	21—1954	4,537.00	349.00	‡
Kentland Realty, Inc.	718 Commonwealth av.	21—1954	5,235.00	488.60	‡
Landau Realty Corp.	844 Beacon st.	21—1954	4,886.00	698.00	‡
McNeil, Alexander	23 Lanark rd.	21—1954	6,282.00	349.00	‡
Pellegrini, Nicholas	64 Winship st.	21—1954	628.20	69.80	‡
Shane, George, Trustee	1412 Commonwealth av.	21—1954	3,490.00	488.60	‡
Steiman, Fannie, Trustee	38 Park Vale av.	21—1954	1,607.70	209.40	‡
Taylor, Myrtle L.	29 Buswell st.	21—1954	488.60	69.80	‡
Torpey, Richard N.	851 Beacon st.	21—1954	1,047.00	349.00	‡
Bobillier, James A.	24 South Crescent Circuit.	22—1954	321.08	41.88	‡
Garabedian, Robert R.	535 Washington st.	22—1954	1,535.60	139.60	‡
Hemenway, Kenneth T.	21 Glenley ter.	22—1954	418.80	69.80	‡
Kertzman, Louis, et al.	15 Radnor rd.	22—1954	593.30	48.86	‡
PERSONAL PROPERTY.					
Rosenberg, Harold	868 Blue Hill av.	14—1952	$668.00	$334.00	*
Dumas, Cyril M.	1135 Dorchester av.	15—1952	200.40	13.36	*
Rosenberg, Harold	868 Blue Hill av.	14—1953	424.20	70.70	*
Rosenberg, Harold	868 Blue Hill av.	14—1954	418.80	69.80	‡
Haskell, Arthur C., Jr.	Strickus Boat Yard.	16—1954	34.90	34.90	¶
Kirshbaum, Morris	540 Gallivan Blvd.	16—1954	104.70	34.90	‡
Katz, Rose	178 Harvard st.	21—1954	139.60	62.82	‡

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award the contracts for work, materials, and supplies, in accordance with recommendations of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.
Purchasing Division.

Upon December 31, 1954, the Mayor approved a contract with Mechanics Iron Foundry Company for furnishing 20 cast-aluminum Portland-Providence type fire alarm box sections, as per specifications, to the Boston Fire Department. Total amount of contract was $1,300, net.

Bids, opened December 27, 1954, were as follows:

Twenty Cast-Aluminum Portland-Providence Type Fire Alarm Box Sections, with Bottom Door and Rear Door Machined and Assembled with Hinges and Locks, Furnished by the B. F. D., Each.—Alexander Santilli, doing business as Alloy Castings, $65; Mechanics Iron Foundry Company, $65.*

Discount.—Alexander Santilli, doing business as Alloy Castings, 2 per cent, time of payment; Mechanics Iron Foundry Company, firm price net.

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—Alexander Santilli, doing business as Alloy Castings, 3 weeks; Mechanics Iron Foundry Company, as required.

* Contract awarded.

Upon December 31, 1954, the Mayor approved a contract with S. M. Levin Company, Inc., for furnishing and delivering 15 ten-gallon capacity insulated thermal liquid containers at $89.50 each to the Civil Defense Department. Total amount of contract was $1,342.50, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids, opened December 20, 1954, were as follows:

Fifteen 10-Gallon Capacity Insulated Thermal Liquid Containers, As Per Specifications, Each.— Boston China Company, $91.50; Jones, McDuffee & Stratton Corporation, $95; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $99.50, alternate, same specifications, 22-gauge, stainless, $89.50*; Wrought Iron Kitchen Equipment Company, $87 (to be same container as furnished School Boys' Stadium, Franklin Park).

Discount.—Boston China Company, 1 per cent, 10 days; Jones, McDuffee & Stratton Corporation, 2 per cent, time of payment; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Wrought Iron Kitchen Equipment Company, 2 per cent, 15 days.

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—Boston China Company, 30 days; Jones, McDuffee & Stratton Corporation, 25 days; Wrought Iron Kitchen Equipment Company, 30 days.

* Contract awarded.

Upon December 31, 1954, the Mayor approved a contract with Justin A. McCarthy, doing business as Justin A. McCarthy Company, for furnishing fog nozzles to the Boston Fire Department. Total amount of contract was $1,123.20, less 2 per cent discount time of payment.

Bids, opened December 24, 1954, were as follows:

Twelve Elkhart, J-200, or Equal, 2½-Inch Fog Nozzles, Each.—American Fire Equipment Company, $85.50, polished brass; $93.60, chrome finish; American-LaFrance-Foamite Corporation, $85.50, polished brass; $93.60, chrome plated; Joseph T. Gorham, doing business as Gorham Fire Equipment Company, $85.50, brass finish; $93.60, chrome finish; Justin A. McCarthy, doing business as Justin A. McCarthy Company, $93.60.*

Make and Model.—American Fire Equipment Company, genuine Elkhart, J-200; American-LaFrance-Foamite Corporation, J 200, Elkhart; Joseph T. Gorham doing business as Gorham Fire Equipment Company, as required; Justin A. McCarthy, doing business as Justin A. McCarthy Company, Elkhart, J-200, 2½-inch fog nozzles, chrome plated, same as sent you September 10, 1954.

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—American Fire Equipment Company, four from Boston stock immediately, balance 2-day delivery via Air Express from factory stock at Elkhart, Indiana; American-LaFrance-Foamite Corporation, immediate shipment from factory stock on nine and three from Boston stock; Joseph T. Gorham, doing business as Gorham Fire Equipment Company, five to seven days; Justin A. McCarthy, doing business as Justin A. McCarthy Company, from Boston stock, within one hour after notification.

Discount.—American Fire Equipment Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; American-LaFrance-Foamite Corporation, 2 per cent, time of payment; Joseph T. Gorham, doing business as Gorham Fire Equipment Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Justin A. McCarthy, doing business as Justin A. McCarthy Company, 2 per cent, time of payment.

* Contract awarded.

Upon December 31, 1954, the Mayor approved a contract with lowest bidders for furnishing hospital equipment to the Boston City Hospital and Long Island Hospital. Total amounts of contracts were indicated below:

Colson Corporation, 440 Somerville avenue, Somerville, $2,932, 2 per cent, 10 days, net, 30 days; Boston China Company, 86 Portland street, Boston, $1,803, 1 per cent, 10 days.

Bids, opened December 17, 1954, were as follows:

Item 1. 50 Colson, Model No. 44, 34 x 3, Wheel Chairs, Special, With 10-Inch Rubber-Tired Ball-Bearing Disc Wheels on Rear, 26-Inch Large Wheels on Front, Divided Leg Rest, Each.—Colson Corporation, $58.64*; E. F. Mahady Company, $77; Charles P. Lauman Company, Inc., $71.13.

Item 2. 300 Dressing Jars, S.S., 7 x 7, 3-Inch, 4½-Quart Capacity, Vollrath, No. 8804, or Equal, Complete With Covers, Covers to Have a Raised S.S. Strap Handle on Cover, Each.—Boston China Company, $6.01*; E. F. Mahady Company, $6.12; Jones, McDuffee & Stratton Corporation, $6.15; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $6.25.

Make and Model.—Boston China Company, Vollrath, No. 8804; E. F. Mahady Company, Polar, No. S-4; Jones, McDuffee & Stratton, Vollrath, No. 8804; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., Vollrath, No. 8804.

Discount. Colson Corporation, 2 per cent, 10 days, net, 30 days; Boston China Company, 1 per cent, 10 days; E. F. Mahady Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Jones, McDuffee & Stratton Corporation, 2 per cent, time of payment, Charles P. Lauman Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment, Purchasing, 1 per cent, 10 days, Auditor's; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment.

Delivery.—Colson Corporation, approximately 4 weeks; Boston China Company, immediately, 30 days; E. F. Mahady Company, Item 1, 60 to 90 days; Item 2, 5 to 7 days; Jones, McDuffee & Stratton Corporation, 30 days; Charles P. Lauman Company, Inc., within approximately 90 days; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., 30 days.

* Contract awarded.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Sanatorium Division.

Upon December 30, 1954, the Mayor approved a contract with Dillaby Fireproofing Company for furnishing and installing perforated metal ceiling in the entire kitchen area of the Kitchen Building at the Sanatorium Division. Bids, opened Tuesday, December 14, 1954, were as follows: Dillaby Fireproofing Company, $5,785.

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Upon December 30, 1954, the Mayor approved a contract with Parkman Construction Company for performing alterations and renewals to certain toilets and steam systems in various buildings at the Sanatorium Division. Bids, opened Thursday, December 16, 1954, were as follows:

Parkman, Construction Company, $48,086; J. W. Praught Company, $49,813; M. Solimando, $50,572; Fred Williams, $50,598; Rossano Construction Company, Inc., $52,832; Arielli Construction Company, $61,175.

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Upon December 30, 1954, the Mayor approved a contract with R. Van Putten & Sons for interior painting at the Sanatorium Division. Bids, opened Monday, December 20, 1954, were as follows:

R. Van Putten & Sons, $3,265; D. M. McCartin Company, $3,795; Doll Painting Company, $3,898; R & F Painting Company, $4,312; Cahn Painting Company, $5,400; Nicholas Bello, $6,938; Lester L. Bateman, $7,173; John M. Kennedy Company, Inc., $7,224; Kabot Painting Company, $7,815; John W. Egan Company, $7,890; T. Mickle & Sons, $8,125; M. L. McDonald Company, $9,370.

Long Island Division.

Upon December 31, 1954, the Mayor approved a contract with McCarthy Brothers for alterations to hospital beds, Long Island Hospital. The following bids were received:

McCarthy Brothers, $17.95 each; Bay State Appliance Company, $19.60 each.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

The School Committee has approved proposals for furnishing bath towels to certain Boston public schools; hand towels to Administrative offices; and aprons to Boston public school cafeterias. Bids, opened Friday, December 3, 1954, were received from the following concerns:

Bell Linen Service, Elk Laundry, Federal National Linen Service.

Awards were made to the lowest responsible bidders, as follows:

Bell Linen Service, $1,980; Elk Laundry, $1,665; Federal National Linen Service, $1,914.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Charles Todesca has been directed to perform the following extra work under the contract dated November 1, 1951, for sheet asphalt pavement in James street.

In James street, remove existing 28-inch stump in sidewalk area, including excavation and equipment, for lump sum of $25.

Estimated cost of extra work, $25.

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Dooley Brothers, Inc., has been directed to perform the following extra work under the contract dated September 2, 1954, for bituminous concrete pavement in Ashley street and Orient avenue, and grading and sodding in Faywood avenue.

In Orient avenue, furnish and set stone bound at corner of Beachview road, including excavation and backfill, for lump sum of $25.

Estimated cost of extra work, $25.

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J. D'Amico, Inc., has been directed to perform the following extra work under the contract dated October 5, 1954, for bituminous concrete pavement in Ansonia road, Bowditch road, Cricket Lane, Highfield road, Ledgewood road, and Searle road.

Ansonia Road.—Lower one catch-basin frame in driveway, remove existing gutter mouth, install angle iron and necessary brickwork, for lump sum of $25; provide and install two rails and necessary brickwork to change grade of sewer manhole, for lump sum of $25.

Highfield Road.—Furnish and lay approximately 362 linear feet of six-inch V.C. clay ground water drain, including excavation and stone backfill, at $3.50 per linear foot; construct one drop inlet with pipe connection, for lump sum of $125.

Estimated cost of extra work, $1,442.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with D. Antonellis, Inc., for repair to boiler and incinerator masonry in various schools in Districts 1, 4, and 5, from December 15, 1954, to January 31, 1955. This extension was requested because of a delay in obtaining certain materials in order to complete work.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with P. J. Cantwell & Son for fire repairs at the George Bancroft School, from December 31, 1954, to January 31, 1955. This extension was requested because of delay on account of additional painting work.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with John F. Shea Company, Inc., dated October 21, 1954, for roofing work and bricking up windows at the Calf Pasture Pumping Station and roofing work at Moon Island, from December 20, 1954, to February 28, 1955. This extension was requested because of delay due to holidays and winter weather conditions.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract, dated October 26, 1954, with Charles Todesca, 100 Roslindale avenue, Roslindale, for sheet asphalt pavement in Harrison avenue, Oak street, and Tyler street, from December 31, 1954, to May 31, 1955. This extension was requested because the contractor was obliged to suspend work over the winter months and will resume work under the contract in the spring.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract, dated October 21, 1954, with Charles Todesca, 100 Roslindale avenue, Roslindale, for sheet asphalt pavement in Summer street and Washington street, and artificial stone sidewalks in Washington street, from December 31, 1954, to May 31, 1955. This extension was requested because the contractor was obliged to suspend work over the winter months and will resume work under the contract in the spring.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract, dated August 10, 1954, with Carriere Construction Company, 21 Glendower road, Roslindale, for bituminous concrete pavement in Allerton street, Ballin place, etc., from December 31, 1954, to June 30, 1955. This extension was requested because the contractor was obliged to suspend work over the winter months and will resume work under the contract in the spring.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with John F. Shea Company, Inc., 41 Hollingsworth street, Mattapan, for roof repairs to the office and storage building, 8 Atkinson street, the Charlestown Bridge drawhouse, and the Northern Avenue Bridge drawhouse, from November 8, 1954, to February 15, 1955. This extension was requested because the contractor has been delayed on account of other work required of him on account of the two hurricanes. The work has been completed on all but one building.

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Approval has been given for the extension of the time of completion of the contract dated November 12, 1954, with Rufo Construction Company, 1 Allen road, Brighton, for bituminous concrete pavement in Guest street, etc., from December 31, 1954, to June 30, 1955. This extension was requested because the contractor was obliged to suspend work over the winter months and he will resume work under the contract in the spring.

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Approval has been given for the extension of the time of completion of the contract dated August 16, 1954, with Rufo Construction Company, 1 Allen road, Brighton, for bituminous concrete pavement in Bower street, etc., from December 31, 1954, to June 30, 1955. This extension was requested because the contractor was obliged to suspend work over the winter months and he will resume work under the contract in the spring.

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Approval has been given for the extension of the time of completion of the contract dated August 16, 1954, with John J. Appel, 23 Sunnybank road, West Roxbury, for laying water pipes in Beacon street, Ward 5, and such additional locations, if any, as may be designated by the Commissioner of Public Works, to January 31, 1955. This extension was requested because the work entailed all hand labor due to encountering obstacles not anticipated.

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Approval has been given for the extension of the time of completion of the contract dated October 21, 1954, with John F. Shea Company, Inc., for roofing work and bricking up windows at the Calf Pasture Pumping Station and roofing work at Moon Island, from December 20, 1954, to February 28, 1955. This extension was requested because the contractor will be delayed due to coming holidays and winter weather conditions.

MAYOR NAMES THREE REAL ESTATE APPRAISERS TO AID STAFF HANDLING CITY'S CASES BEFORE APPELLATE TAX BOARD.

Mayor Hynes announced the appointment of three qualified real estate appraisers to augment the existing staff of experts handling the city's tax cases before the Appellate Tax Board of the Commonwealth. The three are Elson M. Blunt, Jr., vice-president of Nordblom Company; Thomas M. Horan, vice-president of Meredith & Grew, Inc., and Joseph C. Skinner, president of Walter Channing, Inc., all prominent Boston realtors. The newly-appointed experts will function as independent fee appraisers on call as may be required by the Board of Assessors.

Mr. Blunt has been specializing in all phases of the real estate business in downtown Boston for the past 29 years and is currently vice-president of the New England Chapter of the American Institute of Real Estate Appraisers. Mr. Blunt has had an extensive experience in real estate lecturing, and has been on the investment board of the First Federal Savings & Loan Association and was formerly president of Forrest W. Taylor, Inc., a large real estate management corporation. Mr. Blunt has also done extensive appraisal work for the Metropolitan District Commission and Department of Public Works of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and has acted as real estate expert in many court cases before the Appellate Tax Board and the Superior Court.

Mr. Horan has been actively engaged in the brokerage and appraisal of commercial and industrial properties throughout Eastern Massachusetts since 1936. He is a former director of the Boston Real Estate Board, and a former national vice-president of the Society of Industrial Realtors. Currently he is vice-president of the Building Owners and Managers Association of the Boston Real Estate Board. He is also a corporator of the Charlestown Savings Bank and vice-president of Everett Mill Properties, Lawrence, Mass. As a real estate expert, Mr. Horan has completed numerous appraisals for the Massachusetts Public Works Department, the Metropolitan District Commission, the United States Department of Justice, and has qualified as an expert witness before the State Appellate Tax Board and the Superior Courts of Suffolk and Middlesex Counties.

Mr. Skinner, formerly with the old Boston *Transcript*, has been in the real estate business since 1941. A director and past vice-president of the Boston Real Estate Board, he specializes in appraisals, commercial brokerage, mortgage loans, and property management in Boston and vicinity. Over the years, he has been employed as an appraiser and real estate expert by the City of Boston and the towns of Wellesley, Weston, and Winchester, and by several agencies of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, as well as numerous institutions and individuals. He has qualified as an expert before the Land Court, the Superior Court, and the Appellate Tax Board of the Commonwealth. He is a trustee of the Massachusetts Board of Real Estate Appraisers, a member of the American Institute of Real Estate Appraisers, a member of the Property Management Institute, a corporator of the Institution for Savings in Roxbury, and a member of the Planning Board of the City of Newton.

WOOING FRINGE LOT PARKING PATRONS NOT EASY.

Enticing motoring commuters into fringe parking lots can be a difficult courtship. Recent experience in Washington, Baltimore, Cleveland, and St. Louis indicates that success cannot be achieved unless there is provided an attractive parking-transit fee, frequent bus service between the lot and central business district, and easy approaches to the lot. St. Louis offers a 5 to 7½ minute bus service, no parking fee, and a special 35-cent round-trip fare. Patronage of the 600-car lot is increasing, but a profitable operation has not yet been achieved. However, a survey of 500 of the lot's patrons showed 72 per cent rate the service as "excellent." Three out of four said they arrived closer to their downtown destinations than when they drove in. Private lots in downtown Cleveland are now getting short-term parkers—which produces more revenue for the operator than all-day parkers. In Baltimore the consensus is that fringe parking now "does not work".

Another necessity for cities planning fringe parking lots is the provision of convenient shelters to protect patrons from inclement weather. — *American Municipal Association Report.*

CITIES GENERALLY DO NOT CONTROL PRIVATE PARKING RATES.

Review of numerous ordinances and other materials by AMA for a member league shows that cities do not generally exercise any control over rates charged for parking. Supply and demand seems to furnish the regulation needed. Generally, however, applications for a parking lot or garage license require that rates charged be set forth in the application, that rates be posted conspicuously at the entrance to the lot, and that rates cannot be changed without official written notice to the municipality.

—*American Municipal Association Report.*

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, December 27, 1954.

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 2 P.M., President WHITE in the chair, and all the members present.

The Reverend Morris A. Inch, South Baptist Church, South Boston, was escorted to the rostrum.

INVOCATION BY REV. MORRIS A. INCH.

Our Father, we thank Thee for the spiritual heritage of our country, a nation under God. We thank Thee truly that we people are those who have been endowed by their Creator with certain inalienable rights.

We pray that Thy richest blessing fall upon our civil servants in general, and upon this body of men in particular. We ask that Thou shouldst give them courage to stand for what they believe is right, tempered with an open-mindedness to consider the viewpoints of others, and a consuming love which places others above self, and the will of God supreme. We hope that they may have the determination and wisdom to preserve our spiritual heritage and to guard it against its enemies, that our banner may be unfolded before the world so that they may know we are truly a nation under God.

This we ask in the name of Jesus Christ. Amen.

The meeting was opened with the salute to the Flag.

RECESS.

On motion of Councillor McCormack, the Council voted to take a recess at 2.35 P.M., subject to the call of the Chair. The members reassembled in the Council Chamber and were called to order by President WHITE at 3.37 P.M.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. AHEARN, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following:

Report on message of the Mayor and order (referred August 16) for approval of a site in the City of Boston for construction of an incinerator by Metropolitan District Commission—that the order ought not to pass.

The report was accepted.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN moved that the order as submitted by the Mayor be substituted for the recommendation of the committee. The motion was lost, yeas 3, nays 6:

Yeas—Councillors Hailer, McLaughlin, Piemonte—3.

Nays—Councillors Ahearn, Foley, Hurley, Kerrigan, McCormack, White—6.

The question then came on the rejection of the order as recommended by the committee, and the order was rejected.

ALTERNATE SITE FOR INCINERATOR IN DORCHESTER.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Resolved, That the City Council having duly considered the message of the Mayor and order of August 16, 1954, relative to the construction of an incinerator by the Metropolitan District Commission in the Cedar Grove section of Dorchester, and having voted today to reject such order, desires that his Honor the Mayor submit an order to the Council for an alternate site for an incinerator in the Dorchester section of the City of Boston, other than the aforesaid Cedar Grove section site.

Coun. FOLEY moved to amend the foregoing resolution by adding the following words:

", and that such order include a provision that the said incinerator be built and controlled by the City of Boston or if the order provide that the Metropolitan District Commission construct an incinerator, that there be a written understanding with the Metropolitan District Commission that use of the incinerator by other cities and towns be subject to an absolute veto by the City of Boston."

The amendment was adopted.

The resolution as amended was adopted under suspension of the rules.

PRESENTATION OF GAVEL TO PRESIDENT WHITE.

Coun. HURLEY, in behalf of the members of the Council, presented President WHITE a gavel in appreciation of his services as President of the Council for the municipal year of 1954.

President WHITE expressed his thanks and his appreciation of the consideration and co-operation throughout the year of the Council members, Council attaches, and members of the press. (Applause.)

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC HOUSING.

Coun. HURLEY, for the Committee on Public Housing, submitted the following:

Report on notice of State Housing Board (referred December 27) approving sale of 14 parcels of property under section 6 of chapter 372 of Acts of 1946—that same be placed on file.

The report was accepted, and the notice was placed on file.

THE NEXT MEETING.

Coun. HURLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That when the City Council adjourns today it adjourn to meet again on Monday, January 3, 1955, at 11 A.M.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR.

Subject to confirmation by the Council, the Mayor submitted the following appointment:

Constable with authority to serve civil process upon filing of bond for the term ending April 30, 1955: Max Ostrofsky, 29 Auburn Street, Boston.

Referred to the Committee on Confirmations.

HIGH SPEED MASS TRANSPORTATION BY NEW YORK, NEW HAVEN & HARTFORD RAILROAD FROM HYDE PARK STATION TO DOWNTOWN BOSTON.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, December 27, 1954.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company relative to your order of November 29, 1954, concerning high speed mass transportation from Hyde Park Station to downtown Boston.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

The New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company,
New Haven, Connecticut,
December 14, 1954.

Mr. Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.

Dear Mr. Flemming:

I appreciate your letter of December 7 and a copy of the order of Councillors Foley and Hailer of November 29, 1954, requesting this company to provide service from our Hyde Park Station to downtown Boston through utilization of self-propelled Budd units.

At the present time we have nine trains between Hyde Park and South Station, Mondays through Fridays; on Saturdays there are six trains. The Metropolitan Transit Authority provides frequent service between the Hyde Park area and downtown Boston.

During the period September 28, 1953, through September 10, 1954, we experimented with four additional midday trains between Hyde Park and South Station, Mondays through Fridays, utilizing self-propelled Budd units. Although we increased our train service by 43 per cent, utilizing the most modern type equipment available, the increase in travel between Hyde Park and Boston was negligible. After almost one year's experimentation this midday service between Hyde Park and Boston was discontinued as the limited patronage did not produce revenue sufficient to meet the operating expenses.

In view of our recent experiment and the fact we cannot economically transport passengers locally within the city limits of Boston, no further experimentation between Hyde Park and South Station is proposed.

Sincerely,
PATRICK B. McGINNIS.

Placed on file.

PUBLIC PLAY AREA IN VICINITY OF "CORRIGANVILLE."

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, December 27, 1954.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissoner of Parks and Recreation concerning your order of December 13, 1954, relative to locating a public play area in the vicinity of the public housing development known as "Corriganville" in the Hyde Park section.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Parks and Recreation Department,
December 20, 1954.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.

Dear Sir:

This will acknowledge your memorandum of December 15, with enclosure, Councillor McCormack's order that the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation investigate the possibilities of locating a public play area in the vicinity of the public housing development known as "Corriganville" in the Hyde Park section of Boston.

Kindly inform Councillor McCormack that the Parks and Recreation Department has a parcel of land in the Corriganville section, off Truman Highway, which we hope to develop in the near future. The question of the development depends upon obtaining sufficient funds.

Very truly yours,
FRANK R. KELLEY,
Commissioner.

Placed on file.

MONTHLY SYSTEM FOR PAYMENT OF TAXES.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, December 27, 1954.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith a report of the Director of Administrative Services anent your order of December 6 inquiring into the possibility of establishing a system for the monthly payment of taxes.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Administrative Services Department,
December 27, 1954.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Sir:

In conformity with the order adopted by the City Council under date of December 6, 1954, I have studied "the feasibility of the City of Boston adopting and encouraging a plan for property owners to make monthly payments in anticipation of their real estate tax bill." I submit the following comments on this proposal.

Under the provisions of section 22 of chapter 60 of the General Laws, taxpayers may make partial payments of taxes under the following conditions:

First, that the Collector has received from the Assessors a commitment of the tax.

Second, that the partial payment tendered be not less than 10 per cent of the total tax, but in no event less in amount than $10.

Under existing procedure, the Collector is not in full possession of Assessors' commitments until the middle or end of August. This is so because, after declaring the tax rate on or about the middle of June, the Assessors must first enter and extend the rate on more than 110,000 bills and then complete a series of "manuscripts" arranged by wards in which the tax liability of owners of property in the respective wards are individually listed. The bills and "manuscripts," when prepared, are delivered to the Collector-Treasurer, the bills to be mailed and the books to serve as ledgers wherein payments received are posted against the individual property accounts involved. Until the Collector-Treasurer receives these commitments, he has no knowledge or record of the amounts due from individual taxpayers.

Since all taxes must be paid by November first to avoid delinquency interest charges, there exists under a strict interpretation of the partial payment law a period of not more than three months during which such payments may be accepted by the Collector-Treasurer. Admittedly, this is too short a period to be attractive to taxpayers desiring to spread payments of their tax bill.

It may be claimed that the statutory provisions mentioned do not prohibit acceptance by the Collector-Treasurer of payments in advance of the declaration of the tax rate and

that, by so doing, the city will be able to reduce the amount of notes now issued in anticipation of taxes, thus saving a goodly portion of the interest paid on such notes. Such a claim overlooks the accounting problems and expense which would arise. To accept partial payments before receipt of the Assessors' commitment records would necessitate the setting up by the Collector-Treasurer of memorandum accounts and, subsequently, transferring such records to the ledger accounts committed by the Assessors. If any great volume of partial payments should develop, it would undoubtedly be necessary for the Collector-Treasurer to establish a separate division for the handling of such accounts and staff this division with a number of additional employees. Whereas a tax payment under present procedure involves only one accounting entry, each partial payment would involve a separate accounting entity which could not be resolved or discharged until the debit represented by the Assessors' commitment was in the possession of the Collector-Treasurer.

There is another aspect to this proposal which merits consideration. All real estate mortgages carried by banks today contain a requirement that the monthly payments shall include an amount equivalent to one-twelfth of the estimated property taxes. The amounts so received are accumulated by the banks to pay the property taxes when they become due. A substantial portion of the real property taxes now received by the city come from banks holding mortgages on the properties involved. Since this procedure protects the interest of the banks in the mortgaged properties, it is doubtful if the banks would agree to eliminate this charge on the promise or understanding that the mortgagee would make partial payments direct to the city. As long as a large segment of property owners continue to budget tax payments through banks, there would appear to be little need for the city to enter this field.

In view of the foregoing comments, I am of the opinion that under existing conditions it would not be feasible for the city to consider the establishment of a plan whereby property owners would make monthly payments in anticipation of their tax bills.

Respectfully yours,
CHARLES J. FOX, Director.

Placed on file.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committee named, viz.:

Claims.

James E. Attaya, for compensation for damage to car by police car.

Alice Cadigan, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Hawley street.

Joseph B. Clark, for compensation for damage to car by police car.

Gertrude C. Crowley, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 92 Moreland street, Roxbury.

John F. Driscoll, for compensation for eyeglasses broken by patient at City Hospital.

Muriel Garnett, for compensation for damage to car by city truck.

Ruth F. Giddon, for compensation for damage to car by city motor vehicle.

Hardware Mutuals, for compensation for damage to car of Jacob Demask by city car.

Ruth Hoyt, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Cedric street, Roxbury.

James Lipman, for compensation for damage to car by city truck.

John Manning, Trustee of The Evelyn Trust, for compensation for damage to property at 122 Brighton avenue, Allston, caused by broken water main.

Charles E. McCarthy, for compensation for damage to property at 17 Gould street, West Roxbury, during refinishing of Gould street.

Michael Mulligan, for compensation for damage to car by city truck.

PETITION FOR ANNUITY.

Petition of Mildred J. Greene to be paid annuity on account of death of her husband, Walter H. Greene, late member of the Fire Department.

Referred to the Committee on Claims.

COMMUNICATION FROM STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

A communication was received from the State Department of Public Works transmitting copy of layout and order for taking of a portion of state highway (John F. Fitzgerald Expressway).

Referred to the Committee on Public Lands.

APPROVAL OF CONSTABLE'S BOND.

The constable's bond of Harold Learner, having been duly approved by the Collector-Treasurer, was received and approved.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFIRMATIONS.

Coun. McCORMACK, for the Committee on Confirmations, submitted the following:

Report on appointment by the Mayor (referred December 20) of Hyman M. Fritz as constable with authority to serve civil process upon filing of bond for the term ending April 30, 1955—recommending that appointment be confirmed.

The report was accepted, and the question came on confirmation. Committee, Councillors Foley and Piemonte. Whole number of ballots 7, yeas 7, and the appointment was confirmed.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON INSPECTION OF PRISONS.

Coun. KERRIGAN, for the Committee on Inspection of Prisons, submitted the following:

The Committee on Inspection of Prisons respectfully submits the following report of commitments to and discharges and transfers from the Suffolk County House of Correction and Charles Street Jail during the municipal year 1954.

For the Committee,
JOHN E. KERRIGAN, Chairman.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts,
Sheriff's Office, July 3, 1954.

To the Inspectors of Prisons for the County of Suffolk.

Gentlemen:

I respectfully submit the following report of commitments to and discbarges from the Suffolk County Jail for the period January 1, 1954, to June 30, 1954.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Remaining Dec. 31, 1953	154	32	186
Committed Jan. 1 to June 30, 1954	3774	438	4212
Discharged Jan. 1 to June 30, 1954	3694	440	4134
Remaining June 30, 1954	234	30	264
Escapes			0
Deaths			0
Insane			14

Respectfully submitted,
FREDERICK R. SULLIVAN,
Sheriff and Jailer.

Suffolk County,
House of Correction, June 16, 1954.

To the Inspectors of Prisons for the County of Suffolk.

Gentlemen:

I respectfully submit the following report of the commitments to and the discbarges from the Suffolk County House of Correction at Deer Island from December 16, 1953, to June 15, 1954, inclusive:

Remaining December 15, 1953	606
Committed	1417
Discharged	1280
Remaining, June 15, 1954	643

SHOWING HOW DISCHARGED.

Expiration of sentence	811
Expiration of sentence and fine paid	19
Fine paid and permit of Penal Commissioner	2
Permit of Penal Commissioner	429
Order of the court	5
Died	1
Transferred to:	
Barnstable County House of Correction	1
Boston State Hospital	1
Charles Street Jail	3
Massachusetts Reformatory at Concord,	3
Metropolitan State Hospital	1
Norfolk Prison Colony	3
State Farm at Bridgewater	1

Respectfully submitted,
ROBERT F. MACKIE, Master.

Suffolk County,

House of Correction, December 16, 1954.

To the Inspectors of Prisons for the County of Suffolk.

Gentlemen:

I respectfully submit the following report of the commitments to and the discharges from the Suffolk County House of Correction at Deer Island from June 16, 1954, to December 15, 1954, inclusive:

Remaining June 15, 1954	643
Committed	1627
Discharged	1667
Remaining December 15, 1954	603

SHOWING HOW DISCHARGED.

Expiration of sentence	975
Expiration of sentence and fine paid	46
Expiration of sentence and permit of Penal Commissioner	5
Fine paid and permit of Penal Commissioner	2
Permit of Penal Commissioner	620
Paroled by the Department of Correction	1
Order of the court	4
Died	2
Escaped	1
Transferred to:	
Boston Psychopathic Hospital	1
Boston State Hospital	1
Charles Street Jail	1
Norfolk Prison Colony	1
State Farm at Bridgewater	2
Cambridge House of Correction	1
Dedham House of Correction	1
Springfield House of Correction	1
Taunton State Hospital	1
Metropolitan State Hospital	1

Respectfully submitted,
EDWIN M. MALONE, Master.

The report was accepted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC LANDS.

Coun. FOLEY, for the Committee on Public Lands, submitted the following:

1. Report on order (referred September 20) for transfer of 25,440 square feet of land on South Ferry Landing, Eastern avenue, Boston Proper, from Public Works Department to Commissioner of Real Property—recommending that the order ought to pass.

The report was accepted, and the question came on the passage of the order, and the order was passed, yeas 6, nays 0:

Yeas—Councillors Foley, Hurley, Kerrigan, McCormack, Piemonte, White—6.

Nays—0.

2. Report on order (referred September 20) for transfer of 1,893 square feet of land on East street, corner of East Street place, Boston Proper, from the Fire Department to Commissioner of Real Property—recommending no further action is necessary.

The report was accepted.

3. Report on transfer to the Chairman, Board of Real Estate Commissioners (referred September 27), of 4,145 square feet of land on the northeasterly side of Freeport street, Dorchester, described as Parcel No. 7 in message of Mayor and order of April 27, 1953—recommending no further action is necessary.

The report was accepted.

FLOODING OF AVAILABLE PLAY AREA IN FRANKLIN FIELD FOR SKATING.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Resolved, That the Park Commissioner be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to make a special effort to flood all the available play area in Franklin Field for ice skating; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be forthwith transmitted to the Park Commissioner.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

PLAY AREA IN VICINITY OF 1449 AND 1453 HYDE PARK AVENUE.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Ordered, That the chairman of the Boston Park Commission and the members of the George Robert White Fund be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to make a survey of the area located on Hyde Park avenue, facing No. 1449 and No. 1453, or some other suitable place in the immediate vicinity, with a view to establishing a play area for the small children of this section.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

COLLECTION OF GARBAGE AND TRASH IN SAME TRUCKS.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That under section 17F of the City Charter the Health Commissioner be directed to state in writing by January 10, 1955, whether, as a matter of public health policy, it is desirable or advisable to permit the collection of garbage and trash in the same trucks and utilizing the same receptacles.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

Adjourned at 5.13 P.M., on motion of Councillor Kerrigan, to meet on Monday, January 3, 1955, at 11 A.M.

PROCEEDINGS OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Nov. 8. 1954

A special meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, at 6.35 o'clock P. M., the Chairman presiding.

Present: Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Museo.

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APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The reading of the minutes of Oct. 18, 1954, was omitted, the Committee approving them as printed.

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AMENDMENT OF MINUTES

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the minutes of the meeting of May 12, 1954, are hereby amended as follows:

On page 169, under Order 5, Elementary Arithmetic, by striking out in the fifth line the words "Grade XI.* net 3.09."

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Museo —4

NAYS—0

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1

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TRANSFER OF APPROPRIATION

The following communication was presented:

Department of School Buildings
26 Norman Street
Boston, Mass.
October 6, 1954.

Miss Agnes E. Reynolds
Secretary, Boston School Committee
15 Beacon Street
Boston, Massachusetts

Dear Miss Reynolds:

Under date of October 5, 1954 you forwarded transfer order to the Board of Commissioners of School Buildings:-

ORDERED, That of the amounts appropriated at the meeting of April 28, 1949 (see pp. 81-82), the following sums are hereby transferred to the 1954 item for rent of hired accommodations as indicated:

FROM

Item 4, 1949—Bennett District Brighton: Construction and furnishing of addition to garage, Brighton High School	$1,746.16
Item 3, 1949—John A. Andrew District, South Boston: Plans, construction and furnishing of addition to Michael J. Perkins School (five classrooms and kindergarten)	5,753.84
Total	$7,500.00

TO

Item 2, 1951—Rent of hired accommodations	$7,500.00

At a meeting of the Board of Commissioners of School Buildings, at which meeting Chairman Joseph F. O'Connell, Jr., and Commissioner Matthew T. Connolly were present and voting, it was voted to report favorably on the above described transfer order, all as provided is Section 7, Chapter351 of the Acts of 1929.

Very truly yours,
Board of Commissioners of School Buildings
(Signed) Joseph F. O'Connell, Jr.
Chairman

Placed on file.

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The following was offered:

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Total	$7,500.00

TO

Item 2, 1951—Rent of hired accommodations	$7,500.00

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Museo —4

NAYS—0

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1

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BOND ISSUE

The following communication was presented:

City of Boston
in City Council

ORDERED, That under the provisions of Clause 3 of section 7 of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, the sum of five million dollars ($5,000,000) be, and hereby is, appropriated, for the purpose of acquiring land for, and constructing, public schoolhouses in the City of Boston, including originally equipping and furnishing such schoolhouses; and that to meet said appropriation the Collector-Treasurer is hereby authorized to issue, from time to time, on request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the City of Boston to said amount.

In City Council September 7, 1954. Read once and passed — yeas seven, nays none.

In City Council September 27, 1954. Read a second time and again passed — yeas seven, nays none.

Approved by the Mayor September 28, 1954, he certifying on the original order that the foregoing loan order is not, in his opinion, to meet a current expense.

Attest:
(Signed) W. J. Malloy
City Clerk.
October 19, 1954

I hereby certify that no petition, asking that the question of approving or disapproving the foregoing order, be submitted to the voters, was filed with the City Clerk within twenty days from September 28, 1954, and the order therefore becomes effective on October 19, 1954, in accordance with the provisions of chapter 108 of the Acts of 1939.

Attest:
(Signed) W. J. Malloy
City Clerk.

Placed on file.

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IN MEMORIAM

The Superintendent regretfully reported the death of the following-named teacher who had been retired under the provisions of the State-Boston Retirement System:

Dorchester High School—Orren R. Tarr, Oct. 30, 1954.

Placed on file.

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The Superintendent regretfully reported the deaths of the following - named teachers who had been retired on pension:

Bowditch District — Alice Greene, Oct. 20, 1954.

Department of Industrial Arts —Ellen N. Nolan, Oct. 21, 1954.

Placed on file.

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The Superintendent regretfully reported the death on Oct. 31, 1954, of Margaret M. O'Neill, custodian, Copley School, who was retired on pension under the provisions of the Boston Retirement System.

Placed on file.

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The School Committee requested that a letter of condolence, to be signed by the Secretary, be sent to the families of the bereaved.

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RETIREMENTS ON PENSION

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Nov. 8, 1954, reporting the retirement from active service of Ida F. Wall, teacher, elementary, William E. Endicott District, a member of the State-Boston Retirement System, to take effect Oct. 31, 1954, as reported by the Boston Retirement Board.

Placed on file.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Nov. 8, 1954, reporting the retirement from active service of the following-named veteran who has been retired under the provisions of Chapter 32 of the General Laws, as amended:

Boston Technical High School —Albert A. LaPlante, master, $3650.40 per annum, Nov. 9, 1954.

Placed on file.

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WITHDRAWAL OF APPOINTMENT

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Nov. 8, 1954, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee and at the request of the teacher concerned, he has withdrawn the appoint-

ment of the following-named teacher, as approved at the meeting of Oct. 4, 1954:

Jamaica Plain High School—Albert A. Thompson, head of department (from master, Boston Latin School), Oct. 25, 1954.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the withdrawal of appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco —4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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APPOINTMENTS

The following nominations by the Superintendent, certified by him as being in accordance with the rules and regulations, to take effect on the dates stated, were presented:

(FROM THE ELIGIBLE LIST)

Boston Latin School—William J. Higgins, junior master (seventh year salary — $4368 — anniversary date Jan. 1), Jan. 1, 1955; Sidney Rosenthal, junior master (from teacher, junior high, Solomon Lewenberg Junior High School), Dec. 1, 1954.

Girls' Latin School — Dorothy T. Scanlon, assistant, (second year salary—$3648—anniversary date Dec. 1), Dec. 1, 1954.

Boston Trade High School—Maurice Temple, senior instructor (third year salary—$3792—anniversary date Dec. 1), Dec. 1, 1954.

Brighton High School—Elizabeth Carty Heywood, assistant (re-entrant, resigned from Dorchester High School, Aug. 31, 1930, fourth year salary—$3936—anniversary date Dec. 1), Dec. 1, 1954.

Charlestown High School — Robert E. Hayes, junior master (seventh year salary—$4368—anniversary date Jan. 1), Jan. 1, 1955.

Dorchester High School—Helen F. Burns, assistant (fourth year salary — $3936—anniversary date Dec. 1), Dec. 1, 1954; Mary McCarthy O'Keefe, assistant (reentrant, resigned from Jeremiah E. Burke High School, Jan. 31, 1945, sixth year salary—$4224—anniversary date Jan. 1), Jan. 1, 1955.

Girls' High School—Mary E. Fox, assistant (from teacher, junior high, Patrick T. Campbell Junior High School), Dec. 1, 1954.

Jamaica Plain High School — Mary E. Thyne, assistant (seventh year salary — $4368—anniversary date Jan. 1), Jan. 1. 1955.

Roslindale High School—John A. Grasso, junior master (third year salary—$3792—anniversary date Dec. 1), Dec. 1, 1954.

Roxbury Memorial High School (Girls) Lea Wolff, assistant (third year salary—$3792—anniversary date Dec. 1), Dec. 1, 1954.

Beethoven District—Marianna H. D. McIntyre, teacher, elementary (fourth year salary—$3924—anniversary date Jan. 1), Jan. 1, 1955; Adele M. Twomey, teacher, elementary (third year salary—$3780—anniversary date Dec. 1), Dec. 1, 1954; Jeanne C. Russo, teacher, elementary (fourth year salary—$3924—anniversary date Dec. 1), Dec. 1, 1954.

Blackinton — John Cheverus District—Eva Gall, teacher, elementary (third year salary — $3780—anniversary date Dec. 1), Dec. 1, 1954; Philip A. Marino, teacher, elementary (third year salary—$3780—anniversary date Dec. 1), Dec. 1, 1954; Adam J. Owens, teacher, junior high (fourth year salary—$3924—anniversary date Jan. 1), Jan. 1, 1955.

Chapman District — Leo W. Bieler, teacher, elementary (third year salary—$3780—anniversary date Dec. 1), Dec. 1, 1954.

Christopher Gibson District—Ruth V. Healy, teacher, elementary (fourth year salary—$3924—anniversary date Jan. 1), Jan. 1, 1955; Irving A. Krutter, teacher, elementary (second year salary — $3636 — anniversary date, Dec. 1), Dec. 1, 1954.

Dillaway District — Mary V. Hargedon, teacher, elementary (fourth year salary—$3924—anniversary date Dec. 1), Dec. 1, 1954.

Dudley District — Sara H. Houston, teacher, elementary (fourth year salary—$3924—anniversary date Dec. 1), Dec. 1, 1954.

Dwight District — Jewell H. Cox Vanderhoop, teacher, elementary (third year salary — $3780—anniversary date Dec. 1), Dec. 1, 1954.

Edward Everett District — Jeanne M. Creamer, teacher, elementary (third year salary — $3780—anniversary date Dec. 1), Dec. 1, 1954.

Elihu Greenwood District — Mary M. Dunn, teacher, elementary (fourth year salary—$3924—anniversary date Jan. 1), Jan. 1, 1955.

Ellis Mendell District—Muriel A. Moloney, teacher, elementary (third year salary—$3780—anniversary date Dec. 1), Dec. 1, 1954.

Emily A. Fifield-Gilbert Stuart District — Elizabeth A. Cummings, teacher, elementary (third year salary—$3780—anniversary date Dec. 1), Dec. 1, 1954.

Francis Parkman District — Robert P. Carroll, teacher, junior high (third year salary—$3780—anniversary date Dec. 1), Dec. 1, 1954.

Grover Cleveland Junior High School — Thomas B. Lavin, teacher, junior high (fourth year salary—$3924—anniversary date Dec. 1), Dec. 1, 1954.

Hart-Gaston-Perry District — Ellen M. Ahern, teacher, elementary (third year salary—$3780—anniversary date Dec. 1), Dec. 1, 1954; Charles J. Garvey, teacher, elementary (second year salary — $3636 — anniversary date Jan. 1), Jan. 1, 1955; Jeanne S. McCarthy, teacher, elementary (third year salary—$3780—anniversary date Dec. 1), Dec. 1, 1954.

Henry L. Higginson District—Dorothy Berger, teacher, elementary (third year salary—$3780—anniversary date Dec. 1), Dec. 1, 1954.

James J. Chittick District — Joan Donoghue Creedon, teacher, elementary (second year salary — $3636 — anniversary date Jan. 1), Jan. 1, 1955.

Jefferson District — Mary F. Flynn, teacher, elementary (third year salary—$3780—anniversary date Dec. 1), Dec. 1, 1954.

John A. Andrew District — Claire L. Thornton, teacher, elementary (third year salary — $3780—anniversary date Dec. 1), Dec. 1, 1954.

John Marshall District—Anna Sullivan Glancy, teacher, elementary (third year salary — $3780—anniversary date Dec. 1), Dec. 1, 1954.

Julia Ward Howe District — Mary T. Devlin, teacher, elementary (fourth year salary—$3924—anniversary date Dec. 1), Dec. 1, 1954.

Lowell District — Marjorie A. Cotter, teacher, elementary (third year salary — $3780—anniversary date Dec. 1), Dec. 1, 1954; Mary F. Donohue, teacher, elementary (fourth year salary—$3924—anniversary date Jan. 1), Jan. 1, 1955.

Martin District — Louis G. Kreinsen, teacher, junior high (fourth year salary—$3924—anniversary date Dec. 1), Dec. 1, 1954.

Mary E. Curley Junior High School — Philip C. Hatton, teacher, junior high (third year salary—$3780—anniversary date Dec. 1), Dec. 1, 1954.

Norcross District — Elizabeth A. Steeves, teacher, elementary (fourth year salary—$3924—anniversary date Jan. 1), Jan. 1, 1955.

Patrick T. Campbell Junior High School—James A. Cronin, teacher, junior high (third year salary—$3780—anniversary date Dec. 1), Dec. 1, 1954.

Phillips Brooks District — Patricia A. Coughlin, teacher, elementary (third year salary — $3780—anniversary date Dec. 1), Dec. 1, 1954.

Prince District—Anna E. Lewdansky, teacher, elementary (third year salary—$3780—anniversary date Dec. 1), Dec. 1, 1954.

Robert Treat Paine District—Virginia Duseau, teacher, elementary (third year salary — $3780—anniversary date Dec. 1), Dec. 1, 1954; Mary A. Leslie, teacher, elementary (third year salary—$3780—anniversary date Dec. 1), Dec. 1, 1954; Anita Stone, teacher, elementary (third year salary—$3780—anniversary date Dec. 1), Dec. 1, 1954.

Roger Wolcott District—Jeanne M. Caristi, teacher, elementary (fourth year salary—$3924—anniversary date Jan. 1), Jan. 1, 1955; Theresa L. Molloy, teacher, elementary (third year salary—$3780—anniversary date Dec. 1), 1954; Marie M. Monafo, teach-

er, elementary (second year salary — $3636 — anniversary date Jan. 1), Jan. 1, 1955.

Solomon Lewenberg Junior High School — Peter E. Burns, teacher, junior high (eighth year salary—$4500—anniversary date Jan. 1), Jan. 1, 1955; Ann C. Horrigan, teacher, junior high (from teacher, elementary, James J. Chittick District), Dec. 1, 1954.

Washington Allston District — Rita H. Crowley, teacher, elementary (third year salary — $3780—anniversary date Dec. 1), Dec. 1, 1954; Virginia A. Kenny, teacher, elementary (third year salary—$3780—anniversary date Dec. 1), Dec. 1, 1954.

Washington Irving Junior High School — Joseph P. Loughnane, teacher, junior high (third year salary—$3780—anniversary date Dec. 1), Dec. 1, 1954.

William E. Endicott District — Alma M. Valorosi, teacher, elementary (minimum salary — $3492—anniversary date Jan. 1), Jan. 1, 1955.

William E. Russell District — Patricia A. Connolly, teacher, elementary (third year salary—$3780—anniversary date Dec. 1), Dec. 1, 1954; Marie T. Hayes, teacher, junior high (third year salary—$3780—anniversary date Dec. 1), Dec. 1, 1954; Francis A. Hurley, teacher, junior high (second year salary—$3636—anniversary date Jan. 1), Jan. 1, 1955.

William Howard Taft Junior High School—Robert M. Spector, teacher, junior high (fifth year salary—$4068—anniversary date Dec. 1), Dec. 1, 1954.

Department of Fine Arts — Jane D. O'Regan, supervisor in fine arts, (from teacher, junior high, Solomon Lewenberg Junior High School), Dec. 1, 1954.

Department of Industrial Arts —Nobert W. Bushlow, shop instructor (fourth year salary — $3924—anniversary date Dec. 1), Dec. 1, 1954; Malcolm P. McLellan, shop instructor (minimum salary—$3492—anniversary date Dec. 1), Dec. 1, 1954.

Laid over.

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(BY PROMOTION)

Jamaica Plain High School — Charles E. Duffy, head of department (from master, High School of Commerce), Oct. 11, 1954.

Laid over.

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(CHANGE IN RANK)

Boston Technical High School —Charles D. Plumb, Junior master (from instructor, mechanic arts), Sept. 1, 1954.

Boston Trade High School — John P. Doyle, Joseph J. Saxon, Jr., senior instructors (from trade instructors), Sept. 1, 1954.

Dorchester High School—Daniel V. Lovett, junior master (from co-operative instructor), Sept. 1, 1954.

Hyde Park High School — Thomas A. O'Loughlin, junior master (from co-operative instructor), Sept. 1, 1954.

Laid over.

DEPARTMENT OF ADULT EDUCATIONAL AND RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES

(Term 1954-55)

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Nov. 8, 1954, reporting, subject to the approval of the School Committee, the appointment of the following-named persons for service in the evening schools for the term 1954-55:

Boston Central Evening High School — William Fishman, assistant, Sept. 30, 1954; Laurence A. O'Brien, assistant, Oct. 5, 1954; Nathaniel J. Hasenfus, assistant, Oct. 5 to 26, 1954 (six evenings); John H. Ward, assistant, Oct. 5 to 21, 1954 (four evenings); Joseph W. Hopkinson, Mark F. Russo, assistants, Oct. 5 to 19, 1954 (four evenings); John M. Barry, assistant, Oct. 5, 1954 (one evening); Charles L. McCarthy, assistant, Oct. 7, 1954 (one evening); Fred Holmes, assistant, Oct. 26, 1954 (one evening); Michael Barea, Leslie E. Morris, laboratory assistants, Oct. 5, 1954.

Brighton Evening Commercial High School—Lillian G. Blacker, Bertha M. Swift, assistants, Oct. 5, 1954; Mary P. Hopkins, Grace E. McCall, assistants, Oct. 5 to 14, 1954 (three evenings).

Dorchester Evening Commercial High School—Edward J. Davis, assistant, Oct. 5, 1954; Julian Goulston, assistant, Oct. 5 to 21, 1954 (five evenings); Charles F. Coveney, Andrew R. McCormick, John T. Ryan, assistants, Oct. 5 to 19, 1954 (four evenings); Thomas G. Eccles, assistant, Oct. 7, 1954 (one evening); John F. Best, assistant, Oct. 14, 1954.

East Boston Evening Commercial High School—Arthur V. Donnellan, assistant, Sept. 30 to Oct. 19, 1954 (five evenings); Robert E. Hayes, Armando S. Rossi, assistants, Oct. 5, 1954; Adeline G. Glennon, assistant, Oct. 21, 1954.

Roslindale Evening Commercial High School — Eugene J. Plociennik, assistant, Sept. 28 to Oct. 7, 1954 (four evenings); Ralph Rosenthal, assistant, Sept. 30, 1954; Carolyn Capitell Fitzpatrick, Irene T. Quinn, assistants, Oct. 5, 1954; Francis E. O'Brien, assistant, Oct. 5 to 19, 1954 (four evenings); William A. Hartigan, assistant, Oct. 14 to 19, 1954 (two evenings); John J. DeLucer, assistant, Oct. 19, 1954.

Roxbury Evening Commercial High School—Maurice J. Downey, first assistant, Oct. 7, 1954; Helen F. Burns, Helen J. Burns, William T. Cameron, Martin J. Davin, Mildred I. Kendall, assistants, Oct. 5, 1954; Ralph C. Good, James L. Higgins, assistants, Oct. 5 to 19, 1954 (four evenings); William J. Bond, assistant, Oct. 5 to 21, 1954 (four evenings); J. Clifford Ronan, assistant, Oct. 5 to 28, 1954 (four evenings); Ruth V. Brennan, assistant, Oct. 28, 1954.

South Boston Evening Commercial High School — Florence C. DesAutels, Mary K. Hickey, assistants, Oct. 5, 1954; Ruth V. Brennan, assistant, Oct. 5 to 26, 1954 (six evenings); N. Josephine Mahoney, assistant, Oct. 7, 1954; Rosemary L. Barry, assistant, Oct. 14, 1954; Thomas R. Murphy, assistant, Oct. 28, 1954; Katherine M. Blessington, assistant, Oct. 28, 1954 (one evening); Fred Holmes, assistant, Nov. 2 to 4, 1954 (two evenings).

Brighton Evening School — Mildred R. Ducey, Mary E. Hutchinson, Laura E. Karoblis, Dorothy Kerner, Marie B. Riccio, assistants, Oct. 5, 1954; Ruby L. M. Beatt, Erma C. Conners, Margaret L. Galway, assistants, Oct. 5, 1954; (Tuesday evenings only); Jessie R. Golden, assistant, Oct. 7, 1954.

Dorchester Evening School — Minnie I. Flaherty, Helen Govatsos, Ruth G. Sutherland, assistants, Oct. 5, 1954; Dorothy K. Morrill, Anna C. Quinn, assistants, Oct. 5 to 19, 1954 (four evenings); Marion R. Turley, assistant, Oct. 7, 1954; Anna M. Brennick, assistant, Oct. 7, 1954 (Thursday evenings only); Mary C. Mackey, assistant, Oct. 19, 1954.

Grover Cleveland Evening School — Irene J. DeMeulenaer, Marian B. Gallivan, assistants, Sept. 28 to Oct. 14, 1954 (five evenings); Agnes R. Kelley, assistant, Sept. 30 to Oct. 7, 1954 (three evenings); Ethel M. Breare, Mary E. Calnan, Frank Celona, Joseph L. Corey, Francis J. Graham, Phyllis A. Hartnett, Frances M. Holland, Margaret T. Jackson, Sarah Loomos, Ethel E. Mahoney, Mary R. McCue, Laura S. Perkins, Josephine J. Smith, Grace E. Sutherland, Joanna Wigder, assistants, Oct. 5, 1954; Anna M. Brennick, Morris A. Lubin, assistants, Oct. 5, 1954; (Tuesday evenings only); Mary A. Colleran, Arthur P. O'Neill, assistants, Oct. 7, 1954; Pauline M. Coronella, assistant, Oct. 19, 1954; Marguerite F. Kearney, assistant, Oct. 19, 1954 (Tuesday evenings only); Teresa A. Hamrock, assistant, Oct. 28, 1954.

Joseph H. Barnes Evening School—Harold E. Sanford, first assistant, Oct. 7, 1954 (one evening); Andrew S. Bertino, John Cuono, Rose C. Rossi, Nellie A. Solari, assistants, Oct. 5, 1954; Marie A. Guerriero, assistant, Oct. 14, 1954 (Thursday evenings only).

Patrick T. Campbell Evening School—Elisabeth B. Perlmuter, assistant, Sept. 30, 1954; Emma E. Cataldo, assistant, Oct. 5, 1954; Alice E. Sullivan, assistant, Oct. 7, 1954.

Roslindale Evening School — Annie L. Young, assistant, Sept. 30, 1954; Mary J. Benson, Cathryn J. Lauinger, Emma R. O'Donnell, Dorothy P. Ringius, Josephine A. Sullivan, Olive L. Tiffany, Katherine D. Vogel, assistants, Oct. 5, 1954; Margaret L. Galway, assistant, Oct. 7, 1954 (Thursday evenings only).

Roxbury Evening School — Bertha L. Sebio, Loretta E.

Shaw, B. Edith Tabb, Stephen Velardo, assistants, Oct. 5, 1954; Pasqualina M. Dobson, assistant, Oct. 26, 1954; Marion R. Shea, assistant, Oct. 28, 1954.

South Boston Evening School—Emilie C. Browning, Bertha W. Johnson, Esther F. Nicastro, Evelyn L. Houghton, assistants, Oct. 5, 1954; Martin E. Fitzpatrick, Lillian H. Furlong, assistants, Oct. 7, 1954.

South End Evening School — Frank D. Conn, assistant, Sept. 30, 1954; Agatha E. Guilford, Lydia A. Kouroyen, Cassie Logue, assistants, Oct. 5. 1954.

William Blackstone Evening School — Dorothea T. Callahan, Stella B. Ferullo, Norman Wean, assistants, Oct. 5, 1954; Margaret M. Callahan, assistant, Oct. 26, 1954.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Nov. 8, 1954, reporting, subject to the approval of the School Committee, the appointment of the following-named persons for service in the evening schools for the term 1954-55.

Boston Evening Trade School — Philip A. Bortnick, assistant in charge, Sept. 30, 1954; Walter J. Barry, Habib C. Deratany, Angelo R. Fiore, George W. MacNeill, Edward F. McHugh, William N. Mistler, Carl G. Nordgren, Raymond J. Powers, Samuel R. Romano, Stephen P. White, assistants, Sept. 28, 1954; Alphonse Ambrose, Warren C. Burnham, John P. Doyle, William E. Galli, Joseph E. Gleason, Alfred A. Osterman, Alexander Passaretti, John E. Welch, Benjamin Wolk, assistants, Oct. 5, 1954; Henry F. Binbeutel, Francis A. Caruso, Joseph J. Saxon, assistants, Oct. 7, 1954; Edward L. Maurer, assistant, Oct. 19, 1954; Thomas F. Burke, David J. Butler, Robert E. Butler, Eric H. Hampe, Thomas G. Healey, Caesar Johnson, Donald E. LeFeore, James H. Linnett, Jr., Frederick J. Viles, William F. Marcelonis, toolkeepers, Oct. 5, 1954; Arthur S. Benoit, toolkeeper. Oct. 7. 1954.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Nov. 8, 1954, reporting, that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has appointed the following-named persons for service in the evening schools for the term 1954-55:

Boston Central Evening High School—John K. Keelon, Louis Mazer, assistants, Oct. 5, 1954.

Brighton Evening Commercial High School—Peter J. Mullen, assistant, Oct. 5, 1954.

Dorchester Evening Commercial High School — William Ogrean, assistant, Oct. 5, 1954.

Roslindale Evening Commercial High School — James L. O'Brien, Cornelius J. O'Leary, Edward J. Scollins, assistants, Oct. 5, 1954.

Roxbury Evening Commercial High School—Edwin F. Butters, assistant, Oct. 5, 1954.

South Boston Evening Commercial High School — James E. Connell, assistant, Oct. 5, 1954.

Grover Cleveland Evening School — Catherine D. Boyd, Margaret M. Boyd, assistants, Sept. 30, 1954 (one evening).

Boston Evening Trade School —George E. Cole, George H. Hey, Rocco J. Sammartano, assistants, Sept. 28, 1954; Robert V. Dandrow, Anthony G. Ferzoco, George M. McColgan, David M. McIver, Alwin K. Milch, Harry J. Tobin, assistants, Oct. 5, 1954.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the regulations were suspended and the appointments approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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(Extended Use)

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Nov. 8, 1954, reporting, subject to the approval of the School Committee, the assignment of the following-named persons to serve in the Department of Adult Educational and Recreational Activities, Extended Use Division, for the term 1954-55.

Assignments

Frank J. Celona, Oct. 6, 1954; Ethel M. Percuco, Jeannine C. Hastings, Oct. 20, 1954; Phyllis M. Nigro, Oct. 25, 1954; Labeebee Saquet, Oct. 27 1954; Josephine A. Dee, Oct. 29, 1954; Esio J. Grassi, Nov. 3. 1954.

Re-assignments

Vincent Veneziano, Gertrude D. Wilson, Oct. 6, 1954.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the assignments and re-assignments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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INSTRUCTION OF PHYSICALLY HANDICAPPED CHILDREN

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Nov. 8, 1954, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has assigned the following - named temporary teachers for instruction of physically handicapped children, to take effect on the dates stated:

Katherine M. Beaver, Kathleen M. Kearney, Oct. 25, 1954; Charlotte M. Hanbury, Nov. 1, 1954; Esther G. Richards, Nov. 8, 1954.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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PLAY TEACHERS (Men)

(Junior High School)

(To take effect Sept. 27, 1954)

Horace Mann Shool for the Deaf
G. George Larsson

On roll call the appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4
NAYS—0
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1

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(High Schools)
(School year 1954-55)
(To take effect Oct. 5, 1954)
(Golf)

Boston Latin School, Richard A. Thomas.

Boston Technical High School, Edward J. Golden.

Boston Trade High School, Arthur Green.

English High School, Robert G. Simmons.

Hyde Park High School, Edward F. Murphy.

South Boston High School, Timothy F. Spillane.

Roxbury Memorial High School (Boys), Peter F. Kean.

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(Tennis)

Boston Latin School, Richard A. Thomas.

Boston Technical High School, Edward J. Golden.

Boston Trade High School, Benjamin Wolk.

Brighton High School, Samuel Romano.

Hyde Park High School, Edward F. Murphy.

Roxbury Memorial High School (Boys), Morris Greyser.

South Boston High School, Timothy F. Spillane.

On roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee and Musco—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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LEAVES OF ABSENCE

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Nov. 8, 1954, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has discontinued the leave of absence for military service granted Mary E. Silva Thomson, teacher, elementary, Henry L. Higginson District,

at the meeting of Sept. 4, 1952 (see p. 292), said discontinuance to take effect Sept. 30, 1954.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the discontinuance of leave of absence was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Nov. 8, 1954, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has discontinued the leaves of absence for maternity granted the following-named teachers at the meeting of Oct. 4, 1954, to take effect on the dates stated:

Roxbury Memorial High School (Girls)—Ellen R. Powers, assistant, Sept. 9, 1954.

Agassiz District—Natalie C. Floyd, teacher, elementary, Nov. 2, 1954.

James P. Timilty Junior High School—Mary E. Shute, teacher, junior high, Nov. 5, 1954.

Department of Home Economics—Jennie Roberts, teacher intermediate, sewing, Aug. 31, 1954.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the discontinuance of leaves of absence was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Nov. 8, 1954, recommending that, subject to the approval of the School Committee and under a suspension of the regulations, leave of absence without pay be granted the following-named persons for the terms specified:

William Lloyd Garrison District—Jeannette Casey, teacher, elementary, Sept. 1, 1954, to Feb. 28, 1955.

Department of Music—Helen J. Lynch, supervisor in vocal music, June 22, 1954, to June 23, 1955.

Department of School Lunches—Mary R. Tobin, cafeteria attendant, Sept. 1, 1954, to Feb. 28, 1955; Margaret R. Troy, cafeteria attendant, Oct. 5, 1954, to Jan. 4, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the regulations were suspended and the leaves of absence granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Nov. 8, 1954, recommending that leave of absence without pay for maternity be granted the following-named teachers, to take effect on the dates indicated and to continue until terminated by the Superintendent with the approval of the School Committee, provided that such leave shall be for a period of at least three months after the date of birth and provided further that no such leave shall in any event exceed eighteen months:

Henry L. Higginson District—Mary E. Thomson, teacher, elementary, Oct. 1, 1954

Department of Home Economics—Constance Englert, teacher, elementary, sewing, Nov. 1, 1954

Warren District—Irene C. Collins, teacher, elementary, Oct. 27, 1954.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the leaves of absence without pay were granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4

NAYS—0

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Nov. 8, 1954, reporting that, in accordance with the provisions of Section 283A, paragraph 3 of the Regulations, the maternity leave of absence without pay granted to Patricia M. Scannell, teacher, elementary, Blackinton-John Cheverus District, to take effect Nov. 30, 1953, has been terminated to take effect Oct. 29, 1954; and recommending that leave of absence without pay for maternity be granted to take effect Nov. 1, 1954, and to continue until terminated by the Superintendent with the approval of the School Committee, provided that such leave shall be for a period of at least three months after the date of birth and, provided further, that no such leave shall in any event exceed eighteen months.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the leave of absence without pay was granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That John J. Buckley, master, Hyde Park High School, is hereby granted leave of absence, in order that he may serve as Executive Secretary of the City of Boston Civic Improvement Committee, as follows:

From Nov. 9, 1954, to Dec. 31, 1954, without loss of pay

From Jan. 1, 1955, and to continue until otherwise ordered, without pay

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

TRANSFERS

A communication was received from the Superintendent under date of Nov. 8, 1954, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has made the following transfers of teachers, to take effect on the dates indicated:

Agnes V. Denehy, assistant, Charlestown High School, to the same position in the Dorchester High School, Jan. 1, 1955.

Amy L. Serpentino, teacher, elementary, Chapman District, to the same position in the Blackinton-John Cheverus District, Dec. 1, 1954.

Florette E. Tremblay, assistant, Dorchester High School, to the same position in the Brighton High School, Dec. 1, 1954.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the transfers were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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ASSIGNMENTS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Nov. 8, 1954, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has terminated the assignment of Alice W. Dinegan, assistant, Dorchester High School, to the Roxbury Memorial High School (Boys), to take effect Nov. 30, 1954.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the termination of assignment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Nov. 8, 1954, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has assigned Virginia A. Kenny, teacher, elementary, Washington Allston District, to Speech Improvement Classes, without change of rank or salary, to take effect Dec. 1, 1954, and to continue for the school year ending Aug. 31, 1955, unless earlier terminated by the Superintendent with the approval of the School Committee.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the assignment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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DESIGNATIONS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Nov. 8, 1954, reporting

that he has made the following designations of teachers, to serve in the positions indicated until such time as they shall be filled otherwise, in accordance with the rules and regulations, but not beyond Aug. 31, 1955:

High School of Commerce—Joseph M. O'Leary, guidance counselor,as acting head master, Sept. 1, 1954.

Oliver Wendell Holmes Junior High School—Nellie R. McNair, teacher, junior high, as acting vice principal, Oct. 18, 1954.

Samuel Adams District—John J. Passinisi, teacher, elementary, as acting submaster, Oct. 13, 1954.

Solomon Lewenberg Junior High School—Eli Helfen, teacher, junior high, as acting submaster, Oct. 14, 1954.

Thomas Gardner District—Mary L. Murphy, teacher, elementary, as acting vice principal, Sept. 8, 1954

Placed on file.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Nov. 8, 1954, reporting that he has made the following designations of teachers to serve in charge of buildings, in accordance with Order 7 of the Salary Schedule, to take effect on the dates indicated, and to continue for the school year ending Aug. 31, 1955, unless earlier terminated by the Superintendent:

Boston Trade High School—James B. Dolan, senior instructor, as teacher in charge of classes in the annex, Henry L. Pierce School Building, Sept. 1, 1954.

Edmund P. Tileston District—Henrietta W. Sheinker, teacher, elementary, as teacher in charge of the Martha A. Baker School Building, Sept. 1, 1954.

William Lloyd Garrison District—Marie H. O'Brien, teacher, elementary, as teacher in charge of the Williams School Building, Oct. 25, 1954.

Placed on file.

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REPORT ON MARRIED TEACHERS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Nov. 8, 1954, reporting that in accordance with the provisions of Section 283 of the regulations, the following-named female teachers have reported that they were married on the dates indicated:

Hart-Gaston-Perry District—Mildred T. McElroy, teacher, elementary, married Aug. 21, 1954, new name Mildred T. Silk.

Mather District—Marie F. Orvitt, teacher, elementary, married Oct. 30, 1954, new name Marie F. Wholley.

Woodrow Wilson Junior High School—Frieda Hochbaum, teacher, junior high, married Oct. 21, 1954, new name Frieda Greenburg.

Placed on file.

TRANSFERS OF SECRETARIES

A communication was received from the Secretary, under date of Nov. 8, 1954, reporting, subject to the approval of the School Committee, the following transfer of a school secretary:

Barbara A. O'Flaherty, secretary, Hugh O'Brien District, to the same position in the Minot District and Oliver Wendell Holmes Junior High School, half-time each, to take effect Nov. 15, 1954.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the transfer was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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A communication was received from the Secretary, under date of Nov. 8, 1954, reporting, subject to the approval of the School Committee, the transfer of the following-named school secretary:

Margaret M. O'Hare, secretary, Dorchester High School, to the same position in the Woodrow Wilson Junior High School, to take effect Jan. 1, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the transfer was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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SALARY, SUPERVISOR OF PHYSICAL EDUCATION IN ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the salary of the rank of Supervisor of Physical Education in Elementary Schools is hereby established as follows:

Minimum—$3504, Annual Increment—$144, Maximum—$5688.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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DEMOLITION OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the Cora L. Etheridge School building, and portable building No. 118 located on the Cora L. Etheridge School site, Harbor View Street, Dorchester, be demolished and the site retained.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, and Mr. Musco—3.
NAYS—Mr. Lee—1.
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the Henry Grew School, Gordon Avenue, Hyde Park, be demolished and the site retained.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, and Mr. Musco—3
NAYS—0
NOT VOTING—Mr. Lee—1
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the Elbridge Smith School, Center Street, Dorchester, be demolished and the site retained.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, and Mr. Musco—3
NAYS—0
NOT VOTING—Mr. Lee—1
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1

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APPROPRIATION OF ACCRUED INTEREST FOR PAYMENT OF PENSIONS

A communication was received from the Secretary, Board of Trustees, Permanent School Pension Fund, under date of Nov. 8, 1954, reporting that under the provisions of Section 5 of Chapter 206 of the Special Acts of 1919, the Board of Trustees of the Permanent School Pension Fund, at a meeting held in the office of the City Treasurer, Oct. 21, 1954, passed the following vote:

VOTED, That this Board of Trustees of the Permanent School Pension Fund hereby approves the transfer during the current year of the sum of one hundred thirty-five thousand dollars ($135,000), from the balance in the Income Account of the Permanent School Pension Fund, to the School Committee of the City of Boston, for appropriation and payment of pensions to teachers, said transfer being in accordance with the provisions of Section 9 of Chapter 468 of the Acts of 1951.

Placed on file.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the sum of one hundred thirty-five thousand dollars ($135,000) be and hereby is appropriated for Pensions to Teachers, said sum to be made available under the provisions of Section 9 of Chapter 468 of the Acts of 1951 from unexpended accrued interest in the Permanent School Pension Fund.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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RESOLUTIONS, BOSTON DAILY RECORD NEWSPAPER BOYS' CLUB OF THE AIR

The following preamble and resolutions were offered:

WHEREAS, The security of our country depends upon the development of the youth of today as the citizen of tomorrow, we, the members of The School Com-

mittee of the City of Boston in meeting assembled, offer the following Resolution:

RESOLVED, That on the occasion of the 1954 National Education Week, at a special meeting of the Boston School Committee on November 8, 1954, the members take this opportunity to express their appreciation to the Boston Daily Record Newspaper Boys' Club of the Air for its assistance in developing the character, the probity, and the zeal of the youths of our community for the past fifteen years. This forward - looking program has helped greatly in the community health and progress of our city.

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be inscribed on the permanent records of the Boston School Committee and a copy be sent to the Editor of the Boston Daily Record.

On roll call the preamble and resolutions were adopted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee and Musco—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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TRANSFER OF LAND TO SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the Mayor and City Council be requested to transfer from the care, custody, control and management of the Commissioner of Real Property to the care, custody, control and management of the School Department approximately fifty-two thousand eight hundred (52,800) square feet of land known as Lots 134-144 Wolcott Road, Hyde Park, for school purposes, and that the Secretary be directed to communicate the contents of this order to the Mayor and City Council.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES TO OCT. 1, 1954

A communication was received from the Business Manager, under date of Nov. 8, 1954, submitting a statement showing the appropriations, the expenditures and the balances for general school purposes and special items for the first nine drafts of the current fiscal year, the expenditures for the first nine drafts of the fiscal year 1953, and the increases and decreases in the several items.

Placed on file.

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APPOINTMENTS OF CUSTODIANS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Nov. 8, 1954, recommending, subject to the approval of the School Committee, and in accordance with the certification of the Division of Civil Service, that the following - named persons, who stand at the head of the promotional list, be appointed senior building custodians, to take effect Nov. 10, 1954:

David L. Tobin.
Alfred T. Short.
John J. Callahan.
John J. McCarthy.
John E. Foley.
John F. Devine.
Walter E. Chartee.
William A. Walsh.
John J. Daly.
Walter H. Long.
Harold W. Knight.
Andrew N. Goode.
Thomas A. Barbour.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Nov. 8, 1954, recommending, subject to the approval of the School Committee, and in accordance with the certification of the Division of Civil Service, that twelve junior building custodians, who stand at the head of the promotional list, be appointed permanent intermittent senior building custodians, to take effect Nov. 10, 1954:

Edward B. McDonnell.
Thomas J. Kelley.
Francis A. Condon.
John J. Carleton.
Walbert J. LaPlante.
Robert H. Copson.
Achille J. Maraggia.
John P. Cormican, Jr.
Joseph D. Benson.
Walter F. Phipps.
James P. Hackett.
Edward H. Cardoza.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Nov. 8, 1954, recommending, subject to the approval of the School Committee, and in accordance with the certification of the Division of Civil Service, the appointment of the following-named persons, who stand at the head of the list and who have been approved by the Medical Director, Workmen's Compensation Service, City of Boston, as junior building custodians, to take effect Nov. 17, 1954:

Robert J. Ryan.
Robert F. Gabriel.
Timothy R. Joyce.
Joseph R. Butler.
John F. Kelley.
Philip J. Clifford.
John F. Joyce.
Joseph A. Dolan.
Leo J. Rocheleau.
Robert M. Mooney.
Lloyd F. Wood.
Thomas S. Manning.
Merle L. Ettinger.
Edward M. Glennon.
Samuel H. Gale.
Alphonse A. Skaparas.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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TRANSFERS OF CUSTODIANS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Nov. 8, 1954, recommending that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, the following-named senior building custodians who, by seniority and merit, stand at the head of their respective lists, be transferred to the schools indicated, to take effect Sept. 29, 1954:

John J. Brennan, from the Grover Cleveland Junior High School to the custodianship of the Patrick F. Gavin Junior High School.

James L. Burke, from the Benjamin Cushing School to the custodianship of the Roger Clap School.

Mark J. Clougherty, from the William Bradford School to the custodianship of the Columbia Point School.

John R. Donlon, from the Farragut School to the custodianship of the Mayhew School.

Thomas F. Duff, from the Winship School to the custodianship of the Gilbert Stuart School.

Charles H. Gillis, from East Boston High School to the custodianship of Brighton High School.

Richard J. Hennessey from the Joshua Bates School to the custodianship of the William Bacon School.

Joseph J. Mulhern, from the Martha A. Baker School to the custodianship of the Sherwin School.

William P. O'Brien, from the Solomon Lewenberg Junior High School to the custodianship of the Thomas A. Edison Junior High School.

Philip Rosenberg, from the Williams School to the custodianship of the Albert Palmer School.

John J. Sandock, from the Dillaway School to the custodianship of the Gaston School.

Edgar F. Sargent, from the Champlain School to the custodianship of the Rochambeau School.

Kenneth F. Shute, from the Eliot School to the custodianship of the Prescott Group.

Michael P. Tesauro from the Stephen M. Weld School to the custodianship of the Beethoven School.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the transfers were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Nov. 8, 1954, reporting the transfer of William H. Watts, junior building custodian, Trade High School for Girls, to the City of Boston, Department of ublic Works, as reported and approved by the Division of Civil Service on Oct. 5, 1954.

Placed on file.

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ELECTION TO BOARD OF TRUSTEES, TEACHERS' RETIREMENT FUND

The terms of Miss Fitzgerald and Mr. Carr as members of the Board of Trustees of the Teachers' Retirement Fund having terminated, the School Committee proceeded to fill the vacancies.

On roll call the members respectively stated that they voted to fill the first vacancy as follows:

For MR. CARR—Miss Fitzgerald, Mr. Lee, and Mr. Musco—3.
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.
NOT VOTING—Mr. Carr—1.

On roll call the members respectively stated that they voted to fill the second vacancy as follows:

For MISS FITZGERALD—Mr. Carr, Mr. Lee, and Mr. Musco—3.
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.
NOT VOTING—Miss Fitzgerald—1.

The Chairman thereupon declared Miss Fitzgerald and Mr. Carr re-elected members of the Board of Trustees of the Teachers' Retirement Fund for the term ending October 1956.

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RECESS

The Committee recessed until Tuesday, Nov. 9, 1954, at 2 o'clock P.M.

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On Tuesday, Nov. 9, 1954, the meeting was again called to order, at 4:50 o'clock P.M.

Present: Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Mr. Lee, and Mr. Musco.

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IN MEMORIAM

The Superintendent regretfully reported the deaths of the following-named teachers:

Boston Latin School—Martin F. Kane, guidance counselor, Nov. 8, 1954.

Bennett District — Mary E. Kennelly, teacher, elementary, Sept. 9, 1954.

Martin District—Lillian Cherry, teacher, kindergarten, Nov. 6, 1954.

Placed on file.

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The School Committee requested that a letter of condolence, to be signed by the Secretary, be sent to the families of the bereaved.

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APPRENTICESHIP AND JOURNEYMAN CLASSES

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Nov. 9, 1954, (recessed from Nov. 8, 1954), reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee and in accordance with the order passed at the meeting of Oct. 6, 1941 (p. 195), he has appointed the following-named persons to the Apprenticeship and Journeyman Classes for Various Trades, to take effect on the dates stated:

Instructors—Anthony G. Ferzoco, Nov. 6, 1954; William R. Ballou, Nov. 13, 1954.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee and Musco—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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APPOINTMENT OF SCHOOL SECRETARY

A communication was received from the Secretary, under date of Nov. 9, 1954, (recessed from Nov. 8, 1954), reporting, subject to the approval of the School Committee, the appointment of Mary V. Hogan, assistant, offices of the Superintendent-Secretary, to the position of secretary (thirteenth year), Clarence R. Edwards Junior High School, to take effect Dec. 11, 1954.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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It was agreed that the following extract from the Conference Notes of Nov. 9, 1954, would be included in the record of the meeting:

UNITED DRIVE

Mr. Lee: Mr. Superintendent, could you tell me: Is the drive now in mid-swing?

Superintendent: Well, Mr. Chairman, answering Mr. Lee, the Committee approved a United Drive back about two or three weeks ago, and immediately following the approval of the United Drive, the representative of Mr. O'Connor, the President of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, came to my office to set forth what he was going to submit to the Chairman and to the members of the Committee. Do you see? That was within a day or so after the Committee had voted for a United Drive.

The United Drive would exclude the Infantile group, and so I said to Mr. Ohrenberger at the time: "I think that, in fairness to all concerned, we should hold up our circular on the United Drive until after the Committee decides what they want to do in regard to this request."

If the Committee doesn't take any further action, we will proceed with the United Drive and the circular for the United Drive, instead of saying, "This will be the only drive during the year," Mr. Ohrenberger will add in his circular, "This will be the only drive except the one which will be held in January for the Infantile Paralysis Fund."

Mr. Lee: Mr. Superintendent, I thought the United Drive was in full swing.

Superintendent: Yes, Mr. Chairman, it is in full swing, and, after tonight's meeting, this circular will go out from Mr. Ohrenberger's office, and we will have this United collection, and we will allocate the proportion to the Community Fund, and I think that perhaps we will be able to get it allocated even before the close of the Community Fund drive. However, whether we do or not doesn't make too much difference because they will get their share anyway.

Mr. Lee: Cannot you review again the different benevolent organizations which are to receive the children's money?

Superintendent: Yes.

Mr. Ohrenberger, will you read the ones which received the benevolence of the children?

Mr. Ohrenberger: Red Feather, Heart Fund, Cerebral Palsy, Cancer Fund and the Boston Evening Clinic. Are you interested in percentages?

Superintendent: We may have to change the proposed percentages because Mr Carr has suggested this other possibility for it. You can give us the percentages of last year.

Mr. Ohrenberger: Last year's percentages were based on the study made by previous drives. At that time there were two other funds that were receiving an allotment, namely, the Korean Orphans and the March of Dimes. At that time it was split up as follows:

Red Feather, 40 per cent; March of Dimes, 20 per cent; Heart Fund, 12 per cent; Cerebral Palsy, 12 per cent; Korean Orphans, 6 per cent; Cancer Fund, 6 per cent; and all others, 4 per cent.

Mr. Lee: Mr. Chairman, since we have been apparently soliciting or receiving contributions in the classrooms, I want to suggest that we leave out any moneys for the Cancer Fund.

Whenever the School Committee goes into business other than its own, it is likely to be on unsure ground. We are not medical men; yet we deal with medical business.

However, I am inclined to think that we do more harm than good by contributing to the Cancer Fund. I have had reason to observe this subject. You don't have to be a horse to know whether one horse can run faster

than another. You can sit on the fence and watch them. And you don't have to be a doctor to know which of several medical methods work and which doesn't. You can see the different groups of doctors working along their several tracks, and you can see by the results which one is proceeding well and which is not.

What impresses me is that the research in cancer has gotten nowhere. Many millions have been expended. I don't think the medical profession claims that it has gotten much of anywhere. It has practically made no progress. The fact that it has made no progress or rather, the fact that the medical profession doesn't think it has made any progress is shown by the fury with which they turn upon any doctor who by other methods makes as little progress as they do. They don't object to other doctors failing to find any cure for this malady. They object to other doctors failing by methods different from their own.

They fail by their own methods, and that is perfectly all right. So what happens is that you have tremendous sums of money spent in the direction which is not getting anywhere, and the more money you give the more you confirm the continuance in that futile direction.

We know medical men are peculiar. There was a doctor named Semmelweis about a hundred years ago in Hungary, an idiotic man—laughed at by the medical profession—who had the ridiculous idea that by washing your hands before attending women in childbirth you could prevent the incurrence or the onset of childbed fever. The practice was for the internes to dissect corpses, in the study of medicine, and then wipe their hands on their coats, and come in and deliver children; and a large percentage of the mothers got childbed fever and died. And Semmelweis undertook to wash his hands very sterile, and then delivered children, and none of his mothers died. But the results didn't impress the medical profession at all. He had proceeded by an absurd method of washing his hands, which was obviously too simple a way of avoiding disease. But then Pasteur came along and also asserted the same truths, and now we consider the germ theory a sound one.

The medical profession, having within only a hundred years opposed that theory, now is going all-out on that theory and assumes that cancer, a degenerative disease, is also caused by some bacteria or virus. And they look now with scorn on a person who says it might be caused or might be cured by some other method.

I have watched a few sicentists operate in this field. I know one scientist who had no contact with a particular patient, never saw the patient — it wasn't his patient—and yet he could tell to the hour when that patient had slumps, and dangerous slumps, and when that patient had resurgences of strength.

I knew another scientist who had no relation to the first one—and they probably would have had scorn for each other—who also confirmed the idea that certain forces determined whether patients with that malady declined or showed improvement.

The medical profession has had unquestioned success in a negative way. They have removed and learned how to remove troublesome spots in a patient; and, of course, that is a very wonderful thing; and they are entitled to every credit for it. It has meant life to a great many people. They have, by surgery, done a great deal. But that is something like the father who cut off his little boy's head to stop him from squinting. It stopped the squinting, but it doesn't necessarily show you what made him squint.

They have proceeded in other ways to try to eliminate unhealthy areas in the patient. They have used X-ray therapy and radium therapy, all with a view to destroying tissues that showed up poorly.

But that has all been rather on the negative side, as to the method, even though the results, especially in surgery, have been very effective.

But the facts seem to be somewhat like this—that, while we learn in school or did learn at school that the universe is running down and the sun and the earth are cooling off, and while, I guess, we have evidence—I suppose we do, from the atom bomb—that the sudden change or deterioration of elements can occur very rapidly, and we are now able to tell the age of rocks by how far certain elements have degenerated in the rock, and, by knowing how long this process takes, can determine the age of ancient fossils buried in ancient rock—and while the medical profession is aware of those degenerative forces in the universe, still there also are physicists who are coming up with a recognition of the opposite forces, of the regenerative forces. They are men on the frontiers of science, more or less in the Einstein group; and they think that, besides the degenerative trend in matter, there is also the reverse trend, where probably, out of energy—and I don't attempt to follow their reasoning—but out of energy, matter is created. I believe hydrogen atoms are suspected of being created out of energy, so that you have matter created from that which is not matter.

Anyway, you do have certain regenerative forces in the world, which, to me, are very important; and some scientists, having an eye to this malady we are talking about, think that those regenerative forces can be utilized or harnessed further.

I am not a scientist or a doctor, and I am not trying to name long rays or short rays or Roentgen rays, or whatever the newest kind of rays are, but at least I know there are sun's rays, and I know we feel better on a good sunny day than on an August dog day. We feel better in a brisk autumn morning than an a sultry summer morning. I don't have to be a scientist to know that at least we feel certain vitalizing forces in and around us.

Some of the men whom the medical profession look down upon think that there are these regenerative forces, and that it is the lack of those regenerative forces which cause trouble in the human system. It is the lack of them throughout the body which allows the body to degenerate. If you recapture them, you can do much to mend the disease in the body.

Also, Jesus of Nazareth seemed to know something about regenerative forces, in the world; although he didn't use the modern scientists' jargon.

It is my belief, in short, that the cure for this malady will come by a tie-in with these creative forces which frontier physicists are on the trail of, and which ancient leaders have called to our attention. I think it is that which is going to be the right track.

But if the world keeps giving huge sums to the doctors who are on the other track—and those doctors, naturally, would be made to look foolish if their whole line of research were disproved by some outsider who found an entirely different approach—by giving moneys on and on and on to the regular line of research, you only confirm them in a direction that is getting nowhere, and you steel them to resist any other approach which looks as though it might get somewhere.

The religious people, of course, think the scientists' materialistic methodology is very naive, and the scientists, of course, think that the religious talk about faith is very naive. But, anyway, to me, there is going to be a different approach on that disease, and I don't see why, when we are not conversant with the subject ourselves, we take sides and perpetuate an approach which is very intolerant of any other approach than its own and which hasn't made any progress.

I can again point out that penicillin was only accepted because at the time of the British air raids there were more people in the hospitals than could be treated by regular means, so the doctors said, "We will try this foolish idea of penicillin," and it worked. And now we accept it. But it never would have been tried in times of peace. It would never have gotten a chance.

The last point I make is this, on this whole subject. Even before the time of Isaiah, the Hebrew prophets were saying that the Lord wanted mercy and not sacrifice; and yet the nine-tenths or more of any money you raise for this fund will be spent in animal experimentation. We are back in the old feeling that the

more animals you sacrifice to the Lord Jehovah the more He will like us, and the more He will relieve us of our plagues. I don't know whether children, who have a "Be kind to animals" week, as part of their school year, are aware that their money is being used to give diseases to animals. I am not at the moment emphasizing one side or the other there; but, at least, that is where most of the money goes, and I think that is a point that ought to be considered before you ask children to give their money, so they will know where the money is going.

However, I think we will make a much better contribution to this whole subject by forwarding these remarks of mine, if you will, to those interested in the field rather than raising a few more pennies from youngsters to be spent in a direction proved unproductive.

I suggest that we leave out that fund, Mr. Chairman.

Chairman: Do you wish to put that in the form of a motion, Mr. Lee?

Mr. Lee: Yes. I move that we eliminate that Cancer Fund as a beneficiary in the United Drive.

Chairman: The question comes on the motion of Mr. Lee that the Cancer Fund be eliminated from the United Drive.

On roll call, the motion failed to pass by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Lee—1

NAYS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, and Mr. Musco—3

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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The Committee adjourned.

Attest:

AGNES E. REYNOLDS,
Secretary

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, the following temporary amendment to the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston, which was adopted November 9, 1954, to be effective December 7, 1954, for a trial period of sixty (60) days, is hereby rescinded:

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," the following:

Richardson Street.
South and east side, from Mackin street to Western avenue, 24 hours.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, for a trial period of sixty (60) days, the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective December 28, 1954:

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," the following:

Guest Street.
At Life street.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Massachusetts Avenue.
At Magazine street.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "South Boston," the following:

E Street.
At Fargo street.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, for a trial period of sixty (60) days, the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective December 9, 1954:

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alpabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," the following:

Avon Street.
Southwest side, from Washington street to Chauncy street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

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Voted, That as urgently required by consideratons of public safety and convenience, effective December 6, 1954, to April 1, 1955, inclusive, the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended by adding the following:

EMERGENCY SNOW REMOVAL REGULATIONS.

Declaration of Emergency During Heavy Snowstorms and Establishing Parking Regulations.

(*a*) There is hereby declared an emergency to exist in the City of Boston by reason of a heavy snowstorm wherever snow falls during any period of twenty-four (24) hours or less to a depth of three (3) inches or more, in that such storm constitutes a serious public hazard, impairing transportation, the movement of food and fuel supplies, medical care, fire, health, and police protection, and other vital facilities of the city.

(*b*) Whenever such an emergency exists and the Commissioner of Public Works shall have caused announcement thereof to be made by not less than two (2) radio stations whose normal operating range covers the City of Boston, the following parking prohibitions become effective immediately:

No driver shall stop, stand, or park any vehicle in important traffic arteries, or parts thereof, nor in any street upon which there is operated a trackless trolley, public transportation bus, or street-car line, provided that this regulation shall not apply to passenger vehicles stopped temporarily during the actual receiving or discharging of passengers nor to commercial vehicles stopped for not more than one (1) hour continuously while actually loading or unloading materials.

Included among important traffic arteries, trackless trolley, bus, and street-car lines are the following:

Beacon street, Boston Proper.
Boylston street, Boston Proper and Roxbury.
Columbus avenue, Boston Proper and Roxbury.
Commonwealth avenue, Boston Proper and Brighton.
Harrison avenue, Boston Proper and Roxbury.
Huntington avenue, Boston Proper and Roxbury.
Massachusetts avenue, Boston Proper, Dorchester, and Roxbury.
Northampton street, Boston Proper and Roxbury.
Park Drive, Boston Proper.
Shawmut avenue, Boston Proper and Roxbury.
Tremont street, Boston Proper and Roxbury.
Washington street, Boston Proper, Roxbury, and West Roxbury.
Beacon street and Cleveland Circle, Brighton.
Brighton avenue, Brighton.
Cambridge street, Brighton.
Chestnut Hill avenue, Brighton.
Market street, Brighton.
North Beacon street, Brighton.
Washington street, Brighton.
Western avenue, Brighton.
Cambridge street, Charlestown.
Chelsea street, Charlestown.
Rutherford avenue, Charlestown.
Warren street, Charlestown.
Adams street, Dorchester.
Blue Hill avenue, Dorchester and Roxbury.
Columbia road, Dorchester and South Boston.
Cummins Highway, Dorchester and West Roxbury.
Dorchester avenue, Dorchester and South Boston.
Gallivan Boulevard, Dorchester.
Morton street, Dorchester and West Roxbury.
Neponset avenue, Dorchester.
Norfolk street, Dorchester.
Quincy street, Dorchester and Roxbury.
River street, Dorchester and Hyde Park.
Talbot avenue, Dorchester.
Washington street, Dorchester.
Hyde Park avenue, Hyde Park and West Roxbury.
Centre street, Roxbury and West Roxbury.
Southampton street, Roxbury and South Boston.
Warren street, Roxbury.
D street, South Boston.
Dorchester street, South Boston.
L street, South Boston.
West Broadway, South Boston.
Belgrade avenue, West Roxbury.
Corinth street, West Roxbury.
South street (upper), West Roxbury.

On streets other than those defined in the preceding paragraphs, no driver shall stop, stand, or park any vehicle in the side of the street having even house numbers from 6 P.M. on odd dates of the month to 6 P.M. on the following date, nor in the side of the street having odd house numbers from 6 P.M. on even dates of the month to 6 P.M. on the following date, provided that this regulation shall not apply to passenger vehicles stopped temporarily during the actual receiving or discharging of passengers nor to commercial vehicles stopped for not more than one (1) hour continuously while actually loading or unloading materials.

The state of emergency shall exist until the Commissioner of Public Works shall have caused announcement of the end of the emergency to be made by not less than two (2) radio stations whose normal operating range covers the City of Boston.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, for a trial period of sixty (60) days, the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective December 7, 1954:

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out the following:

Call Street, Charlestown.
Both sides, from Chelsea street to dead end, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Huntington Avenue, Roxbury.
Northwest side, from a point one hundred (100) feet northeast of Wigglesworth street to Riverway, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from Tremont street to Jamaicaway, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.

Joiner Street, Charlestown.
Both sides, from Park street to Water street, 24 hours.

Main Street, Charlestown.
West side, from City square to Henley street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Charlestown," each of the following:

Call Street.
Both sides, from John F. Fitzgerald Expressway to Chelsea street, 24 hours.

Joiner Street.
Both sides, from Water street to John F. Fitzgerald Expressway, 24 hours.

Main Street.
Both sides, from City square to Henley street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," each of the following:

Huntington Avenue.
Northwest side, from a point one hundred (100) feet northeast of Wigglesworth street to a point three hundred and fifty (350) feet northeast of Riverway, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Northwest side, from a point three hundred and fifty (350) feet northeast of Riverway to Riverway, 24 hours.
Southeast side, from Tremont street to South Huntington avenue, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.
Southeast side, from South Huntington avenue to Jamaicaway, 24 hours.

South Huntington Avenue.
Both sides, from Huntington avenue to a point one hundred (100) feet south of Huntington avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by striking out the following:

Joiner Street Charlestown.
From Water street to Park street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Charlestown," each of the following:

Call Street.
From John F. Fitzgerald Expressway to Chelsea street.

Joiner Street.
From Water street to John F. Fitzgerald Expressway.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, for a trial period of sixty (60) days, the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective December 28, 1954:

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out the following:

Court Square, Boston Proper.
East side, easterly arm, from the southerly arm to a point forty-five (45) feet north of the south property line of No. 10 Court square, 24 hours.

Dorchester Avenue, Dorchester.
East side, from Richmond street to Adams street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.
West side, from Richmond street to Adams street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Magazine Street, Roxbury.
South side, from Massachusetts avenue to Norfolk avenue, 24 hours.
South side, from the easterly property line of the Home for Aged Poor to Dudley street, 24 hours.

Massachusetts Avenue, Boston Proper, Dorchester and Roxbury.
Southwest side, from Edward Everett square to No. 567 Massachusetts avenue, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the captions "Boston Proper," "Dorchester," and "Roxbury," the following:

Massachusetts Avenue.
Southwest side from Edward Everett square to Albany street 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side from Albany street to a point two hundred fifteen (215) feet northwest of Albany street, 24 hours.
Southwest side, from a point two hundred fifteen (215) feet northwest of Albany street to No. 567 Massachusetts avenue, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," the following:

Richardson Street.
North and west sides, from Mackin street to Western avenue, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Magazine Street.
Southeast side, from Massachusetts avenue to Dudley street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "West Roxbury," the following:

Centre Street.
South side, from West Roxbury Parkway to a point one hundred and sixty-five (165) feet west of West Roxbury Parkway, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by striking out the following:

Court Square, Boston Proper.
East side, easterly arm, from the southerly arm to the south property line of No. 10 Court square, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, easterly arm, from a point forty-five (45) feet north of the south property line of No. 10 Court square to Court street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," the following:

Court Square.
East side, easterly arm, from the southerly arm to Court street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 6, Part 3 (Restrictions in Cent and Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Dorchester Avenue.
Both sides, from Richmond street to Adams street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 6, Part 3 (Restrictions in Cent and Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Columbus Avenue.
Northwest side, from Station street to Tremont street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Southeast side, from Texas street to the northerly line of property of Police Station No. 10, 10 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 16A, Part 2 (Vehicles Owned by the United States Government May Be Parked without Time Limit at the Curb in the Following Streets), is amended by striking out the following:

Court Square, Boston Proper.
East side, easterly arm, from the south property line of No. 10 Court square to a point forty-five (45) feet north of the south property line of No. 10 Court square.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," the following:

Nottinghill Road.
From No. 24 Nottinghill road, thence in a southerly, easterly, northerly, and westerly direction to the point of beginning at No. 24 Nottinghill road.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, occasioned by the use of temporary facilities to handle United States mail, parking of vehicles is prohibited in the following street from December 30, 1954, to April 1, 1955, inclusive:

Nashua Street, Boston Proper.
Northeast side, from a point two hundred (200) feet northwest of Causeway street to a point eight hundred and fifty-five (855) feet northwest of Causeway street, 24 hours.

TRANSFERS OF APPROPRIATIONS.

The Mayor has approved the following requests for transfers of appropriations:

AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

From 270, Repairs and Servicing of Equipment, $250, 280, Transportation of Persons, $100, 390, Miscellaneous Supplies and Materials, $180, 430, Insurance, $200, 470, Rents, $870, 499, Miscellaneous Current Charges, $4,000, to 100, Personal Services, $2,600, 360, Office Supplies and Materials, $3,000.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

From 220, Light, Heat and Power, $1,000, 270, Repairs of Equipment, $300, 300, Automotive Supplies, $600, 310, Building Supplies, $2,200, 330, Heating Supplies, $560, 340, Household Supplies, $300, 350, Medical Supplies, $48.33, 360, Office Supplies, $349.20, 390, Miscellaneous Supplies, $1,300, 580, Signal Equipment, $3,600, to 260, Repairs and Maintenance of Buildings, $1,200, 280, Transportation of Persons, $260, 290, Miscellaneous Contractual Services, $2,197.53, 370, Traffic Control Supplies, $6,600.

CARE OF VETERANS' GRAVES.

From 260, Repairs and Maintenance of Buildings and Structures, $50, 270, Repairs and Servicing of Equipment, $50, 420, Dues and Subscriptions, $5, Veterans' Services Department, 1, Personal Services, $322.76, to 100, Permanent Employees, $320.85, 290, Unclassified Contractual Services, $60.48, 360, Office Supplies and Materials, $26.33, 599, Miscellaneous Equipment, $20.10.

CITY CLERK DEPARTMENT.

From 100, Personal Services, $1,300, to 270, Repairs and Servicing of Equipment, $70, 280, Transportation of Persons, $20, 290, Miscellaneous Contractual Services, $1,210.

CITY COUNCIL.

From 100, Personal Services, $415, to 210, Communications, $20, 230, Professional Services, $135, 290, Other Contractual Services, $260.

CITY PLANNING BOARD.

From 100, Permanent Employees, $645, to 297, Printing and Binding, $645.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Sanatorium Division.

From 260, Repairs and Maintenance of Buildings and Structures, $6,800, to 1-26-21, Special Appropriation for Installations, Alterations and Repairs, $6,800.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Cemetery Division.

From 380, Public Works Supplies and Materials, $23, to 545, Stoves, $23.

From 290, Miscellaneous Contractual Services, $1,980, to 33-27, Fairview and Evergreen Cemeteries, Development of, $1,980.

From 470, Rents, $1,000, to 33-27, Fairview and Evergreen Cemeteries, Development, of, $1,000.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

House of Correction.

From 100, Permanent Employees, $7,300, 260, Repairs and Maintenance of Buildings and Structures, $1,500, 290, Miscellaneous Contractual Services, $200, to 310, Building Supplies and Materials, $1,720.42, 370, Police, Traffic Control, and Firefighting Supplies and Materials, $87, 390, Miscellaneous Supplies and Materials, $7,192.58.

From 510, Electrical and Mechanical Machinery and Equipment, $1,250, 540, Household Furniture and Equipment, $700, 550, Medical, Dental and Hospital Equipment, $80, 591, Agricultural, Park, and Recreation Equipment, $2.48, 593, Library Books, $24.50, 599, Miscellaneous Equipment, $51.23, to 319, Building Supplies and Materials, $2,108.21.

PENSIONS AND ANNUITIES.

City.

From Welfare Department, 461, Aid to Dependent Children, $145,000, 465, Aid to Permanently and Totally Disabled, $155,000, Police Department, 1, Personal Services, $16,000, to Pensions and Annuities, City, $316,000.

Special (City).

From Public Works Department, Water Service, 1, Personal Services, $36,000, to Pensions and Annuities, Special (City), $36,000.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Automotive Division.

From 100, Permanent Employees, $2,652.65, 430, Insurance, $88, 560, Office Furniture and Equipment, $44, 500, Automotive Equipment, $500, 570, Public Works Equipment, $2,997.35, to 270, Repairs and Servicing of Equipment, $2,180, 210, Communications (Telephone), $350, 290, Miscellaneous Contractual Services, $20, 310, Building Supplies and Materials, $100, 220, Light, Heat and Power, $250, 440, Licenses, $30, 360, Office Supplies and Materials, $132, 300, Automotive Supplies and Materials, $4,220.

Paving Division.

From Bridge, Repairs, etc., $100,000, to Snow Removal (1-23-31), $100,000.

Sanitary Division.

From Reserve Fund, $20,000, to 802, $20,000.

VETERANS' SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

From 100, Personal Services, $2,500, to 360, Office Supplies and Materials, $2,500.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

BOSTON JUVENILE COURT.

From Civil Court, Clerk's Office, Personal Services, $850, to 280, Transportation of Persons, $850.

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Works Department for the following construction work:

A 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer, 10-inch pipe surface drain, and two catch basins in Hackensack court, between Hackensack road and 220 feet southeasterly, in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of $4,500.

Fifty feet of 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer and 50 feet of 10-inch pipe surface drain in Brook Farm road, at Banks street, in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of $500.

A 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer and 10-inch pipe surface drain in Hackensack road, between Payson road and 25 feet south of Hackensack court, in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of $3,500.

A 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer and 12-inch pipe surface drain in Dodge road, between Dietz road and Leighton road, in the Hyde Park district, at an estimated cost of $7,000.

A 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer and 12-inch pipe surface drain in Richrow street, between Groveland street and 205 feet northeasterly, in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of $5,500.

A 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer and 12-inch pipe surface drain in Sherrin street, between 257 feet northeast of Magee street and 80 feet northeast of Ruffing street, in the Hyde Park district, at an estimated cost of $4,900.

A 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer and 12-inch pipe surface drain in Leighton road, between Alwin street and Eastmont road, in the Hyde Park district, at an estimated cost of $19,000.

A 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer and 50 feet of 12-inch pipe surface drain in Kristin court, between Dodge road and end, in the Hyde Park district, at an estimated cost of $2,500.

A 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer and 12-inch pipe surface drain in Eastmont road, between Leighton road and Dietz road, in the Hyde Park district, at an estimated cost of $8,700.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that 50 feet of 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer and surface drain be constructed in Brook Farm road, from the existing manhole near Banks street southerly, in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of $700.

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

Anna J. LaPoint, 91 Hamilton street, Dorchester, in the sum of $195, as compensation for damage to property in cellar of above premises caused by the backing up of a sewer, September 8, 1954.

Theodore S. Cohen, proprietor, Harbor Village Pharmacy, 44 General Devine Way, South Boston, in the sum of $125, as compensation for damage to property caused by a leak in the water service pipe on city property, December 13, 1953.

Keystone Furniture Manufacturing Company, 78 and 80 Merrimac street, Boston, in the sum of $159.93, as compensation for damage to property caused by a leaking water service pipe on city property, July 22, 1954.

CONSULATES IN ARREARS ON TAXES.

New York City reports that 12 foreign countries are in arrears a total of $416,985 in real estate taxes on 27 properties, most of them bought within the last 15 years as consulates and headquarters for United Nations delegations.

Nearly all of the defaulting governments claim the right to city realty tax exemption under treaties and international doctrines, but the city has refused to waive its claims. Total assessed valuation is $5,324,000, with $720,000 exempt from tax. Finland, the Netherlands, and Israel have kept their real estate accounts paid up to date.

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 82.

I. DEACTIVATION OF RESCUE COMPANY 1.

In connection with the deactivation of the apparatus of Rescue Company 1, as of November 9, 1954, announced in G. O. 69, c.s., the personnel shall be transferred January 1, 1955, thereby completing the deactivation of Rescue Company 1.

The following transfers, effective at 8 A.M., Saturday, January 1, 1955, are hereby announced:

Capt. Edward F. Sullivan, from Rescue 1 to Engine Squad 11.

Lieut. Arnold L. Snell, from Rescue 1 to Ladder 6.

Lieut. John M. Burke, from Rescue 1 to Ladder 17.

Lieut. Richard A. Kemp, from Rescue 1 to Engine Squad 14.

Hoseman Michael E. Sheehan, from Rescue 1 to Engine 7.

Hoseman Francis M. Keane, from Rescue 1 to Engine 7.

Hoseman Stephen L. Gaffney, from Rescue 1 to Engine 7.

Hoseman John T. Cashman, from Rescue 1 to Engine 7.

Hoseman James F. McMahon, from Rescue 1 to Engine 7.

Hoseman Edward T. Gregory, from Rescue 1 to Engine 7.

Hoseman Joseph P. Curran, from Rescue 1 to Engine 7.

Hoseman Francis W. Gallagher, from Rescue 1 to Rescue Company.

Hoseman Alwin J. Thibeault, from Rescue 1 to Engine 12.

Hoseman Francis L. Danze, from Rescue 1 to Engine 25.

Hoseman John F. Brennan, from Rescue 1 to Engine 3.

Hoseman Robert G. Hayhurst, from Rescue 1 to Ladder 3.

Hoseman Walter J. LaMontagne, from Rescue 1 to Engine 25.

Hoseman James F. Riley, from Rescue 1 to Engine 33.

Hoseman Paul F. Condon, from Rescue 1 to Ladder 15.

Hoseman Joseph L. Hurrie, from Rescue 1 to Ladder 17.

Hoseman John J. Kraft, from Rescue 1 to Engine 22.

Hoseman Anthony J. Serra, from Rescue 1 to Engine 21.

Hoseman John H. O'Neill, from Rescue 1 to Engine 33.

Members who are transferred to companies other than those to which they have been detailed since November 9, 1954, as announced in G. O. 69, c.s., shall continue on a detailed status until 8 A.M., Wednesday, January 5, 1955.

II. TRANSFERS.

The following transfers, effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, January 5, 1955, are hereby announced:

Lieut. Dennis J. Donovan, from Engine 16 to Headquarters.

Lieut. Michael A. Laurano, Jr., from Engine 56 to Headquarters.

Lieut. George J. Roy, from Ladder 30 to Headquarters.

Lieut. David F. Watkins, from Engine 1 to Ladder 18.

Lieut. John L. Campbell, from Tower 1 to Engine 22.

Ladderman James H. Conway, from Ladder 19 to Headquarters.

Ladderman William J. Winn, from Ladder 6 to Headquarters.

Ladderman Joseph A. Shea, from Ladder 18 to Headquarters.

Ladderman William F. Guenthner, from Ladder 19 to Headquarters.

Hoseman John H. Agnew, from Engine 8 to Headquarters.

Hoseman Raymond J. Dempsey, from Engine 5 to Headquarters.

Hoseman William F. Gilmore, from Tower 1 to Headquarters.

Hoseman James W. Parks, from Rescue Company to Engine Squad 11.

Ladderman John F. Missett, from Ladder 17 to Engine 26.

Hoseman Paul D. Walton, from Engine 22 to Engine Squad 34.

Hoseman Joseph L. Benson, from Engine 41 to Engine Squad 34.

Hoseman Frank A. DeSisto, from Engine 26 to Ladder 17.

Ladderman Walter J. Kearney, from Ladder 15 to Engine 33.

Hoseman Robert C. Hooley, from Engine 37 to Engine 56.

Hoseman John P. McLaughlin, from Engine Squad 18 to Ladder 7.

Ladderman Albert E. Desaulniers, from Ladder 7 to Engine Squad 18.

Hoseman James E. Lewis, from Engine 37 to Engine Squad 11.

Hoseman John J. McGinnis, from Engine Squad 11 to Engine 37.

Hoseman John F. Donovan, from Engine Squad 11 to Engine 8.

Hoseman Louis C. Liberatore, from Engine 1 to Engine Squad 11.

Hoseman John J. McCarthy, from Engine Squad 11 to Ladder 26.

Ladderman Russell J. Kelly, from Ladder 11 to Ladder 2.

Ladderman Lawrence P. Dynan, from Ladder 28 to Engine 19.

Hoseman Philip P. O'Donnell, from Engine 22 to Ladder 28.

III. RESCUE COMPANY 3.

Effective at 8 A.M., Saturday, January 1, 1955, Rescue Company 3 will no longer be identified as such. On and after this effective date the "3" will be dropped and this unit will be identified as "Rescue Company."

Company commanders shall substitute "Res." for "3" on the assignment cards indicating response of the Rescue Company to alarms.

The assignments of the Rescue Company shall be as follows:

Box 123—First alarm; Substitute "Res." for "3."

All remaining boxes of the 1200 series, and all boxes of the 1300 series:

Second alarm: Add "Res."

Boxes 1411, 1413, 1421, 1422, 1423, 1425, 1131, 1441, 1443, 1451, 1461, 1463—Second alarm: Add "Res."

Boxes 4112, 4113, 4122, 4125, 4126, 4133, 119, 4191, 4192, 4193, and all boxes of the 4200 series—Second alarm: Add "Res."

All other boxes in District 2—Second alarm: Substitute "Res." for "3."

Box 631—Second alarm: Substitute "Res." for "3."

IV. RETIREMENT.

The following retirement, in accordance with the provisions of section 13 of the chapter 521 of the Acts of 1922, is hereby announced, to become effective at 8 A.M., January 1, 1955:

Hoseman James M. Collins, Headquarters Division.

Hoseman Collins was appointed to the department February 1, 1924, and he leaves the department with the best wishes of his associates.

V. FIRE ALARM BOXES ESTABLISHED.

In the near future, a complete fire alarm system will be installed on East Boston Pier No. 1 and the auxiliary stations will be connected to master fire alarm boxes located on the street side of each pier building.

These fire alarm boxes will be designated as follows:

12-6135, East Boston Pier No. 1, Terminal road, Berth No 1, east side.

13-6135, East Boston Pier No. 1, Terminal road, Berth No. 3, west side.

Company commanders will add the above boxes to assignment card for Box 6135.

The circuit number for these boxes will be announced when the boxes are installed.

VI. INVENTORY FORMS.

Form 1, Inventory Forms, are being issued to the department today. These forms are to be filled out as of January 1, 1955, and returned to the office of the Fire Commissioner on or before Friday, January 28, 1955. One form is to be given to each company commander and head of branch division.

By order of Fire Commissioner FRANCIS X. COTTER.

JOHN V. STAPLETON,
Chief of Department.

General Order No. 1.

I. INSTRUCTIONS IN THE USE OF DEPARTMENT RADIO.

Accompanying this order, mimeographed pamphlets entitled "Standard Operating Procedure," containing instructions relating to the use of department radios, are being distributed to the department on this date.

The rules governing the operation of Fire Department radio system supersede all previous rules and regulations pertaining to the operation of radio equipment as contained in Department Rule Book, Special and General Orders, Instruction Cards of assignment boxes and Fire Alarm Box Location Books.

Every member of the Firefighting Force will be furnished a copy of these instructions, and they shall read and familiarize themselves with them. Company officers shall interrogate members on these instructions during weekly drills.

These pamphlets shall be given the same care and attention as department rule books and shall not be torn or mutilated.

The procedure in the use of department radios shall conform to the instructions contained in the pamphlets, and members shall be held accountable for failure to follow the aforementioned instructions or those contained in this order.

Reports from chiefs' cars shall originate with the chief officer, and his driver shall communicate such reports to the Fire Alarm Office. This may necessitate the driver leaving the car for a short interval to obtain the necessary information from the chief. It must be remembered that many times a driver may station himself in a position where he can both hear the radio and receive necessary orders from the chief.

An arrival report from the car "On The Air" at the fire, or other emergency, shall be followed as soon as conditions allow with a complete and accurate report in accordance with the foregoing

paragraph concerning the fire or emergency. Such report shall include the approximate location, type and occupancy of the building, extent of fire and other pertinent information.

Progress reports indicating changes in fire conditions are expected to follow as soon as conditions warrant. The progress reports to the Fire Alarm Office are required for the purpose of acquainting all concerned with conditions existing at a particular fire or emergency and preventing needless calls to and from Fire Alarm Office.

All radios with the exception of those necessarily "On The Air" at a fire or other emergency shall be shut off by the operator before leaving a mobile unit. Your attention is directed to Rules 18, 22, 23, 24 of the pamphlet "Rules Governing Operation of Department Radios."

II. EMERGENCY CODE SIGNAL.

Company commanders shall insert a Form 5, marking it Q(1), in the Instruction Cards of the assignment boxes, containing the following information and designate as an example of correct procedure, Instruction Card Q. The necessary additions shall also be made in the Fire Alarm Box Location Books of December 1, 1947, issue.

The following emergency code signal is established to report apparatus involved in an accident responding to or returning from an alarm of fire or other emergency when radio or telephone service is not available and a telegrapher is not present: "Apparatus Involved in Accident Signal—9 blows."

The officer in command shall have sent from the nearest fire alarm box the following signal: "A series of about twelve (12) quick taps on the box telegraph key, then pause, followed by nine (9) blows given slowly and distinctly to denote apparatus involved in an accident, then followed by the signal denoting the type of apparatus, the company number and the box number."

The company numbers shall be as given for use in code signal for apparatus out of service as stated on Instruction Card Q or as given on Pages 124 and 125 of the Fire Alarm Box Location Book. (December 1, 1947, edition.)

The Fire Alarm Office will answer by the O.K. signal 2-3 if the message is understood, or by the Repeat Signal 1-2, 1-2, if the message is not understood.

Upon receipt of the message, the Fire Alarm Office shall dispatch another company to the fire, if such action is necessary and shall notify the Police Department, dispatch the department photographer to the scene, notify the district chief and deputy chief regarding the apparatus involved in the accident. The Motor Squad shall likewise be notified and dispatched.

Pamphlets, Procedures, Etc., Issued from Training Division.

In lieu of the publishing of a Training Manual for the department, the "Radio Procedure" pamphlet issued with this order and all other pamplets, procedures and memorandum listed below which have been issued by the Training Division and all future issues from said division shall be considered as official policy of the department.

Pamphlet 1. "Arson Laws and Pertinent General Laws of this Commonwealth."

Pamphlet 2. "Pak-Cut Dry-Acetylene Cutting Outfit."

Pamphlet 3. "General Precautions and Safe Handling of Oxyacetylene Equipment."

Pamphlet 4. "Skil-Chain Saw Instructions."

Pamphlet 5. "Robbins Tourniquet." (In service with Rescue, Engine Squads and some Ladder companies.)

Pamphlet 6. "Residual Pressure."

Pamphlet 7. "Single Unit Operations."

Pamphlet 8. "Procedure for Single Unit Training."

Pamphlet 9. "Ladder Pipe Procedure."

By order of Fire Commissioner FRANCIS X. COTTER.

JOHN V. STAPLETON,
Chief of Department.

(Last General Order in the 1954 series was No. 82.)

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 1,981.

Acting under provisions of chapter 658, Acts of 1945, section 7, as amended (State-Boston Retirement System), the Boston Retirement Board has approved for retirement on account of accidental disability the following-named police officer, effective at the close of business Friday, December 31, 1954.

In view of this operation of law, after December 31, 1954, the said police officer shall no longer be an active member of this department, and it is hereby ordered that its records be so amended.

Patrolman Joseph R. Corrigan, City Prison.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 1,982.

The resignation of Patrolman Eugene F. Brennan of Division 11 having been presented, it is hereby accepted, to take effect on Thursday, December 30, 1954, at 5.45 o'clock P.M., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 1,983.

On December 20, 1954, Patrolmen Thomas F. McDermott and Robert W. McEldowney of Division 9, while cruising on their sector, received a report from the turret of a handbag snatch by a man wearing a sailor's uniform, whose description fitted that of a man wanted for similar offenses on the division.

The officers proceeded to the scene of the crime where they observed a man answering the description and placed him under arrest. The suspect admitted the theft and led the officers to a house where they recovered the handbag on the steps of a rear porch and they also found a sum of money inside the suspect's shirt. A woman who was brought to the station identified the handbag as her property and also identified the suspect as the man who had snatched it.

The arrest of this individual by these officers resulted in cleaning up six unarmed robberies and one assault and battery on Division 9 and two unarmed robberies on Division 19.

The Commissioner is pleased to recognize the efficient police work of these officers and hereby orders that each be granted two days' additional vacation.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 1,984.

The resignation of Patrolman Andrew K. Ahern of Traffic Division having been presented, it is hereby accepted, to take effect Tuesday, January 4, 1955, at 5.45 o'clock P.M., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 1,985.

The resignation of Patrolman Leo D. Fahey, Division 6, having been presented, it is hereby accepted, to take effect Wednesday, January 5, 1955, at 7.45 o'clock A.M., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

Arthur M. Blasi, 405 Broadway, Revere, in the sum of $25, as compensation for damage to automobile caused by paint which was being sprayed on the Chelsea-East Boston Bridge by employees of the Bridge Division, Public Works Department, October 1, 1953.

Carmela Brogna, 97 Endicott street, Boston, in the sum of $485, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk between 7 and 9 Sheafe street, March 14, 1954.

Alice M. Foley, 111 Roslindale avenue, Roslindale, in the sum of $295, as compensation for personal injuries caused by loose gravel on the sidewalk in front of 119 Roslindale avenue, July 31, 1951.

Marion P. McCann, 137 Belnel road, Mattapan, in the sum of $185, as compensation for damage to automobile caused by a hole in the highway opposite 624 Harvard street, Dorchester.

Mary E. O'Neill, 35 Auriga street, Dorchester, in the sum of $404, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk on Auriga street, near Westglow street, December 20, 1953.

Gus Puleo, 246 North street, Boston, in the sum of $485, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a loose manhole cover in sidewalk in front of 4 Prince street, July 7, 1954.

Florence Walsh, 66 Chiswick road, Brighton, in the sum of $335, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 61 Strathmore road, August 22, 1953.

Varoline Renzi, 836 Canterbury street, Roslindale, in the sum of $385, as compensation for damage to property caused by the backing up of a sewer, June 8, 1954.

George D. Matteosian, 381 Harrison avenue, Boston, in the sum of $450, as compensation for damage to property caused by a leak in the water service pipe on city property, December 6, 1951.

RETIREMENT BOARD REPORTS.

To the Auditor.

At meetings of the Retirement Board held on the following dates, December 15, December 17, and December 28, respectively, the retirement from active service of the following-named employees was approved to become effective at the close of business, December 31, 1954, under the provisions of chapter 658:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.
Samuel Kostick, first assistant assessor.

BOSTON HOUSING AUTHORITY.
James F. Gardner, groundsman.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.
Michael J. Sullivan, ladderman.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.
George M. Denvir, caretaker.
Mabel A. Canfield, nurse.
Mary E. McElaney, nurse.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.
Nellie T. Riordan, laundress.
Margaret Collery, cleaner.
Margaret V. Madden, ward helper.
Christine M. Purnell, medical worker.
Ethel Sutton, nurse.
Ellen Greenwood, housekeeper.

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.
May L. Crosby, cataloguer.
Rebecca Milhneister, adult assistant.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.
John P. Ryan, patrolman.
Joseph R. Corrigan, patrolman.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
Stephen J. Kadlick, inspector.
David O'Riordan, chief inspector.

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT.
Marie Libourel, head of department.
Margaret Gosnell, assistant.
Hulda Cederstrom, nurse.
Della V. Egan, nurse.
Stephen V. White, master.
Helen A. Messenheimer, attendant.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

REGISTRY OF DEEDS.
Caro Ambrose, principal clerk.
Martha E. Hamblin, senior clerk.

HOUSE OF CORRECTION.
Patrick H. Teevans, officer.

MUNICIPAL COURT.
Eugene A. Farren, officer.

JAIL.
Charles C. O'Neil, officer.
John L. Sweeney, officer.
Joseph J. Benson, officer.
Mary M. Feeney, matron.

Attest: PAUL L. CARTY.
Executive Officer.

December 31, 1954.

To the Auditor.

At meetings of the Boston Retirement Board, held on December 3 and December 27, 1954, the retirement from active service of the following-named members of the Boston Retirement System was approved to become effective as of the close of business, December 31, 1954:

FIRE DEPARTMENT.
James M. Collins, hoseman.
David F. Culhane, hoseman.
Arthur E. Doyle, hoseman.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.
Henry F. Wachter, patrolman.

Attest: W. J. DOYLE,
Chairman.

CITY OF BOSTON AND COUNTY OF SUFFOLK.

STATISTICAL FACTS FOR THE YEAR 1953

Date of incorporation	February 23, 1822
Date of adoption of present City Charter	1909
Form of Government	Mayor and City Council
Area (square miles)	47.81
Population — Federal Census (August 1, 1950)	790,863
Number of employees as of February 1, 1954	22,806
Boston Housing Authority:	
Federal Program (7,920 apartments housing 7,920 families)	
Number of apartments in veterans' permanent 1- and 2-family homes housing 1,306 families	
State-Aided Developments (containing 3,177 apartments housing 3,177 families)	
Building Department:	
Permits issued	17,515
Estimated cost	$35,771,706
Cemeteries: Number 19—Area (acres)	161.71
Election Department:	
Registered voters	383,864
Number of ballots cast last general election	169,493
Percentage of registered voters voting	44.15
Fire Department:	
Number of stations	53
Number of fireboats	2
Alarms responded to	17,204
Health Department: Health Units	10
Hospitals (Including Boston Sanatorium):	
City Hospital:	
Number of buildings	57
Bed capacity	2,460
Patients, daily average:	
Wards	1,798
Out-patient	891
Long Island Hospital:	
Number of buildings	27
Population	952
Library Department:	
Number of libraries	37
Number of employees (full time)	640
Number of volumes	2,011,358
Circulation	3,162,338
Markets, number of	2
Municipal buildings, number of	27
Park Department: Parks, number of acres	2,240.29
Area of playgrounds and play areas (acres)	807.12
Number of playgrounds and play areas	121
Number of municipal golf links	2
Number of municipal beaches	3
Public grounds and squares (acres)	57.41
Swimming pools (indoor) 2, (outdoor) 2	4
Number of recreation centers and indoor bathhouses	15
Police Department:	
Number of stations and headquarters	18
Arrests	93,294
Public Works Department:	
Bridges, number of	101
Miles of accepted streets and alleys	731
Sewers: Miles of sewers	1,302.75
Catch basins	23,972
Average number of gallons pumped daily at main pumping station	112,980,821
Sumner Traffic Tunnel: Length (feet)	5,654
Two-lane drive: Vehicles passing through — 1953	10,835,674
Water Service:	
Number of meters in service	95,653
Per capita daily average consumption (gallons)	139
Miles of mains: Ordinary	999,136
High pressure	18.72
Rapid Transit: Miles of subways and tunnels	16.81
Schools:	
Number of school buildings	224
Number of teachers	3,655
Average membership	94,774
Average daily attendance:	
Elementary and junior high schools	54,546
High schools	16,201
Kindergartens	8,151
Special schools	1,800

LAND-TAKING IN WEST ROXBURY.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered the following:

That due notice be given that this commission is of the opinion that public necessity requires the taking of land in the West Roxbury district, for Public Works Department purposes, bounded and described as follows:

Southerly by the Needham Branch of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; westerly by Charles River; northerly by land supposed to belong to the Association of Evangelical Lutheran Church for Works of Mercy; and easterly by land supposed to belong to the City of Boston and to Bruen; substantially as shown on a plan on file in the office of this commission; that it intends to pass an order to make said taking, and that it appoints 10 o'clock A.M. of December 29, 1954, and the office of this commission, 401 City Hall Annex, as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said commission on said day.

Attest:

MICHAEL J. CORRAO,
Secretary.

IN PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF BOSTON,

December 30, 1954.

Whereas, The Public Improvement Commission has passed the order of notice and has caused a copy of said order to be published December 18, 1954, in the *City Record,* and December 17, 18, 20, 21, 1954, in the Boston *Globe* and Boston *American,* and has given the public hearing, notice of which was given in said order; and

Whereas, The Public Works Department of the City of Boston, with the approval of the Mayor, has selected, designated and requested the Public Improvement Commission of said city to take for said city for Public Works Department purposes the land hereinafter described, in that part of Boston formerly West Roxbury; it is hereby

Voted, That the Public Improvement Commission of said City of Boston, acting under the provisions of chapter 486 of the Acts of the Legislature of 1909 and chapter 79 of the General Laws and all other authority thereto enabling, hereby takes in fee for said city, for Public Works Department purposes, the following parcels of land, excluding the trees, buildings and other structures standing upon or affixed thereto:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to J. & M. Corporation of Quincy (Mass. Corp.), containing approximately 48.68 acres, shown as Parcel one (1) on a plan hereinafter referred to.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Willard P. Whittemore, containing approximately 0.11 acre, shown as Parcel two (2) on a plan hereinafter referred to.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to J. & M. Corporation of Quincy (Mass. Corp.), containing approximately 5.93 acres, shown as Parcel three (3) on a plan hereinafter referred to.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to estate of Frederick E. Cruff, City of Boston, T.T., containing approximately 3.25 acres, shown as Parcel four (4) on a plan hereinafter referred to.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to J. & M. Corporation of Quincy (Mass. Corp.), containing approximately 13 acres, shown as Parcel five (5) on a plan hereinafter referred to.

Said parcels of land are shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Gardner Street, High Street, West Roxbury, April 22, 1954, James W. Haley, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of the Public Works Department.

REPAIRS TO CERTAIN STREETS.

The Public Improvement Commission has voted approval to repairs to certain streets in various sections of the city as follows:

Voted, That this commission, having passed the order of notice relating to the public improvement hereinafter described, and having caused a copy of said order to be published October 8, 9, 11, and 13, 1954, in the Boston *Post* and Boston *Herald,* two daily newspapers published in the City of Boston, and having given the public hearing, notice of which was given in said order, and being of the opinion that public necessity and convenience require, does hereby order that specific repairs be made in Charles street, Boston Proper district, consisting of increasing the curb corner radius at the northeasterly and southeasterly corners of Revere street, as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Charles Street, Boston Proper, October 20, 1954, James W. Haley, Chief Engineer, Survey Division, Public Works Department," and on file in the office of said department.

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Voted, That this commission, having passed the order of notice relating to the public improvement hereinafter described, and having caused a copy of said order to be published October 1, 2, 4, and 5, 1954, in the Boston *Globe* and Boston *American,* two daily newspapers published in the City of Boston, and having given the public hearing, notice of which was given in said order, and being of the opinion that public necessity and convenience require, does hereby order that specific repairs be made in Boylston street, Boston Proper district, at the northeasterly corner of Arlington street, consisting of the reduction in width of the existing sidewalk, as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Boylston Street, Boston Proper, October 20, 1954, James W. Haley, Chief Engineer, Survey Division, Public Works Department," and on file in the office of said department.

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Voted, That this commission, having passed the order of notice relating to the public improvement hereinafter described, and having caused a copy of said order to be published October 1, 2, 4, and 5, 1954, in the Boston *Globe* and Boston *American,* two daily newspapers published in the City of Boston, and having given the public hearing, notice of which was given in said order, and being of the opinion that public necessity and convenience require, does hereby order that specific repairs be made in Chestnut street, Boston Proper district, at the northwesterly corner of West Cedar street, consisting of the reduction in width of the existing sidewalk, as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Chestnut Street, Boston Proper, October 20, 1954, James W. Haley, Chief Engineer, Survey Division, Public Works Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Voted, That this commission, having passed the order of notice relating to the public improvement hereinafter described, and having caused a copy of said order to be published October 8, 9, 11, and 13, 1954, in the Boston *Post* and Boston *Herald,* two daily newspapers published in the City of Boston, and having given the public hearing, notice of which was given in said order, and being of the opinion that public necessity and convenience require, does hereby order that specific repairs be made in Stuart street, Boston Proper district, consisting of increasing the curb corner radius at the northwesterly corner of Broadway, as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Stuart Street, Boston Proper, October 20, 1954, James W. Haley, Chief Engineer, Survey Division, Public Works Department," and on file in the office of said department.

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Voted, That this commission, having passed the order of notice relating to the public improvement hereinafter described, and having caused a copy of said order to be published September 17, 18, 20, 21, 1954, in the Boston *Post* and Boston *Herald,* two daily newspapers published in the City of Boston, and having given the public hearing, notice of which was given in said order, and being of the opinion that public necessity and convenience require, does hereby order that specific repairs be made in Marlborough street, Boston Proper district, at Public Alley No. 908, consisting of increasing the curb corner radii as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Public Alley No. 908, Massachusetts Avenue, Marlborough Street, Boston Proper, November 22, 1954, James W. Haley, Chief Engineer, Survey Division, Public Works Department," and on file in the office of this commission.

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Voted, That this commission, having passed the order of notice relating to the public improvement hereinafter described, and having caused a copy of said order to be published September 17, 18, 20, 21, 1954, in the Boston *Post* and Boston *Herald,* two daily newspapers published in the City of Boston, and having given the public hearing, notice of which was given in said order, and being of the opinion that public necessity and convenience require, does hereby order that specific repairs be made in Massachusetts avenue, Boston Proper district, at Public Alley No. 908, consisting of increasing the curb corner radii, as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Public Alley No. 908, Massachusetts Avenue, Marlborough Street, Boston Proper, November 22, 1954, James W. Haley, Chief Engineer, Survey Division, Public Works Department," and on file in the office of this commission.

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Voted, That this commission, having passed the order of notice relating to the public improvement hereinafter described, and having caused a copy of said order to be published September 17, 18, 20, 21, 1954, in the Boston *Post* and Boston *Herald,* two daily newspapers published in the City of Boston, and having given the public hearing, notice of which was given in said order, and being of the opinion that public necessity and convenience require, does hereby order that specific repairs be made in American Legion Highway, at Cummins Highway and Canterbury street, West

Roxbury district, consisting of the construction of sidewalks and traffic divisional islands and the widening of existing roadways, as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, American Legion Highway, Cummins Highway, West Roxbury, September 29, 1954, James W. Haley, Chief Engineer, Survey Division, Public Works Department," and on file in the office of this department.

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Voted, That this commission, having passed the order of notice relating to the public improvement hereinafter described, and having caused a copy of said order to be published October 8, 9, 11, and 13, 1954, in the Boston *Post* and Boston *Herald*, two daily newspapers published in the City of Boston, and having given the public hearing, notice of which was given in said order, and being of the opinion that public necessity and convenience require, does hereby order that specific repairs be made in Charles street, Boston Proper district, consisting of increasing the curb radius at the southeasterly corner of Branch street and at the northeasterly and southeasterly corners of Chestnut street, as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Charles Street, Boston Proper, October 20, 1954, James W. Haley, Chief Engineer, Survey Division, Public Works Department," and on file in the office of said department.

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Voted, That this commission, having passed the order of notice relating to the public improvement hereinafter described, and having caused a copy of said order to be published October 8, 9, 11, and 13, 1954, in the Boston *Post* and Boston *Herald*, two daily newspapers published in the City of Boston, and having given the public hearing, notice of which was given in said order, and being of the opinion that public necessity and convenience require, does hereby order that specific repairs be made in Charles street, Boston Proper district, consisting of increasing the curb corner radius at the southwesterly and northeasterly corners of Pinckney street, as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Charles Street, Boston Proper, October 20, 1954, James W. Haley, Chief Engineer, Survey Division, Public Works Department," and on file in the office of said department.

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Voted, That this commission, having passed the order of notice relating to the public improvement hereinafter described, and having caused a copy of said order to be published October 8, 9, 11, and 13, 1954, in the Boston *Post* and Boston *Herald*, two daily newspapers published in the City of Boston, and having given the public hearing, notice of which was given in said order, and being of the opinion that public necessity and convenience require, does hereby order that specific repairs be made in Atlantic avenue, Boston Proper district, consisting of increasing the curb radius at the northeasterly corner of Kneeland street, as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Atlantic Avenue, October 20, 1954, James W. Haley, Chief Engineer, Survey Division, Public Works Department," and on file in the office of said department.

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Voted, That this commission, having passed the order of notice relating to the public improvement hereinafter described, and having caused a copy of said order to be published October 1, 2, 4, and 5, 1954, in the Boston *Globe* and Boston *American*, two daily newspapers published in the City of Boston, and having given the public hearing, notice of which was given in said order, and being of the opinion that public necessity and convenience require, does hereby order that specific repairs be made in Mt. Vernon street, Boston Proper district, between Charles street and West Cedar street, consisting of the reduction in width of sidewalks, as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Mt. Vernon Street, Boston Proper, October 13, 1954, James W. Haley, Chief Engineer, Survey Division, Public Works Department," and on file in the office of said department.

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Voted, That this commission, having passed the order of notice relating to the public improvement hereinafter described, and having caused a copy of said order to be published October 8, 9, 11, and 13, 1954, in the Boston *Post* and Boston *Herald*, two daily newspapers published in the City of Boston, and having given the public hearing, notice of which was given in said order, and being of the opinion that public necessity and convenience require, does hereby order that specific repairs be made in Harvard avenue, Hyde Park district, at the intersection of Hyde Park avenue, consisting of the installation of a traffic divisional island, as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Harvard Avenue, Hyde Park, October 20, 1954, James W. Haley, Chief Engineer, Survey Division, Public Works Department," and on file in the office of said department.

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Voted, That this commission, having passed the order of notice relating to the public improvement hereinafter described, and having caused a copy of said order to be published October 8, 9, 11, and 13, 1954, in the Boston *Post* and Boston *Herald*, two daily newspapers published in the City of Boston, and having given the public hearing, notice of which was given in said order, and being of the opinion that public necessity and convenience require, does hereby order that specific repairs be made in Huntington avenue, Roxbury district, from Tremont street to Riverway, consisting of the reduction in width of the existing sidewalks, as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Huntington Avenue, Roxbury, October 20, 1954, James W. Haley, Chief Engineer, Survey Division, Public Works Department," and on file in the office of said department.

DAMAGES SUSTAINED IN WATER MAIN TAKING.

The Public Improvement Commission has voted as follows:

That this Commission determines that the undermentioned persons sustain damages in their estates by the taking of an easement for water main purposes in Hyde Park and West Roxbury districts, under the order of the commission of September 22, 1954, in the amounts hereinafter respectively set against them, and awards said amounts therefor.

City of Boston, 23,656 square feet	Nothing
William J. Barry, 4,665 square feet	$1 00
Owners unknown (Jalleison street), 1,210 square feet	1 00
William J. Barry, 10,637 square feet	1 00
Edith E. Chapski, 903 square feet	$1 00
Robert and Olga Felch, 881 square feet	1 00
Jennie Oliva, 809 square feet	1 00
Jennie Oliva, 734 square feet	1 00
William J. Barry, 1,755 square feet	1 00
Owners unknown (Chase street), 1,240 square feet	1 00
Owners unknown (Columbia street), 903 square feet	1 00
William J. Barry, 6,178 square feet	1 00
Commonwealth of Massachusetts, 5,002 square feet	1 00
City of Boston, 9,486 square feet	1 00
Jacob Witkin, 1,448 square feet	1 00
Jacob Witkin, 240 square feet	1 00
Owners unknown (Newburn street), 9,193 square feet	1 00
Owners unknown (Providence street), 97,407 square feet	1 00
Owners unknown (Providence street), 16,658 square feet	1 00
Owners unknown (Providence street), 87,946 square feet	1 00

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

CAFETERIA ATTENDANT, BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS, JANUARY 29, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, January 10, 1955.

Salary: $48.18 a week.

Vacancies: From time to time, for females.

Duties: To assist the cafeteria manager in the preparation and serving of food in large quantities; to assist in the maintenance of sanitation in food service areas; and to perform related work as required.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants who have passed their fifty-fifth birthday on the date of examination will not be eligible to apply. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application *unless* one has been filed with a previous application.

Veterans who had not reached the maximum age limit at the time of entering military or naval service will not be disqualified by reason of age within five years after the date of honorable discharge. (See chapter 179, Acts of 1950.)

Applicants must have had at least one year of full-time paid employment in food preparation.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

No. 1—309.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING SPARK PLUGS FOR CITY DEPARTMENTS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Tuesday, January 18, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Spark Plugs." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

(Jan. 8.)

No. 4—303.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING GASOLINE FOR CITY DEPARTMENTS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Thursday, January 20, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $200, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Gasoline." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Jan. 8.) *Purchasing Agent.*

No. 6—349.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING DRY GOODS (CLOTH, PILLOW CASES, SHEETS, ETC.) TO THE LONG ISLAND HOSPITAL DIVISION.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Friday, January 14, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Dry Goods." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Jan. 8.) *Purchasing Agent.*

No. 5—309.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING AUTOMOBILE BATTERIES FOR CITY DEPARTMENTS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Friday, January 21, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Automobile Batteries." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Jan. 8.) *Purchasing Agent.*

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JOSHUA H. JONES, *Editor.*

No. 7—392.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING GAS MASK CANISTERS TO THE BOSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Monday, January 17, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Gas Mask Canisters." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Jan. 8.) *Purchasing Agent.*

No. 3—304.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING AUTOMOBILE MOTOR OIL FOR CITY DEPARTMENTS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Thursday, January 20, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Automobile Motor Oil." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Jan. 8.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT, WEIGHTS AND MEASURES DIVISION.

NOTICE.

In compliance with provisions of section 41, chapter 98, of the General Laws of Massachusetts, as amended by chapter 32 of the Acts of 1923, I hereby give notice to all inhabitants or persons having usual places of business in Boston using weighing or measuring devices for the purpose of buying or selling goods, wares, or merchandise, for public weighing or for hire or reward, to bring in such weighing and measuring devices to be tested, adjusted, and sealed. I shall be at the office of Sealer of Weights and Measures every day during regular business hours to attend to this duty.

JOHN F. MCCARTHY,
Sealer of Weights and Measures.

Office hours, 9 A.M. to 5 P.M., Mondays to Fridays, inclusive.
(Jan. 8.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

ASSESSORS' NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

CITY HALL ANNEX,
BOSTON, January 1, 1955.

RETURNS MUST BE MAOE ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 31, 1955.

Particular attention is called to the Assessors' notice posted upon City Hall and various other places throughout the city relative to making returns on personal property subject to taxation.

EOMUNO J. BURKE,
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JAMES H. ALPHEN,
Associate Assessor of Taxes,
LAWRENCE J. MOORE,
Associate Assessor of Taxes.
(Jan. 8-15-22-29.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR UNIFORM CLOTH.

The Police Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing and delivering 14-ounce serge cloth, 16-ounce trouser cloth, 20-ounce dresscoat cloth, and 30-ounce overcoat cloth. The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at the office of the Property Clerk, 154 Berkeley street, Boston, and deposit with his bid, at the office of the Police Commissioner, a properly certified check for $1,000, payable to and to become the property of the Police Commissioner for the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. Proposals will be publicly opened and read on Friday, January 21, 1955, at 12 o'clock noon, at the office of the Police Commissioner, 154 Berkeley street, Boston, Mass. The Police Commissioner reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the Police Department of the City of Boston. Surety bond will be required of the successful bidder, in an amount equivalent to 50 per cent of the estimated amount of the contract.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
(Jan. 8.) *Police Commissioner.*

No. 2—305.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING AUTOMOBILE TIRES AND TUBES FOR CITY DEPARTMENTS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Tuesday, January 18, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Automobile Tires and Tubes." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Jan. 8.) *Purchasing Agent.*

THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING DIPLOMA CASES FOR BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing and delivering to the office of the Secretary of the School Committee diploma cases for use in the Boston public schools. Proposal forms are obtainable at the office of the Business Manager of the School Committee, tenth floor, 15 Beacon street. Envelopes containing proposals must be sealed and plainly marked "Proposal for Furnishing Diploma Cases." The bid must be in duplicate. One copy, signed by the bidder and accompanied by a certified check for one hundred dollars ($100), payable to the City of Boston, must be left at the office of the Business Manager on or before 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, January 20, 1955. Copies filed with the Business Manager will be publicly opened and read at 12 o'clock noon of the day stated. The other copy, also signed by the bidder must be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., previous to the time named for the opening of the bids. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to accept such bid as may be deemed best for the interests of the city. The successful bidder will be required to furnish a suitable bond or deposit of money or other security in the amount of not less than 50 per cent of the amount of the contract.

HENRY J. SMITH,
Business Manager of the School Committee.
(Jan. 8.)

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CHARLESTOWN BRIDGE DRAWSPAN TO UNDERGO REPAIRS TO PREVENT HALTING OF M.T.A. AND PUBLIC TRAFFIC FOR LONG PERIODS — MAYOR HYNES HAS APPROVED REQUEST OF PUBLIC WORKS COMMISSIONER.

At the request of Public Works Commissioner George G. Hyland, the Mayor has authorized repairs to the bridge drawspan over the Mystic River at Charlestown on an emergency basis, to prevent inconvenience to traffic over the bridge by both the M.T.A. and the public. This will prevent long openings of the drawspan at this time for needed repairs which would put the bridge back into first-class working condition. The letter of request approved by the Mayor reads as follows:

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
BOSTON, January 10, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

In the past three or four months we have experienced long openings in con-

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CONTRACT FOR EMERGENCY REPAIRS TO WALTER SNOW FIGHTING EQUIPMENT SO AS TO CARE FOR WINTER CONDITIONS HAS BEEN APPROVED BY MAYOR HYNES AT REQUEST OF PUBLIC WORKS COMMISSIONER—CHARLES N. WOOD COMPANY TO DO WORK.

Mayor John B. Hynes has approved the request of the Public Works Commissioner for permission to award a contract, without advertising, to the Charles N. Wood Company for repairs to the Walter snow fighters during the winter months so that the city will be able successfully to care for any snow emergency that might arise. The request sought for and approved by the Mayor reads as follows:

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
BOSTON, January 6, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

At the present time, the department operates 30 heavy-duty Walter snow

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GIRLS' LATIN SCHOOL FORCED OUT OF HOME IN FENWAY BY STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION'S TAKING OVER OF PROPERTY — FINANCE COMMISSION SUGGESTS TO MAYOR AND COUNCIL THAT CLOSED DORCHESTER HIGH SCHOOL FOR GIRLS, NOW VACANT, BE TAKEN OVER AS NEW HOME — SCHOOL COMMITTEE HAS THIS ALTERNATIVE AT COST OF $75,000 OR BUILDING A NEW LATIN SCHOOL AT APPROXIMATELY $3,000,000, AN ADDED TAX BURDEN.

The Finance Commission has presented the following to the Honorable the Mayor and City Council:

The City of Boston gave its "Teachers College" to the State of Massachusetts in August 1952. This transfer was accomplished under the authority of chapter 618, Acts of the Legislature of 1952.

The City of Boston was the petitioner for the legislation. The philosophy which inspired this gratuitous act — with which the Finance Commission was in accord — was that Boston should not continue the training of teachers for public school work. For several years a substantial and growing per cent of the teachers trained in "Boston Teachers College" was absorbed in the public education work of other municipalities; furthermore, the State of Massachusetts trained and prepared teachers for public education throughout the state in other teachers colleges.

The "Boston Teachers College" property consists of a group of buildings, one of which contains the very important "Girls' Latin School." As a result of the above-mentioned transfer, the State Department of Education now has ownership and control of this entire group. The enabling act allows the city use of the Latin School building, but with reservations and temporarily. Since the state acquired control, it has already reduced the number of rooms used by the Latin School by 23 per cent — seven out of thirty rooms. This reduction in usable space has proved embarrassing to the Latin School because pupil enrollment in that school has increased 11 per cent.

Loss to City.

Now the entire elimination of Girls' Latin School from the property is imminent. The city is faced with notice by the State Board of Education that the city must give up eight more rooms within six months, which will result in fifteen rooms lost to the Latin School to that time; furthermore, the State Board has served notice that, if predicted increases in Teachers College enrollment materialize, the state will take over the remaining fifteen rooms. In fact, the prospect is that the Latin School will have to vacate the building entirely within three years.

Boston (the School Committee), therefore, is faced with these alternatives. Boston must close out entirely and permanently the Girls' Latin School; or Boston must provide an entirely different building for the school. The first of these alternatives is, to many, unthinkable; the second might cause an unexpected expenditure of over $3,000,000.

The School Committee has suggested as the solution of this dilemma the use of the closed Dorchester High School for Girls as a new Girls' Latin. However, a storm of protest from alumnae of the Latin School and from parents of girls in the present school has halted consummation of that idea. What makes this solution of the difficulty attractive from a financial standpoint is that the maximum cost of it would be no more than $75,000.

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"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean;
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.

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Advertising.

A rate of $4 per inch of 12 lines (set solid) has been established for such advertisements as under the law must be printed in the City Record. Advertising and other copy must be in hand by 5 P.M. Wednesday of each week to insure its publication in the Saturday issue.

MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, January 17, at 2 P.M.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the officials directly in charge. The failure of such official to make reply within a reasonable length of time should be brought to the attention of the Mayor. Communications should be directed as follows:

TO THE PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT COMMISSION, Room 403, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways, the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments of streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped area for streets and the opening of private ways; the making of specific repairs in public streets; the naming of public streets, including the use of public ways for location of conduits, poles, and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railways, coal holes, and vaults.

TO THE BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION, 112 Southampton street, for information relative to regulation of vehicular street traffic on all or any streets, ways, highways, roads, and parkways under the control of the City of Boston, the issuing of all permits in connection therewith.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting, and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of Sumner Tunnel, the maintenance of bridges and draw-bridges, and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Haymarket Square, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish, and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughterhouses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases, of public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth Avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park, and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts, also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview, and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

TO THE COMPLAINTS DEPARTMENT, 25 City Hall, for complaints concerning any matters in which the citizens of Boston may be interested that need correction or investigation.

TO THE DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS, 28 Norman street, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

TO THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 907, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal, or tearing down buildings.

TO THE ELECTRICAL INSPECTION DIVISION OF THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT, 1001 City Hall Annex, for all information relative to the erection of poles, building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division; also for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings of the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

TO THE BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT, 43 City Hall, relative to changes in the boundary lines of zoning districts of the City of Boston as established by chapter 488 of the Acts of 1924, and amendments thereto.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending January 8, 1955.

Population as of July, 1950, Massachusetts State Census, 817,713; population estimated July, 1954, United States Census Bureau, 810,633; number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 192; nonresidents, 89; total, 281.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 18.01; nonresidents deducted, 9.91.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:

Last week, 18.01; corresponding week last year, 15.37.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 23, one year to four years, inclusive, 6; sixty years and over, 186. Total deaths: Male, 146; female, 135; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 209.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Jan. 8, 1955.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Jan. 9, 1954.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior Poliomyelitis	—	—	3	—
Diphtheria	1	—	—	—
Encephalitis Lethargica	—	—	—	—
Influenza	—	—	—	—
Measles	137	—	2	—
Meningitis Epidemic	—	—	1	—
Pneumonia (lobar)	—	5	—	2
Scarlet Fever	15	—	24	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary)	14	2	12	6
Childhood Type Tuberculosis	—	—	—	—
Tuberculosis (other forms)	—	—	2	1
Typhoid Fever	—	—	—	—
Whooping Cough	7	—	1	—

* Residents and nonresidents included.

FINANCE COMMISSION FAVORS USING CLOSED DORCHESTER HIGH SCHOOL AS NEW HOME FOR GIRLS' LATIN SCHOOL.

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Your interest in this matter, since you have no direct control, will undoubtedly stem from your often expressed desire to avoid new expenditure which adds to an already worrisome tax burden. A new $3,000,000 Latin School will increase maintenance and financing costs of the school system.

For a complete understanding of the situation, the Finance Commission offers this chronology of developments:

a) In the acquisition of the Teachers College property, the Commonwealth took over a group of buildings consisting of the "Teachers College," the "Patrick A. Collins Building," which had been jointly used by the college and the Girls' Latin School, the "Girls' Latin Building," and the "Common Building," which contained a gymnasium and lunchroom used by both college and Latin school.

b) During the school year 1952–53, the city continued to use thirty rooms for Latin School purposes, seven in the Collins Building, twenty-three in the Latin Building. For this, by agreement under authority of the enabling act, the city paid $22,935.18, of which approximately $15,000 represented 50 per cent of the operating costs of the buildings and the remainder for ordinary repairs to Girls Latin School.

c) In December, 1953, the State Commissioner of Education notified the Boston School Committee that his department intended to use seven rooms in the Collins Building, beginning September 1, 1954.

d) On September 1, 1954, the state took the seven rooms, leaving twenty-three rooms in the Girls' Latin School for City of Boston use.

e) For the 1953–54 school year, the city paid $30,226.69 for its 50 per cent share of the operating costs and $2,641.35 for repairs to the Latin School.

f) November, 1954, the State Commissioner of Education notified the Boston School Committee that he would have to take an additional eight rooms, beginning June 30, 1955.

THE SITUATION AT THE GIRLS' LATIN SCHOOL.

The following table presents a situation of increasing enrollment and decreasing space at the Latin School:

	1952	1954	Change	Per Cent
Enrollment	1,222	1,356	plus 134	plus 11
Space	30 rooms	23 rooms	minus 7	minus 23

The squeeze on space indicated by the above table has resulted in a compressed and overlapping schedule for the six grades enrolled at Girls' Latin School. This is illustrated by the fact that in Grade 7 some attend from 12.41 to 4 P.M., while others attend from 11.39 A.M. to 3.22 P.M. and in Grades 8 through 12, the hours of attendance are from 8.45 A.M. to 2.03 P.M. This compressed schedule has modified extracurricula activities.

Further reduction in the number of rooms, in accordance with the state department's notice of November, 1954, will so intensify the situation as to constitute a weakening of a sound educational program.

VALUE OF TEACHERS COLLEGE PROPERTY.

It is pertinent to point out the value of the property acquired by the state, without cost, by transfer of the Teachers College in 1952. The following table presents the picture:

BUILDING	Square Feet Area	Cost	Square Feet Area of Building	Original Cost
Girls' Latin			17,382	$253,750 30
Teachers College			18,541	254,553 30
P. A. Collins Building			13,043	166,222 50
Common Building			9,000	128,481 16
Whole area	141,076	$241,290 77		$803,007 26 241,290 77
Total Cost of Land and Buildings				$1,044,298 03

At an estimated $1 per cubic foot, reproduction costs would approximate $3,500,000. Since the state acquired this property, the city has spent over $55,000 in shared operating cost and ordinary repair.

The financial saving visualized by the School Committee in giving up the college can be seen in the cost in the last complete year of city operation. The expenditures in 1951 were as follows:

Instruction: (Including salaries of president, teachers, clerks, supplies)	$265,428 41	
Operation of Plant: (Including custodial, fuel, light, windows, telephone)	24,820 96	
Health Promotion: (Including school physician)	2,465 98	
General Control: (Apportionment of headquarters cost)	12,222 25	
Supervision: (Special fields, such as art)	12,744 48	
Gross Expenditures	$317,682 08	
Minus Income: Tuition	$81,738 59	
Other Income	1,379 47	
Total	$83,118 06	$83,118 06
Net 1951 Expenditure by City on Teachers College		$234,564 02

ALTERNATIVES.

To make the Dorchester High School for Girl's usable will, as stated above, cost around $75,000. To construct a new building will cost over $3,000,000. It is questionable if the School Committee can make any other use of the Dorchester property. It cost the city (land and building) approximately $500,000 many years ago. Its replacement cost today would be approximately $2,500,000. It is now in sound condition, needing only internal repairs to make it as good as new.

The Dorchester High School has been closed for over a year. When a school building is closed, deterioration proceeds at an alarming rate.

Respectfully submitted,

H. W. DWIGHT RUDD, *Chairman*,
LEO J. DUNN,
EDWARD F. MULLEN,
EDWARD U. LEE,
ROGER J. ABIZAID, M.D.,
The Finance Commission.

ROBERT E. CUNNIFF,
Secretary.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, for a trial period of sixty (60) days, the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective December 16, 1954:

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out the following:

Washington Street, Boston Proper.
East side, from Kneeland street to Summer street, 24 hours.
East side, from Summer street to Franklin street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Franklin street to State street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," the following:

Washington Street.
East side, from Kneeland street to State street, 24 hours.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by striking out the following:

Water Street, Charlestown.
From Navy Yard to Warren avenue.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, the following temporary traffic rule, occasioned by construction of the John F. Fitzgerald Expressway, which was adopted and was effective July 9, 1954, for a period then estimated to be eighteen (18) weeks, is hereby extended for three (3) months from January 7, 1955:

The following street is one way in the direction indicated:

Commercial Street, Boston Proper.
From State street to Clinton street (the boundary of occupation by the Massachusetts Department of Public Works for the expressway construction).

MAYOR APPROVES REPAIRS TO CHARLESTOWN DRAWSPAN.

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nection with the operation of the drawspan of the Charlestown Bridge which connects Keany square, City Proper, with City square in Charlestown, and carries the M.T.A. structure over which many thousands of passengers ride daily. The importance of this bridge is obvious, and it is most essential, therefore, that the openings of the drawspan be made as expeditiously as possible so as not to seriously inconvenience the M.T.A. passengers and the motorists.

There have been occasions when a long opening was caused by defective electrical or mechanical failure of the M.T.A. interlock system, which is related to our drawspan operation. We cannot open the draw for the passage of boats unless clearance is given by the M.T.A. drawtender, and until the M.T.A. interlocking system is functioning properly. While the M.T.A. has been responsible for some of the long openings, there have been times when the openings have been delayed, due to the faulty working of the mechanical system which operates the city-controlled drawspan. A comprehensive study and inspection have disclosed that there is a defect in the main superstructure of the drawspan, which might be the reason for the faulty operation of the city-controlled mechanism. The defect involves the truss pins which are located at the top of the central tower structure of the draw. Each truss is connected to the tower by means of a slotted member engaging the tower pin. This slotted member permits raising of the ends of the drawspan, in order to release the supporting blocks and permit swinging the bridge to an "off" position.

An inspection made at the site on Sunday, December 19, by engineers and mechanics of the General Ship and Engine Works, Inc., of East Boston, disclosed that the tower pin joints were not functioning uniformly, and that one joint was apparently "frozen." In the opinion of our engineers, the condition of the joint is caused by excessive wear of the pins and the slotted members. Both the slotted members and the pins should be renewed. However, we question if the slotted members could be replaced without putting the bridge out of commission for a considerable length of time. We intend, therefore, to defer a complete overhaul of the truss pins and other members of the tower structure until sometime later this year, when a complete project will be prepared for reconstructing and repairing the entire bridge structure.

In the meantime, we feel that emergency repairs must be made by renewing one tower pin, which we hope will correct the present faulty operation of the draw. Therefore, I have requested a proposal from the General Ship and Engine Works, Inc., to renew the pin and effect other minor related repairs. The proposal submitted by the above-referenced contractor—who, in my opinion, is the best qualified contractor in this area to do the repair work—states that said contractor will furnish all necessary labor, staging, materials, and equipment; and complete all necessary work to renew the pin, inspect and report on the condition of the slotted members without dismantling the joint, and effect minor repairs to the slotted member, if at all possible; all work to be done on a force account basis, at a total cost not to exceed $1,500. As this work is of an emergency nature and is to be done on a force account basis, no advantage would accrue to the city by publicly advertising for proposals.

I therefore respectfully request your approval to dispense with advertising, and to award a contract to the General Ship and Engine Works, Inc., of East Boston, in an amount not to exceed $1,500, for effecting repairs to the central tower structure, in accordance with the provisions of the proposal submitted by said contractor and described above. It is to be understood that the work is to be done on a force account basis, at rates for labor, materials, and equipment to be agreed upon by the contractor and the undersigned.

Respectfully yours,

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

MAYOR APPROVES CONTRACT FOR REPAIRING SNOW REMOVAL EQUIPMENT.

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fighters during the winter months on snow plowing, sanding, and salting work. It is absolutely essential to have these units in good operating condition at all times, due to the emergency nature of the work on which they are engaged. It is most difficult—if not impossible—for the department mechanics to keep these units in A-1 condition during the winter months because of the many other units that the mechanics are required to repair.

Therefore, I feel that it is essential to award a contract to a qualified repair shop to effect whatever repairs are necessary during the remainder of the winter months on these units, in cases where the repairs cannot be done expeditiously by our department mechanics. The only company qualified to repair these Walter snow fighters in this area is the Charles N. Wood Company, which has done similar repairs in the past in a very satisfactory manner. The Wood Company is the only authorized dealer of Walter trucks in this area, and it would be most impractical, in my opinion, to attempt to publicly advertise for proposals for this repair work.

I respectfully request, therefore, your authorization to dispense with advertising, and to award a contract to the Charles N. Wood Company, in an amount not to exceed $10,000, for effecting whatever repairs are necessary to the Walter snow fighters during the current year, with the understanding that the work will be authorized and assigned by Acting Division Engineer James H. Stewart of the Automotive Division; and with the further understanding that the city makes no commitment as to the volume of work to be sent to the Wood Company.

Respectfully yours,

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 1,986.

The Police Commissioner having heard the complaint of Captain Francis W. Russell, Division 10, against Patrolman Vincent T. Clifford, Division 10, on Friday, December 31, 1954, at Police Headquarters, charging him with violation of the rules and regulations of the Boston Police Department, has made a finding of guilty.

Therefore, it is ordered that the said Patrolman Vincent T. Clifford be suspended for a period of two months, effective as of Monday, December 27, 1954, at 5.45 o'clock P.M.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, the following temporary traffic rule, occasioned by construction of the John F. Fitzgerald Expressway, which was adopted and was effective August 4, 1954, for a period then estimated to be thirty (30) days, is hereby extended for three (3) months from January 7, 1955:

The one-way rule in the following street is suspended and it is a two-way street:

Broad Street, Boston Proper.
From High street to Franklin street.

POPULATION OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

April 1, 1950.

As Returned by the United States Department of Commerce, Bureau of Census.

Ward	
1	53,296
2	31,332
3	50,644
4	35,889
5	40,701
6	30,328
7	34,484
8	29,355
9	33,357
10	30,281
11	30,456
12	36,880
13	29,805
14	52,580
15	26,661
16	33,233
17	32,322
18	48,348
19	29,525
20	39,053
21	38,984
22	33,930
Total	801,444

CIVIL DEFENSE KIT.

In Milwaukee residents have been notified by the city's civil defense administration to get together kits of nonperishable foods on which their families could live for a week in the open if need be. A 43-pound kit, costing $37, was used for demonstration purposes. In the kit, besides food, were a first-aid packet, water purification tablets, cooking utensils, and cans of canned heat. The entire unit packed in an aluminum laundry mail case doubles as a dishpan, wash basin, and infant bathtub.

Toledo City Journal.

BOSTON RENT BOARD REPORT.

Following is the report of the Boston Rent Board for the month ending December 31, 1954:

Incoming telephone calls		2,220
Callers—Landlords	785	
Tenants	1,190	
Attorneys	147	
Total		2,122
Total pending on November 30, 1954	646	
Cases docketed during month	314	
Total		960
Total disposed during month		310
Total pending on December 31, 1954		650
Compliance Actions.		
Total pending on November 30, 1954	27	
Cases docketed during month	25	
Total		52
Total disposed during month		37
Total pending on December 31, 1954		15
Refunds.		
Single		6
To tenants		$322.40

STREET EXTENSIONS IN HYDE PARK.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the laying out of an extension of Garfield avenue, Hyde Park district, as a public highway, from Faraday street to Cranmore road, bounded and described as follows:

An extension of the highway named Garfield avenue is hereby laid out from Faraday street to Cranmore road (without construction).

Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees, shrubs or structures standing upon or affixed thereto, in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

Easterly by the westerly line of Garfield avenue as laid out November 26, 1954, 40 feet; southerly by the southerly line of Garfield avenue as hereby laid out, 231.81 feet; westerly by Cranmore road, 51.30 feet; and northerly by the northerly line of Garfield avenue as hereby laid out, by three measurements, 40.08 feet, 16.48 feet on a curve of 10.74 feet radius, and 182.88 feet.

No betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement consisting of the laying out (without construction) of an extension of Garfield avenue, Hyde Park district, as a highway, from Faraday street to Cranmore road, under the order of the commission of December 29, 1954, and awards no damages therefor.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING JANUARY 11.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Uzen Canning Company	52–54 Binford street	6	Alterations, cannery	$2,900
A. Singarella	125 Boston street	7	Erection, warehouse	16,875
A. Singarella	125 Boston street	7	Erection, warehouse	17,200
R. Lealey-P. Morris	1325 Boylston street	5	Erection, gas station	18,000
Report Corporation	25 Buick street	21	Alterations, garage, auto service	7,500
Richard Stowe	1055 Centre street	20	Erection, dwelling	10,704
George Camia	1061 Centre street	19	Erection, dwelling	12,672
William Connors	1410 Centre street	20	Erection, tailoring, cleansing	9,000
Max Gopin	2 Centre Street terrace	11	Alterations, dwelling	3,000
J. Gurwitz	221 Chestnut Hill avenue	21	Alterations, dwelling	None
R. Wullcman	225 Chestnut Hill avenue	21	Alterations, dwelling	None
H. V. Holzer	35 Collins street	18	Erection, dwelling	$10,000
Henry Cure	23–24 Common street	2	Use premises	None
James Marcantonio	91 Cornell street	18	Alterations, dwelling	$275
Earl Shand	21 Cushing avenue	13	Alterations, dwelling	400
Saratoga Realty Trust	420 D street	6	Erection, storage	822,835
John Basile, Jr.	5 Driftwood road	19	Erection, dwelling, garage	17,000
John Basile, Jr.	6 Driftwood road	19	Erection, dwelling, garage	17,000
John Basile, Jr.	10 Driftwood road	19	Erection, dwelling, garage	17,000
Eugene Colmes	14 Euston road	21	Use premises	None
Thomas-Catherine Thornton	75–77 F street	7	Fire repair, dwelling, store	$2,000
John F. Welsh	121 H street	6	Alterations, dwelling	None
North End Veterans' Association.	246 Hanover street	3	Fire repair, hall	$1,200
Leon Goldberg	31 Harvard street	14	Alterations, dwelling	350
Walter R. Walsh	38 Hazelmere road	20	Erection, dwelling	11,000
Eugene O. Egan	59–61 Hillside street	10	Alterations, dwelling	None
Boston A. L. Baseball Company.	24 Jersey street	5	Alterations, ball park	$750
Maritime Realty Company	193–95 Medford street	2	Erection, storage	8,000
Andrew Scaltrito	41 Montmorenci avenue	1	Erection, dwelling	10,000
Joseph Lynch	93 Newfield street	20	Erection, dwelling	12,000
Socony Vacuum Oil Company	372 North Beacon street	22	Alterations, service station	8,000
John Gorman	49 Rogers street	7	Alterations, dwelling	750
Real Estate Managers	245 Roxbury street	9	Alterations, dwelling	None
Real Estate Managers	247 Roxbury street	9	Alterations, dwelling	None
Morris-Rose Schlingbaum	11 School street	17	Alterations, dwelling	None
Rodick Company	52 South street	19	Erection, gas station, lubritorium	$14,500
Gerald Dunham	722 Veterans of Foreign Wars Parkway	20	Erection, dwelling	12,000
Irene Avtges	8–10 Walnut park	11	Alterations, dwelling	400
Smith Management Corporation.	241 Washington street	3	Alterations, restaurant	3,000
Sam Zuzzman	92 Woodhaven street	19	Erection, dwelling	11,000
Mary Soutoso	69–71 Adamson street	22	Alterations, dwelling	400
William Reilly	11 Arborway	19	Alterations, dwelling	90
M. A. O'Hare	27 Ardale street	20	Alterations, dwelling	300
Michael Frederica	25 Barry street	15	Alterations, dwelling	280
Rose Cirone	421 Beech street	18	Alterations, dwelling	375
John Fiore	447 Beech street	18	Alterations, dwelling	275
Kudish & Kagno	610 Blue Hill avenue	14	Alterations, store	300
Pilgrim Theatres	726 Blue Hill avenue	14	Sign, theatre, store	350
Marshall Realty Company	996–98 Blue Hill avenue	14	Alterations, stores	800
Dr. Hittel	1525 Blue Hill avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling, office	250
Boston Edison Company	39 Boylston street	3	Alterations, office	1,000
Regina Polcaro	281–85 Causeway street	3	Take-down, dwelling, office	2,000
Ann Coleman	233 Columbia road	14	Alterations, dwelling	750
Natalia Ingegneri	20 Corning street	3	Alterations, dwelling	400
Pat McCarthy	23 Denny street	13	Alterations, dwelling	300
Mrs. Granaam	20 Doris street	13	Alterations, dwelling	120
B. Kashish	547-49 Dudley street	8	Alterations, store, dwelling	900
Curtis Heron	5 Fairland street	8	Alterations, dwelling	150
William Benson	12 Fairmount court	18	Alterations, dwelling	100
Dr. Lewis	40 Farrar avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	175
Chester Sasso	208 Friend street	3	Sign, cafe	200
William Long	12 Furnival road	19	Alterations, dwelling	280
Mary Clancy	43 Gardena street	22	Alterations, dwelling	398
Pat McCarthy	184 Grampian Way	13	Alterations, garage, dwelling	280
T. Kosta	103 H street	7	Fire repairs, dwelling	375
Josephine Buonopane	68 Hewlett street	20	Alterations, dwelling	300
McLaughlin-Reilly	252 Hungington avenue	4	Alterations, office, store	80
J. J. Shubert	343 Huntington avenue	5	Alterations, theatre	900
Mr. Diagazio	44 Johnswood road	19	Alterations, dwelling	296
Boston Lying-In Hospital	221 Longwood avenue	4	Alterations, hospital	450
Simon Alukonis	182 M street	7	Fire repairs, dwelling	300
P. Belmonte	18 Mead street	22	Alterations, dwelling	100
P. Belmonte	20 Mead street	22	Alterations, dwelling	100
Hugh Logue	551 Medford street	2	Sign, tavern	150
Nick Iacuzio	11 Meridian street	1	Alterations, store, dwelling	450
Maurice Hirsch	72 Mora street	17	Alterations, dwelling	500
K. Higgenbottom	20 Morley street	9	Fire escape, dwelling	80
J. Dorgan	22 Morley street	9	Fire escape, dwelling	80
Mary Kaplan	836 and 838 Morton street	14	Alterations, store	1,500
Rocco LaMattina	110 Northampton street	8	Alterations, store, dwelling	375
Henry Finch	20 Ridgemont street	21	Alterations, dwelling	400
Fred Ray	605 River street	18	Alterations, dwelling	250
Vincent Paccisgraki	1295 River street	18	Alterations, store	875
H. P. Hood & Sons	56 Roland street	2	Temporary wood locker	300
Margaret Duffy	37 Train street	16	Alterations, dwelling	300
John Casey	136 Train street	16	Alterations, dwelling	675
William Pridgen	1008 Tremont street	9	Alterations, store	750
William Pridgen	1010 Tremont street	9	Alterations, store	750
Michael Grin	171 Trenton street	1	Alterations, dwelling	400
J. Cohen	42 Union street	3	Alterations, store	1,300
F. W. McGonagle	28 Wachusett street	19	Alterations, dwelling	300

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING JANUARY 11.—Concluded.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Sarah Freedman	594 Walk Hill street	15	Alterations, dwelling.	$1,600
Margaret C. Kelley	37 Washington street	2	Alterations, dwelling.	200
Lincoln Hotel Company	1695 Washington street	9	Sign, store.	800
Helen Bennett.	51 Wentworth street.	17	Alterations, dwelling.	580
Sam Chipman	103 West Brookline street.	9	Fire escape, dwelling.	100
Mary Gibbons	48 Westminster street.	18	Alterations, dwelling.	400
Charles Elleling	16 West Selden street	18	Alterations, dwelling.	300
Mary Carron.	331 West Third street	6	Alterations, dwelling.	870
Max Klubeck	5 Winderniere road	13	Alterations, hospital.	200
Codman & Codman	50 Congress street	3	Alterations, offices, store.	900
Abraham Horowitz	2–4–6–8 Gordon street.	19	Alterations, store, dwelling.	150
New England Telephone & Telegraph Company.	125 Milk street	3	Alterations, offices.	480
Donald Merrill	2 Rollins place	5	Fire repairs, dwelling.	400
Otto Nizarus	1075 Washington street	17	Alterations, dwelling.	550

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM PLUMBING FOR THE WEEK ENDING JANUARY 11.

Plumber.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
J. Devlin	62 Condor street	1	Fixtures	$35
W. Dacey	40 and 44 Cross street	3	Fixtures	1,400
B. Shillman	100 Groveland street	18	Fixtures	800
P. Russo	499 La Grange street	20	Fixtures	650
E. Healy	16 Melbourne street	16	Fixtures	280
F. DeFilipo	90 Newfield street	20	Fixtures	900
John Woodacre	14 Otis place	3	Fixtures	300
A. Stahly	20 Peverell street	13	Fixtures	50
H. Ribeck	119 Saratoga street	1	Fixtures	300
R. LaCentra	49 Snow Hill street	3	Fixtures	600
A. Stahly	106 Templeton street	16	Fixtures	80
A. Stahly	00 Tovar street	15	Fixtures	50
T. Joyce	53 Tremont street	3	Fixtures	150
L. Miller	90 Tremont street	3	Fixtures	275
R. Snyder	1600 Tremont street	21	Fixtures	9,000
R. Dowling	450 Western avenue	21	Fixtures	600
S. Londau	241 Washington street	3	Fixtures	150
S. Kellem	13 Lamont street	9	Fixtures	100
S. Kellem	18 Armandine street	17	Fixtures	100
R. Russo	389 Broadway	6	Fixtures	100
G. Patey	15 Cemo road	20	Fixtures	100
I. Carlin	41 Charles street	3	Fixtures	225
E. Dorr	1514 Columbia road	7	Fixtures	200
W. Aitken	177 Milton street	16	Fixtures	450
G. Patey	67 Mossdale road	19	Fixtures	1,200
E. Dorr	14 Rosedale street	17	Fixtures	225
A. Milligan	58 Summit street	18	Fixtures	1,000
H. Beaulieu	2932 Washington street	11	Fixtures	200
F. McMillen	9 and 11 Ashburton place	3	Fixtures	110
L. Trehub	78 Birch street	20	Fixtures	130
G. Trethewey	53 Bradfield avenue	20	Fixtures	250
C. Lang	18 Capital street	20	Fixtures	25
J. Cusher	90 High street	2	Fixtures	150
W. Oscnton	92 Mt. Vernon street	5	Fixtures	400
E. Kelly	36 New Haven street	20	Fixtures	500
C. Lang	250 Park street	20	Fixtures	40
P. Sandborg	1493 River street	18	Fixtures	150
C. Lang	40 Searle road	20	Fixtures	40
C. Lang	42 Summer street	20	Fixtures	500
F. Deltufo	175 Temple street	20	Fixtures	60
E. Kelly	709 West Roxbury Parkway	20	Fixtures	400
D. Kilday	96 Wordsworth street	1	Fixtures	150
L. Viseo	352 Athens street	6	Fixtures	65
F. Odenweller	346 Beacon street	5	Fixtures	500
H. Hinckley	870 Beacon street	21	Fixtures	250
S. Fox	109 Chiswick road	21	Fixtures	500
M. Zeolla	850 Dorchester avenue	7	Fixtures	1,200
A. Kellem	187 Faneuil street	21	Fixtures	150
D. Foley	35 M street	7	Fixtures	150
P. Murtha	84 Safford street	18	Fixtures	1,000
W. Oscnton	222 Silver street	6	Fixtures	155
F. Odenweller	131 State street	3	Fixtures	475
A. Kellem	132 Child street	18	Fixtures	500
R. Coughlan	86 Clare avenue	18	Fixtures	40
L. Larrey	20 Gould street	20	Fixtures	30
C. Lang	11 La Grange street	3	Fixtures	275
H. Kroner	221 Longwood avenue	4	Fixtures	1,500
J. Downey	63 Moore street	1	Fixtures	100
C. Bevelander	9 Moulton avenue	2	Fixtures	300
E. Ardini	115 Pembroke street	4	Fixtures	150
G. W. Vogel	104 Regent street	12	Fixtures	150
E. Clayton	55–59 Fruit street	3	Fixtures	1,000
W. Ahern	342 Hanover street	3	Fixtures	350
H. Heath	38 North Bennet street	3	Fixtures	100
H. Heath	53 Oliver street	3	Fixtures	135
D. Carey	34 River street	5	Fixtures	400
B. Porte	19 South Market street	3	Fixtures	700
S. Whitcomb				

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees:

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

For the week ending December 28, 1954:

The following permanent employee has been appointed:

Robert Allen, 33 Glenwood street, Roxbury, hospital kitchen worker, $48 a week.

The following provisional employee has been appointed:

Dorothy K. Schomburg, 231 Dudley street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

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For the week ending January 4:

The following weekly nurses have been appointed:

Permanent.—Patricia Cavanaugh, 2 Melville avenue, Dorchester, floor nurse, $1.60 an hour; Alma Crowley, 1 Newcroft Circle, Mattapan, Mary Galloucis, 83 Callender street, Dorchester, Thelma Mueller, 50 Lawrence street, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour.

Temporary.—Kathleen Burke, 20 Nottingham street, Dorchester, floor nurse, $1.70 an hour; Catherine Powers, 129 West Eagle street, East Boston, floor nurse, $1.65 an hour.

The following provisional employee has been appointed:

Patricia Taylor, 268 Savin Hill avenue, Dorchester, laboratory assistant, $45.50 a week.

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—Margaret Collery, 916 Harrison avenue, hospital house worker, $55.50 a week; Patricia Dunbar, 16 Pleasant street, Whitinsville, floor nurse, $76.50 a week; Margaret Madden, 23 East Concord street, hospital laundry worker, $55.50 a week; Alfred McCarthy, 23 Maywood street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; Ruth M. Nagle, 210 Sherman road, Chestnut Hill, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Gracia Tyrell, 23 Wellington street, hospital medical worker, $45.50 a week.

Temporary.—Matilda Arigo, 77 North Margin street, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; Joan Feeney, 120 Welles avenue, Dorchester, clerk-typist, $43 a week; Eleanora Finnegan, 163 Train street, Dorchester, Diane L. Hemmer, 75 Parkton road, West Roxbury, Irene M. Healy, 75 Belgrade avenue, West Roxbury, clerk-typists, $7 a day; John F. Leary, 175 Warren avenue, elevator operator, $43 a week; Margaret Malone, 990A Shirley street, Winthrop, floor nurse, $1.70 an hour; Claire O'Neill, 2094 Dorchester avenue, clerk-typist, $7 a day; Ralph Pemberton, 66 Bloomfield street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; Catherine A. Powers, 29 West Eagle street, East Boston, floor nurse, $1.65 an hour; Agnes Reynolds, 80 St. Marks road, Dorchester, telephone operator, $55.50 a week; Louis Scimone, 29 Malden street, Frances Schieber, 39 Salem street, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; Marjorie K. Ward, 80 Olney street, Dorchester, clerk-typist, $7 a day.

The following doctors have been appointed:

Rene Altamirano, senior assistant resident, Ophthalmology, $132 a month; Arnold Gerson, senior assistant resident, Radiology, $132 a month.

South Division.

For the week ending January 4:

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—Ellen J. Connolly, 19A Charles street, Dorchester, hospital house worker, $48 a week; Nellie Riordan, 6 Russell street, Charlestown, hospital laundry worker, $55.50 a week.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

MUNICIPAL COURT, ROXBURY DISTRICT.

Francis J. Coneannon has been appointed as principal clerk at $142.46 semimonthly.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following appointments:

CIVIL DEFENSE.

John Joseph Dooley, 43 Roslin street, Dorchester, clerk, $1.23 an hour.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Marie T. McCann, 161 Savin Hill avenue, Dorchester, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Charles Barranco, 113 Princeton street, East Boston, machinist, $60.50 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Anne T. Watts, 6 Monadnock street, Dorchester, junior bacteriologist, $63 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Patricia V. Taylor, 268 Savin Hill avenue, Dorchester, laboratory assistant, $45.50 a week.

Joseph F. Boyd, 609 Dorchester avenue, South Boston, senior X-ray technician, $63 a week.

Dennis J. Leonard, 68 Green street, senior X-ray technician, $63 a week.

Vivian T. LaCassey, 277 Dartmouth street, senior X-ray technician, $63 a week.

Naney L. Harrington, 32 Adams street, Roxbury, senior X-ray technician, $58 a week.

Dr. Chester W. White, Jr., 72 Arlington street, Newton, resident director of anesthesia research, $5,000 a year.

Sanatorium Division.

Jennie G. Lighter, 50 Ames street, Dorchester, hospital laundry worker, $43 a week.

Eva Yankauskas, 17 Twomey court, South Boston, hospital kitchen worker, $50.50 a week.

Grace C. Mackey, 55 Alton court, Roxbury, hospital laundry worker, $43 a week.

Long Island Division.

Roland E. Dunlop, 23 East Elm avenue, Wollaston, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Park Division.

Edward J. Halloran, 59 Whiting street, Roxbury, laborer, $58 a week.

Cemetery Division.

John V. Brennan, 1 Elm street, Dorchester, grave digger, $53 a week.

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING JANUARY 11.

GAS FITTER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
F. Odenweller	88 A street	6	Connecting range	$35
L. Blakeney	31 Averton street	20	Connecting heater	400
S. Londau	62 Boylston street	3	Connecting range	45
E. Miller	112 Canal street	3	Connecting heater	50
S. Londau	1857 Columbus avenue	11	Connecting range	10
E. Miller	5 Commercial Wharf	3	Connecting range	15
S. Londau	490 Commonwealth avenue	5	Connecting range	10
S. Londau	1118 Commonwealth avenue	21	Connecting range	40
S. Londau	1412 Commonwealth avenue	21	Connecting range	10
L. Luxton	89 Draper street	15	Connecting range	65
L. Luxton	37 Dunlap street	17	Connecting range	30
D. Palmariello	24 Dunreath street	12	Connecting range	35
S. Londau	6 Durland street	21	Connecting range	15
S. Londau	17 Glencoe street	21	Connecting range	80
S. Londau	21 Glenley terrace	21	Connecting range	20
S. Londau	34 Grove street	3	Connecting range	30
Wm. Chase	97 Humboldt avenue	12	Connecting heater	300
A. Stahly	5 Iowa street	15	Connecting range	50
S. Londau	144 Lincoln street	21	Connecting range	20
S. Londau	40 Quint avenue	21	Connecting range	50
E. Borg	117 Sycamore street	19	Connecting range	25
S. Londau	558 Washington street	21	Connecting range	10
F. Odenweller	436 West Fourth street	6	Connecting heater	30
L. Luxton	20 Winter street	15	Connecting range	35
C. Bevelander	9 Aldie street	22	Connecting range	35
V. Sferrazza	232 Chelsea street	1	Connecting range	85
A. Granara	27 Clark street	3	Connecting range	15
A. Granara	480 Commercial street	3	Connecting range	10
S. Adams	58 Downer avenue	13	Connecting range	275
S. Adams	27 Dunlap street	17	Connecting range	140
J. Reid	470 East Fourth street	6	Connecting range	10
S. Adams	23 Ely road	16	Connecting range	450
A. Nickinello	325 Everett street	21	Connecting heater	300
S. Adams	7 Fairfax street	16	Connecting range	245
D. Carey	26 Irving street	3	Connecting range	50
S. Adams	123 Jersey street	5	Connecting range	35
S. Adams	46 Lonsdale street	16	Connecting range	275
S. Adams	34 Melville avenue	17	Connecting range	185
C. Bevelander	97 Mountfort street	21	Connecting range	35
S. Adams	27 Pierce avenue	16	Connecting range	15
S. Adams	28 Pierce avenue	16	Connecting range	210
S. Adams	576 River street	18	Connecting range	275
S. Freedman	41 Waltham street	3	Connecting range	60
S. Adams	20 Westcott street	14	Connecting range	325
S. Adams	68 Westglow street	16	Connecting range	250
E. Mogel	4 Acorn street	5	Connecting range	15
E. Mogel	8 Albemarle street	4	Connecting range	15
P. Gulesian	5 Austin street	18	Connecting range	100
E. Mogel	108 Beacon street	5	Connecting range	10
P. Kennedy	17 Berkeley street	5	Connecting range	35
P. Gulesian	91 Blake street	18	Connecting range	250
A. Farley	8 Blanchard street	9	Connecting range	20
A. Farley	116 Bower street	12	Connecting range	45
A. Farley	125 Bower street	12	Connecting range	10
A. Milligan	1380 Centre street	20	Connecting heater	110
B. Carlin	44 Charles street	3	Connecting range	40
E. Dorr	1544 Columbia road	7	Connecting heater	45
A. Farley	1851 Columbus avenue	11	Connecting range	10
P. Gulesian	71 Davison street	18	Connecting range	200
A. Farley	47 Devon street	12	Connecting range	20
A. Farley	85 Devon street	12	Connecting range	20
A. Farley	22 East Springfield street	8	Connecting range	10
A. Farley	26 East Springfield street	8	Connecting range	15
A. Farley	47 Edgewood street	12	Connecting range	15
A. Farley	39 Fenwood road	10	Connecting range	10
A. Farley	7 Gay street	10	Connecting range	15
P. Kennedy	32 Greenwich park	4	Connecting cooker	35
A. Farley	94 Hammond street	9	Connecting range	15
P. Kennedy	33 Hancock street	13	Connecting range	45
A. Farley	16 Harold street	12	Connecting range	10
A. DiLorenzo	212 Harrison avenue	3	Connecting range	50
A. Farley	73 Highland street	11	Connecting range	35
E. Mogel	80 Hudson street	3	Connecting range	30
E. Dorr	148 Lamartine street	19	Connecting range	350
A. Farley	39 Lamont street	9	Connecting range	30
A. Farley	127 Magnolia street	13	Connecting range	15
A. Farley	1 Malbon place	9	Connecting range	35
E. Mogel	76 Middlesex street	3	Connecting range	45
A. Farley	11 Munroe street	12	Connecting range	15
A. Farley	57 Newcomb street	8	Connecting range	15
A. Farley	17 Norfolk street	9	Connecting range	35
A. Farley	41 Regent street	12	Connecting range	10
A. Farley	17 Rockland street	12	Connecting heater	20
A. Farley	39 Sargent street	13	Connecting range	15
P. Kennedy	258 Shawmut avenue	3	Connecting range	35
E. Mogel	133 Stuart street	5	Connecting range	45
J. Sullivan	181 Sydney street	13	Connecting range	385
P. Gulesian	28 Truman Highway	18	Connecting range	500
C. Boates	92 Warrenton street	3	Connecting range	500
A. DiLorenzo	658½ Washington street	3	Connecting range	35
A. Farley	34 West Cottage street	13	Connecting range	15
N. Clark	32 Alameda road	20	Connecting cooker	400
J. Flynn	7 Baker court	7	Connecting range	35
S. Londau	918 Beacon street	21	Connecting range	10
J. Flynn	16 Carson street	13	Connecting heater	50
N. Clark	112 Castle street	3	Connecting range	45
M. Zeolla	109 Chiswick road	21	Connecting range	100
N. Clark	13 Condor street	1	Connecting range	15
W. Fafara	291 Cummins Highway	18	Connecting range	40
J. Flynn	19 Dawes street	13	Connecting range	25
J. Flynn	52 Delle avenue	10	Connecting range	200

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Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature	Estimated Cost.
N. Clark	48 Dighton street	21	Connecting range	$15
N. Clark	741 Dorchester avenue	7	Connecting range	150
A. Kellem	850 Dorchester avenue	7	Connecting range	15
J. Flynn	29 Glide street	16	Connecting range	25
J. Flynn	37 Greenbrier street	17	Connecting range	50
J. Flynn	222 Harrison avenue	3	Connecting range	60
D. Naimo	70 Havre street	1	Connecting range	50
J. Flynn	27 Kingsboro park	19	Connecting range	10
N. Clark	14 Monson street	17	Connecting range	35
J. Flynn	97 Mt. Ida road	15	Connecting range	50
J. Flynn	37 Mountain avenue	14	Connecting heater	70
J. Flynn	9 Newport street	13	Connecting range	70
J. Flynn	30 Newport street	13	Connecting range	15
C. O'Connor	66 School street	2	Connecting range	50
W. Connell	19 Senoni road	16	Connecting range	20
N. Clark	2 Sheldon street	19	Connecting range	35
A. Kellem	131 State street	3	Connecting range	140
J. Flynn	47 Tennis road	18	Connecting range	15
J. Flynn	5 Tovar street	15	Connecting range	65
N. Clark	Rear 43 Union avenue	11	Connecting range	100
J. Flynn	2A Victoria street	13	Connecting range	150
N. Clark	22 West Cottage street	13	Connecting range	35
J. Flynn	20 Westglow street	16	Connecting range	35
J. Flynn	254 Westville street	15	Connecting range	35
J. Flynn	71 Wheatland avenue	17	Connecting range	15
J. Flynn	16 Wildwood street	11	Connecting range	10
J. Flynn	103 Woodrow aveaue	14	Connecting range	15
J. Flynn	78 Woodruff Way	17	Connecting range	15
S. Fox	29 Worcester street	8	Connecting range	100
J. Flynn	129 Wrentham street	16	Connecting range	30
D. O'Neill	66 A street	6	Connecting range	40
P. Gulesian	11 Ayles road	18	Connecting range	170
D. O'Neill	66 Calumet street	10	Connecting cooker	35
D. O'Neill	34 Compton street	10	Connecting range	150
D. O'Neill	67 G street	7	Connecting range	10
C. Lang	20 Gould street	20	Connecting heater	30
J. Powers	44 Hudson street	3	Connecting range	300
P. Gulesian	1086 Hyde Park avenue	18	Connecting range	75
P. Gulesian	42 Lewiston street	18	Connecting heater	40
P. Gulesian	12 Lexington avenue	18	Connecting range	300
C. Lang	40 Northdale road	20	Connecting range	10
L. Bloom	63 Nottinghill road	21	Connecting range	30
D. O'Neill	960 Parker street	10	Connecting range	80
C. Green	14 Porter street	11	Connecting range	35
L. Luxton	14 Stockton street	17	Connecting range	50
D. O'Neill	223A West Fifth street	6	Connecting range	30
R. Simon	875 West Second street	6	Connecting range	45
R. Simon	588 West Seventh street	7	Connecting range	40
C. Lang	236 Willow street	20	Connecting range	10
P. Gulesian	88 Wood avenue	18	Connecting heater	200
D. Palmariello	32 Amory street	11	Connecting range	35
W. Crawford	16 Ashmont street	17	Connecting heater	15
C. Chandler	739 Boylston street	5	Connecting range	50
C. O'Connor	229 Bunker Hill street	2	Connecting cooker	15
M. Loiterstein	53 Cedar street	18	Connecting heater	125
J. Sullivan	392 Centre street	16	Connecting range	650
C. Gioiosa	129 Cottage street	1	Connecting range	35
A. Kellem	147 Dover street	3	Connecting range	35
C. Bevelander	49 East Springfield street	8	Connecting range	35
B. Capone	5 Falcon street	1	Connecting range	45
W. Crawford	28 Freeland street	18	Connecting range	10
J. Sullivan	7 Greenwood park	18	Connecting range	60
W. Crawford	618 Harvard street	14	Connecting range	10
L. Rubin	177 Heath street	19	Connecting range	135
S. Connolly	143 Highland street	11	Connecting heater	35
W. Crawford	56 Hillsboro road	14	Connecting range	10
C. Bevelander	16 Irving street	3	Connecting range	40
W. Crawford	15 Johnson place	17	Connecting range	35
J. Egan	18 Laconia street	3	Connecting range	90
S. Connolly	18 Leon street	9	Connecting heater	25
J. Sullivan	63 Leonard street	15	Connecting range	60
J. Sullivan	4 Leslie street	16	Connecting range	35
J. Sullivan	56 Lithgow street	17	Connecting range	40
S. Connolly	123 Marcella street	11	Connecting range	50
S. Connolly	124 Marcella street	11	Connecting range	50
S. Connolly	84 Mt. Pleasant avenue	8	Connecting dryer	15
A. Granara	267 Ninth street	3	Connecting range	15
C. Bevelander	18 Nottinghill road	22	Connecting range	35
J. Sullivan	8 Owencroft road	17	Connecting range	80
M. Loiterstein	76 Regent street	12	Connecting heater	125
C. O'Connor	51 Russell street	2	Connecting range	70
J. Sullivan	9 St. Marks road	16	Connecting range	400
F. Carey	75 Spring street	20	Connecting range	175
C. Lang	107 Temple street	20	Connecting range	45
S. Connolly	29 Woodford street	13	Connecting range	15

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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Donald M. Greer, 9 Hathaway street, Jamaica Plain, grave digger, $53 a week.

Andrew A. Ginnochio, 91 Truman Highway, Hyde Park, grave digger, $53 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Highway Division.

John E. Coffey, 1832 Columbia road, South Boston, junior engineering aid, $50.50 a week.

Sanitary Division.

Pellegrino C. Vozzella, 2 Meehan place, Jamaica Plain, blacksmith, $60.50 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT

Central Office.

Ruth E. Weldon, 10 Holiday street, Dorchester, social worker, $70.50 a week.

Lelia M. Robertson, 318 Warren street, Roxbury, social worker, $65.50 a week.

Anne S. Gerber, 64 Parkman street, Brookline, supervisor of in-service training, $90.50 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following changes in status:

CITY PLANNING BOARD.

Walter Shouse, 8 Plympton street, Cambridge, from junior planner (temporary) at $76.50 a week to senior planner (temporary) at $90.50 a week.

ELECTION DEPARTMENT.

Guy E. Leone, 61 Hiawatha road, Mattapan, from assistant registrar of voters at $68.29 a week to assistant executive secretary, Board of Election Commissioners, at $90.50 a week.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Edward C. Donovan, 53 G street, South Boston, from fire fighter, Medal, at $80.17 a week to fire fighter, engineer, High Pressure, Medal, at $84.01 a week.

William A. Hughes, 6 Carson street, Dorchester, from fire fighter at $79.69 a week to fire fighter, engineer, High Pressure, at $83.52 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

John P. McGann, 10 Ashmont street, Dorchester, from elevator operator at $45.50 a week to hospital house worker at $45.50 a week.

Long Island Division.

George R. Egan, 672 La Grange street, West Roxbury, from principal hospital guard at $80 a week to head hospital guard, temporary, at $83.50 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Automotive Division.

James Glasheen, 699 East Fourth street, South Boston, from garage attendant at $65.50 a week to garage foreman (temporary) at $73 a week.

Walter J. Martin, 37 Gardner street, Allston, from motor equipment operator and laborer (Sanitary) at $60.50 a week to mobile guard (Automotive) at $60.50 a week.

Highway Division.

Albert L. York, 156 Emerson street, East Boston, from laborer at $60.50 a week to yardman at $65.50 a week.

Edward C. Donovan, 336 Geneva avenue, Dorchester, from senior encroachment investigator at $76.50 a week to chief encroachment investigator (temporary) at $80 a week.

Sanitary Division.

Walter W. Moran, 14 Rockledge street, Roxbury, from laborer at $58 a week to street cleaning and waste collection inspector at $65.50 a week.

Survey Division.

Philip A. Moynahan, 76 Leicester street, Brighton, from junior engineering aid at $55.50 a week to senior engineering aid (temporary) at $60.50 a week.

Water Division.

Francis J. Bradley, 31 Monument square, Charlestown, from clerk and typist, at $50.50 a week to senior account clerk (temporary) at $55.50 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Edward Real, 49 Linwood street, Hyde Park, from head statistical clerk (temporary) at $83.50 a week to head statistical clerk (temporary transfer for six months) at $87 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following promotions:

AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

Harold T. Kenney, 1350 Commonwealth avenue, Brighton, from senior account clerk (subject to examination) at $63 a week to principal clerk (temporary, six months) at $65.50 a week.

BOSTON RETIREMENT BOARD.

James P. Kelly, Jr., 175 Fuller street, Dorchester, from senior accounting machine operator at $63 a week to principal clerk and typist at $65.50 a week.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Francis J. Kelley, 192 Boylston street, Jamaica Plain, from principal clerk at $80 a week to senior cashier (temporary) at $83.50 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Frank P. Henry, 15 Elmira street, Brighton, from senior housing and sanitation inspector at $80 a week to senior environmental sanitation inspector (temporary) at $83.50 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Walter E. Curley, 3927 Washington street, Roslindale, from hospital laundry worker at $50.50 a week to senior hospital laundry worker at $53 a week.

Mary Partridge, 51 Ballou avenue, Dorchester, from hospital medical worker at $50.50 a week to hospital house worker at $50.50 a week.

Elsie D. Valle, 315 Huntington avenue, from hospital medical worker at $50.50 a week to hospital house worker at $50.50 a week.

Grace Deitsch, 2 Faulkner Circle, Dorchester, from hospital medical worker at $50.50 a week to hospital house worker at $50.50 a week.

Catherine M. Kelly, 119 Cedar street, Roxbury, from hospital medical worker at $50.50 a week to hospital house worker at $50.50 a week.

Elizabeth J. Scribner, 38 Mayhew street, Dorchester, from hospital medical worker at $50.50 a week to hospital house worker at $50.50 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Arthur J. Connerny, 31 Elgin street, West Roxbury, from principal account clerk (temporary) at $76.50 a week to principal account clerk (permanent) at $76.50 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following transfers:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

John F. Kane, 6 Sunnyside street, Jamaica Plain, from Public Works Department, Paving Division, as chief encroachment investigator at $87 a week to Administrative Services Department as chief encroachment investigator at $87 a week.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Marguerite L. Neville, 1526 Tremont street, Roxbury, from Hospital Department as clerk-typist at $50.50 a week to Building Department as clerk-typist at $50.50 a week.

Harold G. Clarke, 43 Archdale road, Roslindale, from Public Works Department as assistant permit supervisor (street openings) at $80 a week to Building Department as assistant supervisor (street openings) at $80 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Bridge-Tunnel Division.

William L. Carolan, 504 Blue Hill avenue, Dorchester, from Public Works Department (Highway Division) as heavy motor equipment operator and laborer (Highway Service) at $68 a week to Public Works Department (Bridge-Tunnel Division) as heavy equipment operator and laborer (Tunnel Service) at $68 a week.

VETERANS' SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Joseph G. McDonald, 29 Firth road, Roslindale, from Assessing Department as social worker at $76.50 a week to Veterans' Services Department as social worker at $76.50 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following leaves of absence:

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Francis X. Walsh, 26 Prospect avenue, West Roxbury, public health physician, $108.25 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Long Island Division.

Teresa Hughes, 2 Mt. Pleasant place, Roxbury, physical therapist, $65.50 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Gail M. Finnerty, 163 East Cottage street, Dorchester, senior clerk and stenographer, $63 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Water Division.

Mary D. Murphy, 176½ N street, South Boston senior accounting machine operator, $63 a week.

STEP-RATE INCREASES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved step-rate increases for employees of the following departments:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Amy England, senior clerk, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Ersilia E. Manning, senior statistical machine operator, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Ersilia E. Manning, principal statistical machine operator (temporary), from $65.50 to $70.50 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Registry Division.

Margaret M. Barry, deposition clerk, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Anne E. Nee, senior clerk-typist, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Sanatorium Division.

Charles E. Kennedy, hospital medical worker, from $43 to $48 a week.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Workmen's Compensation Service.

Helen T. Hallisey, senior clerk and stenographer, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Marie I. Shea, principal clerk-secretary, from $80 to $83.50 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Santo Finochioro, bath attendant-laborer, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Sewer Division.

John E. Brennan, bricklayer, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Patrick C. Costello, sewer cleaner, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

William G. Daley, sewer cleaner, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Nicholas J. Giso, sewer cleaner, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Arthur J. Lennon, senior civil engineer, from $113 to $117.75 a week.

Daniel T. Murnane, catch-basin cleaning machine operator, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Alice M. Hyde, principal account clerk, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Barbara Bergen, clerk and typist, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Philomena Fico, clerk and typist, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Antonette Fioretti, clerk and typist, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Theresa Giglio, clerk and typist, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Marie McKenney, clerk and typist, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Theresa Ryan, clerk and typist, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Joseph Keyes, head clerk, from $80 to $83.50 a week.

Paul Leahy, principal clerk paymaster, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Harold Cronin, principal bookkeeper, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Margaret Morgan, principal bookkeeper, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Edward Bown, social worker, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Marion Dillon, social worker, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Celia Goren, social worker, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Jack Guveyan, social worker, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Margaret Murphy, social worker, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

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COURT HOUSE COMMISSION.

George H. Gallagher, mechanic, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Joseph V. McCluskey, elevator operator, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

Robert L. Bodfish, from $87 to $90.50 a week.

Thomas E. Anastasi, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

REGISTRY OF DEEDS.

Helen L. Cashman, principal clerk, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Mary Alison Collins, principal clerk, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Mildred E. Desmond, principal clerk, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Anna C. Ennis, principal clerk, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Helen G. Hurley, principal clerk, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Marie F. Keenan, principal clerk, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Margaret A. Keyes, principal clerk, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Bessie D. Locke, principal clerk, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Mary A. O'Connor, principal clerk, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Dorothea A. Powers, principal clerk, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Mary R. Silsbury, principal clerk, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Margaret A. Spellman, principal clerk, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Helen G. Tierney, principal clerk, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Concetta M. Caggiano, senior clerk, from $60.62 to $63 a week.

Elizabeth L. Curley, senior clerk, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Patricia B. Kelly, switchboard operator, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

Mary E. Hefferman, clerk, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Marion A. Sullivan, clerk, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

MUNICIPAL COURT, DORCHESTER DISTRICT.

Mary B. Ryan, senior clerk, from $120.71 to $126.15 semimonthly.

Phyllis C. Page, senior clerk, from $120.71 to $126.15 semimonthly.

C. Eileen Carroll, clerk and typist, from $93.53 to $98.96 semimonthly.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following requests:

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

The following-named employees have been granted overtime in connection with inspection of place of assembly on New Year's Eve at $3 an hour:

D. F. Lamphier, chief egress inspector, James R. Cass, senior egress inspector, Thomas J. Hughes, senior egress inspector, William F. Gildea, senior egress inspector, Warren F. Fenlon, legal assistant, $12 each.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

John J. Gallagher, stationary fireman, to be employed from January 1 to April 1, 1955, and from October 1 through December 31, 1955, on an overtime basis to maintain heat in department headquarters.

John G. O'Donnell, heating and ventilating inspector, to be paid overtime at a rate in accordance with his weekly salary, for work performed on December 25, 1954, due to a heating system emergency condition at one of the schools.

The following-named have been permitted to work on an overtime basis for at least the month of January:

Harold P. Timmins, Daniel T. Horgan, electrical engineers; Joseph M. Eich, electrical draftsman; John T. Stone, Walter J. Flaherty, Frank J. Foley, Louis J. Scorziello, heating and ventilating engineers.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

For the week ending December 28, 1954:

Walter E. Shaughnessy, foreman park maintenance, 18 hours at $2; William E. Collins, general foreman park maintenance, 18 hours at $2; Thomas F. Mullins, park maintenance foreman, 18 hours at $2; Neil P. Canney, foreman park maintenance, 18 hours at $2; Frank McGrath, general foreman park maintenance, 6 hours at $3; Arthur English, superintendent park maintenance, 16 hours at $3; Joseph M. Walsh, superintendent automotive maintenance, 16 hours at $3; Martin F. Walsh, general foreman mechanical craft, 16 hours at $3.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

HOUSE OF CORRECTION.

Deer Island.

For the week ending December 28, 1954:

Warren Bancroft, 1 day at $16; Walter Gannon, 1 day at $16.70; William Kelley, 1 day at $18.80; Frank Luciano, John McGowan, 1 day at $16 each; Peter McMullan, 1 day at $19.75; George O'Halloran, 4 days at $16.70; Edgar Shepard, 1½ days at $18.80; Robert Stewart, John Sullivan, 1 day at $16.70.

VETERANS' RETIREMENTS.

The Mayor has approved the following veterans' applications for retirement:

William Alexander Moore, 61 Neponset avenue, Dorchester, hoseman, Lighting Plant No. 1, Fire Department.

Adrian Emerson Crampton, 62 Crawford street, Roxbury, principal statistical machine operator, Bureau of Vital Statistics of the Health Division, Health Department.

John J. Butler, 7 O'Donnell square, Dorchester, engineer, High Pressure Division, Fire Department.

John McCloskey, 1375 Commonwealth avenue, Allston, senior building custodian, Girls' High School.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award the contracts for work, materials, and supplies, in accordance with recommendations of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Upon January 5 the Mayor approved a contract with Rossano Construction Company, Inc, for modernization of toilet facilities at the Abraham Lincoln School. Bids, opened December 15, 1954, were as follows:

Rossano Construction Company, Inc., $13,594; Martin J. Kelly Company, Inc., $13,604; M. Solimando, $13,862; D. Antonellis, Inc., $14,350; L. J. Banda & Co., $14,387; Domenick Puleo, $14,626.70.

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Upon January 5 the Mayor approved a contract with John J. Botti for installing two new toilet rooms in the Champlain School. Bids, opened December 23, 1954, were as follows:

John J. Botti, $2,970; Parkman Construction Company, Inc., $3,012; M. Solmando, $3,230; John F. Hynes, Inc., $3,450; Martin T. Casby, $3,520; Schwamb Construction Corporation, $3,515; Domenick Puleo, $3,612.40.

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Upon January 6 the Mayor approved a contract with Mystic Building Wrecking Company, Inc., for the razing of the Henry Grew School, Gordon avenue, Hyde Park. Bids, opened January 5, were as follows:

Mystic Building Wrecking Company, Inc., $3,870; City Building Wrecking Company, $1,375; American Building Wrecking Company, Inc., $5,750; Hub Building Wrecking Company, Inc., $6,250; Central Building Wrecking Company, $7,410.

Upon January 7 the Mayor approved a contract with Hub Building Wrecking Company, Inc., for razing of the old English High School, Montgomery street. Bids, opened January 5, were as follows:

Hub Building Wrecking Company, Inc., $14,450; Mystic Building Wrecking Company, Inc., $48,850; City Building Wrecking Company, $57,550; American Building Wrecking Company, Inc., $67,500

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Upon January 6 the Mayor approved a contract with William P. Capone Corporation for removal and disposal of stumps and debris at Garvey Playground, Neponset avenue, Dorchester. Bids, opened Tuesday, January 4, were as follows:

William P. Capone Corporation, $1,949; DeRoma Brothers Company, $2,790; Carriere Construction Company, $2,814; John M. Cashman, $3,100; Sylvester A. Ray, $3,195; Boston Foundation Company, $3,940; John J. Botti, $3,970; Rufo Construction Company, $3,999; J. D'Amico, $4,450; J. P. McCabe, Inc., $4,585; Charles A. LaCentra, $5,300; D. F. Frangioso & Co., $5,470; J. Gavigan Company, $7,100; Smith Brothers, $6,000.50; S. J. Tomasello Corporation, $3,910.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Upon January 6 the Mayor approved a contract with John J. Botti for ground water level project in vicinity of Copley square, City Proper, at an estimated cost of $8,480. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed within 90 days after approval by the Mayor. The following bids were received December 9, 1954:

John J. Botti, $8,480; Clingar Engineering Company, $8,919.75; James A. Freaney, Inc., $13,256; D. Federico Company, $17,102; J. D'Amico, Inc., $19,780; C. Russo, Inc., $23,185.

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Upon January 6 the Mayor approved a contract with Matthew J. Hughes for repairing, towing, and mooring the Northern Avenue Bridge boat landing at an estimated cost of $4,645.98. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed within six weeks from date of order to commence work. The following bids were received December 30, 1954:

Matthew J. Hughes, $1,645.98; McKie Lighter Company, $5,951; Rev-Lyn Contracting Company, $6,550; Martin J. Kelly Company, Inc., $6,800; General Ship & Engine Works, Inc., $7,958; Dane Construction Corporation, $13,015.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

The School Committee has approved proposals for furnishing bath towels to certain Boston public schools; hand towels to administrative offices, and aprons to Boston public schools cafeterias. Bids, opened Friday, December 3, 1954, were received from the following concerns:

Bell Linen Service, Elk Laundry, Federal National Linen Service.

Awards were made to the lowest responsible bidders, as follows:

Bell Linen Service, $1,900.

Federal National Linen Service, $1,900.

Elk Laundry, $2,900.

CONTRACTS AWARDED. WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

Upon varying dates as indicated the Mayor approved contracts with commercial houses, contractors, etc., for furnishing labor and supplies. Communications from heads of departments interested were as follows:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.
Purchasing Division.

BOSTON, January 4, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This department is in receipt of requisitions from the Welfare Department for various forms for immediate use. Informal written quotations were solicited from several companies. Six bids were received.

Authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to the lowest bidder and last supplier, Uarco, Inc. It is my opinion that, in this way, the best interests of the city will be served.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $2,723.15, net, 30 days.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, December 27, 1954.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR:

Under date of November 15, 1954, your Honor approved a letter regarding the obtaining of a Gradall stump remover in connection with the removal of dangerous trees in all sections of the city. The expiration for the rental of this stump remover will be January 7, 1955.

Because of the emergency still existing with regard to the pulling out of stumps of large trees from public sidewalks and other public areas in the city, we find ourselves in a position where we are required to continue the rental of the stump remover. In order to keep up with the emergency that still exists, we will require the services of the stump remover for a period of 10 weeks beginning January 10, 1955.

The contractor from whom we are now renting the stump remover is M. Solimando, 584 Columbia road, Dorchester, Mass.

So that this necessary work will not stop, we request your authorization to dispense with publicly advertising for bids and enter into a contract with M. Solimando, 584 Columbia road, Dorchester, Mass., for furnishing one Gradall stump remover for a period of 10 weeks starting January 10, 1955, for a sum not to exceed $7,200.

As before, this piece of equipment will be used nine hours a day, five days a week. There will be no overtime work. The contract will be charged to the special appropriation "Hurricane Emergency," 6-52-51. The rate for the use of stump remover is $16 an hour.

Respectfully yours,

FRANK R. KELLEY,
Commissioner.

BOSTON, January 5, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR:

This department has under its control the East Boston Stadium and Athletic Center. This is one of the finest recreation areas in the entire city. With the equipment and the facilities that have been provided at this location, it is becoming very popular and is used by a considerable number of residents of the East Boston district, both adults and children.

I feel that the city can receive income by setting aside a section in the stadium for a concession area where candy, tonic, ice cream, food, etc., can be sold. I have received an offer for rental of this concession from Mrs. Anna H. Consilvio of 26 St. Andrew road, East Boston. She has offered to pay the sum of $250 per year for the privilege. It is hard to estimate just how valuable this concession might be and in view of the fact that Mrs. Consilvio will be required to purchase much equipment in order to operate the concession, I believe we should give her a three-year privilege.

Accordingly, I am requesting that we be allowed to dispense with public advertising for bids and to award the concession for the sale of refreshments at the East Boston Stadium to Mrs. Anna H. Consilvio for a three-year period, at a rental of $250 per year, commencing January 1, 1955.

Respectfully yours,

FRANK R. KELLEY,
Commissioner.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, December 2, 1954.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

Your approval is requested to award the contract, without advertising, to Charles A. Maguire & Associates, engineers, for complete plans and specifications for the lighting system of the off-street parking facility under the Fitzgerald Expressway, to extend from Traverse street to North street. The estimated cost of the work should not exceed $1,500.

Charles A. Maguire & Associates are the engineers who planned the entire electrical system for the Commonwealth of Massachusetts for the Fitzgerald Expressway, and because of their experience in this project, it is deemed advisable that the same engineering firm analyze our electrical problem and create our plans and specifications.

In my opinion no advantage would be gained by the City of Boston in publicly advertising the work.

Respectfully yours,

HERMAN CARP,
Commissioner of Real Property.

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BOSTON, December 30, 1954.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

Your approval is respectfully requested to award the contract, without public advertising, to J. J. Grace & Son, Inc., a Massachusetts Corporation, for the installation of conduit runs and boxes, as per plans and specifications drawn by Charles A. Maguire & Associates for this department, including all painting and welding, for the lump sum of $20,202.

This work is to be done at the proposed off-street parking area under the Fitzgerald Expressway, extending from Traverse street to North street.

The work is to commence immediately and to proceed, weather permitting, until completed.

The work to be done will be supervised by the inspectors of the State Public Works Department and the Electrical Engineering Department of the Boston Edison Company.

Since the plans and specifications drawn by Charles A. Maguire & Associates were only completed and approved by our engineer, the Boston Edison Engineering Department and the Engineering Department of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts on December 28, 1954, and since time is of the essence, and work must commence at once, we feel that no advantage could be gained by the City of Boston in publicly advertising the work; since the lump sum price for the completed contract is reasonable and in keeping with our original estimate of cost.

The cost of installing the complete electrical system would have been substantially higher but for the fact that after negotiations with the Boston Edison Company, the Boston Edison Company has agreed to supply the luminaires, risers, time switches and complete wiring. Our contract is for an empty conduit system, as shown on our plans.

Respectfully yours,

HERMAN CARP,
Commissioner of Real Property.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with D. Russell Boiler Works for repairing and retubing boilers in various schools, from December 31, 1954, to February 28, 1955. This extension was requested because of a delay in completion of work on account of boilers being in operation.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with J. F. Stack & Co. for repairing boiler masonry and incinerators in various schools in Districts 2, 3, and 6, from December 15, 1954, to January 31, 1955. This extension was requested because of a delay in obtaining material in order to complete work.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Faletra Brothers, Inc., 115 Providence street, Hyde Park, for underpass, stairs, walks, etc., from December 31, 1954, to May 31, 1955. This extension was requested because the contract was not signed until December 8, 1954, and work cannot be done in winter months.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Charles Callahan Company, 69 Zeigler street, Roxbury, for removing and disposing of sand, gravel, and other material from city-owned land northwest of Gardner street, West Roxbury, from November 11, 1954, to May 31, 1955. This extension was requested because there is considerable material yet to be removed under this contract.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

NOTE.—Applicants are advised to file applications early. In event of a tie on the eligible list, the applicant who filed his application first will be given precedence.

ANIMAL ROOM SUPERVISOR, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH, FEBRUARY 12, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, January 24, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $2,700 a year; the maximum salary is $3,420 a year.

Vacancies: At present there is one vacancy for a male, at Pondville Hospital, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: To have charge of all animals used by the Research Laboratory; and to perform related work as required.

Examples of Duties: Maintaining a pedigreed animal colony; selecting matings for genetic pure lines; determining procedures for solution of genetic problems; performing technical work on animals, such as bioassays, ovarectomies, orchiectomies, and hypophysectomies; preparing animals for radiation experiments; keeping adequate records; assisting in the maintenance of sanitation and in the improvements of the animal colony.

Ability to recognize common small animal diseases, as well as a working knowledge of preventive measures and a research interest in problems relating to disease controls, is required.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants must have at least one year of full-time paid experience in working with pedigreed small animals in a recognized animal colony. *Substitution:* Successful completion of two years of training, including courses in animal husbandry, in a county agricultural school or a degree-granting agricultural college may be substituted for the required experience.

Training in biology and genetics is desirable.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

ARRESTS IN 1953.

The total number of arrests, counting each arrest as that of a separate person, was 93,294 for 1953, as against 84,288 for 1952. There were 17,764 arrests on warrants and 33,378 without warrants; 42,152 were summoned by the courts.

The number of males arrested was 83,703; of females, 9,588; of foreigners, 2,961; of delinquents, 3,029; of minors, 7,920; of nonresidents, 31,176.

The number of persons punished by fines was 34,604, and the assessment of fines imposed by the courts amounted to $163,282.57. The value of property stolen in the city amounted to $3,023,770.57 and the value recovered amounted to $2,312,608.23.

TUNNEL TRAFFIC IN MAY.

In the month of May, 1,031,226 vehicles used the Sumner Tunnel. This is the first time in the history of the tunnel that in excess of 1,000,000 vehicles used the facility in any one month.

In May of 1953, 979,920 vehicles went through the tunnel, or 51,306 less than May of this year.

CITY OF BOSTON AND COUNTY OF SUFFOLK.

STATISTICAL FACTS FOR THE YEAR 1954

Date of incorporation	February 23, 1822
Date of adoption of City Charter (amended January 7, 1925)	1909
Form of Government	Mayor and City Council
Area (square miles)	47.81
Population — Federal Census (August 1, 1950)	801,444
Number of employees as of February 1, 1954	22,806
Boston Housing Authority:	
Federal Program (7,920 apartments housing 7,920 families)	
Number of apartments in veterans' permanent 1- and 2-family homes housing 1,306 families	
State-Aided Developments (containing 3,177 apartments housing 3,177 families)	
Building Department:	
Permits issued	17,515
Estimated cost	$35,771,706
Cemeteries: Number 19—Area (acres)	161.71
Election Department:	
Registered voters	383,864
Number of ballots cast last general election	169,493
Percentage of registered voters voting	44.15
Fire Department:	
Number of stations	51
Number of fireboats	2
Alarms responded to	15,150
Health Department: Health Units	10
Hospitals (Including Boston Sanatorium):	
City Hospital:	
Number of buildings	57
Bed capacity	2,460
Patients, daily average:	
Wards	1,798
Out-patient	891
Long Island Hospital:	
Number of buildings	27
Population	952
Library Department:	
Number of libraries	37
Number of employees (full time)	640
Number of volumes	2,011,358
Circulation	3,162,338
Markets, number of	2
Municipal buildings, number of	27
Park Department: Parks, number of acres	2,240.29
Area of playgrounds and play areas (acres)	807.12
Number of playgrounds and play areas	121
Number of municipal golf links	2
Number of municipal beaches	3
Public grounds and squares (acres)	57.41
Swimming pools (indoor) 2, (outdoor) 2	4
Number of recreation centers and indoor bathhouses	15
Police Department:	
Number of stations and headquarters	18
Arrests	93,294
Public Works Department:	
Bridges, number of	101
Miles of accepted streets and alleys	731
Sewers: Miles of sewers	1,302.75
Catch basins	23,972
Average number of gallons pumped daily at main pumping station	112,980,821
Sumner Traffic Tunnel: Length (feet)	5,654
Two-lane drive: Vehicles passing through — 1953	10,835,674
Water Service:	
Number of meters in service	95,653
Per capita daily average consumption (gallons)	139
Miles of mains: Ordinary	999,136
High pressure	18.72
Rapid Transit: Miles of subways and tunnels	16.81
Schools:	
Number of school buildings	224
Number of teachers	3,655
Average membership	94,774
Average daily attendance:	
Elementary and junior high schools	54,546
High schools	16,201
Kindergartens	8,151
Special schools	1 800

TRANSFERS OF APPROPRIATIONS.

The Mayor has approved the following requests for transfers of appropriations:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Complaints Division.

From 100, Permanent Employees, $146, to 360, Office Supplies, $135, Office Furniture and Equipment, $11.

AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

From City Debt Requirements, Interest, $60,000, to Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements, $60,000.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Board of Appeal.

From 100, Permanent Employees, $328.28, to 290, Contractual Services, $247.50, 360, Office Supplies and Materials, $80.78.

CITY COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

From Fire Department, 1, Personal Services, $2,700, to 297, Printing and Binding, $2,700.

CITY DOCUMENTS.

From Fire Department, 1, Personal Services, $5,000, to 297, Printing and Binding, $5,000.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

From 100, Permanent Employees, $2,600, 530, Fire-fighting Equipment, $30, to 220, Light, Heat and Power, $2,600, 540, Household Furnishings and Equipment, $20, 593, Library Books, $10.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Workmen's Compensation Service.

From Fire Department, 1, Personal Services, $658.87, to 13-42, Workmen's Compensation, $658.87.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

From 100, Permanent Employees, $225, to 360, Office Supplies and Materials, $225.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Collecting Division.

From Fire Department, 1, Personal Servies, $300, to 110, Personal Services, $300.

Treasury Division.

From Bond Allotment Plan, $2,251.74, to 100, Permanent Employees, $2,251.74.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Temporary Home.

From 340, Laundry, Cleaning and Custodial Supplies and Materials, $107, to 549, Household Furniture and Equipment (Not Otherwise Classified), $107.

Wayfarers' Lodge.

From 320, Food Supplies, $680.26, 310, Building Supplies and Materials, $89.38, 230, Professional and Technical Services, $75, 390, Miscellaneous Supplies and Materials, $43.70, to 100, Permanent Employees, $590, 220, Light, Heat and Power, $179.64, 330, Heating Supplies and Materials, $75, 260, Repairs and Maintenance of Buildings, $42.95, 370, Fire-fighting Supplies, $0.75.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

DISTRICT COURT OF CHELSEA.

From 239, Fees, Services, etc., $43, 275, Repairs and Servicing, $19, 283, Transportation, $148.90, 346, Household Supplies, $17.47, 359, Medical Supplies, $5, 562, Office Furniture, $31, 593, Library, $28.50, Municipal Court, City of Boston, 1, Personal Services, $357.33, to 213, Communications, $48.66, 297, Printing and Binding, $89.35, 360, Office Supplies, $512.19.

MUNICIPAL COURT, ROXBURY DISTRICT.

From Supreme Judicial Court, 100, Personal Service, $4,422, to 110, Temporary Employees, $400, 213, Communications, $55, 275, Servicing, $2, 280, Transportation, $700, 360, Supplies—Forms, $2,916, 372, Handcuffs, $96, 560, Office Equipment, $253.

MUNICIPAL COURT, SOUTH BOSTON.

From 100, Permanent Employees, $4, to 593, Library Books, $4.

REGISTRY OF PROBATE.

From Pensions and Annuities (County), $4,800, Superior Civil Court, Clerk's Office, 1, Personal Services, $346.19, to 210, Communications, $47.25, 230, Professional and Technical Services, $5,000, 270, Repairs and Servicing of Equipment, $3.94, 280, Transportation of Persons, $15, 360, Office Supplies and Materials, $30.

RELOCATION OF STREET.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the relocation of Newmarket square, Roxbury district, as a public highway, from Massachusetts avenue approximately 800 feet northerly, bounded and described as follows:

The highway named Newmarket square is hereby relocated as a public highway from Massachusetts avenue approximately 800 feet northerly and ordered constructed.

For the making of the aforesaid improvement an easement for street purposes is hereby taken in the following described land, exclusive of trees, shrubs or structures standing upon or affixed thereto:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, bounded:

Southerly by Massachusetts avenue, 72.74 feet; westerly by land hereinafter described as taken from George Georgenes, 5.51 feet; again westerly by the westerly line of Newmarket square as relocated under this order by two measurements, 14.53 feet on a curve of 18.12 feet radius and 178.19 feet on a curve of 324.34 feet radius; easterly by the westerly line of Newmarket square as it existed prior to this order, 222.18 feet, containing 4,551 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to George Georgenes, bounded:

Southerly by Massachusetts avenue, 14.07 feet; westerly by the westerly line of Newmarket square as relocated under this order, 14.35 feet on a curve of 18.12 feet radius; and easterly by land hereinbefore described as taken from New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, 5.51 feet, containing 49 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, bounded:

Southerly by Massachusetts avenue, 27.26 feet; westerly by the easterly line of Newmarket square as it existed prior to this order, 27.26 feet; and easterly by the easterly line of Newmarket square as relocated under this order, 49.92 feet on a curve of 50 feet radius, containing 115 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, bounded:

Westerly by the easterly line of Newmarket square as it existed prior to this order, 27.26 feet; northerly by land hereinafter described as taken from Southampton Realty Corporation, 8.08 feet; and easterly by the easterly line of Newmarket square as relocated under this order, 21.08 feet on a curve of 50 feet radius, containing 45 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to the Southampton Realty Corporation, bounded:

Southerly by land hereinbefore described as taken from the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, 8.08 feet; westerly by the easterly line of Newmarket square as it existed prior to this order, 27.26 feet; and easterly by the easterly line of Newmarket square as relocated under this order, 28.83 feet on a curve of 50 feet radius, containing 71 square feet, more or less.

Trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforedescribed land shall be removed therefrom within thirty (30) days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Newmarket square as hereby relocated is bounded:

Southerly by Massachusetts avenue, 209.24 feet; westerly by the westerly line of Newmarket square as hereby relocated, by seven measurements, 28.88 feet on a curve of 18.12 feet radius, 178.19 feet on a curve of 324.34 feet radius, 56.62 feet, 127.26 feet, 96.46 feet on a curve of 106.14 feet radius, 205.44 feet, and 55.81 feet; northerly by the northerly line of Newmarket square as hereby relocated, 126.65 feet; and easterly by the easterly line of Newmarket square as hereby relocated, by seven measurements, 16.73 feet, 49.91 feet on a curve of 50 feet radius, 153.06 feet, 169.17 feet on a curve of 186.14 feet radius, 130.84 feet, 306.67 feet, and 49.92 feet on a curve of 50 feet radius.

No betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid relocation.

Voted, That this commission determines that the undermentioned persons sustain damages in their estates at the making of the public improvement consisting of the relocation and construction of Newmarket square, Roxbury district, as a highway, from Massachusetts avenue approximately 800 feet northerly, under the order of this commission of October 27, 1954, in the amounts hereinafter respectively set against them, and awards said amounts therefor.

New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, 4,551 square feet, $1.

New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, 115 square feet, $1.

New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, 45 square feet, $1.

Southampton Realty Corporation, 71 square feet, $1.

George Georgenes, 49 square feet, $1.

SEWERAGE WORKS IN WEST ROXBURY.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that the sewerage works hereinafter described be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within thirty (30) days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly West Roxbury and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Hackensack road, bounded:

Northerly by Hackensack road (public), 40 feet; easterly by the easterly line of Hackensack road, by three measurements, 134.24 feet on a curve of 181.89 feet radius, 39.93 feet, and 45.28 feet on a curve of 270 feet radius; southerly by another part of Hackensack road, 40 feet; and westerly by the westerly line of Hackensack road, by three measurements, 38.57 feet on a curve of 230 feet radius, 39.93 feet, and 104.72 feet on a curve of 141.89 feet radius, containing 8,054 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Hackensack court, bounded:

Westerly by Hackensack road, by three measurements, 22.11 feet on a curve of 270 feet radius, 39.93 feet, and 23.11 feet on a curve of 181.89 feet radius; northerly by the northerly line of Hackensack court, by two measurements, 26.65 feet on a curve of 25 feet radius and 255.11 feet; easterly by another part of Hackensack court, 40 feet; and southerly by the southerly line of Hackensack court, by two measurements, 226.09 feet and 37.33 feet on a curve of 20 feet radius, containing 9,899 square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: In Hackensack road, 210 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer and surface drain at an estimated cost of $2,800; in Hackensack court, 225 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer and surface drain at an estimated cost of $3,000.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the abutting parcels of land situated on both sides of Hackensack court, and the abutting parcels of land on the westerly side of Hackensack road, designated as Parcels 1 and 2 on the aforesaid plan, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement herein ordered; each of said parcels in the amount hereinafter respectively set against it, said parcels and the supposed owners thereof being shown on the plan hereinbefore referred to.

Parcel.		Amount.
1.	City of Boston	$290
2.	Maurice and Libby Rubin	290
3.	Sidney and Nellie Cohen	290
4.	Louis P. and Sarah Lerner	290
5.	Sidney Cohen	290
6.	Sidney Cohen	290
7.	Louis A. and Christine H. Abher	290
8.	Martha Isqur	290
9.	Sidney Kontoff	290
	Total	$2,610

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of easements for sewerage purposes and the construction of sewerage works in Hackensack road and Hackensack court, West Roxbury district, under the order of this commission of December 15, 1954, and awards no damages therefor.

Owners unknown (Hackensack road), 8,504 square feet, nothing.

Owners unknown (Hackensack court), 9,899 square feet, nothing.

STREET CONSTRUCTION IN DORCHESTER.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of Westville road, Dorchester district, as a public highway, from Westville street approximately 200 feet northerly, with the name of Westville terrace or some other distinctive name, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named Westville terrace is hereby laid out, from Westville street approximately 200 feet northerly and ordered constructed.

Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed thereto, in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

Southerly by Westville street, 40 feet; easterly by the easterly line of Westville terrace as hereby laid out, 197.92 feet; northerly by the northerly line of Westville terrace as hereby laid out, 40.10 feet; and westerly by the westerly line of Westville terrace as hereby laid out, 195.50 feet.

Trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforedescribed land shall be removed therefrom within thirty (30) days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the abutting parcels of land situated on the easterly and westerly sides of Westville terrace will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement herein ordered; each of said parcels in the amount hereinafter respectively set against it; said parcels and the supposed owners thereof being shown on the plan hereinbefore referred to and on file in the office of this department.

Parcel.		Amount.
1.	Paul F. Bejune	$189 10
2.	Leo J. and Hortense M. DiCarlo	625 20
3.	Arthur A. and Helen W. Begin	538 68
4.	Hattie A. Frost	426 00
5.	Edward J. and Ann M. Sullivan	397 50
6.	James F. and Frances Doherty	395 55
7.	Helen Dusevitch	393 30
8.	Josef Wojdynski, Feliksa Wojdynska, Helen Wojdynska, Stella Wojdynska, and Blanche Wojdynska	220 56
	Total	$3,185 89

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement consisting of the laying out and construction of Westville terrace (formerly Westville road), Dorchester district, as a public highway, from Westville street approximately 200 feet northerly, under the order of the commission of November 3, 1954, and awards no damages therefor.

SEWERAGE WORKS IN RICHROW STREET, DORCHESTER.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that sewerage works be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within thirty (30) days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly Dorchester and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Richrow street, bounded:

Westerly by Groveland street, 40.01 feet; northerly by the northerly line of Richrow street, by four measurements, 88.13 feet, 66.39 feet on a curve of 105.68 feet radius, 89.22 feet on a curve of 142 feet radius, and 50 feet; easterly by another part of Richrow street, 40 feet; and southerly by the southerly line of Richrow street, by four measurements, 50 feet, 64.09 feet on a curve of 102 feet radius, 91.52 feet on a curve of 145.68 feet radius, and 86.81 feet, containing 11,723 square feet, more or less.

Sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: 230 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sewer and surface drain at an estimated cost of $3,800.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the abutting parcels of land situated on both sides of Richrow street, designated as Parcels 1, 2, 3, 6, and 7 on the plan hereinbefore referred to, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement herein ordered, each of said parcels in the amount hereinafter respectively set against it.

Parcel.		Amount.
1.	Flax Realty Company	$276
2.	Flax Realty Company	276
3.	Flax Realty Company	276
6.	Flax Realty Company	276
7.	Flax Realty Company	276
	Total	$1,380

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of an easement for sewerage purposes and the construction of sewerage works in Richrow street, Dorchester district, under the order of this commission of December 1, 1954, and awards no damages therefor.

Owners unknown (Richrow street), 11,723 square feet, nothing.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, January 3, 1955.

First meeting of the City Council for the year 1955 held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 11 A.M., Councillor Hurley, senior member, presiding, and all the members present.

The Reverend Frederick R. Condon of St. Theresa's Church, West Roxbury, was escorted to the rostrum.

INVOCATION BY REV. FREDERICK R. CONDON.

In the Name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Ghost. Amen.

O Almighty God, Creator and Ruler of the universe, the Author and Source of all law, we beg Thy choice blessings for every day of the New Year for these, Thy servants, to whom Thou hast entrusted the temporal care of Thy people of this great city. Grant to them the grace of courage and wisdom that they may not fail in their great responsibility to Thee and to the electorate. With impunity may these men carry on the charge entrusted to them as they face the future with the pure ideals that were theirs when they sought the confidence of Thy people. Let not the inducements of this life—the obstacles of friendship and difference of opinion—cause them to forget Thee, O God, the Author of life, happiness, and peace of soul and mind. Rather, grant them the virtue of fortitude to have the courage of their convictions; the virtue of justice to render what is right to all people, being indifferent to the murmurings of the few; the virtue of prudence to act always in the true interest of the common good.

This we ask and beseech Thee, through the wisdom of God, the Father, through the example and leadership of Jesus Christ, the Son and Good Shepherd, and through the Holy Ghost, the Author of all graces.

Through the efforts, singly and combined, of his Honor the Mayor and the members of the City Council, God grant prosperity, happiness, and advancement to the City of Boston during the year of our Lord, 1955.

I will ask you to join with me in reciting prayers for the repose of the soul of John J. White who was buried this morning.

Our Father, Who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us, and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. Amen.

Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with Thee Blessed are Thou amongst women and blessed is the fruit of Thy womb, Jesus. Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners now and at the hour of our death. Amen.

Eternal rest grant unto him, O Lord. May his soul and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen.

In the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost. Amen.

The meeting was opened with the salute to the Flag.

ESCORT TO MAYOR HYNES.

Chairman HURLEY—His Honor, Mayor John B. Hynes, will deliver his annual address at 12.15 P.M. The Chair will, therefore, appoint Councillors McLaughlin and Piemonte to escort the Mayor to the Council Chamber.

The Chair now declares a short recess while we await the arrival of his Honor the Mayor.

(Short recess.)

The committee appointed to escort Mayor Hynes to the chamber retired and presently returned in company with the Mayor who was greeted with applause upon his entrance.

Chairman HURLEY—Members of the City Council, invited and honored guests, I am pleased to present his Honor, Mayor John B. Hynes, who will now deliver his annual address. Mayor Hynes.

ANNUAL ADDRESS OF HON. JOHN B. HYNES, MAYOR OF BOSTON.

Mayor HYNES—Chairman Hurley, Father Condon, gentlemen of the City Council, and invited guests.

Gentlemen:

Another year in the long history of our city has passed into the shadows of time. However posterity may judge our efforts and our accomplishments during the year 1954, I believe it must be recorded that we have, according to our lights and within our capabilities, performed our duties, and accepted our responsibilities in keeping with the faith reposed in us by our fellow citizens.

This New Year we have entered will not be without its problems, for government on any level is never static. New problems constantly arise to confront us; old, deep-rooted problems, which have no quick or easy solution, remain to extend us to the fullest if answers to those problems are to be reached. I am sure we will meet those problems head on, with a spirit of determination at least as great as that which characterized our efforts during the past year.

Today, we begin to write the first pages in the book of our city government for the year 1955. Because of the paucity of materials at hand, and because of circumstances beyond our control, we cannot, try though we may, make each chapter in that book invigorating and refreshing. If, however, by our joint efforts, and within our prescribed powers, we can make brighter and more encouraging those chapters in the book of 1955 which, heretofore, have been dull and dismal reading, we shall have done our duty well.

In this annual message, let me first discuss those difficult and challenging factors which have defied our best efforts in the past; and then let me discuss those encouraging factors which give us reason to look to the future with confidence.

That part of our picture which is not so bright is now, as it has been for some years, an abnormally high tax rate. This is the result of a combination of circumstances so ingrained and longstanding that only by extraordinary measures or remedies can they be corrected.

These circumstances include archaic valuation and assessment practices which stem from the necessity of maintaining the giant structure of the city government on an ever-narrowing tax base. The burden of sustaining that tax base rests, with varying weight, upon the shoulders of those who own real estate in our city. A thorough, city-wide equalization of real property values should be made, but should be held in abeyance until such time as a new source of income is available to the city. To do otherwise would merely shift the present heavy tax burden to those least able to assume it.

A complete, scientific revaluation and equalization of property values would serve the further objective of reducing to the vanishing point the annoyances, the aggravations, and all the other disturbing, time-consuming, temper-fraying incidents which have become part and parcel of the present outmoded system of placing valuations on taxable properties. Unless our assessing system, which has been chaotic for a period of 30 years, or more, is revised from the ground up, the flow of petitions for tax abatements will increase rather than lessen. To install a new system of assessing procedures will require the cooperation of your Body. I hope I can rely on such cooperation.

The loss of taxable valuations has reached alarming proportions. Extensive public improvements, the expansion of educational, charitable, or religious real estate holdings, together with a relatively small amount of new taxable construction, has narrowed the already narrow tax potential to the point where one third of all properties in our city are tax exempt. Lest this statement be misunderstood, let me emphatically declare that Boston is pleased, rather than displeased, at the growth of religious, educational, or charitable institutions, and pleased, also, at the extent of public improvements in our city. The shrinking tax base is not because of tax-exempt holdings. It is because there has not been, in our city, in recent years, enough new taxable construction to compensate for the amount of tax-exempt construction. As long as this situation continues, and no new income source is available, we shall continue to have a tax rate which is a barrier to progress, and a deterrent to new business or industrial construction, now the main source of income to our city.

If the answer to our high tax rate, and all that flows from it, were a sizable, sensible reduction in municipal expenditures, it would be our bounden duty to effect those economies. But the answer to our high tax rate is not that simple. To arrive at a tax rate of $50 or $55 per 1,000 rather than the present rate of $69.80 would mean reducing city expenses by over $20,000,000. Obviously, any such reduction would, of necessity, involve hardship to employees, and deep slashes in the amounts provided for health and hospital services, for fire and police protection, and for other essential and vital municipal services. Clearly, the answer to our financial problem is not in arbitrary, unwise, or forced economies. This does not mean, however, that we should not continue to seek out greater economies in municipal operations wherever those economies can reasonably and sensibly be made, but we know, as a practical matter, that the eventual answer to our tax rate enigma is either a broadening of the tax base, or the inclusion of Boston in a metropolitan form of government. This latter possibility, though on the way, is still remote. It would appear, therefore, that a broadening of our tax base, with a resultant decrease in the tax rate, is the quickest medium through which Boston can share in the growth and progress of a growing and progressive community and nation.

Other factors which cause flickering shadows to cross the pages of 1955 are the upward turn in disbursements for general welfare relief, and relief to veterans. From present indications, medical care grants to welfare recipients, which include payments to apothecaries, doctors, and nursing homes, will be $700,000 greater in 1955 than in 1954. This increase is by legislative edict over which we have no control. The number of cases on general relief has risen from 3,400 to 3,800 which will mean an increase of about $300,000 in the appropriations for this year. In the Veterans' Services Department, $80,000 additional must be provided in 1955 to meet a 6½ per cent increase in family budgets ordered by the State Department of Veterans' Services. An additional $20,000 must also be provided in this department for an increase in the number of recipients. On the whole, the appropriations for general welfare relief and for veterans' relief in 1955 will exceed those of 1954 by $1,100,000. The obligation of our city to provide this type of relief is a primary one. We must and we shall meet it. Only by an upward turn in the economic cycle can we hope for any betterment in the present relief picture.

The contributions we must provide in 1955 for noncontributory pensions will be about $4,250,000, or $600,000 in excess of the amount provided in 1954 for the same purpose. This large increase for this type of expenditure would be most disturbing were it not for the fact that the work of the retired employees, in many cases, can be spread among other employees, thus saving a considerable amount in the personnel appropriations for positions left unfilled.

The condition of the over-all city plant is a cause for concern. In an effort to keep maintenance appropriations at a minimum, insufficient money has been provided over recent years for major and semimajor plant repairs. We have now reached the stage when substantial sums must he made available for such repairs. In order that these sums may he provided without a resounding impact upon the tax rate of this year or next year, we are asking the Legislature to permit the city to borrow for this purpose. I am hopeful that your Body will give this proposed legislation unanimous support.

Akin to this problem is the necessity of replacing worn-out equipment in almost every city department with new and modern equipment. Old equipment is expensive to maintain and operate, but its replacement cost is far too great to include in the budget of any one year. For this reason, and for the reason, too, that we intend to invest in considerably more street cleaning and snow fighting equipment, and other heavy equipment which we now utilize on a rental basis, I shall present to your Body during the present year a loan appropriation for equipment of various kinds for various city departments.

What to do with our refuse and garbage is an ever-pressing problem. It might well be termed our No. 1 housekeeping headache. We must begin, without further delay, to construct incinerators to take the place of open land dumps, which are fast disappearing. The construction of several well placed, modern incinerators in our city is of compelling necessity. On this point, there can be no doubt. Deferring such construction until sites are found which will engender no opposition whatsoever will mean that construction would never begin. There will always be some objectors to an incinerator on any site, even though it is admitted that a modern type, attractively built incinerator is relatively smokeless, completely odorless, and in no sense a nuisance as compared with land dumps.

The designation and approval of sites for incinerators is our public responsibility as officials of this city government. I am sure that once we have given approval to a site and an incinerator is constructed and put into operation, whatever opposition there might have heen to that incinerator will completely disappear. This has heen the experience of other cities and I believe it will be the experience in our city. And now may I turn to matters of brighter hue.

The construction of the new central artery is proceeding rapidly. Already that section coming from the north to the mouth of the Sumner Tunnel is completed. Already its advantages are apparent. It is now possible to travel one mile over the central artery in two minutes, as compared to the fifteen to forty minutes it formerly took to traverse the same distance over our traffic-clogged streets. When the central artery is fully completed, it will tremendously accelerate traffic movement in and out of our city and should, we are extremely hopeful, encourage building improvements and new construction along and in the vicinity of its route.

Undoubtedly, easy and quick access to the heart of downtown Boston will increase the demand for parking facilities, and these facilities must be provided if we are to take full advantage of new and long-planned traffic improvements in our city. The municipal government has the primary duty of providing additional parking facilities. We welcome, however, and will encourage private enterprise to join with the city government in an effort to create some 10,000 or 12,000 new off-street parking spaces estimated to be needed in the downtown area. The city government has already embarked on an ambitious program which aims for the construction of about 5,000 spaces for off-street parking and these spaces should be available during the next year and a half. The city has no desire, however, to monopolize the parking business in our city. It would he pleasing to us if private enterprise would show greater interest and a more adventurous spirit in a business which promises to be a lucrative one for many years to come.

I am happy to again commend the Boston City Council for the affirmative action taken in the matter of slum clearance for urban redevelopment in that part of our city commonly referred to as the New York Streets Area.

Ideally situated for the establishment of plants for light industry and manufacturing, I am confident that your approval of this, our first venture into urban redevelopment, will turn out to be the turning point in the physical life of our city.

Cities grow old. Blight and decay, hardly discernible at first, can eat away a section of our city

and travel at a rapid pace, unless we take heroic measures to stem the tide. Boston is an old city. A casual walk on the fringes of the downtown area is proof positive that age is taking its toll of once attractive and prosperous areas. Through the interest and activity of local rehabilitation committees, working in harmony with city officials, we have begun to stay the dead hand of decay in some sections of our city. A new law makes it possible, for the first time, to stimulate and accelerate our efforts by broadly defining slum clearance, rehabilitation, or conservation, or any combination of these, to be within the terms of the Federal Renewal Act. However, where there are entire sections of a city not redeemable or salvageable, the only possible and only realistic means of renewing those sections is through the medium of clearance and redevelopment on a large scale.

Therefore, and in short, three methods are open to us to improve the physical appearance of our city; by local rehabilitation activities, by taking advantage of the new Federal Renewal law, and by urban redevelopment on a major scale. Moving forward in these three directions will make Boston a better place to live in, to work in, and in which to do business. During the course of the year, I shall request your whole-hearted support in this three-pronged endeavor to improve our city.

The program of the President of the United States for nation-wide improvements to our highway system is still in the preliminary stage. This is a long-range program calling for the expenditure of $50,000,000,000, $3,000,000,000 of which will be devoted to urban improvements. We have already made known what Boston would like to receive under such a program. Our tentative plan calls for appropriations from the Federal Government of about $150,000,000, the major portion of which would be for the dismantling of the M.T.A. elevated structure and the substitution of a subway therefor. We have no present means of knowing if we will receive approval of all or any part of our program, but I am sure you will agree with me that if $50,000,000,000 is to be spent for highway improvements in the United States our request is a very modest one.

As you are aware, the Boston & Albany Railroad Company is going to move its yards from Exeter street and Huntington avenue. This will leave a 28-acre site in a very desirable section of our city for development. Pending in a committee of the Legislature is a proposal which will make possible the development of this site in such a manner that short-range and long-range benefits will accrue to our city. It would be the shame of our generation, in my opinion, if this large site were cut up into minuscule portions to be used for a variety of purposes, none of which nor all of which together, would improve the general area of the Back Bay and the city itself. A modern development of this site would have much to do with reversing the trend of decentralized shopping. It would revitalize a neighborhood which needs to be exhilarated. It would bring into our city government more taxes than we have ever received from the railroad company. Like all progressive moves, there is opposition to any plan which gives protection to those who are willing to risk many millions of dollars in a venture of this sort. In my judgment, this opposition is shortsighted, for anything which benefits our city in one particular section or in one particular way will also benefit the whole city. I respectfully appeal to the members of the City Council and all my fellow citizens to give support to the legislative proposal when the hearings on it are held early this year. If ever Boston had a chance to turn the corner and look down the broad highway of a better future, this is that opportunity.

Another possibility which can result in a more prosperous and progressive city is the organization of a world trade center in our city. Boston has one of the finest ports in the world. It is redundant for me to state that it is not being used to its full advantage. For years, sporadic efforts have been made to revive the port, but only recently have the kind of improvements been completed which make it possible for Boston to compete with other eastern ports. There is, currently, intense interest in the creation of a new organization, called the World Trade Center, which will bring together every interested group in the city to pledge and to lend concerted support to the rebuilding of the business of our port.

Boston, nearer to North European ports, nearer to South American ports than some of our rival cities, is in good position to go after business, to get business, and to revivify our port. The city of New Orleans has benefited in myriad ways from the World Trade Center which it organized some 10 years ago. The new business which has come to New Orleans has spread prosperity throughout every segment of the population of that city. We can do the same in Boston. I look forward to the early organization of the World Trade Center and the contributions it can make to the general prosperity of our city and the whole community in the years to come.

The sale of homes built by the City of Boston for veterans of World War II is taking place as required by law. To date, we have sold 200 houses to veteran purchasers. Seventy-one dwellings are now in the process of being sold. During 1955, we shall sell the balance of the 504 single or double houses, and we shall also proceed to the sale of the five multiple-dwelling projects which have a total of 315 units.

The average cost of the construction of the houses which have been sold was $22,000, as against an average selling price of $15,000. The houses sold have now been placed on the tax rolls and will, hereafter, be assessable as any other residence in the city. This year, the houses which have been sold will represent $1,148,000 in taxable valuations.

The reorganization of city departments, and the general streamlining of the city government, has begun to bear fruit. New methods of operation can now be instituted and economies can now be made which were impossible before the reorganization. Fewer employees are now on the payrolls of the city and their number will further decrease as deaths and retirements take place. The internal reorganization of the Fire Department, which we are content will result in better and more efficient operation, will mean savings of approximately $500,000 yearly. This is an example of what can be accomplished by reorganization and by instituting efficient management procedures.

The new Department of Administrative Services is proving to be the heart and core of the whole reorganization plan. Through the authority reposed in this department, more efficient practices are being adopted in various city departments. I am immensely pleased, and I know you are, that this new department, under the able direction of Charles J. Fox, is meeting with our expectations and has come to be the generating force, the guiding hand that inspires and leads our various departments to better and more economical management.

The City Hospital, which now and again is a target for criticism, is making rapid strides in the field of improved hospital service. The improvements already instituted and in operation, and those contemplated, are so numerous that they must await a later date for recounting. Merely let me state, at this time, that there is no city hospital in our country which is better staffed or better equipped to give the very best of care to its patients than the Boston City Hospital. The reorganization has brought under one head the Main Hospital, the Boston Sanatorium, and the Long Island Hospital. Within a short time, and under the most energetic supervision of the new superintendent, Dr. John F. Conlin, I am quite certain that our hospital services and facilities will be acclaimed, by every recognized expert, as equal to or better than any other in our country.

The gross funded debt situation in our city continues to improve. This is not accidental. It has been done in order that the credit of our municipality might be sound, and in order that we might go into the financial market on even terms with other borrowers. In the year just passed, our gross funded debt has been reduced by $2,000,000. Over the past five years this debt has been lowered by $12,000,000. This is an accomplishment which strengthens our financial structure.

For many years the increase in deficits of the M.T.A. has been a very burdensome factor in our tax rate. This year, on the basis of figures for the first 11 months of 1954, it would appear that that part of the deficit which must be borne by the City of Boston will be $1,000,000 less than last year. Although this decrease in the M.T.A. deficit has been made possible by an increase in passenger fares, nevertheless it is a welcome relief from the pattern of recent years. However, despite this reduction in the M.T.A. deficit, the charges assessed on Boston for this mass transportation facility will represent, this year, approximately $4 on the tax rate.

On an occasion such as this there is a temptation to discuss every city activity. I shall not do so although I must make passing and brief mention of our new Division of Complaints which is meeting, very capably, a very obvious need and which I recommend to you, gentlemen, as a referral agency on matters which come to your attention and which require follow-up and report.

Let me conclude this talk by expressing my appreciation of your continued devotion to the task which confronts you, both as individuals and collectively. Your position in the city government is not exactly an enviable one. Your authority and your power, under the City Charter, is limited, and yet you are expected on many sides to do things which are beyond your jurisdiction. Whether your power and your authority should be broadened and extended is not for me to pass upon. I do hope, however, and confidently, that in those fields where you have sole jurisdiction, or concurrent jurisdiction with me, that we may see eye to eye, and work hand in hand. In doing so, we keep faith with our fellow citizens; we contribute toward a better City of Boston of the future.

In my judgment our city has made gratifying progress during the past 12 months. Our goal must be to continue that progress in the months ahead.

(Applause.)

Chairman HURLEY—Thank you, Mr. Mayor, for a very fine address. The Chair now appoints Councillors McLaughlin and Piemonte to escort his Honor from the chamber. There will now be a short recess until the return of the councillors escorting the Mayor. (Short recess.)

Chairman HURLEY—The Council will be in order.

The Chair awaits the pleasure of the Body.

On motion of Councillor Ahearn, the Council voted to proceed to the election of a president for the municipal year 1955. The Clerk called the roll with the following result:

For William F. Hurley—Councillors Ahearn, Haller, Hurley, Kerrigan, White—5.

For Edward L. McLaughlin, Jr.—Councillors Foley, McCormack, McLaughlin, Piemonte—4.

Chairman HURLEY announced that Councillor Hurley having received 5 votes was declared elected President for the municipal year 1955.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN moved that the election of Councillor Hurley as President be made unanimous. The Chair ruled the motion out of order.

President HURLEY expressed his thanks to the members of the Council in electing him as President for the municipal year 1955. (Applause.)

LOAN OF $75,000,000 IN ANTICIPATION OF REVENUE.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, January 3, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I am in receipt of the attached communication from the City Auditor. In accordance with the recommendation contained therein I submit herewith an order authorizing the issuance during 1955 of temporary notes in anticipation of revenue to an amount not exceeding $75,000,000. I respectfully recommend adoption of this order by your Honorable Body.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Auditing Department, December 28, 1954.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Sir:

It is customary to submit to the City Council at its first meeting in the New Year an order authorizing the issuance as needed during the year of temporary loans in anticipation of revenue receipts. This method of financing is made necessary by the fact that under the Massachusetts municipal tax calendar the major portion of the city's revenue receipts is received late in the year.

By authority of section 4 of chapter 44 of the General Laws, the city could issue in 1955 in anticipation of revenue receipts temporary loans which would not exceed in the aggregate the total tax levy of the fiscal year 1954 together with the corporation and income tax received from the Commonwealth during the financial year 1954. This would total approximately $120,000,000. In my opinion, it is desirable that an authorization of $75,000,000 be made in order to cover requirements as they now appear for the financial year 1955. In 1954 an authorization of $75,000,000 was made and it was necessary to issue during the year temporary notes to the amount of $50,000,000. It is estimated, however, that in the current year actual cash requirements should be approximately the same as those for 1954.

I respectfully recommend, therefore, that an order in the amount previously stated be submitted to the City Council for consideration and adoption.

Respectfully,
JOSEPH P. LALLY,
City Auditor.

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Ordered, That to provide temporarily money to meet the appropriations for the financial year 1955, the Collector-Treasurer be, and hereby is, authorized to issue and sell, at such times and in such amounts as he may deem best, notes or certificates of indebtedness of the City of Boston not exceeding $75,000,000 in the total, in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year; that all such notes or certificates of indebtedness be made payable with the interest thereon within one year of their date and bear interest from their date until the same are made payable at such rate as the Collector-Treasurer and the Mayor many determine. The said Collector-Treasurer is hereby further authorized to renew or refund any such notes issued for a shorter period than one year, under the provisions of section 17 of chapter 44 of the General Laws.

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On motion of Councillor Ahearn, the rules were suspended and the order was given its first reading and passage, yeas 9. The order was assigned to the next meeting for final action.

APPOINTMENT OF JAMES J. MAHAR.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, January 3, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

Under the provisions of section 26L of the Housing Authority law of the Commonwealth (as inserted in chapter 121 of the General Laws and as most recently amended by chapter 428 of the Acts of 1954), I hereby appoint James J. Mahar, of 129 Gallivan Boulevard, Dorchester, to be a member of the Boston Housing Authority for the term expiring January 8, 1960.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

Ordered, That the appointment by his Honor the Mayor of James J. Mahar to be a member of the Boston Housing Authority for the term expiring January 8, 1960, be, and hereby is, confirmed and approved.

Referred to the Committee on Confirmations when appointed.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committee named, viz.:

Claims.

Boston Herald Traveler Corporation, for compensation for damage to truck while being towed through East Boston Tunnel.

Joseph R. and May H. Cleary, for compensation for damage to property at 35 Fernwood road, caused during construction of Fernwood road.

Dorothy E. Connolly, for compensation for damage to car by city truck.

John J. Craven, Jr., for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect in Baker street, West Roxbury.

Francis J. Doyle, for compensation for damage to property at 12 Pond street, Jamaica Plain, caused by broken water pipe.

John J. Doyle, for compensation for damage to car by city truck.

Julius Duckston, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Clearway street, Boston.

I. Goodman Company, for compensation for damage to car by city truck.

Edward Habinowski, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Commonwealth and Massachusetts avenues.

Bernard I. Hughes, for compensation for injuries and damage to property caused by city truck.

Molly Katz, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 860 Blue Hill avenue.

Paul Madar, for compensation for damage to car by car of Park Department.

Paul Misho, to be reimbursed for overpayment for malt beverage license.

Margaret I. Morrissey, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Pembroke street.

Mary Poto, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Chardon street.

Eleanore Ricci, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in North Margin street.

Howard Rubin, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 161 Massachusetts avenue.

Leo P. Shumavon, for compensation for damage to truck by city truck.

William G. Smith, Jr., for compensation for damage to car by sanding truck of City of Boston.

Lloyd Wheaton, for compensation for injuries caused by patrol wagon.

Ross Towboat Company, for compensation for detention of tug on Summer Street Bridge.

DEATH OF JOHN J. WHITE.

Coun. HURLEY offered the following:

Resolved, That the City Council of the City of Boston, in meeting assembled, hereby expresses its deep regret at the untimely passing of John J. White, brother of our colleague, former president of the City Council Joseph C. White, and extends to his family its sincere sympathy and condolence in their sad bereavement.

The resolution was adopted by an unanimous rising vote.

Adjourned at 1.11 P.M., on motion of Councillor Ahearn, to meet on Monday, January 10, 1955, at 2 P.M.

Later in the day by order of the Court and with the consent of the members of the City Council, President HURLEY called a special meeting of the City Council for the purpose only of drawing grand jurors.

The City Council reconvened in the City Council Chamber, City Hall, at 3.13 P.M., President HURLEY in the chair. Absent, Councillor White.

The meeting was opened with the salute to the Flag.

JURORS DRAWN.

The following jurors were drawn in the manner prescribed by law, Councillor McLaughlin presiding at the box in the absence of the Mayor, viz.:

Six grand jurors, Superior Criminal Court, to appear January 6, 1955:

Florence P. Dolan, Ward 2; Robert C. Sullivan, Ward 10; John Carr, Ward 15; Joseph Murphy, Ward 15; Olive Norton, Ward 17; George R. Mason, Ward 20.

The purpose for which the meeting was called having been accomplished, President HURLEY declared the meeting adjourned at 3.17 P.M.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

(Stenographic copy of such debate on file in office of City Clerk.)

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 2.

I. RUSSELL A. AMARAL.

It is with deep regret that the Fire Commissioner announces the death on December 28, 1954, of Hoseman Russell A. Amaral of Engine Company 21. Hoseman Amaral was appointed to the department August 6, 1941.

The funeral was held from the Morrissey Brothers Funeral Home, 139 Stoughton street, Dorchester, on Friday, December 31, 1954, at 8.15 A.M., followed by a High Mass of Requiem in St. William's Church, Dorchester avenue, at 9 A.M.

The chief of department made the customary detail to act as funeral escort, and members of Engine Company 21 were excused from duty to attend the services.

II. RETIREMENTS.

The following retirements, in accordance with section 13 of chapter 521 of the Acts of 1922, which became effective at 8 A.M., January 1, 1955, are hereby announced:

Hoseman David F. Culhane, Engine Company 51.

Hoseman Arthur E. Doyle, Engine Squad Company 53.

The following retirements, in accordance with chapter 347 of the Acts of 1892, as amended by chapter 237, Acts of 1939, which became effective at 8 A.M., January 5, 1955, are hereby announced:

District Chief William J. Mahoney, District 11.

Aide to Medical Examiner James W. McQuaide, Headquarters Division.

Ladderman Henry P. Doherty, Ladder Company 33.

District Chief Mahoney was appointed to the Fire Department May 16, 1910. He was promoted to the grade of lieutenant December 20, 1926; to captain, May 31, 1929; to district chief, July 3, 1936. Aide McQuaide was appointed to the department June 21, 1918. Ladderman Doherty was appointed January 5, 1917. Hoseman Culhane was appointed December 23, 1929, and Hoseman Doyle was appointed December 22, 1933.

All the foregoing members leave the department with the best wishes of their associates.

III. ASSIGNMENT AS CAPTAIN-DRILLMASTER.

The following assignment, which became effective at 8 A.M., January 5, 1955, is hereby announced:

Capt. Edmund J. Sheehan, Headquarters Division, to captain-drillmaster.

IV. LIAISON OFFICER TO PROTESTANT CHAPLAIN.

District Chief Henry M. Wheeler of District 5 has been designated as liaison officer between the department and Reverend John E. Barelay, Protestant chaplain.

V. COMMENDATIONS.

All officers and men of the department who responded to fire at Box 2233, at 11.06 P.M., December 25, 1954, and particularly members of Engine Company 13, Engine Squad Company 14, and Ladder Company 4 are hereby commended for their efficient team work which was responsible for averting loss of life. This action reflects great credit on these members and also on the department.

Lieut. Richard A. Kemp of Engine Squad Company 14 is hereby commended for responding to and working at fire, Box 3144, two alarms, December 26, 1954, while off duty.

VI. HIGH COMMENDATION.

At 5.44 P.M., December 27, 1954, the department responded to an alarm from Box 2235 for a fire in a three-family dwelling house at 3 Gay street, Roxbury. Upon arrival of Ladder Company 4, they were informed that there was a man trapped in the kitchen in the rear of the first floor.

Ladderman Joseph F. Hoar entered the building through the front door and crawled along the hallway which was about 20 feet long. This entry was filled with smoke and heat to the extent that the wallpaper on both sides was blistered, and the heat had extended to blister the paint on the entrance door. Ladderman Hoar made his way along the hallway, past a room on his right which was involved in fire, and continued crawling into the kitchen, into which fire had extended.

Due to the intense heat and smoke and fire to the right of the kitchen, he could not immediately locate the man and called to him to cry out to indicate where he was in the room. The man was conscious to the extent that he moaned, and Ladderman Hoar crawled over to the extreme right corner of the room, found the man and dragged him across the floor to the hallway, where he was assisted by members of Ladder Company 12 in removing the man to the street and taking him to the Boston City Hospital in a police ambulance.

This rescue was performed without the use of a mask or other respiratory equipment, and in carrying out this act, Ladderman Hoar received first-degree burns of the right wrist and second-degree burns on both knees, for which he later received treatment at the Boston City Hospital.

Because Ladderman Hoar performed this rescue under difficult conditions and at extreme personal risk, and by his prompt action saved the man's life, the Fire Commissioner is pleased to commend him highly, and his case is referred to the Board of Merit for further consideration.

By order of Fire Commissioner FRANCIS X. COTTER.

JOHN V. STAPLETON,
Chief of Department.

HIGHWAY DISCONTINUED.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the discontinuance of Newmarket square, Roxbury district, as a highway, from Massachusetts avenue approximately 800 feet northerly, bounded and described as follows:

The highway named Newmarket square is hereby discontinued from Massachusetts avenue approximately 800 feet northerly, as relocated under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of April 1, 1954.

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement consisting of the discontinuance of Newmarket square, Roxbury district, from Massachusetts avenue approximately 800 feet northerly, under the order of this commission of October 27, 1954, and awards no damages therefor.

COMMITTEE.
PROCEEDINGS OF SCHOOL

Nov. 23, 1954.

A special meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, at 12.56 o'clock P.M., the Chairman presiding.

Present: Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco.

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AMENDMENT OF MINUTES

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the minutes of the meeting of July 1, 1954, are hereby amended on page 253, to provide that the leave of absence for study and travel granted to Mary E. Hickey, assistant, East Boston High School, for the school year 1954-55, shall read "for rest."

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS

The Chairman stated the question was on approving the appointment of teachers as reported by the Superintendent at the meeting of Nov. 8, 1954, and laid over.

On roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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ALLOCATION OF FUNDS FOR SCHOOL BUILDINGS

The following communication was presented:

City of Boston — Department of School Buildings, 26 Norman St.

November 17, 1954.

Miss Agnes E. Reynolds,
Secretary, Boston School Committee,
15 Beacon Street, Boston, Massachusetts.

Dear Miss Reynolds:—

Under date of November 9, 1954 you forwarded the following proposed appropriation order to the Board of Commissioners of School Buildings:—

ORDERED, That out of the sum appropriated by the City Council of the City of Boston by order passed first on May 4, 1953, and again on May 18, 1953, and approved by the Mayor on May 19, 1953, to be expended for the purpose of acquiring land for, and constructing, public schoolhouses in the City of Boston, including originally equipping and furnishing such schoolhouses, the sum of $1,530,660.00 be, and the same hereby is, allocated for acquiring land by demolition, plans, construction and furnishing of an elementary school in the Rice-Franklin District, South End, containing twenty-six classrooms, four kindergartens, one manual training room, one sewing room, one assembly hall, and one playroom.

At a meeting of the Board of Commissioners of School Buildings which was held this date and at which meeting all Members of the Board of Commissioners of School Buildings were present and voting, it was voted unanimously to report favorably on the above described proposed appropriation order, all as provided in Section 7, Chapter 351 of the Acts of 1929.

Very truly yours,
Board of Commissioners
of School Buildings:—
(signed) Joseph F. O'Connell, Jr.
Chairman.

Placed on file.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That out of the sum appropriated by the City Council of the City of Boston by order passed first on May 4, 1953, and again on May 18, 1953, and approved by the Mayor on May 19, 1953, to be expended for the purpose of acquiring land for, and constructing, public schoolhouses in the City of Boston, including originally equipping and furnishing such schoolhouses, the sum of $1,530,660.00 be, and the same hereby is, allocated for acquiring land by demolition, plans, construction and furnishing of an elementary school in the Rice-Franklin District, South End, containing twenty-six classrooms, four kindergartens, one manual training room, one sewing room, one assembly hall, and one playroom.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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The following communication was presented:

City of Boston—Department of School Buildings

November 17, 1954

Miss Agnes Reynolds, Secretary,
Boston School Committee,
15 Beacon Street,
Boston, Massachusetts.

Dear Miss Reynolds:

Under date of November 9, 1954, you forwarded the following proposed appropriation order to the Board of Commissioners of School Buildings:—

ORDERED, That out of the sum appropriated by the City Council of the City of Boston by order passed first on September 7, 1954, and again on September 27, 1954, and approved by the Mayor on September 28, 1954, to be expended for the purpose of acquiring land for, and constructing, public schoolhouses in the City of Boston, including originally equipping and furnishing such schoolhouses, the sum of $217,080.00 be, and the same hereby is, allocated for acquiring land by demolition, plans, construction and furnishing of an elementary school in the Rice-Franklin District, South End, containing twenty-six classrooms, four kindergartens, one manual training room, one sewing room, one assembly hall, and one playroom, said sum, when added to the $1,530,660.00, allocated for the purpose at this meeting this day, making a total sum allocated for the purpose of $1,747,740.00.

At a meeting of the Board of Commissioners of School Buildings which was held this date and at which meeting all Members of the Board of Commissioners of School Buildings were present and voting, it was voted unanimously to report favorably on the above described proposed appropriation order, all as provided in Section 7, Chapter 351 of the Acts of 1929.

Very truly yours,
Board of Commissioners
of School Buildings:—
(Signed) Joseph F. O'Connell, Jr.
Chairman.

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The following was offered:

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On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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The following communication was presented:

City of Boston—Department of School Buildings, 26 Norman St.

November 17, 1954.

Miss Agnes Reynolds, Secretary,
Boston School Committee,
15 Beacon Street,
Boston, Massachusetts.

Dear Miss Reynolds:—

Under date of November 9, 1954 you forwarded the following proposed appropriation order to the Board of Commissioners of School Buildings:—

ORDERED, That out of the sum appropriated by the City Council of the City of Boston by order passed first on September 7, 1954, and again on September

27, 1954, and approved by the Mayor on September 28, 1954, to be expended for the purpose of acquiring land for, and constructing, public schoolhouses in the City of Boston, including originally equipping and furnishing such schoolhouses, the sum of $517,800.00 be, and the same hereby is, allocated for acquiring land by demolition, plans, construction and furnishing of an addition to the Boston Trade High School, in the Sherwin District, Roxbury, containing one cafeteria and one gymnasium.

At a meeting of the Board of Commissioners of School Buildings which was held this date and at which meeting all Members of the Board of Commissioners of School Buildings were present and voting, it was voted unanimously to report favorably on the above described proposed appropriation order, all as provided in Section 7, Chapter 351 of the Acts of 1929.

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Board of Commissioners
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(Signed) Joseph F. O'Connell, Jr.
Chairman.

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On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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November 17, 1954.

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At a meeting of the Board of Commissioners of School Buildings which was held this date and at which meeting all Members of the Board of Commissioners of School Buildings were present and voting, it was voted unanimously to report favorably on the above described proposed appropriation order, all as provided in Section 7, Chapter 351 of the Acts of 1929.

Very truly yours,
Board of Commissioners
of School Buildings:—
(Signed) Joseph F. O'Connell, Jr.
Chairman.

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At a meeting of the Board of Commissioners of School Buildings which was held this date and at which meeting all Members of the Board of Commissioners of School Buildings were present and voting, it was voted unanimously to report favorably on the above described proposed appropriation order, all as provided in Section 7, Chapter 351 of the Acts of 1929.

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Chairman.

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On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

The following communication was presented:

City of Boston—Department of School Buildings—26 Norman St.
November 17, 1954.

Miss Agnes Reynolds, Secretary,
Boston School Committee,
15 Beacon Street,
Boston, Massachusetts.

Dear Miss Reynolds:—

Under date of November 9, 1954, you forwarded the following proposed appropriation order to the Board of Commissioners of School Buildings:—

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$703,600 be, and the same hereby is, allocated for plans, construction and furnishing of an elementary school in the Elihu Greenwood District, Hyde Park, (Fairmount Area), containing twelve classrooms, one kindergarten, one sewing room and one all-purpose room.

It is understood that the School Committee has requested the Mayor and City Council to transfer from the care, custody, control and management of the Commissioner of Real Property to the care, custody, control and management of the School Committee approximately fifty-two thousand eight hundred (52,800) square feet of land known as lots 134-144 Needham Road (formerly Wolcott Road) as the site for above-described school building.

At a meeting of the Board of Commissioners of School Buildings which was held this date and at which meeting all Members were present and voting, it was voted unanimously to report favorably on the above described proposed appropriation order, all as provided in Section 7, Chapter 351 of the Acts of 1929.

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of School Buildings:—
(Signed) Joseph F. O'Connell, Jr.
Chairman.

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On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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The following communication was presented:

City of Boston—Department of
School Buildings
26 Norman Street
November 17, 1954.

Miss Agnes Reynolds, Secretary,
Boston School Committee,
15 Beacon Street,
Boston, Massachusetts.

Dear Miss Reynolds:—

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At a meeting of the Board of Commissioners of School Buildings which was held this date and at which meeting all Members were present and voting, it was voted unanimously to report favorably on the above described proposed appropriation order, all as provided in Section 7, Chapter 351 of the Acts of 1929.

Very truly yours,
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On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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The following communication was presented:

City of Boston—Department of
School Buildings
26 Norman Street
November 16, 1954.

Miss Agnes Reynolds, Secretary,
Boston School Committee,
15 Beacon Street,
Boston, Massachusetts.

Dear Miss Reynolds:—

Under date of November 9, 1954 you forwarded the following proposed appropriation order to the Board of Commissioners of School Buildings:—

ORDERED, That out of the sum appropriated by the City Council of the City of Boston by order passed first on September 7, 1954, and again on September 27, 1954, and approved by the Mayor on September 28, 1954, to be expended for the purpose of acquiring land for, and constructing, public schoolhouses in the City of Boston, including originally equipping and furnishing such schoolhouses, the sum of $747,700.00 be, and the same hereby is, allocated for acquiring land by demolition, plans, construction and furnishing of an elementary school in the Elihu Greenwood District, Hyde Park, (Elihu Greenwood School site and the adjacent site extending from Lockwood Street to Safford Street), containing twelve classrooms, two kindergartens, one sewing room, one manual training room, and one all-purpose room.

At a meeting of the Board of Commissioners of School Buildings which was held this date and at which meeting all Members were present and voting, it was voted unanimously to report favorably on the above deseribed proposed appropriation order, all provided in Section 7, Chapter 351 of the Acts of 1929.

Very truly yours,
Board of Commissioners
of School Buildings:—
(Signed) Joseph F. O'Connell, Jr.
Chairman.

Placed on file.

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The following was offered:

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On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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IN MEMORIAM

The Superintendent regretfully reported the death of the following-named teacher who had been

retired on pension under the provisions of the State-Boston Retirement System:

Washington Allston Distriet—Mary E. Durgin, Nov. 9, 1954.

Placed on file.

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The Superintendent regretfully reported the death of the following-named teacher who had been retired under the provisions of the Veterans' Retirement System:

M. Gertrude Godvin School — James W. Driseoll, Nov. 13, 1954.

Plaeed on file.

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The School Committee requested that a letter of eondolenee to be signed by the Secretary, be sent to the bereaved families.

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RESOLUTIONS

The following preamble and resolutions werc offered for Mr. Ward:

WHEREAS, On November 13, 1954,the Great Starter of Life received one James W. Driseoll, teaeher and coach of the Boston Public Sehools, as he ran his last race; and

WHEREAS, His life as a :eacher, a submaster, and a leader of boys, for the past twenty-seven years was one of high ideals and worthy aehievement as demonstrated by his great victories that were prompted by undying determination "to win"; and

WHEREAS, As a superb runner of an era that has passed, "Jake Driseoll" as he is lovingly known by his friends, by his elassmates at the High School of Commeree, his college ehums at Boston College, and the sport fans of Boston· and

WHEREAS, His ideals of sportsmanship, his quiet manner of preparation, his eompetitive heart whieh on the racing fields were unsurpassed; and

WHEREAS, His devotion to the boys whom he taught, from his first teaching assignments in the Michelangelo Distriet in 1928, through his assignments at the Lewis Junior High Sehool, the Phillips Brooks School, and, finally the M. Gertrude Godvin Sehool, his life may be epitomized by the saying, "all boys loved him,—no boy ever said an unkind word about our 'Jake'"; be it, therefore

RESOLVED, That the School Committee hereby expresses its sorrow at the loss of one of its teachers, who was an inspiration to the pupils of Boston with whom he came in contaet, and as he crosses the finish line in this last race may the "Great Starter" be there to greet him; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family of James W. Driseoll as an expression of the deepest sympathy of the Boston School Committee.

On roll call the preamble and resolutions were adopted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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The following order was offered for Mr. Ward:

ORDERED, That the auditorium of the M. Gertrude Godvin Sehool be, and hereby is, named the "James W. Driscoll Auditorium" and that a suitable plaque be placed over the doors of this assembly hall designating such nomenelature.

On roll eall the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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RETIREMENTS ON PENSION

A communieation was received from the Superintendent, under date of Nov. 23, 1954, reporting the retirement from aetive serviee of the following-named members of the State-Boston Retirement System, to take effect Nov. 30, 1954, as reported by the Boston Retirement Board:

Ellis Mendell District—Edward J. Markham, submaster.

Francis Parkman District — Margaret J. O'Brien, teaeher, elementary.

Department of School Lunehes —Eva G. Swanson, eafeteria attendant.

Offiee of the Business Manager —Mary B. Crotty, payroll elerk.

Plaeed on file.

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A eommunieation was received from the Superintendent, under date of Nov. 23, 1954, reporting the retirement, on aecount of ordinary disability, in eonformity with the provisions of Sec. 6 of Chap. 658 of the Acts of 1945, as amended, of the following-named member of the State-Boston Retirement System, to take effect on the date stated:

Department of School Hygiene —Helen F. Casey, sehool medieal aid, Nov. 30, 1954.

Placed on file.

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RESIGNATION

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Nov. 23, 1954, reporting the resignation of Alice C. Gerard, industrial instructor, Jeremiah E. Burke High Sehool for Girls, to take effect Oet. 6, 1954.

Aeeepted.

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APPOINTMENTS

The following nominations by the Superintendent, ccrtified by him as being in aeeordance with the rules and regulations, to take effeet on the dates stated, were presented:

(FROM THE ELIGIBLE LIST)

Roxbury Memorial High School (Boys)—James J. Doherty, junior master (from teacher, junior high, Patrick F. Gavin Junior High Sehool), Dec. 1, 1954; Melvin Mednicoff, junior master (from teacher, junior high, Solomon Lewenberg Junior High Sehool), Dec. 1, 1954.

On roll eall the rules were suspended and the appointments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Museo—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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(CHANGE IN RANK)

Boston Trade High School — Arthur P. Murray, senior instructor (from trade instructor), Sept. 1, 1954.

East Boston High School — Leo C. Renaud, junior master (from co-operative instruetor), Sept. 1, 1954; Anthony V. Cipriano, junior master (from senior instruetor), Sept. 1, 1954.

Trade High Sehool for Girls—Eileen M. Keane, senior assistant (from assistant instructor, home nursing), Sept. 1, 1954.

On roll eall the appointments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Museo—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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LIST OF TEACHERS APPROVED FOR TEMPORARY SERVICE

The Superintendent submitted, under the provisions of Section 265, paragraph 3 of the regulations, the following list of teaehers approved by him from which assignments may be made for temporary serviee:

Beverly Barnett, Kathryn Sullivan Barry, Frederie J. Beaudoin, Beverly Chase Burke, Kathleen M. Burke, Mary Walsh Cashin, Mary Kane Coombs, Selma Axelrod Dana, Carl R. Deyeso, Thomas J. Dolan, Arthur J. Donovan, Jeannette Donnelly Duval, Eileen MeSweeney Francis, Franees Gallagher Hally, Josephine Baker Hermiston, Herbert J. Hohmann, Lorraine S. Hootstein, Helen Guiney Hutchinson, Pauline Miller Jaffe, Edna Finnerty Kelleher, Cecelia E. Kilgallen, Louise Horgan Leahy, William J. Leary, Barbara Sullivan Lyneh, Jeanne Seanlan McCarthy, Lucy Condon McCarthy, Margaret Mullen MeCarville, Jean Courtney MeGinnis, Catherine Kenney Murdoek, Gertrude Lennon Nolan, Charles L. Nugent, Helen M. O'Toole, Marie J. Regan, Barbara F. Riehmond, Murray E. Roberts, Marjorie Swartz Salmon. Ellen Sears, Ulysses G. Shelton, Jr., Maureen E. Tobin, Annettc Siegel Tovsky, Helen Foy Upton, Francis X. Valois, Ira J. Weinstein, Regina Gannon White, Marjorie R. Zecher.

Audiometer Technician

Ann Harrington Gifford.

On roll call the list of teachers was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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DEPARTMENT OF ADULT EDUCATION

(Evening Schools)

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Nov. 23, 1954, reporting, subject to the approval of the School Committee, the appointment of the following-named clerical assistant for the evening school term 1954-55:

Boston Evening Trade School—Katherine G. Lovett. Oct. 14, 1954.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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(Extended Use)

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Nov. 23, 1954, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has assigned the following-named persons to serve in the Department of Adult Educational and Recreational Activities, Extended Use Division, for the term 1954-55:

Assignments

John J. O'Brien, Nov. 3, 1954; Gordon M. Copatch, Nov. 5, 1954; Fred M. Albano, Nov. 8, 1954; John P. McTomney, Jr., Nov. 10, 1954; Joseph E. McTiernan, Nov. 19, 1954; Joseph W. Fellows, Nov. 20, 1954; Mary E. Barnes, Ellen Broderick, Emily L. Inello, Helen B. McGee, Rita M. Nugent, Anastatia J. Shepard, Nov. 24, 1954.

Re-assignments

Lorraine P. DiGregorio, Emilia Giardini, Oct. 23, 1954; Andrew B. Brusko, Leo F. Cox, William G. Kendricken, John F. McKiernan, Charles D. Nasuti, Francis X. O'Brien, Nov. 13, 1954.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the assignments and re-assignments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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DAY SCHOOL FOR IMMIGRANTS

Day School for Immigrants—Andrew S. Bertino, special assistant, Oct. 6, 1954; Leo E. Raftery, special assistant, Oct. 18, 1954; Mary J. Flynn, Helen J. Quinn, special assistants, Oct. 25, 1954.

On roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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INSTRUCTION OF PHYSICALLY HANDICAPPED CHILDREN

A communication was received from the Superintendent under date of Nov. 23, 1954, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has assigned the following-named temporary teacher for instruction of physically handicapped children, to take effect Nov. 15, 1954:

Constance E. Sargent.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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TEMPORARY SCHOOL NURSE

Department of School Hygiene—Maureen E. Tobin, Nov. 15, 1954.

On roll call the appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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TEACHER COACHES

(Track)

(To take effect Nov. 29, 1954)

Boston Latin School—Charles S. Fitzgerald.

Boston Technical High School—Joseph F. Carey.

Boston Trade High School—Henry J. Tilton.

Brighton High School—William J. Murphy.

Charlestown High School—Thomas F. Meagher.

Dorchester High School—William J. Pendergast.

East Boston High School—James A. Ronayne.

English High School—J. Clifford Ronan.

High School of Commerce—William F. Fleming.

Hyde Park High School—John M. Kilroy.

Jamaica Plain High School—William J. Bond.

Roslindale High School—James C. Murphy.

Roxbury Memorial High School (Boys)—Thomas Campbell.

South Boston High School—Stephen V. White.

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(Hockey)

(To take effect Nov. 26, 1954)

Boston Latin School—Richard A. Thomas.

Boston Technical High School—Victor J. Campbell.

Boston Trade High School—Robert V. Dandrow.

Brighton High School—John B. Morris.

Charlestown High School—John J. Tyrell, Jr.

Dorchester High School—Gerard J. Deeley.

East Boston High School—Walter D. Fitzgerald.

English High School—William J. Stewart, Jr.

Hyde Park High School—Edward F. Murphy.

Jamaica Plain High School—John W. McGuckian.

Roslindale High School—Francis E. Reynolds.

Roxbury Memorial High School (Boys)—John E. Best.

South Boston High School—Edward E. Kelleher.

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(Basketball)

(To take effect Nov. 29, 1954)

Boston Latin School—J. Stephen Patten.

Boston Technical High School—William H. Powers.

Boston Trade High School—George P. Ryan.

Brighton High School—Robert V. McCabe.

Charlestown High School—Jerome C. Buckley.

East Boston High School—William J. Dee.

English High School—Frederick J. Gillis, Jr.

High School of Commerce—Henry J. Chiarini.

Hyde Park High School—Eugene Plociennik.

Jamaica Plain High School—Cornelius J. O'Leary.

Roslindale High School—Thomas E. Moran.

Roxbury Memorial High School (Boys)—John F. Keane.

South Boston High School—Joseph F. Callahan.

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(Baseball)

(To take effect Mar. 15, 1955)

Boston Latin School—Charles S. Fitzgerald.

Boston Technical High School—Herman G. McGrath.

Boston Trade High School—Henry J. Tilton.

Brighton High School—William J. Murphy.

Charlestown High School—Francis G. Power.

Dorchester High School—William J. Pendergast.

East Boston High School—James A. Ronayne.

English High School—William J. Stewart, Jr.

High School of Commerce—William F. Fleming.

Hyde Park High School—John M. Kilroy.

Jamaica Plain High School—William J. Bond.

Roslindale High School—James C. Murphy.

Roxbury Memorial High School (Boys)—Thomas Campbell.

South Boston High School—Phineas Tobe.

On roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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ASSISTANT TEACHER COACHES

(Baseball)
(To take effect Mar. 15, 1955)

Boston Latin School—Walter W. McCarthy.
Boston Technical High School—William H. Powers.
Boston Trade High School—Howard W. Lloyd.
Brighton High School—Robert V. McCabe.
Charlestown High School—Jeffrey J. Keating.
Dorchester High School—Jerome C. Buckley.
East Boston High School—William J. Dee.
English High School—William F. Duffy.
Hyde Park High School—John T. Ryan.
Jamaica Plain High School—Edward J. Murphy.
Roslindale High School—Arthur J. Hartin.
Roxbury Memorial High School (Boys)—John F. Keane.
South Boston High School—Joseph F. Callahan.

On roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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TEACHER COACHES, JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOLS

Basketball and Indoor Track
(To Take Effect Nov. 29, 1954)
Junior High Schools

Clarence R. Edwards Junior High School—Edward J. Grant.
Donald McKay Junior High School—Thomas J. Lynch.
Grover Cleveland Junior High School—Francis P. O'Brien.
James P. Timilty Junior High School—Frederick J. Gumbs.
Joseph H. Barnes Junior High School—William P. Foley.
Lewis Junior High School—George A. Johnson.
Mary E. Curley Junior High School—Walter E. Shaughnessy.
Michelangelo Junior High School—Raymond F. Higgins.
Oliver W. Holmes Junior High School—George L. O'Connell.
Patrick F. Gavin Junior High School—Charles F. O'Hara.
Patrick T. Campbell Junior High School—Edward C. Lambert.
Robert G. Shaw Junior High School—Lionel H. Buckley.
Solomon Lewenberg Junior High School—Harold A. Martell.
Thomas A. Edison Junior High School—Harold J. Cleary.
Washington Irving Junior High School—Leo R. Long.
William B. Rogers Junior High School—William T. Murray.
William Blackstone Junior High School—Ernest A. DiMattia.
William H. Taft Junior High School—Thomas J. Carty.
Woodrow Wilson Junior High School—Francis O. Tracy.

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Elementary Schools with Junior High Classes

Abraham Lincoln District—Herbert C. Hambelton.
Blackinton-John Cheverus District—Frederick L. Sweeney.
Dearborn District—John D. Callahan.
Dwight District—James F. Hughes.
Francis Parkman District—Arthur F. Gustus.
Martin District—Joseph F. Fielding.
Prince District—James S. Celeste.
Rice-Franklin District—Everett C. Yates.
Sherwin District—Angelo DiMattia.
William E. Russell District—Thomas G. Dolan.
Boston Latin School (5th and 6th Classes)—Walter W. McCarthy.
M. Gertrude Godvin School—John S. Moloney.

On roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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PLAY TEACHERS (Women)

High School
(To take effect Oct. 25, 1954)

Roxbury Memorial High School (Girls)—Marilyn Fitzgerald Brion.

On roll call the appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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LEAVES OF ABSENCE

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Nov. 23, 1954, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has discontinued the leave of absence for maternity granted the following-named teacher at the meeting of Oct. 4, 1954, to take effect on the date stated:

Department of Physical Education—Marilyn Brion, assistant, high school, physical education, Oct. 24, 1954.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the discontinuance of leave of absence was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Nov. 23, 1954, recommending that leave of absence without loss of pay be granted the following-named teacher in order that he may render training service with the armed forces of the United States:

Boston Technical High School—Warren J. Moran, master, Nov. 29 to Dec. 10, 1954, inclusive.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the leave of absence without loss of pay was granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4
NAYS—0
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1

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TRANSFERS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Nov. 23, 1954, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has made the following transfers of teachers, to take effect Jan. 1, 1955:

Joseph Ferrara, submaster, Dearborn District, to the same position in the Abraham Lincoln-Quincy District.

Francis R. Coen, teacher, junior high, Abraham Lincoln-Quincy District, to the same position in the M. Gertrude Godvin School.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the transfers were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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ASSIGNMENTS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Nov. 23, 1954, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has reassigned Leo C. Renaud, junior master, East Boston High School, without change of rank and at the salary established by Orders No. 3 and No. 12 in the salary schedule for 1954-55, to assist in organizing and supervising state-aided trade classes, apprenticeship and journeyman classes, part-time trade preparatory classes, and classes for veterans in industry; said assignment to cover day, evening, and vacation service, to take effect Sept. 1, 1954, and to continue until otherwise ordered.

The salary is chargeable on the following basis: 25% to be paid by the City of Boston, subject to 50% state reimbursement, and 75% to be paid from federal George-Barden funds administered by the Commissioner of Education and allotted by special distribution to the City of Boston.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the reassignment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent under date of Nov. 23, 1954, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has reassigned George N. Bergh, shop foreman, Department of Industrial Arts, without change of rank and at the salary established by Orders No. 3 and No. 11 in the salary schedule for 1954-55, to assist in the "Veterans-on-the-Job" training program of the Vocational Division of the Massachusetts Department of Education, and to assist in the procurement of surplus government material; said assignment to cover day, evening, and vacation service, to take effect Sept. 1, 1954, and to continue until otherwise ordered.

The salary is to be paid by the City of Boston and reimbursement made by the Massachusetts Department of Education to the City of Boston in the amount of 50%.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the reassignment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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DESIGNATION

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Nov. 23, 1954, reporting that he has made the following designation of a teacher to serve in the position indicated until such time as it shall be filled otherwise, in accordance with the rules and regulations, but not beyond Aug. 31, 1955:

Boston Latin School—Cyril J. Neville, master, as acting guidance counselor, Nov. 9, 1954.

Placed on file.

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DIRECTOR OF BUSINESS EDUCATION

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the rank of Director of Business Education, is hereby established.

On roll call the order was passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That for the year ending Aug. 31, 1955, the salary of the rank of Director of Business Education is hereby established as follows:

Minimum—$6300—Annual Increment—$144—Maximum $6996.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

ELIGIBLE LIST

A communication was received from the Board of Superintendents under date of Nov. 23, 1954, transmitting a list of successful candidates of August 1954 for Certificate XXXVIII. Physically Handicapped Children.

These names do not constitute separate eligible lists, but should be inserted in School Document No. 6—1954—Candidates Eligible for Permanent Appointment As Teachers—at the place indicated by the respective ratings.

Physically Handicapped Children Certificate

Rating	Name	Certificate Expires
918	Alice Hennessey O'Leary	June 30, 1958
892	Esther Germaine Richards	Dec. 31, 1951
889	Marie Hohman Golden	Dec. 31, 1956
862	Charlotte Davis Hanbury	June 30, 1958
850	Clare Flynn Shruhan	Dec. 31, 1957
786	Mildred Kennedy White	June 30, 1958

Placed on file.

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ADVISORY COMMITTEES

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Nov. 23, 1954, submitting the following appointments and reappointments to Advisory Committees for the term ending Aug. 31, 1957:

AGRICULTURE

Joseph L. Griffin, Milk Dealer, 30 Carolina ave., Jamaica Plain 30.

L. Roy Hawes, Commissioner, Massachusetts Department of Agriculture, 41 Tremont st., Boston 8.

Joseph W. Reardon, Florist, 487 Broadway, South Boston 27.

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ART EDUCATION

Miss Elizabeth M. Gordon, Deputy Supervisor in charge of Work with Children, Boston Public Library, Copley sq., Boston 16.

Frederick P. Walkey, Director, DeCordova and Dana Museum, Sandy Pond rd., Lincoln.

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BOSTON TRADE HIGH SCHOOL

George Barry, Treasurer, Greenlaw Motor Parts Co., 1178 Tremont st., Roxbury Crossing 20.

Ernest P. Clausmeyer, Assistant Treasurer, Century Paper Co., Inc., 295 Congress st., Boston 10.

Charles W. Creaser, Sales Manager, D. S. Kennedy & Co., 432 South Main st., Cohasset.

Henry J. Fandel, Fandel Press, 59 McBride st., Jamaica Plain 30.

Andre C. Jasse, Business Agent, Electrical Workers' Union Local 103, 665 Atlantic ave., Boston 11.

William G. Kiefer, Treasurer, E. Van Noorden Co., 100 Magazine st., Roxbury 19.

Herbert T. Pierce, Foreman, Engineering Department, Westinghouse Electric Corp., Sturtevant Division, Hyde Park 36.

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FOOD TRADES SCHOOL

(Boston Trade High School Annex)

K. Camille DenDooven, Author, H. A. Johnson Co., 155 North Beacon st., Brighton 35.

Edwin C. Johnson, Chairman of Board, H. A. Johnson Co., 155 North Beacon st., Brighton 35.

Edward A. Klemm, Klemm's Bakery, 16 Market sq., Lynn.

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CONTINUATION CLASSES

Mrs. Katherine McNabb, Secretary - Treasurer - Business Agent, Waitresses Alliance Union Local 112, 101 Tremont st., Boston 8.

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COOPERATIVE INDUSTRIAL COURSE
BRIGHTON HIGH SCHOOL

Max Berenson, Service Manager, Hayes & Shea, Inc., 20 Aberdeen st., Boston 15.

Michael Pierre, Service Manager, Motor Car Co. of New England, 850 Commonwealth ave., Boston 15.

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COOPERATIVE INDUSTRIAL COURSE
CHARLESTOWN HIGH SCHOOL

Paul S. Goodwin, Supervisor of Apprentices, Electrical Construction Industry of Greater Boston, 655 Atlantic ave., Boston 11.

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COOPERATIVE INDUSTRIAL COURSE
DORCHESTER HIGH SCHOOL

Course in Cabinetmaking

Henry M. Kahler, Kahler & Paton, 134 Tudor st., South Boston 27.

Albert J. Ledwak, Plant Superintendent, Aeolian-Skinner Organ Co., Inc., 215 Sydney st., Dorchester 25.

Course in Upholstery

John F. Cuddy, Secretary, Upholsterers Local 2169, Metropolitan Transit Authority, Everett Station.

John J. Neminski, Superintendent, Shaw Furniture Co., 28 Otis st., Cambridge 41.

Robert N. Olander, Olander & Son, 92 West Brookline st., Boston 18.

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COOPERATIVE INDUSTRIAL COURSE
EAST BOSTON HIGH SCHOOL

Chester M. Lawson, Lawson Machine & Tool Co., 120 Mountain ave., Malden 48.

Francis V. Matera, Associate Commissioner, Massachusetts Department of Public Works, 100 Nashua st., Boston 14.

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COOPERATIVE INDUSTRIAL COURSE
HYDE PARK HIGH SCHOOL

Arthur T. McManmon, President, Donnelly Mfg. Co., 3050 Washington st., Roxbury 19.

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COOPERATIVE INDUSTRIAL COURSE
ROXBURY MEMORIAL HIGH SCHOOL (BOYS)

Joseph P. Donovan, Donovan & Sullivan Co., Photo Engravers, 470 Atlantic ave., Boston 10.

Philip J. McAteer, Superintendent, New England Electrotype Co., 470 Atlantic ave., Boston 10.

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COOPERATIVE INDUSTRIAL COURSE
SOUTH BOSTON HIGH SCHOOL

Course in Sheet Metal Work

James P. Harrington, Superintendent, Waverly Heating Co., 50 Washington st., Somerville 43.

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DISTRIBUTIVE EDUCATION

Daniel Bloomfield, Executive Vice President, Retail Trade Board, 80 Federal st., Boston 10.

George Hansen, President, Chandler & Co., 150 Tremont st., Boston 11.

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EVENING PRACTICAL ARTS CLASSES

Mrs. Margia H. Abbott, 31 Lakeville st., Jamaica Plain 30, Pottery Workshop, Museum School, Boston Museum of Fine Arts.

Miss Gretchen McMullen, Home Economist, 66 Marshall st., Brookline 46.

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EXTENDED USE OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS

James T. Mulroy, 71 Chester st., Allston 34.

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MILITARY SCIENCE

Gen. Timothy J. Regan, 29 Hillcroft rd., Jamaica Plain 30.

Col. Thomas F. Sullivan, Commissioner, Boston Police Department, 154 Berkeley st., Boston 16.

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SAFETY EDUCATION

James J. Hinchey, Deputy Superintendent, Boston Police Department, Traffic Division, 229 Milk st., Boston 9.

William Arthur Reilly, Commissioner, Boston Traffic Commission, 112 Southampton st., Boston 18.

Otis M. Whitney, Commissioner, Massachusetts Department of Public Safety, 1010 Commonwealth ave., Boston 15.

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SCHOOL HYGIENE

Richard Ford, M. D., Medical Examiner Suffolk County, Boston City Hospital, 784 Massachusetts ave., Boston 18.

Albert A. Hornor, M. D., Department of Tropical Health, Harvard Medical School, Boston.

Murray P. Horwood, Ph.D., Department of Civil and Sanitary Engineering, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge.

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SPECIAL CLASSES

Malcolm J. Farrell, M. D., Superintendent, Walter E. Fernald State School, Waverly (Box C, Belmont 78).

Mrs. C. Herbert Powell, Vice President-Treasurer, C. H. Powell Co., 141 Milk st., Boston 9.

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TRADE HIGH SCHOOL FOR GIRLS

Mrs. Ruth A. Beauregard, Supervisor Alteration Department, Conrad & Co., Inc., 25 Winter st., Boston 8.

Daniel Bloomfield, Executive Vice President, Retail Trade Board, 80 Federal st., Boston 10.

Miss Frances Cullen, Home Service Supervisor, Boston Edison Co., 39 Boylston st., Boston 12.

Arthur Snyder, Supervisor Alteration Department, Morton's Women's Apparel, 89 Causeway st., Boston 14.

Placed on file.

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REPORT ON AUDIT OF BOOKS AND ACCOUNTS

A communication was received from O'Brien, Fitzgerald and Cullen, under date of Nov. 15, 1954, submitting their interim report of the School Committee of the City of Boston as of Sept. 30, 1954.

Placed on file.

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The Committee adjourned.

Attest:
AGNES E. REYNOLDS
Secretary.

Nov. 29, 1954.

A special meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, at 9:46 o'clock P. M., the Chairman presiding.

Present: Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, and Mr. Lee.

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TRANSFER OF LAND FOR SCHOOL PURPOSES

The following communication was presented:

City of Boston
In City Council

WHEREAS the City of Boston by a decree of the Land Court, Suffolk Registry District, dated December 2, 1941, foreclosed a right of redemption under a tax deed recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 5365, page 73, on about four thousand eight hundred (4,800) square feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wolcott Road, adjoining another estate now or formerly of said Foss, being lot one hundred and thirty-four (134), G. L. Richardson plan, dated November, 1897, on file in the Assessors' Office; and

WHEREAS the City of Boston by a decree of the Land Court, Suffolk Registry District, dated Dec. 2, 1941, foreclosed a right of redemption under a tax deed recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 5365, page 74, on about four thousand eight hundred (4,800) square feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wolcott Road, adjoining another estate now or formerly of said Foss, being lot one hundred and thirty-five (135), G. L. Richardson plan, dated November 1897, on file in the Assessors' Office; and

WHEREAS the City of Boston by a decree of the Land Court, Suffolk Registry District, dated Dec. 2, 1941, foreclosed a right of redemption under a tax deed recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 5365, page 75, on about four thousand eight hundred (4,800) square feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wolcott Road, adjoining another estate now or formerly of said Foss, being lot one hundred and thirty-six (136), G. L. Richardson plan, dated November 1897, on file in the Assessors' Office; and

WHEREAS the City of Boston by a decree of the Land Court, Suffolk Registry District, dated August 2, 1938, foreclosed a right of redemption under a tax deed recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 5216, page 19 on about four thousand eight hundred (4,800) square feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wolcott Road, adjoining another estate now or formerly of Josephine Cunniff and another, Trustees, being lot one hundred and thirty-seven (137), G. L. Richardson plan, dated November, 1897, on file in the Assessors' Office; and

WHEREAS the City of Boston by a decree of the Land Court, Suffolk Registry District, dated August 2, 1938, foreclosed a right of redemption under a tax deed recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 5216, page 20, on about four thousand eight hundred (4,800) square feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wolcott Road, adjoining another estate now or formerly of said Josephine Cunniff and another, Trustees, being lot one hundred and thirty-eight (138), G. L. Richardson plan, dated November 1897, on file in the Assessors' Office; and

WHEREAS the City of Boston by a decree of the Land Court, Suffolk Registry District, dated August 2, 1938, foreclosed a right of redemption under a tax deed recorded with Suffolk Deeds,

Book 5216, page 21, on about four thousand eight hundred (4,800) square feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wolcott Road, adjoining another estate now or formerly of said Josephine Cunniff and another, Trustees, being lot one hundred and thirty-nine (139), G. L. Richardson plan, dated November, 1897, on file in the Assessor's Office; and

WHEREAS the City of Boston by a decree of the Land Court, Suffolk Registry District, dated August 2, 1938, foreclosed a right of redemption under a tax deed recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 5216, page 22, on about four thousand eight hundred (4,800) square feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wolcott Road, adjoining another estate now or formerly of said Josephine Cunniff and another, Trustees, being lot one hundred and forty (140), G. L. Richardson plan, dated November 1897, on file in the Assessors' Office; and

WHEREAS the City of Boston by a decree of the Land Court, Suffolk Registry District, dated August 2, 1938, foreclosed a right of redemption under a tax deed recorded with Suffolk Deeds Book 5216, page 23, on about four thousand eight hundred (4,800) square feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wolcott Road, adjoining another estate now or formerly of said Josephine Cunniff and another, Trustees, being lot one hundred and forty one (141), G. L. Richardson plan, dated November, 1897, on file in the Assessors' Office; and

WHEREAS the City of Boston by a decree of the Land Court, Suffolk Registry District, dated August 2, 1938, foreclosed a right of redemption under a tax deed recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 5216, page 24, on about four thousand eight hundred (4,800) square feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wolcott Road, adjoining another estate now or formerly of said Josephine Cunniff and another, Trustees, being lot one hundred and forty-two (142), G. L. Richardson plan, dated November 1897, on file in the Assessors' Office; and

WHEREAS the City of Boston by a decree of the Land Court, Suffolk Registry District, dated August 2, 1938, foreclosed a right of redemption under tax deed recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 5216, page 25, on about four thousand eight hundred (4,800) square feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wolcott Road, adjoining another estate now or formerly of said Josephine Cunniff and another, Trustees, being lot one hundred and forty-three (143), G. L. Richardson plan, dated November, 1897, on file in the Assessors' Office; and

WHEREAS the City of Boston by a decree of the Land Court, Suffolk Registry District, dated September 7, 1938, foreclosed a right of redemption under a tax deed recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 5215, page 608, on about four thousand eight hundred (4,800) square feet of land on the southwesterly side of Wolcott Road, making the southerly corner of Washington Street, adjoining another estate now or formerly of said Josephine Cunniff and another, Trustees, being lot one hundred and forty-four (144), G. L. Richardson plan, dated November, 1897, on file in the Assessors' Office; and

WHERAS the School Buildings Department has requested that the aforesaid parcels of foreclosed tax title properties be transfered to that Department for school purposes; now, therefore, it is hereby

ORDERED: That the aforesaid parcels of foreclosed tax title properties, be, and the same, hereby, are transferred from the Care, Custody, Control and Management of the Chairman, Board of Real Estate Commissioners, to the Care, Custody, Control and Management of the School Committee of the City of Boston, for school purposes.

In City Council November 22, 1954. Passed.

Approved by the Mayor November 23, 1954.

Attest:

(Signed) W. J. Malloy
City Clerk

Placed on file.

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RETIREMENT ON PENSION

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Nov. 29, 1954, reporting the retirement from active service of the following-named veteran who has been retired under the provisions of Chapter 32 of the General Laws, as amended:

Boston Trade High School—George G. Nelson, trade instructor, Nov. 23, 1954, $3751.80 per annum.

Placed on file.

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CAFETERIA ATTENDANT

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the rank of temporary cafeteria attendant, M. Gertrude Godvin School, is hereby established, to take effect Oct. 25, 1954.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, and Mr. Lee—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Musco, and Mr. Ward—2.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the salary of the rank of temporary cafeteria attendant, M. Gertrude Godvin School, is hereby established at the rate of one dollar ($1.00) per hour or fraction thereof, not to exceed six hours a day, to take effect Oct. 25, 1954, and to continue until otherwise ordered.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, and Mr. Lee—3

NAYS—0

ABSENT—Mr. Musco, and Mr. Ward—2

APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES TO NOV. 1, 1954

A communication was received from the Business Manager, under date of Nov. 29, 1954, submitting a statement showing the appropriations, the expenditures and the balances for general school purposes and special items for the first ten drafts of the current fiscal year, the expenditures for the first ten drafts of the fiscal year 1953, and the increases and decreases in the several items.

Placed on file.

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WITHDRAWAL OF APPOINTMENT OF CUSTODIAN

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Nov. 29, 1954, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, and at the request of the party concerned, he has withdrawn the appointment of Samuel H. Gale, junior building custodian, as approved at the meeting of Nov. 8, 1954.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the withdrawal of appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, and Mr. Lee—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Musco, and Mr. Ward—2.

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TERMINATION OF LEAVE OF ABSENCE

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Nov. 29, 1954, recommending that leave of absence for military service granted Martin P. Breen, senior building custodian, be terminated Oct. 27, 1954.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the termination of leave of absence was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, and Mr. Lee—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Musco, and Mr. Ward—2.

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TRANSFER OF CUSTODIAN

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Nov. 29, 1954, reporting the transfer of Francis J. Foley, junior building custodian, Boston Trade High School, to the Buildings Division, Real Property Department, City of Boston on May 27, 1953.

Placed on file.

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It was agreed that the following extract from the Conference

Notes of Nov. 29, 1954, would be included in the record of the meeting:

TENURE OF TEACHERS

Mr. Lee: Mr. Chairman, I have given a lot of thought to this matter of tenure of teachers and to questions that were raised at the table here the other week, and also to at least one letter which I received from one of the teachers' groups.

I am somewhat inclined to think that a simpler amendment in place of the one which the Corporation Counsel had drawn up for us and which we had before us last week should be made. A simpler amendment would be one that merely restored to Section 41 of Chapter 71 the words "except in Boston," so that the present Section 41 of Chapter 71 would still apply to other cities and towns.

It didn't seem wise to me to advocate a change of legislation which might affect other cities and towns in ways that I ,or possibly the other members, don't anticipate, merely because we want to make things work better in our own system.

Therefore, I propose that we take Section 41 of Chapter 71 as it is and merely insert the words that always used to be there, to wit, "except in Boston," and I think that is the proper form of the amendment.

As you know, my aim in this is to try to give more security to teachers. While we want every latitude to pick and choose, and freedom of opportunity and freedom of the market, we don't want to arbitrarily throw anyone out of work whose merits are very satisfactory to us, and who, in turn, would like to have our salaries: and my effort, of course—in which I hope you join—is to make the tenure of the unappointed teacher more secure, and by no means allow her to be arbitrarily discontinued or dismissed from employment every fourth year.

As it is now, under fear of having to make such a teacher a teacher for life, when she has taught three consecutive years, we tell her to stay away from school-teaching with us for her fourth year: and that gets around the obligation the legislature imposed of giving her a life appointment the day we give her a fourth year.

So we, by excepting Boston and restoring the words "except in Boston" to the present Act, can then give a much more secure tenure to teachers who have taught with us at least three consecutive years and they could then teach with us a fourth year.

But, Mr. Chairman and Miss Fitzgerald, I would like to make it very clear to you and reassure myself, too, that excepting Boston from the Act would in no way retard the permanent appointment of a teacher and would in no way weaken the status of a permanently appointed teacher —that is, weaken the tenure or security in her position of a permanently appointed teacher. I want to be sure that, while we help to a more secure tenure the teacher who is not permanently appointed, we don't in any way weaken, injure, or retard a teacher who is on her way to a permanent appointment or who has achieved a permanent appointment.

I wonder if you could tell me, Mr. Superintendent, whether we made any change in the promptness or in the eagerness with which we hire teachers for permanent positions, after the 1947 amendment came in — in other words, when this Section 41 first began to apply to Boston? Did that make us change our pace in any way by a week, an hour, or a minute in appointing teachers sooner or appointing teachers whom otherwise we would have not appointed?

Superintendent: Mr. Chairman and Mr. Lee, I would say No. We have a prescribed regulation for appointments. It is on a number basis—35 pupils for a teaching appointment—in the elementary grades and on a pupil-hour basis in the high schools, and, as far as appointments are concerned, I would say that it didn't speed them up or it didn't slow them down.

The criterion now or the standards for appointment, Mr. Chairman and Mr. Lee, are simply based on numbers required in the school and that is provided for in the budget; and, of course, if a teacher retires during a year, there is a vacancy, and that teacher's salary is provided for in the budget, and the person who is eligible, No. 1 on the list, corresponding to the position that teacher left, is appointed. and usually at the next meeting.

So, in answer to your question, I would say: It hasn't had any influence on the speeding up of permanent appointments, nor has it had any influence in retarding them.

Mr. Lee: So, Mr. Superintendent, you might say, by the same token, that, if the law were changed to no longer apply to us, again it would not modify the speed or promptness with which we make appointments?

Superintendent: I can't see, Mr. Chairman and Mr. Lee, where it would influence a permanent appointment one way or another.

Mr. Lee: And then, Mr. Superintendent, on that part of what I think is sometimes called the "tenure law" or the body of law that safeguards the rights of teachers—on that part which provides that teachers shall not be arbitrarily discontinued from service and provides that, if we think a teacher is not worthy to teach, we specify wherein she fails and we give her a hearing to present counter-evidence, and we must be on very solid grounds before no longer retaining her—all those safeguards given the teacher in our statutes are not affected one way or the other by this law. This law simply has to do with when a teacher enters upon the status of permanency and it has nothing to do with the security of that status. That is still safeguarded, the same as it always was.

Superintendent: That is true.

Mr. Lee: Mr. Chairman, I hold in my hand a working sheet from Mr. Bond, in charge of apportioning teachers to our schools, and, as you can see, down in the left-hand margin there are some 50 school districts, and in the next column are vacancies — that means teacher vacancies — and those vacancies are arrived at by taking the number of children in that particular school district at the September 30th census and dividing that total number of pupils by the number 35—because we plan for 35 children to a teacher, and then the quotient when you divide 35 into the number of pupils gives you the number of teachers we think we ought to have.

Superintendent: In a district.

Mr. Lee: In a district. And that is how we arrive at and determine the number of permanently appointed teachers we think we ought to have in a district, and, when we arrive at that number, we then count the permanently appointed teachers who are in that district.

We may find there is an excess or we may find there is a deficiency.

Superintendent: That's right.

Mr. Lee: And so the third column lists the excesses. I should have said the column I was just talking about shows the vacancies, the shortages, of permanently appointed teachers measured by the number of positions for permanent teachers which the pupil ratio shows. Then we come to the column that shows excesses.

Notice that when they get through doing that with all the schools, they add up all the excess teachers which are found to be scattered through different buildings — perhaps because the pupil numbers have fallen off or for some reason like that. They add up, on the other hand, all the school districts in which there are not as many permanently appointed teachers as the pupil ratio would call for, and then they find there is a need for so many appointments to fill the vacancies. That is, they subtract the excess teachers from the vacancies to find the net number of vacancies, and that is the number that is appointed.

Superintendent: On a City-wide basis.

Mr. Lee: On a City-wide basis. So that goes on whether this law, which I think should be amended, exists or not. The law perhaps is like a topcoat. It may have been a beneficial law to someone who had no coat at all—some school system in other parts of the Commonwealth that had no merit list or rated lists or selection policy—but for us who are muffled up to our ears in a very careful merit system, to take off

our overcoat and put on this topcoat was a chilling procedure.

And so, as you see, Mr. Chairman, I think it is very important that we clean our hands of the hardships that have been wrought in the last few years by dismissing over a hundred teachers every fourth year of their service, and try to get this legislation away from Boston by inserting the words "except in Boston." I think the particular consideration is that we have about 45 teachers who are over 50 years of age and cannot take our permanent examinations, and cannot aspire to permanent appointment, teachers whose sole livelihood is teaching in our schools on a per diem basis.

To say to those people: "You can't teach every fourth year"—even though we admit they are good teachers and we want them and they want to teach—I think that works a hardship that we certainly don't want to be guilty of in this Committee.

So I would move, Mr. Chairman, that we submit an amendment to the incoming Legislature which shall consist of inserting the words "except in Boston" after the words "every school Committee" in Section 41 of Chapter 71.

Chairman: The question comes on whether or not the Committee shall file a bill or an amendment to the present statute, consisting of the words "except in Boston", in the present statute governing the tenure of teachers.

The Chair is sorry that this proposal has to be acted on at this time because of the absence of two members who were unable to be here. Because of the final date for filing, it has to be acted on tonight.

I have given considerable thought to the original bill and now this amendment, and, in my opinion, although it sounds like a simple amendment and it might clear up an unfortunate situation pertaining to some of our temporary teachers, I can see where it might create a worse situation later on, and it would be contrary to the present working of our examined lists as established here and carried out by the Boston School System.

As far as the Chair is concerned, if the member wishes to file the bill before the final date for filing as an individual, he should do so, and if between the time of final date of filing and the public hearing I change my mind because of further information pertaining to this that I do not have at this time, I would be glad to support the bill.

However, as of tonight, I would be inclined to vote against it.

Mr. Lee: Mr. Chairman, you spoke of possibilities of a worsening situation if this amendment were filed and passed, and I know it would benefit me and other members of the Committee if you could point out how the situation might worsen.

Chairman: Well, I can see very easily now, where we have a small number of temporary teachers, who have been successful in having this amendment come before this Committee, that, as it stands now, those teachers are required to take the fourth year off after teaching three. They have to take the fourth year off.

Now, if we except Boston from the statute as it is now and we continue to hire these temporary teachers year after year—say 8 or 9 or 10 years in succession—and we find no vacancies for their permanent appointment, I can see very easily how a pressure group could be created who could claim that they had given years of service to the Boston School System and now, although there is no need for their services any longer, we are going to throw them out into the cold.

Miss Fitzgerald: Mr. Chairman, I think it is important to add that the group that you are referring to who teach three years and then—it isn't correct to say that, really. Sometimes, Mr. Bond, isn't it true that they might not teach an entire school year, the 180-day session?

Mr. Bond: There is no guarantee.

Miss Fitzgerald: Anywhere from 90 to 180 days. They may be working only after we had exhausted the lists of teachers who had more qualifications or who came off permanent certificate lists or who had higher marks among the temporary teachers.

Mr. Bond: I think Mr. Carr received a letter today from a teacher who complained that she had only 16 days.

Chairman: That's right.

Mr. Bond: Since the first of the year.

Mr. Lee: If there is more danger of a teacher's being deprived of work by being allowed to work, then, human reason has come to a queer turn. I can't see how allowing a teacher to teach a fourth year is going to deprive her of work, and I can't see how forbidding a teacher to teach a fourth year is going to do anything but deprive her of work.

If it is true that teachers aspire to become permanent and if it is true that people don't like to be dismissed from their livelihood, I am sure this stipulation that we must dismiss them every fourth year gives them every incentive to agitate and bring pressure to gain them a permanent appointment safe and above the threat of this fourth-year unemployment.

Certainly it is simply increasing the pressure and giving them incentive to circumvent our regulations if they have to suffer banishment every fourth year.

Miss Fitzgerald: Mr. Chairman, isn't it true that we don't banish anybody who could qualify under our present rules and regulations for permanent appointment?

Chairman: That's right.

Miss Fitzgerald: In other words, any person who has a glimmer of hope by reason of degrees held, by reason of position on certificate lists, by reason of age, and all the other requirements that we have for teachers—anyone who meets those requirements can hope for permanent appointment. Those who cannot ever be eligible for permanent appointment because they do not meet one or all of those requirements never do have any hope of permanent appointment, and this is the group about whom Mr. Lee is speaking, who are continually in this three-year period and then with a fourth year in which they are not teaching in our system.

Chairman: I think that is true, in most parts.

Mr. Lee: So, if the teacher has no glimmer of hope of being a permanent because she is over 50 and has given too many years to the school system and yet might go on teaching year by year without permanent appointment for 20 years before compulsory retirement, then we are going to treat that woman, who has no glimmer of hope for permanent appointment, to the courtesy of kicking her out the door.

I don't see why we select those who are already deprived of hope for higher emolument — I don't see why we add injuury to insult by actually closing the doors in their faces every fourth year.

Furthermore, I think it is a very dangerous precedent. This is a first step to enforce a compulsory sabbatical year on all teachers, permanent as well as non-permanent, because, if you can take one set of teachers who for some reason you don't think are top-notch, who don't meet certain requirements you have set up, but who are perfectly good enough to teach your children for three years, and you can take them and say, "No, you shall get out of employment every fourth year," then it won't be long before you do just the same thing with those teachers who have passed the highest examinations and been appointed to the schools.

This is an entering wedge to raise complete havoc with the whole school system, just as it raises havoc with a good segment of it already, and I urge you, gentlemen and ladies, to act with the utmost wisdom and sense, and to give a more secure tenure to these older women, and to pass an amendment which will injure nobody whatsoever and will benefit our children, ourselves, and a large group of teachers.

Chairman: The Chair might say that it is amazing to hear the other member of this Committee term this as the opening wedge. This statute has been on the books governing the tenure of substitute teachers since 1947, and it appears to me as though it has worked out very satisfactorily.

As far as throwing these people out into the cold and taking away their livelihood, I doubt very

much if any of them looks upon it as anything permanent — at least, they shouldn't. They know when they take the job that it is a three-year appointment, or they are appointed for three consecutive years, and then the fourth year they will be forced to take leave, or they would not be rehired the fourth year under this statute of 1947.

No I don't think it is anything new. It is not an opening wedge, and I don't think it is taking away any person's livelihood—or, at least, not a livelihood that he or she should look upon as a permanent source of revenue.

Miss Fitzgerald: Mr. Chairman, when we say three consecutive years, it could mean anything from 90 to 180 days as constituting one school year.

It doesn't even need to be a full school year. It is 90 days or more in any given year which is considered one school year, so, therefore, it isn't even three consecutive years.

Chairman: Well, the question comes—

Mr. Lee: Mr. Chairman, if it is such a benefit to these teachers who do not have every protection to start with and who, being part-way down, seem particularly eligible for being kicked completely out every fourth year —if it is in some peculiar way a benefit to them to be deprived of service with us in those years, and in some peculiar way a benefit to us to be deprived of their services, why don't we give a sabbatical year to everyone every fourth year and let all have the benefit of a sabbatical year?

Chairman: Most sabbatical years are with salary. This wouldn't be a sabbatical.

Mr. Lee: I believe sabbatical refers to seven, but this is a very modern and speedy age, and it has apparently come down to four. Why don't you throw the Superintendent out every fourth year?

Chairman: I don't think he would object if you wanted to pay him.

Mr. Lee: If you want to pay these teachers every fourth year, you might just as well let them work for us.

Chairman: The question comes on whether or not the Boston School Committee shall file this proposed amendment with the General Court—the proposal to amend the statute as it now stands.

Will you call the roll?

(Rollcall:)

Miss Fitzgerald: No.

Mr. Lee: Yes.

Chairman: No.

Mr. Lee: Mr. Chairman, might I ask, then, the Committee, if they, in turn, will direct the Superintendent to study the question of calling back teachers who have been laid off during this present year on account of this law, or teachers who may be laid off next year because of its operation, if it continues to be a law, to study their whole situation and to see if we haven't been remiss in our interpetation of the law:— to see if we shouldn't invite them to come back in service, as we have need of temporary teachers during the current year, and to study other school systems, which, I believe, do as Cambridge does and invite the teachers, not at the opening of the year, not the opening of their fourth year, but invite them to come back and serve and offer them a salary one month later, or as daily needs arise.

Furthermore, it was never a question with us of giving these people a fourth year's appointment, which the law says has to be turned into a life appointment. It was a question with us of giving them day by day appointment with a day by day salary, and I think a study should be made of whether we couldn't and shouldn't ask these persons back for a day at a time like all other temporary teachers.

I would ask the School Committee to request the Superintendent to investigate the procedures of other cities in handling this matter and to recommend to us some desirable procedure for us to follow.

Chairman: I have no objections to that. Will you do that, Mr. Superintendent?

Superintendent: Mr. Chairman, I have made some notes, and I will also study these notes here and be very glad to do that.

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The Committee adjourned.

Attest:

AGNES E. REYNOLDS,
Secretary.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, for a trial period of sixty (60) days, the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective January 18, 1955:

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out the following:

Bird Street, Dorchester.
North side, from Columbia road to Hancock street, 24 hours.

Foundry Street, South Boston.
West side, from a point two hundred and fifty (250) feet north of the Broadway Underpass to a point one hundred (100) feet south of Macallen street, 24 hours.

Warren Street, Roxbury.
East side, from Zeigler street to a point one hundred (100) feet north of Zeigler street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," the following:

Chauncy Street.
Southeast side, from Summer street to Bedford street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," the following:

Everett Street.
West side, from the north property line of No. 52 Everett street to North Beacon street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Bird Street.
North side, from Virginia street to Hancock street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Hyde Park," the following:

Business Street.
Both sides, from a point three hundred and seventy (370) feet northeast of Reservation road to a point four hundred and eighty-five (485) feet northeast of Reservation road, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," each of the following:

Magazine Street.
Northwest side, from Kemble street to Norfolk avenue, 24 hours.

Norfolk Avenue.
Northeast side, from the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Bridge to Hampden street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "South Boston," each of the following:

Ellery Street.
Northeast and east side, from Boston street to Southampton street, 24 hours.

Foundry Street.
West side, from a point two hundred and fifty (250) feet north of the Broadway Underpass to West Fourth street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by striking out the following:

Chauncy Street.
Southeast side, from Summer street to Bedford street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 6, Part 3 (Restrictions in Cent and Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by striking out the following:

Warren Street, Roxbury.
East side, from Palmer street to a point one hundred (100) feet north of Zeigler street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Zeigler street to Dudley street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 6, Part 3 (Restrictions in Cent and Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Warren Street.
East side, from Palmer street to Dudley street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article VII, Section 2 (Heavy Commercial Vehicles Excluded), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Valley Road.
From Dorchester avenue to Washington street.

WOOING FRINGE LOT PARKING PATRONS NOT EASY.

Enticing motoring commuters into fringe parking lots can be a difficult courtship. Recent experience in Washington, Baltimore, Cleveland, and St. Louis indicates that success cannot be achieved unless there is provided an attractive parking-transit fee, frequent bus service between the lot and central business district, and easy approaches to the lot. St. Louis offers a 5 to 7½ minute bus service, no parking fee, and a special 35-cent round-trip fare. Patronage of the 600-car lot is increasing, but a profitable operation has not yet been achieved. However, a survey of 500 of the lot's patrons showed 72 per cent rate the service as "excellent." Three out of four said they arrived closer to their downtown destinations than when they drove in. Private lots in downtown Cleveland are now getting short-term parkers—which produces more revenue for the operator than all-day parkers. In Baltimore the consensus is that fringe parking now "does not work".

Another necessity for cities planning fringe parking lots is the provision of convenient shelters to protect patrons from inclement weather. — *American Municipal Association Report.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

To Building Wrecking Contractors.

Invitation for Proposals for Razing of the Elbridge Smith School, Centre Street and Dorchester Avenue, Dorchester, Mass.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for razing of the Elbridge Smith School, Centre street and Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Thursday, January 27, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals shall be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed and inclosed in a sealed envelope, plainly marked with the name of the bidder and the description of the work bid upon. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a certificate of deposit issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $500, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked. Bid bonds will not be accepted.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

A performance bond, issued by a surety company satisfactory to the Awarding Authority, in the full amount of the contract will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any and all bids if it be in the public interest so to do.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
(Jan. 15.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

READVERTISEMENT.

CITY OF BOSTON.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT. LONG ISLAND HOSPITAL DIVISION. BOSTON 69, MASS.

Invitation for Proposals for Construction of Addition and Alterations to Ward "P," Nichols Building, Long Island Hospital, Boston 69, Mass., and Also to Building No. 6 of the Employees' Quarters in the Fort Strong Area.

The City of Boston, by the Board of Trustees, Hospital Department, and of the Boston City Hospital, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for construction of addition and alterations to Ward "P," Nichols Building, Long Island Hospital, Boston 69, Mass., and also to Building No. 6 of the employees' quarters in the Fort Strong area.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Wednesday, January 26, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, Long Island Hospital Division, at 25 Church street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, enclosed in an envelope, sealed, and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $1,250, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

Subbidders bidding on the work of subcontractors shall use the proposal form prepared by and obtainable from the Awarding Authority.

All subbidders' proposals filed with the Awarding Authority shall be submitted in sealed envelopes, plainly marked with the title of the work; division of the work for which bid is submitted; subcontractor's name; and subcontractor's business address. All such bids shall be in the possession of the Awarding Authority and delivered or mailed to the general contractor no later than twelve o'clock noon, Friday, January 21, 1955.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount as specified in the following for the various subbid items of work as listed below, shall be submitted by each subbidder with the copy of his proposal filed with the Awarding Authority:

Roofing and Sheet Metal	$100
Tile Work	$100
Heating	$125
Electric Work	$100
Plastering	$125
Painting	$200
Plumbing	$200

The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, plainly marked "Bid Deposit."

Specifications and plans may be obtained at the office of the Awarding Authority, Long Island Hospital Division, at 25 Church street, Boston, Mass., on or after 9.30 A.M., Monday, January 17, 1955.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of one hundred (100) per cent of the contract price will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do. The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all subbids on any item or items in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT AND OF THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL,
RICHARD J. CONDON,
(Jan. 15.) *President.*

No. 11—350.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

Proposals for Furnishing Gases (Industrial and Medical) for City Departments.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Wednesday, January 26, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Gases (Industrial and Medical)." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Jan. 15.) *Purchasing Agent.*

No. 10—393.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

Proposals for Furnishing Refills for Cylinders and Bottles for the Boston Fire Department.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Tuesday, January 25, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Refills." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Jan. 15.) *Purchasing Agent.*

No. 11—350.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

Proposals for Furnishing Surgical Dressings for City Departments.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Thursday, January 27, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Surgical Dressings." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
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CITY OF BOSTON.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR PURCHASE AND REMOVAL OF BONES, TRIMMINGS, GREASE, ETC., BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL.

The Trustees of the Boston City Hospital invite sealed proposals for the purchase and removal of bones, trimmings, grease, etc., from Main Department and South Department, Boston City Hospital, for the period beginning February 1, 1955, and ending December 31, 1955.

In their proposals bidders must quote rate per pound.

The successful bidder will be required to deposit a certified check in the amount of $300 with the city to insure the faithful performance of the contract.

The successful bidder shall provide workmen's compensation insurance and public liability insurance in the amount of $5,000/$10,000.

Proposal forms, together with form of contract, to be obtained Monday through Friday, beginning January 17, 1955, between the hours of 9 A.M. and 5 P.M., at the office of the Superintendent of the Boston City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston, signed by the bidder, and left before two o'clock P.M. on Tuesday, January 25, 1955, at the office of the Superintendent, with a certified check for $50, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The bids must be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be left as above, the other to be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, before the time for opening the bids. Proposals are to be addressed "Proposal for Purchase and Removal of Bones, Trimmings, Grease, Etc., Boston City Hospital." The Trustees reserve the right to reject any and all proposals.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, AND OF THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL,
RICHARD J. CONDON,
(Jan. 15.) *President.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR PURCHASE AND REMOVAL OF BOXES, EGG CASES, WOODEN AND PAPER BARRELS, BASKETS, ETC., BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL.

The Trustees of the Boston City Hospital invite sealed proposals for the purchase and removal of boxes, egg cases, wooden and paper barrels, baskets, etc., from the Boston City Hospital during the period beginning February 1, 1955, and ending December 31, 1955.

In their proposals bidders must quote unit prices.

The successful bidder will be required to deposit a certified check in the amount of $100 with the city to insure the faithful performance of the contract.

The successful bidder shall provide workmen's compensation insurance and public liability insurance in the amount of $5,000/$10,000.

Proposal forms, together with form of contract, to be obtained Monday through Friday, beginning January 17, 1955, between the hours of 9 A.M. and 5 P.M., at the office of the Superintendent of the Boston City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston, signed by the bidder, and left before two o'clock P.M. on Tuesday, January 25, 1955, at the office of the Superintendent, with a certified check for $35, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The bids must be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be left as above, the other to be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, before the time for opening the bids. Proposals are to be addressed "Proposal for Purchase and Removal of Boxes, Egg Cases, Wooden and Paper Barrels, Baskets, Etc., Boston City Hospital." The Trustees reserve the right to reject any and all proposals.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, AND OF THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL,
RICHARD J. CONDON,
(Jan. 15.) *President.*

THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER.

PROPOSALS FOR CLEANSING, STERILIZING, AND RECONDITIONING FOOTBALL EQUIPMENT FOR BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for cleansing, sterilizing, and reconditioning football equipment for the Boston public schools. Proposal forms are obtainable at the office of the Business Manager of the School Committee, tenth floor, 15 Beacon street. Envelopes containing proposals must be sealed and plainly marked "Proposal for Cleansing, Sterilizing, and Reconditioning Football Equipment." The bid must be in duplicate. One copy, signed by the bidder, and accompanied by a certified check, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount of two hundred dollars ($200), must be left at the office of the Business Manager on or before 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday, January 26, 1955. Copies filed with the Business Manager will be publicly opened and read at 12 o'clock noon of the day stated. The other copy, also signed by the bidder, must be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., previous to the time named for the opening of bids. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids, and to accept the bid which it deems best for the interests of the city. The bidder awarded the contract must furnish a suitable bond or deposit of money or other security for the faithful performance of the contract in the amount of not less than 50 per cent thereof.

HENRY J. SMITH,
Business Manager of the School Committee.
(Jan. 15.)

No. 9—393.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING WASTE AND WIPING CLOTHS FOR CITY DEPARTMENTS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Monday, January 24, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Waste and Wiping Cloths." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Jan. 15.) *Purchasing Agent.*

396.
No. 12—399.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING GENERAL CLOTHING (KHAKI PANTS AND SHIRTS, WHITE COATS AND PANTS, MEN'S BLUE BLOUSES, GRAY POOL SUITS WITH SKIRT, FIG LEAFS).

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Friday, January 21, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Clothing." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Jan. 15.) *Purchasing Agent.*

No. 13—369.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING STATIONERY SUPPLIES FOR THE PRINTING SECTION.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Wednesday, January 26, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Stationery Supplies." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Jan. 15.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR POLICE UNIFORMS.

The Police Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for the making and delivering of police uniforms. The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at the office of the Property Clerk, 154 Berkeley street, Boston, and deposit with his bid, at the office of the Police Commissioner, a properly certified check for $1,000, payable to and to become the property of the Police Commissioner for the City of Boston, if the proposal is not carried out. Proposals will be publicly opened and read on Friday, January 28, 1955, at 12 o'clock noon, at the office of the Police Commissioner, 154 Berkeley street, Boston, Mass. The Police Commissioner reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the Police Department of the City of Boston. Surety bond will be required of the successful bidder, in an amount equivalent to 50 per cent of the estimated amount of the contract.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
(Jan. 15.) *Police Commissioner.*

No. 8—350.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING X-RAY SOLUTIONS FOR CITY DEPARTMENTS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Monday, January 24, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for X-Ray Solutions." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Jan. 15.) *Purchasing Agent.*

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

ASSESSORS' NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

CITY HALL ANNEX,
BOSTON, January 1, 1955.

RETURNS MUST BE MADE ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 31, 1955.

Particular attention is called to the Assessors' notice posted upon City Hall and various other places throughout the city relative to making returns on personal property subject to taxation.

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Assessor of Taxes,
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Associate Assessor of Taxes.
(Jan. 8-15-22-29.)

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CITY OF BOSTON
ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT
PRINTING SECTION

CITY RECORD

OFFICIAL CHRONICLE OF BOSTON MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS.

VOL. 47 SATURDAY, JANUARY 22, 1955. NO. 4

MAYOR ALLOWS $10,000 ADDITIONAL ON CONTRACT OF JAMES A. FREANEY, INC., FOR COMPLETION OF WATER DIVISION STRUCTURAL WORK IN WEST ROXBURY DISTRICT—TO BE COMPLETED BY MARCH 31—REQUESTED BY PUBLIC WORKS COMMISSIONER HYLAND.

Mayor John B. Hynes, at the request of the Public Works Commissioner, has approved an additional $10,000 to the contract of James A. Freaney, Inc., for repairs, installation, and regulation of Water Division structures and other incidental work in the West Roxbury (Water Division) district. The letter relating to the matter reads as follows:

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, January 10, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

On April 6, 1954, following public advertising in the *City Record*, your Honor approved a contract with James A. Freaney, Inc., 1 West street, Hyde Park,

(*Continued on page 108.*)

AURIGA STREET, DORCHESTER, TO BE EXTENDED BY LAYING OUT AND CONSTRUCTION AS A PUBLIC HIGHWAY, FROM GARNER ROAD APPROXIMATELY 235 FEET NORTHERLY—PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT COMMISSION HAS ISSUED ORDER—WORK SOON UNDER WAY.

Mayor Hynes has approved the order of the Public Improvement Commission for the laying out and construction of an extension of Auriga street, Dorchester, as a public highway, from Garner road approximately 235 feet northerly. The order reads as follows:

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of an extension of Auriga street, Dorchester district, as a public highway, from Garner road approximately 235 feet northerly, bounded and described as follows:

An extension of the highway named Auriga street is hereby laid out, from Garner road approximately 235 feet northerly, and ordered constructed.

(*Continued on page 107.*)

$15,336.67 MORE SPENT FOR VETERANS' BENEFITS IN OCTOBER, 1954, THAN IN SAME MONTH IN PREVIOUS YEAR—REPORT OF COMMISSIONER BYNOE TO MAYOR JOHN B. HYNES SHOWS 2,873 INDIVIDUALS AIDED, WITH 56 CASES CLOSED FOR MISCELLANEOUS REASONS.

Expenditures for veterans' benefits showed a decided increase toward the end of the year 1954, according to the report for the month of October, as made to Mayor Hynes. This increase amounted to $15,336.67 over the corresponding period for 1953. There were 2,873 individuals aided through the financial facilities of the services. There were 58 cases closed either through obtaining employment, unemployment compensation, or social security, and for other miscellaneous reasons. The report for the month as prepared and submitted reads as follows:

BOSTON, December 31, 1954.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

SIR:

I have the honor to submit the report of the Veterans' Services Department for the month of October, 1954.

Very truly yours,

VICTOR C. BYNOE, *Commissioner.*

Expenditures for October, 1954.

	Civil War	Spanish War	Mexican War	World War I	World War II	Korean War	Totals
Regular Rolls	$183 00	$1,969 48	$366 00	$24,267 98	$52,690 15	$2,862 00	$82,338 61
Emergency	19 00	25 00	—	811 00	6,015 00	859 00	7,729 00
Bills	—	425 10	—	2,208 88	6,827 03	272 00	9,733 01
Burials	—	—	—	445 56	—	—	445 56
Hospital	—	—	—	4,743 00	9,001 00	2,542 00	16,286 00
Supplementary	—	—	—	1,529 00	4,942 32	389 00	6,860 32
Totals	$202 00	$2,419 58	$366 00	$34,005 42	$79,475 50	$6,924 00	$123,392 50

Relief Expenditures Comparison.

	Oct. 1954	Sept. 1954	Oct. 1953
Civil War	$183 00	$158 80	$197 20
Spanish	1,969 48	1,683 45	2,485 16
Mexican	366 00	347 00	486 00
World War I	24,267 98	22,149 28	22,844 14
World War II	52,690 15	49,453 00	42,255 65
Korean	2,862 00	2,874 00	1,597 50
Emergency	7,729 00	10,136 50	4,366 50
Burials	455 56	1,382 50	—
Bills	9,733 01	13,107 09	6,968 96
Hospital	16,286 00	37,547 50	20,893 00
Supplementary	6,860 32	5,465 64	5,961 52
	$123,392 50	$144,304 76	$108,055 63

(*Continued on page 107.*)

"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the shipteeming plain of the ocean;
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, January 24, at 2 P.M.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries, or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the Complaints Division, Room 25, City Hall.

Information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways, the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments of streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped area for streets and the opening of private ways; the making of specific repairs in public streets; the naming of public streets, including the use of public ways for location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railways, coal holes, and vaults, may be secured from the Public Improvement Commission, Room 403, City Hall Annex.

TO THE BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION, 112 Southampton street, for information relative to regulation of vehicular street traffic on all or any streets, ways, highways, roads, and parkways under the control of the City of Boston, the issuing of all permits in connection therewith.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting, and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catchbasins, the operation of Sumner Tunnel, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges, and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Haymarket Square, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish, and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughterhouses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases, of public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth Avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park, and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts, also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview, and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

TO THE DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS, 28 Norman street, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

TO THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 907, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal, or tearing down buildings.

TO THE ELECTRICAL INSPECTION DIVISION OF THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT, 1001 City Hall Annex, for all information relative to the erection of poles, building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division; also for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings of the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

TO THE BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT, 43 City Hall, relative to changes in the boundary lines of zoning districts of the City of Boston as established by chapter 488 of the Acts of 1924, and amendments thereto.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending January 15, 1955.

Population as of July, 1950, Massachusetts State Census, 817,713; population estimated July, 1954, United States Census Bureau, 810,633; number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 211; nonresidents, 67; total, 278.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 17.76; nonresidents deducted, 13.51.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:

Last week, 18.01; corresponding week last year, 16.27.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 17; one year to four years, inclusive, 2; sixty years and over, 185. Total deaths: Male, 162; female, 116; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 188.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Jan. 15, 1955.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Jan. 16, 1954.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior Poliomyelitis	—	—	—	—
Diphtheria	—	—	—	—
Encephalitis Lethargica	—	—	—	—
Influenza	—	—	—	—
Measles	123	—	1	—
Meningitis Epidemic	3	1	1	—
Pneumonia (lobar)	—	1	—	1
Scarlet Fever	20	—	30	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary)	12	6	25	2
Childhood Type Tuberculosis	—	—	—	—
Tuberculosis (other forms)	2	—	3	1
Typhoid Fever	—	—	—	—
Whooping Cough	13	—	11	—

* Residents and nonresidents included.

MONTHLY REPORT OF VETERANS' SERVICES SHOWS INCREASE OVER SAME PERIOD IN 1953.

(*Continued from page 105.*)

Total Cases Aided.

	Oct. 1954	Sept. 1954	Oct. 1953
Civil War	5	4	5
Spanish	60	59	65
Mexican	5	5	6
World War I	553	562	514
World War II	843	882	713
Korean	58	60	34
	1,524	1,572	1,337

Expenditures for veterans' benefits for month of October, 1954, show an increase of $15,336.87 in comparison with expenditures for the corresponding period of 1953.

The 1,524 cases aided during the month of October, 1954, represent a total of 2,873 individuals benefited through the financial facilities of the Veterans' Services Department.

There were 58 cases closed during the month of October, 1954, because of obtaining employment, having been awarded unemployment compensation, receiving social security, and becoming ineligible to receive financial assistance for miscellaneous other reasons.

Classification of Cases Aided During October, 1954.

	Civil War	Spanish War	Mexican War	World War I	World War II	Korean War
Unemployable veterans	0	2	1	241	225	18
Employable veterans	0	0	0	41	173	18
Wives	0	0	0	1	9	1
Widows	3	58	4	244	43	0
Children	2	0	0	3	20	0
Mothers	0	0	0	21	324	17
Fathers	0	0	0	2	46	4
	5	60	5	553	843	58

ORIGINAL APPLICATIONS.

Brought forward	150
Made during October	106
Granted	56
Rejected	17
Referred to other cities and towns	7
Investigations not completed	176

REAPPLICATIONS.

Brought forward	120
Made during October	137
Granted	117
Rejected	12
Referred to other cities and towns	1
Investigations not completed	127

During the month of October, 1954, the department collected $112.00, which represents refunds by former beneficiaries who were found to have drawn aid under circumstances which warranted its return to the City of Boston.

Very truly yours,

VICTOR C. BYNOE, *Commissioner.*

AURIGA STREET, DORCHESTER, TO BE EXTENDED AND LAID OUT AS A PUBLIC HIGHWAY.

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Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed thereto, in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

Southerly by Auriga street as hereby laid out, 36.05 feet; westerly by the westerly line of Auriga street as hereby laid out, 234.21 feet; northerly by the northerly line of Auriga street as hereby laid out, 36.03 feet; and easterly by the easterly line of Auriga street as hereby laid out, 234.64 feet.

Trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforedescribed land shall be removed therefrom within thirty (30) days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the abutting parcels of land situated on both sides of said Auriga street will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement herein ordered; each of said parcels in the amount hereinafter respectively set against it; said parcels and the supposed owners thereof being shown on the plan hereinbefore referred to and on file in the office of this department.

Parcel.		Amount.
1.	William W. and Antoinette M. Stafford	$275 52
2.	Edward C. and Ruth M. Allen	275 52
3.	Garrett F. and Esther A. Farrell,	327 88
4.	Joseph E. Tracey	334 11
5.	Josephine M. Hoffman (individually and as trustee for Antoinette J. Hoffman and Charles F. Hoffman)	312 55
6.	Patrick and Annie J. Hurley	289 80
7.	Duane V. and Ethel C. Anderson,	302 68
8.	Elizabeth H. Kepper	299 39
9.	Louis F. and Mary B. Kunz	296 10
10.	John J. and Nora A. Killion	293 16
	Total	$3,006 71

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the laying out and construction of an extension of Auriga street, Dorchester district, as a public highway, from Garner road approximately 235 feet northerly, under the order of this commission of October 20, 1954, and awards no damages therefor.

REVISION OF GRADE OF CRICKET LANE, WEST ROXBURY.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the revision of grade of Cricket Lane, West Roxbury district.

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the revision of grade of Cricket Lane, West Roxbury district, under the order of this commission of October 20, 1954, and awards no damages therefor.

MAYOR ALLOWS $10,000 ADDITIONAL TO JAMES A. FREANEY, INC.

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Mass., the low bidder, in the estimated sum of $18,925, providing for earth excavation and refilling to assist the Water Division employees to install, regulate or repair Water Division structures and other incidental work in West Roxbury (Water Division) district.

Up to the present time, the work performed under the contract has resulted in an expenditure of the major portion of the original contract sum plus twenty-five per cent (25%) of that figure, as is allowable under the standard provisions of our contract. The contract completion date is March 31, 1955, and it is quite apparent that the remaining money as yet not expended under the contract is insufficient to pay for the total volume of the contract items of work that will inevitably need to be done in the West Roxbury Water District so called, and, thus, it is necessary to amend the contract in a sum adequate to pay for all of this work which it is anticipated will be done in the district between the present date and the contract completion date. It is expected that the quantity of the contract items of work which the city may need to have done between now and March 31, 1955, will cost approximately $10,000 over and above the expenditures authorized under the contract to date.

This contractor performs his work satisfactorily and efficiently, and in view of this and of the foregoing circumstances, it is felt that nothing is to be gained by public advertising at this time for the added work, and, therefore, your Honor's authorization is respectfully requested to dispense with public advertising and to amend the aforementioned contract with James A. Freaney, Inc., in a sum not to exceed $10,000, to cover the cost of the additional amounts of contract items of work that will probably be required between now and March 31, 1955.

Respectfully yours,

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 1988.

The resignation of Patrolman John W. Delaney of Division 16 having been presented, it is hereby accepted, to take effect Monday, January 17, 1955, at 7.45 o'clock A.M., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 1991.

The resignation of Patrolman Donald A. MacMillan, Bureau of Operations, having been presented, it is hereby accepted, to take effect Wednesday, January 19, 1955, at 5.15 o'clock P.M., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 3.

I. ASSIGNMENTS AS ENGINEERS, HIGH PRESSURE.

The following assignments, which became effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, January 5, 1955, are hereby announced:

Hoseman Edward C. Donovan, High Pressure Service, to engineer, High Pressure.

Hoseman William A. Hughes, High Pressure Service, to engineer, High Pressure.

II. RETIREMENTS.

The following retirement, in accordance with section 57, chapter 32, of the General Laws, as amended, which became effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, January 12, 1955, is hereby announced:

Hoseman William A. Moore, Lighting Plant Company 1.

The following retirement, in accordance with section 58, chapter 32, of the General Laws, as amended, is hereby announced to become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, January 19, 1955:

Engineer John J. Butler, High Pressure Service.

Hoseman Moore was appointed to the department March 16, 1928, and Engineer Butler was appointed February 1, 1924. Both these men leave the department with the best wishes of their associates.

III. A. D. T. ASSIGNMENTS.

Company commanders shall add the following signal numbers to running cards of the American District Telegraph Company in this department:

Signal 524, James A. Glass Company, Inc., 20-30 Lawrence street, Charlestown. (Sprinkler system.) Apparatus to respond: Engine 50, Ladder 9, District Chief 2. Nearest box is 4139.

Signal 534, Edward T. Ryan Iron Works, Inc., 20-24 Braintree street, Brighton. (Sprinkler system.) Apparatus to respond: Engine 41, Ladder 14, District Chief 11. Nearest box is 5253.

Signal 541, Saxony Clothes, Inc., 365 Washington street, Boston. (Sprinkler system.) Apparatus to respond: Engine 25, Ladder 8, District Chief 3. Nearest box is 1273.

IV. COMMENDATIONS.

Ladderman Paul B. McNiff and Timothy J. O'Reilly of Ladder Company 20 are hereby commended for responding to and working at fire, Box 7234, two alarms, January 10, 1955, while off duty.

Hoseman Charles G. Duclos of Engine Company 28 is hereby commended for responding to and working at fire, Box 2521, January 11, 1955, while off duty.

By order of Fire Commissioner FRANCIS X. COTTER.

JOHN V. STAPLETON,
Chief of Department.

AMENDMENT TO ORIGINAL AWARD OF DAMAGES.

The Public Improvement Commission has voted that the amount of $750 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to George H. and Emma R. Clough for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of June 11, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Hallron street, Hyde Park district.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of sewerage construction, estimated to be one (1) week, vehicles are excluded from the following street, effective January 4, 1955:

Silver Street, South Boston.
From B street to E street.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of repairs to the Chelsea Street Bridge, vehicles are excluded from the following street on Sunday, January 16, 1955, from 8 A.M. to 1 P.M.:

Chelsea Street, East Boston.
From Curtis street to the Boston-Chelsea line.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of gravel hauling operations, estimated to be six (6) weeks, parking of vehicles is prohibited in the following street, effective January 12, 1955:

Gardner Street, West Roxbury.
Southwest side, from Veterans of Foreign Wars Parkway to Morrison street, 24 hours.

CLAIMS DISAPPROVED.

The following 106 claims have been disapproved by the Law Department:

Fire Department, 15 claims; Health Department, one claim; Hospital Department, one claim; Park Department, nine claims; Paving Department, three claims; Penal Department, five claims; Printing Department, one claim; Police Department, eight claims; Public Works Department, 56 claims; School Committee, two claims; Sealer of Weights and Measures Department, one claim; Traffic Department, four claims.

CONSULATES IN ARREARS ON TAXES.

New York City reports that 12 foreign countries are in arrears a total of $416,985 in real estate taxes on 27 properties, most of them bought within the last 15 years as consulates and headquarters for United Nations delegations.

Nearly all of the defaulting governments claim the right to city realty tax exemption under treaties and international doctrines, but the city has refused to waive its claims. Total assessed valuation is $5,324,000, with $720,000 exempt from tax. Finland, the Netherlands, and Israel have kept their real estate accounts paid up to date.

DIAGNOSTIC LABORATORY.

The work of the Boston Diagnostic Laboratory reflects the medical and lay interest in the causes and prevention of tuberculosis, Boston's highest bacterial cause of death and the fourth highest of all causes. With constant and continual immunization for diphtheria, typhoid fever, and whooping cough, and increased use of antibiotics in the treatment of venereal diseases, the annual total examinations for these latter diseases have not increased, while routine sputa examinations for tuberculosis have demanded a major part of the diagnostic services.

—Health Department Report.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees:

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

For the week ending January 4:

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Lee Alford, 99 Ellington street, Dorchester, 2 days; Marie Allen, 51 Cherry street, Malden, 5 days; Priscilla Beckwith, 686 Massachusetts avenue, 7 days; Lillian Blackburn, 18 Park Vale avenue, Allston, 5 days; Claire Bilapke, 230 Commonwealth avenue, Louise Blanchard, 31 Eaton street, East Milton, 3 days; Barbara Blake, 27 Blakeville street, Dorchester, 4 days; Mary Canty, 45 Magdala street, Dorchester, Ruby Childs, 270 Huntington avenue, Gertrude Clark, 13 Rosa street, Hyde Park, 2 days; Martha Costello, 17 Henshaw street, Brighton, 4 days; Carrie Coleman, 360 Thacher street, Milton, 5 days; Norma Dean, 696 Massachusetts avenue, Patricia Doucette, 352 Athens street, South Boston, Eva Durgin, 14 Hardwick road, Quincy, 7 days; Elizabeth Donlan, 21 Ferndale street, Dorchester, 1 day; Patricia Daily, Christine Finn, 230 Commonwealth avenue, 6 days; Lucille Furigo, 14 Kilsyth road, Medfield, 2 days; Jeanne Gerety, 13 Autumn street, Everett, 5 days; Helen Hagenberger, 207 Park Drive, Doris Holland, 24 Chestnut road, West Roxbury, 2 days; Mary B. Healy, 163 East Cottage street, Dorchester, 7 days; Ruth Isaakson, 58 Cheney street, Roxbury, 2 days; Joan Keane, 1086 Dorchester avenue, Charlotte Kelleher, 48 Waverly street, Roxbury, Anne Lynskey, 52 Telsa street, Medford, 1 day; Margaret Leonard, 7 Speedwell street, Dorchester, 7 days; Claire McCue, 74 Robinwood road, Dedham, 1 day; Veronica McElligott, 34 Dickinson street, Sommerville, 7 days; Rita McCallum, 162 Bowdoin street, Dorchester, 3 days; Mary R. Mahan, 29 Kempton street, 7 days; Anna Murphy, 115 Peterborough street, 6 days; Mary Murphy, 27 Hamden Circle, Wollaston, 4 days; Thelma Miles, 9 Albemarle Chambers, 7 days; Ruth Nagle, 210 Sherman road, Brookline, 2 days; Phyllis Nigri, 271 Dartmouth street, 7 days; Angelina Peyton, 16 Dane street, Jamaica Plain, 2 days; Alyce Powers, 67 Prospect avenue, Wollaston, 1 day; Mary Pursley, 38 Van Brunt street, Hyde Park, 6 days; Dora Picarsky, 31 Edison Green, Dorchester, 5 days; Ann Romsey, 146 Massachusetts avenue, 6 days; Angelina Smith, 3 Walford Drive, Canton, 2 days; Verna Snow, 75 Damon avenue, Melrose, 3 days; Margaret Sullivan, 28 Weymouth street, Holbrook, 7 days; Isabel Sutton, 121 Boston street, Dorchester, 3 days; Kathryn Welch, 49 East Springfield street, 2 days; Dolores Buckley, Eleanor Duffy, Ethel Goff, 40 Rockwell street, Dorchester, 1 day.

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For the week ending January 11:

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Marie Allen, 51 Cherry street, Malden, 4 days; Dolores Buckley, 7 days; Priscilla Beckwith, 686 Massachusetts avenue, 2 days; Lillian Blackburn, 18 Park Vale avenue, Allston, 6 days; Barbara

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING JANUARY 18.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Commonwealth of Mass.	465–471 Atlantic avenue	3	Take-down, store, storage	$3,000
Commonwealth of Mass.	493–511 Atlantic avenue	3	Take-down, store, mfg.	10,000
A. Pomolovo	683 Bennington street	1	Alterations, dwelling	800
Estate David Williams	1 Blackstone street	3	Alterations, sales, storage	875
Ann Morrison	486 Brookline avenue	10	Alterations, dwelling	250
Waverly Realty Company	83 Charles street	5	Alterations, store, dwelling	500
Mr. Sampone	56 and 58 Falcon street	1	Alterations, dwelling	400
Josephine Connolly	31 Fenwood road	10	Alterations, dwelling	980
City of Boston	327 Forest Hills street	11	Excavation	2,000
Antonio Rullo	1033 Hyde Park avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	330
R. C. Archbishop of Boston	46 Msgr. Reynolds Way	8	Alterations, school	500
Ralph Smith	59 Monument avenue	2	Alterations, dwelling	650
Homer Hinds	38 Munroe street	12	Alterations, dwelling	250
George Zahlonny	131 Nonantum street	22	Alterations, dwelling	400
Marie Doyle	27 Rosario street	16	Alterations, dwelling	340
Mr. Jaskes	40 Rutland square	4	Fire repairs, lodging house	500
Lucia Giudice	176 Salem street	3	Fire escape, dwelling	275
First Realty Company	22 Tremont street	3	Alterations, store, office	50
S. Zeffanti	752 Tremont street	9	Fire repairs, lodging house	350
S. Remmy	21 Wellington street	4	Fire repairs, dwelling	425
C. MacVarish	9 Beale street	16	Alterations, dwelling	150
Walter J. Smith	719 East Third street	6	Alterations, dwelling	500
Jason Waldman	63 Elm street	2	Fire escape, dwelling	175
The Girls Club of Boston	60 F street	6	Sign, club	85
A. Berbante	153 Lexington street	1	Alterations, dwelling	900
Church Realty Company	264 Massachusetts avenue	4	Sign, store, dwelling	900
Mr. Boston Distillery	1010 Massachusetts avenue	8	Sign, bottling, storage	1,600
James Thomas	129 Nonantum street	22	Alterations, dwelling	300
Abraham Kahalas	1 Rand place	13	Alterations, dwelling	250
Abraham Kahalas	3 Rand place	13	Alterations, dwelling	250
Abraham Kahalas	5 Rand place	13	Alterations, dwelling	250
Abraham Kahalas	7 Rand place	13	Alterations, dwelling	250
Abraham Kahalas	10 Rand street	13	Alterations, dwelling	250
Edna Mullaly	136 Rosseter street	15	Alterations, dwelling	585
Socony Vacuum Oil Co.	3992 Washington street	19	Take-down, gas station	150
C. Guptell	17 West Cottage street	8	Fire escape, dwelling	150
A. Slager	19 West Cottage street	8	Fire escape, lodging house	150
D. J. Coleman	1 Aldie street	22	Fire repairs, dwelling	400
Nathan Shapiro	24 Binford street	6	Alterations, storage, office	950
Rapid Service Press	375 Broadway	8	Alterations, printing	490
Andrew Moore	141 Cabot street	9	Fire escape, dwelling	450
H. Fiorina	94 Chelsea street	1	Alterations, dwelling	426
Grove Realty, Inc.	62 Cheney street	12	Fire escape, dwelling	500
Westinghouse Company	Rear 26 Damon street	18	Take-down, warehouse	1,000
L. Dressler	852 Dorchester avenue	7	Fire escape, store, dwelling	65
Samuel Attaya	64 Fletcher street	20	Alterations, dwelling	800
L. Santalucia	57 Harvest street	7	Fire escape, dwelling	350
Frederick Khouri	64 Johnswood road	19	Alterations, dwelling	200
Louis Weinstein	85 Lucerne street	14	Alterations, dwelling	300
Charles E. Penders	21 Magdala street	16	Alterations, dwelling	428
E. Potuzo	32 Mt. Pleasant avenue	8	Fire escape, dwelling	500
L. Dressler	44 Mt. Vernon street	7	Fire escape, store, dwelling	65
Frank Guido	341 Norfolk street	14	Alterations, dwelling	650
Philip O'Donnell	18 Pine Ridge road	17	Alterations, dwelling	475
Walter Schultz	399 Poplar street	18	Alterations, dwelling	397
Imperial Realty Company	32 Scollay square	3	Alterations, store	150
Clare Burke	33 Symmes street	20	Alterations, dwelling	300
T. Rossi	236 Webster street	1	Fire escape, dwelling	350
A. W. Perry, Inc.	89 Bedford street	3	Alterations, store, office	900
Louis Mandanici	55 Beech Glen street	11	Alterations, dwelling	990
Boylston Associates	739–755 Boylston street	5	Alterations, office	500
Blake Motors, Inc.	1290 Boylston street	5	Sign, garage, office	750
Joseph Schroth	14 Brighton street	2	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Nathan Pearlman	172 Bunker Hill street	2	Alterations, store, dwelling	200
Thomas Pietroski	9 Chipman street	17	Alterations, dwelling	75
Lodgers Market	19 Corinth street	20	Sign, stores	200
Mary McCarthy	497 East Fourth street	7	Alterations, dwelling	500
Felton Houston	8 Eldora street	10	Alterations, dwelling	490
Beacon Leather Company	125 Federal street	3	Sign, store, lofts	95
Mary Kenney	22 Fisher avenue	10	Alterations, dwelling	850
City of Boston	40 Gordon avenue	18	Take-down, school	3,870
Charles Single	48 and 50 Greaton road	20	Alterations, dwelling	950
Max Gopin	31 Lincoln street	2	Alterations, dwelling	950
Maverick Radio Company	49 and 51 Maverick square	1	Take-down, store, dwelling	1,200
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A. Costa	230 Maverick street	1	Alterations, dwelling	950
Wind & McCormick	416 Medford street	2	Alterations, warehouse	200
National Shawmut Bank	2 Meridian street	1	Sign, bank	900
Life Manufacturing Co	20 Meridian street	1	Alterations, office, manufacturing	400
John S. White	155 Milton street	16	Alterations, dwelling	650
Boston Fish Pier	242 Northern avenue	6	Alterations, restaurant	300
General Electric Company	156 Porter street	1	Sign, lamp works	750
John Randelunas	17 Portsmouth street	22	Alterations, dwelling	500
Dominico Bramante	56 Ridgemont street	21	Alterations, dwelling	425
First National Bank	80 and 82 Summer street	3	Alterations, sales, stores	800
Nash Aluminum Window Co.	551 Talbot avenue	17	Fire escape, manufacturing	175
John Mingle	286 Tremont street	3	Sign, parking lot	300
P. Abizaid and C. Rodd	632 Tremont street	9	Alterations, store, dwelling	125
R. M. Bradley Company	239 Washington street	3	Sign, restaurant	950
James Simboli	2761 Washington street	11	Alterations, dwelling	75
George Keller	3965 Washington street	19	Alterations, dwelling	55
Norman Hendry	4321 Washington street	20	Alterations, dwelling	45
John Laconca	264 Webster street	1	Alterations, dwelling	500
Mrs. Offanbach	9 Woodville street	8	Alterations, fire escape, dwelling	360
Gardner Museum	163 Worthington street	4	Alterations, museum	600
John Daly	41 Wren street	20	Alterations, dwelling	290

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING JANUARY 18.

GAS FITTER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
D. Speers	581 Adams street	16	Connecting heater	$500
L. Bragg	9 Albemarle street	18	Connecting range	40
B. Clancy	160 Beacon street	5	Connecting heater	165
T. Matthews	1202 Blue Hill avenue	11	Connecting range	45
F. Odenweller	149 Bowen street	6	Connecting range	35
F. Avery	2393 Centre street	20	Connecting range	25
F. Avery	2398 Centre street	20	Connecting range	25
F. Avery	29 Chestnut avenue	10	Connecting heater	30
F. Avery	177 Chestnut avenue	19	Connecting heater	25
G. Trethewey	189 Corey street	20	Connecting range	145
F. Avery	27 Dane street	19	Connecting range	20
I. Shulman	271 Dartmouth street	4	Connecting range	50
L. Visco	170 Falcon street	1	Connecting range	35
Wm. Broderick	4 and 6 Fargo street	6	Connecting range	35
G. Trethewey	17 Fletcher street	20	Connecting range	180
F. Avery	197 Green street	11	Connecting heater	20
F. Avery	9 Herbertson road	19	Connecting range	30
L. Bragg	476 Huntington avenue	18	Connecting range	50
G. Trethewey	112 Hyde Park avenue	18	Connecting heater	220
F. Avery	50 Iffley road	11	Connecting range	35
F. Avery	34 Jamaica street	11	Connecting range	50
G. Trethewey	28 Johnswood road	18	Connecting range	360
G. Trethewey	60 Johnswood road	18	Connecting range	165
M. Eskowitz	85 Kingsdale street	14	Connecting range	35
G. Trethewey	34 Knoll street	20	Connecting heater	350
O. McElearney	41 Lawrence street	2	Connecting heater	45
F. Avery	28 Maynard street	18	Connecting range	35
F. Avery	62 Orchardhill road	11	Connecting range	25
Wm. Connell	15 Rector road	18	Connecting range	75
F. Avery	10 Rossmore road	11	Connecting range	25
B. Gellis	398 Shawmut avenue	9	Connecting range	25
G. Trethewey	42 Sycamore street	19	Connecting range	235
F. Avery	185 Wachusett street	11	Connecting range	35
T. Matthews	648 Warren street	12	Connecting range	45
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M. Caputo	108 West Broadway	6	Connecting range	135
F. Odenweller	171 West Second street	6	Connecting range	30
L. Bragg	60 Westminster street	18	Connecting range	35
D. Slavet	53 Worcester street	9	Connecting range	35
J. Ricciardello	17 Wordsworth street	1	Connecting heater	55
M. Katz	58 Armandine street	17	Connecting heater	400
P. Gulesian	78 Beacon street	18	Connecting range	400
E. Kelly	110 Belgrade avenue	20	Connecting range	40
P. Gulesian	18 Blake street	18	Connecting range	200
D. Horgan	3 Brewster street	7	Connecting heater	100
P. Bishop	161 Centre street	16	Connecting range	50
I. Shannahofski	271 Charles street	3	Connecting range	35
P. Gulesian	9 Cleveland street	18	Connecting heater	200
O. Weider	1278 Dorchester avenue	16	Connecting range	25
D. Rull	638 East Fifth street	6	Connecting range	15
D. Horgan	703 East Fourth street	7	Connecting range	45
D. Horgan	350 East Third street	6	Connecting range	30
I. Shannahofski	59 Fruit street	3	Connecting range	40
O. Weider	33 Glide street	16	Connecting range	25
D. Horgan	76 H street	7	Connecting heater	35
D. Horgan	21 M street	7	Connecting heater	40
H. Ritter	92 Main street	2	Connecting range	30
M. Katz	35 Millet street	17	Connecting range	150
E. Marneburg	361 Norfolk street	14	Connecting range	45
A. Granara	257 North street	3	Connecting range	40
D. Rull	212 Northern avenue	6	Connecting range	40
P. Bishop	26 Ronan street	15	Connecting heater	35
P. Bishop	627 Tremont street	4	Connecting range	50
S. Litaan	551 Warren street	12	Connecting range	45
S. Londau	322 Washington street	21	Connecting range	150
N. Clark	280 Beacon street	5	Connecting range	35
S. Shuman	360 Blue Hill avenue	11	Connecting range	30
B. Reska	11 Bowdoin street	3	Connecting range	50
N. Clark	6 Bucknam street	10	Connecting range	100
O. McElearney	202 Bunker Hill street	2	Connecting range	300
A. Granara	88 Clinton street	3	Connecting range	40
N. Clark	466 East Eighth street	7	Connecting range	15
R. LaCentra	217 Endicott street	3	Connecting range	160
B. Reska	101 Friend street	3	Connecting heater	25
G. Trethewey	16 Gilman street	18	Connecting heater	65
H. Geddis	30 Hemenway street	1	Connecting range	15
N. Clark	23 Maxwell street	17	Connecting range	40
I. Gerson	19 Melvin avenue	21	Connecting range	30
N. Clark	887 Morton street	18	Connecting range	35
I. Coelin	108 Myrtle street	5	Connecting range	40
L. Rubin	11 Peterborough street	5	Connecting range	35
L. Rubin	19 Peterborough street	5	Connecting range	50
T. Coffey	125 Quincy street	15	Connecting range	50
J. McCluskey	57 Robinwood avenue	19	Connecting range	15
F. Odenweller	192 Silver street	6	Connecting range	35
L. Luxton	48 Tremlett street	16	Connecting range	30
J. Wirth, Jr.	9 Trimount place	7	Connecting heater	45
J. Butler	12 Chickatawbut street	16	Connecting heater	100
D. Gould	475 Columbia road	15	Connecting range	150
John J. Vogel	57 Cornell street	19	Connecting range	100
C. Kay	722 East Eighth street	7	Connecting range	250
John J. Vogel	66 Farquhar street	20	Connecting range	90
M. Eskowitz	101 Geneva avenue	14	Connecting range	150
J. Egan	3 Warwick street	9	Connecting range	35
M. Miller	205 Green street	11	Connecting range	40
John J. Vogel	67 Hautevale street	18	Connecting range	180
N. Clark	13 Kent street	9	Connecting range	420
J. Fenullo	5 Kilsyth terrace	21	Connecting range	160
N. Clark	43 Lasell street	20	Connecting range	50
Wm. DiLorenzo	256 Leyden street	1	Connecting range	75
John J. Vogel	73 Newburg street	20	Connecting range	35
John J. Vogel	15 Ramsdell avenue	18	Connecting range	40

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Blake, 27 Blakeville street, Dorchester, 7 days; Mary Canty, 45 Magdala street, Dorchester, 3 days; Marilla Costello, 17 Henshaw street, Brighton, 1 day; Ruby Childs, 270 Huntington avenue, 7 days; Sophie Cotter, 173 Vine Rock street, Dedham, 5 days; Katherine Carr, 1 day; Adele Daly, 30 Aspinwall avenue, North Weymouth, 3 days; Norma Dean, 696 Massachusetts avenue, 2 days; Florence Dowd, 93 Williams avenue, Hyde Park, 1 day; Patricia Doucette, 352 Athens street, South Boston, 2 days; Eva Durgin, 14 Hardwick road, Quincy, 7 days; Patricia Daily, 73 Stanton street, Dorchester, Eleanor Duffley, 5 days; Ruth Droulette, 1515 Veterans of Foreign Wars Parkway, West Roxbury, 2 days; Mary Edwards, 428 Adams street, Dorchester, 3 days; Yolander Evans, 126 Waverly street, Everett, Christine Finn, 230 Commonwealth avenue, 2 days; K. Ruth Frank, 3 Allston street, Mary Fraser, 99 Norway street, 3 days; Lucille Furigo, 14 Kilsyth road, Medfield, 1 day; Dolores Flanagan, 7 days; Vivian Gailuis, 38 Train street, Dorchester, 3 days; Emily Gallagher, 79 Wrentham street, Dorchester, 1 day; Jeanne Gerety, 13 Autumn street, Everett, Ethel Goff, 40 Rockwell street, Dorchester, 2 days; Stella Graham, 43 Mercier avenue, Dorchester, 1 day; Virginia Hamilton, 827 River street, Mattapan, 2 days; Mary B. Healy, 163 East Cottage street, Dorchester, 3 days; Ruth Isaakson, 58 Cheney street, Roxbury, Olga Krag, 5 Park Vale avenue, Brookline, 2 days; Anne Lynsky, 52 Telsa street, Medford, Margaret Leonard, 7 Speedwell street, Dorchester, 4 days; Claire McCue, 74 Robinwood road, Dedham, 7 days; Mary MacInnis, 2 days; Mary McAuley, 1121 Saratoga street, East Boston, 1 day; Veronica McElligott, 34 Dickenson street, Somerville, 3 days; Mary R. Mahan, 29 Kempton street, Anna Murphy, 115 Peterborough street, 7 days; Mary Murphy, 37 Hampden Circle, Wollaston, 6 days; Thelma Miles, 9 Albemarle Chambers, 3 days; Ruth Nagle, 210 Sherman road, Brookline, 4 days; Phyllis Nigro, 271 Dartmouth street, 5 days; Angelina Peyton, 16 Dane street, Jamaica Plain, 2 days; Alyce Powers, 67 Prospect avenue, Wollaston, 4 days; Romaine Riley, 171 Humboldt avenue, Roxbury, Ann Romsey, 146 Massachusetts avenue, 3 days; Angeline Smith, 3 Walford Drive, Canton, 5 days; Margaret Sullivan, 28 Weymouth street, Holbrook, 7 days; Mabel Steed, 223A Walnut avenue, Roxbury, 1 day; Isabel Sutton, 121 Boston street, Dorchester, 5 days; Eleanor Shalott, 43 East Springfield street, Carrie Coleman, 360 Thacher street, Milton, 1 day.

The following permanent employees have been appointed:

Arthur McCluskey, 4 Bishop street, Jamaica Plain, Raymond Roche, 487 Southampton street, hospital laundry workers, $43 a week.

The following weekly nurses have been appointed:

Permanent.—Helen J. Burton, 68 North avenue, North Abington, floor nurse, $1.70 an hour; Carol L. Cormier, 89 Salman street, West Roxbury, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Nancy DeRoche, 194 Beacon street, floor nurse, $73 a week; Katherine E. Foley, 30 Walton street, Dorchester, floor nurse, $63 a week; Joan

Piscitello, 19 Allan court, Medford, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Alice Silva, 191 Beacon street, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour.

Temporary.—Dolores Buckley, 549 Park street, Dorchester, John Y. Keane, 1086 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour.

The following provisional employees have been appointed:

Tony Avila, 134 West Concord street, William A. Borden, 4 Woodside avenue, Jamaica Plain, Edward C. Callahan, 1521 Washington street, John J. Coveney, 530 Massachusetts avenue, Charles K. Doherty, Earle Hotel, Rudolfe Dubois, 102 Ruthven street, Roxbury, Alfred J. Kelly, 15 Levant street, Dorchester, Joseph F. McLean, 12 Countryside Drive, Mary G. Morris, 44 St. Germain street, Helen M. Moylan, 59 Glen road, Jamaica Plan, Theodore C. Munafo, 31 Mora street, Dorchester, Karl J. Ryan, 25 Cambridge street, Thomas P. Sullivan, 19 Mosgrove street, Roslindale, hospital medical workers, $43 a week.

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—John D. Beatty, 506 East Sixth street, South Boston, Robert M. Gallagher, 9 Salisbury park, Dorchester, Ernest Bishop, 120 West Canton street, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; Ellen Greenwood, 56 Perham street, West Roxbury, hospital house worker, $50.50 a week; John P. Harkins, 35 Kempton street, guard, $53 a week; Timothy J. Madden, 38 Bexley road, West Roxbury, elevator operator, $53 a week; Mary McGroty, 12 Rich street, Mattapan, hospital medical worker, $45.50 a week; George F. Moody, 14 Huckins street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; Sarah P. Morris, 9 Chapman street, Charlestown, hospital house worker, $50.50 a week; Marguerite L. Neville, 1526 Tremont street, clerk-typist, $50.50 a week; Dorothy Norwood, 91 Pinckney street, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Charles E. Rull, 870 East Fifth street, South Boston, hospital house worker, $50.50 a week; Eugene N. Stuart, 549 Harrison avenue, elevator operator, $50.50 a week.

Temporary.—Ethel M. Arrigo, 2161 Washington street, Richard J. Byron, 10 Milford street, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; Susan C. Clarkson, 18 Victoria street, Dorchester, clerk-typist, $7 a day; Earl W. Coblyn, 28 Catawba street, Roxbury, hospital house worker, $43 a week; John Dipirro, 29 Burrell street, Roxbury, senior X-ray technician, $58 a week; Margaret C. Edwards, 164 E street, South Boston, Gertrude M. Fitzgerald, 538 Talbot avenue, Dorchester, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; Carol Fitzsimmons, 1590 Centre street, Roxbury, dietitian, $76.50 a week; Tekla I. Persson, 18 Reed street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; Joan Rosef, 361 Walnut avenue, West Roxbury, laboratory assistant, $45.50 a week; Rita R. Tuddonio, 7 Sea View avenue, East Boston, clerk-typist, $43 a week; Charles R. Grasso, hospital kitchen worker, temporary; Robert L. Fitzmaurice, plumber's helper, temporary.

Sanatorium Division.

Approval has been given for the following resignations:

James Quealey, stationary fireman, provisional; Joseph P. McNulty, hospital medical worker, provisional; Ann Clark,

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APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING JANUARY 18.—Concluded.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
B. Currie	1493 River street	18	Connecting range	$150
John J. Vogel	153 Rowe street	19	Connecting range	50
N. Clark	305 Saratoga street	1	Connecting range	100
J. Wirth, Jr.	21 Unity court	3	Connecting heater	150
O. Weider	75 Van Winkle street	16	Connecting heater	15
John J. Vogel	103 Whitford street	18	Connecting range	170
M. Eskowitz	24 Albion street	18	Connecting range	45
Wm. Hogan	15 Barbara street	10	Connecting range	45
D. O'Neill	1 Batchelder street	10	Connecting range	40
B. Szathmary	1458 Blue Hill avenue	18	Connecting range	30
J. Freedman	58-60 Bower street	12	Connecting range	100
S. Goldman	62 Cheney street	12	Connecting range	10
S. Sawtelle	22A Crawford street	12	Connecting range	150
Wm. Hogan	44 Delle avenue	10	Connecting range	50
D. O'Neill	455 Dudley street	8	Connecting range	15
H. Hinckley	97 East Brookline street	8	Connecting range	65
Wm. Hogan	58 Fenwood road	10	Connecting range	45
C. Bevelander	136 Harvard avenue	22	Connecting range	50
D. O'Neill	18 King street	10	Connecting range	45
F. Smith	88 Kingston street	3	Connecting range	10
C. McGregor	246 Market street	22	Connecting heater	75
D. Puopolo	31 Massachusetts avenue	4	Connecting range	10
J. Fitzgerald	94 Normandy street	14	Connecting range	60
Wm. Connell	30 Oakley street	15	Connecting heater	225
D. O'Neill	4 Putnam place	10	Connecting range	35
Wm. Hogan	137 St. Alphonsus street	10	Connecting range	100
O. McElearney	8 Soley street	2	Connecting range	30
J. Esterhill	120 Stoughton street	13	Connecting heater	120
Wm. Connell	61 Temple street	17	Connecting range	30
C. Boates	875 Washington street	3	Connecting range	725

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM PLUMBING FOR THE WEEK ENDING JANUARY 18.

Plumber.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
L. Visco	170 Falcon street	1	Fixtures	$100
A. DiLorenzo	212 Harrison avenue	3	Fixtures	110
P. Russo	136 Harvard avenue	21	Fixtures	190
G. Trethewey	34 Knoll street	20	Fixtures	250
J. McNally	10 Maplewood street	20	Fixtures	900
T. Matthews	20 Meridian street	1	Fixtures	100
S. Imbrescio	41 Morton street	11	Fixtures	150
G. Patey	19 Woodland road	19	Fixtures	1,500
P. Winters	654 Cummings Highway	18	Fixtures	6,000
L. Ruotolo	10 Donnybrook road	21	Fixtures	135
B. Shillman	104 Groveland street	18	Fixtures	600
C. Lang	107 Temple street	20	Fixtures	30
J. Gleason	84 Theodore Parker road	20	Fixtures	100
J. Sullivan	367 Columbia road	15	Fixtures	600
E. Schmitt	1292 Commonwealth avenue	21	Fixtures	1,000
J. Woodacre	36 Maverick street	1	Fixtures	300
S. Shuman	29 Messinger street	18	Fixtures	900
S. Shuman	30 Messinger street	18	Fixtures	900
S. Whitcomb	30 Pearl street	3	Fixtures	2,000
S. Lucido	79 Revere street	5	Fixtures	65
P. Russo	36 Rockingham road	18	Fixtures	725
J. Hannigan	6 Sanford street	17	Fixtures	550
S. Kramer	44 and 46 South street	3	Fixtures	100
J. McGivern	20 Trull street	15	Fixtures	200
M. Picarcillo	61 Brook Farm road	20	Fixtures	650
L. Stella	120 Commonwealth avenue	5	Fixtures	100
G. Trethewey	115 Glendower road	18	Fixtures	165
G. Trethewey	15 Haydn street	20	Fixtures	180
H. Geddis	111 Huntington avenue	4	Fixtures	100
H. Hinckley	10 Kardon road	18	Fixtures	390
H. Geddis	491 Metropolitan avenue	18	Fixtures	350
H. Heath	Orient avenue	1	Fixtures	2,200
G. Woollard	27 Richwood street	20	Fixtures	225
F. Shomes	91 Westland avenue	4	Fixtures	400
P. Pastorello	80 Beacon street	5	Fixtures	150
D. Ayles	1272 Boylston street	21	Fixtures	2,500
D. Goyld	475 Columbia road	15	Fixtures	1,600
R. Garrity	14 Court square	3	Fixtures	800
J. Rooney	7 Dell avenue	18	Fixtures	150
L. Ferullo	5 Kilsyth terrace	21	Fixtures	150
D. Kilday	31 Lee street	11	Fixtures	200
John J. Vogel	73 Newburg street	19	Fixtures	150
D. Ayles	27 T Wharf	3	Fixtures	600
O. Weider	75 Van Winkle street	16	Fixtures	15
R. Garrity	239 Washington street	3	Fixtures	1,200
J. Hickey	630 Atlantic avenue	3	Fixtures	1,000
A. Platt	40 Beacon street	5	Fixtures	4,800
J. Marquess	43 Concord square	4	Fixtures	450
B. Szathmary	237 Hyde Park avenue	19	Fixtures	1,000
L. Downey	305 Kittredge street	18	Fixtures	100
D. Puopolo	31 Massachusetts avenue	4	Fixtures	50
L. Mahoney	Senders court (12 parcels)	18	Fixtures	6,000
C. Boates	875 Washington street	3	Fixtures	925

TAX ABATEMENT DECISIONS RENDERED BY THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS FOR THE WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 17.

LEGEND.

* Appellate Tax Board Settlement. ¶ Illegal assessment. Chapter 59-5.
† Appellate Tax Board Decision. § Duplicate assessment. = Chapter 58-8.
‡ Overvaluation Settlement by Board of Assessors.

Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Briggs, Mary Cabot	65 Beacon st.	5—1950	$8,505.00	$945.00	*
Sixty-Eight Beacon Street, Inc.	67 Beacon st.	5—1950	22,680.00	1,260.00	*
Leeder, Celia, et al.	122 Bowdoin st	3—1951	18,840.00	1,570.00	*
Sirkin, Nathan	888 Washington st.	3—1951	5,338.00	628.00	*
Theopold, Philip H., et al.	69 Tremont st	3—1951	138,160.00	28,492.36	*
Theopold, H. Philip, et al.	65-69 Franklin st.	3—1951	14,758.00	4,396.00	*
Theopold, Philip H., et al.	642 Washington st.	3—1951	13,188.00	5,338.00	*
Theopold, Philip H., et al.	3½ Hersey pl.	3—1951	2,826.00	942.00	*
Theopold, Philip H., et al.	626-636 Washington st.	3—1951	43,960.00	16,642.00	*
Baker, William B.	65 Providence st	5—1951	3,140.00	502.40	*
Baker, William B.	276 Boylston st	5—1951	7,222.00	1,161.80	*
Baker, William B.	280 Boylston st	5—1951	7,222.00	1,161.80	*
Briggs, Mary Cabot	66 Beacon st	5—1951	8,478.00	942.00	*
Fifty Associates	535 Boylston st., N.W. cor.	5—1951	17,898.00	2,198.00	*
Sixty-Eight Beacon Street, Inc.	67 Beacon st	5—1951	22,608.00	1,256.00	*
Hunt-Spiller Mfg. Corp.	383 Dorchester av	7—1951	40,820.00	4,710.00	*
Levine, Hyman B.	24 Bradshaw st	14—1951	816.40	188.40	*
A. S. Campbell Co., Inc.	161 Prescott st	1—1952	44,756.00	11,356.00	*
Aptaker, Beetha	405 Meridian st	1—1952	1,155.64	133.60	*
Destefano, Alba and Diana	186 Cottage st	1—1952	567.80	66.80	*
DeStefano, Alba and Diana	188 Cottage st	1—1952	567.80	66.80	*
Chalfen, Annie, Trustee	127 Chambers st	3—1952	400.80	133.60	*
Hill, Arthur D. and Adams	715 Washington st.	3—1952	6,546.40	3,206.40	*
Leeder, Celia, et al.	122-130 Bowdoin st.	3—1952	20,040.00	1,670.00	*
Roxbury Operating Co	882 Washington st.	3—1952	5,678.00	668.00	*
Theopold, Philip H., et al.	69-81 Tremont st.	3—1952	146,960.00	30,307.16	*
Theopold, Philip H., et al.	65-69 Franklin st.	3—1952	15,698.00	4,676.00	*
Theopold, Philip H., et al.	642 Washington st.	3—1952	14,028.00	5,678.00	*
Theopold, Philip H., et al.	3½ Hersey pl.	3—1952	3,006.00	1,002.00	*
Theopold, Philip H., et al.	626-636 Washington st.	3—1952	46,760.00	17,702.00	*
Ladd, Katherine F.	277-281 Washington st.	3—1952	10,020.00	4,342.00	*
Master Wardens and Members of Grand Lodge of Masons of Mass.	183 Tremont st	3—1952	71,643.00	9,519.00	*
Briggs, Mary Cabot	65 and 66 Beacon st	5—1952	9,018.00	1,002.00	*
Brooks, Edwin D., et al.	280 Boylston st	5—1952	7,682.00	1,235.80	*
Brooks, Edwin D., et al.	276 Boylston st	5—1952	7,682.00	1,235.80	*
Brooks, Edwin D., et al.	65 Providence st	5—1952	3,340.00	534.40	*
Chalfen, Annie, Trustee	49 Porter st.	5—1952	367.40	66.80	*
Commonwealth Berkeley Assoc.	50 Commonwealth av.	5—1952	22,712.00	5,010.00	*
541 Boylston Street, Inc.	212-218 Clarendon st.	5—1952	19,038.00	2,338.00	*
Sixty-Eight Beacon Street, Inc.	67 and 68 Beacon st.	5—1952	24,048.00	1,336.00	*
Hunt-Spiller Mfg. Corp.	383 Dorchester av.	7—1952	49,238.28	10,828.28	*
Stamatos, Nicholas	1746-1748 Washington st.	8—1952	734.80	33.40	*
Stamatos, Nicholas	1742-1744 Washington st.	8—1952	668.00	200.40	*
Saklad, Gertrude M.	364 Riverway	10—1952	3,674.00	334.00	*
Ziman Realty Co.	40 Jamaicaway	10—1952	7,348.00	334.00	*
Bridge Realty Co., Inc.	62 Elm Hill av.	12—1952	1,803.60	467.60	*
Bridge Realty Co., Inc.	58 Elm Hill av.	12—1952	935.20	200.40	*
Bridge Realty Co., Inc.	54 Elm Hill av.	12—1952	1,803.60	467.60	*
Bridge Realty Co., Inc.	80 Georgia st	12—1952	935.20	200.40	*
Bridge Realty Co., Inc.	91 Georgia st	12—1952	1,169.00	200.40	*
Kozberg, Abraham, Tr. Under Deed	24-30 Maywood st	12—1952	567.80	66.80	*
Kozberg, Abraham, Tr. Under Deed	32-34 Maywood st	12—1952	360.72	60.12	*
Kozberg, Abraham, Tr. Under Deed	4-4A Bower st.	12—1952	1,336.00	300.60	*
Kozberg, Abraham	203-205 Blue Hill av.	12—1952	467.60	100.20	*
Solomon, Mayer	395 Blue Hill av.	12—1952	901.80	100.20	*
Cavagnaro, W. B., et al.	21 and 24 Washington st.	14—1952	1,202.40	334.00	*
Harvey, Evelyn M.	802-804 Blue Hill av.	14—1952	1,202.40	33.40	*
Kessell, Vera	47 Wilcock st	14—1952	601.20	66.80	*
Levine, Hyman B.	21 Bradshaw st	14—1952	868.40	200.40	*
Levine, Naomi L.	496 Blue Hill av.	14—1952	734.80	200.40	*
Siegal, Dora	452 Norfolk st	14—1952	521.04	33.40	*
Silva, Eva G	151 Columbia rd	14—1952	494.32	66.80	*
Portnoy, Nathan	142 Pleasant st.	15—1952	467.60	100.20	*
Alpert, Anna	15 Hallowell st.	18—1952	367.40	33.40	*
Ziman Realty Co	78 Glenville av.	21—1952	2,204.40	66.80	*
A. S. Campbell Co., Inc.	161 Prescott st.	1—1953	47,510.40	12,160.40	*
Aptaker, Bertha	405 Meridian st.	1—1953	1,223.11	141.40	*
DeStefano, Alba, et al.	188 Cottage st.	1—1953	600.95	70.70	*
DeStefano, Alba, et al.	186 Cottage st.	1—1953	600.95	70.70	*
Chalfen, Annie, Trustee	127 Chambers st.	3—1953	424.20	141.40	*
Leeder, Celia	122-130 Bowdoin st.	3—1953	21,210.00	1,767.50	*
Theopold, Philip H., et al.	65-69 Franklin st.	3—1539	16,614.50	1,949.00	*
Theopold, Philip H., et al.	642-644 Washington st.	3—1953	14,847.00	6,009.50	*
Theopold, Philip H., et al.	626 Washington st.	3—1953	19,490.00	18,735.50	*
Theopold, Philip, et al.	3½ Hersey pl.	3—1953	3,181.50	1,060.50	*
Master Wardens and Members of Grand Lodge of Masons of Mass.	183 Tremont st	3—1953	75,825.75	1,074.75	*
Pearlman, Moses, et al.	497 Huntington av.	4—1953	4,383.40	936.30	*
Briggs, Mary Cabot	65 Beacon st.	5—1953	9,544.50	1,060.50	*
Brooks, Edwin D., et al.	280 Boylston st.	5—1953	8,130.50	1,307.95	*
Brooks, Edwin D., et al.	276 Boylston st.	5—1953	8,130.50	1,307.95	*
Brooks, Edwin D., et al.	65 Providence st.	5—1953	3,535.00	565.60	*
Chalfan, Annie, Trustee	49 Porter st.	5—1953	388.85	70.70	*
Commonwealth Berkley Assoc., Inc	5 Commonwealth av.	5—1953	24,038.00	5,302.50	*
Dorsar Enterprises, Inc.	212 Clarendon st.	5—1953	20,149.50	2,474.50	*
International Business Machs. Corp.	601 Boylston st.	5—1953	3,888.50	813.05	*
International Business Machs. Corp.	603 Boylston st.	5—1953	4,949.00	1,237.25	*
International Business Machs. Corp.	607 Boylston st.	5—1953	4,595.50	813.05	*
International Business Machs. Corp.	261 Dartmouth st.	5—1953	2,474.50	318.15	*
Lampert, David, et al.	107 Berkeley st.	5—1953	16,268.07	3,895.57	*
Lampert, David, et al.	Vacant lot, Arlington st.	5—1953	5,839.82	2,919.91	*
Loeb, Louis G.	50 Myrtle st.	5—1953	989.80	141.40	*
Sixty-Eight Beacon Street, Inc.	67 and 68 Beacon st.	5—1953	25,452.00	1,414.00	*
Fitz Inn Auto Parks, Inc.	148 Dorchester ave.	6—1953	353.50	176.75	*
Hunt-Spiller Mfg. Corp.	383-393 Dorchester av.	7—1953	52,112.97	11,460.47	*
Stamatos, Nicholas	2A-2D Worcester sq.	8—1953	67,165.00	106.05	*
Stamatos, Nicholas	1746-1748 Washington st.	8—1953	777.70	35.35	*

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hospital laundry worker; Arthur Coughlin, hospital house worker, provisional; Thomas J. Norton, hospital house worker.

South Division.

For the week ending January 11.

The following temporary employee has been appointed:

Thomas F. Kane, 25 Walford Way, Charlestown, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

The following-named employees were omitted from letter under date of November 15, 1954, requesting the establishment of an increase in the regular rate per hour of employees who operate, during the winter season, the heavy-duty equipment assigned to sanding, snowplowing, and snow removal work at $1.95 an hour and $1.85 an hour:

Lawrence E. DeVoe, motor equipment operator and laborer, Water Division; Francis Nolan, motor equipment operator and laborer, District 7, Sanitary Division.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

MUNICIPAL COURT, ROXBURY DISTRICT.

Arthur A. Devin has been given a salary of $4,400 a year as supervising probation officer of the Roxbury Court.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following appointments:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Henry E. Fitzgerald, 41 Lyndhurst street, Dorchester, statistical machine operator, $45.50 a week.

Richard McDonough, 4 Alcott street, Allston, statistical machine operator, $45.50 a week.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Elaine V. Hector, 271 Blue Hill avenue, Roxbury, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Mary Jane Bergeron, 180 Marlborough street, laboratory assistant, $45.50 a week.

Frank P. Stewart, 162 Orton-Marotta Way, South Boston, hospital laundry worker, $48 a week.

Walter B. Heidke, 46 Chestnut avenue, Jamaica Plain, X-ray technician, $45.50 a week.

William C. Reynolds, 19 Byron court, Roxbury, plumber, $60.50 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

Sophie Mathey, 9 Menton street, Mattapan, hospital laundry worker, $53 a week.

Long Island Division.

Mary C. Murphy, 1634 Commonwealth avenue, Brighton, organist, $50.50 a week.

Thomas F. Barry, 231 Commercial street, East Braintree, laundry manager, $73 a week.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

House of Correction.

George M. Hurley, 5 Peabody street, Roxbury, correction officer, $63 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Highway Division.

John Desmond, 535 Newbury street, emergency snow checker, $1.50 an hour.

Richard Dowling, 715 Washington street, Brighton, emergency snow checker, $1.50 an hour.

Paul Hannigan, 167 Milton street, Dorchester, emergency snow checker, $1.50 an hour.

Webster Howard, Jr., 17 Mendelssohn street, Roslindale, emergency snow checker, $1.50 an hour.

George Lucey, 30 Varnum street, Arlington, emergency snow checker, $1.50 an hour.

Owen O'Rourke, Jr., 10 Moultrie street, Dorchester, emergency snow checker, $1.50 an hour.

William O'Rourke, 24 St. Brendan road, Dorchester, emergency snow checker, $1.50 an hour.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following reinstatements:

CITY PLANNING BOARD.
(Rezoning.)

Barbara F. Devine, 17 Bonnie Brier Circle, Hingham, planning assistant, $65.50 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.
Sanatorium Division.

Helen Powers, 150 Stratton street, Dorchester, registered graduate nurse, $68 a week.

Helen Newhall, 249 River street, Mattapan, registered graduate nurse, $76.50 a week.

Dr. Richard H. Wright, 585 Brush Hill road, Milton, assistant chief of staff, $272 a month.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following changes in status:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

John F. Kane, 6 Sunnyside street, Jamaica Plain, from chief encroachment investigator at $87 a week to investigator of services at $90.50 a week.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

Norman R. Shine, 231 O'Callaghan Way, South Boston, from clerk and typist at $48 a week to parking meter collector at $58 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.
Main Division.

John A. Kilday, 9 Westerly street, Jamaica Plain, from senior clerk, temporary, at $60.50 a week to senior clerk, permanent, at $60.50 a week.

Nicholas Ananaides, 698 Massachusetts avenue, from hospital laundry worker (permanent) at $50.50 a week to machinist (temporary) at $60.50 a week.

Charles Wilson, 137 K street, South Boston, from hospital laundry worker at $50.50 a week to hospital house worker at $50.50 a week.

Merle Boutemain, 49 West Dedham street, from hospital laundry worker at $50.50 a week to hospital medical worker at $50.50 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

Etta Jones, 249 River street, Mattapan, from hospital laundry worker at $55.50 a week to senior hospital house worker at $58 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
Automotive Division.

James H. Stewart, 35 West Eagle street, East Boston, from automotive

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TAX ABATEMENT DECISIONS RENDERED BY THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS FOR THE WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 17.—Continued.

LEGEND.

* Appellate Tax Board Settlement. ¶ Illegal assessment. ‖ Chapter 59–5.
† Appellate Tax Board Decision. § Duplicate assessment. = Chapter 58–8.
‡ Overvaluation Settlement by Board of Assessors.

Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Stamatos, Nicholas	1742–1744 Washington st.	8—1953	$707.00	$212.10	*
Brainerd Realty, Inc.	364 Riverway	10—1953	3,888.50	353.50	*
Brainerd Realty, Inc.	40 Jamaicaway	10—1953	7,777.00	353.50	*
Bridge Realty Co., Inc.	91 Georgia st.	12—1953	1,237 25	212.10	*
Bridge Realty Co., Inc.	62 Elm Hill av.	12—1953	1,908.90	494.90	*
Bridge Realty Co., Inc.	58 Elm Hill av.	12—1953	989.80	212.10	*
Bridge Realty Co., Inc.	54 Elm Hill av.	12—1953	1,908.90	494.90	*
Kozberg, Abraham	203 Blue Hill av.	12—1953	494.90	106.05	*
Kozberg, Abraham, Tr., Under Deed	32–34 Maywood st.	12—1953	381.78	63.63	*
Kozberg, Abraham, Tr., Under Deed	30 Maywood st.	12—1953	600.95	70.70	*
Kozberg, Abraham, Tr., Under Deed	4 Bower st.	12—1953	1,414.00	318.15	*
Mayer, Solomon	395 Blue Hill av.	12—1953	954.45	106.05	*
Popkin Realty Trust	126 Harold st.	12—1953	1,484.70	212.10	*
Roxbury Progressive Rly.	338 Warren st.	12—1953	777.70	176.75	*
Krafchick, Joseph	92 Quincy st.	13—1953	1,484.70	212.10	*
Krafchick, Joseph	290 Quincy st., NE cor.	13—1953	3,040.10	565.60	*
Cavagnaro, Walter B., et al.	24 Washington st.	14—1953	1,272.60	353.50	*
Harvey, Evelyn M.	802 Blue Hill av.	14—1953	1,272.60	35.35	*
Kessell, Vera	47 Wilcock st.	14—1953	636.30	70.70	*
Levine, Hyman B.	24 Bradshaw st.	14—1953	919.10	212.10	*
Levine, L. Naomi	496 Blue Hill av.	14—1953	777.70	212.10	*
Matzkiu, Meyer, et al.	1056 Blue Hill av.	14—1953	4,029.90	919.10	*
Polimer, Frances R.	48 Charlotte st.	14—1953	565.60	106.05	*
Siegel, Dora	452 Norfolk st.	14—1953	551.46	35.35	*
Silva, Eva G.	151 Columbia rd.	14—1953	523.18	70.70	*
Trachtenberg, Sarah D.	59–63 Washington st.	14—1953	4,949.00	353.50	*
Portnoy, Nathan	142 Pleasant st.	15—1953	494.90	106.05	*
Capone, Jennaro	329 Talbot av.	17—1953	2,403 80	282.80	*
Alpert, Anna	15 Hallowell st.	18—1953	388.85	35.35	*
Pearlman, Moses, et al.	4345 Washington st.	20—1953	4,949.00	70.70	*
Gerstein, Carl, et al.	125 Harvard av.	21—1953	17,675.00	5,302.50	*
John Realty, Inc.	78 Glenville av.	21—1953	2,333.10	70.70	*
O'Donnell, J. Joseph, Trustee	1960 Commonwealth av.	21—1953	53,025.00	7,070.00	*
Aptaker, Bertha, Trustee	407A Meridian st.	1—1954	1,207.54	139.60	‡
A. S. Campbell Co., Inc.	161 Prescott st.	1—1954	47,510.40	12,005.60	‡
Beck, Rose	357 Meridian st.	1—1954	1,396.00	139.60	‡
Ciampi, Armando L.	119 Barnes av.	1—1954	418.80	97.72	‡
DeStefano, Alba, et al.	186 Cottage st.	1—1954	593.30	69.80	‡
DeStefano, Alba, et al.	188 Cottage st.	1—1954	593.30	69.80	‡
Flynn, Katherine T., et ol.	93 Trenton st.	1—1954	265.24	69.80	‡
Gavegnano, Joseph	343 Chelsea st.	1—1954	523.50	314.10	‡
Maggiore, Antonio P., et al.	45 Byron st.	1—1954	174.50	34.90	‡
Hocking, William E.	91 High st.	2—1954	439.74	69.80	‡
Hocking, William, Trustee	93–97 High st.	2—1954	1,005 12	307.12	‡
Kirk, Bernard F., et al.	31 Monument av.	2—1954	307.12	27.92	‡
Boston Real Estate Trust	65 Franklin st.	3—1954	16,403.00	4,886.00	‡
Brigham, E. F., Trustee, Under Will	3½ Hersey pl.	3—1954	3,141.00	1,047.00	‡
Eliot, Samuel, et al.	141 Milk st.	3—1954	74,267.20	18,427.20	‡
Finn, Emma J.	Vacant lot, Scollay sq.	3—1954	3,301.54	509.54	‡
Finn, Emma J.	Vacant lot, Sudbury st.	3—1954	2,792.00	698.00	‡
Finn, Emma J.	Vacant lot, Congress st.	3—1954	4,537.00	698.00	‡
Finn, Emma J., et al.	Vacant lot, State st.	3—1954	8,725.00	1,745.00	‡
George, Annie	7 Rollins st.	3—1954	279.20	69.80	‡
George, Helen	312 Shawmut av.	3—1954	349.00	69.80	‡
George, Helen	314 Shawmut av.	3—1954	488.60	139.60	‡
George, John	2 Union pk.	3—1954	523.50	104.70	‡
Ginsberg, Benjamin	491 Harrison av.	3—1954	1,814.80	418.80	‡
Langone, Louisa	190 North st.	3—1954	1,745.00	349.00	‡
Leeder, Celia	122–130 Bowdoin st.	3—1954	20,940.00	1,745.00	‡
Levenson, Lena	142 Leverett st.	3—1954	628.20	104.70	‡
Levenson, Lena	146 Leverett st.	3—1954	628.20	104.70	‡
Levenson, Lena	61 Brighton st.	3—1954	349.00	69.80	‡
Mass. Gen. Hospital	59 Spring st.	3—1954	418.80	307.12	‡
Mass. Gen. Hospital	36 North Anderson st.	3—1954	858.54	698.00	‡
Miller, Hyman	100 Brighton st.	3—1954	279.20	69.80	‡
Palmisano, Cosima	63A Green st.	3—1954	977.20	349.00	‡
Palumbo, Frank	13 Chambers st.	3—1954	530.38	181.48	‡
Rosen, Helen	174 Broadway	3—1954	1,047.00	209.40	‡
Rosenbaum, Michael	38 Warrenton st.	3—1954	314.10	90.74	‡
Rosenbaum, Michael S.	40 Warrenton st.	3—1954	418.80	104.70	‡
Schoolman, Max.	345 Washington st.	3—1954	9,423.00	1,047.00	‡
Schoolman, Max.	337 Washington st.	3—1954	31,410.00	4,188.00	‡
Siegel, Bella	166–172 Broadway	3—1954	1,414.00	349.00	‡
Swartz, Phillip	19 Brattle sq.	3—1954	1,745.00	418.80	‡
Theopold, Philip H., Trustee	626 Washington st.	3—1954	48,860.00	18,497.00	‡
VanVeer, Julia	14 Foster st.	3—1954	523.50	48.86	‡
Victor, Annie	22 North Russell st.	3—1954	1,396.00	209.40	‡
Ye Garden Cafe, Inc.	274 Friend st.	3—1954	2,024.20	628.20	‡
Alvord, Lincoln	35 Falmouth st.	4—1954	628.20	104.70	‡
Alvord, Lincoln	87 Belvidere st.	4—1954	767.80	467.66	‡
Alvord, Lincoln	89 Belvidere st.	4—1954	523.50	265.24	‡
Alvord, Lincoln	93 Belvidere st.	4—1954	767.80	481.62	‡
Alvord, Lincoln	91 Belvidere st.	4—1954	488.60	286.18	‡
Beckerman, George	661A Tremont st.	4—1954	698.00	69.80	‡
Bethell, Ruth L.	82 Westland av.	4—1954	3,490.00	349.00	‡
Cabral, Josepb	103 Hemenway st.	4—1954	4,537.00	628.20	‡
Cohen, Ethel	437 Columbus av.	4—1954	1,186.60	488.60	‡
Day, Ann E. Ranney	259 West Newton st.	4—1954	698.00	174.50	‡
Mass. Char. Mech. Assoc.	97A Huntington av.	4—1954	56,538.00	12,092.85	‡
Moss, Bernard	70 Huntington av.	4—1954	1,465.80	69.80	‡
Moss, Bernard	68 Huntington av.	4—1954	1,465.80	139.60	‡
Moss, Bernard	64 Huntington av.	4—1954	2,233.60	279.20	‡
Moss, Bernard	66 Huntington av.	4—1954	1,675.20	139.60	‡
Pearlman, Doris, et al.	497 Huntington av.	4—1954	4,327.60	628.20	‡
Uptown Theatre Corp.	235 Huntington av.	4—1954	31,410 00	6,980.00	‡
Ziman, Louis B.	91 Westland av.	4—1954	20,940.00	349.00	‡
Amory Realty Trust	49 Porter st.	5—1954	383.90	69.80	‡
Arata, Freerick L.	326 Dartmouth st.	5—1954	3,141.00	1,396.00	‡
Arata, Fred and Julia	261 Commonwealth av.	5—1954	2,443.00	698.00	‡
Arata, Fred	13 Commonwealth av.	5—1954	3,839.00	698.00	‡

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Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Bartevian, Vera May.	118 Newbury st.	5—1954	$1,537 00	$279 20	‡
Briggs, Mary C.	66 Beacon st	5—1954	9,423.00	1,047.00	‡
Brooks, Edwin D., et al.	280 Boylston st.	5—1954	8,027 00	1,291 30	‡
Brooks, Edwin D.	276 Boylston st.	5—1954	8,027 00	1,291.30	‡
Bromley, Paul.	208 Commonwealth av.	5—1954	2,413 00	171.50	‡
Brooks, Edwin D., et al.	65 Providence st.	5—1954	3,390 00	558 40	‡
Burke, Virginia L.	153 Bay State rd	5—1954	1,745 00	488 60	‡
Chadbourne, Louis R.	326 Commonwealth av.	5—1954	1,814.80	418.80	‡
Clinkard, Lillian F.	165 Commonwealth av.	5—1954	2,094 00	349.00	‡
Clinkard, Lillian F.	274 Clarendon st.	5—1954	2,413 00	698.00	‡
Clinkard, Lillian F.	103 Marlborough st.	5—1954	837 60	314.10	‡
Commonwealth Berkeley Assoc.	50 Commonwealth av.	5—1954	23,732 00	5,235.00	‡
Dewey, Walter E., et al	23 West Cedar st.	5—1954	1,535.60	349.00	‡
Devault, M.	167 Newbury st.	5—1954	1,326.20	139.60	‡
Diab, Thomas J., et al.	71 Beacon st.	5—1954	4,886.00	837.60	‡
Dorsar Enterprises, Inc.	212–218 Clarendon st.	5—1954	19,893.00	2,443.00	‡
Duehston, Julius	169 Beacon st.	5—1954	3,450.00	209.40	‡
Elaine Realty Corp.	117 Park Drive.	5—1954	7,678.00	698.00	‡
Fink, Louis.	63A Myrtle st.	5—1954	1,326.20	139.60	‡
Finn, Hilda J.	240A–240B Newbury st.	5—1954	1,465.80	125.64	‡
Fox & Co.	33–35A Exeter st.	5—1954	16,752.00	4,537.00	‡
Harvard College Pres.	164 Tremont st.	5—1954	16,779.92	4,537.00	‡
Int. Business Machines Corp.	603 Boylston st.	5—1954	4,886.00	1,221.50	‡
Int. Business Machines Corp.	607 Boylston st.	5—1954	4,537.00	802.70	‡
Int. Business Machines Corp.	261 Dartmouth st.	5—1954	2,443.00	314 10	‡
Int. Business Machines Corp.	601 Boylston st.	5—1954	3,839.00	802 70	‡
Johnston, John C.	22 Chestnut st.	5—1954	1,256.40	209.40	‡
Kantor, Rose	4 Walnut st.	5—1954	1,745.00	418.80	‡
Lampert, Sarah	Vacant lot, Arlington st.	5—1954	5,765.48	2,882.74	‡
Lampert, Sarah	107 Berkeley st.	5—1954	16,060.98	3,845.98	‡
Levine, Maurice	59–61 Massachusetts av.	5—1954	13,960.00	1,396.00	‡
Lipsky, Benjamin	164 Newbury st.	5—1954	2,792.00	349.00	‡
McQuarrie, Ann	247 Marlborough st.	5—1954	1,745.00	488.60	‡
Marston Realty Corp.	276 Marlborough st.	5—1954	8,725.00	698.00	‡
Mosey, Jenie	63 Emerald st.	5—1954	649.14	90.74	‡
Mosey, Jenie	65 Emerald st.	5—1954	649.14	90.74	‡
Moss, Bernard	11 Queensberry st.	5—1954	5,584 00	139.60	‡
Miller, H. L.	Vacant lot, Middlesex st.	5—1954	125.64	20.94	‡
Osgood, Herman A.	144 Commonwealth av.	5—1954	1,745 00	488.60	‡
Rosenblatt, Jacques	429 Boylston st.	5—1954	1,745.00	279.20	‡
Rosenbaum, John J.	1–9 Wheeler st.	5—1954	1,047.00	139.60	‡
Rosenbaum, John J.	65 Shawmut av.	5—1954	1,116.80	104.70	‡
Rosenbaum, John J., et al.	165 Broadway	5—1954	1,954.40	223.36	‡
Sixty-Eight Beacon Street, Inc.	67–68 Beacon st.	5—1954	25,128.00	1,396.00	‡
Swartz, Edward	286 Marlborough st.	5—1954	802.70	69.80	‡
Swartz, Edward	59 Beacon st.	5—1954	628.20	69.70	‡
Swartz, Edward	357 Beacon st.	5—1954	628.20	69 80	‡
Swartz, Edward	236 Newbury st.	5—1954	767 80	209.40	‡
Swartz, Edward	234 Newbury st.	5—1954	767 80	209 40	‡
Swartz, Edward	213 Newbury st	5—1954	837 60	209 40	‡
Swartz, Edward	177 Newbury st	5—1954	1,047 00	209 40	‡
Zelda, Frank, et al.	64–64A Revere st.	5—1954	1,535 60	209 40	‡
Brunet, Joseph O	840 East Second st.	6—1954	314.10	34.90	‡
Datz, Albert, Trustee	397–401 Broadway	6—1954	4,188 00	698.00	‡
Kelley, Edward J.	777 East Broadway.	6—1954	349 00	69.80	‡
Kennedy, Eileen.	586 East Third st.	6—1954	160 54	27.92	‡
Krause, John A.	600A Broadway	6—1954	767 80	69.80	‡
Lazar, Cosmos, et al.	481 East Broadway.	6—1954	2,413 00	933.00	‡
Lazar, Cosmos, et al.	485A East Broadway	6—1954	837 60	209 40	‡
Lazar, Cosmos, et al.	487 East Broadway.	6—1954	837 60	209 40	‡
Missett, John, et al.	738 East Third st.	6—1954	279 20	69 80	‡
Preede, Emma K.	309–311 Emerson st.	6—1954	2,792 00	349 00	‡
347 Congress Street, Inc.	332 A st.	6—1954	10,414 16	3,420 20	‡
Bernstein, Jacob.	1136 Massachusetts av.	7—1954	1,811.80	349 00	‡
Corigliano, John.	11 Pond st.	7—1954	481 62	90 74	‡
Hunt-Spiller Mfg. Corp.	383 Dorchester av.	7—1954	51,449 58	11,314 58	‡
Mohawk Rubber Sales	190 Old Colony av.	7—1954	1,675 20	488 60	‡
O'Brien, Patrick J., et al.	145 L st.	7—1954	383.90	69 80	‡
Pappas, Christopher, et al.	218 L st.	7—1954	439.74	55.84	‡
Bottari, Giuseppe.	890 Harrison av.	8—1954	425 78	69 80	‡
Corey, John and Mary	Vacant lot, Northampton st.	8—1954	125 61	34.90	‡
Corey, John and Mary	34 Northampton st.	8—1954	328 06	69 80	‡
Corey, John and Mary	38–38A Northampton st.	8—1954	153.56	34 90	‡
Corey, John and Mary	40 Northampton st.	8—1954	139 60	34 90	‡
Corey, John, et al.	875 Harrison av.	8—1954	418 80	139 60	‡
Corigliano, Domenico.	874 Harrison av.	8—1954	1,954 40	209 40	‡
Corigliano, John and Mary	53 Northampton st.	8—1954	1,745 00	349 00	‡
Corigliano, John.	56–56A Northampton st.	8—1954	216 38	34 90	‡
Corigliano, John.	62–64 Northampton st.	8—1954	1,754.00	488 60	‡
Corigliano, John and Mary	63 Northampton st	8—1954	181 48	27 92	‡
Dubin, Jacob, Trustee.	873 Harrison av.	8—1954	418 80	139 60	‡
Dubin, Jacob, Trustee.	877 Harrison av.	8—1954	418 80	139 60	‡
George, Arthur	335 Shawmut av.	8—1954	1,256 40	209 40	‡
LeBlanc, Emilie J., et al.	31 Mt. Pleasant av.	8—1954	342 02	62 82	‡
Lipson, Louis	30 Clifton st	8—1954	788 74	139 60	‡
New York Cake Exchange, Inc.	1886 Washington st.	8—1954	681 04	174 50	‡
Ryan, John J.	693 Massachusetts av.	8—1954	397 86	34 90	‡
Ciano, Michael	69 Dudley st.	9—1954	732.90	104 70	‡
Coghlan, Josephine M.	649 Shawmut av.	9—1954	209 40	41.88	‡
Emmes Building Corp.	1126 Columbus av.	9—1954	8,027.00	698.00	‡
Goldman, Samuel A.	808 Shawmut av.	9—1954	1,675 20	453.70	‡
Lank, Nellie, et al.	534 Tremont st.	9—1954	837.60	104.70	‡
Levin, Pauline	5 Stevens st.	9—1954	83 76	27.92	‡
Levin, Pauline	6 Stevens st	9—1954	83.76	27.92	‡
Levin, Arnold, et al.	1181–1189 Tremont st.	9—1954	1,535.60	689 00	‡
Mahoney, Margaret A.	614–614A Shawmut av	9—1954	523.50	139.60	‡
Mahoney, Margaret A.	612–612A Shawmut av.	9—1954	523.50	69 80	‡
Murray, Catherine	1182–1184 Tremont st.	9—1954	872.50	279.20	‡
Solomon, John A.	51 Rutland st.	9—1954	397.86	34.90	‡
Williams, Bessye L.	82 West Newton st.	9—1954	404 84	41.88	‡

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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engineer at $108.25 a week to division engineer, temporary, at $151 a week.

Robert Chase, 2 Juniper terrace, Roxbury, from laborer at $58 a week to motor equipment repairman at $60.50 a week.

Highway Division.

Thomas J. Burke, 9 Alaska street, Roxbury, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week to motor equipment operator and laborer (while in motor pool) at $65.50 a week.

James M. Flynn, 17 Bow street, Hyde Park, from senior account clerk at $55.50 a week to cashier (temporary) at $63 a week.

Sewer Division.

Thomas E. O'Sullivan, 399A West Broadway, South Boston, from sewer cleaner at $65.50 a week to working foreman sewer cleaner at $68 a week.

Survey Division.

John J. Curley, Jr., 100 Joyce-Hayes Way, South Boston, from senior engineering aid (pending examination) at $68 a week to senior engineering aid at $68 a week.

Water Division.

Frederick P. Horner, 950 Parker street, Roxbury, from laborer at $58 a week to motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Charles J. Woods, 47 Rosseter street, Dorchester, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior bookkeeper at $55.50 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following promotions:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Harold R. Darling, 53 Oriole street, West Roxbury, from senior clerk at $65.50 a week to assessment recorder (temporary, three months) at $68 a week.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

Eugene J. Ferris, 15 Leahaven road, Dorchester, from clerk at $50.50 a week to senior clerk (temporary) at $55.50 a week.

Francis I. Ellard, 198 Garfield avenue, Hyde Park, from traffic sign maintenance man at $63 a week to parking meter collector (temporary) at $65.50 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Gerard P. Coughlin, 73 Cedar street, Roxbury, from hospital medical worker at $47.82 a week to senior X-ray technician (temporary) at $58 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

William E. Collins, 47 Woodlawn street, Forest Hills, from park maintenance foreman (permanent) at $83.50 a week to general foreman, park maintenance (temporary) at $87 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following transfer:

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Manassah E. Bradley, 35 West Eagle street, East Boston, from Public Works Department as inspector-subforeman and

street numbering inspector at $76.50 a week to Building Department as street numbering inspector at $76.50 a week.

CITY PLANNING BOARD.
(Rezoning.)

Gladys P. Lyons, 76 Chester street, Arlington, from City Planning Board (Cambridge) as senior planner at $4,450 a year to City Planning Board as principal planner (temporary, three months) at $5,650.65 a year.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Patricia Ford, 11 Matchett street, Brighton, from Welfare Department as social worker at $73 a week to Hospital Department as social worker at $73 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following leaves of absence:

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Kathleen Plunkett, 56 Aldrich street, Roslindale, principal clerk and stenographer, $76.50 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Kathernie G. Mullen, 6 Lafield street, Dorchester, telephone operator, $68 a week.

Frances MacDonald, 21 Forsyth street, supervising nursing administrator, $87 a week.

Josephine R. Vaughan, 46 Deckard street, floor nurse (part time), $1.70 an hour.

Dorothy Currie, 283 Chestnut avenue, Jamaica Plain, floor nurse, $60.50 a week.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Abraham H. Kahalas, 22 Hosmer street, Dorchester, legal assistant, $87 a week.

STEP-RATE INCREASES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved step-rate increases for employees of the following departments:

AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

John B. Callahan, principal account examiner, from $87 to $90.50 a week.

Edward DeSimone, senior statistical machine operator, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Edward M. Herlihy, senior accountant, from $90.50 to $94 a week.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Fire Alarm Division.

Edmund T. Burke, fire alarm operator, from $70.69 to $74.71 a week.

John M. Murphy, fire alarm operator, from $70.69 to $74.71 a week.

Fire Prevention Division.

Philomene K. Sheehan, clerk and typist, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Fire Fighting Division.

Francis X. O'Brien, lieutenant, from $86.59 to $90.61 a week.

Fire Fighters.

	From	To
Francis J. George,	$74.71	$76.63
Peter F. Moran,	74.71	76.63
Joseph A. O'Neil,	74.71	76.63
James L. Finch,	74.71	76.63
James L. Fitzgibbons,	74.71	76.63
Edward L. Civitarese,	70.69	74.71
Joseph J. Donovan,	70.69	74.71
Frank N. Forte,	70.69	74.71

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Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Brainerd Realty, Inc.	364 Riverway	10—1954	$3,839.00	$349.00	‡
Brainerd Realty, Inc.	40 Jamaicaway	10—1954	7,678.00	349.00	‡
Dores, Harry	261–263 Heath st.	10—1954	2,373.20	349.00	‡
Lipsky, Benjamin	660 Huntington av.	10—1954	6,980.00	837.60	‡
Lawler, Robert J.	363 South Huntington av.	10—1954	879.48	181.48	‡
Newton Savings Bank	91 Heath st.	10—1954	3,001.40	558.40	‡
Siegel, Ralph	1622–1636 Tremont st.	10—1954	4,188.00	1,047.00	‡
Tratten, William, et al.	358C Centre st.	10—1954	1,416.94	279.20	‡
Berman, Esther	1259 Columbus av.	11—1954	795.72	139.60	‡
Ciano, Michael	19 Galena st.	11—1954	404.84	34.90	‡
Giduz, Fred and Lucie K.	60 Amory st.	11—1954	237.32	27.92	‡
Hersey, Ada H.	315 Walnut av.	11—1954	2,443.00	1,047.00	‡
Kelley, Alice T.	21 Chilcott pl.	11—1954	383.85	69.80	‡
Manning, Joseph H.	3575–3579 Washington st.	11—1954	907.40	69.80	‡
McCarthy, Margaret T.	19 Peter Parley rd.	11—1954	523.50	34.90	‡
McPherson, Victoria V.	3193 Washington st.	11—1954	840.00	139.60	‡
Rubinovitz, Charles, et al.	8 Wardman rd.	11—1954	558.40	55.84	‡
Rubinovitz, Charles, et al.	10 Wardman rd.	11—1954	558.40	55.84	‡
Rubinovitz, Charles, et al.	12 Wardman rd.	11—1954	558.40	55.84	‡
Slabine, Mary, Trustee	1257 Columbus av.	11—1954	1,256.40	139.60	‡
Biggi, Christine	377 Warren st.	12—1954	1,116.80	139.60	‡
Bridge Realty Co., Inc.	54 Elm Hill av.	12—1954	1,884.60	488.60	‡
Bridge Realty Co., Inc.	58 Elm Hill av.	12—1954	977.20	209.40	‡
Bridge Realty Co., Inc.	62 Elm Hill av.	12—1954	1,884.60	488.60	‡
Bridge Realty Co., Inc.	91 Georgia st.	12—1954	1,221.50	209.40	‡
Ciano, Michael	119 Dale st.	12—1954	369.94	34.90	‡
Cacciola, Biagio	95 Dale st.	12—1954	230.34	34.90	‡
Caeciola, Biagio	97 Dale st.	12—1954	328.06	48.86	‡
Elaine Realty Corp.	40 Cheney st.	12—1954	2,443.00	139.60	‡
Elaine Realty Corp.	46 Cheney st.	12—1954	2,373.20	139.60	‡
Euse, Julius	19 Ruthven st.	12—1954	907.40	125.64	‡
Golding, Samuel	477 Blue Hill av.	12—1954	2,303.40	418.80	‡
Iteheovitz, Helen	25 Wayne st.	12—1954	1,884.60	314.10	‡
Koffman, Bessie	50 Cheney st.	12—1954	4,467.20	209.40	‡
Kozberg, Abraham	203–205 Blue Hill av.	12—1954	418.80	104.70	‡
Kozberg, Abraham, Tr. Under Deed	4–4A Bower st.	12—1954	1,186.60	314.10	‡
Kozberg, Abraham, Tr. Under Deed	24–30 Maywood st.	12—1954	593.30	69.80	‡
Kozberg, Abraham, Tr. Under Deed	32–34 Maywood st.	12—1954	376.92	62.82	‡
Levenson, Lillian	99–103 Humboldt av.	12—1954	1,326.20	139.60	‡
Mayer, Solomon, et al.	395 Blue Hill av.	12—1954	942.30	104.70	‡
Palmer, James A.	1 and 4 Bower pl.	12—1954	418.80	34.90	‡
Palmer, James A.	30–32 Bower st.	12—1954	907.40	209.40	‡
Palmer, James A.	49 Bower st.	12—1954	279.20	34.90	‡
Palmer, James A.	51 Bower st.	12—1954	279.20	34.90	‡
Rosengard, Annie	201 Harold st.	12—1954	418.80	34.90	‡
Roxbury Pro. Realty Corp.	338 Warren st.	12—1954	767.80	174.50	‡
Slaughter, Ernest S.	3–5 Woodbine st.	12—1954	1,047.00	279.20	‡
Standard Renting Co., Inc.	59 Elm Hill av.	12—1954	1,465.80	139.60	‡
Standard Renting Co., Inc.	63 Elm Hill av.	12—1954	2,163.80	209.40	‡
Standard Renting Co., Inc.	67 Elm Hill av.	12—1954	1,989.30	174.50	‡
Standard Renting Co., Inc.	71 Elm Hill av.	12—1954	1,954.40	139.60	‡
United Metal Products	2566–2574 Washington st.	12—1954	2,443.00	209.40	‡
White, Jennie A.	87 Georgia st.	12—1954	593.30	34.90	‡
Hamilton, Theresa	18 Wilbur st.	13—1954	523.50	104.70	‡
Kazarian, Sophie E.	912 Dorchester av.	13—1951	698.00	139.60	‡
Kolosky, Julia R.	64 Virginia st.	13—1954	516.53	104.70	‡
Krafchiek, Joseph	278–286 Blue Hill av.	13—1954	2,163.80	279.20	‡
Krafchick, Joseph	92–96C Quiney st.	13—1954	1,465.80	209.40	‡
Krafchiek, Joseph	290 Quiney st. N. E. cor.	13—1954	3,001.40	558.40	‡
Leonard, Mary L. and Steven	9 Willis st.	13—1954	488.60	104.70	‡
Lipson, Anna	32 Dewey st.	13—1954	404.84	69.80	‡
Lipson, Anna	34 Dewey st.	13—1954	349.00	69.80	‡
McTigue, Thomas	74 West Cottage st.	13—1954	362.96	69.80	‡
Murphy, Edward J., Jr. Trustee	28–34 Hancock st.	13—1954	2,303.40	558.40	‡
Naughton, Patriek J.	23 Bayside st.	13—1954	530.48	111.68	‡
Strokoskos, Agatha	22 Pleasant st.	13—1954	558.40	69.80	‡
Travers, Alice F. M.	68–70 Sagamore st.	13—1954	418.80	104.70	‡
Feldman, Joseph	1248 Blue Hill av.	14—1954	1,326.20	279.20	‡
Giser, Fannie E., Trustee	574 Walk Hill st.	14—1954	488.60	139.60	‡
Harvey, Evelyn M.	802–804 Blue Hill av.	14—1954	1,256.40	34.90	‡
Jacobson, Bessie, et al.	35–37 Intervale st.	14—1954	1,116.80	174.50	‡
Kessel, Vera	47 Wileock st.	14—1954	628.20	69.80	‡
Levine, Hyman B.	76 Esmond st.	14—1954	663.10	139.60	‡
Levine, Hyman B.	84 Esmond st.	14—1954	628.20	139.60	‡
Murray, John B., et al.	311 Columbia rd.	14—1954	907.40	104.70	‡
Pinta, Eddie J., et al.	11–13 Fowler st.	14—1954	488.60	69.80	‡
Pinta, Ida	66–68 Fowler st.	14—1954	404.84	69.80	‡
Siegel, Dora	452 Norfolk st.	14—1954	544.44	34.90	‡
Silva, Eva G.	151 Columbia rd.	14—1954	516.52	69.80	‡
Silver, Frances	318 Blue Hill av.	14—1954	2,094.00	349.00	‡
Traehtenberg, Sarah D.	59–63 Washington st.	14—1954	4,886.00	349.00	‡
Yelovitz, Leona	67–69 Callender st.	14—1954	1,151.70	174.50	‡
Corey, John and Mary	349 Columbia rd.	15—1954	558.40	34.90	‡
Corey, John and Mary	59 Adams st.	15—1954	481.62	34.90	‡
Miller, Annie	250–252A Bowdoin st.	15—1954	1,186.60	244.30	‡
Nathanson, Clara	390–394 Geneva av.	15—1954	1,396.00	139.60	‡
Bannister, Alfred F., et al.	55 Charlemont st.	16—1954	383.90	34.90	‡
Beadis, Mary A.	17 Bateswell rd.	16—1954	383.90	34.90	‡
Bombardieri, Pietro	126 Melville av.	16—1954	732.90	104.70	‡
Carmody, Charles J., et al.	6 Narragansett st.	16—1954	488.60	55.84	‡
Corey, John and Mary	420 Talbot av.	16—1954	558.40	69.80	‡
Coakley, Della A.	24 Glenrose rd.	16—1954	628.20	69.80	‡
Corigiliano, John and Mary	7 Granville st.	16—1954	537.46	34.90	‡
Fay, Mary J.	866 Adams st.	16—1954	558.40	139.60	‡
Flaherty, Anna M., et al.	549 Gallivan Blvd.	16—1954	558.40	139.60	‡
Ford, John J.	94 Milton st.	16—1954	188.46	48.86	‡
Goodwin, H. Raymond	92 Milton st.	16—1954	188.46	48.86	‡
Graham, Elizabeth E.	60–62 Chelmsford st.	16—1954	628.20	69.80	‡
Hall, Mary E., et al.	571 Freeport st.	16—1954	230.34	55.84	‡
Hurley, Anna M.	Vaeant lot, Ashmont st., Ns	16—1954	104.70	34.90	‡

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Lynch, Margaret M	28 Glenrose rd	16—1954	$593.30	$69.80	‡
McMorrow, Alice T., et al	322 Adams st	16—1954	795.72	272.22	‡
Metrogolos, Alice	208 Neponset av	16—1954	418.80	104.70	‡
Murphy, Helen E	29 Wrentham st	16—1954	314.10	34.90	‡
Neville, Ellen B	49-51 Minot st	16—1954	656.12	132.62	‡
New England Mill Work	60-64 Hill Top st	16—1954	1,745.00	139.60	‡
Semple, Gavin and Agnes	34 Westglow st	16—1954	314.10	104.70	‡
Vasile, Dominic, et al	116-118 King st	16—1954	537.46	34.90	‡
Walsh, Patricia A	985 Old Colony Pkwy	16—1954	1,396.00	418.80	‡
Wolfson, David	V. L. Templeton st., Ns.	16—1954	62.82	27.92	‡
Wolfson, David, Trustee	80 Florida st	16—1954	2,094.00	279.20	‡
Capone, Jennaro	329 Talbot av	17—1954	2,373.20	279.20	‡
Capone, Jerry	1961 Dorchester av	17—1954	1,116.80	209.40	‡
Connolly, Patrick, et al	58 Armandine st	17—1954	459.55	69.80	‡
Corigliano, Domenic	125 Gallivan Blvd	17—1954	530.18	34.90	‡
Duseau, Joseph O	51 Kenwood st	17—1954	488.60	34.90	‡
Elaine Realty Corp	52 Wentworth st	17—1954	907.40	69.80	‡
Elaine Realty Corp	18 Wentworth st	17—1954	907.40	139.60	‡
Goodman, Joseph L	Lot B, Armandine st	17—1954	69.80	20.94	‡
Griffin, Mary E	15A Kenwood st	17—1954	670.08	34.90	‡
Jannette, Gennino	15 Merlin st	17—1954	355.98	41.88	‡
Keizner, Benjamin	9 Wilmington av	17—1954	628.20	104.70	‡
Pearlman, Moses	369 Talbot av	17—1954	4,188.00	349.00	‡
Schwartz, Annie	640-642 Washington st	17—1954	1,116.80	279.20	‡
Spivack, Samuel	641-649B Washington st	17—1954	6,282.00	698.00	‡
Sullivan, Margaret B	60 Alban st	17—1954	628.20	104.70	‡
Alpert, Anna	15 Hallowell st	18—1954	383.90	34.90	‡
Aronstein, Abraham	52 Tennis rd	18—1954	523.50	104.70	‡
Eno, Domenic A	Vacant lot, Greenfield rd	18—1954	90.71	34.90	‡
Fair Realty, Inc	2 Fairmount av	18—1954	3,141.00	349.00	‡
Freeman, Rose	12 Brockton st	18—1954	474.61	55.84	‡
Lakeman, Esther	12 Culbert st	19—1954	600.28	69.80	‡
Lusby, James F., et al	24 Tacoma st	19—1954	349.00	27.92	‡
Tracy, Frank A., et al	665 Walk Hill st	18—1954	286.18	34.90	‡
Wojciechowicz, John	1354 Blue Hil av	18—1954	767.80	209.40	‡
Wolff, Sidney N	19 Rosewood st	18—1954	279.20	69.80	‡
Ayoub, Edward D	2 Lamartine pl	19—1954	279.20	34.90	‡
Carey, Francis A	581 Centre st	19—1954	837.60	139.60	‡
Gilboy, George H. J., et al	26 May st	19—1954	628.20	69.80	‡
Havey, William B., Jr	75 May st	19—1954	628.20	18.86	‡
Manning, Helen E	37 Wachusett st	19—1954	502.56	69.80	‡
Moore, Thomas J	470 Centre st	19—1954	628.20	104.70	‡
O'Donnell, Michael	16 Pond View av	19—1954	872.50	69.80	‡
Stamatos, Katina	45 Pershing rd	19—1954	628.20	69.80	‡
Walsh John J	Vacant lot, Lochstead av	19—1954	362.96	188.46	‡
Barton, Dorothy E	Vacant lot, Richwood st	20—1954	76.78	41.88	‡
Bohman, Isabella	4463 Washington st	20—1954	1,081.90	69.80	‡
Boole, John H., et al	151-159 Belgrade av	20—1954	1,047.00	69.80	‡
Brack, Frank and Florence	17 Brehms st	20—1954	355.98	69.80	‡
Casavant, Miriam G	1741-1749 Centre st	20—1954	2,652.40	418.80	‡
Cook, Frank B	2 Ruskin st	20—1954	558.40	104.70	‡
Donarumia, Alfonso	52 Russett rd	20—1954	453.70	69.80	‡
Fennessy, Mary F	9 Whittemore st	20—1954	418.80	34.90	‡
Galvin, Mary	750 Veterans of Foreign Wars Parkway.	20—1954	418.80	69.80	‡
Gaquin, John F. X	24 Ruskin st	20—1954	418.80	34.90	‡
Giaquinto, Angelo	211-211A Belgrade av	20—1954	488.60	69.80	‡
Healy, Thomas and Ann	124 Furbush rd	20—1954	307.12	55.84	‡
Hovananian, Edward G	356 La Grange st	20—1954	558.40	69.80	‡
Kiley, Edith A	120 Anawan av	20—1954	593.30	69.80	‡
Levy, Frank J., et al	7 Cricket Lane	20—1954	579.34	55.84	‡
Lodge Brothers, Inc	1764 Centre st	20—1954	2,024.20	209.40	‡
McNulty, John J., et al	16 Alameda rd	20—1954	321.00	20.94	‡
O'Toole, Marion F	5 Buchanan rd	20—1954	418.80	69.80	‡
Pearlman, Moses and Doris	4345 Washington st	20—1954	4,886.00	69.80	‡
Pilgrim Theatres Corp	338A Belgrade av	20—1954	2,582.60	349.00	‡
Wilner, Mina	564 Veterans of Foreign Wars Parkway.	20—1954	453.70	34.90	‡
A. & J. Auto Ignition	55 Brighton av	21—1954	3,490.00	349.00	‡
Cohen, Lena G	834 Beacon st	21—1954	2,512.80	418.80	‡
DeSisto, Anthony J., et al	41 Ashford st	21—1954	439.74	139.60	‡
Elaine Realty Corp	22 Wallingford rd	21—1954	1,256.40	69.80	‡
Elaine Realty Corp	24 Wallingford rd	21—1954	1,675.20	139.60	‡
Elaine Realty Corp	37 Egremont rd	21—1954	1,605.40	209.40	‡
Elaine Realty Corp	41 Egremont rd	21—1954	1,605.40	139.60	‡
Fenton, Cora C	62 Quint av	21—1954	558.40	69.80	‡
Gerstein, Carl, et al	125-145 Harvard av	21—1954	17,450.00	5,235.00	‡
Groper, Jean, et al	630 Commonwealth av	21—1954	9,074.00	1,745.00	‡
John Realty, Inc	1653 Commonwealth av	21—1954	2,582.60	209.40	‡
John Realty, Inc	78 Glenville av	21—1954	2,303.40	69.80	‡
John Realty, Inc	1657 Commonwealth av	21—1954	2,652.40	244.30	‡
John Realty, Inc	1661 Commonwealth av	21—1954	2,582.60	209.40	‡
John Realty, Inc	16 Harvard ter	21—1954	3,839.00	488.60	‡
Koziatek, Alexander	68A Harvard av	21—1954	1,256.40	209.40	‡
Landau Realty Corp	1448 Commonwealth av	21—1954	5,933.00	537.46	‡
Landau Realty Corp	1615 Commonwealth av	21—1954	6,631.00	614.24	‡
Lerner, Jack B., et al	152-162 Brighton av	21—1954	5,374.60	488.60	‡
Levine, Louis	39 Brighton av	21—1954	6,282.00	1,745.00	‡
Manning, John, Trustee	122 Brighton av	21—1954	2,792.00	349.00	‡
Misho, Paul	1143 Commonwealth av	21—1954	2,443.00	349.00	‡
Moss, Joseph	1340 Commonwealth av	21—1954	4,886.00	349.00	‡
Nobile, Victor H	227 Park Drive	21—1954	3,839.00	698.00	‡
Spellman, Martin H., et al	2496 Beacon st	21—1954	1,326.20	139.60	‡
Taylor, James R. and Louise	16 Sawyer ter	21—1954	453.70	69.80	‡
Tilton, Madelyn M., Trustee	17 Keswick st	21—1954	732.90	104.70	‡
T. & C. Realty, Inc	12-16 Griggs pl	21—1954	5,235.00	488.60	‡
Yorks, Rose and Abraham	722 Commonwealth av	21—1954	6,631.00	698.00	‡
Yorks, Rose and Abraham	728 Commonwealth av	21—1954	6,282.00	698.00	‡
Zuker, Alan G	215 Harvard av	21—1954	1,465.80	139.60	‡
Cuggino, Nazzareno	V. lot, rear N. Beacon st	22—1954	865.52	516.52	‡

STEP-RATE INCREASES.

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	From	To
William H. Foscaldo,	$70.69—	$74.71
James L. McGrath,	70.69—	74.71
James F. Reardon,	70.69—	74.71
Henry J. Servent,	70.69—	74.71
Edward T. Saniuk,	70.69—	74.71
Robert E. Small,	70.69—	74.71
Frank P. Barresi,	67.82—	70.69
Thomas J. Callahan,	67.82—	70.69
Joseph L. Corbett,	67.82—	70.69
William P. Doyle, Jr.,	67.82—	70.69
Hugh F. J. Duffy,	67.82—	70.69
Thomas F. Gorham, Jr.,	67.82—	70.69
Gerald P. Hart,	67.82—	70.69
Robert F. Hawkins,	67.82—	70.69
William E. Loughnane,	67.82—	70.69
Edward F. McCarthy,	67.82—	70.69
Richard J. McGinn,	67.82—	70.69
William D. McHugh,	67.82—	70.69
Joseph L. Nania,	67.82—	70.69
Melzer T. Pietroski,	67.82—	70.69
Charles L. Stokinger,	67.82—	70.69
Calvin Sweeney,	67.82—	70.69
Thomas Whalen,	67.82—	70.69

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Long Island Division.

Vincent C. Aguada, attendant nurse, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Arlene P. Blackwell, attendant nurse, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

John Caruso, senior hospital kitchen worker (cook), from $53 to $55.50 a week.

Juliette M. Custeau, attendant nurse, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Raymond G. Greene, attendant, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Grace A. Murray, hospital kitchen worker, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Claire K. Rowen, attendant nurse, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Donald R. Schnepf, attendant nurse, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Harold A. Stetson, attendant nurse, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Marie D. Tyrrell, hospital laundry worker, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Edward J. Walsh, hospital kitchen worker, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

William C. Yeager, attendant nurse, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

MUNICIPAL COURT, ROXBURY DISTRICT.

Theodore Zaborski, from $158.78 to $166.39 semimonthly.

Edwin J. Agnew, from $131.59 to $137.03 semimonthly.

Joseph Conforto, from $131.59 to $137.03 semimonthly.

Elizabeth O'Connor, from $131.59 to $137.03 semimonthly.

DISTRICT COURT OF CHELSEA.

Mary A. White, principal clerk, from $153.34 to $158.78 semimonthly.

Cecelia R. Hanlon, principal clerk, from $147.90 to $153.34 semimonthly.

Mary A. White, principal clerk, from $148.49 to $153.34 semimonthly.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following requests:

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

James D. McCarthy, Norman W. Rodham, civil engineers, John J. Casey, Jr., senior architectural draftsman.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Gertrude E. Folan, executive secretary, 7 hours at $3 an hour.

Sanatorium Division.

For the week ending January 18:

The following-named employees who earn over $77 a week have been granted an additional day's pay for working on Christmas:

Evelyn Gordon, dietitian; Luke McCarthy, engineer; Patrick Murtagh, chief engineer; Rachael Scheehl, dietitian; Joseph Sedar, chef; Katherine Burke, head nurse; Alice DeRoehn, night supervisor of nurses; Mary Flynn, head nurse; Anne Gilson, head nurse; Clara Greene, Rose Humiston, Sadie Linn, Mazie MacIntyre, Katherine Morris, Gertrude O'Connell, Johanne Reidy, head nurses; Mary Rogers, registered graduate nurse; Mary Spinale, night supervisor of nurses; Anna Sullivan, Cecelia Sullivan, Mary Tolan, head nurses; Francis Hart, principal storekeeper.

VETERANS' RETIREMENTS.

The Mayor has approved the following veterans' applications for retirement:

Angus B. McDougall (also known as Angus B. McDougal), 31 Sudan street, Dorchester, yardman, Water Division, Public Works Department.

Hilary J. O'Connell, 177 Everett street, East Boston, hoseman, Engine Company 40, Fire Department.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award the contracts for work, materials, and supplies, in accordance with recommendations of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Purchasing Division.

Upon December 31, 1954, the Mayor approved a contract with lowest bidders by items for furnishing soap to the various city departments from January 1, 1955, to March 31, 1955, inclusive. Approximate total amounts of contracts were as follows:

Swift & Co., $7,848.39, net; Colgate-Palmolive Company, $1,293.03, net.

Bids, opened December 24, 1954, were as follows:

Soap.

Item 1. 30,000 Pounds Soap Powder, 200-Pound Barrels, Per Pound.—Swift & Co., 4.97 cents.*

Item 2. 2,740 Pounds Soap, 15 to 18 Per Cent Soap, Packed 18 28-Ounce Packages to Case, Per Pound.—Colgate-Palmolive Co., 10 cents, 18 to 20 per cent, 24 30-ounce packages to case; Swift & Co., 7.56 cents.*

Item 3. 14,070 Pounds Soap Chips, New, Cotton, 110-Pound Bags, Per Pound.—Acme Soap Company, $9.99 (total); Colgate-Palmolive Company, 9.19 cents*; Swift & Co., 9.47 cents.

Item 4. 7,500 Pounds Laundry Soap, 120 8-Ounce Packages to Case, Per Pound.—Colgate-Palmolive Company, 8.04 cents; Swift & Co., 7.22 cents.*

Item 5. 21,875 Pounds White Floating Soap, Unwrapped, 1,000 Half-Ounce Bars to Case, Per Pound.—Colgate-Palmolive Company, 30.41 cents, does not include 1.59 cent Federal oil tax; Swift & Co. 25.64 cents.*

TAX ABATEMENT DECISIONS RENDERED BY THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS FOR THE WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 17.—Concluded.

LEGEND.

* Appellate Tax Board Settlement. ¶ Illegal assessment. ‖ Chapter 59-5.
† Appellate Tax Board Decision. § Duplicate assessment. = Chapter 58-8.
‡ Overvaluation Settlement by Board of Assessors.

Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Gargan, Michael J., et al.	12 Matchett st.	22—1954	$586.32	$69.80	‡
Homsey, Nabeeha M.	78 Brentwood st.	22—1954	453.70	69.80	‡
Hurovitz, Sophie	311-315 Washington st.	22—1954	1,605.40	209.40	‡
Kane, Bernard T., et al.	245 Parsons st.	22—1954	376.92	34.90	‡
Leary, Marguerite M.	82 Harriet st.	22—1954	544.44	69.80	‡
McCarthy, Florence, et al.	20 Harriet st.	22—1954	383.90	104.70	‡
Morgan, Harry A.	931 South st.	22—1954	558.40	69.80	‡
Rago, Felice, et al.	53 Parsons st.	22—1954	621.22	132.62	‡
Shapiro, David T.	18 Hatherly road	22—1954	704.98	69.80	‡
Sweeney, Dennis J.	58 Lake st.	22—1954	718.94	160.54	‡
	PERSONAL PROPERTY.				
Sabia, Theodore	231 Maverick st.	1—1954	$20.94	$6.98	‡
Yorks, Abraham	165 Chelsea st.	1—1954	698.00	698.00	‡
Bailey, H. Allen	16 Dorrance st.	2—1954	174.50	111.68	‡
Cox, Arnold B.	251 Causeway st.	3—1954	579.34	258.26	‡
Russo, Joseph	42 Green st.	3—1954	34.90	34.90	¶
Pennacchio, Michael	59 South Margin st.	3—1954	13.96	13.96	¶
Spinale, Joseph	44A Green st.	3—1954	6.98	6.98	¶
Sullivan Cafe, Inc.	85 Causeway st.	3—1954	13.96	13.96	¶
Savon Roofing Co.	409 West Broadway	6—1954	20.94	20.94	¶
Shindler, Louis	409 West Broadway	6—1954	349.00	349.00	‡
Waible, Joseph A.	741 Huntington av.	10—1954	848.40	349.00	‡
Frisch, Lawrence, Dr.	620 Warren st.	12—1954	41.88	27.92	‡
Koldowsky, Samuel	203 Humboldt av.	12—1954	279.20	139.60	‡
Kelly, A. J.	157 Stoughton st.	13—1954	383.90	174.50	‡
Federiko, Domenic	Thorn st.	18—1954	523.50	383.90	‡
Brighton Lithuanian Citizens Club, Inc.	24 Lincoln st.	22—1954	209.40	69.80	‡
Eoksuzian, Joseph A.	328 Washington st.	22—1954	349.00	69.80	‡
Howes, C. G., Co.	84 Braintree st.	22—1954	698.00	698.00	¶
Simonett, Lawrence C.	302 North Beacon st.	22—1954	349.00	349.00	‡

Discount.—Acme Soap Company., 1 per cent, 15 days; Colgate-Palmolive Company, net; Swift & Co., net, no discount.

Remarks.—Colgate-Palmolive Company, check submitted with bid of two weeks ago; Swift & Co., wire cut, same as previously furnished.

* Contract awarded.

Upon January 13 the Mayor approved a contract with Dual Parking Meter Company for furnishing parking meters to the Property Division of the Real Property Department. Approximate total amount of contract was $17,316.44, less discount of 5 per cent, 30 days, from date of invoice.

Bids, opened January 5, were as follows:

Parking Meters.

Item 1. 326 Single Head, 2-Hour, 2-Nickel, Manually Operated Meters, As Per Specifications, Each Delivered and Installed.—M. H. Rhodes, Inc., $59.45; Dual Parking Meter Company, $51.79.*

Item 2. 10 Single, 2-Hour, 2-Nickel, Manual Meter Heads, Without Posts, Each Delivered.—M. H. Rhodes, Inc., $54.95; Dual Parking Meter Company, $43.29.*

Guaranteed Delivery Date from Receipt of Order.—M. H. Rhodes, Inc., Item 1, 40 days; Item 2, 40 days; Dual Parking Meter Company, Item 1, 60 days; Item 2, 60 days.

Name of Meter.—M. H. Rhodes, Inc., Mark-Time Hurricane Parking Meter; Dual Parking Meter Company, Dual Manual, Model "MA," Parking Meter.

Name of Manufacturer.—M. H. Rhodes, Inc., M. H. Rhodes, Inc.; Dual Parking Meter Company, Dual Parking Meter Company.

Authorized Representative.—M. H. Rhodes, Inc., Abraham Salett; Dual Parking Meter Company, B. H. Spinney.

Number of Present Installations.—M. H. Rhodes, Inc., 440; Dual Parking Meter Company, North Canton, Ohio, 30.

Manufacturer of Clock.—M. H. Rhodes, Inc., M. H. Rhodes, Inc.; Dual Parking Meter Company, Seth Thomas clocks.

Clock Guarantee.—M. H. Rhodes, Inc., one year; Dual Parking Meter Company, one year.

Remarks.—Dual Parking Meter Company, *see* specifications attached to proposal.

Discount.—Dual Parking Meter Company, 5 per cent, 30 days, from date of invoice; M. H. Rhodes, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment.

*** Contract awarded.**

Upon January 13 the Mayor approved a contract with United Supply Company for furnishing copper tubing to the Water Division of the Public Works Department. Approximate total amount of contract was $5,190, less one half of 1 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids, opened January 3, were as follows:

Copper Tubing.

Requisition No. 489.

15,000 Feet (250 60-Foot Coils) ¾-Inch, Type K, Soft Copper Tubing, Per Foot.—John A. McDonald, doing business as John A. McDonald Company, 34.67 cents; Monroe Company of Boston, 34.3 cents; United Supply Company, 34.60 cents*; Walworth Company, 36.46 cents.

Discount.—John A. McDonald, doing business as John A. McDonald Company, one half of 1 per cent, 10 days; Monroe Company of Boston, one half of 1 per cent; United Supply Company one half of 1 per cent; Walworth Company, 2 per cent, 10th proximo, net, 30 days.

Delivery.—John A. McDonald, doing business as John A. McDonald Company, at once, Chase Brass & Copper, South Boston; Monroe Company of Boston, 2

weeks, manufactured by Imperial Chemicals Industries, England; United Supply Company, immediate; Walworth Company, immediately from stock.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon January 14 the Mayor approved contracts as indicated for furnishing X-ray chemicals and materials to the various city departments from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956. Approximate total amounts of awards were as follows:

Contracts for: E. M. Parker, doing business as E. M. Parker Company, $101,040, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; Atlantic X-Ray Company, Inc., $48,917, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; Westinghouse Electric Corporation, $7,935.60, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; General Electric Company, X-Ray Department, $3,031.53, net, 30 days.

Orders for: Mallinckrodt Chemical Works, $862.50, net; Keleket X-Ray Corporation, $330, net.

Bids, opened January 6, were as follows:

Chemicals and Materials.

Item 1. 50 Barrels Barium Sulfate, 100 Pounds to Barrel, Unflavored, Mallinckrodt, or Equal, Per Barrel.—General Electric Company, $22.50, G.E., No. E4501F; Atlantic X-Ray Company, Inc., $21; Picker X-Ray Corporation, $20; Westinghouse Electric Corporation, $20; Mallinckrodt Chemical Works, 17½ cents per pound*; E. M. Parker Company, $22.50; Keleket X-Ray Corporation, $25.65.

Item 2. 70 Boxes Diedrast Compound, 20 CC. Amps., 25 to Box, Per Box.—General Electric Company, $33.07, G.E., No. E4512AB*; Picker X-Ray Corporation, $38.59; Westinghouse Electric Corporation, $38.50; Mallinckrodt Chemical Works, $32.967, Urokons sodium sterile solution, 70 per cent, box of 20 x 25 cc. amps; E. M. Parker Company, $36.75; Keleket X-Ray Corporation, $34.73.

Item 3. 200 Packages Pantopaque, 3 Amps. to Package, Per Package.—General Electric Company, $4.95, G.E., No. E4521A; Atlantic X-Ray Company, Inc., $5.50; Picker X-Ray Corporation, $5.50; Westinghouse Electric Corporation, $4.90*; E. M. Parker Company, $5.50; Keleket X-Ray Corporation, $5.

Item 4. Fluoroscopic Aprons, Cloth Covered on Both Sides, Equivalent Lead Protection, 0.5 MM., Wolf X-Ray Products, or Equal, 26-Inch Adjustable Straps, Each.—General Electric Company, $23.40, G. E., No. E3014D; Atlantic X-Ray Company, Inc., $25, Catalog No. 23B; Picker X-Ray Corporation, $22.50; Westinghouse Electric Corporation, $35; E. M. Parker Company, $25; Keleket X-Ray Corporation, $22.*

Item 5. 35,000 Envelopes, Manila, 14 x 17, Per M.—General Electric Company, $204.75 per 10 M, G. E., No. E2003E*; Atlantic X-Ray Company, Inc., $21.75; Picker X-Ray Corporation, $24.75; Westinghouse Electric Corporation, $24.75; E. M. Parker Company, $26; Keleket X-Ray Corporation, $23.50.

Item 6. 150,000 Sheets Film, Hi-Speed, DuPont, Ansco, or Eastman, for X-Ray, 14 x 17.—General Electric Company, $50.57, box of 75; $66.73, box of 100; Atlantic X-Ray Company, Inc., $50.60, box of 75; $66.80, box of 100; Picker X-Ray Corporation, $50.57, box of 75; $66.72, box of 100; Westinghouse Electric Corporation, $50.57, box of 75; $66.72, box of 100; E. M. Parker Company, $50.52,* box of 75; $66.67,* box of 100 (DuPont only at present on 100-sheet packages); Keleket X-Ray Corporation, $50.32, box of 75; $66.38, box of 100.

Item 7. 1,500 Sheets Film, Hi-Speed, DuPont, Ansco, or Eastman, for X-Ray, 11 x 14.—General Electric Company, $33.06, box of 75; $43.64, box of 100; Atlantic X-Ray Company, Inc., $33.10, box of 75; $43.70, box of 100; Picker X-Ray Corporation, $33.06, box of 75; $43.64, box of 100; Westinghouse Electric Corporation, $33.03,* box of 75; $43.60,* box of 100; E. M. Parker Company, $33.05, box of 75; $43.63, box of 100 (DuPont only at present on 100-sheet packages); Keleket X-Ray Corporation, $32.89, box of 75; $43.47, box of 100.

Item 8. 112,500 Sheets Film, Hi-Speed, DuPont, Ansco, or Eastman, for X-Ray, 10 x 12.—General Electric Company, $25.91, box of 75; $34.15, box of 100; Atlantic X-Ray Company, Inc., $25.89,* box of 75; $34.12,* box of 100; Picker X-Ray Corporation, $25.91, box of 75; $34.15, box of 100; Westinghouse Electric Corporation, $25.91, box of 75; $34.15, box of 100; E. M. Parker Company, $25.91, box of 75; $34.11, box of 100; Keleket X-Ray Corporation, $25.78, box of 75; $33.97, box of 100.

Item 9. 37,500 Sheets Film, Hi-Speed, DuPont, Ansco, or Eastman, for X-Ray, 8 x 10.—General Electric Company, $17.62, box of 75; $23.18, box of 100; Atlantic X-Ray Company, Inc., $17.60,* box of 75; $23.16,* box of 100; Picker X-Ray Corporation, $17.62, box of 75; $23.18, box of 100; Westinghouse Electric Corporation, $17.62, box of 75; $23.18, box of 100; E. M. Parker Company, $17.62, box of 75; $23.20, box of 100; Keleket X-Ray Corporation, $17.53, box of 75, $23.06, box of 100.

Item 10. 37,500 Sheets Film, Hi-Speed, DuPont, Ansco, or Eastman, for X-Ray, 6½ x 8½.—General Electric Company, $12.61, box of 75; $16.62, box of 100; Atlantic X-Ray Company, Inc., $12.61, box of 75; $16.62, box of 100; Picker X-Ray Corporation, $12.61, box of 75, $16.62, box of 100; Westinghouse Electric Corporation, $12.59,* box of 75; $16.60,* box of 100; E. M. Parker Company, $12.61, box of 75; $16.62, box of 100; Keleket X-Ray Corporation, $12.55, box of 75; $16.54, box of 100.

Item 11. 200 Boxes Film, Dental, Eastman Kodak, Radiatized, DF-7-150, Single Packets, Per Box.—General Electric Company, $6.41, box of 150, G. E., Catalog No. F3005F; Atlantic X-Ray Company, Inc., $6.41*; Picker X-Ray Corporation, $6.41; Westinghouse Electric Corporation, $6.50, box of 150; E. M. Parker Company, $6.41; Keleket X-Ray Corporation, $6.38, one film per packet, 150 dispenser packages per box.

Discount.—General Electric Company, net cash, 30 days; Atlantic X-Ray Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Picker X-Ray Corporation, net, 30 days; Westinghouse Electric Corporation, 2 per cent, time of payment; E. M. Parker Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Keleket X-Ray Corporation, net, 30 days; Mallinckrodt Chemical Works, net cash, 30 days.

* Contract awarded.

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

Upon January 16 the Mayor approved a contract with T. F. McGann & Sons Company for the installation of new bronze handrails on the main staircase of the Central Library Building. Bids, opened Thursday, December 16, 1954, were as follows:

T. F. McGann & Sons Company, $5,256; E. T. Ryan Iron Works, Inc., $7,328; Brighton Iron Works, $8,140.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

Upon varying dates as indicated the Mayor approved contracts with commercial houses, contractors, etc., for furnishing labor, supplies, and materials. Communications with heads of the departments interested were as follows:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.
Purchasing Division.

BOSTON, January 12, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office is in receipt of a requisition from the City Clerk Department for the following:

Sixty rolls Record Duplex paper, 11½ inches x 300 feet, Grade H.H. (coated both sides.)

The Haloid Company, Rochester, New York, who is the manufacturer of the above paper, has submitted an informal written quotation. Inasmuch as this company has no local distributors, the paper must be obtained direct from the Haloid Company.

Authority is therefore requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to the Haloid Company. It is my opinion that, in this way, the best interests of the city will be served.

Approximate total amount of contract for 60 rolls of Record Duplex paper at $49.85 per roll will be $2,991, net, delivered.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

BOSTON, January 10, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

I respectfully request your Honor's approval of my selection of the architectural firm of W. Chester Browne & Associates, 184 Boylston street, Boston, Mass., as architects for the construction of an addition to the Boston Trade High School in the Sherwin District, Roxbury, which involves alterations to the existing building, at a total estimated cost of construction of $430,000.

As there is a universally accepted standard rate for professional architectural services established by the American Institute of Architects I ask your approval of my procedure of dispensing with public advertising in the *City Record* as it is considered that nothing would be gained by public advertising.

All details of architectural fees, payments, etc., will be included in the formal contract.

The appropriation for this work was approved by the School Committee of the City of Boston as of November 23, 1954, and the work authorized.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES H. MOONEY,
Superintendent of Construction.

BOSTON, January 10, 1955.
HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.
DEAR MR. MAYOR:

I respectfully request your Honor's approval of my selection of the architectural firm of John M. Gray, Inc., 175 High street, Boston, Mass., as architects for the construction of an elementary school in the Elihu Greenwood District, Hyde Park, such school to be located on the site of the Elihu Greenwood School Building on Metropolitan avenue and the adjacent site extending from Lockwood street to Safford street, at a total estimated cost of construction of $658,000.

As there is a universally accepted standard rate for professional architectural services established by the American Institute of Architects I ask your approval of my procedure of dispensing with public advertising in the *City Record* as it is considered that nothing would be gained by public advertising.

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BOSTON, January 10, 1955.
HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.
DEAR MR. MAYOR:

I respectfully request your Honor's approval of my selection of the architectural firm of Isidor Richmond & Carney Goldberg, 16 Arlington street, Boston, Mass., as architects for the construction of an elementary school in the Mary Hemenway District, Dorchester, such school to be located on the site of the former Elbridge Smith School, Centre street, Dorchester, at a total estimated cost of construction of $462,000.

As there is a universally accepted standard rate for professional architectural services established by the American Institute of Architects I ask your approval of my procedure of dispensing with public advertising in the *City Record* as it is considered that nothing would be gained by public advertising.

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BOSTON, January 10, 1955.
HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.
DEAR MR. MAYOR:

I respectfully request your Honor's approval of my selection of John Guarino of 2 Lexington street, East Boston, as architect for the construction of an elementary school in the Henry Grew District, Hyde Park, such school to be located on the site of the former Henry Grew School and the adjacent site extending from Gordon avenue to Linwood street, at a total estimated cost of construction of $427,000.

As there is a universally accepted standard rate for professional architectural services established by the American Institute of Architects I ask your approval of my procedure of dispensing with public advertising in the *City Record* as it is considered that nothing would be gained by public advertising.

All details of architectural fees, payments, etc., will be included in the formal contract.

The appropriation for this work was approved by the School Committee of the City of Boston as of November 23, 1954, and the work authorized.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES H. MOONEY,
Superintendent of Construction.

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BOSTON, January 10, 1955.
HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.
DEAR MR. MAYOR:

I respectfully request your Honor's approval of my selection of William W. Drummey, 80 Boylston street, Boston, Mass., as architect for the construction of an addition to the Solomon Lewenberg Junior High School, Outlook road, Mattapan, which involves alterations to the existing building, at a total estimated cost of construction of $217,000.

As there is a universally accepted standard rate for professional architectural services established by the American Institute of Architects I ask your approval of my procedure of dispensing with public advertising in the *City Record* as it is considered that nothing would be gained by public advertising.

All details of architectural fees, payments, etc., will be included in the formal contract.

The appropriation for this work was approved by the School Committee of the City of Boston as of November 23, 1954, and the work authorized.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES H. MOONEY,
Superintendent of Construction.

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BOSTON, January 10, 1955.
HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.
DEAR MR. MAYOR:

I respectfully request your Honor's approval of my selection of the architectural firm of Campbell & Aldrich, 38 Newbury street, Boston, Mass., as architects for the erection of an elementary school in the Elihu Greenwood District, Hyde Park, such school to be located on lots numbered 134 to 144, inclusive, on the southwesterly side of Needham road (formerly Wolcott road), at a total estimated cost of $623,000.

As there is a universally accepted standard rate for professional architectural services established by the American Institute of Architects I ask your approval of my procedure of dispensing with public advertising in the *City Record* as it is considered that nothing would be gained by public advertising.

All details of architectural fees, payments, etc., will be included in the formal contract.

The appropriation for this work was approved by the School Committee of the City of Boston as of November 23, 1954, and the work authorized.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES H. MOONEY,
Superintendent of Construction.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, December 31, 1954.
HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.
DEAR SIR:

A shortage of proper quarters for the housing of female doctors has made it necessary for the hospital to hire rooms for the past few years at the Franklin Square House. The unit cost of these rooms for 1955 will be $9.50 per week.

The number of female doctors has varied from two to four and varies according to the appointment of female doctors to the staff.

I respectfully request your approval of this continued policy of the rental of rooms at the Franklin Square House for that period between January 1 and December 31, 1955, at a total cost not to exceed $2,000.

Very truly yours,

JOHN F. CONLIN, M.D.,
Director of Hospitals and Superintendent of the Boston City Hospital.

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, January 10, 1955.
HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.
DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The trustees respectfully request that you approve the signing of a lease, without public advertising, with David S. Green, Sarah Kaplan, Abraham Kaplan, A. Murray Ginsberg, Raymond Ginsberg, Irene Lebowich, and Florence Sonnabend for the rental of the premises located at 161 Harvard avenue, Allston. These premises have served as quarters for the Allston Branch Library since 1939. The lease will be for the period January 1, 1955, through December 31, 1955. There will be no change in the rate of rent, which will be in the sum of thirty-eight hundred dollars ($3,800). It is not possible to obtain competitive bidding by public advertising for this purpose.

Inasmuch as the total rental will exceed one thousand dollars ($1,000), your permission to enter into this lease without publicly advertising for bids is hereby requested.

Respectfully,

THE TRUSTEES OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY OF THE CITY OF BOSTON,
by MILTON E. LORD,
Director and Librarian.

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BOSTON, January 11, 1955.
HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.
DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The trustees respectfully request that you approve the signing of a lease, without public advertising, with the Woodside Realty Corporation for the rental of the premises located at 18 Barnes avenue, East Boston. These premises have served as quarters for the Orient Heights Branch Library since 1929. The lease will be for the period January 1, 1955, through December 31, 1955. There will be no change in the basic rate of rent. The rental will be four thousand dollars ($4,000) plus "additional rent" of two hundred and sixty dollars ($260). It is not possible to obtain competitive bidding by public advertising for this purpose.

For the purpose of this lease the "additional rent" referred to is defined as that sum of money by which the real estate

taxes on the premises assessed for the year 1955 exceeds the 1949 real estate tax. It is further agreed that until such time as the real estate tax rate for the year 1955 is finally determined, the sum of two hundred and sixty dollars ($260) shall represent the "additional rent." Further, if the 1955 real estate tax as finally determined should be less than the 1949 real estate tax, no "additional rent" shall be payable, and the lessor covenants and agrees to pay the lessee the difference.

Inasmuch as the total rental will exceed one thousand dollars ($1,000), your permission to enter into this lease without publicly advertising for bids is hereby requested.

Respectfully,

THE TRUSTEES OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY OF THE CITY OF BOSTON,
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BOSTON, January 11, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The trustees respectfully request that you approve the signing of a lease, without public advertising, with Toffe G. Kando for the rental of the premises located at 275 Washington street, Dorchester. These premises have served as quarters for the Mt. Bowdoin Branch Library since 1929. The lease will be for the period January 1, 1955, through December 31, 1955. There will be no change in the rate of rent, which will be in the sum of three thousand dollars ($3,000). It is not possible to obtain competitive bidding by public advertising for this purpose.

Inasmuch as the total rental will exceed one thousand dollars ($1,000), your permission to enter into this lease without publicly advertising for bids is hereby requested.

Respectfully,

THE TRUSTEES OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY OF THE CITY OF BOSTON,
by MILTON E. LORD,
Director and Librarian.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

SUPERIOR COURT.
(Civil Business.)

BOSTON, January 6, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

MY DEAR MR. MAYOR:

In accordance with provisions of section 1, chapter 156, of the Acts of 1939, I request your approval to dispense with the contract formality of such act, and assign as reasons thereof the following:

It is impossible for the clerk to anticipate the amount and kind of printed forms, lists, books, and office supplies necessary for the proper maintenance of his office. The many forms and lists are subject to change without notice and it would be unwise to place orders in anticipation of a year's supply, as it would result in vast overstocking of many items and a shortage of others.

In addition, it is the duty of the clerk to prepare and promulgate the orders of court and to prepare and mail the various weekly trial lists; also to keep the court and sessions thereof supplied with forms and stationery as needed.

As it is impossible to foresee what supplies are necessary to carry out this duty, I believe the continuance of the practice of ordering supplies as needed should be followed. I call your attention to the fact that I have been granted this permission each year since I have been clerk.

Respectfully yours,

THOMAS DORGAN,
Clerk.

ADDITIONS TO AND DEDUCTIONS FROM CONTRACTS.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

D. Antonellis, Inc., has been ordered to make the following additions to the contract for the High School of Practical Arts:

Repair 24 water-closet flushing apparatus throughout building; furnish and install three new tank linings; repair 20 faucets, clear stoppage in 12 water closets and in 2 lavatories, repair 2 broken water lines; furnish and install new water closet bowl, for the sum of $435.49, and the amount of $435.49 will be added therefor, making the account as follows: contract price, $77,816; total additions, $1,799.49; amount of contract, $79,615.49.

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D. Russell Boiler Works has been ordered to make the following changes in the contract for various schools:

Additions.

Samuel Adams School: Reinforce and weld handhole plate on boiler, $78.78.

Horace Mann School: Weld water leg of boiler, $155.65.

Patrick F. Gavin School: Reweld nipples to water legs, $130.20.

Lewis School: Rivet boiler head, reinforce and weld handhole, $94.55.

Boston Trade School: Furnish and install new high pressure B.O. valves, $114.53.

John Cheverus School: Renew rivets on the lower half of boiler girth seam, $504.48.

School Committee Building, Beacon Street: Install new handhole plate and gasket on boiler, $6.25.

Boston Clerical School: Install new gate valve on boiler feed pipe, $6.72.

Total, $1,091.16.

Deduction.

Mary E. Curley School: Boiler No. 1, omit work specified on contract, $528.

Total amount to be added to contract, $563.16, and the amount of $563.16 will be added therefor, making the account as follows: contract price, $19,080; total additions, $563.16; amount of contract, $19,643.16.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

William J. Banfield has been granted an extension of time until April 22, 1955, for the completion of the contract for cleaning catch basins in any park roadway in the City of Boston.

ABANDONMENT OF LAND FOR PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT IN WEST ROXBURY DISTRICT.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that due notice be given that this commission is of the opinion that public necessity requires the abandonment of the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of April 30, 1954, acting under General Laws, chapter 80A, which provided for the taking of land for Public Works Department purposes, near Gardner and High streets, West Roxbury district, substantially as shown on a plan on file in the office of this commission, that it intends to pass an order to make said abandonment, and that it appoints 10 o'clock A.M., of December 29, 1954, and the office of this commission, 401 City Hall Annex, as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said commission on said day.

Attest:

MICHAEL J. CORRAO,
Secretary.

IN PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT COMMISSION,
CITY OF BOSTON, DECEMBER 30, 1954.

Whereas, The Public Improvement Commission has passed the aforesaid order of notice and has caused a copy of said order to be published on December 18, 1954, in the *City Record*, and in the Boston *Globe* and Boston *American*, December 17, 18, 20, 21, 1954, and has given the public hearing, notice of which was given in said order; it is

Voted, That the Public Improvement Commission of said City of Boston, acting under the provisions of chapter 80A of the General Laws, does hereby order the abandonment of said order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of April 30, 1954, providing for the taking of land for Public Works Department purposes near Gardner and High streets, West Roxbury district.

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the abandonment of the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of April 30, 1954, providing for the taking of land for Public Works Department purposes near Gardner and High streets, West Roxbury district, and awards no damages therefor.

Whereas, An order of the Public Improvement Commission, approved by the Mayor December 30, 1954, provided for the abandonment of the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of April 30, 1954, for the taking of land near Gardner and High streets, West Roxbury district, for Public Works Department purposes; it is

Voted, That the awards of damages made under said order of April 30, 1954, be, and the same hereby are, rescinded.

Voted, That this commission determines that the undermentioned estates sustain damages by the taking in fee of land near Gardner and High streets, West Roxbury district, for Public Works Department purposes, under the order of the commission of December 30, 1954, in the amounts hereinafter respectively set against them and awards said amounts therefor.

J. and M. Corporation of Quincy (Mass. Corp.). Parcels 1, 3, 5, 48.68 acres, 5.93 acres, 13 acres, $33,650.

Willard P. Whittemore (Parcel 2), .11 acre, $100.

Estate of Frederick E. Cruff, City of Boston, T.T., 3.25 acres, $1,250.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, January 10, 1955.

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 2 P.M., President HURLEY in the chair. Absent, Councillor White.

The Reverend Albert J. Shea, pastor of St. James Church, Boston, was escorted to the rostrum.

INVOCATION BY REVEREND ALBERT J. SHEA.

Almighty God, Ruler of the world and Author of the universe, with faith and confidence we beseech Thee to be with the Council of the City of Boston as it opens its session for the new year. With great appreciation to You, Almighty God, we look back over the past history of the City of Boston to the record of its administrators. With justifiable pride we acknowledge the accomplishments of the City of Boston, its leadership, and its achievements from the earliest days of our nation until the present time. By Thy grace the power to govern has been used wisely and justly.

We are not unmindful of the changing circumstances of this modern world of ours, changes which have resulted in glorious progress on the one hand and potential evil and dangers on the other.

We stand at the threshold of a new world, a world which, under God, America must help to fashion. We must carefully scrutinize our past failures and keenly search for divine mandates for future guidance.

Home is the unit of society, and the city is one foundation stone of the governments of this great wide world. On that home and this city depend all the aspirations of mankind to love, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness.

To Washington, the Father of our Country, You gave clear vision. To Lincoln, the Emancipator, You gave the love of the plain man. To the rulers of the cities of America there must never be a lack of vision and justice, and we intend to maintain this glorious tradition.

Leo XIII, Thy servant, has warned us of the futility of building a house upon sands, or a truth upon fables. We beseech Thee, Almighty God, to give the members of this City Council a clear understanding that true leadership does not think of glory but of responsibility and a personal self-examination to prepare themselves and their city for a great future and is not based on unflattering falsehoods but on great truths.

I beseech Thee, Almighty God, to give to the members of the City Council of Boston the great virtues of justice, prudence, fortitude, and temperance, that their public administration in the year 1955 may bring honor to themselves, happiness and prosperity to Boston, and glory to Almighty God.

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost. Amen.

JURORS DRAWN.

The following jurors were drawn in the manner prescribed by law, Councillor Ahearn presiding at the box in the absence of the Mayor, viz.:

Two additional grand jurors, Superior Criminal Court, to appear January 12, 1955:

Charles P. Abbott, Ward 11; Chester J. Pawlowski, Ward 13.

Sixty-three traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, to appear February 7, 1955:

Charles Catino, Ward 1; Pauline Cianci, Ward 1; Peter Natale, Ward 3; Alicia M. Roach, Ward 3; Joseph A. Sawicki, Ward 3; Robert V. Manson, Ward 4; William McNerney, Ward 4; Joseph W. Nickerson, Ward 4; B. James Bonanno, Ward 6; Patrick J. Flavin, Ward 6; William F. McCormick, Ward 6; John D. Patterson, Ward 6; Joseph M. Bany, Ward 7; Thomas F. Brassil, Ward 7; John F. Reilly, Ward 7; Peter Vangel, Ward 7; Anthony J. Ziemba, Ward 7; Thomas J. Cataldi, Ward 8; Thomas J. Daly, jr., Ward 8; Joseph E. Miskel, Ward 8.

James F. Russell, Ward 9; Patrick B. Finnerty, Ward 10; William V. Keeley, Ward 10; Solomon J. Gootman, Ward 11; William L. Methot, Ward 11; Abraham Miller, Ward 11; John J. Shaughnessey, Ward 11; Olive A. Weaver, Ward 11; Maceo L. Covington, Ward 12; Frederick Martin, Ward 12; Romeo E. Porter, Ward 12; Louis Shapiro, Ward 12; Theresa A. Williams, Ward 12; Stanley J. Burke, Ward 13; Joseph M. Hunter, Jr., Ward 13; Benjamin F. Martin, Ward 13; Andrew J. Rokus, Ward 13.

Maurice B. Appel, Ward 14; Rhoda E. Cohen, Ward 14; David J. Epstein, Ward 14; George J. Finn, Ward 14; John F. Burke, Ward 15; Elmer P. Tynan, Ward 15; Allen S. Draper, Ward 16; Ethel J. Granger, Ward 16; Esther Bernstein, Ward 17; James A. Currie, Ward 18; J. William Holmer, Ward 18; Samuel Wasserman, Ward 18.

Edward T. Driscoll, Ward 19; Frederick F. Whitty, Ward 19; Leo G. Costa, Ward 20; John A. England, Jr., Ward 20; Marie B. Harrington, Ward 20; Webster E. Howard, Ward 20; A. Walter Johnson, Ward 20; George Sawyer, Ward 20; Lloyd A. Colby, Ward 21; Paul Meyer, Ward 21; Hiram Bruce Stanley, Ward 21; Dennis J. Lane, Ward 22; Harold F. Laprade, Ward 22; John Theodhor, Ward 22.

One hundred eighty-four traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, to appear February 7, 1955:

James T. Connelly, Ward 1; Michael D'Errico, Ward 1; Walter Horne, Ward 1; William E. Jackson, Ward 1; James McVey, Ward 1; Claire M. Morelli, Ward 1; Anthony Ranieri, Ward 1; Anthony Russo, Ward 1; Louis P. Nadeau, Ward 2; Henry F. Shappe, Ward 2; John Bruni, Ward 3; Carmen DeAmato, Ward 3; Theodore J. Don, Ward 3; George Khoury, Ward 3; Anthony A. Manupelli, Ward 3; Isadore Yackolow, Ward 3.

James Andrews, Ward 4; Albert J. Boudreau, Ward 4; John C. Greulich, Ward 4; Joseph Infantino, Ward 4 John G. Kassab, Ward 4; Joseph T. Keefe, Ward 4; Robert J. Powers, Ward 4; Ethel Smith, Ward 4; Henry R. Cobb, Ward 5; William H. Goodwin, Ward 5; William P. Intraversato, Ward 5; Joseph W. Lund, Ward 5; D. Lawrence Moriarty, Ward 5; John A. Riggs, Ward 5; Harry J. Wiggins, Ward 5; Benjamin J. Buya, Ward 6; Elizabeth M. Cook, Ward 6; John J. Flaherty, Ward 6; Joseph J. Fraser, Ward 6; Martin J. McCarty, Ward 6; Edward W. Murphy, Ward 6; Edward Cundari, Ward 7; John W. Greenwood, Ward 7; Eric W. Hansom, Ward 7; Charles E. Jacob, Ward 7; Walter W. Mroz, Ward 7; Frank A. Noonan, Ward 7; Coleman O'Malley, Jr., Ward 7; William C. Starratt, Ward 7.

Edmund J. Doherty, Ward 8; Michael J. Hughes, Ward 8; Teresa Santucci, Ward 8; Werter E. Zani, Ward 8; Arthur J. Gallagher, Ward 9; Margaret Esther Healey, Ward 9; Ida M. Johnson, Ward 9; William Kellett, Ward 9; Henry L. Marrow, Ward 9; Edward P. Cotter, Ward 10; Dorothy L. Donovan, Ward 10; Frank J. Kennedy, Ward 10; Martin Pitasi, Ward 10; Lloyd J. Amerault, Ward 11; John A. Bennett, Ward 11; Henry F. Booker, Ward 11; Thomas C. Cleaves, Ward 11; Matthew Cohen, Ward 11; Thomas Fitzgerald, Ward 11; Herman P. Kasper, Ward 11; Rose A. Kearney, Ward 11; Edward T. Kraby, Ward 11; Hyman Leavitt, Ward 11; William T. McCormack, Ward 11; Bernard C. McKay, Ward 11; Frances T. Morgan, Ward 11; Lillian Scherer, Ward 11; William F. Vogel, Ward 11.

Frank M. Benson, Ward 12; Samson Gilman, Ward 12; Alice Godsell, Ward 12; William Johanns, Ward 12; Anna R. Koltoff, Ward 12; John J. McPhee, Ward 12; Mary Meade, Ward 12; Philip F. Orlando, Ward 12; Bernard Pendletou, Ward 12; Helen Racine, Ward 12; Saul Wall, Ward 12; Arthur H. Washington, Ward 12; Charles F. Weinberg, Ward 12.

Lawrence J. Coriam, Ward 13; James F. Coughlan, Ward 13; John F. Gallagher, Ward 13; Henry J. Guida, Ward 13; Patrick J. McGrath, Ward 13; James F. Peno, Ward 13; Joseph Picone, Jr., Ward 13; Louis Rostoff, Ward 13; Frank W. Sallaway, Ward 13; George A. Emanuel, Ward 14; Tillie Fine, Ward 14; Jeanette A. Glanz, Ward 14; Frieda Glick, Ward 14; Jack Green, Ward 14; Saul D. Herscovitz, Ward 14; Samuel S. Kligerman, Ward 14; Frank J. Maguire, Ward 14; Joseph J. Marshall, Ward 14; Myer A. Miller, Ward 14; Abraham Rosenthal, Ward 14; Julian M. Rosenthal, Ward 14; Bernard G. Steinberg, Ward 14; Jacob Swartz, Ward 14; Moses Wolk, Ward 14.

John S. Chisholm, Ward 15; John J. Dankese, Ward 15; Thomas F. Donahue, Ward 15; Michael J. Doolin, Ward 15; John Flanagan, Ward 15; Frank M. Norton, Ward 15; Daniel O'Sullivan, Ward 15; Arnold W. Robart, Ward 15; Frank T. Shibilia, Ward 15; Edward C. Skeffington, Ward 15; Louis H. Varnerin, Ward 15; Joseph A. Bodio, Ward 16; Nora E. Buckley, Ward 16; Catherine L. Collins, Ward 16; James E. Devin, Ward 16; Doris M. McEvoy, Ward 16; Margaret L. Murphy, Ward 16; Christopher M. Quinlivan, Ward 16; Robert A. Rogers, Ward 16; Bartholomew J. Tesorero, Ward 16.

Wilson S. Coyle, Ward 17; Francis W. Drohan, Ward 17; John F. Duggan, Ward 17; Wallace F. Gibbs, Ward 17; Harry Leiberman, Ward 17; Charles A. Smith, Ward 17; Ruth E. Walkins, Ward 17; Joseph Amara, Ward 18; Ralph O. Bonin, Ward 18; Alfred J. Borges, Ward 18; Arthur Dreiker, Ward 18; Gerard J. Edwards, Ward 18; Thomas C. Keller, Jr., Ward 18; Stella J. Lambert, Ward 18; Joseph F. Meehan, Ward 18; Leo M. Sinopoli, Ward 18; Gordon A. Stewart, Ward 18; George H. Zink, Ward 18.

Joseph Annese, Ward 19; Frank J. Brandley, Ward 19; Roger J. Kelly, Ward 19; Thomas F. Manning, Ward 19; Richard S. Welton, Ward 19; Frank J. Welz, Ward 19; Naumann F. Bassuck, Ward 20; Michael Butler, Ward 20; William P. Connors, Ward 20; Ksenia Haller, Ward 20; John J. Hart, Ward 20; Mary A. Hogarty, Ward 20; Frances M. Roughan, Ward 20; Simon C. Single, Ward 20.

Anthony Cugini, Ward 21; James A. Davidson, Ward 21; John C. Fulton, Ward 21; Mary A. Johnson, Ward 21; Raymond J. Lopez, Ward 21; David Milgram, Ward 21; Lothar Nordheimer, Ward 21; Ronald J. O'Brien, Ward 21; Frances J. Schimmel, Ward 21; Andrew David Turner, Ward 21; Banks E. Wilson, Ward 21; Frederick B. Worsh, Ward 21.

Jeffrey W. Bowman, Ward 22; Clement J. Churchill, Ward 22; Gloria Cullati, Ward 22; William M. Donovan, Ward 22; James A. Flynn, Ward 22; Kenneth K. Kasabian, Ward 22; Myer Riseman, Ward 22; Paul J. Shea, Ward 22; Agnes B. Sheehan, Ward 22; Margaret R. Wilson, Ward 22.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR.

Subject to confirmation by the Council, the Mayor submitted the following appointments:

Richard Lessard, 37 Roslyn street, Salem, Hugh E. Neill, 5280 Washington street, West Roxbury, weighers of coal for the term ending April 30, 1955.

Referred to the Committee on Confirmations when appointed.

CITY AGENCIES TO COORDINATE ACTIVITIES WITH URBAN RENEWAL PROGRAM.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, January 3, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communications from the Commissioner of Public Works, secretary to the Boston School Committee, and the chairman of the City Planning Board relative to your order of December 13, 1955, concerning coordinating the activities and programs with the urban renewal activities under the Federal Housing Act of 1954.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Public Works Department,
December 20, 1954.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.

Dear Mr. Flemming:

This is in reference to the following order that was passed in the City Council under date of December 13:

"Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be requested to instruct the Housing Authority, Planning Board, School Department, Public Works Department, Park Department, and other city agencies contemplating expenditures for capital improvements involving bond issues to coordinate their activities and programs so that the capital expenditures for public improvements may be used to finance urban renewal activities in accordance with the Federal Housing Act of 1954; and be it further

"Ordered, That the Boston City Council hereby expresses its support for a vigorous and rapid program for urban renewal under the Federal Housing Act of 1954."

This department will comply with all provisions of the above-referenced order in connection with any improvements contemplated in areas selected for rehabilitation under the Urban Redevelopment Law.

Respectfully yours,
GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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The School Committee of the City of Boston,
December 27, 1954.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

Your communication of December 15, 1954, transmitting a copy of Councillor McLaughlin's order of December 13, 1954, pertaining to contemplated expenditures for capital improvements, for consideration and report, was duly presented to the School Committee at its conference of December 20, 1954, and discussed.

At the meeting of the School Committee which followed, the order was presented and placed on file.

The order of the City Council will be given due consideration when the members of the School Committee discuss this matter.

Very truly yours,
AGNES E. REYNOLDS, Secretary.

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The City Planning Board,
December 29, 1954.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

In answer to City Council order dated December 15, concerning the coordination of capital improvement expenditures with urban renewal activities, I am replying as follows:

In a few cases the City Planning Board in its interviews with department heads has discussed this matter in relation to their capital improvement requests.

There now exists a committee appointed by you which is considering the establishment of a workable program for urban renewal. It is expected when this program is established that work will be done on the demarcation of renewal areas throughout the city.

The Planning Board will certainly have in mind the necessity for capital improvements which could be of vital concern in designating the priority of renewal areas.

Very truly yours,
THOMAS F. McDONOUGH, Chairman.

Placed on file.

RESURFACING HYDE PARK AVENUE.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, January 3, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Public Works relative to your order of December 13, 1954, concerning the resurfacing of Hyde Park avenue.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Public Works Department,
December 20, 1954.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.

Dear Mr. Flemming:

This is in reference to the following order that was passed in the City Council under date of December 13:

"Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to resurface Hyde Park avenue in the Hyde Park section of Boston at the earliest possible opportunity."

This department has the complete reconstruction of Hyde Park avenue—from Forest Hills to Cleary square—included in our Chapter 90 State-Aid Program. The reconstruction of the section from Metropolitan avenue to Cleary square was included in a construction project this year, and the work is now substantially completed.

Early next spring we intend to advertise for bids for the reconstruction of the remaining section of Hyde Park avenue, between Metropolitan avenue and Forest Hills.

All of the work involved will be done as a Chapter 90 project, and approximately one half the cost paid out of the Highway Fund.

Respectfully yours,
GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Placed on file.

NAMING UNDERPASS IN HONOR OF THOMAS C. MANNING.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, January 3, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Public Works concerning your order of December 13, 1954, relative to naming the Archdale Road underpass in memory of Thomas C. Manning, formerly of 43 Archdale road.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Public Works Department,
December 20, 1954.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.

Dear Mr. Flemming:

This is in reference to the following order that was passed in the City Council under date of December 13:

"Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works, through his Honor the Mayor, name the Archdale Road underpass, soon to be constructed in Roslindale, in memory of Thomas C. Manning, formerly of 43 Archdale road."

I have no objection to the designating of the new Archdale Road underpass in memory of Thomas C. Manning, but the structure will not be completed until some time in the late spring or early summer of 1955, and I suggest that the official designating of a name for the underpass be deferred until the project is substantially completed.

Respectfully yours,
GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Placed on file.

COLLECTION OF GARBAGE AND TRASH IN SAME TRUCKS.

The following was received.

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, January 10, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Health Commissioner relative to your order of December 27, 1954, concerning the collection of garbage and trash in the same trucks and utilizing the same receptacles.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Health Department, January 4, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Sir:

This communication is with reference to City Council order of December 27, 1954, pertaining to the matter of public health policy as to whether or not it is desirable or advisable to permit the collection of garbage and refuse in the same trucks and to utilize the same receptacles for storage.

From a public health aspect it is desirable that, where the garbage is to be boiled and fed to hogs, garbage be collected separately.

In the long experience of this department we have encountered no major public health hazards from the collection of unseparated garbage, refuse, and trash.

It is the objective of the Commissioner of the Department of Public Works to have the collection of refuse only in the most modern type of trucks and equipment and the disposition of refuse ultimately by incineration. If this objective is accomplished and if incineration is available, I can foresee no public health hazard in the collection of all types of refuse in the same vehicle and the disposition by incineration, all procedures being operated in accordance with modern engineering and public health practices.

Respectfully,
JOHN H. CAILEY, M.D.,
Health Commissioner.

Placed on file.

SUMNER TUNNEL TRAFFIC ONE WAY BETWEEN 4 P.M. AND 6 P.M.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, January 10, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Traffic Commissioner relative to your order of December 20, 1954, concerning the traffic flow in the Sumner Tunnel being made one way between the hours of 4 P.M. and 6 P.M. daily except Sundays.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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Boston Traffic Commission,
January 4, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

We have given careful consideration to the proposal that the Sumner Tunnel be made one way in the direction of East Boston between 4 and 6 P.M., in response to Council order of December 20, 1954.

Our engineers, in conference with Tunnel authorities, agree that while it would be highly desirable to relieve traffic congestion in the vicinity of the Sumner Tunnel Plaza during the peak hours from 4 P.M. to 6 P.M. by making the tunnel one way from Boston Proper to East Boston, it would appear that the objections to it are insurmountable.

A traffic count made on a weekday during June of 1954 showed that from 4 P.M. to 6 P.M. 2,814 vehicles proceeded through the tunnel toward East Boston and 1,470 from East Boston.

In our judgment the following factors are pertinent to this situation:

1. It would be practically impossible to divert all traffic desiring to come into the city via the tunnel over the next alternate route; viz., the Mystic River Bridge.

2. Such a diversion would cause serious inconvenience to motorists and mass transportation buses originating in East Boston, many of whom would perforce, be required to traverse practically the entire length of East Boston, thence through Chelsea in order to arrive at the Bridge.

3. Obviously, the suggestion contemplates using both lanes of the tunnel in the direction of East Boston. I believe that such use of the nominally inbound lane by outbound traffic would set up a practice which would result in some use of it by East Boston bound traffic during other periods of the day. Such a result would create chaos and set up a terrible accident hazard, even if only an occasional motorist were to use the wrong lane.

Conditions in the vicinity of the tunnel are seriously aggravated at the present time due to the fact that the Fitzgerald Expressway temporarily terminates at this point and also because conditions in Blackstone street preclude the use of the surface traffic pattern which is incorporated in the design of the Expressway, and which will eventually require that all traffic entering Cross street from the tunnel will be forced to make a right turn toward Haymarket Square and thence, if desiring to go uptown via North street, will make a left turn through a "slot" under the expressway and arrive at a right turn into North street from Blackstone street.

It is expected that the Expressway will have been completed to the vicinity of Fort Hill square and Northern avenue by July of 1955. When this additional section is in operation, traffic conditions near the tunnel should be measurably improved. In the interim it is difficult to see how serious congestion in this area can be avoided.

Respectfully submitted,
WM. ARTHUR REILLY, Commissioner.

Placed on file.

PETITION FOR ANNUITY.

Petition of Mary E. Linney to be paid annuity on account of death of her husband, Francis J. Linney, late member of the Fire Department.

Referred to the Committee on Claims when appointed.

FLOODING OF AVAILABLE PLAY AREA IN FRANKLIN FIELD FOR SKATING.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, January 10, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation concerning your order of December 27, 1954, relative to flooding all the available play area in Franklin Field for ice skating.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Parks and Recreation Department,
January 4, 1955.

Mr. Harold B. Flemming, Chief Clerk,
Mayor's Office.

Dear Sir:

Acknowledging memo from the Mayor's office with attached order of Councillor Piemonte requesting that a special effort be made to flood all the available play area in Franklin Field for ice skating.

This is to inform the Councillor that we have flooded Franklin Field, covering every area as in former years. All we are waiting for is some real cold weather. Here in Boston we do not have over twelve or fourteen days of good skating in any winter period.

Very truly yours,
FRANK R. KELLEY, Commissioner.

Placed on file.

GYMNASIA FACILITIES FOR GIRLS' LATIN SCHOOL.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, January 10, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the secretary to the Boston School Committee relative to your order of November 8, 1954, concerning gymnasia facilities for the students of Girls' Latin School.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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The School Committee of the City of Boston,
January 7, 1955.

Mr. Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.

Dear Sir:

Your communication of November 10, 1954, addressed to the chairman of the School Committee, pertaining to Councillor Piemonte's order of November 8, 1954, requesting the committee to provide adequate gymnasia facilities for the students of Girls' Latin School, was duly presented to the School Committee at its conference of November 23, 1954, and discussed at length.

I was instructed by the committee to send you the accompanying copy of the report of the Superintendent relating to this matter, which is self-explanatory.

Very truly yours,
AGNES E. REYNOLDS, Secretary.

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The School Committee of the City of Boston.
To: The School Committee.
From: Superintendent Haley.
Re: Gymnasium Facilities at Girls' Latin School.

As a result of damages caused by the hurricane, the Girls' Latin School gymnasium was made unusable. Although the work on the gymnasium was completed during the month of October, 1954, final approval and permission for the use of the gymnasium was not obtained until the morning of November 18, 1954.

The head master of the Girls' Latin School was informed on November 18 that he could now use the gymnasium facilities. As a result the physical education program was put into effect on the morning of November 19, 1954.

It would appear now that the problem in connection with the gymnasium facilities caused by the hurricane damage has been solved.

Placed on file.

LOAN ORDER FOR ESTABLISHMENT OF OFF-STREET PARKING FACILITIES.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, January 10, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I submit herewith an order providing for the appropriation of $5,000,000 for the establishment of off-street parking facilities. This order is based on the authorization contained in chapter 625 of the Acts of 1954. The funds that will become available under this order will be used by the Real Property Board to provide expanded parking facilities for motor vehicles in the so-called downtown area of the city. In all probability, the appropriation will be used primarily for the purchase of land and the preparation of plans for the construction of structures thereon.

In line with past experience, the opportunity to construct these structures will be offered, after public advertising, to interested private parties. The necessity for providing additional parking facilities is imperative, and I therefore recommend immediate consideration and early adoption by your Honorable Body of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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Ordered, That under the authority contained in chapter 625 of the Acts of 1951, the sum of $5,000,000 be, and hereby is, appropriated to be expended under the direction of the Real Property Board for the establishment of off-street parking facilities, and that the Collector-Treasurer be authorized, with the approval of the Mayor, to issue from time to time bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city for said amount, said issues to be outside the limit of indebtedness of the city.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Finance when appointed.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committees named, viz.:

Claims.

Rose Ambrogne, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Porter and Meridian streets, East Boston.

Edward W. Behnke, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Fire Department.

John G. Dorels, for compensation for damage to car by police car.

Paul H. Geist, for compensation for damage to car by city truck.

Ajia Handy, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 188 Durnell avenue, Roslindale.

William M. Hedley, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect in Alford Street Bridge.

Theodore Koslow et al., for compensation for injuries and damage to car by city truck.

Frederick D. McLean, to be reimbursed as result of execution issued against him on account of his acts as employee of Police Department.

Domenic E. Mondello, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Kneeland and Hudson streets.

Arthur L. O'Keefe, to be reimbursed as result of execution issued against him on account of his acts as employee of Fire Department.

Richard Plescia, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 31 Union street, Boston.

James S. Reardon, to be reimbursed as result of execution issued against him on account of his acts as employee of School Department.

J. F. & F. I. Robinson, Inc., for compensation for damage to car of Philip L. Tabor by city truck.

Mary E. Sheehan, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect in Brooks street, Brighton.

Sarah Sidlosky, to be reimbursed for clothing ruined at City Hospital.

Licenses.

Petition for license to operate bowling alleys on the Lord's day, viz.:

Orient Bowlaway, by Henry Baldassaro, 981 Bennington street, Ward 1.

APPLICATIONS FOR SHELLFISH PERMITS.

Application for commercial use shellfish permits were received from the following:

Richard A. Bishop, 2 Port Norfolk street, Dorchester, Ward 16.

Charles J. Chandler, 18 Franklin street, Dorchester, Ward 16.

Edward W. Elms, 214 Havre street, East Boston, Ward 1.

Anthony J. Ferragamo, 23 Leyden street, East Boston, Ward 1.

John P. Fowler, 186 I street, South Boston, Ward 7.

James H. Grant, 69 Saratoga street, East Boston, Ward 1.

John F. Grundstrom, 90 Chelsea street, East Boston, Ward 1.

Richard F. Hodgkins, 2 Bennet place, East Boston, Ward 1.

Rupert Y. Hodgkins, Jr., 2 Bennet place, East Boston, Ward 1.

George M. Hurd, 417 Chelsea street, East Boston, Ward 1.

Joseph Kearney, 15 Oakman street, Dorchester, Ward 16.

Richard Kirby, 7 Greenmount street, Dorchester, Ward 15.

William Kneeland, 7 Worcester square, Boston, Ward 8.

Bronick Kwasnica, 179 H street, South Boston, Ward 6.

Joseph Landry, 6 Viking street, South Boston, Ward 7.

Alphonse P. LaRosa, 175 Howard avenue, Dorchester, Ward 13.

Dorrance Lincoln, 5 Hallet-Davis street, Dorchester, Ward 16.

George W. Lincoln, 5 Hallet-Davis street, Dorchester, Ward 16.

Charles A. Maslauskas, 538 East Fourth street, South Boston, Ward 6.

Edward J. McCarten, 25 Port Norfolk street, Dorchester, Ward 16.

Joseph Riley, 298 Neponset avenue, Dorchester, Ward 16.

William H. Riley, 16 Port Norfolk street, Dorchester, Ward 16.

Carl W. Savage, Jr., 90 Chelsea street, East Boston, Ward 1.

Harland C. Savage, 90 Chelsea street, East Boston, Ward 1.

John A. Savage, 90 Chelsea street, East Boston, Ward 1.

Robert W. Savage, 90 Chelsea street, East Boston, Ward 1.

Frank J. Sidorowicz, 17 Newport street, Dorchester, Ward 13.

Joseph F. Wardell, 69 Cottage street, East Boston, Ward 1.

Albin Wrublewski, 32 Bellevue street, Dorchester, Ward 15.

Severally referred to the Committee on Licenses when appointed.

PETITIONS FOR INDEMNIFICATION.

Petition of George P. Carrigan, employee of Boston Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses.

Petition of Henry H. Dionne, employee of Boston Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses.

Petition of Arthur C. Morton, employee of Boston Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses.

Petition of Thomas F. Prendergast, employee of Boston Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses.

Severally referred to the Committee on Claims when appointed.

MINOR'S LICENSE.

The application of Thomas H. Gagin, 245 E street, South Boston, Ward 6, for newsboy's license was received.

The license was granted under usual conditions.

ELECTION FOR REPRESENTATIVE, WARD 9.

Notice was received from the Speaker of the House of Representatives that a vacancy exists in District No. 9, County of Suffolk, caused by death of Representative-Elect William A. Glynn, and that March 8, 1955, has been appointed as the time for holding election to fill said vacancy.

Placed on file.

Coun. HURLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That meetings of the citizens of the ninth representative district in the County of Suffolk (Ward 9 of the City of Boston) qualified to vote for state officers be held, in the several polling places in said ward designated for the purpose by the Board of Election Commissioners, on Tuesday, March 8, 1955, to give in their votes for one representative in the General Court, to fill a vacancy.

The polls at said meetings shall be opened at 8 o'clock A.M. and closed at 8 o'clock P.M.

Ordered, That the City Clerk be directed to give notice of said meetings by publishing the same as required by law.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPROVAL OF STATE HOUISNG BOARD.

Notice was received from the State Housing Board of approval of sale of seventeen parcels of property under section 6 of chapter 372 of the Acts of 1946.

Referred to the Committee on Public Housing when appointed.

NOTICE OF HEARING BEFORE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES.

Copy of notice of hearing before Department of Public Utilities to be held on January 18, 1955, at 10 o'clock A.M., on petition of Boston Edison Company, for locations in Charles street for underground conduits and vaults.

Referred to the Committee on Licenses when appointed.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMISSION ON GIRLS' LATIN SCHOOL.

The following was received:

The Finance Commission of the City of Boston,
January 5, 1955.

To the Honorable the Mayor and City Council.

The City of Boston gave its "Teachers College" to the State of Massachusetts in August, 1952. This transfer was accomplished under the authority of chapter 618, Acts of the Legislature of 1952.

The City of Boston was the petitioner for the legislation. The philosophy which inspired this gratuitous act—with which the Finance Commission was in accord—was that Boston should not continue the training of teachers for public school work. For several years a substantial and growing per cent of the teachers trained in "Boston Teachers College" was absorbed in the public education work of other municipalities; furthermore, the State of Massachusetts trained and prepared teachers for public education throughout the state in other teachers colleges.

The "Boston Teachers College" property consists of a group of buildings, one of which contains the very important "Girls' Latin School." As a result of the above-mentioned transfer, the State Department of Education now has ownership and control of this entire group. The enabling act allows the city use of the Latin School building, but with reservations and temporarily. Since the state acquired control, it has already reduced the number of rooms used by the Latin School by 23 per cent—seven out of thirty rooms. This reduction in usable space has proved embarrassing to the Latin School because pupil enrollment in that school has increased 11 per cent.

Now the entire elimination of Girls' Latin School from the property is imminent. The city is faced with notice by the State Board of Education that the city must give up eight more rooms within six months, which will result in fifteen rooms lost to the Latin School to that time; furthermore, the State Board has served notice that, if predicted increases in Teachers College enrollment materialize, the state will take over the remaining fifteen rooms. In fact, the prospect is that the Latin School will have to vacate the building entirely within three years.

Boston (the School Committee), therefore, is faced with these alternatives. Boston must close out entirely and permanently the Girls' Latin School; or Boston must provide an entirely different building for the school. The first of these alternatives, is, to many, unthinkable; the second might cause an unexpected expenditure of over $3,000,000

The School Committee has suggested, as the solution of this dilemma, the use of the closed Dorchester High School for Girls as a new Girls' Latin. However, a storm of protest from alumnae of the Latin School and from parents of girls in the present school has halted consummation of that idea. What makes this solution of the difficulty attractive from a financial standpoint is that the maximum cost of it would be no more than $75,000.

Your interest in this matter, since you have no direct control, will undoubtedly stem from your often expressed desire to avoid new expenditure which adds to an already worrisome tax burden. A new $3,000,000 Latin School will increase maintenance and financing costs of the school system.

For a complete understanding of the situation, the Finance Commission offers this chronology of developments:

(a) In the acquisition of the Teachers College property, the Commonwealth took over a group of buildings consisting of the "Teachers College," the "Patrick A. Collins Building," which had been jointly used by the college and the Girls' Latin School, the "Girls' Latin Building," and the "Common Building," which contained a gymnasium and lunchroom used by both college and Latin School.

(b) During the school year 1952–53, the city continued to use thirty rooms for Latin School purposes, seven in the Collins Building, twenty-three in the Latin Building. For this, by agreement under authority of the enabling act, the city paid $22,935.18, of which approximately $15,000 represented 50 per cent of the operating costs of the buildings, and the remainder for ordinary repairs to Girls' Latin School.

(c) In December, 1953, the State Commissioner of Education notified the Boston School Committee that his department intended to use seven rooms in the Collins Building beginning September 1, 1954.

(d) On September 1, 1954, the state took the seven rooms, leaving twenty-three rooms in the Girls' Latin School for City of Boston use.

(e) For the 1953–54 school year the city paid $30,226.69 for its 50 per cent share of the operating costs and $2,641.35 for repairs to the Latin School.

(f) November, 1954, the State Commissioner of Education notified the Boston School Committee that he would have to take an additional eight rooms beginning June 30, 1955.

The Situation at the Girls' Latin School.

The following table presents a situation of increasing enrollment and decreasing space at the Latin School.

	1952	1954	Change	Per Cent
Enrollment	1,222	1,356	plus 134	plus 11
Space	30 rooms	23 rooms	minus 7	minus 23

The squeeze on space indicated by the above table has resulted in a compressed and overlapping schedule for the six grades enrolled at Girls' Latin School. This is illustrated by the fact that in Grade 7 some attend from 12.41 to 4 P.M., while others attend from 11.39 to 3.22 P.M., and in Grades 8 through 12 the hours of attendance are from 8.45 A.M. to 2.03 P.M. This compressed schedule has modified extracurricular activities.

Further reduction in the number of rooms, in accordance with the State Department's notice of November, 1954, will so intensify the situation as to constitute a weakening of a sound educational program.

Value of Teachers College Property.

It is pertinent to point out the value of the property acquired by the state, without cost, by transfer of the Teachers College in 1952. The following table presents the picture.

Building	Square Feet Area	Cost	Square Feet Area of Building	Original Cost
Girls' Latin			17,382	$253,750 30
Teachers College			18,541	254,553 30
P. A. Collins Building			13,043	166,222 50
Common Building			9,000	128,481 16
Whole area	141,075	$241,290 77		$803,007 26
				241,290 77
Total Cost of Land and Buildings				$1,044,298 03

At an estimated $1 per cubic foot, reproduction costs would approximate $3,500,000. Since the state acquired this property, the city has spent over $53,000 in shared operating cost and ordinary repair.

The financial saving visualized by the School Committee in giving up the college can be seen in the cost in the last complete year of city operation. The expenditures in 1951 were as follows:

Instruction: (Including salaries of president, teachers, clerks; supplies)		$265,428 11
Operation of Plant: Including custodial, fuel, light, windows, telephone)		24,820 96
Health Promotion: (Including school physician)		2,465 98
General Control: (Apportionment of headquarters cost)		12,222 25
Supervision: (Special fields, such as art)		12,744 48
Gross Expenditures		$317,682 08
Minus Income: Tuition	$81,738 59	
Other Income	1,379 47	
Total	$83,118 06	83,118 06
Net 1951 Expenditure by City on Teachers College		$234,564 02

Alternatives.

To make the Dorchester High School for Girls usable will, as stated above, cost around $75,000. To construct a new building will cost over $3,000,000. It is questionable if the School Committee can make any other use of the Dorchester property. It cost the city (land and building) approximately $500,000 many years ago. Its replacement cost today would be approximately $2,500,000. It is now in sound condition, needing only internal repairs to make it as good as new.

The Dorchester High School has been closed for over a year. When a school building is closed, deterioration proceeds at an alarming rate.

Respectfully submitted,

H. W. DWIGHT REED, Chairman.
LEO J. DUNN,
EDWARD F. MULLEN,
EDWARD U. LEE,
ROGER J. AHEARN, M.D.,
The Finance Commission.

ROBERT E. CUNNIFF,
Secretary.

Placed on file.

APPROVAL OF CONSTABLE'S BOND.

The constable's bond of Hyman M. Fritz, having been duly approved by the Collector-Treasurer, was received and approved.

ASSIGNMENT OF CARL E. WAHLSTROM TO ADMINISTRATIVE COMMITTEE OF PROBATE COURTS.

Communication was received from the Supreme Judicial Court of the appointment of Carl E. Wahlstrom to Administrative Committee of Probate Courts.

Placed on file.

APPROVAL OF SURETY BONDS.

Surety bonds of the following were received and approved by the Council:

Leo J. Sullivan, Register of Deeds; Joseph D. Coughlin, first assistant register of deeds; Daniel Danick, second assistant register of deeds; Edward T. Cady, third assistant register of deeds; and John J. McCarthy, assistant register of deeds.

The bonds were severally approved.

APPOINTMENTS IN ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Notice was received from the Assessing Department of the following appointments:

Philip E. Conroy, 924 Washington street, Dorchester, temporary deputy assessor, vice Samuel Kootick, retired.

John C. Foran, Jr., 62 Welles avenue, Dorchester, temporary assistant assessor, vice Francis T. Keefe, deceased.

Norman S. Weinberg, 33 Wade street, Brighton, temporary assistant assessor, vice Francis J. Ryan, retired.

Severally placed on file.

APPOINTMENT OF WILLIAM H. FLYNN.

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of William H. Flynn, 41 Monument avenue, Charlestown, to be a director of Collateral Loan Company for the term ending January 1, 1956.

Placed on file.

TEMPORARY LOAN IN ANTICIPATION OF REVENUE.

Coun. AHEARN called up under assignment No. 1 on the calender, viz.:

1. Order for temporary loan of $75,000,000 in anticipation of revenue.

On January 3, 1955, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 9.

The order was given its second reading and passage, yeas 7, nays 1:

Yeas—Councillors Ahearn, Foley, Hailer, Hurley, Kerrigan, McCormack, McLaughlin—7.

Nays—Councillor Piemonte—1.

ELECTION OF MANAGERS OF OLD SOUTH ASSOCIATION IN BOSTON.

Coun. HURLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That the Council proceed to the election of two members of the City Council as managers of the Old South Association in Boston.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

The Clerk called the roll, with the following result:

For Councillors Foley and Kerrigan—Councillors Ahearn, Hailer, Hurley, McCormack, McLaughlin, Piemonte—6.

For Councillor Foley—Councillor Kerrigan—1.

For Councillor Kerrigan—Councillor Foley—1.

Councillors Foley and Kerrigan were declared elected as managers of the Old South Association in Boston for the year 1955.

COMMITTEES FOR 1955.

President HURLEY announced the appointment of Council Committees for 1955, as follows:

STANDING COMMITTEES.

EXECUTIVE.

All the members, Councillor White, chairman, Councillor Ahearn, vice-chairman.

On the following committees the first-named member is chairman; second-named is vice chairman.

APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCE.

Councillors Hailer, McLaughlin, McCormack, Kerrigan, White.

CLAIMS.

Councillors McCormack, White, Foley, Kerrigan, Hailer.

CONFIRMATIONS.

Councillors McLaughlin, Kerrigan, Foley, Ahearn, Piemonte.

HOSPITALS.

Councillors Ahearn, Kerrigan, Hailer, White, McCormack.

INSPECTION OF PRISONS.

Councillors McCormack, McLaughlin, Foley, Hailer, Piemonte.

LEGISLATIVE MATTERS.

Councillors Ahearn, McCormack, Foley, McLaughlin, Piemonte.

LICENSES.

Councillors Hailer, McCormack, Kerrigan, Ahearn, McLaughlin.

ORDINANCES.

Councillors Piemonte, McLaughlin, Kerrigan White, Hailer.

PUBLIC HOUSING.

Councillors Ahearn, Hailer, White, Kerrigan, McCormack.

PUBLIC LANDS.

Councillor Hailer, Ahearn, Kerrigan, Piemonte, McCormack.

PUBLIC SERVICES AND RECREATION.

Councillors McLaughlin, Foley, McCormack, White, Piemonte.

RULES.

Councillors Kerrigan, Hailer, Ahearn, Foley, McLaughlin.

PREPARATION OF MUNICIPAL REGISTER.

Coun. HURLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That the City Clerk be authorized, under the direction of the Committee on Rules, to prepare and have printed the Municipal Register for the current year; and that the Clerk of Committees be authorized to prepare and have printed a pocket edition of the Organization of the City Government, the expense of said register and organization to be charged to the appropriation for City Documents.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

SECTIONS OF PUBLIC SKATING AREAS FOR SMALLER CHILDREN.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be requested to direct the chairman of the Parks and Recreation Department to arrange for setting aside for the use of children under twelve years of age a section of each public skating area under the jurisdiction of the Parks and Recreation Department by roping off the area and thus provide protection and safety for the smaller children.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

COMMENDATION TO OFFICER EDWARD P. CONNOLLY.

Coun. AHEARN, FOLEY, and all the Councillors offered the following:

Whereas, Officer Edward P. Connolly of the Boston Police Department has recently exhibited

extraordinary and outstanding courage and bravery in the performance of his duty; and

Whereas, Officer Connolly risked his life and sustained serious injuries in a heroic attempt to prevent a crime; and

Whereas, The devotion to duty and quick thinking of Officer Connolly resulted in the apprehension of persons alleged to have attempted a brazen crime of violence; be it

Resolved, That the Boston City Council in meeting assembled hereby commends Officer Edward P. Connolly for his extraordinary bravery and devotion to duty and expresses the gratitude of the citizens of Boston and the Boston City Council and further expresses the sincere hope and fervent prayer that he will enjoy a rapid and successful recovery from his serious injuries.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

AWARDS TO MEMBERS OF POLICE AND FIRE DEPARTMENTS FOR OUTSTANDING SERVICE.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be requested to ask the Boston Police Commissioner and the Boston Fire Commissioner to establish a policy of awarding to the member of the department who performs the most heroic act in that year a permanent yearly increment to his salary of $500, as a permanent and lasting recognition of superlative performance of duty, and that the man selected each year be required to wear prominently displayed on his uniform at all times some indication of the award he has received.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

EXTENSION OF RENT CONTROLS.

Coun. AHEARN offered the following:

Whereas, The situation with respect to the shortage of low-rent private housing still exists, although somewhat alleviated; and

Whereas, It is believed that the vast majority of the people of Boston want rent controls continued for at least one more year to allow for the needed new construction of additional homes; and

Whereas, The shortage of low-rent private housing is still so serious and critical as to require the continuance of rent control; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That His Excellency the Governor and the members of the Great and General Court are hereby respectfully requested to pass and approve the legislation necessary to provide for the continuance of rent controls in Boston.

Coun. HAILER, offered the following amendment:

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor and the chairman and the director of Rent Control confer with His Excellency the Governor, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, and the President of the Senate on the extension of rent controls—if not the same controls, almost to the same extent.

The foregoing resolution and amendment were referred to the Committee on Public Housing.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFIRMATIONS.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN, for the Committee on Confirmations, submitted the following:

Report on message of the Mayor and order (referred January 3) for appointment and confirmation of James J. Mahar to be member of Boston Housing Authority for the term expiring January 8, 1960—recommending that the order ought to pass.

The report was accepted, and the order was passed confirming the appointment of James J. Mahar, yeas 8, nays 0:

Yeas—Councillors Ahearn, Foley, Hailer, Hurley, Kerrigan, McCormack, McLaughlin, Piemonte—8.

Nays—0.

PROHIBITING PARKING ON EASTBURN STREET, NEAR POST OFFICE.

Coun. AHEARN offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor is hereby requested to direct the Traffic Commissioner to consider the advisability of prohibiting parking on Eastburn street in Brighton, near the post office, to expedite postal traffic to and from the unloading platforms of the post office.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

INFORMATION ON PATCH-PAVING CONTRACTS.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Whereas, An inquiry in proper form concerning the awarding by the City of Boston of so-called patch-paving contracts was directed to the Public Works Commissioner over half a year ago; and

Whereas, To date no answer has been received to these very important inquiries; be it therefore

Resolved, That this Council notes the continued failure to answer these inquiries.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

CERTAIN INFORMATION AS TO CONSTRUCTION OF SOUTH END INCINERATOR.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That under section 17F of the City Charter the Public Works Commissioner is hereby directed to inform the City Council within twenty-one days of the passage of this order what the delay is in the construction of the South End Incinerator.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

LAND-TAKING AT MORTON STREET AND GALLIVAN BOULEVARD.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Whereas, The Fire Department of the City of Boston has decided to take a certain parcel of land on Morton street in Dorchester, near the intersection of Morton street and Gallivan Boulevard, in order to construct and then operate a fire station; and

Whereas, At the request of the Fire Department the Board of Public Improvement is holding a public hearing on January 12 to determine whether the city should take the said parcel by eminent domain; and

Whereas, Said parcel of land on Morton street is zoned for residential purposes; and

Whereas, There has already been filed in the Building Department of the City of Boston a permit for the construction of residential buildings on the said land by the now owner; and

Whereas, A fire station can only be built in a local business district or lesser district according to Boston zoning law; now, therefore, be it

Ordered, That the City Council, through his Honor the Mayor, requests a ruling of law from the Law Department of the City of Boston as to whether, if the city were to take the said property by eminent domain, it could expect under the circumstances existing to obtain a variance to use it for the purposes for which it is being taken; and be it further

Ordered, That, if physically possible, such ruling from the Law Department be submitted to the Board of Public Improvement by 10 o'clock A.M. on Wednesday, January 12, 1955.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

INCLUSION IN CIVICS CLASSES OF PROCEDURE FOLLOWED BY MASSACHUSETTS LEGISLATURE ON A VACANCY.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor request the Boston School Committee to have included in the civic classes of the Boston high schools the procedure followed in the Massachusetts Legislature and the City of Boston whenever a vacancy in the Legislature occurs due to the death or resignation of a member of the Legislature, and that the existing vacancy in the Ward 9 district of Suffolk County be used as an example.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

ELECTRIC LIGHTING ON BRUCEWOOD STREET, WEST ROXBURY.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Ordered, That the Public Works Commissioner be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to install electric lighting on Brucewood street, West Roxbury.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

PARKING PLAN FOR DOWNTOWN RETAIL SHOPPING AREAS.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That the Mayor's Committee on Traffic and the Boston Traffic Commission consider the feasibility of the following proposal for downtown parking in areas which are essentially shopping areas:

1. Designation of areas in proximity to the retail stores in downtown Boston as "Retail Shopping Areas."
2. That in these areas no parking fee be charged.
3. That there be installed in the place of the parking meters presently installed a device into which the parker must introduce the registration number of his automobile at the time he parks.
4. That this device record on a tape the length of time a given automobile is parked.
5. That, where such devices are used, signs be posted indicating that the area is for the use strictly of shoppers, and that violators parking overtime will be automatically tagged.

That the Traffic Commission furnish the City Council an opinion as to whether such a plan is feasible both for curb parking and small lot parking in the shopping areas.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

RECREATIONAL AREA IN STONY BROOK RESERVATION.

Coun. HAILER offered the following:

Resolved, That the Boston City Council herein assembled does favor a conference between the Metropolitan District Commission and the Park Commissioner of the City of Boston for the purpose of the development of a segment of the Stony Brook Reservation in the Hyde Park and West Roxbury area of Boston for recreational purposes.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

Adjourned at 5.08 P.M., on motion of Councillor Ahearn, to meet on Monday, January 17, 1955, at 2 P.M.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

(Stenographic copy of such debate on file in office of City Clerk.)

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, for a trial period of sixty (60) days, the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective December 20, 1954:

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out the following:

Berkeley Street, Boston Proper.
- Southwest side, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
- East side, from a point sixty (60) feet south of Boylston street, to Boylston street, 24 hours.

Clarendon Street, Boston Proper.
- Northeast side, from Columbus avenue to Boylston street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Columbus Avenue, Boston Proper.
- Southeast side, from Arlington street to opposite Morgan street, 8A.M. to 10 A.M.

Columbus Avenue, Boston Proper and Roxbury.
- Southeast side, from Clarendon street to Washington street (Egleston square), 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.

Harrison Avenue, Boston Proper.
- Northwest side, from Dover street to East Brookline street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
- Southeast side, from East Newton street to East Concord street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.

Massachusetts Avenue, Boston Proper.
- Northeast side, from Albany street to No. 566 Massachusetts avenue, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.
- Northeast side, from No. 524 Massachusetts avenue to a point one hundred (100) feet southeast of the bridge over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, 8 A.M to 10 A.M.

Massachusetts Avenue, Dorchester and Roxbury.
- Northeast side, from Edward Everett square to the Roxbury Canal, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.

Massachusets Avenue, Roxbury.
- Northeast side, from a point one hundred (100) feet northwest of the bridge over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad to Belvidere street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.

Northeast side, from Belvidere street to Commonwealth avenue, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P. M.

Stuart Street, Boston Proper.
Both sides, from Church street to Arlington street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," each of the following:

Beacon Street.
North side, from Storrow Memorial Drive to a point ninety-three (93) feet east of Massachusetts avenue, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from a point one hundred and fifty (150) feet west of Arlington street to Massachusetts avenue, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Massachusetts avenue to Charlesgate East, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Charlesgate West to Commonwealth avenue, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
North side, from Bay State road to Raleigh street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Berkeley Street.
Northeast side, from a point forty-five (45) feet west of Tremont street to a point sixty (60) feet southeast of Boylston street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from a point sixty (60) feet southeast of Boylston street to Boylston street, 24 hours.
Southwest side, from Warren street to Boylston street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from Boylston street to Commonwealth avenue, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Broadway.
Northeast side, from Stuart street to Tremont street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Shawmut street to Tremont street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Charles Street.
East side, from Cambridge street to Beacon street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Clarendon Street.
Both sides, from Tremont street to Boylston street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Boylston street to Commonwealth avenue, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Columbus Avenue.
Southeast side, from Arlington street to opposite Morgan street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Harrison Avenue.
West side, from Kneeland street to Harvard street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Bennet street to Oak street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Motte street to Dover street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Dover street to East Brookline street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from East Newton street to East Concord street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Huntington Avenue.
Southeast side, from Boylston street to Oxford terrace, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Massachusetts Avenue.
Northeast side, from Albany street to No. 566 Massachusetts avenue, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from No. 524 Massachusetts avenue to a point one hundred (100) feet southeast of the bridge over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Stuart Street.
South side, from Washington street to Tremont street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Warrenton street to Church street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, northerly arm, from Church street to Columbus avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
North side, southerly arm, from Church street to Columbus avenue, 24 hours.
South side, from Columbus avenue to Huntington avenue, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Tremont Street.
Southeast side, from Castle street to Hollis street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Northwest side, from Arlington street to Stuart street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Washington Street.
East side, from Dover street to Motte street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Broadway to Harvard street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Cornhill to Brattle street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Adams square to Hanover street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Hanover street to Haymarket square, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Washington Street North.
East side, from Haymarket square to Keany square, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Haverhill street to Keany square, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the captions "Boston Proper," and "Roxbury," each of the following:

Columbus Avenue.
Southeast side, from Clarendon street to Tremont street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Huntington Avenue.
Northwest side, from Boylston street to Norway street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from Stuart street to a point twenty (20) feet northeast of the northeast exit of the Charles H. Innes Memorial Underpass, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the captions "Dorchester," and "Roxbury," the following:

Massachusetts Avenue.
Northeast side, from Edward Everett square to the Roxbury Canal, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," each of the following:

Columbus Avenue.
Southeast side, from Tremont street to Washington street (Egleston square), 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.

Massachusetts Avenue.
Northeast side, from a point one hundred (100) feet northwest of the bridge over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad to Commonwealth avenue, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by striking out the following:

Beacon Street, Boston Proper.
North side, from Embankment road to a point ninety-three (93) feet east of Massachusetts avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
North side, from Massachusetts avenue to Charlesgate East, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from a point one hundred and fifty (150) feet west of Arlington street to Charlesgate East, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Charlesgate West to Commonwealth avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
North side, from Bay State road to Raleigh street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Berkeley Street, Boston Proper.
Both sides, from Warren avenue to Columbus avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from Columbus avenue to a point sixty (60) feet south of Boylston street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Columbus avenue to Stanhope street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Stuart street to Boylston street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from Boylston street to Commonwealth avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Northeast side, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Broadway, Boston Proper.
Southwest side, from Shawmut street to Tremont street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from Stuart street to Tremont street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Charles Street, Boston Proper.
East side, from Cambridge street to Beacon street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Clarendon Street, Boston Proper.
Northeast side, from the bridge over the Boston & Albany Railroad to Boylston street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Southwest side, from the bridge over the Boston & Albany Railroad to Boylston street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Boylston street to Commonwealth avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Columbus Avenue, Boston Proper.
Southeast side, from Arlington street to opposite Morgan street, 10 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from Clarendon street to Dartmouth street, 10 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Huntington Avenue, Boston Proper.
Southeast side, from Boylston street to Oxford terrace, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Huntington Avenue, Boston Proper and Roxbury.
Northwest side, from Boylston street to Norway street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Southeast side, from Stuart street to a point twenty (20) feet northeast of the northeast exit of the Charles H. Innes Memorial Underpass, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Massachusetts Avenue, Roxbury.
Northeast side, from a point one hundred (100) feet northwest of the bridge over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad to Belvidere street, 10 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from Belvidere street to Commonwealth avenue, 10 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Stuart Street, Boston Proper.
South side, from Washington street to Tremont street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Warrenton street to Broadway, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Broadway to Church street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Columbus avenue to Huntington avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Tremont Street, Boston Proper.
Northwest side, from Warrenton street to Broadway, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northwest side, from Broadway to Berkeley street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from Broadway to Dover street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Washington Street, Boston Proper.
East side, from Dover street to Motte street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Broadway to Harvard street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Cornhill to Brattle street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Adams square to Hanover street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Hanover street to Haymarket square, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Washington Street North, Boston Proper.
East side, from Haymarket square to Keany square, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Haverhill street to Keany square, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," each of the following:

Beacon Street.
North side, from Storrow Memorial Drive to a point ninety-three (93) feet east of Massachusetts avenue, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
South side, from a point one hundred and fifty (150) feet west of Arlington street to Charlesgate East, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
North side, from Massachusetts avenue to Charlesgate East, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
South side, from Charlesgate West to Commonwealth avenue, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
North side, from Bay State road to Raleigh street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Berkeley Street.
Both sides, from Warren avenue to Columbus avenue, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Northeast side, from Columbus avenue to a point sixty (60) feet south of Boylston street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Southwest side, from Columbus avenue to Stanhope street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Southwest side, from Stuart street to Boylston street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Northeast side, from Boylston street to Commonwealth avenue, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Both sides, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Broadway.
Southwest side, from Shawmut street to Tremont street, 9.30 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Northeast side, from Stuart street to Tremont street, 9.30 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Charles Street.
East side, from Cambridge street to Beacon street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Clarendon Street.
Both sides, from the bridge over the Boston & Albany Railroad to Boylston street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Southwest side, from Boylston street to Commonwealth avenue, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Southwest side, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Columbus Avenue.
Southeast side, from Arlington street to opposite Morgan street, 10 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Southeast side, from Clarendon street to Dartmouth street, 10 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Huntington Avenue.
Southeast side, from Boylston street to Oxford terrace, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Stuart Street.
South side, from Washington street to Tremont street, 9.30 A.M. to 4 P.M.
South side, from Warrenton street to Broadway, 9.30 A.M. to 4 P.M.
South side, from Broadway to Church street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
South side, from Columbus avenue to Huntington avenue, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Tremont Street.
Northwest side, from Warrenton street to Broadway, 9.30 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Northwest side, from Broadway to Arlington street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Southeast side, from Broadway to Castle street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Northwest side, from Arlington street to Berkeley street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from Castle street to Dover street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Washington Street.
East side, from Dover street to Motte street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
East side, from Broadway to Harvard street, 9.30 A.M. to 4 P.M.
West side, from Cornhill to Brattle street, 9.30 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Both sides, from Adams square to Hanover street, 9.30 A.M. to 4 P.M.
West side, from Hanover street to Haymarket square, 9.30 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Washington Street North.
East side, from Haymarket square to Keany square, 9.30 A.M. to 4 P.M.
West side, from Haverhill street to Keany square, 9.30 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the captions "Boston Proper," and "Roxbury," the following:

Huntington Avenue.
Northwest side, from Boylston street to Norway street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Southeast side, from Stuart street to a point twenty (20) feet northeast of the northeast exit of the Charles H. Innes Memorial Underpass, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Massachusetts Avenue.
Northeast side, from a point one hundred (100) feet northwest of the bridge over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad to Commonwealth avenue, 10 A.M. to 4 P.M.

TRANSFERS OF APPROPRIATIONS.

The Mayor has approved the following requests for transfers of appropriations:

AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

From Finance Commission, 499, Miscellaneous Current Charges, $257.65, to 100, Permanent Employees, $257.65.

BOSTON RETIREMENT BOARD.

From 100, Permanent Employees, $1,170.14, to 230, Professional and Technical Services, $1,016.39, 297, Printing and Binding, $43.50, 360, Supplies and Materials, $105.25, 593, Equipment, $5.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

From 360, Office Supplies and Materials, $86.70, to 100, Permanent Employees, $82.57, 120, Overtime, $4.13.

CONVENTIONS AND DISTINGUISHED GUESTS.

From Police Department, 100, Permanent Employees, $15,000, to Conventions and Distinguished Guests, $15,000.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Registry Division.

From 100, Permanent Employees, $52, to 240, Recording and Judicial Services, $52.

From 100, Permanent Employes, $648, to 290, Miscellaneous Contractual Services, $648.

Weights and Measures Division.

From 270, Repairs and Servicing of Equipment, $50, to 300, Automotive Supplies and Materials, $20, 360, Office Supplies and Materials, $30.

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

From 100, Permanent Employees, $878.35, to 360, Office Supplies and Materials, $878.35.

From 470, Rents, $64.70, to 430, Insurance, $64.70.

From 470, Rents, $742.61, to 360, Office Supplies and Materials, $742.61.

From 510, Electrical and Mechanical Machinery and Equipment, $70.75, to 360, Office Supplies and Materials, $70.75.

From 530, Firefighting Equipment, $140, to 290, Miscellaneous Contractual Services, $140.

From 540, Household Furniture and Equipment, $114.03, to 360, Office Supplies and Materials, $114.03.

From 560, Office Furniture and Equipment, $126.97, to 360, Office Supplies and Materials, $126.97.

From 593, Library Books, $3,500, to 360, Office Supplies and Materials, $3,500.

From 591, Motorless Vehicles, $55, to 290, Miscellaneous Contractual Services, $55.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

From House of Correction, 280, Transportation of Persons, $19.13, to 280, Transportation of Persons, $19.13.

House of Correction.

From 420, Dues and Subscriptions, $2, 430, Insurance, $10, 510, Electrical Machinery and Equipment, $627.89, 510, Household Furniture and Equipment, $456.87, 550, Medical, Dental and Hospital Equipment, $12.18, to 100, Permanent Employees, $768.21, 110, Temporary Employees, $76.68, 120, Overtime, $113.95, 440, Licenses, $14, 492, Gratuities, 136.10.

From 510, Electrical Machinery and Equipment, $617.89, Special Improvements and Repairs (4-28-13), $1,897.53, Municipal Court, City of Boston, 110, Temporary Employees, $946.07, to 220, Light, Heat and Power, $3,461.49.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

From 100, Permanent Employees, $30,398.90, 220, Light, Heat and Power, $1,008.51, 230, Professional and Technical Services, $2,609.68, 240, Recording and Judicial Services, $20.30, 260, Repairs and Maintenance of Buildings and Structures, $518.52, 280, Transportation of Persons, $378.91, 300, Automotive Supplies and Materials, $647.97, 310, Building Supplies and Materials, $165.95, 350, Medical, Dental and Hospital Supplies and Materials, $471.33, 390, Miscellaneous Supplies and Materials, $8,519.35, 430, Insurance, $56, 440, Licenses, $50, 490, Miscellaneous Current Charges and Obligations, $200, 500, Automotive Equipment, $20.23, 520, Engineering and Scientific Equipment, $199.38, 530, Firefighting Equipment, $176.21, 560, Office Furniture and Equipment, $2,242.03, 580, Signal Equipment, $3,797.71, to 210, Communications, $569.75, 270, Repairs and Servicing of Equipment, $5,368.54, 290, Miscellaneous Contractual Services, $16,733.08, 320 Food Supplies, $612.19, 330, Heating Supplies and Materials, $3,707.48, 340, Household Supplies and Materials, $3,987.18, 360, Office Supplies and Materials, $12,996.10, 370, Police, Traffic Control and Firefighting Supplies and Materials, $6,783.78, 420, Dues and Subscriptions, $175.45, 470, Rents, $89.60, 510, Electrical and Mechanical Machinery and Equipment, $143.42, 540, Household Furniture and Equipment, $220, 590, Miscellaneous Equipment, $61.14.

PUBLIC CELEBRATIONS.

From Reserve Fund, $6,500, to Public Celebrations, $6,500.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

Property Division.

From 2, Contractual Services, $60, to 3, Supplies and Materials, $60.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Collecting Division-Water Section.

From 100, Permanent Employees, $40, to 473, Rents, $40.

VETERANS' SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

From Fire Department, 100, Permanent Employees, $20,000, to 464, Veterans' Benefits and Burials, $20,000.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Workmen's Compensation Service.

From Reserve Fund, $1,142.27, to 100, Permanent Employees, $1,117.17, 110, Temporary Employees, $25.10.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

SUPERIOR CRIMINAL COURT.

From Police Department, 120, Overtime, $21,706.50, to 210, Communications, $1,700, 230, Professional Services, $5,000, 240, Recording and Judicial, $12,100, 280, Transportation, $2,300, 320, Food Supplies, $50, 360, Office Supplies, $3,100, 370, Police Supplies, $24, 420, Dues and Subscriptions, $5, 593, Miscellaneous Equipment, $127.50.

BOSTON JUVENILE COURT.

From 236, Medical Services, $35, 270, Repairs and Servicing of Equipment, $14.40, 280, Transportation of Persons, $12.67, 297, Printing, Binding and Ruling, $160.80, 421, Associations and Societies, $28.50, 560, Office Furniture and Equipment, $25, Superior Civil Court, Clerk's Office, 1, Personal Services, $768, to 110, Temporary Employees, $33.14, 210, Communications, $68.06, 215, Witness Fees, $895.70, 360, Office Supplies and Materials, $44.97, 593, Library Books, $2.50.

MUNICIPAL COURT, BRIGHTON DISTRICT.

From Municipal Court, City of Boston, 110, Temporary Employees, $208.64, to 360, Office, $206.64, 593, Library Books, $2.

MUNICIPAL COURT, WEST ROXBURY DISTRICT.

From 110, Temporary Employees, $26.23, to 360, Supplies and Materials, $26.23.

MEDICAL EXAMINER SERVICE, NORTHERN DIVISION.

From 290, Subitem 293, $3, to 590, Subitem 593, $3.

MEDICAL EXAMINER SERVICE, SOUTHERN DIVISION.

From 290, Miscellaneous Contractual Services, $183.23, to 300, Auto Supplies, $100, 350, Medical Supplies, $41.08, 360, Office Supplies and Materials, $42.15.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

NOTE.—Applicants are advised to file applications early. In event of a tie on the eligible list, the applicant who filed his application first will be given precedence.

SENIOR ACTUARIAL CLERK, DIVISION OF INSURANCE, DEPARTMENT OF BANKING AND INSURANCE, FEBRUARY 26, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, February 7, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $3,060 a year; the maximum salary is $3,780 a year.

Vacancies: From time to time. At present there are seven vacancies, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: Under supervision to work on valuations and rates connected with life, fire, and casualty insurance and to assist in the performance of related work as required.

A good knowledge of algebra and of simple and compound interest and discount is required, as well as the ability to understand elementary actuarial formulae under instruction.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

BUILDING INSPECTOR, BROOKLINE BUILDING DEPARTMENT, FEBRUARY 26, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, February 7, 1955.

This examination is open to residents of the state.

Salary: The minimum salary is $86.99 a week; the maximum salary is $99.47 a week.

Vacancies: At present there is one vacancy for a male, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: Under the general direction of the Building Commissioner, to examine and check building plans and specifications for compliance with the Brookline Building Code and other requirements of the Building Department, the Brookline Zoning Bylaw, the bylaws of the town, statutes of the Commonwealth, and rules and regulations of any department, division, board or agency pertaining thereto; to determine the value of and the amount of work to be done in order to determine the permit fees; to inspect buildings and submit reports of the inspections; to check the computations, stress diagrams or design of any structural member or portion of a building, retaining wall or other structure; to make structural analyses of buildings and other structures; to determine the bearing capacity of soil; to prepare estimates, specifications and plans for the repair and maintenance of the town-owned buildings which are under the supervision of the Building Commissioner; and to perform related work as required.

A knowledge of the Building Law of the Town of Brookline, of the Brookline Zoning Bylaw, of accepted construction methods and standards, of accepted engineering performance standards and of engineering and structural design is necessary, as well as a knowledge of the State laws, rules and regulations to the position.

Copies of Form A, Form B-1, and Form STD-1 (Chapter 143 of the Massachusetts General Laws and the regulations thereunder) and of Forms ELV-1 and ELV-2 (Elevator and Escalator Regulations) may be obtained from the State Department of Public Safety, 1010 Commonwealth avenue, Boston.

Copies of the Brookline Building Law and of the Brookline Zoning Bylaw may be borrowed from the office of the Brookline Building Commissioner, and may be kept until the examination is held.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants must have at least five years of full-time paid experience as an architect, professional civil engineer (Grade 3 or higher in Massachusetts Civil Service or its equivalent elsewhere), structural engineer, mason, carpenter, or iron worker.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

NOTE.—Applicants are advised to file applications early. In event of a tie on the eligible list, the applicant who filed his application first will be given precedence.

PHYSICAL THERAPIST, BOSTON HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, FEBRUARY 26, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, February 7, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $58 a week; the maximum salary is $70.50 a week.

Vacancies: At present there is one vacancy for a female, at Boston City Hospital, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: Under supervision, to perform beginning level professional physiotherapy work as prescribed by superiors; and to perform related work as required.

Examples of Duties: Administering treatments by means of physical agents, including various forms of ultra violet ray and electrode therapy, thermotherapy, hydrotherapy, mechanotherapy, etc.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants must have at least three years of satisfactory, full-time, paid experience as a physical therapist. *Substitution:* Graduation from a course of at least three years in a recognized school of physical therapy or current membership in the American Physical Therapy Association may be substituted for the required experience.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

CITY OF BOSTON.

BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS.

PROPOSALS FOR TRANSPORTATION OF VOTING MACHINES WITHIN THE CITY OF BOSTON.

The Board of Election Commissioners of the City of Boston, Room 111, City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest, to the extent of at least one half thereof, is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for the transportation of voting machines within the City of Boston. A bond will be required for doing the work by a surety company approved by the Board in the sum of $1,000, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 111, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Transportation of Voting Machines," and left at Room 111, first floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 M. on Friday, February 11, 1955, with a certified check for two hundred (200) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal, after acceptance, is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in Room 111, City Hall Annex.

The proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor, previous to the time named for opening the bids.

The Contractor must prove to the satisfaction of the Board that he has complied with all the rules and regulations of the Department of Public Utilities relating to the carrying on of the work under the contract. Before commencing the performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as it deems best.

BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS.
DAVID LASKER,
(Jan. 22.) *Chairman.*

No. 20—399.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING FIFTEEN TONS BROOM WIRE.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Monday, January 31, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Broom Wire." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Jan. 22.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

REAL PROPERTY BOARD.
PROPERTY DIVISION.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

FEBRUARY 1, 1955, ON THE PREMISES.

	Upset Price.	Deposit.
9.15 A.M.—Vacant land, Tenean Street, Lot 10, opposite 59 Tenean Street, Dorchester, 12,810 square feet	$1,000	$500
9.30 A.M.—Vacant land, Savin Hill Avenue, southerly side, adjacent 358 Savin Hill Avenue, Dorchester, 3,144 square feet	200	200
9.45 A.M.—Vacant land, Blake Street, Lot 120, adjacent 37 Blake Street, Hyde Park, 3,758 square feet	200	200
10.00 A.M.—Vacant land, Lexington Avenue, Lot 42, adjacent 26 Lexington Avenue, Hyde Park, 6,600 square feet	300	300
10.15 A.M.—Vacant land, Blanchard Street, Lot 59, rear of 34 Norton Street, Hyde Park, 4,998 square feet	100	100
10.30 A.M.—Vacant land, Vernon Street, Lots 61, 62, 63, 64, adjacent 22 Vernon Street, Hyde Park, 12,000 square feet,	400	400
10.45 A.M.—Vacant land, Cheriton Road, Lot 321, and Ellerton Road, Lots 319 and 320, 220 feet from Grove Street, West Roxbury, 10,003 square feet	150	150
11.00 A.M.—Vacant land, Oak Road, Lot 51, 100 feet from Birch Road, West Roxbury, 1,078 square feet	100	100
11.15 A.M.—Vacant land, Salman Street, Lot 57, adjacent 26 Salman Street, West Roxbury, 4,507 square feet	150	150
11.30 A.M.—Vacant land, Yorktown Street, Lot 24, corner Potomac Street, West Roxbury, 5,090 square feet	400	400
12.00 NOON—Vacant land, Hackensack Road, Lots 78–A, 81–A, 82–A, 83–A, 200 feet and 400 feet from Risley Road, West Roxbury, 31,922 square feet	1,500	500

The Chairman reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

For further information call LA 3–5100, line 236.

HERMAN CARP, *Chairman.* JOHN J. MCGRATH, *Auctioneer.*
(Jan. 22.)

TUNNEL TRAFFIC IN MAY.

In the month of May, 1,031,226 vehicles used the Sumner Tunnel. This is the first time in the history of the tunnel that in excess of 1,000,000 vehicles used the facility in any one month.

In May of 1953, 979,920 vehicles went through the tunnel, or 51,306 less than May of this year.

CITY OF BOSTON.

LISTING BOARD.

PROPOSALS FOR PRINTING AND BINDING THE 1955 POLICE LISTS IN CONNECTION WITH THE POLICE LISTING OF RESIDENTS OF BOSTON TWENTY YEARS OF AGE OR OVER.

The Listing Board of the City of Boston invites proposals for printing and binding approximately 14,500 pages (6 inches x 9 inches) of names and addresses of residents from the lists furnished by the Listing Board of the City of Boston for the year 1955. A total of 160 copies in all, bound as follows: 75 copies of each ward, bound by precinct, pamphlet style, without cover, collated by wards; 75 copies of each ward bound with paper cover, and 10 copies of each ward bound in cloth (color to be determined), indexed throughout, same general style as the 1954 lists, lettered in gold with ward and year on back, and with printed label of ward and precincts on each side.

Delivery of above copies to be made on or before May 16, 1955, in accordance with schedule to be arranged by the Listing Board.

Proposals will be publicly opened and read on Wednesday, February 2, 1955, at 12 o'clock noon, at the office of the Police Commissioner, 154 Berkeley street, Boston.

A bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at the office of the Police Commissioner, 154 Berkeley street, Boston, and deposit with his bid a properly certified check for $1,000, payable to and to become the property of the Listing Board of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out.

The Listing Board reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as it deems for the best interest of the Listing Board of the City of Boston. Surety bond will be required from the sucessful bidder in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the estimated contract amount.

In doing all work herein described, the contractor will comply with all applicable laws of the United States of America and the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and ordinances of the City of Boston, including, without limiting the generality of the foregoing, sections 11 to 14, inclusive, of chapter 41 of the Revised Ordinances of 1947 of the City of Boston; and no recovery shall be had on this agreement if a breach of said sections is established.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN, *Chairman,*
GERTRUDE A. PFAU, *Secretary,*
(Jan. 22-29.) *Listing Board.*

No. 21—369.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING FLAT PRINTING AND BOOK PAPERS FOR THE PRINTING SECTION AND WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Tuesday, February 1, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Papers." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Jan. 22.) *Purchasing Agent.*

THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING GROUNDWOOD-SULFITE WRITING PAPER IN PACKAGES AND BLOCKS FOR BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing and delivering at the several school buildings, in accordance with orders, groundwood-sulfite writing paper in packages and blocks. Proposal forms are obtainable at the office of the Business Manager of the School Committee, tenth floor, 15 Beacon street. Envelopes containing proposals must be sealed and plainly marked "Proposal for Groundwood-Sulfite Writing Paper." The bid must be in duplicate. One copy, signed by the bidder, and accompanied by a certified check for two hundred dollars ($200), payable to the City of Boston, must be left at the office of the Business Manager on or before 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, February 3, 1955. Copies filed with the Business Manager will be publicly opened and read at 12 o'clock noon of the day stated. The other copy, also signed by the bidder, must be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., previous to the time named for the opening of bids. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to accept such bid or part of bid as may be deemed best for the interests of the city. The successful bidder will be required to furnish a suitable bond or deposit of money or other security in the amount of not less than 50 per cent of the amount of the contract.

HENRY J. SMITH,
Business Manager of the School Committee.
(Jan. 22.)

THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING BASEBALL UNIFORMS AND SUPPLIES FOR BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing baseball uniforms and supplies for the Boston public schools. Proposal forms are obtainable at the office of the Business Manager of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, tenth floor. Envelopes containing proposals must be sealed and plainly marked "Proposal for Baseball Uniforms and Supplies." The bid must be in duplicate. One copy, signed by the bidder, and accompanied by a certified check for one hundred dollars ($100), payable to the City of Boston, must be left at the office of the Business Manager on or before 12 o'clock noon, Wednesday, February 2, 1955. Copies filed with the Business Manager will be publicly opened and read at 12 o'clock noon of the day stated. The other copy, also signed by the bidder, must be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., previous to the time named for the opening of bids. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to accept the bid or bids which it deems best for the interests of the city. The successful bidder will be required to furnish a suitable bond or deposit of money or other security in the amount of not less than 50 per cent of the amount of the contract.

HENRY J. SMITH,
Business Manager of the School Committee.
(Jan. 22.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF GAS FITTERS.

ROOM 901, CITY HALL ANNEX.

NOTICE OF EXAMINATION FOR GAS FITTING LICENSES.

An examination of applicants for Master's or Journeyman's Gas Fitting License will be held on January 28, 1955, at 1.30 P.M., in Room 902, City Hall Annex.

City of Boston Gas Fitting Regulations recently established consistent with the provisions of chapter 479, Acts of 1938, as amended, are obtainable in pamphlet form at the office of the Building Commissioner. Price 50 cents.

CHARLES A. CALLANAN,
Building Commissioner.
JOHN H. CAULEY, M.D.,
Health Commissioner.
(Jan. 22.)

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JOSHUA H. JONES, *Editor.*

No. 16—397.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING PORTLAND CEMENT TO CITY DEPARTMENTS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Friday, February 4, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Portland Cement." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Jan. 22.) *Purchasing Agent.*

No. 17—397.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING CINDERS TO CITY DEPARTMENTS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Thursday, February 3, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Cinders." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Jan. 22.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT COMMISSION.

IN PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT COMMISSION,
CITY OF BOSTON, JANUARY 12, 1955.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Commission is of the opinion that public necessity requires the taking of a parcel of land supposed to belong to the Keystone Manufacturing Company, in the Dorchester district, for Public Works Department purposes, bounded and described as follows:

Northerly by other land of the Keystone Manufacturing Company; easterly by land supposed to belong to Michael J. Verrochi *et al.*, trustees, and southerly and westerly by the Neponset River, substantially as shown on a plan on file in the office of this Commission, that it intends to pass an order to make said taking, and that it appoints 10 o'clock A.M. of Wednesday, January 26, 1955, in the office of this Commission, 401 City Hall Annex, as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

GEORGE G. HYLAND, *Chairman,*
HERMAN CARP,
WM. ARTHUR REILLY,
Public Improvement Commission.

A true copy of an order passed by said Commission on said day.

Attest:

MICHAEL J. CORRAO,
(Jan. 22.) *Secretary.*

No. 15—350.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING DRUGS FOR CITY DEPARTMENTS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Thursday, February 17, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $300, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Drugs for City Departments." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Jan. 22.) *Purchasing Agent.*

THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING SOAP SOLID FOR GENERAL CLEANING PURPOSES IN THE BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing and delivering to the various schools, soap solid as per schedule. Proposal forms are obtainable at the office of the Business Manager of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, tenth floor. Envelopes containing proposals must be sealed and plainly marked "Proposal for Furnishing Soap Solid." The bid must be in duplicate. One copy, signed by the bidder, and accompanied by a certified check in the amount of two hundred dollars ($200), payable to the City of Boston, must be left at the office of the Business Manager on or before 12 noon on Tuesday, February 1, 1955. Copies filed with the Business Manager will be publicly opened and read at 12 noon on the day stated. The other copy, also signed by the bidder, must be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., previous to the time named for the opening of the bids. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids, and to accept such bid as may be deemed best for the interests of the city. The successful bidder will be required to furnish a suitable bond or deposit of money or other security in the amount of not less than 50 per cent of the amount of the contract.

HENRY J. SMITH,
Business Manager of the School Committee.
(Jan. 22.)

No. 19—397.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING CRUSHED STONE FOR CITY DEPARTMENTS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Monday, February 7, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Crushed Stone." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Jan. 22.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

CHANGES IN TRAFFIC RULES AND REGULATIONS.

Voted, That the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective January 31, 1955:

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out the following:

Call Street, Charlestown.
Both sides, from Chelsea street to dead end, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Court Square, Boston Proper.
East side, easterly arm, from the south property line of No. 10 Court square to a point forty-five (45) feet north of the south property line of No. 10 Court square, 24 hours.
Deaconess Road, Roxbury.
Southwest side, from Brookline avenue to Pilgrim road, 24 hours.
Dorchester Avenue, Dorchester.
East side, from Richmond street to Adams street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.
West side, from Richmond street to Adams street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Huntington Avenue, Roxbury.
Northwest side, from a point one hundred (100) feet northeast of Wigglesworth street to Riverway, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from Tremont street to Jamaicaway, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.
Joiner Street, Charlestown.
Both sides, from Park street to Water street, 24 hours.
Magazine Street, Roxbury.
South side, from Massachusetts avenue to Norfolk avenue, 24 hours.
South side, from the easterly property line of the Home for Aged Poor to Dudley street, 24 hours.
Main Street, Charlestown.
West side, from City square to Henley street, 24 hours.
Massachusetts Avenue, Boston Proper, Dorchester, and Roxbury.
Southwest side, from Edward Everett square to No. 567 Massachusetts avenue, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," the following:

Avon Street.
Southwest side, from Washington street to Chauncy street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the captions "Boston Proper," "Dorchester," and "Roxbury," the following:

Massachusetts Avenue.
Southwest side, from Edward Everett square to Albany street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Albany street to a point two hundred and fifteen (215) feet northwest of Albany street, 24 hours.
Southwest side, from a point two hundred and fifteen (215) feet northwest of Albany street to No. 567 Massachusetts avenue, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," each of the following:

Richardson Street.
North and west sides, from Mackin street to Western avenue, 24 hours.
Summit Avenue.
Northeast side, from the Brookline line to Commonwealth avenue, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Charlestown," each of the following:

Call Street.
Both sides, from John F. Fitzgerald Expressway to Chelsea street, 24 hours.
Joiner Street.
Both sides, from Water street to John F. Fitzgerald Expressway, 24 hours.
Main Street.
Both sides, from City square to Henley street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," each of the following:

Deaconess Road.
Southwest side, from Binney street to Pilgrim road, 24 hours.
Huntington Avenue.
Northwest side, from a point one hundred (100) feet northeast of Wigglesworth street to a point three hundred and fifty (350) feet northeast of Riverway, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Northwest side, from a point three hundred and fifty (350) feet northeast of Riverway to Riverway, 24 hours.
Southeast side, from Tremont street to South Huntington avenue, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.
Southeast side, from South Huntington avenue to Jamaicaway, 24 hours.
Magazine Street.
Southeast side, from Massachusetts avenue to Dudley street, 24 hours.
South Huntington Avenue.
Both sides, from Huntington avenue to a point one hundred (100) feet south of Huntington avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "South Boston," the following:

Leeds Street.
South side, from Dorchester avenue to Woodward street, 24 hours.
North side, from Dorchester avenue to a point eighty-three (83) feet east of Dorchester avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "West Roxbury," each of the following:

Centre Street.
South side, from West Roxbury Parkway to a point one hundred and sixty-five (165) feet west of West Roxbury Parkway, 24 hours.
Glade Avenue.
Northwest side, from Glen road to the dead end, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by striking out the following:

Court Square, Boston Proper.
East side, easterly arm, from the southerly arm to the south property line of No. 10 Court square, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, easterly arm, from a point forty-five (45) feet north of the south property line of No. 10 Court square to Court street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," the following:

Court Square.
East side, easterly arm, from the southerly arm to Court street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 6, Part 3 (Restrictions in Cent and Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Dorchester Avenue.
Both sides, from Richmond street to Adams street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 6, Part 3 (Restrictions in Cent and Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Columbus Avenue.
Northwest side, from Station street to Tremont street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Southeast side, from Texas street to the northerly line of property of Police Station No. 10, 10 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 16A, Part 2 (Vehicles Owned by the United States Government May Be Parked Without Time Limit at the Curb in the Following Streets), is amended by striking out the following:

Court Square, Boston Proper.
East side, easterly arm, from the south property line of No. 10 Court square to a point forty-five (45) feet north of the south property line of No. 10 Court square.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by striking out the following:

Joiner Street, Charlestown.
From Water street to Park street.
Owen Street, Dorchester.
From Tiverton road to Morton street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," each of the following:

Nonantum Street.
From Cufflin street to Washington street.
Nottinghill Road.
From No. 24 Nottinghill road, thence in a southerly, easterly, northerly, and westerly direction to the point of beginning at No. 24 Nottinghill road.
Richardson Street.
From Mackin street to Western avenue.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Charlestown," each of the following:

Call Street.
From John F. Fitzgerald Expressway to Chelsea street.
Joiner Street.
From Water street to John F. Fitzgerald Expressway.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," each of the following:

Edge Hill Street.
From Round Hill street to Gay Head street.
Round Hill Street.
From Gay Head street to Edge Hill street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "South Boston," the following:

Baxter Street.
From E street to D street.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," the following:

Guest Street.
At Life street.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Old Road.
At Ellington street.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Massachusetts Avenue.
At Magazine street.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "South Boston," the following:

E Street.
At Fargo street.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "West Roxbury," the following:

Hilburn Street.
At Whitford street.

WM. ARTHUR REILLY,
Commissioner.

A true copy.
Attest:
WILLIAM T. DOYLE, *Executive Secretary.*
(Jan. 22-29.)

No. 18—399.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING LOAM FOR PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Thursday, February 3, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Loam." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.
(Jan. 22.)

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

ASSESSORS' NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

CITY HALL ANNEX,
BOSTON, January 1, 1955.

RETURNS MUST BE MADE ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 31, 1955.

Particular attention is called to the Assessors' notice posted upon City Hall and various other places throughout the city relative to making returns on personal property subject to taxation.

EDMUND J. BURKE,
Assessor of Taxes.
JAMES H. ALPHEN,
Associate Assessor of Taxes.
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Associate Assessor of Taxes.
(Jan. 8-15-22-29.)

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Office, 51 City Hall. Tel. LA 3-5100.

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Margaret FitzHugh Browne.

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Associate Commissioners.

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William Arthur Reilly.

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William Arthur Reilly.

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Perlie Dyar Chase, *Commissioner.*

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John V. Stapleton, *Chief of Department.*
Fire Alarm Headquarters, 59 Fedway. Tel. KE 6-1100.
Installation Permits, 808 City Hall Annex. Tel. LA 3-5100.

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Room 805, City Hall Annex. Tel. LA 3-5100.
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Department of School Buildings.

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Frederick R. Sullivan, *Sheriff.* Tel. CA 7-7640.
Leo J. Sullivan, *Register of Deeds.* Tel. CA 7-1642, 7-1643.
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BUILDING CONSTRUCTION IN CITY FOR 1954 TOTALED $36,807,303, WITH REVENUES FROM FEES, ETC., AMOUNTING TO $116,476.12 FOR 18,932 ITEMS — ONE ITEM, LONG ISLAND HOSPITAL BUILDING, ESTIMATED TO COST $4,396,600 — ONE SCHOOL FOR $1,100,000.

For the year ending December 31, 1954, building construction reached a total of 18,932 parcels at a total of $36,807,303, with revenues therefrom in the way of fees amounting to $116,476.12, according to figures compiled and submitted by the Building Department. In the list there were 58 parcels costing $50,000 or more. Among those listed were the Hospital and Laboratory at Long Island, at a cost of $4,396,600, and the school in the Fenway, estimated to cost $1,100,000. The complete list of these is as follows:

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BOSTON RENT BOARD HAD BUSY 16 MONTHS BY REPORT OF DUNCAN T. FOLEY, DIRECTOR, TO MAYOR HYNES—41,800 OFFICE INTERVIEWS AND 39,501 INCOMING TELEPHONE CALLS — 13,951 CASES DOCKETED WITH BUT 650 STILL PENDING — REFUNDS TO TENANTS, $5,134.60.

The following is the report of the Boston Rent Board as submitted to Mayor John B. Hynes by Duncan T. Foley, director:

REPORT FOR PERIOD AUGUST 1, 1953, TO DECEMBER 31, 1954.

Incoming telephone calls	39,501
Office Interviews:	
Landlords	22,185
Tenants	17,422
Attorneys	2,193
Total	41,800
Cases docketed	13,951
Total disposed	13,301
Total pending	650
Compliance Actions:	
Cases docketed	910
Total disposed	895
Total pending	15

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EXERCISES AT CITY HALL PLAZA ON JANUARY 17 TO HONOR BENJAMIN FRANKLIN FEATURED BY BRILLIANT ADDRESS OF JOHN SMOLINSKY, SENIOR IN ROXBURY MEMORIAL HIGH SCHOOL FOR BOYS PRINTING DEPARTMENT — MANY LEADING CITIZENS ASSEMBLED FOR PLACING OF WREATHS — MAYOR JOHN B. HYNES PRESIDED.

At the ceremonies at City Hall Plaza on January 17, 1955, a number of persons interested in printing and its kindred arts gathered at the invitation of Mayor John B. Hynes, who presided. One of the chief features, in addition to placing memorial wreaths, was the part taken by the Printing Department of the Roxbury Memorial High School for Boys. The exercises were featured by the address of John Smolinsky, of the class of 1955, whose address in tribute to Benjamin Franklin was as follows:

To Americans everywhere the great American, Benjamin Franklin, whom we honor today, is well known.

To Bostonians his life is more significant, for Franklin was a Bostonian. In fact, his birthplace is within the shadow of the spot on which we have gathered to honor him.

To us who have chosen to become printers, or to follow graphic arts as our profession, Benjamin Franklin symbolizes all that is exemplary in this field.

As a practical printer he was reported to have had no superior.

It is of interest to learn that as a Bostonian Franklin spent seventy of his eighty-four years of life as a subject of four successive British monarchs.

As a journalist he exerted an influence not only unrivaled in his day, but more potent, on this continent at least, than any of his sovereigns or their parliaments.

Crowning Work.

Franklin's Almanac, his crowning work in the sphere of journalism, published under the name of "Richard Saunders," better known as "Poor Richard," is still one of the marvels of modern literature. It was the first issue from an American press that found a popular welcome in foreign lands, and it still enjoys the special distinction of being the only almanac ever published that owed its extraordinary popularity entirely to its literary merit.

Franklin's place in literature as a writer has not been generally appreciated, probably because with him writing was only a means, never an end, and his ends always dwarfed his means. He wrote to persuade others, never to parade his literary skill. He never wrote a dull line. The longest production of his pen was his autobiography, written during the closing years of his life.

Simple in Style.

Almost everything else he wrote was in the form of letters which would hardly average three pages in length. And yet, whatever subject he touched upon, he never left the impression of incompleteness. Of him it may be said that he never said a word too soon, nor a word too late, nor a word too much.

Because of the simplicity of his style, his ease in condensing a great principle into an anecdote, many of Franklin's works as he applied them have become the folklore of all nations. His habitual moderation of statement, his aversion to exaggeration, his inflexible logic, and his perfect truthfulness made him one of the most persuasive men of his time, and

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"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean;
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.

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Advertising.

A rate of $4 per inch of 12 lines (set solid) has been established for such advertisements as under the law must be printed in the City Record. Advertising and other copy must be in hand by 5 P.M. Wednesday of each week to insure its publication in the Saturday issue.

MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, January 31, at 2 P.M.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries, or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the Complaints Division, Room 25, City Hall.

Information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways, the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments of streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped area for streets and the opening of private ways; the making of specific repairs in public streets; the naming of public streets, including the use of public ways for location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railways, coal holes, and vaults, may be secured from the Public Improvement Commission, Room 103, City Hall Annex.

TO THE BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION, 112 Southampton street, for information relative to regulation of vehicular street traffic on all or any streets, ways, highways, roads, and parkways under the control of the City of Boston, the issuing of all permits in connection therewith.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting, and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of Sumner Tunnel, the maintenance of bridges and draw-bridges, and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 601, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Haymarket Square, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish, and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughterhouses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases, of public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth Avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park, and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts, also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview, and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

TO THE DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS, 28 Norman street, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

TO THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 907, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal, or tearing down buildings.

TO THE ELECTRICAL INSPECTION DIVISION OF THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT, 1001 City Hall Annex, for all information relative to the erection of poles, building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division; also for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings of the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

TO THE BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT, 43 City Hall, relative to changes in the boundary lines of zoning districts of the City of Boston as established by chapter 488 of the Acts of 1924, and amendments thereto.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending January 22, 1955.

Population as of July, 1950, Massachusetts State Census, 817,713; population estimated July, 1954, United States Census Bureau, 810,633; number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 145; nonresidents, 68; total, 213.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 13.51; nonresidents deducted, 9.46.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:

Last week, 17.76; corresponding week last year, 13.60.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 19; one year to four years, inclusive, 1; sixty years and over, 136. Total deaths: Male, 112; female, 101; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 153.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Jan. 22, 1955.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Jan. 23, 1954.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior Poliomyelitis	—	1	—	—
Diphtheria	—	—	1	—
Encephalitis Lethargiea	—	—	—	—
Influenza	—	—	—	—
Measles	147	—	3	—
Meningitis Epidemie	4	—	1	1
Pneumonia (lobar)	—	1	—	2
Scarlet Fever	29	—	21	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary)	12	2	13	2
Childhood Type Tubereulosis	—	—	—	—
Tubereulosis (other forms)	1	—	—	—
Typhoid Fever	—	—	—	—
Whooping Cough	14	—	—	—

* Residents and nonresidents included.

MAYOR PRESIDES AT EXERCISES HONORING MEMORY OF BENJAMIN FRANKLIN.

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his writings a model which no one can study without profit. Selections from Franklin's writings should be a part of the curriculum of every college and high school that aspires to cultivate in its students a pure style and correct literary taste.

What a challenge to the youth of America — and more especially to a Bostonian — that he might emulate the printer, the journalist, the statesman, the great American, Benjamin Franklin.

BUILDING CONSTRUCTION FOR 1954 TOTALED $36,807,303, WITH FEES AMOUNTING TO $116,476.12.

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The following is a list of building construction projects involving an expenditure of $50,000 or more for which applications were filed with the Building Department of the City of Boston during the year ending December 31, 1954:

Location.	Purpose.	Nature.	Cost.
Long Island	Hospital and Laboratory	New	$4,396,800
400 Fenway	School (Emmanuel)	New	1,100,000
736 Cambridge street	Hospital (Roman Catholic Archbishop).	New	950,000
59 Fruit street	Hospital (Massachusetts General)	New	929,186
350 Lincoln street	Switch House (Edison)	New	710,000
79 Fruit street	Clinic (Massachusetts General)	New	700,000
435 Jamaicaway	Home for Aged	New	525,000
36 Temple place	Bank	Alterations	485,000
147 Western avenue	Studio and Office	New	484,000
85 Rockwood street	School	New	415,000
2100 Dorchester aveneu	Hospital	New	404,000
20 Longwood avenue	School	Alterations	400,000
Long Island Hospital	Boiler Room	New	325,175
45 Fellows street	Manufacturing	New	300,000
1045 Canterbury street	Convent	New	300,000
355 Everett street	Storage	New	300,000
79 North Harvard street	Hockey Rink	New	287,000
65 Rockwood street	Chapel and Gymnasium	New	265,000
Sutherland road	Community Center	New	250,000
326 Rutherford avenue	Storage and Office	New	240,000
52 Summer street	Mercantile	New	200,000
135 Francis street	Clinic	New	200,000
125 Guest street	Manufacturing	New	200,000
249 Corey road	Home for Aged	New	168,000
1500 Blue Hill avenue	Mercantile	New	160,000
91 Parker Hill avenue	Hospital	Alterations	140,000
818 Harrison avenue	Hospital	Alterations	125,000
75 Rockwood street	Dormitory	New	120,000
9 F street	Rectory	Alterations	105,000
2223 Dorchester avenue	Rectory	New	105,000
1100 Massachusetts avenue	Manufacturing	New	98,000
200 Bowdoin street	Bank	New	95,000
149 Welles avenue	Manufacturing	New	90,000
5 Livngstone street	Supermarket	Alterations	90,000
960 Massachusetts avenue	Meat Packing House	Alterations	80,000
6 Charlesgate West	Mercantile	New	78,000
14–18 Fessenden street	Synagogue	Alterations	75,000
453 C street	Mercantile	Alterations	75,000
78 Langdon street	Laundry	Alterations	75,000
26 Damon street	Storage	New	75,000
327 Forest Hills street	Storage	New	70,000
534 Beacon street	Hotel	Alterations	70,000
35 Greenville street	School	Alterations	70,000
444 Washington street	Mercantile	Alterations	68,000
327 Forest Hills street	Garage	New	68,000
197 Clarendon street	Offices	Alterations	65,000
136 Brighton avenue	Bank	New	65,000
636 Beacon street	Offices	Alterations	65,000
233 North Harvard street	Storage	New	63,750
132 Gove street	Rectory	New	62,000
335 Forest Hills street	Offices	New	62,000
335 Market street	School	Alterations	60,000
Dorchester	Apartments	New	60,000
1272 Boylston street	Auto Sales	New	60,000
1345 River street	Church	New	52,000
9 Travis street	Warehouse	New	51,000
115 Devonshire street	Offices	Alterations	50,000
70 Forsyth street	Manufacturing	Alterations	50,000

FINANCIAL ADJUSTMENTS.

Hardship and Increased Cost — August 1, 1953, to December 31, 1954

No. of Units	*M. L. R. Before Adjustment	*M. L. R. After Adjustment	Total Dollar Increase	Average Dollar Increase Per Unit	Average Percentage Increase Per Unit
7,941	$365,078	$406,450	$41,372	$5.21	11.3

NONFINANCIAL ADJUSTMENTS

Major Capital Improvements, Increased Service, Increased Occupancy over Normal, Increase in Subtenancy and Comparability — August 1, 1953, to December 31, 1954.

No. of Units	*M. L. R. Before Adjustment	*M. L. R. After Adjustment	Total Dollar Increase	Average Dollar Increase Per Unit	Average Percentage Increase Per Unit
7,169	$294,064	$331,960	$37,896	$5.29	12.9

* Maximum legal rent.

REPORT OF THE BOSTON RENT BOARD.

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Refunds:

Single damages–Number of tenants		124
To tenants–refunded		$5,134 60

REPORT OF PETITIONS PROCESSED.

From August 1, 1953, to December 31, 1954.

Financial Hardship Adjustment Petitions—(Form RC–3)

Grants	5,597 Units	513
Denials	2,526 Units	361
Total		874

Increased Cost Adjustment Petitions—(Form RC–2)

Grants		2,344

Nonfinancial Adjustment Petitions—(Form RC–2)

Grants	7,169 Units	7,169
Denials	2,277 Units	2,277
Total		9,446

REPORT OF CORRESPONDENCE AND FORMS FILED REQUIRING PROCESSING.

Decontrol, Prior Opinions, Decrease in Service, and Reconsiderations.

Orders issued—Denials	120
Opinions rendered	515
Total	635

RENT OFFICE SURVEY SHOWING PERCENTAGE INCREASES RESULTING FROM DECONTROLLED UNITS.

From August 1, 1953, through December 31, 1954.

1. Number of units involved in survey	4,279
2. Number of units decontrolled on RC–3 petitions processed since August, 1953	410
3. Percentage of decontrolled units to total rental units in buildings included in petitions processed	9.58%
4. Total monthly maximum rents prior to decontrol	$19,125 97
5. Monthly amount of dollar increase on decontrolled units	$4,366 23
6. Total monthly rents after decontrol	$23,492 20
7. Percentage of increase resulting from decontrol	22.83%

It should be noted that the Maximum Legal Rents prior to decontrol already include rent increase adjustments granted since March, 1942. The average increase granted since March, 1942, for financial relief amounts to 38 per cent. In addition to the financial relief granted, there has also been issued rent increases for Major Capital Improvements.

The decontrolled units shown in this survey were the result of vacancies occurring on or after August 1, 1953.

See table at bottom of column 1-2.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of underground construction by the Boston Fire Department, estimated to be thirty (30) days, parking of vehicles is prohibited in the following street, effective January 18, 1955:

Topliff Street, Dorchester.
Both sides, from Geneva avenue to Bowdoin street.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING JANUARY 25.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
James Monahan	107 Academy Hill road	22	Connecting range	$50
James Monahan	313 Allston street.	21	Connecting range	15
Harry Kroner	702 Beacon street	5	Connecting range	25
James Monahan	5 Benson street	22	Connecting range	75
James Monahan	29 Brackett street	22	Connecting range	50
George Shultz	6 Bronson street	22	Connecting heater	800
E. Hart	6 Bronson street	22	Connecting range	50
James Monahan	70 Brook street	22	Connecting heater	75
George Trethewey	116 Brown avenue	18	Connecting heater	75
James Litman	303 C street	6	Connecting range	50
William Connell	183 Centre street	12	Connecting heater	50
F. Farrar	44 Clearway street	4	Connecting heater	50
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Nicholas Waller	18 Cummings road	21	Connecting heater	50
Nicholas Waller	1 Cutler street	20	Connecting heater	50
Nicholas Waller	5 Cutler street	20	Connecting heater	50
Nicholas Waller	9 Cutler street	20	Connecting heater	50
Charles Lang	50 Forest street	18	Connecting heater	75
James Monahan	8 Grant avenue	22	Connecting range	50
W. Howdy	101 Harold street	12	Connecting range	50
S. Prayor	137 High street	2	Connecting range	50
E. Hart	56 Hillsboro street	14	Connecting range	50
James Monahan	186 Hilton street	18	Connecting heater	50
S. Litman	9 Howland street	12	Connecting range	75
L. Visco	3 Maverick street	1	Connecting range	75
F. Farrar	230 Massachusetts avenue	4	Connecting heater	50
F. Farrar	254 Massachusetts avenue	4	Connecting heater	50
F. Farrar	282 Massachusetts avenue	4	Connecting heater	50
E. Hart	22 Milk street	3	Connecting range	75
James Monahan	27 Myrick street	22	Connecting heater	50
D. Palmanto	38 North Bennet street	3	Connecting heater	75
N. Eshawitz	275 Normandy street	14	Connecting heater	75
James Monahan	1440 River street	18	Connecting heater	50
R. Cook	22 St. Botolph street	4	Connecting heater	75
James Monahan	21 Snow street	22	Connecting heater	50
James Monahan	23 Turner street	22	Connecting range	75
James Thomas	7 Wachusett street	18	Connecting range	60
William Connell	68 Weld Hill street	19	Connecting range	75
George Landers	108A West Broadway	6	Connecting range	50
James Monahan	25 Wilson street	21	Connecting heater	50
James Monahan	34 Winthrop street	22	Connecting heater	50
C. Romano	677 Adams street	16	Connecting range	250
C. Romano	10 Ainsley street	16	Connecting range	150
A. Onessima	15 Ashland street	3	Connecting heater	35
C. Romano	40 Aspinwall road	17	Connecting heater	250
C. Romano	24 Auckland street	13	Connecting range	100
A. Onessima	160 Bennington street	1	Connecting range	35
N. Clark	33 Bicknell street	14	Connecting range	45
C. Romano	10 Bloomington street	16	Connecting range	300
C. Romano	1514 Blue Hill avenue	14	Connecting range	350
C. Romano	251B Bowdoin street	15	Connecting range	40
I. Gerson	342 Cambridge street	21	Connecting range	50
C. Romano	21 Carruth street	16	Connecting range	50
William Koeen, Jr	2600 Centre street	20	Connecting range	35
C. Romano	10 Crockett avenue	16	Connecting range	350
A. Figler	49 Dennis street	8	Connecting range	50
C. Romano	62 Dakota street	18	Connecting range	80
N. Clark	35 Foster street	21	Connecting range	45
N. Clark	436 Gallivan Boulevard	16	Connecting range	400
C. Romano	558 Gallivan Boulevard	16	Connecting range	350
C. Romano	41 Granville street	16	Connecting range	40
C. Romano	97 Hancock street	13	Connecting range	40
C. Romano	183 Hancock street	13	Connecting range	50
N. Clark	8 Harlow street	13	Connecting range	40
N. Clark	33 Hooper street	22	Connecting range	40
A. Halsband	3 Johnny court	3	Connecting range	45
C. Romano	5 Josephine street	15	Connecting range	250
C. Romano	29 Josephine street	15	Connecting heater	225
C. Romano	85 Kenwood street	17	Connecting heater	150
C. Romano	52 Langdon street	8	Connecting range	100
C. Romano	11 Lincoln street	16	Connecting range	250
N. Clark	1 Linwood square	9	Connecting range	400
A. Hird	34 Lyndhurst street	17	Connecting range	225
C. Romano	14 Melville avenue	17	Connecting range	500
C. Romano	144 Minot street	16	Connecting range	275
N. Clark	35 Murray Hill road	19	Connecting range	100
C. Romano	116 Norfolk street	17	Connecting range	150
C. Romano	37 Oakley street	15	Connecting range	250
N. Clark	218 Parker Hill avenue	10	Connecting range	15
N. Clark	68 Pleasant Hill avenue	17	Connecting range	15
C. Romano	439 Quincy street	15	Connecting range	250
N. Clark	8 Richardson street	21	Connecting range	400
C. Romano	13 Rosseter street	14	Connecting range	150
C. Romano	11 Sargent street	13	Connecting range	300
C. Romano	170 Savin Hill avenue	13	Connecting range	140
H. Sellon	8 Short Street court	2	Connecting range	10
C. Romano	9 Sumner road	13	Connecting range	250
C. Romano	98 Topliff street	16	Connecting heater	225
N. Clark	58 Turner street	21	Connecting range	300
N. Clark	13A Union street	21	Connecting range	45
C. Romano	37 Wales street	14	Connecting range	150
C. Romano	26 Welles avenue	17	Connecting range	150
C. Romano	45 Westland avenue	4	Connecting range	50
C. Romano	57 Wheatland avenue	17	Connecting range	250
C. Romano	175 Wilmington avenue	17	Connecting range	180
S. Fox	247 Atlantic avenue	3	Connecting range	75
T. Resnick	17 Oak street	3	Connecting range	30
L. Luxton	7 O'Donnell square	16	Connecting range	45
E. Secatore	328 Paris street	1	Connecting range	30
L. Rubin	52 St. Brendan road	16	Connecting range	20
A. Granara	29 Sheafe street	3	Connecting range	15
E. Miller	177 Tremont street	3	Connecting range	35

SEWERAGE WORKS IN WEST ROXBURY.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that sewerage works hereinafter described be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within thirty (30) days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly West Roxbury and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Cemo road, bounded:

Southerly by Cottage avenue, 40.02 feet; westerly by the westerly line of Cemo road, 206.20 feet; northerly by another part of Cemo road, 40 feet; and easterly by the easterly line of Cemo road, 205 feet; containing 8,224 square feet, more or less.

Sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: 220 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sewer and surface drain, at an estimated cost of $3,000.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the abutting parcels of land situated on both sides of Cemo road, designated as Parcels 2, 3, 4, and 5, on the plan hereinbefore referred to, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement herein ordered; each of said parcels in the amount hereinafter respectively set against it.

Parcel.		Amount.
2.	Jenny R. DeStefano *et al.*	$330 00
3.	Jenny R. DeStefano *et al.*	330 00
4.	Irene Manomaitis	330 00
5.	Louise M. Frederick	330 00
	Total	$1,320 00

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of an easement for sewerage purposes and the construction of sewerage works in Cemo road, West Roxbury district, under the order of this commission of December 22, 1954, and awards no damages therefor.

Owners unknown (Cemo road), 8,224 square feet, nothing.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULING.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of underground construction by the Boston Edison Company, estimated to be one (1) week, parking of vehicles is prohibited in the following street, effective January 18, 1955:

Trinity Place, Boston Proper.

Northeast side, from Stuart street to Stanhope street.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees:

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Approval has been given for the following temporary transfers:

John T. Stone, senior heating and ventilating engineer at $100.88 a week to principal heating and ventilating engineer at $122.50 a week; John R. Hanton, accountant at $87.48 a week to senior accountant at $90.50 a week; James J. O'Keefe, senior account clerk at $66.37 a week to accountant at $73 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

For the week ending January 18:

The following provisional employees have been appointed:

Earl Coblyn, 28 Catawba street, Roxbury, Mary M. Beatty, 7 Taft street, Dorchester, Antoinette Casey, 97 Horadan Way, Roxbury, John C. Donovan, 130 Huntington avenue, Arthur Fidler, 81 High street, Charlestown, Florence Fitzgerald, 62 Chandler street, Grace H. Flannery, 712 East Sixth street, South Boston, James Harrington, 11 Caton street, Mattapan, Mary E. Hyde, 6 Harbell terrace, Dorchester, Mary B. Little, 42 Blue Hill avenue, Roxbury, Thomas Lyons, 19 O street, South Boston, Alphonse Martin, 73 Farragut road, South Boston, Richard Maxwell, 9 Linden Park street, Roxbury, Florence McCoy, 42 Woodville street, Roxbury, Richard McKenna, 27 Grant street, Dorchester, Augusta McMahon, Argyle Hotel, John E. Moore, 401 Adams street, Dorchester, Phyllis Peterson, 345 Meridian street, East Boston, Charles Thomas, 232 Broadway, John C. Truehart, 353 Bowdoin street, Dorchester, hospital medical workers, $43 a week.

The following permanent employees have been appointed:

Alfredo Castrucci, 10 Henchman street, Frank Stewart, 162 Orton-Marotta Way, South Boston, Eugene Turchinetz, 31 Auburn street, hospital laundry workers, $43 a week.

The following weekly nurses have been appointed:

Permanent.—Carol C. Duffy, 89 Salman street, West Roxbury, floor nurse, $65.50 a week; Helen T. Mahoney, 710 Massachusetts avenue, floor nurse, $76.50 a week; Euanna McInnis, 49 Sargent street, Dorchester, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour; Margaret Morrell, 275 Brookline avenue, floor nurse, $1.60 an hour.

The service of the following employee has been terminated:

Permanent.—Ann M. Trabucco, 53 Brook avenue, Roxbury, hospital kitchen worker, $18 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following appointments:

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Margaret G. Keady, 16 Pine street, Norwood, public health nurse, $63 a week.

Marguerite B. Derry, 22 Griggs street, Brighton, junior bacteriologist, $63 a week.

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APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING JANUARY 25.—Concluded.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
S. Sawtelle	573 West Broadway	7	Connecting heater	$65
R. Simon	17 West Sixth street	7	Connecting heater	30
A. Figler	38B Blue Hill avenue	8	Connecting range	35
G. Trethewey	27 Bradfield avenue	20	Connecting heater	185
A. Milligan	977 Centre street	20	Connecting range	100
C. Lang	16 Courtney road	20	Connecting heater	30
Wm. Fishman	41 Deforest street	18	Connecting range	35
J. Principato	165 Endicott street	3	Connecting range	25
J. Corcoran	20 Folsom street	13	Connecting heater	140
B. Zieff	30 Grovenor road	18	Connecting range	40
J. Principato	134 Havre street	1	Connecting range	50
G. Trethewey	251 Kittredge street	18	Connecting heater	195
J. Marquess	18 Magnolia square	13	Connecting range	60
C. Lang	116 Manthorne road	20	Connecting range	15
J. Principato	20 Moon street	3	Connecting range	20
N. Clark	29 Thornley street	13	Connecting range	50
G. Vallati	152 Welles avenue	16	Connecting range	200
Wm. Connell	121 Ashmont street	17	Connecting range	35
H. Geddis	91 Bay State road	5	Connecting range	35
E. Hart	53 Bradfield avenue	20	Connecting range	45
E. Hart	492 Centre street	19	Connecting range	20
E. Hart	979 Centre street	20	Connecting range	25
John J. Vogel	56 Colberg avenue	20	Connecting range	150
Wm. Connell	2 Columbia terrace	16	Connecting range	55
E. Hart	215 Dorchester street	7	Connecting range	50
L. McConkey	131 Grove street	20	Connecting range	90
G. Vallati	10 Iowa street	15	Connecting heater	40
H. Geddis	15 Landseer street	20	Connecting range	375
G. Vallati	237 Park street	16	Connecting range	25
John J. Vogel	29 Richwood street	20	Connecting range	10
H. Geddis	37 St. Botolph street	4	Connecting range	40

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING JANUARY 25.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
George Backer	227 Athens street	6	Alterations, dwelling	$75
Phillip DeCarlo	587 Beech street	18	Alterations, dwelling	450
Bowdoin Square Garage	91 Cambridge street	3	Alterations, sign, garage	800
Congress Taxi Company	1890 Columbus avenue	10	Alterations, garage	750
W. H. L. Crawford	427 and 429 Faneuil street	22	Alterations, store, dwelling	500
Henry Donahue	23 Green street	19	Alterations, dwelling	450
Thomas Quinn	118 Granite avenue	16	Alterations, dwelling	100
Thomas Quinn	393 Geneva avenue	15	Alterations, dwelling	100
Cole, Hersee Company	54 Old Colony avenue	6	Alterations, warehouse	150
D. Michael	30 Ophir street	19	Alterations, dwelling	400
Dominic Bramante	58 Ridgemont street	15	Alterations, dwelling	425
Waverly Realty Company	83 Charles street	5	Additional cost	300
Bay Realty Company	363 Albany street	3	Fire repairs, office	2,000
Sheraton Buildings, Inc	470 Atlantic avenue	3	Alterations, store, office	950
Philip Richenburg	71 Augustus avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	600
Tutor Trust	12-16 Boylston street	3	Alterations, store, office	300
Cabot, Cabot, Forbes	376 Boylston street	5	Alterations, store, office	150
Harry Cohen	20 Brookledge street	12	Alterations, dwelling	640
Mello Fuel Oil Company	37 Brookley road	11	Fire repairs, offices	490
Norman Hayes	17 Caldwell street	2	Alterations, office, storage	400
Standard Groceries	395 Commercial street	3	Alterations, storage	1,000
Vendome Hotel	160 Commonwealth avenue	5	Alterations, hotel	450
R. Fowler	62 Elm street	19	Fire escape, dwelling	75
T. Donovan	64 Elm street	19	Fire escape, dwelling	75
Sam Sottile	256 Everett street	1	Alterations, dwelling	35
Bernice Perrigo	21 Green street	19	Fire repairs, dwelling	475
Alfred Wiggins	7 Haley street	11	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
D. H. Walton	193 Harvard avenue	21	Sign, store	165
Boston Filter Company	43 Harvard square	2	Sign, manufacturing	50
William Anderson	17 and 19 Houghton street	16	Alterations, dwelling	725
L. Wasserman	19 Marlborough street	5	Alterations, dwelling	300
Mr. Gardner	7 Mather street	16	Alterations, dwelling	95
Joseph Capezzoli	1 Mercier avenue	17	Alterations, dwelling	450
John McCarthy	24 North Crescent Circle	22	Retaining wall	800
F. A. Suck	8 Oakdale street	19	Fire escape, dwelling	360
Frank McGourty	23 Peverell street	13	Alterations, dwelling	390
Albert Pearlstien	11 Powellton road	14	Alterations, dwelling	150
Joseph Edelstein	308 River street	18	Alterations, dwelling	100
J. Pappalando	66 St. Andrew road	1	Alterations, dwelling	600
A. D. Manuelian	50 Shawmut avenue	3	Alterations, store, dwelling	300
Northwestern Leather Co.	210 South street	8	Alterations, office, manufacturing	1,500
Thomas Brady	10 Tower street	19	Take-down, garage	200
Adams Square Realty	56 Union street	3	Sign, restaurant, office	200
Cecil E. Lambe	21 Virginia street	13	Alterations, dwelling	185
Charak Furniture Company,	46 Wareham street	3	Alterations, manufacturing, storage	800
J. Sullivan	172 Walnut street	16	Alterations, dwelling	260
Moss Realty Company	555 Warren street	12	Alterations, stores	125
Washington Food	145 Washington street	3	Sign, store, manufacturing	900
M. Sarni	1½ Webster avenue	1	Fire escape, dwelling	300
J. Chiacchieri	2 Woodville park	8	Fire escape, dwelling	400

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM PLUMBING FOR THE WEEK ENDING JANUARY 25.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Russell Ilg	31 Aliano road	20	Fixtures	$800
C. J. Tenanto	58 Bromfield street	3	Fixtures	150
B. Poste	120 Brookline avenue	5	Fixtures	630
E. Miller	112 Canal street	3	Fixtures	375
Russell Ilg	2628 Centre street	20	Fixtures	800
G. Trethewey	206 Gardner street	20	Fixtures	300
J. Wilson	171 Grove street	20	Fixtures	800
G. Trethewey	36 Morey road	20	Fixtures	250
D. Sullivan	401 Summer street	6	Fixtures	40
T. Segeburg	112 Allston street	21	Fixtures	700
H. Latorella	20 Chestnut street	2	Fixtures	100
C. Romano	14 East street	15	Fixtures	50
W. Kocen, jr.	416 Harvard street	14	Fixtures	625
C. Romano	14 Monson street	17	Fixtures	500
A. Hird	20 Virginia street	13	Fixtures	400
S. Fox	247 Atlantic avenue	3	Fixtures	50
L. Marchant	1 Blackstone street	3	Fixtures	75
J. McTominey	118 Commonwealth avenue	5	Fixtures	500
R. Trahon	1 Court street	3	Fixtures	200
P. Russo	153 Gladstone street	1	Fixtures	185
A. Lewis	210 South street	3	Fixtures	1,000
B. Porte	85 Van Ness street	5	Fixtures	690
K. Boden	722 V. F. W. Parkway	20	Fixtures	1,000
W. Baker	5211 Washington street	20	Fixtures	400
P. Murtha	10 Withington street	17	Fixtures	400
R. Kirby	107 Beacon street	5	Fixtures	500
G. Trethewey	27 Bradfield avenue	20	Fixtures	185
D. Yorks	20 Constitution road	18	Fixtures	900
C. Lang	16 Courtney road	20	Fixtures	25
J. Corcoran	20 Folsom street	13	Fixtures	140
J. Palmer	Fuller street	17	Fixtures	120
D. Yorks	2 Jamestown terrace	18	Fixtures	900
G. Trethewey	251 Kittredge street	18	Fixtures	195
A. Milligan	93 Newfield street	20	Fixtures	1,000
J. Marquess	18 Magnolia square	13	Fixtures	75
H. Chefalo	1 Park street	3	Fixtures	100
A. Milligan	5 Wedgewood road	20	Fixtures	1,000
D. Weinberg	320 Blue Hill avenue	14	Fixtures	175
D. Yorks	12 Constitution road	18	Fixtures	900
D. Yorks	16 Constitution road	18	Fixtures	900
D. Yorks	18 Dania street	18	Fixtures	900
R. Fliegelman	7 Glenway street	14	Fixtures	300
D. Yorks	1-5-6-9-10 Jamestown ter.	18	Fixtures	(each) 900
H. Geddis	15 Landseer street	20	Fixtures	275
H. Geddis	37 St. Botolph street	4	Fixtures	40
G. Vallati	55 Shepton street	16	Fixtures	400
J. Sullivan	55 Solaris road	18	Fixtures	300

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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John W. Canty, 45 Magdala street, Dorchester, collector of milk samples, $63 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Allen J. Gillis, 32 Tobin court, Roxbury, hospital kitchen worker, $45.50 a week.

Elaine G. Parris, 42 Intervale street, Roxbury, clerk and stenographer, $43 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

Edith E. Longa, 61 Allen street, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Jennie M. Comforti, 14 Worcester street, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Nancy McCarthy, 77 Ellington street, Dorchester, part-time registered graduate nurse, $1.70 an hour.

Walter J. Wright, 612 Park street, Dorchester, clerk (intermittent relief), $43 a week or $8.60 a shift.

Rosemarie C. Rizzo, 31 Prince street, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Dorothea T. Pritchard, 79 Minot street, Dorchester, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Mildred A. Lambiase, 48 Bowdoin avenue, Dorchester, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Hazel B. McSweeney, 303 River street, Mattapan, intermittent relief telephone operator, $11.10 a shift or $55.50 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Water Division.

Nancy A. Wallace, 22 McDonough Way, South Boston, clerk and typist, $48 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Mary E. Diggs, 131 Harold street, Roxbury, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Kathryn A. Goodman, 17 Moulton street, Charlestown, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Mary E. Kenney, 36 Robin street, West Roxbury, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Mary E. Marshall, 9 Josephine street, Dorchester, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Marie F. Pilato, 240 Jamaicaway, Jamaica Plain, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Mary E. Wilds, 20 Bean court, Roxbury, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Mildred M. Ross, 21 Pleasant street, Dorchester, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following reinstatements:

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Kathleen M. Murphy, 4 Pleasant street, Dorchester, public health nurse, $70.50 a week.

Mary E. Welsh, 135 Elmer road, Dorchester, principal public health nurse, $87 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Thomas J. Kelly, 35 Lorraine street, Roslindale, clerk, $50.50 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

Kathleen T. Sullivan, 558 Washington street, Brighton, registered graduate nurse, $73 a week.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Jeanne M. Sullivan, 14 Greaton road, West Roxbury, clerk and typist, $50.50 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following promotions:

AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

Jonathan H. Edwards, 96 Harrishof street, Roxbury, from principal statistical machine operator at $76.50 a week to assistant supervisor of statistical machines (temporary, six months) at $80 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

John P. Treanor, Jr., 42 Eliot street, Jamaica Plain, from public health physician (part time) at $65 a week to public health physician (full time) at $108.25 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Robert E. Coogan, 121 Dale street, Roxbury, from senior clerk and typist at $65.50 a week to principal account clerk at $68 a week.

VETERANS' SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Harry A. Holland, 45 Pleasant street, Dorchester, from veterans' services supervisor at $87 a week to principal veterans' services supervisor (temporary, six months) at $90.50 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following changes in status:

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Louise G. Griffin, 65 Maverick street, East Boston, from senior account clerk at $63 a week to head clerk (temporary) at $80 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Louis A. Fisher, 200 Columbus avenue, from hospital laundry worker at $56.67 a week to elevator operator at $56.67 a week.

Wilbert Paquette, 103 Horadan Way, South Boston, from hospital medical worker at $50.50 a week to hospital house worker at $50.50 a week.

Doris A. Jacques, 710 Massachusetts avenue, from floor nurse at $63 a week (living in) to head nurse at $65.50 a week (living in).

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Sanitary Division.

Thomas F. McClutchy, 4 Lambert street, Roxbury, from district supervisor of street cleaning and waste collection at $90.50 a week to district supervisor of street cleaning and waste collection at $94 a week.

Michael F. Hynes, 8 Irvington street, Boston, from district supervisor of street cleaning and waste collection at $90.50

a week to district supervisor of street cleaning and waste collection at $94 a week.

Charles J. McCoy, 84 Marine road, South Boston, from district supervisor of street cleaning and waste collection at $90.50 a week to district supervisor of street cleaning and waste collection at $94 a week.

Joseph M. Sullivan, 49 Rexford street, Dorchester, from district supervisor of street cleaning and waste collection at $90.50 a week to district supervisor of street cleaning and waste collection at $94 a week.

Edward W. H. Smith, 6 Woodville park, Roxbury, from district supervisor of street cleaning and waste collection at $90.50 a week to district supervisor of street cleaning and waste collection at $94 a week.

Arthur F. Walsh, 141 Chestnut avenue, Jamaica Plain, from district supervisor of street cleaning and waste collection at $90.50 a week to district supervisor of street cleaning and waste collection at $94 a week.

Frederick J. Crowley, 45 Sudan street, Dorchester, from district supervisor of street cleaning and waste collection at $90.50 a week to district supervisor of street cleaning and waste collection at $94 a week.

Joseph F. Connelly, 10 Lindsey street, Dorchester, from district supervisor of street cleaning and waste collection at $87 a week to district supervisor of street cleaning and waste collection at $90.50 a week.

Michael T. Clougherty, 226 South street, Jamaica Plain, from district supervisor of street cleaning and waste collection at $90.50 a week to district supervisor of street cleaning and waste collection at $94 a week.

Harold J. Brown, 10 Kerna road, West Roxbury, from district supervisor of street cleaning and waste collection at $90.50 a week to district supervisor of street cleaning and waste collection at $94 a week.

Sewer Division.

James J. Fitzgerald, 103 Turner road, Scituate, from senior engineering aid at $73 a week to junior civil engineer (temporary) at $80 a week.

Water Division.

Domenic H. Galiazzo, 38 Warrenton street, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week to heavy motor equipment operator and laborer at $63 a week.

John H. Currie, Jr., 29 Rawson street, South Boston, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week to heavy motor equipment operator and laborer at $63 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Anna Murphy, 110 West street, Hyde Park, from clerk and typist at $45.50 a week to senior clerk and typist (temporary) at $55.08 a week.

Leo Larkin, 248 Fuller street, Dorchester, from social work supervisor at $87 a week to principal social work supervisor (temporary) at $94 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following transfers:

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Bridge Division.

John Devlin, 23 Miami avenue, West Roxbury, from Public Works Department (Bridge Division) as carpenter at $68 a week to Public Works Department (Water Division) as carpenter at $68 a week.

Highway Division.

Thomas J. Doyle, 20 Fidelis Way, Brighton, from Public Works Department (Highway Division) as laborer at $58 a week to Public Works Department (Automotive Division) as laborer-watchman at $58 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following leaves of absence:

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Gloria Forrest, 58 Orchard street, Medford, head nurse, $70.50 a week.

Blanchtean Howell, 16 Highland street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $45.50 a week.

Helen M. Young, 8 Douglas street, South Boston, hospital kitchen worker, $50.50 a week.

William Burke, 4 Howe avenue, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $50.50 a week.

Edgar Tebbetts, 4 Concord street, Charlestown, elevator operator, $50.50 a week.

Patricia R. Burke, 88 Oxford street, Arlington, floor nurse, $1.70 an hour.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

Buildings Division.

George P. Donovan, 179 M street, South Boston, plant superintendent, $108.25 a week.

STEP-RATE INCREASES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved step-rate increases for employees of the following departments:

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Marie H. Peters, clerk and typist, from $43 to $48 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Warren J. Bailey, laborer, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

Geraldine M. Campbell, matron, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Neil P. Canney, park maintenance foreman, from $80 to $83.50 a week.

Herbert C. Cleary, storekeeper, from $61.25 to $63 a week.

William E. Collins, general foreman, park maintenance, from $87 to $90.50 a week.

David I. Fleming, laborer, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Katherine A. Kenefick, matron, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Esther A. Moynihan, matron, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Grace A. Powers, matron, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Wallace Siteman, laborer, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

Marie Tuohey, principal account clerk, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Cemetery Division.

Gertrude P. Ross, principal clerk and typist, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Bridge Division.

John F. Rogers, drawtender, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Highway Division.

William F. Clarke, assistant civil engineer, from $90.50 to $94 a week.

Ernest Dolan, highway construction inspector, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Peter Plansky, junior engineering aid, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

Sanitary Division.

Lawrence L. Mooney, laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

John J. Murphy, street cleaning and waste collection inspector, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Water Division.

Patrick Brown, laborer, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

Anthony C. Calabro, water meter reader, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

John H. Kelley, water meter reader, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Charles A. Mason, permanent intermittent water meter reader, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Arthur F. McDonald, laborer, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

Patrick J. Minihane, water meter reader, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Bruno J. Ragagnin, clerk, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Irene Kassler, clerk and typist, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

VETERANS' SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Richard G. Cahill, veterans' services supervisor, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Susan M. Flaherty, veterans' services investigator, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

For the week ending January 18:

Sidney H. Welsh, principal clerk and stenographer, from time to time, $3 an hour.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

For the week ending January 18:

Gertrude E. Folan, executive secretary, 7 hours at $3 an hour.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

For the week ending January 11:

John Flanagan, chief power plant engineer, 36 hours at $2.175 an hour; Hector Campbell, building maintenance supervisor, 32 hours at $2.087 an hour.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Collecting Division.

William F. Stoia, Thomas F. Ryan, 8 hours each.

VETERANS' RETIREMENTS.

The Mayor has approved the following veterans' applications for retirement:

Norman Richard Dean, 74 School street, Tewksbury, traffic sign maintenance man, Boston Traffic Commission.

William F. Conway, 4 Hartford court, Dorchester, senior designing engineer, Survey Division, Public Works Department.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award the contracts for work, materials, and supplies, in accordance with recommendations of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.
Purchasing Division.

Upon January 24 the Mayor approved contracts as requested in the following letter:

BOSTON, January 19, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

On November 17, 1954, bids for furnishing radio equipment to the Department of Civil Defense were publicly opened and read in this office. Attached is tabulation of bids received.

Item 7 on the bid did not clearly state that microphones were to be included with the loud speakers but each company which had taken out a proposal was notified that microphones were to be included.

The lowest total bidder, including the microphones needed with Item 7, was Motorola Communications and Electronics, Inc. If the cost of the microphones needed on Item 7 is deducted from their bid, this company will be the lowest total bidder in accordance with the original specification. I am advised that this company's equipment, presently in use in the Department of Civil Defense, is outstanding in performance, has not been out of service, and no monies have been spent for repairs or replacements.

It is therefore requested that permission be granted to award a contract for furnishing radio equipment as indicated on the attached tabulation sheet to the Department of Civil Defense to Motorola Communications and Electronics, Inc., 540 Main street, Winchester, Mass. Approximate total amount of contract will be $22,474.45, net, 30 days. This amount includes 30 microphones needed on Item 7.

Respectfully yours,
JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

Bids were as follows:

Radio Equipment.

Item 1. 10 Mobile Transmitter/Receiver Units, Each.—Motorola Communications and Electronics, Inc., $398*; General Electric Company, $403.50, alternate, $353.50, Mc-8-W; DeMambro Radio Supply Company, Inc., $435.75; Link Radio Corporation, $418; Allen B. DuMont Laboratories, Inc., $405.

Item 2. Five Base Station Transmitter/Receiver Units with Remote Control, Each.—Motorola Communications and Electronics, Inc., $800*; General Electric Company, $727.20; DeMambro Radio Supply Company, Inc., $897; Link Radio Corporation, $645; Allen B. DuMont Laboratories, Inc., $895.

Item 3. One Base Station Transmitter/Receiver Unit with Remote Control.—Motorola Communications and Electronics, Inc., $1,650*; General Electric Company, $1,685; DeMambro Radio Supply Company, Inc., $1,678; Link Radio Corporation, $1,500.

Item 4. One Lampkin, Model 205, FM Modulation Meter.—Motorola Communications and Electronics, Inc., $240; General Electric Company, $219*; DeMambro Radio Supply Company, Inc., $240; Link Radio Corporation, $220.

Item 5. One Lampkin, Model 105B, Frequency Meter.—Motorola Communications and Electronics, Inc., $220; General Electric Company, $203*; DeMambro Radio Supply Company, Inc., $220; Link Radio Corporation, $250.

Item 6. Five Mobile Transmitter/Receiver Units, Each.—Motorola Communications and Electronics, Inc., $398*; General Electric Company, $428.20, alternate, $349, MC-208; DeMambro Radio Supply Company, Inc., $449.86; Link Radio Corporation, $410.

Item 7. Thirty Loud Speakers for Police Cars, Each.—Motorola Communications and Electronics, Inc., $111.90.* including MD33 microphone; General Electric Company, $124.40; Visual Curriculum Center, $93; DeMambro Radio Supply Company, Inc., $84; Link Radio Corporation, $185.

Item 8. Four Base Station Transmitter/Receiver Units with Remote Control, Each.—Motorola Communications and Electronics, Inc., $800; General Electric Company, $727.20; DeMambro Radio Supply Company, Inc., $897; Link Radio Corporation, $645*; Allen B. DuMont Laboratories, Inc., $895.

Item 9. Four Base Station Transmitter/Receiver Units with Remote Control, Each.—Motorola Communications and Electronics, Inc., $800; General Electric Company, $727.20; DeMambro Radio Supply Company, Inc., $897; Link Radio Corporation, $645*; Allen B. DuMont Laboratories, Inc., $895.

Item 10. Five Thousand Feet of RG-8/U Coaxial Transmission Line, Amphenol Type 21-004, or Equal, Each M Feet.—Motorola Communications and Electronics, Inc., $127.49; General Electric Company, $123; DeMambro Radio Supply Company, Inc., $94*; Link Radio Corporation, $129; Allen B. DuMont Laboratories, Inc., 15 cents per foot.

Discount.

Motorola Communications and Electronics, Inc.—Net, 30 days.

General Electric Company.—Net, 30 days, f.o.b., Boston.

Visual Curriculum Center.—Two per cent, time of payment.

DeMambro Radio Supply Company, Inc.—Net, 10 days.

Link Radio Corporation.—Two per cent, 30 days.

Allen B. DuMont Laboratories, Inc.—Net, 30 days.

Make and Model.

Motorola Communications and Electronics, Inc.—Item 1, Motorola, T41, Item 2, Motorola, FSTR-140, Item 3, Motorola, FSTR-520, Item 4, Lampkin, 205, Item 5, Lampkin, 105B, Item 6, Motorola, T43, Item 7, Stromberg-Carlson, (MD33C-RD-21-RP27-AM49), Item 8, Motorola, FSTR-140, Item 9, Motorola, FSTR-140, Item 10, Amphenol, 21-004.

General Electric Company.—Item 1, G.E., MC-1-W, Item 2, G.E., SC-28-W&RC-3, Item 3, G.E., SC-34-W&RC-3, Item 4, Lampkin, 205, Item 5, Lampkin, 105B, Item 6, G.E., MC-206, Item 7, Stromberg-Carlson, (RD-21; RP-27; M-49), Item 8, G.E., SC-28-W&RC-3, Item 9, G.E., SC-28-W&RC-3, Item 10, Amphenol, 21-004.

Visual Curriculum Center.—Item 7, Bogen, "Challenger CD12," complete with "Ph" trumpets and MA25 driver units.

DeMambro Radio Supply Company, Inc.—Item 1, RCA, CMV2E3, Item 2, RCA, CC-8A-CSF-60AR, Item 3, RCA, CC-8A-CSF-250AR, Item 4, Lampkin, 205FM, Item 5, Lampkin, 105B, Item 6, RCA, CMV4E, Item 7, Stromberg-Carlson, (RD-21; RP27; AM-40), Item 8, RCA, CC-8A-CSF-60AR, Item 9, RCA, CC-8A-CSF-60AR, Item 10, Amphenol, RG8/U 21-004.

Link Radio Corporation.—Item 1, Link, 6000-30DR-A1, Item 2, Link, 6000-60AC-A1 and 1890 Remote Control, Item 3, Link, 7000-250AU-A1 and 1890 Remote Control, Item 4, Lampkin, 205, Item 5, Lampkin, 105B, Item 6, Link, 6000-30DR-C1, Item 7, Stromberg-Carlson, (AM49-RD21-RP27), Item 8, Link, 6000-60AC-A1 and 1890 Remote Control, Item 9, Link, 6000-60AC-A1 and 1890 Remote Control, Item 10, 5,000 feet Amphenol RG8/U Coaxial cable.

Allen B. DuMont Laboratories, Inc.—Item 1, DuMont, MCA-101A, Item 2, DuMont, MCA-151A, MCA-902A, De Luxe, Item 8, DuMont, MCA-151A, MCA-902A, De Luxe, Item 10, as specified.

Delivery.

Motorola Communications and Electronics, Inc.—Forty-five days.

General Electric Company.—Items 1, 4, 5, 6, 10, 7 to 30 days; Items 2, 3, 8, 9, 30 to 45 days.

Visual Curriculum Center.—Seven days.

DeMambro Radio Supply Company, Inc.—Thirty days.

Link Radio Corporation.—Items 1, 2, 3, 6, 8, 9, 45 days; Items 4, 5, 7, 10, 30 days.

Allen B. DuMont Laboratories, Inc.—Item 1, 10 days; Item 2, start 45 days, complete 90 days; Item 8, start 45 days, complete 90 days; Item 10, 30 days.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon January 24 the Mayor approved a contract with the American-LaFrance-Foamite Corporation for furnishing gas mask canisters to the Fire Department. This company is offering the best deliveries of the canisters to the Fire Department. Approximate total amount of contract was $6,800, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids, opened January 17, were as follows:

Gas Mask Canisters.

Item 1. 500 Model S Burrells All Service Gas Mask Canisters, Each.—American Fire Equipment Company, $7; Joseph T. Gorham, doing business as Gorham Fire Equipment Company, $7; Mine Safety Appliances Company, $7; Justin A. McCarthy, doing business as Justin A. McCarthy Company, $7; American-LaFrance-Foamite Corporation, $7.*

Item 2. 500 Chemox Gas Mask Canisters, Each.—American Fire Equipment Company, $6.60; Joseph T. Gorham, doing business as Gorham Fire Equipment Company, $6.60; Mine Safety Appliances Company, $6.60; Justin A. McCarthy, doing business as Justin A. McCarthy Company, $6.60; American-LaFrance-Foamite Corporation, $6.60.*

Discount.—American Fire Equipment Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Joseph T. Gorham, doing business as Gorham Fire Equipment Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Mine Safety Appliances Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Justin A. McCarthy, doing business as Justin A. McCarthy Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; American-LaFrance-Foamite Corporation, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Delivery.—American Fire Equipment Company, 7 to 14 days; Joseph T. Gorham, doing business as Gorham Fire Equipment Company, on receipt of order; Mine Safety Appliances Company, 14

days; Justin A. McCarthy, doing business as Justin A. McCarthy Company, within 14 days after receipt of order; American-LaFrance-Foamite Corporation, immediate delivery from stock in Boston as requested by the Fire Department; the only company who has carried a large stock of these canisters in Boston stock.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon January 24 the Mayor approved a contract with A & J Auto Ignition Company for furnishing spark plugs to the various city departments from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, inclusive. Approximate total amount of contract was $3,732, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids, opened January 18, were as follows:

Spark Plugs.

Approximately 12,000 Champion or A. C. Spark Plugs for Motor Vehicles (Regular Type), Net Price Each, No Federal Tax Included.—American Oil Company, 34.97 cents; Standard Auto Gear Company, Inc., 32 cents; A & J Auto Ignition Company, 31.1 cents*; Hunt-Marquardt, Inc., 34.5 cents; White Motor Company, 34.5 cents; Automotive Distributors, Inc., 34.5 cents.

Discount.—American Oil Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Standard Auto Gear Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; A & J Auto Ignition Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Hunt-Marquardt, Inc., net price shown is with cash discount applied; Automotive Distributors, Inc., 2 per cent.

Manufacturer's Brand Name.—American Oil Company, Champion; Standard Auto Gear Company, Inc., A. C.; A & J Auto Ignition Company, A. C. Spark Plug; Hunt-Marquardt, Inc., Champion; White Motor Company, Champion; Automotive Distributors, Inc., Champion.

Remarks.—Hunt-Marquardt, Inc., this quotation covers only regular automotive type spark plugs.

* Contract awarded.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Upon January 19 the Mayor approved a contract with J. J. Bonavire, Inc., for construction of new garage, Public Works Department yard, City of Boston, 315 Western avenue, Brighton, at an estimated cost of $38,803. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed before May 1, 1955. The following bids were received January 6:

J. J. Bonavire, Inc., $38,803; Fred DeLesio, $39,553; Franchi Construction Company, $41,900; Michael Racioppi, $42,488; Parkman Construction Company, Inc., $44,408; M. Solimando, $44,473; Concrete Construction Company, $46,300; J. A. Singarella Company, $46,553; Vicari & Salvo, $46,497; Nardone Construction Company, $46,831.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

The School Committee has approved proposals for furnishing groceries for Boston public school cafeterias. Bids, opened Tuesday, December 14, were received from the following concerns:

H. J. Heinz Company; Monarch Finer Foods, Division of Consolidated Grocer's Corporation; New England Importation Co., Inc.

Awards were made to the lowest responsible bidders, as follows:

H. J. Heinz Company, $1,279.95.

Monarch Finer Foods, Division of Consolidated Grocer's Corporation, $3,438.39.

New England Importation Co., Inc., $6,100.36.

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The School Committee has approved a proposal for furnishing oxygen and acetylene for Boston public schools. Bid was opened Tuesday, January 4.

Contract was awarded to Air Reduction Sales Company, the only bidder, for $2,700.

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The School Committee has approved proposals for furnishing bread, rolls, cakes, cookies, and crackers for Boston public school cafeterias. Bids, opened Thursday, December 2, were received from the following concerns:

Ce-Lect Baking Company, Inc., Continental Baking Company, General Baking Company, Gentles Baking Company, Handy Pax Distributors, Hathaway Bakeries, Inc., National Biscuit Company.

Awards were made to the lowest responsible bidders, as follows:

Hathaway Bakeries, Inc., $8,667.40.
Gentles Baking Company, $8,878.50.
Continental Baking Company, $32,800.
Handy Pax Distributors, $9,500.
National Biscuit Company, $1,055.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

Upon varying dates as indicated the Mayor approved contracts with contractors, supply houses, and construction workers for furnishing labor, supplies, etc. Communications from heads of departments interested were as follows:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.
Purchasing Division.

BOSTON, January 13, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The Boston City Hospital has submitted a requisition for 500 rolls Cardiette paper, 3A-1. Sanborn Company, the manufacturer of this particular type paper, has submitted an informal quotation.

Inasmuch as Sanborn Company is not only the manufacturer of this paper but is also the one source of supply, authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to this company. It is my opinion that, in this way, the best intersets of the city will be served.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $1,195, less 1 per cent discount for payment within 15 days, net, 30 days.

Respectfully yours,
JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, January 14, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

In accordance with the provisions of the letter approved by you on January 26, 1954, authority is requested at this time to award a contract, without public advertisement, to the following-named company for furnishing perishable foods to the various city departments from January 15, 1955, to March 31, 1955, inclusive: John Nagle Company, Fish Pier, Boston, Mass.

Respectfully yours,
JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

BOSTON, January 18, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The Water Division of the Public Works Department has submitted a requisition for 500 three quarter-inch curb cocks for copper pipe (Minneapolis pattern).

Informal requests for prices were solicited from three manufacturers. Authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to Hays Manufacturing Company, the lowest bidder on the informal requests for prices. Inasmuch as Hays Manufacturing Company is one of the manufacturers, it is my opinion that no advantage could be gained by publicly advertising for bids.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $1,550, less 2 per cent cash discount tenth of following month, or net, 45 days from date of invoice.

Respectfully yours,
JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, January 19, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

For several years, your Honor has granted authority to this office to purchase perishable foods, including fruits, vegetables, meats, poultry, butter, fish, and eggs, on a weekly basis and, in some instances, a monthly basis. This method has proved most beneficial to the city.

Inasmuch as purchases in this manner result in considerable savings to the city, authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award contracts, without public advertisement, to the following companies for the period from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, inclusive:

Armour & Co., 775 Columbus avenue; Atlantic Lobster House, Inc., 42 Warren street; Bart Tribuna, Inc., 17 South Market street; Behen Fruit Service, Inc., 7 Charlton street, Everett; Morris Blinder & Co., Inc., 32 North street; Bornstein & Pearl Provision Company, Inc., 196 Quincy street, Roxbury; City Packing Company, Inc., 115 Newmarket square; Collins & Lee, Inc., 105 Suffolk street, Chelsea; Colonial Provision Company, Inc., 128 Cross street; Consolidated Lobster Company, Inc., 924 Washington street, Gloucester; Costa Fruit & Produce Company, 41 Central Wharf; Cudahy Packing Company, 27 Fruit & Produce Exchange; Curly Brothers, Inc., 15 South Market street; Epstein Company, 9 Blackstone street; Saul Fleishman, doing business as Fleishman Egg Company, 7 Merchants Row; Samuel M. Gertman Company, Inc., 40 Newmarket square; G. Giovino Company, 19 Commercial street; Julius Jacobs, doing business as Jacobs & Co., 22 B. & M. Produce Market, Charlestown; John A. Kennedy & Sons, Inc., 125 Liberty street, Quincy; T. F. Kinnealey Company, 20 Newmarket square; Irving Levitt Company, 30 Newmarket square; Linnehan Fruit Supply, Inc., 304 C street, South Boston; M. M. Mades Company, Inc., 67 South street, Somerville; M. J. McCarthy & Co., 29 and 30 Front street, Charlestown; Metropolitan Hotel Supply Company, Division of Swift & Co., 1000 Massachusetts avenue; Miller Produce Company, 85 Newmarket square; Walter Mill's &

Sons, Inc., 539 East First street, South Boston; John Nagle Company, Fish Pier; New England Importation Company, Inc., 208 State street; New England Fillet Company, Inc., 26 Fish Pier; New England Provision Company, Inc., 960 Massachusetts avenue; North American Packing Corporation, 225 Southampton street; Northern Fruit Company, Inc., 39 Fish Pier; O'Hara Brothers Company, Inc., 39 Fish Pier; Paul's Lobster Company, 150 Northern avenue; Premier Packing Company, Inc., 1240 Columbus avenue; Jacob Prober Company, Inc., 38 South Market street; Radlo Brothers, 5 Commerce street; A. F. Rich Company, 2 Fish Pier; Albert Richards Company, Inc., 23 Commercial street; F. J. Reardon, Inc., 17 Front street, Charlestown; Riley & Co., Inc., 25 North Market street; Eugene Rothmund, Inc., 21 South street, Somerville; Otis Simonds Company, 55 Front street, Charlestown; Norman B. Small, doing business as Normal B. Small Company, 61 Chatham street; Roy G. Spark, Inc., 24 B. & M. Produce Market, Charlestown; Standard Brands, Inc., 150 Causeway street; Stavis Ipswich Clam Company, Inc., 148 Northern avenue; Oscar B. Stone & Sons, Inc., 132 Newmarket square; Suffolk Farms Packing Company, 152 Pearl street, Chelsea; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., 460 E street, South Boston; Swift & Co., 25 Faneuil Hall square; Swift & Co., doing business as John P. Squire Company, 165 Gore street, Somerville; United Beef Company, 140 Newmarket square; Union Beef Company Inc., 131 Newmarket square; Wald Packing Corporation, 90 Newmarket square; Wilson & Co., Inc., 126 Newmarket square.

With the exception of the following companies who are offering a 1 per cent cash discount for payment within 10 days, all other companies are net:

Costa Fruit & Produce Company, Curly Brothers, Inc., G. Giovino Company, Linnehan Fruit Supply, Inc., Northern Fruit Company, Inc., Jacob Prober Company, Inc.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, January 18, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR:

Under the provisions of section 1 of chapter 6 of the Revised Ordinances of 1947, I propose to have an examination of the accounts of the Sumner Traffic Tunnel for the fiscal year 1954 made by the accounting firm of Charles F. Rittenhouse & Co., 75 Federal street, Boston. The expense involved in this examination will depend on the time found necessary to complete the audit, but under no circumstances should it exceed $900. I respectfully request your approval of my proposed action.

Respectfully,

JOSEPH P. LALLY,
City Auditor.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

BOSTON, January 18, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

SUBJECT: Edward Southworth School Building.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

Movement of masonry throughout the height of structural piers providing support to the gabled facade of the front of the building at the third-floor level, and in the gable masonry and corbels of same above, has created an emergency condition requiring immediate attention. To determine the extent of this hazardous condition, discovered by the district inspector, the D. Antonellis Company was ordered to erect a scaffold to provide minute inspection and take immediate steps to secure fractured masonry in place.

Inspections made from the scaffold by the district inspector and the Deputy Superintendent of Construction, in company with a representative of the Finance Commission, determined the need of immediate action. Consequently, the D. Antonellis Company was authorized to proceed with the removal of the gable masonry and the rebuilding of structural piers, also incidental work of roofing, roof framing, plastering, etc.

As it was absolutely necessary to proceed as I have done in order to avoid a situation that might cause a collapse of a portion of the building, I ask your Honor's approval of my action and your authority to negotiate a contract, without advertising, with the D. Antonellis Company, 15 Sparhawk street, Brighton, Mass, on a labor and materials basis, at a cost not to exceed $7,500. Inspections will be made of the work daily and cost and time records kept by this department.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES H. MOONEY,
Superintendent of Construction.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, January 17, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR:

I respectfully request your permission to issue a service order to H. D. Lockhart, 35 Hale street, Hyde Park, for the extermination of vermin in the following locations in the Park Department:

Dover Street Bath—Laundry.
North Bennet Street.
Cabot Street.
Paris Street.
Franklin Park Zoo and Garage.
George Wright Golf Club House.

He will exterminate vermin when required, and in addition make regular monthly inspections with necessary applications of disinfectant at the above locations, for the period of one year, from January 1, 1955, to December 31, 1955, for a sum of $959, payable quarterly.

For the last four years Mr. Lockhart has performed this work in a very satisfactory manner, and at the time of the issuing of the original order in obtaining quotations he was much lower than any other concern which bid.

I do not believe the city would obtain any lower price by asking for bids and in view of the splendid work being done by Mr. Lockhart, I belive it is for the best interests of the city to award a contract to Mr. Lockhart.

Accordingly, I request your permission to issue a service order for this work.

Respectfully yours,

FRANK R. KELLEY,
Commissioner.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, January 24, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The Real Property Board proposes to engage the services of Wm. Nelson Jacobs Associates, 438 Park Square Building, Boston, Mass., as achitects-engineers, in connection with the proposed construction of an off-street parking facility at Scollay square, Pemberton square, and Howard street, Boston.

The estimated cost of the proposed facility is approximately $1,500,000, and the architects-engineers shall be paid a standard fee equal to the sum of 6 per cent of the full amount of the cost of said construction, which fee would include supervision.

In view of the nature of the professional services involved, no benefit would be gained by advertising for bids, and it is respectfully requested that permission be given to award the contract to Wm. Nelson Jacobs Associates without public advertising.

Respectfully submitted,

HERMAN CARP,
Commissioner.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, December 14, 1954.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

Re: I. B. M. Contract.

DEAR SIR:

On December 9, 1954, in response to our letter dated December 6, 1954, you authorized the award of a contract, without advertising, to the International Business Machines Corporation, 573 Boylston street, Boston, Mass., for the lease of the following equipment:

Electric Punch, No. 011-14048, $7.50 a month.

Printing Key Punch, No. 026-10600, $55 a month.

Printing Key Punch, No. 026-10636, $55 a month.

Printing Key Punch, No. 026-15900, $55 a month.

Electronic Sorter, No. 082-15163, $60 a month.

Electronic Sorter, No. 082-15175, $60 a month.

Alphabetical Collator, No. 089-10389, $190 a month.

Alphabetical Accounting Machine, No. 402-15771, $480 a month (to be replaced in March, 1955, by a No. 403 machine at $570 a month.)

Alphabetical Accounting Machine, No. 42-20779, $380 a month (to be replaced in March, 1955, by a No. 403 machine at $570 a month.)

Alphabetical Accounting Machine, No. 402-21312, $460 a month.

Numeric Accounting Machine, No. 416-91045, $125 a month.

Reproduction Punch, No. 513-22374, $85 a month.

Check Writing Interpreter, No. 556-10033, $80 a month.

Calculating Punch Model A, No. 602A-21906, $220 a month.

Facsimile Posting Machine, No. 954-13422, $25 a month.

On order: Alphabetical Interpreter to be delivered in March, 1955, and to cost $75 a month.

Total monthly rate of machines in use as of January 1, 1955, $2,412.50.

In our letter of December 6, we advised you that the total cost for the year

1955, including the replacements and new machine, was estimated to be not in excess of $32,130.

At this time, it is our purpose to amend the aforesaid letter of December 6 by requesting that the contract to be executed with the International Business Machines Corporation be one to cover the period January 1, 1955, through March 31, 1955, total cost for this period not to exceed $7,700. The reason for this request is that funds are not presently available for the period April 1, 1955, through December 31, 1955.

As previously stated, this equipment can only be obtained from the International Business Machines Corporation. No advantage would be gained by a public advertisement for bids.

Very truly yours,

WILLIAM G. O'HARE,
Secretary.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

REGISTRY OF PROBATE.

BOSTON, January 14, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

MY DEAR MR. MAYOR:

As you are aware it is necessary for me to purchase supplies for the Probate Court and the Registry of Probate under Item 360 in the budget. The principal expenditures from this item are for the purchase of blank forms of which we have approximately three hundred types. With such a variety it is very difficult, if not impossible, to anticipate the needs of the Bar, the public and the office in that connection and very often we find it necessary to order some items for quick delivery, so that we cannot wait until our needs would amount to $1,000.

We do not expend as much as $1,000 at any one time for the purchase of such blank forms and other supplies. I believe that if we were required to build up our orders to the $1,000 mark and advertise for bids such action would be likely to result (no matter how unintentionally) in over purchasing.

In the light of the foregoing I respectfully request authority to dispense with advertising for bids for the purchase of supplies under budget Item 360. This request is made under the provisions of chapter 156 of the Acts of 1939.

Respectfully yours,

ARTHUR W. SULLIVAN,
Register.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Domenick Puleo for alterations at the Dorchester High School for Boys, from December 31, 1954, to January 31, 1955. This extension was requested on account of additional work orders.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with John J. Hourihan for hurricane emergency roofing repairs at the Jamaica Plain High School, from December 31, 1954, to April 30, 1955. This extension was requested because of difficulty in obtaining necessary labor.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Fred Ralston & Co., Inc., have been granted an extension of time until July 19, 1955, for the completion of the contract for removal of dead or diseased trees in the City of Boston.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Charles Todesca, 100 Roslindale avenue, Roslindale, for artificial stone sidewalks in Beacon street, from Exeter street to Massachusetts avenue, from December 31, 1954, to June 30, 1955. This extension was requested because the contract was not approved until December 31, 1954, and the contractor was unable to do the work in the winter months.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Susi & DeSantis Company, Inc., for sewerage works in Moss Hill road, Mossdale road, and Driftwood road, West Roxbury, from January 30, 1955, to April 30, 1955. This extension was requested because the contractor was delayed due to winter weather conditions.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Rufo Construction Company, 1 Allen road, Brighton, for corner cutback, etc., in Chestnut street, etc., from January 15, 1955, to June 30, 1955. This extension was requested because the contractor was obliged to suspend work over the winter months and will resume work under the contract in the spring.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Faneuil Construction Company, 3 Fruit and Produce Exchange, for roofing work on various buildings of the Sanitary Division at Victory road and at 650 Albany street, Boston, until April 15, 1955. This extension was requested because the contractor was encountering difficulty in obtaining necessary labor, and because of inclement weather.

CHANGES IN CONTRACT.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

D. Antonellis, Inc., has been ordered to make the following changes in the contract for various schools:

Brighton High School: Furnish and install new doors and frames on two portable steel-type boilers, $64.

Curtis Guild School: Furnish and install new cast-iron base for Mills steam boiler, $393.15.

Dearborn School: Furnish and install door in chimney base. Allow deduction for repairing existing door as called for in the original specifications, $65.38.

Farragut School: Labor and material for furnishing and installing a complete set of grates in both cast-iron boilers. Deduction allowed for omission of work on grates as called for in the original specifications, $144.

Total, $666.53.

Insurance and bond, $6.67.

Total addition to contract, $673.20, and the amount of $673.20 will be added therefor, making the account as follows: contract price, $16,396; total additions, $673.20; amount of contract, $17,069.20.

Domenick Puleo has been ordered to make the following changes in the contract for the Dorchester High School for Boys:

Item 1. Replace 24 chrome-plated special cap nuts, where missing from urinals. Drill cap nuts and provide lock pins to prevent further removal of same. Plumbing subcontractor, $145, overhead, 10 per cent, $14.50—$159.50.

Item 2. New door to Room 213, to replace existing door, in material and detail, including hardware, $87.93.

Item 3. Remove floor hinges from two pair double-acting doors at lunchroom to stairs and from one pair of double-acting doors in basement, $475.20.

Item 4. Furnish and install new doors for pupils' toilet compartments, wider than shown on plans to meet conditions found at building, $270; furnish and apply six chromium swing latches for teachers' toilet doors, $18; furnish and install six sets of hinges for teachers' toilet doors, $99—$387; omit one water closet and compartment in girls' toilet room, second floor, deduct $93; net addition, $294.

Item 5. Do all cutting and patching necessary to investigate floor construction, and locate existing concrete joists, to avoid interference with new plumbing fixtures, $104.

Item 6. Omit part of steel shelving in Room 202A, deduct, $88.62.

Total additional work, $1,120.63; total deductions, $88.62; net additional work, $1,032.01; and the amount of $1,032.01 will be added therefor, making the account as follows: contract price, $74,214; total additions, $2,457.22; amount of contract, $76,671.22.

AMENDMENT TO ORIGINAL AWARDS OF DAMAGES.

The Mayor has approved the following votes of the Public Improvement Commission:

Voted, That the amount of $150 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Thomas W. and Pauline Burke for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of September 12, 1952, for the laying out and construction of Buchanan road, West Roxbury district.

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Voted, That the amount of $127 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Leo and Elizabeth Lohrer for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of March 25, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Mendell Way, West Roxbury district.

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Voted, That the amount of $750 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Richard C. and Jean L. Massell for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of August 26, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Alward road, West Roxbury district.

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Voted, That the amount of $750 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to George and Eleanor M. Steele for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of August 26, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Alward road, West Roxbury district.

Voted, That the amount of $85 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Olga M. Horner for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of November 21, 1952, for the laying out and construction of Quarley road, West Roxbury district.

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Voted, That the amount of $72.50 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Ramo and Theresa Barbati for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of May 29, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Hartford court, Dorchester district.

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Voted, That the amount of $580 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Louis J. and Annette Daddieco for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of June 8, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Lochland road, Hyde Park district.

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Voted, That the amount of $230 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Habeeb M. Hanna for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of April 27, 1953, for the widening and construction of Beech street, West Roxbury district.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, for a trial period of sixty (60) days, the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective February 1, 1955:

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," each of the following:

Dover Street.
North side, from Albion street to Tremont street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Hull Street.
Southwest side, from Commercial street to Snow Hill street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Corona Street.
South side, from Bowdoin street to Geneva avenue, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Opera Place.
Northeast side, from a point ten (10) feet northwest of Public Alley No. 817 to a point ten (10) feet southeast of Public Alley No. 817, 24 hours.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Rockwell Street.
From Milton avenue to Washington street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," each of the following:

Bower Street.
From Walnut avenue to Warren street.

Public Alley No. 404.
From Public Alley No. 405 to Cumberland street.

Public Alley No. 405.
From St. Botolph street to Huntington avenue.

DISCONTINUANCE AS HIGHWAY.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the discontinuance of a portion of Beech street, West Roxbury district, as a public highway, at the southwesterly corner of Granville street, bounded and described as follows:

A portion of the highway named Beech street is hereby discontinued at the southwesterly corner of Granville street.

Said portion of said Beech street as hereby discontinued is bounded:

Northeasterly by the southwesterly line of Beech street as hereby established by two measurements, 29.98 feet on a curve of 315.20 feet radius and 34.41 feet; southeasterly by Granville street, 4.69 feet; southwesterly by the southwesterly line of Beech street as it existed prior to this discontinuance, 64.14 feet, containing 112 square feet, more or less.

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the discontinuance of a portion of Beech street, West Roxbury district, as a public highway, at the southwesterly corner of Granville street, under the order of the commission of November 3, 1954, and awards no damages therefor.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 1,990.

The following-named persons are hereby appointed permanent patrolmen in this department and are assigned as follows, effective Wednesday, January 19, 1955, at 11.30 o'clock A.M.:

Division 1.

Robert L. Hennessey.

Division 4.

Fabian F. Aylward, William R. Beckman, John J. M. Burke, Analdo N. Curadossi, William F. Donga.

Division 9.

Clarence A. Arthmann, Luciano L. Bellanti, John F. Lally, Lawrence A. Montague, Emmanuel E. Rogers, Frederick C. Scopa.

Division 10.

John F. Cullinane, Donald C. Johnson, John J. Linehan, Jr.

Division 14.

William D. Venuti.

Division 16.

Robert F. Fitzgerald.

Division 17.

Robert J. Metzler.

Division 18.

William F. Russell.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 1,993.

The following-named officer having requested retirement under the provisions of the Statutes of 1892, chapter 353, as amended, for the reason that he is incapacitated, it is hereby

Ordered, His Honor the Mayor having approved the same, that he be retired from active service in the Police Department, effective Wednesday, January 26, 1955, at 7.45 o'clock A.M.:

Lieutenant-Detective David V. Tintle, Detective Bureau, 42 years of service.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 1,994.

The following-named officer having requested retirement under the provisions of the Statutes of 1892, chapter 353, as amended, for the reason that he is incapacitated, it is hereby

Ordered, His Honor the Mayor having approved the same, that he be retired from active service in the Police Department, effective Wednesday, January 26, 1955, at 7.45 o'clock A.M.:

Patrolman George A. Patterson, Division 6, 31 years of service.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 1,995.

Acting under provisions of chapter 658, Acts of 1945, section 7, as amended (State-Boston Retirement System), the Boston Retirement Board has approved for retirement on account of accidental disability, the following-named police officer, effective at the close of business Monday, January 31, 1955.

In view of this operation of law, after January 31, 1955, the said police officer shall no longer be an active member of this department, and it is hereby ordered that its records be so amended.

Patrolman Cornelius F. Mahoney, Division 14.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Works Department for the following construction work:

A 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer and 10-inch pipe surface drain in Banks street, between Brook Farm road and 125 feet northwesterly, in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of $900.

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A 24-inch pipe surface drain and twin 12-inch Armco perforated pipe in land of the Boston Park Department (Copley square), between Boylston street and Huntington avenue, in the City Proper district, at an estimated cost of $500.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, January 17, 1955.

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 2 P.M., President HURLEY in the chair, and all the members present.

The Reverend Adrian P. O'Leary of St. Vincent de Paul Church, South Boston, was escorted to the rostrum.

INVOCATION BY REVEREND ADRIAN P. O'LEARY.

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost. Amen.

We have come, O God, the Holy Ghost, before Thee, deeply conscious of our many grievous sins, but especially gathered together in Thy Name. Come unto us and be with us, and vouchsafe to enter our hearts. Teach us what we are to do and whither we are to attend. Show us what we must accomplish, and, with Thy help, we may be able to please Thee in all things. Be Thou alone the author and finisher of our judgment. Thou alone, with God the Father and Son, dost possess a glorious name.

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come; Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us, and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost. Amen.

The meeting was opened with the salute to the Flag.

PLAY AREA IN VICINITY OF 1449-1453 HYDE PARK AVENUE.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, January 17, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation relative to your order of December 27, 1954, concerning the making of a play area at the location facing 1449–1453 Hyde Park avenue, or some other suitable place in the immediate vicinity.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Parks and Recreation Department,
January 11, 1955.

Mr. Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.

Dear Sir:

This will acknowledge receipt of memo from your office with attached order from Councillor Piemonte, requesting the Parks and Recreation Department and the George Robert White Fund to make a survey of vacant land located at 1449–1453 Hyde Park avenue as a possible site for a play area.

If this land is ever obtained by the city, we might give consideration to its development, but at the present time we have no money within our budget to effect this improvement.

Very truly yours,
FRANK R. KELLEY, Commissioner.

Placed on file.

SIDEWALKS ON GARFIELD STREET, HYDE PARK.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, January 17, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Public Works relative to your order of December 20, 1954, concerning the installing of sidewalks on both sides of Garfield street in the Hyde Park section of Boston.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Public Works Department,
January 12, 1955.

Mr. Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.

Dear Mr. Flemming:

This is in reference to the following order that was passed in the City Council under date of December 20, 1954.

"Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor request the Commissioner of Public Works to take the steps necessary to install sidewalks on both sides of Garfield street in the Hyde Park section of Boston."

I presume that the above referenced refers to the private section of Garfield avenue connecting Faraday street to Cranmore road.

A hearing was held by the Public Improvement Commission on December 29, in connection with the laying out and construction of this street as a public highway. The improvement will provide for the construction of a new roadway and sidewalks.

I anticipate that work will start this spring or early summer, and I trust that the improvement will be effected to the satisfaction of the abutting residents who reside in the nearby housing project.

Respectfully yours,
GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Placed on file.

ESTABLISHMENT OF A POLICE ATHLETIC LEAGUE.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, January 17, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation relative to your order of December 13, 1954, concerning the establishing of a Police Athletic League in the City of Boston.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Parks and Recreation Department,
December 29, 1954.

Mr. Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.

Dear Sir:

Acknowledging recent memo from Mayor's office with attached order from Councillor Hailer, requesting that the Police Commissioner, Park Commissioner, and the School Department study the possibility of establishing a Police Athletic League in the City of Boston.

If such a league were to be established, it would require the full cooperation of all departments concerned. In view of the experience of the Police Department with their youth organization some years ago, I believe that the matter should be discussed freely with Commissioner Sullivan.

We receive excellent cooperation from the Police Department in all requests we make of them, but I know that Commissioner Sullivan has on more than one occasion expressed the opinion that he did not expect his policemen to conduct recreational activities.

The request contained in the order would require much study, and we will be pleased to lend our cooperation to such a study if called upon.

Very truly yours,
FRANK R. KELLEY, Commissioner.

Placed on file.

BUREAU FOR PLACING PATIENTS IN REST HOMES.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, January 17, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the secretary of the Overseers of the Public Welfare relative to your order of December 20, 1954, concerning the establishing of a bureau for the placing of patients in rest homes.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Overseers of the Public Welfare,
January 11, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Re: Councillor Hurley's Order of December 20, 1954.

Dear Sir:

In response to your inquiry of December 27, 1954 forwarding the order passed in the City Council which provides

"Ordered, That the Social Service Departments of the Welfare Department and the Boston City Hospital establish a bureau for the placing of patients in rest homes,"

we wish to inform you as follows.

The department recently established a unit at the Roxbury Crossing district office known as the "Nursing Home Section," which section is responsible for administering assistance to all recipients residing in proprietary nursing homes in the city. This section will be able, about February 1, to maintain a register of all vacancies from nursing homes, and a method is being worked out under which the nursing homes will inform the office whenever a vacancy occurs. This information will be made available to the Social Service Division of the Boston City Hospital on request.

The Welfare Department's listing of vacancies will be primarily for informational purposes, as we believe the decision as to the appropriate nursing home for the patient should be made by the Hospital Social Service Division in each case.

The above has been reviewed with and approved by the Chairman of the Board of Overseers, Mr. Joseph K. Collins.

We trust that this information is satisfactory.

Very truly yours,
WILLIAM G. O'HARE, Secretary.

Placed on file.

PATROLLING OF HOUSING PROJECTS.

The following was received:

Office of the Mayor, January 17, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communications from the Police Commissioner and the chairman of the Boston Housing Authority relative to your order of December 13, 1954, concerning the assigning of a uniformed officer to patrol each of the housing projects in the City of Boston.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Police Department, January 11, 1955.

W. J. Malloy,
City Clerk.

Dear Sir:

Relative to order of the City Council dated December 13, 1954, requesting consideration of the advisability of assigning a uniformed officer to patrol each of the housing projects in the City of Boston, please be advised that, while we cover the grounds adjacent to every housing project and answer every call for assistance from those locations, we have no right to enter on these properties for the purpose of patrolling them, any more than on the property of a private apartment house.

We have conferred with the Housing Authority members and have agreed to train any of their employees for this work in our Police Academy and to appoint them as special officers, giving them the identical authority that a Boston police officer would have, including the right to carry a revolver.

Very truly yours,
T. H. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

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Boston Housing Authority,
January 14, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Subject: City Council Order of December 13, 1954, on Patrol of Developments by the Boston Police Department.

Dear Mayor Hynes:

In reply to your letter of December 15, 1954, on the above City Council order, be advised that this Authority has conferred at length with Police Commissioner Sullivan on the matter of police protection for developments of this Authority.

The Authority is convinced that it is receiving police protection on its developments at least equal to that received by other property owners and consonant with that which can be given it in view of the over-all problems of that department.

Over a year ago the Authority made a proposal to the Public Housing Administration for minimum additional police protection, with special police at its own expense, on a plan worked out in cooperation with Commissioner Sullivan.

A tentative approval of this plan was given. Final approval was never secured. At a meeting held with the Public Housing Administration at its Field Office in New York on January 6, 1955, this Authority continued to press for its viewpoint, but without success.

If additional police protection can be given by the Boston Police Department in some areas, it would be acceptable, but in all fairness the Authority must say that the Police Commissioner and his force have been most cooperative and helpful within the means and resources of his department.

Very truly yours,
OWEN A. GALLAGHER,
Chairman.

Placed on file.

SOCIAL SERVICE PROGRAMS AT HOUSING PROJECTS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, January 17, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the chairman of the Boston Authority relative to your order of December 13, 1954, concerning social service programs at the various housing projects.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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Boston Housing Authority,
January 14, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Subject: City Council Order of December 13, 1954, Concerning Meetings with Social Service Agencies.

Dear Mayor Hynes:

The Authority is not unmindful of the good which may come from closer coordination between this Authority and other agencies concerning community problems in which developments of this Authority are located.

One of the members of the Authority, Mr. Frederick A. Cronin, is a member of a committee set up within the United Community Services on this very matter, and the Authority will continue to work with this group.

Councillor Gabriel E. Piemonte, who sponsored the order, is familiar with the work of this committee and recently participated in one of its meetings.

Very truly yours,
OWEN A. GALLAGHER,
Chairman.

Placed on file.

CITY AGENCIES TO COORDINATE ACTIVITIES WITH URBAN RENEWAL PROGRAM.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, January 17, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith further communication regarding your order of December 13, 1954, from the chairman of the Boston Housing Authority relative to coordinating activities and programs with the urban renewal activities under the Federal Housing Act of 1954.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

Boston Housing Authority,
January 14, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Subject: City Council Order of December 13, 1954, on Coordination of Capital Expenditures of Certain City Departments with Urban Renewal Activities under the Federal Housing Act of 1954.

Dear Mayor Hynes:

In reply to your letter of December 15, 1954, on the above subject, be assured that this Authority will be only too pleased to work with other city departments in the manner suggested in the order you have set up, which in the opinion of the Authority will be a good vehicle to bring about the suggested results.

So far as urban redevelopment is concerned, this Authority is most anxious to receive every credit it can, and points out to you that which you already know, that the Authority expects to receive credit for certain Central Artery ramps, which, though built by the Commonwealth, will serve the proposed South End area.

Very truly yours,
OWEN A. GALLAGER,
Chairman.

Placed on file.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committee named, viz.:

Claims.

Samuel Aloff, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Devon and Normandy streets.

Ethel Boltin, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 235 Columbus avenue, Roxbury.

Cambridge Taxi Company, for compensation for damage to taxicab caused by car of Traffic Commission.

Gussie Cole, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 14 Bullard street.

Jeremiah J. Connolly, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Sanitary Division, Public Works Department.

Thomas Corcoran, for compensation for collapse of water boiler at 17 Rocky Nook terrace, Jamaica Plain, caused during installation of water boiler.

Dennis Crowne, for compensation for loss of hat at City Hospital.

Ruth DiFronzo, for compensation for damage to car by city truck.

John J. Dunphy, to be reimbursed for fees paid on gasoline license at 1616 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester.

Lillian Flynn, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Summer Street Bridge.

Frances C. Healy, for compensation for damage to property at 41 Auckland street, Dorchester, caused by defective sewer pipe.

Owen J. Heaney, Jr., to be reimbursed as result of executions issued against him on account of his acts as employee of Police Department.

Sylvia Keller, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Seaver and Normandy streets.

Samuel Lager, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 690-700 Atlantic avenue.

Thomas E. Mahoney, to be reimbursed as result of execution issued against him on account of his acts as employee of Police Department.

Mary McHugh, for compensation for damage to car by city truck.

John J. Ryan, Jr., for compensation for damage to car by sanding truck of Public Works Department.

Richard Simoes, for compensation for damage to car by city dump truck.

Joseph Tutela, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 22 Prince street.

Ethel Yarros, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Elizabeth and Norfolk streets.

APPLICATIONS FOR SHELLFISH PERMITS.

Applications for commercial use shellfish permits were received from the following:

Ralph E. Bishop, 2 Port Norfolk street, Dorchester, Ward 16.

Vincent P. Costa, 107 Moore street, East Boston, Ward 1.

James V. D'Amico, 293 Lexington street, East Boston, Ward 1.

Leonard W. D'Amico, 74 North Margin street, Boston, Ward 3.

David F. Fullerton, 2 West Eagle street, East Boston, Ward 1.

William W. Fullerton, 305 East Eagle street, East Boston, Ward 1.

Thomas J. Kearney, 47 Lawley street, Dorchester, Ward 16.

Herbert E. Lawson, 196 Minot street, Dorchester, Ward 16.

Harold T. Matthews, 306 Meridian street, East Boston, Ward 1.

Henry F. O'Neill, 15 Wordsworth street, East Boston, Ward 1.

Vincent A. Perella, Jr., 2 West Eagle street, East Boston, Ward 1.

John M. Perry, 29 Port Norfolk street, Dorchester, Ward 16.

George C. Phillips, Jr., 305 East Eagle street, East Boston, Ward 1.

William A. Scott, 385 Meridian street, East Boston, Ward 1.

Severally referred to the Committee on Licenses.

APPROVAL OF STATE HOUSING BOARD.

Notice was received from the State Housing Board of approval of sale of two parcels of property under section 6 of chapter 372 of the Acts of 1946.

Notice was received from the State Board of Housing of approval of expenditure of $15,440.87 for River Street, Readville, and Captain John's Hill projects.

Severally placed on file.

NOTICES OF HEARING BEFORE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES.

Notice was received from the Department of Public Utilities of hearing to be held January 31, 1955, at 10 o'clock A.M., on petition of Metropolitan Transit Authority for approval of the issue of $231,000 of bonds or notes.

Notice was received from the Department of Public Utilities of hearing to be held January 31, 1955, at 10 o'clock A.M., on petition of Trustees of Boston Metropolitan District for approval of the issue of certain bonds.

Severally placed on file.

NOTICE FROM STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

A communication was received from the Department of Public Works transmitting copy of order and layout and taking of alterations in locations of portion of state highway (John F. Fitzgerald Expressway).

Referred to the Committee on Public Lands.

APPROVAL OF EMERGENCY FINANCE BOARD FOR LOAN FOR NEW YORK STREETS AREA PROJECT.

The following was received:

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts,
Emergency Finance Board,
January 14, 1955.

Mr. Walter J. Malloy,
City Clerk.

Dear Sir:

I am enclosing the vote passed by the Emergency Finance Board on January 14, 1955, authorizing the City of Boston to borrow $1,500,000 in accordance with section 26CC of chapter 121 of the General Laws for the Boston Housing Authority.

Very truly yours,
HERMAN B. DINE, Secretary.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts,
Emergency Finance Board,
January 14, 1954.

At a meeting of the Emergency Finance Board of the Commonwealth, held on the fourteenth day of January, 1955, a majority of said Board being present, the following vote was unanimously passed:

Voted, To approve, in accordance with the provisions of chapter 121, section 26DD, of the General Laws, the borrowing by the Treasurer of the CITY OF BOSTON of the sum of ONE MILLION, FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS ($1,500,000), said sum to be expended in aid of the Boston Housing Authority for the cost of acquiring and developing the land assembly and redevelopment project of the so-called New York Streets area in cooperation with the federal government, said loan being made by the CITY OF BOSTON under the provisions of chapter 121, section 26CC, of the General Laws.

Emergency Finance Board,
EDWARD S. ZELAZO, Chairman,
GEORGE E. LANE,
SALVATORE E. ALOISI,
FOSTER FURCOLO,
HERMAN B. DINE, Secretary.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Finance.

APPOINTMENT OF WILLIAM P. DRISCOLL.

Notice was received from the Assessing Department for the City of Boston of the appointment of William P. Driscoll, 52 Centre terrace, West Roxbury, as assistant assessor, vice Leopold F. Quinn, retired.

Placed on file.

(Coun. AHEARN in the chair.)

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFIRMATIONS.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN, for the Committee on Confirmations, submitted the following:

1. Report on appointment by the Mayor (referred December 27, 1954) of Max Ostrofsky as constable with authority to serve civil process upon filing of bond, for term ending April 30, 1955—recommending that appointment be confirmed.

2. Report on appointments by the Mayor (referred December 27, 1954) of Richard Lessard and Hugh E. Neil as weighers of coal, for the term ending April 30, 1955—recommending that appointments be confirmed.

The reports were accepted, and the question came on confirmation. Committee, Councillors Foley and Hailer. Whole number of ballots 6, yeas 6, and the appointments were confirmed.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CLAIMS.

Coun. McCORMACK, for the Committee on Claims, submitted the following:

1. Report on petition of Alexander Cassidy (referred December 6, 1954) to be reimbursed as a result of an execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Boston Traffic Commission—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That the sum of $46.55 be allowed and paid to Alexander Cassidy in reimbursement for amount of execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Boston Traffic Commission, said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

2. Report on petition of Gregory Campo (referred November 29, 1954) to be reimbursed as a result of an execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Sanitary Division, Public Works Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That the sum of $166.69 be allowed and paid to Gregory Campo in reimbursement for amount of execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Sanitary Division, Public Works Department, said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

3. Report on petition of John F. Duffy (referred December 6, 1954) to be reimbursed as a result of an execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Institutions Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That the sum of $124.70 be allowed and paid to John F. Duffy in reimbursement for amount of execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Institutions Department, said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

4. Report on petition of Paul M. Nelson (referred December 6, 1954) to be reimbursed as a result of an execution issued against him on account of his acts as a member of the Police Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That the sum of $72 be allowed and paid to Paul M. Nelson in reimbursement for amount of execution issued against him on account of his acts as a member of the Police Department, said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

5. Report on petition of Thomas J. Sullivan (referred December 20, 1954) to be reimbursed as a result of an execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Sanitary Division, Public Works Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That the sum of $500 be allowed and paid to Thomas J. Sullivan in reimbursement for amount of execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Sanitary Division, Public Works Department, said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

6. Report on petition of Thomas E. Driscoll (referred November 22, 1954) to be reimbursed as a result of an execution issued against him on account of his acts as a member of the Fire Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That the sum of $100 be allowed and paid to Thomas E. Driscoll in reimbursement for amount of execution issued against him on account of his acts as a member of the Fire Department, said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

7. Report on petition of Thomas F. Prendergast (referred January 10) for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury sustained by him while in the performance of his duty as a member of the Boston Fire Department on April 19,1954—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 100 of chapter 41 of the General Laws, upon petition of Thomas F. Prendergast, an engineer in the Maintenance Division of the Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury received through no fault of his own while in the performance of his duty on April 19, 1954, there be allowed and paid, as recommended by the Fire Commissioner and approved by the Corporation Counsel, to the following the amounts stated—Peter Bent Brigham Hospital, $293.50; George B. Smithy, M.D., $40—said amount to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

8. Report on petition of Arthur C. Morton (referred January 10) for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury sustained by him while in the performance of his duty as a member of the Fire Department on November 22, 1953—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 100 of chapter 41 of the General Laws, upon petition of Arthur C. Morton, a hoseman in the Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury received through no fault of his own while in the performance of his duty on November 22, 1953, there be allowed and paid, as recommended by the Fire Commissioner and approved by the Corporation Counsel, to the following the amounts stated — St. Elizabeth's Hospital, $121.10; George B. Smithy, M.D., $190—said amount to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

9. Report on petition of Henry H. Dionne (referred January 10) for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury sustained by him while in the performance of his duty as a member of the Fire Department on July 15, 1954—recommending passage of the accompanying order.

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 100 of chapter 41 of the General Laws, upon petition of Henry H. Dionne, a captain in the Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury received through no fault of his own while in the performance of his duty on July 15, 1954, there be allowed and paid, as recommended by the Fire Commissioner and approved by the Corporation Counsel, to the following the amount stated—Boston Firemen's Relief Fund, $374.45—said amount to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

10. Report on petition of George P. Carrigan (referred January 10) for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury sustained by him while in the performance of his duty as a member of the Fire Department on June 24, 1953—recommending passage of the accompanying order.

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 100 of chapter 41 of the General Laws, upon petition of George P. Carrigan, a member of the Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury received through no fault of his own while in the performance of his duty on June 24, 1953, there be allowed and paid, as recommended by the Fire Commissioner and approved by the Corporation Counsel, to the following the amounts stated—Thomas P. R. Hinchey, M.D., $90; St. Elizabeth's Hospital, $77.55; George B. Smithy, M.D., $110; Joseph M. Foley, M.D., $20—said amount to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

The reports were accepted and the orders were severally passed.

"MOTHERS' MARCH ON POLIO" DAY.

Coun. HAILER offered the following:

Whereas, Thursday, January 27, between 7 and 8 P.M., is the time set aside by the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis for the "Mothers' March on Polio"; and

Whereas, Hundreds of Greater Boston women are giving of their time so that others may walk and be cured of the dreadful disease of polio; and

Whereas, The battle against infantile paralysis is one which includes not only direct care but research, education, and prevention as well; and

Whereas, 1955 is of utmost importance in the field of polio research due to the outcome of the Salk vaccine—which was the largest medical research program ever to be conducted in the history of the world; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Boston City Council, through his Honor the Mayor, declare Thursday, January 27, as "Mothers' March on Polio" Day, as an indication of their whole-hearted support of the drive, and further urge all Boston mothers and citizens of Boston to give 100 per cent support on that day to battle infantile paralysis.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

PROMPT PAYMENTS TO DRUGGISTS.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be requested to ask the Board of Overseers of the Public Welfare to make an inquiry as to whether payments to druggists for medicines received by welfare and old age recipients are current and are customarily made as rapidly as in other cities and towns in the Commonwealth.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

HEAVY TRUCK TRAFFIC THROUGH SOUTH BOSTON RESIDENTIAL AREAS.

Coun. FOLEY and KERRIGAN offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be requested to grant an audience to the South Boston Area Rehabilitation Council concerning the subject of the present and impending enormous increase of heavy truck traffic through the residential areas of South Boston; and be it further

Ordered, That the chairman of the Boston Traffic Commission and the Planning Board be requested to attend.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

INFORMATION ON PATCH-PAVING CONTRACTS.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Whereas, In May, 1954, an order in proper form was passed by the Boston City Council under the autbority of S 17F of the City Charter, concerning the making of so-called "patch-paving contracts" and making due and proper inquiry into this area of municipal inquiry; and

Whereas, These inquiries have not been answered, altbough the time designated therein for answer has long since elapsed; be it therefore

Resolved, That the Council notes with concern the further lapse of time and the continuing failure to answer these inquiries.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

REASONS FOR DECLARING BOSTON COMMON, PUBLIC GARDEN, AND ESPLANADE "OUT OF BOUNDS."

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Whereas, The Boston Common, Public Garden, and the Esplanade have been declared "out of bounds" for military personnel after 10 P.M.; and

Whereas, Such action is detrimental to public relations for the City of Boston; and

Whereas, The Boston Common, Public Garden, and tbe Esplanade have, over the years, provided wbolesome and healthy recreation and relaxation to the thousands of Bostonians and nonresidents; and

Whereas, Such action does not seem to be justified and the continuance of labeling such areas as "out of bounds" is an unjust reflection on the City of Boston; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor confer witb the provost marshal relative to ascertaining the specific reasons on whicb the action was based and requesting a bill of particulars; and, further, that if any omissions on the part of the city or any of its agencies are found to exist, immediate steps be taken to correct the same; and that his Honor the Mayor use every effort to have the restrictions removed.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

RECREATIONAL PROGRAM IN PUBLIC GARDEN, BOSTON COMMON AND ESPLANADE.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Whereas, The Boston Common, Public Garden, and the Esplanade have been declared "out of bounds" for military personnel after 10 P.M.; and

Whereas, Such action is detrimental to public relations for the City of Boston; and

Whereas, The Boston Common, Public Garden, and the Esplanade have, over the years, provided wholesome and healthy recreation and relaxation to the thousands of Bostonians and nonresidents; and

Whereas, Such action does not seem to be justified, and the continuance of labeling such areas as "out of bounds" is an unjust reflection on the City of Boston; and

Whereas, An active recreational program during the late evening would dispel any unsavory reputation, now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City of Boston call upon his Honor the Mayor, the Boston Park Commissioner, the Community Service Board, and other recreational agencies in the City of Boston to immediately plan and carry out an intensified recreational program of activities in the Public Garden, Boston Common, and the Esplanade.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

ADJUSTMENTS IN HOURS OF BOSTON POLICE OFFICERS.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Whereas, Because of a lengthening of the period of duty of the first night shift of the Boston Police Department, members of the night platoons presently serve longer hours than heretofore; and

Whereas, Because of a shifting of the hours of duty of the night platoons, police officers assigned to night duty will not as often as before receive holiday compensation and will average yearly less compensation than heretofore; and

Whereas, The combination of lengthening plus shifting of hours of duty of the nigbt platoons cause the officers doing night duty to yearly work longer hours for less remuneration than before; be it therefore

Resolved, That the Boston City Council recognizes the necessity of making adjustments to correct this inequity and therefore favors House Bill 954 now pending before the Great and General Court of the Commonwealth and further defining the words "legal holiday."

Referred to the Executive Committee.

COMPENSATION TO POLICE OFFICERS FOR EMERGENCY WORK AFTER REGULAR HOURS.

Coun. FOLEY offered tbe following:

Whereas, It is presently almost universally accepted that an employee has a rigbt to expect to work regularly designated hours of work; and

Whereas, It is to be anticipated in the area of public service that on occasion emergencies will arise when certain categories of employees must remain on duty without complaint for long periods of time and beyond the regularly required and compensated hours of duty; and

Whereas, Most employees in the public service or in the employ of public utilities subject to call to duty in an emergency are compensated beyond their usual remuneration for such emergency service; be it therefore

Resolved, That the Boston City Council favors the additional compensation of police officers of the Boston Police Department who are required to serve beyond the regular hours of duty in an emergency situation; and be it further

Resolved, That, in furtherance of the above-stated position of the Boston City Council, the Council recognizes the necessity of clearly defining the regular hours of work of the Boston Police Department; and be it further

Resolved, That the Boston City Council favors the passage of House Bill 940 now pending before the Great and General Court of the Commonwealth.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

POLICE AND PUBLIC TO ATTEND EXECUTIVE SESSION JANUARY 24.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN moved that the City Clerk invite to the Executive Committee meeting of the City Council on January 24, 1955, Lieutenant Dennehy of the Boston Police Department, who is a representative of the State Police Association and the head of the Boston Police Relief Association, to explain the legislation referred to in the foregoing two orders of Councillor Foley.

Coun. PIEMONTE moved to amend the motion so as to include Police Commissioner Sullivan and other members of the police force and members of the public who might care to attend.

The motion as amended was passed.

RETIREMENT OF WILLIAM J. BRICKLEY.

Coun. KERRIGAN offered the following:

Resolved, That the City Council of Boston hereby favors the consideration by tbe Legislature of the petition now held under Joint Rule 7B providing for the retirement of William J. Brickley as Medical Examiner for Suffolk County, Northern

Division, provided that any such legislation, if enacted, includes a referendum to the Mayor and City Council.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

President HURLEY in the chair.

TRAFFIC LIGHTS AT JUNCTION OF MORTON AND WEST SELDEN STREETS.

Coun. KERRIGAN, McCORMACK, and FOLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That the Traffic Commission be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to install automatic traffic lights at the junction of Morton and West Selden streets, Maltapan.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

OPPOSITION TO CLOSING OF MURPHY GENERAL HOSPITAL.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Whereas, The Department of the Army of the United States is contemplating the closing of the Murphy General Hospital in Waltham, Mass.; and

Whereas, The necessity of these facilities for the treatment of servicemen stationed in Massachusetts and veterans who are in need of hospitalization as a result of injuries received in fighting for the preservation of this country's liberty is impelling; and

Whereas, The Massachusetts delegation in Congress has dropped party lines and banded together to continue the operation of these facilities; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, commend the Massachusetts delegation in Congress for their past efforts and urge the same to continue their united endenvor; and be it further

Resolved, That the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, go on record as opposed to the closing of the Murphy General Hospital.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

LEGAL OPINION RE BOSTON POLICE OFFICERS PATROLLING HOUSING PROJECTS.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Ordered, That the Corporation Counsel be requested by his Honor the Mayor to submit an opinion to the Boston City Council on the legality of foot patrolmen of the Boston Police Department being assigned to patrol the area within the geographic confines of housing developments within the City of Boston and under the control of the Boston Housing Authority.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

BETTER LIGHTING FACILITIES FOR BOSTON COMMON AND PUBLIC GARDEN.

Coun. HAILER offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be requested to confer with the Parks and Recreation Commissioner relative to providing better lighting facilities for the Boston Common and Public Garden.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

NEXT MEETING OF COMMITTEE ON PRISONS.

Coun. McCORMACK announced that the Committee on Prisons would meet at 10 A.M. on Friday, January 21, 1955, for the purpose of inspecting prisons.

Adjourned at 3.36 P.M., on motion of Councillor Kerrigan, to meet on Monday, January 24, 1955, at 2 P.M.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

(Stenographic copy of such debate on file in office of City Clerk.)

TUNNEL TRAFFIC IN MAY.

In the month of May, 1,031,226 vehicles used the Sumner Tunnel. This is the first time in the history of the tunnel that in excess of 1,000,000 vehicles used the facility in any one month.

In May of 1953, 979,920 vehicles went through the tunnel, or 51,306 less than May of this year.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of underground construction by the Boston Edison Company, estimated to be sixty (60) days, parking of vehicles is prohibited in the following street, when and where official signs are in place, effective January 17, 1955:

Cambridge Street, Brighton.
Northwest side, from Soldiers Field road to Lincoln street.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, for a trial period of sixty (60) days, the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective January 10, 1955:

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out the following:

North Street, Boston Proper.
North side, from North Centre street to Union street, 24 hours.
South side, from Cross street to Clinton street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," the following:

North Street.
North side, from Blackstone street to Union street, 24 hours.
South side, from Merchants Row to Dock square, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by striking out the following:

North Street, Boston Proper.
South side, from Merchants Row to Dock square, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of pile driving operations in connection with the construction of the new pathology building at the Massachusetts General Hospital, vehicles are excluded from the following streets, from Monday, January 24, to Wednesday, January 26, 1955, inclusive:

Allen Street, Boston Proper.
From Kennard avenue to Charles street.
Brighton Street, Boston Proper.
From Poplar street to Allen street.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, for a trial period of sixty (60) days, the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective February 1, 1955:

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Granite Avenue.
At Hill Top street.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, for a trial period of sixty (60) days, the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective January 10, 1955:

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," the following:

Cambridge Street.
At Blossom street.
At Garden street.
At North Russell street.

TRANSFERS OF APPROPRIATIONS.

The Mayor has approved the following requests for transfers of appropriations:

CITY DOCUMENTS.

From Public Works Department, Sanitary Service, 100, Permanent Employees, $850, to 297, Printing and Binding, $850.

CITY PLANNING BOARD.

From 230, Professional and Technical Services, $125, 360, Office Supplies and Materials, $100, 520, Equipment, $15.97, 593, Library, $5.50, Available Sources (Temporary Home, 100, Permanent Employees), $306.05, to 100, Permanent Employees, $307.09, 280, Travel, $83.68, 290, Miscellaneous, $73.45, 340, Supplies, $24.31, 390, Miscellaneous Supplies, $55.39, 420, Dues, etc., $8.60.

Board of Zoning Adjustment.

From 230, Professional and Technical Services, $17.74, to 360, Office Supplies and Materials, $17.74.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Long Island Division.

From 120, Overtime, $3,183.83, to 209, Board and Care of Persons, $3,183.83.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Paving Division.

From Reconstruction of Streets, 1-23-14, $4,000, to Sidewalks, Construction and Reconstruction of, 1-23-15, $4,000.

Sumner Traffic Tunnel.

From Available Sources (Sumner Traffic Tunnel, 100, Permanent Employees), $115, to Traffic Tunnel, Debt Requirements, Interest, $115.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

Buildings Division.

From 494, Payment for Support of Militia Companies, $7,000, Police Department, 120, Overtime, $17,803.07, to 120, Overtime, $1,000, 210, Communications, $11,000, 260, Repairs and Maintenance of Buildings and Structures, $8,503.07, 290, Miscellaneous Contractual Services, $3,400, 330, Heating Supplies and Materials, $900.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

From 390, Miscellaneous Supplies and Materials, $325, 519, Electrical and Mechanical Machinery and Equipment, $22, to 521, Drafting Equipment, $347.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

Sheriff's Office.

From 100, Permanent Employees, $13.50, to 360, Miscellaneous Expenses, $13.50.

MUNICIPAL COURT, ROXBURY DISTRICT.

From Reserve Fund, $511.30, to 110, Temporary Employees, $101.30, 360, Office Supplies, $410.

REGISTRY OF DEEDS.

From Reserve Fund, $230.16, to 360, Stationery, $39.60, 390, Photostat Paper, $190.56.

STATEMENT OF BUILDING OPERATIONS IN THE CITY OF BOSTON FOR THE MONTH ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1954.

(As compared with corresponding period in preceding years.)

	1954.		1953.		1952.		1951.		1950.	
	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.
Type I	4	$567,000	1	$1,098,000	2	$240,000	4	$980,000	4	$650,000
Type II	2	260,000	—	—	—	—	1	235,000	1	20,000
Type IV	9	377,800	4	164,400	6	22,000	2	750	12	111,100
Type V	4	9,800	2	3,000	5	10,800	1	800	6	55,800
Type VI	31	311,575	38	315,150	37	280,400	30	274,400	15	100,000
Total new work	50	$1,526,175	45	$1,580,550	50	$553,200	38	$1,490,950	38	$936,900
Alterations, etc	392	406,143	399	737,732	357	561,770	361	447,061	473	952,300
Total structural work	442	$1,932,318	444	$2,318,282	407	$1,114,970	399	$1,938,011	511	$1,889,200
Plumbing	201	$125,060	190	$198,720	207	$272,890	194	$580,558	197	$307,245
Gas Fitting	644	74,467	514	55,105	586	67,777	463	55,174	408	66,331
Heaters, ovens, etc	31	20,670	24	25,280	14	44,825	20	29,460	23	33,411
Elevators, new, freight	3	9,000	2	23,000	7	45,600	—	—	28	78,500
Elevators, new, passenger	2	35,000	6	141,000	3	21,800	3	81,000	3	57,361
Elevators, alterations, freight	8	1,120	9	2,160	8	1,415	11	3,183	11	9,545
Elevators, alterations, passenger	12	13,830	27	16,065	13	14,015	18	58,935	19	10,090
Signs, projections	30	30,140	45	37,470	54	16,985	39	15,865	40	23,200
Fire escapes, etc	31	7,945	74	16,985	51	10,510	19	4,612	38	14,940
Take-downs, wood	16	22,279	55	19,875	11	4,775	12	6,375	8	27,250
Take-downs, brick, etc	7	18,350	29	76,550	144	103,900	5	8,900	16	5,725
Sprinklers	9	16,065	12	47,690	19	59,640	15	118,500	7	22,715
Excavations	—	—	1	2,000	—	—	—	—	3	2,600
Use of premises	8	—	4	—	2	—	2	—	2	—
Total	1,002	$373,926	992	$661,900	1,119	$664,132	801	$962,562	803	$667,913
Grand total all work	1,444	$2,306,244	1,436	$2,980,182	1,526	$1,779,102	1,200	$2,900,573	1,314	$2,557,123
Department revenue		$26,017.75		$9,003.75		$5,958.25		$4,098.25		$5,279.50

The following is a statement showing by number, purpose and estimated cost for the erection of new buildings and the alterations, repairs, additions, etc., of existing buildings for which applications were filed with the Building Department of the City of Boston during the

MONTH ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1954.

PURPOSE.	NEW BUILDINGS.		ALTERATIONS.		TOTAL.	
	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.
Amusement and recreation places, theaters, halls, movies, etc	1	$250,000	7	$21,780	8	$271,780
Churches, chapels, synagogues	—	—	1	675	1	675
Dwellings, small, 1-family	29	301,700	84	34,156	113	335,856
Dwellings, small, 2-family	—	—	96	39,892	96	39,892
Dwellings, small, 3-family	—	—	78	38,877	78	38,877
Dwellings, small, with stores	—	—	9	4,702	9	4,702
Dwellings, large, 4-family or more	2	103,000	27	10,464	29	113,464
Dwellings, large, 4-family, with stores	—	—	3	702	3	702
Educational buildings, schools, colleges, etc	—	—	3	5,935	3	5,935
Garages and repair shops	4	29,175	5	1,120	9	30,295
Hotel and club buildings	—	—	3	15,500	3	15,500
Institutional buildings, hospital, clinics, etc	—	—	2	430	2	430
Lodgings, dormitories, clubs, homes, etc	—	—	12	47,994	12	47,994
Manufacturing buildings, bakeries, laundries, etc	1	1,500	4	51,502	5	53,002
Mercantile buildings, stores, restaurants, salesrooms, service stations, etc	7	482,000	30	86,757	37	568,757
Office and bank buildings	—	—	10	19,425	10	19,425
Storage buildings, libraries, museums, etc	5	356,800	10	5,655	15	362,455
Miscellaneous	1	2,000	8	20,577	9	22,577
Total	50	$1,526,175	392	$406,143	442	$1,932,318

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PURPOSES, NUMBER AND ESTIMATED COST OF NEW BUILDINGS AND ALTERATIONS, ADDITIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., FOR WHICH APPLICATIONS HAVE BEEN FILED FOR MONTH ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1954.

CHARACTER.	AMUSEMENT, RECREATION PLACES, THEATERS, MOVIES, HALLS.		CHURCHES, CHAPELS, SYNAGOGUES.		DWELLINGS, 1-FAMILY.		DWELLINGS, 2-FAMILY.		DWELLINGS, 3-FAMILY.		DWELLINGS, 1-2-3 FAMILY, WITH STORES, ETC.		DWELLINGS, MULTI-FAMILY.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I	1	$250,000												
Type II														
Type IV													2	$103,000
Type V														
Type VI					29	$301,700								
Total new construction	1	$250,000			29	$301,700							2	$103,000
Alterations, etc.	7	21,780	1	$675	84	34,156	96	$39,892	78	$38,877	9	$1,702	27	10,464
Total structural work	8	$271,780	1	$675	113	$335,856	96	$39,892	78	$38,877	9	$1,702	29	$113,464

CHARACTER.	DWELLINGS, MULTI-FAMILY, WITH STORES.		EDUCATIONAL BUILDINGS, SCHOOLS, COLLEGES.		GARAGES AND REPAIR SHOPS.		HOTEL AND CLUB BUILDINGS.		INSTITUTIONAL BUILDINGS, HOSPITALS, ASYLUMS, CLINICS.		LODGINGS, DORMITORIES, CONVENTS, HOMES.		LODGING HOUSES WITH STORES.		MANUFACTURING BUILDINGS, BAKERIES, LAUNDRIES, WORKSHOPS.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I																
Type II																
Type IV					1	$27,000										
Type V					2	1,300									1	$1,500
Type VI					1	875										
Total new construction					4	$29,175									1	$1,500
Alterations, etc.	3	$702	3	$5,935	5	1,120	3	$15,500	2	$430	12	$47,994			4	51,502
Total structural work	3	$702	3	$5,935	9	$30,295	3	$15,500	2	$430	12	$47,994			5	$53,002

CHARACTER.	MERCANTILE BUILDINGS, RESTAURANTS, STORES, SHOWROOMS, SERVICE STATIONS.		OFFICE AND BANK BUILDINGS.		PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIBRARIES, MUSEUMS.		STABLES, KENNELS, POULTRY HOUSES.		STORAGE WAREHOUSES, LUMBER SHEDS, SILOS, ETC.		MISCELLANEOUS.		TOTALS.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I	1	$20,000							1	$295,000	1	$2,000	4	$567,000
Type II	2	260,000											2	260,000
Type IV	3	193,000							3	54,800			9	377,800
Type V									1	7,000			4	9,800
Type VI	1	9,000											31	311,575
Total new construction	7	$482,000							5	$356,800	1	$2,000	50	$1,526,175
Alterations, etc.	30	86,757	10	$19,425					10	5,655	8	20,577	392	406,143
Total structural work	37	$568,757	10	$19,425					15	$362,455	9	$22,577	442	$1,932,318

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PURPOSES, NUMBER AND ESTIMATED COST OF NEW BUILDINGS AND ALTERATIONS, ADDITIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., FOR WHICH APPLICATIONS HAVE BEEN FILED FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1954.

CHARACTER.	AMUSEMENT, RECREATION PLACES, THEATERS, MOVIES, HALLS.		CHURCHES, CHAPELS, SYNAGOGUES.		DWELLINGS, 1-FAMILY.		DWELLINGS, 2-FAMILY.		DWELLINGS, 3-FAMILY.		DWELLINGS, 1-2-3-FAMILY, WITH STORES, ETC.		DWELLINGS, MULTI-FAMILY.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I	6	$266,200	2	$327,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type II	....	.....	1	52,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type IV	1	287,000	1	105,000	3	$25,000	3	$63,000	....	.....	....	.....	2	$103,000
Type V	5	46,400	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type VI	1	1,500	....	.....	609	5,808,960	3	43,500	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Total new construction	13	$601,100	4	$484,000	612	$5,833,960	6	$106,500	....	.....	....	.....	2	$103,000
Alterations, etc	42	78,272	68	305,733	1271	700,517	1470	614,353	1451	$615,848	205	$162,569	425	290,843
Total structural work	55	$679,372	72	$789,733	1883	$6,534,477	1476	$720,853	1451	$615,848	205	$162,569	427	$393,843

CHARACTER.	DWELLINGS, MULTI-FAMILY, WITH STORES.		EDUCATIONAL BUILDINGS, SCHOOLS, COLLEGES.		GARAGES AND REPAIR SHOPS.		HOTEL AND CLUB BUILDINGS.		INSTITUTIONAL BUILDINGS, HOSPITALS, ASYLUMS, CLINICS.		LODGINGS, DORMITORIES, CONVENTS, HOMES.		LODGING HOUSES WITH STORES.		MANUFACTURING BUILDINGS, BAKERIES, LAUNDRIES, WORKSHOPS.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I	....	.....	2	$1,515,000	2	$5,750	....	.....	4	$6,679,986	3	$945,000	....	.....	2	$398,000
Type II	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	1	200,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type IV	....	.....	....	.....	18	10,450	1	$25,000	1	15,000	....	168,000	....	.....	1	200,000
Type V	....	.....	....	.....	10	8,615	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	1	1,500
Type VI	....	.....	....	.....	13	11,755	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Total new construction	....	.....	2	$1,515,000	43	$127,570	1	$25,000	6	$6,894,986	4	$1,113,000	....	.....	4	$599,500
Alterations, etc	65	$66,790	40	780,482	87	134,003	41	235,315	33	1,203,690	145	222,579	4	$5,202	118	401,456
Total structural work	65	$66,790	42	$2,295,482	130	$261,573	42	$260,315	39	$8,098,676	149	$1,335,579	4	$5,202	122	$1,000,956

CHARACTER.	MERCANTILE BUILDINGS, RESTAURANTS, STORES, SHOWROOMS, SERVICE STATIONS.		OFFICE AND BANK BUILDINGS.		PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIBRARIES, MUSEUMS.		STABLES, KENNELS, POULTRY HOUSES.		STORAGE WAREHOUSES, LUMBER SHEDS, SILOS, ETC.		MISCELLANEOUS.		TOTALS.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I	8	$198,350	2	$4,000	....	.....	....	.....	3	$351,000	4	$399,875	38	11,090,161
Type II	6	1,741,000	....	.....	2	$130,000	....	.....	2	88,000	....	.....	12	2,211,000
Type IV	43	860,770	6	211,000	....	.....	....	.....	9	86,600	....	.....	90	2,250,820
Type V	8	43,300	2	1,885	....	.....	....	.....	14	261,530	4	47,575	44	410,805
Type VI	6	85,000	2	18,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	4	6,250	638	5,974,965
Total new construction	71	$2,928,420	12	$234,885	2	$130,000	....	.....	28	$787,130	12	$453,700	$22	21,937,751
Alterations, etc	645	1,663,916	177	1,323,804	2	20,300	....	.....	97	229,524	80	61,454	6466	9,116,650
Total structural work	716	$4,592,336	189	$1,558,689	4	$150,300	....	.....	125	$1,016,654	92	$515,154	7288	31,054,401

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 4.

I. RETIREMENT.

The following retirement, in accordance with section 57, chapter 32 of the General Laws as amended, which became effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, January 19, 1955, is hereby announced:

Hoseman Hilary J. O'Connell, Engine Company 40.

Hoseman O'Connell was appointed to the Fire Department February 8, 1929, and he leaves the department with the best wishes of his associates.

II. RESIGNATION.

The following resignation, which became effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, January 19, 1955, is hereby announced:

Hoseman Paul A. Sawizky, Engine Company 45.

III. DISCONTINUANCE OF BOSTON AUTOMATIC SIGNALS.

Notice has been received from the Boston Automatic Fire Alarm Division of the Automatic Fire Alarm Company that the following signals have been discontinued:

Signal 366, 251 and 253 Congress street and 549 Atlantic avenue.

Signal 1427, 255 Atlantic avenue (General Dyestuff), blind cockloft only.

Signal 187, 466-474 Harrison avenue. (Sprinkler System No. 2.)

Signal 188, 478 and 480 Harrison avenue. (Sprinkler System No. 1.)

Signal 189, 488 Harrison avenue, rear. (Sprinkler System No. 3.)

The automatic alarm service has been discontinued on the following, but sprinkler alarm will remain. Mark "S" in the column preceding the location to denote sprinkler alarm service.

Signal 147, 486-492 Harrison avenue.

Signal 148, 494-498 Harrison avenue.

IV. CHANGES IN DESIGNATION OF BOSTON AUTOMATIC SIGNALS.

The following change in Boston Automatic Signal location should be made:

Signal 125, the Upjohn Company, first floor and basement only. Enter 17 Deerfield street (instead of 11 Deerfield street as now carried on the book).

V. 1955 MARCH OF DIMES.

His Honor Mayor John B. Hynes has appointed City Collector-Treasurer James E. Gildea to be chairman of the city employees for the 1955 March of Dimes campaign.

This appeal is part of a nationwide effort to fight polio. The contributions of the past few years have made possible the discovery of a new vaccine that may bring to an end this devastating disease. During 1954, 1,830,000 children were inoculated with polio vaccine. If the vaccine, after research and investigation, proves to be effective, then a maximum amount of vaccine must be available for use during 1955.

In 1954 the members of the Fire Department donated $1,532.25 to the campaign. As most of us know, a tremendous amount of money is required to provide for research and to help victims of this dread disease.

A child striken with infantile paralysis fights against heavy odds. It is a lonely battle carried on from an iron lung, a wheel chair, or a pair of crutches. The child can't win if he fights alone. The dimes and dollars you give voluntarily will help provide immediate care for those who are stricken with this disease. It will speed the day when all of us will be free from the fear of polio.

Voluntary contributions are being solicited. Company commanders and heads of department branches are asked to interview each member of their commands and accept any contributions that may be offered. Donation cards are being distributed with this order.

Members contributing should fill in their names and addresses on the stub end of the pledge card and also the amount contributed. The company commander, or other person collecting the money, shall give the large portion of the card to the person contributing as his receipt. Please put company number on upper right-hand corner of the stubs which are to be returned with money to Principal Clerk and Stenographer Ursula E. Nurse in the Headquarters Division.

Contributions and stubs will be received in the Headquarters Division from 9.30 A.M. to 12 noon on each weekday except Saturday, and all contributions should be delivered to Headquarters on or before January 28, 1955.

By order of Fire Commissioner FRANCIS X. COTTER.

JOHN V. STAPLETON,
Chief of Department.

Building Operations in the City of Boston for the Month Ending DECEMBER 31, 1954.

MONTH OF DECEMBER.	1954.		1953.	
	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.
Type I	4	$567,000	1	$1,098,000
Type II	2	260,000	—	—
Type IV	9	377,800	4	164,400
Type V	4	9,800	2	3,000
Type VI	31	311,575	38	315,150
Total new construction	50	$1,526,175	45	$1,580,550
Alterations, repairs, etc	392	406,143	399	737,732
Total structural construction	442	$1,932,318	444	$2,318,282
Increase or decrease	−2	−385,964	—	—
	0%	−17%	—	—
Installations, etc	1,002	373,926	992	661,900
Grand total all work	1,444	$2,306,244	1,436	$2,980,182
Increase or decrease	8*	−673,938	—	—
	0%	−22%	—	—
FULL YEAR 1954.				
Type I	38	$11,090,161	29	$9,800,500
Type II	12	2,211,000	3	192,000
Type IV	90	2,250,820	118	3,631,250
Type V	44	410,805	49	153,745
Type VI	638	5,974,965	429	3,469,880
Total new construction	822	$21,937,751	628	$17,247,375
Alterations, repairs, etc	6,466	9,116,650	5,271	10,526,674
Total structural construction	7,288	$31,054,401	5,899	$27,774,049
Increase or decrease	1,389*	3,280,352*	—	—
	23%*	12%*	—	—
Installations, etc	11,644	5,752,902	11,616	7,997,657
Grand total all work	18,932	$36,807,303	17,515	$35,771,706
Increase or decrease	1,417*	1,035,597*	—	—
	8%	3%		

* Denotes increase —Denotes decrease

PRINCIPAL PROJECTS DURING THE MONTH.

New, storage, 355 Everett street (Minneapolis Honeywell)	$295,000
New, community center, Sutherland road (Jewish Community Center)	250,000
New, mercantile, 52 Summer street (Edith Foster)	200,000
New, mercantile, 1500 Blue Hill avenue (Ellen Hart)	160,000
New, apartment building (13 apartments, private ownership)	60,000
New, auto sales, 1272 Boylston street (Luby Realty)	60,000
Alterations, manufacturing building, 70 Forsyth street (Northeastern University)	50,000

The following is a statement showing by WARDS the number and estimated cost o new buildings for purposes of habitation for the erection of which applications were filed with the City of Boston during the month ending

DECEMBER 31, 1954.

WARD.	1-FAMILY DWELLINGS.		10-FAMILY DWELLINGS.		13-FAMILY DWELLINGS.		TOTAL FOR MONTH.	
	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.
1	1	$10,000	—	—	—	—	1	$10,000
17	—	—	1	$43,000	1	$60,000	2	103,000
18	16	149,700	—	—	—	—	16	149,700
19	4	63,600	—	—	—	—	4	63,600
20	8	78,400	—	—	—	—	8	78,400
Total	29	$301,700	1	$43,000	1	$60,000	31	$404,700

General Order No. 5.

I. RETIREMENTS.

The following retirements, in accordance with chapter 347, Acts of 1892, as amended by chapter 237, Acts of 1939, which became effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, January 26, 1955, are hereby announced:

Capt. Robert J. Ritchie, Engine Company 42.

Lieut. John F. Doherty, Ladder Company 18.

The following retirement, in accordance with chapter 658, Acts of 1945, which will become effective at 5 P.M., Monday, January 31, 1955, is hereby announced:

Janitress Annie E. Gavin, Headquarters Division.

Captain Ritchie was appointed to the Fire Department on December 14, 1917. He was promoted to the grade of lieutenant February 16, 1934, and to captain July 9, 1937. Lieutenant Doherty was appointed to the department October 5, 1917, and was promoted to the grade of lieutenant February 5, 1947. Janitress Gavin was appointed to the Public Buildings Department September 10, 1941, and to the Fire Department July 11, 1951.

All the foregoing named leave the department with the best wishes of their associates.

II. BOSTON AUTOMATIC SIGNAL.

Company commanders shall add the following signal number to running cards of the Boston Automatic Fire Alarm Division of the Automatic Fire Alarm Company in this department:

Signal 571, 74-80 Canal street. Apparatus to respond: Engine 4, Ladder 24, District Chief 3. Nearest box is 132.

III. COMMENDATION.

Hoseman Thomas E. Curran of Engine Squad 14 is hereby commended for responding to and working at fire, Box 2139, on January 20, 1955, while off duty.

By order of Fire Commissioner FRANCIS X. COTTER.

JOHN V. STAPLETON,
Chief of Department.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

NOTE.—Applicants are advised to file applications early. In event of a tie on the eligible list, the applicant who filed his application first will be given precedence.

SENIOR ACTUARIAL CLERK, DIVISION OF INSURANCE, DEPARTMENT OF BANKING AND INSURANCE, FEBRUARY 26, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, February 7, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $3,060 a year; the maximum salary is $3,780 a year.

Vacancies: From time to time. At present there are seven vacancies, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: Under supervision to work on valuations and rates connected with life, fire, and casualty insurance and to assist in the performance of related work as required.

A good knowledge of algebra and of simple and compound interest and discount is required, as well as the ability to understand elementary actuarial formulae under instruction.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

BUILDING INSPECTOR, BROOKLINE BUILDING DEPARTMENT, FEBRUARY 26, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, February 7, 1955.

This examination is open to residents of the state.

Salary: The minimum salary is $86.99 a week; the maximum salary is $99.47 a week.

Vacancies: At present there is one vacancy for a male, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: Under the general direction of the Building Commissioner, to examine and check building plans and specifications for compliance with the Brookline Building Code and other requirements of the Building Department, the Brookline Zoning Bylaw, the bylaws of the town, statutes of the Commonwealth, and rules and regulations of any department, division, board or agency pertaining thereto; to determine the value of and the amount of work to be done in order to determine the permit fees; to inspect buildings and submit reports of the inspections; to check the computations, stress diagrams or design of any structural member or portion of a building, retaining wall or other structure; to make structural analyses of buildings and other structures; to determine the bearing capacity of soil; to prepare estimates, specifications and plans for the repair and maintenance of the town-owned buildings which are under the supervision of the Building Commissioner; and to perform related work as required.

A knowledge of the Building Law of the Town of Brookline, of the Brookline Zoning Bylaw, of accepted construction methods and standards, of accepted engineering performance standards and of engineering and structural design is necessary, as well as a knowledge of the State laws, rules and regulations to the position.

Copies of Form A, Form B-1, and Form STD-1 (Chapter 143 of the Massachusetts General Laws and the regulations thereunder) and of Forms ELV-1 and ELV-2 (Elevator and Escalator Regulations) may be obtained from the State Department of Public Safety, 1010 Commonwealth avenue, Boston.

Copies of the Brookline Building Law and of the Brookline Zoning Bylaw may be borrowed from the office of the Brookline Building Commissioner, and may be kept until the examination is held.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants must have at least five years of full-time paid experience as an architect, professional civil engineer (Grade 3 or higher in Massachusetts Civil Service or its equivalent elsewhere), structural engineer, mason, carpenter, or iron worker.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

POLICE PENSIONS AND BENEFITS.

On December 1, 1952, there were 709 persons on the pension roll. During the year 25 died, 68 were added, leaving 752 on roll to date, 676 pensioners and 76 annuitants. Payments on account of pensions and annuities during the past year amounted to $1,377,183.62, and it is estimated that $1,717,827.71 will be required for pensions and annuities in 1954. The invested fund of the Police Charitable Fund amounted to $207,550.

No. 27—397.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING SAND AND GRAVEL FOR CITY DEPARTMENTS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Thursday, February 10, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Sand and Gravel." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do bnsiness in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Jan. 29.) *Purchasing Agent.*

No. 25—399.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING D.D.T. AND ARSENATE OF LEAD FOR THE PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Wednesday, February 9, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for D.D.T. and Arsenate of Lead." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Jan. 29.) *Purchasing Agent.*

No. 24—397.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING CONCRETE MIX.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Wednesday, February 9, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Concrete Mix." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Jan. 29.) *Purchasing Agent.*

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JOSHUA H. JONES, *Editor.*

THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER, TENTH FLOOR.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING RUN OF MINE SEMIBITUMINOUS COAL FOR BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Comittee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing run of mine semibituminous coal required for the school buildings from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956. Proposal forms are obtainable at the office of the Business Manager of the School Committee, tenth floor, 15 Beacon street. Envelopes containing proposals must be sealed and plainly marked "Proposal for Furnishing Run of Mine Semibituminous Coal for Boston Public Schools." The bid must be in duplicate. One copy, signed by the bidder, and acompanied by a certified check payable to the City of Boston, in the amount of three hundred dollars ($300), must be left at the office of the Business Manager on or before 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, February 10, 1955. Copies filed with the Business Manager will be publicly opened and read at 12 o'clock noon of the day stated. The other copy, also signed by the bidder, must be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., previous to the time named for the opening of the bids. The coal is to be delivered in the bins of the several buildings and the price per ton named in the proposal must include the delivery and housing in a manner satisfactory to the School Committee. The Contractor must furnish suitable equipment and sufficient number of men to house the coal properly and promptly. The estimated tonnage required is as follows, and as much of it as possible will be housed during July and August, 1955:

SEMIBITUMINOUS COAL.

DISTRICT.		RUN OF MINE.
1.	City Proper	3,500 tons
2.	South Boston	1,150 tons
3.	East Boston	1,030 tons
4.	Roxbury	5,000 tons
5.	Dorchester	4,900 tons
6.	Charlestown	1,200 tons
7.	Brighton	2,200 tons
8.	West Roxbury	1,620 tons
9.	Hyde Park	1,400 tons
	Total	22,000 tons

Bidders may submit a proposal for furnishing the run of mine semibituminous coal required in any one or more of the above nine districts of the city and may also submit one bid covering the whole city. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to accept such bid, or part of bid, as may be deemed best for the interests of the city. The successful bidder will be required to furnish a suitable bond or deposit of money or other security in the amount of not less than fifty (50) per cent of the amount of the contract.

HENRY J. SMITH,
Business Manager of the School Committee.
(Jan. 29.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

ASSESSORS' NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

CITY HALL ANNEX,
BOSTON, January 1, 1955.

RETURNS MUST BE MADE ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 31, 1955.

Particular attention is called to the Assessors' notice posted upon City Hall and various other places throughout the city relative to making returns on personal property subject to taxation.

EDMUND J. BURKE,
Assessor of Taxes.
JAMES H. ALPHEN,
Associate Assessor of Taxes,
LAWRENCE J. MOORE.
Associate Assessor of Taxes.
(Jan. 8-15-22-29.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

TO PAINTING CONTRACTORS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR INTERIOR AND EXTERIOR PAINTING AT THE THEODORE PARKER SCHOOL, CHURCH AND CENTRE STREETS, ROSLINDALE, MASS.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for interior and exterior painting at the Theodore Parker School, Church and Centre streets, Roslindale, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Monday, February 7, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals shall be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed and inclosed in a sealed envelope, plainly marked with the name of the bidder and the description of the work bid upon. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a certificate of deposit issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $300, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked. Bid bonds will not be accepted.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

A performance bond, issued by a surety company satisfactory to the Awarding Authority, in the full amount of the contract will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any and all bids if it be in the public interest so to do.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
(Jan. 29.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

No. 29—369.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING FINE PRINTING PAPERS FOR THE PRINTING SECTION.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Tuesday, February 8, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Papers." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Jan. 29.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

TO PAINTING CONTRACTORS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR INTERIOR PAINTING AT THE JAMAICA PLAIN HIGH SCHOOL, ELM STREET, JAMAICA PLAIN, MASS.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for interior painting at the Jamaica Plain High School, Elm street, Jamaica Plain, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Monday, February 7, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals shall be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed and inclosed in a sealed envelope, plainly marked with the name of the bidder and the description of the work bid upon. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a certificate of deposit issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $100, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked. Bid bonds will not be accepted.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

A performance bond, issued by a surety company satisfactory to the Awarding Authority, in the full amount of the contract will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any and all bids if it be in the public interest so to do.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
(Jan. 29.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

No. 26—399.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING GRASS SEED AND FERTILIZERS FOR CITY DEPARTMENTS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Wednesday, February 9, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Grass Seed and Fertilizers." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Jan. 29.) *Purchasing Agent.*

THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER, TENTH FLOOR.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING FUEL OIL FOR BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing fuel oil required for school buildings from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956. Proposal forms are obtainable at the office of the Business Manager of the School Committee, tenth floor, 15 Beacon street. Envelopes containing proposals must be sealed and plainly marked "Proposal for Furnishing Fuel Oil for Boston Public Schools." The bid must be in duplicate. One copy, signed by the bidder, and accompanied by a certified check payable to the City of Boston, in the amount of three hundred dollars ($300), must be left at the office of the Business Manager on or before 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, February 10, 1955. Copies filed with the Business Manager will be publicly opened and read at 12 o'clock noon of the day stated. The other copy, also signed by the bidder, must be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., previous to the time named for opening of the bids. Fuel oil is to be delivered in the tanks of the several buildings, and the price per barrel of medium oil and the price per gallon for light oil named in the proposal must include delivery in said tanks in a manner satisfactory to the School Committee. The total estimated quantities of fuel oil required during the period April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, both dates included, is as follows:

60,000 barrels medium oil
152,000 gallons light oil

The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to accept such bid, or part of bid, as may be deemed best for the interests of the city. The successful bidder will be required to furnish a suitable bond or deposit of money or other security in the amount of not less than fifty (50) per cent of the amount of the contract.

HENRY J. SMITH,
Business Manager of the School Committee.
(Jan. 29.)

LISTING BOARD.

PROPOSALS FOR PRINTING AND BINDING THE 1955 POLICE LISTS IN CONNECTION WITH THE POLICE LISTING OF RESIDENTS OF BOSTON TWENTY YEARS OF AGE OR OVER.

The Listing Board of the City of Boston invites proposals for printing and binding approximately 14,500 pages (6 inches x 9 inches) of names and addresses of residents from the lists furnished by the Listing Board of the City of Boston for the year 1955. A total of 160 copies in all, bound as follows: 75 copies of each ward, bound by precinct, pamphlet style, without cover, collated by wards; 75 copies of each ward bound with paper cover, and 10 copies of each ward bound in cloth (color to be determined), indexed throughout, same general style as the 1954 lists, lettered in gold with ward and year on back, and with printed label of ward and precincts on each side.

Delivery of above copies to be made on or before May 16, 1955, in accordance with schedule to be arranged by the Listing Board.

Proposals will be publicly opened and read on Wednesday, February 2, 1955, at 12 o'clock noon, at the office of the Police Commissioner, 154 Berkeley street, Boston.

A bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at the office of the Police Commissioner, 154 Berkeley street, Boston, and deposit with his bid a properly certified check for $1,000, payable to and to become the property of the Listing Board of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out.

The Listing Board reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as it deems for the best interest of the Listing Board of the City of Boston. Surety bond will be required from the successful bidder in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the estimated contract amount.

In doing all work herein described, the contractor will comply with all applicable laws of the United States of America and the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and ordinances of the City of Boston, including, without limiting the generality of the foregoing, sections 11 to 14, inclusive, of chapter 41 of the Revised Ordinances of 1947 of the City of Boston; and no recovery shall be had on this agreement if a breach of said sections is established.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN, *Chairman,*
GERTRUDE A. PFAU, *Secretary,*
(Jan. 22-29.) *Listing Board.*

THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT FOR PHYSICAL EDUCATION IN BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing supplies and equipment for physical education in the Boston public schools. Proposal forms are obtainable at the office of the Business Manager of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, tenth floor. Envelopes containing proposals must be sealed and plainly marked "Proposal for Supplies and Equipment for Physical Education." The bid must be in duplicate. One copy, signed by the bidder and accompanied by a certified check, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount of one hundred dollars ($100), must be left at the office of the Business Manager on or before 12 o'clock noon on Friday, February 11, 1955. Copies filed with the Business Manager will be publicly opened and read at 12 o'clock noon of the day stated. The other copy, also signed by the bidder, must be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., previous to the time named for the opening of the bids. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to accept such bid or part of bid as may be deemed best for the interests of the city. The successful bidders will be required to furnish a suitable bond or deposit of money or other security in the amount of not less than 50 per cent of the amount of the contract.

HENRY J. SMITH,
Business Manager of the School Committee.
(Jan. 29.)

No. 23—397.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING CAST-IRON CASTINGS (9x9 FLANGE BOXES) FOR PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, WATER SERVICE.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Tuesday, February 8, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Cast-Iron Castings." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Jan. 29.) *Purchasing Agent.*

No. 28—397.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING CAST-IRON PIPE (CEMENT LINED) FOR PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, WATER DIVISION.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Tuesday, February 8, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Pipe." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Jan. 29.) *Purchasing Agent.*

THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER, TENTH FLOOR.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING AMERICAN ANTHRACITE COAL FOR BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing American anthracite coal required for the school buildings from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956. Proposal forms are obtainable at the office of the Business Manager of the School Committee, tenth floor, 15 Beacon street. Envelopes containing proposals must be sealed and plainly marked "Proposal for Furnishing American Anthracite Coal for Boston Public Schools." The bid must be in duplicate. One copy, signed by the bidder, and accompanied by a certified check payable to the City of Boston, in the amount of one hundred dollars ($100), must be left at the office of the Business Manager on or before 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, February 10, 1955. Copies filed with the Business Manager will be publicly opened and read at 12 o'clock noon of the day stated. The other copy, also signed by the bidder, must be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., previous to the time named for the opening of the bids. The coal is to be delivered in the bins of the several buildings and the price per ton named in the proposal must include delivery and housing in a manner satisfactory to the School Committee. The Contractor must furnish suitable equipment and sufficient number of men to house the coal properly and promptly. The estimated tonnage required is as follows:

AMERICAN ANTHRACITE COAL.

DISTRICT.	EGG SIZE.
1. City Proper	15 tons
2. South Boston	....
3. East Boston	15 tons
4. Roxbury	10 tons
5. Dorchester	....
6. Charlestown	....
7. Brighton	....
8. West Roxbury	....
9. Hyde Park	10 tons
Total	50 tons

Bidders may submit a proposal for furnishing American anthracite coal required in any one or more of the above nine districts of the city and may also submit one bid covering the whole city. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to accept such bid, or part of bid, as may be deemed best for the interests of the city. The successful bidder will be required to furnish a suitable bond or deposit of money or other security in the amount of not less than fifty (50) per cent of the amount of the contract.

HENRY J. SMITH,
Business Manager of the School Committee.
(Jan. 29.)

No. 22—350.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING LABORATORY AND SURGICAL SUPPLIES FOR CITY DEPARTMENTS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Thursday, February 24, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $200, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Laboratory and Surgical Supplies." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Jan. 29.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

CHANGES IN TRAFFIC RULES AND REGULATIONS.

Voted, That the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective January 31, 1955:

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out the following:

Call Street, Charlestown.
Both sides, from Chelsea street to dead end, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Court Square, Boston Proper.
East side, easterly arm, from the south property line of No. 10 Court square to a point forty-five (45) feet north of the south property line of No. 10 Court square, 24 hours.
Deaconess Road, Roxbury.
Southwest side, from Brookline avenue to Pilgrim road, 24 hours.
Dorchester Avenue, Dorchester.
East side, from Richmond street to Adams street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.
West side, from Richmond street to Adams street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Huntington Avenue, Roxbury.
Northwest side, from a point one hundred (100) feet northeast of Wigglesworth street to Riverway, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from Tremont street to Jamaicaway, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.
Joiner Street, Charlestown.
Both sides, from Park street to Water street, 24 hours.
Magazine Street, Roxbury.
South side, from Massachusetts avenue to Norfolk avenue, 24 hours.
South side, from the easterly property line of the Home for Aged Poor to Dudley street, 24 hours.
Main Street, Charlestown.
West side, from City square to Henley street, 24 hours.
Massachusetts Avenue, Boston Proper, Dorchester, and Roxbury.
Southwest side, from Edward Everett square to No. 567 Massachusetts avenue, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alpbabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," the following:

Avon Street.
Southwest side, from Washington street to Chauncy street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the captions "Boston Proper," "Dorchester," and "Roxbury," the following:

Massachusetts Avenue.
Southwest side, from Edward Everett square to Albany street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Albany street to a point two hundred and fifteen (215) feet northwest of Albany street, 24 hours.
Southwest side, from a point two hundred and fifteen (215) feet northwest of Albany street to No. 567 Massachusetts avenue, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," each of the following:

Richardson Street.
North and west sides, from Mackin street to Western avenue, 24 hours.
Summit Avenue.
Northeast side, from the Brookline line to Commonwealth avenue, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Charlestown," each of the following:

Call Street.
Both sides, from John F. Fitzgerald Expressway to Chelsea street, 24 hours.
Joiner Street.
Both sides, from Water street to John F. Fitzgerald Expressway, 24 hours.
Main Street.
Both sides, from City square to Henley street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," each of the following:

Deaconess Road.
Southwest side, from Binney street to Pilgrim road, 24 hours.
Huntington Avenue.
Northwest side, from a point one hundred (100) feet northeast of Wigglesworth street to a point three hundred and fifty (350) feet northeast of Riverway, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Northwest side, from a point three hundred and fifty (350) feet northeast of Riverway to Riverway, 24 hours.
Southeast side, from Tremont street to South Huntington avenue, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.
Southeast side, from South Huntington avenue to Jamalcaway, 24 hours.
Magazine Street.
Southeast side, from Massachusetts avenue to Dudley street, 24 hours.
South Huntington Avenue.
Both sides, from Huntington avenue to a point one hundred (100) feet south of Huntington avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "South Boston," the following:

Leeds Street.
South side, from Dorchester avenue to Woodward street, 24 hours.
North side, from Dorchester avenue to a point eighty-three (83) feet east of Dorchester avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "West Roxbury," each of the following:

Centre Street.
South side, from West Roxbury Parkway to a point one hundred and sixty-five (165) feet west of West Roxbury Parkway, 24 hours.
Glade Avenue.
Northwest side, from Glen road to the dead end, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by striking out the following:

Court Square, Boston Proper.
East side, easterly arm, from the southerly arm to the south property line of No. 10 Court square, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, easterly arm, from a point forty-five (45) feet north of the south property line of No. 10 Court square to Court street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," the following:

Court Square.
East side, easterly arm, from the southerly arm to Court street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 6, Part 3 (Restrictions in Cent and Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Dorchester Avenue.
Both sides, from Richmond street to Adams street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 6, Part 3 (Restrictions in Cent and Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Columbus Avenue.
Northwest side, from Station street to Tremont street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Southeast side, from Texas street to the northerly line of property of Police Station No. 10, 10 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 16A, Part 2 (Vehicles Owned by the United States Government May Be Parked Without Time Limit at the Curb in the Following Streets), is amended by striking out the following:

Court Square, Boston Proper.
East side, easterly arm, from the south property line of No. 10 Court square to a point forty-five (45) feet north of the south property line of No. 10 Court square.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by striking out the following:

Joiner Street, Charlestown.
From Water street to Park street.
Owen Street, Dorchester.
From Tiverton road to Morton street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," each of the following:

Nonantum Street.
From Cufflin street to Washington street.
Nottinghill Road.
From No. 24 Nottinghill road, thence in a southerly, easterly, northerly, and westerly direction to the point of beginning at No. 24 Nottinghill road.
Richardson Street.
From Mackin street to Western avenue.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Charlestown," each of the following:

Call Street.
From John F. Fitzgerald Expressway to Chelsea street.
Joiner Street.
From Water street to John F. Fitzgerald Expressway.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," each of the following:

Edge Hill Street.
From Round Hill street to Gay Head street.
Round Hill Street.
From Gay Head street to Edge Hill street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "South Boston," the following:

Baxter Street.
From E street to D street.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," the following:

Guest Street.
At Life street.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Old Road.
At Ellington street.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Massachusetts Avenue.
At Magazine street.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "South Boston," the following:

E Street.
At Fargo street.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "West Roxbury," the following:

Hilburn Street.
At Whitford street.

WM. ARTHUR REILLY,
Commissioner.

A true copy.
Attest:
WILLIAM T. DOYLE, *Executive Secretary.*
(Jan. 22-29.)

THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING FINE ARTS SUPPLIES AND INDUSTRIAL ARTS SUPPLIES (INCLUDING ITEMS FOR KINDERGARTENS) FOR BOSTON SCHOOLS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing and delivering to the Supply Room of the School Committee fine arts supplies and industrial arts supplies (including items for use in kindergartens) as per schedule. Proposal forms are obtainable at the office of the Business Manager of the School Committee, tenth floor, 15 Beacon street. Envelopes containing proposals must be sealed and plainly marked "Proposal for Furnishing Fine Arts Supplies and Industrial Arts Supplies (Including Items for Kindergartens)." The bid must be in duplicate. One copy, signed by the bidder and accompanied by a certified check, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount of one hundred dollars ($100), must be left at the office of the Business Manager on or before 12 o'clock noon, on Monday, February 14, 1955. Copies filed with the Business Manager will be publicly opened and read at 12 o'clock noon of the day stated. The other copy, also signed by the bidder, must be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., previous to the time named for the opening of the bids. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids, and to accept such bid or part of bid as may be deemed best for the interests of the city. The successful bidders will be required to furnish a suitable bond or deposit of money or other security in the amount of not less than 50 per cent of the amount of the contract.

HENRY J. SMITH,
Business Manager of the School Committee.
(Jan. 29.)

CITY OF BOSTON
ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT
PRINTING SECTION

CITY RECORD

OFFICIAL CHRONICLE OF BOSTON MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS.

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PLANNING BOARD PRESENTS MAYOR HYNES A PARKING PROGRAM FOR CENTRAL BUSINESS AREA OF BOSTON — 10,000 TO 12,000 ADDITIONAL PARKING SPACES OVER 10-YEAR PERIOD — 20 GARAGES, WITH 10 TO GET IMMEDIATE ATTENTION—ESTIMATED TO COST $13,000,000 —TO COORDINATE WITH CENTRAL ARTERY.

The letter from the Planning Board reads as follows:

BOSTON, February 2, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

I am submitting herewith the City Planning Board's "Summary of Findings" on a parking program for the Boston Central Area. Because of the necessity of getting data into your hands as soon as possible, the report is brief and in mimeographed form. However, the report considers all aspects of the downtown passenger transportation problem and particularly the impact of the automobile on mass transportation facilities.

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ACCIDENT AND FATALITY ANALYSIS REPORT OF TRAFFIC COMMISSIONER WM. ARTHUR REILLY SHOWS 66 PERSONS KILLED IN 1954 IN BOSTON IN AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS—3,350 WERE INJURED, 52 PEDESTRIANS FATALLY HURT — MOST FATAL ACCIDENTS IN DORCHESTER DISTRICT.

The annual report of fatal and personal injury motor vehicle accidents which occurred within the City of Boston during 1954 has been released by Commissioner Wm. Arthur Reilly.

This analysis is a compilation of accident reports submitted to the Boston Traffic Commission by the Boston Police Department.

Highlights of the report show:

A total of 66 people were killed in all types of motor vehicle accidents in 1954.

In a total of 2,618 reported accidents, 3,350 people were injured.

The national population accident death rate (deaths per 100,000 population) for 1953 was 24.2; the population accident death rate for cities of 750,000–1,000,000 was 10.4, while Boston, with a population

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CITY HOSPITAL TRUSTEES, UNDER DIRECTION OF DR. JOHN F. CONLIN, DIRECTOR OF HOSPITALS, NAME FORMER F.B.I. MAN TO REPLAN INGRESS AND EGRESS, CONTROL OF SUPPLIES, AND OTHER MATTERS PERTAINING TO PREVENTION OF COSTLY INEFFICIENCY AND LOSSES OF SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT NOTED HERETOFORE — GUARD CREW UNDER PRESENT EMPLOYMENT TO BE SPECIALLY TRAINED FOR WORK.

The following communication has been received at the Mayor's office from Richard J. Condon, President, Board of Trustees, Boston City Hospital:

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

Security matters within the Hospital Department continue to be a problem of concern to the Trustees and to Dr. Conlin, Director of Hospitals. The institutions within the department contain much valuable equipment. There are large numbers of in-patients and out-patients. There are several thousands of employees and thousands of daily visitors.

The matters of ingress and egress, control of supplies and equipment, personnel screening, proper training of the present security force, and many similar matters need immediate attention. It is desired to operate a program of prevention of costly inefficiency and loss rather than one of detection after the loss has occurred.

Security Consultant.

The Trustees of the Hospital Department and of Boston City Hospital, therefore, request permission to enter upon a contract with Harvey Burstein, security consultant, 294 Washington street, Boston, Mass. The Trustees voted on January 7, 1955, that the Director should meet with Mr. Burstein and discuss arrangements for obtaining his services.

On January 14, 1955, the Trustees voted that Mr. Burstein be engaged as an expert security consultant at a fee of $50 per diem. It is proposed to use Mr. Burstein's services within the department an average of two days per week and to enter upon a one-year contract with him in the amount of $4,800, payable in twelve equal monthly installments.

Mr. Burstein is thirty-two years old. He received a Bachelor of Laws degree from Creighton University in 1948. He is an honorably discharged World War II veteran. He saw combat duty in the European Theatre with the Corps of Military Police. In 1941–42 and again in 1948 he was a clerk and translator in the Federal Bureau of Investigation, assigned to the Identification Division and Laboratory.

F.B.I. Agent.

From October 25, 1948, to August 13, 1953, he was a special agent of the F.B.I. He worked on applicant-type, criminal security, espionage, and foreign-intelligence-type investigations. While with the F.B.I. he received five letters of commendation from Mr. Hoover. He was an approved F.B.I. speaker. He has written a paper and a training outline used by the F.B.I. and a New Jersey police department in training their police officers and agents.

From October, 1953, to the end of February, 1954, he served as Chief, Foreign and Domestic Investigations, Surveys, and Physical Security, Office of Security, United States Department of State. He had final responsibility for all State Department investigations, surveys, and physical

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"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean;
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, February 7, at 2 P.M.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries, or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the Complaints Division, Room 25, City Hall.

Information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways, the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments of streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped area for streets and the opening of private ways; the making of specific repairs in public streets; the naming of public streets, including the use of public ways for location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railways, coal holes, and vaults, may be secured from the Public Improvement Commission, Room 403, City Hall Annex.

TO THE BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION, 112 Southampton street, for information relative to regulation of vehicular street traffic on all or any streets, ways, highways, roads, and parkways under the control of the City of Boston, the issuing of all permits in connection therewith.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting, and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of Sumner Tunnel, the maintenance of bridges and draw-bridges, and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Haymarket Square, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish, and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughterhouses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases, of public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth Avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park, and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts, also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview, and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

TO THE DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS, 28 Norman street, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

TO THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, ROOM 907, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal, or tearing down buildings.

TO THE ELECTRICAL INSPECTION DIVISION OF THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT, 1001 City Hall Annex, for all information relative to the erection of poles, building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division; also for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings of the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

TO THE BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT, 43 City Hall, relative to changes in the boundary lines of zoning districts of the City of Boston as established by chapter 488 of the Acts of 1924, and amendments thereto.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending January 29, 1955.

Population as of July, 1950, Massachusetts State Census, 817,713; population estimated July, 1954, United States Census Bureau, 810,633; number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 196; nonresidents, 70; total, 266.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 17.11; nonresidents deducted, 12.61.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:

Last week, 13.51; corresponding week last year, 15.37.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 14; one year to four years, inclusive, 7; sixty years and over, 175. Total deaths: Male, 152; female, 114; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 192.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Jan. 29, 1955.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Jan. 30, 1954.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior Poliomyelitis	—	1	—	—
Diphtheria	—	—	1	—
Encephalitis Lethargica	—	—	—	—
Influenza	—	—	—	—
Measles	193	—	1	—
Meningitis Epidemic	—	—	4	2
Pneumonia (lobar)	—	—	—	2
Scarlet Fever	29	—	32	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary)	—	6	20	5
Childhood Type Tuberculosis	—	—	—	—
Tuberculosis (other forms)	—	1	2	—
Typhoid Fever	—	—	—	—
Whooping Cough	8	—	2	—

* Residents and nonresidents included.

CITY HOSPITAL TRUSTEES AND DIRECTOR OF HOSPITALS NAME FORMER F.B.I. MAN TO TRAIN GUARD CREWS.

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security, both here and abroad. This included security of installations, of code rooms, etc., and the determination of specifications for departmental security-type equipment.

He supervised a staff of approximately 1,000 people. He served as a member of the Personnel Selection Panel for the Office of Security and on the department's Employee Security Panel. He was responsible for all overseas investigations of other federal agencies and for the physical security overseas of the United States Information Agency and Foreign Operations Administration.

Mr. Burstein practices law in Boston. He has been admitted to practice before the Supreme Judical Court of Massachusetts, United States Tax Court, Interstate Commerce Commission, and the Supreme Court of the United States. He is being considered by a local university for a faculty position teaching a course in "Physical Security." He is an instructor on investigations and identification for the Brookline Auxiliary Police Unit. He is a consultant on personnel and plant security matters.

Mr. Burstein is well recommended. He has been interviewed. He is thoroughly qualified and suited for the important work in which it is proposed to use his services.

Your approval and authorization to enter upon the proposed contract with Mr. Burstein will be very much appreciated. Funds are available within our 1955 budget.

Respectfully,

RICHARD J. CONDON,
President, Board of Trustees.

PLANNING BOARD PRESENTS MAYOR HYNES WITH PARKING PROGRAM.

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With the completion of the Central Artery and its connecting expressways it is expected that, though the number of passengers entering by automobile will increase substantially, the over-all increase in persons entering the area will result in little or no loss of patronage to public transportation facilities.

A further condensed statement of the findings is attached herewith, including a vote of the Board to go on record as favoring the construction of a garage under Boston Common, in accordance with provisions set forth in House Bill 1275.

Very truly yours,

THOMAS F. McDONOUGH,
Chairman.

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SUMMARY OF PLAN.

The Boston City Planning Board has submitted to Mayor Hynes a parking program for the central business area of Boston.

The program recommends the construction of 10,000 to 12,000 additional off-street parking spaces by 1965 (not including the 6,000 spaces to be provided in the proposed Back Bay Center). The Planning Board proposes a system of twenty garages throughout the business district, ten of which should receive immediate attention.

The ten high priority sites are: at the rear of the State House; near Scollay square; on Court street (next to City Hall); on Central and Kilby streets in the financial district; at Fort Hill square; on Province street, to serve the retail area; on Washington street at Hayward place; on Washington street at Dore street; and the St. James Street garage already designed.

The estimated cost of acquiring the necessary sites (based on tax assessment values plus 25 per cent) and constructing the high priority parking garages totals $13,000,000, giving an average per space cost of about $3,100.

The Planning Board report points out that the 10,000 to 13,000 additional spaces are necessary to (a) compensate for the existing deficit of spaces in the business area; (b) replace a substantial number of existing on-street spaces (3,000) that impair the flow of traffic and should be eliminated; and (c) accommodate the expected increase in motor vehicle travel to the business area to be caused by the construction of express highways (the Central Artery and the Toll Road, etc.) and by the construction of new business development (such as the Back Bay Center).

The report emphasizes the necessity of having these new spaces used primarily by short-time parkers—for shopping and business trips. In this way additional economic activity can best be attracted into the business area with little loss to mass transportation patronage. It is pointed out that this may require an adjustment of parking rates charged in off-street facilities, perhaps to a constant hourly rate of 20 or 25 cents. A similar recommendation involves increasing the rates charged at on-street meter spaces.

The Planning Board report explains that the existing 335,000 people attracted to the business area each day will increase to about 380,000 in 1965. Consequently, the number of passenger cars to be parked is expected to increase from about 80,000 to 125,000 per day. This increase is made possible by the large traffic capacity of the Central Artery.

The Planning Board therefore concludes that a conservative estimate of the future parking space need is from 10,000 to 12,000 additional off-street spaces. According to the Planning Board these new parking spaces will contribute to the economic health and welfare of the business area and the entire community. The estimated $13,000,000 cost is not too high a price to pay if it will (a) make it possible for the Central Artery to bring more people to the downtown area; (b) encourage development of new downtown construction; and (c) arrest the decline of assessed values and, in fact, cause an ultimate reduction in the tax rate by broadening the tax base.

The Planning Board also voted to go on record as favoring the construction of a garage under Boston Common in accordance with provisions set forth in House Bill 1275.

RETIREMENT BOARD REPORT.

To the Auditor.

At meetings of the Retirement Board, held on January 14 and January 28, respectively, the retirement from active service of the following-named employees of the City of Boston and County of Suffolk was approved, to become effective at the close of business, January 31, 1955, under the provisions of chapter 658:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Paul W. Halloran, first assistant assessor.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Joseph K. Kenney, ladderman.
Thomas F. Prendergast, marine engineer.
Frederick W. Sullivan, ladderman.
Annie E. Devin, janitress.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Catherine E. Tierney, clerk.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Mary J. Coughlin, medical worker.
Richard F. Morgan, mechanic.
Maud E. Hildreth, medical worker.

Long Island Division.

Nella K. Wallace, nurse.

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

Mary E. Mulvaney, first assistant.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Cornelius F. Mahoney, patrolman.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Charles F. Davis, paver.
Francis C. Shea, inspector.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

Charlotte Kusmaul, janitress.

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT.

Gertrude S. White, instructor.
John P. Shea, submaster.
Catherine J. Norton, principal.
Carleton E. Gardner, supervisor.
Clare Eastman, supervisor.
Edward J. Wall, supervisor.
Jeannette E. Casey, assistant.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Helen A. Daley, senior bookkeeper.
Ruth Walker, social worker.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

House of Correction.

George H. Donovan, correction officer and shoemaking instructor.

Attest:

PAUL L. CARTY,
Executive Officer.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION REPORT ON AUTO ACCIDENTS AND FATALITIES FOR 1954.

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of $20,000 (state census of 1954), had a 1954 population accident death rate of 8.0.

There were 52 pedestrians killed, or about 80 per cent of the 66 total fatalities; 25 of the 52 pedestrians killed were 65 years of age or over; 15 pedestrians were killed ranging in ages from 3 to 11, while 37 ranged in ages from 40 to 91, with none appearing in the range from 12 to 39.

Of the 14 other fatalities, 7 were operators and 7 were occupants.

Mondays and Thursdays, each with 13 fatal accidents, were the days of the week with the highest frequency, while December, with 15, was the worst month for fatal accidents.

During the hours of darkness there were 49 fatalities, 28 of which occurred between 7 P.M. and midnight, while 7 P.M. to 8 P.M. was the highest hour, with 8 fatalities.

One MTA bus, one hit and run driver, and one drunken driver were involved in three pedestrian fatalities, and 3 out-of-state cars were involved in other fatal accidents.

Vehicles registered in the City of Boston were involved in 40 fatal accidents, while 22 were Massachusetts registrations outside the City of Boston.

Dorchester was the district where most fatal accidents occurred, with 15, while Charlestown can boast of having no fatal accidents. South Boston showed an abnormal increase in fatal accidents, with 13 in 1954 as compared to a range of 3 to 8 over a period of the previous 5 years.

The majority of fatal accidents (35) and personal injury accidents (1,540) occurred *at* intersections as compared to 31 fatal and 1,078 personal injury accidents between intersections. There were 7 fatal accidents at signalized intersections.

Ratio of injuries to deaths in 1954 is 50 to 1 as compared to 57 to 1 in 1953.

COMPARATIVE SUMMARY OF MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENTS INVOLVING INJURIES.

	1953	1954
Total accidents reported	2627	2618
Persons injured	3529	3350
Males	2241	2169
Females	1288	1181
Average injuries per accident	1.35	1.28
Coasters injured	5	12
Bicyclists injured	79	102
Hit and run accidents	84	67
Accidents involving liquor	265	171
Accidents involving taxis	241	206
Pedestrian accidents involving drivers under 25 years of age*	322	261
Pedestrian accidents involving drivers over 25 years of age	956	825
Accidents by districts:		
Boston Proper	939	864
Brighton	199	188
Charlestown	117	153
Dorchester	406	455
East Boston	107	88
Hyde Park	77	75
Roxbury	343	410
South Boston	238	164
West Roxbury	201	221
Accidents by type:		
Auto *vs.* pedestrian	1180	1201
Truck *vs.* pedestrian	134	116
Bus *vs.* pedestrian	25	22
Taxi *vs.* pedestrian	90	65
Auto *vs.* auto	622	694
Auto *vs.* truck	129	161
Truck *vs.* truck	19	13
Auto *vs.* streetcar	11	20
Auto *vs.* fixed object	174	176
Auto *vs.* bus	28	19
Auto *vs.* taxi	137	122
Miscellaneous	119	96
Locations of personal injury accidents:		
At intersections	1324	1540
Between intersections	1303	1078

* Nineteen per cent of pedestrian accidents involved drivers under 25 years of age.

MAYOR TURNS DOWN COUNCIL PROPOSAL FOR INCREASED PAY FOR CORRECTIONAL OFFICERS UNTIL STUDIED FURTHER.

The following is letter sent to the City Council by his Honor the Mayor on January 27:

To the City Council.

GENTLEMEN:

I return herewith without my signature, and disapproved, two orders adopted by your Honorable Body on January 24, 1955. One order contemplates the amendment of the County Classification and Compensation Plan in the case of correction officers; the other order contemplates an amendment of the County Classification and Compensation Plan in the case of jail officers.

These orders are disapproved because any specific changes in the County Plan of this nature necessarily have an effect on other positions in the County Plan. It is, therefore, the purpose of the Personnel Officer of the City of Boston to make a complete study, this year, of the entire County Classification Plan which has been in existence since 1931. It has become apparent that this plan should be restudied and brought up to date.

Respectfully,

JOHN B. HYNES, *Mayor.*

STREET CONSTRUCTION IN ROXBURY.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of South Bay avenue, Roxbury district, as a public highway, from Atkinson street to Moore street, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named South Bay avenue is hereby laid out, from Atkinson street to Moore street, and ordered constructed.

Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed thereto, in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

Southerly by the southerly line of South Bay avenue as hereby laid out, 934.59 feet; westerly by the westerly line of South Bay avenue as hereby laid out, 60.95 feet; northerly by the northerly line of South Bay avenue as hereby laid out, 934.59 feet; and easterly by the easterly line of South Bay avenue as hereby laid out, 60.95 feet.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the abutting parcels of land situated on both sides of said South Bay avenue will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement herein ordered; each of said parcels in the amount hereinafter respectively set against it; said parcels and the supposed owners thereof being shown on the plan hereinbefore referred to and on file in the office of this department.

Parcel.		Amount.
1.	Commonwealth of Massachusetts,	$2,560 00
2.	New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad	4,919 12
3.	John Sax	512 40
4.	John Sax	1,466 80
5.	Nathan I. Lipson	716 88
6.	Samuel Hurwitz	1,219 20
7.	General Wool Company	1,950 48
	Total	$13,344 88

This order is subject to the rights of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company, its lessees, successors, or assigns, to operate and maintain tracks in said South Bay avenue substantially as now constructed.

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement consisting of the laying out and construction of South Bay avenue, Roxbury district, as a public highway, from Atkinson street to Moore street, under the order of this commission of January 19, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

Voted, That this commission determines that the undermentioned estate sustains damages by the taking in fee of land situated on South Bay avenue, Roxbury district, for Public Works Department purposes, under the order of the commission of January 19, 1955, in the amount hereinafter respectively set against it, and awards said amount therefor.

New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, 94,110 square feet, $1.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees:

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

For the week ending January 18:

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—John Bell, 223 South street, Jamaica Plain, elevator operator, $50.50 a week; Julia A. Clifford, 15 Lee street, Jamaica Plain, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; Alice O'Brien, 319 Massachusetts avenue, Arlington, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Robert T. O'Brien, 19 Summer street, Hyde Park, hospital medical worker, $45.50 a week; Joseph A. Zaremba, 122 West Ninth street, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Temporary.—William H. Jordan, 394 Riverway, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; Gertrude I. Macauley, 15 Pinckney street, floor nurse, $65.50 a week; George B. Regan, 8 Sumner park, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

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For the week ending January 25:

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—Beatrice Campbell, 41 Clark street, Walpole, floor nurse, $1.70 an hour; Alfredo Castrucci, 10 Henchman street, hospital laundry worker, $43 a week; Ann Connelly, 31 Myrtle street, Brockton, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; John D. Connors, 109 Belnel road, Hyde Park, clerk, $50.50 a week; Patricia M. Daily, 73 Stanton street, Dorchester, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour; Ann J. Dempsey, 102 Richmond street, Dorchester, floor nurse, $65.50 a week; Louise Fues, 426 Beacon street, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour; Marilyn E. Gray, 710 Massachusetts avenue, floor nurse, $65.50 a week; Ruth A. Kelly, 1124 Harrison avenue, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; Arthur McCluskey, 4 Bishop street, Jamaica Plain, hospital laundry worker, $43 a week; Helen A. Napolitano, 23 Battery street, hospital medical worker, $50.50 a week; Sylvia Wall, 30 Wayland street, Dorchester, clerk-typist, $45.50 a week; Audrey Trask, 130 Cottage park, Winthrop, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour; Mary V. Williams, 199 Faywood avenue, East Boston, floor nurse, $1.60 an hour; Marjorie Lewis, 7 Spring terrace, Roxbury, clerk-typist, $50.50 a week.

Temporary.—Patrick Bowman, 267 Roxbury street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; Dolores A. Buckley, 549 Park street, Dorchester, floor nurse, $53.91 a week; Samuel Levenson, 15 Oakhurst street, Dorchester, John S. Makerewicz, 1 Yeoman street, Roxbury, Karl J. Ryan, 25 Cambridge street, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; John E. Waters, 14 Montfern avenue, Brighton, clerk, $43 a week.

South Division.

For the week ending January 18:

The service of the following employee has been terminated:

Permanent.—Dominic W. Grasso, 32 McLean street, hospital medical worker, $45.50 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

Approval has been given for the following resignations:

Veronica Botti, intermittent relief telephone operator; Helen Flanders, regis-

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 1.

GASFITTER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
G. Vallati	13 Savin Hill avenue	15	Connecting range	$50
G. Vallati	55 Shepton street	16	Connecting range	400
R. DiLorenzo	115 Water street	2	Connecting range	900
John J. Vogel	137 Whitford street	18	Connecting range	150
J. Vangi	33 Allen street	3	Connecting range	35
S. Lansau	2 Ayr road	21	Connecting range	30
J. Buresh	56 Baxter street	7	Connecting range	50
A. Granara	93 Fulton street	3	Connecting range	40
F. Avery	206 Gardner street	20	Connecting range	40
F. Avery	104 Greaton road	20	Connecting range	25
	13 Haviland street	4	Connecting range	25
S. Connolly	6 Hawthorne avenue	12	Connecting range	50
S. Connolly	115 Hillside street	10	Connecting range	60
J. Buresh	18 Maxwell street	17	Connecting range	70
G. Speers	116 Murdock street	21	Connecting range	50
S. Fox	152 North Beacon street	21	Connecting range	200
F. Avery	135 Paul Gore street	19	Connecting range	30
F. Avery	74 Perkins street	19	Connecting cooker	10
C. Mehegan	16 Ronald street	14	Connecting range	50
D. Gould	5 St. James terrace	12	Connecting heater	45
F. Avery	42 St. Joseph street	11	Connecting range	10
S. Chipman	32 Valentine street	11	Connecting range	50
F. Avery	655 West Roxbury Parkway	20	Connecting cooker	50
G. Donohue	8 Antrim street	1	Connecting heater	35
P. Gulesian	26 Beacon street	18	Connecting range	200
P. Gulesian	95 Beacon street	18	Connecting range	200
E. Pascucci	109 Bennington street	1	Connecting range	35
P. Gulesian	64 Como road	18	Connecting range	200
D. Slavet	200 Emerson street	7	Connecting heater	35
T. Matthews	206 Eustis street	8	Connecting range	35
E. Pascucci	70 Frankfort street	1	Connecting range	25
E. Pascucci	23 Everett street	1	Connecting range	35
P. Gulesian	19 Gordon avenue	18	Connecting range	75
F. Farrar	161 Huntington avenue	4	Connecting range	40
P. Gulesian	914 Hyde Park avenue	18	Connecting heater	35
R. Simon	39 M street	7	Connecting range	45
A. Stahly	28 Magdala street	16	Connecting range	40
P. Gulesian	14 Magee street	18	Connecting range	400
R. Simon	108 Marine road	7	Connecting range	85
E. Pascucci	2 McKay place	1	Connecting range	25
H. Lappin	51 Melcher street	6	Connecting range	300
A. Stahly	25 Mellen street	18	Connecting range	10
E. Pascucci	281 Meridian street	1	Connecting range	15
P. Gulesian	488 Metropolitan avenue	18	Connecting range	200
	30 Oak street	3	Connecting range	60
E. Pascucci	168 Paris street	1	Connecting range	25
Wm. Awad	23 Portsmouth street	22	Connecting range	45
Wm. Awad	23 Portsmouth street	22	Connecting range	25
Wm. Awad	18 Radnor road	22	Connecting range	50
D. Greenwood	55 St. Rose street	19	Connecting range	100
Wm. Awad	9 Sanderson place	22	Connecting range	50
E. Healy	41 Sargent street	13	Connecting range	85
A. Stahly	67 Sawyer avenue	15	Connecting range	15
P. Gulesian	84 Williams avenue	18	Connecting heater	500
P. Gulesian	280 Wood avenue	18	Connecting heater	400
G. Trethewey	4 Albano street	18	Connecting heater	150
I. Himelfarb	9 Chesterton street	8	Connecting heater	15
N. Clark	69 Clarkson street	15	Connecting range	400
N. Clark	4 Fayston street	13	Connecting range	400
N. Clark	35 Grayson street	16	Connecting range	100
G. Trethewey	31 Houston street	20	Connecting range	200
N. Clark	1831 Hyde Park avenue	18	Connecting range	400
G. Trethewey	96 Kittredge street	18	Connecting range	160
J. Fopiano	127 Leverett street	3	Connecting range	150
N. Clark	29 Millet street	17	Connecting range	100
M. Eskowtiz	20 Normandy street	14	Connecting range	20
N. Clark	37 Osceola street	18	Connecting range	400
G. Trethewey	39 Potomac street	20	Connecting range	150
E. Secatore	460 Saratoga street	1	Connecting range	50
G. Trethewey	29 Stellman road	18	Connecting range	145
N. Clark	635 Walk Hill street	18	Connecting range	100
E. Mogel	82 Albion street	3	Connecting heater	50
E. Mogel	48 Beacon street	5	Connecting range	35
I. Springer	50 Billerica street	3	Connecting range	35
E. Hart	1001 Centre street	20	Connecting range	35
	652 Columbia road	7	Connecting range	55
E. Mogel	415 Columbus avenue	9	Connecting range	50
A. Gardella	484 Commercial street	3	Connecting range	30
C. Boates	289 Congress street	3	Connecting range	100
A. Granara	295 Congress street	3	Connecting range	25
H. Cornellisan, Jr.	29 Congreve street	20	Connecting heater	75
N. Clark	493 Columbia road	16	Connecting range	40
D. Tringali	39 Dover street	3	Connecting range	30
E. Mogel	43 East Concord street	8	Connecting range	15
E. Mogel	851 East First street	6	Connecting range	45
A. Gardella	422 Hanover street	3	Connecting range	40
D. Greenwood	116 Hyde Park avenue	19	Connecting range	50
D. Greenwood	113 Hillside street	10	Connecting range	165
O. Weider	15A Kenwood street	17	Connecting range	40
E. Mogel	411 Massachusetts avenue	9	Connecting range	50
N. Clark	36 Maywood street	12	Connecting cooker	400
E. Mogel	56 Middlesex street	3	Connecting range	30
A. Gardella	84 Prince street	3	Connecting range	55
A. Gardella	9 Quincy street	3	Connecting burner	45
E. Hart	191 Rutherford avenue	2	Connecting range	20
E. Mogel	203 St. Botolph street	4	Connecting range	50
E. Mogel	272A Shawmut avenue	3	Connecting range	150
A. Gardella	17 South Margin street	3	Connecting range	15
E. Slein	66 Summer street	19	Connecting range	50
D. Tringali	93 Village street	5	Connecting range	80
N. Clark	49 Withington street	17	Connecting range	400
William Connell	121 Ashmont street	16	Connecting range	15

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 1.—Concluded.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
M. Wallen	51 Blake street	18	Connecting heater	$45
D. O'Neill	1 Cobden street	11	Connecting heater	40
C. Bevelander	116 Commonwealth avenue	5	Connecting range	40
D. O'Neill	53 Fort avenue	10	Connecting range	20
A. DiPietro	90 High street	2	Connecting heater	115
	17½ Hudson street	3	Connecting range	70
M. Eskowitz	836 Morton street	14	Connecting range	45
E. Dorr	15 Mystic street	2	Connecting range	45
L. Visco	239 Princeton street	1	Connecting range	30
William Connell	16 Rosaria street	16	Connecting range	10
A. DiLorenzo	631 Saratoga street	1	Connecting range	40
D. O'Neill	59 Savin street	12	Connecting range	45
D. O'Neill	451 Shawmut avenue	9	Connecting range	10
B. Zieff	63 Stanwood street	14	Connecting range	40
William Connell	97 Stratton street	14	Connecting range	10
D. O'Neill	17 Walpole street	9	Connecting range	25
J. Sullivan	4268 Washington street	18	Connecting range	40
William Connell	81 Westville street	16	Connecting range	30

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM PLUMBING FOR THE WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 1.

Plumber.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
S. Slavet	6 Adelaide street	19	Fixtures	$500
E. Parad	287 Beacon street	5	Fixtures	5,000
P. Russo	66 Fort avenue	10	Fixtures	190
S. Landau	191 Marlborough street	5	Fixtures	6,000
J. Buresh	18 Maxwell street	17	Fixtures	500
J. Lynch	308 River street	18	Fixtures	150
A. Mchegan	22 School street	17	Fixtures	760
S. Slavet	74 Summer street	19	Fixtures	10
S. Landau	30 Tremont street	3	Fixtures	500
E. Bailey	46 Wareham street	3	Fixtures	500
S. Landau	100 Warrenton street	3	Fixtures	500
P. Connell	47 Atwill road	20	Fixtures	900
P. Connell	48 Atwill road	20	Fixtures	900
P. Connell	51 Atwill road	20	Fixtures	900
A. Kaunfer	112 Laurie avenue	20	Fixtures	675
H. Heath	9 Munroe street	12	Fixtures	70
L. Mahoney	20-40 Old Harbor street	7	Fixtures	25,000
H. Vallely	17 Phipps street	2	Fixtures	655
A. Stahly	26 St. Marks road	16	Fixtures	40
A. Stahly	67 Sawyer avenue	13	Fixtures	50
F. Dwyer	84 Seattle street	21	Fixtures	700
H. Vallely	37 Vernon street	19	Fixtures	225
M. Luce	20 Adams street	2	Fixtures	150
E. Duggan	346 Commonwealth avenue	5	Fixtures	150
D. Weinberg	241 Foster street	22	Fixtures	400
A. Milligan	1 Lillie Way	20	Fixtures	500
A. Milligan	2 Lillie Way	20	Fixtures	900
L. Bragg	72 Munroe street	12	Fixtures	550
W. Cooper	8 Trenton street	2	Fixtures	500
A. Milligan	307 V. F. W. Parkway	20	Fixtures	1,000
A. Milligan	311 V. F. W. Parkway	20	Fixtures	1,000
B. Porte	466 Blue Hill avenue	14	Fixtures	5,000
A. Mchegan	327 Forest Hills street	11	Fixtures	7,200
D. Greenwood	55 Green street	19	Fixtures	250
P. Russo	19 Perthshire road	22	Fixtures	200
L. Arth	195 Pilgrim road	4	Fixtures	600
A. Mchegan	249 River street	18	Fixtures	4,000
A. Mchegan	249 River street	18	Fixtures	5,000
A. Mchegan	249 River street	18	Fixtures	500
D. Sullivan	300 Summer street	6	Fixtures	150
D. Greenwood	196 South street	11	Fixtures	100
M. Wallen	51 Blake street	18	Fixtures	1,000
Wm. Connell	100 Boylston street	3	Fixtures	250
D. Atkins	1061 Centre street	20	Fixtures	100
E. Healy	17 Ellet street	15	Fixtures	60
E. Dorr	15 Mystic street	2	Fixtures	125
D. Atkins	65 Newfield street	20	Fixtures	150
L. Visco	239 Princeton street	1	Fixtures	200
D. Greenwood	7 Sylvia street	11	Fixtures	350
H. Goldberg	13 Winter street	18	Fixtures	500

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tered graduate nurse, part time; Joseph Levangie, Charles Stoddard, James House, John Tangney, hospital medical workers, provisional.

Long Island Division.

The following changes have been made in the personnel for the week ending January 26:

Terminations.—James Lovett, steam fireman, emergency; Michael F. Welch, attendant nurse, permanent.

Cancel Appointment.—James Conlon, hospital laborer, emergency.

Change of Name.—Delia T. McDermott, attendant nurse, to Delia T. Penzo.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following appointments:

Fire Department.

Henry M. Wheeler, Jr., 6 Arborough road, Roslindale, fire alarm operator, $74.71 a week.

John J. Leahy, 20 Mystic street, Charlestown, fire alarm operator, $74.71 a week.

John M. Murphy, 141 Woodbole avenue, Dorchester, fire alarm operator, $74.71 a week.

Edmund T. Burke, 8 Taft street, Dorchester, fire alarm operator, $74.71 a week.

Health Department.

Thomas A. Waple, 11 Fidelis Way, Brighton, junior building custodian, $53 a week.

Anthony J. Esposito, 157 Cottage street, East Boston, junior building custodian, $53 a week.

Joseph H. White, 9 Upham avenue, Dorchester, junior building custodian, $55.50 a week.

Hospital Department.

Main Division.

Robert G. Hession, 31 Longfellow street, Dorchester, hospital kitchen worker, $50.50 a week.

Robert V. Venti, 50 Neptune road, East Boston, clerk, $43 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

Morris Shidlow, 249 River street, Mattapan, patient male nurse, part time, $1 an hour.

Long Island Division.

Walter F. Cashman, 27 Rutland street, attendant nurse, $50.50 a week.

Robert C. Hennessey, 6 State road, Revere, second-class stationary engineer, $68 a week.

Stephen M. O'Connell, 45 East Lenox street, Roxbury, second-class stationary engineer, $68 a week.

Law Department.

Workmen's Compensation Service.

Ellen O'Driscoll, 20 Riverside square, Hyde Park, clerk and stenographer, $43 a week.

Public Works Department.

Sanitary Division.

Walter F. McCoy, 861 East First street, South Boston, laborer, $50.50 a week.

James J. Feetham, 21 Ramsey street, Dorchester, laborer. $50.50 a week.

Joseph J. Casey, 18 Loring street, South Boston, laborer, $50.50 a week.

Michael S. Hardiman, 434 Centre street, Jamaica Plain, laborer, $50.50 a week.

Alfred E. O'Brien, 20 Isabella street, laborer, $50.50 a week.

John P. Sullivan, 617 Harrison avenue, laborer, $50.50 a week.

William P. Bergen, 14 Adams street, Roxbury, laborer, $50.50 a week.

Robert J. Ashworth, 59 Centre street, Roxbury, laborer, $50.50 a week.

Owen P. Cadden, 292 Marginal street, East Boston, laborer, $50.50 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Florence Jones, 19 Park View street, Roxbury, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Emma Coran, 7 Cleaves street, Roxbury, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Catharine T. Lydon, 397 Talbot avenue, Dorchester, statistical machine operator (key punch), $45.50 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following reinstatement:

CITY PLANNING BOARD.

Barbara F. Devine, 17 Bonnie Brier Circle, Hingham, planning assistant, $65.50 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following changes in status:

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Joseph A. Wall, 56 Chickatawbut street, Dorchester, from building maintenance supervisor at $83.50 a week to general foreman of mechanics and craftsmen (temporary) at $87 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Luigi J. Polimeno, 26 Bower street, Roxbury, from hospital medical worker at $50.50 a week to hospital house worker at $50.50 a week.

Marion E. Lamb, 31 Parkton road, Jamaica Plain, from principal bacteriologist at $106.62 a week to head bacteriologist, temporary, at $113 a week.

Alice K. Daly, 17 Bowditch road, Jamaica Plain, from senior bacteriologist at $80 a week to principal bacteriologist, temporary, at $90.50 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Water Division.

Arthur J. Rivers, 6 Bucknam street, Roxbury, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week to senior engineering aid, temporary, at $63 a week.

Clarence L. Adams, 7 Brook avenue, Roxbury, from tool and diemaker at $68 a week to machinist foreman at $73 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following promotions:

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Celia Burke. 40 St. Francis de Sales street, Roxbury, from hospital medical worker at $53 a week to hospital house worker at $53 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Francis B. Fitzgerald, 92 Metropolitan avenue, Roslindale, from park mainte-

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 1.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Estate of Albert Slavin	91 Camden street	9	Alterations, dwelling	None
Angeline Curallo	261 Chelsea street	1	Alterations, dwelling	None
H. Wetmore and M. Denzler.	174 Chestnut avenue	19	Alterations, dwelling	None
H. Wetmore and M. Denzler.	176 Chestnut avenue	19	Alterations, dwelling	None
H. Wetmore and M. Denzler.	178 Chestnut avenue	19	Alterations, dwelling	None
Louise Rau	20 Dalrymple street	11	Alterations, dwelling	None
Hazel Daly	779 East Fourth street	6	Alterations, dwelling	None
Antoinette Gregory	56 Fenwood road	10	Alterations, dwelling	None
Harold Robinson	69 Hamilton street	15	Alterations, dwelling	None
James and Jane Flynn	11 Rock terrace	15	Alterations, dwelling	None
Maria Dantona	144 Saratoga street	1	Alterations, dwelling	None
Louis Linsenmeyer	37 Sheridan street	19	Alterations, dwelling	None
Antonio and Dante Rosati	20 Unity court	3	Alterations, dwelling	None
Antonio, Domenica Valerio	27 West Milton street	18	Alterations, dwelling	None
Dr. Rotenberg	535 Albany street	8	Fire escape, factory	$250
Clarence Walsh	60 Alexander street	13	Fire escape, dwelling	300
Thomas Fitzgerald	238 Austin street	18	Alterations, dwelling	170
Lahey Clinic	156 Bay State road	5	Alterations, hospital	200
J. Hunter	287 Beacon street	5	Alterations, dwelling	200
Chatham Realty	351 Beacon street	5	Alterations, dwelling	800
Elmore Trust	777 Beacon street	21	Alterations, theatre	500
Siegfried Schoefer	53 Beech Glen street	11	Alterations, dwelling	990
J. Sibert	66 Chappie street	2	Fire escape, dwelling	40
Leon David	41 Charles street	5	Sign, store, dwelling	35
Leonard Mainieri Estate	369 Chelsea street	1	Alterations, dwelling	500
T. Zangrilli	99 Clifton street	8	Fire escape, dwelling	70
Louis Charney	1357 Commonwealth avenue	21	Sign, store, dwelling	200
Frank Doherty	930 Dorchester avenue	13	Alterations, store, dwelling	565
M. McGregor	33 Grampian Way	13	Fire escape, nursing home	325
M. Farulla	167 H street	7	Fire escape, store, dwelling	150
Mass. Charitable Mech.	111 Huntington avenue	4	Alterations, hall	1,800
K. P. G. Tobacco Company.	333 Massachusetts avenue	4	Sign, store, dwelling	100
John C. Kennedy	67 Maynard street	18	Alterations, dwelling	460
A. Abrahamson	488 Medford street	2	Fire escape, dwelling	40
T. Arthur Robb	50 Mendum street	20	Alterations, dwelling	558
J. O'Brien	445 Meridian street	1	Alterations, dwelling	950
City of Boston	27 Parish street	15	Alterations, school	5,800
Allen Conway	336 Park street	17	Alterations, dwelling	750
Lillian Catarius	88 Perkins street	19	Alterations, dwelling	590
Dorchester Historica Soc.	1 Pond street	7	Alterations, dwelling	400
P. McAleer	21 Province street	3	Alterations, restaurant, store	450
Roxbury Bottling Company.	129 Ruggles street	9	Alterations, storage	850
Aimie Brown	1096 Saratoga street	1	Alterations, dwelling	50
Anna Surman	24 Symmes street	20	Alterations, dwelling	490
C. W. Whittier Brothers	171 Tremont street	3	Alterations, sign, store, office	150
City of Boston	76–134 Warren avenue	4	Take-down, school	44,500
Eliot Henderson	239 Washington street	3	Alterations, restaurant	950
Thomas Shannon	231 Willow street	20	Alterations, dwelling	475
Harry Murphy	30 Allston street	2	Fire repair, dwelling	300
Santo Femino	40 Chelsea street	1	Alterations, dwelling	900
Santo Femino	42 Chelsea street	1	Alterations, dwelling	900
Idia Sava	455 Frankfort street	1	Alterations, dwelling	175
Black & Decker Company	12 Market street	22	Alterations, sales, office	350
R. C. Archbishop of Boston.	4 Old Harbor street	7	Alterations, hospital	150
Marian Manor	40 Old Harbor street	7	Alterations, home for aged	900
Russ DiMichele	187 Princeton street	1	Take-down dwelling	350
Dominic Poli	191 Princeton street	1	Alterations, store, dwelling	350
Thomas Morris	22 Royal street	22	Alterations, dwelling	600
G. Romanos	301 Shawmut avenue	3	Alterations, dwelling	475
Abraham Horowitz	20 Wise street	10	Alterations, dwelling	400
Gardner Bates	35 Auburn street	2	Fire escape, dwelling	150
Boylston Associates	755 Boylston street	5	Alterations, office	825
Boylston Associates	739 Boylston street	5	Alterations, office	850
Modern Blue Print Company	28 Brattle street	3	Sign, store, sales, man'f'tur'g	900
Michael Connolly	1 Chestnut terrace	19	Fire repair, dwelling	325
Modern Blue Print Company	47–51 Cornhill	3	Sign, store, sales, man'f'tur'g	650
Rose Croix K. of C	154 Dudley street	8	Sign, hall, office	150
John Pontis	308 Dudley street	8	Sign, store, dwelling	75
Morris Abrahams	324 E street	6	Fire escape, store, dwelling	300
Kenneth Libby	48 Gardena street	21	Fire escape, dwelling	444
Charles Franks	60 and 62 Glencoe street	21	Alterations, dwelling	450
Emily Paulanski	207 Gold street	6	Fire escape, dwelling	150
Mary Lopilato	164 Gove street	1	Fire escape, dwelling	300
Richard and Anna Callahan.	90 High street	2	Fire escape, dwelling	505
E. Mazzola	399 Marlborough street	5	Fire escape, lodging house	100
New England Trust Co.	24 Milk street	3	Alterations, bank, office	2,000
Pilgrim Trust Company	31 Milk street	3	Alterations, bank, office	2,800
Abraham Horowitz	8 Sherman street	12	Alterations, dwelling	150
Mr. Christenson	39 Templeton street	16	Alterations, dwelling	95
Richard Cohn	11 Wareham street	8	Alterations, shop	400
Harry Segal	3A West Canton street	9	Sign, restaurant, dwelling	75
Frank and Blanche Martin	384 Arborway	11	Alterations, dwelling	500
Frederick DeRoma	63 Avalon road	20	Garage	500
John J. Lawless, Jr	510 Baker street	20	Dwelling	9,000
Lahey Clinic	156 Bay State road	5	Alterations, lodging house	24,744
Thomas Moranian	189 Bay State road	5	Alterations, dwelling	10,000
Women's City Club, Boston.	40 Beacon street	5	Alterations, club	12,000
John E. O'Neill	27 Belle avenue	20	Dwelling	8,000
F. B. Talbot *et al*	392 Boylston street	5	Alterations, store	4,000
Luby Realty Corp., Boston.	1272–1280 Boylston street	5	Auto sales	70,000
Luby Realty Corp., Boston.	1272–1280 Boylston street	5	Display area	None
Robert and Mary Pacitti	53 Brook Farm road	20	Dwelling	$11,000
Hazel Huke	78 and 80 Brooks street	22	Alterations, dwelling	None
Joseph Ansaldi	9 Cemo road	20	Dwelling	$8,000
Joseph Ansaldi	15 Cemo road	20	Dwelling	8,000
Joseph Ansaldi	19 Cemo road	20	Dwelling	8,000
Joseph Ansaldi	23 Cemo road	20	Dwelling	8,000
Joseph Ansaldi	27 Cemo road	20	Dwelling	8,000
Sumaine Ret. Corp	1421–1427 Centre street	20	Store, spa, (fire repair)	1,500
Mass. Eye & Ear Infirmary.	243 Charles street	3	Alterations, hospital	28,000
Elpanco, Inc	6 Charlesgate West	5	Sales, service	98,000

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 1.—Continued.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
George Lamb	26 and 28 Charme avenue	18	Alteration dwelling	$275
A. W. Carlson	20 Chesbrough road	20	Dwelling	8,000
Frank Holbrook	217 Chestnut Hill avenue	22	Alterations, dwelling	3,500
John and Maria Austin	351 Commonwealth avenue	5	Alterations, office, dwelling	500
North Terminal Machine Co.	600 and 602 Commercial st	3	Sign, garage	2,950
J. C. Basso	617-721 Commonwealth av	5	Alterations, hospital	1,500
Parkway Jewish Com. Center	120 Corey street	20	Alterations, dwelling	7,000
Stop & Shop, Inc	420 D street	6	Alterations, storage	153,100
Jenney Manufacturing Co	10 Deerfield street	5	Sign on pole	325
Charles Smith	472 East Seventh street	7	Alterations, dwelling	200
Wallace and Ella Adams	189 Fairmount avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	None
Clifford Brogdon	5 Falcon street	1	Alterations, dwelling	None
Quaker Building	11-15 Federal court	3	Alterations, manufacturing, mercantile	$6,700
Northeastern University	70 Forsyth street	4	Alterations, office, man'f'tur'g	50,000
Holden Realty Trust	76 Gainsborough street	4	Alterations, dwelling	1,200
Holden Realty Trust	78 Gainsborough street	4	Alterations, dwelling	1,200
Holden Realty Trust	80 Gainsborough street	4	Alterations, dwelling	1,200
Holden Realty Trust	82 Gainsborough street	4	Alterations, dwelling	1,200
Holden Realty Trust	84 Gainsborough street	4	Alterations, dwelling	1,200
Holden Realty Trust	86 Gainsborough street	4	Alterations, dwelling	1,200
Holden Realty Trust	88 Gainsborough street	4	Alteratioos, dwelling	1,200
Holden Realty Trust	90 Gainsborough street	4	Alterations, dwelling	1,200
Holden Realty Trust	92 Gainsborough street	4	Alterations, dwelliog	1,200
Holden Realty Trust	94 Gainsborough street	4	Alterations, dwelling	1,200
Holden Realty Trust	96 Gainsborough street	4	Alterations, dwelling	1,200
Holden Realty Trust	98 Gainsborough street	4	Alterations, dwelling	1,200
Holden Realty Trust	100 Gainsborough street	4	Alterations, dwelling	1,200
Holden Realty Trust	102 Gainsborough street	4	Alterations, dwelling	1,200
Holden Realty Trust	104 Gainsborough street	4	Alterations, dwelling	1,200
Holden Realty Trust	106 Gainsborough street	4	Alterations, dwelling	1,200
Holden Realty Trust	108 Gainsborough street	4	Alterations, dwelling	1,200
Holden Realty Trust	110 Gainsborough street	4	Alterations, dwelling	1,200
Gillette Company	75 Gillette park	6	Alterations, warehouse	900
Pauline Canton	169 Glenway street	11	Alterations, dwelling	None
Bertard Moss	38 Hemenway street	4	Alterations, dwelling	None
Holden Realty Trust	128 Hemenway street	4	Alterations, dwelling	$1,200
Celeste Dorcli	9 Howland street	12	Alterations, dwelling	None
H. and J. Goon Young	884 Huntington avenue	10	Fire repair, dwelling	$5,000
I. Avellino	605 Hyde Park avenue	18	Gasoline service station	15,000
Miguel Cardoza	16 Laconia street	3	Fire repair, lodging house	1,500
Mary Bliggen	52 Lambert avenue	9	Alterations, dwelling	None
Jacet Construction Corp	5 Margo road	22	Dwelling	$10,000
Jacet Construction Corp	6 Margo road	22	Dwelling	10,000
Jacet Construction Corp	10 Margo road	22	Dwelling	10,000
Jacet Construction Corp	14 Margo road	22	Dwelling	10,000
Glenley Corp	18 Margo road	22	Retaining wall	1,000
Glenley Corp	18 Margo road	22	Dwelling	10,000
Glenley Corp	22 Margo road	22	Retaining wall	1,000
Glenley Corp	22 Margo road	22	Dwelling	10,000
Glenley Corp	26 Margo road	22	Retaining wall	1,000
Glenley Homes, Inc	26 Margo road	22	Dwelling	10,000
Glenley Corp	30 Margo road	22	Retaining wall	1,000
Glenley Homes, Inc	30 Margo road	22	Dwelling	10,000
Glenley Homes, Inc	34 Margo road	22	Dwelling	10,000
Glenley Corp	34 Margo road	22	Retaining wall	1,000
John J. Connolly	62 Metropolitan avenue	18	Dwelling	8,000
John J. Connolly	64 Metropolitan avenue	18	Dwelling	8,000
John J. Connolly	66 Metropolitan avenue	18	Dwelling	8,000
Mario Ciullo	94 Mt. Vernon street	5	Alterations, dwelling	3,000
Thomas Temple Pond	68 Myrtle street	5	Alterations, dwelling	None
Carmel M. Wing	33 Norfolk avenue	8	Alterations, storage	$950
Boston Fish Pier	242 Northern avenue	6	Alterations, restaurant	500
Stiraletta Realty Trust	86 Orange street	20	Dwelling	9,000
Mr. Laundre	35 Park street	16	Alterations, dwelling	400
City of Boston, Hospital	191-251 River street	18	Alterations, laundry	5,000
City of Boston, Hospital	191-251 River street	18	Alterations, powerhouse	4,000
City of Boston, Hospital	191-251 River street	18	Alterations, hospital	8,000
H. P. Hood & Sons	56 Roland street	2	Alterations, manufacturing	8,000
Nicholas Grassa	25 Rowena street	16	Alterations, dwelling	1,685
J. F. Durant	1 Salman street	20	Dwelling	10,000
Vincenzo Recchia	1055 Saratoga street	1	Alterations, dwelling	None
Boston 5-Cent Savings Bank	21-32 School street	3	Alterations, bank, office	$1,000
Trustee Frank S. Simpson	161-175 South street	3	Alterations, leather sales	15,000
Northwestern Leather Co	210 South street	3	Alterations, offices	10,000
Rest Homes Realty Trust	40 South Fairview street	20	Dwelling	8,400
Francis and Elizabeth Driscoll.	42 Summer street	20	Alterations, dwelling	900
Boston Edison Company	776 Summer street	6	Gate house	10,000
Robert DeRoma	59 Summit street	18	Dwelling	8,000
John Shields	181 Sydney street	13	Alterations, fire repair, dwelling	2,500
Rocco Panciocco	24 Thompson street	18	Dwelling	9,000
J. Hancock Mutual Life Insurance.	632 Veterans Foreign Wars Parkway.	20	Alterations, garage	5,000
Abraham Kepnes	1752 Washington street	8	Alterations, store, dwelling	None
Michael Tawa	4995 Washington street	20	Alterations, dwelling	$3,000
Gillette Company	78 West Second street	6	Alterations, warehouse	2,000
Gillette Company	74 West Second street	6	Alterations, warehouse	900
Nicholas Accomando	118 White street	1	Alterations, dwelling	2,000
Filling Station Realty	980 William T. Morrissey Boulevard.	16	Service station	34,000
Nathan Shapiro	23-27 Wormwood street	6	Alterations, manufacturing, sales	2,000
Edward J. Callahan	27 Adelaide street	19	Alterations, dwelling	500
Boston University	232 Bay State road	5	Fire repair, dwelling	900
J. H. Shubert Theatre	100 Boylston street	5	Alterations, store, office	900
J. Hickey	157 Centre street	16	Alterations, shop	75

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nance man at $60.50 a week to maintenance mechanic (carpenter) at $63 a week.

Louis T. Sansoverino, 493 Hanover street, from laborer at $58 a week to motor equipment operator at $60.50 a week.

William A. Meaney, 691A Columbia road, Dorchester, from laborer at $58 a week to motor equipment operator at $60.50 a week.

William Martindale, 24 Mill street, Dorchester, from laborer at $53 a week to motor equipment operator at $55.50 a week.

Joseph P. Kelly, 35 Hawthorne street, Roxbury, from laborer at $58 a week to maintenance mechanic (machinist) at $60.50 a week.

Robert P. Gill, 27 Michael Gavin Way, South Boston, from motor equipment operator at $60.50 a week to maintenance mechanic (rigger) at $63 a week.

Donald T. Foley, 3 Dalessio court, South Boston, from bath attendant-laborer at $58 a week to maintenance mechanic (carpenter) at $60.50 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following transfers:

Health Department.

Gertrude C. Ego, 124 River street, Mattapan, from Hospital Department (Sanatorium Division) as senior clerk at $63 a week to Health Department (Health Division) as senior clerk at $63 a week.

Public Works Department.

Lawrence J. Wiemert, 9 Starr King court, Charlestown, from Public Works Department (Sanitary Division) as laborer at $60.50 a week to Public Works Department (Highway Division) as laborer at $60.50 a week.

Alfonse J. Raso, 71 Marion street, East Boston, from Public Works Department (Water Division) as motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week to Public Works Department (Highway Division), as laborer at $58 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following leaves of absence:

Assessing Department.

Matilda (Sasso) Sunderland, 252 Dudley street, Roxbury, senior statistical machine operator, $63 a week.

Patricia E. Donovan, 67 Brighton avenue, Allston, senior statistical machine operator, $63 a week.

Real Property Department.

Buildings Division.

Dennis V. Farrell, 268 Gallivan Boulevard, Dorchester, junior building custodian, $60.50 a week.

Welfare Department.

Central Office.

Margaret Dacey, 74 Richmond street, Dorchester, senior bookkeeper, $55.50 a week.

STEP-RATE INCREASES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved step-rate increases for employees of the following departments:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Herbert A. Ellis, assistant assessor, part time, from $306.68 to $317.55 a month.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

Norman Shine, parking meter collector, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Joseph F. Bannon, building inspector, from $80 to $83.50 a week.

Joseph F. Cummings, elevator inspector, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Patrick J. O'Malley, technical assistant to building commissioner, from $117.75 to $122.50 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Mary D. Fox, public health nurse, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Mary M. Dooley, public health nurse, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Sanatorium Division.

Ann McCarthy, principal clerk and stenographer, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

James Thompson, senior clerk, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Myra Shepardson, registered graduate nurse (part time), from $1.60 to $1.65 an hour.

Helen Powers, registered graduate nurse, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Jacob Golding, senior hospital laundry worker, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Nicholas Lambiase, senior hospital kitchen worker, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Joseph Martin, senior hospital kitchen worker, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Patrick McManaman, hospital kitchen worker, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

John Podbielski, hospital kitchen worker, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

John Regan, senior hospital kitchen worker, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

House of Correction.

Joseph DiNubile, correction officer, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

John B. Dowling, correction officer, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Everett P. Merlin, correction officer, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Automotive Division.

George Botolinski, motor equipment repairman, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

William H. Connolly, general foreman-motor equipment repairman, from $87 to $90.50 a week.

James Glasheen, garage foreman (temporary), from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Bridge Division.

John Coyne, assistant drawtender, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

George Connors, assistant drawtender, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Richard Sheridan, carpenter, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Sewer Division.

Arthur A. Hull, steam fireman, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Donald T. O'Keefe, sewer cleaner, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Michael Sullivan, laborer, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Survey Division.

Philip A. Moynahan, senior engineering aide (temporary), from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Charles D. Sullivan, senior clerk, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Philip A. Moynihan, junior engineering aide, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

Buildings Division.

Denis Doherty, steam fireman, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

John J. Smoot, junior building custodian, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Archie E. Dean, junior building custodian, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

Hannah Roche, custodial worker, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Doris L. Burke, principal social work supervisor, from $87 to $90.50 a week.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Salvatore Pettinato, engineer, second class, plant, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Midred Onthank, assistant matron, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Rosamond McIsaac, assistant matron, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

SUPERIOR COURT.

(Civil Business.)

Winifred E. Knodell, telephone operator, from $104.40 to $109.84 semimonthly.

Marcia I. Glass, clerk, from $93.53 to $98.96 semimonthly.

Marie T. Kelley, clerk, from $93.53 to $98.96 semimonthly.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 1.—Concluded.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Universal Film Exchange...	60 Church street.....	5	Sign, manufacturing, office...	$600
William Davey.....	438 Dudley street.....	8	Alterations, store.....	400
J. Flaherty.....	268 East Cottage street....	13	Alterations, dwelling.....	500
James Wald.....	38 Edwin street.....	16	Alterations, dwelling.....	850
Unitarian Church, Boston...	5 Elm Hill avenue.....	12	Alterations, dwelling.....	975
Tom English, Inc.....	112-14-16 Emerson street..	6	Alterations, store.....	1,200
United Shoe Mach. Corp....	140 Federal street.....	3	Alterations, store, office.....	250
M. Wilkins.....	331 Freeport street.....	16	Alterations, dwelling.....	250
Oakfield Corporation.....	565 Freeport street.....	16	Take-down, dwelling.....	850
William Wyszynski.....	6 General Devine Way.....	7	Alterations, garage.....	500
Abraham Horowitz.....	10 and 12 Gordon street....	19	Alterations, dwelling.....	400
Burtman Iron Works.....	93 Heath street.....	10	Alterations, tavern.....	350
Ermon Zottoli.....	17 Lincoln street.....	16	Alterations, dwelling.....	944
James G. Costello.....	284 Marlborough street....	5	Alterations, lodging house...	400
Harvard University.....	80 North Harvard street...	22	Take-down, mess hall.....	1,500
Esso Standard Oil.....	297 Rutherford avenue.....	2	Alterations, gas station.....	75
W. J. Hennessey.....	58 Soley street.....	2	Alterations, dwelling.....	490
David O'Connor.....	1558 Tremont street.....	10	Sign, funeral home.....	350
Baker Real Estate Trust....	38 Wareham street.....	8	Alterations, manufacturing..	800
George Maquis.....	386 Washington street.....	22	Sign, store, dwelling.....	75
Kline Construction Co.....	560 Washington street.....	16	Sign, store.....	350

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM BOILER WORK

FOR THE MONTH ENDING JANUARY 31, 1955.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
C. Hill.....	103 Victory road.....	16	Heater.....	$1,745
Mr. McLellan.....	1480 Centre street.....	20	Heater.....	100
J. Ammons.....	154 Howard avenue.....	13	Heater.....	1,175
John Connolly.....	28 Truman Highway.....	18	Heater.....	300
Autoland, Incorporated.....	110 Western avenue.....	21	Heater.....	1,200
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George Hodge.....	44 Hudson street.....	3	Heater.....	100
J. Sluesti.....	51 Adams street.....	16	Heater.....	500
A. Walker.....	585 Bennington street.....	1	Heater.....	100
Winch McCormick Company	243 Medford street.....	2	Generator.....	650
Mr. Schwartz.....	20 Meridian street.....	1	Heater.....	2,300
A. & P. Tea Company.....	151 Northern avenue.....	3	Heater.....	22,000
Mr. Burgerin.....	77 Sargent Crossway.....	19	Heater.....	950
Antonio Biagiotti.....	1055 Bennington street.....	1	Heater.....	545
Saul Statoff.....	42 Alwin street.....	18	Heater.....	600
Mr. Abrabane.....	6 Bronson terrace.....	22	Heater.....	160
N. Wallen.....	1 Cutler street.....	20	Heater.....	75
A. Halper.....	5 Cutler street.....	20	Heater.....	75
A. Halper.....	9 Cutler street.....	20	Heater.....	75
Saul Statoff.....	14 Daniel court.....	18	Heater.....	600
Saul Statoff.....	19 Dietz road.....	18	Heater.....	600
Saul Statoff.....	9 Susanna court.....	18	Heater.....	500
David Yorks.....	41 Deforest street.....	17	Heater.....	150
A. Milligan.....	979 Centre street.....	19	Heater.....	100
T. Johnson.....	297 Rutherford avenue.....	2	Heater.....	390
John A. Megel.....	60 Augustus avenue.....	18	Heater.....	710
Boston Stakway Company..	206 Eustis street.....	8	Heater.....	350

TAX ABATEMENT DECISIONS RENDERED BY THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS FOR THE WEEK ENDING JANUARY 7.

LEGEND

*Appellate Tax Board Settlement. ¶ Illegal assessment. | Chapter 59-5.
‡ Appellate Tax Board Decision. § Duplicate assessment. = Chapter 58-8.
† Overvaluation Settlement by Board of Assessors.

Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
PERSONAL PROPERTY.					
Andrews, Ernest	148 Wordsworth st	1—1954	$31 90	$20 94	‡
Colard, Helen E.	98 Condor st	1—1954	34 90	34 90	*
Coverall Service Company, Inc.	84 Condor st	1—1954	209 40	69 80	‡
Fine, Frances	151 Meridian st.	1—1954	314 10	314 10	*
MacPherson's Tavern, Inc...	1010 Bennington st	1—1954	34 90	20 94	‡
Matera, Francis	163 Meridian st.	1—1954	6 98	6 98	*
Patterson, Stanley C	1214 Bennington st	1—1954	376 92	376 92	*
Ripa, Anthony T.	2 St. Andrew rd	1—1954	20 94	20 94	*
Savasta Trust	985 Bennington st	1—1954	139 70	69 80	‡
States Terminal Corp.	Pier 5	1—1954	1,017 00	942 30	‡
Sullo, Mario	654 Saratoga st.	1—1954	55 84	13 96	‡
Terry, William J.	78 Lewis st.	1—1954	698 00	698 00	*
Van Arsdale, John D	Logan Airport	1—1954	27 92	27 92	*
Yorks, Max	167 Chelsea st.	1—1954	698 00	321 00	‡
Automatic Self Service Laundry	343 Main st.	2—1954	286 18	76 78	‡
Berkowitz, Abraham B.	119 Main st.	2—1954	244 30	244 70	‡
Flynn, James	273 Rutherford av	2—1954	139 60	69 80	‡
Lodorico, Francini	145 Main st.	2—1954	27 92	27 92	*
Kokotoif, Henry	294 Rutherford av	2—1954	34 90	27 92	‡
Luke, Max, et al.	53 Front st.	2—1954	202 42	202 42	*
Lunetta, Michael J.	318 Main st.	2—1954	104.70	48 86	‡
Main Street Package Store, Inc.	147 Main st.	2—1954	69 80	69 80	*
McAvoy, Lawrence	131 Chelsea st.	2—1954	104 70	104 70	*
Mullen's Package Store...	220 Main st.	2—1954	27.92	27 92	*
Sidella, Inc.	Boston Steel Warehouse	2—1954	153 56	139 60	‡
Adelman, George	41 Way st	3—1954	97.72	69 80	‡
Allan's Restaurant, Inc.	159 Tremont st.	3—1954	174 50	27 92	‡
American Pistachio Corp.	111 Reade st., New York	3—1954	20 94	20 94	*
Anthony, Stanley	19 High st	3—1954	20.94	13 96	‡
Atwell, Andrew Y.	211 Congress st.	3—1954	1,396 00	1,396 00	*
Avtges, Emanuel	281 Washington st	3—1954	69.80	48 86	‡
Baron, Stanley L.	60 South st	3—1954	69.80	69.80	*
Bartlett, Varney, Co.	21 North Market st.	3—1954	69.80	69 80	*
Bashian, Noobar	77 Summer st	3—1954	174.50	69 80	‡
Bassler, N. A.	27 Haymarket sq	3—1954	6.98	6 98	*
Bauer, Edward O.	41 Winter st	3—1954	174 50	27 92	‡
Bayes, Solby, Mail Order	135 Tremont st.	3—1954	27.92	27 92	*
Bayes, Solby, Shoe Co.	126 Tremont st.	3—1954	6 98	6 98	*
Bergstrom, Oscar E.	185 Devonshire st.	3—1954	34 90	34 90	*
Bedstein, Arthur	175 Tremont st.	3—1954	13 96	13 96	*
Boole, John II	40 Hanover st.	3—1954	2,094 00	698.00	‡
Boudreau, Laurina	58 Winter st	3—1954	13 96	6 98	‡
Brightman, A., & Sons	200 Summer st.	3—1954	349 00	195.44	‡
Buntin, Robert W.	177 State st.	3—1954	13 96	13 96	*
Burroughs, Reginald	23 Tremont st	3—1954	13 96	13 96	*
Cabot, George B., Assoc.	45 Bromfield st	3—1954	13 96	13 96	*
Cabot, Godfrey L., Inc.	77 Franklin st.	3—1954	2,903 68	2,903 68	*
Chickland Barbecue, Inc.	806 Broadway, Saugus	3—1954	34 90	34 90	*
Cimaglia, Rosario	215 Hanover st.	3—1954	13 96	6 98	‡
Cobbs Coffee House, Inc.	32 Tremont st	3—1954	160 54	139 60	‡
Colburn & Proctor	378 Centre st.	3—1954	132 62	132.62	*
Coleman, George, Bookbindery	70 Bristol st	3—1954	837.60	404 84	‡
Coles, Herbert S.	131 State st	3—1954	6.98	6 98	*
Colony Market, Inc.	10 North st.	3—1954	69.80	41 88	‡
Columbia Delicatessen & Dairy	85 Bedford st	3—1954	34 90	34.90	*
Dennis, Joseph K.	177 State st	3—1954	6 98	6.98	*
Diamond State Poultry	Lewes, Delaware	3—1954	209 40	160 54	‡
Direct Mail Service	530 Atlantic av	3—1954	418 80	101 70	‡
Dodd, George J.	53 State st.	3—1954	20 94	20.94	*
Donaldson, Hiram B	175 Tremont st.	3—1954	6 98	6.98	*
Eager, Louis R.	110 State st.	3—1954	6.98	6 98	*
Eastern School of Photography.	46 Cornhill	3—1954	488.60	181 48	‡
Feinberg, Arthur J.	222 Summer st.	3—1954	48 86	27 92	‡
Feldman, R. M.	11 Edinboro' st	3—1954	209 40	69 80	‡
Field, William C.	40 Broad st.	3—1954	20 94	20 94	*
Finklestein, Albert	600 Washington st	3—1954	34 90	31 90	*
Fishman, Harry	630 Washington st.	3—1954	279 20	209 40	‡
Fishman, Paul	600 Washington st.	3—1954	558 40	558 40	*
Fitzgibbons, John F.	41 Bristol st	3—1954	48 86	48.86	*
Foley, M. F., Co.	18 Union st.	3—1954	111 68	41 88	‡
Garland, Francis P.	53 State st.	3—1954	6.98	6 98	*
Glickmnn, Arthur	21 Merchants Row	3—1954	146 58	146.58	*
Gold Crest Flavor Co.	69 Harvey st.	3—1954	34 90	27 92	‡
Goldsmith, Morris, et al	81 Essex st.	3—1954	1,919.50	349 00	‡
Goldstein, Martin	68 Essex st.	3—1954	1,549 56	1,361 10	‡
Grant, W. T., Co.	395 Washington st.	3—1954	174 50	174 50	*
Haight & Co., Inc.	210 South st	3—1954	69 80	69 80	*
Hare, Robert, et al.	77 Summer st.	3—1954	62 82	62 82	*
Cabot, Harold, & Co., Inc.	136 Federal st.	3—1954	349 00	349 00	*
Harris, Seybold, Co	10 High st.	3—1954	34 90	34.90	*
Harriss, Arthur H.	501 Washington st	3—1954	139 60	139 60	*
Hart, Leo J	158 Summer st	3—1954	76 78	27 92	‡
Hickey, Weldon	62 South st	3—1954	230 34	167 52	‡
Higgins, Stephen S	40 Court st	3—1954	13 96	13 96	*
Homer, Richard W.	212 Summer st	3—1954	279 20	265 24	‡
Jackson, Charles F	31 Milk st	3—1954	20 94	20 94	*
Kaufman, Hyman, et al	87 Essex st	3—1954	41 88	41 88	*
Keating, Cornelius F	10 Tremont st	3—1954	6.98	6 98	*
Kelfer, David	103 South st	3—1954	272 22	272 22	*
Kisloff, David	619 Washington st	3—1954	209.40	174 50	‡
Kouris, Samuel M.	179 South st	3—1954	41 88	41.88	*
Kresge, S. S., Co.	477 Washington st	3—1954	698 00	698 00	*
Larkin, Albert, et al	99 Chauncy st	3—1954	13 96	13 96	*
Long, Philip B	18 Tremont st	3—1954	13.96	6.98	‡
Lavine, Abraham	35 Farnsworth st	3—1954	209 40	111 68	‡
Lebanon Woolen Mills	35 Kneeland st	3—1954	488.60	488 60	*
Levin, Harold	1 Court st	3—1954	13.96	13 96	*

VETERANS' RETIREMENTS.

The Mayor has approved the following veterans' applications for retirement:

Jeremiah J. Brosnan, 39 Bexley road, Roslindale, sewer cleaner, Sewer Division, Public Works Department.

William A. Gormley, 10 Puritan avenue, Dorchester, laborer, Bridge Division, Public Works Department.

Michael J. Donovan, 37 Sudan street, Dorchester, patrolman, Thirteenth Division, Police Department.

Domenick A. Rinaldi, 190 Maverick street, East Boston, janitor, Police Department.

John Joseph McNeil, 78 Essex street, East Weymouth, elevator inspector, Building Department.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award the contracts for work, materials, and supplies, in accordance with recommendations of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Purchasing Division.

Upon January 28 the Mayor approved a contract with Benjamin M. Ellis, doing business as Ellis Fire Appliance Company, for furnishing refills to the Fire Department, from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, inclusive. Approximate total amount of contract was $2,695, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

There was but one bid, opened January 25, as follows:

Refills.

Item 1. 30 Refills for Scott Air Paks, Each.—Ellis Fire Appliance Company, $6.50.*

Item 2. 75 E. & J. Resuscitator Refills, Each.—Ellis Fire Appliance Company, $5.*

Item 3. 25 Atmos Bottle Refills, Each.—Ellis Fire Appliance Company, $5.*

Item 4. 150 Kerotest Bottle Refills, Each.—Ellis Fire Appliance Company, $5.*

Item 5. 250 H. & H. Inhalator Bottle Refills, Each.—Ellis Fire Appliance Company, $5.*

Discount.—Ellis Fire Appliance Company, 2 per cent, time of payment.

* Contract awarded.

Upon January 28 the Mayor approved a contract with Universal Tire and Auto Supply Company for furnishing tires and tubes to the various city departments, from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, inclusive. Approximate total amount of contract was $35,000, net.

Bids, opened January 16, were as follows:

Tires and Tubes.

Cooper Tire and Rubber Company, Cooper tire; Cooper Tire and Rubber Company, Findlay, Ohio. Every tire or tube of our manufacture, bearing our name and serial number, is guaranteed to be free from defects in workmanship and material without limit as to time or mileage. If our examination shows such tire or tube has failed under the terms of this guarantee, we will either repair it or make a reasonable allowance on the purchase of a new tire or tube. Our liability under this guarantee is limited to the value of the tire or tube shown by our examination to be defective.

B. F. Goodrich Company, Silvertown tire; B. F. Goodrich Company, 500 South Main st., Akron, Ohio. Every tire or tube of our manufacture, bearing our

name and serial number, is guaranteed to be free from defects in workmanship and material without limit as to time or mileage. If our examination shows such tire or tube has failed under the terms of this guarantee, we will either repair it or make a reasonable allowance on the purchase of a new tire or tube.

H. S. Macomber & Co., Inc., Seiberling tire: Seiberling Rubber Company, Akron, Ohio. Standard factory warrantee with replacement price based on tire wear.

American Oil Company, Amoco tire; Mansfield Tire and Rubber Company, Mansfield, Ohio. Every tire and tube of our manufacture, bearing our name and (on tires) our serial number is guaranteed to the purchaser to be free from defects in workmanship and material. If our examination shows that such tire or tube has failed under the terms of this guarantee, we will either repair it or make a reasonable allowance on the purchase of a new tire or tube. This warranty does not cover punctures, damage due to running flat or from under or over inflation, misalignment, road hazards, cuts from chains, or damage due to any misuse or abuse; and our liability hereunder shall be limited to the repair or replacement of said tire or tube to the original purchaser as aforesaid, and shall not include any other or consequential damages of any character whatsoever.

Universal Tire and Auto Supply Company, Inc., Armstrong tire*; Armstrong Rubber Company, West Haven, Connecticut. Manufacturer's lifetime warranty on all tires and tubes. Unconditional road hazard lifetime guarantee on passenger tires, as per attached Armstrong suggested consumer list.

Quotation by Actual Net Price, Exclusive of All Taxes, for Individual Units, on Basis of Foregoing Trade Discounts, for the Following Sizes:

4 Ply, 600x16 Passenger Tires, Each, Net.—Cooper Tire and Rubber Company, $8.81; B. F. Goodrich Company, $12.57; H. S. Macomber & Co., Inc., $11.94; American Oil Company, $11.94; Universal Tire and Auto Supply Company, Inc., $8.95.*

600x16 Passenger Tubes, Each, Net.—Cooper Tire and Rubber Company, $1.29; B. F. Goodrich Company, $1.43; H. S. Macomber & Co., Inc., $1.36; American Oil Company, $1.36; Universal Tire and Auto Supply Company, Inc., $1.25.*

4 Ply, 670x15 Passenger Tires, Each, Net.—Cooper Tire and Rubber Company, $9.08; B. F. Goodrich Company, $13.79; H. S. Macomber & Co., Inc., $13.10; American Oil Company, $13.10; Universal Tire and Auto Supply Company, Inc., $9.24.*

670x15 Passenger Tubes, Each.—Cooper Tire and Rubber Company, $1.37; B. F. Goodrich Company, $1.59; H. S. Macomber & Co., Inc., $1.51; American Oil Company, $1.51; Universal Tire and Auto Supply Company, Inc., $1.39.*

6 Ply, 650x16 Truck Tires, Each, Net.—Cooper Tire and Rubber Company, $13.55; B. F. Goodrich Company, $19.19; H. S. Macomber & Co., Inc., $18.23; American Oil Company, $18.23; Universal Tire and Auto Supply Company, Inc., $14.89, extra mileage.*

650x16 Truck Tubes, Each, Net.—Cooper Tire and Rubber Company, $1.48; B. F. Goodrich Company, $1.77; H. S. Macomber & Co., Inc., $1.68; American Oil Company, $1.68; Universal Tire and Auto Supply Company, Inc., $1.55.*

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TAX ABATEMENT DECISIONS RENDERED BY THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS FOR THE WEEK ENDING JANUARY 7.—Continued.

LEGEND.

* Appellate Tax Board Settlement. ¶ Illegal assessment. ‖ Chapter 59–5.
† Appellate Tax Board Decision. § Duplicate assessment. = Chapter 58–8.
‡ Overvaluation Settlement by Board of Assessors.

Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Levine, Samuel A.	333 Washington st	3—1954	$209.40	$104.70	‡
Loeb, Benjamin	27 State st	3—1954	6.98	6.98	¶
Lusardi, George, et al	388 Washington st	3—1954	34.90	34.90	¶
Lyman, A. A.	7 Claflin path	3—1954	55.84	55.84	¶
Mades, Ada	1108 South Market st	3—1954	233.31	34.90	‡
Marchand, Josephine	58 Winter st	3—1954	13.96	6.98	‡
Margil, Samuel	75 Kneeland st	3—1954	244.30	104.70	‡
Mass. School of Barbering	850 Washington st	3—1954	34.90	34.90	¶
McGarry, Thomas L.	28 Merchants Row	3—1954	139.60	69.80	‡
McNally, John P.	350 Atlantic av	3—1954	27.92	27.92	¶
Merchants National Bank	28 State st	3—1954	55.84	55.84	¶
Merriam, John M.	50 Congress st	3—1954	55.84	41.88	¶
Milliken Tomlinson Co.	38 York st., Portland, Me.	3—1954	209.40	209.40	¶
Mintz, William H.	47 Washington st	3—1954	34.90	34.90	¶
Murray, Doherty and Clair	185 Devonshire st	3—1954	20.94	20.94	¶
Muther, Albert W.	50 Thayer st	3—1954	69.80	41.88	‡
N. G. Papac & Sons	Box 541, Watsonville, Calif.	3—1954	209.40	174.50	‡
O'Hara, J. F.	60 South st	3—1954	20.94	20.94	¶
Oliver Press	42 Batterymarch st	3—1954	27.92	27.92	¶
Pagliarulo, Thomas	28 Richmond st	3—1954	223.36	69.80	‡
Palmeri, Frank	60 State st	3—1954	55.84	13.96	‡
Parker Wilder & Co.	99 Chauncey st	3—1954	55.84	55.84	¶
Pattajo, Christopher A.	10 Hollis st	3—1954	13.96	13.96	¶
Philips, Benjamin	165 Tremont st	3—1954	41.88	41.88	¶
Polito, Louis, Jr.	23 Essex av	3—1954	41.88	20.94	‡
Prendergast, Michael T.	79 State st	3—1954	20.94	6.98	‡
Prudence Clothes, Inc.	162 Washington st	3—1954	6.98	6.98	¶
Pugnetti, Anna	21 Cornhill	3—1954	55.84	41.88	‡
Ruvven, Hyman S.	60 State st	3—1954	13.96	13.96	¶
Renzi, Salvatore	75 Federal st	3—1954	55.84	55.84	¶
Robinson, Charles	22 Hanover st	3—1954	349.00	349.00	¶
Rodriguez Shipping, Inc.	500 Fifth av., New York	3—1954	209.40	209.40	¶
Rollins & Rollins	84 State st	3—1954	27.92	27.92	¶
Rosenberg, Louis, Estate of	27 School st	3—1954	34.90	34.90	¶
Rubin, Saul	99 Chauncy st	3—1954	502.56	118.66	‡
Rutskin, Archie	87 Washington st	3—1954	139.60	139.60	¶
Saben, Charles C.	47 Federal st	3—1954	20.94	20.94	¶
Sears, Philip S.	53 State st	3—1954	13.96	13.96	¶
Shaer, Sidney M.	105 Beach st	3—1954	34.90	34.90	¶
Sheinfield, Ida	8 Winter st	3—1954	118.66	55.84	‡
Sing, Wah	77 Tyler st	3—1954	153.56	90.74	‡
Solonche, Harry H.	15 Kneeland st	3—1954	209.40	209.40	¶
Souther, Viola P.	145 Tremont st	3—1954	13.96	6.98	‡
Stevens Corporation	19 Union st	3—1954	27.92	13.96	‡
Sullivan, Sylvester E.	93 Federal st	3—1954	62.82	34.90	‡
Swartz, Mark A.	89 Beach st	3—1954	349.00	34.90	‡
Tangney, Nicholas J.	727 Atlantic av	3—1954	139.60	97.72	‡
Taylor, Ganson, and Perrin	185 Devonshire st	3—1954	69.80	69.80	¶
Terminal Shops, Inc.	79 Milk st	3—1954	279.20	139.60	‡
Thurman, Myra F.	18 Tremont st	3—1954	20.94	20.94	¶
Turner, Carl, et al	73 Tremont st	3—1954	6.98	6.98	¶
Uhl Hall & Rich	230 Congress st	3—1954	69.80	69.80	¶
Ullian, Hyman	114 State st	3—1954	41.88	41.88	¶
Union Oyster House, Inc.	41 Union st	3—1954	125.64	55.84	‡
United Shoe Machinery Co.	140 Federal st	3—1954	2,045.14	62.82	‡
Waite, Harry	206 State st	3—1954	104.70	104.70	¶
Weisman, Israel	9 Beach st	3—1954	104.70	48.86	‡
Werrick, Max	13 School st	3—1954	6.98	6.98	¶
White, Charles D., Co.	589 Atlantic av	3—1954	349.00	314.10	‡
Wigod, William	96A Blackstone st	3—1954	404.84	328.06	‡
Wilson Sporting Goods	55 Franklin st	3—1954	118.66	118.66	¶
Wing, Ernest R.	387 Washington st	3—1954	13.96	13.96	¶
Woolworth, F. W., Co.	50 Federal st	3—1954	1,745.00	1,745.00	¶
Worters, Lawrence	41 West st	3—1954	111.68	27.92	‡
Wright, Brown and Quinby	53 State st	3—1954	104.70	34.90	‡
Young, Harry	35 Kneeland st	3—1954	118.66	83.76	‡
Zilen, Albert A.	131 State st	3—1954	6.98	6.98	¶
Bartlett, Augustus G.	Maple av., Manch'r, N. H.	4—1954	34.90	34.90	¶
Day, Wilfred J.	9 Belvidere st	4—1954	349.00	349.00	¶
Dore, Frank M.	119A St. Botolph st	4—1954	6.98	6.98	¶
Lombroso, Cesare	319 Longwood av	4—1954	34.90	34.90	¶
MacMillan, Robert J.	319 Longwood av	4—1954	34.90	34.90	¶
Manganiello, Alex	1136 Boylston st	4—1954	104.70	104.70	¶
Pano, Andrew	9 Garrison st	4—1954	34.90	34.90	¶
Sands, Kenneth F.	319 Longwood av	4—1954	34.90	34.90	¶
Scovill Mfg. Company	441 Stuart st	4—1954	34.90	34.90	¶
Spectre, Harry S.	Rear 97 Huntington av	4—1954	349.00	349.00	¶
Sullivan, Frank, Co., Inc.	19 Cambria st	4—1954	209.40	209.40	¶
Ambuter, David A.	42 Melrose st	5—1954	83.76	83.76	¶
American Oil Company	31 St. James av	5—1954	362.96	362.96	¶
Babcock, Carl W.	132 Newbury st	5—1954	20.94	20.94	¶
Barkley & Dexter Lab., Inc.	592 Newbury st	5—1954	244.30	244.30	¶
Buckler, Harold E.	164 Newbury st	5—1954	13.96	13.96	¶
Buckman, Earle S.	45 Bay State rd	5—1954	34.90	20.94	‡
Cheney Brothers	420 Boylston st	5—1954	125.64	125.64	¶
Clarendon Pharmacy, Inc.	220 Clarendon st	5—1954	69.80	69.80	¶
C. M. Johnson	100 Boylston st	5—1954	27.92	13.96	‡
Distillers Products Sales Corp.	648 Beacon st	5—1954	69.80	69.80	¶
Eaves, Ralph E.	80 Boylston st	5—1954	20.94	20.94	¶
Elizabeth Arden Sales	24 Newbury st	5—1954	335.04	167.52	‡
Ellman, Norton	80 Boylston st	5—1954	111.68	111.68	¶
Fraser, Somers	276 Commonwealth av	5—1954	13.96	13.96	¶
Gai, H. Risegari	282 Berkeley st	5—1954	139.60	139.60	¶
General Motors Accept. Corp.	31 St. James av	5—1954	244.30	244.30	¶
Gowns By Priscilla, Inc.	117 Newbury st	5—1954	425.78	425.78	¶
Henry M. Robinson & Co., Inc.	541 Tremont st	5—1954	27.92	27.92	¶
Horne, Francis N.	126 Massachusetts av	5—1954	34.90	20.94	‡
Independent Serv. Bureau	80 Boylston st	5—1954	13.96	13.96	¶
Jacobson, Arthur	39 Newbury st	5—1954	34.90	34.90	¶
Jakstas, Alfred J.	575 Boylston st	5—1954	13.96	13.96	¶

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* Appellate Tax Board Settlement. ¶ Illegal assessment. || Chapter 59-5.
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‡ Overvaluation Settlement by Board of Assessors.

Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Jeffery Dewitt Insulator Corp.	31 St. James av.	5—1954	$20.94	$20.94	¶
Bryant, Juliet E.	617 Little Building	5—1954	55 84	41 88	‡
Kramer, Philip	203 Commonwealth av.	5—1951	13 96	13.96	¶
Macausland, W. Russell, et al	412 Beacon st.	5—1951	174.50	69.80	‡
MacNiven, Daniel W.	230 Boylston st	5—1954	69.80	69.80	¶
McGann, Joseph Gregory	419 Boylston st	5—1954	27.92	27.92	¶
Miles, Helen	100 Boylston st.	5—1954	27.92	13.96	‡
National Cash Register	537 Commonwealth av	5—1954	328.06	328.06	¶
O'Hare, J. M.	520 Commonwealth av	5—1954	6.98	6.98	¶
Padin, Jose	99 Commonwealth av	5—1954	69.80	69.80	¶
Price Theatre Premiums Corp.	38 Church st	5—1954	34.90	20.94	‡
Raleigh Industries of America	669 Boylston st	5—1954	404.84	132.62	‡
Redpath Lyceum Bureau	80 Boylston st	5—1954	13.96	13.96	¶
Richmond, Louis W.	275 Tremont st.	5—1954	13.96	13.96	¶
Robotham, Robert W.	687 Boylston st	5—1954	13.96	13.96	¶
St. John & McColl, Inc.	799 Boylston st	5—1954	27.92	27.92	¶
Scales, Robert H.	124 Brookline av	5—1954	1.012.10	1.012.10	¶
Seaboard Lumber Sales	80 Boylston st	5—1954	13.96	13.96	¶
Smith, Warren	70 Brookline av	5—1954	13.96	13.96	¶
Sowles, M. Dodge	363 Marlborough st	5—1954	34.90	34.90	¶
Spiegel, Ida D.	1175 Boylston st	5—1954	20.94	20.94	¶
Starr, Nathan	424 Tremont st	5—1954	104.70	41.88	‡
Suzanne, Elizabeth	31 Newbury st	5—1954	27.92	27.92	¶
The Thomas System	80 Boylston st.	5—1954	125.64	20.94	‡
Turner Constr. Co	38 Newbury st.	5—1954	579.34	369.94	‡
Vose, Robert C.	559 Boylston st	5—1954	1,047.00	1,047.00	¶
Waller, Robert P.	80 Boylston st	5—1954	13.96	13.96	¶
Weathermaster of Boston	650 Beacon st	5—1954	20.94	20.94	¶
Weintraub, David	311 Commonwealth av	5—1954	20.94	20.94	¶
Wellington, Arthur R.	547 Boylston st	5—1954	279.20	279.20	¶
Wollins, Benjamin	100 Boylston st	5—1954	27.92	13.96	‡
Gerson Drug, Inc.	253 Dudley st	8—1954	34.90	34.90	¶
Heller Leather Corp.	535 Albany st	8—1954	628.20	628.20	¶
Hind, Thomas J.	125 Magazine st	8—1954	34.90	34.90	¶
Richards, J. Merrill	78 Kemble st	8—1954	69.80	69.80	¶
Union Beef Co.	131 Newmarket sq	8—1954	20.94	20.94	¶
Bynoe, Victor C.	616 Shawmut av	9—1954	104.70	104.70	¶
Federal Plasties Corp.	82 West Dedham st	9—1954	69.80	69.80	¶
Fredman, Nathan	21 Linden Park st	9—1954	209.40	48.86	‡
Gearing, William	587 Columbus av	9—1954	69.80	69.80	¶
Greenlaw Motor Parts Co.	1178 Tremont st	9—1954	97.72	41.88	‡
Hampden Ale Distr., Inc.	100 Halleck st	9—1954	69.80	69.80	¶
Haughton, Alfred	794 Tremont st	9—1954	174.50	174.50	¶
Loukas, John A.	765 Tremont st	9—1954	244.30	244.30	¶
Manhattan Beef Co.	1348 Tremont street	9—1954	69.80	69.80	¶
Morris, Barney	63 Portland street	9—1954	139.60	139.60	¶
National Liquor, Inc.	1837 Washington st	9—1954	20.94	20.94	¶
Northampton Liquor Mart, Inc.	137 Northampton st	9—1954	83.76	83.76	¶
One Hour Martinizing, Inc.	2304 Washington st	9—1954	698.00	418.80	‡
United Mirror and Plate Glass, Inc.	98 West Brookline st	9—1954	69.80	20.94	‡
A. B. C. Linen Service, Inc.	3375 Washington st	11—1954	209.40	83.76	‡
Brett, John A.	138-142 South st	11—1954	174.50	174.50	¶
Gallagher, James P.	3079 Columbus av	11—1954	13.96	13.96	¶
Heffernan, James	54 Bragdon st	11—1954	62.82	62.82	¶
Lubin, Samuel	1647 Columbus av	11—1954	69.80	69.80	¶
McCarthy, Joseph E.	1163 Columbus av	11—1954	13.96	13.96	¶
Metays, D.	1275 Columbus av	11—1954	20.94	20.94	¶
Millman, John	2740 Washington st	11—1954	20.94	20 94	¶
Simeone, Albert	1869 Columbus av	11—1954	244.30	244.30	¶
Andrelos, John	113C Warren st	12—1954	139.60	69.80	‡
Aperion, Inc.	575 Warren st	12—1954	628.20	488.60	‡
Brass, Arthur J.	257 Humboldt av	12—1954	41.88	13.96	‡
Clark, Louis E.	504 Warren st	12—1954	69.80	34 90	‡
Cushing, C. A., et al	360 Walnut av	12—1954	55.84	34.90	‡
Einstein, Israel	138 Humboldt av	12—1954	34.90	20.94	‡
Eisenberg, Moses J.	444 Warren st	12—1954	69.80	20.94	‡
Glodt, Milton	70 Warren st	12—1954	69 80	34.90	‡
Goldman, Ida	141 Humboldt av	12—1954	69 80	69.80	¶
Goldstein, Melvin B.	71 Warren st	12—1954	314 10	104 70	‡
Grossman, Samuel	124 Warren st	12—1954	69.80	34.90	‡
Humboldt Liquors, Inc.	200 Humboldt av	12—1951	69.80	69 80	‡
Lackey, Ralph	333 Warren st	12—1954	209.40	174 50	‡
Meline, David	257 Warren st	12—1954	69.80	48 86	‡
Miller, George	257 Warren st	12—1954	69.80	48.86	‡
Palmer, James A.	30-32 Bower st	12—1954	104 70	69.80	‡
Prives, Simon	300 Seaver st	12—1954	55 84	20 94	‡
Tutun, Leo L.	21 Harold st	12—1954	244 30	34 90	‡
United Cafeterias, Inc.	75 Warren st.	12—1954	69.80	55.84	‡
Veneto, Peter, et al.	179 Blue Hill av	12—1954	104 70	104 70	¶
Wermons Market, Inc.	72 Humboldt av	12—1954	41 88	41 88	¶
McCann, Paul	1035 Dorchester av	13—1954	101.70	55 84	‡
McKeon, John	25 Harbor View st.	13—1954	48.86	48 86	¶
Meirs, Alice M.	117 Savin Hill av	13—1954	139.60	69.80	‡
Nilsen, Margaret	87 Brook av	13—1954	6.98	6.98	¶
Harris, Ruth	769 Dudley st	13—1954	349.00	349.00	¶
Settino, Michael J.	93 Prince av	13—1954	13.96	13.96	¶
Sheehan, John H.	38 Dix st.	13—1954	6.98	6.98	¶
Stanley, Abraham R.	773 Dudley st.	13—1954	27.92	27.92	¶
Arnold, Rose	403 Norfolk st	14—1954	34.90	13.96	‡
Baker, Frank	1060A Blue Hill av	14—1954	488.60	139.60	‡
Bailey, Lora	317 Washington st.	14—1954	34.90	13.96	‡
Baker, Herbert	74 Kingsdale st	14—1954	83.76	83.76	¶
Berkowitz, Joseph	1042 Blue Hill av	14—1954	349.00	125.64	‡
Bloom, Nathan	1127 Blue Hill av	14—1954	244.30	83.76	‡
Drusy, Matori	156 Erie st	14—1954	13.96	13.96	¶
Forman, Jacob	1224 Blue Hill av	14—1954	174.50	104.70	‡
Gershfield, Morris	1152 Blue Hill av	14—1954	69.80	69.80	¶
Braveman, Israel, Inc.	1118B Blue Hill av	14—1954	20.94	20.94	¶
Joseph, Joseph	1143A Blue Hill av	14—1954	502.56	502.56	¶

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

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10 Ply, 900x20 Truck Tires, Each, Net.—Cooper Tire and Rubber Company, $49.02; B. F. Goodrich Company, $61.60; H. S. Macomber & Co., Inc., $58.52; American Oil Company, $58.52; Universal Tire and Auto Supply Company, Inc., $49.79.*

900x20 Truck Tubes, Each, Net.—Cooper Tire and Rubber Company, $3.81; B. F. Goodrich Company, $4.65; H. S. Macomber & Co., Inc., $4.42; American Oil Company, $4.42; Universal Tire and Auto Supply Company, Inc., $4.07.*

36x5 Solid Tires, Each, Net.—No bids.

600x16 Self-Sealing or Puncture-Proof Tubes, Each, Net.—H. S. Macomber & Co., Inc., $9.02.

4 Ply, 670x17 Passenger Snow Tires, Each, Net.—Cooper Tire and Rubber Company, $10.99; B. F. Goodrich Company, $15.19; H. S. Macomber & Co., Inc., $14.43; American Oil Company, $14.43; Universal Tire and Auto Supply Company, Inc., $13.28.*

Location from Which Deliveries Will Be Made.—Cooper Tire and Rubber Company, 425 Dorchester avenue, South Boston; B. F. Goodrich Company, 1312 Boylston street, Boston, 96 Broadway, Boston, and 383 Summer street, West Somerville; H. S. Macomber & Co., Inc., 140 Brookline avenue, Boston; American Oil Company, Cambridge, Mass., warehouse; Universal Tire and Auto Supply Company, Inc., 1305 Boylston street, Boston.

If Mounting Service is Required, State Charge, If Any.—Cooper Tire and Rubber Company, none (when mounting is done at the Dorchester Avenue Cooper branch); H. S. Macomber & Co., Inc., $1, passenger, $1.25, tubeless, $1 up to and including 700x20 truck, $1.50, 750x20 and above; American Oil Company, mounting service cannot be furnished; Universal Tire and Auto Supply Company, Inc., no charge.

All Prices Quoted Are To Be Net and Exclusive of All Taxes. Quote One Total Net Discount on Following from Attached Price List.

Passenger Tires.—H. S. Macomber & Co., Inc., 5 per cent; American Oil Company, 5 per cent; Universal Tire and Auto Supply Company, Inc., net.

Passenger Tubes.—H. S. Macomber & Co., Inc., 5 per cent; American Oil Company, 5 per cent; Universal Tire and Auto Supply Company, Inc., net.

Truck Tires.—H. S. Macomber & Co., Inc., 5 per cent; American Oil Company, 5 per cent; Universal Tire and Auto Supply Company, Inc., net.

Truck Tubes.—H. S. Macomber & Co., Inc., 5 per cent; American Oil Company, 5 per cent; Universal Tire and Auto Supply Company, Inc., net.

Solid Tires.—No bids.

Tubes, Puncture-Proof or Self-Sealing.—H. S. Macomber & Co., Inc., 5 per cent.

Snow Tires.—H. S. Macomber & Co., Inc., 5 per cent; American Oil Company, 5 per cent; Universal Tire and Auto Supply Company, Inc., net.

Industrial Tires.—No bids.

Discount.—Cooper Tire and Rubber Company, all prices quoted are net, no discount; B. F. Goodrich Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; H. S. Macomber & Co., Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; American Oil Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Universal Tire and Auto Supply Company, Inc., net, 10 days.

Remarks.—Cooper Tire and Rubber Company, bid period, April 1, 1955, ending March 1, 1956; B. F. Goodrich Company, the prices quoted in this proposal are B. F. Goodrich confidential net state prices, effective November 29, 1954, and are guaranteed against increase for the period April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956; the City of Boston will be given the benefit of any decrease in B. F. Goodrich confidential net state prices during that time; B. F. Goodrich Company reserves the right to reject acceptance of this bid unless acceptance is made within 30 days from the date first above written, *see attached letter*; American Oil Company, the bidder reserves the right to limit quantities of tires and tubes delivered in any one month to 25 per cent of the aggregate of this bid; the above bids are subject to increase or decrease to prices in effect at time of delivery; Universal Tire and Auto Supply Company, Inc., this bid is on a firm price basis; any decrease in price established at the manufacturing or producing level will be credited to the city.

*** Contract awarded.**

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Upon January 28 the Mayor approved a contract with Cities Service Oil Company for furnishing automobile motor oil to the various city departments, from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, inclusive. Approximate total amount of contract was $6,192.23, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment, plus $2,190, cost of drums, extra and returnable, making the complete total $8,382.23.

Bids, opened January 27, were as follows:

Automobile Motor Oil.

Item 1. 25 Drums S.A.E., No. 10W, Per Gallon.—American Oil Company, 39.4 cents; Cities Service Oil Company, 33.93 cents*; Gulf Oil Corporation, 38 cents; Shell Oil Company, 34.45 cents; Socony-Vacuum Oil Company, Inc., 50 cents; Sun Oil Company, 35.47 cents.

Item 2. 85 Drums S.A.E., No. 20W, Per Gallon.—American Oil Company, 39.4 cents; Cities Service Oil Company, 33.93 cents*; Gulf Oil Corporation, 38 cents; Shell Oil Company, 34.45 cents; Socony-Vacuum Oil Company, Inc., 50 cents; Sun Oil Company, 35.47 cents.

Item 3. 190 Drums S.A.E., No. 30, Per Gallon.—American Oil Company, 39.4 cents; Cities Service Oil Company, 33.93 cents*; Gulf Oil Corporation, 38 cents; Shell Oil Company, 34.45 cents; Socony-Vacuum Oil Company, Inc.,50 cents; Sun Oil Company, 35.47 cents.

Item 4. 10 Drums S.A.E., No. 40, Per Gallon.—American Oil Company, 39.4 cents; Cities Service Oil Company, 33.93 cents*; Gulf Oil Corporation, 38 cents; Shell Oil Company, 34.45 cents; Socony-Vacuum Oil company, Inc., 50 cents; Sun Oil Company, 35.47 cents.

Item 5. 55 Drums S.A.E., No. 50, Per Gallon.—American Oil Company, 39.4 cents; Cities Service Oil Company, 33.93 cents*; Gulf Oil Corporation, 38 cents; Shell Oil Company, 34.45 cents; Socony-Vacuum Oil Company, Inc., 50 cents; Sun Oil Company, 35.47 cents.

Retail Price Per Quart of Same Oil at Filling Stations.—American Oil Company, 45 cents; Cities Services Oil Company, not sold at filling stations; Gulf Oil Corporation, Gulf Dieselube HD, not sold at retail; Shell Oil Company, 45 cents; Socony-Vacuum Oil Company, Inc., not available at service stations; Sun Oil Company, 45 cents.

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Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Kaplan, Morris	47 Bound Brook rd	14—1954	$34.90	$34.90	¶
Pearl Drug Co., Inc.	562 Blue Hill av.	14—1954	27.92	27.92	¶
Pliner, Sophie	1110 Blue Hill av.	14—1954	244.30	69.80	‡
Rubin, Maurice	570 Blue Hill av.	14—1954	6.98	6.98	¶
Schiff's Pharmacy, Inc.	658 Blue Hill av.	14—1954	34.90	34.90	¶
Schwartz, Frances	170 Woodrow av.	14—1954	69.80	13.96	‡
Segelman, Edward D. J.	608 Blue Hill av.	14—1954	279.20	139.60	¶
Stanetsky, Sarah P.	10 Washington st.	14—1954	69.80	69.80	¶
Tarlow, Saul	311 Washington st.	14—1954	174.50	69.80	‡
Waldman, Anna	1234 Blue Hill av.	14—1954	34.90	20.94	‡
Bowdoin Upholstering Co.	368 Bowdoin st	15—1954	34.90	20.94	‡
Collins, Edwin W.	2 Freeman st.	15—1954	27.92	27.92	¶
Hancock Market Co., Inc.	314 Bowdoin st	15—1954	27.92	27.92	¶
Leonard, Paul C.	77 Bowdoin st	15—1954	34.90	34.90	¶
Lydon, Cyril L.	276 Bowdoin st	15—1954	27.92	27.92	¶
Merlin, Samuel A.	390 Geneva av	15—1954	20.94	20.94	¶
Robinson, Sidney and Thomas	63 Hancock st.	15—1954	118.66	41.88	‡
Dainte, Andrew A.	400 Neponset av	16—1954	209.40	209.40	¶
Elsemiller, Daniel	958 Worcester st	16—1954	34.90	34.90	¶
Forsberg, George	21 Hadwen Lane, Worcester	16—1954	104.70	104.70	¶
Frost Coal Co.	488 Neponset av	16—1954	118.66	118.66	¶
Snyder, Samuel J.	1782 Dorchester av	16—1954	139.60	69.80	‡
Dorchester Music & Appliance Co.	556 Washington st.	17—1954	34.90	34.90	¶
Doyle, Joseph J.	40 Centre st	17—1954	69.80	69.80	¶
Damico, J., Inc.	49 Ellison av.	17—1954	1,745.00	1,465.00	‡
Johnston, William	210 Norfolk st.	17—1954	13.96	13.96	¶
Oberstein, Julian	914B Morton st.	17—1954	34.90	34.90	¶
Quality Cleaners of Boston	884–886 Morton st.	17—1954	837.60	279.20	‡
Ryan, Anthony J.	942 Washington st.	17—1954	97.72	97.72	¶
Shamrock, Inc.	904 Morton st.	17—1954	20.94	20.94	¶
Blue Hill Cafeteria	1667 Blue Hill av.	18—1954	104.70	41.88	‡
Chase, Kenneth P.	1281 Hyde Park av.	18—1954	125.64	125.64	¶
DiMartino, Camillo	86 Clare av.	18—1954	349.00	349.00	¶
Drake, Fred M.	15 Fairmount av.	18—1954	34.90	34.90	¶
Gogos, James	1238 River st.	18—1954	223.36	97.72	‡
Highway Pharmacy, Inc.	593 Hyde Park av.	18—1954	27.92	27.92	¶
J. W. Patterson & Sons	4268 Washington st.	18—1954	34.90	34.90	¶
Silvey, Louis	1598 Blue Hill av.	18—1954	698.00	698.00	¶
Automatic Distributors	135 Green st.	19—1954	523.50	188.46	‡
Boylston Schul Verein	45 Danforth st.	19—1954	69.80	69.80	¶
Craftsland Realty Trust	413 Centre st.	19—1954	188.46	188.46	¶
Kalamara, Efstathios	1 St. Ann st.	19—1954	34.90	27.92	‡
Kekenekian, Jack K.	96 Sheridan st.	19—1954	20.94	20.94	¶
MacDougall, Frederick C.	618 Centre st.	19—1954	34.90	27.92	‡
Marsh, Parker, Inc.	6–8 Basile st.	19—1954	34.90	34.90	¶
Tamkin, Solomon	139A Lamartine st.	19—1954	209.40	181.48	‡
Blair's Foodland, Inc.	21 Poplar st.	20—1954	104.70	104.70	¶
Buttner, F. Daniel, Jr.	23 South Fairview st.	20—1954	34.90	34.90	¶
Caressi, Leon	2064 Centre st.	20—1954	139.60	139.60	¶
Phillips, William	898 South st.	20—1954	13.96	13.96	¶
Tradd, Nasha	4988A Washington st.	20—1954	13.96	13.96	¶
Prione, Alfred, et al.	1455 V. F. W. Parkway	20—1954	195.44	195.44	¶
Shuman, Max	1429 Centre st.	20—1954	41.88	41.88	¶
Zoppo, Frances R.	909 South st.	20—1954	20.94	13.96	‡
Babcock, Harold, et al.	190A Brighton av.	21—1954	48.86	48.86	¶
Binder & Hoffman Trading	140A Harvard av.	21—1954	209.40	69.80	‡
Chansky, Philip	25 Walbridge st.	21—1954	139.60	139.60	¶
Chiswick Drug Co., Inc.	1799 Commonwealth av.	21—1954	6.98	6.98	¶
Cobe, Walter	166 Harvard av.	21—1954	418.80	418.80	¶
Commonwealth Ave. Pharmacy, Inc.	1383 Commonwealth av.	21—1954	34.90	34.90	¶
Gordon, Joseph K.	511 Cambridge st.	21—1954	34.90	27.92	‡
Harvey Sales & Service Co.	1375 Boylston st.	21—1954	349.00	279.20	‡
Hopkins Drug Co., Inc.	175 Harvard av.	21—1954	69.80	69.80	¶
Burke, J. H. Co.	39 Brighton av.	21—1954	55.84	34.90	‡
Kaplan, Harold, et al.	163 Harvard av.	21—1954	349.00	139.60	‡
Marder, Morris	32 Blenford st.	21—1954	34.90	34.90	¶
Mass. Motor Car Co., Inc.	1186 Commonwealth av.	21—1954	55.84	55.84	¶
Nobile, Lina	465 Park Drive	21—1954	27.92	27.92	¶
Panzer, Louis	1589 Commonwealth av.	21—1954	139.60	34.90	‡
Storer, Lynwood W.	161 Harvard av.	21—1954	244.30	69.80	‡
Trainito, Charles	184 Brighton av.	21—1954	13.96	13.96	¶
Abelson, Edward I.	32 Everett st.	22—1954	13.96	6.98	‡
Barone, Pat B.	235 Market st.	22—1954	139.60	139.60	¶
Conaty, J. F.	362 Washington st.	22—1954	362.96	362.96	¶
Cummins Deisel of N. E., Inc.	201 Cambridge st.	22—1954	488.60	209.40	‡
Fook, Lee	333 Washington st.	22—1954	139.60	83.76	‡
Fruehauf Trailer Co.	290 North Beacon st.	22—1954	425.78	425.78	¶
Garabedian, Robert R.	535–537 Washington st.	22—1954	418.80	139.60	‡
George, George P.	111 Franklin st.	22—1954	349.00	209.40	‡
Gray's Market, Inc.	618 Washington st.	22—1954	139.60	139.60	¶
Horrigan's Market, Inc.	427 Washington st.	22—1954	349.00	349.00	¶
Hunnewell Market	606 Washington st.	22—1954	69.80	69.80	¶
Liberty Associates	545A Washington st.	22—1954	41.88	27.92	‡
Lampert, Louis	14 Abattoir av.	22—1954	698.00	698.00	¶
Lynch, Isabella	487–489 Washington st.	22—1954	293.16	104.70	‡
Marion Distributing Co.	240 Beacon st.	22—1954	349.00	349.00	¶
McGuire, W. J., Co.	544 Washington st.	22—1954	34.90	34.90	¶ ‡
McNamara, J. H., Inc.	298 North Harvard st.	22—1954	1,256.40	1,095.86	‡
Melia, John F.	380 Washington st.	22—1954	279.20	118.66	‡
Rufo Construction	1 Allen rd.	22—1954	314.10	314.10	¶
S. K. F. Industries, Inc.	210 North Harvard st.	22—1954	13.96	13.96	¶
Shaw, George E.	587 Washington st.	22—1954	34.90	13.96	‡
Siegfriedt, Ernest W.	31 North Beacon st.	22—1954	27.92	27.92	¶
Willis, Marion	639 Washington st.	22—1954	69.80	34.90	‡

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

(Continued from page 169.)

Deposit on Returnable Drums, Each.—American Oil Company, $6; Cities Service Oil Company, $6; Gulf Oil Corporation, $4; Shell Oil Company, $6; Socony-Vacuum Oil Company, Inc., $5; Sun Oil Company, $6, light steel returnable drum.

Brand Name of Oil.—American Oil Company, Amoco H.D.X. motor oil, Cities Service Oil Company, Cities Service CSR-O 615; Gulf Oil Corporation, Gulf Dieselube HD (heavy duty motor oil); Shell Oil Company, Shell H.D. engine oil†; Socony-Vacuum Oil Company, Inc., Delvac "900 Series"; Sun Oil Company, Sunoco Ocnus H.D. (mil.) is commercial brand of Sunoco Dynalube.

Discount.—American Oil Company, 1 per cent, 10 days, net, 30 days; Cities Service Oil Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Gulf Oil Corporation, 1 per cent, 10 days, net, 30 days, from date of shipment, *see* cover letter; Shell Oil Company, 1 per cent, 10 days, net 30 days; Socony-Vacuum Oil Company, Inc., 1 per cent, 10 days, net, 15th proximo; Sun Oil Company, cash discount is 1 per cent, city pay day.

Remarks.—American Oil Company, buyer to pay any tax applicable, *see* attached specifications; Cities Service Oil Company, drums are estimated at 50 gallons each, *see* attached specifications; Gulf Oil Corporation, drums are estimated at 55 gallons each, f.o.b. delivered City of Boston, Mass. (steel drums); the above price is exclusive of applicable Federal excise tax; returnable steel drums remain the property of seller, and are loaned for transportation purposes only; deposit on each returnable steel drum is required at time of shipment in accordance with the schedule of drum deposit listed in letter, *see* attached letter; Shell Oil Company, *see* attached letter and specifications; Socony-Vacuum Oil Company, Inc., specifications are attached to proposal; Sun Oil Company, the city shall provide proper exemption certificates, drums are light steel, *see* attached specifications.

* Contract awarded.

† S.A.E. Grade 10W 20W 30 40 50
Code L-811 L-821 L-783 L-822 L-821

Department of School Buildings.

Upon January 28 the Mayor approved a contract with Mystic Building Wrecking Company, Inc., for the razing of the Elbridge Smith School, Centre street and Dorchester avenue, Dorchester. Bids, opened January 27, were as follows:

Mystic Building Wrecking Company, Inc., $3,370; City Building Wrecking Company, $3,900; American Building Wrecking Company, Inc., $4,785; New York Building Wrecking Company, Inc., $6,875.

Hospital Department.

Upon January 27 the Mayor approved a contract as requested in the following letter:

Boston, January 24, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

Proposals for alterations and renovations to Ward 1, Pavilion 3, Boston City Hospital, were received and publicly opened and read at the hospital on Thursday, December 30, 1954. The following bids were received:

Rich Brothers Construction Company, Inc., $26,410; Domenick Puleo, $26,000; D. Antonellis, Inc., $24,825; Arieli Construction Company, Inc., $23,711; Schwamb Construction Corporation, $21,375; Fred DeLisio, $20,539; M. Solimando, $19,373.

Subsequent to the opening of proposals, and after the selection of the general contractor, it was decided to consider subcontractors other than the ones named by the general contractor in his bid, as a result of which the bid of P. J. Riley & Co. for plumbing, in the sum of $2,722, was substituted for that of J. M. McCusker Company, in the sum of $3,514; and the bid of John L. Grady for plastering, in the sum of $1,985, was substituted for that of Chiappisi Brothers in the sum of $2,186.

The aforementioned substitution of subbidders has resulted in a downward revision in the sum of $993 in the proposed contract sum of M. Solimando, thereby making the proposed contract price of M. Solimando as revised, $18,380, therefore, subject to your approval, the Trustees have awarded the contract to M. Solimando, in the sum of $18,380.

Respectfully yours,

Board of Trustees,
Hospital Department and of
the Boston City Hospital,
by Richard J. Condon, *President.*

School Committee.

The School Committee has approved proposals for furnishing fluorescent and large incandescent electric lamps. Bids, opened Wednesday, December 15, 1954, were received from the following concerns:

Thomas F. Kearns Electric Supply Company, Duro Test Corporation, Marshall & Co., Inc., Levy Hardware Company, Loman Electric Supply Company, Allied Electric Supply Company, Bell Electric Supply Company, Cooper Electric Supply Company, Inc., Fenway Electric Supply Company, George H. Wahn Company, Graybar Electric Supply Company, National Theatre Supply Company, Massachusetts Gas and Electric Light Supply Company, Boston Lamp Company.

Award was made to the lowest responsible bidder, as follows:

Thomas F. Kearns Electric Supply Company, $8,000.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

Department of School Buildings.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Gledhill Brothers, Inc., for new auditorium seating at the Jamaica Plain High School, from January 31, 1955, to March 31, 1955. This extension was requested because the assembly hall was being painted which necessitated a delay in completing new auditorium seating contract.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with New York Building Wrecking Company, Inc., for razing of the following buildings: Lyceum Hall, Robert Swan, and Quincy Street, from February 8 to March 31, 1955. This extension was requested due to weather conditions.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with D. Antonellis, Inc., for alterations at the High School of Practical Arts, from January 31, 1955, to February 28, 1955. This extension was requested because classes were in session and painting had to be delayed.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Mystic Building Wrecking Company, Inc., for demolition of the Emerson School, from February 1, 1955, to April 1, 1955. Contract was approved December 7, 1954. This extension was requested because, due to the severe spell of cold and rainy weather, men could not work.

Penal Institutions Department.

John F. Shea Company, Inc., has been granted an extension of the contract for repairs to various buildings at the House of Correction, Deer Island, by striking out the words "one hundred and thirty (130) days" wherever the same may appear in the said contract or specifications and inserting the words "two hundred and thirty-five (235) days" in place thereof.

Public Works Department.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Baker & Co., Inc., 3475 Washington street, Jamaica Plain, for bituminous concrete pavement in Cummins Highway, West Roxbury, from Washington street to Harvard street, from December 17, 1954, to July 31, 1955. This extension was requested because this is a "Chapter 90" contract and the State Commissioners of Public Works have recommended an extension of time for completion.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Baker & Co., Inc., 3475 Washington street, Jamaica Plain, for bituminous concrete pavement in Morton street, from Harvard street to about 412 feet north of Cemetery road, from December 18, 1954, to May 14, 1955. This extension was requested because this is a "Chapter 90" contract and the State Commissioners of Public Works recommended an extension of time for completion.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with John J. Appel, 23 Sunnybank road, West Roxbury, for laying water pipes in Beacon street, Ward 5, and such additional locations, if any, as may be designated by the Commissioner of Public Works, to April 30, 1955. This extension was requested because the work entails permanent repaving and the material required cannot be obtained at this time of the year.

CHARLESTOWN BRIDGE CLOSING FOR REPAIRS.

Public Works Commissioner George C. Hyland has announced that the Charlestown Bridge, over Charles River, between Boston and Charlestown, was closed to navigation from 8 o'clock Tuesday morning, February 1, to 4.30 o'clock Friday afternoon, February 4, to permit some very necessary repairs to be made to the steelwork of the structure.

While the repairs were in progress vehicles and pedestrians were allowed to cross the bridge without interference.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, January 24, 1955.

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 2 P.M., President HURLEY in the chair, and all the members present.

The Reverend Benjamin F. Bowling, of the Catholic Information Center, Boston, was escorted to the rostrum.

INVOCATION BY REV. BENJAMIN F. BOWLING.

We beseech Thee, O Lord, that all our actions may be carried on by Thy holy inspiration, and Thy gracious assistance, that every prayer and work of ours may always begin by Thee and through Thee be happily ended.

May Thy wisdom direct the deliberations of this Council, keeping always in mind the right order of justice and mercy, and may God guide you and direct you and those for whom you legislate.

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost. Amen.

The meeting was opened with the salute to the Flag.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR.

Subject to confirmation by the Council, the Mayor submitted the following appointment:

Constable with authority to serve civil process upon filing of bond for the term ending April 30, 1955: George Courlang, 42 Jones avenue, Dorchester.

Referred to the Committee on Confirmations.

AWARDS TO MEMBERS OF POLICE AND FIRE DEPARTMENTS FOR OUTSTANDING SERVICE.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, January 24, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Fire Commissioner concerning your order of January 10, 1955, relative to establishing a policy of awarding to the member of the department who performs the most heroic act in that year a permanent yearly increment to his salary of $500, and that the man be required to display on his uniform at all times some indication of the award he has received.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Fire Department, January 21, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.
Sir:

I feel that the order adopted by the City Council on January 10, 1955, is a laudable move to recognize the heroism of the police and fire fighters. In carrying out any such policy, however, there are several difficulties that present themselves immediately that must be resolved before any action can be taken by the City Council.

1. A determination should be made as to what would be a heroic act which is intangible and subject to many interpretations.

2. A most heroic act of one year would not necessarily compare with a most heroic act of another year.

3. It could be possible that inasmuch as only one award is provided that a person who would not receive the reward because of a consideration of a most heroic act in one year may have accomplished something that would be far superior to one that would be determined to be the most heroic act in the following year and this could bring about the feeling that insufficient consideration had been given in not having more than one award.

4. It would have a likelihood to tarnish the admitted bravery possessed by our fire fighters in that the assumption might be placed on it that what would be considered an ordinary call to duty would be performed because of a cash remuneration.

5. A heroic act may be a team affair with more than one man participating in the heroism. How could one determine which was the most heroic of the combined number performing this unusual feat?

6. All of the fire fighters of the department at a fire would not have equal opportunity to perform acts of heroism inasmuch as the duties of some strictly demand that they perform necessary work that would limit their participation in most heroic acts, such as pump operators, drivers of engines and members of engine companies engaged in stretching lines of hose.

7. The human factor of the reporting of the most heroic act would enter into it. What one person would consider a most heroic act another officer might consider just an ordinary performance of duty. Consequently, it would depend too often on the viewpoint of the one who makes the report.

8. Fire fighting is essentially a team work proposition and it is necessary that at all times the activities in fire fighting and rescue work be organized from that viewpoint solely. Consequently, no appearance of favoritism can be allowed to exist so that opportunities to gain money would not depend on who is sent on any particular part of the fire or rescue effort.

9. It might lead to individuals taking a chance far beyond reason of accomplishment and thereby cause loss of their own lives or the lives of others.

I certainly feel that while this idea is not without merit we should proceed most carefully in its adoption lest it defeat the purpose for which it is established.

Very truly yours,
FRANCIS X. COTTER, Fire Commissioner.

Placed on file.

SECTIONS OF PUBLIC SKATING AREAS FOR SMALLER CHILDREN.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, January 21, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation relative to your order of January 10, 1955, concerning the roping off of an area of each public skating place for the safety of children under twelve years of age.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Parks and Recreation Department,
January 18, 1955.

Mr. Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.
Dear Sir:

This will acknowledge receipt of memo from your office with attached communication of Councillor McLaughlin's order requesting to set aside for the use of children under twelve years of age, a section of each public skating area.

This matter, you may be sure, will receive our earnest consideration, and it has been referred to the Superintendent of Parks.

Very truly yours,
FRANK R. KELLEY, Commissioner.

Placed on file.

RECREATIONAL AREA IN STONY BROOK RESERVATION.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, January 21, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation relative to your resolution of January 10, 1955, concerning a conference to be held between the Metropolitan District Commission and the Parks and Recreation Department with the purpose of development of a section of the Stony Brook Reservation in Hyde Park.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Parks and Recreation Department,
January 18, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.
Dear Sir:

This will acknowledge receipt of memo from your office with attached communication of Councillor Hailer's order requesting that a conference be held between the Metropolitan District Commission and the Parks and Recreation Department with the purpose of development of a section of the Stony Brook Reservation in Hyde Park.

We have located in this area Smith Pond Playground, one of our largest areas on which is located a baseball and football field as well as tennis courts and bocci courts. This is one of the finest skating areas that we have in the entire city.

Adjacent to this large area is property occupied and owned by the Metropolitan District Commission. If there is any way that further use can be made of this property through cooperation with the MDC and this department, you may be sure that we will be only too pleased to cooperate.

Very truly yours,
FRANK R. KELLEY, Commissioner.

Placed on file.

ELECTRIC LIGHTING ON BRUCEWOOD STREET, WEST ROXBURY.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, January 24, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Public Works Commissioner relative to your order of January 10, 1955, concerning the installing of electric lights on Brucewood street, West Roxbury.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Public Works Department,
January 18, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.
Dear Mr. Flemming:

This is in reference to the following order that was passed in the City Council under date of January 10:

"Ordered, That the Public Works Commissioner be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to install electric lighting on Brucewood street, West Roxbury."

Immediate steps will be taken to have a street lighting survey made of the above-referenced street, and arrangements will be made subsequent to the completion of said survey to install whatever lights are determined necessary.

I trust, therefore, that this matter will be adjusted to the satisfaction of the abutters living on Brucewood street.

Respectfully yours,
GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Placed on file.

APPLICATION FOR SHELLFISH PERMIT.

Application for commercial use shellfish permit was received from Louis Smith, 47 Lawley street, Dorchester, Ward 16.

Referred to the Committee on Licenses.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committee named, viz.:

Claims.

Louis Bailey, for compensation for loss of bat while patient at City Hospital.

Clara Benson, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 1665 Blue Hill avenue.

William G. Bergin, for compensation for damage to car by truck of School Committee.

Berkshire Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Pittsfield, for compensation for damage to car of Jacob Brenner by city truck.

John F. Demlin, Jr., for compensation for damage to property at 11 Wilton street, Hyde Park, caused by backing up of sewage.

Elizabeth E. Fisher, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Temple place.

Daniel J. Gagliarde, for compensation for damage to car by city truck.

Alice and Samuel Jonas, for compensation for damage to car and injuries caused by city truck.

Anthony W. LaGreca, for compensation for damage to car by fire apparatus.

Betty Mitrano, for compensation for damage to car by police cruiser.

Bartholomew J. Murphy, for compensation for damage to car by city truck.

Francis A. Murphy, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Fire Department.

REDUCTION OF ANNUITY.

Petition of Dorothy Collins, for a reduction of the annuity granted her on account of the death of her husband, William J. Collins, late member of Police Department.

Referred to the Committee on Claims.

PERMIT FOR CHILDREN.

Petition for children under fifteen years of age to appear at places of public amusement:

Ruth Allen, John Hancock Hall, February 23, 1955.

Permit granted under usual conditions.

APPROVAL OF STATE HOUSING BOARD.

Notice was received from the State Housing Board of approval of sale of six parcels of property under section 6 of chapter 372 of the Acts of 1946.

Placed on file.

NOTICES OF HEARING BEFORE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES.

Notice was received from the Department of Public Utilities of hearing to be held February 7, 1955, at 10 o'clock A.M., on petition of Worcester Gas Light Company for price adjustment.

Copy of notice was received from the Department of Public Utilities of hearing to be held February 10, 1955, at 10 o'clock A.M., on petition of Boston Edison Company and New England Telephone and Telegraph Company for grant of pole location in Everett Street Extension, Brighton.

Severally placed on file.

APPOINTMENT OF THOMAS A. CRONIN.

Notice was received from the Governor of the Commonwealth of the appointment of Thomas A. Cronin as a member of the Board of Commissioners of School Buildings.

Placed on file.

RECESS.

On motion of Councillor White, the Council voted to take a recess at 2.28 P.M., subject to the call of the Chair. The members reassembled in the Council Chamber and were called to order by President HURLEY at 4.57 P.M.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. WHITE, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following:

1. Report on order (referred November 15, 1954) on amendment to County Classification and Compensation Plan re correction officer—recommending that same ought to pass.

2. Report on order (referred November 8, 1954) on amendment to County Classification and Compensation Plan re jail officer—recommending that same ought to pass.

3. Report on order (referred January 10) that the City Clerk be authorized under the direction of the Committee on Rules to have prepared and printed the Municipal Register—recommending that same ought to pass.

The reports were accepted and the orders were severally passed.

ABSENCE OF MAYOR.

Notice was received from the Mayor of his absence from the city on January 25 and 26, 1955.

Placed on file.

TEMPORARY APPOINTMENTS IN CLERK OF COMMITTEES DEPARTMENT.

Coun. HURLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That effective January 26, 1955, the following persons be, and they hereby are, appointed in the service of the Clerk of Committees Department to the positions set against their respective names until the fourth Wednesday of February, 1955, at the salaries in effect for them on January 25, 1955:

Francis R. Burke, temporary clerk.

Peter J. Cloherty, temporary clerk.

Nicholas DiMello, temporary stenographer-clerk.

Agnes G. Dinsmore, temporary clerk-receptionist.

Katherine E. Dunn, temporary stenographer-clerk.

Mary E. Flynn, temporary stenographer-clerk.

Catherine Monahan, temporary stenographer-clerk.

Paul G. O'Hara, temporary clerk.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

PERSONS EMPLOYED BY TRUSTEES OF GEORGE ROBERT WHITE FUND.

Coun. HURLEY offered the following:

Resolved, That the City Council of Boston favors the consideration by the Legislature of the petition now held under Joint Rule 7B, to make persons employed by the Trustees of the George Robert White Fund in the City of Boston eligible for membership in the State-Boston Retirement System; provided that any such legislation enacted includes a referendum to the Mayor and City Council.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON LICENSES.

Coun. HAILER, for the Committee on Licenses, submitted the following:

1. Report on petition (referred January 10) of Orient Bowlaway for license to operate bowling alleys on the Lord's day—recommending that license be granted.

The report was accepted, and the license was granted under the usual conditions.

2. Report on notice of hearing (referred January 10) before Department of Public Utilities on petition of Boston Edison Company for underground conduits and vaults in Charles street—recommending that same be placed on file.

The report was accepted, and the notice was placed on file.

3. Report on petitions (referred January 10) for commercial use shellfish permits of the following:

Richard A. Bishop, Charles J. Chandler, Edward W. Elms, Anthony J. Ferragamo, John P. Fowler, James H. Grant, Richard F. Hodgkins, Rupert Y. Hodgkins, Jr., George M. Hurd, Joseph Kearney, Richard Kirby, William Kneeland, Bronick Kwasnica, Joseph Landry, Alphonse P. LaRosa, Dorrance Lincoln, George W. Lincoln, Charles A. Maslauskas, Edward J. McCarten, Joseph Riley, William H. Riley, Frank J. Sidorowicz, Joseph F. Wardell, Albin Wrublewski—recommending that permits be granted.

4. Report on petitions (referred January 17) for commercial use shellfish permits of the following:

Ralph E. Bishop, James V.D'Amico, Leonard W. D'Amico, David F. Fullerton, William W. Fullerton, Thomas J. Kearney, Herbert E. Lawson, Harold T. Matthews, Henry F. O'Neill, Vincent A. Perella, Jr., John M. Perry, George C. Phillips, Jr., William A. Scott—recommending that permits be granted.

The reports were accepted, and the permits were severally granted under the usual conditions.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCE.

Coun. HAILER, for the Committee on Appropriations and Finance, submitted the following:

Report on vote of Emergency Finance Board (referred January 17) approving loan of $1,500,000 for New York Streets Area Project—recommending that same be placed on file.

The report was accepted, and the vote was placed on file.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC LANDS.

Coun. HAILER, for the Committee on Public Lands, submitted the following:

1. Report on communication (referred December 27, 1954) from Department of Public Works transmitting copy of layout and order of taking of portions of State Highway (John F. Fitzgerald Expressway)—recommending that same be placed on file.

2. Report on communication (referred December 13, 1954) from Department of Public Works transmitting copy of layout and order of taking of portions of State Highway (John F. Fitzgerald Expressway)—recommending that same be placed on file.

3. Report on communication (referred January 17) from Department of Public Works transmitting copy of layout and order of taking of portions of State Highway (John F. Fitzgerald Expressway)—recommending that same be placed on file.

The reports were accepted, and the communications were severally placed on file.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CLAIMS.

Coun. McCORMACK, for the Committee on Claims, submitted the following:

1. Report on petition of Dorothy H. Collins (referred today) for reduction in annuity granted on account of the death of her husband, William J. Collins— recommending passage of accompanying order:

Ordered, That the annuity payable to Dorothy H. Collins under section 89A of chapter 32 of the General Laws by virtue of an order passed by the City Council on March 22, 1954, and approved by the Mayor on March 23, 1954, be, and the same hereby is, reduced from the amount, fixed in said order, of fifteen hundred dollars a year, exclusive of any and all increases resulting from subsequent legislative acts or the acceptance thereof, to the amount of one thousand three hundred and seventy-five dollars a year, exclusive of any and all such increases, effective January 1, 1955.

2. Report on petition of Frederick D. McLean (referred January 10) to be reimbursed as a result of an execution issued against him on account of his acts as a member of Police Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That the sum of four hundred and fifty-one dollars ($451) be allowed and paid to Frederick D. McLean in reimbursement for amount of execution issued against him on account of his acts as a member of the Police Department, said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

3. Report on petition of Arthur L. O'Keefe (referred January 10) to be reimbursed as a result of an execution issued against him on account of his acts as a member of the Fire Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That the sum of three hundred thirty-six dollars and fifteen cents ($336.15) be allowed and paid to Arthur L. O'Keefe in reimbursement for amount of execution issued against him on account of his acts as a member of the Fire Department, said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

4. Report on petition of James S. Reardon (referred January 10) to be reimbursed as a result of an execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the School Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That the sum of three hundred fifteen dollars and ninety-seven cents ($315.97) be allowed and paid to James S. Reardon in reimbursement for amount of execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the School Department, said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

5. Report on petition of Thomas E. Mahoney (referred January 17) to be reimbursed as a result of an execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Traffic Division, Police Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That the sum of two hundred sixty-seven dollars and seventy-five cents ($267.75) be allowed and paid to Thomas E. Mahoney in reimbursement for amount of execution issued against him on account of his acts as a member of the Police Department, said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

6. Report on petition of Owen J. Heaney, Jr. (referred January 17) to be reimbursed as a result of an execution issued against him on account of his acts as a member of the Police Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That the sum of forty-eight hundred dollars ($4,800) be allowed and paid to Owen J. Heaney, Jr., in reimbursement for amount of execution issued against him on account of his acts as a member of the Police Department, said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

The reports were accepted, and the orders were severally passed.

PROGRESS REPORT ON MASTER PLAN FOR OFF-STREET PARKING.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Ordered, that his Honor the Mayor be requested to inform the City Council as to what progress, if any, has been made with reference to the order introduced on October 11, 1954, regarding the development of a Master Plan for parking facilities in the City of Boston which was passed under suspension of the rules.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

PROMPT PAYMENT TO DRUGGISTS.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That the Director of Administrative Services be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to inquire into the operation of the Public Welfare Department:

1. With respect to the payment to druggists for drugs and medicines and particularly whether such payments are unduly delayed; and

2. Whether a standard schedule of prices for various drugs and medicines has been established by the Public Welfare Department upon which druggists can rely.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

NOTICES OF COMMITTEE HEARINGS TO COUNCILLORS.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Ordered, That the Clerk of Committees of the City Council be, and is hereby, requested and directed to send by mail to each City Councillor notice setting forth the date, time, place, and subject matter of each proposed meeting of each and every committee of the City Council; and that a copy of said notice be left with the Council secretary of each City Councillor and that a copy of said notice be posted on the bulletin board on the Council floor in advance of any meeting.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

COMMITTEE TO STUDY GROUP INSURANCE AND ACCIDENT AND HEALTH PLANS.

Coun. McCORMACK and FOLEY offered the following:

Whereas, The City Council is vitally interested in maintaining an optimum of efficiency in the administration of municipal and county affairs; and

Whereas, High morale amongst the over 20,000 City of Boston and County of Suffolk employees is a condition precedent to maximum efficiency; and

Whereas, The federal and state employees will soon be eligible to participate in contributory accident and health insurance as a means of giving fringe benefits in lieu of payroll increases; and

Whereas, Chapter 239 of the Acts of 1952 enables cities and towns to bring low-cost insurance to employees and their families; therefore, be it

Ordered, That a committee of three be appointed to investigate all phases of group insurance accident and health plans and the pos-

sibility of the City of Boston adopting a program of employer-employee contributory insurance; and be it further

Ordered, That this committee shall be appointed by his Honor the Mayor, and consist of a representative of his Honor the Mayor, a member of the Boston City Council to be appointed by the President of the City Council, and a representative of the city employees; and that this committee make its report and recommendations not later than July 1, 1955, and that such report shall be printed as a public document.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

PRESERVATION OF BEACON HILL.

Coun. FOLEY, upon receiving unanimous consent to make a statement, stated that Councillor Kerrigan and he, as directors of the Old South Association, invited the members of the Council to attend a meeting this evening of the Committee to Preserve Beacon Hill, at Mt. Vernon street and Charles street.

RESURFACING WASHINGTON STREET, BETWEEN EGLESTON SQUARE AND FOREST HILLS.

Coun. KERRIGAN, WHITE, McLAUGHLIN, and HAILER offered the following:

Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to resurface Washington street, between Egleston square and Forest Hills.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

RESTORATION OF STREETCAR SERVICE ON WASHINGTON STREET, BETWEEN EGLESTON SQUARE AND FOREST HILLS.

Coun. KERRIGAN, WHITE, McLAUGHLIN, and HAILER offered the following:

Ordered, That the Trustees of the M.T.A. be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to restore streetcar service on Washington street, between Egleston square and Forest Hills, after 8 P.M., daily and Sundays.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

INSPECTION OF GAS MAINS.

Coun. HAILER offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be requested, for reasons of public safety, to ask the officials of the Boston Consolidated Gas Company to inspect their gas mains throughout the city, especially where land is settled, for the purpose of detecting leaks.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

Adjourned at 5.55 P.M., on motion of Councillor Foley, to meet on Monday, January 31, 1955, at 2 P.M.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.
(Stenographic copy of such debate on file in office of City Clerk.)

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective January 31, 1955:

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out the following:

Call Street, Charlestown.
Both sides, from Chelsea street to dead end, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Court Square, Boston Proper.
East side, easterly arm, from the south property line of No. 10 Court square to a point forty-five (45) feet north of the south property line of No. 10 Court square, 24 hours.

Deaconess Road, Roxbury.
Southwest side, from Brookline avenue to Pilgrim road, 24 hours.

Dorchester Avenue, Dorchester.
East side, from Richmond street to Adams street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.
West side, from Richmond street to Adams street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Huntington Avenue, Roxbury.
Northwest side, from a point one hundred (100) feet northeast of Wigglesworth street to Riverway, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from Tremont street to Jamaicaway, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.

Joiner Street, Charlestown.
Both sides, from Park street to Water street, 24 hours.

Magazine Street, Roxbury.
South side, from Massachusetts avenue to Norfolk avenue, 24 hours.
South side, from the easterly property line of the Home for Aged Poor to Dudley street, 24 hours.

Main Street, Charlestown.
West side, from City square to Henley street, 24 hours.

Massachusetts Avenue, Boston Proper, Dorchester, and Roxbury.
Southwest side, from Edward Everett square to No. 567 Massachusetts avenue, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," the following:

Avon street.
Southwest side, from Washington street to Chauncy street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the captions "Boston Proper," "Dorchester," and "Roxbury," the following:

Massachusetts Avenue.
Southwest side, from Edward Everett square to Albany street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Albany street to a point two hundred and fifteen (215) feet northwest of Albany street, 24 hours.
Southwest side, from a point two hundred and fifteen (215) feet northwest of Albany street to No. 567 Massachusetts avenue, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," each of the following:

Richardson Street.
North and west sides, from Mackin street to Western avenue, 24 hours.

Summit Avenue.
Northeast side, from the Brookline line to Commonwealth avenue, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Charlestown," each of the following:

Call Street.
Both sides, from John F. Fitzgerald Expressway to Chelsea street, 24 hours.

Joiner Street.
Both sides, from Water street to John F. Fitzgerald Expressway, 24 hours.

Main Street.
Both sides, from City square to Henley street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," each of the following:

Deaconess Road.
Southwest side, from Binney street to Pilgrim road, 24 hours.

Huntington Avenue.
Northwest side, from a point one hundred (100) feet northeast of Wigglesworth street to a point three hundred and fifty (350) feet northeast of Riverway, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Northwest side, from a point three hundred and fifty (350) feet northeast of Riverway to Riverway, 24 hours.
Southeast side, from Tremont street to South Huntington avenue, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.
Southeast side, from South Huntington avenue to Jamaicaway, 24 hours.

Magazine Street.
Southeast side, from Massachusetts avenue to Dudley street, 24 hours.

South Huntington Avenue.
Both sides, from Huntington avenue to a point one hundred (100) feet south of Huntington avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "South Boston," the following:

Leeds Street.
South side, from Dorchester avenue to Woodward street, 24 hours.
North side, from Dorchester avenue to a point eighty-three (83) feet east of Dorchester avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "West Roxbury," each of the following:

Centre Street.
South side, from West Roxbury Parkway to a point one hundred and sixty-five (165) feet west of West Roxbury Parkway, 24 hours.

Glade Avenue.
Northwest side, from Glen road to the dead end, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by striking out the following:

Court Square, Boston Proper.
East side, easterly arm, from the southerly arm to the south property line of No. 10 Court square, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, easterly arm, from a point forty-five (45) feet north of the south property line of No. 10 Court square to Court street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," the following:

Court Square.
East side, easterly arm, from the southerly arm to Court street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 6, Part 3 (Restrictions in Cent and Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Dorchester Avenue.
Both sides, from Richmond street to Adams street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 6, Part 3 (Restrictions in Cent and Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Columbus Avenue.
Northwest side, from Station street to Tremont street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Southeast side, from Texas street to the northerly line of property of Police Station No. 10, 10 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 16A, Part 2 (Vehicles Owned by the United States Government May Be Parked Without Time Limit at the Curb in the Following Streets), is amended by striking out the following:

Court Square, Boston Proper.
East side, easterly arm, from the south property line of No. 10 Court square to a point forty-five (45) feet north of the south property line of No. 10 Court square.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by striking out the following:

Joiner Street, Charlestown.
From Water street to Park street.
Owen Street, Dorchester.
From Tiverton road to Morton street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," each of the following:

Nonantum Street.
From Cufflin street to Washington street.
Nottinghill Road.
From No. 24 Nottinghill road, thence in a southerly, easterly, northerly, and westerly direction to the point of beginning at No. 24 Nottinghill road.
Richardson Street.
From Mackin street to Western avenue.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Charlestown," each of the following:

Call Street.
From John F. Fitzgerald Expressway to Chelsea street.
Joiner Street.
From Water street to John F. Fitzgerald Expressway.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," each of the following:

Edge Hill Street.
From Round Hill street to Gay Head street.
Round Hill Street.
From Gay Head street to Edge Hill street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "South Boston," the following:

Baxter Street.
From E street to D street.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," the following:

Guest Street.
At Life street.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Old Road.
At Ellington street.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Massachusetts Avenue.
At Magazine street.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "South Boston," the following:

E Street.
At Fargo street.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "West Roxbury," the following:

Hilburn Street.
At Whitford street.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of underground construction by the Boston Edison Company, estimated to be one (1) week, parking of vehicles is prohibited in the following street, effective January 31, 1955:

Clarendon Street, Boston Proper.
West side, from St. James avenue to Stuart street.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION.

TYPEWRITER INSPECTOR AND TECHNICIAN, BOSTON ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION, PRINTING SECTION, MARCH 12, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, February 21, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $58 a week; the maximum salary is $70.50 a week.

Vacancies: At present there are two vacancies for males, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: Under general supervision, to inspect typewriters in order to determine whether the condition of each machine warrants exchange, rebuilding, or minor repairs, and to overhaul, service, rebuild, or make minor repairs, as indicated; and to perform related work as required.

At present there are standard and electric Remington; standard, manual elite and portable Royal; standard and portable L. C. Smith; standard and portable Underwood; standard and electric Burroughs; standard and electric IBM; and standard Smith-Corona typewriters in use in the various departments of the City of Boston.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

PROCEEDINGS OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Dec. 20, 1954.

A regular meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building at 5 P. M., the Chairman presiding.

Present: Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward.

INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS MACHINES

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the Business Manager is hereby authorized to include in the budget for 1955 a sum sufficient to cover the rental of the following International Business Machine equipment aid to contract with the International Business Machine Corporation for the installation of such equipment under terms approved by the City of Boston Law Department:

Quantity	Type	Description	Monthly Charge
1	024	Alphabetic-Numeric Code Puncn	$ 35.00
1	056	Numeric Verifier	35.00
1	082	Card Sorter	60.00
1	514	Reproducing Card Punch	85.00
1	552	Alphabetic Interpreter	75.00
1	402	Accounting Machine-Model F9	300.00
			$590.00

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the Business Manager is hereby authorized to include in the budget for 1955 a sum sufficient to cover the cost of purchase or rental of supplies needed for the effective use of the foregoing machine installations.

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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TRANSFERS OF APPROPRIATIONS

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the following transfer is hereby made in the Budget and Annual Appropriation Order for Instruction in the fiscal year 1954:—

FROM	
Educational Direction and Supervision, Salaries	$8,000.00
TO	
Evening and Summer Schools, Salaries	7,000.00
Evening and Summer Schools, Supplies	1,000.00
	$8,000.00

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the following transfer is hereby made in the Budget and Annual Appropriation Order for Instruction in the fiscal year 1954:

FROM	
Special Education, Salaries	$20,000.00
TO	
Latin and Day High Schools, Supplies	$20,000.00

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the following transfer is hereby made in the Budget and Annual Appropriation Order for Auxiliary Services in the fiscal year 1954:

FROM	
School Physicians and Nurses, Salaries	$800.00
TO	
School Medical Aids, Salaries	$800.00

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the following transfer is hereby made in the Budget and Annual Appropriation Order for Auxiliary Services in the fiscal year 1954:

FROM	
School Physicians and Nurses, Salaries	$3,000.00
TO	
Extended Use of Public Schools, Salaries	$3,000.00

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the following transfer is hereby made in the Budget and Annual Appropriation Order for Operation of Plant in the fiscal year 1954:

FROM	
Office of Schoolhouse Custodian, Salaries	$300.00
TO	
Telephone, Salaries	$300.00

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the following transfers are hereby made in the Budget and Annual Appropriation Order for Fixed Charges in the fiscal year 1954:

FROM	
Workmen's Compensation, Salaries	$10,000.00
Medical Services, Supplies	5,000.00
	$15,000.00
TO	
Pensions to Veterans, Salaries	$15,000.00

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the following transfer is hereby made in the Budget and Annual Appropriation Order for the fiscal year 1954:

FROM		
Fixed Charges, Tuition of wards of city		$40,000.00
TO		
Operation of Plant:		
Custodians' Salaries		10,000.00
Fuel, Supplies		18,000.00
Light and Power, Supplies		12,000.00
(Electricity	$10,000.00)	$40,000.00
Incandescent Electric Lamps	2,000.00)	

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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SALARY OF SECRETARY, BOSTON TRADE HIGH SCHOOL

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That Helen L. Mahoney, secretary, Boston Trade High School, is hereby placed on the fourth year of the salary of the rank, namely, twenty eight hundred sixty-eight dollars ($2868) per annum, to take effect Jan. 1, 1955.

On roll call the regulations were suspended and the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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RECESS

The Committee recessed at 6:15 P. M.

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At 10:26 P. M. the meeting was again called to order.

Present: Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco.

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APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The reading of the minutes of the meeting of Nov. 8, 23, and 29, 1954, was omitted, the Committee approving them as printed.

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CHRISTMAS MESSAGE

The following letter from Superintendent Haley to the Members of the School Department was ordered spread upon the records:

To All Members of the School Department:

With the coming of the Christmas Season it is especially gratifying to extend cordial greetings and to convey renewed expressions of deep appreciation for your continuing contributions to the effectiveness of our school system. Your generous spirit of cooperation, manifest in all mutual undertakings, strengthens confidence in the ability of our school system to accomplish successfully whatever tasks may lie ahead.

The members of the School Committee join with me in wishing for you the choicest blessings of the Christmas Season and Peace and Happiness throughout the New Year. May God grant each and every one the wisdom and the courage to meet bravely and cheerfully each challenge of the New Year, and the vision and the energy to recognize and to use each opportunity.

As we face the New Year, united in the resolution to provide the richest possible educational experiences for our boys and girls, let us also reflect upon this inspiring and appropriate message of an unknown poet:

May every soul that touches mine—
Be it the slightest contact,
Get therefrom some good,
Some little grace, one kindly thought,
One aspiration yet unfelt,
One bit of courage for the darkening sky,
One gleam of faith,
To brave the thickening ills of life,
One glimpse of brighter skies beyond the gathering mist,
To make this life worthwhile,
And Heaven a surer heritage.

Sincerely yours,
DENNIS C. HALEY,
Superintendent
Boston Public Schools.

December, 1954

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AMENDMENT TO MINUTES

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the minutes of Aug. 16, 1954, are hereby amended on page 294 by striking out under Appointments-From the Eligible List, the appointment of Albert E. Foulkes, Boston Technical High School, and substituting in place thereof the following:

"Boston Technical High School --Alfred E. Foulkes, senior instructor, mechanic arts (fifth year salary — $4080 — anniversary date Sept. 1), Sept. 1, 1954."

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee and Musco—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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TRANSFER OF APPROPRIATIONS

The following communication was presented:

City of Boston
Department of School Buildings
26 Norman Street, Boston
December 20, 1954

Miss Agnes E. Reynolds
Secretary, Boston School Committee
15 Beacon Street
Boston 8, Massachusetts

Dear Miss Reynolds:—

The following proposed transfer order has been received by

the Board of Commissioners of School Buildings:—

ORDERED, That of the amounts appropriated by the School Committee on April 5, 1954 (see p. 133), to meet the estimated cost of "alteration and repair of school buildings and for furniture, fixtures, and means of escape in case of fire, and for fire protection of existing buildings, and for improving existing school yards," for the fiscal year 1954, the following sum is hereby transferred:

FROM

Item E General Alterations and Repairs $1,500.00

TO

Item B Administration Expenses:
Office expenses and Other Items $1,500.00

At a meeting of the Board of Commissioners of School Buildings held this date with all members present and voting, it was voted unanimously to report favorably on the above described proposed transfer, all as provided in Section 7 of Chapter 351 of the Acts of 1929.

Very truly yours,
Board of Commissioners of School Buildings:—
(Signed)
Joseph F. O'Connell, Jr.
Chairman.

Placed on file.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That of the amounts appropriated by the School Committee on April 5, 1954 (see p. 133), to meet the estimated cost of "alteration and repair of school buildings and for furniture, fixtures, and means of escape in case of fire, and for fire protection of existing buildings, and for improving existing school yards," for the fiscal year 1954, the following sum is hereby transferred:

FROM

Item E. General Alterations and Repairs $1,500.00

TO

Item B. Administration Expenses:
Office Expenses and Other Items $1,500.00

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee and Musco—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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IN MEMORIAM

The Superintendent regretfully reported the deaths of the following-named teachers:

Phillips Brooks District—Mary J. Hynes, teacher, elementary, Dec. 6, 1954.

Washington Allston District — John F. Barnicle, principal, Dec. 2, 1954.

Placed on file.

The Superintendent regretfully reported the deaths of the following-named teachers who had been retired on pension:

Agassiz District—Alice Greene, Oct. 20, 1954.

John Marshall District — Margaret R. Wight, Nov. 22, 1954.

Department of Industrial Arts —Ellen N. Nolan, Oct. 21, 1954.

Placed on file.

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The Superintendent regretfully reported the deaths of the following-named custodians who had been retired on pension under the provisions of the Veterans' Retirement System:

Edward Everett School—Robert E. Donnelly, Nov. 17, 1954.

Patrick F. Lyndon School—Charles G. Deehan, Dec. 6, 1954.

Washington Allston School—Nicholas Innis, Dec. 1, 1954.

Placed on file.

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The School Committee requested that a letter of condolence, to be signed by the Secretary, be sent to the families of the bereaved.

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RESIGNATION

The Superintendent reported the resignation of Louis Cohen, M.D., school physician, Department of School Hygiene, to take effect Nov. 29, 1954.

Accepted.

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RETIREMENTS ON PENSION

The Superintendent reported the retirement from active service of the following-named members of the State-Boston Retirement System, to take effect Dec. 31, 1954, as reported by the Boston Retirement Board:

Hugh O'Brien District—Margaret A. Gosnell, teacher, elementary.

South Boston High School—Stephen V. White, master.

Trade High School for Girls—Marie F. Libourel, head of department.

Department of School Hygiene —Hulda Cederstrom, Della V. Egan, school nurses.

Placed on file.

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The Superintendent reported the retirement from active service, on account of accidental disability, in conformity with the provisions of Sec. 7, Chapter 658 of the Acts of 1945, as amended, of Helen A. Messenheimer, cafeteria attendant, Department of School Lunches, to take effect Dec. 31, 1954, as reported by the Boston Retirement Board.

Placed on file.

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HONORARY TITLE

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That in consideration of her many years of devoted and efficient service in the Boston Public Schools, the following-named person who retired, be granted the honorary title indicated, to take effect Sept. 1, 1953:

Edmund P. Tileston District—Ona I. Nolan, principal emerita.

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee and Musco—4
NAYS—0
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1

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APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS

The following nominations and transfers by the Superintendent, certified by him as being in accordance with the rules and regulations, were presented:

(TRANSER OF PRINCIPAL)

Henry L. Ford, principal Patrick T. Campbell Junior High School, to the same position in the Washington Allston District. Jan. 1, 1955.

On roll call the transfer was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee and Musco—4
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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(FROM THE ELIGIBLE LIST

Instruction of Physically Handicapped Children — Alice H. O'Leary, teacher of physically handicapped children (third year salary, $3780, anniversary date, Dec. 1) Dec. 22, 1954.

Esther G. Richards, teacher of physically handicapped children (minimum salary—$3492—anniversary date Dec. 1) Dec. 22, 1954.

Department or Physical Education—Joseph A. Crowley, junior master, physical education (seventh year salary—$4368—anniversary date Jan. 1.), Jan. 24, 1955.

On roll call the rules were suspended and the appointments approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee and Musco—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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(BY PROMOTION)

Principal

Patrick T. Campbell Junior High School—Francis E. Harrington, principal (from submaster, Abraham Lincoln-Quincy District), Jan. 1, 1955.

Submasters

Abraham Lincoln-Quincy District—Charles L. McCarthy, submaster (from junior master, Boston Latin School), Jan. 1, 1955.

Ellis Mendell District—Thomas J. Lynch, submaster (from teacher, junior high, Donald McKay Junior High School), Jan. 1, 1955.

On roll call the rules were suspended and the appointments approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Ward, 1.

(CHANGE IN RANK)

Girls' High School—Margaret A. Learson, assistant (from senior assistant, Trade High School for Girls), Jan. 1, 1955.

On roll call the rules were suspended and the appointment approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee and Musco—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Dec. 20, 1954, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee and at the request of the teacher concerned, he has appointed James N. McCormick, shop instructor, cooperative branches, East Boston High School, to shop instructor, Department of Industrial Arts, Dec. 9, 1954.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee and Musco—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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(M. GERTRUDE GODVIN SCHOOL)

M. Gertrude Godvin School—Francis R. Coen, teacher, junior high, (from teacher, junior high, Abraham Lincoln-Quincy District), Jan. 1, 1955.

On roll call the rules were suspended and the appointment approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee and Musco—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Dec. 20, 1954, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has rescinded the transfer of Francis R. Coen, teacher, junior high, Abraham Lincoln-Quincy District, to the M. Gertrude Godvin School, to take effect Jan. 1, 1955, as reported at the meeting of Nov. 23, 1954.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the transfer was rescinded by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee and Musco—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Dec. 20, 1954, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has made the following transfers of teachers, to take effect on the dates stated:

Marie H. Campbell, teacher, elementary, Longfellow District, to the same position in the Hart-Gaston-Perry District, Jan. 1, 1955.

Elizabeth G. Sloane, assistant, Dorchester High School, to the same position in the Jeremiah E. Burke High School for Girls, Jan. 1, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the transfers were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee and Musco—4

NAYS—0

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Dec. 20, 1954, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has transferred Elenore F. Daly, medical aid, Dorchester High School, to the same position, Jeremiah E. Burke High School for Girls, to take effect Jan. 1, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the transfer was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee and Musco—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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LIST OF TEACHERS APPROVED FOR TEMPORARY SERVICE

The Superintendent submitted, under the provisions of Section 265, paragraph 3 of the regulations, the following list of teachers approved by him from which assignments may be made for temporary service:

Richard A. Barrett, James P. Berluti, Joseph C. Bettinelli, Elaine Smith Black, David F. Brayton, Elsie Taylor Bruce, Katherine Morrison Butler, Frances H. Callahan, Helen Reardon Carnes, Claire Corcoran Carten, Dorothy Cutts Clark, Mary Moran Coleman, Joseph M. Crotty, Lois Littleton Davis, Anthony F. DeDomenico, Janet M. DiPesa, Dorothy Hynes Foley, Mary Carven Freno, George M. Garrity, Joseph E. Gillis, Dorothy Wolf Goldkrand, Nancy D. Guzelian, Doris Russell Haddleton, James F. Hart, Ruth Sauer Hatch, Rufina McCarthy Helmer, Mary Hennessy Hennessey, Thomas C. Horan, Joseph L. Ippolito, Mary Meehan Jennings, Irving A. Krutter, Marjorie Arthur Lamkin, Madelon Kelley Levis, Jeannine Hastings Lyons, John E. Mangini, Pauline Browne McConnell, Paul M. McDermott, Elizabeth Higgins Moloney, Janet F. Murphy, James E. Murray, Margaret Scanlan O'Connell, Daniel P. O'Connor, John J. O'Donnell, Jr., Mildred Glennon O'Regan, Helen Holland Renison, Rochelle Breier Rubinstein, Sheldon H. Sarnevitz, Louise Shedrick Saunders, Lester T. Smith, Marie McDevitt Smith, Evelyn Costello Sousa, Edna Coburn Sullivan, Rhoda Henderson Thomas, Alice A. Thompson, Isabel Sefton Van Moortel, Elizabeth Cronin Waldron, Alice Yerkes Worthley.

Visual Tester

Esther Connolly Brewer

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the list of teachers was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee and Musco—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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DEPARTMENT OF ADULT EDUCATIONAL AND RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES

(Evening Schools)

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Dec. 20, 1954, reporting, subject to the approval of the School Committee, the appointment of the following-named persons for service in the evening schools for the term 1954-55:

Dorchester Evening Commercial High School—Julian Goulston, assistant, Oct. 26 to 28, 1954 (two evenings).

Roxbury Evening Commercial High School—Ralph C. Good, assistant, Oct. 26, 1954 (one evening).

Brighton Evening School—Paul G. Buchanan, assistant, Nov. 23, 1954.

Roslindale Evening School—Marguerite F. Kearney, assistant, Nov. 18, 1954 (Thursday evenings only).

South End Evening School—John W. Whelan, assistant, Nov. 2 to 4, 1954 (two evenings); Florence I. Walsh, assistant, Nov. 18, 1954.

Boston Evening Trade School—Francis P. Keane, toolkeeper, Nov. 9, 1954.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee and Musco—4

NAYS—0

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1

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(Extended Use)

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Dec. 20, 1954, reporting, subject to the approval of the School Committee, the assignments of the following-named persons to serve in the Department of Adult Educational and Recreational Activities, Extended Use Division, for the term 1954-55:

Assignments

Carlos A. Faria, Nov. 3, 1954; Harold J. Lawlor, Dec. 1, 1954; Charles F. O'Hara, Barbara A. Donohue, Dec. 6, 1954; John J. Fitzgerald, Dec. 10, 1954.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the assignments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

INSTRUCTION OF PHYSICALLY HANDICAPPED CHILDREN

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Dec. 20, 1954, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has assigned the following-named temporary teachers for instruction of physicially handicapped children, to take affect on the dates stated:

Marie L. Golden, Nov. 30, 1954; Clare F. Shruhan, Dec. 8, 1954.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee and Musco—4

NAYS—0

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1

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LEAVES OF ABSENCE

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Dec. 20, 1954, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has discontinued the leave of absence for maternity granted the following-named teacher at the meeting of Oct. 4, 1954, to take effect on the date stated:

Dearborn District—Janis J. Guild, teacher, permanent substitute, Dec. 5, 1954.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the discontinuance of leave of absence was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Dec. 20, 1954, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has discontinued the leave of absence granted John J. Buckley, master, Hyde Park High School, at the meeting of Nov. 8, 1954, said discontinuance to take effect Dec. 14, 1954.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the discontinuance of leave of absence was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4

NAYS—0

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Dec. 20, 1954, recommending that leave of absence without pay for maternity be granted the following-named teacher, to take effect on the date indicated and to continue until terminated by the Superintendent with the approval of the School Committee, provided that such leave shall be for a period of at least three months after the date of birth and provided further that no such leave shall in any event exceed eighteen months:

Woodrow Wilson Junior High School Ruth F. Byrne, teacher junior high, Nov. 29, 1954.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the leave of absence without pay was granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee and Musco—4

NAYS—0

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Dec. 20, 1954, recommending subject to the approval of the School Committee and under a suspension of the regulations that leave of absence without pay be granted the following-named teachers for the terms specified:

John Marshall District—Charles P. O'Neill, teacher, elementary, Sept. 1, 1954 to Feb. 28, 1955.

Patrick F. Gavin Junior High School—Elizabeth J. Moynahan, teacher, junior high, Oct. 1 to Dec. 31, 1954.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the regulations were suspended and the leaves of absence granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee and Musco—4

NAYS—0

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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DESIGNATIONS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Dec. 20, 1954, reporting that he has made the following designations of teachers to serve in the positions indicated until such time as they shall be filled otherwise, in accordance with the rules and regulations, but not beyond Aug. 31, 1955:

Ellis Mendell District—Arthur E. Foster, temporary teacher, as acting submaster (vice Edward J. Markham, absent on leave Sept. 1 to Nov. 30, 1954—retired Nov. 30, 1954), Sept. 1, 1954.

William E Endicott District—Elizabeth M. Cleary, teacher, elementary, as acting vice principal (vice Anna L. Gormley, absent on leave), Nov. 8, 1954.

Placed on file.

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REPORT ON MARRIED TEACHER

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Dec. 20, 1954, reporting that in accordance with the provisions of Section 283 of the regulations, the following-named female teacher has reported that she was married on the date indicated:

Robert Treat Paine District—Mary C. Collins, teacher, elementary, married Nov. 27, 1954, new name Mary C. Ball.

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT OF DIRECTOR OF SCHOOL HYGIENE

A communication was received from the Secretary, under date of Dec. 20, 1954, reporting that the Board of Commissioners of Civil Service, under date of Dec. 9, 1954, notified her of its authorization of the transfer of Doctor Martin H. Spellman from the position of Medical Examiner in the Fire Department, City of Boston, to that of Director of School Hygiene, in the Boston School Department.

Placed on file.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the appointment of Doctor Martin H. Spellman by transfer from the position of Medical Examiner in the Fire Department, City of Boston, to that of Director of School Hygiene, Boston Public Schools, shall take effect Dec. 15, 1954.

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee and Musco—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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SALARIES OF CLERKS, ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICES

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the salary or compensation of the following-named persons employed in the Administrative Offices and the Supply Room is hereby established as follows, to take effect Jan. 1, 1955, unless otherwise stated:

Offices of the Superintendent-Secretary
Assistants

	Per Week
Lillian J. Baker, Apr. 6, 1955	$64.18
Marie T. Barry	79.18
Mary G. Benson, Apr. 7, 1955	56.18
Ruth V. Brennan, Dec. 23, 1955	82.18
Dorothy M. Canniff, Oct. 13, 1955	52.18
Lulu Clark	79.18
M. Mildred Coughlin, July 7, 1955	50.18
Frances C. Cronin, Jan 4, 1955	59.18
Grace C. Cunningham, June 22, 1955	64.18
Mary E. Delay, Jan. 4, 1955	59.18
Mary T. Donnelly, Jan. 4, 1955	59.18
Alice L. Gould, Apr. 7, 1955	56.18
Kathryn A. Hodgins, Jan. 26, 1955	64.18
Mary E. Levesque, May 29, 1955	61.18
Alice W. Mahony, May 29, 1955	61.18
Barbara A. Maraggia Apr. 21, 1955	61.18
Rosa A Murray, Apr. 21, 1955	57.50
Elizabeth M. Penny, Jan. 14, 1955	56.18
Nora J Riley, Feb. 12, 1955	61.18
Anne A. Slattery, July 14, 1955	57.50

Office of the Business Manager

Esther L. Crowley, assistant, May 2, 1955	64.18
Grace K. Cunniff, assistant, Jan. 4, 1955	59.18
Alice L Johnson, assistant, Mar. 21, 1955	59.18
Beatrice C. Murray, assistant, Jan. 4, 1955	59.18
Grace V. O'Conner, assistant, Jan. 20, 1955	56.18

Supply Room

James A. Farrell, storeroom helper, Aug. 4, 1955	68.18
Louise D. Harris, assistant, Aug. 25, 1955	50.18

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee and Musco—4

NAYS—0

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1

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CLOSING OF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICES

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the administrative offices and supply room

of the School Committee be closed on Friday, Dec 24, 1954, and on Friday, Dec. 31, 1954.

On roll call the regulations were suspended and the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4

NAYS—0

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1

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ATTENDANCE AT CONVENTION

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Dec. 20, 1954, submitting, in accordance with the provisions of Section 3 of Chapter 274 of the Acts of 1914, report of Dennis C. Haley, Superintendent of Schools, on his attendance at the Meeting of Superintendents in Cities with Population over 200,000, which was held in Louisville, Kentucky, Oct. 13 to 16, 1954, inclusive.

Placed on file.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the attendance of Leo C. Renaud Veterans' Services, at the Annual Convention of the American Vocational Association, held at San Francisco, California, Dec. 1 to 10, 1954, inclusive, at an expense to the city not to exceed four hundred one dollars and seventy-six cents ($401.76), is hereby approved.

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee and Musco—4

NAYS—0

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That Joseph McKenney, Director of Physical Education, is hereby authorized to attend the Annual Meeting of the National Collegiate Football Rules Committee, to be held in New York City, Jan. 10 to 12, 1955, inclusive, at an expense to the City not to exceed seventy-five dollars ($75).

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee and Musco—4

NAYS—0

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1

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DEMOLITION OF SCHOOL BUILDING

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the Hawes Hall School, Broadway, South Boston, be demolished.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1

FIRST PLACE AWARD TO BOSTON TRADE HIGH SCHOOL IN NATIONAL COMPETITION

The following communication was presented:

December 2, 1954.

Mr. William F. Carr
Chairman
Boston School Committee
15 Beacon Street
Boston 8, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Carr:

"The Craftsman," the Yearbook of the Boston Trade High School, published in June 1954, has been awarded first place in a national competition conducted by the Scholastic Press Association of Columbia University, New York City. Seventy-four Yearbooks from Maine to California were evaluated in the vocational high school field. This is the fourth consecutive year that the highest rank has been awarded to this publication.

The citation which describes the National Award contains many laudatory comments concerning the excellent quality of the instruction given to students in the Printing and English Departments of the Boston Trade High School.

The National Award is a distinction which reflects honor on the Public School Department of the City of Boston.

Sincerely yours,
(Signed) E. M. McDonough,
Head Master.

Placed on file and the Secretary was directed to extend the congratulations of the School Committee to the Head Master, the faculty, and the pupils for the excellent work which has been accomplished in the publication of "The Craftsman."

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WEEKDAY RELIGIOUS EDUCATION COMMITTEE

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Dec. 20, 1954, reporting that Mr. James L. Heggie has resigned as a member of the Weekday Religious Education Committee and recommending the appointment of Marjorie E. Kiefer to serve in place of Mr. Heggie.

Placed on file.

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On roll call, the appointment of Marjorie Kiefer as a member of the Weekday Religious Education Committee was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee and Musco—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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ANNUAL STATISTICS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Dec. 20, 1954, submitting the Annual Statistics for the Boston Public Schools for the school year 1953-54, being School Document No. 8, 1954.

Placed on file.

TRANSFERS OF CUSTODIANS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Dec. 20, 1954, recommending that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, the following-named senior building custodians, who by seniority and merit, stand at the head of their respective lists, be transferred to the schools indicated, to take effect Nov. 10, 1954:

Cecil E. Atkins, from the Andrew Jackson School to the custodianship of the Winship School.

Paul E. Burke, from the Henry Grew School to the custodianship of the Dillaway School.

Philip P. Doherty, from the William H. Kent School to the custodianship of the Eliot School

John R. Donlon, from the Mayhew School to the custodianship of the Thomas Gardner School

John J. Dooley, from the Washington-Irving Junior High School to the custodianship of English High School

James J. Dunn, from the Dearborn School to the custodianship of the Grover Cleveland Junior High School

Henry J. Fitzgerald, from the William Howard Taft Junior High School to the custodianship of the East Boston High School

Albert A. Fitzpatrick, from the John J. Williams School to the custodianship of the Williams School

John E. Foley, unassigned to the custodianship of the Frothingham School

Richard J. Hennessey, from the William Bacon School to the custodianship of the Joshua Bates School

Leo R. Howe, from the Farragut School to the custodianship of the David L. Barrett School

Joseph B. Madden, from the Emily A. Fifield School to the custodianship of the Hyde School

Chester L. Musgrave, from English High School to the custodianship of Boston Technical High School

Arthur F. Nugent, from the Edward Everett School to the custodianship of the Farragut School

Philip Rosenberg, from the Albert Palmer School to the custodianship of the William Bradford School

William H. Scott, from the Franklin School to the custodianship of the Quincy E. Dickerman School

Alfred T. Short, unassigned to the Louisa May Alcott School

Michael P. Tesauro, from the Beethoven School to the custodianship of the Martha A. Baker School

Vincent Wynne, from the Florence Nightingale School to the custodianship of the Champlain School.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the transfers were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee and Musco—4

NAYS—0

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1

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A communieation was reeeived from the Superintendent, under date of Dec. 20, 1954, reeommending that, subjeet to the approval of the School Committee, the following-named senior building custodians, who by seniority and merit, stand at the head of their respeetive lists, be transferred to the schools indieated, to take effect Dee. 8, 1954:

Edward Boles, from Jamaica Plain High Sehool to the custodianship of the William Howard Taft Junior High Sehool

Philip J. Canavan, unassagned to the eustodianship of the Florenee Nightingale Sehool

James F. Gately, from the Charles H. Taylor School to the custodianship of the Andrew Jaekson Sehool

Gerard J. Harrington, from the James P. Timilty Junior High Sehool to the custodianship of the Washington-Irving Junior High Sehool

Philip J. Healey, from the Benjamin Cushing School to the custodianship of the Edward Everett Sehool

Edwin R. Hennessey, from the Ira Allen Sehool to the eustodianship of the Franklin Sehool

James A. Kelley, from the Elbridge Smith School to the eustodianship of the Albert Palmer Sehool

Eugene A. Leonard, from the Thomas J. Kenny School to the custodianship of the John Marshall Sehool

Thomas A. Magee, from the Ellis Mendell Sehool to the eustodianship of the William Baeon Sehool

Angus W. Morrison, unassigned, to the eustodianship of the William H. Kent School

Martin D. Mullin, from the Bunker Hill School to the eustodianship of the Beethoven Sehool

Joseph F. Murphy, from the Lewis Junior High Sehool to the custodianship of the Dearborn Sehool

John J. Reid, unassigned, to the custodianship of the John J. Williams Sehool

Philip Rosenberg, from the William Bradford Sehool to the eustodianship of the Emily A. Fifield Sehool

William H. Scott, from the Quiney E. Diekerman Schoo! to the custodianship of the Mayhew Sehool

The communieation was plaeed on file and on roll call the transfers were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee and Musco—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

OUTDOOR HOCKEY OPPORTUNITIES

Mr. Lee: Mr. Chairman, before Miss Fitzgerald says something important I would like to get on the reeord something which I hope will have importanee later. I will be very brief. This is the subject of New England weather. This is in regard to the Physieal Edueation Department and the particular sport of hoekey.

This has been a normal winter with ice available in eertain ponds of the Metropolitan District starting the first Sunday in December. I, for instance, have found good hoekey playing on all of the last three Sundays, including yesterday.

I doubt if any Boston schoolboy, from the thirty or forty thousand of them, found any hoekey, exeept possibly a week ago when the eold spell was at its depth.

I want in later times to refer to that, with a view to seeing that more of our youngsters get the benefit of outdoor skating.

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THANKS TO CHAIRMAN

Miss Fitzgerald: I wish, Mr. Carr, this being the last meeting of 1954, to thank you as Chairman for the admirable conduet of meetings whieh you have given us during 1954 and for your fair, kindly, and firm exeeution of affairs as Chairman.

Chairman: Thank you. I eertainly appreciate those remarks.

Mr. Musco: I heartily eoneur in that, Mr. Chairman.

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REPORTS OF PROGRESS ON NEW CONSTRUCTION AND PROPOSED LEGISLATION

Mr. Museo: Mr. Chairman, I would like the approval of the members to spread upon the publie reeord a report whieh we have received from the Department of School Buildings as to the progress of new eonstruetion in our system so that it may be read by all. This report refers to the type of work whieh we are doing here in the Committee.

I would also like to submit a report of progress on the legislative bills whieh we have asked Mr. Frank O'Connor to follow through.

Beeause we may not have a ehanee to hold another meeting, I wonder if those reports may be plaeed on the public record.

Chairman: Certainly.

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The following is the report of progress on new construction:

City of Boston
Department of School Buildings
26 Norman Street
Dee. 20, 1954

Dr. Dennis C. Haley
Superintendent of Publie Schools
15 Beacon Street
Boston, Massaehusetts

Dear Dr. Haley:

I am submitting for your eonsideration report concerning the progress of the architeetural plans and eonstruetion plans for proposed school buildings which are now in the process of being drafted.

William E. Russell District - Elementary School.

Architeet has filed with this department what he eonsiders to be complete drawings excepting heating, ventilating and eleetrical drawings whieh are being prepared by this department. The architeet's final drawings are being eheeked, partieularly as relates to strueture and foundations. Heating, ventilating and plumbing drawings are 90% complete and specifications for same are being written at the present time.

Borings and test pits have been taken at the site; and information eoneerning the nature and load bearing value of soil determined by borings are being eorrelated with information shown on arehitect's drawings.

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Curtis Guild Addition

Working drawings, plan sections and details are being drafted and are well advanced, it being antieipated they will be eompleted within a three-week period. Both structural and plumbing plans are likewise very well advaneed, and specifieations for same are being written. Eleetrieal, heating and ventilating plans are keeping paee with architeetural plans.

Borings and test pits have been made at the site and information relative to soil value conditions is being eheeked with struetural foundation design.

Examination of the site has disclosed that the present rubble wall whieh borders the foundation wall of the proposed building has bulged so badly that it must be removed and be replaced by a reinforeed eonerete wall which will become part of the building.

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James J. Chittiek Addition

Arehiteetural, structural, framing plans, ineluding details, ete., will be eompleted in a ten-day period, and speeifieations are about 75% eompleted. Plumbing plans are 90% eompleted, and heating, ventilating and electrieal plans are progressing in the same ratio as the arehitect's plans

Borings have been taken at the site. Information gained from them is being compared with engineer's foundation design.

Very truly yours,
(Signed) James H. Mooney.
Superintendent of Construetion.

Placed on file.

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REPORT OF PROGRESS ON LEGISLATIVE BILLS

The following is the report of progress on legislative bills:

On Deeember 1, 1954 the following legislative bills were filed on behalf of the School Committee:

(1) An Act Relative to Appropriations for School Purposes in

the City of Boston. Petitioner: William F. Carr. Sponsor: Representative O'Loughlin of West Roxbury.

(2) An Act Authorizing the School Committee of the City of Boston to Increase the Annual Appropriation to Defray Certain Traveling and Other Necessary Expenses. Petitioner: William F. Carr. Sponsor: Representative O'Loughlin of West Roxbury.

(3) An Act to Provide for the Payment of Pensions Out of the Principal Account of the Permanent School Pension Fund. Petitioner: William F. Carr. Sponsor: Representative O'Sullivan of Boston.

Placed on file.

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COMMENDATION OF RADIO STATIONS

Mr. Musco: I recently have received from Mr. Heffernan, Administrative Assistant to the Superintendent, a report regarding the fine work that Radio Station WMEX has been doing in order to publicize the services and inform the public of the fine work that is being done in our schools. I have this report and I would like to submit it.

Chairman: Do you want that spread on the record?

Mr. Musco: Yes, sir.

Chairman: No objections.

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The following is the report of Mr. Heffernan:

This week the Tenth Annual Christmas Festival program of the Boston Public Schools will be broadcast over Radio Station WMEX. On this occasion it is most appropriate to express to the management and the entire staff the deep appreciation of the Boston School Committee for their generosity and cooperation in providing countless opportunities down through the years for our school personnel and pupils to present the aims and accomplishments of our schools to the public over the air.

Ever since the Boston School Department first employed the medium of radio, Station WMEX has made its facilities available for our use upon request, and the station personnel have shown the same sincere and effective interest in our programs as have our participating administrators, teachers, and pupils. Our Central Radio Workshop, in which pupils have prepared and rehearsed planned productions during recent years, has had free use of studios for rehearsals and has broadcast its programs from this station. Despite the enthusiastic and capable leadership of its director and assisting faculty members, this activity could not have been such a great success without the encouragement, assistance, and advice of the management and the staff of Radio Station WMEX.

The record of service of Radio Station WMEX to the Boston Public Schools has been outstanding and exemplary down through the years. It has been an invaluable factor—which we appreciate and commend most sincerely—in building better understanding and more effective support of our schools by the public for whom we strive conscientiously and untiringly to provide the best in education.

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Miss Fitzgerald: On behalf of the members I would like to express to Station WBMS the thanks of the Committee for the generosity of the Station in making available to the School Committee its facilities for various programs throughout the school year.

Weekly broadcasts have been given over Station WBMS covering various areas and levels of the Boston public school system, which have been of great value to the teachers and pupils in our schools as well as to the listening public.

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The Secretary was directed to send letters of thanks to both Radio Stations.

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The Committee adjourned.

Attest:

AGNES E. REYNOLDS
Secretary

Jan. 3, 1955.

The meeting for organization of the School Committee of the City of Boston for the current municipal year was held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, at 12:18 P. M.

Present: Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Mr. Lee, Mr. Musco, and Mr. Ward.

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Mr. Lee: The meeting will now be in order.

A notice sent to us by our Secretary states that this is the meeting for the organization of the School Committee.

In any case, God has spared the lives of all of us. We are all here again.

Miss Reynolds, would you read the relevant parts of the law which establish us as five persons in charge of schools?

Secretary: Under the provisions of Chapter 376 of the Acts of 1951, an Act amending and clarifying certain sections of the Act providing three optional plans of city government, the membership of the School Committee for the year 1955 is:

William S. Carr, Mary K. Fitzgerald, Joseph Lee, Louis F. Musco, and Michael J. Ward.

Mr. Lee: Thank you, Miss Reynolds.

In giving historic place to our meeting today—which is a short one—I would like to reflect that this committee of citizens of ours in charge of the schools has now been a longer time a part of the United States than its combined years as a part of the British kingdom or in transition from one to the other.

ELECTION OF CHAIRMAN

Mr. Lee: We now proceed to the business of choosing a chairman for this Committee, which has had such long standing in Massachusetts history; and I will read to you the first section of our Rules and Regulations which applies to this meeting:

"Section 1. The annual meeting of the School Committee for organization shall be held on the first Monday in January of each year. The School Committee shall be called to order by the member present whose original election as a member of the school committee of the city of Boston is of the earliest date, who shall preside until the chairman is chosen."

If there are no objections I will now call for nominations for the office of Chairman of the School Committee.

Do I hear any nominations?

Mr. Carr: Mr. Chairman, a point of inquiry. Is that the procedure we follow—that we nominate, or do we just vote?

Secretary: Normally we just elect on a roll call; but if there are any nominations, they may be presented.

Mr. Lee: A candidate nominated might wish to decline. Some one might speak a word for or against one candidate or another.

Mr. Carr: Mr. Chairman, it gives me a great deal of pleasure to place in nomination the name of Mary K. Fitzgerald.

Mr. Lee: Will the Secretary kindly record that nomination. I myself would like to nominate a man of great good will and of very long service, Mr. Michael J. Ward.

Mr. Ward: Mr. Chairman, in answer to the Chairman I would like to say that I would decline any desire to serve as chairman of this Committee because I have had that great honor and that great privilege at another time.

Mr. Chairman, I would like to place in nomination the name of a man who has had the second longest service in this Committee to myself. I would nominate a man who has been an integral part of the city of Boston over a period of years. He served on this Committee with distinction many years ago, and as a young man of forty years of age he aspired to be mayor of this city. After an unsuccessful campaign for mayor, the nominee I am going to name was appointed by two different mayors to the Park Commission of the City of Boston. He is well qualified by training and by experience to be chairman of this board; and I take great pleasure in nominating Joseph Lee as chairman of the School Committee.

Mr. Lee: Are there any further nominations? Any further discussions? If there is no objection I will ask Miss Reynolds to call the roll—alphabetically, I believe, is the usual way—and each person will then give the name of the candidate he or she is voting for.

On roll call, the members respectively voted as follows:

Mr. Carr: Mary K. Fitzgerald.

Miss Fitzgerald: I wish to say thank you to my colleague, Mr. Carr, and to vote for myself as chairman.

Mr. Lee: Lee.

Mr. Musco: Mary K. Fitzgerald.

Mr. Ward: Joseph Lee.

Secretary: Miss Fitzgerald is duly elected Chairman. (Applause.)

Miss Fitzgerald assumed the Chair.

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Miss Fitzgerald:

First of all, may I thank my colleagues, for indicating their confidence in me by honoring me as their Chairman. To my colleagues, to the Superintendent of Schools and the Administrative Staff, to the teachers and children and to all who have a part, major or minor, in the conduct of Boston's public schools, I pledge my services.

As Chairman, my duty is clearly to expedite School Committee meetings and see that the points of view of my fellow members are brought up in ample and free discussion at Committee meetings. Further, on any occasion where Committee representation is required it shall always be my endeavor to present the case for the schools fairly and accurately. My predecessor, Mr. William F. Carr, was such a chairman. I know there are members now serving on the Committee who could serve faithfully and well as presiding officer.

As members of the School Committee elected to serve during the years 1954 and 1955 we are all aware of the acute need for new school buildings and we have shown that awareness by voting the largest amount of money in Boston's history for the erection of new school buildings. There has been in recent weeks some criticism of the seemingly slow progress in the realization of the buildings. What the general public does not fully realize is that the School Committee itself does not have a full responsibility for the actual erection of new school buildings. Every move required by the School Committee to expedite new school buildings has been made.

The School Committee's actions as outlined under present law are confined in the matter of building schools to the allotment of monies obtained from bond issues or the tax rate in specific areas where new schools are needed. Once these steps have been taken, the School Committee's actual responsibility is ended.

However, through its one representative on the Board of Commissioners of School Buildings, the School Committee is endeavoring to urge the Board of Commissioners of School Buldings to increase the speed of producing plans and later awarding contracts so that we will see during the course of the next year the actual breaking of ground for new school construction. The School Committee has asked for and has received a report of progress from the Board of Commissioners of School Buildings on current work regarding new school buildings. As Chairman, it is my intention, and I know I have the support of my members, to ask for continual periodic reports on progress of new school buildings and such reports will be printed in the School Committee's official minutes as part of the public record. Through informal conferences and by every possible means, this School Committee will remain in contact with the Department of School Buildings, a separate agency, under separate jurisdiction from the School Committee itself. This School Committee is sincere in its desire to give new school buildings to the children of Boston and to their children's children.

Another problem which faces us as School Committee members is the increasingly serious incidence of acts of juvenile lawlessness, among our young people. We as School Committee members are charged with educating better citizens. If we find among young people an increasing attitude of lawlessness we must examine what we need to do over and above what we are doing. We in the School Department are concerned with educating, not only the 2% of youngsters who are recognized by court records as delinquents, but also that far larger group of young people who are neither delinquents nor are they good school citizens, but rather they belong to a group which could go either way. It is with these boys and girls who crave good leadership and good example from their elders that we as School Committee members should be concerned.

How many boys and girls in this large group, who are not school offenders and who are not good citizens at school, are the victims of an attitude causing them to brand as "chicken" the good student, the obedient, considerate boy or girl, the student who is above cheating or fibbing at examinations? This attitude indicates a lack of moral courage which foretells a perilous future for the city, state and nation.

What we must inculcate in this, the majority of our school population, is a strong moral fibre and a sense of right and wrong. We must somehow bring home to these boys and girls that it is far more courageous to have moral courage, the courage of the spirit, the courage of one's convictions, and that moral courage brings with it a greater glory than bravery of the merely physical kind.

Several years ago with the support of the School Committee members I was able to introduce a program of Civic Education which in my view will produce boys and girls of strong character and citizens who will know how to guide the nation. May I indicate the objectives of this program of Civic Education:

Objective 1—An approach to balance and maturity in the individual boy or girl which is required for constructive participation in our democratic society.

Objective 2—Adequate understanding, wholehearted loyalty to the democratic way of life.

Objective 3—An understanding of the major features of the present world situation and the problems involved in attaining world peace.

Objective 4—An appreciation of our rights, privileges, protections and personal responsibility toward our form of government.

Objective 5—A keen interest in the affairs of human beings.

Objective 6—A determination to apply intelligence to our individual participation in political affairs.

Objective 7—A clear appreciation of the role of leadership and of the need for effective choice and training for political leadership.

Objective 8—The will to abide by laws and support their enforcement.

Objective 9—A grasp of what is needed to make effective the American scheme of free enterprise.

Objective 10—The earnest desire to develop and maintain understanding between differing racial and religious groups within our society.

During this year it will be my endeavor to obtain the help of my colleagues on the School Committee in making these objectives realities. We already have a trained nucleus of teachers who have been developing materials and methods to achieve these objectives in the classrooms. What we need now is to encourage more of these teachers to pass on their knowledge to their colleagues.

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Again may I thank my fellow-members and look forward with them to a fruitful, if hardworking, year of achievement for the Boston public schools.

Thank you very much.

Mr. Lee: Madam Chairman, we look to you for great things this year—the more so after hearing your opening statement.

To give effect to what you have just said, I would earnestly hope that we might give an entire meeting to this problem of how our youngsters are acting, and to do so within the next week or ten days.

Chairman: In other words, you are suggesting a special meeting in between our regular business meetings,—is that true Mr. Lee, —so that we would have time to discuss such a question as this?

Mr. Lee: Yes.

Chairman: Then we should choose a date, Mr. Lee, at the close of this meeting which would be agreeable to all members?

Mr. Lee: That would be my hope.

Mr. Ward: Are you through, Mr. Lee?

Mr. Lee: No. Let me just finish this to make clear what I was saying.

As you know, last February 9th, I think it was, I raised the question of religious education in our schools, or at least the question of how much notice is given to things religious or is not given in our schools, and how much could be. And I said then that I would try to bring in a more carefully worked out recommendation on that subject.

Now in the meantime I have put considerable effort on that, and for the first time since I have been on this Committee I have something I would be prepared to read to the Committee rather than talking extemporaneously. I would like, as a matter of fact, to see a meeting on the question of spiritual matters in the schools come as a special meeting, and even come before the delinquency question, because spiritual values are a sort of underlying or overlaying part of the delinquency question.

I would hope the Committee might have a special meeting on matters of religion in our schools at perhaps its next session, and then a meeting on delinquency at a subsequent time. I think then the Committee would be getting on to real leadership and could plow through its budget with a sense of direction.

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PROPOSED REPORT ON PROGRESS OF NEW SCHOOL CONSTRUCTION

Mr. Musco: Madam Chairman, before we go into the regular business, each one of us appears to have some particular pet project or views that one item of business may be more important than the other. Certainly all the items of the School Committee are important, and each one of us is vitally interested in it.

However, I recall just a year ago when we talked about school construction—and I believe you brought it out rather well in your opening remarks—we considered it important. To me it is a matter of great importance that our new school building program has bogged down. We received a Bond Issue in 1953. We approved the appropriations for certain schools in January, 1954 a year ago; and today, in January, 1955, there is no tangible evidence of any new buildings arising from the selected sites. I for one would like to prepare and present a running month-to-month report on the status of construction because I feel personally that there has been unreasonable delay in the Department of School Buildings. It may be outside the Department of School Buildings, but I certainly would like to find out what the problems are.

We have a representative down there for whose appointment we went through great lengths in order to obtain some type of representation, and I feel that we are not getting the proper return according to reports, that might come out of that Department.

We are going through a very unusual and probably the biggest building program in the history of the School Department; and I feel, even as a citizen and as an elected official, that it is going very, very slowly. I would like your co-operation and approval to submit at the next public meeting a report that will outline the start of the construction, the progress of it, the contemplated finishing date, a penalty clause for the architect or contractor who is handling the business, and also a performance bond so the schools will be finished when we want them.

I know previous Committees have talked about it and their intentions were good; but we have nothing with any teeth in it that will make these people move. Certainly we are interested in the school children's education, starting in September, 1955. We are interested in administration matters, and these things have taken up a lot of time. We are interested in the problems, too, that both yourself, Madam Chairman, and Mr. Lee and Mr. Ward and Mr. Carr would present.

However, I hope you will give some thought to this big problem as we advance into 1955 and the start of a new school year in September.

Thank you.

Chairman: Mr. Musco, thank you—and you will present that report that you are speaking of at the next meeting as a regular item of business?

Mr. Musco: I will do that.

Miss Fitzgerald: Is that agreeable to the other members?

Mr. Carr: Surely.

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ADOPTION OF RULES AND REGULATIONS NOT INVOLVING EXPENDITURE OF MONEY

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the Rules of the School Committee, and the Regulations of the Public Schools of last year which do not involve the expenditure of money, are hereby adopted for the present year until otherwise ordered.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5

NAYS—0

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ELECTION OF A TREASURER

Chairman: The Committee should now proceed to the election of a Treasurer of the corporation.

Mr. Carr: I would like to nominate a man of integrity and sincerity, Joseph Lee.

Mr. Lee: I wish to decline that honor. I was Treasurer once, when I was on the Committee before.

Mr. Musco: I was once, too.

Mr. Lee: You handled certain trust funds, and so forth, at which I am very inept. I nominate Mr. Carr.

The Secretary was directed to call the roll, and the members as their names were called respectively voted as follows:

For WILLIAM F. CARR: Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—4

NOT VOTING—Mr. Carr—1

Mr. William F. Carr was declared elected Treasurer of the Corporation.

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AUTHORITY OF CHAIRMAN TO EXECUTE CONTRACTS AND LEASES

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the Chairman is hereby authorized in the name and behalf of the School Committee to execute any contract or lease for the use of said quarters, premises, the use of said quarters having been authorized previously by the School Committee.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5

NAYS—0

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EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS, APPROVAL OF SUMMARIZED REQUISITIONS ON CITY AUDITOR, AND OTHER ITEMS.

A communication was received from the Business Manager, under date of Jan. 3, 1955, recommending the passage of the following five orders:

ORDERED, That during the fiscal year 1955 any member of the School Committee is hereby authorized to approve summarized requisitions and special drafts on the City Auditor prepared by the Business Manager and which cover all pay rolls, vouchers and other documents calling for the expenditure of money, each of which has been previously approved in writing by

the Business Manager as required under the provisions of Chapter 231 of the Acts of 1932.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Museo, and Ward--5

NAYS—0

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That during the fiscal year 1955 the Chairman of the School Committee is hereby authorized to accept, enter into and execute on behalf of the School Committee, contracts for equipment, supplies and other items, each contract having been prepared by the Business Manager and previously approved by him in writing as required under the provisions of Chapter 231 of the Acts of 1932.

Mr. Lee: What is that?

Secretary: The Chairman signs all contracts for the Business Manager. The Chairman does that each year, each contract having been prepared by the Business Manager and previously approved by him under the provisions of the law.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Museo, and Ward—5

NAYS—0

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the School Committee acknowledges the valuable assistance rendered by the Sealer of Weights and Measures in checking the weights of coal delivered by contractors in the several school buildings during the past year and hereby requests the Sealer of Weights and Measures to check the weights of coal to be delivered to the several school buildings during the current year.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5

NAYS—0

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The following was offered

ORDERED, That under the provisions of Chapter 231 of the Acts of 1932, the Assistant Business Manager, or in his absence, the Chief Clerk, shall act as Business Manager during the current fiscal year, only during the time that the Business Manager is absent or otherwise unable to act, and shall, during such time, exercise all the powers and perform all the duties of said Business Manager.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the contract for transportation of films, motion picture equipment, science material and school exhibits between the School Committe and P. A. Milan Inc., under date of August 19 1954 is herby continued to June 30, 1955, as provided for in Section 4 of the contract.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5

NAYS—0

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APPOINMENT OF SUPERVISORS OF ATTENDANCE

A communication was received from the Secretary, under date of Jan. 3, 1955, reporting that the Division of Civil Service has certified the following-named persons as eligible to fill five permanent positions as male supervisors of attendance:

A. Frank Foster, Sidney Barr, Andrew K. Ahern, Leo D. Fahey, Ralph J. Pratt, Charles M. Parlon, Joseph L. Hayes.

Placed on file.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the following-named persons, who stand Nos. 1 to 5, inclusive, on the Civil Service list, are hereby appointed as supervisors of attendance, Department of Attendance, to take effect on the dates indicated:

A. Frank Foster, Jan. 4, 1955
Sidney Barr, Jan. 4, 1955
Andrew K. Ahern, Jan. 5, 1955
Leo D. Fahey, Jan. 5, 1955
Ralph J. Pratt, Jan. 10, 1955

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5

NAYS—0.

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DATE OF NEXT MEETING

Chairman: Is there any further business to come before the Committee?

Mr. Lee: Set this next meeting, Madam Chairman.

Chairman: Is it agreeable to the members to meet on Monday next—Jan. 10, 1955—a special meeting on Civic Education topics?

Mr. Lee: I was hoping that we could start the New Year with this very important consideration of whether we are losing sight of spiritual things in American classrooms. It is a big subject and a tremendously important one and a very controversial one; and I am equally anxious with you to get to the subject of juvenile behavior, but I think it is more logical and perhaps more proper.

Chairman: Mr. Lee, I don't think that they conflict at all. I hope I have indicated in my remarks that I feel the spiritual side of this comes into Civic Education.

Mr. Lee: As I say, I was eager to have a whole meeting given over to the question of spiritual matters in our schools, and I had hoped that that meeting would precede the other meeting.

Mr. Carr: Meet at four o'clock then.

Chairman: Yes, we are adjourned until Monday, Jan. 10, 1955, at 4 o'clock.

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The Committee adjourned.

AGNES E. REYNOLDS,
Secretary

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, for a trial period of sixty (60) days, the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective February 1, 1955:

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," each of the following:

Dover Street.
North side, from Albion street to Tremont street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Hull Street.
Southwest side, from Commercial street to Snow Hill street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Corona Street.
South side, from Bowdoin street to Geneva avenue, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Opera Place.
Northeast side, from a point ten (10) feet northwest of Public Alley No. 817 to a point ten (10) feet southeast of Public Alley No. 817, 24 hours.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Rockwell Street.
From Milton avenue to Washington street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," each of the following:

Bower Street.
From Walnut avenue to Warren street.
Public Alley No. 404.
From Public Alley No. 405 to Cumberland street.
Public Alley No. 405.
From St. Botolph street to Huntington avenue.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of sewerage repairs, estimated to be ten (10) days, vehicles are excluded from the following street, effective January 20, 1955:

Haven Street, Boston Proper.
From Shawmut avenue to Rutland street.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

CITY OF BOSTON.

OFFICE OF THE COLLECTOR-TREASURER.

NOTICE OF TAX TAKING.

FEBRUARY 4, 1955.

TO THE OWNERS OF THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED PARCELS OF REAL ESTATE SITUATE IN THE CITY OF BOSTON WITHIN THE COUNTY OF SUFFOLK AND THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS, AND TO ALL OTHER PERSONS CONCERNED:

You are hereby notified that it is my intention to take for the City of Boston on Wednesday, the twenty-third day of February, 1955, at 9.30 o'clock A.M., under General Laws, chap. 60, sec. 53, as amended, the following described parcels of real estate for non-payment, after demand, of the taxes thereon hereinafter respectively specified, with incidental expenses, cost and interest, unless the same shall have been previously discharged.

WARD ONE.

Gum Products, Inc.—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Orleans street, numbered 130, extending through to Gove street, between estates now or formerly of Boston & Albany Railroad Company and Mario Poresutti and another estate of said Gum Products, Inc., and supposed to contain 22,427 feet; 4,004 feet of this estate is registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate numbers 43090, Book 211, page 90, 46088, Book 226, page 88, and 48144, Book 236, page 144, tax for 1951 ..... $2,512 00
Tax for 1952 ..... 2,672 00
Tax for 1953 ..... 3,633 98
Also land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Orleans street, numbered 150 and 152, making the westerly corner of Gove street, adjoining another estate of said Gum Products, Inc., and supposed to contain 13,998 feet, being the lot shown on David S. Wexler plan, dated January 20, 1944, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 45185, Book 221, page 185, tax for 1951 ..... 3,768 20
Water and costs for 1950 ..... 1 00
Tax for 1952 ..... 4,008 00
Water and costs for 1951 ..... 885 25
Tax for 1953 ..... 6,645 80

WARD EIGHT.

Armen Yaghsizian—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Flagg street, numbered 11, between another estate of said Armen Yaghsizian and an estate of Hagop Yaghsizian, and supposed to contain 764 feet, being lot 13, Walter R. Luby plan, dated October 30, 1948, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 53402, Book 263, page 2, tax for 1951 ..... $62 80
Tax for 1952 ..... 140 28
Tax for 1953 ..... 148 47
Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Flagg street, numbered 11A, between two other estates of said Armen Yaghsizian, and supposed to contain 764 feet, being lot 14, Walter R. Lnby plan, dated October 30, 1948, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 53402, Book 263, page 2, tax for 1951 ..... 62 80
Tax for 1952 ..... 140 28
Tax for 1953 ..... 148 47
Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Flagg street, numbered 17, between another estate of said Armen Yagsizian and an estate of John Arena and another, and supposed to contain 781 feet, being lot 16, Walter R. Luby plan, dated October 30, 1948, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 53402, Book 263, page 2, tax for 1951 ..... $50 24
Tax for 1952 ..... 126 92
Tax for 1953 ..... 134 33
Building razing charge for 1952, 146 87
Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Flagg street, numbered 15, between two other estates of said Armen Yaghsizian, and supposed to contain 764 feet, being lot 15, Walter R. Luby plan, dated October 30, 1948, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 53402, Book 263, page 2, tax for 1951 ..... 50 24
Tax for 1952 ..... 126 92
Tax for 1953 ..... 134 33
Building razing charge for 1952, 146 87

WARD NINE.

Margaret M. Irvine—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Northfield street, numbered 42, between an estate of Mary E. Armstrong and an estate of Ruth G. Jones, and supposed to contain 1,009 feet, being the lot shown on C. H. W. Wood Co. plan, dated August 10, 1905, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 26958, Book 130, page 158, tax for 1950 ..... $100 80
Tax for 1951 ..... 100 48
Tax for 1952 ..... 106 88
Tax for 1953 ..... 113 12
Water and costs for 1952 ..... 50 50
Building razing charge for 1953, 370 00

WARD ELEVEN.

William V. Kellen and Grosvenor Calkins, Trustees Under Will of Benjamin F. Sturtevant for the year 1932; William V. Kellen and Ralph W. Dunbar, Trustees Under Will of Benjamin F. Sturtevant for the years 1934 to 1950, inclusive; Ralph W. Dunbar and David F. Sibley, Trustees Under Will of Benjamin F. Sturtevant for the years 1952 and 1953—About 1,202 feet of land lying in the rear from the northwesterly side of Union avenue, adjoining an estate of City of Boston, being a lot shown on Emil L. Palumbo plan, dated June, 1925, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4710, page 101, tax for 1932, $3 55
Tax for 1934 ..... 7 42
Tax for 1935 ..... 7 40
Tax for 1936 ..... 7 60
Tax for 1937 ..... 7 74
Tax for 1938 ..... 8 26
Tax for 1939 ..... 7 98
Water and costs for 1937 ..... 107 94
Tax for 1940 ..... 8 12
Tax for 1941 ..... 7 92
Tax for 1942 ..... 8 20
Tax for 1943 ..... 8 20
Tax for 1944 ..... 7 98
Tax for 1945 ..... 8 50
Tax for 1946 ..... 8 40
Tax for 1947 ..... 9 30
Tax for 1948 ..... 10 68
Tax for 1949 ..... 11 36
Tax for 1950 ..... 12 60
Tax for 1952 ..... 13 36
Tax for 1953 ..... 14 14

WARD FOURTEEN.

Eleanor F. Donovan—About 9,438 feet of land on the easterly side of Wales street, bounded and described as follows: Westerly by Wales street; northerly by an estate of Hecht Neighborhood House, Inc.; southerly by an estate of James M. Allen, Jr., and another; easterly by an estate of Samuel Ruboy, trustee under deed, tax for 1939 ..... $123 69
Paid on account 14 00

Balance due $109 69
Tax for 1940 ..... 93 38
Tax for 1941 ..... 91 08
Tax for 1942 ..... 94 30
Tax for 1943 ..... 94 30
Tax for 1944 ..... 91 77
Tax for 1945 ..... 97 75
Tax for 1946 ..... 96 60
Tax for 1947 ..... 106 95
Tax for 1948 ..... 122 82
Tax for 1949 ..... 130 64
Tax for 1950 ..... 144 90
Tax for 1951 ..... 144 44
Tax for 1952 ..... 153 64
Tax for 1953 ..... 162 61

JAMES E. GILDEA,
Collector-Treasurer of the City of Boston.

SEWERAGE WORKS IN HYDE PARK.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that sewerage works be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings, or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings, or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within thirty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly Hyde Park and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Summer street, bounded:

Southerly by easement taken by the City of Boston April 30, 1954, 40 feet; westerly by the westerly line of Summer street, 523.59 feet; northerly by another part of Summer street, 40 feet; and easterly by the easterly line of Summer street, 523.59 feet; containing 20,944 square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: 554 feet of 10-inch sanitary sewer and 12-inch surface drain at an estimated cost of $8,300, and 237 feet of 12-inch surface drain and four catch basins and connections at an estimated cost of $3,900.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the abutting parcels of land situated on both sides of Summer street, as shown on the plan hereinbefore referred to, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement herein ordered; each of said parcels in the amount hereinafter respectively set against it; said parcels and the supposed owners thereof being shown on the aforesaid plan, and said plan is on file in the office of this department.

Parcel.		Amount.
1.	Frank Losordo Sons, Inc.	$176 45
2.	Frank Losordo Sons, Inc.	176 45
3.	Frank Losordo Sons, Inc.	176 45
4.	Frank Losordo Sons, Inc.	176 45
5.	Frank Losordo Sons, Inc.	176 45
6.	Frank Losordo Sons, Inc.	176 45
7.	Frank Losordo Sons, Inc.	176 45
8.	Frank Losordo Sons, Inc.	176 45
9.	Frank Losordo Sons, Inc.	176 45
10.	Frank Losordo Sons, Inc.	176 45
11.	Frank Losordo Sons, Inc.	176 45
12.	Frank Losordo Sons, Inc.	176 45
13.	Frank Losordo Sons, Inc.	176 45
14.	Frank Losordo Sons, Inc.	176 45
15.	Frank Losordo Sons, Inc.	176 45
16.	Frank Losordo Sons, Inc.	176 45
17.	Frank Losordo Sons, Inc.	176 45
	Total	$2,999 65

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages by the taking of an easement for sewerage purposes and the construction of sewerage works in Summer street, Hyde Park district, under the order of the commission of January 26, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

Owners unknown (Summer street), 20,944 square feet, nothing.

TRANSFERS OF APPROPRIATIONS.

The Mayor has approved the following requests for transfers of appropriations:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Purchasing Division.

From Police Department, 120, Overtime, $1,150, to 360, Office Supplies, $1,150.

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

From 110, Temporary Employees, $8,898.39, 420, Dues and Subscriptions, $30.55, 470, Rents, $72.50, 520, Engineering Equipment, $500, Available Sources, City Debt Requirements, Interest, $2,204.49, to 290, Miscellaneous Contractual Services, $9,819.05, 360, Office Supplies, $1,863.98, 560, Office Equipment, $22.90.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Committee on Licenses.

From Police Department, 120, Overtime, $416.44, to 100, $416.44.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Long Island Division.

From 500, Automotive Equipment, $1,000, to 230, Professional and Technical Services, $1,000.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Workmen's Compensation Service.

From Available Sources, $4,250, to 13-42, Workmen's Compensation, $4,250.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

From 430, Insurance, $55, 470, Rents, $330, 510, Electrical and Mechanical Machinery, $60, 520, Engineering and Scientific Equipment, $90, 570, Public Works Equipment, $70.90, 599 Miscellaneous Equipment (Not Otherwise Classified), $80, to 380, Public Works Supplies, $685.90.

From 230, Professional and Technical Services, $105, 260, Repairs and Maintenance of Buildings, $2,600, 599, Miscellaneous Equipment (Not Otherwise Classified), $670, Franklin Park, Rehabilitation of, $2,500, to 330, Heating Supplies and Equipment, $5,875.

From 100, Permanent Employees, $7,600, 110, Temporary Employees, $600, 210, Communications, $375, 220, Light, Heat, Power, $2,300, 290, Miscellaneous Contractual Services, $6,625, to 390, Miscellaneous Supplies and Materials, $17,500.

From 470, Rents, $1,345, to 310, Building Supplies and Materials $1,345.

From 320, Food Supplies, $6, to 420, Dues and Subscriptions, $6.

From 593, Library Books, $27, to 560, Office Furniture, $27.

Cemetery Division.

From Public Welfare Department, Temporary Home, 100, Permanent Employees, $3,070.88, to 571, Road and Paving Equipment, $2,410.88, 100, Personal Services, $660.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Sanitary Division.

From 100, Permanent Employees, $2,800, to 250, Removal and Disposal of Garbage and Waste, $2,800.

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From 100, Police Department, $3,977.91, to Middlesex County Training School, $3,977.81.

ROXBURY LAND TAKING.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered the following:

That due notice be given that this commission is of the opinion that public necessity requires the taking of land in the Roxbury district, for Public Works Department purposes, as follows:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, bounded and described as follows:

Southerly by South Bay avenue; westerly by land of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts; northerly and easterly by other land of said New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; containing approximately 94,000 square feet; substantially as shown on a plan on file in the office of this commission; that it intends to pass an order to make said taking, and that it appoints 10 o'clock A.M. of November 3, 1954, and the office of this commission as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said commission on said day.

Attest:

MICHAEL J. CORRAO,
Secretary.

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IN PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF BOSTON,

January 19, 1955.

Whereas, The Public Improvement Commission has passed the aforesaid order of notice and has caused a copy of said order to be published October 22, 23, 25, 26, 1954, in the Boston *Globe* and Boston *American*, and October 30, 1954, in the *City Record*, and has given the public hearing, notice of which was given in said order; and

Whereas, The Public Works Department of the City of Boston, with the approval of the Mayor, has selected, designated, and requested the Public Improvement Commission of said city to take for said city, for Public Works Department purposes, the land hereinafter described in that part of Boston formerly Roxbury; it is

Voted, That the Public Improvement Commission of said City of Boston, acting under the provisions of chapter 486 of the Acts of the Legislature of 1909 and chapter 79 of the General Laws and all other authority thereto enabling, hereby takes in fee for said city, for Public Works Department purposes, the following described parcel of land:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, designated as Parcel B on the plan hereinafter referred to, bounded:

Southerly by South Bay avenue, 409.89 feet; westerly by land supposed to belong to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, 390 feet; northerly by other land supposed to belong to New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, by two measurements, 157.44 feet and 351.13 feet; and easterly by other land supposed to belong to New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, 65 feet; containing 94,110 square feet, more or less.

Said parcel of land is shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Atkinson Street, South Bay Avenue, Roxbury, December 9, 1954, Walter R. Luby, Acting Chief Engineer, Survey Division, Public Works Department," and on file in the office of this department.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 1997.

Patrolman Michael J. Donovan, Division 13, honorably discharged veteran, having arrived at the age of fifty-six years, having been in service of Boston Police Department for twenty-six years, and having requested retirement under provisions of chapter 32, section 57, General Laws (Ter. Edit.), as amended, it is hereby

Ordered, His Honor the Mayor having approved the same, that Patrolman Michael J. Donovan be retired from active duty in the Police Department, effective Tuesday, February 1, 1955, at 5.45 o'clock P.M.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 1998.

The resignation of Patrolman John J. Harmon of Division 11 having been presented, it is hereby accepted, to take effect as of Monday, January 31, 1955, at 7.45 o'clock A.M., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

No. 33—349.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING TOBACCO FOR CITY DEPARTMENTS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Tuesday, February 15, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Tobacco." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Feb. 5.) *Purchasing Agent.*

No. 30—397.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING COPPER TUBING FOR PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, WATER DIVISION.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Tuesday, February 15, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Copper Tubing." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

REPAIRS TO BRIDGE MACHINERY.

Proposals for Repairs to the End Lift Jacks of the Northern Avenue Bridge.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for repairs to the end lift jacks of the Northern Avenue Bridge. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Officer), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Repairs to the End Lift Jacks of the Northern Avenue Bridge," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 1955, with a certified check for ONE HUNDRED (100) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read at the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2) for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Feb. 5.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

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No. 31—397.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING COMPOSITION METAL CASTINGS FOR THE WATER DIVISION, PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Monday, February 14, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Composition Castings." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
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No. 32—397.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING CAST-IRON CASTINGS (HYDRANT AND GATE PARTS) FOR PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, WATER SERVICE.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Monday, February 14, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Cast-Iron Castings." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
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CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR ERECTING AND COMPLETING AN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL IN THE WILLIAM E. RUSSELL DISTRICT, MT. VERNON STREET, DORCHESTER DISTRICT, BOSTON, MASS.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for erecting and completing an elementary school in the William E. Russell District, Mt. Vernon street, Dorchester District, Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Thursday, March 3, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, inclosed in an envelope, sealed, and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy, which is part of the book of specifications, shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy, which is to be removed from the book of specifications, shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $50,000, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs, and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

Subbidders bidding on the work of subcontractors shall use the proposal form prepared by and obtainable from the Awarding Authority.

All subbidders' proposals filed with the Awarding Authority shall be submitted in sealed envelopes plainly marked with the title of the work, division of the work for which bid is submitted, subcontractor's name, and subcontractor's business address. All such bids shall be in the possession of the Awarding Authority and delivered or mailed to the general contractor no later than 12 o'clock noon, Thursday, February 24, 1955.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount as specified in the following for the various subbid items of work as listed below, shall be submitted by each subbidder with the copy of his proposal filed with the Awarding Authority:

Piles and Sheathing	$5,000
Waterproofing, Dampproofing, and Caulking	700
Structural Steel and Light Iron	5,000
Steel Windows	3,000
Roofing and Sheet Metal	2,600
Lathing and Plastering	4,500
Marble, Tile, and Terrazzo	3,000
Resilient Flooring	800
Chalkboards and Tackboards	1,500
Glass and Glazing	350
Hardware	1,350
Painting	1,400
Metal Shelving	300
Plumbing	4,000
Sprinklers	350
Heating and Ventilating	9,000
Electrical	6,000

The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, plainly marked "Bid Deposit."

Plans and specifications and other contract documents may be obtained at the office of the Awarding Authority on and after February 7, 1955, upon deposit of a certified check for $100, payable to the City of Boston. The full amount of the deposit will be refunded to each actual bidder upon return of all documents in good condition within fifteen days after the opening of bids. Plans and specifications and other contract documents may be examined without charge at the Boston office of Gainey's Construction News Letter, Dodge Reports, Brown's Letters or Construction Reports.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority, and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price, will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do. The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all subbids on any item or items in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

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DIRECTOR OF ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES, CHARLES J. FOX, SUBMITS TO MAYOR HYNES BUDGET ESTIMATES FOR YEAR 1955 — 24 DEPARTMENTS SHOW NEED OF INCREASED ALLOWANCE — 14 OTHERS ARE LOWER — WELFARE AND PENSIONS HEAD LIST OF THOSE NEEDING INCREASES.

The Director of the Administrative Services Department has presented budget estimates for 1955, summarized as follows:

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

SIR:

In accordance with the provisions of section 3 of chapter 3A of the revised city ordinances, I have prepared, under your direction, in segregated form, the annual budget for city, county, and revenue departments to be submitted to the City Council.

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CITIZENS SHARING IN BOSTON'S REHABILITATION AND CONSERVATION PROGRAM WITH ENTHUSIASM AND FINE CO-OPERATION.

Under the leadership of Mayor John B. Hynes, since May, 1953, the City of Boston has been diligently at work in the organization and promotion of a City-Wide Neighborhood Rehabilitation and Conservation Program.

As a result, the city today has 15 District Committees and scores of Neighborhood and Special Project Committees working toward the long-range goal of checking blight within their respective areas. The District Committees are composed of leading representative business and professional men and clergymen. The Neighborhood groups are composed mainly of housewives and social workers.

The immediate aim of all of the committees has been to promote and stimulate the repair and repainting of deteriorating properties, the promotion of new residential construction, and to encourage improved public services.

The program is being administered by the Mayor's Advisory Committee, consisting of the chairman of the following-named commissions: Health, Building, Public Works, Fire, Park, and Police. The Mayor's Industrial Advisor, acting

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MAYOR JOHN B. HYNES PRESENTS BUDGET ESTIMATES TO CITY COUNCIL CALLING FOR EXPENDITURES TOTALING $101,365,745 — INCREASE OF $686,752 OVER LAST YEAR — SUPPLEMENTARY SET OF FIGURES TO BE PRESENTED LATER — OPTIMISTIC ON MATTER OF TAX RATE, DESPITE FIGURES — RATE TO BE ANNOUNCED IN MIDSUMMER.

Mayor John B. Hynes, on Monday, February 7, submitted to the City Council his budget estimates for the year 1955. The recommendations call for the sum of $101,365,745, an increase of $686,752 over the figures for last year. There will be a supplementary budget submitted later on, the Mayor stated when presenting the figures to the Council. The Mayor's letter to the Council reads as follows:

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR,
CITY HALL, February 7, 1955.

To the City Council.

GENTLEMEN:

The budget allowances for the year 1955 herewith submitted exceed those of 1954 by $686,752.79. Further appropriations, representing the so-called down payments on capital outlays, will be later submitted in a supplementary budget. These additional appropriations will cause the budget of 1955 to be approximately $1,100,000.00 more than the budget appropriations of last year. Appropriations for equipment of a capital nature, and for major plant rehabilitation of a capital nature, are not included in this year's budget, for the reason that these appropriations will be provided for through loans. Were these appropriations included in the 1955 budget, this year's appropriations would be substantially greater than those of 1954. It can thus be readily seen that the financial obligations and requirements of our city, growing ever greater each year despite significant and sizeable economies put into effect, are, and should be, of grave concern. In the absence of any substantial new revenues, or other favorable factors not now imminent, a budget increase must necessarily result in an increase in the new tax rate.

An analysis of the budget appropriations will reveal many reductions in operating costs. Unfortunately, those reductions are offset, in every case, by increased appropriations which must be made. For example, the half million dollar reduction in Fire Department costs is completely wiped out by a $600,000 increase in mandatory pension and annuity payments. Other substantial reductions are canceled out by increases in obligatory relief expenditures.

It is becoming startlingly apparent that the rising tide of municipal expense will drown out any hope of a lower tax rate unless additional income becomes available, or unless city services which are considered to be

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"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean;
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, February 14, at 2 P.M.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries, or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the Complaints Division, Room 25, City Hall.

Information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways, the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments of streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped area for streets and the opening of private ways; the making of specific repairs in public streets; the naming of public streets, including the use of public ways for location of conduits, poles, and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railways, coal holes, and vaults, may be secured from the Public Improvement Commission, Room 403, City Hall Annex.

TO THE BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION, 112 Southampton street, for information relative to regulation of vehicular street traffic on all or any streets, ways, highways, roads, and parkways under the control of the City of Boston, the issuing of all permits in connection therewith.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting, and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch basins, the operation of Sumner Tunnel, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges, and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Haymarket Square, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish, and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughterhouses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases, of public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth Avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park, and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts, also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview, and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

TO THE DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS, 28 Norman street, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

TO THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, ROOM 907, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal, or tearing down buildings.

TO THE ELECTRICAL INSPECTION DIVISION OF THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT, 1001 City Hall Annex, for all information relative to the erection of poles, building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division; also for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings of the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

TO THE BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT, 43 City Hall, relative to changes in the boundary lines of zoning districts of the City of Boston as established by chapter 488 of the Acts of 1924, and amendments thereto.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending February 5, 1955.

Population as of July, 1950, Massachusetts State Census, 817,713; population estimated July, 1954, United States Census Bureau, 810,633; number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 168; nonresidents, 75; total, 243.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 15.76; nonresidents deducted, 10.81.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:

Last week, 17.11; corresponding week last year, 16.27.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 21; one year to four years, inclusive, 2; sixty years and over, 153. Total deaths: Male, 117; female, 106; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 170.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Feb. 5, 1955.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Feb. 6, 1954.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior Poliomyelitis	—	—	—	—
Diphtheria	—	—	2	—
Encephalitis Lethargica	—	—	—	—
Influenza	—	—	—	—
Measles	181	1	1	—
Meningitis Epidemic	—	—	—	1
Pneumonia (lobar)	—	1	—	—
Scarlet Fever	48	—	30	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary)	—	3	14	5
Childhood Type Tuberculosis	—	—	—	—
Tuberculosis (other forms)	—	—	1	—
Typhoid Fever	—	—	—	—
Whooping Cough	19	—	11	—

* Residents and nonresidents included.

MAYOR JOHN B. HYNES SUBMITS 1955 BUDGET ESTIMATES TO CITY COUNCIL.

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vitally necessary are sharply curtailed. Even if such curtailment were decided upon, little effective progress could be made in this direction for the reason that approximately fifty per cent of the total expenditures of the city is in the nature of fixed contractual obligations, or beyond the control of city officials to reduce or eliminate.

A study of the 1955 budget will disclose that allowances have been pruned to the point where further worth-while reductions are difficult to make without resorting to the extraordinary procedure mentioned above. If relief in the form of additional income is not soon forthcoming, this procedure could be the only means by which the tax rate of our city can be prevented from reaching a peak that will drive taxpayers out of the city and eventually drive our city government into a far more serious situation than now confronts it.

The financial facts relating to our city government are far from palatable, but no amount of overeager optimism should becloud them. Our city government is going through a most trying period, although it can be said that the future has many bright prospects. Our first concern, however, must be with the present. Only by a complete and general understanding of our current difficulties, and a complete and general realization of a situation which cries out for alleviation, may we lift our eyes to better days ahead. Our city government is organically sound, but unless we can compound, with promptness, sensible cures for the combination of ills which afflict our city, there will be no lightening of the heavy tax load which has such an oppressive effect on the fate of every business, and the future of every man, woman, and child in our city.

The form in which this year's budget is presented represents a radical departure from that of prior years. It constitutes the first step toward the achievement of a program or performance budget, which has become a goal of progressive governmental management throughout the country.

In my opinion, the manner in which the data supporting my budget recommendations has been assembled and presented provides a clear picture of the amount and character of work performed by the various budget units. I believe this new form will facilitate and simplify your consideration and review of departmental budget requirements for the current fiscal year. I recommend adoption of the accompanying appropriation and tax orders.

Respectfully,
JOHN B. HYNES, *Mayor.*

DIRECTOR OF ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES, CHARLES J. FOX, SUBMITS BUDGET TO MAYOR.

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GENERAL STATEMENT

The budget allowances recommended for city and county departments represent an increase of $686,752.79 over appropriations authorized in 1954. This increase has resulted mainly because of the necessity of meeting increased relief demands of approximately $1,000,000.00 in the Welfare and Veterans' Services Departments, as well as providing for additional noncontributory pensions totaling $600,000.00. If it had not been for these more or less mandatory items, this year's budget would have been a million dollars less than that of last year.

Every attempt has been made in the review of departmental budget estimates to maintain a hold-the-line policy in expenses. With the exception of the Apportionment Commission in the County Budget, no new services have been allowed, and no new positions have been provided. Wherever possible, the overlapping of departmental services has been eliminated, thus effecting one of the cardinal principles underlying the reorganization of departments in 1954. The services performed by departmental personnel have been thoroughly analyzed, as will appear from a review of Part II of this document, and it is believed that because of the work accomplished in this respect more effective controls can be established over the staffing of departments. As will appear in a subsequent section of this analysis, a reduction has been secured for the first time in many years in the appropriation for Personal Services.

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CITY NEIGHBORHOOD AND REHABILITATION PROGRAM.

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in the name of the Mayor and with his advice and consent, serves as committee coordinator.

Serving as direct liaison between the city housekeeping services, but working through the office of the coordinator, are the chairmen of the 15 District Committees, who comprise the Mayor's District Advisory Committee.

The City-Wide Neighborhood Rehabilitation and Conservation Program, the Mayor's Advisory Committee, District Advisory Committee, District and Neighborhood Committees meet at least once a month year-round. Between December, 1953, when the last of the 15 District Committees was formed, and December, 1954, there were approximately 52 meetings of the Mayor's Advisory Committee, 122 of the District Committees, and more than 200 meetings of Neighborhood Committees.

Some of the District Committees are operating with the enthusiasm and efficiency of well-trained organizations, notably the South End, Charlestown, South Boston, Dorchester, Back Bay, Roxbury, Hyde Park, and Brighton-Allston Committees. The North End, West End, East Boston, West Roxbury, Roslindale, Jamaica Plain Committees, while already making accomplishments, have not as yet reached the efficiency of the others.

To assist the South Boston Committee in its operations the Health Department promptly conducted a house to house exterior survey of the 1,492 dwelling houses and workshops within the pilot area.

Immediately following the completion of the Health Department external survey, the Building Department, through the use of a staff of nine trained experts, made a cellar to attic inspection of all of the properties within the pilot area.

The Building Inspectors' report shows that all of the inhabitable houses were in conformity with the law insofar as plumbing and heating are concerned, but that 268 of them were defective in the matter of egress. Two of the houses were also found to have dangerous piazzas.

Upon the recommendation of the South Boston Committee, the city services have made the following improvements within the pilot area: replaced 70 antiquated gas lights with modern electrical street lamps; renewed 11 streets and sidewalks; and have made provisions to plant 270 Norway maple trees on the streets leading up to the historic Dorchester Heights Monument.

As a further means of checking blight in the South Boston district and with a view towards relieving traffic congestion within the area, the Public Works Department is planning during the coming spring to widen Dorchester street, which bisects the district, and improve with modern surface. It is also planning to build a series of safety islands in the center of Dorchester street equipped with modern illumination. At the same time the Traffic Commission will divert heavy truck traffic, which has been a detriment to residential properties along Dorchester street, to a highly industrialized area.

Outstanding among the District Neighborhood Rehabilitation and Conservation Committees is the South End Committee. Incidentally, all of the properties within five sections of the South End have already been studied by the Health Department inspectors and the reports turned over to the South End District Committee for their use in encouraging repairs and repainting.

Further impetus will be given to the South End Rehabilitation Program with the completion of the proposed redevelopment of the 15-acre New York Streets Area under the Urban Redevelopment Program and the proposed long-range redevelopment program in the South End Medical Care, Training and Research Center.

As a further means of increasing the efficiency of the District Committees, the Health Department as of this date, February 2, 1955, has assigned an environmental inspector to advise with each of the 15 District Committees. The survey is being conducted in all of the 11 fire districts of the city at the same time. In each district every weekday morning during the spring, summer, and fall months, a fire engine crew makes a systematic cellar to attic study of houses and buildings in search of fire hazards. During the first three months of the survey fires were reduced 25 per cent throughout the city.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees:

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.
Main Division.

For the week ending January 25:

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Marie Allen, 51 Cherry street, Malden, 6 days; Corinne Alleyne, 3 days; Dolores Buckley, 7 days; Priscilla Beckwith, 686 Massachusetts avenue, 2 days; Claire Bilapke, 230 Commonwealth avenue, 1 day; Barbara Blake, 27 Blakeville street, Dorchester, 4 days; Mary Canty, 45 Magda street, Dorchester, 1 day; Ruby Childs, 270 Huntington avenue, 2 days; Gertrude Clark, 13 Rosa street, Hyde Park, 3 days; Martha Costello, 17 Henshaw street, Brighton, 5 days; Helene Crocker, 58 Myrtle street, 4 days; Iris Crowley, 168 Crowley-Rogers Way, South Boston, Marie Clark, 555 North avenue, Wakefield, 2 days; Carrie Coleman, 360 Thacker street, Milton, Madeline Curry, 1 day; Adele Daly, 30 Aspinwall avenue, North Weymouth, 7 days; Ruth Droulette, 1515 Veterans of Foreign Wars Parkway, West Roxbury, 3 days; Yolander Evans, 126 Waverly street, Everett, 4 days; Catherine Dorman, 64 Cliff avenue, Winthrop, 1 day; Anna Ferrara, 53 Blue Hill avenue, Milton, 7 days; Christine Finn, 230 Commonwealth avenue, 2 days; K. Ruth Frank, 3 Allston street, 5 days; Wanda Gerigosian, 10 Independence avenue, Lexington, 1 day; Stella Graham, 43 Mercier avenue, Dorchester, Mary Grant, 49 East Springfield street, 3 days; Jeanne Gerety, 13 Autumn street, Everett, 6 days; Helen Hagenberger, 207 Park Drive, 2 days; Virginia Hamilton, 827 River

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DIRECTOR OF ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES, CHARLES J. FOX, SUBMITS BUDGET ESTIMATE TO MAYOR.

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FORM OF BUDGET

As indicated in the table of contents, the material relating to the 1955 budget is presented in this document in four parts or sections. Part I presents the appropriations recommended for the various city, county, and income departments. The departments have been arranged by functions, and the appropriations are set forth under the eight main expenditure groups. The departments listed in the city budget are those set forth in the reorganization ordinances adopted last year, which are indicated in the organization chart appearing at the end of this analysis.

COMPARISON WITH 1954

The following table indicates the differences between the appropriations recommended for 1955 and those approved by the City Council in 1954:

	1954 APPROPRIATIONS	1955 RECOMMENDATIONS	INCREASE
CITY BUDGET	$91,157,814 37	$94,796,631 00	$638,786 63
COUNTY BUDGET	6,521,147 81	6,569,114 00	47,966 16
TOTAL	$100,678,992 21	$101,365,745 00	$686,752 79
INCOME DEPARTMENTS	3,292,050 51	3,462,648 00	170,597 49
GRAND TOTAL	$103,971,042 72	$104,828,393 00	$857,350 28

The appropriations recommended for income departments will be met from the revenues collected by these departments, and hence will not affect this year's tax rate. In other words, the 1955 tax rate will be affected solely by the increase in the city and county budgets, which increase is indicated in the foregoing table as $686,752.79.

In comparing 1955 recommendations with actual appropriations of 1954, it should be pointed out that statutory allowances required in connection with contemplated loans have not been included in this year's recommendations. Under existing law, it is necessary for the city to secure the approval of the Emergency Finance Board for all proposed borrowings. The Board has under consideration three loans contemplated for 1955. In the event approval is given by the Board to these issues, it will be necessary to submit to the City Council, in connection with the loan orders, appropriations to be raised within the tax levy totaling $471,000.00.

PERFORMANCE BUDGET

Part II has been prepared in accordance with the "Program" or "Performance" concept of budget form. In its preparation, the structure and work programs of every budget unit have been examined and analyzed, and the information thus obtained has been presented in a form intended to show not only what the appropriations recommended will purchase, but also what they will produce in terms of service and work performance. The form used to present the pertinent facts relating to each budget unit is described in detail in the "General Note" appearing on Page 14.

This new type of presentation is based on as full and complete a disclosure of all facts as was possible to include in a document of reasonable size. Since this is our initial approach to the new budget concept, the costs of programs other than for "Personal Services" are based on some degree of proration of items, but it is believed that they furnish a reasonably true appraisal of the relationship between the dollar appropriations and the amount and character of work performed by the various units.

The differences between 1954 appropriations and 1955 recommendations, as they relate first to organization units and second to objects of expenditure, are shown in Part III.

CITY BUDGET

As regards the budget recommendations set forth in Part I for city departments, 7 reflect no change from 1954 appropriations, 24 are higher than in 1954, while 14 are lower than a year ago. The following table indicates departments reflecting changes in excess of $50,000.00 from the allowances for 1954:

HIGHER		LOWER	
Welfare	$728,384 46	Fire	$581,421 75
Pensions and Annuities	600,000 00	Statutory Allowances' Loan	471,000 00
Hospital	594,518 00	Public Works	392,329 67
Veterans' Services	208,008 40	Police	161,850 00
Library	61,685 00	Boston Rent Board	108,500 00
Treasury	60,326 60	Parks and Recreation	59,051 00

The following comments explain changes from 1954 in objects of expenditure among city departments:

Permanent Employees. Despite provision for sliding-scale increases totaling $281,154.74, appropriations for permanent employees reflect a reduction of $576,371.25 from similar allowances in 1954 (see table on page 231). This reduction has been secured:

First, by allowing vacancies, except in key or necessary positions, to remain unfilled. According to records of the Auditing Department, 16,246 persons were receiving compensation in city departments on January 1, 1954. As of the first of the current year, this number was 15,931, representing a reduction of 315 employees in a year. Of these unfilled vacancies, 171 were in the Fire Department and 144 in all other departments.

Second, by anticipating the development of savings during the fiscal year as a result of deaths, resignations, retirements, unauthorized absences, and leaves of absence without pay. Reference to the "C — Personal Services" section presented for each budget unit will indicate that in a number of units deductions labeled "Anticipated Savings" have been made from the total which would be required if the full personnel quota of the unit was on duty throughout the year. The savings resulting from this type of reduction total $1,633,512.64 for all city departments. This is roughly 3 per cent of the appropriations recommended for permanent employees.

Temporary Employees. The increase of $52,973.85 reflected in this object may be attributed to an additional allowance in the Hospital Department for the employment of special nurses made necessary by difficulty in securing regular full-time nurses.

Contractual Services. The major portion of the increase of $352,491.90 reflected in this group may be attributed to the following:

Lighting Service	Increase in street lighting operating costs resulting from replacement of gas lamps with electric lights.	$75,000 00
Sewer Service	Substitution of contract cleaning of catch basins for former system of cleaning by department forces.	50,000 00
Sanatorium Division	Allowance for general painting program involving wards, tunnels, and outside trim of buildings.	40,000 00
Assessing	Employment of consultants in connection with the establishment of equitable property assessment methods and procedures.	25,000 00
Fire	Printing of new company assignment cards made necessary by department reorganization.	20,000 00
Police	Increased costs of printing the police list, as well as the processing of a larger number of parking violation notices resulting from stepped-up enforcement regulations in the downtown area.	18,000 00
Election	Printing of ballots and other expenses connected with the 1955 municipal primary and election.	16,000 00
Traffic	Erection of signs required in connection with new downtown and night parking regulations.	15,000 00
Treasury	National advertising in connection with redemption of traffic tunnel bonds.	10,000 00
Long Island Hospital	Expansion in visiting and consulting staff services.	10,000 00
Fire	Printing of new fire alarm boxes' location manual.	5,000 00
	Allowance for travel expenses of officers to other cities to observe noteworthy administrative procedures.	4,000 00

Supplies and Materials. Items contributing to the increase of $146,979.00 in this group are as follows:

Hospital	Increased allowance for medical, dental, and hospital supplies, made necessary by establishment of new services and changes in admitting procedure.	$70,000 00
Library	Increase in allowance for circulating materials such as books, films, and recordings.	65,000 00
Traffic	Allowance for parking meter clocks to replace those installed in the original meter installations.	7,500 00

Current Charges and Obligations. Increased disbursements by the Welfare and Veterans' Services Departments are responsible for the upward movement of $847,593.07 reflected in this group. For the first time in many years the case load in the General Relief category has moved upward. In 1954 approximately 3,400 cases of this type were being aided; whereas today the case load is in the vicinity of 3,800. On an average monthly budget of $60.00, this increase in case load requires an additional appropriation of roughly $280,000.00. The increase of $700,000.00 in Old Age Assistance is due to additional disbursements for medicines and dental and medical care. Up to two years ago recipients of this type of aid were reimbursed for expenses of this character. The change in the law providing that these charges must be paid directly by the Welfare Department has resulted in a substantial upward movement in the amounts disbursed. The increased costs for Veterans' Services may be attributed to an increase of roughly 200 in the case load and a 6½ per cent increase in recipients' budgets ordered by state authorities.

Equipment. The decrease of $293,217.60 reflected in this group is due to the fact that appropriations for equipment with an anticipated life of at least five years will be financed this year through loans.

Structures and Improvements. With legislative approval, appropriations for major plant repairs this year will be secured through bond issues.

Land and Improvements. The following allowances are responsible for the increase reflected in this group:

Sanitary Division	Purchase of land in West Roxbury for dumping purposes.	$20,000 00
Parks and Recreation Department	Planting and replacing of trees destroyed by hurricanes.	11,000 00
Sanatorium Division	Landscaping of grounds made necessary by hurricanes of 1954.	10,000 00

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DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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street, Mattapan, Mary B. Healy, 163 East Cottage street, Dorchester, 4 days; Charlotte Kelleher, 48 Waverly street, Roxbury, 3 days; Margaret Leonard, 7 Speedwell street, Dorchester, Mary B. McAuley, 1121 Saratoga street, East Boston, Veronica McElligott, 34 Dickenson street, Somerville, 4 days; Rita McCallum, 162 Bowdoin street, Dorchester, 2 days; Mary R. Mahan, 29 Kempton street, 7 days; Mary Mahoney, 45 Alabama street, Mattapan, 5 days; Carmella Messina, 102 Highland road, Somerville, Anna Murphy, 115 Peterborough street, 1 day; Mary Murphy, 37 Hampden Circle, Wollaston, 5 days; Ruth Nagle, 270 Sherman road, Brookline, 1 day; Phyllis Nigri, 271 Dartmouth street, 3 days; Helen Nauss, 46 West Newton street, 1 day; Patricia Oakes, 55 Iffley road, Jamaica Plain, 2 days; Mary Pursley, 38 Van Brunt street, Hyde Park, 7 days; Lucille Pica, 3 days; Romain Riley, 171 Humboldt avenue, Roxbury, 2 days; Ann Romsey, 146 Massachusetts avenue, 5 days; Helen Rodriquez, 97 Spring street, West Roxbury, 4 days; Verna Snow, 75 Damon avenue, Melrose, 2 days; Anna Stankard, 79 Edwin road, Waltham, 1 day; Margaret M. Sullivan, 28 Weymouth street, Holbrook, Isabel Sutton, 121 Boston street, Dorchester, 7 days; Madelyn Sullivan, 126 Marlborough street, 2 days; Bernice Stanley, 25 Beacon street, Hyde Park, 3 days; Josephine Trippe, 80 Orleans street, East Boston, 4 days; Angelina Peyton, 16 Dane street, Jamaica Plain, 1 day; Kathryn Welch, 49 East Springfield street, 6 days; Iala Ward, 79 Warren street, 4 days.

The following permanent employee has been appointed:

Myer Finkel, 10 Abbot street, Dorchester, hospital laundry worker, $43 a week.

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For the week ending February 1:

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Lee Ella Alford, 99 Ellington street, Dorchester, Marie Allen, 51 Cherry street, Malden, Dolores Buckley, 1 day; Priscilla Beckwith, 686 Massachusetts avenue, 2 days; Lillian Blackburn, 18 Park Vale avenue, Allston, 7 days; Ruby Childs, 270 Huntington avenue, Roxbury, Gertrude Clark, 13 Rosa street, Hyde Park, 3 days; Martha Costello, 17 Henshaw street, Brighton, 1 day; Helene Crocker, 58 Myrtle street, Iris Crowley, 168 Crowley-Rogers Way, South Boston, 2 days; Sophie Cotter, 173 Vine Rock street, Dedham, 6 days; Madeline Curry, 5 days; Adele Daly, 30 Aspinwall avenue, North Weymouth, Norma Dean, 696 Massachusetts avenue, 2 days; Patricia Doucette, 352 Athens street, South Boston, 3 days; Eva Durgin, 14 Hardwick road, Quincy, Patricia Daily, 73 Stanton street, Dorchester, 2 days; Mary Edwards, 428 Adams street, Dorchester, 4 days; Yolander Evans, 126 Waverly street, Everett, 2 days; K. Ruth Frank, 3 Allston street, 5 days; Dolores Flanagan, 1 day; Ethel Glennon, 57 Hallis avenue, Quincy, 4 days; Ethel Goff, 40 Rockwell street, Dorchester, 2

days; Jeanne Gerety, 13 Autumn street, Everett, 5 days; Ruth Isaakson, 58 Cheney street, Roxbury, 7 days; Joan Keane, 1086 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, 1 day; Charlotte Kelleher, 48 Waverly street, Roxbury, 3 days; Margaret Leonard, 7 Speedwell street, Dorchester, 2 days; Mary McAuley, 1121 Saratoga street, East Boston, 7 days; Veronica McElligott, 34 Dickinson street, Somerville, 2 days; Claire Murphy, 32 Worcester square, 3 days; Mary Mahan, 29 Kempton street, 7 days; Rita McCallum, 162 Bowdoin street, Dorchester, Mary Mahoney, 45 Alabama street, Mattapan, 1 day; Carmella Messina, 102 Highland road, Somerville, 3 days; Mary Murphy, 37 Hampden Circle, Wollaston, Phyllis Nigro, 271 Dartmouth street, 7 days; Angelina Peyton, 16 Dane street, Jamaica Plain, 2 days; Mary Pursley, 38 Van Brunt street, Hyde Park, 6 days; Dora Picarsky, 31 Edison Green, Dorchester, 1 day; Alice Powers, 94 Old Colony avenue, Wollaston, 2 days; Romaine Riley, 171 Humboldt avenue, Roxbury, 1 day; Ann Romsey, 146 Massachusetts avenue, 5 days; Helen Rodriquez, 97 Spring street, West Roxbury, 4 days; Ruth Riley, 1 day; Angelina Smith, 3 Walford Drive, Canton, 3 days; Margaret M. Sullivan, 28 Weymouth street, Holbrook, 7 days; Isabel Sutton, 121 Boston street, Dorchester, Eleanor Shalott, 43 East Springfield street, 1 day; Madelyn Sullivan, 126 Marlborough street, 7 days; Mabel Steed, 223A Walnut avenue, Roxbury, 4 days; Jane Stolzel, 833 Beacon street, 1 day; Josephine Trippe, 80 Orleans street, East Boston, 4 days; Kathryn Welch, 49 East Springfield street, 7 days; Ila Ward, 79 Warren street, Roxbury, 2 days.

The following provisional employees have been appointed:

Florestine Markham, 55 Hillside street, Roxbury, Mary Wilkinson, 27 Montebello road, Jamaica Plain, Simeon Middleton, 47 Haskins street, Roxbury, hospital medical workers, $43 a week.

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—Barbara Meade, 41 Rossmore road, Jamaica Plain, Dorothy Currie, 283 Chestnut avenue, Jamaica Plain, Patricia Regan, 8 Sumner park, Dorchester, floor nurses, $60.50 a week; J. Doris Shruhan, 595 East Fifth street, South Boston, Joyce Sybrant, 4648 Washington street, Roslindale, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour; Anna Wallace, 22 McDonough Way, South Boston, hospital house worker, $50.50 a week; Joseph Parziale, 47 Lamson street, East Boston, hospital kitchen worker, $50.50 a week; Richard Morgan, 435 Quincy street, Dorchester, electrician, $73 a week; Frederick Toomey, 1 Gavin Way, South Boston, hospital guard, $53 a week; Thomas J. Driscoll, 15 Stockton street, Dorchester, plumber, $70.50 a week; Patrick McGrath, 25 Cambridge street, clerk, $50.50 a week; Paul Robinson, 22 Union terrace, Jamaica Plain, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; Dorothy Walsh, 98 Day street, Jamaica Plain, hospital laundry worker, $50.50 a week.

Temporary.—Thomas Settino, 42 Hecla street, Dorchester, Joseph Grant, 2A Sharon street, hospital laundry workers, $43 a week; Anne Chermesino, 60 Edwin street, Dorchester, clerk-typist,

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Special Appropriations. The major increase in this group has occurred in the item for noncontributory pensions and annuities. Since last year a number of employees have been retired under prevailing statutes because of disability.

County Budget

The following factors have contributed to the increase reflected in the budget recommendations relating to county departments:

Sliding-scale increases.	$31,693 88
Increased overtime payments at jail due to suspension of regular personnel.	5,000 00
Increased allowance for special assistants, experts, accountants, and investigators in the office of the District Attorney.	20,000 00
Increase in allowance for attorneys appointed to defend persons charged with first degree murder.	5,000 00
Increase in charges for boys committed to the Middlesex County Training School for truancy.	30,000 00

Savings secured in other groups within the county budget have reduced the net increase in county requirements to a purely nominal figure.

Income Departments

The increase reflected in the budget allowance for income departments may be attributed to the necessity of providing this year an additional allowance of approximately $180,000.00 for the settlement of damage claims resulting from major breaks in the water distribution system during 1954.

Pay Schedules

In Part IV the several pay schedules regulating compensation of city and county employees are shown. The relationship of these schedules to the various departments is indicated in the "General Note" appearing on Page 14.

1955 Tax Rate

In municipal finance terminology a budget is usually described as a balanced financial program in which the expenditures proposed are balanced by estimates of revenue and income. In communities conforming to this concept the budget, when submitted, serves to indicate more or less definitely the tax rate of the financial year involved. In fact, in many municipalities outside of Massachusetts the declaration of the rate occurs either at the time of the adoption of the budget or shortly after.

Because of existing laws and long established procedures, the annual budget submitted to the City Council does not present a complete financial program. The expenditures proposed within the tax levy are limited to city and county departments. Expenditures relating to schools, debt charges, retirement systems, and state and Metropolitan District assessments are not included, largely because these items are beyond the control of the Mayor and the City Council. Under the Massachusetts tax calendar a balanced financial program does not come into existence until the declaration of the tax rate, at which time the assessors bring together the expenditure requirements authorized or assessed by the various agencies, as well as the estimates of revenue to be received from various sources throughout the financial year. When the total liabilities and assets for the year have been determined by the assessors, they proceed to strike a balance by assessing the difference on property located within the city. In Boston this balance is usually established around the middle of June.

Since the budget herewith presented is not a complete financial program, it is not possible at this time to make any definite calculation of the tax rate for 1955. Insofar as this document is concerned, the increase here reflected for city and county departments would appear to presage a small increase in the current year's tax rate. An anticipated reduction in the Metropolitan Transit Authority deficit assessment might well serve, however, to offset the increase caused by the upward movement in city and county budgets. There are, however, other factors which will enter into the tax rate when finally declared which may serve to increase this year's rate over that of last year. In all probability, school budget requirements will be higher than last year, because of the continuation of the single salary schedule for members of the teaching force and the granting of salary increases to other classes of employees. Debt requirements will reflect a slight increase due to the fact that no Water Department surplus will be available for use as a credit against debt charges in 1955. Overlay deficit requirements will also be larger this year than last, and it now appears that the amounts to be received from distribution by the state of income and corporation taxes will be lower in 1955 than last year. In short, while a definite prediction as to this year's tax rate cannot be made at this time, it appears reasonably certain that the 1955 tax rate will be higher than that of 1954.

Conclusion

The foregoing statements serve to emphasize the necessity of establishing effective controls over financial practices and administrative procedures. Studies of departmental organization and methods should be made to determine what steps may be taken to improve efficiency of service and greater economy of operation. While, admittedly, new revenues are necessary to meet increased service demands, we cannot overlook the wisdom of securing maximum benefits from our present resources.

While on the subject of revenues, it would appear appropriate to recommend that departmental fee schedules should be thoroughly examined; and, wherever possible, revisions in existing charges should be submitted at an early date to the Council for approval. No valid objection could be raised against such a step when consideration is given to the increased maintenance and operation costs which have developed since existing fees were last established. While in no sense will action of this character produce revenues sufficient to meet the existing problem, it will tend to alleviate in some degree a serious situation.

Respectfully,

CHARLES J. FOX,
Director of Administrative Services.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 8.

GASFITTER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
P. Gulesian	65 Arlington street	18	Connecting range	$500
N. Clark	208 Bay State road	21	Connecting range	45
F. Kozell	24 Binford street	6	Connecting range	100
N. Clark	42 Brookley road	11	Connecting range	400
H. Sellon	375 Bunker Hill street	2	Connecting range	50
C. Gioiosa	77 Byron street	1	Connecting range	70
F. Odenweller	242 C street	6	Connecting range	75
P. Gulesian	144 Central avenue	18	Connecting range	400
A. Granara	147 Chambers street	3	Connecting range	40
M. Zeolla	343 Chelsea street	1	Connecting range	200
S. Adams	63 Cushing avenue	13	Connecting range	350
William Baker	26 Dyer street	17	Connecting range	60
R. MacDonald	77 East Brookline street	8	Connecting range	100
F. Odenweller	788 East Sixth street	7	Connecting range	135
S. Adams	136 Erie street	14	Connecting range	325
P. Gulesian	19 Faraday street	18	Connecting heater	200
N. Clark	443 Frankfort street	1	Connecting range	145
N. Clark	271 Heath street	10	Connecting range	400
N. Clark	4 La Grange place	8	Connecting range	400
H. Sellon	20 Lexington street	2	Connecting heater	40
S. Adams	43 Longfellow street	15	Connecting range	350
H. Sellon	26 Mystic street	2	Connecting range	40
S. Adams	15 Nonquit street	13	Connecting range	425
N. Clark	39 Oakwood street	17	Connecting range	400
N. Clark	36 Ranelegh road	22	Connecting range	30
O. Weider	48 Rosemont street	17	Connecting range	35
M. Eskowitz	80 Spencer street	14	Connecting range	50
N. Clark	40 Tacoma street	18	Connecting cooker	200
S. Adams	322 Washington street	14	Connecting range	85
V. McWade	21 Webster street	18	Connecting range	50
J. McGee	96 West Dedham street	8	Connecting range	35
E. Ardini	20 Adams street	2	Connecting range	75
W. Gould	551 Adams street	16	Connecting range	30
G. Vallati	67 Bloomfield street	17	Connecting heater	200
S. Kramer	279 Blue Hill avenue	12	Connecting range	75
D. O'Neill	182 Centre street	10	Connecting range	25
B. Weiner	1486 Commonwealth avenue	21	Connecting range	45
C. Lang	45 DeSoto road	20	Connecting range	15
S. Campbell	154 Dudley street	8	Connecting heater	220
D. O'Neill	840 East Second street	6	Connecting range	45
D. O'Neill	93 Elmwood street	10	Connecting range	25
D. Weinstein	6 Emsella terrace	19	Connecting range	50
D. Weinstein	24 Greenock street	14	Connecting range	35
A. Granara	343 Hanover street	3	Connecting range	15
N. Deutsch	10 Haynes street	1	Connecting range	45
F. Odenweller	19 Lucas street	3	Connecting range	35
D. O'Neill	89 Martin street	20	Connecting range	70
N. Deutsch	364 Meridian street	1	Connecting range	50
L. Rubin	16 Oakland street	11	Connecting range	60
P. Kennedy	10 Rutland street	9	Connecting heater	50
N. Deutsch	4 Shelby street	1	Connecting range	20
C. Lang	42 Summer street	20	Connecting range	40
D. O'Neill	116 West Broadway	7	Connecting range	10
William Awad	15 Colborne road	21	Connecting range	35
Joseph H. Vogel	78 East Canton street	8	Connecting range	10
L. Visco	9 Falcon street	1	Connecting range	45
William Awad	32 Gordon street	21	Connecting range	40
A. Granara	249 Hanover street	3	Connecting range	35
A. Clark	33 Haydn street	20	Connecting range	35
L. Luxton	130 Homes avenue	15	Connecting range	30
G. Trethewey	617 Hyde Park avenue	18	Connecting range	250
William Awad	226A Lake street	21	Connecting range	35
G. Trethewey	32 Murray Hill road	18	Connecting heater	300
A. Granara	51 North Russell street	3	Connecting range	40
J. Powers	49 Old Harbor street	7	Connecting range	35
G. Trethewey	10 Rawston road	18	Connecting range	50
N. Clark	106 Rockview street	19	Connecting range	140
N. Clark	98 Strathmore road	21	Connecting range	300
G. Trethewey	4280 Washington street	20	Connecting heater	500
J. Runey	332 Beacon street	5	Connecting range	75
J. McCusker	124 Calumet street	10	Connecting range	100
E. Hart	43 East Concord street	8	Connecting range	35
I. Cohen	6 Garrison street	4	Connecting range	50
E. Hart	51 Landseer street	20	Connecting range	40
J. McCusker	7 Murray Hill road	19	Connecting range	250
P. Sparco	19 North Anderson street	3	Connecting range	50
J. Thoms	14 Rector road	18	Connecting range	25
E. Hart	603 River street	18	Connecting range	25
	1160 Washington street	3	Connecting range	190
D. O'Neill	70 Ames street	17	Connecting range	35
S. Connolly	19 Bainbridge street	11	Connecting cooker	15
J. Amico	99 Bedford street	3	Connecting cooker	40
A. Onessima	125 Belgrade avenue	20	Connecting range	15
K. Hering	368 Centre street	19	Connecting range	10
M. Loiterstein	288 Chestnut Hill avenue	21	Connecting range	25
D. O'Neill	1960 Commonwealth avenue	21	Connecting range	75
J. Freedman	85 Corey road	21	Connecting heater	25
B. Gold	355 Corey street	20	Connecting range	50
S. Connolly	49 Dennis street	8	Connecting range	60
E. Pascucci	43 East Cottage street	1	Connecting range	50
D. O'Neill	547 East Sixth street	6	Connecting range	55
E. Pascucci	23 Everett street	1	Connecting range	35
C. Lang	32 Goethe street	20	Connecting range	50
E. Pascucci	146 Gove street	1	Connecting range	35
H. Hinckley	26A Grovenor road	19	Connecting range	45
K. Hering	46 Haverford street	11	Connecting range	75
M. Loiterstein	90 Kilsyth road	21	Connecting range	35
S. Clayman	120 Milton avenue	17	Connecting cooker	50
D. O'Neill	115 Monticello avenue	7	Connecting range	50
E. Pascucci	81 Morris street	1	Connecting range	35
D. O'Neill	260 Ruggles street	4	Connecting range	50
M. Loiterstein	115 St. Stephen street	4	Connecting range	45
C. Lang	20 Shaw street	20	Connecting range	10
S. Connolly	24 Sherman street	11	Connecting heater	45
D. O'Neill	237 West Third street	13	Connecting range	50
S. Sawtelle	138 Whitfield street	17	Connecting range	40

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$43 a week; John C. Truehart, 353 Bowdoin street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Long Island Division.

The following changes have been made in the personnel for the week ending February 2:

Terminations.—Vincent J. Caldarola, cemetery laborer (temporary); Marion T. Fougere, hospital kitchen worker (temporary); Frank J. Sheehan, painter's helper (temporary).

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following appointments:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Ann Cataldo, 8 Hall street, Jamaica Plain, statistical machine operator, $45.50 a week.

Claire O'Rourke, 60 Walworth street, Roslindale, statistical machine operator, $45.50 a week.

Dorothea Sgroi, 183 Leyden street, East Boston, statistical machine operator, $45.50 a week.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Charles A. O'Dowd, 26 Burton street, Brighton, fire alarm operator, $67.82 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Antoinette Lambiase, 48 Bowdoin avenue, Dorchester, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

William B. Markham, Jr., 32 Greenwich street, Roxbury, public health dentist, $75.94 a week.

Joseph H. White, 9 Upham avenue, Dorchester, junior building custodian, $53 a week.

Carmen DiLorenzo, 9 Boardman street, East Boston, environmental sanitation inspector, $65.50 a week.

John D. O'Brien, 22 Iffley road, Jamaica Plain, environmental sanitation inspector, $65.50 a week.

Clarence L. Marcy, 445 Adams street, Dorchester, environmental sanitation inspector, $68 a week.

William P. Intraversato, 12 Isabella street, environmental sanitation inspector, $68 a week.

Edward G. Duffy, 17 Parsons street, Brighton, environmental sanitation inspector, $68 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Sanatorium Division.

Paul Lombardi, 93 Cummins Highway, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Bridget A. Sheridan, 85 River street, Mattapan, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

William T. McKenna, 8 Washington Street place, Hyde Park, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

Long Island Division.

Nan M. Jackman, 200 Dorchester street, South Boston, telephone operator, $55.50 a week.

Anna V. Murphy, 96 Gibson street, Dorchester, clerk and stenographer, $43 a week.

James J. Browne, Long Island Hospital, steam fireman, $60.50 a week.

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 8.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Century Building Trust	12–16 Boylston street	3	Alterations, store, office	$3,000
Mass. Eye & Ear Infirmary	243 Charles street	3	Alterations, hospital	None
Morrel Kessel	15 Eastern avenue	18	Storage	$9,000
Mass. General Hospital	55 Fruit street	3	Alterations, office, clinic	None
Leo Berman	756 Gallivan Boulevard	16	Alterations, garage, repair	$5,000
Suffolk Savings Bank	249 Huntington avenue	18	Move dwelling	4,000
Suffolk Savings Bank	245 Huntington avenue	18	Move dwelling	4,000
Suffolk Savings Bank	257 Huntington avenue	18	Move dwelling	4,000
Nicholas, Evelyn Farezoco	1499 Hyde Park avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	2,500
Colonial Society of Mass	87 Mt. Vernon street	5	Alterations, dwelling	None
Lionel Lindsey	169 and 171 Ruthven street	12	Alterations, dwelling	None
Louis Collos	766 and 768 Tremont street	9	Fire repair, cafe, dwelling	$3,000
Carlos Calisi	289 Walk Hill street	18	Greenhouse	1,000
Leon Sharmat	241 Washington street	3	Sign, restaurant	1,485
John J. Connolly	5 Wedgewood rond	20	Dwelling	9,000
Elmore Trust Company	777-781 Beacon street	21	Fire repair, theatre	5,600
Santa Lucia	57 Harvest street	7	Alterations, dwelling	None
Francis Cucchiara	544 Ashmont street	16	Alterations, dwelling	$600
Mary E. McCarthy	154 Calumet street	10	Alterations, dwelling	395
Fred Nucci	555 East Broadway	6	Alterations, store, office	1,400
William Skerry	576 East Broadway	6	Fire escape, dwelling	600
Charlan Realty Corporation	920 East Second street	6	Take-down, car house	900
Charlan Realty Corporation	920 East Second street	6	Take-down, shop	900
Charlan Realty Corporntion	920 East Second street	6	Take-down, office, locker room	400
J. Morello	49 Everett street	1	Alterations, dwelling	525
J. Morello	51 Everett street	1	Alterations, dwelling	525
Norman Allison	63 Gove street	1	Fire escape, dwelling	490
Gertrude Beswick	289 Hancock street	15	Alterations, dwelling	900
House of Good Shepherd	811 Huntington avenue	10	Fire repair, home orphans	800
Joseph Berlandi	8 Lindall street	19	Alterations, dwelling	675
Samuel Garnor	177 Magnolia street	13	Fire escape, dwelling	40
Samuel Garnor	179 Magnolia street	13	Fire escape, dwelling	40
Albert Krueger	304 Metropolitan avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	495
D. Kasiodas	12 Morley street	9	Fire escape, dwelling	235
Walter M. Court	11 Morrow road	21	Alterations, dwelling	480
Charles Israel	72 Ormond street	14	Alterations, dwelling	600
Edmund J. Johnson	25 Roseclff street	18	Alterations, dwelling	325
Harry Weinstein	50 Russell street	2	Alterations, dwelling	600
Harry Weinstein	52 and 54 Russell street	2	Alterations, store, dwelling	600
William Foley	28 St. Margaret street	7	Alterations, dwelling	1,315
Consolidated Properties	75 State street	3	Alterations, restaurant, office	850
Stoughton Street Baptist Church	50 Stoughton street	7	Alterations, church	500
Harry Smith	17 Sunset Hill road	20	Alterations, dwelling	990
Phillips Building	120 Tremont street	3	Alterations, office	175
George Kellen	66 Tuttle street	13	Alterations, dwelling	280
Mr. Constiano	7 Vassar street	14	Alterations, dwelling	650
Robert Berkovitz	585–587 Washington street	22	Alterations, store, dwelling	800
Robert Berkovitz	589–591 Washington street	22	Alterations, store, dwelling	800
Ernest Royal	653 Washington street	17	Alterations, store, sign	100
Curtis Belton	2976 Washington street	11	Alterations, dwelling	990
William Lyons	47 West Cottage street	8	Fire escape, dwelling	400
James A. Williams	171 West Third street	6	Alterations, store, dwelling	600
Fred Pigeon	58 White street	1	Alterations, dwelling	630
John McNeely	8 Brighton street	2	Alterations, dwelling	450
Robert Townsend	6 Cambridge terrace	22	Fire repair, dwelling	325
Vernon Blatzer	431 Chelsea street	1	Alterations, dwelling	325
Walken Aquilla	39 Cliff street	12	Alterations, dwelling	897
George Condo	28 Deme street	3	Fire escape, restaurant, dwelling	100
Boston Gas Compnny	141 McBride street	11	Alterations, district office	2,000
Mr. Reynolds	129 Paul Gore street	11	Alterations, dwelling	260
John Mara	624 Trenton street	1	Alterations, dwelling	425
Muriel Neustadt	2560 Washington street	12	Alterations, dwelling	400
Joseph Landrum	35 Bainbridge street	11	Alterations, dwelling	None
Harry Abromson	501 Beacon street	5	Alterations, dwelling	None
Michael Pinto	11 and 13 Brookfield street	20	Alterations, dwelling	None
Richard Rynn	42 Brookford street	13	Alterations, dwelling	None
James and Inez Caralin	76 Central nvenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	None
Mary Travers	36 Cherokee street	10	Alterations, dwelling	None
Custodio Loureneo	25 Cranston street	19	Alterations, dwelling	None
P. B. and A. G. McCauley	34 and 36 Cushman road	21	Alterations, dwelling	None
Ludovico Cullifa	10 Dove street	13	Alterations, dwelling	None
Ludovico Cullifa	12 Dove street	13	Alterations, dwelling	None
Albert Tromara	224 and 226 Dudley street	8	Alterations, dwelling	None
Alice Moon	136 Dudley street	8	Alterations, dwelling	None
Delleine Sandiford	24 Dunreath street	12	Alterations, dwelling	$800
Tr. Hawes Trust in Boston	588 and 590 East Fifth street	6	Alterations, dwelling	None
Dorchester House, Inc	15 Ellet street	15	Alterations, dwelling	None
Dorchester House, Inc	17 Ellet street	15	Alterations, dwelling	None
Josephine Skerry	100 and 102 Emerson street	6	Alterations, dwelling	None
Naple Realty Corporation	44 The Fenway	4	Alterations, dwelling	None
Elennore Conti	2 Frazer street	18	Alterations, dwelling	None
Sara F. Dagilas	267 Fuller street	17	Alterations, dwelling	None
Charles Forest	165 Hamilton street	15	Alterations, dwelling	None
Dr. F. Irving Gray	62 Harold street	12	Alterations, dwelling	$500
Gionechino Albanese	207 and 209 I street	7	Alterations, dwelling	None
Roger Shea	54 and 56 Idaho street	17	Alterations, dwelling	None
Joseph Amoraso	5 Lamson street	1	Alterations, dwelling	None
Augustus P. Charbonnier	343 Main street	2	Alterations, dwelling	None
Albert nnd Sonin Stein	188 and 190 Manthorne road	20	Alterations, dwelling	None
Socony Vacuum	783 Massachusetts avenue	8	Alterations, gas station	$3,000
Rebecca Small	11 and 13 Orchard street	19	Alterations, dwelling	None
Leonard F. McDonald	99 Regent street	11	Alterations, dwelling	None
Vincent Errante	4 Richfield street	15	Alterations, dwelling	None
Francis Maher	155 River street	18	Alterations, dwelling	None
Elizabeth Donovan	38 Shirley street	8	Alterations, dwelling	None
Patrick Kelley, et al	1 and 2 Swan's court	15	Alterations, dwelling	None
Catherine Skerritt	192 Thornton street	11	Alterations, dwelling	None

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PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

House of Correction.

Donahl E. Ryan, 59 Walnut street, Hyde Park, motor equipment operator, $53 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following reinstatements:

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Gerald J. Neville, 193 Hamilton street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $50.50 a week.

Margaret McCart, 60 Carolina avenue, Jamaica Plain, hospital medical worker, $48 a week.

Agnes I. Coppenrath, 131 Anawan avenue, Roslindale, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Jean McIntyre, 57 East Springfield street, hospital kitchen worker, $50.50 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Fanny Pelosi, 262 East Eagle street, East Boston, senior bookkeeper, $55.50 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following changes in status:

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Thomas F. Flaherty, 241 East Eighth street, South Boston, from rat catcher at $68 a week to environmental sanitation inspector at $68 a week.

Charles J. Hamilton, 4 Hecla street, Dorchester, from clerk at $43 a week to environmental sanitation inspector at $65.50 a week.

Donahl E. Doherty, 40 Plain street, Dorchester, from junior building custodian at $60.50 a week to environmental sanitation inspector at $65.50 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Ethel Fitzgerald, 15 Priscilla Lane, Medford, from floor nurse at $70.50 a week to head nurse at $73 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Ernest Stevens, 51 West Eagle street, East Boston, from recreation supervisor (temporary) at $83.50 a week to senior recreation instructor (permanent) at $76.50 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Mae M. Murray, 32 Ditson street, Dorchester, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior clerk and stenographer (temporary) at $55.50 a week.

Highway Division.

Willard B. Pickett, 54 Calumet street, Roxbury, from principal account clerk at $76.50 a week to assistant permit supervisor (temporary) at $80 a week.

Highway-Lighting Service.

Silvio Saccone, 8 Hurlcroft avenue, Dorchester, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $65.50 a week (when in motor pool) to street lighting inspector (temporary) at $68 a week.

Sanitary Division.

John H. Verry, 109 East Canton street, from motor equipment operator and la-

borer at $60.50 a week to heavy motor equipment operator and laborer at $63 a week.

Nicholas A. Vacca, 34 Dennis street, Roxbury, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week to heavy motor equipment operator and laborer at $63 a week.

Leo J. Sullivan, 440 Norfolk street, Dorchester, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $65.50 a week to heavy motor equipment operator and laborer at $68 a week.

Ernest Staiti, 111 Howard avenue, Dorchester, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $58 a week to heavy motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week.

Louis Santiano, 533 Bennington street, East Boston, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week to heavy motor equipment operator and laborer at $63 a week.

James J. Lynch, 840 East Fourth street, South Boston, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week to heavy motor equipment operator and laborer at $63 a week.

John J. Lennon, 86 Hancock street, Dorchester, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week to heavy motor equipment operator and laborer at $63 a week.

Anthony R. Iula, 103 Francis street, Roxbury, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $58 a week to heavy motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week.

Edward F. Igoe, 50 Iffley road, Jamaica Plain, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week to heavy motor equipment operator and laborer at $63 a week.

George H. Edwards, 550 Dorchester avenue, South Boston, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week to heavy motor equipment operator and laborer at $63 a week.

Charles F. Donovan, 50 Moseley street, Dorchester, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week to heavy motor equipment operator and laborer at $63 a week.

Martin F. Conley, 32 Covington street, South Boston, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $63 a week to heavy motor equipment operator and laborer at $65.50 a week.

Charles M. Brooks, 281A Centre street, Jamaica Plain, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week to heavy motor equipment operator and laborer at $63 a week.

Robert H. Brown, 9 Carlow street, Roxbury, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $65.50 a week to laborer at $63 a week.

Sewer Division.

James H. Kelley, 1 Johnson avenue, Jamaica Plain, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week to sewer cleaner at $63 a week.

Water Division.

Ralph J. Cataldo, 91 Clare avenue, Hyde Park, from heavy motor equipment operator and laborer at $65.50 a week to water service repairman at $65.50 a week.

Philip K. Reddy, 9 Roseland street, Dorchester, from water service inspector at $73 a week to water district foreman at $76.50 a week.

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PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 8.—Concluded.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
J. L. and H. H. Sprott	176 Walnut avenue	12	Alterations, dwelling	None
Carl and Albert Gebhardt	54 and 56 Walter street	20	Alterations, dwelling	None
Chester Lucas	17 Washburn street	7	Alterations, dwelling	None
Leonora Lydon	70 Weld Hill street	11	Alterations, dwelling	None
Sarah King	37 Woodward avenue	8	Alterations, dwelling	None
Edward Graham	488 Beacon street	5	Alterations, fraternity house	$150
Hallio Bros.	46 Blanche street	16	Alterations, dwelling	400
Edna and John Day	278 Bolton street	6	Fire repair, dwelling	450
Aetna Realty Corporation	108 Broad street	3	Alterations, store, mercantile	500
Laser Frank	22–38 Chauncy street	3	Alterations, store, office	5,000
J. Leendy	26 Cumberland street	5	Fire escape, dwelling	425
J. Corehran	19 Dakota street	17	Fire escape, dwelling	235
Estate, Fredman	154 and 156 Dover street	9	Fire escape, store, dwelling	1,500
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	34 Saratoga street	1	Alterations, dwelling	200
Mr. Yee	79 Hudson street	3	Alterations, dwelling	900
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	36 Saratoga street	1	Alterations, dwelling	200
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	38 Saratoga street	1	Alterations, dwelling	200
Burman Realty Company	1629 Washington street	9	Fire repair, store, dwelling	200
Mr. Berman	1629 Washington street	9	Fire repair, store, dwelling	250
Phineas Katlin	2892 Washington street	11	Alterations, dwelling	85
Phineas Katlin	2888 Washington street	11	Alterations, dwelling	85
James and Louise Frasso	162 Western avenue	21	Take-down, dwelling	1,000
William Fitzgerald	6 Alden court	3	Take-down, laundry	3,400
William Fitzgerald	4 Alden street	3	Take-down, laundry	2,400
H. A. Rudnick	235–237 Massachusetts ave.	4	Alterations, warehouse	10,000
H. A. Rudnick	5–39 Westland avenue	4	Alterations, warehouse	10,000
Mar-Mel Construction Co.	32 Aldrich street	20	Dwelling	9,000
Mar-Mel Construction Co.	110 Belnel road	18	Dwelling	9,000
Barney Kaizerman	858 and 860 Blue Hill avenue	14	Alterations, stores	1,000
Mary Spigel	104 and 106 Castle street	5	Alterations, storage, old clothing	None
Michael Tedesco	566 and 568 Dorchester ave.	7	Fire repairs, store, dwelling	$800
Michael Tedesco	570 and 572 Dorchester ave.	7	Fire repairs, shop, dwelling	1,200
Bayview Publishing	492 and 494 East Broadway	6	Alterations, lodging house, store	3,800
Thomas Tuck	30 Glenmont road	22	Dwelling	14,000
Wong Wun Sun Association	10 Hudson street	3	Alterations, restaurant, hall lodging house	None
Lowell Uniform Company	78 and 80 Langdon street	8	Alterations, supplies	$75,000
The Children's Hospital	300 Longwood avenue	4	Alterations, hospital	None
Mary Killeen	18 Maxwell street	17	Alterations, dwelling	$2,400
F. A. Stackhouse	90 Moss Hill road	19	Dwelling	14,000
Arnold Amireault	76 Robin street	20	Dwelling	8,000
Allan Murphy	15 Robinwood avenue	19	Alterations, nursing home	1,000
Edith Foster	52–56 Summer street	3	Sales, storage, office	270,000
Minot-DeBlois-Maddison	630 Washington street	3	Alterations, store, office, lofts.	7,000
Socony Vacuum Oil Co.	3992 Washington street	19	Lubrit-gas station	13,000

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM PLUMBING FOR THE WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 8.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
J. Wallace	848 Beacon street	21	Fixtures	$1,000
R. Trahon	889 Boylston street	5	Fixtures	500
Wm. Berkeley	16 Clapp street	8	Fixtures	425
R. Murray	59 Donnybrook road	21	Fixtures	500
R. LaCentra	217 Endicott street	3	Fixtures	850
J. Murphy	50 Lila road	19	Fixtures	40
A. Milligan	62 Metropolitan avenue	18	Fixtures	800
A. Milligan	76 Robin street	20	Fixtures	900
A. DiBona	21 Webster street	18	Fixtures	150
C. Vallati	67 Bloomfield street	17	Fixtures	300
B. Gold	351 Corey street	20	Fixtures	1,000
B. Gold	355 Corey street	20	Fixtures	1,000
Wm. Connell	1758 Dorchester avenue	16	Fixtures	450
M. Riceman	351 Dorchester street	6	Fixtures	95
S. Campbell	154 Dudley street	8	Fixtures	250
C. Lang	38 Forest street	18	Fixtures	800
C. Schultz	189 Bay State road	5	Fixtures	1,500
L. Downey	37 Brookley road	11	Fixtures	350
B. Gold	15 Derry road	18	Fixtures	800
B. Gold	18 Derry road	18	Fixtures	800
B. Gold	21 Derry road	18	Fixtures	800
B. Gold	25 Derry road	18	Fixtures	800
H. Goldberg	276 Dudley street	8	Fixtures	150
N. Prives	867 East Fourth street	6	Fixtures	200
B. Shillman	112 Groveland street	18	Fixtures	800
C. Bevelander	26 Higgins street	22	Fixtures	600
A. Kaunfer	108 Laurie avenue	20	Fixtures	600
S. Stephens	94 Mt. Vernon street	5	Fixtures	800
G. Trethewey	32 Murray Hill road	19	Fixtures	400
Wm. Fafara	101 Rockland street	20	Fixtures	60
C. Bevelander	39 Trapelo road	21	Fixtures	100
D. Yorks	27 Belle avenue	20	Fixtures	800
J. McCusker	7 Murray Hill road	19	Fixtures	2,000
A. Nickinello	196 St. Botolph street	4	Fixtures	2,300
A. Kaunfer	25 Asheville road	18	Fixtures	600
J. Cersosimo	718 East Fourth street	6	Fixtures	200
J. Riley	13 Federal court	3	Fixtures	1,800
T. Okerholm	390 Tremont street	3	Fixtures	150

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Mary O'Brien, 14A Holborn street, Roxbury, from clerk and typist at $48 a week to statistical machine operator (key punch) (temporary transfer) at $50.50 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following promotions:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Rita M. Conley, 1368 Commonwealth avenue, from principal statistical machine operator at $73 a week to chief of Tabulating Division, temporary, for a period of one month, at $87 a week.

Nora M. Fahey, 10 Clifford street, Hyde Park, from senior clerk and typist at $65.50 a week to assessment recorder, temporary for three months, or pending qualifying examination, at $68 a week.

AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

John J. Kirby, 6 Haynes park, Roxbury, from senior accountant (temporary) at $90.50 a week to senior accountant at $90.50 a week.

Edward M. Herlihy, 1 Oriole street, West Roxbury, from senior accountant (temporary) at $90.50 a week to senior accountant at $90.50 a week.

John F. Smith, 17 Roberts road, Wellesley, from senior accountant (temporary) at $94 a week to senior accountant at $94 a week.

Edwin J. Sullivan, 84 Westglow street, Dorchester, from principal accountant (temporary) at $108.25 a week to principal accountant at $108.25 a week.

William J. Keane, 14 St. Martin street, Charlestown, from principal accountant (temporary) at $108.25 a week to principal accountant at $108.25 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Sanatorium Division.

Patrick Murtagh, 41 Dracut street, Dorchester, from chief power plant engineer, temporary, at $87 a week to chief power plant engineer, permanent, at $87 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

John F. Dillon, 69 Bartlett street, Roxbury, from motor equipment operator at $60.50 a week to heavy motor equipment operator at $63 a week.

Abraham Bloom, 378 Chelsea street, East Boston, from laborer at $63 a week to park keeper at $65.50 a week.

Wendelyn Dujsik, 7 Tobin court, Roxbury, from motor equipment operator at $63 a week to heavy motor equipment operator at $65.50 a week.

Terrence M. Grealish, 134 Pleasant street, Dorchester, from laborer at $60.50 a week to park keeper at $63 a week.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

House of Correction.

Joseph A. Bonito, 93 Faywood avenue, East Boston, from correction officer at $70.50 a week to correction officer and shoemaking instructor at $73 a week.

VETERANS' SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Thomas J. Sheehan, 27 Primrose street, Roslindale, from deputy commissioner of veterans' benefits and services (temporary) at $103.50 a week to deputy commissioner of veterans' benefits and services (permanent) at $108.25 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following leaves of absence:

ELECTION DEPARTMENT.

Philip Kosky, 20 Kerwin street, Dorchester, assistant registrar of voters, $80 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Helen B. Ring, 69 Stanton road, Brookline, stenographer, $54.86 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

William Corbett, 17 Davis street, laborer, $58 a week.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Alice M. Hyde, 6 Laban Pratt road, Dorchester, principal account clerk, $73 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Rhoda Greenstein, 39 Schuyler street, Roxbury, clerk and typist, $48 a week.

John R. McGillivray, 145 Welles avenue, Dorchester, principal social work supervisor, $81.71 a week.

Freida C. Wheeler, 16 Wardman road, Roxbury, clerk and typist, $50.50 a week.

STEP-RATE INCREASES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved step-rate increases for employees of the following departments:

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

William L. Little, building inspector, from $80 to $83.50 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Marie H. Peters, clerk and typist, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Hospital Kitchen Workers.

	From	To
Thomas E. Mahoney,	$43.00—	$45.50
Michael J. Merrick,	48.00—	50.50
Vincent Dooley,	48.00—	50.50
James E. Lennon,	45.50—	48.00

Hospital Medical Workers.

Ruth M. Bonds,	$43.00—	$45.50
Mary G. Boyle,	48.00—	50.50
Mildred V. Colon,	43.00—	45.50
Helen F. Connors,	43.00—	45.50
Caroline E. Delvental,	48.00—	50.50
Norah Fallon,	48.00—	50.50
Jean M. Hamilton,	45.50—	48.00
Anna Harrington,	50.50—	53.00
Catherine J. Keating,	48.00—	50.50
Catherine Kramer,	45.50—	48.00
Helen E. Mahoney,	45.50—	48.00
Maria Martori,	48.00—	50.50
Margaret M. McCarthy,	43.00—	45.50
Gertrude O'Brien,	48.00—	50.50
Emma L. Phillips,	48.00—	50.50
Kathleen Roche,	45.50—	48.00
Janet Thomson,	48.00—	50.50
John Jackson,	45.50—	48.00
George Lanovette,	45.50—	48.00
John W. Long,	43.00—	45.50
James McCluskey,	45.50—	48.00
Jacob Packer,	48.00—	50.50
Paul Robinson,	43.00—	45.50
Anne Bohan,	45.50—	48.00
Yvonne A. Holt,	43.00—	45.50
Franklin E. Lovejoy,	48.00—	50.50
Mark Miller,	45.50—	48.00

Edward Hawes, ambulance driver, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Hospital House Workers.

	From	To
Catherine Brennan,	$48.00—	$50.50
Catherine Daley,	48.00—	50.50
Mary Fottler,	48.00—	50.50
Laurence Doyle,	45.50—	48.00
William J. Mellen,	45.50—	48.00
John J. Cavannagh,	48.00—	50.50
John Sinibaldi,	45.50—	48.00
Helena K. Kodad,	48.00—	50.50
Gerard J. Griffin,	48.00—	50.50
George Jensen,	53.00—	55.50
Edward J. Stenson,	48.00—	50.50
Patrick J. Brosnan,	48.00—	50.50
Richard Doyle,	48.00—	50.50
Joseph P. Duffy,	48.00—	50.50

William J. Kocen, plumber, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

John J. King, first-class steam fireman, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Virginia Devaux, senior accounting machine operator, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Elizabeth M. Flynn, senior clerk and typist, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Catherine M. Mullen, senior clerk and typist, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Hospital Laundry Workers.

	From	To
Charles E. Floyd,	$43.00—	$45.50
Elsie MacDonald,	45.50—	48.00
Hazel Miner,	43.00—	45.50
John E. Ridge,	43.00—	45.50
Clara Kelley,	45.50—	48.00
Nora F. Kennedy,	45.50—	48.00

Floor Nurses.

Joan Bresnahan,	$60.50—	$63.00
Cecile Dion,	60.50—	63.00
Anne E. O'Neill,	60.50—	63.00
Ariel C. Worrell,	65.50—	68.00
Anna M. Sweeney,	68.00—	70.50
Grace Flaherty,	63.00—	65.50
Marie Perez,	68.00—	70.50

Florence Chalko, educational director, school of nursing, from $103.50 to $108.25 a week.

Dorothy M. Lena, nurse-anesthetist, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Mabel B. Coakley, floor nurse, from $1.50 to $1.60 an hour.

Blanche M. (Sweeney) Forguitis, floor nurse, from $1.60 to $1.65 an hour.

Paul Ployer, Jr., ambulance driver, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Mary F. Byrne, senior hospital house worker, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Philip Cincotti, pharmacist, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Catherine Bustin, telephone operator, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Edward Lesser, carpenter, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Joseph Burke, second-class stationary engineer, from $87 to $90.50 a week.

William Gallagher, senior elevator operator, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Maurice F. McGrath, senior elevator operator, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Loraine Ruggles, senior elevator operator, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Mary G. Andolina, senior clerk and typist, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Mary K. Bosworth, senior clerk and typist, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Mary E. Connolly, clerk and typist, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Barbara McCarthy, clerk and typist, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Mary Dyas, head nurse, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Phyllis P. Carney, floor nurse, from $1.50 to $1.60 an hour.

Catherine Nulty, floor nurse, from $1.50 to $1.70 an hour.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Anthony J. Storella, bath custodian, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Sewer Division.

Arthur DeAngelis, laborer, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

Hilliard C. Donovan, assistant civil engineer, from $94 to $98.75 a week.

Charles E. Hughes, laborer, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

Francis L. McNally, laborer, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Edward R. O'Mara, laborer, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Frederick L. Uriot, paymaster-clerk, from $83.50 to $87 a week.

Katherine Magullion, clerk-typist, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Mary Coyman, cleaner, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

Clerks and Typists.

	From	To
Marie Cameron,	$50.50—	$53.00
Mary J. Hicks,	43.00—	45.50
Dorothy Shine,	48.00—	50.50
Fannie Silver,	45.50—	48.00

Anthony Polcari, junior building custodian, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Mary J. Sullivan, principal bookkeeper, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Principal Clerks.

	From	To
Sara Berenson,	$73.00—	$76.50
Norina DiSalvo,	73.00—	76.50
Anne T. Hannon,	76.50—	80.00
Marion Keating,	76.50—	80.00
Katherine Murray,	73.00—	76.50
Elizabeth McKeon,	73.00—	76.50
Lily Olson,	73.00—	76.50
Catherine Sullivan,	73.00—	76.50
Josephine Todisco,	73.00—	76.50

Barbara Conley, senior bookkeeper, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Anna C. Murphy, senior clerk and typist, from $55.08 to $58 a week.

Social Workers.

	From	To
Rose Crowley,	$68.00—	$70.50
Edward Daniels,	68.00—	70.50
Dorothy DeForge,	70.50—	73.00
Loretta Dixon,	68.00—	70.50
Lawrence Fine,	68.00—	70.50
Patricia Finnegan,	68.00—	70.50
Edna Franks,	68.00—	70.50
Annie Holder,	68.00—	70.50
Adolph Marcus,	68.00—	70.50
Dorothy Mealey,	73.00—	76.50
Jean Miller,	68.00—	70.50
Francis Moran,	68.00—	70.50
Catherine McCarthy,	70.50—	73.00
Paul McDonough,	68.00—	70.50
Helen O'Connell,	76.50—	80.00
Lillian Roberts,	70.50—	73.00
Marion Ruggles,	68.00—	70.50
Edward Shine,	68.00—	70.50
Frederick Slaney,	68.00—	70.50

Alfred Troy, social work supervisor, from $83.50 to $87 a week.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

REGISTRY OF DEEDS.

Henry S. McDonnell, principal clerk, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Elizabeth E. Sullivan, cashier, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Edward E. Toland, clerk, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Patricia A. Fenlon, clerk, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following requests:

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

An additional day's pay will be given to all members of the Fire Fighting Force and the Fire Alarm Division who work on January 1, February 22, April 19, May 30, July 4, the first Monday of September, October 12, November 11, Thanksgiving Day, or Christmas Day in the year 1955, or the day following when any of the five days first mentioned, or October 12, November 11, or Christmas Day occurs on Sunday.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Gertrude E. Folan, executive secretary, 7 hours at $3 an hour.

Sanatorium Division.

For the week ending February 1:

The following employees have been granted an additional day's pay for working on New Year's Day:

Carl DeFazi, head pharmacist; Evelyn Gordon, dietitian; Francis Hart, principal storekeeper; Luke McCarthy, engineer; Patrick Murtagh, chief engineer; Rachael Scheehl, dietitian; Joseph Sedar, chef; Katherine Burke, head nurse; Alice DeRoehn, night supervisor of nurses; Mary Flynn, Anne Gilson, Clara Greene, Rose Humiston, Sadie Linn, Mazie MacIntyre, Katherine Morris, Gertrude O'Connell, Johanne Reidy, head nurses; Mary Rogers, registered graduate nurse; Mary Spinale, night supervisor of nurses; Anna Sullivan, Cecelia Sullivan, Mary Tolan, head nurses.

Long Island Division.

For the week ending January 18:

Annie M. Hickey, supervisor of nurses, 8 hours, $24; Charles F. Dolan, principal clerk, 10 hours, $25; 10 hours, $30.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

For the week ending January 25:

Joseph T. Harrington, park maintenanee foreman, 6 hours at $2.09 an hour; Harry L. McGuire, tree maintenance foreman, 48 hours at $2 an hour; Frank J. McGrath, general foreman, 8 hours at $3 an hour; Neil P. Canney, park maintenance foreman, 24 hours at $2 an hour; Dennis N. O'Leary, principal clerk, 48 hours at $2 an hour; Catherine Hughes, principal clerk-stenographer, 24 hours at $2 an hour.

Cemetery Division.

Edwin W. Banks, cemetery foreman, 16 hours at $2 an hour.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

House of Correction.

For the week ending February 2:

Warren Bancroft, herdsman, 1 day, $16; J. B. Connolly, baker, cook, 1 day, $16; Joseph Devine, deputy master, 1 day, $18.80; George Donovan, shoe instructor, 1 day, $16; Walter Gannon, hospital supervisor, 1 day, $16.70; Peter Joyce, Frank Lueiano, cooks, 1 day, $16; John McGowan, assistant deputy, 1 day, $16; William Kelley, deputy, 4½ days, $84.60; Peter McMullan, head clerk, 2½ days, $41.97; James Parziale, cook, 1 day, $16; Edgar Shepard, deputy, 2 days, $37.60; Robert Stewart, John Sullivan, hospital supervisors, 1 day, $16.70; Andrew Puzzo, receiver, 1 day, $16.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

For the week ending February 2:

The following employees are to be paid $1.95 an hour when operating heavy-duty equipment during the winter season, and $1.85 an hour when operating the Baughman plowing and sanding units:

Joseph Dembrowski, cateh-basin cleaning machine operator (Sewer Division); Arthur W. Woodford, water service repairman (Water Division).

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Helena Holbrow, head clerk, 7½ hours at $2.39 an hour.

VETERANS' RETIREMENTS.

The Mayor has approved the following veterans' applications for retirement:

Francis J. Morris, 36 Orkney road, Brighton, senior building custodian, Winship School, School Department.

Charles W. Fuller, 117 Warren street, Roxbury, janitor, Division 1, Police Department.

Martin J. Mitchell, 516 Park street, Dorchester, paver, Highway Division, Public Works Department.

Edwin J. McLaughlin, 850 East Fourth street, South Boston, motor equipment operator and laborer, Sanitary Division, Public Works Department.

Edward Ambrogne (also known as Gaetano Ambrogne), 638 Saratoga street, East Boston, mobile guard, Automotive Division, Public Works Department.

Samuel E. Flanagan, 16 Shade street, Randolph, earpenter, Highway Division, Public Works Department.

Thomas H. Dacey, 60 Vermont street, West Roxbury, assistant assessor, part time, Assessing Department.

Joseph J. Mulvey, 434 Centre street, Jamaica Plain, assistant registrar of voters, Election Department.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award the contracts for work, materials, and supplies, in accordance with recommendations of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Purchasing Division.

Upon February 3 the Mayor approved a contract with Cities Service Oil Company for furnishing gasoline to the various city departments, from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, inclusive. Approximate total amount of contract was $141,250, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment, plus state tax of $50,000.

Bids, opened January 20, were as follows:

Approximately 1,000,000 Gallons of Gasoline.

(Approximately 550,000 Gallons Shall Be "Regular" Gasoline and Approximately 450,000 Gallons Shall Be "Premium" Gasoline.)

Tank Wagon Price, Time of Deliveries, Minus a Differential of.—Cities Service Oil Company, regular, 2.75 cents per gallon*; premium, 2.75 cents per gallon*; Socony-Vacuum Oil Company, Inc., regular, 2 cents per gallon; premium, 2 cents per gallon.

Posted Commercial Tank Wagon Price at Time of Opening.—Cities Service Oil

Company, regular, 13.60 cents per gallon*; premium, 16.10 cents per gallon*; Socony-Vacuum Oil Company, Inc., regular, 13.6 cents per gallon; premium, 16.1 cents per gallon.

Trade Name of Gasoline.—Cities Service Oil Company, regular, Cities Service; premium, Cities Service; Socony-Vacuum Oil Company, Inc., regular, Mobilgas; premium, Mobilgas Special.

Net Prices, After Discount.—Cities Service Oil Company, regular, 13 cents per gallon*; premium, 15.50 cents per gallon*; Socony-Vacuum Oil Company, Inc., regular, 13.6 cents per gallon; premium, 16.1 cents per gallon.

Discount.—Cities Service Oil Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Socony-Vacuum Oil Company, Inc., terms, net.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon February 3 the Mayor approved a contract with Keystone Storage Battery Company for furnishing automobile batteries to the various city departments, from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, inclusive. Approximate total amount of contract was $9,000, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids, opened January 21, were as follows:

Automobile Batteries.

Passenger Car Battery, Rate 100, Group 1M.—Cooper Tire & Rubber Company, $10.12, 1CH, rate 100; American Oil Company, $9.22, AB-15-1, rate 100; Atlantic Battery Company, $9.78, BA-151-P, rate 100; Keystone Storage Battery Company, $9.05,* rate 100; Standard Auto Gear Company, Inc., $10.78, 15AA, rate 100; Lee Tire & Rubber Company, $8.99, rate 100.

Commercial Car Battery, Rate 100, Group 1M.—Cooper Tire & Rubber Company, $10.65, 1CG, rate 100; American Oil Company, $10.54, C-13-1, rate 103; Atlantic Battery Company, $10.45, BA-151-PG, rate 100; Keystone Storage Battery Company, $10.14,* rate 105; Standard Auto Gear Company, Inc., $14.89, 1HR115, rate 115; Lee Tire & Rubber Company, $11.37, rate 103.

Passenger Car Battery, Rate 100, Group 2L.—Cooper Tire & Rubber Company, $10.51, 2LCH, rate 100; American Oil Company, $9.45, AB-17-2L, rate 100; Atlantic Battery Company, $9.99, F-172-L-P, rate 100; Keystone Storage Battery Company, $9.55,* rate 100; Standard Auto Gear Company, Inc., $11.16, 17P, rate 100; Lee Tire & Rubber Company, $10.20, rate 100.

Commercial Car Battery, Rate 100, Group 2L.—Cooper Tire & Rubber Company, $10.86, 2LCG, rate 100; American Oil Company, $10.89, C-17-2L, rate 112; Atlantic Battery Company, $10.56, F-172-L-PG, rate 100; Keystone Storage Battery Company, $10.14,* rate 105; Standard Auto Gear Company, Inc., $14.89, 2LR115, rate 115; Lee Tire & Rubber Company, $11.71, rate 112.

Passenger Car Battery, Rate 115, Group 2M.—Cooper Tire & Rubber Company, $11.31, 2CH115, rate 115; American Oil Company, $10.31, AB-17-2, rate 115; Atlantic Battery Company, $10.97, BA-172-P, rate 115; Keystone Storage Battery Company, $10.29,* rate 115; Standard Auto Gear Company, Inc., $12.23, 17K, rate 115; Lee Tire & Rubber Company, $11.06, rate 115.

Commercial Car Battery, Rate 110, Group 2M.—Cooper Tire & Rubber Company, $12.89, 2CG120, rate 120; American Oil Company, $11.72, C-15-2, rate 120; Atlantic Battery Company, $12.48, C-152-PG, rate 110; Keystone Storage Battery Company, $12.24,* rate 120; Standard Auto Gear Company, Inc., $16.19, 2HR130, rate 130; Lee Tire & Rubber Company, $12.67, rate 120.

Passenger Car Battery, Rate 115, Group 2F.—Cooper Tire & Rubber Company, $11.82, 2FCH, rate 120; American Oil Company, $10.62, AB-17-2F, rate 120; Atlantic Battery Company, $11.47, BA-172-FP, rate 115; Keystone Storage Battery Company, $10.42,* rate 115; Standard Auto Gear Company, Inc., $11.45, 2F100, rate 100; Lee Tire & Rubber Company, $11.39, rate 120.

Commercial Car Battery, Rate 110, Group 2F.—Cooper Tire & Rubber Company, $12.76, 2FCG, rate 120; American Oil Company, $11.65, C-15-2F, rate 120; Atlantic Battery Company, $12.48, C-152-F-PG, rate 110; Keystone Storage Battery Company, $12.24,* rate 120; Standard Auto Gear Company, Inc., $11.45, 2F100, rate 100; Lee Tire & Rubber Company, $12.59, rate 120.

Passenger Car Battery, Rate 115, Group 2E.—Cooper Tire & Rubber Company, $11.96, 2ECH, rate 120; American Oil Company, $10.68, AB-17-2E, rate 120; Atlantic Battery Company, $11.58, BA-172-EP, rate 115; Keystone Storage Battery Company, $10.29,* rate 115; Standard Auto Gear Company, Inc., $12.76, 17E, rate 120; Lee Tire & Rubber Company, $11.46, rate 120.

Commercial Car Battery, Rate 135, Group 3H.—Cooper Tire & Rubber Company, $14.75, 3CG, rate 135; American Oil Company, $12.92, C-17-3, rate 135; Atlantic Battery Company, $14.58, C-173-PG, rate 135; Keystone Storage Battery Company, $14.60,* rate 140; Standard Auto Gear Company, Inc., $17.83, 3HR145, rate 145; Lee Tire & Rubber Company, $13.99, rate 135.

Commercial Car Battery, Rate 153, Group 4H.—Cooper Tire & Rubber Company, $16.34, 4CG, rate 153; American Oil Company, $14.16, C-19-4, rate 153; Atlantic Battery Company, $16.46, C-194-PG, rate 153; Keystone Storage Battery Company, $16.71,* rate 155; Standard Auto Gear Company, Inc., $19.27, 4HR160, rate 160; Lee Tire & Rubber Company, $15.29, rate 153.

Discount.—Cooper Tire & Rubber Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; American Oil Company, 2 per cent, 15 days, net, 30 days; Atlantic Battery Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Keystone Storage Battery Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Standard Auto Gear Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Lee Tire & Rubber Company, net (prices do not include federal excise tax).

Discount from Prices on Standard Manufacturers' Guaranty List, Effective on Day Proposal Is Opened.—Cooper Tire & Rubber Company, Cooper No. 220, list dated November 1, 1954, less federal excise tax; American Oil Company, see Form PB2510, effective October 25, 1954, which quotes prices applicable to city under this bid; Atlantic Battery Company, 8 per cent from enclosed net price list; Keystone Storage Battery Company, 50 per cent, 10 per cent, 5 per cent; Standard Auto Gear Company, Inc., 18 per cent from net price sheet, 7A-40, November 22, 1954; Lee Tire & Rubber Company, jobber's price, less 7-15 per cent.

Name of Battery.—Cooper Tire & Rubber Company, Cooper Long Service; American Oil Company, Amoco; Atlantic Battery Company, Atlantic; Keystone Storage Battery Company, Keystone; Standard Auto Gear Company, Inc., Delco; Lee Tire & Rubber Company, Lee Batteries.

Name and Address of Manufacturer.—Cooper Tire & Rubber Company, Gould National Batteries, Inc., 303 Mechanic street, Marlboro; American Oil Company, Gould National Batteries, Inc., Marlboro; Atlantic Battery Company, Atlantic Battery Company, 80-86 Elm street, Watertown; Keystone Storage Battery Company, Keystone Storage Battery Company, 203 Winter street, Saugus; Standard Auto Gear Company, Inc., Delco Battery Division, General Motors Corporation, Detroit, Michigan; Lee Tire & Rubber Company, Gould National Batteries, Inc., Marlboro.

Type of Case.—Cooper Tire & Rubber Company, hard rubber; American Oil Company, hard rubber; Atlantic Battery Company, genuine hard rubber; Keystone Storage Battery Company, genuine hard rubber; Standard Auto Gear Company, Inc., hard rubber; Lee Tire & Rubber Company, rubber.

Remarks.—American Oil Company, prices quoted do not include any municipal sales tax, nor state sales tax, if any, which are to be added if applicable to merchandise; prices do not include federal excise tax which is to be added unless exemption certificates are furnished; bidder's prices herein quoted are applicable only if award is made to bidder within 30 days after closing date for bids; deliveries to be made within 30 days from date of shipping order.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon February 7 the Mayor approved a contract with contractors as indicated for furnishing waste and wiping cloths to the various city departments, from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, inclusive. Approximate total amounts of contracts were as follows:

Robert Bishop Manufacturing Company, $3,855; Massachusetts Waste Supply Company, $1,070.85.

Discounts for both companies is 2 per cent, time of payment.

Bids, opened January 24, were as follows:

Waste and Wiping Cloths.

Item 1. 30 100-Pound Bales No. 1 White Machine Picked Cotton Waste, Per Pound.—Robert Bishop Manufacturing Company, 20 cents.*

Item 2. 300 50-Pound Bales No. 1 Whole Cop Waste, White, Per Pound.—Robert Bishop Manufacturing Company, 21 cents.*

Item 3. 5 100-Pound Bales No. 1 Whole Cop Waste, White, Per Pound.—Robert Bishop Manufacturing Company, 21 cents.*

Item 4. 5,500 Pounds Wiping Cloths, No. 1, Lightweight, Bleached White and Sterilized, Approximately 100 Pounds to Bale, As Per Specifications, Per Pound.—Massachusetts Waste Supply Company, $19.47 per 100 pounds*; Exclusive Rug Company, Inc., 22.74 cents.

Discount.—Robert Bishop Manufacturing Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Massachusetts Waste Supply Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Exclusive Rug Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon February 7 the Mayor approved a contract with A. A. X-Ray Solutions, Inc., for furnishing X-ray solutions to the various city departments, from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, inclusive.

Approximate total amount of contract was $13,297.25, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids, opened January 24, were as follows:

All Solutions To Be A. A. X-Ray Solutions, or Equal.

Item 1. 275 Bottles Developing Liquid, 5-Minute Solution, 5 Gallons to Bottle, Per Bottle.—A. A. X-Ray Solutions, Inc., $4.05*; Harper X-Ray Company, $4.27.

Item 2. 650 Bottles Developing Liquid, 3½-Minute Solution, 5 Gallons to Bottle, Per Bottle.—A. A. X-Ray Solutions, Inc., $4.05*; Harper X-Ray Company, $4.27.

Item 3. 1,400 Bottles Hypo Fixing Liquid, 5 Gallons to Bottle, Per Bottle.—A. A. X-Ray Solutions, Inc., $4.05*; Harper X-Ray Company, $4.27.

Item 4. 250 Bottles Hypo Fixing Liquid, 1 Gallon to Bottle, Per Bottle.—A. A. X-Ray Solutions, Inc., $1.12*; Harper X-Ray Company, $1.19.

Item 5. 650 Bottles Refresher or Replenisher Liquid, 5 Gallons to Bottle, Per Bottle.—A. A. X-Ray Solutions, Inc., $4.05*; Harper X-Ray Company, $4.27.

Item 6. 650 Bottles Refresher or Replenisher Liquid, 1-Gallon Bottles, Per Bottle.—A. A. X-Ray Solutions, Inc., $1.12*; Harper X-Ray Company, $1.19.

Item 7. 150 Bottles Dryer, 5-Gallon Bottles, Per Bottle.—A. A. X-Ray Solutions, Inc., 65 cents*; Harper X-Ray Company, 67 cents.

Item 8. 220 Bottles Short Stop Solution, 5-Gallon Bottles, Per Bottle.—A. A. X-Ray Solutions, Inc., 65 cents*; Harper X-Ray Company, 67 cents.

Discount.—A. A. X-Ray Solutions, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Harper X-Ray Company, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Name of Solution.—A. A. X-Ray Solutions, Inc., A. A. X-Ray Solutions; Harper X-Ray Company, Harper X-Ray Solutions.

Remarks.

A. A. X-Ray Solutions, Inc.—Will deliver the above solutions at the convenience of the hospital. Will clean all tanks thoroughly with each delivery. Will replace any tank that needs extra cleaning, doing so at our plant. Will keep the tanks in excellent condition and promote longer life. Will also remove by syphon solutions from tanks that will prevent clogging of drains, thereby preventing additional plumbing costs. In consideration of above quotations the exhausted solutions will be the property of A. A. X-Ray Solutions, Inc. The chemicals that are used will be of the finest, thereby insuring uniform end results. The above services are rendered at no extra charge.

*** Contract awarded.**

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Upon February 7 the Mayor approved a contract with contractors as indicated for furnishing industrial and medical gases to the various city departments, from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, inclusive. Approximate total amounts of awards were as follows:

Contracts for: Linde Air Products Company, a Division of Union Carbide and Carbon Corporation, $19,208.48, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; New England Gas Products, Inc., $12,040.75, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; Thomas A. Edison, Inc., $6,624.75, net, 10th proximo.

Bids, opened January 26, were as follows:

Gases (Industrial and Medical).

Item 1. 120 Cylinders Acetylene, 300 Cubic Feet to Cylinder, Per C Cubic Feet.—New England Gas Products, Inc., $2.70; Linde Air Products Company, $2.47.*

Item 2. 50 Cylinders Acetylene, 40 Cubic Feet to Cylinder, Per Cylinder.—New England Gas Products, Inc., $3.00; Linde Air Products Company, $2.95.*

Item 3. 20 Cylinders Acetylene, 102 Cubic Feet to Cylinder, Per Cylinder.—New England Gas Products, Inc., $3.25; Linde Air Products Company, $2.47 per C cubic feet.*

Item 4. 25 Carbon Dioxide Liquid, 20-Pound Tanks, Refills, Style F, Ohio, or Equal, Per Tank.—New England Gas Products, Inc., $4.25.*

Item 5. 20,000 Pounds Carbon Dioxide Liquid, CO2, Pure Carbonic, or Equal.—No bids.

Item 6. 30,000 Pounds Carbon Dioxide.—No bids.

Item 7. 200 Cylinders Carbonic, Pure, Bone Dry, 99.5 Per Cent, 50 Pounds to Cylinder (for Refrigeration), Per Pound.—New England Gas Products, Inc., 7.5 cents.*

Item 8. 60 Cylinders Cyclopropane, 100 Gallons to Cylinder, Per Cylinder.—New England Gas Products, Inc., $40*; Puritan Compressed Gas Corporation, $40.18; Thomas A. Edison, Inc., $40.

Item 9. 300 Cylinders Gas Mixture, CO2, 90/10, Cylinder D, Per Cylinder.—New England Gas Products, Inc., $3.10*; Puritan Compressed Gas Corporation, $3.15 (95 gallons); Thomas A. Edison, Inc., $3.20.

Item 10. 28 Cylinders Gas Mixture, CO2, 95/5, Cylinder G, Per Cylinder.—New England Gas Products, Inc., $8*; Puritan Compressed Gas Corporation, $8.97 (1,400 gallons); Thomas A. Edison, Inc., $8.05.

Item 11. 10 Cylinders Helium and Oxygen, 80/20, Cylinder D, Per Cylinder.—New England Gas Products, Inc., $4.50; Puritan Compressed Gas Corporation $5.00 (82 gallons); Thomas A. Edison, Inc., $4.*

Item 12. 30 Cylinders Nitrous Oxide, "G" Size, Per Cylinder.—New England Gas Products, Inc., $32.50; Puritan Compressed Gas Corporation, $37.45 (3,200 gallons); Thomas A. Edison, Inc., $29.*

Item 13. 600 Cylinders Nitrous Oxide, "E" Size, 420-Gallon Cylinders, Per Cylinder.—New England Gas Products, Inc., $7.75; Puritan Compressed Gas Corporation, $9.32; Thomas A. Edison, Inc., $7.50.*

Item 14. 10,315 Cylinders Oxygen, 244 Cubic Feet to Cylinder, Per C Cubic Feet.—New England Gas Products, Inc., 78 cents; Linde Air Products Company, 72 cents.*

Item 15. 250 Cylinders Oxygen, 55 Cubic Feet to Cylinder, Per Cylinder.—New England Gas Products, Inc., $2.75.*

Item 16. 565 Cylinders Oxygen, "D" Size, Per Cylinder.—New England Gas Products, Inc., $2.25; Puritan Compressed Gas Corporation, $2.45 (95 gallons); Thomas A. Edison, Inc., $2.15.*

Item 17. 2,650 Cylinders Oxygen, "E" Size, Per Cylinder.—New England Gas Products, Inc., $2.62*; Puritan Compressed Gas Corporation, $3.15 (165 gallons); Thomas A. Edison, Inc., $2.58.

Discount.—New England Gas Products, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Linde Air Products Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Puritan Compressed Gas Corporation, net, 15th proximo; Thomas A. Edison, Inc., net, 10th proximo.

Remarks.—New England Gas Products, Inc., no demurrage will be charged for duration of contract; Linde Air Products Company, please see demurrage charge clause attached to proposal; Puritan Compressed Gas Corporation, please see Form 497 attached to proposal, demurrage charge.

*** Contract awarded.**

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

Upon varying dates as indicated the Mayor approved contracts with contractors, business houses, and commercial organizations for furnishing labor, supplies, etc. Communications from heads of the departments interested were as follows:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.
Purchasing Division.

BOSTON, January 24, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office is in receipt of a requisition from the Bridge Service of the Public Works Department for immediate delivery of 20 tons of lead ballast for counterweights for the Malden Bridge, at Alford street, Charlestown, and in accordance with the following specifications:

"To be furnished in pig form; each piece measuring approximately, but not more than, 17 inches long, 6 inches wide, and 4 inches high, weighing approximately, but not more than, 110 pounds each; base of each piece to be rectangular without lugs, bosses or similar irregularities."

Written quotations were solicited from several lead refineries, fabricators, and reclaimed lead dealers. Three bids were received at prices as indicated below:

Louis Freeman, doing business as Boston Iron and Metal Company, $6,000, net.

National Lead of Massachusetts, $6,200, net.

Herman Nick Company, $6,400, net.

Inasmuch as this lead is needed immediately, bids were solicited from companies usually submitting prices on publicly advertised bids for lead. Since the lowest price submitted is the same as the spot price for lead in New York, it is my opinion that no advantage would be gained by a public advertisement.

It is therefore requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to Louis Freeman, doing business as Boston Iron and Metal Company, for 20 tons of lead ballast, as per specifications, at $300 per ton. Approximate total amount of contract will be $6,000, net.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, January 31, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The Assessing Department has submitted requisitions to this office for forms to be used for 1955 tax bills and tax lists.

Moore Business Forms, Inc., who originally developed the forms used by the Assessing Department and who has supplied them to the Assessing Department for several years, has submitted an in-

formal written quotation in accordance with the specifications set out on the requisitions.

Inasmuch as Moore Business Forms, Inc., has been the sole supplier for several years, authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to this company. It is my opinion that, in this way, the best interests of the city will be served.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $16,799.58, net.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, January 31, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The Traffic Commission has submitted a requisition to this office for Luxor traffic signal lamps.

Luxor Lighting Products, Inc., the manufacturer of the above lamps, has submitted an informal written quotation. Inasmuch as Luxor lamps have proven far superior in lamp life to other lamps, authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to Luxor Lighting Products, Inc. It is my opinion that, in this way, the best interests of the city will be served.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $1,515.04, less 1 per cent discount for payment within 10 days, net, 30 days.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

BOSTON HOUSING AUTHORITY.

BOSTON, February 7, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

As you know, the Authority is preparing to sell the various multiple dwelling apartment houses constructed under Statute 1946, Chapter 372, as amended.

Prior to the sale, it will be necessary that the Authority obtain appraisals of the various structures in order that it may arrive at a satisfactory decision when they are about to be sold. By reason of the nature of the work which is to be done by the appraisers and the degree of skill and experience which is required, it is felt that the Authority should select men who have an extensive background in work of this nature and who are skilled in the work of appraising.

The Authority has selected Philip H. Theopold, of the firm of Minot, DeBlois & Maddison, and John A. Breen, realtor of Boston, as such appraisers.

Your approval is respectfully requested of an award of a contract to these men without public advertising. Mr. Breen has indicated that he will do the necessary work in connection with the P street and Columbia Road Project and the Farragut Road Project for a sum not in excess of $1,250. Mr. Theopold has indicated that his charge will be $200 a day, or $100 a half day, or $35 for an individual hour, if less than one-half day or a full day is consecutively spent.

It appearing that these contracts may be for sums in excess of $1,000 for each man, your approval is respectfully requested of the award of such contracts without public advertising.

Very truly yours,

JAMES J. MAHAR,
Chairman.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

BOSTON, February 4, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

In accordance with the provisions of chapter 351 of the Acts of 1929, I have decided, subject to the approval of your Honor, to request the Public Improvement Commission to take, for the purpose of supplementing the play space for the William Bacon School in the Dudley School District, Roxbury, the following parcel of land:

Beginning at a point at the southeasterly corner of Auburn street and Oakburn court; thence northwesterly, 98.74 feet to a turning point; thence southwesterly, 62.87 feet to a boundary line of land owned by the Boston School Committee; thence southeasterly along said boundary line, 98.47 feet to Auburn street; thence northeasterly, 68.20 feet to point of beginning, and containing 6,428 square feet. Be all measurements more or less.

The Superintendent of Public Schools has approved of the taking of this parcel of land, and I respectfully request your approval of said taking by eminent domain.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES H. MOONEY,
Superintendent of Construction.

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, January 25, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

Your approval is respectfully requested to engage the services of Shepley, Bulfinch, Richardson, and Abbott, architects, 1 Court street, Boston, as architects for the proposed new branch library to be erected in South Boston.

The cost of the proposed construction is not to exceed $225,000, including the architects' fee. The architects will be paid a fee equal to the sum of 8.4 per cent of the full amount of the cost of said construction.

In view of the nature of the professional services involved, no useful purpose would be served by advertising publicly for bids. Therefore, the Trustees of the Public Library have

"*Voted*, That Shepley, Bulfinch, Richardson, and Abbott, architects, 1 Court street, Boston, be, and hereby are, selected to design a branch library building to be erected on a parcel of land on the northerly side of East Broadway, known as City Plan No. 58, recorded with Volume 4, Plate 28, City Land Plans, in accordance with specifications to be set by the Library."

Your permission is respectfully requested to dispense with public advertising and to engage the services of Shepley, Bulfinch, Richardson, and Abbott, architects, as indicated above.

Respectfully,

THE TRUSTEES OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY OF THE CITY OF BOSTON,
by MILTON E. LORD,
Director.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, January 28, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

Our custodian in the Charlestown Municipal Building informed us by telephone that there was a leak in No. 1 boiler.

I directed the F. J. Riley Company to make an examination and as a result they report that two sections were cracked and that there was leakage around several nipples under a hydrostatic test. Also it was found that the main return check valve, main return stop valve and blowoff valves were defective and should be replaced. It was found advisable to replace main return header.

Upon the receipt of the above report and in view of the emergency nature, I invited three reputable contractors to quote on the above work with the following results:

P. J. Riley Company, 293 Highland street, Roxbury, $2,957.

Powers & Mehagen, 506 Broadway, South Boston, $3,152.

J. P. O'Hearn, 9 Columbia place, Dorchester, $3,310.

This is an emergency that should be done at the earliest possible moment, for if anything should happen to the other boiler a very expensive freeze up might occur.

As time is of the utmost importance, I respectfully ask permission to award this work without the usual form of advertising to the low bidder, P. J. Riley Company, 293 Highland street, Roxbury, in the sum of two thousand nine hundred fifty-seven (2,957) dollars.

I believe the best interests of the city will be protected in this manner.

Respectfully yours,

GEORGE P. DONOVAN,
Assistant Commissioner.

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BOSTON, January 31, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

Under an oral agreement with this department, the Federal National Linen Service Company, Inc., have been furnishing hand towels to all offices in City Hall Annex and City Hall. The agreement calls for delivery of approximately 1,125 towels a week.

The towel service already rendered by the above company has proven satisfactory, and in my opinion nothing could be gained by publicly advertising for bids for this type of work.

In view of the above, I respectfully request permission to issue orders to the Federal National Linen Service Company, in an amount not to exceed $2,155.33.

Respectfully yours,

GEORGE P. DONOVAN,
Assistant Commissioner.

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BOSTON, February 1, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The Real Property Board proposes to engage the services of M. A. Dyer Company, 24 School street, Boston, Mass., as architects-engineers, in connection with the proposed construction of an off-street parking facility at Hollis, Washington, Dore, and Dillaway streets, Boston.

The estimated cost of the proposed facility is approximately $1,300,000, and the architects-engineers shall be paid a standard fee equal to the sum of 6 per cent of the full amount of the cost of said construction, which fee would include supervision.

In view of the nature of the professional services involved, no benefit would be gained by advertising for bids, and it is respectfully requested that permission be given to award the contract to M. A. Dyer Company, without public advertising.

Respectfully submitted,

HERMAN CARP,
Commissioner.

TRANSFERS OF APPROPRIATIONS.

The Mayor has approved the following requests for transfers of appropriations:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.
Printing Section.

From Administrative Services Department, 1, Personal Services, $15.92, to 369, 1-21-93, Office Supplies Account, $15.92.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.
Federal Public Health Program.

From Health Department, 100, Permanent Employees, $79.74, to Federal Public Health Program, $79.74.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

From Fire Department, 100, Permanent Employees, $4,100.30, to 210, Communications, $790.15, 220, Light, Heat and Power, $1,798.29, 274, Repairs of Equipment, $1,511.86.

UNLIQUIDATED RESERVE.

From Unliquidated Reserve, 1950, $11,891.97, Unliquidated Reserve, 1951, $8,004.14, to Unliquidated Reserve, 1953: Assessing Department, $400.06, Boston Retirement Board, $554.16, Boston Traffic Commission, $3,998.76, Health Department, $2,123.88, Law Department, $1,029.73, Bridge Service, $7,063.15, Paving Service, $947.76, Sanitary Service, $720.55, Sewer Service, $3,058.06.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.
SUPERIOR COURT (Civil Session).
General Expenses.

From Courthouse Custodian, 100, Permanent Employees, $782.73, to 100, Permanent Employees, $230.06, 240, Recording, $552.67.

HOUSE OF CORRECTION.

From Courthouse Custodian, 100, Permanent Employees, $32.36, to House of Correction, 210, Communications, $32.36.

UNLIQUIDATED RESERVE, 1953.

From Unliquidated Reserve, 1950, $1,386.03, to Unliquidated Reserve, 1953, House of Correction, $1,386.03.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Joseph A. Jacobs for demolition of the George Putnam School, from February 14, 1955, to April 15, 1955. This extension was requested because, due to extreme cold weather, work had been delayed.

AMENDMENT TO ORIGINAL AWARDS OF DAMAGES.

The Mayor has approved the following votes of the Public Improvement Commission:

Voted, That the amount of $40 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Patrick R. and Myrtle E. Walsh for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of March 27, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Oakmere street, West Roxbury.

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Voted, That the amount of $70 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Raffaele and Nancy Carideo for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of November 20, 1952, for the laying out and construction of Wyvern street, West Roxbury.

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Voted, That the amount of $70 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to James P. and Mary A. Lafferty for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of July 23, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Cranmore road, Hyde Park.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 1,999.

The resignation of Patrolman Harry A. F. Mawhinney of Division 18 having been presented, it is hereby accepted, to take effect Friday, February 4, 1955, at 5.45 o'clock P.M., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,001.

On Tuesday, February 1, 1955, Detective John F. Toomey, Division 2, was assigned to investigate the robbery of a theater box office on Tremont street. Having obtained a description of the robber from the victim and acting on the assumption that the criminal would attempt a similar robbery because such a small sum of money had been realized, Detective Toomey continued his surveillance of the theater district after the expiration of his normal tour of duty, and through such diligence succeeded in apprehending a suspect in the very act of attempting the holdup of another theater. Following his identification by the victim of the first robbery, the prisoner admitted the crime, as well as another holdup.

The commissioner is pleased to commend Detective Toomey for his intelligent police work and diligent devotion to duty, and orders that he be commended and given two days' additional vacation.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

PLANNING ASSISTANT, BOSTON CITY PLANNING BOARD, MARCH 19, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, February 28, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $65.50 a week; the maximum salary is $80 a week.

Vacancies: From time to time.

Duties: Under immediate supervision, to perform subprofessional city planning work, such as map drafting and the compilation and presentation of statistics; and to perform related work as required.

Examples of Duties: Accumulating traffic statistics and formulating preliminary designs for the solution of traffic congestion problems; revising base and land use maps; assisting in research on various planning problems; gathering and assisting in the evaluation of information from department heads on a capital improvement program.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants must have at least five years of full-time paid experience in subprofessional or professional work in city planning or related fields. *Substitutions:* (1) Graduation from high school or equivalent education may be substituted for two years of the required experience. (2) Successfully completed study in engineering or related fields in a recognized degree-granting school may be substituted, year for year, for the required experience.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

SOCIAL WORKER, LONG ISLAND DIVISION, BOSTON HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, MARCH 26, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday March 7, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $65.50 a week; the maximum salary is $80 a week.

Vacancies: At present there is one vacancy for a male, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: Under supervision, to perform professional social case work; as a paramount duty, to apply the provisions of the laws pertaining to aid to the aged and to the totally disabled; and to perform related work as required.

Examples of Duties: Taking applications and interviewing patients to determine eligibility for Old Age Assistance and Disability Assistance; contacting private agencies, hospitals, the Veterans' Administration, and other agencies; in cooperation with public relief agencies, securing glasses, dentures, artificial limbs, and other appliances recommended by hospital physicians for patients; interviewing patients for admission to the Long Island Hospital Rehabilitation Program, and obtaining information (family history, employment, education, veteran status, health, etc.) in order to assist the psychiatrist in giving psychitherapy treatment; upon the request of the psychiatrist, referring patients for physical examination; interviewing patients for employment and making referrals to the Division of Employment Security; contacting and visiting the homes of relatives of patients in order to arrange for their futures with their families.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants must have at least one year of satisfactory full-time paid employment in the practice of social case work in an agency

maintaining acceptable standards. *Substitution:* Successful completion of one year of full-time training in a recognized graduate school of social work may be substituted for the required experience.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION. (STATE SERVICE.)

NOTE.—Applicants are advised to file applications early. In event of a tie on the eligible list, the applicant who filed his application first will be given precedence.

MAINTENANCE FOREMAN, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH, MARCH 26, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, March 7, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $3,720 a year; the maximum salary is $4,440 a year.

Vacancies: At present there is one vacancy for a male at North Reading State Sanatorium, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: Under general direction, in a public health institution, to have responsible charge of the construction, repair, and alterations of buildings and building appurtenances; when so assigned to have charge of grounds maintenance, maintenance of filter beds, sidewalks, roads and fire lanes, etc.; and to perform related work as required.

Examples of Duties: Planning the maintenance work to be performed, estimating costs, laying out the work, and supervising the carpenters, painters, masons, mechanics, and handymen other than electricians, plumbers, motor equipment repairmen, and mechanical handymen engaged in the care, alteration, or repair of institution buildings, grounds, facilities, or equipment; supervising the repair of furniture and cabinet making; supervising the maintenance of lawns, shrubbery, orchards, woodlands, sidewalks, roads, and refuse disposal; supervising snow removal and related work.

The following are required: Specific knowledge of building repairs and maintenance and general knowledge of groundskeeping and of machinery repairs.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants must have at least five years of full-time paid experience in general maintenance work, including (*a*) one year in a supervisory capacity as an assistant foreman or similar position involving general maintenance. *Substitution:* Graduation from a recognized technical school with major work in engineering may be substituted for three of the five years required, but not for the specified (*a*) experience.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

CITY OF BOSTON AND COUNTY OF SUFFOLK.

STATISTICAL FACTS FOR THE YEAR 1954

Date of incorporation	February 23, 1822
Date of adoption of City Charter (amended January 7, 1925)	1909
Form of Government	Mayor and City Council
Area (square miles)	47.81
Population — Federal Census (August 1, 1950)	801,444
Number of employees as of February 1, 1954	22,806
Boston Housing Authority:	
Federal Program (7,920 apartments housing 7,920 families)	
Number of apartments in veterans' permanent 1- and 2-family homes housing 1,306 families	
State-Aided Developments (containing 3,177 apartments housing 3,177 families)	
Building Department:	
Permits issued	17,515
Estimated cost	$35,771,706
Cemeteries: Number 19—Area (acres)	161.71
Election Department:	
Registered voters	383,861
Number of ballots cast last general election	169,493
Percentage of registered voters voting	44.15
Fire Department:	
Number of stations	51
Number of fireboats	2
Alarms responded to	15,150
Health Department: Health Units	10
Hospitals (Including Boston Sanatorium):	
City Hospital:	
Number of buildings	57
Bed capacity	2,460
Patients, daily average:	
Wards	1,798
Out-patient	891
Long Island Hospital:	
Number of buildings	27
Population	952
Library Department:	
Number of libraries	37
Number of employees (full time)	640
Number of volumes	2,011,358
Circulation	3,162,338
Markets, number of	2
Municipal buildings, number of	27
Park Department: Parks, number of acres	2,210.29
Area of playgrounds and play areas (acres)	807.12
Number of playgrounds and play areas	121
Number of municipal golf links	2
Number of municipal beaches	3
Public grounds and squares (acres)	57.41
Swimming pools (indoor) 2, (outdoor) 2	4
Number of recreation centers and indoor bathhouses	15
Police Department:	
Number of stations and headquarters	18
Arrests	93,291
Public Works Department:	
Bridges, number of	101
Miles of accepted streets and alleys	731
Sewers: Miles of sewers	1,302.75
Catch basins	23,972
Average number of gallons pumped daily at main pumping station	112,980,821
Sumner Traffic Tunnel: Length (feet)	5,651
Two-lane drive: Vehicles passing through — 1953	10,835,671
Water Service:	
Number of meters in service	95,653
Per capita daily average consumption (gallons)	139
Miles of mains: Ordinary	999,136
High pressure	18.72
Rapid Transit: Miles of subways and tunnels	16.81
Schools:	
Number of school buildings	224
Number of teachers	3,655
Average membership	91,774
Average daily attendance:	
Elementary and junior high schools	51,546
High schools	16,201
Kindergartens	8,151
Special schools	1,800

Registered Voters (Men and Women), City Election, November 3, 1953.

WARDS.	PRECINCTS.																					Totals.
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	
1	2,063	1,994	1,811	1,934	1,818	1,923	2,018	1,843	1,699	2,042	2,097	1,548	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	22,790
2	1,549	1,428	1,722	1,758	1,671	1,607	746	827	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11,308
3	1,611	1,652	1,625	1,649	1,412	1,618	1,368	1,490	1,510	1,185	1,437	1,489	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18,046
4	1,549	1,607	1,083	1,352	1,877	1,565	1,552	1,670	1,568	1,149	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14,972
5	1,763	1,094	1,664	1,256	1,787	2,007	2,280	1,648	1,650	1,273	1,231	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17,653
6	1,769	1,612	1,496	1,485	1,442	1,481	1,560	1,464	1,523	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13,832
7	1,590	1,725	1,677	1,671	1,645	1,844	1,747	1,569	1,609	1,739	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16,816
8	1,311	1,776	1,056	1,379	1,464	968	1,593	1,614	946	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12,107
9	1,358	1,649	1,508	1,794	956	1,089	1,075	521	1,293	964	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12,207
10	1,571	1,577	1,625	1,526	1,547	1,652	1,154	1,591	1,789	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14,032
11	809	728	741	712	828	940	1,143	971	957	887	1,136	847	709	1,121	691	789	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14,009
12	820	716	837	909	787	860	1,016	851	886	1,029	938	999	987	938	951	1,004	949	1,096	854	.....	.....	.....	17,427
13	778	857	1,069	979	1,060	906	793	923	682	748	771	686	926	888	948	1,027	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14,041
14	1,347	1,156	1,091	1,174	1,155	961	939	1,157	1,283	1,140	1,149	1,242	1,331	1,255	1,072	1,040	1,436	1,359	1,234	1,479	997	.....	24,997
15	1,043	976	983	897	856	902	889	900	955	951	938	1,012	818	799	959	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13,878
16	947	1,195	931	878	1,020	1,005	929	930	826	873	939	971	1,077	893	929	967	887	896	918	819	.....	.....	18,830
17	807	806	736	938	835	780	941	1,043	986	842	1,035	1,067	1,037	983	1,142	960	856	807	927	1,050	.....	.....	18,578
18	1,916	1,164	1,352	930	1,105	1,269	996	1,244	1,692	1,027	1,505	1,343	944	940	1,149	1,087	2,020	1,164	1,113	1,247	1,162	.....	26,369
19	1,053	983	888	1,090	1,140	960	943	953	798	871	1,136	1,102	1,024	792	934	1,331	1,028	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17,026
20	978	908	843	912	948	1,588	819	906	971	1,182	937	981	1,004	1,121	1,228	1,494	1,439	991	1,192	1,390	1,055	907	23,794
21	1,548	1,223	1,203	963	931	1,220	1,390	1,436	987	737	2,447	1,449	1,360	1,565	1,358	1,054	1,007	1,441	.....	.....	.....	.....	23,319
22	826	940	890	869	1,074	945	906	911	1,451	1,265	1,065	981	990	1,049	980	1,184	1,507	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17,833
Grand Total																							383,864

Number of Persons Registered Who Voted, City Election, November 3, 1953.

WARDS.	PRECINCTS.																					Totals.
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	
1	870	840	790	768	702	826	676	690	662	957	849	810	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9,470
2	626	664	774	798	740	639	378	388	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,007
3	835	942	926	866	519	629	575	610	593	444	518	608	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8,065
4	562	544	377	376	729	618	594	561	513	376	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,250
5	669	443	756	452	923	803	896	667	613	440	434	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,096
6	763	751	759	572	697	671	708	722	908	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,551
7	970	784	733	825	813	918	838	687	798	763	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8,129
8	557	712	408	688	673	430	728	769	415	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,380
9	543	588	483	573	323	333	396	193	482	337	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,251
10	789	789	819	603	788	645	373	608	850	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,264
11	319	314	282	262	267	371	502	422	402	354	488	436	310	468	299	369	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,865
12	326	271	320	337	263	263	321	327	335	320	309	332	410	429	375	498	415	446	326	.....	.....	.....	6,623
13	370	433	513	410	498	418	383	424	388	455	412	370	505	502	490	626	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,197
14	602	490	529	598	503	457	418	629	705	664	565	579	651	657	480	585	790	739	526	779	490	.....	12,436
15	489	418	428	417	387	476	498	400	441	415	436	422	370	422	433	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,482
16	427	575	495	520	541	431	487	470	368	510	519	527	475	492	424	515	467	506	493	452	.....	.....	9,694
17	410	354	344	369	407	405	459	439	450	436	523	490	391	423	550	462	448	420	491	535	.....	.....	8,806
18	904	460	623	422	434	519	492	540	677	504	637	564	341	319	481	460	971	401	345	653	540	.....	11,287
19	439	511	521	442	530	359	428	555	406	357	603	534	553	394	450	636	619	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8,367
20	459	399	409	418	445	898	461	430	455	587	549	542	491	658	476	547	712	490	642	605	546	413	11,632
21	439	407	480	354	295	439	489	288	365	311	721	500	376	492	493	420	481	440	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,790
22	312	344	319	341	415	442	441	440	534	507	493	489	541	442	444	595	749	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,851
Grand Total																							169,493

Proportion of Persons Registered Who Voted, 44.15 Per Cent.

TAX ABATEMENT DECISIONS RENDERED BY THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS FOR THE WEEK ENDING JANUARY 14.

LEGEND.

* Appellate Tax Board Settlement. ¶ Illegal assessment. | Chapter 59-5.
† Appellate Tax Board Decision. § Duplicate assessment. = Chapter 58-8.
‡ Overvaluation Settlement by Board of Assessors.

Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Feinstein, Nathan, Trustee	25 Kingston st	3—1949	$1,988 00	$284 00	*
William H. Flickinger, Inc.	34–40 Roland st	2—1950	5,040 00	1,575 00	*
William H. Flickinger, Inc.	40–46 Roland st	2—1950	5,040 00	1,260 00	*
Feinstein, Nathan, Trustee	25 Kingston st	3—1950	2,205 00	315 00	*
Miller, H. L.	Vacant lot, Middlesex st.	5—1950	113 40	18 90	*
Gardner, Darwin E.	140 Newbury st	5—1950	3,465 00	756 00	*
Wilson School	Pinckney st., NWs.	5—1950	3,276 00	3,276 00	=
Andelman, Theresa, et al	1 Bradshaw st.	14—1950	422 10	31 50	*
William H. Flickinger, Inc.	34–40 Roland st.	2—1951	5,024 00	1,570 00	*
William H. Flickinger, Inc.	40–46 Roland st	2—1951	5,024 00	1,256 00	*
Feinstein, Nathan, Trustee	25 Kingston st	3—1951	2,198 00	314 00	*
Karolik, Maxim	9–11 West st	3—1951	9,420 00	1,884 00	*
Ninety-two Summer Street, Inc.	100 Summer st	3—1951	12,560 00	2,512 00	*
Provident Institution for Savings	28–30 Winter st	3—1951	23,550 00	4,710 00	*
Shoolman, Max, Estate of	337–343 Washington st	3—1951	28,260 00	3,768 00	*
Shoolman, Max, Estate of	345 Washington st	3—1951	8,178 00	942 00	*
Gardner, Darwin E.	140 Newbury st	5—1951	3,454 00	753 60	*
Gulf Oil Corp.	Vacant lot, Columbus av.	5—1951	9,796 80	3,516 80	*
Wilson School	Pinckney st., NWs.	5—1951	3,265 60	3,265 60	=
Hood, H. P., & Sons Co.	Vacant lot, King st.	9—1951	339 12	125 60	*
Andelman, Theresa, et al	1 Bradshaw st.	14—1951	420 76	31 40	*
Friedland, Celia	528 Blue Hill av.	14—1951	4,396 00	376 80	*
Gulf Oil Corp.	1927–35 Beacon st.	21—1951	9,734 00	942 00	*
Silva, Harry L.	26–30 Main st.	2—1952	320 64	133 60	*
William H. Flickinger, Inc.	34–40 Roland st.	2—1952	5,344 00	1,670 00	*
William H. Flickinger, Inc.	40–46 Roland st	2—1952	5,344 00	1,336 00	*
Adams, Charles F., et al.	11–21 Bromfield st.	3—1952	21,710 00	1,670 00	*
Arnold, Emil J.	181 Federal st.	3—1952	6,680 00	1,336 00	*
Arnold, Emil J.	19 High st.	3—1952	11,022 00	1,402 80	*
Feinc Realty Trust	25 Kingston st.	3—1952	2,338 00	334 00	*
Karolik, Maxim	9–11 West st.	3—1952	10,020 00	2,004 00	*
Ninety-two Summer Street, Inc.	100 Summer st	3—1952	13,360 00	2,672 00	*
One Sixty-two Washington St., Inc.	154–161 Washington st.	3—1952	3,674 00	668 00	*
Paragon Corp.	537–541 Washington st.	3—1952	100,200 00	21,710 00	*
Prudential Insurance Co.	349–363 Washington st.	3—1952	70,808 00	24,048 00	*
Provident Institution for Savings	30–42 Temple pl.	3—1952	113,560 00	33,400 00	*
Provident Institution for Savings	28–30 Winter st.	3—1952	25,050 00	6,012 00	*
Shoolman, Max, Estate of	337–343 Washington st.	3—1952	30,060 00	4,008 00	*
Shoolman, Max, Estate of	345 Washington st.	3—1952	9,018 00	1,002 00	*
Walton Lunch Co.	202–204 Dartmouth st.	4—1952	6,680 00	1,002 00	*
Folger, Richard S.	49 Gray st.	5—1952	267 20	33 40	*
Folger, Richard S.	50 Gray st.	5—1952	253 81	20 04	*
Folger, Richard S.	55 Gray st.	5—1952	267 20	33 40	*
Folger, Richard S.	56 Gray st	5—1952	467 60	33 40	*
Gardner, Darwin E.	140 Newbury st.	5—1952	3,674 00	801 60	*
Gulf Oil Corp.	Lot 2, Columbus av	5—1952	12,558 40	4,208 40	*
Johnson, John	Vacant lot, Berkeley st., SWs.	5—1952	267 20	100 20	*
McDonald, Thomas M., et al	19 Bay State rd	5—1952	2,004 00	334 00	*
Saltonstall, L., et al., Trustees	135 Columbus av.	5—1952	4,342 00	668 00	*
Sharmat, H. Leon	651 Boylston st	5—1952	4,008 00	668 00	*
Smith, Mary B.	89 Pinckney st.	5—1952	2,004 00	200 40	*
Wilcox, Alice W.	57 Gray st	5—1952	400 80	33 40	*
Wilson School	Pinckney st., NWs.	5—1952	3,473 60	3,473 60	=
Leshefsky, Rebecca	73–75 West Broadway	6—1952	501 00	66 80	*
Cohen, Theodore S., et al	40 Gen. W. H. Devine Way	7—1952	828 32	160 32	*
Cohen, Theodore S., et al	38 Gen. W. H. Devine Way	7—1952	534 40	66 80	*
Lach, Carolina, et al.	49 Humphreys st	7—1952	801 60	66 80	*
Lach, Charles A., et al	Humphreys st, Ws	7—1952	400 80	133 60	*
Oenoff, Lillian	VL., H st., corner Col. rd.	7—1952	100 20	33 40	*
Oenoff, Lillian	1480 Columbia rd	7—1952	487 64	187 04	*
Radziewicz, John	374 Dorchester av	7—1952	1,055 44	133 60	*
Silva, Harry L.	574 Dorchester av	7—1952	480 96	280 56	*
Greenblatt, Jennie	75A Clifton st	8—1952	547 76	100 20	*
Greenblatt, Jennie	73A Clifton st	8—1952	514 36	66 80	*
Poock, Marjory G.	235–239 Dudley st	8—1952	1,269 20	167 00	*
Steiff Rubber Manufacturing, Inc	33 Bradston st	8—1952	1,670 00	200 40	*
Columbia Motor Mileage	827–833 Shawmut av	9—1952	3,119 56	247 16	*
East Coast Realty Corp.	Vacant lot, King st	9—1952	360 72	133 60	*
Fine, Esther	15–17 Wardman rd	11—1952	1,803 60	133 60	*
Fine, Esther	19 Wardman rd	11—1952	1,870 40	133 60	*
Fine, Esther	71 Westminster av	11—1952	1,803 60	133 60	*
Golburgh, Mary	361–363 Walnut av	11—1952	3,674 00	467 60	*
Berman, Tillie, et al	101 Dale st	12—1952	3,006 00	1,002 00	*
Berman, Walter, Trustee	2 Haynes pk	12—1952	1,302 60	100 20	*
Berman, Walter, Trustee	311–311A Warren st	12—1952	534 40	66 80	*
Berman, Walter, Trustee	313–313A Warren st	12—1952	534 40	66 80	*
Berman, Walter, Trustee	315–315A Warren st	12—1952	534 40	66 80	*
Berman, Walter, Trustee	317–317A Warren st	12—1952	2,271 20	300 60	*
Berman, Walter, Trustee	329–339 Warren st	12—1952	2,184 36	367 40	*
Berman, Walter, Trustee	1–7 Haynes pk	12—1952	1,302 60	100 20	*
Bifano, Gabriel A., et al	126 Bower st	12—1952	501 00	133 60	*
Glickson, Goldie S., et al	20 Waumbeck st	12—1952	1,736 80	133 60	*
Gordon, Dorothy	89–97 Warren st	12—1952	4,342 00	334 00	*
Leeder, Celia	105 Humboldt av.	12—1952	1,536 40	66 80	*
Silva, Harry L.	387 Warren st.	12—1952	100 88	53 44	*
Giampietro, Joseph	Vacant lot, West Cottage st.	13—1952	146 96	60 12	*
Saxe, Herman	99 Wayland st	13—1952	531 40	100 20	*
Andelman, Theresa, et al	1 Bradshaw st	14—1952	447 56	33 40	*
Friedland, Celia	528 Blue Hill av	14—1952	4,676 00	400 80	*
Gerrish, Lucie	586 Blue Hill av	14—1952	668 00	86 84	*
Kahn, Allen B.	247 Columbia rd	14—1952	1,068 80	133 60	*
Kozberg, Abraham	291 Washington st	14—1952	828 32	93 52	*
Marshall Realty, Inc.	986 Blue Hill av.	14—1952	2,137 60	334 00	*
Ross, Henry et al., Trustees	54 Talbot av	14—1952	3,006 00	801 60	*
Silva, Harry L.	Vacant lot, Oldfield rd	14—1952	233 80	100 20	*
Silva, Harry L.	VL., Neponset Valley Pkwy	18—1952	460 92	193 72	*
Ayoub, Nicholas S	41 Averton st	20—1952	400 80	66 80	*
Buckley, Howard	2222 Centre st	20—1952	267 20	133 60	=
Gulf Oil Corp.	1927–35 Beacon st	21—1952	10,354 00	1,002 00	*
Silva, Harry L.	26–30 Main st	2—1953	339 36	141 40	*
William H. Flickinger, Inc.	34–40 Roland st	2—1953	5,656 00	1,767 50	*

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, January 31, 1955.

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 2 P.M., President HURLEY in the chair. Absent, Councillor White.

The Reverend Robert B. Costello, of St. Andrew's Catholic Church, Forest Hills, was escorted to the rostrum.

INVOCATION BY REV. ROBERT B. COSTELLO.

Our Father, who art in heaven, who has caused us to be, and who will cause us to cease to be, in that intervening time, as intelligent creatures, created by an intelligent God as all intelligent creatures are, for that purpose grant that we may serve our purpose with mercy and justice to the better efforts of our office. Amen.

The meeting was opened with the salute to the Flag.

JURORS DRAWN.

Jurors were drawn in the manner prescribed by law, Councillor Piemonte presiding at the box in the absence of the Mayor, viz.:

Ninety additional traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, to appear February 14, 1955:

Joseph J. Ciccolo, Ward 1; Leonard DeMild, Ward 1; Karl A. Hoff, Ward 1; William McBournie, Ward 1; James D. Godding, Ward 2; Thomas B. O'Connell, Ward 2; Filomena Ferullo, Ward 3; George C. Reppucci, Ward 3; John J. Collins, Ward 4; Wilfred E. Collins, Ward 4; Maxwell W. Datz, Ward 4; Helen McLean, Ward 4; Richard J. Palmer, Ward 4; Albert H. Ross, Ward 4; Charles Siegel, Ward 4; Rosamond Higgins, Ward 5; Charles Clifton Marks, Ward 5; William J. O'Donnell, Ward 5; Robert J. Preston, Ward 5; George Beaudry, Ward 6; Edward J. Denning, Ward 6; Timothy J. Murphy, Ward 6; Vincent M. Proto, Ward 6; Michael F. Ryder, Ward 6; Dorothy A. Walker, Ward 6; Coleman J. Walsh, Ward 6; Lillian Fairneny, Ward 7; William G. Farrenkopf, Ward 7; Denis A. Kenneally, Ward 7; Patrick Lydon, Ward 7; James Quill, Ward 7; Walter J. Zaleski, Ward 7; Eugene G. Dwyer, Ward 8; Francis G. Feeley, Ward 8; Edward A. Finn, Ward 8; Patrick J. Lynch, Ward 8; Joseph McGrath, Ward 8; Linwood S. Wilson, Ward 9; Cornelius J. O'Leary, Ward 10; Leonard Brown, Ward 11; Joseph W. Dillion, Ward 11; James W. McLaurin, Ward 11; Julia E. O'Donnell, Ward 11; Joseph H. Powell, Ward 11; Irma Watson, Ward 11.

Albert P. Darragh, Ward 12; Adolphus M. Dunbar, Ward 12; James F. Phillips, Ward 12; Charles P. Manning, Ward 13; Anna O'Toole, Ward 13; Jacob Geller, Ward 14; Lawrence Goldberg, Ward 14; Theodore P. Metrakas, Ward 14; Harry Potter, Ward 14; Barnard H. Winer, Ward 14; David L. Berkeley, Ward 15; Charles P. McLaughlin, Ward 15; William J. Newcomb, Ward 15; Chester F. Brinson, Ward 16; Hyman Mezoff, Ward 16; Eugene H. Rooney, Ward 16; Joseph I. Crowley, Ward 17; Madeline A. Flaherty, Ward 17; Chesley A. Smith, Ward 17; Joseph P. Toner, Ward 17; John J. Carew, Ward 18; Austin J. Freeley, Ward 18; Hyman Kawadler, Ward 18; Anthony J. Lombardi, Ward 18; Joseph F. Neas, Jr., Ward 18; Henry E. Porcaro, Ward 18; Floyd C. VanEtten, Ward 18; Frederick J. Bennett, Ward 19; George Condon, Ward 19; Joseph M. Kelly, Ward 19; Helen G. Norton, Ward 19; Earl B. VanZandt, Ward 19; Edward W. Oberle, Ward 20; John Francis Sullivan, Ward 20; George Blake Young, Ward 20; John E. Bielecki, Ward 21; Stephen Pauluck, Ward 21; Charles E. Smart, Ward 21; Melvin J. Sussman, Ward 21; John P. Thomas, Ward 21; Francis G. Casey, Ward 22; David J. Elia, Ward 22; Clancy H. Joyce, Ward 22; Freda V. Miller, Ward 22; Herbert E. Robinson, Ward 22.

APPOINTMENTS BY THE MAYOR.

Subject to confirmation by the Council, the Mayor submitted the following appointments:

Constables with authority to serve civil process upon filing of bond for the term ending April 30, 1955: Martin Eugene Mason, 12 Arundel street, Boston; Corless Joseph Hawkes, 33 Compton street, Boston.

Weighers of Goods for the term ending April 30, 1955: Howard Alfred White, 111 Needham road, Hyde Park; Bernard John McNamara, 23 Mansfield street, Allston; Robert John Dunton, 21 Fidelis Way, Brighton; Thomas Ashe, 103 Cedar street, Roxbury

Severally referred to the Committee on Confirmations.

VETO OF TWO ORDERS AMENDING COUNTY CLASSIFICATION AND COMPENSATION PLAN.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, January 27, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I return herewith without my signature, and disapproved, two orders adopted by your Honorable

Body on January 24, 1955. One order contemplates the amendment of the County Classification and Compensation Plan in the case of correction officers; the other order contemplates an amendment of the County Classification and Compensation Plan in the case of jail officers.

These orders are disapproved because any specific changes in the County plan of this nature necessarily have an effect on other positions in the County plan. It is, therefore, the purpose of the personnel officer of the City of Boston to make a complete study, this year, of the entire County Classification Plan which has been in existence since 1931. It has become apparent that this plan should be restudied and brought up to date.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

PARKING PLAN FOR DOWNTOWN RETAIL SHOPPING AREAS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, January 31, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Chairman of the Boston Traffic Commission relative to your order of January 10, 1955, concerning certain information designating areas in proximity to the retail stores in downtown Boston as retail shopping areas.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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Boston Traffic Commission,
January 24, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.
Dear Mr. Mayor:

With reference to the Council order of January 10, 1955, requesting that the Mayor's Committee on Traffic and the Boston Traffic Commission consider the feasibility of various proposals for downtown parking, I wish to report that the Citizens' Traffic Committee has not met recently, but our office has given consideration to the proposals and submits the following report:

1. "Designation of areas in proximity to the retail stores in downtown Boston 'Retail shopping areas.'"

Assuming that the principal area referred to is that which encompasses the large retail department stores, the following facts are applicable to the area bounded by Boylston street, Tremont street, School street, Milk street, Arch street, Chauncy street, Bedford street, and Washington street.

The total curb length in the area is 26,972 feet. Of this, 23,009 feet is restricted and only the balance of 3,963 feet is available for parking. This accommodates only 186 cars. There are 150 parking metered spaces and 36 without parking meters.

It is evident from the above facts that there is no opportunity to provide curb parking space for shoppers or anyone else within this area.

2. "That in these areas no parking fee be charged."

Because of the small number of spaces described above, the matter of providing parking without a fee is of no serious moment as applied to this large downtown shopping area.

3. "That there be installed in the place of the parking meters presently installed a device into which the parker must introduce the registration number of his automobile at the time he parks."

4. "That this device record on a tape the length of time a given automobile is parked."

We have no knowledge of any tested device for supervising parking which would permit the parker to "introduce the registration number of his automobile at the time he parks" or that would record on a tape the length of time a given automobile is parked.

5. "That where such devices are used, signs be posted, indicating that the area is for the use strictly of shoppers and that violators parking overtime will be automatically tagged."

Since it would be impossible to differentiate between shoppers and other parkers and since we have at present, in areas where parking is not prohibited, a two-hour restriction, there would apparently be no change in the parking rules governing these areas if the suggested device were to be used. The proposal would seem to indicate that the device itself would record, in some manner, the overtime parking of a car and that the violation could be associated with the registration number of the offending car and that this information could be used for the purpose of prosecuting the violator.

As previously commented, since we have no knowledge of the suggested device, it is difficult to establish whether such means of recording a parking violation could be used as legal basis for a prosecution.

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Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
William H. Flickinger, Inc	40–46 Roland st	2—1953	$5,656.00	$1,414.00	*
Adams, Charles F., et al	11–21 Bromfield st	3—1952	22,977.50	1,767.50	*
Bernstein, Israel, Trustee	42 Batterymarch st	3—1953	1,838.20	424.20	*
Karolik, Maxim	9–11 West st	3—1953	10,605.00	2,121.00	*
Maffei, Amelia	182–184 State st	3—1953	989.80	141.40	*
Ninety-two Summer Street, Inc	100 Summer st	3—1953	14,140.00	2,828.00	*
One Sixty-two Washington Street	154–164 Washington st	3—1953	3,888.50	707.00	*
Paragon Corp	537–541 Washington st	3—1953	106,050.00	22,977.50	*
Parkman Realty, Inc	110 Summer st	3—1953	6,363.00	1,060.50	*
Parkman Realty, Inc	114 Summer st	3—1953	5,302.50	707.00	*
Provident Institution for Savings	28–30 Winter st	3—1953	26,512.50	7,070.00	*
Provident Institution for Savings	30–42 Temple pl	3—1953	98,980.00	7,070.00	*
Prudential Insurance Co	349–363 Washington st	3—1953	74,942.00	25,452.00	*
Shoolman, Max, Estate of	345 Washington st	3—1953	9,544.50	1,060.50	*
Shoolman, Max, Estate of	337–343 Washington st	3—1953	31,815.00	4,242.00	*
The 138 West 48th Co., Inc	202–204A Dartmouth st	4—1953	7,070.00	1,060.50	*
Folger, Richard S	49 Gray st	5—1953	282.50	35.35	*
Folger, Richard S	50 Gray st	5—1953	268.66	21.21	*
Folger, Richard S	55 Gray st	5—1953	282.80	35.35	*
Folger, Richard S	56 Gray st	5—1953	494.90	35.35	*
Gardner, Darwin E	140 Newbury st	5—1953	3,888.50	848.40	*
Gulf Oil Corp	Lot 2, Columbus av	5—1953	13,291.60	4,454.10	*
Hogan, Ellen G	336 Marlborough st	5—1953	1,237.25	106.05	*
Saltonstall, Leverett, Trustee	135 Columbus av	5—1953	4,595.50	707.00	*
Sharmat, H. Leon, et al	651 Boylston st	5—1953	4,242.00	707.00	*
Smith, Mary B	89 Pinckney st	5—1953	2,121.00	212.10	*
Wilcox, Alice W	57 Gray st	5—1953	424.40	35.35	*
Wilson School	Pinckney st., NWs	5—1953	3,676.40	3,676.40	=
Datz, Albert, et al., Trustees	397 West Broadway	6—1953	4,242.00	707.00	*
Leshefsky, Rebecca	73–75 West Broadway	6—1953	530.25	70.70	*
Terminal Diner, Inc	435 C st	6—1953	1,414.00	565.60	‡
Cohen, Theodore S	40 Gen. Wm. Devine Way	7—1953	876.68	169.68	*
Cohen, Theodore S., et al	38 Gen. Wm. Devine Way	7—1953	565.60	70.70	*
Lach, Carolina, et al	VL., Humphreys st., Ws	7—1953	424.20	141.40	*
Lach, Carolina, et al	49 Humphreys st	7—1953	848.40	70.70	*
Ocnoff, Lillian	Vacant lot, H st	7—1953	106.05	35.35	*
Ocnoff, Lillian	1480 Columbia rd	7—1953	516.11	197.96	*
Radziewicz, John	374 Dorchester st	7—1953	1,117.06	141.40	*
Greenblatt, Albert, Trustee	73A Clifton st	8—1953	544.39	70.70	*
Greenblatt, Albert, Trustee	75A Clifton st	8—1953	579.74	106.05	*
Poock, Marjory C	235 Dudley st	8—1953	1,343.30	176.75	*
Steiff Rubber Manufacturing Co	33 Bradston st	8—1953	1,767.50	212.10	*
East Coast Realty Corp	Vacant lot, King st	9—1953	381.78	141.40	*
Rebelo, June	Rear 60 Dudley st	9—1953	127.26	28.28	*
Dores, Harry	261–263 Heath st	10—1953	2,403.80	353.50	*
Fine, Esther	71 Westminster av	11—1953	1,908.90	141.40	*
Fine, Esther	15–17 Wardman rd	11—1953	1,908.90	141.40	*
Fine, Esther	19 Wardman rd	11—1953	1,979.60	141.40	*
Golburgh, Mary	361–363 Walnut av	11—1953	3,888.50	494.90	*
Levenson, Leon J	3127 Washington st	11—1953	2,474.50	1,060.50	*
Berman, Tillie	101 Dale st	12—1953	3,181.50	353.50	*
Berman, Walter, Trustee	1–7 Haynes pk	12—1953	1,378.65	106.05	*
Berman, Walter, Trustee	2–8 Haynes pk	12—1953	1,378.65	106.05	*
Berman, Walter, Trustee	311–311A Warren st	12—1953	565.60	70.70	*
Berman, Walter, Trustee	313–313A Warren st	12—1953	565.60	70.70	*
Berman, Walter, Trustee	315–315A Warren st	12—1953	565.60	70.70	*
Berman, Walter, Trustee	317–327A Warren st	12—1953	2,403.80	318.15	*
Berman, Walter, Trustee	329–339 Warren st	12—1953	2,311.89	388.85	*
Glickson, Goldie S	20–20A Waumbeck st	12—1953	1,838.20	141.40	*
Leeder, Celia	105 Humboldt av	12—1953	1,626.10	70.70	*
Mahony, Frederick W	73 Humboldt av	12—1953	1,343.30	176.75	*
Prentiss Apartments, Inc	89–97 Warren st	12—1953	4,595.50	353.50	*
Andelman, Theresa, et al	1 Bradshaw st	14—1953	473.69	35.35	*
Friedland, Celia	528 Blue Hill av	14—1953	4,949.00	424.20	*
Greenberg, Jack	70–80 Talbot av	14—1953	2,934.05	459.55	*
Kozberg, Abraham	291 Washington st	14—1953	878.68	98.93	*
Kahn, Allen B	247 Columbia rd	14—1953	1,131.20	141.40	*
Levine, Hyman B	76 Esmond st	14—1953	671.65	141.40	*
Levine, Hyman B	84 Esmond st	14—1953	636.30	141.40	*
Marshal Realty, Inc	998 Blue Hill av	14—1953	2,828.00	353.50	*
Ross, Henry, et al	54–56 Talbot av	14—1953	3,181.50	848.40	*
Silva, Harry L	V.L., Neponset Valley P'k'y	18—1953	501.97	148.47	*
Ayoub, Nicholas S	41 Averton st	20—1953	424.20	70.70	*
Gulf Oil Corp	1927–35 Beacon st	21—1953	10,958.50	1,060.50	*
Barisano, Salvatore	V.L., Frankfort st	1—1954	34.90	13.96	‡
Bosco, Maria	173 Chelsea st	1—1954	181.48	41.88	‡
Butters, Rhoda, Trustee	52 Bennington st	1—1954	1,047.00	139.60	‡
Butters, Rhoda, Trustee	73 Trenton st	1—1954	1,396.00	139.60	‡
Butters, Saul, Trustee	43 Saratoga st	1—1954	349.00	34.90	‡
Carmen, Israel and Sarah	116 Brooks st	1—1954	418.80	34.90	‡
Cohen, Jennie	99 Chelsea st	1—1954	418.80	34.90	‡
Famolare, Josephine	15–15A Breed st	1—1954	977.20	139.60	‡
Goldenberg, Harry, et al	161–165 Meridian st	1—1954	5,374.60	488.60	‡
Goldenberg, Harry, et al	142–146 London st	1—1954	977.20	244.30	‡
Lupoli, Salvatore	91 Chelsea st	1—1954	314.10	34.90	‡
Magrath, Frederick J	N cor., Decatur st	1—1954	2,966.50	698.00	‡
McInnis Electric Service, Inc	80 Border st	1—1954	3,141.00	872.50	‡
Racich, Matthew	137–159 Sumner st	1—1954	2,163.80	174.50	‡
Venfre, Crestie, et al	273 Maverick st	1—1954	823.64	125.64	‡
Carlin, James P	7 Russell st	2—1954	195.80	34.90	‡
Dambrosio, Michael A., et al	40 Washington st	2—1954	314.10	69.80	‡
Flickinger, William H	34–40 Roland st	2—1954	5,584.00	1,745.00	‡
O'Riordan, Margaret E	5 Putnam st	2—1954	195.44	55.84	‡
Revere Sugar Refinery	395–441 Medford st	2—1954	2,443.00	349.00	‡
Roland Realty Co., Inc	40–46 Roland st	2—1954	5,584.00	1,396.00	‡
Sidrich Realty Corp	1–3 Central pl	2—1954	725.92	97.72	‡
Silva, Harry L	26–30 Main st	2—1954	335.04	139.60	‡
VanWart, Helen S	V.L., Cross st	2—1954	62.82	41.88	‡
Adams, Charles F., et al	21 Bromfield st	3—1954	22,685.00	1,745.00	‡
Barone, Frank R	280–282 Hanover st	3—1954	1,745.00	488.60	‡
Brady, William A	82–90 Sudbury st	3—1954	2,443.00	698.00	‡

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Itrady, William A.	98-100 Sudbury st	3—1954	$2,412.00	$698 00	‡
Itrady, William A.	78-80 Sudbury st	3—1954	3,839 00	1,047 00	‡
Capodilupo, Silvano, Trustee	70-72 Joy st	3—1954	1,675.20	139 60	‡
Capone, Jennaro	156 Sumner st.	3—1954	698 00	69.80	‡
Capone, Jennaro	181 Federal st.	3—1954	6,980 00	1,396 00	‡
Capone, Jennaro	19 High st	3—1954	11,517 00	1,465 80	‡
Capone, Jennaro	10 Beach st	3—1954	5,581 00	698 00	‡
Chin Doo & Soo Hoo Hay	72 Kneeland st	3—1954	5,581 00	698 00	‡
Dover Gas Station, Inc.	1180 Washington st	3—1954	1,745 00	279 20	‡
Drooker, Hyman	72-86 Blackstone st	3—1954	9,123 00	2,443 00	‡
Feinstein, Nathan, Trustees	25 Kingston st	3—1954	2,443.00	349 00	‡
Fugazzotto, Carmelo	15 Greenough Lane.	3—1954	279 20	69 80	‡
Gasparello, Carl and Lola	37 Charter st	3—1954	1,012 10	69 80	‡
Ginsburg, Myer	362-366 North st	3—1954	628 20	104 70	‡
Giuggio, Pietro	194 Salem st	3—1954	628 20	69 80	‡
Glaze, Minnie and Harry	26-28 Central st	3—1954	837 60	139 60	‡
Glazer, Harry, Trustee	167 Milk st.	3—1954	802 70	174 50	‡
Handy, Paul K	Vacant lot, Howard st	3—1954	335 04	69 80	‡
Handy, Paul K.	32 Chardon st	3—1954	944 38	279 20	‡
Handy, Paul K.	13 Pitts st.	3—1954	265 21	125 61	‡
Handy, Paul K.	Vacant lot, Howard st	3—1954	411 82	69 80	‡
Handy, Paul K.	Vacant lot, Howard st	3—1954	132 76	69 80	‡
Handy, Paul K.	30 Chardon st	3—1954	928 31	230 31	‡
Karolik, Maxim	9-11 West st	3—1954	10,470 00	2,094 00	‡
Maffei, Amelia	182 State st	3—1954	977 20	139 60	‡
Ninety Two Summer St., Inc	92-100 Summer st.	3—1954	13,960 00	2,792 00	‡
Ninety Two Summer St., Inc	296 Devonshire st	3—1954	2,652 40	698 00	‡
One Sixty Two Washington St., Inc	151-161 Washington st	3—1954	3,839 00	698 00	‡
Ort, Isidore	31 Essex st	3—1954	5,235 00	698 00	‡
Paragon Corp	537-541 Washington st	3—1954	101,700 00	22,685 00	‡
Parkman Realty, Inc.	111 Summer st.	3—1954	5,235 00	698 00	‡
Parkman Realty, Inc.	110 Summer st.	3—1954	6,282 00	1,047 00	‡
Particular Council	Vacant lot, Savoy st., E. cor	3—1954	488 60	488.60	‡
Penn, Henry, et al	126 and 127 Tremont st.	3—1954	20,940 00	3,490 00	‡
Provident Inst. for Savings	28-30 Winter st	3—1954	26,175 00	6,980 00	‡
Prudential Insurance Co.	349-363 Washington st	3—1954	73,988 00	25,128 00	‡
Rittenberg, George B., et al	635-637 Washington st	3—1954	21,130 00	9,423 00	‡
Robinson, Edwin F.	432-441 Hanover st	3—1954	2,792 00	1,047 00	‡
Sawyer, David, et al	86 Essex st	3—1954	10,121.00	2,113 00	‡
Shapiro Realty, Inc.	738 Washington st	3—1954	7,852 50	1,570 50	‡
Shapiro Realty, Inc	732 Washington st	3—1954	1,954 10	349 00	‡
Shapiro Realty, Inc.	40 Sudbury st	3—1954	2,443.00	488.60	‡
Silva, Harry L	1263 Washington st	3—1954	314.10	139.60	‡
Sklar, J., Co., Inc	119 North Washington st.	3—1954	4,886.00	1,396.00	‡
Slabine, Philip	31 Portland st	3—1954	977.20	279.20	‡
Slahine, Philip	36-36A Portland st.	3—1954	1,116.80	349.00	‡
Tracy, Frank J.	55 Causeway st.	3—1954	2,303.40	907.40	‡
Tracy, Frank J.	38 Lancaster st	3—1954	488.60	139.60	‡
Turigg, Alice G	122-124 Salem st	3—1954	907.40	69.80	‡
Union Savings Bank	216 Tremont st	3—1954	27,920.00	3,490.00	‡
Webber, Harry A	146 Chambers st	3—1954	265.24	69.80	‡
Weitz, Emma K	7 Blackstone st	3—1954	2,792 00	698 00	‡
Capodilupo, Silvano, Trustee	352 Columbus av	4—1954	1,535.60	69 80	‡
Capodilupo, Silvano, Trustee	350 Columbus av	4—1954	1,535.60	69.80	‡
Capodilupo, Silvano, Trustee	356 Columbus av	4—1954	698.00	69 80	‡
Capodilupo, Silvano, Trustee	67-69 St. Germain st	4—1954	3,839 00	488.60	‡
Dolan, Charles L	164 Longwood av	4—1954	1,017.00	69 80	‡
Dolan, Charles L	160 Longwood av	4—1954	942.30	69.80	‡
Grossman, A. D., et al	309-315 Huntington av	4—1954	6,631 00	558.40	‡
Kelley, John F. and Anna G	5 Albemarle st	4—1954	523.50	104.70	‡
Kelley, John F. and Anna G	7 Albemarle st	4—1954	523.50	104 70	‡
Kelley, John F. and Anna G	9 Albemarle st	4—1954	523.50	104.70	‡
Marston Realty Corp	109 St. Stephen st	4—1954	3,420.20	139 60	‡
Naples Realty Corp	44 Fenway	4—1954	1,884.60	139.60	‡
Naples Realty Corp	50 Fenway	4—1954	1,745.00	139 60	‡
138 West 48th St. Theatre Co.	202-204A Dartmouth st	4—1954	6,980.00	1,047 00	‡
Waldman, Esther	454 Huntington av	4—1954	5,025 60	558.40	‡
Wolf, Frances and William	55 Burbank st	4—1954	2,094 00	174 50	‡
Abramson, Harry P	501 Beacon st	5—1954	1,745 00	209 40	‡
Barrow, Melvin M., et al	50 Hereford st	5—1954	977.20	139 60	‡
Bloom, Rudolph, et al	222 Columbus av	5—1954	2,792.00	523.50	‡
Boston College Trustees	126 Newbury st	5—1954	11,796.20	6,561.20	‡
Brown, Gus H	91 Newbury st	5—1954	3,490.00	872.50	‡
Brown, Gus H	85 Newbury st.	5—1954	3,839.00	1,221.50	‡
Burrows Music Co., Inc	284 Newbury st	5—1954	1,047.00	69.80	‡
Burrows Music Co., Inc	42 Gloucester st	5—1954	698.00	69 80	‡
Casson, Esther and Samuel	55 Queensberry st	5—1954	2,443.00	139.60	‡
Casson, Esther and Samuel	51 Queensberry st	5—1954	2,443.00	139.60	‡
Chiesa, Nina M	409 Beacon st	5—1954	2,443.00	1,047.00	‡
Christo, Teko	306 Newbury st	5—1954	837.60	174.50	‡
Christo, Teko and Mary	151-153 Arlington st	5—1954	907.40	279.20	‡
Christo, Teko and Mary	6 Isabella st	5—1954	767 80	139 60	‡
Cosgrove, Howard S.	202-208 Boylston st	5—1954	20,940 00	6,980 00	‡
Cosgrove, Howard S.	210-212 Boylston st	5—1954	8,376 00	3,111 00	‡
Couney, Andrew F.	167 Commonwealth av	5—1954	1,605 40	209 40	‡
Dinneen, Joseph F.	31 Isabella st	5—1954	1,396 00	104 70	‡
Dinneen, Joseph F.	231 Newbury st., N E cor	5—1954	767 80	69 80	‡
Dinneen, Joseph F.	32 Fairfield st	5—1954	628 20	104 70	‡
Dinneen, Joseph F	31 Fairfield st	5—1954	628.20	104 70	‡
Dinneen, Joseph F	36 Fairfield st	5—1954	628 20	104 70	‡
Drucker, Clara R.	85 Commonwealth av	5—1954	2 443 00	349 00	‡
Drucker, Clara R.	191 Commonwealth av	5—1954	15,705 00	1,537.00	‡
Duca, Richard	55 Chestnut st	5—1954	1,186 60	209 10	‡
Durkin, Helen A.	55 Commonwealth av	5—1954	2,443 00	349 00	‡
Durkin, Helen A.	248 Marlborough st	5—1954	2,094 00	558 10	‡
Fisher Junior College	181 Beacon st	5—1954	977 20	977 20	‡
Folger, Richard S.	50 Gray st	5—1954	265.24	20 94	‡
Folger, Richard S.	49 Gray st	5—1954	279.20	34 90	‡
Galer, Maurice M.	105 Commonwealth av	5—1954	2,582.60	279 20	‡
Gardner, Darwin E.	140 Newbury st	5—1954	3,839.00	837.60	‡
Gould, Eleanor R.	21 Myrtle st	5—1954	3,071 20	244 30	‡

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In summary it would seem that no firm opinion as to the functional feasibility of the proposed device could be arrived at without having seen the device operate.

At present this commission is operating approximately 8,100 parking meters. It is estimated that the annual cost of maintaining a parking meter, including physical maintenance, coin collection, police supervision, snow removal, and so forth, is approximately $65. Most of our meters are in or proximate to areas which could be designated as "retail shopping areas." It is evident that widespread use of the suggested device with no fee to be charged would place a serious financial burden on the city, since it may be assumed that the cost of maintaining each of the devices would approximate that of maintaining a parking meter.

The Chairman of the Mayor's Committee on Traffic is Mr. Thomas J. Carty, Retail Stores Delivery, 144 Second street, Cambridge. This committee operates independently of the Traffic Commission but I am calling this matter to their attention in the event that it was not done directly from your office.

Respectfully yours,
WM. ARTHUR REILLY, Commissioner.

Placed on file.

TRAFFIC LIGHTS AT JUNCTION OF MORTON AND WEST SELDEN STREETS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, January 31, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Traffic Commissioner relative to your order of January 17, 1955, concerning the installing of automatic traffic lights at the junction of Morton and West Selden streets, Mattapan.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

Boston Traffic Commission,
January 21, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

With reference to Council order dated January 17, 1955, I wish to report that the intersection of Corbet street, Morton street, Selden street, and West Selden street is on our list of locations to be considered for signalization when funds are made available to us.

Respectfully submitted,
WM. ARTHUR REILLY, Commissioner.

Placed on file.

RESTORATION OF STREETCAR SERVICE ON WASHINGTON STREET, BETWEEN EGLESTON SQUARE AND FOREST HILLS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, January 31, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the General Manager of the Metropolitan Transit Authority relative to your order of January 24, 1955, concerning the restoring of streetcar service on Washington street, between Egleston square and Forest Hills, after 8 P.M. daily and Sundays.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

Metropolitan Transit Authority,
January 28, 1955.

Mr. Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.

Dear Sir:

In connection with the matter of service on Washington street, between Egleston square and Forest Hills, after 8 P.M. daily, the service was discontinued in 1951 because from 6.31 through the evening there were only 59 passengers inbound and 72 outbound; inbound, 6 passengers per trip; outbound, 7 passengers per trip.

The system mileage has had to be reduced to meet the decrease in passenger riding, and light lines of this character, of necessity, have been discontinued at many points on the system.

The number of passengers transported on the system in 1951 was 288,972,823, and in 1954 will be approximately 245,000,000. Under such conditions, it is not possible to operate the same amount of mileage, convenient as it might be, to keep within the financial problem, which has been at most a severe one.

Very truly yours,
EDWARD DANA,
General Manager.

Placed on file.

BETTER LIGHTING FACILITIES FOR BOSTON COMMON AND PUBLIC GARDEN.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, January 31, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Public Works relative to your order of January 17, 1955, concerning better lighting facilities for the Boston Common and Public Garden.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Public Works Department,
January 31, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.

Dear Mr. Flemming:

This is in reference to the following order that was passed in the City Council under date of January 17:

"Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be requested to confer with the Parks and Recreation Commissioner relative to providing better lighting facilities for the Boston Common and Public Garden."

The Public Works Department has jurisdiction over the lighting of all public streets and park areas located in the city. The order, therefore, was referred to me for attention.

You may be assured that an immediate survey of existing lighting conditions will be made in the Boston Common and Public Garden areas, and steps will be taken to provide adequate lighting facilities for such areas, if the results of the survey determine that they are inadequately lighted at this time.

Respectfully yours,
GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Placed on file.

PERMIT FOR CHILDREN.

Petition for children under fifteen years of age to appear at places of public amusement:

Daniel D. Tierney, Hotel Statler, February 28, 1955.

Permit granted under usual conditions.

RETIREMENT OF TRAFFIC TUNNEL BONDS OF 1935.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, January 31, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

On August 1, 1935, the City of Boston issued under St. 1929, c. 297, as amended by St. 1932, c. 287, in connection with the construction of the Sumner Traffic Tunnel, bonds aggregating $500,000 and bearing interest at the rate of 2 ½ per cent per annum. These bonds were thirty-year bonds; but, fortunately, they contain an express provision for call, retirement, and cancellation by the city on August 1, 1955. There are now funds in the hands of the Board of Commissioners of Sinking Funds sufficient for the retirement and cancellation of these bonds on August 1, 1955. Transmitted herewith is an order calling these bonds for such retirement and cancellation. I recommend its immediate adoption.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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Whereas, Under date of August 1, 1935, the City of Boston issued under St. 1929, c. 297, as amended by St. 1932, c. 287, Traffic Tunnel Bonds, City of Boston, Act of 1929, Series B, in the aggregate principal amount of $500,000, bearing interest at the rate of 2 ½ per cent per annum payable semi-annually on February 1 and August 1 of each year, which bonds are due August 1, 1965, with an express provision for call, retirement, and cancellation by the city on any interest date after twenty years from the date of issue; and

Whereas, St. 1945, c. 361, s. 3, provides that, if Traffic Tunnel Retirement Bonds, City of Boston, Act of 1945, are issued under said chapter 361, the city shall call, retire, and cancel, at the earliest date permitted, Traffic Tunnel Bonds, City of Boston, Act of 1929, Series B, in accordance with their terms; and

Whereas, Traffic Tunnel Retirement Bonds, City of Boston, Act of 1945, were issued under said chapter 361; now, therefore, it is hereby

Ordered, That the aforesaid issue of 2 ½ per cent Traffic Tunnel Bonds, City of Boston, Act of 1929, Series B, dated August 1, 1935, and due August 1, 1965, be, and hereby is, called for retirement and cancellation on August 1, 1955; and it is hereby further

Ordered, That the Collector-Treasurer of the City of Boston be, and he hereby is, authorized and directed to give notice of said call during the month of June, 1955, by causing a notice of call to be printed once in each of three successive weeks in (1) two financial publications of national circula-

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* Appellate Tax Board Settlement. ¶ Illegal assessment. | Chapter 59-5.
† Appellate Tax Board Decision. § Duplicate assessment. = Chapter 58-8.
‡ Overvaluation Settlement by Board of Assessors.

Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Grossman, Hyman L., et al	51 Charles st	5—1954	$1,047.00	$349.00	‡
Gulf Oil Corp. of Penn	Lot 2, Columbus av	5—1954	13,122.40	4,397.40	‡
Harrison, Dorothy E	85 Chandler st	5—1954	453.70	139.60	‡
Herman, Edward	68-70A Phillips st	5—1954	2,792.00	279.20	‡
Herman, Edward	7-7A Grove st	5—1954	1,535.60	209.40	‡
Hogan, Ellen G	336 Marlborough st	5—1954	1,221.50	104.70	‡
Hogan, Ellen G	284 Marlborough st	5—1954	732.90	69.80	‡
Hogan, Ellen G	246 Marlborough st	5—1954	767.80	69.80	‡
Hogan, Ellen G	274 Marlborough st	5—1954	872.50	69.80	‡
Hogan, Ellen G	240 Marlborough st	5—1954	767.80	69.80	‡
Langdon Realty Corp	308 Commonwealth av	5—1954	5,235.00	209.40	‡
Litvin, Jacob J., et al., Trustees	380 Boylston st	5—1954	6,980.00	1,047.00	‡
Lucey, Thomas	64 Commonwealth av	5—1954	2,094.00	698.00	‡
MacLennan, Lillian S	66 Phillips st	5—1954	837.60	279.20	‡
Marston Realty Corp	88 Mt. Vernon st	5—1954	4,886.00	209.40	‡
Morgan, William F., et al	34 Beacon st	5—1954	10,888.80	977.20	‡
Myatt, Mary A. H	68-72 Warrenton st	5—1954	6,980.00	1,396.00	‡
Nathanson, Harry, Trustee	286 Beacon st	5—1954	6,363.00	698.00	‡
Nevins, David, Heirs or Devisees	35 Beacon st	5—1954	3,769.20	418.80	‡
Parkman, Henry	308-310 Boylston st	5—1954	18,636.00	2,582.00	‡
Pearlman, Joseph	Lot 41, Winchester st	5—1954	188.46	69.80	‡
Pratt, Paul K	25 Joy st	5—1954	1,186.60	209.40	‡
Rotenberg, Harold, et al	128 Newbury st	5—1954	2,094.00	349.00	‡
Rotenberg, Harold, et al	130 Newbury st	5—1954	2,094.00	349.00	‡
Rotenberg, Harold, et al	549 Boylston st	5—1954	4,188.00	349.00	‡
Rotenberg, Harold, et al	557 Boylston st	5—1954	3,769.20	279.20	‡
Saltonstall, Leverett, Trustee	135 Columbus av	5—1954	4,537.00	698.00	‡
Schur, Dina	105 Pinckney st	5—1954	1,954.40	349.00	‡
Sharmat, H. Leon, et al	651 Boylston st	5—1954	4,188.00	698.00	‡
Sheet Metal Workers Int. Asso	351 Tremont st	5—1954	837.60	139.60	‡
Sheet Metal Workers Int. Asso	Vacant lot, Tremont st	5—1954	209.40	69.80	‡
Smith, Mary B	89 Pinckney st	5—1954	2,094.00	209.40	‡
Smith, Norman P., Estate of	6 Jersey st	5—1954	17,450.00	3,141.00	‡
Studio Realty, Inc	561 Boylston st	5—1954	3,769.20	418.80	‡
Szathmary, Mary	8 Lindall pl	5—1954	698.00	279.20	‡
Tennis & Racquet Club	927-939 Boylston st	5—1954	7,936.26	1,305.26	‡
Thelen, Mildred C	11 Marlborough st	5—1954	1,396.00	209.40	‡
Theran Realty, Inc	249 Commonwealth av	5—1954	2,792.00	349.00	‡
Toohey, Jean D	391 Commonwealth av	5—1954	2,094.00	593.30	‡
Tyler, Barrett P., Trustee	95 Mt. Vernon st	5—1954	2,303.40	349.00	‡
Walker, Barbara B	13 Walnut st	5—1954	1,256.40	139.60	‡
Warner, Caleb W., et al	62 Beacon st	5—1954	4,886.00	1,047.00	‡
Westhill Realty Corp	304-306 Boylston st	5—1954	20,242.00	4,188.00	‡
Wilcox, Alice W	57 Gray st	5—1954	418.80	34.90	‡
Wilson School, The	V. L., Pinkney st., NWs	5—1954	3,629.60	3,629.60	‡
Yesner, Samuel	79 Bay State rd	5—1954	3,141.00	1,396.00	‡
Bagtaz, Florence M	37 Farragut rd	6—1954	523.50	139.60	‡
Boston Beer Co	249 West Second st	6—1954	3,490.00	1,745.00	‡
Boston Beer Co	249 West Second st	6—1954	6,980.00	1,396.00	‡
Cappuccio, Joseph E	746 East Fourth st	6—1954	307.12	62.82	‡
Exchange Realty Co	398 West Broadway	6—1954	558.40	174.50	‡
Fugazzatto, Salvatore	489 East Third st	6—1954	202.42	76.78	‡
Fugazzatto, Salvatore	491 East Third st	6—1954	202.42	76.78	‡
Fugazzatto, Salvatore	493 East Third st	6—1954	202.42	76.78	‡
Grandberg, A., et al	268 Summer st	6—1954	12,564.00	3,839.00	‡
Guaragna, Joseph J	907 East Broadway	6—1954	453.70	69.80	‡
Hayes, John J	105 Dorchester st	6—1954	942.30	244.30	‡
Housewares Corp	399 Summer st	6—1954	20,995.84	1,047.00	‡
Kelley, John J	703 East Sixth st	6—1954	523.50	265.24	‡
Kelley, John J	East Sixth st	6—1954	369.94	139.60	‡
Lanstein, Israel W	333 West Broadway	6—1954	1,919.59	244.30	‡
Leshefsky, Rebecca	73-75 West Broadway	6—1954	523.50	69.80	‡
Northern Terminals, Inc	313 Congress st	6—1954	11,168.00	1,745.00	‡
O'Donnell-Usen Co	191 Northern av	6—1954	1,256.49	69.80	‡
O'Donnell-Usen Co	191 Northern av	6—1954	4,160.08	1,368.08	‡
Railway Express Agency	343 Congress st	6—1954	25,686.40	2,652.40	‡
Shapiro, Nathan	23 Wormwood st	6—1954	8,725.00	2,094.00	‡
Shapiro, Nathan	33 Wormwood st	6—1954	8,725.00	2,094.00	‡
Terminal Diner, Inc	435 C st	6—1954	1,396.00	558.40	‡
Young, Anthony J., et al	V.L., Gold st	6—1954	20.94	6.98	‡
Young, Anthony J., et al	V.L., Gold st	6—1954	29.94	6.98	‡
Young, Anthony G	V.L., West Fifth st	6—1954	41.88	20.94	‡
Young, Anthony J., et al	V.L., West Fifth st	6—1954	41.88	20.94	‡
Cohen, Theodore S., et al	38 Gen. Wm. Devine Way	7—1954	558.40	69.80	‡
Cohen, Theodore S	40 Gen. Wm. Devine Way	7—1954	865.52	167.52	‡
Lack Charles, et al	49 Humphreys st	7—1954	837.60	69.80	‡
Lack, Charles, et al	Harrow st., Ws	7—1954	418.80	139.60	‡
Midtown Constr. Co	309 Old Colony av	7—1954	4,886.00	872.50	‡
Ocnoff, Lillian	1480 Columbia rd	7—1954	509.54	195.44	‡
Radziewicz, John	374 Dorchester st	7—1954	1,102.84	139.69	‡
Dwash, Mary	975 Massachusetts av	8—1954	1,605.40	69.80	‡
Friedland, Celia	2148 Washington st	8—1954	5,933.00	1,256.40	‡
Friedland, Celia	V.L., Eustis st	8—1954	279.20	34.90	‡
Gerard Realty Co., Inc	35 Pompeii st	8—1954	3,141.00	209.40	‡
Hibernian Building Asso	184 Dudley st	8—1954	5,235.00	1,814.89	‡
Lipson, Louis, et al	5 Marshfield st	8—1954	467.66	68.80	‡
Poulos Family Trust	1800 Washington st	8—1954	5,584.00	1,047.00	‡
Rosemowicz, Mary A	1690 Washington st	8—1954	698.00	139.60	‡
Burman Realty Co., Inc	71 West Concord st	9—1954	279.20	34.90	‡
Burman Realty Co., Inc	1607 Washington st	9—1954	1,186.60	139.60	‡
Burman Realty Co., Inc	1 Cumston st	9—1954	139.60	34.90	‡
Burman Realty Co., Inc	1623 Washington st	9—1954	523.50	104.70	‡
Burman Realty Co., Inc	1623 Washington st	9—1954	872.50	174.50	‡
Burman Realty Co., Inc	1619 Washington st	9—1954	244.30	34.90	‡
Burman Realty Co., Inc	V.L., W. Concord st., NEs	9—1954	279.20	27.92	‡
Burman Realty Co., Inc	79B West Concord st	9—1954	523.50	69.80	‡
Cohen, Harry	41 Warren st	9—1954	2,792.00	209.40	‡
East Coast Realty Corp	V.L., King st	9—1954	376.92	139.60	‡
Fedco Realty, Inc	149 West Concord st	9—1954	418.80	27.92	‡
Fedco Realty, Inc	609 Massachusetts av	9—1954	523.50	69.80	‡
Genesky, Emile	380 Northampton st	9—1954	6,142.40	1,535.60	‡

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Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement	
Green, Vivian	769 769A Tremont st	9—1954	$600 28	$69 80		‡
Lipson, Louis, et al	289 Cabot st	9—1954	1,458 82	272 22		‡
Lugovry, Mary	1511 Washington st	9—1954	6,980 00	1,396 00		‡
Saunders, Bessie	32 Wellington st	9—1954	893 44	241 30		‡
Saunders, George	14 Watson st	9—1954	3,490 00	349 00		‡
Shoolman, David L., Trustee	1169–1175 Tremont st	9—1954	2,094 00	698 00		‡
Shoolman, David L., Trustee	1161–1167 Tremont st	9—1954	2,443 00	698 00		‡
Thorner, Tilly D.	1310 Tremont st	9—1954	244 30	34 90		‡
Thorner, Tilly D., et al	1308 Tremont st	9—1954	872 50	244 30		‡
Thorner, Tilly D., et al	1312–1314 Tremont st	9—1954	837 60	139 60		‡
Eilberg, Henrietta, Trustee	873 Huntington av	10—1954	2,233 60	139 60		‡
Eilberg, Henrietta, Trustee	875 Huntington av	10—1954	2,094 00	69 80		‡
Eilberg, Meyer L	877 Huntington av	10—1954	2,094 00	139 60		‡
Frongillo, George L	125 Perkins st	10—1954	586 32	139 60		‡
Hayes, Timothy, et al	30 Mozart st	10—1954	439 74	34 90		‡
Horton, Mary J	30 Sachem st	10—1954	27 92	13 96		‡
Kearney, Philip	63 Wyman st	10—1954	453 70	69 80		‡
Murphy Appliance Center	1512 Tremont st	10—1954	139 60	69 80		‡
Murphy Appliance Center	1542 Tremont st	10—1954	111 68	41 88		‡
O'Brien, Francis E	256 South Huntington av	10—1954	663 10	48 86		‡
Perkins Manor, Inc	2 Perkins sq	10—1954	26,175 00	1,396 00		‡
Riverway Realty Co	900 Huntington av	10—1954	3,141 00	698 00		‡
Shea, Joseph D	28 Evergreen st	10—1954	55 81	27 92		‡
Sicalis, Constantinos	Vacant lot, Calumet st	10—1954	97 72	41 88		‡
Stashewsky, Marja, et al	202 Heath st	10—1954	907 40	139 60		‡
Taugas, Rene	811 Parker st	10—1954	90 74	34 90		‡
Weisberg, Daniel	7 Frawley st	10—1954	2,582 60	279 20		‡
Yale Mfg. Co., Inc	94 Terrace st	10—1954	1,396 00	349 00		‡
Capodilupo, Silvano, Trustee	5 Cleaves st	11—1954	488 60	48 86		‡
Capodilupo, Silvano	6 Cleaves st	11—1954	488 60	48 86		‡
Capodilupo, Silvano, Trustee	7 Cleaves st	11—1954	488 60	48 86		‡
Capodilupo, Silvano, Trustee	8 Cleaves st	11—1954	488 60	48 86		‡
Capodilupo, Silvano, Trustee	9 Cleaves st	11—1954	488 60	48 86		‡
Capodilupo, Silvano, Trustee	10 Cleaves st	11—1954	488 60	48 86		‡
Capodilupo, Silvano, Trustee	11 Cleaves st	11—1954	488 60	55 84		‡
Capodilupo, Silvano, Trustee	12 Cleaves st	11—1954	488 60	55 84		‡
Capodilupo, Silvano, Trustee	14 Cleaves st	11—1954	488 60	55 84		‡
Capodilupo, Silvano, Trustee	15 Cleaves st	11—1954	488 60	55 84		‡
Capodilupo, Silvano, Trustee	16 Cleaves st	11—1954	488 60	55 84		‡
Capodilupo, Silvano, Trustee	17 Cleaves st	11—1954	488 60	55 84		‡
Doyle, William T	95 Child st	11—1954	314 10	69 80		‡
Fine, Esther	19 Wardman rd	11—1954	1,954 40	139 60		‡
Fine, Esther	15–17 Wardman rd	11—1954	1,884 60	139 60		‡
Fine, Esther	71 Westminster av	11—1954	1,884 60	139 60		‡
Flanagan, Helena F	178 Green st	11—1954	2,087 02	279 20		‡
Flanagan, Helena F	3348 Washington st	11—1954	1,745 00	349 00		‡
Friedland, Irving, et al	1785 Columbus av	11—1954	746 86	244 30		‡
Giduz, Lucie K	1641 Columbus av	11—1954	677 06	321 08		‡
Golburgh, Mary	361–363 Walnut av	11—1954	3,839 00	488 60		‡
Kavitz, Samuel	Vacant lot, Columbus av	11—1954	90 74	41 88		‡
Kaitz, Samuel	1279 Columbus av	11—1954	209 40	48 86		‡
Kaitz, Samuel	Vitale pl	11—1954	300 14	34 90		‡
Kaitz, Samuel	1283 Columbus av	11—1954	90 74	41 88		‡
Kaitz, Samuel	Vacant lot, Columbus av	11—1954	90 74	41 88		‡
Kaitz, Samuel	Vacant lot, Columbus av	11—1954	174 50	48 86		‡
Kyne, Frances R	58 Brookley rd	11—1954	432 76	34 90		‡
Levenson, Leon L	3127–3131A Washington st	11—1954	3,443 00	349 00		‡
Lubin, Elizabeth	1647 Columbus av	11—1954	677 06	139 60		‡
McKinney, John D	167 Harrishof st	11—1954	321 08	34 90		‡
O'Brien, Mary	77 Tower st	11—1954	376 92	69 80		‡
Palder, Lawrence K	1201 Columbus av	11—1954	4,537 00	1,814 80		‡
Palder, Lawrence K	1207 Columbus av	11—1954	3,036 30	872 50		‡
Runci, Joseph C	30 Marcella st	11—1954	628 20	69 80		‡
Salvi, Angelo, et al	140 Williams st	11—1954	607 26	48 86		‡
Slavi, Louigia, et al	3524 Washington st	11—1954	1,012 10	139 60		‡
Standard Renting Co., Inc	65 Westminster av	11—1954	2,094 00	209 40		‡
Vasilianskas, Jonas, et al	144 Williams st	11—1954	642 16	48 86		‡
White, Abraham	41 Rossmore rd	11—1954	837 60	69 80		‡
Wolf, William	1419 Columbus av	11—1954	488 60	34 90		‡
Wolf, William	1425 Columbus av	11—1954	502 56	34 90		‡
Aja, Camilo and Maria	1 Hawthorne av	12—1954	453 70	69 80		‡
Antoine, Robert M	60 Crawford st	12—1954	593 30	69 80		‡
Berman, Walter	1 Haynes pk	12—1954	1,361 10	104 70		‡
Berman, Walter, et al	2 Haynes pk	12—1954	1,361 10	104 70		‡
Berman, Walter, et al	311–311A Warren st	12—1954	558 40	69 80		‡
Bernunn, Walter, Trustee	313–313A Warren st	12—1954	558 40	69 80		‡
Bernunn, Walter, Trustee	315–315A Warren st	12—1954	558 40	69 80		‡
Berman, Walter, Trustee	317–327 Warren st	12—1954	2,373 20	314 10		‡
Berman, Walter, Trustee	329–339 Warren st	12—1954	2,282 46	383 90		‡
Chase, Lucy	11 Wayne st	12—1954	558 40	139 60		‡
Foley, Marion R	31 Regent st	12—1954	383 90	104 70		‡
Foley, Marion R	32 Regent st	12—1954	349 00	69 80		‡
Glickson, Goldie S	20–20A Waumbeck st	12—1954	1,814 80	139 60		‡
Home Savings Bank	69 Crawford st	12—1954	488 60	27 92		‡
Leeder, Celia	105 Humboldt av	12—1954	1,605 40	69 80		‡
Ludwig, Hyman	112 Bower st	12—1954	418 80	69 80		‡
M. & L. Realty Co.	489 Blue Hill av	12—1954	5,235 00	523 50		‡
Mahoney, Frederick W	73 Humboldt av	12—1954	1,326 20	174 50		‡
Massey, James Y	71–73 Howland st	12—1954	636 30	69 80		‡
McClure, Madie L	47 Monroe st	12—1954	418 80	69 80		‡
Meyerkopf, Bassy	423 Blue Hill av	12—1954	527 50	34 90		‡
Prentiss Apartments, Inc	89–97 Warren st	12—1954	4,537 00	349 00		‡
Sartz, William	34 Crawford st	12—1954	1,745 00	139 60		‡
Silva, Harry L	387 Warren st	12—1954	111 68	55 84		‡
Steiner, Elsie	185–187 Walnut av	12—1954	1,186 60	418 80		‡
Thomas, Elias A., et al	14 Glenwood st	12—1954	244 30	34 90		‡
White, Samuel L	645–663 Warren st	12—1954	5,584 00	558 40		‡
Cntaldo, Carmela, et al	17 Virginia st	13—1954	663 10	139 60		‡
Flaherty, Johanna C	268 East Cottage st	13—1954	404 84	90 74		‡
Power, Mary A., et al	28 Folsom st	13—1954	307 12	69 80		‡
Grassa, Rosalia L	3 Gouldville ter	13—1954	139 60	69 80		‡

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tion. (2) a newspaper of general circulation published in Chicago, Illinois, (3) a newspaper of general circulation published in Detroit, Michigan, (4) a newspaper of general circulation published in New York, New York, and (5) at least one newspaper of general circulation published in Boston, Massachusetts, and by such other and further means, if any, as said Collector-Treasurer may deem appropriate; and it is hereby further

Ordered, That the aforesaid notice of call shall be in substantially the following form:

CITY OF BOSTON
IN THE
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

NOTICE OF CALL OF BONDS FOR RETIREMENT AND CANCELLATION.

To Holders of 2 ½ Per Cent Traffic Tunnel Bonds, City of Boston, Act of 1929, Series B, Dated August 1, 1935, and Others Concerned:

Public notice is hereby given that all outstanding 2 ½ per cent Traffic Tunnel Bonds, City of Boston, Act of 1929, Series B, dated August 1, 1935, and due August 1, 1965, have been called for retirement and cancellation on August 1, 1955, on which date interest on such bonds will cease.

Payment of the face amount of each of said bonds, with any accumulated unpaid interest to August 1, 1955, will be made by the City of Boston on and after August 1, 1955, upon surrender of the bond (with, in the case of a coupon bond, the February 1, 1956, and subsequent coupons and the coupons for any accumulated unpaid interest) at the office of the Collector-Treasurer, City Hall, Boston, Massachusetts. Coupons maturing on or before August 1, 1955, may, at the option of the holder, be detached and collected in the usual manner.

Collector-Treasurer of the City of Boston.

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City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, January 31, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

On December 1, 1935, the City of Boston issued under St. 1929, c. 297, as amended by St. 1932, c. 287, and by St. 1935, c. 455, in connection with the construction of the Sumner Traffic Tunnel, bonds aggregating $300,000 and bearing interest at the rate of 2¼ per cent per annum. These bonds were thirty-year bonds; but, fortunately, they contain an express provision for call, retirement and cancellation by the city on December 1, 1955. There are now funds in the hands of the Board of Commissioners of Sinking Funds sufficient for the retirement and cancellation of these bonds on December 1, 1955. Transmitted herewith is an order calling these bonds for such retirement and cancellation. I recommend its immediate adoption.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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Whereas, Under date of December 1, 1935, the City of Boston issued, under St. 1929, c. 297, as amended by St. 1932, c. 287, and by St. 1935, c. 455, Traffic Tunnel Bonds, City of Boston, Act of 1929, Series C, in the aggregate principal amount of $300,000, bearing interest at the rate of 2¼ per cent per annum payable semi-annually on June 1 and December 1 of each year, which bonds are due December 1, 1965, with an express provision for call, retirement and cancellation by the city on any interest date after twenty years from the date of issue; and

Whereas, St. 1945, c. 361, s. 3, provides that, if Traffic Tunnel Retirement Bonds, City of Boston, Act of 1945, are issued under said chapter 361, the city shall call, retire and cancel, at the earliest date permitted, Traffic Tunnel Bonds, City of Boston, Act of 1929, Series C, in accordance with their terms; and

Whereas, Traffic Tunnel Retirement Bonds, City of Boston, Act of 1945, were issued under said chapter 361; now, therefore, it is hereby

Ordered, That the aforesaid issue of 2¼ per cent Traffic Tunnel Bonds, City of Boston, Act of 1929, Series C, dated December 1, 1935, and due December 1, 1965, be, and hereby is, called for retirement and cancellation on December 1, 1955; and it is hereby further

Ordered, That the Collector-Treasurer of the City of Boston be, and he hereby is, authorized and directed to give notice of said call during the month of October, 1955, by causing a notice of call to be printed once in a newspaper of general circulation published in the City of Boston, by mailing such a notice to any registered holders of record of said bonds at their most recent addresses on file with said Collector-Treasurer, by registered mail, return receipt requested, and by such other and further means, if any, as said Collector-Treasurer may deem appropriate; and it is hereby further

Ordered, That the aforesaid notice of call shall be in substantially the following form:

CITY OF BOSTON
IN THE
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

NOTICE OF CALL OF BONDS FOR RETIREMENT AND CANCELLATION.

To Holders of 2¼ per cent Traffic Tunnel Bonds, City of Boston, Act of 1929, Series C, dated December 1, 1935, and Others Concerned:

Public notice is hereby given that all outstanding 2¼ per cent Traffic Tunnel Bonds, City of Boston, Act of 1929, Series C, dated December 1, 1935, and due December 1, 1965, have been called for retirement and cancellation on December 1, 1955, on which date interest on such bonds will cease.

Payment of the face amount of each of said bonds, with any accumulated unpaid interest to December 1, 1955, will be made by the City of Boston on and after December 1, 1955, upon surrender of the bond (with, in the case of a coupon bond, the June 1, 1956, and subsequent coupons and the coupon for any accumulated unpaid interest) at the office of the Collector-Treasurer, City Hall, Boston, Massachusetts. Coupons maturing on or before December 1, 1955, may, at the option of the holder, be detached and collected in the usual manner.

Collector-Treasurer of the City of Boston.

Severally referred to the Executive Committee.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committee named, viz.:

Claims.

Stephen E. Bogue, Jr., to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employe of Fire Department.

James F. Burke, for compensation for damage to car by city truck of Public Works Department.

John J. Burke, to be reimbursed as result of execution issued against him on account of his acts as employee of Police Department.

Norman Diamond, for compensation for damage to car and injuries caused by city truck of Public Works Department.

Factory Mutual Liability Insurance Company of America, for compensation for damage to car of William L. Berger by truck of Park Department.

Francis M. Keane, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Fire Department.

Elizabeth J. Mahoney, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Chauncy street.

Leonard F. McCormick, to be reimbursed as result of executions issued against him on account of his acts as employee of Paving Division, Public Works Department.

John J. Meads, to be reimbursed as result of execution issued against him on account of his acts as employee of Public Works Department, Sanitary Division.

Frank D. Passanessi, doing business as Supreme Diner, for compensation for damage to property at 274 Southampton street, caused by break in water main.

Charles M Rozanski, for compensation for damage to car by city truck.

Guerino F. Scipione, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Police Department.

William Shuman, for compensation for damage to property at 170 Blue Hill avenue, caused by truck of Fire Department.

Francis M. Walley, for compensation for damage to car of William E. and Ethel E. Ogden, caused by truck of Public Works Department.

APPLICATIONS FOR SHELLFISH PERMIT.

Applications for commercial use shellfish permits were received from the following:

Laurence E. Bellows, 18 Vinton street, South Boston, Ward 7.

Maurice X. Roche, 136 Coleridge street, East Boston, Ward 1.

Severally referred to the Committee on Licenses.

PETITION FOR RETIREMENT.

The petition of James Greene, janitor, courthouse, County of Suffolk, for retirement as a veteran, was received.

Referred to the Committee on Claims.

NOTICE FROM STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

A communication was received from the State Department of Public Works transmitting copy of order of layout and taking of section of State Highway (John F. Fitzgerald Expressway).

Placed on file.

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TAX ABATEMENT DECISIONS RENDERED BY THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS FOR THE WEEK ENDING JANUARY 14.—Continued.

LEGEND.

* Appellate Tax Board Settlement. ¶ Illegal assessment. ‖ Chapter 59–5.
† Appellate Tax Board Decision. § Duplicate assessment. = Chapter 58–8.
‡ Overvaluation Settlement by Board of Assessors.

Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Grassa, Rosalia L.	7 Gouldville ter.	13—1954	$258.26	$118.66	‡
Koffman, Benjamin	637 Dudley st.	13—1954	8,027.00	1,047.00	‡
Marshall, Theodore, et al.	5 Monadnock st.	13—1954	628.20	104.70	‡
McInnis, Mary A.	45–49 Stoughton st.	13—1954	2,792.00	139.60	‡
O'Neill, Marie L.	5 Gouldville ter.	13—1954	139.50	69.80	‡
Savin Hill Yacht Club	Fox Point rd.	13—1954	2,059.10	1,081.90	‡
Wakstein, Matilda	222–224 Quincy st.	13—1954	2,792.00	698.00	‡
Avonoff, Bertha M.	183 Woodrow av.	14—1954	1,291.30	139.60	‡
Capone, Jerry	6 Abbot st.	14—1954	837.60	69.80	‡
Eilberg, Henrietta	1212 Blue Hill av.	14—1954	1,535.60	139.60	‡
Ettinger, Dora	582 Blue Hill av.	14—1954	746.86	118.66	‡
Frankle, Joseph	764 Blue Hill av.	14—1954	2,443.00	349.00	‡
Friedland, Celia	534 Blue Hill av.	14—1954	4,886.00	418.80	‡
Friedman, Anna	2 Greendale rd.	14—1954	977.20	104.70	‡
Glazer, Minnie	590 Walk Hill st.	14—1954	558.40	69.80	‡
Kahn, Allen B.	247 Columbia rd.	14—1954	1,116.80	139.60	‡
Kaplan, David, Mtgs.	20–20A Bowdoin st.	14—1954	1,745.00	244.30	‡
Keller, Samuel	25 Estella st.	14—1954	1,047.00	174.50	‡
Klevens, Jacob	128 Adams st.	14—1954	1,696.80	279.20	‡
Kozberg, Abraham	291 Washington st.	14—1954	865.52	97.72	‡
Leben, Sylvia	14 York st.	14—1954	558.40	69.80	‡
Marshall Realty, Inc.	998 Blue Hill av.	14—1954	2,792.00	349.00	‡
Pertrusawich, Joseph	68 Clarkson st.	14—1954	453.70	69.80	‡
Oster, B. R., Corp.	1291 Dorchester av.	14—1954	4,837.14	628.20	‡
Ross, Henry	54 Talbot av.	14—1954	3,141.00	837.60	‡
Ruben, Sara and Allen	224 Harvard st.	14—1954	558.40	139.60	‡
Silva, Harry L.	Oldfields rd.	14—1954	349.00	69.80	‡
Slack, Herman L.	95 Washington st.	14—1954	4,886.00	698.00	‡
Slack, Herman L.	59–65 Devon st.	14—1954	1,675.20	139.60	‡
Stoller, Norman, et al.	658 Blue Hill av.	14—1954	6,631.00	593.30	‡
United Cab, Inc.	40 Geneva av.	14—1954	1,745.00	349.00	‡
United Cab, Inc.	41 Geneva av.	14—1954	1,221.50	349.00	‡
Waldman, Esther	66 Geneva av.	14—1954	2,792.00	209.40	‡
Barger, Morris	1287 Dorchester av.	15—1954	446.72	69.80	‡
DeRoeck, Julius	18 Howe st.	15—1954	488.60	69.80	‡
Early, Annie	130 Homes av.	15—1954	453.70	69.80	‡
Farley, James P.	Vacant lot, Potosi st.	15—1954	132.62	62.82	‡
Griffin, Maude	12 Stonehurst st.	15—1954	453.70	34.90	‡
Hunt, Carroll F., et al.	44 Percival st.	15—1954	474.64	139.60	‡
Kengris, Felicia	22 Trull st.	15—1954	488.60	125.64	‡
Manlich, Anna	1150 Dorchester av.	15—1954	418.80	69.80	‡
Anagnos, Georgia	363 Ashmont st.	16—1954	805.00	69.80	‡
Anagnos, Georgia	1510 Dorchester av.	16—1954	4,200.00	698.00	‡
DiFederico, Gabriele	32 Minot st.	16—1954	418.80	90.94	‡
Ferris, Henry J.	44 Whitten st.	16—1954	467.66	69.80	‡
Filling Station Realty Co.	Wm. Morrissey Blvd.	16—1954	418.80	69.80	‡
Filling Station Realty Co.	Vacant lot, Neponset av.	16—1954	1,675.20	418.80	‡
Henderson, Anna E.	311 Gallivan Blvd.	16—1954	111.68	27.92	‡
Hocft, Charles R., et al.	11 Wenlock rd.	16—1954	209.40	69.80	‡
Hughes, Mary E.	49 Milwood st.	16—1954	663.10	69.80	‡
Karp, George M., et al.	59 Beaumont st.	16—1954	558.40	34.90	‡
Last, Frank A., et al.	15 Dracut st.	16—1954	314.10	34.90	‡
Last, Frank A., et al.	25 Dracut st.	16—1954	279.20	34.90	‡
Lavelle, Annie C.	6 Marsh st.	16—1954	118.66	48.86	‡
Leibman, Sylvia F., Trustee	748 Adams st.	16—1954	1,605.40	279.20	‡
McGourty, Thomas P.	230 Minot st.	16—1954	530.48	69.80	‡
Old Colony Warehouse Co.	69 Tenean st.	16—1954	1,256.40	111.68	‡
Pearle, John L., et al.	61 Gardner rd.	16—1954	453.70	69.80	‡
Salustri, Jack	581 Adams st.	16—1954	279.20	132.62	‡
Shapiro, Edith	Freeport st.	16—1954	2,722.20	593.30	‡
Skinnion, Margaret M.	11 Pierce av.	16—1954	488.60	69.80	‡
Capone, Jennaro	15 Norfolk st.	17—1954	3,141.00	349.00	‡
Clayton, Josephine L.	651 Washington st.	17—1954	3,490.00	1,047.00	‡
Condon, Annie M.	21 Lindsey st.	17—1954	383.90	34.90	‡
Gillis, John C., et al.	29 Allston st.	17—1954	453.70	48.86	‡
Kanan, Joseph E.	747 Washington st.	17—1954	523.50	34.90	‡
Licui, Pietro, et al.	2261 Dorchester av.	17—1954	1,828.76	349.00	‡
Lower Mills Mem. Post	Lot 6, Washington st.	17—1954	104.70	104.70	‖
Mawn, Francis X., et al.	18 Huntoon st.	17—1954	314.00	69.80	‡
Novick, Ethel	92 Evans st.	17—1954	558.40	104.70	‡
Roman Catholic Archbishop, Boston.	Avondale st., SEs.	17—1954	795.72	300.14	‡
Sherman, Samuel H.	226 Fuller st.	17—1954	593.30	139.60	‡
Spatola, Samuel	125–127 Fuller st.	17—1954	649.14	55.84	‡
Vail, Dorothy A.	92 Lyndhurst st.	17—1954	628.20	69.80	‡
Walsh, Redmond L.	10 Regan rd.	17—1954	425.75	69.80	‡
Zelinski, Walter, et al.	2251 Dorchester av.	17—1954	1,118.80	139.60	‡
Bader, Elsie	Vacant lot, Hyde Park av.	18—1954	390.88	104.70	‡
Boyko, Sophie, et al.	Lot 120, Cummins Hgwy.	18—1954	55.84	20.94	‡
Boyko, Sophie	11 Cummins Hgwy.	18—1954	55.84	20.94	‡
Dinand, Augustine	117 Babson st.	18—1954	314.10	69.80	‡
Fosco, Rocco R., et al.	31 Osceola st.	18—1954	488.60	55.84	‡
Gerstein, Miriam, Trustee	1633 Blue Hill av.	18—1954	4,816.20	104.70	‡
Irish, William H.	1608 River st.	18—1954	4,188.00	1,047.00	‡
Keller, Gertrude	1419 Blue Hill av.	18—1954	2,059.10	209.40	‡
Keller, Lillian	35 Hiawatha rd.	18—1954	942.30	139.60	‡
Keller, Solomon	49 Fottler rd.	18—1954	907.40	139.60	‡
Kennealy, Ann G.	20 Ruskindale rd.	18—1954	439.74	34.90	‡
McKinnon, John R., et al.	26 Malta st.	18—1954	474.64	69.80	‡
Ohchir, Edward C.	96 Warren av.	18—1954	488.60	167.52	‡
Schuman, David, et al.	27 Halborn st.	18—1954	174.50	34.90	‡
Silva, Harry L.	Vacant lot, Hyde Park av.	18—1954	125.64	55.84	‡
Silva, Harry L.	Vacant lot, Neponset Valley Parkway.	18—1954	495.58	76.78	‡
Ventola, Mary A.	11 Dana av.	18—1954	977.20	209.40	‡
Youngclaus, Albert T.	Lot 48, Malta st.	18—1954	55.84	20.94	‡
Carbone, Paul A.	16 Louder's Lane.	19—1954	718.94	209.40	‡
Cronin, Cornelius P.	Vacant lot, 21 Pond st.	19—1954	837.60	418.80	‡
Kalbray, Joseph	106 Hyde Park av.	19—1954	698.00	209.40	‡
Kevorkian, Christopher	55 South st.	19—1954	628.20	83.76	‡
MacMillan, Margaret M.	34 Arborview rd.	19—1954	418.80	69.80	‡
Mahan, Thomas F.	Louder's Lane, NEs.	19—1954	104.70	90.94	‡

TAX ABATEMENT DECISIONS RENDERED BY THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS FOR THE WEEK ENDING JANUARY 14.—Concluded.

LEGEND.

* Appellate Tax Board Settlement. ¶ Illegal assessment. Chapter 59–5.
† Appellate Tax Board Decision. § Duplicate assessment. = Chapter 58–8.
‡ Overvaluation Settlement by Board of Assessors.

Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Palder, Lillian	44 Rockwood st	19—1954	$872.50	$209 40	‡
Powers, Joseph M., et al	61 Patten st	19—1954	488 60	139.60	‡
Roman Catholic Archbishop Boston	Vacant lot, Cummins Hwy.	19—1954	34 90	34 90	*
Roman Catholic Archbishop Boston	Vacant lot, Cummins Hwy.	19—1954	20 94	20.94	
Roman Catholic Archbishop Boston	Vacant lot, Poplar st	19—1954	837 60	837 60	
Stewart, James F.	22 Aldworth st	19—1954	521.50	69 80	‡
Travers, James J.	95 Orchard st	19—1954	767 80	139 60	‡
Vilde, Gaston, et al	18 Harris av	19—1954	418 80	139 60	‡
Vitagliano, Alfonso	476 Jamaicaway	19—1954	1,535.60	209.40	‡
Abrams, William	8 Carlson Circle	20—1954	488.60	69 80	‡
Angland, Maurice J., Jr	124 Russett rd	20—1954	418.80	34 90	‡
Ayoub, Nicholas S.	41 Averton st	20—1954	418.80	69.80	‡
Brennan, Thomas J.	6 Mendum st	20—1954	488 60	69.80	‡
Capone, Jennaro	1834 Centre st	20—1954	1,058.36	139.60	‡
Demerjian, Wedn	1532 Centre st	20—1954	488.60	139.60	‡
Discinllo, Giovanni	48 La Grange st	20—1954	418.80	83.76	‡
First Parish Church, West Roxbury	20 Wren st.	20—1954	34.90	34 90	
Fitzpatrick, Daniel J.	1808 Centre st	20—1954	1,047.00	139.60	‡
Gildea, Arthur P., et al	61 Hastings st	20—1954	497.65	69.80	‡
Grossman, Shirley D.	1200 V. F. W. Parkway	20—1954	1,675.20	418.80	‡
Guaragna, Margaret, et al	59 Ainsworth st	20—1954	516.52	69.80	‡
Howard, Joseph F.	Lot 5, South st., Ss.	20—1954	55 81	13.95	‡
Howard, Joseph F.	Lot 4, South st., Ss	20—1954	69 80	13 96	‡
Keller, Solomon	208 Baker st	20—1954	872.50	139.60	‡
Keller, Solomon	202 Baker st	20—1954	872.50	139.60	‡
Kennedy, Clifford L.	27 Ansonia rd	20—1954	349.00	41.88	‡
Morgan, Harry A.	931 South st	20—1954	558.40	69.80	‡
Neustadt, Ronald	127 Prospect st	20—1954	279.20	139.60	‡
Rumbas, Nicholas	131 Manthorne rd	20—1954	586.32	62.82	‡
Walsh, Richard J., et al	41 Greaton rd	20—1954	593.30	69.80	‡
Brambilla, George P., et al	14 Commonwealth ter	21—1954	488.60	69.80	‡
Brambilla, George P.	V. L., Commonwealth ter	21—1954	111.68	41.88	‡
Capone, Jennaro	833 Beacon st	21—1954	9,423.00	698.00	‡
Cole, Morris, et ux	55 Wallingford rd	21—1954	628.20	104.70	‡
DeMambro, Joseph A.	Vacant lot, Brighton av., Ns	21—1954	1,144.72	307.12	‡
DeMambro, Joseph A.	1095 Commonwealth av.	21—1954	9,071.00	2,792.00	‡
DeMambro, Joseph A., et al	20 Malvern st	21—1954	12,215.00	4,188.00	‡
Eilberg, Henrietta, Trustee	11 Gorham st	21—1954	1,395.00	209.40	‡
Grossman, Bessie	98 Strathmore rd	21—1954	2,443.00	209.40	‡
Gulf Oil Corp	1927–1935 Beacon st	21—1954	10,819.00	1,017.00	‡
John Realty, Inc	125 Glenville av	21—1954	2,024.20	139.60	‡
John Realty, Inc	120 Glenville av	21—1954	2,233.60	139.60	‡
Naples Realty Corp	50 Brighton av	21—1954	5,444.40	209.40	‡
O'Toole, Mary L.	126 Kilsyth rd	21—1954	628.20	69.80	‡
Prescott, Melvin, et al	521 Cambridge st	21—1954	4,190.00	349.00	‡
Segal, Jacob	10 Lothian rd	21—1954	2,233.60	349.00	‡
United Dist. Realty	855 Commonwealth av	21—1954	83,760.00	8,725.00	‡
Wiseblatt, A. Carl	780 Beacon st	21—1954	2,652.40	418.80	‡
Barron, Melvin M., et al	34 Kirkwood rd	22—1954	802.70	69 80	‡
Cantwell, James T	43 Larch st	22—1954	390.88	69.80	‡
Eilberg, Myer I	55 Brackett st	22—1954	467.66	69.80	‡
Eilberg, Myer I.	51–53 Brackett st	22—1954	774.78	139.60	‡
Franklin Cafe, Inc	1–8 Franklin st	22—1954	4,745.00	698.00	‡
Gray, Irving	610–618 Washington st	22—1954	3,839.00	523.50	‡
Horrigan, Mary E	Lot A, Leicester st., Ds	22—1954	698.00	279.20	‡
Indursky, Harold, et al	281 Cambridge st	22—1954	4,188.00	698.00	‡
Kopelman, Irving	Vacant lot, Radnor rd.	22—1954	181.48	111.68	‡
McNamara, John H.	298–308 North Harvard st.	22—1954	3,493.00	1,047.00	‡
Nicholson, John V	747 Cambridge st	22—1954	802.70	104.70	‡
Ruden, Miriam, et al	62 Kirkwood rd.	22—1954	1,186.60	209.40	‡
Ryan, Elinor C	372 376 Washington st	22—1954	1,116.80	244.30	‡
Spiegel, Sidney	167 Chestnut Hill av	22—1954	4,537.00	349.00	‡
Thornton, Charles B	Emend st., Ns	22—1954	132.62	76.78	‡
Tuck, Thomas T., et al	Lot 2, Anselm ter	22—1954	774.78	244 30	‡

PERSONAL PROPERTY.

New England Theatres, Inc	549 Washington st	3—1952	$400.80	$133.60	*
New England Theatres, Inc	136 Massachusetts av	4—1952	400.80	133.60	*
New England Theatres, Inc	637 Washington st	17—1952	400.80	133.60	*
New England Theatres, Inc	1266 Commonwealth av	21—1952	400.80	66.80	*
New England Theatres, Inc.	549 Washington st	3—1953	424.20	141.40	*
Central Products, Inc.	678 Columbus av	9—1953	2,121.00	1,767.50	*
New England Theatres, Inc	1266 Commonwealth av	21—1953	4,242.00	70.70	*
Katz, Abraham, et al.	974 Bennington st	1—1954	837.60	349.00	‡
Aberthaw Company	133 Southampton st	3—1954	7,238.26	2,631.46	‡
Storey, Frank L.	59 Temple pl.	3—1954	27.92	27 92	*
Emc, David L., et al.	420 Harrison av	3—1954	977.20	418.80	‡
Apparel Industries of N. E.	75 Kneeland st	3—1954	34.99	34.99	*
Century Indemnity Co., The	40 Broad st	3—1954	1,535.60	321.08	‡
Danberg, Max	31 Beach st	3—1954	2,094 00	698.00	‡
Davison, Douglas T.	319 Longwood av.	4—1954	34 99	34.99	*
Liggett Drug Co., Inc.		4—1954	349.00	349.00	*
Fenway Alleys, Inc.	136 Massachusetts av	4—1954	279.20	279.20	*
Tattlebaum, Samuel	90 Warehan st	8—1954	1,745.00	532.50	‡
Ellandbee Corporation	777 Gallivan Blvd	16—1954	349.00	139.60	‡
Village Tavern, Inc.	2261 Dorchester av	17—1954	62.82	55.84	‡
Susi & DeSantis Co., Inc.	422 Providence st.	18—1954	1,095.80	635.18	‡
Pope Lumber Company, Inc.	32 Railroad st.	20—1954	781.76	418.80	‡
Commonwealth Chevrolet Co.	1065 Commonwealth av	21—1954	1,535.60	1,256.40	‡
Mack Motor Truck Co.	75 North Beacon st	22—1954	349.00	139.60	‡
Connolly's Garage, Inc.	165 Chestnut Hill av	22—1954	279.20	139.60	‡

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APPROVAL OF CONSTABLE'S BOND.

The constable's bond of Max Ostrofsky, having been duly approved by the Collector-Treasurer, was received and approved.

APPOINTMENT OF JOHN W. CANTY.

Notice was received from the Health Department of the appointment of John W. Canty, 45 Magdala street, Dorchester, as Collector of Milk Samples.

Placed on file.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFIRMATIONS.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN, for the Committee on Confirmations, submitted the following:

Report on appointment by the Mayor (referred January 24) of George Courlang as constable with authority to serve civil process upon filing of bond for term ending April 30, 1955—recommending that appointment be confirmed.

The report was accepted, and the question came on confirmation. Committee, Councillors Foley and Piemonte. Whole number of ballots 8, yeas 8, and the appointment was confirmed.

PROPOSED RENT INCREASES IN CHAPTER 372 HOUSING UNITS.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Whereas, Chapter 372 of the Acts of 1946 was adopted by the Massachusetts General Court for the avowed purpose of providing housing for veterans of World War II at reasonable rates, and

Whereas, It would not be in keeping with the legislative intent to substantially increase the rentals now existing on units built under this act; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, go on record as opposed to any flat "across the board" increase in the rentals of the so-called "372 Housing" units.

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Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor request the Boston Housing Authority to refrain from increasing the rentals in those housing units built under Chapter 372 of the Acts of 1946 until the Committee on Housing of the Boston City Council has had an opportunity to meet with the said Boston Housing Authority to discuss this entire program.

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Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor request the Corporation Counsel to give the Boston City Council a ruling of law on whether or not the State Housing Authority must approve a vote of the Boston Housing Authority increasing the rentals of those public housing units controlled by Chapter 372 of the Acts of 1946.

Severally passed under suspension of the rules.

OPPOSITION TO "RIGHT TO WORK" LEGISLATION.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Whereas, Union security has been one of the basic principles of the organized workers of this city and state; and

Whereas, The union security provisions in collective bargaining contracts have contributed greatly to the excellent labor-management relations that constitute one of Massachusetts' economic assets; and

Whereas, There is pending before the 1954 Legislature a bill, House No. 860, that would outlaw all forms of union security, including the union shop maintenance of membership and preferential shop; and

Whereas, Such legislation masquerades under the beguiling title of "Right to Work"; and

Whereas, The enactment of House Bill No. 860 would undermine or destroy unions in Massachusetts and weaken the wages, hours and working conditions that they have secured for organized, as well as unorganized workers, in this state; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Boston City Council go on record as unalterably opposed to this union-busting bill, House No. 860, and call upon the Great and General Court to reject this immoral, dangerous, unreasonable, and unsound legislation.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

OPPOSITION TO LEGISLATION NOT CONTAINING ACCEPTANCE BY CITY COUNCIL.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Resolved, That the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, go on record as unalterably opposed to the enactment of legislation by the Great and General Court of any measures pertain-

ing to Boston which do not contain a provison for acceptance by the Boston City Council, and that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Speaker of the House, the President of the Senate, His Excellency the Governor, and the clerks of the House and Senate, respectively.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

SALE OF JOYCE KILMER PARK LAND.

Coun. HAILER and McLAUGHLIN offered the following:

Whereas, There is legislation now awaiting the signature of Governor Herter—Senate Bill No. 9—authorizing the sale of 9.53 acres of park land known as the Joyce Kilmer park in the Jamaica Plain and Roslindale section without requiring the approval of the Boston City Council; and

Whereas, The signing of this legislation into law would be a direct encroachment upon the home rule powers of the Boston City Council; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Boston City Council, herein assembled, requests his Excellency, Governor Herter, to have this legislation "recalled."

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

(Coun. AHEARN in the Chair.)

APPEARANCE OF LEGISLATIVE AGENT OF CITY AT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING TODAY.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Ordered, That the Law Department be requested to arrange to have the Legislative Agent for the City of Boston present at the meeting of the Executive Committee of today's meeting of the City Council.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

RETENTION OF LYCEUM HALL, DORCHESTER, AS HISTORICAL BUILDING.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That the Boston Art Commission consider the wisdom of retaining Lyceum Hall in Dorchester as a historical building and as an integral part of the beautiful Meeting House Hill section of Dorchester; and that a brief résumé of the findings of the said Art Commission be forwarded to the City Council when prepared.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

HISTORICAL EMPHASIS TO "BOSTON STONE" IN NORTH END.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That the Boston Art Commission be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to inquire as to whether due historical emphasis has been given the so-called "Boston Stone" located in historical Boston in the proximity of the Union Oyster House; and that a brief résumé of the findings of the said Art Commission be forwarded to the City Council when prepared.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF AD HOC COMMITTEE TO CONTINUE LIAISON WITH VARIOUS CIVIC GROUPS.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That the President of the Boston City Council appoint a temporary ad hoc committee of three to five members to continue to explore means of establishing effective liaison between the City Council and various groups in Boston, including among others:

1. The Greater Boston Chamber of Commerce;
2. The Municipal Affairs Committee of the Greater Boston Chamber of Commerce;
3. The Boston Retail Trade Board;
4. The Boston Real Estate Board; and
5. The Boston Citizens' Council.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

FAIR LIVING WAGE TO EMPLOYEES.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Whereas, In certain very necessary areas of city employment, including the Hospital Department, wages of employees are set at levels so low that they barely suffice for the support of an individual let alone a married man with a family; and

Whereas, Depressed wages necessarily injure morale and cause men in such desperate circumstances to be tempted to courses of action not in the public good; and

Whereas, It is commonly accepted that the city would make the necessary adjustments were it in a financial position to do so; and

Whereas, It is a principle of moral law that an employee is entitled to a fair living wage, therefore be it

Resolved, That the Boston City Council recognizes the grave responsibility incumbent upon political leaders amounting almost to a moral obligation to take such action as is necessary to correct this situation and to restore to the city its financial ability to cope with the many pressing demands of the times, including the assurance of a fair living wage to all its employees; and be it further

Resolved, That to avoid the seeking of a solution to this problem is to shirk duty and to desire the honor of political leadership without its corresponding serious and grave responsibilities.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

(President HURLEY in the Chair.)

CITY HALL AND ANNEX SITES AS CAGE-TYPE PARKING FACILITY.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Whereas, The present wealth of Boston which can be reached by municipal taxation for the support of necessary and desirable municipal activities is to an astonishing degree concentrated in the downtown area; and

Whereas, The survival of these commercial properties at their present level of value depends absolutely upon the availability of convenience and efficiency of transportation to and from the downtown area; and

Whereas, To meet present and future competition, the downtown area must offer to those who could go elsewhere to shop, transact their business, etc., convenient economical parking; and

Whereas, Space for parking in the downtown area can only be acquired by the destruction of extremely valuable property; be it therefore

Resolved, That the Boston City Planning Board consider the advisability of using the present site of City Hall and City Hall Annex as a location for an off-street cage-structure parking facility; and be it further

Resolved, That in connection with such a proposal, consideration be given to the possibility of relocating City Hall in a joint city-state office building on Beacon Hill or in a public buildings area on Beacon Hill in proximity to the State House, the new proposed state office building and/or the Suffolk County Court House.

The rules were not suspended (6 votes being required to suspend the rules), yeas 3, nays 2:

Yeas—Councillors Foley, McLaughlin, Piemonte—3.

Nays—Councillors Kerrigan, McCormack—2.

The order was assigned to the next meeting.

INFORMATION ON PATCH-PAVING CONTRACTS.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That the City Council notes the timidity and continuing failure of the Public Works Commissioner to answer the substantial inquiries concerning patch-paving, filed in May, 1954, and now overdue more than half a year.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

STATUS OF REPORT OF CITIZENS' COMMITTEE ON REORGANIZATION OF POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor advise this Honorable Body of the progress and present status of the report of the Citizens' Committee on the Reorganization of the Police Department of the City of Boston.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPEARANCE OF LEGISLATIVE AGENT OF CITY AT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING, FEBRUARY 7, 1955.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Ordered, That the Law Department be requested to arrange to have the Legislative Agent for the City of Boston present at the meeting of the Executive Committee of the City Council to be held on Monday, February 7, 1955.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

BASKETBALL FACILITIES AT WILLIAM H. GARVEY PLAYGROUND.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Ordered, That the Board of Parks and Recreation Commission be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to consider the advisability of installing standard basketball facilities at the William H. Garvey Playground, Neponset avenue, Dorchester.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

Adjourned at 4.25 P.M., on motion of Councillor Piemonte, to meet on Monday, February 7, 1955, at 2 P.M.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

(Stenographic copy of such debate on file in office of City Clerk.)

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 7.

I. RETIREMENTS.

The following retirements, in accordance with section 7 of chapter 658, Acts of 1945, as amended, which became effective at 8 A.M., February 1, 1955, are hereby announced:

Lieut. Frederick W. Sullivan, Ladder Company 19.

Cardox Engineer Thomas F. Prendergast, Maintenance Division.

Ladderman Joseph M. Kenney, Ladder Company 30.

Lieutenant Sullivan was appointed to the department December 22, 1933, and was promoted to the grade of lieutenant, February 5, 1947. Cardox Engineer Prendergast was appointed September 23, 1942, and Ladderman Kenney was appointed February 18, 1948.

All the foregoing named leave the department with the best wishes of their associates.

II. FIRE ALARM BOXES ESTABLISHED.

In the near future the following fire alarm boxes will be installed:

1216, North Margin and Endicott streets.

1217, Washington Street North and Thacher street.

1218, Endicott and Cross streets.

1219, Hanover and Cross streets.

7138, Dorchester avenue and West Broadway.

12-2246, Eliot Square Nursing Home, Inc., 159 Roxbury street.

The assignment of apparatus for Boxes 1216, 1217, 1218, 1219, will be the same as for Box 1213.

The assignment of apparatus for Box 7138 will be the same as for Box 7137.

Company commanders will add Box 12-2246 to assignment card for Box 2246.

The circuit numbers for these fire alarm boxes will be announced when the boxes are installed.

Assignment cards will be distributed at a later date.

III. FIRE ALARM BOXES INSTALLED.

The following fire alarm boxes, which were established in General Orders, No. 53, dated August 10, 1954, have been installed and connected into the circuits indicated:

1631, Washington and Waltham streets, Circuit No. 36.

1652, Washington and East Newton streets, Circuit No. 22.

Company commanders will add Box 1631 to circuit card No. 36, and add Box 1652 to circuit card No. 22.

The following fire alarm boxes which were established in General Orders, No. 41, dated June 16, 1954, have been installed and connected into the circuits indicated:

13-337, Stratton street, opposite Lucerne, Circuit No. 69.

15-337, Ames street and Westview Street Extension, Circuit No. 84.

Company commanders will add Box 13-337 to circuit card No. 69, and add Box 15-337 to circuit card No. 84.

The following fire alarm box which was established in General Orders, No. 81, dated December 21, 1954, has been installed and connected into Circuit No. 52:

13-2523, Ramsay House, Inc., 11 Revere street.

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STATEMENT OF BUILDING OPERATIONS IN THE CITY OF BOSTON FOR THE MONTH ENDING JANUARY 31, 1955.

(As compared with corresponding period in preceding years.)

	1955.		1954.		1953.		1952.		1951.	
	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.
Type I	1	$10,000	—	—	2	$370,000	21	$5,741,975	2	$258,000
Type II	—	—	—	—	1	140,000	—	—	—	—
Type IV	11	711,500	3	$71,000	8	314,500	7	96,200	8	74,100
Type V	4	22,400	—	—	4	31,500	5	6,700	4	23,700
Type VI	43	371,000	25	228,370	20	178,400	16	115,300	62	4,214,050
Total new work	59	$1,114,900	28	$299,370	35	$1,034,400	49	$5,963,175	76	$4,569,850
Alterations	387	730,239	282	592,493	326	1,512,857	341	644,595	404	390,236
Total structural work	446	$1,845,139	310	$891,863	361	$2,547,257	390	$6,607,770	480	$4,960,086
Plumbing	208	$150,940	160	$110,815	206	$134,665	221	$140,910	241	$159,703
Gas Fitting	571	51,790	471	58,592	480	52,185	460	57,845	461	65,562
Heaters, ovens, etc.	29	41,372	30	66,975	53	48,300	21	17,395	13	13,400
Elevators, new freight	2	10,500	—	—	1	3,500	2	6,000	4	37,600
Elevators, new passenger	2	33,000	1	13,130	1	15,600	1	3,900	3	56,750
Elevators, alterations, freight	24	22,150	5	2,109	—	—	12	1,135	9	4,791
Elevators, alterations, passenger	31	49,460	20	8,374	—	—	32	27,010	19	150,284
Signs, projections	29	12,105	41	11,320	30	8,585	46	17,245	40	23,640
Fire escapes, etc.	36	8,460	69	10,693	70	18,200	31	6,050	38	10,177
Take-downs, wood	6	4,800	6	3,980	8	4,020	7	5,399	10	1,987
Take-downs, brick, etc	10	63,700	7	44,050	2	10,000	32	84,650	1	100
Sprinklers	6	5,420	6	20,600	15	70,795	11	22,875	14	27,110
Excavations	1	2,000	2	5,500	—	—	—	—	—	—
Use of premises	8	—	5	—	2	—	—	—	8	—
Total	966	$455,697	823	$356,738	868	$365,850	876	$390,414	861	$552,867
Grand total all work	1,412	$2,300,836	1,133	$1,248,601	1,229	$2,913,107	1,266	$6,998,184	1,341	$5,512,953
Department revenue		$15,121.61		$7,305.25		$7,909.00		$4,696.50		$7,501.50

The following is a statement showing the number, purpose and estimated cost of the erection of new buildings and the alterations, repairs, additions, etc., of existing buildings for which applications were filed with the Building Department of the City of Boston during the

MONTH ENDING JANUARY 31, 1955.

PURPOSE.	NEW BUILDINGS.		ALTERATIONS.		TOTAL.	
	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.
Amusement and recreation places, theaters, movies, halls	—	—	3	$3,200	3	$3,200
Churches, chapels, synagogues	1	$175,000	1	500	2	175,500
Dwellings, 1-family	43	385,000	40	48,352	83	433,352
Dwellings, 2-family	—	—	81	36,848	81	36,848
Dwellings, 3-family	—	—	73	32,853	73	32,853
Dwellings, small with stores	—	—	24	12,522	24	12,522
Dwellings, multi-family	5	345,000	46	43,353	51	388,353
Dwellings, multi-family with stores	—	—	3	452	3	452
Educational buildings, schools, colleges	—	—	2	6,300	2	6,300
Garages and repair shops	—	—	7	12,252	7	12,252
Hotel and club buildings	—	—	2	15,450	2	15,450
Institutional buildings, hospitals, asylums, clinics	1	15,000	8	152,300	9	167,300
Lodgings, dormitories, convents, homes	—	—	8	7,500	8	7,500
Manufacturing buildings, bakeries, laundries, workshops	—	—	10	77,792	10	77,792
Mercantile buildings, restaurants, stores, showrooms, service stations	7	181,900	49	96,970	56	278,870
Office and bank buildings	1	1,000	11	13,120	12	14,120
Public buildings, libraries, museums	—	—	1	600	1	600
Storage, warehouses, lumber sheds, silos, etc.	1	12,000	10	162,875	11	174,875
Miscellaneous	—	—	8	7,000	8	7,000
Total	59	$1,114,900	387	$730,239	446	$1,845,139

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PURPOSES, NUMBER AND ESTIMATED COST OF NEW BUILDINGS AND ALTERATIONS, ADDITIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., FOR WHICH APPLICATIONS HAVE BEEN FILED FOR MONTH ENDING JANUARY 31, 1955.

CHARACTER.	AMUSEMENT, RECREATION PLACES, THEATERS, MOVIES, HALLS.		CHURCHES, CHAPELS, SYNAGOGUES.		DWELLINGS, 1-FAMILY.		DWELLINGS, 2-FAMILY.		DWELLINGS, 3-FAMILY.		DWELLINGS, 1-2-3 FAMILY, WITH STORES, ETC.		DWELLINGS, MULTI-FAMILY.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type IV	....	.....	1	$175,000	1	$15,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	5	$345,000
Type V	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type VI	....	.....	....	.....	42	370,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Total new construction	....	.....	1	$175,000	43	$385,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	5	$345,000
Alterations, etc	3	$3,200	1	500	40	48,352	81	$36,848	73	$32,853	24	$12,522	46	43,353
Total structural work	3	$3,200	2	$175,500	83	$433,352	81	$36,848	73	$32,853	24	$12,522	51	$388,353

CHARACTER.	DWELLINGS, MULTI-FAMILY, WITH STORES.		EDUCATIONAL BUILDINGS, SCHOOLS, COLLEGES.		GARAGES AND REPAIR SHOPS.		HOTEL AND CLUB BUILDINGS.		INSTITUTIONAL BUILDINGS, HOSPITALS, ASYLUMS, CLINICS.		LODGINGS, DORMITORIES, CONVENTS, HOMES.		LODGING HOUSES WITH STORES.		MANUFACTURING BUILDINGS, BAKERIES, LAUNDRIES, WORKSHOPS.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type IV	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	1	$15,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type V	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type VI	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Total new construction	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	1	$15,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Alterations, etc	3	$452	2	$6,300	7	$12,252	2	$15,450	8	152,300	8	$7,500	....	.....	10	$77,792
Total structural work	3	$452	2	$6,300	7	$12,252	2	$15,450	9	$167,300	8	$7,500	....	.....	10	$77,792

CHARACTER.	MERCANTILE BUILDINGS, RESTAURANTS, STORES, SHOWROOMS, SERVICE STATIONS.		OFFICE AND BANK BUILDINGS.		PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIBRARIES, MUSEUMS.		STABLES, KENNELS, POULTRY HOUSES.		STORAGE WAREHOUSES, LUMBER SHEDS, SILOS, ETC.		MISCELLANEOUS.		TOTALS.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I	1	$10,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	1	$10,000
Type IV	3	161,500	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	11	711,500
Type V	3	10,400	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	1	$12,000	....	.....	4	22,400
Type VI	....	.....	1	$1,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	43	371,000
Total new construction	7	$181,900	1	$1,000	....	.....	....	.....	1	$12,000	....	.....	59	$1,114,900
Alterations, etc	49	96,970	11	13,120	1	$600	....	.....	10	162,875	8	$7,000	387	730,239
Total structural work	56	$278,870	12	$14,120	1	$600	....	.....	11	$174,875	8	$7,000	446	$1,845,139

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

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Company commanders will add Box 13-2523 to circuit card No. 52.

The following fire alarm box which was established in General Orders, No. 68, dated October 29, 1954, has been installed and connected into Circuit No. 68:

12-3239, General Services Administration warehouse, 134 Auckland street.

Company commanders will add Box 12-3239 to circuit card No. 68.

The following fire alarm boxes which were established in General Orders, No. 82, dated December 29, 1954, have been installed and connected into the circuits indicated:

12-6135, East Boston Pier, No. 1, Terminal road, Berth No. 1, east side, Circuit No. 76.

13-6135, East Boston Pier, No. 1, Terminal road, Berth No. 3, west side, Circuit No. 89.

Company commanders will add Box 12-6135 to circuit card No. 76, and add Box 13-6135 to circuit card No. 89.

IV. FIRE ALARM BOX DISCONTINUED.

The following fire alarm box has been removed from service and discontinued permanently:

13-6136, Commonwealth Pier, No. 1, Eastern Steamship Company.

Company commanders will delete Box 13-6136 from assignment card for Box 6136, and also delete Box 13-6136 from circuit card No. 76.

V. FIRE ALARM BOX RELOCATED.

The assignment card for Box 3282 now reads Homes avenue and Topliff street. This fire alarm box has been relocated to the corner of Longfellow street. The designation of this fire alarm box will be changed to read as follows:

3282, Longfellow and Topliff streets.

Company commanders will make the above change in designation on assignment card for Fire Alarm Box 3282.

VI. FIRE ALARM BOX ESTABLISHED.

In the near future, the following fire alarm box will be installed:

328, Stonehurst and Topliff streets.

The assignment of apparatus to this box will be the same as for Box 3282.

Assignment cards for Box 328 will be distributed at a later date.

The circuit number for this box will be announced when the box is installed.

VII. COMMENDATIONS.

The following-named members are hereby commended for responding to and working at fire, Box 12-2376, four alarms, January 27, 1955, while off duty:

Hoseman Michael J. Nichols, Engine 37.

Hoseman George W. Meuse, Jr., Engine 37.

Ladderman Frank C. Jacobs, Ladder 15.

Ladderman Charles C. Stevens, Ladder 26.

Lineman John Corcoran, Fire Alarm Construction Division.

By order of Fire Commissioner FRANCIS X. COTTER.

JOHN V. STAPLETON,
Chief of Department.

General Order No. 8.

I. EXAMINATION FOR PROMOTION TO ASSISTANT FIRE CHIEF.

Notice has been received from the Department of Civil Service that an examination for promotion to the position of assistant chief in the Boston Fire Department will be held on March 29 and 30, 1955.

Vacancies: There are three vacancies in permanent positions to be filled at present by assignment as follows: assistant fire chief, in charge of Fire Fighting Force; assistant fire chief, in charge of Fire Prevention Division; assistant fire chief, in charge of Personnel and Training.

This examination is open to the permanent deputy chiefs in the department who have been employed in this grade, after certification, for at least one year prior to the date of examination.

The duties of the position are described in posters issued by the Department of Civil Service which are being distributed to the department today, one copy of the notice of examination to be posted in each fire station and in Headquarters of the department.

Subjects and Weights: Experience, 3; report, 2; practical questions, 10; total, 15.

Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Application blanks may be obtained from the office of the Fire Commissioner. When completed, applications should be sent to the Division of Civil Service, Room 148, State House, Boston. Applications must be placed on file not later than Tuesday, March 8, 1955. Only one application under the title of assistant fire chief is necessary.

Under the provisions of chapter 708 of the Acts of 1941, as amended, persons unable to compete in competitive promotional examinations because of absence in military or naval service may be given a qualifying promotional examination if request in writing is made within six months after the termination of such service.

Applicants will be notified of the time and place of examination and of the examination plan and the hours for each part on the two days of the examination.

II. COMMENDATIONS.

The following-named members are hereby commended for responding to and working at fire, Box 7115, three alarms, on January 27, 1955, while off duty:

BUILDING OPERATIONS IN CITY OF BOSTON.

The following is a statement showing the number of new buildings for purposes of habitation, together with the number of family accommodations provided thereby, for the erection of which applications were filed with the Building Department of the City of Boston during the

MONTH ENDING JANUARY 31, 1955.

NUMBER OF FAMILY UNITS IN EACH BUILDING.	1955. NUMBER.		1954. NUMBER.	
	Buildings.	Families.	Buildings.	Families.
1	43	43	24	24
10	5	50	—	—
Total	48	93	24	24
Estimated cost of housing construction	$730,000		$226,570	

SUMMARY OF HOUSING CONSTRUCTION FOR MONTH.

Number of:	
New habitations erected	48
Accommodations provided by new construction	93
Accommodations provided by altering and remodeling	33
Accommodations eliminated by altering and remodeling	4
Habitations taken down	5*
Accommodations eliminated by demolition	10*
Net change in number of habitations	43 more
Net change in number of family accommodations	112 more

*HABITATIONS TAKEN DOWN.	Buildings.	Families.
1-family	1	1
2-family	3	6
3-family	1	3
Total	5	10

Lieut. Robert J. Crawford, Engine Company 39.
Hoseman Francis J. Belmore, Engine Company 39.
Hoseman Vito J. Bertolino, Engine Company 39.
Ladderman James R. Regan, Ladder Company 18.
Ladderman James M. Walsh, Ladder Company 18.
Ladderman James T. Shea of Ladder Company 19 is hereby commended for responding to and working at fire, Box 7312, two alarms, on January 31, 1955, while off duty.

By order of Fire Commissioner FRANCIS X. COTTER.

JOHN V. STAPLETON,
Chief of Department.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS. (STATE SERVICE.)

REHABILITATION COORDINATOR, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH, MARCH 19, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, February 28, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $3,660 a year; the maximum salary is $4,380 a year.

Vacancies: From time to time. At present there is one vacancy at Rutland State Sanatorium and one at Westland State Sanatorium.

Duties: Under the guidance of the medical staff, to coordinate the rehabilitation program of the sanatorium, utilizing the resources of the sanatorium and the community; and to perform related work as required.

Examples of Duties: Coordinating the activities of the rehabilitation staff; contacting patients shortly after admittance, and interpreting the sanatorium routine and policies to patients; guiding the activities of the patients into constructive channels, within the limitations prescribed by the medical staff; counseling patients regarding their educational and vocational future, administering and interpreting intelligence and aptitude tests; securing and interpreting occupational information; assisting patients in the selection of suitable vocational objectives, and facilitating selection by proper referral to appropriate community agencies, schools, training centers, and employers.

The following are required: Understanding of the nature of tuberculosis and the physical limitations it imposes on the individual; understanding of general psychology, with particular emphasis on motivation; understanding of the nature, use, and administration of intelligence and aptitude tests; familiarity with community resources and the knowledge of how to use them to facilitate the use of the rehabilitation program.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants who have not reached their twenty-fifth birthday on the date of examination will not be eligible to apply. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application *unless* one has been filed with a previous application.

Applicants must have at least two years of full-time paid experience as a rehabilitation worker in a recognized tuberculosis agency, a tuberculosis sanatorium, or a field of rehabilitation comparable to tuberculosis (such as heart disease). *Substitution:* A maximum of one year of the required experience may be substituted for by one full year of successfully completed graduate training in the field of psychology or vocational guidance in a recognized degree-granting school.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION.

TYPEWRITER INSPECTOR AND TECHNICIAN, BOSTON ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION, PRINTING SECTION, MARCH 12, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, February 21, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $58 a week; the maximum salary is $70.50 a week.

Vacancies: At present there are two vacancies for males, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: Under general supervision, to inspect typewriters in order to determine whether the condition of each machine warrants exchange, rebuilding, or minor repairs, and to overhaul, service, rebuild, or make minor repairs, as indicated; and to perform related work as required.

At present there are standard and electric Remington; standard, manual elite and portable Royal; standard and portable L. C. Smith; standard and portable Underwood; standard and electric Burroughs; standard and electric IBM; and standard Smith-Corona typewriters in use in the various departments of the City of Boston.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

Building Operations in the City of Boston for the Month Ending JANUARY 31, 1955.

MONTH OF JANUARY.	1955.		1954.	
	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.
Type I	1	$10,000	—	—
Type II	—	—	—	—
Type IV	11	711,500	3	$71,000
Type V	4	22,400	—	—
Type VI	43	371,000	25	228,370
Total new construction	59	$1,114,900	28	$299,370
Alterations, repairs, etc	387	730,239	282	592,493
Total structural construction	446	$1,845,139	310	$891,863
Increase or decrease	136*	953,276*	—	—
	44%*	107%*	—	—
Installations, etc	966	455,697	823	356,738
Grand total all work	1,412	$2,300,836	1,133	$1,248,601
Increase or decrease	279*	1,052,235*	—	—
	24%*	84%*	—	—

* Denotes increase

PRINCIPAL PROJECTS FOR JANUARY, 1955.

New, Five 10-family dwellings at $69,000 each located at 1-25 Anselm terrace, (T. Tuck)	$345,000
New, Church, 330 Old Colony avenue (R. C. Arch., Boston)	175,000
Alterations, Stop & Shop, 420 D street	153,400
Alterations, Hospital, 4 Old Harbor street (R. C. Arch., Boston)	130,000
New, Showroom, 1210 V. F. W. Parkway (A. Steffins)	86,000
New, Restaurant, 283 Causeway street (J. Polcari)	62,500

The following is a statement showing by WARDS the number and estimated cost of new buildings for purposes of habitation for the erection of which applications were filed with the City of Boston during the

MONTH ENDING JANUARY 31, 1955.

WARD.	1-FAMILY DWELLINGS.		10-FAMILY DWELLINGS.		TOTAL FOR MONTH.	
	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.
1	1	$15,000	—	—	1	$15,000
16	1	15,000	—	—	1	15,000
18	30	248,000	—	—	30	248,000
19	3	30,000	—	—	3	30,000
20	8	77,000	—	—	8	77,000
22	—	—	5	$345,000	5	345,000
Total	43	$385,000	5	$345,000	48	$730,000

No. 37—595.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING WATER METERS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Monday, February 21, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Water Meters." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Feb. 12.) *Purchasing Agent.*

349.
No. 35—396.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING GENERAL CLOTHING AND DRY GOODS FOR THE CITY DEPARTMENTS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Wednesday, February 23, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Clothing and Dry Goods." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Feb. 12.) *Purchasing Agent.*

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING AND PLANTING TREES ON STREETS AND PARKWAYS IN BOSTON, MASS.

The Commissioner of Parks and Recreation of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, invites proposals for furnishing and planting trees on streets and parkways in Boston, Mass. Forms of proposals must be obtained at the Engineer's office of the Parks and Recreation Department, 33 Beacon street. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed and marked "Proposal for Furnishing and Planting Trees on Streets and Parkways in Boston, Mass.," and left before 2 o'clock P.M. on Wednesday, February 23, 1955, at the office of the Parks and Recreation Department, with a certified check for $4,000, payable to and to be the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, and will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of 100 per cent of the estimated contract price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the Engineer's office of the Parks and Recreation Department. The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required prior to the award of said contract. The Commissioner reserves the right to reject any or all proposals.

FRANK R. KELLEY,
(Feb. 12.) *Commissioner.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PAVEMENT REPAIRS.

Proposals for Repairing the Pavement of the Sumner Tunnel.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for repairing the pavement of the Sumner Tunnel. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contrnct Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Repairing the Pavement of the Sumner Tunnel," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1955, with a certified check for ONE THOUSAND (1,000) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read at the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2) for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lend to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Feb. 12.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

No. 36—392.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING FIRE ALARM BOX SECTIONS AND LIGHT EXTENSIONS FOR THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Monday, February 21, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Fire Alarm Box Sections and Light Extensions." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Feb. 12.) *Purchasing Agent.*

No. 34—397.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING BITUMINOUS PATCHING MIX.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Friday, February 25, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $500, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Bituminous Patching Mix." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Feb. 12.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

REAL PROPERTY BOARD.
PROPERTY DIVISION.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

FEBRUARY 23, 1955, ON THE PREMISES.

	Upset Price.	Deposit.
9.30 A.M.—Vacant land, 190-190A, 192, 194, 196, 198-198A West Eighth Street, South Boston, 4,655 square feet	$800	$500
9.15 A.M.—Vacant land, Clifton Street, Lots 10 to 17, inclusive, corner Lester Street, Roxbury, 12,860 square feet	1,000	500
10.00 A.M.—Vacant land, Babson Street, northeasterly side, northerly corner Cookson Terrace and Cook Terrace, now Cookson Terrace, northerly side, Mattapan, 254,271 square feet	1,500	500
10.15 A.M.—Vacant land, Mattapan Street, Lots 15, 16, 17, adjacent 79 Mattapan Street, Mattapan, 9,340 square feet	600	500
10.30 A.M.—Vacant land, Richmere Road, Lot 58, adjacent 15 Richmere Road, Mattapan, 4,665 square feet	300	300
10.45 A.M.—Vacant land, 211 Fairmount Avenue, corner Highland Street, Hyde Park, 11,244 square feet	600	500
11.00 A.M.—Vacant land, Damrell Avenue, Lot 187, 50 feet from 32 Damrell Avenue, Hyde Park, 5,000 square feet	175	175
11.15 A.M.—Vacant land, Stoughton Avenue (now Como Road), Lots 54, 55, 56, between 34 and 42 Stoughton Avenue, Hyde Park, 19,592 square feet	600	500
11.30 A.M.—Vacant land, Cheriton Road, Lots 339, 340, 341, opposite 12 Cheriton Road, West Roxbury, 9,000 square feet	200	200
11.45 A.M.—Vacant land, Baker Street, Lot 28, opposite 11 Baker Street, West Roxbury, 9,167 square feet	100	100
12.00 Noon—Vacant land, Centre Street, Lots 21, 22, adjacent 2407 Centre Street, West Roxbury, 8,034 square feet	200	200
12.15 P.M.—Vacant land, Redlands Road, Lots 54, 55, 56, 57, 58-A, 59, 61, 78, 80, 83, 86, between 44 and 92 and between 45 and 87 Redlands Road, West Roxbury, 54,743 square feet	3,000	500
12.30 P.M.—Vacant land, Johnswood Road, Lot 6, adjacent 47 Johnswood Road, Roslindale, 2,762 square feet	200	200

The Chairman reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

For further information call LA 3-5100, line 236.

HERMAN CARP, *Chairman.*
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(Feb. 12.)

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CITY OF BOSTON.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

CHANGES IN TRAFFIC RULES AND REGULATIONS.

Voted, That the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective February 21, 1955:

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out the following:

Bird Street, Dorchester.
North side, from Columbia road to Hancock street, 24 hours.
Foundry Street, South Boston.
West side, from a point two hundred and fifty (250) feet north of the Broadway Underpass to a point one hundred (100) feet south of Macallen street, 24 hours.
Warren Street, Roxhury.
East side, from Zeigler street to a point one hundred (100) feet north of Zeigler street, 24 hours.
Washington Street, Boston Proper.
East side, from Kneeland street to Summer street, 24 hours.
East side, from Summer street to Franklin street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Franklin street to State street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," each of the following:

Chauncy Street.
Southeast side, from Summer street to Bedford street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Washington Street.
East side, from Kneeland street to State street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," the following:

Everett Street.
West side, from the north property line of No. 52 Everett street to North Beacon street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Bird Street.
North side, from Virginia street to Hancock street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Hyde Park," the following:

Business Street.
Both sides, from a point three hundred and seventy (370) feet northeast of Reservation road to a point four hundred and eighty-five (485) feet northeast of Reservation road, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxhury," each of the following:

Magazine Street.
Northwest side, from Kemble street to Norfolk avenue, 24 hours.
Norfolk Avenue.
Northeast side, from the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Bridge to Hampden street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "South Boston," each of the following:

Ellery Street.
Northeast and east sides, from Boston street to Southampton street, 24 hours.
Foundry Street.
West side, from a point two hundred and fifty (250) feet north of the Broadway Underpass to West Fourth street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by striking out the following:

Chauncy Street, Boston Proper.
Southeast side, from Summer street to Bedford street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 6, Part 3 (Restrictions in Cent and Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by striking out the following:

Dorchester Avenue, Dorchester.
Both sides, from Richmond street to Adams street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Warren Street, Roxbury.
East side, from Palmer street to a point one hundred (100) feet north of Zeigler street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Zeigler street to Dudley street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 6, Part 3 (Restrictions in Cent and Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Dorchester Avenue.
Both sides, from Richmond street to Washington street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 6, Part 3 (Restrictions in Cent and Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Warren Street.
East side, from Palmer street to Dudley street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by striking out the following:

Water Street, Charlestown.
From Navy Yard to Warren avenue.

Article VII, Section 2 (Heavy Commercial Vehicles Excluded), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Valley Road.
From Dorchester avenue to Washington street.

WM. ARTHUR REILLY,
Commissioner.

A true copy.
Attest:
W. T. DOYLE, *Executive Secretary.*
(Feb. 12-19.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR ENVELOPES.

The Police Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing special envelopes. The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at the office of the Property Clerk of the Boston Police Department, Room 105, 154 Berkeley street, Boston, and deposit with his bid at the office of the Police Commissioner a properly certified check in the amount of $100, payable to and to become the property of the Police Commissioner for the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. Proposals will be publicly opened and read on Friday, February 18, 1955, at 12 o'clock noon, at the office of the Police Commissioner, 154 Berkeley street, Boston, Mass. The Police Commissioner reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the Police Department of the City of Boston. Surety bond will be required from the successful bidder in an amount equivalent to 50 per cent of the estimated contract amount.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
(Feb. 12.) *Police Commissioner.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR ERECTING AND COMPLETING AN ADDITION TO THE CURTIS GUILD SCHOOL, BLACKINTON-JOHN CHEVERUS DISTRICT, EAST BOSTON, MASS.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for erecting and completing an addition to the Curtis Guild School, Blackinton-John Cheverus District, East Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Wednesday, March 2, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, inclosed in an envelope, sealed, and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy, which is part of the book of specifications, shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy, which is to he removed from the book of specifications, shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall he filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A hid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued hy, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $15,000, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No hidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs, and laborers in the work to be performed shall not he less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will he required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other henefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

Subbidders bidding on the work of suhcontractors shall use the proposal form prepared by and obtainable from the Awarding Authority.

All subbidders' proposals filed with the Awarding Authority shall be submitted in sealed envelopes plainly marked with the title of the work, division of the work for which bid is suhmitted, suhcontractor's name, and suhcontractor's business address. All such bids shall be in the possession of the Awarding Authority and delivered or mailed to the general contractor no later than 12 o'clock noon, Friday, February 25, 1955.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount as specified in the following for the various suhbid items of work as listed helow, shall be submitted hy each subbidder with the copy of his proposal filed with the Awarding Authority:

Waterproofing, Dampproofing, and Caulking	$200
Structural Steel and Light Iron	600
Metal Windows	700
Roofing and Sheet Metal	300
Lathing and Plastering	700
Marble, Tile, and Terrazzo	400
Resilient Flooring	200
Glass and Glazing	100
Hardware	200
Painting	200
Plumbing	500
Heating and Ventilating	1,500
Electrical	900

The bid deposit shall he in a separate envelope, plainly marked "Bid Deposit."

Plans and specifications and other contract documents may be obtained at the office of the Awarding Authority upon deposit of a certified check for $100, payable to the City of Boston. The full amount of the deposit will he refunded to each actual hidder upon return of all documents in good condition within fifteen days after the opening of bids. Plans and specifications and other contract documents may be examined without charge at the Boston office of Gainey's Construction News Letter or Dodge Reports.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority, and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price, will he required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all hids if it be in the public interest so to do. The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all suhbids on any item or items in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

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BOSTON HOUSING AUTHORITY ANNOUNCES THAT NO ACTION AFFECTING RENTAL INCREASES AS PROPOSED WILL BE TAKEN UNTIL AFTER ACTION BY CONFERENCE WITH CITY COUNCIL AND THOSE INTERESTED.

With reference to the current reports on rentals to be charged on Chapter 372 developments, the Boston Housing Authority issued the following statement:

After consideration of the whole financial picture of the operation of the homes and apartments built by the city for veterans under Chapter 372, the Authority voted, with Owen A. Gallagher dissenting, to increase the rentals of all remaining tenants by $19 a month subject to approval of the State Housing Board.

The State Housing Board informed the Authority that it had no jurisdiction in this matter.

In addition, the City Council has now requested the Authority to meet with it to discuss rents on these city-owned de-

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MAYOR HYNES MUCH DISTURBED AT NEWS OF PROPOSED ABANDONMENT OF ROPE WALK AT NAVY YARD — ADDRESSES LETTER TO SECRETARY OF NAVY URGING THAT PROPOSAL, WITH ITS ATTENDANT HARDSHIPS TO WORKERS, BE ABANDONED — IN OPERATION SINCE 1834.

Following is a communication sent by his Honor the Mayor to the Secretary of the Navy:

HON. CHARLES S. THOMAS,
Secretary of the Navy,
Washington, D. C.

DEAR SIR:

It is with great consternation and regret that we learn, here in Boston, that the Rope Walk at the Boston Navy Yard is proposed to be discontinued.

We realize here that a great many activities in which the United States government entered during the last world war are necessarily being curtailed. We believe, however, that the Rope Walk does not come within this category, for this activity has been in operation since 1834 and has been of inestimable benefit to our country during the War

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M. DeMATTEO CONSTRUCTION COMPANY AGAIN AWARDED CONTRACT FOR DISPOSAL OF CERTAIN GARBAGE AND REFUSE FOR THIRD YEAR AT RATE OF $34,760 PER MONTH — CONTRACT ENTERED INTO IN 1953 STARTED AT $39,200 PER MONTH, WITH CONDITIONS EXTENDING TO MARCH 31, 1956, IF AGREED UPON BY PUBLIC WORKS COMMISSIONER AND CONTRACTING CONCERN — ADVANTAGEOUS TO CITY — NEW FIGURE AT $34,760 PER MONTH.

Upon approval by Mayor John B. Hynes, the contract for disposal and removal of garbage and refuse under which the city has been operating with M. DeMatteo Company has been renewed and extended for the third successive year, with a saving of money by the city. The letter requesting a dispensing of new advertising for the work reads as follows:

CITY OF BOSTON,
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,
BOSTON, February 1, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

Publicly advertised proposals for the disposal of certain garbage and refuse were opened in this office on February 10, 1953. The proposals were submitted for one-, two-, and three-year contract periods, and involved the furnishing of bids for alternate methods of disposal. The M. DeMatteo Construction Company was the low bidder under the Group A method, so called, for all the above-referenced contract periods.

On my recommendation, your Honor approved the award of a contract to said company, at a rate of $39,200 per month, for the one-year period from April 1, 1953, to March 31, 1954, with the option on the part of the city of renewing the contract for the period from April 1, 1954, to March 31, 1955, and also from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, on the basis of the monthly bids submitted for the specified periods. The bids submitted by the DeMatteo Company for the two- and three-year periods were lower, per year, than those bid for the one-year contract, and it was advantageous, therefore, for the city to include in the original contract an option whereby, if the city so elected, it could extend the contract into the second year, and also into the third year, and take advantage of the lower monthly bid prices submitted by the contractor for such periods.

The original contract was prepared in such a manner that if the city exercised the renewal option, the monthly payments during the second year would be reduced so that the total payment for the two-year period would be equal to the amount bid by the contractor for said period, and similarly, the monthly payments for the three-year contract would be reduced so that the total payment at the end of the three-year period would be equal to the amount originally bid by the contractor on the three-year contract. Provision was also made in the original contract for the city to absorb 70 per cent of any increase in labor costs in the second and third years in any contracts involving such periods. The option provision was most advantageous to the city as it permitted us to take advantage of the lower monthly bids submitted by the contractor for the two- and three-year periods, but it did not obligate us to extend or renew the original one-year contract unless it was in the best interests of the city to so do.

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"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean;
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.

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Advertising.

A rate of $4 per inch of 12 lines (set solid) has been established for such advertisements as under the law must be printed in the City Record. Advertising and other copy must be in hand at 5 P.M., Wednesday of each week to insure its publication in the Saturday issue.

MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, February 28, at 2 P.M.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries, or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the Complaints Division, Room 25, City Hall.

Information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways, the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments of streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped area for streets and the opening of private ways; the making of specific repairs in public streets; the naming of public streets, including the use of public ways for location of conduits, poles, and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railways, coal holes, and vaults, may be secured from the Public Improvement Commission, Room 103, City Hall Annex.

To the BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION, 112 Southampton street, for information relative to regulation of vehicular street traffic on all or any streets, ways, highways, roads, and parkways under the control of the City of Boston, the issuing of all permits in connection therewith.

To the COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting, and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch basins, the operation of Sumner Tunnel, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges, and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 601, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

To the HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Haymarket Square, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish, and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughterhouses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases, of public health nuisances.

To the BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth Avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park, and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts, also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview, and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

To the SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

To the DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS, 28 Norman street, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

To the BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 907, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal, or tearing down buildings.

To the ELECTRICAL INSPECTION DIVISION OF THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT, 1001 City Hall Annex, for all information relative to the erection of poles, building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division; also for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings of the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

To the BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT, 13 City Hall, relative to changes in the boundary lines of zoning districts of the City of Boston as established by chapter 488 of the Acts of 1924, and amendments thereto.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending February 12, 1955.

Population as of July, 1950, Massachusetts State Census, 817,713; population estimated July, 1954, United States Census Bureau, 810,633; number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 176; nonresidents, 76; total, 252.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 16.21; nonresidents deducted, 11.26.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:

Last week, 15.76; corresponding week last year, 13.11.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 9; one year to four years, inclusive, 6; sixty years and over, 161. Total deaths: Male, 133; female, 119; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 116.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Feb. 12, 1955.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Feb. 13, 1954.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior Poliomyelitis	—	—	—	—
Diphtheria	1	—	1	—
Encephalitis Lethargica	—	—	—	—
Influenza	—	—	—	—
Measles	211	1	5	—
Meningitis Epidemic	—	—	4	—
Pneumonia (lobar)	—	1	—	1
Scarlet Fever	40	—	39	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary)	—	3	24	3
Childhood Type Tuberculosis	—	—	—	—
Tuberculosis (other forms)	—	—	1	—
Typhoid Fever	—	—	1	—
Whooping Cough	7	—	3	—

* Residents and nonresidents included.

MAYOR APPEALS TO SECRETARY OF NAVY IN REGARD TO CLOSING OF ROPE WALK AT NAVY YARD.

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between the States, the Spanish-American War, World War I, World War II, and the Korean war.

As you perhaps know, the complement of workers at the Rope Walk are all highly skilled men, many of whom have worked at the Rope Walk for over 25 years. These men have great pride in the product of their labors and, in my opinion, should not be forced to leave the work which they know so well and do so well for some other type of employment. There is more than tradition to the general opposition of this community to the closing of the Rope Walk. There never has been a question of the quality of the product or the costs involved.

I bid you to reconsider any decision made to close the Rope Walk. It is almost as unthinkable to Bostonians as the dismantling of the U. S. Constitution would be. I hope the final decision on this matter will be to continue the Rope Walk as a worth-while and necessary part of the activities of the Boston Navy Yard.

Respectfully,

JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor.

NOTED PRELATE OF GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH IN UNITED STATES IS GUEST OF MAYOR HYNES.

The Most Reverend Athenagoras, Bishop of Elia, Spiritual Leader of the Greek Orthodox Church for the New England States, who recently arrived at his new post in Boston from Los Angeles, paid a visit to the Honorable John B. Hynes, Mayor of Boston, at City Hall, Monday, February 14, at 3:15 P.M.

During his visit, the Bishop stated that Boston is not only a beautiful and progressive city, but that it is also the bulwark of American traditions and the center of American intellectuality, both in its secular and religious meaning.

He pledged himself and all his constituents to the service "that aims to help the people's determination to protect this, our country, from the threats of Communism and the evils of atheism, and preserve the American tradition intact."

In discussing the growth of the Orthodox Church in the past few years, His Grace mentioned the vast building program that has been initiated, singling out the new St. Sophia Cathedral of Los Angeles, considered to be one of the most beautiful religious edifices in the Americas, as well as a few of the new parish churches in this area, namely Lynn, Worcester and Fall River.

The Bishop conveyed to the Mayor the regards of His Eminence Archbishop Michael, the head of the Orthodox Church in America.

Accompanying the Bishop were the Rt. Rev. Kallistos Samaras, Chancellor of the New England Diocese, and Rev. George Gacopulos, Dean of the Board of Trustees of the Greek Cathedral of Boston.

BOSTON HOUSING AUTHORITY REPORT ON ANNOUNCED INCREASE IN VETERANS' RENTALS.

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velopments which are operated by the Authority as agent for the City of Boston.

In view of this, the subject of rentals at these developments is under reconsideration by the Authority, and at its meeting held recently it was decided to take no action affecting rentals until it had met with the City Council. Some time after that meeting a decision will be made on these rentals.

The Authority said that between 800 and 900 tenants remain in this program. The remaining 12,000 tenants in the federally and state-aided programs are in no way affected by these discussions, since rentals in those developments are based on income and the number of minors in those families.

FOR THE AUTHORITY,

FRANCIS X. LANE,
Administrator.

GARBAGE DISPOSAL CONTRACT AGAIN AWARDED TO M. DeMATTEO CONSTRUCTION COMPANY.

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Under date of February 3, 1954, your Honor approved the exercising of the option by the City of Boston for the second year, and approved the entering into of a new contract with the DeMatteo Company for the period from April 1, 1954, to March 31, 1955, at a monthly price of $36,980. It is my unqualified opinion at this time that the city should also exercise the option and award a contract to the DeMatteo Company for the third year starting April 1, 1955, and terminating March 31, 1956.

Obviously, there would be no advantage to be gained by publicly advertising for bids for this work, as no other contractor could possibly submit a bid lower than the monthly price for which the current contractor has agreed to perform this service. In addition, the DeMatteo Company has rendered very satisfactory service for the past two years on two successive contracts based on contract prices that were obtained as the result of publicly advertising for bids two years ago.

Therefore, I respectfully request authorization to dispense with advertising and to award a contract for the disposal of certain garbage and refuse to the M. DeMatteo Construction Company of 200 Hancock street, Quincy, for a period commencing April 1, 1955, and ending March 31, 1956. The same terms and conditions contained in the current contract will be included in the new contract, except that the full compensation payable by the City of Boston under Group A, Item 1, shall be thirty-four thousand seven hundred and sixty dollars ($34,760) per month instead of thirty-six thousand nine hundred and eighty dollars ($36,980) per month; provided, however, that whenever during the period covered by the renewal contract the wage scale of mechanics and laborers employed by the contractor is—through no act of the contractor other than to comply with necessary and sustained demands of organized labor—above their average wage scale for the period from April 1, 1953, to March 31, 1954, the monthly amounts of $34,760 to be subsequently paid the contractor by the city under such renewal contract shall be increased, but only to the point of absorbing seventy per cent (70%) of the increase in labor costs as determined from the weekly payrolls submitted by the contractor. Whenever during the period covered by the renewal contract such wage scale is below said average, the monthly amounts to be so subsequently paid shall be reduced by seventy per cent (70%) of the decrease in labor costs. The foregoing proviso shall apply to wages of mechanics and laborers only and shall not include wages of executive or supervisory personnel.

Respectfully yours,

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Atlas Roofing & Skylight Works for hurricane emergency roofing work at the Roger Wolcott School, from February 15, 1955, to April 30, 1955. This extension was requested because of difficulty in getting additional help and also weather conditions.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Atlas Roofing & Skylight Works for hurricane emergency roofing work at the Chapman School, from February 15, 1955, to April 30, 1955. This extension was requested because of difficulty in getting additional help and also weather conditions.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Atlas Roofing & Skylight Works for hurricane emergency roofing work at the Joseph H. Barnes School, from February 15, 1955, to April 30, 1955. This extension was requested because of difficulty in getting additional help and also weather conditions.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.
Sanatorium Division.

(Contract for Repairing Roofs at the Sanatorium Division of the Boston City Hospital.)

It is agreed that the words "sixty (60) calendar days" appearing in the contract between the City of Boston and John F. Shea Company, Inc., dated November 10, 1954, be stricken out, and the word and figures "February 15, 1955," be substituted in their place.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

John F. Shea Company, Inc., has been directed to perform the following extra work under the contract for roofing work and bricking up windows at the Calf Pasture Pumping Station and roofing work at Moon Island, dated October 21, 1954:

Furnish and install two new Kalamein doors and furnish and install steel lintels over new windows at the Calf Pasture Pumping Station.

Estimated cost of extra work, $298.

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

Mrs. William F. Hanafin, 27 Bayard street, Allston, in the sum of $95, as compensation for damage to property stored in basement of above premises caused by the backing up of a sewer which was found blocked at the main, September 11, 1954.

Ruth C. Kelleher, 91 Brainerd road, Allston, in the sum of $150, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the roadway on Walbridge street, approximately 100 feet from the corner of Commonwealth avenue, July 17, 1953.

Lodgen's Market, Inc., 19 Corinth street, Roslindale, in the sum of $485, as compensation for damage to food stored in the cellar of above premises caused by water from Stony Brook which forced the covers off the sewer, September 8, 9, and 10, 1951.

Mrs. Albert Nici, 11 Hendry street, Dorchester, in the sum of $300, as compensation for damage to property stored in basement of above premises caused by the backing up of a sewer which was found blocked at the main, May 17, 1951.

Edward W. Behnke, 11 Sunset street, Roxbury, to be reimbursed in the sum of $462.72, as a result of an accident which occurred on November 2, 1954, when a motor truck belonging to the Fire Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Francis Killen.

Harold Lee, 12 Fairland street, Roxbury, in the sum of $95, as compensation for personal injuries to his son, Harold E. Lee, a minor, while riding in an automobile operated by him which struck a hole in the highway on Greenville street, Roxbury, October 17, 1954.

Harold Lee, 12 Fairland street, Roxbury, in the sum of $485, as compensation for personal injuries and damage to automobile caused by a hole in the highway on Greenville street, October 17, 1954.

Mary Lee, 12 Fairland street, Roxbury, in the sum of $300, as compensation for personal injuries caused when an automobile owned and operated by her husband, in which she was a passenger, struck a hole in the highway on Greenville street, Roxbury, October 17, 1954.

David Lipinsky, 8 Royce road, Allston, in the sum of $150, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 1261 Commonwealth avenue, Allston, November 18, 1953.

Lionel D. Greene, 552 and 551 East Fourth street, South Boston, in the sum of $295, as compensation for damage to property in cellar of above premises caused by the backing up of a sewer, August 31, 1954.

AMENDMENT TO ORIGINAL AWARD OF DAMAGES.

The Mayor has approved the following vote of the Public Improvement Commission:

Voted, That the amount of $150 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Clifford L. and Everdene Kennedy for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of March 25, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Ansonia road, West Roxbury.

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 9.

I. RESIGNATION.

The following resignation, which will become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, February 16, 1955, is hereby announced:

Second Engineer Aloysius A. Ryalls, Engine Company 47.

II. TRANSFERS.

The following transfers will become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, February 23, 1955:

Hoseman John B. Dunbar, from Engine Company 27 to Ladder Company 11.

Hoseman Kenneth E. Liddell, from Lighting Plant 2 to Lighting Plant 1.

III. RETIREMENT.

The following retirement, in accordance with section 57, chapter 32 of the General Laws, as amended, is hereby announced, to become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, February 16, 1955:

Hoseman David Burke, Engine Company 55.

Hoseman Burke was appointed to the department May 14, 1926, and he leaves the department with the best wishes of his associates.

IV. HEART FUND DRIVE FOR 1955.

The 1955 Heart Fund Campaign is now underway, and his Honor, Mayor John B. Hynes, has asked that all city employees cooperate in giving to this worthy cause.

Heart Fund envelopes are being issued to the department today, one envelope for each member. Company commanders shall contact members of their commands concerning the drive. Members contributing should place their donation in the envelope provided, print name and address and amount contributed in the spaces designated on the envelope and seal the envelope.

The envelopes containing contributions should be forwarded to the Department Collector, Mr. John J. Walsh, Headquarters Division, on or before Monday, February 28, 1955. Envelopes will be received from 9.30 to 11 A.M. on each weekday, except Saturday.

V. A.D.T. ASSIGNMENT.

Company commanders shall add the following signal numbers to running cards of the American District Telegraph Company in this department:

Signal 581, Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Department of Public Works, 400 D street. (Sprinkler.) Apparatus to respond: Engine 1, Ladder 18, District Chief 6. Nearest box is 7143.

Smgal 567, Federal Warehouse, Inc., 10-41 Midway street. (Sprinkler.) Apparatus to respond: Engine 39, Ladder 18, District Chief 6. Nearest box is 7131.

VI. G.A.C. ASSIGNMENT.

Company commanders shall add the following signal number to running cards of the General Alarm Corporation in this department:

Signal 472, Gulf Oil Corporation, 238 Victory road. (Manual Fire Alarm.) Apparatus to respond: Engine 20, Ladder 7, District Chief 7. Nearest box is 3118.

By order of Fire Commissioner FRANCIS X. COTTER.

JOHN V. STAPLETON,
Chief of Department.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 2,002.

Acting under provisions of chapter 658, Acts of 1945, section 6, as amended (State-Boston Retirement System), the Boston Retirement Board has approved for retirement on account of ordinary disability, the following-named police officer, effective at the close of business Thursday, January 27, 1955.

In view of this operation of law, after January 27, 1955, the said police officer shall no longer be an active member of this department, and it is hereby ordered that its records be so amended.

Patrolman Francis P. Murray, Division 4.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,003.

A trial board, consisting of Captains Thomas F. Casey, Robert A. Lynch, and Michael T. Clougherty, having heard by reference a complaint made by Lieut. Robert E. Bowes, commanding Division 11, against Patrolman John P. Horan, Division 11, charging him with violation of the rules and regulations of the Police Department, has reported a finding of guilty, recommending punishment duty of two hundred and ten hours.

This recommendation is accepted and it is ordered that the said Patrolman John P. Horan perform two hundred and ten hours' punishment duty.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,004.

A trial board, consisting of Captains Thomas F. Casey, Robert A. Lynch, and Michael T. Clougherty, having heard by reference a complaint made by Lieut. Robert E. Bowes, commanding Division 11, against Patrolman Robert W. Whalen, Division 11, charging him with violation of the rules and regulations of the Police Department, has reported a finding of guilty, recommending punishment duty of two hundred and ten hours.

This recommendation is accepted and it is ordered that the said Patrolman Robert W. Whalen perform two hundred and ten hours' punishment duty.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,005.

The following promotions and assignments are hereby ordered to take effect Wednesday, February 16, 1955, at 7.45 o'clock, A.M.:

To the Grade of Lieutenant.

Sergt. Warren A. Blair, from Division 9 to Division 1.

To the Grade of Sergeant.

Patrolman Lawrence A. Quinlan, from Division 2 to Division 11.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

The following-named assistant assessors (part time) have been appointed:

Bernard F. Shadrawy, 830 Beacon street, John T. Driscoll, 33 Driscoll Drive, Dorchester, John J. Riley, Jr., 270 Parker Hill avenue, Roxbury, Norman S. Weinberg, 33 Wade street, Brighton, John C. Foran, Jr., 62 Welles avenue, Dorchester, $263.18 a month; Harold L. Vaughan, 46 Deckard street, Roxbury, $274.05 a month; Willard F. O'Brien, 47 Eliot street, Jamaica Plain, $295.80 a month.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

John F. Doherty, 1612 Columbia road, South Boston, lieutenant, has been retired at $3.293.33 a year.

Robert J. Ritchie, 49 Stoughton street, Dorchester, captain, has been retired at $3.746.67 a year.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

For the week ending January 25:

The following provisional employees have been appointed:

John J. Honen, 32 Adams street, Roxbury, Joseph F. Mulhern, 11 Brandon street, Dorchester, John F. Domaldo, 164 Monticello avenue, Dorchester, John E. Thornton, 6 Carmel street, Roxbury, Mary A. Healy, 17 Waltham street, Rosalie M. Klabbatz, 37 Ellington street, Dorchester, Robert W. Pilling, 185 Monticello avenue, Dorchester, hospital medical workers, $43 a week.

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For the week ending February 1:

The following weekly nurses have been appointed:

Permanent.—Catherine O'Brien, 654 Beacon street, floor nurse, $68 a week; Florence A. Bursey, 11 East Newton street, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour; Mary Pizziferri, 33 Justin road, Brighton, floor nurse, $1.65 an hour; Marie Brodeur, 30 Commonwealth avenue, Margaret Welch, 45 Eden street, Chelsea, Margaret Cast, 30 Commonwealth avenue, Alice Chamberlain, Milton, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour.

Temporary.—Mary Lee, Somerville, floor nurse, $1.70 an hour.

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For the week ending February 8:

The following provisional employees have been appointed:

Susan Brown, 115 Pembroke street, Mary M. Coakley, 1106 Harrison avenue, Mary B. Dalton, 97 Hampshire street, Roxbury, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; Leon Farwell, 316 Hyde Park avenue, Jamaica Plain, elevator operator, $43 a week; Mary Flaherty, 113 Pleasant street, Dorchester, Martha M. Handren, 3 Chilcott place, Jamaica Plain, Mary A. Lafferty, 19 Cranmore road, Hyde Park, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; Arthur Leonard, 56 Temple street, Carl J. Ricker, 183 E street, South Boston, elevator operators, $43 a week; Penelope G. Spinos, 693 Tremont street, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 15.

GASFITTER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
G. Trethewey	26 Ardale street	20	Connecting heater	$200
B. Zieff	1245 Centre street	20	Connecting range	35
G. Trethewey	1475 Centre street	20	Connecting range	225
E. Healy	6 Conrad street	7	Connecting heater	125
A. Russo	4 Dawes street	7	Connecting heater	45
N. Deutsch	74 Everett street	1	Connecting range	30
A. Russo	3 Franklin street	18	Connecting range	50
H. Geddis	111 Huntington avenue	4	Connecting range	50
E. Healy	9 Holden street	6	Connecting range	50
N. Clark	27 Howell street	7	Connecting range	35
J. McKinnon	23 Joyce Kilmer road	20	Connecting range	350
N. Deutsch	7 Kensington street	10	Connecting range	15
N. Deutsch	88 Lexington street	1	Connecting range	50
A. Russo	1110 Morton street	17	Connecting range	40
A. Granara	190 North street	3	Connecting range	15
A. Russo	1382 River street	18	Connecting heater	35
A. Russo	66 Robinwood avenue	19	Connecting heater	50
J. McLaughlin	103 St. Rose street	11	Connecting range	65
N. Deutsch	476 Saratoga street	1	Connecting range	40
G. Trethewey	162 Spring street	20	Connecting heater	75
William Connell	32 Wrentham street	16	Connecting range	25
William Jacobs	96 Ardale street	20	Connecting range	50
R. Ebba	229 Bennington street	1	Connecting range	45
N. Clark	1436 Blue Hill avenue	18	Connecting range	75
N. Clark	158 Calumet street	10	Connecting range	400
R. Ebba	155 Chelsea street	1	Connecting range	30
R. Ebba	354 Chelsea street	1	Connecting range	50
William Awad	33 Easton street	21	Connecting heater	50
N. Clark	123 Harrishof street	12	Connecting range	10
William Jacobs	111 Hutchings street	12	Connecting heater	400
M. Eskowitz	6 fola street	14	Connecting range	250
William Awad	228 Kelton street	21	Connecting range	40
William Awad	144 Lincoln street	21	Connecting range	40
P. Farrell	433 Market street	21	Connecting heater	40
T. Matthews	153 Massachusetts avenue	4	Connecting range	45
William Jacobs	142 Minden street	10	Connecting range	90
William Awad	33 Monastery road	21	Connecting range	50
William Awad	39 Newton street	21	Connecting range	40
E. Ardini	21 Province street	3	Connecting range	100
William Jacobs	775 South street	20	Connecting range	135
R. Ebba	309 Sumner street	1	Connecting range	50
N. Clark	45 Symmes street	20	Connecting range	300
R. Ebba	30 Teragram street	1	Connecting range	40
R. Ebba	20 Trenton street	1	Connecting range	40
William Jacobs	300 Walnut avenue	12	Connecting range	110
T. Okerholm	333 Washington street	3	Connecting range	50
J. Chase	94 Albano street	20	Connecting range	50
S. Landau	5 Ayr road	21	Connecting range	10
A. Granara	7 Bartlett place	3	Connecting range	150
H. Cataldo	333 Centre street	10	Connecting range	55
C. Lang	52 Centre terrace	20	Connecting range	20
N. Clark	1874 Commonwealth avenue	21	Connecting range	20
J. Chase	91 Cornell street	18	Connecting range	15
B. Weiner	26 Cumberland street	4	Connecting range	50
William Hogan	69 Fenwood road	10	Connecting range	50
A. Stahly	3 Greenmount street	15	Connecting range	60
William Hogan	22 Fisher avenue	10	Connecting range	100
C. Lang	38 Forest street	18	Connecting range	50
B. Weiner	84 Gainsboro street	4	Connecting range	50
William Hogan	201 Hillside street	10	Connecting range	50
S. Landau	10 Kenmore street	5	Connecting range	50
H. Hinekley	23 Kingsboro park	11	Connecting range	15
B. Weiner	146 Massachusetts avenue	4	Connecting range	40
G. Sanders	175 Massachusetts avenue	4	Connecting range	35
G. Vallati	115 Pleasant street	13	Connecting range	300
A. Stahly	11 Romsey street	15	Connecting range	30
A. Stahly	38 St. Gregory street	16	Connecting range	10
J. Erwin	95 Taylor street	16	Connecting range	800
S. Landau	241 Tremont street	3	Connecting range	200
S. D'Agostino	76 West Cedar street	3	Connecting range	45
N. Clark	352 West Third street	6	Connecting range	30
G. Trethewey	433 Beech street	18	Connecting range	400
R. Holmes	75 Dresser street	6	Connecting range	200
C. Boates	20 East street	3	Connecting heater	50
F. Avery	19 Evergreen street	11	Connecting range	10
A. Figler	43 Forest Hills street	11	Connecting range	40
J. Egan	914 Harrison avenue	8	Connecting range	35
F. Farrar	226 Huntington avenue	4	Connecting range	50
F. Avery	266 Lamartine street	10	Connecting range	25
E. Gamrin	31 Lincoln street	2	Connecting range	200
F. Odenweller	32 Mercer street	7	Connecting heater	230
L. Trehub	295 Northern avenue	3	Connecting range	40
Wm. Hogan	12 Oswald street	10	Connecting range	50
G. Trethewey	38 Pinehurst street	20	Connecting range	160
F. Avery	345 Pond street	20	Connecting cooker	20
C. Bevelander	45 School street	11	Connecting range	50
H. Beaulieu	32 Sheridan street	10	Connecting range	15
F. Avery	9 Varney street	19	Connecting range	25
H. Beaulieu	2932 Washington street	11	Connecting range	15
F. Avery	4094 Washington street	20	Connecting range	50
F. Avery	5 Wenham street	11	Connecting cooker	10
F. Avery	12 Wensley street	10	Connecting range	15
B. Gellis	64 West Newton street	9	Connecting range	35
R. Holmes	390 West Second street	6	Connecting range	200
F. Avery	101 Willow street	20	Connecting range	50
L. Trehub	13 Winter street	18	Connecting range	150
A. Farley	34 Abbotsford street	12	Connecting range	50
A. Farley	338 Blue Hill avenue	14	Connecting range	50
R. Simon	180 Boston street	7	Connecting heater	35
L. Rubin	44 Bromfield street	3	Connecting range	50
A. Farley	10 Brookford street	13	Connecting range	45
A. Farley	43 Cheney street	12	Connecting range	15

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 15.—Concluded.

GAS FITTER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Wm. Connell	2 Columbia terrace	13	Connecting range	$35
A. Farley	1841 Columbus avenue	11	Connecting range	15
E. Marenberg	40 Crescent avenue	13	Connecting range	45
A. Farley	97 Dale street	11	Connecting range	35
Wm. Connell	1758 Dorchester avenue	16	Connecting range	75
A. Farley	29 Dorr street	11	Connecting range	50
P. Kennedy	68 Emerald street	3	Connecting range	35
D. Tringali	104 Forbes street	10	Connecting range	65
A. Farley	2 Haynes park	12	Connecting range	10
D. Greenwood	111 Heath street	10	Connecting range	75
J. Butler	106 Houghton street	16	Connecting range	150
A. Farley	112 Howland street	12	Connecting heater	75
A. Farley	21 Hulbert street	9	Connecting range	50
P. Kennedy	159 Huntington avenue	4	Connecting range	50
A. Farley	124 Intervale street	12	Connecting range	25
P. Kennedy	11 James street	8	Connecting cooker	40
R. Simon	201 L street	7	Connecting range	65
T. Foley	70 Landsdowne street	5	Connecting range	50
J. Butler	47 Milwood street	16	Connecting range	150
J. Butler	114 Minot street	16	Connecting heater	200
E. Sawyer	9 Monument square	2	Connecting range	200
Wm. Connell	126 Neponset avenue	16	Connecting range	35
A. Farley	10A New Heath street	10	Connecting range	25
Wm. Connell	296 River street	18	Connecting heater	30
D. Greenwood	78 St. Rose street	19	Connecting heater	15
A. Farley	82 Shirley street	7	Connecting range	15
T. Foley	156 Stuart street	3	Connecting heater	300
P. Werner	127 Sutherland road	21	Connecting range	40
Wm. Connell	28 Templeton street	16	Connecting range	75
E. Sawyer	22 Treulett street	14	Connecting range	10
T. Foley	9 Union street	3	Connecting range	125
A. Hird	36 Welles avenue	17	Connecting range	125

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM PLUMBING FOR THE WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 15.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
G. Trethewey	26 Ardale street	20	Fixtures	$200
G. Tack	2173 Dorchester avenue	17	Fixtures	1,100
A. Russo	3 Franklin street	18	Fixtures	800
H. Geddis	111 Huntington avenue	4	Fixtures	150
J. Calman	196 Lasell street	20	Fixtures	750
Geo. W. Vogel	20 Marlborough street	5	Fixtures	275
B. Clancy	24 Milk street	3	Fixtures	425
A. Russo	66 Robinwood avenue	19	Fixtures	200
A. Russo	72 Robinwood avenue	19	Fixtures	300
C. Boates	875 Washington street	3	Fixtures	200
J. McKinnon	32 Woodland road	18	Fixtures	800
Wm. Jacobs	111 Hutchings street	12	Fixtures	100
G. Schrottman	6 Iola street	14	Fixtures	300
A. Lewis	478 Jamaicaway	19	Fixtures	500
D. Smith	15 Rumford road	20	Fixtures	150
L. Stella	1345 Boylston street	5	Fixtures	350
D. Greenwood	468 Centre street	19	Fixtures	400
R. Carr	50 Garden street	5	Fixtures	400
G. Vallati	115 Pleasant street	13	Fixtures	200
J. Chase	1033 River street	18	Fixtures	65
F. McMillen	765 Tremont street	9	Fixtures	300
C. Bevelander	6 Acorn street	5	Fixtures	150
G. Trethewey	433 Beech street	18	Fixtures	175
M. Yorks	163 Bennington street	1	Fixtures	450
A. Platt	94 Bigelow street	21	Fixtures	1,500
C. Bevelander	18 Brentwood street	21	Fixtures	35
J. Devlin	696 Columbus avenue	9	Fixtures	100
M. Clarke	75 Gillette park	6	Fixtures	650
J. Austin	111 Huntington avenue	4	Fixtures	290
G. Trethewey	23 Leniston street	20	Fixtures	215
E. Gamrin	31 Lincoln street	1	Fixtures	800
F. Odenweller	32 Mercer street	7	Fixtures	1,100
A. Stein	999 Morton street	18	Fixtures	100
S. Litman	155 Ruthven street	12	Fixtures	575
D. Yorks	40 South Fairview street	20	Fixtures	700
D. Gold	415 Summer street	6	Fixtures	400
H. Ferrick	468 Centre street	10	Fixtures	100
C. Bevelander	988 Columbus avenue	9	Fixtures	100
R. Snyder	400 D street	6	Fixtures	42,000
A. Niekinello	79 Hudson street	3	Fixtures	1,200
E. Sawyer	217 Maverick street	1	Fixtures	500
H. Vallely	99 Minot street	16	Fixtures	500
E. Sawyer	9 Monument square	2	Fixtures	2,000
H. Eichel	38 Pleasant street	13	Fixtures	200
D. Greenwood	78 St. Rose street	11	Fixtures	150
A. Farley	100 Walnut street	12	Fixtures	100
H. Eichel	17 Wentworth street	17	Fixtures	100
Geo. W. Vogel	124 West Concord street	9	Fixtures	150

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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The following weekly nurses have been appointed:

Permanent.—Belle Buccegross, 902 East Broadway, South Boston, floor nurse, $65.50 a week; Marcia Burbank, Franklin Square House, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Mary F. Casey, 127 Manthorne road, West Roxbury, floor nurse, $68 a week; Helen Crandall, 28 Fairview avenue, Malden, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour; Patricia Driscoll, 202 Columbia street, Cambridge, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Gertrude Macauley, 15 Pinckney street, floor nurse, $65.50 a week; Ann Masel, 103 Waverly street, Everett, floor nurse, $1.65 an hour; Catherine McHowell, 265 Washington street, Dedham, floor nurse, $65.50 a week; Claire MacLeod Murphy, 32 Worcester square, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour; Anna M. Riedl, 77 Westland avenue, floor nurse, $48 a week; Sally A. Ryan, 365 Marlborough street, floor nurse, $60.50 a week.

Temporary.—Catherine Powers, 29 West Eagle street, East Boston, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour.

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—Sylvester Bullock, 45 Symphony road, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; Dorothy Feldman, 35 Theodore street, Dorchester, floor nurse, $1.70 an hour; Helen Gouin, Franklin Square House, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Edith Newton, 162 Heath street, Jamaica Plain, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Temporary.—Robert Ashworth, 59 Centre street, Roxbury, ambulance medical aid, $53 a week; William A. Borden, 4 Woodside avenue, Jamaica Plain, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; Kathleen M. Burk, 20 Nottingham street, Dorchester, floor nurse, $1.70 an hour; Peter DiTroia, 18 Ashley street, East Boston, elevator operator, $43 a week; Edna M. Edmondson, 6 Salisbury park, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; Ruth A. Gallo, 1263 Columbus avenue, hospital laundry worker, $43 a week; Dorothy E. Gordon, 242 Shawmut avenue, Robert W. Hebb, 52 Cohasset street, Roslindale, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; Theresa Killoran, 2 Levant street, Dorchester, telephone operator, $55.50 a week; Mary Lee, 456 Medford street, Somerville, floor nurse, $1.70 an hour; Eileen MacEachen, 3 Oakley street, Dorchester, clerk-typist, $43 a week; Joseph Molley, 17 Worcester square, second-class engineer, $73 a week; Catherine A. Powers, 29 West Eagle street, East Boston, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour; Helen Sheehan, Turnpike road, Canton, floor nurse, $68 a week; Georgette A. Slattery, 26 Annunciation road, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; Yvonne Thivierge, 170 Newbury street, junior X-ray technician, $45.50 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

The following resignations have been approved:

Joseph Anthoni, M. D., senior staff physician; Nunzio Constantino, hospital kitchen worker (temporary); Maud Hildreth, hospital house worker; John W. Horrigan, hospital laundry worker; Gertrude Ego, senior clerk (transferred to Health Department).

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following appointments:

CIVIL DEFENSE.

Louis B. Devine, Jr., 277 Beacon street, executive secretary, Social Services Division, $76.50 a week.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Rosemarie R. Guinazzo, 52 Dickens street, Dorchester, clerk and stenographer, $43 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Sanatorium Division.

Margaret L. Murphy, 313 K street, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Patrick McGreal, 107 Chandler street, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

VETERANS' SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Lewis Goldstein, 2 Alwin terrace, Hyde Park, veterans' services investigator, $65.50 a week.

Frank J. Bachoff, 20 Faulkner street, Dorchester, veterans' services investigator, $65.50 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Rose Swartz, 90 Brainerd road, Allston, statistical machine operator, $45.50 a week.

Madeline Doyle, 199 Summer street, Somerville, statistical machine operator, $45.50 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following reinstatements:

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

Joseph D. Heffernan, 114 Lonsdale street, Dorchester, traffic sign maintenance man, $63 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Thurston A. Jackson, 696 Massachusetts avenue, hospital medical worker, $50.50 a week.

John G. Galvin, 363 Sumner street, East Boston, hospital medical worker, $48 a week.

Janet E. Datson, 25 Exeter street, social worker, $65.50 a week.

Mabel Somes, 144 Winthrop street, Roxbury, hospital laundry worker, $43 a week.

Winifred T. Halloran, 30 Sturbridge street, Mattapan, hospital laundry worker, $43 a week.

Patricia A. Ford, 11 Matchett street, Brighton, social worker, $73 a week.

Eileen J. Greene, 68 St. Andrew road, East Boston, social worker, $73 a week.

Martha E. Legg, 89 Charles street, social worker, $70.50 a week.

Thomas C. Baronie, 8 Ashmont court, Dorchester, social worker, $70.50 a week.

John J. Burns, 28 Glen road, Jamaica Plain, social worker, $70.50 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Bridge-Tunnel Division.

Andrew Keblin, 25 Hecla street, Dorchester, tollman-guard, $63 a week.

Water Division.

Mary Mahoney, 815 Centre street, Jamaica Plain, clerk and stenographer, $43 a week.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 15.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Boston University	91 Bay State road	5	Alterations, sign, dormitory	$500
First Realty Company	6 Beacon street	3	Sign, store, office	700
James Corbey	30 Blake street	18	Alterations, dwelling	225
Sam Waldman	487 Blue Hill avenue	12	Fire repair, store, dwelling, office	500
Luby Realty Corporation	1272-80 Boylston street	5	Wooden locker	300
P. J. O'Donnell	66 Clarkson street	15	Alterations, dwelling	250
C. O'Donnell	8 Eastman street	7	Alterations, dwelling	250
Victor Bonaccto, jr	76 Hemman street	18	Alterations, garage	225
Devonshire Management Company	16 Kingston street	3	Alterations, manufacturing, sales	850
Jamacian Associates	468 Massachusetts avenue	4	Alterations, lodging house	200
Mildred Shute	20 Norwood street	16	Alterations, dwelling	480
Charles Stepnoski	731 Parker street	10	Alterations, dwelling	1,400
Tilo Roofing Company	805 River street	18	Sign, store, office	500
D. Puoplo	24 Sturtevant street	16	Alterations, manufacturing	150
First Realty	18 Tremont street	3	Alterations, store, office	200
Joseph Hudson	44 Westbourne street	20	Alterations, dwelling	650
Harry Rauch	106 Blue Hill avenue	8	Alterations, dwelling	338
W. Sledge	28 Copeland street	12	Fire escape, dwelling	400
Sotiros Harris	15 and 17 Hurlcroft avenue	17	Alterations, dwelling	175
Norman Chaletzky	2 I street	6	Alterations, dwelling	250
Norman Chaletzky	4 I street	6	Alterations, dwelling	250
G. Willis	27 Linwood street	9	Fire escape, dwelling	325
Gilchrist Company	24 Overland street	21	Sign, warehouse	300
Phineas Marlin	40 S. Huntington avenue	10	Alterations, dwelling	250
George Joseph	64 Whiting street	12	Fire escape, dwelling	400
Joseph Sandler	961 William T. Morrissey Boulevard	16	Sign, store	425

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following changes in status:

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

John J. Kearney, 101 West Walnut park, Roxbury, from hospital house worker at $50.50 a week to senior hospital house worker at $53 a week.

George Jensen, 31 East Springfield street, from hospital house worker at $55.50 a week to senior hospital house worker at $58 a week.

William Conlon, 12 Hubbardston road, Dorchester, from hospital house worker at $55.50 a week to senior hospital house worker at $58 a week.

Thomas Connelly, 97 Trenton street, East Boston, from hospital house worker at $50.50 a week to senior hospital house worker at $53 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Survey Division.

John J. Ryan, 129 Wrentham street, Dorchester, from assistant civil engineer at $108.25 a week to senior designing engineer (Highways) (temporary) at $113 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Ruby Davis, 168 Walnut avenue, Roxbury, from clerk and typist at $45.50 a week to statistical machine operator (key punch) (temporary transfer) at $48 a week.

Marion Sheehan, 37 Larchmont street, Dorchester, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior bookkeeper (temporary transfer) at $55.50 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following promotions:

AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

Edward M. Herlihy, 1 Oriole street, West Roxbury, from senior accountant (temporary) at $94 a week to senior accountant at $94 a week.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

Timothy J. O'Connor, 29 Sherman road, Chestnut Hill, from chief traffic engineer (temporary) at $136.75 a week to chief traffic engineer (permanent) at $136.75 a week.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

William J. McCarron, 160 Dorchester street, South Boston, from elevator inspector at $83.50 a week to chief elevator inspector (temporary transfer) at $94 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Sanatorium Division.

John W. McDonald, 44 Chandler street, from senior hospital laundry worker (temporary promotion) at $53 a week to senior hospital laundry worker (permanent promotion) at $53 a week.

Long Island Division.

Annie M. Hickey, Long Island Hospital, from supervisor of nurses at $83.50 a week to assistant superintendent of nurses at $87 a week.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Margaret L. Bowen, 26 Gates street, South Boston, from clerk-typist at $50.50 a week to senior clerk-typist (temporary, six months) at $55.50 a week.

Marion E. McAdam, 43 Belmont street, Charlestown, from senior clerk-typist at $63 a week to principal account clerk (temporary) at $60.50 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following leaves of absence:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Mary V. O'Toole, 19 Mt. Vernon street, Dorchester, senior statistical machine operator, $58 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Mary T. Kenney, 128 G street, South Boston, senior clerk and typist, $63 a week.

Marie J. Tincy, 83 Brattle street, Cambridge, public health nurse, $70.50 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Joseph Coakley, 1106 Harrison avenue, hospital house worker, $50.50 a week.

South Division.

John H. Logan, 113 Hampden street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker $43 week.

Walter J. Granigan, 20 Prescott street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 week.

Sanatorium Division.

Frances Feeney, 447 East Eighth street, South Boston, registered graduate nurse, $73 a week.

Sylvia Cavanaugh, 44 Bay State road, North Quincy, registered graduate nurse, $73 a week.

James Gillespie, 83 Richmond street, Dorchester, hospital house worker, $50.50 a week.

John Alessi, 454 East Third street, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $50.50 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Patrick Flavin, 9 Bloomfield street, Dorchester, social work supervisor, $81.70 a week.

STEP-RATE INCREASES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved step-rate increases for employees of the following departments:

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Daniel Sullivan, boiler maintenance man, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Survey Division.

Charles D. Sullivan, senior clerk, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Joyce E. Campbell, clerk and stenographer, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Charles D. Sullivan, principal clerk and stenographer (temporary), from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Water Division.

Marino Bodi, water shut-off man, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Robert M. Fitzgerald, clerk and typist, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award the contracts for work, materials, and supplies, in accordance with recommendations of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Purchasing Division.

Upon February 9 the Mayor approved a contract with A. Steiert & Son, Inc., for furnishing broom wire to the Sanitary Service of the Public Works Department. Approximate total amount of contract was $7,632, net.

Bids, opened January 31, were as follows:

Broom Wire.

Fifteen Tons Gutter Broom Wire, .125x .025x26 Inches Long, Per Ton.—New England Broom and Supply Company, $555; A. Steiert & Son, Inc., $498.60*; Allied Steel Company, Inc., $685.80 ($34.29 per 100 pounds), f.o.b. New York; Thomas N. Stokes & Co., $489.80, .090x.025; R. G. Mearn Company, Inc., $640.

Discount.—New England Broom and Supply Company, one half of 1 per cent; A. Steiert & Son, Inc., net, 30 days; Allied Steel Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Thomas N. Stokes & Co., net, 30 days; R. G. Mearn Company, Inc., one half of 1 per cent, 10 days, net, 30 days.

Delivery.—New England Broom and Supply Company, 5 tons, 10 days, 10 tons, 30 to 60 days; A. Steiert & Son, Inc., approximately 5 to 10 days; Allied Steel Company, Inc., 30 to 60 days; Thomas N. Stokes & Co., 6 to 8 weeks; R. G. Mearn Company, Inc., 3 to 4 weeks after receipt of order.

Remarks.

A. Steiert & Son, Inc.—The above price is for delivery of entire quantity to one destination at one time. If orders are to be placed for delivery of lesser quantities at one time, the following schedule of prices shall apply: (*a*) for shipments of 23,000 pounds or over, $498.60 per ton (same as above); (*b*) under 23,000 pounds but over 6,000 pounds, $504.80 per ton; (*c*) under 6,000 pounds but over 2,000 pounds, $506.80 per ton; (*d*) under 2,000 pounds, $508.80 per ton.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon February 9 the Mayor approved a contract with Dooley Brothers, Inc., for furnishing cinders to the various city departments, from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, inclusive. Approximate total amount of contract was $3,500, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids, opened February 3, were as follows:

Cinders.

Approximately 2,000 Cubic Yards Cinders to Be Delivered as Ordered.

District A, South Boston and City Proper, Per Cubic Yard.—Joseph P. McCabe, Inc., $1.71; Dooley Brothers, Inc., $1.75.*

District B, Roxbury, West Roxbury and Hyde Park, Per Cubic Yard.—Joseph P. McCabe, Inc., $2; Dooley Brothers, Inc., $1.75.*

District C, Charlestown and East Boston, Per Cubic Yard.—Joseph P. McCabe, Inc., $2; Dooley Brothers, Inc., $1.75.*

District D, Dorchester, Ashmont, and Franklin Park, Per Cubic Yard.—Joseph P. McCabe, Inc., $1.74; Dooley Brothers, Inc., $1.75.*

District E, Brighton, Per Cubic Yard.—Joseph P. McCabe, Inc., $2; Dooley Brothers, Inc., $1.75.*

Deer Island, Per Cubic Yard.—Joseph P. McCabe, Inc., $2; Dooley Brothers, Inc., $1.75.*

Discount.—Joseph P. McCabe, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Dooley Brothers, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon February 9 the Mayor approved a contract with lowest bidders for furnishing loam to various locations for the Parks and Recreation Department, from April 1, 1955, to December 31, 1955, inclusive. Approximate total amounts of awards were as follows:

Contract for: Sylvester A. Ray, $7,973.79, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Order for: Milano Brothers, Inc., $139.50, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids, opened February 3, were as follows:

Loam.

Item 1. East Boston and Charlestown, Approximately 62 Cubic Yards, Per Cubic Yard.—Sylvester A. Ray, $2.45; Weymouth Development Company, $2.88; Allstate Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., $2.49; Michael W. Lach, $3; Milano Brothers, Inc., $2.25*; Norwell Sand and Gravel Company, $5.

Item 2. South Boston and Dorchester, Approximately 415 Cubic Yards, Per Cubic Yard.—Sylvester A. Ray, $2.19*; Weymouth Development Company, $2.69; Allstate Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., $2.49; Michael W. Lach, $2.25; Milano Brothers, Inc., $2.25; Norwell Sand and Gravel Company, $5.

Item 3. Roxbury and Back Bay, Approximately 725 Cubic Yards, Per Cubic Yard.—Sylvester A. Ray, $2.19*; Weymouth Development Company, $2.79; Allstate Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., $2.49; Michael W. Lach, $2.60; Milano Brothers, Inc., $2.25; Norwell Sand and Gravel Company, $5.

Item 4. West Roxbury, Franklin Park, and Brighton, Approximately 1,015 Cubic Yards, Per Cubic Yard.—Sylvester A. Ray, $2.19*; Weymouth Development Company, $2.61; Allstate Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., $2.49; Michael W. Lach, $2.40; Milano Brothers, Inc., $2.25; Norwell Sand and Gravel Company, $5.

Item 5. Hyde Park Golf Course, Approximately 250 Cubic Yards, Per Cubic Yard.—Sylvester A. Ray, $2.19*; Weymouth Development Company, $2.49; Allstate Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., $2.49; Michael W. Lach, $2.40; Milano Brothers, Inc., $2.25; Norwell Sand and Gravel Company, $5.

Item 6. Brighton, Approximately 106 Cubic Yards, Per Cubic Yard.—Sylvester A. Ray, $2.19*; Weymouth Development Company, $2.74; Allstate Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., $2.49; Michael W. Lach, $2.75; Milano Brothers, Inc., $2.25; Norwell Sand and Gravel Company, $5.

Item 7. Boston Common and Public Garden, in Small Trucks to Beds, Approximately 130 Cubic Yards, Per Cubic Yard.—Sylvester A. Ray, $2.19*; Weymouth Development Company, $3.49; Allstate Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., $2.49; Michael W. Lach, $3; Milano Brothers, Inc., $2.25; Norwell Sand and Gravel Company, $5.

Item 8. Cemetery Division, Approximately 1,000 Cubic Yards, Per Cubic Yard.—Sylvester A. Ray, $2.19*; Weymouth Development Company, $2.44; Allstate Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., $2.49; Michael W. Lach, $2.40; Milano Brothers, Inc., $2.25; Norwell Sand and Gravel Company, $5.

Discount.—Sylvester A. Ray, 2 per cent, time of payment; Weymouth Development Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Allstate Sand and Gravel Company Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Michael W. Lach, 2 per cent, time of payment; Milano Brothers, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Norwell Sand and Gravel Company, 2 per cent, time of payment.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon February 9 the Mayor approved a contract with Portland Stone Ware Company for furnishing Portland cement to the various city departments, from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, inclusive. Approximate total amount of contract was $14,115, net.

Bids, opened February 1, were as follows:

Portland Cement.

Approximately 3,000 Barrels Portland Cement, Per Barrel of 376 Pounds Net Weight.—Portland Stone Ware Company, 43.5 cents*; J. P. O'Connell Company, 75 cents.

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Published Dealers Cost Per Barrel of 376 Pounds Net as Established in Boston Switching Area at Time of Shipment, Price on Opening Day of Bid.—Portland Stone Ware Company, $4.37*; J. P. O'Connell Company, $4.37.

Minus a Discount Per Barrel, Time of Payment.—Portland Stone Ware Company, 10 cents; J. P. O'Connell Company, 10 cents.

* Contract awarded.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Upon February 9 the Mayor approved a contract with D. M. McCartin Company for interior and exterior painting at the Theodore Parker School. Bids, opened February 7, were as follows:

D. M. McCartin Company, $1,272; General Painting Company, $1,590; R. Van Putten & Sons, $1,648; R. Tweed & Son, $1,673; Hass & Lepore, Inc., $1,800; R & F Painting Company, $1,890; Master Craft Company, $1,895; H. Piken & Co., $1,900; Doll Painting Company, $1,935; Nicholas Bello, $1,950; John M. Kennedy & Co., Inc., $2,128; T. Mickle & Sons, $2,175; Max Cahn, $2,400; Lester L. Bateman, $3,987.

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Upon February 9 the Mayor approved a contract with R. Tweed & Son for interior painting at the Jamaica Plain High School:

R. Tweed & Son, $1,073; Doll Painting Company, $1,085; R & F Painting Company, $1,190; Hass & Lepore, Inc., $1,250; H. Piken & Co., $1,300; Nicholas Bello, $1,372; John S. Leonard, $1,375; T. Mickle & Sons, $1,375; John M. Kennedy & Co., Inc., $1,429; Max Cahn, $1,600.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

The School Committee has approved proposals for furnishing diploma cases for Boston public schools. Bids, opened Thursday, January 20, were received from the following concerns:

John H. Boole Company, John R. Marquard Company.

Award was made to the lowest responsible bidder, as follows:

John R. Marquard Company, $1,465.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

Upon varying dates as indicated the Mayor approved contracts with commercial houses, contractors, etc., for furnishing labor and supplies to the city departments. Communications from heads of the departments interested were as follows:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.
Purchasing Division.

BOSTON, February 10, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

In accordance with the provisions of the letter approved by your Honor on January 26, 1954, authority is requested to award contracts, without public advertisement, to the following companies for furnishing perishable foods to the various city departments from February 15, 1955, to March 31, 1955, inclusive:

Lampert Beef Company, Inc., 69 South Market street, Boston; Union Beef Company, Inc., 131 Newmarket square, Boston.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, February 10, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

In accordance with the provisions of the letter approved by your Honor on January 24, 1955, authority is requested to award contracts, without public advertisement, to the following companies for furnishing perishable foods to the various city departments from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, inclusive:

Lampert Beef Company, Inc., 69 South Market street, Boston; Union Beef Company, Inc., 131 Newmarket square, Boston.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

BOSTON HOUSING AUTHORITY.

BOSTON, February 2, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The Authority has requested bids for surveys of various multiple-dwelling projects which are owned by the City of Boston, pursuant to the provisions of the Acts of 1946, Chapter 372, as amended. Bids were as follows:

1. Farragut Road Project.—Whitman & Howard, $350; Henry F. Bryant, $440.
2. Columbia Road and P Street Project.—Whitman & Howard, $410; Henry F. Bryant, $470.
3. Willis Street Project.—Whitman & Howard, $410; Henry F. Bryant, $525.
4. Victory Road and Adams Street Project.—Whitman & Howard, $435; Henry F. Bryant, $480.
5. Arborway Project.—Whitman & Howard, $975; Henry F. Bryant, $975.

The Authority at its most recent meeting awarded a contract for this work to Whitman & Howard, 89 Broad street, Boston, on the basis of their bid as submitted.

These bids were not advertised publicly because of the nature of the services involved. However, bids were requested of four representative engineering firms in the City of Boston and the Authority received bids from the above firms.

It is requested that you approve the award of this contract, without public advertising, for reasons above stated.

Very truly yours,

JAMES J. MAHAR,
Chairman.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

BOSTON, February 10, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

I respectfully request your Honor's approval of my selection of Thomas F. McDonough, 25 Huntington avenue, Boston, Mass., as architect for the construction of an elementary school in the Rice-Franklin District, such school to be located on the site of the English High School, at a total estimated cost of construction of $1,770,000.

As there is a universally accepted standard rate for professional architectural services established by the American Institute of Architects I ask your approval of my procedure of dispensing with public advertising in the *City Record* as it is considered that nothing would be gained by public advertising.

All details of architectural fees, payments, etc., will be included in the formal contract.

The appropriation for this work was approved by the School Committee on February 7, 1955, and the work authorized.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES H. MOONEY,
Superintendent of Construction.

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BOSTON, February 11, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

SUBJECT: Edward Southworth School Building.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

I urgently request your Honor's authority to allow me to proceed to correct an extremely dangerous condition on an exterior masonry wall and piers supporting the gable end of building in the rear elevation. Movement of and fractures in the wall and the supporting piers of the gable, to the extent that the bond has been broken and piers are out of plumb, have caused me to take immediate action to stabilize the structure to prevent collapse.

The structural condition is so serious I have found it necessary to eliminate, temporarily, the entrance below fractured masonry as a means of egress from the building.

The D. Antonellis Company, 15 Sparhawk street, Brighton, engaged in general contract work on another part of the building, has been engaged to do the emergency stabilizing work necessary, and I ask your authority to enter into a contract with them, without advertising, to rebuild the affected parts of masonry and roof structure, on a labor and materials basis, at a cost not to exceed $5,800. Inspections will be made of the work daily and cost and time records kept by this department.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES H. MOONEY,
Superintendent of Construction.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, February 1, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

I respectfully request your authorization to dispense with a public solicitation of proposals in the *City Record* and to award a contract to H. D. Lockhart, 35 Hale street, Hyde Park, Mass., providing for the servicing of Long Island Hospital for the control of vermin.

The aforementioned firm has done this work for the past four years. The Lockhart Company services the hospital once each week at a cost of $100 a month.

During the past four years that the Lockhart Company has serviced Long Island Hospital, the hospital has been completely free from all types of vermin and rodents. It is my opinion that nothing would be gained by publicly advertising for bids for performance of this work.

Respectfully yours,

RICHARD J. CONDON,
President, Board of Trustees of the Hospital Department.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

REGISTRY OF DEEDS.

BOSTON, February 14, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

I hereby request your authorization to dispense with public advertising in the *City Record* and to engage the services of Thomas Groom & Co., Inc., 105 State street, Boston, Mass., by contract in a total sum not to exceed $3,695.60, to bind in blank book bindings, whip or cross stitch for single sheets and for folded sheets, 20 pages to a folder, certain books and indexes, as requested during the period April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, in the quantities and at the prices set forth below:

100 1955 Record Books at $19.60 each.....	$1,960 00
10 1955 Registered Land Books at $20.15 each..	201 50
21 1954 Grantor Classified Index at $21 each.....	441 00
6 1954 Grantee Classified Index at $13.85 each...	83 10
40 volumes of Consolidated Index at $25.25 each...	1,010 00
Total.....	$3,695 60

This company has carried out this kind of service on behalf of the Registry of Deeds over a span of 35 to 40 years, and its work has been of the very highest quality. Since the proposed prices for the work are fair and compare favorably with the rates of others engaged in such work in this area, I am confident that this firm will continue to maintain its high standards. It is not felt that any advantage would be derived by publicly advertising for proposals for this work.

Respectfully yours,

LEO J. SULLIVAN,
Register of Deeds.

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BOSTON, February 15, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

I hereby respectfully request from your Honor written authority to dispense with publicly advertising for bids and, following the effective date of the 1955 budget, to enter into separate contracts with the Recordak Corporation, 99 Bedford street, Boston, Mass., for the furnishing of microfilm in rolls at a cost of $6.47 per roll to the Suffolk County Registry of Deeds, and with Photostat Corporation, 175 Dartmouth street, Boston, Mass., for the furnishing to this Registry of 160 rolls, 11¼ inches x 300 feet, Grade HH, photostat photographic paper, Byron Weston Linen Record Duplex, at $49.85 per roll, and 70 rolls, 11¼ inches x 350 feet, Grade R, photostat photographic paper at $20.85 per roll; both contracts being for the period commencing with April 1, 1955, and ending March 31, 1956.

The approximate total amount contemplated for expenditure under the proposed contracts is, in the case of Recordak Corporation, based on an estimated requirement of 400 rolls of microfilm at a cost of $2,588, plus up to $50 return shipping charges, making a total of $2,638; and, in the case of Photostat Corporation, on an anticipated need of 160 rolls, 11¼ inches x 300 feet, Grade HH, photostat photographic paper, Byron Weston Linen Record Duplex, and 70 rolls, 11¼ inches x 350 feet, Grade R, photostat photographic paper at a cost of $9,435.50.

The aforementioned firm, Recordak Corporation, has supplied the Registry with most of the same materials for the past several years, and their products have been consistently of the very highest quality. Furthermore, it has been found advantageous to use materials supplied by this firm because the microfilm machine used was purchased from the Recordak Corporation.

Service for the machines is an important part of the operation, and the Photostat Corporation from which the two photostat machines were purchased has agreed to service same and supply all parts necessary free of charge so long as the paper is purchased from said company.

Respectfully yours,

LEO J. SULLIVAN,
Register of Deeds.

REGISTRY OF PROBATE.

BOSTON, February 9, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MAYOR HYNES:

Permission is requested to award to the Photostat Corporation, Rochester, New York, a contract for the purchase of photostat photographic paper, developer, and acid fixer in an amount not to exceed $5,000, without advertising for bids. Said paper, developer, and acid fixer are for use in the photostat machine in this department.

No other company can furnish said materials, so that there is nothing but expense to be gained by advertising.

I urge your favorable consideration.

Respectfully yours,

ARTHUR W. SULLIVAN,
Register of Probate.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Burgess & Blacher Company for roofing and metal work at the William B. Rogers School, from February 28, 1955, to March 31, 1955. This extension was requested because of extreme cold weather and severe labor shortage for this type of work.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with J. E. Morin for hurricane emergency roofing work at the Roger Clap School, from February 28, 1955, to May 30, 1955. This extension was requested because of inclement weather conditions.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with J. E. Morin for hurricane emergency roofing work at the Mather School, from February 28, 1955, to May 31, 1955. This extension was requested because of inclement weather conditions.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with J. E. Morin for hurricane emergency roofing work at the Dearborn School, from February 28, 1955, to May 31, 1955. This extension was requested because of inclement weather conditions.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Albany Contracting Company, dated July 28, 1954, for cleaning catch basins in various locations in the City of Boston, from February 13, 1955, to April 30, 1955. This extension was requested because the contractor has been delayed due to winter weather conditions.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

SOCIAL WORKER, LONG ISLAND DIVISION, BOSTON HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, MARCH 26, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday March 7, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $65.50 a week; the maximum salary is $80 a week.

Vacancies: At present there is one vacancy for a male, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: Under supervision, to perform professional social case work; as a paramount duty, to apply the provisions of the laws pertaining to aid to the aged and to the totally disabled; and to perform related work as required.

Examples of Duties: Taking applications and interviewing patients to determine eligibility for Old Age Assistance and Disability Assistance; contacting private agencies, hospitals, the Veterans' Administration, and other agencies; in cooperation with public relief agencies, securing glasses, dentures, artificial limbs, and other appliances recommended by hospital physicians for patients; interviewing patients for admission to the Long Island Hospital Rehabilitation Program, and obtaining information (family history, employment, education, veteran status, health, etc.) in order to assist the psychiatrist in giving psychitherapy treatment; upon the request of the psychiatrist, referring patients for physical examination; interviewing patients for employment and making referrals to the Division of Employment Security; contacting and visiting the homes of relatives of patients in order to arrange for their futures with their families.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants must have at least one year of satisfactory full-time paid employment in the practice of social case work in an agency maintaining acceptable standards. *Substitution:* Successful completion of one year of full-time training in a recognized graduate school of social work may be substituted for the required experience.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

MUNICIPAL BOND PROPOSALS.

State and municipal bond proposals reported during June as approved by 239 municipalities in 31 states and Alaska totaled $173,811,935, as compared with $113,704,950 for June, 1953, the Bond Buyer reports . . . Jones Beach Parkway Authority in New York has been ordered to show cause why the 10-cent toll on the portion of the Southern State Parkway now completed should not be discontinued. Basis of the suit, it is said, is a claim that all of the highway must be completed before any tolls can be collected.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, occasioned by building foundation construction, for a period estimated to be thirty (30) days, parking of vehicles is prohibited in the following street, effective February 10, 1955:

Ipswich Street, Boston Proper.
South side, from the easterly property line of No. 132 Ipswich street to the underpass at Charlesgate West.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, occasioned by the demolition of the English High School building, for a period estimated to be thirty (30) days, parking of vehicles is prohibited in the following streets, effective February 10, 1955:

Dartmouth Street, Boston Proper.
East side, from Warren avenue to Montgomery street.
Montgomery Street, Boston Proper.
North side, from Dartmouth street to the property line of the Clarendon Street Baptist Church.
Warren Avenue, Boston Proper.
South side, from Dartmouth street to the property line of Fire Engine House No. 22.

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Voted, That the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective February 21, 1955:

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out the following:

Bird Street, Dorchester.
North side, from Columbia road to Hancock street, 24 hours.
Foundry Street, South Boston.
West side, from a point two hundred and fifty (250) feet north of the Broadway Underpass to a point one hundred (100) feet south of Macallen street, 24 hours.
Warren Street, Roxbury.
East side, from Zeigler street to a point one hundred (100) feet north of Zeigler street, 24 hours.
Washington Street, Boston Proper.
East side, from Kneeland street to Summer street, 24 hours.
East side, from Summer street to Franklin street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Franklin street to State street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," each of the following:

Chauncy Street.
Southeast side, from Summer street to Bedford street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Washington Street.
East side, from Kneeland street to State street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," the following:

Everett Street.
West side, from the north property line of No. 52 Everett street to North Beacon street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Bird Street.
North side, from Virginia street to Hancock street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Hyde Park," the following:

Business Street.
Both sides, from a point three hundred and seventy (370) feet northeast of Reservation road to a point four hundred and eighty-five (485) feet northeast of Reservation road, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," each of the following:

Magazine Street.
Northwest side, from Kemble street to Norfolk avenue, 24 hours.
Norfolk Avenue.
Northeast side, from the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Bridge to Hampden street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "South Boston," each of the following:

Ellery Street.
Northeast and east sides, from Boston street to Southampton street, 24 hours.
Foundry Street.
West side, from a point two hundred and fifty (250) feet north of the Broadway Underpass to West Fourth street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by striking out the following:

Chauncy Street, Boston Proper.
Southeast side, from Summer street to Bedford street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 6, Part 3 (Restrictions in Cent and Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by striking out the following:

Dorchester Avenue, Dorchester.
Both sides, from Richmond street to Adams street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Warren Street, Roxbury.
East side, from Palmer street to a point one hundred (100) feet north of Zeigler street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Zeigler street to Dudley street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 6, Part 3 (Restrictions in Cent and Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Dorchester Avenue.
Both sides, from Richmond street to Washington street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 6, Part 3 (Restrictions in Cent and Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Warren Street.
East side, from Palmer street to Dudley street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by striking out the following:

Water Street, Charlestown.
From Navy Yard to Warren avenue.

Article VII, Section 2 (Heavy Commercial Vehicles Excluded), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Valley Road.
From Dorchester avenue to Washington street.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION. (STATE SERVICE.)

NOTE.—Applicants are advised to file applications early. In event of a tie on the eligible list, the applicant who filed his application first will be given precedence.

MAINTENANCE FOREMAN, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH, MARCH 26, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, March 7, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $3,720 a year; the maximum salary is $4,440 a year.

Vacancies: At present there is one vacancy for a male at North Reading State Sanatorium, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: Under general direction, in a public health institution, to have responsible charge of the construction, repair, and alterations of buildings and building appurtenances; when so assigned to have charge of grounds maintenance, maintenance of filter beds, sidewalks, roads and fire lanes, etc.; and to perform related work as required.

Examples of Duties: Planning the maintenance work to be performed, estimating costs, laying out the work, and supervising the carpenters, painters, masons, mechanics, and handymen other than electricians, plumbers, motor equipment repairmen, and mechanical handymen engaged in the care, alteration, or repair of institution buildings, grounds, facilities, or equipment; supervising the repair of furniture and cabinet making; supervising the maintenance of lawns, shrubbery, orchards, woodlands, sidewalks, roads, and refuse disposal; supervising snow removal and related work.

The following are required: Specific knowledge of building repairs and maintenance and general knowledge of groundskeeping and of machinery repairs.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants must have at least five years of full-time paid experience in general maintenance work, including (*a*) one year in a supervisory capacity as an assistant foreman or similar position involving general maintenance. *Substitution:* Graduation from a recognized technical school with major work in engineering may be substituted for three of the five years required, but not for the specified (*a*) experience.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, February 7, 1955.

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 2 P.M., President HURLEY in the chair, and all the members present.

The Reverend Thomas More Nicastro, O.F.M., Christopher Columbus High School, was escorted to the rostrum.

INVOCATION BY REV. THOMAS MORE NICASTRO.

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost. Amen.

Eternal God and understanding Father, we pause before this session to direct our thoughts Your way. We realize full well without Your assistance we could never successfully accomplish the purpose for which we are here assembled. In all our operations, then, may we be mindful of Your presence. May our intellect be keen, our will so firm as never to be influenced by friends or allurement of profits, but, in everything we attempt, may we always consider the people who have elected us to this office. May never thing we do never make them ashamed of their decisions in electing us; on the contrary, may it always justify the trust they have placed in us. What is more, dear God, give us the strength to continue our good work in spite of the constant criticism heaped upon us.

In all things may we ever keep before us our allegiance to God, and we will never forget our allegiance to our people.

This is our prayer, and please, God, answer it. Amen.

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost. Amen.

The meeting was opened with the salute to the Flag.

JURORS DRAWN.

Jurors were drawn in the manner prescribed by law, Councillor Foley presiding at the box in the absence of the Mayor, viz.:

Eighty-four traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, to appear March 7, 1955:

Anthony T. Abbatessa, Ward 1; Reginald Blowers, Ward 1; Joseph E. Bois, Ward 1; Charles Correia, Ward 1; Albert Grady, Ward 1; Gladys K. Miller, Ward 1; Emilio H. Smaldone, Ward 1; John D. Graham, Ward 2; Mar. C. Harrington, Ward 2; John A. Whelan, Ward 2; Anthony F. Fiocca, Ward 3; Charles Morris, Ward 3; Margaret Nylander, Ward 4; Ralph Logan Allen, Ward 5; Charles Dooley, Ward 5; Malcolm A. Stebbins, Ward 5; Francis B. Dempsey, Ward 6; Edward F. McCarron, Ward 6; Charles J. Sladcavitch, Ward 6; Richard S. Campbell, Ward 7; Bernard J. Gearon, Ward 7; Thomas C. Hayes, Ward 7; Patrick J. King, Ward 7; William W. Thomson, Ward 7; Thomas J. McKenna, Ward 8; John J. Dorgan, Ward 9; Richard J. Simonette, Ward 9; Terence Cremin, Ward 10; Catherine M. Dwyer, Ward 10; Richard J. Gaynor, Ward 11; Robert J. Higgins, Ward 11; Raymond G. Kennedy, Ward 11; Abraham A. Blass, Ward 12; Ralph E. Halpin, Ward 12; Edward F. Harrington, Ward 12; Volney J. Kavanaugh, Ward 12; Paul J. Shelton, Ward 12.

Edward Anderson, Ward 13; Carl A. Carlson, Ward 13; John F. Horn, Ward 13; Arthur E. Jones, Ward 13; Thomas F. Joyce, Ward 13; Arthur J. Smith, Ward 13; Alec Allen, Ward 14; Helen Goldstein, Ward 14; Charles Rich, Ward 14; Herbert Smith, Ward 14; Gabriel Solomon, Ward 14; Walter F. Bennett, Ward 15; Floyd B. Macdonald, Ward 15; Charles V. McLaughlin, Ward 15; John S. Shields, Ward 16; Joseph R. Beoson, Ward 17; Harry Bloom, Ward 17; Harvey F. Brooks, Ward 17; Edward W. Gillespie, Ward 17; Edward J. Logan, Ward 17; Alexander Nolan, Ward 17; Harold Trachtenberg, Ward 17; Aaron Vigevano, Ward 17; Thomas P. Green, Jr., Ward 18; George L. Marcotte, Ward 18; James F. McMahon, Ward 18; John E. Bermingham, Ward 19; Thomas J. Buttimer, Ward 19; John Currie, Ward 19; Frederic F. Jones, Ward 19; Dorothy T. Slowe, Ward 19; Caroline M. Tryon, Ward 19; Frederic W. Bunker, Ward 20; Edward P. Cray, Ward 20; Carleton W. Crook, Ward 20; Ruth F. Montague, Ward 20; Mary R. Mulvey, Ward 20; Archie E. Thistle, Ward 20; Bengt Aronson, Ward 21; William J. Dacey, Ward 21; Edward Goldfarb, Ward 21; Houston T. Hughes, Ward 21; Evelyn Murphy, Ward 21; Leslie Swerling, Ward 21; Gerard A. Duggan, Ward 22; Mary E. Kenney, Ward 22; Charles E. McDermott, Ward 22.

One hundred forty-two traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, to appear March 7, 1955.

Arthur E. Brown, Ward 1; Frank Goldberg, Ward 1; Anthony Gomes, Ward 1; Walter James Harding, Ward 1; John A. Hunter, Ward 1; Frank Messina, Ward 1; Ida Wolfson, Ward 1; Mary J. Coffey, Ward 2; Robert F. Doherty, Ward 2; James F. Flynn, Ward 2; Frank A. Hingston, Ward 2; Maurice J. Mahoney, Ward 2; Deeb M. Deeb, Ward 3; Nicholas George, Ward 3; Frank A. Halliday, Ward 3; Angelo Sicari, Ward 3; Carroll J. Smith, Ward 3; Betty M. Armistead, Ward 4; Edward J. Brown, Ward 4; Carl Olaf Helgesen, Ward 4; John J. Downey, Ward 5; Alice Fringelin, Ward 5; R. H. Ives Gammell, Ward 5; Bjorne Johansen, Ward 5; John J. Morley, Ward 5; Helene M. Robinson, Ward 5; Raymond S. Stoddard, Ward 5; Louis R. Swan, Ward 5; Harold J. Bowman, Ward 6; Peter Colombo, Ward 6; John Hurtable, Ward 6; Charles L. Kuhn, Ward 6; Robert E. Tynan, Ward 6; Albert Alex, Ward 7; Walter J. Braudis, Ward 7; Harold S. McMahan, Ward 7; Francis C. Nagle, Ward 7; Pauline Standante, Ward 7.

Ralph J. Deveau, Ward 8; Francis J. Kennedy, Ward 8; Richard Kenny, Ward 8; Amos William Gibson, Ward 9; John W. Fay, Ward 10; Mary A. Grenham, Ward 10; Robert B. Higgins, Ward 10; Walter J. Lambert, Ward 10; John P. Malone, Ward 10; Charles C. Morrison, Jr., Ward 10; Robert S. Schlopp, Ward 10; Joseph E. Calnan, Ward 11; Paul N. Darly, Ward 11; Edward G. Jager, Ward 11; Marjorie Lee, Ward 11; Yves Herve LeRu, Ward 11; Joseph F. Linse, Ward 11; Walter J. Saschc, Ward 11; George H. Sprague, Ward 11; Ralph J. Banks, Ward 12; Benjamin Brown, Ward 12; John C. Chandler, Ward 12; Albert Dennis, Ward 12; Sarah E. Ferry, Ward 12; Robert V. Fineh, Ward 12; James Gatling, Ward 12; William Gottlieb, Ward 12; Walter I. Jeffress, Ward 12; Coleman Katz, Ward 12; James I. Murrell, Ward 12; John J. O'Brien, Ward 12; Ralph Seele, Ward 12; Manuel Sibitt, Ward 12; Stanley E. Weisman, Ward 12; Abraham Zushu, Ward 12; J. William Allard, Ward 13; William G. Ewert, Ward 13; Fa. McCarthy, Ward 13; Joseph M. Moran, Ward 13; George W. O'Brien, Ward 13; Julius M. Berman, Ward 14; Carmine Carchia, Ward 14; Hyman Finkel, Ward 14; Joseph Lipman, Ward 14; Morris Milgram, Ward 14.

Thomas F. Cawley, Ward 15; Charles J. Cogin, Ward 15; Joseph F. Horne, Ward 15; Patrick G. La Bollita, Ward 15; Wilfred F. LeBlanc, Ward 15; Marie Susi, Ward 15; Peter G. Atell, Ward 16; Helen C. Callahan, Ward 16; Charles C. Fagan, Ward 16; Thomas F. Gallagher, Ward 16; Thomas J. Gilrain, Ward 16; Glenn F. Kennedy, Ward 16; Ambrose J. March, Ward 16; Roger G. Pierce, Ward 16; Barnet Blender, Ward 17; Roger W. Chin, Ward 17; Martha Garber, Ward 17; Thomas P. O'Connor, Ward 17; Frank Thomas, Ward 17; Mary E. Bowe, Ward 18; Leo Ciesiels'i, Ward 18; Gertrude Freid, Ward 18; Mary Kelleher, Ward 18; Leonard L. Maida, Ward 18; George P. Schaaf, Ward 18; John F. Strand, Ward 18; Stephen V. Tierney, Ward 18; John B. Blotto, Ward 19; Bernard J. Carty, Ward 19; Helen R. Francis, Ward 19; James W. Gibbons, Ward 19; James J. Griffin, Ward 19; Henry F. Hagman, Ward 19; Frank H. Hannon, Ward 19; Michael A. Lawton, Ward 19; John J. Mitchell, Ward 19; Peter Cosma, Ward 20; Kathleen P. Curran, Ward 20; James A. Doherty, Ward 20; Theodore J. Eichwald, Ward 20; Louis Fiorcotino, Ward 20; Michael J. McManus, Ward 20; Vincent J. Meyer, Ward 20; Richard L. Whiting, Ward 20; Esther Applebaum, Ward 21; Carl J. Boloski, Ward 21; Ralph H. Fenner, Ward 21; Barney Mould, Ward 21; Victor H. Nobile, Ward 21; Albert M. Rowean, Ward 21; Dwight S. Strong, Ward 21; James E. West, Ward 21; Joseph B. Wright, Ward 21; Kenneth P. Burk, Ward 22; Edward J. Carlis, Ward 22; Anthony J. Drago, Ward 22; Peter Flaherty, Ward 22; Edward P. Klotz, Ward 22; Alton B. Parker, Ward 22.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR.

Subject to confirmation by the Council, the Mayor submitted the following appointment:

Constable with authority to serve civil process upon filing of bond, for the term ending April 30, 1955: Paul H. McCarthy, 19 Savin Hill court, Dorchester.

Referred to the Committee on Confirmations.

COMMITTEE TO STUDY GROUP INSURANCE AND ACCIDENT AND HEALTH PLANS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, January 31, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

Your order of January 24 calls for the appointment of a committee of three to investigate all phases of group insurance, accident and health plans, and the possibility of the adoption of a program of employer-employee contributory insurance.

As I understand the situation, our present authority is limited to appropriations for payments of premiums for group insurance. Accident, health, and other benefits must be the subject of further legislation.

The Director of Administrative Services has given this matter some thought and will make a report on the subject sometime after the budget has been passed. In view of this, and in view of the fact that one of the primary functions of the Administrative Services Board is to make studies of this nature, I would suggest that this matter remain with the Administrative Services Board for study and report.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

Coun. AHEARN in the chair.

INSPECTION OF GAS MAINS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, February 7, 1955

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the vice president of the Boston Consolidated Gas Company, relative to your order of January 24, 1955, concerning the inspection of their gas mains throughout the city, for the purpose of detecting leaks.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

Boston Consolidated Gas Company,
February 3, 1955.

Mr. Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.

Dear Mr. Flemming:

This reply is in regard to your communication of January 27, 1955, addressed to the president of our company, concerning the following order that was passed in the City Council under date of January 24:

"Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be requested, for reasons of public safety, to ask the officials of the Boston Consolidated Gas Company to inspect their gas mains throughout the city, especially where land is settled, for the purpose of detecting leaks."

We are pleased to advise you that this company has for many years maintained a continuous system of inspection and safety control for the purpose of detecting leaks and this system is in accordance with the highest standards of gas distribution maintenance.

Respectfully yours,
A. W. JOHNSTON, Vice President.

Placed on file.

ORDINANCE RE CLEAR HEIGHT OF CLASSROOMS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, February 7, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I am in receipt of a communication from the Building Commissioner in which he calls attention to the need for a change in the provisions of the Boston Building Code relative to the clear height of classrooms in the schools.

The Building Commissioner is recommending that the code be changed.

I therefore submit herewith an ordinance which will accomplish the change recommended by the Building Commissioner, and I recommend the adoption of the ordinance by your Honorable Body.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Building Department, February 1, 1955.

To the Honorable the Mayor and City Council of the City of Boston.

Gentlemen:

In accordance with the provisions of chapter 479 of the Acts of 1938, as amended by chapter 217 of the Acts of 1939, as Building Commissioner of the City of Boston I recommend the adoption of the accompanying ordinance which will strike from paragraph (a) of section 507 of the Boston Building Code the second sentence, providing, with respect to schools, that "the windows shall preferably be in the long side of a room and the width of a room shall not be more than twice the clear height" and will insert in place of such second sentence the following two sentences: "The windows shall preferably be on the long side of a room. The clear height of a room shall not be less than ten feet."

This change is recommended to bring the requirements for classroom lighting into conformity with accepted practice elsewhere in the Commonwealth and in practically the entire United States. The ten-foot clear ceiling height is basic in modern classroom construction. Modern architectural design with large areas of glass incorporated into exterior walls and in the roofs of one-story buildings provides natural light far beyond the requirements of law. Modern ventilating systems function in such a satisfactory manner that a classroom height in excess of ten feet confers no advantage, but does add materially to the cost.

Respectfully,
CHARLES A. CALLAHAN,
Building Commissioner.

City of Boston.
In the Year Nineteen Hundred and Fifty-five.
An Ordinance Relative to the Clear Height of Classrooms in Schools.

Be it ordained by the City Council of Boston, as follows:

Paragraph (a) of section 507 of the Acts of 1938 is hereby amended by striking out the second sentence and inserting in place thereof the following sentences: "The windows shall preferably be on the long side of a room. The clear height of a room shall be not less than ten feet."

Referred to the Committee on Ordinances.

LEASE OF PORTION OF MUNICIPAL BUILDING, DORCHESTER.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, January 26, 1955.

To the Honorable City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication received from George P. Donovan, Assistant Commissioner of Real Property, relative to the leasing of certain portions of the premises of the Municipal Building, 500 Columbia road, Dorchester, to the United States of America for local draft board purposes, and recommend adoption of the accompanying order by your Honorable Body.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Real Property Department,
February 1, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.
Dear Mr. Mayor:

Portions of the first floor of the Municipal Building, 500 Columbia road, Dorchester, are presently occupied by the local draft board pursuant to a lease which expired December 31, 1954. The General Services Administration of the United States of America has requested that it be permitted to lease this space for draft board purposes for a term of one year commencing January 1, 1955, and renewable for an additional year at an annual rental of $2,500.

I respectfully request your Honor to submit to the City Council an order which will authorize the execution of a lease with the United States of America for the above-stated purposes.

Respectfully,
GEORGE P. DONOVAN,
Assistant Commissioner.

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Whereas, The City of Boston is the owner in fee of premises at 500 Columbia road in the Dorchester district of the City of Boston, in the care, custody, control, and management of the Assistant Commissioner of Real Property of the City of Boston; and

Whereas, The United States of America desires to lease space in said building for office and related uses; now, therefore, it is hereby

Ordered, That the Assistant Commissioner of Real Property of the City of Boston be, and he hereby is, authorized, with the approval of the Mayor of the City of Boston, to execute and deliver to the United States of America an indenture of lease whereby the City of Boston leases to the United States of America approximately one thousand two hundred forty (1,240) square feet of space in two adjacent rooms on the first floor, together with the free use of one thousand sixty (1,060) square feet of space located on the first floor of the Municipal Building, located at 500 Columbia road in the Dorchester section of the City of Boston, Mass., for the term of one (1) year beginning with the first day of January 1955, for a yearly rental of two thousand five hundred dollars ($2,500) per annum, or two hundred eight and 33/100 dollars ($208.33) per month, renewable from year to year by the United States of America at the same rental, but in no event for a period beyond December 31, 1956, and the City of Boston to provide heat, water, and general janitor service, said lease to be terminable by the United States of America at any time upon thirty (30) days' notice. Said lease may contain such further terms and conditions as in the opinion of the Assistant Commissioner are required and not inconsistent with the foregoing.

Referred to the Committee on Public Lands.

LEGISLATION PROVIDING FURTHER ESTABLISHMENT OF OFF-STREET PARKING FACILITIES.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, February 7, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

Among the measures filed with the Clerk of the Massachusetts House of Representatives on or before December 1, 1954, for consideration of the Legislature at its current session was a petition by me for legislation authorizing the City of Boston to borrow outside the debt limit an additional $10,000,000 for off-street parking facilities.

In 1946 the Legislature authorized a $5,000,000 City of Boston Parking Facilities Loan. With the proceeds of this loan, the city acquired five off-street parking sites and built the structure at Essex and Lincoln streets. Two other structures were built by persons holding 40-year leases from the city. This provided approximately 2,300 car spaces in downtown Boston, and left a balance of $500,000. A minimum of 5,200 more downtown car spaces are required in addition to the areas beneath the Central Artery and the garage under Boston Common. The land for these additional spaces will cost about $4,000,000. If the city must build the structures, the expense thereof will be an estimated $11,500,000 more. The $5,000,000 additional Parking Facilities Loan authorized in 1951 will cover the acquisition of the land, leaving $1,000,000 to be applied to construction. The legislation sought will provide the remaining $10,000,000 for construction.

Under the provisions of Joint Rule 7B of the Legislature, a measure such as the petition described above cannot be admitted for consideration unless approved by the Mayor and City Council. Submitted herewith is a resolve to meet this requirement. I respectfully urge its adoption by your Honorable Body.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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Resolved, That the petition of John B. Hynes, Mayor of the City of Boston, for legislation providing further for the establishment of off-street parking facilities in the City of Boston, be, and the same hereby is, approved; provided that any such legislation enacted includes a referendum to the Mayor and City Council.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

LEGISLATION PROVIDING RESTORATION OF CERTAIN RETIRED VETERANS TO ACTIVE DUTY IN SERVICE OF CITY OF BOSTON.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, February 7, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

Among the measures filed with the clerk of the Massachusetts House of Representatives on or before December 1, 1954, for consideration of the Legislature at its current session was a petition by me for legislation enabling the restoration of certain retired veterans to active duty in the service of the City of Boston.

Between June 10, 1954, and September 8, 1954, many veterans who had been in the city's service for thirty years and were members of the Boston Retirement System retired to guard against a failure of the Legislature to amend chapter 627 of the Acts of 1954 to restore their right to retire under the veterans' noncontributory retirement statute, which had been taken away by said chapter 627. The purpose of the legislation sought is to permit the re-employment of these veterans within a limited time if circumstances warrant it.

Under the provisions of Joint Rule 7B of the Legislature, a measure such as the petition described above cannot be admitted for consideration unless approved by the Mayor and City Council. Submitted herewith is a resolve to meet this requirement. I respectfully urge its adoption by your Honorable Body.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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Resolved, That the petition of John B. Hynes, Mayor of the City of Boston, for legislation enabling the restoration of certain retired veterans to active duty in the service of the City of Boston, be, and the same hereby is, approved; provided that any such legislation enacted includes a referendum to the Mayor and City Council.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committee named, viz.:

Claims.

Mary Baldasari, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 112 Salem street.

John J. Bonner, for compensation for damage to car by fire apparatus.

Commercial Street Tavern, Inc., for compensation for damage to property at 468 Commercial street, caused by defective sewer system.

Vincent Fiore, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect at 290 Lexington street, East Boston.

Thomas C. Harrington, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect in Walley street, East Boston.

Thomas J. Hoar, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Sanitary Division, Public Works Department.

Francis Jago, Richard Jago, Daniel Mullen, and Barbara Miller, for compensation for damage to property and injuries by city truck.

Helen Maresco, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 216 Tremont street.

Henry J. O'Brien, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Sewer Division, Public Works Department.

Nathan Rittenberg, doing business as Terminal Motor Mart, for compensation for damage to property at 210 Albany street, Boston, caused by negligence of Water Division.

William Stafford, for compensation for damage to property at 280 Cornell street, Roslindale, during sidewalk resurfacing.

Albano Tassinari, for compensation for damage to property by vehicle of Police Department.

(*Continued on page 236.*)

BUDGET FOR 1955

(See issue of *City Record*, February 12, 1955, for letter of transmittal by the Mayor and statement by the Director of Administrative Services.)

APPROPRIATIONS AND TAX ORDERS FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR 1955.

Ordered, That to meet the current expenses payable during the financial year beginning with the first day of January, 1955, for performing the duties and exercising the powers devolved by statute or ordinance, or by vote of the City Council during the year, upon the City of Boston, or County of Suffolk, or the departments or officers thereof, the respective sums of money specified in the tables and schedules hereinafter set out be, and the same are, hereby appropriated for the several departments and for the object and purposes hereinafter stated.

Ordered, That the appropriation for Water Service, current expenses, and the payment to the state, under the provisions of chapter 488 of the Acts of 1895, and acts in addition or amendment thereto, and for the interest and debt requirements or for loans issued for water purposes, be met by the income of said works and any excess over income from taxes; that the appropriation for the Sumner Traffic Tunnel be met by the income from tolls and any excess over income from taxes, in accordance with the provisions of section 11, chapter 297, of the Acts of 1929, as amended by chapter 74 of the Acts of 1935; that appropriations for the maintenance and operation of parking meters and the regulation of parking and other traffic activities incident thereto, be met by the income from parking meter fees; that the other appropriations hereinafter specified be met out of the money remaining in the treasury at the close of business on December 31, 1954, exclusive of the money raised by loan or needed to carry out the requirements of any statute, gift, trust or special appropriation; by the income of the financial year beginning January 1, 1955; by taxes on the polls and estates in the City of Boston; and by the proceeds of any duly authorized loans.

Ordered, That all sums of money which form no part of the income of the city, but shall be paid for services rendered or work done by any department or division for any other department or division, or for any person or corporation other than the City of Boston, be paid into the general treasury, and that all contributions made to any appropriation be expended for the objects and purposes directed by the several contributors thereof.

Ordered, That all taxes raised to meet the appropriations of the city, and all taxes assessed for meeting the city's proportion of the state tax for the year 1955, or for any other taxes or assessments payable to the Commonwealth, shall be due and payable on July 1, 1955. Interest shall be charged at the rate of 4 per cent per annum and computed from October 1, 1955, on all real estate and personal property taxes remaining unpaid after November 1, 1955, and assessed and payable in the year 1955, before said November 1, 1955, until such taxes are paid. All interest which shall have become due on taxes shall be added to and be part of such taxes.

Ordered, That except as the appropriation for any purpose or item shall be increased by additional appropriations or transfers lawfully made, no money shall be expended by any department for any of the purposes or items designated in the tables and schedules hereinafter set out in excess of the amount set down as appropriated for such specific purpose or item.

CITY BUDGET

APPROPRIATION	Total	1 Personal Services	2 Contractual Services	3 Supplies and Materials	4 Current Charges and Obligations	5 Equipment	7 Structures and Improvements	8 Land and Non-Structural Improvements to Land	Special Appropriations
GENERAL GOVERNMENT									
LEGISLATIVE AND EXECUTIVE									
1-01-11 Mayor, Office Expenses	$128,340 00	$94,180 00	$6,500 00	$8,260 00	$19,000 00	$400 00	—	—	—
1-01-94 Conventions and Entertainment of Distinguished Guests	75,000 00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	$75,000 00
1-01-95 Public Celebrations	120,000 00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	120,000 00
1-13-77 U. S. Bond Allotment Plan	37,500 00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	37,500 00
1-13-78 Civic Improvement Committee	12,750 00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	12,750 00
1-01-12 City Council	132,620 00	121,140 00	5,230 00	5,600 00	200 00	450 00	—	—	—
1-01-13 City Council Proceedings	15,000 00	—	15,000 00	—	—	—	—	—	—
ELECTIONS									
1-01-21 Election Department	473,026 00	337,421 00	112,780 00	18,575 00	4,000 00	250 00	—	—	—
FINANCE									
1-01-31 Auditing Department	315,605 00	286,000 00	6,805 00	17,700 00	4,900 00	200 00	—	—	—
1-01-36 Assessing Department	700,381 00	582,722 00	93,185 00	21,849 00	2,350 00	275 00	—	—	—
1-01-37 Collecting Division, Treasury Department	244,893 00	189,200 00	12,000 00	37,674 00	5,180 00	839 00	—	—	—
1-01-38 Treasury Division, Treasury Department	210,061 00	157,000 00	29,475 00	13,025 00	10,249 00	312 00	—	—	—
1-01-39 Board of Sinking Fund Commissioners, Treasury Department	2,700 00	2,150 00	—	400 00	150 00	—	—	—	—
ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES									
1-01-40 Administrative Services Department	1,034,597 00	756,177 00	146,473 00	115,070 00	1,162 00	815 00	—	—	15,000 00
LAW									
1-01-51 Law Department	413,672 00	327,782 00	77,550 00	5,570 00	1,970 00	800 00	—	—	—
RECORDING AND REPORTING									
1-01-61 City Clerk Department	84,942 00	74,677 00	4,000 00	5,893 00	192 00	180 00	—	—	—
1-01-62 City Documents	28,000 00	—	28,000 00	—	—	—	—	—	—
PLANNING									
1-01-70 City Planning	84,815 00	78,060 00	4,910 00	1,080 00	590 00	175 00	—	—	—
GENERAL GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS									
1-01-80 Real Property Department	1,111,836 00	740,706 00	238,903 00	48,135 00	82,992 00	800 00	—	—	—
MISCELLANEOUS GENERAL GOVERNMENT									
1-01-91 Boston Retirement Board	108,112 00	87,217 00	16,695 00	3,900 00	210 00	90 00	—	—	—
1-01-93 Finance Commission	60,000 00	47,350 00	2,675 00	525 00	9,150 00	300 00	—	—	—
PUBLIC SAFETY									
POLICE									
1-02-11 Police Department	13,759,000 00	12,925,000 00	421,000 00	390,200 00	9,000 00	13,800 00	—	—	—
FIRE									
1-02-21 Fire Department	10,086,351 00	9,380,000 00	261,500 00	376,515 00	6,391 00	61,948 00	—	—	—
PROTECTIVE INSPECTION AND REGULATION									
1-02-30 Building Department	648,686 00	612,721 00	26,680 00	8,875 00	110 00	300 00	—	—	—
MILITARY AND CIVILIAN DEFENSE									
1-02-41 Civil Defense Activities	75,308 00	53,958 00	17,000 00	4,350 00	—	—	—	—	—
OTHER									
1-02-51 Boston Traffic Commission	695,656 00	532,621 00	66,900 00	87,750 00	685 00	7,700 00	—	—	—
1-02-52 Licensing Board	108,075 00	87,279 00	4,340 00	5,365 00	10,641 00	450 00	—	—	—
PUBLIC WORKS									
1-03-00 Public Works Department	10,214,889 00	5,199,702 00	4,255,648 00	333,490 00	11,640 00	5,909 00	$388,500 00	$20,000 00	
HEALTH									
1-05-00 Health Department	1,846,613 00	1,562,646 00	211,655 00	64,275 00	3,287 00	4,750 00	—	—	—
HOSPITALS									
1-06-00 Hospital Department	16,064,081 00	11,915,000 00	667,725 00	3,178,100 00	9,603 00	133,653 00	150,000 00	10,000 00	—
PUBLIC WELFARE									
GENERAL WELFARE									
1-07-10 Welfare Department	21,923,638 00	1,608,885 00	174,403 00	113,638 00	20,023,716 00	2,996 00	—	—	—
AID TO NEEDY VETERANS									
1-07-40 Veterans' Services Department	1,876,038 00	309,360 00	9,373 00	6,464 00	1,550,420 00	421 00	—	—	—
LIBRARIES									
1-10-11 Library Department	3,267,340 00	2,600,000 00	170,100 00	326,090 00	100,000 00	71,150 00	—	—	—
PARKS AND RECREATION									
1-11-00 Parks and Recreation Department	3,422,179 00	2,629,244 00	284,055 00	300,710 00	11,015 00	25,125 00	20,000 00	152,000 00	—
MISCELLANEOUS									
1-13-31 Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements	275,000 00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	275,000 00
1-13-41 Workmen's Compensation Service	34,859 00	34,119 00	190 00	500 00	50 00	—	—	—	—
1-13-42 Workmen's Compensation	180,000 00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	180,000 00
1-13-61 City Record, Publication of	53,741 00	8,541 00	45,000 00	200 00	—	—	—	—	—
1-13-74 Pensions and Annuities—City	4,250,000 00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4,250,000 00
1-13-79 Boston Rent Board	36,000 00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	36,000
1-23-31 Snow Removal	400,000 00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	400,000 00
1-25-11 Federal Public Health Program	8,324 00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	8,324
1-33-73 Reserve Fund	150,000 00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	150,000 00
1-71-58 Boston Housing Authority	27,000 00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	27,000 00
GRAND TOTAL	$94,796,631 00	$53,340,758 00	$7,415,750 00	$5,500,078 00	$21,878,883 00	$334,088 00	$558,500 00	$182,000 00	$5,586,574 00

COUNTY BUDGET

Appropriation	Total	1 Personal Services	2 Contractual Services	3 Supplies and Materials	4 Current Charges and Obligations	5 Equipment	Special Appropriation
GENERAL GOVERNMENT							
ELECTIONS							
4-01-22 Apportionment Commission	$5,200 00	—	—	—	—	—	$5,200 00
FINANCE							
1-01-38 Treasury Division, Treasury Department	5,629 00	$5,629 00	—	—	—	—	
RECORDING AND REPORTING							
4-01-65 Registry of Deeds	432,685 00	407,785 00	$6,900 00	$17,000 00	$700 00	$300 00	
GENERAL GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS							
4-01-82 County Court House (Custodian)	595,892 00	483,323 00	71,400 00	41,164 00	5 00	—	
1-01-84 Buildings Division, Real Property Department	190,281 00	149,421 00	31,920 00	7,940 00	600 00	400 00	
CORRECTION							
CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTIONS							
4-08-11 Jail	416,348 00	325,170 00	13,798 00	76,100 00	1,065 00	215 00	
4-08-12 Central Office, Penal Institutions Department	75,041 00	73,831 00	417 00	765 00	28 00	—	
4-08-13 House of Correction, Penal Institutions Department	825,719 00	475,319 00	23,950 00	318,200 00	7,000 00	1,250 00	
4-08-14 Middlesex County Training School	100,000 00	—	—	—	—	—	100,000 00
JUDICIAL							
CENTRAL COURTS							
4-12-11 Supreme Judicial Court	91,691 00	76,891 00	13,350 00	1,150 00	100 00	200 00	
4-12-12 Superior Court, General Expenses	93,798 00	88,178 00	1,295 00	1,325 00	—	3,000 00	
4-12-13 Clerk's Office, Superior Court, Civil Session	675,445 00	435,000 00	225,882 00	14,000 00	163 00	400 00	
4-12-14 Criminal Session, Superior Court	527,957 00	290,000 00	227,025 09	8,020 00	112 00	2,800 00	
4-12-15 Municipal Court, City of Boston	847,726 00	778,000 00	32,300 00	35,615 00	911 00	900 00	
4-12-16 Boston Juvenile Court	93,200 00	85,661 00	5,300 00	1,700 00	289 00	250 00	
4-12-17 Probate Court	58,679 00	21,107 00	18,850 00	18,000 00	22 00	700 00	
4-12-18 Court Officers' Division, Superior Court	339,641 00	328,480 00	1,600 00	9,268 00	293 00	—	
4-12-19 Probation Department, Superior Court, Criminal Session	136,272 00	129,000 00	4,500 00	2,505 00	177 00	90 00	
DISTRICT COURTS							
4-12-21 Municipal Court, Charlestown District	62,079 00	56,634 00	3,000 00	2,120 00	125 00	200 00	
4-12-22 East Boston District Court	66,689 00	60,636 00	2,891 00	2,900 00	97 00	165 00	
4-12-23 Municipal Court, South Boston District	67,560 00	62,936 00	2,574 00	1,700 00	187 00	163 00	
4-12-24 Municipal Court, Dorchester District	104,270 00	97,449 00	3,885 00	2,560 00	176 00	200 00	
4-12-25 Municipal Court, Roxbury District	244,867 00	224,542 00	11,000 00	8,620 00	405 00	300 00	
4-12-26 Municipal Court, West Roxbury District	81,834 00	76,322 00	3,097 00	2,000 00	115 00	300 00	
4-12-27 Municipal Court, Brighton District	54,465 00	49,329 00	1,625 00	3,025 00	86 00	400 00	
4-12-28 District Court of Chelsea	72,109 00	66,889 00	2,030 00	2,900 00	115 00	175 00	
MEDICAL EXAMINATIONS							
4-12-31 Medical Examiner Service, Northern Division	42,194 00	36,759 00	3,670 00	1,525 00	—	240 00	
4-12-32 Medical Examiner Service, Southern Division	26,642 00	21,461 00	4,060 00	942 00	179 00	—	
4-12-33 Associate Medical Examiner Service, Northern Division	3,618 00	2,800 00	750 00	60 00	8 00	—	
4-12-34 Associate Medical Examiner Service, Southern Division	3,458 00	2,800 00	605 00	45 00	8 00	—	
OTHER							
4-12-41 Social Law Library	2,000 00	—	—	2,000 00	—	—	
4-12-42 Insanity Cases	56,125 00	—	56,000 00	125 00	—	—	
MISCELLANEOUS							
4-13-75 Pensions and Annuities	155,000 00	—	—	—	—	—	155,000 00
GRAND TOTALS	$6,554,114 00	$4,911,352 00	$773,674 00	$583,274 00	$12,966 00	$12,648 00	$260,200 00

INCOME DEPARTMENTS BUDGET

Appropriation	Total	1 Personal Services	2 Contractual Services	3 Supplies and Materials	4 Current Charges and Obligations	5 Equipment	Special Appropriation
1-01-37 Collecting Division, Treasury Department (Water Service)	$130,000 00	$119,575 00	$200 00	$8,225 00	$2,000 00	—	
1-03-52 Automotive Division, Public Works Department (Water Service)	43,543 00	43,543 00	—	—	—	—	
3-71-11 Sumner Traffic Tunnel, Public Works Department	598,980 00	440,000 00	132,900 00	15,180 00	1,100 00	$9,800 00	
3-71-12 Water Service, Public Works Department	2,475,125 00	1,470,000 00	430,000 00	262,625 00	203,000 00	109,500 00	
3-71-16 Pensions and Annuities	220,000 00	—	—	—	—	—	$220,000 00
GRAND TOTALS	$3,467,648 00	$2,073,118 00	$563,100 00	$286,030 00	$206,100 00	$119,300 00	$220,000 00

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

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APPLICATIONS FOR SHELLFISH PERMIT.

Applications for commercial use shellfish permits were received from the following:

Daniel MacDonald, 16 Port Norfolk street, Dorchester, Ward 16.

Norman W. MacDonald, 16 Port Norfolk street, Dorchester, Ward 16.

Severally referred to the Committee on Licenses.

PETITION FOR RETIREMENT.

The petition of Patrick J. Doherty, correction officer, House of Correction, Penal Institutions Department, for retirement as a veteran, was received.

Referred to the Committee on Claims.

NOTICE OF HEARING BEFORE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES.

Notice was received from the Department of Public Utilities of hearing to be held February 15, 1955, at 11 A.M., on petition of State Department of Public Works, for exemption of certain requirements in construction of bridge over Milton Branch of Old Colony Division of New York, New Haven, & Hartford Railroad.

Placed on file.

COMMUNICATION FROM DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES.

A communication was received from the Department of Public Utilities transmitting copy of order granting petition of Boston Edison Company for locations for pipes, vaults, and cables in Charles street.

Placed on file.

NOTICE OF INTEREST IN CONTRACT.

Notice was received from John Guarino, member of the Board of Examiners, of his interest in the proposed contract for architectural and engineering services in connection with proposed construction of a new elementary school building in the Henry Grew District site and adjacent site of Gordon avenue to Linwood street, Hyde Park.

Placed on file.

President HURLEY in the chair.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFIRMATIONS.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN, for the Committee on Confirmations, submitted the following:

1. Report on appointments by the Mayor (referred January 31) of Martin Eugene Mason and Corless Joseph Hawkes as constables with authority to serve civil process upon filing of bond for the term ending April 30, 1955—recommending that appointments be confirmed.

2. Report on appointments by the Mayor (referred January 31) of Howard Alfred White, Bernard John McNamara, Robert John Dunton, and Thomas Ashe as weighers of goods for the term ending April 30, 1955—recommending that appointments be confirmed.

The reports were accepted, and the question came on confirmation. Committee, Councillors McCormack and White. Whole number of ballots 8, yeas 8, and the appointments were confirmed.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CLAIMS.

Coun. McCORMACK, for the Committee on Claims, submitted the following:

Report on petition of James Greene (referred January 31), janitor at Suffolk County Court House, for retirement as a veteran—recommending passage of accompanying order:

Whereas, James Greene, employed in the service of the County of Suffolk as janitor in the Court House, has made application to be retired under the provisions of section 57 of chapter 32 of the General Laws, as amended; and

Whereas, The said James Greene has submitted to the City Council satisfactory evidence that he is a veteran as defined in section 56 of chapter 32 of the General Laws; that he has been certified for retirement for disability by the duly authorized medical board; that he has been in the service of the county at least ten years; that he is incapacitated for active service; and that his total income from all sources, exclusive of his retirement allowance and of any sums received from the government of the United States as a pension for war service, does not exceed $1,000;

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BUDGET FOR 1955—Continued

COMPARISON TABLES

CITY BUDGET SUMMARY

	1954 Appropriation	1955 Department Estimate	1955 Allowance
GENERAL GOVERNMENT			
LEGISLATIVE AND EXECUTIVE			
Mayor, Office Expenses	$141,982 50	$131,977 64	$128,340 00
Conventions and Entertainment of Distinguished Guests	57,000 00	92,270 00	75,000 00
Public Celebrations	90,000 00	121,221 00	120,000 00
U. S. Allotment Plan	50,000 00	37,684 00	37,500 00
Civic Improvement Committee	5,000 00	13,546 00	12,750 00
City Council	133,567 55	134,060 00	132,620 00
City Council Proceedings	14,800 00	15,000 00	15,000 00
ELECTIONS			
Election Department	471,773 19	484,249 30	473,026 00
FINANCE			
Auditing Department	303,795 66	327,288 00	315,605 00
Assessing Department	655,243 00	720,947 46	700,381 00
Collecting Division, Treasury Department	196,111 00	264,257 00	244,893 00
Treasury Division, Treasury Department	198,516 81	216,351 75	210,061 00
Board of Sinking Fund Commissioners, Treasury Department	2,700 00	2,705 00	2,700 00
ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES			
Administrative Services Department:			
Administrative Division	25,000 00	50,511 00	50,511 00
Personnel Division	27,000 00	39,287 00	39,287 00
Purchasing Division	127,446 73	136,222 10	129,571 00
Budget Division	29,000 00	44,144 00	44,144 00
Printing Section, Purchasing Division	762,048 00	781,898 00	740,533 00
Purchasing Division, Office Supplies Account	—	15,000 00	15,000 00
Art Commission	2,500 00	2,500 00	2,312 00
Complaints Division	—	13,794 27	13,239 00
LAW			
Law Department	462,501 19	425,587 59	413,672 00
RECORDING AND REPORTING			
City Clerk Department	91,413 85	85,637 36	84,942 00
City Documents	28,000 00	28,000 00	28,000 00
PLANNING			
City Planning Board	72,253 63	98,812 00	82,820 00
Board of Zoning Adjustment	2,085 00	2,685 00	1,995 00
Rezoning Study	50,000 00	—	—
GENERAL GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS			
Real Property Department:			
Real Property Division	76,409 93	126,281 30	92,212 00
Buildings Division	1,029,932 73	1,053,262 00	988,041 00
Market Division	30,403 00	31,756 17	31,583 00
MISCELLANEOUS GENERAL GOVERNMENT			
Boston Retirement Board	105,746 86	111,667 00	108,112 00
Finance Commission	60,000 00	60,000 00	60,000 00
PUBLIC SAFETY			
POLICE			
Police Department	13,920,850 00	14,042,545 00	13,759,000 00
FIRE			
Fire Department	10,670,775 75	10,540,915 00	10,086,354 00
PROTECTIVE INSPECTION AND REGULATION			
Building:			
Building Department	595,204 71	719,654 20	614,093 00
Board of Appeals	25,345 60	27,064 00	26,147 00
Board of Examiners	8,495 60	8,941 00	8,446 00
MILITARY AND CIVILIAN DEFENSE			
Civil Defense Activities	62,000 00	97,558 00	75,308 00
OTHER			
Boston Traffic Commission	656,522 50	755,492 97	695,656 00
Licensing Board	103,011 30	110,473 05	108,075 00
PUBLIC WORKS			
Public Works Department:			
Highways and Roadways			
Bridge Service	1,139,403 00	1,165,413 57	955,155 00
Paving Service	1,689,600 00	1,745,146 07	1,455,675 00
Survey Division	253,260 00	137,491 00	125,146 00
Street Lighting			
Lighting Service	1,337,857 50	1,427,197 00	1,422,512 00
Sewers and Sewage Disposal			
Sewer Service	759,201 62	971,913 71	772,027 00
Sanitation			
Sanitary Service	4,989,633 00	4,928,927 00	4,819,933 00
Other			
Central Office	63,130 55	63,081 14	62,225 00
Automotive Division	689,133 00	1,221,724 00	602,216 00
HEALTH			
Health Department:			
Health Division	1,583,251 22	1,747,202 00	1,614,233 00
Registry Division	144,432 05	148,805 51	147,712 00
Weights and Measures Division	89,029 80	91,873 65	84,668 00
HOSPITALS			
General:			
Hospital Department	11,058,115 00	11,525,898 00	11,427,600 00
Tuberculosis			
Sanatorium Division	2,205,779 00	2,398,186 00	2,294,075 00
Other City-Operated Hospitals			
Long Island Hospital Division	2,205,639 00	2,630,725 04	2,312,406 00
PUBLIC WELFARE			
General Welfare:			
Central Office, Welfare Department	21,105,963 15	22,311,059 39	21,834,224 00
Temporary Home	54,094 30	53,328 00	52,498 00
Wayfarers' Lodge	35,196 09	38,055 72	36,916 00
AID TO NEEDY VETERANS			
Veterans' Services Department	1,653,334 00	1,990,238 83	1,869,816 00
Veterans' Graves Registration	14,695 00	6,582 00	6,222 00
LIBRARIES			
Library Department	3,205,655 00	3,342,750 00	3,267,310 00

	1954 Appropriation	1955 Department Estimate	1955 Allowance
PARKS AND RECREATION			
Parks and Recreation Department	$3,175,195 00	$3,387,811 25	$3,119,380 00
Cemetery Division	306,035 00	340,756 10	302,799 00
MISCELLANEOUS			
Executions of Court, etc	260,000 00	275,000 00	275,000 00
Workmen's Compensation Service	34,182 71	36,265 36	34,859 00
Workmen's Compensation	180,000 00	180,000 00	180,000 00
City Record, Publication of	44,723 85	55,000 00	53,741 00
Pensions and Annuities	3,650,000 00	4,250,000 00	4,250,000 00
Boston Rent Board	144,500 00	37,008 00	36,000 00
Snow Removal	400,000 00	400,000 00	400,000 00
Federal Public Health Program	8,336 34	8,324 00	8,324 00
Construction of Buildings	157,000 00	—	—
Reserve fund	150,000 00	150,000 00	150,000 00
Boston Housing Authority	27,000 00	27,000 00	27,000 00
	$94,157,844 37	$99,094,307 50	$94,796,631 00

COUNTY BUDGET SUMMARY

APPROPRIATION	1954 Appropriation	1955 Department Estimate	1955 Allowance
GENERAL GOVERNMENT			
ELECTIONS			
Apportionment Commission	—	$5,200 00	$5,200 00
FINANCE			
Treasury Division, Treasury Department	$5,650 65	5,629 00	5,629 00
RECORDING AND REPORTING			
Registry of Deeds	437,749 13	438,660 43	432,685 00
GENERAL GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS			
County Court House (Custodian)	610,413 04	616,269 00	595,892 00
Buildings Division, Real Property Department (County Buildings)	190,153 35	190,281 00	190,281 00
CORRECTION			
CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTIONS			
Jail	420,512 16	429,298 00	416,348 00
Central Office, Penal Institutions Department	75,332 54	76,570 00	75,041 00
House of Correction, Penal Institutions Department	865,067 89	898,322 00	825,719 00
Middlesex County Training School	70,000 00	103,000 00	100,000 00
JUDICIAL			
CENTRAL COURTS			
Supreme Judicial Court	94,263 17	106,104 55	91,691 00
Superior Court, General Expenses	87,926 66	93,923 00	93,798 00
Clerk's Office, Superior Court, Civil Session	670,169 24	683,645 72	675,445 00
Criminal Session, Superior Court	476,278 25	534,541 00	527,957 00
Municipal Court, City of Boston	848,654 37	881,924 43	847,726 00
Boston Juvenile Court	91,099 59	98,783 00	93,200 00
Probate Court	59,239 50	65,312 00	58,679 00
Court Officers' Division, Superior Court	342,998 60	345,441 00	339,641 00
Probation Department, Superior Court, Criminal Session	134,933 50	145,499 77	136,272 00
DISTRICT COURTS			
Municipal Court, Charlestown District	60,085 22	70,642 27	62,079 00
East Boston District Court	63,380 46	67,721 74	66,689 00
Municipal Court, South Boston District	69,469 54	72,802 72	67,560 00
Municipal Court, Dorchester District	103,810 95	109,036 45	104,270 00
Municipal Court, Roxbury District	241,737 08	258,940 00	244,867 00
Municipal Court, West Roxbury District	76,679 68	83,988 00	81,834 00
Municipal Court, Brighton District	52,019 24	54,865 55	54,465 00
District Court of Chelsea	74,498 67	76,035 05	72,109 00
MEDICAL EXAMINATIONS			
Medical Examiner Service, Northern Division	41,885 02	43,767 00	42,194 00
Medical Examiner Service, Southern Division	26,705 34	26,767 00	26,642 00
Associate Medical Examiner Service, Northern Division	3,632 50	3,928 00	3,618 00
Associate Medical Examiner Service, Southern Division	3,577 50	3,593 00	3,458 00
OTHER			
Social Law Library	2,000 00	2,000 00	2,000 00
Insanity Cases	56,225 00	56,225 00	56,125 00
MISCELLANEOUS			
Pensions and Annuities	165,000 00	157,813 20	155,000 00
GRAND TOTAL	$6,521,147 84	$6,806,528 88	$6,554,114 00

INCOME DEPARTMENTS BUDGET SUMMARY

COLLECTING DIVISION, TREASURY DEPARTMENT (WATER SERVICE)	$186,675 51	$130,000 00	$130,000 00
AUTOMOTIVE DIVISION, PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (WATER SERVICE)	—	43,543 00	43,543 00
SUMNER TRAFFIC TUNNEL, BRIDGE SERVICE, PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT	553,765 00	628,800 10	598,980 00
WATER SERVICE, PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT	2,391,610 00	2,610,106 71	2,475,125 00
PENSIONS AND ANNUITIES	160,000 00	220,000 00	220,000 00
GRAND TOTAL	$3,292,050 51	$3,632,449 81	$3,467,648 00

TWO-YEAR COMPARISON
CITY BUDGET

	1954 Appropriation	1955 Allowance	Increase
PERSONAL SERVICES:			
Permanent Employees	$52,083,072 25	$51,506,701 00	$576,371 25*
Temporary Employees	728,183 15	781,157 00	52,973 85
Overtime	$1,050,400 00	1,052,900 00	2,500 00
TOTAL PERSONAL SERVICES	$53,861,655 40	$53,340,758 00	$520,897 40*

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PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

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Ordered, That under the provisions of section 57 of chapter 32 of the General Laws, as amended, James Greene, employed in the service of the County of Suffolk as janitor in the Court House, be, and hereby is, retired by the Mayor and City Council, acting as county commissioners, at an annual pension of $1,808.73, being 55 per cent of his highest regular rate of compensation.

The report was accepted, and the order was passed.

LEGISLATION TO MAKE PRINCIPAL OF SCHOOL PENSION FUND AVAILABLE FOR PAYMENT OF PENSIONS.

Coun. WHITE offered the following:

Resolved, That the petition of William F. Carr, chairman of the School Committee of the City of Boston, for legislation making the principal of the permanent school pension fund in the City of Boston available for the payment of pensions under the laws relating thereto, be, and the same hereby is, approved, provided that any such legislation enacted includes a referendum to the Mayor and City Council.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

REPORT ON URBAN REDEVELOPMENT.

Coun. PIEMONTE announced that he had been informed by Kane Simonian, the representative of Urban Redevelopment, that he would be unable to make his monthly report on the progress in the West End at today's meeting because of his participation in another matter. He asked to be excused today, but said he would appear at the next meeting of the City Council.

CONSULTANT IN MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS.

Coun. FOLEY and McLAUGHLIN offered the following:

Whereas, The science and administration of government has become increasingly complex and multifaceted; and

Whereas, In the yearly discharge of its duty to examine and decide upon the annual municipal budget, the Boston City Council must delve into all areas of municipal activity in a very short period of time; and

Whereas, The services of a qualified advisor, trained in the field of municipal affairs, would be invaluable; and

Whereas, Such professional assistance is made available to other parliamentary bodies in the discharge of their duties; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Boston City Council hereby requests his Honor the Mayor to permit an appropriation to be added to the annual budget of the Boston City Council for the purpose of retaining the services of a qualified consultant trained in the field of municipal affairs during the period beginning the first Monday in February and ending the first Monday in April of each calendar year.

Coun. FOLEY moved suspension of the rules and adoption of the resolution. The motion to suspend the rules was lost.

On motion of Councillor McCormack the resolution was referred to the Committee on Rules.

PRIVATELY OPERATED OFF-STREET PARKING FACILITIES.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That the Chairman of the Real Estate Board be ordered to reply within fourteen days of the passage of this order:

1. As to the number of privately operated off-street parking spaces in downtown Boston located in positions suitable for shoppers' parking.
2. Whether the charges at such lots are set to encourage short or long-term parking.
3. The number of such off-street parking accommodations presently used for all-day parking.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

INFORMATION ON URBAN RENEWAL PROGRAM.

Coun. FOLEY and McLAUGHLIN offered the following:

Ordered, That, under section 17F of the amended City Charter, his Honor the Mayor be requested to furnish the City Council specific information in answer to the following questions:

1. What progress has been made toward urban renewal for Boston.
2. The estimated date when Boston will have a "workable program" to qualify for federal funds.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

COMMITTEE TO CONTINUE LIAISON WITH VARIOUS CIVIC GROUPS.

In compliance with the order passed January 31, 1955, President HURLEY appointed the following Ad Hoc Committee to continue liaison with various civic groups.

William J. Foley, Jr., chairman, Edward J. McCormack, Gabriel F. Piemonte, Joseph C. White, and Francis X. Ahearn.

LEGISLATION FOR GROUP ACCIDENT AND HEALTH INSURANCE.

Coun. McCORMACK and FOLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor request the Corporation Counsel to draft legislation for presentation to the Great and General Court to amend chapter 239 of the Acts of 1952, which now provides for cities to appropriate money for group life insurance for permanent employees by extending the scope of that law to include group accident and health insurance on a contributory basis.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

AMENDMENT OF COUNCIL RULES.

Coun. FOLEY and McLAUGHLIN offered the following:

Ordered, That rule 25, section 2, of the Rules of the Boston City Council be amended to read "A Committee on Appropriations and Finance, to consist of seven members of the council, to whom shall be referred such appropriations orders as may be submitted to the council from time to time, and all applications for expenditure which involve a loan," and be it further amended by the addition of the following:

"For the purposes of the consideration of the annual municipal budget, the Appropriations and Finance Committee shall be subdivided by the chairman into three subcommittees of two members each, other than the chairman. The chairman of the committee shall be ex officio a member of each subcommittee.

"The chairman of the committee shall designate one member of the subcommittee other than himself as chairman of the subcommittee.

"The municipal and county departments shall be divided by lot amongst the three subcommittees.

"It shall be the responsibility of the chairman of the subcommittee to arrange with the head of each department, at a time mutually convenient, for the examination of the budget of that department.

"It shall be the duty of each subcommittee to prepare a written report of its findings and recommendations with respect to each department assigned to it, such report to be signed by all of the members of the particular subcommittee, and such report to be included in the report on the municipal budget prepared by the Appropriations and Finance Committee for submission to the Council."

Referred to the Committee on Rules.

MEETING OF COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCE.

Coun. HAILER, chairman of the Committee on Appropriations and Finance, announced a meeting of the committee on February 8, 1955, at 10.30 A.M. at City Hall, to consider the $5,000,000 off-street parking loan.

METER PARKING ADJACENT TO AND UNDER FITZGERALD HIGHWAY.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor advise the Council as to the progress in providing meter parking in areas adjacent to and under the Fitzgerald Highway, from North Station to South Station.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON LICENSES.

Coun. HAILER, for the Committee on Licenses, submitted the following:

1. Report on application (referred January 24) for commercial use shellfish permit for Louis Smith—recommending that permit be granted.

2. Report on application (referred January 31) for commercial use shellfish permits for Maurice X. Roche and Lawrence E. Bellows—recommending that permits be granted.

The reports were accepted, and the permits were severally granted under the usual conditions.

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TWO-YEAR COMPARISON—Continued

CITY BUDGET—Continued

APPROPRIATION	1954 APPROPRIATION	1955 ALLOWANCE	Increase
CONTRACTUAL SERVICES	$7,063,258 10	$7,415,750 00	$352,491 90
SUPPLIES AND MATERIALS	5,353,099 00	5,500,078 00	146,979 00
CURRENT CHARGES AND OBLIGATIONS:			
Aid to Dependent Children	4,000,000 00	3,640,000 00	360,000 00*
General Relief	2,488,200 00	2,775,000 00	286,800 00
Old Age Assistance	10,000,000 00	10,700,000 00	700,000 00
Veterans' Benefits	1,350,000 00	1,550,000 00	200,000 00
Aid to Permanently and Totally Disabled	2,500,000 00	2,575,000 00	75,000 00
Child Welfare, State Reimbursements	374,400 00	300,000 00	74,400 00*
All others	329,089 93	338,883 00	9,793 07
EQUIPMENT	627,305 60	334,088 00	293,217 60*
STRUCTURES AND IMPROVEMENTS	832,500 00	558,500 00	274,000 00*
LAND AND IMPROVEMENTS	141,000 00	182,000 00	41,000 00
SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS:			
Rezoning Study	50,000 00	—	50,000 00*
Conventions and Entertainment of Distinguished Guests	57,000 00	75,000 00	18,000 00
Public Celebrations	90,000 00	120,000 00	30,000 00
Snow Removal	400,000 00	400,000 00	—
Federal Public Health Program	8,336 34	8,324 00	12 34*
Board of Recreation	8,500 00	—	8,500 00*
Boston Housing Authority	27,000 00	27,000 00	—
Workmen's Compensation	180,000 00	180,000 00	—
Reserve Fund	150,000 00	150,000 00	—
Pensions and Annuities	3,650,000 00	4,250,000 00	600,000 00
Bond Allotment Plan	50,000 00	37,500 00	12,500 00*
Civic Improvement Committee	5,000 00	12,750 00	7,750 00
Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements	260,000 00	275,000 00	15,000 00
Construction of Buildings	157,000 00	—	157,000 00*
Boston Rent Board	144,500 00	36,000 00	108,500 00*
Office Supplies Account	—	15,000 00	15,000 00
GRAND TOTAL	$94,157,844 37	$94,796,631 00	$638,786 63

* Denotes decrease

TWO-YEAR COMPARISON

COUNTY BUDGET

	1954 APPROPRIATION	1955 ALLOWANCE	INCREASE
PERSONAL SERVICES:			
Permanent Employees	$4,824,699 76	$4,841,768 00	$20,068 24
Temporary Employees	53,314 09	51,584 00	1,730 09*
Overtime	10,169 16	15,000 00	4,830 84
TOTAL PERSONAL SERVICES	$4,888,183 01	$4,911,352 00	$23,168 99
CONTRACTUAL SERVICES	735,567 40	773,674 00	38,106 60
SUPPLIES AND MATERIALS	580,725 13	583,274 00	2,548 87
CURRENT CHARGES AND OBLIGATIONS	13,351 30	12,966 00	388 30*
EQUIPMENT	38,318 00	12,648 00	25,670 00*
STRUCTURES AND IMPROVEMENTS	30,000 00	—	30,000 00*
SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS:			
Middlesex County Training School	70,000 00	100,000 00	30,000 00
Pensions and Annuities	165,000 00	155,000 00	10,000 00*
Apportionment Commission	—	5,200 00	5,200 00
GRAND TOTAL	$6,521,147 84	$6,554,114 00	$32,966 16

* Denotes decrease

TWO-YEAR BUDGET COMPARISON

INCOME DEPARTMENTS

	1954 APPROPRIATION	1955 ALLOWANCE	INCREASE
PERSONAL SERVICES:			
Permanent Employees	$2,115,930 26	$2,006,818 00	$109,112 26*
Temporary Employees	13,000 00	20,800 00	7,800 00
Overtime	42,000 00	45,500 00	3,500 00
TOTAL PERSONAL SERVICES	$2,170,930 26	$2,073,118 00	$97,812 26*
CONTRACTUAL SERVICES	559,315 00	563,100 00	3,785 00
SUPPLIES AND MATERIALS	302,059 00	286,030 00	16,029 00*
CURRENT CHARGES AND OBLIGATIONS	26,579 25	206,100 00	179,520 75
EQUIPMENT	73,167 00	119,300 00	46,133 00
SPECIAL APPROPRIATION:			
Pensions and Annuities	160,000 00	220,000 00	60,000 00
GRAND TOTAL	$3,292,050 51	$3,467,648 00	$175,597 49

* Denotes decrease

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Finance.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

(*Continued from page 238.*)

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC LANDS.

Coun. HAILER, for the Committee on Public Lands, submitted the following:

Report on order (referred March 23, 1953) to arrange for sale of certain land in Squantum to City of Quincy—recommending no further action is necessary.

The report of the committee was accepted.

OPPOSITION TO A SALES TAX.

Coun. HAILER offered the following:

Whereas, The sales tax plan of the State Fiscal Survey Commission is regressive taxation and taxes those with least ability to pay; and

Whereas, Under the proposed tax plan of the State Fiscal Survey Commission the residents of Boston would pay on an estimated basis three times more than the City of Boston would be reimbursed; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, hereby opposes the recommendation of the State Fiscal Survey Commission insofar as a sales tax is concerned.

Referred to the Committee on Legislative Matters.

RATES OF PRIVATE PARKING FACILITIES.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Ordered, That the Corporation Counsel prepare a memorandum of law for the Boston City Council concerning the rights and powers of the City of Boston to fix the rates of those private parking facilities licensed by the municipal government.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

REPEAL OF PARKING CHARGE AT MTA TERMINAL PARKING FACILITIES.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor request the M.T.A. to consider the advisability of repealing the decision to charge 25 cents at the M.T.A. terminal parking facilitiea, and to make such facilities available free of charge to those using the M.T.A.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

RENT INCREASES IN CHAPTER 372 HOUSING UNITS.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Whereas, The Boston Housing Authority voted to increase the rentals charged for those public housing units constructed under chapter 372 of the Acts of 1946; and

Whereas, Such an increase would place a severe hardship on the veteran rental unit occupants, and violate the legislative intent of the Great and General Court in passing this law for the expressed purpose of making the rentals on these units "reasonable," therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Boston City Council go on record as urging the State Housing Board to reject the increase if the said Board has jurisdiction so to do and, further, that the Boston City Council strongly recommends that the Boston Housing Authority give consideration to their vote and rescind the increase voted by their Body; and be it further

Resolved, That copies of this resolution be forwarded to the Boston Housing Authority, the State Housing Authority, and the Departmental Commanders of the American Legion, V.F.W., D.A.V., Amvets, Jewish War Veterans, Polish-American War Veterans, and Italian-American War Veterans.

Referred to the Committee on Public Housing.

CITY HALL AND ANNEX SITES AS CAGE-TYPE PARKING FACILITY.

On motion of Councillor Foley, the Council voted to take from the Calendar, under assignment, No. 1, viz.:

1. Resolution that the City Planning Board consider the advisability of using the present site of City Hall and City Hall Annex for an off-street cage structure parking facility.

The question came on the adoption of the resolution, and the resolution was rejected.

Adjourned at 5.29 P.M., on motion of Councillor White, to meet on Monday, February 14, 1955, at 2 P.M.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

(Stenographic copy of such debate on file in office of City Clerk.)

PROCEEDINGS OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Jan. 10, 1955.

A special meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, at 6:24 P. M., the Chairman presiding.

Present: Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco.

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APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The reading of the minutes of Dec. 20, 1954, was omitted, the Committee approving them as printed.

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AMENDMENT OF MINUTES

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the minutes of Nov. 8, 1954, are hereby amended by striking out under Appointments-From the Eligible List, the appointments of Adam J. Owens, Blackinton-John Cheverus District, and Malcolm P. McLellan, Department of Industrial Arts, and substituting in place thereof the following:

Blackinton-John Cheverus District—Adam J. Owens, teacher, junior high (fourth year salary-$3924-anniversary date Jan. 1), Jan. 17, 1955.

Department of Industrial Arts—Malcolm P. McLellan, shop instructor (third year salary-$3780-anniversary date Dec. 1), Dec. 1, 1954.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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APPROVAL OF STATE-AIDED COURSE

A communication was received from Walter J. Markham, Director, Division of Vocational Education, Massachusetts Department of Education, under date of Jan. 4, 1955, reporting the re-establishment of a Retail Selling Department with a course in Hardware Merchandising in the Boston Evening Distributive Occupation School, located at Boston State Teachers College, has been approved in accordance with plans set forth and submitted in memoranda on file in the office of the Division of Vocational Education in the Department of Education.

If these plans are carried out as submitted, the work of the department in Retail Selling with a course in Hardware Merchandising will be given approval, and the city of Boston recommended for reimbursement under the provisions of Chapter 74 of the General Laws, as amended, reimbursement to date from Sept. 29, 1954.

Placed on file.

TUITION OF NON-RESIDENT PUPILS

Communications were received from Walter J. Markham, Director, Division of Vocational Education, reporting that on the basis of information received, the following tuition rates are approved and effective for non-resident pupils in attendance upon the schools and classes indicated, to take effect Jan. 1, 1955:

Boston Cooperative Distributive Occupations School, $150 per year.

Boston Trade High School, $400 per year.

Boston Trade High School for Girls, $400 per year.

Brighton Day Industrial and Cooperative Schools, $300 per year.

Charlestown Day Industrial and Cooperative Schools, $250 per year.

Dorchester Day Industrial and Cooperative Schools, $300 per year.

East Boston Day Industrial and Cooperative Schools, $300 per year.

Hyde Park Day Industrial and Cooperative Schools, $250 per year.

Jamaica Plain High School (Agricultural Department), $300 per year.

South Boston Day Industrial and Cooperative Schools, $350 per year.

Placed on file.

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IN MEMORIAM

The Superintendent regretfully reported the death on Dec. 15, 1954, of Dr. George J. Oberlander, school physician, Department of School Hygiene.

Placed on file.

The Superintendent regretfully reported the death on Jan. 4, 1955, of Michael J. Downey, Deputy Superintendent Emeritus, who had been retired under the provisions of the Boston Retirement System.

Placed on file.

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The Superintendent regretfully reported the death of the following-named teacher who had been retired under the provisions of the State-Boston Retirement System:

Department of Home Economics — M. Grace Fitzpatrick, Dec. 16, 1954.

Placed on file.

The School Committee requested that a letter of condolence, to be signed by the Secretary, be sent to the bereaved families.

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RETIREMENTS ON PENSION

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Jan. 10, 1955, reporting the retirement from active service of the following-named veterans who have been retired under the provisions of Chapter 32 of the General Laws, as amended:

Jeremiah E. Burke High School for Girls—John A. Dunn, head of department, Dec. 31, 1954, $4118.40 per annum.

Hemenway School — John J. King, senior building custodian, Dec. 28, 1954, $2393.88 per annum.

Minot District—Mary L. MacDonald, teacher, elementary, Dec. 31, 1954, $3205.80 per annum.

Department of School Hygiene —Teresa A. Cohan, school medical aid, Dec. 28, 1954, $1744.48 per annum.

Placed on file.

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RESIGNATIONS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Jan. 10, 1955, reporting the resignations of the following-named teachers, to take effect on the dates stated:

Blackinton-John Cheverus District—Eva Gall, teacher, elementary, Dec. 15, 1954.

Emerson District—Frederick S. Whelton, submaster, Jan. 7, 1955.

Accepted.

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APPOINTMENTS

The following nominations by the Superintendent, certified by him as being in accordance with the rules and regulations, to take effect on the dates stated, were presented:

(FROM THE ELIGIBLE LIST)

Elihu Greenwood District — Veronica C. Murray, teacher, elementary (third year salary—$3780—anniversary date Jan. 1), Jan. 4, 1955.

Department of School Hygiene —Elizabeth J. May, school nurse fourth year salary—$3744—anniversary date Feb. 1), Feb. 14, 1955.

On roll call the rules were suspended and the appointments approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4

NAYS—0

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1

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LIST OF TEACHERS APPROVED FOR TEMPORARY SERVICE

The Superintendent submitted under the provisions of Section 265, paragraph 3 of the regulations, the following list of teachers approved by him from which assignments may be made for temporary service:

Louis J. Amaru, Esther DeMille Barnicle, Virginia Higgins Burke, Margaret Hennessy Callahan, Walter E. Cassidy, Francis X. Cavanaugh, Hilda M. Cefalo, Norbert S. Doyle, Rose Pernice Ferreri, Loretta Gorman Francis, Frances Galvin Gallivan Robert D. Gately, Ira Goldstein, Florence Moody Hayes, Elaine Centracchio Heil, Henry C. Hynds Eleanor Gargan Jordan, Robert G. Kalayjian, Mary Larner Leary, Emmanuel Lembidakis, Arlene Downey Lynch, Charles E. MacDonald, Kathryn M. McKinnon, Alice O'Neil O'Donnell, M. Winifred Lynch Piotti, John J. Puma, Gertrude Appel Quinlan, Lawrence H. Scanlon, Margaret Hession Slattery, Phyllis Barrow Walcott, Anna Whelton, William P. Wright, Jr.

On roll call the list of teachers was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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LEAVES OF ABSENCE

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Jan. 10, 1955,, recommending that leave of absence without pay for maternity be granted the following-named teachers, to take effect on the dates indicated and to continue until terminated by the Superintendent with the approval of the School Committee, provided that such leave shall be for a period of at least three months after the date of birth and provided further that no such leave shall in any event exceed eighteen months:

Dwight District — Alberta Smith, teacher, elementary, Jan. 5, 1955.

Theodore Lyman District—E. Pearl Janszen, teacher, kindergarten, Jan. 11, 1955.

William E. Russell District—Phyllis M. Gibbons, teacher, elementary, Jan. 3, 1955

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the leaves of absence without pay were granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4

NAYS—0

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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DESIGNATIONS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Jan. 10, 1955, reporting that he has made the following designations of teachers, to serve in the positions indicated until such time as they shall be filled otherwise, in accordance with the rules and regulations, but not beyond Aug. 31, 1955:

Dudley District—Sabina H. Ryan, teacher, elementary, as acting vice principal (vice Helen B. Peterson, absent on leave), Sept. 8, 1954.

James J. Chittick District—Joseph F. Devlin, teacher, elementary, as acting submaster (vice Bernard J. Kilroy, absent on leave), Jan. 3, 1955.

Warren District — John J. Healey, teacher, elementary, as acting submaster (vice William F. Minihan, absent on leave), Dec. 20, 1954.

Placed on file.

REPORT ON MARRIED TEACHER

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Jan. 10, 1955, reporting that in accordance with the provisions of Section 283 of the regulations, the following-named female teacher has reported that she was married on the date indicated:

Henry L. Higginson District—Dorothy F. Pugatch, married Dec. 29, 1954, new name Dorothy F. Trafler.

Placed on file.

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APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES TO DEC. 1, 1954

A communication was received from the Business Manager, under date of Jan. 10, 1955, submitting a statement showing the appropriations, the expenditures and the balances for general school purposes and special items for the first eleven drafts of the current fiscal year, the expenditures for the first eleven drafts of the fiscal year 1953, and the increases and decreases in the several items.

Placed on file.

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It was agreed that the following extract from the Conference Notes of this date be printed in the record of the opening meeting:

Mr. Lee made the following statement:

RELIGION IN THE SCHOOLS

"We have grown in numbers, wealth, and power as no other nation has ever grown, but we have forgotten God. We have forgotten the gracious hand that preserved us in peace and multiplied and enriched and strengthened us; and we have vainly imagined, in the deceitfulness of our hearts, that all these blessings were produced by some superior wisdom and virtue of our own. Intoxicated with unbroken success, we have become too self-sufficient to feel the necessity to pray to the God that made us."

That is the statement of Abraham Lincoln.

"It would be peculiarly improper to omit, in this first official act, my fervent supplication to that Almighty Being, who rules over the universe . . . No people can be bound to adore the invisible hand, which conducts the affairs of men, more than the United States."

That is Georg Washington, in his inaugural address—when the Republic started.

Why, now, have we been backsliders?

We have no justification.

For the articles by which we came together as a communion of beings here in Massachusetts enjoin upon us an industrious respect for God.

I read now the opening articles of our agreement.

MASSACHUSETTS CONSTITUTION AND LAW

Preamble

The end of the institution, maintenance, and administration of government, is to secure the existence of the body politic, to protect it, and to furnish the individuals who compose it with the power of enjoying in safety and tranquility their natural rights, and the blessings of life: and whenever these great objects are not obtained the people have a right to alter the government, and to take measures necessary for their safety, prosperity, and happiness.

The body politic is formed by a voluntary association of individuals: it is a social compact, by which the whole people covenants with each citizen, and each citizen with the whole people, that all shall be governed by certain laws for the common good. It is the duty of the people, therefore, in framing a constitution of government, to provide for an equitable mode of making laws, as well as for an impartial interpretation and a faithful execution of them; that every man may, at all times, find his security in them.

We, therefore, the people of Massachusetts, acknowledging, with grateful hearts, the goodness of the great Legislator of the universe, in affording us, in the course of His providence, an opportunity deliberately and peaceably, without fraud, violence, or surprise, of entering into an original, explicit, and solemn compact with each other; and of forming a new constitution of civil government for ourselves and posterity; and devoutly imploring His direction in so interesting a design, do agree upon, ordain, and establish, the following Declaration of Rights, and Frame of Government, as the CONSTITUTION OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

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CONSTITUTION OF MASSACHUSETTS

Article I. All men are born free and equal, and have certain natural, essential, and unalienable rights; among which may be reckoned the right of enjoying and defending their lives and liberties; that of acquiring, possessing, and protecting property; in fine, that of seeking and obtaining their safety and happiness.

Art. II. It is the right as well as the duty of all men in society, publicly, and at stated seasons, to worship the SUPREME BEING, the great Creator and Preserver of the universe. And no subject shall be hurt, molested, or restrained, in his person, liberty, or estate, for worshipping GOD in the manner and season most agreeable to the dictates of his own conscience; or for his religious profession or sentiments; provided he doth not disturb the public peace, or obstruct others in their religious worship.

Art. III. (As now amended by Amendment XI). As the public worship of God and instructions in piety, religion and morality, promote the happiness and prosperity of a people, and the security of a republican government; therefore, the several religious societies of this commonwealth, whether corporate or unincorporate, at any meeting legally warned and holden for that purpose, shall ever have the right to elect their pastors or religious teachers, to contract with them for their support, to raise money for erecting and repairing houses for public worship, for the maintenance of religious instruction, and for the payment of necessary expenses . . . and all religious sects and denominations, demeaning themselves peaceably, and as good citizens of the commonwealth, shall be equally under the protection of the law; and no subordination of any one sect or denomination to another shall ever be established by law.

Art. XVIII. (As now amended by Amendment XLVI) Section 1. No law shall be passed prohibiting the free exercise of religion.

Section 2. All moneys raised by taxation in the towns and cities for the support of public schools, and all moneys which may be appropriated by the commonwealth for the support of common schools shall be applied to, and expended in, no other schools than those which are conducted according to law, under the order and superintendence of the authorities of the town or city in which money is expended: and no grant, appropriation or use of public money or property or loan of public credit shall be made or authorized by the commonwealth or any political division thereof for the purpose of founding maintaining or aiding any school or institution of learning, whether under public control or otherwise, wherein any denominational doctrine is inculcated . . .

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Other laws have been enacted further defining the duties of teachers, in compliance with the above articles of agreement which we call our Constitution.

General Laws, Chapter 71, Section 30— ". . . . All instructors of youth shall exert their best endeavors to impress on the minds of children and youth committed to their care and instruction the principles of piety . . ."

Our Constitution, then, sets forth our duty to worship God. The laws of the Commonwealth, conformingly, require that our teachers impress on our children the principles of piety.

And now comes another law that specifically requires us to teach this Constitution which enjoins upon us the worship of God. In fact, this Constitution of Massachusetts, plus the Federal Constitution, are the only required textbooks in our school that I know of.

Here is the modern law which commands that we teach our own Massachusetts Constitution. It amends Chapter 71, which I just read to you—about teaching piety—by adding some words to Section 2 thereof, as follows:

"In all public, elementary, and high schools, American history and civics, including the Constitution of the United States, and, in all public high schools, the Constitution of the Commonwealth and local history and government, shall be taught as required subjects for the purpose of promoting civic service and a greater knowledge thereof and of fitting the pupils morally and intellectually for the duties of citizenship."

With this wealth of constitutional advice and mandatory legislation, why, then, have we been backsliders?

Now, it may be advanced by some minds, in explanation, that our Constitution is contradictory, or rather that our Constitution stands in contradiction to our General Court's subsequent statutes.

Specifically, it may be advanced that Article XVIII of our amended Constitution, which I read to you—about no public moneys' being allowed for any school in which a denominational doctrine is inculcated—comes into conflict with Section 30 of Chapter 71 in our General Laws, as read you, which commands our teachers to teach piety.

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NO CONFLICT INSIDE MASSACHUSETTS

But no: there is no conflict.

We can teach the Constitution of the Commonwealth with its veneration for God and its summons to us, in Article II, to worship the Supreme Being—a Constitution which we must teach, as a required document, in compliance with a subsequent statute—and, likewise, we can teach piety which a lower section of the same statute requires our teachers to impart, without in either case teaching any denominational doctrine.

Indeed, there is a large store of our human respect for God which is not divided or separated by any denominational creed. Indeed, the Jewish religion ministers to the Christian. It was the foundation of it, upon which Jesus of Nazareth built. He stated himself that he came "not to destroy but to fulfill." He repeatedly cites the "law and the prophets." The doings and teachings of the early Jewish patriarchs and prophets are certainly contained in the Christian Bible as much as the subsequent doings and teachings of Jesus. Each testament ministers to the other.

Likewise, the Mohammedan religion reveres Jesus. Page after page of the Koran is devoted by Mohammed to veneration of the

life and teachings of Jesus—besides, of course, its basic veneration for Abraham and Moses.

In turn, the Hindu religion, from the language of which our English tongue derives, breathes with worship of the Creator of all that exists and does not exist, the Pervader of all being, the Entirety without parts or attachments.

Buddha, an ancient reformer of the Hindu religion, was hailed as "Saint Buddha" by the Christian Church at Rome, when news of his tranquil and devoted unworldliness was brought to Western attention by Venetian navigators.

What excuse, then, have we for skimping in our classrooms that mighty uprush of reverence for God which starts forth in worshippers from all religions without distinction for denominated creed?

The answer is we have no excuse.

We choose textbooks: and these textbooks show little recognition of whose universe this is.

We have simply, as Abraham Lincoln said, "In the deceitfulness of our hearts . . . forgotten God."

Let us hasten to end this deceit.

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UNITED STATES CONSTITUTION THROWS OBSTACLE

But another obstacle soon looms—besides the hardness of our hearts.

To be sure, the Federal Constitution—as distinct from the Massachusetts Constitution, with which alone I have so far treated—originally left it to the several states whether they should make laws establishing and supporting a particular church or not. The first amendment to the Federal Constitution merely talked about Congress, and undertook to say that "Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion or prohibiting the free exercise thereof." In fact, Massachusetts, by the wording of its original third Constitutional article, which I read to you only in its amended form, originally established and required support of a particular religion in Massachusetts up till 1820. There was no interference to such a Massachusetts religion, then or before, from any Federal tribunal.

But in recent times (1925) the United States Supreme Court has begun making the various state governments' treatment of religion the business of the Federal government.

All along, the Federal Government might have taken a hand in State affairs, had certain cases arisen. If a religious cult in Boston had prescribed that its 10 comeliest virgins be thrown to their deaths from the highest building every spring—a human sacrifice so common among early religions—the Federal government probably would have interposed. As it was, in 1879 (Reynolds vs United States, 98 U. S. 145) Chief Justice Waite decided that criminal laws agalnst immorality could be enforced against a member of the Mormon religion who was professing to be conducting himself permissibly within the tenets of his faith.

But it was not until 1925 (Gitlow vs. New York, 268 U. S. 625) that the Federal Government through its Supreme Court went into the business of deciding what a State Government must or must not do in permitting religious practices.

And then it rested more on the Fourteenth Amendment of the Federal Constitution than on the First.

The Fourteenth Amendment of the Federal Constitution says in part that "no state shall make or enforce any law which shall abridge the privileges and immunities of citizens of the United States; nor shall any state deprive any person of life, liberty, or property without due process of law, nor deny to any person within its jurisdiction the equal protection of the laws".

Under this, in 1926, the Supreme Court of the United States (Governor Pierce of Oregon vs the Society of Sisters, 268 U. S. 510) held that the general structure and powers of the government of the states prohibited the enactment of a law which forbade children to attend parochial schools.

Again, in Cantwell vs Connecticut (310 U. S. 296) the Supreme Court at Washington held in 1940 that the Fourteenth Amendment protected religious liberties.

In West Virginia State Board of Education vs Barnette (319 U. S. 624) the Court held in 1943 that members of the Jehovah's Witnesses sect could not be required to salute the flag in violation of their religious principles. Here Justice Jackson said for the Court:

"If there is any fixed star in our constitutional constellation, it is that no official, high or petty, can prescribe what shall be orthodox in politics, nationalism, religion, or other matters of opinion, or force citizens to confess by word or act their faith therein."

In the case of Everson vs Board of Education of New Jersey (330 U. S. 1) the United States Supreme Court in 1947 allowed a local school board to reimburse parents for payments made in transporting children to both public and parochial schools, holding that this was not a direct subsidization of any religion but a method of aiding all parents to get their children to the schools of their own choice.

In McCollum vs. Board of Education of Champaign, Illinois, (333 U. S. 203) a situation had developed where Mrs. McCollum a local taxpayer, had a child in the local public schools, in which religious spokesmen were permitted to use the school buildings during regular hours in order to provide instruction for the pupils in the tenets of their various faiths. Participation in the program was voluntary, and those not participating were sent to other study classes. The Supreme Court of the United States held that this did violate the Constitution of the United States.

Justice Black said for the Court:

"The operation of the State's compulsory education system thus assists and is integrated with the program of religious instruction carried on by separate religious sects. Pupils compelled by law to go to school for secular education are released in part from their legal duty upon condition that they attend the religious classes. This is beyond all question a utilization of the tax-established and tax-supported public school system to aid religious groups to spread their faith . . . And it falls squarely under the ban of the Constitution's First Amendment, made applicable to the states by the Fourteenth . . . For the First Amendment rests upon the premise that both religion and government can best work to achieve their lofty aims if each is left free from the other within its respective sphere."

Where does all this decision-making by the United States States Supreme Court leave us?

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NO COMPULSION ON RELIGION

It leaves us, as I see it, with confirmation of the doctrine, ancient in our Republic but new to the world, that no man in our nation may impose his will on any other man. And, by like reading, no group of men, not even the State itself, may impose its will on any man. Rather the State exists to protect every man from every other man, and to protect every man from the State itself.

In particular, it leaves us with the principle that in America the government cannot set religion up nor pull religion down. Religion is not to be the victim of politicians, either in its establishment or in its suppression.

A church is not to be the creature of the State.

The government—to underscore the First Amendment of the Federal Constitution— "shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion, nor prohibiting the free exercise thereof".

There shall be no compulsion.

The church—a thing without force of arms—may seek to establish the State.

The State — which does have force of arms — shall not use that force of law to establish religion.

Nor shall it use enforcement of law to stop religion.

NO SCHOOLROOM SESSIONS TO BE SET ASIDE FOR RELIGIOUS TRAINING

So, where does this leave religion in Boston classrooms?

We recall that the second article of our Massachusetts Constitution still enjoins on us the "duty . . . to worship the Supreme Being, the Creator and Preserver of the universe."

And we recall that Section 30 of Chapter 71 of our statutes still provides that "all instructors of youth shall exert their best endeavors to impress on the minds of children and youth committed to their care and instruction the principles of piety . . ." though our children shall not receive in public school, under Article XVIII of our amended Constitution, "any denominational doctrine."

One finding in this melee is clear.

Neither under Massachusetts law nor under recent decisions of the United States Supreme Court do we get a green light for establishing in our schools formal classes in religious instruction.

Indeed, we could not give such organized instruction—especially with pupils awarded high or low credits for responsive scholarship —without such formal instruction's soon constituting some kind of religious creed, in conflict with our Massachusetts Constitution.

And we could not then use our Massachusetts law to compel children's attendance at school, nor to extract supporting monies for schools from taxpayers, without its constituting a governmental establishment of religion, in contravention of the Federal Constitution.

Indeed, if "our instructors of youth" are to carry out Massachusetts law, and "exert their best endeavors to impress on the minds of children . . . the principles of piety," they must do so without using their official position to establish religion.

Can they?

Of course, they can.

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UNITED STATES CONSTITUTION NOT ENEMY OF RELIGION

The Constitution gives Congress no particular power to pass a law establishing the sun. But that does not mean that you have to rush into the cellar and pull the shades down. The sun is there already.

And, more specifically, the First Amendment of the Federal Constitution has two parts. It has a first part, and a last part.

The first part says, "Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion."

The last part says, "nor prohibiting the free exercise thereof."

The first part is there not because establishing religion is undesirable.

The first part is there because the free exercise of religion is, verily, desirable: and establishing a religion by law would interfere with the free exercise of religion.

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UNDENIABLE PURPOSE OF EDUCATION

Besides this, it turns out inevitably that the purpose of education is the same as the purpose of life. For we educate for life.

The purpose of life is to make man's thinking at one with God's thinking.

It is, at least, to weave man's thinking into a working wisdom watchful of the worth of God.

It is, surely, to come up with that composure than which there is none more absorbing.

If there is any broader, deeper, higher, more encompassing, or better purpose in life, please tell us quick. I am sure that myself and my colleagues would want to adopt it.

The purpose of public school education is to make the growing man's or woman's thinking mindful of the terms of being.

There is no other direction to move in.

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OUR CLASSROOMS NOW RESERVOIRS OF RELIGION

And so in our classrooms today we do proceed in that very direction. We aim to settle for nothing less.

We swallow the Ten Commandments whole.

We don't teach our children to lie, and rob, and murder, because those things molest the other person's progress—let alone the suit of thorns such meanness weaves around the perpetrator.

We teach our children arithmetic, so that they can conduct a mutual commerce of helpfulness, instead of conducting life by the villainies of violence.

We teach our children to read, for the same reason, and also so that they can partake of the thinking of gracious spirits.

We teach them automobile mechanics, so that they can help other people to get about—and receive those other person's reciprocation for their kindness.

We teach some children to bake, so that they can mercifully supply their fellows with bread —without penalty for their pains.

In America, we clothe each other's nakedness. And we wash each other's feet.

We have multiplied our mercies upon one another. We deliver far more to each other's doorsteps than any other civilization of present or past — and do so without leaving the supplier unrequited.

The public school system is geared to the doctrines of helpfulness, kindness, love, reciprocation, and vouchsafed immunity for each to proceed to the perfectest fulfillments of being.

If this is a public establishment of religion, the crime has been long in progress, and is today in swing.

SEPARATION OF CHURCH AND CHILD

Yet we fall short of our own fulfillment as a school system by pretending that we do not train children for the blessings of wisdom and virtue and grace, and by keeping it a secret from the students what life and education are about. We publicly proclaim a spiritual neutrality.

We are clubbed into this by the phrase, "Separation of church and state."

The phrase "Separation of church and state" may be a good one.

But it occurs in none of our Constitutions.

The only reference to it that I can discover in our body of law occurs in Reynolds vs. United States (above) in which the Supreme Court held that criminal laws against immorality could be enforced against a member of the Mormon sect, and where the decision, prepared by Chief Justice Waite, briefly alluded to a letter from Thomas Jefferson to some people in Danbury, Connecticut, in which Jefferson had said that "It was the purpose of the First Amendment . . . to build a wall of separation between Church and State". (Nevertheless, Jefferson insisted on religion in education and education in religion, as being the most interesting subject there was.)

The wall between church and state, then, was intended to stay the state from butting into religion, not to have the state eradicate religion. It was not to separate the child from religion.

In fact, you could not have separation of church and state if the church wasn't there to be separate.

The vast majority of our teachers in Boston schools heed some religion.

The majority of our children try to heed some religion.

The classroom is clapped between these two.

The teacher's teaching of what he thinks is right, and the child's acceptance of it is largely a product of their several religions.

To avoid that situation you would have to have only atheistic teachers teaching only atheistic children.

And, even at that, it is notable that the atheists themselves are dreadfully concerned too with man's lot in the solemn circle of being.

If a teacher, in any event, should act in our classroom as though there weren't any such thing as religion, and as though the passing patchworks of pedestrian thinking were the only thing that was, and as though there were no eternal arches to cast the eye upon or bow the heart before, at least neither the Massachusetts Constitution nor the Federal Constitution give him any such sweeping power.

He would then be inventing a technological idolatry of his own. —Or perhaps one authorized by his School Committee.

Maybe, a good many textbooks today do give the pupil the impression that salvation lies in the brass monkeys that our mechanical prowess creates. But the Constitutions espouse no such impression.

The fact is that considerations than which there are none larger or longer—call it religion, or what you will—run in the state, through the state, under the state, above the state, and side by side with the state. The only stipulation is that the state shall not mar them by a law for or against.

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WISDOM OF THE AGES NOT MEANT TO BE DRIVEN FROM CLASSROOM

Our Boston school teachers, then, should continue—without Constitutional timidity—to be manifestly mindful in our classrooms of the eternal leewardings alee of life.—Only, with something plus.

That something plus is to make it perfectly clear to the pupils a couple of times a day — no matter what the subject taught — that the purpose of education is the same as the purpose of life, and that the school system does nothing to stop and does its part to help the several pupils toward at-one-ment with the terms of being, of which the finalized forms each can better seek from a preacher of his family's choice.

The borders of our students' thinking and wisdom, then, should be widened, more than now, in the course of his public schooling — without timidity about disregarding our Constitutions.

Man's lot in the immensity of existence should be held up daily in school before the student's eyes.

The very gift of existence should be alluded to more often for classroom contemplation.

It could well be brought out, for instance, in any classroom scrutiny of being, that creation creates causes, if it creates itself.

It is just as unfinal to attribute to a cause the power to produce an effect as it is to attribute to the effect the power to produce itself.

It is a waste of reasoning to say that creation created causes which in turn created creation.

Causes are cross-lines in being —not its creator or Creator.

What, in any case, gave effects the capacity to be, no matter how many causes you choose to attribute to them?

Since things can only be seen by contrast—big by contrast with small, force only in the light of its opposition, a point only in the presence of expanse around it, this moment only by separation from its predecessor, and everything only by the hollow that it fills amongst other things themselves not delineated—how, then, does anything get perceived and what is it that is seen?

Surely, "materialism is the most mystical of all doctrines. It makes a belief in some mythical matter that creates everything out of itself the foundation of everything."

The world did not make mind. The world is what the mind spreads before it. How then can mind be the product of its own output?

These questions, in some form or other, every parent is badgered with, by his young child's exasperating and tireless "why?"

They are not even religion—and certainly not creed.

They are the basic curiosities or equations, of mind and heart, which religion seeks to solve.

That the boundaries of being are as big and elusive as they are should be brought home and not slighted in the classroom.

Philosophical curiosities in the child should not be stamped out or passed over for some superficial preoccupation in the classroom that dodges the basic questions of being—but should be let grow.

Time and space seem to be two diagonals intersecting at each individual's present moment, which lead his mind out to the oneness of totality, which has imagination so rudely slashed with thought.

Our students should come out of school with a sense at least of being citizens of a mighty universe — which they can, in no case, in practice avoid.

The word "holy" was first spelled "wholly," and means the same thing. A "holy" person is a person with a "whole" point of view. Give our children a whole point of view.

While our students' minds, then, should definitely rub up against the basic problems of being, still our teachers should not — and at present they do not — set forth any finalized religious answers known as "creeds," nor any finalized religious ceremonies, because any such wrapped-up finalizations would close doors on the religious freedom of members of the class more than it would leave doors open, let alone the ban placed upon such packaged presentations by our Massachusetts Constitution which would see men led to final religious beliefs by virtue, and not by force of compulsory school attendance.

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FURTHER EXAMPLES FOR KEEPING RELIGIOUS DOORS OPEN IN SCHOOL

TO LESS LOCK RELIGION IN THE DOGHOUSE

I can give some further examples for awakening awareness in the pupil of his place in existence.

I pay tribute first, though, to the present lack of religious fanfare in our schools, which is itself a kind of spiritual humility that our public schools should not want to lose.

For further specific examples of greater ventilation of the spirit, in our classrooms, I bring attention again upon Section 2, as amended, in Chapter 71 of the General Laws—which stipulates that the Constitution of Massachusetts shall be taught as a required subject in our schools. I read this section of the law over, on a previous page, as well as the opening parts of our Constitution. As this Constitution cites God as the disposer of existence, and recites our duty to give heed thereto—and it is the law of our land anyway—I suggest we really do teach the Massachusetts Constitution. Specifically, I suggest that as much time be given to the Massachusetts Constitution—or more—in any year of schooling as we give to the Federal Constitution.

After all, Boston was known in every port of the world for dozens of years before the United States was ever dreamed up in the mind of man. Our Constitution was written years before the United States Constitution. We delegated very few of our powers to the Federal Government. Nine of the other thirteen colonies copied our Constitution, as did the Federal Constitution, at least, to a good extent. Outside of fighting wars and organizing a uniform currency that unites the states, the Federal Government has very little bearing on our lives—except insofar as it has recently encroached upon our local territory in the name of regulating interstate commerce. And the United States Constitution engages in no reference to God, short of the oblique reference in the First Amendment. Let us, then, give the Massachusetts Constitution the place in the hearts of our children that it deserves and that the law requires.

Second, as our children are going to read comic horror books anyway, I suggest they get the real thing. The "Divine Comedy," by an Italian gentleman named Durante, who changed his name to Dante, is on our authorized list. We could use it more. There is as much "comedy" in the fearful "Inferno" as there is in drugstore horror "comics." The child's taste for both is his hankering to plumb the depths and perils of existence—amongst which his schooling gives him no abiding address to turn to in supplication of mercy. Dante's work does. I suggest, specifically, that the "Inferno" be plugged more in our literature courses.

Thirdly, I would suggest that our teachers of economics proceed to teach international trade —if they teach it at all—in the words of Admiral Flavel who lived in the early 1800's. Admiral Flavel put it this way:

"The most wise God has so dispensed his bounty to the several nations of the world, that—one standing in need of another's commodities—there might be a sociable commerce and traffic

maintained amongst them all: and all, combining in a common league, may, by the help of navigation, establish mutual succors to each other.

". . . God hath distributed the more rich and precious gifts and graces of his Spirit among his people: some excelling in one grace, some in another . . . The head cannot say to the feet, 'I have no need of you'.

"There be precious treasure in these earthen vessels(the Admiral is referring to our bodies) for which we should trade by mutual communion. . . . It behoves us to be enriching ourselves by communication of these things that God has dropt into us, and the improvement of them."

The foregoing words of Admiral Flavel are as much as high school boys can absorb of the complicated subject of international trade anyway.

Fourth, it is in the study of natural science that man's relation to existence should be stressed, in our school rooms—but is not.

We want ears. Here they are. We want eyes. They are here. We want teeth. We have them. I am sure I did not make my ears, nor you, yours. For all any of us at this table had to say about it, we might have all been born Egyptian pottery makers three thousand years ago—or been five fish in the Dead Sea—or been nothing.

What fixed our lives in this our time and shape, and not in some other?

All the scientists in the world cannot fabricate one living cell. Yet the marrow of your bones turns out billions every hour.

It is deadening for our high school girls to dissect frogs' legs—except to learn humility in the face of nature's marvels. Our girls are not going to be making any frogs. Students who hope to serve in later life as animal husbandmen or controllers of pests are not looking to high school classrooms for their special training. Except as a lesson in our tiny place among a world of wonders all about—too vast for the mind to more than marvel at—our courses in natural science can only be thinly justified. —Perhaps, farfetchedly, they may forestall some conceivably hurtful crudescence of misinformation in later life.

Our geology classes, especially, should be windows for looking out, with realism, at the might of the world beyond him—before which the pupil should kneel in wonder. A bookshelf long enough to reach from here to Chicago, loaded with one giant encyclopedia of thin pages—with every page representing a thousand years—would give some idea of the age of our local habitation. Meanwhile, we whip around the sun at 17 miles a second. The soil underfoot whirls the United Shoe Machinery Building and the Boston Common around its axis—like a watchfob—every 24 hours. The nearest star is 26,000,000,000,000 miles away. The heavens declare the glory of the Lord, and the firmament sheweth his handiworks. Who can bind the sweet influences of the Pleiades, or loose the bands of Orion? Whereupon are the foundations of the world fastened, and who has given understanding to the inward parts?

If our science teachers cannot talk the language of the Psalmist or the book of Job, they are wasting their time and their pupils'. The veneration that the realistic mind pays to the grandeur of his creation should find expression, not inhibition, in classrooms.

The word "worship" was originally "worth-ship." The pupil's heart and mind should not be kept from bowing before the immeasurable worthship of the creation in which he precariously perches.

In physics classes, the mystery of the gift of time may well be brought up. In the news reels, "Time Marches Forward." But in real life, what? The future is first ahead, then it moves back toward us: arrives upon us in the form of the "present"; and then moves back into the "past." If time moved forward, would we not soon be witnessing World War I again, and a while after that, the assassination of Julius Caesar?—Does not today follow yesterday, both moving back toward the past? — Rather than yesterday following today and both moving forward?

Creation flows toward us from the inexhaustible well of the future.

Fifth, among specific recommendations for a less stuffy classroom atmosphere, there is the matter of textbooks. These are often shy of source-material. They are reticent on attribution of their authorship. An overdeveloped sense of logic among our school men has caused them to have nothing in an algebra textbook except algebra. But the classicists tell us that mathematics is a sub-division of philosophy. If God did not cause 2 plus 2 to make 4, I do not know what did. As far as I had any say about it, 2 plus 2 might have turned out to be 257.

My suggestion is that without warning or preface, we intersperse the pages of our arithmetic books with quotations from American prophets—and from other sages. Lincoln's statement about the "gracious hand that has preserved us"—with which I opened this presentation—and Washington's too, might be good beginners. Then the last half of Lincoln's Second Inaugural. And so forth. These passages will help remind the pupil of the authorship of being.

If you push God out of arithmetic in the mind of childhood, it is certain he will stay out.

For typographical ease, I would suggest particularly selections from the Book of Proverbs. Incidentally, Solomon's Proverbs seldom mention God. They could, in any case, well be interspersed through all of our books.

After reading in geogrpahy that "an island is a large body surrounded on all sides by water," the child should read in the next paragraph:

"A soft answer turneth away wrath: but grievous words stir up anger."

After reading that John Quincy Adams drafted the Monroe Doctrine, let him read in the next paragraph that:

"He that is slow to anger is better than the mighty: and he that ruleth his spirit, than he that taketh a city."

Or even after having it set out in his spelling book that "supersedes" is spelled with three s's, he could read in the following line that:

"Even a child is known by his doings, whether his work be pure, or whether it be right."

Or, perhaps, after memorizing the formula for ammonium hydrosulphate, he might find out that:

"As a dog returneth to his vomit, so a fool returneth to his folly."

If anyone thinks these recommendations odd, let him look at the book I now lift with my right hand—used in the Boston schools within a hundred years—which used a good many of these quotations, and a lot more. The traditional "primer" is a book of devotional worship. That and the Bible were the only two books in Boston schools until recent years.

I would specify that when our present books are sent back to the binders, pieces of superb wisdom be inserted between the pages

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SPIRITUAL HEALTH

Sixth and last, I think we stand indicted for fuzzy shortsightedness in our health courses. All the venerations tendered by any healthy spirit to masterworkmanship when he sees it should be brought out by the teacher, with heartfelt awe, in considering the miracle of the human body. Otherwise, the student may start to preserve a healthy body; but he will stumble on emotional lack of thankfulness for its blessings. The scientific age should afford opportunity for more worship, not less. Truly, we are fearfully and wonderfully made.

But apart from these concerns, what about spiritual health as such?

How much of our health courses are devoted to that?

It is nice to prepare for a healthy body. But what about the time when you won't have your health—and you won't have your body?

What about preparing for that?

What about preparing for death?

To act before pupils as though their life span—in which being protrudes in a particular body—

were going to be infinite is hardly honest or realistic education.

I am reasonably sure that a school system should stand for eternal values as well as temporary ones.

And while it is, indeed, a nice element to spiritual health to prepare the pupil for happy relations with other people—as we do, at least, in our civics courses—what about the time when those you most love are no longer with you?

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LOVE

And finally, on this matter of spiritual health, I would judge that the part played by love in the range of existence could be pointed up more clearly in our classrooms—without offence to either the Massachusetts or Federal Constitution. Love seems to be a substance that not only binds man to woman, and mother to child, but also people to people, and likewise binds us to the ultimate heart of the existence in which we live. Anyway, it is the cornerstone of Christianity. Jesus said the first rule was: "Thou shalt love the Lord they God with all thy heart and with all thy soul and with all thy mind." He said that the second rule was like unto it: "Thou shalt love they neighbor as thyself." Moses had said the same thing in the same words on several occasions, though with less emphatic billing. Mohammed in his every breath uses "compassionate, mereiful" as descriptive of God. And the Hindu religion demands the concentration upon God, of the entire mind, sense, emotion, and spirit, to the disappearance of all other attachments.

And now the modernest psychologists are getting around to telling us that what each of us most cares about is to love and be loved.—And saying, too, that failure in that direction is what ails us when we ail.

It would seem, anyway, that love was the controlling force in lives of spiritual health, and that those who most win our heart in contemporary circles, or who have won the heart of history, are those whom love takes charge of.—Should each of us put his life within the control of love, or have we tried to subordinate love to us?

It would appear, then, that those preparing youth for spiritual health in the classroom might more discerningly stress to themselves and to their pupils that love is a very important quality—possibly the matrix of existence, in which space, time, self, atoms, ironing-boards, and worlds are but sudden soundings or fitful flashes of faith.

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CONCLUSION

The upshot of the whole thing is that God is what people care most about.

God is necessarily the great reality of everyone's life—if God be the disposing figure of their own and entire existenee.

Religion is being's appeal to its own utmost terms.

God is the configuration of that appeal.

God is the personality of existence.

Religion, then, is the utmost toss of wisdom.

My conclusion is that the public schools pretty much do—but more so should—build for ultimate wisdom in the pupil, fine though the spiritual humility of the Federal Constitution is in so rightly forbidding the imposition by law of any creed or theology upon the people. (I make no suggestion here for assigning marks of merit or demerit, upon any child in public school, for his accomplishment of spiritual health—which no elected teacher is competent to sit in judgement on.)

I conclude, second, that our public schools, under our Constitutions, for the most part do not, and certainly should not, hide the wisdom of the ages from our children merely because uttered by some religious leader.

I would conclude, third, that keeping graciously alive, in school, more than at present, the child's prime interest in the depths and heights of being—its perils and hopes—should not be regarded as an establishment, by law, of religion, but as freeing the exercise of religion in each child from the dead weight, dead ends, false fronts, and vain show of superficial facts with which a school curriculum can be cluttered to the child's spiritual suffoeation.

In other words, we must end that deceit on our children whereby we now, to a degree, kiek under the rug those wisdoms toward existence which religion waits to crown with adequate expression.

It is my hope, then, that this School Committee in its action toward the schools will go down not as forgetting God, but as one that remembered.

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Chairman: Thank you very much, Mr. Lee, for that presentation. We all have copies of this and I am sure that hearing you read it and following the ext as you read it, we all recognize that you have put in a great deal of effort, thought and time, and you have brought the Committee's attention certainly to an important area and aspeet of education, and that is the formulating in the schools of spiritual values.

Is there any comment that any member has, or has the Superintendent any comment on it?

Superintendent: No, except to congratulate Mr. Lee for a wonderful dissertation.

Mr. Musco: As a supplement to Mr. Lee's discourse I have a report from Mr. Gillis regarding released time from school for "weekday religious education;" and this includes Grades IV through IX. Out of a total enrollment of grades participating of 25,360, the total number who have been released from their classrooms once a week for outside religious instruction is 18,942 which, you will take notice—is almost 75 per cent of the total enrollment of the grades participating, who were released during the year 1954-55

Chairman: Is there any other suggestion the Committee has?

Mr. Carr: Miss Fitzgerald, may I commend Mr. Lee on his splendid presentation; and now that we have taken care of the spiritual being, I suggest that we recess and take care of the physieal being.

Mr. Musco: I would first like your indulgence to say this—that Mr. Lee's discourse should be submitted to a committee of educators, to ask for their eomments; and from there on it should be reviewed by our Committee on Weekday Religious Education, which I believe advises on our released-time system.

Chairman: Mr. Musco, we do have such a eommittee.

Mr. Musco: Then the third step might be to report back to the School Committee; and at that time we might take the recommendation.

Chairman: Will that be agreeable to you, Mr. Lee?

Mr. Lee: Yes.

Chairman: Will you see that that is carried out, Mr. Superintendent?

Superintendent: I will be glad to.

Mr. Lee: . . . . ., Mr. Superintendent, I wondered this: Among the studies that have been given to the religious problem, for example, by the Association of Superintendents of schools in cities over 200,000 in population, and by their executive secretary, and with all the thought that you yourself have given the matter over the years, I didn't know but what you would wish at this time to make comments on the subjeet which my paper dealt with, or whether you would rather do that after further studies with the committees. I would be personally glad to hear what you have to say.

Chairman: Mr. Lee, I am sure that, having seen it for the first time and having heard it for the first time, probably most of the members have signified that they would prefer to take it up when they have had reports—to be studied by them individually and by others.

Mr. Lee: The Superintendent might wish to mention the progress that is going on around the country.

Chairman: In this area, you mean?

Mr. Lee: Yes.

Superintendent: Madam Chairman, do you want me to reaet to it?

Chairman: Yes, Mr. Superintendent.

Superintendent: Madam Chairman and Mr. Lee, I am glad to say that this problem that Mr. Lee is presenting tonight is one that is being studied very careful-

ly by a number of other large school systems, and the Superintendents of schools in the big cities have been together in small groups discussing it. There is a very scholarly gentleman whom these superintendents have chosen to work upon this problem of religion in the public schools, and he has prepared a document which as yet is not official for this group but is certainly very fruitful in its ideas and in its suggestions.

In some of the big cities in the country — Indianapolis, for example—the Superintendent, along with committees, has already prepared certain tentative outlines covering this problem of religion in the schools. All of this data that I am referring to only in a very general manner in this short expression, Mr. Lee, I would be glad to turn over to a committee which we will appoint — Mr. Ohrenberger working on it and working co-operatively. Following Mr. Musco's suggestion, after this appointed committee has made its report, along with the present Committee on Religious Education, that is, our "Committee on Released Time," then we will have a final report.

In other words, I would turn over to this committee Mr. Lee's complete statement. I would turn over what I have just been describing, and I would turn over to Mr. Ohrenberger some of these tentative outlines from such cities as Indianapolis. Then I would ask that committee to work under Mr. Ohrenberger's direction, and report back to this School Committee at some future time.

But apropos of what you have said, Mr. Lee and Madam Chairman, I certainly think it is important. When you began to read, Mr. Lee, I sent upstairs for my inaugural address made back in 1948. I am not going to bore you with it; but I would like to say that I said at that time—in keeping with one of the things that Mr. Lee mentioned here this evening:

"In conclusion, I wish to emphasize that all the material appurtenances of a great school system such as Boston's, would be organized and administered in vain if our method of instruction were not based upon a sound educational philosophy."

Now here is the spiritual side of it:

"A philosophy that recognizes man's true nature, a philosophy that insists not only upon the sharpening of the intellect in its search for what is true, but also the strengthening of the will in its search for what is good. I can assure the people of Boston that our educational practices are formulated upon the salutary doctrine that recognizes spiritual and moral values, and that our unfailing aim is to fulfill the obligation enjoined upon teachers by the memorable Massachusetts law of 1789 (which Mr. Lee quoted)—namely ,to impress on the minds of youths and children committed to their care the principles of piety and justice and the sacred regard for truth, love of their country, humanity and universal beneficence, and those other virtues which are the ornament of human society and the basis upon which our Constitution is founded.

"The co-operation of the staff of teachers, principals and administrators devoted to the highest standards of their profession, with the assistance of equally conscientious employees in every other department of our system, with the invaluable counsel of the members of the School Committee (and I say that we have here this evening the invaluable counsel of the members of the School Committee) with the helpful interest of the general public, and above all with the utmost confidence in the grace of God, I am undertaking my grave responsibilities with the hope and trust that my period of service as superintendent of schools in the City of Boston may be increasingly fruitful in the educational benefits to the boys and girls under our guidance."

So certainly it articulates very well; and I do commend this Committee for what I was sure would be its very helpful suggestions.

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PROGRESS REPORT ON NEW SCHOOL CONSTRUCTION

It was agreed that the following extract from the Conferences notes of this date be printed in the record of the meeting:

Mr. Musco: Madam Chairman, at the meeting of Jan. 3, 1955, I asked for the opportunity to present to the Committee a report pertaining to new school buildings. The progress in the erection of school buildings under our current building program has given us grave concern.

In order to facilitate this program, I wish to recommend to the School Committee that a letter be sent to Superintendent of Construction James H. Mooney requesting that the following suggestions be evaluated by his Board and that a report on the same be submitted to the School Committee as early as possible:

I. That a joint meeting be held between the Board of Commissioners of School Buildings and the School Committee to discuss methods of expediting work.

II. That after receipt by Mr. Mooney of a letter of accommodations, a statement by Mr. Mooney giving the approximate date for completion of each project should be filed with the School Committee.

III. Notification by the School Committee when the architectural contract is let.

IV. Shortening the time between the date of the letter of accommodations and the awarding of the architural contract.

V. Monthly reports to the School Committee on the progress of work for each separate project. These program reports should begin with the letting of the architectural contract.

VI. The possibility of including a penalty clause in all contracts (building).

VII. Investigation of the possibility of the architect's producing complete plans including heating, ventilating and electric work for each project.

I leave that with you as it stands at the present time, and would recommend to Mr. Mooney that a two-page form be submitted to us regularly upon our call so that we can follow the progress of our new school building program and also the big alterations that might take place in the very near future.

Chairman: Thank you very much, Mr. Musco. Is there any further comment on that?

Mr. Lee: On this problem here, are we taking action affirmatively on this?

Chairman: Well, I would presume the members are going to discuss it, and then, if the Committee takes action and adopts Mr. Musco's proposals, then I would presume that the Secretary would be instructed to write to the Superintendent of Construction on the matter.

Mr. Lee: That would be a good idea.

Chairman: Is there any further comment from any other members on the subject of the suggestion?

Mr. Carr: Madam Chairman, I am just wondering whether a monthly report is necessary and whether it wouldn't be better to have a longer interval. How much can they do in a month?

Suppose we set the time at two months or three months? I don't think we should have them writing reports every month.

Mr. Musco: Mr. Carr, on a works progress report they generally have a clerk who is available for weekly reports. That is included in the works progress as they have done in the past. Now as far as making out a report is concerned, it is just a matter of filling out a two-page form.

We have the specific guarantee of Chairman Joseph O'Connell that the Curtis Guild School in East Boston will be completed by September 1955, and we are now going into February. That only leaves us eight months; and if we don't push right now I am sure that that school is not going to be ready in September, 1955.

Mr. Carr: We have the guarantee—

Mr. Musco: Yes, sir.

Mr. Carr: From the chairman of the Board of Commissioners of School Buildings?

Mr. Musco Yes, sir, at our last meeting, on October 29th; and between October 29th and January 10th we don't have too much progress to report.

Mr. Carr: Are you going to have a regular form that they fill out for these reports?

Mr. Museo: Yes.

Mr. Carr: Asking the specific status of the different work?

Mr. Museo: That is right. If I may digress for just a moment to give you an example—and I have worked with Mr. McMackin on it—he has a number of these reports right up to date and I would like to have him give just one example of how one of the schools stands.

Mr. McMackin: I will take the William E. Russell district in the Columbia Point section. I believe you know the accommodations required.

Now this appropriation was made by the School Committee on January 11, 1954. The appropriation amount was $1,480,660. The site was secured on October 6, 1953, some time prior to your appropriation date.

A letter of accommodations went to the Department of School Buildings on February 11th. Our appropriation was on January 11th. The letter of accommodations went down to them on the 11th of February. That was a very, very busy month here in the School Committee, in the formulation of our budget.

The architectural contract in this case was awarded on March 19, 1954. We received the first set of preliminary plans in this office on April 1st. We received the revised preliminary plans on the 28th of April. We received a second set of revised preliminary plans on the 6th of May and a third set of revised preliminary plans on the 2d of November.

Now I think that the architect at that time felt that his plans were in pretty good shape, that they were close to being perfected—that is, that they could be used as working drawings but we have not as yet received the final plan. The last plan that we received was on November 2d.

Mr. Carr: Is that the type of report that you wish to have every month—just to keep a running account?

Mr. Museo: Yes. That is an example and you can see the date of January 11th, is when we approved that particular construction program and tomorrow will be one full year. Actually there hasn't been any work done at all as far as a feasible amount of work on the location is concerned. That holds true for most of the programs that we have approved.

Mr. McMackin: In all of our building programs back through the years it took almost a year to produce plans for the projects.

Chairman: I would think, Mr. McMackin and members, that in a time when we are going into a big building program—which we are in and which we have been contemplating for these recent years—there ought to be some way of speeding up the work. If we could meet with the Board of Commissioners of School Buildings, as Mr. Museo suggests in Item No. 1, and work out methods of expediting work, it might be possible to cut this time in the production of plans so that we can get started on actual construction sooner.

Mr. McMackin: I think there are many points in Mr. Museo's recommendation.

Mr. Carr: Mr. McMackin, do you happen to know about the construction of these housing projects? They seem to go up in quite a fast manner? Do they have a penalty clause in their contract?

Mr. McMackin: I am not certain.

Mr. Carr: I mean the buildings themselves.

Mr. McMackin: I know several state departments have penalty clauses. I do not know whether the Housing authority has one or not.

Mr. Carr: They really put them up fast enough.

Mr. McMackin: Yes.

Mr. Carr: I know in some of them they went right through the winter. That D Street Project was built within a year, I think. They worked right through the winter on it. I am wondering: Do you think a penalty clause would speed this process up?

Mr. McMackin: Yes, I think so. I think that there could be many things brought out at a meeting with the Board of Commissioners of School Buildings which might help in speeding these things up.

Chairman: Then as there seems to be pretty much agreement that Mr. Museo's points are well taken, the Secretary is directed to carry out or to facilitate the carrying out of these seven suggestions of Mr. Museo with the Board of Commissioners of School Buildings.

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The Committee adjourned.

Attest:

AGNES E. REYNOLDS
Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR ERECTING AND COMPLETING AN ADDITION TO THE JAMES J. CHITTICK SCHOOL, HYDE PARK DISTRICT, BOSTON, MASS.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for erecting and completing an addition to the James J. Chittick School, Hyde Park District, Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Monday, March 14, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, inclosed in an envelope, sealed, and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy, which is part of the book of specifications, shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy, which is to be removed from the book of specifications, shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $20,000, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs, and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

Subbidders bidding on the work of subcontractors shall use the proposal form prepared by and obtainable from the Awarding Authority.

All subbidders' proposals filed with the Awarding Authority shall be submitted in sealed envelopes plainly marked with the title of the work, division of the work for which bid is submitted, subcontractor's name, and subcontractor's business address. All such bids shall be in the possession of the Awarding Authority and delivered or mailed to the general contractor no later than 12 o'clock noon, Wednesday, March 9, 1955.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount as specified in the following for the various subbid items of work as listed below, shall be submitted by each subbidder with the copy of his proposal filed with the Awarding Authority:

Waterproofing, Dampproofing, and Caulking	$100
Structural Steel, Miscellaneous Steel and Light Iron	500
Metal Windows	100
Roofing, Flashing and Sheet Metal	400
Lathing and Plastering	500
Marble, Tile, and Terrazzo	400
Resilient Flooring	200
Glass and Glazing	200
Painting	500
Plumbing	500
Heating and Ventilating	2,000
Electrical	900

The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, plainly marked "Bid Deposit."

Plans and specifications and other contract documents may be obtained at the office of the Awarding Authority upon deposit of a certified check for $100, payable to the City of Boston. The full amount of the deposit will be refunded to each actual bidder upon return of all documents in good condition within fifteen days after the opening of bids. Plans and specifications and other contract documents may be examined without charge at the Boston office of Gainey's Construction News Letter or Dodge Reports.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority, and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price, will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do. The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all subbids on any item or items in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
(Feb. 19.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

CIVIL DEFENSE KIT.

In Milwaukee residents have been notified by the city's civil defense administration to get together kits of nonperishable foods on which their families could live for a week in the open if need be. A 43-pound kit, costing $37, was used for demonstration purposes. In the kit, besides food, were a first-aid packet, water purification tablets, cooking utensils, and cans of canned heat. The entire unit packed in an aluminum laundry mail case doubles as a dishpan, wash basin, and infant bathtub.

Toledo City Journal.

No. 38—399.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR PURCHASING HAY, GRAIN, AND STRAW.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Wednesday, March 2, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Hay, Grain, and Straw." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Feb. 19.) *Purchasing Agent.*

No. 44—320.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING FLOUR FOR CITY DEPARTMENTS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Friday, March 11, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate hid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Flour." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Feb. 19.) *Purchasing Agent.*

No. 39—320.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING GROCERIES AND CANNED GOODS FOR CITY DEPARTMENTS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Monday, March 7, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $200, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Groceries, etc." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Feb. 19.) *Purchasing Agent.*

TUNNEL TRAFFIC IN MAY.

In the month of May, 1,031,226 vehicles used the Sumner Tunnel. This is the first time in the history of the tunnel that in excess of 1,000,000 vehicles used the facility in any one month.

In May of 1953, 979,920 vehicles went through the tunnel, or 51,306 less than May of this year.

CITY OF BOSTON.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR EXTERMINATION OF VERMIN.

The Trustees of the Boston City Hospital invite sealed proposals for the extermination of all vermin, including rats and mice, in the entire Main Department, South Department, and East Boston Relief Station, Boston City Hospital, for the period beginning April 1, 1955, and ending March 31, 1956, in accordance with the specifications. A bond of a surety company in the sum of the entire contract price will be required for the faithful performance of the contract. In their proposals bidders must quote rate per month. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Superintendent of the Boston City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston, signed by the bidder and left before 2 o'clock P.M. on Wednesday, March 9, 1955, at the office of the Superintendent, with a certified check for $200, made payable to the City of Boston, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The bids must be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be left as above, the other to be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, before 2 o'clock P.M. on the date given above for receiving proposals. The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before the award of said contract.

Proposals are to be addressed "Proposal for Extermination of Vermin, Boston City Hospital." The Trustees reserve the right to reject any and all proposals.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, AND OF THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL,
RICHARD J. CONDON,
(Feb. 19.) *President.*

THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING PENCILS, PENS, PENHOLDERS, CHALK, INK, NOTEBOOK COVERS, AND OTHER ITEMS FOR THE BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing and delivering at the Supply Room of the School Committee, 440 Brookline avenue, Boston, pencils, pens, penholders, chalk, ink, notebook covers, and other items as per schedule. Proposal forms are obtainable at the office of the Business Manager of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, tenth floor. Envelopes containing proposals must be sealed and plainly marked "Proposals for Pencils, Pens, Penholders, Chalk, Ink, Notebook Covers, and Other Items." The bid must be in duplicate. One copy, signed by the bidder, and accompanied by a certified check, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount of two hundred dollars ($200), must be left at the office of the Business Manager on or before 12 o'clock noon on Monday, March 7, 1955. Copies filed with the Business Manager will be publicly opened and read at 12 o'clock noon of the day stated. The other copy, also signed by the bidder, must be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., previous to the time named for the opening of the bids. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to accept the bid or bids which it deems best for the interests of the city. The bidder awarded the contract must furnish a suitable bond or deposit of money or other security for the faithful performance of the contract in the amount of not less than 50 per cent thereof.

HENRY J. SMITH,
Business Manager of the School Committee.
(Feb. 19.)

No. 45—320.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING TEA AND COFFEE.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Friday, March 11, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Tea and Coffee." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Feb. 19.) *Purchasing Agent.*

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Invitation for Proposals for Collecting and Removing Garbage and Refuse in South Boston, East Boston, Brighton, West Roxbury, Dorchester North, Dorchester South, Elm Hill, Dudley, Mission Hill, Roxbury, South End, Back Bay, and Stuart Districts.

The City of Boston, acting through its Commissioner of Public Works (hereinafter called the Commissioner), hereby invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for collecting and removing garbage and refuse in South Boston, East Boston, Brighton, West Roxbury, Dorchester North, Dorchester South, Elm Hill, Dudley, Mission Hill, Roxbury, South End, Back Bay, and Stuart districts. Proposal forms, together with the form of contract, may be had daily, between 9 A.M. and 5 P.M., at the Commissioner's office, 506 City Hall Annex (Contract Office), Boston.

Proposals shall be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained as aforesaid. A proposal may be submitted for a one (1) year period on any or all districts except that, if a proposal is submitted for a three (3) year period in the East Boston district and/or the West Roxbury district, the bidder shall also include a bid for a one (1) year period for the same district. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, enclosed in an envelope, sealed and marked "Proposal for Collecting and Removing Garbage and Refuse, etc." One copy of the proposal accompanied by a bid deposit in the form of a certified check for FIVE THOUSAND (5,000) DOLLARS FOR EACH DISTRICT BID, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if, after acceptance, the proposal is not carried out, shall be filed with the Commissioner at his said office on or before 2 P.M., Wednesday, March 2, 1955, at which time all proposals will be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex. The other copy of the proposal, without a bid deposit, shall be filed by the bidder before said day and hour at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, School street, Boston. No proposal shall be withdrawn after the time hereinbefore set for the opening of proposals. There will be a minimum charge of two dollars ($2) for each set of proposal forms.

The Commissioner reserves the right to reject any and all proposals.

The successful bidder will be required (*a*) to furnish a faithful performance bond, executed by a surety company authorized to do business in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, in the sum of one hundred per cent (100%) of the amount of the contract for a one-year term or thirty-three per cent (33⅓) of the amount of the contract for a three-year term, and (*b*) to maintain in a company authorized to do business in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and keep on file with the city policies, binders or certificates evidencing the maintenance of, Workmen's Compensation insurance.

In each proposal the bidder will list the location and ownership of the dumps he proposes to use, and furnish satisfactory proof to the Commissioner as to his legal right to use them.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.
(Feb. 19-26.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR CLEANING WINDOWS, BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL.

The Trustees of the Boston City Hospital invite sealed proposals for cleaning windows at the Boston City Hospital three times during the period beginning May 1, 1955, and ending March 31, 1956, in accordance with the specifications. A bond in the entire sum of the contract price will be required for the faithful performance of the contract. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Superintendent of the Boston City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston, signed by the bidder and left before 2 o'clock P.M. on Wednesday, March 9, 1955, at the office of the Superintendent, with a certified check for $200, made payable to the City of Boston, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The bids must be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be left as above, the other to be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, before 2 o'clock P.M. on the date given above for receiving proposals. The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before the award of said contract.

Proposals are to be addressed "Proposal for Cleaning Windows, Boston City Hospital." The Trustees reserve the right to reject any and all proposals.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, AND OF THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL,
RICHARD J. CONDON,
(Feb. 19.) *President.*

No. 40—320.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT. PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING MILK AND CREAM FOR CITY DEPARTMENTS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Tuesday, March 8, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $200, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Milk and Cream." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Feb. 19.) *Purchasing Agent.*

No. 41—320

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT. PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING ICE-CREAM MIX FOR CITY DEPARTMENTS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Tuesday, March 8, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Ice-Cream Mix." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Feb. 19.) *Purchasing Agent.*

THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER, TENTH FLOOR.

PROPOSALS FOR FUEL SAMPLING, ANALYSIS AND ENGINEERING SERVICE.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for fuel sampling, analysis and engineering service for the Boston public schools. Proposal forms are obtainable at the office of the Business Manager of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, tenth floor. Envelopes containing proposals must be sealed and plainly marked "Proposal for Fuel Sampling, Analysis and Engineering Service." The bid must be in duplicate. One copy, signed by the bidder, and accompanied by a certified check, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount of fifty dollars ($50), must be left at the office of the Business Manager on or before 12 o'clock noon on Tuesday, March 1, 1955. Copies filed with the Business Manager will be publicly opened and read at 12 o'clock noon of the day stated. The other copy, also signed by the bidder, must be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., previous to the time named for the opening of the bids. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to accept such bid, or part of bid, as may be deemed best for the interests of the city. The successful bidder will be required to furnish a suitable bond or deposit of money or other security for not less than fifty (50) per cent of the amount of the contract.

HENRY J. SMITH,
Business Manager of the School Committee.
(Feb. 19.)

No. 42—320.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING HORSE MEAT FOR FRANKLIN PARK ZOO.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Thursday, March 10, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Horse Meat." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Feb. 19.) *Purchasing Agent.*

THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING CUSTODIANS' SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT FOR BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing custodians' supplies and equipment for the Boston public schools. Proposal forms are obtainable at the office of the Business Manager of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, tenth floor. Envelopes containing proposals must be sealed and plainly marked "Proposal for Custodians' Supplies and Equipment." The bid must be in duplicate. One copy, signed by the bidder, and accompanied by a certified check for one hundred dollars ($100), payable to the City of Boston, must be left at the office of the Business Manager on or before 12 o'clock noon on Friday, March 4, 1955. Copies filed with the Business Manager will be publicly opened and read at 12 o'clock noon of the day stated. The other copy, also signed by the bidder, must be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., previous to the time named for the opening of bids. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to accept the bid or bids which it deems best for the interests of the city. The successful bidder will be required to furnish a suitable bond or deposit of money or other security in the amount of not less than 50 per cent of the amount of the contract.

HENRY J. SMITH,
Business Manager of the School Committee.
(Feb. 19.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR TRANSPORTATION.

The Trustees of the Public Library of the City of Boston, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invite sealed proposals for the transportation of books and other materials between the Central Library and the branch libraries for the period April 1, 1955, through March 31, 1956.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Tuesday, March 1, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals shall be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Business Office, Boston Public Library, Copley square, Boston, Mass. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed and enclosed in a sealed envelope, plainly marked with the name of the bidder and the description of the work bid upon. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority designated above and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of the proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a certificate of deposit issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of eight hundred dollars ($800), shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked. Bid bonds will not be accepted.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

Specifications for the work may be obtained on and after Monday, February 21, 1955, at the Business Office, Boston Public Library, Copley square, Boston, Mass.

A performance bond, issued by a surety company satisfactory to the Awarding Authority, in the full amount of the contract, will be required of the successful bidder.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, and to award the contract as it deems for the best interests of the city.

THE TRUSTEES OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY OF THE CITY OF BOSTON,
by MILTON E. LORD,
(Feb. 19.) *Director.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR DRAINAGE AND GRADING AT THE FRANKLIN PARK GOLF COURSE, WEST ROXBURY, MASS.

The Commissioner of Parks and Recreation of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, invites proposals for drainage and grading at the Franklin Park Golf Course, West Roxbury, Mass. Forms of proposals must be obtained at the Engineer's office of the Parks and Recreation Department, 33 Beacon street, Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed and marked "Proposal for Drainage and Grading at the Franklin Park Golf Course, West Roxbury, Mass.," and left before 2 o'clock P.M. on Tuesday, March 1, 1955, at the office of the Parks and Recreation Department, with a certified check for $1,500, payable to and to be the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, and will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of 100 per cent of the estimated contract price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the Engineer's office of the Parks and Recreation Department. The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required prior to the award of said contract. The Commissioner reserves the right to reject any or all proposals.

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ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING SHORTENING AND OIL.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Thursday, March 10, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Shortening and Oil." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Feb. 19.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING VARIOUS TYPES AND SIZES OF MOVING VANS FOR TRUCKING SERVICES.

The Superintendent of Construction, Department of School Buildings, City of Boston, invites sealed proposals for furnishing various types and sizes of moving vans for trucking services for the period April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Construction, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass. Each proposal must be signed by the bidder, placed in an envelope, properly sealed, and marked "Proposal for Furnishing Moving Vans for Trucking Services for the Period April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956," and left at the office of the Superintendent of Construction, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., before 12 noon, Monday, February 28, 1955, accompanied by cash or certified check on, or a certificate of deposit issued by, a responsible bank or trust company payable to the City of Boston in the sum of $250, to become and be the property of the City of Boston as liquidated damages, if, after an award is made to him, the bidder shall fail to enter into the contract therefor within ten days after notice of said award has been mailed to him. Bid bonds will not be accepted. Said proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, one with cash, certified check or certificate of deposit to be left as above, the other without cash, certified check or certificate of deposit to be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required prior to the award of said contract. Also the contractor shall comply with all applicable requirements of the Department of Public Utilities of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Specifications may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Construction, Department of School Buildings, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston.

A bond of a surety company, approved by the Superintendent of Construction, in the sum of $5,000, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city, will be required. The Superintendent of Construction reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
(Feb. 19.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR WINDOW CLEANING.

The Trustees of the Public Library of the City of Boston, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invite sealed proposals for the cleaning of windows for the period April 1, 1955, through March 31, 1956, at the Central Library building and at thirty-two other buildings as specified in the specifications.

The work is to be done by either of the following means: (1) ladders; (2) scaffold. The applicable revised rules and regulations appearing in Industrial Bulletin No. 21, established by Department of Labor and Industries, Division of Industrial Safety, are to be in effect. The contractor must indicate which of the above-mentioned means he proposes to use.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Wednesday, March 2, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals shall be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Business Office, Boston Public Library, Copley square, Boston, Mass. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, and enclosed in a sealed envelope, plainly marked with the name of the bidder and the description of the work bid upon. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A certified check in the sum of $200, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The certified check shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under this contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required prior to the awarding of the contract.

Specifications may be obtained on and after Monday, February 21, 1955, at the Business Office, Boston Public Library, Copley square, Boston, Mass.

A performance bond, issued by a surety company satisfactory to the Awarding Authority, in the full amount of the contract will be required of the successful contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, and to accept or reject any portion or portions of bids and to award the contract as it deems for the best interests of the city.

THE TRUSTEES OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY OF THE CITY OF BOSTON,
by MILTON E. LORD,
(Feb. 19.) *Director.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

CHANGES IN TRAFFIC RULES AND REGULATIONS.

Voted, That the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective February 21, 1955:

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out the following:

Bird Street, Dorchester.
North side, from Columbia road to Hancock street, 24 hours.
Foundry Street, South Boston.
West side, from a point two hundred and fifty (250) feet north of the Broadway Underpass to a point one hundred (100) feet south of Macallen street, 24 hours.
Warren Street, Roxbury.
East side, from Zeigler street to a point one hundred (100) feet north of Zeigler street, 24 hours.
Washington Street, Boston Proper.
East side, from Kneeland street to Summer street, 24 hours.
East side, from Summer street to Franklin street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Franklin street to State street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," each of the following:

Chauncy Street.
Southeast side, from Summer street to Bedford street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Washington Street.
East side, from Kneeland street to State street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," the following:

Everett Street.
West side, from the north property line of No. 52 Everett street to North Beacon street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Bird Street.
North side, from Virginia street to Hancock street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Hyde Park," the following:

Business Street.
Both sides, from a point three hundred and seventy (370) feet northeast of Reservation road to a point four hundred and eighty-five (485) feet northeast of Reservation road, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," each of the following:

Magazine Street.
Northwest side, from Kemble street to Norfolk avenue, 24 hours.
Norfolk Avenue.
Northeast side, from the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Bridge to Hampden street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "South Boston," each of the following:

Ellery Street.
Northeast and east sides, from Boston street to Southampton street, 24 hours.
Foundry Street.
West side, from a point two hundred and fifty (250) feet north of the Broadway Underpass to West Fourth street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by striking out the following:

Chauncy Street, Boston Proper.
Southeast side, from Summer street to Bedford street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 6, Part 3 (Restrictions in Cent and Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by striking out the following:

Dorchester Avenue, Dorchester.
Both sides, from Richmond street to Adams street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Warren Street, Roxbury.
East side, from Palmer street to a point one hundred (100) feet north of Zeigler street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Zeigler street to Dudley street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 6, Part 3 (Restrictions in Cent and Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Dorchester Avenue.
Both sides, from Richmond street to Washington street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 6, Part 3 (Restrictions in Cent and Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Warren Street.
East side, from Palmer street to Dudley street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by striking out the following:

Water Street, Charlestown.
From Navy Yard to Warren avenue.

Article VII, Section 2 (Heavy Commercial Vehicles Excluded), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Valley Road.
From Dorchester avenue to Washington street.

WM. ARTHUR REILLY,
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The following are the remarks of Mayor John B. Hynes before the Boston Bar Association on "A Metropolitan Boston—Why—When—How?"

Boston's own population is only about 800,000. On the other hand, Metropolitan Boston, by which I mean roughly the 40-odd surrounding cities and towns, has a population of about 2½ million.

In those 40 cities and towns you will find 40 police departments, 40 fire departments, 40 school departments, 40 library systems, 40 sewer departments, 40 water departments, 40 public works departments, 40 sets of machinery for

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CITY OF BOSTON TO SHARE IN HEARING OF NEW YORK-FLORIDA ROUTE CASE BEFORE THE CIVIL AERONAUTICS BOARD—MAYOR HYNES ANXIOUS TO HAVE NORTHEAST AIRLINES EXTEND ITS ROUTES TO WASHINGTON AND FLORIDA AS VITAL TO FUTURE OF THIS REGION—ASKS CITIZENS TO AID.

The City of Boston will participate in the New York-Florida Route Case before the Civil Acronautics Board, Mayor John B. Hynes has announced. He said that the application of Northeast Airlines to extend its routes to Washington, D. C., and Florida is important to the future of this region, and that the city would bend every effort to prove the merits of the application before the C.A.B.

"Northeast Airlines is Boston's own," he said, "and an example of expanding New England industry. It behooves the City of Boston, and all of New England, to do our utmost to assist local industries aiming at new expansion horizons."

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SENATOR PATRICK V. McNAMARA OF MICHIGAN TO BE ORATOR AT ANNUAL EVACUATION DAY HISTORICAL EXERCISES IN SOUTH BOSTON—MAYOR JOHN B. HYNES AND SOUTH BOSTON CITIZENS' ASSOCIATION MAKE ANNOUNCEMENT—EXERCISES IN MUNICIPAL BUILDING, SUNDAY, MARCH 13—SENATOR BORN IN NORTH WEYMOUTH, OCTOBER 4, 1894.

The South Boston Citizens' Association and the Mayor have announced that Senator Patrick V. McNamara of Michigan will be the speaker at the annual Evacuation Day historical exercises to be held at the Municipal Building in South Boston on Sunday afternoon, March 13, at 3 P.M.

The following is a résumé of Senator McNamara's background:

Patrick Vincent McNamara, United States Senator from Michigan (whose first term is from January 3, 1955, for six years), was born in North Weymouth, Mass., October 4, 1894. He attended grade and high schools in Weymouth, transferring before high school graduation to the Fore River Apprentice School, where he was taught the pipe-fitting trade.

After employment as pipe fitter and foreman in the Bethlehem Shipyard at Fore River, he was employed by various mechanical contracting companies, and in 1921 made his home in Detroit, going there as job superintendent for the Grinnell Company, nation-wide mechanical contractors.

From then until his election to the United States Senate Mr. McNamara was associated with the mechanical contracting industry, except for three and one-half years during World War II in which he was Area Rent Director for Detroit under the Office of Price Administration. At the time of his election he was vice president in charge of sales for the Stanley-Carter Company, Michigan's largest mechanical contractors.

Pipe Fitters Union Official.

For eighteen of the twenty-one years preceding his election Mr. McNamara was the unpaid president of the Pipe Fitters Union, Local 636, American Federation of Labor. During the early thirties, he was employed in the Chrysler Kercheval Plant in Detroit, and was president of the first industrial union organized there under the N.R.A. and was later elected president of the state-wide organization of N.R.A. industrial unions. Mr. McNamara was the unpaid president, and Mr. R. J. Thomas (later to become president of the United Automobile Workers, C.I.O.) was secretary of the N.R.A. Chrysler organization.

With the revival of the construction industry, Mr. McNamara left the automobile plants and returned to his own industry. Although always in executive positions within the industry, he became president of the local of his own union, and also was for several terms vice president of the Detroit and Wayne County Federation of Labor. This also was an unpaid post. Mr. McNamara's interest in the people of Michigan as a whole dates back to the middle twenties, when he served as executive secretary of the Michigan Old Age Pension League, which had the late Supreme Court Justice Frank Murphy as its head. Mr. McNamara was a leader in the fight for the passage of Michigan's first old age pension law.

Mr. McNamara gained national recognition for outstanding public service when he served as Detroit Area Rent Director. In that post he was committed to the fearless but fair carrying out of the rent control law. He considered it a war job and resigned on V-J Day.

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'O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean;
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, February 28, at 2 P.M.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries, or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the Complaints Division, Room 25, City Hall.

Information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways, the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments of streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped area for streets and the opening of private ways; the making of specific repairs in public streets; the naming of public streets, including the use of public ways for location of conduits, poles, and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railways, coal holes, and vaults, may be secured from the Public Improvement Commission, Room 403, City Hall Annex.

TO THE BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION, 112 Southampton street, for information relative to regulation of vehicular street traffic on all or any streets, ways, highways, roads, and parkways under the control of the City of Boston, the issuing of all permits in connection therewith.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting, and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch basins, the operation of Sumner Tunnel, the maintenance of bridges and draw-bridges, and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Haymarket Square, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish, and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughterhouses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases, of public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth Avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park, and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts, also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview, and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

TO THE DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS, 28 Norman street, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

TO THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 907, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal, or tearing down buildings.

TO THE ELECTRICAL INSPECTION DIVISION OF THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT, 1001 City Hall Annex, for all information relative to the erection of poles, building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division; also for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings of the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

TO THE BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT, 43 City Hall, relative to changes in the boundary lines of zoning districts of the City of Boston as established by chapter 488 of the Acts of 1924, and amendments thereto.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending February 19, 1955.

Population as of July, 1950, Massachusetts State Census, 817,713; population estimated July, 1954, United States Census Bureau, 810,633; number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 197; nonresidents, 65; total, 262.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 16.66; nonresidents deducted, 12.61.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:

Last week, 16.21; corresponding week last year, 11.47.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 19; one year to four years, inclusive, 0; sixty years and over, 185. Total deaths: Male, 136; female, 125; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 183.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Feb. 19, 1955.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Feb. 20, 1954.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior Poliomyelitis	1	—	2	—
Diphtheria	3	—	—	—
Encephalitis Lethargica	—	—	—	—
Influenza	—	—	—	—
Measles	204	—	2	—
Meningitis Epidemic	—	—	2	—
Pneumonia (lobar)	—	1	—	2
Scarlet Fever	49	—	29	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary)	—	4	10	2
Childhood Type Tuberculosis	—	—	—	—
Tuberculosis (other forms)	—	—	1	1
Typhoid Fever	—	—	1	—
Whooping Cough	9	—	7	—

* Residents and nonresidents included.

SENATOR PATRICK V. McNAMARA TO BE ORATOR AT EVACUATION DAY EXERCISES.

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In 1946 Mr. McNamara was elected to the Detroit City Council, which has nine members elected city-wide on a nonpartisan basis. He served one term and did not stand for re-election. In 1949 he was elected to the Detroit Board of Education for a six-year term, on which board he was exceedingly active.

Senator McNamara is married and has a son and daughter and nine grandchildren. He is a member of Pipe Fitters Local 636, the Engineering Society of Detroit, the Economic Club of Detroit, the Crisis Club of Detroit, Executive Board of the Detroit Urban League, the Michigan Association of School Boards, the Detroit Area Regional Planning Commission, and the Executive Board of the Camp Committee of the Franklin Settlement for Boys.

MAYOR HYNES' ADDRESS BEFORE BOSTON BAR ASSOCIATION.

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municipal apparatus, every one of them more costly and less efficient than if we had one central apparatus.

The real point is that *all* of us are paying *too much for too little*—and the time is now approaching when something not only has to be done, but in my opinion will soon be done.

As lawyers you have sometimes participated in corporate reorganizations. Or perhaps a client has asked you to analyze his business operations in order to find out why he is losing money and also losing ground to his competitors.

Suppose your client operated 40 variety stores of different size in the metropolitan area. Suppose you were satisfied that his employees were faithful and diligent, his merchandise was good, and his sales volume was normal. But suppose you also found that he had a separate purchasing department for each store, a separate maintenance department for each store, a separate lawyer for each store, and a separate accountant for each store—instead of one purchasing department, one maintenance department, one legal department, and so on for all the stores as a group.

In this situation I am sure you would have no difficulty in finding out where and why your client was losing money. And I don't believe you would consider yourself a great financial genius to discover what was obvious.

That in brief substance is the story of our own 40 cities and towns.

Overlapping Expenses.

We have all the expense of overlapping facilities, but none of the advantages, nor even the facilities, that combined purchasing power and combined thinking could give us.

This situation is obvious today—but it has been equally obvious for more than 25 years. You may therefore ask why haven't we yet achieved something along the lines of a combined operation for Metropolitan Boston?

The answer lies in *local fear* and *local pride* among the surrounding communities. Both of these are *real* things, and have to be dealt with on that basis.

The fear of a metropolitan system of government has been a fear of being submerged, fear of loss of local autonomy and local opportunity—a fear of being ruled by Boston politicians.

Coupled with this fear has been a pride in local self-government, local institutions, and local traditions.

Well, if people have an aversion for purple toothpaste, you're not going to change their reactions to purple—you've simply got to give them another color.

And if people have such fear and such pride, you've got to offer them a system of metropolitan government which will allay their fears and maintain their local pride. As I will point out later, I think this can be done.

But the important thing is that, despite this fear and pride, we're going to end up fairly soon with a metropolitan system of some kind, at the insistence of, and by demand of, the suburbanites themselves—because they have begun to notice that their own tax rates are mounting, their own fire and police departments languishing, and their own high standards of government becoming intolerably expensive.

Besides, half the Boston politicians have moved into their own backyards—so they're caught between the devil and the deep blue sea.

It is therefore my belief that a Metropolitan Boston will come about sooner than is generally thought, because of a shift of demand and pressure from the Bostonians to the suburbanites.

The reason lies partly in the very process of decentralization—the movement out from the concrete pavements to the green, green pastures.

As the suburbs grow in population—as the ranch houses proliferate—the suburban tax rate climbs up alarmingly.

New Young Couples.

Every time a new group of young couples settles outside Boston, you can reasonably count on a fresh crop of youngsters.

Youngsters mean kindergartens—kindergartens mean more schools, more teachers, more money, and more taxes.

Then you have to add a few more policemen, for traffic control and other purposes.

And what do you end up with? A modern police department, with all the latest technical facilities you need to cope with the motorized bandit? By no means. You can't afford that. All you end up with is a few more policemen.

Eventually, therefore, and perhaps sooner than you think, the suburbanites will wake up to the high cost of the green thumb, and what they now take for local economy is going to prove itself to be money thrown down the sewer—with no sewer system actually, but only a cesspool in the back yard.

And if you present these suburbanites with a plan of metropolitan government, which will overcome their fears, maintain their local initiative, and at the same time give them a better run for their money—I think they'll grab at it like hungry children reach for syrup and pancakes.

The general principle of the metropolitan plan I have in mind is simple.

Let those things be handled locally which are truly local in nature, such as zoning laws, assessments, school systems, and the like.

Let those things which are metropolitan in character be handled through a Metropolitan Public Service District, such as police, fire, hospitals, health, streets, traffic, and, in my opinion, libraries. This would lead to vast economies, better results for each dollar, and more purchasing power for the total dollars.

Let the local tax rates throughout such a district consist of two components:

1. A district tax, uniformly imposed throughout the district on some equitable formula, to pay for the services performed by the district.
2. A local tax, wholly within the control of the local residents, covering the cost of schools and other local governmental services.

Can Forge Ahead.

How such a district should be organized, how the governing members should be selected, how the district tax should be assessed and imposed—whether on population or geographical area or a combination of both—these are significant details, but they still are merely details.

The important thing is that by this means we can forge ahead for our mutual benefit and contentment. Instead of competing with each other, and trying to tax each other, we can improve our facilities and resources and save ourselves money at the same time.

If sales taxes are to be headed off, one way may lie in such a metropolitan solution to common money problems.

If payroll taxes in Boston on nonresidents are to be avoided, a metropolitan plan of government also seems adapted to such an end.

I think some such system is desirable, practical, and inevitable.

I invite you all to work together to realize this goal.

MAYOR HYNES ASKS AID OF PUBLIC IN HEARING BEFORE CIVIL AERONAUTICS BOARD.

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Mayor Hynes stated that Northeast Airlines, founded in Boston, and New England's only locally-based scheduled air line, is one of the 16 original carriers certificated for regular schedules in the whole nation. "Its 22-year history is a history of public service to this region," he said. He also pointed out that, while the other 16 original scheduled air lines have expanded their routes to crisscross the nation and the world, Northeast has remained a regional carrier, partially because communities of the region have not fully proved the public convenience and necessity for expanding the local air line.

Mayor Hynes urged every community of New England to get into this route case hearing. "That way," he said, "we will not only point the way for necessary improvement of our public transportation, but also prove conclusively to the rest of the nation that New England is as progressive, community-minded, and alert as any other region, including Texas and California.

"Northeast Airlines," Hynes said, 'employs more than 1,000 people, has an annual payroll of more than $1,000,000, maintains a $1,000,000 hangar in Boston, has a multimillion dollar fleet of 19 airplanes, and carried more than half a million passengers over its New England routes last year.

"That is the kind of progressive business we are proud of in Boston," he said. "and as a community we must stand up to the other regions of the nation in keeping and expanding it."

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULING.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, for a trial period of sixty (60) days, the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective February 10, 1955:

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton" each of the following:

Cambridge Street.
Southeast side, from a point two hundred (200) feet northeast of the prolongation of the southwest street line of North Harvard street to a point one hundred (100) feet southwest of the prolongation of the southwest street line of North Harvard street, 24 hours.
Market Street.
Northwest side, from Faneuil street to North Beacon street, 24 hours.
Southeast side, from Cypress road to Saybrook street, 24 hours.
North Harvard Street.
Northeast side, from Empire street to Cambridge street, 24 hours.
Southwest side, from Hooker street to Cambridge street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton" the following:

Saybrook Street.
From Market street to Glencoe street.

In a move to combat juvenile crime, Mayor Wagner of New York City asked Corporation Counsel A. P. Burke to seek the aid of the courts in ridding the bookstores and newsstands of comic books which teach disrespect for law and order and incite crime. The state supreme court, it was indicated, will be asked to grant injunctions against publicatiou, distribution, or sale of several magazines in this category. Police Commissioner F. H. Adams laid the blame for recent "terrible juvenile crimes" on the influence of this type of magazine. Many, he said, are published secretly, and sold "under the counter."

—Toledo City Journal.

BOSTON NOT REMISS IN FILING CLAIMS FOR HURRICANE DAMAGE RELIEF — STORIES TO THAT EFFECT MADE PUBLIC THROUGH DAILY PAPERS OF FEBRUARY 16 DENIED BY CITY AUDITOR JOSEPH P. LALLY, LIAISON OFFICER BETWEEN RELIEF BOARD AND CITY — REIMBURSEMENTS ALREADY RECEIVED FROM STATE TOTAL $300,884.83.

The following statement has been made public, through Mayor Hynes, by Auditor Joseph P. Lally:

News stories in the evening papers of February 16, 1955, concerning the action of the Hurricane Relief Board in announcing March 31 as the dead line for filing hurricane damage claims, attributed statements to Harold J. Talmadge, executive secretary of the Hurricane Relief Board, to the effect that Boston heads a long list of communities which failed to take advantage of the reimbursement program of the Commonwealth, and that Boston has not filed claims for such reimbursement. The facts are as follows:

Reimbursement requests have been submitted and receipt acknowledged by the Hurricane Relief Board as follows:

Date	Warrant No.	Amount
October 26, 1954	201 (Carol)	$301,017 28
December 20, 1954	105 (Edna)	51,664 00
December 20, 1954	496 (Carol)	194,830 43
January 20, 1955	630 (Carol)	113,693 72
January 20, 1955	144 (Edna)	47,527 77
February 15, 1955	171 (Edna)	15,395 26
February 15, 1955	721 (Carol)	69,971 10
Total		$797,099 56

Notification has been received by the City of Boston that claims have been approved by the Hurricane Relief Board as follows:

Date	Warrant No.	Amount
December 3, 1954	204 (Carol)	$297,731 22
December 20, 1954	204 (Carol)	3,169 90
January 27, 1955	496 (Carol)	41,110 59
February 3, 1955	496 (Carol)	96,769 30
Total		$439,081 01

The following reimbursements have been received by the City of Boston from the Commonwealth:

Date	Amount
December 6, 1954	$79,923 10
December 13, 1954	48,813 65
December 15, 1954	82,400 16
December 20, 1954	28,969 87
December 21, 1954	57,608 15
January 10, 1955	3,169 90
Total	$300,884 83

The total expenditures by the City of Boston on account of hurricane damage as of January 31, 1955, are:

Hurricane Emergency—Account No. 1 (Carol)	$781,227 92
Hurricane Emergency—Account No. 2 (Edna)	127,550 72
Total	$908,778 64

An additional claim for reimbursement is being prepared.

JOSEPH P. LALLY, *City Auditor,*
Liaison Officer between the City of Boston and the Hurricane Relief Board.

Chicago is planning the installation of radio-controlled traffic lights, described as the first of their kind in the world.

In the beginning thirteen intersections will be radio-controlled, with the antenna on top of the Board of Trade Building south of the Loop business area. Traffic lights will be set to favor the prevailing flow of traffic at particular times of day. Neon signs will indicate to the driver how the signals are set. Cable control at 450 intersections would cost about $3,375,000, or several times the cost of the proposed radio control, City Traffic Engineer Leslie Sorenson explains. The cost of the initial radio installations will be $40,000.

—Toledo City Journal.

Philadelphia is planning the sale of city-owned land, through a nonprofit corporation, to private industry as a means of checking the movement of tax-paying firms to the suburbs.

The plan, according to the Bond Buyer, calls for the offering of about $10,000,000 worth of land to existing industries which wish to expand or to new companies seeking to build in the city. There is no proposal for tax-free sites or tax reduction. The city, it is said, would transfer title to the land to the Redevelopment Authority, which in turn would turn it over to the nonprofit corporation on guarantee of repayment when sold to an industry.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees:

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

The Mayor has approved a change in rating, without change in salary, for Paul W. Mooney, from school buildings inspector to supervisor of school buildings alterations and repairs.

Approval has been given to the permanent appointment of Catherine H. Burke, 26 Allen street, Boston, as a clerk and typist at a starting salary of $43 a week.

Approval has been given to the permanent appointment of Mary E. Marshall, 9 Josephine street, Dorchester, as clerk and typist at a starting salary of $43 a week.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

John L. Morrison, 50 Willis street, Dorchester, hoseman, has been retired at an annual pension of $2,773.33.

John F. Galvin, 47 Mendum street, Roslindale, captain, has been retired at an annual pension of $3,746.67.

George T. Cunniff, 7 Mohawk street, South Boston, apparatus operator, has been retired at an annual pension of $2,840.

Arthur J. Short, 83 Paul Gore street, Jamaica Plain, apparatus operator, has been retired at an annual pension of $2,840.

John F. H. Fox, 23 Cookson terrace, Mattapan, lieutenant, has been retired at an annual pension of $3,293.33.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the retirement of Mary J. Sullivan, dental hygienist.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following appointments:

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Francis M. Roddy, 19 Worthington street, Roxbury, clerk-typist, $43 a week.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

Buildings Division.

Herbert L. Weinstein, 44 Rosedale street, Dorchester, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following reinstatements:

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Hospital Medical Workers, $43 a Week.

Henry R. Muollo, 2 Grady court, East Boston.

William R. Fitzgerald, 93 Wendover street, Dorchester.

Richard W. Scannell, 1584 Tremont street, Roxbury.

Hugh J. Hastings, 123 Florida street, Dorchester.

John J. Cahill, 86 O street, South Boston.

William F. Hoar, 370 East Eighth street, South Boston.

Cornelius G. Fougere, 22 Saratoga street, East Boston.

Matthew A. Delaney, 306 Dudley street, Roxbury.

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 22.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Alvin P. Fuller Estate	50 Beacon street	5	Alterations, offices	$2,000
Stuart Hastings	337 Beacon street	5	Alterations, lodging house	8,000
Portuguese Continental Union	893–901 Boylston street	5	Alterations, store, office	4,000
Nyman Ulin	447 and 449 Brookline avenue	4	Alterations, store	1,800
Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston.	736 Cambridge street	21	Retaining wall	None
John Polcari, et al	283 Causeway street	3	Restaurant	$62,500
Mass. General Hospital	275 Charles street	3	Transformer vault	2,000
316 Stuart Street Trust	139–145 Columbus avenue	5	Alterations storage, manufacturing, office	16,000
Flax Realty Company	18 Dania street	18	Dwelling	8,000
Flax Realty Company	22 Dania street	18	Dwelling	8,000
Flax Realty Company	26 Dania street	18	Dwelling	8,000
Flax Realty Company	27 Dania street	18	Dwelling	8,000
Flax Realty Company	31 Dania street	18	Dwelling	8,000
Flax Realty Company	35 Dania street	18	Dwelling	8,000
Stony Brook Village Corp	5 Dodge road	18	Dwelling	8,000
Stony Brook Village Corp	9 Dodge road	18	Dwelling	8,000
Carney Hospital	2100 Dorchester avenue	17	Auditorium, dwelling	404,000
Benjamin Ginsberg	39–45 Dorchester street	6	Alterations, garage	500
Hugo Salemme	15 Dunbar avenue	17	Alterations, blacksmith	2,000
William Skerry	576 East Broadway	6	Alterations, dwelling	3,500
Arthur and Catherine O'Leary	754 East Third street	7	Alterations, dwelling	None
Ralph DeRota	123 Faywood avenue	1	Dwelling	$10,000
A. S. Weinstein	114 Green street	19	Alterations, storage	1,000
John C. Jones	904 Harrison avenue	8	Alterations, dwelling	None
John C. Jones	906 Harrison avenue	8	Alterations, dwelling	None
John C. Jones	910 Harrison avenue	8	Alterations, dwelling	None
John C. Jones	912 Harrison avenue	8	Alterations, store, dwelling	None
Susan M. Elliott	46 Hereford street	5	Alterations, dwelling	None
House of Good Shepherd	841 Huntington avenue	10	Fire repair, dormitory, school	$15,000
Kneeland Building Corp	15–19 Kneeland street	3	Alterations, store, manufacturing	35,000
Stony Brook Village Corp	2 Leighton road	18	Dwelling	8,000
Stony Brook Village Corp	6 Leighton road	18	Dwelling	8,000
Stony Brook Village Corp	10 Leighton road	18	Dwelling	8,000
Stony Brook Village Corp	14 Leighton road	18	Dwelling	8,000
Stony Brook Village Corp	18 Leighton road	18	Dwelling	8,000
Stony Brook Village Corp	22 Leighton road	18	Dwelling	8,000
Stony Brook Village Corp	26 Leighton road	18	Dwelling	8,000
Stony Brook Village Corp	30 Leighton road	18	Dwelling	8,000
Stony Brook Village Corp	34 Leighton road	18	Dwelling	8,000
Stony Brook Village Corp	38 Leighton road	18	Dwelling	8,000
Hathaway Bakeries	40 Life street	22	Alterations, bakery, storage	1,900
Harry Davis	174 Main street	2	Fire repair, store, dwelling	1,000
Elizabeth Howard	20 Marlborough street	5	Alterations, lodging house, dwelling	None
Carl and Kathryn Gundal	273 Metropolitan avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	None
Claire Therrien	99 Minot street	16	Alterations, dwelling	$80
Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston.	4 Old Harbor street	7	Alterations, hospital	130,000
Arthur Wood	84 Russett road	20	Dwelling	9,000
David Ovans	2 Sinclair place	22	Alterations, dwelling	200
92 State Street, Inc	92 State street	3	Alterations, office, store	8,200
Sutherland Apartments, Inc.	127 Sutherland road	21	Fire repair, dwelling	1,500
Charles Matta	120 Temple street	20	Dwelling, garage	10,000
E. J. Anderson, et al	126–146 Terrace street	10	Use premises	None
Croft Company	148–164 Terrace street	10	Alterations, warehouse	None
May Robinson	318 Warren street	12	Alterations, dwelling	None
J. Jerome Riker	39 and 41 West street	3	Alterations, store, office	$2,000
John L. Bynoe	30 Williams street	9	Alterations, dwelling	None
Joseph Sanford	35 Ainsworth street	20	Alterations, dwelling	$2,400
W. Gurezik	850 Albany street	8	Fire escape, store, dwelling	200
Barney Ragolsky	29 Albion street	8	Fire escape, dwelling	125
A. Acconando	10 Amory street	2	Fire escape, dwelling	175
Boston Real Estate Trust	530 Atlantic avenue	3	Alterations, offices	1,000
James and Mary Spruance	53 Bailey street	17	Alterations, dwelling	600
Magnus Sandstrom	306 Beech street	20	Alterations, dwelling	250
Frederick and John Rasch	19 and 21 Birchwood street	20	Alterations, dwelling	350
Dorchester District Society	195 Boston street	7	Alterations, museum	175
A. Kozberg	4 Bower park	12	Fire repairs, dwelling	275
Jim Petrillo	1296 Boylston street	5	Sign, cafeteria	80
First National Bank	132 Cambridge street	3	Sign, bank	900
City of Boston	256 Centre street	16	Take-down, school	3,380
Thomas Connor	304 Centre street	10	Sign, store, dwelling	100
Nicholas Pappo	1883 Centre street	20	Sign, store, restaurant	80
Vita Taschetta	353 Chelsea street	1	Fire repairs, dwelling	300
M. F. Sullivan	12 Clover street	16	Fire repairs, dwelling	450
Domenic Mastracola	36 Codman street	17	Alterations, dwelling	430
Alfred Clapp	48 Cohasset street	20	Alterations, dwelling	790
Walter Kuchinskas	471 Columbia road	15	Alterations, dwelling	354
A. Ott	1748 Columbia road	7	Alterations, dwelling	750
Ruby Mosley	402 Columbus avenue	4	Fire repairs, dwelling	500
Algonquin Club	217–21 Commonwealth avenue.	5	Alterations, club	200
Raymond Lyford	52 Cummings road	21	Alterations, dwelling	75
Thom Clinic	315 Dartmouth street	5	Alterations, clinic	400
John Hallahan	509 East Broadway	6	Alterations, dwelling	750
John Hallahan	511 East Broadway	6	Alterations, dwelling	750
Michael Lozynsky	431 East Seventh street	7	Alterations, dwelling	400
W. J. Kennedy	70 F street	6	Alterations, dwelling	300
Mathew Ricelli	35 Fairmount street	17	Alterations, dwelling	300
A. Stott	112 Farquhar street	20	Alterations, dwelling	160
David Dragan	198 Fisher avenue	10	Alterations, dwelling	200
Carl Bressler	241 Foster street	22	Alterations, dwelling	300
Gillette Company	75 Gillette park	6	Alterations, warehouse	600
John Sennott	23 Glencoe street	22	Alterations, dwelling	150
T. Maguire	97 Glendower street	18	Alterations, dwelling	490
American Refining Company	35 Granite street	6	Sign, manufacturing	450
Philip Gross	37 Greenock street	14	Alterations, dwelling	200

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 22.—Concluded.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost
William Netter	137 Harold street	12	Alterations, dwelling	$185
Raymond's Inc	35 Hawley street	3	Sign, store	650
Mary G. Murphy	18 Hawthorne street	11	Alterations, dwelling	100
Dr. Daniel Mahoney	11 Holbrook street	19	Alterations, dwelling	90
Ralph Williams	57 Hollander street	12	Alterations, dwelling	850
Francis Connolly	39 Houghton street	16	Alterations, dwelling	389
W. W. Higgins	1023 Hyde Park avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	475
M. Skinner	1133 Hyde Park avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	385
Gladys Gallant	10 Leroy street	15	Alterations, dwelling	600
John J. Erghott	11–13 Lester place	19	Alterations, dwelling	1,021
Mary J. Shea	26 Lorette street	20	Alterations, dwelling	260
Ann Kelly	16 Lotus street	11	Fire repairs, stable	150
Robert Myler	176 Main street	2	Sign, stores	100
Rose DeStefano	21 Margaret street	3	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
D. W. Sacks	82 McLellan street	14	Fire escape, dwelling	400
Violet Faraci	298 Meridian street	1	Alterations, dwelling	300
Violet Faraci	300 Meridian street	1	Alterations, dwelling	300
Pious Daughters St. Paul	50 Mt. Walley avenue	19	Excavation	5,000
Mr. Fred Donovan	28 North Market street	3	Alterations, restaurant	700
Antonette-Rosario Corrao	193 and 195 Norwell street	17	Alterations, dwelling	250
William Purdy	73 Oakton avenue	16	Alterations, dwelling	350
Mr. Wilensky	154 Orleans street	1	Fire repairs, coal shed	300
Albert Cavaliono	97 Portland street	3	Sign, stores	90
Security Boston Corporation	10 Post Office square	3	Alterations, stores, office	900
Paul Murphy	16 Primrose street	20	Alterations, dwelling	100
Frank Dooley	30 Romsey street	13	Fire repair, dwelling	200
Anna Channing Peterson	15 Santuit street	16	Alterations, dwelling	1,200
Charles Aldred	14 Seaverns avenue	19	Alterations, dwelling	200
Mr. Swartz	3 Somerset street	3	Alterations, offices	600
Arthur Karle	617 South street	19	Alterations, dwelling	425
Nicholas Capozzi	70 Sprague street	18	Alterations, dwelling	500
State Street Properties	15 State street	3	Alterations, offices	500
New England Telephone & Telegraph Company.	245 State street	3	Alterations, offices	700
Kennedy's Inc	26–32 Summer street	3	Alterations, store	6,000
The Tub	149 Sutherland road	21	Sign, store	100
Christina Caruso	8 Tremlett street	17	Alterations, dwelling	900
Jim Maloney	498 Tremont street	5	Sign, tavern, dwelling	80
Rev. McNeil	6 Tupelo street	12	Fire escape, dwelling	50
J. Smith	8 Tupelo street	12	Fire escape, dwelling	50
Lebow's Incorporated	88 Union street	3	Sign, store, office	175
R. B. Budding	81 Waltham street	3	Fire escape, lodging house	150
J. Harris	2978 Washington street	11	Alterations, dwelling	300
Thomas Cordner	175 Weld street	20	Alterations, garage	125
James Parsons	4 Westmoreland street	16	Alterations, dwelling	735
William J. Johnston	130 Whitford street	18	Alterations, dwelling	298
Gregory Mazares	124 Wilmington avenue	17	Alterations, dwelling	600
David Finn	31 Yarmouth street	4	Alterations, dwelling	150
Joseph Eldredge	1 Acorn street	5	Alterations, dwelling	600
William Walsh	66 Alexander street	13	Fire escape, dwelling	275
Sheraton Corporation	470 Atlantic avenue	3	Sign, restaurant, office	2,500
Francis Jandron	251 Beacon street	5	Alterations, dwelling	300
Mrs. Garmenan	23 Beale street	17	Fire repairs, dwelling	435
Liberty Mutual Insurance Company.	175 Berkeley street	5	Alterations, offices	1,790
John W. Pridham	28 and 30 Bradfield street	20	Alterations, dwelling	1,200
Louis Siegel	1826 Centre street	20	Sign, store, office	100
School, hard hearing	283 Commonwealth avenue	5	Fire escape, office, hall	100
M. Metzger	285 Commonwealth avenue	5	Fire escape, office, dwelling	100
Randall Nickerson	66 Dorchester street	6	Alterations, dwelling	850
A. P. Levin	172 180 Federal street	3	Alterations, restaurant, store, office	500
J. Bethony	25 Highland avenue	9	Fire escape, dwelling	115
J. Bethony	27 Highland avenue	9	Fire escape, dwelling	115
Granville Graybeal	13 Hobson street	22	Alterations, dwelling	750
Russell Williams	14 and 16 Julian street	13	Alterations, dwelling	600
Gerado Antonelli	24 and 26 LaRose place	21	Alterations, dwelling	500
United Drug Company	37 Leon street	4	Alterations, office, manufacturing	50
Anne Ryan	198 M street	6	Alterations, dwelling	700
Mabel Hyatt	470 Massachusetts avenue	9	Fire repairs, lodging house	475
Annie Relti	79 Newbury street	5	Alterations, dwelling	250
C. L. Brown	3 Perthshire road	22	Excavation	100
Drake's Bakery, Inc	68 and 70 Quincy street	12	Take-down, dwelling	2,000
Anthony and Jenny Cieroni	253 Quincy street	14	Alterations, dwelling	750
Estate Abraham Beechman	753 Shawmut avenue	9	Sign, store, dwelling	100
First National Bank	52–56 Temple place	3	Alterations, bank	1,600

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

(Continued from page 257.)

Ralph M. Simes, 34 Greendale road, Mattapan.

John E. Delaney, 200 Harrison avenue.

Frederick A. Harrold, 1 Dabney place, Roxbury.

William M. Dwyer, 119 Dale street, Roxbury.

James E. Walsh, 127 G street, South Boston.

Ralph P. Stoddard, Jr., 292 Dudley street, Roxbury.

Robert Randall, 435 Walnut avenue.

Charles E. Nagle, 15 Dickens street, Dorchester.

Luke Bishop, 25 Arnold street, Roxbury.

Thomas P. Henchey, 110 I street, South Boston.

Nunzio Constantino, 155 Woodrow avenue, Dorchester.

Frank J. Ranineri, Jr., 440 Hanover street.

Robert M. Gibbons, 246 South Huntington avenue.

Nicholas Files, 3 Vinson street.

Thomas L. McNally, 55 East Concord street.

John J. Gorham, 122 Eustis street, Roxbury.

Carl Goforth, 32 Regent street, Roxbury.

George E. McIntyre, 54 Village street.

Alfred J. Kelly, 15 Levant street, Dorchester.

Bernard R. Duggan, 119 Bolton street, South Boston.

Joseph P. Lopilato, 32 Westland avenue.

Alton Pierce, Jr., 724 Harrison avenue.

John L. McKenna, 44 West Cottage street.

George E. Thomas, 156 Dorchester street, South Boston.

John T. Hall, 5 Shandon road, Dorchester.

James E. Fitzpatrick, 2 Bataan court.

Lawrence Smith, 7 Arbutus street, Dorchester.

Robert N. Belyea, 3401 Washington street, Jamaica Plain.

William Butterfield, 25 Wheatland avenue, Dorchester.

Alfred E. Sears, 59 Gordon avenue, Hyde Park.

Edward F. Erwin, 80 Forbes street, Jamaica Plain.

John E. McCarthy, 41 Cedar street, Mattapan.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following changes in status:

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Thomas F. Fraher, 391 La Grange street, West Roxbury, from fire fighter-assistant Cardox engineer at $80.46 a week to fire fighter-engineer in charge (Cardox) at $84.29 a week.

John E. Lydstone, Jr., 4238 Washington street, Roslindale, from fire fighter-second engineer at $78.54 a week to fire fighter-assistant Cardox engineer at $78.54 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Julia Collins, 7 Bloomington street, Dorchester, from clerk and typist, permanent, at $52.95 a week to senior clerk and typist, temporary, at $55.50 a week.

South Division.

Richard K. Boyle, 221 Dudley street, Roxbury, from assistant chef at $90.50 a week to chef, temporary, at $94 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Water Division.

William G. Reardon, 89 Hillside street, Roxbury, clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior account clerk, temporary, at $55.50 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following promotions:

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

House of Correction.

John J. Sullivan, 11A Albion street, Roxbury, from correction officer-receiver at $80 a week to deputy master (temporary) at $83.50 a week.

Andrew A. R. Puzzo, Deer Island, from correction officer at $76.50 a week to correction officer and receiver (temporary) at $80 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following transfers:

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Michael J. Yovanna, 169 Endicott street, from Public Works Department, Sewer Division, as motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week to Public Works Department, Water Division, as motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following leaves of absence:

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Health Division.

Josephine M. Kaup, 19 Druid street, Dorchester, telephone operator, $68 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Water Division.

Clarence Marcy, 445 Adams street, Dorchester, principal clerk, $76.50 a week.

STEP-RATE INCREASES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved step-rate increases for employees of the following departments:

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Bridge Division.

Thomas Sexton, drawtender, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Thomas Gaquin, machinist, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Daniel Coughlin, bridge construction inspector, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Highway Division.

Walter Williams, junior civil engineer, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Joseph M. Courtney, laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Joseph J. Sullivan, laborer, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

Francis Desmond, laborer, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

John F. Lyons, laborer, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

Albert J. Leary, paver, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Carmen Panico, motor equipment operator and laborer, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

Sanitary Division.

James T. Dowd, mechanic-laborer, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

William P. McCarthy, laborer, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Sumner Tunnel.

Alexis T. Muse, tollman-guard, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

William E. Shaw, tollman-guard, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

REGISTRY OF DEEDS.

Joseph F. Kelleher, senior clerk, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Francis C. Pomeroy, photostatic recording operator, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Paul A. Costello, senior clerk, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Edward F. Bowers, jail officer, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

John K. McCarey, jail officer, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Brainerd Hughes, assistant chief officer, from $80 to $83.50 a week.

John R. Slattery, assistant chief officer, from $83.50 to $87 a week.

Joseph K. McSweeney, chief officer, from $408.90 to $429.56 a month.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following requests:

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

John J. Jason, traffic sign supervisor, 8 hours.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 22.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Joseph H. Vogel	124 West Concord street	9	Connecting heater	$25
P. Kennedy	15 Whitman street	17	Connecting heater	50
E. Sawyer	27 Wolcott street	14	Connecting range	35
D. Gould	9 Cooper street	3	Connecting range	10
G. Trethewey	72 Cummins Highway	18	Connecting heater	250
I. Himelfarb	Dover street	3	Connecting range	50
I. Himelfarb	33 Edinboro' street	3	Connecting range	55
O. McElearney	28 Green street	2	Connecting range	75
D. Gould	169 Ruthven street	12	Connecting range	50
B. Capone	88 Union street	3	Connecting range	50
J. Marquess	135 Vernon street	9	Connecting range	15
G. Trethewey	27 Wellsmere road	20	Connecting heater	500
M. Slishman	535 Albany street	8	Connecting range	50
S. Sawtelle	82 Armandine street	17	Connecting heater	175
E. Pascucci	628 Bennington street	1	Connecting range	25
E. Pascucci	1185 Bennington street	1	Connecting range	25
P. Gulesian	9 Brainard street	18	Connecting heater	200
A. Granara	109 Charter street	3	Connecting range	25
H. Haffer	1396 Commonwealth avenue	21	Connecting range	35
H. Haffer	1402 Commonwealth avenue	21	Connecting range	40
E. Pascucci	78 Cottage street	1	Connecting range	35
L. Avery	43 Forest Hills street	11	Connecting heater	35
A. Cohen	70 Green street	3	Connecting range	100
P. Gulesian	70 Harvard avenue	18	Connecting range	125
A. Cohen	48 Havelock street	14	Connecting heater	35
F. Avery	13 Kenney street	10	Connecting heater	25
P. Gulesian	36A Lexington avenue	18	Connecting heater	40
E. Pascucci	269 Lexington avenue	1	Connecting range	15
N. Clark	35 Leyland street	8	Connecting range	50
N. Clark	349 Market street	21	Connecting range	15
N. Clark	192 Orange street	20	Connecting range	400
H. Slavet	14 Roswell street	8	Connecting range	40
F. Avery	47 Spring Park avenue	19	Connecting heater	30
E. Pascucci	314 Sumner street	1	Connecting range	35
T. Matthews	99 Waldeck street	14	Connecting range	30
T. Matthews	34 Wheatland avenue	17	Connecting range	50
A. Cohen	241 Woodrow avenue	14	Connecting range	200
O. Weider	668 Adams street	16	Connecting range	15
William Awad	44 Ashford street	21	Connecting heater	50
G. Trethewey	535 Baker street	20	Connecting range	180
William Awad	29 Blaine street	21	Connecting range	50
G. Patey	Rear 1005 Centre street	19	Connecting range	20
A. DiLorenzo	288 Commercial street	3	Connecting range	100
J. Reid	29 Cushing avenue	13	Connecting range	25
E. Mogel	45 Dover street	3	Connecting range	60
William Awad	75 East Brookline street	8	Connecting range	40
William Awad	89 Easton street	21	Connecting heater	40
G. Trethewey	11 Eugenia street	20	Connecting heater	250
A. Granara	59 Fleet street	3	Connecting range	15
A. Granara	319 Hanover street	3	Connecting range	100
E. Mogel	10 Hudson street	3	Connecting range	35
O. Weider	19 Hutchinson street	16	Connecting range	25
E. Mogel	514 Massachusetts avenue	9	Connecting range	15
G. Trethewey	38 Mt. Vernon street	20	Connecting heater	375
B. Capone	27 Newcomb street	8	Connecting range	40
O. Morlock	9 New Heath street	10	Connecting range	200
D. Carey	53 Oliver street	3	Connecting range	40
G. Trethewey	15 Rawston road	18	Connecting heater	175
E. Mogel	123 St. Botolph street	4	Connecting range	15
E. Mogel	3 School street	3	Connecting range	20
G. Trethewey	105 Sycamore street	18	Connecting heater	150
William Awad	32 Walter street	20	Connecting range	40
C. Lang	296 Bellevue street	20	Connecting range	10
John J. Vogel	42 Bradstreet avenue	18	Connecting range	150
E. Kelly	11 Champney street	21	Connecting range	30
S. Landau	1156 Commonwealth avenue	21	Connecting range	10
John J. Vogel	28 Congreve street	20	Connecting range	1,700
I. Gerson	15 Courtland road	14	Connecting heater	50
John J. Vogel	24 Dana avenue	18	Connecting range	15
John J. Vogel	24 Daua avenue	18	Connecting range	50
John J. Vogel	112 Dunster road	19	Connecting range	2,000
D. Palmariello	165 Endicott street	3	Connecting range	35
John J. Vogel	89 Fletcher street	20	Connecting range	200
C. Lang	54 Forest street	18	Connecting heater	30
S. Pryor	1 Franklin street	2	Connecting range	40
D. Gould	84 Leonard street	15	Connecting range	50
B. Capone	241 Lexington street	1	Connecting range	40
	97 Lucerne street	14	Connecting range	30
S. Landau	248 Marlborough street	5	Connecting heater	50
John J. Vogel	39 Newburg street	20	Connecting range	350
A. Kellem	374 Shawmut avenue	3	Connecting range	20
E. Kelly	46 Wareham street	8	Connecting range	35
E. Kelly	753 West Roxbury Parkway	20	Connecting range	15
E. Kelly	18 Whitby terrace	13	Connecting range	100
E. Kelly	18 Whitby terrace	13	Connecting range	100

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Christine Krupp, head clerk, 7 hours at $2.39 an hour.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Robert Lynch, principal statistical machine operator.

Margaret O'Reilly, head clerk.

VETERANS' RETIREMENTS.

The Mayor has approved the following veterans' applications for retirement:

Daniel J. Coughlin, 454 Huntington avenue, superintendent of automotive maintenance, Public Works Department.

James Greene, 73 Tower street, Jamaica Plain, janitor, Suffolk County Court House.

David Burke, 35 Mendelssohn street, West Roxbury, hoseman, Fire Department.

John Doyle, also known as John J. Doyle, 12 Carlford road, Jamaica Plain, hoseman, Fire Department.

Walter A. Lane, 64 St. Brendan road, Dorchester, patrolman, Traffic Division, Police Department.

Patrick J. Doherty, also known as Patrick Doherty, 20 Mt. Vernon street, Charlestown, correction officer, House of Correction, Penal Institutions Department.

Joseph M. Sullivan, 49 Rexford street, Dorchester, district supervisor of cleaning and waste collection, Sanitary Division, Public Works Department.

John H. McGann, 223 Blue Hill avenue, Roxbury, motor equipment operator and laborer, Highway Division, Public Works Department.

Carl E. Melanson, 60 Newburg street, Roslindale, Sergeant, Bureau of Criminal Investigation, Police Department.

Martin Flaherty, 355 Centre street, Dorchester, patrolman, Division 2, Police Department.

Allan McInnis (also known as Allan R. McInnis), 73 Nelson street, Dorchester, captain, Engine Company 20, Fire Department.

Domenici Pollini (also known as Domenico Antonio Pallina), 2 East Capen street, Medford, paver, Highway Division, Public Works Department.

Raymond C. Thompson, 14 St. Margaret street, Dorchester, steam fireman, Sewer Division, Public Works Department.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award the contracts for work, materials, and supplies, in accordance with recommendations of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Purchasing Division.

Upon February 14 the Mayor approved a contract with Roxbury Crushed Stone Company for furnishing crushed stone to the various city departments, from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, inclusive. Approximate total amount of contract was $4,600, plus a charge of 50 cents per ton for deliveries of crushed stone less than five tons, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids, opened February 7, were as follows:

Crushed Stone.

Item 1. Approximately 1,200 Tons, ½ Inch, Per Ton.—Rowe Contracting Company, $2.90; West Roxbury Crushed Stone Company, $2.85*; Old Colony Crushed Stone Company $2.95 (prices are based on full truck loads, 10 tons, minimum).

Item 2. Approximately 100 Tons, ¾ Inch, Per Ton.—Rowe Contracting Company, $2.60; West Roxbury Crushed Stone Company, $2.45*; Old Colony Crushed Stone Company, $2.80 (prices are based on full truck loads, 10 tons, minimum).

Item 3. Approximately 300 Tons, 1 Inch, Per Ton.—Rowe Contracting Company, $2.50; West Roxbury Crushed Stone Company, $2.45*; Old Colony Crushed Stone Company, $2.75 (prices are based on full truck loads, 10 tons, minimum).

Item 4. Approximately 100 Tons Stone Dust, Per Ton.—Rowe Contracting Company, $2.10; West Roxbury Crushed Stone Company, $2*; Old Colony Crushed Stone Company, $2.15 (prices are based on full truck loads, 10 tons, minimum).

Extra Charge for Less Than Full Loads, Per Ton.—Rowe Contracting Company, 50 cents, less than 5 tons; West Roxbury Crushed Stone Company, 50 cents, less than 5 tons.

Discount.—Rowe Contracting Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; West Roxbury Crushed Stone Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Old Colony Crushed Stone Company, 2 per cent, time of payment.

*** Contract awarded.**

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Upon February 18 the Mayor approved a contract with Somerville Machine & Foundry Company for furnishing composition metal castings to the Water Division of the Public Works Department. Approximate total amount of contract will be $17,942, net. Period of contract will be from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956.

Bids, opened February 11, were a follows:

Item 1. Approximately 9,400 Pounds Number 1 Composition Metal Castings, Per Pound.—Johnson Brass Foundry Company, Inc., 69 cents; Somerville Machine & Foundry Company, 63 cents.*

Item 2. Approximately 19,000 Pounds Number 2 Composition Metal Castings, Per Pound.—Johnson Brass Foundry Company, Inc., 62 cents; Somerville Machine & Foundry Company, 59 cents.*

Item 3. Approximately 1,500 Pounds Number 3 Composition Metal Castings, Per Pound.—Johnson Brass Foundry Company, Inc., 57 cents; Somerville Machine & Foundry Company, 54 cents.*

Discount.—Johnson Brass Foundry Company, Inc., 1 per cent, 10 days, net, 30 days; Somerville Machine & Foundry Company, net bills.

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—Johnson Brass Foundry Company, Inc., Item 1, approximately 30 days, Item 2, approximately 30 days, Item 3, approximately 20 days; Somerville Machine & Foundry Company, Item 1, 30 days, or as requested, Item 2, 60 days, or as requested, Item 3, 30 days, or as requested.

*** Contract awarded.**

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Upon February 18 the Mayor approved a contract with Warren Foundry & Pipe Company for furnishing cast-iron pipe to the Water Division of the Public Works Department. Approximate total amount of contract will be $77,536, net, 30 days. Prices quoted are for truck delivery in heavy trucks of full load lots. Period of contract will be from April 1, 1955, to August 31, 1955.

Bids, opened February 8, were as follows:

Item 1. 1,600 Feet 4-inch Cast-Iron Water Pipe, Per Foot.—Florence Pipe Foundry & Machine Company, $1.30; United States Pipe & Foundry Company, $1.29; Warren Foundry & Pipe Corporation, $1.27.*

Item 2. 3,200 Feet 6-Inch Cast-Iron Water Pipe, Per Foot.—Florence Pipe Foundry & Machine Company, $1.93; United States Pipe & Foundry Company, $1.92; Warren Foundry & Pipe Corporation, $1.88.*

Item 3. 20,000 Feet 8-Inch Cast-Iron Water Pipe, Per Foot.—Florence Pipe Foundry & Machine Company, $2.93; United States Pipe & Foundry Company, $2.91; Warren Foundry & Pipe Corporation $2.86.*

Item 4. 2,400 Feet 12-Inch Cast-Iron Water Pipe, Per Foot.—Florence Pipe Foundry & Machine Company, $5.22; United States Pipe & Foundry Company, $5.21; Warren Foundry & Pipe Corporation $5.12.*

Discount.—Florence Pipe Foundry & Machine Company, net, cash, 30 days, ½ of 1 per cent cash, 10 days; United States Pipe & Foundry Company, net, cash, 30 days from date of invoice; Warren Foundry & Pipe Corporation, net, 30 days.

Delivery.—Florence Pipe Foundry & Machine Company, in accordance with requirements; prices quoted are firm; United States Pipe & Foundry Company, shipping promises are subject to prior sale of space and causes of delay beyond control; Type 1 pipe would be furnished in 18-inch lengths; prices are based on truck delivery in minimum 10-ton truckload lots to Albany Street Water Division Yard, Boston, and include the unloading in places suitable for and accessible to heavy trucks, but do not include sales or use taxes, if any; any increase or decrease in transportation rates prior to shipment would be for your account; prices include stacking the pipe in storage piles on which trucker can safely unload by hand with stacking not higher than safe for the same method of unloading, with buyer to furnish necessary lumber and any additional labor or equipment needed to help truckmen, bells to face randomly as unloaded from the truck; Warren Foundry & Pipe Corporation, could start delivery at once and complete within three to four weeks, from date of receipt of written order; prices quoted are for truck delivery to 710 Albany street in heavy trucks in full load lots.

*** Contract awarded.**

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Upon February 18 the Mayor approved a contract with lowest bidders as indicated for furnishing grass seed and fertilizer to the various city departments from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, inclusive. All prices received on Item 11 are being rejected inasmuch as none of the bids were acceptable; this item will be purchased in the open market at an approximate amount of $40.

Approximate total amounts of awards will be: contract for Thomas F. Culkeen Company, $8,907, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; orders for Clapper Company, $146, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids opened February 9, were as follows:

Item 1. 12,000 Pounds Grass Seed, As Per Specifications, Per Pound.—Belt Seed Company, Inc., 59.75 cents; Arthur R. Cone, Inc., 75 cents; Thomas F. Culkeen Company, 58.5 cents*; John D. Lyon, Inc., 55.65 cents.

Item 2. 1,200 Pounds Shady Lawn Seed Mix, As Per Specifications, Per Pound.—Belt Seed Company, Inc., 45.48 cents; Arthur R. Cone, Inc., 48 cents; Thomas F. Culkeen Company, 40.5 cents*; John D. Lyon, Inc., 42.5 cents.

Item 3. 500 Pounds Putting Green Seed, As Per Specifications, Per Pound.—Belt Seed Company, Inc., 65.2 cents; Clapper Company, 80 cents; Arthur R. Cone, Inc., 70 cents; Thomas F. Culkeen Company, 56.5 cents*; John D. Lyon, Inc., 64.6 cents.

Item 4. 100 Pounds Bowling Green Seed Mixture, As Per Specifications, Per Pound.—Belt Seed Company, Inc., 69.55 cents; Clapper Company, 85 cents; Arthur R. Cone, Inc., 73 cents; Thomas F. Culkeen Company, 54 cents*; John D. Lyon, Inc., 72 cents.

Item 5. 65 Bags, 100 Pounds Each, 8-6-4, Fertilizer, Per Hundredweight.—Clapper Company, $3.75; Thomas F. Culkeen Company, $3.50.*

Item 6. 125 Bags, 100 Pounds Each, Milorganite, Per Hundredweight.—Belt Seed Company, Inc., $4.35, Nitroganic; Clapper Company, $2.90, Milorganite (80 pounds); Thomas F. Culkeen Company, $3.70*, Milorganite, $3, Mello Green; Joseph D. Lyon, Inc., $3.10, Mello Green or Covenco, $4.10, Milorganite.

Item 7. 125 Bags, 100 Pounds Each, Covenco, or Equal, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen Company, $2.30, 5-8-7, $2.35*, 5-10-5.

Item 8. 1,000 Pounds Scott's Turf Builder, 50-Pound Bags, Per Hundredweight.—Clapper Company, $7.85.*

Item 9. 1,500 Pounds Vigoro Only, 100-Pound Bags, Per Hundredweight.—Clapper Company, $4.50.*

Item 10. 1,500 Pounds Boncmeal, Fine, 100-Pound Bags, Per Hundredweight.—Clapper Company, $4.75; Thomas F. Culkeen Company, $4.65.*

Item 11. 480 Pounds Electra Gold Star, 80-Pound Bags, Per Hundredweight.—No bids.

Item 12. 1,000 Pounds Hydrated Limc, 100-Pound Bags, Per Hundredwieght.—Clapper Company, $1.20 (50-pound bags); Thomas F. Culkeen Company, $1.10*; John D. Lyon, Inc., $1.245.

Discount.—Belt Seed Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Clapper Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Arthur R. Cone, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Thomas F. Culkeen Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; John D. Lyon, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon February 18 the Mayor approved a contract with the Century Paper Company, Inc., for furnishing flat printing and book papers, as requested, to the Printing Section until March 31, 1955. All bids received on Item 5 are being rejected, inasmuch as this item is not needed at the present time. Approximate total amount of contract will be $9,614, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids, opened February 1, were as follows:

Item 1. 25,000 Sheets Book Paper, 32 x 44, 148M, Substance 50, White, English Finish, No. 1 Grade (This Paper Not to Contain Any Ground Wood or Old Paper), Per Hundredweight.—Tileston & Hollingsworth Company, $14.60, BBW, Sumner Plate; Cook-Vivian-Lindenmeyr Company, Inc., $17.85, Hermes, English finish; Carter, Rice and Company Corporation, $14.10, Carfax, English finish, skid packed; John Carter & Co., Inc., $15.85, Ti, English finish; Century Paper Company, Inc., $13.50.*

Item 2. 20,000 Sheets Book Paper, 25 x 38, 120M, Substance 60, White, No. 2 Coated, Coated Two Sides, Per Hundredweight.—Tileston & Hollingsworth Company, $16.55, CICO-Print, carton packing; Carter, Rice and Company Corporation, $22, Cumberland gloss, plus 15 per cent; John Carter & Co., Inc., $22.20, Refold; Century Paper Company, Inc., $16.*

Item 3. 17,500 Sheets Book Paper, 25 x 38, 140M, Substance 70, White, No. 2 Coated, Coated Two Sides, Per Hundredweight.—Tileston & Hollingsworth Company, $19.60, CICO-Flex, 2,450 pounds, carton packing; Cook-Vivian-Lindenmeyr Company, Inc., $22, Herculite Enamel; Carter, Rice and Company Corporation, $22, Cumberland Gloss, plus 15 per cent; John Carter & Co., Inc., $19.30, 2,450 pounds, Refold; Century Paper Company, Inc., $16.*

Item 4. 15,000 Sheets Book Paper, 25 x 38, 160 M, Substance 80, White, No. 2 Coated, Coated Two Sides, Per Hundredweight.—Tileston & Hollingsworth Company, $19.60, CICO-Flex, carton packing; Cook-Vivian-Lindenmeyr Company, Inc., $22, Herculite Enamel; Carter, Rice and Company Corporation, $22, Cumberland Gloss, plus 15 per cent; John Carter & Co., Inc., $19.30, Refold; Century Paper Company, $16.*

Item 5. Bristol Index Card Stock, 72-Pound Milton Index, or Equal, Per Hundredweight.—No bids.

Item 6. 250,000 Sheets Book Paper, 25x38, 100M, Substance 50, White, English Finish, No. 1 Grade, 25,000 Pounds, Per Hundredweight.—Tileston & Hollingsworth Company, $13.65, Sumner Plate, BBW, 3,000 pounds; Cook-Vivian-Lindenmeyr Company, Inc., $15.90, Hermes, $15.10, Crobank; Carter, Rice and Company Corporation, $14.10, Carfax, English finish, skid packed; John Carter & Co., Inc., $15.85, Ti, English finish; Century Paper Company, $12.25.*

Item 7. 400,000 Sheets Book Paper, 28 x 34, 100M, Substance 50, White, English Finish, No. 1 Grade, 40,000 Pounds, Per Hundredweight.—Tileston & Hollingsworth Company, $13.65, 3,000 pound skids; Cook-Vivian-Lindenmeyr Company, Inc., $15.20, Hermes, $14.45, Crobank; Carter, Rice and Company Corporation, $14.10, Carfax, English finish, skid packed; John Carter & Co., Inc., $15.85, Ti, English finish; Century Paper Company $12.25.*

Discount.—Tileston & Hollingsworth Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Cook-Vivian-Lindenmeyr Company, Inc., 2 per cent, 10 days; Carter, Rice and Company Corporation, 2 per cent, 20 days; John Carter & Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Century Paper Company, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Remarks.—Tileston & Hollingsworth Company, Item 1, price will apply if awarded the bids on Items 6 and 7; paper on Items 1, 6, and 7, if awarded to this firm, will be manufactured together; Item 2, we are submitting price on No. 4, 60-pound coated, since 60-pound No. 2 is not a standard stock item; Cook-Vivian-Lindenmeyr Company, Inc., Item 1 to Item 4, delivery approximately one week to ten days after receipt of order, Item 5, delivery three to four weeks after receipt of order, Items 6 and 7, first delivery three to four weeks after receipt of order.

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Upon February 18 the Mayor approved a contract with George A. Hamlin & Co., for furnishing copper tubing to the Water Division of the Public Works Department immediately upon receipt of order. Approximate total amount of contract will be $5,442, less one half of 1 per cent discount for payment within ten days.

Bids, opened February 15, were as follows:

Requisition No. 107.

15,000 Feet Copper Service Tube, 250 60-Feet Coils, ¾-Inch, Type K, Soft, Per Foot.—George A. Hamlin & Co., 36.28 cents*; United Supply Company, 36.59 cents; Walworth Company, 38.51 cents.

Delivery.—George A. Hamlin & Co., immediately from stock; United Supply Company, immediately; Walworth Company, immediately from stock.

Discount.—George A. Hamlin & Co., one half of 1 per cent, 10 days; United Supply Company, one half of 1 per cent; Walworth Company, 2 per cent, 10th proximo, net, 30 days.

Trade Name of Product Upon Which Bid Is Based.—George A. Hamlin & Co., United Wire & Supply; United Supply Company, Lewin-Mathes; Walworth Company, American Brass Company Type Tubing.

* Contract awarded.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

Upon varying dates as indicated the Mayor approved contracts with contractors for furnishing supplies, labor, etc. Communications from the heads of departments interested were as follows:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Purchasing Division.

BOSTON, January 10, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

On January 6, 1955, your Honor approved a contract to the Eastern Salt Company for delivery of 2,000 tons of rock salt to the Public Works Department, as requested, from January 1, 1955, to March 31, 1955. The total amount specified in the contract has been delivered.

The Public Works Department now requires an additional 2,000 tons of rock salt, and the Parks and Recreation Department has submitted a requisition for 100 tons of rock salt. Since the rock salt is needed as soon as possible, written quotations were solicited and received from the only two companies who have bid on bulk rock salt for the past several years. A price of $14.10 per ton was submitted by both companies, which is the same as the price received on the last publicly advertised bid for this item on August 25, 1954.

Inasmuch as this material is needed immediately and since, in my opinion, no advantage would be gained by publicly advertising for prices, it is requested that permission be granted me to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award contracts, without public advertisement, to the following companies for the amounts and periods indicated below:

Eastern Salt Company, Public Works Department, 1,500 tons of rock salt at $14.10 per ton, $21,150; Parks and Recreation Department, 100 tons rock salt at $14.10 per ton, $1,410—$22,560; net, 30 days; period of contract, February 1, 1955, to March 31, 1955.

The Chemical Corporation, Public Works Department, 500 tons rock salt at $14.10 per ton, $7,050; net, 30 days; period of contract, January 10, 1955, to January 31, 1955.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, January 31, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

On May 25, 1954, your Honor approved a contract between the City of Boston and Herbert J. McLellan, doing business as Clough & Shackley, for furnishing drugs to the various city departments.

Although this contract does not expire until March 31, 1955, deliveries have exceeded the quantities specified in the contract plus the allowable 25 per cent over the amount indicated. This office

is presently in receipt of requisitions for 27,000 more vials of the same material on the original contract.

Authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices at this time and award a contract without public advertisement, to Herbert J. McLellan, doing business as Clough & Shackley, for furnishing drugs for the period from February 1, 1955, to March 31, 1955, inclusive, at the same price as their current contract.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $2,700, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, February 8, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

From time to time it is necessary to purchase repair parts for the various types of automotive equipment used by the various city departments. Authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award contracts, without public advertisement, to the companies listed below for furnishing repair parts for the equipment specified to the various city departments from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956. Each company named is the manufacturer or local distributor for the equipment listed.

Approximate total amounts of contracts will be as follows:

E. J. Bleiler Equipment Company, Inc., Elgin sweeper, $18,000; Trojan front bucket loader, $6,000—$24,000.

American-LaFrance Foamite Corporation, fire apparatus, $20,000.

Harold Alexander, doing business as Louis Alexander Company, Wayne Sweeper, $7,000.

Charles H. Wood, doing business as Charles N. Wood Company, Walter snow fighter, $6,000.

Morrissey Brothers Tractor Company, Allis Chalmers tractor, $1,500.

Perkins Milton Company, Inc., Barber Green snow loader, $1,500.

G. A. Sandberg, doing business as Sandberg Equipment Company, Baughman sand spreader, $1,500.

Discount for G. A. Sandberg, doing business as Sandberg Equipment Company, is 2 per cent, time of payment; for all other companies, net.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, February 18, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The Boston City Hospital has requested immediate delivery of 5,000 ampules of Heparin, 1 cc. A price has been received from the manufacturer, Organon, Inc., 20 Main street, Orange, New Jersey.

Inasmuch as no other company makes this product and since the manufacturer will sell direct to the City of Boston, it is my opinion that publicly advertising for prices would serve no purpose or result in any saving to the city.

It is therefore requested that permission be granted me to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to Organon, Inc., 20 Main street, Orange, New Jersey, for 5,000 ampules of Heparin, 1 cc., at 55 cents each, to be delivered immediately to the Boston City Hospital.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $2,750, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Respectfully yours,

EUGENE K. WELSH,
Acting Purchasing Agent.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

BOSTON, February 11, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

SUBJECT: Thomas F. Leen School Building.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The only urinal available for use of students, a slate contraption installed in 1923, has so disintegrated and separated in its seams that it has become a health nuisance and menace, requiring the discontinuance of its use and replacement with modern fixtures. For many reasons it must be removed from the building immediately, and I consider it to be in the category of an emergency.

For the work involved in removing and replacing the urinal I solicited five competitive bid estimates, as follows:

Powers & Mehegan Company, $1,726; Frank T. McDonald Company, $1,974; J. M. McCusker Company, $2,068; Henry J. Lyons, $2,107; D. J. Rull, $2,259.

That the work of removing and replacing the urinal may be done without delay, I ask your Honor's approval to authorize me to contract, without advertising, with Powers & Mehegan Company, 500 Broadway, South Boston, in the amount of $1,726, on the basis of specifications and drawing submitted for bid solicitations.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES H. MOONEY,
Superintendent of Construction.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, February 17, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR:

Each year we find it necessary to make maintenance repairs to the laundry machinery at the Dover Street Laundry. During the past few years we held these repairs to a minimum, waiting to have authority and funds made available to construct a new laundry. We now expect that the new laundry will be completed by the end of this year. In the meantime we must make repairs and replacements to keep us in operation.

We therefore requested the Poland Laundry Machinery Company, which has made annual repairs on these machines for many years, to make a survey of the repairs necessary and to submit an itemized cost estimate for the work required.

As the result of that survey a report has been submitted wherein is quoted an estimated price of $1,960 to perform the necessary work.

After an examination of the report and the estimated cost submitted, we feel that the itemized repairs noted are necessary and that the price submitted for completing the work is fair and reasonable.

As this firm, specialists in this type of work, has taken care of the equipment in the past, knows the existing condition and the work involved, we feel nothing would be gained by publicly advertising for this work and that it would be in the best interests of the city to award a contract to it at the price submitted.

In view of all this, we respectfully request your permission to dispense with public advertising and to award a contract to the Poland Laundry Machinery Division, Mechanics Iron Foundry Company, 38 Kemble street, Boston, for repairs to laundry equipment, Dover Street Laundry, Boston, for a price not to exceed $1,960, same to be charged to regular Parks and Recreation Department budget, Item 279, "Repairs and Servicing of Equipment."

Respectfully yours,

FRANK R. KELLEY,
Commissioner.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, February 17, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

In connection with the laying of 12-inch steel water pipe between Moon Island and Long Island it will be necessary to send a representative of the Water Division to the plant of the Pipe Protective Service Company, North Arlington, New Jersey, for the purpose of inspecting the coating and the lining that is to be applied to the steel pipe.

I respectfully request your permission to send Edward J. Pinkul, principal civil engineer, to the above-mentioned plant for the purpose of making the inspection. The cost of the trip is not to exceed $60, and the necessary traveling expense vouchers certified to will be submitted to the City Auditor to cover the expenses of the trip.

Respectfully,

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, February 17, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

On Saturday, February 5, I received a telephone call from the custodian of the Hyde Park Municipal Building that there was a bad leak in the No. 2 boiler.

An examination showed that the rear section was badly cracked. The boiler is thirty-five years old and the same section was welded seven years ago.

Upon the receipt of the above report and in view of the emergency nature, I had specifications made including the installation of an oil burner and I invited six reputable contractors to quote on the above work with the following results:

P. J. Riley Company, 295 Highland street, Roxbury, $5,575; Joseph P. Dwyer, 103 Park street, West Roxbury, $5,640; J. P. O'Hearn Company, 9 Columbia place, Dorchester, $5,685; Fred Williams, Inc., 47 Ellery street, $5,698; Powers & Mehegan Company, 500 Broadway, South Boston, $5,728; J. M. McCusker, 17 Chestnut avenue, Jamaica Plain, $5,860.

This is an emergency and should be done at the earliest possible moment, for if anything should happen to the other boiler a very expensive freeze-up might occur.

As time is of the utmost importance, I respectfully ask permission to award this work without the usual form of advertising to the low bidder, P. J. Riley Company, 295 Highland street, Roxbury, in the sum of $5,575.

I believe the best interests of the city will be protected in this manner.

Respectfully yours,

GEORGE P. DONOVAN,
Assistant Commissioner.

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 10.

I. RETIREMENTS.

The following retirement, in accordance with section 57, chapter 32, of the General Laws, as amended, which became effective at 8 A.M., February 16, 1955, is hereby announced:

Hoseman John J. Doyle, Engine Company 37.

The following retirements, in accordance with chapter 347, Acts of 1892, as amended by chapter 237, Acts of 1939, are hereby announced to become effective at 8 A.M., February 23, 1955:

Capt. John F. Galvin, Engine Company 30.

Hoseman John L. Morrison, Fire Prevention Division.

The following retirement, in accordance with section 7, chapter 658 of the Acts of 1945, as amended, is hereby announced to become effective at 8 A.M., March 1, 1955:

Lieut. Hugh J. McMakin, Engine Company 4.

The following retirement, in accordance with section 13, chapter 521 of the Acts of 1922, is hereby announced to become effective at 8 A.M., March 1, 1955:

Engineer, Motor Squad, George H. King, Maintenance Division.

Captain Galvin was appointed to the Fire Department April 11, 1919. He was promoted to the grade of lieutenant June 25, 1941, and to captain September 11, 1946. Lieutenant McMakin was appointed to the Fire Department January 29, 1941, and was promoted to the grade of lieutenant January 14, 1948. Hoseman Morrison was appointed to the department June 21, 1918. Hoseman Doyle was appointed June 12, 1927, and Engineer King was appointed September 1, 1943.

The foregoing officers and men leave the department with the best wishes of their associates.

II. RESIGNATION.

The following resignation which became effective at 4.30 P.M., Tuesday, February 15, 1955, is hereby announced:

Storekeeper Carmen DiLorenzo, Maintenance Division.

By order of Fire Commissioner FRANCIS X. COTTER.

JOHN V. STAPLETON,
Chief of Department.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 2,006.

Acting under provisions of chapter 521, Acts of 1922, section 13, as amended, the Boston Retirement Board has approved for retirement, on account of accidental disability, the following-named police officer, effective at the close of business Monday, February 28, 1955.

In view of this operation of law, after February 28, 1955, the said police officer shall no longer be an active member of this department, and it is hereby ordered that its records be so amended:

Patrolman Edward P. Kavanagh, Division 14.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,007.

The following-named officer having requested retirement under the provisions of the Statutes of 1892, chapter 353, as amended, for the reason that he is incapacitated, it is hereby

Ordered, His Honor the Mayor having approved the same, that he be retired from active service in the Police Department, effective Friday, February 18, 1955, at 7.45 o'clock A.M.:

Detective Joseph J. McBrine, Detective Bureau (detailed to Bureau of Criminal Investigation), 32 years of service.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,008.

Patrolman Walter A. Lane, Traffic Division, honorably discharged veteran, having arrived at the age of fifty-eight years, having been in service of Boston Police Department for twenty-eight years, and having requested retirement under provisions of section 57, chapter 32, General Laws (Ter. Edit.), as amended, it is hereby

Ordered, His Honor the Mayor having approved the same, Patrolman Walter A. Lane will be retired from active duty in the Police Department, effective Tuesday, February 22, 1955, at 5.45 o'clock P.M.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,009.

The following-named police officers, honorably discharged veterans, having arrived at the ages stated, having been in service of Boston Police Department for number of years set forth, and having requested retirement under provisions of section 58, chapter 32, General Laws (Ter. Edit.), as amended, it is hereby

Ordered, His Honor the Mayor having approved the same, said police officers will be retired from active duty in the Police Department, effective as of Tuesday, February 22, 1955, at 5.45 o'clock P.M.:

Sergt. Carl E. Melanson, Bureau of Criminal Investigation, 56 years old, 31 years of service.

Patrolman Martin Flaherty, Division 2, 61 years old, 30 years of service.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of sewerage repairs, estimated to be five (5) days, vehicles are excluded from the following street, effective February 14, 1955:

Perkins Street, Charlestown.
From Brighton street to Parker street.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, for a trial period of sixty (60) days, the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective February 23, 1955:

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Bailey Street.
North side, from Dorchester avenue to a point four hundred (400) feet west of Dorchester avenue, 24 hours.
South side, from Dorchester avenue to the west property line of the Thomas Francis Leen School, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Munroe Street.
North side, from Warren street to Walnut avenue, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 6, Part 3 (Restrictions in Cent and Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Columbia Road.
Northwest side, from Arion street to Davern avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Lonsdale Street.
From Adams street to Dorchester avenue.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Rockland Avenue.
From Dale street to Rockland street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "West Roxbury," the following:

Calder Street.
From Blue Hill avenue to American Legion Highway.

TUNNEL TRAFFIC IN MAY.

In the month of May, 1954, 1,031,226 vehicles used the Sumner Tunnel. This is the first time in the history of the tunnel that in excess of 1,000,000 vehicles used the facility in any one month.

In May of 1953, 979,920 vehicles went through the tunnel, or 51,306 less than May of this year.

CITY OF BOSTON AND COUNTY OF SUFFOLK.

STATISTICAL FACTS FOR THE YEAR 1954

Date of incorporation	February 23, 1822
Date of adoption of City Charter (amended January 7, 1925)	1909
Form of Government	Mayor and City Council
Area (square miles)	47.81
Population — Federal Census (August 1, 1950)	801,444
Number of employees as of February 1, 1954	22,806
Boston Housing Authority:	
Federal Program (7,920 apartments housing 7,920 families)	
Number of apartments in veterans' permanent 1- and 2-family homes housing 1,306 families	
State-Aided Developments (containing 3,177 apartments housing 3,177 families)	
Building Department:	
Permits issued	17,515
Estimated cost	$35,771,706
Cemeteries: Number 19—Area (acres)	161.71
Election Department:	
Registered voters	383,864
Number of ballots cast last general election	169,493
Percentage of registered voters voting	44.15
Fire Department:	
Number of stations	51
Number of fireboats	2
Alarms responded to	15,150
Health Department: Health Units	10
Hospitals (Including Boston Sanatorium):	
City Hospital:	
Number of buildings	57
Bed capacity	2,460
Patients, daily average:	
Wards	1,798
Out-patient	891
Long Island Hospital:	
Number of buildings	27
Population	952
Library Department:	
Number of libraries	37
Number of employees (full time)	640
Number of volumes	2,011,358
Circulation	3,162,338
Markets, number of	2
Municipal buildings, number of	27
Park Department: Parks, number of acres	2,240.29
Area of playgrounds and play areas (acres)	807.12
Number of playgrounds and play areas	121
Number of municipal golf links	2
Number of municipal beaches	3
Public grounds and squares (acres)	57.41
Swimming pools (indoor) 2, (outdoor) 2	4
Number of recreation centers and indoor bathhouses	15
Police Department:	
Number of stations and headquarters	18
Arrests	93,294
Public Works Department:	
Bridges, number of	101
Miles of accepted streets and alleys	731
Sewers: Miles of sewers	1,302.75
Catch basins	23,972
Average number of gallons pumped daily at main pumping station	112,980,821
Sumner Traffic Tunnel: Length (feet)	5,654
Two-lane drive: Vehicles passing through — 1953	10,835,674
Water Service:	
Number of meters in service	95,653
Per capita daily average consumption (gallons)	139
Miles of mains: Ordinary	999,136
High pressure	18.72
Rapid Transit: Miles of subways and tunnels	16.81
Schools:	
Number of school buildings	224
Number of teachers	3,655
Average membership	94,774
Average daily attendance:	
Elemeutary and junior high schools	54,546
High schools	16,201
Kindergartens	8,151
Special schools	1,800

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION. (STATE SERVICE.)

NOTE.—Applicants are advised to file applications early. In event of a tie on the eligible list, the applicant who filed his application first will be given precedence.

MAINTENANCE FOREMAN, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH, MARCH 26, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, March 7, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $3,720 a year; the maximum salary is $4,440 a year.

Vacancies: At present there is one vacancy for a male at North Reading State Sanatorium, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: Under general direction, in a public health institution, to have responsible charge of the construction, repair, and alterations of buildings and building appurtenances; when so assigned to have charge of grounds maintenance, maintenance of filter beds, sidewalks, roads and fire lanes, etc.; and to perform related work as required.

Examples of Duties: Planning the maintenance work to be performed, estimating costs, laying out the work, and supervising the carpenters, painters, masons, mechanics, and handymen other than electricians, plumbers, motor equipment repairmen, and mechanical handymen engaged in the care, alteration, or repair of institution buildings, grounds, facilities, or equipment; supervising the repair of furniture and cabinet making; supervising the maintenance of lawns, shrubbery, orchards, woodlands, sidewalks, roads, and refuse disposal; supervising snow removal and related work.

The following are required: Specific knowledge of building repairs and maintenance and general knowledge of groundskeeping and of machinery repairs.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants must have at least five years of full-time paid experience in general maintenance work, including (*a*) one year in a supervisory capacity as an assistant foreman or similar position involving general maintenance. *Substitution:* Graduation from a recognized technical school with major work in engineering may be substituted for three of the five years required, but not for the specified (*a*) experience.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

CIVIL DEFENSE KIT.

In Milwaukee residents have been notified by the city's civil defense administration to get together kits of nonperishable foods on which their families could live for a week in the open if need be. A 43-pound kit, costing $37, was used for demonstration purposes. In the kit, besides food, were a first-aid packet, water purification tablets, cooking utensils, and cans of canned heat. The entire unit packed in an aluminum laundry mail case doubles as a dishpan, wash basin, and infant bathtub.

Toledo City Journal.

PROCEEDINGS OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Jan. 17, 1955.

A regular meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, at 10:13 p. m., the Chairman presiding.

Present: Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco.

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APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The reading of the minutes of the meeting of Jan. 3, 1955, was omitted, the Committee approving them as printed.

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RESOLUTIONS

Mr. Carr offered the following preamble and resolutions for Mr. Ward:

WHEREAS, God in His Infinite wisdom has seen fit to take into His eternal presence Mrs. Bess Farley, and

WHEREAS, During her life she was a model wife and mother, devoted to her husband and making any sacrifice necessary for the proper upbringing of her children, and

WHEREAS, She was always attentive to the wants and needs of the poor and those who were unfortunate or in any way sought her counsel and assistance, be it

RESOLVED, That the Boston School Committee hereby expresses regret that she will no longer be on earth as an example and aid to others, and

RESOLVED, That the Boston School Committee hereby expresses its high appreciation and great admiration for her character and accomplishments, and

RESOLVED, That the Boston School Committee hereby sends this expression of condolence to her husband, James A. Farley, himself an example to the youth of the nation through his honesty, courage and outstanding qualities as an American citizen.

On roll call the preamble and resolutions were adopted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4

Nays—0

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1

The Boston School Committee was represented at the funeral this morning by Dr. Martin H. Spellman, Director of School Hygiene.

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USE OF PARK DEPARTMENT LAND FOR SCHOOL PURPOSES REFUSED

The following communication was presented:

City of Boston
Park Department
33 Beacon Street, Boston
January 12, 1955

Miss Agnes E. Reynolds,
Secretary
School Committee of the City of Boston
15 Beacon Street, Boston, Mass.

Dear Miss Reynolds:

At a meeting of the Parks and Recreation Commission held at this office, 33 Beacon Street, on January 11, 1955, the Commission again considered the request of the School Department for the acquisition of land in the Fenway section of the city for school purposes. Present at the meeting were members of the School Committee and officials of the School Department.

After full discussion between all interested parties, the Parks and Recreation Commissioners voted to reaffirm their position previously taken in this matter, in meeting of July 27, 1954, when they voted unanimously against the transfer of this property.

Very truly yours,
(Signed) Frank R. Kelley
Commissioner

Placed on file.

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The following extract from the Conference notes of this date pertaining to the foregoing matter was ordered spread upon the record:

Mr. Ward: I am only talking about park land now, and I say this for the record: I say that it is a question of whether or not the five duly elected members of the School Committee, who are most urgent in their desire for this particular land to preserve the school system of Boston and to preserve in that section of Boston two of our oldest high schools, are to be thwarted: and if four members of the Park Commission—who are appointed not elected—can thwart the entire school system of Boston, then either the law should be changed and appoint the School Committee or else the law should be changed and elect the Park Commission.

I would like that put on the record and give it to the press tonight and then let's see what the Girls Latin School Alumnae do about it.

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IN MEMORIAM

The Superintendent regretfully reported the death of the following-named teacher:

Girls' Latin School—James H. Kenney, master, Jan. 13, 1955.

Placed on file.

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The School Committee requested that a letter of condolence, to be signed by the Secretary, be sent to the bereaved family.

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RETIREMENTS ON PENSION

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Jan. 17, 1955, reporting the retirement from active service of the following-named members of the State-Boston Retirement System, to take effect Jan. 31, 1955, as certified by the Boston Retirement Board:

James A. Garfield District—Catherine J. Norton, principal.

Washington Allston District—John P. Shea, submaster.

Instruction of Physically Handicapped Children—Gertrude S. White, permanent substitute teacher.

Department of Music—Carlton E. Gardner, supervisor of bands and orchestras.

Department of Physical Education—Clare Eastman, assistant, high school, physical education.

Placed on file.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Jan. 17, 1955, reporting the retirement from active service of the following-named veteran who has been retired under the provisions of Chapter 32 of the General Laws, as amended:

Girls' High School—John McCloskey, senior building custodian, Jan. 18, 1955, $3534.83 per annum.

Placed on file.

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A communication from the Superintendent, under date of Jan. 17, 1955, reporting that in accordance with a communication received from the Boston Retirement Board, Lillian A. McCall, vice principal, William Howard Taft Junior High School, will become seventy years of age on Jan. 26, 1955, but will continue employment until June 30, 1955, under the provisions of Chapter 348 of the Acts of 1954. However, no retirement deductions will be made from her salary after Jan. 31, 1955.

Placed on file.

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HONORARY TITLE

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That in consideration of her many years of devoted and efficient service in the Boston Public Schools, the following-named person who is retiring be granted the honorary title indicated, to take effect Feb. 1, 1955:

James A. Garfield District—Catherine J. Norton, principal emerita.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.

NAYS 0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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APPOINTMENTS

The following nominations by the Superintendent, certified by him as being in accordance with the rules and regulations, to take effect on the dates stated, were presented:

(From The Eligible List)

Jamaica Plain High School—Marie E. Fitzgerald, assistant (from teacher, junior high, Grover Cleveland Junior High School), Feb. 7, 1955.

Donald McKay Junior High School—Louis E. Sullivan, teacher, junior high (second year salary - $3636 - anniversary date Mar. 1), Mar. 1, 1955.

Solomon Lewenberg Junior High School—John R. Coakley,

teacher, junior high (fourth year salary - $3924 - anniversary date Jan. 1), Jan. 24, 1955.

On roll call the rules were suspended and the appointments approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco —4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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(BY PROMOTION)

Jeremiah E. Burke High School for Girls—Arthur V. Donnellan, head of department (from master, Jamaica Plain High School), Feb. 7, 1955.

Laid over.

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In connection with the foregoing nomination for promotion to the rank of head of department, the following extract from the Conference notes of this date was ordered spread on the record:

Chairman: There are two lists for head of department, a men's list and a women's list.

Superintendent: That is true.

Chairman: Is this policy or tradition or custom of the School Department that we have two separate lists from which we draw on promotional appointments?

Superintendent: That is true.

Chairman. Now there is a woman—number one on the head of department science list at the present time—who seems to have had the understanding that when there was an opportunity at a girls' school for a head of department position, she would be considered for that position.

Now that was my understanding from her. Perhaps you can correct me if I am wrong. I just wish to ask that question as a point of information.

Superintendent: Madam Chairman, that is a very good question. Miss Kelley, who is presently number one on the science head of department list for women, is a very, very fine young lady. Back some time ago she talked with me about the possibilities of her being appointed a head of department.

Now at the time I don't recall that I made any definite commitments to her that she would be appointed to an all-girls' school or to a mixed school. I hope that I do have the opportunity, Madam Chairman, of appointing her to some position either in an all-girls' school or a mixed school some time in the future. She is a splendid girl.

Now the position for which I made the nomination is one in an all-girls' school, but it is one that was vacated by a man, so I gave consideration as to whether I should replace Mr. Dunn, who retired, with Miss Kelley, number one on the women's list, in an all-girls' school, or Mr. Donnellan, number one on the men's list, presently in a mixed school. It gave me considerable concern and I don't want to belabor the question too much but finally I arrived at the conclusion that in this particular case I wanted to nominate Mr. Donnellan.

Mr. Donnellan is number one on the list. He has been a very consistent and fine teacher over a period of years; but if he were to rate the next time he would lose points because of his age.

In other words, it is the last list on which he can be in the appointive zone. In view of his fine service and also of the fact that Miss Kelley is a much younger person and a splendid girl, I felt that in fairness to many years of fine service of a fine man who could not rate and be number one because of his age because of our own rulings, I would like to nominate Mr. Donnellan.

In going over the lists of heads of departments in the high schools, there are several women heads of departments in various subjects in mixed schools. For example, at Charlestown High School we have a woman head of the English department. At Hyde Park High School we have a woman head of the English department. At Jamaica Plain High School—and these are three mixed schools—we have a head of the commercial department who is a woman.

So that Miss Kelley will certainly have a chance for consideration, not only at Girls' Latin School, Girls' High School and the Jeremiah E. Burke High School if Mr. Donnellan should vacate the position, but also in the mixed schools: In view of the age of one versus the age of the other, I felt that I wanted to nominate Mr. Donnellan.

There isn't really too strong a policy one way or another. In general, I like to replace a man with a man and a woman with a woman, but, in general, I like to place a head of department, woman, in an all-girls' school. They were in conflict in this particular case and I felt that this would be the wiser plan.

Mr. Musco: Mr. Superintendent, I realize what your problems are and I also realize that this man is working against time. Now could I find out what his cut-off date is in relation to his age?

Superintendent: I would think that his cut-off date is as of this year. Isn't that true, Mr. Bond?

Mr. Bond: I should think so, yes.

Mr. Musco: This academic year, in June?

Superintendent: I think so. When does the new rating for head of science department come, Mr. Bond? Is it going on this year?

Mr. Bond: No, I think it is next year.

Superintendent: I think that he certainly would be beyond it next year.

Chairman: Are there in your opinion, Mr. Superintendent, at the present time, equal opportunities for women for advancement within the service? I think that if we are paying equal wages by law, which is certainly a just principle, there should be equal opportunities as well for advancement even though that was not legislated. It should be a policy in all justice to the women who do rate on these lists, and some definite idea of promotional opportunities for women or some definite thought should be given to having opportunities equal to those for men.

Superintendent: Certainly, Madam Chairman, it is a point very well taken. It is pretty hard to have a fixed rule in regard to whether it should be a man or a woman. There may be extenuating circumstances the next time which would prompt me to feel that it should be a woman even though the position might be in a mixed school.

I would think in general—and Mr. Daley could answer it, and Mr. Bond also—that there are more heads of departments, men, in the high schools, mixed and girls,' than women. Is that true?

Mr. Bond: 65 to 24.

Superintendent: Now, Mr. Bond, you perhaps wouldn't have the answer to this question, but if you were to take the length of the men's lists in these various subjects like commercial branches and history and English and so on, and the number on the women's lists, would you have any idea of the relationship there?

Mr. Bond: Well, of course, the men far outnumber the women. For example, this year in the rating for ancient language there was only one woman rating against half a dozen men.

Superintendent: So in general there are more men who rate for head of department than women, and that isn't necessarily a criterion, Madam Chairman, but at least it does indicate that there are more men aspiring to be heads of departments, and Mr. Bond points out that it is about three to one—would you say that, Mr. Bond?

Mr. Bond: It is not quite three to one. It is 65 to 24.

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LEAVES OF ABSENCE

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Jan. 17, 1955, recommending that leave of absence without pay be granted the following-named teachers for the terms specified:

Bennett District — Claire M. Magner, teacher, elementary, Jan. 17, 1955 to Apr. 14, 1955, inclusive.

Prince District — Margaret E. McNiff, teacher, elementary, Jan. 24, 1955 to Jan. 23, 1956, inclusive.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the leaves of absence without pay were granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco —4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That leave of absence without pay is hereby granted Joan M. Johnson, teacher of sewing, elementary, Department of Home Economics, for the period Jan. 7, 1955 to Jan. 6, 1956.

On roll call the regulations were suspended and the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4
NAYS—0
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1

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APPOINTMENT OF ASSISTANTS, OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

A communication was received from the Secretary, under date of Jan. 17, 1955, reporting, subject to the approval of the School Committee and with the approval of the Division of Civil Service, the appointment of Catherine V. Holle as assistant, Office of the Secretary, to take effect Jan. 24, 1955; Mrs. Holle having resigned from the position of clerical assistant, Henry I Pierce and Jefferson Districts. Aug. 31, 1940.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4
NAYS—0
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the salary of Catherine V. Holle, assistant, Office of the Secretary, is hereby established at the rate of fifty-eight dollars and eighteen cents ($58.18) a week, to take effect Jan. 24, 1955, and to continue until otherwise ordered.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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A communication was received from the Secretary under date of Jan. 17, 1955, reporting, subject to the approval of the School Committee and with the approval of the Division of Civil Service and the consent of the Head of the Department concerned, the appointment of Catherine G. D'Arcy as assistant, Office of the Superintendent, by transfer from the Metropolitan District Commission, Water Division, Pumping Station, to take effect Feb. 1, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the salary of Catherine G. D'Arcy, assistant, Office of the Superintendent, is hereby established at the rate of forty-eight dollars and eighteen cents ($48.18) a week, to take effect Feb. 1, 1955, and to continue until otherwise ordered.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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MABEL E. ADAMS - HANNAH T. OSGOOD BEQUEST

A statement of the receipts and expenditures of the Mabel E. Adams-Hannah T. Osgood Bequest for the year ending Dec. 31, 1954, as submitted by the Treasurer of the Corporation, Mr. Louis F. Musco, was presented, the balance to new account being $10,281.44.

Placed on file and the Chairman authorized to approve the same and to certify the sums belonging to said Fund and in the possession of the Treasurer.

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LAURA FISHER TAUSSIG MEMORIAL FUND

A statement of the receipts and expenditures of the Laura Fisher Taussig Memorial Fund for the year ending Dec. 31, 1954, as submitted by the Treasurer of the Corporation, Mr. Louis F. Musco, was presented, the balance to new account being $2,623.44.

Placed on file and the Chairman authorized to approve the same and to certify the sums belonging to said Fund and in the possession of the Treasurer.

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DISCONTINUANCE OF SCHOOL CENTER

The following was offered:

ORDERED: That the Fenway School Center is hereby discontinued on Jan. 31, 1955.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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PROPOSALS REGARDING JUVENILE DELINQUENCY

Miss Fitzgerald presented the following statement:

May I first make it clear that in my considered judgment there is no cure-all for so-called juvenile delinquency. Even the ancient Greeks complained of the misdeeds of a younger generation. But the modern juvenile lawbreaker has so many avenues in which to express his lawlessness that all of us concerned in any way with youth are agreed that some of our modern scientific methods should be brought to bear upon the problem. It is of course the job of courts and other branches of officialdom to deal with the recorded juvenile delinquent. The boy or girl caught in an act of lawlessness is in a 2% minority.

The schools can make the greatest contribution in lessening juvenile defiance of authority if they concentrate on prevention, that is on solution of children's school problems before they can lead to lawlessness. Experts tell us that if only three out of every ten youngsters with problems relating to school are reached effectively juvenile delinquency can be cut by 65%. Isn't this a goal to work toward? If we are economizing in dollars and cents, how about for a change economizing in the area of wasted lives and cutting down the costly expenditures of good human material?

It has been a part of this School Committee's practice for all of its members to stand behind the just teacher or principal when deserved discipline is administered within the school society. This is important in regaining for young minds a lost respect for duly, constituted authority.

Also, here in Boston we have many special services available to the child with a school problem. But first let me list some of the major difficulties of children which I am sure could be much better described by the classroom teachers who face such children every day. This is the kind of thing the classroom teacher must cope with in her everyday work!

1—The academic failure (this may be a capable child who for some reason can't work up to his capabilities).

2—The withdrawn, unsocial child (he is shy, sensitive and insecure and the teacher cannot reach him to draw him out).

3—The aggressive child or "bully" (his teasing often mounts to sharp cruelty toward others and he is a disruption in the classroom).

4—The child who habitually lies or steals.

5—The truant from home and school.

6—The excessively nervous child who is continually twitching.

7—The overly dependent babyish child who has not reached the maturity for his age.

8—The child who regularly displays temper tantrums.

9—The child who escapes from reality through the medium of day-dreaming.

10—The youngster who is excessively fearful of commonplace experiences.

11—The youngster who wants to leave school at 16 to work, or who works and lives under conditions injurious to his personal or social growth.

Our teachers are hired because they are experts at so imparting

and instilling knowledge in young minds that educational skills are developed, and instincts of good citizenship are promoted in all of our children. In addition, a number of our good teachers are equipped to handle many or even all of the problems outlined above. The difficulty is that the teacher cannot give over her classroom time to the solution of these problems which mostly always have roots beyond the school into the home and community. The teacher is responsible for every boy and girl in the class. With all the good will, skill and kindness on the part of the teacher, many children with school problems are not helped.

That is why in Boston we have services available for the classroom teacher to meet an individual child's particular difficulty. The list of such services is impressive:

We have teachers for physically handicapped

We have teachers for the hard of hearing, for those with poor eyesight, for those with reading difficulties, and for those with speech deficiencies

We have testing services to determine a child's ability and to find out if he is living up to them

We have individual guidance counseling (both educational and vocational at high school level only)

We have the M. Gertrude Godvin School which is a very special school and doing a very special job

We have school social service workers

We have medical facilities

We have supervisors of attendance who do home visiting

We have special and sub-special class teachers for children who are slow learners and cannot achieve in the regular school environment.

In all of these services the school system of Boston is showing concern for children with school, personal, home and community problems. If a child is unhappy at home, if the tensions are high at home, if the social climate of his community is low that child needs help.

My question, as a member of this School Committee is, can we all be sure that we are effectively reaching all the children with problems? We do have the services outlined above. Are these services in need of expansion? For example, should individual guidance counseling extend not only to secondary schools but also to elementary schools? Are we using our special services in a logical, orderly coordinated way, bringing them all to bear on each youngster who is troubled? Are we, in other words, standing behind each classroom teacher and saying: You are not alone in your concern for the children you know who need extra help.

Legislation is anticipated in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts which will provide, among other things, additional funds and support for school systems making an improved attack on the prevention and handling of juvenile delinquency. Here in Boston we must make maximum use of those facilities in our school system which I have just mentioned in order to be making an improved attack on juvenile delinquency.

If the Boston schools and all of the personnel charged with giving special services to children direct their attention to coordinating our present services so that we may meet more adequately our present and future needs and so that we may prevent the juvenile lawlessness which inevitably grows out of maladjusted, unhappy children, we may lead the State as its largest city dealing effectively with juvenile difficulties.

I, therefore, make the following proposal to my fellow Committee members and hope that they will approve it:

IN ORDER THAT we may carry out the objective of preventing juvenile delinquency and of helping children who need extra assistance in the solution of their difficulties, it is proposed that the department heads of the following special services:

Department of Adult Educational and Recreational Activities
Department of Attendance
Department of Educational Investigation and Measurement
Department of Physical Education
Dtpartment of School Hygiene
Department of Special Classes
Department of Vocational Guidance
Division of Juvenile Adjustment
Horace Mann School for the Deaf
M. Gertrude Godvin School
Conservation of Eyesight Classes
Remedial Reading Classes
Speech Improvement Classes

meet with the members of the School Committee, the Superintendent of Schools and the Board of Superintendents, so that this entire group may explore and develop a re-organization and coordination of special services for children in the Boston Public Schools.

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SCOPE OF THE PLAN

Mr. Musco: Madam Chairman, we know too well that this particular problem is not a local one or even a national one. It is an international one, and I believe for the interest of all the teaching personnel and the parents and the general public that your remarks should be placed in the public record so that they can be absorbed and so that we shall also sustain the teachers' authority in the classroom, and I underline that third paragraph that you have here in that we will stand behind the teaching staff.

Chairman: Thank you very much, Mr. Musco.

May I point out that there are twelve cities, or there are even more than twelve cities, which have coordinated their special services in this way. There will be and there perhaps has already been presented legislation to our General Court which comprehends giving more funds to school systems to do something about improving their methods of dealing with children with problems.

Of course, I think that it is probably a misnomer to say that this proposal regards only youngsters who are juvenile delinquents. It actually means youngsters who have any kind of school problem, no matter how small, and whether it stems rom mental, emotional, or physical roots

Mr. Carr: Madam Chairman, before we recess, in the text of the order here it is proposed that the department heads of these different departments meet together with the School Committee members. Is it your intent to have them meet collectively or individually?

Chairman: I would say collectively, Mr. Carr.

Mr. Carr: I see. How would you have these meetings?

Chairman: I would think it could be arranged as a formal or an informal conference at the beginning, to explore the proposal I have made, namely, a co-ordination or reorganization of all these services, so that each youngster who has a problem anywhere in the city gets taken care of right away.

Mr. Carr: Very good.

Superintendent: Madam Chairman, in order to have the full impact of this very fine dissertation which you have prepared, all of these persons concerned should be here together. That is my opinion.

My thought is that there should be a special meeting set aside here in this room with the groups mentioned, and you will have them officially notified that there is a meeting for this particular purpose.

Miss Reynolds might notify these persons, and say that in the public record they will find a copy of Miss Fitzgerald's suggestions; and then I think you will stimulate a great deal more activity.

Later you may decide, Madam Chairman and Members, that you would want to break it down into committee assignments of two or three departments to work on this plan that the Committee has in mind—two or three departments, perhaps, under a group of the assistant superintendents.

Chairman: Of course, my thought in presenting it in just this way was that I felt that it would, as a statement of policy, stimulate discussion. If I should have the good fortune to have the support of my fellow members, I shall look forward to this contemplated meeting among all these department heads, together with the School Committee members and the administrators at the top, to stimulate discussion

as to ways in which we could serve the children better with all of the special services that we do have.

It is just a proposal to stimulate thought. Actually I did not make any specific proposal with regard to administration of this kind of coordinated program, for the very reason that I felt that all of the services that are involved should have a say in the matter.

Mr. Musco: Madam Chairman, I for one, I know, and the rest of the members heartily endorse your proposal; and we would like to continue it. I am sure that you could get the department heads together and the administration staff and the School Committee members and others who may be interested and set aside a day and specify a particular meeting for that in the very near future.

Chairman: We will set a date that is agreeable to all of us.

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The Conference recessed from 6:50 to 8:15 P. M.

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Mr. Lee: Madam Chairman and Members, I go along wholly with what Miss Fitzgerald has said. I think the subject is one of wide boundaries and intimate insides —so much so that it is a good deal of a propostion for any community to handle—this question of the frequent evil doings of our youngsters.

But it seems to me that we have lived with this subject long enough to be able to come to pretty definite conclusions and not to grope as much as our community has been groping. My overall feeling is as follows:

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A STRAIGHT DEAL FOR OUR YOUTH

If you offer the youngster a straight deal, he will play it straight. In other words, if you show a youngster that he will benefit by keeping the rules, and that the other fellow will benefit too, then he will keep the rules, even if it takes hardship and discipline for him to do so.

But if he doesn't know what the rules are, or he does know what they are but sees that they will not benefit him and will only benefit the other fellow, then it is pretty hard to get that youngster to follow the rules.

Another way of putting that is to say that in order for this community, either through its school system or its parents, to handle this subject, both parent and community — which includes the teacher—must have some grounds to stand on where they can assure the youngster that he has a fair deal ahead of him,—that is, a proposition which the teacher or parent can put before the child and say: "This is a proposition which is to your benefit. Here is how it works. Now carry it out."

If we don't have a proposition that we can put before the youngster in that way—that is, if we can only offer him an empty prospect or a bad one—then we cannot expect cooperative response.

It seems to me that at present we in some cases do not offer the youngster a good proposition, and in other cases there is a good proposition ahead of him but we don't make it clear to him, so that in a sense we don't offer it.

I would think that probably our school system as a whole needs to make up its mind as to what sort of a future they are offering youth and then proceed to submit the proposition to the growing boy in clearer terms than we have in the past.

I think we have got to begin perhaps by carrying out the matters we talked over at the last meeting — that we probably have to change the conception of schooling from that of mere learning more to that of showing the youngster how to carry on the business of life in a way that is good for him and good for the other fellow.

In other words, we can ask: "What profiteth it a boy to gain all the learning in the world and lose his own soul?" I rather think we have to reorient our emphasis in school, and sacrifice some scholarship here and there, and bend our efforts to see that the youngster is learning a way of life and learning judgments and learning attitudes that will carry him along as a happy and a successful citizen.

Now that all sounds rather vague so far. Part of the changes I would recommend would be changes in our civics courses with those objectives in view; and part of what I recommend would be the exact same thing that Miss Fitzgerald is recommending.

To speak for a moment of that latter matter, I think probably the scale of her recommendations must be taken by us to be very large. I daresay we will have to not only increase and strengthen the departments she referred to but greatly magnify them. I have some clippings recalling or recounting the measures taken in other cities which I shall refer to in a few minutes that indicate a much more profuse and adequate staff for those special departments to meet the growing boy's problems and the growing girl's problems.

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ADULTS ARE BOTH DELINQUENT AND JUVENILE

But before I get to these more specific things which our schools can perhaps do, I want to show or indicate where I think the parent is not offering the youngster at present a straight proposition. And that leaves the parent without any platform to talk on which is convincing to the youngster. If we can't stand on some ground that is convincing we can't very well impart out thoughts to our children.

Now the Massachusetts Bar Association is having—maybe it is this week—a meeting in the central part of the state. The chief speaker is going to be the Honorable Samuel Leibowitz, who is, I believe, thought by many to have once been the greatest lawyer defending criminal cases in New York, and since has sat on the bench, and probably has a closer experience with more cases of juvenile trouble than any other jurist in America.

Anyway, he was called upon in a nationwide quiz by the United States News and World Report —which is trying to make some sense out of this subject—for his opinion. Among other things he said this. Judge Leibowitz said:

"We haven't caught up with the know-how of bringing up children in this crazy, topsy-turvy world we live in today. The automobile has tended to destroy community life. People worship new automobiles and television sets and such instead of God. Naturally the children follow suit."

To me it's very significant that the main playground in America has always been the street. And now that playground has been taken away from the younster. It's the adults who are both delinquent and juvenile. Our streets have been made into play streets in entirety—at least after working hours—and the adults come out with their very expensive toys called automobiles, and play game on all the streets, so that the kids can't play any more.

Most of the older generation in this room grew up playing games like "kick the bar" or "relievo" or "white men and Indians" and "tag" and just plain running races or jumping from curb to curb, on the streets; and in the winter we punged on the streets. That was the playground. The streets occupy about a tenth of the city's area, a good deal more than our parks do.

But now the adults have taken over the streets as play streets for themselves; and they play a sort of game of polo every night. Some of them line up in West Roxbury and charge in to the center of the city; and those who live in the center of the city line up and charge out to West Roxbury. Sometimes they make an off-tackle play down through South Boston. Occasionally they make an end run clean out around Route 128.

They sit there behind the wheels and go "honk, honk," and "jingle," "jingle," and just have a wonderful time with their toys. As we went down to lunch, I noticed that some of the finer cars have bullet-heads about the size of the end of a football which they stick on to the front of the car so as to play "choo-choo train," or armored vehicles, a little more realistically.

Well, the result is that the adults play with their toys or pleasure cars all the time, and the youngsters no longer get to play.

Now it is my contention that you cannot sell or you cannot persuade a teen-age boy to behave in a lawful way if you don't give that boy a chance for violent exercise. The history of the race shows that young men need violent exercise. In a more simple civilization, this was the age when he first went on the warpath with his father, or went on the hunt; and it's an age of adventure and daring and courage and the full exertion of prowess. You just can't ask a youngster to sit on the sidewalk or stand on the sidewalk and bar him from strong exercise.

It is only one boy in ten who is on the first team, on a competitive team, in our high schools. We don't have floodlights on our playgrounds for night use. We have floodlights only on the adult play streets for pleasure cars. We ask the youngster—we, the parents—to give up the streets. In order to play with our toys on the street, the parents kick the youngster off the streets on to the sidewalk. Then the cop kicks him off the sidewalk into his home. In the meantime mother and father have both been working in order to buy a car, and are out driving around in the car, so that they don't have any home that is a home. Poppa is on the night shift, and Momma is on the day shift, and the youngster is on the street shift.

So we are offering our youngsters an impossible and a false proposition. I submit that you cannot expect youngsters to grow up into men if you don't give them a chance for violent exercise; and by taking over the streets for the toys of the grown-ups, and making them all play-streets for adults, and for the juvenile amusements of adults, you have deprived the youngster of the natural outlets he used to have.

Now I think the community has just got to face that. If they are going to offer such a poor proposition to the boy, they must expect his relaxedness, his enforced relaxedness, to explode sooner or later. It's going to explode sometime against the law and against the community, which at least is a challenging sort of adventure.

In fact, it would be very bad if youngsters did or were content merely to stand on the street corner and spend their young lives and their young, vigorous manhood in so passive a pursuit.

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AN AFTERNOON SCHOOL SPORTS PROGRAM FOR EVERY HIGH SCHOOL BOY

I realize that this is not wholly or perhaps in any sense the fault of the School Department. It nevertheless is one of the big realities today. I am sure you are not going to get boys to take hold of life in a constructive, vigorous way, if you deny them their heritage and birthright of vigorous exercise. So, one of my concrete suggestions is that we incorporate afternoon sports as a regular part of our school program for all teen-age boys.

Now the grown-ups spent about a hundred million dollars last year on giving their play streets a velvet-smooth polish, and making them bigger and better and higher up in the air. They are paying for that themselves through their gasoline tax. I think if they are going to spend a hundred million dollars a year on their own outdoor pleasure, taking away the streets which the youngster always used to play on, they had better expect to spend half of that money, fifty million dollars a year, on giving as much to the boy who needs play to grow up with as they spend on themselves.

I know it's expensive to have an afternoon play period worked in as part of the school system. It will mean establishing new playgrounds. It will mean a lot of money. But if adults can expend a hundred million dollars as they have on just one highway alone, the one that goes across the North End, they can certainly after this be asked through their Legislature to devote half of each of those dollars to the recreation of youngsters.

Now fifty million dollars a year would go quite a way: and our juvenile parents, our juvenile older citizens, have spent double that on themselves this year. They can certainly spend half of that on the youngsters next year. So, that would be one of my recommendations expressed in concrete form.

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SOME OF THE PARENTS' TRADE UNIONS GOOD—SOME NOT

I think another case where we fail to offer our boys and girls —our boys especially, and perhaps girls, too—a fair proposition is in regard to their livelihood when they get through school. A great many youngsters do have difficulty getting a job.

Now we adults pride ourselves on our trade unions; and some unions do a very good job but some don't. A good many of them build a fence around themselves consisting of a very high initiation fee or an agreement with employers that nobody shall work in their trade whom they don't want to work, and the result is the youngster gets through school and has no place, or at least finds himself excluded from a great many of the jobs in the community.

In other words, we parents are hogging jobs which youngsters ought to have. In the old days, the youngster came out of school, and he could apply for employment anywhere; and if he had elementary services to offer of an apprenticeship sort, he could then negotiate to be employed. And naturally, offering his services and glad to meet less dollars than the older man, the youngster got the beginning jobs, and the older men moved up and moved out of the lower paid, simpler jobs into the more advanced and better remunerated jobs. And that was an escalator that was absolutely logical and absolutely sensible, and worked out.

But now you have many callings where the older men continue doing rather simple work that the youngsters could learn, and yet put prohibitive dues around their trade, or else have an outright agreement that nobody else can come into that trade anyway.

You can't say to a youngster: "Be a good fellow. Be industrious. Be intelligent. Be hardworking" —and then when he tries to be all those things say: "Oh, no, you can't work here. I have got this job sewed up for me."

The parents can't brush their kids off that way, and can't slam the door in their faces that way, and still expect to get the cooperation of youngsters. In my judgment you have got to put a sound proposition before the young man, and not one from under which you pull the rug as soon as he takes you seriously.

I think we should ask those trade unions that are inconsiderate toward young men to adopt the policies and practices of trade unions which pursue a cooperative policy, one that takes the community into consideration and takes the young fellow into consideration. We have both kinds in the city, and let the less considerate kind learn from their more considerate and more civic-minded fellows.

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CIVICS COURSES AND UNCLESAMLAND

Coming down to other features of the school system, or rather coming down to the prospect which lies ahead of the youngster, which the school system must describe to him if we expect him to take the path with even and honest steps, I think we must in our civics courses make more clear to him the nature of the civilization he is going into.

I mean, not only let us have a sports program in which he has a part during the day time, and not only try to have the unions keep their doors open for the graduates; but let us also in our civics classes give the youngster a more convincing understanding of how the country is put together. Then if you show him how it works, what the rules are, that they benefit him and benefit the other fellow, it is my contention he will then carry them out.

In our civics classes I would go over and over again the basic elements of American life. I would tell him frankly this system of ours should be called the "Giving System". The only power you

have in America is to give. You can give your dollars, or you can give your service. You can give your service to the fellow who gives dollars to you and give your dollars to the fellow who gives service to you; and with any dollars you get you can then entreat somebody else to render supplies to yourself.

But at least you have no power to hit the other fellow over the head, no power to break into his house, no power to steal his children. All you can do is something good. You can give good service, or express your financial gratitude, called "dollar bills," to the other fellow for good service he gives you.

I think that proposition should be stated very flatly more often to our children; and they should be asked whether they like that system or not. Do they see something better? Would they rather go back to slavery where one man by force imposes his will on somebody else, or some modified form of slavery like dictatorship or lesser kingships and tyrannies?

And if it seems pretty logical to the youngster that each be free to give generous services to the other fellow and receive the other fellow's reciprocation, then make a point of it. Say: "Well, let's stick to that system and let's carry it out, and let's make a go of it, and let's treat it with good will and friendliness."

It seems to me you have got to go over the ground a great deal more to show the boy that it is a fairly good world where no one has any power except to give, and yet where he is always free to give to the person who can reciprocate. We certainly have built up a very competent and very brilliant civilization.

I think those elements as to how the American scene is put together must be gone over in the civics classes more concentratedly than now.

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CIVICS COURSES AND RELIGION

On the religious matters which we talked about last week, insofar as that comes into our civics classes, I think again we have got to be a little more abrupt with the youngsters.

I mean, let's put the proposition down flat; Either the great men in the religious world—Moses or Mohammed or Jesus—are not worth paying any attention to, either they were foolish or less smart than we are, or some of them were people good enough to pay attention to. If it seems that any were good enough to heed, then let the boy remember what such a one said and carry it out.

I think the youngster should be made to focus a little more clearly on whether he is going to invent a better religion of his own. If he is not, I think he can then have it called to his attention that he might well heed the wisdom of men respected by his family whose words have been so reverently followed for so many generations.

After all, just as we are experts today on doing good things for each other like making automobiles and mirrors and chewing gum, in those days life was quite different. Wars and slaughter and crucifixions and famines and pestilences were the regular rule of living. Those great works that have come down to us by religious leaders are the works of men who learned to live under those conditions, and learned to take that degree of severity in stride, and, out of it all, to point the way to a kinder and happier civilization.

In other words, they were experts on human relations, and experts on man's relation to existence. It seems to me we ought to make a little more of an issue of it in the classroom as to whether the youngster thinks that any one of those great figures in the moral world are worthy of his respect; and if he finds yes, then let him find out what that one said and carry it out. I think there has been a certain amount of dodging the issue in the boy's mind where he may profess to be a follower of some great religious leader but somehow doesn't relate that to his everyday conduct.

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CIVICS COURSES AND STREET-CORNER MORALITY

And then in civics classes I think we ought to help the youngster apply his understanding of this country and how it operates, and his understanding of his religious leaders and what they said, to the every-day affairs of his life. By that I mean particularly the affairs when he is not at home under his parents' control and not in school under the school's control but on the sidewalk pretty much under his own control.

I think the relations between the youngster and the police officer must be gone into a great deal more than we do now. You have got to point out to the boy that the policeman is there to protect each person. He is not there to give orders. He is there to countermand anybody who tries to assert himself or inflict himself on other people. He is simply trying to see — at least legally he is trying to see — that each person has a chance to go his own way without stepping on the toes of the other person. That is, I think we have got to expound the relationships of America in terms of how they appear on the street corner.

It seems to me that one period in our high school civics classes every week should be a seminar in which each boy bring in his chief problem during that week. Perhaps it was a question of walking with his girl friend the previous Sunday past the other gang; and an insulting remark was made. Well, what do you do then? Do you come back later with your gang if you are outnumbered? Do you wait until you get the offender alone? Or do you just say: "Well, the poor fellow was jealous of me because he had no girl," and walk by unconcernedly?

But at least some sort of morality must be worked out with the boy by our teachers which sticks and means something to him, and is taken by him as real and convincing, in guidance of his own conduct when he is on his own feet under the control of nobody but the other citizens of the world he lives in.

I am sure we have got to work out a set of moral values that will hold up in a street-corner application.

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OTHER SCHOOL SYSTEMS

I notice that various other, near-by cities have got at many related problems very well. Perhaps—in the sort of civics classes I proposed—if you asked a youngster to bring in what were his chief problems that week he might say: "Well, I hate my father and think he is an idiot, and what will I do about it? He makes life miserable and gives me all kinds of foolish orders."

Now those questions of family relationships are discussed in the Quincy schools. I have the clippings here from a Boston newspaper. It seems to have meant a lot to these youngsters, in the first place, to be able to talk over these feelings of theirs in the classroom, and, in the second place, to be told that it is quite normal for a youngster to go through a period of thinking his father is hostile and generally worthless. That it is part of his growing up processes, cutting away from the family ties.

In other words, a boy can discuss the matters that bother him personally. He is given a perspective, and he can find that other youngsters go through the same things, if we have some period in school when these matters can be talked over.

Other cities have enough adjustment counsellors to recognize cases of youngsters who are going to be problems to themselves at a very early age.

They work with the teachers and through the teachers, so that a youngster who apparently has a distressed and disturbed home life, and is becoming a disturbed personality, is spotted and recognized at a very early age. Of course, it takes trained personnel, and it takes a lot of personnel.

However, it seems to be the logical solution in reaching the particular type of child we have to reach. I don't want to stop and read you all these different clippings from various newspapers referring to various other school systems But at least if we take the best features of all the cities and towns round about, we find them doing things that

we may try to do, but things that we just haven't the personnel to do as thoroughly as they have been done in the smaller communities. I am afraid we will have to think in terms of huge expansions of those departments. I am all for Miss Fitzgerald's line of thought.

We need to face it whether we are going to educate children to be good and happy citizens or not; and if we are going to, we had better put our money in that direction.

If it's a choice between good citizens and learned citizens, give me the good citizens.

Now I have covered a good many of the points, Madam Chairman, that I had in mind. I am just trying to look over some of these papers to see what I may have missed.

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CO-ORDINATION

Mr. Museo: Madam Chairman, I would like to pursue Mr. Lee's thought just a little longer and would suggest that we designate, after we have all of our thoughts jelled, one person who can co ordinate this activity, which to us is a very important subject

Chairman: Mr. Museo and Mr Lee, I think that is the intent of the proposal. The meeting of all these heads of various special services should discuss that kind of coordination, under a particular head if that is the way it is administratively best to organize it; and they all should work toward that end of handling all of the maladjusted youngsters who have difficulties, or are apt to get into difficulties, in the school picture.

Are there any other comments? Mr. Museo, you are proposing the Director of Physical Education and the Director of Adult Education?

Mr. Museo: Yes, I am asking that they be included in that list of ten.

Superintendent: The two of them.

Chairman: Put those two in the list.

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COURSES NEXT YEAR IN HOW TO BRING UP CHILDREN

Mr. Lee: Madam Chairman, as Mr. Museo was speaking I just had a chance to go over a few notes to see if I missed anything worth mentioning. I did miss one thing I want to very much emphasize, and that is something we have talked about here before and which is now in process.

That is the proposition, now being formulated under the Superintendent, to teach our girls, at least starting next year, how to bring up children. As you have heard me say many times, if we take girls and whip them out of the home into the high-pressure curriculum of high school work, in preparation for secretarial services or salesmanship, and knock the basic ideas and instincts of motherhood out of their minds, and take them away from the old-fashioned home where grandma was in the corner and mother and the other children were around, it certainly is up to us to reinstate into their lives that which we have taken out.

Certainly motherhood is the main and most important and the most sacred and most fundamental and most world-making of the works that our womenfolk do: and I am sure we are always going to fall short of having the kind of children we would like to see, so long as we refrain from educating our girls in how to bring up children. I am sure we are going to take a tremendous stride to get away from the conditions of which we now complain as soon as we get courses in our schools on how to bring up children.

So I am wondering if that topic should be added to this agenda, Madam Chairman; or is it so separate that it should be separately considered?

Chairman: I think actually we have discussed your proposal for home-making, and I am sure we can probably give much more thought to it and implementation to it as a separate subject.

I think it is important enough to do; but this proposal of mine looks forward to a coordination and reorganization of special services to youngsters with problems, though I think there are other things we can do, certainly, to help better the situation.

However, I think this is a beginning step; and if we have all of the people who are working in special services thinking along these lines, we are making a beginning and we can only take one step at a time.

Superintendent: Madam Chairman, may I say that Mr. Ohrenberger has just informed me that he is planning on meeting with two or three individuals some time this week and they will help to crystallize or jell some of these ideas that Mr. Lee has expressed to us on motherhood.

Isn't that true, Mr. Ohrenberger?

Mr. Ohrenberger: Yes, Mr. Superintendent.

Chairman: That will be a specific report from your group Mr. Ohrenberger, at a future business meeting?

Mr. Ohrenberger: Yes.

Superintendent: It won't be right off because it will take some time.

Chairman: But in the future.

Mr. Ohrenberger: It is in the form of stages, Madam Chairman.

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STRATEGIC MEETING ON DELINQUENCY FINALIZED

Chairman: May I suggest if there are no further comments from the other members on the subject of item 4 that we set a date two weeks from tonight to have this particular meeting among all the special groups?

Mr. Carr: That is all right with me.

Chairman: Will that be all right with the members.

Mr. Lee: Just looking forward to that meeting, are we going to ask these of our staff who come to that meeting to make recommendations only for their own departments? There is a very important point. Or, are we asking them to make recommendations for the classrooms as a whole?

I mean this. Possibly someone concerned with the Attendance Officers' Department or with the Juvenile Adjustment Department or with the Guidance Department might hesitate to say that every classroom or every school district should have a staff of A, B, and C persons concerned with adjustment counselling. Yet the public looks to this school system to meet and correct the present conduct of our boys. I am sure we have got to contemplate at least getting persons skilled in these fields out into each school district. I mean perhaps a staff ten times as big as what you have now might be the right size.

Now are these people going to be authorized to bring in their recommendations as broad as the whole school system?

Chairman: They are coming in specifically to explore this proposal with an aim toward reorganization and coordination. Perhaps if you want to use another word, use "integration" of the services they offer.

In other words, if they feel that the services that their particular departments can offer could be better utilized if there were a different organization setup, then I could expect the people in any particular division would bring in such recommendations to this particular meeting. That is what I contemplated. Now maybe the other members put a different interpretation on it.

Mr. Lee: I would think that was very fine.

Mr. Museo: Madam Chairman, is it agreed that January 31st shall be this meeting date?

Chairman: For the special service groups?

Mr. Museo: Yes.

Chairman: Those named in the proposal.

Mr. Lee: Madam Chairman, pulling together with another jerk the thoughts we have gone through tonight, it is obvious that many of the suggestions I had are going to come down to a specific focusing through the eyes of our specialists; but perhaps the suggestion of mine that went beyond was the idea of sports being incorporated as a regular part of school work.

I wasn't quite clear from what Mr. Museo said whether our Director of Physical Education—who, I suppose, would be in charge of such a thing, if it was

adopted—was going to be a part of this group in conference.

Chairman: He is proposing that the Director of Physical Education and the Director of Adult Education be included among the other directors who have been asked to participate in this conference.

Mr. Lee: And then the Superintendent's idea is that they would consider some of these outside proposals, like including a sports program for everybody—the same as your son would get if he went to Andover or Exeter or St. Paul's or Groton or Noble and Greenough's or Browne and Nichols' or Roxbury Latin.

There is one other case where my suggestions may have gone outside of yours. That is on the matter of civics classes. Now Mr. Ohrenberger, or Mr. Daley particularly, are working on that?

Mr. Ohrenberger: Civic education is that particular course, I feel, that brings all these things to a focal point; and we have a definite progressive program in operation at this particular time which we are attempting to expand.

Mr. Lee: At least, then, the question of civics courses will come into this discussion which this Committee will take up.

Mr. Ohrenberger: That might well implement the findings of this particular committee.

Mr. Lee: Then, last of all, I made the suggestion that we may have to reorient our whole educational philosphy to think in terms of educating for good citizenship rather than merely for scholarly citizen. Now as far as I am concerned here— and here I again step outside of Miss Fitzgerald's recommendations — the head master can be responsible. In other words, it seems to me the School Committee after due deliberation might say to head masters:

"We don't think education has justified itself unless you are turning out good and law-abiding and constructive boys.

"Today the percentage of failures in that respect is too high. You have the Juvenile Adjustment Bureau and Attendance Officers' services and the sports department to call on. But it is you, Mr. Head Master, whom we hold responsible for this new conception: that your job is to turn out people who have learned how to live at peace with themselves and each other and with the God that made them."

In other words I would like to see education redefined so that the head masters and principals in the future think of themselves as responsible for the child's spiritual health, to use the word we were using a week ago, and not think of themselves merely as graduating the child with good enough marks to go to college or good enough marks to do this or that or to get into the next grade.

Mr. Carr: It is the harmonious development of all the faculties, Mr. Lee.

Mr. Lee: I think that is a very good way of putting it—sure.

To put it another way, I don't think we are under obligation to bring the children to any particular degree of perfection in various subjects, like arithmetic or natural science or geography; but we are, as we pointed out the other night, under an obligation to teach piety; and I think we ought to take our laws and ourselves seriously in that respect, and say that we expect the head masters to produce good children. We don't care how they do it, but it must be done; and that is what our school system is going to be for in the future. "We will give you all the help possible from specialists in the field; but, Mr. Head Master, we are going to hold you responsible for developing healthy personalities that want to keep the peace with themselves and the other fellow and with their Maker."

Now whether this conference is broad enough to contemplate that, I don't know. To me, it should be. To me, any specialist at this conference should feel free to say: "We can't get anywhere until the head masters think of the education of a happy and law-abiding youngster as their first consideration."

A special department might say: "We must look to the classroom teacher or the head master to proceed on those lines before our work can become effective," and if that is how they feel, I think they should be given latitude to express thoughts as broad as that.

In other words, I think that all the subject matter of tonight's meeting ought to be thrown for consideration before this group; and if it doesn't fall in the particular department of anyone, then Mr. Ohrenberger, if he is in charge, certainly has a broad enough responsibility to have it come within his jurisdiction.

Is that all right with you, Madam Chairman?

Chairman: Yes.

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The Committee adjourned.

Attest:

AGNES E. REYNOLDS,
Secretary.

Jan. 24, 1955.

A special meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, at 5 P. M., the Chairman presiding.

Present: Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco.

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AMENDMENT OF MINUTES

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the minutes of Nov. 8, 1954, are hereby amended as follows:

On page 378, Appointments—From the Eligible List, by striking out the appointment of Elizabeth A. Steeves, teacher, elementary, Norcross District, and substituting in place thereof the following:

Norcross District—Elizabeth A. Steeves, teacher, elementary (fourth year salary—$3924—anniversary date Dec. 1), Dec. 1, 1954.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco —4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENT

The Chairman stated that the question was on approving the appointment of a teacher, as reported by the Superintendent, and laid over at the previous meeting.

On roll call the appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco —4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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APPROVAL OF STATE-AIDED WORK

A communication was received from Walter J. Markham, Director, Division of Vocational Education, reporting the establishment of courses in Refrigeration, Air Conditioning, and Oil Burners in the Boston Part-time Apprenticeship School have been approved in accordance with plans set forth and submitted in memoranda on file in the office of the Division of Vocational Education in the Department of Education.

If the plans as submitted are carried out, the work of the courses in Refrigeration, Air Conditioning, and Oil Burners will be given approval, and the city of Boston recommended for reimbursement under the provisions of Chapter 74 of the General Laws, as amended, reimbursement to date from Oct. 20, 1954.

Placed on file.

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RESOLUTIONS

The following preamble and resolutions were offered:

WHEREAS: God in His infinite wisdom and mercy has called to his eternal reward Michael J. Downey, Deputy Superintendent Emeritus of the Boston Public Schools; and

WHEREAS, His entire professional life was devoted to the schools and to the children of Boston as a teacher in the Dearborn School, 1905-1910; as a Submaster in the Prescott School, 1910-1915; as Assistant Director of Evening Schools, 1915-1917; as Director of Evening Schools,

1917-1924; as Assistant Superintendent, 1924-1947; as Deputy Superintendent, 1947-1951; and

WHEREAS, His ideals of service were further exemplified most effectively in such worthy, voluntary activities as The Aquinas League; the Eire Society; the Charitable Irish Society; the Knights of Columbus, Fourth Degree; the Massachusetts School Masters' Association; the National Education Association; the American Vocational Association; and the American School Administrators' Association; and

WHEREAS, The members of The School Committee of the City of Boston, the administrative staff, and the entire personnel of the Boston Public Schools recognize and appreciate in a very special manner his contributions to public education particularly during his twenty-seven years of service on the Board of Superintendents and have admired him highly for his stimulating leadership, his brilliant mind, his warm personal qualities, and his many charitable works; be it therefore

RESOLVED, That the School Committee in formal meeting assembled do here give public testimony of the sincere appreciation which they share with the entire personnel of the Boston Public Schools for his long and devoted service to the traditional ideals of American education, his professional achievements, his unselfish dedication to the education of youth, his efficient administrative qualities, and his convictions which led but to honor; and be it further

RESOLVED, That these resolutions be incorporated into the record of this meeting in everlasting tribute to one who labored so well in His Master's Vineyard that in the wise providence of God, Eternity may be a divine treasure house for him, and be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of these resolutions be suitably inscribed and sent with expressions of sincere sympathy to his bereaved family.

On roll call the preamble and resolutions were adopted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee and Museo—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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IN MEMORIAM

The Superintendent regretfully reported the deaths of the following-named teachers who had been retired on pension:

High School of Commerce—James M. Nelligan, Dec. 23, 1954.

Emily A. Fifield District—Agatha P. Razoux, Dec. 17, 1954.

Placed on file.

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The School Committee requested that a letter of condolence, to be signed by the Secretary, be sent to the bereaved families.

RESIGNATION

The Superintendent reported the resignation of Esther White, teacher, elementary, Thomas Gardner District, to take effect Dec. 31, 1954.

Accepted.

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RETIREMENTS ON PENSION

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Jan. 24, 1955, reporting the retirement from active service of the following-named member of the State-Boston Retirement System, to take effect Jan. 31, 1955, as certified by the Boston Retirement Board:

Health Education and Safety Education—Edward J. Wall, supervisor.

Placed on file.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Jan. 24, 1955, reporting the retirement from active service of the following-named member of the Massachusetts Teachers' Retirement System, to take effect Dec. 31, 1954, as certified by the Massachusetts Teachers' Retirement Board:

Trade High School for Girls—Marie C. Turner, senior trade assistant.

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APPOINTMENTS

The following nominations by the Superintendent, certified by him as being in accordance with the rules and regulations, were presented:

TEACHER COACHES

(Track)

(Jan. 3 to Jan. 22, 1955, inclusive)

South Boston High School—Phineas Tobe.

On roll call the appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee and Museo—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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(To take effect Jan. 24, 1955)

South Boston High School—Joseph A. Crowley.

On roll call the appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Museo—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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ATTENDANCE AT CONVENTION

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That Mary K. Fitzgerald, and Louis F. Museo, members, Boston School Committee are hereby authorized to attend the Annual Meeting of the National School Board Association, Inc., to be held in St. Louis, Missouri, Feb. 24 to 26, 1955, inclusive, at an expense to the city not to exceed two hundred thirty-five dollars ($235) each.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Museo—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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TRANSFERS OF APPROPRIATIONS

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the following transfer is hereby made in the Budget and Annual Appropriation Order for Instruction in the fiscal year 1954:

FROM

Educational Direction and Supervision, Salaries $3,500.00

TO

Elementary Schools, Salaries $3,500.00

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Museo—4

NAYS—0

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the following transfer is hereby made in the Budget and Annual Appropriation Order for Auxiliary Services in the fiscal year 1954:

FROM

School Physicians and Nurses, Salaries $100.00

TO

Extended Use of Public Schools, Salaries $100.00

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Museo—4

NAYS—0

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the following transfer is hereby made in the Budget and Annual Appropriation Order for Operation of Plant in the fiscal year 1954:

FROM

Office of Schoolhouse Custodian, Supplies $2,168.17

TO

Light and Power, Supplies $2,168.17

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Museo—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the following transfer is hereby made in the Budget and Annual Appropriation Order for Operation of Plant in the fiscal year 1954:

FROM

Custodians, Supplies $1,569.40

TO

Light and Power Supplies $1,569.40

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Museo—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the following transfer is hereby made in the Budget and Annual Appropriation Order for Operation of Plant in the fiscal year 1954:

FROM

Other Expenditures, Supplies	$6,789.56

TO

Light and Power, Supplies	$6,789.56

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the following transfer is hereby made in the Budget and Annual Appropriation Order for Operation of Plant in the fiscal year 1954:

FROM

Custodians Supplies	$1,296.56

TO

Fuel, Supplies	$1,296.56

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the following transfer is hereby made in the Budget and Annual Appropriation Order for Operation of Plant in the fiscal year 1954:

FROM

Telephone, Supplies	$3,727.51

TO

Fuel, Supplies	$3,727.51

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the following transfer is hereby made in the Budget and Annual Appropriation Order for Operation of Plant in the fiscal year 1954:

FROM

Office of Schoolhouse Custodian, Salaries	$600.00
Custodians, Salaries	600.00
	$1,200.00

TO

Fuel, Supplies	$1,200.00

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee and Musco—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the following transfer is hereby made in the Budget and Annual Appropriation Order for Administration in the fiscal year 1954:

FROM

Business Administration, Supplies	$25.00

TO

General Administration, Supplies	$25.00

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the following transfer is hereby made in the Budget and Annual Appropriation Order for Instruction in the fiscal year 1954:

FROM

Junior High Schools, Supplies	$2,800.00

TO

Latin and Day High Schools, Supplies	$2,800.00

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4

NAYS—0

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the following transfer is hereby made in the Budget and Annual Appropriation Order for Instruction in the fiscal year 1954:

FROM

Special Education, Supplies	$400.00

TO

Evening and Summer Schools, Supplies	$400.00

On roll call the order passed by the following vote.

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4

NAYS—0

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the following transfer is hereby made in the Budget and Annual Appropriation Order for Auxiliary Services in the fiscal year 1954:

FROM

Transportation of Pupils, Supplies	$100.00

TO

Extended Use of Public Schools, Supplies	$100.00

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4

NAYS—0

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1

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PRESENTATION OF AWARD TO ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT

The following statement by Mr. Musco in connection with an award received by Assistant Superintendent Frederick J. Gillis was ordered spread on the record of the meeting:

Mr. Musco: Madam Chairman, I would like to call attention to the national recognition recently given Dr. Frederick J. Gillis, Assistant Superintendent of Schools.

Dr. Gillis was presented the National Award by the American Veterans of World War II for his efforts and devotion to handicapped children and their problems in the field of education and recreation.

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The Committee adjourned.

Attest:

AGNES E. REYNOLDS,
Secretary.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, the following temporary amendments to the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston, which were adopted December 16, 1954, and which were effective December 20, 1954, for a trial period of sixty (60) days, are hereby extended for a further trial period of sixty (60) days from February 18, 1955:

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out the following:

Berkeley Street, Boston Proper.
- Southwest side, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
- East side, from a point sixty (60) feet south of Boylston street to Boylston street, 24 hours.

Clarendon Street, Boston Proper.
- Northeast side, from Columbus avenue to Boylston street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Columbus Avenue, Boston Proper.
- Southeast side, from Arlington street to opposite Morgan street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.

Columbus Avenue, Boston Proper and Roxbury.
- Southeast side, from Clarendon street to Washington street (Egleston square), 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.

Harrison Avenue, Boston Proper.
- Northwest side, from Dover street to East Brookline street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
- Southeast side, from East Newton street to East Concord street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.

Massachusetts Avenue, Boston Proper.
- Northeast side, from Albany street to No. 566 Massachusetts avenue, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.
- Northeast side, from No. 524 Massachusetts avenue to a point one hundred (100) feet southeast of the bridge over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.

Massachusetts Avenue, Dorchester and Roxbury.
- Northeast side, from Edward Everett square to the Roxbury canal, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.

Massachusetts Avenue, Roxbury.
- Northeast side, from a point one hundred (100) feet northwest of the bridge over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad to Belvidere street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.
- Northeast side, from Belvidere street to Commonwealth avenue, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Stuart Street, Boston Proper.
- Both sides, from Church street to Arlington street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper" each of the following:

Beacon Street.
- North side, from Storrow Memorial Drive to a point ninety-three (93) feet east of Massachusetts avenue, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
- South side, from a point one hundred and fifty (150) feet west of Arlington street to Massachusetts avenue, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Both sides, from Massachusetts avenue to Charlesgate East, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Charlesgate West to Commonwealth avenue, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
North side, from Bay State road to Raleigh street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Berkeley Street.
Northeast side, from a point forty-five (45) feet west of Tremont street to a point sixty (60) feet southeast of Boylston street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from a point sixty (60) feet southeast of Boylston street to Boylston street, 24 hours.
Southwest side, from Warren street to Boylston street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from Boylston street to Commonwealth avenue, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Broadway.
Northeast side, from Stuart street to Tremont street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Shawmut street to Tremont street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Charles Street.
East side, from Cambridge street to Beacon street, 4 P.M to 6 P.M.

Clarendon Street.
Both sides, from Tremont street to Boylston street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Boylston street to Commonwealth avenue, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Columbus Avenue.
Southeast side, from Arlington street to opposite Morgan street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Harrison Avenue.
West side, from Kneeland street to Harvard street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Bennet street to Oak street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Motte street to Dover street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Dover street to East Brookline street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from East Newton street to East Concord street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Huntington Avenue.
Southeast side, from Boylston street to Oxford terrace, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Massachusetts Avenue.
Northeast side, from Albany street to No. 566 Massachusetts avenue, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from No. 524 Massachusetts avenue to a point one hundred (100) feet southeast of the bridge over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Stuart Street.
South side, from Washington street to Tremont street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Warrenton street to Church street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, northerly arm, from Church street to Columbus avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
North side, southerly arm, from Church street to Columbus avenue, 24 hours.
South side, from Columbus avenue, to Huntington avenue, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Tremont Street.
Southeast side, from Castle street to Hollis street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Northwest side, from Arlington street to Stuart street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Washington Street.
East side, from Dover street to Motte street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Broadway to Harvard street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Cornhill to Brattle street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Adams square to Hanover street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Hanover street to Haymarket square, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Washington Street North.
East side, from Haymarket square to Keany square, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Haverhill street to Keany square, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the captions "Boston Proper" and "Roxbury" each of the following:

Columbus Avenue.
Southeast side, from Clarendon street to Tremont street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Huntington Avenue.
Northwest side, from Boylston street to Norway street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from Stuart street to a point twenty (20) feet northeast of the northeast exit of the Charles H. Innes Memorial Underpass, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the captions "Dorchester" and "Roxbury" the following:

Massachusetts Avenue.
Northeast side, from Edward Everett square to the Roxbury canal, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury" each of the following:

Columbus Avenue.
Southeast side, from Tremont street to Washington street (Egleston square), 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.

Massachusetts Avenue.
Northeast side, from a point one hundred (100) feet northwest of the bridge over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad to Commonwealth avenue, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by striking out the following:

Beacon Street, Boston Proper.
North side, from Embankment road to a point ninety-three (93) feet east of Massachusetts avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
North side, from Massachusetts avenue to Charlesgate East, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from a point one hundred and fifty (150) feet west of Arlington street to Charlesgate East, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Charlesgate West to Commonwealth avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
North side, from Bay State road to Raleigh street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Berkeley Street, Boston Proper.
Both sides, from Warren avenue to Columbus avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from Columbus avenue to a point sixty (60) feet south of Boylston street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Columbus avenue to Stanhope street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Stuart street to Boylston street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from Boylston street to Commonwealth avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Northeast side, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Broadway, Boston Proper.
Southwest side, from Shawmut street to Tremont street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from Stuart street to Tremont street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Charles Street, Boston Proper.
East side, from Cambridge street to Beacon street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Clarendon Street, Boston Proper.
Northeast side, from the bridge over the Boston & Albany Railroad to Boylston street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Southwest side, from the bridge over the Boston & Albany Railroad to Boylston street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Boylston street to Commonwealth avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Columbus Avenue, Boston Proper.
Southeast side, from Arlington street to opposite Morgan street, 10 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from Clarendon street to Dartmouth street, 10 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Huntington Avenue, Boston Proper.
Southeast side, from Boylston street to Oxford terrace, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Huntington Avenue, Boston Proper and Roxbury.
Northwest side, from Boylston street to Norway street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from Stuart street to a point twenty (20) feet northeast of the northeast exit of the Charles H. Innes Memorial Underpass, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Massachusetts Avenue, Roxbury.
Northeast side, from a point one hundred (100) feet northwest of the bridge over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad to Belvidere street, 10 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from Belvidere street to Commonwealth avenue, 10 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Stuart Street, Boston Proper.
South side, from Washington street to Tremont street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

South side, from Warrenton street to Broadway, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

South side, from Broadway to Church street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

South side, from Columbus avenue to Huntington avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Tremont Street, Boston Proper.

Northwest side, from Warrenton street to Broadway, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Northwest side, from Broadway to Berkeley street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Southeast side, from Broadway to Dover street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Washington Street, Boston Proper.

East side, from Dover street to Motte street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

East side, from Broadway to Harvard street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

West side, from Cornhill to Brattle street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Both sides, from Adams square to Hanover street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

West side, from Hanover street to Haymarket square, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Washington Street North, Boston Proper.

East side, from Haymarket square to Keany square, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

West side, from Haverhill street to Keany square, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," each of the following:

Beacon Street.

North side, from Storrow Memorial Drive to a point ninety-three (93) feet east of Massachusetts avenue, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

South side, from a point one hundred and fifty (150) feet west of Arlington street to Charlesgate East, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

North side, from Massachusetts avenue to Charlesgate East, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

South side, from Charlesgate West to Commonwealth avenue, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

North side, from Bay State road to Raleigh street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Berkeley Street.

Both sides, from Warren avenue to Columbus avenue, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Northeast side, from Columbus avenue to a point sixty (60) feet south of Boylston street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Southwest side, from Columbus avenue to Stanhope street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Southwest side, from Stuart street to Boylston street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Northeast side, from Boylston street to Commonwealth avenue, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Both sides, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Broadway.

Southwest side, from Shawmut street to Tremont street, 9.30 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Northeast side, from Stuart street to Tremont street, 9.30 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Charles Street.

East side, from Cambridge street to Beacon street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Clarendon Street.

Both sides, from the bridge over the Boston & Albany Railroad to Boylston street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Southwest side, from Boylston street to Commonwealth avenue, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Southwest side, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Columbus Avenue.

Southeast side, from Arlington street to opposite Morgan street, 10 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Southeast side, from Clarendon street to Dartmouth street, 10 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Huntington Avenue.

Southeast side, from Boylston street to Oxford terrace, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Stuart Street.

South side, from Washington street to Tremont street, 9.30 A.M. to 4 P.M.

South side, from Warrenton street to Broadway, 9.30 A.M. to 4 P.M.

South side, from Broadway to Church street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

South side, from Columbus avenue to Huntington avenue, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Tremont Street.

Northwest side, from Warrenton street to Broadway, 9.30 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Northwest side, from Broadway to Arlington street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Southeast side, from Broadway to Castle street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Northwest side, from Arlington street to Berkeley street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Southeast side, from Castle street to Dover street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Washington Street.

East side, from Dover street to Motte street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

East side, from Broadway to Harvard street, 9.30 A.M. to 4 P.M.

West side, from Cornhill to Brattle street, 9.30 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Both sides, from Adams square to Hanover street, 9.30 A.M. to 4 P.M.

West side, from Hanover street to Haymarket square, 9.30 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Washington Street North.

East side, from Haymarket square to Keany square, 9.30 A.M. to 4 P.M.

West side, from Haverhill street to Keany square, 9.30 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the captions "Boston Proper," and "Roxbury," the following:

Huntington Avenue.

Northwest side, from Boylston street to Norway street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Southeast side, from Stuart street to a point twenty (20) feet northeast of the northeast exit of the Charles H. Innes Memorial Underpass, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Massachusetts Avenue.

Northeast side, from a point one hundred (100) feet northwest of the bridge over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad to Commonwealth avenue, 10 A.M. to 4 P.M.

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

Teresa Moran, 11 Mansfield street, Allston, in the sum of $465, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a raised portion of the sidewalk in front of 13 Mansfield street, September 8, 1954.

Giovanni Statuti, 49 Ashley street, East Boston, in the sum of $28.50, as compensation for expense incurred in hiring a contractor to locate a leak in the water line, which later was found to be on city property, August 21, 1954.

Hoyt Yee, 72 Tyler street, Boston, in the sum of $435, as compensation for damage to property stored in the basement of above premises caused by the backing up of a sewer, May 4, 1953.

Kathryn E. Merigan, 38 Lyndhurst street, Dorchester, in the sum of $65, as compensation for collapse of hot water boiler in above premises caused when employees of the Water Division shut off the water, without proper notice, while making repairs, November 2, 1954.

Mabel Ward, 21 Longfellow street, Dorchester, in the sum of $280, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 1672 Washington street, Roxbury, June 25, 1954.

Ethel Boltin, 24 Michigan avenue, Dorchester, in the sum of $200, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk on Columbia road, near Seaver street, October 14, 1952.

Jerome P. Troy, 1724 Columbia road, South Boston, in the sum of $490, as compensation for damage to property in basement and garage of above premises caused by a leak in the water service pipe under the sidewalk, October 30, 1953.

Edith Holland, 33 O'Reilly Way, Charlestown, in the sum of $485, as compensation for personal injuries caused by raised concrete slab on the traffic island in Faneuil Hall square, July 2, 1954.

Arthur Feldman, 183 Harvard street, Dorchester, in the sum of $485, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 1216 Columbus avenue, Roxbury, October 29, 1954.

Anthony Cassetta, 41 Meacham street, Somerville, in the sum of $485, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 116 Commercial street, Boston, February 11, 1954.

Anna Corcoran, 489 East Seventh street, South Boston, in the sum of $110, as compensation for collapse of hot water boiler in above premises caused when the water was shut off by employees of the Water Division, without proper notice, while changing a water meter, June 28, 1954.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, for a trial period of sixty (60) days, the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective February 23, 1955:

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton" the following:

Everett Street.
At Holton street.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, occasioned by raising steel for the construction of the new addition to the Massachusetts Eye and Ear Infirmary, vehicles are excluded from the following street from 7.30 A.M. to 4.30 P.M. on February 17, February 18, and February 19, 1955:

Fruit Street, Boston Proper.
From Charles street to North Grove street.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, for a trial period of sixty (60) days, the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective February 4, 1955:

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by striking out the following:

A Street, South Boston.
From Gillette park to Melcher street.

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

M. E. Graves, 312 Warren street, Roxbury, in the sum of $8.50, as compensation for damage to property caused when the water was shut off by employees of the Water Division while making repairs, March 6, 1954.

Lucy McDonald, 53A Dale street, Roxbury, in the sum of $185, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk on Washington street, corner of Franklin street, April 14, 1951.

Ruth Hoyt, 402 Warren street, Roxbury, in the sum of $485, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk on Cedric street, Roxbury, September 29, 1954.

Samuel Lager, 81 Florence street, Everett, in the sum of $485, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 690 Atlantic avenue, August 2, 1952.

Mary C. Gaetani, 57 Cliff road, Milton, in the sum of $425, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the crosswalk on Hyde Park avenue, at Cummins Highway, June 18, 1951.

Mary Cahalane, 112 Poplar street, Boston, in the sum of $335, as compensation for personal injuries caused by the broken piece of a step on the stairs leading down to the underpass at Charles and Cambridge streets, December 21, 1950.

Emilio Plescia, 4 Holden court, Boston, in the sum of $290, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 5-6 Fulton place, June 24, 1954.

Myrtle Walsh, Bridgetown, Nova Scotia, in the sum of $490, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 160 Boylston street, October 1, 1954.

Arthur F. O'Brien, 6 Donwood terrace, Mattapan, in the sum of $485, as compensation for personal injuries to his son, Arthur F. O'Brien, Jr., a minor, caused by a hole in the sidewalk on Donwood terrace, May 26, 1951.

John C. Rooney, 794 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, in the sum of $43, as compensation for damage to automobile caused when it was struck by a sprinkler

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THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING PAPER, BLANKBOOKS, NOTEBOOKS, AND ENVELOPES FOR THE BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing and delivering at the Supply Room, 440 Brookline avenue, Boston, paper, blankbooks, notebooks, and envelopes as per schedule. Proposal forms are obtainable at the office of the Business Manager of the School Committee, tenth floor, 15 Beacon street. Envelopes containing proposals must be sealed and plainly marked "Proposal for Paper, Blankbooks, Notebooks, and Envelopes." The bid must be in duplicate. One copy, signed by the bidder, and accompanied by a certified check in the amount of two hundred dollars ($200), payable to the City of Boston, must be left at the office of the Business Manager on or before 12 o'clock noon on Monday, March 14, 1955. Copies filed with the Business Manager will be publicly opened and read at 12 o'clock noon of the day stated. The other copy, also signed by the bidder, must be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., previous to the time named for the opening of the bids. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to accept such bid or part of bid as it deems best for the interests of the city. The bidder awarded the contract must furnish a suitable bond or deposit of money or other security for the faithful performance of the contract in the amount of not less than 50 per cent thereof.

HENRY J. SMITH,
Business Manager of the School Committee.
(Feb. 26.)

No. 52—State.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING 1½-INCH FIRE HOSE FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF CIVIL DEFENSE.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Tuesday, March 8, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Hose." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Feb. 26.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING LAUNDRY AND SERVICE.

The Health Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing laundry and service, as per specifications contained in proposals which may be obtained at the office of the Health Department, Haymarket square. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, at the above office. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening bids. *Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and plainly marked "Proposal for Laundry and Service."* The bids will be publicly opened and read Wednesday, March 16, 1955, at 12 M., at the Health Department, Haymarket square. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one thousand dollars ($1,000) with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Commissioner reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city. All contracts made subject to appropriations to meet payments thereunder.

JOHN H. CAULEY, M.D.,
(Feb. 26.) *Health Commissioner.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

SEWERAGE WORKS.

Proposals for Sewerage Works in Ridgeway Lane, at Cambridge Street, and North Street, at Salutation Street, City Proper; and Perkins Street, Between Brighton Street and Cambridge Street, Charlestown.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Ridgeway Lane, etc. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Ridgeway Lane, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of FRIDAY, MARCH 4, 1955, with a certified check for ONE HUNDRED FIFTY (150) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2) for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Feb. 26.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

truck belonging to the Water Division, Public Works Department, October 23, 1954.

Margaret V. Morgan, 185 Norwell street, Dorchester, in the sum of $67.65, as compensation for damage to automobile caused by a hole in the highway between 177 and 181 Norwell street, September 26, 1954.

John F. O'Malley, 117 Mt. Hope street, Roslindale, in the sum of $486, as compensation for damage to automobile and personal injuries caused by a hole in the highway opposite 260 Freeport street, Dorchester, August 31, 1954.

Gertrude Jones, 95 Prescott street, Cambridge, in the sum of $275, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk on Nashua street, Boston, March 3, 1954.

William A. Jenner, 222 Amory street, Jamaica Plain, in the sum of $435, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 194 Amory street, September 18, 1954.

No. 48—346.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING SOAP FOR CITY DEPARTMENTS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Wednesday, March 9, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Soap." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Feb. 26.) *Purchasing Agent.*

No. 50—346.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING LAUNDRY SUPPLIES FOR CITY DEPARTMENTS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Thursday, March 10, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Laundry Supplies." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Feb. 26.) *Purchasing Agent.*

No. 46—346.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING PAPER DRINKING CUPS FOR CITY DEPARTMENTS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Tuesday, March 8, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Paper Drinking Cups." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Feb. 26.) *Purchasing Agent.*

READVERTISEMENT.

This Advertisement Supersedes Invitation for Proposals Published in City Record February 19, 1955.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Invitation for Proposals for Collecting and Removing Garbage and Refuse in South Boston, East Boston, Brighton, West Roxbury, Dorchester North, Dorchester South, Elm Hill, Dudley, Mission Hill, Roxbury, South End, Back Bay, and Stuart Districts.

The City of Boston, acting through its Commissioner of Public Works (hereinafter called the Commissioner), hereby invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for collecting and removing garbage and refuse in South Boston, East Boston, Brighton, West Roxbury, Dorchester North, Dorchester South, Elm Hill, Dudley, Mission Hill, Roxbury, South End, Back Bay, and Stuart districts. Proposal forms, together with the form of contract, may be had daily, between 9 A.M. and 5 P.M., at the Commissioner's office, 506 City Hall Annex (Contract Office), Boston.

Proposals shall be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained as aforesaid. A proposal may be submitted for a one (1) year period on any or all districts except that, if a proposal is submitted for a three (3) year period in the East Boston district and/or the West Roxbury district, the bidder shall also include a bid for a one (1) year period for the same district. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, enclosed in an envelope, sealed and marked "Proposal for Collecting and Removing Garbage and Refuse, etc." One copy of the proposal accompanied by a bid deposit in the form of a certified check for FIVE THOUSAND (5,000) DOLLARS FOR EACH DISTRICT BID, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if, after acceptance, the proposal is not carried out, shall be filed with the Commissioner at his said office on or before 2 P.M., Wednesday, March 9, 1955, at which time all proposals will be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex. The other copy of the proposal, without a bid deposit, shall be filed by the bidder before said day and hour at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, School street, Boston. No proposal shall be withdrawn after the time hereinbefore set for the opening of proposals. There will be a minimum charge of two dollars ($2) for each set of proposal forms.

The Commissioner reserves the right to reject any and all proposals.

The successful bidder will be required (*a*) to furnish a faithful performance bond, executed by a surety company authorized to do business in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, in the sum of one hundred per cent (100%) of the amount of the contract for a one-year term or thirty-three per cent (33⅓) of the amount of the contract for a three-year term, and (*b*) to maintain in a company authorized to do business in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and keep on file with the city policies, binders or certificates evidencing the maintenance of, Workmen's Compensation insurance.

In each proposal the bidder will list the location and ownership of the dumps he proposes to use, and furnish satisfactory proof to the Commissioner as to his legal right to use them.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.
(Feb. 26-Mar. 5.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

CONSTRUCTION OF RETAINING WALL AND CHAIN LINK FENCE.

Proposals for Reinforced Concrete Retaining Wall and Chain Link Fence in Westglow Street, Ward 16, at Dead End.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for reinforced concrete retaining wall and chain link fence in Westglow street, Ward 16, at dead end. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Reinforced Concrete Retaining Wall and Chain Link Fence in Westglow Street, Ward 16, at Dead End," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, MARCH 10, 1955, with a certified check for FOUR HUNDRED (400) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2) for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Feb. 26.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

No. 47—349.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING DISHES, GLASSWARE, AND CUTLERY FOR THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Wednesday, March 9, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Dishes, Glassware, and Cutlery." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Feb. 26.) *Purchasing Agent.*

THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING TRUCKING SERVICE FOR THE TRANSPORTATION OF FOOD, SCHOOL SUPPLIES, AND EQUIPMENT (INCLUDING MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS) FOR THE BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing trucking service for the transportation of food, school supplies, and equipment (including musical instruments) for the Boston public schools. Proposal forms are obtainnble at the office of the Business Mnnager of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, tenth floor. Envelopes containing proposals must be senled and plainly marked "Proposnl for Furnishing Trucking Service for the Transportation of Food, School Supplies, and Equipment (Including Musical Instruments) for the Boston Public Schools." The bid must be in dupliente. One copy, signed hy the bidder, and accompnnied by a certified check, pnyable to the City of Boston, in the amount of three hundred dollars ($300), must be left at the office of the Business Manager on or before 12 o'clock noon on Wednesdny, March 9, 1955. Copies filed with the Business Mannger will be publicly opened and read at 12 o'clock noon of the day stated. The other copy, also signed by the bidder, must be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., previous to the time named for the opening of bids. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to accept the bid which it deems best for the interests of the city. The successful bidder will be required to furnish a suitable bond or deposit of money or other security in the amount of 50 per cent of the estimated amount of the contract.

HENRY J. SMITH,
Business Manager of the School Committee.
(Feb. 26.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING ELEVATOR INSPECTION, MAINTENANCE AND TEST ON VARIOUS ELEVATORS.

The Superintendent of Construction, Department of School Buildings, City of Boston, invites sealed proposals for furnishing elevator inspection, maintenance and test on various elevators. Forms of proposals mny be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Construction, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass. Each proposal must be signed by the bidder, placed in an envelope, properly sealed, and marked "Proposal for Furnishing Elevntor Inspection, Maintenance and Test on Various Elevators," and left at the office of the Superintendent of Construction, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., before 12 noon, Mondny, March 7, 1955, accompanied by cash or certified check on, or n certificate of deposit issued by, a responsible bank or trust company payable to the City of Boston in the sum of $100, to become and be the property of the City of Boston ns liquidated damages, if, after an award is made to him, the bidder shall fail to enter into the contract therefor within ten days after notice of said award has been mailed to him. Bid bonds will not be accepted. Said proposals will tben and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, one with casb, certified check or certificate of deposit to be left as above, the other without cash, certified check or certificate of deposit to be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required prior to the award of said contract.

Specifications will be ready for distribution Monday, February 28, 1955, and may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Construction, Department of School Buildings, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston.

A bond of a surety company, approved by the Superintendent of Construction, in the full amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city, will be required. The Superintendent of Construction reserves the right to reject any and all bids if it be in the public interest so to do.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
(Feb. 26.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

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JOSHUA H. JONES, *Editor.*

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No. 51—591.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING ASBESTOS PADS AND COVERS FOR THE HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Thursdny, March 10, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Asbestos Pads and Covers." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half tbe total estimated amount of tbe contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Feb. 26.) *Purchasing Agent.*

THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER.

PROPOSALS FOR CLEANING GLASS IN WINDOWS, VENTILATORS, AND ENTRANCES OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, WINDOWS AND ENTRANCES OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE ADMINISTRATION BUILDING ANNEX, AND WINDOWS AND TRANSOMS OF OFFICE OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE SUPPLY ROOM.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for cleaning glass in windows, ventilators, entrances, and transoms on the inside and outside of the School Committee Administration Building, School Committee Administration Building Annex, and the School Committee Supply Room. Proposal forms are obtainable at the office of the Business Manager of the School Committee, tenth floor, 15 Beacon street. Envelopes containing proposals must be sealed and plainly marked "Proposal for Cleaning Glass in Windows, Entrances, and Transoms of School Committee Administration Building, Administration Building Annex, and School Committee Supply Room." The bid must be in duplicate. One copy, signed by the bidder, and accompanied by a certified check, payable to the City of Boston in the amount of fifty dollars ($50), must be left at the office of the Business Manager on or before 12 o'clock noon, Tuesday, March 8, 1955. Copies filed with the Business Manager will be publicly opened and read at 12 o'clock noon of the day stated. Tbe other copy, also signed by the bidder, must be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., previous to the time named for the opening of bids. The successful bidders will be required, before commencing performance, to provide by insurance (a) for the payment of compensation and tbe furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws, cbapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract; (b) public liability and property damage in the amounts set forth in the proposal form. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to accept the bid or bids wbich it deems best for the interests of the city. The bidders awarded contracts must furnish a suitable bond or deposit of money or other security for the faithful performance of tbe contract in the amount of 100 per cent thereof.

HENRY J. SMITH,
Business Manager of the School Committee.
(Feb. 26.)

No. 49—346.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING DISINFECTANTS FOR CITY DEPARTMENTS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Tuesday, March 8, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Disinfectants." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the rigbt to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award tbe contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Feb. 26.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

SEWERAGE WORKS.

Proposals for Sewerage Works in Summer Street, from West Street 750 Feet Southerly, Hyde Park.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Summer street. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal sbould be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Summer Street," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of WEDNESDAY, MARCH 16, 1955, with a certified check for SIX HUNDRED (600) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited hy bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2) for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the scbedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, witbout cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under cbapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Feb. 26.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CITY OF BOSTON
ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT
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PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT COMMISSION HAS RENAMED SOME 200 PRIVATE WAYS IN CITY FOR PUBLIC CONVENIENCE—COMPLETE LIST OF ALL PRIVATE WAYS ALSO TO BE MAILED TO INTERESTED CITIZENS—LIST APPROVED BY MAYOR.

The Public Improvement Commission has issued a revised list of private ways whose names have been changed for the benefit and information of the public. There are 200 of these with new names or designation, while the balance are continued under the old designations.

The order and list of changes as published by the commission reads as follows:

City of Boston,
In Public Improvement Commission,

February 25, 1955.

Ordered, That, in accordance with chapter 55, Acts of 1951, as amended by chapter 74, Acts of 1953, this commission, having passed the order of notice relating to the street name changes of private ways hereinafter described, and having caused a copy of said order to be duly advertised, and having given the public hearing, notice of which was given in said order, does hereby order that the following-named private ways be renamed as follows:

Abbotsford Terrace, Dorchester, now St. Jude Terrace.

Adams Avenue, Hyde Park, now Maida Terrace.

Adams Place, Charlestown, now Bannock Place.

Adams Place, Roxbury, now Dade Street.

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INCOME FROM WATER SERVICE FOR 1954 INSUFFICIENT TO PROVIDE FOR OPERATING EXPENSES — FIGURES FURNISHED MAYOR HYNES BY CITY AUDITOR POINT TO DEFICIT OF $115,469.05 — TRANSFER OF FUNDS REQUIRED.

Income of the Water Service for the year 1954 was not sufficient to provide for the operating expenses, according to figures furnished Mayor Hynes by Joseph P. Lally, City Auditor. The deficit, according to the figures submitted, amounted to $115,469.05, thus requiring a transfer of funds from City Debt Requirements, Interest, to meet the situation.

The letter to Mayor Hynes from the Auditor submitting the figures and explanation reads as follows:

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HURRICANE RELIEF BOARD COMPELLED TO CALL ON UNEXPENDED CITY AND COUNTY APPROPRIATIONS TO CARE FOR REPAIRS TO PUBLIC PROPERTY DAMAGED IN 1954 BLOWS — $345,383.23 NECESSITATED FOR ACCOUNT NUMBER 1 AND $127,451.72 FOR ACCOUNT NUMBER 2 — ALL DEPARTMENTS CALLED ON TO SHARE.

Unexpended departmental appropriations for the year 1954 have been called upon by the auditor, Joseph P. Lally, with the approval of Mayor Hynes, for repairs to public property necessary to preserve such property not provided for by the Hurricane Relief Board. This comes about because of the indefiniteness of the authority under which the Board has been permitted to act by State legislation.

This has resulted in transfer of appropriations from various items in the city budget amounting to $275,223.41; from the county budget of $34,402.94; school budget of $35,756.88, making a total of $345,383.23 to Hurricane Emergency Account Number 1, and transfers from other departments amounting to $127,451.72 to the appropriation for Hurricane Emergency Account Number 2.

The communication from City Auditor Joseph P. Lally to Mayor Hynes recounting the information reads as follows:

February 18, 1955,
as of
December 31, 1954.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR:

Under the authority of section 16, chapter 486, Acts of 1909, as amended, departments were authorized to incur liabilities in excess of amounts appropriated because of the extreme emergency involving the health and safety of persons and property caused by the hurricanes of August 31, 1954, and September 11, 1954. Chapter 689, Acts of 1954, an act relative to the alleviation of certain financial burdens caused by the hurricane of August 31, 1954, provided for the establishment of a Hurricane Relief Board with authority to approve reimbursements to cities and towns for expenditures made for the clearance of debris and repair of damages.

Under the rules established by the Hurricane Relief Board governing their approval for reimbursement, certain restrictions prevent us from obtaining full reimbursement. For example, reimbursement for expenditures for major items of equipment is limited to 20 per cent of the cost, and reimbursement will be made only for temporary repairs to public property necessary to preserve such property.

Reimbursement towards the cost of permanent repairs may be approved in an amount equal to the cost of temporary repairs had such temporary repairs been made. Because of the indefinite nature of this latter restriction, it is not possible to know exactly what reimbursements will be received and the extent to which funds will have to be provided from other sources.

Therefore, in order to provide for emergency hurricane expenditures for which no reimbursement will be received from the Commonwealth, I propose, in connection with the closing of 1954 accounts, with your approval, in accordance with section 3B, chapter 486 of the Acts of 1909, as amended, to transfer unexpended department appropriation balances as follows:

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"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the shipteeming plain of the ocean;
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
Nathan Haskell Dole.

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, March 7, at 2 P.M.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries, or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the Complaints Division, Room 25, City Hall.

Information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways, the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments of streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped area for streets and the opening of private ways; the making of specific repairs in public streets; the naming of public streets, including the use of public ways for location of conduits, poles, and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railways, coal holes, and vaults, may be secured from the Public Improvement Commission, Room 403, City Hall Annex.

To the Boston Traffic Commission, 112 Southampton street, for information relative to regulation of vehicular street traffic on all or any streets, ways, highways, roads, and parkways under the control of the City of Boston, the issuing of all permits in connection therewith.

To the Commissioner of Public Works, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting, and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch basins, the operation of Sumner Tunnel, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges, and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

To the Health Department, Haymarket Square, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish, and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughterhouses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases, of public health nuisances.

To the Board of Park Commissioners, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth Avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park, and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts, also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview, and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

To the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

To the Department of School Buildings, 28 Norman street, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

To the Board of Examiners, Room 907, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal, or tearing down buildings.

To the Electrical Inspection Division of the Building Department, 1001 City Hall Annex, for all information relative to the erection of poles, building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division; also for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings of the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

To the Board of Zoning Adjustment, 43 City Hall, relative to changes in the boundary lines of zoning districts of the City of Boston as established by chapter 488 of the Acts of 1924, and amendments thereto.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending February 26, 1955.

Population as of July, 1950, Massachusetts State Census, 817,713; population estimated July, 1954, United States Census Bureau, 810,633; number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 177; nonresidents, 74; total, 252.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 16.21; nonresidents deducted, 11.26.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:

Last week, 16.66; corresponding week last year, 14.46.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 11; one year to four years, inclusive, 6; sixty years and over, 174. Total deaths: Male, 132; female, 119; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 179.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

Diseases.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Feb. 26, 1955.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Feb. 27, 1954.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior Poliomyelitis	—	—	—	—
Diphtheria	—	—	—	—
Encephalitis Lethargica	—	—	—	—
Influenza	—	—	—	—
Measles	196	1	2	—
Meningitis Epidemic	—	—	1	—
Pneumonia (lobar)	—	1	—	2
Scarlet Fever	36	—	33	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary)	7	5	25	4
Childhood Type Tuberculosis	—	—	—	—
Tuberculosis (other forms)	2	—	1	—
Typhoid Fever	—	—	—	—
Whooping Cough	9	—	4	—

* Residents and nonresidents included.

INCOME FROM WATER SERVICE FOR 1954 SHOWS DEFICIT.

(*Continued from page 281.*)

February 9, 1955,
as of
December 31, 1954.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR:

The appropriation and tax orders for the financial year 1954 provide in part:

"*Ordered*, That the appropriation for water service, current expenses, and the payment to the state, under the provisions of chapter 488 of the Acts of 1895, and acts in addition or amendment thereto, and for the interest and debt requirements or for loans issued for water purposes, be met by the income of said works and any excess over income from taxes."

According to the records of this department, the income of the Water Service during 1954 was not sufficient to provide for the operating expenses, as indicated in the following table:

Unexpended Balances from 1953		$674,706 93
Receipts During 1954		6,039,269 06
		$6,713,975 99
Expenditures During 1954:		
Public Works Department	$2,439,960 14	
Metropolitan Water Assessment	3,313,909 84	
Treasury Department, Collecting Division, Water Section	127,655 90	
Collecting Department, Water Division	58,365 59	
Pensions and Annuities	160,060 33	
Redemption of Debt	36,000 00	
Interest on Debt	1,362 50	
Refunded Water Rates	510 25	
	$6,137,824 55	
Transfer of 1953 Surplus to City Loans, Redemption of	533,649 12	
	$6,671,473 67	
Unexpended Balances to 1955	157,971 37	
		6,829,445 04
Deficit		$115,469 05

In order to conform with the provisions of the order mentioned above, in connection with the closing of 1954 accounts, I propose, with your approval and in accordance with section 3B of chapter 486 of the Acts of 1909, as amended, to make the following transfer:

From: City Debt Requirements, Interest	$115,469 05
To: Water Service, Receipts	115,469 05

Respectfully,

JOSEPH P. LALLY,
City Auditor.

HURRICANE RELIEF BOARD FORCED TO USE CITY AND COUNTY APPROPRIATIONS.

(*Continued from page 281.*)

From the appropriation for:

Building Department	$12,813 41
Board of Appeal	297 21
Board of Examiners	17 32
Unsafe Buildings, Securing, Removing, etc	756 82
Licensing Board	823 83
Civil Defense Activities	25,362 60
Public Works:	
Bridge Service	10,665 13
Lighting Service	1,385 79
Paving Service	34,676 12
Survey Division	3,437 31
Boston Traffic Commission	4,923 90
Public Works:	
Sewer Service	13,503 03
Sanitary Service	8,051 90
Health:	
Health Division	302 23
Registry Division	6,284 40
Weights and Measures	5,682 22
Hospital:	
Main Hospital	29,295 41
Sanatorium Division	21,306 70
Long Island Division	20,868 18
Welfare:	
Central Office	41,279 52
Temporary Home	4,613 40
Wayfarers' Lodge	434 43
Veterans' Services	2,573 47
Parks and Recreation Department	132 15
Real Property:	
Market Division	$68 91
Parks and Recreation Department:	
Cemetery Division	1,524 25
Workmen's Compensation Service	126 96
Workmen's Compensation	83 92
Executions of Court, etc	1,703 92
Pensions and Annuities	2,007 15
Bond and Allotment Plan	3,974 98
Civic Improvement Commission	1,877 15
Reserve Fund	592 47
Boston Rent Board	7,686 38
Reorganized Departments:	
Board of Real Estate Commissioners	5 20
Collecting Department	3 78
Department of Veterans' Services	179 07
Health Department	439 06
Institutions: Long Island Hospital	3,682 12
Park Department	984 99
Public Buildings Department	580 41
Public Welfare Department	157 52
Registry Department	44
Street Laying-Out Department	5 12
Treasury Department	34 55
Library Department	18 58
City Budget	$275,223 41
Registry of Deeds	$185 14
Courthouse Custodian	9,085 75
Jail: Jail Improvements	2,358 45
Penal Institutions: Central Office	87
Supreme Judicial Court	1,234 24
Superior Court, Civil Session, Clerk	1,739 73
Superior Court, Criminal Session	1,414 68
Probate Court	52 36
Municipal Court, Boston	6,388 34
District Courts:	
Municipal Court, Charlestown	$120 32
East Boston District Court	419 04
Municipal Courts:	
South Boston	3,096 59
Dorchester	846 65
Roxbury	15 92
West Roxbury	129 15
Brighton	174 07
District Court:	
Chelsea	32 80
Medical Examiner:	
Northern	819 05
Southern	719 57
Associate Medical Examiner:	
Southern	115 90
Insanity Cases	3,618 21
Miscellaneous Expenses, Sheriff	1,750 00
Pensions and Annuities	86 11
County Budget	$34,402 94
Department of School Buildings:	
Administrative Expenses, Office Expenses	$1,138 71
Alterations, Furniture and Equipment for Special Educational Needs	26,870 40
General Alterations and Repairs	5,120 43
Pensions and Annuities	1,228 81
Workmen's Compensation	600 00
Land and Buildings for Schools—Rent of Hired Accommodations	798 53
School Budget	$35,756 88

To the appropriation for:

Hurricane Emergency Account Number 1	$345,383 23

From the appropriation for:

Mayor, Office Expenses	$6,598 66
City Council	750 89
Administrative Services:	
Director's Office	451 47
Complaints Division	376 92
Personnel and Budget Division	273 42
Purchasing Division	573 83
Printing Division	6,408 81
Art Commission	1,194 14
Election Department	16,907 59
Auditing Department	1,292 05
Assessing Department	383 20
Treasury Department:	
Collecting Division	287 22
Treasury Division	2,942 55
Board of Commissioners of Sinking Funds	11 00
Law Department	12,062 12
City Clerk Department	1,185 74
City Planning Board	796 47
Board of Zoning Adjustment	114 33
Real Property Department:	
Real Property Division	1,937 92
Buildings Division	4 07
Boston Retirement Board	831 11
Finance Commission	1,174 97
Conventions and Entertainment of Guests	191 26
Public Celebrations	2,779 48
Public Works:	
Central Office	234 97
Automotive Division	2,930 83
Police Department	9,440 68
Fire Department	50,963 57
Building Department	4,352 45
Total	$127,451 72

To the appropriation for:

Hurricane Emergency Account Number 2	$127,451 72

Respectfully,

JOSEPH P. LALLY,
City Auditor.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULING.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of underground construction by the Boston Edison Company, estimated to be fifteen (15) days, vehicles are excluded from the following street, effective February 28, 1955:

Lincoln Street, Brighton.
From Cambridge street to Franklin street.

200 PRIVATE WAYS IN CITY RENAMED BY PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT COMMISSION.

(Continued from page 281.)

Addington Road, West Roxbury, now Maple Street (Extension).
Airport Street, East Boston, now Aranson Street.
Alpine Terrace, Roxbury, now Cirent Terrace.
Alta Crest, West Roxbury, now Altacrest Road.
Arch Place, Boston Proper, now Archway Street.
Arlington Terrace, Boston Proper, now Pelham Terrace.
Ashland Terrace, West Roxbury, now Ashwood Terrace.
Ashley Avenue, East Boston, now Palermo Street.
Auburn Avenue, Charlestown, now Auburn Terrace.
Austin Avenue, Dorchester, now Stoughton Terrace.
Ballou Place, Dorchester (from Norfolk Street to railroad), now Balina Place.
Bancroft Street, Dorchester, now Argyle Terrace.
Barry Place, Hyde Park, now Barry Street.
Bartlett Terrace, Roxbury, now Bonell Terrace.
Batchelder Terrace, Roxbury, now Centre Street Terrace (Extension).
Bellevue Terrace, Roxbury, now Linwood Square.
Bernard Street, Dorchester, now New England Avenue.
Berwick Street, Hyde Park, now Vernon Street.
Bicknell Avenue, Roxbury, now Roxbury Terrace.
Binney Place, Roxbury, now Aaron Place.
Bismarck Street South, Dorchester, now Bismarck Street.
Blanchard Street, Hyde Park, now Indaro Road.
Bowdoin Square, Dorchester, now Dakota Terrace.
Brighton Street Avenue, Boston Proper, now Auton Way.
Brook Street, Dorchester, now Sturtevant Street.
Buffalo Street, Brighton, now Guest Street.
Bunker Hill Terrace, Charlestown, now Tufts Terrace.
C Street, Roxbury, now Napa Street.
Calder Place, West Roxbury, now Candor Place.
Camden Place, Boston Proper, now Neville Place.
Canton Street Court, Boston Proper, now Canton Court.
Canton Street Place, Boston Proper, now Canton Place.
Caspar Street, West Roxbury, now Kiernan Road.
Cemo Road, West Roxbury, now Crockers Lane
Clapp Street, Roxbury, now Toland Court.
Clarendon Avenue, West Roxbury, now Claron Street.
Clarendon Court, West Roxbury, now Delano Court.
Columbia Avenue, Dorchester, now Cottrell Street.
Cottage Avenue, West Roxbury (from Howitt Road to Sparrow Street), now St. Theresa Avenue.
Cottage Avenue, West Roxbury (from Sparrow Street to Maplewood Street), now Maplewood Street.
Cottage Place, Roxbury, now Medina Way.
Cottage Street, East Boston, now Neptune Terrace.
Craft Street, Roxbury, now Craftson Way.
Cranston Road, West Roxbury, now Courtney Road.
Cross Street Avenue, Charlestown, now Holston Street.
Cross Street Court, Charlestown, now Hilary Street.
Cunnington Street, Boston Proper, now Babbitt Street.
D Street, South Boston, now Ramp Street.
Damrell Avenue, Hyde Park, now Danny Road.
Davis Place, Roxbury (from 879 Albany Street), now Velmar Place.
Davis Place, Roxbury (from 32 Webber Street), now Webber Place.
Depot Square, West Roxbury, now Woolsey Square.
Depot Street, Brighton, now Thor Terrace.
Devens Street Place, Charlestown, now Venden Place.
Dexter Court, Dorchester, now Sexton Court.
Dexter Place, South Boston, now Transit Street
Downer Street, Dorchester, now Howe Terrace.
Dromey Avenue, Dorchester, now Dromey Street.
Dunn Court, Dorchester, now Dunn Street.
Dunn's Park, Dorchester, now Dunn Street.
Eliot Avenue, Hyde Park, now Ernest Avenue.
Elm Place, Hyde Park, now Business Terrace.
Farragut Court, South Boston, now Admiral Court.
Fencourt, Roxbury, now Fencourt Street.
Fenton Place, Dorchester, now Marlin Way.
Florence Street East, West Roxbury, now Florian Street.
Forest Avenue, Hyde Park, now Forestvale Road.
Forest Street, Dorchester, now Fellsway Street.
Forest Street, Hyde Park, now Meadowview Road.
Fremont Place, Roxbury, now Nathan Street.
Fulton Street, Dorchester, now Franklin Street
Furbush Court, Charlestown, now Garnet Court.
Gerald Road, Hyde Park, now Belnap Road.
Glendower Street, West Roxbury, now Glencliff Road.
Granger Place, Dorchester, now Duncan Terrace.
Grant Avenue, Brighton, now Wilton Terrace.
Grant Place, Brighton, now Rotterdam Street.
Greenmount Street Court, Dorchester, now Greenmount Place.
Greenwich Street, Roxbury, now Greenwich Court.
Groveland Street, Dorchester (from Manchester Street to Maryknoll Street), now Maryknoll Street.
Groveland Street, Dorchester (from Maryknoll Street northerly), now Maryknoll Terrace.
Hamilton Alley, Boston Proper, now Jenton Way.
Hampstead Road, West Roxbury, now Hampstead Lane.
Harvard Place, Brighton, now Argus Place.
Hawthorne Avenue, Roxbury, now Kenway Terrace.
Hawthorne Street, Hyde Park, now Millstone Road.
Hayden Terrace, Roxbury, now Archer Terrace.
High Street, West Roxbury (from northeast of East Street to railroad), now Noone Street.
High Street, West Roxbury (from Stony Brook to 375 feet south of 4648 Washington Street), now Highpoint Road.
Highfield Street, Hyde Park, now Edgecliff Street.
Highland Park, Roxbury, now Fort Avenue Terrace.
Homer Street, East Boston, now Wordsworth Terrace.
Homestead Park, Roxbury, now Ruthven Park.
Humboldt Park, Roxbury, now Bower Court.
Hunneman Place, Roxbury, now Lunar Place.
Hutchins Avenue, Roxbury, now Nira Avenue.
James Avenue, South Boston, now Jason Terrace.
Jefferson Street, Hyde Park, now Cromwell Road.
Langdon Street, Roxbury, now Napa Street.
Laurel Road, Hyde Park, now Camelia Road.
Lawrence Avenue, Charlestown, now Lawrence Terrace.
Liberty Street, South Boston, now Liberty Place.
Linden Place, South Boston, now Salerno Place.
Linden Street, Hyde Park, now Lawton Street.
Liverpool Avenue, East Boston, now Coppersmith Way.
Longwood Terrace, Roxbury, now Brookwood Terrace.
Lubec Street, East Boston (from Prescott Street to Lovell Street), now Lovell Street.
Lubec Street, East Boston (from Swift Street to M.T.A. location), now Swift Terrace.
Lynde Avenue, Charlestown, now Lynton Street.
Madison Street, Hyde Park (from Hyde Park Avenue to beyond Bradlee Street), now Meacham Street.
Mascoma Street, Dorchester, now Intervale Terrace.
McLellan Street, Boston Proper, now Millburn Place.
Mechanic Street North, Brighton, now Craftsman Street.
Merriam Place, Roxbury, now Thornton Terrace.
Milton Street, East Boston, now Horace Street.
Mission Street, Roxbury, now Judge Street.
Monument Lane, Charlestown, now Boswell Lane.
Moulton Avenue, Charlestown, now Moulton Way.
Mt. Ida Terrace, Dorchester, now Elba Terrace.
Mt. Vernon Avenue, Brighton, now Rushmore Street.
Myrtle Place, Dorchester, now Magnolia Place.
Neponset Street, Dorchester, now Point Road.
Newburn Place, Hyde Park, now Navarre Place.
Newburn Street, Hyde Park, now Navarre Street.
North Avenue, West Roxbury, now Northdale Avenue.
Oakdale Avenue, West Roxbury, now Pinecliff Road.
Oakland Avenue, Roxbury, now Bard Avenue.
Oakland Park, Brighton, now Oakland Place.
Oliver Place, Boston Proper, now Ping On Street.
Orleans Street, East Boston, now Vienna Street.
Parker Place, Roxbury (from Parker Hill Avenue), now Parker Hill Place.
Parker Place, Roxbury (from Terrace Street to railroad), now Terrace Place.
Percy Street, West Roxbury, now St. Mark Street (Extension).
Plymouth Court, Roxbury, now Treadwell Court.
Plymouth Street, Dorchester, now Dolphin Street.
Prentiss Place, Roxbury, now Kenesaw Terrace
Prospect Avenue, Charlestown, now Prospect Terrace.
Prospect Street, West Roxbury, now Constance Road.
Rena Street, Brighton, now Western Place.
Richrow Street, Dorchester, now Caryll Street
Riverside Place, Dorchester, now Riverbank Place.
Roach's Court, Dorchester, now Druce Court.
Rockland Street West Roxbury, now Rockport Street
Ross Terrace, Dorchester, now Savin Hill Terrace.
Roughan Terrace, Charlestown, now Kresson Terrace.
Rowe Place, West Roxbury, now Legion Place
Ross Terrace, Dorchester, now Fox Point Road.
St. Alphonsus Avenue, Roxbury, now Utah Way.
Sharp Street, Dorchester, now Mather Court.
Sinclair Place, Brighton, now Sinclair Road.
South Avenue, Boston Proper now Sabine Avenue.
Sorrento Street, Brighton, now West Sorrento Street.
Spring Terrace, Roxbury, now Bower Terrace.
Stanley Street, Hyde Park, now Standbro Street.
Stark Avenue, Hyde Park, now Vallaro Road.
Struzziery Terrace, West Roxbury, now Lilac Terrace
Sumner Road, Dorchester, now Sumner Square.
Sunny Terrace, Roxbury, now Dewey Terrace.
Sunnyside Road, Hyde Park, now Sunupee Road.
Sunset Circle, Dorchester, now Stanley Street.
Tileston Square, Boston Proper, now Teel Street.
Trundull Street, East Boston, now Trident Street.
Union Court, Charlestown, now Ulene Court.
Union Terrace, West Roxbury, now Yale Terrace.
Upland Street, West Roxbury, now Ascent Street.
Unnamed Way, Boston Proper (from 118 Oliver Street), now Boates Court.
Upton Court, Brighton, now Hague Street.
Van Ness Place, Roxbury, now Dunreath Terrace.
Vaughan Street, Hyde Park, now Chesterfield Street.
Wait Place, Roxbury, now Waymount Place.
Wait Street, Roxbury, now Waymount Street.
Wales Place, Dorchester, now Rockmount Street
Walker Avenue, Charlestown, now Biscoe Place
Walnut Street Court, Dorchester, now Walnut Court.
Washburn Avenue East Boston (from Walley Street to Belle Isle Inlet), now Walley Street.
Washington Avenue, East Boston, now Chelsea Terrace.
Washington Street, Dorchester, now Vulcan Street.
Washington Heights Avenue, West Roxbury, now Weymouth Avenue.
Washington Heights Avenue East, West Roxbury, now Woodley Avenue.
Waupello Road, East Boston, now Shawsheen Road.
Way Place, Roxbury, now Copeland Park.
Welles Park, West Roxbury, now Wellesmere Park.
West Street, East Boston, now Westbrook Street.
Williams Court, Boston Proper, now Pie Alley.
Williams Street Terrace, Roxbury, now Williams Square.
Winslow Place, Roxbury, now Ballinger Place.
Winslow Street, West Roxbury, now Sherbrook Street.
Winthrop Place, Roxbury, now Gary Street.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
HERMAN CARP,
WILLIAM ARTHUR REILLY,
Public Improvement Commission.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following requests:

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Temporary Foreman of Mechanics and Craftsmen Joseph A. Wall, Maintenance Division, 5 hours at $3 an hour.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.
Long Island Division.

Thomas W. Gilson, electrician foreman, 9½ hours, $21.20.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

William E. Collins, general foreman, 20 hours at $3 an hour; Neil P. Canney, park maintenance foreman, 6 hours at $3 an hour; Harry L. McGuire, tree maintenance foreman, 48 hours at $2 an hour; John J. Hammond, general foreman, horticulture, 8 hours at $2.18 an hour.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

John M. Lanning, 18 Schirmer road, West Roxbury, has been appointed deputy assessor for a temporary period of six months, pending examination by Civil Service, at $122.50 a week.

The Mayor has approved the appointment of the following permanent assistant assessors (part time):

John T. Driscoll, William P. Driscoll, John M. Corcoran, Norman S. Weinberg, John F. Driscoll, $263.18 a month.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

For the week ending February 8:

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Lee E. Alford, 99 Ellington street, Dorchester, 6 days; Dolores Buckley, Esther Bandlow, 5 Reddy avenue, Hyde Park, 1 day; Louise Blanchard, 31 Eaton street, East Milton, 3 days; Rita Buscher, 238 Norfolk street, Wollaston, 2 days; Ann Cavallo, 28 Norton street, Dorchester, Ruby Childs, 270 Huntington avenue, 3 days; Gertrude Clark, 13 Rosa street, Hyde Park, 2 days; Martha Costello, 17 Henshaw street, Brighton, Iris Crowley, 168 Crowley-Rogers Way, South Boston, 1 day; Sophie Cotter, 173 Vine Rock street, 7 days; Madeline Curry, Norma Dean, 696 Massachusetts avenue, Florence Dowd, 93 Williams avenue, Hyde Park, 2 days; Patricia Doucette, 352 Athens street, South Boston, Elizabeth Donlan, 21 Ferndale street, Dorchester, 5 days; Patricia Daily, 73 Stanton street, Dorchester, 3 days; Yolander Evans, 126 Waverly street, Everett, 7 days; Anna Ferrara, 53 Blue Hill avenue, Milton, 1 day; K. Ruth Frank, 3 Allston street, 5 days; Wanda Geragosion, 10 Independence avenue, Lexington, 3 days; Mary Grant, 49 East Springfield street, 1 day; Ethel Glennon, 57 Halles avenue, Quincy, Ethel Goff, 40 Rockwell street, Dorchester, Jeanne Gerety, 13 Autumn street, Everett, 7 days; Matilda Hensel, 172 Beach street, Belmont, 2 days; Doris Holland, 24 Chestnut road, West Roxbury, 1 day; Mary B. Healy, 163 East Cottage street, Dorchester, 6 days; Frances Harris, 103 Townsend street, Roxbury, Ruth Isaakson, 58 Cheney street, Roxbury, 3 days; Charlotte Kelleher, 48 Waverly street, Roxbury, Loretta Lynch, 270 Huntington avenue, 2 days; Margaret Leonard, 7 Speedwell street, Dorchester, Mary B. McAuley, 1121 Saratoga street, East Boston, 7 days; Rita McCallum, 162 Bowdoin street, Dorchester, 3 days; Claire Murphy, 32 Worcester square, 6 days; Carmella Messina, 102 Highland road, Somerville, 2 days; Mary Murphy, 37 Hamden Circle, Wollaston, Phyllis Nigri, 271 Dartmouth street, 5 days; Agnes O'Connor, 270 Huntington avenue, 3 days; Estella Paris, 167 Fayerweather street, Cambridge, 2 days; Angelina Peyton, 16 Dane street, Jamaica Plain, 3 days; Mary Pursley, 38 Van Brunt street, Hyde Park, 4 days; Dora Picarsky, 31 Edison Green, Dorchester, Romaine Riley, 171 Humboldt avenue, Roxbury, 3 days; Ann Romsey, 146 Massa-

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APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING MARCH 1.

GAS FITTER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
A. Farley	929 Albany street	8	Connecting range	$10
C. Pemello	103 Alexander street	13	Connecting range	75
P. Gulesian	168 Austin street	18	Connecting heater	175
A. Farley	13 Bartlett street	9	Connecting range	15
A. Farley	17 Bartlett street	9	Connecting range	15
P. Werner	32 Child street	18	Connecting range	40
P. Gulesian	189 Clare avenue	18	Connecting heater	35
H. Hinckley	180 Commonwealth avenue	5	Connecting range	30
H. Geddis	31 Cornwall street	11	Connecting range	35
J. Rooney	8 Dana avenue	18	Connecting range	50
J. McGee	78 Dover street	3	Connecting heater	35
D. O'Neill	476 East Fourth street	6	Connecting range	45
Wm. Connell	915 East Fourth street	6	Connecting range	100
P. Werner	39 East Springfield street	8	Connecting heater	35
H. Geddis	71 Gainsborough street	4	Connecting range	15
Wm. Connell	491 Geneva avenue	16	Connecting range	65
P. Gulesian	22 Halsey road	18	Connecting heater	50
H. Hinckley	21 Hendry street	9	Connecting range	150
D. O'Neill	20 Jamaicaway	10	Connecting range	40
D. Gould	139 Marcella street	11	Connecting range	40
A. Farley	127 Moreland street	12	Connecting range	15
D. O'Neill	8½ O street	7	Connecting range	35
D. O'Neill	222 Parker Hill avenue	10	Connecting cooker	45
H. Haffer	166 Pleasant street	15	Connecting range	600
A. Farley	48 Regent street	12	Connecting range	10
A. Farley	54 Townsend street	11	Connecting range	10
H. Haffer	497 Washington street	21	Connecting range	75
P. Gulesian	28 Webster street	18	Connecting heater	35
H. Geddis	64 Westland avenue	4	Connecting range	20
L. Visco	75 White street	1	Connecting heater	35
B. Bishop	6 Cambridge terrace	21	Connecting range	150
Wm. Hogan	398 Centre street	16	Connecting range	100
J. Vangi	195 Chambers street	3	Connecting range	45
L. Luxton	84 Coleman street	15	Connecting cooker	50
B. Bishop	318 Commonwealth avenue	5	Connecting range	300
B. Gold	6 Derry road	18	Connecting range	40
B. Gold	9 Derry road	18	Connecting range	30
S. Landau	31 Greycliff road	21	Connecting range	10
B. Bishop	103 Hemenway street	4	Connecting range	100
D. Horgan	234 L street	7	Connecting range	30
Wm. Hogan	120 Marlborough street	4	Connecting range	100
D. Horgan	90 Mt. Vernon street	7	Connecting range	50
N. Clark	104 Nonantum street	21	Connecting range	300
N. Clark	729 Parker street	10	Connecting range	400
C. Green	14 Porter street	11	Connecting range	30
S. Shulman	1812 River street	18	Connecting range	35
C. Boates	171 Tremont street	3	Connecting range	50
S. Chipman	803 Tremont street	9	Connecting range	25
S. Landau	108 Washington street	21	Connecting range	30
C. Kay	227 West Fifth street	6	Connecting range	60
S. Connolly	22 Abbotsford street	12	Connecting range	20
J. Palumbo	25 Albion street	8	Connecting range	65
M. Savitz	1212 Blue Hill avenue	14	Connecting range	85
E. Secatore	161 Border street	1	Connecting range	40
D. Greenwood	468 Centre street	19	Connecting range	50
S. Staretz	1890 Columbus avenue	11	Connecting range	125
S. Connolly	30 Copeland street	12	Connecting heater	35
S. Connolly	18 Dana street	12	Connecting range	50
A. Puricelli	487 Dudley street	8	Connecting heater	100
M. Eskowitz	4 Dunkeld street	13	Connecting range	25
S. Kushnir	21 Edinboro' street	3	Connecting range	50
A. Stahly	3 Greenwich street	15	Connecting range	15
A. Stahly	1 Helena road	16	Connecting range	40
J. McGee	119 Magnolia street	13	Connecting range	80
G. Donohue	127 Marion street	1	Connecting heater	400
A. Stahly	20 Mayfield street	13	Connecting heater	90
J Littman	14 Norton street	15	Connecting range	45
S Connolly	86 Regent street	11	Connecting range	40
W. Nye	13 T Wharf	3	Connecting range	25
S. Staretz	33 Tremont street	3	Connecting heater	95
S. Connolly	1309 Tremont street	9	Connecting heater	50
R. Grove	3510 Washington street	11	Connecting range	175
C. Kay	102 West Third street	6	Connecting range	120
L. Luxton	27 Woodlawn street	11	Connecting range	45
G. Trethewey	62 Aldrich street	20	Connecting range	175
J. Wilson	32 Ashley street	1	Connecting range	50
J. Wilson	51 Austin street	2	Connecting range	40
J. Wilson	88½ Bartlett street	2	Connecting range	45
J. Wilson	97 Bartlett street	2	Connecting range	35
G. Trethewey	41 Bateman street	18	Connecting heater	225
P. Gulesian	112 Bateman street	18	Connecting heater	200
J. Wilson	270 Bunker Hill street	2	Connecting range	50
J. Wilson	286 Bunker Hill street	2	Connecting range	50
P. Gulesian	71 Business street	18	Connecting heater	200
G. Trethewey	5 Cedrus avenue	20	Connecting range	345
J. Wilson	41 Chelsea street	2	Connecting range	40
N. Deutsch	298 Chelsea street	1	Connecting range	250
J. Wilson	1292 Commonwealth avenue	21	Connecting range	35
J. Wilson	3 Coral place	2	Connecting range	20
M. Loiterstein	32 Cordis street	2	Connecting range	35
P. Gulesian	46 Dana avenue	18	Connecting heater	40
J. Wilson	43 Eden street	2	Connecting range	40
J. Wilson	41 Eden street	2	Connecting range	20
J. Wilson	25 Elm street	2	Connecting range	40
J. Wilson	66 Ferrin street	2	Connecting range	40
N. Deutsch	16 Frankfort street	1	Connecting range	15
A. Stahly	10 Hallam street	13	Connecting range	35
G. Trethewey	19 Harrison street	18	Connecting range	295
J. Wilson	30 Haverhill street	2	Connecting range	40
L. Downey	13 Haviland street	4	Connecting range	35
N. Clark	29 Hawthorne street	11	Connecting range	400
A. Stahly	8 Joseph street	16	Connecting range	30
J. Wilson	125 Main street	2	Connecting range	35

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING MARCH 1.—Concluded.

GAS FITTER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
P. Gulesian	50 Massasoit street	18	Connecting range.	$75
M. Eskowitz	810 Morton street	14	Connecting range.	150
J. Wilson	7 Mt. Vernon street	2	Connecting range.	50
William Mooney	187 Neponset avenue	16	Connecting range.	50
J. Wilson	55 Park street	2	Connecting range.	10
A. Granara	28 Parmenter street.	3	Connecting range.	35
J. Wilson	45 Pearl street	2	Connecting heater	10
J. Wilson	73 Pearl street	2	Connecting range.	45
J. Wilson	78 Pearl street	2	Connecting range.	35
S. Litman	18 Rockland street	12	Connecting range.	55
J. Wilson	17 Russell street	2	Connecting range.	40
J. Wilson	57 Rutherford avenue	2	Connecting range.	40
A. Figler	35 School street	11	Connecting range.	350
N. Clark	47 Sudan street	13	Connecting range.	15
D. Horgan	17 Ticknor street	7	Connecting range.	35
N. Deutsch	21 White street	1	Connecting range.	30
P. Murtha	17 Alban street	17	Connecting heater	35
G. Trethewey	10 Ashfield street	20	Connecting range.	395
P. Murtha	145 Beaver street	18	Connecting range.	70
E. Gamrin	2 Centre Street terrace	10	Connecting range.	200
I. Himelfarb	15 Columbia street	3	Connecting range.	15
M. Eskowitz	157 Crawford street.	12	Connecting range.	10
R. Weider	1075A Dorchester avenue	13	Connecting heater	35
R. Simon	7 Elmwood place	7	Connecting range.	50
P. Murtha	119 Evans street	17	Connecting heater	30
D. Serenei	189 Everett street	1	Connecting range.	25
B. Zieff	36 Hartwell street	12	Connecting range.	30
Wm. Rodday	103 Hudson street	3	Connecting range.	125
G. Trethewey	311 Hyde Park avenue	18	Connecting range.	200
R. Simon	169 I street	6	Connecting range.	60
L. McConkey	3 Mt. Pleasant place	8	Connecting heater	100
Wm. Connell	24 Packard street	16	Connecting range.	15
R. Grove	169 Roxbury street	9	Connecting range.	30
K. Sirum	27 Washington street	14	Connecting range.	10

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM PLUMBING FOR THE WEEK ENDING MARCH 1.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
J. Vangi	239 Chambers street	3	Fixtures	$55
G. Patey	6 Driftwood road	19	Fixtures	1,200
G. Patey	10 Driftwood road	19	Fixtures	1,200
E. Healy	21 Dunlap street	17	Fixtures	165
H. Hinckley	21 Hendry street	15	Fixtures	75
S. Shuman	33 Messinger street	18	Fixtures	900
S. Shuman	34 Messinger street	18	Fixtures	900
S. Shuman	37 Messinger street	18	Fixtures	900
G. Patey	28 Mossdale road	19	Fixtures	1,200
C. Freeman	1095 Soldiers Field road	21	Fixtures	400
S. Shuman	100 Warrenton street	5	Fixtures	3,000
C. Freeman	2893 Washington street	11	Fixtures	6,000
B. Bishop	6 Cambridge terrace	21	Fixtures	600
L. Visco	172 Cottage street	1	Fixtures	500
William Hogan	120 Marlboro street	4	Fixtures	500
S. Staretz	33 Tremont street	3	Fixtures	385
William Barry	68 Trenton street	1	Fixtures	150
F. Losordo	67 Austin street	18	Fixtures	300
F. Losordo	69 Austin street	18	Fixtures	300
F. Losordo	71 Austin street	18	Fixtures	300
F. Losordo	73 Austin street	18	Fixtures	300
F. Losordo	75 Austin street	18	Fixtures	300
F. Losordo	77 Austin street	18	Fixtures	300
F. Losordo	74 Bellevue street	20	Fixtures	700
J. McKinnon	485 Blue Hill avenue	13	Fixtures	300
D. Weinstein	114 Boylston street	5	Fixtures	125
J. Kurhan	2 Centre street terrace	10	Fixtures	500
E. Gamrin	369 Corey street	20	Fixtures	150
D. Greenwood	6 General William Devine Way.	7	Fixtures	175
H. Caras	26 Glenmont road	22	Fixtures	1,500
G. Schultz	71 Orchardhill road	11	Fixtures	150
D. Greenwood	125 Sanborn avenue	20	Fixtures	500
William Abbott	118 Sumner street	18	Fixtures	300
F. Losordo	119 Summer street	18	Fixtures	300
F. Losordo	41 Bateman street	18	Fixtures	225
G. Trethewey	2 Butler street	17	Fixtures	225
J. Hannigan	10 Hackensack court	20	Fixtures	1,000
L. Abber	19 Harrison street	18	Fixtures	65
G. Trethewey	1344 Hyde Park avenue	18	Fixtures	1,780
J. Rooney	39 Ramsdell avenue	18	Fixtures	725
G. Trethewey	39 Ramsdell avenue	18	Fixtures	65
S. Lucido	10 Ashfield street	20	Fixtures	185
G. Trethewey	492 Broadway	6	Fixtures	3,800
F. Odenweller	56 Cedar street	17	Fixtures	150
J. Bailey	28 Green street	2	Fixtures	500
A. Oullette	14 Verdun street	16	Fixtures	160
C. Boden	2595 Washington street	11	Fixtures	200
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chusetts avenue, 4 days; Helen Rodriquez, 97 Spring street, West Roxbury, Angelina Smith, 3 Walford Drive, Canton, 3 days; Anna Stankard, 79 Edwin street, Dorchester, 1 day; Margaret M. Sullivan, 28 Weymouth street, Holbrook, 7 days; Helen Spillane, 499 Park street, Stoughton, Eleanor Shalott, 43 East Springfield street, 4 days; Madelyn Sullivan, 126 Marlborough street, 1 day; Mabel Steed, 223A Walnut avenue, Roxbury, 2 days; Josephine Trippe, 80 Orleans street, East Boston, 1 day; Kathryn Welch, 49 East Springfield street, 5 days.

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For the week ending February 15:

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Dolores Buckley, 1 day; Esther Bandlow, 5 Reddy avenue, Hyde Park, Priscilla Beckwith, 686 Massachusetts avenue, 2 days; Louise Blanchard, 31 Eaton street, East Milton, 4 days; Rita Buscher, 238 Norfolk street, Wollaston, 2 days; Ann Cavallo, 28 Norton street, Dorchester, 1 day; Mary Canty, 45 Magdala street, Dorchester, 2 days; Ruby Childs, 270 Huntington avenue, 6 days; Gertrude Clark, 13 Rosa street, Hyde Park, 1 day; Sophie Cotter, 173 Vine Rock street, Dedham, 7 days; Marcelyn Curry, 64 Rosseter street, Dorchester, 2 days; Norma Dean, 696 Massachusetts avenue, 5 days; Florence Dowd, 93 Williams avenue, Hyde Park, 1 day; Patricia Doucette, 352 Athens street, South Boston, 4 days; Eva Durgin, 14 Hardwick road, Quincy, 1 day; Jean Darragh, 568 East Sixth street, South Boston, 7 days; K. Ruth Frank, 3 Allston street, 1 day; Wanda Gerogasion, 10 Independence avenue, Lexington, 7 days; Ethel Glennon, 57 Hollis avenue, Quincy, 4 days; Jeanne Gerety, 13 Autumn street, Everett, 7 days; Matilda Hensel, 172 Beach street, Belmont, 2 days; Mary B. Healy, 163 East Cottage street, Dorchester, Olga Krag, 5 Park Vale avenue, Brighton, 4 days; Loretta Lynch, 270 Huntington avenue, 1 day; Margaret Leonard, 7 Speedwell street, Dorchester, 2 days; Mary B. McAuley, 1121 Saratoga street, East Boston, 7 days; Claire McCue, 74 Robinwood street, Dedham, 4 days; Rita McCallum, 162 Bowdoin street, Dorchester, 1 day; Claire Murphy, 32 Worcester square, 5 days; Mary R. Mahan, 29 Kempton street, Mary Mahoney, 45 Alabama street, Mattapan, Anna Murphy, 115 Peterborough street, Mary Murphy, 37 Hamden Circle, Wollaston, 1 day; Phyllis Nigri, 271 Dartmouth street, Mae Owens, 259 Chestnut avenue, Jamaica Plain, 7 days; Angelina Peyton, 16 Dane street, Jamaica Plain, 3 days; Mary Pursley, 38 Van Brunt street, Hyde Park, 5 days; Romaine Riley, 171 Humboldt avenue, Roxbury, 1 day; Ethel Rahaim, 665 Massachusetts avenue, Ann Romsey, 146 Massachusetts avenue, Helen Rodriquez, 97 Spring street, West Roxbury, 2 days; Angelina Smith, 3 Walford Drive, Canton, 6 days; Verna Snow, 75 Damon avenue, Melrose, 2 days; Margaret M. Sullivan, 28 Weymouth street, Holbrook, Helen Spillane, 499 Park street, Stoughton, 7 days; Edmund Shea, 29 East Concord street, 2 days; Mabel Steed, 223A Walnut avenue, Roxbury, 6 days; Bernice Stanley, 25 Beacon street, Hyde Park, 3 days; Mabel Smith, 87 Bartlett road, Winthrop,

5 days; Josephine Trippe, 80 Orleans street, East Boston, 4 days; Kathryn Welch, 49 East Springfield street, 3 days; Elizabeth Donlan, 21 Ferndale street, Dorchester, Ethel Goff, 40 Rockwell street, Dorchester, Charlotte Kelleher, 48 Waverly street, Roxbury, Carmella Messina, 102 Highland avenue, Somerville, 1 day; Doris Stoddard, 2 days.

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For the week ending February 22:

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Lee A. Alford, 99 Ellington street, Dorchester, 1 day; Dolores Buckley, Edson Baird, 14 Pratt street, Allston, 2 days; Esther Bandlow, 5 Reddy avenue, Hyde Park, 1 day; Priscilla Beckwith, 686 Massachusetts avenue, Louise Blanchard, 31 Eaton street, East Milton, 4 days; Ruby Childs, 270 Huntington avenue, Roxbury, 1 day; Gertrude Clark, 13 Rosa street, Hyde Park, 4 days; Iris Crowley, 169 Crowley-Rogers Way, South Boston, 3 days; Sophie Cotter, 173 Vine Rock street, Dedham, 4 days; Marcelyn Curry, 64 Rosseter street, Dorchester, 7 days; Adele Daly, 30 Aspinwall avenue, North Weymouth, 2 days; Norma Dean, 696 Massachusetts avenue, 5 days; Mary Edwards, 428 Adams street, Dorchester, 1 day; Jean Darragh, 568 East Sixth street, South Boston, 4 days; Christine Finn, 230 Commonwealth avenue, 2 days; K. Ruth Frank, 5 Allston street, Emily Gallagher, 79 Wrentham street, Dorchester, 1 day; Jeanne Gerety, 13 Autumn street, Everett, Wanda Geragosion, 10 Independence avenue, Lexington, 7 days; Virginia Hamilton, 827 River street, Mattapan, Matilda Hensel, 172 Beach street, Belmont, Doris Holland, 24 Chestnut road, West Roxbury, 2 days; Frances Harris, 103 Townsend street, Roxbury, 3 days; Olga Krag, 5 Park Vale avenue, Brighton, Anne Lynskey, 52 Telsa street, Medford, 4 days; Mary B. McAuley, 1121 Saratoga street, East Boston, 6 days; Claire McCue, 74 Robinwood road, Dedham, 5 days; Veronica McElligott, 34 Dickenson street, Somerville, 2 days; Rita McCallum, 162 Bowdoin street, Dorchester, 3 days; Claire Murphy, 32 Worcester square, Mary R. Mahan, 29 Kempton street, 5 days; Carmella Messina, 102 Highland road, Somerville, 2 days; Anna Murphy, 115 Peterborough street, Thelma Miles, 9 Albemarle Chambers, 5 days; Phyllis Nigri, 271 Dartmouth street, 7 days; Mae Owens, 259 Chestnut avenue, Jamaica Plain, 4 days; Agnes O'Connor, 270 Huntington avenue, 1 day; Angelina Peyton, 16 Dane street, Jamaica Plain, 2 days; Mary Pursley, 38 Van Brunt street, Hyde Park, 7 days; Dora Picarsky, 31 Edison Green, Dorchester, 2 days; Romaine Riley, 171 Humboldt avenue, Roxbury, 3 days; Ethel Rahaim, 665 Massachusetts avenue, 5 days; Ann Romsey, 146 Massachusetts avenue, Helen Rodriquez, 97 Spring street, 1 day; Angelina Smith, 3 Walford Drive, Canton, 3 days; Verna Snow, 75 Damon avenue, Melrose, 1 day; Margaret M. Sullivan, 28 Weymouth street, Holbrook, 7 days; Isabel Sutton, 121 Boston street, Dorchester, 2 days; Helen Spillane, 499 Park street, Stoughton, 5 days; Edmund Shea, 29 East Concord street, 6 days; Mabel Steed, 223A Walnut avenue, Roxbury, Bernice Stanley, 22 Sandra road, East Walpole, 4 days; Doris Stoddard,

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING MARCH 1.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Joseph Buckley	5 Brookfield street	20	Alterations, dwelling	$300
Elias Coulouris	312 Cambridge street	15	Alterations, store	400
Joseph Manganiello	96 Falcon street	1	Alterations, dwelling	600
New York Central Railroad	137 Knecland street	3	Alterations, storage	940
National Housing Corp	526 Newbury street	5	Fire repairs, dwelling	2,500
Charles Coye, Jr.	71 Stanley street	15	Fire escape, dwelling	350
Arthur Nelson	532 Washington street	17	Alterations, stores	75
James and Margaret Deering	332 West Third street	6	Alterations, dwelling	540
Henry Rinaldi	20 Albion place	2	Fire escape, dwelling	325
Anthony Necly	19 Alhambra road	20	Alterations, dwelling	410
Edward Bernazzani	60 Bradfield avenue	20	Alterations, dwelling	335
Pasqualia Amendola	110 Bremen street	1	Fire escape, dwelling	300
J. DeMareo	112 Bremen street	1	Fire escape, dwelling	300
Ellen Donovan	282 Bunker Hill street	2	Alterations, dwelling	350
Joseph Guarenti	16 City square	2	Alterations, store	250
Simon Greendoff	17 City View road	21	Alterations, dwelling	400
Pauline Devin	80 Clifford street	12	Alterations, dwelling	500
Romenos & Ladonlis	561 Columbus avenue	9	Alterations, lodging house	800
Hotel Somerset	390 Commonwealth avenue	5	Alterations, hotel	850
Allston Liquor Company	1221 Commonwealth avenue	21	Sign, store	165
John J. Kelliher, Jr.	4 Cottage court	13	Alterations, dwelling	200
Ames Boston Corporation	1 Court street	3	Alterations, offices	800
William Pallter	316 Dudley street	8	Alterations, store, dwelling	275
Joseph Basile	26 and 28 Elmira street	22	Alterations, dwelling	300
General Building Trust	75 Federal street	3	Alterations, offices	500
Gillette Company	49–65 Gillette park	6	Alterations, manufacturing	500
Mykola Rudyk	3 Grimes street	6	Alterations, dwelling	400
Francine Bridal Salon	204 Hanover street	3	Sign, stores	95
J. Simone	82 Havre street	1	Fire escape, dwelling	50
Raymond Terile	84 Havre street	1	Fire escape, dwelling	50
John Porcella	5 Hull street	3	Fire escape, store, dwelling	140
Essing Storms	2 Humboldt avenue	12	Fire repairs, dwelling	465
Jean Company, Inc	70 Lansdowne street	5	Alterations, offices	300
Rev. W. F. Fisher	16 and 18 Linwood square	9	Alterations, dwelling	250
B. Cowan	20 Linwood square	9	Fire escape, dwelling	400
E. Smith	46 Magnolia street	13	Fire escape nursing home	800
Joseph Burke	91 Main street	2	Alterations, office, dwelling	425
King & Company	37 Mead street	2	Alterations, dwelling	550
Edmund Solari	240 Meridian street	1	Sign, store, club	80
Edward Brady	51 Montclair avenue	20	Alterations, dwelling	140
Alfred Yannasci	13 and 15 Morrow road	22	Alterations, dwelling	120
C. Kelly	50 Mt. Vernon street	2	Alterations, dwelling	150
Henry Davis	30 Nazing street	12	Alterations, dwelling	280
R. M. Bradley, Inc.	8 Newbury street	5	Alterations, offices	200
Alice Zaremba	107 Pleasant street	13	Alterations, dwelling	1,800
T. A. Pinkham	12 Robin street	20	Alterations, dwelling	385
James Zipp	95 Roslindale avenue	20	Alterations, dwelling	750
John Porcella *et al*	180 Salem street	3	Fire escape, store, dwelling	140
George Murray	89 School street	2	Fire escape, dwelling	300
J. Rosenbaum	59 and 61 Shawmut avenue	5	Sign, store, offices	85
Isidore Libman	92 State street	3	Alterations, offices	1,800
Thomas Jones	22 Symphony road	4	Alterations, dwelling	100
John Mulrey	22 Templeton street	16	Alterations, dwelling	945
Leon Hadge	682 Tremont street	9	Fire repairs, lodging house	275
Dr. Murphy	1560 Tremont street	10	Alterations, store, offices, dwelling	225
William Leach	9 Valentine street	11	Alterations, dwelling	325
Ruth A. Edwards	9 Walter street	20	Alterations, dwelling	285
M. J. Parker	51 Wareham street	8	Alterations, manufacturing	1,000
Hanover Trust	69 Washington street	3	Sign, tavern, offices	95
First National Stores	1703 Washington street	9	Alterations, store	200
Frederick Prinz	3961 Washington street	19	Alterations, dwelling	175
Fred King	19 Webster street	1	Alterations, dwelling	500
Royal Cafe, Inc.	11 West Broadway	6	Alterations, tavern, dwelling	300
A. Levenson	132 West Broadway	6	Alterations, store	150
Phineas Matlin	9 Weston street	2	Alterations, dwelling	500
Phineas Matlin	13 Weston street	9	Alterations, dwelling	350
Joseph Ferressa	325 West Third street	6	Alterations, dwelling	990
Hadrath Israel	235 Woodrow avenue	14	Alterations, synagogue	225
Fred Masiello	82 Bayswater street	1	Alterations, dwelling	375
M. J. Hernon	26 Carson street	13	Alterations, dwelling	150
Statin Bridgett	29 Cliff Street	12	Fire escape, dwelling	475
Western Union Telegraph	230 Congress street	3	Alterations, offices	2,800
R. C. Archbishop, Boston	56 Havre street	1	Alterations, convent	400
Joseph Murphy	50 High street	2	Alterations, dwelling	300
Bussells & Blakney	77–81 High street	3	Alterations, store	950
A. C. Kelly	50 Holbrook street	19	Alterations, dwelling	100
Margaret Gatewood	75 Humboldt avenue	12	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Frank Greaves	11 Marshall street	3	Sign, restaurant	200
Samuel Lowe	59 and 61 Massachusetts av.	5	Sign, store	100
Daniel Finlayson	15 Mt. Calvary road	18	Alterations, dwelling	450
Great A. & P. Tea Company	151 Northern avenue	6	Alterations, storage	300
Pauline Manfra	177 Perham street	20	Excavation	100
Arvedon, Inc.	73 Portland street	3	Sign, electric, supply, storage	250
Security Boston Corporation	10 Post Office Square	3	Alterations, store, offices	1,650
Franklin MacDonald	1068 South street	20	Alterations, dwelling	300
Powercraft, Inc.	29 Sunnyside street	18	Excavation	100
John J. Marshall, Jr.	119 Temple street	20	Alterations, dwelling	275
Brigham Trust	1500 Tremont street	10	Sign, store	1,800
Luster T. Delany	21 Undine road	22	Alterations, garage	400
Hyman and Jacob Simons	23 Washington street	3	Sign, store, storage	100
J. M. Grady	1824 Washington street	8	Alterations, cafe	500
Elizabeth and Fred Pigene	58 White street	1	Alterations, dwelling	635
City of Boston	440 West Broadway	6	Take-down, school	950

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM BOILER WORK

FOR THE MONTH ENDING FEBRUARY 28, 1955.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
G. Trethewey	4280 Washington street	20	Heater	$500
Lodge Construction Co.	6 Derry road	18	Heater	300
Murdock & Company	3 Franklin street	18	Heater	700
Sadie Meers	50 Garden street	5	Heater	150
O. G. Kelley	95 Taylor street	16	Heater	800
Mr. Kabatchian	468 Centre street	19	Heater	1 100
Arnold Rigby	79 Newbury street	5	Heater	3,000
Westinghouse Corporation	235 Old Colony avenue	7	Heater	300
Sisters of Notre Dame	400 Fenway	5	Heater	500
C. D. White	450 Western avenue	21	Heater	500
Mr. Smith	Rear 1095 Centre street	19	Heater	125
Eva R. Cohen	1827 Centre street	20	Heater	150
Driscoll Construction Co.	96 Groveland street	18	Heater	900
John L. Musto	38 Mt. Vernon street	20	Heater	375
Lodge Construction Co.	9 Derry road	18	Heater	150
Saratoga Realty Trust	400 D street	6	Heater	33,000

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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3 days; Josephine Trippe, 80 Orleans street, East Boston, 1 day; Kathryn Welch, 49 East Springfield street, 2 days; Glenness Calhoun, 2 Avondale street, Dorchester, Vivian Gailius, 38 Train street, Dorchester, 1 day.

The following provisional employees have been appointed:

David R. Alverde, 790 Dorchester avenue, Francis Hartman, 84 George street, Roxbury, Michael Mastromino, 879A Saratoga street, East Boston, Francis McNulty, 61 Horadan Way, Roxbury, Edward Shaheen, 198 Durnell avenue, Roslindale, John Stanton, 681 Tremont street, Cornelius Sullivan, 111 Maverick street, East Boston, hospital house workers, $43 a week; Louis Cecere, 277 Paris street, East Boston, elevator operator, $43 a week; Mary C. Cotter, 62 Beechland street, Roslindale, Muriel Garnett, 2 Elmwood street, Roxbury, Mildred Hartnett, 73 Weld Hill street, Jamaica Plain, Cecelia M. Kennedy, 17 Hannon street, Dorchester, Marie Matarazzo, 57 Mallet street, Dorchester, Evelyn V. McDonald, 2776 Washington street, hospital medical workers, $43 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following appointments:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT

Printing Section.

Anne E. Greer, 285 Court street, Dedham, monotype keyboard operator, $96.25 a week.

Edmund F. Butler, 45 Franklin Hill avenue, Dorchester, monotype keyboard operator, $96.25 a week.

Frances E. Ennis, 33 Taft avenue, Lexington, proofreader, $96.25 a week.

John P. Connolly, 110 Joyce-Hayes Way, South Boston, cylinder pressman, $93.86 a week.

Henry B. Powers, 43 Hallowell street, Mattapan, monotype keyboard operator, $96.25 a week.

Ella O. Pratt, 739 Broadway, Somerville, monotype keyboard operator, $96.25 a week.

Clinton E. West, 48 Oxford avenue, Belmont, monotype caster operator, $96.25 a week.

AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

David P. Berrigan, 42 Walnut street, Dorchester, clerk and typist, $48 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Health Division.

Patricia A. Copell, 6 Sherman street, Roslindale, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Theresa M. Poto, 151 Maverick street, East Boston, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Sanatorium Division.

Dr. Emanuel Paleologos, 249 River street, Mattapan, resident physician, $65.50 a week.

Henry F. McGonigle, 35 High street, Charlestown, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

James Coyle, 138 Neponset avenue, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Doris Cunniffe, 139 River street, Mattapan, intermittent relief telephone operator, $11.10 a shift, or $55.50 a week.

Ronald J. Florentine, 15 Whitney street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

John Alessi, 454 East Third street, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $50.50 a week.

Long Island Division.

Leonard R. Connelly, 24 Manley street, Dorchester, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

Claudia Solinsky, 62 North Bayfield road, North Quincy, graduate nurse, $60.50 a week.

Arthur M. Driscoll, 270 Minot street, Dorchester, hospital laundry worker, $43 a week.

Siemund Kisiel, 50 Rogers street, South Boston, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

Muriel Johnson, 359 Dudley street, Roxbury, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

William S. Roache, 28 Fisher avenue, Roxbury, carpenter's helper, $53 a week.

Grace E. Anderson, 531 Hyde Park avenue, Roslindale, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Lydia J. Sullivan, 5 Newhall street, Dorchester, telephone operator, relief shifts, $55.50 a week.

Anna V. Murphy, 96 Gibson street, Dorchester, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Marguerite C. Cochran, 180 Stimpson street, West Roxbury, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

James Lovett, 88 Rossmore road, Jamaica Plain, steam fireman, $60.50 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following promotions:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Rita M. Conley, 1368 Commonwealth avenue, from principal statistical machine operator at $73 a week to chief of tabulating division, temporary, at $87 a week.

AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

William M. Nagle, 102 Hancock street, Dorchester, from clerk at $48 a week to senior account clerk, temporary, at $55.50 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Sanatorium Division.

Katherine Doyle, 449 Old Colony avenue, South Boston, from registered graduate nurse, part time, at $1.70 an hour to registered graduate nurse, full time, at $73 a week.

Dr. Vivencio A. Herrera, Jr., 249 River street, Mattapan, from junior staff physician, temporary, at $90.50 a week to senior staff physician, temporary, at $98.75 a week.

Catherine L. Razzeto, 44 Rockdale street, Mattapan, from senior clerk and stenographer, temporary, at $58 a week to senior clerk and stenographer, permanent, at $58 a week.

Claire Peatfield, 69 Prospect street, Hyde Park, from clerk-typist at $50.50 a week to senior clerk-stenographer, temporary, at $55.50 a week.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

House of Correction.

Thomas S. McCabe, 20 Orient avenue, East Boston, from correction officer at $70.50 a week to correction officer and assistant steward, temporary, at $73 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following transfer:

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Treasury Division.

Concetta Vacca, 34 Dennis street, Roxbury, from Welfare Department as clerk-typist at $50.50 a week to Treasury Department, Treasury Division, as clerk-typist at $50.50 a week.

STEP-RATE INCREASES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved step-rate increases for employees of the following department:

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Francis J. DiMarzio, supervisor of school buildings alterations and repairs, from $90.50 to $94 a week.

VETERANS' RETIREMENTS.

The Mayor has approved the following veterans' applications for retirement:

Patrick McCaffrey, 85 Washington street, Charlestown, laborer, Parks and Recreation Department.

John Zuccola, 2 Stoughton Street place, Dorchester, laborer, Sanitary Division, Public Works Department.

Thomas F. Haley, 79 Mayfield street, Dorchester, lieutenant, Engine Company 13, Fire Department.

Samuel R. Romano (also known as Severa Rome), 121 Brayton road, Brighton, cooperative instructor, Brighton High School.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award the contracts for work, materials, and supplies, in accordance with recommendations of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Purchasing Division.

Upon February 16 the Mayor approved a contract with bidders as indicated for furnishing surgical dressings to the various city departments, from April 1, 1955, to September 30, 1955, inclusive. No bids were received on Item 25; this item to be purchased in the open market. Approximate total amounts of awards were as follows:

Contracts for: Johnson & Johnson, $51,470.55; T. J. Noonan Company, $9,768; Bauer & Black, Division of the Kendall Company, $7,150; E. F. Mahady Company, $3,133.87; Sherman Mills, Inc., $1,600; Union Wadding Company, $1,325.25; C. H. Goldthwaite Company, $1,307.25; Bay Division, Parke Davis & Co., $1,216.02.

Orders for: Sparrow Chisholm Company, $900; Gilman Brothers, Inc., $72.

Discount for all companies, except Sparrow Chisholm Company, was 2 per cent, time of payment; Sparrow Chisholm Company, net, 30 days.

Bids, opened January 27, were as follows:

Surgical Dressings.

Item 1. 515 Rolls Adhesive, J. & J., or Equal, 12 Inches x 5 Yards, Uncut, Per Roll.—Johnson & Johnson, $1.84, J. & J., ZO; Bauer & Black, $1.84; Parke Davis & Co., $1.84, Bayhesive; Acme Cotton Products Company, Inc., $1.48, Acme; Metropolitan Supply Company, $1.82, BayConomy, P. D.; E. F. Mahady Company, $1.70,* Am. White Cross; Scholl Manufacturing Company, Inc., $1.68, Scholl.

Item 2. 4,400 Rolls Adhesive, J. & J., Zonas, B. & B., Arro, or Equal, 12 Inches x 10 Yards, Assorted Cuts, Cut to Fit Holder, Per Roll.—Johnson & Johnson, $2.43; Bauer & Black, $2.43; Parke Davis & Co., $2.43, BayConomy; Acme Cotton Products Company, Inc., $2, Acme; Metropolitan Supply Company, $2.40 BayConomy, P. D.; E. F. Mahady Company, $2.25, Am. White Cross; Scholl Manufacturing Company, Inc., $2, Scholl; T. J. Noonan Company, $2.22,* White Cross Thrifty.

Item 3. 15 Dozen Adhesive, J. & J., B. & B., or Equal, 2 Inches x 5 Yards, Spools, Per Dozen.—Johnson & Johnson, $4.97, waterproof; Bauer & Black, $4.97; McKesson & Robbins, Inc., $4.97, J. & J., waterproof; Parke Davis & Co., $8.64, Bayadhesive; Acme Cotton Products Company, Inc., $3.50, Acme; Gilman Brothers, Inc., $4.97, J. & J.; Metropolitan Supply Company, $4.40; E. F. Mahady Company, $4.01,* Am. White Cross; Scholl Manufacturing Company, Inc., $3.60, Scholl.

Item 4. 2 Dozen Adhesive, J. & J., B. & B., or Equal, 1 Inch x 5 Yards, Spools, Per Dozen.—Johnson & Johnson, $2.81, waterproof; Bauer & Black, $2.81; McKesson & Robbins, Inc., $2.81, J. & J., waterproof; Parke Davis & Co., $4.97, Bay Adhesive; Acme Cotton Products Company, Inc., $1.90, Acme; Gilman Brothers, Inc., $2.81, J. & J.; Metropolitan Supply Company, $2.50; E. F. Mahady Company, $2.15,* Am. White Cross; Scholl Manufacturing Company, Inc., $1.80, Scholl.

Item 5. 315 Boxes Bandaids, J. & J., B. & B., or Equal, Adhesive Bandage,

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TAX ABATEMENT DECISIONS RENDERED BY THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS FOR THE WEEK ENDING JANUARY 21.

LEGEND.

* Appellate Tax Board Settlement. ¶ Illegal assessment. ‖ Chapter 59–5.
‡ Appellate Tax Board Decision. § Duplicate assessment. = Chapter 58–8.
† Overvaluation Settlement by Board of Assessors.

Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Park Square Building, Inc	9 St. James av	5—1950	$346,500.00	$50,400.00	*
Alles & Fisher, Inc	716 Columbus av	9—1950	15,750.00	1,575.00	*
Crocker, George G., Jr	73–79 Essex st	3—1951	15,700.00	1,570.00	*
New England Land Co	131–135 Summer st	3—1951	8,478.00	3,686.36	*
Talbot Realty Assoc	126A and 127 Tremont st	3—1951	18,840.00	3,140.00	*
New England Land Co	13–23 South st	3—1951	10,362.00	2,593.64	*
Theopold, Philip H	1 Dock sq	3—1951	8,164.00	2,512.00	*
Weinreb, Sadie	273 Congress st	3—1951	10,362.00	2,512.00	*
Park Square Building, Inc	9–57 St. James av	5—1951	345,400.00	50,240.00	*
Talbot Realty Assoc	392–394 Boylston st	5—1951	8,164.00	1,570.00	*
Boston Molasses Co	Ns East First st	6—1951	18,023.60	4,396.00	*
Alles & Fisher, Inc	716 Columbus av	9—1951	15,700.00	1,570.00	*
Levine, Hyman B	61 Charlotte st	14—1951	565.20	94.20	*
Gerstein, Miriam, Trustee	1633 Blue Hill av	18—1951	4,333.20	94.20	*
Cohen, Ralph J	287 Congress st	3—1952	12,024.00	1,336.00	*
Crocker, George G., Jr	73–79 Essex st	3—1952	16,700.00	1,670.00	*
Daley, Walter E	140–144 Hanover st	3—1952	5,678.00	1,002.00	*
Katz, Nathan	15 Blossom st	3—1952	1,670.00	668.00	*
Katz, Nathan	11–13 Blossom st	3—1952	1,670.00	668.00	*
New England Land Co	131–135 Summer st	3—1952	9,018.00	3,921.16	*
New England Land Co	13–23 South st	3—1952	11,022.00	2,758.84	*
Penn, Henry, et al	126A and 127 Tremont st	3—1952	20,040.00	3,340.00	*
York Realty, Inc	168 Tremont st	3—1952	15,364.00	5,344.00	*
Theopold, Philip H., et al	1 Dock sq	3—1952	8,684.00	2,672.00	*
Winetsky, Samuel	273–285 Congress st	3—1952	14,696.00	3,340.00	*
Couney, Andrew F	167 Commonwealth av	5—1952	1,536.40	200.40	*
Sheraton Building, Inc	5–51 St. James av	5—1952	367,400.00	53,440.00	*
Talbot Realty Assoc	392–394 Boylston st	5—1952	8,684.00	1,670.00	*
Boston Molasses Co	East First st	6—1952	19,171.60	4,676.00	*
Alles & Fisher, Inc	716 Columbus av	9—19 2	16,700.00	1,670.00	*
Golubchin, Morris	91 Humboldt av	12—1952	801.60	66.80	*
Seletsky, Gertrude, Trustee	94 Hutchings st	12—1952	1,736.80	133.60	*
Cohen, Mary	312 Blue Hill av	14—1952	2,505.00	200.40	*
Levine, Hyman B	61 Charlotte st	14—1952	601.20	100.20	*
Levine, Hyman B	62 Charlotte st	14—1952	668.00	133.60	*
Gerstein, Miriam, Trustee	1633 Blue Hill av	18—1952	4,609.20	100.20	*
McCormick, J. Kennedy	Rear 325 Medford st	2—1953	10,194.94	2,757.30	*
McCormick, J. Kennedy	Rear 309 Medford st	2—1953	5,387.34	1,131.20	*
Arlette Apartments, Inc	140–144 Hanover st	3—1953	6,099.50	1,060.50	*
Berger Realty, Inc	273–285 Congress st	3—1953	15,554.00	2,121.00	*
Berger Realty, Inc	287–293 Congress st	3—1953	12,726 00	1,414.00	*
Berkson, Max L	20 East st	3—1953	7,777.00	1,414.00	*
Bowdoin Amusement Co	65–67 Cambridge st	3—1953	12,549.25	5,479.25	*
Crocker, George G., Jr	73–79 Essex st	3—1953	17,675.00	1,767.50	*
Katz, Nathan	15 Blossom st	3—1953	1,767.50	707.00	*
Katz, Nathan	11–13 Blossom st	3—1953	1,767.50	707.00	*
New England Land Co	131–135 Summer st	3—1953	9,544.50	4,150.09	*
New England Land Co	13–23 South st	3—1953	11,665.50	2,919.91	*
Penn, Henry, et al	126A and 127 Tremont st	3—1953	21,210.00	3,535.00	*
Sneicrson, Nathan	210–218 Commercial st	3—1953	2,828.00	353.50	*
Theopold, Philip H	1 Dock sq	3—1953	9,191.00	2,828.00	*
York Realty, Inc	168 Tremont st	3—1953	16,261.00	5,656.00	*
York Realty, Inc	83–85 Devonshire st	3—1953	17,675.00	3,535.00	*
Arata, Julia	326 Dartmouth st	5—1953	3,181.50	1,414.09	*
Couney, Andrew F	167 Commonwealth av	5—1953	1,626.10	212.10	*
Leeder, Frank, et al	5–51 St. James av	5—1953	388,850.00	56,560.00	*
Mvatt, Marv A. H	68–76 Warrenton st	5—1953	7,070.00	1,414.00	*
Talbot Realty Assoc	392–394 Boylston st	5—1953	9,191.00	1,767.50	*
Boston Molasses Co	East First st	6—1953	20,290.90	4,949.00	*
Alles & Fisher, Inc	716 Columbus av	9—1953	17,675.00	1,767.50	*
Shuman, Sonya	167–169 Roxbury st	9—1953	1,767.50	282.80	*
Golubchin, Morris	91–97 Humboldt av	12—1953	848.40	70.70	*
Seletsky, Gertrude, Trustee	94 Hutchings st	12—1953	1,838.20	141.40	*
Capone, Jerry	6 Abbot st	14—1953	848.40	70.70	*
Cohen, Mary	1 Fayston st	14—1953	2,651.25	212.10	*
Ettinger, Dora	582 Blue Hill av	14—1953	756.49	120.19	*
Levine, Hyman B	62 Charlotte st	14—1953	707.00	141.40	*
Levine, Hyman B	61 Charlotte st	14—1953	636.30	106.05	*
Polimer, Frances R	40 Charlotte st	14—1953	636.30	106.05	*
Leibman, Sylvia F., Trustee	748–748A Adams st	16—1953	1,626.10	282.80	*
Brennan, Thomas J	6–6A Mendum st	20—1953	494.90	70.70	*
Hazelton, Charles L., et al	178 Border st	1—1954	3,141.00	698.00	‡
Lati, Charles D	56 Faywood av	1—1954	383.90	34.90	‡
Secatores, Inc	53 Maverick sq	1—1954	488.60	244.30	‡
Secatores, Inc	49 Maverick sq	1—1954	488.60	244.30	‡
Stagno, Anthony	Vacant lot, Sumner st	1—1954	488.60	209.40	‡
Costa, Domenico G	49 Tremont st	2—1954	174.50	34.90	‡
Kinsella, Michael	13A Belmont st	2—1954	48.86	20.94	‡
Winde, Ronald H., et al	Rear 309 Medford st	2—1954	5,318.76	1,116.80	‡
Winde, Ronald H., et al	Rear 325 Medford st	2—1954	10,065.16	2,722.20	‡
Anderson, Mary G	263–265 Friend st	3—1954	7,678.00	1,396.00	‡
Arlette Apartments, Inc	140–144 Hanover st	3—1954	5,933.00	1,047.00	‡
Bender, Louis	802–806 Washington st	3—1954	2,443.00	1,047.00	‡
Berger Realty, Inc	273–285 Congress st	3—1954	15,356.00	2,094.00	‡
Berger Realty, Inc	287–293 Congress st	3—1954	12,580.20	1,396.00	‡
Berkson, Max L	20–24 East st	3—1954	7,678.00	1,396.00	‡
Bigler, Samuel, et al	518 Harrison av	3—1954	1,675.20	139.60	‡
Bowdoin Amusement Co	65–67 Cambridge st	3—1954	12,389.50	5,409.50	‡
Carroll, John L	26 Hawley st	3—1954	1,396.00	349.00	‡
Cina, Celia	51–53 Cooper st	3—1954	572.36	48.86	‡
Cocoris, John D	65–67 Stuart	3—1954	1,745.00	349.00	‡
Cocoris, John D	61–63 Stuart st	3—1954	2,094.00	349.00	‡
Crocker, George G., Jr., et al	73–79 Essex st	3—1954	17,450.00	1,745.00	‡
Davis, George P., et al	32–36 Otis st	3—1954	26,175.00	7,678.00	‡
Da is, George P., et al	4 Winthrop sq	3—1954	20,242.00	6,980.00	‡
Davis, George P., et al	283 Devonshire st	3—1954	6,980.00	2,094.00	‡
DeFina, Guiseppe	1286 Washington st	3—1954	3,699.40	907.40	‡
Hark, Jacob, et al	119–133 Hanover st	3—1954	2,373.20	279.20	‡
Hermance, Edgar L., et al	427 Washington st	3—1954	22,685.00	1,396.00	‡
Hurwitz, Ida G	39 Washington st	3—1954	2,094.00	349.00	‡

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LEGEND.

* Appellate Tax Board Settlement. ¶ Illegal assessment. | Chapter 59–5.
† Appellate Tax Board Decision. § Duplicate assessment. = Chapter 58–8.
‡ Overvaluation Settlement by Board of Assessors.

Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement	
Hurwitz, Ida G.	57 Washington st.	3—1954	$2,443.00	$488.60		‡
Kurchenes, Arthur	Vacant lot, Faneuil Hall sq.	3—1954	872.50	314.10		‡
Kargman, Max R., et al	161 Devonshire st	3—1954	34,900.00	8,725.00		‡
Katz, Nathan	15 Blossom st.	3—1954	1,745.00	698.00		‡
Marino, Giuseppe, et al.	96–112 Commerce st.	3—1954	1,745.00	349.00		‡
New England Land Co	135 Summer st.	3—1954	9,423.00	4,097.26		‡
New England Land Co	13 South st	3—1954	11,517.00	2,882.74		‡
Nine Fifteen Washington Realty	915 Washington st.	3—1954	2,049.00	209.40		‡
Philios, James P	1267 Washington st.	3—1954	628.20	139.60		‡
Pratt, Paul K	113 State st.	3—1954	4,188.00	1,047.00		‡
Snejerson, Nathan	210 Commercial st.	3—1954	2,796.00	349.00		‡
Theopold, P. H., et al, Trustees	128 Washington st.	3—1954	9,074.00	2,792.00		‡
Tremont Realty Corp	47 Tremont st	3—1954	10,470.00	2,094.00		‡
Wasserman, Eva	156 Broadway	3—1954	907.40	139.60		‡
York Realty, Inc	168 Tremont st	3—1954	16,054.00	5,584.00		‡
York Realty, Inc	83 Devonshire st.	3—1954	17,450.00	3,490.00		‡
York Realty, Inc	258 Washington st.	3—1954	6,980.00	2,443.00		‡
Brainerd Realty, Inc	370 Longwood av.	4—1954	5,269.90	174.50		‡
Brown, Lillian S.	196 Huntington av	4—1954	1,396.00	279.20		‡
DeFina, Guiseppe	Cor. 683A Tremont st.	4—1954	1,116.80	209.40		‡
Fina, David A., et al., Trustees	120 Dartmouth st	4—1954	1,186.60	209.40		‡
Naples Realty Corp	142 Hemenway st.	4—1954	837.60	69.80		‡
Najdes Realty Corp	144 Hemenway st	4—1954	837.60	69.80		‡
Peterboro Realty, Inc	433 Brookline av.	4—1954	2,094.00	209.40		‡
Seventy Fenway, Inc	70 Fenway	4—1954	6,980.00	698.00		‡
Seventy Fenway, Inc	74 Fenway	4—1954	6,980.00	698.00		‡
Sorota, Joseph	737 Tremont st	4—1954	4,537.00	1,047.00		‡
Anderson, Ida M	1 Marlborough st	5—1954	1,605.40	209.40		‡
Beacon Auto Radiator Co., Inc.	110 Brookline av.	5—1954	4,537.00	1,396.00		‡
Berman, Tillie	62 Hereford st., SE.	5—1954	1,640.30	69.80		‡
Boyer, Irving W	120 Beacon st	5—1954	3,350.40	558.40		‡
Cudlitz, Ethel Frances	11 Grove st	5—1954	698.00	69.80		‡
Condos, James, et ux	1348 Boylston st.	5—1954	8,725.00	698.00		‡
Croyden, Inc	180 Commonwealth av	5—1954	16,054.00	1,396.00		‡
Feldman, Blanche A.	360 Commonwealth av	5—1954	2,443.00	104.70		‡
Feldman, Blanche A.	358 Commonwealth av	5—1954	2,443.00	104.70		‡
Feldman, Blanche A.	356 Commonwealth av.	5—1954	2,443.00	104.70		‡
Herman, Louis M.	883–885 Boylston st.	5—1954	3,839.00	698.00		‡
Hodgdon, Marion	341 Marlborough st	5—1954	907.40	104.70		‡
Holden Apartments, Inc	99½ Myrtle st.	5—1954	1,396.00	34.90		‡
Hurwitz, Abraham, et al.	17 Melrose st	5—1954	767.80	104.70		‡
Jonas Shure Realty Corp	702–704 Beacon st	5—1954	12,564.00	3,490.00		‡
Knickerbocker Realty, Inc	115–117 Stuart st	5—1954	3,839.00	349.00		‡
Leeder, Frank, et al., Trustees	5 St. James av	5—1954	383,900.00	55,840.00		‡
Mutual Assoc., Inc., Boston	56 Commonwealth av	5—1954	6,282.00	698.00		‡
Mutual Assoc., Inc., Boston	60 Commonwealth av	5—1954	2,094.00	209.40		‡
Mutual Assoc., Inc., Boston	1 Peterborough st	5—1954	6,980.00	349.00		‡
Mutual Assoc., Inc., Boston	72 Peterborough st	5—1954	6,980.00	349.00		‡
Saul, Allen P., Trustee	140 Beacon st	5—1954	2,303.40	139.60		‡
Saul, Allen P., Trustee	35 Marlborough st	5—1954	977.20	69.80		‡
Libman, Sophie, et al	139 Columbus av	5—1954	4,188.00	1,396.00		‡
Shwachman, David J., et al	40 Anderson st	5—1954	1,745.00	139.60		‡
Talbot, Fritz B., et al	392–394 Boylston st	5—1954	9,074.00	1,745.00		‡
Wasserman Ella F	321 Marlborough st	5—1954	1,535.60	139.60		‡
Wasserman, Ella F.	167 Marlborough st	5—1954	1,675.20	139.60		‡
Women's City Club of Boston	39 Beacon st	5—1954	4,048.40	488.60		‡
Women's City Club of Boston	40 Beacon st	5—1954	6,282.00	698.00		‡
Boston Molasses Co	Rear, East First st.	6—1954	20,032.60	4,886.00		‡
Koenig, Calmon	236 Silver st	6—1954	132.62	62.82		‡
Werby, Abraham, et al., Trustees	812 East Sixth st	6—1954	837.60	139.60		‡
Judeikis, Mary A.	628–630 East Eighth st.	7—1954	216.38	34.90		‡
Judeikis, Mary A.	632–634 East Eighth st.	7—1954	216.38	34.90		‡
Lofchie, Lena B	925–929 Albany st	8—1954	265.24	125.64		‡
Peckham, Hifiza	51 East Springfield st.	8—1954	314.10	34.90		‡
Peckham, Hifiza	52 East Springfield st	8—1954	244.30	34.90		‡
Alles & Fisher, Inc	716 Columbus av	9—1954	17,450.00	1,745.00		‡
Hoffman, Caswell, et al	2023 Washington st	9—1954	1,186.60	209.40		‡
Hoffman, Caswell, et al	2017 Washington st	9—1954	1,326.20	209.10		‡
Hoffman, Caswell, et al	2021 Washington st	9—1954	677.06	188.46		‡
Hoffman, Caswell, et al	10 Ball st	9—1954	439.74	69.80		‡
Krekoukais, Isabella	1485–1487 Washington st	9—1954	558.40	34.90		‡
Shuman, Sonya	167–169 Roxbury st	9—1954	1,745.00	418.80		‡
Shuman, Sonya	1 Malbon pl	9—1954	837.60	139.60		‡
Stamatopoulos, K. M., et al	5 Worcester st	9—1954	328.06	69.80		‡
Stamatopoulos, K. N., et al	1673–1675 Washington st.	9—1954	558.40	139.60		‡
Stantown, Inc	1723 Washington st	9—1954	2,792.00	698.00		‡
Abromson, Harry P.	384 Riverway	10—1954	2,094.00	279.20		‡
Abromson, Harry P	386 Riverway	10—1954	2,094.00	279.20		‡
Abromson, Harry P	9 Wait st	10—1954	404.84	104.70		‡
Abromson, Harry P.	11 Wait st	10—1954	404.84	104.70		‡
Abromson, Harry P	11½ Wait st	10—1954	404.84	104.70		‡
Abromson, Harry P	15 Wait st	10—1954	404.84	104.70		‡
Abromson, Harry P	17 Wait st	10—1954	404.84	104.70		‡
Abromson, Harry P	19 Wait st	10—1954	404.80	104.70		‡
Abromson, Harry P	21 Wait st	10—1954	404.84	104.70		‡
Abromson, Harry P.	23 Wait st	10—1954	404.84	104.70		‡
Berg, Abraham	21 Bromley st.	10—1954	292.16	34.90		‡
Berg, Abraham	23 Bromley st	10—1954	278.20	34.90		‡
Paul, Isadore	91 Bynner st	10—1954	2,094.00	418.80		‡
Wieder, Celia	15 Frawley st	10—1954	2,373.20	209.40		‡
Wieder, Celia	19 Frawley st	10—1954	2,573.20	209.40		‡
Zeghibe, Raymond S	67 Perkins st	10—1954	788.74	90.74		‡
Breslau, Hyman	1601 Columbus av	11—1954	1,563.52	516.52		‡
Cohen, Bessie L.	1206 Columbus av	11—1954	1,856.68	837.60		‡
Hersey, Ada H.	8 Cobden st	11—1954	335.04	55.84		‡
Lofchie, Lena B.	56 Sigourney st	11—1954	523.50	69.80		‡
Levitt, Rose	1350 Columbus av	11—1954	1,326.20	279.20		‡
Looney, Nora T	16 Elmore st	11—1954	390.88	55.84		‡
Mihaloplos, L. A., et al	142–146 South st.	11—1954	1,326.20	69.80		‡
Abromson, Harry P.	131 Homestead st.	12—1954	2,094.00	279.20		‡
Abromson, Harry P	135 Homestead st	12—1954	2,094.00	279.20		‡

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

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Plain, 1 Inch x 3 Inches, 100 to Box, Per Box.—Johnson & Johnson, 69 cents (bandaids crossed out in heading and adhesive bandage inserted); Bauer & Black, 69 cents; McKesson & Robbins, Inc., 69 cents, J. & J.; Parke Davis & Co., 69 cents, Bay's Readi Band; Acme Cotton Products Company, Inc., 50 cents, Acme; Gilman Brothers, Inc., 69 cents, J. & J., waterproof, plain; Metropolitan Supply Company, 69 cents, B. & B.; C. H. Goldthwaite Company, 69 cents, J. & J.; E. F. Mahady Company, 51 cents, American White Cross.*

Item 6. 150 Boxes Bandaids, J. & J., Adhesive Bondage, Plastic, 1 Inch x 3 Inches, 100 to Box, Per Box.—Johnson & Johnson, $1 (bandaids crossed out in heading and adhesive bandage inserted); Bauer & Black, $1; McKesson & Robbins, Inc., $1, J. & J.; Parke Davis & Co., $1, Bay's plastic Reddi bandage; Acme Cotton Products Company, Inc., 85 cents, Acme; Gilman Brothers, Inc., $1, J. & J.; Metropolitan Supply Company, $1, B. & B.; C. H. Goldthwaite Company, $1; E. F. Mahady Company, 85 cents,* American White Cross.

Item 7. 105 Cases Adaptic Bandage, 3 Inches, 3 Dozen to Case, J. & J., or Equal, Per Case.—Johnson & Johnson, $19.77; McKesson & Robbins, Inc., $19.77, J. & J.; Gilman Brothers, Inc., $19.77, J. & J.; C. H. Goldthwaite Company, $12.15,* Conco brand, manufactured by Connecticut Bandage Mills, Bridgeport, Conn.; E. F. Mahady Company, $19.77, J. & J.; T. J. Noonan Company, $16.50, Conoco.

Item 8. 30 Rolls Bandage, 4-Inch Cut, Crinoline, 32x28 Mesh, 100-Yard Rolls, 9 to Package, J. & J., B. & B., Per Roll.—Johnson & Johnson, discontinued; Parke Davis & Co., $15.59,* Bay's.

Item 9. 48 Rolls Bandage, 6-Inch Cut, Crinoline, 32x28 Mesh, 100-Yard Rolls, 6 to Package, J. & J., B. & B., Per Roll.—Johnson & Johnson, discontinued; Parke Davis & Co., $15.59,* Bay's.

Item 10. 750 Boxes Bandage Rolls, NuWrap, or Equal, 28x24 Mesh, 36 Inches Wide, Cut 2 Inches, 5 Cut Rolls to Box, J. & J., B. & B., Per Box.—Johnson & Johnson, $4.75,* Nuwrap; Bauer & Black, $5.01, No. 50, R. C.; Parke Davis & Co., $5.01, Bay's; Acme Cotton Products Company, Inc., $1.51, Acme; Metropolitan Supply Company, $5.01, B. & B.; T. J. Noonan Company, $1.71, seamless.

Item 11. 150 Rolls Gauze Bandage, Sterile, 3 Inches x 10 Yards, J. & J., B. & B., Per Roll.—Johnson & Johnson, 23.41 cents; Bauer & Black, 23.417 cents; McKesson & Robbins, Inc., 23.41 cents, J. & J.; Parke Davis & Co., $2.81, Bay's; Acme Cotton Products Company, Inc., 16 cents, Acme; Gilman Brothers, Inc., 23.41 cents, J. & J.; Metropolitan Supply Company, 23.417 cents, B. & B.; C. H. Goldthwaite Company, 23.41 cents, J. & J.; E. F. Mahady Company, 23.41 cents, J. & J.

Item 12. 450 Rolls Gauze Bandage, Sterile, 2 Inches x 10 Yards, J. & J., B. & B., Per Roll.—Johnson & Johnson, 16 cents; Bauer & Black, 16.167 cents; McKesson & Robbins, Inc., 16 cents, J. & J.; Parke Davis & Co., $1.94, Bay's; Acme Cotton Products Company, Inc., 12 cents; Gilman Brothers, Inc., 16 cents; Metropolitan Supply Company, 16.17 cents, B. & B.; C. H. Goldthwaite

Company, 16 cents, J. & J.; E. F. Mahady Company, 16 cents,* J. & J.

Item 13. 150 Rolls Gauze Bandage, Sterile, 1 Inch x 10 Yards, J. & J., B. & B., Per Roll.—Johnson & Johnson, 10.8 cents; Bauer & Black, 10.833 cents; McKesson & Robbins, Inc., 10.8 cents, J. & J.; Parke Davis & Co., $1.30, Bay's; Acme Cotton Products Company, Inc., 8 cents; Gilman Brothers, Inc., 10.8 cents; Metropolitan Supply Company, 10.833 cents, B. & B.; C. H. Goldthwaite Company, 10.8 cents, J. & J.; E. F. Mahady Company, 10.8 cents,* J. & J.

Item 14. 24 Rolls Surgitube, 2 Inches, Per Roll.—Gilman Brothers, Inc., $3,* No. 2, 50 yards.

Item 15. 80 Boxes Caps, Operating Room, 4 Dozen to Each Box, J. & J., B. & B., Sherman Mills, Per Box.—Johnson & Johnson, $12.35; McKesson & Robbins, Inc., $12.35, J. & J.; Gilman Brothers, Inc., $12.35, J. & J.; C. H. Goldthwaite Company, $12.35, J. & J.; E. F. Mahady Company, $12.35, J. & J.; Sherman Mills, Inc., $11.*

Item 16. 30 Cases Cellucotton, 12 2-Pound Rolls to Case, Per Case.—Johnson & Johnson, $10.42, 12 2½-pound rolls to case, Cel-U-Rol; Bauer & Black, $8.16 (750 pounds approximately); McKesson & Robbins, Inc., $10.42, J. & J.; Gilman Brothers, Inc., $10.42, J. & J., Cel-U-Rol, 12x2½ pounds to case; Metropolitan Supply Company, $8.16, B. & B., 5 inches x 9 inches; E. F. Mahady Company, $10.42,* J. & J.

Item 17. 45 Cases Cellulose Wipes, 5 Inches x 6 Inches, 100 to Box, 100 Boxes to Case, J. & J., B. & B., Per Case.—Johnson & Johnson, $4.02; Bauer & Black, $6.52, No. 3, 5 inches x 9 inches, 144 boxes to case; McKesson & Robbins, Inc., $4.02, J. & J.; Gilman Brothers, Inc., $4.02, J. & J.; Metropolitan Supply Company, $6.52, B. & B., 144 boxes to case; E. F. Mahady Company, $4.02.* J. & J.

Item 18. 300 Cases Chux, Large, Masslinn Covered, 400 to Case, J. & J., Per Case.—Johnson & Johnson, $12.20.*

Item 19. 300 Cases Chux, Small, Masslinn Covered, 600 to Case, J. & J., Per Case.—Johnson & Johnson, $10.31.*

Item 20. 300 Pounds Absorbent Cotton, Brunswick, 1-Pound Rolls, 25 Pounds to Carton, J. & J., B. & B., Per Pound.—Johnson & Johnson, 52 cents; Bauer & Black, 53 cents, Practical, 50 pounds to carton; McKesson & Robbins, Inc., 52 cents, J. & J.; Parke Davis & Co., 52 cents, Bay's; Acme Cotton Products Company, Inc., 48 cents, Merital; Gilman Brothers, Inc., 52 cents, J. & J.; Metropolitan Supply Company, 53 cents, Practical, B. & B., 50 pounds; E. F. Mahady Company, 52 cents,* Johnson & Johnson; Daye Distributors, 65.5 cents, 50 pounds, nonsterile, Daye Distributors.

Item 21. 500 Pounds Nonabsorbent Cotton, Bleached, 1-Pound Rolls, J. & J., B. & B., Per Carton.—Johnson & Johnson, $23.25; McKesson & Robbins, Inc., 93 cents per pound, J. & J., B. & B.; Gilman Brothers, Inc., 93 cents per pound, J. & J.; E. F. Mahady Company, 93 cents per pound, J. & J.

Item 22. 275 Pounds Cotton, Red Cross, Sterile, 1-Pound Rolls, 10 Rolls to Carton, J. & J., No Substitutes (for Eye Work), Per Pound.—Johnson & Johnson, $1.26; McKesson & Robbins, Inc., $1.26; Gilman Brothers, Inc., $1.26; E. F. Mahady Company, $1.26,* J. & J.

Item 23. 80 Cases Jumbo Cotton Balls, 2,000 to Case, J. & J., B. & B. Quality, and Packaging, Per Case.—Johnson & Johnson, $10.64*; Bauer & Black, $10.64, No. 290;

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LEGEND.

* Appellate Tax Board Settlement. ¶ Illegal assessment. ‖ Chapter 59–5.
† Appellate Tax Board Decision. § Duplicate assessment. = Chapter 58–8.
‡ Overvaluation Settlement by Board of Assessors.

Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Abromson, Harry P.	35 Waumbeck st	12—1954	$1,465.80	$174.50	‡
Alaska Realty Corp.	3 Alaska st	12—1954	6,980.00	349.00	‡
Bennett, Joseph L.	18–24 Bower st	12—1954	453.70	104.70	‡
Bennett, Joseph L., et al.	43 Bower st	12—1954	383.90	104.70	‡
Elaine Realty Corp.	40 Cheney st	12—1954	2,443.00	139.60	‡
Elaine Realty Corp.	46 Cheney st	12—1954	2,373.20	139.60	‡
Golubchin, Morris	91 Humboldt av	12—1954	837.60	69.80	‡
Levine, Louis	367 Blue Hill av	12—1954	663.10	104.70	‡
Levine, Louis	371 Blue Hill av	12—1954	593.30	34.90	‡
Levine, Louis	375A Blue Hill av	12—1954	523.50	104.70	‡
Levine, Louis	379 Blue Hill av	12—1954	523.50	139.60	‡
Levine, Louis	182 Harold st	12—1954	767.80	139.60	‡
Matzkin, Esther	137 Ruthven st	12—1954	383.90	90.74	‡
Matzkin, Louis, et al.	345 Blue Hill av	12—1954	2,373.20	418.80	‡
Polimer, Frances R.	86 Elm Hill av	12—1954	907.40	209.40	‡
Rosoff, Esther	10–12 Sonoma st	12—1954	2,443.00	488.60	‡
Rosoff, Esther Z.	14–16 Sonoma st	12—1954	2,443.00	488.60	‡
Seletsky, Gertrude, Trustee	Cor. 94 Hutchings st	12—1954	1,814.80	139.60	‡
Wienstein, Max	191 Blue Hill av	12—1954	383.90	34.90	‡
Wolf, Charles	79 Hutchings st	12—1954	2,722.20	202.42	‡
Wolf, Charles	181 Ruthven street	12—1954	3,001.40	174.50	‡
Berg, Abraham	589 Dudley st	13—1954	418.80	69.80	‡
Berg, Abraham	591 Dudley st	13—1954	418.80	69.80	‡
Berg, Abraham	593 Dudley st	13—1954	418.80	69.80	‡
Berg, Abraham	595 Dudley st	13—1954	418.80	69.80	‡
Harley Private Hosp.	6 Windermere rd	13—1954	2,443.00	349.00	‡
Levine, Annie	153 Howard av	13—1954	802.70	209.40	‡
Mirotta, Joseph C.	1079 Dorchester av	13—1954	488.60	104.70	‡
Baker, Rose	157 Intervale st	14—1954	628.20	104.70	‡
Bernard, Henry	60 American Legion H'way.	14—1954	767.80	69.80	‡
Cohen, Mary	312 Blue Hill av	14—1954	2,617.50	209.40	‡
Colroad Realty Corp.	50 Columbia road	14—1954	6,491.40	907.40	‡
Glassman, Florence C.	57 Bicknell st	14—1954	2,792.00	279.20	‡
Goldstein, Celia	49 Woolson st	14—1954	523.50	104.70	‡
Hurwitz, Louis	451 Norfolk st	14—1954	2,792.00	558.40	‡
Kasanof, Rebecca	1068 Blue Hill av	14—1954	3,629.60	628.20	‡
Kasanof, Rebecca	1078A Blue Hill av	14—1954	4,886.00	698.00	‡
Klebnow, Louis M., et al.	5–7 Deering road	14—1954	494.90	34.90	‡
Paul, Isadore and Dora	15 Boyden st	14—1954	1,047.00	279.20	‡
Miller, Tillie	7 Arbutus st	14—1954	858.54	160.54	‡
Savitz, Maurice J.	1111 Blue Hill av	14—1954	2,094.00	209.40	‡
Shapiro, Harry	16 American Legion H'way	14—1954	593.30	69.80	‡
Spinelli, Matilda, Trustee	257 Quincy st	14—1954	628.20	69.80	‡
Levine, Hyman B.	61 Charlotte st	14—1954	628.20	104.70	‡
Levine, Hyman B.	62 Charlotte st	14—1954	698.00	139.60	‡
Weinstein, Anna	85 Lucerne st	14—1954	767.80	69.80	‡
Weinstein, Annie	41 Jacobs st	14—1954	942.30	69.80	‡
Weinstein, Louis D.	57 Woolson st	14—1954	523.50	69.80	‡
Weinstein, Louis D.	19–21 Flint st	14—1954	1,081.90	104.70	‡
Williams Buick, Inc.	26 Bowdoin st	14—1954	4,188.00	1,396.00	‡
Abromson, Harry P.	130–138 Bowdoin st	15—1954	2,757.10	523.50	‡
Kaplan, Samuel and Fay	140–146 Bowdoin st	15—1954	2,792.00	349.00	‡
Waldman, Jacob	92 Bird st	15—1954	558.40	139.60	‡
Annamaco Theatres, Inc.	729–749 Adams st	16—1954	15,705.00	4,886.00	‡
Buckley, Daniel J.	21 Christopher st	16—1954	1,256.40	349.00	‡
Buckley, Daniel J.	44 Gibson st	16—1954	174.54	34.90	‡
Casby, William M., et al.	1643 Dorchester av	16—1954	1,047.00	174.50	‡
Cody Distributing Co.	73J, Entire Block	16—1954	907.40	418.80	‡
DeToma, Jennie	21 Minot st	16—1954	558.40	139.60	‡
Hill, Elizabeth E.	7 Chelmsford st	16—1954	410.06	69.80	‡
Penza, Frank J.	7 Van Winkle st	16—1954	509.54	69.80	‡
DeNatale, John L.	26 Ogden st	17—1954	537.46	69.80	‡
Loughman, John V., et al.	85 Wheatland av	17—1954	558.40	69.80	‡
Schwartz, Rita	132 Capen st	17—1954	509.54	69.80	‡
Curran, Francis J.	280 Wood av	18—1954	418.80	69.80	‡
Mishara, Irving E.	640 River st	18—1954	1,081.90	34.90	‡
Saia, Joseph V., et al.	20 Osceola st	18—1954	293.46	48.86	‡
Sturmlauf, Morris, et al.	755 Cummins Highway	18—1954	474.64	69.80	‡
Toomey, Richard	7 Grandview st	18—1954	314.10	34.90	‡
Weinstein, Louis D.	27 Fessenden st	18—1954	1,116.80	139.60	‡
Jennings, Raymond D.	37 Halliday st	19—1954	349.00	41.88	‡
Doyle, Francis J.	15 Grosvenor rd	19—1954	2,094.00	467.66	‡
Atwill, Frank R.	1931 Centre st	20—1954	62.82	62.82	§
Disciullo, Giovanni	Lot 64, La Grange st., SW.	20—1954	34.90	20.94	‡
Disciullo, Giovanni	V. L., La Grange st., WS.	20—1954	34.90	20.94	‡
Gallagher, James F.	19 Farquhar st	20—1954	209.40	209.40	§
Kane, William A.	62 Billings st	20—1954	390.88	69.80	‡
Maguire, Elizabeth A.	97 Baker st	20—1954	355.98	174.50	‡
Bahm, Henry, et al.	1247 Commonwealth av	21—1954	977.20	279.20	‡
Elaine Realty Corp.	41 Egremont rd	21—1954	1,605.40	69.80	‡
John Realty, Inc.	27 St. Lukes rd	21—1954	2,512.80	209.40	‡
Levine, Anna	42 Park Vale av	21—1954	1,640.30	209.40	‡
Levine, Anna	46 Park Vale av	21—1954	1,605.40	209.40	‡
Levine, Anna	50 Park Vale av	21—1954	1,605.40	209.40	‡
Peckham, John	103 Mountfort st	21—1954	628.20	69.80	‡
Polsky, Abraham, et al.	74 Glenvale st	21—1954	2,094.00	139.60	‡
Polsky, Abraham	19 Vinal st	21—1954	2,233.60	139.60	‡
Pramel Realty Co., Inc.	835 Beacon st	21—1954	5,235.00	1,047.00	‡
Sepinuck, Nathan, et al.	60 Brainerd rd	21—1954	2,094.00	698.00	‡
Wasser, Louis, et al	74–84 Harvard av	21—1954	3,490.00	349.00	‡
Dinunzio, Joseph, et al.	33 Highgate st	21—1954	5,235.00	698.00	‡
Costa, Domenico G., et al.	68 Waverly st	22—1954	349.00	69.80	‡
Costa, Domenico G., et al.	12 Waverly pl.	22—1954	237.32	62.82	‡
Dirsa, Elizabeth	46–50 Lincoln st	22—1954	453.70	69.80	‡
Goolkasian, Annie	577A Washington st	22—1954	1,116.80	418.80	‡
Muldoon, Margaret M.	705 Cambridge st	22—1954	523.50	69.80	‡
Doherty, Francis X., et al.	167–169 Faneuil st	22—1954	746.86	188.46	‡
Karp, Bessie	299 Foster st	22—1954	711.96	153.56	‡
Shapiro, Ida	224 Market st	22—1954	1,675.20	593.30	‡

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* Appellate Tax Board Settlement. ¶ Illegal assessment. ‖ Chapter 59-5.
† Appellate Tax Board Decision. § Duplicate assessment. = Chapter 58-8.
‡ Overvaluation Settlement by Board of Assessors.

Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
PERSONAL PROPERTY.					
Tuttle Cleansers, Inc.	59 Chelsea st	2—1954	$279.20	$174.50	‡
Leahy, John F	31 Milk st.	3—1954	6.98	6.98	‡
Potter, Harry	143 Portland st	3—1954	732.90	209.40	‡
Collins, Thomas F., et al	105 Dudley st.	9—1954	411.82	139.60	*
Liner, Albert J	89 Warren st.	12—1954	174.50	83.76	*
WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 2.					
Kaplan, Sadie R., et al	68 Chauncy st	3—1950	$10,710.00	$1,890.00	*
Gordon, Dorothy	99½ Myrtle st	5—1950	1,260.00	126.00	*
Jacobson, Bessie, et al	35 Intervale st	14—1950	1,008.00	157.50	*
Kaplan, Sadie R., et al	68 Chauncy st	3—1951	10,676.00	1,884.00	*
Ninety-Two Summer St., Inc., et al	296 Devonshire st	3—1951	2,386.40	628.00	*
Gordon, Dorothy	99½ Myrtle st	5—1951	1,256.00	125.60	*
Wyner, Edward N., et al	15 Arlington st	5—1951	113,040.00	18,840.00	*
Gordon, Dorothy	488 Blue Hill av	14—1951	1,381.60	125.60	*
Jacobson, Bessie, et al	35-37 Intervale st	14—1951	1,004.80	157.00	*
Allman, Milton, et al	262-268 Norfolk st	17—1951	1,570.00	314.00	*
Mahony, Frederick W	1691 Commonwealth av	21—1951	7,222.00	942.00	*
Piscopo, Concettina C	17 Gladstone st	1—1952	447.56	66.80	*
30 Franklin St. Trust	30-32 Franklin st	3—1952	16,700.00	6,680.00	*
Kaplan, Sadie R., et al	60-68 Chauncy st	3—1952	11,356.00	2,004.00	*
Ninety-Two Summer St., Inc., et al	296 Devonshire st	3—1952	2,538.40	668.00	*
Terminal Taxi Co	Vacant lot, 9-23 Brattle st.	3—1952	13,279.84	8,684.00	*
Berman, Tillie, et al	316 Newbury st	5—1952	1,569.80	66.80	*
Gordon, Dorothy	99½ Myrtle st	5—1952	1,336.00	133.60	*
Libman, Sophie, et al	139 Columbus av	5—1952	4,008.00	1,336.00	*
S. A. G. Realty Co., Inc	105 Pinckney st	5—1952	1,536.40	334.00	*
Warren Stevens, Inc	228-234 Cambridge st	5—1952	1,536.40	100.20	*
Warren Stevens, Inc	236A-240 Cambridge st	5—1952	1,569.80	100.20	*
Wyner, Edward N., et al	15 Arlington st	5—1952	120,240.00	20,040.00	*
Anderson, Albert E., et al	94 Cabot st	9—1952	240.48	53.44	*
Delvecchio, Filomena, Trustee	766 Huntington av	10—1952	1,469.60	200.40	*
Delvecchio, Filomena, Trustee	772 Huntington av	10—1952	414.16	66.80	*
Delvecchio, Filomena, Trustee	774 Huntington av	10—1952	434.20	80.16	*
Delvecchio, Filomena, Trustee	776 Huntington av	10—1952	434.20	66.80	*
Delvecchio Filomena, Trustee	778 Huntington av	10—1952	420.84	60.12	*
Delvecchio, Filomena, Trustee	780 Huntington av	10—1952	414.16	73.48	*
Delvecchio, Filomena, Trustee	782 Huntington av	10—1952	434.20	86.84	*
Delvecchio, Filomena, Trustee	7 Wait st	10—1952	434.20	100.20	*
Gordon, Dorothy	488 Blue Hill av	14—1952	1,469.60	133.60	*
Jacobson, Bessie, et al	35-37 Intervale st	14—1952	1,068.80	167.00	*
Kozberg, Abraham	51 Pasadena rd	14—1952	835.00	33.40	*
Preman, Dorothy	132 Ellington st	14—1952	267.20	46.76	*
Preman, Dorothy	134 Ellington st	14—1952	267.20	46.76	*
Preman, Dorothy	136 Ellington st	14—1952	267.20	46.76	*
Allman, Milton, et al	262-268 Norfolk st	17—1952	1,670.00	334.00	*
Magoch, Zuzana	381 Hyde Park av	19—1952	400.80	66.80	*
Mabardy, Sarkis A	4959 Washington st	20—1952	1,068.80	133.60	*
Flaherty, William H	48 Cummington st	21—1952	3,340.00	334.00	*
Goldstein, Bernice	85 Corey rd	21—1952	1,102.20	200.40	*
Kastel, Philip, et al	Vacant lot, 50 Monastery road.	21—1952	126.92	60.12	*
Kastel, Philip, et al	50 Monastery rd	21—1952	688.04	133.60	*
Lavins, Samuel P., et al	1192 Commonwealth av	21—1952	3,006.00	200.40	*
Tank, Lon Oy	180 Brighton av	21—1952	3,674.00	534.40	*
Mahony, Frederick W	1691 Commonwealth av	21—1952	7,682.00	1,002.00	*
Queensberry Apartments	105 Queensberry st	21—1952	3,006.00	133.60	*
Queensberry Apartments	107 Queensberry st	21—1952	2,872.40	200.40	*
Queensberry Apartments	109 Queensberry st	21—1952	2,939.20	267.20	*
Queensberry Apartments	111 Queensberry st	21—1952	2,805.60	334.00	*
Teller, Charles	83-89 Mountfort st	21—1952	1,770.20	100.20	*
Greene, Harry	49 Maverick sq	1—1953	494.90	141.40	*
Greene, Harry	51-55 Maverick sq	1—1953	494.90	141.40	*
Capone, Jennaro, et al	19 High st., SW	3—1953	11,665.50	1,484.70	*
Capone, Jennaro, et al	181 Federal st	3—1953	7,070.00	1,414.00	*
Kaplan, Sadie R., et al	68 Chauncy st	3—1953	12,019.00	2,121.00	*
Mantia, Josephine	51-53 Cambridge st	3—1953	1,060.50	212.10	*
Ninety-Two Summer St., Inc., et al	196 Devonshire st	3—1953	2,686.60	707.00	*
Terminal Taxi Co	Vacant lot, 9-23 Brattle st.	3—1953	4,454.10	1,767.50	*
30 Franklin Street Trust	30 Franklin st	3—1953	17,675.00	7,070.00	*
Wasserman, Eva	156-158 Broadway	3—1953	919.10	141.40	*
Berman, Tillie, et al	316 Newbury st	5—1953	1,661.45	70.70	*
Consales, Peter A	122 Commonwealth av	5—1953	1,767.50	353.50	*
Cosgrove, Howard S	135 Newbury st	5—1953	3,181.50	353.50	*
Dinneen, Joseph F	32 Fairfield st	5—1953	636.30	106.05	*
Dinneen, Joseph F	34 Fairfield st	5—1953	636.30	106.05	*
Dinneen, Joseph F	36 Fairfield st	5—1953	636.30	106.05	*
Dinneen, Joseph F	34 Isabella st	5—1953	1,414.00	106.05	*
Dinneen, Joseph F	231 Newbury st., NE cor	5—1953	777.70	70.70	*
Holden Apartments, Inc	99½ Myrtle st	5—1953	1,414.00	141.40	*
Leeder, Celia, et al	12 Commonwealth av	5—1953	22,270.50	3,888.50	*
Libman, Sophie, et al	139 Columbus av	5—1953	4,242.00	1,414.00	*
Page, Calvin G., et al	162 Boylston st	5—1953	22,270.50	6,504.40	*
Sebur, Dina	105 Pinckney st	5—1953	1,979.60	353.50	*
Warren Stevens, Inc	228-234 Cambridge st	5—1953	1,626.10	106.05	*
Warren Stevens, Inc	236A Cambridge st	5—1953	1,661.45	106.05	*
Wyner, Edward N., et al	15 Arlington st., NW	5—1953	127,260.00	21,210.00	*
Anderson, Albert E., et al	94 Cabot st	9—1953	254.52	56.56	*
Delvecchio, Filomena, Trustee	766 Huntington av	10—1953	1,555.40	212.10	*
Delvecchio, Filomena, Trustee	772 Huntington av	10—1953	438.34	70.70	*
Delvecchio, Filomena, Trustee	774 Huntington av	10—1953	459.55	84.84	*
Delvecchio, Filomena, Trustee	776 Huntington av	10—1953	459.55	70.70	*
Delvecchio, Filomena, Trustee	778 Huntington av	10—1953	445.41	63.63	*
Delvecchio, Filomena, Trustee	780 Huntington av	10—1953	438.34	77.77	*
Delvecchio, Filomena, Trustee	782 Huntington av	10—1953	459.55	91.91	*
Delvecchio, Filomena, Trustee	7 Wait st	10—1953	459.55	106.05	*
Levitt, Rose	1350 Columbus av	11—1953	1,343.30	282.80	*
Standard Renting Co., Inc	65 Westminster av	11—1953	2,121.00	212.10	*
Holden Apartments, Inc	488 Blue Hill av	14—1953	1,555.40	141.40	*

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Parke Davis & Co., $10.64, Bay's extra large cotton balls; Acme Cotton Products Company, Inc., $10.08.

Item 24. 110 Cases Medium Cotton Balls, 8,000 to Case, 4 Bags of 2,000 Each, J. & J., B. & B. Quality and Packaging. Per Case.—Johnson & Johnson, $6.62*. Bauer & Black, $3.31 (220 cases, No. 170, 4,000 to case, 2 bags of 2,000); Parke Davis & Co., $3.31, Bay's; Acme Cotton Products Company, Inc., $6.28, Acme.

Item 25. 5¼ Pounds Cotton Batting, 1-Pound Rolls.—No bids.

Item 26. 10 Cartons Dressing Rolls, Gauze, 20x12, 4½ Inches x 8 Ply, 100 Yards to Roll, 10 Rolls to Carton, J. & J., Per Carton.—Johnson & Johnson, $49.40*; Bauer & Black, $49.40, Curity, No. 10, B. & B.; Parke Davis & Co., $49.40, Bay's.

Item 27. 50 Cartons Dressing Rolls, Zobec, 4½ Inches x 100 Yards, 10 Rolls to Carton, Per Carton.—Johnson & Johnson, $45; Bauer & Black, $45*, Curity, Lisco, B. & B.

Item 28. 750 Bolts Gauze, 20x12, 18 Inch Oval or Flat Fold, 100 Yards to Bolt, 10 Bolts to Case, J. & J., B. & B., Per Case.—Johnson & Johnson, $48.40; Bauer & Black, $48.40*, Curity, No. 10; Parke Davis & Co., $48.40, Bay's.

Item 29. 30 Cases, 18x18, Lap Packs, Ray-tec, 28x24 Gauze, 100 to Case, J. & J., B. & B., Per Case.—Johnson & Johnson, $26.18*; Bauer & Black, $26.73, ABD packs; Acme Cotton Products Company, Inc., $25.36.

Item 30. 30 Cases, 12x22, Lap Packs, Ray-tec, 28x24 Gauze, 100 to Case, J. & J., B. & B., Per Case.—Johnson & Johnson, $14.38*; Bauer & Black, $14.68, ABD packs; Acme Cotton Products Company, Inc., $13.66.

Item 31. 100 Bolts Soft Compress Gauze, 44x36 Mesh, 36-Inch Flat Fan Fold, 100 Yards to Bolt, 10 Bolts to Carton, J. & J., B. & B., Per Bolt.—Johnson & Johnson, alternate, $1.48 per roll, 1,000 rolls uncut bandage rolls, 44x36 mesh, 38½ inches wide, 10 yards long, 50 rolls to case; Bauer & Black, $12.70*; Parke Davis & Co., $13.50, Bay's, 38½ inches.

Item 32. 4,000 Yards Stiff Gauze Compress, 36 Inches, 1-Yard Flat Fold, J. & J., B. & B., Per Yard.—Sparrow Chisholm Company, 22.5 cents.*

Item 33. 100 Boxes Face Masks, With Metal Strip, 4 Dozen to Box, J. & J., B. & B., Sherman Mills, Per Box.—Johnson & Johnson, $7.65; Bauer & Black, $8.84; McKesson & Robbins, $7.65, J. & J.; Gilman Brothers, Inc., $7.65, J. & J.; Metropolitan Supply Company, $8.84, B. & B.; E. F. Mahady Company, $7.65, J. & J.; Sherman Mills, Inc., $7.20*; C. H. Goldthwaite Company, $7.65, J. & J.

Item 34. 50 Cases Combine Pads, Cotton Filled, 12x16, J. & J., B. & B., Sealed Gauze, 1 Gross to Case, Per Case.—Johnson & Johnson, $9.87*; Bauer & Black, $9.87, Curity pads; Parke Davis & Co., $9.87, Bay's triple padding; Acme Cotton Products Company, Inc., $9.40, Acme Super.

Item 35. 130 Cases Combine Pads, Cotton Filled, 10x12, J. & J., B. & B., Sealed Gauze, 2 Gross to Case, Per Case.—Johnson & Johnson, $12.34*; Bauer & Black, $12.34, Curity pads; Parke Davis & Co., $12.24, Bay's triple padding; Acme Cotton Products Company, Inc., $11.70, Acme Super.

Item 36. 80 Cartons Combine Pads, 8x10, all Absorbent Filler, Sealed Gauze (Surgine), 3 Gross to Carton, J. & J., Per Carton.—Johnson & Johnson, $12.56*;

Bauer & Black, $12.56, Curity pads; Parke Davis & Co., $12.56, Bay's Composite pad*; Acme Cotton Products Company, Inc., $11.96, Acme Super.

Item 37. 125 Cases Special Raritan Pads, 50 Dozen to Case, 12 Inches Long, Cotton Filled, J. & J., Per Case.—Johnson & Johnson, $13.64,* alternate, $12.10, J. & J., Super Modess pads, Cellulose filled, 50 dozen to case; Bauer & Black, $12.10, No. 656, Kotex.

Item 38. 110 Cases Sponges, Gauze, 4 Inches x 4 Inches, 16 Ply, 2,000 to Case, J. & J., B. & B., Per Case.—Johnson & Johnson, $24.24,* alternate, $19.72, J. & J., gauze sponges, 4 inches x 3 inches, 16 ply, 2,000 to case; Bauer & Black, $24.24; Parke Davis & Co., $24.24, Bay's.

Item 39. 100 Cases Sponges, Ray-tec, 8 Inches x 4 Inches, 24 Ply, 1,000 to Case, J. & J., B. & B., Per Case.—Johnson & Johnson, $39.99*; Bauer & Black, $39.99, Radiopaque.

Item 40. 30 Cases Sponges, 2x2, Zobec, No. 1 Filler, 8,000 to Case, J. & J., B. & B., Per Case.—Johnson & Johnson, $23.04,* alternate, $12.23, 50 cases gauze sponges, 2 inches x 2 inches, 8 ply, 5,000 to case; Bauer & Black, $14.40, Lisco, 5,000 to case; Parke Davis & Co., $23.04, Bay's cotton filled.

Item 41. 100 Cases Sponges, 3x3, Zobec, No. 1 Filler, 4,000 to Case, J. & J., B. & B.—Omitted.

Item 41A. Alternate, 100 Cases Sponges, 3x3 New Fold Topper, 4,000 to Case, J. & J., Per Case.—Johnson & Johnson, $19.20.*

Item 42. 800 Cases Sponges, New Fold Topper, 4 Inches x 4 Inches, 2,000 to Carton, No Exposed Edges, Gauze Covered, No. 1 Cotton Filler and Cellulose, J. & J., Per Case.—Johnson & Johnson, $16.95.*

Item 43. 125 Cases Sponges, New Fold Topper, 8 Inches x 4 Inches, 2,000 to Carton, Gauze Covered, No Exposed Edges, No. 1 Cotton Filler and Cellulose, J. & J., Per Case.—Johnson & Johnson, $22.15.*

Item 44. 810 Cartons Surgine Linen Savers, 18 Inches x 24 Inches, Absorbent Cellulose Covered with Light Masslinn, Backed by Moisture Repellent Paper, 200 to Carton, J. & J., B. & B., Per Carton.—Johnson & Johnson, $9.20,* J. & J., 17½ inches x 24 inches, 200 to case; Bauer & Black, $9.20, Curity ward pads; T. J. Noonan Company, $9.20, Diana.

Item 45. 60 Cases Sheet Wadding, Cut 5 Inches, 43 Rolls to Case, J. & J., B. & B., Union, Per Case.—Johnson & Johnson, $6.33; Bauer & Black, $6.33; E. F. Mahady Company, $6.33; Metropolitan Supply Company, $6.33, B. & B.; Gilman Brothers, Inc., $6.33, J. & J.; McKesson & Robbins, Inc., $6.33, J. & J.; Union Wadding Company, $4.50,* x 6 yards.

Item 46. 60 Cases Sheet Wadding, Cut 4 Inches, 54 Rolls to Case, J. & J., B. & B., Union, Per Case.—Johnson & Johnson, $6.33; Bauer & Black, $6.33; E. F. Mahady Company, $6.33; Metropolitan Supply Company, $6.33, B. & B.; Gilman Brothers, Inc., $6.33; McKesson & Robbins, Inc., $6.33, J. & J.; Union Wadding Company, $4.50,* x 6 yards.

Item 47. 30 Cases Sheet Wadding, Cut 6 Inches, 36 Rolls to Case, J. & J., B. & B., Union, Per Case.—Johnson & Johnson, $6.33; Bauer & Black, $6.33; E. F. Mahady Company, $6.33; Metropolitan Supply Company, $6.33, B. & B.; Gilman Brothers, Inc., $6.33; McKesson & Robbins, Inc., $6.33, J. & J.; Union Wadding Company, $4.50,* x 6 yards.

Item 48. 15 Bales Sheet Wadding, 36 Inchesx36 Inches, 476 Sheets to Bale, Per Bale.—Union Wadding Company, $43.35.*

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* Appellate Tax Board Settlement. ¶ Illegal assessment. ‖ Chapter 59–5.
† Appellate Tax Board Decision. § Duplicate assessment. = Chapter 58–8.
‡ Overvaluation Settlement by Board of Assessors.

Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Jacobson, Bessie, et al	35–37 Intervale st	14—1953	$1,131.20	$176.75	*
Kozberg, Abrabam	51 Pasadena rd	14—1953	583.75	35.35	*
Miller, Tillie	7 Arbutus st	14—1953	869.61	162.61	*
Preman, Dorothy	132 Ellington st	14—1953	282.80	49.49	*
Preman, Dorothy	134 Ellington st	14—1953	282.80	49.49	*
Preman, Dorothy	136 Ellington st	14—1953	282.80	49.49	*
Weinberger, Rose	14 Arbutus st	14—1953	494.90	35.35	*
Weinberger, Rose	18 Fabyan st	14—1953	530.25	21.21	*
Weinberger, Rose	34 Fabyan st	14—1953	530.25	106.05	*
Weinberger, Rose	38 Fabyan st	14—1953	530.25	35.35	*
Weinberger, Rose	41 Fabyan st	14—1953	509.04	21.21	*
Weinberger, Rose	43 Fabyan st	14—1953	509.04	21.21	*
Weinberger, Rose, Adm	51 Glenway st	14—1953	459.55	35.35	*
Weinberger, Rose	56 Lorne st	14—1953	707.70	70.70	*
Yelovitz, Leona	67–69 Callender st	14—1953	1,166.55	176.75	*
Shapiro, Benjamin, et al	Freeport st	16—1953	2,757.30	600.95	*
Allman, Milton, et al	262–268 Norfolk st	17—1953	1,767.50	353.50	*
Dana, Herman, et al	178 Harvard av	21—1953	7,777.00	1,060.50	*
Goldstein, Bernice, et al	85 Corey rd	21—1953	1,166.55	212.10	*
High Realty Corp	115 Peterborough st	21—1953	6,009.50	565.60	*
High Realty Corp	119 Peterborough st	21—1953	6,009.50	565.60	*
High Realty Corp	125 Peterborough st	21—1953	6,009.50	565.60	*
John Realty, Inc	31 St. Lukes rd	21—1953	2,651.25	388.85	*
Kastel, Philip, et al	50 Monastery rd	21—1953	728.21	141.40	*
Kastel, Philip, et al	VL., 50 Monastery rd	21—1953	134.33	63.63	*
Kentland Realty, Inc	704 Commonwealtb av	21—1953	5,302.50	353.50	*
Lavins, Samuel P	1198 Commonwealth av	21—1953	3,181.50	212.10	*
Lenk, D. Allen, et al., Trustees	48–52 Cummington st	21—1953	4,595.50	707.00	*
Mahony, Frederick W	1691 Commonwealtb av	21—1953	8,130.50	1,060.50	*
Naples Realty Corp	790 Beacon st	21—1953	1,343.30	141.40	*
Naples Realty Corp	792 Beacon st	21—1953	3,888.50	919.10	*
Queensberry Apartments	105 Queensberry st	21—1953	3,181.50	141.40	*
Queensberry Apartments	107 Queensberry st	21—1953	3,040.10	212.10	*
Queensberry Apartments	109 Queensberry st	21—1953	3,110.80	282.80	*
Queensberry Apartments	111 Queensberry st	21—1953	2,969.40	353.50	*
Ross, Fay	1124 Commonwealtb av	21—1953	1,626.10	292.80	*
Tank, Lon Oy	180 Brigbton av	21—1953	3,888.50	565.60	*
Ciampi, Louis, et al	18 Maverick sq	1—1954	2,596.56	502.56	‡
E. B. Post, No. 6, Ital.-Amer. Vets	4 Paris et	1—1954	13.96	13.96	‖
Farley, Thomas L	2–10 Porter st	1—1954	4,537.00	1,047.00	‡
Hickey, Mary	38–40 Condor st	1—1954	188.46	34.90	‡
Lucozzi, Theresa P	4 Breed st	1—1954	3,420.20	349.00	‡
Connolly, Jobn	21 Cbestnut st	2—1954	307.12	69.80	‡
Guarente, Joseph W	4 Chelsea st	2—1954	5,512.00	1,396.00	‡
Guarente, Joseph W	12 Park st	2—1954	3,520.79	1,123.78	‡
Spencer, Louise M	589 Rutberford av	2—1954	1,354.50	677.25	=
Boston Soc. of New Jerusalem Church	138–144 Bowdoin st	3—1954	2,792.00	349.00	*
Boston Soc. of New Jerusalem Church	132–134 Bowdoin st	3—1954	2,219.64	349.00	*
Brezniak, Frank, et al	19–37 Portland st	3—1954	8,725.00	1,396.00	‡
Federal Realty, Inc	103 Federal st	3—1954	10,470.00	2,792.00	‡
Feldman, Isaac, Trustee	43–53 Wasbington st	3—1954	2,024.20	139.60	‡
Hintlian, Nubar H., et al	115–121 Pearl st	3—1954	2,582.60	279.20	‡
Iver Johnson Sporting Goods	155 Wasbington st	3—1954	8,837.50	3,490.00	‡
Kaplan, Sadie R., et al	68 Chauncy st	3—1954	11,866.00	2,094.00	‡
Kittrell, Marie, Trustee	46 Cbarter st	3—1954	418.80	69.80	‡
Kittrell, Marie, Trustee	100–102 Salem st	3—1954	2,443.00	349.00	‡
Mantia, Josephine	51 Cambridge st	3—1954	1,047.00	209.40	‡
Marino, Guisippina	3 Unity st	3—1954	593.30	139.60	‡
Moses, James G	305 Shawmut av	3—1954	1,256.40	349.00	‡
North Terminal Macbine Co., Inc	600 Commercial st	3—1954	29,665.00	5,235.00	‡
Razook, George J., et al	65 Hudson st	3—1954	244.30	69.80	‡
Terminal Taxi Co	17–23 Scollay sq	3—1954	4,397.40	1,745.00	‡
Theopold, Philip H., et al	644 Washington st	3—1954	14,658.00	6,631.00	‡
Thirty Franklin St. Trust	30–32 Franklin st	3—1954	17,450.00	6,980.00	‡
Blood Group Lab., Boston, et al	Binney st., SE cor	4—1954	607.26	607.26	‖
J. Hancock Mut. Life Ins	23 Trinity pl	4—1954	125,640.00	27,920.00	‡
Malocf, Deebe R	609 Tremont st	4—1954	628.20	69.80	‡
New Fensmere Co	341 Massacbusetts av	4—1954	3,490.00	1,047.00	‡
Rahal, James J	2 Dartmoutb st	4—1954	1,326.20	139.60	‡
Robinson, Virginia S	9 Braddock pk	4—1954	349.00	83.76	‡
Rudnick, Harold A., et al	235 Massachusetts av	4—1954	27,920.00	3,490.00	‡
Tremont Garden, Inc	611 Tremont st	4—1954	628.20	69.80	‡
Alnor Realty Corp	37 Garden st	5—1954	1,047.00	174.50	‡
Baldwin Realty Co., Inc	100 Brookline av	5—1954	4,188.00	523.50	‡
Bradford Hotel Oper. Co	275 Tremont st	5—1954	132,620.00	42,578.00	‡
Cherry, Sarah	280 Beacon st	5—1954	20,940.00	3,141.00	‡
Commonwealth Berkeley Assoc	VL., Commonwealth av	5—1954	649.14	90.74	‡
Cosgrove, Howard S	135 Newbury st	5—1954	3,141.00	349.00	‡
Henderson, James H	96 Brookline av	5—1954	5,933.00	2,268.50	‡
IBM Corp	601 Boylston st	5—1954	3,839.00	349.00	‡
IBM Corp	603 Boylston st	5—1954	4,886.00	349.00	‡
IBM Corp	607 Boylston st	5—1954	4,537.00	349.00	‡
IBM Corp	261 Dartmouth st	5—1954	2,443.00	349.00	‡
Keefe, Hazel W	Clarendon st	5—1954	2,792.00	698.00	‡
Keefe, Hazel W	264 Columbus av	5—1954	488.60	69.80	‡
Kerr, Isabelle D	307 Beacon st	5—1954	802.70	139.60	‡
Leeder, Celia, et al	12 Commonwealtb av	5—1954	21,987.00	3,839.00	‡
Lydecker, Mary L	65 Broadway	5—1954	4,606.80	1,116.80	‡
Lydecker, Mary L	Vacant lot, Piedmont st	5—1954	111.68	41.88	‡
Lydecker, Mary L	13–17 Piedmont st	5—1954	6,980.00	2,094.00	‡
Murphy, Jerome, et al., Trustees	162 Boylston st	5—1954	21,987.00	6,421.60	‡
Pond, Dana R	3 Spruce st	5—1954	1,745.00	209.40	‡
Soc. of St. Margaret	13 Louisburg sq	5—1954	1,535.60	1,535.60	
Sollis, Bertha M	29 Marlborough st	5—1954	1,186.60	139.60	‡
Sylvester, Mildred B	9 Joy st	5—1954	1,186.60	139.60	‡
Vendome Realty Trust	160 Commonwealth av	5—1954	36,645.00	6,980.00	‡
Warren, Donald, et al	149 Charles st	5—1954	1,221.50	244.30	‡
Warren Stevens, Inc	228–234 Cambridge st	5—1954	1,605.40	104.70	‡
Warren Stevens, Inc	263A Cambridge st	5—1954	1,640.30	104.70	‡
Wyner, Edward N., et al	15 Arlington st	5—1954	125,640.00	20,940.00	‡
Alekna, Anthony J	624 East Broadway	6—1954	628.20	69.80	‡

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‡ Overvaluation Settlement by Board of Assessors.

Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Alekna, Anthony J	632 East Broadway	6—1954	$349.00	$34.90	‡
Baczek, Leo, et al	43 M st	6—1954	328.06	27.92	‡
Berman, Ira L	107 West Second st	6—1954	76.78	27.92	‡
Cappuccio, Joseph E	746 East Fourth st	6—1954	307.12	62.82	‡
Cerrullo, John	135 West Seventh st	6—1954	104.70	34.90	‡
Clifford, Jane G	508 East Fourth st	6—1954	160.54	27.92	‡
Dana, Herman, et al	425 West Broadway	6—1954	4,886.00	698.00	‡
Gough, Edna D	504 East Fourth st	6—1954	230.34	55.84	‡
Jenney Mfg. Company	D st	6—1954	5,297.82	1,897.82	‡
Jenney Mfg. Company	West First st	6—1954	453.70	34.90	‡
Jenney Mfg. Company	SWs West First st	6—1954	4,816.20	1,326.20	‡
Jenney Mfg. Company	291 West First st	6—1954	1,884.50	488.60	‡
Jenney Mfg. Company	296 West First st	6—1954	2,701.26	328.06	‡
Jenney Mfg. Company	West First st	6—1954	718.94	55.84	‡
Whalen, Joseph P	189 West Third st	6—1954	174.50	27.92	‡
Alekna, Anthony J	1630 Columbia rd	7—1954	572.36	69.80	‡
Johnston, Bernice C	57 G st	7—1954	237.32	48.86	‡
McDonough, Walter M	708 Columbia rd	7—1954	1,745.00	349.00	‡
McDonough, Walter M	Vacant lot, East Cottage st.	7—1954	314.10	69.80	‡
McDonough, Walter M	160 East Cottage st	7—1954	195.44	34.90	‡
Shapiro, Harry	498 Southampton st	7—1954	516.52	69.80	‡
South Bay Realty, Inc	1410 Columbia rd	7—1954	6,980.00	3,141.00	‡
Olson, Edwin O	64 Yeoman st	8—1954	209.40	41.88	‡
Anderson, Albert E	135 Sterling st	9—1954	251.28	55.84	‡
Berea Seventh Day Adventist Church.	714 Shawmut av	9—1954	125.64	125.64	=
Thomson, Israel E	52 Windsor st	9—1954	237.32	48.86	‡
Delvecchio, Filomena, Trustee	766 Huntington av	10—1954	1,535.60	209.40	‡
Delvecchio, Filomena, Trustee	772 Huntington av	10—1954	432.76	69.80	‡
Delvecchio, Filomena, Trustee	774 Huntington av	10—1954	453.70	83.76	‡
Delvecchio, Filomena, Trustee	776 Huntington av	10—1954	453.70	69.80	‡
Delvecchio, Filomena, Trustee	778 Huntington av	10—1954	439.74	62.82	‡
Delvecchio, Filomena, Trustee	780 Huntington av	10—1954	432.76	76.78	‡
Delvecchio, Filomena, Trustee	782 Huntington av	10—1954	453.70	90.74	‡
Delvecchio, Filomena, Trustee	7 Wait st	10—1954	453.70	104.70	‡
Cohen, Joseph	3283 Washington st	11—1954	1,814.80	209.40	‡
Higgins, Patrick J., Jr	21 Woodman st	11—1954	872.50	104.70	‡
Bolden, Grace W	36 Regent st	12—1954	844.58	76.78	‡
Goldman, Doris	164 Seaver st	12—1954	2,652.40	209.40	‡
Goldman, Doris	166 Seaver st	12—1954	2,652.40	209.40	‡
Goldman, Doris	168 Seaver st	12—1954	2,652.40	209.40	‡
Harris, Joseph W	85 Rockland st	12—1954	383.90	104.70	‡
Lewis, Joseph I., et al	286 Seaver st	12—1954	1,884.60	209.40	‡
Lewis, Joseph I., et al	294 Seaver st	12—1954	1,745.00	174.50	‡
Lewis, Joseph I., et al	280 Seaver st	12—1954	1,500.70	104.70	‡
Tattlebaum, Samuel, et al	266 Seaver st	12—1954	3,490.00	349.00	‡
Glynn, Mary A	Lot A, Virginia st	13—1954	125.64	34.90	‡
Goldman, Minnie	144-148 Quincy st	13—1954	383.90	48.86	‡
Pinkham, Alfred H	42 Julian st	13—1954	488.60	69.80	‡
Carmen Realty Co	1182 Blue Hill av	14—1954	9,423.00	3,490.00	‡
Edwards Const. Co	2 Mascoma st	14—1954	802.70	69.80	‡
Edwards Const. Co., Inc	106 Stanwood st	14—1954	663.10	34.90	‡
Holden Aparts., Inc	488 Blue Hill av	14—1954	1,535.60	139.60	‡
Kozberg, Abraham	51 Pasadena rd	14—1954	872.50	34.90	‡
Morse, Ida M	36 Warner st	14—1954	362.96	48.86	‡
Preman, Dorothy	132 Ellington st	14—1954	314.10	69.80	‡
Preman, Dorothy	134 Ellington st	14—1954	314.10	69.80	‡
Preman, Dorothy	136 Ellington st	14—1954	314.10	69.80	‡
Weinberger, Rose	14 Arbutus st	14—1954	488.60	34.90	‡
Weinberger, Rose	34 Fabyan st	14—1954	523.50	104.70	‡
Weinberber, Rose	38 Fabyan st	14—1954	523.50	34.90	‡
Weinberger, Rose	41 Fabyan st	14—1954	502.56	20.94	‡
Weinberger, Rose	43 Fabyan st	14—1954	502.56	20.94	‡
Weinberger, Rose, Admx	51 Glenway st	14—1954	453.70	34.90	‡
Weinberger, Rose	56 Lorne st	14—1954	698.00	69.80	‡
Youdin, Freda	18 Fabyan st	14—1954	523.50	20.94	‡
Gordon, Annie	445-451 Columbia rd	15—1954	1,396.00	349.00	‡
McDonough, Walter M	Rear 1126 Dorchester av	15—1954	837.60	209.40	‡
Linton, Thomas R	429 Adams st	16—1954	558.40	69.80	‡
McSherry, Neil, et al	18 Batesswell rd	16—1954	383.90	20.94	‡
Norton, James H	21 North Munroe ter	16—1954	544.44	69.80	‡
Salemme, Mario C	Vacant lot, Adams st	16—1954	69.80	13.96	‡
Salemme, Mario C	610 Adams st	16—1954	579.34	34.90	‡
Salemme, Marion C	Lot 63, Westglow st	16—1954	90.74	20.94	‡
Schwartz, Adelaine	367 Neponset av	16—1954	2,443.00	523.50	‡
Allman, Milton, et al	262-268 Norfolk st	17—1954	1,745.00	349.00	‡
Edwards Const. Co., Inc	8 Kenwood st	17—1954	2,610.52	97.72	‡
Ganinman, George	1971A Dorchester av	17—1954	837.60	139.60	‡
Hannaway, Richard C., et al	1084 Adams st	17—1954	523.50	69.80	‡
Kooyoomjian, Solomon	777 781 Washington st	17—1954	837.60	139.60	‡
Weinberger, Rose	20 Crowell st	17—1954	488.60	34.90	‡
Weinberger, Rose	116 Selden st	17—1954	977.20	69.80	‡
Bornstein, Zelda	48-50 Fottler rd	18—1954	837.60	104.70	‡
Kuvitsky, Anne, et al	19-21 Holborn st	18—1954	453.70	34.90	‡
Anthony, Archie C	56 Robinwood av	19—1954	558.40	69.80	‡
Baker, Frederick A., et al	47 Halifax st	19—1954	732.90	104.70	‡
Bowers Motor Sales, Inc	365 Hyde Park av	19—1954	837.60	418.80	‡
Blumberg, George L	673 Centre st	19—1954	2,443.00	349.00	‡
Corcoran, Helen M	Vacant lot, Barlow st	19—1954	41.88	20.94	‡
First Congregational Society of J. P.	6 Seaverns av	19—1954	174.50	174.50	=
Havey, William B., jr	75 May st	19—1954	628.20	34.90	‡
Kelcourie, Delia	VL, Ws Lamartine et	19—1954	48.86	13.96	‡
Kenney, Josephine R., et al	22 Brown av	19—1954	418.80	34.90	‡
Lawrence, Martina L	Mt. Walley av	19—1954	314.10	160.54	‡
Magoch, Zuzanna	381 Hyde Park av	19—1954	418.80	69.80	*
Messler, Olive E	45 Louder's Lane	19—1954	321.08	69.80	‡
Rabinovitz, Samuel	91 Boylston st	19—1954	1,954.40	558.40	‡
Rafferty, Marion	Hillcroft rd., SW	19—1954	132.62	62.82	‡
Weiler, Benny A	54 Hyde Park av	19—1954	2,512.80	139.60	‡
Yalden, William E	170-176 Lamartine st	19—1954	174.50	34.90	‡

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

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Discount.—Acme Cotton Products Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Parke Davis & Co., 2 per cent, time of payment; Bauer & Black, 2 per cent, time of payment; Daye Distributors, net; Gilman Brothers, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; C. H. Goldthwaite Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Johnson & Johnson, 2 per cent, time of payment, shipment can be made as required during the contract period, quantities and prices protected against advance or decline for the contract period; E. F. Mahady Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; McKesson & Robbins, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Metropolitan Supply Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; T. J. Noonan Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Scholl Manufacturing Company, Inc., 2 per cent, 10 days; Sherman Mills, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Sparrow Chisholm Company, 2 per cent, time of payment, on Purchasing, net, 30 days, on Auditor's; Union Wadding Company, 2 per cent, time of payment.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon January 31 the Mayor approved a contract with lowest bidders for furnishing stationery supplies to the Printing Section, from February 1, 1955, to March 31, 1955, inclusive. Approximate total amounts of awards were as follows:

Contracts for: William R. McAdams, doing business as William R. McAdams Company, $1,765; M. Russo, doing business as McCauley Stationery Company, $1,175.91.

Orders for: Melvin Wolf, doing business as Matteo Office Supplies Company, $526.62; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $439.20; Blake & Rebhan Company, $128.80.

Discount for all companies, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Bids, opened January 26, were as follows:

Stationery Supplies.

Item 1. Rubber Bands, Pure Rubber, ¼-Pound Boxes.

(*a*) *108, No. 12, Per Dozen Boxes.*—McCauley Stationery Company, $4.20; 35 cents each ¼-Pound box; William R. McAdams Company, $4.20; Matteo Office Supplies Company, $4.08*, Eberhard Faber; Blake & Rebhan Company, $1.64 per pound box; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $4.82.

(*b*) *204, No. 14, Per Dozen Boxes.*—McCauley Stationery Company, $4.20; William R. McAdams Company, $4.20; Matteo Office Supplies Company, $4.08,* Eberhand Faber; Blake & Rebhan Company, $1.64 per pound box; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $4.82.

(*c*) *48, No. 16, Per Dozen Boxes.*—McCauley Stationery Company, $4.20; William R. McAdams Company, $4.20; Matteo Office Supplies Company, $4.08*; Blake & Rebhan Company, $1.64 per pound box; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $4.82.

(*d*) *204, No. 18, Per Dozen Boxes.*—McCauley Stationery Company, $4.20; William R. McAdams Company, $4.20; Matteo Office Supplies Company, $4.08*; Blake & Rebhan Company, $1.64 per pound box; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $4.82.

(*e*) *204, No. 19, Per Dozen Boxes.*—McCauley Stationery Company, $4.20; William R. McAdams Company, $4.20; Matteo Office Supplies Company, $4.08*; Blake & Rebhan Company, $1.64 per pound box; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $4.82.

(*f*) *300, No. 64, Per Dozen Boxes.*—McCauley Stationery Company, $4.20;

William R. McAdams Company, $4.20; Matteo Office Supplies Company, $4.08*; Blake & Rebhan Company, $1.64 per pound box; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $4.82.

Item 2. Rubber Bands, Pure Rubber, 1-Pound Boxes.

(a) *30 Boxes, Assorted, Per Pound.*—McCauley Stationery Company, $1.20; William R. McAdams Company, $1.18*; Matteo Office Supplies Company, $1.19, Eberhard Faber; Blake & Rebhan Company, $1.42; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $1.38.

(b) *40 Boxes, No. 12, Per Pound.*—McCauley Stationery Company, $1.20; William R. McAdams Company, $1.18*; Matteo Office Supplies Company, $1.19, Eberhard Faber; Blake & Rebhan Company, $1.42; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $1.38.

(c) *100 Boxes, No. 18, Per Pound.*—McCauley Stationery Company, $1.20; William R. McAdams Company, $1.18*; Matteo Office Supplies Company, $1.19; Blake & Rebhan Company, $1.42; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $1.38.

(d) *60 Boxes, No. 64, Per Pound.*—McCauley Stationery Company, $1.20; William R. McAdams Company, $1.18*; Matteo Office Supplies Company, $1.19; Blake & Rebhan Company, $1.42; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $1.38.

Item 3. Clips, No. 1, Gem, .041.

600 Cartons of 1,000 (10 Boxes of 100 to Carton), Per M.—McCauley Stationery Company, 46 cents; William R. McAdams Company, 44 cents, white finish; Matteo Office Supplies Company, 46 cents, No-Esting; Blake & Rebhan Company, 44 cents; Samuel Narcus, Inc., 42 cents.*

Item 4. Blotters.

15,000, Green, 19x24, 200 Pounds to M., Per M.—McCauley Stationery Company, $36.50*; William R. McAdams Company, $37.50; Blake & Rebhan Company, $38.90; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $41; Carter, Rice & Co., Inc., $17.25 per hundredweight, Moss Green Arrow Blotting.

Item 5. Erasers.

100 Dozen, No. 6587 Eberhard Faber, Per Dozen.—McCauley Stationery Company, $13 per gross*; William R. McAdams Company, $1.13; Matteo Office Supplies Company, $1.12, Dixon, No. 889P; Blake & Rebhan Company, $1.26; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $1.11.

Item 6. Ink—Writing.

(a) *50 Dozen, Red, 4 Ounces, Per Dozen.*—McCauley Stationery Company, $1.45*; William R. McAdams Company, $1.50; Matteo Office Supplies Company, $1.47, Sanford; Blake & Rebhan Company, $1.74; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $1.82.

(b) *50 Dozen, Carter, Permanent Blue-Black, 2 Ounces, Per Dozen.*—McCauley Stationery Company, $7.90 per gross*; William R. McAdams Company, 73 cents; Matteo Office Supplies Company, 66 cents, Carter, No. 919; Blake & Rebhan Company, $1.13; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $1.05.

(c) *150 Quarts, Blue-Black, Per Quart.*—McCauley Stationery Company, $7.99 per dozen; William R. McAdams Company, 40 cents, (a) (b) (c) (d); Matteo Office Supplies Company, 68 cents*, Sanfords; Blake & Rebhan Company, 76 cents; Samuel Narcus, Inc., 70 cents.

(d) *150 Pints, Blue-Black, Per Pint.*—McCauley Stationery Company, $4.80 per dozen*; William R. McAdams Company, 32 cents, (a) (b) (c) (d); Matteo Office Supplies Company, 41 cents, Sanfords; Blake & Rebhan Company, 47 cents; Samuel Narcus, Inc., 45 cents.

TAX ABATEMENT DECISIONS RENDERED BY THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS FOR THE WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 2.— Concluded.

LEGEND.

* Appellate Tax Board Settlement. ¶ Illegal assessment. ‖ Chapter 59-5.
† Appellate Tax Board Decision. § Duplicate assessment. = Chapter 58-8.
‡ Overvaluation Settlement by Board of Assessors.

Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Graham Realty Trust, Inc.	Vacant lot, SEs Centre st.	20—1954	$279.20	$174.50	‡
Graham Realty Trust, Inc.	Lot 13, Washington st.	20—1954	174.50	62.82	‡
Hurst, Albert A.	266 Park st.	20—1954	314.10	69.80	‡
Jenney Manufacturing Co.	1816 Centre st.	20—1954	2,094.00	139.60	‡
Koslow, Theodore, et al.	8 Keane rd.	20—1954	488.60	69.80	‡
Naimey, George J.	64 La Grange st.	20—1954	488.60	34.90	‡
Meshaka, Najeeb	5330 Washington st.	20—1954	300.14	41.88	‡
O'Connell, Mary E.	200 Maple st.	20—1954	502.56	69.80	‡
Parkway Jewish Community Center	120 Corey st.	20—1954	1,047.00	1,047.00	=
Rihbany, Simon E.	52 High View av.	20—1954	837.60	69.80	‡
Stamas, Chris W.	91 De Soto rd.	20—1954	223.36	34.90	‡
Dana, Herman, et al.	178–188 Harvard av.	21—1954	7,678.00	1,047.00	‡
Eisler, Martha	1518 Commonwealth av.	21—1954	558.40	34.90	‡
Feinberg, Sidney	36 Cummings rd.	21—1954	663.10	34.90	‡
Ferrante, Anthony	575 Cambridge st.	21—1954	538.40	69.80	‡
Goldstein, Bernice	85 Corey rd.	21—1954	1,151.70	209.40	‡
High Realty Corp.	115 Peterborough st.	21—1954	5,933.00	558.40	‡
High Realty Corp.	119 Peterborough st.	21—1954	5,933.00	558.40	‡
High Realty Corp.	125 Peterborough st.	21—1954	5,933.00	558.40	‡
John Realty, Inc.	31 St Lukes rd.	21—1954	2,617.50	383.90	‡
Kastel, Philip, et al.	VL., 50 Monastery rd.	21—1954	132.62	62.82	‡
Kastel, Philip, et al.	50 Monastery rd.	21—1954	718.94	139.60	‡
Kelley, Leo A.	91 Wallingford rd.	21—1954	732.90	34.90	‡
Kentland Realty, Inc.	704 Commonwealth av.	21—1954	5,235.00	349.00	‡
Korn, Alfred	55 Nottinghill rd.	21—1954	698.00	34.90	‡
Lavins, Samuel P.	1192 Commonwealth av.	21—1954	3,141.00	209.40	‡
Naples Realty Corp.	790 Beacon st.	21—1954	1,326.20	139.60	‡
Naples Realty Corp.	792 Beacon st.	21—1954	3,839.00	907.40	‡
Queensberry Apart., Inc.	105 Queensberry st.	21—1954	3,141.00	139.60	‡
Queensberry Apart., Inc.	107 Queensberry st.	21—1954	3,001.40	209.40	‡
Queensberry Apart., Inc.	109 Queensberry st.	21—1954	3,071.20	279.20	‡
Queensberry Apart., Inc.	111 Queensberry st.	21—1954	2,931.60	349.00	‡
Ross, Fay	1124 Commonwealth av.	21—1954	1,605.40	279.20	‡
Ruby, Grace	1354 Commonwealth av.	21—1954	1,396.00	349.00	‡
Tank, Lon Oy	180 Brighton av.	21—1954	3,839.00	1,047.00	‡
Wasser, Louis, et al.	4–8 Gardner st.	21—1954	3,490.00	488.60	‡
Burke, Peter, et al.	77 Bennett st.	22—1954	544.44	55.84	‡
Dwyer, Margaret M.	20 Easton st.	22—1954	732.78	83.76	‡
Flynn, Josephine	11 Falkland st.	22—1954	376.92	27.92	‡
Hayes, Hannah	15 Shannon st.	22—1954	167.52	55.84	‡
C. G. Howes Co.	84 Braintree st.	22—1954	2,792.00	698.00	‡
Johnson, Ray C.	112 Tremont st.	22—1954	998.14	139.60	‡
Mack Motor Truck Co.	75 North Beacon st.	22—1954	27,222.00	4,537.00	‡
McCarthy, Thomas F.	344 Market st.	22—1954	837.60	69.80	‡
Oldberg, Stirling	316 North Harvard st.	22—1954	977.20	139.60	‡
Sirianni, Rose	4 Braintree st.	22—1954	2,373.20	698.00	‡
Sullivan, Eugene J., et al.	35 Faneuil st.	22—1954	439.74	76.78	‡
Sullivan, Eugene J.	Rear, 35 Faneuil st.	22—1954	209.40	76.78	‡
Thornton, Charles B.	31 Faneuil st.	22—1954	314.10	69.80	‡
Zahka, Peter	243 North Harvard st.	22—1954	628.20	69.80	‡
Zeytounjian, Vartan	328A Washington st.	22—1954	1,256.40	104.70	‡
PERSONAL PROPERTY.					
Carr, Frank H.	220 Bunker Hill st.	2—1954	$139.60	$69.80	‡
Richards Liquor Mart, Inc.	13 Chelsea st.	2—1954	55.84	55.84	¶
Car & General Insurance	84 State st.	3—1954	174.50	174.50	¶
Foley, Josephine	59 Temple pl.	3—1954	1,256.40	397.86	‡
Handy, Charles, et al.	111 Summer st.	3—1954	698.00	139.60	‡
Pellegrino, John, & Sons	106 Clinton st.	3—1954	69.80	55.89	‡
Greyhound Post Houses, Inc.	10 St. James av.	5—1954	314.10	314.10	¶
Puccini, Romeo, et al.	511 Dudley st.	8—1954	27.92	6.98	‡
Feinsilver, Benjamin	281A Blue Hill av.	12—1954	48.86	48.86	¶
Flynn, Genevieve, et al.	157 Humboldt av.	12—1954	41.88	41.88	¶
Geneva Wine & Liquor Store	44A Geneva av.	14—1954	13.96	13.96	¶
Gibson, Jerome G.	1656 Dorchester av.	16—1954	34.90	34.90	¶

Item 7. Carter's Cico Paste.

48 Dozen Bottles, 5 Ounces, Per Dozen.—McCauley Stationery Company, $4.45; William R. McAdams Company, $2.90, No. 704, 4 ounces; Matteo Office Supplies Company, $4.05, Sanfords, No. 825, 5½ ounces with brush; Blake & Rebhan Company, $5.06, available in only 6½ ounces; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $3.90.*

Item 8. Stenographers' Notebooks.

(a) *40 Dozen, Stiff Cover, Cloth Binding, Per Dozen.*—McCauley Stationery Company, $13.35 per gross*; William R. McAdams Company, $1.35, 72-leaf, 1 section, $2.44, 96-leaf, section sewed; Blake & Rebhan Company, $2.40; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $1.90.

(b) *85 Dozen, Stiff Cover, Spiral, Per Dozen.*—McCauley Stationery Company, $11.60 per gross*; William R. McAdams Company, $1.20, 72-leaf, 6x9; Matteo Office Supplies Company, $1.45, National, No. 3746C; Blake & Rebhan Company, $1.17; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $1.10.

Item 9. Adding Machine Rolls.

(a) *1,400, 2¼ Inches, Per C.*—McCauley Stationery Company, $10; William R. McAdams Company, $9.50; Blake & Rebhan Company, $9.20*; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $9.75; Carter, Rice & Co., Inc., $10.70 (white, no groundwood) this is the price for both items only on one order to one destination at one time, size, 2 9/32 inches.

(b) *500, 3 7/16 Inches, Per C.*—McCauley Stationery Company, $16.25; William R. McAdams Company, $15*; Blake & Rebhan Company, $18.12; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $18; Carter, Rice & Co., Inc., $17 (white, no groundwood); this is the price for both items only on one order to one destination at one time, size, 2 9/32 inches.

Item 10. Pen Points.

(a) *50 Boxes, No. 048, Falcon, Per Box.*—McCauley Stationery Company, $1.40; William R. McAdams Company, $1.39*; Matteo Office Supplies Company, $1.40; Blake & Rebhan Company, $1.45; Samuel Nareus, Inc., $1.52.

(b) *10 Boxes, No. 14, Bank, Per Box.*—McCauley Stationery Company, $1.40; William R. McAdams Company, $1.39*; Matteo Office Supplies Company, $1.40; Blake & Rebhan Company, $1.45; Samuel Nareus, Inc., $1.52.

Item 11. Rulers.

(a) *17 Dozen, 15-Inch, Desk, Westcott, or Equal, Per Dozen.*—McCauley Stationery Company, $17.50 per gross; William R. McAdams Company, $1.45, No. 35 21*; Blake & Rebhan Company, $1.62; Samuel Nareus, Inc., $1.60.

(b) *17 Dozen, 18-Inch, Desk, Westcott, or Equal, Per Dozen.*—McCauley Stationery Company, $25.50 per gross; William R. McAdams Company, $1.85, No. 35-21*; Blake & Rebhan Company, $2.29; Samuel Nareus, Inc., $2.25.

Item 12. Staples, 5,000 to Box.

(a) *25 Boxes, DJ 340, Neva Clog, Per M.*—McCauley Stationery Company, 23 cents per box; William R. McAdams Company, 98 cents; Blake & Rebhan Company, $1.01; Samuel Nareus, Inc., 19.7 cents per box.

(b) *600 Boxes, SBS, 19¼, Bostitch, Per M.*—McCauley Stationery Company, 38 cents per box*; alternate, 33 cents per box, Tatum; William R. McAdams Company, 36 cents per box; Matteo Office Supplies Company, 38 cents per box; Blake & Rebhan Company, 44 cents per box; Samuel Nareus, Inc., 8.2 cents per box.

Item 13. Thumb Tacks (100's).

500 Boxes, No. 2, Steel, Solid Heads, Oakville, or Equal, Per Box.—McCauley Stationery Company, $1.15 per M; 11.5 cents each (500 small boxes of 100); William R. McAdams Company, 13 cents; Matteo Office Supplies Company, 10.5 cents, Noesting, No. 2*; Blake & Rebhan Company, $1.44 per M; Samuel Nareus, Inc., 12 cents.

Item 14. Penholders.

15 Dozen, American, No. 114, or Rubber Tip, Per Dozen.—McCauley Stationery Company, $8.35 per gross; William R. McAdams Company, 85 cents; Matteo Office Supplies Company, 60 cents, Dixon, No. 3032*; Blake & Rebhan Company, 68 cents, Eagle, No. 1008; Samuel Nareus, Inc., $1.30, No. 105, Faber.

Item 15. Cellulose Tape.

(a) *408 Rolls, ½ Inch x 2,592 Inches, Per Roll.*—McCauley Stationery Company, 82 cents (one order); William R. McAdams Company, 60 cents*; Matteo Office Supplies Company, 83 cents; Blake & Rebhan Company, 85 cents; Samuel Nareus, Inc., 84 cents.

(b) *504 Rolls, ¾ Inch x 2,592 Inches, Per Roll.*—McCauley Stationery Company, $1.13; William R. McAdams Company, 84 cents*; Matteo Office Supplies Company, $1.14; Blake & Rebhan Company, $1.19; Samuel Nareus, Inc., $1.02.

(c) *144 Rolls, 1 Inch x 2,592 Inches, Per Roll.*—McCauley Stationery Company, $1.48; William R. McAdams Company, $1.10*; Matteo Office Supplies Company, $1.17; Blake & Rebhan Company, $1.54; Samuel Nareus, Inc., $1.53.

(d) *36 Rolls, ½ Inch x 1,296 Inches, Per Roll.*—McCauley Stationery Company, 52 cents; William R. McAdams Company, 39 cents*; Matteo Office Supplies Company, 54 cents; Blake & Rebhan Company, 54 cents; Samuel Nareus, Inc., 53 cents.

(e) *300 Dozen Rolls, ¾ Inch x 150 Inches, Per Dozen.*—McCauley Stationery Company, $1.65; William R. McAdams Company, $1.05*; Matteo Office Supplies Company, $1.75; Blake & Rebhan Company, $2.10; Samuel Nareus, Inc., $2.02.

Item 16. Desk Pads.

15 Dozen, 19x24, Stiff, Per Dozen.—McCauley Stationery Company, $10.08; William R. McAdams Company, $6.60*; Matteo Office Supplies Company, $9.60, Artistic, No. 12; Blake & Rebhan Company, $9.84; Samuel Nareus, Inc., $9.

Brand of Tape Bid on.—McCauley Stationery Company, Minnesota Mining Company, Scotch tape; William R. McAdams Company, Tuck; Matteo Office Supplies Company, Minnesota Mining Scotch Brand; Blake & Rebhan Company, No. 600, Scotch Cellophane; Samuel Nareus, Inc., Minnesota Mining Scotch Brand.

Discount.—McCauley Stationery Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; William R. McAdams Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Matteo Office Supplies Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Blake & Rebhan Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Samuel Nareus, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Carter, Rice & Co., Inc., 1 per cent, 20 days, on Item 9, 2 per cent, 20 days, on Item 4.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon February 21 the Mayor approved a contract with J. P. O'Connell Company for furnishing concrete mix to the various city departments at any designated location in Boston, from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, inclusive. Approximate total amount of contract was $34,890, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment. Additional charge of $1.50 is allowed for each additional fifteen minutes of waiting time. If concrete mix is picked up at vendor's plant, 50 cents per cubic yard is deducted.

Bids, opened February 9, were as follows:

Concrete Mix.

Item 1. 2,000 Cubic Yards Class B, Ready Mixed Concrete, Per Cubic Yard.—Boston Sand and Gravel Company, $12.25; J. H. McNamara, Inc., $12.25; J. P. O'Connell Company, $12*; Whittemore Company, $12.

Item 2. 500 Cubic Yards 1-2½ Ready Mixed Concrete Air Entrained (with Emulsified Carbon Black, 3 Pounds Per Cubic Yard), Per Cubic Yard.—Boston Sand and Gravel Company, $19.25; J. H. McNamara, Inc., $19.15; J. P. O'Connell Company, $19*; Whittemore Company, $19.

Item 3. 100 Cubic Yards 1-2-3 Ready Mixed Concrete, Per Cubic Yard.—Boston Sand and Gravel Company, $14.30; J. H. McNamara, Inc., $14.20; J. P. O'Connell Company, $13.90*; Whittemore Company, $14.

Additional Charge for Waiting Time Over 15 Minutes.—Boston Sand and Gravel Company, $1.50; J. H. McNamara, Inc., $1.50; J. P. O'Connell Company, $1.50*; Whittemore Company, $1.50.

Amount to Be Deducted if Picked up at Vendor's Plant, Per Cubic Yard.—Boston Sand and Gravel Company, 50 cents; J. H. McNamara, Inc., 50 cents; J. P. O'Connell Company, 50 cents.

Location of Vendor's Plant.—Boston Sand and Gravel Company, 118 First street, Cambridge, Mass.; J. H. McNamara, Inc., Allston and Waltham; J. P. O'Connell Company, 110 Forsyth street, Boston, Whittemore Company, Roslindale and South Boston.

Discount.—Boston Sand and Gravel Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; J. H. McNamara, Inc., 50 cents per cubic yard, 30 days; J. P. O'Connell Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Whittemore Company, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Remarks.—J. H. McNamara, Inc., doesn't have premix concrete plant, deliveries from transit mixed trucks, minimum loads, 4 cubic yards, Saturdays and holidays by arrangement.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon February 21 the Mayor approved a contract with lowest bidders for furnishing D.D.T. and arsenate of lead to the Parks and Recreation Department before March 31, 1955. Approximate total amounts of awards were as follows:

Contracts for: Albee Brothers, Item 3, $3,644.16, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; Chemical Insecticide Corporation, Item 2, $1,486.25, less 1 per cent discount, five days; net, 20 days.

Order for: Hartney Spray Corporation, $832, net, 30 days.

Bids, opened February 9, were as follows:

D.D.T. and Arsenate of Lead.

Item 1. 1,100 Gallons D.D.T., 12 Per Cent Ready to Use (in Approximately 55 56-Gallon Drums), Shell or Equal, Per Gallon.—Chemical Insecticide Corporation, 73 cents; Frost Insecticide Company, 74 cents; Hartney Spray Corporation, 72 cents, NuBrite.*

Item 2. 1,250 Gallons D.D.T., 25 Per Cent, Emulsified Spray, Ready to Use, Approximately 55/56-Gallon Drums, Per Gallon.—Chemical Insecticide Corporation, $1.189*; Frost Insecticide Company, $1.46; General Chemical Division, Allied Chemical & Dye Corporation, $1.60; Hartney Spray Corporation, $1.31.

Drum Deposit Charge.—Hartney Spray Corporation, Item 1, $2, Item 2, $2.

Item 3. 7 Tons Arsenate of Lead, 3-Pound Packages, Packed in Cartons, 16 Bags to Box, Per Carton.—Albee Brothers, $12.48*; Clapper Company, $12.48; Frost Insecticide Company, $12.96; General Chemical Division, Allied Chemical & Dye Corporation, 26 cents per pound.

Discount.—Chemical Insecticide Corporation, 1 per cent, 5 days, net, 20 days; Clapper Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Frost Insecticide Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; General Chemical Division, Allied Chemical & Dye Corporation, 2 per cent, time of payment; Hartney Spray Corporation, net, 30 days; Albee Brothers, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Remarks.—Albee Brothers, arsenate of lead, bidding on 14,016 pounds, 292 cartons; Clapper Company, bid price is for one delivery of entire quantity.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon February 21 the Mayor approved a contract with Pioneer Foundry and Manufacturing Company, Inc., for furnishing castings (9x9 flange boxes) to the Water Division of the Public Works Department, from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956. Approximate total amount of contract was $3,204, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment

Bids, opened February 8, were as follows:

Requisition No. 48.

36,000 Pounds, 9-Inch x 9-Inch Flange Boxes, Cast Iron (Approximately 400 Boxes), Per Pound.—E. L. LeBaron Foundry Company, 9 cents; Mechanics Iron Foundry Company, 10 cents; Pioneer Foundry and Manufacturing Company, Inc., 8.9 cents.*

Discount.—E. L. LeBaron Foundry Company, net; Mechanics Iron Foundry Company, net (firm price); Pioneer Foundry and Manufacturing Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment.

Remarks.—E. L. LeBaron Company, Auditor's Copy, 2 per cent discount.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon February 21 the Mayor approved a contract with Mechanics Iron Foundry Company for furnishing cast-iron castings (hydrant and gate parts) to the Water Division of the Public Works Department, from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956. Approximate total amount of contract was $33,415, net.

Bids, opened February 14, were as follows:

Iron Castings.

Approximately 163,000 Pounds Cast-Iron Castings, Hydrant and Gate Parts (Class B), Per Pound.—Mechanics Iron Foundry Company, 20.5 cents*; Puritan Iron Works, Inc., 22¼ cents.

Discount.—Mechanics Iron Foundry Company, firm price net; Puritan Iron Works, Inc., net, 30 days (no discount allowed).

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—Mechanics Iron Foundry Company, as required; Puritan Iron Works, Inc., approximately 16 weeks.

* Contract awarded.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Upon February 21 the Mayor approved a contract with C. A. Foley for repairs to the end lift jacks of the Northern Avenue Bridge, at an estimated cost of $1,094. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed within two weeks from date of order to commence work. The following bids were received February 16:

C. A. Foley, $1,094; General Ship and Engine Works, Inc., $1,628; Coreys Steeplejacks, Inc., $2,160.

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Upon February 24 the Mayor approved a contract with Builders Iron Works for redecking the drawspans of the Congress Street Bridge and the Chelsea Street Bridge with steel mesh pavement, at an estimated cost of $166,541.60. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed within six months from the date of order to commence work. The following bids were received February 17:

Builders Iron Works, $166,541.60; M. Solimando, $185,031; Conn Welding & Machine Company, $189,740; J. A. Singarella Company, $188,665; Martin J. Kelly Company, Inc., $189,251; S. Volpe & Co., Inc., $262,695; Carlson Construction Corporation, $214,338.

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Upon February 25, the Mayor approved a contract with Rufo Construction Company for repairing the pavement of the Sumner Tunnel, at an estimated cost of $16,421. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed within six weeks from date of order to commence work. The following bids were received February 24:

Rufo Construction Company, $16,421; Joseph Amara & Son, $17,670; J. A. Susi & Sons, Inc., $18,700; James A. Freaney, Inc., $21,100; John J. Amara & Sons, $21,500; Louis Racine Construction, Inc., $22,450.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

The School Committee has approved proposals for furnishing soap solid for general cleaning purposes in the Boston public schools. Bids were opened on Tuesday, February 1, but only one bid was received. Award was made to the only bidder, as follows:

Continental Soap Company, $2,500.

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The School Committee has approved proposals for cleansing, sterilizing, and reconditioning football equipment and football shoes for Boston public schools. Bids were opened on Wednesday, January 26, from the following concerns:

Arrow System, Division of Mulvey Company, Inc., Ivory System, Inc., Mercury System, Sportcraft Company, Inc.

Award was made to the lowest responsible bidder, as follows:

Sportcraft Company, Inc., $5,678.20.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

Upon varying dates as indicated, the Mayor approved contracts with commercial houses, contractors, etc., for furnishing labor and supplies. Communications from heads of departments interested were as follows:

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, February 21, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

I respectfully request your Honor's approval of the selection by the Board of Trustees of the Hospital Department of the engineering firm of J. M. McCusker Associates, 17 Chestnut avenue, Jamaica Plain, to prepare plans and specifications for complete replacement of underground sewer lines beneath the basement of the Medical Building at Boston City Hospital.

The main and lateral lines for sewage in this building have deteriorated to the extent that sewage leakage presents an emergency situation and a health hazard.

As there is a universally accepted standard rate for professional engineering services, I ask your approval of the procedure of dispensing with public advertising in the *City Record* because of the urgency of the situation, since it is considered nothing would be gained by public advertising.

All details of engineering fees, payments, etc., will be included in the formal contract.

Respectfully yours,

RICHARD J. CONDON,
President, Board of Trustees.

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BOSTON, February 21, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

A recent break in a 4-inch high pressure fire line pipe in a pipe tunnel leading to the Administration Building of Boston City Hospital produced a serious flood condition in the building's basement. The services of a Fire Department pump were needed in addition to pumps of our own maintenance department in order to prevent extensive water damage to stored hospital records.

Because of the serious nature and extent of the emergency situation it was voted by the Trustees of the Hospital Department that John J. Appel, general contractor, 23 Sunnybank road, West Roxbury, be engaged for the necessary immediate repairs.

The work involves removing approximately 150 feet of 4-inch fire line pipe, including defective and leaking sections, the removal of two 4-inch defective and corroded valves, the removal of bends and other fittings, the removal of all old hangers, the redrilling of holes in concrete wall and ceiling, the installation of new hangers, the furnishing and installation of approximately 150 feet of 4-inch galvanized fire line pipe, two new 4-inch gates, the furnishing of all other flanges, bolts, nuts, and other fittings, including a 4x4x2 tee and 2-inch valve to enable the line to be blown down or flushed. The work includes the removing of all debris and the performance of all incidental work.

Because of the emergency nature of the work your Honor's approval is requested for the selection of John J. Appel to make the necessary repairs and to furnish the necessary labor and materials without advertising in the *City Record.*

An upset price of $2,900 has been obtained. The emergency work here requested will not exceed this amount.

Respectfully yours,

RICHARD J. CONDON,
President, Board of Trustees.

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BOSTON, February 25, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The Trustees of the Hospital Department have voted to request the award of a contract without public advertising to J. P. O'Hearn & Co., plumbing and heating contractors, 9 Columbia place, Dorchester, for extensive alterations, repairs, and installations in the Central Sterile Supply area in the basement of the Maternity Building at Boston City Hospital. An upset price of $10,400 has been set. The cost is not to exceed this amount.

Numerous conferences have been held with the plant superintendent, the Hospital Department's consulting engineer, the Central Sterile Supply supervisor, the city plumbing inspector, and the representatives of the manufacturers of the various items of equipment now delivered to our Central Sterile Supply and awaiting installation.

It was decided that the very extensive work could not be done by the hospital's maintenance personnel. It was also decided that properly detailed specifications could not be prepared for the very extensive and intricate work involved in order to invite formal competitive bids. This is due to the fact that most of the work will have to be conducted under continuing supervision of hospital maintenance and consulting personnel and representatives of the suppliers of the several and expensive items of apparatus and equipment concerned.

Your Honor's permission to award this contract to J. P. O'Hearn & Co., without advertising in the *City Record,* is therefore requested.

Respectfully yours,

RICHARD J. CONDON,
President, Board of Trustees.

BOSTON, February 25, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The Trustees of the Hospital Department voted on February 11, 1955, to request informal written sealed bids for certain alterations to an area located on the Accident Floor in the Dowling Building of Boston City Hospital.

The alterations are necessary in view of our desire to place in operation at the earliest possible date the X-ray Unit for obtaining chest films on all patients admitted to the hospital.

Existing doors opening into a heavily traveled corridor must be removed and replaced with sliding doors. A new and fixed supervising nurse's station desk must be furnished and installed, and a new doorway must be cut through in the area opposite the new X-ray Unit. The unit is otherwise completely furnished and ready to operate.

Bids were opened at the Superintendent's office at Boston City Hospital on February 24, 1955. Bids were received from:

Schwamb Construction Corporation, $1,545; Gerry and Northrup Company, $1,550; M. Solimando, $1,600.

Since the bids on the proposed work are in excess of $1,000, and since it is most urgent to complete the work and place this unit in operation at the earliest date, your Honor's permission to award this contract, without advertising in the *City Record*, to the low bidder, Schwamb Construction Corporation, general contractors, 100A West Springfield street, Boston, in the sum of $1,545, is requested.

Respectfully yours,

RICHARD J. CONDON,
President, Board of Trustees.

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BOSTON, February 25, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The Trustees of the Hospital Department voted on January 28, 1955, to request your Honor's permission to award a contract without advertising in the *City Record* for the installation of a ceiling in the Central Sterile Supply area of Boston City Hospital to Dillaby Fireproofing Company, in the amount of $4,851.

Extensive alterations were previously made in the Central Sterile Supply area. The present ceiling is rough-finished and flaking of the surface offers a hazard to the preparation of sterile materials and kits. This has been a factor contributing to the prolonged delay in operating the Central Sterile Supply services.

The proposed construction is a drop ceiling of translucent plastic panels. This will eliminate a dust and contamination hazard and furnish a uniform diffused light source from existing fixtures.

The Flax Corporation's product, which has been selected for this installation, is available at this time only through Dillaby Fireproofing Company, exclusive suppliers in the Boston area.

Your Honor's approval of the award of this contract without advertising will be very much appreciated.

Respectfully yours,

RICHARD J. CONDON,
President, Board of Trustees.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, February 23, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR:

During the past two years we have advertised for bids on two contracts to construct permanently paved walks with incidental drainage in our Boston Public Garden. Our first contractor, by not having the equipment and knowledge to properly schedule his work, caused the work to be delayed so much that we were besieged with a multitude of complaints, although the work was eventually completed satisfactorily.

The low bidder on the second advertised contract, John McCourt Company, did the work in a competent and workmanlike manner within the time specified, with the exception of the seal coating which we instructed them to hold up until the warmer spring weather.

We are now ready to complete the third and last phase of this work, and wish to complete it before the Art Festival is held there in June. With this in mind we approached the McCourt Company and asked if they could construct and complete this final phase of the work before that time. They have assured us that they can and are willing to negotiate the new contract at the same unit prices that they bid on the previous contract, which was publicly advertised, and on which they were the lowest of the four firms that bid for the contract.

In addition to the items for which unit prices were bid in the previous contract, we have an additional item of "Loam Furnished and Spread," which the McCourt Company has offered to complete at a unit price of $3.50 per cubic yard. This price is about the average price usually received for this type of work.

I believe that the unit prices offered are fair and reasonable and that this company has the equipment and experience to do the work required expeditiously in a proper and workmanlike manner.

In view of all this and believing it would be in the best interests of the city, I respectfully request your permission to dispense with publicly advertising and to award a contract on a unit price basis as noted above, to John McCourt Company, Readville for constructing bituminous concrete walks, Public Garden, Boston, for an estimated total sum not to exceed $40,000, same to be charged to the Parks and Recreation Department budget, "Park and Playground Improvements, etc., 1-11-41-813."

Respectfully yours,

FRANK R. KELLEY,
Commissioner.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, February 17, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

An emergency call from Curtis Hall relative to repairs on the swimming pool circulating pump resulted in finding that the valves on pump lines, 4-way directional flow valves on swimming pool filter, and other valves were defective, and from a safety point of view and from a health point of view it was of an important emergency nature. Briefly the work is as follows:

One 4-inch valve, gravity feed to pump from swimming pool, leaks badly, and two 3-inch valves on circulating pump line leak so as to make it impossible to repair pump. (Valves were installed in 1931.) This is of an emergency nature. Check valve on waste line is leaking, and defective Roberts 4-way valve should be done immediately. This valve is part of installation made in 1931. The 5-inch defective gate valve from steam line to hot water generator is leaking badly and is in a dangerous condition.

Upon the receipt of the above report, and in view of the emergency nature, I had specifications made, and I invited six reputable contractors to quote on the above work with the following results:

Powers & Mehegan Company, 500 Broadway, South Boston, $1,290; Joseph F. Dwyer, 103 Park street, West Roxbury, $1,371; P. J. Riley Company, 295 Highland street, Roxbury, $1,395; Fred Williams, Inc., 47 Ellery street, $1,397; Joseph P. O'Hearn & Co., 9 Columbia place, $1,465; J. M. McCusker Company, 17 Chestnut avenue, Jamaica Plain, $1,385.

This is an emergency that should be done at the earliest possible moment, for it involves a dangerous condition, also a health menace.

As time is of the utmost importance, I respectfully ask permission to award this work without the usual form of advertising to the low bidder, the Powers & Mehegan Company, 500 Broadway, South Boston, in the sum of $1,290.

Very truly yours,

GEORGE P. DONOVAN,
Assistant Commissioner.

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BOSTON, February 23, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

From time to time it is necessary for this department to hire a 1½-ton truck.

We issue service orders in each case for a definite number of hours for certain periods. Under these orders the contractor, the Ford Contracting Company, 153 River street, Mattapan, furnishes the truck with chauffeur or operator, and all the gasoline and oil, at a rental rate of $3.50 per hour. The cost of hiring this equipment will be in excess of $1,000.

In my opinion nothing could be gained by publicly advertising for bids, since this contractor's rate is fair and reasonable. I therefore respectfully request your permission to hire this equipment, a 1½-ton truck, upon the issuance of service orders at the rate of $3.50 per hour from the Ford Contracting Company.

Very truly yours,

GEORGE P. DONOVAN,
Assistant Commissioner.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with D. Antonellis, Inc., for alterations at the High School of Practical Arts (Girls' High School), from February 28, 1955, to April 30, 1955. This extension was requested because the painting subcontractor was unable to complete the work on account of weather conditions.

RETIREMENT BOARD REPORT.

To the Auditor.

At meetings of the Retirement Board, held on February 15 and February 28, respectively, the retirement from active service of the following-named employees was approved, to become effective at the close of business, February 28, 1955, under the provisions of chapter 658:

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Hugh E. McMackin, lieutenant.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Francis L. Kelly, caretaker.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Mary L. Ford, medical worker.
Carlo DeFazi, pharmacist.
Blanche E. Nichols, head nurse.

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

Helen E. Parker, book sewer.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Francis P. Murray, patrolman.
John J. Doherty, patrolman.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

James F. Reardon, laborer.
Edward P. Fogarty, executive secretary.
Daniel Hurley, laborer.
Thomas C. Earl, chauffeur.
Joseph L. Colahan, civil engineer.
Rocco Panzini, chauffeur.

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT.

Antonio Donadie, junior master.
Mary L. Hughes, vice principal.

VETERANS' SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Mary E. Murphy, supervisor.

Attest:

PAUL L. CARTY,
Executive Officer.

February 28, 1955.

To the Auditor.

At meetings of the Boston Retirement Board, held on February 15 and February 28, 1955, the retirement from active service of the following-named members of the Boston Retirement System, under the provisions of chapter 521 of the Acts of 1922 (Boston Retirement Act), was approved to become effective at the close of business, February 28, 1955:

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Edward W. Behnke, hoseman.
George H. King, engineer.
William F. Linnehan, lieutenant.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Edward P. Kavanagh, patrolman.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Richard McGrath, laborer.

Attest:

W. J. DOYLE,
Chairman.

HIGHWAY IN WEST ROXBURY.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of Jackson place, West Roxbury district, as a public highway, from Washington street approximately 215 feet northwesterly, with the name of Kedron terrace or some other distinctive name, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named Ackley place is hereby laid out over and including the private way known as Jackson place, from Washington street approximately 215 feet northwesterly, and ordered constructed.

Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees, shrubs or structures standing upon or affixed thereto, in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

Southeasterly by Washington street, 21.77 feet; southwesterly by the southwesterly line of Ackley place, as hereby laid out by three measurements, 59.66 feet, 59 feet, and 89.70 feet; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Ackley place, as hereby laid out, 30 feet; and northwesterly by the northeasterly line of Ackley place, as hereby laid out by three measurements, 56.30 feet, 76 feet, and 89 feet.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that all of the parcels of land abutting on said Ackley place will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement herein ordered; each of said parcels in the amount hereinafter respectively set against it; said parcels and the supposed owners thereof being shown on the plan hereinbefore referred to and on file in the office of this commission.

Parcel.		Amount.
1.	William F. and Thomas J. Doyle,	$228 80
2.	Emma A. Senf	572 50
3.	Charles A. and Jessie E. Hermann	620 00
4.	Clifton Crowell	576 00
5.	Edward J. and Celia Geraldine McLaughlin	350 00
6.	Joseph Cohen	252 00
	Total	$2,599 30

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the laying out and construction of Ackley place, formerly Jackson place, West Roxbury district, as a public highway, from Washington street approximately 215 feet northwesterly, under the order of this commission of February 16, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

SEWERAGE WORKS, CONCORD PLACE, CITY PROPER.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that sewerage works, including lands, rights and easements, be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within thirty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston, formerly South End, and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Concord place (Alley No. 511), bounded:

Southwesterly by Worcester street, 9.50 feet; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Concord place, 20 feet; northeasterly by another part of Concord place, 9.50 feet; and southeasterly by a line 5-100 feet northwest of the southeasterly line of Concord place, 20 feet, containing 190 square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows:—one catch basin.

No betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages by the taking of an easement for sewerage purposes and the construction of sewerage works in Concord place (Alley No. 511), Boston Proper district, from Worcester street and Concord square, under the order of the commission of February 16, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

Owners unknown (Concord place, Alley No. 511), 190 square feet, nothing.

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 11.

LETTER OF APPRECIATION.

After the recent fire at the House of the Good Shepherd, His Excellency, Richard J. Cushing, Archbishop of Boston, congratulated the members of the Boston Fire Department for the services they rendered during and after the fire.

Unfortunately, we were not able to have the remarks transcribed even though we made every attempt to do so. It was felt at the time that the remarks were so exceptionally laudatory that they would be interesting to the members of the department. However, the letter below contains his thanks which we feel should be brought to the attention of all members of our department.

"ARCHBISHOP'S HOUSE,
2101 COMMONWEALTH AVENUE,
BRIGHTON, MASS.
February 2, 1955.

The Communion Breakfast Committee of the Boston Fire and Protective Department.

MY DEAR FRIENDS:

At the outset I want to thank you for your many kind and generous deeds in our behalf. The latest of your great accomplishments was the way you handled that fire at the House of the Good Shepherd. You certainly did a magnificent piece of work.

When I went there the next day I was surprised how orderly everything was. We have an expensive job to renovate the place because the Sisters have little insurance on the building and they have no funds for building purposes. Like many of our institutions, they just about make ends meet.

As a visible expression of my gratitude to you for all your wonderful work I am taking a very personal interest in your coming Communion Breakfast. The date is Mother's Day, May the eighth. The Mass is scheduled at St. Vincent's Church, at nine o'clock. Fol-

lowing the Mass and Holy Communion we will march in a body to Blinstrub's Village for the Communion Breakfast. I hope you will have a goodly representation.

Begging God's choicest blessings upon you all and with the assurance that I am always at your command, I am

Your ever grateful and devoted friend,

RICHARD J. CUSHING,
Archbishop of Boston."

By order of Fire Commissioner FRANCIS X. COTTER.

JOHN V. STAPLETON,
Chief of Department.

General Order No. 12.

1955 RED CROSS FUND CAMPAIGN FOR GREATER BOSTON.

His Honor, Mayor John B. Hynes, has asked that all city employees contribute to the 1955 Red Cross Fund Campaign for Greater Boston, which begins March 1 and will continue during the month.

The week beginning Monday, March 7, has been designated as "Boston Fire Department Contribution Week." The Fire Commissioner asks that all members of the department make their contributions during this particular week. Company commanders are requested to interview each member of their commands during the week and ask them to make a contribution. It is desired that the campaign in the department be completed during the week beginning March 7.

For the past few years the Fire Department has not met its quota, while other city departments have—and in some cases have exceeded their quotas. Annual membership in the Red Cross starts at $1, and it is hoped this year we will achieve 100 per cent membership.

The money collected from the Fire Department this year will be used to defray in part the expense of operating the Emergency Wagon, which is a familiar and welcome sight to all members of the department. This wagon has responded to long stands on request of the officer in charge, even though the alarm was not a multiple.

Some of the tasks being accomplished by the Red Cross are as follows:

(a) Serving hot coffee and food to fire fighters during lengthy stands, or other incidents in Boston.
(b) Providing large amounts of blood plasma for instant use.
(c) Training of persons in first aid.
(d) Services to the armed forces both here and abroad.

Pledge cards—one for each member of the department— are being issued with this order. These cards are to be filled out and returned to Miss Eleanor J. Cunniff in Headquarters during week of March 7, 1955. Stubs on pledge cards should be filled out by company commanders and division heads and given to contributors as receipts. Company commanders will also sign in the space allowed for solicitor's signature.

Company commanders and division heads shall place completed cards, together with any money received, in the Captain's Report Envelopes and seal the envelopes. The company number should be written in the space at the top, and the address will be given as "Boston Fire Department." The names of those contributing will be listed on the envelope, with the total contribution, amount paid, and balance due in each case.

Envelopes containing pledge cards and currency can be delivered to Headquarters on any weekday during week of March 7, between 9 A.M. and 4 P.M., excluding Saturdays. If, for any good reason, a member cannot make his contribution during the week of March 7, it will be accepted on or before March 26, 1955.

Deputy Chief John F. Howard of Division 1 is chairman of the Red Cross Fund Campaign in the Boston Fire Department.

If additional pledge cards are required, they may be obtained at Headquarters.

By order of Fire Commissioner FRANCIS X. COTTER.

JOHN V. STAPLETON,
Chief of Department.

General Order No. 13.

I. LIEUT. MILTON F. RITTERBUSH.

It is with deep regret that the Fire Commissioner announces the death, on February 13, 1955, of Lieut. Milton F. Ritterbush of Ladder Company 26. Lieutenant Ritterbush was appointed to the department on July 16, 1937, and promoted to lieutenant on February 5, 1947. He had been on a leave of absence with the United States Army since February 23, 1940.

The funeral was held from the McDonald Funeral Home, 461 Commonwealth avenue, on Saturday, February 19, 1955, followed by a Solemn High Mass of Requiem in St. Cecilia's Church, Boston, at 9 A.M.

The Chief of Department arranged for a representation from the Boston Fire Department to be present at the funeral services.

II. RETIREMENTS.

The following retirement, in accordance with section 57, chapter 32, of the General Laws, as amended, which became effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, February 23, 1955, is hereby announced:

Capt. Allan R. McInnis, Engine Company 20.

The following retirements, in accordance with chapter 347, Acts of 1892, as amended by chapter 237, Acts of 1939, which became effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, February 23, 1955, are hereby announced:

Lieut. John F. H. Fox, Fire Prevention Division.

Apparatus Operator Arthur J. Short, Engine Company 13.

Apparatus Operator George T. Cunniff, Engine Company 43.

The following retirement, in accordance with section 57, chapter 32, of the General Laws, as amended, which will become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, March 2, 1955, is hereby announced:

Lieut. Thomas F. Haley, Engine Company 43.

Captain McInnis was appointed to the Fire Department March 16, 1928. He was promoted to the grade of lieutenant April 25, 1945, and to captain October 26, 1949. Lieutenant Fox was appointed to the department February 18, 1916, and was promoted to lieutenant October 25, 1946. Lieutenant Haley was appointed to the department December 22, 1933, and was promoted to lieutenant April 21, 1943. Apparatus Operator Short was appointed September 20, 1918, and Apparatus Operator Cunniff was appointed February 1, 1924.

The foregoing-named officers and men leave the department with the best wishes of their associates.

III. CANCELLATION OF RESIGNATION.

The resignation of Second Engineer Aloysius A. Ryalls of Engine Company 47, announced in General Order No. 9, c. s., was cancelled, effective at 8 A.M., February 16, 1955.

IV. ASSIGNMENTS AS CARDOX ENGINEERS.

The following assignments, which became effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, February 23, 1955, are hereby announced:

Assistant Cardox Engineer Thomas F. Fraher, Maintenance Division, to engineer-in-charge, Cardox System.

Second Engineer John E. Lydstone, Engine Company 47, to assistant Cardox engineer.

V. TRANSFER.

The following transfer will become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, March 2, 1955:

Assistant Cardox Engineer John E. Lydstone, from Engine Company 47 to Maintenance Division.

VI. COMMENDATIONS.

Hoseman Nicholas Maffei and Dominic Kolonovich of Engine Company 56 are hereby commended for responding to and working at fire, Box 6241, on February 24, 1955, while off duty.

The members of Engine Company 20 who worked at Box 3455, 12.07 A.M., February 17, 1955, are hereby commended for their prompt action and efficient teamwork. The fire was in a three-story wooden frame dwelling at 187 Neponset avenue. They were successful in removing a woman and three children from the burning building under difficult conditions. This action by these members reflects credit on themselves and the Boston Fire Department.

By order of Fire Commissioner FRANCIS X. COTTER.

JOHN V. STAPLETON,
Chief of Department.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 2,010.

Acting under provisions of chapter 658, Acts of 1945, section 7, as amended (State-Boston Retirement System), the Boston Retirement Board has approved for retirement, on account of accidental disability, the following-named police officer, effective at the close of business Monday, February 28, 1955.

In view of this operation of law, after February 28, 1955, the said police officer shall no longer be an active member of this department, and it is hereby ordered that its records be so amended:

Patrolman John J. Doherty, Superintendent's office.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, February 14, 1955.

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 2 P.M., President HURLEY in the chair. Absent, Councillor Kerrigan.

The Reverend Francis J. McDonnell, of St. Agatha's Catholic Church, Milton, was escorted to the rostrum.

INVOCATION BY REV. FRANCIS J. McDONNELL.

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost. Amen.

Almighty and Eternal God, look down upon these, Thy servants who have been chosen to guide, direct and lead this great city. Give to them the strength to rise above every selfish ambition, every partisan loyalty, that they might conscientiously discharge their heavy responsibility to Thee and to the people of Boston.

Grant to them the grace of wisdom that they may despise mere expediency and develop a deep sense of right and wrong. Bless them with the gift of understanding that they may be aware of the hearing that their individual actions have upon the common good. Counsel them that they may ever choose the surest way of pleasing Thee, and help them to remember that Thy ways are not always the ways of men. Pour into their hearts the spirit of fortitude that they may always prefer rebuke, ridicule and humiliation in the cause of justice to praise and honor in all that is less than Thy holy will. Fill them with the virtue of knowledge that they may sense Thy greatness and their own littleness. Deign that they may have always the spirit of piety, realizing that Thou art their loving Father, and may they ever find Thy service sweet and amiable. Direct them that they may always walk in the fear of Thy judgment, giving to Thee a loving reverence and ever dreading to displease Thee in any way.

We have asked, O Almighty God, much for them because they need much. Theirs is a most difficult task. They have been chosen by men for leadership, but they must be beholden to no man. Yet men subject them to cajolery and coercion, to pressure and tension, and in the weakness of human nature, they must transcend all temptation.

They do, indeed, need all that we ask for them. Therefore, we beseech Thee, O Lord, grant to them these gifts, and through them may they ever have the light and the courage to seek, not their own wills, nor the will of men, but Thine and Thine alone. Amen.

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost. Amen.

The meeting was opened with the salute to the Flag.

JURORS DRAWN.

Jurors were drawn in the manner prescribed by law, Councillor McCormack presiding at the box in the absence of the Mayor, viz.:

One hundred thirty-four additional traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, to appear March 14, 1955:

Anthony Barrasso, Ward 1; Wesley Carpenter, Ward 1; Archie DeRosa, Ward 1; Samuel Bloom, Ward 3; Frank J. Bono, Ward 3; Joseph H. Flaherty, Ward 3; Costas Lemanis, Ward 3; Joseph Rimini, Ward 3; Francis V. Sheedy, Ward 3; Adelbert E. Wilson, Ward 3; William J. Manning, Ward 4; William C. Morrison, Ward 4; Herbert J. Nickerson, Ward 4; George Richardson, Ward 4; Samuel Rotman, Ward 4; Chester M. Stevens, Ward 4; Frederick G. Tobin, Ward 4; Ralph I. Townsend, Ward 4; Dorothy Bryant, Ward 5; Charles R. Nicholls Ward 5; Anthony J. Rose, Ward 5; Bernard C. Berry, Ward 6; Vincent R. Mango, Ward 6; Ethel Nicholl, Ward 6; Edward J. Russell, Ward 6; John L. Capeless, Ward 7; Ambrose H. Carson, Ward 7; William F. Cushing, Ward 7; John Edward Keane, Ward 7; Alfred J. Luoni, Ward 7; Carol W. Martin, Ward 7; Luke A. Mullin, Ward 7; George S. Wolowicz, Ward 7.

Andrew T. Bird, Ward 8; Joseph R. Morise, Ward 8; Wesley L. Thomas, Ward 8; James D. Alyward, Ward 9; Ruth E. Johnson, Ward 9; Clifford C. Whittaker, Ward 9; Timothy C. Bresnahan, Ward 10; Michael Christo, Ward 10; Norman E. Dunbar, Ward 10; Charles Hedrick, Ward 10; Andrew E. Hotz, Ward 10; George N. Kalivas, Ward 10; Arthur G. Kelley, Ward 10; Donald J. MacDonald, Ward 10; Jeremiah P. Shea, Ward 10; Gertrude T. Winters, Ward 10; Charles J. Ferguson, Ward 11; John J. Gallagher, Ward 11; Joseph W. Mohan, Ward 11; Thomas C. O'Rourke, Ward 11; Matthew Rule Tremble, Ward 11; Patrick F. Doherty, Ward 12; Iris E. Hawkins, Ward 12; Thomas J. Hayes, Ward 12; Robert Needle, Ward 12; Edward B. Rollins, Ward 12; Morris Savitz, Ward 12; Gerard C. Boucher, Ward 13; Terry McDonough, Ward 13; Alexander J. Mosewic, Ward 13; Lillian G. Walsh, Ward 13; Antonio Castellarin, Ward 14; Harry Chernov, Ward 14; Nathan N. Epstein, Ward 14; Aaron H. Katz, Ward 14; Barney Kling, Ward 14; Joseph Orenstein, Ward 14; Charles Pearlstein, Ward 14.

Cyril F. Camphell, Ward 15; Catherine F. Costello, Ward 15; Charles K. Gibson, Ward 15; George E. Harden, Ward 15; Steven M. Lester, Ward 15; Walter E. McNamara, Ward 15; Margaret E. Casey, Ward 16; Denis P. Clune, Ward 16; Nora M. Curtin, Ward 16; Lawrence J. Joyce, Ward 16; Mary A. Keefe, Ward 16; William T. Livingstone, Ward 16; William J. Murray, Jr., Ward 16; James M. Smith, Ward 16; Samuel Cohen, Ward 17; Michael R. Geary, Ward 17; Alhert J. Gruhis, Ward 17; Harry F. Hamparian, Ward 17; James P. Harold, Ward 17; John Mitchell, Ward 17; Samuel Palter, Ward 17; James M. Thompson, Ward 17; Anna L. Ahazorius, Ward 18; Evelyn Alhion, Ward 18; Joseph A. Bilodeau, Ward 18; John Fistola, Ward 18; William J. Hurley, Ward 18; Ferdinand L. Kral, Ward 18; Theodore W. Nash, Ward 18; Julius L. Tatelman, Ward 18; Clifton H. Thomas, Ward 18; Edward J. Topalian, Ward 18; Vincent G. Yunuski, Ward 18.

Frank J. Bailey, Ward 19; Frances H. Bunszel, Ward 19; John J. Coffey, Ward 19; Francis J. Coppinger, Ward 19; Edward J. Corrigan, Ward 19; George T. Dalianis, Ward 19; Russell A. Holman, Ward 19; Coleman Larkin, Ward 19; Thomas F. McGinnis, Ward 19; Joseph P. Phillips, Ward 19; Charles W. Abbott, Ward 20; Edward Boeck, Ward 20; Alfred W. Cataldo, Ward 20; Samuel Young Dale, Ward 20; Robert T. Fowler, Jr., Ward 20; Delmer F. Jones, Ward 20; Lawrence E. Lodge, Ward 20; William F. Lynch, Jr., Ward 20; John J. Murphy, Ward 20; Howard M. Parkman, Ward 20; John T. Rose, Ward 20; Edward F. Ryan, Ward 20; Henry F. Isaacs, Ward 21; John T. McAleer, Ward 21; John J. McCarthy, Ward 21; Ralph T. Power, Ward 21; Murray G. Somerville, Ward 21; Joseph M. Mayer, Ward 22; James J. Morris, Ward 22; Matthew Mutch, Ward 22.

PROPOSED RENT INCREASES IN CHAPTER 372 HOUSING UNITS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, February 14, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Corporation Counsel relative to your order of January 31, 1955, concerning approval by the State Housing Board of votes of the Boston Housing Authority increasing rentals of public housing units of Chapter 372 of the Acts of 1946.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Law Department, February 11, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

This communication is sent in response to the following order passed by the City Council on January 31, 1955:

"Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor request the Corporation Counsel to give the Boston City Council a ruling of law on whether or not the State Housing Authority must approve a vote of the Boston Housing Authority increasing the rentals of those public housing units controlled by Chapter 372 of the Acts of 1946."

The matter referred to in the above-quoted order is governed by St. 1946, c. 372, s. 9, which as amended by St. 1947, c. 479, s. 5, is free from ambiguity and by its explicit terms makes it plain that the rates for rents and prices to be charged to veterans for housing accommodations under Chapter 372 of the Acts of 1946, as amended, are to be determined by the Boston Housing Authority, subject to the approval of the State Board of Housing.

Respectfully,
WILLIAM L. BAXTER,
Corporation Counsel.

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City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, February 14, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Chairman of the Boston Housing Authority relative to your order of January 31, 1955, concerning the refraining from increasing rentals in housing units under Chapter 372 of the Acts of 1946 until the Committee on Housing of the Boston City Council and the Boston Housing Authority meet.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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Boston Housing Authority,
February 10, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Subject: Rentals—Chapter 372 Program, City Council Order of January 31, 1955.

Dear Mayor Hynes:

In response to your letter of February 3, 1955, he advised that this Authority has decided that it will not make any changes in rentals on the Chapter 372 program effective until it has discussed the matter with the City Council.

You are no doubt aware that a public hearing on this matter is to be held by the Council in its chambers on Friday, February 11, 1955, at 2.30 P.M.

The Authority will be represented at that meeting.

Very truly yours,
JAMES J. MAHAR, Chairman.

Severally placed on file.

RESURFACING WASHINGTON STREET, BETWEEN EGLESTON SQUARE AND FOREST HILLS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, February 14, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Public Works relative to your order of January 24, 1955, concerning the resurfacing of Washington street, between Egleston square and Forest Hills.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Public Works Department,
February 14, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.

Dear Sir:

This is in reference to the following order that was passed in the City Council under date of January 24, 1955:

"Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works he requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to resurface Washington street, hetweeu Egleston square and Forest Hills."

The above section of Washington street is in a poor condition and has been for many years. The existing roadway area contains a granite block surface and lends itself to covering with a hituminous concrete type of surface material if the existing streetcar tracks were abandoned. However, these tracks are in service and apparently will remain in service for many years to come, and, therefore, the department is obligated to effect a very expensive reconstruction project. With the tracks remaining in service, it will be necessary to remove the existing granite block pavement and lay a hituminous hase and a bituminous top, which is a far more expensive project than a bituminous resurfacing operation utilizing the existing granite block pavement as a base. The additional expense to the city will approximate $30,000, as it is estimated that it will cost $60,000 to resurface over the existing pavement, and $90,000 to remove the existing blocks and provide a bituminous hase and a hituminous surface.

I discussed this matter with Mr. Dana of the M. T. A., and he informed me that the streetcar tracks must remain in operation as they provide the only means of getting the streetcars used on the Blue Hill Avenue line and the North Station line to the Forest Hills area for storage and minor repairs. He further informed me that this line will probably remain in service for some years to come. Therefore, we must undertake the more expensive resurfacing project with its inherent delays to traffic and inconvenience to the ahutting business houses rather than the more expeditious and more economical project of providing a hituminous surface over the existing roadway area.

While the present roadway is in a very poor condition, it does have the advantage of slowing up traffic and discouraging motorists from using the street as a through highway. The section of Washington street, from Forest Hills to Egleston square, is very narrow and it will become a very dangerous highway after the resurfacing work has been completed.

Respectfully yours,
GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Placed on file.

BASKETBALL FACILITIES AT WILLIAM H. GARVEY PLAYGROUND.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, February 14, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation relative to your order of January 31, 1955, concerning the installing of standard haskethall facilities at the William H. Garvey Playground, Neponset avenue, Dorchester.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Parks and Recreation Department,
February 8, 1955.

Mr. Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.

Dear Sir:

This will acknowledge memo from your office with attached order of Councillor McCormack, requesting the advisability of installing basketball facilities at the William H. Garvey Playground, Neponset avenue Dorchester.

I have asked the chief engineer to make immediate investigation to ascertain whether it will be practical to install the basketball facilities as requested by Councillor McCormack.

Very truly yours,
FRANK R. KELLEY, Commissioner.

Placed on file.

AMENDMENTS TO THE BOSTON BUILDING CODE.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, February 14, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I submit herewith communication from the Building Commissioner in which he recommends the amendment of various sections of the Boston Building Code. These amendments are necessary to correct imperfections in the code.

I recommend adoption of the ordinance, herewith submitted.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Building Department, February 14, 1955.

To the Honorable the Mayor and City Council of the City of Boston.

Gentlemen:

In accordance with the provisions of chapter 479 of the Acts of 1938, as amended by chapter 217 of the Acts of 1939, as Building Commissioner of the City of Boston, I recommend the adoption of the accompanying ordinance which will remedy the following imperfections in the Boston Building Code brought to light by preparations for a current reprint of that code:

Section 1417.

In Chapter 479 of the Acts of 1938, the first sentence of subdivision (d) of Section 1417 read as follows: "Wooden stud bearing partitions shall have studs not less than one and one half by two and one half inches supported upon a girder or upon a sole plate not less than one and one half inches thick." Section 172 of Chapter 4 of the Ordinances of 1943 amended said sentence by striking out the first "one and one half" and inserting in place thereof "one and five eighths" and by striking out "two and one half" and inserting in place thereof "three and five eighths" and then stated that said sentence would read as follows:—"Wooden stud bearing partitions shall have studs not less than one and five eighths by three and five eighths inches supported upon a girder or upon a sole plate not less than three and five eighths inches thick." This was plainly erroneous for neither "three and five eighths" nur anything else had been substituted for the second "one and one half." Technologically, however, "one and five eighths" should have been substituted for the second as well as the first "one and one half". Section 1 of the accompanying ordinance is designed to effect this correction.

Section 2303.

The purpose of Section 2 of the recommended ordinance is to make the phrase "Pounds per Cubic Feet" grammatically correct by replacing "Feet" with "Foot".

Section 2409.

In Chapter 479 of the Acts of 1938, paragraph (b) of Section 2409 used the phrase "where exposed to wetting and freezing". Section 288 of Chapter 6 of the Ordinances of 1943 changed the phrase to "where exposed to both wetting or freezing". Commonly, "and" is used with "both" and "or" with "either"; so that "both . . . or" creates doubt whether the conjunctive or disjunctive is intended. Technologically, it should be the disjunctive. Section 3 of the accompanying ordinance clarifies the matter by striking out "both".

Section 2504.

Section 2504 of Chapter 479 of the Acts of 1938 was amended by Sections 304 to 310, inclusive, of Chapter 6 of the Ordinances of 1943. Section 304, in striking out paragraph (a) as appearing in said Chapter 479 and inserting in place thereof a new paragraph (a), presumably struck out the tables on pages 279, 280 and 281 of said Chapter 479 as printed by the State Secretary and intended that the first sentence of the new paragraph (a) be immediately followed by the Structural Lumber—Working Stress tables made a part of said Chapter 6. The matter is not free from doubt, however. Hence, the first sentence of Section 4 of the ordinance transmitted herewith is recommended to clarify the matter. The second sentence of Section 4 of the accompanying ordinance is occasioned by the fact that, although Section 307 of Chapter 6 of the Ordinances of 1943 had already inserted a paragraph (g), Section 308 of said Chapter 6 relettered paragraph (i) paragraph (g) instead of paragraph (h).

Section 2622.

The fourth sentence of Section 2622 of the Boston Building Code now reads:—"Beams, girders, brackets, column capitals, and haunches shall be considered part of the floor system and shall be placed monolithically herewith". Section 5 of the recommended ordinance corrects "herewith" to "therewith" to accord with the apparent intent.

Section 2901.

The second sentence of paragraph (d) of Section 2904 of the Boston Building Code prescribes in certain cases that "the allowable bearing values shall be one third of the allowable bearing values . . . . . " Section 6 of the ordinance transmitted herewith eliminates this doubletalk by substituting "tabulated" for the second "allowable", thereby correlating the provision to the table incorporated in the section.

Section 2906.

By an inconsistency comparable to that mentioned above in connection with Section 1417, Section 392 of Chapter 8 of the Ordinances of 1943, in amending Section 2906 of Chapter 479 of the Acts of 1938, leaves it in doubt whether the exact words in the last sentence are "shall be stone or gravel aggregate concrete" or "shall be with stone or gravel aggregate concrete". Section 7 of the recommended ordinance establishes the first as the correct text.

Section 3005.

Section 8 of the accompanying ordinance is like Sections 1 and 6 thereof in that it establishes the text of a sentence left in doubt by the Ordinances of 1943.

Section 3115.

The schedule in Section 3114 of the Code, as amended by Section 420 of Chapter 8 of the Ordinances of 1943, contains an inexplicable reference to a Group L Occupancy when there is no such occupancy group. Technologically, the reference should be to Group 1; and that is what the last section of the accompanying ordinance makes it.

Respectfully,
CHARLES A. CALLANAN,
Building Commissioner.

City of Boston,
In the Year Nineteen Hundred and Fifty-five.

An Ordinance Amending Divers Provisions of the Boston Building Code.

Be it ordained by the City Council of Boston, as follows:

SECTION 1. Subdivision (d) of Section 1417 of Chapter 479 of the Acts of 1938, as amended by Section 172 of Chapter 4 of the Ordinances of 1943, is hereby further amended by striking out the first sentence and inserting in place thereof the following sentence:—Wooden stud bearing partitions shall have studs not less than one and five eighths by three and five eighths inches supported upon a girder or upon a sole plate not less than one and five eighths inches thick.

SECTION 2. The table in Section 2303 of said Chapter 479 is hereby amended by striking out, in the heading "Pounds per Cubic Feet", the word "Feet" and inserting in place thereof the word:—Foot.

SECTION 3. Paragraph (b) of Section 2409 of said Chapter 479, as amended by Section 288 of Chapter 6 of the Ordinances of 1943, is hereby further amended by striking out the word "both" inserted by said Section 288.

SECTION 4. Section 2504 of Chapter 479 of the Acts of 1938, as amended by Chapter 6 of the Ordinances of 1943, is hereby further amended by striking out the tables appearing on pages 279, 280 and 281 of said Chapter 479 as separately printed and published by the state secretary under Chapter 39 of the Resolves of 1938, and by placing immediately after the first sentence of paragraph (a) of said Section 2504, as amended by Section 304 of said Chapter 6 of the Ordinances of 1943, the tables contained in said Chapter 6 of the Ordinances of 1943 and respectively entitled "STRUCTURAL LUMBER—WORKING STRESSES." Table 1.—Girders, Stringers, Beams, Joints and Plank—Permanent Loads." and "STRUCTURAL LUMBER—WORKING STRESSES. Table 2.—Posts, Columns and Compression Members—Permanent Loads." Paragraphs (i) (j) and (k) of said Section 2504 as appearing in Chapter 479 of the Acts of 1938, which were relettered (g), (h) and (i), respectively by Sections 308, 309 and 310 of said Chapter 6 of the Ordinances of 1943, are hereby relettered (h), (i) and (j), respectively.

SECTION 5. Paragraph (a) of Section 2622 of said Chapter 479, as amended by Section 310 of Chapter 8 of the Ordinances of 1943, is hereby further amended by striking out, in the fourth sentence, the words "monolithically herewith" and inserting in place thereof the words:—monolithically therewith.

SECTION 6. Paragraph (d) of Section 2904 of said Chapter 479 is hereby amended by striking out, in the second sentence, the words "one third of the allowable bearing values" and inserting in place thereof the words:—one third of the tabulated bearing values.

SECTION 7. Section 2906 of said Chapter 479, as amended by Section 392 of Chapter 8 of the Ordinances of 1943, is hereby further amended by striking out the last sentence and inserting in place thereof the following sentence:—Concrete in all foundations shall be stone or gravel aggregate concrete and shall be proportioned for an ultimate strength of at least fifteen hundred pounds per square inch.

SECTION 8. Paragraph (k) of Section 3005 of said Chapter 479, as amended by Section 409 of Chapter 8 of the Ordinances of 1943, is hereby further amended by striking out the second sentence and inserting in place thereof the following sentence:—Fittings for changes in direction in mains and risers more than two inches in diameter shall be standard fittings.

SECTION 9. Section 3115 of said Chapter 479, as amended by Section 420 of Chapter 8 of the Ordinances of 1943, is hereby further amended by striking out in the item "Slop or Service Sink" in the schedule in paragraph (e) the words "Group H and L Occupancy" and inserting in place thereof the words:—Group H and 1 Occupancy.

Referred to the Committee on Ordinances.

LOANS AND APPROPRIATIONS FOR CONSTRUCTION OF PUBLIC WAYS, CONSTRUCTION OF SEWERS, AND DEPARTMENTAL EQUIPMENT.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, February 14, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I submit herewith six orders providing for appropriations for Public Ways, Construction of; Construction of Sewers; and Departmental Equipment.

Three of these appropriations will be financed through the issuance of bonds, and the other three from the tax levy of the current year. These latter orders was required under the provisions of section 7 of chapter 44, which make it mandatory that every loan order within the statutory debt limit be supported by an appropriation equal to 10 cents on each $1,000 of the assessed valuation for the preceding year.

The $2,000,000 loan order for Public Ways, Construction of, contemplates the construction of approximately 13 miles of main highway improvements in the City of Boston in cooperation with the State Department of Public Works. The loan order provides also for the construction of new streets and reconstruction and improvement of existing streets.

The loan order for $1,000,000 for Construction of Sewers and for Sewage Disposal, contemplates meeting the normal program of sewerage improvements for the coming year. It also contemplates the enclosing of Bussey Brook, Davenport Brook, Elmwood Street Brook, and a portion of Stony Brook.

Communications from the Commissioner of Public Works are herewith attached which explain in some detail the program for highway improvements and the program for sewerage improvements.

The loan order for $1,000,000 for Departmental Equipment contemplates the purchase of equipment for all city departments which has a life expectancy of five years or more. All items for the purchase of heavy equipment have been eliminated from the budget of this year and will be purchased under the provisions of this proposed loan.

I respectfully request adoption of the six orders herewith submitted.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Public Works Department,
February 14, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

Under date of June 2, 1953, a loan order, previously passed by the City Council, was approved by your Honor authorizing the issuance of bonds in the amount of $1,000,000 for the construction of sanitary sewers and surface drainage facilities. This amount has been entirely expended and it is absolutely necessary to authorize a similar amount this year in order that the Sewer Division may proceed with its normal program of effecting improvements to the sewerage and surface drainage systems.

The proposed program is as follows:

Relocate and enclose Stony Brook in a 72-inch concrete culvert for a distance of 5,320 feet from end of present culvert in Grew avenue to Bald Knob road. Including supplementary surface drains as required. Estimated cost, $425,000.

Construction of sewers and surface drains for residential construction and highway construction (Annual Expenditure.) Estimated cost, $300,000.

Enclose Bussey Brook, West Roxbury, in a 60-inch and 72-inch concrete culvert for a distance of 1,400 feet from Stony Brook at the Dedham Branch Railroad to lower South street. Estimated cost, $105,000.

Enclose Davenport Brook, Dorchester, in a 7-foot-9-inch x 6-foot-2-inch twin concrete conduit on piles from Hallet Street to the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad for a distance of 511 feet. Estimated cost, $150,000.

Enclose Elmwood street Brook, West Roxbury, from the end of present conduit at North avenue to the marshes west of Belle avenue, a distance of 700 feet. Estimated cost, $70,000.

Total, $1,050,000.

The most important project in the above list is the one that provides for the elimination of the remaining open section of Stony Brook by the installation of a 72-inch diameter concrete conduit. Stone Brook is now entirely enclosed in concrete pipes and culverts from a point near Grew avenue, in Hyde Park, to its outlet in Muddy River, near

the Fire Alarm Headquarters in the Fens. The only open section extends from Grew avenue to Bald Knob road and the completion of this section will constitute one of the most needed improvements in the Hyde Park district.

The present open brook in Hyde Park presents a very definite hazard to the safety of children and has caused considerable property damage over the years, due to the flooding of cellars of residential properties in the vicinity of the brook course. I know that you well remember that the most recent floodings occurred at the time of the hurricanes of last fall. I believe that a group of irate residents of the area called at your home at that time and registered vigorous complaints about the flooding of their cellars by the overflow of Stony Brook.

It unquestionably would be advantageous to the city as well as the adjacent property owners if the 5,300-foot section in the Hyde Park area were enclosed in a concrete conduit, thereby not only eliminating the existing hazards to children and damage to adjacent properties, but by actually enhancing the properties and making available for development many acres of land that are under water at various seasons of the year, and particularly in the springtime.

Due to the substantial cost involved, this project has been sidetracked for years. However, in 1953 the section of open brook from the West Roxbury–Hyde Park line to Grew avenue was eliminated at a cost of about $450,000 by the installation of a concrete conduit. We can complete the remaining 5,300 feet during the current year if the money is made available as the plans and specifications have been prepared and the project is ready for advertising.

I respectfully recommend, therefore, that the attached loan order, which provides for the issuance of a Sewerage Works Loan, so called, in the amount of $1,000,000, be submitted to the City Council for the approval of that Body. I also recommend that a down payment, in the amount of $157,000, be provided in the budget of the Sewer Division of this department in accordance with the provisions of section 7 of chapter 44 of the General Laws, as amended by chapter 224 of the Acts of 1936.

Respectfully yours,
GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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City of Boston,
Public Works Department,
February 14, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

At the present time, there is an unencumbered balance of approximately $125,000 in the "Public Ways, Construction of," account available for expenditure for highway construction and reconstruction work during the current year.

It is our intention, once again, to undertake one of the largest Chapter 90 State-Aid projects in the history of the city. This particular program has been very advantageous during the past five years, as we have reconstructed many miles of main highways in various sections of the city, at a minimum of expense to the real estate owners. Approximately one half the cost of Chapter 90 projects is paid for out of the Highway Fund by the State Department of Public Works, under the provisions of section 34 of Chapter 90 of the General Laws.

The tentative Chapter 90 program, which calls for the reconstruction of approximately 13 miles of main highways within the next year or two, is as follows:

	Approximate Length, (Feet.)
Neponset Avenue, Dorchester. From Adams street to Neponset Traffic Circle..	5,400
Hyde Park Avenue, West Roxbury and Hyde Park. From Walk Hill street to Metropolitan avenue	9,400
Cummins Highway, Roslindale and Mattapan. From Harvard street to Mattapan square	5,000
Southampton Street, South Boston. From Massachusetts avenue to Andrew square	4,000
Washington Street, Roxbury. From Northampton street to Warren street	2,460
Bunker Hill Street, Charlestown. From Chelsea street to Main street	5,200
Terminal Street, Charlestown. From Medford street northeasterly and easterly	3,100
Dorchester Street, South Boston. From Broadway to Andrew square	3,700
Huntington Avenue, Roxbury. From Tremont street to the Brookline line	2,600
Washington Street, West Roxbury. From Columbus avenue to Arborway	6,300
Summer Street, South Boston. From Fort Point Channel to East Second street	7,150
I Street, South Boston. From East Second street to East Fourth street	920
Centre Street, West Roxbury. From Spring street to Grove street	3,500
Main Street, Charlestown. From City square to Somerville line (less Sullivan square)	6,000
South Street, West Roxbury. From 330 feet west of Morton street to Archdale road	3,850
Total	12.9 miles or 68,580

The sum of $475,000 has been allotted to the City of Boston for Chapter 90 projects by the State Department of Public Works. This is the largest amount ever allotted to the city for Chapter 90 work, and we should make certain that an equal amount is provided to match it, thereby insuring the construction of a maximum number of Chapter 90 projects this year.

In addition to the Chapter 90 projects, which will involve approximately $500,000 of city funds, it will be necessary to expend another $500,000 for the construction of new streets and a minimum of $1,000,000 for the reconstruction and improvement of existing streets. There are 730 miles of public streets in the city and if they were reconstructed once every 20 years—which is the maximum normal life of a street—it would require the rebuilding of 36.5 miles each year. The average cost of constructing and reconstructing highways is $65,000 per mile, thereby requiring the expenditure of a minimum of approximately $2,400,000 annually to keep our highway system up to standard.

I do not feel that we can afford such a program and, therefore, I am recommending the expenditure of $2,000,000 from the nonrevenue account for the construction and reconstruction of highways. Incidentally, our first Chapter 90 project will be advertised within the next three or four weeks and will provide for the resurfacing of Southampton street. This project will use up the major part of our present balance of $125,000, and we will not be able to advertise any more projects until additional money is made available.

I recommend, therefore, that the attached loan order, which provides for the issuance of so-called "Public Ways, Construction of," bonds in the amount of $2,000,000, be submitted to the City Council for approval. I also recommend that the so-called down payment, in the approximate amount of $157,000, be provided in the budget of the Highway Division in accordance with the provisions of section 7 of chapter 44 of the General Laws, as amended by chapter 224 of the Acts of 1936.

Respectfully yours,
GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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Ordered, That under the provisions of clause 5 of section 7 of chapter 44 of the General Laws, the sum of two million dollars ($2,000,000) be, and hereby is, appropriated, to be expended under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, for the Construction of Public Ways or Permanent Pavement, and that to meet said appropriation the Collector-Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, on request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

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Ordered, That under the provisions of clause 1 of section 7 of chapter 44 of the General Laws, the sum of one million dollars ($1,000,000) be, and hereby is, appropriated, to be expended under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Works, for the construction of sewers for sanitary and surface drainage purposes, and for sewerage disposal, and that to meet said appropriation the Collector-Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, on request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

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Ordered, That under the provisions of clause 9 of section 7 of chapter 44 of the General Laws, the sum of one million dollars ($1,000,000) be, and hereby is, appropriated, to be expended for additional departmental equipment and that to meet said appropriation the Collector-Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, on request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount.

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Ordered, That the sum of one hundred and fifty-seven thousand (157,000) dollars, be, and hereby is, appropriated for the purpose hereinafter specified, said sum to be raised by taxatiou on the polls and estates in the City of Boston, and that all orders hereinafter or heretofore passed by the City Council relating to appropriations, taxes, and the interest thereon, apply to the appropriations and taxes herein provided for.

Public Ways, Construction of..... $157,000

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Ordered, That the sum of one hundred and fifty-seven thousand (157,000) dollars, be, and hereby is, appropriated for the purpose hereinafter specified, said sum to be raised by taxation on the polls and estates in the City of Boston, and that all orders hereinafter or heretofore passed by the City Council relating to appropriations, taxes, and the interest thereon, apply to the appropriations and taxes herein provided for.

Sewerage Works..... $157,000

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Ordered, That the sum of one hundred and fifty-seven thousand (157,000) dollars, be, and hereby is, appropriated for the purpose hereinafter specified, said sum to be raised by taxation on the polls and estates in the City of Boston, and that all orders hereinafter or heretofore passed by the City Council relating to appropriations, taxes, and the interest thereon, apply to the appropriations and taxes herein provided for.

Departmental Equipment..... $157,000

Severally referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Finance.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committees named, viz.:

Claims.

Eleanor Esterman, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 61 Capen street, Dorchester.

Highland Hardware Company, Inc., for compensation for damage to truck by city truck.

Hartford Accident & Indemnity Company, for compensation for damage to car caused by vehicle of Paving Division.

Lena McDonough, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 417 Hyde Park avenue.

Theodore Nahabedian, for compensation for damage to car by city truck.

A. E. Ogan, Inc., for compensation for damage to property at 29 and 31 Sleeper street, Boston, caused by clogged sewer.

Proman Manufacturing Company, for compensation for damage to property at 1140 Washington street, Boston, caused by break in water main.

Charles E. Quinn, for compensation for injuries and damage to property at Shawmut avenue and West Dedham street, caused by police cruising car.

Alice G. Reinhalter, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 20 Andover street.

Nicholas Rosato, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Chelsea and Emmons streets.

Helen Siegel, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 1554 Commonwealth avenue.

Socony-Vacuum Oil Company, for compensation for damage to property at Tremont and Ruggles streets, caused by police ambulance.

John F. Spencer, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Sanitary Division, Public Works Department.

Anna Stella, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 37 Chelsea street, East Boston.

Committee on Licenses.

Petition of the Boston American League Baseball Company for license for Sunday sports at Fenway Park, from March 13, 1955, to March 13, 1956.

PETITION FOR ANNUITY.

Petition of Eva B. Blakeley to be paid an annuity on account of the death of her husband, John J. Blakeley, late member of the Fire Department.

Referred to the Committee on Claims.

APPLICATIONS FOR SHELLFISH PERMIT.

Applications for commercial use shellfish permits were received from the following:

Frank A. Johnson, 18 Franklin street, Dorchester, Ward 16.

Louis Ruggiero, 5 Magnolia square, Dorchester, Ward 13.

Severally referred to the Committee on Licenses.

APPROVAL OF STATE HOUSING BOARD.

Notice was received from the State Housing Board of approval of sale of thirty-three parcels of property under section 6 of chapter 372 of the Acts of 1946.

Placed on file.

COMMUNICATION FROM DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES.

A communication was received from the Department of Public Utilities transmitting copy of order granting petition of Boston Edison Company and New England Telephone & Telegraph Company for pole locations in Everett Street Extension, Brighton.

Placed on file.

NOTICE OF HEARING BEFORE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES.

Notice was received from the Department of Public Utilities of hearing to be held February 18, 1955, at 10 A.M., on petition of Boston Edison Company and New England Telephone & Telegraph Company for pole locations on property of Metropolitan District Commission in East Boston.

Placed on file.

CONSTABLES' BONDS.

The constables' bonds of George Courlang, Corless J. Hawkes, and Martin E. Mason, having been duly approved by the Collector-Treasurer, were received and approved.

APPROVAL OF EMERGENCY FINANCE BOARD FOR LOAN FOR CONSTRUCTION OF PUBLIC WAYS, SEWERS, AND DEPARTMENTAL EQUIPMENT.

The following was received:

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts,
Emergency Finance Board
February 8, 1955.

Mr. Walter J. Malloy,
City Clerk.

Dear Sir:

I am enclosing the vote passed by the Emergency Finance Board on February 8, 1955, authorizing the City of Boston to incur indebtedness in accordance with chapter 645 of the Acts of 1946, as amended, to the amount of $4,000,000.

Very truly yours,
HERMAN B. DINE, Secretary.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts,
Emergency Finance Board,
February 8, 1955.

At a meeting of the Emergency Finance Board of the Commonwealth, held on the eighth day of February, 1955, a majority of said Board being present, the following vote was unanimously passed:

Voted, That in accordance with the provisions of section 10 of chapter 44 of the General Laws, as last amended by chapter 56 of the Acts of 1952, approval is hereby given for the City of Boston to authorize indebtedness, within one year from date, for the purpose of Construction of Public Ways, $2,000,000, Construction of Sewers, $1,000,000, Additional Departmental Equipment, $1,000,000, a total amount not exceeding four million dollars ($4,000,000), in excess of its normal limit of indebtedness as prescribed by said section 10.

EMERGENCY FINANCE BOARD,
by EDWARD S. ZELAZO, Chairman,
GEORGE E. LANE,
SALVATORE E. ALOISI,
JOHN F. KENNEDY,
HERMAN B. DINE, Secretary.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Finance.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFIRMATIONS.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN, for the Committee on Confirmations, submitted the following:

Report on appointment by the Mayor (referred February 7) of Paul H. McCarthy as constable with authority to serve civil process upon filing of bond, for term ending April 30, 1955—recommending that appointment be confirmed.

The report was accepted, and the question came on confirmation. Committee, Councillors Ahearn and Hailer. Whole number of ballots 7, yeas 7, and the appointment was confirmed.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CLAIMS.

Coun. McCORMACK, for the Committee on Claims, submitted the following:

1. Report on petition of Patrick J. Doherty, Correction Officer, House of Correction, Penal Institutions Department (referred February 7), for retirement as a veteran—recommending passage of the accompanying order.

Whereas, Patrick J. Doherty, employed in the service of the County of Suffolk as correction officer in the House of Correction, Penal Institutions Department, has made application to be retired under the provisions of section 57 of chapter 32 of the General Laws, as amended; and

Whereas, The said Patrick J. Doherty has submitted to the City Council satisfactory evidence that he is a veteran as defined in section 56 of chapter 32 of the General Laws; that he has been certified for retirement for disability by the duly authorized medical board; that he has been in the service of the county at least ten years; that he is incapacitated for active service; and that his total income from all sources, exclusive of his retirement allowance and of any sum received from the government of the United States as a pension for war service, does not exceed one thousand dollars;

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 57 of chapter 32 of the General Laws, as amended, Patrick J. Doherty, employed in the service of the County of Suffolk as correction officer in the House of Correction, Penal Institutions Department, be, and hereby is, retired by the Mayor and City Council, acting as county commissioners, at an annual pension of two thousand seven hundred and ninety dollars and sixty-five cents, being 65 per cent of his highest regular rate of compensation.

2. Report on petition of John J. Meads (referred January 31) to be reimbursed as a result of an execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Street Cleaning Division, Public Works Department — recommending passage of the accompanying order.

Ordered, That the sum of one hundred thirty-five dollars ($135) be allowed and paid to John J. Meads in reimbursement for amount of execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Street Cleaning Division, Public Works Department, said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

3. Report on petition of Leonard F. McCormick (referred January 31) to be reimbursed as a result of an execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Paving Division, Public Works Department — recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That the sum of one thousand eighty-five dollars and sixty-five cents ($1,085.65) be allowed and paid to Leonard F. McCormick in reimbursement for amount of execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Paving Division, Public Works Department, said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

4. Report on petition of Thomas J. Hoar (referred February 7) to be reimbursed as a result of an execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Sanitary Division, Public Works Department — recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That the sum of three hundred ten dollars and forty-seven cents ($310.47) be allowed and paid to Thomas J. Hoar in reimbursement for amount of execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Sanitary Division, Public Works Department, said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

The reports were accepted, and the orders were severally passed.

SURVEY OF LIGHTING CONDITIONS ON DORR STREET, ROXBURY.

Coun. AHEARN offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be requested to direct the Public Works Department to survey the lighting conditions on Dorr street, Roxbury, and to install electric lights to replace the gas lights.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

RECONSTRUCTION OF THE CARL HENRY ALSEN PLAYGROUND.

Coun. AHEARN offered the following:

Whereas, The Carl Henry Alsen Playground in Dorchester formerly served a good and useful purpose; and

Whereas, The housing project formerly occupying the area has now been removed, and

Whereas, The Lieut. Henry J. Dixon Post No. 2235, originally a sponsor of said playground and now interested in the reconstruction and rehabilitation of said playground, is requesting that said playground be rebuilt; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor include in his capital improvement program the reconstruction and rehabilitation of the Carl Henry Alsen Playground in Dorchester.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

PUBLIC RELATIONS PROGRAM OF A.C.T.I.O.N. IN BOSTON.

Coun. AHEARN offered the following:

Whereas, The American Committee to Improve Our Neighborhoods, through a duly authorized representative at a recent Boston College Seminar on Municipal Government, made known that A.C.T.I.O.N is about to embark on a large-scale thoroughly integrated program of public relations, publicity, and information concerning the decadent nature of certain neighborhoods and the need for the rehabilitation and reconstruction of said neighborhoods; and

Whereas, A.C.T.I.O.N.'s facilities for said public relations program will be made available to cities upon request; and

Whereas, The City of Boston is currently embarked on a great rehabilitation and reconstruction program through urban redevelopment and other means; and

Whereas, Many people in our city are aware of the need for such a program in a general way but should be given more information and should be encouraged to support the various programs with positive action; now therefore be it

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor is hereby requested to formally petition A.C.T.I.O.N. to undertake its program of public relations, publicity, information, etc., in Boston at the earliest possible time, in order to help expedite our own programs for the rehabilitation and reconstruction of Boston.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

RECONSIDERATION OF RENT INCREASES.

Coun. AHEARN and McCORMACK offered the following:

Whereas, At a public hearing last week on the question of rent raises in Chapter 372 housing it was indicated by some members of the public and at least one member of the Boston Housing Authority that, if an increase in rents were inevitable, the increase on a sliding-scale basis related to accommodations supplied and ability to pay would be acceptable; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor request the Boston Housing Authority, if a rent raise is inevitable, to reconsider the theory of any rent raise and adopt the principle that rent charged should be directly related to accommodations supplied and ability to pay.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

NIGHTTIME PARKING OF AUTOMOBILES IN RESIDENTIAL AREAS.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be requested to advise the City Council as to any present or future plans which would permit of parking of automobiles on the streets of residential areas during nighttime hours by the payment of a fee.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

SURVEY OF TRAFFIC CONDITIONS AT CHARLES STREET ROTARY CIRCLE.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN offered the following:

Ordered, That the Traffic Commission be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to conduct a survey of the automotive and pedestrian traffic conditions at the Charles Street rotary circle, and all the approaches thereto, with a view toward the improvement of the general safety at this location.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

RESURFACING OAKLAND STREET, BRIGHTON.

Coun. McCORMACK and AHEARN offered the following:

Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works consider the advisability of resurfacing Oakland street in the Brighton section of the City of Boston.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

TRAFFIC LIGHTS AT WASHINGTON, WINSHIP, WIRT, HENSHAW, AND CAMBRIDGE STREETS, BRIGHTON.

Coun. McCORMACK and AHEARN offered the following:

Ordered, That the Traffic Commission consider the advisability of installing traffic lights at the intersection of Washington, Winship, Wirt, Henshaw, and Cambridge streets in the Brighton section of the City of Boston.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

BOND REFINANCING UNDER CHAPTER 372 HOUSING.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor consider the advisability of refinancing the bonds outstanding for payment of the expense of erecting public housing under chapter 372 of the Acts of 1946 to extend over a period of 40 to 60 years.

Referred to the Committee on Public Housing.

CONGRATULATIONS TO SUPPORTERS OF LITTLE LEAGUE MOVEMENT IN BOSTON.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Whereas, The cooperation between the Little League movement in Boston and the Boston Park Department has improved in the brief span of a few years to the point where it has become a model for cooperation between the city and private groups and such cooperation enhances many times the effectiveness of the work of both the city and the private groups willing to take an interest in the needs of our city; be it therefore

Resolved, That the Boston City Council hereby extends its congratulations to the Boston Park Department on its splendid performance in this field; and be it further

Resolved, That the Boston City Council extends as well its congratulations and thanks to the many private citizens who have given of their time and money in support of the Little League movement in Boston, and assures them of its continued interest and support.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

URGING USE OF M.T.A. FACILITIES.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be requested to solicit the interest and cooperation of the Boston Retail Trade Board, the Boston Real Estate Board, and the Greater Boston Chamber of Commerce in a drive to bring to the attention of those whose living is dependent on business and professional locations and quarters in downtown Boston the fact that the area is in grave danger of economic strangulation by reason of

excessive downtown traffic, that a drive be initiated to persuade these people to use the M. T. A. facilities as extensively as possible, that posters and suitable automobile decals and slogans be developed empbasizing "When You Use the M. T. A. You Protect Your Job."

Passed under suspension of the rules.

REPORT OF RECOUPMENT OF HURRICANE LOSSES OF NEW ENGLAND TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH COMPANY.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Whereas, The Department of Public Utilities of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts has approved a telephone rate increase to enable the New England Telephone & Telegraph Company to recoup the losses incurred as a result of hurricanes "Carol" and "Edna"; and

Whereas, Said increases are granted only for this recoupment and not intended as a permanent rate increase; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Auditor of the Commonwealth and/or the Department of Public Utilities be requested to secure from the New England Telephone & Telegraph Company a semiannual report on the status of said recoupment and to recommend rescission of the increased rates when the hurricane losses are recovered.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

RECREATIONAL PROGRAMS IN REHABILITATION AREAS.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That the various Area Rehabilitation Committees be requested to consult with the Chairman of the Board of Parks and Recreation and the Director of Recreation on the question of the recreational program in the areas;

Ordered, That this policy of consultations be on an experimental basis and that a determination of the apparent value of continuing the program be made after consultation with a small but representative group of these committees.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

SPOT CHECK OF POLICE LISTINGS IN WARDS 6 AND 7.

Coun. FOLEY, HAILER, KERRIGAN, and McCORMACK offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be requested to request the Police Commissioner to recheck on an intensive spot basis the results of the Police Listings in Boston and particularly the results in the following wards: Ward 6 and Ward 7.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

INFORMATION ON PATCH PAVING CONTRACTS AND SOUTH END INCINERATOR.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Ordered, The Boston City Council notes with regret the failure to answer certain extremely important questionnaires, properly filed, and now overdue, namely (1) the inquiries concerning the making of patch paving contracts filed May, 1954, and (2) the inquiries concerning the long delay on the part of the administration in the construction of the South End incinerator.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

DATES FOR UNITED FUND RAISING DRIVES.

Coun. HAILER offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be requested to call together civic, business, and fund drive leaders for the purpose of setting up two dates a year to have united fund raising drives.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

RECESS.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Ordered, that the Council go into Executive Session for the purpose of taking action on the resolution favoring legislation for establisbment of off-street parking facilities in Boston and any other matters now pending before the Executive Committee.

The order was passed, and the Council took a recess subject to the call of the Chair. The members reassembled in the Council Chamber and were called to order by President HURLEY at 4.45 P.M.

COMMENDATIONS TO THE BOSTON "HERALD."

Upon receiving unanimous consent to make a statement, Councillor Ahearn commended the Boston "Herald" on an article which appeared in the Boston "Herald" of February 13, 1955, which dealt with the basic fundamental facts on municipal government, written by Mr. Ansom Smith.

REPORT ON URBAN REDEVELOPMENT.

Mr. Kane Simonian of the Urban Redevelopment Division of the Boston Housing Authority submitted a written report to the Executive Committee today on the status of the West End Redevelopment Project, as follows:

STATUS OF THE WEST END PROJECT.

I. The Redevelopment Plan, 90 per cent completed.

Heart of the project — describes boundaries, streets, utilities, designates land re-use, specifies restrictions and contains the controls, such as densities, types, setbacks, parking, landscaping, heights, etc.

II. Site Preparation Plans, 85 per cent completed.

(1) streets —
New streets have been laid out, grades established, engineering profiles developed and cost estimates prepared.

(2) water system changes
expected to be completed within a month.

(3) sewer system changes
expected to be completed within a month.

III. Demolition and rough grading cost estimates have been completed.

IV. Acquisition appraisals have been completed.

V. Appraisal of re-use value of the cleared land for resale is 90 per cent completed.

VI. Relocation plan is 80 per cent completed.

VII. Land acquisition plan and cost estimates is 80 per cent completed.

VIII. Property management plan and cost estimates, 80 per cent completed.

IX. Land disposition plan, 50 per cent completed.

It is expected that the final plans and project cost estimates will be completed by April 1, 1955, for submittal to the Federal Government for review and approval. From April to August, it is expected that the Authority will be conferring and collaborating with the Federal Government on changes and revisions recommended by the Federal Government or preparing whatever additional documentation will be requested by the Federal agency.

The report was accepted and placed on file.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. WHITE, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following:

1. Report on order (referred December 6, 1954) to enlarge the study of the Urban Redevelopment West End Area Project — recommending that order ought to pass.

2. Report on two orders (referred January 31) for cancellation and retirement of Traffic Tunnel Bonds — recommending that the orders ought to pass.

The reports were accepted, and the three orders were severally passed.

3. Report on message of the Mayor and resolution (referred February 7) re legislation providing restoration of certain retired veterans to active duty in service of City of Boston — recommending that resolution be adopted.

4. Report on message of the Mayor and resolution (referred February 7) re legislation providing further establishment of off-street parking facilities — recommending that resolution be adopted.

The reports were accepted, and the resolutions were severally adopted.

5. Report on message of the Mayor (referred January 31) vetoing two orders for change in grade of Correction Officers and Jail Officers under the County Classification and Compensation Plan—recommending passage of the following order:

Ordered, That the Corporation Counsel advise the Boston City Council, in writing, as to the powers of the members of the Council, acting as County Commissioners, to override the veto of his Honor the Mayor in relation to pay raises for County of Suffolk employees under the County Classification and Compensation plan.

The report was accepted and the order was passed.

THE NEXT MEETING.

On motion of Councillor Ahearn the Council voted that when it adjourn it be to meet on Monday, February 28, 1955, at 2 P.M.

The Chair announced that should any matter considered urgent by any Councillor arise, he would call a special meeting.

TEMPORARY APPOINTMENTS IN CLERK OF COMMITTEES DEPARTMENT.

Coun. HURLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That effective February 23, 1955, the following persons be, and they hereby are, appointed in the service of the Clerk of Committees Department to the positions set against their respective names until the fourth Wednesday of March, 1955, at the salaries in effect for them on February 22, 1955:

Francis R. Burke, temporary clerk.
Peter J. Cloherty, temporary clerk.
Paul G. O'Hara, temporary clerk.
Agnes G. Dinsmore, temporary clerk-receptionist.
Nicholas DiMella, temporary stenographer-clerk.
Katherine E. Dunn, temporary stenographer-clerk.
Mary E. Flynn, temporary stenographer-clerk.
Catherine Monohan, temporary stenographer-clerk.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

INTERCOMMUNICATION SYSTEM BETWEEN ARTERIAL HIGHWAY APPROACHES AND OFF-STREET PARKING FACILITIES.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That in connection with the extensive off-street parking program on which the city and the arterial highway construction is engaged, an intercommunication system be devised among all such facilities so that large signs be installed on the arterial highway approaches indicating those off-street parking garages which are full and those which are partially empty at that time so that the motorist may drive directly to a garage with the capacity to accommodate his automobile, and that his Honor the Mayor be requested to direct an appropriate and responsible city agency to consider this suggestion and report on its feasibility to the City Council.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

Adjourned at 5.03 P.M., on motion of Councillor Piemonte, to meet on Monday, February 28, 1955, at 2 P.M.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

(Stenographic copy of such debate on file in office of City Clerk.)

MILDRED AVENUE, DORCHESTER, EXTENDED.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of an extension of Mildred avenue, Dorchester district, approximately 150 feet northwesterly to Norfolk street, bounded and described as follows:

An extension of the highway named Mildred avenue is hereby laid out approximately 150 feet northwest to Norfolk street, and ordered constructed.

For the making of the aforesaid improvement an easement for street purposes is hereby taken in the following described land, exclusive of trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed thereto.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Mark J. and Alice Connolly, bounded:

Southeasterly by the northwesterly line of Mildred avenue as it existed prior to this order, 23.39 feet; westerly by the westerly line of Mildred avenue as extended under this order, 32.44 feet on a curve of 21.95 feet radius; southwesterly by the southwesterly line of Mildred avenue as extended under this order, 68.49 feet; and northeasterly by land hereinafter described as taken from the City of Boston, 88.24 feet, containing 232 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to the City of Boston (George H. Walker Playground), Parks and Recreation Department assenting, bounded:

Northwesterly by Norfolk street, 39.71 feet; easterly by the easterly line of Mildred avenue as extended under this order, 23.84 feet on a curve of 24.62 feet radius; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Mildred avenue as extended under this order, by two measurements, 40.61 feet and 84.23 feet; easterly by the

easterly line of Mildred avenue as extended under this order, 44.51 feet on a curve of 39.18 feet radius; and southwesterly by the northeasterly line of Mildred avenue as it existed prior to this order, by land hereinbefore described as taken from Connolly *et al.*, and by the southwesterly line of Mildred avenue as extended under this order, by three measurements, 30.75 feet, 88.21 feet, and 69.01 feet, containing 4,901 square feet, more or less.

Trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforedescribed land shall be removed therefrom within thirty (30) days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Said Mildred avenue as hereby extended is bounded:

Southwesterly by the northeasterly line of Mildred avenue as it existed prior to this order, 30.75 feet; southeasterly by the northwesterly line of Mildred avenue as it existed prior to this order, 23.39 feet; westerly by the westerly line of Mildred avenue as hereby extended, 32.44 feet on a curve of 21.95 feet radius; southwesterly by the southwesterly line of Mildred avenue as hereby extended, by two measurements, 68.49 feet and 69.01 feet; northwesterly by Norfolk street, 39.71 feet; easterly by the easterly line of Mildred avenue as hereby extended, 23.84 feet on a curve of 24.62 feet radius; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Mildred avenue as hereby extended, by two measurements, 40.61 feet and 84.23 feet; and easterly by the easterly line of Mildred avenue as hereby extended, 44.51 feet on a curve of 39.18 feet radius.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the abutting parcels of land situated on the southeasterly side of Mildred avenue (public), designated as Parcels 1, 2, and 3 on the plan hereinafter mentioned, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement herein ordered; each of said parcels in the amount hereinafter respectively set against it; said parcels and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Mildred Avenue, Dorchester, Assessment Plan, February 15, 1955, James W. Haley, Chief Engineer, Survey Division, Public Works Department," and on file in the office of this department.

Parcel.		Amount.
1.	D. R. Campbell Machine Company	$1,000
2.	Thompson Wire Company	2,000
3.	James Gentles, Inc.	1,000
	Total	$4,000

Voted That this commission determines that the undermentioned persons sustain damages in their estates by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the extension of Mildred avenue to Norfolk street, Dorchester district, as a highway, under the order of this commission of February 16, 1955, in the amounts hereinafter respectively set against it, and awards said amounts therefor.

Mark J. and Alice Connolly, 232 square feet, $1.

City of Boston (George H. Walker Playground), 4,901 square feet, nothing.

SEWERAGE WORKS IN WEST ROXBURY.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that sewerage works be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings, or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings, or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within thirty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly West Roxbury and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Banks street, bounded:

Southeasterly by Brook Farm road, 49.59 feet; southwesterly by the southwesterly line of Banks street, 135.81 feet; northwesterly by another part of the private way known as Banks street, 40 feet; and northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Banks street, 106.50 feet; containing 4,846 square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: 125 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sewer and surface drain at an estimated cost of $1,000.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the abutting parcels of land situated on the southwesterly side of Banks street, for a distance of approximately 200 feet northwesterly from Brook Farm road, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement herein ordered; each of said parcels in the amount hereinafter respectively set against it; said parcels and the supposed owners thereof being shown on the aforesaid plan and on file in the office of this department.

Parcel.		Amount.
1.	Pasquale and Angelina Pacitti	$375 00
2.	Evelyn P. Piemonte	375 00
	Total	$750 00

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of an easement for sewerage purposes and the construction of sewerage works in Banks street, West Roxbury district, under the order of the commission of February 16, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

Owners unknown, 4,846 square feet, nothing.

LAND TAKING IN DORCHESTER.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS,
BOSTON, February 7, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

In accordance with the provisions of chapter 351 of the Acts of 1929, I have decided, subject to the approval of your Honor, to request the Public Improvement Commission to take, for the purpose of making yard areas of the proposed elementary school in the William E. Russell District, Dorchester, more accessible from streets, and to straighten the extreme irregularity of property lines as they now exist, the following parcels of land:

1. A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Boston College High School, bounded: Southerly by land supposed to belong to Boston College High School, 200 feet, more or less; northerly by land supposed to belong to the School Committee of the City of Boston, by five measurements, 19 feet, 50.21 feet, 29.19 feet, 56.11 feet, and 60 feet; containing 3,416 square feet. Be all measurements more or less.

2. A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Boston College High School, bounded: Southerly by land supposed to belong to Boston College High School, 24 feet; easterly by the same, 9 feet; northerly by land supposed to belong to the School Committee of the City of Boston, 24.60 feet; containing 69 square feet. Be all measurements more or less.

3. A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Boston College High School, bounded: Easterly by land supposed to belong to Boston College High School, 215 feet; westerly by land supposed to belong to the School Committee of the City of Boston, by seven measurements, 27.51 feet, 20.40 feet, 40.31 feet, 52.77 feet, 16.03 feet, 38.95 feet, and 43.83 feet; containing 4,600 square feet. Be all measurements more or less.

4. A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Boston College High School, bounded: Easterly by land supposed to belong to Boston College High School, 100 feet; westerly by land supposed to belong to the School Committee of the City of Boston, by five measurements, 29.07 feet, 17.03 feet, 15.81 feet, 17.72 feet, and 35.23 feet; containing 884 square feet. Be all measurements more or less.

The Superintendent of Public Schools has approved of the taking of these parcels of land, and I respectfully request your approval of said taking by eminent domain.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES H. MOONEY,
Superintendent of Construction.

MOTHER JULIA ROAD, DORCHESTER, TO BECOME HIGHWAY.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the widening and construction of Mother Julia road, Dorchester district, as a public highway, on the southerly side, from Dorchester avenue approximately 225 feet westerly, bounded and described as follows:

The highway named Mother Julia road is hereby widened, from Dorchester avenue approximately 225 feet westerly, and ordered constructed.

For the making of the aforesaid improvement an easement for street purposes is hereby taken in the following described land, exclusive of trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed thereto:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, bounded:

Easterly by Dorchester avenue, 1 foot; southerly by land hereinafter described as taken from the Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston, 223.01 feet; westerly

by the westerly line of Mother Julia road, as widened under this order, 1 foot; and northerly by the southerly line of Mother Julia road, as laid out under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of October 31, 1951, 222.99 feet, containing 223 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to the Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston, bounded:

Easterly by Dorchester avenue, 1.50 feet; southerly by the southerly line of Mother Julia road, as widened under this order, 223.04 feet; westerly by the westerly line of Mother Julia road, as widened under this order, 1.50 feet; and northerly by land hereinbefore described as taken from owners unknown, 223.01 feet, containing 335 square feet, more or less.

Trees, shrubs or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforedescribed land, shall be removed therefrom within thirty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

The widening of Mother Julia road, as hereby ordered, is bounded:

Easterly by Dorchester avenue, 2.50 feet; southerly by the southerly line of Mother Julia road, as hereby widened, 223.08 feet; westerly by the westerly line of Mother Julia road, as hereby widened, 2.50 feet; and northerly by the southerly line of Mother Julia road, as laid out under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of October 31, 1951, 222.99 feet, containing 558 square feet, more or less.

No betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Voted, That this Commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the widening and construction of Mother Julia road, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Dorchester avenue westerly for a distance of approximately 225 feet, under the order of the Commission of December 15, 1954, and awards no damages therefor.

Owners unknown, 223 square feet, nothing.

Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston, 335 square feet, nothing.

ASSESSED VALUATIONS CONTINUE TO RISE.

A survey of 43 assessing jurisdictions over 100,000 population, recently completed by the National Association of Assessing Officers, discloses that the latest totals of assessed valuations average 4.3 per cent higher than those for last year. Last year's survey of 46 jurisdictions showed an increase for the preceding period of 6.35 per cent. Duval County (Jacksonville), Florida, reported a 19.7 per cent increase, the highest of any jurisdiction. Other jurisdictions reporting high percentage increases in valuations were Dade County (Miami), Florida, 13.3 per cent; Providence, Rhode Island, 10.5 per cent; King County (Seattle), 10.4 per cent; Grand Rapids, Michigan, 9.3 per cent; Richmond, Virginia, 8.8 per cent; Los Angeles County, 8.5 per cent; Minneapolis and San Antonio, 6.9 per cent; and Erie, Pennsylvania, 6.7 per cent.

CITY OF BOSTON AND COUNTY OF SUFFOLK.

STATISTICAL FACTS FOR THE YEAR 1954

Date of incorporation	February 23, 1822
Date of adoption of City Charter (amended January 7, 1925)	1909
Form of Government	Mayor and City Council
Area (square miles)	47.81
Population — Federal Census (August 1, 1950)	801,444
Number of employees as of February 1, 1954	22,806
Boston Housing Authority:	
Federal Program (7,920 apartments housing 7,920 families)	
Number of apartments in veterans' permanent 1- and 2-family homes housing 1,306 families	
State-Aided Developments (containing 3,177 apartments housing 3,177 families)	
Building Department:	
Permits issued	17,515
Estimated cost	$35,771,706
Cemeteries: Number 19—Area (acres)	161.71
Election Department:	
Registered voters	383,864
Number of ballots cast last general election	169,493
Percentage of registered voters voting	44.15
Fire Department:	
Number of stations	51
Number of fireboats	2
Alarms responded to	15,150
Health Department: Health Units	10
Hospitals (Including Boston Sanatorium):	
City Hospital:	
Number of buildings	57
Bed capacity	2,460
Patients, daily average:	
Wards	1,798
Out-patient	891
Long Island Hospital:	
Number of buildings	27
Population	952
Library Department:	
Number of libraries	37
Number of employees (full time)	640
Number of volumes	2,011,358
Circulation	3,162,338
Markets, number of	2
Municipal buildings, number of	27
Park Department: Parks, number of acres	2,240.29
Area of playgrounds and play areas (acres)	807.12
Number of playgrounds and play areas	121
Number of municipal golf links	2
Number of municipal beaches	3
Public grounds and squares (acres)	57.41
Swimming pools (indoor) 2, (outdoor) 2	4
Number of recreation centers and indoor bathhouses	15
Police Department:	
Number of stations and headquarters	18
Arrests	93,294
Public Works Department:	
Bridges, number of	101
Miles of accepted streets and alleys	731
Sewers: Miles of sewers	1,302.75
Catch basins	23,972
Average number of gallons pumped daily at main pumping station	112,980,821
Sumner Traffic Tunnel: Length (feet)	5,654
Two-lane drive: Vehicles passing through — 1953	10,835,674
Water Service:	
Number of meters in service	95,653
Per capita daily average consumption (gallons)	139
Miles of mains: Ordinary	999,136
High pressure	18.72
Rapid Transit: Miles of subways and tunnels	16.81
Schools:	
Number of school buildings	224
Number of teachers	3,655
Average membership	94,774
Average daily attendance:	
Elementary and junior high schools	54,546
High schools	16,201
Kindergartens	8,151
Special schools	1,800

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT COMMISSION.

IN PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT COMMISSION, CITY OF BOSTON, FEBRUARY 23, 1955.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Commission is of the opinion that public necessity requires the taking of approximately 6,428 square feet of land for school purposes at the southwesterly corner of Auburn street and Oakburn avenue, Roxbury district, supposed to belong to Gardner T. Brooks; substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Commission, that it intends to pass an order for making said taking, and that it appoints 10 o'clock A.M. of March 16, 1955, and the office of this Commission, 401 City Hall Annex, as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

GEORGE G. HYLAND, *Chairman*,
HERMAN CARP,
WM. ARTHUR REILLY,
Public Improvement Commission.

A true copy of an order passed by said Commission on said day.

Attest:

MICHAEL J. CORRAO,
Secretary.

(Mar. 5.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

BRIDGE FENDER GUARD REPAIRS.

Proposals for Repairing Fender Piers, Warren Bridge.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for repairing fender piers, Warren Bridge. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Repairing Fender Piers, Warren Bridge," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of WEDNESDAY, MARCH 16, 1955, with a certified check for FIVE HUNDRED (500) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2) for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Mar. 5.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

Angelina Fiore, 286 Lexington street, East Boston, in the sum of $100, as compensation for personal injuries received while a passenger in her husband's automobile which struck a hole in the highway in front of 290 Lexington street, March 27, 1954.

Celia K. Fredberg, 471 Beacon street, Boston, in the sum of $367, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a raised portion of the sidewalk in front of 416 Marlborough street, October 3, 1954.

Salvatore Dimino, 79 Webster street, East Boston, in the sum of $300, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the Summer Street Bridge, January 1, 1954.

Anthony Rosato, father of Nicholas Rosato, a minor, 10 Emmons street, East Boston, in the sum of $450, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk on Chelsea street, near corner of Emmons street, October 31, 1953.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

EXCAVATION WORK—WATER DIVISION.

Proposals for Earth Excavation and Refilling to Assist the Water Division Employees to Install, Regulate, or Repair Water Division Structures and Other Incidental Work in West Roxbury (Water Division) District.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for earth excavation and refilling to assist the Water Division employees to install, regulate, or repair Water Division structures and other incidental work in West Roxbury (Water Division) district. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Earth Excavation and Refilling to Assist the Water Division Employees to Install, Regulate or Repair Water Division Structures and Other Incidental Work in West Roxbury (Water Division) District," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of WEDNESDAY, MARCH 16, 1955, with a certified check for TWENTY-EIGHT HUNDRED (2,800) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2) for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Mar. 5.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

EXCAVATION WORK—WATER DIVISION.

Proposals for Earth Excavation and Refilling to Assist the Water Division Employees to Install, Regulate, or Repair Water Division Structures and Other Incidental Work in City Proper (Water Division) District.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for earth excavation and refilling to assist the Water Division employees to install, regulate, or repair Water Division structures and other incidental work in City Proper (Water Division) district. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Earth Excavation and Refilling to Assist the Water Division Employees to Install, Regulate, or Repair Water Division Structures and Other Incidental Work in City Proper (Water Division) District," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of WEDNESDAY, MARCH 16, 1955, with a certified check for TWENTY-ONE HUNDRED (2,100) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2) for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Mar. 5.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

Harry Shuman, 139 Intervale street, Roxbury, in the sum of $395, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a raised portion of the sidewalk on Columbia road, at Hamilton street, October 1, 1954.

Louise Dyer, 51 Faxon road, North Quincy, in the sum of $475, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk on Hawley street, near Colestone's Restaurant, November 6, 1954.

Marguerite L. Leonard, 50 Lochstead avenue, Jamaica Plain, in the sum of $77.44, as compensation for damage to automobile caused by a hole in the roadway on the Summer Street Bridge, July 5, 1954.

Vincent Fiore, 286 Lexington street, East Boston, in the sum of $48.75, as compensation for damage to automobile caused by a hole in the highway opposite 290 Lexington street, March 27, 1954.

Nicholas Plescia, 16 Henchman street, father of Richard Plescia, a minor, in the sum of $425, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 31 Union street, August, 1954.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

HIGHWAY RECONSTRUCTION WORK.

Proposals for Sheet Asphalt Pavement in Falmouth Street, Ward 4, from Dalton Street to Approximately 75 Feet North of Massachusetts Avenue; Norway Street, Ward 4, from Falmouth Street to Massachusetts Avenue; and St. Paul Street, Ward 4, from Norway Street to Falmouth Street.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sheet asphalt pavement in Falmouth street, Ward 4, etc. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sheet Asphalt Pavement in Falmouth Street, Ward 4, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of FRIDAY, MARCH 18, 1955, with a certified check for ONE THOUSAND (1,000) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2) for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Mar. 5.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT COMMISSION.

IN PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT COMMISSION, CITY OF BOSTON, FEBRUARY 23, 1955.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Commission is of the opinion that public necessity requires the taking of approximately 8,969 square feet of land for school purposes on Mt. Vernon street, Dorchester district, supposed to belong to Boston College High School: substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Commission, that it intends to pass an order for making said taking, and that it appoints 10 o'clock A.M. of March 16, 1955, and the office of this Commission, 401 City Hall Annex, as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

GEORGE G. HYLAND, *Chairman*,
HERMAN CARP,
WM. ARTHUR REILLY,
Public Improvement Commission.

A true copy of an order passed by said Commission on said day.

Attest:

MICHAEL J. CORRAO,
(Mar. 5.) *Secretary.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

REAL PROPERTY BOARD. PROPERTY DIVISION.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

MARCH 8, 1955, ON THE PREMISES.

	Upset Price.	Deposit.
9.30 A.M. –Vacant land, 9-10 Sherman Square, Charlestown, 1,926 square feet	$400	$400
9.40 A.M. –Vacant land, 5-7-9-11 Perkins Street, Charlestown, 2,695 square feet	700	500
9.50 A.M. –Vacant land, 80, 82, 84, 86, 88, 90 Main Street, Charlestown, 6,500 square feet	1,000	500
10.05 A.M. –Vacant land, 36–40 Fay Street, Boston, 1,774 square feet	300	300
10.15 A.M. –Two 3-story frame buildings, occupied, 5–7 Athens Street, South Boston, 2,189 square feet	1,000	500
10.30 A.M. –Vacant land, formerly 843–845 Summer Street, West side, South Boston, 1,520 square feet	500	500
10.45 A.M. –Vacant land, Walnut Avenue, Southeasterly side, corner Walnut Court, Roxbury, 5,231 square feet	500	500
11.00 A.M. –Vacant land, Itasca Street, Lots 22–23 and Currier Street, Lot 24, corner Itasca and Currier Streets, Mattapan, 10,200 square feet	300	300
11.15 A.M. –Vacant land, Gordon Avenue, Lot 32, adjacent 54 Gordon Avenue, Hyde Park, 5,370 square feet	200	200
11.30 A.M. –Vacant land, DeSoto Road, Lots 133, 134, 135 and Edgemere Road, Lots 75, 76, 77, adjacent to 63 DeSoto Road, thru to Edgemere Road, West Roxbury, 12,600 square feet	600	500
11.45 A.M. –Vacant land, Oak Road, Lot 51, Northwesterly side, West Roxbury, 1,078 square feet	100	100
12.00 NOON–Vacant land, Walnut Street, Lot B, adjaccot 51 Walnut Street, West Roxbury, 10,400 square feet	400	400
12.15 P.M. –Vacant land, Veterans of Foreigo Wars Parkway, West side, opposite 1150 Veterans of Foreign Wars Parkway, West Roxbury, 16,361 square feet	700	500
12.30 P.M. –Vacant land, 47 Hillock Street (formerly Brook Street), West Roxbury, 6,000 square feet	250	250
12.45 P.M. –Vacant land, Gardner Street, Southerly side, adjacent 47 Gardner Street, Brighton, 19,098 square feet	4,500	500

The Chairman reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

For further information call LA 3-5100, line 236.

HERMAN CARP, *Chairman.* JOHN J. McGRATH, *Auctioneer.*
(March 5.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR LAUNDRY WORK.

The Fire Commissioner of the City of Boston invites proposals for the laundering of the linen of the Boston Fire Department, consisting of sheets, pillow slips, towels, bedspreads, etc., commonly known as "flat work," and red, gray, and blue blankets, both single and double, for the period April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, inclusive. The linen, blankets, etc., to be called for and delivered one day each week at the various fire stations of the Boston Fire Department. Samples of the linen, etc., may be seen at Fire Department Headquarters, 115 Southampton street, Boston. The amount of work to be done is approximately as follows: four thousand (4,000) sheets per month; four thousand (4,000) pillow slips per month; two thousand (2,000) towels per month; one hundred (100) bedspreads per month; blankets, red, gray, and blue, one thousand (1,000) annually. Proposals must be submitted on a price per piece basis only. Proposals submitted on any other basis will not be considered. Proposal forms may be obtained at the office of the Fire Commissioner on or after 9 A.M., Monday, March 7, 1955. Proposals will be received at the office of the Fire Commissioner, 115 Southampton street, Boston, until 12 M., March 11, 1955, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be sealed and marked "Proposal for Laundry Work," and must be made in duplicate, one to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time stated for the opening of the bids, the other, containing a certified check for two hundred (200) dollars, made payable to the City of Boston, to be deposited at the office of the Fire Commissioner, said check to be the property of the city if the accepted proposal is not carried out. A bond of an approved surety company doing business in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts will be required for the faithful performance of the contract by the successful bidder in the sum of 40 per cent of the estimated total amount of the contract for the entire term. The Fire Commissioner reserves the right to reject any and all proposals and to award the contract as he deems best.

FRANCIS X. COTTER,
(Mar. 5.) *Fire Commissioner.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR CLEANING WINDOWS.

Sealed proposals for the cleaning of windows during the period from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, at the Fire Department Headquarters and Maintenance Building, at 115 Southampton street, all as specified in the specifications, will be received at the office of the Awarding Authority, 115 Southampton street, Boston, until 12 o'clock M., March 14, 1955, and at that time will be publicly opened and read aloud. Forms of proposals and specifications may be obtained at the aforesaid office on and after 12 o'clock M., March 7, 1955. Bids must be accompanied by a certified check in the sum of fifty dollars ($50), made payable to and to be the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. Proposals must be placed in an envelope, sealed, the envelope to be marked "Proposal for the Cleaning of Windows During the Period April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, at the Fire Department Headquarters and Maintenance Building at 115 Southampton Street." The bids must be in duplicate, the one with check to be left as stated above, the other, without check, to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, previous to the time named for opening of bids. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under the contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. A surety bond in an amount equal to 100 per cent of the contract price will be required of the successful bidder. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

FRANCIS X. COTTER,
(Mar. 5.) *Fire Commissioner.*

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CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Invitation for Proposals for Collecting and Removing Garbage and Refuse in South Boston, East Boston, Brighton, West Roxbury, Dorchester North, Dorchester South, Elm Hill, Dudley, Mission Hill, Roxbury, South End, Back Bay, and Stuart Districts.

The City of Boston, acting through its Commissioner of Public Works (hereinafter called the Commissioner), bereby invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or otber legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one balf thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for collecting and removing garbage and refuse in South Boston, East Boston, Brighton, West Roxbury, Dorchester North, Dorchester South, Elm Hill, Dudley, Mission Hill, Roxbury, South End, Back Bay, and Stuart districts. Proposal forms, together with the form of contract, may be had daily, between 9 A.M. and 5 P.M., at the Commissioner's office, 506 City Hall Annex (Contract Office), Boston.

Proposals shall be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained as aforesaid. A proposal may be submitted for a one (1) year period on any or all districts except tbat, if a proposal is submitted for a tbree (3) year period in the East Boston district and/or the West Roxbury district, the bidder sball also inelude a bid for a one (1) year period for the same district. Eacb copy of the proposal sball he properly filled out, signed, enclosed in an envelope, sealed and marked "Proposal for Collecting and Removing Garbage and Refuse, etc." One copy of the proposal accompanied by a bid deposit in the form of a certified check for FIVE THOUSAND (5,000) DOLLARS FOR EACH DISTRICT BID, payable to and to become the property of tbe City of Boston if, after acceptance, tbe proposal is not carried out, sball be filed witb the Commissioner at his said office on or before 2 P.M., Wednesday, March 9, 1955, at which time all proposals will be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex. The other copy of the proposal, without a bid deposit, shall be filed by the bidder before said day and hour at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, School street, Boston. No proposal sball be withdrawn after the time hereinbefore set for the opening of proposals. There will be a minimum charge of two dollars ($2) for each set of proposal forms.

The Commissioner reserves the right to reject any and all proposals.

The successful bidder wlll he requlred (*a*) to furnish a faithful performance bond, executed by a surety company authorized to do business in tbe Commonwealtb of Massachusetts, in the sum of one hundred per cent (100%) of the amount of the contract for a one-year term or thirty-three per cent (38%) of the amount of the contract for a three-year term, and (*b*) to maintain in a company authorized to do business in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and keep on file wlth the city policies, binders or certificates evidencing the maintenance of, Workmen's Compensation insurance.

In each proposal the bidder will list the location and ownership of the dumps he proposes to use, and furnish satisfactory proof to the Commissioner as to his legal right to use them.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.
(Feb. 26-Mar. 5.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

SIDEWALK CONSTRUCTION.

Proposals for Artificial Stone Sidewalks in Mother Julia Road, Ward 17 (Southerly Side), from Dorchester Avenue to Approximately 225 Feet Westerly.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for artificial stone sidewalks in Mother Julia road, Ward 17, (southerly side), from Dorchester avenue to approximately 225 feet westerly. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performanee of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Artificial Stone Sidewalks in Mother Julia Road, Ward 17 (Southerly Side), from Dorchester Avenue to Approximately 225 Feet Westerly," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of FRIDAY, MARCH 18, 1955, with a certified check for ONE HUNDRED (100) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of tbe city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must he made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to he deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2) for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to he paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide hy insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insuranee in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award tbe contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Mar. 5.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

No. 51—569.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING INCANDESCENT AND FLUORESCENT LAMPS FOR CITY DEPARTMENTS.

Proposals may he ohtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the hids will be opened and read Tuesday, March 15, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening hids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Lamps." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Mar. 5.) *Purchasing Agent.*

No. 53—350.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT. PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING SURGICAL SUPPLIES (SYRINGES AND NEEDLES) FOR THE CITY DEPARTMENTS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Friday, March 11, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate hid, without check, must be left witb the Auditor prior to the time for opening hids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Surgical Supplies." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Mar. 5.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

SEWERAGE WORKS.

Proposals for Sewerage Works in Forest Hills Street and Cemo Road, West Roxbury.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Forest Hills street and Cemo road, West Roxbury. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved hy the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Forest Hills Street and Cemo Road, West Roxbury," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of FRIDAY, MARCH 18, 1955, with a certified check for FOUR HUNDRED (400) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2) for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the hidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at tbe office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue sucb insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the rigbt to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Mar. 5.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CIVIL DEFENSE KIT.

In Milwaukee residents have been notified by the city's civil defense administration to get together kits of nonperishable foods on which their families could live for a week in the open if need be. A 43-pound kit, costing $37, was used for demonstration purposes. In the kit, besides food, were a first-aid packet, water purification tablets, cooking utensils, and cans of canned heat. The entire unit packed in an aluminum laundry mail case doubles as a dishpan, wash basin, and infant bathtub.

Toledo City Journal.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

EXCAVATION WORK—WATER DIVISION.

Proposals for Earth Excavation and Refilling to Assist the Water Division Employees to Install, Regulate, or Repair Water Division Structures and Other Incidental Work in Brighton (Water Division) District.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for earth excavation and refilling to assist the Water Division employees to install, regulate, or repair Water Division structures and other incidental work in Brighton (Water Division) district. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Earth Excavation and Refilling to Assist the Water Division Employees to Install, Regulate, or Repair Water Division Structures and Other Incidental Work in Brighton (Water Division) District," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of WEDNESDAY, MARCH 16, 1955, with a certified check for TWELVE HUNDRED (1,200) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2) for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Mar. 5.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CONSULATES IN ARREARS ON TAXES.

New York City reports that 12 foreign countries are in arrears a total of $416,985 in real estate taxes on 27 properties, most of them bought within the last 15 years as consulates and headquarters for United Nations delegations.

Nearly all of the defaulting governments claim the right to city realty tax exemption under treaties and international doctrines, but the city has refused to waive its claims. Total assessed valuation is $5,324,000, with $720,000 exempt from tax. Finland, the Netherlands, and Israel have kept their real estate accounts paid up to date.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

EXCAVATION WORK—WATER DIVISION.

Proposals for Earth Excavation and Refilling to Assist the Water Division Employees to Install, Regulate, or Repair Water Division Structures and Other Incidental Work in Dorchester (Water Division) District.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for earth excavation and refilling to assist the Water Division employees to install, regulate, or repair Water Division structures and other incidental work in Dorchester (Water Division) district. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Earth Excavation and Refilling to Assist the Water Division Employees to Install, Regulate or Repair Water Division Structures and Other Incidental Work in Dorchester (Water Division) District," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of WEDNESDAY, MARCH 16, 1955, with a certified check for TWENTY-SIX HUNDRED (2,600) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2) for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under Chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Mar. 5.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

No. 55—399.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING RECREATION SUPPLIES FOR THE PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Tuesday, March 15, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Recreation Supplies." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Mar. 5.) *Purchasing Agent.*

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

WELDING REPAIRS.

Proposals for Welding Repairs to Drawspan of the Summer Street Bridge over the Reserved Channel and Charlestown Bridge over the Charles River.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for welding repairs to drawspan of the Summer Street Bridge over the Reserved Channel and Charlestown Bridge over the Charles River. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Welding Repairs to Drawspan of the Summer Street Bridge over the Reserved Channel and Charlestown Bridge over the Charles River," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of WEDNESDAY, MARCH 16, 1955, with a certified check for FOUR HUNDRED (400) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2) for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Mar. 5.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

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MAYOR HYNES MAKES DOUBLE MOVE TO IMPROVE SERVICES IN HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT—NAMES EXPERT CONSULTING ENGINEER FOR PLANNING AND PLANT OPERATION AND APPROVES NAMING OF RALPH PLUNKETT AS PLANT SUPERINTENDENT.

Mayor John B. Hynes has approved two requests of the Board of Trustees of the Hospital Department looking to the improvement of services rendered and the efficiency of the entire plant. One of these was to employ Justin M. Kearney, 1054 Brook road, Milton, to furnish expert consulting engineering services in hospital planning and plant operation for all institutions within the Hospital Department; and the other to transfer Ralph Plunkett, Plant Superintendent of the Long Island Hospital, to be Plant Superintendent of the Hospital Department and the Boston City Hospital.

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CONTRACT AWARDED FOR CARE AND REPLACEMENT OF 24 MECHANICAL STREET-CLEANING MACHINE FIBRE BROOMS AS NEEDED, AT COST APPROXIMATING $10,000—SUPPLEMENT WORK DONE BY CITY EMPLOYEES.

Contracts have been signed, with the approval of Mayor Hynes, by the Public Works Commissioner for the care and replacement, when needed, of the 24 mechanical street-cleaning machines used for the cleaning of streets. The main fibre brooms have to be renewed every week or two when work is heavy. There are two firms that do this replacement work.

The letter from the Public Works Commissioner reads as follows:

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
BOSTON, February 9, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

At the present time the department operates an average of 24 mechanical street-cleaning machines for the purpose

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1955 PROMISES TO BE YEAR OF GREAT ACTIVITY IN CONSTRUCTION ACCORDING TO BUILDING DEPARTMENT RECORDS FOR FIRST TWO MONTHS—CONSTRUCTION OF ALL TYPES, INCLUDING REPAIRS AND ALTERATIONS, PLACED AT $3,684,540—REVENUE DERIVED AMOUNTS TO $11,862.83—387 PARCELS INVOLVED.

The year 1955 promises to be one of great activity in the building and construction line, if the figures compiled by the Building Department for the first two months prove indicative. Construction of all types, including new work and repairs and alterations, are shown to amount to $3,684,540. This has provided the city with a revenue from construction work of $11,862.83.

Permits for new construction figure at $1,568,850 on 49 parcels, with 338 parcels of additions and alterations amounting to $1,451,152, making a total of 387 parcels at $2,920,002.

Permits for repairs, plumbing, gas fitting, sprinklers, and other items of a like nature were issued for 795 structures, at a total cost of $764,538. Thus far construction work has been planned for 1,182 structures. This is more than has been called for in any of the past five years.

In the list of types of structures may be found dwellings, from one-family up to multiple-family, amusement and recreational facilities, churches, chapels, educational buildings, schools and colleges, garages, institutional buildings, hotels, and clubs. Also included in the list are lodges, convents, dormitories, manufacturing and mercantile buildings, restaurants, office and bank buildings, storage warehouses, and lumber sheds.

Altogether the total of all types of work for which permits have been issued amounts to $4,765,141. In tabular form the information compiled by the Building Departments reads as follows:

The following is a statement showing BY WARDS the number and estimated cost of new buildings for purposes of habitation for the erection of which applications were filed with the Building Department of the City of Boston during the

MONTH ENDING FEBRUARY 28, 1955.

WARD.	1-FAMILY DWELLINGS.		2-FAMILY DWELLINGS.		TOTAL FOR MONTH.	
	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.
1	2	$25,000	—	—	2	$25,000
17	6	52,000	—	—	6	52,000
18	11	102,000	—	—	11	102,000
19	4	38,000	—	—	4	38,000
20	13	114,000	—	—	13	114,000
22	—	—	1	$14,000	1	14,000
Total	36	$331,000	1	$14,000	37	$345,000

(For other tables see pages 325-329)

"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean;
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
Nathan Haskell Dole.

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, March 14, at 2 P.M.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries, or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the Complaints Division, Room 25, City Hall.

Information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways, the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments of streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped area for streets and the opening of private ways; the making of specific repairs in public streets; the naming of public streets, including the use of public ways for location of conduits, poles, and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railways, coal holes, and vaults, may be secured from the Public Improvement Commission, Room 403, City Hall Annex.

To the Boston Traffic Commission, 112 Southampton street, for information relative to regulation of vehicular street traffic on all or any streets, ways, highways, roads, and parkways under the control of the City of Boston, the issuing of all permits in connection therewith.

To the Commissioner of Public Works, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting, and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch basins, the operation of Sumner Tunnel, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges, and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

To the Health Department, Haymarket Square, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish, and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughterhouses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases, of public health nuisances.

To the Board of Park Commissioners, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth Avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park, and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts, also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview, and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

To the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

To the Department of School Buildings, 28 Norman street, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

To the Board of Examiners, Room 907, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal, or tearing down buildings.

To the Electrical Inspection Division of the Building Department, 1001 City Hall Annex, for all information relative to the erection of poles, building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division; also for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings of the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

To the Board of Zoning Adjustment, 43 City Hall, relative to changes in the boundary lines of zoning districts of the City of Boston as established by chapter 488 of the Acts of 1924, and amendments thereto.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending March 5, 1955.

Population as of July, 1950, Massachusetts State Census, 817,713; population estimated July, 1954, United States Census Bureau, 810,633; number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 208; nonresidents, 76; total, 284.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 18.01; nonresidents deducted, 13.51.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:

Last week, 16.21; corresponding week last year, 15.37.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 11; one year to four years, inclusive, 2; sixty years and over, 211. Total deaths: Male, 145; female, 139; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 199.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

Diseases.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Mar. 5, 1955.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Mar. 6, 1954.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior Poliomyelitis	—	—	—	—
Diphtheria	—	—	1	—
Encephalitis Lethargica	—	—	—	—
Influenza	—	—	—	—
Measles	187	—	3	—
Meningitis Epidemic	—	—	2	2
Pneumonia (lobar)	—	1	—	1
Scarlet Fever	42	—	28	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary)	27	4	24	2
Childhood Type Tuberculosis	—	—	—	—
Tuberculosis (other forms)	—	—	—	—
Typhoid Fever	—	—	—	—
Whooping Cough	7	—	5	—

* Residents and nonresidents included.

MAYOR MAKES TWO APPOINTMENTS AT CITY HOSPITAL.

(*Continued from page 313.*)

The letters requesting approval by Mayor Hynes read as follows:

BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL.
BOSTON, February 25, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

On October 7, 1954, your Honor approved an unadvertised contract in the sum of $100 per diem for sixty-five days of consulting services during the remainder of 1954 and an average of three consultant days services per week during the first three months of 1955, up to and including March 31, 1955, in an amount not to exceed $10,500 for the entire contract period, between the City of Boston, acting by the Trustees of the Hospital Department and of the Boston City Hospital, and Justin M. Kearney, 1054 Brook road, Milton, providing for expert consulting engineering services in hospital planning and plant operation for all institutions within the Hospital Department.

All of the services embraced within the terms of the aforesaid contract and specifications have been rendered in a most satisfactory manner and with gratifying results.

However, the need for these expert services is one of a recurring nature and, therefore, this renewal of the subject contract is proposed for that reason and because it appears to be the most certain way of having such expert assistance available in the working out of a variety of Hospital Department problems.

Thus, the Board of Trustees desires to continue the services of Mr. Kearney in the same capacity, namely, Consulting Engineer in Hospital Planning and Plant Operation for all institutions within the Hospital Department, and it is specifically proposed that permission be granted to enter into a new contract for a period of twelve months, beginning April 1, 1955, or 156 days, at $100 per diem, the total contract price not to exceed the sum of $15,600.

Respectfully yours,

Board of Trustees, Hospital Department, and of the Boston City Hospital,
RICHARD J. CONDON,
President.

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BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL.
BOSTON, February 25, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The Trustees of the Hospital Department voted on February 11, 1955, to request that the position of Plant Superintendent, Boston City Hospital, Grade 33, be abolished. It was further voted to request that the compensation and classification plan be amended by establishing the position of Plant Superintendent, Hospital Department and Boston City Hospital, at a salary of $9,000 per annum.

It was voted to transfer Ralph Plunkett, Plant Superintendent, Long Island Hospital, to the newly created position on a temporary six months' provisional basis.

The position of Plant Superintendent, Boston City Hospital, has not been filled on a permanent basis since the retirement of Joseph Norton on May 25, 1954.

The Trustees feel very strongly that, due to the reorganization of the Hospital Department and the extensive and urgently needed modernization program of plant and equipment within the department, the new position and the increased compensation are most necessary.

Your Honor's approval of the action of the Trustees is requested.

Respectfully yours,

RICHARD J. CONDON,
President, Board of Trustees.

CONTRACT AWARDED FOR NEW STREET-CLEANING EQUIPMENT.

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of cleaning streets and supplementing the manual work done by our employees.

In connection with the operation of the machines, it becomes necessary to change the main fibre brooms every week or two, depending on the volume of work done by a particular machine. We find that it is more desirable, more economical, and more satisfactory, from every point of view, to have the broom cores refilled by outside shops who specialize in this particular work. Heretofore we have awarded contracts to the New England Broom and Supply Company and to the E. J. Bleiler Equipment Company for performing this service.

Both of the above-referenced companies have agreed to fill the broom cores during the current year at the following established rates, which are the same as those in effect last year:

Elgin Sweepers, $30 per core; Wayne Sweepers, $24 per core.

It is necessary to have both concerns do this work, in order to insure an adequate supply of brooms at all times, so that the sweepers may be kept in daily operation. It is difficult at this time to state accurately the city's total requirements in respect to the refilling of the brooms during the remainder of the current year, but we estimate that it will cost approximately $10,000. No advantage would accrue, in my opinion, by publicly advertising for bids for this work, as the Bleiler Company is the authorized agent for the Elgin Sweeper in this area, and the New England Broom and Supply specializes in this type of work and has been performing it for the department satisfactorily for a great number of years.

I respectfully request, therefore, your authority to dispense with advertising and to award a contract to the New England Broom and Supply Company, 191 Forest Hills street, Jamaica Plain, in an amount not to exceed $5,000, and to the E. J. Bleiler Equipment Company, 15 Crawford street, Needham, in an amount not to exceed $5,000, for refilling broom cores used on our Elgin and Wayne street-cleaning machines during the current year.

Respectfully yours,

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 2,011.

The resignation of Patrolman John F. Cullinane, Division 10, having been presented, it is hereby accepted, to take effect Friday, March 4, 1955, at 7.45 o'clock A.M., seven days notice waived.

The Acting Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with D. Federico Company for sewerage works in Sherrin street, Hyde Park, and Richrow street, Dorchester, from February 15, 1955, to March 15, 1955. This extension was requested because the contractor was delayed due to weather conditions.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with A. Singarella & Sons, Inc., for the construction of the open-air off-street parking facility at Ruggles street, Roxbury, to May 1, 1955. This extension was requested due to inclement weather.

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

Lena McDonough, 17 Wyvern street, Roslindale, in the sum of $485, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 417 Hyde Park avenue, Roslindale, July 14, 1954.

John J. Burke, 8 Haskell street, Allston, to be reimbursed in the sum of $25, as a result of an accident which occurred on June 14, 1954, when, as a member of the Police Department, he fired five shots at a fleeing man, one shot ricocheting and breaking a mirror in the premises owned by John McNulty, at 3858 Washington street, Jamaica Plain.

Stephen E. Bogue, Jr., 10 Beethoven street, Jamaica Plain, to be reimbursed in the sum of $284.50, as a result of an accident which occurred on July 20, 1954, when a motor truck belonging to the Fire Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Francis X. Durham.

Francis M. Keane, 129 Pleasant street, Dorchester, to be reimbursed in the sum of $65, as a result of an accident which occurred on October 21, 1954, when a motor truck belonging to the Fire Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Edward M. Weinshanker.

Guerino F. Scipione, 36 Dalrymple street, Jamaica Plain, to be reimbursed in the sum of $25, as a result of an accident which occurred on May 15, 1954, when a motor vehicle belonging to the Police Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Marie A. Foley.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING MARCH 8.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
P. Martha	653 Washington street	17	Connecting heater	$250
L. Luxton	18 Annabel street	7	Connecting range	45
J. Liftman	493 Atlantic avenue	3	Connecting range	135
G. Sanders	1358 Boylston street	21	Connecting range	45
P. Kennedy	330 Centre street	16	Connecting heater	35
S. D'Agostino	219 Chelsea street	1	Connecting range	150
S. Kramer	80 Clifford street	12	Connecting range	50
A. Colen	83 Commercial street	3	Connecting range	300
D. Horgan	Rear 639 East Fourth street	6	Connecting range	50
William Hogaboom	5 Erie street	14	Connecting range	100
H. Geddis	16 Exeter street	5	Connecting range	15
E. Dorr	41 Greenbrier street	17	Connecting range	15
H. Geddis	111 Huntington avenue	4	Connecting range	45
A. Halsband	838 Huntington avenue	10	Connecting range	40
J. Egan	16 Laconia street	3	Connecting range	75
William Chase	46 Mountfort street	5	Connecting range	35
L. Luxton	45 Pleasant street	13	Connecting range	75
J. Thoms	208 River street	18	Connecting range	30
E. Carlson	226 Ruggles street	9	Connecting range	100
William Nye	115 South Market street	3	Connecting range	75
F. Carlson	84 Sterling street	9	Connecting range	40
G. Vallati	973 Adams street	16	Connecting range	50
M. Eskowitz	37 Bartlett street	9	Connecting cooker	50
B. Szathmary	7 Dracut street	16	Connecting range	100
D. Gould	106 East Canton street	8	Connecting heater	35
C. Lang	75 Emmonsdale road	20	Connecting range	10
J. Vangi	62 Green street	3	Connecting range	35
A. DiPietro	91 Horace street	1	Connecting range	75
E. Mogel	12 Hudson street	3	Connecting range	50
E. Mogel	48 Hudson street	3	Connecting range	45
E. Casaletto	95 Lexington street	1	Connecting range	10
N. Clark	470 Massachusetts avenue	9	Connecting range	15
N. Clark	24 Pearl street	2	Connecting range	15
M. Wilson	181-195 Pilgrim road	4	Connecting range	50
N. Clark	47 Sudan street	13	Connecting range	400
E. Mogel	463 Tremont street	5	Connecting range	15
William Chase	750 Tremont street	9	Connecting range	80
F. Kozell	9 Union street	3	Connecting range	100
J. Rooney	40 Walk Hill street	19	Connecting range	150
J. Phinney	333 Washington street	3	Connecting range	100
A. Mehegan	215 West Ninth street	7	Connecting range	50
Joseph H. Vogel	64 West Rutland street	4	Connecting heater	60
E. Mogel	110 West Springfield street	9	Connecting range	80
L. Luxton	8 Carlford road	19	Connecting range	300
E. Ardini	40 Cross street	3	Connecting range	400
K. Hering	7-11 Erie street	14	Connecting range	10
N. Clark	38 Fayston street	12	Connecting range	400
William Awad	5 Fiske terrace	21	Connecting range	35
William Awad	14 Hano street	21	Connecting range	40
William Awad	46 Hopedale street	21	Connecting range	45
L. Ardini	17 Marlboro street	5	Connecting range	200
I. Silverstein	25 McLean street	3	Connecting range	50
William Awad	21 Mt. Vernon avenue	22	Connecting heater	45
N. Clark	37 Osceola street	18	Connecting range	400
William Fishman	1 Salman street	20	Connecting range	50
S. Rosen	59 Sherman street	12	Connecting range	40
Joseph H. Vogel	95 Union Park street	8	Connecting range	45
E. Healy	17 Wentworth street	17	Connecting range	350
S. Adams	3 Ashton street	14	Connecting range	350
F. Avery	7 Belmore terrace	19	Connecting range	35
S. Adams	1246 Blue Hill avenue	14	Connecting range	185
E. Avery	56 Brookside avenue	11	Connecting heater	35
F. Avery	97½ Brookside avenue	11	Connecting heater	25
F. Avery	98 Call street	11	Connecting range	15
I. Gerson	12 Cawfield street	7	Connecting heater	40
N. Clark	174 Centre street	9	Connecting range	400
A. DiPietro	5013 Cherry street	3	Connecting range	400
K. Hering	45 Cranston street	19	Connecting range	400
M. Loiterstein	33 Dewey street	13	Connecting range	75
D. Horgan	599 East Broadway	6	Connecting range	40
S. Adams	29 Evelyn street	18	Connecting range	325
F. Avery	277 Forest Hills street	11	Connecting heater	35
S. Adams	22 Franconia street	16	Connecting range	325
I. Gerson	3 Greendale road	14	Connecting range	40
B. Weiner	48 Grove street	5	Connecting range	45
B. Weiner	105 Hammond street	9	Connecting range	15
J. Williams	17 Hill Top street	16	Connecting range	75
F. Avery	51 Lorraine street	20	Connecting range	25
S. Adams	2 Magnolia square	13	Connecting range	250
L. Rubinoveitch	6 North street	3	Connecting heater	75
S. Adams	238 Park street	16	Connecting range	80
S. Adams	19 River street	16	Connecting range	185
S. Adams	41 Robinson street	15	Connecting range	80
J. Marquess	589 Shawmut avenue	9	Connecting range	50
S. Adams	10 Wellesley park	17	Connecting range	225
Joseph H. Vogel	32 Wellington street	14	Connecting range	35
B. Clancy	28 Wentworth street	17	Connecting range	45
S. Adams	40 Woodrow avenue	14	Connecting range	35
S. Connolly	372 Dudley street	8	Connecting range	15
S. Connolly	12 Hawthorne street	11	Connecting heater	50
O. Weider	78 Hobart street	22	Connecting range	50
William Connell	106 Houghton street	16	Connecting heater	55
N. Clark	58 Leonard street	15	Connecting range	400
C. Handlin	53 Pershing road	19	Connecting range	40
A. Onessima	115 Salem street	3	Connecting range	35
P. Martha	210 Savin Hill avenue	13	Connecting heater	50
L. Fama	56 School street	2	Connecting range	45
A. Figler	47 West Tremlett street	17	Connecting range	15
S. Connolly	117 Winthrop street	12	Connecting range	50
E. Pascucci	220 Paris street	1	Connecting range	25
E. Pascucci	39 Chelsea street	1	Connecting range	10
E. Pascucci	22 Wordsworth street	1	Connecting range	25
E. Pascucci	275 Paris street	1	Connecting range	15
E. Pascucci	79 Addison street	1	Connecting range	15
E. Pascucci	215 Leyden street	1	Connecting range	30

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees:

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

For the week ending February 15:

The following weekly nurses have been appointed:

Permanent.—Mary Collins, 31 Regent street, Roxbury, floor nurse, $51 a week; Tally Cummings, 40 Vallar road, East Boston, floor nurse, $1.70 an hour; Leonora Doherty, 21 Gates street, South Boston, floor nurse, $1.60 an hour; Doris Goulet, Franklin Square House, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour; Mary Mahoney, 710 Massachusetts avenue, Theresa Morrissette, 710 Massachusetts avenue, floor nurses, $58 a week; Jane T. O'Neill, 27 Summer street, Dorchester, floor nurse, $1.65 an hour; Lois S. Quinn, 12 Pembroke street, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Trinette Shaughnessy, 70 Gates street, South Boston, floor nurse, $63 a week; Virginia Turtle, 21 Ellery street, Cambridge, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Anne M. Wilkins, 348 Washington street, East Weymouth, floor nurse $1.70 an hour.

Temporary.—Gertrude F. Clark, 21 Carol street, East Weymouth, Mary Edwards, 428 Adams street, Dorchester, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour.

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—Belle Buccigross, 902 East Broadway, South Boston, floor nurse, $65.50 a week; Joseph Coakley, 1106 Harrison avenue, hospital house worker, $50.50 a week; Jean E. Darragh, 568 East Sixth street, South Boston, floor nurse, $63 a week; Dorothy A. Degnan, 26 Mapleton street, Watertown, floor nurse, $68 a week; Thomas C. Doyle, 19 Cumberland street, second-class engineer, $87 a week; Elizabeth May, 23 Rosedale street, Dorchester, floor nurse, $73 a week; Elizabeth Sullivan, 42 Norwell road, Dedham, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour; Frank J. Volpe, 26 Unity street, Mary E. Wilds, 20 Bean court, Roxbury, hospital medical workers, $50.50 a week; Jean M. Woelfel, 558 East Sixth street, South Boston, floor nurse, $63 a week.

Temporary.—John C. Donovan, 130 Huntington avenue, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; Anna Francis, 246 O'Callaghan Way, clerk-typist, $35.50 a week; Mary A. Healy, 17 Waltham street, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; Marguerite MacKeever, 79 First street, Medford, floor nurse, $63 a week; Joseph F. McLean, 12 Countryside Drive, Helen C. Murphy, 57 Worcester street, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; Marie H. Peters, 390 Emerson street, South Boston, clerk-typist, $50.50 a week; Catherine Weaver, 200 Parker Hill avenue, Roxbury, floor nurse, $1.70 an hour.

The following provisional employees have been appointed:

Louis Cecere, 277 Paris street, East Boston, elevator operator, $43 a week; Elizabeth R. McColgan, 180 Columbia road, Irene R. McLaughlin, 15 Lucas street, hospital medical workers, $43 a week.

South Division.

For the week ending February 15:

The following temporary employee has been appointed:

John M. Fucillo, 31 Mall street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

For the week ending February 22:

The following weekly nurses have been appointed:

Permanent.—Pauline Barbin, 154 Savin Hill avenue, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour; Ursula Callahan, 145 Parsons street, Brighton, floor nurse, $1.60 an hour; Mary Griswald, 21 Melville avenue, Dorchester, Patricia Daily, 39 Potomac street, West Roxbury, Janet Peplowski, 265 Marlborough street, floor nurses, $60.50 a week.

Temporary.—Janice Epstein, 86 East Newton street, Helen Rodriquez, 97 Spring street, West Roxbury, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour; Betty Lou Silverman, 5 Park Vale street, Brookline, floor nurse, $65.50 a week.

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—Elizabeth Benson, 418 Columbia road, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; Carmello Bevacqua, 615 East Sixth street, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $45.50 a week; Joseph DeGloria, 220 Havre street, East Boston, hospital house worker, $43 a week; Wesley G. Mitchell, 13 Woodville park, Roxbury, hospital house worker, $48 a week; Albert L. O'Brien, 9 Stockton street, Dorchester, Robert Randall, 435 Walnut avenue, Roxbury, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; Helen Shaughnessy, 19 Sawyer avenue, hospital house worker, $65.50 a week.

Temporary.—Angelo F. Anca, S. Miguel, Azores, Portugal, junior assistant resident, $112 a month; Gertrude Clark, 21 Carol street, East Weymouth, floor nurse, $1.70 an hour; Esther L. Deitz, 235 Park Drive, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Leo J. Dooley, 189 Chestnut avenue, Jamaica Plain, social worker, $65.50 a week; Ann McDonough, 15 Elm Hill avenue, Roxbury, Mary E. O'Connell, 24 Montpelier road, Dorchester, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; Bernard Panner, 246 Outlook avenue, Ohio, junior assistant resident, $112 a month; Albert G. Prosser, 677 East Seventh street, South Boston, ambulance medical aid, $55.50 a week; Joan Keane, 1086 Dorchester avenue, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Harvey Zartman, 120 North West avenue, Illinois, intern, $92 a month.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following appointments:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Printing Section.

Virginia Crow, 341 Haverhill street, Lawrence, proofreader, $96.25 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Long Island Division.

Marie F. Ivone, 17 Sawyer street, Malden, licensed practical nurse, $53 a week.

Frances M. Walsh, 8 Richardson street, Wakefield, licensed practical nurse, $53 a week.

Arlene Blackwell, 3 Emerson street, East Weymouth, laboratory technician, $58 a week.

Claire F. Rowen, 485 Commonwealth avenue, laboratory technician, $58 a week.

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING MARCH 8.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Boston Wharf Company	169 A street	6	Alterations, storage	$450
Charles Foley	14 Ardent street	20	Alterations, dwelling	350
Merchants Cold Storage	717 and 719 Atlantic avenue	3	Alterations, storage	200
Ernest Jule	34 Blanche street	16	Alterations, dwelling	350
M. Spector	1871 Centre street	20	Sign, stores	750
James Davis	81 Circuit street	12	Fire repairs, store, dwelling	500
C. W. Whittier	133 Columbus avenue	5	Sign, tavern, office	250
Anthony Cazraro	328 Commercial street	3	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
A. Hanson	84 Dakota street	15	Alterations, dwelling	85
Gorin & Leeder	153 Hemenway street	4	Alterations, dwelling	400
C. W. Whittier	10 High street	3	Alterations, offices	2,000
John Leary	44 Hillsdale street	16	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Dev. Management Corp	16 Kingston street	3	Sign, store, office	100
Dev. Management Corp	18 Kingston street	3	Sign, storage, office	65
Eva Amedeo	46 Lewis street	3	Fire escape, store, dwelling	175
Anthony Brunetta	9 Monument street	2	Fire escape, dwelling	125
Edward Abramovick	15 Outlook road	14	Alterations, dwelling	175
Lena Penn	449 Quincy street	15	Alterations, dwelling	1,600
Joseph Foley	5 Rickerhill road	20	Alterations, dwelling	345
Albert Shea	15 Rosaria street	16	Alterations, dwelling	375
Anna Shay	40 Sawyer avenue	13	Alterations, nursing home	200
Asam Zacasian	43 School street	11	Alterations, dwelling	250
Max Nathan	52 Stanwood street	14	Alterations, dwelling	150
D. Kapilius	65 Stuart street	3	Alterations, store, office, dwelling	250
A. Wasserman	358 Washington street	22	Alterations, store, dwelling	500
Joe & Nemo	641 Washington street	3	Alterations, restaurant, store, office	600
Mary Flynn	701 Washington street	17	Alterations, dwelling	350
Charles McWilliams	711 Washington street	17	Alterations, dwelling	335
N. E. Medical Center	750 Washington street	3	Sign, store	100
Green Brothers	2311 Washington street	10	Alterations, stores	750
Nicholas Zahka	14 Whitman street	17	Alterations, dwelling	100
Geraldine Romanos	96 Winthrop street	8	Alterations, dwelling	40
Geraldine Romanos	98 Winthrop street	8	Alterations, dwelling	40
Geraldine Romanos	100 Winthrop street	8	Alterations, dwelling	40
Geraldine Romanos	102 Winthrop street	8	Alterations, dwelling	40
Geraldine Romanos	104 Winthrop street	8	Alterations, dwelling	40
Geraldine Romanos	106 Winthrop street	8	Alterations, dwelling	40
Geraldine Romanos	108 Winthrop street	8	Alterations, dwelling	40
Geraldine Romanos	110 Winthrop street	8	Alterations, dwelling	40
Valdis Landermainis	6 Adelaide street	19	Alterations, dwelling	250
Thick Ngeo Lee	32 Ash street	3	Alterations, dwelling, lodging house	950
Giuseppe and Rose Rizzo	28 Battery street	3	Alterations, dwelling, store	None
Albert Locatelli	270 Beacon street	5	Alterations, dwelling, garage	$1,500
J. Hunter Realty Trust	287 Beacon street	5	Alterations, dwelling	5,000
Jennie Whelan	455 Cambridge street	21	Alterations, dwelling	None
Estate of Sarah Kane	64 Chestnut street	2	Alterations, dwelling	None
Estate of Sarah Kane	66 and 68 Chestnut street	2	Alterations, dwelling	None
Walter Delaney	2173 Dorchester avenue	17	Alterations, dwelling	$900
Thomas English	118 Emerson street	6	Alterations, tavern, dwelling	900
Domenico Lucozzi	30 Flagg street	8	Alterations, dwelling	None
City of Boston	335 Forest Hills street	11	Men's quarters, office	$10,000
Edward Gibbons	37 Freeport street	15	Repairs, shop, lubritorium	3,750
Aaron Isgar	6 Hackensack court	20	Dwelling	16,000
Warren Hall	25 Hazelmere road	18	Dwelling	11,000
N. P. Stineman and N. Berman	19 Laconia street	3	Alterations, dwelling	None
Henry Davis	455 Marlborough street	5	Alterations, dwelling	$3,000
Matilda Holbert	9 Monument square	2	Alterations, dwelling	2,000
Demetrius Diasakas	12 Morley street	9	Alterations, dwelling	None
John J. Williams K. of C	7 Murray Hill road	19	Alterations, club	$4,800
John J. Connolly	54 Potomac street	20	Dwelling	9,000
Anthony LaConte	1832 and 1834 River street	18	Alterations, dwelling	None
Bolton Smart Company	19 South Market street	3	Alterations, storage	$10,000
Bolton Smart Company	23 South Market street	3	Alterations, office, sales, packing	400
Cecilia Hennessey	34 Westover street	20	Dwelling	8,000
J. B. Samuda	10 Albemarle street	4	Fire escape, dwelling	175
Edward Blanchard	25 Brainard street	18	Alterations, dwelling	485
M. Bailer	80 Broad street	3	Fire escape, offices	200
Owen McKenna	23 Burrwood road	20	Alterations, dwelling	550
P. J. O'Donnell	124 Buttonwood street	7	Alterations, dwelling	95
Ray Lamb	7 Bynner street	10	Fire repair, dwelling	450
Saverio Nardelli	2014 Commonwealth avenue	21	Take-down, storage	20
M. Sauntag	17 Creston street	14	Fire repair, dwelling, office	450
Helen Russell	19 Dracut street	16	Alterations, dwelling	550
Arthur Nelson	655-69 Dudley street	13	Alterations, stores	2,500
P. J. O'Donnell	252 East Cottage street	13	Alterations, dwelling	300
Abraham Melkowen	873 East Fourth street	6	Alterations, dwelling	990
Patrick Curtin	684 East Second street	7	Fire escape, dwelling	150
Charles LaMattina	580 Gallivan Boulevard	16	Alterations, dwelling	101
Thomas McAuliffe	158 H street	7	Fire escape, dwelling	500
Joseph O'Donnell	168 Hyde Park avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	995
Allis Chalmers	1344 Hyde Park avenue	18	Alterations, office, manufacturing	800
Anthony Pino	32 Kennebec street	18	Take-down, foundation	1,000
Lorretta Angland	118 Kittredge street	18	Alterations, dwelling	350
Meereal Rostarba	8 Locust street	7	Alterations, dwelling	350
G. Cirrito	115 Magnolia street	13	Fire escape, dwelling	300
S. Impriscia	20 Pitts street	3	Alterations, store, dwelling	225
Anna Seeb	281 Shawmut avenue	3	Fire repair, lodging house	450
V. C. Green	769 Tremont street	9	Alterations, store, dwelling	900
Charles Manucuso	112 Trenton street	1	Alterations, dwelling	75
Anathasia Moore	39 Warren street	9	Sign, store	500
Garper Caso	52 Warren street	2	Alterations, store, dwelling	300
Arthur Nelson	534-38 Washington street	17	Alterations, stores	900
Borman Realty	30 West Broadway	6	Fire escape, dwelling	200

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING MARCH 8.—Concluded.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost
Libby Engleman	332 West Broadway	6	Alterations, store, dwelling.	$325
Thomas Cox	749 West Broadway	7	Sign, store	200
William Kelley	221 West Second street	6	Alterations, dwelling	800
Nicholas Rassias	7 Woodbourne road	19	Alterations, dwelling	300
Thomas N. Garvey	Rear 252 Adams street	15	Alterations, garage	1,000
Victor Tuden	51 Anderson street	5	Alterations, dwelling	None
John J. O'Shea	43 Arborview road	19	Dwelling	$10,000
Boston Floating Hospital	20 Ash street	3	Alterations, hospital	800
Thomas Geraghty	25 Ashville road	18	Dwelling	10,000
New England Fuel Transportation Company.	140 Ballou avenue	14	Coal hopper	2,800
Francis Jondrins	251 Beacon street	5	Alterations, dwelling	500
John Ghiradelli	396 Beech street	18	Alterations, dwelling	None
Boston Dispensary	25 Bennet street	3	Alterations, dispensary and clinic	$10,000
Rose and John Auditore	46–50 Billerica street	3	Alterations, sign, dwelling	1,800
Usen Canning Company	52–56 Binford street	4	Alterations, processing fish.	2,300
Grand Lodge Masons	51 Boylston street	3	Alterations, hall, office	15,000
Susan Regan	1000 Boylston street	4	Alterations, store, dwelling.	5,500
Henry Pugatch	120 Brookside avenue	11	Alterations, laundry, office	5,000
Estate Catherine Stephens	15 Byron street	5	Alterations, garage, dwelling	None
Emily Foss	333 Centre street	10	Fire repair, dwelling, store	$1,250
Mutual Service Construction	2622 Centre street	20	Dwelling	9,000
Gilbert & Becker	16 and 18 Clapp street	7	Alterations, dwelling	2,800
Catherine Chamberlain	40 Clearwater Drive	17	Dwelling	13,000
David Shaw	3 Corman road	18	Dwelling	8,000
David Shaw	5 Corman road	18	Dwelling	8,000
David Shaw	7 Corman road	18	Dwelling	8,000
David Shaw	9 Corman road	18	Dwelling	8,000
Edward DeRoma	129 Eastwood Circuit	20	Dwelling	9,000
Henry Domehowski	16 Forest street	18	Dwelling, garage	12,000
William Haley, Jr	22 Forest street	18	Dwelling, garage	12,000
Ye Garden Cafe, Inc	274 Friend street	3	Alterations, cafe, restaurant	1,000
David E. Brown, Trustee	141 Fuller street	17	Dwelling	8,000
David E. Brown, Trustee	145 Fuller street	17	Dwelling	8,000
George Duffy	748 Gallivan Boulevard	16	Office, sales	6,000
Henry A. Berish	187 Gardner street	20	Alterations, manufacturing.	5,800
Boston Wharf Company	20 Granite street	6	Storage, office	90,000
Mary Doherty et al	28 Green street	2	Alterations, dwelling	400
Hampden Auto Company	69 Hampden street	8	Alterations, repair shop	900
Samuel Amato	42 Itasca street	18	Dwelling	15,000
Nichols Construction Co.	499 La Grange street	20	Dwelling	8,000
Nichols Construction Co.	503 La Grange street	20	Dwelling	8,000
New England Realty Trust	99 Laurie avenue	20	Dwelling	9,667
Sentry Products Company	70 Locust street	7	Fire repairs, manufacturing	3,000
Sentry Products Company	Rear 70 Locust street	7	Fire repairs, storage	1,700
W. J. Driscoll Const. Co.	201 Manchester street	17	Dwelling, garage	9,000
W. J. Driscoll Const. Co.	205 Manchester street	17	Dwelling, garage	9,000
W. J. Driscoll Const. Co.	209 Manchester street	17	Dwelling, garage	9,000
W. J. Driscoll Const. Co.	213 Manchester street	17	Dwelling, garage	9,000
Samuel Wasserman	191 Marlborough street	5	Alterations, dwelling	10,500
Ernest DiSimone	71 Mossdale road	19	Dwelling	16,400
One Fed. Supply	33–39 Norfolk avenue	8	Alterations, storage	3,000
R. B. Brigham Hospital	125 Parker Hill avenue	10	Alterations, hospital	80,000
Dinah Schur	105 Pinckney street	5	Alterations, dwelling	None
W. Pease O'Brien, Inc	182 Portland street	3	Alterations, store	$1,500
M. S. and W. DeLorenzo	15 Princeton street	1	Fire escape, dwelling	300
Arthur and Ruby Siteman	285 Beacon street	5	Alterations, lodging house	250
Francis Silver	320 Blue Hill avenue	14	Fire repairs, store, dwelling.	3,000
Mary Merola	30 Forest street	18	Dwelling	9,000
Frank Kent	356 and 358 Gallivan Blvd.	16	Dwelling	15,000
Joseph Cappellano	12 Middlesex street	2	Dining car	21,160
George Wattendorf	66 Monadnock street	13	Alterations, dwelling	400
Arthur Harris	35 Moreland street	12	Alterations, dwelling	1,475
Quita Foster	8 Norway park	18	Dwelling	8,000
John Walsh	15 Russell street	2	Fire repairs, store, dwelling	2,000
Wiggin Terminal, Inc.	360 Rutherford avenue	2	Alterations, warehouse	6,000
Oscar Nickson	26 Stratford street	20	Dwelling, garage	15,000
Court Square Press	415 Summer street	6	Alterations, storage, manufacturing, office	1,800
Eastern Racing Association	111 Waldemar avenue	1	Alterations, club house	3,000
Homes, Incorporated	1–5 Walnut avenue	12	Fire repairs, dwelling, store	3,000
Henry Gilmer	286 Walnut avenue	12	Fire repairs, dwelling	2,000
Washington Building Trust	373 Washington street	3	Alterations, store, office	2,500
Mass. School of Barbering	848 Washington street	3	Alterations, store, manufacturing.	1,400
Max Kaugman	5207 Washington street	20	Alterations, stores	13,000
R. M. Bradley	77 North Washington street	3	Sign, store, manufacturing	1,400

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Richard J. Shruhan, 299 M street, South Boston, community garden planner, $58 a week.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

House of Correction.

Paul Flynn, 230 Waldemar avenue, East Boston, correction officer, $63 a week.

John A. Marenghi, 412 Sumner street, East Boston, correction officer, $63 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Margaret M. Loughman, 22 Downer avenue, Dorchester, social worker, $68 a week.

Phyllis M. Katzke, 10 Charles street, Dorchester, social worker, $73 a week.

Frederick A. Sullivan, 93 Pearl street, Charlestown, social worker, $65.50 a week.

Salvatore Freddura, 350 Hanover street, social worker, $65.50 a week.

Anthony Colarossi, 116 Falcon street, East Boston, social worker, $65.50 a week.

Weston E. McArthur, 180 Ruggles street, social worker, $65.50 a week.

Frederick J. Kirby, 60 Queensberry street, social worker, $65.50 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following appointments or reinstatements:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Printing Section.

Marjorie T. Callinan, 24 Fairmount street, Dorchester, copyholder, $60.50 a week.

CITY PLANNING BOARD.

Robert G. Davidson, 61 Madison avenue, Newtonville, principal planner, $108.25 a week.

Sydnor F. Hodges, 42 Mt. Vernon street, principal planner, $108.25 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Anne M. Chappelle, 41 O'Meara court, Charlestown, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Mary E. Hyde, 6 Harbell terrace, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

William Whitman, 119 Sutherland road, Brighton, social worker, $65.50 a week.

Eileen MacEachern, 3 Oakley street, Dorchester, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

James Curran, 141 Broadway, South Boston, ambulance and medical aid man, $53 a week.

Ann Francis, 246 O'Callaghan Way, South Boston, laboratory assistant, part time, $35.50 a week.

Edward N. Shaheen, 198 Durnell avenue, Roslindale, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

Francis J. Hartman, 84 George street, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

Francis A. McNulty, 32 Horadan Way, Roxbury, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

David R. Alverde, 790 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

Dennis Haney, 441 Walnut avenue, Roxbury, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

Cornelius L. Sullivan, 111 Maverick street, East Boston, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

John F. Stanton, 681 Tremont street, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

Michael Mastromarine, 879A Saratoga street, East Boston, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

Liborio M. Sforza, 39 Clark street, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

James H. Elwell, Jr., 468 Saratoga street, East Boston, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

John H. O'Connell, 2 Bay State place, South Boston, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

Margaret L. Whitman, 27 Burbank street, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Beatrice DeLacey, 93 Gardner street, Allston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Mary M. Walsh, 1 Carson street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Rose A. Salasinska, 5 Ellery street, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Frances C. Wild, 156 Lamartine street, Jamaica Plain, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Thelma E. Thomson, 625 Shawmut avenue, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Claire A. Capone, 234 Gold street, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Susan M. Watts, 635 East Sixth street, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Marie C. Tardo, 5 Hill place, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Mary E. Forcellati, 277 Centre street, Jamaica Plain, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Essie B. Allen, 68 School street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Mildred P. Salmons, 45 Chapman street, Charlestown, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Eleanor P. Mirabello, 51 West Milton street, Readville, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Hilda Nunnally, 47 Northfield street, hospital medical worker, $45.50 a week.

Alphonse Martin, 73 Farragut road, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

John Waite, 81 Richmond street, Dorchester, ambulance and medical aid man, $53 a week.

Maureen F. Mahoney, 55½ Roseclair street, Dorchester, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

Richard Johnson, 66 Blake street, Mattapan, hospital kitchen worker, $50.50 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Bridge Division.

Cortland W. Barry, 11 Tolman place, Roxbury, senior engineering aid, $60.50 a week.

Highway Division.

Donald B. Carr, 3 Joslin road, senior engineering aid, $60.50 a week.

Raymond Withrow, 40 Linskey-Barry court, South Boston, junior engineering aid, $50.50 a week.

Sumner Tunnel.

Richard D. McLaughlin, 21 Alpha road, Dorchester, tollman-guard, $63 a week.

James J. Coghlin, Sr., 1551 Centre street, Roslindale, electrician-operator, $68 a week.

Water Division.

Ronald P. Coyne, 26 Beechland street, Roslindale, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Helen V. Gurney, 649 East Seventh street, South Boston, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Francis X. Singleton, 37 Temple street, Dorchester, telehone operator, $55.50 a week.

Timothy F. O'Leary, 90 Sumner street, East Boston, laborer, $53 a week.

John J. Mullane, 203 West Broadway, South Boston, laborer, $53 a week.

Frederick J. McCarthy, 4 Elmore street, Roxbury, laborer, $58 a week.

John J. Flaherty, Jr., 114 Conant street, Roxbury, laborer, $50.50 a week.

James F. Cronin, 100 I street, South Boston, laborer, $53 a week.

Thomas J. Gorham, 181 Third street, South Boston, laborer, $53 a week.

William S. Roche, 28 Fisher avenue, Roxbury, laborer, $55.50 a week.

Warren J. Lynch, 120 Southern avenue, Dorchester, laborer, $50.50 a week.

Robert H. Lewis, 92 East Dedham street, laborer, $50.50 aweek.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM PLUMBING FOR THE WEEK ENDING MARCH 8.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
P. Peterson	856 Bennington street	1	Fixtures	$3,400
R. Kirby	11 Brimmer street	5	Fixtures	415
S. D'Agostino	219 Chelsea street	1	Fixtures	450
F. Boles	1706 Commonwealth avenue	21	Fixtures	350
J. Sullivan	3 and 5 Dahlgren street	15	Fixtures	800
D. Carey	274 Friend street	3	Fixtures	500
C. Bevelander	23 Gay Head street	10	Fixtures	150
E. Dorr	41 Greenbrier street	17	Fixtures	150
B. Shillman	108 Groveland street	18	Fixtures	900
S. Landau	21 Hemenway street	4	Fixtures	500
H. Geddis	111 Huntington avenue	4	Fixtures	50
S. Landau	423 Marlborough street	5	Fixtures	500
S. Landau	509 Park Drive	21	Fixtures	500
S. Goldman	7 Rand place	13	Fixtures	300
J. Hannigan	1121 Washington street	17	Fixtures	450
A. Niekinello	3992 Washington street	19	Fixtures	750
E. Mogel	575 Albany street	9	Fixtures	1,500
R. Kirby	107 Beacon street	5	Fixtures	200
J. Amico	89 Bedford street	3	Fixtures	225
S. Whitcombe	10 and 12 Benton street	9	Fixtures	700
D. Puopolo	154 Boylston street	5	Fixtures	250
C. Lang	75 Emmonsdale road	20	Fixtures	20
C. Lang	34 Forest street	18	Fixtures	150
A. Stahly	8 Joseph street	16	Fixtures	20
A. Stahly	20 Mayfield street	13	Fixtures	20
J. Rooney	40 Walk Hill street	19	Fixtures	500
M. Kahn	315 Western avenue	21	Fixtures	2,000
George W. Vogel	64 West Rutland square	4	Fixtures	50
M. Slishman	32 Aldrich street	20	Fixtures	800
C. Bevelander	29 Chestnut Hill avenue	21	Fixtures	100
William Fafara	141 Fuller street	17	Fixtures	950
William Fafara	145 Fuller street	17	Fixtures	950
W. Johnson	157 Glenway street	14	Fixtures	350
William Abbott	287 Old Colony avenue	6	Fixtures	150
A. Goldberg	90 St. Mary's street	21	Fixtures	300
William Abbott	90 Tremont street	3	Fixtures	380
E. Healy	17 Wentworth street	18	Fixtures	350
K. Hering	334 Amory street	11	Fixtures	220
B. Clancy	528 Commonwealth avenue	5	Fixtures	750
K. Hering	45 Cranston street	19	Fixtures	400
P. Janis	137 Kneeland street	3	Fixtures	250
B. Bishop	1162 Blue Hill avenue	14	Fixtures	200
W. Crawford	51 Boylston street	3	Fixtures	35
S. Lucido	46 Cedar Lane Way	5	Fixtures	65
J. Cersorimo	64 Charlemont street	16	Fixtures	340
V. Guistina	35 Collins street	18	Fixtures	1,000
S. Slavet	69 Favre street	18	Fixtures	500
R. Wieder	78 Hobart street	21	Fixtures	150
S. Goldman	5 Rand place	13	Fixtures	450
J. Riley	82 Tremont street	3	Fixtures	650

Dominic A. DeNapoli, 71 Augustus street, Roslindale, laborer, $50.50 a week.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Collecting Division.

Gloria R. Freaney, 14 Monponset street, Mattapan, statistical machine operator, $45.50 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following changes in status:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Michael A. Malley, 765 South street, Roslindale, from title examiner at $80 a week to title examiner at $87 a week.

Joseph T. Burke, 19 Elgin street, West Roxbury, from office appliance maintenance man at $61.25 a week to office appliance maintenance man at $65.50 a week.

James I. Black, 15 Ferncroft road, West Roxbury, from chief abatement clerk at $87.47 a week to chief abatement clerk at $90.50 a week.

Michael A. Ahern, 405 Washington street, Dorchester, from title examiner at $80 a week to title examiner at $87 a week.

Charles J. Mehegan, 44 Bigelow street, Brighton, from principal clerk at $80 a week to supervisor, File and Appeal Records Division, at $98.75 a week.

CITY PLANNING BOARD.

Thomas E. McCormick, 16 Danville street, West Roxbury, from director of planning at $129.58 a week to director of planning at $129.58 a week.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

James H. Finnerty, 10 Saco street, Dorchester, from clerk and stenographer at $66.37 a week to head administrative clerk at $95.11 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Norma F. MacDonald, 34 Wrentham street, Dorchester, from senior clerk and typist at $63 a week to principal statistical machine operator (temporary) at $65.50 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

James F. Flaherty, 39 South Munroe terrace, Dorchester, from hospital medical worker, permanent, at $45.50 a week to senior X-ray technician, temporary, at $58 a week.

Emilio Celata, 215 North street, from senior hospital kitchen worker at $63 a week to assistant chef at $83.50 a week.

Cornelius Cooper, 40 Cotuit street, West Roxbury, from senior hospital kitchen worker at $65.50 a week to assistant chef at $90.50 a week.

William C. Norton, 403 West street, Hyde Park, from head hospital house worker at $90.96 a week to head hospital house worker at $98.75 a week.

Priscilla Christensen, 394 Chatham street, from floor nurse at $65.50 a week to head nurse at $68 a week.

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TAX ABATEMENT DECISIONS RENDERED BY THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS FOR THE WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 4.

LEGEND.

* Appellate Tax Board Settlement. ¶ Illegal assessment. ‖ Chapter 59-5.
† Appellate Tax Board Decision. § Duplicate assessment. = Chapter 58-8.
‡ Overvaluation Settlement by Board of Assessors.

Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Theopold, Philip H., et al	13-15 Winter st	3—1950	$37,800.00	$14,175.00	*
Hermance, Edgar L., et al	427 Washington st	3—1950	20,475.00	1,260 00	*
265 Tremont Street, Inc	473-477 Stuart st	4—1950	1,701.00	126.00	*
265 Tremont Street, Inc	470-478 Stuart st	4—1950	5,670.00	315.00	*
265 Tremont Street, Inc	450-458 Stuart st	4—1950	1,386.00	126.00	*
Morton Realty Company	1157 Blue Hill av	14—1950	25,200.00	10,395.00	*
Hennessy, William, Trustee	33-35 West st	3—1951	18,840.00	7,222.00	*
Hermance, Edgar L., et al	427 Washington st	3—1951	20,410.00	1,256.00	*
Theopold, Philip H., et al	13-15 Winter st	3—1951	37,680.00	14,130.00	*
265 Tremont Street, Inc	450-458 Stuart st	4—1951	1,381.60	125.60	*
265 Tremont Street, Inc	470-478 Stuart st	4—1951	5,652.00	314.00	*
265 Tremont Street, Inc	463-471A Stuart st	4—1951	7,850.00	942.00	*
265 Tremont Street, Inc	473-477 Stuart st	4—1951	1,695.60	125.60	*
214 Boylston Street, Inc	214-216 Boylston st	5—1951	6,908.00	1,570.00	*
Whitaker, Grace	62-66 Queensberry st	5—1951	11,618.00	628 00	*
Morton Realty Co	1157 Blue Hill av	14—1951	25,120.00	10,362.00	*
Wernons Realty Corp	401-405 Norfolk st	14—1951	803.84	175.84	*
Boston & Albany Railroad Co	52 Cambridge st	22—1951	166,420.00	14,130.00	*
Ciampa, James	187 Atlantic av	3—1952	3,340.00	534.40	*
Doe, William A., et al	33-35 Court st	3—1952	13,360.00	8,016.00	*
Doe, William A., Trustee	37-51 Court st	3—1952	20,040.00	3,674.00	*
Hennessy, William, Trustee	33-35 West street	3—1952	20,040.00	7,682.00	*
Hermance, Edgar L., et al	427 Washington st	3—1952	21,710.00	1,336.00	*
Myers Realty, Inc	54 Canal st	3—1952	8,684.00	1,068.80	*
Theopold, Philip H., et al	13-15 Winter st	3—1952	40,080.00	15,030.00	*
Walton Lunch Co	186 Shawmut av	3—1952	3,206.40	801.60	*
West Realty Co., Inc	12 Blossom st	3—1952	3,006.00	1,002.00	*
Martin, William H., Trustee	45 Symphony rd	4—1952	1,603.20	200.40	*
Martin, William H., Trustee	47 Symphony rd	4—1952	1,603.20	200.40	*
265 Tremont Street, Inc	449-457 Stuart st	4—1952	5,010.00	334.00	*
265 Tremont Street, Inc	450-458 Stuart st	4—1952	1,469.60	133.60	*
265 Tremont Street, Inc	463-471A Stuart st	4—1952	8,350.00	1,002.00	*
265 Tremont Street, Inc	470-478 Stuart st	4—1952	6,012.00	334.00	*
265 Tremont Street, Inc	473-477 Stuart st	4—1952	1,803.60	133.60	*
Henderson, James H	98 Brookline av	5—1952	5,678.00	2,171.00	*
Jacobson, Donald, et al	62-66 Queensberry st	5—1952	12,358.00	668.00	*
214 Boylston Street, Inc	214-216 Boylston st	5—1952	7,348.00	1,670.00	*
Radziewicz, Peter	38-40 Ellery st	7—1952	534.40	26.72	*
Scott, George	390 Riverway	10—1952	2,805.60	480.96	*
Scott, George	394 Riverway	10—1952	3,406.80	380.76	*
Popkin Realty Trust	1951 Columbus av	11—1952	734.80	100.20	*
Popkin Realty Trust	1 Bainbridge st	11—1952	167.00	33.40	*
Popkin Realty Trust	3 Bainbridge st	11—1952	160.32	26.72	*
Popkin Realty Trust	5 Bainbridge st	11—1952	160.32	26.72	*
Popkin Realty Trust	7 Bainbridge st	11—1952	160.32	26.72	*
Cohen, Max R., Trustee	144 Seaver st	12—1952	2,672.00	267.20	*
Cohen, Max R., Trustee	148 Seaver st	12—1952	2,672.00	267.20	*
Cohen, Max R., Trustee	154 Seaver st	12—1952	5,811.60	801.60	*
Cohen, Max R., Trustee	17-21 Sonoma st	12—1952	5,344.00	668.00	*
Ribock, Israel, et al	329 Blue Hill av	12—1952	5,010.00	1,336.00	*
Lee, Sophie	154 Walnut av	12—1952	968.60	133.60	*
Nelson, William A., et al	150 Walnut av	12—1952	1,102.20	233.80	*
Morton Realty Co	1157 Blue Hill av	14—1952	26,720.00	11,020.00	*
Slobodkin, Samuel	209 Columbia rd	14—1952	1,068.80	200.40	*
Wernons Realty Corp	401-405 Norfolk st	14—1952	855.04	187.04	*
Boston & Albany Railroad Co	52 Cambridge st	22—1952	173,212.40	15,030.00	*
Sonnabend, Leopold M., et al	238-242 Market st	22—1952	1,429.52	66.80	*
Sonnabend, Leopold M., et al	2 Cypress ct	22—1952	694.72	26.72	*
Sonnabend, Leopold M., et al	4 Cypress ct	22—1952	594.52	26.72	*
Sonnabend, Leopold M., et al	5 Cypress ct	22—1952	594.52	26.72	*
Sonnabend, Leopold M., et al	6 Cypress ct	22—1952	594.52	26.72	*
Sonnabend, Leopold M., et al	7 Cypress ct	22—1952	594.52	26.72	*
Sonnabend, Leopold M., et al	8 Cypress ct	22—1952	594.52	26.72	*
Ciampa, James	125-127 South Market st	3—1953	3,535.00	565.60	*
Doe, William A., et al	33-35 Court st	3—1953	14,140.00	8,484.00	*
Doe, William A., et al	37-51 Court st	3—1953	21,210 00	3,888.50	*
Mehegan, Rose, et al	33-35 West st	3—1953	21,210.00	8,130.50	*
Hermance, Edgar L., et al	427 Washington st	3—1953	22,977.50	1,414.00	*
Myers Realty, Inc	54 Canal st	3—1953	8,908.20	1,131.20	*
W. Forty-Eighth Street Theatre Co	186 Shawmut av	3—1953	3,393.60	848.40	*
Theopold, Philip H., et al	13-15 Winter st	3—1953	42,420.00	15,907.50	*
West Realty Co., Inc	12 Blossom st	3—1953	3,181.50	1,060.50	*
Martin, William H., Trustee	45 Symphony rd	4—1953	1,696.80	106.50	*
Martin, William H., Trustee	47 Symphony rd	4—1953	1,696.80	106.05	*
265 Tremont Street, Inc	449-457 Stuart st	4—1953	5,302.50	353.50	*
265 Tremont Street, Inc	450-458 Stuart st	4—1953	1,555.40	141.40	*
265 Tremont Street, Inc	463-471A Stuart st	4—1953	8,837.50	1,060.50	*
265 Tremont Street, Inc	470-478 Stuart st	4—1953	6,363.00	353.50	*
265 Tremont Street, Inc	473-477 Stuart st	4—1953	1,908.90	141.40	*
Henderson, James H	96 Brookline av	5—1953	6,009.00	2,297.75	*
Jacobson, Donald, et al	62-66 Queensberry st	5—1953	13,079.50	707.00	*
214 Boylston Street, Inc	214-216 Boylston st	5—1953	7,777.00	1,767.50	*
Radziewicz, Peter	38-40 Ellery st	7—1953	565.60	28.28	*
Scott, George	390 Riverway	10—1953	2,969.40	509.04	*
Scott, George	394 Riverway	10—1953	3,605.70	402.99	*
Popkin Realty Trust	1951 Columbus av	11—1953	777.70	106.05	*
Popkin Realty Trust	1 Bainbridge st	11—1953	176.75	35.35	*
Popkin Realty Trust	3 Bainbridge st	11—1953	169.68	28.28	*
Popkin Realty Trust	5 Bainbridge st	11—1953	169.68	28.28	*
Popkin Realty Trust	7 Bainbridge st	11—1953	169.68	28.28	*
Borr, Israel, et al	329 Blue Hill av	12—1953	5,302.50	1,414.00	*
Cohen, Max R., Trustee	17 Sonoma st	12—1953	5,656.00	707.00	*
Cohen, Max R., Trustee	144 Seaver st	12—1953	2,828.00	282.80	*
Cohen, Max R., Trustee	148 Seaver st	12—1953	2,828.00	282.80	*
Cohen, Max R., Trustee	154 Seaver st	12—1953	6,150.90	848.40	*
Lee, Sophie	154 Walnut av	12—1953	1,025.15	141.40	*
Nelson, William A., et al	150 Walnut av	12—1953	1,166.55	247.45	*
Morton Realty Co	1157 Blue Hill av	14—1953	28,280.00	11,665.50	*
Schwarz, Estelle K	209 Columbia rd	14—1953	1,131.20	212.10	*
Grossman, Shirley D., et al	Baker pl	20—1953	1,696.80	424.20	*

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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South Division.

Mary J. Tedesco, 68 Webster street, East Boston, from hospital house worker at $53 a week to senior hospital house worker at $55.50 a week.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Edward J. Colman, 50 Sawyer avenue, Dorchester, from title examiner at $80 a week to title examiner at $87 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Anthony D'Arcangelo, 70 Vallar road, East Boston, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior clerk and typist at $55.50 a week.

Bridge Division.

Pauline A. Leahy, 1687 Commonwealth avenue, Brighton, from cashier at $76.50 a week to principal account clerk (temporary) at $80 a week.

Bridge-Tunnel Division.

Lewis Fox, 264 Kelton street, Allston, from clerk and typist at $48 a week to senior clerk and typist (temporary) at $55.50 a week.

Highway Division.

John J. McManus, 70 Francis street, Roxbury, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to principal clerk and stenographer, temporary, at $68 a week.

Sanitary Division.

Arthur D. Fitzpatrick, 108 Florida street, Dorchester, from street cleaning and waste collection inspector at $80 a week to district foreman of street cleaning and waste collection, temporary, at $83.50 a week.

Survey Division.

Robert F. Mehegan, 38 Fenway, from senior clerk and typist at $63 a week to principal clerk and typist, temporary, at $65.50 a week.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

John B. Tracey, 49 Owencroft road, Dorchester, from water lien supervisor at $90.50 a week to water lien supervisor at $98.75 a week.

Daniel A. Grant, 111 Westchester road, West Roxbury, from head teller at $108.25 a week to head teller at $114.29 a week.

Joseph F. Fitzgerald, 15 Downer avenue, Dorchester, from deputy collector and cashier at $110.45 a week to deputy collector and cashier at $110.45 a week.

William D. Welsh, 224 Jamaicaway, Jamaica Plain, from tax title teller at $76.50 a week to tax title teller at $82.58 a week.

Louis E. Fossa, 174 Boston street, Dorchester, from abatement supervisor at $83.50 a week to abatement supervisor at $87 a week.

William J. Kelley, 280 River street, Mattapan, from tax title teller at $80 a week to tax title teller at $86.08 a week.

Joseph Levy, 104 Nightingale street, Dorchester, from tax title teller at $76.50 a week to tax title teller at $83.50 a week.

VETERANS' SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Thomas P. Donahue, 14 John A. Andrew street, Jamaica Plain, from assistant commissioner of veterans' benefits

and services at $98.75 a week to assistant commissioner of veterans' benefits and services at $102.78 a week.

Edward F. Trainor, 16 Fernald terrace, Dorchester, from assistant commissioner of veterans' benefits and services at $98.75 a week to assistant commissioner of veterans' benefits and services at $108.25 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Harold Burwood, 211 Hancock street, Dorchester, from principal clerk at $80 a week to supervisor of supplies, temporary, at $98.95 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following leaves of absence:

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Elizabeth Killion, 34 Linden street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $50.50 a week.

Mary E. Christopher, 22 Savin street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $50.50 a week.

Louis A. Fisher, 200 Columbus avenue, Roxbury, hospital laundry worker, $56.67 a week.

Julia Davis, 31 Warren avenue, hospital medical worker, $50.50 a week.

Mary M. Baglio, 34 Princeton street, East Boston, clerk and stenographer, $50.50 a week.

Sally C. Fournier, 38 Northampton street, hospital kitchen worker, $53 a week.

John Ridge, 93 West Broadway, South Boston, hospital laundry worker, $43 a week.

Katherine McGilvray, 11 Cross street, Waltham, floor nurse, $65.50 a week.

Charles Wilson, 137 K street, South Boston, hospital laundry worker, $50.50 a week.

Long Island Division.

Anna B. Cassidy, 2051 Commonwealth avenue, Brighton, senior clerk and stenographer, $68 a week.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Charles E. Englert, 664 West Roxbury Parkway, senior law clerk and investigator, $59.44 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Patrick S. Earner, 16 East Brookline street, laborer, $53 a week.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Collecting Division.

Jacqueline A. Clark, 131 Grampian Way, Dorchester, statistical machine operator, $50.50 a week.

STEP-RATE INCREASES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved step-rate increases for employees of the following departments:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Gladys E. Mikalonis, principal clerk, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Harold E. Vaughan, assistant assessor, part time, from $274.05 to $284.93 a month.

AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

Cosimo J. Vacca, clerk, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

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TAX ABATEMENT DECISIONS RENDERED BY THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS FOR THE WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 4.—Continued.

LEGEND.

* Appellate Tax Board Settlement. ¶ Illegal assessment. ‖ Chapter 59–5.
† Appellate Tax Board Decision. § Duplicate assessment. = Chapter 58–8.
‡ Overvaluation Settlement by Board of Assessors.

Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Boston & Albany Railroad Co	310 Cambridge st	22—1953	$183,325.10	$15,907.50	*
Sonnabend, Leopold M., et al	2 Cypress ct	22—1953	735.28	28.28	*
Sonnabend, Leopold M., et al	1–3 Cypress ct	22—1953	1,512.98	70.70	*
Sonnabend, Leopold M., et al	4 Cypress ct	22—1953	629.23	28.28	*
Sonnabend, Leopold M., et al	5 Cypress ct	22—1953	629.23	28.28	*
Sonnabend, Leopold M., et al	6 Cypress ct	22—1953	629.23	28.28	*
Sonnabend, Leopold M., et al	7 Cypress ct	22—1953	629.23	28.28	*
Sonnabend, Leopold M., et al	8 Cypress ct	22—1953	629.23	28.28	*
DiLorenzo, Thomas M., Jr	1114 Bennington st	1—1954	488.60	55.84	‡
O'Brien Richard J., Jr	107 Faywood av	1—1954	411.56	62.82	‡
Ambach, Harold E	92 Bedford st	3—1954	1,745.00	349.00	‡
Ambach, Harold E	43 Kingston st	3—1954	2,443.00	349.00	‡
Ciampa, James	125A–129 South Market st	3—1954	3,490.00	558.40	‡
Doe, William A., et al	33 Court st	3—1954	13,960.00	5,584.00	‡
Doe, William A., et al	37–51 Court st	3—1954	20,940.00	3,839.00	‡
Hennessy, William, Trustee	33 West st	3—1954	20,940.00	8,027.00	‡
Maggio, Joseph	12 South Margin st	3—1954	3,490.00	698.00	‡
Meland Realty Corp	263 Atlantic av	3—1954	4,188.00	698.00	‡
Myers Realty, Inc	54 Canal st	3—1954	8,794.80	1,116.80	‡
Theopold, Philip H., et al	13–15 Winter st	3—1954	41,880.00	15,705.00	*
Walton, Mary A., et al	186–188 Shawmut av	3—1954	3,350.40	837.60	‡
West Realty Co., Inc	12 Blossom st	3—1954	3,141.00	1,047.00	‡
Cohen, Hyman	763 Tremont st	4—1954	767.80	209.40	‡
Davidson, Robert J	511 Columbus av	4—1954	698.00	174.50	‡
265 Tremont Street, Inc	473–477 Stuart st	4—1954	1,884.60	139.60	‡
265 Tremont Street, Inc	470–478 Stuart st	4—1954	6,282.00	349.00	‡
265 Tremont Street, Inc	450–458 Stuart st	4—1954	1,535.60	139.60	‡
265 Tremont Street, Inc	449–457 Stuart st	4—1954	5,235.00	349.00	‡
265 Tremont Street, Inc	463–471A Stuart st	4—1954	8,725.00	1,047.00	‡
Vogue Sign Co., Inc	21 Stanhope st	4—1954	907.40	209.40	‡
Binder, Morris	459 Beacon st	5—1954	1,570.50	314.10	‡
Bourne, Gertrude B	130 Mt. Vernon st	5—1954	1,116.80	244.30	‡
214 Boylston Street, Inc	214–216 Boylston st	5—1954	7,678.00	1,745.00	‡
Cahill, Mary E., Trustee	256 Boylston st	5—1954	9,772.00	2,792.00	‡
Drummond, Dorothy E., et al	44 Mt. Vernon st	5—1954	1,186.60	244.30	‡
Franklin Savings Bank	5 Park sq	5—1954	15,356.00	5,933.00	‡
Gordon, Robert G	62–66 Queensberry st	5—1954	12,913.00	698.00	‡
100 Warrenton Street, Inc	94 Warrenton st	5—1954	3,839.00	349.00	‡
Klaman, Walter	35 Grove st	5—1954	1,047.00	174.50	‡
Portuguese Continental Union	893–901 Boylston st	5—1954	3,839.00	698.00	‡
Saltman, Philip and Ruth	284 Commonwealth av	5—1954	1,745.00	349.00	‡
Starr, Myer and Leon	119 Charles st	5—1954	1,675.20	488.60	‡
Tolman, Gertrude, et al	11 Peterborough st	5—1954	3,490.00	349.00	‡
Tolman, Gertrude	19 Peterborough st	5—1954	3,490.00	349.00	‡
Wedgwood, Charles	76 Peterborough st	5—1954	3,141.00	209.40	‡
Winthrop Parkway, Inc	384 Commonwealth av	5—1954	5,933.00	1,047.00	‡
Women's Educational and Industrial Union	264 Boylston st	5—1954	4,886.00	4,886.00	‡
Daunt, Mary G	341 E st	6—1954	34.90	27.92	‡
Daunt, Mary G., et al	343 E st	6—1954	34.90	27.92	‡
Freeman, Louis	14 Cypher st	6—1954	2,094.00	349.00	‡
Freeman, Louis	Vacant lot, West First st	6—1954	1,005.12	656.12	‡
Shaw, Stewart C	Rear 735 East Broadway	6—1954	139.60	34.90	‡
Shaw, Stewart C	735 East Broadway	6—1954	279.20	69.80	‡
Shaw, Stewart C	737 East Broadway	6—1954	279.20	69.80	‡
Shaw, Stewart C	739 East Broadway	6—1954	132.62	34.90	‡
Galizio, Francesco	531 East Seventh st	7—1954	314.10	34.90	‡
Radziewicz, Peter	38–40 Ellery st	7—1954	558.40	27.92	‡
Simon, Maurice	91 Wareham st	8—1954	9,423.00	1,745.00	‡
Boston Lamp Co., Inc	6 Prentiss st	9—1954	1,605.40	209.40	‡
Mossey, Irving E	372 Shawmut av	9—1954	244.30	69.80	‡
Weiner, Israel	1999 Washington st	9—1954	1,745.00	139.60	‡
Weiner, Israel	5 Ball st	9—1954	418.80	69.80	‡
Back Bay Apartments	897 Huntington av	10—1954	3,559.80	397.86	‡
Back Bay Apartments	390 Riverway	10—1954	2,931.60	502.56	‡
Boyer, Robert	Rear 107 St. Alphonsus st	10—1954	537.46	48.86	‡
Calindo, Anthony R., et al	226–228 Highland st	11—1954	614.24	139.60	‡
Borr, Israel	329 Blue Hill av	12—1954	5,235.00	1,396.00	‡
Cohen, Max R., Trustee	144 Seaver st	12—1954	2,792.00	279.20	‡
Cohen, Max R	148 Seaver st	12—1954	2,792.00	279.20	‡
Cohen, Max R., Trustee	154 Seaver st	12—1954	6,072.60	837.60	‡
Cohen, Max R., Trustee	17–21 Sonoma st	12—1954	5,584.00	698.00	‡
Davidson, Robert J	135 Harrishof st	12—1954	593.30	174.50	‡
Lee, Sophie	154 Walnut av	12—1954	1,012.10	139.60	‡
Nelson, William A., et al	150 Walnut av	12—1954	1,151.70	244.30	‡
Proctor, William H	12 Rockland av	12—1954	369.94	125.64	‡
Sher, Annie S	1 Quincy ter	12—1954	1,396.00	279.20	‡
Sperber, Alvan D., et al	95 Moreland st	12—1954	725.92	258.26	‡
Sperber, Alvan D., et al	10 Perrin st	12—1954	698.00	258.26	‡
Bethany Baptist Church	15 Hartford st	13—1954	453.70	223.36	‡
Cooper, Frieda	26 Vesta rd	14—1954	628.20	69.80	‡
Damelin, Bessie	5 Fayston st	14—1954	376.92	69.80	‡
Freeman, Bertha	128 Wellington st	14—1954	397.86	139.60	‡
Goren, Eva	20 Astoria st	14—1954	628.20	139.60	‡
Lewis, Joseph I., et al	105 Columbia rd	14—1954	2,233.60	139.60	‡
Lewis, Joseph I., Trustee	Vacant lot, Powellton rd	14—1954	258.26	48.86	‡
Marenburg, Elliott	229 Columbia rd	14—1954	1,396.00	139.60	‡
Morton Realty Co	1157 Blue Hill av	14—1954	27,920.00	11,517.00	‡
Schwarz, Estelle K	209 Columbia rd	14—1954	1,116.80	209.40	‡
Scott, Leroy H., et al	114 Brunswick st	14—1954	558.40	69.80	‡
Wernon, Louis	401–405 Norfolk st	14—1954	893.44	195.44	‡
Moriarty, Ellen J	39 Cameron st	15—1954	453.70	104.70	‡
Daikos Lazarus R	45 Templeton st	16—1954	523.50	104.70	‡
Wyman, John K	9–11 Woodfield st	16—1954	572.36	41.88	‡
Cuddy, Joseph J	136 Tonawanda st	17—1954	663.10	69.80	‡
Drucker, Samuel, et al	66 Mora st	17—1954	663.10	55.84	‡
Filling Stations Realty	1563 Blue Hill av	18—1954	2,470.92	935.32	‡
Ford, Redmond J., et al	101 Greenfield rd	18—1954	314.10	69.80	‡
Reuben, Jennie	613 Walk Hill st	18—1954	349.00	69.80	‡
Reuben, Jennie	609 Walk Hill st	18—1954	209.40	69.80	‡

TAX ABATEMENT DECISIONS RENDERED BY THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS FOR THE WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 4.— Concluded.

LEGEND.

* Appellate Tax Board Settlement. ¶ Illegal assessment. | Chapter 59–5.
† Appellate Tax Board Decision. § Duplicate assessment. = Chapter 58–8.
‡ Overvaluation Settlement by Board of Assessors.

Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Dilanian, Vahan J.	20 St. Peter st.	19—1954	$565.60	$69.80	‡
Kirchgessner, Henry J.	38 Bexley rd.	19—1954	349.00	34.90	‡
McDonald, Arthur	815 Centre st.	19—1954	1,188.30	174.50	‡
McDonald, Arthur	821 Centre st.	19—1954	1,118.40	174.50	‡
O'Neil, Nora	21–23 Burroughs st.	19—1954	777.70	69.80	‡
Cooper, Arthur H., et al.	6 Ledgewood rd.	20—1954	488.60	34.90	‡
Freeman, Samuel E.	2 Ledgewood rd.	20—1954	418.80	34.90	‡
Haursler, John A.	85 Lasell st.	20—1954	362.96	69.80	‡
Siegel, Samuel	4337 Washington st.	20—1954	1,396.00	174.50	‡
Baskin, Carl, et al.	109 Peterborough st.	21—1954	6,282.00	1,256.40	‡
Baskin, Carl and Lewis	105 Peterborough st.	21—1954	6,282.00	1,256.40	‡
Boston College Trustees	55 Commonwealth av.	21—1954	1,437.88	1,437.88	‡
Carresi, Michael	7 Pratt st.	21—1954	279.20	69.80	‡
Dressler, Nancy	455 Park Drive	21—1954	837.60	139.60	‡
Dressler, Nancy	457 Park Drive	21—1954	1,081.90	209.40	‡
Fenton, Cora C.	62 Quint av.	21—1954	558.40	69.80	‡
Lippin, Elmer F.	86 Glenville av.	21—1954	2,443.00	209.40	‡
Harvey, Francis W., et al.	48 Leamington rd.	21—1954	397.86	34.90	‡
Mutual Associates, Inc.	949 Commonwealth av.	21—1954	6,980.00	1,745.00	‡
Boston & Albany Railroad Co.	310 Cambridge st.	22—1954	180,991.40	15,705.00	‡
Boston & Albany Railroad Co.	Third st., corner of Buffalo st.	22—1954	21,638.00	5,297.82	‡
Boston & Albany Railroad Co.	Block 22, Allston Station.	22—1954	3,490.00	1,396.00	‡
Downey, Ralph, et al.	219 Cambridge st.	22—1954	1,256.40	230.34	‡
Krupp, Philip, et al.	1–3 Platt rd.	22—1954	607.26	118.66	‡
Krupp, Philip and William	2–4 Platt rd.	22—1954	593.30	34.90	‡
Krupp, Philip and William	9–11 Platt rd.	22—1954	586.32	27.92	‡
Krupp, Philip, et al.	6–8 Platt rd.	22—1954	621.22	62.82	‡
Sonnabend, Leopold M., et al.	8 Cypress ct.	22—1954	621.22	27.92	‡
Sonnabend, Leopold M.	6 Cypress ct.	22—1954	621.22	27.92	‡
Sonnabend, Leopold M.	7 Cypress ct.	22—1954	621.22	27.92	‡
Sonnabend, Leopold M.	238–242 Market st.	22—1954	1,493.72	69.80	‡
Sonnabend, Leopold M.	2 Cypress ct.	22—1954	725.92	27.92	‡
Sonnabend, Leopold M.	5 Cypress ct.	22—1954	621.22	27.92	‡
Sonnabend, Leopold M.	4 Cypress ct.	22—1954	621.22	27.92	‡
Stenstreem, Earle A., et al.	55 Bennett st.	22—1954	244.30	104.70	‡
PERSONAL PROPERTY.					
North East Theatres, Inc.	637 Washington st.	17—1953	$424.20	$141.40	*
Northeast Airlines, Inc.	Logan International Airport	1—1954	9,841.80	2,161.80	‡
Grafton Spools, Ltd.	Wiggin Terminals.	2—1954	209.40	209.40	¶
Union Securities Corp.	19 Congress st.	3—1954	13.96	13.96	¶
Tabor, Harry B.	53 State st.	3—1954	41.88	41.88	¶
Teele, Arthur P.	41 Tremont st.	3—1954	6.98	6.98	¶
Townsend, R. Elmer, Jr.	262 Washington st.	3—1954	118.66	111.68	‡
Johnson, Rena	88 Chestnut st.	5—1954	34.90	34.90	¶
Sperber, Alvan D., et al.	95 Moreland st.	12—1954	132.62	62.82	‡

STEP-RATE INCREASES.

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

James R. Cass, senior egress inspector, from $83.50 to $87 a week.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Charles F. Connors, senior fire alarm operator, from $86.59 to $90.61 a week.

Harold V. Haskell, fire fighter, from $74.71 to $76.63 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Health Division.

Jean Antonellis, public health nurse, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Weights and Measures Division.

Stanley S. Kowalewski, deputy sealer of weights and measures, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

George C. Lantry, coal inspector, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

John G. Galvin, hospital medical worker, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

John Anthony, pharmacist, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Long Island Division.

Robert W. Bradley, attendant nurse, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Mary G. Buckley, attendant nurse, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

William H. Callan, carpenter's helper, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Richard J. Collins, hospital kitchen worker, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Jeanette E. Conrad, graduate practical nurse, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

Patrick J. Cooney, attendant nurse, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Ethyl A. Dolan, attendant nurse, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Thomas F. Fitzgibbon, hospital kitchen worker, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Clarence H. Murray, licensed practical nurse, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

Charles R. Taylor, attendant nurse, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

William E. Collins, general foreman of park maintenance, from $90.50 to $94 a week.

Cemetery Division.

Joseph Edmunds, laborer, from $60.50 to $63.80 a week.

Thomas J. Donnelly, electrician, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Carl M. Hansen, laborer, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Domenico Pocitto, laborer, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

John Freitas, park maintenance foreman, from $80 to $83.50 a week.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

James E. Baxter, commitment and transfer officer, from $83.50 to $87 a week.

Cornelius M. Lanning, head clerk, from $94 to $98.75 a week.

House of Correction.

Archibald B. Cameron, correction officer, from $72.11 to $73 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Bridge Division.

Alfred E. Guarracino, electrician-operator, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Highway Division.

James Connolly, paver, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Sanitary Division.

Owen P. Cadden, laborer, from $50.50 to $58 a week.

Joseph J. Casey, laborer, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

James J. Feetham, laborer, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

Michael S. Hardiman, laborer, from $50.50 to $58 a week.

Walter F. McCoy, laborer, from $50.50 to $55.50 a week.

John F. Sullivan, laborer, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

Buildings Division.

Mary Morehouse, custodial worker, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

Anna J. LaPoint, telephone operator, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Market Division.

Edward J. McCormack, assistant superintendent of markets, from $94 to $98.75 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Arthur Sherman, chief engineer, from $83.50 to $87 a week.

Barbara I. King, clerk-typist, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Mary V. O'Rourke, clerk-typist, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Charlotte Parris, clerk-typist, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Fannie Webster, clerk-typist, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Peter Mirisola, junior building custodian, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Johanna Balfe, principal bookkeeper, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

George Krim, principal clerk, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Helen Shea, principal clerk, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Martha Staples, senior bookkeeper, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

John L. Bryant, social worker, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Charles Gearin, social worker, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Joseph Hanglin, social worker, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Catherine MacKenzie, social worker, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Edward Murphy, social worker, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Huntley Nicholas, social worker, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Alexander Spano, social worker, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Mario Stracqualursi, social worker, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Lillian Zilg, social work supervisor, from $83.50 to $87 a week.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following requests:

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Sewer Division.

For the week ending February 15:

William Hannigan, tidegate repairman, 24 hours at $3 an hour; Edward Harrington, chief pumping station engineer, 4 hours at $3 an hour; William C. Bayer, electrical operator, 4 hours at $3 an hour.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award the contracts for work, materials, and supplies, in accordance with recommendations of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Purchasing Division.

Upon February 21 the Mayor approved a contract with lowest bidders for furnishing fine printing papers to the Printing Section, as requested, from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, inclusive. Approximate total amounts of contracts were as follows:

Century Paper Company, Inc., $13,246.50, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; John Carter & Company, Inc., $11,627.50, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids, opened February 5, were as follows:

Fine Printing Papers.

Requisition No. 44.

Item 1. 25,000 Pounds No. 4 Sulfite Bond, Substance 16 Pounds, White, 3 Sizes, 22x34, 24x38, 28x34, Trimmed Ream, Ream Wrapped, Packed in Cartons, Per Hundredweight.—Andrews Paper Company, $18.05; John Carter & Co., Inc., $16.55; Century Paper Company, Inc., $16.20*; Shawmut Paper Company, $16.50.

Item 2. 10,000 Pounds No. 1 Sulfite Bond (Watermarked), Substance 13 and 16 Pounds, White, 3 Sizes, 22x34, 24x38, 28x34, Trimmed Ream, Ream Wrapped, Packed in Cartons, Per Hundredweight.—Andrews Paper Company, $20.50; John Carter & Co., Inc., $18.50; Century Paper Company, Inc., $18.35*; Shawmut Paper Company, $18.50.

Item 3. 15,000 Pounds No. 1 Sulfite Bond (Watermarked), Substance 13 and 16 Pounds, Colors, Most Will Be Ordered in 6 Standard Colors but 12 Colors Must Be Available, 3 Sizes, 22x34, 24x38, 28x34, Trimmed Ream, Ream Wrapped, Packed in Cartons, Per Hundredweight.—Andrews Paper Company, $21.65; John Carter & Co., Inc., $19.85*; Century Paper Company, Inc., $20; Shawmut Paper Company, $19.50.

Requisition No. 45.

Item 4. 10,000 Pounds, 25 Per Cent Rag Content, Bond, Substance 16 Pounds, White (Watermarked), 3 Sizes, 22x34, 24x38, 28x34, Trimmed Ream, Ream Wrapped, Packed in Cartons, Per Hundredweight.—Andrews Paper Company, $30.15; John Carter & Co., Inc., $25.50*; Century Paper Company, Inc., $25.78; Cook-Vivian-Lindenmeyr Company, Inc., $28.95 (Valley Forge Bond); Shawmut Paper Company, $26.50.

Item 5. 20,000 Pounds No. 4 Sulfite Ledger, White, Substance 24 Pounds, 3 Sizes, 22x34, 24x38, 28x34, Trimmed Ream, Ream Wrapped, Packed in Cartons, Per Hundredweight.—Andrews Paper Company, $18.50; John Carter & Co., Inc., $16.95; Century Paper Company, Inc., $16.67*; Shawmut Paper Company, $17.50.

Item 6. 20,000 Pounds, 50 Per Cent Rag, Ledger, White (Watermarked), Substance 24 Pounds and 28 Pounds, 6 Sizes in Each Weight, 17x22, 19x24, 17x28, 22x34, 24x38, 28x34, Trimmed Ream, Ream Wrapped, Packed in Cartons, Per Hundredweight.—Andrews Paper Company, $35.95; John Carter & Co., Inc., $30.50*; Century Paper Company, Inc., $30.50; Cook-Vivian-Lindenmeyr Company, Inc., $34.65 (Academy Ledger); Shawmut Paper Company, $31.

Requisition No. 46.

Item 7. 5,000 Pounds, 50 Per Cent Rag, Ledger, Colors (Watermarked), Substance 24 and 28 Pounds, Colors, Buff and Blue, 6 Sizes in Each Weight, 17x22, 19x24, 17x28, 22x34, 24x38, 28x34, Trimmed Ream, Ream Wrapped, Packed in Cartons, Per Hundredweight.—Andrews Paper Company, $37.10; John Carter & Co., Inc., $31.50; Century Paper Company, Inc., $31.50*; Cook-Vivian-Lindenmeyr Company, Inc., $37.20 (Blue Academy Ledger); Shawmut Paper Company, $32.

Item 8. 10,000 Pounds No. 1 Sulfite Index Bristol, White, Most Will Be Size 20½x24¾, 144,000 and 182,000, but Some in All Sizes and Weights of Index Bristol, Ream Wrapped, Packed in Cartons, Per Hundredweight.—Andrews Paper Company, $16.50; John Carter & Co., Inc., $17.90; Century Paper Company, Inc., $15.95.*

Item 9. 5,000 Pounds No. 1. Sulfite Index Bristol, Colors, 6 Standard Colors of Index Bristol Must Be Available, Most Will Be Size 20½x20¾, 144,000 and 182,000, but Some in All Sizes and Weights of Index Bristol, Ream Wrapped, Packed in Cartons, Per Hundredweight.—Andrews Paper Company, $16.60; John Carter & Co., Inc., $18.95; Century Paper Company, Inc., $17.15.*

Discount.—Andrews Paper Company, 2 per cent, 30 days; John Carter & Co., Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Century Paper Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Cook-Vivian-Lindenmeyr Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment (2 per cent, 15 days); Shawmut Paper Company, 2 per cent, 10 days.

Remarks.—Andrews Paper Company, subject to price prevailing at time of shipment; Cook-Vivian-Lindenmeyr Company, Inc., prices quoted firm for period April 1 through March 31, 1956.

*** Contract awarded.**

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Upon February 21 the Mayor approved contracts with lowest bidders for furnishing sand and gravel to the various city departments, from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, inclusive. Approximate total amounts of contracts were as follows:

Pond Contracting Company, Inc., $36,090, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; Frank J. Guaragna, $19,430, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; $2.75 per ton will be charged additionally for less than full-load lots of 10 tons; Acme Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., $4,015, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; $3 per ton will be charged additionally for less than full-load lots of 12 tons.

Bids, opened February 10, were as follows:

Sand and Gravel.

District A, South Boston and City Proper, 10,000 Tons, Price Per Ton.

Bank Sand.—Acme Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., $1.65; Allstate Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., $1.55; Frank J. Guaragna, $1.35*; Pond Contracting Company, Inc., $1.49; A. A. Will Sand and Gravel Corporation, $1.40; Angelo Todesca, $1.54; Charles Todesca, $1.50.

Concrete Sand.—Acme Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., $1.75; Allstate Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., $1.55; Frank J. Guaragna, $1.35*; Pond Contracting Company, Inc., $1.49; A. A. Will Sand and Gravel Corporation, $1.42; Angelo Todesca, $1.54; Charles Todesca, $1.50.

Bank Gravel.—Acme Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., $1.45; Allstate Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., $1.10; Frank J. Guaragna, $1.46*; Pond Contracting Company, Inc., $1.49, Auditor's copy, $1; A. A. Will Sand and Gravel Corporation, $1.50; Angelo Todesca, $1.45; Charles Todesca, $1.40.

District B, Roxbury, West Roxbury, and Hyde Park, 10,000 Tons, Price Per Ton.

Bank Sand.—Acme Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., $2; Allstate Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., $1.55; Frank J. Guaragna, $1.18; Pond Contracting Company, Inc., 81 cents*; A. A. Will Sand and Gravel Corporation, $1.35; Angelo Todesca, $1.30; Charles Todesca, $1.20.

Concrete Sand.—Acme Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., $2.10; Allstate Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., $1.55; Frank J. Guaragna, $1.18; Pond Contracting Company, Inc., $1.13*; A. A. Will Sand and Gravel Corporation, $1.35; Angelo Todesca, $130; Charles Todesca, $1.20.

Bank Gravel.—Acme Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., $1.75; Allstate Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., $1.10; Frank J. Guaragna, $1.18; Pond Contracting Company, Inc., 81 cents*; A. A. Will Sand and Gravel Corporation, $1.50; Angelo Todesca, $1.25; Charles Todesca, $1.10.

District C, Charlestown and East Boston, 3,000 Tons, Price Per Ton.

Bank Sand.—Acme Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., $1.55; Allstate Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., $1.55; Frank J. Guaragna, $1.51*; Pond Contracting Company, $1.75; Angelo Todesca, $2; Charles Todesca, $2.

Concrete Sand.—Acme Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., $1.65; Allstate Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., $1.55; Frank J. Guaragna, $1.61*; Pond Contracting Company, $1.75; Angelo Todesca, $2; Charles Todesca, $2.

Bank Gravel.—Acme Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., $1.35; Allstate Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., $1.10; Frank J. Guaragna, $1.32*; Pond Contracting Company, Inc., $1.75; Angelo Todesca, $2; Charles Todesca, $1.95.

District D, Dorchester, Ashmont and Franklin Park, 14,000 Tons, Price Per Ton.

Bank Sand.—Acme Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., $1.65; Allstate Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., $1.55; Frank J. Guaragna, $1.37; Pond Contracting Company, Inc., $1.09*; A. A. Will Sand and Gravel Corporation, $1.50; Angelo Todesca, $1.50; Charles Todesca, $1.40.

Concrete Sand.—Acme Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., $1.75; Allstate Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., $1.55; Frank J. Guaragna, $1.37; Pond Contracting Company, Inc., $1.33*; A. A. Will Sand and Gravel Corporation, $1.50; Angelo Todesca, $1.50; Charles Todesca, $1.40.

Bank Gravel.—Acme Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., $1.45; Allstate Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., $1.10; Frank J. Guaragna, $1.37; Pond Contracting Company, Inc., $1.09*; A. A. Will Sand and Gravel Corporation, $1.65; Angelo Todesca, $1.10; Charles Todesca, $1.30.

District E, Brighton, 4,000 Tons, Price Per Ton.

Bank Sand.—Acme Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., $1.45; Allstate Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., $1.55; Frank J. Guaragna, $1.31; Pond Contracting Company, Inc., $1.02*; A. A. Will Sand and Gravel Corporation, $1.55; Angelo Todesca, $1.40; Charles Todesca, $1.40.

Concrete Sand.—Acme Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., $1.50; Allstate Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., $1.55; Frank J. Guaragna, $1.31; Pond Contracting Company, Inc., $1.28*; A. A. Will Sand and Gravel Corporation, $1.55; Angelo Todesca, $1.40; Charles Todesca, $1.40.

Bank Gravel.—Acme Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., $1.35; Allstate Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., $1.10; Frank J. Guaragna, $1.31; Pond Contracting Company, Inc., $1.02*; A. A. Will Sand and Gravel Corporation, $1.70; Angelo Todesca, $1.30; Charles Todesca, $1.30.

Deer Island, 500 Tons, Price Per Ton.

Bank Sand.—Acme Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., $1.40*; Allstate Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., $1.55; Frank J. Guaragna, $1.96; Pond Contracting Company, Inc., $1.91; Angelo Todesca, $2.25; Charles Todesca, $2.20.

Concrete Sand.—Acme Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., $1.55*; Allstate Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., $1.55; Frank J. Guaragna, $1.96; Pond Contracting Company, Inc., $2; Angelo Todesca, $2.25; Charles Todesca, $2.20.

Bank Gravel.—Acme Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., $1.35*; Allstate Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., $1.10; Frank J. Guaragna, $1.96; Pond Contracting Company, Inc., $1.91; Angelo Todesca, $2.20; Charles Todesca, $2.20.

Delivery Into City's Trucks at Vendor's Hopper (Estimate Only), 1,000 Tons, Price Per Ton for A.M. Delivery at Hopper.

Bank Sand.—Acme Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., 90 cents, Allstate Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., $1; Frank J. Guaragna, $1.45; Pond Contracting Company, Inc., 40 cents*; A. A. Will Sand and Gravel Corporation, $1.

Concrete Sand.—Acme Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., $1; Allstate Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., $1; Frank J. Guaragna, $1.45; Pond Contracting Company, Inc., 85 cents*; A. A. Will Sand and Gravel Corporation, $1.

Bank Gravel.—Acme Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., 70 cents; Allstate Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., 40 cents; Frank J. Guaragna, $1.35; Pond Contracting Company, Inc., 40 cents*; A. A. Will Sand and Gravel Corporation, 60 cents.

Price Per Ton for P.M. Delivery at Hopper.

Bank Sand.—Acme Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., 90 cents; Allstate Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., $1; Frank J. Guaragna, $1.65; Pond Contracting Company, Inc., 55 cents*; A. A. Will Sand and Gravel Corporation, $1.50.

Concrete Sand.—Acme Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., $1; Allstate Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., $1; Frank J. Guaragna, $1.65; Pond Contracting Company, Inc., $1.05*; A. A. Will Sand and Gravel Corporation, $1.50.

Bank Gravel.—Acme Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., 70 cents; Allstate Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., 40 cents; Frank J. Guaragna, $2.65; Pond Contracting Company, Inc., 55 cents*; A. A. Will Sand and Gravel Corporation, $1.50.

Approximately 2,000 Tons Brick Sand for Delivery at Deer Island and Various City Departments, Per Ton.—Acme Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., $1.62*; Allstate Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., $1.65; Frank J. Guaragna, $2.52; Pond Contracting Company, Inc., $1.90; A. A. Will Sand and Gravel Corporation, $2.85; Angelo Todesca, $2.05; Charles Todesca, $2.25.

Bidder Will Indicate Herewith Location of Pit or Pits for A.M. and P.M. Pickup.—Acme Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., Lexington street, Burlington, Mass., Exit 35, off Route 128; Frank J. Guaragna, Dedham, Mass.; Pond Contracting Company, Inc., Dedham, No. 1; A. A. Will Sand and Gravel Corporation, Turnpike street (Route 138), Canton, Mass.

Additional Charge, If Any, for Less Than Full-Load Lots, Per Ton.—Acme Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., $3*; Frank J. Guaragna, $2.75*; A. A. Will Sand and Gravel Corporation, $1.75; Angelo Todesca, $3; Charles Todesca, $3.

Minimum of Full-Load Capacity.—Acme Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., 12 tons; Frank J. Guaragna, 10 tons; Pond Contracting Company, Inc., 10 tons; A. A. Will Sand and Gravel Corporation, 10 tons; Angelo Todesca, 9 tons; Charles Todesca, 10 tons.

Discount.—Acme Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Allstate Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Frank J. Guaragna, 2 per cent, time of payment; Pond Contracting Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; A. A. Will Sand and Gravel Corporation, 2 per cent, 10 days from date of invoice, positively no discount after that date; Angelo Todesca, 2 per cent, time of payment; Charles Todesca, net (no discount).

Remarks.—Acme Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., the above prices are firm for the period of the contract.

* Contract awarded.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

The School Committee has approved proposals for furnishing lumber for Boston public schools. Bids were opened on Monday, January 10, from the following dealers:

Blacker & Shepard Company, Brodhead Garrett Company, Cobb Lumber Company, Downes Lumber Company, General Builders Supply Company, Palmer & Parker Company, Winde McCormick Company.

Awards were made to the lowest bidders as follows:

Palmer & Parker Company, $6,886.05; Downes Lumber Company, $13,134.54; Cobb Lumber Company, $4,008.83; Winde McCormick Company, $1,683.08; Blacker & Shepard Company, $1,746.05.

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The School Committee has approved proposals for furnishing American anthracite coal for Boston public schools. Bids were opened on Thursday, February 10, from the following concerns:

Boston Ice Company, Consolidated Fuel, Inc., Massachusetts Wharf Company.

Award was made to the lowest responsible bidder as follows:

Massachusetts Wharf Company, $1,037.

MUSEUM OF SCIENCE

Development Program Estimates and Progress
July 1, 1949 — June 30, 1955

		Cost	Funds to Date (10-8-'52)	Funds to Be Raised
I.	Completed			
	A. Construction of East Wing (Ultimately the Hall of Nature)	$580,000	$580,000	—
	B. Construction of Temporary Administration Building (Ten-Year Investment)	45,000	45,000	—
II.	Second Phase			
	C. Hayden Planetarium			
	1. Construction	787,000	787,000	—
	2. Projector, Equipment, and Exhibits	115,000	128,000	—
	D. Operating Funds for Five Years (July 1, 1949 — June 30, 1955)	890,000	640,000	$250,000
III.	Final Phases			
	E. Central Tower (Hall of Man, Hall of Public Health and Medicine, Science Library, Main Lobby, and Entrance)	1,625,000	80,000	1,545,000
	F. Main Heating Plant and Sewer for Entire Development	95,000	85,000	10,000
	G. Installation and Equipment of Exhibit Halls (Entire Plant Except Planetarium)	750,000	150,000	600,000
	H. West Wing (Hall of Science and Industry)	800,000	—	800,000
	I. Aquarium	600,000	—	600,000
	J Outdoor Live Animal Park	10,000	10,000 (pledged)	—
		$6,297,000	$2,505,000	$3,805,000

STATEMENT OF BUILDING OPERATIONS IN THE CITY OF BOSTON FOR THE MONTH ENDING FEBRUARY 28, 1955.

(As compared with corresponding period in preceding years.)

	1955.		1954.		1953.		1952.		1951.	
	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.
Type I	1	$980,000	1	$2,000	1	$1,500	2	$1,360,000	14	$3,746,000
Type II	—	—	—	—	1	32,000	—	—	—	—
Type IV	7	81,300	8	107,420	4	106,800	5	38,800	16	753,000
Type V	2	6,550	2	21,600	2	4,000	1	20,000	3	21,600
Type VI	39	401,000	26	245,040	16	137,000	26	193,475	20	144,396
Total new construction	49	$1,468,850	37	$376,060	24	$281,300	34	$1,612,275	53	$4,664,996
Alterations, additions	338	1,451,152	413	548,780	266	673,622	296	528,705	338	1,566,081
Total structural work	387	$2,920,002	450	$924,840	290	$954,222	330	$2,140,980	391	$6,231,077
Plumbing	173	$136,815	169	$156,545	197	$298,045	173	$219,950	201	$146,405
Gasfitting	463	41,420	413	45,595	382	49,333	326	39,633	266	28,144
Heaters, ovens, etc	16	42,875	27	32,345	21	14,416	15	14,750	17	12,150
Elevators, new freight	3	12,100	1	1,000	6	31,065	4	46,000	1	1,500
Elevators, new passenger	5	220,000	1	26,000	5	75,850	1	12,000	—	—
Elevators, alterations, freight	14	9,204	11	3,600	9	1,145	12	6,112	18	9,728
Elevators, alterations, passenger	26	229,499	23	22,480	30	9,820	31	9,597	37	19,456
Signs, marquees, etc	33	9,265	47	28,333	42	21,395	54	20,925	34	9,530
Fire escapes	34	9,060	65	17,360	70	32,150	31	8,155	38	11,410
Take-downs, wood	2	3,000	9	5,580	3	3,375	6	2,375	29	6,195
Take-downs, brick, etc	7	30,420	1	13,000	2	3,800	18	34,392	4	17,000
Sprinklers	11	15,580	4	12,975	14	46,775	18	6,700	14	57,090
Excavations	4	5,300	2	700	1	150	2	25,100	—	—
Use of premises	4	—	3	—	2	—	1	—	8	—
Total	795	$764,538	776	$365,513	784	$587,319	687	$445,689	659	$318,608
Grand total all work	1,182	$3,684,540	1,226	$1,290,353	1,074	$1,542,241	1,017	$2,586,669	1,050	$6,549,685
Department revenue		$11,862.83		$5,666.50		$4,862.50		$6,909.75		$6,213.50

The following is a statement showing the number, purpose and estimated cost of the erection of new buildings and the alterations, repairs, additions, etc., of existing buildings for which applications were filed with the Building Department of the City of Boston during the

MONTH ENDING FEBRUARY 28, 1955.

Purpose.	New Buildings.		Alterations.		Total.	
	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.
Amusement and recreation places, theaters, movies, halls	—	—	2	$8,600	2	$8,600
Churches, chapels, synagogues	—	—	3	109,225	3	109,225
Dwellings, 1-family	36	$331,000	52	24,799	88	355,799
Dwellings, 2-family	1	14,000	53	24,316	54	38,316
Dwellings, 3-family	—	—	63	27,181	63	27,181
Dwellings, small with stores	—	—	13	12,602	13	12,602
Dwellings, multi-family	—	—	32	26,622	32	26,622
Dwellings, multi-family with stores	—	—	8	2,512	8	2,512
Educational buildings, schools, colleges	1	980,000	7	781,500	8	1,761,500
Garages and repair shops	2	24,000	8	2,984	10	26,984
Hotel and club buildings	—	—	3	5,850	3	5,850
Institutional buildings, hospitals, asylums, clinics	—	—	5	109,200	5	109,200
Lodgings, dormitories, convents, homes	—	—	9	11,102	9	11,102
Manufacturing buildings, bakeries, laundries, workshops	1	5,800	12	50,700	13	56,500
Mercantile buildings, restaurants, stores, showrooms, service stations	6	63,550	37	94,677	43	158,227
Office and bank buildings	2	50,500	21	155,240	23	205,740
Public buildings, libraries, museums	—	—	1	175	1	175
Storage, warehouses, lumber sheds, silos, etc	—	—	4	2,690	4	2,690
Miscellaneous	—	—	5	1,177	5	1,177
Total	49	$1,468,850	338	$1,451,152	387	$2,920,002

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PURPOSES, NUMBER AND ESTIMATED COST OF NEW BUILDINGS AND ALTERATIONS, ADDITIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., FOR WHICH APPLICATIONS HAVE BEEN FILED FOR MONTH ENDING FEBRUARY 28, 1955.

Character.	Amusement, Recreation Places, Theaters, Movies, Halls.		Churches, Chapels, Synagogues.		Dwellings, 1-Family.		Dwellings, 2-Family.		Dwellings, 3-Family.		Dwellings, 1-2-3 Family, with Stores, etc.		Dwellings, Multi-Family.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I														
Type IV														
Type V														
Type VI					36	$331,000	1	$14,000						
Total new work					36	$331,000	1	$14,000						
Alterations, etc.	2	$8,600	3	$109,225	52	24,799	53	24,316	63	$27,181	13	$12,602	32	$26,622
Total structural work	2	$8,600	3	$109,225	88	$355,799	54	$38,316	63	$27,181	13	$12,602	32	$26,622

Character.	Dwellings, Multi-Family, with Stores.		Educational Buildings, Schools, Colleges.		Garages and Repair Shops.		Hotel and Club Buildings.		Institutional Buildings, Hospitals, Asylums, Clinics.		Lodgings, Dormitories, Convents, Homes.		Lodging Houses with Stores.		Manufacturing Buildings, Bakeries, Laundries, Workshops.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I			1	$980,000												
Type IV					2	$24,000									1	$5,800
Type V																
Type VI																
Total new work			1	$980,000	2	$24,000									1	$5,800
Alterations, etc.	8	$2,512	7	781,500	8	2,984	3	$5,850	5	$109,200	9	$11,102			12	50,700
Total structural work	8	$2,512	8	$1,761,500	10	$26,984	3	$5,850	5	$109,200	9	$11,102			13	$56,500

Character.	Mercantile Buildings, Restaurants, Stores, Showrooms, Service Stations.		Office and Bank Buildings.		Public Buildings, Libraries, Museums.		Stables, Kennels, Poultry Houses.		Storage Warehouses, Lumber Sheds, Silos, etc.		Miscellaneous.		Totals.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I													1	$980,000
Type IV	3	$51,000	1	$500									7	81,300
Type V	2	6,550											2	6,550
Type VI	1	6,000	1	50,000									39	401,000
Total new work	6	$63,550	2	$50,500									49	$1,468,850
Alterations, etc.	37	94,677	21	155,240	1	$175			4	$2,690	5	$1,177	338	1,451,152
Total structural work	43	$158,227	23	$205,740	1	$175			4	$2,690	5	$1,177	387	$2,920,002

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PURPOSES, NUMBER AND ESTIMATED COST OF NEW BUILDINGS AND ALTERATIONS, ADDITIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., FOR WHICH APPLICATIONS HAVE BEEN FILED FOR TWO MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY 28, 1955.

CHARACTER.	AMUSEMENT, RECREATION PLACES, THEATERS, MOVIES, HALLS.		CHURCHES, CHAPELS, SYNAGOGUES.		DWELLINGS, 1-FAMILY.		DWELLINGS, 2-FAMILY.		DWELLINGS, 3-FAMILY.		DWELLINGS, 1-2-3-FAMILY, WITH STORES, ETC.		DWELLINGS, MULTI-FAMILY.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type IV	....	.....	1	$175,000	1	$15,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	5	$345,000
Type V	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type VI	....	.....	....	.....	78	701,000	1	$14,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Total new work	..	.....	1	$175,000	79	$716,000	1	$14,000	....	.....	....	.....	5	$345,000
Alterations, etc.	5	$11,800	4	109,725	92	73,151	134	61,164	136	$60,034	37	$25,124	78	69,975
Total structural work	5	$11,800	5	$284,725	171	$789,151	135	$75,164	136	$60,034	37	$25,124	83	$414,975

CHARACTER.	DWELLINGS, MULTI-FAMILY, WITH STORES.		EDUCATIONAL BUILDINGS, SCHOOLS, COLLEGES.		GARAGES AND REPAIR SHOPS.		HOTEL AND CLUB BUILDINGS.		INSTITUTIONAL BUILDINGS, HOSPITALS, ASYLUMS, CLINICS.		LODGINGS, DORMITORIES, CONVENTS, HOMES.		LODGING HOUSES WITH STORES.		MANUFACTURING BUILDINGS, BAKERIES, LAUNDRIES, WORKSHOPS.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I	....	.....	1	$980,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type IV	....	.....	....	.....	2	$24,000	....	.....	1	$15,000	....	.....	....	.....	1	$5,800
Type V	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type VI	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Total new work	....	.....	1	$980,000	2	$24,000	....	.....	1	$15,000	....	.....	....	.....	1	$5,800
Alterations, etc.	11	$2,964	9	787,800	15	15,236	5	$21,300	13	261,500	17	$18,602	....	.....	22	128,492
Total structural work	11	$2,964	10	$1,767,800	17	$39,236	5	$21,300	14	$276,500	17	$18,602	....	.....	23	$134,292

CHARACTER.	MERCANTILE BUILDINGS, RESTAURANTS, STORES, SHOWROOMS, SERVICE STATIONS.		OFFICE AND BANK BUILDINGS.		PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIBRARIES, MUSEUMS.		STABLES, KENNELS, POULTRY HOUSES.		STORAGE WAREHOUSES, LUMBER SHEDS, SILOS, ETC.		MISCELLANEOUS.		TOTALS.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I	1	$10,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	2	$990,000
Type IV	6	212,500	1	$500	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	18	792,800
Type V	5	16,950	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	1	$12,000	....	.....	6	28,950
Type VI	1	6,000	1	50,000	1	$1,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	82	772,000
Total new work	13	$245,450	2	$50,500	1	$1,000	....	.....	1	$12,000	....	.....	108	$2,583,750
Alterations, etc.	86	191,647	32	168,360	2	775	....	.....	14	165,565	13	$8,177	725	2,181,391
Total structural work	99	$437,097	34	$218,860	3	$1,775	....	.....	15	$177,565	13	$8,177	833	$4,765,141

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 14.

I. PROMOTIONS.

The following promotions, which will become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, March 9, 1955, are hereby announced for the information of the department:

Capt.-Drillmaster Edmund J. Sheehan, Headquarters, to district chief.

Lieut. Angelo Corolla, Engine Company 40, to captain.

Lieut. George H. Paul, Ladder Company 26, to captain.

II. RETIREMENTS.

The following retirements, in accordance with the provisions of section 13 of chapter 521 of the Acts of 1922, as amended, which became effective at 8 A.M., Tuesday, March 1, 1955, are hereby announced:

Lieut. William F. Linnehan, Ladder Company 17.

Hoseman Edward W. Behnke, Engine Company 42.

Lieutenant Linnehan was appointed to the Fire Department November 4, 1927, and was promoted to the grade of lieutenant October 17, 1945; Hoseman Behnke was appointed September 1, 1943.

Both of these members leave the department with the best wishes of their associates.

III. TRANSFERS.

The following transfers, which will become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, March 9, 1955, are hereby announced:

Capt. Michael L. Galvin, from Tower 1 to Ladder 24.

Capt. Angelo Corolla, from Engine 10 to Engine 28.

Capt. George H. Paul, from Ladder 26 to Engine 1.

Lieut. Philip I. Howlett, from Ladder 19 to Engine 43.

Lieut. David F. Harrison, from Engine 12 to Engine 54.

Lieut. William F. Griffin, from Engine 27 to Engine 48.

Hoseman Edward J. Higgins, from Engine 49 to Ladder 7.

Hoseman Walter I. Garrity, from Engine 2 to Engine 49.

Hoseman John S. Allen, from Engine 1 to Ladder 20.

District Chief Joseph F. Kilduff, from District 7 to District 5.

District Chief Henry W. Shafer, from District 2 to District 3.

District Chief Edmund J. Sheehan, from Headquarters to District 7.

IV. BOSTON AUTOMATIC ASSIGNMENT.

Company commanders shall add the following signal number to the running cards of the Boston Automatic Fire Alarm Company in this department:

Signal 1324, Hotel Touraine, Boylston and Tremont streets. (Manual Alarm System.) Apparatus to respond: Engine 26, Ladder 17, District Chief 4. Nearest box is 1511.

V. A.D.T. ASSIGNMENTS.

Company commanders shall add the following signal numbers to the running cards of the American District Telegraph Company in this department:

Signal 619, Elmwood Investment Company, C. W. Whittier & Brother, Agents, 40-50 Stillings street. (Sprinkler.)

Signal 744, Elmwood Investment Company, C. W. Whittier & Brother, Agents, 47-55 Pittsburgh street. (Sprinkler.)

Apparatus to respond to the foregoing signals: Engine 39, Ladder 18, District Chief 6. Nearest box is 7112.

VI. COMMENDATION.

Members of the department are hereby commended for their splendid work for a prolonged period of time and under the most difficult and adverse conditions at fire, Box 1257, five alarms, at India Wharf on March 3, 1955. This reflects great credit on the department.

By order of Fire Commissioner FRANCIS X. COTTER.

JOHN V. STAPLETON,
Chief of Department.

The following is a statement showing the number of new buildings for purposes of habitation, together with the number of family accommodations provided thereby, for the erection of which applications were filed with the Building Department of the City of Boston during the

MONTH AND TWO MONTHS ENDING FEBRUARY 28, 1955.

NUMBER OF FAMILY UNITS IN EACH BUILDING.	MONTH OF FEBRUARY.				FIRST TWO MONTHS.			
	1955.		1954.		1955.		1954.	
	Buildings.	Families.	Buildings.	Families.	Buildings.	Families.	Buildings.	Families.
1	36	36	26	26	79	79	50	50
2	1	2	—	—	1	2	—	—
10	—	—	—	—	5	50	—	—
Total	37	38	26	26	85	131	50	50
Cost	$345,000		$254,240		$1,075,000		$480,810	

SUMMARY OF HOUSING CONSTRUCTION TO DATE.

NUMBER OF	MONTH OF FEBRUARY.	TWO MONTHS.
New habitations erected	37	85
Accommodations provided by new construction	38	131
Accommodations provided by altering and remodeling	23	56
Accommodations eliminated by altering and remodeling	0	4
Habitations taken down	2*	7*
Family accommodations eliminated by demolition	4*	14*
Net change in number of habitations	35 more	78 more
Net change in number of family accommodations	57 more	169 more

DEMOLITIONS.	NUMBER.		NUMBER.	
	Buildings.	Families.	Buildings.	Families.
*1-family	1	1	2	2
2-family	—	—	3	6
3-family	1	3	2	6
Total	2	4	7	14

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

Upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, the Mayor has approved the following claims:

Clara Benson, 3 Columbia park, Milton, in the sum of $325, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the highway opposite 1665 Blue Hill avenue, Mattapan, January 22, 1952.

Dorchester Leather and Findings Company, Inc., 220A Hanover street, Boston, in the sum of $68.35, as compensation for damage to automobile caused by a hole in the highway opposite 34 Commercial street, Boston, August 9, 1954.

Thomas C. Harrington, 109 St. Alphonsus street, Roxbury, in the sum of $115.45, as compensation for damage to automobile caused by a hole in the highway at the junction of Walley, Leyden, and Bennington streets, East Boston, September 25, 1954.

F. Fred Russo, 101 Highland avenue, Somerville, in the sum of $22.60, as compensation for damage to automobile caused by a hole in the highway opposite 307 Cambridge street, Boston, September 3, 1954.

Howard Rubin, care of Albert J. Rosen, attorney, 209 Washington street, Boston, in the sum of $75, as compensation for personal injuries received when he slipped and fell in a loading zone area in front of 161 Massachusetts avenue, which had been freshly painted by employees of the Traffic Department, April 5, 1954.

Eleanor Terlino, 225A Marion street, East Boston, in the sum of $325, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a defective curbstone on Havre street, corner of Marion street, October 24, 1953.

Anne Ufland, 40 Clarkwood street, Mattapan, in the sum of $480, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 1598 Blue Hill avenue, Mattapan, June 28, 1954.

Frederick Nicosia, 128 London street, East Boston, in the sum of $224, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 47 Decatur street, East Boston, July 17, 1954.

Albert H. Hilliard, 28 Garden street, Boston, in the sum of $197, as compensation for personal injuries caused when a dead limb fell from the tree in front of 446 Massachusetts avenue and struck the automobile which he was operating, June 20, 1954.

Henry Adler, 107 Harvard street, Malden, in the sum of $286, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 7 Merchants Row, May 19, 1953.

Anna B. Hilliard, 28 Garden street, Boston, in the sum of $235, as compensation for personal injuries caused when a dead limb fell from the tree in front of 446 Massachusetts avenue, and struck the automobile in which she was riding with her husband, June 20, 1954.

Elizabeth J. Mahoney, 260 Broadway, Arlington, in the sum of $410, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk on Chauncy street, near the corner of Avon street, July 30, 1954.

Martin J. Halleran, 9 Sanderson place, Brighton, to be reimbursed in the sum of $395, for expense incurred in hiring a contractor to excavate on his premises to locate a sewer stoppage, which later was found to be on city property, April 1, 1954.

Mary Lee, 35 Hudson street, Milton, in the sum of $390, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 132 Tremont street, Boston, October 11, 1954.

Walter J. Quigg, 110 H street, South Boston, to be reimbursed in the sum of $190.91, as a result of an accident which occurred on December 11, 1953, when a motor truck belonging to the Sanitary Division, Public Works Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Elizabeth S. Hinds.

BUILDING OPERATIONS IN CITY OF BOSTON.

The following is a statement showing by WARDS the number and estimated cost of new buildings for purposes of habitation for the erection of which applications were filed with the Building Department of the City of Boston during the

TWO-MONTH PERIOD ENDING FEBRUARY 28, 1955.

WARD.	1-FAMILY DWELLINGS.		2-FAMILY DWELLINGS.		10-FAMILY DWELLINGS.		TOTAL FOR TWO MONTHS.	
	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.
1	3	$40,000	—	—	—	—	3	$40,000
16	1	15,000	—	—	—	—	1	15,000
17	6	52,000	—	—	—	—	6	52,000
18	41	350,000	—	—	—	—	41	350,000
19	7	68,000	—	—	—	—	7	68,000
20	21	191,000	—	—	—	—	21	191,000
22	—	—	1	$14,000	5	$345,000	6	359,000
Total	79	$716,000	1	$14,000	5	$345,000	85	$1,075,000

Building Operations in the City of Boston for the Month Ending FEBRUARY 28, 1955.

MONTH OF FEBRUARY.	1955.		1954.	
	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.
Type I	1	$980,000	1	$2,000
Type IV	7	81,300	8	107,420
Type V	2	6,550	2	21,600
Type VI	39	401,000	26	245,040
Total new construction	49	$1,468,850	37	$376,060
Alterations, additions, etc	338	1,451,152	413	548,780
Total structural construction	387	$2,920,002	450	$924,840
Increase or decrease	—63	1,995,162*		
	—14%	215%*		
Installations, etc	795	764,538	776	365,513
Grand total all work	1,182	$3,684,540	1,226	$1,290,353
Increase or decrease	—4%	2,394,187*		
	—4%	185%*		
FIRST TWO MONTHS.				
Type I	2	$990,000	1	$2,000
Type IV	18	792,800	11	178,420
Type V	6	28,950	2	21,600
Type VI	82	772,000	51	473,410
Total new construction	108	$2,583,750	65	$675,430
Alterations, additions, etc	725	2,181,391	695	1,141,273
Total structural construction	833	$4,765,141	760	$1,816,703
Increase or decrease	73*	2,948,438*		
	10%*	162%*		
Installations, etc	1,761	1,220,235	1,599	722,251
Grand total all work	2,594	$5,985,376	2,359	$2,538,954
Increase or decrease	235*	3,446,422*		
	10%*	135%*		

*Denotes increase —Denotes decrease

PRINCIPAL PROJECTS.

New School, 325 Mt. Vernon street, Dorchester (City)	$980,000
Alterations, School, 154 Ruskindale road, Mattapan (City)	374,000
Alterations, School, 195 Leyden street, East Boston (City)	300,000
Alterations, Bank, 570 Columbia road (Dorchester Savings Bank)	100,000
Alterations, Church, 185 Salem street (Christ Church)	100,000
Alterations, Hospital, 125 Parker Hill avenue (Brigham Hospital)	80,000
New Office & Storage, 20 Granite street (Boston Wharf Co.)	50,000
Alterations, School, 330 Huntington avenue (Northeastern University)	50,000

Registered Voters (Men and Women), City Election, November 3, 1953.

WARDS.	PRECINCTS.																						TOTALS.
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	
1	2,063	1,991	1,811	1,934	1,818	1,923	2,018	1,813	1,699	2,042	2,097	1,548	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	22,790
2	1,549	1,428	1,722	1,758	1,671	1,607	746	827	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11,308
3	1,611	1,652	1,625	1,649	1,412	1,618	1,368	1,490	1,510	1,185	1,437	1,489	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18,046
4	1,549	1,607	1,083	1,352	1,877	1,565	1,552	1,670	1,568	1,149	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14,972
5	1,763	1,094	1,664	1,256	1,787	2,007	2,280	1,648	1,650	1,273	1,231	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17,653
6	1,769	1,612	1,496	1,485	1,442	1,481	1,560	1,464	1,523	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13,832
7	1,590	1,725	1,677	1,671	1,645	1,844	1,747	1,569	1,609	1,739	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16,816
8	1,311	1,776	1,056	1,379	1,464	968	1,593	1,614	946	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12,107
9	1,358	1,649	1,508	1,794	956	1,089	1,075	521	1,293	964	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12,207
10	1,571	1,577	1,625	1,526	1,547	1,652	1,154	1,591	1,789	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14,032
11	809	728	741	712	828	940	1,143	971	957	887	1,136	847	709	1,121	691	789	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14,009
12	820	716	837	909	787	860	1,016	851	886	1,029	938	999	987	938	951	1,004	949	1,096	854	.....	.....	.....	17,427
13	778	857	1,069	979	1,060	906	793	923	682	748	771	686	926	888	948	1,027	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14,041
14	1,347	1,156	1,091	1,174	1,155	961	939	1,157	1,283	1,140	1,149	1,242	1,331	1,255	1,072	1,040	1,436	1,359	1,234	1,479	997	.....	24,997
15	1,043	976	983	897	856	902	889	900	955	951	938	1,012	818	799	959	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13,878
16	947	1,195	931	878	1,020	1,005	929	930	826	873	939	971	1,077	893	929	967	887	896	918	819	.....	.....	18,830
17	807	806	736	938	835	780	941	1,043	986	842	1,035	1,067	1,037	983	1,142	960	856	807	927	1,050	.....	.....	18,578
18	1,916	1,164	1,352	930	1,105	1,269	996	1,244	1,692	1,027	1,505	1,343	914	940	1,149	1,087	2,020	1,164	1,113	1,247	1,162	.....	26,369
19	1,053	983	888	1,090	1,140	960	913	953	798	871	1,136	1,102	1,024	792	934	1,331	1,028	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17,026
20	978	908	843	912	948	1,588	819	906	971	1,182	937	981	1,004	1,121	1,228	1,494	1,439	991	1,192	1,390	1,055	907	23,794
21	1,548	1,223	1,203	963	931	1,220	1,390	1,436	987	737	2,447	1,449	1,360	1,565	1,358	1,054	1,007	1,441	.....	.....	.....	.....	23,319
22	826	940	890	869	1,074	945	906	911	1,451	1,265	1,065	981	990	1,049	980	1,184	1,507	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17,833
Grand Total																							383,864

Number of Persons Registered Who Voted, City Election, November 3, 1953.

WARDS.	PRECINCTS.																						TOTALS.
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	
1	870	840	790	768	702	826	676	690	662	957	849	840	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9,470
2	626	664	774	798	740	639	378	388	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,007
3	835	942	926	866	519	629	575	610	593	444	518	608	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8,065
4	562	544	377	376	729	618	594	561	513	376	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,250
5	669	443	756	452	923	803	896	667	613	440	434	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,096
6	763	751	759	572	697	671	708	722	908	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,551
7	970	784	733	825	813	918	838	687	798	763	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8,129
8	557	712	408	688	673	430	728	769	415	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,380
9	543	588	483	573	323	333	396	193	482	337	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,251
10	789	789	819	603	788	615	373	608	850	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,264
11	319	314	282	262	267	371	502	422	402	354	488	436	310	468	299	369	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,865
12	326	271	320	337	263	263	321	327	335	320	309	332	410	429	375	498	415	446	326	.....	.....	.....	6,623
13	370	433	513	410	498	418	383	424	388	455	412	370	505	502	490	626	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,197
14	602	490	529	598	503	457	418	629	705	664	565	579	651	657	480	585	790	739	526	779	490	.....	12,436
15	489	418	428	447	387	476	498	400	441	415	436	422	370	422	433	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,482
16	427	575	495	520	541	431	487	470	368	510	519	527	475	492	424	515	467	506	493	452	.....	.....	9,694
17	410	354	344	369	407	405	459	439	450	436	523	490	391	423	550	462	448	420	491	535	.....	.....	8,806
18	904	460	623	422	434	519	492	540	677	504	637	564	341	319	481	460	971	401	345	653	540	.....	11,287
19	439	511	521	442	530	359	428	555	406	357	603	534	553	394	450	636	649	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8,367
20	459	399	409	418	445	898	461	430	455	587	549	542	491	658	476	547	712	490	642	605	546	413	11,632
21	439	407	480	354	295	439	489	288	365	311	721	500	376	492	493	420	481	440	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,790
22	312	344	319	344	415	442	441	440	534	507	493	489	541	442	444	595	749	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,851
Grand Total																							169,493

Proportion of Persons Registered Who Voted, 44.15 Per Cent.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

SPECIAL MEETING.

Friday, February 18, 1955.

Special meeting of the City Council, held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 2 P.M., President HURLEY in the chair, and all the members present.

The meeting was opened with the salute to the Flag.

The meeting was held pursuant to the following call:

Boston City Council,
February 16, 1955.

To the Members of the City Council.
Gentlemen:

You are hereby requested to assemble in the City Council Chamber, City Hall, on Friday, February 18, 1955, at two o'clock P.M., for the purpose of taking action on the order now pending before the City Council for loan of $5,000,000, for the establishment of off-street parking facilities.

Respectfully,
WILLIAM F. HURLEY,
President.

Placed on file.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCE.

Coun. HAILER, for the Committee on Appropriations and Finance, submitted the following:

Report on message of the Mayor and order (referred January 10) appropriating $5,000,000 for establishment of off-street parking facilities—recommending reference of the order to the Executive Committee.

Said report is as follows:

February 18, 1955.

The Committee on Appropriations and Finance to whom was referred January 10, 1955, the message of the Mayor and order for loan of $5,000,000 for the establishment of off-street parking facilities having duly considered the same submits the following report:

"Reporting for the Committee on Appropriations—before I give you my report I would like to state my feelings and the feelings of the majority of the members of the Committee on Appropriations and Finance. We had three hearings on this very important matter. One hearing was set up hut there were no facts or definite figures for the Appropriations Committee to work with. We then set up a second hearing. We had Mr. Carp, the Planning Board, the Law Department, and many other people who were concerned with off-street parking.

"A third hearing was then held. We invited civic leaders and those who felt they would be affected by the off-street parking program. Now, we advertised the hearing so that all those who were interested would know that they had the right to appear here before your Committee on Appropriations. During the second hearing Mr. Carp brought forth testimony and designated three sites which he thought had top priority. One was Washington, Hollis, and Dore; the second, Fort Hill; and the third, Scollay square. When we had the public hearing with the leaders of business and many civic-minded people here we found that these people did not consider the priority of these sites most important. They were here on the principle of off-street parking for the general good of the city.

"At today's meeting with Boston's businessmen three sites were discussed: Washington street-Hayward place; Bedford-Kingston; and Fort Hill. The committee realizes that the over-all parking problems have to he taken into consideration—not merely those of the retail stores. The committee has decided to turn this matter over to the Executive Committee for the purpose of providing $2,000,000 at this time. I ask in the name of the committee to attach a report—giving priority to the four sites given by Boston's business leaders: Washington-Hayward place; Bedford-Kingston; Fort Hill; and Kilby-Central."

For the Committee,
FREDERICK C. HAILER, JR.,
Chairman.

The report was accepted, and the order was referred to the Executive Committee.

RECESS.

On motion of Councillor McCormack, the Council voted to take a recess at 3.41 P.M., subject to the call of the Chair. The members reassembled in the Council Chamber and were called to order by President HURLEY at 4.34 P.M.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORT.

Coun. WHITE, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following:

Report on message of the Mayor and order (referred today) for appropriation of $5,000,000 for establishment of off-street parking facilities—recommending passage of the order in the following new draft:

Ordered, That under the authority contained in chapter 625 of the Acts of 1951, the sum of $2,000,000 be, and hereby is, appropriated to be expended under the direction of the Real Property Board, for the establishment of off-street parking facilities at Washington street and Hayward place, Kingston and Bedford streets, Fort Hill square, Central and Kilby streets, and that the Collector-Treasurer be authorized, with the approval of the Mayor, to issue from time to time, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city for said amount, said issues to be outside the limit of indebtedness of the city.

The report was accepted. The order was read once and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

Yeas—Councillors Ahearn, Foley, Hurley, Kerrigan, McCormack, McLaughlin, Piemonte, White—8.

Nays—0.

The order was assigned for 14 days for final action.

The purpose for which the meeting was called having been accomplished, President HURLEY declared the meeting adjourned at 4.37 P.M.

Monday, February 28, 1955.

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 2 P.M., President HURLEY in the chair. Absent, Councillor Kerrigan.

The Reverend Mimie B. Pitaro, of Our Lady of Pompeii Catholic Church, was escorted to the rostrum.

INVOCATION BY REV. MIMIE B. PITARO.

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost. Amen.

We pray Thee, O Almighty and Eternal God, through Whom autbority is rightly administered, laws are enacted and judgments decreed, to send forth Thy Holy Spirit upon this Council.

Let the light of Tby divine wisdom direct its deliberations and shine fortb in all its proceedings and laws.

Fill it with Thy spirit of justice that no self interest might inflict harm upon its subjects, whose rigbts they must studiously seek to protect with honesty and ability.

Assist them by Thy spirit of Counsel to promote always the common good, and fill them with the fortitude to enact just laws, with industry and sobriety, and without fear of human respect.

Direct, then, we beseech Thee, O God, all their actions by Thy holy inspirations, and carry them on by Thy gracious assistance, that every work of theirs may begin always from Thee and through Thee be happily ended. Amen.

In the name of the Fatber, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost. Amen.

The meeting was opened with the salute to the Flag.

APPOINTMENTS BY THE MAYOR.

Subject to confirmation by the Council, the Mayor submitted tbe following appointments:

Constable witb authority to serve civil process upon filing of bond for the term ending April 30, 1955: Alphonse A. Balunas, 84 Dacia street, Roxbury.

Weigher of Goods, for the term ending April 30, 1955: James J. Durkan, 256 Lexington street, Woburn.

Severally referred to tbe Committee on Confirmations.

REQUESTING ACTION ON $5,000,000 LOAN ORDER FOR OFF-STREET PARKING FACILITIES.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, February 28, 1955.

To tbe City Council.
Gentlemen:

I am advised by the Corporation Counsel that the $2,000,000 loan order for off-street parking facilities, given one reading by your Honorable Body on February 18, and setting forth possible locations for the construction of off-street parking facilities, does not come within the provisions of the City Cbarter and cannot, therefore, be approved by me in its present form.

If such approval were given, the validity of the order would unquestionably be challenged by counsel for the purchasers of the bond issue. It would appear, therefore, that a second and final reading of the present order would be of no avail, and would result in unnecessary delay in the commencement of the off-street parking program.

In view of the above, I would suggest that the order submitted by me on January 10 for a loan of $5,000,000 be adopted by your Honorable Body. Before taking this action, I further suggest that your Honorable Body discuss the entire parking problem for off-street facilities with Mr. William F. Keesler, member of the Real Property Board, and with Mr. Thomas F. McDonough, the chairman of the City Planning Board. Both of these gentlemen will be available on Monday afternoon, February 28. I am inclined to believe that whatever questions may be uppermost in the minds of the City Council can be adequately answered, in detail, by either or both of these city officials.

On the matter of priority of sites, may I state that it is the hope of the responsible city officials that the entire parking program proceed at, or about, the same time. Public hearings have not as yet been held on what appear to be very desirable sites. However, these hearings will be scheduled and held without delay. There is no reason, in my opinion, why six or more parking facilities cannot be under construction this year.

The order submitted by me and now pending in the City Council is sufficient in amount to cover the cost of land acquisition for the sites which have been given tentative high priority rating. The approval of your Body of the pending order, and the subsequent approval of further authorization now pending before the Legislature will permit the city to plan and go forward with the kind of a parking facility program whicb is so necessary at this time, and wbich will be more necessary when the Central Artery is completed.

I respectfully request adoption of tbe $5,000,000 loan order by your Honorable Body.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

RESURFACING OAKLAND STREET, BRIGHTON.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, February 25, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Public Works relative to your order of February 14, 1955, concerning tbe resurfacing of Oakland street in tbe Brighton section of tbe City of Boston.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Public Works Department,
February 17, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.

Dear Mr. Flemming:

This is in refereuce to the following order that was passed in the City Council under date of February 14:

"Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to consider the advisability of resurfacing Oakland street in the Brighton section of tbe City of Boston."

Arrangements will be made to have a survey made to determine the condition of the above-referenced street, and consideration will be given to including said street in the current year's highway reconstruction program, if the results of the survey show that such action is necessary.

Respectfully yours,
GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Placed on file.

SURVEY OF LIGHTING CONDITIONS ON DORR STREET, ROXBURY.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, February 24, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Public Works Commissioner concerning your order of February 14, 1955, relative to surveying the lightiug conditions on Dorr street, Roxbury, and to install electric lights to replace the gas lights.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Public Works Department,
February 17, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.

Dear Mr. Flemming:

This is in reference to the following order that was passed in the City Council under date of February 14:

"Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be requested to direct the Public Works Department to survey the lighting conditions on Dorr street, Roxbury, and to install electric lights to replace the gas lights."

A survey of the above-referenced street will be made and every consideration will be given to replacing the existing gas lights with electric lights during the current year, if possible.

Respectfully yours,
GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Placed on file.

RECONSTRUCTION OF THE CARL HENRY ALSEN PLAYGROUND.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, February 25, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation Department relative to your order of February 14, 1955, in regard to including the rehabilitation of the Carl Henry Alsen Playground in the Capital Improvement Program.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Parks and Recreation Department,
February 18, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.

Dear Sir:

This will acknowledge memo from your office with attached order from Councillor Ahearn relative to including the rehabilitation of the Carl Henry Alsen Playground in the Capital Improvement Program. A letter was sent recently to Councillor Ahearn informing him of the situation relative to this playground.

This area was under the control of the Boston Housing Authority for a number of years where temporary housing was provided for veterans. The temporary houses have recently been demolished. Therefore, the playground has reverted back to this department.

If funds are provided for under the Capital Improvement Program, I will be pleased to take steps for the reconstruction of this area. It will not be possible to do it within our budget appropriation.

Very truly yours,
FRANK R. KELLEY, Commissioner.

Placed on file.

SURVEY OF TRAFFIC CONDITIONS AT CHARLES STREET ROTARY CIRCLE.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, February 24, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Traffic Commissioner relative to your order of February 14, 1955, concerning the conducting of a survey of the automotive and pedestrian traffic conditions at Charles Street rotary circle, with a view toward the improvement of the general safety at this location.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

Boston Traffic Commission,
February 17, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

With reference to Council order of February 14, 1955, requesting the Traffic Commission to conduct a survey of the automotive and pedestrian traffic conditions at the Charles Street rotary circle, I wish to report that we have this area under surveillance regularly.

For pedestrian safety this circle has what exists in very few other locations, namely, a pedestrian underpass which is now well-lighted and readily accessible. For some reason or another a bad name has been given to the underpass and as a result it is not used to the extent that it should be and persons are continuously attempting to cross from the circle in Charles street to the sidewalks, crossing the heavily traveled roadways.

Charles street is an important artery for the handling of vehicular traffic, as is Cambridge street, and the connections to the Longfellow Bridge and Storrow Highway.

Traffic lights are not effective if installed in a traffic circle, as has been proved by the experience of an installation of traffic lights at Cleveland Circle in Brighton.

Accordingly, it is imperative that a public education program be begun to induce the use of the pedestrian underpass. This might be accomplished through the cooperation of the Police Department and the Public Works Department. A Police Department representative could direct persons to the underpass and the Public Works Department might provide attendants for a period of time which would guarantee safety to those who have a misapprehension about underground passageways. I believe that after a month's experience in using this underpass those who regularly use the crossing would thereafter be satisfied with the facility and would no longer try to use the roadway.

The same condition may be said to exist at Haymarket square, where pedestrian crossing in the path of vehicular traffic constitutes a hazard.

Public authorities, having provided signs, underpasses and police protection, would seem to have done all that is possible under present circumstances in this instance.

Respectfully yours,
WM. ARTHUR REILLY, Commissioner.

Placed on file.

NIGHTTIME PARKING OF AUTOMOBILES IN RESIDENTIAL AREAS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, February 24, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Traffic Commissioner relative to your order of February 14, 1955, concerning parking of automobiles on residential areas during the nighttime hours.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

Boston Traffic Commission,
February 17, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

With reference to City Council order of February 14, 1955, requesting that your Honor advise the City Council as to any present or future plans which would permit of parking of automobiles on the streets of residential areas during nighttime hours by the payment of a fee, I wish to report that considerable attention has been given to this subject over a period of two years, and at the present time there is legislation which would permit the Traffic Commission to designate certain streets where night parking might be legalized.

The Law Department and our office are at present working out regulations which will be effective beginning in the spring. A comprehensive change in our entire rule book is required by this legislation, and there is at present before the State Legislature a series of bills which would facilitate this matter so that it would not be complicated and subject to apparent defects in the legislation passed in 1952.

The question of establishing a fee is one which met with considerable opposition from the public and from various garage and parking space industries, and the Legislature refused to authorize the charging of a fee. Accordingly, the only legislation now existing which pertains to the subject is that contained in chapter 366 of the year 1952. It was this act which, after passage, was in itself subject to considerable controversy due to the fact that it entailed such heavy expense on the Police Department and permitted parking only to owners and tenants of a piece of property where there was not sufficient space, where in the case of apartment houses it made it impossible for surplus cars to park at the door of any other property insofar as that particular area is automatically reserved for the owners and tenants of that property.

In short, there were so many complications resulting from the act that nothing was done under its provisions. However, it is on the basis of this act that the Law Department and our commission is hopeful to soon work out at least a partial remedy to the night parking problem, and perhaps amendments to this legislation may eventually make feasible a practical nighttime parking regulation.

Respectfully yours,
WM. ARTHUR REILLY, Commissioner.

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PROMPT PAYMENT TO DRUGGISTS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, February 25, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the secretary to the Overseers of the Public Welfare relative to your order of January 24, 1955, concerning payment to druggists for drugs and medicines and schedule of prices for various drugs and medicines.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Welfare Department, February 17, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mayor Hynes:

I am writing in response to the order introduced by Councillor Foley which was passed in the City Council January 24, 1955, concerning payments to druggists on behalf of recipients of welfare and old age assistance. The order reads as follows:

Ordered, That the Director of Administrative Services be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to inquire into the operation of the Welfare Department:

1. With respect to the payment to druggists for drugs and medicines and particularly whether such payments are unduly delayed.
2. Whether a standard schedule of prices for various drugs and medicines has been established by the Welfare Department upon which druggists can rely.

In regard to Point 1, concerning whether payments for drugs and medicines are unduly delayed, an administrative change has been effected under which the payments released each month will henceforth be made shortly following the first day of the month. This represents an acceleration of almost three weeks from the point at which disbursements were made in January (January 21).

As to the second point, whether a standard schedule has been established for drugs and medicines on which druggists can rely, I am pleased to inform you that a uniform standard schedule for reimbursing for drugs is in effect in the department, and we believe is understood by all of the druggists who fill prescriptions for public assistance recipients. This schedule has not been released in writing to druggists because of the fact that the State Department of Public Welfare is attempting to negotiate with the State Pharmaceutical Association a schedule for reimbursement on drugs and medicines which will be effective state-wide. However, this department will be pleased to clarify the schedule now in effect with any individual druggists who care to inquire on the matter.

We trust this information is satisfactory.

Very truly yours,
WILLIAM G. O'HARE, Secretary.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, February 24, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the secretary to the Overseers of the Public Welfare, relative to your order of January 17, 1955, concerning payments to druggists on behalf of recipients of welfare and old age assistance.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Welfare Department, February 17, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mayor Hynes:

I am writing in response to the order introduced by Councillor Foley which was passed in the City Council January 17, 1955, concerning payments to druggists on behalf of recipients of welfare and old age assistance. The order reads as follows:

"Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be requested to request the Board of Overseers of the Public Welfare to make an inquiry as to whether payments to druggists for medicines, received by welfare and old age recipients, are current and are customarily made as rapidly as in other cities and towns in the Commonwealth, and particularly in Greater Boston."

In regard to this matter, I am pleased to inform you that since the order has been received we have effected an administrative change under which the payments made to druggists in the month of February were released on the second day of the month as against the January payments which had been released on the twenty-first of the month. It is our hope that such payments will in the future be made in the earliest days of each month as was accomplished in February.

As to whether this department effects payments for druggists' charges as rapidly as in other cities and towns in the Greater Boston area, there is of necessity a longer period of processing in Boston because of the fact that the department is decentralized and maintains district offices, at which point the approval of the social worker must be given to the claims for medicines, and has a centralized disbursement unit from which eventual payment occurs.

We trust this information is satisfactory.

Very truly yours,
WILLIAM G. O'HARE, Secretary.

Severally placed on file.

RECESS.

On motion of Councillor McLaughlin, the Council voted to take a recess at 3.07 P.M., subject to the call of the Chair. The members reassembled in the Council Chamber and were called to order by President HURLEY at 7.04 P.M.

REPEAL OF PARKING CHARGE AT M.T.A. TERMINAL PARKING FACILITIES.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, February 24, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the General Manager of the Metropolitan Transit Authority concerning your order of February 7, 1955, relative to the parking charge.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

Metropolitan Transit Authority,
February 14, 1955.

Mr. Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.

Dear Sir:

In reply to yours of the 9th forwardiug order with regard to parking charge, the trustees considered this matter at their meeting on last Friday and directed me to advise you that they feel that their decision in connection with the parking facilities and the results stemming therefrom was an advisable one to make.

Very truly yours,
EDWARD DANA,
General Manager.

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RATES OF PRIVATE PARKING FACILITIES.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, February 24, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the chairman of the Real Property Board relative to your order of February 7, 1955, concerning several questions in regard to privately operated off-street parking spaces in downtown Boston.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Real Property Department,
February 14, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.

Dear Mr. Flemming:

You forwarded to this office, in your communication dated February 9, 1955, a copy of Councillor Foley's order dated February 7, concerning privately operated off-street parking areas in downtown Boston.

Since tbe Committee on Licenses of Public Safety Commission, Building Department, has charge of licensing said privately operated parking lots, we have requested that august body to answer the queries contained in the councillor's order, and upon receipt of their reply we will forward tbe desired information to tbe councillor.

The Real Property Department is pleased to cooperate with the councillor in obtaining the necessary information from the proper channels.

Very truly yours,
HERMAN CARP, Commissioner.

Placed on file.

METER PARKING ADJACENT TO AND UNDER FITZGERALD HIGHWAY.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of tbe Mayor, February 21, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I transmit berewith communication from the chairman of tbe Real Property Board relative to your order of February 7, 1955, concerning the progress of providing meter parking in areas adjacent to and under tbe Fitzgerald Highway from North Station to South Station.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Real Property Department,
February 14, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.

Dear Mr. Flemming:

On February 9, 1955, you forwarded to this office a copy of Councillor Piemonte's order of February 7, 1955, concerning the progress of tbe proposed meter parking areas adjacent to and under the Fitzgerald Highway from Nortb Station to Soutb Station.

In answer tbereto, please, be advised that the only area being turned over to us at this time by the State Department of Public Works is that area from Traverse street to Nortb street, under the Fitzgerald Highway. The grading and drainage has been completed; also, about 75 per cent of the edgestone bumpers have been completed; the overbead electrical work is being installed. The request for meters which we made of the Purchasing Agent bas been acted upon; public bids were opened by tbe Purchasing Agent, and a contract for tbe purchasing of meters was awarded by him. I have requested the Purchasing Agent to order tbe meters so that tbey could be installed at once, since we are ready for installation.

As soon as tbe 2 feet of frost leaves the subsurface of tbe area, tbe contractor can tben proceed witb the black top surfacing. In the interim, many cars are parked on tbe area every day.

Very truly yours,
HERMAN CARP, Commissioner.

Placed on file.

INCLUSION IN CIVICS CLASSES OF PROCEDURE FOLLOWED BY MASSACHUSETTS LEGISLATURE ON A VACANCY.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, February 24, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the secretary to the Boston School Committee relative to your order of January 10, 1955, concerning suggested proceedure for civic classes in the Boston high schools.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
School Committee, February 21, 1955.

Mr. Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.

Dear Sir:

Your memorandum to the chairman, Boston School Committee, dated January 14, 1955, transmitting Councillor Piemonte's order of January 10, 1955, pertaining to suggested proceedure for civic classes in the Boston high schools, has been received and was presented to the School Committee at its conference on February 14, 1955.

After due consideration, the matter was referred to the superintendent for study and report back to the School Committee.

Very truly yours,
AGNES E. REYNOLDS, Secretary.

Placed on file.

LEGAL OPINION RE BOSTON POLICE OFFICERS PATROLLING HOUSING PROJECTS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, February 28, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Corporation Counsel relative to your order of January 17, 1955, concerning the legality of foot patrolmen of the Boston Police Department being assigned to patrol the area within the geographic confines of housing developments within the City of Boston and under control of the Boston Housing Authority.

Respectfully,
WILLIAM F. HURLEY,
Acting Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Law Department, February 25, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

On January 20, 1955, you transmitted to me tbe following order passed by the City Council on January 17, 1955:

"Ordered, That the Corporation Counsel be requested by his Honor the Mayor to submit an opinion to the Boston City Council on the legality of foot patrolmen of the Boston Police Department being assigned to patrol the area within the geographic confines of housing developments within the City of Boston and under the control of the Boston Housing Authority."

The Police Commissioner has advised me that the Boston Police, althougb entering the buildings of housing projects only upon calls for assistance, do patrol by foot patrol and/or prowl car all ways open to public use within the boundaries of housing projects. This our investigation has disclosed, is in full accord with the cooperation agreements between the City of Boston and tbe Boston Housing Authority under which the City of Boston is required to furnish police protection to tbe projects just as they do for private housing projects in the city.

In view of the foregoing, extended discussion of the matter would appear to be wholly unnecessary as I believe that the request for my opinion was occasioned because of an unfortunate use of words in an earlier communication from tbe Police Commissioner in which there was a failure to correctly distinguisb between buildings of bousing projects and public ways and other ways therein open to public use.

Respectfully,
WILLIAM L. BANTER,
Corporation Counsel.

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PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committee named, viz.:

Claims.

Carl Bevelacqua, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 102 Salem street, Boston.

George Bliss, for compensation for damage to property by vehicle of Public Works Department.

Dominic Bramante, for compensation for damage to car by bent city pole.

Marion Cieri, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Cross and Endicott streets.

Marlene Cohen, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 38 Allen street.

John Connor, for compensation for damage to property at 429 East Sixth street, South Boston, caused by water from street.

Myrtle Cruz, for compensation for injuries caused by pipe extending from wall of Fire Department building at Wareham street and Harrison avenue.

Concetta C. DiCara, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 1512 Dorchester avenue.

Henry P. Domohowski, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Police Department.

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Ronald J. Ergas, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect at 1078 Canterbury street.

Sylvia Forman, for compensation for damage to property at 58 Richrow street, Mattapan, caused by blasting for water pipes and sewers.

Samuel Fox, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Fallon and St. Botolph streets.

Harold E. Gorham, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Fire Department.

Bruce M. Gove, for compensation for damage to car by snowplow of Park Department.

Shahen Johnson, for compensation for damage to property at 29 Magnolia street, Dorchester, caused by leak in water pipe.

John J. Kelliher, to be reimbursed as result of execution issued against him on account of his acts as employee of Public Works Department, Bridge Division.

Morris Kleiman, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 87 Gordon street, Brighton.

Edward Landolfi and Louis Vandara, for compensation for injuries and damage to property by truck of Public Works Department.

Albert J. Leary, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Public Works Department, Paving Division.

William McGuinness, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Park Department.

Robert Moy, for compensation for damage to property at 8 Oxford place, Boston, caused by leak in water main.

Samuel Myers, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 1820 Commonwealth avenue.

Katherine Nee, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 64 Etna street, Brighton.

John J. O'Donnell, to be reimbursed as result of execution issued against him on account of his acts as employee of Fire Department.

Salvatore Paqualino, for compensation for injuries and damage to property caused by city vehicle of Public Works Department.

Ausilio Pastore, for compensation for damage to property at 228 Chelsea street, East Boston.

Pioneer Mutual Insurance Company, for compensation for damage to car of Jacob Kagan by vehicle of Public Works Department.

Joseph M. Purcell, for compensation for damage to car by vehicle of Public Works Department.

Angela Quow, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 6 Dearborn street, Roxbury.

Laurence B. Rosenberg, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 4 and 6 Carol avenue, Brighton.

Alice Rovagno, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Washington and Dover streets.

M. Morgan Seaman, for compensation for damage to clothing at L Street Bathhouse.

Selby Auto Supply Company, Inc., for compensation for damage to property at 924 Columbus avenue, Roxbury, caused by water.

Glennon and Katherine Shaweross, for compensation for damage to property at 83 Fort avenue, Roxbury, caused by city employees.

Anthony J. Storella, to be reimbursed for money due him as bath custodian in Park Department.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sudenfield, for compensation for damage to property at 57 Richrow street, Mattapan, caused by blasting.

Julia Van Veen, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in St. Stephen street.

Louis Vardaro, for compensation for injuries caused by city car.

Joseph Viviani, for compensation for damage to property at 472 Commonwealth avenue, caused by broken sewer pipes.

Gertrude Waldfogel, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Cummings road and Commonwealth avenue.

Maurice A. Wantman, Inc., for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect at Fallon and St. Botolph streets.

APPLICATIONS FOR SHELLFISH PERMITS.

Applications for commercial use shellfish permits were received from the following:

Frank D'Amico, 182 Falcon street, East Boston, Ward 1.

Henry A. Larson, 23 Monmouth street, East Boston, Ward 1.

Daniel Mulkern, 255 Border street, East Boston, Ward 1.

Severally referred to the Committee on Licenses.

NOTICE OF HEARINGS BEFORE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES.

Copy of notice of hearing before Department of Public Utilities to be held March 11, 1955, at 10 A.M., on petition of Boston Edison Company for location of pipes in Neponset Valley Parkway, Hyde Park.

Notice was received from the Department of Public Utilities of hearing to be held March 14, 1955, at 10 A.M., on petition of Metropolitan Transit Authority for license to operate motor vehicles over Blue Hill avenue, Seaver street, Columbus avenue, and also within Mattapan Station and Egleston Square Station.

Severally placed on file.

PETITIONS FOR INDEMNIFICATION.

Petition of Joseph F. Vogel, employee of Boston Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses.

Petition of Charles N. Vogel, employee of the Boston Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses.

Severally referred to the Committee on Claims.

ABSENCE OF MAYOR.

Notice was received from the Mayor of his absence from the city for a 10-day period.

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL SANITATION INSPECTORS.

Notices were received from the Health Commissioner of the following appointments of environmental sanitation inspectors, effective February 16, 1955:

Carmen DiLorenzo, 9 Boardman street, East Boston; Donald E. Doherty, 40 Plain street, Dorchester; Edward G. Duffy, 17 Parsons street, Brighton; Thomas F. Flaherty, 241 East Eighth street, South Boston; Charles J. Hamilton, 4 Heela street, Dorchester; William F. Intraversato, 12 Isabella street, Boston; Clarence L. Marcy, 29 Wilcox road, Dorchester.

Severally placed on file.

APPOINTMENT OF ASSISTANT ASSESSORS.

Notice was received from the Assessing Department for the City of Boston of the following appointments of assistant assessors, effective February 23, 1955:

John T. Driscoll, 1085 Washington street, Dorchester; William P. Driscoll, 52 Centre terrace, West Roxbury; John M. Corcoran, 30 Cushing avenue, Dorchester; Norman S. Weinberg, 33 Wade street, Brighton; John F. Driscoll, 291 Cummins Highway, Roslindale.

Placed on file.

APPROVAL OF STATE HOUSING BOARD.

Notice was received from the State Housing Board of approval of sale of eight parcels of property under section 6 of chapter 372 of the Acts of 1946.

Placed on file.

LEGAL OPINION ON OVERRIDING MAYOR'S VETO OF AMENDMENT TO COMPENSATION PLAN.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Law Department, February 23, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

This is in reply to your request of February 14, 1955, for my opinion as to your power to override the Mayor's veto of your orders of January 24, 1955, amending the compensation plan for officers and employees of Suffolk County by changing the compensation grade of jail and correction officers from 16 to 18.

It is explicitly provided by G. L. (Ter. Ed.) c. 35, s. 56, that the duties prescribed for the County Personnel Board by G. L. (Ter. Ed.) c. 35, s. 51 (which includes the duty to pass upon, finally adopt and put into effect amendments to classification and compensation plans) shall, for Suffolk County, be performed "by the city council of the city of Boston, subject to the provisions of the charter of said city," which, in the light of such cases as are cited in 59 *Corpus Juris*, p. 1060, n. 30, and 82 *Corpus Juris Secundum*, p. 848, n. 63, must be construed to mean the charter of the city as from time to time in force. In the present city charter, the pertinent provision is undoubtedly St. 1948, c. 452, s. 17D, which, as appearing in St. 1951, c. 376, s. 1, gives the City Council power to override vetoes except the veto of an order, ordinance, resolution or vote "authorizing a loan or appropriating money or accepting a statute involving the expenditure of money."

The issue thus resolves itself into the question whether either of the orders vetoed was an order authorizing a loan or appropriating money or accepting a statute involving the expenditure of money. It would seem inescapably clear from *Opinion of the Justices*, 323 Mass. 764, 766, that a salary fixing order like those vetoed is not an appropriation order, for it does not designate any sum of money to be devoted to any object. *A fortiori*, it is not an order authorizing a loan because it does not empower the Collector-Treasurer to borrow any money. Finally, while such an order may exercise authority vested by statute, it is not an order accepting a statute within the common and approved usage of that phrase. See G. L. (Ter. Ed.) c. 4, s. 6, cl. 3. It follows that, in my opinion, your Honorable Body has the power to proceed to reconsider each order vetoed unless prevented from doing so by other considerations such as arbitrariness or want of appropriation. See, in connection with the last-mentioned ground, *Adalian Bros., Inc. v. Boston*, 323 Mass. 629, 630-631, and cases cited; also *Opinion of the Justices*, 323 Mass. 764, 767, and cases cited.

Plainly, each of the orders vetoed would, if passed over the veto, be invalid on both of the grounds just specified. The orders, while raising the compensation grade of jail and correction officers from 16 to 18, arbitrarily leave in compensation grade 17 persons classified as:

Jail officer and electrician.
Jail officer and mechanic.
Jail officer and assistant steward.
Jail officer and storekeeper.
Jail officer and receiver.
Jail officer and photographer.
Jail officer and clerk.
Correction officer and assistant steward.
Correction officer and baker.
Correction officer and carpenter.
Correction officer and clothing cutter.
Correction officer and cook.
Correction officer and electrician.
Correction officer and assistant herdsman.
Correction officer and motor equipment repairman.
Correction officer and painter.
Correction officer and poultryman.
Correction officer and shoemaker.

Such arbitrariness is so wholly unwarranted as to leave no doubt as to the invalidity of the orders. And the same situation obtains with respect to want of appropriation. Since the annual appropriation orders have not yet been adopted, it is incontrovertible that an appropriation is not currently available; but, even if the annual appropriation orders were adopted, an appropriation still would not be available, for an examination of the budget discloses no funds for the upping of compensation grades. Accordingly, it is my considered opinion that your Honorable Body lacks power to override the Mayor's veto of the orders in question not because of any inherent lack of power to override a veto but because of the other matters just mentioned.

Respectfully,
WILLIAM L. BANTER,
Corporation Counsel.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

LEGAL OPINION ON RATES OF PRIVATE PARKING FACILITIES.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Law Department, February 25, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

This is in reply to your request of February 7, 1955, for a memorandum of law concerning "the rights and powers of the City of Boston to fix the rates of those private parking facilities licensed by the municipal government."

In the absence of a grant of authority from the Legislature, a municipality has no power to fix prices. *Greene v. Mayor of Fitchburg*, 219 Mass. 121, 126-127. G. L. (Ter. Ed.) c. 148, s. 56, under which open-air parking spaces are licensed, neither expressly nor impliedly confers upon the licensing authority or other local authority any power to fix prices. The result is that neither the City of Boston as such nor the Mayor, City Council or other board or officer thereof has any right or power to fix the rates to be charged by persons licensed to conduct or maintain private parking spaces.

For a more elaborate discussion of the matter, you are respectfully referred to the opinion of former Corporation Counsel Henry Parkman, Jr., which appears on page 72 of the Report of the Proceedings of the City Council for the municipal year 1939 and to the opinion of former Corporation Counsel Joseph Scolponeti which appears on page 294 of the Report of the proceedings of the City Council for the municipal year 1948. See, also, page 241 of the Report of the Proceedings of the City Council for the municipal year 1950 setting forth the text of my communication of July 24, 1950, on the same subject.

Respectfully,
WILLIAM L. BANTER,
Corporation Counsel.

Referred to the Committee on Licenses.

COMMENDATION TO COUNCILLOR GABRIEL F. PIEMONTE.

Coun. HURLEY, for all councillors, offered the following:

Whereas, Prime Minister Mario Scelba and Foreign Minister Gaetano Martino of Italy will pay an official visit to the United States during the next month; and

Whereas, During their visit they will be tendered a dinner at the Waldorf-Astoria in New York; and

Whereas, An outstanding committee of Americans of Italian extraction, including Judge Frank Tomasello, Judge Vincent Brogna, Dr. Giovanni Fornichella (Console Generale), Judge Felix Forte, and many other notable Bostonians, and residents of Massachusetts, have been selected to serve on this committee to honor these outstanding statesmen who have labored and fought diligently against the Communist menace in their native land; and

Whereas, A member of the School Committee of the City of Boston, Louis F. Musco, has been appointed a member of this committee; and

Whereas, A member of this Honorable Body Councillor Gabriel F. Piemonte, has been appointed Chairman of the Massachusetts Subcommittee for this dinner; and

Whereas, This appointment not only honors the councillor but all members of the Boston City Council; be it therefore

Resolved, That the members of the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, extend their congratulations to Councillor Piemonte on this recognition; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to Councillor Piemonte.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

HEARINGS ON OFFICIAL RECOGNITION OF NEGOTIATING BODY FOR EMPLOYEES OF BOSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Coun. HURLEY, for all councillors, offered the following:

Whereas, The Boston Fire Fighters Local 718 has a membership of over 1,600 of the 2,000 firefighters; and

Whereas, The City of Boston has a duty to recognize the right of its own employees to organize, not only in theory but in practice. The right to organize is a natural right of every human being. It does not depend upon the nature of the work in which a person is engaged; and

Whereas, The various agencies of the city government have a responsibility to set an example for private industry in the field of labor relations; and

Whereas, The city government should insist that responsible administrators of their agencies take the initiative in developing a system of labor relations under which unions of city employees would not only be permitted, but would be encouraged to speak for, and to represent their constituents more effectively; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Boston City Council conduct hearings at which members of the various organizations connected with the Boston Fire Department and the public be invited for the purpose of discussing the advisability of official recognition of a negotiating body for the Boston Fire Department; and

To make such recommendations, if any, or drafts of such legislation necessary to carry its recommendations into effect.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

IMPROVING FACILITIES AT UNION STREET PLAYGROUND.

Coun. AHEARN offered the following:

Whereas, The small play area known as the Union Street Playground in Brighton has served a good and useful purpose and was widely used, but is now in a deteriorated condition; and

Whereas, There is a great need in that vicinity for a safe and suitable place for recreation for small tots; and

Whereas, It is necessary for little children to have proper supervision and direction; therefore be it

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor request the Park Department to recondition the Union

Street Playground, install new facilities where needed, and place it in service as a small tots' play area with an attendant for use this summer.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

LEGISLATION TO TRANSFER LAND FOR CONSTRUCTION OF INCINERATOR IN SOUTH BAY AREA.

Coun. AHEARN offered the following:

Whereas, Plans for the central district incinerator to be constructed in the South Bay area were first started by a contract with engineers in 1951; and

Whereas, The many problems connected therewith have unduly delayed the construction of said incinerator; and

Whereas, The need for such an incinerator is great and generally acknowledged to be of an emergency nature; and

Whereas, According to a letter from his Honor the Mayor Boston must acquire land from the state in the South Bay area in order to have a proper site for the location of said incinerator; and

Whereas, There is presently pending in the Great and General Court proposed legislation to authorize the transfer to Boston by the state of the needed land at said site; now therefore be it

Resolved, That the Great and General Court is hereby petitioned to expedite and pass on an emergency basis legislation authorizing the Department of Public Works to transfer to the City of Boston land in the South Bay area of Boston for the purpose of enabling Boston to construct a much-needed incinerator.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

SURVEY OF LIGHTING CONDITIONS ON CLARKWOOD STREET, MATTAPAN.

Coun. WHITE offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor is hereby requested to direct the Commissioner of Public Works to make a survey of lighting conditions on Clarkwood street, Mattapan, with a view to installing new street lights to replace the outmoded gas lights.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

SURVEY ON BANNING ALL STREET PARKING IN DOWNTOWN AREA.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be requested to advise the City Council as to whether or not a survey has been made with a view toward banning all street parking in the downtown area of Boston, and if such a report has been made, to forward the results of the survey to the City Council.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

ORDER FOR LOAN OF $5,000,000 FOR OFF-STREET PARKING FACILITIES.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN moved that the order submitted by the Mayor January 10, 1955, for loan of $5,000,000 for off-street parking facilities, be rejected without prejudice.

The motion was carried.

LOAN ORDER FOR ESTABLISHMENT OF OFF-STREET PARKING FACILITIES.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN offered the following:

Ordered, That under the authority contained in chapter 625 of the Acts of 1951, the sum of five million dollars ($5,000,000) be, and hereby is, appropriated, to be expended under the direction of the Real Property Board, for the establishment of off-street parking facilities, and that the Collector-Treasurer be authorized, with the approval of the Mayor, to issue, from time to time, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount, said issues to be outside the limit of indebtedness of the city.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN moved suspension of the rules. The motion was lost. On further motion of Councillor McLaughlin the order was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Finance.

APPLICATION OF FUNDS FOR OFF-STREET PARKING FACILITIES TO DESIGNATED AREAS.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Whereas, The Boston City Council believes that some plan of off-street parking is vital for the future economic welfare of the City of Boston; and

Whereas, The program submitted to the Council by the Real Property Board has met with serious opposition which has resulted in some questions being unresolved in connection with two or more of the sites submitted; and

Whereas, The Council does not wish the entire program to be delayed unnecessarily because of conflict over specific locations, but rather feels that work should start on those sites on which there is unanimity of opinion, among the Council, his Honor, the Mayor, the Real Property Board, the Planning Board, and the Traffic Commission, as to desirability, need, and availability; and

Whereas, Chapter 474 of the Acts of 1946 and subsequent amending legislation indicates an intent to treat each site of the off-street parking program individually; therefore be it

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor, be requested to inform the Boston City Council as to whether or not the Real Property Board will be directed by him to apply the funds appropriated by the Council to designated approved areas as the sites selected by the Real Property Department are ratified by the Council and the money necessary for the acquisition and clearance of those said sites is appropriated.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

NOTICE TO OWNERS OF PROPERTY ADJACENT TO CITY-OWNED LAND TO BE SOLD AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Ordered, That the Board of Real Estate Commissioners be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to make a survey of all city-owned real estate foreclosed lots and such other parcels of land or buildings as have been placed in the custody of the Board of Real Estate Commissioners for disposal, and in cases where said lot or lots are immediately adjacent to existing buildings, to notify the owners of adjacent buildings of the ownership by the city of the said lot or lots, describing them, setting forth the minimum price, and the procedure to be followed if interested in purchasing the same.

Coun. AHEARN in the chair.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

POSTING OF CITY-OWNED LAND TO BE SOLD AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor request the Board of Real Estate Commissioners to post on a bulletin board in that portion of their office open to the public a list by ward, street, and number of the foreclosed real estate lots now owned by the city and such other parcels of land or buildings as have been placed in the custody of the Board of Real Estate Commissioners for disposal and a statement of the procedure to be followed by persons interested in purchasing the same and that copies of the same be forwarded to each branch library in the City of Boston with a request that it be placed on their public bulletin boards, and that copies be posted on those bulletin boards used for voting information throughout the city, and that as soon as additional parcels are obtained, either by foreclosure or transfer, a list of said parcels shall be posted in manner as described above.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

LIGHTING FOR EVENING RECREATIONAL PROGRAMS ON BOSTON COMMON.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor request the Park Commissioner to install adequate artificial lighting for the purpose of conducting evening recreational programs on the Charles Street section of the Boston Common; and further

That the Park Commissioner be requested to plan and put in operation there a program of recreational activities designed to take up the leisure time of adults in the evening hours.

President HURLEY in the chair.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

NAMING OF SQUARE IN HONOR OF JAMES CROWLEY.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That the Committee to Memorialize Veterans be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to name the square at the intersection of Nottingham and Rosseter streets, Dorchester, in honor of James Crowley, who lost his life while in the service of his country.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

DETERMINATION OF LEGAL OPINIONS IN FAVOR OF THE MAYOR AND IN FAVOR OF CITY COUNCIL.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That a determination be made by the Assistant Documents Clerk of the City Council of (1) the number of opinions of the Corporation Counsel on record in the years 1950, 1951, 1952, 1953, 1954, and 1955 pertaining to the division of power and authority under the City Charter and statutes of the Commonwealth, between the Mayor on one hand and the City Council on the other; and (2) the number of times the Corporation Counsel has ruled in favor of the City Council and the number of times the Corporation Counsel has ruled in favor of the Mayor.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

PROCEDURES ADOPTED TO DETERMINE M.T.A. AND M.D.C. ASSESSMENTS ON CITY OF BOSTON.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That the City Auditor is hereby directed to furnish within 21 days of the passage of this order under Section 17F of the City Charter, a report to the City Council of the procedures which the City of Boston has adopted for determining that the M.T.A. and M.D.C. assessments levied upon the City of Boston are fair and just.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

LOAN ORDER FOR ESTABLISHMENT OF OFF-STREET PARKING FACILITIES.

Coun. AHEARN offered the following:

Ordered, That under the authority contained in chapter 625 of the Acts of 1951, the sum of one million dollars ($1,000,000) be, and hereby is, appropriated, to be expended under the direction of his Honor the Mayor and the Real Property Board, for the establishment of off-street parking facilities in the City of Boston, and that the Collector-Treasurer be authorized, on the approval of his Honor the Mayor, to issue, from time to time, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city for said amount, said issues to be outside the limit of indebtedness of the city.

Coun. AHEARN moved to suspend the rules and give the order a first reading. The motion to suspend the rules was lost. The order was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Finance.

ATTENDANCE AT IRISH FESTIVAL SINGERS DINNER.

President HURLEY extended to the councillors and their wives and to the members of the press and their wives an invitation to attend the cocktail party and dinner given for the Irish Festival Singers at the Sheraton-Plaza Hotel on Saturday, March 5, 1955, at 6 P.M.

COMMENDATIONS TO HAROLD G. KERN.

Coun. WHITE offered the following:

Whereas, Harold G. Kern, publisher of the Boston "Record-American" and "Sunday Advertiser" has been appointed general manager of the Hearst Corporation; and

Whereas, Mr. Kern has been an outstanding citizen of our fair city and with his position as publisher has been an active force in the social, fraternal, political, and particularly in the charitable drives throughout the city and the state, some of which, especially for disabled veterans, have been worthy of the strongest commendation and praise; be it therefore

Resolved, That the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, extends its wholehearted congratulations to Mr. Kern on his new office and to the Hearst Corporation for its outstanding judgment in selecting him; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to Mr. Kern and to the papers he publishes in Boston and to the Hearst Corporation.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

Adjourned at 7.49 P.M., on motion of Councillor Hailer, to meet on Monday, March 7, 1955, at 2 P.M.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

(Stenographic copy of such debate on file in office of City Clerk.)

POLICE PENSIONS AND BENEFITS.

On December 1, 1952, there were 709 persons on the pension roll. During the year 25 died, 68 were added, leaving 752 on roll to date, 676 pensioners and 76 annuitants. Payments on account of pensions and annuities during the past year amounted to $1,377,183.62, and it is estimated that $1,717,827.71 will be required for pensions and annuities in 1954. The invested fund of the Police Charitable Fund amounted to $207,550.

CITY OF BOSTON AND COUNTY OF SUFFOLK.

STATISTICAL FACTS FOR THE YEAR 1954

Date of incorporation	February 23, 1822
Date of adoption of City Charter (amended January 7, 1925)	1909
Form of Government	Mayor and City Council
Area (square miles)	47.81
Population — Federal Census (August 1, 1950)	801,444
Number of employees as of February 1, 1951	22,806
Boston Housing Authority:	
Federal Program (7,920 apartments housing 7,920 families)	
Number of apartments in veterans' permanent 1- and 2-family homes housing 1,306 families	
State-Aided Developments (containing 3,177 apartments housing 3,177 families)	
Building Department:	
Permits issued	17,515
Estimated cost	$35,771,706
Cemeteries: Number 19—Area (acres)	161.71
Election Department:	
Registered voters	383,864
Number of ballots cast last general election	169,493
Percentage of registered voters voting	44.15
Fire Department:	
Number of stations	51
Number of fireboats	2
Alarms responded to	15,150
Health Department: Health Units	10
Hospitals (Including Boston Sanatorium):	
City Hospital:	
Number of buildings	57
Bed capacity	2,460
Patients, daily average:	
Wards	1,798
Out-patient	891
Long Island Hospital:	
Number of buildings	27
Population	952
Library Department:	
Number of libraries	37
Number of employees (full time)	640
Number of volumes	2,011,358
Circulation	3,162,338
Markets, number of	2
Municipal buildings, number of	27
Park Department: Parks, number of acres	2,240.29
Area of playgrounds and play areas (acres)	807.12
Number of playgrounds and play areas	121
Number of municipal golf links	2
Number of municipal beaches	3
Public grounds and squares (acres)	57.41
Swimming pools (indoor) 2, (outdoor) 2	4
Number of recreation centers and indoor bathhouses	15
Police Department:	
Number of stations and headquarters	18
Arrests	93,294
Public Works Department:	
Bridges, number of	101
Miles of accepted streets and alleys	731
Sewers: Miles of sewers	1,302.75
Catch basins	23,972
Average number of gallons pumped daily at main pumping station	112,980,821
Sumner Traffic Tunnel: Length (feet)	5,651
Two-lane drive: Vehicles passing through — 1953	10,835,671
Water Service:	
Number of meters in service	95,653
Per capita daily average consumption (gallons)	139
Miles of mains: Ordinary	999.136
High pressure	18.72
Rapid Transit: Miles of subways and tunnels	16.81
Schools:	
Number of school buildings	221
Number of teachers	3,655
Average membership	94,774
Average daily attendance:	
Elementary and junior high schools	54,546
High schools	16,201
Kindergartens	8,151
Special schools	1,800

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

ORTHOPTIC TECHNICIAN, BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL, APRIL 23, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, April 4, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $35.50 a week; the maximum salary is $48 a week.

Vacancies: At present there is one vacancy for a female, to be filled on a permanent part-time basis.

Duties: Under supervision, to examine eyes and report results to the ophthalmic surgeon; and to perform related work as required.

Examples of Duties: Giving tests to determine visual acuity with and without glasses, and testing for distance and nearsightedness with and without glasses; testing for near point of convergence and for three grades of fusion; administering the Worth four-dot test, after-image test, double-image test, prism and cover test, Maddox rod test, and Lancaster red-green test; treating patients on the major amblyoscope; assigning home exercises.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

No. 56—330.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING COAL (BITUMINOUS AND ANTHRACITE) FOR CITY DEPARTMENTS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Monday, March 21, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $200, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Coal." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Mar. 12.) *Purchasing Agent.*

No. 57—330.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING FUEL OIL AND KEROSENE FOR CITY DEPARTMENTS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Monday, March 21, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $200, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Fuel Oil and Kerosene." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Mar. 12.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING AND ERECTING BACKSTOP AND WIRE FENCES IN PLAYGROUNDS, BOSTON, MASS.

The Commissioner of Parks and Recreation of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, invites proposals for furnishing and erecting backstop and wire fences in playgrounds, Boston, Mass. Forms of proposals must be obtained at the Engineer's office of the Parks and Recreation Department, 33 Beacon street. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed and marked "Proposal for Furnishing and Erecting Backstop and Wire Fences in Playgrounds, Boston, Mass.," and left before 2 o'clock P.M. on Tuesday, March 22, 1955, at the office of the Parks and Recreation Department, with a certified check for $300, payable to and to be the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, and will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of 100 per cent of the estimated contract price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the Engineer's office of the Parks and Recreation Department. The successful bidder will be required to provide for public liability and property damage insurance and for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulations will be required prior to the award of said contract. The Commissioner reserves the right to reject any or all proposals.

FRANK R. KELLEY,
(Mar. 12.) *Commissioner.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

PROPOSALS FOR MAKING AND DELIVERING BLUEPRINTS.

The Superintendent of Construction, Department of School Buildings, City of Boston, invites sealed proposals for making and delivering blueprints. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Construction, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass. Each proposal must be signed by the bidder, placed in an envelope, properly sealed, and marked "Proposal for Making and Delivering Blueprints," and left at the office of the Superintendent of Construction, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., before 12 noon, Monday, March 21, 1955, accompanied by cash or certified check on, or a certificate of deposit issued by, a responsible bank or trust company payable to the City of Boston in the sum of $100, to become and be the property of the City of Boston as liquidated damages, if, after an award is made to him, the bidder shall fail to enter into the contract therefor within ten days after notice of said award has been mailed to him. Bid bonds will not be accepted. Said proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read. Proposals must be made in duplicate, one with cash, certified check or certificate of deposit to be left as above, the other without cash, certified check or certificate of deposit to be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

Specifications will be ready for distribution Monday, March 14, 1955, and may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Construction, Department of School Buildings, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston.

A bond of a surety company, approved by the Superintendent of Construction, in the amount of $1,000, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city, will be required. The Superintendent of Construction reserves the right to reject any and all bids if it be in the public interest so to do.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
(Mar. 12.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

TO PAINTING CONTRACTORS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR INTERIOR AND EXTERIOR PAINTING, INCLUDING FIRE ESCAPES, AT THE DAVID A. ELLIS SCHOOL, WALNUT AVENUE, ROXBURY, MASS.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for interior and exterior painting, including fire escapes, at the David A. Ellis School, Walnut avenue, Roxbury, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Monday, March 21, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals shall be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, and inclosed in a sealed envelope, plainly marked with the name of the bidder and the description of the work bid upon. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a certificate of deposit issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $300, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked. Bid bonds will not be accepted.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

A performance bond, issued by a surety company satisfactory to the Awarding Authority, in the full amount of the contract will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any and all bids if it be in the public interest so to do.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
(Mar. 12.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

No. 60—599.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING ONE U-SHAPED WALL TABLE AND SINK ASSEMBLY AND ONE BLACK PENNSYLVANIA SLATE TOP FOR THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Wednesday, March 23, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Wall Table and Sink Assembly." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Mar. 12.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

TO PAINTING CONTRACTORS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR INTERIOR AND EXTERIOR PAINTING AT THE CHARLES SUMNER SCHOOL, BASILE STREET, ROSLINDALE, MASS.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for interior and exterior painting at the Charles Sumner School, Basile street, Roslindale, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Monday, March 21, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals shall be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed and inclosed in a sealed envelope, plainly marked with the name of the bidder and the description of the work bid upon. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a certificate of deposit issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $300, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked. Bid bonds will not be accepted.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

A performance bond, issued by a surety company satisfactory to the Awarding Authority, in the full amount of the contract will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any and all bids if it be in the public interest so to do.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
(Mar. 12.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR UNIFORM SHIRTS.

The Police Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing and delivering police uniform shirts. The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at the office of the Property Clerk, 154 Berkeley street, Boston, and deposit with his bid at the office of the Police Commissioner, a properly certified check for $1,000, payable to and to become the property of the Police Commissioner for the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. Proposals will be publicly opened and read on Friday, March 25, 1955, at 12 o'clock noon, at the office of the Police Commissioner, 154 Berkeley street, Boston, Mass. The Police Commissioner reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the Police Department of the City of Boston. Surety bond will be required of the successful bidder, in an amount equivalent to 50 per cent of the estimated amount of the contract.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
(Mar. 12.) *Police Commissioner.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

To Painting Contractors.

Invitation for Proposals for Interior and Exterior Painting, Including Fire Escapes, at the William Bacon School, Vernon and Auburn Streets, Roxbury, Mass.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for interior and exterior painting, including fire escapes, at the William Bacon School, Vernon and Auburn streets, Roxbury, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Monday, March 21, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals shall be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed and inclosed in a sealed envelope, plainly marked with the name of the bidder and the description of the work bid upon. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a certificate of deposit issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $300, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked. Bid bonds will not be accepted.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

A performance bond, issued by a surety company satisfactory to the Awarding Authority, in the full amount of the contract will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any and all bids if it be in the public interest so to do.

James H. Mooney,
(Mar. 12.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

No. 58—396.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

Proposals for Furnishing Uniform Shirts, Pants, Dresses and Caps for Central Supply, Boston City Hospital.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Tuesday, March 22, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Uniforms." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

John V. Moran,
(Mar. 12.) *Purchasing Agent.*

No. 59—599.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

Proposals for Furnishing Concrete Sectional Liners for Cemetery Division.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Tuesday, March 22, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave bis proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Concrete Sectional Liners." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

John V. Moran,
(Mar. 12.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

MASONRY REPAIRS.

Proposals for Repairs to the Masonry Piers and Abutments of the Summer Street Bridge, Over Fort Point Channel.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for repnirs to the masonry piers and nbutments of the Summer Street Bridge, over Fort Point Channel. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of tbe contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Repairs to the Masonry Piers and Abutments of the Summer Street Bridge, Over Fort Point Channel," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, MARCH 24, 1955, with a certified check for TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY (250) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2) for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under Chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue aucb insurance in full force and effect during tbe term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

George G. Hyland,
(Mar. 12.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

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THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, Office of the Business Manager.

Proposals for Collecting and Removing Ashes, Rubbish and Building Materials from Certain of the Boston Public Schoolhouses.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for collecting and removing ashes, rubbish and building materials from certain of the Boston public schoolhouses. Proposal forms are obtainable at the office of the Business Manager of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, tenth floor. Envelopes containing proposals must be sealed and plainly marked "Proposal for Removing Ashes, Rubbish and Building Materials from Certain of the Boston Public Schoolhouses." The bid must be in duplicate. One copy, signed by the bidder, and accompanied by a certified check, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount of one hundred dollars ($100), must be left at tbe office of the Business Manager on or before 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday, March 23, 1955. Copies filed with the Business Manager will be publicly opened and read at 12 o'clock noon of the day stated. The other copy, also signed by the bidder, must be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., previous to the time named for the opening of bids. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to accept the bid which it deems best for the interests of the city. The successful bidder will be required to furnish a suitable bond or deposit of money or other security in the amount of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract.

Henry J. Smith,
Business Manager of the School Committee.
(Mar. 12.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Proposals for Furnishing and Erecting Park Benches and Seats on Playgrounds, Boston, Mass.

The Commissioner of Parks and Recreation of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, invites proposals for furnishing and erecting park benches and seats on playgrounds, Boston, Mass. Forms of proposals must be obtained at the Engineer's office of the Parks and Recreation Department, 33 Beacon street. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed and marked "Proposal for Furnishing and Erecting Park Benches and Seats on Playgrounds, Boston, Mass.," and left before 2 o'clock P.M. on Tuesday, March 22, 1955, at the office of the Parks and Recreation Department, with a certified check for $200, payable to and to be the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, and will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of 100 per cent of the estimated contract price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the Engineer's office of the Parks and Recreation Department. The successful bidder will be required to provide for public liability and property damage insurance and for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulations will be required prior to the award of said contract. The Commissioner reserves the right to reject any or all proposals.

Frank R. Kelley,
(Mar. 12.) *Commissioner.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

TO GENERAL CONTRACTORS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR MODERNIZATION OF TOILET FACILITIES AT THE BOSTON PUBLIC LATIN SCHOOL, AVENUE LOUIS PASTEUR, BOSTON, MASS.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for modernization of toilet facilities at the Boston Public Latin School, Avenue Louis Pasteur, Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Thursday, March 24, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, enclosed in an envelope, sealed and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $500, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

Subbidders bidding on the work of subcontractors shall use the proposal form prepared by and obtainable from the Awarding Authority.

All subbidders' proposals filed with the Awarding Authority shall be submitted in sealed envelopes, plainly marked with the title of the work; division of the work for which bid is submitted; subcontractor's name; and subcontractor's business address. All such bids shall be in the possession of the Awarding Authority and delivered or mailed to the general contractor no later than Monday, March 21, 1955.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount as specified in the following for the subbid item of work as listed below shall be submitted by each subbidder with the copy of his proposal filed with the Awarding Authority:

Marble, Slate, Tile, etc.....$150
Plumbing $250

The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, plainly marked "Bid Deposit."

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do. The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all subbids on any item or items in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
(Mar. 12.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT COMMISSION.

IN PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT COMMISSION, CITY OF BOSTON, MARCH 10, 1955.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Commission is of the opinion, that public necessity requires the taking of a parcel of land, for school purposes, situated in East Boston, and bounded as follows:

Northerly by Faywood avenue; easterly by land supposed to belong to John L. M. and Catherine Fournier and Ovide F. Cellat; southerly by Montmorenci avenue; and westerly by land supposed to belong to Michael A. Flammia and Michael and Antoinette A. Faretra, containing 69,281 square feet, more or less; substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Commission, that it intends to pass an order for making said taking, and that it appoints 10 o'clock A.M. of March 23, 1955, in the office of this Commission, 401 City Hall Annex, as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

GEORGE G. HYLAND, *Chairman*,
HERMAN CARP,
WM. ARTHUR REILLY,
Public Improvement Commission.

A true copy of an order passed by said Commission on said day.

Attest:

MICHAEL J. CORRAO,
(Mar. 12.) *Secretary.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

CHANGES IN TRAFFIC RULES AND REGULATIONS.

Voted, That the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective March 21, 1955:

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out the following:

Norfolk Avenue, Dorchester.
Southwest side, from East Cottage street to the bridge over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, 24 hours.
North Street, Boston Proper.
North side, from North Centre street to Union street, 24 hours.
South side, from Cross street to Clinton street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Rugg Road, Brighton.
Northeast and east side, from Cambridge street to Braintree street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," each of the following:

Dover Street.
North side, from Albion street to Tremont street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Hull Street.
Southwest side, from Commercial street to Snow Hill street, 24 hours.
North Street.
North side, from Blackstone street to Union street, 24 hours.
South side, from Merchants Row to Dock square, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," each of the following:

Cambridge Street.
Southeast side, from a point two hundred (200) feet northeast of the prolongation of the southwest street line of North Harvard street to a point one hundred (100) feet southwest of the prolongation of the southwest street line of North Harvard street, 24 hours.
Emery Road.
East side, from Rugg road to Braintree street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Market Street.
Northwest side, from Faneuil street to North Beacon street, 24 hours.
Southeast side, from Cypress road to Saybrook street, 24 hours.
North Harvard Street.
Northeast side, from Empire street to Cambridge street, 24 hours.
Southwest side, from Hooker street to Cambridge street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Rugg Road.
Northeast side, from Cambridge street to Emery road, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," each of the following:

Bailey Street.
North side, from Dorchester avenue to a point four hundred (400) feet west of Dorchester avenue, 24 hours.
South side, from Dorchester avenue to the west property line of the Thomas Francis Leen School, 24 hours.
Corona Street.
South side, from Bowdoin street to Geneva avenue, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," each of the following:

Munroe Street.
North side, from Warren street to Walnut avenue, 24 hours.
Norfolk Avenue.
Southwest side, from East Cottage street to the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Bridge, 24 hours.
Opera Place.
Northeast side, from a point ten (10) feet northwest of Public Alley No. 817 to a point ten (10) feet southeast of Public Alley No. 817, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by striking out the following:

North Street, Boston Proper.
South side, from Merchants Row to Dock square, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 6, Part 3 (Restrictions in Cent and Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Columbia Road.
Northwest side, from Arion street to Davern avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by striking out the following:

A Street, South Boston.
From Gillette park to Melcher street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," the following:

Saybrook Street.
From Market street to Glencoe street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," each of the following:

Lonsdale Street.
From Adams street to Dorchester avenue.
Rockwell Street.
From Milton avenue to Washington street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," each of the following:

Bower Street.
From Walnut avenue to Warren street.
Public Alley No. 404.
From Public Alley No. 405 to Cumberland street.
Public Alley No. 405.
From St. Botolph street to Huntington avenue.
Rockland Avenue.
From Dale street to Rockland street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "West Roxbury," the following:

Calder Street.
From Blue Hill avenue to American Legion Highway.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," the following:

Cambridge Street.
At Blossom street.
At Garden street.
At North Russell street.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," the following:

Everett Street.
At Holton street.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Granite Avenue.
At Hill Top street.

WM. ARTHUR REILLY,
Commissioner.

A true copy.
Attest:
W. T. DOYLE, *Executive Secretary.*
(Mar. 12-19.)

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NEW PLAN INAUGURATED BY ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT LOOKING TO ECONOMIES AND SAVINGS IN USE OF PAPER PRODUCTS BY ALL CITY DEPARTMENTS—UNIFORM SIZES OF CARDS, LETTERHEADS, ETC., TO ELIMINATE WASTE IN CUTTING OF MILL STOCK—DIRECTIVE ISSUED.

Beginning with this week a new plan is being inaugurated by the Administrative Services Department looking to economies and savings in the use of paper products by the various departments by the institution of a "Standardization of Forms."

The order has been promulgated by Director of Administrative Services, Charles J. Fox, so as to provide for uniform sizes of cards, letterheads, etc., so that there shall be no waste in the cutting. This, because the city departments make use of such an amount of paper stock, will enable standardized usage, easily handled no matter whatever the needs. In keeping with this the following directive of instructions has been issued by the Administrative Services Department:

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REPORT OF LOUIS F. MUSCO, MEMBER BOSTON SCHOOL COMMITTEE, ON ATTENDANCE AT ANNUAL MEETING OF THE NATIONAL SCHOOL BOARDS ASSOCIATION, INC., IN ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI, FEBRUARY 24 TO 26, INCLUSIVE.

The following is the report of Louis F. Musco of the Boston School Committee on beliefs and policies of the National School Boards Association, Inc., held in convention at St. Louis, Missouri, on February 24, 25, and 26:

The public school committees of America, united in their several State School Committee Associations, and federated into the National School Boards Association, Inc., believe that "education is the bulwark of freedom" and that our universal system of free public education is literally the nation's first line of defense and the greatest constructive force in the possession of the American people for the preservation of their freedoms and the advancement of the democratic way of life.

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BOSTON PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT CONCLUDING MOST SUCCESSFUL INDOOR AND OUTDOOR WINTER SEASON IN YEARS—THOUSANDS OF CITIZENS, YOUNG AND OLD, SHARED IN PROGRAM OF EVENTS PROVIDED BY CHAIRMAN FRANK R. KELLEY AND DIRECTOR PATRICK J. RYAN, BACKED BY ENTHUSIASTIC SUPPORT OF MAYOR JOHN B. HYNES.

With the approaching end of the indoor recreation program of the Boston Parks and Recreation Department Boston citizens have enjoyed the most successful season since the program was inaugurated and recreation became an important part of the Park Department activities.

This is due to the activity and planning of chairman of the Park Commission, Frank R. Kelley, and his Director of Recreation, Patrick J. Ryan, backed up and ably supported by Mayor John B. Hynes, who is the most enthusiastic devotee of public recreation for the citizens that Boston has ever had. The Park Department Recreation Center is located at Pine Bank Park, Jamaica Plain. During the season just ended outdoor skating has been most widely patronized of all the athletic events participated in by the citizens of Boston. A total attendance at all the centers for the winter season has been estimated at about 140,000, exclusive of spectators. Some 60-odd playgrounds were flooded and frozen over to provide for skating this winter, which has been one of the most open for that recreation that has been enjoyed for years. The active attendance has been about 2,000.

In addition to this, there has been an elaborate indoor program conducted in the gymnasiums, including basketball, swimming, and boxing. Football, also, drew a large attendance.

The high light of this indoor program is the competitive sports activities. At the Maurice Tobin Memorial Center, Roxbury, the championships in basketball were held. The 90-odd teams in the Girls' Basketball Leagues played through another season in three age groups, under thirteen, under seventeen, and over seventeen. Teams in this league represented all segments of the city, from unorganized youngsters to women from the offices downtown and from nurses in the hospitals to even school teachers.

The Boys' Basketball Leagues, with the little fellows in the "Jet" League under twelve years of age up through the "Top Park League," have over 120 teams playing scheduled league games under Park League officials from one end of the city to the other every Wednesday, Friday, and Saturday night.

Some of the other interesting events in the public recreation program include the system of classes in recreational activities for all age groups that is carried on in the recreation centers. The Golden Age Division of Boston Park Recreation numbers over 1,200 members. An interesting factor of this program is that many of the entertainers are volunteers who find recreation in entertaining others. The Boston Musicians Union usually furnishes the professional talent.

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"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean;
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.

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STREET AGENCIES.

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Advertising.

A rate of $1 per inch of 12 lines (set solid) has been established for such advertisements as under the law must be printed in the City Record. Advertising and other copy must be in hand at 5 P.M., Wednesday of each week to insure its publication in the Saturday issue.

MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, March 21, at 2 P.M.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries, or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the Complaints Division, Room 25, City Hall.

Information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways, the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments of streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped area for streets and the opening of private ways; the making of specific repairs in public streets; the naming of public streets, including the use of public ways for location of conduits, poles, and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railways, coal holes, and vaults, may be secured from the Public Improvement Commission, Room 403, City Hall Annex.

To THE BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION, 112 Southampton street, for information relative to regulation of vehicular street traffic on all or any streets, ways, highways, roads, and parkways under the control of the City of Boston, the issuing of all permits in connection therewith.

To THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting, and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch basins, the operation of Sumner Tunnel, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges, and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

To THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Haymarket Square, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish, and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughterhouses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases, of public health nuisances.

To THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth Avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park, and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts, also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview, and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

To THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

To THE DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS, 28 Norman street, for information as to the construction and repair of school of buildings.

To THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, ROOM 907, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal, or tearing down of buildings.

To THE ELECTRICAL INSPECTION DIVISION OF THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT, 1001 City Hall Annex, for all information relative to the erection of poles, building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division; also for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings of the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

To THE BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT, 43 City Hall, relative to changes in the boundary lines of zoning districts of the City of Boston as established by chapter 488 of the Acts of 1924, and amendments thereto.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending March 12, 1955.

Population as of July, 1950, Massachusetts State Census, 817,713; population estimated July, 1954, United States Census Bureau, 810,633; number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 217; nonresidents, 97; total, 314.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 20.26; nonresidents deducted, 13.96.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:

Last week, 18.01; corresponding week last year, 13.11.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 25; one year to four years, inclusive, 6; sixty years and over, 197. Total deaths: Male, 174; female, 140; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 233.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Mar. 13, 1955.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Mar. 12, 1954.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior Poliomyelitis	1	—	1	—
Diphtheria	—	—	—	—
Encephalitis Lethargica	—	—	—	—
Influenza	—	—	—	—
Measles	123	—	2	—
Meningitis Epidemic	—	—	1	—
Pneumonia (lobar)	—	3	—	1
Scarlet Fever	49	—	25	—
Tubercuiosis (pulmonary)	21	3	26	6
Childhood Type Tubercuiosis	—	—	—	—
Tuberculosis (other forms)	2	—	2	—
Typhoid Fever	—	—	—	—
Whooping Cough	4	—	6	—

* Residents and nonresidents included.

REPORT OF SCHOOL COMMITTEEMAN LOUIS F. MUSCO.

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They hold that public schools will keep America strong and free if America's public will keep the schools free and strong; and, firm in this conviction, have agreed upon a statement of common beliefs and policies with regard to public education, as follows:

State and Local Control of Education.

The responsibility for providing public schools is legally vested in the several states, but in large measure the operation of the schools is delegated to local school committees made up of lay citizens who serve their communities voluntarily and in most cases without remuneration. It is the policy of the National School Boards Association to support the principle that control of public schools shall always be vested in state and local school committees in accordance with state law.

Keeping the Public Informed.

The public schools belong to all the people, are supported by the people, and are designed to carry out the wishes of the people for the education of children, youths, and adults. Therefore, the National School Boards Association advocates that local school committees and their associations endeavor by every possible means to make certain that all the people have all the facts all the time concerning their schools.

Types of School Committee Responsibility.

The National School Boards Association believes that a local school committee has the following types of responsibility toward the school district community which it represents:

a. The committee has the *legal* responsibility for the conduct of the school, and is the only agency in the community that does.

b. The committee has a *civic* responsibility as the controlling body of a basically essential service to the life of the community.

c. The committee has a *social* responsibility toward all the people who look to the school as the center of growth and development for young and old alike.

d. The committee has an *economic* responsibility, since positive proof exists that there is a direct relationship between good schools and business prosperity.

e. The committee has a *moral and ethical* responsibility to discharge its functions courageously and impartially in the interest of the greatest good to the greatest number at all times.

Standards for Local School Committee Operations.

The National School Boards Association advocates that there shall be in each school district a nonpartisan, broadly representative, team-spirited school committee, having clearly defined written policies based on a thorough understanding of the educational process; that the committee shall conduct its business in open sessions; that the committee shall possess complete fiscal independence for the operation of its program under the administration of a local chief school administrator; and, further, the Association advocates that every member of a school committee shall represent open-mindedly the entire school district and, in consequence, must let his consideration for the entire district take precedence over every form of partisanship and special interest—political, racial, religious, geographic, economic, social, civic, or other.

School Committee-Administrator Relationship.

The National School Boards Association recognizes that the school committee is a policy-making body, and properly delegates the execution of its policies to an employed professional administrator and his staff.

Developing Policies.

The National School Boards Association believes that, in the making of policies, wisdom would indicate that individuals and groups who will be affected by a given policy should be consulted by the school committee during the formulative period and should be fully informed concerning the policy finally adopted. "Those who share will care."

The Association further believes that, since changing conditions bring changing needs, policies must be flexible without being fickle. School committee members should be aware of the fact that every action of a board either (1) conforms to policy already existing; (2) modifies existing policy; or (3) establishes new policy.

Increased Support for Public Education.

With respect to the support of public education, the National School Boards Association recommends:

a. That the citizens of America lift themselves as promptly as they can "to a new and much higher level of interest, of attention, of hard work, of care, of concern, of expenditure, and of dedication to the education of the American people."*

b. That concerted effort be made by each state to equalize the financial support of public education to the end that every taxpayer, individual and corporate, shall contribute his just proportionate share.

c. That local districts be expected to contribute a required minimum amount of financial support to the schools before they are eligible to receive additional funds from state or other sources.

d. That financial support from the state to local school districts be designed in largest measure to equalize educational opportunities and to sustain a steadily improving minimum foundation program of education.

e. That, in principle, funds from federal or other sources outside the state, intended for the assistance of public education, shall be administered by the state education agency through the local school committees in accordance with state policy and without restriction other than simple accounting of receipts and disbursements.

Maintenance of High Professional Standards.

The National School Boards Association with its affiliated state associations urges local boards to exercise the utmost vigilance in maintaining and improving the professional status of the teaching profession, and in encouraging the type of potential candidates for teaching who will exemplify the high ideals so needed in the world today.

Provision of Instructional Materials.

The National School Boards Association recommends that school committees give the members of their staffs opportunity to indicate needed and desirable instructional materials and then endeavor to provide these aids to the fullest possible extent.

The Association recognizes that modern science has developed new media of instruction which may greatly assist teachers and pupils in their classroom studies, and urges that advantage be taken of the new facilities as rapidly as it can be done on a sound educational and economic basis.

Wider Use of School Facilities.

In the public interest, the National School Boards Association advocates the greatest possible use of public school facilities and playgrounds as community centers for the integration of the American community and the encouragement of family participation in wholesome character-building activities conducive to good citizenship and the preservation of the American home. To this end, state associations are urged to initiate legislation whenever necessary to authorize the wider use of public school facilities for community purposes under provisions giving local boards authority to determine, regulate, and maintain such programs.

Adult Education.

The National School Boards Association through its affiliated state associations urges local school committees to provide facilities and programs for teaching adults those skills and cultural subjects which they desire.

Controversial Issues in the Schools.

The National School Boards Association recommends that there shall be no curtailment in classrooms of the presentation of factual material relating to both sides of controversial issues of local, state, national, or international importance, unless such presentation is forbidden by law.

The Association further recommends that school administrators and teaching personnel shall always exert their most conscientious efforts to present such facts objectively and impartially.

It finally recommends that local school committees establish policies which will protect such efforts against unjust reprisal.

Attacks on Public Education.

The National School Boards Association deplores attacks of all kinds which appear designed to:

a. Destroy rather than to improve the American institution of public education.

b. Present a distorted picture based on one-sided or inadequate data.

c. Perpetuate outmoded practices and prevent the schools from taking advantage of proven advances in adapting themselves to the needs of a changing community.

d. Limit the offerings of the schools for the purpose of holding taxes below the level which the community as a whole is ready to maintain.

The association welcomes constructive criticism of the schools, through whatever medium, when it is motivated by a sincere desire to improve the quality of the educational program and to equip the public

* From *Educating for Leadership* by WALTER LIPPMANN, 1954.

schools more effectively for the task they are designed to perform. Criticism is most valuable to school committees when it represents the considered recommendations of a majority of the citizens of a community who have studied the facts.

Public and Private School Relationships.

The National School Boards Association supports the American tradition of the separation of church and state, and urges that it shall be vigorously safeguarded. To this end the Association advocates that funds raised by general taxation for education purposes shall be administered by public officials and shall not be used to support any privately operated schools. The Association recognizes and upholds the right of any group to establish and maintain schools financed by its own supporters with such governmental supervision as will assure a minimum standard of instruction and adherence to the Constitution and laws of the United States.

Purpose and Support of School Boards Associations.

The National School Boards Association is committed to the principle that the major purpose of school boards associations is to strengthen the effectiveness of local committees through education, collective action, and self help.

Membership in a state association should be *by committees*, and membership in the national association should be *by state associations*.

The expense of supporting school boards associations and of attending their meetings is a legitimate charge against the district funds administered by each local committee as evidenced by the legal authorization existing in a majority of the states.

Typical example is the Tennessee Law of 1953, in part as follows:

> "That the Tennessee School Boards Association is hereby recognized as the organization and representative agency of the members of school boards of Tennessee. . . . Membership dues and necessary traveling expenses of school board members and superintendents incurred in attending meetings of the Tennessee School Boards Association may be paid as other expenses are paid by boards of education."

School Boards Associations Independent but Cooperative.

State associations of school committees and the National School Boards Association should be organized and operated on a basis of complete independence. However, they should be dedicated to the policy of full and active cooperation with all lay and professional groups which are sincerely working for the advancement of public education.

At the national level the National School Boards Association pledges itself especially to work in close cooperation with the National Citizens Commission for the Public Schools, the National Congress of Parents and Teachers, the National Council of Chief State School Officers, the National Education Association and its numerous affiliates (particularly the American Association of School Administrators), and the United States Office of Education.

National Board of Education Endorsed.

Because of the universal, nonpartisan nature of the educational process, the National School Boards Association will continue to work for the establishment of a National Board of Education, composed of outstanding lay citizens, and having jurisdiction over an independent Office of Education administered by a United States Commissioner of Education appointed by the Board as its executive officer.

Pending the attainment of the goal set forth above, the National School Boards Association approves the plan for the lay Advisory Committee on Education to the Secretary of Health, Education, and Welfare, with the United States Commissioner of Education acting as the secretary of the committee without vote.

Support of the N.C.A.T.E.

The National School Boards Association regards the National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education, in which it is one of five sponsoring organizations, as occupying a position of strategic importance in the long-range upgrading of the teaching profession. The Association will continue to contribute constructively to the work of the Council through its three chosen representatives.

Approval for the National Organizations Round Table on Public Schools.

It is the policy of the National School Boards Association to maintain representation in the National Organizations Round Table on Public Schools, in the belief that the surest way to unite the vast majority of the American people in an educational movement of real vitality and power is through their existing organizations.

Public Relations in Public Education.

The National School Boards Association recognizes that underlying every problem of public education—teacher supply, building, curriculum, finance, and others—is the problem of how to enlist the understanding and support of the American public as a whole. When people are accused of apathy toward the schools, it is usually because they do not know the facts regarding school conditions, needs, and potentialities. The surest way for citizens to get such facts is to help collect them, organize them, study them, and make recommendations to their school committees in the light of the facts. School committees, in turn, are well advised to enlist citizen groups to assist and counsel them, making certain in all cases that three fundamental principles are followed: (1) that such citizen groups shall be broadly representative of the entire community; (2) that recommendations shall be based on facts, not on unsupported opinion, hearsay, or guesswork; and (3) that the recommendations shall be submitted to the school committees, which alone have authority to act upon them.

The National School Boards Association is firmly convinced that the solution of the problems facing education today lies in strengthening the school committees of the nation, and in a continued and stepped-up crusade to help the American people to acquaint themselves with their schools and with the significance of a universal system of free public education in a world where the worth, dignity, and freedom of the individual are being challenged as never before.

RECREATION DEPARTMENT WINTER SEASON HUGE SUCCESS.

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Another outstanding contribution of the public recreation program is the retarded children's program that is conducted on Saturdays at Curtis Hall in Jamaica Plain. This is the first public recreation program for mentally retarded children in the country. Now in its third year, it has been recognized as the pilot project in this field. An average of 90 children attend this day-long session in planned classes, games, and even swimming.

A good example of the extent of Boston's public recreation program was presented last month, when the Mayor John B. Hynes State-Wide Swimming Championships were conducted. This was the largest swimming meeting in the past 25 years. Actually 698 entries were received.

Boston Park Recreation is one of the first in the country to extend its services to assist with the recreation program in correctional institutions.

The Annual Recreation Center Girls' Demonstration is scheduled for Thursday, April 14, at the Tobin Memorial Center. Dances, classes, games, tumbling, gymnastics, and novelties will go to make the program complete. At the Cabot Street Recreation Center and Curtis Hall Swimming Pool, youngsters are training in water safety and swimming races, for the championships to be held on Friday, April 15, at the Curtis Hall Pool.

A look at the statistics for the first four months of the present season indicates an increase in attendance and interest:

Charlestown	10,385
North Bennet	9,650
Roslindale	11,310
Hyde Park	8,815
Tobin	11,853
East Boston	16,510
Vine Street	16,982
South Boston	16,230
Williams Building	8,320
Tyler Street	7,440
Cabot Street	8,465
Curtis Hall	9,995
Brighton	3,200*
Total attendance	139,155†

* Two-day program for girls.
† Exclusive of spectators.

BASKETBALL.

	Leagues	Teams
Boston Park	20	160
Park CYO	7	56
Girls-Park	5	34
Park CYO	6	45

	Players	Spectators Estimated
Boston Park	3,200	250,000
Park CYO	1,160	150,000
Girls-Park	408	8,500
Park CYO	675	27,000

BOXING.

South Boston	350 boys registered
East Boston	125 boys registered
Cabot Street	100 boys registered
Estimated number of spectators at indoor program events	446,400

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

The following-named temporary assistant assessors (part time) have been appointed:

Willard F. O'Brien, 47 Eliot street, Jamaica Plain, $295.80 a month; Harold L. Vaughan, 46 Deckard street, Grove Hall (Roxbury), $284.93 a month; John J. Riley, Jr., 270 Parker Hill avenue, $263.18 a month.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

For the week ending March 1:

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Lee Alford, 99 Ellington street, Dorchester, 2 days; Marie Allen, 51 Cherry street, Malden, Esther Banclow, 5 Reddy avenue, Hyde Park, 1 day; Priscilla Beckwith, 686 Massachusetts avenue, 8 days; Louise Blanchard, 31 Eaton street, East Milton, 5 days; Rita Buscher, 238 Norfolk street, Wollaston, 2 days; Glenness Calhoun, 2 Avondale street, Dorchester, Mary Canty, 45 Magdala street, Dorchester, Ruby Childs, 270 Huntington avenue, Roxbury, 1 day; Gertrude Clark, 13 Rosa street, Hyde Park, 2 days; Iris Crowley, 168 Crowley-Rogers Way, South Boston, adjustment; Marcelyn Curry, 64 Rosseter street, Dorchester, 3 days; Adele Daly, 30 Aspinwall avenue, North Weymouth, Norma Dean, 696 Massachusetts avenue, 7 days; Florence Dowd, 93 Williams avenue, Hyde Park, 1 day; Patricia Doucette, 352 Athens street, South Boston, 4 days; Elizabeth Donlan, 21 Ferndale street, Dorchester, 1 day; Eleanor Duffley, 3 days; Mary Edwards, 428 Adams street, Dorchester, Yolanda Evans, 126 Waverly street, Everett, 1 day; Jean Darraugh, 568 East Sixth street, South Boston, 7 days; Lucille Furigo, 14 Kilsyth road, Medfield, Dolores Flanagan, 4 Buick street, Watertown, 2 days; Vivian Gailius, 38 Train street, Dorchester, 1 day; Wanda Gerogosian, 10 Independence avenue, Lexington, 7 days; Ethel Glennon, 57 Hollis avenue, Quincy, 1 day; Ethel Goff, 40 Rockwell street, Dorchester, 2 days; Jeanne Gerety, 13 Autumn street, Everett, 7 days; Virginia Hamilton, 827 River street, Mattapan, 1 day; Mary B. Healy, 163 East Cottage street, Dorchester, 4 days; Frances Harris, 103 Townsend street, Roxbury, Ruth Isaakson, 58 Cheney street, Roxbury, 3 days; Dorothy Jewkes, 305 Lynn street, Malden, 5 days; Joan Keane, 1086 Dorchester avenue, 1 day; Charlotte Kelleher, 48 Waverly street, Roxbury, adjustment; Olga Krag, 5 Park Vale, Brookline, 1 day; Anne Lynskey, 52 Telsa street, Medford, 2 days; Catherine McGuinness, 14 Alsen road, Dorchester, Veronica McElligott, 34 Dickinson street, Somerville, Rita McCallum, 162 Bowdoin street, Dorchester, 6 days; Claire Murphy, 32 Worcester square, 1 day; Mary R. Mahan, 29 Kempton street, Anna Murphy, 115 Peterborough street, Thelma Miles, 9 Albemarle Chambers, Phyllis Nigri, 271 Dartmouth street, 7 days; Angelina Peyton, 16 Dane street, Jamaica Plain, 2 days; Mary Pursley, 38 Van Brunt street, Hyde Park, Dora

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TAX ABATEMENT DECISIONS RENDERED BY THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS FOR THE WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 11.

LEGEND.

* Appellate Tax Board Settlement. ¶ Illegal assessment. ‖ Chapter 59-5.
† Appellate Tax Board Decision. § Duplicate assessment. = Chapter 58-8.
‡ Overvaluation Settlement by Board of Assessors. x Chapter 231.

Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Spencer, Louise M	589 Rutherford av	2—1950	$1,354.50	$677.25	=
Cohen, Etta	51 Wildwood st	14—1950	453.60	31.50	*
Pilgrim Theatres Corp	344 Blue Hill av	14—1950	2,646.00	756.00	*
Pilgrim Theatres Corp	358 Blue Hill av	14—1950	1,197.00	315.00	*
Pilgrim Theatres Corp	362 Blue Hill av	14—1950	8,082.90	2,412.90	*
Pilgrim Theatres Corp	366 Blue Hill av	14—1950	1,241.10	315.00	*
Cohen, Joseph	34 Alpha rd	17—1950	441.00	31.50	*
Hicks, S. D., & Son Co	V. L., Hyde Park av., NW	18—1950	630.00	630.00	*
Copley, Alexander H	Vacant lot, Morton st., SW	18—1950	100.80	37.80	*
Jamaica Amusement Co	401A–411 Centre st	19—1950	945.00	157.50	*
Old Colony Properties	55–65 Lanark rd	21—1950	5,355.00	630.00	*
Oppenheim, Gertrude E	65 Brighton av	21—1950	882.00	315.00	*
Hillcrest Apartments	1377 Commonwealth av	21—1950	1,556.10	44.10	*
Metropolitan Realty Co	39–49 Sudbury st	3—1951	2,826.00	188.40	*
Cohen, Etta	51 Wildwood st	14—1951	452.16	31.40	*
Levine, Hyman B	25 Castlegate rd	14—1951	376.80	94.20	*
Levine, Hyman B	23 Castlegate rd	14—1951	376.80	94.20	*
Levine, Hyman B	50 Bradshaw st	14—1951	753.60	188.40	*
Cohen, Joseph	34 Alpha rd	17—1951	439.60	31.40	*
Hicks, S. D., & Son, Co	V. L., Hyde Park av., NW	18—1951	628.00	628.00	*
Homes, Inc	Vacant lot, Morton st	18—1951	100.48	37.68	*
Jamaica Amusement Co	407–411 Centre st	19—1951	942.00	157.00	*
Condos, James	350 Chestnut Hill av	21—1951	1,821.20	690.80	*
Hillcrest Apartments	1375 Commonwealth av	21—1951	1,695.60	125.60	*
Condos, James	358 Chestnut av	21—1951	1,419.28	314.00	*
Hillcrest Apartments	1377 Commonwealth av	21—1951	1,551.16	43.96	*
Howard Investment Corp	282–286 Bennington st	1—1952	2,832.32	334.00	*
Kimhall Realty Corp	50 Park st	2—1952	133.60	93.52	*
Ruhinovich, Harold	669–675 Washington st	3—1952	12,024.00	5,845.00	*
Charm, Gertrude, et al	39–49 Sudbury st	3—1952	3,006.00	200.40	*
Ruhinovitch, Harold	11 La Grange st	3—1952	567.80	66.80	*
Salter, Abram, Trustee	11A Newhury st	5—1952	9,352.00	2,672.00	*
Gostanian, Richard	50 Blue Hill av	8—1952	1,336.00	267.20	*
Walnut Realty, Inc	20–28 Dennis st	8—1952	1,255.84	187.04	*
Smith, Mary	122 West Concord st	9—1952	367.40	66.80	*
Smith, Mary	124 West Concord st	9—1952	367.40	66.80	*
Kelley, Daniel P	113 Hillside st	10—1952	380.76	33.40	*
Community Builders, Inc	15 Eldora st	10—1952	354.04	66.80	*
Factor, Fannie	10 Carlisle st	12—1952	334.00	100.20	*
Kirshner, Kate	14 Elizabeth st	14—1952	1,068.80	133.60	*
Glick, Sadie E	16 Browning av	14—1952	501.00	66.80	*
Cohen, Etta	51 Wildwood st	14—1952	480.96	33.40	*
Cohen, Esther R	52 Glenway st	14—1952	1,937.20	434.20	*
Rittenberg, Ruhin	1197 Blue Hill av	14—1952	1,142.28	140.28	*
Stone, Bessie	810–812 Blue Hill av	14—1952	1,436.20	66.80	*
Levine, Hyman B	23 Castlegate rd	14—1952	400.80	100.20	*
Levine, Hyman B	25 Castlegate rd	14—1952	400.80	100.20	*
Levine, Hyman B	50 Bradshaw st	14—1952	801.60	200.40	*
Epstein, Ralph	Rear 34 Freeport st	15—1952	734.80	367.40	*
Cohen, Joseph	34 Alpha rd	17—1952	467.60	33.40	*
Homes, Inc	Vacant lot, Morton st	18—1952	106.88	40.08	*
Belyea, John H., et al	120 Blake st	18—1952	467.60	40.08	*
Hicks, S. D., & Son Co	1671 Hyde Park av	18—1952	5,811.60	534.40	*
Silva, Harry L	Vacant lot, Hyde Park av	18—1952	120.24	33.44	*
Hicks, S. D., & Son Co	V. L., Hyde Park av., NW	18—1952	668.00	668.00	*
Condos, James	358 Chestnut Hill av	21—1952	1,509.68	334.00	*
Condos, James	350 Chestnut Hill av	21—1952	1,937.20	734.80	*
Blake Apartments, Inc	63 Brighton av	21—1952	1,068.80	200.40	*
Old Colony Properties	55 Lanark rd	21—1952	5,678.00	668.00	*
Blake Apartments, Inc	65 Brighton av	21—1952	601.20	200.40	*
Hillcrest Apartments	1377 Commonwealth av	21—1952	1,649.96	46.76	*
Hillcrest Apartments	1375 Commonwealth av	21—1952	1,803.60	133.60	*
Blake Apartments, Inc	61 Brighton av	21—1952	587.84	40.08	*
Kimball Realty Corp	42–46 Park st	2—1953	919.10	565.60	*
Kimhall Realty Corp	50 Park st	2—1953	141.40	98.98	*
Wasserman, Esther	677–679 Washington st	3—1953	4,595.50	1,060.50	*
Rubinovitch, Harold	669–675 Washington st	3—1953	12,726.00	6,186.25	*
Charm, Gertrude, et al	39–49 Sudbury st	3—1953	3,535.00	333.50	*
Maggio, Joseph	40A Pitts st	3—1953	494.90	70.70	*
Ruhinovitch, Harold	11 La Grange st	3—1953	600.95	70.70	*
Snider, Ellis L	41–43 Westland av	4—1953	10,605.00	2,121.00	*
Salter, Abram, Trustee	11A Newbury st	5—1953	9,898.00	2,828.00	*
Binder, Morris	290 Marlborough st	5—1953	1,414.00	565.60	*
Binder, Morris	447 Beacon st	5—1953	1,201.90	212.10	*
Gostanian, Richard	46–50 Blue Hill av	8—1953	1,414.00	282.80	*
Walnut Realty, Inc	20–28 Dennis st	8—1953	1,329.16	197.96	*
Baker, Helen R	951 Albany st	8—1953	516.10	127.26	*
Palder, Lawrence K	V. L., Columhus av., SW	11—1953	445.41	219.17	*
Factor, Fannie	10 Carlisle st	12—1953	353.50	106.05	*
Cramer, Max, et al	211 Callender st	14—1953	530.25	70.70	*
Kirshner, Kate	14 Elizabeth st	14—1953	1,131.20	141.40	*
Glick, Sadie E	16 Browning av	14—1953	530.25	70.70	*
Cohen, Etta	51–53 Wildwood st	14—1953	509.04	35.35	*
Donajefsky, Ruth	33 Theodore st	14—1953	530.25	141.40	*
Stone, Bessie	810–812 Blue Hill av	14—1953	1,520.05	70.70	*
Levine, Hyman B	23 Castlegate rd	14—1953	424.40	106.05	*
Levine, Hyman B	25 Castlegate rd	14—1953	424.20	106.05	*
Levine, Hyman B	50 Bradshaw st	14—1953	848.40	212.10	*
Cohen, Joseph	34 Alpha rd	17—1953	494.90	35.35	*
Homes, Inc	Vacant lot, Morton st	18—1953	113.12	42.42	*
Hicks, S. D., & Son Co	1671 Hyde Park av	18—1953	6,150.90	565.60	*
Silva, Harry L	Vacant lot, Hyde Park av	18—1953	127.26	56.56	*
Hicks, S. D., & Son Co	V. L., Hyde Park av., NW	18—1953	707.00	707.00	*
Singer, Harry, et al	732–736 South st	20—1953	4,595.50	707.00	*
McNeil, Alexander	1–3 Conway st	20—1953	5,656.00	707.00	*
Condos, James	358 Chestnut Hill av	21—1953	1,597.82	353.50	*
Condos, James	350 Chestnut Hill av	21—1953	2,050.30	777.70	*

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Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
McNeil, Alexander	27 Lanark rd.	21—1953	$6,363.00	$353.50	*
Blake Apartments, Inc.	63 Brighton av.	21—1953	1,131.20	212.10	*
Blake Apartments, Inc.	67 Brighton av.	21—1953	1,131.20	212.10	*
Hillcrest Apartments	1377 Commonwealth av	21—1953	1,746.29	49.49	*
Hillcrest Apartments	1375 Commonwealth av	21—1953	1,998.90	141.10	*
Blake Apartments, Inc.	61 Brighton av.	21—1953	622.16	42.42	*
Fritz, Sara, et al	208-218 Brighton av.	21—1953	919.10	268.66	*
Green, Michael	9 Henshaw st.	22—1953	2,121.00	565.60	*
Central Square Realty	36 Bennington st.	1—1954	10,470.00	3,490.00	‡
Maragioglio, Elena M.	168 Webster st.	1—1954	453.70	55.84	‡
Seville Realty Co., Inc.	248-270 Meridian st	1—1954	24,360.20	5,165.20	‡
Warshaw, Leo and Elia B.	282-286 Bennington st	1—1954	2,959.52	349.00	‡
Kimball Realty Corp.	50 Park st.	2—1954	139.60	97.72	‡
Kimball Realty Corp.	42-46 Park st.	2—1954	907.40	488.60	‡
Zuker, Evelyn	236 Bunker Hill st.	2—1954	767.80	188.46	‡
Whitney, Clarence L.	13 Parker st	2—1954	195.44	20.91	‡
Zuker, Evelyn	232-234 Bunker Hill st.	2—1954	663.10	104.70	‡
Zuker, Evelyn	200 Bunker Hill st.	2—1954	663.10	104.70	‡
Zuker, Evelyn	66-68 High st.	2—1954	628.20	139.60	‡
Zuker, Evelyn	29-35 Bunker Hill st.	2—1954	1,535.60	209.40	‡
Zuker, Evelyn	73 Baldwin st., SE corner	2—1954	767.80	139.60	‡
Wilkinson Co., A. J.	180 Washington st.	3—1954	4188.00	628.07	‡
Beth Israel Hospital Realty	12-14 Winter st	3—1954	22,685.00	8,725.00	‡
Bova, Antonio	76 Prince st.	3—1954	1,745.00	209.40	‡
Charm, Gertrude, et al.	39-49 Sudbury st	3—1954	3,490.00	349.00	‡
Greaves, Fred L.	12 Marshall st	3—1954	1,396.00	349.00	‡
Greaves, Fred L.	20 Marshall st	3—1954	2,792.00	698.00	‡
Harrison Realty Co.	116 Harrison av	3—1954	16,054.00	2,792.00	‡
Hudson Building Trust, Inc	75 Kneeland st	3—1954	55,840.00	5,235.00	‡
Hurwitz Realty Corp.	63 Oliver st	3—1954	2,233.60	698.00	‡
Maggio, Joseph L.	10A Pitts st.	3—1954	488.60	69.80	‡
Meland Realty Corp.	63-65 Dwight st	3—1954	2,373.20	558.40	‡
Modern Theatre, Inc.	523 Washington st	3—1954	31,919.54	5,744.54	‡
Pill, Ralph	81 Staniford st	3—1954	321.08	69.80	‡
Pill, Ralph and Fredn.	91 Staniford st.	3—1954	663.10	139.60	‡
Pill, Fredn.	77 Staniford st	3—1954	251.28	69.80	‡
Pill, Freda	85 Staniford st	3—1954	392.86	69.80	‡
Rubinovitch, Harold	669-675 Washington st	3—1954	12,564.00	6,107.50	‡
Rubinovitch, Harold	11 La Grange st	3—1954	593.30	69.80	‡
Rome, T. Herzl, Trustee	15 Columbia st	3—1954	8,725.00	1,745.00	‡
Scollay, Inc.	6-8 Scollay sq	3—1954	10,470.00	1,745.00	‡
Stern, Benjamin, et al.	511 Washington st	3—1954	41,880.00	5,235.00	‡
Traders Building, Inc.	25-35 Kneeland st	3—1954	29,665.00	2,443.00	‡
Wasserman, Esther	677 Washington st	3—1954	4,537.00	1,047.00	‡
Finn, David A., et al.	124 Dartmouth st	4—1954	488.60	69.80	‡
Finn, David A., et al.	120 Dartmouth st	4—1954	1,186.60	209.40	‡
Gainey, Walter S.	20-32 St. Botolph st	4—1954	4,048.40	1,396.00	‡
Glamlov, Nunzio R.	Vacant lot, Columbus av	4—1954	314.00	153.56	‡
Jay Realty Corp.	183 Massachusetts av	4—1954	3,839.00	349.00	‡
Snider, Ellis L.	41-43 Westland av	4—1954	10,470.00	2,094.00	‡
S. S. Pierce Co., Mass. Corp.	210 Dartmouth st	4—1954	33,853.00	7,078.00	‡
Taylan Realty Co., Inc.	305 Huntington av	4—1954	8,027.00	698.00	‡
Baine, Mildred	214 Commonwealth av	5—1954	977.20	209.40	‡
Barss, Alice A.	65 Park Drive	5—1954	3,141.00	209.40	‡
Barss, Alice A.	51 Park Drive	5—1954	6,282.00	523.50	‡
Barss, Alice A.	69 Park Drive	5—1954	3,141.00	209.40	‡
Basso, Joseph C.	473 Beacon st	5—1954	1,605.14	349.00	‡
Binder, Morris	447 Beacon st.	5—1954	1,186.60	209.40	‡
Binder, Morris	290 Marlborough st	5—1954	1,396.00	209.40	‡
Feldman, Blanche A.	356 Commonwealth av	5—1954	2,443.00	69.80	‡
Feldman, Blanche A.	358 Commonwealth av	5—1954	2,443.00	69.80	‡
Feldman, Blanche A.	360 Commonwealth av	5—1954	2,443.00	69.80	‡
Fenway Park Parking, Inc.	1271 Boylston st	5—1954	3,664.50	642.16	‡
Fenway Park Parking, Inc.	1271 Boylston st	5—1954	1,598.42	202.42	‡
Fredberg, Chester	23-25 Revere st	5—1954	1,116.80	139.60	‡
Fredberg, Chester	35 Revere st	5—1954	1,047.00	139.60	‡
Fredberg, Chester	25 Garden st	5—1954	314.10	83.76	‡
Fredberg, Chester	471 Beacon st	5—1954	1,326.20	139.60	‡
Gainey, Walter S.	234 Beacon st	5—1954	3,141.00	209.40	‡
Gainey, Walter S.	29 Fairfield st	5—1954	1,745.00	349.00	‡
Gainey, Walter S.	246 Commonwealth av	5—1954	1,395.00	139.60	‡
Gainey, Walter S.	207 Commonwealth av	5—1954	2,443.00	349.00	‡
Gainey, Walter S.	113 Commonwealth av	5—1954	3,141.00	349.00	‡
Gainey, Walter S.	37 Commonwealth av	5—1954	2,094.00	349.00	‡
Gainey, Walter S.	7 Gloucester st	5—1954	1,116.80	139.60	‡
Grove Park Corp.	91 Bay State rd	5—1954	66,310.00	13,960.00	‡
Holden Apartments, Inc.	99½ Myrtle st.	5—1954	1,396.00	104.70	‡
Kaplan, Annie	147 Columbus av	5—1954	3,490.00	349.00	‡
Lissack, Louis, Estate of	245 Commonwealth av	5—1954	2,094.00	349.00	‡
Monosson, Minnie, et al	584 Commonwealth av	5—1954	19,195.00	1,745.00	‡
Rubinstein, Inc., Lessee	11A Newbury st	5—1954	9,772.00	2,792.00	‡
Society of the Divine Word	184 Beacon st.	5—1954	1,535.60	1,535.60	‡
Boston Fish Market Corp	249 Northern av	6—1954	3,741.28	1,298.28	‡
Boston Fish Market Corp	212 Northern av	6—1954	260,074.80	27,920.00	‡
Daunt, Mary G., et al.	341 E st	6—1954	34.90	27.92	‡
Daunt, Mary G., et al	343 E st	6—1954	34.90	27.92	‡
Riley, Jennie M	32 West Fifth st	6—1954	83.76	18.86	‡
Siegel, David, Inc.	274 West Broadway	6—1954	2,091.00	55.84	‡
Howard, Charles and James	412 Dorchester av	7—1954	4,188.00	1,396.00	‡
Baker, Helen R.	951 Albany st	8—1954	509.54	125.64	‡
Gostaninn, Richard	50 Blue Hill av	8—1954	1,396.00	279.20	‡
Melhouris, William, et al	1688 Washington st	8—1954	698.00	69.80	‡
Sutherland, Pauline	1692 Washington st	8—1954	698.00	69.80	‡
Walnut Realty Co.	28 Dennis st.	8—1954	1,312.24	195.44	‡
Pilgrim Theatres Corp.	1120 Columbus av	9—1954	5,235.00	1,745.00	‡
Church, David B., Trustee	20 Jamaicaway	10—1954	2,966.50	349.00	‡
Church, David B., Trustee	20 Jamaicaway	10—1954	2,966.50	349.00	‡

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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Picarsky, 31 Edison Green, Dorchester, 3 days; Ethel Rahaim, 665 Massachusetts avenue, 1 day; Ann Romsey, 146 Massachusetts avenue, 5 days; Frances Simonian, 29 Sagamore street, Dorchester, 1 day; Angelina Smith, 3 Walford Drive, Canton, 2 days; Verna Snow, 75 Damon avenue, Melrose, 1 day; Margaret M. Sullivan, 28 Weymouth street, Holbrook, 8 days; Isabel Sutton, 121 Boston street, Dorchester, Helen Spillane, 499 Park street, Stoughton, 2 days; Eleanor Shalott, 43 East Springfield street, Mabel Steed, 223A Walnut avenue, Roxbury, 1 day; Bernice Stanley, 22 Sandra road, East Walpole, Claire Shea, 136 Savin Hill avenue, Dorchester, Josephine Trippe, 80 Orleans street, East Boston, 2 days; Theresa Wagner, 4 days; Kathryn Welch, 49 East Springfield street, 6 days.

The following weekly floor nurses have been appointed:

Permanent.—Rita M. Gaffney, 107 Centre street, Roxbury, $70.50 a week; Mary Lee, 456 Medford street, Somerville, $1.50 an hour; Ruth Nagle, 201 Sherman road, Chestnut Hill, $1.50 an hour; Katherine McGilvray, 78½ Robbins street, Waltham, $65.50 a week.

The following doctor has received an appointment with salary as indicated:

Alfredo Aucar, junior assistant resident, Aural Service, $112 a month.

Sanatorium Division.

Approval has been given to the following resignations:

Carlo DeFazi, head pharmacist; Robert Tracey, hospital kitchen worker; Cornelius Fougere, Hugh Hastings, hospital house workers, provisional.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

The following employees have resigned from this department:

Lois Lee, permanent clerk and typist; Inez Cofield, provisional statistical machine operator; Barbara Thomas, permanent clerk and typist; Margaret Dacey, permanent senior bookkeeper; Patricia Ford, permanent social worker.

The following employees were recently married and will hereafter appear on our records as follows:

Joan Biagiotti, clerk and typist, to Joan Redman; Helen Battaglia, clerk and typist, to Helen Gallagher.

The following employees have retired:

Helen Daly, permanent principal bookkeeper; Ruth Walker, permanent social worker; Anne Herbon, permanent matron.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following appointments:

BOSTON RETIREMENT BOARD.

Lawrence Donovan, 269 Meridian street, East Boston, senior accounting machine operator, $55.50 a week.

CIVIL DEFENSE.

Marie A. Orth, 7 Parkman street, Dorchester, clerk-typist, $1 an hour.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Health Division.

Frederick W. Hanson, Jr., 1115 Adams street, Dorchester, public health dentist, $75.94 a week.

David I. Meline, 2089 Centre street, West Roxbury, public health physician, part time, $65 a week.

John T. Bowers, Jr., 987 South street, Roslindale, public health physician, part time, $65 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Long Island Division.

Leo F. Sweeney, 16 Cordis street, Charlestown, senior Long Island Hospital guard, $73 a week.

Paul W. Ferris, 538 East Broadway, South Boston, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Alfred Zannini, 64 Conant road, Quincy, X-ray technician, $45.50 a week.

William H. Tomlinson, 611 Adams street, Dorchester, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following reinstatements:

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Bridget Hill, 528 East Seventh street, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Emma B. Wright, 8 Carlisle street, Dorchester, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Peter MacPherson, 32 Chasé street, Dorchester, clerk, $43 a week.

Mary A. Marnell, 397 Dorchester street, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $45.50 a week.

Marie B. Thomas, 80 East Lenox street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Viola O'Keefe, 210 Highland street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Rosalie M. Klabbatz, 37 Ellington street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Rev. Lloyd E. Beebe, 74 Bowen street, Newton Center, chaplain, $205.33 a month.

Evelyn D. McDonald, 765 South street, Roslindale, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Ida M. Pucci, 53 Brook avenue, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Daisy Gulley, 55 Robey street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Louise E. Nelson, 22 Brookford street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Grace E. Butler, 1 James street, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Ruth L. Gregorio, 302 Eustis street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Mary A. Cady, 13 Marmion street, Jamaica Plain, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Dorothy F. Farrar, 51 Vale street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Tekla I. Persson, 18 Reed street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Phylis M. Curley, 49 Bataan court, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Claire I. Prendergast, 1160 Harrison avenue, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Elaine M. Fitzpatrick, 2 Bataan court, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

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Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Mihaloplos, Helen	133 Smith st	10—1954	$300.14	$20.94	‡
Winchendon Savings Bank	805 Huntington av	10—1954	907.40	279.20	‡
Bury, Agnes	73 Child st	11—1954	558.40	34.90	‡
Merritt, Frederick J., et al	5 Kensington st	11—1954	432.76	48.86	‡
Palder, Lawrence K	Vacant lot, Columbus av., SW.	11—1954	439.74	216.38	‡
Factor, Fannie	10 Carlisle st	12—1954	349.00	104.70	‡
Fredberg, Sadie I	2-4 Nazing pl	12—1954	837.60	209.40	‡
Gerber, Frieda	87 Maple st	12—1954	907.40	139.60	‡
Gibbs, James B., et al	72 Cheney st	12—1954	767.80	174.50	‡
Parad, Matilda	74 Edgewood st	12—1954	593.30	69.80	‡
Pilgrim Theatres Corp	270-272 Warren st	12—1954	6,930.00	1,745.00	‡
Stokes, Bernard R	18 Fountain st	12—1954	223.36	34.90	‡
Soloveitchik, Rabbi J	34 Hutchings st	12—1954	907.40	349.00	‡
Stokes, Bernard R	20 Fountain st	12—1954	202.42	34.90	‡
Stokes, Bernard R	22 Fountain st	12—1954	202.42	34.90	‡
Stokes, Bernard R	24 Fountain st	12—1954	202.42	34.90	‡
Tobin, Louis and Esther	6 Crawford st	12—1954	832.70	109.70	‡
Waldman, Robert	482 Blue Hill av	12—1954	3,490.00	249.00	‡
Fredberg, Chester	142A Blue Hill av	13—1954	418.80	83.76	‡
Fredberg, Chester	138A Blue Hill av	13—1954	418.80	69.80	‡
Fredberg, Chester	140 Blue Hill av	13—1954	418.80	83.76	‡
Shea, Mary J., et al	16 Grampian Way	13—1954	579.34	90.74	‡
American Ice Co	22 Beechwood st	14—1954	6,282.00	349.00	‡
Bellanti, Francis	40 Elmont st	14—1954	593.30	69.80	‡
Chalmer, Sarah	35 Hewins st	14—1954	558.40	69.80	‡
Cohen, Esther R	52 Glenway st	14—1954	2,024.20	453.70	‡
Cohen, Etta	51 Wildwood st	14—1954	502.56	34.90	‡
Covitz, William	386 Blue Hill av	14—1954	601.20	83.76	‡
Daughters of Israel, Inc	2 Hewins st	14—1954	523.50	209.40	‡
Donajefsky, Ruth	33 Theodore st	14—1954	523.50	139.60	‡
Ellis, George I	52 Lawrence av	14—1954	418.80	139.60	‡
Epstein, Martha B	1194 Blue Hill av	14—1954	5,374.60	699.00	‡
Franklin Apartments, Inc	24 American Legion Hwy	14—1954	22,685.00	2,233.60	‡
Gerber, Barnet	376 Blue Hill av	14—1954	593.30	104.70	‡
Gerber, Barnet	378 Blue Hill av	14—1954	698.00	139.60	‡
Gerber, Irving, et al	380 Blue Hill av	14—1954	593.30	69.80	‡
Glick, Sadie E	16 Browning av	14—1954	523.50	69.80	‡
Kirshner, Kate	14 Elizabeth st	14—5954	1,116.80	139.60	‡
Levine, Hyman B	50 Bradshaw st	14—1954	837.60	209.40	‡
Levine, Hyman B	25 Castlegate rd	14—1954	418.80	104.70	‡
Levine, Hyman B	23 Castlegate rd	14—1954	418.80	104.70	‡
Meiselman, Sarah	134 Washington st	14—1954	558.40	125.64	‡
Palmieri, Ottariano	217 Columbia rd	14—1954	1,256.40	174.50	‡
Parad, Edna	43 Winston rd	14—1954	663.10	104.70	‡
Parad, Sydney	16 Westview st	14—1954	1,005.12	97.72	‡
Pilgrim Theatres Corp	616 Blue Hill av	14—1954	9,772.00	3,490.00	‡
Pilgrim Theatres Corp	358 Blue Hill av	14—1954	1,326.20	349.00	‡
Pilgrim Theatres Corp	364 Blue Hill av	14—1954	8,955.34	2,673.34	‡
Pilgrim Theatres Corp	366 Blue Hill av	14—1954	1,375.06	349.00	‡
Pilgrim Theatres Corp	344 Blue Hill av	14—1954	2,931.60	837.60	‡
Pilgrim Theatres Corp	370A Blue Hill av	14—1954	1,256.40	558.40	‡
Pilgrim Theatres Corp	726 Blue Hill av	14—1954	3,490.00	698.00	‡
Raffel, Mildred	33 Stratton st	14—1954	684.04	55.84	‡
Rosenberg, Israel	1098 Blue Hill av	14—1954	4,537.00	349.00	‡
Stone, Bessie	810 Blue Hill av	14—1954	1,500.70	69.80	‡
Wiseblatt, Israel	132 Erie st	14—1954	628.20	69.80	‡
Wiseblatt, Sarah	37 Kingsdale st	14—1954	628.20	69.80	‡
Epstein, Ralph	34 Freeport st	15—1954	767.80	383.90	‡
Rothenberg, Zucia A	229 Bowdoin st	15—1954	2,094.00	349.00	‡
A. & F. Realty Corp	6 Ericsson st	16—1954	1,047.00	209.40	‡
A. & F. Realty Corp	Tenean st., jct. of Fulton st.	16—1954	349.00	34.90	‡
A. & F. Realty Corp	1100 W. T. Morrissey Blvd.	16—1954	3,350.40	767.80	‡
A. & F. Realty Corp	8A Tenean st	16—1954	279.20	69.80	‡
Georgian, Parisis J	487 Neponset av	16—1954	893.44	349.00	‡
Leahy, James E. L	56 Port Norfolk st	16—1954	349.00	104.70	‡
Connolly, John	63 Codman Hill av	17—1954	593.30	69.80	‡
DeNatale, John L	26 Ogden st	17—1954	537.46	69.80	‡
Hart, Milton H., et al	88A Morton st	17—1954	558.40	69.80	‡
Pearl, Charlotte	207 Norfolk st	17—1954	788.74	20.94	‡
Pearl, Charlotte	4 Norfolk ter	17—1954	767.80	20.94	‡
Pearl, Charlotte	3 Norfolk ter	17—1954	767.80	20.94	‡
Pearl, Charlotte	5 Norfolk ter	17—1954	767.80	34.90	‡
Pearl, Charlotte	6 Norfolk ter	17—1954	767.80	34.90	‡
Saxe, Samuel	5 Millet st	17—1954	481.62	69.80	‡
S. D. Hicks & Son	1671 Hyde Park av	18—1954	6,072.60	558.40	‡
S. D. Hicks & Son	Vacant lot, Hyde Park av.	18—1954	698.00	698.00	‡
Hollingsworth, Amor	Fairway av., Lot E	18—1954	2,512.80	418.80	‡
Homes, Inc	Vacant lot, Morton st	18—1954	111.68	41.88	‡
Karoul, Albert	211 West Selden st	18—1954	314.10	69.80	‡
Pilgrim Theatres Corp	1595 Blue Hill av	18—1954	41,314.62	13,394.62	‡
Bergin, Edward J	198 Metropolitan av	19—1954	174.50	34.90	‡
Bergin, Edward J	Ballard st	19—1954	111.68	34.90	‡
Bergin, Edward J	20 Goldsmith st	19—1954	314.10	139.60	‡
Christie, Peter J., et al	2 Boylston st	19—1954	1,256.40	139.60	‡
Dominico, Constance A	2 Cedarwood st	19—1954	628.20	69.80	‡
Dinneen, James F., et al	46 Orchard st	19—1954	663.10	69.80	‡
Freeman, Benjamin S., et al	11 Neillian Crescent	19—1954	628.20	139.60	‡
Kalutkiewicz, Stanislaw	24 Bexley rd	19—1954	390.88	83.76	‡
Lynch, Herbert, et al	285 Wachusett st	19—1954	383.90	69.80	‡
Stamatos, James S	33 Halifax st	19—1954	942.30	174.50	‡
Theatre Amusements, Inc	409 Centre st	19—1954	1,047.00	174.50	‡
Theatre Amusements, Inc	413 Centre st	19—1954	9,074.00	1,745.00	‡
Atwill, Frank R	Vacant lot, Atwill rd	20—1954	62.82	62.82	‡
Donaruma, Ernest	661 West Roxbury Pkway	20—1954	698.00	69.80	‡
Kaufman, Max	5205 Washington st	20—1954	1,291.30	279.20	‡

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Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Megliola Construction Co	Jacqueline rd	20—1954	$279 20	$258 26	‡
Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston	Dunwell st., cor. Baker st.	20—1954	4,537.00	4,537 00	‡
Singer, Harry, et al	732 South st	20—1954	4,537.00	698 00	‡
Theatre Amusements, Inc	4199 Washington st	20—1954	5,584 00	698 00	‡
Vrattos, John G	1836 Centre st	20—1954	1,256 40	418 80	‡
Blake Apartments, Inc	67 Brighton av	21—1954	1,116 80	209.40	‡
Blake Apartments, Inc	61 Brighton av	21—1954	614 24	41.88	‡
Blake Apartments, Inc	63 Brighton av	21—1954	1,116.80	209.40	‡
Casson, Louis H	203 Park Drive	21—1954	4,537.00	349.00	‡
Casson, Louis H	207 Park Drive	21—1954	4,327.60	139 60	‡
Condos, James	350 Chestnut Hill av	21—1954	2,024 20	767 80	‡
Condos, James	358 Chestnut Hill av	21—1954	1,577.48	349 00	‡
Fritz, Sara, et al	208 Brighton av	21—1954	907.40	139.60	‡
Furman, Jacob	822 Beacon st	21—1954	1,186.60	209.40	‡
Furman, Jacob, et al	2 Harvard av	21—1954	4,188.00	349.00	‡
Gryzmish, Mortimer C	398 Chestnut Hill av	21—1954	8,346.94	2,463.94	‡
Harvey Sales	1371 Boylston st	21—1954	11,309.00	698.00	‡
Hillcrest Apartments., Inc	1375 Commonwealth av	21—1954	1,884.60	139.60	‡
Hillcrest Apartments., Inc	1377 Commonwealth av	21—1954	1,724.06	48 86	‡
Morlock, Michael F	14 Gordon st	21—1954	698.00	34.90	‡
Pilgrim Theatres Corp	375 Chestnut Hill av	21—1954	17,101.00	3,141 00	‡
Celect Realty Co., Inc	235 North Beacon st	22—1954	11,168.00	3,141.00	‡
Green, Michael	9 Henshaw st	22—1954	2,094.00	558 40	‡
Margot, Philip J	332 Washington st	22—1954	2,094.00	279.20	‡
Morr, Donald C	10 Glenmont rd	22—1954	314.10	34.90	‡
Pilgrim Theatres Corp	326B Washington st	22—1954	8,725.00	2,094 00	‡
PERSONAL PROPERTY.					
Aronson, David H	85 Devonshire st	3—1954	$6.98	$6.98	¶
Cherney, Ira R	333 Washington st	3—1954	55.84	55.84	¶
Eastern Commercial Travelers Assoc.	80 Federal st	3—1954	34.90	34.90	¶
Golden, Essie J	5 Ashburton pl	3—1954	34 90	34.90	¶
K. & C. Iron Works, Inc	217 Albany st	3—1954	174.50	174.50	¶
Valley View Packing. Co	San José, California	3—1951	188.46	188.46	‡
Frothington, Eugenia B	297 Marlborough st	5—1954	209.40	209.40	¶
Waagatt, Oscar	419 Boylston st	5—1954	6.98	6.98	¶
Miller, Paul	140 Newmarket sq	8—1951	698.00	349.00	¶
Nathanson, Harry	107 Savin Hill av	13—1954	349.00	244.30	¶
Cardella, Joseph, et al	62 Walnut st	16—1954	349.00	349.00	¶
Simms, William E	242 Freeport st	16—1954	698.00	488.60	¶
WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 18.					
Abramson, Miriam C	146 Tremont st	3—1950	$25,200.00	$6,930.00	*
Rogal, Harry L., et al	726 Washington st	3—1950	8,253.00	1,323.00	*
Boylpark, Inc	184 Boylston st	5—1950	25,200.00	6,615.00	*
Gordon, Maurice	60 Cliff st	12—1950	819.00	126.00	*
Abramson, Miriam C	146 Tremont st	3—1951	25,120.00	6,908.00	*
Mass. Hospital Life Insurance Co	50 State st	3—1951	25,120.00	1,256.00	*
Harvard Club of Boston	374 Commonwealth av	5—1951	31,400.00	4,396.00	*
Gardiner, Wm. T., et al., Trustees	416 Marlborough st	5—1951	12,560.00	3,579.60	*
Gordon, Maurice	60 Cliff st	12—1951	816.40	125.60	*
Guptill, Samuel H	27 Lawrence av	2—1952	120.24	53.44	*
Abramson, Miriam C	146 Tremont st	3—1952	26,720.00	7,348.00	†
Pass, Max	51 Lowell st	3—1952	180.36	33.40	*
Rogal, Harry L., et al	726 Washington st	3—1952	8,750.80	1,402.80	*
Rosenfield, Florence M	171 Milk st	3—1952	2,338.00	400.80	*
Rosenfield, Florence	29 India st	3—1952	768.20	100.20	*
Folger, Thomas E., et al	46 Lawrence st	4—1952	267.20	33.40	*
Folger, Thomas E., et al	47 Lawrence st	4—1952	267.20	33.40	*
Folger, Thomas E., et al	50 Lawrence st	4—1952	267.20	33.40	*
Ganek, Fannie, et al	60 Myrtle st	5—1952	1,068.80	133.60	*
Gardiner, Wm. T., et al, Trustees	416 Marlborough st	5—1952	13,360.00	3,807.60	*
Harvard Club of Boston	374 Commonwealth av	5—1952	33,400.00	4,676.00	*
Matthiessen, Fr., Estate of	87 Pinckney st	5—1952	1,670.00	133.60	*
Wauban Bldg., Inc	184 Boylston st	5—1952	26,720.00	7,014.00	†
Gordon, Leo	124 Malden st	8—1952	501.00	66.80	*
Braver Healey & Co., Inc	Vacant lot, George st	8—1952	267.20	100.20	*
Berkman Trust	Vacant lot, Tremont st. NE	9—1952	140.28	53.44	*
Gordon, Leo	107 Bower st	9—1952	267.20	33.40	*
Goldburgh, Mary	7 Westminister ter	11—1952	334.00	66.80	*
Goldburgh, Mary	9 Westminister ter	11—1952	334.00	66.80	*
Goldman, Sanford	2 Brookley rd	11—1952	868.40	66.80	*
Varnerin, Anna M., Estate of	3033 Washington st	11—1952	3,126.24	334.00	*
Gordon, Leo	109 Bower st	12—1952	267.20	33.40	*
Gordon, Leo	111 Bower st	12—1952	267.20	33.40	*
Gordon, Maurice	60 Cliff st	12—1952	868.40	133.60	*
Kozberg, Abraham, Trustees	134 Crawford st	12—1952	1,736.80	133.60	*
Kozberg, Abraham	79 Savin st	12—1952	334.00	66.80	*
Kozberg, Abraham	29 Quincy st	12—1952	467.60	66.80	*
Rosen, Max	62 Cheney st	12—1952	2,404.80	66.80	*
Adelman, Frances	3 Outlook rd	14—1952	567.80	33.40	*
Elias, Selebe G	314 Kittredge st	18—1952	534.40	26.72	*
Homer, Jean	18 Rich st	18—1952	394.12	33.40	*
Shaheen, Thomas	185 Cornell st	18—1952	501.00	33.40	*
Moosesian, Albert	231A Florence st	19—1952	420.84	86.84	*
Monteiro, Antonio	1200 Commonwealth av	21—1952	3,206.40	534.40	*
Abramson, Miriam C	146 Tremont st	3—1953	26,265.05	5,762.05	†
Rogal, Harry L., et al	726 Washington st	3—1953	9,261.70	1,484.70	*
Rosenfield, Florence M	171 Milk st	3—1953	2,474.50	424.20	*
Rosenfield, Florence	29 India st	3—1953	813.05	106.05	*
Folger, Thomas E., et al	47 Lawrence st	4—1953	282.80	35.35	*
Folger, Thomas, et al	47 Lawrence st	4—1953	282.80	35.35	*
Folger, Thomas E., et al	50 Lawrence st	4—1953	282.80	35.35	*
Kaufman, A. H., et al	337 Huntington av	4—1953	12,372.50	1,414.00	*
Ganek, Fannie, et al	60 Myrtle st	5—1953	1,131.20	141.40	*
Gardiner, Wm. T., et al	416 Marlborough st	5—1953	14,140.00	3,181.50	*
Harvard Club of Boston	374 Commonwealth av	5—1953	35,350.00	4,949.00	*
Wauban Bldg., Inc	184 Boylston st	5—1953	28,280.00	7,423.50	*

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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Florence M. Casey, 313 Warren street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Esther E. Edge, 11 Ferndale street, Allston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Lydia Scott, 139 Thornton street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Carolina M. Bernardini, 58 Adams street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Anna M. Moran, 1136 Harrison avenue, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Lillian M. Shone, 61 Clifton street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Margaret F. O'Hanley, 223 Trenton street, East Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Mary E. O'Leary, 30 Mildred avenue, Mattapan, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Mary F. Clarke, 39 Edison Green, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Mary Fixman, 9 Rollins street, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Antoinette L. Casey, 97 Horadan Way, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Donalda Favreau, 65 Magnolia street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Barbara Flynn, 5 Sterling square, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Germaine Gagnon, 84 Monument street, Charlestown, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Evelyn Hawkesworth, 82 East Lenox street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Alice Washburn, 130 Mt. Pleasant avenue, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Carl Peterson, 732 East Sixth street, South Boston, second-class stationary engineer, $73 a week.

Betty Lou Silverman, 5 Park Vale avenue, Brighton, head nurse, $65.50 a week.

Mary C. Donato, 46 Ward street, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Agnes M. Shaw, 570 Ashmont street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Ethel V. Lynch, 16 Centre avenue, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Mabel M. Ray, 8 Taber street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Annie G. Huber, 70 St. Rose street, Jamaica Plain, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Rosanna-Amanda Rogerson, 623 East Fifth street, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Rebecca M. Harkins, 74 Ward street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Loretta P. Duffy, 29 Linden Park street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Bridie T. Mahoney, 76 Wenham street, Jamaica Plain, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Kathleen V. Dunne, 171 Green street, Jamaica Plain, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Barbara T. Connolly, 220 Minot street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Lillian K. Porter, 3306 Washington street, Jamaica Plain, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Sarah E. Kurko, 524 Dorchester avenue, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Anne T. Foley, 12 Hallet street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Mary Luby, 87 Elmwood street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Anna G. Gosse, 139 Dorchester street, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Mary A. Tripp, 100 Park street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $50.50 a week.

Mary M. Rourke, 62 Wyman street, Jamaica Plain, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

William C. Reynolds, 19 Byron street, Roxbury, plumber, $60.50 a week.

Alice R. Cotter, 10 Potomac street, West Roxbury, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Gerard C. Brassard, 21 Nottingham street, Dorchester, plumber, $60.50 a week.

Margaret L. Kelly, 4 Shepard place, Brighton, medical social worker, $68 a week.

John H. Crawford, 19 Anson street, ambulance and medical aid man, $60.50 a week.

South Division.

Lillian Winslow, 4 Langdon street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Elva B. Madden, 96 Winthrop street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Margaret M. Lawlor, 24 Tower street, Jamaica Plain, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Sada Greaves, 745 Massachusetts avenue, floor nurse, $63 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

Edward Hurley, 86 Draper street, Dorchester, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

Francis Carmody, 1 Willoughby place, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Gerald Martin, 105 Waumbeck street, Roxbury, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

Domenico DiMartino, 18 Windermere road, Dorchester, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

Elwood Roy Burrows, 249 River street, Mattapan, licensed attendant nurse, $58 a week.

Helen McNaney, 249 River street, Mattapan, licensed attendant nurse, $68 a week.

James Patrick Kelly, 466 Columbia road, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Highway Division.

Terrence F. Brown, 6 Dana avenue, Hyde Park, laborer, $50.50 a week.

Leo J. Peterson, 131 Gardner street, West Roxbury, laborer, $50.50 a week.

Edward D. Rull, 870 East Fifth street, South Boston, laborer, $50.50 a week.

George E. McMahon, 27 Maryland street, Dorchester, laborer, $55.50 a week.

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Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Williams, Marion	87 Pinckney st	5—1953	$1,767.50	$141.40	*
Braver, Healy & Co.	Vacant lot, George st	8—1953	282.80	106.05	*
Gordon, Leo	124 Malden st	8—1953	530.25	70.70	*
Berkman Trust	Vacant lot, Tremont st., NE	9—1953	148.47	56.56	*
Berkman Trading Corp	2 Elmwood ct	9—1953	226.24	84.84	*
Goldburgh, Mary	7 Westminster ter	11—1953	353.50	70.70	*
Goldburgh, Mary	9 Westminster ter	11—1953	353.50	70.70	*
Goldman, Sanford	2 Brookley rd	11—1953	919.10	70.70	*
Ball Apts., Inc	60 Cliff st	12—1953	919.10	141.40	*
Gordon, Leo	107 Bower st	12—1953	282.80	35.35	*
Gordon, Leo	109 Bower st	12—1953	282.80	35.35	*
Gordon, Leo	111 Bower st	12—1953	282.80	35.35	*
Grove Realty, Inc	62 Cheney st	12—1953	2,545.20	70.70	*
Kozberg, Abraham, Trustees	134 Crawford st	12—1953	1,838.20	141.40	*
Kozberg, Abraham	79 Savin st	12—1953	353.50	70.70	*
Kozberg, Abraham	29 Quincy st	12—1953	494.90	70.70	*
Adelman, Frances	3 Outlook rd	14—1953	600.95	35.35	*
Jobel Realty Corp	82 American Legion Hwy	14—1953	2,297.75	176.75	*
Jobel Realty Corp	70 American Legion Hwy	14—1953	4,949.00	707.00	*
Moosesian, Albert	231A Florence st	19—1953	445.41	91.91	*
Atlantic Refining Co	52–58 Meridian st	1—1954	1,354.12	202.42	‡
Canner, Mary	10 Bennington st	1—1954	2,443.00	174.50	‡
Gum Products, Inc	130 Orleans st	1—1954	3,587.72	795.72	‡
Gum Products, Inc	150 Orleans st	1—1954	6,561.20	1,675.20	‡
Kovacev, Angelina	24 White st	1—1954	1,186.60	139.60	‡
Rabb, Sidney R., et al	945 Saratoga st	1—1954	2,826.90	1,047.00	‡
Rabb, Sidney R., et al., Trustees	935 Saratoga st., SWs	1—1954	5,444.40	698.00	‡
Rizzo, Catherine, et al	347 Maverick st	1—1954	300.14	34.90	‡
DiSilva Truck Service	Vacant lot, Main st	2—1954	404.84	195.44	‡
Murray, Ernest B	58A Bartlett st	2—1954	132.62	48.86	‡
Murray, Ernest B	81 Bartlett st	2—1954	48.86	13.96	‡
Abramson, Miriam C	146 Tremont st	3—1954	25,930.70	5,688.70	‡
Atlantic Refining Co	94–104 Cambridge st	3—1954	1,396.00	244.30	‡
Atlantic Refining Co	171–183 Washington st	3—1954	1,605.40	118.66	‡
Brook Realty, Inc	7 Dore st	3—1954	314.10	69.80	‡
Brook Realty, Inc	9 Dore st	3—1954	279.20	69.80	‡
Brook Realty, Inc	11 Dore st	3—1954	698.00	174.50	‡
Brook Realty, Inc	13 Dore st	3—1954	558.40	139.60	‡
Brook Realty, Inc	715 Washington st	3—1954	6,840.40	3,350.40	‡
Brook Realty, Inc	721–725 Washington st	3—1954	7,329.00	3,141.00	‡
Brook Realty, Inc	727–731 Washington st	3—1954	5,235.00	837.60	‡
Brook Realty, Inc	735 Washington st	3—1954	3,490.00	209.40	‡
Christ Church, City of Boston	193 Salem st	3—1954	174.50	174.50	x
Egdall, Henry G	281–283 Franklin st	3—1954	1,745.00	209.40	‡
Eliot, Anne B	49 India st	3—1954	1,535.60	349.00	‡
Greb, Louis L	209 Dover st	3—1954	418.80	34.90	‡
Greb, Louis L	213 Dover st	3—1954	418.80	34.90	‡
Greb, Louis L	217 Dover st	3—1954	418.80	34.90	‡
Greb, Louis L	221 Dover st	3—1954	418.80	34.90	‡
Greb, Louis L	225 Dover st	3—1954	418.80	34.90	‡
Kahn, Abbott N., et al	3 Sudbury sq	3—1954	4,188.00	698.00	‡
A. W. Perry, Inc	40–44 Bromfield st	3—1954	22,685.00	1,396.00	‡
A. W. Perry, Inc	21–23 Hawley st	3—1954	2,443.00	349.00	‡
A. W. Perry, Inc	342–344 Washington st	3—1954	16,752.00	4,886.00	‡
A. W. Perry, Inc	607–611 Washington st	3—1954	26,175.00	3,141.00	‡
Perry, Herbert G., et al	81–83 Essex st	3—1954	12,215.00	3,839.00	‡
Piazza, Lawrence P	11 North Market st	3—1954	1,745.00	139.60	‡
Porcella, Giralamo, et al	5 Hull st	3—1954	1,626.10	139.60	‡
Rabb, Sidney R., et al., Trustees	144 Cambridge st	3—1954	4,188.00	209.40	‡
Rabb, Sidney R., et al., Trustees	250 Causeway st	3—1954	34,900.00	10,470.00	‡
Rogal, Harry L., et al	726–730 Washington st	3—1954	9,143.80	1,465.80	‡
Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston	12 North sq	3—1954	69.80	69.80	x
Taylor, Wm. O., et al., Trustees	85–91 Essex st	3—1954	11,517.00	1,047.00	‡
Rosenfield, Florence M	171–173 Milk st	3—1954	2,443.00	418.80	‡
Rosenfield, Florence M	29 India st	3—1954	802.70	104.70	‡
Sawyer, Mildred F	41–47 India st	3—1954	4,537.00	1,884.60	‡
Thirty Lincoln Street, Trustee	22–24 Lincoln st	3—1954	2,094.00	698.00	‡
Thirty Lincoln Street, Trustee	28–30 Lincoln st	3—1954	4,188.00	1,186.60	‡
Folger, Thomas E., et al	46 Lawrence st	4—1954	279.20	34.90	‡
Folger, Thomas E., et al	47 Lawrence st	4—1954	279.20	34.90	‡
Folger, Thomas E., et al	50 Lawrence st	4—1954	279.20	34.90	‡
Foy, Frank H	168 Massachusetts av	4—1954	6,980.00	1,954.40	‡
Kaufman, A. H., et al	175 Hemenway st	4—1954	2,615.90	139.60	‡
Kaufman, A. H., et al	319 Huntington av	4—1954	5,443.90	279.20	‡
Kaufman, A. H., et al	337 Huntington av	4—1954	12,372.50	1,396.00	‡
Photos, Theo F	36 Fenway	4—1954	837.60	209.40	‡
Back Bay Realty, Inc	65 Commonwealth av	5—1954	24,081.00	6,631.00	‡
Beal, Alice S., Estate	2 Deerfield st	5—1954	2,792.00	349.00	‡
Ganek, Fannie, et al	60 Myrtle st	5—1954	1,116.80	139.60	‡
Gardiner, Wm. T., et al	416 Marlborough st	5—1954	13,960.00	2,792.00	‡
Harvard Club of Boston	374 Commonwealth av	5—1954	34,900.00	4,886.00	‡
Harvard Club of Boston	378 Commonwealth av	5—1954	5,584.00	2,094.00	‡
Johnson, Adolph F	105 Myrtle st	5—1954	907.40	104.70	‡
Morgan Memorial, Inc	Porter st., cor. Broadway	5—1954	1,758.96	670.08	‡
Unitarian Church Ben. Frat	112 Mt. Vernon st	5—1954	488.60	349.00	‡
Wauban Building, Inc	184–188 Boylston st	5—1954	27,920.00	7,239.00	‡
Rabb, Sidney R., et al., Trustees	230 West Broadway	6—1954	6,980.00	1,396.00	‡
Rabb, Sidney R., et al., Trustees	393 D st	6—1954	29,665.00	6,980.00	‡
Sack, Solomon N	9 Silver st	6—1954	1,954.40	209.40	‡
Sobin, Irving M., Co., Inc	62 Granite st	6—1954	432.76	223.36	‡
Sobin, Irving M., Co., Inc	68 Granite st	6—1954	767.80	349.00	‡
Sobin, Irving M., Co., Inc	70 Granite st	6—1954	258.26	48.86	‡
Sobin, Irving M., Co., Inc	72 Granite st	6—1954	1,570.50	139.60	‡
Radziewicz, Leon, et al	25–25A Bellflower st	7—1954	418.80	34.90	‡
Appelstein, Flora, et al	101 Union pk	8—1954	635.18	69.80	‡
Appelstein, Flora, et al	103 Union pk	8—1954	635.18	69.80	‡

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Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Appelstein, Flora, et al	105 Union Park st	8—1954	$635 18	$69 80	‡
Appelstein, Flora, et al	107 Union Park st	8—1954	635 18	69 80	‡
Braver, Healy & Co., Inc	Vacant lot, George st	8—1954	279 20	104 70	‡
Evenson, Frederick	195–527 Albany st	8—1954	5,933 00	2,163 80	‡
Evenson, Frederick	141 Malden st	8—1954	5,584 00	2,021 20	‡
Gateman, Murray H., et al	117 Northampton st	8—1954	5,584 00	698 00	‡
Gordon, Leo	124 Malden st	8—1954	523 50	69 80	‡
Green, Judith	76 Shirley st	8—1954	2,792 00	349 00	‡
Atlantic Refining Co	35–37 West Dedham st	9—1954	1,256 40	209 40	‡
Berkman Trust	Vacant lot, Tremont st., NE	9—1954	146 58	55 84	‡
Berkman Trading Corp	2–4 Elmwood st	9—1954	223 36	83 76	‡
Broderick, J. H., Co., Inc	50 Roxbury st	9—1954	3,490 00	698 00	‡
Lefebre, Kenneth	1101 Columbus av	9—1954	1,144 72	167 52	‡
McKay, Mary A	103 West Concord st	9—1954	349 00	41 88	‡
McNamara, Marion V	1113 Columbus av	9—1954	2,387 16	628 20	‡
Medici, Paul	68 West Concord st	9—1954	4,188 00	488 60	‡
Rabb, Sidney R., et al., Trustees	55–71 West Brookline st	9—1954	8,027 00	1,745 00	‡
Sigel, Morris	2677 Washington st	9—1954	265 24	55 84	‡
Costigan, John F	33 Worthington st	10—1954	1,186 60	209 40	‡
Desimone, Rose, et al	284 Centre st	10—1954	544 44	34 90	‡
Desimone, Edward V	286 Centre st	10—1954	439 74	34 90	‡
Messina, Angelo	19 Estrella st	10—1954	453 70	69 80	‡
Messina, Angelo	Vacant lot, Priesing st	10—1954	90 74	34 90	‡
Morirello, Maria	270 Centre st	10—1954	593 30	139 60	‡
Vernerin, Anna, Estate of	3033 Washington st	11—1954	3,266 64	349 00	‡
Golburgh, Mary	7 Westminster ter	11—1954	349 00	69 80	‡
Golburgh, Mary	9 Westminster ter	11—1954	349 00	69 80	‡
Goldman, Sanford	Vacant lot, Brookley rd	11—1954	97 72	27 92	‡
Goldman, Sanford, et al	2 Brookley rd	11—1954	907 40	69 80	‡
Ball Apartments, Inc	60 Clift st	12—1954	907 40	139 60	‡
Baskin, Carl and Lewis	100–102 Homestead st	12—1954	1,465 80	279 20	‡
Baskin, Carl and Lewis	204 Humboldt av	12—1954	5,095 40	558 40	‡
Baskin, Carl and Lewis	218A Humboldt av	12—1954	1,535 60	209 40	‡
Baskin, Carl and Lewis	224 Humboldt av	12—1954	1,256 40	209 40	‡
Brener, Leonard R	87 Waumbeck st	12—1954	418 80	69 80	‡
Christian Training	26 Winthrop st	12—1954	441 82	209 40	‡
Davis, Frances, Trustee	30 Nazing st	12—1954	628 20	69 80	‡
Gateman, Louis	Vacant lot, Harold st., SE	12—1954	411 82	272 22	‡
Gordon, Leo	107 Bower st	12—1954	279 20	34 90	‡
Gordon, Leo	109 Bower st	12—1954	279 20	34 90	‡
Gordon, Leo	111 Bower st	12—1954	279 20	34 90	‡
Grove Realty, Inc	62 Cheney st	12—1954	2,512 80	69 80	‡
Kozberg, Abraham, Trustee u.d.	134–140 Crawford st	12—1954	1,814 80	139 60	‡
Kozberg, Abraham	29–31 Quincy st	12—1954	488 60	69 80	‡
Kozberg, Abraham	79 Savin st	12—1954	349 00	69 80	‡
Kozberg, Abraham	71–73 Georgia st	12—1954	3,839 00	349 00	‡
Pearlswig, Harry, et al	42–44 Regent st	12—1954	3,839 00	349 00	‡
Polsky, A	Vacant lot, Savin Hill av	13—1954	223 36	83 76	‡
Costigliola, G., Trustee	Lot D, Mt. Vernon st	13—1954	3,106 40	349 00	‡
Rabb, Sidney R., et al, Trustees	983 Dorchester av	13—1954	628 20	83 76	‡
Struzik, Stefania	253 Quincy st	14—1954	565 38	69 80	‡
Cicerone, Anthony	57–59 Hazleton st	14—1954	698 00	69 80	‡
Goldman, Rose	208 Woodrow av	14—1954	977 20	418 80	‡
Goldman, Rose	64 American Legion Hgwy.	14—1954	5,235 00	349 00	‡
Jobel Realty Corp	82 American Legion Hgwy.	14—1954	2,268 50	174 50	‡
Jobel Realty Corp	70 American Legion Hgwy.	14—1954	4,886 00	698 00	‡
Jobel Realty Corp	86 American Legion Hgwy.	14—1954	2,484 88	390 88	‡
Jobel Realty Corp	12 Bicknell st	14—1954	118 66	118 66	x
Roman Catholic Archbishop, Boston	455 Columbia rd	15—1954	1,396 00	209 40	‡
Herman, Edward	128–136 Adams st	15—1954	1,606 80	209 40	‡
Klevens, Jacob	240–240A Bowdoin st	15—1954	844 58	349 00	‡
Mazzucio, Geremia	242 Bowdoin st	15—1954	844 58	349 00	‡
Mazzucio, Geremia	30 Lyon st	15—1954	502 56	27 92	‡
Petrouskas, John, et al	32 Lyon st	15—1954	523 50	48 86	‡
Petrouskas, John, et al	281 Adams st	16—1954	2,861 80	698 00	‡
Fichls Corner Day Alleys	9 Queen st	16—1954	300 14	300 14	‡
Hebrew Home for Aged	Tolman st	16—1954	2,722 20	488 60	‡
Kirley, James E	155 Norfolk st	17—1954	1,017 00	209 40	‡
Kutnick, Abraham	569–571 Washington st	17—1954	3,490 00	349 00	‡
Saver, Herbert S	54 Rockwell st	17—1954	418 80	69 80	‡
Morris, John E., et al	12 Central av	18—1954	1,047 00	97 72	‡
Atlantic Refining Co	1360 Blue Hill av	18—1954	2,792 00	209 40	‡
Baden, Rose	71 Hillburn st	18—1954	418 80	34 90	‡
Bellanti, Frances, Trustee	298 Hyde Park av	18—1954	802 70	104 70	‡
Corsi, Blanche, et al	1254 Hyde Park av	18—1954	802 70	34 90	*
Dana, Herman, et al., Trustees	1414 River st	18—1954	558 40	104 70	‡
Olszewski, Stanislaw	401 Wellsmere rd	18—1954	453 70	104 70	‡
Ventreses, J. A., et al	Thomas st., cor. Centre st.	19—1954	1,745 00	279 20	‡
Atlantic Refining Co	478 Jamaicaway	19—1954	1,500 70	174 50	‡
DeMatteo, Martin E., Jr	185 Lamartine st	19—1954	977 20	209 40	‡
Kierzkowski, A., et al	1921–1923 Centre st	20—1954	4,619 36	69 80	‡
Atlantic Refining Co.	164 Beech st	20—1954	383 90	104 70	‡
Coppola, Ralph J.	77 Searle rd	20—1954	349 00	69 80	‡
Coppola, Peter J	V. L., Baker st., SW cor.	20—1954	83 76	34 90	‡
Hennessy, K. S., et al	4465 Washington st	20—1954	6,980 00	698 00	‡
Rabb, Sidney R., et al., Trustees	530 West Roxbury Pkwy.	20—1954	1,396 00	349 00	x
Roman Catholic Archbishop, Boston	31 Quint av	21—1954	104 70	104 70	x
Allston Congregational Church	1200 Commonwealth av	21—1954	3,350 40	558 40	‡
Biswanger, Louis R	100 Washington st	21—1954	2,966 50	872 50	‡
Cavanaugh, Inez R	108 Washington st	21—1954	2,966 50	872 50	‡
Cavanaugh, Inez R	69 Kilmarnock st	21—1954	3,490 00	523 50	‡
Fernandez, William	144 Harvard st	21—1954	6,282 00	1,047 00	‡
Franklin Realty Corp	963–969 Commonwealth av	21—1954	6,980 00	1,396 00	‡
Gustin Realty Corp	1581 Commonwealth av	21—1954	6,968 00	349 00	‡
Hartstone, Nelson H., Trustee	106 Strathmore rd	21—1954	837 60	69 80	‡
Litter, Julius	23 Washington st	21—1954	2,443 00	523 50	‡
Rabb, Sidney R., et al.					

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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John J. Carey, 189 Eustis street, Roxbury, laborer, $50.50 a week.

John P. Toohey, 157 Roxbury street, Roxbury, laborer, $50.50 a week.

Sanitary Division.

Joseph J. Casey, 18 Loring street, South Boston, laborer, $53 a week.

Owen F. Cadden, 292 Marginal street, East Boston, laborer, $58 a week.

James J. Feetham, 21 Ramsey street, Dorchester, laborer, $53 a week.

Michael S. Hardiman, 434 Centre street, Jamaica Plain, laborer, $58 a week.

Walter F. McCoy, 861 East First street, South Boston, laborer, $55.50 a week.

John P. Sullivan, 617 Harrison avenue, laborer, $53 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following changes in status:

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

William T. Doyle, 50 St. Theresa avenue, West Roxbury, from executive secretary, Traffic Commission, at $127.25 a week to executive secretary, Traffic Commission, at $136.75 a week.

Timothy J. O'Connor, 29 Sherman road, Chestnut Hill, from chief traffic engineer at $136.75 a week to chief traffic engineer at $146.25 a week.

CITY CLERK DEPARTMENT.

Frederic J. O'Donnell, 62 Boylston street, Jamaica Plain, from head clerk, City Clerk Department, at $83.50 a week to head clerk, City Clerk Department, at $87 a week.

Joseph P. Sullivan, 65 Rockne avenue, Dorchester, from head clerk, City Clerk Department, at $83.50 a week to head clerk, City Clerk Department, at $87 a week.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Percy Seeley, 43 Gartland street, Jamaica Plain, from working foreman sign painter at $73 a week to painter foreman at $76.50 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Mary R. Donovan, 175 Dartmouth street, from public health nutritionist at $83.50 a week to public health nutritionist at $87 a week.

James A. McGuire, 19 South street, Jamaica Plain, from ambulance driver at $65.50 a week to ambulance driver at $68 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Charles Zevitas, 19 Tavern road, Roxbury, from hospital kitchen worker at $50.50 a week to senior hospital kitchen worker at $53 a week.

Joseph L. Salviati, 31A Lexington street, East Boston, from hospital kitchen worker at $50.50 a week to senior hospital kitchen worker at $53 a week.

Harold Crowley, 671A Columbia road, Dorchester, from hospital kitchen worker at $50.50 a week to senior hospital kitchen worker at $53 a week.

Dorothy T. Pratt, 49 Woodward avenue, Roxbury, from clerk and typist, full time, at $50.50 a week to clerk and typist, part time, at $43 a week.

Teresa Wesolowski, 26 Gordon avenue, Hyde Park, from floor nurse at $65.50 a week to head nurse at $68 a week.

Frank Perez, 48 Garnet road, West Roxbury, from senior physical therapist at $76.50 a week to principal physical therapist (temporary) at $80 a week.

South Division.

Anna Newman, 374 Dorchester street, South Boston, from hospital medical worker at $50.50 a week to hospital house worker at $50.50 a week.

Catherine E. Kelley, 12 Brooks street, Brighton, from hospital medical worker at $53 a week to hospital house worker at $53 a week.

Nora O. Egan, 745 Massachusetts avenue, from hospital laundry worker at $53 a week to hospital house worker at $53 a week.

Long Island Division.

Gertrude F. Boyle, Long Island Hospital, from X-ray technician at $55.50 a week to senior X-ray technician at $58 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Joseph P. Brooks, 297 Belgrade avenue, Roslindale, from head clerk, Park Department, at $83.50 a week to head clerk, Park Department, at $90.50 a week.

Robert N. Donovan, 15 Ticknor street, South Boston, from supervisor of L Street Baths at $83.50 a week to supervisor of L Street Baths at $87 a week.

Walter E. Shaughnessy, 95 Howard avenue, Roxbury, from park maintenance foreman at $80 a week to park maintenance foreman at $83.50 a week.

William C. Day, 13 Orchardale street, Dorchester, from public relations representative at $63 a week to public relations representative at $68 a week.

William R. Halpin, 52 Faxon road, Quincy, from public relations representative at $68 a week to public relations representative at $73 a week.

Frank J. McGrath, 64 Weybosset street, Mattapan, from general foreman of park maintenance at $90.50 a week to general foreman of park maintenance at $94 a week.

Joseph F. Bradley, 8 Searle road, West Roxbury, from general foreman of park maintenance at $90.50 a week to general foreman of park maintenance at $94 a week.

Thomas J. Veasey, 9 Nelson street, Dorchester, from zoo foreman at $83.50 a week to zoo foreman at $87 a week.

John J. Butler, 389 Dudley street, Roxbury, from laundry and bath supervisor at $83.50 a week to laundry and bath supervisor at $87 a week.

William E. Collins, 47 Woodlawn street, Forest Hills, from park maintenance foreman at $83.50 a week to park maintenance foreman at $87 a week.

John Freitas, 71 Lenoxdale avenue, Dorchester, from park maintenance foreman at $76.50 a week to park maintenance foreman at $80 a week.

William P. McGuinness, 1340 River street, Hyde Park, from park maintenance foreman at $68 a week to park maintenance foreman at $70.50 a week.

Thomas F. Mullins, 498 Hyde Park avenue, Roslindale, from park maintenance foreman at $83.50 a week to park maintenance foreman at $87 a week.

David C. Walsh, 85 Green street, Jamaica Plain, from park maintenance foreman at $68 a week to park maintenance foreman at $70.50 a week.

Neil P. Carney, 4 Morton place, Roxbury, from park maintenance foreman at

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Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
S. S. Realty Co., Inc	125A Harvard av	21—1954	$3,490.00	$1,047.00	‡
Spagnoletti, Julia M	124 St. Mary's st	21—1954	942.30	279.20	‡
Spagnoletti, Julia M	126 St. Mary's st	21—1954	872.50	279.20	‡
Spagnoletti, Orlando B	134 St. Mary's st	21—1954	593.30	139.60	‡
Sweet, Anna J	11 Cummings rd	21—1954	1,605.40	139.60	‡
Boston University, Trustee	795 Commonwealth av	21—1954	17,101.00	5,933.00	‡
Agewska, Stefanza	10 Lincoln st	22—1954	628.20	139.60	‡
Capoldi, Gennaro, et al., Trustees	424 Washington st	22—1954	2,233.60	1,047.00	‡
Docleam Corporation	495 Western av	22—1954	29,595.20	6,910.20	‡
Kanes, Anna V	16 Hobson st	22—1954	418.80	69.80	‡
PERSONAL PROPERTY.					
Baker, Frank	1060A Blue Hill av	14—1953	$494.90	$141.40	*
Star, Harry	864 Washington st	3—1954	670.08	237.32	‡
Emerson, Ina Mary	274 Beacon st	5—1954	349.00	349.00	¶

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM PLUMBING FOR THE WEEK ENDING MARCH 15.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
William Kocen, Jr	59 Alabama street	18	Fixtures	$500
A. Dixon	331A Centre street	10	Fixtures	1,500
G. Crawford	160 Commonwealth avenue	5	Fixtures	1,500
L. Miller	44 Farnsworth street	6	Fixtures	50
J. Donohue	410 Huntington avenue	4	Fixtures	2,500
A. Kellam	16 Laconia street	3	Fixtures	825
A. Figler	33 Montcalm avenue	22	Fixtures	350
William Osenton	92 Mt. Vernon street	5	Fixtures	400
G. Trethewey	588 River street	19	Fixtures	230
G. Trethewey	39 Sycamore street	18	Fixtures	165
S. Landau	540 Atlantic avenue	3	Fixtures	400
William Connell	748 Gallivan Boulevard	16	Fixtures	350
S. Landau	424 Marlboro street	5	Fixtures	800
J. Hannigan	46 Rugby road	18	Fixtures	100
William Connell	95 South street	3	Fixtures	195
D. Gould	415 Summer street	6	Fixtures	1,000
L. Marchant	128A Tremont street	3	Fixtures	850
R. Murray	9A Vineland street	21	Fixtures	100
A. Hird	296 Washington street	17	Fixtures	425
J. Lane	665 Atlantic avenue	3	Fixtures	150
John J. Vogel	867 Beacon street	21	Fixtures	200
P. Bishop	1916 Beacon street	21	Fixtures	1,100
S. Kramer	118 Brooks street	21	Fixtures	100
T. Matthews	11 Bruce street	16	Fixtures	150
John J. Vogel	1408 Centre street	20	Fixtures	700
D. Yorks	2626 Centre street	20	Fixtures	500
H. McMahon	2630 Centre street	20	Fixtures	500
D. Yorks	22 Dania street	18	Fixtures	500
H. McMahon	112-118 Emerson street	6	Fixtures	600
H. McMahon	58 Fairmount avenue	18	Fixtures	175
H. McMahon	14 Franklin street	18	Fixtures	600
D. Greenwood	164 Gardner street	20	Fixtures	1,000
H. Geddis	38 Greenleaf street	4	Fixtures	75
John J. Vogel	83 rear Hampden street	8	Fixtures	450
C. Gard	153 Hanover street	3	Fixtures	100
H. Baron	15 Holyoke street	4	Fixtures	400
H. Geddis	111 Huntington avenue	4	Fixtures	100
F. O'Neil	201 Princeton street	1	Fixtures	525
P. Bishop	25 Rowena street	16	Fixtures	900
H. Baron	52 St. Brendan road	16	Fixtures	100
J. McKinnon	64 Salman street	20	Fixtures	950
H. Baron	133 Selden street	17	Fixtures	100
H. McMahon	24 Thompson street	18	Fixtures	800
S. Whitcombe	450 Washington street	3	Fixtures	6,000
H. McMahon	26 Westville street	18	Fixtures	150
H. Baron	480 Beacon street	5	Fixtures	400
G. Crawford	925 Boylston street	5	Fixtures	150
L. Speers	74 Elmira street	21	Fixtures	250
D. Puopolo	114 Green street	11	Fixtures	200
P. Russo	57 Havre street	1	Fixtures	165
P. Russo	58 Hooker street	22	Fixtures	1,770
G. Trethewey	16 Primrose street	20	Fixtures	175
C. Riley	776 Summer street	6	Fixtures	400
G. Trethewey	36 Sycamore street	18	Fixtures	225
D. Puopolo	99 Templeton street	16	Fixtures	200
G. Crawford	44 Binford street	6	Fixtures	150
A. Figler	318 and 320 Blue Hill ave	12	Fixtures	400
F. Goldberg	40 Canal street	3	Fixtures	125
A. Hapenny, Jr	6 Corinth street	20	Fixtures	100
S. Gogos	708 East Sixth street	6	Fixtures	410
H. Smith	2 Fountain Hill	12	Fixtures	175
N. Rubin	65 Fulton street	3	Fixtures	125
R. Fliegelman	413 Geneva avenue	17	Fixtures	275
H. Ribeck	288 K street	7	Fixtures	150
A. Kaunfer	99 Laurie avenue	20	Fixtures	600

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING MARCH 15.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Rosina and William Koun	59 Alabama street	18	Alterations, dwelling	$3,700
L. Lombardi and A. Chicarelli.	375–381 Hanover street	3	Alterations, dwelling, store	None
John and Marion Chrystal	75 Montmorenci avenue	1	Alterations, dwelling	None
Ruth Sanders	48 Pinckney street	5	Alterations, dwelling	$12,000
Joseph Mendes	691 Shawmut avenue	9	Alterations, store, dwelling	750
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Jewish Community Center	50 Sutherland road	21	Community center	389,945
W. P. Conners	240 West Third street	6	Alterations, dwelling	275
Leonard McGeough	26 Allston street	2	Alterations, dwelling	400
American Theatre Corp.	1120 Columbus avenue	9	Sign, theater, store, office	800
Tom Nardone	1138 Columbus avenue	9	Alterations, store, office	400
George Vacearo	1480–84 Columbus avenue	11	Alterations, store, dwelling	150
George Samuelian	69 Coolidge road	22	Alterations, dwelling	625
Rita Calaise	45 Cranston street	11	Alterations, dwelling	100
Michael Panniello	845 East Second street	6	Alterations, dwelling, store	213
Mrs. Greco	211 Havre street	1	Take-down, barn	100
Henry Plotnick	767 Morton street	14	Alterations, garage	500
Patrick Foley	87 Oakton avenue	16	Alterations, dwelling	600
Ella Gahn	58 Penfield street	20	Alterations, dwelling	455
Ernest Christian	217 Spring street	20	Alterations, dwelling	550
Minnie Coughlin	243 Antwerp street	22	Alterations, dwelling	690
Rowe's Wharf	342 Atlantic avenue	3	Sign, store, office	200
A. W. Perry, Inc	390 Atlantic avenue	3	Alterations, store, office	800
Ray Murphy	68 Bellevue street	15	Alterations, dwelling	425
Leonida Onofri	11 Bennett street	22	Alterations, dwelling	900
Cecilia and Frank Stuke	25 Billings street	20	Alterations, dwelling	133
Jacob Fischer Estate	20 Birch street	20	Alterations, stores	250
Max Dandy	11 Blackstone street	3	Alterations, meat sales	400
A. Singerella	125 Boston street	7	Fence	800
Lucy Constantini	160 Bremen street	1	Fire escape, dwelling	175
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Henri Lahaise	81 Carroll street	20	Alterations, dwelling	525
William Pernavas	131 Cedar street	9	Alterations, dwelling	550
Mary McQuade	75 Centre street	17	Alterations, dwelling	600
Delia Larkin	40 Champney street	22	Alterations, dwelling	975
Charles King	489 Columbia road	15	Alterations, dwelling	275
Hotel Somerset	400 Commonwealth avenue	5	Alterations, hotel	300
Harry Hahn	1200 Commonwealth avenue	21	Alterations, dwelling	100
Marsh & McLennan	60 Congress street	3	Alterations, offices	1,475
J. M. Gudilis	260 Cummins Highway	18	Alterations, dwelling	100
Patrick and Lila Finn	35 Cushman road	22	Fire escape, dwelling	350
Chase Brass & Copper Company.	411 D street	7	Alterations, storage, office	900
Lena Richmond	200 Delhi street	18	Alterations, dwelling	200
Dominic Ragguadda	497 East Broadway	6	Alterations, dwelling	500
Rosa Trainowicz	595 East Broadway	6	Fire repairs, dwelling	150
Nora Smith	33 Elm street	2	Fire repairs, dwelling	250
Tomson Realty	238 Faneuil street	22	Alterations, stores	800
United Shoe Machinery	140 Federal street	3	Alterations, office, store	2,500
General Realty Company	111 Franklin street	3	Alterations, offices	26,000
Biggs & Co.	610 Gallivan Boulevard	16	Take-down, garage	100
James Kilroy	30 Gibson street	16	Alterations, dwelling	1,500
Gillette Safety Razor Company.	75 Gillette park	6	Alterations, warehouse	5,000
Peter Aloupis	32 Hillside street	10	Alterations, dwelling	500
Sarah Irvine	30 Holborn street	12	Alterations, dwelling, rest home	600
E. F. Powers	34 Kingman road	15	Alterations, garage	250
Nelson McIsaac	725 La Grange street	20	Alterations, dwelling	487
A. Fette	30 and 32 Lancaster street	3	Alterations, manufacturing	2,500
Etta Groesman	29 Lawrence avenue	14	Alterations, dwelling	1,100
Veronica Kazurny	23 Lincoln street	18	Alterations, dwelling	425
Katherine Keene	1272 Massachusetts avenue	7	Alterations, dwelling	650
Niles, Inc	29 Mt. Hood road	21	Fire repairs, dwelling	100
Ruth Evarts	2 Myrtle place	12	Alterations, dwelling	890
Esther Frye *et al*	480 and 482 Norfolk street	18	Alterations, dwelling	100
Wilfred Scott	68 Northfield street	9	Fire repairs, dwelling	300
Louis Thomas	287 Old Colony avenue	7	Sign, store	475
Frances Georgetti	287–291 Old Colony avenue	7	Alterations, store	700
Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston.	335 Old Colony avenue	7	Take-down, bakery	175
T. J. Linehan *et al*	33 Philbrick street	18	Alterations, dwelling	600
Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston.	89 and 91 Preble street	7	Take-down, dwelling	950
Janie Hinton	12 Roxbury court	9	Alterations, dwelling	995
Patrick Champaya	63 Russell street	2	Fire repairs, dwelling	275
Christ Church	185 Salem street	3	Temporary wooden locker	600
Baikar Associates	296½ Shawmut avenue	3	Alterations, print, club	450
O. H. Dugan Company	44 South street	3	Alterations, store, office	1,000
Rose McBee	21 Southwood street	12	Alterations, dwelling	640
John Neil	24 Spring Garden street	13	Alterations, dwelling	300
Charles Wood	1 Strong place	5	Alterations, dwelling	380
First National Bank	82 Summer street	3	Sign, store, office	750
Antonio DePasquale	329 Sumner street	1	Alterations, store, dwelling	500
Edward McAleer	29 Thornton street	9	Alterations, dwelling	150
Francis Fabiano	1629 Tremont street	10	Fire repairs, dwelling	300
Charles Hayes	21 Union street	21	Alterations, dwelling	380
Morris T. Washington	44 Vale street	11	Alterations, dwelling	290
Joseph Huff	72 Washington street	18	Alterations, dwelling	140
Sarah English	4993 Washington street	20	Alterations, dwelling	495
Thomas Phillips	77 West Cottage street	8	Alterations, dwelling	1,500
Alphonsus Doody	29 Whitten street	16	Alterations, dwelling	744
Ida Holzman	46 Wildwood street	14	Alterations, dwelling	275

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$83.50 a week to park maintenance foreman at $87 a week.

Joseph J. McCarthy, 234 Kennebec street, Mattapan, from park maintenance foreman at $80 a week to park maintenance foreman at $83.50 a week.

Joseph T. Harrington, 19 Forbes street, Jamaica Plain, from park maintenance foreman at $83.50 a week to park maintenance foreman at $87 a week.

Patrick J. Ryan, 112 Woodard road, West Roxbury, from director of recreation at $120.03 a week to director of recreation at $120.03 a week.

Daniel F. Byrne, Jr., 29 Farmington road, West Roxbury, from chief engineer at $143.05 a week to chief engineer at $143.05 a week.

Public Works Department.

Bridge Division.

William H. McCarthy, 31 Edwin street, Dorchester, from senior electrical engineer at $103.50 a week to senior electrical engineer at $113 a week.

Malcolm P. McLellan, 63 Sanford street, Dorchester, senior electrical engineer at $108.25 a week to senior electrical engineer at $113.08 a week.

Joseph J. O'Brien, 12 Allston street, Charlestown, from head cashier at $98.75 a week to head cashier at $108.25 a week

Highway Division.

Joseph F. McLean, 12 Countryside Drive, Mattapan, from superintendent of highway maintenance at $117.75 a week to superintendent of highway maintenance at $118.12 a week.

Sanitary Division.

Edward M. Norton, 552 East Fourth street, South Boston, from welder at $65.50 a week to blacksmith foreman at $68 a week.

Survey Division.

James W. Haley, 257 Stratford street, West Roxbury, from chief engineer at $151 a week to chief engineer at $160.50 a week.

Roland A. Hull, 98 West Main street, Georgetown, from junior civil engineer at $90.50 a week to assistant civil engineer (temporary) at $94 a week.

Water Division.

Joseph M. McCauley, 98 Hancock street, Dorchester, from yardman at $68 a week to yardmaster (temporary) at $70.50 a week.

Welfare Department.

Central Office.

Anna C. Murphy, 110 West street, Hyde Park, from acting senior clerk and typist at $58 a week to clerk and typist at $48 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following promotions:

City Planning Board.

Lloyd E. Sinclair, 121 Charles street, from junior planner, temporary, at $80 a week to junior planner, permanent, at $80 a week.

Robert C. Hansen, 370 Longwood avenue, from junior planner, temporary, at $76.50 a week to junior planner, permanent, at $76.50 a week.

Fire Department.

Edward N. Montgomery, 26 Annavoy street, East Boston, from deputy chief

at $139.85 a week to assistant fire chief in charge of Fire Prevention Division, temporary, at $162.84 a week.

Patrick E. Collins, 34 Claymoss road, Brighton, from deputy chief at $139.85 a week to assistant fire chief in charge of fire fighting force, temporary, at $162.84 a week.

Walter E. Crouch, 12 Gayland street, Dorchester, from deputy chief at $139.85 a week to assistant fire chief in charge of personnel and training, temporary, at $162.84 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Health Division.

Edward F. Byrne, 97 Union Park street, from head clerk, temporary, at $83.50 a week to head clerk, permanent, at $83.50 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Sanatorium Division.

John Anthony, 52 Lithgow street, Dorchester, from pharmacist at $76.50 a week to head pharmacist, temporary, at $80 a week.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

Buildings Division.

William J. Durkin, 14 Stafford street, Roxbury, from junior building custodian at $63 a week to senior building custodian at $65.50 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following leaves of absence:

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Health Division.

Mary C. Novicki, 39 Story street, South Boston, clerk and stenographer, $50.50 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Automotive Division.

Albert F. Campara, 13 Palmer road, Foxboro, motor equipment repairman, $68 a week.

Bridge Division.

Joseph F. Trehey, Jr., 112 Linskey-Barry court, South Boston, tollman-guard, $65.50 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Madeline Sullivan, 66 Hamilton street, Dorchester, clerk and typist, $55.50 a week.

John E. Powers, 156 M street, South Boston, supervisor of supplies, $85.54 a week.

STEP-RATE INCREASES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved step-rate increases for employees of the following departments:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Budget Division.

John T. Leonard, budget analyst, from $90.50 to $94 a week.

John G. Pickett, budget analyst, from $129.62 to $132 a week.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

Harry Coon, parking meter clock repairman, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Frank Solari, traffic signal inspector, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING MARCH 15.

GAS FITTER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
P. Kennedy	24 Battery street	3	Connecting range	$45
D. Weinstein	485 Blue Hill avenue	14	Connecting range	40
A. Dixon	331A Centre street	10	Connecting range	50
N. Deutsch	434 Chelsea street	1	Connecting range	40
P. Ferris	160 Commonwealth avenue	5	Connecting range	30
E. Hart	105 Cummins Highway	19	Connecting range	50
P. Kennedy	168 Endicott street	3	Connecting range	30
F. Odenweller	103 H street	6	Connecting range	175
N. Deutsch	119 Havre street	1	Connecting range	75
J. Wilson	59 High street	2	Connecting range	50
F. Avery	66 Hyde Park avenue	19	Connecting range	150
F. Avery	68 Hyde Park avenue	19	Connecting range	150
N. Clark	100 Jamaica street	11	Connecting range	400
P. Kennedy	389 Marlborough street	5	Connecting range	45
G. Trethewey	588 River street	18	Connecting range	230
N. Deutsch	1121 Saratoga street	1	Connecting range	175
Wm. Howdy	272 Shawmut avenue	3	Connecting range	50
N. Deutsch	518 Sumner street	1	Connecting range	30
G. Trethewey	39 Sycamore street	19	Connecting range	165
M. Loiterstein	333 Washington street	3	Connecting range	50
H. Beaulieu	2932 Washington street	11	Connecting range	45
S. Landau	1960 Beacon street	20	Connecting range	15
A. Hird	14 Bullard street	14	Connecting range	35
A. Granara	388 Commercial street	3	Connecting range	15
L. Luxton	4 Downer court	15	Connecting range	400
D. Horgan	367 East Eighth street	7	Connecting range	45
D. Horgan	434 East Eighth street	7	Connecting range	40
D. Horgan	576 East Third street	6	Connecting range	30
J. McLaughlin	18 Egleston street	11	Connecting range	20
A. Granara	59 Fleet street	3	Connecting range	15
L. McConkey	54 Hartford street	13	Connecting range	50
Joseph H. Vogel	20 Kendall street	9	Connecting range	25
N. Clark	22 Oxford street	3	Connecting range	50
B. Weiner	281 Shawmut avenue	3	Connecting range	40
L. Merchant	128A Tremont street	3	Connecting range	80
R. Murray	9A Vineland street	21	Connecting heater	100
J. McLaughlin	6 Wayburn road	19	Connecting range	10
D. Horgan	163 West Sixth street	7	Connecting range	75
H. Cutler	95 Alexander street	13	Connecting range	35
C. Gioiosa	50 Barnes avenue	1	Connecting range	45
John J. Vogel	867 Beacon street	21	Connecting range	45
H. Geddis	101 Belvidere street	4	Connecting range	10
P. Wernick	1030 Blue Hill avenue	14	Connecting range	50
C. Bevelander	80 Boylston street	3	Connecting range	30
A. Halsband	277 Broadway	3	Connecting range	50
P. Bishop	66 Burt street	16	Connecting range	35
P. Gulesian	75 Central avenue	18	Connecting range	200
P. Gulesian	77 Central avenue	18	Connecting range	25
P. Gulesian	45 Child street	18	Connecting range	45
R. McCall	36 Creston street	14	Connecting range	150
William Connell	11 Donwood terrace	18	Connecting heater	30
R. McCall	81 Dustin street	21	Connecting range	35
H. McMahon	58 Fairmount avenue	18	Connecting range	250
A. Casaletto	38 Fleet street	3	Connecting range	35
R. McCall	22 Foster street	21	Connecting range	40
H. McMahon	14 Franklin street	18	Connecting range	100
T. Matthews	178 Fuller street	17	Connecting heater	40
D. Greenwood	164 Gardner street	20	Connecting range	100
H. Geddis	38 Greenleaf street	4	Connecting range	75
H. Geddis	30 Hemenway street	4	Connecting range	10
H. Geddis	111 Huntington avenue	4	Connecting range	50
P. Gulesian	423 Huntington avenue	18	Connecting range	200
P. Bishop	22 Melbourne street	16	Connecting range	35
I. Silverstein	7 Monponset street	18	Connecting range	50
T. Matthews	3 Remington street	16	Connecting range	50
P. Gulesian	1315 River street	18	Connecting heater	250
P. Bishop	25 Rowena street	16	Connecting range	45
D. Palmariello	96 Salem street	3	Connecting range	35
J. Wilson	36 Sever street	2	Connecting range	35
H. McMahon	24 Thompson street	18	Connecting range	100
P. Gulesian	72 Truman Highway	18	Connecting range	200
P. Gulesian	72 West street	18	Connecting range	200
H. McMahon	50 West Selden street	18	Connecting range	40
H. McMahon	26 Westville street	18	Connecting range	100
J. Flynn	693 Adams street	16	Connecting range	70
A. Farley	10 Ball street	9	Connecting range	20
J. Flynn	77 Ballou avenue	14	Connecting heater	50
J. Rinella	144 Bayswater street	1	Connecting range	20
D. Puopolo	154 Boylston street	5	Connecting range	35
A. Farley	9 Brookford street	13	Connecting heater	40
J. Flynn	12 Churchill place	17	Connecting heater	55
J. Flynn	77 Clarkson street	15	Connecting range	30
J. Flynn	63 Crescent avenue	13	Connecting range	30
J. Flynn	10 Downer court	15	Connecting range	65
F. Ricciardello	588 East Broadway	6	Connecting range	300
J. Flynn	25 Edgewood street	12	Connecting range	35
J. Flynn	50 Evelyn street	18	Connecting range	25
A. Farley	3 French terrace	10	Connecting range	45
A. Granara	1 Garden Court street	3	Connecting range	50
A. Farley	10 Greenwich street	9	Connecting range	40
A. Farley	37 Hollander street	12	Connecting range	35
J. Flynn	63 Homes avenue	15	Connecting heater	75
J. Flynn	33 Houghton street	16	Connecting range	15
J. Flynn	15 Ledgebrook road	18	Connecting range	15
J. Flynn	59 Lorna road	18	Connecting range	55
J. Flynn	12 Monadnock street	13	Connecting range	75
J. Flynn	668 Morton street	14	Connecting range	15
J. Flynn	34 Mt. Everett street	13	Connecting range	40
P. Murtha	14 Nelson street	17	Connecting range	110
J. Flynn	35 Newcroft Circle	18	Connecting range	15
J. Flynn	19 Park street	16	Connecting heater	25
J. Flynn	113 Pleasant street	13	Connecting range	50

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING MARCH 15.—Concluded.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
H. Slavet	541 Porter street	5	Connecting cooker	$150
G. Trethewey	16 Primrose street	20	Connecting heater	365
J. Flynn	19 Rill street	15	Connecting heater	55
J. Flynn	25 Rockdale street	18	Connecting range	15
J. Flynn	53 Roseclair street	7	Connecting heater	35
J. Flynn	16 Shepton street	16	Connecting range	35
J. Flynn	36 Sycamore street	18	Connecting range	225
G. Trethewey	1650 Tremont street	10	Connecting range	50
J. Flynn	26 Vinson street	16	Connecting range	55
J. Flynn	121 Warwick street	9	Connecting range	50
A. Farley	464 Washington street	17	Connecting range	10
J. Flynn	10 Wellesley park	17	Connecting heater	35
J. Flynn	12 Wildwood street	14	Connecting range	45
J. Flynn	10 Chestnut avenue	10	Connecting range	50
M. Lottersteen	74 Elmira street	22	Connecting range	60
G. Speers	2 Fountain Hill	12	Connecting range	95
H. Smith	3 French terrace	10	Connecting range	40
S. Connolly	413 Geneva avenue	15	Connecting range	350
S. Sawtelle	288 K street	7	Connecting heater	150
D. Krieger	281 Lamartine street	19	Connecting range	35
H. Hinckley	14 Lansing street	12	Connecting range	50
I. Horvitz	92 Mt. Vernon street	5	Connecting range	50
S. Fox	14 Nelson street	17	Connecting range	400
N. Clark	14 Nelson street	17	Connecting range	400
N. Clark	48 Wait street	10	Connecting range	50
S. Connolly	98 Waumbeck street	12	Connecting range	40
S. Connolly	10 Wave avenue	13	Connecting range	40
B. Capone				

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Edmund Sullivan, traffic signal repairman, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Harold Sawyer, traffic signal repairman, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Fire Department.

James H. Finnerty, head administrative clerk, from $95.11 to $98.75 a week.

John V. Stapleton, chief of department, from $199.05 to $203.07 a week.

Patrick E. Collins, deputy chief (now temporary assistant fire chief in charge of fire fighting force), from $139.85 to $143.68 a week.

Edward N. Montgomery, deputy chief (now temporary assistant fire chief in charge of Fire Prevention Division), from $139.85 to $143.68 a week.

Walter E. Crouch, deputy chief (now temporary assistant fire chief in charge of personnel and training), from $139.85 to $143.68 a week.

John J. Crehan, deputy chief (medal), from $140.33 to $144.16 a week.

William A. Donovan, deputy chief, from $139.85 to $143.68 a week.

Leo C. Driscoll, deputy chief, from $139.85 to $143.68 a week.

John F. Pettit, deputy chief, from $139.85 to $143.68 a week.

John E. Clougherty, deputy chief, from $139.85 to $143.68 a week.

Edward J. Gaughan, deputy chief, from $139.85 to $143.68 a week.

John F. Howard, deputy chief, from $139.85 to $143.68 a week.

John J. Ryan, deputy chief, from $139.85 to $143.68 a week.

Franklin B. Sanborn, deputy chief, from $139.85 to $143.68 a week.

William A. Terrenzi, deputy chief, from $139.85 to $143.68 a week.

John A. Martin, district chief-superintendent of maintenance, from $139.85 to $143.68 a week.

Gerald J. Harrington, head clerk and secretary to chief, from $93.19 to $94 a week.

Ralph S. Stockbridge, fire fighter, from $74.71 to $76.63 a week.

Francis C. Sullivan, fire fighter, from $74.71 to $76.63 a week.

Roy B. Langill, fire fighter, from $74.71 to $76.63 a week.

James F. McLaughlin, fire fighter, from $74.71 to $76.63 a week.

Albert L. O'Banion, superintendent of Fire Alarm Division, from $139.85 to $143.68 a week.

John P. Lane, senior fire alarm operator, from $86.59 to $90.61 a week.

Edith J. Finkle, head clerk and secretary, from $89.36 to $94 a week.

Hospital Department.

Clerks and Typists

	From	To
Irene Burton (part time),	$38.00—	$40.50
Dorothy Connolly,	48.00—	50.50
Mary E. Hughes (part time),	40.00—	43.00
Helen E. Kenney,	45.50—	48.00
Helen Kirchgassner,	43.00—	45.50
Helen Kulda (part time),	38.00—	40.50
Helen J. Madden,	45.50—	48.00
Marguerite Mahoney,	43.00—	45.50
Lulu E. Shellman,	45.50—	48.00
Mary Sorgman,	45.50—	48.00

Rose Ciccarello, senior accounting machine operator, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Elizabeth M. Flynn, senior clerk and typist, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Alice L. Gillis, principal medical stenographer, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Mary A. Meehan, clerk and stenographer, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Helen M. Quirk, senior clerk and typist, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Ann E. Robertson, clerk and stenographer, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Marion Antonelli, medical social work supervisor, from $80 to $83.50 a week.

Floor Nurses.

	From	To
Minnie E. Andes,	$60.50—	$63.00
Ann Donovan,	60.50—	63.00
Bertha Eden,	65.50—	68.00
Ruth Germaine,	65.50—	68.00
Frances Johns,	65.50—	68.00
Margaret Marfiak,	63.00—	65.50
Isabella M. Valcour,	60.50—	63.00

Mabel B. Coakley, floor nurse, part time, from $1.65 to $1.70 an hour.

Leonora A. Doherty, floor nurse, part time, from $1.60 to $1.65 an hour.

Leonie Kirby, floor nurse, part time, from $1.60 to $1.65 an hour.

Elaine O'Hara, floor nurse, part time, from $1.65 to $1.70 an hour.

Takako Salvi, floor nurse, part time, from $1.65 to $1.70 an hour.

Edna Haddad, supervisor of nurses, from $83.50 to $87 a week.

Mary McGonagle, head nurse, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Catherine T. McMahon, supervisor of nurses, from $87 to $90.50 a week.

Celesta I. Whiskin, chief nurse anesthetist, from $83.50 to $87 a week.

Thomas Lyons, assistant chef, from $80 to $83.50 a week.

Catherine R. Sullivan, senior clerk and typist, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Hospital Kitchen Workers.

	From	To
Jeremiah McCarthy,	$43.00—	$45.00
Joseph Moran,	45.50—	48.00
Robert F. Pinkul,	43.00—	45.50

Hospital Medical Workers.

	From	To
Gertrude V. Benjamin,	$43.00—	$45.50
Bertha M. Boudreau,	48.00—	50.50
Nancy T. Crowell,	43.00—	45.50
Helen Deering,	45.50—	48.00
Frances M. Doherty,	48.00—	50.50
Mary Houton,	45.50—	48.00
Emily K. Johnston,	43.00—	45.50
Mary McDermott,	48.00—	50.50
Alice Miller,	48.00—	50.50
Anne J. McDonough,	45.50—	48.00
Helen M. McEleney,	48.00—	50.50
Anna R. Olsen,	43.00—	45.50
Ruth Pinnix,	45.50—	48.00
Arlene S. Ritchie,	43.00—	45.50
Helen Seeley,	50.50—	53.00
Elizabeth Selden,	45.50—	48.00
Helen V. Shlaiman,	43.00—	45.50
Alice F. Skehan,	50.50—	53.00
Caroline F. Traynor,	45.50—	48.00
Elizabeth Voltz,	48.00—	50.50
Mary Glynn,	48.00—	50.50
Mildred Leone,	48.00—	50.50
Walter F. Baker,	43.00—	45.50
Nathaniel A. Brewer,	48.00—	50.50
George L. Bushey,	48.00—	50.50
Philip E. Cammack,	45.50—	48.00
John J. Grillin,	43.00—	45.50
Donald F. Jordan,	48.00—	50.50
Charles A. Leroy,	43.00—	45.50
Harold MacFarland,	48.00—	50.50
Joseph J. McFarland,	43.00—	45.50
Frank Williams,	48.00—	50.50

Hospital House Workers.

	From	To
Raymond Dalton,	$43.00—	$45.50
John F. Lyons,	45.50—	48.00
Alice White,	53.00—	55.50
Paul J. McDonald,	48.00—	50.50
Allen Parsons,	48.00—	50.50
Benjamin Rowell,	48.00—	50.50
Walter J. Cleary,	43.00—	45.50
William F. Armstrong,	45.50—	48.00
William Cook,	50.50—	53.00

Milton Driscoll, ambulance driver, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Anne M. McManus, senior hospital house worker, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Robert J. Cahalane, head City Hospital guard, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Dennis Clifford, hospital guard, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

William Conlon, senior City Hospital guard, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Frank J. Marcella, City Hospital guard, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

George Jess, senior City Hospital guard, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

George Buchanan, senior elevator operator, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Dorothy Hennessey, senior elevator operator, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Anna Patterson, senior elevator operator, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Helen L. Ellis, laboratory technician, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Joseph Formica, laboratory assistant, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

Harry Maxwell, watchman, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Katherine O'Brien, head clerk, from $80 to $83.50 a week.

Margaret Drever, registered graduate nurse, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Mary Coyne, hospital house worker, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Ernest Willis, hospital medical worker, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Survey Division.

Thomas P. McCusker, assistant executive secretary, from $104.70 to $114.28 a week.

Salvatore C. Deliberto, assistant civil engineer, from $98.75 to $103.50 a week.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Collecting Division.

John J. Connors, assistant collector-treasurer, from $129.63 to $139.21 a week.

Joseph F. Fitzgerald, deputy collector-cashier, from $110.45 to $120.03 a week.

Daniel A. Grant, head teller, from $114.29 to $117.75 a week.

Jacob I. Brier, deputy collector, from $87 to $90.50 a week.

VETERANS' RETIREMENTS.

The Mayor has approved the following veterans' applications for retirement:

Lester K. Greenwood, 892 Huntington avenue, Roxbury, patrolman, Traffic Division, Police Department.

William J. Kinsman, 3 Bancroft street, Roxbury, carpenter, Highway Division, Public Works Department.

Frederick A. Robinson, 148 Weld street, West Roxbury, assistant assessor, part time, Assessing Department.

Daniel J. Falvey, 6 Beaufort road, Jamaica Plain, deputy city auditor, Auditing Department.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award the contracts for work, materials, and supplies, in accordance with recommendations of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT,

Purchasing Division.

Upon March 14 the Mayor approved a contract with Hersey Manufacturing Company for furnishing water meters to the Water Division of the Public Works Department. Approximate total amount of contract was $61,276.10, net, 30 days.

Bids, opened February 21, were as follows:

Water Meters.

Requisition No. 130.

Item 1. 1 6-Inch H.C.T. Compound Meter with Bell Flange and Spigot Flange.—Badger Meter Manufacturing Company, $1,246.50; Hersey Manufacturing Company, $1,244*; Neptune Meter Company, $1,248, 6-inch Trident compound meter with bell and spigot flanges; Rockwell Manufacturing Company, $1,248, P. E. single register compound.

Item 2. 10 4-Inch H.C.T. Compound Meters with Screw Flanges, Bolts, and Gaskets, Each.—Badger Meter Manufacturing Company, $622.25; Hersey Manufacturing Company, $621.75*; Neptune Meter Company, $624, Trident; Rockwell Manufacturing Company, $623, P. E. single register compound.

Item 3. 10 3-Inch H.C.T. Compound Meters with Screw Flanges, Bolts and Gaskets, Each.—Badger Meter Manufacturing Company, $372.20; Hersey Manufacturing Company, $371.40*; Neptune Meter Company, $374.40, Trident; Rockwell Manufacturing Company, $373.40, P. E. single register compound.

Item 4. 20 2-Inch Disc Meters with Couplings, Each.—Badger Meter Manufacturing Company, $140.19; Hersey Manufacturing Company, $139.40*; Neptune Meter Company, $140.40, Trident, Style 3; Rockwell Manufacturing Company, $140.20, Rockwell, Type 6.

Item 5. 30 1½-Inch Disc Meters with Couplings, Each.—Badger Meter Manufacturing Company, $93.22; Hersey Manufacturing Company, $92.42*; Neptune Meter Company, $93.42, Trident, Style 3; Rockwell Manufacturing Company, $93.12, Rockwell, Type 6.

Item 6. 2,000 ⅝-Inch Disc Meters with Couplings, Each.—Badger Meter Manufacturing Company, $22.48; Hersey Manufacturing Company, $22.27*; Neptune Meter Company, $22.41, Tident, disc, frost proof; Rockwell Manufacturing Company, $22.31, Arctic disc.

Discount.—Badger Meter Manufacturing Company, 30 days, net; Hersey Manufacturing Company, net, 30 days; Neptune Meter Company, net cash, 30 days; Rockwell Manufacturing Company, net, 30 days, no 2 per cent discount.

Remarks.—Badger Meter Manufacturing Company, attached is Bulletin No. 400 describing and illustrating the Model A-10T Badger water meter in the ⅝-inch size, Bulletin No. 350 describing and illustrating the Model SC-SOT Badger bronze water meter in the 1½-inch and 2-inch sizes, and Bulletin No. 800 describing and illustrating the Badger compound meters; Hersey Manufacturing Company, meters bid upon are Hersey bronze compound meters, Model CT, in the 6-inch, 4-inch, and 3-inch compound sizes, Hersey disc meters, Model HD, in the 2-inch and 1½-inch sizes, and Hersey disc meters, Model F, in the ⅝-inch size, *see* circulars attached; Neptune Meter Company, deliveries will go forward as requested, pamphlets descriptive of the meters quoted on are enclosed, and on the last pages, you will find over-all dimensions and other specifications; Rockwell Manufacturing Company, Items 1, 2, and 3 have one clock.

*** Contract awarded.**

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Upon March 14 the Mayor approved a contract with Rogers Motor Lines of Boston, Inc., for trucking services, for the period April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956. Bids, opened February 22, were as follows:

Two and One-Half-Ton Truck with Driver.—Rodgers Motor Lines of Boston, Inc., $3 per hour; C. S. Walsh Transportation, $3.25 per hour; P. A. Milan, Inc., $3.50 per hour.

Three-Ton Truck with Driver.—Rodgers Motor Lines of Boston, Inc., $3 per hour; C. S. Walsh Transportation, $3.25 per hour; P. A. Milan, Inc., $3.50 per hour.

Five-Ton Truck with Driver.—Rodgers Motor Lines of Boston, Inc., $3 per hour; C. S. Walsh Transportation, $3.25 per hour; P. A. Milan, Inc., $3.50 per hour.

Extra Man.—Rodgers Motor Lines of Boston, Inc., $1.98 per hour; C. S. Walsh Transportation, $2.25 per hour; P. A. Milan, Inc., $2 per hour.

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Upon March 15 the Mayor approved a contract as requested in the following letter:

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

In response to an advertisement in the *City Record* of February 5, 1955, the following list of bids was received and publicly opened and read aloud on March 3, 1955, for the completion and erection of an elementary school in the William E. Russell District, Dorchester:

Rich Brothers Construction Company, Inc., $1,218,213; Joseph Rugo, Inc., $1,263,000; James S. Kelleher, $1,263,813; G. L. Rugo & Sons, Inc., $1,278,160; Park Construction Company, Inc., $1,294,000; M. S. Kelliher Company, $1,298,188.80; P. J. O'Leary Building Company, Inc., $1,325,000.

It is necessary to substitute the subbid for metal shelving of the Interior Products Company in the amount of $1,448 for that of the Berger Manufacturing Company of Massachusetts in the amount of $1,440, which latter subcontractor was carried in the proposal of the Rich Brothers Company, Inc., for the reason that the Berger Manufacturing Company failed to submit with its subbid the type of bid deposit required by the published invitation for proposals and G. L., chapter 149, section 44B. The aforementioned substitution results in a revision of the Rich Brothers Construction Company, Inc., price from $1,218,213 to $1,218,221.

Subject to your Honor's approval I am awarding a contract to the Rich Brothers Construction Company, Inc., 410 Park Square Building, Boston, the lowest responsible bidder, in the amount of $1,218,221.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES H. MOONEY,
Superintendent of Construction.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Upon March 14 the Mayor approved a contract with Martin T. Casby for construction of addition and alterations, Ward P, Nichols Building, Long Island Hospital, and also to building No. 6 of the employees' quarters in the Fort Strong area, Long Island, Boston. Bids, opened January 26, were as follows:

Martin T. Casby, $36,777; Domenick Puleo, $37,373.70; Martin J. Kelly Company, Inc., $40,002; M. Solimando, $40,933; John Rugo, $42,500.

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Upon March 14 the Mayor approved a contract with Bay State Cleaning Company for the cleaning of windows at Boston City Hospital three times during the period beginning May 1, 1955, and ending March 31, 1956. Bids, opened Wednesday, March 9, were as follows:

Careful Cleaning Company, $11,570; Bay State Cleaning Company, $10,750.

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Upon March 14 the Mayor approved a contract with City Service Exterminator Company for the extermination of all vermin, including rats and mice, in the entire Main Department, South Department, and East Boston Relief Station, Boston City Hospital, for the period beginning April 1, 1955, and end-

ing March 31, 1956. Bids, opened Wednesday, March 9, were as follows:

Astor Exterminating Company, $300 a month; City Service Exterminator Company, $225 a month.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Upon March 14 the Mayor approved a contract with John J. Botti for sewerage works in Ridgeway Lane and North street, City Proper, and Perkins street, Charlestown, at an estimated cost of $3,365. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed within sixty days after approval by the Mayor. The following bids were received March 4:

John J. Botti, $3,365; Susi & DeSantis Company, Inc., $4,675.

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Upon March 14 the Mayor approved a contract with Defina & Sons for reinforced concrete retaining wall and chain link fence in Westglow street, Ward 16, at dead end, at an estimated cost of $7,171.44. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed June 1, 1955. The following bids were received on March 10:

Defina & Sons, $7,171.44; John J. Amara & Sons, $7,374.46; Joseph P. McCabe, Inc., $7,879.45; M. Solimando, $8,173.60; Boston Foundation Company, $8,255.90; Joseph Amara & Son, $8,417.20; John J. Botti, $8,433.10; Vicari & Salvo, $8,483; Navarro Construction Company, $8,490; Faletra Brothers, Inc., $9,990; Albany Contracting Company, $10,520; Joseph Gorman Corporation, $10,773.40.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

The School Committee has approved proposals for furnishing fuel sampling, analysis, and engineering service for Boston public schools. Bids were opened on Tuesday, March 1. Contract was awarded as follows to the only bidder:

Hub Testing Laboratory, $2,000.

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The School Committee has approved proposals for furnishing semibituminous coal for Boston public schools. Bids were opened on Thursday, February 10, from the following concerns:

Burton Furber Coal Company, City Fuel Company, doing business as City Fuel Company, Glendale Coal Company, Massachusetts Wharf Company, Snider Fuel Company, Stetson Solid Fuel Division, Inc.

Awards were made to the lowest responsible bidders as follows:

Stetson Solid Fuel Division, Inc., $190,038; Massachusetts Wharf Company, $25,234; Snider Fuel Company, $25,599.20; Burton Furber Coal Company, $13,620.

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The School Committee has approved proposals for furnishing baseball uniforms and supplies for Boston public schools. Bids were opened on Wednesday, February 2, from the following dealers:

James W. Brine Company, Collegiate House, Inc., Dudley Sports Company, Huber Sports Equipment, Inc., Horace Partridge Athletic Goods Company, Division of Wilson Sporting Goods Company, Singleton & Yultzer Company, Inc., Bucky Warren, Inc.

Awards were made to the lowest responsible bidders as follows:

James W. Brine Company, $1,619.29; Bucky Warren, Inc., $1,718.26; Huber Sports Equipment, Inc., $1,387.84; Horace Partridge Athletic Goods Company, Division of Wilson Sporting Goods Company, $7,127.80.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

Upon varying dates as indicated the Mayor approved contracts with commercial and supply houses and contractors. Communications from heads of the departments interested were as follows:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.
Purchasing Division.

BOSTON, March 4, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

From time to time the Fire Department requires replacement parts for mine safety appliances masks and breathing apparatus.

Mine Safety Appliances Company is the only manufacturer in New England for the parts required. Authority is therefore requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to Mine Safety Appliances Company, for furnishing the above parts to the Fire Department from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956. It is my opinion that in this way the best interests of the city will be served.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $5,500, less 2 per cent for payment within thirty days.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, March 4, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The Water Division of the Public Works Department has submitted an estimate for Hersey water meter parts for the period from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, inclusive, in the amount of $9,500.

Inasmuch as these parts are made only by the manufacturer, Hersey Manufacturing Company, it is requested that permission be granted me to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to Hersey Manufacturing Company, corner of E and Second streets, South Boston, for Hersey water meter parts, to be delivered as requested from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $9,500, net.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, March 7, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

Each year the Franklin Park Zoo requires several thousand pounds of stale bread for the animals at the zoo.

In the past, Gentles Baking Company, Inc., has supplied the stale bread and at all times has rendered most satisfactory service to the Park Department. In view of this fact, authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertising, to Gentles Baking Company, Inc., for furnishing approximately 90,000 pounds of stale bread to the Franklin Park Zoo, at 4 cents per pound, for the period from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956. It is my opinion that in this way the best interests of the city will be served.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $3,600, net.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, March 7, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

For several years this office has been purchasing doughnut mix for the various city institutions from the Doughnut Corporation of America. This company, in turn, loans their doughnut-making machines to the city for use in the institutions. It is my understanding that no other company maintains a similar policy.

Authority is therefore requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to Doughnut Corporation of America, for furnishing doughnut mix to the various city institutions for the period from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, at the following prices: 15 cents per pound, 100-pound bags in lots of ten or more; 16 cents per pound, 100-pound bags in lots of five to nine; 17 cents per pound, 100-pound bags in lots of less than five bags.

Approximate total amount of contract is not to exceed $6,000, net.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, March 9, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office is in receipt of a requisition from the Survey Division of the Public Works Department for forty rolls of Haloid Rectograph Paper 18 inches x 350 feet, lustre face in, to be delivered as requested from April 1, 1955, until March 31, 1956, inclusive.

The manufacturer of this paper, the Haloid Company, has submitted a price of $35.25 per roll, net. Authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to the Haloid Company, Haloid street, Rochester, New York. Inasmuch as the paper will be purchased direct from the manufacturer, it is my opinion that no advantage would be gained by publicly advertising for prices.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $1,410, net.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

BOSTON, February 28, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

For many years this department's building at 26 Norman street, Boston, in which thousands of dollars worth of school equipment and school furniture is stored, has been under the protection of the American District Telegraph

Company Electric Protection Services, and the building is so wired by said company, with their headquarters at 60 State street, Boston, to provide a protection service which I believe to be of great value to the City of Boston. The contract with the American District Telegraph Company has been made annually, and the current contract will expire March 31, 1955.

The American District Telegraph Company has informed me that due to increased labor costs they are forced to ask for an increase from $1,407, the amount of the current contract, to $1,536 for the year, April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, an increase in the amount of $129. Further, they inform me that the increased amount is guaranteed for a two-year period so that a subsequent contract starting April 1, 1956, and extending to March 31, 1957, could be consummated at the same cost.

I am definitely of the opinion that the protection services operated by the American District Telegraph Company are necessary in this building, and ask that you authorize me to negotiate a contract without advertising with the American District Telegraph Company, 60 State street, Boston, in the amount of $1,536, for the period April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956.

Respectfully yours,

James H. Mooney,
Superintendent of Construction.

Health Department.

Boston, February 23, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Sir:

On December 23, 1954, following public advertising in the *City Record*, your Honor approved the award of a contract in the sum of $14,685 to Rossano Construction, Inc., the lowest eligible and responsible bidder for alterations and repairs to two (2) George Robert White Health Units.

As no bid was received by the Awarding Authority from any subbidder on the "roof work" portion of the project, each general contractor was duly advised to carry the sum of $5,000 in his proposal as an allowance for "roof work."

As provided for by applicable statute, the general contractor and the Awarding Authority subsequently agreed upon a subcontractor to do the "roof work," viz., the John F. Shea Company, Inc., 41 Hollingsworth street, Mattapan, Mass., who will perform this work for $4,975, necessitating a downward adjustment in the contract price.

Therefore, I now request your permission to execute the subject contract with Rossano Construction Company, Inc., in the amount of $14,660, in lieu of the sum of $14,685.

Yours respectfully,

John H. Cauley, M.D.,
Health Commissioner.

Park Department.

Boston, February 21, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Sir:

I respectfully request your approval for the award of the golf professional's concession at the Franklin Park Golf Course to Mr. Charles Malloy, 67 Prospect avenue, Wollaston, for a period of three years, commencing March 1, 1955, at a fee of $25 per year.

This privilege includes the right to teach golf at the Franklin Park course and to sell golfers' supplies, the income from these services to be retained by the concessionaire.

Mr. Malloy is a very well-known golf professional, having served in this capacity for a number of years at Furnace Brook Parkway Club and the Commonwealth Country Club. It is my opinion that because of his experience he will bring prestige to the Franklin Park Golf Course.

Respectfully yours,

Frank R. Kelley,
Commissioner.

Treasury Department.

Boston, March 10, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

Your permission is respectfully requested for the awarding of a contract, without publicly advertising for bids, between the City of Boston and Brink's, Inc., 711 West Monroe street, Chicago, Illinois, for the daily transportation of city funds between City Hall and the First National Bank of Boston and between the National Shawmut Bank of Boston and City Hall.

Brink's, Inc., agrees to assume full liability for any loss of any shipment up to the amount of $500,000, except for approximately 15 uncertain dates when the liability will be $1,000,000 and between the period of September 4 and November 4 when it will be $5,000,000, at a cost of $325 per month to the city for a period of one year, beginning April 1, 1955.

The price proposed in the new contract is the same as that provided in the contract expiring March 31, 1955, with the same company.

This company has provided this service for the department for a long period of years. It has been our experience that the other financial transportation companies either do not care to bid for this service, do not have sufficient insurance coverage, or have consistently bid a higher rate.

It is my opinion that no purpose will be served by publicly advertising for bids.

Very truly yours,

James E. Gildea,
Collector-Treasurer.

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Boston, March 10, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

The American Bank Note Company, 150 Causeway street, Boston, Mass., and the Security Banknote Company, 55th and Sanson streets, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, have submitted bids for the engraving of 15,000 City of Boston coupon bond certificates bearing one sheet of coupons to be used in connection with the issuance of various loans.

These companies are the two largest engravers of bonds in the country and both companies are in possession of the engraved plates to do this work.

The American Bank Note Company has submitted a bid of 34 cents each for the 15,000 certificates bearing one sheet of coupons with imprinting charges as follows:

Base charge for imprinting 1,000 Blue Border certificates, $350, with additional charge of 9 cents for each additional certificate.

Additional charge for each purpose, $30.

Additional charge for each interest rate, $30.

Additional charge for each maturity, $3.

Additional charge for changing engraved plates, $900.

On sample illustrative loans used to determine the low bidder, the total cost to the city would be $9,270.

The Security Banknote Company has submitted a bid of 39 cents each for the 15,000 certificates bearing one sheet of coupons with imprinting charges as follows:

Base charge for imprinting 1,000 Blue Border certificates, $360, with additional charge of 11.6 cents for each additional certificate.

Additional charge for each purpose, $45.

Additional charge for each interest rate, $35.

Additional charge for each maturity, $1.75.

On sample illustrative loans used to determine the low bidder, the total cost to the city would be $9,429.50.

These two bank note companies are the only engravers in possession of the necessary plates, and since no purpose will be served by publicly advertising, I respectfully request approval to issue a service order, without advertising, to the American Bank Note Company, the low bidder, for 15,000 City of Boston Blue Border coupon bond certificates bearing one sheet of coupons at a cost of $5,100, with additional imprinting charges at the following rates:

Base charge of $350 for imprinting 1,000 certificates, with additional charge of 9 cents for each additional certificate.

Additional charge for each purpose, $30.

Additional charge for each interest rate, $30.

Additional charge for each maturity, $3.

Additional charge for changing engraved plates, $900.

Very truly yours,

James E. Gildea,
Collector-Treasurer.

Welfare Department.

Boston, March 2, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Sir:

This department desires to renew its contract with Dr. Joseph M. Lynch, such contract to run from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956.

Doctor Lynch has been retained as medical consultant in a greatly enlarged medical program and his services have been extremely valuable to the department in guiding and controlling the medical program.

The amount of the contract will not exceed four thousand (4,000) dollars for the 12-month period.

Due to the nature of the services to be performed and Doctor Lynch's knowl-

edge of the department and its problems, it is requested that the contract be awarded without advertising.

Sincerely,

WILLIAM G. O'HARE,
Secretary.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.
EAST BOSTON DISTRICT COURT.
BOSTON, March 11, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

I respectfully request your permission to dispense with public advertising for proposals and to award a contract to Sylvester J. Wynters, of 1022 Bennington street, East Boston, Mass., for the transportation of prisoners from this court, as directed, for the period commencing on April 1, 1955, and ending March 31, 1956, in order to continue and maintain contractual arrangements now in existence because of the absolute necessity of maintaining these services to this court and likewise to fully observe the requirements of the Acts of 1909, chapter 468, section 30, as amended, in respect to the same. The total amount to be expended under the proposed contract is not to exceed the sum of one hundred and fifty-five (155) dollars per month, including tunnel tolls.

In my opinion, nothing would be gained by publicly advertising for bids in this work, since the prices charged for these services are reasonable and because this contractor carries out the work in a most commendable and satisfactory way.

Very truly yours,

WILLIAM H. BARKER,
Clerk.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT TO STANDARDIZE PAPER USED BY CITY DEPARTMENTS.

(Continued from page 341.)

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT,
ROOM 50, CITY HALL,
March 14, 1955.

To All Department Heads.

Reference is made to my letter of November 23, 1954, regarding the "Standardization of Forms" study and survey which has been in progress since that time.

This work has been progressing, as of necessity, rather slowly, but, nevertheless, we are prepared at the present time to establish a list of printed form sizes which will become standardized throughout the city departments as of March 15, 1955, as indicated on the attached directive.

The City of New York and the State of Connecticut have settled on certain sizes of forms which can be cut without waste from certain sizes of paper sheets which all paper mills produce and stock. About one third, it has been found, of all sizes currently in use in the City of Boston are of sizes which cannot be produced without cutting waste. The effect of this nonstandardization shows up not only in waste of paper but also in increasing the cost of paper handling and storage, in addition to preventing the use of standard folders, ring binders, and the like.

The standard sizes listed on the attached directive are designed to be cut economically, without waste, out of standard mill size sheets of paper stock purchased for this purpose by the city. Excluded from the size requirements of the attached table are envelopes, tags, and such specialty forms as manifold books, jacket sets, continuous forms, snap-outs, peg board forms, keysort forms, visible records and tabulating punch cards, for which standard sizes will be listed at a later date.

All newly designed forms and all old forms which are reordered on and after March 15, 1955, shall conform to the sizes shown on the table set forth. It is expected that certain off-standard sizes of forms cannot reasonably be changed at this time. For such forms, the department head shall forward his requisition to this department for approval as requisitions for nonstandard sizes will not be honored by the Printing Section on and after March 15, 1955.

Your cooperation and assistance to the present is commendable and I trust that we can depend upon you and your employees for a continuance of the same character of cooperation and assistance until this all-important program has been completed.

Sincerely yours,

CHARLES J. FOX,
Director.

Directive No. 1.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT,
ROOM 50, CITY HALL.

FORMS STANDARDIZATION PROGRAM
(effective March 15, 1955).

As a result of the above survey to date, and as one of the first steps in placing this program in operation, the following standard sizes have been adopted, effective March 15, 1955, until further notice:

(*a*) *Printed Forms**

Cut without waste from paper sheets of the following dimensions:

17 x 22	*17 x 28*	*19 x 24*
$11\frac{1}{4}$ x $5\frac{1}{2}$	$3\frac{1}{2}$ x $8\frac{1}{2}$	3 x $4\frac{3}{4}$
$5\frac{1}{2}$ x $8\frac{1}{2}$	$8\frac{1}{2}$ x 7	$9\frac{1}{2}$ x 6
$8\frac{1}{2}$ x 11	$8\frac{1}{2}$ x 11	$9\frac{1}{2}$ x 12
11 x 17	14 x 17	12 x 19
17 x 22	17 x 28	19 x 24

*The above do not apply to such specialty forms as snap-outs, continuous forms, punched cards, and the like.

(*b*) *Printed and Pen Ruled Forms*

$8\frac{1}{2}$ x 11	$8\frac{1}{2}$ x 14	$9\frac{1}{2}$ x 12
11 x 17	11 x 17	12 x 19
17 x 22	17 x 28	19 x 21

(*c*) *Letterheads and Noteheads*

$8\frac{1}{2}$ x 11	$8\frac{1}{2}$ x 7	$8\frac{1}{2}$ x $5\frac{1}{2}$

(*d*) *Printed Cards*

2½ x 1	4 x 6	4 x 10	$8\frac{1}{4}$ x $10\frac{1}{4}$
3 x 5	5 x 8	6 x 10	$10\frac{1}{4}$ x $12\frac{1}{4}$

During the progress of this study, further directives of a general nature will be issued and directives of a departmental nature will be forwarded to the departments concerned.

CHARLES J. FOX,
Director.

TUNNEL TRAFFIC IN MAY.

In the month of May, 1954, 1,031,226 vehicles used the Sumner Tunnel. This is the first time in the history of the tunnel that in excess of 1,000,000 vehicles used the facility in any one month.

In May of 1953, 979,920 vehicles went through the tunnel, or 51,306 less than May of this year.

VEHICULAR TRAFFIC THROUGH SUMNER TUNNEL IN 1953 BREAKS ALL RECORDS—TOTAL OF 10,835,670 VEHICLES USED TUBES—1,251,698 MORE THAN PREVIOUSLY.

Vehicular traffic through the Sumner Tunnel for the year 1953 was 13 per cent higher than in the year 1952. This was revealed in figures made public from the office of Public Works Commissioner George G. Hyland this week.

According to the Commissioner a total of 10,835,670 vehicles used the tunnel in 1953, to break the previous record of 9,583,972 vehicles established in 1952. The increase in 1953 over 1952 totals 1,251,698 vehicles.

ASSESSED VALUATIONS CONTINUE TO RISE.

A survey of 43 assessing jurisdictions over 100,000 population, recently completed by the National Association of Assessing Officers, discloses that the latest totals of assessed valuations average 4.3 per cent higher than those for last year. Last year's survey of 46 jurisdictions showed an increase for the preceding period of 6.35 per cent. Duval County (Jacksonville), Florida, reported a 19.7 per cent increase, the highest of any jurisdiction. Other jurisdictions reporting high percentage increases in valuations were Dade County (Miami), Florida, 13.3 per cent; Providence, Rhode Island, 10.5 per cent; King County (Seattle), 10.4 per cent; Grand Rapids, Michigan, 9.3 per cent; Richmond, Virginia, 8.8 per cent; Los Angeles County, 8.5 per cent; Minneapolis and San Antonio, 6.9 per cent; and Erie, Pennsylvania, 6.7 per cent.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

ORTHOPTIC TECHNICIAN, BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL, APRIL 23, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, April 4, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $35.50 a week; the maximum salary is $48 a week.

Vacancies: At present there is one vacancy for a female, to be filled on a permanent part-time basis.

Duties: Under supervision, to examine eyes and report results to the ophthalmic surgeon; and to perform related work as required.

Examples of Duties: Giving tests to determine visual acuity with and without glasses, and testing for distance and nearsightedness with and without glasses; testing for near point of convergence and for three grades of fusion; administering the Worth four-dot test, after-image test, double-image test, prism and cover test, Maddox rod test, and Lancaster red-green test; treating patients on the major amblyoscope; assigning home exercises.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, March 7, 1955.

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 2 P.M., President HURLEY in the chair, and all the members present.

The Reverend Doug Batten, of St. Matthew and the Redeemer Church, South Boston, was escorted to the rostrum.

INVOCATION BY REV. DOUG BATTEN.

Almighty God, Who has given us this good city for our heritage, we beseech Thee that we may always prove ourselves a people mindful of Thy favor and glad to do Thy will.

Bless our city with honorable industry, sound learning, and pure manners. Defend our liberties and fashion into one united people the multitudes brought hither out of many kindreds and tongues. Endue with the spirit of wisdom those to whom in Thy name we entrust the authority of government, that there may be justice and peace at home, and, through obedience to Thy law, we may show forth Thy praise among the nations of the earth.

In the time of prosperity fill our hearts with thankfulness, and in the day of trouble suffer not our trust in Thee to fail.

Guide and bless the Councillors of this city, that they may ordain for our governance only such things as please Thee, to the glory of Thy name and the welfare of Thy people.

Through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

The meeting was opened with the salute to the Flag.

STUDENTS' GOVERNMENT EXCHANGE PROGRAM.

President HURLEY, on behalf of the Council, welcomed to the deliberations of the Council the student representatives of the Boston Latin School, Jeremiah E. Burke High School, Roxbury Memorial High School (Boys), Jamaica Plain High School, Hyde Park High School, Trade High School for Girls, Roxbury Memorial High School (Girls), Charlestown High School, and Gate of Heaven High School, and guest students from Watertown High School, Wakefield High School, Canton High School, Randolph High School, Belmont High School, Weymouth High School, Rockland High School, Stoughton High School, and Archbishop Williams High School.

RECONSIDERATION OF RENT INCREASES.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 7, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the chairman of the Boston Housing Authority relative to your order of February 14, 1955, concerning rental increases under chapter 372, Acts of 1946.

Respectfully,
WILLIAM F. HURLEY, Acting Mayor.

Boston Housing Authority,
February 28, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Subject: City Council Order of February 14, 1955, on Rents on Chapter 372 Developments.

Dear Mayor Hynes:

In reply to your letter of February 16, 1955, on the above subject matter, as you know, this Authority has decided that no changes will be made on rents to the remaining tenants in the small-house program.

The matter of rents in the small multiple-building apartments of the Chapter 372 program is being reviewed.

In that review the principle of relating rent to the accommodations supplied and the ability to pay will receive every consideration.

Very truly yours,
JAMES J. MAHAR, Chairman.

Placed on file.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committee named, viz.:

Claims.

Robert L. Baker, for compensation for damage to car by city truck.

Boston Tow Boat Company, to be reimbursed for loss of time by tug at Summer Street Bridge.

James Boyle, for compensation for damage to property at 25 Arden street, Brighton, caused by defective sewer pipe.

Joseph L. and Arthur Budd, for compensation for injuries and damage to car by truck of Public Works Department.

Connie Cerundolo, for compensation for damage to car by city truck.

Charles F. Donovan, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Sanitary Division, Public Works Department.

Sumner Elden, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Hudson street.

Rachel Gold, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at St. Botolph street and Massachusetts avenue.

Alan M. Goldberg, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 105 Devon street.

Martha Goldberg, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 105 Devon street.

Sydney E. Goldberg, for compensation for damage to property and injuries caused by an alleged defect at 105 Devon street.

William J. Greene, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty.

Morris Kempner, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 83 Phillips street, Boston.

Ethel Litsky, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 14 Grove street.

Jack Litsky, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 14 Grove street.

George F. and Gertrude E. McMahon, for compensation for damage to property at 62 Crest street, West Roxbury, caused by city employees causing cellar to be flooded.

Michael J. Moynihan, for compensation for damage to property at 86 Hunnewell avenue, Brighton, caused by break in water pipe.

John D. O'Connell, for compensation for damage to car by city truck.

Arthur Oransky, for compensation for damage to car by fire apparatus.

Rose Rilley, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 107 Brook avenue, Roxbury.

RKO Keith Memorial Theatre, for compensation for damage to property on Tremont street, caused by city Trojan loader.

Dorothy Roush, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 31 George street, Hyde Park.

Antonio J. Sacco, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Sanitary Division, Public Works Department.

Edward J. Sweeney, to be reimbursed as result of execution issued against him on account of his acts as employee of Fire Department.

Rose Tushman, for compensation for damage to car by city truck.

PERMIT FOR CHILDREN.

A petition for children under fifteen years of age to appear at places of public amusement was received as follows:

St. Joseph's C.Y.O., Hyde Park High School, March 21 and 22, 1955.

Permit granted under usual conditions.

PETITION FOR ANNUITY.

Petition of Catherine DePietro to be paid annuity on account of death of her husband, Salvatore DePietro, late member of the Fire Department.

Referred to the Committee on Claims.

MINOR'S LICENSE.

The application of James McAllister, 25 Intervale street, Roxbury, for newsboy's license was received.

License granted under usual conditions.

APPLICATIONS FOR SHELLFISH PERMITS.

Applications for commercial shellfish permits were received from the following:

Roy Kneeland, 7 Thomas park, South Boston, Ward 7; Robert P. McGee, 50 Monmouth street, East Boston, Ward 1; Thomas Scott, 12 Pine street, Hyde Park, Ward 18.

Severally referred to the Committee on Licenses.

NOTICES FROM STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

A communication was received from the State Department of Public Works transmitting copy of order of layout and taking of section of state highway (Southeast Expressway).

A communication was received from the State Department of Public Works transmitting copy of order of layout and taking of section of state highway (John F. Fitzgerald Expressway).

Severally placed on file.

APPROVAL OF CONSTABLE'S BOND.

The constable's bond of Paul H. McCarthy, having been duly approved by the Collector-Treasurer, was received and approved.

DETERMINATION OF CERTAIN OPINIONS OF CORPORATION COUNSEL.

The following was received:

March 7, 1955.

In reply to the order passed by the City Council on February 28, 1955:

"Ordered, That a determination be made by the Assistant Document Clerk of the City Council of

1. The number of opinions of the Corporation Counsel on record in the years 1950, 1951, 1952, 1953, 1954, and 1955, pertaining to the division of power and authority under the City Charter and statutes of the Commonwealth between the Mayor on one hand and the City Council on the other; and

2. The number of times the Corporation Counsel has ruled in favor of the City Council and the number of times the Corporation Counsel has ruled in favor of the Mayor."

1950, one opinion—against the City Council.

1951, none.

1952, five opinions—four against, one for the City Council.

1953, four opinions—against the City Council.

1954, one opinion—neutral.

1955, one opinion—against the City Council.

JOSEPH J. BROGNA,
Assistant Document Clerk.

Placed on file.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCE.

Coun. HAILER, for the Committee on Appropriations and Finance, submitted the following:

1. Report on order (referred February 28) for loan of $5,000,000 for off-street parking facilities—recommending reference of the order to the Executive Committee.

2. Report on order (referred February 28) for loan of $1,000,000 for off-street parking facilities—recommending reference of the order to the Executive Committee.

The reports were accepted, and the orders were severally referred to the Executive Committee.

Coun. WHITE in the chair.

JURORS DRAWN.

Jurors were drawn in the manner prescribed by law, Councillor Hailer presiding at the box in the absence of the Mayor, viz.:

Sixty-four traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, to appear April 4, 1955:

Rudolph A. Coletta, Ward 1; Joseph D. DeLeglio, Ward 1; Edward T. Reardon, Ward 2; Samuel G. Wall, Ward 2; John E. Kotasenki, Ward 3; Yolanda Ricasoli, Ward 3; Oswald H. Duncau, Ward 4; Michael F. Albert, Ward 6; John F. Kenney, Ward 6; George F. McGrath, Jr., Ward 7; Eileen M. Nihill, Ward 7; John E. Riley, Ward 7; Coleman F. Walsh, Ward 7; Alfred A. DeLuca, Ward 8; Vernard L. Gordon, Ward 8; John F. Mahoney, Ward 8; Daniel F. Sheehan, Ward 8.

Edward J. Heittman, Ward 10; Leo F. MacNaughton, Ward 10; Kathleen G. Careless, Ward 11; Bertram Federici, Ward 11; John H. Hall, Ward 11; William A. Lawler, Ward

11; William J. O'Laughlin, Ward 11; Albert P. Cerrato, Ward 12; Harry J. Evans, Ward 12; Gloria Hanson, Ward 12; Eli Kaplan, Ward 12; Edward J. Kelley, Ward 12; James Pappas, Ward 12; Dudley Sattin, Ward 12; Alice Smith, Ward 12; James C. Allen, Ward 13; Louis Bernazzani, Ward 13; Thomas J. Dwyer, Ward 13; Anthony Saya, Ward 13; Paul Kodad, Ward 15; Kathryn M. Madden, Ward 16; Claire R. Mangan, Ward 16; William C. Mead, Ward 16.

William J. Donovan, Jr., Ward 17; Saul Margolis, Ward 17; Mario A. Bambini, Ward 18; John Linowski, Ward 18; George F. O'Hara, Ward 18; Philip Polins, Ward 18; William E. Brown, Ward 19; Francis F. Falvey, Ward 19; Stephen J. Graham, Ward 19; Everett M. Lundgren, Ward 19; Ralph F. MacKendrick, Ward 19; Richard F. Sullivan, Ward 19; Harold F. Jones, Ward 20; Howard A. Munroe, Ward 20; Elizabeth B. Psomas, Ward 20; Thomas E. Topping, Ward 20; Forrest T. Wills, Ward 20; Arthur Haley, Ward 21; Ludwig Kolbe, Ward 21; Joseph W. McDonald, Ward 21; William H. Scannell, Jr., Ward 21; Alfred E. Baratta, Ward 22. Benjamin Kirle, Ward 22; John E. McCall, Ward 22.

One hundred thirty-seven traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, to appear April 4, 1955:

Josephine Barry, Ward 1; John L. Capone, Ward 1; Anna DiStasio, Ward 1; Geraldine R. Geisler, Ward 1; Rita Laurano, Ward 1; Rose LeConte, Ward 1; Camille F. Montalto, Ward 1; Anthony Vernucci, Ward 1; William F. Scribner, Ward 2; Michael Bonavita, Ward 3; Philip Hurwitz, Ward 3; George J. Malette, Sr., Ward 3; John Mersicano, Ward 3; Edward J. O'Connor, Ward 3; Granville Bost, Ward 4; John F. Casey, Ward 4; James P. Fay, Jr., Ward 4; Albert F. Guy, Ward 4; William F. Jones, Ward 4; Burton T. MacAndrews, Ward 4; Robert Mitchell, Ward 4; Lawrence W. O'Leary, Ward 4.

Winifred E. Cole, Ward 5; Raymond F. Heagney, Ward 5; Nicola Iodice, Ward 5; Paul Manozzi, Ward 5; Norman T. Steed, Ward 5; Ernest L. Thompson, Ward 5; Edward F. Cook, Ward 6; Barbara G. Costello, Ward 6; Harold H. DeMarco, Ward 6; Albert C. Durau, Ward 6; Wilfred J. Halloran, Ward 6; John P. Keaney, Ward 6; David J. Kinsella, Ward 6; Stanley Balon, Ward 7; James E. Cotton, Ward 8; Frank M. Morganelli, Ward 8; Edward A. Tucker, Ward 8; Angelo Oliva, Ward 9.

Lawrence F. Gillis, Ward 10; Homer E. Hicks, Ward 10; Leonard F. Kehrmeyer, Ward 10; Kathleen M. Lydon, Ward 10; John J. Mahoney, Ward 10; James J. Toomey, Ward 10; Frank J. Walenten, Ward 10; Dominick Doyle, Ward 11; William N. Drummey, Ward 11; James J. Lyons, Ward 11; William M. Morgan, Ward 11; Gerald E. Vorce, Ward 11; John J. Bottos, Ward 12; Raymond F. Bennett, Ward 12; Abraham Buffman, Ward 12; John J. Davey, Ward 12; William J. Delahanty, Jr., Ward 12; George A. Foran, Ward 12; Abraham H. Gale, Ward 12; James T. Hewlett, Ward 12; Lionel O. Lindsay, Ward 12; Arthur J. Newcomb, Ward 12; Lillian B. Paxton, Ward 12.

Francis M. Cullity, Ward 13; John J. Kennedy, Ward 13; Daniel J. McCarthy, Ward 13; Martin Walsh, Ward 13; Harry Cohen, Ward 14; Hyman Glick, Ward 14; Louis Hershenson, Ward 14; Harry Oxenhorn, Ward 14; Herbert W. Ryan, Ward 14; Bernard Shore, Ward 14; Kenneth T. Alford, Ward 15; Walter E. Bell, Ward 15; Michael Leo Bouzan, Ward 15; Roy F. Duke, Ward 15; Robert E. Hill, Ward 15; James Hosie, Ward 15; Charles A. Kelley, Ward 15; William H. Stokinger, Ward 15; William F. Stone, Ward 15; William J. Connors, Ward 16; Charles E. Fay, Ward 16; Edmund R. Harrington, Ward 16; Anna C. Holland, Ward 16; John J. Olszowy, Jr., Ward 16.

Ralph Erlandson, Ward 17; Franklin P. McCarthy, Ward 17; Francis P. McClory, Ward 17; Francis J. Mitchell, Ward 17; James G. Riley, Ward 17; Herbert W. Rogers, Ward 17; Edward J. Russell, Ward 17; Joseph G. Belanger, Ward 18; David Crowley, Ward 18; Paul E. Finn, Ward 18; Joseph J. Ivens, Ward 18; Maurice N. Labelle, Ward 18; Frederick J. McCoy, Ward 18; Walter M. Roche, Ward 18; John J. Whelan, Jr., Ward 18; Walter J. Browne, Ward 19; Martin J. Coleman, Ward 19; Patrick J. King, Ward 19; William F. McCarthy, Ward 19; George W. Wall, Ward 19.

Ricco H. Bernazzani, Ward 20; John F. Carey, Ward 20; Anthony Diorio, Ward 20; Joseph A. Dolan, Jr., Ward 20; Emil Dow, Ward 20; Robert J. Hill, Ward 20; Joseph K. Kelliher, Ward 20; Herman Langmeyer, Ward 20, Virginia Pearson, Ward 20; Lora M. Richardson, Ward 20; William R. Spear, Jr., Ward 20; Thorwald Sundlie, Ward 20; Leonard E. Tarallo, Ward 20; Robert P. Thorp, Ward 20; David Appleberg, Ward 21; Stephen Celona, Ward 21; Graham J. Champey, Ward 21; Walter Finn, Ward 21; Eugene Garner, Ward 21; Marcus R. Hyman, Ward 21; Edward A. Lythgoe, Ward 21; Herman B. Mayer, Ward 21; Cleveland M. Spicer, Ward 21; Robert E. Walsh, Ward 21; Aaron J. Birnbaum, Ward 22; August Jurgerson, Ward 22; Ambrose L. Kane, Ward 22; Ann P. O'Keefe, Ward 22; Mary C. Rourke, Ward 22; Ernest C. Ruggles, Ward 22.

Ninety additional traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, to appear April 5, 1955:

Alfonso Ciampa, Ward 1; James Giglio, Ward 1; Michael A. LaCava, Ward 1; Joseph Mottola, Ward 1; Louis O'Reilly, Ward 1; Walter S. Benson, Ward 2; Carmen Elio, Ward 2; Joseph Guerin Lapointe, Ward 2; Nicholas Plescia, Ward 3; Lois D. Turnbull, Ward 3; Earl M. Blackburn, Ward 4; Edmund J. Cronin, Ward 4; Frederick H. Horan, Ward 4; Raymond H. McMakin, Ward 4; Donald W. Doughty, Ward 5; Harrison W. Hosmer, Ward 5; Harold P. Landers, Ward 5; Stevenson B. Porter, Ward 5; Walter Price, Ward 5; Paul V. Doyle, Ward 6; George J. Hemsworth, Ward 6; Edward Hughes, Ward 6; Leo A. Merlino, Ward 6; Roland J. Beytes, Ward 7; Chester W. Zarnock, Ward 7.

Josephine C. Bifano, Ward 8; Catherine E. Burke, Ward 8; Jack Gerber, Ward 8; Harold B. Greenwood, Ward 8; William L. Bosinger, Ward 10; Philip G. Fay, Ward 10; Helen L. Shea, Ward 10; Arthur Owens, Ward 11; James Roach, Ward 11; Paul K. Sydell, Ward 12; John G. Campbell, Ward 13; George Cowan, Ward 13; John Francis McLaughlin, Ward 13; Peter McMahon, Ward 13; Joseph F. Rebello, Jr., Ward 13; Leroy Thomas, Ward 13; Joseph L. Trabucco, Ward 13; Wilson E. Burleigh, Ward 14; Bartholomew J. Hayes, Ward 14; Gertrude Miller, Ward 14; David Penn, Ward 14; Hyman F. Phillips, Ward 14; Sydney Swartz, Ward 14; Pasquale DiMascio, Ward 15; Joseph F. LaBollita, Ward 15; Nelson M. McCormick, Ward 15; Edward J. Parks, Ward 15; Paul E. Tobin, Ward 15; Frederick A. Larkin, Ward 16; Francis X. Leary, Ward 16; James A. Parsons, Ward 16; Joseph Stefani, Ward 16; Joseph Stonkus, Ward 16.

Abraham Goldstein, Ward 17; Bertram Martin, Ward 17; James F. Murphy, Ward 17; Mary E. Petraitis, Ward 17; Daniel J. Sheehan, Ward 17; Samuel M. Diamond, Ward 18; Martha H. Freed, Ward 18; Leon T. Halperin, Ward 18; Francis C. Ryan, Ward 18; Charles H. Allen, Ward 19; Solomon Bradbury, Ward 19; James T. Downes, Ward 19; James J. Downey, Ward 19; Helen I. Doyle, Ward 19; Arthur Herdt, Ward 19; Daniel E. O'Connell, Ward 19; James E. Tobin, Ward 19; John J. Barrett, Ward 20; Paul Dieso, Ward 20; John R. Harrington, Ward 20; William J. McNulty, Ward 20; Vincent F. Strychar, Ward 20; Max Kligerman, Ward 21; John L. Meehan, Ward 21; Barbara R. Rhilinger, Ward 21; Gerald F. Guest, Ward 22; James E. McAllister, Ward 22; John P. McCarthy, Ward 22; Walter W. Nutile, Ward 22; Walter T. Swift, Ward 22; Allen J. Thornton, Ward 22; Richard B. Weston, Ward 22.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CLAIMS.

Coun. McCORMACK, for the Committee on Claims, submitted the following:

1. Report on petition of Joseph F. Vogel (referred February 28) for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury sustained by him while in the performance of his duty as a member of the Fire Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 100 of chapter 41 of the General Laws, upon petition of Joseph F. Vogel, a ladderman in the Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury received through no fault of his own, while in the performance of his duty on September 4, 1954, there be allowed and paid, as recommended by the Fire Commissioner and approved by the Corporation Counsel, to the following the amount stated—Boston Firemen's Relief Fund, $178.05—said amount to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

2. Report on petition of Charles N. Vogel (referred February 28) for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury sustained by him while in the performance of his duty as a member of the Fire Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 100 of chapter 41 of the General Laws, upon petition of Charles N. Vogel, a ladderman in the Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury received through no fault of his own, while in the performance of his duty on September 18, 1954, there be allowed and paid, as recommended by the Fire Commissioner and approved by the Corporation Counsel, to the following the amounts stated—Paul I. O'Brien, M.D., $281; Joseph J. O'Connor, M.D., $25; John C. Sheehan, M.D., $25—said amount to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

The reports were accepted, and the orders were severally passed.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFIRMATIONS.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN, for the Committee on Confirmations, submitted the following:

1. Report on appointment by the Mayor (referred February 28) of Alphonse A. Balunas as constable with authority to serve civil process upon filing of bond, for term ending April 30, 1955—recommending that appointment be confirmed.

2. Report on appointment by the Mayor (referred February 28) of James J. Durkin as weigher of goods for the term ending April 30, 1955—recommending that appointment be confirmed.

The reports were accepted, and the question came on confirmation. Committee, Councillors Foley and McLaughlin. Whole number of ballots 6, yeas 6, and the appointments were confirmed.

ORDER FOR LOAN OF $1,500,000 FOR OFF-STREET PARKING FACILITIES.

Coun. AHEARN offered the following:

Ordered, That under the authority contained in chapter 625 of the Acts of 1951, the sum of $1,500,000 be, and hereby is, appropriated to be expended under the direction of the Real Property Board for the establishment of off-street parking facilities in the following general areas in the City of Boston, namely, in the general vicinity of Fort Hill square, in the general vicinity of Washington and Essex streets, in the general vicinity of Bromfield or School street, and in the general vicinity of Central, Kilby, and Water streets, it being the intention of the City Council to allow the Real Property Board in its discretion to select the particular locations for the sites within the general areas; and that the Collector-Treasurer be authorized, with the approval of the Mayor, to issue from time to time bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city for said amount, said issues to be outside the limit of indebtedness of the city.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

ORDER FOR LOAN OF $2,000,000 FOR OFF-STREET PARKING FACILITIES.

Coun. FOLEY, AHEARN, and McCORMACK offered the following:

Ordered, That under the authority contained in chapter 625 of the Acts of 1951, the sum of $2,000,000 be, and hereby is, appropriated to be expended under the direction of the Real Property Board for the establishment of off-street parking facilities in the City of Boston; and that the Collector-Treasurer be authorized, with the approval of the Mayor, to issue from time to time bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city for said amount, said issues to be outside the limit of indebtedness of the city.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

COMPREHENSIVE PLAN FOR OFF-STREET PARKING FACILITIES.

Coun. FOLEY, McCORMACK, and AHEARN offered the following:

Whereas, The advancement of the social, political, medical, and educational welfare of the people of Boston must be firmly supported by a sound economic base; and

Whereas, Boston's economy from its most ancient days until the present and into the foreseeable future has been one of commerce and trade rather than heavy industry; and

Whereas, In the first fifty years of the twentieth century a tremendous concentration of real property values has come to be located in downtown Boston at the nexus of Boston's mass transportation system; and

Whereas, Because of (1) Boston's extreme dependence on the real property tax, unique among large cities in the United States, and (2) Boston's small geographical area, which denies its economy the space wherein to make major adaptation to changing economic factors, and (3) assessment practices of such long duration as to be now difficult of reversal, which exaggerate the downtown concentration,

Boston is dependent for its economic future on this downtown commercial real estate *as is no other city in the world;* and

Whereas, The downtown real property values are threatened by a shift in the transportation habits of the populace from mass transportation to the automobile; and

Whereas, This area which represents one half the taxahle property of the entire city must be re-adapted for the automobile age which is upon us if Boston is to survive; and

Whereas, The Boston City Planning Board has emphasized the importance of off-street parking as a solution to this problem and has included in its list of high priority sites a majority of downtown sites; and

Whereas, The Real Property Board has, in the opinion of the City Council, changed the basic emphasis of this plan hy selecting from the Planning Board's list of high priority sites those few sites which are not located in the crucial area to be served; and

Whereas, The justification for the so-called "semiperipheral" sites presented to the City Council by the Real Property Board has not been at all convincing; and

Whereas, The city's attitude toward mass transportation must be rationalized by those responsible for planning; and

Whereas, The city must realistically face up to the fact that as more and more parking facilities are provided, it may well be that private investment in parking garages will become less and less attractive, and that the city will he faced with the construction of the final increments of the over-all plan from its own resources, leading to the logical conclusion that we should hushand our finances in the early stages of the program so that in the late stages of the program the city will be in a financial position to not only acquire sufficient sites to complete the program but also to construct the necessary garages thereon, and should concentrate whatever resources we have toward the most pressing problem; and

Whereas, The City Council firmly helieves that under no circumstances should the City of Boston acquire and clear land and construct, or have constructed under its direction, any parking facilities in areas which are currently receiving adequate service by private parking operators or in areas where private industry will demonstrate by concrete action, rather than promises, a willingness to erect parking facilities; and

Whereas, The members of the City Council wholeheartedly endorse the theory of off-street parking hut sincerely believe that there shonld he a plan adopted which will (1) satisfy the requirements of general planning and the needs of the city; (2) meet the immediate needs of the downtown area; (3) not compete unnecessarily with existing private industry in this field nor preclude the construction of parking sites by private capital that would otherwise fulfill all specifications and fit into the general scheme; and (4) be a prudent business venture that will prove attractive to parkers and not result merely in the destruction of tax revenue producing properties and the construction of large facilities that will compound rather than resolve the parking and traffic prohlems of a given area; be it therefore

Resolved, That (1) the moneys appropriated hy the City Council should be husbanded and immediately directed to the solution of the downtown parking prohlem for shoppers; (2) the Conncil has been presented by the Planning Board and the Real Property Board no justification for the so-called Dillaway and Dore Street site and feels that the expenditure of money in this location would he a squandering in a most callous manner of resources which should he directed to much more pressing demands in the downtown area; (3) the rate structure policy is one of basic importance, and the Council finds that there has not been sufficient emphasis on this prohlem because of a lingering hope that private financing will be able to do more than seems possible; (4) there has been a most lamentable lack of positive thought concerning the role of the M.T.A. in the Boston transportation picture from the viewpoint of the economic importance of the M.T.A. to the downtown area, and this vacuum should be filled in immediately by the Planning Board; and (5) a bolder and more imaginative plan for the downtown area use and transportation prohlems incident thereto must be generated by an expanded and professionalized Planning Department.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

RECESS.

On motion of Councillor Piemonte, the Council voted to take a recess at 4.44 P.M., suhject to the call of the Chair. The memhers reassemhled in the Council Chamber and were called to order by President HURLEY at 5.01 P.M.

ROPING OFF UNION PARK STREET.

Coun. HURLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That the Traffic Department be authorized, through his Honor, the Mayor to rope off the section of Union Park street between Washington street and Harrison avenue, Roxbury, on Saturday, April 2, 1955, between the hours of 2 and 4 P.M.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

PHOTOGRAPHS FOR MUNICIPAL REGISTER.

Coun. HURLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That the City Messenger be, and he hereby is, authorized and directed to have a picture taken of each member of the City Council, 1955; and be he further directed to have these pictures inserted in the 1955 edition of the Municipal Register; and be it further

Ordered, That the City Messenger he, and he hereby is, authorized and directed to have one group picture taken to be hung in the Council Chamber.

Passed under suspension of the Rules.

CONSTRUCTION OF TRUCK TERMINAL AT P AND FIRST STREETS, SOUTH BOSTON.

Coun. McCORMACK, FOLEY, and KERRIGAN offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor he requested to consult with the Building Commissioner, the Fire Commissioner, and the Chairman of the Licensing Committee to ascertain whether or not any applications have been made in connection with the construction or establishment of a truck terminal at the corner of P and First streets in the South Boston section of the City of Boston.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

TRANSPORTATION OF NAVAL CONTINGENT FOR EVACUATION DAY PARADE.

Coun. McCORMACK, FOLEY, and KERRIGAN offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor consult with the Commandant of the First Naval District to determine whether or not the naval contingent from the said district which will participate in the South Boston Evacuation Day Parade on March 17, 1955, can be transported to the starting point of the parade in naval husses and at government expense.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

Coun. AHEARN in the chair.

SURVEY OF LIGHTING CONDITIONS ON EAST EIGHTH STREET, SOUTH BOSTON.

Coun. KERRIGAN, McCORMACK, and FOLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to make a survey of street lighting conditions on East Eighth street, South Boston, with a view to improving same hy substituting electric lights for the present ohsolete gas lamps.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

FELICITATIONS TO SISTER ALICE WILLIAM.

Coun. KERRIGAN and all the members of the Council offered the following:

Resolved, That the City Council of Boston in meeting assembled hereby wishes to convey their heartfelt felicitations and greetings to Sister Alice William, a member of the Sisters of Charity of Nazareth in Kentucky, and the daughter of our President, William F. Hurley, on the occasion of her birthday and in recognition of her completion of twenty-one years of devoted service to the fine and charitable work in this splendid religious order, and that copies of this resolution be forwarded to Sister Alice William and the Mother Superior of this order in Kentucky.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

FUNDS TO PLAN PUBLIC WORKS PROJECTS.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor hring to the attention of his department heads the opportunity of securing through the Community Facilities Administration of the United States Housing and Home Finance Agency interest-free advances to plan public works projects, and that his Honor the Mayor report to the City Council on the extent to which city departments have submitted applications for such advance planning funds.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

BANNING OF OBJECTIONABLE LITERATURE.

Coun. HAILER offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor he requested to formulate a citizens' committee consisting of members of civic and church organizations who will confer with him relative to a city-wide program to enlist the help of owners and operators of local stores selling literature to keep objectionahle literature out of reach of the young people in the area.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

Adjourned at 5.30 P.M., on motion of Councillor Piemonte, to meet on Monday, March 14, 1955, at 2 P.M.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.
(Stenographic copy of such debate on file in office of City Clerk.)

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective March 21, 1955:

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out the following:

Norfolk Avenue, Dorchester.
Southwest side, from East Cottage street to the bridge over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, 24 hours.
North Street, Boston Proper.
North side, from North Centre street to Union street, 24 hours.
South side, from Cross street to Clinton street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Rugg Road, Brighton.
Northeast and east sides, from Cambridge street to Braintree street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," each of the following:

Dover Street.
North side, from Albion street to Tremont street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Hull Street.
Southwest side, from Commercial street to Snow Hill street, 24 hours.
North Street.
North side, from Blackstone street to Union street, 24 hours.
South side, from Merchants Row to Dock square, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," each of the following:

Cambridge Street.
Southeast side, from a point two hundred (200) feet northeast of the prolongation of the southwest street line of North Harvard street to a point one hundred (100) feet southwest of the prolongation of the southwest street line of North Harvard street, 24 hours.
Emery Road.
East side, from Rugg road to Braintree street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Market Street.
Northwest side, from Faneuil street to North Beacon street, 24 hours.
Southeast side, from Cypress road to Saybrook street, 24 hours.
North Harvard Street.
Northeast side, from Empire street to Cambridge street, 24 hours.
Southwest side, from Hooker street to Cambridge street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Rugg Road.
Northeast side, from Cambridge street to Emery road, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," each of the following:

Bailey Street.
North side, from Dorchester avenue to a point four hundred (400) feet west of Dorchester avenue, 24 hours.
South side, from Dorchester avenue to the west property line of the Thomas Francis Leen School, 24 hours.
Corona Street.
South side, from Bowdoin street to Geneva avenue, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," each of the following:

Munroe Street.
North side, from Warren street to Walnut avenue, 24 hours.
Norfolk Avenue.
Southwest side, from East Cottage street to the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Bridge, 24 hours.
Opera Place.
Northeast side, from a point ten (10) feet northwest of Public Alley No. 817 to a point ten (10) feet southeast of Public Alley No. 817, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by striking out the following:

North Street, Boston Proper.
South side, from Merchants Row to Dock square, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 6, Part 3 (Restrictions in Cent and Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Columbia Road.
Northwest side, from Arion street to Davern avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by striking out the following:

A Street, South Boston.
From Gillette park to Melcher street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," the following:

Saybrook Street.
From Market street to Glencoe street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," each of the following:

Lonsdale Street.
From Adams street to Dorchester avenue.
Rockwell Street.
From Milton avenue to Washington street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," each of the following:

Bower Street.
From Walnut avenue to Warren street.
Public Alley No. 404.
From Public Alley No. 405 to Cumberland street.
Public Alley No. 405.
From St. Botolph street to Huntington avenue.
Rockland Avenue.
From Dale street to Rockland street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "West Roxbury," the following:

Calder Street.
From Blue Hill avenue to American Legion Highway.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," the following:

Cambridge Street.
At Blossom street.
At Garden street.
At North Russell street.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," the following:

Everett Street.
At Holton street.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Granite Avenue.
At Hill Top street.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of sewerage repairs, estimated to be ten (10) days, the following street is one way in the direction indicated, effective March 7, 1955:

Regent Street, Roxbury.
From Circuit street to Hulbert street.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of underground construction by the New England Telephone & Telegraph Company, estimated to be five (5) days, parking of vehicles is prohibited in the following street, effective March 3, 1955:

Blue Hill Avenue, Roxbury.
East side, from Geneva avenue to the driveway of No. 460 Blue Hill avenue.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 2,912.

The Police Commissioner having heard the complaint of Capt. Francis W. Russell, Division 10, against Patrolman Thomas G. O'Loughlin, Division 10, on Thursday, March 10, 1955, at Police Headquarters, charging him with violation of the rules and regulations of the Boston Police Department, has made a finding of guilty.

Therefore, it is ordered that the said Patrolman Thomas G. O'Loughlin be suspended for a period of eight months, effective as of Wednesday, September 1, 1954, at 5.45 o'clock P.M.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,913.

On March 7, 1955, a taxi driver reported to Division 14 that he had just been held up at knife point by two young men. The recall lights were set for the purpose of giving out the description of the men wanted and within a matter of minutes Patrolman Edward L. Beaudoin responded. Upon receiving the description the officer stated that earlier the previous evening he had observed two individuals answering the description. While en route to the station to perform a last half tour of duty he stopped in a restaurant for lunch and while there his suspicions were aroused by the actions of two young men, one of whom appeared to be under the influence of a stimulant. After questioning the youth and satisfying himself that the youth's condition was normal he allowed him to go on his way.

As the result of Patrolman Beaudoin recalling that the youth had given his name and address, an arrest for suspicion of armed robbery resulted. At the station the taxi driver made positive identification of the suspect as one of the youths who had held him up.

The extreme alertness displayed by Patrolman Beaudoin while off duty set in motion a series of events which resulted in the capture of four dangerous felons within a matter of hours after they had completed a holdup and apparently gotten away cleanly. Three of these men confessed to the armed robbery of another taxi driver in Dorchester.

The Commissioner is pleased to recognize the efficient police work of Patrolman Beaudoin and hereby orders that he be granted two days' additional vacation.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,914.

Patrolman Lester K. Greenwood, Traffic Division, honorably discharged veteran, having arrived at the age of fifty-seven years, having been in service of Boston Police Department for thirty years, and having requested retirement under provisions of section 58, chapter 32, General Laws (Ter. Edit.), as amended, it is hereby

Ordered, His Honor the Mayor having approved the same, Patrolman Lester K. Greenwood will be retired from active

duty in the Police Department, effective Tuesday, March 15, 1955, at 5.45 o'clock P.M.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,015.

The following promotions and assignments are hereby ordered, to take effect Wednesday, March 16, 1955, at 7.45 o'clock A.M.:

To the Grade of Sergeant.

Detective William A. Bradley, from Detective Bureau (detailed to Division 16) to Division 4.

Patrolman John J. Cummings, from Division 4 to Division 19.

Patrolman Charles F. O'Rourke, from Division 7 to Division 11.

Patrolman Eugene J. Pastore, from Traffic Division to Division 18.

Patrolman Joseph F. Thompson from Division 6 to Division 17.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Improvement Commission for the following construction work:

Four catch basins and connections and abandoning of two existing drop inlets in Southampton street, between Andrew square and Massachusetts avenue, at railroad bridge in the Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of $2,100.

Three hundred forty-five linear feet of 10-inch pipe sewer in Forest Hills street, westerly from a point 55 feet easterly of Lotus street, in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of $4,300.

Seven hundred linear feet of 10-inch pipe sewer in Canterbury street, in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of $8,000.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of safe driving demonstration in connection with the Annual Traffic Court Conference presented by Northeastern University, vehicles are excluded from the following street, from 2.45 P.M. to 4.45 P.M., on Thursday, March 10, 1955:

Avenue Louis Pasteur, Roxbury.
From Longwood avenue to Fenway.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of detouring of MTA buses due to water main construction in Washington street, estimated to be three (3) weeks, parking of vehicles is prohibited in the following street, effective March 9, 1955:

Freeman Avenue, West Roxbury.
West side, from Washington street to Grove street.

CITY OF BOSTON AND COUNTY OF SUFFOLK.

STATISTICAL FACTS FOR THE YEAR 1954

Date of incorporation	February 23, 1822
Date of adoption of City Charter (amended January 7, 1925)	1909
Form of Government	Mayor and City Council
Area (square miles)	47.81
Population — Federal Census (August 1, 1950)	801,444
Number of employees as of February 1, 1954	22,806
Boston Housing Authority:	
Federal Program (7,920 apartments housing 7,920 families)	
Number of apartments in veterans' permanent 1- and 2-family homes housing 1,306 families	
State-Aided Developments (containing 3,177 apartments housing 3,177 families)	
Building Department:	
Permits issued	17,515
Estimated cost	$35,771,706
Cemeteries: Number 19—Area (acres)	161.71
Election Department:	
Registered voters	383,864
Number of ballots cast last general election	169,493
Percentage of registered voters voting	44.15
Fire Department:	
Number of stations	51
Number of fireboats	2
Alarms responded to	15,150
Health Department: Health Units	10
Hospitals (Including Boston Sanatorium):	
City Hospital:	
Number of buildings	57
Bed capacity	2,460
Patients, daily average:	
Wards	1,798
Out-patient	891
Long Island Hospital:	
Number of buildings	27
Population	952
Library Department:	
Number of libraries	37
Number of employees (full time)	640
Number of volumes	2,011,358
Circulation	3,162,338
Markets, number of	2
Municipal buildings, number of	27
Park Department: Parks, number of acres	2,240.29
Area of playgrounds and play areas (acres)	807.12
Number of playgrounds and play areas	121
Number of municipal golf links	2
Number of municipal beaches	3
Public grounds and squares (acres)	57.41
Swimming pools (indoor) 2, (outdoor) 2	4
Number of recreation centers and indoor bathhouses	15
Police Department:	
Number of stations and headquarters	18
Arrests	93,294
Public Works Department:	
Bridges, number of	101
Miles of accepted streets and alleys	731
Sewers: Miles of sewers	1,302.75
Catch basins	23,972
Average number of gallons pumped daily at main pumping station	112,980,821
Sumner Traffic Tunnel: Length (feet)	5,654
Two-lane drive: Vehicles passing through — 1953	10,835,674
Water Service:	
Number of meters in service	95,653
Per capita daily average consumption (gallons)	139
Miles of mains: Ordinary	999,136
High pressure	18.72
Rapid Transit: Miles of subways and tunnels	16.81
Schools:	
Number of school buildings	224
Number of teachers	3,655
Average membership	94,774
Average daily attendance:	
Elementary and junior high schools	54,546
High schools	16,201
Kindergartens	8,151
Special schools	1,800

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

PUBLIC HEALTH NURSING SUPERVISOR, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH, APRIL 23, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, April 4, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $3,840 a year; the maximum salary is $4,920 a year.

Vacancies: At present there is one vacancy for a female, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: Under the direction of the District Health Officer, and with the technical guidance of the Chief Supervisor of Public Health Nursing, to give advisory service to local public health nurses and employing agencies and promote the development of desirable standards for public health nursing services within the district; and to perform related work as required.

Examples of Duties: Correlating and integrating public health nursing activities in the over-all program of the district; evaluating the needs for nursing service in local communities and planning a program to meet such needs; interpreting desirable health nursing standards of organization, administration, and nursing performance to employing agencies; assisting with the instruction of new public health nurses and giving advice concerning desirable public health nursing performance; assisting public health nurses in evaluating their programs and the effectiveness of their work and suggesting improvements; assisting in the coordination of local public health nursing services, in order to effect the most desirable service for the community; assisting with the planning of in-service educational programs for all public health nurses in the district; participating in the making of surveys and in the preparation of manuals, guides, and procedures for public health nurses.

The following are required: knowledge of the principles and practices of nursing supervision, basic sciences, and principles and practices of public health nursing; knowledge of community and state resources, state laws pertaining to public health, and trends and literature in the field of public health nursing; knowledge of the organization and functions of national nursing and health organizations.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants must have (*a*) at least two years of full-time paid experience as a nurse in a recognized public health nursing agency under qualified supervision and (*b*) two years of full-time paid experience as a public health nursing supervisor in a recognized public health nursing agency, which includes a bedside nursing program. *Substitution:* Satisfactory completion of at least one year of training in a recognized program of study in public health nursing which carried academic credit and which was supplemented by courses in supervision may be substituted for one year of the required experience.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Certification Requirement: Registration as a nurse under the Massachusetts Board of Registration in Nursing.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

MUSEUM OF SCIENCE

Development Program Estimates and Progress July 1, 1949 — June 30, 1955

	Cost	Funds to Date (10-8-'52)	Funds to Be Raised
I. Completed			
A. Construction of East Wing (Ultimately the Hall of Nature)	$580,000	$580,000	—
B. Construction of Temporary Administration Building (Ten-Year Investment)	45,000	45,000	—
II. Second Phase			
C. Hayden Planetarium			
1. Construction	787,000	787,000	—
2. Projector, Equipment, and Exhibits	115,000	128,000	—
D. Operating Funds for Five Years (July 1, 1949 — June 30, 1955)	890,000	640,000	$250,000
III. Final Phases			
E. Central Tower (Hall of Man, Hall of Public Health and Medicine, Science Library, Main Lobby, and Entrance)	1,625,000	80,000	1,545,000
F. Main Heating Plant and Sewer for Entire Development	95,000	85,000	10,000
G. Installation and Equipment of Exhibit Halls (Entire Plant Except Planetarium)	750,000	150,000	600,000
H. West Wing (Hall of Science and Industry)	800,000	—	800,000
I. Aquarium	600,000	—	600,000
J. Outdoor Live Animal Park	10,000	10,000 (pledged)	—
	$6,297,000	$2,505,000	$3,805,000

AMENDMENTS TO ORIGINAL AWARDS OF DAMAGES.

The Public Improvement Commission has voted as follows:

That the amount of $40 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Alfons and Veronica Rozanski for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of July 28, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Sumner park, Dorchester.

That the amount of $160 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Henry L. and Helen F. Bodio for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of March 25, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Ansonia road, West Roxbury.

That the amount of $20 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Armand A. and Geraldine G. Beck for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of July 23, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Halsey road, Hyde Park.

That the amount of $100 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Dorothy E. Newton for all damages sustained under the order of the Public Improvement Commission and Mayor of June 18, 1954, for the widening and construction of West street, Hyde Park.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

INSPECTION OF PIERS.

Proposals for Making an Inspection of Piers of the Dover Street Bridge, Over Fort Point Channel.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States for making an Inspection of piers of the Dover Street Bridge, over Fort Point Channel. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Making an Inspection of Piers of the Dover Street Bridge, Over Fort Point Channel," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, MARCH 31, 1955, with a certified check for ONE HUNDRED THIRTY (130) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2) for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Mar. 19.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

That the amount of $850 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Virginia M. M. Callahan for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of November 29, 1951, for the widening and construction of Poplar street, West Roxbury.

That the amount of $90 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Raymond J. and Marie E. Schulze for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of March 27, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Oakmere street, West Roxbury.

That the amount of $105 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Walter and Mary A. McGarrah for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of March 25, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Ansonia road, West Roxbury.

That the amount of $531 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Anthony E. Viafora for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of April 27, 1953, for the widening and construction of Beech street, West Roxbury.

That the amount of $192.50 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to James J. and Eleanor M. DeSisto for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of February 25, 1954, for the laying out and construction of Lantern Lane, West Roxbury.

That the amount of $100 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Arthur E. and Rosamond H. Sampson for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of September 12, 1952, for the laying out and construction of Buchanan road, West Roxbury.

That the amount of $400 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Rose Cirone for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of April 27, 1953, for the widening and construction of Beech street, West Roxbury.

That the amount of $121 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Cornelius F. Moynihan for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of June 26, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Chestnut square, West Roxbury.

That the amount of $75 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Rosa Ferrera for all damages sustained under the order of the Public Improvement Commission and Mayor of June 18, 1954, for the widening and construction of Brigham street, East Boston.

That the amount of $200 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Thomas W. Cordner for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of August 26, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Alward road, West Roxbury.

CITY OF BOSTON.

BOSTON HOUSING AUTHORITY.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR DRAINAGE.

The City of Boston, acting by and through the Boston Housing Authority, Room 302, 230 Congress street, Boston, in accordance with the provisions of chapter 372 of the Massachusetts Acts of 1946, as amended, invites proposals for the installation of a drainage system in the basements of certain houses located in the River Street Development, Mattapan, Dorchester district.

A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company authorized to transact business in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 302, 230 Congress street, Boston. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Installation of a Drainage System in Basements of Certain Houses in the River Street Development, Mattapan, Dorchester District," and left at Room 302, 230 Congress street, Boston, Mass., before twelve o'clock noon, Eastern Standard Time, on Thursday, March 31, 1955, at which time and place the proposals will be publicly opened and read.

Bid security in the sum of 5 per cent of the amount of the proposal in the form of cash or certified check, payable to the order of the City of Boston, shall accompany each proposal.

Proposals must be made in quadruplicate, one (1) sealed proposal without bid security to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time made for opening the bids.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Boston Housing Authority. The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required prior to the award of said contract.

The city reserves the right to reject any or all proposals and to waive any informalities either in the bidding or in the proposals, and reserves the right to award the contract or contracts as it deems for its best interests.

No bid shall be withdrawn for a period of thirty (30) days subsequent to the opening of bids without the consent of the city.

CITY OF BOSTON, ACTING BY AND THROUGH THE BOSTON HOUSING AUTHORITY,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
(Mar. 19.) *Chairman.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR SEALING EXTERIOR MASONRY WALLS, TO MINIMIZE THEIR ABSORPTION AND INCREASE THEIR REPELLENCY OF WATER, AT THE CHAPMAN SCHOOL, EUTAW STREET, EAST BOSTON, MASS.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for sealing exterior masonry walls, to minimize their absorption and increase their repellency of water, at the Chapman School, Eutaw street, East Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Wednesday, March 30, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed and enclosed in an envelope, sealed, and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $250, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do, in accordance with sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
(Mar. 19.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

REDECKING AND REPAIRING THREE BRIDGES.

Proposals for Redecking and Repairing the Summer Street Bridges, Over A Street, B Street, and C Street.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States for redecking and repairing the Summer Street Bridges, over A street, B street, and C street. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Redecking and Repairing the Summer Street Bridges, Over A Street, B Street, and C Street," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, APRIL 7, 1955, with a certified check for EIGHT THOUSAND (8,000) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2) for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Mar. 19.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

MILK INSPECTION.

The people of Boston are drinking a high quality milk that is good as well as safe. Results of bacteriological examinations of samples taken of milk—pasteurized, the poorest quality of milk sold in Boston, contained an average of less than 5,000 colonies of bacteria in one cubic centimeter. This average is more than twice as good as that prescribed for Grade A milk by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and more than five times as good as the requirements of the United States Public Health Service Code. Grade A milk sold in Boston averaged about 1,000 colonies of bacteria in one cubic centimeter.

—Health Department Report.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

WATER WORKS.

Proposals for Laying Water Pipes in Summer Street, Ward 18; Driftwood Road, Ward 19; Mossdale Road, Ward 19; Hackensack Court, Ward 20; Veterans of Foreign Wars Parkway, Ward 20, and Such Additional Locations, If Any, in Wards 18, 19, and 20, As May Be Designated by the Commissioner of Public Works.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for laying water pipes in Summer street, Ward 18, etc. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Laying Water Pipes in Summer Street, Ward 18, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of WEDNESDAY, MARCH 30, 1955, with a certified check for SIX HUNDRED (600) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2) for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under Chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Mar. 19.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

RECENT FEDERAL ACTIONS AFFECTING CITIES.

The Housing Act of 1949, approved on July 15, authorized a uniform 10 per cent payment to cities in lieu of taxes on housing projects, but the independent offices appropriation bill passed on August 15 contains a provision that for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1950, only payments provided for in the original contract between the housing authority and the city are authorized for federal reimbursement.

Federal aid for hospital construction has been approved for nearly 800 projects; more than 600 are general hospitals and the great majority are in towns of under 10,000 population.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

WATER WORKS.

Proposals for Laying Water Pipes in Dietz Road, Ward 18; Dodge Road, Ward 18; Eastmont Road, Ward 18; Kristin Court, Ward 18; Leighton Road, Ward 18; and Such Additional Locations, If Any, in Ward 18, As May Be Designated by the Commissioner of Public Works.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for laying water pipes in Dietz road, Ward 18, etc. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Laying Water Pipes in Dietz Road, Ward 18, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of WEDNESDAY, MARCH 30, 1955, with a certified check for SIX HUNDRED (600) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2) for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Mar. 19.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

To Painting Contractors.

Invitation for Proposals for Interior and Exterior Painting at the Brighton High School, Warren Street, Brighton, Mass.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for interior and exterior painting at the Brighton High School, Warren street, Brighton, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Wednesday, March 30, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals shall be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed and inclosed in a sealed envelope, plainly marked with the name of the bidder and the description of the work bid upon. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a certificate of deposit issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $1,500, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked. Bid bonds will not be accepted.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

A performance bond, issued by a surety company satisfactory to the Awarding Authority, in the full amount of the contract will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any and all bids if it be in the public interest so to do.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
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No. 63—346.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

Proposals for Furnishing Paper Products for City Departments.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Monday, March 28, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Paper Products." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

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PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING TRAFFIC WHITE PAINT TO THE BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

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JOHN V. MORAN,
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CITY OF BOSTON.

BOSTON HOUSING AUTHORITY.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR PAINTING 38 WOOD FRAME HOUSES.

Tbe City of Boston, acting hy and through tbe Boston Housing Authority, Room 303, 230 Congress street, Boston, in accordance with the provisions of chapter 372 of the Massacbusetts Acts of 1946, as amended, invites proposals for painting of thirty-eight (38) wood frame houses.

A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company authorized to transact business in the Commonwealtb of Massachusetts in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of tbe contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may he obtained at Room 303, 230 Congress street, Boston. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Painting Thirty-Eigbt (38) Wood Frame Houses," and left at Room 303, 230 Congress street, Boston, Mass., hcfore 12 noon, Eastern Standard Time, on Tuesday, March 29, 1955, at wbich time and place the proposals will be publicly opened and read.

Bid security in the sum of 5 per cent of the amount of the proposal in the form of cash or certified check shall accompany each proposal.

Proposals must he made in quadruplicate, one (1) sealed proposal without hid security to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time made for opening tbe bids.

Tbe rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work performed under the contract sball not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealtb, a copy of whicb schedule is annexed to tbe form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said scbedule may he obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Boston Housing Authority. The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under cbapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to he employed under this contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will he required prior to the award of said contract.

The city reserves the right to reject any or all proposals and to waive any informalities either in the bidding or in the proposals, and reserves the right to award the contract or contracts as it deems for its hest interests.

No bid sball he withdrawn for a period of thirty (30) days suhsequent to the opening of bids without the consent of the city.

CITY OF BOSTON, ACTING BY AND THROUGH THE BOSTON HOUSING AUTHORITY,
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No. 62—714.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING STREET SIGNS AND STREET SIGNPOSTS FOR THE PAVING DIVISION, PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will he opened and read Tuesday, March 29, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate hid, without check, must he left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening hids. Envelopes containing hids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Street Signs and Posts." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance hond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a hid, and to award the contract as he deems for the hest interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Mar.19.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

CHANGES IN TRAFFIC RULES AND REGULATIONS.

Voted, That the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective March 21, 1955:

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended hy striking out the following:

Norfolk Avenue, Dorchester.
Southwest side, from East Cottage street to the bridge over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, 24 hours.
North Street, Boston Proper.
North side, from North Centre street to Union street, 24 hours.
South side, from Cross street to Clinton street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Rugg Road, Brighton.
Northeast and east side, from Camhridge street to Braintree street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended hy inserting in its proper place in the alphahetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," each of the following:

Dover Street.
North side, from Alhion street to Tremont street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Hull Street.
Southwest side, from Commercial street to Snow Hill street, 24 hours.
North Street.
North side, from Blackstone street to Union street, 24 hours.
South side, from Merchants Row to Dock square, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended hy inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," each of the following:

Cambridge Street.
Southeast side, from a point two hundred (200) feet northeast of the prolongation of the southwest street line of North Harvard street to a point one hundred (100) feet soutbwest of the prolongation of the southwest street line of North Harvard street, 24 hours.
Emery Road.
East side, from Rugg road to Braintree street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Market Street.
Northwest side, from Faneuil street to North Beacon street, 24 hours.
Southeast side, from Cypress road to Sayhrook street, 24 hours.
North Harvard Street.
Northeast side, from Empire street to Camhridge street, 24 hours.
Southwest side, from Hooker street to Camhridge street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Rugg Road.
Northeast side, from Cambridge street to Emery road, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," each of the following:

Bailey Street.
North side, from Dorchester avenue to a point four hundred (400) feet west of Dorchester avenue, 24 hours.
South side, from Dorchester avenue to the west property line of tbe Thomas Francis Leen School, 24 hours.
Corona Street.
South side, from Bowdoin street to Geneva avenue, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended hy inserting in its proper place in the alphahetical arrangement under tbe caption "Roxbury," eacb of the following:

Munroe Street.
North side, from Warren street to Walnut avenue, 24 hours.
Norfolk Avenue.
Southwest side, from East Cottage street to the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Bridge, 24 hours.
Opera Place.
Northeast side, from a point ten (10) feet northwest of Public Alley No. 817 to a point ten (10) feet southeast of Public Alley No. 817, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended hy striking out the following:

North Street, Boston Proper.
Soutb side, from Merchants Row to Dock square, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 6, Part 3 (Restrictions in Cent and Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Columbia Road.
Northwest side, from Arion street to Davern avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by striking out the following:

A Street, South Boston.
From Gillette park to Melcher street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended hy inserting in its proper place in tbe alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," the following:

Saybrook Street.
From Market street to Glencoe street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," each of the following:

Lonsdale Street.
From Adams street to Dorchester avenue.
Rockwell Street.
From Milton avenue to Washington street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," each of the following:

Bower Street.
From Walnut avenue to Warren street.
Puhlic Alley No. 404.
From Puhlic Alley No, 405 to Cumberland street.
Puhlic Alley No. 405.
From St. Botolph street to Huntington avenue.
Rockland Avenue.
From Dale street to Rockland street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in tbe alpbabetical arrangement under the caption "West Roxhury," the following:

Calder Street.
From Blue Hill avenue to American Legion Highway.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," the following:

Cambridge Street.
At Blossom street.
At Garden street.
At North Russell street.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended hy inserting in its proper place in tbe alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," the following:

Everett Street.
At Holton street.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphahetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Granite Avenue.
At Hill Top street.

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YOUTH OF TODAY LOOKS TO EDUCATORS AND AMERICA FOR INSPIRATION TO LEAD THEM TO HOPE AND BE ENCOURAGED TO FOLLOW THE AMERICAN WAY OF LIFE IN BASIC PRINCIPLES AND FUNDAMENTAL IDEALS — FRANCIS GRANT, PUPIL OF GATE OF HEAVEN HIGH SCHOOL, SOUTH BOSTON, DELIVERS ORATION AT MARCH 17 HISTORICAL EXERCISES, ON MARCH 13, AT SOUTH BOSTON HIGH SCHOOL.

On March 13, at the historical exercises at the South Boston High School, Francis Grant, of the Gate of Heaven High School, orator of the event, delivered the following address on "Our Heritage—The American Way of Life." The address was as follows and was repeated at the request of Mayor Hynes at the Mayor's luncheon on March 17 at the South Boston Athletic Association rooms:

"Life lived in peace, contented and free,
This is the heritage forever to be."

The eve of Evacuation Day, 1955—and youth looks at America and the precious heritage which is theirs. Youth looks

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MAYOR APPROVES CONTRACTS FOR COLLECTION AND REMOVAL OF REFUSE AND GARBAGE—CONTRACTORS CHOSEN FOR HIGH STANDARD OF SERVICE IN PAST — SIXTEEN OF SEVENTEEN AREAS NOW HAVE ALL-ENCLOSED TRUCK BODIES FOR WORK.

Contracts for collecting and removal of refuse and garbage have been approved by Mayor Hynes, at the request of the Public Works Commissioner, for all districts of the city for the next year. In part, the letter to the Mayor reads as follows:

" . . . I have carefully analyzed all the bids and my recommendations are submitted without qualification and with confidence that the contractors selected will continue to render the high standard of service now in effect in

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MAYOR JOHN B. HYNES DELIVERS STIRRING TOAST TO ST. PATRICK, BOSTON, AND HER CITIZENS OF IRISH ANCESTRY—THRILLS AUDIENCE AT CHARITABLE IRISH SOCIETY'S 218TH CELEBRATION AT SHERATON-PLAZA HOTEL—BOASTS THAT BOSTON, THOUGH STILL FAULTY, IS YET THE BEST CITY IN OUR LAND AND BEST CITY IN THE WORLD.

At the 218th annual dinner of the Charitable Irish Society at the Sheraton-Plaza Hotel on March 17, Mayor John B. Hynes spoke as follows:

The Good Book tells us to avoid the sin of pride, and to cultivate the virtue of humility.

I believe in the Good Book. I believe that he who follows its wise counsels is a wise man. But where among us can be found a Bostonian with a drop of Irish blood in his veins, who wants to be wise, or who wants to be virtuously humble on this day of days; this festive occasion when we celebrate the first bloodless victory of the Revolutionary War—when we give thanks to good St. Patrick for converting our forefathers from pagan worshippers to strong and faithful sons of the one Omnipotent God?

The Old Testament tells us that the All-wise Creator forgave erring and faithless man on numerous occasions; and the New Testament tells us that his Divine Son forgave the errant Magdalen, the dying thief on the cross, the Roman soldiers who nailed Him to the gibbet.

Surely, then, cannot we hope to be forgiven if, once each year, for a few brief hours, we forget to be humble and wise, and indulge in an orgy of boastful pride?

But is it really boastful or sinful pride that swells up within us on this day we celebrate?

I prefer to think of it as wholesome—even virtuous—pride, for can there be any offense to point to our city as the cornerstone of our great and strong country, as the fertile field from whence the seeds of freedom and liberty have spread from sea to sea?

Is it really sinful pride for us to feel our warm Irish blood rise to the boiling point when we think of the indignities and the cruelties suffered by our ancestors because they preferred to worship at the altars introduced by St. Patrick, rather than at the altars of the golden calf? Or is it really sinful pride for us to boast that our nation is broad and bountiful and beautiful because men of Irish blood have helped in no small way to make it so? Or do we err, ever so slightly, when we claim that Boston—Boston with all its faults—is still the best city in our land, the best city in the world?

I think not—for I believe that on this night all the good Bostonians who are in heaven will make our peace, will join with St. Patrick around the golden throne and there in joyous refrain sing out—

There's a little bit of heaven on the earth so far below;
There's a city and a people like no other that we know.
Sure once each year they sing and shout and do a little boasting,
But we pray thee, Almighty Father, 'tis no cause for roasting.
For if the devil and his armies ever want a finish fight,
We will send them all to Boston on St. Patrick's night.

"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean;
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
Nathan Haskell Dole.

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, March 28, at 2 P.M.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries, or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the Complaints Division, Room 25, City Hall.

Information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways, the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments of streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped area for streets and the opening of private ways; the making of specific repairs in public streets; the naming of public streets, including the use of public ways for location of conduits, poles, and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railways, coal holes, and vaults, may be secured from the Public Improvement Commission, Room 403, City Hall Annex.

To the Boston Traffic Commission, 112 Southampton street, for information relative to regulation of vehicular street traffic on all or any streets, ways, highways, roads, and parkways under the control of the City of Boston, the issuing of all permits in connection therewith.

To the Commissioner of Public Works, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting, and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch basins, the operation of Sumner Tunnel, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges, and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

To the Health Department, Haymarket Square, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish, and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughterhouses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases, of public health nuisances.

To the Board of Park Commissioners, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth Avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park, and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts, also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview, and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

To the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

To the Department of School Buildings, 28 Norman street, for information as to the construction and repair of school of buildings.

To the Board of Examiners, Room 907, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal, or tearing down of buildings.

To the Electrical Inspection Division of the Building Department, 1001 City Hall Annex, for all information relative to the erection of poles, building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division; also for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings of the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

To the Board of Zoning Adjustment, 43 City Hall, relative to changes in the boundary lines of zoning districts of the City of Boston as established by chapter 488 of the Acts of 1924, and amendments thereto.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending March 19, 1955.

Population as of July, 1950, Massachusetts State Census, 817,713; population estimated July, 1954, United States Census Bureau, 810,633; number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 170; nonresidents, 80; total, 250.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 16.21; nonresidents deducted, 10.81.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:

Last week, 20.26; corresponding week last year, 14.92.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 13; one year to four years, inclusive, 0; sixty years and over, 161. Total deaths: Male, 154; female, 96; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 178.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

Diseases.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Mar. 19, 1955.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Mar. 20, 1954.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior Poliomyelitis	1	—	—	—
Diphtheria	1	—	—	—
Encephalitis Lethargica	—	—	—	—
Influenza	—	—	—	—
Measles	115	—	7	—
Meningitis Epidemic	—	—	1	—
Pneumonia (lobar)	—	2	—	—
Scarlet Fever	55	—	30	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary)	3	6	8	4
Childhood Type Tuberculosis	—	—	—	—
Tuberculosis (other forms)	1	—	1	—
Typhoid Fever	—	—	1	—
Whooping Cough	4	—	12	—

* Residents and nonresidents included.

ADDRESS OF FRANCIS GRANT AT MARCH 17 HISTORICAL EXERCISES.

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to America as well for hope, for inspiration, and for encouragement. The present generation hunger for their share in our national heritage, and eagerly seek to imbibe the basic principles and fundamental ideals of our American way of life. They yearn for fields of endeavor in which to increase their zeal for American democracy.

And how can this be accomplished better than from good example and training? Yet, from mediums through which this could best be done—from radio and rostrum, from newsreel and newspapers, from magazine and microphone, by telephone and television—youth is being warned of the subtle dangers that threaten them on all sides; dire prophecies of a none too promising future; and of disintegrating forces at work throughout the world. This future belongs to our young people, for better or for worse.

Youth Appeals to Educators.

The oncoming generation of youth look to their educators to develop in them an understanding, a love, and a zeal for the skills, attitudes, and ideals that will prepare them for effective and active American citizenship and world cooperation for peace. They appeal to you, dear friends, to teach them to carry forward with unflinching determination the torch of freedom, justice, and humanity. They must be taught to become proficient in the skills of inquiry and of discussion, and to develop habits of discriminating radio and television listening as well as reading. Learning experiences geared to their maturity level must be placed at their disposal, and these experiences must challenge them to identify democratic values and to act cooperatively and efficiently in a wide variety of life situations.

The home, the school, and society at large can be powerful factors in aiding to attain these ends. Several years ago, a group of public-minded American citizens was responsible for the historic nation-wide journey of the Freedom Train with its priceless documents of liberty—to cite only one example of an endeavor to show our youth a part of their national heritage.

Tell them, and tell them constantly about their wonderful country. In the heart of every young American boy and girl there is a vital spark of patriotism which can be easily kindled into a glowing flame of love for this heritage which is theirs.

You all have read the story of the man without a country. You remember, no doubt, how the young American, Philip Nolan, suffered years of atonement and regret from the terrible sentence which had been given to him—never to see or hear the name of his native land again. How he prayed that he might be allowed to return, if only to die there! In his last hours, "Tell me about America, tell me about America," was his constant dying appeal. Yes, friends—in the home, in the classrooms, the pulpits, the courts of justice, the playgrounds, the athletic fields; yes, friends of the press, radio, and television, tell young America of America. Day in and day out, over and over again, from every source available to this country which God has favored above every nation, we must tell our youth that God is the author of law, and the source of all authority.

Grave Responsibilities.

To the young people of today, those in high places have a grave responsibility. Youth is a hero-worshipper. Let not their idols be found with feet of clay. Integrity is more than a personal matter; large issues are at stake. Where is the man who, if he thinks at all, is willing to think of himself as responsible for the shattering of some youthful ideal? We must hold up to them as models a Washington, a Lincoln, a Jefferson, a Commander Shea, a Mayor Hynes, and an Archbishop Cushing. Nature's noblemen all!

The generation coming to manhood may well profit by this splendid heritage, and it is safe to say they will not disappoint their loved country. In spite of the invectives hurled at youth today by an alarmed and outraged public, our country, like a good mother, remembers the superb courage displayed at Normandy, Iwo Jima, Korea, and the like, and, remembering, she loves and trusts her children.

As a representative of American manhood, I pledge to do all in my power to preserve this unprecedented heritage of freedom, to lift high the torch of liberty that it may cast its lustrous light for the peace and happiness of all posterity. In our hands has been placed this heritage. We shall strive to guard it well!

CONTRACTS APPROVED FOR COLLECTION AND REMOVAL OF GARBAGE AND REFUSE.

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connection with garbage and refuse collection work. In 1953, we inaugurated a program which provided for use of the all-enclosed steel bodies for refuse collection work. At the present time, this sanitary type of body is being used in 11 districts in the city, and I am recommending contracts in the South Boston, Dorchester North, Dorchester South, Elm Hill, and Stuart districts requiring the furnishing of closed trucks. Under the circumstances, therefore, sixteen of the seventeen refuse collection areas in the city will now be provided with all-enclosed bodies.

I submit herewith, by districts, my recommendations concerning the award of new contracts:

District 1—South Boston.

I am recommending that a one-year contract be awarded to the low bidder, Anthony J. Ryan, Jr., at the bid price of $10,400 per month, submitted under Item 1B (enclosed steel bodies). The present contract, which terminates on March 31, provides for a monthly payment of $10,500 to the current contractor, Anthony J. Ryan, Inc.

District 2—East Boston.

I am recommending that a three-year contract be awarded to the low bidder, Milano Brothers, Inc., at the bid price of $7,328 per month, submitted under Item 1C (b) (enclosed steel bodies). The current contract was also awarded to the same contractor at the monthly rate of $6,762 a year ago.

District 4—Brighton.

I recommend that a one-year contract be awarded to the low bidder, Anthony J. Ryan, Inc., at the bid prices of $13,700 per month, submitted under Item 1B (a) (enclosed bodies, the city to furnish dump at Calf Pasture) and $13,400 per month submitted under Item B (b) (enclosed steel bodies, the city to furnish dump at Gardner street), disposal to be made as directed by the commissioner. The present contract, which terminates on March 31, was awarded to the same contractor and provides for a payment of $13,500 monthly.

District 5A—West Roxbury.

I am recommending that a three-year contract be awarded to the low bidder, Frank J. Cavaliere, at the bid price of $10,350 per month, submitted under Item C (enclosed steel bodies). The present contract, which terminates on March 31, was awarded to the Peerless Contract Company, Inc., a year ago, at a monthly rate of $11,190.

District 6A—Dorchester North.

I am recommending that a one-year contract be awarded to the low bidder, Coleman Brothers Corporation, at the bid price of $25,900 per month, submiteed under Item 1B (a) (enclosed steel bodies). The current contract, which expires March 31, was awarded to Coleman Brothers Corporation, and provides for the same monthly payment of $25,900 and also provides for the contractor to furnish open-top trucks instead of the closed bodies to be provided under the new contract.

District 6B—Dorchester South.

I am recommending that a one-year contract be awarded to the low bidder, Coleman Brothers Corporation, at the bid price of $29,100 per month, submitted under Item 1B (a) (enclosed steel bodies). A lower bid was submitted by Anthony J. Ryan, Inc., for this district under Item 1B (b) (enclosed bodies), which provides for the city to furnish the dump and the contractor to operate same. The scarcity of dumping areas for this district makes it imperative that the city conserve its dumping area and use it only as a last resort. It is my unqualified opinion that, in the best interests of the city, the use of the privately owned dump should be continued for as long as possible and, therefore, I recommend the award to the lowest bidder under the item requiring the contractor to furnish the dump. The current contract, which expires March 31, was awarded to the Coleman Brothers Corporation, at the same monthly payment of $29,100, and provides for the contractor to furnish open-top trucks instead of the closed-body type to be provided under the new contract.

District 7A—Elm Hill.

I am recommending that a one-year contract be awarded to the low bidder, William J. Banfield, at the bid price of $5,310 per month, submitted under Item 1B (b) (enclosed steel bodies). The current contract, which expires March 31, was awarded to the same contractor a

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING MARCH 22.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
M. Ciriello	39 Ashley street	1	Connecting range	$35
A. Russo	26 Austin street	18	Connecting range	200
E. Hart	302 Berkeley street	5	Connecting range	35
R. McCall	501 Blue Hill avenue	12	Connecting range	50
A. Russo	30 Chipman street	17	Connecting range	35
S. Litman	5 Elbert street	12	Connecting range	55
A. Russo	206 Fairmount avenue	18	Connecting range	100
E. Pascucci	37 Falcon street	1	Connecting range	25
A. Russo	11 Franklin street	18	Connecting range	150
D. Carey	274 Friend street	3	Connecting range	150
J. Rosengard	148 Havelock street	14	Connecting range	75
A. Russo	829 Hyde Park avenue	18	Connecting range	100
E. Hart	15 John Alden road	20	Connecting range	35
A. Russo	30 Lochland road	18	Connecting range	50
E. Pascucci	122 London street	1	Connecting range	10
E. Pascucci	60 Lubec street	1	Connecting range	50
A. Russo	597 Metropolitan avenue	18	Connecting range	150
E. Hart	15 Millet street	17	Connecting range	50
A. Russo	103 Milton avenue	18	Connecting range	50
A. Granara	295 North street	3	Connecting range	10
A. Russo	1403 River street	18	Connecting range	160
A. Russo	14 Rosa street	18	Connecting range	175
A. Russo	28 Rosa street	18	Connecting range	150
E. Pascucci	356 Sumner street	1	Connecting range	35
B. Carlin	2-18 Tremont street	3	Connecting range	60
M. Riceman	851 Albany street	8	Connecting range	95
L. Luxton	17 Blakeville street	15	Connecting range	35
N. Clark	35 Cambridge street	2	Connecting range	15
M. Loiterstein	15 Colliston road	22	Connecting range	30
N. Clark	50 Francis street	10	Connecting range	40
N. Clark	15 Gallivan Boulevard	17	Connecting range	50
M. Loiterstein	10 Jamaicaway	10	Connecting range	35
B. Capone	174 Marion street	1	Connecting range	40
C. Bevelander	113 Murdock street	22	Connecting range	50
A. Onessima	178 North street	3	Connecting range	25
A. Granara	374 North street	3	Connecting range	10
N. Clark	75 Oakland street	21	Connecting range	15
J. Egan	5 Pine street	3	Connecting range	50
P. Murtha	387 Talbot avenue	17	Connecting range	15
N. Clark	29 Tilesboro street	17	Connecting range	50
J. McGee	11 Bainbridge street	11	Connecting range	40
R. McDonough	513 Baker street	20	Connecting range	35
D. Weinstein	187 Blue Hill avenue	12	Connecting range	85
E. Dorr	391 Bowdoin street	15	Connecting range	25
J. Wilson	22 Bunker Hill street	2	Connecting heater	35
E. Sawyer	1989 Centre street	20	Connecting range	35
E. Secntore	6 Chelsea street	1	Connecting range	35
A. DiLorenzo	703 East Broadway	6	Connecting range	15
R. Simon	935 East Fourth street	6	Connecting range	35
J. Wilson	16 Elm street	2	Connecting range	35
A. Milligan	19 Firth road	19	Connecting range	50
G. Trethewey	78 Glendower road	19	Connecting range	215
D. Greenwood	22 Greenough avenue	19	Connecting range	150
A. DiLorenzo	223 Harrison avenue	3	Connecting heater	80
L. Rubin	11 Mallard avenue	14	Connecting Heater	35
A. Stahly	37 Mayfield street	13	Connecting range	95
A. Kellem	176 North Beacon street	21	Connecting heater	30
R. Simon	56 O street	6	Connecting range	35
E. Secatore	80 Orleans street	1	Connecting range	15
L. Rubin	85 Radcliffe street	14	Connecting heater	35
B. Weiner	54 Reed street	8	Connecting heater	25
S. Franco	50 Saxton street	13	Connecting heater	60
T. Joyce	1 Shattuck street	10	Connecting range	200
A. Stably	108 Templeton street	16	Connecting range	50
R. Murphy	175 Tremont street	3	Connecting range	45
G. Tretbewey	4362 Washington street	18	Connecting range	185
F. Avery	36 Allen street	3	Connecting range	20
F. Avery	22 Asticou road	11	Connecting range	120
M. Sample	22 Barrington road	16	Connecting range	35
L. Luxton	38 Boston street	7	Connecting range	35
William Connell	105 Bowdoin street	15	Connecting range	175
G. Vallati	117 Bowdoin street	15	Connecting range	10
F. Avery	91 Bragdon street	11	Connecting range	25
F. Carlson	403 Columbus avenue	4	Connecting heater	50
I. Himelfarb	1356 Commonwealth avenue	21	Connecting range	25
N. Rubin	1416 Commonwealth ave	21	Connecting range	25
S. Connolly	317 Dudley street	8	Connecting range	50
William Connell	15 Fenelon street	14	Connecting range	50
B. Shiolman	68 Groveland street	16	Connecting range	35
William Hogan	17 Harbor View street	13	Connecting range	100
N. Clark	35 Homestead street	12	Connecting range	400
F. Avery	19 Keane road	20	Connecting range	200
L. Luxton	13 Longfellow street	15	Connecting range	35
T. Matthews	13 Merlin street	17	Connecting range	10
S. Connolly	64 Monroe street	12	Connecting range	75
D. Palmariello	301 North street	3	Connecting range	55
William Wiseman	46 Park street	20	Connecting range	30
William Wiseman	227 Park street	20	Connecting range	10
J. Palumbo	810 Parker street	19	Connecting range	15
J. Green	270 Parsons street	21	Connecting range	20
T. Matthews	9 Ridgewood street	15	Connecting range	35
T. Matthews	212 Savin Hill avenue	13	Connecting range	35
C. Hutchinson	296½ Shawmut avenue	3	Connecting range	195
A. Milligan	735 South street	20	Connecting range	35
J. Palumbo	59 Stanley street	15	Connecting range	50
J. Freedman	9 and 11 Story street	7	Connecting range	70
S. Connolly	10 Thwing street	11	Connecting range	50
S. Connolly	37 Walnut avenue	11	Connecting range	15
T. Matthews	262 Washington street	21	Connecting range	35
T. Matthews	359 Washington street	17	Connecting range	35
T. Matthews	31 Wheatland avenue	16	Connecting range	35
William Hogan	30 Worthington street	10	Connecting range	100

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees:

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

For the week ending March 8:

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Esther Bandlow, 5 Reddy avenue, Hyde Park, 4 days; Louise Blanchard, 31 Eaton street, East Milton, Dolores Buckley, 549 Park street, Dorchester, 2 days; Gertrude Clark, 13 Rosa street, Hyde Park, 1 day; Martha Costello, 17 Henshaw street, Brighton, ½ day; Adele Daly, 30 Aspinwall avenue, North Weymouth, 5 days; Norma Dean, 696 Massachusetts avenue, 6 days; Elizabeth Donlan, 21 Ferndale street, Dorchester, 2 days; Patricia Doucette, 352 Athens street, South Boston, 5 days; Jean Darraugh, 568 East Sixth street, South Boston, 7 days; Eleanor Duffley, Catherine Dorman, 64 Cliff avenue, Winthrop, 2 days; K. Ruth Frank, 3 Allston street, 1 day; Lucille Furega, 14 Kilsyth road, Medfield, 2 days; Dolores Flanagan, 4 Buick street, Watertown, 1 day; Wanda Geragosian, 10 Independence avenue, Lexington, Jeanne Gerety, 13 Autumn street, Everett, 7 days; Ethel Glennon, 57 Hollis avenue, Quincy, 2 days; Ethel Goff, 40 Rockwell street, Dorchester, 7 days; Mary B. Healy, 163 East Cottage street, Dorchester, 6 days; Matilda Hensel, 172 Beach street, Belmont, 2 days; Doris Holland, 24 Chestnut road, West Roxbury, Jean Keane, 1086 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, 1 day; Olga Krag, 5 Park Vale, Brookline, 3 days; Rita McCallum, 162 Bowdoin street, Dorchester, 1 day; Veronica McElligott, 34 Dickinson street, Somerville, 7 days; Catherine McGuinness, 14 Alsen road, Dorchester, Margaret Mackesey, 79 First street, Medford, 5 days; Anna Murphy, 115 Peterborough street, 2 days; Claire Murphy, 32 Worcester square, 2 days; Mary Murphy, 37 Hamden Circle, Wollaston, 4 days; Phyllis Nigro, 271 Dartmouth street, 5 days; Mary Paylor, 67 Mystic avenue, Medford, 4 days; Angelina Peyton, 16 Dane street, Jamaica Plain, 2 days; Mary Pursley, 38 Van Brunt street, Hyde Park, 7 days; Helen Rodriguez, 97 Spring street, West Roxbury, 1 day; Anna Romsey, 146 Massachusetts avenue, 3 days; Eleanor Shalott, 43 East Springfield street, 2 days; Mabel Smith, 87 Bartlett road, Winthrop, 1 day; Verna Snow, 75 Damon avenue, Melrose, 2 days; Bernice Stanley, 22 Sandra road, East Walpole, 1 day; Margaret M. Sullivan, 28 Weymouth street, Holbrook, Isabel Sutton, 121 Boston street, Dorchester, 7 days; Frances Simonin, 29 Sagamore street, Dorchester, 1 day; Doris Stoddard, 2 days; Josephine Trippe, 80 Orleans street, East Boston, 7 days; Josephine Tyman, 39 Burnham street, Somerville, 1 day, Theresa Wagner, 7 days; Ila Ward, 79 Warren street, Roxbury, 4 days; Kathryn Welch, 49 East Springfield street, 7 days; Helen Nauss, 46 West Newton street, Priscilla Beckwith, 686 Massachusetts avenue, Mary Mahan, 29 Kempton street, Anne McInnis, 853 East Third street, South Boston, Mae Owens, 259 Chestnut avenue, Jamaica Plain, Angelina Smith, 3 Walford Drive, Canton, 1 day.

The following weekly nurses have been appointed:

Permanent.—Alice McMinn, 69 Mt. Ida road, Dorchester, Catherine Weaver, 78 Green street, Needham, floor nurses, $1.70 an hour; Ruth Nagle, 201 Sherman road, Chestnut Hill, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour.

Temporary.—Mary Lee, 456 Medford street, Somerville, Gwendolyn Tweedale, 11 East Newton street, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour.

The following provisional employees have been appointed:

Francis E. Harrington, 5 Belvoir road, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; Francis O'Brien, 8 Linden street, Dorchester, ambulance medical aid, $53 a week; Sheila Torre, 55 Green street, Charlestown, clerk-typist, $43 a week.

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—Helen K. Connors, 83 Glen road, Jamaica Plain, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour; Avery Fish, 3 Dana place, Roxbury, hospital kitchen worker, $50.50 a week; Mary E. Hallissey, 92 Cornell street, clerk-typist, $48 a week; Sedazo Hamano, 22 Chestnut street, Charlestown, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; Delia E. Lancaster, 7 Saxton street, Dorchester, hospital house worker, $50.50 a week; Benjamin Lindquist, 7 Champney place, Roxbury, hospital house worker, $43 a week; Teresa Sullivan, 10 Hatch street, floor nurse, $60.50 a week.

Temporary.—Ramon Batungbacal, Boston City Hospital, senior assistant resident, $162 a month; John Condon, 27 Westminster street, Hyde Park, hospital house worker, $43 a week; Mary Curry, 38 Ardale street, Roslindale, junior X-ray technician, $45.50 a week; Mary E. Edwards, 428 Adams street, Dorchester, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour; William M. Finneran, 15 Topliff street, Dorchester, William Groezinger, 98 Mercer street, South Boston, hospital house workers, $43 a week; John J. Honen, 32 Adams street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; Mary P. Madden, 23 Sparhawk street, Brighton, floor nurse, $1.70 an hour; Alphonse A. Martin, 73 Farragut road, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; Ellen McAdams, 23 Dorr street, Roxbury, hospital laundry worker, $43 a week; Irene R. McLaughlin, 15 Lucas street, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; Anna M. Morley, 10 Jamaica Way, Jamaica Plain, clerk-typist, $43 a week; Edith O'Sullivan, 576 East Eighth street, South Boston, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour; Elizabeth M. Sprague, 277 Centre street, Jamaica Plain, Joseph Taurinskas, 15 Trimount place, Dorchester, hospital house workers, $43 a week; Charles Thomas, 232 Broadway, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; Alfred J. Washington, 114 Dartmouth street, ambulance medical aid, $53 a week; Charles Wilson, 180 Fairmount street, Dorchester, senior X-ray technician, $58 a week.

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For the week ending March 15:

The following weekly nurses have been appointed:

Permanent.—Janet (Gatturna) Collins, 2 Brandon avenue, Dorchester, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour; Elizabeth Donlan, 21 Ferndale street, Dorchester, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Mary Lee, 456 Medford street, Somerville, floor nurse,

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING MARCH 22.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
J. Parsons	72 Alexander street	13	Fire escape, dwelling	$250
Commercial Wharf	81 Atlantic avenue	3	Alterations, stores	150
Commercial Wharf	83 Atlantic avenue	3	Alterations, stores, manufacturing, office, storage	250
Topside Outfitters	608 Atlantic avenue	3	Sign, store, manufacturing	100
Dreyfus Properties	483 Beacon street	5	Alterations, dwelling	900
R. F. and F. W. Taylor	14 Boylston street	3	Sign, store, office	350
Old Colony Trust Company	55 Bromfield street	3	Sign, stores	850
W. J. Marusa	54 Bushnell street	16	Fire escape, dwelling	300
Salvation Army	55 Cambridge street	3	Alterations, dwelling	50
Stephen Cook	61 Central avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	200
Joseph Cavagnaro	343 Chelsea street	1	Sign, bakery, store	650
A. Hanley	25 Child street	11	Alterations, dwelling	900
Edward C. Erlandson	32 Clare avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	468
Trustee, Hawes Fund	12 Clifton place	9	Fire escape, dwelling	75
Trustee, Hawes Fund	13 Clifton place	9	Fire escape, dwelling	75
Trustee, Hawes Fund	14 Clifton place	9	Fire escape, dwelling	75
Trustee, Hawes Fund	16 Clifton place	9	Fire escape, dwelling	80
Trustee, Hawes Fund	17 Clifton place	9	Fire escape, dwelling	80
Trustee, Hawes Fund	18 Clifton place	9	Fire escape, dwelling	80
Trustee, Hawes Fund	19 Clifton place	9	Fire escape, dwelling	80
Trustee, Hawes Fund	21 Clifton place	9	Fire escape, dwelling	100
Trustee, Hawes Fund	22 Clifton place	9	Fire escape, dwelling	100
Trustee, Hawes Fund	23 Clifton place	9	Fire escape, dwelling	100
Daniel Crowley	3 Dayton street	17	Alterations, dwelling	100
Trustee, Hawes Fund	11 Derby place	9	Fire escape, store, dwelling	150
H. V. Lindsey	496–498 East Eighth street	7	Alterations, dwelling	300
Forest Hills Cemetery	319 Morton street	19	Alterations, bell tower	1,200
Bridget Nee	3 Gardner place	6	Take-down, dwelling	200
Gerald Larkin	81 Hamilton street	15	Alterations, dwelling	550
Noah Rubin	65 Lucerne street	14	Alterations, dwelling	600
Curtis Estate	305–309 Main street	2	Alterations, store, dwelling	1,200
Amato Antonellis	359 Market street	22	Alterations, dwelling	500
Dominic Giannini	15 Montrose street	12	Alterations, dwelling	125
Irene Baldini	163 Orlando street	18	Alterations, dwelling	300
George Varitimos	53 Prince street	19	Alterations, garage	190
Thomas Murphy	43 Sedgwick street	19	Alterations, nursing home	200
Minneapolis Honeywell	1230 Soldiers Field Road	22	Excavation	1,000
Michael O'Neill	168 West Broadway	6	Take-down, dwelling	200
John Furlong	65 Woodford street	13	Alterations, dwelling	1,490
Emile LeBlanc	883 Adams street	16	Take-down, barn	100
Green Shoe Manufacturing Company.	853 Albany street	8	Take-down, bakery	12,000
New England Telephone & Telegraph Company.	41 Belvidere street	4	Alterations, telephone exchange	800
Thomas Kennedy	65–67 Chelmsford street	16	Alterations, dwelling	600
William Torper	72 Cummins Highway	19	Alterations, dwelling	200
Andrew Carey	2 Dunford street	11	Alterations, dwelling	200
First National Stores	713 East Broadway	6	Alterations, store	250
Sam White	36 Elm Hill avenue	12	Alterations, dwelling	1,400
Sam White	36 Elm Hill avenue	12	Alterations, dwelling	400
Charles Rubinovitz	15 Estella street	14	Alterations, dwelling	30
Filomeno Mario	146 Meridian street	1	Sign, store	75
Evelyn Reagan	39 Montclair avenue	20	Alterations, dwelling	375
John Kane	187 Neponset avenue	16	Fire repair, dwelling	900
Willy Motor Inc	223 North Beacon street	22	Alterations, showroom storage	400
Peter Walsh	191 Orient avenue	1	Alterations, dwelling	250
Anna Connor	62 Penfield street	20	Alterations, dwelling	455
Domenic Mazzeo	19 Trenilett street	17	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
David Sears Real Estate Trust.	630 Washington tsreet	3	Alterations, stores	800
Stephen Shapiro	740 Washington street	3	Sign, store	900
Green Shoe Manufacturing Company.	873 Albany street	8	Alterations, garage	900
Edward Greer	298 Ashmont street	16	Alterations, dwelling	1,500
Sheridan Building Company	470 Atlantic avenue	3	Alterations, store, office	1,000
Salvis Service Station	136 Blue Hill avenue	13	Alterations, gas station	200
Veril Pungeas	889 Cummins Highway	18	Alterations, dwelling	400
Arthur and Russell Pitnof	1377 and 1379 Dorchester avenue.	15	Take-down store	500
Sam Sotile	256 Everett street	1	Alterations, dwelling	300
Lena Stoue	35 Harvard street	17	Alterations, dwelling	100
Lena Stoue	35A Harvard street	17	Alterations, dwelling	100
Ruby Johnson	34 Holborn street	12	Alterations, dwelling	100
Leo Glennon	49 Kimball street	14	Alterations, dwelling	600
Anne Smith	46 Magnolia street	13	Alterations, home for aged	90
Charles Cifani	320 Maverick street	1	Alterations, gas station	295
Lane's Furniture	1–11 Townsend place	5	Alterations, storage	975
Bettano Lorino	2–4 Teragram street	1	Excavation	100
Stephen Shapiro Inc	740 Washington street	3	Alterations, store, fire repair	1,900
Edward Peak	35 Ansonia road	20	Alterations, dwelling	700
Annette Francke	44 Arklow street	10	Take-down, dwelling	740
Annette Francke	48 Arklow street	10	Take-down, dwelling	800
Ace Stores, Inc	737 Boylston street	5	Sign, store, office	500
M. Ehrlick	32 Bunker Hill street	2	Fire escape, dwelling	100
A. O'Leary	822 Centre street	19	Alterations, dwelling	950
Prescott Ciecila	4 Circuit street	12	Alterations, dwelling	75
T. P. Hall	592–598 Columbia road	7	Alterations, store, office	500
New England Trust Company.	23–25 Commercial street	3	Alterations, storage, office	400
Boulevard Cafe	1230 Commonwealth avenue	21	Alterations, store, dwelling	250
Congress Street Association	50 Congress street	3	Alterations, offices	800
Roman Catholic Archbishop Boston.	2221 Dorchester avenue	17	Take-down, dwelling	1,000
M. Ehrlick	29 Ferrin street	2	Fire escape, dwelling	100
Samuel Kaplan	157 Glenway street	14	Alterations, dwelling	200
Price & Charlton	120 Harrison avenue	3	Alterations, manufacturing	900
B. C. Arey	9 Larchmont street	17	Alterations, dwelling	313
Veto Marinzio	64 Louis Prang street	4	Alterations, dwelling	400
A. Goglia	383 Maverick street	1	Alterations, dwelling	850
John Donohue	358 Meridian street	1	Alterations, dwelling	940

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING MARCH 22.—Concluded.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Frank Susi	28 Morris street	1	Alterations, dwelling	$200
Jeremiah Mahoney	86 Moss Hill road	19	Alterations, dwelling	150
David Hanlon	7 Mystic street	2	Fire escape, dwelling	50
Margaret Quigley	9 Mystic street	2	Fire escape, dwelling	50
New England Telephone & Telegraph Company.	50 Oliver street	3	Alterations, telephone exchange.	800
Paul Watson	19 Palmer street	8	Alterations, store	500
Liberty Mutual Insurance Company.	378 Stuart street	5	Alterations, office, storage	1,000
James Soo Hoo	38 Tremont street	22	Alterations, dwelling	980
Alfred Gilbert	606 Walk Hill street	14	Alterations, dwelling, garage.	100
Aperton Caterers	575 Warren street	12	Alterations, storage, incinerator	500
Estate, Mary Carlos	4 Westminster avenue	11	Alterations, dwelling	316

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM PLUMBING FOR THE WEEK ENDING MARCH 22.

Plumber.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
A. Russo	26 Austin street	18	Fixtures	$100
W. Oscnton	286 Beacon street	5	Fixtures	240
S. Landau	14 Charlesgate West	5	Fixtures	200
A. Russo	30 Chipman street	17	Fixtures	250
S. Whitcomb	160 Commonwealth avenue	5	Fixtures	300
E. Yorks	10 Earnshaw street	20	Fixtures	300
A. Russo	11 Franklin street	18	Fixtures	150
W. Fafara	115 Gordon avenue	18	Fixtures	700
J. Fleming	990 La Grange street	20	Fixtures	250
A. Russo	30 Lochdale road	18	Fixtures	150
G. Surabian	167 Massachusetts avenue	4	Fixtures	150
A. Russo	597 Metropolitan avenue	18	Fixtures	150
A. Russo	103 Milton avenue	18	Fixtures	150
S. Lucido	4 Mulvey street	18	Fixtures	65
K. Boden	145 River street	18	Fixtures	1,100
A. Russo	14 Rosa street	18	Fixtures	150
A. Russo	28 Rosa street	18	Fixtures	150
L. Ciriello	44 St. Edward road	1	Fixtures	540
I. Carlin	2–18 Tremont street	3	Fixtures	185
S. Whitcomb	398 Washington street	3	Fixtures	240
S. Whitcomb	398 Washington street	3	Fixtures	1,000
M. Rieeman	851 Albany street	8	Fixtures	25
C. Bevelander	202 Bay State road	5	Fixtures	35
J. Rooney	1344 Hyde Park avenue	18	Fixtures	1,200
G. W. Vogel	230 Marlborough street	5	Fixtures	200
C. Bevelander	101 Parsons street	21	Fixtures	150
J. Sullivan	31 Templeton street	16	Fixtures	375
A. Bird	14 Verdun street	16	Fixtures	200
J. O'Neil	112 Whitcomb avenue	19	Fixtures	1,000
A. Nickinello	980 William T. Morrissey Boulevard.	16	Fixtures	1,275
R. McDonough	543 Baker street	20	Fixtures	160
D. Weinstein	487 Blue Hill avenue	12	Fixtures	250
E. Dorr	394 Bowdoin street	15	Fixtures	175
W. Cooper	201 Boylston street	11	Fixtures	360
W. Cooper	203 Boylston street	11	Fixtures	350
A. Nickinello	1325 Boylston street	5	Fixtures	1,200
J. Palumbo	6 Centre place	9	Fixtures	490
E. Sawyer	1989 Centre street	20	Fixtures	350
W. Emery	156 Dudley street	8	Fixtures	150
F. Ingraham	111 Franklin street	3	Fixtures	1,100
D. Greenwood	22 Greenough avenue	19	Fixtures	150
E. Dorr	902 Hyde Park avenue	18	Fixtures	400
A. Stahly	37 Mayfield street	13	Fixtures	35
A. Kaunfer	88 Orange street	20	Fixtures	650
J. Cotter	1 Shattuck street	10	Fixtures	6,000
J. Glenson	44 South street	3	Fixtures	100
G. Crawford	52–56 Summer street	3	Fixtures	17,850
A. Stahly	108 Templeton street	16	Fixtures	70
S. Lucido	252 Warren street	12	Fixtures	65
G. Trethewey	4362 Washington street	18	Fixtures	185
G. Trethewey	18 Glendower road	18	Fixtures	215
D. Yorks	13 Arborview road	19	Fixtures	300
A. Milligan	129 Eastwood Circuit	20	Fixtures	1,000
J. Runesh	11 Hillsdale street	16	Fixtures	430
A. Milligan	49 Laurie avenue	20	Fixtures	1,000
A. Milligan	53 Laurie avenue	20	Fixtures	1,000
J. McTomney	197 Maple street	20	Fixtures	970
W. Wiseman	46 Park street	20	Fixtures	700
A. Milligan	94 Russett road	20	Fixtures	1,000
S. Staresa	201 Salem street	3	Fixtures	125
B. Claney	65 Stuart street	3	Fixtures	350

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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$1.70 an hour; Mary (Lawton) O'Malley, 243 Norfolk street, Dorchester, floor nurse, $1.65 an hour; Mary Sadler, 10 Carney court, Charlestown, floor nurse, $65.50 a week; Jane Stoelzel, 202 Columbia road, Dorchester, floor nurse, $63 a week.

Temporary.—Olga Krag, 5 Park Vale, Brookline, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Margaret Malone, 50 Gloyd street, Winthrop, Harriet Martucci, 35 Leyden street, East Boston, Veronica McElligott, 34 Dickinson street, Somerville, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following appointments:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Purchasing Division.

Marie V. Keohane, 56 Landseer street, West Roxbury, clerk and stenographer, $43 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

John J. Kane, 28 Sudan street, Dorchester, junior building custodian, $53 a week.

John M. Thornton, 8 Alleghany street, Roxbury, junior building custodian, $53 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Dr. Eli Etscovitz, 236 Independence Drive, Chestnut Hill, junior visiting physician, $3,064 a year.

Long Island Division.

Albert F. Perris, 252 Newbury street, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

Frederick E. Steele, Jr., 31 Braeburn road, Hyde Park, hospital laundry worker, $43 a week.

Paul J. Powers, 31 Savin Hill avenue, Dorchester, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

Edward J. Keane, 19A Union avenue, Jamaica Plain, hospital laundry worker, $43 a week.

Joseph E. Murphy, 27 Pleasant street, Dorchester, cemetery laborer, $58 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Anne S. Gerber, 64 Parkman street, Brookline, supervisor in-service training, $90.50 a week.

Anna L. Harding, 77 Minot street, Dorchester, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Mildred M. Ross, 21 Pleasant street, Dorchester, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Temporary Home.

Amelia G. Fountaine, 3 Bayside street, Dorchester, matron, $40.50 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following appointments or reinstatements:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Printing Section.

Frances E. Ennis, 33 Taft avenue, Lexington, proofreader, $96.25 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Sanatorium Division.

Dr. Ernest Waingarten, 249 River street, Mattapan, resident physician, $65.50 a week.

Elizabeth Jones, 11 Juliette street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Edith E. Longa, 61 Allen street, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Mary Riordan, 17 Cazenove street, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Frances Irving, 38 Cunard street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Pearl H. Meininger, 34 Montpelier road, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Martha Handren, 3 Chilcott place, Jamaica Plain, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Mildred Handy, 16 Rockland street, Roxbury, medical social worker, $73 a week.

Joseph Belange, 77 Byron street, East Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Thomas Berry, 104 Spencer street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Patrick J. Bowman, 267 Roxbury street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Frederick V. Gould, 98 West Canton street, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Joseph H. Marks, 701 East Sixth street, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Charles W. Munroe, Jr., 73 Regent street, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Peter P. Woods, 92 West Dedham street, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Wilfred J. Mailhot, 33 Cedar street, Mattapan, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Highway Division.

Edgar W. Bidwell, 2010 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, encroachment investigator, $60.50 a week.

Michael F. Curley, 24 Greenville street, Roxbury, junior engineering aid, $50.50 a week.

Water Division.

Robert M. Fitzgerald, 5 O'Connell road, Dorchester, clerk and typist, $50.50 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following changes in status:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Mary J. Hynes, 306 Bunker Hill street, Charlestown, from senior clerk and stenographer (temporary) at $55.50 a week to senior clerk and stenographer (permanent) at $55.50 a week.

Printing Section.

Walter A. Stokes, 55 St. Andrew road, East Boston, from cylinder pressfeeder at $84 a week to cylinder pressman apprentice at $87.94 a week.

Thomas P. Faulkner, 905 Saratoga street, East Boston, from cylinder pressman at $93.86 a week to working foreman cylinder pressroom at $107.75 a week.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Cornelius F. Finnegan, 11 Edna road, Dorchester, from captain at $102.68 a week to captain-drillmaster at $110.34 a week.

Edmund J. Sheehan, 558 Ashmont street, Dorchester, from captain-drillmaster at $115.33 a week to district chief at $127.59 a week.

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TAX ABATEMENT DECISIONS RENDERED BY THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS FOR THE WEEK ENDING FEBRUARY 24.

LEGEND.

* Appellate Tax Board Settlement. ¶ Illegal assessment. || Chapter 59-5.
† Appellate Tax Board Decision. § Duplicate assessment. = Chapter 58-8.
‡ Overvaluation Settlement by Board of Assessors. x Chapter 231.

Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Donnelly, James H.	7 Ranelegh rd.	22—1950	$491.40	$81.90	*
Harvard Club of Boston.	378 Commonwealth av.	5—1951	5,024.00	1,884.00	*
Boston Consolidated Gas Co.	144 McBride st.	11—1951	43,960.00	4,710.00	*
Boston Consolidated Gas Co.	69 Cambridge st.	22—1951	26,690.00	7,222.00	*
Donnelly, James H.	7 Ranelegh rd.	22—1951	490.00	81.64	*
Bacigalupo, Andrea, et al.	21 Cooper st.	2—1952	420.84	100.20	*
Titus, Ella B., et al.	143 Main st.	2—1952	581.16	200.40	*
Egdall, Henry G.	281 Franklin st.	3—1952	1,670.00	334.00	*
Piazza, Lawrence	11 North Market st.	3—1952	1,670.00	133.60	*
Harvard Club of Boston	378 Commonwealth av.	5—1952	5,344.00	2,004 00	*
Johnson, Adolph F.	105 Myrtle st.	5—1952	868.40	100.20	*
Boston Consolidated Gas Co.	144 McBride st.	11—1952	46,760.00	5,010.00	*
Goldman, Sanford	Vacant lot, Brookley rd.	11—1952	93.52	26.72	*
Levin, Pauline	135 Highland st.	11—1952	233.80	66.80	*
Levin, William	111 Cedar st.	11—1952	287.24	66.80	*
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Hecht, Abraham M., Trustee	164–166 Washington st.	14—1952	1,469.60	267.20	*
Hecht, Abraham M., Trustee	182 Washington st.	14—1952	734.80	66.80	*
Kripke, Aaron, Trustee	35 Ellington st.	13—1952	634.60	66.80	*
Kripke, Aaron, Trustee	38 McLellan st.	14—1952	1,670.00	100.20	*
Kripke, Aaron	184 Washington st.	14—1952	668.00	33.40	*
Rosenberg, Berta V.	2 Glenarm st.	14—1952	734.80	66.80	*
Rosenberg, Berta V.	4 Glenarm st.	14—1952	734.80	66.80	*
New England Theatres	209–217 rear Adams st.	15—1952	11,523.00	2,839.00	*
Granite Gallivan Realty	11 Granite av.	16—1952	300.60	66.80	*
New England Theatres	631 Washington st.	17—1952	13,360.00	2,004.00	*
Diamond, Samuel, et al.	Vacant lot, Hyde Park av.	18—1952	247.16	46.76	*
Small Realty Trust	509 Park Drive.	21—1952	5,010.00	534.40	*
Boston Consolidated Gas Co.	69 Cambridge st.	22—1952	28,390.00	7,682.00	*
Donnelly, James H.	7 Ranelegh rd.	22—1952	521.04	86.84	*
Cline, Sadye F.	31 Wm. J. Kelly sq.	1—1953	7,070.00	2,121.00	*
Rabb, Sidney R., et al, Trustees	945–949 Saratoga st.	1—1953	2,863.35	1,060.50	*
Rabb, Sidney R.	Saratoga st., SW.	1—1953	5,514.60	707.00	*
Levin, Pauline	390 Main st.	2—1953	190.89	70.70	*
Main Street Package Store	143–145 Main st.	2—1953	615.09	212.10	*
Atlantic Refining Co.	94–104 Cambridge st.	3—1954	1,414.00	247.45	*
Atlantic Refining Co.	171–183 Washington st.	3—1953	1,626.10	120.19	*
Egdall, Henry C.	281–283 Franklin st.	3—1953	1,767.50	353.50	*
Glassman, Joseph, Trustee	51–57 Scollay sq.	3—1953	2,615.90	777.70	*
Piazza, Lawrence P.	11 North Market st.	3—1953	1,767.50	141.40	*
Sawyer, Mildred F.	41 India st.	3—1953	4,595.50	1,908.90	*
York Realty, Inc.	37–45 Province st.	3—1953	3,535.00	707.00	*
Kaufman, A. H., et al.	319 Huntington av.	4—1953	5,443.90	282.80	*
Harvard Club of Boston.	378 Commonwealth av.	5—1953	5,656.00	2,121.00	*
Johnson, Adolph F.	105 Myrtle st.	5—1953	919.10	106.05	*
Atlantic Refining Co.	35 West Dedham st.	9—1953	1,272.60	212.10	*
Christie, Peter J., et al.	450–454 Parker st.	10—1953	1,131.20	141.40	*
Boston Consolidated Gas Co.	144 McBride st.	11—1953	49,984.90	5,797.40	*
Goldman, Sanford	Vacant lot, Brookley rd.	11—1953	98.98	28.28	*
Levin, Pauline	135 Highland st.	11—1953	247.45	70.70	*
Levin, William	111 Cedar st.	11—1953	304.01	70.70	*
Levin, William	113 Cedar st.	11—1953	304.01	70.70	*
Levin, Pauline	80 Clifford st.	12—1953	424.20	70.70	*
Levin, Pauline	22 Savin st.	12—1953	282.80	70.70	*
Levin, Pauline	24 Savin st.	12—1953	296.94	70.70	*
Hecht, Abraham M., Trustee	164 Washington st.	14—1953	1,555.40	282.70	*
Hecht, Abraham M., Trustee	182 Washington st.	14—1953	777.70	70.70	*
Kover, Charlotte	45 Kingsdale st.	14—1953	636.30	70.70	*
Kripke, Aaron, Trustee	35 Ellington st.	14—1953	671.65	70.70	*
Kripke, Aaron, Trustee	38–40 McLellan st.	14—1953	1,767.50	106.05	*
Kripke, Aaron	184–186 Washington st.	14—1953	707.00	35.35	*
Robins, Myer D., et al.	20 Morse st.	14—1953	565.60	70.70	*
Rosenberg, Berta V.	2 Glenarm st.	14—1953	777.70	70.70	*
Rosenberg, Berta V.	4 Glenarm st.	14—1953	777.70	70.70	*
New England Theatres	Rear 209–217 Adams st.	15—1953	12,195.75	5,125.75	*
New England Theatres	631–639 Washington st.	17—1953	14,140.00	2,121.00	*
Atlantic Refining Co.	12 Central av.	18—1953	1,060.50	98.98	*
Tech Realty Corp.	Lot A, Hyde Park av., NW	18—1953	261.59	49.49	*
Atlantic Refining Co.	757–759 Centre st.	19—1953	1,767.50	282.80	*
Atlantic Refining Co.	1921 Centre st.	20—1953	1,640.24	70.70	*
Rabb, Sidney R., et al., Trustees	4165 Washington st.	20—1953	7,070.00	707.00	*
Rabb, Sidney R., et al.	23 Washington st.	21—1953	2,474.50	530.25	*
Donnelly, James H.	7 Ranelegh rd.	22—1953	551.46	91.91	*
New England Service Corp.	265 Cambridge st.	22—1953	3,393.60	707.00	*
Boston Consolidated Gas Co.	69 Cambridge st.	22—1953	30,047.50	8,130.50	*
Bilt-Well Construction Co.	282 Border st.	1—1954	1,047.00	174.50	‡
Cline, Sadye F.	31 Wm. J. Kelly sq.	1—1954	6,980.00	1,396.00	‡
Rossano, Daniel A.	401 Border st.	1—1954	1,256.40	349.00	‡
Socony-Vacuum Oil Co.	448 Chelsea st.	1—1954	132,620.00	13,122.40	‡
Levin, Pauline	390 Main st.	2—1954	188.46	69.80	‡
Main Street Package Store	143 Main st.	2—1954	607.26	209.40	‡
O'Dowd, Margaret M.	14 Austin st.	2—1954	349.00	69.80	‡
O'Dowd, Margaret M.	16 Austin st.	2—1954	349.00	69.80	‡
O'Dowd, Margaret M.	34 Bartlett st.	2—1954	268.66	69.80	‡
Bacigalupo, Andrea, et al.	21 Cooper st.	3—1954	439.74	104.70	‡
Friedman, Henry, Trustee	120–128 Lincoln st.	3—1954	4,886.00	1,047.00	‡
Glassman, Joseph, Trustee	14 Hanover st.	3—1954	2,582.60	767.80	‡
Glassman, Joseph, Trustee	51 Scollay sq.	3—1954	2,582.60	767.80	‡
Colon, George M., et al.	332 Washington st.	3—1954	12,913.00	3,235.00	‡
Lesser, Henry, Trustee	185 Chambers st.	3—1954	593.30	209.40	‡
Lesser, Henry	18 Spring st.	3—1954	558.40	209.40	‡
Lesser, Henry	34–36A Spring st.	3—1954	607.26	188.46	‡
Lesser, Henry	38–44 Spring st.	3—1954	1,298.28	349.00	‡
Pilgrim Theatres Corp.	646 Washington st.	3—1954	6,980.00	1,745.00	‡
Pilgrim Theatres Corp.	658 Washington st.	3—1954	41,880.00	13,960.00	‡
Plymouth Management Co.	5–15 Boylston st.	3—1954	22,685.00	6,980.00	‡
Shapiro, A., Inc.	158 Tremont st.	3—1954	20,940.00	7,678.00	‡
Socony-Vacuum Oil Co.	265 Cambridge st.	3—1954	1,758.96	223.36	‡
State Street Trust Co., et al.	44–46 Winter st.	3—1954	20,940.00	3,141.00	‡

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* Appellate Tax Board Settlement. ¶ Illegal assessment. || Chapter 59-5.
† Appellate Tax Board Decision. § Duplicate assessment. = Chapter 58-8.
‡ Overvaluation Settlement by Board of Assessors. x Chapter 231.

Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Shriner Company, The	443 Albany st	3—1954	$12,215.00	$3,490 00	‡
Socony-Vacuum Oil Co	V.L., Cambridge st., NW.	3—1954	291 30	244.30	‡
York Realty, Inc	37-45 Province st	3—1954	3,490 00	698.00	‡
Berman, Doris	294 Columbus av	4—1954	558 40	404 70	‡
Berman, Doris	296 Columbus av	4—1954	628.20	104.70	‡
Christie, Peter J., et al	125 Smith st	4—1954	1,116.80	139 60	‡
Finn, Robert E	V.L., Harwich st	4—1954	69 80	13.96	‡
Old Colony Properties	8-10 Clearway st	4—1954	1,396 00	349 00	‡
Socony-Vacuum Oil Co	541 Huntington av	4—1954	4,745 00	349.00	‡
Texas Company, The	525 Huntington av	4—1954	6,323.88	1,396 00	‡
Abundo, James	28 Emerald st	5—1954	279.20	41.88	‡
Abundo, James	30 Emerald st	5—1954	279.20	41.88	‡
Bloomberg, Kate	80-84 Boylston st	5—1954	155,305.00	37,343.00	‡
Cook, Eva	145 Charles st	5—1954	4,745.00	349.00	‡
Dart Realty Trust	311 Commonwealth av	5—1954	9,423.00	698.00	‡
Gelotte Realty Co	284 Boylston st	5—1954	6,980.00	1,396.00	‡
Foster, Edith	443 Boylston st	5—1954	9,074.00	1,396.00	‡
Green, Maurice S	82 Commonwealth av	5—1954	1,605.40	209.40	‡
Homer, Jean	224 Clarendon st	5—1954	5,584.00	1,884.60	‡
Homer, Jean	161 Newbury st	5—1954	2,094.00	558 40	‡
Kurker, Jabran K., et al	49-55 Berkeley st	5—1954	1,982.32	516.52	‡
Silk, Samuel M	468 Commonwealth av	5—1954	1,884.60	139.60	‡
Socony-Vacuum Oil Co	1301 Boylston st	5—1954	2,149.84	209.40	‡
Texas Company, The	Commonwealth av., Ws	5—1954	1,396.00	139.60	‡
Texas Company, The	Vac lot, Commonwealth av	5—1954	2,184.74	544.44	‡
Walsh, Elizabeth M	Vac lot, Commonwealth av	5—1954	1,060.96	397.86	‡
Walsh, Elizabeth M	Vac lot, Commonwealth av	5—1954	1,060.96	397.86	‡
Walsh, Elizabeth M	597 Commonwealth av	5—1954	1,256.40	383.90	‡
Walsh, Elizabeth M	601 Commonwealth av	5—1954	1,200.56	453.70	‡
Columbia Pontiac Co	613-623 Columbia rd	7—1954	6,282.00	1,745.00	‡
Socony-Vacuum Oil Co	1284 Massachusetts av	7—1954	3,141.00	698.00	‡
Tide Water Assoc. Oil Co	66 Locust st	7—1954	4,201.96	362.96	‡
Cohen, Sidney L	81 Wareham st	8—1954	7,678.00	2,443.00	‡
Sachs, Israel	541-549 Shawmut av	9—1954	3,141.00	349.00	‡
Saunders, Bessie	3-3A Rutland st	9—1954	439.74	90.74	‡
Saunders, Bessie	5-5½ Rutland st	9—1954	349.00	48.86	‡
Saunders, Bessie	7-7½ Rutland st	9—1954	349.00	48.86	‡
Saunders, Bessie	22 Wellington st	9—1954	321.08	41.88	‡
Saunders, Bessie	24 Wellington st	9—1954	328.06	48.86	‡
Saunders, Irving	143-151 Lenox st	9—1954	1,416.94	230.34	‡
Socony-Vacuum Oil Co	933-945 Columbus av	9—1954	1,326.20	139.60	‡
Young, Ethel	1579 Washington st	9—1954	474.64	34.90	‡
Young, Ethel	1587 Washington st	9—1954	767.80	34.90	‡
Brickley, Thomas, et al	42 Wyman st	10—1954	523.50	69.80	‡
Devlin, Louis	77 Terrace st	10—1954	7,280.14	4,886.00	‡
Fred Miller Chevrolet	814 Huntington av	10—1954	5,723.60	1,396.00	‡
Texas Company, The	662 Huntington av	10—1954	2,017.22	272.22	‡
Bird, Olla M	33 Tower st	11—1954	383.90	83.76	‡
Boston Consolidated Gas Co	144 McBride st., NW cor	11—1954	49,837.20	6,212.20	‡
Levin, William	111 Cedar st	11—1954	300.14	69.80	‡
Levin, Pauline	135 Highland st	11—1954	244.30	69.80	‡
Levin, William	113 Cedar st	11—1954	300.14	69.80	‡
Levin, William	125 Cedar st	11—1954	349.00	83.76	‡
Salvin, James S	11 Waldron rd	11—1954	907.40	139.60	‡
Salvin, James S	15 Waldron rd	11—1954	977.20	139.60	‡
Levin, Pauline	80 Clifford st	12—1954	418.80	69.80	‡
Levin, Pauline	22 Savin st	12—1954	279.20	69.80	‡
Levin, Pauline	24 Savin st	12—1954	293.16	69.80	‡
Driscoll, Jeremiah, et al	146 Sydney st	13—1954	767.80	139.60	‡
Murphy, Elizabeth T	1020 Dorchester av	13—1954	607.26	153.56	‡
Murphy, Elizabeth T	1024 Dorchester av	13—1954	314.10	111.68	‡
Pinkham, Alfred	42 Julian st	13—1954	488.60	34.90	‡
Spinney, Arthur A	Magnolia st	13—1954	83.76	13 96	‡
Spinney, Arthur A	98 Magnolia st	13—1954	488.60	34.90	‡
Blue Hills Realty Corp	1138 Blue Hill av	14—1954	7,712.90	4,081.90	‡
Gatlin, David	1028 Blue Hill av	14—1954	3,490.00	698.00	‡
Geddis, Andrew E	1458 Blue Hill av	14—1954	10,421.00	1,745.00	‡
Ginsberg, Jennie	24 Winston rd	14—1954	698.00	69.80	‡
Hecht, Abraham M., Trustee	164-166 Washington st	14—1954	1,535.60	279.20	‡
Hecht, Abraham M., Trustee	182 Washington st	14—1954	767.80	69.80	‡
Kalus, Ida	26 Glenarm st	14—1954	418 80	69.80	‡
Kripke, Aaron, Trustee	35 Ellington st	14—1954	663 10	69.80	‡
Kripke, Aaron, Trustee	38-40 McLellan st	14—1954	1,745.00	104 70	‡
Kripke, Aaron	181-186 Washington st	14—1954	698.00	34.90	‡
Lesser, Sarah D., Trustee	682 Blue Hill av	14—1954	684.04	90.74	‡
Lesser, Henry, Trustee	112-116 Erie st	14—1954	209.40	104.70	‡
Lesser, Henry, Trustee	118-122 Erie st	14—1954	209.40	104 70	‡
Lesser, Henry, Trustee	124-128 Erie st	14—1954	837.60	418.80	‡
Lesser, Henry, Trustee	45-47 Michigan av	14—1954	1,256 40	488.60	‡
Mauriello, Modesto, et al	Quincy st	14—1954	69 00	34 90	‡
Mauriello, Modesto	215-217 Quincy st	14—1954	335 04	55.81	‡
O'Donnell, Mary A	41 Standish st	14—1954	453.70	69.80	‡
Pilgrim Theatres Corp	616 Blue Hill av	14—1954	9,772.00	3,490.00	‡
Robins, Myer D., et al	20 Morse st	14—1954	565.60	69 80	‡
Rosenthal, Samuel, et al	22-24 Merrill st	14—1954	593.30	69 80	‡
Shulman, Sylvia C	676 Morton st	14—1954	4,327.60	1,047 00	‡
Shulman, Sylvia C	680-696 Morton st	14—1954	2,443 00	698.00	‡
Snookler, Sidney, et al	259 Normandy st	14—1954	802 70	104.70	‡
Soloway, Hyman, et al	92-94 Esmond st	14—1954	1,326.20	474.50	‡
Texas Company, The	975 Blue Hill av	14—1954	1,814.80	418 80	‡
Wish, Abraham	434 Blue Hill av	14—1954	2,474.50	349.00	‡
Wish, Abraham	442 Blue Hill av	14—1954	2,757.30	558 40	‡
Collins, John J., et al	15A Corwin st	15—1954	300 14	34.90	‡
Gavin, John J., et al	37 Mt. Ida rd	15—1954	383 90	55 94	‡
New England Theatres, Inc	209-217 Adams st	15—1954	12,040.50	5,060.50	‡
Texas Company, The	13 Bowdoin st	15—1954	1,745 00	349.00	‡
Crosby, Arthur S	18 St. Marks rd	16—1954	523.50	34 90	‡
Hub Realty Corp	4-6 Dracut st., NE cor	16—1954	2,094.00	279.20	‡
Texas Company, The	1607 Dorchester av	16—1954	1,326.20	279.20	‡
Barrett, Julia J	38 Stanton st	17—1954	1,047.00	404 70	‡

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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Angelo Corolla, 480 Commercial street, from lieutenant at $90.61 a week to captain at $102 68 a week.

George H. Paul, 152 Lasell street, West Roxbury, from lieutenant at $86.59 a week to captain at $98.66 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Marguerite F. Ego, 124 River street, Mattapan, from third assistant city registrar (temporary) at $94 a week to third assistant city registrar at $94 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Robert W. Connell, 10 Crescent avenue, Dorchester, from hospital kitchen worker at $50.50 a week to senior hospital kitchen worker at $53 a week.

Bernard Doherty, 189 Boylston street, Jamaica Plain, from hospital kitchen worker at $50.50 a week to senior hospital kitchen worker at $53 a week.

Francis B. Carter, 49 Bataan court, Roxbury, from hospital kitchen worker at $50.50 a week to senior hospital kitchen worker at $53 a week.

Jeremiah Lynch, 657 East Sixth street, South Boston, from hospital kitchen worker at $50.50 a week to senior hospital kitchen worker at $53 a week.

Vasco R. Monterio, 76 West Rutland square, from hospital kitchen worker at $50.50 a week to senior hospital kitchen worker at $53 a week.

John Hagerty, 23 Tichnor street, South Boston, from hospital kitchen worker at $50.50 a week to senior hospital kitchen worker at $53 a week.

William E. Lynskey, 5 Marshfield street, Roxbury, from hospital kitchen worker at $50.50 a week to senior hospital kitchen worker at $53 a week.

Fernand DeLuca, 55 Horadan Way, Roxbury, from hospital kitchen worker at $50.50 a week to senior hospital kitchen worker at $53 a week.

Francis Kelley, 104 Brook avenue, Dorchester, from hospital kitchen worker at $50.50 a week to senior hospital kitchen worker at $53 a week.

Timothy Galvin, 180 Dorchester street, South Boston, from hospital kitchen worker at $50.50 a week to senior hospital kitchen worker at $53 a week.

Arthur DeCoste, 7 Seneca street, from hospital kitchen worker at $50.50 a week to senior hospital kitchen worker at $53 a week.

Robert A. Gradozzi, 130 Webster street, East Boston, from hospital kitchen worker at $50.50 a week to senior hospital kitchen worker at $53 a week.

Francis Hart, 16 Raven street, Dorchester, from hospital kitchen worker at $50.50 a week to senior hospital kitchen worker at $53 a week.

Charles F. Johnson, 4 M Street place, South Boston, from hospital kitchen worker at $50.50 a week to senior hospital kitchen worker at $53 a week.

Richard Dooley, 37 Monsignor Reynolds Way, from hospital kitchen worker at $50.50 a week to senior hospital kitchen worker at $53 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Automotive Division.

James Glasheen, 151 Old street, Randolph, from garage attendant at $65.50 a week to garage foreman (temporary) at $76.50 a week.

Bridge Division.

Daniel G. Coughlin, 32 St. Alphonsus street, Roxbury, from laborer at $58 a week to carpenter at $60.50 a week.

Joseph P. Masotta, 18 King street, Roxbury, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week to carpenter at $63 a week.

Bridge-Tunnel Division.

Bernard Manning, 36 Symmes street, Roslindale, from tollman-guard at $73 a week to sergeant tollman-guard at $76.50 a week.

Joseph J. Mercer, 38 Claymoss road, Brighton, from tollman-guard at $73 a week to sergeant tollman-guard (permanent intermittent) at $76.50 a week.

Highway Division.

Arthur J. Kiley, 29 Falkland terrace, Brighton, from principal account clerk at $80 a week to permit supervisor (temporary) at $87 a week.

Sanitary Division.

Walter J. O'Leary, 23 Brook avenue, Dorchester, from blacksmith's helper at $50.50 a week to leather and canvas worker at $63 a week.

Survey Division.

Joyce E. Campbell, 67 Cabot street, Roxbury, from clerk and stenographer at $50.50 a week to senior clerk and stenographer (temporary) at $55.50 a week.

Albert J. Rodriquez, 30 Rose street, from senior engineering aid at $68 a week to junior civil engineer (temporary) at $73 a week.

Arthur J. Brickley, 52 Hallowell street, Mattapan, from junior civil engineer at $90.50 a week to assistant civil engineer (temporary) at $94 a week.

Water Division.

William J. Fallon, 5 Hurlcroft avenue, Dorchester, from senior clerk at $65.50 a week to clerk and water meter reader at $68 a week.

Irene Kassler, 34 Hartwell street, Roxbury, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior clerk and stenographer (temporary) at $55.50 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following promotions:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Printing Section.

Thomas Quinn, 257 Garfield avenue, Hyde Park, from monotype keyboard operator apprentice at $93.75 a week to monotype keyboard operator at $93.75 a week.

Charles McCarthy, Jr., 40 Fox street, Dorchester, from monotype keyboard operator apprentice at $93.75 a week to monotype keyboard operator at 93.75 a week.

John J. Walsh, 48 Boylston street, Jamaica Plain, from compositor apprentice at 93.75 a week to compositor at 93.75 a week.

Irving Shore, 76 Mora street, Dorchester, from compositor apprentice at 93.75 a week to compositor at 93.75 a week.

Ralph Eunson, 247 East Eighth street, South Boston, from compositor apprentice at 93.75 a week to compositor at 93.75 a week.

Roy Ralston, 84 Minden street, Roxbury, from compositor apprentice at $93.75 a week to compositor at $93.75 a week.

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‡ Overvaluation Settlement by Board of Assessors. x Chapter 231.

Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Barrett, William H	25 Kenwood st	17—1954	$558.40	$69.80	‡
Larkin, Frank J., et al	63 Clearwater Drive	17—1954	418.80	69.80	‡
Lyons, Rose M	2075 Dorchester av	17—1954	279.20	55.84	‡
New England Theatres, Inc	631 Washington st	17—1954	13,960.00	2,094.00	‡
Socony-Vacuum Oil Co	1556 Blue Hill av	18—1954	2,198.70	104.70	‡
Teeh Realty Corp	Lot A, Hyde Park av., NW	18—1954	258.26	48.86	‡
Texas Company, The	1372 Blue Hill av	18—1954	1,584.46	139.60	‡
Socony-Vacuum Oil Co	626 Centre st	19—1954	1,500.70	209.40	‡
Atwood, Eleanor, et al	78 Bellevue st	20—1954	837.60	314.10	‡
Socony Vacuum Oil Co	1704 Centre st	20—1954	1,326.20	209.40	‡
Socony-Vacuum Oil Co	1913 Centre st	20—1954	1,186.60	349.00	‡
Bondi, Joseph, et al	1 City View rd	21—1954	628.20	174.50	‡
Foster, Edith	1848 Commonwealth av	21—1954	12,564.00	1,186.60	‡
Gustin Realty Corp	963 Commonwealth av	21—1954	6,980.00	1,396.00	‡
Gustin Realty Corp	74–76 Cummington st	21—1954	3,490.00	1,186.60	‡
Gustin Realty Corp	80 Cummington st	21—1954	3,490.00	1,186.60	‡
London, Gertrude	66–70 Chiswick rd	21—1954	9,423.00	349.00	‡
Socony-Vacuum Oil Co	1955–1975 Beacon st	21—1954	6,282.00	698.00	‡
Socony-Vacuum Oil Co	460 Cambridge st	21—1954	6,421.60	1,256.40	‡
Boston Consolidated Gas Co	69 Cambridge st	22—1954	29,665.00	13,960.00	‡
Donnelly, James H., et al	7 Ranelegh rd	22—1954	544.44	90.74	‡
Murphy, James L. and Nora	6 Atkins st	22—1954	251.28	20.94	‡
PERSONAL PROPERTY.					
Lappin Brothers	5 Irving st	1—1954	$209.40	$188.46	‡
Boorstein, Morris	511 Main st	2—1954	104.70	62.82	‡
Cataldo, Louis, et al	401 Charles st	3—1954	34.90	34.90	¶
Chandler, Craig, et al	156 Blackstone st	3—1954	34.90	34.90	¶
Socony-Vacuum Oil Co	Throughout the City	5—1954	1,396.00	963.24	‡
Ron Virgin Co., Inc	Fargo Stores	6—1954	698.00	698.00	¶
Silverman, Milton, et al	579 Washington st	17—1954	349.00	139.60	‡

Frank Shields, 115 Neponset avenue, Dorchester, from monotype caster operator apprentice at $93.75 a week to monotype caster operator at $93.75 a week.

Raymond L. McGann, 84 Burt street, Dorchester, from cylinder pressfeeder apprentice at $84 a week to cylinder pressfeeder at $84 a week.

CITY PLANNING BOARD.

John J. Coughlin, Jr., 135 Minot street, Dorchester, from planning assistant (temporary) at $65.50 a week to planning assistant (permanent) at $68 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Sanatorium Division.

Bernice O'Hara, 30 Worcester square, from hospital house worker at $53 a week to senior hospital house worker at $55.50 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

John J. Butler, 389 Dudley street, Roxbury, from laundry and bath supervisor (permanent) at $87 a week to superintendent of baths (temporary) at $94 a week.

VETERANS' SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Marguerite V. Strout, 10 Mystic street, Charlestown, from veterans' services investigator at $80 a week to veterans' services supervisor (temporary) at $83.50 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following transfers:

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

James T. Dowd, 122 McGreevey Way, Roxbury, from Public Works Department (Sanitary Division) as motor equipment operator and laborer at $58 a week to Public Works Department (Automotive Division) as mobile guard (temporary) at $58 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Bernice Smith, 35 St. Rose street, Jamaica Plain, from Public Health Department (Lemuel Shattuck Hospital) as clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to Welfare Department as clerk and typist at $50.50 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following leave of absence:

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Mary M. Croke, 45 Milwood street, Dorchester, principal clerk and stenographer, $76.50 a week.

STEP-RATE INCREASES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved step-rate increases for employees of the following departments:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Purchasing Division.

Margaret T. Doyle, buyer (clothing), from $87.44 to $90.50 a week.

Helen E. Hurley, buyer (medical), from $87.44 to $90.50 a week.

Marion G. Keating, buyer (household), from $87.44 to $90.50 a week.

CITY PLANNING BOARD.

Robert G. Davidson, principal planner (temporary), from $108.25 to $113 a week.

Thomas E. McCormick, director of planning, from $129.58 to $139.16 a week.

Leon Pollard, senior planner (permanent), from $90.50 to $94 a week.

ELECTION DEPARTMENT.

Peter J. Lynch, head assistant registrar of voters, from $112.37 to $117.75 a week.

Joseph A. Saponaro, assistant registrar of voters, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Daniel L. Carney, first assistant city registrar, from $116.21 to $125.79 a week.

Alice M. Reardon, clerk-typist, from $13 to $45.50 a week.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Eleanor M. Merrigan, legal assistant, from $87.44 to $90.50 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Patrick Connor, gardener, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Cemetery Division.

James A. Walsh, deputy park commissioner, from $142.76 to $152.34 a week.

John J. Harvey, grave digger, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Automotive Division.

William J. Gleason, motor equipment repairman, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

John J. Mullen, laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

John J. Rauseo, motor equipment repairman, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Charles N. Schickle, motor equipment repairman, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Bridge Division.

Edmund A. Barrett, assistant civil engineer, from $104.70 to $108.25 a week.

Robert Bowes, senior civil engineer, from $120.05 to $127.25 a week.

Thomas Haggerty, principal civil engineer, from $129.63 to $136.75 a week.

Thomas Keenan, supervisor of bridges, from $110.45 to $117.75 a week.

Joseph Eaton, first assistant drawtender, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Patrick Coyne, assistant drawtender, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

James W. Wallace, assistant drawtender, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

John J. McCall, assistant division engineer, from $141.14 to $150.72 a week.

John J. McCall, division engineer (temporary), from $150.72 to $155.75 a week.

Highway Division.

George E. Bertini, principal civil engineer, from $131.55 to $136.75 a week.

Fred L. Garvin, principal civil engineer, from $131.55 to $136.75 a week.

Cornelius Collins, assistant civil engineer, from $104.70 to $108.25 a week.

Ralph DeSimone, assistant civil engineer, from $102.78 to $103.50 a week.

James Nickerson, assistant civil engineer, from $102.78 to $108.25 a week.

Arthur J. Kiley, permit supervisor, street openings (temporary), from $87 to $90.50 a week.

Patrick Dillon, highway construction inspector (permanent-intermittent), from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Joseph Lynch, senior engineering aid, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Bernard J. Higgins, laborer, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Peter D. Bylsma, Jr., motor equipment operator and laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Charles M. Martell, assistant division engineer (temporary), from $136.75 to $141.50 a week.

Sanitary Division.

Dennis M. Courtney, laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

John J. Crowley, laborer, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Frank J. Ducey, laborer, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Francis E. Glennon, superintendent of street cleaning, from $110.46 to $117.75 a week.

John J. Hussey, laborer, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

John J. Prendergast, motor equipment operator and laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Henry F. Reid, laborer, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

James J. Smith, street cleaning and waste collection inspector, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Peter J. Worley, laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Sewer Division.

John E. Brosnahan, assistant civil engineer, from $104.70 to $108.25 a week.

Joseph W. Buckley, head administrative clerk, from $116.21 to $117.75 a week.

George S. Coleman, principal civil engineer, from $129.63 to $136.75 a week.

James J. Devlin, chief sewer construction inspector, from $116.21 to $117.75 a week.

Francis J. Gately, principal civil engineer, from $129.63 to $136.75 a week.

Edmund L. Godvin, principal civil engineer, from $121.96 to $131.54 a week.

William F. Kelly, head clerk, from $93.19 to $98.75 a week.

John E. O'Brien, assistant civil engineer, from $102.78 to $108.25 a week.

Edward G. A. Powers, principal civil engineer, from $129.63 to $136.75 a week.

Albert D. Ritchie, photostat operator, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Salvatore Verrocchi, assistant civil engineer, from $102.78 to $108.25 a week.

Sumner Tunnel Division.

John J. Downing, electrician-operator, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Thomas Mealey, senior cashier, from $83.50 to $87 a week.

Daniel G. Coughlin, laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Malcolm McLellan, senior electrical engineer, from $113.08 to $117.75 a week.

Water Division.

John J. Boyle, heavy motor equipment operator and laborer, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

John Devlin, carpenter, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Timothy V. Driscoll, laborer, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

James F. Kelly, water service repairman, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Edward J. Pinkul, principal civil engineer, from $125.79 to $135.37 a week.

Philip K. Reddy, water district foreman, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Maurice E. Sullivan, water service inspector (permanent-intermittent), from $73 to $76.50 a week.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

Buildings Division.

Francis J. Foley, junior building custodian, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

William L. Dowling, principal accountant, from $112.37 to $117.75 a week.

John J. O'Connor, chief of tax title division, from $125.79 to $127.25 a week.

William J. Kelley, tax title teller, from $86.08 to $87 a week.

William D. Welsh, tax title teller, from $82.58 to $83.50 a week.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

COURT HOUSE.

Joseph E. Devine, steam foreman, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Margaret H. McCarey, cleaner, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

Mary Thornton, cleaner, from $13 to $45.50 a week.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Criminal Business.

Sarah M. Coughlin, cashier, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Civil Business.

Eileen F. Murphy, senior clerk, from $131.59 to $137.03 semimonthly.

MUNICIPAL COURT, DORCHESTER DISTRICT.

John P. Holland, clerk, from $302.66 to $323.49 a month.

Thomas F. Reilly, assistant clerk, from $260.99 to $281.82 a month.

Mary I. O'Brien, third assistant clerk, from $227.65 to $245.78 a month.

MUNICIPAL COURT, ROXBURY DISTRICT.

William Mahoney, from $131.59 to $137.03 semimonthly.

Paul Shannon, from $153.34 to $158.78 semimonthly.

DISTRICT COURT OF CHELSEA.

Frederick J. Gillis, clerk, from $98.96 to $101.40 a week.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following requests:

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

For the week ending March 1:

Head clerk and secretary Edith J. Pinkle, Fire Prevention Division, 7 hours at $2.23 an hour.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

For the week ending March 1:

Frank J. Daley, chief heating and ventilating inspector, $3 an hour; Michael J. McElhinney, heating and ventilating inspector, $3 an hour.

ELECTION DEPARTMENT.

For the week ending March 15:

William L. Barry, senior assistant registrar, 2 hours; Enrico Camerlengo, assistant registrar, 1 hour; William Cummings, principal assistant registrar, 20 hours; John A. Doyle, assistant registrar, 1 hour; Frederick Elliot, voting machine custodian, 12 hours; John A. Fein, assistant registrar, 1 hour; Zita E. Fleming, assistant registrar, 1 hour; A. Josephine Haid, senior assistant registrar, 1 hour; William U. Kane, assistant registrar, 13 hours; John L. Ledwick, assistant registrar, 1 hour; Peter J. Lynch, head assistant registrar, 2 hours; Robert MacRitchie, principal assistant registrar, 10 hours; Robert E. Marden, senior assistant registrar, 2½ hours; John J. McLaughlin, senior assistant registrar, 1 hour; Herbert E. Meyer, senior assistant registrar, 2 hours; Generoso Musto, assistant registrar, 11½ hours; George R. Nichols, senior assistant registrar, 2 hours; William H. O'Brien, voting machine custodian, 12½ hours; John J. Reilly, chief voting machine custodian, 11½ hours; Lawrence Sullivan, senior assistant registrar, 1 hour; William J. Walsh, assistant registrar, 5 hours;

Alexander White, assistant registrar, 5 hours; Leo H. Willett, assistant registrar, 1 hour.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

For the week ending March 8:

Thomas W. Gilson, electrician foreman, 4 hours, $12.

Sanatorium Division.

Approval has been given for the following-named employees who earn over $77 a week to be allowed an additional day's pay for working February 22:

Carl DeFazi, head pharmacist; Luke McCarthy, second engineer; Patrick Murtagh, chief engineer; Rachael Schoehl, dietitian; Joseph Sedar, chef; Katherine Burke, head nurse; Alice DeRoehn, night supervisor of nurses; Mary Flynn, Anne Gilson, Clara Greene, Sadie Linn, Mazie MacIntyre, Katherine Morris, Gertrude O'Connell, Johanne Reidy, head nurses; Mary Rogers, registered graduate nurse; Mary Spinale, night supervisor of nurses; Anna Sullivan, Cecelia Sullivan, Mary Tolan, head nurses.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Cemetery Division.

For the week ending February 22:

Edwin W. Banks, cemetery foreman, 30 hours at $2 an hour.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

For the week ending March 1:

J. B. Connolly, baker, cook, 1 day, $16; R. Flynn, hospital supervisor, 1 day, $16.70; J. Gallivan, electrician, 1 day, $15.30; W. Gannon, hospital supervisor, 1 day, $16.70; J. McGowan, assistant deputy, 1 day, $16; J. Parziale, officer cook, 1 day, $16; E. Shepard, deputy master, 1 day, $18.80; J. Sullivan, deputy master, 1 day, $16.70.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

For the week ending March 15:

John R. Slattery, 8 hours, $16.70.

VETERANS' RETIREMENTS.

The Mayor has approved the following veterans' applications for retirement:

John Cornelius O'Brien, 656 Huntington avenue, lieutenant, Ladder Company 26, Fire Department.

James F. White, 43 West Eagle street, East Boston, district chief, District 3, Fire Department.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award the contracts for work, materials, and supplies, in accordance with recommendations of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Purchasing Division.

Upon March 14 the Mayor approved a contract with bidders as indicated for furnishing tobacco to the various city departments, from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, inclusive. Approximate total amounts of awards were as follows:

Contract for R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company, $8,821.80, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Order for Larus & Brother Company, Inc., $533.40, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids, opened February 15, were as follows:

Tobacco.

Item 1. 900 Gross Tobacco, Cigarette, Humming Bird, or Equal, with Papers Attached to Package, Per Gross.—R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company, $4.92, less 2 per cent discount.*

Item 2. 150 Gross Tobacco, Cigarette, Our Advertiser, or Equal, with Papers Attached to Package, Per Gross.—R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company, $5.10, less 2 per cent discount.*

Item 3. 350 Gross Packages Cut Plug Tobacco, 1⅝ Ounces to Package, George Washington, or Equal, Per Package.—Larus & Brother Company, Inc., 6 cents, 2 ounces, Luxury 2 ounces, alternate, 6.84 cents, Union Jack, 1¾ ounces; R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company, 7.2 cents*, alternate, 6.12 cents, Old Rip tobacco, less 2 per cent.

Item 4. 840 Pounds Plug Tobacco, 30 Pounds to Case, Jumbo, or Equal, Per Pound.—Larus & Brother Company, Inc., 63.5 cents.*

Discount.—Larus & Brother Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Brand of Tobacco to Be Furnished.—Larus & Brother Company, Inc., Item 3, Luxury, 2 ounces (alternate, Union Jack, 1¾ ounces), Item 4, Jumbo, 5's; R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company, Item 1, Humming Bird, Item 2, Our Advertiser, Item 3, George Washington, alternate, Old Rip tobacco.

Remarks.—Larus & Brother Company, Inc., note at bottom of page says terms: net, 16 days, no discount, shipment can be made within 15 days after receipt of order on Luxury, and Union Jack and Jumbo can be shipped immediately upon receipt of order; R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company, all prices quoted are firm.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon March 14 the Mayor approved a contract with Alexander Santilli, doing business as Alloy Castings, for furnishing fire alarm box sections and light extensions to the Fire Alarm Shop of the Fire Department, from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956. Approximate total amount of contract was $6,600, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids, opened February 21, were as follows:

Fire Alarm Box Sections and Light Extensions.

Requisition No. 20.

Item 1. 100 Cast-Aluminum Portland-Providence Type Fire Alarm Box Sections with Bottom Door and Rear Door Machined and Assembled with Hinges and Locks Furnished by the Boston Fire Department, Each.—Alexander Santilli, doing business as Alloy Castings, $58*; Mechanics Iron Foundry Company, $94.

Item 2. 100 Cast-Aluminum Light Extensions for Fire Alarm Posts, Each.—Alexander Santilli, doing business as Alloy Castings, $8*; Mechanics Iron Foundry Company, $21.50.

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—Alexander Santilli, doing business as Alloy Castings, 30-day delivery; Mechanics Iron Foundry Company, as required.

Discount.—Alexander Santilli, doing business as Alloy Castings, 2 per cent, time of payment (firm prices); Mechanics Iron Foundry Company, net (firm price).

* Contract awarded.

Upon March 21 the Mayor approved a contract with lowest bidders by items for furnishing soap to the various city departments, from April 1, 1955, to June 30, 1955, inclusive.

Contract for: Swift & Co., $2,124.99, net; Beach Soap Company, $2,026.92, less 1 per cent discount for payment within 10 days, net, 30 days.

Order for: Philip M. Frost, doing business as New England Soap Company, $866.25, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids, opened March 9, were as follows:

Soap.

Item 1. 150 Barrels Soap Powder, 200-Pound Barrels, Per Pound.—Acme Soap Company, 6 cents, Money Value Brand, less than 15 per cent moisture against 30 to 35 per cent; Beach Soap Company, 4.64 cents,* 200-pound fibreboard drums; Armour & Co., 7.05 cents, No. 794; Swift & Co., 4.95 cents.

Item 2. 130 Cases Soap Powder, 15 to 18 Per Cent Soap, Packed 18 28-Ounce Packages to Case, Per Pound.—Swift & Co., 7.31 cents.*

Item 3. 65 Bags Soap Chips, 110-Pound New Cotton Bags, Per Pound.—Acme Soap Company, 9.25 cents; Beach Soap Company, 8.88 cents*; Armour & Co., 10 cents, No. 818; Swift & Co., 9.15 cents.

Item 4. 165 Cases Laundry Soap, 120 8-Ounce Cakes to Case, Per Pound.—Swift & Co., 7.65 cents.*

Item 5. 200 Cases White Floating Soap, Unwrapped, 200 3-Ounce Cakes to Case, Per Pound.—Swift & Co., 11.76 cents* (Coco oil exemption certificates to be furnished).

Item 6. 24 Cases White Floating Soap, Unwrapped, 1,000 ½-Ounce Cakes to Case, Per Pound.—Swift & Co., 24.84 cents,* (Coco oil exemption certificates to be furnished).

Item 7. 330 Gallons Antiseptic Liquid Soap, As Per Specifications, Per Gallon.—Armour & Co., $1.70, No. 543, antiseptic liquid soap, 55-gallon per nonreturnable barrel; Philip M. Frost, doing business as New England Soap Company, $1.35*; Swift & Co., $1.05, bidding alternate, Lexard liquid soap, 40 per cent soap, 2 per cent hexachlorophene of anhydrous soap content.

Item 8. 495 Gallons Liquid Hand Soap, As Per Specifications, Per Gallon.—Armour & Co., $1.15,* No. 545, liquid hand soap, 55-gallon per nonreturnable barrel; Philip M. Frost, doing business as New England Soap Company, 85 cents; Swift & Co., 88 cents.

Discount.—Acme Soap Company, 1 per cent, 15 days; Beach Soap Company, 1 per cent, 10 days, net, 30 days; Armour & Co., net; Philip M. Frost, doing business as New England Soap Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Swift & Co., net, no discount.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon March 21 the Mayor approved a contract with Boston Woven Hose and Rubber Company for furnishing fire hose to the Department of Civil Defense. Approximate total amount of contract for 1½-inch cotton, double-jacket hose, at 50.93 cents per foot, including couplings for each 50-foot length, will be $4,300. net, 30 days.

Bids, opened March 8, were as follows:

Fire Hose.

Approximately $4,300 Worth of 1½-Inch Cotton, Double-Jacket, Rubber-Lined Fire Hose, 50-Foot Lengths, To Conform with

Federal Specifications ZZ-H-451a; the Hose Is To Be Coupled with Brass Rocker Lug-Type Couplings, Having American National Standard Threads, Per Foot.—American Fire Equipment Company (Partnership), 6,350 feet at 67.71 cents; Boston Woven Hose and Rubber Company, 8,100 feet at 50.93 cents*; Eureka Fire Hose, Division of United States Rubber Company, 6,600 feet at 65.3 cents; Hewitt-Robins, Inc., 6,700 feet at 61 cents; Quaker Rubber Corporation, Division of H. K. Porter Company, Inc., of Pittsburgh, 6,200 feet at 68.9 cents.

Discount.—American Fire Equipment Company (Partnership), 2 per cent, time of payment; Boston Woven Hose and Rubber Company, net, 30 days, no cash discount; Eureka Fire Hose, Division of United States Rubber Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Hewitt-Robins, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Quaker Rubber Corporation, Division of H. K. Porter Company, Inc., of Pittsburgh, 2 per cent.

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—American Fire Equipment Company (Partnership), partial, 1 day, completed in 3 weeks; Boston Woven Hose and Rubber Company offer shipment in approximately three weeks from receipt of an order; Eureka Fire Hose, Division of United States Rubber Company, 40 days; Hewitt-Robins, Inc., about 2 weeks after receipt of order; Quaker Rubber Corporation, Division of H. K. Porter Company, Inc., of Pittsburgh, 2 to 4 weeks.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon March 21 the Mayor approved a contract with lowest bidders as indicated for furnishing disinfectants to the various city departments, from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, inclusive. Approximate total amounts of awards were as follows:

Contract for the Sulpho-Napthol Company, $1,540.

Orders for Alfred M. Heyman, doing business as Aer-O-Matic Chemical Company, $726, James Bliss & Co., Inc., $237.50.

Discount for all companies is 2 per cent, time of payment.

Bids, opened March 8, were as follows:

Disinfectants.

Item 1. 40 Drums Coal Tar Disinfectant, PH. CO 6, in Nonreturnable 55-Gallon Drums, Per Gallon.—James Bliss & Co., Inc., 72 cents; Alfred M. Heyman, doing business as Aer-O-Matic Chemical Company, 72 cents; Frederic D. Weinfeld, doing business as Edison Chemical Company, 73 cents; Thomas W. Reed Company, 85 cents; Sulpho-Napthol Company, 70 cents.*

Item 2. 50 Cans Coal Tar Disinfectant, PH. CO 6, 5-Gallon Cans, Per Gallon.—James Bliss & Co., Inc., 95 cents*; Alfred M. Heyman, doing business as Aer-O-Matic Chemical Company, $1.05; Frederic D. Weinfeld, doing business as Edison Chemical Company, $1.05; Thomas W. Reed Company, $1.10; Sulpho-Napthol Company, 96 cents.

Item 3. 10 Drums Pine Oil Disinfectant, PH. CO 4, in Nonreturnable 55-Gallon Drums, Per Gallon.—James Bliss & Co., Inc., $1.34; Alfred M. Heyman, doing business as Aer-O-Matic Chemical Company, $1.32*; Frederic D. Weinfeld, doing business as Edison Chemical Company, $1.40; Thomas W. Reed Company, $1.40; Sulpho-Napthol Company, $1.86.

Discount.—James Bliss & Co., Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Alfred M. Heyman, doing business as Aer-O-Matic Chemical Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Frederic D. Weinfeld, doing business as Edison Chemical Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Thomas W. Reed Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Sulpho-Napthol Company, 2 per cent, time of payment.

* Contract awarded.

Upon March 21 the Mayor approved a contract with Thomas F. Culkeen for furnishing hay, grain and straw to the various city departments, from April 1, 1955, to June 30, 1955, inclusive. Approximate total amount of contract was $14,839.79, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids opened March 3, were as follows:

Hay, Grain, and Straw.

Item 1. 30 Tons of Dairy Ration, 16 Per Cent (Flory, Yellow Tag or Wirthmore Record) Per Ton.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $81*; John J. White Company, $82.30.

Item 2. 50 Tons U. S. No. 1 Timothy Hay, Per Ton.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $39.40*; John J. White Company, $40.90.

Item 3. 10 Tons U. S. No. 2 Timothy Hay, Per Ton.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $38.40*; John J. White Company, $39.90.

Item 4. 50 Tons U. S. No. 1 Clover Mixed Hay, Approximately 40 Per Cent Clover, Per Ton.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $39.40*; John J. White Company, $40.90.

Item 5. 20 Tons U. S. No. 2 Clover Mixed Hay, Per Ton.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $38.40*; John J. White Company, $39.90.

Item 6. 80 Tons U. S. No. 1 Alfalfa Hay, Per Ton.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $56.60.*

Item 7. 10 Tons U. S. No. 2 Alfalfa Hay, Per Ton.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $55.60.*

Item 8. 3 Tons Oak Straw, Per Ton.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $28.50*; John J. White Company, $32.

Item 9. 6 Tons Crimped Oats, Per Ton.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $71.50*; John J. White Company, $78.90.

Item 10. 1,000 Pounds Whole Oats, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $3.55*; John J. White Company, $3.95.

Item 11. 800 Pounds Laying Pellets, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $1.40*; John J. White Company, $5.15.

Item 12. 2,000 Pounds Whole Corn, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $3.69*; John J. White Company, $3.90.

Item 13. 6,000 Pounds Sheep and Goat Ration, Wirthmore, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $5.25.*

Item 14. 2,600 Pounds Cracked Corn, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $3.69*; John J. White Company, $3.90.

Item 15. 2,600 Pounds Pigeon Feed, Phil. No. 2, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $7.15*; John J. White Company, $7.75.

Item 16. 500 Pounds Wheat, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $3.95*; John J. White Company, $4.50.

Item 17. 800 Pounds Sunflower Seed, Large Size, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $13.75*; John J. White Company, $13.75.

Item 18. 2,000 Pounds Bran, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $3.20*; John J. White Company, $3.50.

Item 19. 400 Pounds Mockingbird Food, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $29.*

Item 20. 3,000 Pounds Scratch Feed, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $4*; John J. White Company, $4.45.

Item 21. 1,000 Pounds Rabbit Pellets, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $5.10*; John J. White Company, $5.70.

Item 22. 1,800 Pounds Sheep Feed, Omolene, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $1.95*; John J. White Company, $1.95.

Item 23. 2,000 Pounds Rat Chow, Purina, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $9.10*; John J. White Company, $9.10.

Item 24. 100 Pounds Hemp Seed, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $17.25*; John J. White Company, $17.95.

Item 25. 400 Pounds Canary Seed, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $17*; John J. White Company, $17.35.

Item 26. 2,000 Pounds Hog Feed, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $3.75*; John J. White Company, $3.85.

Item 27. 100 Pounds Linseed Meal, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $4.85*; John J. White Company, $5.25.

Item 28. 1,000 Pounds Laying Mash, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $4.30*; John J. White Company, $4.95.

Item 29. 200 Pounds Millet (Extra Fine), Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $9*; John J. White Company, $9.15.

State Brand of Feeds Upon Which Bid Is Based.—Thomas F. Culkeen, Wirthmore, or equal; John J. White Company, Ralston Purina Company.

Discount.—Thomas F. Culkeen, 2 per cent, time of payment; John J. White Company, 2 per cent, time of payment.

* Contract awarded.

Fire Department.

Upon March 21 the Mayor approved a contract with Bay View Window Cleaning Company for cleaning windows in the Fire Department Headquarters Building, 115 Southampton street, Boston, for the period beginning April 1, 1955, and ending March 31, 1956. Bids, opened Monday, March 14, were as follows:

Bay View Window Cleaning Company, $1,300; State Window Cleaning Company, $1,710; Supreme Cleaning Company, $1,780.

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Upon March 21 the Mayor approved a contract with the Elk Laundry, Inc., for doing the laundry work of the Fire Department for the period commencing with April 1, 1955, and ending March 31, 1956:

Elk Laundry, Inc.—Sheets, 10 cents each; pillow slips, 5 cents each; towels, 4 cents each; spreads, 15 cents each; blankets, 10 cents each.

Based on the estimated quantity of work for the foregoing period, the approximate total of the foregoing bid is as follows:

Elk Laundry, Inc., $8,740.

The estimated work to be done for the Fire Department is as follows:

Sheets, 4,000 per month; pillow slips, 4,000 per month; towels, 2,000 per month; spreads, 100 per month; blankets, 1,000 annually.

School Committee.

The School Committee has approved proposals for furnishing groundwood-sulfite paper in packages and blocks for Boston public schools. Bids, opened Thursday, February 3, were received from the following concerns:

Gledhill Brothers, Inc., J. L. Hammett Company, Hinkson Paper Company, Maineo Trading Company, Universal Pad and Tablet Corporation.

Awards were made to the lowest responsible bidders, as follows:

Mainco Trading Company, $3,950; J. L. Hammett Company, $5,287.50.

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The School Committee has approved proposals for furnishing fuel oil for Boston public schools. Bids, opened Thursday, February 10, were received from the following concerns:

New England Petroleum Corporation, Banta Coal and Oil Company, Inc., Boston Ice Company, Burton Furber Coal Company, Consolidated Fuels, Inc., Metropolitan Coal Company, Pennsylvania Oil Company, Petroleum Heat and Power Company, Union Oil Company of Boston, White Fuel Corporation.

Awards were made to the lowest responsible bidders, as follows:

Banta Coal and Oil Company, Inc., $16,431.20.

White Fuel Corporation, $71,148.

New England Petroleum Corporation, $129,480.

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The School Committee has approved proposals for furnishing supplies and equipment for physical education in Boston public schools. Bids, opened Friday, February 11, were received from the following concerns:

Milton Bradley Company, James W. Brine Company, W. H. Brine Company, Collegiate House, Inc., Dudley Sports Company, Max Goodman & Son, J. L. Hammett Company, Huber Sports Equipment, Inc., Lull & Hartford, Inc., Mayfair Studio, Horace Partridge Athletic Goods Company, Division of Wilson Sporting Goods Company, Universal Sports Corporation, "Bucky" Warren, Inc., William Westland & Co.

Awards were made to the lowest responsible bidders, as follows:

"Bucky" Warren, Inc., $5,680.06.

J. L. Hammett Company, $14,371.50.

Huber Sports Equipment, Inc., $1,026.54.

Horace Partridge Athletic Goods Company, Division of Wilson Sporting Goods Company, $1,601.92.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

Department of School Buildings.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with H. A. Smith for hurricane emergency roofing work at the Gaston School, from February 28, 1955, to March 31, 1955. This extension was requested because of inclement weather conditions.

Public Works Department.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with John F. Shea Company, Inc., dated October 21, 1954, for roofing work and bricking up windows at the Calf Pasture Pumping Station and roofing work at Moon Island, from February 28, 1955, to May 31, 1955. This extension was requested because the unsettled weather of the present season has made contractor delay the process of ripping off the roofing and the underplanking as required by the contract.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Matthew J. Hughes, 84 Condor street, East Boston, approved January 27, 1955, for repairing, towing, and mooring the Northern Avenue Bridge boat landing, from March 21, 1955, to April 16, 1955. This extension was requested because the contractor has been delayed by adverse weather conditions.

ADDITIONS TO CONTRACTS.

Department of School Buildings.

Martin T. Casby has been ordered to make the following addition to the contract for the George Robert White Fund Schoolboy Stadium:

Provide and install new approved metal, 16-ounce copper gravel roof stops, at all exposed edges of roofs at two new ticket offices at southeast entrance to stadium for the sum of $78, and the amount of $78 will be added therefor, making the account as follows: contract price, $2,700; total additions, $78; amount of contract, $2,778.

Fire Department.

Approval has been given for the following addition to the contract of J. D'Amico, Inc., dated December 21, 1954, for installation of conduit underground in Topliff street, Dorchester:

Addition No. 1.

Furnish labor and material for excavation to determine termination point of steel underground conduit of New England Telephone & Telegraph Company, $86.94; original contract, $3,232; total contract with addition, $3,318.94.

In connection with the installation of underground conduit on Topliff street, Dorchester, the contract specifications call for the construction of a manhole in Topliff street, at Bowdoin street, at the point of termination of a steel underground conduit of the New England Telephone & Telegraph Company. The location of this manhole was shown approximately on the plans for the underground work. In accordance with information taken from prints of the Telephone Company, J. D'Amico, Inc., excavated for the manhole at the location shown on the plans. It was found that the termination of the steel duct was not at the location as shown, apparently due to construction work at this location some years ago which changes had not been recorded on the plans. It was necessary to secure the assistance of the Telephone Company with proper instruments to determine the exact location of the end of the steel conduit so that the manhole could be constructed in the proper location. It was necessary for the contractor to hold up work, while keeping his men and equipment at the location, due to the incorrect information as to the terminating point of the steel conduit.

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Improvement Commission for the following construction work:

One thousand seven hundred and thirty-two linear feet of 10-inch pipe surface drain, 744 linear feet of 12-inch pipe surface drain, 175 linear feet of 15-inch pipe surface drain, and 20 catch basins in Terminal street, from Medford street northeasterly and easterly, 3,100 feet, in the Charlestown district, at an estimated cost of $50,000.

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One catch basin and connection in Westville terrace, at Westville street, in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of $500.

OMIT WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

Public Works Department.

The Park Construction Company, Inc., has been directed to omit the following work under the contract, dated January 5, 1955, for construction of office building and garage at Arborway and Forest Hills street, Ward 11:

Omit the installing of foundation drain, as outlined in paragraph 6, section 3, of the contract.

Estimated cost of omitted work, $80.

LAND-TAKING IN DORCHESTER.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that due notice be given that this commission is of the opinion that public necessity requires the taking of a parcel of land supposed to belong to the Keystone Manufacturing Company, Dorchester district, for Public Works Department purposes, bounded and described as follows:

Northerly by other land of the Keystone Manufacturing Company; easterly by land supposed to belong to Michael J. Verrochi *et al.*, trustees; and southerly and westerly by the Neponset river; substantially as shown on a plan on file in the office of this commission, that it intends to pass an order to make said taking, and that it appoints 10 o'clock A.M., of Wednesday, January 26, 1955, and the office of this commission, 401 City Hall Annex, as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said commission on said day.

Attest:

Michael J. Corrao,
Secretary.

In Public Improvement Commission,
City of Boston, February 25, 1955.

Whereas, The Public Improvement Commission has passed the aforesaid order of notice and has caused a copy of said order to be published on January 22, 1955, in the *City Record,* and on January 14, 15, 17, 18, 1955, in the Boston *Globe* and the Boston *American,* and has given the public hearing, notice of which was given in said order; and

Whereas, The Public Works Department of the City of Boston, with the approval of the Mayor, has selected, designated, and requested the Public Improvement Commission of said city to take for said city for Public Works Department purposes the land hereinafter described, in that part of Boston formerly Dorchester; it is

Voted, That the Public Improvement Commission of said City of Boston, acting under the provisions of chapter 486 of the Acts of the Legislature of 1909 and chapter 79 of the General Laws, and all other authority thereto enabling, hereby takes in fee for said city, for Public Works Department purposes, the following described parcels of land, including the trees, buildings and other structures standing upon or affixed thereto:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Keystone Manufacturing Company, bounded:

Northeasterly by land supposed to belong to Michael J. Verrochi *et al.*, trustees, 1,168.04 feet, more or less; southerly and southwesterly by the Neponset river, 1,100 feet, more or less; northwesterly by the southeasterly line of state highway laid out in Boston on

October 5, 1954, 277 feet, more or less; southwesterly by the northeasterly line of said state highway, 50 feet; northwesterly by other land supposed to belong to Keystone Manufacturing Company, 434.70 feet; containing 458,600 square feet, more or less; and it is further

Voted, That the Public Improvement Commission of said City of Boston, acting under the provisions of chapter 486 of the Acts of the Legislature of 1909 and chapter 79 of the General Laws and all other authority thereto enabling, hereby takes by way of easement for said city for Public Works Department purposes the right of travel, and use for such other purposes as ways are commonly used in said city, over the following parcels of land reserving nevertheless to the owner all rights not inconsistent therewith:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Michael J. Verrochi *et al.*, trustees, registered in the Land Court, registered title certificate No. 55987, book 275, page 187, bounded:

Southwesterly by land hereinbefore described as taken from Keystone Manufacturing Company, 19.85 feet; northwesterly by other land supposed to belong to Michael J. Verrochi *et al.*, trustees, 98.81 feet; northeasterly by land hereinafter described as taken from Michael J. Verrochi *et al.*, trustees, 19.03 feet; and southeasterly by other land supposed to belong to Michael J. Verrochi *et al.*, trustees, 101.04 feet; containing 1,799 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Michael J. Verrochi *et al.*, trustees, bounded:

Southwesterly by land hereinbefore described as taken from said Michael J. Verrochi *et al.*, trustees, 19.03 feet; northwesterly by other land supposed to belong to said Michael J. Verrochi *et al.*, trustees, and by other land hereinafter described as taken from Keystone Manufacturing Company, by two measurements, 71.69 feet and 34.52 feet; southeasterly by other land supposed to belong to Michael J. Verrochi *et al.*, trustees, 107.31 feet; containing 1,611 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Keystone Manufacturing Company, bounded:

Southeasterly by land hereinbefore described as taken from Michael J. Verrochi *et al.*, trustees, and other land supposed to belong to said Michael J. Verrochi *et al.*, trustees, by two measurements, 86.06 feet and 119.80 feet; northeasterly by other land supposed to belong to Michael J. Verrochi *et al.*, trustees, 18 feet; northwesterly by other land supposed to belong to Michael J. Verrochi *et al.*, trustees, 25.47 feet; northeasterly and northerly by land supposed to belong to Michael J. Verrochi *et al.*, trustees, by three measurements, 157.23 feet, 176.25 feet on a curve of 198.14 feet radius, and 87.99 feet; northwesterly and westerly by land hereinafter described as taken from Keystone Manufacturing Company, by two measurements, 24.16 feet and 3.85 feet; southerly and southwesterly by other land supposed to belong to Keystone Manufacturing Company, by three measurements, 108.21 feet, 160.24 feet on a curve of 180.14 feet radius, and 156.75 feet; northwesterly by other land supposed to belong to Keystone Manufacturing Company, by three measurements, 71.59 feet, 51.96 feet, and 34.52 feet; containing 11,092 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Keystone Manufacturing Company, registered in the Land Court, registered title certificate No. 10097, book 196, page 97, bounded:

Southeasterly and easterly by land hereinbefore described as taken from Keystone Manufacturing Company, by two measurements, 24.16 feet and 3.85 feet; southerly and southwesterly by other land supposed to belong to Keystone Manufacturing Company, by two measurements, 9.44 feet and 106.43 feet on a curve of 136.17 feet radius; westerly by land hereinafter described as taken from Keystone Manufacturing Company, 20.86 feet; northeasterly and northerly by other land supposed to belong to Michael J. Verrochi *et al.*, trustees, by two measurements, 102.12 feet on a curve of 118.17 feet radius, and 29.66 feet; containing 2,169 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Keystone Manufacturing Company, bounded:

Easterly by land hereinbefore described as taken from Keystone Manufacturing Company, 20.86 feet; southwesterly by other land supposed to belong to Keystone Manufacturing Company, by two measurements, 14.76 feet on a curve of 136.17 feet radius, and 4.12 feet; northwesterly by land supposed to belong to the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad (Milton Branch), 7.57 feet; northeasterly by land supposed to belong to the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad (Milton Branch), 4.26 feet; northwesterly by land supposed to belong to the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad (Milton Branch), 11.50 feet; and northeasterly by land supposed to belong to Michael J. Verrochi *et al.*, trustees, 3 feet; containing 190 square feet, more or less.

Said parcels are shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Hallet Street, Dorchester, February 23, 1955, James W. Haley, Chief Engineer, Survey Division, Public Works Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Voted, That this commission determines that the undermentioned persons sustain damages in their estates by the taking in fee of land for Public Works Department purposes, and the taking of an easement for Public Works Department purposes of land in the vicinity of Hallet street, Dorchester district, under the order of the commission of February 25, 1955, in the amounts hereinafter respectively set against them, and awards said amounts therefor.

Keystone Manufacturing Company, 158,600 square feet, 11,092 square feet, 2,169 square feet, 190 square feet, $8,500.

Michael J. Verrochi, Rose N. Cooper, and Joseph N. Verrochi, trustees, 1,799 square feet, 1,611 square feet, $100.

SEWERAGE WORKS IN CUTTER ROAD, WEST ROXBURY.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that sewerage works be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings, or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings, or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within thirty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly West Roxbury and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Cutter road, bounded:

Northeasterly by the southwesterly line of Dow road, 92.67 feet; southerly by the southerly line of Cutter road, by three measurements, 19.38 feet on a curve of 15 feet radius, 217.90 feet, and 23.12 feet on a curve of 15 feet radius; westerly by the easterly line of Baker street, 54.86 feet; and northerly by the northerly line of Cutter road, by two measurements, 192.53 feet and 55.46 feet on a curve of 30 feet radius; containing 9,960 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Dow road, bounded:

Southwesterly by the southwesterly line of Dow road, 92.67 feet; northwesterly by another part of Dow road, 14 feet; northeasterly by the southwesterly line of the City of Boston sewer easement, dated December 12, 1912, 92.67 feet; and southeasterly by another part of Dow road, 14 feet; containing 1,297 square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: approximately 180 linear feet of 8-inch pipe sanitary sewer and 10-inch surface drain at an estimated cost of $2,500.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the abutting parcels of land situated on both sides of Cutter road will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement herein ordered; each of said parcels in the amount hereinafter respectively set against it; said parcels and the supposed owners thereof being shown on the plan hereinbefore referred to and on file in the office of this commission.

Parcel.		Amount.
1.	Charles E., Robert J., and Anne E. Hamilton	$216
2.	Halper Homes, Inc.	216
3.	Halper Homes, Inc.	216
4.	Halper Homes, Inc.	216
5.	Halper Homes, Inc.	216
	Total	$1,080

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of an easement for sewerage purposes and the construction of sewerage works in Cutter road, West Roxbury district, under the order of the commission of March 10, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

Owners unknown (Cutter road), 9,960 square feet, nothing.

Owners unknown (Dow road), 1,297 square feet, nothing.

SEWERAGE WORKS IN WEST ROXBURY.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that the sewerage works hereinafter described be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings, or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings, or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within thirty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly West Roxbury and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Ackley place, bounded:

Easterly by another portion of Ackley place, 3.16 feet; southerly by another portion of said Ackley place, 3 feet; westerly by land hereinafter described as taken from Charles A. Herman *et al.* and Clifton Crowell, 2.90 feet; and northerly by another portion of Ackley place, 2.30 feet; containing 7 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Charles A. and Jessie I. Herman, bounded:

Easterly by land hereinbefore described as taken from owners unknown, 1 foot; southerly by land hereinafter described as taken from Clifton Crowell, 68 feet; westerly by land of the City of Boston, 1 foot; and northerly by other land supposed to belong to said Herman *et al.*, 67.82 feet; containing 68 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Clifton Crowell, bounded:

Easterly by land hereinbefore described as taken from owners unknown, 1.90 feet; southerly by other land supposed to belong to said Clifton Crowell, 68.48 feet; westerly by land of the City of Boston, 1.80 feet; and northerly by land hereinbefore described as taken from Charles A. Herman *et al.*, 68 feet; containing 123 square feet, more or less.

Sewerage works to be constructed in Ackley place, private land hereinbefore described as taken from owners unknown, Charles A. Herman *et al.*, and Clifton Crowell, and in land belonging to the City of Boston, are as follows: approximately 195 linear feet of 10-inch surface drain and 1 catch basin at an estimated cost of $1,600.

No betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of an easement for sewerage purposes and the construction of sewerage works in private land between Ackley place and City of Boston playground, West Roxbury district, under the order of the commission of March 10, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

Charles A. and Jessie I. Herman, 6,200 square feet, nothing.

Clifton Crowell, 5,760 square feet, nothing.

Owners unknown (Ackley place), 7 square feet, nothing.

GARBAGE AND REFUSE CONTRACTS APPROVED

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year ago and provides for a monthly payment of $5,300, and also provides for the contractor to furnish open-top trucks instead of the closed bodies to be provided under the new contract.

District 7B—Dudley.

I am recommending that a one-year contract be awarded to the low bidder, United Contracting Company, Inc., of Boston, at the bid price of $6,729 per month, submitted under Item 1B (enclosed steel bodies). The current contract, which expires on March 31, is held by M. DeMatteo Construction Company and provides for the same monthly payment.

District 7C—Mission Hill.

I am recommending that a one-year contract be awarded to the second low bidder, Marinucci Brothers & Co., Inc., at the bid price of $8,140 per month, submitted under Item 1B (enclosed steel bodies). Frank J. Cavaliere, the low bidder for this district, currently has the contract for the Hyde Park district and has been recommended for the award of the contract for the West Roxbury district. In general, no contractor should be awarded more than two refuse collection contracts. I am of the opinion, therefore, that it would not be advisable to award a third district to him and I am recommending the award to the second low bidder, Marinucci Brothers & Co., Inc. The latter experienced contractor has had extensive experience in refuse collection work and holds the current contract in this district, which expires on March 31, and which provides for a monthly payment of $8,200.

District 7D—Roxbury.

I am recommending that a one-year contract be awarded to the low bidder, United Contracting Company, Inc., of Boston, at the bid price of $9,980 per month, submitted under Item 1B (enclosed steel bodies). The current contract, which expires on March 31, is held by M. DeMatteo Company and provides for the same monthly payment.

District 9—South End.

I am recommending that a one-year contract be awarded to the low bidder, James A. Freaney, Inc., at the bid price of $7,710 per month, submitted under Item 1A (open-top trucks). The current contract, which expires March 31, was awarded to Frank J. Cavaliere and provides for a monthly payment of $7,900.

District 9A—Back Bay.

I am recommending that a one-year contract be awarded to the low bidder, Dooley Brothers, Inc., at the bid price of $3,690 per month, submitted under Item 1B (enclosed steel bodies). The current contract, which expires March 31, is held by the same contractor and provides for a monthly payment of $4,572.

District 9B—Stuart.

I am recommending that a one-year contract be awarded to the low bidder, James A. Freaney, Inc., at the bid price of $3,560 per month, submitted under Item 1B (enclosed steel bodies). The current contract, which expires on March 31, was awarded to the same contractor a year ago and provides for a monthly payment of $4,880 and also provides for the contractor to furnish open-top trucks instead of the closed bodies to be provided under the new contract.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS. (STATE SERVICE.)

Note: Applicants are advised to file applications early. In event of a tie on the eligible list, the applicant who filed his application first will be given precedence.

Principal Bookkeeper, Alcoholic Beverages Control Commission, April 23, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, April 4, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $3,540 a year; the maximum salary is $4,260 a year.

Vacancies: At present there is one vacancy for a female, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: To keep the books of the Alcoholic Beverages Control Commission (expense ledger, general ledger, budgetary control accounts, etc.); to receive and deposit all license fees collected by the Commission; to prepare the departmental payroll; and to perform related work as required.

Examples of Duties: Recording cash receipts and disbursements, advance cash receipts and payments, and refunds for overpayments; preparing financial statements.

An advanced knowledge of bookkeeping and of the state system of accounting is necessary, as well as a knowledge of section 21 of chapter 138 of the Massachusetts General Laws as amended (Liquor Control Act).

Entrance Requirements: Applicants must have at least five years of full-time paid experience in office work, including at least two years in bookkeeping or accounting work, preferably in a state agency.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

ARRESTS IN 1953.

The total number of arrests, counting each arrest as that of a separate person, was 93,294 for 1953, as against 84,288 for 1952. There were 17,764 arrests on warrants and 33,378 without warrants; 42,152 were summoned by the courts.

The number of males arrested was 83,703; of females, 9,588; of foreigners, 2,961; of delinquents, 3,029; of minors, 7,920; of nonresidents, 31,176.

The number of persons punished by fines was 34,604, and the assessment of fines imposed by the courts amounted to $163,282.57. The value of property stolen in the city amounted to $3,023,770.57 and the value recovered amounted to $2,312,608.23.

CITY OF BOSTON AND COUNTY OF SUFFOLK.

STATISTICAL FACTS FOR THE YEAR 1954

Date of incorporation	February 23, 1822
Date of adoption of City Charter (amended January 7, 1925)	1909
Form of Government	Mayor and City Council
Area (square miles)	47.81
Population — Federal Census (August 1, 1950)	801,444
Number of employees as of February 1, 1954	22,806
Boston Housing Authority:	
Federal Program (7,920 apartments housing 7,920 families)	
Number of apartments in veterans' permanent 1- and 2-family homes housing 1,306 families	
State-Aided Developments (containing 3,177 apartments housing 3,177 families)	
Building Department:	
Permits issued	17,515
Estimated cost	$35,771,706
Cemeteries: Number 19—Area (acres)	161.71
Election Department:	
Registered voters	383,864
Number of ballots cast last general election	169,493
Percentage of registered voters voting	41.15
Fire Department:	
Number of stations	51
Number of fireboats	2
Alarms responded to	15,150
Health Department: Health Units	10
Hospitals (Including Boston Sanatorium):	
City Hospital:	
Number of buildings	57
Bed capacity	2,460
Patients, daily average:	
Wards	1,798
Out-patient	891
Long Island Hospital:	
Number of buildings	27
Population	952
Library Department:	
Number of libraries	37
Number of employees (full time)	640
Number of volumes	2,011,358
Circulation	3,162,338
Markets, number of	2
Municipal buildings, number of	27
Park Department: Parks, number of acres	2,240.29
Area of playgrounds and play areas (acres)	807.12
Number of playgrounds and play areas	121
Number of municipal golf links	2
Number of municipal beaches	3
Public grounds and squares (acres)	57.41
Swimming pools (indoor) 2, (outdoor) 2	4
Number of recreation centers and indoor bathhouses	15
Police Department:	
Number of stations and headquarters	18
Arrests	93,294
Public Works Department:	
Bridges, number of	101
Miles of accepted streets and alleys	731
Sewers: Miles of sewers	1,302.75
Catch basins	23,972
Average number of gallons pumped daily at main pumping station	112,980,821
Sumner Traffic Tunnel: Length (feet)	5,654
Two-lane drive: Vehicles passing through — 1953	10,835,674
Water Service:	
Number of meters in service	95,653
Per capita daily average consumption (gallons)	139
Miles of mains: Ordinary	999,136
High pressure	18.72
Rapid Transit: Miles of subways and tunnels	16.81
Schools:	
Number of school buildings	224
Number of teachers	3,655
Average membership	94,774
Average daily attendance:	
Elementary and junior high schools	54,546
High schools	16,201
Kindergartens	8,151
Special schools	1,800

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

PUBLIC HEALTH NURSING SUPERVISOR, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH, APRIL 23, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, April 4, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $3,840 a year; the maximum salary is $4,920 a year.

Vacancies: At present there is one vacancy for a female, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: Under the direction of the District Health Officer, and with the technical guidance of the Chief Supervisor of Public Health Nursing, to give advisory service to local public health nurses and employing agencies and promote the development of desirable standards for public health nursing services within the district; and to perform related work as required.

Examples of Duties: Correlating and integrating public health nursing activities in the over-all program of the district; evaluating the needs for nursing service in local communities and planning a program to meet such needs; interpreting desirable health nursing standards of organization, administration, and nursing performance to employing agencies; assisting with the instruction of new public health nurses and giving advice concerning desirable public health nursing performance; assisting public health nurses in evaluating their programs and the effectiveness of their work and suggesting improvements; assisting in the coordination of local public health nursing services, in order to effect the most desirable service for the community; assisting with the planning of in-service educational programs for all public health nurses in the district; participating in the making of surveys and in the preparation of manuals, guides, and procedures for public health nurses.

The following are required: knowledge of the principles and practices of nursing supervision, basic sciences, and principles and practices of public health nursing; knowledge of community and state resources, state laws pertaining to public health, and trends and literature in the field of public health nursing; knowledge of the organization and functions of national nursing and health organizations.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants must have (*a*) at least two years of full-time paid experience as a nurse in a recognized public health nursing agency under qualified supervision and (*b*) two years of full-time paid experience as a public health nursing supervisor in a recognized public health nursing agency, which includes a bedside nursing program. *Substitution:* Satisfactory completion of at least one year of training in a recognized program of study in public health nursing which carried academic credit and which was supplemented by courses in supervision may be substituted for one year of the required experience.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Certification Requirement: Registration as a nurse under the Massachusetts Board of Registration in Nursing.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, March 14, 1955.

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 2 P.M., President HURLEY in the chair, and all the members present.

The Reverend Edward L. Gallagher, of St. Catherine's Roman Catholic Church, Charlestown, was escorted to the rostrum.

INVOCATION BY REV. EDWARD L. GALLAGHER.

In the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost. Amen.

Omnipotent God, all-just and all-merciful, from whom all authority proceeds, vouchsafe to this Council the wisdom Thou once granted to Solomon. Fill their hearts with love to dispel the hatred now in the hearts of some men in the world.

Enlighten their minds to guide those shrouded in darkness back to Thy righteous path. Direct them to look upon all as equal, as in the words of Thy prophet Moses, "there shall be no difference of person. You shall hear the little as well as the great."

Let them he not self-seeking hut seek only Thy common good.

O God, You who art good, so sublime, so perfect, fill our minds and our hearts with worthy plans. Strengthen us with Thy heavenly power that we may he ahle to represent You, speak for You, and carry Thy spirit into the deliberations of this Council.

Hopefully and confidently we pray, O Lord of the earth, that Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Amen.

In the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost. Amen.

The meeting was opened with the salute to the Flag.

CONSTABLES AUTHORIZED TO SERVE CIVIL PROCESS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 14, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

Subject to confirmation hy your Honorable Body, I hereby appoint the following-named persons as constahles of the City of Boston for tbe term of one year, heginning with the first day of May, 1955, authorized to serve civil process upon filing of bond.

The commissions of all constables authorized to serve civil process not named herein expire on April 30, 1955, and such constables are hereby removed from office from and after May 1, 1955, for the good of the service.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

CONSTABLES AUTHORIZED TO SERVE CIVIL PROCESS UPON FILING BONDS FOR THE YEAR 1955-56.

Samuel J. Adelman, 20 St. Peter street, Ward 19; Henry Atwood, 88 P street, Ward 6; Samuel C. Baker, 101 Wellington Hill street, Ward 14; Alphonse A. Balunas, 84 Dacia street, Ward 13; Saul I. Bearak, 15 Gaston street, Ward 12; Irving E. Bennett, 20 Deckard street, Ward 12; Albert S. Bithoney, 12 Rollins street, Ward 3; Alfred Blaustein, 23 Fernboro street, Ward 14; Abram Bornstein, 625 Warren street, Ward 12; Howard P. Camden, 35 Range road, Ward 17; Thomas Cannizzaro, 609 East Second street, Ward 6; James A. Canton, 169 Glenway street, Ward 14; Francis S. Carter, 40 West Newton street, Ward 9; Morris Clemens, 1711 Commonwealth avenue, Ward 21; Sidney Cohen, 66 Hackensack road, Ward 20; John D. Cole, 14 West Cottage street, Ward 13; John F. Cooper, 4 Flagg street, Ward 8; George Courlang, 42 Jones avenue, Ward 14; John M. Crawford, 27 Washington street, Ward 2; John A. D'Arcy, 51 Colchester street, Ward 18; Edward A. DeSimone, 60 Bayswater street, Ward 1; Albert E. Doody, 48 Myopia road, Ward 18; William J. DuRoss, 462 Gallivan Boulevard, Ward 16; Domenic Fagone, 95 Hewlett street, Ward 20; Hyman Fritz, 20 Stratton street, Ward 14; James J. Gannon, 45 Compton street, Ward 5; Roland W. Golden, 38 Regent street, Ward 12; Abner Goldkrand, 48 Wenonah street, Ward 12; Meyer Goldstein, 89 Claymoss road, Ward 21; Arthur N. Gordon, 120 Riverway, Ward 4; Louis E. Grace, 97 Wellington Hill street, Ward 14; Peter C. Grassa, 11 Copeland street, Ward 12; Salvatore Grassa, 11 Copeland street, Ward 12; Maurice Guberman, 20 Wales street, Ward 14; Edward C. Gurnon, 24 Bellflower street, Ward 7; Corless J. Hawkes, 33 Compton street, Ward 3; John W. Herbert, 726 Saratoga street, Ward 1; James A. Hickey, 59 Parsons street, Ward 22; Edward I. Hoffman, 11 Lorne street, Ward 14; Bronis Kontrim, 120 Marine road, Ward 7.

Mark H. Krafsur, 447 Norfolk street, Ward 14; Nathan Kravitsky, 306 Washington street, Ward 14; C. Joseph Lauria, 31 Appleton street, Ward 5; Harold Learner, 2045 Commonwealth avenue, Ward 22; Charles I. Lesser, 120 Corey road, Ward 21; Ira A. Litvin, 25 Ahbot street, Ward 14; Alfred Lubin, 36 Millet street, Ward 17; Anthony Luongo, 855 Saratoga street, Ward 1; Frank J. Macchia, 770 East Fourth street, Ward 6; Salvatore Maffei, 11 Orient avenue, Ward 1; Sidney Margolis, 31 Deering road, Ward 14; Martin E. Mason, 12 Arundel street, Ward 21; Joseph P. McCarthy, 497 East Eighth street, Ward 7; Paul H. McCarthy, 19 Savin Hill court, Ward 13; John A. McGillivray, 24 Upcrest road, Ward 22; Francis J. Melville, Jr., 10 Auburn street, Ward 2; Frank A. Mitchell, 7 Bruce street, Ward 16; Wilfred H. Morette, 19 Myrtle street, Ward 3; Norman L. Munson, 71 Westland avenue, Ward 4; John J. Murphy, 100 Wellsmere road, Ward 18; Louis H. Oppenheim, 7 Mt. Hood road, Ward 21; Max Ostrofsky, 29 Auburn street, Ward 3; Andrew J. Palermo, 18 Bloomfield street, Ward 17; William G. Peters, 9 Medford court, Ward 3; Phillip S. Phillips, 829 Blue Hill avenue, Ward 14; George N. Pierce, 15 Atherton street, Ward 11; Edward J. Pinta, 11 Fowler street, Ward 14; Raphael R. Rafferty, 140 West Canton street, Ward 4; Andrew A. Raffoni, 644 West Roxbury Parkway, Ward 20; Oscar G. Ridlon, 236 Lamartine street, Ward 19; Frank A. Roche, 20 Lexington street, Ward 1; Edward J. Rockett, 15 Worcester square, Ward 8; George M. Romanos, Jr., 37 St. John street, Ward 19.

Jacob E. Schrank, 735 Veterans of Foreign Wars Parkway, Ward 20; Joseph P. Schrank, 735 Veterans of Foreign Wars Parkway, Ward 20; Francis C. Shack, 22 Delle avenue, Ward 10; Milton Shaffer, 28 Duke street, Ward 14; Frank Shaw, 12 Codman street, Ward 17; Edward W. Sheehan, 26 Burgoyne street, Ward 16; Sidney J. Sheinfeld, 166 Rosseter street, Ward 14; Isaac Shulman, 128 Devon street, Ward 14; Joseph Simansky, 77 Nightingale street, Ward 14; Leon Small, 98 Hemenway street, Ward 4; Clifford L. Smith, 11 Euclid street, Ward 17; Harry Smith, 526 Massachusetts avenue, Ward 9; John A. Sousa, 195 Brooks street, Ward 1; Solomon Spack, 129 Callender street, Ward 14; Arthur C. Stanton, 28 Quint avenue, Ward 21; Jerome Suvalle, 19 Owen street, Ward 18; Benjamin J. Tackeff, 559 Veterans of Foreign Wars Parkway, Ward 20; William Tatel, 8 Fayston street, Ward 13; William Tepper, 4 Intervale street, Ward 12; Raymond Thomas, 118 Huntington avenue, Ward 4; Joseph Todisco, 149 Paris street, Ward 1; Roman J. Vasil, 11 Granada avenue, Ward 18; Laurence Wernick, 1 Franklin Garden, Ward 12; Sidney Williams, 37 Winthrop street, Ward 12; Louis Yacker, 1999 Commonwealth avenue, Ward 22; Morris Youman, 31 Wellington Hill street, Ward 14; Frank Zuccaro, 75 Cottage street, Ward 1.

Referred to the Committee on Confirmations.

PARKING ON EASTBURN STREET, NEAR POST OFFICE, BRIGHTON.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 14, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Traffic Commissioner relative to your order of January 10, 1955, concerning the prohibiting of parking on Eastburn street, in Brighton, near the post office.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

Boston Traffic Commission,
March 7, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.
Dear Sir:

In response to Council order dated January 10, 1955, I wish to report that at a meeting of the Traffic Commission held on Friday, March 4, it was voted to prohibit parking in Eastburn street, Brighton, both sides, from Washington street to a point 200 feet south of Washington street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

It was further voted to amend the present one-way rule in Easthurn street so that it will be one way from the southerly end of the driveway of the United States Post Office property to Mt. Vernon street. This will afford two-way traffic in the vicinity of the post office.

Respectfully yours,
WM. ARTHUR REILLY,
Commissioner.

Placed on file.

LIGHTING CONDITIONS ON CLARKWOOD STREET, MATTAPAN.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 14, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Public Works relative to your order of February 28, 1955, concerning the lighting conditions on Clarkwood street, Mattapan.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Public Works Department,
March 10, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.
Dear Mr. Flemming:

This is in reference to the following order that was passed in the City Council under date of February 28:

"Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor is hereby requested to direct the Commissioner of Public Works to make a survey of lighting conditions on Clarkwood street, Mattapan, with a view to installing new street lights to replace the outmoded gas lights."

A survey of the above-referenced street and all other streets in the vicinity that are lighted by gas lights will be made in the very near future, and consideration will be given to the replacing of said lights with modern, electric street lamps.

At the present time, there are in excess of 3,000 gas lights remaining in the city, and our program provides for the replacing of sald lamps with electric lights on an area hasis rather than on an individual street basis. As stated, therefore, the entire Clarkwood Street area will be studied at the time the survey is being made.

Respectfully yours,
GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Placed on file.

PETITIONS RECEIVED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committee named, viz.:

Claims.

Patsy Albano, for compensation for damage to property at 230 Harrison avenue, caused by break in water main.

William C. Berghaus, for compensation for damage to property at 16 Payson road, Brookline, caused by blasting for sewer in vicinity of 61 Hackensack road, West Roxbury.

Anna L. Connolly, for compensation for damage to property at 1 Wedgewood road, Roslindalc, during installation of sidewalk.

Michael DeMattia, for compensation for damage to car by snowplow of Park Department.

Frank Dorso, for compensation for damage to car by negligence of operator of Meridian Street Bridge.

M. Lillian Gately, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 28 Ely road, Dorchester.

Joseph M. Herity, for compensation for broken eyeglasses while working at South Boston Recreation Center.

Walter E. Johnson, for compensation for damage to car by police cruiser.

Nathan Kaczka, for compensation for damage to car by city car.

George M. Karp, for compensation for damage to property at 59 Beaumont street, Dorchester, caused by backing up of sewage.

Rose Kasparian, for compensation for damage to property at 45 Beechcroft street, Brighton, caused by hacking up of sewage.

George S. Kehr, for compensation for damage to car by city truck.

Benjamin Levine, Trustee, Harrison Realty Trust, for compensation for damage to property at 231 Harrison avenue, caused by break in water main.

Katherine Lyman, for compensation for injuries caused by being hurned by live steam at Dover Street Bath.

Valerio Mascis, for compensation for injuries caused by snowplow of Park Department.

Ted H. Oakey, for compensation for damage to car of Dr. Lloyd D. Flint by fire apparatus.

Katherine M. O'Brien, for compensation for injuries caused by defective condition of sidewalk.

Rita Powers, for compensation for injuries and broken eyeglasses caused hy an alleged defect in sidewalk at 30 Shafter street.

Dr. Harold B. Reines, for compensation for damage to car by car of Hospital Department.

Mrs. Alfred Scoff, for compensation for damage to property at 146 Kittredge street, Roslindale, caused by city sanding truck.

Mary F. Stiles, for compensation for damage to property at 125 Tyndale street, Roslindale, caused by backing up of sewage.

Ruth Stillman, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Woodrow avenue, Dorchester.

Ellen Sue Weinberg, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 30 Ridgeview avenue, Mattapan.

Karl H. West, Jr., for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect at 62 Cummins Highway.

PETITION FOR ANNUITY.

Petition of Margaret C. Collins to be paid annuity on account of death of her husband, James F. Collins, late member of the Police Department.

Referred to the Committee on Claims.

PERMITS FOR CHILDREN.

Petitions for children under fifteen years of age to appear at places of public amusement:

Skating Club of Boston, Boston Garden, March 24, 25, 26, and 27.

M. J. Kavanaugh, Boston Opera House, March 13.

Permits granted under usual conditions.

MINOR'S LICENSE.

The application of Michael Dunford, 319 Geneva avenue, Dorchester, for newsboy's license was received.

License granted under usual conditions.

APPLICATIONS FOR SHELLFISH PERMITS.

Application for commercial use shellfish permit was received from Daniel C. French, 22 Woodworth street, Dorchester, Ward 16.

Application was received from Pasquale J. Cupprini, 31 Boardman street, East Boston, Ward 1, for a family use shellfish permit.

Severally referred to the Committee on Licenses.

NOTICE FROM DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES.

A communication was received from the Department of Public Utilities transmitting copy of order granting petition of the Boston Edison Company and the New England Telephone & Telegraph Company for pole locations in East Boston.

Placed on file.

APPROVAL OF CONSTABLE'S BOND.

The constable's bond of Alphonse A. Balunas, having been duly approved by the Collector-Treasurer, was received and approved.

NOTICE OF INTEREST IN CONTRACT.

Notice was received from Thomas F. McDonough, Chairman of the City Planning Board, of his interest in the proposed contract for architectural and engineering services in connection with new construction of elementary school building at the site of the old English High School in Boston.

Placed on file.

LEGISLATION REGARDING TEACHERS' RETIREMENT FUND.

Coun. WHITE offered the following:

Resolved, That the City Council of Boston favors the consideration by the Legislature of the petition now held under Joint Rule 7B, relative to the effective date of the act passed in 1954, with respect to the Teachers' Retirement Fund in the City of Boston; provided that any such legislation enacted includes a referendum to the Mayor and City Council.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

LEGISLATION CONCERNING CERTAIN PERSONS RETIRED IN 1954.

Coun. WHITE offered the following:

Resolved, That the City Council of Boston favors the consideration by the Legislature of the petition now held under Joint Rule 7B, relative to certain persons in the City of Boston who were retired during the year 1954; provided that any such legislation enacted includes a referendum to the Mayor and City Council.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

RETIREMENT RIGHTS OF DANIEL S. LONG.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Resolved, That the City Council of Boston hereby favors the consideration by the Legislature of the petition now held under Joint Rule 7B, relative to the retirement rights of Daniel S. Long under the State-Boston retirement system; provided that any such legislation, if enacted, includes a referendum to the Mayor and City Council.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

CREATION OF METROPOLITAN PLANNING BOARD.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor request the Legislative Agent for the City of Boston to introduce, support and assist the enactment of legislation to encourage the creation of a Metropolitan Planning Board.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

STUDENTS' GOVERNMENT EXCHANGE PROGRAM.

President HURLEY, on behalf of the Council, welcomed to the deliberations of the Council the student representatives of the Trade High School for Girls, the Roxbury Memorial High School (Girls), the Charlestown High School, and the Jeremiah E. Burke High School, and guest students from the Weymouth High School, the Rockland High School, the Stoughton High School, and the Archbishop Williams High School.

CONGRATULATIONS TO FRANCIS S. GRANT AND OTHERS.

Coun. HURLEY and KERRIGAN and all the members of the Council submitted the following:

Whereas, Annual exercises commemorating Evacuation Day and St. Patrick's Day take place in Boston; and

Whereas, Each year an accomplished young orator is selected to participate and deliver an oration; and

Whereas, The orator selected for the 1955 oration was Francis S. Grant, a freshman at the Gate of Heaven High School; and

Whereas, His declamation entitled "Our Heritage—The American Way of Life" was so well written and delivered that it brought high praise from United States Senator Patrick V. McNamara of Michigan, Mayor John B. Hynes, and the entire audience; and

Whereas, This declamation of Francis S. Grant reflected great credit on his parents, on his teachers, the Sisters of St. Joseph, and on the pastor and the good priests of the Gate of Heaven Parish, in South Boston; and

Whereas, This document should be made available to the students in the various schools in Boston, a separate order filed today will request that it be printed as a public document; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, extend its sincere congratulations to Francis S. Grant, his parents, his teachers, the Sisters of St. Joseph, and the pastor and priests at the Gate of Heaven Parish; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded by the City Clerk to Francis S. Grant, a copy to the good Sisters at the Gate of Heaven School, South Boston, and a copy to the priests of the Gate of Heaven Parish, South Boston.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

PRINTING DECLAMATION OF FRANCIS S. GRANT AS PUBLIC DOCUMENT.

Coun. HURLEY and KERRIGAN and all members of the Council submitted the following:

Ordered, That the declamation of Francis S. Grant, entitled "Our Heritage—The American Way of Life," delivered at the South Boston High School on Sunday evening, March 13, be printed as a public document for distribution, the expense of which to be charged to the City Council appropriation for City Documents.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ORDINANCES.

Coun. PIEMONTE, for the Committee on Ordinances, submitted the following:

Report on message of the Mayor and ordinance (referred February 7) relative to the clear height of classrooms in schools—recommending that the ordinance ought to pass.

The report was accepted, and the ordinance was passed.

FREE USE OF DOWNTOWN SUBWAYS BETWEEN CERTAIN STATIONS.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That the trustees of the Metropolitan Transit Authority be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to consider the possibility of making such arrangements as are necessary to permit the use of the downtown subways by shoppers in Boston free of charge between the following stations:

1. South Station to Park Street Station, on the Cambridge-Dorchester Subway.

2. State street to Washington street, on the Everett-Forest Hills Subway.

3. Copley square to Park street, on the Tremont Street Subway.

And be it further

Ordered, That a copy of this order be referred to the City Planning Board for such comment as it may care to make.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

REFUSAL OF TEMPORARY VISAS TO RUSSIAN AGRICULTURAL OBSERVERS.

Coun. HAILER offered the following:

Resolved, That the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, memorialize the United States State Department to refuse to issue temporary visas to Russian agricultural observers for the purposes of visiting this country to study farming methods.

Coun. WHITE moved to amend the resolution by adding the following: "And that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to each member of the Massachusetts delegation in Congress."

The motion was carried.

Coun. McCORMACK moved to further amend the resolution by adding the following:

"And be it further Resolved, If visas are granted to agricultural experts from the U. S. S. R., that the Boston City Council go on record as expressing the sentiments of a majority of the people of the City of Boston and the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, that such experts are not welcome to walk the streets of Boston and the Commonwealth of Massachusetts."

Coun. WHITE in the chair.

The motion was carried.

Coun. AHEARN moved to further amend the resolution by adding the following:

"And be it further Resolved, That the State Department send a strong note to the Russian government demanding that Russia use its influence to see to it that American fliers taken prisoners in the Korean conflict be released immediately."

The motion was carried.

The question came on the suspension of the rules and the adoption of the resolution as amended.

At the request of Councillor Piemonte the question was divided. The question first came on the suspension of the rules, and the rules were suspended, yeas 7, nays 2:

Yeas—Councillors Foley, Hailer, Hurley, Kerrigan, McCormack, McLaughlin, White—7.

Nays—Councillors Ahearn, Piemonte—2.

The question then came on the adoption of the resolution as amended and the resolution as amended was adopted, yeas 8, nay 1:

Yeas—Councillors Ahearn, Foley, Hailer, Hurley, Kerrigan, McCormack, McLaughlin, White—8.

Nay—Councillor Piemonte—1.

COMMITTEE TO STUDY AND INVESTIGATE COMMUNISM AND SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITIES.

Coun. AHEARN offered the following:

Whereas, The Special Commission Established to Study and Investigate Communism and Subversive Activities and Related Matters in the Commonwealth, established by chapter 89 of the Resolves of 1953, is scheduled to go out of existence on May 15, 1955; and

Whereas, Said Special Commission and its members have done exemplary work under difficult conditions and deserve the respect and gratitude of the community and the State; and

Whereas, On May 15, 1955, said Special Commission will not have had ample opportunity to complete its job; now therefore be it

Resolved, That the City Council of Boston, in meeting assembled, expresses its recognition of the fine work done by the Special Commission Established to Study and Investigate Communism and Subversive Activities and Related Matters in the Commonwealth and further expresses the hope that the Great and General Court will not allow said Special Commission to terminate on May 15, 1955, but on the contrary will pass sufficient and necessary legislation to expand and continue its work.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

COMPENSATION GRADE OF EGRESS AND ZONING INSPECTORS.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Ordered, That the egress inspectors in the Building Department who were reclassified by the Civil Service Commission as egress and zoning inspectors, which rating they now hold, be changed from Grade 17 to Grade 19 under the Compensation and Classification Plan.

President HURLEY in the chair.

The order was referred to the Executive Committee.

RECONDITIONING JAMAICAWAY AND JAMAICA POND SECTION.

Coun. AHEARN offered the following:

Whereas, The Jamaicaway and Jamaica Pond section of our Park system is one of the few remaining and virtually unspoiled natural beauty sites in the heart of our great city; and

Whereas, Some of the walks, benches, grounds, and other appurtenances are in great need of repair and landscaping; and

Whereas, Citizens from all over Boston as well as visitors by the thousands make use of and enjoy the extraordinary beauty of this park every year; therefore be it

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor is hereby requested to direct the Park Commissioner to allocate special funds to repairing, reconditioning and further beautifying the Jamaicaway and Jamaica Pond section in order that the grounds and facilities will be in good condition for the enjoyment of our citizens for this spring and summer.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

FELICITATIONS TO MRS. PATRICIA WHITE.

Coun. HURLEY, for all the members of the Council, offered the following:

Resolved, That the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, hereby wish to convey their sincere felicitations and greetings to Mrs. Patricia White, wife of our distinguished colleague, City Councillor Joseph C. White, on the occasion of her birthday which falls on the anniversary date of the patron saint of Ireland, St. Patrick's Day, March 17; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to Mrs. White.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

RECESS.

On motion of Councillor McLaughlin the Council voted to take a recess at 4.16 P.M., subject to the call of the Chair. The members reassembled in the Council Chamber and were called to order by President HURLEY at 5.06 P.M.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. WHITE, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following:

1. Report on order for loan of $5,000,000 (referred March 7) for off-street parking facilities—recommending passage of the order and also recommending adoption of the accompanying resolution:

Whereas, The Boston City Council has adopted a loan order for off-street parking in the amount of $5,000,000; and

Whereas, This loan order is passed for the expressed purpose of expediting this over-all program, particularly as it pertains to the downtown area of the city; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Boston City Council recommends that these funds be used for those sites in the general vicinity of

(1) Atlantic Avenue, Congress and Purchase Streets area;
(2) Fort Hill Square area;
(3) Kingston and Bedford Streets area;
(4) Washington Street and Hayward Place area;
(5) Bromfield and Province Streets area;
(6) Central and Kilby Streets area; and be it further

Resolved, That the Boston City Council strongly urges that this money borrowed under this $5,000,000 loan order *not* be used for acquisition and clearance of sites for off-street parking in the general vicinity of Washington and Hollis Streets area and/or the Scollay Square area.

The report of the committee was accepted. The question first came on giving the order its first reading and passage.

The order was given its first reading and passage, yeas 9.

Yeas—Councillors Ahearn, Foley, Hailer, Hurley, Kerrigan, McCormack, McLaughlin, Piemonte, White—9.

The order was assigned for 14 days for final action.

On motion of Councillor McCormack the foregoing resolution was laid on the table for 14 days.

2. Report on resolution referred (March 7) for a comprehensive plan for off-street parking facilities—recommending adoption of the resolution. Councillor McCormack moved that the resolution be laid on the table for 14 days. The motion was carried.

HEARINGS BY APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCE COMMITTEE.

Coun. HAILER announced that the Committee on Appropriations and Finance would meet on Tuesday, March 15, at 10.30 A.M., to hear the Hospital Department budget, and at 2 P.M. to take up the loan orders and all other matters before the Committee on Appropriations and Finance.

COMPENSATION FOR FIRE FIGHTERS FOR WORK ON CERTAIN LEGAL HOLIDAYS.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Ordered, That chapter 640 of the Acts of 1953 entitled "An Act Providing that Fire Fighters and Certain Others in Certain Cities and Towns shall be given an Additional Day off Duty or, under Certain Circumstances, an Additional Day's Pay when They Are Required to Work on Certain Legal Holidays," be and hereby is, accepted.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

Adjourned at 5.38 P.M., on motion of Councillor McLaughlin, to meet on Monday, March 21, 1955, at 2 P.M.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.
(Stenographic copy of such debate on file in office of City Clerk.)

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 15.

I. ASSIGNMENT AS CAPTAIN-DRILLMASTER.

The following assignment, which became effective as of 8 A.M., Wednesday, March 16, 1955, is hereby announced:

Capt. Cornelius F. Finnegan, Headquarters, to captain-drillmaster.

II. RETIREMENTS.

The following retirements, in accordance with section 57, chapter 32, General Laws, as amended, are hereby announced, to become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, March 23, 1955:

District Chief James F. White, District 3.

Lieut. John C. O'Brien, Ladder Company 26.

The following retirements, which will become effective at 5 P.M., Thursday, March 31, 1955, are hereby announced:

Steam Fireman Patrick J. Kenney, Maintenance Division.

Janitress Esther C. Hanrahan, Headquarters.

The following retirements, in accordance with section 13, chapter 521 of the Acts of 1922, as amended, are hereby announced, to become effective at 8 A.M., Friday, April 1, 1955:

Hoseman Thomas F. Hurley, Engine Company 4.

Hoseman Walter F. McCourt, Engine Squad Company 34.

The following retirement, in accordance with section 7, chapter 658 of the Acts of 1945, as amended by chapter 594, Acts of 1951, is hereby announced, to become effective at 8 A.M., Friday, April 1, 1955:

Hoseman Edmund S. Sharp, Engine Company 36.

District Chief White was appointed to the department May 15, 1925. He was promoted to the grade of lieutenant, October 16, 1940; to captain, October 6, 1945; to district chief, February 2, 1949. Lieutenant O'Brien was appointed May 31, 1929, and was promoted to the grade of lieutenant, November 5, 1945. Hoseman Hurley was appointed to the Fire Department December 22, 1933. Hoseman McCourt was appointed July 2, 1926. Hoseman Sharp was appointed April 3, 1946. Steam Fireman Kenney was appointed November 14, 1945, and Janitress Hanrahan was appointed October 27, 1943.

All the foregoing named leave the department with the best wishes of their associates.

III. TRANSFERS.

The following transfers will become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, March 23, 1955:

Lieut. Philip I. Howlett, from Engine 43 to Ladder 19.

Lieut. Howard J. Sylvester, from Engine 2 to Engine 43.

Hoseman Pompio J. Magistri, from Engine 17 to Engine 37.

Hoseman Albert G. Spitz, from Engine 50 to Engine 4.

Hoseman James M. Dever, from Engine 8 to Engine 17.

Ladderman John S. Allen, from Ladder 20 to Ladder 19.

IV. CHANGES IN MUTUAL AID.

Effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, March 23, 1955, the Mutual Aid covering changes shall be made as follows:

Assignment Card 8112—drop Somerville, Engine 2 to Engine 50—drop Everett, Engine 3 to Engine 32. Add Somerville, Engine 2 to Engine 32—add Everett, Engine 3 to Engine 50.

V. FIRE ALARM BOXES INSTALLED.

The following fire alarm box which was established in G. O. 81, dated December 21, 1954, has been installed and connected into circuit No. 72:

12-2547, New England Sinai Hospital, 215 Forest Hills street.

Company commanders will add Box 12-2547 to circuit card No. 72.

The following fire alarm box which was established in G. O. 64, dated October 5, 1954, has been installed and connected into circuit No. 65:

12-2712, Jewish Recuperation Home, 1251 Centre street.

Company commanders will add Box 12-2712 to circuit card No. 65.

VI. A.D.T. Assignment.

Company commanders shall add the following signal number to running cards of the American District Telegraph Company in this department:

Signal 841, Great Eastern Packing and Paper Stock Corporation garage, 125 Halleck street. (Sprinkler.) Apparatus to respond: Engine Squad 14, Ladder 12, District Chief 5. Nearest box is 2243.

VII. Boston Automatic Assignments.

Company commanders shall add the following signal numbers to running cards of the Boston Automatic Fire Alarm Division of the Automatic Fire Alarm Company in this department:

Signal 136, 50 Union street, Magee's, Inc. (Automatic Alarm.) Apparatus to respond: Engine 8, Ladder 1, District Chief 3. Nearest box is 1215.

Signal 186, 136 Tremont street the Cathedral Church of Saint Paul. (Automatic Alarm.) Apparatus to respond: Engine 26, Ladder 17, District Chief 3. Nearest box is 1441.

Signal 225, Provident Institution for Savings, 28 and 30 Winter street and 36 Temple place. (Sprinkler.) Apparatus to respond: Engine 26, Ladder 17, District Chief 3. Nearest box is 1441.

Signal 1653, Cushing Manor Nursing Home, 20 Cushing avenue. (Manual Alarm.) Apparatus to respond: Engine 21, Ladder 7, District Chief 7. Nearest box is 3147.

VIII. Commendation.

Hoseman Everett J. Hassell of Engine Company 48 is hereby commended for responding to the scene of a drowning accident in the Neponset River, Hyde Park, on March 14, 1955, for several hours, while off duty, and rendering valuable assistance in the operations.

By order of Fire Commissioner Francis X. Cotter.

John V. Stapleton,
Chief of Department.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 2,916.

The following-named officers having requested retirement under the provisions of the Statutes of 1892, chapter 353, as amended, for the reason that they are incapacitated, it is hereby

Ordered, His Honor the Mayor having approved the same, that they be retired from active service in the Police Department, effective at 7.45 o'clock A.M. on the dates stated:

Sergt.-Detective Thomas F. McLaughlin, Detective Bureau, 35 years of service, March 16, 1955.

Sergeant Donald B. Fitzpatrick, Division 4, 35 years of service, March 16, 1955.

Patrolman Martin J. Cusack, Division 2, 33 years of service, March 17, 1955.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

Thomas F. Sullivan,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,917.

A trial board, consisting of Captains Robert A. Lynch, George W. O'Donnell, and Cornelius F. O'Brien, having heard by reference a complaint made by Leo E. Hoban, captain, commanding Division 3, against Patrolman Jerome F. Maloney, Division 3, charging him with violation of the rules and regulations of the Police Department, has reported a finding of guilty, recommending punishment duty of 210 hours.

This recommendation is accepted and it is ordered that the said Patrolman Jerome F. Maloney perform 210 hours' punishment duty.

The Acting Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

Thomas F. Sullivan,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,918.

The resignation of Patrolman Jerome F. Maloney, Division 3, having been presented while charges against him are pending, it is hereby accepted, to take effect as of Monday, March 21, 1955, at 7.45 o'clock A.M., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

Thomas F. Sullivan,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,919.

The following-named persons are hereby appointed permanent patrolmen in this department and are assigned as follows, effective Wednesday, March 23, 1955, at 11 o'clock A.M.:

Albert R. Thurston, Division 1.
James R. Sullivan, Division 2.
Daniel J. Fitzgerald, Simon F. King, Division 3.
Thomas E. Connolly, William G. Daly, Francis W. Shannon, Jr., Division 4.
Robert R. McNeil, Division 6.
Arthur N. Cardarelli, Division 9.
Dominic J. Mulattieri, Division 10.
Walter L. Canney, Division 13.
Arthur F. Doyle, Division 14.
Francis M. Hoey, Division 16.
Robert E. Cheever, Division 17.
Michael G. Davis, Division 18.
James F. Murphy, Division 19.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

Thomas F. Sullivan,
Police Commissioner.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, occasioned by the demolition of the Boston Storage Warehouse building, for a period estimated to be six (6) months, the following temporary traffic rules are effective beginning March 15, 1955:

Parking of vehicles is prohibited in the following street:

Burbank Street, Roxbury.
Both sides, from Massachusetts avenue to Edgerly road, 24 hours.

Parking of vehicles is prohibited in the following streets, when and where official traffic signs are in place:

Massachusetts Avenue, Roxbury.
West side, from Westland avenue to Burbank street.
Westland Avenue, Roxbury.
North side, from Massachusetts avenue to the property line of No. 37 Westland avenue.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, occasioned by underground work in connection with the construction of the John F. Fitzgerald Expressway, for a period estimated to be fifteen (15) days, the following temporary traffic regulations are effective beginning March 15, 1955:

Vehicles are excluded from the following street:

India Street, Boston Proper.
From Wharf street to India square.

The one-way rule in the following street is suspended and it is a two-way street:

India Street, Boston Proper.
From India square to Atlantic avenue.

The one-way rule in the following street is reversed so that it is one way in the direction now indicated:

Milk Street, Boston Proper.
From India street to Atlantic avenue.

SEWER EASEMENT IN DESTEFANO ROAD.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that 550 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sewer and 235 linear feet of 10-inch pipe surface drain be constructed at an estimated cost of $9,500 in a sewer easement taken by the City of Boston July 3, 1947, in DeStefano road, West Roxbury district; and in a sewer easement taken by the City of Boston, June 27, 1899, in private land between DeStefano road and Mount Hope street.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the undermentioned parcels of land situated on DeStefano road, as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 1450, Sewerage Works, DeStefano Road, West Roxbury, November 17, 1954, James W. Haley, Chief Engineer, Survey Division, Public Works Department," and on file in the office of this department, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement herein ordered; in the amounts hereinafter respectively set against them.

Parcel.		Amount.
1.	Raffaele DeStefano	$300
2.	Charles A. and Victoria T. DeStefano	300
3.	Harry J. DeStefano	300
4.	John Costa and Mary M. Costa	300
5.	Mario J. and Angelina Costa	300
6.	Christie and Rosina Ventre	300
7.	Anthony and Margaret F. DeAngelis	300
	Total	$2,100

ASSESSED VALUATIONS CONTINUE TO RISE.

A survey of 43 assessing jurisdictions over 100,000 population, recently completed by the National Association of Assessing Officers, discloses that the latest totals of assessed valuations average 4.3 per cent higher than those for last year. Last year's survey of 46 jurisdictions showed an increase for the preceding period of 6.35 per cent. Duval County (Jacksonville), Florida, reported a 19.7 per cent increase, the highest of any jurisdiction. Other jurisdictions reporting high percentage increases in valuations were Dade County (Miami), Florida, 13.3 per cent; Providence, Rhode Island, 10.5 per cent; King County (Seattle), 10.4 per cent; Grand Rapids, Michigan, 9.3 per cent; Richmond, Virginia, 8.8 per cent; Los Angeles County, 8.5 per cent; Minneapolis and San Antonio, 6.9 per cent; and Erie, Pennsylvania, 6.7 per cent.

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

John F. Spencer, 125 Dorchester street, Squantum, Mass., to be reimbursed in the sum of $32.99, as a result of an accident which occurred on January 6, 1955, when a motor truck belonging to the Sanitary Division, Public Works Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Richard Simoes.

Mary H. Hurley, 140 Union avenue, Framingham, in the sum of $375, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk on Summer street, corner of Atlantic avenue, near entrance to subway, November 10, 1950.

McKie Lighter Company, 470 Atlantic avenue, Boston, to be reimbursed in the sum of $400, as expense incurred as a result of delay in opening the Northern Avenue Drawbridge, due to mechanical defects, on January 26, 1953, and on March 7, 1954.

Molly Katz, 15 Franklin Hill avenue, Dorchester, in the sum of $475, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 860 Blue Hill avenue, Dorchester, July 4, 1954.

Jeremiah E. Ahern, 12 Brighton street, Charlestown, in the sum of $95, as compensation for collapse of hot water boiler in above premises caused when the water was shut off by employees of the Water Division, without proper notice, while making repairs, November 13, 1954.

Helen Maresco, 154 Court road, Winthrop, in the sum of $485, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk at the curbing in front of 216 Tremont street, Boston, October 29, 1954.

Eleanor Kallenberg, 62 Hillside street, Roxbury, in the sum of $285, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a broken piece of curbing on Roxbury street, corner of Washington street, adjacent to Paul's Army and Navy Store, July 19, 1951.

Helen Siegel, 1746 Commonwealth avenue, Brighton, in the sum of $200, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 1544 Commonwealth avenue, January 5, 1954.

James Carty, 132 Summit street, Hyde Park, in the sum of $68, as compensation for collapse of hot water boiler in above premises caused when the water was shut off by employees of the Water Division, without proper notice, while making repairs, October 29, 1954.

Richard J. Cronin, 173 Central avenue, Milton, in the sum of $68, as compensation for collapse of hot water boiler in the premises at 40 Glendale street, Dorchester, owned by him, caused when the water was shut off by employees of the Water Division, without proper notice, while making repairs on November 15, 1954.

Mrs. Charles Costello, 11 Thane street, Dorchester, in the sum of $75, as compensation for collapse of hot water boiler in above premises caused when employees of the Water Division shut off the water, without proper notice, while making repairs on November 15, 1954.

Sidney Lenson, 14A Bloomfield street, Dorchester, to be reimbursed in the sum of $20, as expense incurred in hiring a contractor to excavate on his premises to locate a water leak which later was found to be on city property, October 21, 1954.

Jeremiah J. Connolly, 191 Faywood avenue, East Boston, to be reimbursed in the sum of $99.17, as a result of an accident which occurred on November 19, 1954, when a motor truck belonging to the Sanitary Division, Public Works Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Terrance V. McMahon.

Thomas J., John E., Joseph F., Mary T., and Evelyn Thornton, next of kin to John T. Thornton, 6 Carmel street, Roxbury, in the sum of $287.60, for wages due said John T. Thornton as an assistant drawtender in the Bridge Division, Public Works Department, from September 1, 1952, to December 26, 1953.

Rose Ambrogne, 638 Saratoga street, East Boston, in the sum of $267, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the street, at curbing, on Porter street, corner of Meridian street, October 22, 1954.

Mary Baldasari, 60 Prince street, Boston, in the sum of $125, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 12 Salem street, July 9, 1954.

Fanny Golub, 38 Harris street, Brookline, in the sum of $250, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a broken piece of curbstone in front of 79 Summer street, Boston, September 3, 1954.

Continental Insurance Company, by I. Jack Levy, attorney, 10 Tremont street, Boston, in the sum of $34, as compensation for damage to car of their insured, Salvatore Siciliano, whose rights were subrogated to the above company, caused by employees of the Traffic Department while painting the traffic light at the corner of Hanover and Commercial streets, June 17, 1954.

Edward G. Feeney, 11A Everett avenue, Dorchester, to be reimbursed in the sum of $185, as a result of an accident which occurred on October 11, 1954, when a motor vehicle belonging to the Police Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Sic Hom Bai.

Giro R. Parrelli, 15 Boardman street, East Boston, to be reimbursed in the sum of $136.40, as a result of an accident which occurred on August 10, 1954, when a motor truck belonging to the Sewer Division, Public Works Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by John J. Donovan.

James J. Barry, 85 Mt. Pleasant avenue, Roxbury, to be reimbursed in the sum of $100, as a result of an accident which occurred on August 4, 1954, when a motor vehicle belonging to the Automotive Division, Public Works Department, which he was operating, collided with the premises owned by Robert Godsoe on Fulda street, Roxbury.

Frank W. DiNatale, 5 Hagar street, Jamaica Plain, to be reimbursed in the sum of $61.07, as a result of an accident which occurred on July 4, 1954, when a motor vehicle belonging to the Police Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Patrick J. King.

Marion A. Campino, 6 Farquhar street, Roslindale, in the sum of $485, as compensation for personal injuries to her daughter, Marion L. Campino, a minor, caused by a hole in the sidewalk on Common street, Charlestown, September 1, 1954.

William McGuinness, 1340 River street, Hyde Park, to be reimbursed in the sum of $46.23, as a result of an accident which occurred on January 17, 1955, when a motor truck belonging to the Park Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Daniel J. Gagliardo.

Albert J. Leary, 95 Montclair avenue, Roslindale, to be reimbursed in the sum of $38.78, as a result of an accident which

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THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING TOILET PAPER IN ROLLS FOR BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing toilet paper in rolls for the Boston public schools. Proposal forms are obtainable at the office of the Business Manager of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, tenth floor. Envelopes containing proposals must be sealed and plainly marked "Proposal for Toilet Paper." The bid must be in duplicate. One copy, signed by the bidder, and accompanied by a certified check for one hundred dollars ($100), payable to the City of Boston, must be left at the office of the Business Manager on or before 12 o'clock noon on Tuesday, April 12, 1955. Copies filed with the Business Manager will be publicly opened and read at 12 o'clock noon of the day stated. The other copy, also signed by the bidder, must be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., previous to the time named for the opening of bids. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to accept the bid which it deems best for the interests of the city. The successful bidder will be required to furnish a suitable bond or deposit of money or otber security in the amount of not less than 50 per cent of the amount of the contract.

HENRY J. SMITH,
Business Manager of the School Committee.
(Mar. 26.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR GARDENING WORK.

The Trustees of the Public Library of the City of Boston, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invite sealed proposals for certain gardening work at twelve branch libraries as specified in the specifications.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Wednesday, April 6, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals shall be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Business Office of the Public Library of the City of Boston, Central Library, Copley square, Boston, Mass. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed and inclosed in a sealed envelope, plainly marked with the name of the bidder and the description of the work bid upon. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority designated above and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of the proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a certificate of deposit issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of one hundred dollars ($100), shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked. Bid bonds will not be accepted.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

Specifications for the work may be obtained on and after Monday, March 28, 1955, at the Business Office of the Boston Public Library, Copley square, Boston, Mass.

A performance bond, issued by a surety company satisfactory to the Awarding Authority, in the full amount of the contract, will be required of the successful bidder.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, and to accept or reject any portion or portions of bids, and to award the contract as it deems for the best interests of the city.

THE TRUSTEES OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY OF THE CITY OF BOSTON,

by JOHN CONNOLLY,
Assistant to the Director, and Chief Executive Officer.
(Mar. 26.)

occurred on January 15, 1954, when a motor truck belonging to the Paving Division, Public Works Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Anna Heirty.

Henry J. O'Brien, 23 Edgewood street, Roxbury, to be reimbursed in the sum of $100, as a result of an accident which occurred on June 17, 1953, when a motor truck belonging to the Sewer Division, Public Works Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Peter Giacobbi.

No. 67—369.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING ENVELOPES FOR THE PRINTING SECTION, PURCHASING DIVISION.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Tuesday, April 5, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Envelopes." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Mar. 26.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR RELOCATING FIRE ALARM BOXES.

The Fire Commissioner of the City of Boston, 115 Southampton street, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for relocating six (6) fire alarm boxes on A street, South Boston. A bond of an approved surety company doing business in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, in the full amount of the contract, will be required to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Fire Commissioner, 115 Southampton street. Each proposal must be signed by the bidder, placed in an envelope, sealed, and marked "Proposal for Relocating Fire Alarm Boxes," and left at the office of the Fire Commissioner, 115 Southampton street, before 12 o'clock noon of Friday, April 1, 1955, accompanied by a certified check for three hundred (300) dollars, payable to the City of Boston, and to be the property of said city as liquidated damages suffered by said city if, after acceptance of his proposal, the bidder shall fail to carry out said proposal. The proposals shall then and there be publicly opened for reading. Proposals must be made in duplicate, and the sealed duplicate, without check, must be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time for opening the proposals. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs, and laborers shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, schedule of which appears in the specifications. The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.), to all persons to be employed under this contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing will be required prior to the award of said contract. Plans and specifications may be obtained at the office of the Fire Commissioner, 115 Southampton street, Boston. The Fire Commissioner reserves the right to reject any and all proposals and to award the contract as he deems best.

FRANCIS X. COTTER,
(Mar. 26.) *Fire Commissioner.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR ELECTRICAL WORK AT THE PHILIP H. SHERIDAN SCHOOL, PRESCOTT AND TRENTON STREETS, EAST BOSTON, MASS.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for electrical work at the Philip H. Sheridan School, Prescott and Trenton streets, East Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Monday, April 4, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed and enclosed in an envelope, sealed, and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $150, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

Specifications and plans may be obtained at the office of the Awarding Authority on or after March 28, 1955.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do, in accordance with sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
(Mar. 26.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

No. 65—397.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING PIG LEAD FOR PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, WATER DIVISION.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Monday, April 4, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Pig Lead." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Mar. 26.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

SEWERAGE WORKS.

Proposals for Sewerage Works in DeStefano Road and Private Land, West Roxbury.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in DeStefano road, etc. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in DeStefano Road, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of WEDNESDAY, APRIL 6, 1955, with a certified check for THREE HUNDRED (300) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2) for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Mar. 26.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

No. 66—397.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING LEAD PIPE FOR PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, WATER DIVISION.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Monday, April 4, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Pipe." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Mar. 26.) *Purchasing Agent.*

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JOSHUA H. JONES, *Editor.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

STREET CONSTRUCTION.

Proposals for Bituminous Concrete Pavement in Alvarado Avenue, Ward 18, Fairview Avenue to Approximately 383 Feet Northwesterly; Chesterfield Street, Ward 18 (Formerly Vaughan Street), Readville Street to Manila Avenue; Danny Road, Ward 18 (Formerly Damrell Avenue), Reynold Road to Vallaro Road; Manila Avenue, Ward 18, Norton Street to Chesterfield Street; Reynold Road, Ward 18 (Formerly Nelson Street), Chesterfield Street to Como Road; Vallaro Road, Ward 18 (Formerly Stark Avenue), Como Road to Danny Road.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for bituminous concrete pavement in Alvarado avenue, etc. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Bituminous Concrete Pavement in Alvarado Avenue, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, APRIL 7, 1955, with a certified check for THIRTY-TWO HUNDRED (3,200) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previons to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2) for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing snch price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, npon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Mar. 26.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

SEWERAGE WORKS.

Proposals for Sewerage Works in Cutter Road and Lillie Way, West Roxbury.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Cutter road, etc. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Cutter Road, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of WEDNESDAY, APRIL 6, 1955, with a certified check for TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY (250) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals mnst be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Anditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2) for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing snch price. The rate per honr of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffenrs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Mar. 26.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

READVERTISEMENT of Proposal No. 18.

No. 64—399.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING LOAM FOR CITY DEPARTMENTS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Friday, April 1, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, withont check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Loam." The successful bidder must fnrnish a faithful performance bond fer one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a snrety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Mar. 26.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

REAL PROPERTY BOARD. PROPERTY DIVISION.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

APRIL 5, 1955, ON THE PREMISES.

	Upset Price.	Deposit.
9.20 A.M.—Vacant land, 27 Lyndeboro' Street, 396 Main Street, 4&10 Middlesex Street (corner of Middlesex and Main Streets), Charlestown, 4,583 square feet.	$1,000	$500
9.30 A.M.—Vacant land, 9&10 Sherman Square, Charlestown, 1,926 square feet	100	400
9.45 A.M.—Vacant land, 28, 30, 32 I Street, corner East Second Street, South Boston, 2,662 square feet	350	350
10.05 A.M.—Vacant land, 106, 108, 110 Hunneman Street, Roxbury, 3,252 square feet	600	500
10.20 A.M.—3-story frame, occupied, 286 Amory Street, West Roxbury, 2,964 square feet	1,000	500
10.35 A.M.—Vacant land, Wood Avenue, Lot 495, adjacent 41 Wood Avenue, Hyde Park, 1,600 square feet	100	100
10.45 A.M.—Vacant land, Ruskindale Road, Lots 132, 133, opposite 20 Ruskindale Road, Hyde Park, 7,200 square feet	350	350
10.50 A.M.—Vacant land, Ruskindale Road, Lots 355, 356, 357, 30 feet from Ralston Road, Hyde Park, 11,377 square feet	500	500
11.15 A.M.—Vacant land, Westminster Street, Lot A-2, rear of 85 Providence Street, Hyde Park, 2,128 square feet	200	200
11.30 A.M.—Vacant land, Water Street, part of Lot 2, 40 feet from Cottage Street, Hyde Park, 680 square feet	100	100
11.45 A.M.—Vacant land, Cottage Street, northeasterly side, adjacent to 10 Faraday Street, Hyde Park, 17,265 square feet	300	300
12.00 NOON—Vacant land, Vernon Street, Lots 85, 86, 87, adjacent 37 Vernon Street, Hyde Park, 9,000 square feet	200	200
12.15 P.M.—Vacant land, Riverview Street, Lot 8 and Upland Street, Lot 9 (corner lots), West Roxbury, 9,945 square feet	400	400
1.30 P.M.—Vacant land, Freeport Street, easterly side, rear, between railroad and Dorchester Bay, Dorchester, 99,165 square feet (Sale on this parcel only to be held Room 809, City Hall Annex.)	500	500

The Chairman reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

For further information call LA 3-5100, line 236.

HERMAN CARP, *Chairman.* JOHN J. MCGRATH, *Auctioneer.*

(Mar. 26.)

THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING KRAFT PAPER GARBAGE CONTAINERS FOR BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing Kraft paper garbage containers for the Boston public schools. Proposal forms are obtainable at the office of the Business Manager of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, tenth floor. Envelopes containing proposals must be sealed and plainly marked "Proposal for Kraft Paper Garbage Containers." The bid must be in duplicate. One copy, signed by the bidder, and accompanied by a certified check for one hundred dollars ($100), payable to the City of Boston, must be left at the office of the Business Manager on or before 12 o'clock noon on Monday, April 11, 1955. Copies filed with the Business Manager will be publicly opened and read at 12 o'clock noon of the day stated. The other copy, also signed by the bidder, must be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., previous to the time named for the opening of bids. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to accept the bid which it deems best for the interests of the city. The successful bidder will be required to furnish a suitable bond or deposit of money or other security in the amount of not less than 50 per cent of the amount of the contract.

HENRY J. SMITH,
Business Manager of the School Committee.
(Mar. 26.)

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

Room 20, City Hall. Tel. LA 3-1100.
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MAYOR NAMES COMMITTEE OF 75 LEADING CITIZENS TO RAISE FUND TO BUY FAMOUS PAINTING OF "WASHINGTON AT DORCHESTER HEIGHTS" AS ART TREASURE FOR CITY OF BOSTON—NOW WORTH $7,500 AND WILL GROW IN VALUE.

Mayor John B. Hynes has announced that he is naming a committee of 75 leading representative business and professional men to raise $7,500 through public subscription to buy the famous "Washington at Dorchester Heights" painting by Emanuel Luntze as an art treasure for the City of Boston.

The portrait, which stands 10 feet high, shows General Washington standing beside a cannon on Dorchester Heights watching the British fleet sail out of Boston Harbor with the British troops aboard that were evacuating the city under the pressure of his menacing guns. The picture is now owned by the Vose Galleries on Boylston street, where it is on display.

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COMPLETE LIST OF BIDDERS AND THEIR BIDS FOR COLLECTION AND REMOVAL OF GARBAGE AND REFUSE FOR CITY'S DISTRICTS MADE PUBLIC BY MAYOR HYNES—SUBMITTED BY PUBLIC WORKS COMMISSIONER GEORGE HYLAND.

The following is the letter with the complete list of bidders and their bids, approved by Mayor John B. Hynes, as submitted by Public Works Commissioner George G. Hyland for the collection and removal of garbage and refuse:

BOSTON, March 16. 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

Publicly advertised proposals were opened in this office last Wednesday, March 9. for collecting and removing garbage and refuse. These bids affect thirteen of the seventeen collection districts that comprise the entire city. Contracts in the other four districts were awarded in prior years for periods of two or three years, and said contracts are still in effect.

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$114,000,000 EXPENDITURE PROGRAM OF CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITIES FOR MAJOR IMPROVEMENTS IN BOSTON THROUGH 1960 MADE PUBLIC BY MAYOR JOHN B. HYNES—PRESENTS RECOMMENDATIONS OF CITY PLANNING BOARD—$14,000,000 ABOVE PROGRAM RECOMMENDED IN 1954—MADE POSSIBLE THROUGH LARGER CONTRIBUTIONS FROM FEDERAL AND STATE GOVERNMENTS AND INVESTMENT BY PRIVATE ENTERPRISE IN MUNICIPAL PROJECTS.

Mayor John B. Hynes has made public the fourth annual six-year capital improvement program submitted by the City Planning Board. This program, designed to provide a long-range viewpoint of construction activities, recommends a $114,000,000 expenditure for major improvements sponsored by the City of Boston through 1960.

The Planning Board points out that a $114,000,000 program is larger by $14,000,000 than the six-year program recommended last year. However, most of this increase is due to larger contributions from the state and federal governments and additional investment in municipal projects by private enterprise. Of the $14,000,000 total increase only $2,500,000 must be financed by the city. This small increase has been maintained in view of a basic policy to strengthen the long-range tax rate outlook in Boston and still provide an adequate physical plant for essential municipal services.

Two thirds of the $114,000,000, approximately $77,000,000, is to be made available from various municipal funds, including general and special revenue appropriations and loan issues. The remaining $37,000,000 is expected from the state for highways and schools; from the federal government for urban redevelopment and urban renewal; from trust funds for the Central Library; and from private enterprises for off-street parking garages in the downtown business area.

$64,684,000 Borrowing Program.

The Planning Board recommends a six-year city borrowing program totaling $64,684,000—an average of $10,800,000 per year. The report emphasizes, however, that almost $22,000,000 of this has already been authorized and is ready to be issued and used.

The 1955-60 capital improvement program schedules approximately $38,000,000 for the construction and reconstruction of transportation facilities, including streets, bridges, and off-street parking garages and lots. Necessary street and highway construction is expected to cost about $2,300,000 per year; bridge projects, an average of $1,400,000 per year (including $2,500,000 to be obtained from the state for the construction of the Malden Bridge over the Mystic River).

Among the traffic improvements included in the 1955 program is a new traffic oval at the intersection of the Riverway and Avenue Louis Pasteur to cost $150,000. Also scheduled for construction this year are off-street parking lots in Mattapan square, Cleary square in Hyde Park, and Uphams Corner in Dorchester. In order to alleviate the serious downtown parking problem, the report schedules an average of $2,500,000 per year for the construction of parking garages. The greater portion of this amount is to come from expected private investment.

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"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean;
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, April 4, at 2 P.M.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries, or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the Complaints Division, Room 25, City Hall.

Information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways, the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments of streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped area for streets and the opening of private ways; the making of specific repairs in public streets; the naming of public streets, including the use of public ways for location of conduits, poles, and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railways, coal holes, and vaults, may be secured from the Public Improvement Commission, Room 403, City Hall Annex.

TO THE BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION, 112 Southampton street, for information relative to regulation of vehicular street traffic on all or any streets, ways, highways, roads, and parkways under the control of the City of Boston, the issuing of all permits in connection therewith.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting, and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch basins, the operation of Sumner Tunnel, the maintenance of bridges and draw-bridges, and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Haymarket Square, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish, and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughterhouses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases, of public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth Avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park, and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts, also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview, and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

TO THE DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS, 28 Norman street, for information as to the construction and repair of school of buildings.

TO THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 907, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal, or tearing down of buildings.

TO THE ELECTRICAL INSPECTION DIVISION OF THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT, 1001 City Hall Annex, for all information relative to the erection of poles, building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division; also for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings of the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

TO THE BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT, 43 City Hall, relative to changes in the boundary lines of zoning districts of the City of Boston as established by chapter 488 of the Acts of 1924, and amendments thereto.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending March 26, 1955.

Population as of July, 1950, Massachusetts State Census, 817,713; population estimated July, 1954, United States Census Bureau, 810,633; number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 171; nonresidents, 68; total, 239.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 15.31; nonresidents deducted, 10.81.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:

Last week, 16.21; corresponding week last year, 13.56.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 13; one year to four years, inclusive, 3; sixty years and over, 160. Total deaths: Male, 144; female, 95; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 176.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Mar. 26, 1955.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Mar. 27, 1954.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior Poliomyelitis	—	—	—	—
Diphtheria	1	—	—	—
Encephalitis Lethargica	—	—	—	—
Influenza	—	—	—	—
Measles	105	—	48	—
Meningitis Epidemic	—	—	—	—
Pneumonia (lobar)	—	2	—	3
Scarlet Fever	56	—	11	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary)	24	1	14	5
Childhood Type Tuberculosis	—	—	—	—
Tuberculosis (other forms)	1	1	1	11
Typhoid Fever	—	—	1	—
Whooping Cough	6	—	6	—

* Residents and nonresidents included.

COMMITTEE NAMED TO RAISE FUND TO BUY FAMOUS PAINTING.

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After the picture is bought, it will be put on permanent display at the Boston Public Library, or such other place as may be designated by the Boston Art Commission.

"I have had connoisseurs examine this rare painting, and they report that it is not only worth $7,500, but that it will increase in value with the years," said the Mayor. "Furthermore," he said, "I understand there is no other portrait of value in existence depicting such a momentous occasion as the evacuation of Boston."

Heading the committee named by the Mayor is Capt. Thomas J. Carty, commanding officer of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Boston, whose members in 1776 served with Washington in helping to expel the 12,000 British troops that had held the city since the beginning of the Revolution, nearly a year before. J. Reed Morss, President of the Boston Five Cents Savings Bank, is treasurer.

"I hope that the acquisition of the painting by the city," said the Mayor, "will lead to a better understanding by our boys and girls of the events leading up to and surrounding the siege and evacuation of Boston. A study of that period will reveal to them the real causes of the Revolution and the most dramatic episode in all American history.

"Very little is recorded in American school textbooks about the evacuation of Boston. The reason, as pointed out by Frothingham in his famous notes on the event, is that it was a bloodless victory. It was a 'battle of brains' between General Washington and Lord Howe, and the Father of our Country prevailed.

"However, in the achievement of that victory Washington demonstrated a resourcefulness without parallel in American history. The hauling of 70 cannon weighing more than 105,000 pounds in the dead of winter on roughhewn sleds down through the trackless Berkshires from Fort Ticonderoga, New York, to Dorchester Heights, a distance of more than 400 miles, and the capture of two British merchantmen in Massachusetts Bay, to obtain powder and shot to feed the guns, are only two of the sensational incidents that took place in the driving of the British out of Boston.

"The effect of Washington's victory at Boston is now but an academic question.

Nevertheless, there are those who hold that without such an accomplishment the American Revolution would have failed. At any rate, the fact remains that it did electrify and hearten the American patriots throughout the entire thirteen Colonies and did prove that the Continental Army under Washington could successfully fight the professional British soldiers.

"The Boston Public Library would be an ideal place to exhibit the 'Washington at Dorchester Heights' painting. I hope that the Trustees will find a suitable place within the Library for its permanent display. It would make an excellent addition to the priceless Medal of Honor awarded by Congress to Washington in commemoration of the evacuation of Boston, the Washington Funeral Orations, the inimitable collection of Washington biographies, and numerous other Washingtoniana that now repose within its walls."

Contributions to help pay for the painting may be sent to Treasurer J. Reed Morss, at the Boston Five Cents Savings Bank, School street, Boston, Mass. Any sum, large or small, will be graciously and gratefully received. Checks should be made payable to the "Washington Committee."

$114,000,000 PROGRAM OF CONSTRUCTION PLANNED BY MAYOR.

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Educational and Recreational Facilities.

The second largest item in the program is the $36,000,000 for educational and recreational facilities. The six-year program schedules the construction of nineteen new elementary schools, one new high school, the start of a new junior high school, additions to five existing schools, three branch libraries, the start of an addition to the Central Library building, and four new large playgrounds:

Outstanding among the public utility projects recommended in the capital improvement program are the covering of the Stony Brook in Hyde Park, the reinforcing of the Hyde Park area high service water system, and two new incinerators (one in the South Bay area, the other in South Dorchester). All of these projects, except the incinerator in South Dorchester, are scheduled for this year.

This program recommends $3,000,000 for repairs to the City Hospital. The construction and financing of the new 500-bed chronic disease hospital at Long Island is scheduled to begin in 1955 and continue into 1957, at a cost of $5,400,000.

The New York Streets Project, the first in Boston's urban redevelopment program, is to be initiated this year through the purchase of land and the demolition of buildings. Another redevelopment project in the West End is scheduled to begin in 1957.

This year, for the first time, expenditures for urban renewal are included in the capital improvement program. This urban renewal program, which will augment the existing redevelopment program, will allow the city to attack the problem of neighborhood decay and prevent the further spread of blight. City and federal funds will be used to conserve and rehabilitate some areas while clearing and redeveloping others.

Four New Fire Stations.

The six-year program also includes the construction of four new fire stations and a new sea wall and security fence at Deer Island.

The Planning Board recommends that a total of $11,600,000 for new loans be authorized this year to finance the construction of highways, sewers, off-street parking garages, and municipal buildings. Also recommended are a $3,670,000 maintenance and general repairs loan (for the Hospital, Library, and Penal Institutions Departments), a $500,000 urban renewal loan, and a $1,000,000 equipment loan. These loan authorizations are not only for projects scheduled for 1955, but also for those scheduled for 1956 and 1957. This encourages proper planning and preparation and ensures on-schedule construction of the necessary improvements.

CIRCULAR LETTER NO. 4.

City of Boston,
Mayor's Office, March 30, 1955.

To All Department Heads.

You are hereby directed to grant leave of absence, without loss of pay, to employees of Jewish faith, for the observance of the Passover starting Wednesday, April 6, 1955, at 3.30 P.M. to and through Friday, April 8, 1955, ending at midnight.

Sincerely,

John B. Hynes, *Mayor.*

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 16.

I. Retirements.

The following retirements, in accordance with chapter 347, Acts of 1892, as amended by chapter 237, Acts of 1939, are hereby announced, to become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, March 30, 1955:

Lieut. Charles F. McCarthy, Ladder Company 22.

Lieut. James J. Kiley, Engine Company 54.

Ladderman Joseph F. Lynch, Fire Alarm Division.

The following retirement, in accordance with section 6, chapter 658 of the Acts of 1945, as amended, is hereby announced, to become effective at 4.30 P.M., Thursday, March 31, 1955:

Spray Painter Joseph Lalli, Maintenance Division.

The following retirement, in accordance with section 13, chapter 521 of the Acts of 1922, is hereby announced, to become effective at 8 A.M., Friday, April 1, 1955:

Hoseman Thomas J. Flaherty, Engine Company 19.

Lieutenant McCarthy was appointed to the Fire Department October 5, 1917, and was promoted to the grade of lieutenant January 6, 1939. Lieutenant Kiley was appointed January 4, 1918, and was promoted to the grade of lieutenant December 29, 1943. Ladderman Lynch was appointed July 10, 1912; Hoseman Flaherty was appointed December 10, 1937; Painter Lalli was appointed June 23, 1948.

All the foregoing-named members leave the department with the best wishes of their associates.

II. Resignation.

The following resignation, which became effective at 8 A.M., Tuesday, March 22, 1955, is hereby announced:

Ladderman Richard S. Doherty, Ladder Company 13.

III. Commendation.

Ladderman William C. Heeg of Ladder Company 25 is hereby commended for endeavoring to hold an extensive brush fire in check which was threatening adjoining property until the arrival of the department. He then assisted in the operations until dismissed by the district chief. He was off duty at the time.

By order of Fire Commissioner Francis X. Cotter.

John V. Stapleton,
Chief of Department.

SEWERAGE AND DRAINAGE PIPE IN DORCHESTER.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that 310 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sewer and 317 linear feet of 12-inch pipe surface drain be constructed at an estimated cost of $1,200 in Itasca street, Dorchester district, between Currier street and Almont street.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the undermentioned parcels of land situated on Itasca street, as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 1453B, Sewerage Works, Itasca Street, Dorchester, February 2, 1955, James W. Haley, Chief Engineer, Survey Division, Public Works Department," and on file in the office of this department, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement herein ordered, in the amounts hereinafter respectively set against them.

Parcel.		Amount.
1.	Robert and Esther E. W. Wilson,	$232 50
2.	City of Boston	232 50
3.	Edward Brown	232 50
4.	Grace Carter	232 50
5.	City of Boston	232 50
6.	John Henderson	232 50
7.	Edward Ship	232 50
8.	Salvatore V. and Ethel Amato	232 50
	Total	$1,860 00

Whereas, An order of the Board of Street Commissioners, approved by the Mayor March 11, 1924, recorded in the Registry of Deeds, March 22, 1924, Book 4558, page 202, said order provided for the taking of an easement for sewerage purposes in Itasca street, Dorchester district, and the construction of 350 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer, it is hereby

Ordered, That said order providing for the construction of sewerage works in the above-mentioned taking be, and the same hereby is, revoked and made void.

Ordered, That the assessment liens created by said order of March 22, 1924, be, and the same hereby are, canceled.

SEWERAGE WORKS IN WEST ROXBURY.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that sewerage works be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within thirty (30) days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly West Roxbury and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Arthur Wood, bounded:

Southerly by the northerly line of Veterans of Foreign Wars Parkway, 25.18 feet; westerly by other land supposed to belong to said Arthur Wood, 86.53 feet; northerly by other land supposed to belong to said Arthur Wood, 25 feet, and easterly by other land supposed to belong to said Arthur Wood, 83.47 feet, containing 2,125 square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: 100 feet of 10-inch pipe sewer and surface drain and 85 linear feet of 10-inch surface drain at an estimated cost of $1,750.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that certain parcels of land designated as Parcels 1 and 2 as shown on the plan hereinbefore described, situated at the northerly side of Veterans of Foreign Wars Parkway, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement herein ordered, each of said parcels in the amount hereinafter respectively set against it, said parcels and the supposed owner thereof being shown on the aforesaid plan and on file in the office of this department.

Parcel.		Amount.
1.	Arthur Wood	$300 00
2.	Arthur Wood	300 00
	Total	$600 00

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of an easement for sewerage purposes and the construction of sewerage works in Lillie Way, West Roxbury district, under the order of the commission of March 16, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

Arthur Wood, 2,125 square feet, nothing.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 2,020.

The following-named officer having requested retirement under the provisions of the Statutes of 1892, chapter 353, as amended, for the reason that he is incapacitated, it is hereby

Ordered, His Honor the Mayor having approved the same, that he be retired from active service in the Police Department, effective Thursday, March 24, 1955, at 7.45 o'clock A.M.:

Patrolman William F. McDonald, Division 9, 35 years of service.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,021.

The resignation of Patrolman John A. Sweeney of Division 16 having been presented, it is hereby accepted, to take effect on Monday, March 28, 1955, at 7.45 o'clock A.M., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,022.

Effective forthwith, all Civilian Defense stickers will be removed from the windshields of police cars in accordance with instructions from Col. John J. Maginnis, State Director of Civil Defense.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, for a trial period of sixty (60) days, the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective March 22, 1955:

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by striking out the following:

Carruth Street, Dorchester.
At Minot street.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," each of the following:

Adams Street.
At Parkman street.
Callender Street.
At Lucerne street.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

SIGNALMAN, BOSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT, MAY 7, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, April 18, 1955.

Salary: $83.63 a week.

Vacancies: At present there is one vacancy for a male, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: To respond to calls (day or night) for repair work necessary to keep the police communication system in order; to do periodic service work on all storage cells, motor generators, signal boxes, signal desks, and department P.B.X. switchboards; to test cables for crosses, grounds, opens and shorts, and locate troubles; to service light and bell systems; and to perform related work as required.

Familiarity with the following is required: Wiring and operation of a police signal system; wiring and maintenance of closed and open circuit registers and voice recording systems; telephone systems, including P.B.X. switchboards; care of storage cells, battery chargers, and motor generator sets; simple electrical mathematics.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

Certification Requirements: Possession of a Massachusetts journeyman electrician's license and a Massachusetts motor vehicle operator's license.

DIAGNOSTIC LABORATORY.

The work of the Boston Diagnostic Laboratory reflects the medical and lay interest in the causes and prevention of tuberculosis, Boston's highest bacterial cause of death and the fourth highest of all causes. With constant and continual immunization for diphtheria, typhoid fever, and whooping cough, and increased use of antibiotics in the treatment of venereal diseases, the annual total examinations for these latter diseases have not increased, while routine sputa examinations for tuberculosis have demanded a major part of the diagnostic services.

—Health Department Report.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees:

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.
Main Division.

For the week ending March 15:

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Esther Bandlow, 5 Reddy avenue, Hyde Park, 4 days; Priscilla Beckwith, 686 Massachusetts avenue, 2 days; Lillian Blackburn, 18 Park Vale avenue, Allston, 4 days; Louise Blanchard, 31 Eaton street, East Milton, 1 day; Dolores Buckley, 549 Park street, Dorchester, 4 days; Rita Buscher, 238 Norfolk street, Wollaston, 2 days; Ruby Childs, 270 Huntington avenue, Roxbury, 6 days; Gertrude Clark, 13 Rosa street, Hyde Park, 1 day; Martha Costello, 17 Henshaw street, Brighton, 2 days; Marcelyn Curry, 64 Rosseter street, Dorchester, 3 days; Adele Daly, 30 Aspinwall avenue, North Weymouth, Norma Dean, 696 Massachusetts avenue, 7 days; Patricia Doucette, 352 Athens street, South Boston, 5 days; Jean Darraugh, 568 East Sixth street, South Boston, 3 days; Eleanor Duffley, 35 Edwin street, Dorchester, Mary Edwards, 428 Adams street, Dorchester, 1 day; Dolores Flanagan, 4 Buick street, Watertown, 4 days; Wanda Geragosian, 10 Independence avenue, Lexington, Jean Gerety, 13 Autumn street, Everett, 7 days; Ethel Goff, 40 Rockwell street, Dorchester, Virginia Hamilton, 827 River street, Mattapan, 3 days; Mary B. Healy, 163 East Cottage street, Dorchester, 5 days; Anne Lynskey, 52 Telsa street, Medford, 2 days; Loretta Lynch, 270 Huntington avenue, 6 days; Rita McCallum, 162 Bowdoin street, Dorchester, 2 days; Veronica McElligott, 34 Dickinson street, Somerville, 6 days; Catherine McGuinness, 14 Alsen road, Dorchester, Marguerite Mackesey, 79 First street, Medford, 4 days; Mary R. Mahan, 29 Kempton street, Anna Murphy, 115 Peterborough street, 3 days; Claire Murphy, 32 Worcester square, 5 days; Mary Murphy, 37 Hampden Circle, Wollaston, 1 day; Helen Nauss, 47 West Newton street, Phyllis Nigro, 271 Dartmouth street, 3 days; Estelle Paris, 178 Fayerweather street, Cambridge, 2 days; Angelina Peyton, 16 Dane street, Jamaica Plain, 4 days; Dora Picarsky, 31 Edison Green, Dorchester, 2 days; Grace Powers, 16 Spaulding street, Dorchester, 1 day; Mary Pursley, 38 Van Brunt street, Hyde Park, 4 days; Helen Rodriguez, 97 Spring street, West Roxbury, Edmund Shea, 29 East Concord street, Mabel Smith, 87 Bartlett road, Winthrop, Anna Stankard, 79 Edwin road, Waltham, 1 day; Margaret M. Sullivan, 28 Weymouth street, Holbrook, 3 days; Isabel Sutton, 121 Boston street, Dorchester, 7 days; Doris Stoddard, 50 Aldie street, Allston, 2 days; Josephine Trippe, 80 Orleans street, East Boston, Josephine Tyman, 39 Burnham street, Somerville, Theresa Wagner, 12 Medford street, Ila Ward, 79 Warren street, Roxbury, 5 days; Kathryn Welch, 49 East Springfield street, 7 days; Lucille Furega, 14 Kilsyth road, Medfield, 1 day.

The following doctors have been appointed:

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TAX ABATEMENT DECISIONS RENDERED BY THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS FOR THE WEEK ENDING MARCH 4.

LEGEND.

* Appellate Tax Board Settlement. ¶ Illegal assessment. ‖ Chapter 59-5.
† Appellate Tax Board Decision. § Duplicate assessment. = Chapter 58-8.
‡ Overvaluation Settlement by Board of Assessors. x Chapter 231.

Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Theopold, Philip H., et al.	270 Congress st.	3—1949	$9,940.00	$852.00	*
Pioneer Realty Co.	24 Kelly sq.	1—1950	2,898.00	1,008.00	*
Taylor, Wm. O., et al., Trustees	41 Broad st.	3—1950	3,150.00	1,260.00	*
Theopold, Philip H., et al.	270 Congress st.	3—1950	11,025.00	945.00	*
One Seventy Nine South St., Inc.	179 South st.	3—1951	8,164.00	2,512.00	*
Taylor, Wm. O., et al., Trustees	41 Broad st.	3—1951	3,140.00	1,256.00	*
Theopold, Philip H., et al.	270 Congress st.	3—1951	10,990.00	942.00	*
Forbes, F. Murray, et al.	376 Boylston st.	5—1951	20,096.00	2,198.00	*
Cabot, George E., et al.	30 Ipswich st.	5—1951	8,792.00	942.00	*
Andelman, Rose, et al.	53 Canal st.	3—1952	8,350.00	1,670.00	*
Lebow, Bessie, Estate of	14 Washington st.	3—1952	11,690.00	2,338.00	*
Luneau, Laurence L.	5 West st.	3—1952	10,020.00	2,672.00	*
Newhall, Charles A., et al.	75 Bromfield st.	3—1952	40,080.00	3,340.00	*
One Seventy Nine South St., Inc.	179 South st.	3—1952	8,684.00	2,672.00	*
One Park St., Inc.	1 Park st.	3—1952	13,360.00	4,008.00	*
Taylor, Wm. O., Trustees	41 Broad st.	3—1952	3,340.00	1,336.00	*
Theopold, Philip H., et al.	270 Congress st.	3—1952	11,690.00	1,002.00	*
Theopold, Philip H., et al.	135 Federal st.	3—1952	6,680.00	1,536.40	*
Theopold, Philip H., et al.	137 Federal st.	3—1952	8,016.00	1,803.60	*
Theopold, Philip H., et al.	62 Summer st.	3—1952	13,360.00	1,670.00	*
Westland Realty, Inc.	39 Hemenway st.	4—1952	4,008.00	334.00	*
Cabot, George E., et al.	30 Ipswich st.	5—1952	9,352.00	1,002.00	*
Forbes, F. Murray, et al.	376 Boylston st.	5—1952	21,376.00	2,338.00	*
New England Trust Co.	99 Newbury st.	5—1952	13,360.00	1,002.00	*
Boston Wharf Co.	34 Midway st.	6—1952	11,489.60	2,805.60	*
Kaufman, Murry, et al.	784 Huntington av.	10—1952	8,016.00	1,336.00	*
Gomberg, Benjamin A., et al.	962 Blue Hill av.	14—1952	2,004 00	534.40	*
Sherman, Celia A.	583 Washington st.	17—1952	9,318.60	1,302.60	*
Kwatcher, William, et al.	105 Woodhaven st.	18—1952	541.08	40.08	*
Tileston & Hollingsworth	892 River st.	18—1952	27,521.60	6,813.60	*
Costello, Bernard S.	102 Border st.	1—1953	11,665.50	4,100.60	*
Andelman, Rose, et al.	53 Canal st.	3—1953	8,837.50	1,767.50	*
Lebow, Bessie, Estate of	14 Washington st.	3—1953	12,372.50	1,767.50	*
Luneau, Laurence L., Inc.	5 West st.	3—1953	10,605.00	2,828.00	*
Newhall, Charles A., et al.	100 Tremont st.	3—1953	42,420.00	3,535.00	*
One Park St., Inc.	1 Park st.	3—1953	14,140.00	3,535.00	*
Stone, Mollie L.	88 Essex st.	3—1953	3,888.50	388.85	*
Taylor, William O., et al.	41 Broad st.	3—1953	3,535.00	919.10	*
Theopold, Philip H., et al.	135 Federal st.	3—1953	7,070.00	1,626.10	*
Theopold, Philip H., et al.	137 Federal st.	3—1953	8,484.00	1,908.90	*
Theopold, Philip H., et al.	62 Summer st.	3—1953	14,140.00	1,767.50	*
Theopold, Philip H., et al.	52 Summer st.	3—1953	31,815.00	12,372.50	*
Westland Realty, Inc.	39 Hemenway st.	4—1953	4,242.00	353.50	*
Cabot, George E., et al.	30 Ipswich st.	5—1953	9,898.00	1,060.50	*
Forbes, F. Murray, et al.	376 Boylston st.	5—1953	22,624.00	2,474.50	*
New England Trust Co.	99 Newbury st.	5—1953	14,140.00	1,060.50	*
Boston Wharf Co.	34 Midway st.	6—1953	12,160.40	2,969.40	*
Kaufman, Murray	784 Huntington av.	10—1953	8,484.00	1,414.00	*
Able, Sam	95 Willowwood st.	14—1953	989.80	282.80	*
Gomberg, Benjamin A.	962 Blue Hill av.	14—1953	2,121.00	565.60	*
Sherman, Celia A.	583 Washington st.	17—1953	9,862.65	1,378.65	*
Kwatcher, William, et al.	105 Woodhaven st.	18—1953	572.67	42.42	*
Tileston & Hollingsworth	892 River st.	18—1953	29,128.40	7,211.40	*
Able, Sam, et al.	550 Centre st.	19—1953	2,686.60	353.50	*
Gulf Oil Corp.	154 Chestnut Hill av.	21—1953	4,949 00	1,414.00	*
Gulf Oil Corp. of Penn.	1365 Boylston st.	21—1953	2,474.50	494.90	*
Linden Realty, Inc.	101 Brighton st.	21—1953	7,070.00	1,060.50	*
Costello, Bernard S.	102 Border st.	1—1954	11,028.40	4,048.40	‡
Costello, Bernard S.	170 Border st.	1—1954	4,606.80	1,465.80	‡
Merchants Wool Scouring Co.	1069 Mill st.	1—1954	2,861.80	209.40	‡
States Marine Corp.	120 Border st.	1—1954	6,002.80	2,017.22	‡
States Marine Corp.	148–166 Border st.	1—1954	5,053.52	2,094.00	‡
Carr, Frank, et al.	220 Bunker Hill st.	2—1954	558.40	69.80	‡
Anchor Realty Corp.	179–193 South st.	3—1954	9,074.00	2,792.00	‡
Andelman, Rose, et al.	53 Canal st.	3—1954	8,725.00	1,745.00	‡
Bombardieri, Pietro	199 North st.	3—1954	837.60	69.80	‡
Chandler & Co., Inc.	149 Tremont st.	3—1954	101,210.00	17,450.00	‡
Dettore, Augusto	3 Snow Hill st.	3—1954	1,185.50	139.60	‡
Doe, William A., et al.	33 Court st.	3—1954	13,960.00	2,792.00	‡
Fistel, A. L.	140–144 Oliver st.	3—1954	1,605.40	558.40	‡
Foster, Edith	52–56 Summer st.	3—1954	31,410.00	17,450.00	‡
Friedman, Henry, Trustee	134–136 Lincoln st.	3—1954	1,954.40	558.40	‡
Friedman, Sally S., et al.	130–132 Lincoln st.	3—1954	2,443.00	698.00	‡
Gattuso, Domenic	9 North Market st.	3—1954	2,094.00	349.00	‡
Gulf Oil Corp.	612 Atlantic av.	3—1954	18,148.00	1,047.00	‡
Gulf Oil Corp.	245 Cambridge st.	3—1954	2,094.00	293.16	‡
Hark, Jaeob, et al.	7–9 Marshall st.	3—1954	8,376.00	1,396.00	‡
L. R. C. Realty Corp.	47 Essex st.	3—1954	5,235.00	1,396.00	‡
Luneau, Laurence L., Inc.	5 West st.	3—1954	10,470.00	2,792.00	‡
Marcus, Louis	112 Lincoln st.	3—1954	5,933.00	1,047.00	‡
Matthew, Elias K.	25 Arch st.	3—1954	4,188.00	1,396.00	‡
Newhall, Charles A.	75 Bromfield st.	3—1954	41,880.00	3,490.00	‡
Park St. Holding Corp.	1 Park st.	3—1954	13,960.00	3,490.00	‡
Salem, Josephine	57 Oak st.	3—1954	209.40	34.90	‡
Schmid, John G., et al.	41–45 Broad st.	3—1954	3,001.40	907.40	‡
Stone, Mollie L.	88 Essex st.	3—1954	3,839.00	383.90	‡
Theopold, Philip H., et al.	135–137 Federal st.	3—1954	6,980.00	1,605.40	‡
Theopold, Philip H., et al.	139 Federal st.	3—1954	8,376.00	1,884.60	‡
Theopold, Philip H., et al.	62–64 Summer st.	3—1954	13,960.00	1,745.00	‡
Gulf Oil Corp.	419 Columbus av.	4—1954	2,094.00	279.20	‡
Shapiro, Morris, Trustee	39 Hemenway st.	4—1954	4,188.00	349.00	‡
Burke, Mark M.	80 Commonwealth av.	5—1954	1,605.40	418.80	‡
Cabot, George E., et al.	30 Ipswich st.	5—1954	9,772.00	1,047.00	‡
Conley, John C.	73 Carver st.	5—1954	523.25	174.50	‡
Forbes, F. Murray, et al.	376 Boylston st.	5—1954	22,336.00	2,443 00	‡
Redstone, Michael	52 Broadway	5—1954	698.00	69.80	‡
Redstone, Michael	54 Broadway	5—1954	2,443.00	69.80	‡
Redstone, Michael	64 Broadway	5—1954	558.40	69.80	‡
Stephen Realty Corp.	255 Beacon st.	5—1954	10,470.00	1,396,00	‡
Sunrise Auto Theatre	46 Winchester st.	5—1954	1,814.00	69.80	‡
Sunrise Auto Theatre	130 Arlington st.	5—1954	6,631.00	209.40	‡

TAX ABATEMENT DECISIONS RENDERED BY THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS FOR THE WEEK ENDING MARCH 4.— Concluded.

LEGEND.

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† Appellate Tax Board Decision. § Duplicate assessment. = Chapter 58-8.
‡ Overvaluation Settlement by Board of Assessors. x Chapter 231.

Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
New England Trust Co.	99-101 Newbury st.	5—1954	$13,960.00	$1,017.00	‡
Binford Realty Co.	11 Wormwood st	6—1954	8,571.44	2,289.44	‡
Bishop, Roland J.	190 Emerson st	6—1954	418.80	69.80	‡
Boston Wharf Co.	34-38 Midway st	6—1954	12,005.60	2,931.60	‡
Lukas, Joseph, et al.	182 Emerson st	6—1954	502.56	69.80	‡
Nucci, Helen L.	555 East Broadway	6—1954	1,675.20	418.80	‡
Pasakarnis, Joseph L.	417 West Broadway	6—1954	1,465.80	349.00	‡
Strazdas, Mary	Vacant lot, East Seventh st.	7—1954	62.82	20.94	‡
Dulman Realty Corp.	2164 Washington st	8—1954	2,792.00	558.40	‡
Dasheff, Sadie	1920 Washington st	8—1954	251.28	34.90	‡
Dowd, Mary E.	48 Dudley st	9—1954	418.80	69.80	‡
Krekoukias, Isabella	1581 Washington st	9—1954	509.54	55.84	‡
Galvin, John J.	33 Parker Hill av	10—1954	488.60	69.80	‡
Kaufman, Murry, et al.	781 Huntington av	10—1954	8,376.00	1,396.00	‡
Masules, Paul J., et al	132 Williams st	11—1954	628.20	69.80	‡
Roman Catholic Archbishop, Boston	46 Brookside av.	11—1954	1,382.01	349.00	‡
Baker, Edward L., et al	97 Ruthven st	12—1954	488.60	34.90	‡
Connolly, Matthew T.	47 Belfort st	13—1954	314.10	69.80	‡
Able, Sam, et al.	95 Willowwood st	14—1954	977.80	279.20	‡
Fopiano, Frederick F.	8-10 Glenway st	14—1954	767.80	209.40	‡
Gomberg, Benjamin A.	962 Blue Hill av	14—1954	2,094.00	558.40	‡
Segelman, Max	157-165 Stanwood st	14—1954	1,116.80	209.40	‡
Segelman, Max	161 Intervale st	14—1954	977.20	139.60	‡
Stoller, Norman	1014 Blue Hill av	14—1954	3,141.00	349.00	‡
Whalen, Thomas F., et al.	142 Norwell st	14—1954	383.90	69.80	‡
Hurstack, Francis A.	265 Neponset av.	16—1954	460.68	160.54	‡
Spagnuolo, Gabriel	488 Ashmont st	16—1954	523.30	69.80	‡
Cobe, Hannah R.	27 Larchmont st	17—1954	467.66	69.80	‡
Hurwitz, Sam, et al.	664 Washington st	17—1954	907.40	209.40	‡
Kane, John A.	1 Moultrie st	17—1954	418.80	69.80	‡
Laider, Rebecca	10-12 Ferndale st	17—1954	530.58	69.80	‡
Lieui, Louise	55 Sanford st	17—1954	558.40	139.60	‡
Ruzzano, Peter, et al.	26-28 Codman st	17—1954	600.28	69.80	‡
Sherman, Celia W.	583 Washington st	17—1954	9,737.10	1,361.10	‡
Vaughan, Richard J.	288 Norfolk st	17—1954	621.22	69.80	‡
Cohen, Sadie	76-78 Lorna rd	18—1954	523.50	34.90	‡
Jarmand, Theresa V.	1396 River st	18—1954	279.20	34.90	‡
Kwatcher, William, et al.	105 Woodhaven st	18—1954	565.38	41.88	‡
McArdle, Gerald C.	10 Groveland st	18—1954	362.96	34.90	‡
Rabb, Sidney R., et al.	981 Morton st	18—1954	2,114.94	1,905.54	‡
Rabb, Sidney R., et al.	Vacant lot, Morton st	18—1954	698.00	649.14	‡
Rabb, Sidney R., et al.	Vacant lot, Morton st.	18—1954	2,736.16	2,443.00	‡
Rabb, Sidney R., et al.	Vacant lot, Morton st.	18—1954	698.00	663.10	‡
Sehnurr, William R.	76 Babson st	18—1954	502.56	97.72	‡
Tileston & Hollingsworth Co.	892 River st	18—1954	28,757.60	7,119.60	‡
Rabinovitz, Jacob, et al.	993 Morton st	18—1954	698.00	649.14	‡
Able, Sam, et al.	550 Centre st	19—1954	2,652.40	349.00	‡
Chipman, Walter J.	235 Hyde Park av	19—1954	1,047.00	349.00	‡
Goldstone, Mauriee	29 Neillian Crescent	19—1954	702.42	69.80	‡
Maloney, William F.	Vacant lot, Pond st., SE cr.	19—1954	104.70	34.90	‡
Maloney, William F. et al.	85 May st	19—1954	558.40	139.60	‡
Sargent, Charles S., Trustee	Vacant lot, Perkins st., Ns.	19—1954	1,081.90	362.96	‡
Sargent, Charles S., Trustee	Vac. lot, Sargent Crossway	19—1954	502.56	139.60	‡
Spector, Marilyn	650 Centre st	19—1954	3,699.40	1,047.00	‡
Bonner, Helen A.	284 Bellevue st	20—1954	383.90	34.90	‡
Chipman, Walter J.	V.L., Raymond st., Ws.	20—1954	174.50	69.80	‡
Chipman, Walter J.	V.L., Raymond st., Ws.	20—1954	244.30	104.70	‡
Chipman, Walter J.	V.L., Raymond st., Ws.	20—1954	174.50	69.80	‡
Curtis, Lawrence H., et al.	44 Greaton rd	20—1954	593.30	34.90	‡
Gainey, Jeremiah, et al.	29 Haydn st	20—1954	488.60	69.80	‡
McGaffigan, Margaret	222 Roslindale av	20—1954	453.70	69.80	‡
Sullivan, Richard T., et al.	553 La Grange st	20—1954	349.00	69.80	‡
Tide Water Assoc. Oil Co.	172 Belgrade av	20—1954	1,745.00	397.86	‡
Branded Oil System	1360 Commonwealth av.	21—1954	6,631.00	1,745.00	‡
Creidenberg, Samuel	114 Queensberry st	21—1954	1,116.80	349.00	‡
Flaskis, Comonis D.	97 Mountfort st	21—1954	767.80	139.60	‡
Goodman, Paul and Sophie	134 Orkney rd	21—1954	488.60	34.90	‡
Greb, Louis, Trustee	17 Radcliffe rd	21—1954	1,954.40	209.40	‡
Gulf Oil Corp.	154 Chestnut Hill av	21—1954	4,886.00	1,396.00	‡
Gulf Oil Corp.	1365 Boylston st	21—1954	2,443.00	488.60	‡
Gulf Oil Corp. of Penn.	1650 Commonwealth av.	21—1954	4,858.08	614.24	‡
Jobel Realty Corp.	120 Brainerd rd	21—1954	2,722.20	279.20	‡
Jobel Realty Corp.	130 Brainerd rd	21—1954	2,652.40	139.60	‡
Jobel Realty Corp.	261 Kelton st	21—1954	2,233.60	139.60	‡
Linden Realty, Inc.	101 Brighton av	21—1954	6,980.00	1,047.00	‡
Manganello, Almando, et al.	236 Kelton st	21—1954	3,210.80	279.20	‡
Manganello, Almando, et al.	232 Kelton st	21—1954	3,210.80	279.20	‡
Marino, Jennie	806 Beacon st.	21—1954	5,933.00	1,745.00	‡
Sullivan, John J., Jr.	26 Pratt st	21—1954	418.80	69.80	‡
Weiner, Israel, Realty	18 Bellvista rd	21—1954	4,188.00	349.00	‡
Fitzpatrick, Daniel J.	414 Washington st	22—1954	2,024.20	488.60	‡
Fitzpatrick, Daniel J.	Lot B, Washington st	22—1954	466.62	321.08	‡
Gulf Oil Corp. of Penn.	195 Market st	22—1954	3,594.70	977.20	‡
Martin, Isabel A.	Vacant lot, Foster st	22—1954	390.88	209.40	‡
Murphy, Edward J.	51 Etna st	22—1954	369.94	41.88	‡
PERSONAL PROPERTY.					
Merluzzi, Gino V.	99 Gladstone st	1—1954	$34.90	$34.90	¶
Puglisi, Leonard	720 Saratoga st	1—1954	139.60	34.90	‡
Melo Tone Music Co.	29 Sunnyside av	3—1954	244.30	244.30	¶
Metropolitan Automatic Sales Co.	21 Station st	3—1954	698.00	698.00	¶
Santoni, Alfred	22 Cambridge st	3—1954	27.92	13.96	‡
Sheinfeld, Ida	8 Winter st	3—1954	118.66	55.81	‡
Callahan, Eugene F.	632 Columbia rd	7—1954	20.94	20.94	¶
Greenberg, Rubin	288 Blue Hill av	13—1954	83.76	83.76	¶
Gomes, Joseph	278 Central st	16—1954	20.94	20.94	¶
Dolan, Charles B.	1140 Washington st	17—1954	55.84	41.88	‡
Samya, Namy	1620 Hyde Park av	18—1954	837.60	418.80	‡
King, Thomas	597 Washington st	22—1954	6.98	6.98	¶
Winsbee, A. C.	135 Market st	22—1954	34.90	34.90	¶

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Robert Wyatte Dockery, Alvardo Rodriguez, senior assistant residents, Ophthalmology, $132 a month; Enrique Rabinovitz, resident, Ophthalmology, $162 a month.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following appointments:

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Anne M. Grafton, 259 West Third street, South Boston, clerk and stenographer, $43 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Jean M. Gibson, 20 Spring Park avenue, Jamaica Plain, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Joseph H. White, 9 Upham avenue, Dorchester, junior building custodian, $55.50 a week.

William P. Intraversato, 12 Isabella street, environmental sanitation inspector, $73 a week.

Thomas F. Flaherty, 241 East Eighth street, environmental sanitation inspector, $70.50 a week.

Edward G. Duffy, 17 Parsons street, Brighton, environmental sanitation inspector, $73 a week.

Marilyn Cotter, 200 Mt. Vernon street, West Roxbury, dental hygienist, $58 a week.

Jane Pray, 73 Kemper street, Wollaston, dental hygienist, $58 a week.

Nicola Ferrovia, 9 Telegraph street, South Boston, collector of samples, $63 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Long Island Division.

Mary E. Moran, 62 Parkhurst street, Quincy, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Claudia Silinsky, 62 North Bayfield street, North Quincy, graduate nurse, $68 a week.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

House of Correction.

Dennis J. Corbett, 186 Sumner street, East Boston, correction officer, $63 a week.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

Property Division.

Reuben I. Weiner, 48 Lorne street, Dorchester, loading inspector, $65.50 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Joseph G. Griswold, 103 Mountfort street, social worker, $65.50 a week.

Vito Maniscalco, 275 Centre street, Jamaica Plain, social worker, $65.50 a week.

Mildred M. O'Neill, 84 Clarkson street, Dorchester, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following reinstatements:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Printing Section.

Edmund F. Butler, 45 Franklin Hill avenue, Dorchester, monotype keyboard operator, $96.25 a week.

Ella O. Pratt, 739 Broadway, Somerville, monotype keyboard operator, $96.25 a week.

Clinton E. West, 48 Oxford avenue, Belmont, monotype caster operator, $96.25 a week.

Henry B. Powers, 43 Hallowell street, Mattapan, monotype keyboard operator, $96.25 a week.

John P. Connolly, 110 Joyce-Hayes Way, South Boston, cylinder pressman, $93.86 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Kathleen M. Murphy, 4 Pleasant street, Dorchester, public health nurse, $73 a week.

Regina Rockett, 50 Bowdoin street, Dorchester, clerk and typist, $50.50 a week.

Francis X. Walsh, 26 Prospect avenue, West Roxbury, public health physician, $108.25 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Frederick J. Dunne, 14 Paisley park, Dorchester, clerk, $50.50 a week.

Catherine Curran, 44 Marmion street, Jamaica Plain, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Rose M. Breton, 57 East Springfield street, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Alice R. Cotter, 10 Potomac street, West Roxbury, clerk and typist, $45.50 a week.

Anna M. Flynn, 42 Pleasant Hill avenue, Dorchester, clerk and typist, $50.50 a week.

Betty L. Silverman, 5 Park Vale street, Brookline, head nurse, $65.50 a week.

Margaret L. Kelly, 4 Shepard place, Brighton, medical social worker, $73 a week.

Frances Canisius, 10 Plant court, Jamaica Plain, laboratory assistant, $45.50 a week.

M. Virginia Jones, 105 West Springfield street, dietitian, $76.50 a week.

Blanche Galbato, 2 Kemp street, South Boston, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

Margaret A. Lloyd, 96 Regent street, Roxbury, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

Ruth Harding, 36 Dennis street, Roxbury, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

Mary Roche, 15 Shepard street, Brighton, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

Harry W. Ritchie, 2 Cottage Street place, East Boston, second-class stationary engineer, $73 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

Dr. Yong Nak Park, 249 River street, Mattapan, resident physician, $65.50 a week.

Joelle Hiebert, 249 River street, Mattapan, resident physician, $162 a month.

James Burgo, 23 East Springfield street, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Ambrose Jackson, 125 West Concord street, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Ronald M. Hatch, 175 Bowen street, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Anthony Mancuso, 48 Reed street, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Paul J. McKenna, 44 West Cottage street, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Charles Ognibeni, 67 Salem street, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING MARCH 29.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
A. Golliski	15 Anson street	11	Alterations, dwelling	$975
Raytheon Manufacturing	2 Arthur street	22	Alterations, manufacturing	800
Edith Albonese	89 Bennington street	1	Alterations, dwelling	35
A. Cantillo	1000 Bennington street	1	Fire repair, store	450
Estate of David Williams	1 Blackstone street	3	Alterations, sales, storage	900
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Company	1-6 Bowdoin square	3	Alterations, telephone exchange office	600
Philip Gapen	10 Boylston street	3	Sign, store, office	150
Newbury Investment	98 and 100 Broadway	5	Alterations, stores	550
Salvation Army	55 Cambridge street	3	Alterations, dwelling	895
Realty Company	15 Chapman street	2	Alterations, dwelling	600
Realty Company	47 Chappie street	2	Alterations, dwelling	250
Dorchester Savings Bank	572 Columbia road	13	Excavation	None
Clarence Taylor	2 Cresthill road	22	Alterations, excavation	$100
Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston.	190 Cummins Highway	19	Alterations, school	1,000
Rose Zagzoug	1716 Dorchester avenue	16	Sign, stores	450
Little Sisters of Poor	424 Dudley street	8	Alterations, garage	1,000
Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston.	488 East Seventh street	7	Alterations, convent	265
James Tower	179 Emerson street	6	Alterations, dwelling	300
Marlow Realty Corporation.	73 Gainsborough street	4	Alterations, dwelling	150
Jacob Zaek	64 Greenwood street	14	Alterations, dwelling	75
Huntley's Inc	21 Hawkins street	3	Alterations, garage	200
Realty Company	1 Hayes Block	2	Alterations, dwelling	250
Realty Corporation	2 Hayes Block	2	Alterations, dwelling	250
Realty Company	3 Hayes Block	2	Alterations, dwelling	250
Philo Epps	98 Hooker street	22	Alterations, dwelling	450
Nicholas Digiromino	747 Hyde Park avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	450
William Bartholomew	5 Kevin street	13	Alterations, dwelling	575
Fitz Warehouse Corporation.	137 Kneeland street	3	Alterations, stage, office	1,400
P. A. & H. L. Knowlton	345 Marlboro street	5	Fire escape, dwelling	200
Arline D'Amico	261 Maverick street	1	Alterations, bakery	555
Margarite Daly	79 McBride street	11	Alterations, dwelling	300
Mayflower Creamery Co	76-82 Midway street	6	Alterations, storage	1,000
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Company.	125 Milk street	3	Alterations, office	800
Lawrence Litchfield	57 Montfern avenue	22	Alterations, dwelling	1,400
John J. Fay	154 Nonantum street	22	Alterations, dwelling	550
Napoleon Fongere	158 Nonantum street	22	Alterations, dwelling	250
Mary Drew	21 Oak street	2	Fire escape, dwelling	400
Patzy Leone	68 Orient avenue	1	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Joseph Joyce	77 Park street	16	Alterations, dwelling	468
Charles Stepnoski	721 Parker street	10	Alterations, dwelling	1,300
Geneal Bellabona	223½ Princeton street	1	Alterations, dwelling	250
Dreyfus Properties	1 School street	3	Sign, store, office	750
Alfred Lippold	50 Stimson street	20	Alterations, dwelling	150
William A. Plummer	6 Temple street	17	Alterations, dwelling	425
Louis Goldstine	19 Vesta road	14	Alterations, dwelling	150
Thompson's Spa	239 Washington street	3	Alterations, restaurant	95
C. W. Whittier	630 Washington street	3	Sign, store, office	850
Assoc. Evangelical Church	670 Baker street	20	Excavation	500
Ben Ullian	45 Broad street	3	Alterations, offices	200
Jennie Jacobs	127 Brookside avenue	11	Alterations, junk shop	300
Butler Real Estate Trust	168 Canal street	3	Sign, restaurant, manufacturing	800
Peter O'Toole	45 G street	7	Alterations, dwelling	400
Benjamin Ginsberg	Rear 12 Henley street	2	Alterations, storage, manufacturing	735
Marist Fathers of Boston	13 Isabella street	5	Sign, shop, dwelling	60
Dorothy Cisco	16 Kensington street	11	Alterations, dwelling	100
Hew F. Chin	94 and 96 L street	6	Alterations, dwelling	150
Sam Gorden	83 Lorna road	18	Alterations, dwelling	650
B. Abramson	314 Main street	2	Fire repair, store, dwelling	375
A. Miller	955 Morton street	18	Alterations, dwelling	275
Boston R. E. Trust	2 Park square	5	Alterations, store, office	250
Diabetes Foundation	170 Pilgrim road	4	Excavation	None
John Pavides	106 Pleasant street	14	Alterations, dwelling	$1,500
Franham, Inc	188 Providence street	18	Alterations, manufacturing	200
Wiggin Terminal	360 Rutherford avenue	2	Sign, storage	350
R & S Pickle, Works Inc	154 Terrace street	10	Alterations, manufacturing	750
Clunts & Long	33 Tremont street	3	Sign, store, office	100
C. W. Whittier	254 Washingtou street	3	Sign, store, office	800
Max Shapiro	21-27 Wormwood street	6	Alterations, warehouse, manufacturing	950
Boston Homes Realty	44 Ansonia road	20	Erect, dwelling	8,000
Martin Kenealy	4 Arion street	13	Alterations, dwelling	None
Arthur C. Inman	3 Arlington street	5	Alterations, office, dwelling	$1,500
Mary B. Rogers	35 Bearse avenue	17	Alterations, dwelling	350
A. W. Perry Inc	89-101 Bedford street	3	Alterations, store, office	6,000
Bentley School of Accounting and Finance.	925 Boylston street	5	Alterations, offices	24,000
John Hammers	43 Chittick road	18	Move, from Quincy, dwelling, garage	6,000
John Hachikian	819 East Fifth street	6	Alterations, dwelling	None
Sandra Julian	22 Eulita terrace	22	Alterations, dwelling	$150
Joseph DiNatale	75 Farrar avenue	18	Erect, dwelling	10,000
A. P. Levin	172-80 Federal street	3	Sign, restaurant, store, office	10,000
Arthur C. Ryley	26 Forest street	18	Erect, dwelling	10,000
Anna Bell Keyes	52 Forest street	8	Alterations, dwelling	None
Wm. Filene's Sons Company	11-15 Franklin street	3	Alterations, store	$12,000
Nikolai Wassilow	19 Gates street	7	Alterations, dwelling	None
Frederick Tinory	17 Hautevale street	18	Alterations, dwelling	$2,200
Northeastern University	330 Huntington avenue	4	Alterations, school	50,000
William Rutfield	6 Iola street	14	Fire repair, dwelling, office	950
Umberto Tagliani	22 Isabella street	5	Alterations, dwelling	None
Lee Crane Service, Inc	31 Island street	8	Alterations, storage	$4,000
Feathercroft Company	30-32 Lancaster street	3	Alterations, furniture repair, storage	4,000
Anthony Olivieri	66 Lewiston street	18	Erect, dwelling	12,000
Boston Edison Company	350 Lincoln street	22	Erect, transformer foundation	10,000
Hilda Callahan	51 Malcolm road	19	Erect, dwelling	9,000
Calvin Stanton	230 Marlborough street	5	Alterations, dwelling	None

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING MARCH 29.—Concluded.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Charles Costa	47 Mossdale road	20	Erect, dwelling	$21,000
Helen Wales Wellington	92 Mt. Vernon street	5	Alterations, dwelling	1,900
Carmello Gretto	9 New Heath street	11	Alterations, dwelling	None
Dovercraft, Inc.	82 Oakland street	22	Erect, dwelling	$11,900
Boston Plumbing Company	140-141 Oliver street	3	Alterations, storage, manufacturing	8,000
Joseph Tarquino	177 Orient avenue	1	Erect, dwelling	15,000
Pauline Manfra	177 Perham street	20	Erect, dwelling	8,000
Pauline Manfra	182 Perham street	20	Erect, dwelling	8,000
Charles Nichols	225 Perham street	20	Erect, dwelling	8,000
Alfred Trocchio	1800 River street	18	Erect, dwelling	10,000
Ferdinando Coscia	751 Saratoga street	1	Fire repair, dwelling	1,500
Paul R. Geist	45 Schiller road	20	Alterations, dwelling	2,000
Joseph Andreassi	60 Starbird street	18	Erect, dwelling	25,000
Harvard University	3 Shattuck street	4	Alterations, laboratories	40,000
Dovercraft, Inc.	29 Sunnyside street	18	Erect, dwelling	12,000
White Tower	281 Tremont street	5	Erect, office	500
Albert Steffins	1210 V. F. W. Parkway	20	Erect, show room	86,000
Howard Kurzner	166 Talbot avenue	14	Alterations, stores	800
Melvin Myers	112 Whitcomb avenue	18	Erect, dwelling	10,000
Heward Ettegood	64 Aldie street	22	Alterations, dwelling	720
Steve Lujack	140 Athens street	6	Fire repair, dwelling	650
Socony Vacuum	1181 Blue Hill avenue	14	Alterations, gas station	230
Morris Hoffman	1075 Boylston street	4	Alterations, office, dwelling	350
Joseph Damigella	239 Dorchester street	6	Fire escape, dwelling	100
Max Strackman	23 Harvard street	14	Alterations, dwelling	1,850
J. F. Fiore	881 East First street	7	Alterations, warehouse	2,000
Frederick Beebe	61 Hawthorne street	19	Alterations, dwelling	245
Francis Keuefick	86 Hawthorne street	19	Alterations, dwelling	400
George Lynch	103 Hawthorne street	19	Alterations, dwelling	375
Nellie Twomey	34 Mystic street	2	Fire escape, dwelling	100
Nellie Twomey	36 Mystic street	2	Fire escape, dwelling	100
L. McLean	4 Pinckney street	5	Fire escape, lodging house	125
Joseph Damigella	218 West Eighth street	6	Fire escape, dwelling	100

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM PLUMBING FOR THE WEEK ENDING MARCH 29.

Plumber.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
H. Heath	98 Barnes avenue	1	Fixtures	$425
D. Yorks	2634 Centre street	20	Fixtures	500
D. Yorks	2638 Centre street	20	Fixtures	500
M. Caputo	576 East Broadway	6	Fixtures	980
F. Ingraham	1 Essex street	3	Fixtures	50
T. Deltufo	91 Hamilton street	15	Fixtures	500
L. Mahoney	33 Island street	8	Fixtures	500
C. Lang	623 La Grange street	20	Fixtures	25
A. Hird	15 Lithgow street	17	Fixtures	500
B. Shillman	209 Manchester street	17	Fixtures	900
R. Wambolt	125 Parker Hill avenue	10	Fixtures	5,000
P. Winters	52 Temple place	3	Fixtures	1,500
S. Litman	32 Ash street	3	Fixtures	1,300
M. Alexander	120 Brookside avenue	11	Fixtures	600
F. Trebucco	11 Landor road	14	Fixtures	230
R. Ebba	71 Lexington street	1	Fixtures	200
William Joyce	45 Malcolm road	19	Fixtures	1,000
D. Greenwood	40 McBride street	19	Fixtures	150
J. Wilson	47 Mead street	2	Fixtures	150
R. Ebba	191 Princeton street	1	Fixtures	400
J. McCusker	1230 Soldiers Field road	22	Fixtures	14,000
M. Alexander	32 Veterans of Foreign Wars Parkway.	20	Fixtures	1,700
J. Henderson	11 Brier road	20	Fixtures	450
F. Carlson	77 Cabot street	9	Fixtures	450
G. Carpenter	36 Gardena street	22	Fixtures	300
E. Ardini	10 High street	3	Fixtures	90
William Hogan	805 Huntington avenue	10	Fixtures	500
H. Hinckley	56 Jamaica street	19	Fixtures	210
A. Cobb	34 Maple street	20	Fixtures	100
M. Slishman	8 Norway park	18	Fixtures	800
M. Slishman	12 Norway park	18	Fixtures	800
A. Milligan	120 Temple street	20	Fixtures	1,000
J. Kurhan	111 Waldemar avenue	1	Fixtures	200
A. Milligan	34 Westover street	20	Fixtures	1,000
D. Yorks	26 Richrow street	17	Fixtures	500
A. Milligan	11 Atlantis street	20	Fixtures	500
B. Mullen	105 Belnel road	18	Fixtures	200
L. Marchant	1 Boylston street	3	Fixtures	300
A. Milligan	20 Chesborough road	20	Fixtures	1,000
R. Kirby	35 Melrose street	5	Fixtures	1,000
G. Trethewey	41 Newburg street	20	Fixtures	200
William Connell	287-289 Old Colony avenue	7	Fixtures	200
R. Coughlan	15 Raymond street	22	Fixtures	600
A. Nickinello	52 South street	19	Fixtures	1,000
S. Whitcombe	398 Washington street	3	Fixtures	1,200
E. Dorr	95 Brooks street	21	Fixtures	175
A. Grogan	77 Fuller street	17	Fixtures	400
J. Zinchuk	25 Maplewood street	20	Fixtures	1,500
C. Beden	767 Morton street	14	Fixtures	150

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Clarence W. Sears, 2 Claremont street, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Paul Lombardi, 93 Cummins Highway, Roslindale, hospital medical worker, $45.50 a week.

Elizabeth Jones, 11 Juliette street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $45.50 a week.

Parks and Recreation Department.

Patrick J. Earner, 16 East Brookline street, laborer, $53 a week.

Public Works Department.

Water Division.

Maria Cardinale, 161 Trenton street, East Boston, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Marguerite Ewing, 34 Windsor street, Roxbury, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Ronald P. Coyne, 26 Beechland street, Roslindale, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Helen V. Gurney, 649 East Seventh street, South Boston, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Natalie Mint, 21 Neillian Crescent, Jamaica Plain, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Joan F. Tobin, 80 Spencer street, Dorchester, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following changes in status:

Assessing Department.

John A. Wall, 18 Beechcroft street, Brighton, from junior engineering aid (permanent) at $58 a week to senior engineering aid, draftsman (temporary for three months) at $68 a week.

Auditing Department.

John F. Fitzpatrick, Jr., 72 Winthrop street, Charlestown, from principal accountant at $117.75 a week to assistant city auditor (temporary, six months, pending examination) at $122.50 a week.

Timothy F. Coffey, 72 Hancock street, Dorchester, from senior accountant at $98.75 a week to principal accountant (temporary, six months) at $103.50 a week.

John J. Martin, Jr., 180 O'Callaghan Way, South Boston, from principal account examiner at $87 a week to senior accountant (temporary, six months) at $90.50 a week.

Henry J. Creutz, 44A Charles street, from principal account examiner at $87 a week to senior accountant (temporary) at $90.50 a week.

Health Department.

Mary E. Manning, 21 Upland avenue, Dorchester, from head clerk (temporary) at $83.50 a week to head clerk at $83.50 a week.

John W. Canty, 45 Magdala street, Dorchester, from collector of milk samples at $63 a week to collector of samples at $63 a week.

Regina Rockett, 50 Bowdoin street, Dorchester, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to principal clerk and stenographer (temporary) at $65.50 a week.

Health Division.

Patrick J. Foley, 1 Arborway, Jamaica Plain, from dental supervisor at $112.37 a week to director of dental services at $122.50 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

John J. Moore, 52 East Springfield street, from senior hospital kitchen worker at $60.50 a week to principal hospital kitchen worker at $63 a week.

Michael J. Claffey, 188 Cabot street, Roxbury, from chef, temporary, at $115.66 a week to chef, permanent, at $115.66 a week.

Samuel Barber, 12 James street, from senior hospital kitchen worker at $65.50 a week to principal hospital kitchen worker at $68 a week.

Joseph Mansfield, 29 Valentine street, Roxbury, from senior hospital kitchen worker at $65.50 a week to principal hospital kitchen worker at $68 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Automotive Division.

Andrew C. Kane, 7 Monument square, Charlestown, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior clerk and typist (temporary) at $55.50 a week.

James H. Stewart, 35 West Eagle street, East Boston, from automotive engineer, Maintenance, Section C, at $108.25 a week to division engineer (temporary), Administrative A, at $151 a week.

Bridge-Tunnel Division.

Walter J. Tigges, 25 Thurston street, East Boston, from working foreman, machinery maintenance repairman, Maintenance, Section E, at $76.50 a week, to maintenance mechanic foreman (temporary), Maintenance, Section E, at $80 a week.

Highway Division.

Bernard F. Rogan, 30 Woodford street, Dorchester, from blacksmith's helper at $65.50 a week to blacksmith's helper at $68 a week.

William J. Gleavy, 26 Greenwich street, Dorchester, from working foreman paver, maintenance, at $73 a week to highway construction inspector, temporary, at $76.50 a week.

Ruthford J. Kelley, 223 Wren street, West Roxbury, from division engineer, temporary, at $158.39 a week to division engineer at $158.39 a week.

William D. Walsh, 31 Larchmont street, Dorchester, from junior engineering aid, Engineering and Construction, Section F, at $58 a week to senior engineering aid (temporary), Engineering and Construction, Section F, at $65.50 a week.

Sanitary Division.

Alfred G. Abberton, 185 Green street, Jamaica Plain, from laborer at $58 a week to street cleaning and waste collection inspector at $65.50 a week.

George L. Dexter, 34 Rogers street, South Boston, from heavy motor equipment operator and laborer at $63 a week to street cleaning and waste collection inspector at $65.50 a week.

Francis Walsh, 137 Centre street, Roxbury, from street cleaning and waste collection inspector, Street Cleaning, Section E, at $80 a week to district supervisor of street cleaning and waste collection, Waste Collection, Section C (temporary), at $83.50 a week.

Sewer Division.

Charles E. Hughes, 90 Grady court, East Boston, from laborer at $53 a week to motor equipment operator and laborer at $58 a week ($55.50 a week when in motor pool).

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING MARCH 29.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
M. Caputo	5 Althea street	16	Connecting heater	$195
D. Rull	24 Auckland street	13	Connecting heater	225
D. Rull	288 Bolton street	6	Connecting range	70
M. Caputo	576 East Broadway	6	Connecting range	35
M. Caputo	474 East Fourth street	6	Connecting range	55
D. Rull	819 East Second street	6	Connecting range	70
D. Rull	623 East Third street	6	Connecting range	30
M. Caputo	20 M street	6	Connecting heater	40
P. Gulesian	10 Halsey road	18	Connecting heater	200
D. Rull	326 K street	7	Connecting range	225
D. Rull	330 K street	7	Connecting range	35
C. Lang	623 LaGrange street	20	Connecting range	10
A. Hird	15 Lithgow street	17	Connecting range	150
P. Gulesian	596 Metropolitan avenue	18	Connecting range	400
P. Gulesian	6 Oak place	18	Connecting range	200
P. Gulesian	970 River street	18	Connecting range	200
C. Lang	24 Shaw street	20	Connecting range	25
B. Clancy	301 Shawmut avenue	3	Connecting range	45
A. Granara	333 Washington street	3	Connecting range	25
M. Caputo	339 West Broadway	6	Connecting range	400
P. Gulesian	243 Wood avenue	18	Connecting range	150
S. Litman	32 Ash street	3	Connecting range	150
C. Bevelander	135 Bay State road	5	Connecting range	40
F. Trabucco	25 Beacon street	18	Connecting range	65
F. Trabucco	9 Caton street	18	Connecting range	45
F. Farrar	35 Falmouth street	4	Connecting range	50
I. Gerson	25 Faulkner street	16	Connecting range	30
F. Trabucco	71 Freeport street	16	Connecting range	30
A. Granara	247 Hanover street	3	Connecting range	15
F. Farrar	155 Huntington avenue	4	Connecting range	65
F. Trabucco	11 Landor road	14	Connecting range	145
D. Greenwood	40 McBride street	19	Connecting heater	150
I. Gerson	61 Morton street	14	Connecting range	30
F. Trabucco	1 Myrtle place	13	Connecting heater	150
F. Trabucco	58 New Heath street	10	Connecting range	110
F. Trabucco	14 Oakley street	15	Connecting range	175
N. Clark	27 Pinewood street	18	Connecting range	300
F. Trabucco	491 Quincy street	15	Connecting range	70
C. Bevelander	Rugg road	22	Connecting range	50
F. Trabucco	14 Shepherd avenue	10	Connecting range	400
N. Clark	91 Topliff street	15	Connecting cooker	400
L. Viseo	171 Trenton street	1	Connecting range	40
I. Cohen	85 Van Ness street	5	Connecting range	145
I. Gerson	11 Wales street	14	Connecting range	40
A. DiLorenzo	1160 Washington street	3	Connecting range	50
I. Cohen	221 West Canton street	9	Connecting range	40
I. Gerson	98 Wheatland avenue	17	Connecting range	50
R. Weider	1147 Adams street	17	Connecting range	30
F. Carr	1 Allen street	3	Connecting range	40
S. Sawtelle	25 Beacon street	18	Connecting range	50
F. Carr	2 Bellingham place	5	Connecting range	20
S. Adams	23 Bluefield terrace	18	Connecting heater	185
H. Sellon	57 Burt street	17	Connecting range	95
S. Adams	11 Caddy road	17	Connecting heater	210
C. Kay	11 Carpenter street	8	Connecting range	125
S. Adams	78 Carruth street	16	Connecting heater	225
	137 Geneva avenue	14	Connecting range	35
F. Carr	9 Grove street	3	Connecting range	25
F. Carr	22 Henchman street	3	Connecting range	50
H. Hinckley	56 Jamaica street	19	Connecting heater	25
F. Carr	22 Leverett street	3	Connecting range	30
F. Carr	28 Leverett street	3	Connecting range	75
F. Carr	18 Lynde street	3	Connecting range	100
J. Marquess	14 Marcella street	11	Connecting range	30
S. Adams	41 Monadnock street	13	Connecting range	195
F. Carr	57 Myrtle street	5	Connecting range	10
J. Powers	77 Oak street	3	Connecting range	15
W. Connell	287 and 289 Old Colony av	7	Connecting heater	250
H. Haffer	22 Orkney road	21	Connecting heater	100
A. Onessima	114 Prince street	3	Connecting range	210
E. Ardini	21 Province street	3	Connecting range	25
J. Palumbo	68 Richfield street	15	Connecting range	35
F. Carr	50 River street	5	Connecting range	10
S. Adams	96 St. Marks road	16	Connecting range	245
S. Adams	52 Stonehurst street	15	Connecting heater	180
J. Kurhan	111 Waldemar avenue	1	Connecting range	500
J. Sullivan	72 Alexander street	13	Connecting range	45
C. Lee	13 Belden street	7	Connecting heater	25
C. Lee	522 Blue Hill avenue	12	Connecting range	10
A. Stahly	430 Bowdoin street	16	Connecting range	20
L. Marchant	1 Boylston street	3	Connecting range	40
M. Loiterstein	23 Bradshaw street	14	Connecting range	10
C. Lee	154 Brayton road	22	Connecting range	35
C. Lee	40 Brent street	17	Connecting range	10
M. Loiterstein	338 Centre street	10	Connecting range	15
N. Deutsch	19 Chelsea street	1	Connecting range	35
N. Deutsch	162 Cottage street	1	Connecting range	50
B. Gold	14 Derry road	18	Connecting range	50
M. Loiterstein	29 Donald road	14	Connecting range	35
C. Lee	764 East Broadway	6	Connecting range	25
C. Lee	769 East Sixth street	6	Connecting range	35
C. Lee	1 Everett avenue	13	Connecting range	10
C. Lee	28 Hull street	3	Connecting range	25
M. Loiterstein	52 McLellan street	14	Connecting range	10
A. Stahly	23 Mt. Ida road	15	Connecting range	50
G. Trethewey	41 Newburg street	20	Connecting heater	200
A. Stahly	19 Plain street	16	Connecting heater	40
G. Trethewey	516 Poplar street	18	Connecting range	40
N. Deutsch	156 Putnam street	1	Connecting range	45
G. Trethewey	249 Roslindale avenue	20	Connecting range	145
C. Lee	56 Savin Hill avenue	13	Connecting range	25
C. Lee	246 Seaver street	12	Connecting range	20
C. Lee	4 Shafter street	14	Connecting range	10

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING MARCH 29.—Concluded.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
C. Lee	82 Summer street	3	Connecting range	$75
O. McElearney	125 Summer street	3	Connecting heater	175
D. Gould	948 Tremont street	3	Connecting range	30
N. Deutsch	70 Trenton street	1	Connecting range	35
B. Clancy	439 Washington street	20	Connecting range	90
L. Marchant	56 West Cedar street	5	Connecting range	150
N. Deutsch	35 William J. Kelly square	1	Connecting range	500
B. Weiner	1222 Blue Hill avenue	14	Connecting range	350
E. Dorr	95 Brooks street	21	Connecting heater	35
J. Wilson	8 Cedar street	2	Connecting range	40
L. Rubinovitch	338 Commercial street	3	Connecting range	40
B. Gold	351 Corey street	20	Connecting range	35
B. Gold	10 Derry road	18	Connecting range	35
S. Campbell	47 Green street	3	Connecting range	45
V. DiPietro	71 Harvard street	14	Connecting range	35
H. Cornellisan	75 Lenoxdale avenue	16	Connecting range	50
V. Onessima	68 Middle street	6	Connecting range	40
C. Kay	28 Monadnock street	13	Connecting range	65
J. Thoma	7 Orchardale street	15	Connecting range	30
V. Onessima	288 Sumner street	1	Connecting range	10
A. Granara	37 Tileston street	3	Connecting range	35
A. Kellem	44 Upton street	9	Connecting range	35
D. Spiers	16 Weld street	20	Connecting range	395

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM BOILER WORK

FOR THE MONTH ENDING MARCH 31, 1955.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
H. Pugatch	120 Brookside avenue	11	Heater	$14,000
Mrs. Colbert	59 High street	2	Heater	150
R. Pancuccio	14 Franklin street	18	Heater	400
R. Pancuccio	24 Thompson street	18	Heater	450
C. Thompson	26 Westville street	18	Heater	300
J. Mullen	97 Lonsdale street	16	Heater	150
Stony Brook Village Corp.	15 Dietz road	18	Heater	500
Stony Brook Village Corp.	22 Kardon road	18	Heater	600
L. Carvealle	13 Winter street	18	Heater	1,000
Frank O'Reilly	979 Centre street	20	Heater	150
Georgette Trust	287 Old Colony avenue	6	Heater	100
J. Wilson	8 Cedar street	2	Heater	100
Russell Housing	355 Corey street	20	Heater	100
Lodge Construction Co.	10 Derry road	18	Heater	200
Lodge Construction Co.	14 Derry road	18	Heater	200
Lodge Construction Co.	15 Derry road	18	Heater	160
A. Palumbo	25 Maplewood street	20	Heater	1,700
F. Archambault	16 Weld street	20	Heater	250
W. Crawford	427 Faneuil street	22	Heater	1,000
M. Bergstrom	50 Keystone street	20	Heater	500
Mr. MacDonald	15 Maynard street	18	Heater	300

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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Edward H. O'Hara, 80 Rossmore road, Jamaica Plain, from laborer at $58 a week to bricklayer at $60.50 a week.

Water Division.

Edward C. Hoffman, 3312 Washington street, Jamaica Plain, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week to heavy motor equipment operator and laborer at $63 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following promotions:

Health Department.

Helen M. Bowen, 11 St. Martin street, Charlestown, from cashier at $73 a week to principal clerk and typist (temporary) at $76.50 a week.

Martha M. Goldrick, 22 McBride street, Jamaica Plain, from senior clerk and typist at $65.50 a week to cashier (temporary) at $68 a week.

Louis Tobin, 20 Shafter street, Dorchester, from principal clerk and typist at $76.50 a week to deposition clerk (temporary) at $80 a week.

Francis A. Berrigan, 129 River street, Mattapan, from principal environmental sanitation inspector at $91 a week to chief of bureau of housing and sanitation (temporary) at $98.75 a week.

Francis W. Gens, 49 Burroughs street, Jamaica Plain, from temporary director, Section of Environmental Sanitation, at $117.75 a week to permanent director, Section of Environmental Sanitation, at $117.75 a week.

Hospital Department.

Main Division.

Lillian K. Moylan, 14 Wait street, Roxbury, from hospital medical worker at $50.50 a week to hospital house worker at $50.50 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

Mary Fleming, 47 Valley road, Milton, from hospital kitchen worker at $53 a week to hospital house worker at $53 a week.

Penal Institutions Department.

House of Correction.

George F. O'Halloran, 139 Revere street, Winthrop, from correction officer and cook at $80 a week to assistant deputy master, temporary, at $83.50 a week.

John R. Hoban, 11A Levant street, Dorchester, from assistant deputy master at $83.50 a week to deputy master, temporary, at $87 a week.

Stephen J. Walters, 64 Undine avenue, Winthrop, from correction officer and painter at $80 a week to deputy master (temporary) at $87 a week.

Veterans' Services Department.

Sylvia Mainzer, 73 Crawford street, Roxbury, from senior clerk and stenographer at $68 a week to principal clerk and stenographer (temporary, six months) at $70.50 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following transfers:

Hospital Department.

Mildred Handy, 16 Rockland street, Roxbury, from Hospital Department, Sanatorium Division, as medical social worker at $73 a week to Hospital Department, Main Division, as medical social worker at $73 a week.

Public Works Department.

Highway Division.

Walter E. Lydon, 3 Linskey-Barry court, South Boston, from Public Works Department (Water Division) as laborer at $53 a week to Public Works Department (Highway Division) as laborer at $53 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following leaves of absence:

Building Department.

Jerome J. Lynch, Jr., 925 Centre street, Jamaica Plain, clerk-typist, $43.36 a week.

Hospital Department.

Main Division.

Edgar Tebbetts, 4 Concord street, Charlestown, elevator operator, $50.50 a week.

Helen M. Wybieralla, 10 Quint avenue, Allston, hospital house worker, $53 a week.

Thomas E. Coleman, 625 Smith street, Roslindale, hospital medical worker, $50 a week.

Robert Calderbank, 73 Hancock street, Dorchester, elevator operator, $50.50 a week.

Bessie A. Jupiter, 88 Exeter street, hospital medical worker, $50.50 a week.

Pauline LeBel, 66 Fenway, floor nurse, $60.50 a week.

Mary McGonagle, 87 Elm street, Charlestown, head nurse, $76.50 a week.

Robert A. White, 287 K street, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

South Division.

Rita A. Horte, 39 Worcester square, hospital laundry worker, $50.50 a week.

Parks and Recreation Department.

Mary McCann, 45 Westover street, West Roxbury, recreation aide and accompanist, $58 a week.

CHANGE OF TITLE.

Health Department.

The titles of the following employees have been changed from environmental sanitation inspectors (Housing and Sanitation) to environmental sanitation inspectors:

William F. Blood, William F. Brown, Walter V. Campbell, Joseph D. Driscoll, Thomas A. English, $80 a week; Frank J. Gormley, $76.50 a week; Robert J. Graham, Frederick W. Harrington, David R. MacSwain, $80 a week; Frank P.

McGowan, $76.50 a week; Michael J. Murphy, James T. O'Hara, John E. O'Neil, William O. Quirk, $80 a week; John T. Ryder, $76.50 a week.

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The titles of the following employees have been changed from environmental sanitation inspectors (Collector of Milk Samples) to environmental sanitation inspectors:

Bennett F. Lally, Thomas F. Kelley, $73 a week.

STEP-RATE INCREASES.

The Mayor has approved the following step-rate increases for employees of the following departments:

Assessing Department.

Helen M. Feeney, senior statistical machine operator, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Helen M. Murphy, senior statistical machine operator, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Auditing Department.

Henry J. Creutz, principal account examiner, from $83.50 to $87 a week.

Building Department.

William J. Dolan, senior construction engineer, from $104.70 to $114.28 a week.

Thomas L. Flynn, deputy building commissioner, from $141.14 to $146.25 a week.

Celina A. O'Brien, head administrative clerk, from $104.70 to $114.28 a week.

Justin L. O'Farrell, senior construction engineer, from $116.21 to $125.79 a week.

Frank F. Whitecross, senior construction engineer, from $191.75 to $223.12 a month.

William J. McCarron, chief elevator inspector, from $94 to $98.75 a week.

City Clerk Department.

Joseph M. Dunlea, assistant city clerk, from $129.63 to $136.75 a week.

Henry F. Kearney, senior clerk, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Health Department.

Mary Smith, clerk and typist, from $45.50 to $50.50 a week.

Health Division.

James A. McGuire, ambulance driver, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Ellen A. Heffernan, head administrative clerk, from $108.54 to $117.75 a week.

Catherine E. Hayes, public health educator, from $81.69 to $83.50 a week.

Alice F. Perkins, principal clerk and stenographer, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Augustine W. McGarry, director of local health services, from $170 to $176 a week.

William H. Griffin, director, dental service, from $135.38 to $144.96 a week.

Patrick J. Foley, dental supervisor, from $112.37 to $113 a week.

Public Health Dentists.

	From	To
Alexander Gomperts,	$90.50—	$94.00
Jacques Berkovit,	85.52—	90.50
Walter F. West,	85.52—	90.50
Henry O'Brien, Jr.,	85.52—	90.50
Marks Mitchell,	83.50—	87.00
Gerald J. Larkin,	75.94—	80.00
Frederick W. Hanson,	75.94—	80.00
David Zax,	75.94—	80.00
James M. O'Leary,	75.94—	80.00
William B. Markham,	75.94—	80.00

Hospital Department.

Long Island Division.

Achot B. Khoubesserian, assistant physician, from $91.28 to $94 a week.

Eileen M. Foley, hospital house worker, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

Albert A. Mastrangelo, hospital kitchen worker, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Mary H. Moriarty, principal house worker, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Maurice J. Walsh, hospital house worker, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Paul T. Haran, machinist, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Attendant Nurses.

	From	To
Catherine M. Barry,	$43.00—	$45.50
Donald Cook,	43.00—	45.50
Nora T. Cuddyer,	48.00—	50.50
Lillian M. Grant,	43.00—	45.50
James H. Manessis,	48.00—	50.50
John J. McCarron,	43.00—	45.50
Georgina R. Palmieri,	45.50—	48.00
Mary G. Phelan,	45.50—	48.00

Parks and Recreation Department.

Louis R. Antonellis, senior recreation instructor, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Victor J. Armata, laborer, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

John J. Butler, superintendent of baths, from $94 to $98.75 a week.

Daniel J. Byrne, Jr., chief engineer, from $143.05 to $152.63 a week.

Daniel C. Callahan, heavy motor equipment operator, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Thomas F. Casey, zoo attendant, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

Arthur J. Connerny, principal account clerk, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

William C. Day, public relations representative, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Maurice P. Foley, swimming instructor, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Francis Gerraughty, zoo attendant, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

Paul V. Gregorio, zoo attendant, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Joseph R. Hynes, head administrative clerk, from $112.37 to $113 a week.

James J. Kelley, heavy motor equipment operator, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Edward J. Kelly, zoo attendant, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Lawrence F. McGrath, zoo attendant, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Alice F. McMenamie, matron, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

John T. Murphy, blacksmith, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

John F. O'Brien, general construction inspector, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Vincent J. Pizzano, motor equipment operator, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Patrick J. Ryan, director of recreation, from $120.03 to $129.61 a week.

Robert J. Shea, Jr., motor equipment operator, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

George W. Ryan, zoo attendant, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

Public Works Department.

Highway Division.

Ruthford J. Kelley, division engineer, from $158.39 to $160.50 a week.

Welfare Department.

Central Office.

Frances Leydon, cleaner, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

Cecilia Duffy, clerk-typist, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Mary Duzuk, clerk-typist, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Martha Simili, clerk-typist, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Charles Saya, head accountant, from $108.25 to $113 a week.

Lawrence Collins, head social work supervisor, from $110.45 to $113 a week.

J. Andreas DeMarco, head social work supervisor, from $112.37 to $113 a week.

Mona Heffernan, head social work supervisor, from $112.37 to $113 a week.

Arthur Rogers, head social work supervisor, from $112.37 to $113 a week.

Alice M. Shea, head social work supervisor, from $112.37 to $113 a week.

Margaret Wogan, head social work supervisor, from $112.37 to $113 a week.

Christine Heffernan, principal social work supervisor, from $90.50 to $94 a week.

Grace Jordan, senior clerk-typist, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Ellen Byrne, social worker, from $75.08 to $76.50 a week.

Domenic Esposito, social worker, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Anna M. Neal, social worker, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Beulah Pierce, social worker, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Justin Power, social worker, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Grace Sloan, social worker, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Dolores O'Connor, social work supervisor, from $80 to $83.50 a week.

Anthony Martin, superintendent of plant, from $103.50 to $108.25 a week.

Harold Burwood, supervisor of supplies, from $98.95 to $108.53 a week.

William G. O'Hare, welfare agent, from $173.74 to $176 a week.

Veterans' Services Department.

Joseph F. Daly, head administrative clerk, from $488.68 to $512.21 per month.

James C. Barry, veterans' services consultant, from $72.10 to $73 a week.

Barbara L. Circeo, clerk and typist, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Thomas P. Donahue, assistant commissioner, from $102.78 to $108.25 a week.

Stephen A. Douglas, veterans' services investigator, from $72.10 to $73 a week.

James A. Dowd, veterans' services investigator, from $72.10 to $73 a week.

Gladys S. Jump, clerk and stenographer, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Jeanne M. Maginnis, clerk and typist, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Rita F. O'Neil, clerk and typist, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Edward F. Reardon, photostat operator, from $72.10 to $73 a week.

Kenneth E. Strong, veterans' services investigator, from $72.10 to $73 a week.

George T. Sullivan, deputy commissioner of veterans' benefits and services, from $113.16 to $117.75 a week.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

Municipal Court, Dorchester District.

Ernestine A. Carr, clerk, from $93.53 to $98.96 semimonthly.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award the contracts for work, materials, and supplies, in accordance with recommendations of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Purchasing Division.

Upon March 18 the Mayor approved a contract with Massachusetts Envelope Company for furnishing paper drinking cups to the various city departments, from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, inclusive. Approximate total amount of contract was $4,932.96, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids, opened March 8, were as follows:

Paper Drinking Cups.

Item 1. 2,500,500 Paper Drinking Cups, One Piece, Flat Bottom, No. 45, Sunshine, or Equal, Per M.—Andrews Paper Company, $1.987; Goldman Paper Company, Inc., $1.99, Solo cups; Massachusetts Envelope Company, $1.92, Sunshine*; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $1.966, No. 450, Sweetheart.

Item 2. 100,000 Paper Drinking Cups, Flat, Envelope Style, Per M.—Andrews Paper Company, $1.72; Massachusetts Envelope Company, $1.32*; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $1.39.

Charge, If Any, for Furnishing Necessary Fixtures.—Andrews Paper Company, no charge; Goldman Paper Company, Inc., dispensers furnished at cost, $2 each as needed; Massachusetts Envelope Company, no charge for any or all dispensers; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., no charge for fixtures.

Discount.—Andrews Paper Company, 2 per cent, 10 days; Goldman Paper Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Massachusetts Envelope Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment.

Remarks.—Massachusetts Envelope Company, prices firm.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon March 18 the Mayor approved a contract with bidders as indicated for furnishing general clothing to the various city departments.

Authority has been given to award Items 1, 2, and 6 to the bidders as indicated on the accompanying tabulation. All other items will be purchased from the Massachusetts Prison Commission.

Approximate total amounts of awards were as follows:

Contract for Barnet Zelmyer, doing business as Zelmar Mills, $1,320.

Orders for Taylor, Symonds Company, $950; James W. Brine Company, Inc., $534.

Discount for all companies is 2 per cent, time of payment.

Bids, opened January 21, were as follows:

General Clothing.

Requisition No. 159.

Item 1. 50 Dozen Men's Khaki Pants, Type 4, 8½-Ounce Army Twill, Sanforized, Fast Color, Per Dozen.—Anthracite Overall Manufacturing Company, Inc., $29.50, No. 215, button fly, $30.50, No. 315, zipper fly; M. Hoffman & Co., Inc., $30, alternate, $27; Sherman Mills, Inc., $24.50; Taylor, Symonds Company, $28, sizes 44 and 46, $31; Zelmar Mills, $26.40.*

Requisition No. 160.

Item 2. 50 Dozen Men's Khaki Shirts, Type 4, 6-Ounce Army Twill, Sanforized, Fast Color, Per Dozen.—Anthracite Overall Manufacturing Company, Inc., $23, No. 215S; M. Hoffman & Co., Inc., $25, alternate, $21.50; Sherman Mills, Inc., $19.50; Taylor, Symonds Company, $19,* as had on order No. 20596, Requisition No. 1103; Zelmar Mills, $19.50.

Requisition No. 161.

Item 3. 48 Men's White Coats for Cooks (Drill), Double Breasted, Stand-up Collar, Half Sleeve, Three Buttons on Each Side.—Massachusetts Prison Commission.

Requisition No. 162.

Item 4. 18 Dozen Men's White Pants, Drill, Four Pockets, Good Quality.—Massachusetts Prison Commission.

Requisition No. 163.

Item 5. 15 Dozen Men's Blue Attendant Blouses, Indian Head, Style and Color As Per Sample at 54 City Hall.—Massachusetts Prison Commission.

Requisition No. 76.

Item 6. 300 Gray Pool Suits with Skirts, Each.—James W. Brine Company, Inc., $1.78.*

Requisition No. 88.

Item 7. 15,000 Fig Leafs.—Massachusetts Prison Commission.

Discount.—Anthracite Overall Manufacturing Company, Inc., net, 30 days; James W. Brine Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; New England Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; M. Hoffman & Co., Inc., net; Sherman Mills, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Taylor, Symonds Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Zelmar Mills, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Earliest Delivery Date after Receipt of Order.—Anthracite Overall Manufacturing Company, Inc., at once; James W. Brine Company, Inc., 21 to 30 days; New England Company, 2 weeks; M. Hoffman & Co., Inc., at once; Sherman Mills, Inc., at once; Taylor, Symonds Company, Items 1 to 4, inclusive, at once, Item 5, 10 to 15 days; Zelmar Mills, Items 1 and 2, 10 days, Items 3, 4, and 5, 30 days.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon March 21 the Mayor approved a contract with G & T Horsemeat Company, Inc., for furnishing horse meat to the Parks and Recreation Department for Franklin Park Zoo, from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, inclusive. Approximate total amount of contract was $11,550, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids, opened March 10, were as follows:

Approximately 66,000 Pounds Horse Meat, To Be Delivered As Requested, Per Pound.—Clinton Beef Company, 22 cents; G & T Horsemeat Company, Inc., 17½ cents.*

Discount.—Clinton Beef Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; G & T Horsemeat Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon March 21 the Mayor approved a contract with American Flour Company for furnishing flour to the various city departments, from April 1, 1955, to June 30, 1955, inclusive. Approximate total amount of contract was $10,629.50, net.

Bids, opened March 11, were as follows:

Item 1. Approximately 1,550 Bags Flour, Bread, 100-Pound New Cotton Bags, Per Bag.—American Flour Company, $6.19*; Thurman Company, $6.48.

Item 2. Approximately 180 Bags Flour, Pastry, 100-Pound New Cotton Bags, Per Bag.—American Flour Company, $5.75*; Thurman Company, $5.81.

Mill Brands of Flour To Be Supplied.—American Flour Company, American Special (bread), Boston Light (pastry); Thurman Company, Contender (bread), Snow Ball (pastry).

Discount.—American Flour Company, net; Thurman Company, net.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon March 21 the Mayor approved a contract with Whiting Milk Company, the only bidder, for furnishing ice cream mix to the various city departments, from April 1, 1955, to September 30, 1955, inclusive. Approximate total amount of contract was $15,181, net.

Bid, opened March 8, was as follows:

Item 1. 9,300 Gallons Ice Cream Mix, 12 Per Cent Fat, Per Gallon.—Whiting Milk Company, $1.36.*

Item 2. 1,700 Gallons Ice Cream Mix, 14 Per Cent Fat, Per Gallon.—Whiting Milk Company, $1.49.*

Discount.—Whiting Milk Company, net.

* Contract awarded.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Upon March 23 the Mayor approved a contract with D. M. McCartin Company for interior and exterior painting, including fire escapes, at the William Bacon School. Bids, opened March 21, were as follows:

D. M. McCartin Company, $5,330; Joseph G. Gazzola, $5,385; N. Gigliello Company, $6,466; Nicholas Bello, $7,096; Kabot Painting Company, $7,950; John W. Egan Company, $8,322; R & F Painting Company, $9,152; John M. Kennedy & Co., Inc., $9,360.

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Upon March 23 the Mayor approved a contract with H. Piken & Co. for interior and exterior painting at the Charles Sumner School. Bids, opened March 21, were as follows:

H. Piken & Co., $4,800; R. VanPutten & Sons, $5,338; Lester L. Bateman, $5,616; D. M. McCartin Company, $5,757; Joseph G. Gazzola, $5,937; R & F Painting Company, $6,990; John M. Kennedy & Co., Inc., $7,530; Nicholas Bello, $7,618; N. Gigliello Company, $7,733; John W. Egan Company, $8,398; Kabot Painting Company, $8,950.

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Upon March 23 the Mayor approved a contract with H. Piken & Co. for interior and exterior painting, including fire escapes, at the David A. Ellis School. Bids, opened March 21, were as follows:

H. Piken & Co., $5,885; Joseph G. Gazzola, $5,945; D. M. McCartin Company, $6,116; Kabot Painting Company, $6,700; Nicholas Bello, $7,303; John M. Kennedy & Co., Inc., $7,600; R & F Painting Company, $7,616; John W. Egan Company, $8,576; N. Gigliello Company, $8,692.

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Upon March 23 the Mayor approved a contract with Joseph Rugo, Inc., for the erection and completion of an addi-

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The list of bidders and the bids received on all items are as listed hereinafter:

DISTRICT 1 — SOUTH BOSTON

Bidder	1-Year Term City to Furnish Dump Item 1A Open-Top Trucks	1-Year Term City to Furnish Dump Item 1B Enclosed Bodies
Anthony J. Ryan, Jr.	$12,000	$10,400
Milano Brothers, Inc.	10,422	10,422
James A. Freaney, Inc.	13,470	14,252
Ward General Contracting Company	14,100	—

DISTRICT 2 — EAST BOSTON

Bidder	1-Year Term Enclosed Bodies Contractor to Furnish Dump Item 1B (a)	1-Year Term Enclosed Bodies City to Furnish Dump Item 1B (b)	3-Year Term Enclosed Bodies Contractor to Furnish Dump Item 1C (a)	3-Year Term Enclosed Bodies City to Furnish Dump Item 1C (b)
Milano Brothers, Inc.	—	$7,328	—	$7,328
E. J. McHugh & Son, Inc.	$8,348	7,748	$8,348	7,748

DISTRICT 4 — BRIGHTON

Bidder	1-Year Term City to Furnish Dump at Calf Pasture Item 1B (a) Enclosed Bodies	1-Year Term City to Furnish Dump at Gardner Street Item 1B (b) Enclosed Bodies
Anthony J. Ryan, Inc.	$13,700	$13,400
Frank J. Cavaliere	14,800	14,350
Peerless Contracting Company, Inc.	17,000	16,000

DISTRICT 5A — WEST ROXBURY

Bidder	1-Year Term Enclosed Bodies City to Furnish Dump Item 1B	3-Year Term Enclosed Bodies City to Furnish Dump Item 1C
Frank J. Cavaliere	$11,200	$10,350
Peerless Contracting Company, Inc.	11,200	10,800
Dooley Brothers, Inc.	12,400	12,[illegible]00
Rodgers Motor Lines of Boston, Inc.	13,500	13,100
J. J. Moore Company, Inc.	14,250	13,760

DISTRICT 6A — DORCHESTER (NORTH)

Bidder	1-Year Term Open-Top Trucks Contractor to Furnish Dump Item 1A (a)	1-Year Term Open-Top Trucks City to Furnish Dump Item 1A (b)	1-Year Term Enclosed Bodies Contractor to Furnish Dump Item 1B (a)	1-Year Term Enclosed Bodies City to Furnish Dump Item 1B (b)
Coleman Brothers Corp.	$25,900	—	$25,900	—
Marinucci Bros. & Co., Inc.	25,999	—	25,999	—
Dooley Brothers, Inc.	—	—	—	$20,000

DISTRICT 6B — DORCHESTER (SOUTH)

Bidder	1-Year Term Open-Top Trucks Contractor to Furnish Dump Item 1A (a)	1-Year Term Open-Top Trucks City to Furnish Dump and Contractor to Operate Item 1A (b)	1-Year Term Enclosed Bodies Contractor to Furnish Dump Item 1B (a)	1-Year Term Enclosed Bodies City to Furnish Dump and Contractor to Operate Item 1B (b)
Anthony J. Ryan, Inc.	—	—	—	$28,900
Coleman Brothers Corp.	$29,100	—	$29,100	—
Marinucci Bros. & Co., Inc.	29,999	—	29,999	—
Dooley Brothers, Inc.	—	—	—	32,200
Peerless Contracting Company, Inc.	—	$32,900	—	33,000

DISTRICT 7A — ELM HILL

Bidder	1-Year Term Open-Top Trucks Contractor to Furnish Dump Item 1A (a)	1-Year Term Open-Top Trucks City to Furnish Dump Item 1A (b)	1-Year Term Enclosed Bodies Contractor to Furnish Dump Item 1B (a)	1-Year Term Enclosed Bodies City to Furnish Dump Item 1B (b)
William J. Banfield	—	$5,125	—	$5,310
Joseph P. McCabe, Inc.	—	5,900	—	6,600
John M. Cashman	$7,500	6,200	$7,500	6,200
Dooley Brothers, Inc.	—	—	—	6,800

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tion to the James J. Chittick School, Hyde Park. Bids, opened March 14, were as follows:

Joseph Rugo, Inc., $307,307; Sciaba & Co., Inc., $317,600; P. J. Cantwell & Son, $337,240; M. Solimando, $347,690; Bossi Construction, Inc., $348,226; James S. Kelleher, $353,678; J. A. Singarella Company, $354,900; Edward R. Marden Corporation, $358,720.

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Upon March 23 the Mayor approved a contract with Joseph Rugo, Inc., for the erection and completion of an addition to the Curtis Guild School, East Boston. Bids, opened March 2, were as follows:

Joseph Rugo, Inc., $313,313; Sciaba & Co., Inc., $314,600; M. S. Kelliher Company, $318,863.60; John Tocci & Sons, $325,750; Edward R. Marden Corporation, $334,400; A. Piotti Company, $351,385; M. Solimando, $365,660.

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Upon March 28 the Mayor approved a contract with L. J. Banda for modernization of toilet facilities at the Boston Public Latin School. Bids, opened March 24, were as follows:

L. J. Banda, $7,871; Rossano Constructing Company, Inc., $7,974; Brendon F. Sullivan, $8,037; Parkman Construction Company, Inc., $8,117; Domenick Puleo, $8,177.70; Michael Racioppi, $8,271; M. Solimando, $8,277; Arielli Construction Company, Inc., $8,537; Martin J. Kelly Company, Inc., $9,427; Schwamb Construction Corporation, $10,547.

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

Upon March 22 the Mayor approved a contract with Dickson Truck Service Company, Inc., for the transportation of books and other materials, between the Central Library and the branch libraries, for the period April 1, 1955, through March 31, 1956. Bid, opened Tuesday, March 1, was as follows:

Rate per truck for two trucks for a 40-hour week (Monday through Friday), $142.

Rate per hour per truck for all hours trucks are used beyond eight hours in any working day, $3.35.

Rate per hour per truck for a third or more additional trucks during the eight hours in any working day, $3.50.

Rate per hour per truck for a third or more additional trucks beyond eight hours in any working day, $4.

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Upon March 22 the Mayor approved a contract with Bay State Cleaning Company for the cleaning of certain windows during the period April 1, 1955, through March 31, 1956, at the Central Library building and at 32 other buildings. Bids, opened Wednesday, March 2, were as follows:

Group I.—Bay State Cleaning Company, $4,831.20; American Cleaning Company, Inc., $5,457; Careful Cleaning Company, $5,616.

Group II.—Bay State Cleaning Company, $2,434.50; American Cleaning Company, Inc., $2,553; Careful Cleaning Company, $1,539.

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Upon March 23 the Mayor approved a contract with Careful Cleaning Company for the cleaning of certain windows during the period April 1, 1955, through

March 31, 1956, at the Central Library building and at 32 other buildings. Bids, opened Wednesday, March 2, were as follows:

Group I.—Bay State Cleaning Company, $4,831.20; American Cleaning Company, Inc., $5,457; Careful Cleaning Company, $5,616.

Group II.—Bay State Cleaning Company, $2,434.50; American Cleaning Company, Inc., $2,553; Careful Cleaning Company, $1,539.

Parks and Recreation Department.

Upon March 23 the Mayor approved a contract with M. Solimando for furnishing and erecting park benches and seats on playgrounds in Boston. Bids were as follows:

M. Solimando, $2,130; Martin J. Kelly Company, Inc., $2,735; F. C. Dolan & Sons, Inc., $2,759; John McCourt Company, $3,222.50.

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Upon March 23 the Mayor approved a contract with William P. Herlihy for furnishing and planting trees on streets and parkways in Boston. Bids, opened February 23, were as follows:

William P. Herlihy, $30,756.25; Defina & Sons, $37,063; Blueview Nursery, $37,100; Fred Ralston & Co., Inc., $37,800; Massachusetts Tree Expert Company, $38,196.25; White & Franke, Inc., $38,955; Eastern Tree and Landscape Corporation, $41,700; Transit Seeding, Inc., $43,512; New England Tree Expert Company, $52,940; Frost & Higgins Company, $62,163.

Public Works Department.

Upon March 22 the Mayor approved a contract with General Ship and Engine Works, Inc., for welding repairs to draw-span of the Summer Street Bridge and Charlestown Bridge, at an estimated cost of $6,080. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed within one month from date of order to commence work. The following bids were received March 16:

General Ship and Engine Works, Inc., $6,080; Industrial Welding Company, $6,969; Groisser & Schlager Iron Works, $7,700; Corey Steeplejacks, Inc., $7,790; Martin J. Kelly Company, Inc., $10,620; Dane Construction Corporation, $14,990.

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Upon March 22 the Mayor approved a contract with McKie Lighter Company for repairing fender piers of the Warren Bridge at an estimated cost of $8,175. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed within one month from date of order to commence work. The following bids were received March 16:

McKie Lighter Company, $8,175; James B. Rendle Company, $9,150; Riley Company, $9,428; W. H. Ellis & Son Company, $10,475; Roy B. Rendle & Co., Inc., $10,870; Dane Construction Corporation, $13,460.

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Upon March 23 the Mayor approved a contract with Joseph Amara & Son for artificial stone sidewalks in Mother Julia road, Ward 17 (southerly side), Dorchester avenue to approximately 225 feet westerly, at an estimated cost of $1,333.10. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed April 1, 1955. The following bids were received March 18:

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District 7B — Dudley

Bidder	1-Year Term City to Furnish Dump Item 1B Enclosed Bodies
United Contracting Company, Inc.. of Boston	$6,729
Marinucci Brothers & Company, Inc	7,999
Dooley Brothers, Inc	11,200

District 7C — Mission Hill

Bidder	1-Year Term City to Furnish Dump Item 1B Enclosed Bodies
Frank J. Cavaliere	$8,000
Marinucci Brothers & Company, Inc	8,140
Peerless Contracting Company, Inc	8,300

District 7D — Roxbury

Bidder	1-Year Term City to Furnish Dump Item 1B Enclosed Bodies
United Contracting Company, Inc., of Boston	$9,980
Marinucci Brothers & Company, Inc	10,830
Dooley Brothers, Inc	14,000
James A. Freaney, Inc	15,730

District 9 — South End

Bidder	1-Year Term City to Furnish Dump Item 1A Open-Top Trucks	Item 1B Enclosed Bodies
James A. Freaney, Inc	$7,170 00	$8,460 00
Ward General Contracting Company, Inc	7,740 00	—
Frank J. Cavaliere	7,500 00	8,300 00
Milano Brothers, Inc	7,861 66	7,861 66
United Contracting Company, Inc., of Boston	8,100 00	8,690 00
Anthony J. Ryan, Inc	8,990 00	8,700 00

District 9A — Back Bay

Bidder	1-Year Term City to Furnish Dump Item 1B Enclosed Bodies
Dooley Brothers, Inc	$3,690
James A. Freaney, Inc	4,260
Capitol Contracting Company, Inc	4,710
William J. Banfield	5,665
Ward General Contracting Company, Inc	7,360

District 9B — Stuart

Bidder	1-Year Term City to Furnish Dump Item 1A Open-Top Trucks	Item 1B Enclosed Bodies
James A. Freaney, Inc	$3,177	$3,560
Dooley Brothers, Inc	4,150	4,250
Frank J. Cavaliere	4,800	6,100
United Contracting Company, Inc., of Boston	4,980	5,480
Capitol Contracting Company, Inc	5,040	—
Ward General Contracting Company, Inc	6,100	—
William J. Banfield	6,950	7,950

You will note that I am recommending the award of three-year contracts in District 2, East Boston, and District 5A, West Roxbury. Contracts in excess of a one-year period for collecting and removing garbage and refuse were awarded for the first time two years ago, and it is my intention, in the subject contracts, to follow the procedures prescribed by the Law Department at that time. Before obtaining the approval of the City Council to the award of contracts in excess of a one-year period, it will be necessary for the contracts to be awarded to the designated contractors and executed by said contractors and the undersigned, and then forwarded to your Honor for transmittal to the City Council for approval. It will be necessary for the City Council, in accordance with the provisions of section 6 of the City Charter, to hold a public hearing on said contracts. It would be impossible—at this late date—for the Council to act on this matter before the anticipated starting date of the contracts, which is April 1. We should, therefore, award short-term contracts for a two-month period for the two areas affected by the three-year contracts, in order to allow the Council sufficient time to consider this matter and hold the necessary public hearings. As the three-year contracts will have to be awarded for two-month periods—and then for thirty-four-month periods if the Council grants approval—we must dispense with advertising, as

the proposed contract periods are different from those spelled out in the invitation to contractors to submit public proposals. However, the contract prices will be the same as those submitted in answer to our publicly advertised invitations.

I respectfully request, therefore, your authority to dispense with advertising and to award contracts to the following-named contractors, in the districts designated, for a period of two months, from April 1 to May 31, 1955, at the prices designated, which, as stated, were obtained as a result of publicly advertising for proposals:

District	Name	Basis of Award	Contract Period	Monthly Bid
2—East Boston,	Milano Brothers, Inc.,	closed trucks,	from April 1 to May 31, 1955	$7,328
5A—West Roxbury,	Frank J. Cavaliere,	closed trucks,	from April 1 to May 31, 1955	10,350

I also request your authorization to dispense with advertising and to award contracts to the latter-referenced two contractors at the monthly bid prices appearing above, for the period from June 1, 1955, to March 31, 1958, with the understanding that the two contracts for the latter-referenced period will not be valid unless approved by the City Council, in accordance with the provisions of section 6 of the City Charter.

I also respectfully request your approval to the awarding of contracts — on the basis of the publicly advertised proposals that were opened in this office on Wednesday, March 9 — to the following contractors, in the districts designated and at the monthly bid prices that appear below, for one-year periods, from April 1, 1955 to March 31, 1956:

District	Name	Basis of Award	Monthly Bid
1—South Boston	Anthony J. Ryan, Jr	Closed Trucks	$10,400
4—Brighton	Anthony J. Ryan, Inc	Closed Trucks	(13,700 (13,400
6A—Dorchester No.	Coleman Brothers Corporation	Closed Trucks	25,900
6B—Dorchester So.	Coleman Brothers Corporation	Closed Trucks	29,100
7A—Elm Hill	William J. Banfield	Closed Trucks	5,310
7B—Dudley	United Contracting Company, Inc., of Boston.	Closed Trucks	6,729
7C—Mission Hill	Marinucci Brothers & Co., Inc.	Closed Trucks	8,140
7D—Roxbury	United Contracting Company, Inc., of Boston.	Closed Trucks	9,980
9—South End	James A. Freaney, Inc	Open-top Trucks	7,170
9A—Back Bay	Dooley Brothers, Inc	Closed Trucks	3,690
9B—Stuart	James A. Freaney, Inc	Closed Trucks	3,560

In connection with the award of a one-year contract in the Brighton district, it is to be expressly understood that I am including in my recommendations, for the approval of your Honor, the acceptance of both bids submitted by the contractor for the hauling of refuse to either the Calf Pasture Dump or the Gardner Street Dump as directed by me during the contract term.

The current contracts provide for a minimum wage rate of $1.82½ cents per hour to be paid chauffeurs and helpers. The new contracts, which will start on April 1, provide for a 10-cent per hour increase to $1.92½ per hour. It is estimated that this 10-cent per hour increase will cost approximately $60,000 per year. The new contracts that I am recommending for awards will cost the city $37,872 less than the cost of the current contracts. In the districts covered by the subject contracts, the cost to the city for the period from April 1, 1954, to March 31, 1955, was $1,734,156, whereas the cost for the period from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956 — based on the above referenced recommendations — will total $1,696,284. This reduction in cost has been accomplished while at the same time providing, in five additional districts, enclosed-body refuse trucks so that, on or before July 1, 1955, sixteen of the seventeen refuse collection districts in the city will have their refuse collected in these modern and sanitary vehicles.

Respectfully yours,

GEORGE G. HYLAND, *Commissioner of Public Works.*

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Joseph Amara & Son, $1,333.10; John J. Botti, $1,629; John J. Amara & Son, $1,635.50; V. J. Armata, $2,026.80; Tufo & Yebba, Inc., $2,047; Charles Todesca, $2,082; Rufo Construction Company, $2,348.

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Upon March 23 the Mayor approved a contract with John F. Kelleher for earth excavation and refilling to assist the Water Division employees to install, regulate, or repair Water Division structures and other incidental work in the Brighton district (Water Division), at an estimated cost of $22,050. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed March 31, 1956. The following bids were received March 16:

John F. Kelleher, $22,050; John J. Appel, $23,225; Dane Construction Corporation, $45,400.

Upon March 23 the Mayor approved a contract with James A. Freaney, Inc., for earth excavation and refilling to assist the Water Division employees to install, regulate or repair Water Division structures and other incidental work in the City Proper (Water Division) district, at an estimated cost of $34,870. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed March 31, 1956. The following bids were received March 16:

James A. Freaney, Inc., $34,870; John J. Appel, $38,245; Edward J. McHugh & Son, $52,500; Dane Construction Corporation, $81,400.

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Upon March 23 the Mayor approved a contract with Grancrete Company, Inc., for earth excavation and refilling to assist the Water Division employees to install, regulate or repair Water Division structures and other incidental work in the West Roxbury (Water Division) district, at an estimated cost of $46,262.50. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed March 31, 1956. The following bids were received March 16:

Grancrete Company, Inc., $46,262.50; James A. Freaney, Inc., $46,500; John J. Botti, $57,850; John J. Appel, $58,875; Dane Construction Corporation, $104,550.

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Upon March 23 the Mayor approved a contract with Joseph Amara & Son for sheet asphalt pavement in Falmouth, Norway, and St. Paul streets, Ward 4, at an estimated cost of $13,776.25. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed May 21, 1955. The following bids were received March 18:

Joseph Amara & Son, $13,776.25; Rufo Construction Company, $14,612.85; S. J. Tomasello Corporation, $14,973; John J. Amara & Son, $16,311.85; James A. Susi & Sons, Inc., $16,464.25; John McCourt Company $17,183.50; Charles Todesca, $19,387; Dooley Brothers, Inc., $19,773.

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Upon March 23 the Mayor approved a contract with James A. Freaney, Inc., for earth excavation and refilling to assist the Water Division employees to install, regulate or repair Water Division structures and other incidental work in the Dorchester (Water Division) district, at an estimated cost of $44,775. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed March 31, 1956. The following bids were received March 16:

James A. Freaney, Inc., $44,775; Grancrete Company, Inc., $44,787.50; John J. Appel, $51,325; John J. Botti, $54,850; Dane Construction Corporation, $104,300.

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Upon March 28 the Mayor approved a contract with Roslindale Contracting Company for sewerage works in Forest Hills street and Cemo road, West Roxbury, at an estimated cost of $7,002.50, including concrete pipe. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed within sixty days after approval by the Mayor. The following bids were received March 18:

Including Clay Pipe.—Roslindale Contracting Company, $7,113.50; Susi & DeSantis Company, Inc., $7,091; C. Russo, Inc., $7,366; Joseph Capone & Son, $7,918.

Including Concrete Pipe.—Roslindale Contracting Company, $7,002.50; Susi & DeSantis Company, Inc., $7,035.50; C. Russo, Inc., $7,144; Joseph Capone & Son, $7,807.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

The School Committee has approved a proposal for furnishing trucking service for the transportation of food, school supplies and equipment (including musical instruments), for Boston public schools. Bid, opened Wednesday, March 9, was awarded to the only bidder, as follows:

P. A. Milan, Inc., $4,000.

TUNNEL TRAFFIC IN MAY.

In the month of May, 1954, 1,031,226 vehicles used the Sumner Tunnel. This is the first time in the history of the tunnel that in excess of 1,000.000 vehicles used the facility in any one month.

In May of 1953, 979.920 vehicles went through the tunnel, or 51,306 less than May of this year.

CITY OF BOSTON AND COUNTY OF SUFFOLK.

STATISTICAL FACTS FOR THE YEAR 1954

Date of incorporation	February 23, 1822
Date of adoption of City Charter (amended January 7, 1925)	1909
Form of Government	Mayor and City Council
Area (square miles)	47.81
Population — Federal Census (August 1, 1950)	801,444
Number of employees as of February 1, 1954	22,896
Boston Housing Authority:	
Federal Program (7,920 apartments housing 7,920 families)	
Number of apartments in veterans' permanent 1- and 2-family homes housing 1,306 families	
State-Aided Developments (containing 3,177 apartments housing 3,177 families)	
Building Department:	
Permits issued	17,515
Estimated cost	$35,771,706
Cemeteries: Number 19—Area (acres)	161.71
Election Department:	
Registered voters	383,864
Number of ballots cast last general election	169,493
Percentage of registered voters voting	44.15
Fire Department:	
Number of stations	51
Number of fireboats	2
Alarms responded to	15,150
Health Department: Health Units	10
Hospitals (Including Boston Sanatorium):	
City Hospital:	
Number of buildings	57
Bed capacity	2,460
Patients, daily average:	
Wards	1,798
Out-patient	891
Long Island Hospital:	
Number of buildings	27
Population	952
Library Department:	
Number of libraries	37
Number of employees (full time)	640
Number of volumes	2,011,358
Circulation	3,162,338
Markets, number of	2
Municipal buildings, number of	27
Park Department: Parks, number of acres	2,240.29
Area of playgrounds and play areas (acres)	807.12
Number of playgrounds and play areas	121
Number of municipal golf links	2
Number of municipal beaches	3
Public grounds and squares (acres)	57.41
Swimming pools (indoor) 2, (outdoor) 2	4
Number of recreation centers and indoor bathhouses	15
Police Department:	
Number of stations and headquarters	18
Arrests	93,294
Public Works Department:	
Bridges, number of	101
Miles of accepted streets and alleys	731
Sewers: Miles of sewers	1,302.75
Catch basins	23,972
Average number of gallons pumped daily at main pumping station	112,980,821
Sumner Traffic Tunnel: Length (feet)	5,654
Two-lane drive: Vehicles passing through — 1953	10,835,674
Water Service:	
Number of meters in service	95,653
Per capita daily average consumption (gallons)	139
Miles of mains: Ordinary	999,136
High pressure	18.72
Rapid Transit: Miles of subways and tunnels	16.81
Schools:	
Number of school buildings	224
Number of teachers	3,655
Average membership	94,774
Average daily attendance:	
Elementary and junior high schools	54,546
High schools	16,201
Kindergartens	8,151
Special schools	1,800

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

PUBLIC HEALTH NURSING SUPERVISOR, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH, APRIL 23, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, April 4, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $3,840 a year; the maximum salary is $4,920 a year.

Vacancies: At present there is one vacancy for a female, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: Under the direction of the District Health Officer, and with the technical guidance of the Chief Supervisor of Public Health Nursing, to give advisory service to local public health nurses and employing agencies and promote the development of desirable standards for public health nursing services within the district; and to perform related work as required.

Examples of Duties: Correlating and integrating public health nursing activities in the over-all program of the district; evaluating the needs for nursing service in local communities and planning a program to meet such needs; interpreting desirable health nursing standards of organization, administration, and nursing performance to employing agencies; assisting with the instruction of new public health nurses and giving advice concerning desirable public health nursing performance; assisting public health nurses in evaluating their programs and the effectiveness of their work and suggesting improvements; assisting in the coordination of local public health nursing services, in order to effect the most desirable service for the community; assisting with the planning of in-service educational programs for all public health nurses in the district; participating in the making of surveys and in the preparation of manuals, guides, and procedures for public health nurses.

The following are required: knowledge of the principles and practices of nursing supervision, basic sciences, and principles and practices of public health nursing; knowledge of community and state resources, state laws pertaining to public health, and trends and literature in the field of public health nursing; knowledge of the organization and functions of national nursing and health organizations.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants must have (*a*) at least two years of full-time paid experience as a nurse in a recognized public health nursing agency under qualified supervision and (*b*) two years of full-time paid experience as a public health nursing supervisor in a recognized public health nursing agency, which includes a bedside nursing program. *Substitution:* Satisfactory completion of at least one year of training in a recognized program of study in public health nursing which carried academic credit and which was supplemented by courses in supervision may be substituted for one year of the required experience.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Certification Requirement: Registration as a nurse under the Massachusetts Board of Registration in Nursing.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, March 21, 1955.

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 2 P. M., Senior Member WHITE in the chair. Absent, Councillor Hurley.

The Right Reverend James H. Doyle, of St. Patrick's Roman Catholic Church, Roxbury, was escorted to the rostrum.

INVOCATION BY RT. REV. JAMES H. DOYLE.

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost. Amen.
Christ, as a light, illumine and guide me!
Christ, as a shield, o'ershadow and cover me!
Christ, be under me!
Christ, be over me!
Christ, be beside me, on left hand and right!
Christ, be before me, behind me, about me!
Christ, this day be within and without me!
Christ, the lowly and meek,
Christ, the all-powerful,
Be in the heart of each to whom I speak—
In the mouth of each who speaks to me—
In all who draw near me, or see me, or hear me!
In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost. Amen.

The meeting was opened with the salute to the Flag.

APPOINTMENTS OF MINOR OFFICERS PAID BY FEES.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 21, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

Subject to confirmation by your Honorable Body, I hereby make the following appointments of minor officers paid by fees for the term of one year beginning with the first day of May, 1955. The appointments of all such officers not named herein are hereby revoked from and after April 30, 1955.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

(Annexed hereto is a list of the appointments as contained in City Document No. 27, 1955.)

Referred to the Committee on Confirmations.

ROPING OFF UNION PARK STREET.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 21, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Traffic Commissioner relative to your order of March 7, 1955, concerning the roping off of the section of Union Park street, between Washington street and Harrison avenue, Roxbury, on Saturday, April 2, 1955, between 2 and 4 P.M.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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Boston Traffic Commission,
March 14, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.
Dear Mr. Mayor:

With reference to Council order dated March 7, 1955, to rope off the section of Union Park street, between Washington street and Harrison avenue, Roxbury, on Saturday, April 2, 1955, between the hours of 2 and 4 P.M., I wish to report that orders have been issued to accomplish this request.

Respectfully submitted,
WM. ARTHUR REILLY, Commissioner.

Placed on file.

TRANSPORATATION OF NAVAL CONTINGENT FOR EVACUATION DAY PARADE.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 21, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Rear Admiral USN, Commandant First Naval District, relative to your order of March 7, 1955, concerning the transporting of the Naval units marching in the South Boston Evacuation Day Parade on March 17, 1955.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

First Naval District,
Navy Building,
495 Summer Street, Boston, Mass.,
March 15, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.
My Dear Mayor Hynes:

Your notice of March 11 enclosing Councillors McCormack, Foley, and Kerrigan's order of March 7, 1955, has been received.

I am pleased to inform you that by authority of the Secretary of the Navy, the Naval units marching in the South Boston Evacuation Day Parade on March 17, 1955, will be transported in buses at government expense.

Sincerely yours,
J. A. SNACKENBERG,
Rear Admiral USN,
Commandant First Naval District.

Placed on file.

SURVEY OF BANNING ALL STREET PARKING IN DOWNTOWN AREA.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 21, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Traffic Commissioner relative to your order of February 28, 1955, concerning information as to whether or not a survey has been made with a view toward banning of street parking in the downtown area.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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Boston Traffic Commission,
March 16, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.
Dear Mr. Mayor:

With reference to the City Council order of February 28, 1955, requesting information as to whether or not a survey has been made with a view toward banning of street parking in the downtown area, I wish to report that our Traffic Commission has had this subject in mind for a period of two years.

A committee, made up of the late Traffic Engineer Philip Desmond, Deputy Superintendent of Police Hinchey, and myself, visited Philadelphia at the time the all-day parking ban was placed in operation there.

Since that time it has been observed that all-day parking prohibitions have been placed in midtown Manhattan, in St. Louis, and a portion of Chicago and other large cities.

We have substituted a parking ban between the hours of 8 and 9.30 A.M. and 4 and 6 P.M., which are the peak hours in daily traffic movement. It is our belief that these regulations are sufficient for the present and until such time as the Central Artery is completed and the city's off-street parking program is substantially advanced.

It is anticipated that in 1956 off-street parking facilities will be available in large number and that the Central Artery will be advanced to a point beyond the South Station. Thereupon it may be feasible to institute an all-day parking ban.

However, in the interim period we believe that it is not necessary during the midday hours and, naturally, we are reluctant to do anything which may have an adverse economic effect on downtown business.

In the cities where an all-day parking ban has been established there is a gridiron pattern of streets which makes possible a pattern of alternate directions for traffic flow, and an all-day ban provides extra means of traffic on such streets.

In Boston our streets are so short that there is no continuous route outside of Washington street, Tremont street, and Atlantic avenue which would achieve the same benefit that is available when long, straight, through streets are present, but paramount is the fact that in cities such as Philadelphia, for example, the number of off-street parking facilities is so great that there is an alternate for a motorist who cannot park at a curbstone.

In Boston we are so far short of off-street parking spaces that to establish a curb parking ban in substance means that many hundreds of motorists are prevented from making any point in the downtown area their destination.

The underlying purpose of the off-street parking program is to provide spaces for those cars which are now in excess of the legally available curb spaces. As progress is made in the direction of accommodating the present number of motorists required to make business calls in the downtown area the Traffic Commission is not inclined to favor an all-day parking ban in the city.

Respectfully yours,
WM. ARTHUR REILLY, Commissioner.

Placed on file.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committee named, viz.:

Claims.

Morris Bashner, for compensation for injuries caused by city motor vehicle.

John Cafasso, for compensation for damage to car by patrol wagon.

Coleman's Inc., for compensation for damage to property at 700 Blue Hill avenue, Dorchester, caused by break in water hydrant.

Mary M. DeAngelo, for compensation for damage to car by city snow loader.

John Dillon, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Parks and Recreation Department.

Mary Sullivan Donohue, for compensation for damage to car by truck of Sanitary Division.

Antonio J. Flammini, for compensation for damage to car by fire apparatus.

Rita E. Fleming, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Franklin and Washington streets.

General Exchange Insurance Corporation, for compensation for damage to car of Norman L. Cogswell by city car.

Thomas F. Keating, Jr., for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect at 52–53 Boylston street, Jamaica Plain.

Albert J. Leary, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Sanitary Division, Public Works Department.

John J. McGrath, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Real Property Department.

Winifred Murphy, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 505 Washington street, Dorchester.

John J. Wallace, for compensation for injuries caused by truck of Boston Traffic Commission.

Lillian Wallace, for compensation for damage to car by truck of Boston Traffic Commission.

Alfred R. Walsh, for compensation for damage to car by fire apparatus.

John A. Whelpley, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 54–58 Edson street, Dorchester.

John White, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 150 Northampton street.

Alice and Fred J. Zeltman, Jr., for compensation for damage to property at 61 Hackensack road, Chestnut Hill, caused by blasting for sewer.

ORDINANCE TRANSFERRING TO COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS MAINTENANCE OF COMMONWEALTH AVENUE OTHER THAN PORTION BETWEEN ARLINGTON STREET AND BEACON STREET.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 16, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

For some years there has been confusion and some conflict concerning the powers and duties of the Parks and Recreation Department and the Public Works Department concerning the maintenance of that part of Commonwealth avenue extending from Beacon street to the Brookline line. In order that this confusion may be cleared up and in order that the maintenance of this part of Commonwealth avenue may be the responsibility of one definite department, the proposed ordinance has been prepared.

I recommend its passage by your Honorable Body.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Park Department, February 21, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.
Dear Sir:

At a meeting of the Parks and Recreation Commission held at the office of the Commission, 33 Beacon street, on February 18, 1955, consideration was given to the proposed transfer to the Commissioner of Public Works of the powers and duties of the Parks and Recreation Commission with respect to Commonwealth avenue other than the portion thereof between Arlington street and Beacon street.

The following vote was unanimously adopted:

"Voted, That it be, and hereby is, determined to be the sense of the Parks and Recreation Commission that an ordinance be adopted providing for the transfer to the Commissioner of Public Works of the powers and duties which were conferred and imposed by chapters 2 and 3 of the Ordinances of 1905 upon the then board of park commissioners with respect to portions of Commonwealth avenue and which were transferred by section 3 of chapter 10 of the Ordinances of 1912 to the board established by said chapter 10 as the board of park and recreation commissioners and renamed the board of park commissioners by section 1 of chapter 13 of the Ordinances of 1920 and which were most recently transferred to the parks and recreation commission by sections 38 and 42 of chapter 2 of the Ordinances of 1954."

The Commission recommends that immediate steps be taken to effect passage of an ordinance through the City Council in accordance with the above vote of the Parks and Recreation Commission.

Respectfully yours,
FRANK R. KELLEY, Commissioner.

City of Boston.

In The Year Nineteen Hundred and Fifty-Five.

An OrdinanceTransferring to the Commissioner of Public Works the Powers and Duties of the Parks and Recreation Commission with Respect to Commonwealth Avenue Other than the Portion Thereof between Arlington Street and Beacon Street.

Be it ordained by the City Council of Boston, as follows

The powers and duties which were conferred and imposed by chapters 2 and 3 of the Ordinances of 1905 upon the then board of park commissioners with respect to portions of Commonwealth avenue and which were transferred by section 3 of chapter 10 of the Ordinances of 1912 to the board established by said chapter 10 as the board of park and recreation commissioners and renamed the board of park commissioners by section 1 of chapter 13 of the Ordinances of 1920 and which were most recently transferred to the parks and recreation commission by sections 38 and 42 of chapter 2 of the Ordinances of 1954 are hereby transferred to the commissioner of public works.

Referred to the Committee on Ordinances.

PETITION FOR ANNUITY.

Petition of Helen M. Mullen to be paid annuity on account of death of her husband, Bernard J. Mullen, late member of the Fire Department.

Referred to the Committee on Claims.

MINOR'S LICENSE.

The application of Joseph Sullivan, 22 Evergreen street, Jamaica Plain, for newsboy's license was received.

License granted under usual conditions.

APPLICATION FOR SHELLFISH PERMIT.

Application for commercial use shellfish permit was received from Arthur C. Liska, 33 Washburn street, Dorchester, Ward 7.

Referred to the Committee on Licenses.

APPROVAL OF STATE HOUSING BOARD

Notice was received from the State Board of Housing of approval of expenditure of $217,071 for operating expense, and $36,000 for Veterans' Administration requirements.

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Notice was received from the State Housing Board of approval of sale of seven parcels of property under section 6 of chapter 372 of the Acts of 1946.

Severally placed on file.

NOTICE OF HEARING BEFORE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES.

A communication was received from Johnson, Clapp, Ives, and King transmitting copy of order of notice of hearing before Department of Public Utilities to be held March 30, 1955, at 10 A.M., on petition of Boston Edison Company for exemption of land between Southwood and Woodbine streets, Roxbury, and substation from operation of zoning law.

Referred to the Committee on Licenses.

BOND OF INDEMNITY.

A communication was received from the Metropolitan District Commission transmitting bond of indemnity of Robert A. Munroe, doing business as James A. Munroe & Son for constructing a foundation for a steel water reservoir on Bellevue Hill in Boston.

The bond was filed with the City Auditor, and the communication was placed on file.

TRANSFER OF CUDWORTH SCHOOL TO REAL PROPERTY BOARD.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 21, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith letter of Agnes E. Reynolds, Secretary of the School Committee of the City of Boston, together with a vote of the said committee, passed March 7, 1955, relative to the transfer of the Cudworth School in East Boston to the Real Property Board for off-street parking purposes, together with a form of order which, if adopted by your Honorable Body, will permit the construction of a modern off-street parking facility in this congested area, and I recommend the adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

City of Boston,
School Committee, March 9, 1955.

To His Honor the Mayor and City Council.

Gentlemen:

I am enclosing herewith attested copy of an order which was passed by the School Committee at its meeting on Monday, March 7, 1955, relative to the transfer of the Cudworth School, Gove street, East Boston, land and building, to the Board of Real Estate Commissioners, City of Boston.

Very truly yours,
AGNES E. REYNOLDS, Secretary.

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City of Boston,
School Committee, March 7, 1955.

Ordered, That the Cudworth School, Gove street, East Boston, land and building, is no longer required for school purposes, and that the School Committee of the City of Boston, under General Laws, chapter 40, section 15A and the powers contained therein, recommends that the land and building thereon be transferred to the Board of Real Estate Commissioners, City of Boston.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

Yeas—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

Nays—0.

A true copy.

Attest:
AGNES E. REYNOLDS, Secretary.

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Whereas, The City of Boston is the owner in fO) of approximately twenty-five thousand (25,00ee square feet of land, together with the building thereon (the Cudworth School), situated on the northeasterly side of Gove street between Havre and Paris streets in the East Boston district of the City of Boston, presently held by said city for school purposes; and

Whereas, The School Committee of the City of Boston has determined that said land and building are no longer required for school purposes; and

Whereas, The Real Property Board desires to use said land for off-street parking purposes; now, therefore, it is hereby

Ordered, That the above-described land and building be, and the same hereby are, transferred from the care, custody, control, and management of the School Department to the care, custody, control, and management of the Real Property Board for off-street parking purposes.

Referred to the Committee on Public Lands.

AMENDMENT TO THE BOSTON BUILDING CODE.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 21, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I submit herewith communication of the Building Commissioner in which he recommends that an amendment be made in section 8 of the ordinance pending before your Honorable Body since February 14, 1955, for the purpose of amending divers provisions of the Boston Building Code.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston, Building Department,
March 21, 1955.

To the Honorable the Mayor and City Council.

Gentlemen:

The hearing recently held by the City Council's Committee on Ordinances in connection with the ordinance recommended to the City Council on February 14, 1955, for the purpose of amending divers provisions of the Boston Building Code has occasioned further study of section 8 of the ordinance so recommended. Such study has revealed that the Building Code Committee of 1943 intended to strike from the second sentence of paragraph (k) of section 3005 of the Boston Building Code the words "more than two inches in diameter," but through inadvertence failed to do so. Upon reconsidering the matter I concur with the Building Code Committee of 1943 that technologically the words in question should be stricken.

In accordance with the provisions of chapter 479 of the Acts of 1938, as amended by chapter 217 of the Acts of 1939, as Building Commissioner of the City of Boston I therefore recommend that before the above-mentioned ordinance is adopted by the City Council, section 8 thereof be amended to read as follows:

Section 8. Paragraph (k) of section 3005 of said chapter 479, as amended by section 409 of chapter 8 of the Ordinances of 1943, is hereby further amended by striking out the second sentence and inserting in place thereof the following sentence:—Fittings for changes in direction in mains and risers shall be standard fittings.

Respectfully yours,
CHARLES A. CALLANAN,
Building Commissioner.

Referred to the Committee on Ordinances.

PROCEDURES ADOPTED TO DETERMINE M.T.A. AND M.D.C. ASSESSMENTS ON CITY OF BOSTON.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 21, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the City Auditor relative to your order of February 28, 1955, concerning procedures which the City of Boston has adopted for determining that the M.D.C. and M.T.A. assessments levied upon the city are fair and just.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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March 18, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Sir:

In response to an order of the City Council, passed February 28, 1955, as follows: "Ordered, That the City Auditor is hereby directed to furnish within twenty-one days of the passage of this order under section 17F of the City Charter, a report to the City Council of the procedures which the City of Boston has adopted for determining that the M.T.A. and the M.D.C. assessments levied upon the City of Boston are fair and just"— I submit the following report.

Charges and assessments levied by the State Treasurer on the City of Boston on account of the Metropolitan Transit Authority and the Metropolitan District Commission are levied under the authority of various general and special statutes of the Commonwealth. Before determining whether these assessments are fair and just, a clear understanding of the method and basis for the determination of the assessments as provided by the several statutes is most desirable. Therefore, the following summary of the basis of the computation of the assessments and the actual amounts paid by the City of Boston is included.

METROPOLITAN SEWERAGE ASSESSMENT — NORTH SYSTEM.

The assessment on account of the north metropolitan sewerage district is levied in accordance with the provisions of sections five, six, and seven of chapter 92 of the General Laws. These sections provide that the proportions in which each of the cities and towns belonging in whole or in part to the north metropolitan and south metropolitan sewerage districts, respectively, shall annually pay money to the Commonwealth to meet interest and sinking fund requirements shall be based upon the respective taxable valuations of the property of the cities and towns as most recently established by the Legislature as the basis for the apportionment of state and county taxes. The proportions in which each of the cities and towns shall annually pay for maintenance and operation is based upon the respective populations as ascertained by the last preceding state or national census. If only a part of the city or town is included in the system, the valuation and population of that part only is used as the basis for determining the proportion.

Charlestown and East Boston are included in the north metropolitan system. The taxable valuation basis for the assessments paid in 1954 was that established by chapter 559, Acts of 1945, and the population basis was in accordance with the federal population census of 1950.

The following table indicates the taxable valuation and population, the percentage proportion, and the actual payment by Boston in 1954:

	Proportion of Assessments.			
	Valuation	Percentage for Interest and Serial Bonds	Population	Percentage for Maintenance
Boston	$85,537,810	7.93	$4,628	10.94
Total	$1,078,270,543	100.00	773,715	100.00

	Assessments.			
	Serial Bonds	Interest	Maintenance	Total
Boston	$24,820 90	$3,412 08	$111,657 36	$139,890 34
Total	$313,000 00	$43,027 50	$1,020,633 08	$1,376,661 48

METROPOLITAN SEWERAGE ASSESSMENT — SOUTH SYSTEM.

The assessment on account of the south metropolitan sewerage district is also levied in accordance with sections five, six, and seven of chapter 92 of the General Laws. All of Brighton and Hyde Park and parts of Roxbury, West Roxbury, and Dorchester are included in the south metropolitan district. The taxable valuation and population basis is based on the same source as that for the north metropolitan district.

The following table indicates the taxable valuation and population, the percentage proportion, and the actual payment by Boston in 1954:

	Proportion of Assessments.			
	Valuation	Percentage for Interest and Serial Bonds	Population	Percentage for Maintenance
Boston	$312,015,921	24.73	269,862	35.56
Total	$1,261,610,413	100.00	758,815	100.00

	Assessments.			
	Serial Bonds	Interest	Maintenance	Total
Boston	$77,652 20	$17,594 16	$309,695 92	$404,942 28
Total	$314,000 00	$71,145 00	$870,910 90	$1,256,055 90

METROPOLITAN PARKS ASSESSMENT.

The assessment on account of metropolitan parks is levied in accordance with sections fifty-four to fifty-nine, inclusive, of chapter 92 of the General Laws. These sections provide that 60 per cent of the total cost of the maintenance of reservations and boulevards in the metropolitan parks district shall be paid from the Highway Fund, 1 per cent from general revenue of the Commonwealth and 39 per cent by the cities and towns in the parks district. The assessments paid by the cities and towns for maintenance are based upon one third in proportion to population and two thirds in proportion to valuations. Interest, sinking fund, serial or other bond requirements are assessed in proportion to valuations. As in the case of metropolitan sewerage district assessments, taxable valuations are as established by chapter 559, Acts of 1945, and populations are those established by the federal census of 1950.

The following table indicates the taxable valuation and population, the percentage proportion and the actual payment by Boston in 1954:

	Proportion of Assessments.				
	Valuation	Percentage for Interest and Serial Bonds	Population	Percentage	Average Percentage for Maintenance
Boston	$1,437,779,078	.408885	801,444	.387926	.401898
Total	$3,516,339,084	1.000000	2,065,972	1.000000	1.000000

	Assessments.			
	Serial Bonds	Interest	Maintenance	Total
Boston	$1,839 99	$355 73	$1,118,918 98	$1,121,114 70
Total	$4,500 00	$870 00	$2,784,685 67	$2,790,055 67

METROPOLITAN WATER ASSESSMENT.

The metropolitan water assessment is levied in accordance with section twenty-six of chapter 92 of the General Laws, as amended. This statute establishes the rate of $80 per million gallons of water as the price to be charged to all cities and towns served by the metropolitan water district. The quantity used is obtained by measurement of the amount of water that passes through the various meters that are located on the many pipe lines that feed water into the City of Boston. There are 24 of these meters located at or near the boundary line between the City of Boston and the adjoining city or town through which the feeding lines pass to carry water from the reservoirs to Boston.

The assessment paid in 1954 was based on the consumption of water in 1953. The following table indicates the consumption in millions of gallons, the actual amount paid, and the proportion paid by Boston:

	Consumption	Assessment	Percentage Proportion
Boston	41,423.873	$3,313,909 84	.583498
Total	70,992.332	$5,679,386 56	1.000000

METROPOLITAN TRANSIT AUTHORITY REDUCTION OF PRINCIPAL OF BONDS.

The assessment for the reduction of the principal of bonds issued by the Metropolitan Transit Authority is levied in accordance with the provisions of section three of chapter 572 of the Acts of 1949, as amended. This statute concerns the payments made by the Metropolitan Transit Authority to the Boston Metropolitan District of financial obligations arising from the transfer by the City of Boston, on August 3, 1949, of its title and interest in subway and rapid transit facilities to the Metropolitan Transit Authority. The Authority is required by the law to pay annually to the district 1½ per cent of the aggregate amount by which the outstanding rapid transit indebtedness exceeded the resources of the sinking fund on the date the Authority took title to the rapid transit properties. The Authority shall also pay annually to the district 1½ per cent of the original issue and the sum payable annually for the redemption of refunding debt issued by the district for alterations and extension of rapid transit facilities.

The law directs further that the trustees of the Authority shall certify to the State Treasurer the amount payable by the Authority in reduction of the bond principal referred to above and the State Treasurer shall assess the amount on the cities and towns constituting the Authority. The proportion of this assessment paid by the cities and towns is established by the trustees of the Authority under section 14, chapter 159, Special Acts of 1918, and is based in proportion to the number of persons using the service of the company, this proportion to be determined from computations made by the trustees in their discretion for the purpose.

The basis of the apportionment of the 1954 assessment is the Boston Elevated Railway Company 1940 passenger count which was used in compliance with the provisions of chapter 195, Acts of 1954.

The following table indicates the proportion and actual amount paid by Boston in 1954 on account of 1954 Metropolitan Transit Authority principal debt payments:

	Percentage of Assessment	Principal Debt Payments
Boston	64.382S	$509,649 4S
Total	100.0000	$791,592 60

METROPOLITAN TRANSIT AUTHORITY OPERATING DEFICIT.

The assessment for the Metropolitan Transit Authority operating deficit is levied in accordance with the provisions of section 13, chapter 544, of the Acts of 1947, as amended. Whenever the income of the Authority is insufficient to meet the cost of service, the deficit is paid by the Commonwealth, to be in turn assessed on the cities and towns constituting the Authority in proportions determined by the trustees from computations made in their discretion. These proportions have been established on the basis of the proportions of the number of persons using the service.

The basis of this apportionment is also the Boston Elevated Railway Company 1940 passenger count which was used in 1954 in compliance with the provisions of chapter 195, Acts of 1954.

The following table indicates the proportion and actual payment by Boston in 1954 on account of the Metropolitan Transit Authority deficit as of December 31, 1953:

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TRAFFIC LIGHTS AT WASHINGTON, WINSHIP, WIRT, HENSHAW, AND CAMBRIDGE STREETS, BRIGHTON.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 21, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Traffic Commissioner relative to your order of February 14, 1955, concerning the installing of traffic lights at the intersection of Washington, Winship, Wirth, Henshaw, and Cambridge streets in the Brighton section of the City of Boston.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

Boston Traffic Commission,
March 18, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

With reference to the Council order of February 14, 1955, requesting consideration of the installation of traffic lights at the intersection of Washington, Winship, Wirt, Henshaw, and Cambridge streets in the Brighton section, I wish to report that we have given consideration and study to this area in the past few years.

In the opinion of our engineers it would not be feasible to signalize the existing area because of the multiplicity of heavy turning movements, lack of suitable location for signals within reasonable distances of stop lines, and the extremely large area involved with no opportunity for installing channelizing islands to regiment traffic.

We believe, however, that a major redesign and reconstruction of this area, involving the relocation of streetcar tracks, would permit the installation of channelizing islands, and there is an alternate possibility of rotorizing traffic around the police station in connection with a redesign of the intersection involved.

In any event, a substantial public works project would be necessary before signals could be installed for effective operation.

Respectfully yours,
WM. ARTHUR REILLY, Commissioner.

Placed on file.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON LICENSES.

Coun. HAILER, for the Committee on Licenses, submitted the following:

1. Report on application (referred February 7) for commercial use shellfish permit for Daniel MacDonald — recommending that permit be granted.

2. Report on application (referred February 14) for commercial use shellfish permit for Louis Ruggiero — recommending that permit be granted.

3. Report on applications (referred February 28) for commercial use shellfish permits of the following: Henry Larson, Frank D'Amico, Daniel Mulkern —recommending that permits be granted.

4. Report on application (referred March 7) for commercial use shellfish permit for Thomas Scott — recommending that permit be granted.

5. Report on application (referred March 14) for family use shellfish permit for Pasquale J. Capprine — recommending that permit be granted.

6. Report on application (referred March 14) for commercial use shellfish permit for Daniel C. French — recommending that permit be granted.

The reports were accepted, and the permits were severally granted under the usual conditions.

7. Report on communication from the Corporation Counsel (referred February 28) on the rights and powers of City of Boston to fix rates of private parking facilities — recommending that the communication be placed on file.

The report was accepted and the communication was placed on file.

8. Report on petition of Boston American League Baseball Company (referred February 14) for license for Sunday sports at Fenway Park — recommending that license be granted.

The report was accepted, and the license granted under usual conditions.

APPROVAL OF BOND.

The liability insurance policy of the Boston American League Baseball Company was received and approved by the Council.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCE.

Coun. HAILER, for the Committee on Appropriations and Finance, submitted the following:

1. Report on message of Mayor and order for loan of $2,000,000 for construction of public ways and order for loan of $1,000,000 for construction of sewers (referred February 14) — recommending the orders ought to pass.

The report of the committee was accepted. The order for loan of $2,000,000 for construction of public ways and the order for loan of $1,000,000 for construction of sewers were given their first reading and passage, yeas 8, nays 0:

Yeas — Councillors Ahearn, Foley, Hines, Kerrigan, McCormack, McLaughlin, Piemonte, White — 8.

Nays — 0.

The foregoing orders were assigned for 14 days for final action.

2. Report on the message of the Mayor and order for appropriation of $157,000 for construction of public ways and order for appropriation of $157,000 for sewerage works and order for appropriation of $157,000 for departmental equipment (referred February 14) — recommending that the three orders ought to pass.

The report of the committee was accepted. The orders were severally passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

Yeas — Councillors Ahearn, Foley, Hines, Kerrigan, McCormack, McLaughlin, Piemonte, White — 8.

Nays — 0.

3. Report on copy of vote of Emergency Finance Board (referred February 14) authorizing indebtedness for loans for construction of public ways, construction of sewers and departmental equipment — that same be placed on file.

The report was accepted and the copy of vote was placed on file.

REPORTING AND INDEXING OF COUNCIL MINUTES.

Coun. WHITE offered the following:

Ordered, That the City Clerk be authorized and directed to execute a contract with Elvira Johnson, to make a stenographic report of all regular and special meetings of the City Council, for one year beginning on April 1, 1955, for the sum of five thousand dollars, payable in monthly installments; the expense of same to be charged to the Appropriation for City Council Proceedings.

Ordered, That the City Clerk be authorized and directed to execute a contract with Blanche I. Goell for one year beginning on April 1, 1955, for the sum of fifteen hundred dollars, payable in monthly installments of one hundred twenty-five dollars, for making the index of the City Council Proceedings substantially in the form of the index of the City Council Proceedings for 1953; the expense of same to be charged to the appropriation for City Council Proceedings.

Severally passed under suspension of the rules.

TEMPORARY APPOINTMENTS IN CLERK OF COMMITTEES DEPARTMENT.

Coun. WHITE offered the following:

Ordered, That effective March 23, 1955, the following persons be, and they hereby are, appointed in the service of the Clerk of Committees Department to the positions set against their respective names until the fourth Wednesday of April, 1955, at the salaries in effect for them on March 22, 1955:

Francis R. Burke, temporary clerk.
Peter J. Cloherty, temporary clerk.
Paul G. O'Hara, temporary clerk.
Nicholas DiMella, temporary stenographer-clerk.
Katherine E. Dunn, temporary stenographer-clerk.
Mary E. Flynn, temporary stenographer-clerk.
Catherine Monahan, temporary stenographer-clerk.
Agnes G. Dinsmore, temporary clerk-receptionist.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

COMMENDATIONS TO OFFICIALS FOR THEIR EFFORTS ON EVACUATION DAY.

Coun. FOLEY, KERRIGAN, and McCORMACK offered the following:

Resolved, That the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, commend the efforts of Police Commissioner Sullivan, Superintendent Fallon, Captain Clougherty of Division 6 and his men for their handling of the tremendous crowds and rerouting of traffic in South Boston on March 17; and be it further resolved that we also commend Chief Marshal Joe Aleeks and his hard-working staff for making the March 17, 1955, celebration one of the finest in the history of South Boston.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

REPORT ON SUBURBAN OFF-STREET PARKING PROGRAM.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That the Real Estate Board briefly report to the City Council by April 30, 1955, the present status of the suburban off-street parking program with particular reference to the following areas:

1. Hyde Park.
2. East Boston.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

PROCEDURES ADOPTED TO DETERMINE M.T.A. AND M.D.C. ASSESSMENTS—Continued.

	Percentage of Assessment	Metropolitan Transit Authority Deficit December 31, 1953
Boston	61.8528	$5,376,299 08
Total	100.0000	$8,692,576 08

BOSTON METROPOLITAN DISTRICT EXPENSES.

In accordance with section 12, chapter 303, of the Acts of 1954, as amended, an assessment is levied for the expenses of the Boston Metropolitan District. Under this statute, the territory and inhabitants of the cities and towns comprising the Authority are constituted as a municipal corporate entity for the purposes of the act. For practical purposes, the Boston Metropolitan District acts as the financing agency for the issuance of Metropolitan Transit Authority bonds.

The district certifies annually to the state treasurer the amount required for current expenses. The state treasurer in turn apportions this amount among the cities and towns included in the district on the basis of the proportion of the valuations of the property as last previously established by the Legislature as a basis for apportionment of State and county taxes.

The following table indicates the valuations as determined by chapter 559, Acts of 1915, the basis for the apportionment, the percentage of the total assessment paid by Boston and the actual payment in 1954 by Boston of the estimated expenses of the district for the fiscal year 1954-55:

	Valuation	Percentage of Assessment	Amount
Boston	$1,437,779,578	54.0157	$1,321 26
Total	$2,661,779,080	100.0000	$8,000 00

In 1954, assessments were levied on 21 cities and towns on account of the Metropolitan Water District; on 38 cities and towns on account of assessments for metropolitan parks and boulevards; on 35 cities and towns on account of metropolitan sewerage assessments; on 14 cities and towns on account of Metropolitan Transit Authority and Boston Metropolitan District assessments.

From the above brief summary of the general laws and special statutes pertaining to these assessments, it is quite clear that no official of any of the cities and towns on whom the assessments are levied has any discretion to exercise or determination to make regarding either the manner or amount of the assessment. In regard to metropolitan sewer and metropolitan park assessments, the amount to be paid on account of interest, sinking fund and debt requirements is determined by the State Treasurer; the amount to be paid on account of maintenance and operation is determined by the commission, and the proportion to be levied on each city and town is determined by the commission in accordance with the manner prescribed by the Legislature. In regard to metropolitan water assessments, the commission certifies to the State Treasurer the quantity of water used, and assessment is levied in accordance with the rate established by the Legislature. In regard to the Boston Metropolitan District assessments, the amount is determined by the trustees of the district and the manner of apportionment is as established by the Legislature. The amount of the Metropolitan Transit Authority deficit and the assessment on account of bond payments is determined by the trustees of the Authority, the manner of apportionment prescribed by the Legislature, and the actual proportion is as determined by the trustees from computations made in their discretion.

Furthermore, neither the City Auditor nor any other city official has any discretionary approval regarding the payment of these assessments. Section 20 of chapter 59 of the General Laws prescribes that the State Treasurer shall send warrants before November 1 to the assessors for the payment of charges and assessments under general or special law, including the metropolitan district assessments, which may be due or payable to the Commonwealth as specifically provided by law or as certified to him by the proper board, department or commission, and the assessors shall issue a warrant to the City Treasurer to pay to the State Treasurer before November 20 all assessments which have been levied.

The question of the fairness or justice of the manner of apportioning the various assessments has been the subject of considerable controversy for several years. This is perhaps truer regarding the Metropolitan Transit Authority assessments than it is regarding the metropolitan sewer, parks, and water assessments. There can be little dispute that the metropolitan water assessment is being levied fairly on the basis of the actual quantity used; and in view of the fact that the rate of eighty dollars per million gallons is insufficient to provide the necessary revenue to provide for maintenance, operation and debt requirements of the Metropolitan Water District, it cannot be maintained that the rate is excessive.

During recent years, several petitions have been presented to the Legislature regarding the manner of apportioning the Metropolitan Transit Authority deficit but no change has been made in the method which was originally established in 1918 when the legislation was adopted placing the Boston Elevated Railway Company under public control. These petitions have proposed that the apportionment be made on the basis of valuations or populations or a combination of both. The method which should have the strongest appeal as being the fairest under present conditions would be an apportionment based on population under the theory that the assessment should be made on the basis of "availability for use" rather than "actual use." If an apportionment based on actual use is to determine the proportion of the assessment, it most certainly is unrealistic to use a 1940 passenger traffic count as the basis for the computation. Under any circumstances, a passenger traffic count is not fair to Boston. Particularly would it be unfair at the present time, because of the development of parking facilities on the fringes of Boston, if any traffic count charged to Boston as passengers those who arrived within the city limits in private automobiles or by means of other transportation facilities. The Metropolitan Transit Authority deficit is a serious problem facing Boston. Its seriousness can best be realized by the statement of John T. Howard, associate professor, Department of City and Regional Planning of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, in an address delivered at the Fifth Seminar on the Problems of Boston at Boston College on March 8, 1955. In his address on "Boston's Transit Problems," Professor Howard said, in part: "The heart of the problem seems to be the deficit. The more recent studies concur that there is little hope of entirely eliminating a subsidy of some sort to supplement fare revenues. Obviously the deficit should be held to a minimum, by the sort of economies and efficiencies proposed by Ernst and Ernst—I am not qualified to either agree or disagree with their specific recommendations. I am not qualified, either, to propose a feasible alternative to the present quite obviously unfair method of distributing the subsidy-burden. That is a problem for financiers and politicians (or statesmen), not for city planners, as is the 1945 proposal to incorporate the independent railroad commuting facilities into the M.T.A." I think we can agree completely with Professor Howard's assertions. Mayor John B. Hynes, both as Mayor of Boston and as Chairman of the Metropolitan Transit Council, fully aware of the problem has repeatedly, with the cooperation of the Boston Finance Commission, the Chamber of Commerce, and other civic bodies, sought remedial legislation. The sooner the Legislature adopts such legislation, the sooner will be brought to an end an unfair, unjust, inequitable, outdated, archaic, and unrealistic method of levying a subsidy which apparently we will always have with us.

As has been previously stated, there has been considerable agitation concerning any change in the method of levying the metropolitan assessments for parks and sewers, which are based on a combination of populations and valuations. It might be well to direct attention to the fact that the valuations being used are those established by the Legislature in 1915. It would seem to be time for another evaluation to be made. Again, I refer to the Fifth Seminar on the Problems of Boston at Boston College on March 8, 1955, and the remarks of Mr. Charles W. Greenough, chairman, Metropolitan District Commission, in his address on "The Relationships of the Metropolitan District Commission to Boston and Other Municipalities in the Metropolitan Area." In his address, Mr. Greenough asked two very pertinent questions. The first such question was, "Should a community pay for its water supply or sewage disposal on (1) a volume basis, (2) a population basis, or 3) a property valuation basis?" The second question was, "To what extent should the cost of constructing, maintaining and policing city streets, metropolitan thoroughfares, and state highways in the Metropolitan Area be financed from the Highway Fund or Gas Tax?" In regard to the former question, Mr. Greenough comments, "In my opinion these statutes (concerning certain features of metropolitan water and sewer districts) should be examined with regard to two features. The first concerns the matter and manner of assessments and relates to the question of whether volume of service, population or valuation, or possibly some combination of these factors, represent the most equitable method of measuring payments for water and sewerage services. It would seem reasonable that the answer to this problem should be established as a matter of legislative policy in place of the present illogical situation." Mr. Greenough's reply to the latter question is too lengthy to be included here and I refer it to you for your consideration as an interesting commentary on metropolitan transportation. Mr. Greenough closed his address by presenting a proposal of the Boston Finance Commission made in November, 1954, that a Metropolitan Planning Council be established with responsibility for studying and reporting these problems.

From the above on the transit authority and metropolitan district assessments it is quite obvious that there is general agreement that the present manner and method of apportioning the assessments required study and considerable revision. It is quite obvious, also, that the solution to the problem lies in legislative rather than administrative action.

Very truly yours,

JOSEPH P. LALLY, City Auditor.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

EXPANDED STAFF FOR CITY PLANNING DEPARTMENT.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Whereas, A positive policy of aggressive and imaginative use of the Metropolitan Transit Authority facilities in downtown Boston is needed to guide the planning of the future development of downtown Boston; and

Whereas, Such a plan must emphasize the positive value and possibilities of the MTA system to Boston; be it therefore

Resolved, That the Boston City Planning Department ought to be expanded to permit adequate staff work on this matter as well as other matters now in process before that department.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

EARLIER STARTING OF EVACUATION DAY PARADE.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That the South Boston Citizens Association and the Allied Veterans Council consider the possibility of starting the annual Evacuation Day parade at noontime, March 17, so that the parade may be held during the warmer hours of the day, and so that the children participating in and watching the parade be not exposed to the declining temperatures late in the day.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

SURVEY OF TRAFFIC AND TRUCKING CONDITIONS ON CHESTER AND GARDNER STREETS, BRIGHTON.

Coun. AHEARN offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor is hereby requested to direct the Boston Trafic Commission to make a survey of the traffic and trucking conditions on Chester and Gardner streets, Brighton, with a view to eliminating certain traffic hazards and unnecessary noise due to the use of these streets by very large motor vehicles, apparently attempting to avoid traffic lights.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC HOUSING.

Coun. AHEARN, for the Committee on Public Housing, submitted the following:

Report on resolution and amendment (referred January 10) favoring legislation on extension of rent control—recommending that the resolution and amendment be adopted.

The report of the committee was accepted. The resolution as amended was adopted and is as follows:

Whereas, The situation with respect to the shortage of low-rent private housing still exists, although somewhat alleviated; and

Whereas, It is believed that the vast majority of the people of Boston want rent controls continued for at least one more year to allow for the needed new construction of additional homes; and

Whereas, The shortage of low-rent private housing is still so serious and critical as to require the continuance of rent control; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That His Excellency the Governor and the members of the Great and General Court are hereby respectfully requested to pass and approve the legislation necessary to provide for the continuance of rent controls in Boston; and be it further

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor and the chairman and the director of Rent Control confer with His Excellency the Governor, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, and the President of the Senate on the extension of rent controls with a view to continuing the present law or enacting a new law which is substantially the same as the present law.

COMMENDATIONS TO CITY TELEPHONE OPERATORS AND OTHER CITY EMPLOYEES.

Coun. HAILER offered the following:

Whereas, The devotion of about forty faithful, hard-working women, the telephone operators for the City of Boston, has been outstanding; and

Whereas, Their responsibility extends to about 2,000,000 residents and nonresidents of Boston; and

Whereas, These telephone operators form an almost forgotten division in the daily routine of city business, working behind the scenes, they do not complain, they are always courteous and always on the job which often defies human patience; and

Whereas, The four major groups are:

(a) The City Hospital, on duty 24 hours a day, averaging 12,000 calls;

(b) City Hall operators, handling approximately 8,000 calls a day;

(c) Police Headquarters, on duty 24 hours a day;

(d) Fire Headquarters;

as well as other major department operators, e.g., Public Works, Health Department, Law Department, etc.; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, hereby commends the efforts of these women for their efficient handling of the huge telephone communications network spreading to every section of the Hub.

Coun. PIEMONTE moved to amend the resolution by adding the following, "and the thousands of other city employees whose daily devotion to duty goes unnoticed each day."

The motion was carried.

The resolution as amended was adopted under suspension of the rules.

CORPORATION COUNSEL TO APPEAR BEFORE CITY COUNCIL MARCH 28.

Coun. HAILER offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor request the Corporation Counsel to appear at the executive session of the Boston City Council on Monday, March 28, relative to his powers to initiate action on behalf of the people in matters affecting public utilities.

Coun. PIEMONTE moved to amend the order by striking out in the first line the words "his Honor the Mayor request" and by striking out in the second line the word "to." The motion was carried.

The order as amended was passed under suspension of the rules.

PROGRESS OF STUDY ON PROPOSED RENT INCREASES IN CHAPTER 372 HOUSING.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Ordered, That the chairman of the Boston Housing Authority be requested to advise the Boston City Council of the progress of the study being made in connection with possible increases in rentals in multiple dwelling units constructed under chapter 372 of the Acts of 1946, and further that the said authority be requested to consult with the City Council Committee on Public Housing prior to putting any proposed increases in the rentals on these said units into effect.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

COMMENDATIONS TO BOYS' CLUBS OF BOSTON.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Whereas, The week of March 21, 1955, to March 27, 1955, is National Boys, Club Week, and the theme this year is "Operation Juvenile Delinquency"; therefore be it

Resolved, That the City Council of Boston, in meeting assembled, commends the Boys' Clubs of Boston for their splended contribution towards combating juvenile delinquency and the building of healthy, self-reliant, clear-thinking citizens of tomorrow; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Boys' Clubs of Boston.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

EXPRESSION OF GRATITUDE TO JUDGE ABRAHAM K. COHEN.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Whereas, Judge Abraham K. Cohen has devoted his life to combating discrimination, bias, bigotry, and prejudice; and

Whereas, Judge Cohen served for years with distinction, during which service he earned the respect of the bench, the bar, and the general public for the fair, open-minded manner in which he dispensed justice; and

Whereas, After retiring from the bench Judge Cohen was called to serve on the F.E.P.C. and later on the Commission Against Discrimination, wherein he rendered the same dedicated, selfless devotion to mankind that had been his trademark in life; and

Whereas, Judge Cohen has recently announced his intention to retire permanently to private life, after a glorious career of splendid public service at great personal sacrifice; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, express to Judge Abraham K. Cohen the undying gratitude of the citizens of Boston and of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts for the generous contribution he has rendered to his fellow man, particularly in the field of living side by side with each other without regard to race, color, or creed; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be sent to Judge Abraham K. Cohen.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

TAX RATE INFORMATION TO BE SENT TO CERTAIN INDUSTRIES.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor request Mr. Fox, Director of Administrative Services, to compile a schedule of the increase in tax rates of the neighboring cities and towns as compared with that of Boston for the current year and that a copy be forwarded to industries in Boston, to industries that have left Boston, and to industries now located outside of Boston together with descriptive literature designed to bring out the advantages of business locating in Boston and the services Boston gives.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

NEXT MEETING OF COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCE.

Chairman Hailer of the Committee on Appropriations and Finance announced a meeting of his committee for Wednesday, March 23, 1955, at 10.30 A.M., and requested that Mr. Fox and Mr. Pickett of the Administrative Services Department be notified to attend.

EXPANSION OF INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS DIVISION.

Coun. HAILER offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be requested to study the possibility of appropriating $150,000 for the purposes of expanding the Industrial Relations Division.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

SUFFICIENT APPROPRIATION FOR DEVELOPMENT AND INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION.

Coun. AHEARN offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor take advantage of section 8A of chapter 40 of the General Laws, accepted by the City Council April 12, 1954, and recommend a sufficient appropriation to implement this law.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

Adjourned at 4.16 P.M., on motion of Councillor Ahearn, to meet on Monday, March 28, 1955, at 2 P.M.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.
(Stenographic copy of such debate on file in office of City Clerk.)

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, for a trial period of sixty (60) days, the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective March 15, 1955:

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Freeport Street.
From William T. Morrissey Boulevard at the point where it intersects Freeport street two hundred and twenty (220) feet north of the extension of Conley street to the extension of Conley street.
From William T. Morrissey Boulevard at its southerly junction with Freeport street in a northerly direction to Victory road.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, occasioned by underground construction in connection with the John F. Fitzgerald Expressway, for a period estimated to be ten (10) days, the one-way rule in the following street is suspended, and it is a two-way street, effective March 23, 1955:

Central Street, Boston Proper.
From India street to Atlantic avenue.

PROCEEDINGS OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Feb. 7, 1955

A regular meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, at 3.05 P. M., the Chairman presiding.

Present: Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Museo, and Ward.

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PRELIMINARY ESTIMATES

The following communication was presented:

City of Boston
Department of School Buildings
26 Norman Street
February 7, 1954

Miss Agnes E. Reynolds,
Secretary,
Boston School Committee,
15 Beacon Street
Boston 8, Massachusetts
My dear Miss Reynolds:—

Under date of February 7, 1955, the School Committee, through you, submitted to the Board of Commissioners of School Buildings a draft of estimates of proposed expenditures for 1955 for land and buildings to be forwarded to the Mayor under the provisions of Chapter 513 of the Acts of 1945, and Chapter 224 of the Acts of 1936, as amended by Chapter 117 of the Acts of 1949, for the following items:—

LAND AND BUILDINGS

Administration Expenses, Salaries	$ 72,000.00
Rent of Hired Accommodations	37,775.00
Bigelow District, South Boston. Development of playspace of land on Silver Street and land adjacent to the Bigelow Schoolyard	25,000.00
For acquiring land for, and constructing, public schoolhouses, including originally equipping and furnishing such schoolhouses	157,000.00
Reserve for such items of land, plans and construction of school buildings as are or may finally be approved	450,706.53
Total	$742,481.53

The amount of $742,481.53 includes a balance from the appropriation of 1954.

At a meeting of the Board of Commissioners of School Buildings held this date and at which meeting Chairman Joseph F. O'Connell, Jr., and Commissioner Matthew T. Connolly were present and voting, it was voted, unanimously, to report favorably on the above described proposed draft, all as provided in Section 7, Chapter 351 of the Acts of 1929.

It is assumed that the item "For acquiring land for, and constructing, public schoolhouses, including originally equipping and furnishing such schoolhouses" is in connection with a proposed bond issue. If such is the case, when future orders are proposed in this connection, I suggest that the Board of Commissioners of School Buildings be given sufficient time to be legally notified of meeting to take action on proposed orders. This suggestion is made in order to satisfy the Attorneys handling the bond issue.

Very truly yours,
Board of Commissioners of School Buildings:—
(Signed)
Joseph F. O'Connell, Jr.
Chairman

Placed on file.

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City of Boston—Department of School Buildings, 26 Norman Street.

February 7, 1955

Miss Agnes E. Reynolds,
Secretary, Boston School Committee,
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Boston 8, Massachusetts
My dear Miss Reynolds:—

Under date of February 7, 1955, the School Committee, through you, submitted to the Board of Commissioners of School Buildings a draft of estimates of proposed expenditures for 1955 for alterations and repairs to be forwarded to the Mayor, under the provisions of Chapter 531 of the Acts of 1945, and Chapter 224 of the Acts of 1936, as amended by Chapter 117 of the Acts of 1949, for the following items:—

ALTERATIONS AND REPAIRS

Administration Expenses: Salaries	$ 305,000.00
Workmen's Compensation	600.00
Veterans' Retirement Roll	11,205.00
Administration Expenses: Office Expenses and other Items	32,000.00
Alterations, Furniture and Equipment for Special Educational Needs	150,000.00
General Alterations and Repairs	2,060,918.00
Total	$2,559,723.00

The sum of $2,559,723.00 included a balance from the appropriation of 1954.

At a meeting of the Board of Commissioners of School Buildings which was held this date with Chairman Joseph F. O'Connell, Jr., and Commissioner Matthew T. Connolly present and voting, it was voted, unanimously, to report favorably on the above described draft, all as provided in Section 7 Chapter 351 of the Acts of 1929.

Very truly yours,
Board of Commissioners of School Buildings
(Signed) Joseph F. O'Connell, Jr., Chairman

Placed on file.

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It was agreed by the School Committee that the following letter, embodying the estimates of proposed expenditures for school purposes for the fiscal year 1955 be forwarded to His Honor, the Mayor, John B. Hynes:

February 7, 1955

Honorable John B. Hynes
Mayor of Boston
City Hall
Boston, Massachusetts
My dear Mayor Hynes:

In compliance with the provisions of Chapter 513 of the Acts of 1945 and Chapter 224 of the Acts of 1936, as amended by Chapter 117 of the Acts of 1949, and subject to favorable action of the General Court on the petition of the School Committee for increased appropriating power, the School Committee submits its estimates of the proposed expenditures for school purposes for the fiscal year 1955, as follows:

Construction and furnishing of new school buildings, both temporary and permanent, including the taking of land therefor, and for school yards and the preparing of school yards for use, and for use, and for rent of hired school accommodations. $742,481.53

The above sum of $742,481.53 may be obtained in part by the appropriation of an unexpended balance of approximately $798.53 from 1954.

Alteration and repair of school buildings and for furniture, fixtures, and means of escape in case of fire, and for fire protection of existing buildings, and for improving existing school yards $2,559,723.00

The above sum of $2,559,723.00 may be obtained in part by the appropriation of unexpended balances from 1954, totalling approximately $38,000.00

General School Purposes $26,113,229.76

The above sum of $26,113,229.76 may be obtained in part by the appropriation of unexpended balances totalling $167,289.56 and estimated income totalling approximately $1,200,000.00. In addition to the unexpended balances and the estimated income, the School Committee will receive credit for approximately $1,762,083.00 which is the estimated amount to be received by the City and credited to the School Committee in 1955 in order to reduce the amount to be raised by taxation for the support of schools, in accordance with provisions of General Laws, Chapter 70.

Total $29,415,434.29

Very truly yours,
AGNES E. REYNOLDS,
Secretary

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Chairman: Would you call the roll, Miss Reynolds?

Mr. Lee: First a point of information on this matter—Alterations and Repairs.

As I understand from our last conference, that amount estimated for Alterations and Repairs is sufficient to cover the installation of floodlights in certain school yards.

Chairman: I presume so, Mr. Superintendent, except that the School Committee may have to make transfers later within its Alterations and Repairs Budget.

Isn't that true?

Superintendent: That is a fair statement. It is the total amount that we can appropriate under the statute; and once this amount is appropriated—or any portion of it—then the School Committee—

Chairman: Then it may be allocated?

Superintendent: Then the School Committee may allocate any way it sees fit. Answering the question—

Mr. Ward: Suppose you don't have any money to allocate?

Superintendent: Answering Mr. Lee's question, Mr. Ward, the money will be in the budget; and, if the School Committee wants to eliminate any one item for floodlights, then the School Committee will have that privilege.

Mr. Lee: Wasn't it left that you would have a committee of Assistant Superintendents or the Physical Education Department look over locations? Then it would come before us again and recommendations would go down from us to the School Buildings Department asking for that allocation.

Superintendent: Sometime between now and the time the final budget goes down to the Mayor—that was the final understanding, Mr. Lee.

Mr. Lee: Then, beyond that, Madam Chairman, I would like to offer an amendment to this letter. Perhaps I would do well to pass out copies of it.

Chairman: Is this the total amendment that you wish to give, or do you have amendments to any other portions?

Mr. Lee: I will have another amendment on Item 2, the Bond Issue. This is the only amendment on this matter:

Whereas the citizenry is alarmed by too common breaches of goodwill and of the peace on the part of schoolboys, which is a blemish on an otherwise fine school system; and

Whereas it takes patient work, case by case, to get to the heart of unfriendly attitudes in youth; and

Whereas an adjustment counselor for each 1000 pupils—that is for each of our 100 school administrative districts—would still mean a heavy case load for each such counselor; and

Whereas, for example, the department chiefestly concerned with individual adjustment has only three field workers for our 90,000 pupils today; and

Whereas money spent on preventive work with troubled youth is better than money spent on repair of vandalism or on punitive measures in court or on indemnities for wasted lives; therefore, be it

VOTED, That our Preliminary Estimates of dollars to be taken from citizens to pay for our schools this year be amended by adding the sum of $170,000—to be allocated to such adjustment counselors, or like personnel, as the present committee of assistant superintendents may recommend as needed to help stabilize disturbed lives among our pupils—to cover payments from early next September till next December 31st.

You see, Madam Chairman. I realize that it isn't a full year, and therefore a smaller sum is appearing here than the $500,000 which I mentioned at the last meeting.

Chairman: Is there a second to Mr. Lee's motion?

Mr. Ward: Madam Chairman, the only objections I have to this whole point are these. I think the $170,000 is too small. Now, we sat up there last week and talked about juvenile delinquency and about finding some ways of solving this great problem.

Let us not kid ourselves. This problem is not going to be solved by economy. It is going to be solved by an expenditure of money. It is going to be solved by following the recommendations that these three men are going to bring in to us, and these three men must bring in recommendations. They must bring them in and ask that certain things be done that are going to cost money.

If we are going to solve this problem, it is going to cost money. I have only one objection to Mr. Lee's resolution. I do not believe $170,000 will cover such an important item. Either we are going to appropriate money for this specific, pin-pointed purpose, or else forever we are going to stop talking about juvenile delinquency and how we are to combat it.

We are only going to combat it by the expenditure of money; and, Mr. Superintendent, you recollect that some years ago we had a program here which you were in charge of. Is that correct?

Superintendent: That is true.

Mr. Ward: And I believe one of the newspapers of Boston sent one of its best men to help this. We opened the schools. We had dances. We had parties. We had everything. All that was designed to take these children off the street; and, as I recollect, as a result of that expenditure of money—and it was a large expenditure if I remember compared to the budget of that day—we found that we reduced our delinquency in Boston below any other city in the United States with the exception of St. Louis.

I believe in one particular period, delinquency dropped either 4.8 or 4.9 because the program that we put in was successful. Now the program that we put in there at that particular time was followed by other large cities of the country. I think the present suggestion is a program that perhaps could well be followed by other large cities of the country, and the only objection I have is that $170,000 in a year's time is going to be insufficient to solve such an important problem which we all hold nearer and dearer to our hearts perhaps than anything else.

Madam Chairman, you have sponsored this. You have brought this out very forcefully. You have brought this out and said that it exists. We see it. Now, how are we going to solve it?

Madam Chairman, you are not going to solve it by pinching pennies. You are going to solve it by spending money, and this to my mind is important. If I could do this I would be very happy. If I am in order, I would like to amend the motion to increase this from $170,000 to $250,000.

I only object, Mr. Lee, to the amount of money. I think that the amount of money is, perhaps, in your mind, liberal, but in my mind it is not. $170,000 is a lot of money, but it is not sufficient money when we can bring about a reduction in juvenile delinquency in this city, and we hope that juvenile delinquency in every city in the country will drop.

However, our interest and our responsibility is only in Boston. If delinquency will drop as it did when the Superintendent had charge as Assistant Superintendent of that program, that would be fine. It dropped to such a point it was a pretty good program, but it cost money.

Now I don't know whether Mr. Lee has any objection to my amendment or not; but, if Mr. Lee has objections to it, I wish he would explain it or explain why he comes to the figure of $170,000 and not $250,000 or not $300,000, and why $170,000 is listed and not more.

Mr. Lee: Well, the reasoning was this—that we have something like fifty-eight or sixty elementary school districts, and the Superintendent pointed out a while ago that there is an average of a thousand students to each one. Then we have junior high schools and high schools—about one hundred administrative districts all together. And I thought we have a whole year. . . .

Mr. Ward: Pardon me, Mr. Lee. I have kind of doped this out a little bit. Your thought was $510,000. Is that correct?

Mr. Lee: $500,000 as a round figure.

Mr. Ward: I withdraw my amendment. If your thought was $510,000—

Superintendent: for a full year.

Mr. Ward: And you are not going to figure this for a full year; then I withdraw my amendment.

Chairman: Then we consider Mr. Ward's motion withdrawn.

Mr. Ward: That means that one-third of $510,000, as I figure it here, is $170,000. Am I right?

Mr. Lee: Yes.

Mr. Ward: In other words, your original thought was $510,000, which I think would be the proper sum.

But now it is only to be from September 1st to December 31st. That is all right. I withdraw my amendment. We have already done something about this. This School Committee has done something about this on a motion, if I recollect, by Mr. Carr. He said that for the Columbia Point Project we should put on a full-time attendance officer. And we did that. That was the first step.

Chairman: You have expressed your approval of Mr. Lee's amendment?

Mr. Ward: Yes, definitely.

Chairman: May I just ask the Superintendent a question? Mr. Superintendent, would you say as you look at the budget—and you have been over it pretty thoroughly — that possibly between today and April 1st we might make transfers of money, so that any recommendations requiring money for the prevention of juvenile delinquency could be met out of our regular budget between now and April 1st?

Superintendent: Well, Madam Chairman, as you know, my position is always a very difficult one, if I weigh the different points of view by different members of the School Committee and my own and various other problems that confront me in expressing my opinion.

However, regardless of any points of view by any of the members of the Committee, let me express my own point of view at this particular time. I think the meeting that the School Committee called, bringing together the various persons dealing with the problem of special services, was an excellent one and a fine start.

I have picked up that particular problem now and have asked the Assistant Superintendents of the three levels to take the matter up with their respective levels.

Now as of today when this preliminary estimate is being sent to the Mayor, the problem or the decisions that the committee of three Assistant Superintendents will reach are not formulated.

Now, I don't like to recommend, Madam Chairman and members, putting into a preliminary estimate anything that is, as this is, in my opinion at the present time—intangible and not resolved.

So that if you ask my recommendation whether we should or should not do it as of today, I would recommend against it.

Now for the second part of the problem, there are ways and means of saving boys and girls, and eliminating or overcoming juvenile delinquency, without spending additional money; and I think that that will be one of the outgrowths of the particular meeting that you caused to be called together, Madam Chairman.

I think that we will better integrate these special services. Any such coordination will not, in my opinion, increase our budget.

Now we still have a wonderful program on the part of all classroom teachers, in my opinion, which is attempting to solve this problem of juvenile delinquency. That group of fine classroom teachers and administrators will continue to do that work; and through this committee of three Assistant Superintendents we will try to better tie together these various groups without additional expense.

Now we do have in our present budget the recreational program in the evenings that Mr. Ward spoke of, and he was one of the pioneers at the time in connection with it. We do have in our schools a number of school center programs that do bring in these boys and girls and help tremendously. We do furnish without expense to various groups the CYO, the Y.M.C.A., and certain Jewish groups free use of our halls and gymnasiums for this particular type of work.

So that permeating our school budget, which is presently the figure that was compiled up to today for General School Purposes of $26,113,229.76, at every fork of the road are programs and plans and ideas, all of which are aimed at developing good citizens and, along with it, overcoming juvenile delinquency.

Now let me summarize my thoughts. Since the objectives of this committee of three Assistant Superintendents are not as of the moment crystallized or jelled, I would recommend against putting in any additional money into the budget.

I hope that their ideas will be better jelled before the final budget goes down the 1st of April. Then there will be an opporunity to add to this figure. And if the Mayor vetoes it, that will be unfortunate. But we are in his hands with regard to this amount of money. I think that there will be another opportunity between now and the 1st of April.

Now may I just mention this other point? In the event that we do not ask for this additional money and do not put it in the preliminary estimates today, there is another avenue that we can use here in our administration, and that is the avenue used last year in order to fulfill the single salary schedule and take the step that this Committee took September 1, 1954. You asked me then to make certain adjustments and certain economies, and I in turn asked my assistants to study that whole program. And, if you recall, when we were ready to make the salary schedule in August of 1954 I came right out and recommended that because of these economies the School Committee embark with confidence upon the next step of the single salary schedule, and grant the $120 and the $180, which amounted to $171,000, and that had not been in the original budget.

Was that a budget that was wadded? No. It was a budget that had been readjusted and changed by me with the help of those under me in order that we might bring about what we thought was for the greater good of the entire system.

So that if this money is not put into the budget today and if it is not put into the budget April 1st, this School Committee still has an opportunity to do for juvenile delinquency, if a program warrants it, what they did for the third step of the single salary schedule—namely, say to me: "Try to find that money and try to make adjustments after the budget is passed by the Mayor" and I certainly would exert every effort in April and May of 1955 for this purpose if it needed it, as I did for what appeared to be a need in the next step of the single salary schedule.

Therefore, my recommendation, Madam Chairman and members, is that the budget go down with the figure presently of $26,113,229.76 and that the Committee consider my thoughts between now and the 1st of April or even afterward as the case may be.

Chairman: Then I think I will recognize the author of the amendment first and then Mr. Ward. Is that agreeable to you?

Mr. Ward: Yes, go ahead.

Mr. Lee: As a School Committee that has dedicated itself to meeting this teen-age misbehavior problem, following the Chairlady's inaugural remarks but perhaps reaching somewhat into last year we have tried, I think, five methods of approach to this problem, and only one or possibly two of those involve any money.

We have already approved the idea of teaching our high school girls in a better way how to face the problem of bringing up children, so that they as mothers will guard against some of the unruly acts which we see in the present generation.

A committee, then, is working already on courses on how to bring up children, or child care or whatever you want to call it, which is the most intelligent long-range view, I think, to be found in the country for dealing with making our boys and girls better adjusted to life, at least in the next generation. That is costing us nothing. It will simply be part of our health courses or our civics courses.

Then in the second meeting of this year we brought up the fact that religion seems to have receded too far out of the American schools and a committee is now at work to see if we cannot revive spiritual awareness and spiritual health in our schools, which everyone knows bears on this problem. And then the Chairlady herself, beginning before I was on the Committee, has made efforts to revise the courses in civic education with a view to getting a better point of view and and a better social adjustment, and that is underway, Mr. Superintendent, I am sure—to revise those courses.

Now there are these three major approaches that we are making to this all-important problem, and we have been able to contemplate all of those three courses without any resort to outlays at all. But now we do come to a case, which we don't want to pinpoint but want to leave somewhat general, where we think we should put a backlog of money in where we may need more personnel; and I think that will be a record we can point with pride to; I think we have here

a wonderful talking point to the Mayor.

We can say: "We are a committee that has made it its No. 1 project to deal with this question of youthful mischief: we have found three ways which we think will be very effective that cost us nothing; and we are, to be sure, putting in a backlog of $170,000 for possible needs we may have."

And my last point, Mr. Superintendent and Mr. Musco, is this. If it develops that we do not need this money, wonderful — wonderful. We still have said to the Mayor that we are working on this problem of juvenile delinquency, and it gives him a chance to reduce. It gives us all a feeling that things are not going to be as much of a burden on the taxpayer as we thought.

And lastly, Mr. Superintendent, I do point out that you yourself have often stressed that these are the preliminary estimates. They are not meant to be the final last detail on every penny to be expended. They are supposd to give the Mayor an idea of what he may expect or should be prepared to expect.

And so I feel sure that the conservative and sensible thing is to go this small distance financially in readiness to deal with the recommendations of this subcommittee which they will bring before us. I hope you appropriate it.

Chairman: Thank you very much, Mr. Lee. May I remind the members that we have to have these figures down to the Mayor's office by five o'clock.

Mr. Carr: Madam Chairman, you have brought out the fact that these figures have to be down to the Mayor by five o'clock, and I am wondering why we have spent so much time on this resolve at this time. I don't think there is any great rush for us to act upon this. As pointed out by the Superintendent and as is known to each member of this Committee, as the year progresses it is possible for the Business Manager to project the expenses of the operation of the system toward the end of the year, and there is no question that he comes up every year with an unexpended balance.

That happened last year; and inasmuch as this is to cover payments from early next September until December 31st, I don't see why there is any rush for us to adopt this program.

We can easily wait until the administration brings in its report; and then, if the conditions are such and the program is such that it warrants an expenditure like this, I feel sure the entire Committee would be glad to go along with it.

Chairman: Mr. Carr, then you are suggesting that we hold this item?

Mr. Carr: I would like to move that it be held until some future date.

Mr. Ward: Madam Chairman, here is one of the things I would like to bring out. We have had a tentative copy of the Jacobs Survey. Now is that or is that not, in the minds of the Committee, going to cost anything that we might have on an expended balance? That is one of the other things you must take into consideration—that we will have to determine this year. There is one of the things that could undoubtedly eat up the unexpended balances.

Here is why we ought to put this $170,000 in the preliminary estimates. The Mayor will say to us, "Why is your budget up?"

We can say: "Here is one of the reasons it is up: to meet this juvenile delinquency problem," and you have the greatest argument in the world.

Chairman: Mr. Carr has moved that it might be held. Shall we have a vote on whether the item should be held for further consideration?

Chairman: The question before us, gentlemen, is whether we should hold Mr. Lee's amendment for further consideration in the future.

Madam Secretary, will you call the roll on that?

Mr. Carr: When you say "future," Madam Chairman, we all know that the final figure will go down April 1st.

Chairman: April 1st.

Mr. Ward: Madam Chairman, I would like to say that if you hold this amendment from now to April 1st you might as well kill it right now, tonight, because it is going to be dead on April 1st. You are not going to bring it in on April 1st, and you are not going to even consider it on April 1st. You might as well kill it right now and say No. I can see no reason why, these being the preliminary estimates, we couldn't put this in. If you leave this to April 1st you have a problem on your hands where you might as well kill it now—either say Yes or No now.

Mr. Carr: Madam Chairman, I don't agree with the previous speaker. I feel that we can hold this: and we hope that our professional staff will come up with a recommendation for a program that might be a panacea for this juvenile delinquency, or part of it, anyway. We might find the Mayor perfectly willing, because of the merits of such a program to put it into effect. He might give us three times what we asked. We might be successful in having other agencies, other than the City agencies, such as these community agencies, enthese comunity agencies, endorse dorse our program. We will have that report prior to April 1st, and we might find ourselves in a better position then. I don't see any harm in holding this.

Mr. Ward: Madam Chairman, let me tell you this just from long experience—which I think I have. The Mayor will turn this program immediately over to the Park Department for that department to carry on; and the Park Department won't have made any appropriations for what the Mayor wants, because it is common sense to realize that the Park Department will not carry on any program that the School Department might suggest.

Chairman: Madam Secretary, would you call the roll on holding this question?

Secretary: This is on Mr. Carr's motion to hold Mr. Lee's motion over for future consideration—that is, between now and April 1.

On roll call, the motion passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, and Mr. Musco—3.

NAYS—Messrs. Lee and Ward—2.

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On roll call the members agreed to submit the foregoing communication to his Honor, the Mayor, by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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Statement of Chairman

Chairman: The Chair would like to make a statement if there is no objection from the members. It is a very brief one—not even one page, and it is with respect to the budget.

The School Committee feels that the budget figures sent to the Mayor today express the most accurate picture of the school needs of the City of Boston which this Committee could arrive at. Unless we invest an adequate amount of money in teachers' salaries, maintenance of our physical plant and building new schools, the children of Boston will not receive the kind of education to which they are entitled.

For years succeding school committees have scrimped and cut in order to lessen the impact on the taxpayer, but there is a time when economy is more expersive than properly meeting our obligations. A rundown school plant or an unhappy group of employees will result in depression, demoralization, stagnation, and unhappy school children.

In the coming weeks the School Committee will explain in detail to the Mayor, the City Council, and the citizens of Boston the reasons for mounting school costs. We are extremely grateful for past generosity and understanding on the part of the present City administration. We hope we receive this year continued understanding and consideration of school needs. We stand ready to cooperate with Mayor Hynes and all others who are responsible for setting the tax rate to the end that as much prudence as possible will be excercised in the spending of money on school administration.

However, we would be remiss in our duties as elected school

committee members if we did not call public attention to the minimum amount needed for giving good, safe, modern buildings and happy, competent teachers to the public school children of the city.

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Mr. Ward: Madam Chairman. I kind of object to that statement by virtue of the fact that I served for ten years on the School Committee and we never scrimped on the education of the children. There was a time—

Chairman: I will accept your amendment.

Mr. Ward: Wait a minute. There was a definite and positive amount of money allowed to every School Committee which it could expend. We lived within our appropriating power. That was the law. We obeyed the law. It was not scrimping to obey the law.

Chairman: I certainly didn't mean to reflect on any past School Committee. I had no intention of reflecting on any past School Committee.

Mr. Ward: You said other School Committees have scrimped.

Chairman: I meant no reflection on you or any past School Committee members.

Mr. Ward: Well, I am glad of that because it was not ever a question of scrimping. It was a question of our sitting down here day in and day out—

Chairman: I will be perfectly glad to have the Secretary eliminate that word.

Mr. Ward: We try to live within our appropriating power, which we always did. We cannot do it. We are not trying to do it today because we can't do it today.

Mr. Carr: I might point this out to the Committee, and Mr. Ward in particular, Madam Chairman—that there must have been scrimping done, but I doubt very much if it was done by the school committees.

Now I have a little piece here that is taken from the newspaper, and it points out that in 1953 the major cities of the country devoted the following percentages of their tax dollar to schools:

Philadelphia devoted 43 per cent of the tax dollar to schools; Cleveland devoted 39 per cent; Cincinnati 39 per cent; St. Louis, 38 per cent; Chicago, 36 per cent; and Boston, 17 per cent.

Now that 17 per cent is the percentage of the tax dollar devoted to Boston schools, and the national average is anywhere between 32 and 33 per cent, so it is obvious from the figures that there has been scrimping done some place.

Mr. Ward: Year after year School Committees have gone before the Legislature asking them to increase the appropriating power and the Legislators have said: "No, we will not do it."

Now we have asked them. Mr. Superintendent, am I correct in saying that bills have been filed asking them to raise the appropriating power? Each year that request is filed. I can go further and say that I think in California you will find a higher figure of the tax dollar that is appropriated for school purposes. The State appropriates money and the State, in the case of Boston or other cities and towns in Massachusetts, should appropriate thirty-five or forty per cent of the amount of the cost of running the public schools.

However, if the appropriating power of a school committee is $21,000,000 and they appropriate that $21,000,000, that is not scrimping. They are spending all the money they are allowed to spend under the law—not under our rules.

Chairman: I certainly intended no reflection on you, Mr. Ward, or any committee on which you served.

Mr. Ward: I don't think any school committee even before my time—even long before I was on the Committee—has ever scrimped. We have asked the full limit of our appropriating power.

Chairman: You have been forced to do so.

Mr. Ward: We were forced to do so.

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APPROPRIATION FOR NEW SCHOOL, RICE-FRANKLIN DISTRICT

The following communication was presented:

City of Boston—Department of School Buildings
26 Norman Street
January 19, 1955

Miss Agnes E. Reynolds
Secretary, Boston School Committee
15 Beacon Street
Boston, Massachusetts

Dear Miss Reynolds:-

Under date of January 13, 1953, you forwarded the following proposed order to the Board of Commissioners of School Buildings:-

ORDERED, That the order of Nov. 23, 1954, allocating out of the 1953 bond issue the sum of $1,530,660 for an elementary school in the Rice-Franklin district is hereby amended to read as follows:-

ORDERED, That out of the sum appropriated by the City Council of the City of Boston by order passed on May 4, 1953, and again on May 18, 1953, and approved by the Mayor on May 19, 1953, to be expended for the purpose of acquiring land for, and constructing, public schoolhouses in the City of Boston, including originally equipping and furnishing such schoolhouses, the sum of $1,619,903.66 be, and the same hereby is, allocated for acquiring land by demolition, plans, construction and furnishing of an elementary school in the Rice-Franklin District, South End, containing twenty-six classrooms, two kindergartens, one assembly hall, and one gymnasium.

At a meeting of the Board of Commisioners of School Buildings held this date with all members present and voting, it was voted unanimously to report favorably on the above proposed order, all as provided in Section 7, Chapter 351 of the Acts of 1929.

Very truly yours,
Board of Commissioners of School Buildings:—
(Signed) Joseph F. O'Connell, Jr.
Chairman

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On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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Dear Miss Reynolds:-

Under date of January 13, 1953 you forwarded the following proposed order to the Board of Commissioners of School Buildings:—

ORDERED, That the order of Nov. 23, 1954, allocating out of the 1954 bond issue the sum of $217,080 for an elementary school in the Rice-Franklin District is hereby amended to read as follows:—

ORDERED, That out of the sum appropriated by the City Council of the City of Boston by order passed first on September 7, 1954, and again on September 27, 1954, and approved by the Mayor on September 28, 1954, to be expended for the purpose of acquiring land for, and contructing public schoolhouses in the City of Boston, including, originally equipping and furnishing such schoolhouses, the sum of $366,560,000 be, and the same hereby is,

allocated for acquiring land by demolition, plans, construction and furnishing of an elementary school in the Rice-Franklin District, South End, containing twenty-six classrooms, two kindergartens, one assembly hall, and one gymnasium—said sum, when added to the $1,619,903.66, allocated for the purpose at this meeting this day, making a total sum allocated for the purpose of $1,986,463.66.

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NAYS—0

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BOND ISSUE FOR NEW SCHOOLS

The following letter to be sent to his Honor, the Mayor, John B. Hynes, with reference to a Bond Issue for additional school accommodations was presented:

February 7, 1955

Honorable John B. Hynes
Mayor of Boston
City Hall
Boston, Massachusetts

My dear Mayor Hynes:

In each of the years 1953 and 1954 the City Council approved a bond issue in the amount of $5,000,000.00 for the purpose of acquiring land for, and constructing public schoolhouses, including originally equipping and furnishing such schoolhouses. Of these bond issues totalling $10,000,000.00 there has been allocated a total of $8,601,590.00 for land, plans, construction and furnishing of necessary new school buildings and in certain cases additions to existing school buildings.

The balance of $1,398,410.00 will be allocated for the construction of an elementary school in the Dwight District, South End, just as soon as a suitable site is selected. The selection of this site is being postponed temporarily with the earnest hope that a suitable location will be eventually obtained at a very reasonable cost to the School Department.

The school system is in need of far more construction than it will be possible to achieve under these two bond issues. The following school accommodations are urgently needed but not necessarily in the order listed:

Agassiz District, Jamaica Plain —Addition to Joseph P. Manning School.

Lowell District, Jamaica Plain —Elementary school to replace Lowell School building.

William E. Russell District, Dorchester—Elementary school to replace Cora L. Etheridge building.

James A. Garfield District, Brighton — Elementary school, McKinney Playground area.

Agassiz District, Jamaica Plain —Elementary school to replace Agassiz and Old Agassiz buildings.

Roger Wolcott District, Dorchester — Elementary school, Franklin Field area.

Boston Technical High School, Back Bay Fens or Franklin Park area, Roxbury—High school to replace Boston Technical High School building, to accommodate 1500 pupils.

Sherwin District, Roxbury—Elementary school to replace Sherwin and Asa Gray buildings.

Harvard District, Charlestown —Elementary school to replace Prescott and James A. McDonald buildings.

William E. Russell District, Dorchester — Elementary school, Columbia Point area (second building).

In order to finance at least part of these urgent projects, the School Committee hereby respectfully requests that your Honor recommend to the City Council that it originate an additional five million dollar loan order for the purpose of acquiring land for, and constructing, public schoolhouses and additions, including originally equipping and furnishing such schoolhouses and additions.

The School Committee will seek to have each new school and addition approved by the Massachusetts School Buildings Assistance Commission under Mass. St. 1948, ch. 645, as amended, and thereby obtain a State grant of approximately 20% of the cost of each school and addition to help meet the payments on the loan.

Respectfully submitted
(Signed) Mary K. Fitzgerald
Chairman

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Mr. Lee: Madam Chairman, I have an amendment on this letter which I would like to submit to the Committee now.

Chairman: Go right ahead, Mr. Lee.

Mr. Lee: I might say that there is no need of sharpening your pencils because the amendment is to the letter — to the note that we are going to send down— and has to do with what I hope is a helpful suggestion for raising revenues in the future. It does not alter or in any way affect the figures which Miss Reynolds has just read to us.

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The amendment runs as follows:

Whereas a proposition for sound living, put before our youth, is not complete without opportunities for boyish and manly sport; and

Whereas the adult automobile has taken over the streets after school hours and in summer evenings as play-streets or pleasureways for their gasoline-sped quadrocycles; and

Whereas this has deprived every boy of the natural and time-honored playground-of-the-street, in front of his door; and

Whereas the adults seem likely to approve $300,000,000 this year, as recommended to their Legislature by their Governor, for still more highways for use of pleasure cars in Massachusetts, of which approximately $50,000,000 would be paid by Boston citizens through a tax on their gasoline; and

Whereas our parents hold their children as dear as their new roads; and

Whereas replies to the Chairlady's authorized questionnaires to Home and School Associations show that our parents almost unanimously demand more recreation for their children; and

Whereas regular participation for all high school boys in all seasons of the year on playfields around their high schools is the only solution for a City that now has only enough playfields for its high school "first teams", and where the rest of youth must not be allowed longer to sour in idleness on city sidewalks; and

Whereas the average of 700 boys, at each of the fourteen City high schools they attend, calls for seven acres of play space surrounding each such school; and

Whereas each acre will cost about $1,000,000 to procure and prepare; therefore, be it

VOTED, That the letter conveying to His Honor, the Mayor, the request for a bond issue for new schools for 1955 include a footnote expressing our readiness either to seek a Constitutional Amendment — with the Mayor's

requested help — whereby our present Constitutional Amendment LXXVIII shall be liberalized to permit diversion of an appropriate fraction of the gasoline tax from the construction of pleasure ways for adults to the construction of playfields for youth, or advising, instead, an increased municipal personal property tax on pleasure cars, which needs no constitutional amendment, to be applied to constructing playfields around our high schools, such tax bill, in the latter case, to bear the following legend:

"Ye that have taken the streets
from youth for cars for your
pleasure,
Shall now return to youth
sports fields in like measure"

Mr Musco: Madam Chairman, I dislike having a difference of opinion from the honorable member from South Russell Street all the time, but I recall that this subject came up a few years ago under a former chairman, and I believe it was taken to the State House and at that time it was decided that it was unconstitutional and no taxes derived from the sale of gasoline or automobiles could be diverted to schools.

Mr. Ward: Nor to anything else, Madam Chairman — not by an act of the Legislature, but by an amendment by the people. They voted themselves on that particular matter.

Chairman: It was a referendum.

Mr. Ward: It was a referendum.

Mr. Musco: The other situation arises around a bond issue. Maybe Mr. Lee has a point here. Maybe he would rather see this resolution go down separately.

To attach it to a bond issue that we are striving for in order to create new schools is wrong in my opinion. I think he might be a little bit too premature, and let me tell you why.

This Committee belongs to the Massachusetts Association of School Committees, of which I am the representative for this Committee, and among all the school committees in this Commonwealth they have selected me — the Massachusetts Association of School Committees has selected me — to represent the Massachusetts Association at the Commission for Public Schools located at 41 Mt. Vernon Street.

Only last summer that particular Commission selected and asked to serve on a State-wide committee for school aid a group of citizens of all walks of life — professional people, trades, and everything else, and in that way they were to devise a plan whereby they could approach the Legislature and ask for double the amount of money in State aid to construct schools and to modernize our plant, from $21,000,000 to $42,000,000.

I believe it has progressed to a point where only today at three-thirty the Committee is meeting at 41 Mt. Vernon Street, and they will come up with a plan that has been sifted and screened and checked with the Senators and the Governor and the Representatives and everybody else connected with an interest in public school aid.

They have a paid staff from private funds who have made recommendations, and the recommendations will be forthcoming sometime today.

Among the various exertions have been four or five different means of raising funds so that the new building program can be completed, and I would like your indulgence to hold up on this until such time as we have a chance to get the full report from the Statewide committee for school aid. At that time I shall bring it back to you in writing.

Mr. Ward: Madam Chairman, this being State aid and since they have a $54,000,000 deficit in their own budget, I don't know whether they have sifted every way of finding money.

Now this resolution I have not read too thoroughly, and I don't think you are working for the horsebreeders of America or working against Henry Ford and General Motors or anything like that. But I think there was a legislative act and there was a referendum to the people in which they voted that no money could be diverted from the gasoline tax, but could only be used for road purposes and nothing else. It could not be used for any other purpose.

The referendum read: "Shall all monies be used for road purposes?" And the people voted Yes. I think if they had put: "Shall the money be diverted?" the people would have voted Yes. It is one of those things where all of this money is coming in from the gasoline tax for roads, and the money in that particular item is overwhelming. It is a terrific amount of money, and I don't know how much money they have in there. However I think ultimately they will be able to pave roads with solid gold with the money they get from the sales tax.

Therefore, I would like to see money diverted but I would like to see it diverted by means of the same popular vote whereby it is now tied up. I would like to have the people get that chance to say: "Here, we voted to put this money into roads, but now we move that we take it out."

I would like to put a referendum on there and say: "Shall this money be diverted to schools?" I think the people would say Yes.

Chairman: May I ask this of the members?

There appear to be two things before us. First of all is a letter requesting the Mayor for the bond issue. That also, with the rest of the budget figures, has to be down to the Mayor before five. Could we take action now on the letter on the bond issue and then perhaps the members would have some suggestions as to how Mr. Lee could present his item of the possible diversion of gasoline tax funds as an act or an amendment or a resolve to be presented to the Legislature itself for possible consideration as a referendum at the next State election.

On roll call, the Chairman was authorized by the following vote to transmit the foregoing communication to His Honor, the Mayor:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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Mr. Lee: It is all right with me to vote on the present letter to the Mayor first.

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Mr. Lee: Madam Chairman, on my suggested footnote or communication, I would like to clarify a few things. I do have here — and I can give you all copies — the wording of Article 78, the amendment to our State Constitution — which, as Mr. Ward states, was initiated by the Legislature and then submitted by referendum to the people and then became a part of our amended Constitution. It does say that monies from the gasoline tax shall not be diverted to uses alien to automobiles and their roads and their safety and so forth; but it does make clear at the end that it has no reference to the personal property tax on motor vehicles.

So much for the present state of the law.

My second point was to try to be helpful to the Mayor. He, unluckily for him, has the burden of raising revenue. We don't have that burden. I thought it would be a gracious gesture to suggest to the Mayor a possible referendum which might change the Constitution to permit of a source of revenue for schools and recreation, or to suggest to the Mayor, as I have, alternatively that there be a higher personal property tax or excise tax on motor vehicles—which again, like the tax on real estate, can be used for schools or any municipal purpose.

I think it is a nice gesture to get that thought across to the Mayor and one that may bring a rich reward later.

I am cognizant of what Mr. Musco says about excellent work done by the committee he refers to on finding new revenues for the schools. Perhaps that committee, too, would like a copy of this resolution.

However, there is a certain strategy involved. As I said at the other meeting, we did not succeed in reducing tariffs in this country until we began to put the interests of the importer and the exporter side by side, and Cordell Hull arranged for so many imports to come in tariff-free providing so many exports from America could go out to the other countries free of tariff over there.

When those two were placed side by side, everybody could see that we gained and nobody lost, or at least there was no net loss by doing away with that high tariff barrier. So here again if we can put the thought of our children's play side by side with the thought of adult recreation in automobiles, we may have opened up a whole point of view where parents will say: "That's right. We do spend so much on our gasoline tax for these very happy roads we enjoy; and why should we not divert thirty per cent or fifty per cent or 20 per cent of that for playgrounds for our youngsters, since we have taken the roads away from them and they certainly need sports fields?"

It was a point of strategy in raising revenue which I thought might be worth while submitting to the Mayor. Now whatever the Committee wants to do is perfectly all right with me.

Mr. Ward: Madam Chairman, as far as I can see and as far as an automobile owner is concerned — and we get it down to an automobile owner — he has a $52.50 excise tax. I believe $52.50 is the excise tax. That automobile owner is taxed now. I don't object to Mr. Lee's motion to divert the money from the gasoline tax, but again it is the motorist who is paying that tax. It is again the motorist who has compulsory insurance. He has to insure himself.

Now if Mr. Lee were to say to me that an automobile was a luxury in years gone by, I would agree with him, but I cannot come to believe, Madam Chairman, that an automobile today is a luxury. An automobile today becomes a necessity.

Chairman: It is a business vehicle in many cases.

Mr. Ward: It is used in business and is used in everything that we have. You talk about automobiles. When there were 50,000 cars in use on the roads in Massachusetts, you had one thing. Now you have a million and a half cars on the road in Massachusetts.

No matter how good your roads are, I don't think you can use your roads to any great extent because you have bumper-to-bumper traffic, and it is a matter of necessity to get some place.

Of all the people whom we would try to tax, I don't think that the automobile owner should be that particular person who should be taxed because the responsibility and the amount of money that he puts out on what is a necessity is great. I maintain it is a necessity. If I thought for one minute it was a luxury, I would say I am in accord with you. However, it is not a luxury with a million and a half cars on the road. It ceases to be a luxury.

I would not be surprised, if we taxed them any more, if we should have to go back to riding horses and buggies or motorcycles or bicycles.

Mr. Carr: I agree with Mr. Ward. I would vote for this resolution with the exception of that part in it that suggests that they increase the municipal personal property tax on pleasure cars. I think it is discriminatory, and I think that the automobile owner is burdened enough already, as pointed out by Mr. Ward.

The excise tax and insurance, especially here in Boston, is high, but I would have no objections to voting for a diversion of the gasoline tax to be devoted to school purposes. However, in the present form where it suggests that we increase the personal property tax on pleasure cars, I would hesitate very much to vote for that. I think it would be judged discriminatory.

Chairman: Could Mr. Lee work with Mr. O'Connor to bring it back in some form that the members would find more acceptable?

Mr. Lee: I would be perfectly willing to do that. But, Madam Chairman, I would say one thing first. If the automobile or the pleasure car has now become a necessity, let us also lift the sports field for youth out of the class of luxuries and make that a necessity, too. If adults are so used to having their enjoyable moments in their family cars—

Mr. Ward: I maintain it is not a pleasure. If it was pleasure, it would be one thing. I would agree with you. It is not a pleasure.

Mr. Lee: Mr. Ward can describe it on any grounds he names. I think that Mr. Gillis, if he is here, and Mr. Ohrenberger will say that sports for youngsters are not pleasures or amusements in the sense that going to the movies is a pleasure or an amusement for an adult. Sports are things which the youngster works at harder, which he sacrifices more for, and which he takes more seriously, and which he regards more as work than he regards the declination of a Latin verb. They are a very important part of youth, and I am simply trying to lift the need of recreation for youth into the same class of necessity as the recreation hours or the traveling hours—I will put it that way — of the adults in their automobiles.

I am just trying to put them on a parallel.

Mr. Ward: Madam Chairman, I agree heartily with Mr. Lee on elevating this. I agree with him heartily on that. However, on the means of revenue I cannot agree with him.

Chairman: Mr. Lee has agreed to take his proposal and revise his remarks.

Mr. Ward: On the means of elevating sport, I just cannot find that the automobile should be that source of revenue. I think a payroll tax should do it.

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JUVENILE DELINQUENCY

It was agreed that the following statement of Mr. Ward at the Conference of Jan. 31, 1955, pertaining to juvenile delinquency, be printed in the record of this public meeting:

Many learned and trained peoples and organizations have attempted to solve the problem that now becomes a scared phrase "Juvenile Delinquency."

Psychiatrists, Social Workers, theorists and talk have been used. All of these have failed, and I have just one suggestion—Draft God. Invite God back into our classrooms, where He was dominant for so many years, and ejected since the time of Horace Mann who proclaimed the principles of secularism in education. God was such an integral part of our school system as laid down by the founding fathers that the phrases in teaching of subjects nearly always used God as the base of their training

A great example of one half trained is Alger Hiss. He knew the subjects of the teachings in our schools. He knew nothing of the obligation he had to God and through God to his Country. Therefore, to him it was no crime according to his knowledge to betray his country, to sell her secrets, to invite rebellion; all of these to him were right because he had never been taught there was a God, who said these things are wrong.

If the Ten Commandments were part of a teacher's course before appointment, she in her experienced way could teach the meaning of God's Law as laid down by God to Moses. Then there would be no Juvenile Delinquents because the delinquent is in rebellion against the law of God, consequently defies the laws of man. Laws laid down by man cannot be perfect and history has shown us man's law is not always respected.

Today we have Freedom of Religion. Freedom of Religion does not and never did mean Freedom from Religion. People are allowed privileges within our schools to say there is no compulsion to believe in God. They are propounding and teaching atheism. College professors have said, "let us give a course in communsm, so we will know what it is about." Let us not; let us as Americans give the history and the story of what God expects of us.

To Know, to Believe and Love God would eliminate treason, hatred, rebellion and all the evils that confront a large nation. Let us not half-train our children. Train both halves, one with God's teaching, the other with the educational fundamentals necessary to succeed in life. A half-trained person is not a good Citizen.

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It was agreed that the following excerpt from the Conference notes of Feb 7, 1955 be printed in the record of this public meeting:

Mr. Musco: Madam Chairman, since Friday last at 5 o'clock I have not changed my opinions

and my comments I believe at that time they were rather explicit, and I would like to include those remarks in the record.

However, I cannot approve this extra expenditure of money. We are all interested in juvenile delinquency, and its prevention first of all. Certainly everybody in the country is interested but $170,000 is a lot of money.

I think we can find the services and the extra personnel within the system and do the job just as well and probably a little better.

First of all we don't have ten people on the list. We only have five people, I believe — four or five people — on the list, and it will be another year and a half before another list is ready.

Mr. Ward: What kind of list?

Mr. Musco: Teachers of juvenile adjustment. So if the Committee would follow along with their comments of last Friday I think we can more than likely get this amount of money or sufficiently close to it. I think the intent of Mr. Lee's resolution is fine, but I do not think it requires an additional cost of $170,000 I think we can do it without additional money. The reasons I gave last week I would like to continue with at this particular time, too.

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The following is the excerpt from the Conference notes of Feb. 4, 1955, referred to by Mr. Musco in the foregoing statement:

Mr. Musco: First of all, Madam Chairman, I want to correct the impression that 2 per cent of the delinquents are in the school system. 2 per cent of these delinquents are throughout this entire area, a great many of them are out of school, a great many, too, are in other private or parochial schools, and a great many are not connected with the school system. Please keep in mind, too, that this delinquency problem has been with us a long time. The City is spending a million dollars, the State is spending a million dollars, the community services are spending a million dollars, and every other organization is spending a million dollars to prevent, to cure, to remedy, to combat juvenile delinquency. I see no reason why we should spend $500,000 for extra personnel and what-have-you where we already have the personnel.

Let's get a plan put them to work on 100 per cent efficiency, Mr. Lee, and we can do it without spending any money and we can do a good job We don't have to spend the money. All we have to do is use our experienced people and the great number of people we have around here. We have a tremendous force for doing this thing. All we need is a plan of getting it into action.

We have a splendid organization here and let's put it to work. $500,000 will throw this thing all out of kilter. I agree with you on your playgrounds I agree with you on your play, and I agree with everything else you have said but let's be reasonable We have so many people in the system — directors, supervisors, and teachers —who can do the job. Let's get a plan. Let's put it to work. It won't cost us a dime

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AMENDMENT OF MINUTES

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the minutes of the meeting of Mar. 15, 1954, page 104, are hereby amended to provide that the appointment of Mary L. Carr, teacher, kindergarten, Warren District, shall read to take effect Apr. 12, 1954, instead of May 1, 1954.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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APPOINTMENTS

The following nominations by the Superintendent, certified by him as being in accordance with the rules and regulations, to take effect on the dates stated, were presented:

(FROM THE ELIGIBLE LIST)

Roxbury Memorial High School (Boys) — Joseph E Walsh, junior master (second year salary—$3648—anniversary date Mar. 1), Mar. 1, 1955.

Instruction of Physically Handicapped Children—Marie Hohman Golden, teacher (minimum salary—$3942- -anniversary date Feb. 1), Feb. 28, 1955; Charlotte Davis Hanbury, teacher (third year salary -$3780 --anniversary date Feb. 1), Feb. 28. 1955.

Department of School Hygiene —Marie Lucet Tiney school nurse (third year salary $3600 — anniversary date Feb. 1), Feb. 14, 1955.

On roll call the rules were suspended and the appointments approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward 5.

NAYS—0.

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(BY PROMOTION)

Francis Parkman District — Laurence F. Greene, submaster (from teacher, junior high), Feb. 28, 1955.

James A. Garfield District — Mary I. Colwell, principal (from vice principal, William E. Endicott District), Feb. 28, 1955.

William E. Endicott District— Alice G. Curran, vice principal (from teacher, junior high, William Barton Rogers Junior High School), Feb. 28, 1955.

On roll call the rules were suspended and the appointments approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

LIST OF TEACHERS APPROVED FOR TEMPORARY SERVICE

The Superintendent submitted under the provisions of Section 265, paragraph 3 of the regulations, the following list of teachers approved by him from which assignment may be made for temporary service:

Philip P. Cash, Kathryn Keegan Cotter, Louise Keenan Devlin, Mary Flynn Divver Catherine Moynahan Driscoll Richard F. Driscoll, Francis P. Duggan, Edward W. Ellsworth, Catherine Coffey Flynn, Beatrice Bamberg Hauge, Mary Kula Holden, Thomas E. Joyce, Jr., Moira Cummings Lyons, Vincent F Mazzarella, Richard J. McGuire Francis X. McLaughlin, Paul F McNamara, John D. Mulhern, Helen White Murray, Nancy O'Neil, Mary Commane O'Sullivan Esther Conant Peterson, Maureen St. Pierre Prokopy, Beatrice Cadena Puopolo, Mary A. Reid. Marguerite Conner Scannel, Roberta L. Poverman, Eleanor Sliwa Tabak, Mattie A. Thompson Sam Tully, Michael C. Worsowick, Jack E. Robinson.

Visual Tester: Sarah A. Cantwell

On roll call the list of teachers was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr Carr. Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward 5.

NAYS—0.

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DEPARTMENT OF ADULT EDUCATIONAL AND RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES

(Evening Schools)

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Feb. 7, 1955, reporting, subject to the approval of the School Committee, the termination of service of Francis E. Harrington as principal of the Patrick T. Campbell Evening School, to take effect Jan. 4, 1955, because of his appointment as a day elementary school principal.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the termination of service was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Feb. 7, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has made the following-named appointment of a principal of evening elementary schools for the term 1954-55:

Patrick T. Campbell Evening School — Mortimer F. Reardon, Jan. 4, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.
NAYS—0.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Feb. 7, 1955, reporting, subject to the approval of the School Committee, the appointment of the following-named persons for service in the evening schools for the term 1954-55:

Brighton Evening Commercial High School — Robert N. Mead, assistant, Jan 11, 1955 (one evening).

Dorchester Evening Commercial High School—Florence C. Rooney, assistant, Jan. 4, 1955.

Roxbury Evening Commercial High School—Margaret M. Brown, assistant, Jan. 4, 1955; J. Clifford Ronan, assistant, Jan. 11, 1955 (one evening).

Brighton Evening School—Henry R. Keenan, first assistant, Jan. 4, 1955; Alice E. Sullivan, assistant, Jan. 4, 1955 (Tuesday evenings only); Mary T. Torres, assistant, Jan. 6, 1955 (Thursday evenings only).

Dorchester Evening School — Anna C. Quinn, assistant, Jan. 18, 1955.

Grover Cleveland Evening School — Charles B. Cohn, assistant, Jan. 25 to 27, 1955 (two evenings).

Joseph H. Barnes Evening School — E. Mary Hammond, assistant, Jan. 11, 1955 (one evening).

Patrick T. Campbell Evening School — Charles B. Cohn, assistant, Jan. 4 to 13, 1955 (four evenings).

South End Evening School — E. Mary Hammond, assistant, Jan. 13, 1955.

Boston Evening Trade School — Robert L. Powell, toolkeeper, Jan. 13, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.
NAYS—0.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Feb. 7, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has appointed the following-named clerical assistant for the evening school term 1954-55:

Roxbury Evening School—Mary C. McGonagle, Jan. 27, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5
NAYS—0

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(Extended Use)

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Feb 7, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has assigned the following-named person to serve as Acting Manager of the Brighton School Center, William Howard Taft School, in the Department of Adult Educational and Recreational Activities, Extended Use Division:

Angus J. MacDonald, Feb. 4, 1955

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the assignment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5
NAYS—0

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Feb. 7, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has assigned the following-named persons to serve in the Department of Adult Educational and Recreational Activities, Extended Use Division, for the term 1954-55:

Assignments

Mary E. Glavin, John R. Mullen, Jan. 12, 1955; Thomas F. McDonough, Jan. 26, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the assignments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.
NAYS—0.

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APPRENTICESHIP AND JOURNEYMAN CLASSES

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Feb. 7, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, and in accordance with the order passed at the meeting of Oct. 6, 1941, (p. 195), he has appointed the following-named persons to the Apprenticeship and Journeyman Classes for Various Trades, to take effect on the dates stated:

First Assistant — William N. Mistler, Jan. 22, 1955;

Toolkeeper—Robert L. Powell, Jan. 22, 1955;

Instructor—Martin G. Rolland, Feb. 5, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.
NAYS—0.

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PLAY TEACHER (WOMAN)

Junior High School

(To take effect Jan. 10, 1955)

Oliver Wendell Holmes Junior High School—Edna Coburn Sullivan.

On roll call the appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.
NAYS—0.

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TRANSFERS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Feb. 7, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has made the following transfers of teachers, to take effect on the dates stated:

John F. Best, junior master, Roxbury Memorial High School-Boys, to the same position in the Jamaica Plain High School, Mar. 1, 1955.

Mary R. Desmond, teacher, kindergarten, Minot District, to the same position in the Emily A. Fifield-Gilbert Stuart District, Jan. 1, 1955.

Hester Davis Haseltine, teacher, kindergarten, Edmund P Tileston District, to the same position in the John Marshall District, Jan. 1, 1955.

John W. Haverty, submaster, Francis Parkman District, to the same position in the Washington Allston District, Feb. 28, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the transfers were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.
NAYS—0.

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ASSIGNMENT

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Feb. 7, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has assigned the following-named teacher, as indicated, without change of rank or salary, to take effect Jan. 24, 1955, and to continue for the school year ending Aug. 31, 1955, unless earlier terminated by the Superintendent with the approval of the School Committee:

Department of Industrial Arts —Robert W. Bushlow, shop instructor, to Boston Technical High School.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the assignment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5
NAYS—0

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DESIGNATIONS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Feb. 7, 1955, reporting that he has made the following designations of teachers to serve in the positions indicated until such time as they shall be filled otherwise in accordance with the rules and regulations, but not beyond Aug. 31, 1955:

Jeremiah E. Burke High School for Girls—Rose E. Weiffenbach,

head of department, as acting head master, Oct. 11, 1954; Eleanor S. Thomas, assistant, high school, physical education, as acting guidance counsellor, Oct. 11, 1954.

Ellis Mendell District—Arthur E. Foster, temporary teacher, as acting submaster, Sept. 9, 1954 through Dec. 23, 1954.

Department of Investigation and Measurement — Cecilia A. O'Shea, research assistant, as acting director (vice Mary B. Cummings, absent on leave), Jan. 19, 1955.

Placed on file.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Feb. 7, 1955, reporting that he has made the following designation of a teacher, to serve in accordance with Order 6 of the Salary Schedule, to take effect Dec. 15, 1954, and to continue for the school year ending Aug. 31, 1955, unless earlier terminated by the Superintendent:

Hyde Park High School—John J. Buckley, master, as acting head of department.

Placed on file.

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TRANSFERS OF CUSTODIANS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Feb. 7, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has transferred the following-named senior building custodians, who by seniority and merit stand at the head of their respective lists, to take effect on Feb. 2, 1955:

Martin P. Breen, from Solomon Lewenberg Junior High School to Girls' High School.

James L. Burke, from Roger Clap School to William Bradford School.

George F. Dever, from William Barton Rogers Junior High School to Jamaica Plain High School.

John F. Devine, unassigned, to Bunker Hill School.

Francis X. Groezinger, from Joseph Tuckerman School to Edward Everett School.

Francis H. Hagerty, from William McKinley School to Thomas J. Kenny School.

Edwin R. Hennessey, from Franklin School to Ira Allen School.

Richard Hennessey, from Johnua Bates School to Benjamin Cushing School.

James J. Lafferty, from Winchell School to Ellis Mendell School.

Joseph F. Murphy, from Girls' High School to James P. Timilty Junior High School.

Edgar V. Sargent, from Mary Hemenway School to Charles H. Taylor School.

James L. Shaughnessy, from Charles Sumner School to Lewis Junior High School.

Alfred T. Short, unassigned, to Louisa May Alcott School.

Joseph Tardanico, from Benedict Fenwick School to Quincy E. Dickerman School.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the transfers were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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The Committee recessed at 4.10 P. M.

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The Committee reassembled at 5.35 P. M., three members present, namely, Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, and Mr. Lee.

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APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The reading of the minutes of Jan. 10, 17, and 24, 1955, was omitted, the Committee approving them as printed.

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GIRLS' LATIN SCHOOL

The following two communications were presented:

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts
State House, Boston
January 25, 1955

Agnes E. Reynolds, Secretary
The School Committee of the City of Boston
15 Beacon Street
Boston 8, Massachusetts

Dear Miss Reynolds:

Since receiving your letter of January 4, I have conferred with Commissioner Desmond with respect to the occupancy by the Girls' Latin School of classrooms in the State Teachers College at Boston.

I am in receipt of a communication from Commissioner Desmond, a copy of which is enclosed, in which are set forth very clearly his views as to why the State cannot further modify the agreement entered into in 1952. I concur with Mr. Desmond's views.

Most sincerely yours,
(Signed) Christian A. Herter

Placed on file.

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The Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Department of Education
200 Newbury Street
Boston 16
January 20, 1955

His Excellency Christian A. Herter
Governor of the Commonwealth
State House
Boston, Massachusetts

Dear Governor Herter:

The communication of January 4, 1955, addressed to you by the Secretary of the School Committee of the City of Boston concerning the occupancy by the Girls' Latin School of classrooms in the State Teachers College at Boston has been received.

The Board of Education under Chapted 618 of the Acts of 1952 were assigned the responsibility for the operation of an additional teachers college in Boston to replace the institution which had been conducted by the City of Boston for a period of one hundred years. The action was taken to furnish financial relief to the City of Boston by having the Commonwealth assume the cost of maintaining and operating an additional teachers college for the training of teachers. In order that the State might be protected from a large capital outlay expense which would result from an increased enrollment in the State Teachers College at Boston when it became a state institution, the Board of Education stipulated that in addition to the property then occupied by the Teachers College the whole property including that occupied by the Girls' Latin School be acquired by deed by the State. In accordance with the statute the transaction was completed and the deed duly recorded. A second transfer of land from the Park Department of the City of Boston was accomplished in accordance with section 4 of chapter 618 so that the State now holds the whole property bounded as described in section 4. In addition the Board of Education requested that the City of Boston also convey to the Commonwealth all of the personal property held or used for the purposes of the Teachers College of the City of Boston, without consideration, to the Commonwealth. This was accomplished in accordance with the provisions of section 5.

The Board of Education agreed that the Girls' Latin School might occupy the unused portion of the property for classes until June 30, 1953 and a "Use Permit" for Girls' Latin School in Boston was duly executed on the 25th day of August, 1952 between the Commonwealth acting through the Department of Education and the City of Boston acting through its School Committee. Under the terms of this agreement the City of Boston was charged as rental for the school year 1952-53 the sum of $22,935.18 which included nine items of maintenance totalling $22,402.48 plus five items of ordinary repairs made exclusively to the Girls' Latin School building totalling $532.70. In the year 1953-54 the rental charged to the Girls' Latin School totalled $32,868.04 which comprised $30,225.69 for maintenance and $2,641.35 for repairs made exclusively to the Girls' Latin School building.

At the time when the "Use Permit" was drafted the City of Boston understood that progressively the increased enrollment in the State Teachers College at Boston would necessitate the reduction in the number of rooms to be occupied by the Girls' Latin School, and it was further understood that some provision would be made for the housing of the school in other school property of the City of Boston.

The Board of Education at that time forecast future enrollments in the State Teachers College at Boston as follows indicating progressive reduction in the number of rooms available for the Girls' Latin School:

Year	Enrollment	Number of rooms used by the Girls' Latin School
1953	619	30
1954	750	23
1955	925	15
1956	1075	0
1957	1200	0

The Board of Education notified the School Committee of the City of Boston on December 15, 1953 that beginning in September, 1954 the increased enrollment in the State Teachers College at Boston would necessitate the use of seven additional rooms in the Girls' Latin School in the Collins building. These rooms are now in use for teachers college classes.

On November 30, 1954 the Board of Education notified the School Committee of the City of Boston that the anticipated increase in enrollment in the State Teachers College at Boston in September, 1955 would necessitate the use of eight additional rooms in the space then rented by the City of Boston for use by the Girls' Latin School. The Board of Education has confined its demand for additional rooms to the minimum which would allow the anticipated increase in the State Teachers College at Boston. The actual enrollments in the State Teachers College at Boston have been somewhat in excess of the conservative estimates of the Board of Education so that there is no possibility of using fewer rooms for teachers college purposes without placing limitations upon the development of the institution which the present condition of teacher shortage would not warrant.

It is obvious that this situation was well understood by the School Committee of Boston in 1952 when they had under consideration plans for the accommodation of the Girls' Latin School students. It would not be wise or feasible for the Commonwealth to limit its enrollment of prospective teachers because of the fact that provision has not been made for the classes in the Girls' Latin School which are occupying the rented quarters in the State Teachers College building. The result would be to further delay a decision which the City of Boston must definitely make since the School Committee did not contemplate occupying indefinitely any space in the property which had been acquired by the Commonwealth.

In view of the complete understanding and meeting of minds at the time when this legislation was passed in 1952, it would appear that the interest of the Commonwealth would not be served by refusing admittance to hundreds of prospective teachers in the greater Boston area who were anticipating confidently the opportunity for training in the State Teachers College at Boston.

I shall be very glad to furnish further records, statistics, and documents which will support the position which the Board of Education assumes in this matter.

Sincerely yours,
(Signed) John J. Desmond, Jr.
Commissioner of Education

Placed on file.

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APPOINTMENT OF MEMBER, BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS

A communication was received from the Secretary, under date of Feb. 7, 1955, reporting that Governor Herter informed her office, under date of Jan. 19, 1955, that he has reappointed Thomas A. Cronin as a member of the Board of Commissioners of School Buildings, established under the provisions of Chapter 351 of the Acts of 1929.

Placed on file.

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IN MEMORIAM

The Superintendent regretfully reported the death of the following-named teacher:

Longfellow District—Ruth A. Glavin, teacher, elementary, Feb. 2, 1955.

Placed on file.

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The Superintendent reported the deaths of the following-named teachers who had been retired on pension:

Hugh O'Brien District—May E. Briggs, Feb. 2, 1955.

Mather District—Elizabeth C. Bonney, Jan. 11, 1955.

Placed on file.

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The School Committee requested that a letter of condolence, to be signed by the Secretary, be sent to the bereaved families.

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RESIGNATIONS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Feb. 7, 1955, reporting the resignation of the following-named teacher, to take effect on the date stated:

William Lloyd Garrison District—Jeannette S. Casey, teacher, elementary, Jan. 8, 1955.

Accepted.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Feb. 7, 1955, reporting the resignation of Jesse B. Weiss, M. D., school physician, Department of School Hygiene, to take effect Jan. 28, 1955.

Accepted.

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RETIREMENT ON PENSION

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Feb. 7, 1955, reporting the retirement from active service of the following-named veteran who has been retired under the provisions of Chapter 32 of the General Laws, as amended:

Winship School — Francis J. Morris, senior building custodian, Feb. 8, 1955, $3048.04 per annum.

Placed on file.

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LEAVES OF ABSENCE

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Feb. 7, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has discontinued the leave of absence for military service granted Cecelia J. (Lynch) Dana, school nurse, Department of School Hygiene, at the meeting of May 26, 1951 (see p. 128), said discontinuance to take effect Jan. 29, 1954.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the discontinuance of leave of absence was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, and Mr. Lee—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Musco, and Mr. Ward—2.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Feb. 7, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has discontinued the leave of absence for maternity granted the following named teacher at the meeting of Oct. 4, 1954, to take effect on the date stated:

Rice-Franklin District — Claire R. Manchester, teacher, elementary, Feb. 6, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the discontinuance of leave of absence was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Mr. Lee—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Musco, and Mr. Ward—2.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Feb. 7, 1955, recommending that leave of absence without pay be granted the following-named teachers for the terms specified:

James J. Chittick School—Joan Lionetto, teacher, kindergarten, Sept. 1, 1954 to Aug. 31, 1955.

Hart-Gaston-Perry District — Marie H. Shields, teacher, elementary, Jan. 10, 1955 to Jan. 9, 1956, inclusive.

Patrick F. Gavin Junior High School — Mildred L. Ambuhl, teacher, junior high, cookery, Sept. 1, 1954 to Aug. 31, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the leaves of absence without pay were granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Mr. Lee—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Musco, and Mr. Ward—2.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Feb. 7, 1955, recommending that leave of absence for military service without pay be granted the following-named person, to take effect on the date stated and to continue until otherwise ordered:

Department of School Hygiene — Elizabeth A. McNally, school nurse, Jan. 28, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the leave of absence for military service, without pay, was granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, and Mr. Lee—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Musco, and Mr. Ward—2.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Feb. 7, 1955, recommending that leave of absence without pay for maternity be granted the following-named teacher, to take effect on the date indicated and to continue until terminated by the Superintendent with the approval of the School Committee, provided that such leave shall be for a period of at least three months after the date of birth and provided further that no such leave shall in any event exceed eighteen months:

Blackinton-John Cheverus District—Mary T. Tarpey, teacher, elementary, Feb. 2, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the leave of absence without pay was granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, and Mr. Lee—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Musco, and Mr. Ward—2.

REPORT ON MARRIED TEACHERS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Feb. 7, 1955, reporting that in accordance with the provisions of Section 283 of the regulations, the following-named female teachers have reported they were married on the dates indicated:

Hart-Gaston-Perry District — Marie H. Campbell, teacher, elementary, married Jan. 9, 1955, new name Marie H. Shields.

Norcross District — Rose H. Karchas, teacher, elementary, married Oct. 23, 1954, new name Rose H. Delaria.

Department of Home Economics—Ann K. Flaherty, teacher of cookery, married Sept. 11, 1954, new name Ann K. Whelan.

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT OF SCHOOL PHYSICIANS

A communication was received from the Secretary, under date of Feb. 7, 1955, reporting that the Division of Civil Service has certified the following-named persons as eligible to fill three positions as permanent part-time male school physicians:

Malvin Gould, Herbert Cutler, Arthur E. Sullivan, Stanley E. Slivkin.

Placed on file.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the following-named persons, the first three on the list certified by the Division of Civil Service willing to accept, were appointed to the position of school physician, Department of School Hygiene, to take effect Feb. 9, 1955:

Drs. Malvin Gould, Herbert Cutler, and Stanley E. Slivkin.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, and Mr. Lee—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Musco, and Mr. Ward—2.

AMENDMENT OF REGULATIONS

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That Section 225 of the regulations describing the duties of principals is hereby amended by inserting the following new paragraph 2 and renumbering present paragraphs 2 to 11 as paragraphs 3 to 12:

2—They shall be responsible for reporting to the superintendent not later than the day following the accident all accidents involving injuries to pupils, members of school personnel, and others, on the proper form indicated below. Reports are to be made on the following forms:

Form 201—Pupil Accident Report—Accidents involving injury to pupils on school premises, or while going to or from school, or in school athletic games, contests, or other athletic activities outside school premises.

In cases involving accidents to pupils in shops and laboratories, the teacher in charge of the class where the injury occurs must report it at once to the principal. The principal shall then request the assistant superintendent in charge of the school, district, or department to designate a competent member of the school personnel to examine the machine or product. Not later than two hours after the accident such person shall report in writing to the principal his findings as to the condition of the machine or product. A copy of this report bearing the signatures of the person making the report and the principal shall accompany Form 201.

Form 202—Pupil Accident Follow-Up—When pupil has been absent from school as a result of injury in a reported accident, or when the nature of the injury so necessitates.

Form 203—General Accident Report—Accidents involving injury to persons other than members of school personnel and pupils, occurring on premises under the jurisdiction of the school department.

Workmen's Compensation Blank — School Personnel. All personnel, including cafeteria managers and attendants, custodians, adult educational and recreational personnel, etc. must send accident reports directly to the Superintendent's Office with the principal's signature. Directors, supervisors, heads of department and others must not mail separate reports to any other board.

In addition, the following report shall be sent directly to the address indicated.

Form 206—Accident Involving Dog Bite—To be sent to Health Department.

These reports are required by Chapter 3, Section 17, Revised Ordinances of 1947.

Laid over.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the regulations are hereby amended as follows:

Sections 411 and 412. Strike out the sections and substitute in place thereof the following:

Sect. 411. 1—The principal of a school or district in which a minor is a pupil shall receive applications for badges on Boston Public Schools Form 103 from the parent or guardian of such minor, or from any responsible citizen of Boston, and shall forward such applications to the supervisor of licensed minors together with

(a) minor's birth certificate, or substantial evidence of the same

(b) certificate of regular attendance and fair conduct

(c) statement signed by the school physician that the applicant is physically able to pursue the trade

(d) a statement signed by the principal that the applicant is mentally capable of pursuing the trade and understands the laws and regulations governing the trade

The application shall state the area within which the applicant intends to ply his trade. When such information has been received by the supervisor of licensed minors he shall record this information and forward the applicant's birth certificate, and badge to the principal of the school for delivery to the applicant.

2—Any applicant who becomes twelve years of age between June 20 and September 10, and who wishes to obtain a minor's license on his twelfth birthday shall leave with his principal before June 15 the necessary information required in paragraph 1 of this section. On the last school day the principal shall send such information to the supervisor of licensed minors who shall record such information and mail the minor's birth certificate and badge, on its effective date, to the minor's home address.

Sect. 412. 1—All badges shall become void when the minor reaches his sixteenth birthday. The licensee shall return his badge to the principal of the school at which he attends on or before the date on which his badge expires, or before leaving the city if he is to remove therefrom, or upon discontinuing selling or assisting in selling, or exercising a street trade, or when directed to do so by the superintendent of schools, or by the supervisor of licensed minors, after approval by the superintendent.

2—When an applicant's badge or license becomes void during the summer the licensee shall return his badge, by first class mail, to the principal of the school which he attends. The principal shall return the badge to the supervisor of licensed minors.

3—When a badge has been lost, the licensee losing it shall immediately report the loss, by mail, to the supervisor of licensed minors who, upon application of said licensee made through the principal of the school which he attends, may issue and forward to the principal a duplicate badge.

4—If the licensee loses his badge during the summer, he shall notify immediately, by mail, the supervisor of licensed minors of such loss, and in accordance with paragraph 3, the supervisor of licensed minors shall mail the duplicate badge to the licensee's home.

5—A charge of 25 cents shall be made for the use of each badge, or of each duplicate badge.

6—Licensed minors shall not sell, lend, transfer or give their badges to anyone, or furnish any unlicensed minor with newspapers or other articles to sell.

Laid over.

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TRANSFER OF LAND TO SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the Mayor and City Council be requested to transfer from the care, custody, control and management of the Commissioner of Real Property to the care, custody, control and management of the School Department approximately eleven thousand nine hundred eighteen (11,918) square feet of land known as Lots 193, 195, and 199 Silver Street, and 334-338 West Fourth Street, South Boston, for school purposes, and that the Secretary be directed to communicate the contents of this order to the Mayor and City Council.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, and Mr. Lee—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Musco, and Mr. Ward—2.

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ADVISORY COMMITTEE

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Feb. 7, 1955, submitting the following appointment to an Advisory Committee for the term ending Aug. 31, 1957:

School Hygiene

George Basil Smithy, M. D., 475 Commonwealth ave., Boston 15.

On roll call the appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, and Mr. Lee—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Musco, and Mr. Ward—2.

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LIST OF AUTHORIZED TEXT BOOKS

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the following-named books, now authorized for use as text books, are hereby dropped from the list, no further copies to be purchased:

Tyron et al. The American People and Nation. Ginn and Company. cpt. 1943.

Breasted. Ancient Times. Ginn and Company. cpt. 1935

Carnegie et al. Andrew Carnegie's Own Story. Houghton Mifflin Co. cpt. 1930.

Davis. Applied Mathematics for Girls. Bruce Pub. Co. cpt. 1940.

Antin. At School in the Promised Land. Houghton Mifflin Co. cpt. 1928.

Buckingham-ed. The Attack and Other Stories. Ginn and Company. cpt. 1936.

Holzwarth & Price. Beginners' French. D. C. Heath & Co. cpt. 1925.

Curtis et al. Biology for Today. Ginn &Company, cpt. 1939.

DeVette & Kellogg. Blueprint Reading for the Metal Trades. Bruce Publishing Co. cpt. 1942. (cloth ed.).

Greene et al, Building Better English. Gr. III-VIII inc. Row, Peterson. *cpt. 1947.

Turner & Burton. Building Healthy Bodies. D. C. Heath & Co. cpt. 1941.

Allen & Greenough. Caesar's Gallic War. Ginn and Company. cpt. 1898.

Parton. Captains of Industry. Houghton Mifflin Co. cpt. 1938.

Wahlert & Hahn. Child Development Reader. Meeting Our Neighbors. Houghton Mifflin Co. cpt. 1942.

Dickens. Christmas Stories. ill. Ginn and Company. cpt. 1927.

Coester-editor. Cuentos de la America Espanola. Ginn and Company. cpt. 1941.

W. J. Kerby Foundation. Democracy: Should It Survive? Bruce Pub. Co. cpt. 1943.

Brown et al. Elementary Principles of Diesel-Engine Construction. Bruce Pub. Co. cpt. 1936.

Shuman. English for Vocation Schools. Ronald Press. cpt. 1936.

Carlyle. Essay on Burns. Longmans Green.

Durell et al. A First Book in Algebra. C. Merrill Books. cpt. 1927.

Stone et al. A First Course in Algebra (without answers). B. H. Sanborn & Co. cpt. 1936.

Gates et al. Fun with Nick and Dick. Macmillan Co. cpt. 1936.

Beers et al. Fundamental Drills in Gregg Shorthand. Gregg Pub. Co. cpt. 1932.

Bowman et al. Fundamentals of Bookkeeping and Business. (with accompanying blanks.) American Book Co. cpt. 1934.

Carnegie. Fundamentals of Electricity. American Book Co. cpt. 1943.

Owens et al. Fundamentals of Shopwork. J. C. Winston. cpt. 1943.

Overton. General Hygiene. rev. American Book Co. cpt. 1923.

Muller et al. Gluckauf A First German Reader. Ginn and Co. cpt. 1925.

Liddell et al. Greek-English Lexicon. Abridged. Am. Book Co.

Gregg. Gregg Shorthand Progressive Exercises-Anniversary Edition. Gregg Pub. Co. cpt. 1929.

Small. How To Know Textiles. Ginn & Company. cpt. 1932.

Bobert et al. Introduction to Business Law. Ginn and Co. cpt. 1938.

Scott. Ivanhoe (Standard English Classics). Ginn and Co.

Baldwin. John Bunyan's Dream Story Retold for Children. Am. Book Co. cpt. 1913.

Cassell et al. Language Arts for Modern Youth. Book One. C. Merrill Books. cpt. 1939.

Lennes et al. Learning Arithmetic, Part Three. Laidlaw Bros. cpt. 1942.

Lennes et al. Learning Arithmetic, Part Two. Laidlaw Bros. cpt. 1942.

Ferris et al. Learning Essential English. Laidlaw Bros. cpt. 1945. (Grs. VII-VIII).

Hill. The Life and Work of the Citizen. Ginn and Co. cpt. 1942.

Palmer. The Life of Alice Freeman Palmer. Houghton Mifflin Co. cpt. 1936.

McConnell. Living in the Americas. Rand McNally. cpt. 1939.

Goodrich. Living with Others. American Book Co. cpt. 1939.

Kinneman et al. Living with Others. Houghton Mifflin Co. cpt. 1939.

Erckmann. Madame Therese. American Book Co. cpt. 1933.

Hughes. The Making of Our United States. Allyn & Bacon. cpt. 1948.

Buckingham. The Masquerade and Other Stories. Ginn & Co. cpt. 1934.

Milton. Milton's Poems (L'Allegro, Il Penseroso, Comus & Lycidas). Longmans Green.

Winslow et al. The New Healthy Living, Book One. Chas. Merrill Books. cpt. 1935.

Craig et al. New Pathways in Science. Changes All Around Us. Ginn and Co. cpt. 1940.

Craig et al. New Pathways in Science. We Find Out. Ginn and Co. cpt. 1940.

Craig et al. New Pathways in Science. We Want to Know. Ginn and Co. cpt. 1941.

Gillet et al. The New Trend Arithmetics. Seventh Year. Chas. Merrill Books. cpt. 1942.

Gillet et al. The New Trend Arithmetics. Eighth Year. Chas. Merrill Books. cpt. 1942.

Bodley et al. North America and South America. Iroquois Pub cpt. 1946.

Bodley et al. The Old World Continents. Iroquois Pub. cpt. 1946.

Whalen et al. Our United States. Noble & Noble. cpt. 1946.

Hapgood. Paul Jones (Riverside Biographical Series) Houghton Mifflin.

Bodley. Peoples of Other Lands. Iroquois Pub. Co. cpt. 1947.

Stewart et al. Physics for Secondary Schools. Ginn and Co. cpt. 1946.

Evans. Plane Trigonometry with Tables. Ginn and Co. cpt. 1942.

Smith et al. Planning a Career. Am. Book Co. cpt. 1936.

Buckingham. Playing Together. Ginn and Co. cpt. 1934.

Van Tuyl. Practical Arithmetic. Enlarged Course. Am. Book. cpt. 1932.

Grady et al. Reading for Appreciation. Bk. One. Chas. Scribner. cpt. 1936.

Grady et al. Reading for Appreciation. Bk. Two. Chas. Scribner. cpt. 1936.

Grady et al. Reading for Appreciation. Bk One. **Chas. Scribner. cpt. 1935.

Grady et al. Reading for Appreciation. Bk Two. **Chas. Scribner. cpt. 1935.

Reynolds et al. Reading for Enjoyment. Six Book Series. Noble & Noble. cpt. 1936. Book One-Part One. Book One-Part Two. Book Two-Part One. Book Two-Part Two. Book Three-Part One. Book Three-Part Two.

Wright. Reading for Interest. Little Lost Dog. D. C. Heath, cpt. 1942.

Otis. Richard of Jamestown. American Book Co.

Durrell et al. A Second Book in Algebra. Enlarged Ed. Chas. Merrill Books. cpt. 1926.

Browning. Selections from Robert Browning. Ginn and Company.

Boswell. Selections from the Life of Johnson. Houghton Mifflin.

Shakespeare. Romeo and Juliet and Edmond Rostand's Cyrano de Bergerac. (ed. by Doyle and Hoffman). Noble & Noble. cpt. 1948.

Wicks et al. Shopwork (Training for Victory). Am. Book Co. cpt. 1943.

Hatfield (ed.). Shorter German Poems. D. C. Heath and Co. cpt. 1915.

Hanna et al. 1600 Drill Exercises in Corrective English. Noble & Noble. cpt. 1936.

Mirick et al. Solid Geometry and its Uses. Row, Peterson. cpt. 1935.

Bryant. Songs for Children. ill. American Book. cpt. 1927.

A. A. A. Sportsmanlike Driving. Second ed. Boston Auto. Club. cpt. 1948.

Heard et al. Stories of American Explorers and Settlers. Winston. cpt. 1946.

Dickens. A Tale of Two Cities. Longmans Green.

Dickens. A Tale of Two Cities. American Book Co.

Trabue. Today's English. Advanced Book. Chas. Merrill Books. cpt. 1935.

Buckingham—ed. Too many Bears and Other Stories. Ginn and Co. cpt. 1936.

*Grs. III-VIII, inc.

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Laid over.

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IN MEMORIAM

The Superintendent regretfully reported the death of Philip J. Healey, senior building custodian, Edward Everett School, on Jan. 10, 1955.

Placed on file.

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The School Committee requested that a letter of condolence, to be signed by the Secretary, be sent to the bereaved family.

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TERMINATION OF SERVICES

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Feb. 7, 1955, reporting that in conformity with the provisions of Chapter 521 of the Acts of 1922 (Boston Retirement Act) the services of Frederick J. Betzger, junior building custodian, have been terminated effective Dec. 31, 1953, because of superannuation, as certified by the Boston Retirement Board.

Placed on file.

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The Committee adjourned.

Attest:

AGNES E. REYNOLDS,
Secretary.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of street construction, estimated to be thirty (30) days, vehicles are excluded from the following streets, effective March 23, 1955:

Ballin Place, West Roxbury.
From Lamartine street to dead end.

Cerina Road, West Roxbury.
From Lamartine street to Oakdale street.

Searle Road, West Roxbury.
From Cowing street to Sparrow street.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, for a trial period of sixty (60) days, the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective March 22, 1955:

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out the following:

Warren Avenue, Charlestown.
West side, from City square to Front street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," the following:

Eastburn Street.
Both sides, from Washington street to a point two hundred (200) feet south of Washington street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Charlestown," the following:

Warren Avenue.
Both sides, from City square to Water street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Semont Road.
East side, from a point one hundred (100) feet south of St. Marks road to St. Marks road, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Montrose Street.
South side, from Warren street to Moreland street, 24 hours.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by striking out the following:

Eastburn Street, Brighton.
From Washington street to Mt. Vernon street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," each of the following:

Malden Street.
From Albany street to Wareham street.

Plympton Street.
From Albany street to Harrison avenue.

Wareham Street.
From Malden street to Albany street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," each of the following:

Eastburn Street.
From the southerly end of the driveway of the U. S. Post Office property to Mt. Vernon street.

Fairbanks Street.
From Washington street to Faneuil street.

Sidlaw Road.
From Chiswick road to Commonwealth avenue.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Charlestown," the following:

Warren Avenue.
From City square to Water street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Minot Street.
From Carruth street to Adams street.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

NOTE.—Applicants are advised to file applications early. In event of a tie on the eligible list, the applicant who filed his application first will be given precedence.

(These examinations are for the service of the state, all cities and such towns as are classified under civil service. Persons qualifying in the examinations may have their names placed on the state list for the grade or grades for which they apply, as well as on the list for the city or town in which they have domicile. A separate application must be filed for each examination. A Manual for the Guidance of Applicants for Positions as Civil Engineers, Grades I and II, prepared by the Director of Civil Service, may be obtained from the Public Documents Division, Room 116, State House, Boston, at 10 cents a copy. It is desirable that applicants obtain a copy of this manual and study it carefully.

CIVIL ENGINEER, GRADE I, JUNIOR ENGINEERING AID, JUNE 4, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, May 16, 1955.

Salary: For the state service, the minimum salary is $2,880 a year, and the maximum salary is $3,600 a year. In cities and towns, the salaries vary.

Vacancies: From time to time.

Duties: Under immediate supervision, to assist on engineering work involving the least technical skill and responsibility, in the field, office or laboratory; and to perform related work as required.

Examples of Duties: Holding a rod; sharpening and driving stakes; cutting away brush to clear lines; occasionally running an instrument; making minor computations and calculations; plotting level notes; assisting on estimates; using a planimeter to calculate areas; making simple drawings and tracings; filing plans, profiles and survey books; inspecting minor details of construction as directed.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants must have at least one year of full-time paid experience in civil engineering or in general construction work. *Substitution:* High school or equivalent education may be substituted for the required experience on the basis of one year of education for three months of experience.

CIVIL ENGINEER, GRADE II, SENIOR ENGINEERING AID, JUNE 4, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, May 16, 1955.

Salary: For the state service, the minimum salary is $3,480 a year, and the maximum salary is $4,200 a year. In cities and towns, the salaries vary.

Vacancies: From time to time.

Duties: Under supervision, to assist on engineering work by performing assigned tasks in the field or office, involving some knowledge or training in civil engineering practice, but not of full professional rank or responsibility; and to perform related work as required.

Examples of Duties: Running a transit or level on preliminary and final surveys and in giving lines on construction work; having charge of a field party on small work; acting as an assistant to the resident engineer on construction work, in establishing lines and grades for the contractor and inspecting his work; making preliminary estimates for construction; taking field notes; drafting plans and sections from survey notes; keeping graphic records of length, kind of surface and other detail of highway routes.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants must have at least two years of full-time paid experience in civil engineering or in general construction work. *Substitutions:* (*a*) High school graduation or equivalent education may be substituted

READVERTISEMENT.

CITY OF BOSTON.

BOSTON HOUSING AUTHORITY.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR DRAINAGE.

The City of Boston, acting by and through the Boston Housing Authority, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 372 of the Acts of 1946, as amended, will receive sealed bids for the installation of a drainage system in the basements of certain houses located in the River Street Development, Mattapan, Dorchester district, City of Boston, Mass., until one (1) o'clock P.M., Eastern Standard Time, April 13, 1955, at the office of the Boston Housing Authority, Room 302, 230 Congress street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place all bids will be publicly opened and read aloud. A duplicate copy of the proposal, without bid security, shall be left with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening of bids.

A bid deposit in the form of cash, or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of five (5) per centum of the value of the proposed work shall be submitted with the proposal filed with the Boston Housing Authority by general and subbidders. The bid deposit shall be in separate envelope, properly marked.

No bid of a general or subbidder shall be withdrawn prior to thirty (30) days from the approval thereof by the State Housing Board without the consent of the City of Boston.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs, and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

All subbidders' proposals filed with the Boston Housing Authority shall be submitted in sealed envelopes plainly marked with the title of the work, division of the work for which bid is submitted, subcontractor's name, and subcontractor's business address. All such bids shall be in the possession of the Boston Housing Authority and delivered or mailed to the general contractor no later than 12 o'clock noon, April 11, 1955. Subbids shall be taken on the following portion of the work:

Plumbing.

Plans and specifications and other contract documents may be obtained at the office of the Boston Housing Authority.

A performance and payment bond of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth, and satisfactory to the Authority in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Boston Housing Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it is in the public interest so to do. The Authority also reserves the right to reject all subbids on any item or items in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

BOSTON HOUSING AUTHORITY,
by JAMES J. MAHAR,
Chairman.
(April 2.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SUBSOILING AND CONCRETE LINERS AT EVERGREEN CEMETERY, BRIGHTON, MASS.

The Commissioner of Parks and Recreation of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, invites proposals for subsoiling and concrete liners at Evergreen Cemetery, Brighton, Mass. Forms of proposals must be obtained at the Engineer's office of the Parks and Recreation Department, 33 Beacon street. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed and marked "Proposal for Subsoiling and Concrete Liners at Evergreen Cemetery, Brighton, Mass.," and left before 2 o'clock P.M. on Tuesday, April 12, 1955, at the office of the Parks and Recreation Department, with a certified check for $300, payable to and to be the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, and will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of 100 per cent of the estimated contract price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the Engineer's office of the Parks and Recreation Department. The successful bidder will be required to provide for public liability and property damage insurance and for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulations will be required prior to the award of said contract. The Commissioner reserves the right to reject any or all proposals.

FRANK R. KELLEY,
Commissioner.
(April 2.)

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No. 68—396.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING GENERAL CLOTHING (SURGEONS' GOWNS, MEN'S SHORTS AND SHIRTS) AND SPREADS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Monday, April 11, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Clothing and Spreads." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.
(April 2.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR GASOLINE.

The Police Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing gasoline. The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at the office of the Property Clerk, Room 105, 154 Berkeley street, Boston, and deposit with his bid at the office of the Police Commissioner, a properly certified check for $1,000, payable to and to become the property of the Police Commissioner for the City of Boston, if the proposal is not carried out. Proposals will be publicly opened and read on Thursday, April 7, 1955, at 12 o'clock noon, at the office of the Police Commissioner, 154 Berkeley street, Boston, Mass. The Police Commissioner reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the Police Department of the City of Boston. Surety bond will be required of the successful bidder in an amount equivalent to 50 per cent of the estimated contract amount.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.
(April 2.)

for one-half year of the required experience. (b) Engineering training in a recognized university or engineering school granting the bachelor's or equivalent degree may be substituted for the required experience on the basis of one successfully completed year of such education for one year of experience, provided that if more than one year is so offered, at least one year shall have been in civil engineering. (c) Civil engineering training in a recognized technical school not granting the bachelor's or equivalent degree may be substituted for the required experience on the basis of one successfully completed year of such education for one-half year of experience.

The following applies to each of the above examinations:

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, including mathematics, 3; total, 5. Also, an optional test in drafting for those who desire to have their names certified on requisitions calling for this special qualification.

Passing Requirements: Applicant must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject of the examination in order to become eligible. A mark of at least 70 per cent must be obtained in the optional drafting test in order to qualify in that subject.

CITY OF BOSTON.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.
LONG ISLAND HOSPITAL DIVISION.
BOSTON 69, MASS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR REPAIRS TO INCINERATORS, LONG ISLAND HOSPITAL, BOSTON 69, MASS.

The City of Boston, by the Board of Trustees, Hospital Department, and of the Boston City Hospital, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for repairs to incinerators, Long Island Hospital, Boston 69, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Monday, April 18, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, Long Island Hospital Division, at 25 Church street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, enclosed in an envelope, sealed, and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $250, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

Specifications may be obtained at the office of the Awarding Authority, Long Island Hospital Division, at 25 Church street, Boston, Mass., on or after 9.30 A.M., Monday, April 4, 1955.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of one hundred (100) per cent of the contract price will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do. The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all bids in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT AND OF THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL,
RICHARD J. CONDON,
President

(April 2.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR ELECTRICAL WORK IN VARIOUS BUILDINGS, BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL, 818 HARRISON AVENUE, BOSTON, MASS.

The City of Boston, by the Board of Trustees, Hospital Department, and of the Boston City Hospital, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for electrical work in various buildings, Boston City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until two o'clock P.M., Wednesday, April 13, 1955, at the office of the Superintendent, Boston City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, and enclosed in an envelope, sealed, and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $350, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

Specifications and plans may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of the Boston City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston, Mass., on and after Monday, April 4, 1955.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any and all bids if it be in the public interest so to do.

The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all bids in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, AND OF THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL,
RICHARD J. CONDON,
President

(April 2.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING PARKING METER HEADS (MANUALLY OPERATED ONLY.)

Proposals may be obtained at the Boston Traffic Commission, 112 Southampton street, Boston, Mass. At this office the bids will be opened and read April 14, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor of the City of Boston, Room 20, City Hall, prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Parking Meter Heads." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Boston Traffic Commission reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as the Commission deems for the best interests of the city.

WM. ARTHUR REILLY,
Traffic Commissioner.

(April 2-9.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

SEWERAGE WORKS.

Proposals for Sewerage Works in Fairview Avenue, Alvarado Avenue, Alwin Street, Stonehill Road, and Cheryl Lane, Hyde Park.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Fairview avenue, Alvarado avenue, Alwin street, Stonehill road, and Cheryl Lane, Hyde Park. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Fairview Avenue, Alvarado Avenue, Alwin Street, Stonehill Road, and Cheryl Lane, Hyde Park," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of WEDNESDAY, APRIL 13, 1955, with a certified check for EIGHT HUNDRED ($800) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2) for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

(April 2.)

No. 69—598.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING X-RAY SCREENS FOR THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Monday, April 11 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Anditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for X-Ray Screens." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a hid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(April 2.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

SEWERAGE WORKS.

Proposals for Sewerage Works in Farwell Avenue, Hyde Park, and Savannah Avenue, Dorchester.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Farwell avenue, Hyde Park, and Savannah avenue, Dorchester. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved hy the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Farwell Avenue, Hyde Park, and Savannah Avenue, Dorchester," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of WEDNESDAY, APRIL 13, 1955. with a certified check for FOUR HUNDRED (400) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in dnplicate, the sealed duplicate, withont check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2) for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing snch price. The rate per honr of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chanffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be ohtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide hy insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(April 2.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

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JOSHUA H. JONES, *Editor.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING AMMUNITION.

The Police Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing and delivering ammunition. The bidder must nse the form of proposal to be obtained at the office of the Property Clerk, Room 105, 154 Berkeley street, Boston, and deposit with his bid, at the office of the Police Commissioner, a properly certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the Police Commissioner for the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. Proposals will he publicly opened and read on Friday, April 15, 1955. at 12 o'clock noon, at the office of the Police Commissioner, 154 Berkeley street, Boston, Mass. The Police Commissioner reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the Police Department of the City of Boston. Surety bond will be required of the successful bidder in an amount equivalent to 50 per cent of the estimated amount of the contract.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
(April 2.) *Police Commissioner.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

REMOVE ABANDONED GAS LAMP POSTS.

Proposals for Removing Abandoned Gas Lamp Posts in Various Streets of the City of Boston.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for removing ahandoned gas lamp posts in various streets of the City of Boston. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the snm of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Removing Abandoned Gas Lamp Posts in Various Streets of the City of Boston," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office). fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, APRIL 14, 1955, with a certified check for FIVE HUNDRED (500) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then he publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must he made in dnplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited hy the bidder with the City Anditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from hidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2) for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be ahnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide hy insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to he employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The nndersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(April 2.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION WORK AND SEWERAGE WORKS.

Proposals for Bituminous Concrete Pavement in Canterbury Street, Wards 18 and 19, from Poplar Street to Seymour Street, and Such Additional Locations, If Any, in Wards 8, 11, 18, 19, and 20, As May Be Designated by the Commissioner of Public Works; Corey Terrace, Ward 20 (Formerly Garden Terrace), from Corey Street to Approximately 290 Feet Southwesterly; Hartlawn Road, Ward 20 (Formerly Hart Street), from Baker Street to Prospect Street; Newmarket Square, Ward 8, from Massachusetts Avenue Approximately 750 Feet Northerly; Zeller Street Extension, Ward 20, from Zeller Street to Approximately 145 Feet Northwesterly; and Bituminous Concrete Pavement and Sewerage Works in Merriam Street, Ward 11, from Brookside Avenue to Stony Brook, with an Arm Southwesterly to Minton Street.

The Commissioner of Pnblic Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for bituminous concrete pavement in Canterbury street, Wards 18 and 19, etc. A bond will be required for doing tho work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may he ohtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Bituminous Concrete Pavement in Canterhury Street, Wards 18 and 19, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, APRIL 14, 1955, with a certified check for THIRTY-SEVEN HUNDRED (3,700) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then he puhlicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2) for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per honr of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed nnder this contract and shall continue such insnrance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems hest.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(April 2.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

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CHARLESTOWN BRIDGE, OVER CHARLES RIVER AT CITY SQUARE, FOUND TO BE IN NEED OF REPAIRS TO APPROXIMATE OVER $1,200,000 — ENGINEERING FORCE TO BE HIRED TO STUDY AND ESTIMATE WORK TO BE REQUIRED —COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS SEEKS AUTHORITY TO DO WORK.

Charlestown Bridge, over the Charles River at City square, is found to be in need of repairs to the amount of $1,200,000, according to a letter from the Commissioner of Public Works to Mayor John B. Hynes, seeking to secure a competent engineering force to provide for and estimate the work required. The letter from the commissioner reads as follows:

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
BOSTON, March 15, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The Charlestown Bridge, spanning the Charles River and connecting City square, Charlestown, with Commercial street, City Proper, is unquestionably

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REPORT OF JOSEPH McKENNEY, DIRECTOR OF PHYSICAL EDUCATION, ON ATTENDANCE AT ANNUAL MEETING OF NATIONAL COLLEGIATE FOOTBALL RULES COMMITTEE IN NEW YORK CITY, JANUARY 10 TO 12, 1955, INCLUSIVE.

The following is the report of Joseph McKenney, Director of Physical Education, on his attendance at the annual meeting of the National Collegiate Football Rules Committee in New York, January 10 to 12, inclusive:

BOSTON, March 15, 1955.

DENNIS C. HALEY, *Superintendent,*
Boston Public Schools.

DEAR MR. HALEY:

The following is my report on my attendance at the N.C.A.A. Football Rules Committee Meeting as one of the four high school advisory members.

The N.C.A.A. is most anxious to keep the college football rules in close conformity with the high school rules. At

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METHOD OF COLLECTION AND DISPOSAL OF GARBAGE AND REFUSE IN EAST BOSTON FOR YEAR EFFECTS SAVING OF $35,052 OVER PREVIOUS YEAR—PUBLIC WORKS COMMISSIONER SECURES USE OF PRIVATE DUMP IN SAUGUS FOR PURPOSE—HIGHLY ADVANTAGEOUS FOR CITY.

Boston has effected a saving of $35,052 in the collection and disposal of refuse and garbage in the East Boston district for the present year over the year 1954, according to the letter sent to Mayor John B. Hynes for approval from the Public Works Commissioner, George G. Hyland. The Public Works Commissioner has secured, with the approval of the Mayor, a private dump in Saugus, handy to East Boston, for the purpose desired. The letter of explanation from the Commissioner of Public Works reads as follows:

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
BOSTON, March 16, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

A new means of refuse disposal for the East Boston district has been tried for the past year and proved so advantageous to the city that it is proposed to continue the same method under the Refuse Collection and Disposal Contract for the period April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1958.

For many years the dump for disposing of the refuse from East Boston was under control of the refuse collection contractor in that district. In order to encourage competition and thereby reduce the cost of this function, I investigated the possibility of finding a dump in or close to the district and over which the city would exercise control. No suitable tract of land was found within East Boston, but about one year ago I found a privately-owned dump on the marshes in the town of Saugus being used by other communities for refuse disposal.

The owner is engaged in reclamation of the marshes by rubbish fill; the property is licensed by the town of Saugus for rubbish fill and is ideally situated for this function, being located on a vast expanse of marsh easterly of the Salem Turnpike and very remote from any residence. It is only a relatively short distance from East Boston, and the trucking route is entirely upon state highways.

The total cost for collection and disposal of refuse in East Boston for the period April 1, 1953, to March 31, 1954, was $124,716. The cost of collection for the period April 1, 1954, to March 31, 1955, was $81,264, and the cost of disposal at the Saugus dump for the same period was $8,400, making a total cost for collection and disposal of the refuse from East Boston for the past year $89,664. Therefore, using the dump in Saugus for the disposal of the East Boston refuse resulted in a reduction in cost of $35,052 over the prior year.

However, if the Saugus dump had not been available, the contract would have had to be awarded to the only bidder having a suitable dump and at his bid price of $130,524 for the year, so the actual saving over the past year by using the Saugus dump was $40,860. It should be noted that this saving was obtained while requiring the contractor to furnish the modern, sanitary, enclosed steel body trucks not previously furnished in the East Boston district.

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"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the shipteeming plain of the ocean;
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.

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Meeting of the City Council, Monday, April 11, at 2 P.M.

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Complaints, inquiries, or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the Complaints Division, Room 25, City Hall.

Information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways, the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments of streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped area for streets and the opening of private ways; the making of specific repairs in public streets; the naming of public streets, including the use of public ways for location of conduits, poles, and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railways, coal holes, and vaults, may be secured from the Public Improvement Commission, Room 403, City Hall Annex.

To the BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION, 112 Southampton street, for information relative to regulation of vehicular street traffic on all or any streets, ways, highways, roads, and parkways under the control of the City of Boston, the issuing of all permits in connection therewith.

To the COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting, and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch basins, the operation of Sumner Tunnel, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges, and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

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To the BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth Avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park, and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts, also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview, and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

To the SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

To the DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS, 28 Norman street, for information as to the construction and repair of school of buildings.

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To the ELECTRICAL INSPECTION DIVISION OF THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT, 1001 City Hall Annex, for all information relative to the erection of poles, building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division; also for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings of the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

To the BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT, 43 City Hall, relative to changes in the boundary lines of zoning districts of the City of Boston as established by chapter 488 of the Acts of 1924, and amendments thereto.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending April 2, 1955.

Population as of July, 1950, Massachusetts State Census, 817,713; population estimated July, 1954, United States Census Bureau, 810,633; number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 181; nonresidents, 61; total, 242.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 16.31; nonresidents deducted, 11.71.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:

Last week, 15.31; corresponding week last year, 14.52.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 16; one year to four years, inclusive, 3; sixty years and over, 167. Total deaths: Male, 138; female, 104; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 187.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Apr. 2, 1955.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Apr. 3, 1954.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior Poliomyelitis	—	1	—	—
Diphtheria	—	—	—	—
Encephalitis Lethargica	—	—	—	—
Influenza	—	—	—	—
Measles	96	—	28	—
Meningitis Epidemic	—	—	2	—
Pneumonia (lobar)	—	2	—	1
Scarlet Fever	70	—	35	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary)	15	6	23	4
Childhood Type Tuberculosis	—	—	—	—
Tuberculosis (other forms)	—	—	—	—
Typhoid Fever	—	—	1	—
Whooping Cough	4	—	15	—

* Residents and nonresidents included.

CONTRACT FOR DISPOSAL OF REFUSE AND GARBAGE IN EAST BOSTON.

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The low bids obtained from publicly advertised proposals for collecting and removing garbage and refuse in East Boston, opened on March 9, 1955, based on the city furnishing the dump at Saugus, make it most advantageous for the city to again enter into an agreement whereby it can provide said dump and thereby award a collection contract to the lowest bidder.

Therefore, I respectfully request your approval to dispense with advertising and enter into an agreement with Dewey E. Daggett, for the use of land located easterly of the Salem Turnpike in the town of Saugus, owned by said Daggett and licensed by said town.

The agreement shall provide that all the refuse (including street sweepings) from the East Boston district may be deposited on said land for a one-year period from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, and that Dewey E. Daggett shall operate the dump as specified in the agreement for the amount of nine hundred dollars ($900) per month, and the agreement shall include an option whereby, if the city so elects, it can extend the contract into a second year and also into a third year, upon the same terms and conditions.

Respectfully yours,

George G. Hyland,
Commissioner of Public Works.

CHARLESTOWN BRIDGE BADLY IN NEED OF REPAIR.

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the most important drawbridge in Boston, as it carries not only heavy volumes of vehicular traffic but also many thousands of M.T.A. passengers entering and leaving the city daily. The M.T.A. elevated structure, which is located over the main highway bridge, is supported on granite piers that are also used for supporting the highway bridge. The M.T.A. is solely responsible for the control, maintenance, and care of the elevated structure that is used by the trains operating on the Forest Hills-Everett line, and the city is responsible for the highway bridge.

The bridge was constructed in 1899, and no major repairs have been made since that time. It is imperative, due to the importance of this structure, that it be kept in A-1 condition at all times, so as not to unduly inconvenience the thousands of motorists and M.T.A. passengers that use this facility daily. Recently, mechanical failure of the operating machinery caused several lengthy openings of the drawspan that seriously delayed the M.T.A. passengers and disrupted a substantial part of the entire M.T.A. system. The operating mechanism of the drawspan has been defective, and, unquestionably, a general overhauling of said mechanism, or its entire replacement, should be made before the end of the current year. In addition, the condition of the approaches to the drawspan, and the drawspan itself, has reached a point where it is absolutely essential to effect major improvements during the current year.

It is our intention to remove the existing granite block surface and wooden deck of the approach spans and replace them with a reinforced concrete deck and a bituminous concrete wearing surface. In addition, we intend to effect whatever repairs are necessary to the steel superstructure and repair or replace most of the steel members included in the existing floor system of both the approach spans and the drawspans. It is estimated that it will cost approximately $1,200,000 to do all the work necessary to reconstruct the Boston and Charlestown approach spans, including, as stated, the repair of the entire said superstructure of said spans and the repair of the floor system of the drawspans.

In addition, it is most essential that steps be taken during the current year to effect whatever repairs are necessary to the superstructure of the drawspans and to the operating mechanism that has caused so much trouble recently. It is difficult, at this time, to determine the exact cause of the failure of the operating mechanism of the drawspan to function properly. The draw is operated by a hydraulically-controlled end lift system that is obsolete, and we have not been successful in having the nature of the defect pin-pointed.

The trouble might be in the end lift system or it might be in the pin-connected steel trusses of the draw. In any event, we must have a thorough and detailed study made of the operating mechanism and the trusses before preparing the necessary plans and specifications for their repair. A study of this kind should be made only by an experienced and capable firm of consulting engineers, as it involves matters of a highly technical and specialized nature. I feel that the firm of Charles A. Maguire & Associates possesses the qualifications to conduct the type of study and investigation needed on the Charlestown drawspan. This firm is recognized as being one of the best in the structural field, as evidenced by the Mystic River Toll Bridge, the East Boston overhead highway, and the Boston Central Artery, all of which were designed by the Maguire Company alone or by a combination of consultants that included the latter-referenced company as a principal. I have, therefore, been negotiating with representatives of said firm concerning the preparation of plans and specifications affecting the work to be done on the approach spans and floor system of the drawspan, and I have also discussed with them the matter of conducting a complete study and investigation of the drawspan structure, including the fender system and the operating machinery for controlling the openings of the drawbridge.

The above-referenced firm has agreed to undertake the work involved in the preparation of plans and specifications for the effecting of repairs to the floor system of the drawspan and the reconstruction of the approach spans, for the checking of shop drawings, and for consultation and advice during the construction period, at a fee equal to 4½ per cent of the construction cost of the work designed, with the proviso that if all of the work designed is not constructed the engineers shall be paid only at a rate of 4 per cent for that part of the work designed but not constructed.

For conducting the study and investigation of the drawspan structure, including a study of the fender system and the operating mechanism, the engineers have agreed to make such a study and investigation and submit a report of their findings, with the understanding that they will be paid on a per diem basis at rates in accordance with the "Manual of Professional Practice for Civil Engineers," as prepared and approved by the American Society of Civil Engineers. Due to the nature and character of the study, it would be most impractical to have it made except on a cost-plus or per diem basis. Incidentally, the above-referenced fees of 4 per cent and 4½ per cent are also in accordance with the latter-referenced manual.

There obviously is no advantage to the City of Boston in publicly advertising for proposals for professional services of engineers to undertake the above-referenced study and the preparing of the necessary plans and specifications. It is my unqualified opinion that this is the type of contract that should not, in the best interests of the public, be awarded on the basis of publicly advertised proposals, and as a matter of fact, it is contrary to the code of ethics established by the American Society of Civil Engineers for any professional engineer to participate in competitive bidding to obtain professional work of the type under consideration in connection with the improvements to be effected at the Charlestown Bridge. The firm of Charles A. Maguire & Associates is eminently qualified to render the service required and the rates, as stated, are in conformity with those established by the American Society of Civil Engineers.

I respectfully request, therefore, your authority to dispense with advertising and to award a contract to Charles A. Maguire & Associates for the preparation of final designs, contract plans and specifications for the reconstruction and redecking of the approach spans and drawspans of the Charlestown Bridge and for the checking of shop drawings and consultation during the construction period on the basis of a fee equal to 4½ per cent of the construction cost of the work designed, provided that if any or all of the work designed is not constructed the engineers shall be paid a 4 per cent fee on that part of the work designed but not constructed. It is estimated that the cost of these services will not exceed $54,000.

I also respectfully request that the subject contract for the preparation of final designs, contract plans, and specifications for the above-referenced bridge also include the conducting of a study and investigation of the drawspan structure, including the fender system and the operating mechanism, and the furnishing of a complete report to the department containing the engineer's recommendations and the estimates of cost to accomplish the recommended improvements. This phase of the contract will be done on a cost-plus basis at agreed rates established in accordance with the "Manual of Professional Practice for Civil Engineers," as adopted by the American Society of Civil Engineers. I also, therefore, respectfully request your authority to dispense with advertising and to include in the subject contract provisions for the conducting of the above-described study on a cost-plus basis, with the understanding that the total contract sum will not exceed $10,000 for said study.

Respectfully yours,

George G. Hyland,
Commissioner of Public Works.

REPORT OF JOSEPH McKENNEY, DIRECTOR OF PHYSICAL EDUCATION.

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the present time they differ only in the substitution rule.

The Massachusetts high schools will continue to play the so-called two-platoon football in 1955. It has been found that this type of football has increased the number of participants on the high school level. The colleges have amended their substitution rule for 1955 so that a player starting in any period may return once during that period.

One of the most interesting sessions of the Rules Meeting is the one on safety and equipment. The representatives of the leading manufacturers presented all the new features in equipment they intend to introduce this year. Last year we adopted a mouthpiece shown at this meeting. Not one player lost a tooth while wearing this equipment during the 1954 season.

The N.C.A.A. Football Rules Committee membership is as follows:

H. O. Crisler, University of Michigan, *Chairman.*

E. E. Weiman, University of Denver, *Secretary.*

Alonzo A. Stagg, Stockton, California.
Lloyd Jordan, Harvard University.
Dr. Ellwood Geiges, Pennsylvania.
Gen. Robert R. Neyland, University of Tennessee.
Carroll C. Widdoes, Ohio University.
M. M. Mullins, University of Kansas.
Raymond Eliot, University of Illinois.
L. R. Meyer, Texas Christian.
Jack C. Curtice, University of Utah.
Frank G. McCormick, Pacific Coast Conference.
Lou Little, Columbia University.
George Munger, University of Pennsylvania.

The four high school representatives were: Lee K. Anderson of Oklahoma; H. W. Emswiler of Ohio; Ray Mattingly of Texas; Joseph McKenney of Boston, Massachusetts.

The Intercollegiate Commissioners were represented by K. L. Wilso, Big 10 Conference; Bernie Moore, Southern Conference; and Emil Larson, Rocky Mountain Conference.

It was a privilege to serve as a high school representative. It is of utmost importance that our football rules give maximum protection to the student at the high school level. The close relationship and cooperation now existing between our intercollegiate and high school administrators is proof that they have one aim—rules and contests that are for the best interest of our American youth.

Yours very truly,

Joseph McKenney,
Director of Physical Education.

RETIREMENT BOARD REPORTS.

To the Auditor.

At meetings of the Retirement Board, held on March 9, 15, 24, and 30, respectively, the retirement from active service of the following-named members of the State-Boston Retirement System was approved to become effective at the close of business, March 31 1955, under the provisions of chapter 658:

Fire Department.

Esther C. Hanrahan, janitress.
Walter E. Crouch, district chief.
Richard J. Dunn, hoseman.
David E. Lane, ladderman.
Edmund S. Sharp, hoseman.
Joseph Lalli, painter.

Health Department.

Thomas A. English, inspector.

Hospital Department.

Main Division.

Sadie F. Bassett, medical worker.
Fannie Billington, medical worker.
Nathan Rosenthal, male nurse.

Long Island Division.

Margaret E. Evans, matron.
Rev. C. R. Peck, chaplain.

Library Department.

Ethel M. Hazelwood, chief, circulating division.

Parks and Recreation Department.

John J. Ridge, second-class fireman.

Public Works Department.

Sewer Division.

James F. Connors, foreman.

School Department.

Doris L. Carroll, assistant.
Everett J. Ford, master.
James J. Smith, custodian.

Welfare Department.

Elizabeth Mahony, principal social work supervisor.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

Jail.

Frank C. Frary, engineer.

Attest:

Paul L. Carty,
Executive Officer.

To the Auditor.

At meetings of the Retirement Board, held on March 9, 15, 24, and 30, respectively, the retirement from active service of the following-named employees of the Boston Retirement System was approved to become effective at the close of business, March 31, 1955, under the provisions of chapter 521 of the Acts of 1922:

Fire Department.

Norman F. Davidson, lieutenant.
Thomas Flaherty, hoseman.
Thomas F. Hurley, hoseman.
Walter F. McCourt, hoseman.
Joseph W. Thompson, Jr., lieutenant.
Patrick J. Kenney, stationary fireman.

Attest:

W. J. Doyle,
Chairman.

SEWERAGE WORKS ASSESSMENTS CANCELED.

The Public Improvement Commission has voted as follows:

Whereas, An order of the Public Improvement Commission approved by the Mayor October 1, 1954, was recorded in the Registry of Deeds October 11, 1954, book 6999, page 407; said order providing for the taking of an easement for sewerage works in the private way known as Furbush road, West Roxbury district;

Whereas, Assessment liens were created on the following-named parcels of land, as follows:

Parcel 3, Jacob Fredberg, $200,
Parcel 4, Stanley P. Hall, $200,
Parcel 5, City of Boston, $200;

Voted, That said assessment liens be, and the same hereby are canceled.

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Mayor has approved the requests of the Commissioner of Public Works for the following construction work:

A 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer, 12-inch pipe surface drain, and five catch basins in Summer street, between West street and 750 feet southerly, in the Hyde Park district, at an estimated cost of $12,000.

A 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer in Forest Hills street, between Lotus street and Morton street, in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of $4,300.

A 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer, 10-inch pipe surface drain in Cemo road, between Cottage avenue and 180 feet northeasterly, in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of $3,100.

CHANGES IN SOCIAL SECURITY LAW.

Changes in the Social Security Act now make Old Age and Survivors Insurance benefits available to all municipal employees, except firemen and policemen. The procedure varies, however, for those who are eligible for membership in existing retirement systems and those who are not.

The most important point to remember is that the municipality must take the initiative to secure OASI coverage for its employees and must act through the state government. Proper enabling legislation and contractual clauses in state documents are "musts." They secure coverage as part of the state's contract with the Bureau of Old Age and Survivors Insurance, U. S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare.

—American Municipal Association Report.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees:

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Joseph F. Lynch, 8 Bentham road, Dorchester, ladderman, has been retired at an annual pension of $2,773.33.

Charles F. McCarthy, 30 Auburn street, Charlestown, lieutenant, has been retired at an annual pension of $3,293.33.

James J. Kiley, 11 Burgoyne street, Dorchester, lieutenant, has been retired at an annual pension of $3,293.33.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Dr. Augustine W. McGarry, Director of Local Health Services, has been designated to act as Health Commissioner from April 11, 1955, to April 22, 1955, inclusive.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

For the week ending March 15:

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—Blanchtean Howell, 16 Highland street, Roxbury, Ethel Lauria, 19 West Dedham street, hospital medical workers, $45.50 a week; John E. McCarthy, 41 Cedar street, Mattapan, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; Jacob Packer, 4 Ottawa street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $50.50 a week; Ann Azorowicz, 539 Adams street, Dorchester, junior clerk-typist, $48 a week; Vanda Dardeno, 284 Hanover street, clerk-typist, $50.50 a week; Margaret Hogan, 740 Saratoga street, East Boston, clerk-typist, $43 a week; Norma Crowley, 40 Trapelo road, Brighton, medical social worker, $73 a week; Emma Foster, 7 Roberts street, Somerville, floor nurse, temporary, $1.70 an hour; Mary E. King, 1 Judson road, Weymouth, floor nurse, $1.70 an hour; Euanna McInnis, 49 Sargent street, Dorchester, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour; Anna T. Monahan, 122 Elmer road, Dorchester, floor nurse, $63 a week; Therese Morrissette, 710 Massachusetts avenue, floor nurse, $58 a week; Annette O'Malley, 49 Dorchester street, South Boston, floor nurse, $1.60 an hour; Margaret I. Welch, 45 Eden street, Chelsea, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour.

Temporary.—Mary C. Cotter, 62 Beechland street, West Roxbury, Muriel Garnett, 2 Elmwood street, Roxbury, Mildred Hartnett, 73 Weld Hill street, Jamaica Plain, Maria Matarazzo, 57 Mallet street, Dorchester, Charles E. O'Leary, 5 Salisbury park, Dorchester, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; Emma B. Wright, 8 Carlisle street, Roxbury, clerk-typist, $43 a week; Helen M. Rodriguez, 97 Spring street, West Roxbury, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour.

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For the week ending March 22:

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—John L. McKenna, 41 West Cottage street, Lawrence Smith, 7 Arbutus street, Dorchester, William J. Stanton, 6 Gore street, Roxbury, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; Bernard F. Starrs, 12 Cedar park, Roxbury, hospital house worker, $43 a week; Arthur S. Duggan, 118 West Third street, South Boston, guard, $53 a week; Eleanor Purin, 115 Brookway road,

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING APRIL 5.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Madeline Daunt	66 and 68 Adamson street	22	Take-down, garage	$50
Chester Johnson	74 Albano street	20	Alterations, dwelling	295
Thomas Sullivan	1 Amory terrace	11	Take-down, dwelling	300
John Duggan	14 Anson street	19	Fire repair, dwelling	750
Emma and Ruby Gardner	71 Appleton street	4	Fire repair, lodging house	250
H. E. Koulitz	1219 Blue Hill avenue	14	Alterations, dwelling	400
Bromfield Manufacturing Co.	Rear 246 Border street	1	Alterations, boat shed	850
Humphrey, Inc	1032 Boylston street	4	Fire escape, restaurant, dwelling	200
W. Wolfrum	1088–1092 Boylston street	4	Alterations, store, restaurant.	360
James Condos	1356 Boylston street	5	Fire repair, restaurant	375
Anthony Saurino	22 Breed street	1	Alterations, dwelling, store	1,000
Joseph Thompson	47 Bushnell street	16	Alterations, dwelling	225
Bowdoin Square Cafe	61 Cambridge street	3	Sign, store, office	200
Bertha Cohen	172 Cambridge street	3	Sign, store	100
First National Bank	109 Canal street	3	Sign, store	45
Harry Fruman	148 and 150 Castle street	5	Alterations, store, dwelling	100
Leon David	45 Charles street	3	Alterations, store	200
Charles Dawson	16 Chisholm road	18	Alterations, dwelling	390
Edward Zdoneck	2 and 4 Conrad street	7	Alterations, dwelling	1,240
Stephen Bandis	109 Cornell street	18	Alterations, dwelling	385
Norman Chaletzky	37 Dewey street	13	Alterations, dwelling	425
V. Stapleton	238 E street	6	Fire escape, dwelling	50
V. Stapleton	240 E street	6	Fire escape, dwelling	50
V. Stapleton	242 E street	6	Fire escape, dwelling	75
Anna Kincher	244 E street	6	Fire escape, dwelling	75
Robert Spring	545 East Eighth street	7	Alterations, store, dwelling	300
Royal Gam Company	49 Field street	4	Alterations, manufacturing	850
Alfred Karns	38 and 40 Grayson road	16	Alterations, dwelling	245
James Keefe	44 Hartford street	13	Alterations, dwelling	1,200
William and Evelyn Masdea	178 I street	7	Fire escape, dwelling	100
American Sugar Company	14–36 India Wharf	3	Take-down, storage	5,000
Deaconess Hospital	4 and 6 Longwood terrace	4	Take-down, dwelling	1,000
Deaconess Hospital	8 and 10 Longwood terrace	4	Take-down, dwelling	1,000
R. Swartz	338 Massachusetts avenue	4	Fire escape, store, restaurant, dwelling	350
Joseph Moroney	157 Metropolitan avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	288
J. Kaminsky	39 Middle street	7	Alterations, dwelling	375
Edward J. Donaghy	35 Montclair avenue	20	Alterations, dwelling	430
M. Lounsbury	66 Montclair avenue	20	Alterations, dwelling	215
J. Murphy	15 Montfern avenue	22	Alterations, dwelling	850
Martha Jones	38 Newcomb street	5	Take-down, dwelling	1,200
Pier Grille, Inc	199 Northern avenue	3	Alterations, restaurant	750
Michael Barry	29 North Munroe terrace	16	Alterations, dwelling	650
Almaban Fierma	146–150 Oliver street	3	Alterations, store, storage	500
Warren Bosvert	17 Parker street	2	Fire repair, dwelling	600
Deaconess Hospital	166 Pilgrim road	4	Take-down, dwelling	800
H. George Rivers	28 Primrose street	20	Alterations, dwelling	210
Mr. Cridenburg	112 Queensberry street	5	Alterations, cleaners	500
Myer Dana	1266 River street	18	Alterations, stores	600
Steven Caruso	27–33 Shelby street	1	Excavation	250
Nicholas Cappozi	70 Sprague street	18	Alterations, dwelling	800
Anna Baglione	144 Spring street	20	Alterations, dwelling	310
William Doe	71 Summer street	3	Sign, bank, office	950
Minot, Deblois, Maddison	109–109A Summer street	3	Alterations, store	4,250
Minot, Deblois, Maddison	111 Summer street	3	Sign, store, lab., office	350
A. W. Perry, Inc	161 Tremont street	3	Alterations, store	200
Norman Edwards	1285 Tremont street	9	Alterations, store, dwelling	1,350
Samuel White	663 Warren street	14	Alterations, store	800
Walter Dugas	506 Washington street	22	Alterations, dwelling	200
Crown Furniture	740 Washington street	3	Alterations, store	250
Crown Furniture	760 Washington street	3	Alterations, store	250
Daniel and William Weisberg	1000–20 Washington street	3	Alterations, printing	200
Frank Anastasi	1766 Washington street	8	Alterations, restaurant office	500
W. T. Doyle	3474 Washington street	11	Alterations, dwelling	350
John Sundbery	28 West Broadway	6	Fire escape, store, dwelling	100
Cecilia McCormack	11 Westville street	15	Alterations, dwelling	175
David Cox	60 Winthrop street	12	Alterations, dwelling	990
John Norton	3 Alcott street	22	Alterations, dwelling	595
Irving Fanning Company	134 Beach street	3	Alterations, storage, manufacturing	650
Fabio Urmi	109 Belgrade avenue	20	Alterations, dwelling	25
William Lackrie	6 Berry street	16	Alterations, dwelling	482
Phillip Rosenthal	1142 Blue Hill avenue	14	Sign, store	200
Jamaica Plain Restaurant	1088 Boylston street	4	Sign, restaurant	860
J. Whelan	455 Cambridge street	21	Fire escape, dwelling	150
Cushing Manor, Inc	20 Cushing avenue	13	Fire escape, nursing home	1,400
Julius Fennel	108 Dartmouth street	4	Alterations, lodging house	350
Emily Grabowski	534–538 Dorchester avenue	7	Alterations, store, dwelling	400
David Zide	5 Elwyn road	17	Alterations, dwelling	600
Louis Levine	26 Harlem street	14	Alterations, dwelling	300
E. T. Schwamb Company	1A Jay street	6	Take-down, dwelling	500
John Mayer	45 Martin street	20	Alterations, dwelling	80
W. R. and G. M. Morrison	273 Meridian street	1	Alterations, store, dwelling	200
E. J. O'Reilly	38 Mystic street	2	Fire escape, dwelling	75
F. J. Aylward	40 Mystic street	2	Fire escape, dwelling	75
J. Haren	4 Roseland street	16	Alterations, dwelling	75
J. Thompson	10 Thornley street	13	Alterations, dwelling	95
John Ross	246 West Broadway	6	Alterations, store, storage	200
Comm. of Mass. MDC	1883 William O'Day Blvd	6	Take-down, concessions	4,800
Wanda Naczowski	124 Adams street	15	Alterations, dwelling	190
B. Calderone	541 Bennington street	1	Alterations, dwelling	950
Duncan Goodwin	205 Chestnut avenue	19	Alterations, dwelling	350
A. Griffin	283 Chestnut avenue	19	Alterations, dwelling	900
Charles Liotta, Jr	40 Chickatawbut street	16	Alterations, dwelling	340
Reardon Sales	301 Columbia road	14	Excavation	1,500
F. Marsden	6 Eldridge road	19	Alterations, dwelling	850
John Scrnucks	15 Frazer street	16	Alterations, dwelling	50
Fiorentino Ruggiero	87 Homer street	1	Alterations, dwelling	75
Frank Donahue	111 and 111A Kenrick street	22	Alterations, dwelling	300

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING APRIL 5.—Concluded.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Joseph Wadawski	5 Lambert avenue	9	Alterations, dwelling	$600
A. Georgone	252 Maverick street	1	Alterations, dwelling	850
Henry Currie	115 Moore street	1	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Morton Mintz	21 Neillian Crescent	19	Alterations, dwelling	1,250
Thomas Orlandi	27 Oakdale street	19	Alterations, dwelling	700
White Hall Liquor Company	13 St. Charles street	5	Take-down, dwelling	1,200
Thomas Casey	67 Sydney street	13	Alterations, dwelling	1,400
Meyer Karas	44 Tennis road	18	Alterations, dwelling	370
James Phelan Company	162 Tremont street	3	Alterations, restaurant, office.	250
Aram Furniture Company	852 Washington street	3	Alterations, store	150
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Stuart Peirce	160 Weld street	20	Alterations, dwelling	800
Michael Gervino	11 West Broadway	6	Sign, store, dwelling	900

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM PLUMBING FOR THE WEEK ENDING APRIL 5.

Plumber.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
J. Mellyn	127 Brookside avenue	11	Fixtures	$350
E. Slein	84 Como road	18	Fixtures	500
B. Tack	265 Hebron street	18	Fixtures	800
G. Patey	51 Malcolm road	19	Fixtures	800
John. J. Vogel	15 Maynard street	18	Fixtures	200
J. Murphy	385 Mt. Vernon street	13	Fixtures	150
F. Losordo	135 Summer street	18	Fixtures	300
F. Losordo	139 Summer street	18	Fixtures	300
F. Losordo	143 Summer street	18	Fixtures	300
R. Fliegelman	154 Terrace street	10	Fixtures	300
I. Carlin	48 Binford street	6	Fixtures	695
G. Vallati	117 Bowdoin street	11	Fixtures	400
B. Weiner	425 Centre street	19	Fixtures	150
D. Yorks	44 Ansonia road	20	Fixtures	500
S. Fox	1162 Blue Hill avenue	14	Fixtures	150
E. Mogel	18 Braddock park	4	Fixtures	40
J. Tack	4 Buchanan road	20	Fixtures	500
W. Fishman	2315 Centre street	20	Fixtures	800
A. Figler	239 Hanover street	3	Fixtures	50
P. Portnoy	257 Newbury street	5	Fixtures	75
W. Fishman	914 V. F. W. Parkway	20	Fixtures	1,000
G. Trethewey	4040 Washington street	19	Fixtures	500
R. Day	259 A street	6	Fixtures	1,500
S. Lucido	20 Adair road	21	Fixtures	65
S. Whitcombe	160 Commonwealth avenue	5	Fixtures	2,900
E. Healy	632 Washington street	17	Fixtures	250
S. Franco	1762 Washington street	8	Fixtures	600
R. King	40 Bird street	12	Fixtures	400
W. Osenton	122 Bowdoin street	5	Fixtures	50
H. Gellis	Dartmouth street	4	Fixtures	200
A. Goldberg	145 Harvard avenue	21	Fixtures	700
S. Slavet	35 Moreland street	12	Fixtures	1,000
T. Matthews	17 Ocean street	17	Fixtures	150
R. King	15 Old Morton street	16	Fixtures	400
P. Giordano	68 Richfield street	15	Fixtures	300
T. Matthews	9 Ridgewood street	15	Fixtures	150
F. Odenweller	28A Story street	7	Fixtures	375
T. Matthews	570 Washington street	16	Fixtures	50

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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clerk-stenographer, $50.50 a week; Ann Curtin, 192 West Seventh street, South Boston, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Dorothy M. Hudson, 64 Cornwell avenue, Somerville, floor nurse, $1.65 an hour.

Temporary.—Martha M. Handren, 3 Chilcott place, Jamaica Plain, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; Michael Sheridan, 19 Howe street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43.99 a week; Mary E. Higgins, 44 Faunce road, Mattapan, clerk-typist, $43 a week; Willis F. Keefe, 26 Appleton street, fireman, $55.50 a week; Audrey Mailhot, 33 Cedar street, Mattapan, Margaret E. Malone, 990A Shirley street, Winthrop, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour; Mary Theodoron, 474 Commonwealth avenue, floor nurse, $1.65 an hour.

For the week ending March 22:

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Esther Bandlow, 5 Reddy avenue, Hyde Park, 2 days; Priscilla Beckwith, 686 Massachusetts avenue, 4 days; Lillian Blackburn, 18 Park Vale avenue, Allston, 3 days; Louise Blanchard, 31 Eaton street, East Milton, 1 day; Dolores Buckley, 549 Park street, Dorchester, Rita Buscher, 238 Norfolk street, Wollaston, 3 days; Ruby Childs, 270 Huntington avenue, Roxbury, 4 days; Gertrude Clark, 13 Rosa street, Hyde Park, 2 days; Marcelyn Curry, 64 Rosseter street, Dorchester, 1 day; Patricia Camirand, 41 Falmouth street, 6 days; Adele Daly, 30 Aspinwall avenue, North Weymouth, Norma Dean, 696 Massachusetts avenue, 4 days; Ruth Droulette, 1515 Veterans of Foreign Wars Parkway, West Roxbury, 5 days; Mary Edwards, 128 Adams street, Dorchester, 3 days; Anna Ferrara, 53 Blue Hill avenue, Milton, Christine Finn, 23 Commonwealth avenue, 2 days; Ruth K. Frank, 3 Allston street, 1 day; Lucille Fuega, 14 Kilsyth road, Medfield, Dolores Flanagan, 4 Buick street, Watertown, 4 days; Wanda Geragosian, 10 Independence avenue, Lexington, 7 days; Jeanne Gerety, 13 Autumn street, Everett, 2 days; Ethel Goff, 40 Rockwell street, Dorchester, 1 day; Ethel Glennon, 57 Hollis avenue, Quincy, 4 days; Virginia Hamilton, 827 River street, Mattapan, 3 days; Mary B. Healy, 163 East Cottage street, Dorchester, 8 days; Doris Holland, 24 Chestnut road, West Roxbury, 1 day; Joan Keane, 1086 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, Charlotte Kelleher, 48 Waverly street, Roxbury, 2 days; Anne Lynskey, 52 Telsa street, Medford, 4 days; Loretta Lynch, 270 Huntington avenue, 2 days; Claire McCue, 74 Robinwood road, Dedham, 3 days; Veronica McElligott, 34 Dickinson street, Somerville, 6 days; Catherine McGuinness, 14 Alsen road, Dorchester, Marguerite Mackesey, 79 First street, Medford, 1 day; Mary R. Mahan, 29 Kempton street, 7 days; Carmella Messina, 102 Highland road, Somerville, 1 day; Anna Murphy, 115 Peterborough street, 2 days; Claire Murphy, 32 Worcester square, 1 day; Mary Murphy, 37 Hamden Circle, Wollaston, 7 days; Audrey Mailhot, 30 Walton street, Dorchester, 2 days; Helen Nauss, 46 West Newton street, 7 days; Estelle Paris, 167 Fayerweather street, Cambridge, 1 day; Angelina Peyton, 16 Dane street, Jamaica Plain, Alice N. Powers, 67 Prospect avenue, Wollaston, 2 days; Mary Pursley, 38 Van Brunt street, Hyde Park, 6 days; Verna Snow, 75 Damon avenue, Melrose, 3 days; Helen Spillane, 499 Park street, Stoughton, 2 days; Anna Stankard, 79 Edwin road, Waltham, 6 days; Isabel Sutton, 121 Boston street, Dorchester, 5 days; Doris Stoddard, 50 Aldie street, Allston, 2 days; Josephine Trippe, 80 Orleans street, East Boston, 6 days; Ila Ward, 79 Warren street, Roxbury, 2 days; Kathryn Welch, 49 East Springfield street, 8 days.

Sanatorium Division.

The following resignations have been approved:

Hazel McSweeney, intermittent relief telephone operator; John Kirby, patient male nurse, part time; Louis Emanuel, Jr., hospital medical worker, provisional; Pearl Meininger, hospital medical worker.

South Division.

The service of the following employee has been terminated:

Permanent.—Therese C. Jones, Ridge street, Millis, floor nurse, $73 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following appointments:

Assessing Department.

Jeannette Bonnevie, 785 Columbia road, Dorchester, statistical machine operator, $45.50 a week.

Sarah Yalenczian, 46 Holborn street, Roxbury, statistical machine operator, $45.50 a week.

David Whitley, 120 George street, Roxbury, senior engineering aid (draftsman), $60.50 a week.

Hospital Department.

Long Island Division.

Joseph M. O'Hara, 58 Templeton street, Dorchester, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

William C. West, 129 Winthrop avenue, Wollaston, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Ruby Stewart, 8 Carlisle street, Dorchester, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following reinstatements:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Printing Section.

Joseph L. Lang, 395 West Fourth street, South Boston, clerk-messenger, $43 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Health Division.

John P. Treanor, Jr., 42 Eliot street, Jamaica Plain, public health physician, part time, $65 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

John A. Innello, 23 Galena street, Roxbury, first-class steam fireman, $65.50 a week.

Michael Mastromarino, 879A Saratoga street, East Boston, hospital house worker, $48 a week.

Edward N. Shaheen, 198 Durnell avenue, Roslindale, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

Daniel F. Sheehan, 116 Beaumont street, Dorchester, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

Paul Downey, 149 L street, South Boston, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

Anthony J. Dzengelewski, 33 Washburn street, Dorchester, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

Mary E. Higgins, 44 Faunce road, Mattapan, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

Jane T. Foley, 86 Standard street, Mattapan, laboratory assistant, $53 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

Paul Robinson, 40 Charles street, Dorchester, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

Daniel Shea, 414 West Second street, South Boston, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

Joseph Coleman, 601 Parker street, Roxbury, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Sanitary Division.

David P. Harrington, 23 O'Connell road, Dorchester, clerk and typist, $50.50 a week.

Water Division.

James F. Sawaya, 16 Union Park street, laborer, $50.50 a week.

Emilio T. Puopolo, 99 East Canton street, laborer, $50.50 a week.

Otto J. Rieger, 100 Central avenue, Hyde Park, laborer, $50.50 a week.

James J. Smith, 121 Bunker Hill street, Charlestown, laborer, $50.50 a week.

William A. Quigg, 607 East Third street, South Boston, laborer, $50.50 a week.

Gaetano Giardina, 102 Everett street, East Boston, laborer, $50.50 a week.

Alfred J. McInnis, 305 Silver street, South Boston, laborer, $50.50 a week.

Louis F. Panzieri, 9 Lexington avenue, Hyde Park, laborer, $50.50 a week.

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING APRIL 5.

GAS FITTER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
N. Clark	10 Addington road	20	Connecting range	$35
T. O'Brien	17 Batchelder street	8	Connecting range	35
J. Monahan	38 Blenford road	21	Connecting heater	100
J. Monahan	32A Chester street	21	Connecting range	35
M. Wallen	50 Child street	18	Connecting heater	10
J. Mohanan	200 Chiswick road	21	Connecting range	35
M. Loiterstein	1334 Commonwealth avenue	21	Connecting range	40
M. Loiterstein	1340 Commonwealth avenue	21	Connecting range	45
M. Loiterstein	1758 Commonwealth avenue	21	Connecting range	30
G. Speers	1576 Commonwealth avenue	21	Connecting range	35
D. Gould	275 Dudley street	8	Connecting range	35
P. Kennedy	28 Emerald street	3	Connecting range	40
J. Monahan	28 Etna street	22	Connecting heater	50
J. Monahan	139 Everett street	22	Connecting range	55
J. Monahan	427 Faneuil street	22	Connecting heater	100
C. Lang	34 Forest street	18	Connecting range	45
C. Lee	104 George street	8	Connecting range	35
William Hogan	702 Huntington avenue	10	Connecting range	100
John J. Vogel	59 Keystone street	20	Connecting heater	100
William Awad	74 Leicester street	21	Connecting heater	30
J. Monahan	266 Market street	22	Connecting range	25
J. Monahan	405 Market street	22	Connecting range	35
P. Kennedy	168 Marlborough street	4	Connecting heater	50
N. Clark	504 Massachusetts avenue	9	Connecting range	40
John J. Vogel	15 Maynard street	18	Connecting heater	100
E. Clayton	176 Mt. Hope street	18	Connecting range	135
S. Slavine	67 Mt. Vernon street	5	Connecting range	45
William Awad	27 N. Crescent Circuit	22	Connecting range	45
C. Lee	220 Northampton street	9	Connecting range	10
J. Monahan	16 Nottinghill road	21	Connecting range	35
J. Ricciardello	118 Orleans street	1	Connecting range	35
P. Kennedy	22 Oxford street	3	Connecting range	30
William Hogan	743 Parker street	10	Connecting range	150
N. Clark	53 Paul Gore street	19	Connecting range	400
P. Kennedy	96 Prince street	3	Connecting range	10
P. Kennedy	48 St Germain street	4	Connecting range	35
A. Hird	10 Shafter street	14	Connecting range	550
William Broderick	24 Sherwood street	19	Connecting range	45
A. Figler	124 Stanwood street	12	Connecting range	30
M. Loiterstein	321 Summit avenue	21	Connecting range	35
C. Lee	6 Sunnyside street	18	Connecting range	10
P. Kennedy	103 Union Park street	8	Connecting range	30
William Awad	15 Vineland street	21	Connecting range	35
C. Lee	26 Wabon street	12	Connecting heater	35
M. Loiterstein	96 Washington street	21	Connecting range	30
P. Kennedy	62 West Newton street	9	Connecting heater	40
William Awad	31 Willoughby street	21	Connecting range	50
William Awad	64 Woodstock avenue	21	Connecting range	35
D. O'Neill	43 Ardale street	20	Connecting heater	35
J. Flynn	49 Armandine street	17	Connecting range	10
D. O'Neill	21 Ashfield street	20	Connecting range	500
F. Kozell	70 Beach street	3	Connecting range	50
J. Flynn	241 Bowdoin street	15	Connecting range	10
J. Flynn	47 Colorado street	18	Connecting range	15
J. Flynn	50 Corona street	15	Connecting heater	65
D. Spiers	69 Erie street	14	Connecting heater	450
J. Flynn	27 Fernboro street	14	Connecting range	40
N. Clark	153 Gladstone street	1	Connecting range	50
J. Flynn	44 Glendale street	15	Connecting range	30
C. Bevelander	24 Hancock street	3	Connecting range	30
N. Clark	911 Hyde Park avenue	18	Connecting range	400
D. O'Neill	33 Iroquois street	10	Connecting range	60
T. Matthews	33 Kingman road	15	Connecting range	40
N. Clark	34 Leyland street	8	Connecting range	400
J. Flynn	62 Mascot street	14	Connecting range	30
D. O'Neill	39 Maywood street	12	Connecting range	35
E. Secatore	11 Meridian street	1	Connecting range	40
J. Freedman	6 Myrtle place	12	Connecting range	35
L. Jacobs, Jr.	147 Norwell street	14	Connecting heater	35
J. Flynn	117 Park street	16	Connecting range	25
J. Flynn	558 Park street	17	Connecting range	40
N. Clark	949 River street	18	Connecting range	400
J. Flynn	130 Standard street	18	Connecting range	15
S. Kramer	14 Stanwood street	12	Connecting range	10
J. Flynn	87 Thetford avenue	17	Connecting range	25
D. O'Neill	16 Wigglesworth street	10	Connecting range	10
P. Portnoy	96 A street	6	Connecting range	50
E. Mogel	145 Arlington street	5	Connecting range	15
E. Mogel	172 Beacon street	5	Connecting range	15
S. Fox	1162 Blue Hill avenue	14	Connecting range	15
E. Mogel	18 Braddock park	4	Connecting heater	30
G. Trethewey	8 Brookfield street	20	Connecting range	135
P. Portnoy	55 Brooks street	21	Connecting range	50
S. Chipman	757 Columbia road	7	Connecting range	250
D. Palmariello	53 Cooper street	3	Connecting range	25
D. Palmariello	53 Cooper steet	3	Connecting range	35
C. Lee	23 Cumberland street	4	Connecting range	25
C. Lee	103 Devon street	12	Connecting range	10
R. Simon	124 Dorchester avenue	7	Connecting heater	40
D. Rull	821 East Second street	6	Connecting range	50
J. Sullivan	9 F street	6	Connecting range	250
F. Deltufo	171 Grove street	20	Connecting range	55
A. Figler	259 Hanover street	3	Connecting range	50
L. Rubin	14 Harvard street	14	Connecting heater	35
P. Kenedey	2 Johns court	9	Connecting range	35
C. Lee	35 Moreland street	12	Connecting range	50
C. Lee	35 Moreland street	12	Connecting range	60
A. Granara	10 North Market street	3	Connecting range	15
R. Simon	56 O street	6	Connecting range	65
S. Sawtelle	50 P street	7	Connecting range	50
S. Chipman	34 Sagamore street	13	Connecting range	25
N. Clark	19 Vesta road	14	Connecting range	300
G. Trethewey	4040 Washington street	19	Connecting heater	500

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING APRIL 5.—Concluded.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
J. H. Vogel	110 West Canton street	9	Connecting range	$40
E. Mogel	161 West Newton street	4	Connecting range	10
C. Lee	192 West Sixth street	6	Connecting range	25
I. Shannahofsky	69 Ballou avenue	14	Connecting range	35
H. Sellon	107 Bartlett street	2	Connecting range	35
J. Meehan	1518 Blue Hill avenue	18	Connecting heater	50
J. McGee	120 Boylston street	5	Connecting range	60
H. Sellon	30 Concord street	2	Connecting range	65
E. Hart	126 Dartmouth street	4	Connecting range	40
J. Corcoran	48 Dracut street	16	Connecting range	15
B. Weiner	63 Fayston street	12	Connecting heater	150
D. Spiers	80 Glendale street	15	Connecting range	15
D. Spiers	10 Howe street	15	Connecting heater	50
J. McGee	133 Norfolk avenue	8	Connecting range	40
N. Clark	14 North avenue	8	Connecting range	400
L. Rubinovitch	341 North street	3	Connecting range	40
S. Leggett	275 Norwell street	17	Connecting heater	35
M. Vitale	11 Perthshire road	21	Connecting range	50
N. Clark	1392 River street	18	Connecting range	400
W. Chase	768 Tremont street	9	Connecting range	40
S. Franco	1762 Washington street	8	Connecting range	150
J. McGee	2 Zeigler place	8	Connecting range	35
D. O'Neill	65 Ardale street	20	Connecting range	20
M. Alexander	118 Brookside avenue	11	Connecting range	155
T. Matthews	4 Butler street	17	Connecting range	40
D. O'Neill	98 Calumet street	10	Connecting range	125
D. O'Neill	334 Centre street	10	Connecting range	35
F. Avery	81 Child street	11	Connecting range	25
B. Gellis	Dartmouth street	4	Connecting range	175

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following changes in status:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Ersilia Manning, 739 Bennington street, East Boston, from senior statistical machine operator, permanent, at $65.50 a week to principal statistical machine operator, temporary, at $70.50 a week.

William J. Lynch, 2 Ashmont park, Dorchester, from principal clerk at $76.50 a week to tax title supervisor at $98.75 a week.

AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

Frank C. Fitzgerald, 126 Blue Hill avenue, Roxbury, from clerk at $48 a week to senior account clerk, temporary, at $55.50 a week.

Charles V. O'Brien, 337 Bunker Hill street, Charlestown, from assistant principal accountant at $108.25 a week to head administrative clerk, temporary, at $113 a week.

Frederick J. Arata, 31 Standard street, Mattapan, from clerk at $50.50 a week to senior account clerk, temporary, at $55.50 a week.

James E. McManus, 1289 Massachusetts avenue, Dorchester, from principal clerk at $65.50 a week to principal account examiner, temporary, at $73 a week.

Paul H. Keating, 95 Webster street, Arlington, from senior accountant at $103.50 a week to assistant principal accountant, temporary, at $108.25 a week.

Dominic Tonucci, 52 Langdon street, Roxbury, from principal clerk at $76.50 a week to principal account examiner, temporary, at $80 a week.

Joseph A. Re, 582 South street, Roslindale, from senior account clerk at $63 a week to principal clerk, temporary, at $65.50 a week.

Warren M. Firestein, 47 Waverly street, Roxbury, from principal clerk at $70.50 a week to principal account examiner, temporary, at $76.50 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Katherine Gibney, 89 Union Park street, from laboratory assistant at $58 a week to laboratory technician (temporary, six months) at $63 a week.

Joseph A. Moran, 97 Horadan Way, Roxbury, from carpenter foreman (temporary) at $73 a week to carpenter at $70.50 a week.

Ralph Quigley, 49 Burton street, Brighton, from plant superintendent (temporary) at $136.75 a week to carpenter foreman at $83.50 a week.

Agnes M. Collins, 43 Bataan court, Roxbury, from hospital house worker at $50.50 a week to senior hospital house worker at $53 a week.

Helen G. Downey, 60 G street, South Boston, from hospital house worker at $50.50 a week to senior hospital house worker at $53 a week.

Edward E. LeBlanc, 486 Massachusetts avenue, from hospital medical worker at $50.50 a week to elevator operator at $50.50 a week.

Nicholas Ananaides, 698 Massachusetts avenue, from machinist, temporary, at $60.50 a week to machinist, permanent, at $60.50 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Survey Division.

Thomas F. McCusker, 1454 Centre street, Roslindale, from assistant executive secretary at $114.28 a week to executive secretary, temporary, at $117.75 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Samuel Brown, 10 Gaston street, Roxbury, from principal social work supervisor at $94 a week to head social work supervisor, temporary, at $98.75 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following promotions:

BOSTON RETIREMENT BOARD.

Anna J. Casey, 58 Chestnut street, Charlestown, from principal clerk and stenographer at $80 a week to head clerk at $87 a week.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Mary E. Fleming, 53 Fairbanks street, Brighton, from senior cashier at $87 a week to head administrative clerk, temporary, at $103.50 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Registry Division.

Mary F. MacPherson, 22 Chase street, Dorchester, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior clerk and typist, temporary, at $55.50 a week.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

House of Correction.

Thomas Nee, 72 Dresser street, South Boston, from correction officer at $70.50 a week to correction officer and cook, temporary, at $73 a week.

Mario J. Pagurri, 220 Waldemar avenue, East Boston, from correction officer at $70.50 a week to correction officer and carpenter at $73 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following transfers:

AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

William J. Harkins, 188 Bayswater street, East Boston, from Building Department as senior clerk and stenographer at $67.12 a week to Auditing Department as senior clerk and stenographer at $67.12 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Ralph A. Plunkett, 15 Alicia road, Dorchester, from Hospital Department (Long Island Division) as plant superintendent at $136.75 a week to Hospital Department as plant superintendent (temporary) at $170 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Louis J. O'Brien, 44 Juliette street, Dorchester, from Parks and Recreation Department (Cemetery Division) as grave digger at $60.50 a week to Public Works Department (Sanitary Division) as laborer at $58 a week.

Highway Division.

George W. Ryan, 103 Brook avenue, Dorchester, from Parks and Recreation Department as zoo attendant at $53 a week to Public Works Department (Highway Division) as laborer at $53 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following leaves of absence:

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Bernice K. Lichtenstein, 68 Johnston road, Dorchester, public health nurse, $68 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Ellen Farrell, 39 Sharon street, hospital house worker, $50.50 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

Sophoclis Legelis, 46 Sawyer avenue, Dorchester, senior hospital kitchen worker, $53 a week.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

House of Correction.

Arthur M. Cardarelli, 4 K Street place, South Boston, correction officer, $70.50 a week.

STEP-RATE INCREASES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved step-rate increases for employees of the following departments:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Printing Section.

Martha V. Ryan, buyer, from $87.44 to $90.50 a week.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

Frank Huddleston, traffic signal inspector, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Ralph Kouroyen, account research analyst, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

William Flanagan, senior traffic engineer, from $123.88 to $127.25 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Long Island Division.

Joseph W. Scally, social worker supervisor (temporary transfer to principal social worker supervisor), from $90.50 to $94 a week.

Stephen Biondo, shoe repairer, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

John F. Coghlan, hospital kitchen worker, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Mary A. Collins, hospital house worker, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Mary J. Halpin, attendant nurse, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Festus E. Heanue, attendant nurse, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Edith M. Jenks, licensed practical nurse, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Rita M. Jones, attendant nurse, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Hannah Lynch, senior hospital house worker, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Elizabeth L. Mullin, hospital kitchen worker, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Josephine A. O'Neil, hospital house worker, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Arthur S. Tanner, attendant nurse, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Mary L. Thomas, attendant nurse, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

Mary M. Beatty, M.D., assistant superintendent, from $750.32 to $765.60 a month.

Carolyn Booth, clerk and typist, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Gertrude Daly, head administrative clerk, from $108.53 to $117.75 a week.

Michael Donovan, assistant plant superintendent, from $121.96 to $127.25 a week.

Patrick Guarino, watchman, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Alice Callahan, superintendent of nurses, from $124.08 to $127.25 a week.

Mazie MacIntyre, head nurse, from $83.50 to $87 a week.

Mary Spinale, night supervisor of nurses, from $94 to $98.75 a week.

Mary Lybarger, licensed attendant nurse, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Manuel Andrews, hospital medical worker, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Thomas Berry, hospital medical worker, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Frank Kilfoy, hospital medical worker, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Edward Mullen, hospital medical worker, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Martin Concannon, hospital kitchen worker, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

William Bell, hospital house worker, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Helen Furlong, hospital house worker, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Helen Croteau, hospital laundry worker, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Tunnel Service.

Frederick O'Connor, permanent intermittent tollman-guard, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Stanley L. McQuiggan, permanent intermittent tollman-guard, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

John Goff, head clerk, from $93.19 to $94 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Temporary Home.

Josephine Dunlap, matron, from $48 to $55.50 a week.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

SUPERIOR CRIMINAL COURT.

Alice K. O'Handly, principal clerk, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

MUNICIPAL COURT, DORCHESTER DISTRICT.

Matthew T. Connolly, chief probation officer, from $328.43 to $338.76 a month.

MUNICIPAL COURT, ROXBURY DISTRICT.

Henry F. Ryder, from $294.33 to $297.43 semimonthly.

Kenneth E. Light, from $244.33 to $245.78 semimonthly.

John A. D'Arcy, from $227.61 to $235.44 semimonthly.

John F. Sullivan, from $126.15 to $131.59 semimonthly.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following requests:

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

Leonard Van Gemert, traffic signal repair foreman, 24 hours.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

John G. O'Donnell, heating and ventilating inspector, 11 hours at $3 an hour.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Edith J. Finkle, head clerk and secretary, Fire Prevention Division, 7 hours.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Walter Shaughnessy, park maintenance foreman, 24 hours at $3 an hour.

John J. Keane, greenhouse foreman, 24 hours at $3 an hour.

Joseph M. Walsh, superintendent of automotive maintenance, 24 hours at $3 an hour.

John Freitas, park maintenance foreman, 8 hours at $3 an hour.

William E. Collins, general foreman, 18 hours at $3 an hour.

Arthur A. English, superintendent of park maintenance, 24 hours at $3 an hour.

John J. Hammond, general foreman, 8 hours at $3 an hour.

Neil P. Canney, park maintenance foreman, 16 hours at $3 an hour.

Harry L. McGuire, tree maintenance foreman, 40 hours at $2 an hour.

John W. Hardiman, superintendent of recreation equipment, 8 hours at $2.087 an hour.

Cemetery Division.

Edwin W. Banks, cemetery foreman, Evergreen Cemetery, 16 hours at $2 an hour.

VETERANS' RETIREMENTS.

The Mayor has approved the following veterans' applications for retirement:

Patrick J. Joyce, 12 Oakland street, Roxbury, paver, Highway Division, Public Works Department.

Jeremiah C. Bresnahan, 42 East Springfield street, laborer, Sanitary Division, Public Works Department.

Michael P. Scanlon, 283 Market street, Brighton, paver, Highway Division, Public Works Department.

Thomas H. Cooper, 19 Thomas park, South Boston, elevator operator, Property Clerk's office, Police Department.

William F. Connolly, 158 Dorchester street, South Boston, janitor, Division 18, Police Department.

John E. Fuller, 337 Park avenue, Arlington, master, Brighton High School.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of street reconstruction, estimated to be thirty (30) days, the following temporary traffic rules are effective beginning March 28, 1955:

Vehicles are excluded from the following streets:

Oak Street, Boston Proper.
From Harrison avenue to Tyler street.

Tyler Street, Boston Proper.
From Oak street to Harvard street.

Parking of vehicles is prohibited in the following street:

Harrison Avenue, Boston Proper.
Both sides, from Harvard street to Oak street.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway reconstruction, estimated to be thirty (30) days, the following temporary traffic rules are effective beginning March 30, 1955:

Vehicles are excluded from the following street:

Mt. Vernon Street, Boston Proper.
From West Cedar street to Charles street.

Parking of vehicles is prohibited in the following streets:

Chestnut Street, Boston Proper.
Both sides, from West Cedar street to Charles street..

West Cedar Street, Boston Proper.
Both sides, from Mt. Vernon street to Chestnut street.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of street construction, estimated to be thirty (30) days, vehicles are excluded from the following street, effective March 28, 1955:

Pickering Avenue, West Roxbury.
From Walnut avenue to dead end.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of installation of steam line in connection with the construction of the John F. Fitzgerald Expressway, estimated to be ten (10) days, the one-way rule in the following street is suspended and it is a two-way street, effective March 29, 1955:

Milk Street, Boston Proper.
From Atlantic avenue to India street.

TUNNEL TRAFFIC IN MAY.

In the month of May, 1954, 1,031,226 vehicles used the Sumner Tunnel. This is the first time in the history of the tunnel that in excess of 1,000,000 vehicles used the facility in any one month.

In May of 1953, 979,920 vehicles went through the tunnel, or 51,306 less than May of this year.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award the contracts for work, materials, and supplies, in accordance with recommendations of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Purchasing Division.

Upon March 21 the Mayor approved a contract with lowest bidders for furnishing bituminous patching mix to the Paving Division of the Public Works Department, from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, inclusive. Approximate total amounts of contracts were as follows:

Trimount Bituminous Products Company, $45,630; Hot Top Pavements, Inc., $29,700; John McCourt Company, $14,635; National Contractors Company, Inc., $14,593; Essex Sand & Gravel Company, $8,850; Vulcan Construction Company, $4,947.50.

Discount for all companies is 2 per cent, time of payment.

Price differentials for Saturdays, Sundays, nights, and holidays will apply where indicated.

Bids, opened February 25, were as follows:

Cold Bituminous Patching Mixture.

Area No. 1.

Approximately 1,500 Tons, Per Ton.—Essex Sand & Gravel Company, $5.90*; Hot Top Pavements, Inc., $7.65; National Contractors Company, Inc., $6.35; Trimount Bituminous Products Company, $5.98.

Area No. 2.

Approximately 4,000 Tons, Per Ton.—Essex Sand & Gravel Company, $6.25; Hot Top Pavements, Inc., $7.25; National Contractors Company, Inc., $6.60; Trimount Bituminous Products Company, $6.10.*

Area No. 3.

Approximately 2,500 Tons, Per Ton.—Essex Sand & Gravel Company, $6.25; Hot Top Pavements, Inc., $7; National Contractors Company, Inc., $6.75; Trimount Bituminous Products Company, $6.10.*

Area No. 4.

Approximately 1,000 Tons, Per Ton.—Essex Sand & Gravel Company, $6.20; Hot Top Pavements, Inc., $7.20; National Contractors Company, Inc., $6.65; Trimount Bituminous Products Company, $5.98*; Vulcan Construction Company, $6.75.

Location of Plant.—Hot Top Pavements, Inc., 1586 Hyde Park avenue; National Contractors Company, Inc., Somerville; Trimount Bituminous Products Company, Malden; Vulcan Construction Company, Coolidge avenue and Arsenal street, Watertown; John McCourt Company, Lechmere square, Cambridge.

Hot Bituminous Patching Mixture.

Area No. 1.

Approximately 2,000 Tons Mix.—Hot Top Pavements, Inc., $7.60 per ton, delivered, $5.75 per ton, at plant; John McCourt Company, $6.90 per ton, delivered,* $5.75 per ton, at plant;* National Contractors Company, Inc., $7 per ton, delivered, $5.75 per ton, at plant; Vulcan Construction Company, $7.10 per ton, delivered, $5.75 per ton, at plant.

Approximately 100 Tons Sheet Asphalt.—Hot Top Pavements, Inc., $8.75 per ton, delivered, $6.75 per ton, at plant; John McCourt Company, $7.90 per ton, delivered,* $6.75 per ton, at plant*; National Contractors Company, Inc., $8 per ton, delivered, $6.75 per ton, at plant; Vulcan Construction Company, $8.10 per ton, delivered, $6.75 per ton, at plant.

Approximately 100 Gallons Asphalt (for Tack Coating), Per Gallon, at Plant.—Hot Top Pavements, Inc., 50 cents; John McCourt Company, 45 cents*; National Contractors Company, Inc., 45 cents; Vulcan Construction Company, 45 cents.

Area No. 2.

Approximately 2,000 Tons Mix.—Hot Top Pavements, Inc., $7.55 per ton, delivered, $5.75 per ton, at plant; John McCourt Company, $7 per ton, delivered, $5.75 per ton, at plant; National Contractors Company, Inc., $6.88 per ton, delivered,* $5.75 per ton, at plant*; Vulcan Construction Company, $7.10 per ton, delivered, $5.75 per ton, at plant.

Approximately 100 Tons Sheet Asphalt.—Hot Top Pavements, Inc., $8.60 per ton, delivered, $6.75 per ton, at plant; John McCourt Company, $8.10 per ton, delivered, $6.75 per ton, at plant; National Contractors Company, Inc., $7.88 per ton, delivered,* $6.75 per ton, at plant*; Vulcan Construction Company, $8.10 per ton, delivered, $6.75 per ton, at plant.

Approximately 100 Gallons Asphalt (for Tack Coating), Per Gallon, at Plant.—Hot Top Pavements, Inc., 50 cents; John McCourt Company, 45 cents; National Contractors Company, Inc., 45 cents*; Vulcan Construction Company, 45 cents.

Price Differential Per Ton for Saturdays, Sundays, Nights and Holidays.—Hot Top Pavements, Inc., $4.50 per ton, delivered, $3.45 per ton, at plant; John McCourt Company, $4 per ton delivered*, $3 per ton, at plant*; National Contractors Company, Inc., $4 per ton, delivered,* $3 per ton, at plant*; Vulcan Construction Company, $4.65 per ton, delivered, $3.30 per ton, at plant.

Location of Plant.—Hot Top Pavements, Inc., 1586 Hyde Park avenue; John McCourt Company, Lechmere square, Cambridge; National Contractors Company, Inc., Somerville; Vulcan Construction Company, Coolidge avenue and Arsenal street, Watertown.

Area No. 3.

Approximately 4,000 Tons Mix.—Hot Top Pavements, Inc., $7 per ton, delivered,* $5.75 per ton, at plant*; John McCourt Company, $7.50 per ton, delivered, $5.75 per ton, at plant; National Contractors Company, Inc., $7.10 per ton, delivered, $5.75 per ton, at plant; Vulcan Construction Company, $7.10 per ton, delivered, $5.75 per ton, at plant.

Approximately 200 Tons Sheet Asphalt.—Hot Top Pavements, Inc., $8 per ton, delivered,* $6.75 per ton, at plant*; John McCourt Company, $8.25 per ton, delivered, $6.75 per ton, at plant; National Contractors Company, Inc., $8.10 per ton delivered, $6.75 per ton, at plant; Vulcan Construction Company, $8.10 per ton, delivered, $6.75 per ton, at plant.

Approximately 200 Gallons Asphalt (for Tack Coating), Per Gallon, at Plant.—Hot Top Pavements, Inc., 50 cents*; John McCourt Company, 45 cents; National Contractors Company, Inc., 45 cents; Vulcan Construction Company, 45 cents.

Area No. 4.

Approximately 500 Tons Mix.—Hot Top Pavements, Inc., $7.40 per ton, delivered, $5.75 per ton, at plant; John McCourt Company, $7.25 per ton, delivered, $5.75 per ton, at plant; National Contractors Company, Inc., $7 per ton, delivered, $5.75 per ton, at plant; Vulcan Construction Company, $6.75 per ton, delivered,* $5.75 per ton, at plant.*

Approximately 200 Tons Sheet Asphalt.—Hot Top Pavements, Inc., $8.55 per ton, delivered, $6.75 per ton, at plant; John McCourt Company, $8.25 per ton, delivered, $6.75 per ton, at plant; National Contractors Company, Inc., $8 per ton, delivered, $6.75 per ton, at plant; Vulcan Construction Company, $7.75 per ton, delivered,* $6.75 per ton, at plant.*

Approximately 50 Gallons Asphalt (for Tack Coating), Per Gallon, at Plant.—Hot Top Pavements, Inc., 50 cents; John McCourt Company, 45 cents; National Contractors Company, Inc., 45 cents; Vulcan Construction Company, 45 cents.*

Discount.—Hot Top Pavements, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; John McCourt Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; National Contractors Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Vulcan Construction Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Essex Sand & Gravel Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Trimount Bituminous Products Company, 2 per cent, time of payment.

* Contract awarded.

Upon March 29 the Mayor approved a contract with Marshall & Co., Inc., for furnishing lamps to the various city departments, from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, inclusive. Approximate total amount of contract was $15,000, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids, opened March 15, were as follows:

Lamps.

Discount from Standard List.

Standard Package Quantity.— Allied Electrical Supply, Inc., 37 per cent; Graybar Electric Company, Inc., 35 per cent; Marshall & Co., Inc., 35 per cent*; Ralph Pill Electric Supply Company, 40 per cent; Republic Electric Supply Company, 35½ per cent; Westinghouse Electric Supply Company, 35 per cent (of $15 or more list).

Broken Package Quantity.—Allied Electrical Supply, Inc., 32 per cent; Graybar Electric Company, Inc., 30 per cent; Marshall & Co., Inc., 30 per cent*; Ralph Pill Electric Supply Company, 40 per cent; Republic Electric Supply Company, 30½ per cent; Westinghouse Electric Supply Company, 30 per cent (of less than $15 list).

Trade Name of Lamp.—Allied Electrical Supply, Inc., Champion; Graybar Electric Company, Inc., General Electric; Marshall & Co., Inc., Westinghouse; Ralph Pill Electric Supply Company, Sylvania; Republic Electric Supply Company, Sylvania; Westinghouse Electric Supply Company, Westinghouse.

Manufacturer.—Allied Electrical Supply, Inc., Champion Lamp Works, Lynn, Mass.; Graybar Electric Company, Inc., General Electric; Marshall & Co., Inc., Westinghouse Electric Corporation; Ralph Pill Electric Supply Company, Sylvania Electric Products, Inc.; Republic Electric Supply Company, Sylvania Electric Products, Inc; Westinghouse Electric Supply Company, Westinghouse Lamp, Division of the Westinghouse Electric Corporation.

Discount.—Allied Electric Supply, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Graybar Electric Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Marshall & Co., Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Ralph Pill Elec-

tric Supply Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Republic Electric Supply Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Westinghouse Electric Supply Company, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Remarks.— Allied Electrical Supply, Inc., if awarded this bid and properly executed excise tax exemption certificate is furnished we will allow the tax charge of 4.7 per cent of the list price as shown herein, of the lamps delivered under this bid and covered by such certificate; Graybar Electric Company, Inc., *see* letter; Marshall & Co., Inc., *see* letter; Republic Electric Supply Company, Sylvania large lamps comply with the requirements of federal specifications, with current annual supplements; Westinghouse Electric Supply Company, *see* letter.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon March 29 the Mayor approved contracts with lowest bidders for furnishing tea and coffee to the various city departments from April 1, 1955, to June 30, 1955, inclusive. Approximate total amounts of contracts will be as follows:

Dwinell-Wright Company, $16,650, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; J. L. McCormick, doing business as J. L. McCormick & Co., $2,445, net, ten days.

Bids, opened March 11, were as follows:

Item 1. 1,000 Pounds Black Ceylon or India Tea, or Blend as Specified, 100-Pound Chests, Per Pound.—Martin L. Hall Company, 89.7 cents; J. L. McCormick & Co., 83.5 cents.*

Item 2. 200 Pounds Black Ceylon or India Tea, or Blend as Specified, 1-Pound Packages, Per Pound.—Martin L. Hall Company, 92.3 cents; J. L. McCormick & Co., 85.5 cents.*

Item 3. 160 Cases Tea Bags, with Tags, Blend of Ceylon or India Tea, Full Medium Grade Cup Quality, Packed 10/100's, Full 6 Pounds Per Case, Per Case.— Martin L. Hall Company, $7.97; J. L. McCormick & Co., $7.15*; Tetley Tea Company, Inc., $8.70.

Item 4. 100 Cases Tea Bags, Stringless, Blend of Ceylon or India Tea, Full Medium Grade Cup Quality, Per Case.—Martin L. Hall Company, $6.19, packed 100 1-ounce to case; J. L. McCormick & Co., $2.95,* packed 50/1-ounce to case; Tetley Tea Company, Inc., $7.10 per case, bidding on 52 cases, 96/1-ounce to case.

Item 5. 30,000 Packages Ground Coffee, 12-Ounce Packages, in Accordance with Specifications Listed in Proposal, Per Package.—Dwinell-Wright Company, 55.5 cents*; Edmands Coffee Company, 58.5 cents; Martin L. Hall Company, 58.9 cents.

Discount.—Dwinell-Wright Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Edmands Coffee Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Martin L. Hall Company, net, 15 days; J. L. McCormick & Co., net, 10 days; Tetley Tea Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon March 29 the Mayor approved a contract with E. F. Mahady Company for furnishing one wall table and sink assembly to the Boston City Hospital, to be delivered as requested. Approximate total amount of contract was $1,230, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids, opened March 23, were as follows:

Wall Table and Sink Assembly.

Total Cost.— Laboratory Furniture Company, Inc., $1,753; E. F. Mahady Company, $1,230.*

Earliest Delivery after Receipt of Order.— Laboratory Furniture Company, Inc., 60 days; E. F. Mahady Company, three to four weeks.

Discount.—E. F. Mahady Company, 2 per cent, time of payment.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon March 29 the Mayor approved a contract with Atlas Powder Company, for furnishing asbestos pads and covers to the various city departments, immediately upon request. Approximate total amount of contract was $1,590, net, 30 days.

Bids, opened March 10, were as follows:

Asbestos Pads and Covers.

Item 1. Requisition No. 84, for Delivery at Sanatorium, 249 River Street, Mattapan, 1 Set Asbestos Pads and Covers for a 6-Roll, 120-Inch Troy Ironer, Standard Roll, Per Set.—Atlas Powder Company, $318* (*see* letter with proposal); Carman-Mitchell-Wing Company, $370.80.

Item 2. Requisition No. 5872, for Delivery at Main Laundry, Boston City Hospital, 751 Albany Street, Boston, 3 Sets Asbestos Pads and Covers for an 8-Roll American "Streamline" 120-Inch Ironer, Per Set.—Atlas Powder Company, $424* (*see* letter with proposal); Carman-Mitchell-Wing Company, $494.40.

Discount.—Atlas Powder Company, net, 30 days; Carman-Mitchell-Wing Company, net.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon March 29 the Mayor approved a contract with lowest bidders as indicated for furnishing milk and cream to the various city departments from April 1, 1155, to September 30, 1955, inclusive. Approximate total amounts of contracts will be as follows:

Whiting Milk Company, Boston City Hospital, $76,816.33, Sanatorium Division, $32,413.30—$109,229.63, net; charge for containers, $3 each can, returnable.

Martin S. Cosgrove & Sons, Inc., Long Island Hospital Division, $24,109.50, net; charge for containers, 5 cents each bottle, returnable; $3 each can, returnable. Herlihy Brothers, Inc., Franklin Park Zoo, $824.16, Charles Street Jail, $455.60 — $1,279.76, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; charge for containers, 5 cents each bottle, returnable; $3 each can, returnable.

Bids, opened March 8, were as follows:

Boston City Hospital.

42,500 Cans Homogenized Milk, 8-Quart Cans, Per Can.—Martin S. Cosgrove & Sons, Inc., $1.24; Herlihy Brothers, Inc., $1.26; United Farmers of New England, Inc., $1.60; Whiting Milk Company, $1.29.*

280,000 Cartons Homogenized Milk, 8-Ounce Cartons, Per Carton.—Martin S. Cosgrove & Sons, Inc., 6 cents; Herlihy Bros., Inc., 5.94 cents; United Farmers of New England, Inc., 6 cents; Whiting Milk Company, 4.98 cents.*

7,000 Quarts Grade A Milk, Glass, Per Quart.—Martin S. Cosgrove & Sons, Inc., 17 cents; Herlihy Bros., Inc., 17.9 cents; United Farmers of New England, Inc., 25 cents; Whiting Milk Company, 15.8 cents.*

2,300 Cans Light Cream, 8-Quart Cans, Per Can.—Martin S. Cosgrove & Sons, Inc., $3.20; Herlihy Bros., Inc., $3.30; United Farmers of New England, Inc., $4.50; Whiting Milk Company, $2.95.*

370 Quarts Light Cream, Glass, Per Quart.—Martin S. Cosgrove & Sons, Inc., 46 cents; Herlihy Bros., Inc., 45 cents; United Farmers of New England, Inc., 65 cents; Whiting Milk Company, 36 cents.*

125 Pints Light Cream, Glass, Per Pint.—Martin S. Cosgrove & Sons, Inc., 24.5 cents; Herlihy Bros., Inc., 24 cents; United Farmers of New England, Inc., 33 cents; Whiting Milk Company, 18.5 cents.*

Long Island Hospital.

18,000 Cans Homogenized Milk, 8-Quart Cans, Per Can.—Martin S. Cosgrove & Sons, Inc., $1.16*; Herlihy Bros., Inc., $1.29; United Farmers of New England, Inc., $1.60; Whiting Milk Company, $1.267.

400 Quarts Grade A Milk, Paper, Per Quart.—Martin S. Cosgrove & Sons, Inc., 18 cents*; Herlihy Bros., Inc., 19.9 cents; United Farmers of New England, Inc., 25 cents; Whiting Milk Company, 15.6 cents.

700 Cans Light Cream, 8-Quart Cans, Per Can.—Martin S. Cosgrove & Sons, Inc., $3.20*; Herlihy Bros., Inc., $3.35; United Farmers of New England, Inc., $4.50; Whiting Milk Company, $2.92.

3,000 Pints Light Cream, Paper, Per Pint.—Martin S. Cosgrove & Sons, Inc., 27 cents*; Herlihy Bros., Inc., 26.5 cents; United Farmers of New England, Inc., 33 cents; Whiting Milk Company, 19 cents.

250 Pints Heavy Cream, Paper, Per Pint.—Martin S. Cosgrove & Sons, Inc., 43 cents*; Herlihy Bros., Inc., 44 cents; United Farmers of New England, Inc., 50 cents; Whiting Milk Company, 33 cents.

Mattapan Sanatorium.

18,300 Cans Homogenized Milk, 8-Quart Cans, Per Can.—Martin S. Cosgrove & Sons, Inc., $1.20; Herlihy Brothers, Inc. $1.26; United Farmers of New England, Inc., $1.60; Whiting Milk Company, $1.255.*

700 Quarts Homogenized Milk, Glass, Per Quart.—Martin S. Cosgrove & Sons, Inc., 15.5 cents; Herlihy Brothers, Inc. 16.5 cents; United Farmers of New England, Inc., 21 cents; Whiting Milk Company, 15 cents.*

14,000 Cartons Homogenized Milk, 8-Ounce Cartons, Per Carton.—Martin S. Cosgrove & Sons, Inc., 6 cents; Herlihy Brothers, Inc., 5.94 cents; United Farmers of New England, Inc., 6 cents; Whiting Milk Company, 4.87 cents.*

2,800 Cans Light Cream, 8-Quart Cans, Per Can.—Martin S. Cosgrove & Sons, Inc., $3.20; Herlihy Brothers, Inc., $3.30; United Farmers of New England, Inc., $4.50; Whiting Milk Company, $2.91.*

700 Pints Light Cream, Glass, Per Pint. —Martin S. Cosgrove & Sons, Inc., 24.5 cents; Herlihy Brothers, Inc., 24 cents; United Farmers of New England, Inc., 33 cents; Whiting Milk Company, 18.3 cents.

24 Quarts Skim Milk, Glass, Per Quart. —Martin S. Cosgrove & Sons, Inc., 15 cents; Herlihy Brothers, Inc., 16 cents; United Farmers of New England, Inc., 19 cents; Whiting Milk Company, 20 cents.

344 Quarts Heavy Cream, Glass, Per Quart.—Martin S. Cosgrove & Sons, Inc., 70 cents; Herlihy Brothers, Inc., 73 cents; United Farmers of New England, Inc., $1; Whiting Milk Company, 60 cents.

1,100 Jars Heavy Cream, 8-Ounce Glass, Per Jar.—Martin S. Cosgrove & Sons, Inc., 21 cents; Herlihy Brothers, Inc., 21 cents; United Farmers of New England, Inc., 25 cents; Whiting Milk Company, 15.7 cents.

Franklin Park Zoo.

606 Cans Homogenized Milk, 8-Quart Cans, Per Can.—Martin S. Cosgrove & Sons, Inc., $1.45; Herlihy Brothers, Inc., $1.36*; United Farmers of New England, Inc., $1.60; Whiting Milk Company, $1.55.

Suffolk County Jail.

840 Cans Homogenized Milk, 8-Quart Cans, Per Can.—Martin S. Cosgrove & Sons, Inc., $1.55; Herlihy Brothers, Inc., $1.31*; United Farmers of New England, Inc., $1.60; Whiting Milk Company, $1.55.

Discount.—Martin S. Cosgrove & Sons, Inc., no discount; Herlihy Brothers, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; United Farmers of New England, Inc., no discount; Whiting Milk Company, net.

Charge on Containers.

8-Ounce, 1-Pint, and 1-Quart Bottles, Each.—Martin S. Cosgrove & Sons, Inc., 5 cents; Herlihy Brothers, Inc., 5 cents; United Farmers of New England, Inc., 5 cents.

8-Quart Cans, Each.—Martin S. Cosgrove & Sons, Inc., $3; Herlihy Brothers, Inc., $3; United Farmers of New England, Inc., $3.50; Whiting Milk Company, $3.

Approximate Totals.

Martin S. Cosgrove & Sons, Inc., Boston City Hospital, $78,250.83; Long Island Hospital, $24,109.50, net; Sanatorium, $32,515.40; Zoo, $878.70; Jail, $527.

Herlihy Brothers, Inc., Boston City Hospital, $79,221.50; Long Island Hospital, $26,549.60; Sanatorium, $33,899.06; Zoo, $824.16, 2 per cent, time of payment; Jail, $455.60, 2 per cent, time of payment.

United Farmers of New England, Inc., Boston City Hospital, $97,181.75; Long Island Hospital, $33,165; Sanatorium, $43,721.56; Zoo, $969.60; Jail, $544.

Whiting Milk Company, Boston City Hospital, $76,816.33, net; Long Island Hospital, $25,564.90; Sanatorium, $32,413.30, net; Zoo, $939.30; Jail, $527.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon April 1 the Mayor approved a contract with low bidders as indicated for furnishing surgical supplies (needles and syringes) to the various city departments, from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, inclusive. Approximate total amounts of contracts were as follows:

Randall Faichney Corporation, $23,000, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; T. J. Noonan Company, $20,000, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids, opened March 11, were as follows:

Surgical Supplies (Syringes and Needles).

Item 1. Syringes—Prices Will Be Considered on B-D Multifit Interchangeable Syringes Only. Approximately $20,000 at Net Prices Will Be Expended During the Contract Period. All Prices after Discounts from List Will Be Subject to the Discount Clause. Price List Must Be Submitted with Bid.—C. H. Goldthwaite Company, 40 per cent discount; E. F. Mahady Company, 40 per cent discount; T. J. Noonan Company, 40 per cent discount*; Thomas W. Reed Company, 40 per cent discount.

Item 2. Syringes — Prices Will Be Considered on the Following Brands Only: B-D, Yale Brand, MacGregor, Vim Brand, Randall-Faichney, Ranfac Brand. Approximately $10,000 at Net Prices Will Be Expended During the Contract Period. All Prices after Discounts from List Will Be Subject to Discount Clause. Price List Must Be Submitted with Bid.—C. H. Goldthwaite Company, 40 per cent discount; E. F. Mahady Company, 40 per cent discount; T. J. Noonan Company, 40 per cent discount; Randall Faichney Corporation, 50 per cent discount*; Thomas W. Reed Company, 40 per cent discount.

Brand of Syringe.—C. H. Goldthwaite Company, B-D, Vim, or Ranfac; E. F. Mahady Company, B-D or Vim; T. J. Noonan Company, B-D or Vim; Omega Precision Medical Instrument Company, Inc., Omega brand; Randall Faichney Corporation, Ranfac; Thomas W. Reed Company, B-D, Vim, Ranfac.

Item 3. Needles, Hypodermic, Etc.—Prices Will Be Considered on the Following Brands Only: B-D, Yale Brand, MacGregor, Stainless Steel, Vim Brand, Randall-Faichney, Ranfoc, Stainless S-115 Brand. Approximately $13,000 Will Be Expended During the Contract Period. All Prices after Discounts from List Will Be Subject to the Discount Clause. Price List Must Be Submitted with Bid.—C. H. Goldthwaite Company, 40 per cent discount; E. F. Mahady Company, 40 per cent discount; T. J. Noonan Company, 40 per cent discount; Randall Faichney Corporation, 50 per cent discount*; Thomas W. Reed Company, 40 per cent discount.

Brand of Needle.—C. H. Goldthwaite Company, B-D, Vim, Ranfac; E. F. Mahady Company, B-D, Vim; T. J. Noonan Company, B-D, Vim; Randall Faichney Corporation, Ranfac; Thomas W. Reed Company, B-D, Vim, Ranfac.

* Contract awarded.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Upon April 4 the Mayor approved a contract with M. Solimando, for sealing exterior masonry walls at the Chapman School, to minimize their absorption and increase their repellency of water. The following proposals were opened on March 30:

Lump Sum.—M. Solimando, $3,444; Patrick Ross Company, $3,878; New England Waterproofing Company, $4,820; National Waterproofing Company, Inc., $5,490; D. Antonellis, Inc., $7,100; S. & S. Waterproofing Company, Inc., $6,800; Frank DiCinzo & Sons, Inc., $11,998; W. E. Smith Company, Inc., $12,984.

For Extra Work, Per Square Foot.—M. Solimando, 60 cents; Patrick Ross Company, 63 cents; New England Waterproofing Company, 50 cents; National Waterproofing Company, Inc., 50 cents; D. Antonellis, Inc., 75 cents; S. & S. Waterproofing Company, Inc., 75 cents; Frank DiCinzo & Sons, Inc., 80 cents; W. E. Smith Company, Inc., 85 cents.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Upon March 16 the Mayor approved a contract with Federal National Linen Service Company for furnishing laundry and service to the Boston Health Department, Health Division, at various locations. The following bids were opened on March 16:

Federal National Linen Service Company, $135.63; Bell Linen Service, Inc., $167.75.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Upon March 29 the Mayor approved a contract with Colorado Fuel & Iron Corporation for furnishing and erecting backstop and wire fences in playgrounds. Bids, opened March 22, were as follows:

Colorado Fuel & Iron Corporation, $3,081.54; *American Chain Link Fence Company, $3,093.34; P. J. Dinn & Co., $3,293.54; Cyclone Fence Department, $3,357.12; Boston Chain Link Fence Company, $3,505.60; †Anchor Post Fence Division, Anchor Post Products, Inc., $3,873.36.

* This bid was figured on prices submitted to Auditor's office, which were not in agreement with those submitted to Parks and Recreation office.

† Illegal bid—copy not filed at Auditor's office.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Upon March 29 the Mayor approved a contract with J. D'Amico, Inc., for sewerage works in Summer street, Hyde Park, at an estimated cost of $8,532. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed within ninety days after the contract is approved by the Mayor. The following bids were received March 16:

J. D'Amico, Inc., $8,532; Susi & DeSantis Company, Inc., $9,185.50; D. Federico Company, $9,446.50; R. A. Buccella & Sons, Inc., $10,420; Joseph Capone & Son, $10,476; C. Russo, Inc., $10,902; H. D. DiTullio & Sons, Inc., $11,222.20; Roslindale Contracting Company, $12,608.

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Upon April 4 the Mayor approved a contract with Nick Tracy for repairs to the masonry piers and abutments of the Summer Street Bridge, over the Fort Point Channel, at an estimated cost of $4,390. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed within two months from date of order to commence work.

The following bids were opened March 24:

Nick Tracy, $4,390; M. Solimando, $4,470; Albany Contracting Company, $5,971; C. A. Foley, $6,827.

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Upon April 4 the Mayor approved a contract with C. Russo, Inc., for laying water pipes, in Dietz road, Dodge road, Eastmont road, Kristin court, and Leighton road, Ward 18, and such additional locations, if any, in Ward 18 as may be designated by the Commissioner of Public Works, at an estimated cost of $7,201.50. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed July 2, 1955. The following bids were received March 30:

C. Russo, Inc., $7,201.50; Susi & DeSantis Company, Inc., $7,985.50; D. Federico Company, $9,374; R. A. Buccella & Sons, Inc., $10,240; Roslindale Construction Company, Inc., $10,590; Ricci & DeSantis Construction Company, Inc., $10,640; Joseph Capone & Son, $10,820.

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Upon April 4 the Mayor approved a contract with Susi & DeSantis Company, Inc., for laying water pipes in Summer street, Ward 18, Driftwood road, Ward 19; Mossdale road, Ward 19; Hackensack Court, Ward 20; Veterans of Foreign Wars Parkway, Ward 20, and such additional locations, if any, in Wards 18, 19, and 20 as may be designated by the Commissioner of Public Works, at an estimated cost of $8,291.25. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed July 2, 1955. The following bids were received March 30:

Susi & DeSantis Company, Inc., $8,291.25; D. Federico Company, $9,756.25; Ricci & DeSantis Construction Company, Inc., $10,230.50; R. A. Buccella & Sons, Inc., $10,255; Roslindale Construction Company, $10,606.25; Joseph Capone & Son, $11,913.75; J. D'Amico, Inc., $14,152.50.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

Upon varying dates as indicated the Mayor approved contracts with commercial houses, contractors, etc., for furnishing labor, supplies, and materials. Communications with heads of the departments interested were as follows:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.
Purchasing Division.

BOSTON, March 18, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office is in receipt of requisitions from the Boston City Hospital for the immediate delivery of Randall Marcus spinal needles and Randall puncture trays. Prices for this equipment have been received directly from the manufacturer, Randall Faichney Corporation.

Inasmuch as Randall Faichney Corporation is the manufacturer and can make prompt delivery, authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to this company. It is my opinion that, in this way, the best interests of the city will be served.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $2,804.75, less 1 per cent discount for payment within ten days.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, March 24, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The Traffic Commission has submitted an estimate of their requirements for parking meter repair parts and also miscellaneous materials required for the operation of the parking meters which do not fall into the category of repair parts. These estimates are for the period of one year from April 1, 1955.

Authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award contracts, without public advertisement, to the following companies at the amounts as stated:

Mi-Co Meters Eastern Sales Company, 211 State street, Bridgeport, Connecticut, prices are f.o.b. Covington, Kentucky, total amount of contract not to exceed $4,600, net.

M. H. Rhodes, Inc., 30 Bartholomew avenue, Hartford, Connecticut, total amount of contract not to exceed $3,500, net .

Apahouser Corporation of New England, 104 Brookline avenue, Boston, Mass., total amount of contract not to exceed $3,000, net.

Period of all contracts will be from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, inclusive.

Mi-Co Meters Eastern Sales Company is the sole exclusive distributor in New England for the Michaels Art Bronze Company, Inc., who is the manufacturer of some of the materials requested. M. H. Rhodes, Inc., is also a manufacturer. Apahouser Corporation of New England has submitted much lower prices for some materials as compared to those of the manufacturer. In view of these facts, it is my opinion that the best interests of the city will be served by awarding the contracts as requested.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, March 24, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

On March 22, 1955, the attention of the department was called to a serious condition on the premises at 38 Newcomb street, Ward 8. The rear wall of the building is seriously defective and in imminent danger of falling. The entire building which has been vacated will have to be razed.

I have secured your Honor's permission to enter the premises and remove the building. Invitation bids were solicited from eight wrecking contractors who customarily do such work for this department. Three of the wreckers have submitted bids as follows:

City Building Wrecking Company, $1,200; New York Building Wrecking Company, $1,250; American Building Wrecking Company, $1,850.

Accordingly, since the public safety requires immediate action, I ask your Honor's permission to award the contract to the City Building Wrecking Company, the lowest bidder, at $1,200. The condition is so serious that the work must begin at once.

Very truly yours,

CHARLES A. CALLANAN,
Building Commissioner.

CITY PLANNING BOARD.

BOSTON, March 16, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

On Tuesday, March 15, 1955, at a meeting of the City Planning Board the following vote was taken:

"That Leo Schwartz, an attorney, One State street, Boston, be engaged by contract covering the period of nine months from April 1, 1955, to December 31, 1955, at a total cost of one thousand dollars ($1,000) to provide and perform research on legal aspects of the Board's Rezoning Study now being conducted, and that the Chairman be authorized to sign the contract."

Therefore, if this meets with your approval it is respectfully requested that your authorization be given for the awarding of the proposed contract, without public advertising, to Leo Schwartz, attorney, to cover the period from April 1, 1955, to December 31, 1955, for furnishing the above-mentioned services at a cost not to exceed one thousand dollars ($1,000).

It is felt that in view of the nature of the professional services involved nothing would be gained by publicly advertising for bids for this work.

Very truly yours,

THOMAS F. MCDONOUGH,
Chairman.

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BOSTON, March 16, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

On Tuesday, March 15, 1955, at a meeting of the City Planning Board the following vote was taken:

"That Adams, Howard & Greeley, City Planning consultants, 15 Ash street, Cambridge, be engaged by contract covering a period of nine months from April 1, 1955, to December 31, 1955, at a total cost of three thousand six hundred dollars ($3,600) to furnish its services, guidance and assistance as consultant to the Board in the Rezoning Study now being conducted, and, further, that the Chairman be authorized to sign the contract."

Therefore, if this meets with your approval it is respectfully requested that your authorization be given for the awarding of the proposed contract, without public advertising, to Adams, Howard & Greeley, City Planning consultants, to cover the period from April 1, 1955, to December 31, 1955, for furnishing the above-mentioned services at a cost not to exceed three thousand six hundred dollars ($3,600).

It is felt in view of the nature of the professional services involved, as well as the fact that this firm has so satisfactorily and efficiently performed a similar service for the Board during the past year, that nothing would be gained by publicly advertising for bids for this work.

Very truly yours,

THOMAS F. MCDONOUGH,
Chairman.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, March 11, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

I respectfully request your authorization to dispense with public advertising and to award a contract to the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway Company, a Massachusetts corporation, with offices at 165 Devonshire street, Boston, Mass., providing for the furnishing of daily bus service from the rapid transit station at Fields Corner to Long Island Hospital, Boston, Mass., commencing with April 1, 1955, and ending December 31, 1955, at a cost not in excess of $35,000. The proposed contract will contain the same reasonable rates as appear in the contract having a termination date of March 31, 1955.

The aforenamed firm has operated this bus service since its beginning in the summer of 1951 and has performed the work efficiently and satisfactorily.

On the basis of the foregoing and as this company holds the franchise over the route and since it proposes to continue its services under the existing terms and conditions, it is my opinion that public advertising for performance of the subject bus service would be of no avail.

Respectfully yours,

BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT,
by RICHARD J. CONDON,
President.

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BOSTON, March 16, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

On February 11, 1955, your Honor approved a contract with M. Solimando, 584 Columbia road, Dorchester, Mass., in the sum of $18,380, providing for alterations and renovations to Ward I, Pavilion 3, Boston City Hospital, this contractor having been the lowest eligible and responsible bidder therefor following the receipt of publicly advertised proposals.

The work has been in progress since February 15, 1955, and it has now been determined that certain additional plumbing, electric, and other work, the same

being incidental to the principal project is necessary to be done.

The contractor proposes to perform the aforementioned additional work at a cost of $4,052, which figure is deemed to be a fair and reasonable price for the extra work.

In view of the foregoing, and in the interests of getting the entire project completed as expeditiously as possible, it is felt that nothing would be gained by publicly inviting bids for the extra work, therefore, your authorization is respectfully requested to dispense with publicly advertising for the subject additional work, and to amend the subject contract to include the additional work, and to increase the contract sum in the amount of $4,052, making the total contract sum $22,432.

Respectfully yours,

BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT,
by RICHARD J. CONDON,
President.

Amendment.

Whereas, A publicly advertised contract in the sum of $18,380, providing for alterations and renovations to Ward I, Pavilion 3, Boston City Hospital, was executed on February 11, 1955, between the City of Boston, acting by its trustees of the Hospital Department and of the Boston City Hospital, and M. Solimando, 584 Columbia road, Dorchester 25, Mass., and

Whereas, Additional work over and above the work specified to be done by the terms of the said contract and the specifications annexed thereto, the same being incidental to the work covered by the contract and specifications has become necessary; and

Whereas, The contractor is ready and willing to perform the aforementioned additional work consisting of plumbing work, electric work, and certain other work, at a total cost of $4,052; and

Whereas, The reasons in detail for the additional work and cost have been set forth in a letter to the Mayor dated March 16, 1955, and approved by the Mayor on March 18, 1955, and subsequently published in the *City Record,* which letter, approval and publication are included herein and made a part hereof to the same extent as set forth in its entirety; now, therefore,

It is mutually agreed by the parties hereto, that the contract specifications be amended to include the above outlined additional work and further that the contract sum be increased by an amount not in excess of $4,052 to cover the added cost thereof making the new contract total amount $22,432.

Excepting as modified hereby, all provisions of the said contract shall remain in full force and effect.

Signed and sealed this 22d day of March, 1955.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT,
by RICHARD J. CONDON,
President.

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BOSTON, March 25, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

We respectfully request your permission to dispense with publicly advertising for bids, and to award a contract to Portland Elevator Company, Inc., 133 Oliver street, Boston, Mass., for maintenance of two (2) electric passenger elevators, Vose House, Boston City Hospital, for the period from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, inclusive, at a monthly cost of $180.07, the total cost for the contract period not to exceed the sum of $2,160.84.

This firm has performed this very technical service in a satisfactory and most efficient manner for the past four years.

The rates this year represent an increase of $5.14 per month over the rates as stated in the contract which is to expire on March 31, 1955, however, the increase is one that has been determined in accordance with the terms of certain option provisions contained in the contract under which the city could have required the contractor to perform these services at the new rate for the period of the proposed contract, namely, April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956.

Furthermore, it is the opinion of the Board of Trustees that the interests of the city will best be served by awarding the new contract, without advertising, to Portland Elevator Company, Inc., and the Board is further of the view that nothing would be gained by publicly advertising for proposals for this work.

Respectfully yours,

BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT,
by RICHARD J. CONDON,
President.

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BOSTON, March 25, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

We respectfully request your permission to dispense with publicly advertising for bids, and to award a contract to Westinghouse Electric Corporation, 10 Oliver street, Boston, Mass., for maintenance of four (4) A. B. See elevators at the Boston City Hospital, for the period from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, inclusive, at a monthly cost of $266.01, the total cost for the contract period not to exceed $3,192.12.

This firm has performed this very technical service in a satisfactory and most efficient manner for the past four years.

The rates this year represent an increase of $7.43 per month over the rates as stated in the contract which is to expire on March 31, 1955, however, the increase is one that has been determined in accordance with the terms of certain option provisions contained in the contract under which the city could have required the contractor to perform these services at the new rate for the period of the proposed contract, namely, April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956.

Furthermore, it is the opinion of the Board of Trustees that the interests of the city will best be served by awarding the new contract, without advertising, to Westinghouse Electric Corporation, and the Board is further of the view that nothing would be gained by publicly advertising for proposals for this work.

Respectfully yours,

BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT,
by RICHARD J. CONDON,
President.

BOSTON, April 1, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

A serious power failure occurred at Boston City Hospital on March 16, 1955. Intensive study has been made of all the factors which contributed. It was evident that temporary water lines would need to be installed in order to make extensive repairs. It is now evident that valves, pipes and fittings in a critical area are now leaking so badly that new materials must be immediately installed. The temporary water line installation now becomes an emergency procedure. If the present defective and leaking fittings burst, the hospital will be without steam for power and heat.

The trustees have therefore voted to request your Honor, in view of this emergency, to dispense with the delay incurred by public advertising and to award a contract, without advertising, for this immediate emergency work to P. J. Riley & Co., 295 Highland street, Roxbury. An upset price of $6,000 has been submitted by this firm on request.

The work consists in removing headers from pumps, the installation of necessary tees and piping from the same to run across the power house to feed temporary make-up water to the Nos. 1, 2, 3, and 5 boilers. A fire connection for emergency purposes will be installed leading outside. Necessary piping and valves will be installed from the filter so compound may be put into the heating system.

The 3-inch elbows on supply lines to boilers are to be removed and 3-inch tees installed. Valves, 3-inch outside screw and yoke type, are to be installed on the No. 2 pump, the compound filter pump (2), on the main line from the pump, and each at the Nos. 1, 2, 3, and 5 boilers.

Work is to include removing valves and blanking off the main water feed to make the installation. Work includes installation of necessary hangars, welding, 3-inch OS and four 250-pound pressure valves, fire connection and necessary pipe covering.

It is impossible to proceed with the project of the removal of a conversion heater at the cat walk above the boilers until this emergency work is completed. The work should be started without delay.

Respectfully yours,

RICHARD J. CONDON,
President, Board of Trustees.

Sanatorium Division.

BOSTON, March 25, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

YOUR HONOR:

We respectfully request your permission to dispense with publicly advertising for bids and to award a contract to Otis Elevator Company, 130 Clarendon street, Boston, Mass., for maintenance of two Otis push-button electric passenger elevators, one Otis car switch electric passenger elevator and one Otis push-button electric dumb-waiter, located at the Sanatorium Division of the Boston City Hospital, for the period commencing April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, inclusive, at a monthly cost of $208.73, the total cost for the contract period not to exceed the sum of $2,504.76.

This company is in the unique position of having both manufactured and installed the elevators and dumb-waiter and has access to all the necessary parts, materials, and employs the skilled personnel essential to properly carry out its

services as provided for in the proposed contract.

It is the opinion of the Board of Trustees that the interests of the city will best be served by awarding the contract, without advertising, to Otis Elevator Company, and the Board is further of the view that, in the light of all the circumstances, nothing would be gained by publicly advertising for bids for this work.

Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD J. CONDON,
President, Board of Trustees.

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BOSTON, March 25, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

YOUR HONOR:

We respectfully request your permission to dispense with publicly advertising for bids and to award a contract to F. S. Payne Company, 291 Congress street, Boston, Mass., for maintenance of two Payne dumb-waiters and one Payne push-button passenger elevator, located at the Sanatorium Division of the Boston City Hospital, for the period commencing on April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, inclusive, at a monthly cost of $120, the total cost for the contract period not to exceed the sum of $1,440.

This company is in the unique position of having both manufactured and installed the elevator and dumb-waiters and has access to all the necessary parts, material, and employs the skilled personnel essential to properly carry out its services as provided for in the proposed contract.

It is the opinion of the Board of Trustees that the interests of the city will best be served by awarding the contract, without advertising, to the F. S. Payne Company, and the Board is further of the view that, in the light of all of the circumstances, nothing would be gained by publicly advertising for bids for this work.

Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD J. CONDON,
President, Board of Trustees.

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, March 24, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The trustees respectfully request that your Honor approve the award of a contract, to the Dickson Truck Service Company, Inc., 26 Reading street, Roxbury, Mass., to provide bookmobile service for the library. The bookmobile service, involving the use of two completely equipped vehicles, brings library facilities to certain sections of the city for which adequate library service is not now available.

For the past five years the Dickson Truck Service Company, Inc., until March 18, 1953, known as the H. B. Church Truck Service Company, Inc., has provided the bookmobile service on a contractual basis. The two bookmobiles which serve the library were built by this company to the library's detailed specifications. They have been kept in excellent condition and the service rendered has been always prompt and efficient. The drivers of the vehicles have become thoroughly familiar with the library's requirements. The cost of the service to be rendered for the period from April 1, 1955, through March 31, 1956, will be approximately $28,000.

This year the library sought, by publicly advertising, to obtain competitive bids for the provision of bookmobile service. The specifications called for the furnishing of completely new vehicles. The bids were scheduled to be opened January 18, 1955. Inasmuch as no bids were received the trustees decided to continue the bookmobile service on the present basis of operation. The trustees on March 18, 1955, therefore

"*Voted*, That there be awarded, without public advertising, to the Dickson Truck Service Company, Inc., 26 Reading street, Roxbury, Mass., the contract for providing bookmobile service, using two bookmobiles built to the specifications provided by the library for the period April 1, 1955, through March 31, 1956, at the rate per bookmobile, of two hundred and fifty-three dollars ($253) per week (Monday, through Friday), plus three dollars and sixteen cents ($3.16) for each hour beyond forty (40) hours in any one week (Monday, through Friday), and for all hours worked on Saturday at the rate of one dollar and twenty cents ($1.20) per hour for the first four (4) hours and three dollars and sixteen cents ($3.16) per hour for all hours worked thereafter."

Inasmuch as the total cost of the bookmobile service will exceed one thousand dollars ($1,000), there is requested permission of your Honor to enter into this contract, without publicly advertising for bids.

Respectfully,

THE TRUSTEES OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY OF THE CITY OF BOSTON,
BY JOHN CONNOLLY,
Assistant to the Director, and Chief Executive Officer.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, March 21, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR:

On February 19, 1955, this department publicly invited bids in the *City Record* for drainage and grading at the Franklin Park golf course, West Roxbury, Mass. Bids, opened March 1, were as follows:

D. F. Frangioso & Co., $18,596.50; Sylvester A. Ray, $19,440; Martin J. Kelly Company, Inc., $19,882.50; Defina & Sons, $20,228.66; James A. Freaney, Inc., $21,857.50; Louis Recine Construction, Inc., $22,390; William P. Capone Corporation, $22,835; John J. Amara & Sons, $23,000; Joseph P. McCabe, Inc., $23,452.50; John McCourt Company, $23,610; Carriere Construction Company, $24,595; S. J. Tomasello Corporation, $24,910; Z & S Construction Company, Inc., $25,025; Doerico Construction Company, Inc., $25,696; Roslindale Contracting Company, $26,060; J. Gavigan & Co., $27,395; James A. Munroe & Son, $28,515; J. A. Susi & Sons, Inc., $28,867; J. D'Amico, Inc., $51,697.50.

Due to an inadvertence in the preparation of the proposals, six of the aforenamed bidders were given proposal forms wherein item No. 6 showed the quantity as "20 linear feet of 12-inch drain pipe." The remaining bidders were handed proposal forms with the quantity for the said item No. 6 correctly set forth as "200 linear feet of 12-inch drain pipe."

The lowest total figure for the entire project, including a unit price on item No. 6 based on the lower quantity, was submitted by D. F. Frangioso & Co. In fact, this firm's total price for the subject work, computed at its unit prices, is the lowest of all who participated in the bidding, whether item No. 6 be taken at a quantity of 20 or 200 linear feet.

On account of the foregoing, therefore, and in order that the city might take advantage of the available favorable figure for the work, your authorization is respectfully requested to reject all the bids submitted on March 1, 1955, to dispense with public advertising, and to award the contract for drainage and grading at the Franklin Park golf course, West Roxbury, Mass., to D. F. Frangioso & Co., 155 Savannah avenue, Mattapan, Mass., at the unit prices submitted on the above date, which D. F. Frangioso & Co. now offers anew, the contract sum being $18,596.50, plus $4,649.13, which amount represents 25 per cent of $18,596.50, this 25 per cent additional expenditure being customarily permissible under our standard contract provisions.

The total contract cost shall not exceed $23,245.63, same to be charged to Parks and Recreation Department budget, "Park and Playground Improvements, etc., 1-11-41-812."

Respectfully yours,

FRANK R. KELLEY,
Commissioner of Parks and Recreation.

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BOSTON, March 31, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR:

It is vitally necessary that we start immediately on our program of spraying all trees throughout the park system and on city streets. This first spraying must actually be done before the trees come into bud or flower. In order to expedite the work, rather than advertising, we asked bids from four concerns equipped with the necessary equipment and personnel for doing this work. Bids were received as follows:

Eastern Tree and Landscape Corporation, $11.75 per hour.

Superior Tree Service, Inc., $11.75 per hour.

Blueview Nursery, $13 per hour.

Fred Ralston & Co., Inc., $14 per hour.

The lowest bid received was submitted by two concerns, namely the Eastern Tree and Landscape Corporation and Superior Tree Service, Inc. Under the terms of the proposal the successful bidder is required to furnish a truck and hydraulic sprayer with three men to operate the truck and sprayer, and all necessary equipment for spraying, including oil and gasoline for the truck.

The spray material to be used is to be furnished by the Park Department. Both low bidders submitted a unit price of $11.75 per hour. This is the same low price that has been bid in the last few years. In view of the present labor market we feel it is an extremely fair one.

In order to have the spraying completed before the spring season is too far advanced, I feel it is necessary to divide the work between the two low bidders, at the same unit price quoted by both.

Accordingly, I respectfully request that we be permitted to dispense with public advertising for bids and to award a contract to Superior Tree Service, Inc., 15 Littlejohn street, Arlington,

for spraying trees throughout the park system and on city streets, at the unit price of $11.75 per hour, the total amount of this contract not to exceed $6,500, to be charged to the regular budget, Item 299, Parks and Recreation Department.

Respectfully yours,

FRANK R. KELLEY,
Commissioner.

BOSTON, March 31, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

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The spray material to be used is to be furnished by the Park Department. Both low bidders submitted a unit price of $11.75 per hour. This is the same low price that has been bid in the last few years. In view of the present labor market we feel it is an extremely fair one.

In order to have the spraying completed before the spring season is too far advanced, I feel that it is necessary to divide the work between the two low bidders, at the same unit price quoted by both.

Accordingly, I respectfully request that we be permitted to dispense with public advertising for bids and to award a contract to Eastern Tree and Landscape Corporation, 280 Bridge street, Dedham, for spraying trees throughout the park system and on city streets, at the unit price of $11.75 per hour, the total amount of this contract not to exceed $4,500, to be charged to the regular budget, Item 299, Parks and Recreation Department.

Respectfully yours,

FRANK R. KELLEY,
Commissioner.

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BOSTON, March 31, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR:

During recent years we have been spraying the larger tree areas of the park system by airplane. These areas are located in sections of the park system where the cost would be prohibitive if the spraying was done by ordinary methods, because of the time and effort that would be required to effect an entrance into the heavily-wooded areas with trucks and standard spraying equipment.

The sections that we plan to spray by airplane are Franklin Park, George Wright Golf Course, and the larger cemetery areas under control of the city. It is necessary that we start this work immediately, because with the coming of the warmer spring weather the trees will soon be in bud. In order to save time, we asked bids from four concerns equipped to do this type of work. The bids received are as follows:

Eastern Tree and Landscape Corporation, $1.85 per acre.

Blueview Nursery, $2.25 per acre.

Fred Ralston & Co., Inc., $2.50 per acre.

Superior Tree Service, Inc., no bid.

The areas to be sprayed contain approximately 885 acres. The spray material, 6 per cent D.D.T. solution in oil, will be furnished by the contractor. The total cost of spraying these areas is not to exceed $1,650.

Therefore, I respectfully request your approval to dispense with publicly advertising for bids and to award the contract to the lowest invitation bidder, Eastern Tree and Landscape Corporation, 280 Bridge street, Dedham, Mass., for a sum not to exceed $1,650, to be charged to Item 299 in the regular Parks and Recreation Department budget.

Respectfully yours,

FRANK R. KELLEY,
Commissioner.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, March 31, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

Under date of October 27, 1954, a contract in the amount of $14,317.08 was awarded to the S. J. Tomasello Corporation for covering abandoned streetcar rails with bituminous concrete in various main highways located in Wards 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, and 9.

Up to the present time, the value of the work done by the contractor on this contract is in the approximate amount of $6,900. I was hopeful that the entire work provided in the contract would be completed in 1954, in order that the track areas involved would be reasonably safe for the passage of motor vehicles during the winter months. However, the contract is less than 50 per cent completed, and I do not feel that we should do any more work of covering rails at this time, as most of the main highways included in the contract will be completely resurfaced before the end of the current year, and it does not appear advisable to cover, at this time, only the small areas involved in the abandoned rails. Therefore, I have informed the contractor not to do any more work on this contract. However, in fairness to said contractor, I feel that we should include some additional work in the contract, in order that the total amount of work done will approximate the total value of the work provided originally.

At the present time, the roadway surface of P street, South Boston, between East Fourth street and East Sixth street, is in a very poor condition, and the same can be said for the roadway of Boston street, from Dorchester avenue to the bridge located over the right-of-way of the New Haven Railroad. Both of these streets have abandoned streetcar rails located in them, and the roadway areas should be covered with bituminous concrete, from curb to curb. It is estimated that the cost of the work in P street and Boston street will total approximately $8,200, and will offset the value of the work which we are not doing, but which was included in the original contract of October 27, awarded to the Tomasello Corporation. The latter-referenced has agreed to do the work in P street and Boston street on the basis of prices established by department engineers, and which conform, in general, to prices that we have received for similar work after publicly advertising for same.

In view of the circumstances, I respectfully request your authority to dispense with advertising, and to amend the above-referenced contract so as to provide for the reconstruction of P street, South Boston, between East Fourth street and East Sixth street, and for the construction of Boston street, South Boston, from Dorchester avenue to the railroad bridge, at agreed prices in accordance with the applicable provisions of the current contract, and at a total amount not to exceed $8,200.

Respectfully yours,

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, March 29, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The Real Property Board from time to time engages the services of contractors to clean refuse from vacant lots of land under its jurisdiction. During the course of a year the total cost of such cleanings will total over $1,000. However, it is impossible to determine or even approximate the cost, due to the fact that we order the cleaning generally upon complaints of the Complaints Department, Health Department, Fire Department, Police Department, and of private citizens. In each case the cleaning job is an emergency at the time of the complaint, necessitating the employment of a contractor at that specific time to do emergency work.

In view of the above-mentioned facts, it would be impractical to advertise for bids, and it is respectfully requested that permission be given this department to employ such contractors as are necessary from time to time, to clean lots of land without public advertising.

Respectfully yours,

HERMAN CARP,
Commissioner of Real Property.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, March 2, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR:

Superseding my letter of December 1, 1954, relative to a contract for Brink's Inc., of Boston, for the delivery and collection of moneys as required by the various units of the Public Welfare Department, from January 1, 1955, to and including December 31, 1955, permission is requested to amend the effective dates of the contract to read from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956.

This permission is requested as the calendar year cannot properly be approved by the City Auditor as to budget appropriation.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

WILLIAM G. O'HARE,
Secretary.

BOSTON, March 25, 1955.
HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.
DEAR SIR:

On December 31, 1954, this department obtained your approval to a three-month contract covering the period from January 1, 1955, through March 31, 1955, for the lease of certain International Business Machines Corporation equipment, such request being made at that time because of the fact that the calendar year could not properly be approved by the City Auditor as to budget appropriation.

This department is now desirous of entering into a 12-month contract with the International Business Machines Corporation for the equipment listed herein, such contract to commence April 1, 1955, and to expire March 31, 1956, in an amount not to exceed thirty-two thousand five hundred and five (32,505) dollars, and respectfully requests your approval of such contract.

Electric Punch, Serial No. 011 1404S, $7.50 per month.

Printing Key Punch, Serial No. 026 10600, $55 per month.

Printing Key Punch, Serial No. 026 10636, $55 per month.

Printing Key Punch, Serial No. 026 15900, $55 per month.

Printing Key Punch, Serial No. 026, $55 per month.

Electronic Sorter, Serial No. 082 15163, $60 per month.

Electronic Sorter, Serial No. 082 15175, $60 per month.

Alphabetical Collator, Serial No. 089 10389, $190 per month.

Alphabetical Accounting Machine, Serial No. 403 14498, $570 per month.

Alphabetical Accounting Machine, Serial No. 403 14507, $570 per month.

Alphabetical Accounting Machine, Serial No. 402 21312, $460 per month.

Numeric Accounting Machine, Serial No. 416 91045, $125 per month.

Reproduction Punch, Serial No. 513 22374, $85 per month.

Check Writing Interpreter, Serial No. 556 10033, $80 per month (to be replaced by Alphabetical Interpreter, Serial No. 552, to be delivered July 1955, to cost $75 per month).

Calculating Punch Model A, Serial No. 602A21906, $220 per month.

Facsimile Posting Machine, Serial No. 954 13422, $25 per month.

Alpha-Numeric Card Verifiers, Serial No. 056, $45 per month.

Alpha-Numeric Card Verifiers, Serial No. 056, $45 per month.

The total cost of this contract for the period thereof is not to exceed thirty-two thousand five hundred and five (32,505) dollars.

This equipment can only be obtained from the International Business Machines Corporation and no advantage would be gained by a public advertisement for bids.

Very truly yours,
WILLIAM G. O'HARE,
Secretary.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

COURT HOUSE.

BOSTON, March 10, 1955.
HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.
DEAR MAYOR HYNES:

Your approval is hereby requested for the award of a contract, without public advertising, to the Otis Elevator Company for the complete maintenance and servicing of the ten control passenger elevators in the Suffolk County Courthouse, in service continuously during courthouse hours, at a monthly cost of $1,210.72, exclusive of an added charge of $4.41 per man-hour for any ordered overtime work for the period commencing April 1, 1955, and ending March 31, 1956.

The contract shall include provision for the required annual drop test and the replacement of all parts, and, in addition, to include monthly supervisory inspection of the three intermittently operated passenger elevators at the courthouse and the two electric book lifts, including also the annual drop test for foregoing apparatus. The approximate total amount contemplated for expenditure under the proposed contract is $14,528.64.

All of the ten continuously operated signal control passenger elevators, the three other elevators used intermittently for passengers, and the two electric book lifts were manufactured and installed by the Otis Elevator Company, in view of which the Courthouse Commission believes that nothing would be gained by public advertising for the foregoing service, particularly with the existing and increasing difficulties in procuring the mechanical parts specially designed for use in these machines unless in stock by the firm furnishing the maintenance service as is the case in the present instance since the contractor is the manufacturer of the same.

It is to be noted that the foregoing rate of $1,210.72 per month for these services, and the charge for overtime work of $4.41 per hour reflects an increase of $33.55 per month and 12 per cent per hour for overtime. It is felt, however, that these proposed charges are fair and reasonable for the work involved and, furthermore, these increases are not in excess of the rates determined under the terms of the option provisions contained in this contract in accordance with which the contractor could have been obliged to perform the services during the 12-month period of the proposed contract.

Respectfully yours,
COURTHOUSE COMMISSION,
by ARNO I. DREW,
Chairman.

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BOSTON, March 10, 1955.
HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.
DEAR MAYOR HYNES:

Because of the satisfactory service rendered over a period of years by the W. C. Holmes Cleaning Company, of Boston, in supplying window cleaning service to the Suffolk County Courthouse, the Courthouse Commission believes that it would be for the best interest of the City of Boston and the County of Suffolk to continue this service with the W. C. Holmes Cleaning Company, and requests your authority for awarding the contract, without advertising, to the W. C. Holmes Cleaning Company, for the period commencing April 1, 1955, and ending March 31, 1956.

The total amount contemplated for expenditure under the proposed contract is $2,800.

The aforesaid company carries the required Public Liability and Workmen's Compensation Insurance.

The W. C. Holmes Cleaning Company has all the necessary equipment and the necessary experience enabling it to perform this service with the least possible disturbance to the daily functions at the courthouse.

Respectfully yours,
COURTHOUSE COMMISSION,
by ARNO I. DREW,
Chairman.

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BOSTON, March 10, 1955.
HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.
DEAR MAYOR HYNES:

Because of the satisfactory service rendered over a period of years by the Federal National Linen Service Company, Inc., of Boston, in supplying towel service to the Suffolk County Courthouse, the Courthouse Commission believes that it would be for the best interest of the City of Boston and the County of Suffolk to continue this service with the Federal National Linen Service Company, Inc., and requests your authority to dispense with advertising and to award a contract to the Federal National Linen Service Company, Inc., on the basis of supplying one thousand (1,000) towels weekly for the period commencing April 1, 1955, and ending March 31, 1956.

The total amount contemplated for expenditure under the proposed contract is $1,800, the rate being $150 per month.

The deliveries and collections of towels at the Suffolk County Courthouse have been made with the utmost cooperation and efficiency. The Federal National Linen Service Company, Inc., owns the towels, bears the losses and replacements, and guarantees the suitableness of the towels furnished, and undertakes to save the county from any claims arising through the performance of the service.

Respectfully yours,
COURTHOUSE COMMISSION,
by ARNO I. DREW,
Chairman.

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MUNICIPAL COURT, SOUTH BOSTON DISTRICT.

SOUTH BOSTON, March 29, 1955.
HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.
DEAR MR. MAYOR:

I respectfully request your authorization to dispense with a public solicitation for proposals in the *City Record* and to enter into a new contract with Mary R. Gibbons, 180S Columbia road, South Boston, to provide for the transportation of prisoners to and from this court, as directed, with the county, for the period April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, inclusive, thereby arranging for a continuation of these necessary services on behalf of this court. The contractor proposes that the service for the ensuing 12-month period shall be paid for at the monthly rate of $155, the total contract cost not to exceed $1,860, tunnel fees included.

It is believed that nothing would be gained by publicly inviting bids for the subject work, as the monthly charge is fair and reasonable for the services involved. Furthermore, the contractor has for many years always carried out the work in an efficient and satisfactory manner.

Respectfully,
LEO H. LEARY,
Justice.

NUMBER OF OFFICIALS AND EMPLOYEES COMPILED BY AUDITING DEPARTMENT MADE PUBLIC AS PROVIDED BY LEGISLATIVE ENACTMENT.

In accordance with the provisions of chapter 263 of the Acts of 1938, as amended by chapter 111 of the Acts of 1951, the City Auditor has prepared a comparative table showing the number of officials and employees holding office or employed in city and county departments, and paid by the city or county on the first day of January in each of the first six years covered by the table. Under the provisions of chapter 111 of the Acts of 1951, the "compilation date" is February 1, beginning in 1952.

Number of Paid Officials and Employees.

	Jan. 1, 1946.	Jan. 1, 1947.	Jan. 1, 1948.	Jan. 1, 1949.	Jan. 1, 1950.	Jan. 1, 1951.	Feb. 1, 1952.	Feb. 1, 1953.	Feb. 1, 1954.
Mayor's Office	20	23	22	23	21	20	18	16	17
Bureau of Americanization	10	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Civic Improvement Committee	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	2
Civil Defense Activities	—	—	—	—	—	13	18	20	12
Conventions and Entertainment of Distinguished Guests	2	3	3	4	3	3	2	2	2
Municipal Employment Bureau	15	12	12	9	7	7	7	7	—
Bond Allotment Plan	18	17	16	16	25	20	23	22	18
Public Celebrations Department	4	3	3	2	4	3	3	2	3
Veterans' Graves Registration	4	4	4	4	4	4	5	4	4
Veterans' Reception and Information Center	13	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
City Council	22	22	22	22	22	22	9	9	9
City Council Officers and Employees	11	12	12	12	14	15	15	16	17
Administrative Services Department:									
Director's Office	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2
Personnel and Budget Division	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	10
Purchasing Division	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	26
Printing Section	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	114
Art Commission	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
*Art Department	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	—
Assessing Department	175	178	148	196	164	147	149	145	142
Auditing Department	57	62	60	59	59	63	65	65	65
Board of Real Estate Commissioners	8	12	12	14	10	11	21	11	12
Board of Recreation	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	3	2
Boston Rent Board	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	28
Boston Retirement Board	13	17	20	25	22	25	25	25	24
Boston Traffic Commission	51	52	62	86	103	115	125	130	133
*Budget Department	12	13	12	11	12	13	10	11	—
Building Department	95	103	103	105	100	102	102	97	96
Board of Appeal	7	9	7	7	7	7	7	7	7
Board of Examiners	5	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
City Clerk Department	18	24	21	22	21	21	20	19	19
City Planning Board	8	9	8	9	10	13	14	21	18
City Record, Publication of	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
Collecting Department	83	98	96	111	86	79	84	76	73
Department of Veterans' Services	38	52	62	67	91	76	77	75	77
Election Department	69	65	53	72	77	62	62	72	51
Finance Commission	11	11	10	10	10	9	9	8	8
Fire Department	1,552	1,623	2,125	2,263	2,395	2,378	2,381	2,402	2,359
Electrical Inspection Division	34	34	33	33	36	37	38	37	33
Health Department	383	384	398	387	408	390	392	373	333
Hospital Department	1,859	1,915	2,399	2,675	2,959	2,827	3,102	3,175	3,164
Sanatorium Division	371	386	445	524	551	581	595	566	527
Institutions Department	331	372	359	370	419	438	471	472	491
Law Department	61	67	67	69	72	77	74	67	69
Workmen's Compensation Service	—	—	—	4	6	6	7	7	8
Library Department	767	850	829	880	907	839	977	929	999
Licensing Board	18	18	16	16	17	19	17	17	17
Park Department	618	636	643	737	760	755	750	749	720
Cemetery Division	63	66	63	70	65	72	75	63	69
Police Department	2,290	2,469	2,589	2,653	2,725	2,832	3,024	3,032	3,070
*Printing Department	108	108	121	124	129	128	123	119	—
Public Buildings Department	194	208	231	245	243	226	216	209	200
Market Division	7	7	8	8	10	8	8	7	7
Public Welfare Department	556	570	612	664	791	696	709	704	721
Public Works Department:									
Central Office	13	10	12	11	10	10	11	11	11
Automotive Division	—	—	—	—	—	102	102	140	135
Bridge Service	217	212	218	248	219	215	205	212	199
Ferry Service	81	75	83	76	73	70	64	—	—
Lighting Service	4	3	4	3	4	3	3	3	3
Paving Service	511	512	516	522	554	433	427	425	383
Sanitary Service	376	357	373	340	224	170	158	156	146
Street Cleaning Service	464	549	494	546	628	636	616	587	529
Sewer Service	255	238	254	229	247	231	216	236	220
Water Service	391	420	428	414	479	461	457	439	418
Sumner Traffic Tunnel	98	93	100	106	104	105	107	106	105
Registry Department	40	44	34	36	38	34	37	36	34
School Buildings Department	63	64	69	69	78	75	75	75	76
School Department	5,927	5,855	5,706	5,660	5,723	5,792	5,901	5,473	5,161
Statistics Department	8	7	8	8	8	7	6	7	—
Street Laying-Out Department	77	102	86	84	171	94	78	78	77
*Supply Department	26	28	27	27	25	26	30	28	—
Transit Department	44	89	326	802	—	—	—	—	—
Treasury Department	37	34	36	32	34	33	33	32	32
Weights and Measures Department	21	21	20	20	20	20	20	19	18
	18,637	19,234	20,507	21,848	22,011	21,683	22,385	21,863	21,632
County of Suffolk	1,132	1,096	1,098	1,121	1,144	1,155	1,181	1,172	1,174
	19,769	20,330	21,605	22,969	23,155	22,838	23,566	23,035	22,806

* Effective January 1, 1954, and by authority of the Ordinances of 1953, Chapter 8, approved December 31, 1953, these departments were consolidated in the Administrative Services Department.

NUMBER OF OFFICIALS AND EMPLOYEES OF CITY DEPARTMENTS AS REORGANIZED UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 8, ORDINANCES OF 1953, AND CHAPTER 2, ORDINANCES OF 1954, AND COUNTY OF SUFFOLK.

	Feb. 1, 1955.
Mayor's Office	15
Civic Improvement Committee	1
Civil Defense Activities	14
Conventions and Entertainment of Distinguished Guests	2
Bond Allotment Plan	14
Public Celebrations Department	6
City Council	9
City Council Officers and Employees	17
Administrative Services Department:	
Director's Office	4
Personnel and Budget Division	16
Purchasing Division	29
Printing Section	108
Art Commission	1
Complaints Division	3
Assessing Department	144
Auditing Department	66
Boston Rent Board	28
Boston Retirement Board	31
Boston Traffic Commission	126
Building Department	128
Board of Appeal	9
Board of Examiners	4
City Clerk Department	17
City Planning Board	20
City Record, Publication of	2
Election Department	48
Finance Commission	8
Fire Department	2,217
Health Department:	
Health Division	326
Registry Division	34
Weights and Measures Division	18
Hospital Department:	
Hospital Division	3,247
Sanatorium Division	536
Long Island Hospital Division	489
Law Department	67
Workmen's Compensation Service	8
Library Department	919
Licensing Board	17
Parks and Recreation Department	707
Cemetery Division	71
Police Department	3,049
Public Works Department:	
Central Office	11
Automotive Division	136
Bridge Service	187
Lighting Service	5
Paving Service	366
Sanitary Service	614
Sewer Service	196
Survey Division	43
Water Service	379
Sumner Traffic Tunnel	106
Real Property Department:	
Real Property Division	13
Buildings Division	234
Market Division	7
School Buildings Department	72
School Department	5,707
Treasury Department:	
Collecting Division	69
Treasury Division	35
Veterans' Services Department	78
Veterans' Graves Registration	1
Welfare Department	720
	21,554
County of Suffolk	1,130
	22,684

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 2,023.

The resignation of Patrolman Patrick J. Keeley of Division 10 having been presented, while charges against him are pending, it was accepted to take effect Thursday, March 31, 1955, at 7.45 o'clock A.M., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,024.

Leave of absence without loss of pay is hereby granted to employees of the department who are of the Jewish faith for the observance of the Passover starting at sundown on Wednesday, April 6, 1955, and continuing to sundown on Friday, April 8, 1955.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,025.

Acting under provisions of chapter 658, Acts of 1945, section 7, as amended (State-Boston Retirement System), the Boston Retirement Board has approved for retirement on account of accidental disability, the following-named police officer, effective at the close of business Thursday, March 31, 1955.

In view of this operation of law, after March 31, 1955, the said police officer shall no longer be an active member of this department, and it is hereby ordered that its records be so amended:

Patrolman John A. Woods, Traffic Division.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 17.

I. PROMOTION.

The following promotion, which will become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, April 6, 1955, is hereby announced:

Capt. John J. O'Mara, Engine Company 39, to district fire chief.

II. TRANSFERS.

The following transfers will become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, April 6, 1955:

District Fire Chief Albert F. Donahue, from District 4 to District 9.

District Fire Chief Gerald F. Keenan, from Special Service Unit to District 4.

District Fire Chief John J. O'Mara, from Engine 39 to Special Service Unit.

Hoseman Thomas F. Meehan, from Engine 26 to Engine 22.

Hoseman Michael J. Giunta, from Engine 22 to Engine 28.

III. RETIREMENTS.

The following retirements, in accordance with the provisions of section 7, chapter 658, Acts of 1945, as amended, which became effective at 8 A.M., Friday, April 1, 1955, are hereby announced:

Temporary Assistant Fire Chief Walter E. Crouch, Headquarters.

Hoseman Richard J. Dunn, Engine Squad Company 11.

Ladderman David E. Lane, Ladder Company 2.

The following retirements, in accordance with the provisions of section 13, chapter 521, Acts of 1922, as amended, which became effective at 8 A.M., Friday, April 1, 1955, are hereby announced:

Lieut. Norman F. Davidson, Engine Company 46.

Lieut. Joseph W. Thompson, Engine Company 48.

Temporary Assistant Fire Chief Crouch was appointed to the Fire Department October 3, 1924. He was promoted to the grade of lieutenant July 3, 1936; to captain October 16, 1940; to district chief March 17, 1944; to deputy chief January 10, 1949; and to temporary assistant fire chief in charge of personnel and training on March 17, 1954. Lieutenant Davidson was appointed December 23, 1929, and was promoted to lieutenant November 5, 1945. Lieutenant Thompson was appointed October 16, 1940, and promoted to lieutenant May 2, 1951. Ladderman Lane was appointed July 16, 1937, and Hoseman Dunn was appointed May 26, 1943.

All the foregoing members leave the department with the best wishes of their associates.

IV. COMMENDATIONS.

Hoseman William F. Curtis of Engine Squad Company 11 is hereby commended for responding to and working at fire, Box 6164, three alarms, on March 31, 1955, while off duty.

By order of Fire Commissioner FRANCIS X. COTTER.

JOHN V. STAPLETON,
Chief of Department.

CITY OF BOSTON AND COUNTY OF SUFFOLK.

STATISTICAL FACTS FOR THE YEAR 1954

Date of incorporation	February 23, 1822
Date of adoption of City Charter (amended January 7, 1925)	1909
Form of Government	Mayor and City Council
Area (square miles)	47.81
Population — Federal Census (August 1, 1950)	801,444
Number of employees as of February 1, 1954	22,806
Boston Housing Authority:	
Federal Program (7,920 apartments housing 7,920 families)	
Number of apartments in veterans' permanent 1- and 2-family homes housing 1,306 families	
State-Aided Developments (containing 3,177 apartments housing 3,177 families)	
Building Department:	
Permits issued	17,515
Estimated cost	$35,771,706
Cemeteries: Number 19—Area (acres)	161.71
Election Department:	
Registered voters	383,864
Number of ballots cast last general election	169,493
Percentage of registered voters voting	44.15
Fire Department:	
Number of stations	51
Number of fireboats	2
Alarms responded to	15,150
Health Department: Health Units	10
Hospitals (Including Boston Sanatorium):	
City Hospital:	
Number of buildings	57
Bed capacity	2,460
Patients, daily average:	
Wards	1,798
Out-patient	891
Long Island Hospital:	
Number of buildings	27
Population	952
Library Department:	
Number of libraries	37
Number of employees (full time)	640
Number of volumes	2,011,358
Circulation	3,162,338
Markets, number of	2
Municipal buildings, number of	27
Park Department: Parks, number of acres	2,240 29
Area of playgrounds and play areas (acres)	807.12
Number of playgrounds and play areas	121
Number of municipal golf links	2
Number of municipal beaches	3
Public grounds and squares (acres)	57.41
Swimming pools (indoor) 2, (outdoor) 2	4
Number of recreation centers and indoor bathhouses	15
Police Department:	
Number of stations and headquarters	18
Arrests	93,294
Public Works Department:	
Bridges, number of	101
Miles of accepted streets and alleys	731
Sewers: Miles of sewers	1,302.75
Catch basins	23,972
Average number of gallons pumped daily at main pumping station	112,980,821
Sumner Traffic Tunnel: Length (feet)	5,654
Two-lane drive: Vehicles passing through — 1953	10,835,674
Water Service:	
Number of meters in service	95,653
Per capita daily average consumption (gallons)	139
Miles of mains: Ordinary	999,136
High pressure	18.72
Rapid Transit: Miles of subways and tunnels	16.81
Schools:	
Number of school buildings	224
Number of teachers	3,655
Average membership	94,774
Average daily attendance:	
Elementary and junior high schools	54,546
High schools	16,201
Kindergartens	8,151
Special schools	1,800

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

Signalman, Boston Police Department, May 7, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, April 18, 1955.

Salary: $83.63 a week.

Vacancies: At present there is one vacancy for a male, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: To respond to calls (day or night) for repair work necessary to keep the police communication system in order; to do periodic service work on all storage cells, motor generators, signal boxes, signal desks, and department P.B.X. switchboards; to test cables for crosses, grounds, opens and shorts, and locate troubles; to service light and bell systems; and to perform related work as required.

Familiarity with the following is required: Wiring and operation of a police signal system; wiring and maintenance of closed and open circuit registers and voice recording systems; telephone systems, including P.B.X. switchboards; care of storage cells, battery chargers, and motor generator sets; simple electrical mathematics.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

Certification Requirements: Possession of a Massachusetts journeyman electrician's license and a Massachusetts motor vehicle operator's license.

X-Ray Technician, Cambridge City Hospital, May 21, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, May 2, 1955.

This examination is open to residents of the state.

Salary: For males, the minimum salary is $2,840 a year and the maximum salary is $3,240 a year. For females, the minimum salary is $2,800 a year and the maximum salary is $3,120 a year.

Vacancies: At present there are three vacancies, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: Under supervision, to perform technical duties connected with the making of X-ray studies, the taking of X-ray films, and the developing of the films; to label, file and store X-ray films; to receive patients (in-patients, out-patients, and accident cases), and prepare them for X-ray examinations; to prepare films and associated data for readings by the radiologist; to participate in the development and promulgation of safety measures related to radiological practice; to maintain records and statistical data in connection with the work; to perform related work as required in the X-ray Department; and to assume any additional duties required in the event of a major emergency in the hospital.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements. Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, March 28, 1955.

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 2 P.M., Senior Member WHITE in the chair. Absent, Councillor Hurley.

The Reverend Charles X. Leahy of St. John's Roman Catholic Church, Peabody, was escorted to the rostrum.

INVOCATION BY REV. CHARLES X. LEAHY.

Let us pray. Almighty God, our Heavenly Father, by Whom kings govern and lawmakers discern just things, deign so to bless the political freedom of our beloved country that it will ever be regulated by obedience to Thy Holy Law on the part of rulers and subjects, by a wise and just administration of authority, and by a manly and prompt obedience to it.

Thou art a God of power, of wisdom, and of justice. Help us all to feel that there is no one else of whom we can ask so much, for Thou art of all counselors the most prudent; of all companions the nearest; and of all helpers the ablest and the most willing to meet our every need.

In the spirit of gratitude we come to Thee with faith, and with confidence in those great virtues which make for righteousness in man and stability in government. Humbly we implore Thee to aid the members of this Council with Thy constant protection; to richly endow them with clearness of understanding and courage of heart to meet and match the challenge of difficult problems and great responsibilities, that they may be worthy leaders of the people, and that each one, at the close of the day's deliberations, in the quiet of his room may sense Thy words of commendation—"Well done, good and faithful servant."

O Almighty and Eternal God, we humbly beseech Thee to inspire the people of this fair city with an earnest desire to cooperate with their chief magistrate and with the members of this Council, to help them and to strengthen them that happiness and contentment may come to all. We ask these blessings in the name of Christ Jesus, our Lord. Amen.

The meeting was opened with the salute to the Flag.

Coun. PIEMONTE in the chair.

VETO OF ORDER RE ADDITIONAL COMPENSATION FOR FIRE FIGHTERS WORKING CERTAIN LEGAL HOLIDAYS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 28, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I return herewith disapproved and without my signature the order adopted by your Honorable Body on March 14 for acceptance of chapter 640 of the Acts of 1953.

The acceptance of this act, and its companion act, chapter 546 of the Acts of 1953, would increase the annual expenditure of the city for extra holiday pay for firemen and policemen to the amount of $175,000. Obviously, there is no such amount available in this year's budget and there is very little possibility that any supplementary appropriation to this extent could be provided

As a matter of fact, if it were possible to provide this amount of money, I would much prefer to devote it to a salary increase for policemen and firemen. The salary scale of both of these groups should be increased. Unfortunately, to give any increase, no matter how much, this year would further increase the tax rate. However, it is my hope that we might find ways and means sometime in the not too distant future to raise the scale of pay of both firemen and policemen.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Administrative Services Department,
March 23, 1955.

MEMORANDUM FOR THE MAYOR.

With reference to the attached order of the City Council accepting, under date of March 14, 1955, chapter 640 of the Acts of 1953, relative to additional pay for fire fighters required to work on certain legal holidays, the following report is submitted.

On September 17, 1953, in connection with this same act, I informed you as follows:

"The first part of this particular chapter reads word for word the same as chapter 2 of the Ordinances of 1950, which grants fire fighters either time off or pay for ten specified holidays occurring in a calendar year.

"The second part of chapter 640 grants to fire fighters the same consideration as that given to police officers under chapter 546 of the Acts of 1953 by providing for an additional day's pay in the event one or more of the ten specified holidays fall on one of their days off."

Under date of September 29, 1953, in a message to the City Council you vetoed an order passed by the City Council for acceptance of chapter 546 of the acts of 1953. You informed the Council that acceptance would result in a further annual expenditure to the amount of $50,000 in addition to the $350,000 now expended annually for this purpose in the Police Department. You also advised the Council that the Police Commissioner was vigorously opposed to the acceptance of this act. You further advised the Council that the acceptance of this act would result in the acceptance of the above chapter 640 of the Acts of 1953, resulting in an additional expenditure of $125,000 annually in the Fire Department.

To accept this act now would still require an additional expenditure of at least $120,000 annually in the Fire Department in addition to the anticipated expenditure of $175,000 annually for this purpose in 1955. Of course, pressure would be exerted to revise chapter 546 of the Acts of 1953 which you vetoed, as indicated above.

JOHN A. SULLIVAN,
Supervisor of Personnel.

Placed on file.

SURVEY OF LIGHTING CONDITIONS ON EAST EIGHTH STREET, SOUTH BOSTON.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 28, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Public Works Commissioner relative to your order of March 7, 1955, concerning the lighting conditions on East Eighth street, South Boston.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Public Works Department,
March 22, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.

Dear Sir:

I am returning the following order that was passed in the City Council under date of March 7:

"Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to make a survey of street lighting conditions on East Eighth street, South Boston, with a view to improving same by substituting electric lights for the present obsolete gas lamps."

Steps will be taken to comply with the provisions of the above-referenced order in the near future, and I trust that the matter will be adjusted satisfactorily, although there are still existing in the city over 3,000 gas lamps and we cannot replace all of them with modern electric lights within the next ten or twelve months.

Very truly yours,
GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Placed on file.

REPORT ON SUBURBAN OFF-STREET PARKING PROGRAM.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 25, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Chairman of the Real Property Department relative to your order of March 21, 1955, concerning status of the suburban off-street parking program, particularly the Hyde Park and East Boston areas.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Real Property Department,
March 25, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.

Re: City Council Order, March 21, 1955, Concerning Hyde Park and East Boston Off-Street Parking Areas.

Dear Mr. Flemming:

In answer to your communication dated March 24, concerning the above-captioned Council order, please be advised that at the meeting of the Real Property Board held on March 24, 1955, it was voted to take by eminent domain the area located on the northerly side of Winthrop street and making the corner of Harvard avenue, Hyde Park. Also, the order of taking was duly signed and will be recorded forthwith with the Suffolk Registry of Deeds. Plans and specifications are almost completed and owners of the structures will be notified this day to remove said structures within the next sixty days.

Concerning the status of the proposed off-street parking site in East Boston, near Central square, please be informed that the Boston School Committee voted to turn over to this department the old Cudworth School for off-street parking purposes. When this transfer has been effected the Real Property Board will proceed with the creation of an off-street parking area at that location.

Respectfully submitted,
HERMAN CARP,
Commissioner of Real Property,
Chairman, Real Property Board.

Placed on file.

REVOCATION OF GASOLINE POCKET LICENSE AT 120-172 BORDER STREET, EAST BOSTON.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 28, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith further communication from the Chairman of the Committee on Licenses relative to your order of October 18, 1954, concerning the revocation of the license for the storage of inflammables in the premises at 120-172 Border street, East Boston.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Building Department, March 15, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

In response to your communication of October 21, 1954, enclosing a copy of the order of the Boston City Council dated October 18, 1954, concerning the premises 120-172 Border street, East Boston, your Honor is hereby advised that the Committee on Licenses has this day voted as follows:

Voted, That the Committee on Licenses, having viewed the premises and the neighborhood and having heard on February 1, 1955, those persons who are opposed to the license, has unanimously voted that, in their opinion, no just cause exists for the revocation of the license for the storage of inflammables in the premises 120-172 Border street, East Boston.

Respectfully yours,
CHARLES A. CALLANAN,
Chairman Committee on Licenses.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

RECONDITIONING JAMAICAWAY AND JAMAICA POND SECTION.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 28, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation relative to your order of March 14, 1955, concerning the reconditioning of the walks, benches and grounds of the section around Jamaica Pond.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Parks and Recreation Department,
March 23, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.

Dear Sir:

This will acknowledge memo from office of the Mayor under date of March 18, 1955, with attached order from Councillor Ahearn, requesting that the walks, benches, and grounds of the section around Jamaica Pond be reconditioned.

This is to inform the Councillor that in the early spring months of every year a thorough inspection is made of every section of the park system and plans are made for the rehabilitation of each section.

In line with our annual policy, you may be sure that the Jamaicaway and Jamaica Pond section will have our earnest attention and consideration.

Very truly yours,
FRANK R. KELLEY, Commissioner.

Placed on file.

LIGHTING FOR EVENING RECREATIONAL PROGRAMS ON BOSTON COMMON.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 28, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation Department relative to your order of February 28, 1955, concerning the installation of adequate artificial lighting for the purpose of conducting evening recreational programs on the Charles Street section of the Boston Common.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Parks and Recreation Department,
March 22, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.
Dear Sir:
This letter will supplement letter sent to you by Arthur J. O'Keefe, Executive Secretary, under date of March 9, 1955, relative to the installation of artificial lighting on Charles Street Mall and the arranging of an evening program of recreational activities. An order covering these two subjects was filed in the City Council by Councillor Gabriel Piemonte.
To accomplish the improvement suggested by the City Council, it would cost a considerable amount of money for which no provisions have been made within our budget.
As to the lighting on Charles Street Mall, I desire to acquaint the Councillor with the fact that all lighting on playgrounds, parks, and city streets come under the Lighting Division of the Public Works Department and is not the responsibility of the Parks and Recreation Department.
Very truly yours,
FRANK R. KELLEY, Commissioner.

Placed on file.

IMPROVING FACILITIES AT UNION STREET PLAYGROUND.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 28, 1955.
To the City Council.
Gentlemen:
I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner, Parks and Recreation Department, relative to your resolution of February 28, 1955, concerning the reconditioning of the Union Street Playground in Brighton.
Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Parks and Recreation Department,
March 9, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.
Dear Sir:
This will acknowledge receipt of memo from the office of the Mayor dated March 7, with attached copy of order of Councillor Ahearn relative to the rehabilitation of the Union Street Playground in Brighton.
According to the order, the Councillor requests that his Honor the Mayor intercede with the Park Department to recondition the Union Street Playground, install new facilities where needed, and place it in service as a small tots' play area with an attendant in charge for the coming summer.
The request contained in this order has been referred to the Chief Engineer and the contents of the order will be called to the attention of Commissioner Kelley on his return to the city.
Very truly yours,
ARTHUR J. O'KEEFE,
Executive Secretary.

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City of Boston,
Parks and Recreation Department,
March 22, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.
Dear Sir:
This will serve to supplement letter sent to you on March 9, 1955, by Arthur J. O'Keefe, Executive Secretary, in relation to the rehabilitation of Union Street Playground in Brighton. Councillor Francis X. Ahearn filed an order in the City Council requesting his Honor the Mayor to intercede with the Park Department in relation to reconditioning this play area.
I have today instructed the Deputy Commissioner to take immediate steps to see that the area is placed in first-class condition.
Very truly yours,
FRANK R. KELLEY, Commissioner.

Placed on file.

CONSTRUCTION OF TRUCK TERMINAL AT P AND EAST FIRST STREETS, SOUTH BOSTON.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 28, 1955.
To the City Council.
Gentlemen:
I transmit herewith communications from the Fire Commissioner and the Building Commissioner relative to your order of March 7, 1955, concerning the ascertaining as to whether any applications have been made in connection with the construction or establishment of a truck terminal at the corner of P and East First streets in South Boston.
Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Fire Department, March 15, 1955.
Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.
Sir:
Please be advised that there is no application in this department for anything that might be considered as bearing on the construction or establishment of a truck terminal at the corner of P and east First streets in the South Boston section of the City of Boston.
This information is forwarded to you in answer to the order of the City Council on March 7, 1955.
Very truly yours,
FRANCIS X. COTTER,
Fire Commissioner.

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City of Boston,
Building Department, March 28, 1955.
Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.
Dear Mr. Mayor:
In answer to the order of the Boston City Council dated March 7, 1955, regarding a truck terminal in the vicinity of P and East First streets in South Boston, your Honor is advised that on Friday, March 25, 1955, an application was filed in the Building Department for the erection of a Type II office building and trucking terminal in the premises numbered 5 Farragut road, Ward 6.
The lot in question is bounded by Farragut roads East First, East Second, and P streets. Permit, have been granted for the removal of the structures presently on the lot. It should be noted that although several inquiries have been made in this department, the filing of this application is the first tangible evidence of the project.
The proposed building will be approximately 178 feet x 252 feet, one story in height, and the cost has been set provisionally at $200,000. The owners are the Albany Garage Corporation, 210 Albany street, Boston.
The property was owned formerly by the Metropolitan Transit Authority and is 125,000 square feet in area. Somewhat more than one quarter of this lies within an I-80 (industrial, 80-foot) zone and the remainder is in an L-65 (local business, 65-foot) zone. Since a trucking business is not a permissive use within a local business zone, the application will be refused. The representatives of the owners have already indicated their intention of taking the case to the Board of Appeal, which Board, under the law, will schedule a public hearing.
The Committee on Licenses has at this time received no application for the garage license. Such application undoubtedly will be contingent upon the action of the Board of Appeal. In any event, a public hearing before the Committee on Licenses will also be required for the garage license and due notice of such hearing is customarily sent to your Honor and to the City Councillors.
Very truly yours,
CHARLES A. CALLAHAN,
Building Commissioner.

Placed on file.

LOAN OF $5,000,000 FOR ESTABLISHMENT OF OFF-STREET PARKING FACILITIES.

Coun. McCORMACK called up, under assignment No. 2 on the calendar, viz:
2. Order for loan of $5,000,000 for the establishment of off-street parking facilities.
On March 14, 1955, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 9.
The order was given its second reading and passage, yeas 8, nays 0:
Yeas—Councillors Ahearn, Foley, Hailer, Kerrigan, McCormack, McLaughlin, Piemonte, White—8.
Nays—0.

USE OF FUNDS FOR OFF-STREET PARKING FOR CERTAIN SITES.

Coun. McCORMACK called up, under assignment No. 3 on the calendar, the following:
3. Resolution that funds for establishment of off-street parking facilities be used for certain sites.
On March 14, 1955, the foregoing resolution was laid on the table for 14 days.

Coun. WHITE in the chair.

The resolution was adopted.

COMPREHENSIVE PLAN FOR ESTABLISHMENT OF OFF-STREET PARKING FACILITIES.

Coun. FOLEY called up, under assignment No. 4 on the calendar, the following:
4. Resolution for comprehensive plan for establishment of off-street parking facilities.
On March 14, 1955, the foregoing resolution was laid on the table for 14 days.
The resolution was adopted.

LEASE OF SPACE IN CURTIS HALL BY UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 28, 1955.
To the Honorable City Council.
Gentlemen:
I transmit herewith a communication received from George P. Donovan, Assistant Commissioner of Real Property, relative to the leasing of space in the Curtis Hall building to the United States of America for draft board purposes. The government has been occupying these premises for several years and desires to renew its lease with the City of Boston upon the same terms and conditions.
I transmit herewith an order which will permit renewal of this lease and recommend its adoption by your Honorable Body.
Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Real Property Department,
March 28, 1955.
Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.
Dear Mr. Mayor:
Portions of the first floor of the Municipal Building, Curtis Hall, South street, Jamaica Plain, are presently occupied by the local draft board pursuant to a lease which expired December 31, 1954. The General Services Administration of the United States of America has requested that it be permitted to lease this space for draft board purposes for a term of one year commencing January 1, 1955, and renewable for an additional year at an annual rental of $1,463.
I respectfully request your Honor to submit to the City Council an order which will authorize the execution of a lease with the United States of America for the above-stated purposes.
Respectfully,
GEORGE P. DONOVAN,
Assistant Commissioner.

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Whereas, The City of Boston is the owner in fee of premises at 20 South street in the Jamaica Plain district of the City of Boston known as Curtis Hall, in the care, custody, control and management of the Assistant Commissioner of Real Property of the City of Boston; and
Whereas, The United States of America desires to lease a room in said building for office space and related uses; now, therefore it is hereby
Ordered, That the Assistant Commissioner of Real Property of the City of Boston be, and he hereby is, authorized, with the approval of the Mayor of the City of Boston, to execute and deliver to the United States of America an indenture of lease whereby the City of Boston leases to the United States of America approximately six hundred and fifty (650) square feet of space comprised in one unnumbered room at the northwest corner of the third floor in the building known as Curtis Hall, located at 20 South street, in the Jamaica Plain section of the City of Boston, Massachusetts, for the term of one (1) year, beginning with the first day of January, 1955, for a yearly rental of fourteen hundred sixty-two and 50/100 (1,462.50) dollars, renewable from year to year, by the United States of America at the same rental; and the City of Boston to provide heat, water and general janitor service; said lease to be terminable by the United States of America at any time upon thirty (30) days' notice. Said lease may contain such further terms and conditions as in the opinion of the Assistant Commissioner of Real Property are required and not inconsistent with the foregoing.
Referred to the Committee on Public Lands.

FUNDS TO PLAN PUBLIC WORKS PROJECTS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 28, 1955.
To the City Council.
Gentlemen:
I transmit herewith in response to the order of the City Council of March 7, 1955, a report from the Director of Administrative Services concerning the securing of advance planning funds for city departments through the Community Facilities Administration of the U. S. Housing and Home Finance Agency.
Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Administrative Services Department,
March 28, 1955.
Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.
Dear Sir:
Under date of March 7, 1955, the following order was adopted by the City Council:
"Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor bring to the attention of his department heads the opportunity of securing through the Community Facilities Administration of the U. S. Housing and Home Finance Agency interest-free advances to plan public works projects, and that his Honor the Mayor report to the City Council on the extent to

which city departments have submitted applications for such advance planning funds."

Contact with the local field office of the U. S. Housing and Home Finance Agency has produced the following information:

Public Law 560, 83d Congress, approved August 2, 1954, authorizes the Administrator, Housing and Home Finance Agency, to advance funds to public bodies with which to plan needed public works. Of the total of $10,000,000 authorized by the Congress, the sum of $1,000,000 has been appropriated. The law limits the total amount available for advances in any one state to not more than 5 per cent of the total appropriated funds. This limitation means that at the present time only $50,000 may be advanced to public bodies in Massachusetts. A circular of information issued by the Agency states that "preferential consideration will be given to applications from communities of less than 25,000 population—for construction of urgently needed water supply and distribution systems or sewage collection and disposal systems."

In view of the limited amount of funds available for advances at the present time and the stated preference for small communities and special types of projects, no action has been taken by city departments with respect to the submitting of applications for such advance planning funds.

Respectfully,
CHARLES J. FOX,
Director, Administrative Services.

Placed on file.

OCCUPATION OF SITE ON LONG ISLAND BY UNITED STATES ARMY.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 28, 1955.

To the Honorable City Council.

Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith for your consideration an order whereby the City of Boston might permit the United States of America to occupy certain parcels of land at Long Island, Boston Harbor.

The site requested by the United States Army is to be used for antiaircraft defense purposes for the City of Boston. I therefore request the speedy adoption of the accompanying order by your Honorable Body.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

Whereas, The City of Boston is the owner in fee of four parcels of land situated at Long Island, Boston, Massachusetts, and shown on a plan hereinafter referred to; and

Whereas, The United States of America desires to use the said parcels of land for such military uses as the government may require; and

Whereas, The aforementioned land is not presently required for hospital purposes; now, therefore, it is hereby

Ordered, That the Mayor of the City of Boston be, and he hereby is, authorized to execute and deliver to the United States of America a contract for the use and occupation of Parcels 1, 2, 3, and 4 as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Institutions Department, Long Island Survey, August 23, 1951," for the sum of one dollar ($1), upon such terms and conditions as set forth in an instrument entitled "Contract No. DA 19-016-eng 2951."

Referred to the Committee on Public Lands.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCE.

Coun. HAILER, for the Committee on Appropriations and Finance, submitted the following:

Report on message of Mayor and order (referred February 14) for loan of $1,000,000 for additional departmental equipment — recommending that same ought to pass.

The report of the committee was accepted.

The order was given its first reading and passage, yeas 8, nays 0:

Yeas—Councillors Ahearn, Foley, Hailer, Kerrigan, McCormack, McLaughlin, Piemonte, White—8.

Nays—0:

The order was assigned for 14 days for final action.

LOAN OF $2,000,000 FOR ESTABLISHMENT OF OFF-STREET PARKING FACILITIES.

Coun. McCORMACK called up, under assignment No. 1 on the calendar, viz:

1. Order for loan of $2,000,000 for the establishment of off-street parking facilities.

On February 18, 1955, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

On motion of Councillor McCormack it was voted that no further action is necessary on the order.

NEXT MEETING OF COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCE.

Coun. HAILER announced that there would be a meeting of the Committee on Appropriations and Finance at 10.30 A.M. on Wednesday, March 30, 1955.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committee named, viz.:

Claims.

Sidney and Nellie Cohen, for compensation for damage to property at 66 Hackensack road, West Roxbury, caused during blasting for sewer.

Pasquale M. DeGregorio, for compensation for damage to car by city truck.

Wesley & Doris Dilworth, for compensation for damage to property at 86 Ruthven street, Roxbury, caused by backing up of sewage.

George Gold, for compensation for loss of golf clubs at Franklin Park Refectory Building.

John J. Halloran, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect in Northern Avenue Drawbridge.

S. S. Kresge Company, to be reimbursed for overpayment of common victualler's license for store at 477 Washington street, Boston.

James F. Lydon, to be reimbursed as result of executions issued against him on account of his acts as employee of Sewer Division, Public Works Department.

Virginia Munafo, for compensation for damage to clothing caused by an alleged defect in bathhouse at Vine and Dudley streets.

George F. Murphy, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect at Bunker Hill street, near Lexington avenue.

Emily Myers, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 1065 River street, Hyde Park.

Mary O'Keefe, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 170 West Seventh street, South Boston.

Arthur Sirignano, for compensation for damage to property at 146 Brooks street, East Boston, caused by broken sewer pipe.

Ida Spiegel, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 257 Humboldt avenue.

Sven Williamson, for compensation for damage to property at 19 Elm street, Boston, caused by water entering cellar.

Chester T. Wodjakowski, to be reimbursed as result of execution issued against him on account of his acts as employee of Police Department.

PERMIT FOR CHILDREN.

Petition for children under fifteen years of age to appear at place of public amusement was received as follows:

Ruth M. Taylor, New England Mutual Hall, on April 30, 1955.

Permit granted under usual conditions.

MINOR'S LICENSE.

The application of Bernard Fisken, 17 Allen street, Ward 3, for newsboy's license was received.

License granted under usual conditions.

APPLICATIONS FOR SHELLFISH PERMITS.

Applications for commercial use shellfish permits were received from the following:

Vincent P. Chamberlain, 323 Border street, East Boston, Ward 1.

Salvatore L. D'Amico, 293 Lexington street, East Boston, Ward 1.

Robert E. Kneeland, 7 Thomas park, South Boston, Ward 7.

Frederick A. Muise, 369 Border street, East Boston, Ward 1.

Severally referred to the Committee on Licenses.

PETITIONS FOR INDEMNIFICATIONS

Petition of John A. Abbott, employee of Boston Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses.

Petition of Joseph M. Kenney, employee of Boston Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses.

Petition of Leslie W. Magoon, employee of Boston Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses.

Petition of William H. McAndrew, employee of Boston Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses.

Petition of Frank M. Sanseverino, employee of Boston Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses.

Petition of Charles N. Vogel, employee of Boston Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses.

Petition of Leo J. Walker, employee of Boston Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses.

Severally referred to the Committee on Claims.

NOTICES OF HEARING BEFORE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES.

Notice was received from the Department of Public Utilities of hearing to be held April 11, 1955, at 10 A.M., on petition of Pierce Bus Lines for license to operate motor vehicles over Turtle Pond Parkway, in the Hyde Park district.

Notice was received from the Department of Public Utilities of hearing to be held April 11, 1955, at 10 A.M., on petition of Metropolitan Transit Authority for a license to operate night service between 12 midnight and 6 A.M. over certain routes.

Severally referred to the Committee on Licenses.

NOTICES FROM STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

A communication was received from the Department of Public Works transmitting copy of order granting layout and taking of portion of state highway (John F. Fitzgerald Expressway).

A communication was received from the Department of Public Works transmitting copy of order and layout and taking of portion of state highway (John F. Fitzgerald Expressway).

Severally placed on file.

APPOINTMENT OF JOHN M. CORCORAN.

Notice was received from the Assessing Department of the appointment of John M. Corcoran as a permanent assistant assessor, effective February 23, 1955.

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT OF JOHN D. O'BRIEN.

Notice was received from the Health Commissioner of appointment of John D. O'Brien as environmental sanitation inspector, Health Department, effective March 23, 1955.

Placed on file.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ORDINANCES.

On the message of the Mayor and ordinance referred February 14, 1955, amending divers provisions of the Boston Building Code, and message of the Mayor and communication from the Building Commissioner referred March 21, 1955, recommending an amendment to section 8 of the aforesaid ordinance, the Committee on Ordinances having considered both the ordinance and amendment respectfully recommends passage of the ordinance with section 8 amended as so recommended by the Building Commissioner.

For the Committee,
GABRIEL F. PIEMONTE, Chairman.

The report of the committee was accepted. The amendment was adopted. The ordinance as amended was passed.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CLAIMS.

Coun. McCORMACK, for the Committee on Claims, submitted the following:

Report on petition of John J. Kelliher (referred February 28) to be reimbursed as a result of an execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Bridge Division, Public Works Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That the sum of two hundred fifteen dollars and eight cents ($215.08) be allowed and paid to John J. Kelliher in reimbursement for amount of execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Bridge Division, Public Works Department, said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

Report on petition of Edward J. Sweeney (referred March 7) to be reimbursed as a result of an execution issued against him on account of his acts as a member of the Fire Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order.

Ordered, The the sum of three huudred ninety-eight dollars and ninety-seven cents ($398.97) be allowed and paid to Edward J. Sweeney in reimbursement for amount of execution issued against him on account of his acts as a member of the Fire Department, said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims, and Reimbursements.

Report on petition of John J. O'Donnell (referred February 28) to be reimbursed as a result of an execution issued against him on account of his acts as a member of the Fire Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That the sum of ninety dollars ($90) be allowed and paid to John J. O'Donnell in reimbursement for amount of execution issued against him on account of his acts as a member of the Fire Department, said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

The reports were accepted, and the orders were severally passed.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFIRMATIONS.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN, for the Committee on Confirmations, submitted the following:

1. Report on annual list of appointments by the Mayor (referred March 14) of constables au-

thorized to serve civil process upon filing of bond as contained in City Document, No. 20, 1955—recommending confirmation of the appointments with the exception of Louis E. Grace.

The report was accepted and the question came on confirmation of the list of constables with the exception of Louis E. Grace. Committee, Councillors Foley and Piemonte. Whole number of ballots 8, yeas 8, and the annual list of constables was confirmed with the exception of Louis E. Grace.

2. Report on appointments by the Mayor (referred March 21) of minor officers paid by fees as contained in City Document, No. 27, 1955, for term ending April 30, 1956—recommending that appointments be confirmed.

The report was accepted and the question came on confirmation. Committee, Councillors Ahearn and McLaughlin. Whole number of ballots 7, yeas 6, nays 1, and the appointments were confirmed.

CONGRATULATIONS TO WILLIAM RANDOLPH HEARST, JR., AND ASSOCIATES.

Coun. HURLEY and WHITE offered the following:

Whereas, William Randolph Hearst, Jr., Editor-in-Chief of the Hearst newspapers throughout the United States, which include the Boston *American*, the *Daily Record*, and the Boston *Sunday Advertiser*, will visit Boston during the coming week; and

Whereas, During his visit he will be honored at a luncheon by the American Legion, Department of Massachusetts; and

Whereas, The Boston City Council recognizes the great work that has been accomplished by the Hearst newspapers throughout the country, and in particular the three aforementioned, published in Boston, by Harold G. Kern, General Manager of all Hearst publications; and

Whereas, This work includes their battles for a great road program throughout America and their charitable activities in behalf of our veterans of all wars; and

Whereas, In particular the Hearst publications have been in the forefront of the battle against atheistic communism; and

Whereas, In keeping with the paper's policy in the communist battle, William Randolph Hearst, Jr., has recently toured the U.S.S.R. in company with Kingsbury Smith, European Manager, International News Service, and Frank Conniff, Editorial Assistant to Mr. Hearst; and

Whereas, As a result of this trip the people of America were given an excellent series of articles entitled "Russia Uncensored" written by Mr. Hearst in association with Mr. Smith and Mr. Conniff, and a series of interviews with high ranking Soviet officials; and

Whereas, Mr. Hearst will bring to the people of Boston and of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts a further insight and additional information in his "Report on Russia—Uncensored" to be delivered at the American Legion luncheon; and

Whereas, It is the considered opinion of the members of the Boston City Council that an enlightened and informed people are best prepared for any actions they may be required to take, and they are better equipped to fight this menace of atheistic communism; be it therefore

Resolved, That the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, extends its greetings and welcome and congratulations to William Randolph Hearst, Jr., and his associates, Kingsbury Smith and Frank Conniff, and wishes for them a most happy visit in our historic old state and city from whence the Battle for Liberty and Freedom began, and further wishes them God's choicest blessings, good health and long life to continue their work; and be it further

Resolved, That copies of this resolution be presented to Mr. Hearst, Mr. Smith, Mr. Conniff, and the officers of the *Record*, *American*, and *Sunday Advertiser* in Boston.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

PENSIONS PAYABLE UNDER PERMANENT SCHOOL PENSION FUND.

Coun. WHITE offered the following:

Resolved, That the City Council of Boston favors the consideration by the Legislature of the petition now held under Joint Rule 7B relative to equalizing pensions payable under the Permanent School Pension Fund in the City of Boston; provided that any such legislation enacted includes a referendum to the Mayor and City Council.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

LEGISLATION RE PAYMENT OF SUM OF MONEY TO MELVIN SCHWARTZ.

Coun. AHEARN offered the following:

Resolved, That the City Council of Boston favors the consideration by the Legislature of the petition now held under Joint Rule 7B providing "That the City of Boston Be Authorized to Pay a Sum of Money to Melvin Schwartz for Expenses Incurred as a Result of Injury," provided that any such legislation enacted includes a referendum to the Mayor and City Council.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

SPECIAL MEETING OF COUNCIL TO ACT ON RENT CONTROL.

Coun. AHEARN offered the following:

Ordered, That as soon as the Legislature passes an act to authorize cities and towns to extend rent controls and His Excellency, the Governor, signs said act, then the President of the City Council shall forthwith call a special meeting of the City Council to take action on rent controls in Boston.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

AMENDMENT OF ORDINANCE RE PAVING AND PAVING CONTRACTS.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Be it ordained that chapter 27, section 9, subsection 1 of the Revised Ordinances of 1947 be, and is hereby amended, so as to read

"1. That the restoration of the paving or other surface of such streets shall be effected by the city as directed by the commissioner, the work to be done by city employees or by contract, the standard type and extent of the repairs necessary to be determined by the commissioner.

"The placing of contracts for such restoration of the paving or other surface of such streets shall without exception be done under open competitive bid after advertising in all the daily newspapers of Boston and such other advertising as may seem advisable.

"The necessity of emergency work shall be anticipated on the basis of previous experience and shall also be contracted for after open advertised public competitive bid.

"Payment for such contractual work shall be made uniformly in every case under one policy to be established by the Public Works Commissioner and to be included in the terms of the contract when such contract is publicly advertised for bid."

Referred to the Committee on Ordinances.

FIREWORKS DISPLAY IN EAST BOSTON.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Whereas, It has been the policy of the City of Boston to provide fireworks displays in celebration of July 4, for the past few years; and

Whereas, By inadvertence, the East Boston district has not yet been provided a fireworks display; and

Whereas, The East Boston district in justice is entitled this year to such a display; now therefore be it

Resolved, That the Boston City Council hereby expresses its desire that every possible effort be made to provide the East Boston district a fine fireworks display this year.

On motion of Councillor McLaughlin the resolution was referred to the Executive Committee.

LIGHTING ON ROSELAND STREET, DORCHESTER.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to promptly arrange for the installation of electric lights on Roseland street, Dorchester, to replace the present gas lamps and to generally improve the lighting facilities in that area.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

SURVEY OF STREET MARKINGS IN DORCHESTER AREA.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Whereas, The streets of the Dorchester district are complex in pattern to those not familiar with the area; and

Whereas, The locating of streets is difficult to visitors and the drivers of commercial vehicles who make deliveries to Dorchester homes and business places; and

Whereas, The Dorchester Board of Trade has brought to the attention of the Boston City Council that many of Dorchester's street signs are missing, therefore be it

Ordered, That the Department of Public Works, through his Honor the Mayor, be requested to survey the street markings of the Dorchester area and determine how many of them should be replaced; and be it further

Resolved, That the number of signs in need of replaced markings be reported to the Mayor and the City Council.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

LAND FOR PARKING UNDER FITZGERALD EXPRESSWAY.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor, consult with the Governor of the Commonwealth and the State Commissioner of Public Works in an effort to secure a transfer of the land under the Fitzgerald Expressway for the purpose of installing meters, and, to include this site in the city's parking program.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

EARLIER STARTING TIME FOR EVACUATION DAY PARADE.

Coun. FOLEY, McCORMACK and KERRIGAN offered the following:

That the Director of Public Celebrations make a survey among the interested parties listed below to determine their attitude toward the proposed policy of starting the annual Evacuation Day parade at 12 M. or at some other hour earlier than the present starting time.

1. South Boston Citizens Association;
2. Allied Veterans Council of South Boston;
3. The various C. Y. O. bands participating;
4. The Boston Police Commissioner concerning the late afternoon traffic problem;
5. The Boston Traffic Commissioner concerning the late afternoon traffic problem; and

That the Director of Public Celebrations report to the City Council the results of the survey when completed.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

INCREASE OF PENSIONS TO CERTAIN RETIRED EMPLOYEES.

Coun. HURLEY and KERRIGAN offered the following:

Resolved, That the City Council of Boston favors the consideration by the Legislature of the petition now held under Joint Rule 7B, providing that the retirement authority of the City of Boston shall forthwith increase to two thousand dollars the pension of any retired employee who upon his retirement received less than fifteen hundred dollars a year and who since his retirement has not been increased more than three hundred dollars; provided that any such legislation enacted includes a referendum to the Mayor and City Council.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

SKELETON FORCE OF EMPLOYEES ON GOOD FRIDAY.

Coun. KERRIGAN offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor instruct his department heads to grant leave of absence to all employees on Good Friday wherever possible.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

OFFICIAL RECEPTION TO WILLIAM RANDOLPH HEARST, JR.

Coun. AHEARN offered the following:

Whereas, It has been the custom for the City of Boston to receive outstanding and distinguished visitors by tendering them a reception and luncheon; and

Whereas, Boston will be honored by the visit of William Randolph Hearst, Jr., Editor-in-Chief of the Hearst newspapers, including the Boston *American*, the Boston *Daily Record*, and the Boston *Sunday Advertiser;* and

Whereas, Mr. Hearst is carrying on a renowned tradition in the publication of newspapers and has distinguished himself as a publisher vitally interested in the welfare of our state and nation, as well as our city; now therefore be it

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor is hereby requested to tender to William Randolph Hearst, Jr., on the occasion of his visit to the City of Boston, a reception and luncheon at which Boston will have an opportunity to demonstrate its customary hospitality to William Randolph Hearst, Jr., and its gratitude for his work in the newspaper world.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

ADVERTISING ADVANTAGES AFFORDED BY CITY OF BOSTON TO INDUSTRY.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Resolved, That the Greater Boston Chamber of Commerce, the Retail Trade Board, the Boston Real Estate Board, and such other groups as may be interested in the progress of Boston, including private business firms and individuals, be encouraged to focus public attention on the advantages afforded by the City of Boston to industry by means of public service advertisements in the newspapers and other media of advertising; and be it further

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor assign some individual or individuals in his office to correlate such data and information as may be useful for the aforesaid purposes.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

PREPARATION BY PLANNING BOARD OF DATA RE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT OF BOSTON.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor consider the advisability of requesting the Planning Board of the City of Boston to include in its scope the

preparation of studies, maps and data for the economic development of Boston; and be it further

Resolved, That the results of such studies, maps and data be made public; and be it further

Resolved, That notice of the availability of such studies, maps and data be made public.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

REGRET AT DEATH OF WALTER WHITE.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Resolved, That the City Council of Boston, in meeting assembled, hereby expresses its deep regret at the death of Walter White, who during his life, with distinction and credit, was one of this country's greatest champions of justice and real democracy for all men.

The resolution was adopted by a unanimous rising vote.

REGRET AT DEATH OF ELLIOT FREEMAN.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Resolved, That the City Council of Boston, in meeting assembled, hereby expresses its deep regret at the sudden death of Elliot Freeman who, as a columnist and metropolitan distributor of the Afro-American Newspaper, was an ardent champion of Bostou and fair play for all of its citizens.

The resolution was adopted by a unanimous rising vote.

STORAGE OF GASOLINE OR FUEL AT 120-172 BORDER STREET, EAST BOSTON.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Resolved, That the Licensing Committee of the Building Department, the Fire Department, and any and all other agencies of the City of Boston charged with the responsibility of issuing permits and/or licenses for the storage of gasoline and/or oil be and are hereby directed to refrain from granting any renewal or new licenses for the storage of gasoline or fuel to be exercised on the premises 120-172 Border street, East Boston.

Coun. AHEARN in the chair.

Coun. WHITE in the chair.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

RECESS.

On motion of Councillor Foley, the Council voted to take a recess at 5.30 P.M., subject to the call of the Chair. The members reassembled in the Council Chamber and were called to order by Chairman WHITE at 7.45 P.M.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. WHITE, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following:

1. Report on order (referred March 7) for loan of $1,000,000 for off-street parking facilities—recommending no further action is necessary.

2. Report on order (referred March 7) for loan of $2,000,000 for off-street parking facilities—recommending no further action is necessary.

3. Report on order (referred March 7) for loan of $1,500,000 for off-street parking facilities in the general areas of Fort Hill square, Washington and Essex streets, Bromfield and School streets, Central, Kilby and Water streets—recommending no further action is necessary.

The reports were accepted.

4. Report on message of the Mayor (referred March 7) requesting action on the order for loan of $5,000,000 for off-street parking facilities—recommending that message be placed on file.

The report was accepted, and the message was placed on file.

Adjourned at 7.54 P.M., on motion of Councillor Foley, to meet on Monday, April 4, 1955, at 2 P.M.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

(Stenographic copy of such debate on file in office of City Clerk.)

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

NOTE.—Applicants are advised to file applications early. In event of a tie on the eligible list, the applicant who filed his application first will be given precedence.

HEARINGS STENOGRAPHER, DIVISION OF CIVIL SERVICE, DEPARTMENT OF CIVIL SERVICE AND REGISTRATION, MAY 21, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, May 2, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $3,480 a year; the maximum salary is $4,200 a year.

Vacancies: At present there is one vacancy for a female, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: To record verbatim, in shorthand, the proceedings at hearings, meetings, conferences, or similar gatherings; to transcribe the shorthand notes accurately and rapidly on a typewriter; when not engaged in hearing work, to do other stenographic or clerical work; and to perform related work as required.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants must have had at least one year of full-time paid experience in which hearing stenographic work was the major duty or at least three years of full-time paid experience in which other stenographic work was the major duty.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 1; practical questions, 1; stenography, 3; total, 5.

The dictation will be given at the rate of 175 and 200 words a minute, and the material dictated at each of these rates of speed will be of about 300 words in length. Applicants may transcribe either or both of the speed tests. If the two tests are transcribed, both will be marked and the applicant will be given the higher of the two marks. The transcription is marked for both speed of dictation and accuracy.

Passing Requirements. Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in accuracy of transcription of at least one dictation and in each subject in order to become eligible.

AMENDMENTS TO ORIGINAL AWARDS OF DAMAGES.

The Mayor has approved the following votes of the Public Improvement Commission:

Voted, That the amount of $125 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Ralph G. and Clara J. Schlehuber for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of June 22, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Bateman street, Hyde Park.

Voted, That the amount of $380 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Francis C. and May G. Muir for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of May 21, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Hallron street, Hyde Park.

Voted, That the amount of $361.15 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Elisabeth B. Worcester for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of March 25, 1953, for the widening and construction of West Broadway, South Boston.

Voted, That the amount of $175 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Fred Smith for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of November 21, 1952, for the laying out and construction of Wyvern street, West Roxbury.

Voted, That the amount $75 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Margaret H. Huban for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of September 12, 1952, for the laying out and construction of Buchanan road, West Roxbury.

Voted, That the amount of $100 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Leo F. and Merle A. Quevillon for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of June 8, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Grassmere road, Hyde Park.

CITY OF BOSTON.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING AND INSTALLING UNDERGROUND CONDUIT AND CONCRETE BASES FOR TRAFFIC SIGNAL POSTS IN THE INTERSECTION OF LONGWOOD AVENUE AND RIVERWAY IN THE CITY OF BOSTON.

The Boston Traffic Commission, office 112 Southampton street, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for furnishing and installing underground conduit and concrete bases for traffic signal posts in the intersection of Longwood avenue and Riverway in the City of Boston. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commission in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at 112 Southampton street. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Furnishing and Installing Underground Conduit and Concrete Bases for Traffic Signal Posts in the Intersection of Longwood Avenue and Riverway in the City of Boston," and left at 112 Southampton street, before 12 M. on Thursday, April 21, 1955, with a certified check for two hundred (200) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. If the lump sum price appears to the Commission to be abnormally high or low, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Boston Traffic Commission. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract, and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to accept any proposal should he deem it to be for the best interests of the city so to do.

WM. ARTHUR REILLY,
Traffic Commissioner.

(April 9-16.)

Voted, That the amount of $170 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to John F. and Mary E. Horan for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of July 23, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Halsey road, Hyde Park.

Voted, That the amount of $75 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Eleanor L. Bunker for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of July 17, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Deforest street, Hyde Park.

Voted, That the amount of $200 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Joseph R. and Mary H. Cleary for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of September 5, 1952, for the laying out and construction of Fernwood road, West Roxbury.

CITY OF BOSTON.

REAL PROPERTY BOARD.
PROPERTY DIVISION.

Public Auction.

April 20, 1955, on the Premises.

	Upset Price.	Deposit.
9.30 A.M.—Vacant land, 113 Hudson Street, adjacent 111 Hudson Street, Boston, 1,400 square feet	$1,000	$500
9.45 A.M.—Vacant land, 7, 9, 11 and southwesterly side, Fellows Court, Roxbury, 3,428 square feet	200	200
10.00 A.M.—Vacant land, Old Colony Avenue, Lot 1, adjacent 786 Old Colony Boulevard, Dorchester, 12,750 square feet	900	500
10.15 A.M.—Vacant land, Frazer Street, Lots 76, 77, 78, opposite 15 Frazer Street, Dorchester, 8,560 square feet	400	100
10.25 A.M.—Vacant land, Hallet-Davis Street, Lot 137 and Milton Street, Lots 138, 139, corner Milton and Hallet-Davis Streets, Dorchester, 10,312 square feet	400	100
10.40 A.M.—Vacant land, Temple Street, westerly side, adjacent 66 Temple Street, Dorchester, 35,280 square feet	800	500
10.55 A.M.—Vacant land, Wainwright Street, Part of Lot D, (rear), rear of 25 Wainwright Street, Dorchester, 2,011 square feet	100	100
11.10 A.M.—Vacant land, Rowe Street, Lots A-B, C2-C1, between 22-70 Rowe Street, West Roxbury, 110,502 square feet	1,500	500
11.20 A.M.—Vacant land, Poplar Street, Lots 187, 188, 189, adjacent 361 Poplar Street, West Roxbury, 29,226 square feet	500	500
11.30 A.M.—Vacant land, Clare Avenue (formerly Huntington Avenue) Lots 171, 172, adjacent 106 Clare Avenue, Hyde Park, 12,500 square feet	400	400
11.40 A.M. Vacant land, Safford Street, Lot Z, opposite 80 Safford Street, Hyde Park, 160 square feet	100	100
11.55 A.M.—Vacant land, Beaver Street, Lots 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, adjacent 46 Beaver Street and Gordon Avenue, Lot 1, Hyde Park, 35,011 square feet	900	500
12.10 P.M.—Vacant land, Washington Street, Lot 75, adjacent 1803 Washington Street, West Roxbury, 1,000 square feet	400	400
12.25 P.M.—Vacant land, New Haven Street, Lots 54, 55, 56, adjacent 54 New Haven Street, West Roxbury, 13,251 square feet	300	300
12.40 P.M.—Vacant land, Belair Street, Lots 14, 15, 16, 17 and Manchester Street, Lots 30, 31, 32, 33, 34 and Newfield Street, Lots 5, 10, 11, 12, 13, 18, 19, 20, 28 and Sylvan Street, Lots 22, 23, 24, 25, West Roxbury, 77,606 square feet	2,000	500
1.10 P.M.—Vacant land, Empire Street, northerly side, opposite Mayflower Street, Brighton, 7,070 square feet	350	350

The Chairman reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

For further information call LA 3-5100, line 236.

Herman Carp, *Chairman.* John J. McGrath, *Auctioneer.*

(April 9.)

READVERTISEMENT.

This Advertisement Supersedes Invitation for Proposals Published in "City Record," March 26, 1955.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

STREET CONSTRUCTION.

Proposals for Bituminous Concrete Pavement in Alvarado Avenue, Ward 18, Fairview Avenue to Approximately 383 Feet Northwesterly; Chesterfield Street, Ward 18 (Formerly Vaughan Street), Readville Street to Manila Avenue; Danny Road, Ward 18 (Formerly Damrell Avenue), Reynold Road to Vallaro Road; Manila Avenue, Ward 18, Norton Street to Chesterfield Street; Reynold Road, Ward 18 (Formerly Nelson Street), Chesterfield Street to Como Road; Vallaro Road, Ward 18 (Formerly Stark Avenue), Como Road to Danny Road.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations whereln the controllng interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for bituminous concrete pavement ln Alvarado avenue, etc. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may he obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Bituminous Concrete Pavement in Alvarado Avenue, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, hefore 2 P.M. of FRIDAY, APRIL 15, 1955, with a certified check for THIRTY-TWO HUNDRED (3,200) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must he made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from hldders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any ltem appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the hidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containlng such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to he performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determlned by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule ls annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, wlthout cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performsnce of this contract, the Contractor shall provide hy insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance ln full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

George G. Hyland,
(Apr. 9.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

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Joshua H. Jones, *Editor.*

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING.

CITY OF BOSTON.

REAL PROPERTY BOARD.
Room 809, City Hall Annex.

In Real Property Board of the City of Boston, Room 809, City Hall Annex, March 24, 1955.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that public necessity requires the taking of a parcel of land on the northerly side of Belden street, extending through to the sontherly side of Wendover street, with a right of way over Phillips place to Dudley street, Dorchester district, containing approximately 24,450 square feet, for off-street parking purposes, substantially as shown on a plan on file in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order to make said taking, and that it appoints 11 o'clock A.M. of Thursday, April 21, 1955, and the Public Hearing Rooms of the Public Improvement Commission of the City of Boston, 401 City Hall Annex, as the time and place for a PUBLIC HEARING IN THE MATTER.

Real Property Board,
Herman Carp, *Chairman,*
William F. Keesler,
David L. Currier,
Thomas F. McDonough,
George P. Donovan.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on this date.

Attest:
Joseph B. Burke,
Executive Secretary.

(April 9.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Proposals for Subsoiling and Concrete Liners at Mount Hope Cemetery, West Roxbury, Mass.

The Commissioner of Parks and Recreation of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, invites proposals for subsoiling and concrete liners at Mount Hope Cemetery, West Roxbury, Mass. Forms of proposals must he obtained at the Engineer's office of the Parks and Recreation Department, 33 Beacon street. Each proposal should be signed hy the hidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed and marked "Proposal for Subsoiling and Concrete Liners at Mount Hope Cemetery, West Roxbury, Mass.," and left before 2 o'clock P.M. on Friday, April 15, 1955, at the office of the Parks and Recreation Department, with a certified check for $1,500, payable to and to be the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, and will then and there he publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of 100 per cent of the estimated contract price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schednle determlned hy the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be ohtalned, without cost, upon application therefor at the Engineer's office of the Parks and Recrention Department. The successful bidder will be reqnired to provide for public liability and property damage insurance and for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of otber benefits nnder chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulations will be requlred prior to the award of said contract. The Commissioner reserves the right to reject any or all proposals.

Frank R. Kelley,
(April 9.) *Commissioner.*

STATE-BOSTON, CHAPTER 90, HIGHWAY RECONSTRUCTION.

Sealed proposals for HIGHWAY WORK on Southampton street (Boston), will be received at Room 427, 100 Nashua street, Boston, Mass., until 2 P.M. of Wednesday, April 20, 1955, then to be pnblicly opened and read. Plans and proposal forms: $5, amount returnable only to bidders. Proposal guaranty: $3,600. Minimum wage and dump truck rates are set. Full information at above address; plans on display at district offices of State Department of Public Works. Right reserved to reject any or all proposals.

JOHN B. HYNES,
(April 9.) *Mayor of Boston.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR RELOCATION OF LABORATORY FACILITIES TO THE FIRST FLOOR, SOUTH END OF OLD SURGICAL BUILDING, BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL, 818 HARRISON AVENUE, BOSTON, MASS.

The City of Boston, by the Board of Trustees, Hospital Department, and of the Boston City Hospital, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for relocation of laboratory facilities to the first floor, south end of old Surgical Building, Boston City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until two o'clock P.M., Wednesday, April 20, 1955, at the office of the Superintendent, Boston City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, and enclosed in an envelope, sealed, and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $300, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schednle of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the fnrnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be reqnired before commencing performance of this contract.

Specifications and plans may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of the Boston City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston, Mass., on and after Monday, April 11, 1955.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the snm of 100 per cent of the contract price will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any and all bids if it be in the pnblic interest so to do.

The Awarding Anthority also reserves the right to reject all bids in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, AND OF THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL,
RICHARD J. CONDON,
(April 9.) *President.*

No. 70—392.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING ALUMINUM STREET SIGNPOST COLLARS, ACORNS, AND STRAPS FOR THE PAVING DIVISION, PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Monday, April 18, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Street Signpost Parts." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Apr. 9.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION WORK.

PROPOSALS FOR BITUMINOUS CONCRETE PAVEMENT IN

Arvale Road, Ward 14 (Formerly Harvard Road), from Harvard Avenue to Approximately 180 Feet Northeasterly;

Auriga Street Extension, Ward 16, from Garner Road to Approximately 235 Feet Northerly;

Banton Street, Ward 16 (Formerly Barnes Street), from Dorchester Avenue to Approximately 332 Feet Westerly;

Bantry Way, Ward 7 (Formerly Bateman Place), from N Street to East Eighth Street;

Colebrook Street, Ward 7 (Formerly Howe Avenue), from H Street to Approximately 223 Feet Westerly;

Garfield Avenue, Ward 18, from Needham Road to Approximately 395 Feet Northeasterly;

Hillis Road, Ward 18 (Formerly Hillside street), from River Street to Church Street;

Newland Street, Ward 9, from Worcester Street to West Springfield Street;

Westville Terrace, Ward 15, from Westville Street to Approximately 200 Feet Northerly;

—and—

Such Additional Locations, If Any, in Wards 7, 9, 14, 15, 16, and 18, As May Be Designated by the Commissioner of Public Works.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for bituminous concrete pavement in Arvale road, Ward 14, etc. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Bituminous Concrete Pavement in Arvale Road, Ward 14, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, APRIL 28, 1955, with a certified check for THREE THOUSAND (3,000) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Apr. 9.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

REAL PROPERTY BOARD.

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JOHN A. MURPHY, PRINCIPAL, ELIHU GREENWOOD DISTRICT, REPORTS ON ATTENDANCE AT ANNUAL MEETING OF DEPARTMENT OF ELEMENTARY SCHOOL PRINCIPALS OF NATIONAL EDUCATION ASSOCIATION, IN CHICAGO, MARCH 16 TO 19, INCLUSIVE.

The following is the report on the annual meeting of the Department of Elementary School Principals held in Chicago, March 16 to 19, 1955, as submitted by John A. Murphy, President, Elementary Principals Association of Boston:

1. The general sessions were planned by Dr. Ethel Nash, President of the Department of Elementary School Principals, who selected as a topic for the conference: "Education — Community Enterprise."

2. Executive Secretary Robert W. Eaves planned the "Special Workshop for Presidents of Elementary Principals Associations of Large Cities." Miss Ann G. Ruddy, Principal of P. S. 125, Manhattan, was chosen as the leader for this group.

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REPORT OF LEO C. RENAUD, VETERANS' SERVICES, ON ATTENDANCE AT ANNUAL CONVENTION OF AMERICAN VOCATIONAL ASSOCIATION IN SAN FRANCISCO, DECEMBER 1 TO 10, 1954, INCLUSIVE.

The following is the report of Leo C. Renaud to the School Committee, on authorized trip to the American Vocational Association Convention at San Francisco, California:

The American Vocational Association Convention was held in San Francisco, California, from December 1 to December 8, 1954, inclusive. The theme of the convention was set around the title of "Better Public Relations."

Meetings were scheduled in the St. Francis Hotel, the Palace Hotel, the School Committee Administration Headquarters, the Bellevue Hotel, the Whitcomb Hotel, and the Civic Auditorium. These meetings were held in the morning, afternoon, and evening of each day.

Delegates were present from every state in the Union, the Philippines, Hawaii, Alaska, Puerto Rico, and Canada, with more than 2,500 registered.

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PUBLIC WORKS COMMISSIONER GEORGE G. HYLAND MAKES REPORT TO MAYOR JOHN B. HYNES ON FEDERAL-AID HIGHWAY BILLS NOW UNDER CONSIDERATION BY CONGRESS —UNITED STATES CONFERENCE OF MAYORS DISCUSSES VARIOUS FEATURES OF PRESIDENT'S $100 BILLION HIGHWAY PROGRAM — COMMISSIONER REPRESENTS MAYOR HYNES AT CONFERENCE.

The following is, in part, the report of the Public Works Commissioner, representing Mayor John B. Hynes at United States Conference of Mayors in New York in March:

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.
DEAR MR. MAYOR:

I respectfully submit the following report of the meeting that I attended as your representative which was held in New York City on Tuesday, March 8, for the purpose of discussing with other representatives of the United States Conference of Mayors various features of the President's $100 billion highway program, with particular reference to the President's Bill, S. 1160, and the so-called Gore Bill, S. 1048:

The following were in attendance: Mayor David L. Lawrence of Pittsburgh; Mayor Norris Poulson of Los Angeles; Mayor Raymond R. Tucker of St. Louis; Mayor Frank P. Zeidler of Milwaukee; Mayor J. W. Morgan of Birmingham; Mayor Andrew Broaddus of Louisville; Mayor Roy Hofheinz of Houston; Mayor Walter H. Reynolds of Providence and the Director of Public Works; Mayor Anthony Celabrezze of Cleveland; Mayor Robert Wagner of New York City; Robert Moses, Construction Coordinator of New York City, and two assistants; and Paul V. Betters, Executive Vice-President, United States Conference of Mayors.

The meeting was held at 5 East 66th street, and convened at 10.30 A.M.

Mr. Betters explained the purpose of the meeting and his desire to get an expression of opinion from the various mayors concerning both of the above-referenced bills affecting the federal-aid highway program. Mr. Betters outlined the general provisions of the bills, and it was apparent that the mayors in attendance had a good general knowledge of them. At least two of the mayors in attendance felt that the President's Bill, S. 1160, was reminiscent of the New Deal days, and, in general, favored the Gore Bill, which incidentally contains, in substance, the same provisions as the existing federal highway legislation, except that it allocates increased appropriations to the program.

Advantages of Bills Discussed.

A general discussion ensued as to the respective advantages of both bills, and throughout the day we received the benefit of having Mr. Moses of New York in attendance. He probably is one of the foremost highway men in the world, and his comments on the various phases of both bills were of great benefit to all in attendance. From the start, he unquestionably favored the Administration's bill, as he stated that it enunciated and spelled out a very definite policy that provided for a long-range highway construction program which was based on a thorough study made of the problem by the Clay Committee.

He was ably supported in his views by Mayor Celabrezze of Cleveland and by Mayor Hofheinz of Houston. The latter-referenced impressed me as being a very able and progressive executive, and I am certain that he could sell the President's Bill to Congress, if he were given the opportunity.

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"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean;
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, April 18, at 2 P.M.

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Complaints, inquiries, or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the Complaints Division, Room 25, City Hall.

Information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways, the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments of streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped area for streets and the opening of private ways; the making of specific repairs in public streets; the naming of public streets, including the use of public ways for location of conduits, poles, and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railways, coal holes, and vaults, may be secured from the Public Improvement Commission, Room 403, City Hall Annex.

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To the BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT, 43 City Hall, relative to changes in the boundary lines of zoning districts of the City of Boston as established by chapter 488 of the Acts of 1924, and amendments thereto.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending April 9, 1955.

Population as of July, 1950, Massachusetts State Census, 817,713; population estimated July, 1954, United States Census Bureau, 810,633; number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 185; nonresidents, 66; total, 251.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 16.21; nonresidents deducted, 11.71.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:

Last week, 16.31; corresponding week last year, 14.01.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 13; one year to four years, inclusive, 2; sixty years and over, 177. Total deaths: Male, 147; female, 104; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 191.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Apr. 9, 1955.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Apr. 10, 1954.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior Poliomyelitis	—	—	—	—
Diphtheria	—	—	—	—
Encephalitis Lethargica	—	—	—	—
Influenza	—	—	—	—
Measles	59	—	70	—
Meningitis Epidemic	1	—	—	1
Pneumonia (lobar)	—	1	—	3
Scarlet Fever	37	—	15	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary)	34	6	15	2
Childhood Type Tuberculosis	—	—	—	—
Tuberculosis (other forms)	1	—	4	1
Typhoid Fever	—	—	1	—
Whooping Cough	10	—	5	—

* Residents and nonresidents included.

REPORT OF PUBLIC WORKS COMMISSIONER ON FEDERAL-AID HIGHWAY BILLS NOW BEFORE CONGRESS.

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He is aggressive and a born salesman who talks sense. He pointed out very clearly the advantages that had accrued to the City of Houston by the construction of the expressway in said city, and he produced figures showing that the savings to the motorists in the first three years that the expressway was opened more than justified the initial cost of construction. He is completely sold on the President's Bill, although unquestionably it was agreed by everyone in attendance that it will have to be amended in many ways before it will be passed by Congress.

Mayor Celebrezze of Cleveland also is a strong advocate of long-range highway planning, and he pointed out that the City of Cleveland already has spent many million dollars on expressways, and is contemplating further extensions in the future. He likewise presented some very sensible arguments for the adoption of a highway program similar to that provided in the President's Bill, and I am certain that his remarks had a great deal of influence on those in attendance.

It was apparent as the day went on that those mayors who had come to the meeting opposed to the President's Bill and favoring the Gore Bill had reversed their positions and were now favoring the long-range construction program provided in S. 1160.

I became so interested in the entire subject that I have studied both the President's Bill, S. 1160, and the Gore Bill, S. 1048, in detail, and I have analyzed both bills, in order that I would have a thorough understanding of the advantages and disadvantages of each. I am attaching my breakdown and analysis with my comments on certain features of them. I will not, therefore, incorporate in this section of my report any references to the various provisions of the bills. Suffice it to say that, at the conclusion of the meeting, Mayor Lawrence of Pittsburgh, who acted as chairman, appointed the following committee to represent the United States Conference of Mayors at the hearings in Washington that will be held by the various committees on both bills: Mayor Lawrence of Pittsburgh; Mayor Poulson of Los Angeles; Mayor Tucker of St. Louis; Mayor Hofheinz of Houston.

Basic Provisions Favored.

It was also unanimously voted to put the Conference of Mayors on record as favoring the basic provisions of the President's Bill, with the exception of the provision that provides that states shall be given credit for monies previously expended for the construction of toll highways or free highways located on or parallel with routes of the Interstate Highway System. The mayors — for some reason that I could not determine — felt that these provisions should be eliminated, and on the vote that was taken concerning this matter I recorded Boston as dissenting on this particular matter. As you well know, Commissioner Volpe has expressed the opinion that a major part of the Central Artery in this city will be designated on the Interstate Highway System, and that a large part of the $100 million to be expended on the Artery will be credited to the state by the federal government. The amount credited will be allocated to the construction of other major highways included in the Federal Aid Primary System, with particular reference to the proposed construction of the section of the Boston belt-line route which will parallel Massachusetts avenue and extend from Storrow Parkway to Old Colony Parkway. Therefore, for these reasons, I opposed recommending to the Highway Committee in Washington the deletion of the existing provision in S. 1160 which will grant such credit to states for the construction of facilities that measure up to the standards for interstate highways, and which are located on the Interstate Highway System. This provision is particularly advantageous to the cities that have had the foresight to expend large sums on express highways.

The meeting adjourned at 4.30 P.M.

As stated hereinbefore, I submit herewith addenda which describe the various features of the President's Bill, S. 1160, and the Gore Bill, S. 1048, with my comments thereon.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

JOHN A. MURPHY REPORTS ON ATTENDANCE AT MEETING OF ELEMENTARY SCHOOL PRINCIPALS.

(Continued from page 461.)

General Session.

The several speakers to address this session expressed their opinions of just what role the elementary school and the elementary school principal should play in a broad-scale community improvement program.

The point was established that in trying to make *school community relations* more productive, it must not be assumed that the school is a service agency for everyone but the children who attend it. On the contrary, development within the school of the kind of curriculum and instruction that will be in harmony with the best elements of the community school concept must not be neglected, for the first responsibility of an elementary school is to the children who attend it.

The Education of Boys and Girls Is a Community Enterprise.

What can we do to make the education of boys and girls a more enlightened, self-conscious, carefully planned, cooperative, and experimental type of community enterprise?

The following points were developed by one of the speakers:

1. The problems involved in the education of boys and girls by the community should be more carefully identified and defined than they are at present.

2. An unusually thorough and cooperative search should be made to discover ways and means for dealing with these problems.

3. When innovations are introduced to improve the education of the community's boys and girls, they should be introduced experimentally.

4. Strenuous and enlightened efforts must be made to appraise the worth of these innovations.

Elementary School Principal As Leader.

The following activities were suggested as being included in the principal's role in helping the community become more cooperative and enlightened in the way it educates its youth:

1. Earnest study of small groups actively interested in some pertinent phase of community life.

2. A study of ways and means to improve competence in group procedures.

3. Initiation and participatiou in some group work training for teachers and parents.

Special Workshops.

The remainder of this report has to do with the problems, discussions, and recommendations of the twenty-four principals who comprised the "Special Workshop for Presidents of Elementary School Principals Associations in Large Cities."

At the first meeting of the group each member introduced himself and stated the question or problem he wished to have discussed by the members of the group. From these introductory remarks the secretary, Dalton L. Eads, of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, compiled a list of subjects, which the group in its entirety attempted to solve, or assigned to committees for further study.

The list which evolved from the exchange of experience and sharing of ideas finally numbered eight items, as follows:

1. How can we establish lines of communication between elementary school administrative groups in the nation?

2. Is there a necessity for an administrative workshop?

3. What is the attitude toward a single-salary schedule for all school-site administrators (elementary school, junior high school, and senior high school)?

4. What are the advantages of the ratio (percentage) plan in establishing salaries for administrators?

5. What should be the policy in relation to the appointment of elementary school principals?

6. How can the elementary school principal best use the special service departments within the school system to lessen the trend toward juvenile delinquency?

7. What are the best policies with regard to "sick leave" and "terminal leave?"

8. What attitude shall we take concerning playground supervision and accident responsibility?

When the group looked over the above list, we realized that many of these topics would require the concentrated attention of a special committee for adequate study. However, in the time at our command, we decided to take each problem or question individually. If a solution could be reached and agreed upon by the majority immediately, well and good; such agreement could be offered as a recommendation.

Conclusions.

The following recommendations were made:

1. It is evident that the position of elementary school principal has grown in stature tremendously in recent years; that strength may be found in numbers and in cooperation; that communication between organizations will foster and promote a continuing upgrading and improvement in our professional status.

We heartily endorse such national meetings as the Department of Elementary School Principals, National Education Association, particularly the section devoted to the "Principals in Large Cities." We recommend that two members be sent from every large city to the National Convention. Each year one member shall drop out, leaving one member with experience to insure the continuity of our program.

2. We believe in and recommend that there should be a workshop for administrators in elementary schools to exchange ideas on administrative and teaching procedures.

3. We are on record as favoring the single-salary system. We deem it unwise to differentiate salaries on the basis of school size. Where enrolment is large, extra administrative help should be assigned.

4. We favor the ratio (percentage) plan in establishing salary schedules for administrators. For principals, we favor the ratio 1.75.

5. A principal should be assigned to every elementary school district.

6. Every elementary district should have a full-time secretary.

The foregoing recommendations as approved are to be sent to all superintendents in large cities by direct communication and are to be published in the *Journal* of the National Education Association.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 2,026.

In accordance with provisions of section 1 of chapter 392, Acts of 1930, as amended, Rule 65 of the Police Rules and Regulations Relating to Hackney Carriages established by the Police Commissioner for the City of Boston is hereby amended as follows:

On page 99 STRIKE OUT the first paragraph of section 30 and INSERT in place thereof the following new paragraph, effective Monday, April 18, 1955, at 7.45 o'clock A.M.:

"TAXICAB — PARTITION — METER.

"30. It shall be optional with the taxicab owner whether or not the taxicab shall be equipped with a partition dividing the driver's and passenger's seats, and every taxicab shall have a taximeter of the size and design approved by the Police Commissioner, which shall be so located as to be easily read by the passenger in the rear seat."

All rules and regulations inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,027.

The resignation of Detective Edward F. Connolly, Superintendent's Office, having been presented, it is hereby accepted, to take effect Friday, April 8, 1955, at 7.45 o'clock A.M., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,028.

The following-named officer having requested retirement under the provisions of the Statutes of 1892, chapter 353, as amended, for the reason that he is incapacitated, it is hereby

Ordered, His Honor the Mayor having approved the same, that he be retired from active service in the Police Department, effective Friday, April 8, 1955, at 7.45 o'clock A.M.:

Detective Edward J. McGee, Detective Bureau (detailed to Bureau of Criminal Investigation), 35 years of service.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Works Department for the following construction work:

A 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer and two catch basins and connections in Savannah avenue, between Monterey avenue and Almont street, in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of $4,400.

Nineteen catch basins and one drop inlet in Stony Brook Village (Alwin street, Stonehill road, and Cheryl road), in the Hyde Park district, at an estimated cost of $13,500.

A 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer and 10-inch pipe surface drain in Lillie Way, between Veterans of Foreign Wars Parkway and 100 feet northerly, in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of $2,500.

A 10-inch pipe surface drain and two catch basins in Fairview avenue, between River street and Alvarado avenue, in the Hyde Park district, at an estimated cost of $2,800.

A 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer, 10-inch pipe surface drain, and three catch basins and connections in Farwell avenue, between Summit street and Milton avenue, in the Hyde Park district, at an estimated cost of $4,500.

A 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer in DeStefano road, between Hyde Park avenue and end of street, in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of $6,000.

A 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer and 10-inch pipe surface drain in Cutter road, between Baker street and Dow road, in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of $2,800.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, for a trial period of sixty (60) days, the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective April 6, 1955:

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by striking out the following:

Calumet Street, Roxbury.
From Tremont street to Pequot street.

Article VI, Section 11 (Only Right Turn Movements Permitted), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Calumet Street.
Into Tremont street easterly.

REPORT OF LEO C. RENAUD ON ATTENDANCE AT CONVENTION.

(*Continued from page 461.*)

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 2.

I attended the three meetings held on Thursday, December 2, with the directors of the vocational and trade schools at the local city level.

The discussion at these three meetings concerned itself with General Public Relations, School Buildings, the Development of Architectural Standards for the Vocational Programs, and Better Use of the Advisory Committees at the Local Level.

It was the consensus of the panelists and the delegates that the local school officials must make better use of their advisory committees not only by accepting their advice with regard to the program and schools, but by making the members of these committees active participants in the operation of the schools.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 3.

Friday, December 3, was devoted entirely to the apprenticeship program, and was called "Apprenticeship Day."

MORNING MEETINGS.

The morning meetings were devoted to the discussion of curriculum development for the apprentices.

AFTERNOON MEETING.

The afternoon meeting concerned itself with the presentation of new materials in the building trades, particularly in the plumbing, steamfitting, and bricklaying areas. This discussion had to do with the importance of the local vocational schools keeping abreast of new developments so that the apprentices and the journeymen could come to the local trade schools to improve their knowledge in these matters.

Atomic reactors for generation of electric power was introduced for discussion, including construction costs, new metals used, the operational function, cost of maintenance, etc. It was brought forth that one uranium charge for the operation of the unit would cost $9,000 per pound, or $324,000 for the complete charge—a charge weighing about 36 pounds. A one-pound unit is about the size of a baseball. Each charge would last about two years and generate enough electric current to supply an entire city of 125,000 people for that period. The metals used in the reactors are new, and little is known about them as yet, except by government scientists and engineers.

One of these engineers mentioned that one 4-inch valve in this reactor was made by the Crane Valve Company at a cost of $54,000, so that the workman (welder) who welds this valve in the system only gets one chance at its installation. This further emphasizes the need for research by the staff of the vocational schools to keep abreast of these new developments.

D. C. Wilkens, Industrial Relations Manager for the Convair Division of General Dynamics, San Diego, California, stated that his company spends $1,500,000 per year for training that could best be done in the vocational schools of the country. It was also cited that General Motors is spending $27,000,000 on a five-year program for new schools in automotive work for the upgrading of the

mechanics in the dealers' garages. The feeling seemed to be that if the local school administrators and their staffs were alert to the situation these schools would never have been built, but rather this instruction could have been received under the auspices of the local programs; however, the criticism was made that the schools' programs are standpat and are not keeping up with the developments in the automotive industry.

Evening Meeting.

In the evening a graduation program was held in the Civic Auditorium for all the apprentices in the San Francisco area who had completed their training programs during the past year.

This program was a joint affair of the California Vocational Association, the American Vocational Association, the California Apprenticeship Council, and the members of the various craft unions. The list of graduates comprised more than 650 young men. The program was very interesting, with Mr. Douglas Whitlock, General Counsel, Structural Clay Products, Washington, D. C., as the main speaker. (The brick, cinder blocks, and tile products used in our program at the Frothingham School are given to us through the courtesy of Mr. Whitlock.)

Saturday, December 4.

The Saturday meetings on "Labor and Management Interest in Vocational Education" were very well attended and the panelists left some very strong feelings as to the need for closer relations between labor, management, and the schools, and placed much of the blame for this lack of coordination on the school officials. The challenge was thrown to the delegates by the representatives of management to state one instance where management had refused one request from the school people as regards equipment, material, etc.; all agreed they could not point to one instance.

Mr. James A. Brownlow, President of the Metal Trades Department, A. F. of L., and chairman of the A. F. of L. Subcommittee on Vocational Education, Washington, D. C., stated emphatically that there was not enough training being done in America to maintain the factor of safety in our national defense. In the United States, out of a population of 160,000,000 people, only 46,000 persons are being trained in the vocational schools of America and the apprenticeship program, although 250,000 are needed each year for replacement. West Germany, with a population of 43,000,000 people, on this date has 2,000,000 apprentices in the trade groups.

Sunday, December 5.

I attended the breakfast meeting with the officers of the State Vocational Associations held at the Bellevue Hotel at 9.30 A.M. The discussion at this meeting stressed the importance of increased membership at the state level as a means of developing a strong program of public relations.

The officers of the State Association were requested to promote a more effective use of the personnel serving on the Local Craft Advisory Committees.

Monday, December 6.

Monday was a day devoted to the agricultural part of the vocational program with a tour conducted by the Sears Roebuck Foundation, which took us through the fruit country of the Santa Clara Valley with stops at the food processing plants in the valley.

Tuesday, December 7.

Tuesday was a day devoted to the business meeting of the convention, its discussions, reports, election of officers, and the selection of the convention city for 1955.

The 1955 American Vocational Association Convention is to be held at Atlantic City, New Jersey, from November 28 through December 2.

Wednesday, December 8.

I attended a meeting of the National Officers of the Local Administrators Association, an affiliate of the American Vocational Association. Observation: I am serving my second term as president of this association in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

This meeting was called for the purpose of summarizing the activities and functions of the convention so that we in turn could disseminate the information in our own states.

It was also suggested that the discussion pertaining to "School Plant Facilities" be continued at the next convention in Atlantic City in an endeavor to create a closer relationship with the American Institute of Architects on School Building Projects.

Respectfully submitted,

Leo C. Renaud,
Assistant Supervisor.

MAYOR'S EASTER MESSAGE.

The story of Easter is old but ever new. It symbolizes for us God's love for man—a love that knew no bounds. The life, the death, the resurrection of Jesus Christ have opened for us the doors of unending happiness in the world beyond the grave. If, by our own efforts, we keep those doors open wide, the ignominious death on the Cross becomes a glorious victory.

To all my fellow citizens I wish a glorious, happy, and joyous Easter Day.

CIRCULAR LETTER NO. 7.

City of Boston,
Mayor's Office, April 7, 1955.

To All Department Heads.

I have designated Thursday, April 14, as "City of Boston Red Sox Day," an occasion for the city to pay tribute to the Red Sox, who spread the name and fame of Boston throughout the world.

All city employees who have tickets for the opening day game between the Red Sox and the New York Yankees on that date will be given time off from work so that they may attend the ball game at Fenway Park.

Tickets for this game will be on sale at special booths at City Hall between the hours of noon and 2 P.M. on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday, April 11, 12, and 13.

Let's help start the Red Sox en route to the pennant in 1955.

John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees:

Hospital Department.
Main Division.

For the week ending March 29:

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Lee Alford, 99 Ellington street, Dorchester, Esther Bandlow, 5 Reddy avenue, Hyde Park, 2 days; Priscilla Beckwith, 686 Massachusetts avenue, 7 days; Dolores Buckley, 549 Park street, Dorchester, Rita Buscher, 238 Norfolk street, Wollaston, 2 days; Ruby Childs, 270 Huntington avenue, Roxbury, 5 days; Gertrude Clark, 13 Rosa street, Hyde Park, 3 days; Sophie Cotter, 173 Vine Rock street, Dedham, 1 day; Marcelyn Curry, 64 Rosseter street, Dorchester, Patricia Camirand, 41 Falmouth street, 2 days; Adele Daly, 30 Aspinwall avenue, North Weymouth, 4 days; Norma Dean, 696 Massachusetts avenue, 9 days; Patricia Doucette, 352 Athens street, South Boston, 5 days; Ruth Droulette, 1515 Veterans of Foreign Wars Parkway, West Roxbury, 1 day; Jean Darraugh, 568 East Sixth street, South Boston, 5 days; Eleanor Duffley, 35 Edwin street, Dorchester, 4 days; Anna Ferrara, 53 Blue Hill avenue, Milton, Christine Finn, 23 Commonwealth avenue, 7 days; Ruth K. Frank, 3 Allston street, 3 days; Lucille Furega, 14 Kilsyth road, Medfield, 1 day; Dolores Flanagan, 4 Buick street, Watertown, 3 days; Wanda Geragosian, 10 Independence avenue, Lexington, 7 days; Jeanne Gerety, 13 Autumn street, Everett, Ethel Glennon, 57 Hollis avenue, Quincy, 6 days; Mary Grant, 49 East Springfield street, 4 days; Mary B. Healy, 163 East Cottage street, Dorchester, Doris Holland, 24 Chestnut road, West Roxbury, 1 day; Joan Keane, 1086 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, 6 days; Loretta Lynch, 270 Huntington avenue, 4 days; Claire McCue, 74 Robinwood road, Dedham, 7 days; Veronica McElligott, 34 Dickinson street, Somerville, 5 days; Mary R. Mahan, 29 Kempton street, 4 days; Carmella Messina, 102 Highland road, Somerville, 1 day; Anna Murphy, 115 Peterborough street, 7 days; Claire Murphy, 32 Worcester square, 6 days; Audrey Mailhot, 30 Walton street, Dorchester, 7 days; Helen Nauss, 46 West Newton street, 5 days; Angelina Peyton, 16 Dane street, Jamaica Plain, 1 day; Mary Pursley, 38 Van Brunt street, Hyde Park, 7 days; Romaine Riley, 171 Humboldt avenue, Roxbury, Helen Rodriguez, 97 Spring street, West Roxbury, 1 day; Ann Romsey, 146 Massachusetts avenue, 3 days; Mabel Smith, 87 Bartlett road, Winthrop, 4 days; Verna Snow, 75 Damon avenue, Melrose, 2 days; Helen Spillane, 499 Park street, Stoughton, 4 days; Anna Stankard, 79 Edwin road, Waltham, 7 days; Mabel Steed, 87 Bartlett road, Winthrop, 4 days; Madeline Sullivan, 126 Marlborough street, 1 day; Isabel Sutton, 121 Boston street, Dorchester, 3 days; Doris Stoddard, 50 Aldie street, Allston, 1 day; Josephine Trippe, 80 Orleans street, East Boston, 5 days; Kathryn Welch, 49 East Springfield street, 3 days.

The following weekly nurses have been appointed:

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TAX ABATEMENT DECISIONS RENDERED BY THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS FOR THE WEEK ENDING MARCH 11.

LEGEND.

* Appellate Tax Board Settlement. ¶ Illegal assessment. || Chapter 59-5.
† Appellate Tax Board Decision. § Duplicate assessment. = Chapter 58-8.
‡ Overvaluation Settlement by Board of Assessors. x Chapter 231.

Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Bloomberg, Kate	80-84 Boylston st	5—1950	$126,000.00	$19,530.00	*
Doenges, Gerhard	61 Revere st. and 48 Grove st.	5—1950	1,386.00	315.00	*
Lenox, Jacob	114-126 Washington st	14—1950	2,835.00	378.00	*
Thirty Lincoln St. Trust	22-24 Lincoln st	3—1951	1,884.00	628.00	*
Thirty Lincoln St. Trust	26-30 Lincoln st	3—1951	3,768.00	1,067.60	*
Bloomberg, Kate	80-84 Boylston st	5—1951	139,730.00	33,598.00	*
Jacobson, Donald and Lola	61 Revere st. and 48 Grove st.	5—1951	1,381.60	314.00	*
Leeder, Celia, et al	282 Berkeley st	5—1951	14,444.00	2,512.00	*
Robrish, Sylvia S	400-402 Boylston st	5—1951	8,164.00	1,570.00	*
Silver Properties, Inc	471 West Broadway	6—1951	1,256.00	314.00	*
Lenox, Jacob and Sarah	114-126 Washington st	14—1951	2,826.00	376.80	*
Trachtenberg, Stanley	96 Bowdoin av	14—1951	1,884.00	188.40	*
Cosgrove, Howard S	30 Poplar st	3—1952	467.60	53.44	*
Cosgrove, Howard S	32 Poplar st	3—1952	467.60	53.44	*
Cosgrove, Howard S	95 Poplar st	3—1952	334.00	33.40	*
Crocker, George G., Jr	19-21 Essex st	3—1952	2,538.40	334.00	*
Crocker, George G., Jr	15-17 Essex st	3—1952	2,471.60	334.00	*
Jacobson, Ida	40 Batterymarch st	3—1952	701.40	167.00	*
Perry, Benjamin P	16-18 Winter st	3—1952	12,024.00	1,670.00	*
Pill, Ralph	20½ Leverett st	3—1952	334.00	66.80	*
Saunders, Irving	29 Bromfield st	3—1952	9,352.00	3,006.00	*
Thirty Lincoln St. Trust	28-30 Lincoln st	3—1952	4,008.00	1,135.60	†
Thirty Lincoln St. Trust	22-24 Lincoln st	3—1952	2,004.00	668.00	†
Trustees of the Public Library	58 Bowdoin st	3—1952	1,402.80	400.80	*
Trustees of the Public Library	60 Bowdoin st	3—1952	668.00	133.60	*
Trustees of the Public Library	15 Bowdoin st	3—1952	627.92	160.32	*
Trustees of the Public Library	13 Bowdoin st	3—1952	627.92	160.32	*
Trustees of the Public Library	11 Bowdoin st	3—1952	734.80	200.40	*
Trustees of the Public Library	21 Bowdoin st	3—1952	574.48	173.68	*
Trustees of the Public Library	17 Bowdoin st	3—1952	714.76	247.16	*
Trustees of the Public Library	19 Bowdoin st	3—1952	587.84	26.72	*
Trustees of the Public Library	23 Bowdoin st	3—1952	627.92	106.88	*
Trustees of the Public Library	25 Bowdoin st	3—1952	701.40	180.36	*
Trustees of the Public Library	27 Bowdoin st	3—1952	734.80	200.40	*
Welch, Francis C	158 Tremont st	3—1952	20,040.00	7,348.00	*
Wyman Realty Corp	801 Washington st	3—1952	3,674.00	334.00	*
Wyman Realty Corp	1 and 4 Wyman pl	3—1952	835.00	267.20	*
Greenhood, Theodore	269 St. Botolph st	4—1952	534.40	33.40	*
Bloomberg, Kate	80-84 Boylston st	5—1952	148,630.00	33,738.00	†
Brimmer, Lydia A	103-103A Charles st	5—1952	1,803.60	133.60	*
Jacobson, Donald, et al	61 Revere st.-48 Grove st.	5—1952	1,469.60	334.00	*
Leeder, Celia, et al	282 Berkeley st	5—1952	15,364.00	2,672.00	*
Levitan, Saul B	197 Marlborough st	5—1952	935.20	66.80	*
Robrish, Sylvia S	400-402 Boylston st	5—1952	8,684.00	1,670.00	*
Zisi, Despina	480-482 Tremont st	5—1952	801.60	66.80	*
Zisi, Despina	30 Appleton st	5—1952	367.40	66.80	*
Alpert, Fred L., Industries, Inc	286 Summer st	6—1952	8,684.00	2,672.00	*
Silver Properties, Inc	471 West Broadway	6—1952	1,336.00	334.00	*
Kozberg, Abraham	7 Brook av	8—1952	374.08	100.20	*
Finkelstein, Ruth	15 Elm Hill av	12—1952	668.00	133.60	*
Finkelstein, Ruth	Vacant lot, Elm Hill av	12—1952	126.92	60.12	*
Kozberg, Abraham	30 Ottawa st	12—1952	287.24	33.40	*
Mahoney, Frederick W	173 Blue Hill av	12—1952	307.28	40.08	*
Berger, Ethel	929 Blue Hill av	14—1952	1,068.80	66.80	*
Dabrosky, Isaac	761-765 Morton st	14—1952	1,576.48	240.48	*
Davis, Thelma	191 Talbot av	14—1952	1,095.52	334.00	*
Dworkin, Rose	3 Jones av	14—1952	601.20	66.80	*
Elias, Arthur M	17 Gilmer st	14—1952	400.80	33.40	*
Ellerin, Ethel	47 Harwood st	14—1952	514.36	46.76	*
Lenox, Jacob and Sarah	114-126 Washington st	14—1952	3,006.00	400.80	*
Lesser, Henry, Trustee	139-143 Erie st	14—1952	868.40	267.20	*
Lesser, Maurice A	81-89 Erie st	14—1952	835.00	133.60	*
Levine, Annie	82 Rosseter st	14—1952	634.60	133.60	*
Lyman, Esta	22 Kingsdale st	14—1952	467.60	66.80	*
Navisky, Benjamin	136 Hazleton st	14—1952	567.80	66.80	*
Rottenberg, Samuel	3 Dumas st	14—1952	133.60	13.36	*
Segal, Rose	47 Esmond st	14—1952	668.00	66.80	*
Shuman, Bertha	66 Westmore rd	14—1952	501.00	33.40	*
Trachtenberg, Stanley	96 Bowdoin av	14—1952	2,004.00	200.40	*
Lesser, Sarah	2-8 East st	15—1952	1,696.72	347.36	*
Zalvis, Domicile	1815-1819 Dorchester av	16—1952	467.70	33.40	*
Goodman, Helen	165 Milton av	18—1952	1,690.04	487.64	*
Siegel, Lillian A	91 Lorna rd	18—1952	534.40	66.80	*
Levine, Pauline	Ws, Newburn st	19—1952	66.80	33.40	*
Levine, Pauline	28 John A. Andrew	19—1952	267.20	80.16	*
Levine, Pauline	30 John A. Andrew	19—1952	267.20	66.80	*
Jenney Manufacturing Company	1816 Centre st	20—1952	2,004.00	133.60	*
Finer, Henrietta S., et al	1173 Commonwealth av	21—1952	2,004.00	267.20	*
Finer, Henrietta S., et al	1165 Commonwealth av	21—1952	2,137.60	267.20	*
Finer, Henrietta S., et al	96 Linden st	21—1952	2,805.60	200.40	*
Letendre, George E	27 Glenville av	21—1952	2,204.40	467.60	*
Levenson, Evelyn L	127 Brighton av	21—1952	5,344.00	668.00	*
Freeman, Bella	32-46 Brooks st	22—1952	1,603.20	133.60	*
Bowdoin Amusement Co	65-67 Cambridge st	3—1953	12,549.25	1,414.00	*
Crocker, George G., Jr., et al	15-17 Essex st	3—1953	2,615.90	353.50	*
Crocker George G., Jr	19-21 Essex st	3—1953	2,686.60	353.50	*
Eliot, Anne B	49 India st	3—1953	1,555.40	353.50	*
Saunders, Irving	29 Bromfield st	3—1953	9,898.00	3,181.50	*
A. Shapiro, Inc	158 Tremont st	3—1953	21,210.00	7,777.00	*
Stone, Jeannette Z., Trustee	40 Batterymarch st	3—1953	742.35	176.75	*
Thirty Lincoln Street Trust	22-24 Lincoln st	3—1953	2,121.00	707.00	†
Thirty Lincoln Street Trust	28-30 Lincoln st	3—1953	4,242.00	1,201.90	†
Wyman Realty Corp	801 Washington st	3—1953	3,888.50	353.50	*
Wyman Realty Corp	1 and 4 Wyman pl	3—1953	883.75	282.80	*
Greenhood, Theodore	269 St. Botolph st	4—1953	565.60	35.35	*
Bloomberg, Kate	80-84 Boylston st	5—1953	157,307.50	37,824.50	†
Brimmer, Lydia A	103 Charles st	5—1953	1,908.90	141.40	*
Jacobson, Donald and Lola	61 Revere st. and 48 Grove st.	5—1953	1,555.40	353.50	*

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Permanent.—Viola Bergstrom, 11 East Newton street, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Helen Burton, 68 Norton avenue, North Abington, floor nurse, $51 a week; Margaret Crowson, 45 Garrison road, Brookline, floor nurse, $63 a week; Theresa Frazier, 1644 Turnpike street, Stoughton, floor nurse, $68 a week; Dorothy Hudson, Great road, Maynard, floor nurse, $1.70 an hour; Helen Mahoney, 394 Massachusetts avenue, head nurse, $80 a week; Pauline Smith, 136 Fisher avenue, Roxbury, floor nurse, $45 a week; Kathryn White, 10A Essex street, Somerville, floor nurse, $60.50 a week.

Temporary.—Ann Conley, 105 H street, South Boston, Marguerita Mackesey, 79 First street, Medford, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour; Margaret Taplin, 675 Boylston street, house mother, $60.50 a week; Gwendolyn Tweedale, 11 East Newton street, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour.

The following provisional employees have been appointed:

Robert B. Duncan, 69 East Cottage street, Roxbury, Thomas J. Flaherty, 1111 Morton street, Mattapan, Paul H. Hart, 11 Wentworth street, Dorchester, Robert L. Kimball, 27 Helena road, Dorchester, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; Mary Higgins, 44 Faunce road, Mattapan, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—Edward Dunn, 288 E street, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $50.50 a week; Ralph M. Simes, 34 Greendale road, Mattapan, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; Gilbert Page, 475 East Sixth street, South Boston, hospital kitchen worker, $50.50 a week; Elsie MacDonald, 184 Monticello avenue, Dorchester, hospital laundry worker, $48 a week; Edward S. Corey, 10 Blue Hill avenue, Roxbury, hospital house worker, $50.50 a week; Herbert A. MacDonald, 35 Worcester square, hospital house worker, $53 a week; Marguerite L. Neville, 1526 Tremont street, Roxbury, clerk-typist, $50.50 a week; Emma B. Wright, 8 Carlisle street, Roxbury, clerk-typist, $43 a week; James F. Pettitt, 55 Horadan Way, Roxbury, watchman, $58 a week; Nathan Rosenthal, 53 Mascot street, Dorchester, male nurse, $73 a week; Ann A. Preston, 22 Wigglesworth street, Roxbury, head nurse, $68 a week.

Temporary.—Thomas Barry, 104 Spencer street, Dorchester, Catherine C. Donovan, 134 I street, South Boston, Cecelia M. Kennedy, 17 Hannon street, Dorchester, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; Thomas Holt, 250 Ruggles street, Roxbury, ambulance medical aid man, $50.50 a week; Anna Francis, 246 O'Callaghan Way, South Boston, laboratory assistant, $35.50 a week, Diane K. Murray, 215 Beacon street, Gerald J. Neville, 2 Forest place, Roxbury, laboratory assistants, $45.50 a week; Veronica McElligott, 34 Dickinson street, Somerville, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour; Warren G. Young, 41 Newton street, Brighton, interne, $92 a month.

The following doctor has been appointed:

Charles Michael Shugg, junior assistant resident, II and IV Medical, $112 a month.

For the week ending April 5:

The following weekly nurses have been appointed:

Permanent.—Patricia Burke, 88 Oxford street, Arlington, floor nurse, $65.50 a week; Joanne Daoust, 710 Massachusetts avenue, floor nurse, $58 a week; Mary Finigian, 182 Washington street, Dorchester, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Muriel Ford, 24 Cordis street, Charlestown, Ruth Issokson, 58 Cheney street, Roxbury, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour; Anne Masel, 103 Waverly street, Everett, floor nurse, $63 a week; Marion Pangborn, 710 Massachusetts avenue, floor nurse, $65.50 a week; Jeanne Papineau, 736 Washington street, Dedham, floor nurse, $1.70 an hour; Ann Sedote, 420 Washington street, Dorchester, floor nurse, $63 a week; Dorothea Ticozin, 91 Bay State road, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour.

Temporary.—Dorothy Ching, 37 Browning road, Somerville, Ann Costello, 9 Hillcroft road, Jamaica Plain, Louise McDevitt, 23 Partridge avenue, Somerville, floor nurses, $1 an hour; Veronica McElligott, 34 Dickinson street, Somerville, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour.

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Priscilla Beckwith, 686 Massachusetts avenue, 5 days; Louise Blanchard, 31 Eaton street, East Milton, 2 days; Dolores Buckley, 549 Park street, Dorchester, 6 days; Rita Buscher, 238 Norfolk street, Wollaston, Ruby Childs, 270 Huntington avenue, Roxbury, Gertrude Clark, 13 Rosa street, Hyde Park, 2 days; Sophie Cotter, 173 Vine Rock street, Dedham, 5 days; Helen Crocker, 58 Myrtle street, 2 days; Marcelyn Curry, 64 Rosseter street, Dorchester, Patricia Camirand, 41 Falmouth street, 6 days; Norma Dean, 696 Massachusetts avenue, 7 days; Patricia Doucette, 352 Athens street, South Boston, 4 days; Jean Darraugh, 568 East Sixth street, South Boston, 5 days; Eleanor Duffley, 35 Edwin street, Dorchester, 1 day; Mary Edwards, 428 Adams street, Dorchester, 2 days; Anna Ferrara, 53 Blue Hill avenue, Milton, 5 days; Christine Finn, 23 Commonwealth avenue, 1 day; Ruth K. Frank, 3 Allston street, 2 days; Mary Fraser, 99 Norway street, 1 day; Wanda Geragosian, 10 Independence avenue, Lexington, 5 days; Ethel Glennon, 57 Hollis avenue, Quincy, Stella Graham, 43 Mercer avenue, Dorchester, 3 days; Diana Guinta, 42 Topliff street, Dorchester, 2 days; Helen Hegenberger, 207 Park Drive, 6 days; Mary B. Healy, 163 East Cottage street, Dorchester, 10 days; Doris Holland, 24 Chestnut road, West Roxbury, 1 day; Dorothy Jewkes, 304 Lynn street, Malden, 2 days; Joan Keane, 1086 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, 6 days; Olga Krag, 5 Park Vale, Brookline, Anne Lynskey, 52 Telsa street, Medford, 2 days; Loretta Lynch, 270 Huntington avenue, Claire McCue, 74 Robinwood road, Dedham, 4 days; Veronica McElligott, 34 Dickinson street, Somerville, Catherine McGuinnes, 14 Olsen road, Dorchester, 1 day; Marguerite Mackesey, 79 First street, Medford, 4 days; Mary R. Mahan, 29 Kempton street, 10 days; Carmella Messina, 102 Highland road, Somerville, 2 days; Anna Murphy, 115 Peterborough street, 1 day; Claire Murphy, 32 Worcester street, 5 days; Audrey Mailhot, 30 Walton street, Dorchester, Phyllis Nigro, 271 Dartmouth street, 1 day; Mae Owens, 259 Chestnut avenue, Jamaica Plain, 3 days; Angelina Peyton, 16 Dane street, Jamaica Plain, 1 day;

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‡ Overvaluation Settlement by Board of Assessors. x Chapter 231.

Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Helena Rubenstein, Inc	17 Arlington st	5—1953	$3,888.50	$1,414.00	*
Leeder, Celia, et al	282 Berkeley st	5—1953	16,261.00	2,828.00	*
Robrish, Sylvia S	400–402 Boylston st	5—1953	9,191.00	1,767.50	*
Alpert, Fred L., Industries	286 Summer st	6—1953	9,191.00	2,828.00	*
Righter, Charles A., et al	744–748 Dudley st	7—1953	4,242.00	353.50	*
Dasheff, Sadie	1942 Washington st	8—1953	3,181.50	600.95	*
Kozberg, Abraham	7 Brook av	8—1953	395.92	106.05	*
Karpoff, Pearl	Vacant lot, Hampshire st., NWs.	9—1953	127.26	35.35	*
Karpoff, Pearl	Vacant lot, Tremont st., SEs.	9—1953	339.36	226.24	*
Karpoff, Pearl	Vacant lot, Tremont st	9—1953	339.36	226.24	*
Kozberg, Ahraham	30 Ottawa st	12—1953	304.01	35.35	*
Mahoney, Frederick W	173 Blue Hill av	12—1953	325.22	42.42	*
Berger, Ethel	929 Blue Hill av	14—1953	1,131.20	70.70	*
Cavagnaro, Walter B., et al	14–18A Washington st	14—1953	5,656.00	1,767.50	*
Dahrosky, Isaac	761–765 Morton st	14—1953	1,668.52	254.52	*
Davis, Thelma	191 Talbot av	14—1953	1,159.48	353.50	*
Dworkin, Rose	3 Jones av	14—1953	636.30	70.70	*
Ellerin, Ethel	47 Harwood st	14—1953	544.39	49.49	*
Levine, Annie	82 Rosseter st	14—1953	671.65	141.40	*
Lyman, Esta	22 Kingsdale st	14—1953	494.90	70.70	*
Navisky, Benjamin	136 Hazleton st	14—1953	600.95	70.70	*
Obelsky, Bessie and Alvin	1224 Blue Hill av	14—1953	919.10	70.70	*
Pinta, Louis and Ida	20 Fowler st	14—1953	1,838.20	70.70	*
Obelsky, Steena	181 Woodrow av	14—1953	494.90	35.35	*
Rottenberg, Samuel	3 Dumas st	14—1953	141.40	14.14	*
Segal, Rose	47 Esmond st	14—1953	707.00	70.70	*
Shuman, Bertha	66 Westmore rd	14—1953	530.25	35.35	*
Simon, Samuel B., et al	511 Norfolk st	14—1953	848.40	70.70	*
Trachtenberg, Staney	96 Bowdoin av	14—1953	2,121.00	212.10	*
Rain, Ahraham	30 Athelwold st	17—1953	410.06	56.56	*
Goodman, Helen	165 Milton av	18—1953	1,788.71	516.11	*
Siegel, Lillian A	91 Lorna rd	18—1953	565.60	70.70	*
Levine, Pauline	V.L., Newburn st., Ws	19—1953	70.70	35.35	*
Levine, Pauline	28 John A. Andrew	19—1953	282.80	84.84	*
Levine, Pauline	30 John A. Andrew	19—1953	282.80	70.70	*
Jenney Manufacturing Company	1816 Centre st	20—1953	2,121.00	141.40	*
Letuloe, George E., et al	27 Glenville av	21—1953	2,333.10	494.90	*
Finer, Henrietta S., et al	1173 Commonwealth av	21—1953	2,121.00	282.80	*
Finer, Henrietta S., et al	1165 Commonwealth av	21—1953	2,262.40	282.80	*
Finer, Henrietta S., et al	96 Linden st	21—1953	2,969.40	212.10	*
Levenson, Evelyn L	127 Brighton av	21—1953	5,656.00	707.00	*
Freeman, Bella	32–46 Brooks st	22—1953	1,696.80	141.40	*
Bolivar, Herbert	409 Frankfort st	1—1954	174.50	34.90	‡
Northern States Realty	16–30 Bennington st	1—1954	8,725.00	698.00	‡
Stoppolone, Giuseppe	Rear 216–216 Havre st	1—1954	321.08	41.88	‡
Esso Standard Oil Co	46 Lincoln st	2—1954	1,095.86	188.46	‡
Harrington, Mary C	8 North Mead st	2—1954	90.74	20.94	‡
Harrington, Mary C	10 North Mead st	2—1954	83.76	20.94	‡
Michaud Ellen G	296 Medford st	2—1954	349.00	55.84	‡
New England Pipe Supply Co	294 Rutherford av	2—1954	2,687.30	453.70	‡
Snyder, Esther	15 Chelsea st	2—1954	2,059.10	314.10	‡
Beaconside Exchange Bldg	118 Milk st	3—1954	10,470.00	2,094.00	‡
Engineers Supply Co., Inc	43–57 Cornhill	3—1954	8,725.00	1,047.00	‡
Bowdoin Amusement Co	65–67 Camhridge st	3—1954	12,389.50	1,396.00	‡
Brenton Clothing Co	240–242 Dover st	3—1954	4,188.00	1,396.00	‡
Brenton Clothing Co	246–248 Dover st	3—1954	4,188.00	1,396.00	‡
Cline, Daniel D	8–12 Bowker st	3—1954	3,141.00	698.00	‡
Conn. Gen. Life Ins. Co	496–500 Washington st	3—1954	34,900.00	5,235.00	‡
11 Kneeland St. Corp	11–11A Kneeland st	3—1954	2,931.60	698.00	‡
Graham, John R	115–117 Water st	3—1954	1,605.40	279.20	‡
Graham, John R	119–121 Water st	3—1954	1,605.40	349.00	‡
Lipsky, Benjamin, et al	190–196 Cambridge st	3—1954	2,094.00	349.00	‡
Kneeland Bldg. Corp	15 Kneeland st	3—1954	33,504.00	5,584.00	*
169 Tremont Street, Inc	169A Tremont st	3—1954	15,705.00	4,537.00	‡
169 Tremont street, Inc	170 Tremont st	3—1954	19,195.00	6,980.00	‡
Pill, Ralph	Vacant lot, Leverett st	3—1954	349.00	69.80	‡
Perry, Benjamin P	16–18 Winter st	3—1954	12,564.00	1,745.00	‡
Pinanski, Viola R	256–262 Hanover st	3—1954	3,769.20	837.60	‡
Posner, Rose	14–16 Stuart st	3—1954	1,745.00	139.60	‡
Rose, Cecil, Trustee	146 Portland st	3—1954	13,960.00	1,745.00	‡
Saunders, Irving	23–29 Bromfield st	3—1954	9,772.00	3,141.00	‡
Snider Holding Co	46 Beach st	3—1954	10,470.00	2,443.00	‡
Snyder, Peter, et al	4 Merrimac st	3—1954	2,163.80	558.40	‡
Snyder, Peter and Esther	Friend st., E. cor	3—1954	698.00	181.48	‡
Spanos, Pauline, Trustee	137–139 Summer st	3—1954	8,725.00	1,047.00	‡
Stone, Jeannette, Trustee	40 Batterymarch st	3—1954	732.90	174.50	‡
Winthrop Sq. Cafe, Inc	11 Otis st	3—1954	10,470.00	4,886.00	‡
Wyman Realty Corp	801 Washington st	3—1954	3,839.00	349.00	‡
Wyman Realty Corp	1 and 4 Wyman pl	3—1954	872.50	279.20	‡
Alving, Anthony, et al	25 Irvington st	4—1954	9,772.00	837.60	‡
Cherney, Harry, et al	25–27 Stanhope st	4—1954	732.90	174.50	‡
Cherney, Harry, et al	29 Stanhope st	4—1954	858.54	230.34	‡
Greenhood, Theodore	269 St. Botolph st	4—1954	558.40	34.90	‡
Forty-scven Huntington av	47 Huntington av	4—1954	16,054.00	2,443.00	‡
Nesson, Julius I	578 Huntington av	4—1954	1,116.80	349.00	‡
Rahal, James J	2–8 Dartmouth st	4—1954	1,326.20	139.60	‡
Vernhunt, Inc	150 Huntington av	4—1954	4,746.40	698.00	‡
Beaconside Properties	142 Beacon st	5—1954	2,792.00	418.80	‡
Brimmer, Lydia A	103–103A Charles st	5—1954	1,884.60	139.60	‡
The Broadway, Inc	Vacant lot, Tremont st	5—1954	314.10	174.50	‡
Cook, Eva	141–143 Charles st	5—1954	1,745.00	349.00	‡
Delaine, Helen	475 Commonwealth av	5—1954	19,195.00	1,745.00	‡
Esplanade Realty Co	28 Charles st	5—1954	7,678.00	1,396.00	‡
Fleischman, Jean G	255 Berkeley st	5—1954	3,629.60	698.00	‡
Jacohs, William M	75 Charles st	5—1954	1,745.00	279.20	‡
Jacohs, William M	73 Charles st	5—1954	2,094.00	558.40	‡
Jacobson, Donald and Lola	61 Revere st	5—1954	1,535.60	349.60	‡

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Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Leeder, Celia, et al	282 Berkeley st	5—1954	$16,054.00	$2,792.00	‡
Lubell, Pauline B	655 Boylston st	5—1954	4,188.00	698.00	‡
102 Beacon Street, Inc	104 Beacon st	5—1954	1,396.00	139.60	‡
Robrish, Sylvia S	400–402 Boylston st	5—1954	9,074.00	1,745.00	‡
Helena Rubenstein, Inc	17 Arlington st	5—1954	3,939.00	1,396.00	‡
Abrams, Morris	371 West Broadway	6—1954	1,745.00	349.00	‡
Alpert, Louis, et al	286–290 Summer st	6—1954	9,074.00	2,792.00	‡
Cable, Fannie	741–745 East Sixth st	6—1954	8,725.00	1,745.00	‡
Cashin, N. D	69–71 A st	6—1954	3,839.00	349.00	‡
Cline, Hyman E	437–447 D st	6—1954	22,685.00	3,490.00	‡
Silver Properties, Inc	471 West Broadway	6—1954	1,396.00	349.00	‡
South Boston Theatre Co	420 West Broadway	6—1954	7,657.06	1,256.40	‡
South Boston Theatre Co	424 West Broadway	6—1954	3,141.00	663.10	‡
Loyal Mfg. Co., Inc	32 Alger st	7—1954	3,490.00	558.40	‡
Righter, Charles A	744 Dudley st	7—1954	4,188.00	349.00	‡
Esso Standard Oil Co	850 Massachusetts av	8—1954	2,094.00	488.60	‡
Green, William, et al	16–18 North av	8—1954	725.92	139.60	‡
Dasheff, Sadie	4 Thorndike st	8—1954	3,141.00	593.30	‡
Jun Gong Wing	655 Massachusetts av	8—1954	698.00	139.60	‡
Kozberg, Abraham	7 Brook av	8—1954	390.88	104.70	‡
Wolf, William	Rear 2178 Washington st	8—1954	1,012.10	104.70	‡
Berkman Trading Corp	1146 Columbus av	9—1954	5,933.00	1,047.00	‡
C & K Realty Co	11–29 Roxbury st	9—1954	5,269.90	1,745.00	‡
Dickstein, Erick	13 Weston st	9—1954	279.20	34.90	‡
Dickstein, Erick	9 Weston st	9—1954	244.30	34.90	‡
Dickstein, Erick	11 Weston st	9—1954	230.34	20.94	‡
Dickstein, Erick	126 Cabot st	9—1954	230.34	20.94	‡
Dickstein, Erick	124 Cabot st	9—1954	279.20	34.90	‡
Fessenden Nursing Home	45 Centre st	9—1954	1,396.00	349.00	‡
Karpoff, Pearl	V.L., Hampshire st., NWs	9—1954	125.64	34.90	*
Karpoff, Pearl	V.L., Tremont st., SEs	9—1954	355.04	223.36	*
Karpoff, Pearl	V.L., Tremont st	9—1954	335.04	223.36	*
Mattin, Aaron	157 Roxbury st	9—1954	649.14	90.74	‡
Anderson, Edward M., Trustee	56 South Huntington av	10—1954	600.28	41.88	‡
Anderson, Edward M., Trustee	54 South Huntington av	10—1954	600.28	41.88	‡
Anderson, Edward M., Trustee	52 South Huntington av	10—1954	600.28	41.88	‡
Anderson, Edward M., Trustee	50 South Huntington av	10—1954	600.28	41.88	‡
Anderson, Edward M., Trustee	48 South Huntington av	10—1954	600.28	41.88	‡
Anderson, Edward M., Trustee	46 South Huntington av	10—1954	614.24	55.84	‡
Mission Hill Post 327	Vacant lot, Tremont st	10—1954	544.44	544.44	||
Mission Hill Post 327	1617 Tremont st	10—1954	453.70	453.70	||
Munafo, Leo N., et al	71 Brookley rd	11—1954	565.60	69.80	‡
Business Properties, Inc	63–75 Warren st	12—1954	5,933.00	558.40	‡
Crestwood Nursing Home	74 Howland st	12—1954	1,745.00	349.00	‡
Crawford Nursing Home	123 Crawford st	12—1954	698.00	209.40	‡
Feldman, Blanche A	394 Warren st	12—1954	837.60	69.80	‡
Golick, Barnet	43 Holworthy st	12—1954	1,012.10	139.60	‡
Highlands Nursing Home	516 Warren st	12—1954	1,116.80	139.60	‡
Kozberg, Abraham	30 Ottawa st	12—1954	300.14	34.90	‡
Mahoney, Frederick W	173 Blue Hill av	12—1954	321.08	41.88	‡
Tattelbaum, Samuel I., et al	32 Seaver st	12—1954	2,792.00	488.60	‡
Alipopoulos, Frank	12 Magnolia sq	13—1954	349.00	69.80	‡
Nesson, Samuel	715–723 Dudley st	13—1954	5,584.00	2,163.80	‡
Nesson, Samuel	713 Dudley st	13—1954	3,699.40	698.00	‡
Barnett, Ruth	78 Ellington st	14—1954	383.90	69.80	‡
Berger, Ethel	929 Blue Hill av	14—1954	1,116.80	69.80	‡
Cavagnaro, Walter B	14 Washington st	14—1954	5,584.00	1,745.00	*
Dabrosky, Isaac	761 Morton st	14—1954	1,647.28	251.28	‡
Davis, Thelma	191 Talbot av	14—1954	1,144.72	349.00	*
Dworkin, Rose	3 Jones av	14—1954	636.30	69.80	*
Ellerin, Ethel	47 Harwood st	14—1954	544.39	48.86	‡
Esso Standard Oil Co	841 Morton st	14—1954	1,954.40	209.40	‡
Feldman, Rose	187 Glenway st	14—1954	663.10	34.90	‡
Feldman, Rose	1345 Blue Hill av	14—1954	1,954.40	279.20	‡
Goldberg, Bessie	204–208A Washington st	14—1954	698.00	139.60	‡
Kliger, Herbert L	346 Seaver st	14—1954	593.30	69.80	‡
Lesser, Henry, Trustee	139–143 Erie st	14—1954	907.40	453.70	‡
Lesser, Maurice A., et al	89 Erie st	14—1954	872.50	314.10	‡
Levine, Annie	82 Rosseter st	14—1954	663.10	139.60	‡
Leventhal, Bernard	11 Rhoades st	14—1954	3,181.50	698.00	‡
Litvin, Frances	26 Abbot st	14—1954	698.00	104.70	‡
Lyman, Esta	22 Kingsdale st	14—1954	494.90	69.80	‡
Matlin, Harold	131 Ellington st	14—1954	663.10	104.70	‡
Matlin, Phineas	128 Ellington st	14—1954	663.10	104.70	‡
Morton, Bertha E	25 Creston st	14—1954	523.50	34.90	‡
Morton, Bertha E	23 Creston st	14—1954	523.50	34.90	‡
Navisky, Benjamin	136 Harleton st	14—1954	600.95	69.80	‡
Obelsky, Steena	181 Woodrow av	14—1954	494.90	34.90	‡
Obelsky, Bessie, et al	1224 Blue Hill av	14—1954	919.10	69.80	‡
O'Connell, Joseph	143 Ellington st	14—1954	1,012.10	174.50	‡
Pinta, Louis and Ida	20 Fowler st	14—1954	1,814.80	69.80	*
Rosen, Max	22 Stanwood st	14—1954	349.00	34.90	‡
Rosen, Max	20 Stanwood st	14—1954	349.00	34.90	‡
Rosen, Max	16 Stanwood st	14—1954	698.00	69.80	‡
Rottenberg, Samuel	3 Dumas st	14—1954	139.60	13.96	‡
Segal, Rose	47 Esmond st	14—1954	707.00	69.80	‡
Shuman, Bertha	66 Westmore rd	14—1954	530.25	34.90	‡
Trachtenberg, Stanley	96 Bowdoin av	14—1954	2,094.00	209.40	‡
Modern Die & Machine Co	5 Greenmount pl	15—1954	2,931.60	698.00	‡
Kaplan, Mina, et al	195–207 Adams st	15—1954	4,886.00	1,047.00	‡
Lesser, Sarah D	2–8 East st	15—1954	1,772.92	516.52	‡
Rubin, David	1460 Dorchester av	15—1954	13,960.00	2,443.00	‡
Shivek, Jennie	166 Pleasant st	15—1954	3,280.60	837.60	‡
Damico, Vito	1864 Dorchester av	16—1954	1,116.80	279.20	‡
Driscoll, Leo C	58 Whitten st	16—1954	586.32	41.86	‡
Fields Corner Realty	1502 Dorchester av	16—1954	5,863.20	1,326.20	‡
Munier, Mary L	61 Minot st	16—1954	349.00	139.60	‡
Trachtenberg, Abraham	154 Fairmount st	17—1954	837.60	279.20	‡

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Dora Piearsky, 31 Edison Green, Dorchester, Alice Powers, 94 Old Colony avenue, Wollaston, 2 days; Mary Pursley, 38 Van Brunt street, Hyde Park, 4 days; Helen Rodriguez, 97 Spring street, West Roxbury, 1 day; Joan Rival, 403 Boston road, Billerica, 5 days; Edmund Shea, 29 East Concord street, 3 days; Mabel Smith, 87 Bartlett road, Winthrop, 4 days; Verna Snow, 75 Damon avenue, Melrose, 1 day; Anna Stankard, 79 Edwin road, Waltham, 6 days; Mabel Steed, 87 Bartlett road, Winthrop, 3 days; Madeline Sullivan, 126 Marlborough street, 2 days; Josephine Trippe, 80 Orleans street, East Boston, 3 days; Kathryn Welch, 49 East Springfield street, 7 days; Edith Wells, 69 Monmouth street, Brookline, 3 days.

The following provisional employees have been appointed:

Mary C. Mullin, 37 Harbor View street, Dorchester, Mary E. York, 156 Emerson street, South Boston, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; Joan Healy, 38 Marshfield street, Roxbury, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—Edwin Faherty, 163 M street, South Boston, Leonora Rivard, 15 Ward street, South Boston, hospital medical workers, $50.50 a week; Ralph M. Simes, 34 Greendale road, Mattapan, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; Herbert A. MacDonald, 35 Worcester square, hospital house worker, $53 a week; M. Elizabeth Blake, 61 Friend street, Beverly, floor nurse, $1.70 an hour; Carolyn M. Cosolita, 14 Kilsyth road, Medford, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour; Kathryn Gildea White, 10A Essex street, Somerville, floor nurse, $60.50 a week.

Temporary.—Arthur E. Fidler, 81 High street, Charlestown, Clarice A. Griffin, 132 Ellington street, Dorchester, Sarah King, 37 Woodward avenue, Roxbury, Noreen Mahoney, 44 Annunciation road, Roxbury, Florestine B. Markham, 55 Hillside street, Roxbury, John E. Moore, 401 Adams street, Dorchester, Helen M. Moylan, 59 Glen road, Jamaica Plain, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; Olga Krag, 5 Park Vale, Brookline, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Margaret Taplin, 675 Boylston street, housemother, $60.50 a week.

South Division.

The service of the following employee has been terminated:

Permanent.—Fannie Billington, 6 Pereh street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $50.50 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following appointments:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Personnel Division.

Francis McDonough, 81 Jamaica street, Jamaica Plain, clerk, $1.25 an hour.

BOSTON RETIREMENT BOARD.

Edward L. Hanlon, 150 St. Botolph street, senior accounting machine operator, $55.50 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Health Division.

Philip Dolnick, 145 Pinckney street, public health dentist, part time, $50 a week.

Gerald J. Larkin, 104 Norway street, public health dentist, $80 a week.

Hospital Department.

Long Island Division.

Francis J. Heanue, 574 Ashmont street, Dorchester, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

Marjorie Studivan, Long Island Hospital, graduate practical nurse, $53 a week.

Robert J. Gaughan, 43 Torrey street, Dorchester, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

Joseph D. Sorenson, M.D., Long Island Hospital, assistant resident physician, $94 a week.

Penal Institutions Department.

House of Correction.

T. V. Campagna, M.D., 195 Bay State road, physician, $87.47 a week.

Veterans' Services Department.

Phyllis L. Sampson, 28 Gaston street, Roxbury, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Welfare Department.

Central Office.

Sally K. Gallagher, 31 Moss Hill road, Jamaica Plain, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Evelyn Wall, 30 Wayland street, Dorchester, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Temporary Home.

Ruby Stewart, 111 Harold street, Roxbury, clerk and typist, $50.50 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following appointments or reinstatements:

Administrative Services Department.

Printing Section.

Josephine F. Fogg, 19 Terrace avenue, Newton Highlands, proofreader, $96.25 a week.

Joseph Herlihy, 1 O'Reilly Way, Charlestown, cylinder pressman, $93.86 a week.

Raymond Rourke, 2 Marston road, East Walpole, monotype caster operator, $96.25 a week.

Solomon Baker, 15 Dumas street, Dorchester, job pressman, $89.23 a week.

City Planning Board.

John M. Bailey, Jr., 61 Kirkland street, Cambridge, junior planner, $76.50 a week.

Hospital Department.

Sanatorium Division.

Marcelline Madden, 439 Washington street, Dorchester, licensed attendant nurse, $58 a week.

Henry J. Farrell, 79 Bartlett street, Charlestown, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

James F. McCaffrey, 741 Washington street, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

John E. Kotyo, 1083 Beacon street, Brookline, licensed attendant nurse, $58 a week.

Public Works Department.

Sanitary Division.

Pellegrino C. Vozzella, 2 Meehan place, Jamaica Plain, blacksmith, $60.50 a week.

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TAX ABATEMENT DECISIONS RENDERED BY THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS FOR THE WEEK ENDING MARCH 11.— Concluded.

LEGEND.

* Appellate Tax Board Settlement. ¶ Illegal assessment. ‖ Chapter 59–5.
† Appellate Tax Board Decision. § Duplicate assessment. = Chapter 58–8.
‡ Overvaluation Settlement by Board of Assessors. x Chapter 231.

Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Rain, Abraham, et al	30 Athelwold st	17—1954	$404.84	$55.84	‡
Zanni, Henry and Irene	11 Brent st	17—1954	488.60	69.80	‡
Esso Standard Oil Co	1586 Blue Hill av	18—1954	2,582.60	488.60	‡
Esso Standard Oil Co	1379 Blue Hill av	18—1954	1,256.40	139.60	‡
Goodman, Helen	165 Milton av	18—1954	1,765.94	369.94	‡
Siegel, Lillian A	91 Lorna rd	18—1954	558.40	69.80	‡
Boston and Providence Railroad	Rear South st	19—1954	1,186.60	718.94	‡
Kay Realty Co. Mass. Corp	686–702 Centre st	19—1954	9,772.00	2,094.00	‡
Levin, Pauline	Vacant lot, Newbern st	19—1954	69.80	34.90	‡
McDonnell, John M., et al	9–11 Moraine st	19—1954	628.20	34.90	‡
Levin, Pauline	28 John A. Andrew st	19—1954	279.20	83.76	‡
Levin, Pauline	30 John A. Andrew st	19—1954	279.20	69.80	‡
Savage, James, et al	2 St. John st	19—1954	453.70	48.86	‡
Boston Catholic Cemetery Asso	Lot 65, Corey st	20—1954	34.90	34.90	‖
Boston Catholic Cemetery Asso	Vacant lot, Furbush rd	20—1954	6.98	6.98	‖
Boston Catholic Cemetery Asso	V.L., Furbush rd., NWs	20—1954	6.98	6.98	‖
Eisenberg, Ida	Vacant lot, Buchanan rd	20—1954	635.18	279.20	‡
Highland Club of West Roxbury	1868 Centre st	20—1954	1,745.00	349.00	‡
Hamsy, James K., et al	2290 Centre st	20—1954	286.18	41.88	‡
Murphy, Margaret W	19 Woodard rd	20—1954	872.50	209.40	‡
Sher, F. I., Co	1882 Centre st	20—1954	3,036.30	1,186.60	‡
Adams Realty, Inc	51–65 Kilmarnock st	21—1954	3,490.00	558.40	‡
Carlin, Benjamin, et al	714 Commonwealth av	21—1954	1,116.80	139.60	‡
Casson, Louis H	199 Park Drive	21—1954	4,537.00	349.00	‡
Condos, James	1922 Beacon st	21—1954	4,188.00	698.00	‡
Desmond, Frederick T	27 Glenville av	21—1954	2,303.40	488.60	‡
Feldman, Blanche A	145 Chiswick rd	21—1954	1,151.70	69.80	‡
Feldman, Blanche A	61 Mountfort st	21—1954	2,094.00	69.80	‡
Finer, Henrietta S., et al	1165 Commonwealth av	21—1954	2,233.60	279.20	‡
Finer, Henrietta S., et al	1173 Commonwealth av	21—1954	2,094.00	279.20	‡
Levenson, Evelyn L	127 Brighton av	21—1954	5,584.00	698.00	‡
Saklad, Gertrude M	119 Brainerd rd	21—1954	2,931.60	139.60	‡
Saklad, Gertrude M	90 Brainerd rd	21—1954	2,722.00	69.80	‡
Taylor, Ida	7 Price rd	21—1954	1,256.40	69.80	‡
Carey, Mildred G	39 South st	22—1954	1,047.00	104.70	‡
Carey, Mildred G	41 South st	22—1954	1,047.00	104.70	‡
Freeman, Joseph, Trustee	34–46 Brooks st	22—1954	1,884.60	349.00	*
Gar Wood Industries, Inc	V.L., R. 316 No. Beacon st.	22—1954	698.00	174.50	‡
Lynch, Isabella	487 Washington st	22—1954	2,094.00	349.00	‡
Shanahan, Gertrude Mae	17 Electric av	22—1954	2,233.60	558.40	‡
Shanahan, Gertrude Mae	V.L., R. 318 No. Beacon st.	22—1954	397.86	223.36	‡
PERSONAL PROPERTY.					
Ziman, Louis D	91 Westland av	4—1953	$1,060.50	$353.50	*
Emulsol Corp	59 Madison av., Chicago, Ill.	3—1954	76.78	76.78	¶
Mystic Automatic Sales	80 Federal st	3—1954	523.50	523.50	¶
New England Beverage, Inc	6 Portland st	3—1954	349.00	349.00	¶
Welensky, Morris	110 Lincoln st	3—1954	837.60	418.80	‡
Market Basket Stores	Various locations	3—1954	523.50	523.50	¶
Helena Rubinstein, Inc	11 Newbury st	5—1954	509.54	335.04	‡
Berch, Eli	125 Harvard st	14—1954	139.60	34.90	‡
Market Basket Stores	924 Morton st	17—1954	34.90	34.90	¶

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING APRIL 12.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Margaret and Louise March	147 Ashmont street	17	Alterations, dwelling	$175
Calvary Baptist Church	286 Ashmont street	16	Alterations, church	900
Mary M. Kennedy	470 Atlantic avenue	3	Alterations, stores, manufacturing	15,000
Elizabeth Reardon	37½ Barlow street	19	Take-down, garage	50
Geraldine Donovan	43 Beach street	16	Alterations, dwelling	375
David Murphy	206 Beech street	20	Alterations, dwelling	50
Israel Shalit	10 Berry street	16	Alterations, dwelling	325
John Conway	10 Blake street	18	Alterations, dwelling	300
Nathaniel Stone	810 Blue Hill avenue	14	Alterations, dwelling	250
Nathaniel Stone	812 Blue Hill avenue	14	Alterations, dwelling	500
Champion Cleaners	850 Blue Hill avenue	14	Alterations, stores	575
David Slavinsky	1139 Blue Hill avenue	14	Alterations, cleaners	375
H. Schwartz	1162 Blue Hill avenue	14	Alterations, restaurant	150
Samuel Soldham	1405 Blue Hill avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	900
John Coyne	422 Bowdoin street	15	Alterations, dwelling	1,700
Frank Itri	236 Bowen street	6	Take-down, shed	50
Harry Finklestein	202 Callender street	14	Alterations, dwelling	350
Bowdoin Square Garage	91 Cambridge street	3	Sign, garage, sales	1,000
J. O'Dell	152 Canal street	3	Sign, stores	50
Butler Real Estate Trust	168C Canal street	3	Sign, restaurant, manufacturing	500
Abraham Kaplan	678–682 Centre street	19	Excavation	350

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING APRIL 12.—Concluded.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Abraham Kaplan	678-682 Centre street	19	Take-down, stores	$300
Wellington Association Inc.	21 Charles street	15	Alterations, dwelling	200
Elizabeth McMahon	5 and 7 Clifton street	8	Alterations, dwelling	575
Dorchester Savings Bank	572 Columbia road	13	Alterations, bank	400
Kenmore Pharmacy	500 Commonwealth avenue	5	Alterations, store, office	300
Joseph Fundlich	1522 Commonwealth avenue	21	Alterations, dwelling	275
Panos Melahouis	1595 Commonwealth avenue	21	Sign, store	400
Minton Real Estate	65 Cornwall street	11	Alterations, storage	250
Hy Rosenberg	115 Crawford street	12	Alterations, dwelling	400
Hy Rosenberg	117 Crawford street	12	Alterations, dwelling	100
E. Fantasia	832 Dorchester avenue	7	Alterations, dwelling	200
Frank Hiatt	70 Dustin street	22	Alterations, dwelling	300
Michael M. Burns	472 and 474 East Eighth st.	7	Alterations, store, dwelling	400
C. D. Cohen	867 East Fourth street	6	Alterations, dwelling	825
Elizabeth Dow	31 Eastman street	7	Alterations, dwelling	250
James Bonanno	591 East Second street	6	Alterations, dwelling	150
James Bonanno	593 East Second street	6	Fire repair, dwelling	500
Winter Showe Company	110 Federal street	3	Alterations, store, office	1,000
John and Vita Agostino	8 Fernald terrace	15	Alterations, dwelling	300
Margaret Barrow	88 Ferrin street	2	Alterations, dwelling	200
Raymond McDonough	28 Fifield street	15	Alterations, dwelling	175
Commonwealth of Mass.	3 Fish Pier	3	Alterations, fish processing	950
William Eblan	51 Francis street	10	Alterations, dwelling	200
Boston University	32 Gaffney street	21	Sign, baseball field	1,000
Leo J. Peterson	131 Gardner street	14	Alterations, dwelling	722
Timothy O'Leary	136 Gladstone street	1	Alterations, dwelling	800
Vincent Collura	44 Gove street	1	Fire escape, dwelling	450
James Healy	78 and 80 Granger street	14	Alterations, dwelling	260
Kermit Atkinson	61 Granite avenue	16	Alterations, dwelling	150
A. Rodriquez	176 H Street	7	Fire escape, dwelling	90
Hattie Lindsay	178 H street	7	Fire escape, dwelling	90
Joseph Chisholm	12 Hallam street	13	Alterations, dwelling	600
Daniel A'Hearn	50 Halliday street	19	Alterations, dwelling	225
Fritz White	42 Hinsey road	18	Alterations, dwelling	190
Centre Motor Service	256 Hancock street	15	Sign, store	100
D. Doherty	11 Harvard street	2	Alterations, lodging house	400
George Holmes	21 Haskell street	22	Alterations, dwelling	1,990
A. McDermott	129 Hollingsworth street	18	Alterations, dwelling	211
Joseph Cardinal	18 Irving street	18	Alterations, garage	120
Mrs. Wolffers	76 Kingsdale street	14	Alterations, dwelling	325
Philip Chidorelli	68 Kittredge street	18	Alterations, dwelling	558
Elenor DiGiustina	21 La Grange street	3	Alterations, lodging house	100
Savino Parro	145 La Grange street	20	Alterations, dwelling	46
E. P. Moran	512 La Grange street	20	Alterations, dwelling	450
Thomas E. Kelley	15 Leroy street	15	Alterations, dwelling	480
Nicholas Patti	23 Lexington street	1	Alterations, store, dwelling	100
John and Mary Martindale	403 Linden street	15	Take-down, barn	200
C. Hennessey	211 Manthorne road	20	Take-down, barn	300
Teresa Dolan	79 Maple street	18	Take-down, garage	100
Leo Doherty	65 Martin street	20	Alterations, dwelling	340
Joseph Navils	409 Massachusetts avenue	9	Alterations, hall, dwelling	800
A. Corriello	381 Maverick street	1	Alterations, dwelling	900
S. Cohen	78 Merrimac street	3	Alterations, store	1,545
Harvey Gack	26 Michigan avenue	14	Alterations, dwelling	475
Mr. Laninella	30 Millet street	17	Alterations, dwelling	200
John Wale	16 Munroe street	12	Alterations, dwelling	800
Benjamin Cannta	22 and 24 Munroe street	12	Alterations, dwelling	790
Mrs. Wesseeker	51 Navarre street	18	Alterations, dwelling	300
Frank A. Brown	74 Neponset avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	325
Marion L. Kineh	210 Norwell street	17	Alterations, dwelling	110
Catherine Wilson	241 Northampton street	9	Alterations, lodging house	125
William Hughes	1 Port Norfolk street	16	Alterations, dwelling	230
Guy Frimaldi	15 Providence street	5	Sign, stores	125
Edward Foley	1385 River street	18	Alterations, dwelling	520
Estate Joseph Abdella	1591 River street	18	Alterations, dwelling	250
Susie Martin	65 Robey street	8	Alterations, dwelling	245
Roxbury Bottle Company	121 Ruggles street	9	Alterations, storage	430
Gordon Moberg	10 Russell street	2	Alterations, dwelling	340
Joseph Birmingham	24 Sedalia road	16	Alterations, dwelling	150
Annette Minni	22 Shannon street	22	Fire escape, dwelling	120
Mrs. Murphy	68-74 Shawmut avenue	3	Alterations, store, dwelling	250
A. Saviano	18 Shelby street	1	Alterations, store, dwelling	750
Barnet Grob	11 Stratheona road	14	Alterations, dwelling	420
John Cocolas	65 Stuart street	3	Alterations, store, office	900
Dorchester Cooperative Bank	158 Summer street	3	Sign, store, office	35
Henry Harvey	20 Temple street	20	Alterations, dwelling	800
James Hickey	1564 Tremont street	10	Alterations, dwelling	100
Brigham Trust	1610 Tremont street	10	Sign, stores	950
Joseph Calnecuia	14 Union avenue	11	Alterations, dwelling	980
A. Leglia	29 Wabon street	12	Alterations, dwelling	600
B. Jones	31 Wabon street	12	Alterations, dwelling	600
Lena Pilvin	25 Wales street	14	Alterations, dwelling	300
S. Rosenblatt	610 Walk Hill street	14	Alterations, dwelling	400
Beulah Rice	90 Walnut avenue	12	Alterations, dwelling	225
John Trotta	176 Walnut street	16	Alterations, dwelling	425
M. McKay and C. Currier	188 Warren street	12	Take-down, dwelling	250
M. McKay and C. Currier	190 Warren street	12	Take-down, dwelling	250
Jacob Lennox	124 Washington street	14	Alterations, store	75
John Torre	1762 Washington street	8	Alterations, restaurant, office	200
A.P. Levin Realty Company	2141 Washington street	9	Sign, store, lodging house	800
Vincent Montivila	135 West Seventh street	6	Alterations, dwelling	750
Walter Buckley	270 Willow street	20	Alterations, dwelling	350
Raymond S. Clark *et al*	79 Wood avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	200
Margarette Curren	132 Wren street	20	Alterations, dwelling	388
Denise Varjabedian	109 and 111 Wrenthamstreet	16	Alterations, dwelling	100
Sylvia Robrish	636 Beacon street	5	Alterations, offices	500
M. Curtis	185 Bowdoin street	15	Alterations, dwelling	875
Thomas Michaloviteh	191-201 Columbus avenue	5	Take-down, store, dwelling	6,000
Tinipany Elevator Company	22 Custom House street	3	Alterations, offices	100
George Martin	77 and 79 Fulton street	3	Alterations, store, dwelling	700
Concettina Piscopo	17 Gladstone street	1	Alterations, dwelling	475
Angelo Vincenti	292 North street	3	Alterations, store, dwelling	200
Dorothy Preinan	73 Stanwood street	14	Alterations, dwelling	120
Lincoln Oil Filling Station	980 William T. Morrissey Boulevard.	16	Sign, gas station	1,200

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The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following changes in status:

Administrative Services Department.

Budget Division.

Michael L. Connors, 441 Ashmont street, Dorchester, from head clerk at $98.75 a week to senior budget analyst, temporary, at $103.50 a week.

Auditing Department.

Paul R. Thorson, 86 Dimock street, Roxbury, from clerk at $48 a week to senior account clerk, temporary, at $55.50 a week.

Thomas M. Lannon, 15 Carmel street, Roxbury, from assistant city auditor at $127.25 a week to deputy city auditor, temporary, at $146.25 a week.

Fire Department.

John J. O'Mara, 20 Freeland street, Mattapan, from fire captain at $102.68 a week to district fire chief at $122.61 a week.

Robert P. Seeley, 43 Gartland street, Jamaica Plain, from senior storekeeper, permanent, at $73 a week to senior electrical engineering draftsman, temporary, at $76.50 a week.

Leo C. Driscoll, 58 Whitten street, Dorchester, from deputy fire chief at $143.68 a week to assistant fire chief in charge of personnel and training, temporary, at $162.84 a week.

Hospital Department.

Main Division.

Marie E. Finneran, 34A Blue Hill avenue, Roxbury, from hospital house worker at $50.50 a week to senior hospital house worker at $53 a week.

Dennis F. Carroll, 8 Racine court, Roxbury, from hospital medical worker at $50.50 a week to hospital house worker at $50.50 a week.

Dora A. Havey, 241 Boston street, Dorchester, from hospital medical worker at $50.50 a week to hospital house worker at $50.50 a week.

Long Island Division.

William F. Murray, Jr., 2 Racine court, from incinerator operator at $50.50 a week to hospital laborer at $53 a week.

Public Works Department.

Highway Division.

Katherine M. Shackelton, 88 Bailey street, Dorchester, from clerk at $58.70 a week to senior clerk and typist, temporary, at $60.50 a week.

Sanitary Division.

David P. Harrington, 23 O'Connell road, Dorchester, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior account clerk, temporary, at $55.50 a week.

Survey Division.

Philip A. Moynahan, 16 Wallingford road, Brighton, from junior engineering aid at $55.50 a week to senior engineering aid, temporary, at $63 a week.

Michael J. Corrao, 8 Moon street, from head clerk, temporary, at $87 a week to head clerk at $87 a week.

Water Division.

Mary H. Lentini, 7 North Munroe terrace, Dorchester, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior accounting machine operator at $55.50 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following promotion:

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

John Regan, 119 Monticello avenue, South Boston, from senior X-ray technician (temporary) at $60.50 a week to senior X-ray technician (permanent) at $60.50 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following transfers:

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Long Island Division.

Winifred Fitzpatrick, 68 Francis street, Roxbury, from Hospital Department as hospital medical worker at $48 a week to Hospital Department (Long Island Division) as hospital house worker at $48 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Thomas B. Leonard, 16 Fisher avenue, Roxbury, from Boston City Hospital, Sanatorium Division, as third-class stationary engineer at $73 a week to Parks and Recreation Department as third-class stationary engineer at $73 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Giro R. Parrelli, 15 Boardman street, East Boston, from Public Works Department, Sewer Maintenance Section, as motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week to Public Works Department, Bridge Division, as motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week.

Angelo F. Zamagni, 3 West Cottage street, Dorchester, from Parks and Recreation Department as laborer at $58 a week to Public Works Department, Water Division, as laborer at $58 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following leave of absence:

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Jeanne M. Papineau, 736 Washington street, Dedham, nursing arts instructor, $73 a week.

STEP-RATE INCREASES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved step-rate increases for employees of the following departments:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Administrative Division.

Mary J. Hynes, senior clerk and stenographer, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Budget Division.

John T. Leonard, principal account examiner, from $87 to $90.50 a week.

Printing Section.

Wilbur Lundberg, monotype caster runner and metal melter, from $80 to $85 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Frank P. Henry, senior environmental sanitation inspector, from $83.50 to $87 a week.

Health Division.

Regina K. Rockett, clerk and typist, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING APRIL 12.

GAS FITTER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
N. Clark	609 Dorchester avenue	7	Connecting range	$400
D. O'Neill	603 East Fifth street	6	Connecting heater	60
J. Liftman	728 East Third street	6	Connecting range	25
F. Avery	7 Fessenden street	19	Connecting range	25
A. Onessima	28 Fleet street	3	Connecting range	35
F. Deltufo	80 Fulda street	11	Connecting range	15
J. Liftman	7 Gen. William Devine Way	7	Connecting range	150
F. Avery	8 Gordon street	11	Connecting range	10
William Connell	24 Grampian Way	13	Connecting range	15
T. Matthews	60 Harvard street	14	Connecting range	40
V. Bordonaro	18 Hull street	3	Connecting range	40
D. Greenwood	36 Hyde Park avenue	19	Connecting range	35
P. Gulesian	1923 Hyde Park avenue	18	Connecting range	200
William Connell	20 Linden street	6	Connecting range	400
P. Gulesian	950 Metropolitan avenue	18	Connecting range	100
S. Staretz	41 Monmouth street	1	Connecting range	40
T. Resnick	7 Orient avenue	1	Connecting range	50
P. Gulesian	21 Reddy avenue	18	Connecting range	150
F. Avery	6 Rocky Nook terrace	11	Connecting range	25
F. Avery	22 St. John street	19	Connecting heater	35
Joseph H. Vogel	87 St. Stephen street	4	Connecting range	15
A. Granara	14 South Russell street	3	Connecting range	15
W. Foster	44 Stanbro street	18	Connecting range	100
I. Shulman	42 Strathmore road	21	Connecting range	35
F. Odenweller	82 Train street	17	Connecting range	220
D. Gould	11A Wabeno street	12	Connecting range	10
M. Loiterstein	181 Winthrop street	12	Connecting range	50
W. Foster	311 Wood avenue	18	Connecting range	65
J. Wilson	65 Baldwin street	2	Connecting range	35
S. Slavet	320 Blue Hill avenue	12	Connecting range	75
William Connell	105 Bowdoin street	16	Connecting range	20
J. Wilson	300A Bunker Hill street	2	Connecting range	50
L. Luxton	376 Centre street	16	Connecting range	35
E. Gamrin	2 Centre Street terrace	11	Connecting range	40
G. Trethewey	32 Cummins Highway	18	Connecting heater	235
A. Kellein	143 Dover street	3	Connecting range	40
J. Wilson	29 Eden street	2	Connecting range	25
R. Weider	45 Edwin street	16	Connecting range	100
M. Loiterstein	80 Ellington street	14	Connecting range	70
F. Avery	12 Enfield street	19	Connecting range	40
A. Granara	239 Hanover street	3	Connecting range	50
R. Taylor	19 Hollander street	12	Connecting range	40
S. Rosen	147 Humboldt avenue	12	Connecting range	135
R. Weider	8 Larchmont street	17	Connecting range	25
R. Weider	84 Lonsdale street	16	Connecting range	150
A. Kellem	407 Marlborough street	5	Connecting range	940
William Connell	289 Neponset avenue	16	Connecting range	600
A. Figler	41 Newland street	9	Connecting range	35
William Connell	52 Oakridge street	16	Connecting range	25
M. Wallen	1800 River street	18	Connecting range	40
G. Trethewey	249 Roslindale avenue	20	Connecting heater	165
J. Wilson	35 Sackville street	2	Connecting heater	50
D. Cahill	4 Salem Street avenue	2	Connecting range	40
J. Wilson	4 Sheafe street	2	Connecting range	40
G. Trethewey	16 Symmes street	20	Connecting heater	175
G. Vallati	471 Tremont street	5	Connecting range	25
G. Speers	363 Washington street	21	Connecting range	35
A. Granara	105 No. Washington street	3	Connecting range	10
F. Avery	115 Woodard road	20	Connecting range	100
D. Horgan	322 Athens street	6	Connecting range	35
S. Londau	879 Beacon street	21	Connecting range	25
William Broderick	396 Beech street	19	Connecting range	65
J. Bunesh	23 Bodwell street	15	Connecting heater	35
S. Stephens	122 Bowdoin street	3	Connecting range	125
D. Horgan	464 East Eighth street	7	Connecting range	35
D. Horgan	536 East Eighth street	6	Connecting range	40
J. Bunesh	670 East Fifth street	7	Connecting range	30
S. Connolly	219 Highland street	11	Connecting range	20
William Broderick	1521 Hyde Park avenue	18	Connecting heater	35
D. Horgan	241 K street	6	Connecting range	40
L. Fama	143 Leverett street	3	Connecting range	60
J. Bunesh	50 Linden Park street	9	Connecting range	65
William Broderick	8 Madison street	8	Connecting range	45
D. Gould	38 Munroe street	12	Connecting range	40
D. Horgan	122 N street	7	Connecting heater	35
B. Bishop	40 Queensberry street	5	Connecting heater	45
S. Connolly	95 Ruthven street	12	Connecting heater	35
J. Marquess	120 St. Botolph street	4	Connecting heater	35
J. Tierney	141 Shawmut avenue	5	Connecting range	20
J. Vangi	3 South Margin street	3	Counecting range	15
D. Horgan	9 Swallow street	6	Connecting range	50
A. Figler	124 Washington street	12	Connecting range	75
E. Hart	5335 Washington street	20	Connecting range	35
D. Horgan	5 West Bellflower street	7	Connecting range	30
E. Mogel	1190 Bennington street	1	Connecting range	300
F. Murphy	7 Bynner street	10	Connecting range	450
N. Clark	51 Elm Hill avenue	12	Connecting range	40
William Connell	27 Huntoon street	16	Connecting range	55
N. Clark	54 Jeffries street	1	Connecting range	15
S. Pryor	2 Lincoln street	2	Connecting range	15
A. Milligan	11 Maxfield street	20	Connecting range	40
F. Last	25½ Mt. Vernon street	7	Connecting range	50
J. Fopiano	39 North Bennet street	3	Connecting range	50
S. Sawtelle	116 Spring street	20	Connecting range	50
William Connell	59 Story street	6	Connecting heater	500
A. Milligan	59 Summit street	18	Connecting range	40
B. Szathmary	26 Camden street	9	Connecting range	350
P. Lembo	1413 Columbus avenue	11	Connecting range	40
P. Lembo	25 Dunreath street	12	Connecting heater	135
R. Simon	707 East Second street	6	Connecting range	50
P. Lembo	569 Dudley street	13	Connecting range	15

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING APRIL 12.—Concluded.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
P. Lembo	829 East Second street	6	Connecting range	$25
P. Lembo	26 Elmwood street	9	Connecting range	40
B. Szathmary	142 K street	7	Connecting range	100
G. Trethewey	17 Kittredge street	18	Connecting range	60
J. Marquess	2 Lawrence street	5	Connecting range	45
H. Latorella	383 Lovell street	1	Connecting range	35
M. Slishman	6 Marmion street	11	Connecting range	45
William Hogan	43 Parker Hill avenue	10	Connecting range	150
G. Trethewey	31 Pelton street	20	Connecting heater	250
H. Latorella	329 Sumner street	1	Connecting range	35
S. Litman	4 Albemarle street	4	Connecting range	35
M. Woods	61 Alpha road	17	Connecting heater	75
G. Trethewey	30 Ashfield street	20	Connecting heater	175
M. Zeolla	610 Atlantic avenue	3	Connecting range	300
A. Cohen	727 Atlantic avenue	3	Connecting range	200
J. Drews	1075 Boylston street	5	Connecting range	50
P. Kennedy	27 Braddock park	4	Connecting range	50
B. Capono	206 Bremen street	1	Connecting range	40
F. Avery	36 Brookside avenue	11	Connecting range	25
S. Litman	62 Brunswick street	12	Connecting range	45
H. Hinckley	124 Bynner street	10	Connecting range	10
D. O'Neill	98 Calumet street	10	Connecting range	500
M. Woods	455 Cambridge street	21	Connecting range	200
M. Woods	24 Chittick road	18	Connecting range	35
G. Vallati	90 Claybourne street	17	Connecting heater	200
D. O'Neill	1504 Columbia road	7	Connecting cooker	50
L. Trehub	645 Dudley street	13	Connecting heater	100
M. Vitale	45 Farnsworth street	6	Connecting range	35
J. McLaughlin	18 Forbes street	10	Connecting range	40
P. Jamis	32 Gartland street	11	Connecting heater	35
P. Kennedy	44 Gloucester street	5	Connecting range	35
M. Loiterstein	145 Harvard avenue	21	Connecting range	40

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM PLUMBING FOR THE WEEK ENDING APRIL 12.

Plumber.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
H. Eichel	27 Carruth street	17	Fixtures	$450
F. Goldberg	2057 Centre street	20	Fixtures	1,000
E. Gamrin	2 Centre Street terrace	11	Fixtures	500
G. Trethewey	32 Cummins Highway	18	Fixtures	255
M. Wallen	66 Lewiston street	18	Fixtures	850
R. Weider	84 Lonsdale street	16	Fixtures	150
R. Weider	201 Manchester street	17	Fixtures	1,000
A. Kellem	407 Marlborough street	5	Fixtures	5,000
A. Granara	69 Prince street	3	Fixtures	300
M. Wallen	1800 River street	18	Fixtures	750
G. Trethewey	249 Roslindale avenue	20	Fixtures	165
R. Schrottman	42 Strathmore road	21	Fixtures	200
G. Trethewey	16 Symmes street	20	Fixtures	175
J. Lynch	123 West street	18	Fixtures	200
F. Chute	71 and 73 West Eagle street	1	Fixtures	100
S. Londau	3 Arlington street	5	Fixtures	1,300
I. Rainen	140 Athens street	6	Fixtures	150
B. Porte	25 Buick street	21	Fixtures	1,000
E. Farrell	1414 Centre street	20	Fixtures	1,000
M. Loderblone	103 Francis street	4	Fixtures	200
H. Kirkland, Jr.	5 Frazer street	16	Fixtures	700
F. McMillen	788 Harrison avenue	8	Fixtures	400
S. Rich	96 Hudson street	3	Fixtures	1,900
W. Colpitts	550 Huntington avenue	4	Fixtures	140
S. Londau	504 Main street	2	Fixtures	200
J. Crane	378 Stuart street	4	Fixtures	6,000
A. Figler	124 Washington street	14	Fixtures	500
A. Figler	5027 Washington street	20	Fixtures	500
A. Stahly	17 Chelmsford street	16	Fixtures	105
W. Fafara	149 Fuller street	17	Fixtures	800
A. Milligan	21 Lodgehill road	18	Fixtures	1,000
A. Stahly	19 Plain street	16	Fixtures	10
J. Crespi	74 Fenwood road	10	Fixtures	100
M. Slishman	104 Milton avenue	18	Fixtures	150
G. Trethewey	31 Pelton street	20	Fixtures	250
A. Kaunfer	29 Asheville street	18	Fixtures	400
G. Trethewey	30 Ashfield street	20	Fixtures	175
L. Luxton	298 Ashmont street	16	Fixtures	1,900
E. Bailey	56 Beacon street	5	Fixtures	500
J. Seufert	1270 Boylston street	5	Fixtures	100
G. Patey	25A Eliot street	19	Fixtures	1,200
L. Miller	44 Farnsworth street	6	Fixtures	100
L. Abber	6 Hackensack court	20	Fixtures	1,000
G. Trethewey	39 Mendum street	20	Fixtures	240

STEP-RATE INCREASES.

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Hospital Department.

Main Division.

Mary F. Bradley, dietitian, from $82.51 to $83.50 a week (living out), to $79.01 to $80 a week (living in).

Jennie Donaldson, dietitian, from $86.36 to $90.50 a week (living out), to $82.80 to $87 a week (living in).

Mary Lou Reardon, dietitian, from $84.43 to $87 a week (living out), to $80.93 to $83.50 a week (living in).

Margaret L. Whitman, dietitian, from $81.51 to $87 a week (living out), to $79.01 to $83.50 a week (living in).

Hospital Medical Workers.

	From	To
Genevieve Bunker,	$48.00—	$50.50
Mary R. Ciasullo,	48.00—	50.50
Sally M. Coyle,	48.00—	50.50
Mary Donaghue,	45.50—	48.00
Doris M. Dowd,	43.00—	45.50
Mary L. Drummond,	48.00—	50.50
Ann Duffy,	43.00—	45.50
Julia Farrenkopf,	48.00—	50.50
Margaret F. Feely,	43.00—	45.50
Mary F. Fitzgerald,	43.00—	45.50
Florence E. Flynn,	45.50—	48.00
Anne E. Harrington,	45.50—	48.00
Margaret Heanue,	43.00—	45.50
Gertrude H. Johnson,	45.50—	48.00
Nora M. Kelly,	45.50—	48.00
Theresa Kolodko,	45.50—	48.00
Annie M. Lewis,	43.00—	45.50
Lena E. Murphy,	48.00—	50.50
Joanne P. Nee,	48.00—	50.50
Bridie Nelson,	43.00—	45.50
Catherine O'Connor,	45.50—	48.00
Viola M. O'Keefe,	43.00—	45.50
Anne Parker,	45.50—	48.00
Dever Pate,	43.00—	45.50
Bernice M. Pires,	45.50—	48.00
Louise Quine,	43.00—	45.50
Margaret J. Ritchie,	43.00—	45.50
Mary B. Reardon,	48.00—	50.50
Bertha L. Saunders,	45.50—	48.00
Rita V. Semler,	43.00—	45.50
Gertrude V. Stevens,	45.50—	48.00
Helen M. Stone,	45.50—	48.00
Anna Sullivan,	43.00—	45.50
Cornelia Wilkins,	45.50—	48.00
Rosa Lee Williams,	43.00—	45.50
Theresa Coughlin,	43.00—	45.50
Dominic Giarrantani,	50.50—	53.00
Robert A. White,	43.00—	45.50
O. Roland Cantalupo,	45.50—	48.00
James F. Flaherty,	45.50—	48.00

J. Leo Barry, cashier, temporary, from $64.66 to $65.50 a week.

Edna Bradley, senior clerk and typist, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Mary Browne, clerk and typist, part time, from $40.50 to $43 a week.

Frederick Carr, senior clerk, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Mary Rita Coughlan, senior clerk and stenographer, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Ellen J. Donnelly, head clerk and personnel director, from $102.73 to $112.36 a week.

Agnes Donovan, principal clerk, temporary, from $68 to $73 a week.

Grace Koch, senior clerk and typist, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Theresa Monts, senior accounting machine operator, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Mary Murray, senior clerk, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Dorothy Ryan, senior clerk and typist, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

John M. Sheehan, hospital finance officer, from $98.75 to $103.50 a week.

Virginia Tobin, senior clerk and stenographer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Elevator Operators.

	From	To
John Cassell,	$50.50—	$53.00
Francis McElroy,	48.00—	50.50
John P. McGann,	45.50—	48.00
Nicholas Migliozzi,	48.00—	50.50

Arthur C. Burke, painter, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Hospital House Workers.

	From	To
Mary Stenson,	$50.50—	$53.00
Francis B. Quinn,	48.00—	50.50
John J. Burns,	48.00—	50.50
Charles Mains,	50.50—	53.00

Dennis Feeley, senior hospital house worker, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Joan L. Daly, laboratory assistant, from $52.58 to $53 a week.

James Farrell, head X-ray technician, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Linda Flaherty, laboratory technician, temporary, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Helen M. Hayward, laboratory assistant, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

Mary E. Kelley, laboratory technician, temporary, from $57.58 to $60.50 a week.

John H. Lynch, hospital laundry worker, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Raymond Roche, hospital laundry worker, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Margaret Greaney, medical social worker, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Sahra Rapp, medical social work director, from $104.70 to $108.25 a week.

Robert B. Wilkie, social worker, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Lillian Carroll, telephone operator, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Michael J. Claffey, chef, from $115.66 to $117.75 a week.

John J. Lalley, hospital kitchen worker, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Floor Nurses.

	From	To
Ellen M. Clark,	$65.50—	$68.00
Miriam Homan,	65.50—	68.00
Patricia Keefe,	68.00—	70.50
Joanne Linehan,	60.50—	63.00
Ann Minard,	63.00—	65.50
Catherine M. Murphy,	68.00—	70.50
Doris Sinibaldi,	60.50—	63.00
Frances Tesson,	65.50—	68.00
Anna Traverse,	63.00—	65.50
Shirley Wall,	63.00—	65.50

Irene C. Coughlin, supervisor of nurses, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Mary F. Foley, clinical nurse, from $101.49 to $103.50 a week.

Alice B. Hogan, nurse (head), from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Mary MacDougall, assistant nursing director, from $109.74 to $117.75 a week.

Margaret Welch, director, school of nursing, from $147.72 to $151 a week.

Margaret Bell, floor nurse, part time, from $1.50 to $1.60 an hour.

Home Bentley, floor nurse, part time, from $1.50 to $1.60 an hour.

Virginia MacCalmon, floor nurse, part time, from $1.50 to $1.60 an hour.

Anna Rowe, floor nurse, part time, from $1.60 to $1.65 an hour.

Jane T. O'Neill, floor nurse, part time, from $1.65 to $1.70 an hour.

Sanatorium Division.

Eva Yankauskas, hospital kitchen worker, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Bridge Division.

Daniel G. Coughlin, carpenter, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Central Office.

John F. Flaherty, associate civil engineer, from $142.31 to $151 a week.

Highway Division.

Benedict T. Daley, analytical chemist, from $98.95 to $103.50 a week.

Sanitary Division.

Abraham Goldberg, laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Water Division.

Milton Arnstein, water service repairman, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Charles T. Clayton, laborer, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Salvatore Grifo, water service maintenance man, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Harry Eggers, water meter repairman, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Mary Lentini, senior accounting machine operator (temporary), from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Francis W. McKenna, heavy motor equipment operator and laborer, from $63 to $68 a week.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Collecting Division.

Thomas E. Hughes, deputy collector, from $87 to $90.50 a week.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Jerome Tracy, jail officer, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following requests:

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Sanatorium Division.

For the week ending April 5:

The following employees who earn over $77 a week have been granted an additional day's pay for working March 17:

Francis Hart, principal storekeeper; Luke McCarthy, stationary engineer; Patrick Murtagh, engineer; Rachael Scheehl, dietitian; Joseph Sedar, chef; Katherine Burke, head nurse; Alice DeRoehn, night supervising nurse; Mary Flynn, Anne Gilson, Clara Greene, Sadie Linn, Mazie MacIntyre, Katherine Morris, Gertrude O'Connell, Johanne Reidy, head nurses; Mary Rogers, registered graduate nurse; Mary Spinale, night supervising nurse; Anna Sullivan, Cecelia Sullivan, Mary Tolan, head nurses.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

John R. Murphy, 8 hours, $16.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award the contracts for work, materials, and supplies, in accordance with recommendations of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Purchasing Division.

Upon April 4 the Mayor approved a contract with lowest bidders as indicated for furnishing laundry supplies to various city departments from April 1, 1955, to September 30, 1955, inclusive, to be delivered as requested. Approximate total amounts of awards were as follows:

Contracts for Savem Products Company, 2 per cent, time of payment, $1,171.88; Lewis National Corporation, net 10 days, $1,102.83.

Orders for Carman-Mitchell-Wing Company, net, $620.38.

Bids, opened March 10, were as follows:

Laundry Supplies.

Item 1. 15 Drums Sodium Acid Fluoride, Technical Grade, 375-Pound Drums, Per Pound.—Carman-Mitchell Wing Company, 19.6 cents, Carco Special, 300-pound drums; Howe & French, Inc., 19.75 cents; Lewis National Corporation, 20 cents; Savem Products Company, 18.75 cents.*

Item 2. 5 Drums Sodium Acid Fluoride, Technical Grade, 125-Pound Drums, Per Pound.—Carman-Mitchell-Wing Company, 20.6 cents, Carco Special, 150-pound drums; Howe & French, Inc., 21.75 cents; Lewis National Corporation, 21 cents; Savem Products Company, 18.75 cents.*

Item 3. 11 Drums H.T.H., 100-Pound Drums, Per Drum.—Carman-Mitchell-Wing Company, $28.08; Howe & French, Inc., $32.50, 1 to 2 drums, $29.75, 3 to 9 drums; Lewis National Corporation, $26.25*; Savem Products Company, $28.

Item 4. 10 Bags Calgon, 100-Pound Bags, Per Bag.—Carman-Mitchell-Wing Company, $19.75; Lewis National Corporation, $17.60*; Savem Products Company, $19.70.

Item 5. 12 Barrels Starch, "Wheatex," or Equal, in 275/300-Pound Barrels.—Carman-Mitchell-Wing Company, 280-pound barrel, 13.125 cents per pound; Lewis National Corporation, 275-pound barrel, 11.5 cents per pound*; Savem Products Company, 280-pound barrel, 13.25 cents per pound.

Item 6. 75 Bags Soda Ash, Light, 58 Per Cent, 100-Pound Bags, Per Bag.—Carman-Mitchell-Wing Company, $3.30*; Savem Products Company, $2.95.

Item 7. Ironer Aprons, Clipper Laced, No. 3 Duck.

(*a*) 1 20 feet 2 inches x 120 inches. — Carman-Mitchell-Wing Company, $40.35*; Lewis National Corporation, $42.75; Savem Products Company, $42.

(*b*) 1 22 feet 2 inches x 120 inches. — Carman-Mitchell-Wing Company, $43.81*; Lewis National Corporation, $46.29; Savem Products Company, $47.

(*c*) 2 26 feet 8 inches x 120 inches, each.—Carman-Mitchell-Wing Company, $51.69*; Lewis National Corporation, $55.30; Savem Products Company, $56.

(*d*) 2 28 feet 2 inches x 120 inches, each.—Carman-Mitchell-Wing Company, $54.31*; Lewis National Corporation, $56.97; Savem Products Company, $59.

(*e*) 3 12 feet 6 inches x 120 inches, each.—Carman-Mitchell-Wing Company, $26.91*; Lewis National Corporation, $29.10; Savem Products Company, $29.

(*f*) 1 21 feet 8 inches x 120 inches.— Carman-Mitchell-Wing Company,

$38.22*; Lewis National Corporation, $45.44; Savem Products Company, $46.

(*g*) 2 20 feet 4 inches x 120 inches, each.—Carman-Mitchell-Wing Company, $35.86*; Lewis National Corporation, $43; Savem Products Company, $42.

(*h*) 1 16 feet 2 inches x 110 inches.—Carman - Mitchell - Wing Company, $25.57*; Lewis National Corporation, $35.60; Savem Products Company, $37.

(*i*) 1 17 feet 7½ inches x 110 inches. — Carman - Mitchell - Wing Company, $27.92*; Lewis National Corporation, $38.30; Savem Products Company, $40.

(*j*) 1 23 feet 10 inches x 120 inches.—Carman-Mitchell-Wing Company, $42*; Lewis National Corporation, $49.25; Savem Products Company, $50.

(*k*) 1 21 feet 7 inches x 120 inches. — Carman - Mitchell - Wing Company, $38.06*; Lewis National Corporation, $45.25; Savem Products Company, $46.

Item 8. Endless Feed Ribbons, Gilmer "Gold Star," or Equal, Indicate Brand.

(*a*) 89 2½ inches x 44¾ inches, each.—Carman-Mitchell-Wing Company, $1.14; Lewis National Corporation, $1.10, Neverstretch*; Savem Products Company, $1.24, Gilmer "Gold Star."

(*b*) 138 2½ inches x 48 inches, each.—Carman-Mitchell-Wing Company, $1.19; Lewis National Corporation, $1.16, Neverstretch*; Savem Products Company, $1.30, Gilmer "Gold Star."

Discount. — Carman - Mitchell - Wing Company, net; Howe & French, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment, prices subject to quarterly revision of July 1; Lewis National Corporation, net, 10 days; Savem Products Company, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Remarks. — Carman - Mitchell - Wing Company, bidding on Olck "Gold Star," formerly known as Gilmer.

* Contract awarded.

Boston Housing Authority.

Upon April 4 the Mayor approved a contract as noted in the following letter:

Boston, April 1, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

The Authority received and opened bids for exterior painting of 38 houses in the Hyde Park district of Boston on March 29, 1955. In doing this the Authority was acting as the agent of the City of Boston under the provisions of the Statutes of 1946, Chapter 372, as amended. Bids were as follows:

F. DiCenzo & Sons, Inc., $6,798; N. Gigliello Company, $7,870; T. Mickle & Sons, $8,450; Kabot Painting Company, $9,120; John W. Egan, $9,310; Nicholas Bello, $9,500; L. S. Bateman, $9,690.

At its meeting on Thursday, March 31, 1955, the Authority voted (Mr. Kiley dissenting) to reject the bid of F. DiCenzo & Sons, Inc., because of the fact that the bidder is unable to certify that it can provide labor that can work in harmony with all other labor employed or to be employed by the Authority on this work.

Also at the meeting, the Authority voted (Mr. Kiley dissenting) to award the bid to the second low bidder, N. Gigliello Company, on the basis of its bid of $7,870. This work was advertised in the Boston *City Record* as required by law.

Approval of the action of the Authority as outlined above is respectfully requested.

Very truly yours,

James J. Mahar,
Chairman.

Department of School Buildings.

Upon April 5 the Mayor approved a contract with Foto Beam, Inc., for making and delivering blueprints for the Department of School Buildings as required during the year April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956:

Foto Beam, Inc., 249 Walnut street, Newtonville; unit price per square foot for blueprint, 2.9 cents; unit price per square foot for blue line and direct positive, 3.95 cents; unit price per square foot for Van Dyke, 11.5 cents.

The Boston Blue Print Company, Andrew T. Johnson Company, Inc., and the Modern Blue Print Company submitted identical proposals. Their proposals follow:

Unit price per square foot for blueprint, 50 cents for one square foot with a reduction in price for additional feet until the unit price for an order of 100 square feet would be reduced to 5 cents per square foot.

Unit price per square foot for blueprint and direct positive, 50 cents for one square foot with a reduction in price for additional feet until the unit price for an order of 100 square feet would be reduced to 5.5 cents per square foot.

Unit price per square foot for Van Dyke, 50 cents for one square foot with a reduction in price for additional feet until the unit price for an order of 100 square feet would be reduced to 15.35 cents per square foot.

For 101 square feet to 10,000 square feet and upwards, the following proposals were submitted:

Square Feet to Order	Blueprint
101– 399	4½ cents
400–3,999	4½ cents
4,000–5,999	4¼ cents
6,000–7,999	4 cents
8,000–9,999	3¾ cents
10,000 and up	3½ cents

Square Feet to Order	Blueprint on Direct Positive	Van Dyke
100– 399	5 cents	15 cents
400–3,000	4½ cents	15 cents
4,000–5,999	4½ cents	15 cents
6,000–7,999	4½ cents	15 cents
8,000–9,999	4½ cents	15 cents
10,000 and up	4 cents	15 cents

In addition to the preceding schedule, the Boston Blue Print Company submitted an alternate proposal for printing of specification sheets as follows:

When fifty or more sets are required: per page size 8½ x 11, first hundred copies, $2.05, additional quantities of one hundred copies from same, 50 cents per hundred.

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Upon April 11 the Mayor approved a contract with W. H. Hughes Electric Service for electrical work at the Philip H. Sheridan School. Bids, opened April 4, were as follows:

W. H. Hughes Electric Service, $1,400; Kay Electric Company, $1,600; John R. Lentine, $1,715; Emerson Electrical Manufacturing Company, $1,950; J. J. Finn Electrical Service, $2,194; Stanton Electrical Company, Inc., $2,245; Herbert F. Sawyer, Inc., $2,430.

Fire Department.

Upon April 5 the Mayor approved a contract with Ward General Contracting Company for relocating six fire alarm boxes on A street, South Boston. Bids, opened April 1, were as follows:

Ward General Contracting Company, $1,020; James A. Freaney, Inc., $1,260; Dooley Brothers, Inc., $1,390.

Public Works Department.

Upon April 7 the Mayor approved a contract with C. Ray Norris & Son for inspection of piers of the Dover Street Bridge, over Fort Point Channel, at an estimated cost of $1,840. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed within six weeks from date of order to commence work. The following bids were received:

C. Ray Norris & Son, $1,840; Nick Tracy, $2,083; Submarine Specialists, Inc., $2,110; L. M. Mercer & Son, $2,548.50.

School Committee.

The School Committee has approved proposals for furnishing custodians' supplies and equipment for Boston public schools. Bids, opened Friday, March 4, were received from the following concerns:

American Sponge and Chamois Company, James Bliss & Co., Inc., Casein and Oil Products Company, Colgate Palmolive Company, Curry Oil Company, Driscoll Naughton, Inc., DuEv Products Company, Inc., Edison Chemical Company, Exclusive Rug Company, Fuller Brush Company, J. L. Hammett Company, Kaufman Industrial Hardware Company, Pearl Textile Company, Inc., Procter & Gamble Company, Schroeder & Tremayne, Inc., M. D. Stetson Company, Swift & Co., Waltham Paper Products Company, Warrenton Hardware Company, Henry S. Wolkins Company.

Awards were made to the lowest responsible bidders, as follows:

Exclusive Rug Company, $2,235.20.

Kaufman Industrial Hardware Company, $2,281.84.

Warrenton Hardware Company, $4,403.56.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

Upon varying dates as indicated the Mayor approved contracts with commercial houses, contractors, etc., for furnishing labor, supplies, and materials. Communications from heads of departments interested were as follows:

Administrative Services Department.

Administrative and Budget Division.

Boston, April 5, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Sir:

I desire to employ the services of Charles M. Evans & Associates, management engineers, 73 Tremont street, Boston, in the nine-month period extending from April 1, 1955, to December 31, 1955, in the following capacity:

1. To render professional consulting services and to conduct such studies as the Director of Administrative Services may designate in areas that pertain to administrative problems in the City of Boston and the County of Suffolk.

2. To provide technical assistance and direction to members of the staff of the Administrative Services Department assigned to assist and accelerate progress in the conduct of such studies.

As indicative of the areas in which service and direction shall be furnished, specific mention and reference is made to

(*a.*) Departmental staffing requirements.

(*b.*) Standardization of forms in use in various city and county agencies so as to realize savings in paper stock and printing costs, and to reduce the number of man-hours required to process said forms.

(*c.*) Studies of operating procedures in various departments and preparation of procedural manuals.

Payment for services rendered shall be made monthly at the rate of $7.50 per man-hour, said payments not to exceed in the aggregate $11,000.

The services of the Evans group have been utilized during the past year by this department and have been found very satisfactory. The experience and knowledge of the administrative organization and procedures of the city gained through this prior service will be extremely valuable in carrying on this proposed extension of their services.

I respectfully request your approval of the execution of an agreement with Charles M. Evans & Associates without public advertising for the services previously set forth.

Respectfully,

CHARLES J. FOX,
Director.

Purchasing Division.

BOSTON, March 31, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The Traffic Commission has submitted a requisition to this office for 1,000 gallons Berrylac No. 4 White Traffic lacquer. Berry Brothers, who manufactures this particular lacquer, has submitted an informal written quotation.

Berrylac No. 4 White Traffic lacquer has been used by the Traffic Commission for several years and has been completely satisfactory for their use. Authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to Berry Brothers. Inasmuch as this company is the manufacturer, it is my opinion that no advantage could be gained by publicly advertising for prices.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $3,350, less 1 per cent discount for payment within ten days.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, April 1, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office is in receipt of requisitions from various city departments for printing forms. The manufacturers of the forms requested have submitted informal written quotations.

Authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award contracts, without public advertisement, to the manufacturers. Since the forms will be purchased direct from the manufacturers, it is my opinion that no advantage could be gained by publicly advertising for prices.

Approximate total amounts of contracts will be as follows:

Moore Business Forms, Inc., $7,357.85, net, 30 days; Uarco, Inc., $1,232, net, 30 days.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, April 1, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The City Clerk's office has submitted a requisition to this office for 200 rolls film, 35 mm. Recordak microfilm. Recordak Corporation, the manufacturer of the film requested, has submitted an informal written quotation.

Authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to Recordak Corporation. Inasmuch as this company is the manufacturer, it is my opinion that no advantage could be gained by publicly advertising for prices.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $1,294, net, 30 days, plus return postage of processed film.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, April 4, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office is in receipt of various requisitions from the Water Division of the Public Works Department for copper couplings and corporation cocks. Prices were solicited from six manufacturers. Bids were received from three manufacturers. Hays Manufacturing Company and Mueller Company submitted the lowest prices.

Inasmuch as prices were received directly from the manufacturers, authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award contracts, without public advertisement, to the two companies who submitted the lowest prices. It is my opinion that, in this way, the best interests of the city will be served.

Approximate total amounts of contracts will be as follows:

Mueller Company, $3,170, less 2 per cent discount, 15th proximo, net, 30 days later; Hays Manufacturing Company, $1,665, less 2 per cent, tenth proximo, or net, 45 days from date of shipment.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, March 11, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

We respectfully request your permission to dispense with publicly advertising for bids, and to award a contract to Roxbury Mattress Corporation, 121 Lamartine street, Jamaica Plain, Mass., for remaking mattresses, pillows, and chair cushions, Boston City Hospital, for the period beginning April 1, 1955, and ending March 31, 1956, at the unit prices set forth below:

Regular hair mattresses, tufted, 36 inches x 78 inches x 4½ inches, boxed, $8.50 per mattress.

Cot hair mattresses, tufted, 2 feet 6 inches x 6 feet 2 inches, $8 per mattress.

Chair cushions (hair), $2.15 per cushion.

Feather pillows, 18 inches x 29 inches, $1 per pillow.

The total contract price is not to exceed the sum of $6,000.

This firm has performed the same type of service in a very satisfactory and efficient manner for the past three years, and the unit prices for the ensuing year are the same as those stated in the contract which is to expire on March 31, 1955.

The trustees are of the opinion that nothing would be gained by publicly advertising for bids for this work, and, furthermore, it is the opinion of the trustees that the interests of the city would best be served by awarding the new contract, without advertising, to Roxbury Mattress Corporation at the unit prices aforementioned.

Respectfully yours,

BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT,
RICHARD J. CONDON,
President.

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, March 29, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The trustees respectfully request that your Honor approve the award of a contract, without public advertising, to the Recordak Corporation, 444 Madison avenue, New York, for the purchase of films and spools for the period April 1, 1955, through March 31, 1956.

The films and spools are needed in connection with the new photographic book charging equipment which has been in use in the Central Library building and in several branch libraries during the past five years. Since the equipment is rented from the Recordak Corporation on a contractual basis it is necessary to purchase the films and spools from that company. The cost of these items for the period of the contract will not be in excess of $2,000. The trustees have therefore

"Voted, That there be awarded, without public advertising, to the Recordak Corporation, 444 Madison avenue, New York City, a contract for the purchase of films and spools for the period April 1, 1955, through March 31, 1956, at prices per unit as follows: Roll of 200-foot fine grain Recordak panchromatic safety film, $6.40; 16 mm. 100-foot receiving spool, 30 cents."

Inasmuch as the total cost for the films and spools will exceed one thousand dollars ($1,000), there is requested permission of your Honor to enter into this contract without publicly advertising for bids.

Respectfully,

THE TRUSTEES OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY OF THE CITY OF BOSTON,
by JOHN CONNOLLY,
Assistant to the Director, and Chief Executive Officer.

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BOSTON, March 29, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The trustees respectfully request that your Honor approve the award of a contract, without public advertising, to the Recordak Corporation, 444 Madison avenue, New York, for the rental of

photographic book charging equipment for the period April 1, 1955, through March 31, 1956.

This equipment is needed in connection with the new book charging system which has been in effect in the Central Library building and in several branch libraries during the past five years. Experience indicates that the use of photographic book charging devices is a more efficient and more economical method than the old hand-charging method. These items of equipment are patented and may be rented only from the Recordak Corporation. The cost of the rental of the equipment for the period of the contract will be approximately $5,000. The trustees have therefore

"*Voted*, That there be awarded, without public advertising, to the Recordak Corporation, 444 Madison avenue, New York City, a contract for the rental of book charging equipment for the period April 1, 1955, through March 31, 1956, at rates per month as follows: Recordak junior microfilm, Model JC or JCX, $17.50; Recordak reader, Model PH, $8.50; Recordak reader, Model PFR or P10-31R, $7.50; Recordak reader, Model PD or P10, $5; Recordak voltage regulator, $5."

Inasmuch as the total cost for the rental of this equipment will exceed one thousand dollars ($1,000), there is requested permission of your Honor to enter into this contract without publicly advertising for bids.

Respectfully,

THE TRUSTEES OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY OF THE CITY OF BOSTON,
by JOHN CONNOLLY,
Assistant to the Director, and Chief Executive Officer.

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BOSTON, March 31, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The trustees respectfully request that you approve the signing of a service agreement, without public advertising, with the General Alarm Corporation, 89 Broad street, Boston, for the period April 1, 1955, through March 31, 1956, for furnishing inspection service for the combination watchman-recording and fire alarm system in the Central Library building. In 1951 the equipment for the system was installed by the General Alarm Corporation and the servicing of this equipment can be obtained only from the General Alarm Corporation. The trustees have therefore

"*Voted*, That there be entered into with the General Alarm Corporation, 89 Broad street, Boston, a service agreement for the period April 1, 1955, through March 31, 1956, for furnishing of inspection service for the combination watchman-recording and fire alarm system in the Central Library building, the total fee for such service not to exceed one thousand one hundred ninety-nine dollars ($1,199)."

Inasmuch as the total cost for this service will exceed one thousand dollars ($1,000), your permission to enter into this agreement without publicly advertising for bids is hereby requested.

Respectfully,

THE TRUSTEES OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY OF THE CITY OF BOSTON,
by JOHN CONNOLLY,
Assistant to the Director, and Chief Executive Officer.

BOSTON, March 31, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The trustees respectfully request that you approve the signing of an agreement with the New England Deposit Library for the storage of books and other library materials for the period April 1, 1955, through March 31, 1956.

The New England Deposit Library building is located at 135 Western avenue, Allston. The institution was created by action of the General Court of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the terms of chapter 240 of the Statutes of 1941. The act names the Boston Public Library as a "Participating Institution" together with the Massachusetts State Library, the Boston Athenaeum, Boston College, Boston University, Simmons College, the Massachusetts Historical Society, and other libraries, for the purpose of providing storage space for books and other library materials for which there is only occasional use and for which storage space is not available in intensively used library buildings. The "Participating Institutions" share cooperatively in the low-cost housing arrangements provided by the New England Deposit Library in accordance with a schedule of rates standard for all "Participating Institutions."

The trustees of the Public Library have voted "that there be entered into with the New England Deposit Library, 135 Western avenue, Allston, an agreement for the rental during the period April 1, 1955, through March 31, 1956, of storage space therein for books and other library materials belonging to the Boston Public Library, in accordance with the rates for storage space formally adopted by the governing board of said New England Deposit Library." In voting to enter into this agreement, the trustees have set a limit of $9,145.50 on the amount to be expended for storage space for the period of the agreement.

Your approval of the agreement is hereby requested.

Respectfully,

THE TRUSTEES OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY OF THE CITY OF BOSTON,
by JOHN CONNOLLY,
Assistant to the Director, and Chief Executive Officer.

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BOSTON, March 31, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The trustees respectfully request that you approve the signing of a service agreement, without public advertising, with the International Business Machines Corporation, for the period April 1, 1955, through March 31, 1956, for the preparation of classified reports from punched record cards furnished by the library in connection with the expenditures for books and other library material. During the period of the agreement the cost of the service will be approximately $2,100.

No useful purpose, it is believed, would be served by obtaining competitive bids. Not only would a disruption of the record-keeping system of the Library's Book Purchasing Department result from the transfer of the work to another concern, but an investigation of the rates charged by other companies rendering similar services indicates that no saving would result from such transfer. The trustees have therefore

"*Voted*, That there be entered into with the International Business Machines Corporation, 590 Madison avenue, New York, a service agreement for the period April 1, 1955, through March 31, 1956, for the preparation of classified reports from punched record cards in connection with the expenditures for books and other library material, the total fee thus charged to be subject to terms, agreements, and conditions set forth in said agreement."

Inasmuch as the total cost for this service will exceed one thousand dollars ($1,000), your permission to enter into this agreement without publicly advertising for bids is hereby requested.

Respectfully,

THE TRUSTEES OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY OF THE CITY OF BOSTON,
by JOHN CONNOLLY,
Assistant to the Director, and Chief Executive Officer.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Rossano Construction Company, Inc., for modernization of toilet facilities at the Abraham Lincoln School, from March 31, 1955, to May 13, 1955. This extension was requested due to a manufacturer's delay in the shipment of tile floor and fixtures.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Approval has been given for the extension of the time of completion of the contract with J. D'Amico, Inc., 49 Ellison avenue, Dorchester, for installing conduit underground in Topliff street, Dorchester, from January 20, 1955, to April 30, 1955. This extension was requested because the materials for permanent pavement could not be obtained.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with C. Russo, Inc., for sewerage works in Leighton road, Dodge road, Kristin court, and Eastmont road, Hyde Park, from April 7, 1955, to May 7, 1955. This extension was requested because the contractor encountered an excessive amount of rock.

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Approval has been given for the extension of the time of completion of the contract with C. Jiustino, Incorporated, 36 Upland avenue, Dorchester, for furnishing steel pipes and laying steel and cast-iron water pipes across Long Island Bridge from Moon Island to Long Island, Boston Harbor, from March 31, 1955, to May 31, 1955. This extension was requested because the steel pipe delivery was late and because of the inclement weather at the present time.

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Approval has been given for the extension of the time of completion of the contract with John J. Botti, 1050 Adams street, Dorchester, for bituminous concrete sidewalks in Bellevue street and Neponset avenue, from December 31, 1954, to July 1, 1955. This extension was requested because this contract was not approved until December 31, 1954, and the contractor was unable to start work during the winter months.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

SPECIAL MEETING.

Thursday, March 31, 1955.

Special meeting of the City Council, held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 2 P.M., Senior Member White in the chair. Absent, Councillor Hurley.

The meeting was opened with the salute to the Flag.

The meeting was held pursuant to the following call:

Boston City Council,
March 29, 1955.

To the Members of the City Council.
Gentlemen:

You are hereby requested to assemble in the City Council Chamber, City Hall, on Thursday, March 31, 1955, at two o'clock P.M., for the purpose of taking action on the appropriation and tax orders for the year 1955.

Respectfully,
WILLIAM F. HURLEY,
President.

Placed on file.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCE.

Coun. HAILER, for the Committee on Appropriations and Finance, submitted the following:

In submitting the city budget for the fiscal year 1955 for the Committee on Appropriations and Finance, I, as chairman of the committee, would like to extend my appreciation to the members of the committee and to the other members of the City Council who participated in the hearings, as well as the Administrative Services Department, the Boston Municipal Research Bureau, and the Finance Commission, together with the department heads who so ably cooperated and provided a great deal of information and assistance to the committee. Their work enabled the Committee on Appropriations to expedite and present a sound series of cuts toward making greater economy and efficiency in city government.

We will not in this report attempt to enumerate all cuts, but some, of necessity, require an additional word of explanation.

1. The reductions made in General Relief and Old Age Assistance in the Welfare Department are the result of a reappraisal of the case load in each of these items by the Public Welfare Department.

2. While the committee is in complete sympathy with the idea and value of an Art Festival, it does not believe that it would be consistent with its policy of requiring detailed information before approving any expenditures if it did not require the persons responsible to submit a detailed budget for its approval. This matter has been discussed with the Director of Public Celebrations, who agreed to recommend that this item, properly supported in detail, be included in the supplementary budget.

RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCE.

1. To continue to expedite modernization of the City Printing Plant, with the view towards continual savings, eventually doing all offset printing work at a substantial saving to the city.

2. That the Administrative Services Department make a study of the jury system in operation in Suffolk County and the manner in which jury lists are established and printed. This would effect savings in time and the expense of printing different forms.

3. That a survey be made by the Administrative Services Department relative to all elevator servicing contracts in both city and county buildings, as we feel competitive bidding on such contracts will reduce costs of servicing these elevators.

4. That a study be made relative to legislation towards changing the fiscal year to July 1, so that savings might be realized by not having to borrow money in anticipation of tax revenue. This would allow the city to operate more efficiently; e.g., it would prevent such expenditures as the contract let by the Public Library for an expensive brass rail before the money was appropriated.

With regard to the cuts made in the budget, it should be made clear that each cut was made only after careful deliberation and conference with the department heads concerned and with the Budget Division of the Administrative Services Department. It is not expected that supplementary appropriations will be needed for these specific items.

For the Committee,

FREDERICK C. HAILER, JR.,
Chairman.

The Committee on Appropriations and Finance, to which was referred February 7, 1955, the appropriation and tax orders for the year 1955 submitted by the Mayor, having considered the same, recommends passage of the same with the exception of the following reductions:

APPROPRIATION COMMITTEE'S RECOMMENDED REDUCTIONS.

Department	Proposed Reduction
Civic Improvement Committee	$2,000
Election Department, Item 2	2,000
Assessing Department, Item 2	23,817
Administrative Services Department:	
Printing Section, Item 100	2,000
Real Property Department:	
Property Division, Item 100	900
Property Division, Item 2	3,850
Fire Department, Item 2	5,000
Civil Defense Department, Item 120	500
Civil Defense Department, Item 2	1,000
Traffic Commission, Item 110	6,000
Traffic Commission, Item 3	1,500
Public Works Department:	
Paving Service, Item 3	5,000
Sanitary Service, Item 2	24,000
Sewer Service, Item 2	15,000
Hospital Department:	
Boston City Hospital, Item 2	3,000
Sanatorium Division, Item 7	5,000
Sanatorium Division, Item 8	5,000
Long Island Division, Item 7	5,000
Welfare Department, Item 4	105,000
Library Department, Item 2	15,000
Library Department, Item 5	660
Parks and Recreation Department	5,000
Snow Removal	50,000
Public Celebrations	15,000
Total	$301,227

Coun. McCORMACK, as a member of the Committee on Appropriations and Finance, requested the unanimous consent of the other members of said committee to amend the report by inserting after clause 4 of the report the following clause 5: "5. That those persons charged with the expenditure of county funds be encouraged wherever and whenever possible to avail themselves of the services of the Purchasing Division of the Administrative Services Department"; and to further amend said report by inserting before the word "it" in the last sentence the words: "with the exception of the Art Festival."

There being no objections by the other members of the Committee on Appropriations and Finance, the report was so amended.

The report of the committee was accepted.

Upon request of Councillor Piemonte the proposed reductions in the budget as recommended by the committee were taken up item by item.

Civic Improvement Committee: The recommendation to reduce the appropriation by $2,000 was passed.

Election Department: The recommendation to reduce the appropriation for Item 2, Contractual Services, by $2,000 was passed.

Assessing Department: The recommendation to reduce the appropriation for Item 2, Contractual Services, by $23,817 was passed.

Administrative Services Department, Printing Section: The recommendation to reduce the appropriation for Item 100, Personal Services, Printing Section, by $2,000 was passed.

Real Property Department, Property Division: The recommendation to reduce the appropriation for Item 100, Personal Services, Property Division, by $900 was passed. The recommendation to reduce the appropriation for Item 2, Contractual Services, Property Division, by $3,850, was passed.

Fire Department: The recommendation to reduce the appropriation in Item 2, Contractual Services, by $5,000 was passed.

Civil Defense Department: The recommendation to reduce the appropriation for Item 120, Personal Services, by $500 was passed. The recommendation to reduce the appropriation for Item 2, Contractual Services, by $1,000 was passed.

Traffic Commission: The recommendation to reduce the appropriation for Item 110, Personal Services, by $6,000 was passed. The recommendation to reduce the appropriation for Item 3, Supplies and Materials, by $1,500 was passed.

Public Works Department: The recommendation to reduce the appropriation for the Paving Service, Item 3, Supplies and Materials, by $5,000 was passed. The recommendation to reduce the appropriation for the Sanitary Service, Item 2, Contractual Services, by $24,000 was passed. The recommendation to reduce the appropriation for the Sewer Service, Item 2, Contractual Services, by $15,000 was passed.

Hospital Department: The recommendation to reduce the appropriation of the Boston City Hospital, Item 2, Contractual Services, by $3,000 was passed. The recommendation to reduce the appropriation of the Sanatorium Division, Item 7, Structures and Improvements, by $5,000 was passed. The recommendation to reduce the appropriation for the Sanatorium Division, Item 8, Land and Nonstructural Improvements to Land, by $5000 was passed. The recommendation to reduce the appropriation for the Long Island Division, Item 7, Structures and Improvements, by $5,000 was passed.

Welfare Department: The recommendation to reduce the appropriation for Item 4, Current Charges and Obligations, by $105,000 was passed.

Library Department: The recommendation to reduce the appropriation for Item 2, Contractual Services, by $15,000 was passed. The recommendation to reduce the appropriation for Item 5, Equipment, by $660 was passed.

Parks and Recreation Department: The recommendation to reduce the appropriation for Item 8, Land and Nonstructural Improvements to Land, by $5,000 was passed.

Snow Removal: The recommendation to reduce the appropriation for Snow Removal, Special Appropriations, by $50,000 was passed.

Public Celebrations: The recommendation to reduce the appropriation for Public Celebrations by $15,000 was passed.

Coun. PIEMONTE and FOLEY requested that they be recorded as voting "No" on the reduction of the appropriation for Public Celebrations.

The question then came on the passage of the budget as submitted by the Mayor and as amended. The budget as aubmitted by the Mayor and as amended was passed, yeas 6, nays 0:

Yeas—Councillors Ahearn, Hailer, McCormack, McLaughlin, Piemonte, White—6.

Nays—0.

Voting present: Councillor Foley.

COMMENDATIONS TO COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCE AND OTHERS.

The following was received:

"The President of the City Council has requested, through his office, that the Acting President convey to the Committee on Appropriations and Finance his most sincere thanks for the outstanding work they have done on this year's budget, and also to thank all those who have assisted the committee and the entire Council in accomplishing the speedy passage of this budget.

"The Director of Administrative Services, the Budget Section of that division, the heads of the various city departments, and the Council attaches also are to be commended for their efforts regarding the hearings on the budget.

"It is a testimonial to the Mayor of Boston and his department heads for the very tight budget which he has submitted to the Council, and the Committee on Appropriations and Finance and the entire Council are to be congratulated in having accomplished over $300,000 in reductions in the budget, consequently saving this amount for the taxpayers of Boston."

Placed on file.

The purpose for which the meeting was called having been accomplished, Chairman WHITE declared the meeting adjourned at 5.33 P.M.

Monday, April 4, 1955.

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 2 P.M., Senior Member WHITE in the chair. Absent, Councillors Hurley and Kerrigan.

The Reverend John P. Kelley of St. Thomas More Roman Catholic Church, Braintree, was escorted to the rostrum.

INVOCATION BY REV. JOHN P. KELLEY.

Let us pray. O Almighty and Eternal God, from Whom all authority is derived, bless us, Thy servants who are gathered together in Thy name to transact our business of promoting public welfare. Send forth Thy spirit to come into us and to be with us, to teach us what we are to do and whither we ought to tend, and to show us what we must accomplish so that we may please Thee in all things.

Bless these, the members of the City Council, who have been chosen to rule over us, that they may regard their office as a public trust, and that

they may work always to streagthen the belief in the common man, in the efficiency and honesty of a great democratic government.

Do Thou inspire them always to place the public welfare above their own personal gain, to do good lor others rather than do well for themselves.

Bless us who are ruled that we may be good and loyal Americans. Fill us with Thy spirit of judgment whieh makes us regard prosperity as a blessing coming forth from Thee and not something that can well be an obstacle to Thee.

Bless us with Thy Spirit of humility that is reflected upon us in prayer in dependence upon Thee. Fill us with charity, charity lor all men, friend and foe, that we may offer help in their hour of need. Grant us honor aad respect for all authority.

Lastly, in the issues of government, we turn to Thee in humble prayer that all things may work together for Thy greater glory, our owa sanctification, and to the good of all those around us.

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost. Amen.

The meeting was opened with the salute to the Flag.

EXTENSION OF RENT CONTROL.

On motion of Councillor Ahearn the rules were suspended on the order of business to allow him to offer the following order:

Ordered, That chapter 225 of the Acts of 1955 entitled "An Aet Relative to Rent Control" be, and hereby is, accepted by the City of Boston; and be it further

Ordered, That it be, and herehy is, declared that a substantial shortage of rental housing accommodations exists in Boston and that the control of rents in Boston is necessary in the public interest; and be it further

Ordered, That the provisions of chapter 434 of the Acts of 1953, as amended by chapter 496 of the Acts of 1954, be, and hereby are, continued in effect until Decemher 31, 1955.

The order was passed.

CONGRATULATIONS TO TONY DeMARCO.

On motion of Councillor Piemonte the rules were suspended on the order of business to allow the introduction of the following resolution:

Coun. PIEMONTE, HURLEY, and WHITE offered the following:

Whereas, On Friday evening, April 1, 1955, in Boston, Tony DeMareo won the welterweight championship of the world by defeating Johnny Saxton; and

Whereas, This well-earned victory reflects great credit on his parents, his family, his neighbors and friends, his trainer, the well-loved Sammy Fuller, his managers, his priestly advisors of the Christopher Columbus Catholic Center and St. Stephen's Church, the Italian people of Boston, and on the entire City of Boston and particularly on the North End Section ol Boston; and

Whereas, The life story of this young man, as currently being unfolded in most of the Boston newspapers, is an inspiration to all young people in our city; and

Whereas, Tony DeMareo has conducted himself on his meteoric rise to the top in the boxing field in a manner truly befitting a champion; be it therefore

Resolved, That the Boston City Council in meeting assembled extends its most sincere congratulations to Tony DeMareo on his victory and expresses the thanks of the people of Boston for the fine example he has given to the youngsters of our city; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be prepared by the City Clerk for presentation to the new champion and that he be invited to a future meeting of the Council for its presentation.

The resolution was adopted.

JURORS DRAWN.

Jurors were drawn in the manner prescribed by law, Councillor McCORMACK presiding at the box in the absence of the Mayor, viz.:

Seventy-nine traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, to appear May 2, 1955:

Louis Falzarano, Ward 1; Edward T. Gawlinski, Ward 1; Daniel B. McDuffie, Ward 1; John J. McGunigle, Ward 1; Mary Meehan, Ward 1; John P. Connolly, Ward 2; Edward M. Norris, Ward 2; Joseph W. Rinaldi, Ward 2; Antonio Nieastro, Ward 3; Ralph A. Renna, Ward 3; James F. Simms, Jr., Ward 4; Ben A. Thomas, Ward 4; Joseph G. Wossell, Ward 4; Dorothy D. Adams, Ward 5; Leo J. Allaire, Ward 5; Kenneth A. Clapp, Ward 5; Edwin J. O'Keefe, Ward 5; Theodore E. DeLisle, Ward 6; Albert M. LeBreton, Ward 6; Lawrenee J. Comeau, Ward 7; Patriek Greene, Ward 7; Louis Lombardi, Ward 7; Parke H. Masters, Ward 7; Frank R. Sullivan, Ward 7; William Matthews, Ward 8; Patriek E. Knight, Ward 9; Henry Sarno, Ward 9; John J. Dunne, Ward 10; Margaret V. Glennon, Ward 10; Charles W. J. Hankey, Ward 11; Joaa M. Kearney, Ward 11; John Patrick Luby, Ward 11; Lawrence B. Roche, Ward 11;

Irving Jones, Ward 12; Thomas E. Jones, Ward 12; Martin H. Oxman, Ward 12; John P. Phinney, Ward 12; Antone J. Senna; Ward 12; Abraham S. White, Ward 12; Nelson Finkelstein, Ward 13; Lilliaa Foilh, Ward 13; Belle Daaberg, Ward 14; Louis Siato, Ward 14; Ralph W. Wallace, Ward 14; George J. Adducci, Ward 15; Warren S. Johnsea, Ward 15; Lloyd L. Nickerson, Ward 15; George H. Smith, Ward 15; Frank Wright, Ward 15; Daniel J. Cotter, Ward 16; Kermit R. Houghton, Ward 16; John J. Leonard, Ward 16; Francis T. McFaddea, Ward 16; Roland S. Batesen, Ward 17; Arthur Carpenter, Ward 17; Donald T. MacDonald, Ward 17; Albert W. McViney, Ward 17; Martin G. Moran, Ward 17; Anna R. Lynch, Ward 18; Angus Ross, Ward 18; Ralph White, Ward 18; Louise C. Ewer, Ward 19; John J. Gaiaey, Ward 19; Martin J. Condry, Ward 20; Charles J. Frey, Ward 20; Francis L. McNair, Ward 20; Edward L. Moran, Ward 20; Edward G. Peterson, Ward 20; Alexander D. Bannerman, Ward 21; Arthur A. Carmell, Ward 21; James F. Ford, Ward 21; Edwin Garfield, Ward 21; Charles H. Groves, Ward 21; Jacob Kostick, Ward 21; Rudolph C. Thyne, Ward 21; Gerald E. Estey, Ward 22; James McLaughlin, Ward 22; Robert F. Moose, Ward 22; Kathleen F. O'Shea, Ward 22.

Coun. FOLEY in the chair.

One hundred twenty traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, to appear May 2, 1955:

Peter F. Beddia, Ward 1; Edward Cohan, Ward 1; John Farrell, Ward 1; Vincent P. Reed, Ward 1; John E. Rose, Ward 1; Walter C. Silek, Ward 1; John J. Crowley, Ward 2; Josephine Daley, Ward 2; Gertrude Morrissey, Ward 2; Frank W. Shaw, Ward 2; Arthur E. Zernani, Ward 2; Theodore N. Levin, Ward 3; Carroll E. Whittemore, Ward 3; George G. Ferreira, Ward 4; George W. Glasby, Ward 4; Raymond Hunter, Ward 4; Patriek McDevitt, Ward 4; Albertine O. Roux, Ward 4; Robert M. Beals, Ward 5; Manuel Broady, Ward 5; Edward P. Goodnow, Ward 5; John J. Muccio, Ward 5; William W. Nickerson, Ward 5; William G. Welsh, Ward 5; Stanley L. White, Ward 5; George E. Ballou, Jr., Ward 6; Claude Corkran, Ward 6; Frederic A. George, Ward 6; Joseph Innello, Ward 6; Edward F. Jellison, Ward 6; Alice E. McSolla, Ward 6; Edward J. Sexton, Ward 6; William Aubut, Ward 7; George C. Kropas, Ward 7; Patrick Joseph O'Malley, Ward 7; John A. Pietersen, Ward 7; Anna Saniuk, Ward 7; Henry E. Alker, Ward 8; Arthur L. Bowes, Ward 8; John J. Burns, Ward 8; Howard E. Ernest, Ward 8; Charles F. Heroux, Ward 8; Roy J. LeCloux, Ward 8; Thomas J. McDonald, Ward 8; Edward Whalen, Ward 8; Charles O. Leoney, Ward 9; Mary E. MacDonald, Ward 9; George McGee, Ward 9; Cornelius Riordan, Ward 9; Peter F. Sullivan, Ward 9; William S. Doyle, Ward 10; J. Harold Jackson, Ward 10; Joseph C. McGillvray, Jr., Ward 10; Arthur T. Sutherland, Ward 10; Adolph J. Blanchetti, Ward 11; Paul J. Carrigan, Ward 11; Charles A. Davis, Ward 11; William C. Fardie, Ward 11; Henry J. Hunter, Ward 11; Joseph R. Tebeau, Ward 11; Mildred J. Brown, Ward 12; Maurice Katz, Ward 12; William B. Papert, Ward 12; Japheth N. F. Roach, Ward 12; Raymond G. Valrose, Ward 12; Joseph E. Werner, Ward 12.

Chester J. Kowalczyk, Ward 13; Charles F. Reynolds, Jr., Ward 13; James L. Swanton, Ward 13; Stephen I. Cahn, Ward 14; John P. Claney, Ward 14; Lewis Cohen, Ward 14; John Hamelburg, Ward 14; Harold Ritter, Ward 14; Robert V. Andrews, Ward 15; George J. Koch, Ward 15; Bertha Zarembo, Ward 15; John J. Mellon, Ward 16; Antonio Mineehello, Ward 16; Gilbert L. Noble, Ward 16; John P. O'Toole, Ward 16; Joseph W. Adams, Ward 17; David C. Dempster, Ward 17; Lester Kenerson, Ward 17; Anthony Lembo, Ward 17; Charles H. Pratt, Ward 17; Domenico Sciaba, Ward 17; LeRoy B. Bedell, Ward 18; Mary J. Fallon, Ward 18, Catherine Hartford, Ward 18; Edward C. Lake, Ward 18; Roy C. McDermott, Ward 18; James R. O'Connell, Ward 18; Fred M. Pannerot, Ward 18; Daniel F. Shea, Ward 18; John J. Skane, Ward 18; Gaston Joseph Tellier, Ward 18; John T. Twohig, Ward 18; John H. Donahue, Ward 19; Thomas J. Ennis, Jr., Ward 19; Lewis F. Lipp, Ward 19; Francis Murphy, Ward 19; John E. Beneway, Ward 20; George P. Forde, Ward 20; William J. Murray, Ward 20; Helen P. Nay, Ward 20; James M. Allan, Ward 21; Clarence J. Dill, Ward 21; Joseph S. Goss, Ward 21; John Griffin, Ward 21; Edward A. Laycock, Ward 21; Howard M. Lindsey, Ward 21; Philip L. Paro, Ward 21; Daniel J. Baccari, Ward 22; Benjamin Black, Ward 22; Clyde O. Derwinski, Ward 22; William J. Fogarty, Ward 22; James M. Hendriek, Ward 22; Samuel Levin, Ward 22; Dorothy Sampson, Ward 22.

CONGRATULATIONS TO TONY DeMARCO.

On motion of Councillor McCormack the rules were suspended on the order of business to allow the introduction of the following resolution:

Coun. McCORMACK and all the members of the Council offered the following:

Whereas, Tony DeMareo, the new welterweight champion of the world is a native son of the City of Boston; and

Whereas, The City of Boston has not had a world champion in the field of sports in a great many years; aad

Whereas, As the son of immigraat parents and a youth in whose honor and principles we can have the utmost laith; be it therelore

Resolved, That the Boston City Council in meeting assembled, extend its sincerest congratulations to Tony DeMareo, the world's newest champion, and convey our best wishes to him in all of his future endeavors to retain his newly-won crown.

The resolution was adopted.

Coun. WHITE in the chair.

APPOINTMENTS BY THE MAYOR.

Subject to confirmation by the Council, the Mayor submitted the following appointments:

Weighers of Goods for the term ending April 30, 1956: Francis W. Sprague, 33 Knoll street, Roslindale; Carl H. Olson, 19 Knoll street, Roslindale; George E. White, 12 Pittsburgh street, South Boston.

Referred to the Committee on Confirmations.

FREE USE OF DOWNTOWN SUBWAYS BETWEEN CERTAIN STATIONS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, April 4, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the general manager of the Metropolitan Transit Authority relative to your order of March 14, 1955, concerning the free use of downtown subways by shoppers.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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Metropolitan Transit Authority,
March 30, 1955.

Mr. Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.

Dear Sir:

The trustees have directed me to reply to the suggestion in the order of March 14. Both from a practical operating standpoint and the requirements of the existing public ownership law, it would not be possible to make such arrangements.

Very truly yours,
EDWARD DANA,
General Manager.

Placed on file.

SURVEY OF STREET MARKINGS IN DORCHESTER AREA.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, April 4, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Public Works relative to your resolution of March 28, 1955, concerning the number of signs in need of replaced markings.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Public Works Department,
April 1, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chiel Clerk, Mayor's Office.

Dear Mr. Flemming:

This is in reference to the following order that was passed in the City Council under date of March 28:

"Whereas, The streets of the Dorchester district are complex in pattern to those not familiar with the area; and

"Whereas, The locating of streets is difficult to visitors and the drivers of commercial vehicles who make deliveries to Dorchester homes and business places; and

"Whereas, The Dorchester Board of Trade has brought to the attention of the Boston City Council that many of Dorchester's street signs are missing; therefore be it

"Ordered, That the Department of Public Works, through his Honor the Mayor, be requested to survey the street markings of the Dorchester area and determine how many of them should be replaced; and be it lurther

"Resolved, That the number ol signs in need of replaced markings be reported to the Mayor and City Council."

For the past several years we have conducted a concentrated drive to place proper street signs, at all intersections in the city, as we appreciate the importance of having streets properly identified. I feel that we have made reasonably good progress although unquestionably there are still remaining in the city many missing or obliterated street signs that should be replaced. Our appropriation for this work was in the amount of $8,500 last year, but was increased to $15,000 during the current

year, and I expect, therefore, to increase the tempo of the street sign replacement program accordingly.

You may be assured, therefore, that we will make a careful survey of all missing signs in the Dorchester area and will replace them as soon as possible.

Respectfully yours,
GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Placed on file.

LIGHTING ON ROSELAND STREET, DORCHESTER.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, April 4, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Public Works relative to your order of March 28, 1955, concerning the installation of electric lights on Roseland street, Dorchester.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Public Works Department,
April 1, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.

Dear Mr. Flemming:

This is in reference to the following order that was passed in the City Council under date of March 28:

"Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to promptly arrange for the installation of electric lights on Roseland street, Dorchester, to replace the present gas lamps and to generally improve the lighting facilities in that area."

At the present time, there are approximately 3,350 gas lights still located in the streets of this city, as compared with 6,431 lights that were located on the streets as of January 1, 1950. We have, therefore, made substantial progress in replacing the outmoded and inadequate gas lights with modern electric street lights. As stated, however, there are in excess of 3,300 to be replaced at the present time.

In order to expedite the work of replacing these gas lamps, we have adopted a policy of replacing them on a district basis rather than on a basis of individual streets. Unquestionably, practically every street that is lighted by gas lamps may be considered to be inadequately lighted and, therefore, in general, no individual street should be granted preference over any other. Under the circumstances, I do not feel that we should give consideration to any particular street, because, as stated, in substance, the program will proceed more expeditiously and more satisfactorily if areas or districts are considered rather than individual streets.

You may be assured, however, that we will give consideration to including in the program the area of Dorchester in which Roseland street is located.

During the current year, we hope to replace as many gas lamps as possible, consistent with the ability of the Boston Edison Company to provide the required street lighting facilities.

Respectfully yours,
GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Placed on file.

LAND FOR PARKING UNDER FITZGERALD EXPRESSWAY.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, April 4, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Public Works relative to your order of March 28, 1955, concerning the transferring of land under the Fitzgerald Expressway for parking purposes.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Public Works Department,
April 4, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.

Dear Mr. Flemming:

This is in reference to the following order that was passed in the City Council under date of March 28:

"Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor consult with the Governor of the Commonwealth and the State Commissioner of Public Works in an effort to secure a transfer of the land under the Fitzgerald Expressway for the purpose of installing meters, and to include this site in the city's parking program."

Arrangements have already been made by the State Department of Public Works to transfer to the City of Boston, for parking purposes, the area located under the John F. Fitzgerald Expressway, between Traverse street and North street. This area is to be operated under the jurisdiction of the Real Property Department, and the necessary construction work and installation of parking meters is already in progress. It probably will be placed in operation within the next five or six weeks. In addition, Commissioner Volpe has agreed with the undersigned to provide three additional sites for the parking of motor vehicles under and adjacent to the expressway structures, in the area located between North street and Commercial street.

It is my further understanding that additional areas, where available, will be provided for the parking of motor vehicles adjacent to but not under the structure, between Commercial street and Kneeland street. In general, the area located under the structure, between North street and Broad street, will be used for motor vehicular travel, and will supplement the present surface street system. In other words, the surface area underneath the highway, between North street and Broad street, will be utilized as a surface street, and not as a parking facility, as all traffic authorities are of the opinion that its use as a surface highway is more neeessary than its use for the parking of motor vehicles.

Between Oliver street and Kneeland street, the expressway will be enstrueted as an underground highway, with a number of ramps that will prevent the use of the surfaee area as a through highway or as a parking faeility, although all available areas in this section between Oliver street and Kneeland street will, under previous arrangements made with Commissioner Volpe, be utilized by the City of Boston for parking purposes.

Respectfully yours,
GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Placed on file.

EXTENSION OF RENT CONTROL AND APPROPRIATION FOR RENT CONTROL BOARD.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, April 4, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

Under the provisions of chapter 225 of the Acts of 1955, rent controls may be extended to the end of the present year with the approval of the City Council and the Mayor. It is provided in the statute that no vote accepting the act shall be valid unless it includes a declaration that a substantial shortage of housing accommodations presently exists. In my opinion, based on a communication herewith submitted, such a substantial shortage does exist in the City of Boston. Therefore, I respectfully recommend that the accompanying order for the extension of rent controls in the City of Boston until December 31, 1955, be given approval by your Honorable Body,

I also submit herewith an appropriation order for the amount of $93,145, which is the amount necessary to meet the expenditures of the Rent Control Board until the end of this year. Forty per cent of the amount appropriated will be returned to the city by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. I forward herewith communication from the Administrative Serviees Department relative to the proposed appropriation for the Rent Control Board. I respectfully reeommend adoption of this order by your Honorable Body.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor

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Boston Rent Board,
April 4, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

Reference is made to chapter 225 of the Acts of 1955 of the General Court of Massachusetts, an advance copy of which I enclose for your information.

In relation thereto the records of this office indicate that there still is a substantial shortage of rental housing in the City of Boston and that continued control of rents is neecssary in the public interest.

Very respectfully yours,
DUNCAN T. FOLEY,
Boston Rent Director.

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City of Boston,
Administrative Services Department,
April 4, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Sir:

I have reviewed the estimates submitted by the Boston Rent Board setting forth supplementary appropriations deemed necessary for the nine-month period outstanding from April 1, 1955, to December 31, 1955. These estimates, which total $101,193, if allowed, would provide a total appropriation for the eurrent year of $137,193 (the City Council already provided an interim appropriation of $36,000).

In 1954, the actual expenditures of the Board totaled $136,813.62. Currently the Board is operating with three less personnel than in 1954. The savings resulting from allowing these vacancies to remain unfilled will approximate $7,400. In addition, reductions of approximately $700 would appear feasible in items other than personal services.

I suggest, therefore, that a supplementary appropriation of $93,145 will be needed to provide for the operating expenses of the Rent Board for the balance of the year. I am attaching a table indicating the estimates of the Board and the allocation by items of the amount submitted.

Respectfully,
CHARLES J. FOX, Director.

BOSTON RENT BOARD.
Supplementary Budget Schedule.

ITEM	Estimate	Allowance	Remarks
Permanent Employees.....	$86,511 00	$79,160 00	Compensation for 28 employees
Communieation.....	1,350 00	1,100 00	Telephone and telegraph eharges
Light, Heat, and Power....	720 00	550 00	Electricity
Transportation.....	450 00	450 00	Inspectors' carfares
Office Supplies.....	3,904 00	3,650 00	Postage, stationery, forms, steneils, etc.
Other Supplies.....	35 00	35 00	Light bulbs and cleaning supplies
Current Charges.....	8,223 00	8,200 00	Rental charges for office, water cooler, office maehines, postage meter, and electric clocks
	$101,193 00	$93,145 00	

Ordered, (1) That it be, and hereby is, declared h at a substantial shortage of rental housing accommodations exists in the City of Boston and that the control of rents in said city is necessary in the public interest;

(2) That chapter 225 of the Acts of 1955, entitled "An Act Relative to Rent Control," be, and the same hereby is, accepted; and

(3) That the provisions of ehapter 434 of the Acts of 1953, as amended by chapter 496 of the Acts of 1954, be, and hereby are, continued in effect in the City of Boston until Deeember 31, 1955.

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Ordered, That the sum of ninety-three thousand, one hundred and forty-five dollars ($93,145) be, and hereby is, appropriated for the purpose hereinafter specified, said sum to be raised by taxation on the polls and estates in the City of Boston, and that all orders hereinafter or heretofore passed by the City Counеil relating to appropriations, taxes, and the interest thereon, apply to the appropriations and taxes herein provided for.

Boston Rent Board..... $93,145

On motion of Couneillor Ahearn it was voted that no further action is necessary on the foregoing order for acceptance of chapter 225 of the Acts of 1955 relative to extension of rent eontrol in this city.

On further motion of Councillor Ahearn the foregoing order for appropriation of $93,145 for the Boston Rent Board was referred to the Executive Committee.

APPROPRIATION FOR OFF-STREET PARKING AREA AT UPHAMS CORNER.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, March 30, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I forward herewith communication from the Chairman of the Real Property Board requesting an appropriation for the purpose of constructing an off-street parking area at Uphams Corner. If given approval by your Honorable Body, this new parking space for the accommodation of 81 automobiles will be very beneficial in that section of our city where there is great congestion at the present time. Undoubtedly, it will be of direct benefit to the merchants in that area.

I respectfully request that the sum of money requested, $70,000, be provided from the proceeds of parking meter fees. I recommend the adoption of the accompanying order by your Honorable Body.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Real Property Department,
March 28, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

At a meeting of the Real Property Board held on December 30, 1954, on motion duly made and seconded, it was unanimously

"Voted, That the Chairman be, and he hereby is, directed to write to his Honor the Mayor, requesting that he present an order to the City Council asking for the transfer of $70,000 from the 'Parking Meter Fees' fund to the Real Property Department for acquisition, construction and maintenance of the proposed Uphams Corner off-street parking site."

Uphams Corner.

Location: Belden and Wendover streets (as per plot plan attached hereto).

Area: square feet	24,450
Number of cars	81
Cost of land: (approximate)	$41,750
Cost of improvements (approximate)	23,390
Meters	4,860
Total	$70,000

This location is part of the site recommended by the engineers of the City Planning Board and was approved by the Real Property Board.

Respectfully submitted,
HERMAN CANN,
Commissioner of Real Property.
Chairman, Real Property Board.

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 22B of chapter 40 of the General Laws as established by chapter 776 of the Acts of 1949 the sum of seventy thousand dollars be, and hereby is, appropriated from the special account "Parking Meter Fees" to be expended by the Real Property Board for acquiring off-street parking areas and facilities and constructing or reconstructing and resurfacing such areas and facilities in the Uphams Corner district.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Finance.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committee named, viz.:

Claims.

Joan M. Doherty, for compensation for loss of coat at City Hospital.

Reuben Gotz, doing business as United Machine and Electrical Works, for compensation for damage to property at 228 Harrison avenue, caused by break in water main.

Caroline Kosseske, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 939 Boylston street.

Rose A. Larkin, for compensation for damage to property at 23 Tacoma street, Hyde Park, caused by water being shut off.

Alfred S. Levine, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 141 Mt. Vernon street.

Pauline G. Perez, to be reimbursed for overpayment of water bills on property at 2 Moreland street, Roxbury.

Michael P. Ritz, for compensation for injuries and damage to property caused by city car.

APPLICATION FOR SHELLFISH PERMIT.

Application for commercial use shellfish permit was received from Francis J. Riley, 298 Neponset avenue, Dorchester, Ward 16.

Referred to the Committee on Licenses.

PETITION FOR INDEMNIFICATION.

Petition of Ruth M. McLaughlin, widow of Daniel P. McLaughlin, formerly employed as ladderman, Ladder Company 4, Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses of said Daniel P. McLaughlin.

Referred to the Committee on Claims.

APPROVAL OF STATE HOUSING BOARD.

Notice was received from the State Housing Board of approval of sale of eight parcels of property under section 6 of chapter 372 of the Acts of 1946.

Placed on file.

NOTICE FROM DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES.

A communication was received from the Department of Public Utilities transmitting copy of order granting petition of the Boston Edison Company for location of pipes, wires and cables in Neponset Valley Parkway, Hyde Park.

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT OF GERTRUDE A. PFAU.

Notice was received from the Mayor of appointment of Gertrude A. Pfau, 198 Stratford street, West Roxbury, to be a member of the Board of Election Commissioners for the term ending April 1, 1959.

Placed on file.

DESIGNATION OF CHAIRMAN.

Notice was received from the Mayor of designation of David Lasker, 7 Portina road, Brighton, as Chairman of the Board of Election Commissioners.

Placed on file.

HOLY THURSDAY AND GOOD FRIDAY.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN and HURLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor consider the advisability of having a skeleton force of city employees in all departments where it will not interfere with the proper operation and safety of the City of Boston on Good Friday, April 8, 1955.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

Later in the session Councillor Ahearn moved reconsideration of the foregoing vote. The motion was carried. On further motion of Councillor Ahearn the order was amended by inserting after the word "on" the words "Holy Thursday" and inserting before the words "Good Friday," the words "April 7."

The order as amended was passed.

PAYMENT OF SUM OF MONEY TO FRANCIS D. GARVEY.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Resolved, That the Boston City Council favors the consideration by the Legislature of a petition now held under Joint Rule 7B of Francis D. Garvey for reimbursement to him for certain injuries, provided that any such legislation enacted includes a referendum to the Mayor and the City Council.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

HEARING ON PROPOSED RELOCATION OF POULTRY SLAUGHTERHOUSE IN SOUTH BOSTON.

Coun. FOLEY, McCORMACK, and KERRIGAN offered the following:

Whereas, It appears that there is now pending before the Board of Health a petition to relocate a poultry slaughterhouse, now situated in the South End, in the South Boston district; and

Whereas, Such an operation would constitute a nuisance and a menace to the health of the people of South Boston; be it therefore

Resolved, That the Boston City Council hereby records its opposition to the allowance of the said relocation, and be it further

Resolved, That the Boston City Council requests that the Health Commissioner hold an advertised hearing on this matter in the South Boston district before any final action is taken in accordance with the policy followed in similar matters in other sections of the city.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

TELEVISION PROGRAMS TO ADVERTISE ADVANTAGES OF BOSTON.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor consider the advisability of instituting planned television programs designed to familiarize the public with the City of Boston, its government, its advantages, its services, etc., including, without limiting it to the same, its superior library system, educational system, fire protection, police protection, Boston's achievements in the electronics field with the skilled experts in that line so prominent in this area, and its many outstanding and world renowned hospitals, clinics, colleges, and universities.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN in the chair.

Coun. PIEMONTE in the chair.

Coun. WHITE in the chair.

The foregoing resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

PENSIONS OF CERTAIN EMPLOYEES OF FIRE AND POLICE DEPARTMENTS.

Coun. AHEARN offered the following:

Whereas, The remaining pensioned Boston firemen and policemen under the noncontributory pension system are still receiving little more than the proportionate amount of the salary paid when living costs were much lower years ago; and

Whereas, The cost of living in all its phases (food, clothing, shelter, hospitalization, etc.) has soared in recent years; and

Whereas, The principle of raising retired employees' pensions to an amount which is fair in relation to the corresponding percentage increases in the pay of active personnel is a sound and worthy one; and

Whereas, The city has a moral obligation to provide adequately for workers who have spent a good part of their lives in its service; now therefore be it

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor is hereby requested to direct the Retirement Board to re-examine and reevaluate the present pensions of the Fire and Police Departments for those remaining employees pensioned under the noncontributory system with a view to correcting the obvious inequities existing.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

SALE OF CERTAIN PARK LAND TO HEBREW HOME FOR AGED.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Ordered, That chapter 36 of the Acts of 1955, entitled "An Act Authorizing the City of Boston to Sell Certain Park Land Therein to the Hebrew Home for Aged," be, and hereby is, accepted.

Referred to the Committee on Public Lands.

CONGRATULATIONS TO SURVIVORS OF PHILIPPINE "DEATH MARCH."

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Whereas, In 1942 a handful of American and Filipino soldiers withstood for three nightmarish months the onslaught of over 200,000 Japanese soldiers; and

Whereas, When these surviving heroes could no longer withstand the terrible ordeal and on April 9, 1942, they capitulated; and

Whereas, The courage and sacrifices made by these heroic men in battle and during the subsequent "Death March" will forever be remembered as a classic epic in man's constant struggle against tyranny; now therefore be it

Resolved, That the Boston City Council congratulate those survivors of this epic struggle, their families, and all Filipino-Americans who have so greatly enriched the heritage of our city, state and nation; and be it further

Resolved, That the Boston City Council extend the warm hand of the city in welcome to Alejandro A. Galang, Acting Consul General of the Republic of the Philippines.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

CELEBRATION OF BATAAN DAY.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor consult with the Director of Public Celebrations for the purpose of having that department expend such funds as are necessary to make it possible for the annual celebration of Bataan Day to receive the public recognition that is its due.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

PUBLIC HEARING ON RENTALS AT OLD COLONY HOUSING PROJECT.

Coun. McCORMACK, KERRIGAN, and FOLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That the Committee on Public Housing of the Boston City Council hold a public advertised hearing to consider the following questions:

1. Why has it become necessary to increase the rentals at the Old Colony Housing Project at this time?
2. What board, agency, or official established the formula which established the amount of the various increases?
3. What formula was used to compute the amount of the increases?
4. Whether the Old Colony Project was at one time offered the Boston Housing Authority for nothing or for a nominal sum?
5. If such offer was made, when was it made and why did the Boston Housing Authority not acquire it at that time?

Be it further ordered: That the chairman and members of the board of the Boston Housing Authority be requested to attend the said public hearing.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

DEATH OF PAUL A. McCARTHY.

Coun. WHITE and HURLEY offered the following:

Resolved, That the Boston City Council notes with deep regret the untimely passing of former State Representative Paul A. McCarthy of our neighboring city of Somerville. One of the most gifted orators and debaters in the long history of the Great and General Court, former representative McCarthy was in the forefront of the battle against atheistic communism, and his voice was always

raised in behalf of the poor, the sick, and the needy. It is the earnest prayer of the Boston City Council that Almighty God will have mercy on his soul, and that He will strengthen and sustain Mrs. McCarthy and her family in this hour of bereavement.

The resolution was adopted by a unanimous rising vote.

CONFERENCE RE SOLICITATION OF NEW INDUSTRIES FOR BOSTON.

Coun. HAILER offered the following:

Ordered, That the Boston City Council go on record as favoring a conference of the Mayor of Boston, the director of the newly-formed Allied Labor Unions of Metropolitan Boston, the Boston Chamber of Commerce, and the director of the Massachusetts Department of Commerce, as well as other interested business, civic, and labor leaders of the City of Boston for the purpose of setting the policy to be followed with regard to promoting the interests of the City of Boston in soliciting new industry for Boston. The director of the Port of Boston should also be included in such a conference. This "Bring Business to Boston Committee" would then work in conjunction with the different agencies taking part.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

TRAFFIC PLAN FOR JAMAICA-ARBORWAY AREA.

Coun. HAILER offered the following:

Whereas, It has been announced by Mr. Greenough that the Metropolitan District Commission intends to improve the Jamaica-Arborway; and

Whereas, Legislation is now on file to improve the traffic conditions on that thoroughfare; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Boston City Council, herein assembled, request the Traffic Commissioner and the Public Works Commissioner to offer a traffic plan which would best suit the citizens of Boston insofar as the Jamaica-Arborway is concerned.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

INCREASE OF FEDERAL MINIMUM WAGE.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Whereas, The President of the United States has proposed, and Congress is now considering, legislation to increase the federal minimum wage above the present inadequate figure of 75 cents an hour; and

Whereas, A fair and reasonable minimum wage would raise the living standards of underpaid workers, increase the national income, stimulate business activity, minimize unfair industrial competition based upon sweatshop wages, and help to solve the problem of runaway shops; and

Whereas, The City of Boston has suffered economic distress because of the inadequacy of the present minimum wage, and is threatened with further difficulties unless action is taken quickly; and

Whereas, The President's proposal of a 90-cent minimum falls far short of meeting the needs of underpaid workers or of the population as a whole; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Boston City Council call upon the Congress of the United States to enact a federal minimum wage of $1.25 an hour, and urge our Senators and Representatives to support such legislation, in the interests both of our own community and of the nation.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN moved to amend the foregoing order by adding the following words:

"Be it further resolved that copies of this resolution be forwarded to each United States Senator and Congressman from the State of Massachusetts."

The motion was carried.

The resolution as amended was adopted under suspension of the rules.

APPRECIATION OF SEMINARS HELD AT BOSTON COLLEGE.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Whereas, On Tuesday afternoon, April 5, 1955, the sixth of the series of seminars on the problems of Boston sponsored by the College of Business Administration of Boston College will take place in Gasson Hall at University Heights; and

Whereas, This will bring to a close a series of seminars which have brought enlightenment and better understanding of business problems; and

Whereas, Said seminars have been undertaken by Boston College at great sacrifice and without compensation to that institution; now, therefore, he it

Resolved, That the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, extends its most sincere appreciation to Very Rev. Joseph R. N. Maxwell, S. J., President of Boston College, Rev. W. Seavey Joyce, S. J., Dean of the College of Business Administration, and the staff of Boston College; and be it further

Resolved, That copies of this resolution be prepared by the City Clerk and forwarded to the President of Boston College and the Dean of the College of Business Administration, respectively.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

STATUS OF WEST END PROJECT.

Mr. Kane Simonian of the Urban Redevelopment Division of the Boston Housing Authority submitted the following monthly report:

STATUS OF THE WEST END PROJECT.

I. Redevelopment plan—completed.

To be submitted to the H & HFA this week for review and approval. Supporting documentation for the redevelopment plan is being assembled for submittal to H & HFA to document the redevelopment plan. (Supporting documentation includes maps, cost estimates, designs for streets, utilities, etc.)

II. Site preparation plans—completed (including street, sewer, and water system changes).

III. Demolition plan and cost estimates—completed.

IV. Rough grading plan and cost estimates—completed.

V. Acquisition appraisals—completed.

VI. Appraisal of re-use value of cleared land—completed.

VII. Property management plan and cost estimates—completed.

VIII. Land acquisition plan and cost estimates—completed.

IX. Land disposition plan—80 per cent completed.

X. Relocation plan.

To comply with the rigid requirements of the H & HFA for the relocation of families, a current survey was commenced, based upon a scientific sample of 10 per cent of the site residents. The current survey is 90 per cent completed. After the survey of families is completed, the relocation plan will he prepared.

At the present time the Urban Redevelopment Division of the Authority is preparing the application forms, legal opinions and resolutions, declaration of findings, budgets and budget narratives, financial plan, and other statutory requirements on the code adoption, improvement and enforcement programs.

Placed on file.

BROADCASTS OR TELECASTS OF COUNCIL MEETINGS AND HEARINGS.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That, in view of the recent purchase of a tape recorder, the City Messenger contact all AM and FM radio and all television stations in Boston to inquire whether they would be interested in using tape recordings of Council meetings or committee hearings or, in the case of TV stations, filmed meetings or hearings or live telecasts of meetings as public service broadcasts or telecasts; and

Ordered, That a report of the results of this survey be made one month from the passage of this order.

On motion of Councillor Ahearn, the order was referred to the Executive Committee.

RECESS.

On motion of Councillor Ahearn, the Council voted to take a recess at 5.30 P.M., subject to the call of the Chair. The members reassembled in the Council Chamber and were called to order by Chairman WHITE at 6.53 P.M.

LOAN FOR CONSTRUCTION OF PUBLIC WAYS OR PERMANENT PAVEMENT.

Coun. McCORMACK called up, under unfinished business, No. 1 on the Calendar, viz.:

1. Order for loan of $2,000,000 for construction of public ways or permanent pavement.

On March 21, 1955, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

The order was given its second reading and passage, yeas 6, nays 0:

Yeas—Councillors Ahearn, Foley, McCormack, McLaughlin, Piemonte, White—6.

Nays—0.

LOAN FOR CONSTRUCTION OF SEWERS.

Coun. McCORMACK called up, under unfinished business, No. 2 on the Calendar, viz.:

2. Order for loan of $1,000,000 for construction of sewers.

On March 21, 1955, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

The order was given its second reading and passage, yeas 6, nays 0:

Yeas—Councillors Ahearn, Foley, McCormack, McLaughlin, Piemonte, White—6.

Nays—0.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CLAIMS.

Coun. McCORMACK, for the Committee on Claims, submitted the following:

1. Report on petition of Frank M. Sanseverino (referred March 28) for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 100 of chapter 41 of the General Laws, upon petition of Frank M. Sanseverino, a member of the Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury received, through no fault of his own, while in the performance of his duty on October 11, 1952, there he allowed and paid, as recommended by the Fire Commissioner and approved by the Corporation Counsel, to the following the amounts stated:

Kathleen M. Spellman, M.D.	$20 00
Frank M. Sanseverino (petitioner)	3 55
Total	$23 55

said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

2. Report on petition of Charles N. Vogel (referred March 28) for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 100 of chapter 41 of the General Laws, upon petition of Charles N. Vogel, a member of the Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury received, through no fault of his own, while in the performance of his duty on September 18, 1954, there be allowed and paid, as recommended by the Fire Commissioner and approved by the Corporation Counsel, to the following the amount stated:

Boston Firemen's Relief Fund	$49 32
Paul I. O'Brien, M.D.	145 00
Total	$194 32

said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

3. Report on petition of Leo J. Walker (referred March 28) for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 100 of chapter 41 of the General Laws, upon petition of Leo J. Walker, a member of the Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury received, through no fault of his own, while in the performance of his duty on October 26, 1954, there be allowed and paid, as recommended by the Fire Commissioner and approved by the Corporation Counsel, to the following, the amounts stated:

Leo J. Walker (the petitioner)	$10 25
Boston Firemen's Relief Fund	22 25
Roger T. Doyle, M.D.	111 00
Sylvester McGinn, M.D.	70 00
St. Elizabeth's Hospital	126 00
Total	$339 50

said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

4. Report on petition of Joseph M. Kenney (referred March 28) for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 100 of chapter 41 of the General Laws, upon petition of Josepb M. Kenney, a member of the Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury received, through no fault of his own, while in the performance of his duty on November 11, 1953, there be allowed and paid, as recommended by the Fire Commissioner and approved by the Corporation Counsel, to the following the amount stated:

Boston Firemen's Relief Fund	$50 00

said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

5. Report on petition of John A. Abbott (referred March 28) for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 100 of chapter 41 of the General Laws, upon petition of John A. Abbott, a member of the Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury received, through no fault of his own, while in the performance of his duty on September 18, 1954, there be allowed and paid, as recommended by the Fire Commissioner and approved by the Corporation Counsel, to the following the amounts stated:

Boston Firemen's Relief Fund	$256 30
Karl D. Kasparian, M.D.	160 00
Joseph Lentine, M.D.	50 00
Total	$466 30

said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

6. Report on petition of Leslie W. Mugoon (referred March 28) for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses—recommending passage of the accompanying order.

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 100 of chapter 41 of the General Laws, upon petition of Leslie W. Mugoon, a member of the Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury received, through no fault of his own, while in the performance of his duty on January 8, 1955, there be allowed and paid, as recommended by the Fire Commissioner and approved by the Corporation Counsel, to the following the amount stated:

Boston Firemen's Relief Fund	$200 00

said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

7. Report on petition of William H. McAndrew (referred March 28) for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses—recommending passage of the accompanying order.

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 100 of chapter 41 of the General Laws, upon petition of William H. McAndrew, a member of the Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury received, through no fault of his own, while in the performance of his duty on October 25, 1954, there be allowed and paid, as recommended by the Fire Commissioner and approved by the Corporation Counsel, to the following the amounts stated:

St. Elizabeth's Hospital	$141 39
John W. Spellman, M.D.	110 00
Leo P. Zentgraf, M.D.	20 00
Total	$271 39

said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

The reports were accepted, and the orders were severally passed.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. WHITE, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following:

1. Report on message of the Mayor and order (referred today) for appropriation of $93,145 for expenditures of the Boston Rent Board—recommending that same ought to pass.

The report was accepted, and the order was passed, yeas 6, nays 0:

Yeas—Councillors Ahearn, Foley, McCormack McLaughlin, Piemonte, White—6.

Nays—0.

2. Report on message of the Mayor (referred January 31) vetoing order passed by Council on January 24, 1955, changing the compensation grade of "Correction Officer" from Grade 16 to Grade 18 under Schedule B of the Classification and Compensation Plan for the Officers and Employees of Suffolk County recommending passage of the order notwithstanding the disapproval of the order by the Mayor.

3. Report on message of the Mayor (referred January 31) vetoing order passed by Council on January 24, 1955, changing the compensation grade of "Jail Officer" from Grade 16 to Grade 18 under Schedule B of the Classification and Compensation Plan for the Officers and Employees of Suffolk County recommending passage of the order notwithstanding the disapproval of the order by the Mayor.

The reports were accepted.

The two orders were again passed notwithstanding the disapproval of the Mayor, yeas 6, nays 0:

Yeas—Councillors Ahearn, Foley, McCormack, McLaughlin, Piemonte, White—6.

Nays—0.

4. The Executive Committee submitted a report recommending passage of the following order.

Ordered, That the Boston City Council request the Corporation Counsel of the City of Boston to prepare an order for this Honorable Body fixing the compensation grade of the correction officer at the Charles Street Jail as Grade 18 and the specialized jail officer as Grade 19, and that said order be filed with the Clerk on or before Monday, April 11, 1955.

The report was accepted, and the order was passed.

Adjourned at 7.09 P.M., on motion of Councillor Piemonte, to meet on Monday, April 11, 1955, at 2 P.M.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

(Stenographic copy of such debate on file in office of City Clerk.)

PROCEEDINGS OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

February 14, 1955

A special meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, at 6:40 P. M., the Chairman presiding.

Present: Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward.

RESOLUTIONS

Mr. Musco presented the following:

The death of James H. Kenney on January 13, 1955 brought to an untimely close a career of commendable service to the Public School System of Boston.

Mr. Kenney was born on March 2, 1893 in Malden, Massachusetts, where he spent his boyhood days. Upon completion of his course at Malden High School, he entered Boston College as a member of the Class of 1916. Later he received his M.A. degree from the same institution, and in 1949 he received a Doctor's degree from Staley College.

As a teacher, Mr. Kenney enjoyed a background rich in educational experience. He first taught in Nashua, New Hampshire, and later in Evansville, Indiana. He served as Head of the Latin Department in the Central High School in Manchester, New Hampshire, and, subsequently, as Supervisor of Latin in the Junior and Senior High School at Mount Vernon, New York.

In May 1932, Mr. Kenney entered the Boston Public School System. He taught Latin for several years at the Washington Irving School and later at the Boston Latin School. In 1947 he was appointed Master at the Girls' Latin School, a position which he held until his recent death.

Mr. Kenney's scholarly attitude, his indefatigable zeal, and his sterling character won for him the respect of his co-workers and the admiration of his classes. Well-versed in "the art of gentleness", he always evidenced a sincere and sympathetic interest in the welfare of each one of his students. The influence for good that he has been in their lives has molded him "a monument more lasting than bronze". The deep void that his passing has left in the academic life of Girls' Latin School can be filled only by the memories of his genial manner and kindly ways. He was such a vital part of Girls' Latin School that he will always be remembered there where hearts, saddened by his death, in unison say:

"None knew thee but to love thee,
Nor named thee but to praise."

Those of us who knew Mr. Kenney will never forget him.

The foregoing resolution was adopted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5

NAYS—0

RESIGNATIONS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Feb. 14, 1955, reporting the resignations of the following-named teachers, to take effect on the dates stated:

John Marshall District—Barbara A. Davis, teacher, elementary, Aug. 31, 1954.

Norcross District—Florence L. McCarthy, teacher, kindergarten, Jan 31, 1955.

Accepted.

APPOINTMENTS

The following nominations by the Superintendent, certified by him as being in accordance with the rules and regulations, to take effect on the dates indicated, were presented:

INSTRUCTION OF PHYSICALLY HANDICAPPED CHILDREN

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Feb. 14, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has assigned the following-named temporary teacher for instruction of physically handicapped children, to take effect Feb. 15, 1955:

Eleanor S. Crowley

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5

NAYS—0

GARDENING

Season of 1955
(To take effect Feb. 15, 1955)

Garden Supervisor—
Henry G. Wendler

On roll call the appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5

NAYS—0

LEAVES OF ABSENCE

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Feb. 14, 1955, recommending that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, leave of absence under a suspension of the regulations, be granted the following-named teachers for the terms specified:

Minot District — Louise J. Chambers, vice principal, Mar. 23

to Aug. 31, 1955, for rest; Dorothea E. Coleman, teacher, elementary, Dec. 1, 1954 to Apr. 30, 1955, inclusive, for rest.

Thomas A. Edison Junior High School - - Helen MacFarland, teacher, junior high, Feb. 1 to May 31, 1955, inclusive, for study.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the regulations were suspended and the leaves of absence granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5

NAYS—0

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Feb. 14, 1955, recommending that leave of absence without pay, be granted the following-named person for the term specified:

Department of School Lunches —Margaret R. Troy, cafeteria attendant, Jan. 5 to June 23, 1955, inclusive.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the leave of absence without pay was granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald. Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5

NAYS—0

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Feb. 14, 1955, recommending that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, leave of absence, without loss of pay, be granted Alice L. Jenks, teacher of juvenile adjustment, Division of Juvenile Adjustment, Apr. 11, to 15, 1955, inclusive, to attend the Fifty-second Annual Convention of the National Catholic Education Association in Atlantic City, New Jersey.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the leave of absence without loss of pay was granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5

NAYS—0

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DESIGNATIONS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Feb. 14, 1955, reporting that he has made the following designations of teachers, to serve in the positions indicated until such time as they shall be filled otherwise, in accordance with the rules and regulations, but not beyond Aug. 31, 1955:

Prince District—Frederick L. Mahoney, submaster, as acting principal (vice Ernest G. Anderson, absent on leave), Feb. 1, 1955.

Roger Wolcott District—Agnes J. Coyne, teacher, elementary, as acting vice principal (vice Mary O'Hearn, absent on leave), Feb. 7, 1955.

Placed on file.

GARDENING SEASON OF 1955

The following five orders were offered:

ORDERED, That the Superintendent is hereby authorized to conduct instruction in gardening during the season 1955 from February 15 to December 31, 1955, the summer term of which shall coincide with the summer vacation period.

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ORDERED, That the Superintendent is hereby authorized to appoint teachers of gardening to the following ranks for service during the season 1955:

Supervisor of Gardening
Garden Assistant

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ORDERED, That the Superintendent is hereby authorized to make such emergency appointments as may be necessary for service in the gardens during the season 1955.

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ORDERED, That any teacher of gardening appointed for the season 1955 may be transferred by the Superintendent from one position to another for which said teacher holds the required license, and said teacher shall be paid according to the schedule established for the position actually filled during any session certified to by the Director of Industrial Arts.

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ORDERED, That the hours of service of teachers and custodians employed in gardening during the season 1955, unless otherwise specified, shall be such portion of the time between seven o'clock A. M. and eight o'clock P. M. as the Superintendent may direct.

On roll call the five orders passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5

NAYS—0

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ATTENDANCE AT CONVENTION

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That Frederick J. Gillis, Assistant Superintendent, is hereby authorized to attend the Fifty-second Annual Convention of the National Catholic Education Association, to be held at Atlantic City, N. J., Apr. 11 to 15, 1955, inclusive, at an expense to the city not to exceed one hundred thirty-five dollars ($135).

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5

NAYS—0

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That John A. Murphy, principal, Elihu Greenwood District, is hereby authorized to attend the annual meeting of the Department of Elementary School Principals of the National Education Association, to be held in Chicago, Illinois, Mar. 16 to 19, 1955, inclusive, at an expense to the city not to exceed two hundred and fifty dollars ($250).

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5

NAYS—0

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LIST OF AUTHORIZED TEXT BOOKS

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the forty-five book limitation on all text books authorized prior to May 1, 1953, is hereby removed.

Laid over.

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CHARLESTOWN FREE SCHOOL FUND

A statement of the receipts and expenditures of the Charlestown Free School Fund for the year ending December 31, 1954, as submitted by the Treasurer of the Corporation, Louis F. Musco, was presented, the balance to new account being $9,793.02.

Placed on file and the Chairman authorized to approve the same and to certify the sums and securities belonging to said Fund and in the possession of the Treasurer.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the Chairman of this Committee, as President of the Corporation, is hereby authorized to certify to the transfer of the custody of one bond, bank books, and cash belonging to the Charlestown Free School Fund, amounting to $9,793.02 from the former Treasurer, Louis F. Musco, to the present Treasurer, William F. Carr.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5

NAYS—0

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That Mr. William F. Carr, Treasurer of the School Committee of the City of Boston, shall have the right of access to Safe No. 6238 in the vaults of the Fiduciary Trust Company, standing in the name of the School Committee of the City of Boston.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5

NAYS—0

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APPOINTMENT OF ASSISTANTS, ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICES

A communication was received from the Secretary, under date of Feb. 14, 1955, reporting that

the Division of Civil Service has certified the names of persons eligible for appointment to fill two positions as assistants in the offices of the Superintendent-Secretary.

Placed on file.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the following-named persons who stand Numbers 1 and 4 of those willing to accept, on the list certified by the Division of Civil Service, as eligible to fill two positions in the offices of the Superintendent-Secretary, are hereby appointed as assistants, to take effect on the dates indicated:

Mary E. Robinson, Mar. 2, 1955.

Florence C. McNulty, Mar. 7, 1955.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5

NAYS—0

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the salaries of the following-named assistants, offices of the Superintendent-Secretary, are hereby established at the rate of forty-eight dollars and eighteen cents (48.18), to take effect on the dates indicated:

Mary E. Robinson, Mar. 2, 1955.

Florence C. McNulty, Mar. 7, 1955.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5

NAYS—0

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ELIGIBLE LISTS

A communication was received from the Board of Superintendents, under date of Feb. 14, 1955, transmitting a list of successful candidates of August 1954 examinations for the certificates of qualification indicated, as reported by the Board of Examiners.

These names do not constitute separate eligible lists, but should be inserted in School Document No. 6, 1954—Candidates Eligible for Permanent Appointment as Teachers—at the places indicated by the respective ratings.

IV. HIGH SCHOOL CERTIFICATE
JUVENILE ADJUSTMENT

Men

Rating	Name	Certificate Expires
843	*George J. Ryan	June 30, 1958
762	Albert J. Courtney	June 30, 1958

Women

868	**Margaret J. Ryan	June 30, 1958

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SPECIAL CERTIFICATES VALID IN DAY HIGH SCHOOLS
JUVENILE ADJUSTMENT

868	**Robert F. Fahey	June 30, 1958

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JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL CERTIFICATE
FOODS

859	Lucille Guaragna Troy	June 30, 1958
815	Alice Winsloe Morrill	June 30, 1958
750	Marilyn MacKenzie	June 30, 1958

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, CLASS B CERTIFICATE

908	*John W. Hannon	June 30, 1958
907	*John J. Buckley	June 30, 1958
890	*Leo F. Ford	June 30, 1958
827	*Richard F. Early	June 30, 1958
791	*Paul Bailey	June 30, 1958
770	*Leo M. Howard	June 30, 1958
942	**Robert J. Bond	June 30, 1958
892	**Herbert F. McCarthy	June 30, 1958
883	**Joseph Rusci	June 30, 1958
879	**Francis A. Turley	June 30, 1958
872	**James W. Mulroy	June 30, 1958
871	**M. Gregory Toupouzis	June 30, 1958
870	**Rita Howley Fitzgerald	June 30, 1958
868	**Richard S. Willits	June 30, 1958
858	**Pasquale LoChiatto	June 30, 1958
847	**Joanne M. Harris	June 30, 1958
836	**John M. Hughes	June 30, 1958
830	**Daniel F. Tarpey	June 30, 1958
824	**Ettore A. DiDonato	June 30, 1958
809	**Adelaide M. Whelton	June 30, 1958
796	**William J. Hurley	June 30, 1958
783	**John B. Curry	June 30, 1958
958	Margaret Flaherty Egan	June 30, 1958
948	Eileen Sheehan Hanley	Dec. 31, 1957
950	Margaret M. Dennison	June 30, 1958
903	Dorothy McCormack Rudsit	June 30, 1958
900	Catherine Crane Leonard	Dec. 31, 1956
899	Ann L. McCarthy	June 30, 1958
890	Anne E. Fisher	June 30, 1958
886	Ethel Partridge Folsom	Dec. 31, 1957
876	Jean E. Carr	June 30, 1958
874	Arthur L. Ruskin	June 30, 1958
873	Rita M. Regan	June 30, 1958
872	Ruth F. Sullivan	June 30, 1958
869	Margaret Fitzgerald Reid	June 30, 1958
866	Agnes McNulty Carty	Dec. 31, 1955
865	Margaret Foley Healy	June 30, 1958
860	Catherine Fitzpatrick Marks	June 30, 1958
859	Lillian Besdine	June 30, 1958
858	Ellen V. McPartland	June 30, 1958
857	Jean M. Fallon	June 30, 1958
856	Esther Winer Needle	Dec. 31, 1956
855	Rose Haddad Kfoury	June 30, 1958
854	Mary Sullivan Shields	June 30, 1958
853	Elizabeth A. Sullivan	June 30, 1958
850	Catherine A. Baxter	June 30, 1958
849	Marguerite C. Russell	June 30, 1958
848	Ann M. Crowley	June 30, 1958
847	Mary R. Anderson	June 30, 1958
845	Theodora Wooten Roberts	June 30, 1958
844	Adele M. O'Brien	June 30, 1958
843	Robert J. Gravallese	June 30, 1958
842	Margaret T. Mulkerrin	June 30, 1958
841	Florence A. Jennings	June 30, 1958
840	Mildred Bunch Griffith	June 30, 1958
839	Helen Redding McCready	June 30, 1958
838	Cecile B. Durham	June 30, 1958
835	Barbara Cowen Labitt	June 30, 1958
834	Mary McDermott Wynne	June 30, 1958
833	Emma C. Thomas	June 30, 1958
832	Edward P. Mabardi	June 30, 1958
828	Marie F. Kehoe	June 30, 1958
827	Eleanor Sliwa Tabak	June 30, 1958
824	Josephine Kenneally Fitzgerald	June 30, 1958
823	M. Elizabeth Gleeson Blake	Dec. 31, 1956
822	Marjorie E. Walsh	June 30, 1958
821	Katherine R. Fanning	June 30, 1958
820	Nancy J. Roumacher	June 30, 1958
819	Genevieve V. Mellett	June 30, 1958
818	Loretta Wellings Matterazzo	June 30, 1958
817	Marion Kiernan Burke	Dec. 31, 1955
816	Marie J. Zizza	June 30, 1958
815	Williemae Johnson Gray	June 30, 1958
813	Catherine E. Deveney	June 30, 1958
811	Dorothy Goler Turner	June 30, 1958
803	Louise Keenan Devlin	Dec. 31, 1955
802	Joan E. Mulligan	June 30, 1958
801	Mary R. Sweeney	June 30, 1958
800	Joan E. Steele	June 30, 1958
793	Catherine Doherty Driscoll	June 30, 1958
791	Lois A. Littleton	June 30, 1958
789	Marie A. Fox	June 30, 1958
788	Marilyn C. Murphy	June 30, 1958
786	Eleanora T. Duross	June 30, 1958
785	Elizabeth J. Anderson	June 30, 1958
782	Rosemary A. Cassino	June 30, 1958
781	Thomas J. Murray	June 30, 1958
780	Ernestine O'Brien Tuitt	June 30, 1958
778	Jeanne O. Walsh	June 30, 1958
774	Marie A. Dolan	June 30, 1958
773	Anna Burke Crosby	June 30, 1958
772	Hazelle D. Pitters	June 30, 1958
771	Mary F. Gallagher	June 30, 1958
769.9	Elaine E. Brown	June 30, 1958
769.8	Joan P. Collins	June 30, 1958
769.7	Joan R. Driscoll	June 30, 1958
769.6	Thelma L. Lawrence	June 30, 1958
769.5	Elaine D. O'Brien	June 30, 1958
769	John R. Vacirca	June 30, 1958
768	June I. McDonough	June 30, 1958

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ELEMENTARY SCHOOL—
SUPPLEMENTARY LIST

Re-entrants

961	Margaret Shea O'Malley	Dec. 31, 1955
958	Mary Reilly Fitzgerald	June 30, 1958
913	Margaret Flanagan Brine	Dec. 31, 1956
861	Alice Greene Brodigan	June 30, 1958
848	Helen Corrigan Power	June 30, 1958
819	Marie Maggiore Miskinis	June 30, 1958

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KINDERGARTEN CERTIFICATE

931	Barbara J. Lynch	June 30, 1958
929	Evelyn Hurwitch Zintz	June 30, 1958
915	Sibyl Kuskin Frumson	Dec. 31, 1957
912	Hildegarde E. Fickeisen	June 30, 1958
909	Helen Harrington Duffy	June 30, 1958
904	Janet M. Silva	June 30, 1958
903	Helen Phillimore Sullivan	June 30, 1958
901	Kathleen R. Callahan	June 30, 1958
893	Kathleen R. Heiser	June 30, 1958
889	Rose M. Torre	June 30, 1958
886	Ruth Cohen Blumsack	Dec. 31, 1955
873	Janet Ekdahl Mitchell	June 30, 1958
865	Marie V. O'Reilly	June 30, 1958
859	Norma Rivkind Forst	June 30, 1958
847	Ruth Onigman Toyster	June 30, 1958
846	Beatrice Segall Snyder	Dec. 31, 1957
844	Maureen L. Mahoney	June 30, 1958
841	Myrtis Andrews Freeman	June 30, 1958
819	Helen R. Humpage	Dec. 31, 1955
809	Clare M. Murray	June 30, 1958
788	Emma T. Timons	June 30, 1958

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INSTRUCTOR OF BAND AND ORCHESTRAL INSTRUMENTS
BRASS

866	Howard F. Garniss	June 30, 1958
839	Ralph C. Fuccillo	June 30, 1958

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PERCUSSION

916	**James A. Dickie	June 30, 1958

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STRINGED

878	**Paul L. Paradise	June 30, 1958

WOOD WIND

900	**Ernest W. Simms	June 30, 1958
849	**William H. Kahn	June 30, 1958

*Disabled veteran. **Veteran.

Placed on file.

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A communication was received from the Board of Superintendents, under date of Feb. 14, 1955, transmitting the eligible list of candidates of the December 1954 examinations for Summer Playgrounds as reported by the Board of Examiners.

ELIGIBLE LIST OF CANDIDATES FOR SUMMER PLAYGROUNDS
1955

No.	Rating	Name
1	500	Marie A. Morello
2	497	Cecile B. Durham
3	490	Judith M. Bonner
4	490	Nancy C. Hughes
5	490	Rita M. Regan
6	485	Anne M. Fraher
7	485	Ann Driscoll Oteri
8	480	Theresa L. Molloy
9	480	June A. Ward
10	475	Jeanne M. Creamer
11	475	Vincent J. Hughes
12	475	Jane I. Keating
13	475	William L. Lorenz
14	475	Claire T. McDonald
15	475	Marika J. Psomiades
16	470	Gertrude Freedman
17	470	Marie F. Kehoe
18	470	Russell A. Langley
19	465	Mary L. Benson
20	465	Therese A. Brady
21	465	Marilyn A. Connolly
22	465	Jeanette I. Delello
23	465	Nancy M. Early
24	465	Patricia Irene McKenney
25	465	Diane Rabinowitz
26	460	Maureen P. Corrigan
27	460	Dorothy Downey
28	460	Nancy R. Lourie
29	460	Margaret E. McCarthy
30	460	Rosemarie A. Pascucci
31	455	Jean M. Fallon
32	455	Kathleen P. Shea
33	453	Joan L. Johnson
34	450	Irene W. Allinger
35	450	Joan M. Carroll
36	450	Mary C. Cunningham
37	450	Lelia M. Robertson
38	450	Estelle R. Rubin
39	450	Anne E. Sullivan
40	450	Catherine A. Walsh
41	445	Catherine A. Baxter
42	445	Sumner M. Brenner
43	445	Mary A. Duncan
44	445	Elaine A. Maher
45	445	Judith H. Manning
46	445	Ernestine O'Brien Tuitt
47	440	Elvira Vecchione Artick
48	440	Jane E. Collins
49	440	Maureen C. Fenlon
50	440	Robert E. Francis
51	440	Margaret A. Holzman
52	440	Marie C. Hyland
53	440	Francis J. Manning
54	440	Maryjo A. Quigley
55	440	Walter L. Sweeney
56	440	Anne Wells Westbrooks
57	435	Mary L. Doucette
58	435	Beverly J. Gorodetsky
59	435	Barbara A. Hogan
60	435	Ruth Kravitsky
61	435	Joan F. Maguire
62	435	Mary A. McManus
63	433	Nancy L. Sheehan
64	430	Mildred J. Connelly
65	430	Mary F. Gill
66	430	Carole W. Grund
67	430	Janet A. Lordan
68	430	Patricia J. Maginnis
69	430	June I. McDonough
70	430	Harriet B. Morrison
71	430	Mary Pigott

No.	Rating	Name
72	430	Rhoda H. Thomas
73	428	Mary F. Gallagher
74	425	Gloria Katz
75	425	Claire M. Morrissey
76	425	Bolic F. Schultz
77	425	Jean M. Wilcox
78	420	Sheila J. Barry
79	420	Mary E. Grant
80	420	Rosemarie Murphy
81	420	Louis J. Taris
82	418	Beverly M. Kerrigan
83	415	Suzanne H. Casey
84	415	Marjorie A. Cotter
85	415	Dolores A. Devereaux
86	415	Katherine R. Fanning
87	415	Kathleen V. Fitzpatrick
88	415	Joseph J. Gaziano
89	415	Evelyn D. Greenidge
90	415	Ann E. McCloskey
91	415	Lois F. Murphy
92	415	Mary L. O'Brien
93	415	Rita A. Palermo
94	415	Beverly G. Roye
95	415	William L. Smith
96	410	Anna M. Ricciardelli
97	410	C. Marie Shedd
98	408	Ruth E. Horgan
99	407	Josephine A. Morello
100	405	Mary F. Flynn
101	405	Michael R. Maher
102	405	Nancy E. Randolph
103	405	Margaret S. Tully
104	401	Ann T. Lannon
105	400	Rita H. Crowley
106	400	Elizabeth A. McA'Nulty
107	400	Catherine R. McNamara
108	400	Mary V. O'Brien
109	400	Adeline V. Vitiello
110	395	Walter J. Casey
111	395	Paul J. Hagerty
112	395	Joseph P. Loughnane
113	395	Margaret D. McGah
114	395	Maureen E. Murphy
115	395	Ruth A. Schindler
116	390	Rosemary D. Cusick
117	390	Thomas B. Lavin
118	390	Maureen G. Moloney
119	390	Janice A. Rothwell
120	390	Anne M. Sullivan
121	388	Gloria A. Spriano
122	386	Phyllis E. Colley
123	386	Barbara M. Wicher
124	385	Paul B. Kearney
125	385	Ellen T. O'Brien
126	383	Anne Marie E. Cussen
127	382	Penelope R. Burke
128	381	Patricia A. Corcoran
129	380	Joan A. Barnett
130	380	Donald A. Carbone
131	380	Shirley M. Darish
132	380	Leo G. Holmes
133	380	Margaret A. Kelley
134	380	Frederick J. Mullane
135	380	Nadine M. Shanler
136	380	Carolyn M. St. Pierre
137	376	Earl F. Chisholm
138	376	Muriel A. Sadagursky
139	376	Mildred A. Corcoran
140	375	Rita C. Golden
141	375	Carolyn H. Henderson
142	375	Marilyn T. Hughes
143	375	Ursula M. Looney
144	375	John W. McCue
145	371	Walter M. Lang
146	371	Shirley L. McLean
147	370	Catherine R. Berry
148	370	Charles T. Caputo
149	370	John H. Coleman
150	370	Ann A. Cunningham
151	370	Mary F. Grant
152	370	Julia B. Palmieri
153	370	Virginia C. Sweeney
154	370	Elaine H. J. Wood
155	369	Ann Carol Moran
156	365	Gail Lancaster
157	365	Joanne M. Papahagis
158	365	Mary O. Racine
159	365	M. Gregory Toupouzis
160	361	Alice P. Sullivan
161	360	John E. Goan
162	360	Kathleen M. Lyons
163	356	Patricia M. Horrigan
164	355	Ann E. Downs
165	355	Sally A. Eckert
166	355	Ellen V. McPartland
167	355	Marilyn A. Scipione
168	355	Jooan M. Sutherland
169	354	Regina P. O'Brien
170	353	Myrtle V. Mealey
171	353	Anita T. Weinberger
172	351	C. Marie DelloRusso
173	351	Constance M. Stevens
174	350	M. Roberta Bodfish
175	350	Ruth A. Carr
176	350	Rosemary A. Casey
177	350	Nancy M. Cella
178	350	Mary E. Connell
179	350	Carol A. Courtney
180	350	Lois J. Efron
181	350	Marion E. Evans
182	350	Marjorie A. Foley
183	350	Margaret P. Grant
184	350	Marjorie A. Kehoe
185	350	Mary A. King
186	350	Rita M. Lennon
187	350	Louise L. Linteris
188	350	Frances T. Lyons
189	350	Mary J. Maloney
190	350	Ann F. Moloney
191	350	Nancy E. McCarthy
192	350	Robert E. McCarthy
193	350	Virginia M. McGagh
194	350	Ann M. Melanphy
195	350	Marguerite F. X. Moloney
196	350	Hugh E. O'Donnell
197	350	Desiree M. Reynolds
198	350	Marjorie F. Rogers
199	350	Mary Jeanne Serrecchia
200	350	Josephine A. Tangney
201	350	Daniel F. Tarpey

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LEAVE OF ABSENCE TO CUSTODIAN

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That leave of absence without pay be granted Edward J. Merrigan, Jr., junior building custodian Theodore Roosevelt School, from Feb. 14, 1955, to Aug. 13, 1955, inclusive.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5

NAYS—0

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PROPOSED BOND ISSUE FOR NEW SCHOOLS

It was agreed, on request of Mr. Musco, that the following article printed in The Boston Post of Feb. 14, 1955, be printed in full in the record of the meeting:

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SCHOOL BUILDING LAG HALTS LOAN BY HYNES

By JAMES G. COLBERT

A slowdown in the program for the construction of new schools in Boston will cause Mayor Hynes to turn down the school committee's recommendation that another $5,000,000 bond issue, the third in three years, be floated for the school department.

The Mayor feels he can hardly justify sanctioning a third loan order, when work has not yet been started on even one of the four schools for which funds were authorized 19 months ago.

A $5,000,000 bond issue to finance the erection of new school facilities was approved by Mayor Hynes and the City Council on July 7, 1953. A second bond issue of the same amount was authorized last spring.

All that school authorities have to show up to now in that $10,000,000 program is final plans for two schools and tentative plans for a third.

So far the school committee has been able to obtain assurances that only one school planned under the 1953 loan will be completed and ready for use next September. That is the Curtis Guild School in the Orient Heights section of East Boston.

The school board has not received even tentative plans for a second school to be built in Orient Heights with funds from the 1953 bond issue.

It has been promised that the Thomas Dwight School in the Mission Hill section of Roxbury will be available for occupancy in September, 1956. A partial allocation of funds for that school was made on Dec. 29, 1952.

Unless the present timetable is speeded up, only one school will be built in the 26 months following the authorization of the first $5,000,000 bond issue.

School Board Not Responsible

There is a general disposition to place the responsibility for this incredibly slow progress at the door of the present school committee. That is what is happening in the districts where the new schools are needed and are impatiently awaited. In all fairness, however, the brickbats being hurled at the school board should be directed elsewhere.

The fact of the matter is that under the confusing and cumbersome system followed in Boston the school committee has practically no control over the erection of new schools.

They probably are more disturbed than anyone else by the unsatisfactory progress that has been accomplished, but they are powerless to do anything about it.

The school committee members don't select the architects and have no control over them. There is nothing they can do, if an unreasonable delay occurs before an architect submits plans, for which he is paid anywhere from $80,000 to $100,000.

No Real Jurisdiction

They have no real jurisdiction over the school building commission, although they appointed one of the three members of that commission.

Someone obviously is responsible for the fact that the children for whom the schools were intended will have grown up and moved on to other schools before the proposed new classrooms are ready for them.

A part of the blame rests with the former School Committee, three of whose members were defeated in 1953. Although the first $5,000,000 bond issue was approved on July 7, 1953, no funds were allocated from it until Jan. 11, 1954. That was after the present school board took office.

That, however, is only part of the story, for pathetically little has been accomplished in the past 13 months.

The school buildings commission has been extremely slow in getting the program under way.

Architects are allowed four months to prepare plans for a small school and six months for a large school.

From Chairman Joseph F. O'Connell, Jr., of the school buildings commission, came the surprising estimate that it takes between 21 and 24 months to construct a school because of all the red tape, complications and overlapping authority, including the necessity of submitting plans to the State's School Buildings Assistance Commission in order to get a 20 per cent contribution from the Commonwealth.

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Mr. Ward: Madam Chairman, there is just one statement I would like to make. We have no official notice that the Mayor has turned down this $5,000,000 bond issue if the forerunner is the newspaper article. If he intends to do it, then I would like to have him think of the Boston Technical High School, which is one of the most important things in

our program. Boston Technical High is one of our school buildings that is old, dilapidated, poorly located, and obsolete.

The $10,000,000, if I am correct, has been expended primarily for elementary schools, and there has been no high school even given thought to. Then I hope the Mayor will, before he officially turns it down, consider the fact that Boston Technical High School is the one high school which we want to house in a new building.

Mr. Lee: Madam Chairman, I thoroughly support Mr. Ward's position in that respect. I want to ask the Superintendent a question: If the Mayor fails to accede to a request for a further bond issue, does that stop us or stop you from sending down the so-called letter of accommodations in regard to new buildings to the Board of Commissioners of School Buildings?

Superintendent: That is true, Mr. Lee.

Mr. Lee: That is, the Superintendent cannot send down a letter authorizing and outlining the need of a new Boston Technical High School for people at the Department of School Buildings to start working on and setting in motion the architects and all that is needed—we cannot do that until the money is actually appropriated?

Superintendent: That is true.

Mr. Lee: So that we would just be worse off in another year without this appropriation. We would have to postpone the very start of further buildings for a whole year because we cannot even think about them. Is that right?

Superintendent: That is true.

Mr. Lee: That is under the law, or we cannot ask the School Buildings Department to think about them until the money is already authorized?

Superintendent: That is true.

Mr. Lee: So it would be a very serious delay and setback to future building plans in Boston?

Superintendent: I certainly hope that he gives us the $5,000,000 bond issue for 1955.

Mr. Museo: Madam Chairman, in my report to you on New School Buildings which I submitted today at the conference regarding the national level, the state level and the city level, that should also be in the hands of the Mayor and I am sure that after he reads it and studies it, his only answer is going to be Yes.

Chairman: Can that be done? Can a copy of that be sent to the Mayor?

Secretary: Yes.

Mr. Ward: I am going to see the Mayor, and I hope to ask him to visit Boston Technical High School. That is all I would ask him to do—visit that high school.

Chairman: We could ask him to visit officially with us.

Mr. Ward: I wish he would visit that high school with us.

Chairman. Would you so communicate with the Mayor, Miss Reynolds?

Mr. Ward: Then he can judge accordingly whether or not it is a necessary and a needed building.

Chairman: We could ask him to come along with the School Committee on a tour of inspection of the Boston Technical High School.

Mr. Ward: And just take a look at it.

Chairman: At his earliest convenience.

Mr. Ward: And I think the Mayor will change his mind.

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UNFINISHED BUSINESS

The order laid over at the meeting of Feb. 7, 1955, amending Section 225 of the Regulations, pertaining to the duties of principals in connection with Accident Reports, was taken up.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Museo, and Ward—5

NAYS—0

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The order laid over at the meeting of Feb. 7, 1955, amending Sections 411 and 412 of the Regulations, relative to the issuing of licenses to minors by principals, was taken up.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Museo, and Ward—5

NAYS—0

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The order laid over at the meeting of Feb. 7, 1955, making changes in the List of Authorized Text Books, was taken up.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Museo, and Ward—5

NAYS—0

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The Committee adjourned.

Attest:

AGNES E. REYNOLDS
Secretary

Feb. 21, 1955

A regular meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, at 5:19 P. M., the Chairman presiding.

Present: Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Museo.

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IN MEMORIAM

The Superintendent regretfully reported the death on Feb. 15, 1955, of Joseph F. Flynn, storekeeper, School Committee Supply Room.

Placed on file.

RESOLUTION

Mr. Carr offered the following preamble and resolutions for Mr. Ward:

WHEREAS, God in His infinite wisdom has called to His eternal presence Joseph F. Flynn, and

WHEREAS, During his life he was a devoted and loving husband ever mindful that the home is truly the heart and cornerstone of the Nation, and

WHEREAS, He spent many years in the School Department always alert to the wants and needs of the pupils, considerate of his co-workers and ever generous when called upon for service, and

WHEREAS, He was of unquestioned patriotism and willingly offered himself for service in the Armed Forces when danger threatened his Country, be it therefore

RESOLVED, That the School Committee of the City of Boston hereby expresses deep regret that he will no longer be here as a model and inspiration to others, and

RESOLVED, That the School Committee of the City of Boston hereby record its sincere appreciation and admiration for his character and civic accomplishments, and

RESOLVED, That the School Committee of the City of Boston hereby send this expression of condolence to his dear wife, Mrs. Anna C. Flynn, as an earnest and heartfelt appreciation of her dear husband, and our co-worker.

On roll call the preamble and resolutions were adopted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4

NAYS—0

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1

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The Superintendent regretfully reported the death of the following-named teacher who had been retired on pension, on the date stated:

Department of Home Economics—Sarah Horan, Jan. 12, 1955.

Placed on file.

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The School Committee requested that a letter of condolence, to be signed by the Secretary, be sent to the bereaved families.

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RESIGNATION

The Superintendent reported the resignation of the following-named teacher, to take effect on the date stated:

Wendell Phillips District—Mary Lyons Hughes, vice principal, Feb. 28, 1955.

Accepted.

RETIREMENTS ON PENSION

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Feb. 21, 1955, reporting the retirement from active service of the following-named members of the State-Boston Retirement System, to take effect Feb. 28, 1955, as certified by the Boston Retirement Board:

Roxbury Memorial High School (Boys) — Antonio E. Donadio, master.

Wendell Phillips District—Mary Lyons Hughes, vice principal (under provisions of Section 10)

Placed on file.

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APPOINTMENTS

The following nominations by the Superintendent, certified by him as being in accordance with the rules and regulations, to take effect on the dates stated, were presented:

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INSTRUCTION OF PHYSICALLY HANDICAPPED CHILDREN

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Feb. 21, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has assigned the following-named temporary teacher for instruction of physically handicapped children, to take effect Feb. 28, 1955:

Beatrice R. DeAvilla

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco —4

NAYS—0

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1

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DEPARTMENT OF ADULT EDUCATIONAL AND RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES (Extended Use)

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Feb. 21, 1955, reporting that subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has assigned the following-named person to serve in the Department of Adult Educational and Recreational Activities, Extended Use Division, for the term 1954-55:

Assignment

Estha L. Ten Eyck, Feb. 9, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the assignment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco —4

NAYS—0

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1

TRANSFERS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Feb. 21, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has made the following transfer of a teacher, to take effect on the date indicated:

Mary Norton Donnelly, teacher, kindergarten, Bennett District, to the same position in the Washington Allston District, Jan. 18, 1954.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the transfers were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco —4

NAYS—0

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1

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DESIGNATIONS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Feb. 21, 1955, reporting that he has made the following designations of teachers, to serve in the positions indicated, until such time as they shall be filled otherwise, in accordance with the rules and regulations, but not beyond Aug. 31, 1955:

James A. Garfield District—Mary T. O'Connell, vice principal, as acting principal; Dorothy G. Peterson, teacher, elementary, as acting vice principal, Feb. 1, 1955.

Placed on file.

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GIRLS' LATIN SCHOOL

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That beginning Sept. 1, 1955, the Girls' Latin School shall be housed temporarily in the building formerly known as the Dorchester High School for Girls, located at Codman Square, Dorchester.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco —4

NAYS—0

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1

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In connection with the foregoing order, the Chairman made the following statement:

A School Committee always finds itself faced with unpleasant decisions and the present Committee is no exception to this.

The situation of the Girls' Latin School presents a case that requires an immediate solution so that the interests of citizens and students of Boston might be served.

Time and circumstances force changes in any organization. After months of effort the Members of the Committee have found it no longer possible to retain the Girls' Latin School on its present site. However the Girls' Latin School is unique, not only scholastically, but also nationally. The continuation of this school is a must in the field of education.

At the present time the ownership and control of the building in which the Girls' Latin School is now housed is under the State Department of Education. Because of expansion at the State Teachers' College, more and more rooms have been taken for college purposes from the Girls' Latin School. The Girls' Latin School stands for scholastic excellence and wherever it is located it will have the same student body, the same fine faculty and the same traditions.

Circumstances beyond the control of this School Committee give us no immediate alternative but to re-locate Girls' Latin School for a temporary period. If the Alumni Association, the students, teachers and Headmaster will cooperate with us, we can try to impress the Mayor and the City Council, the Governor and the Legislature with the need for funds to build a new Girls' Latin School in the Fenway area. Here is our only hope.

Even if we had in hand the funds and the site on the Fenway for a new building, we would need time in which to build it. As things stand we either have to move the Girls' Latin School or suspend its life. The Committee finds this re-location an unpleasant but necessary step to preserve the life of a school which brings honor to our City's educational system.

Part of the training at Girls' Latin School is maturity of spirit, character and self-discipline. It is intelligent to accept the inevitable while working to bring about changes for even greater good.

The School Committee urges all who are concerned with Girls' Latin School to demonstrate the qualities of character which the school teaches. We feel that they will.

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It was agreed that the following report by the sub-committee of the School Committee, pertaining to a meeting with the Planning Board in connection with school sites in the Fenway, be printed in full in the minutes of this meeting:

Mr. Michael J. Ward and Mr. Louis F. Musco, as a sub-committee of the School Committee, met with the members of the Planning Board at 1:30 P. M. today, February 21, 1955.

Mr. Ward and Mr. Musco explained in detail the dire need for sites for both the Girls' Latin School and the Boston Technical High School to be located in the Fenway area on land presently owned by the Parks and Recreation Department of the City of Boston.

The members of the Planning Board were most considerate and understanding of the serious problems confronting the Boston School Committee in regard to the proposed construction of these two new schools.

At the conclusion of the meeting the members of the Planning Board agreed to take this problem under advisement and give careful study to all the facts presented by the sub-committee of the School Committee.

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TRIBUTE TO PRESIDENT OF THE ASSOCIATION OF AMERICAN COLLEGES

Mr. Carr presented the following:

The School Committee of the City of Boston is proud to extend its congratulations to Very Reverend Joseph R. N. Maxwell, S. J., President of Boston College, upon his election as president of the Association of American Colleges.

As an outstanding educator and administrator, with many laurels won and humbly received, it is the wish of the School Committee of the City of Boston that his term of office will evolve a code which will help to meet the standards of educational progress and intellectual integrity.

May the Divine Master direct, assist, and bless him in the difficult problems which he must now face.

On roll call the foregoing statement was ordered spread on the record by the following vote:
YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4
NAYS—0
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1

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NATIONAL CONGRESS OF PARENTS AND TEACHERS

Miss Fitzgerald: On Feb. 17, 1955, the National Congress of Parents and Teachers celebrated the 58th anniversary of its founding.

In 1897 a few members were present when the organization was founded. In the United States today there are 9,000,000 members. Massachusetts is proud to claim 117,000 members in 754 units. No city or town in the Bay State is without a Parent-Teacher Association. Quietly, patiently, and zealously these members have assisted in developing a fine sense of public welfare. Here is democracy in action.

All steps of progress in the educational world are constantly unfolding either in retrogression or advancement. There is no standing still. Every age has problems which must be solved. Under the capable leadership of Mrs. Mattair and many kindred Parent-Teacher groups whose various presidents and members have assisted us in educational activities, the Boston Public Schools have advanced to finer things. Their mature state has humanized the relationship between the communities and the school teachers who serve therein.

The School Committee of the City of Boston is proud to salute the Parent-Teacher Associations of America.

On roll call the foregoing statement by the Chairman was ordered spread on the record by the following vote:
YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4
NAYS—0
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1

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APPOINTMENT OF CUSTODIANS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Feb. 21, 1955, recommending, subject to the approval of the School Committee and in accordance with the certification of the Division of Civil Service, that the following-named persons, who stand at the head of the promotional list, be appointed senior building custodians, to take effect Feb. 23, 1955:

Thomas F. Healey
Martin W. Foley
Joseph DeGregorio
Robert T. Wiley

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The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote:
YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Feb. 21, 1955, recommending, subject to the approval of the School Committee, and in accordance with the certification of the Division of Civil Service, that five junior building custodians, who stand at the head of the promotional list, be appointed permanent intermittent senior building custodians, to take effect on Feb. 23, 1955:

Joseph P. Tesauro, Philip E. Bermingham, George A. McPhee, John J. Moran.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote:
YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4
NAYS—0
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1

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APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES TO JAN. 1, 1955

A communication was received from the Business Manager, under date of Feb. 21, 1955, submitting a statement showing the appropriations, the expenditures and the balances for general school purposes and special items for the fiscal year 1954, the expenditures for the fiscal year 1953, and the increases and decreases in the several items.

Placed on file.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

The order laid over at the meeting of Feb. 14, 1955, making changes in the List of Authorized Text Books was taken up.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:
YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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The Committee adjourned

Attest:

AGNES E. REYNOLDS,
Secretary

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

Ruth S. Arthur, 17 Webber avenue, Bedford, in the sum of $106, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 46 Friend street, June 21, 1954.

Eleanore Ricci, 95 North Margin street, in the sum of $456, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a broken piece of curbing on North Margin street, near Endicott street, April 29, 1954.

Pauline Kaizerman, 25 Doone avenue, Dorchester, in the sum of $260, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 17 Doone avenue, March 23, 1954.

Esther F. Patrick, 69 Mora street, Dorchester, in the sum of $100, as compensation for damage to automobile caused by a hole in the highway opposite 1034 Bennington street, East Boston, July 3, 1954.

Katherine Nee, 62 Montcalm avenue, Brighton, in the sum of $495, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 64 Etna street, Brighton, February 17, 1953.

Ronald J. Ergas, 65 Munroe street, Roxbury, in the sum of $285, as compensation for damage to automobile caused by an unprotected excavation opposite 1078 Canterbury street, Roslindale, January 3, 1955.

Samuel Fox, 30 Leston street, Mattapan, in the sum of $300, as compensation for personal injuries caused when the automobile which he was operating struck a hole in the highway on Follen street, near the intersection of St. Botolph street, November 25, 1954.

Angelo Ingemi, 42 Port Norfolk street, Dorchester, in the sum of $285, as compensation for personal injuries to his daughter, Eleanor Ingemi, a minor, caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 102 Walnut street, Dorchester, November 5, 1954.

Carl Bevelacqua, 102 Salem street, Boston, in the sum of $323, as compensation for personal injuries to his daughter, Louise Bevelacqua, a minor, caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 102 Salem street, May 8, 1953.

Antonio J. Sacco, 146 Gove street, East Boston, to be reimbursed in the sum of $305, as a result of an accident which occurred on December 6, 1954, when a motor truck belonging to the Sanitary Division, Public Works Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Dorothy Connolly.

WIDENING BROOK FARM ROAD, WEST ROXBURY.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the widening, relocation, and revision of grade for the construction of Brook Farm road, West Roxbury district, between La Grange street and Lyall street, bounded and described as follows:

The highway named Brook Farm road is hereby widened and relocated between La Grange street and Lyall street and ordered constructed.

For the making of the aforesaid improvement an easement for street purposes is hereby taken in the following described land, exclusive of trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed thereto:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Ann M. Drohan, bounded:

Westerly by the easterly line of La Grange street, by two measurements, 17.68 feet and 12.61 feet; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Brook Farm road as widened and relocated under this order, 40.17 feet on a curve of 20 feet radius; and southeasterly by the northwesterly line of Brook Farm road as it existed prior to this order, 28.13 feet; containing 146 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Ann M. Drohan, bounded:

Northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Brook Farm road as widened and relocated under this order, by two measurements, 37.47 feet and 51.04 feet on a curve of 670.83 feet radius; northeasterly by land hereinafter described as taken from John S. Boutilier, 11.62 feet; and southeasterly by the northwesterly line of Brook Farm road as it existed prior to this order, 85.28 feet; containing 561 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to John S. Boutilier, bounded:

Northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Brook Farm road as widened and relocated under this order, 52.58 feet on a curve of 670.83 feet radius; southwesterly by land hereinbefore described as taken from Ann M. Drohan, 11.62 feet; southeasterly by the northwesterly line of Brook Farm road as it existed prior to this order, 56 feet; and northeasterly by land hereinafter described as taken from Mary J. Boutilier, 12.74 feet; containing 699 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Mary J. Boutilier, bounded:

Northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Brook Farm road as widened and relocated under this order, 40.05 feet; southwesterly by land hereinbefore described as taken from said John S. Boutilier, 12.74 feet; southeasterly by the northwesterly line of Brook Farm road as it existed prior to this order, 40 feet; and northeasterly by land hereinafter described as taken from Jeanette Siegel, 12.42 feet; containing 504 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Jeanette Siegel, bounded:

Northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Brook Farm road as widened and relocated under this order, by two measurements, 13.47 feet and 32.19 feet on a curve of 25 feet radius; northeasterly by the southwesterly line of Newfield street as it existed prior to this order, 31.45 feet; southeasterly by the northwesterly line of Brook Farm road as it existed prior to this order, 28.57 feet; and southwesterly by land hereinbefore described as taken from Mary J. Boutilier, 12.42 feet; containing 440 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Joseph P. Lynch, bounded:

Southwesterly by the northeasterly line of Newfield street as it existed prior to this order, 32.43 feet; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Brook Farm road as widened and relocated under this order, by two measurements, 27.81 feet on a curve of 15 feet radius and 78.84 feet; northeasterly by land hereinafter described as taken from Joseph P. Lynch, 11.46 feet; and southeasterly by the northwesterly line of Brook Farm road as it existed prior to this order, 99.05 feet; containing 1,233 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Joseph P. Lynch, bounded:

Northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Brook Farm road as widened and relocated under this order, by two measurements, 81.94 feet and 32.19 feet on a curve of 25 feet radius; northeasterly by the southwesterly line of Kiernan road as it existed prior to this order, 29.52 feet; and southeasterly by the northwesterly line of Brook Farm road as it existed prior to this order, 100.97 feet; containing 1,148 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Lillian E. Blood, bounded:

Southwesterly by the northeasterly line of Kiernan road as it existed prior to this order, 30.36 feet; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Brook Farm road as widened and relocated under this order, by three measurements, 27.81 feet on a curve of 15 feet radius, 13.31 feet, and 35.31 feet on a curve of 228.21 feet radius; northeasterly by land hereinafter described as taken from Robert Walsh *et al.*, 12.27 feet; and southeasterly by the northwesterly line of Brook Farm road as it existed prior to this order, 74 feet; containing 805 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Robert and John Walsh, bounded:

Northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Brook Farm road as widened and relocated under this order, by two measurements, 45.02 feet on a curve of 228.21 feet radius and 2.88 feet; northeasterly by land hereinafter described as taken from Edward I. Perkins, trustee, 10.20 feet; southeasterly by the northwesterly line of Brook Farm road as it existed prior to this order, by two measurements, 46 feet and 3.97 feet; and southeasterly by land hereinbefore described as taken from Lillian E. Blood, 12.27 feet; containing 602 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Edward I. Perkins, trustee, bounded:

Northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Brook Farm road as widened and relocated under this order, 40.36 feet; northeasterly by land hereinafter described as taken from estate of Thomas H. Collins, 10.27 feet; southeasterly by the northwesterly line of Brook Farm road as it existed prior to this order, 40 feet; and southwesterly by land hereinbefore described as taken from Robert Walsh *et al.*, 10.20 feet; containing 412 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to estate of Thomas H. Collins, bounded:

Northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Brook Farm road as widened and relocated under this order, 39.70 feet; northeasterly by land hereinafter described as taken from Pasquale Pacitti *et al.*, 10.32 feet; southeasterly by the northwesterly line of Brook Farm road as it existed prior to this order, 40 feet; and southwesterly by land hereinbefore described as taken from Edward I. Perkins, trustee, 10.27 feet; containing 411 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Pasquale and Angelina Pacitti, bounded:

Northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Brook Farm road as widened and relocated under this order, by two measurements, 25.77 feet and 23.42 feet on a curve of 25 feet radius; northeasterly by the southwesterly line of Banks street as it existed prior to this order, 24.23 feet; southeasterly by the northwesterly line of Brook Farm road as it existed prior to this order, 30.80 feet; and southwesterly by land hereinbefore described as taken from estate of Thomas H. Collins, 10.32 feet; containing 346 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Patrick C. Mahoney, bounded:

Southwesterly by the northeasterly line of Banks street as it existed prior to this order, 37.47 feet; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Brook Farm road as widened and relocated under this order, by two measurements, 30.19 feet on a curve of 15 feet radius and 19.67 feet on a curve of 153.76 feet radius; northeasterly by land hereinafter described as taken from Walter E. Tellier, 3.52 feet; and southeasterly by the northwesterly line of Brook Farm road as it existed prior to this order, by two measurements, 14.96 feet on a curve of 97.50 feet radius, and 33.44 feet; containing 498 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Walter E. Tellier, bounded:

Northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Brook Farm road as widened and relocated under this order, 41.29 feet on a curve of 153.76 feet radius; southeasterly by the northwesterly line of Brook Farm road as it existed prior to this order, 42 feet on a curve of 97.50 feet radius; southwesterly by land hereinbefore described as taken from Patrick C. Mahoney, 3.52 feet; containing 90 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to James S. and Mary W. Kiernan, bounded:

Southwesterly by the northeasterly line of Kiernan road as it existed prior to this order, 22.35 feet; northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Brook Farm road as it existed prior to this order, 22.35 feet; and southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Brook Farm road as widened and relocated under this order, 36.48 feet on a curve of 25 feet radius; containing 103 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Mary M. Stewart, Helen V. Leary, Richard L. Connors, Francis J. Connors, and Philip J. Connors, bounded:

Northeasterly by the southwesterly line of Kiernan road as it existed prior to this order, 16.80 feet; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Kiernan road as widened and relocated under this order, 25.25 feet on a curve of 15 feet radius; and northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Brook Farm road as it existed prior to this order, 16.80 feet; containing 63 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Joseph S. Arsenault and Beatrice A. Arsenault, bounded:

Southwesterly by the northeasterly line of Newfield street as it existed prior to this order, 22.35 feet; northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Brook Farm road as it existed prior to this order, 22.35 feet; and southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Brook Farm road as widened and relocated under this order, 36.48 feet on a curve of 25 feet radius; containing 103 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to John G. and Virginia C. Keating, bounded:

Northeasterly by the southwesterly line of Newfield street as it existed prior to this order, 16.80 feet; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Brook Farm road as widened and relocated under this order, 25.25 feet on a curve of 15 feet radius; and northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Brook Farm road as it existed prior to this order, 16.80 feet; containing 63 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to John G. and Virginia C. Keating, bounded:

Northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Brook Farm road as it existed prior to this order, 49.73 feet; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Brook Farm road as widened and relocated under this order, 50 feet on a curve of 630.83 feet radius; and southwesterly by land hereinafter described as taken from William J. Sheehan, 1.99 feet; containing 32 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to William J. Sheehan, bounded:

Northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Brook Farm road as it existed prior to this order, 120.77 feet; southwesterly by the northeasterly line of La Grange street, 34.67 feet; and southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Brook Farm road as widened and relocated under this order, by three measurements, 26.07 feet on a curve of 20 feet radius, 61.29 feet, and 47.44 feet on a curve of 630.83 feet radius; containing 1,249 square feet, more or less.

Trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforedescribed land shall be removed therefrom within thirty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purposes of constructing said improvement.

Said Brook Farm road as hereby widened and relocated is bounded:

Southwesterly by the northeasterly line of La Grange street, by two measurements, 74.41 feet and 12.61 feet; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Brook Farm road as hereby widened and relocated, by five measurements, 40.17 feet on a curve of 20 feet radius, 37.47 feet, 103.62 feet on a curve of 670.83 feet radius, 53.51 feet, and 32.19 feet on a curve of 25 feet radius; again northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Brook Farm road, as hereby widened and relocated, at Newfield street, 42.05 feet; again northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Brook Farm road, as hereby widened and relocated, by three measurements, 27.81 feet on a curve of 15 feet radius, 160.78 feet, and 32.19 feet on a curve of 25 feet radius; again northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Brook Farm road, as hereby widened and relocated, at Kiernan road, 42.01 feet; again northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Brook Farm road, as hereby widened and relocated, by five measurements, 27.81 feet on a curve of 15 feet radius, 13.31 feet, 80.33 feet on a curve of 228.21 feet radius, 108.72 feet, and 23.42 feet on a curve of 25 feet radius; again northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Brook Farm road, as hereby widened and relocated, at Banks street, 58.40 feet; again northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Brook Farm road, as hereby widened and relocated, by three measurements, 30.19 feet on a curve of 15 feet radius, 60.95 feet on a curve of 153.76 feet radius, and 131.49 feet on a curve of 330 feet radius; northeasterly by another portion of Brook Farm road, 36.88 feet; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Brook Farm road, as hereby widened and relocated, by six measurements, 17.27 feet, 214 feet on a curve of 215 feet radius, 139.72 feet, 94.42 feet on a curve of 268.21 feet radius, 23.24 feet, and 36.48 feet on a curve of 25 feet radius; again southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Brook Farm road, as hereby widened and relocated, at Kiernan road, 40.02 feet; again southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Brook Farm road, as hereby widened and relocated, by three measurements, 25.25 feet on a curve of 15 feet radius, 162.58 feet, and 36.48 feet on a curve of 25 feet radius; again southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Brook Farm road, as hereby widened and relocated, at Newfield street, 40.02 feet; again southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Brook Farm road, as hereby widened and relocated, by five measurements, 25.25 feet on a curve of 15 feet radius, 44.17 feet, 97.44 feet on a curve of 630.83 feet radius, 61.29 feet, and 26.07 feet on a curve of 20 feet radius.

The grade of the highway named Brook Farm road is hereby ordered revised between La Grange street and Lyall street.

No betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

NO DAMAGES SUSTAINED.

The Public Improvement Commission has voted that the undermentioned persons sustain no damages in their estates by the making of the public improvement consisting of the widening, relocation, and revision of grade of Brook Farm road, West Roxbury district, between La Grange street and Lyall street, under the order of this commission of March 29, 1955, and awards no damages therefor:

Ann M. Drohan, 146 square feet, nothing.

Ann M. Drohan, 561 square feet, nothing.

John S. Boutilier, 699 square feet, nothing.

Mary J. Boutilier, 504 square feet, nothing.

Jeanette Siegel, 440 square feet, nothing.

Joseph P. Lynch, 1,233 square feet, nothing.

Joseph P. Lynch, 1,148 square feet, nothing.

Lillian E. Blood, 805 square feet, nothing.

Robert and John Walsh, 602 square feet, nothing.

Edward I. Perkins, trustee, 412 square feet, nothing.

Estate of Thomas H. Collins, 411 square feet, nothing.

Pasquale and Angelina Pacitti, 346 square feet, nothing.

Patrick C. Mahoney, 498 square feet, nothing.

Walter E. Tellier, 90 square feet, nothing.

James S. and Mary W. Kiernan, 103 square feet, nothing.

Mary M. Stewart, Helen V. Leary, Richard L. Connors, Francis J. Connors, Philip J. Connors, 63 square feet, nothing.

Joseph S. and Beatrice A. Arsenault, 103 square feet, nothing.

John G. and Virginia C. Keating, 63 square feet, nothing.

John G. and Virginia C. Keating, 32 square feet, nothing.

William J. Sheehan, 1,249 square feet, nothing.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of rerouting of traffic in the Brighton district, occasioned by the construction of underpasses in Soldiers Field road by the Metropolitan District Commission, estimated to be six (6) months, the following temporary traffic rules are effective beginning April 4, 1955:

The one-way rule in the following street is suspended, and it is a two-way street:

Lincoln Street, Brighton.
From Portsmouth street to Leo M. Birmingham Parkway.

Parking of vehicles is prohibited in the following street:

Lincoln Street, Brighton.
Both sides, from Cambridge street to Franklin street.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway resurfacing, estimated to be sixty (60) days, parking of vehicles is prohibited when and where official signs are in place in the following street, effective April 5, 1955:

Cummins Highway, West Roxbury.
Both sides, from Washington street to Hyde Park avenue.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, occasioned by the reconstruction of William T. Morrissey Boulevard, for a period estimated to be three (3) months, the following street is one way in the direction indicated, effective April 5, 1955:

Freeport Street, Dorchester.
From William T. Morrissey Boulevard at the point where it intersects Freeport street two hundred and twenty (220) feet north of the extension of Conley street to Neponset avenue.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, occasioned by raising steel for the construction of the new addition to the Massachusetts Eye and Ear Infirmary, vehicles are excluded from the following street from 7.30 A.M. to 4.30 P.M. on April 8, 1955:

Fruit Street, Boston Proper.
From Charles street to North Grove street.

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 18.

COMPANY-IN-SERVICE INSPECTIONS.

The program of company-in-service inspections for the year 1955 shall start on Thursday morning, April 14.

In order to maintain a complete record of the number of inspections made and the names of all persons who are using fuel oil or fuel oil burners without a permit, in violation of the current regulations, certain additional information must be supplied on Form 9C. Members filling out Form 9C will carry out the following instructions:

The names of the owner and occupant shall be printed on the form. The name of one occupant only is all that is necessary unless there are occupants who are using fuel oil without a permit, in which case their names will be printed under "Remarks" on the back page. The first name or initial of such occupants shall be included when it is possible to obtain it.

After the statement, "Purpose for which used," the inspector shall state whether it is a one-, two-, three-, four- or more family dwelling, using such terms as, "one-family dwelling," "three-family dwelling," etc.

After the question, "Is permit posted," place the word "yes," if the occupant has a permit in his or her possession, whether or not the permit is attached to a wall partition, or other surface.

Inspectors shall not overlook the condition of smoke pipes. If they are corroded, rusted or in an unsafe condition for any other cause, this fact should be called to the attention of the owner or occupant and a Form 12 should be forwarded to Headquarters when the company returns to quarters. When a Form 12 is to be forwarded, this fact should be noted on the Form 9C, under "Remarks."

The attention of members is called to the responsibility of an inspector when violations of laws or ordinances are discovered. Such violations may constitute a serious threat to the safety of the occupants and an abatement notice must be served. The inspector discovering the violation shall make out the abatement notice. The delegation of the authority vested in the chief of department under the provisions of chapter 148 includes every member of the department and it should not be necessary for an officer to fill out the abatement notice. If an inspector needs advice or assistance in making out the abatement notice, the company officer will give such advice or assistance but the notice will be signed by the member making the inspection, and at the time of discovery.

If an incinerator is built into or is part of a building, insert the words, "Part of building," after the word, "Location." A permit is not required for this type of incinerator but a permit is required for the use of incinerators which are used to burn rubbish in back yards or similar areas.

After the words, "Order or abatement notice issued," the name of the person to whom the order or notice was issued shall be inserted. When such order or notice is issued, the Form C shall not be forwarded until a reinspection has been made. A statement whether or not conditions were corrected shall be inserted on the Form 9C.

If a company responds to an alarm while performing in-service inspections, the following data shall be inserted under "Remarks": Box (or still), time, location, type of fire, and the approximate time that the company returned to the inspection area.

Hereafter, when a box alarm is struck while companies are out inspecting (9.30 to 11.30 A.M. and 1.30 to 3.30 P.M.) the Fire Alarm Office shall announce the location of the box unless the box was struck for a still alarm, the location of which will be announced in accordance with current practices.

District chiefs shall visit the quarters of companies in their respective districts which are scheduled to perform in-service inspection at least fifteen minutes prior to their leaving quarters, and give any necessary instructions pertaining to inspection. They shall also check the appearance of the officers and men and see that their clothing is neat and clean and they are attired in accordance with General Order No. 37, 1954. They shall also visit the area of inspection, at least once during the inspection period, and make certain that everything is going as it should and they shall also give advice if it is needed.

Members performing in-service inspection shall be on the alert for occupants of dwellings who are using fuel oil or fuel oil burners without a permit and when such conditions are discovered they shall inform said occupants of the provisions of Rule 3 of the current fuel oil regulations and of the following law: Section 1013 of chapter 148—Any person who knowingly violates any rule or regulation made by the Board of Fire Prevention Regulations shall, except as otherwise provided, be punished by a fine of not less than twenty-five (25) nor more than one hundred (100) dollars.

Inspectors shall also inform the occupants of dwellings where space heaters, portable heaters and range burners are being used of the dangers attending the use of fuel oil in connection with such heaters. Among the dangers are: Using substandard, leaking or otherwise defective range burners, space heaters, portable kerosene or other types of oil burning equipment which have not been approved by a qualified oil burner mechanic. Changing the adjustment or installation of any type of oil burner after it has been installed or adjusted by a competent oil burner mechanic. Permitting children to tamper or play with valves or other appurtenance of burners. Setting up or using space heaters or portable burners in bedrooms or in any location where they may be overturned, or may cut off the escape of any of the occupants if they should take fire. Placing space heaters or portable burners in proximity to curtains, draperies, furniture, bedding or other combustible materials. Using an unprotected glass receptacle in connection with a range burner. Placing cans and other containers of fuel oil in hallways, bathrooms, parlors, bedrooms or other rooms where they can contribute to the spread of fire or where they can cut off escape in the event of fire. Placing containers of fuel oil under front stairways where they would be readily available for pyromaniacs. Using leaking or dripping containers to carry oil from the cellar to apartments above. Leaving space heaters and portable burners in operation with unattended children. Leaving heaters or burners of any type in operation without a circulation of air, particularly while the occupants are sleeping. All containers of fuel oil will eventually pit or corrode and leak and they should be examined at regular intervals to guard against the possibility of oil leaking onto cellar or other floors. The caps of bottles or cans which fit into receptacles and regulate the flow of oil should be replaced when they show signs of excessive flow of oil. A fresh supply of fuel oil should not be permitted to flow into a burner before the burner has had a chance to cool down. Any oil burner that floods consistently should be checked by a competent fuel oil burner mechanic before it sets a fire. No attempt should be made to remedy defects in burners or oil lines without the tools designed for the purpose. Approved burner lighters only should be used and they should be kept in a proper receptacle. No oil should be kept in open containers at or near oil burners. Accumulations of carbon indicate a defective burner. Range burners which burn with a yellow flame for long periods indicate the need for cleaning and adjusting. All fuel oil burners should be cleaned and necessary adjustments made at least once a year, by a competent mechanic.

Inspectors should call to the attention of the parents of babies and small children the dangers of leaving them unattended, particularly at night. Matches should not be left within reach of small children Inspectors should stress the need of parents ascertaining whether their baby sitters are reliable and qualified and if they know what to do in the event of fire. They should also make certain that baby sitters know the telephone number of the fire and police departments, and every means of egress from the building.

Householders should be warned of the dangers of smoking in bed, dozing in overstuffed chairs, sofas and similar furniture and the danger of carbon monoxide given off by smouldering mattresses and cushions.

Householders should also be warned of the dangers of overloading electric circuits and using pennies or other substitutes for fuses and of the dangers of the insidious, unseen electric fire which may ramify throughout an entire building before it becomes evident.

The practice of leaving the notice of anticipated inspection at homes which are scheduled for inspection the following week shall be continued. In addition, the small printed form which calls attention to certain fuel oil regulations shall also be left with all occupants who are using fuel oil without the required permit. Copies of these forms are available at Headquarters.

Company officers shall stay with the apparatus in order to direct the inspection program and to advise members, when necessary. If a member needs assistance in making an inspection, the officer shall detail another member to stand by the apparatus and he shall accompany the member needing assistance. The responsibility for the efficiency of in-service inspections rests with company officers and they shall make certain that all company members are apprized of their responsibilities in the matter.

Members performing in-service inspections shall not loiter on or about the apparatus or sit on doorsteps in a lounging attitude. They must realize that they are in full view of the public and any unfavorable impressions can reflect on the entire department.

Members shall be on the alert for automobiles parked at hydrants so as to interfere with operations and they shall not hesitate to apply a sticker, as required. When a sticker is applied to an automobile, the time, location, and registration number of the automobile shall be forwarded to Headquarters on a Form 5.

Companies that do not perform scheduled in-service inspections shall continue the program of inspecting properties on Sundays and holidays in accordance with S. O. 56, July 22, 1954.

Additional copies of this order are being distributed to the department so that members performing in-service inspections may carry a copy with them and refer to it as a guide.

By order of Fire Commissioner FRANCIS X. COTTER.

JOHN V. STAPLETON,
Chief of Department.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

John J. Amara & Son have been directed to perform the following extra work under the contract for corner cutbacks at Arlington street, Edgewater Drive, Franklin street; sidewalk narrowings at Beacon street; sidewalk narrowings and construction of traffic islands in Gallivan Boulevard, Peabody square; and construction of traffic islands at Bowdoin street, Broadway, Dorchester avenue, Macallen street, and Warren street, dated September 13, 1954:

In Bowdoin street, at Geneva avenue, remove approximately 22 linear feet of car rails and ties, for the lump sum of $87.50.

In Warren street, at Blue Hill avenue, remove approximately 22 linear feet of car rails and ties, for the lump sum of $87.50.

In Peabody square, furnish and set two new 3-foot corners at $38 per corner.

In various streets in contract, deliver approximately 108.4 linear feet of unused new circular edgestone to city paving yard at $3.42 per linear foot.

Estimated cost of extra work, $621.73.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the periods of baseball games from April 10, 1955, to September 25, 1955, parking of vehicles is prohibited in the following street:

Van Ness Street, Boston Proper.
North side, from Jersey street to Ipswich street.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, for a trial period of sixty (60) days, the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective April 12, 1955:

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out the following:

Ruggles Street, Roxbury.
North side, from Washington street to Shawmut avenue, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Ruggles Street.
Both sides, from Washington street to Shawmut avenue, 24 hours.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by striking out the following:

Ruggles Street, Roxbury.
From Tremont street to Washington street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Ruggles Street.
From Tremont street to Shawmut avenue.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of underground construction by the New England Telephone & Telegraph Company, estimated to be thirty (30) days, parking of vehicles is prohibited in the following street, effective April 11, 1955:

Norfolk Avenue, Roxbury.
Southwest side, from opposite Proctor street to Shirley street.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of underground construction by the Boston Edison Company, estimated to be sixty (60) days, parking of vehicles is prohibited in the following street, when and where official signs are in place, effective April 6, 1955:

Hyde Park Avenue, Hyde Park.
Both sides, from Dana avenue to Wolcott square.

CITY OF BOSTON.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING AND INSTALLING UNDERGROUND CONDUIT AND CONCRETE BASES FOR TRAFFIC SIGNAL POSTS IN THE INTERSECTION OF LONGWOOD AVENUE AND RIVERWAY IN THE CITY OF BOSTON.

The Boston Traffic Commission, office 112 Southampton street, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for furnishing and installing underground conduit and concrete bases for traffic signal posts in the intersection of Longwood avenue and Riverway in the City of Boston. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commission in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at 112 Southampton street. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Furnishing and Installing Underground Conduit and Concrete Bases for Traffic Signal Posts in the Intersection of Longwood Avenue and Riverway in the City of Boston," and left at 112 Southampton street, before 12 M. on Thursday, April 21, 1955, with a certified check for two hundred (200) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. If the lump sum price appears to the Commission to be abnormally high or low, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Boston Traffic Commission. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract, and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to accept any proposal should he deem it to be for the best interests of the city so to do.

WM. ARTHUR REILLY,
(April 9-16.) *Traffic Commissioner.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

HIGHWAY RECONSTRUCTION WORK.

PROPOSALS FOR BITUMINOUS CONCRETE PAVEMENT IN

Ballou Avenue, Ward 14, Mascot Street to Approximately 730 Feet Easterly;
Brookview Street, Ward 14, Blue Hill Avenue to Harvard Street;
Floyd Street, Ward 14, Blue Hill Avenue to Lucerne Street;
Harwood Street, Ward 14, Willowwood Street to Lucerne Street;
Jones Avenue, Ward 14, Mascot Street to Ballou Avenue;
Stratton Street, Ward 14, Blue Hill Avenue to Lyford Street;
Wilcock Street, Ward 14, Blue Hill Avenue to Morton Street;
York Street, Ward 14, Glenway Street to Greenwood Street.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for bituminous concrete pavement in Ballou avenue, Ward 14, etc. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Bituminous Concrete Pavement in Ballou Avenue, Ward 14, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, MAY 5, 1955, with a certified check for THIRTY-FIVE HUNDRED (3,500) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under Chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Apr. 16.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

Alice Rovagno, 176 Everett street, East Boston, in the sum of $495, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk on Washington street, near the corner of Dover street, December 7, 1954.

Bernard Shalit, 511 Chestnut Hill avenue, Brookline, in the sum of $370, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 237 Washington street, Boston, October 2, 1954.

Catherine Sullivan, 49 Rexford street, Mattapan, in the sum of $465, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the crosswalk on Blue Hill avenue, corner of Rexford street, October 3, 1954.

William J. Greene, 26 Wolfe street, West Roxbury, to be reimbursed in the sum of $159.15, as a result of an accident which occurred on January 5, 1955, when a motor truck belonging to the Sanitary Division, Public Works Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by John J. Ryan.

Harold E. Gorham, 20 Montello street, Dorchester, to be reimbursed in the sum of $81.70, as a result of an accident which occurred on December 9, 1954, when a motor truck belonging to the Fire Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Anthony W. LaGreca.

Charles F. Donovan, 50 Moseley street, Dorchester, to be reimbursed in the sum of $30, as a result of an accident which occurred on April 27, 1954, when a motor truck belonging to the Sanitary Division, Public Works Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Margaret M. Drew.

Maurice A. Wantman, Inc., 39 Harvard avenue, Allston, in the sum of $97, as compensation for damage to automobile caused by a hole in the highway on Follen street, near intersection of St. Botolph street, November 25, 1954.

Joseph Tutela, 24 Prince street, Boston, in the sum of $125, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 22 Prince street, October 14, 1954.

Anna Stella, 28 Princeton street, East Boston, in the sum of $350, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 37 Chelsea street, East Boston, November 8, 1953.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

SEWERAGE WORKS.

Proposals for Sewerage Works in Regent Street, Between Hulbert Street and Circuit Street, Roxbury.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Regent street, between Hulbert street and Circuit street, Roxbury. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amonnt of the contract, to secure the dne performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, and marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Regent Street, Between Hulbert Street and Circuit Street, Roxbury," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, APRIL 28, 1955, with a certified check for ONE HUNDRED (100) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried ont. The proposals will then be pnblicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in dnplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per honr of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chanffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed nnder the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, npon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continne such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(April 16.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

SEWERAGE WORKS.

Proposals for Sewerage Works in Manchester Street and Maryknoll Street, Dorchester.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Manchester street and Maryknoll street, Dorchester. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the snm of 100 per cent of the amonnt of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Manchester Street and Maryknoll Street, Dorchester," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of WEDNESDAY, APRIL 27, 1955, with a certified check for FOUR HUNDRED (400) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals mnst be made in dnplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chanffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed nnder the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, npon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits nnder chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed nnder this contract and shall continne snch insnrance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The nndersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(April 16.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

HURRICANE REPAIR WORK.

Proposals for Artificial Stone, Bituminous Concrete Sidewalk, Edgestone and Roadway Repairs for Hurricane Damage in Various Locations in the City of Boston.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for artificial stone, bituminous concrete sidewalk, edgestone and roadway repairs for hurricane damage in varions locations in the City of Boston. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Artificial Stone, Bituminous Concrete Sidewalk, Edgestone and Roadway Repairs for Hurricane Damage in Various Locations in the City of Boston," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, MAY 5, 1955, with a certified check for EIGHTEEN HUNDRED (1,800) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried ont. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing snch price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Indnstries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, npon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Pnblic Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continne such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(April 16.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

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CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING SURGICAL SUPPLIES (STAINLESS STEEL) FOR THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Tuesday, April 26, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Surgical Supplies." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(April 16.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR ELECTRICAL WORK AT THE ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, BOSTON, MASS.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for electrical work at the Administration Building, 15 Beacon street, Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Monday, April 25, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed and enclosed in an envelope, sealed, and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $200, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do, in accordance with sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
(April 16.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING LABORATORY SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT FOR THE BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing laboratory supplies and equipment for the Boston public schools. Proposal forms are obtainable at the office of the Business Manager of the School Committee, tenth floor, 15 Beacon street. Envelopes containing proposals must be sealed and plainly marked "Proposal for Furnishing Laboratory Supplies and Equipment." The bid must be in duplicate. One copy, signed by the bidder, and accompanied by a certified check, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount of one hundred dollars ($100), must be left at the office of the Business Manager on or before 12 o'clock noon on Monday, May 2, 1955. Copies filed with the Business Manager will be publicly opened at 12 o'clock noon of the day stated. The other copy, also signed by the bidder, must be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., previous to the time named for opening of bids. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to accept such bid or part of bid as may be deemed best for the interests of the city. The successful bidders will be required to furnish a suitable bond or deposit of money or other security in the amount of not less than 50 per cent of the amount of the contract.

HENRY J. SMITH,
Business Manager of the School Committee.
(April 16.)

READVERTISEMENT.

This Advertisement Supersedes Invitation for Proposals Published in "City Record," April 2, 1955.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION AND SEWERAGE WORKS.

PROPOSALS FOR BITUMINOUS CONCRETE PAVEMENT IN

Canterbury Street, Wards 18 and 19, from Poplar Street to Seymour Street;

Corey Terrace, Ward 20 (Formerly Garden Terrace), from Corey Street to Approximately 290 Feet Southwesterly;

Hartlawn Road, Ward 20 (Formerly Hart Street), from Baker Street to Prospect Street;

Newmarket Square, Ward 8, from Massachusetts Avenue to Approximately 750 Feet Northerly;

Zeller Street Extension, Ward 20, from Zeller Street to Approximately 145 Feet Northwesterly; and

Bituminous Concrete Pavement and Sewerage Works in Merriam Street, Ward 11, from Brookside Avenue to Stony Brook, With an Arm Southwesterly to Minton Street;

—and—

Such Additional Locations, If Any, in Wards 8, 11, 18, 19, and 20, As May Be Designated by the Commissioner of Public Works.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for bituminous concrete pavement in Canterbury street, Wards 18 and 19, etc. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Bituminous Concrete Pavement in Canterbury Street, Wards 18 and 19, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, APRIL 21, 1955, with a certified check for THIRTY-SEVEN HUNDRED (3,700) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Apr. 16.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING.

CITY OF BOSTON.

REAL PROPERTY BOARD.
ROOM 809, CITY HALL ANNEX.

IN REAL PROPERTY BOARD OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, ROOM 809, CITY HALL ANNEX, MARCH 24, 1955.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that public necessity requires the taking of a parcel of land containing approximately thirty-three thousand seven hundred nine (33,709) square feet of land bounded by Washington street, Norfolk place, Harrison Avenue Extension, and Hayward place, together with the buildings and structures thereon, in the Boston Proper district, for off-street parking purposes, substantially as shown on a plan marked "Proposed Sites for Off-Street Parking Facilities (Site No. 9A), Boston Proper, January 25, 1955, George C. Hallisey, Engineer, Real Property Board," on file in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order to make said taking, and that it appoints 11 o'clock A.M. of Thursday, April 28, 1955, and the Public Hearing Rooms of the Public Improvement Commission of the City of Boston, 401 City Hall Annex, as the time and place for a PUBLIC HEARING IN THE MATTER.

REAL PROPERTY BOARD.
HERMAN CARP, *Chairman*,
WILLIAM F. KEESLER,
DAVID L. CURRIER,
THOMAS F. MCDONOUGH,
GEORGE P. DONOVAN.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on this date.

Attest:

JOSEPH B. BURKE,
Executive Secretary.
(April 16.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

RULES AND REGULATIONS RELATING TO HACKNEY CARRIAGES.

Office of the Police Commissioner,
154 Berkeley Street,
April 7, 1955.

In accordance with provisions of section 1 of chapter 392, Acts of 1930, as amended, Rule 65 of the Police Rules and Regulations Relating to Hackney Carriages established by the Police Commissioner for the City of Boston is hereby amended as follows:

On page 99 STRIKE OUT the first paragraph of section 30 and INSERT in place thereof the following new paragraph, *effective Monday, April 18, 1955*, at 7.45 o'clock A.M.:

"TAXICAB — PARTITION — METER.

"30. It shall be optional with the taxicab owner whether or not the taxicab shall be equipped with a partition dividing the driver's and passenger's seats, and every taxicab shall have a taximeter of the size and design approved by the Police Commissioner, which shall be so located as to be easily read by the passenger in the rear seat."

All rules and regulations inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner for the City of Boston.
(Apr. 16.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

TO PAINTING CONTRACTORS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR INTERIOR AND EXTERIOR PAINTING AT THE ALEXANDER HAMILTON SCHOOL, STRATHMORE ROAD AND CHESTNUT HILL AVENUE, BRIGHTON, MASS.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for interior and exterior painting at the Alexander Hamilton School, Strathmore road and Chestnut Hill avenue, Brighton, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Tuesday, April 26, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals shall be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed and inclosed in a sealed envelope, plainly marked with the name of the bidder and the description of the work bid upon. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a certificate of deposit issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $300, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked. Bid bonds will not be accepted.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

A performance bond, issued by a surety company satisfactory to the Awarding Authority, in the full amount of the contract will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any and all bids if it be in the public interest so to do.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
(Apr. 16.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR SEALING EXTERIOR MASONRY WALLS, TO MINIMIZE THEIR ABSORPTION AND INCREASE THEIR REPELLENCY OF WATER, AT THE ATHERTON SCHOOL, COLUMBIA ROAD, DORCHESTER, MASS.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for sealing exterior masonry walls, to minimize their absorption and increase their repellency of water, at the Atherton School, Columbia road, Dorchester, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Tuesday, April 26, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be pnblicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed and enclosed in an envelope, sealed, and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $200, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do, in accordance with sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
(Apr. 16.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

No. 71—396.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING FIRE HATS AND UNIFORM CAPS FOR THE BOSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Monday, April 25, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A dnplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Hats and Caps." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(April 16.) *Purchasing Agent.*

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BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING PARKING METER HEADS.

Proposals may be obtained at the Boston Traffic Commission, 112 Southampton street, Boston, Mass. At this office the bids will be opened and read April 27, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor of the City of Boston, Room 20, City Hall, prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Parking Meter Heads." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Boston Traffic Commission reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as the Commission deems for the best interests of the city.

WM. ARTHUR REILLY,
(April 16.) *Traffic Commissioner.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

TO BUILDING WRECKING CONTRACTORS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR DEMOLITION OF THE HOBART STREET SCHOOL, RANELEGH ROAD, BRIGHTON, MASS.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for demolition of the Hobart Street School, Ranelegh road, Brighton, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Tuesday, April 26, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals shall be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed and inclosed in a sealed envelope, plainly marked with the name of the bidder and the description of the work bid upon. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a certificate of deposit issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $250, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked. Bid bonds will not be accepted.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

A performance bond, issued by a surety company satisfactory to the Awarding Authority, in the full amount of the contract will be reqnired of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any and all bids if it be in the public interest so to do.

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THIRTY-SIX FIRMS TO SHARE IN CONTRACTS TO SUPPLY DRUGS TO CITY DEPARTMENTS—SIX TO FURNISH GOODS ON ORDERS ONLY—LARGEST CONTRACT AMOUNTED TO $24,137.70.

Thirty contractors and six firms have received orders for furnishing drugs to the various city departments for the year 1955, according to announcement of the Purchasing Department, after approval by Mayor John B. Hynes. The largest award was to Agnes M. Goode, doing business as the Good Drug Company, who received a contract for furnishing $24,137.70 worth.

The letter requesting approval and the full list of awards read as follows:

CITY OF BOSTON,
PURCHASING DIVISION,
BOSTON, March 30, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

Bids on proposals for furnishing drugs to the various city departments, from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, inclusive, were publicly opened and read in this office on February 17, 1955. Attached is tabulation of prices received.

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LEADING CITIZENS AND BUSINESSMEN RALLYING BEHIND MAYOR HYNES TO PURCHASE FAMOUS "WASHINGTON" PAINTING TO MAKE IT PERMANENT POSSESSION OF CITY.

Business and civic leaders are rapidly rallying behind Mayor John B. Hynes in his effort to raise the $7,500 needed to purchase the rare "Washington at Dorchester Heights" painting as an art treasure for the City of Boston.

The picture which was done by Emmanuel Leutze, noted the world over for his famous conception of "Washington Crossing the Delaware," is now on exhibition at the Tremont Street Branch of the Boston Five Cents Savings Bank.

Twenty-five leaders who have agreed already to serve on the "Washington at Dorchester Heights" Committee and to each raise $100 toward paying for the painting are: L. F. Whittemore, Walter E. Borden, A. W. Kimball, Daniel Bloomfield, Thomas Temple Pond, Ralph Lowell, Richard I. Goodrich, Adrian O'Keeffe, Michael T. Kelleher, Nelson W. Aldrich, Sherman L. Whipple, W. Nelson Bump, Joseph W. Lund, Attorney Daniel J. Lyne, George Hansen, F. Frank Voren-

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FOUR MEMBERS OF BOSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT HAVE BEEN CITED FOR HEROISM IN 1954 BY DEPARTMENT'S BOARD OF MERIT—RISKED LIVES TO SAVE OTHERS DURING BATTLES TO SAVE PROPERTY AND LIVES—BRAVED FLAMES AND SMOKE TO RESCUE TRAPPED VICTIMS.

Four members of the Boston Fire Department have been cited for awards for heroic efforts during the year 1954 by the Board of Merit of the department. Those so cited were Lieut. Andrew J. Canning of Engine Company 46 and Ladderman John C. Murphy of Ladder Company 14, in one citation; Ladderman Harry E. Bryant of Ladder Company 22; and Ladderman Joseph F. Hoar of Ladder Company 4. The names of the first two cited have been placed on the "Roll of Merit"; Ladderman Bryant has been awarded the "Walter Scott Medal"; and Ladderman Joseph F. Hoar has been awarded the "Patrick J. Kennedy Medal." The Board of Merit consists of the Chief of Department, assistant chiefs, and the deputy chiefs.

The citations were made known in General Order No. 20, issued on Monday, April 18, which read as follows:

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

General Order No. 20.

I. BOARD OF MERIT.

The Board of Merit of the Boston Fire Department, consisting of the Chief of Department, assistant chiefs of department, and deputy chiefs, has considered all meritorious acts referred to it for the year 1954. After careful consideration and study, the Board submitted the following recommendations, which are hereby approved by the Fire Commissioner:

Case of Lieut. ANDREW J. CANNING of Engine Company 46 (formerly assigned to Engine Company 34) and Ladderman JOHN C. MURPHY of Ladder Company 14.

The department responded to an alarm from Box 5121 at 6.55 P.M., followed by a second alarm at 7.02 P.M., on January 23, 1954. The fire was in a five-story apartment house at 1139–41 Commonwealth avenue, Allston.

Upon arrival of members of the department, it was found that two elderly women were trapped on the fifth floor. They apparently were about to jump from a window. Lieutenant Canning and Ladderman Murphy raised a 50-foot ladder, with assistance, to the window. The butt of the ladder was resting on an icy sidewalk, and it rose almost perpendicularly to the fifth-floor window, barely reaching said window. It was not possible to dog the ladder. Fire and smoke were issuing through the fourth-floor window directly underneath the apartment where the women were trapped. Disregarding its precarious position, Lieutenant Canning and Ladderman Murphy ascended the ladder to the fifth floor, reached the women, and assisted them over the ladder to the street. Shortly after the removal of the women, fire extended through the ceiling and windows into the fifth-floor apartment, consuming the entire contents.

Lieutenant Canning and Ladderman Murphy effected this rescue under very difficult conditions and exposed themselves to great personal risk in rescuing the women, who otherwise might have died in the fire. They were highly commended by the Fire Commissioner in General Order No. 8, series of 1954.

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"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean;
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
Nathan Haskell Dole.

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, April 25, at 2 P.M.

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Complaints, inquiries, or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the Complaints Division, Room 25, City Hall.

Information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways, the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments of streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped area for streets and the opening of private ways; the making of specific repairs in public streets; the naming of public streets, including the use of public ways for location of conduits, poles, and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railways, coal holes, and vaults, may be secured from the Public Improvement Commission, Room 403, City Hall Annex.

To the Boston Traffic Commission, 112 Southampton street, for information relative to regulation of vehicular street traffic on all or any streets, ways, highways, roads, and parkways under the control of the City of Boston, the issuing of all permits in connection therewith.

To the Commissioner of Public Works, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting, and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch basins, the operation of Sumner Tunnel, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges, and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

To the Health Department, Haymarket Square, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish, and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughterhouses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases, of public health nuisances.

To the Board of Park Commissioners, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth Avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park, and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts, also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview, and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

To the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

To the Department of School Buildings, 28 Norman street, for information as to the construction and repair of school of buildings.

To the Board of Examiners, Room 907, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal, or tearing down of buildings.

To the Electrical Inspection Division of the Building Department, 1001 City Hall Annex, for all information relative to the erection of poles, building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division; also for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings of the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

To the Board of Zoning Adjustment, 43 City Hall, relative to changes in the boundary lines of zoning districts of the City of Boston as established by chapter 488 of the Acts of 1924, and amendments thereto.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending April 16, 1955.

Population as of July, 1950, Massachusetts State Census, 817,713; population estimated July, 1954, United States Census Bureau, 810,633; number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 193; nonresidents, 62; total, 255.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 16.66; nonresidents deducted, 13.23.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:

Last week, 16.21; corresponding week last year, 14.92.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 13; one year to four years, inclusive, 5; sixty years and over, 175. Total deaths: Male, 148; female, 107; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 185.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

Diseases.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Apr. 16, 1955.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Apr. 17, 1954.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior Poliomyelitis	—	—	—	—
Diphtheria	2	—	—	—
Encephalitis Lethargica	—	—	—	—
Influenza	—	—	—	—
Measles	70	—	135	—
Meningitis Epidemic	—	—	2	—
Pneumonia (lobar)	—	2	—	2
Scarlet Fever	43	—	31	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary)	26	4	21	3
Childhood Type Tuberculosis	—	—	—	—
Tuberculosis (other forms)	—	—	2	1
Typhoid Fever	—	—	—	—
Whooping Cough	4	—	4	—

* Residents and nonresidents included.

FOUR MEMBERS OF BOSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT HONORED FOR HEROIC DEEDS.

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Because of their prompt action and great personal risk involved, the Board of Merit recommends that the names of Lieut. Andrew J. Canning and Ladderman John C. Murphy be placed on the "Roll of Merit."

Case of Ladderman HARRY E. BRYANT of Ladder Company 22.

On the night of November 18, 1954, a still alarm was received at 10.51 o'clock, followed by an alarm from Box 4173 at 10.52, and a second alarm at 10.56. Upon arrival of the department, it was found that fire had involved a three-story dwelling house at 8 Short Street court, Charlestown.

The members were informed that a young boy was trapped on the second floor. Capt. Walter W. Corwin of Engine Company 32 made a heroic attempt to reach the boy, but was cut off by fire in the stair well, receiving burns to his face and ears.

Meanwhile, Ladderman Harry E Bryant of Ladder Company 22 had gone over a ladder in the front of the building to a second-floor window, from which heavy black smoke was pouring, as the fire had originated in a portable oil heater. He entered the window and, without the benefit of a mask, after three attempts, made his way through the floor, which was filled with heat, smoke, and gases, and found the unconscious boy in a rear room. In spite of the very difficult conditions present, he managed to carry the boy from the room, down the stair well, to the street. Ladderman Bryant collapsed at this point from sheer exhaustion.

This prompt and courageous action on the part of Ladderman Bryant undoubtedly saved the life of the young boy.

He was highly commended by the Fire Commissioner in General Order No. 77, of the 1954 series.

Because of his prompt, courageous, and determined action, and the extreme personal risk involved, the Board of Merit recommends that Ladderman Harry E. Bryant be awarded the "Walter Scott Medal."

Case of Ladderman JOSEPH F. HOAR of Ladder Company 4.

An alarm was received from Box 2235 at 5.44 o'clock on the evening of Monday, December 27, 1954, for a fire in a three-family dwelling house at 3 Gay street, Roxbury.

Upon arrival of Ladder Company 4, they were informed that a man still remained in the house, being trapped in the kitchen that was located in the rear of the first floor.

Ladderman Hoar immediately entered the front door and encountered a hallway about twenty feet long, filled with smoke and heat. Paint on the entrance door and the wallpaper on both sides were blistered from the severe heat. Ladderman Hoar dropped to the floor, and with determined effort crawled along the hallway to the rear part of the house and entered the kitchen. Fire had entered the kitchen, and due to the intense heat and smoke he could not locate the victim, and called to him to cry out in order to indicate his presence. The man was conscious to the extent that he moaned, and Ladderman Hoar crawled over to the extreme right corner of the room and found the man. He dragged him across the floor to the hallway, where he was assisted by other members in removing him to the street. The victim, an elderly man of 75 years, was taken to the Boston City Hospital in a police ambulance.

This rescue was accomplished without a mask, and Ladderman Hoar suffered first-degree burns of the right wrist and second-degree burns to both knees. He was later treated at the Boston City Hospital for these injuries. He was highly commended by the Fire Commissioner in General Order No. 2, series of 1955, for his courageous action.

Because of his prompt action, and the extreme personal risk to which he exposed himself in effecting this rescue, the Board of Merit recommends that Ladderman Joseph F. Hoar be awarded the "Patrick J. Kennedy Medal."

By order of Fire Commissioner FRANCIS X. COTTER.

JOHN V. STAPLETON,
Chief of Department.

MANY CITIZENS OF BOSTON TO AID IN PURCHASE OF FAMOUS PAINTING.

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berg, O. Kelley Anderson, Michael Harney, J. Edward Downes, Jr., Forrester A. Clark, Joseph F. Ford, Dr. Thomas J. Giblin, Charles F. Adams, Jr., Former Governor James M. Curley, and A. William Rowe.

A number of the committee, says Chairman Thomas J. Carty, captain of the historic Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Massachusetts, have already sent in checks for $100 and the others have all indicated that they will do likewise. Public contributions, he says, should be sent to Treasurer J. Reed Morss, president of the Boston Five Cents Savings Bank, 30 School street. Checks should be made payable to the "Washington Committee."

CONTRACTS AWARDED FOR SUPPLYING DRUGS TO CITY DEPARTMENTS.

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Authority is requested to award contracts to the bidders as indicated on the accompanying tabulation. All rejected items will be purchased at a later date when and where acceptable items are available.

Agnes M. Goode, doing business as Good Drug Company, $24,337.70, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Pfizer Laboratories, Division Charles Pfizer & Co., Inc., $23,054, 2 per cent, 30 days.

Linus D. Drury Corporation, $21,010.33, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Fallon Pharmacy, Inc., $18,045, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Sharp & Dohme, Division of Merck & Co., Inc., $16,871.30, 2 per cent, 30 days.

Hoffman-LaRoche, Inc., $14,783.95, 2 per cent, tenth proximo, net, end of month.

Herbert J. McLellan, doing business as Clough & Shackley, $13,289, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Parke Davis & Co., $11,931.87, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Winthrop Stearns, Inc., $11,049.14, 2 per cent, time of payment.

U. S. Industrial Chemicals Company, $7,733.20, net, tenth proximo.

McKesson & Robbins, Inc., $6,284.97, 2 per cent, time of payment.

E. Fougera & Co., Inc., $6,060, net, 30 days.

Antoine A. Salloum, doing business as Sullivan's Pharmacy, $6,016.53, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Berry & Withington Company, $5,601.04, 1 per cent, 15 days, net, 30 days, except Item 296, which is net.

Panray Corporation, $5,525, 1 per cent, 10 days, net, 30 days.

Gilman Brothers, Inc., $5,234.40, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Ciba Pharmaceutical Products, Inc., $5,181.16, 1 per cent, 60 days, except Item 21, which is 2 per cent, 60 days.

Mallinckrodt Chemical Works, $4,976.93, net, 30 days.

E. R. Squibb & Sons, Division of Olin Mathieson Chemical Corporation, $4,546, 2 per cent, 30 days.

Organon, Inc., $4,400, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Burroughs Wellcome & Co., Inc., $3,556.46, 2 per cent, time of payment.

T. J. Noonan Company, $3,377.44, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Chester A. Baker Laboratories, Inc., $3,148, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Upjohn Company, $2,297, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Howe & French, Inc., $2,280.69, 2 per cent, time of payment, merchandise only. Drums and containers extra and returnable as indicated.

Mead Johnson & Co., $2,052.60, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Merck & Co., Inc., Chemical Division, $2,957.23, net, cash, 30 days.

Lakeside Laboratories, Inc., $1,620, 1 per cent, 15 days, after first statement.

Novocol Chemical Manufacturing Company, Inc., $1,613.25, 2 per cent, time of payment.

American Pharmaceutical Company, $1,370.47, 1 per cent, tenth proximo.

Cowley Pharmaceuticals, Inc., $904.90, 2 per cent, 15 days, net, 30 days.

Schering Corporation, $735.60, 1 per cent, 10 days, end of month, net, 30 days, end of month.

Standard Scientific Supply Corporation, $593.25, net, 30 days.

Sandoz Chemical Works, Inc., $518.50, 1 per cent, tenth proximo.

Endo Products, Inc., $336.75, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Hynson, Westcott, & Dunning, Inc., $255, 2 per cent, 10 days, net, 30 days.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

RECENT FEDERAL ACTIONS AFFECTING CITIES.

The Housing Act of 1949, approved on July 15, authorized a uniform 10 per cent payment to cities in lieu of taxes on housing projects, but the independent offices appropriation bill passed on August 15 contains a provision that for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1950, only payments provided for in the original contract between the housing authority and the city are authorized for federal reimbursement.

Federal aid for hospital construction has been approved for nearly 800 projects; more than 600 are general hospitals and the great majority are in towns of under 10,000 population.

ONE HUNDRED PER CENT INCREASE IN COMPETITIVE AIRLINE SERVICE BETWEEN BOSTON AND MIAMI BY 1960 PREDICTED AT MEETING, AFTER EXHIBIT FILED BY MAYOR HYNES WITH AIR BOARD IN WASHINGTON.

Competitive airline service will produce almost a 100 per cent increase in air travel between Boston and Miami by 1960, it is predicted in an 85-page exhibit filed jointly by the city and the Greater Boston Chamber of Commerce with the Civil Aeronautics Board in Washington, D. C.

Mayor John B. Hynes and Chamber President Donald J. Hurley made this prediction and others public at a meeting held in the Mayor's office, on Thursday, April 21.

The Boston exhibit was prepared in the city's law department under the direction of William L. Baxter, Corporation Counsel, with the assistance of Francis T. Fox, of Worcester, aviation consultant. The exhibit seeks to prove the need for competitive airline service between Boston and the Middle Atlantic and South Atlantic states, now served exclusively by Eastern Airlines.

In a special message accompanying the city's exhibit, Mayor Hynes urged the Civil Aeronautics Board to give consideration to Northeast Airlines' application in the proceeding as something "important to the economy of Boston."

In the exhibit's chapter on community of interest factors, it is shown that 78.7 per cent of all visitors to New England originate in the Middle Atlantic and South Atlantic regions.

More than 100 civic interveners are expected to file exhibits in the New York-Florida route proceeding. The next step in the hearing case is for interveners to exchange rebuttal exhibits. The case then goes to public hearing before a specially-appointed CAB examiner.

A large number of airlines are competing for certification to serve the route, including Colonial Airlines, Braniff Airways, Capitol Airlines, Delta Airlines, North American Airlines, Peninsular Air Transport, Resort Airlines, Riddle Airlines, Pan-American World Airways, and others.

WALL CONSTRUCTION IN WESTGLOW STREET.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the taking of easements for highway purposes, including the right to construct a wall at the easterly end of Westglow street, Dorchester district, bounded and described as follows:

An easement for highway purposes, including the right to construct a retaining wall on the easterly end of Westglow street, is hereby taken.

Said easement is taken in the following described lands, exclusive of trees or structures standing upon or affixed thereto:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to the Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston (St. Ann's Church), bounded:

Westerly by three measurements, by land supposed to belong to Irene E. Benson, nineteen feet; again westerly by the easterly line of Westglow street, forty and 10-100 feet; again westerly by land supposed to belong to Edward P. Dwyer *et al.*, ten and 90-100 feet; northerly by other land supposed to belong to said Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston, eight feet; easterly by other land supposed to belong to said Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston, seventy feet; and southerly by other land supposed to belong to said Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston, eight feet; containing five hundred sixty square feet, more or less.

Trees or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforedescribed land shall be removed therefrom within thirty days, following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said lands for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Voted, That this commission determines that the undermentioned person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of an easement for highway purposes, including the construction of a wall, at the easterly end of Westglow street, Dorchester district, under the order of the commission of April 13, 1955, in the amount hereinafter set against it; and awards said amount therefor.

The Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston, 560 square feet, $1.

LAYING OUT OF FARGO STREET, SOUTH BOSTON.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the laying out (without construction) of Fargo street, South Boston district, as a public highway, from E street to Summer street, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named Fargo street is hereby laid out as a public highway, from E street to Summer street (without construction).

Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees or structures standing upon or affixed thereto, in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

Northwesterly by E street, eighty-one and 11-100 feet; northerly by the northerly line of Fargo street as hereby laid out, four hundred five and 92-100 feet; northeasterly by Summer street, eighty-nine and 17-100 feet; and southerly by the southerly line of said Fargo street as hereby laid out, five hundred twenty-six and 46-100 feet.

No betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the laying out (without construction) of Fargo street, South Boston district, as a highway, from E street to Summer street, under the order of this commission of April 13, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

LAUNDRY MANAGER, LONG ISLAND DIVISION, BOSTON HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, JUNE 18, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Tuesday, May 31, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $73 a week; the maximum salary is $90.50 a week.

Vacancies: At present there is one vacancy for a male.

Duties: Under the direct supervision of the Superintendent of the Long Island Division, to have full charge of the laundry and associated departments (ironing room, sewing room, and sorting room); to recommend the manufacture of new materials by the sewing room and to supervise the making of sheets, towels, pillowcases, uniforms, and similar items in order to facilitate more efficient laundry service; and to perform related work as required.

The following are required: Knowledge of laundry formulas, proper methods of laundering, the making of hospital linens, and the operation and maintenance of the equipment used in the work; ability to supervise all activities.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

WOOING FRINGE LOT PARKING PATRONS NOT EASY.

Enticing motoring commuters into fringe parking lots can be a difficult courtship. Recent experience in Washington, Baltimore, Cleveland, and St. Louis indicates that success cannot be achieved unless there is provided an attractive parking-transit fee, frequent bus service between the lot and central business district, and easy approaches to the lot. St. Louis offers a 5 to 7½ minute bus service, no parking fee, and a special 35-cent round-trip fare. Patronage of the 600-car lot is increasing, but a profitable operation has not yet been achieved. However, a survey of 500 of the lot's patrons showed 72 per cent rate the service as "excellent." Three out of four said they arrived closer to their downtown destinations than when they drove in. Private lots in downtown Cleveland are now getting short-term parkers—which produces more revenue for the operator than all-day parkers. In Baltimore the consensus is that fringe parking now "does not work".

Another necessity for cities planning fringe parking lots is the provision of convenient shelters to protect patrons from inclement weather. — *American Municipal Association Report.*

IMPORTANCE OF FOOD-BORNE DISEASE.

The relationship of food to disease continues to be an important public health program. The United States Public Health Service reported 327 outbreaks of food-borne disease in the United States in 1948, which resulted in 9,962 cases and 17 deaths. As only one out of ten cases of food-borne disease is ever reported, the resulting situation is far more important than available statistics would indicate.

The United States Public Health Service reports that there occurred in the United States in 1948, 30 cases and 6 deaths resulting from botulism; 74 cases and 1 death resulting from chemical food poisoning; 120 cases of dysentery; 8,832 cases and 7 deaths resulting from food infection and gastroenteritis; 270 cases of scarlet fever.

—*Health Department Report.*

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Permission has been given to change the salary of John T. Driscoll, permanent assistant assessor (part time), from $263.18 to $284.93 a month.

Willard F. O'Brien, 47 Eliot street, Jamaica Plain, has been appointed assistant assessor (part time) at $295.80 a month.

John J. Riley, Jr., 270 Parker Hill avenue, Roxbury, has been appointed assistant assessor (part time) at $263.18 a month.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Howard T. Chase, 59 Rexford street, Mattapan, lieutenant, has been retired at an annual pension of $3,293.33.

Patrick J. Mahoney, 38 Glide street, Dorchester, captain, has been retired at an annual pension of $3,746.67.

Miles V. Murphy, 98 Morton street, Jamaica Plain, district chief, has been retired at an annual pension of $4,440.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

MUNICIPAL COURT, SOUTH BOSTON DISTRICT.

Permission has been given to increase the salary of Michael O'Donnell, principal clerk in the Clerk's office, from $142.46 to $147.90 semimonthly.

Permission has been given to increase the salary of Ralph F. Clougherty, second assistant clerk in the Clerk's office, from $166.39 to $174 semimonthly.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following appointments:

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Judith A. Martin, 205 Newbury street, clerk and stenographer, $43 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Long Island Division.

Lydia J. Sullivan, 5 Newhall street, Dorchester, telephone operator, $55.50 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Lewis P. Webber, 36 Fairfield street, caddy master, $53 a week.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

House of Correction.

Herman W. Benson, 68 St. Andrew road, East Boston, correction officer, $63 a week.

Paul Flynn, 230 Waldemar avenue, East Boston, correction officer, $63 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following appointments or reinstatements:

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Josephine M. Kaup, 19 Druid street, Dorchester, telephone operator, $68 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

John Hughes, 11 Saranac street, Dorchester, first-class steam fireman, $65.50 a week.

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING APRIL 19.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
L. Spang	92 Alban street	17	Alterations, dwelling	$565
Rothenberg & Forman	535 Albany street	8	Sign, manufacturing, restaurant, dwelling	95
John Anderson	12 Alcott street	22	Alterations, dwelling	350
E. W. Peak	35 Ansonia road	20	Alterations, dwelling	300
George Slater	7 Arcadia street	15	Alterations, dwelling	120
Owen Oakes	315 Belgrade avenue	20	Sign, store	35
Walter Werner	31 Bexley road	19	Alterations, dwelling	425
Rose Weinberger	1039 Blue Hill avenue	14	Alterations, dwelling	400
Regis Development Corporation.	1531 Blue Hill avenue	18	Excavation	1,000
Concetta Fashman	235 Boston street	7	Alterations, dwelling	150
Adelbert Fulega	62 Bradwood street	20	Alterations, dwelling	150
Thomas Naymie	120 Broadway	5	Fire escape, restaurant, stores	250
A. Rubenstein	19 Brunswick street	12	Alterations, dwelling	390
Louis A. Gallo *et al*	18 Cambridge street	3	Sign, restaurant	500
New England Service Corporation.	267 Cambridge street	22	Alterations, warehouse	1,500
Congregation of the Sisters of St. Joseph.	615 Cambridge street	21	Alterations, convent	1,200
Lee Development Corporation	1970 and 1972 Centre street	20	Take-down, dwelling	500
Salvatore Salerno	1 Charter street	3	Fire escape, dwelling	130
Mr. Pileo	5 Charter street	3	Fire escape, dwelling	130
Sarkis Hotonian	1137 Columbus avenue	9	Sign, store, hall	75
Edward V. Post Estate	440 Commercial street	3	Alterations, garage	1,940
Mary Mahoney	43 Congreve street	20	Alterations, dwelling	520
George A. Coyle	50 Corona street	15	Alterations, dwelling	200
Navy Post, VFW	978 Dorchester avenue	13	Alterations, hall, dwelling	350
Arthur and David Pitnof	1377 and 1379 Dorchester avenue.	15	Excavation	100
T. G. Buckley	690 Dudley street	7	Alterations, storage	990
Joseph Murphy	24 Dunwell street	20	Alterations, dwelling	425
Electric Sales	50–58 Eastern avenue	3	Sign, storage, office	200
S. Dunleavy	77 Englewood avenue	21	Fire escape, nursing home	500
Consolidated Properties Corp.	25 Faneuil Hall square	3	Sign, offices	1,200
Irving Solfson	238 Faneuil street	22	Alterations, stores	400
Philip Polins	14 Farwell avenue	18	Excavation	100
Randall Realty	45 Fellows street	8	Excavation	10,000
Maria DiMattia	43 Florence street	19	Alterations, dwelling	375
Frank Conway	34 Garden road	20	Alterations, garage	750
Eva Bryant	33 Grayson street	16	Alterations, dwelling	400
Michael Lembo	13 Havre street	1	Fire escape, dwelling	350
Sanford Kaiser	128 Hazleton street	14	Alterations, dwelling	390
Bertha Powell	52 Hecla street	15	Alterations, dwelling	254
Stanley Coccia	14 Heron street	20	Alterations, dwelling	700
Herman Rhett	149 Howard avenue	13	Alterations, dwelling	995
Nordblom Realty	391 Huntington avenue	4	Sign, store, dwelling	100
H. W. Savage	1076 Hyde Park avenue	18	Sign, shop	80
Mary Carleton	190 I Street	7	Fire escape, dwelling	80
Patrick Kelly	192 I street	7	Fire escape, dwelling	80
C. W. Whittier, Agent	74 India street	3	Alterations, office, shop	300
American Sugar Company	13–37 India Wharf	3	Take-down, sheds	11,000
Frank J. Finegan	47 Lasell street	20	Alterations, dwelling	295
Carl Anderson	29 Lexington avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	375
J. Wasserman	191 Marlborough street	5	Alterations, dwelling	300
Mabel Kelley	63 Marshfield street	8	Fire escape, dwelling	400
M. Bottoro	377 Maverick street	1	Alterations, dwelling	850
W. H. O'Brien	33 Mead street	2	Alterations, dwelling	295
Michael Nassif	2A Milford street	5	Fire repair, dwelling	450
Julia and Joseph Brignoli	8 Mitchell street	7	Fire repair, dwelling	950
S. P. Scarotto	88 Montview street	20	Alterations, dwelling	200
Al Darmetko	44 Mt. Everett street	15	Fire escape, dwelling	300
H. Chatman	28 Murray Hill road	20	Alterations, dwelling	320
Edward Akickie	54 New Haven street	20	Alterations, dwelling	300
Commonwealth of Mass.	212–234 Northern avenue	6	Alterations, fish packing	2,000
Francis X. Ahearn	28 Oakland street	22	Excavation	300
St. Andrews Ukrainian Church	30 Orchardhill road	19	Take-down, nurses' home	475
Frank Giordano	52 Penfield street	20	Alterations, dwelling	480
S. Gottschalk	218 Roslindale avenue	20	Alterations, dwelling	340
George Kelly	37 Snow street	22	Alterations, dwelling	600
Merchants National Bank	30 State street	3	Alterations, bank, office	390
Leo DeBoce	371 Sumner street	1	Alterations, store, dwelling	80
Loren and Esther Levin	50 Symphony road	4	Alterations, dwelling	50
A. Fazio	77 Trenton street	1	Alterations, dwelling	900
Wilfred Scott	178 Townsend street	12	Alterations, dwelling	200
Aaron Shindler	26 Warren street	8	Sign, bowling, stores	100
Hawes Estate	1915 Washington street	9	Sign, restaurant, dwelling	95
Lucia Centola	Rear 77-78 Waverly street	21	Take-down, dwelling	50
S. Symanski	10 Wendeller street	7	Alterations, dwelling	600
Placide Arena	106 Westville street	15	Alterations, dwelling	140
Frank Conway	7 Willowdean aveuue	20	Alterations, dwelling	350

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING APRIL 19.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
P. Kennedy	24 Holyoke street	4	Connecting range	$35
L. Luxton	125 Homes avenue	15	Connecting heater	35
L. Trehub	59 Lithgow street	16	Connecting heater	35
M. Woods	40 Magdala street	16	Connecting range	40
J. H. Vogel	691 Massachusetts avenue	8	Connecting range	35
F. Avery	109 McBride street	11	Connecting range	25
G. Trethewey	33 Mendum street	20	Connecting heater	240
S. Chipman	194 Northampton street	9	Connecting range	35
D. O'Neill	13 Orchard street	19	Connecting range	45
P. Kennedy	11A Shafter street	14	Connecting range	250
F. Avery	42 Southbourne road	19	Connecting range	10
G. Vallati	12 Stockton street	17	Connecting range	300
S. Litman	433 Warren street	12	Connecting range	55
A. Cohen	897 Washington street	3	Connecting range	50
A. Cohen	897 Washington street	3	Connecting range	40
P. Kennedy	49 West Dedham street	9	Connecting range	40
C. Bevelander	32 Blaine avenue	22	Connecting range	25
L. Blakeney	27 Caspar street	20	Connecting range	35
G. Donohue	204 Gladstone street	1	Connecting range	40
A. Onessima	10 Glover court	6	Connecting range	45
N. Ruhin	22 Greenville street	8	Connecting range	500
B. Weiner	41 Hammond street	9	Connecting range	40
T. Matthews	115 Hemenway street	4	Connecting range	35
T. Matthews	119 Hemenway street	4	Connecting range	50
C. Hutchinson	43 Hollywood street	20	Connecting range	300
D. Palmariello	301 North street	3	Connecting range	75
J. Tierney	4 Oakdale square	19	Connecting range	350
F. Smith	49 Poplar street	3	Connecting range	50
D. Horgan	43 Tremlett street	17	Connecting range	40
M. Sample	89 Brent street	17	Connecting range	150
S. Pryor	198 Bunker Hill street	2	Connecting heater	95
S. Litman	89 Callender street	14	Connecting range	35
C. McGregor	356 Chestnut Hill avenue	21	Connecting heater	35
M. Katz	17 Edinboro' street	3	Connecting range	100
N. Clark	118 Ellington street	14	Connecting range	40
J. Wirth, Jr.	7 Gifford place	7	Connecting range	65
E. Kelly	32 Goethe street	20	Connecting range	15
E. Kelly	35 Hastings street	20	Connecting range	30
F. Carlson	10 Humboldt park	12	Connecting range	20
J. Wilson	47 Mead street	2	Connecting range	35
E. Kelly	9 Mendum street	20	Connecting range	45
M. Eskowitz	72 Mountain avenue	14	Connecting range	15
W. Roche	75 North Beacon street	21	Connecting range	50
T. Matthews	17 Ocean street	17	Connecting range	45
E. Kelly	968 South street	20	Connecting range	35
E. Kelly	26 Wayburn road	19	Connecting range	25
B. Carlin	25 Belvidere street	4	Connecting range	30
J. Curran	113 Cambridge street	2	Connecting range	35
W. Connell	56 Chickatawbut street	16	Connecting range	400
N. Clark	123 Dana avenue	18	Connecting range	45
S. Stephens	789 East Third street		Connecting range	30
W. Foster	45 Ellison avenue	17	Connecting heater	800
R. Strum	55A Elm Hill avenue	12	Connecting range	90
G. Trethewey	25 Fairview street	20	Connecting range	350
G. Trethewey	5 Fawndale road	18	Connecting heater	170
E. Pasecuci	74 Frankfort street	1	Connecting range	10
P. Ferris	19 Gainsborough street	4	Connecting range	75
E. Pasecuci	57 Havre street	1	Connecting range	35
S. Londan	21 Hemenway street	4	Connecting range	20
E. Pasecuci	16 Hemenway street	1	Connecting range	25
D. Krieger	7 Holden street	7	Connecting heater	35
A. Granara	90 Hudson street	3	Connecting heater	40
M. Slishman	634 Hyde Park avenue	18	Connecting range	35
S. Pryor	23 Monument street	2	Connecting range	40
R. Strum	10 Moultrie street	17	Connecting heater	185
W. Connell	31 North Munroe terrace	16	Connecting heater	75
D. Krieger	43 Pinckney street	5	Connecting heater	50
E. Pasecuci	109 Putnam street	1	Connecting range	40
D. Krieger	170 Quincy street	12	Connecting heater	40
G. Trethewey	218 Roslindale avenue	20	Connecting range	35
J. Sullivan	9 St. Margaret street	7	Connecting range	300
Wm. Connell	7 Waehusett street	19	Connecting heater	300
G. Franco	5 Wayland street	13	Connecting range	30
Wm. Connell	24 Withington street	17	Connecting heater	45
J. Amico	110 Bedford street	3	Connecting range	40
H. Lappin	853 Albany street	8	Connecting range	1,500
J. Flynn	49 Alpha road	17	Connecting heater	125
Wm. Hogan	274 Beacon street	5	Connecting range	150
D. Gould	8 Bradford street	3	Connecting range	30
H. Lappin	6 Charlesgate West	5	Connecting heater	150
R. Simon	103 Charter street	3	Connecting range	50
H. Geddis	140 Fenway	4	Connecting heater	150
J. Flynn	66 Floyd street	14	Connecting range	15
N. Deutsch	6 Ford street	1	Connecting range	30
H. McMahon	26 Forest street	18	Connecting range	10
J. Flynn	9 Glen street	15	Connecting range	45
J. Flynn	10 Groom street	7	Connecting range	55
H. Geddis	30 Hemenway street	4	Connecting range	15
F. Deltuso	6 Jarvis place	8	Connecting range	75
J. Flynn	29 Mather street	17	Connecting range	75
N. Deutsch	3 Monmouth street	1	Connecting range	55
H. Geddis	69 Munroe street	12	Connecting range	40
S. Sawtelle	125 Neponset avenue	16	Connecting range	250
J. Flynn	22 Pleasant street	13	Connecting range	50
N. Deutsch	358 Princeton street	1	Connecting range	30
H. Geddis	35 Queensberry street	4	Connecting range	30
J. Flynn	11 Rowell street	13	Connecting heater	60
H. Geddis	87 St. Stephen street	4	Connecting range	45
J. Flynn	164 Savannah avenue	18	Connecting range	65
E. Healy	106 Sawyer avenue	13	Connecting heater	250
D. Gould	50 Sherman street	11	Connecting range	55
H. McMahon	30 Thompson street	18	Connecting range	45
H. McMahon	32 Thompson street	18	Connecting range	150
F. Carlson	1595 Tremont street	10	Connecting range	50
M. Loiterstein	796 Truman Highway	18	Connecting heater	40
J. Flynn	1027 Washington street	17	Connecting heater	50
N. Deutsch	44 White street	1	Connecting range	50

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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Mary Mehegan, 10 Worcester square, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Eleanor C. Marchand, 15 Mallon road, Dorchester, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Edward N. Shaheen, 198 Durnell avenue, Roslindale, hospital house worker, $45.50 a week.

William B. Kelley, 6 Derne street, social worker, $65.50 a week.

Eileen MacEachern, 3 Oakley street, Dorchester, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Jane Kenneally, 699 East Sixth street, South Boston, clerk and stenographer, $43 a week.

Welfare Department.

Central Office.

Kathleen Rorie, 1 Ditmus court, Roxbury, clerk and typist, $45.50 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following promotions:

Administrative Services Department.

Purchasing Division.

Helen R. Roth, 6 Eldora street, Roxbury, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior clerk and typist (temporary) at $55.50 a week.

Susan H. Pucillo, 18 Ashley street, East Boston, from clerk and typist at $51.03 a week to senior clerk and typist (temporary) at $55.50 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following changes in status:

Administrative Services Department.

Budget Division.

John L. Glynn, 77 Hampstead road, Jamaica Plain, from principal account examiner at $87 a week to senior budget analyst (temporary) at $98.75 a week.

John T. Leonard, 63 Whitten street, Dorchester, from principal account examiner at $90.50 a week to senior budget analyst (temporary) at $103.50 a week.

Auditing Department.

Cosimo J. Vacca, 34 Dennis street, Roxbury, from clerk at $50.50 a week to senior account clerk (temporary, six months) at $55.50 a week.

Frederick L. Marshall, 75 Crane street, Dedham, from senior accounting machine operator at $63 a week to principal clerk (temporary, six months) at $65.50 a week.

Irving Siegfriedt, 18 Melvin avenue, Brighton, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior account clerk (temporary, six months) at $55.50 a week.

Building Department.

Joseph M. Dalton, 68 White street, East Boston, from egress inspector at $76.50 a week to egress zoning inspector at $76.50 a week.

John T. Coakley, 510 East Sixth street, South Boston, from egress inspector at $73 a week to egress zoning inspector at $73 a week.

James L. Stanton, 19 Patterson Way, South Boston, from egress inspector, at $73 a week to egress zoning inspector at $73 a week.

John W. Doran, 465 East Sixth street, South Boston, from egress inspector at $73 a week to egress zoning inspector at $73 a week.

Arthur J. Driscoll, 153 Beacon street, from egress inspector at $73 a week to egress zoning inspector at $73 a week.

Joseph P. Fitzpatrick, 35 Banfield avenue, Dorchester, from egress inspector at $73 a week to egress zoning inspector at $73 a week.

James J. Murphy, Jr., 21 Roseclair street, Dorchester, from egress inspector at $73 a week to egress zoning inspector at $73 a week.

Arthur J. Reardon, 7 Dorset street, South Boston, from egress inspector at $73 a week to egress zoning inspector at $73 a week.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Eugene J. O'Gara, 34 McNulty court, Charlestown, from sign painter at $68 a week to working foreman sign painter at $70.50 a week.

Harry E. Bryant, 6 Lawnwood place, Charlestown, from fire fighter at $79.69 a week to fire fighter (Medal) at $80.17 a week.

Joseph F. Hoar, 70 Roseclair street, Dorchester, from fire fighter at $74.71 a week to fire fighter (Medal) at $75.19 a week.

Peter F. Connolly, 364 E street, South Boston, from carpenter and laddermaker at $72.12 a week to carpenter foreman at $73 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Matthew J. Mullaney, 28A West Cottage street, Dorchester, from senior clerk at $63 a week to senior settlement investigator (temporary) at $68 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Blanche M. Bonneau, 408 Marlborough street, from floor nurse at $68 a week to head nurse at $70.50 a week.

Maye M. Kozelsky, 195 Park Drive, from floor nurse at $68 a week to head nurse at $70.50 a week.

Long Island Division.

Francis J. Berg, Long Island Hospital, from chief power plant engineer at $98.75 a week to chief power plant engineer at $108.25 a week.

James J. Browne, Long Island Hospital, from steam fireman at $60.50 a week to steam fireman at $65.50 a week.

James Lovett, 88 Rossmore road, Jamaica Plain, from steam fireman at $60.50 a week to steam fireman at $65.50 a week.

Stephen M. O'Connell, 96 Appleton street, from second-class stationary engineer at $76.50 a week to second-class stationary engineer at $83.50 a week.

Joseph W. Bellew, 21 City View road, Brighton, from steam fireman at $68 a week to steam fireman at $73 a week.

William F. Donnelly, 178 Boylston street, Jamaica Plain, from steam fireman at $68 a week to steam fireman at $73 a week.

Patrick J. Harrington, 7 Asylum street, from steam fireman at $68 a week to steam fireman at $73 a week.

William J. Farrell, 9 Thelma road, Dorchester, from steam fireman at $68 a week to steam fireman at $73 a week.

William N. McCluskey, Long Island Hospital, from second-class stationary engineer at $76.50 a week to second-class stationary engineer at $83.50 a week.

James P. Carey, Long Island Hospital, from second-class stationary engineer at $76.50 a week to second-class stationary engineer at $83.50 a week.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM PLUMBING FOR THE WEEK ENDING APRIL 19.

Plumber.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
M. Wallen	40 Como road	18	Fixtures	$850
D. Weinberg	270 Hanover street	3	Fixtures	900
G. Schultz	18 Telegraph street	7	Fixtures	300
Wm. Long	5 Cambridge terrace	21	Fixtures	275
R. Carr	38 Chambers street	3	Fixtures	500
C. Rose	169 Commonwealth avenue	5	Fixtures	400
B. Clancy	528 Commonwealth avenue	5	Fixtures	250
H. Goldberg	592 Metropolitan avenue	18	Fixtures	300
R. Strum	10 Moultrie street	17	Fixtures	185
C. Rose	75 North Beacon street	21	Fixtures	150
C. Rose	75 North Beacon street	21	Fixtures	35
D. Yorks	177 Perham street	20	Fixtures	500
E. Kelly	968 South street	20	Fixtures	150
E. Kelly	26 Wayburn road	19	Fixtures	30
P. Connell	30 Atwill road	20	Fixtures	800
P. Connell	34 Atwill road	20	Fixtures	800
P. Connell	40 Atwill road	20	Fixtures	800
P. Connell	44 Atwill road	20	Fixtures	800
H. Ribeck	23 Bernard street	14	Fixtures	375
G. Hall	46 Colonial avenue	17	Fixtures	425
S. Londau	72 Commonwealth avenue	5	Fixtures	700
H. Ribeck	9 Eastland road	19	Fixtures	250
L. Marchant	10 Fairfield street	5	Fixtures	1,200
G. Trethewey	25 Fairview street	20	Fixtures	150
G. Trethewey	8 Fawndale road	18	Fixtures	170
H. Ribeck	7 Holden street	7	Fixtures	700
A. Granara	90 Hudson street	3	Fixtures	50
R. Libby	86 Johnson street	20	Fixtures	700
H. Ribeck	170 Quincy street	12	Fixtures	250
G. Trethewey	2 Rosemere court	19	Fixtures	300
C. Boates	630 Washington street	3	Fixtures	150
H. Ribeck	4 Wentworth street	17	Fixtures	350
G. Vallati	54 Bailey street	17	Fixtures	150
H. Lappin	6 Charlesgate West	5	Fixtures	4,000
H. Geddis	140 Fenway	4	Fixtures	3,300
H. McMahon	16 Forest street	18	Fixtures	975
H. McMahon	26 Forest street	18	Fixtures	150
M. Pass	153 Kneeland street	3	Fixtures	800
Wm. Hogan	43 Parker Hill avenue	10	Fixtures	300
E. Healey	106 Sawyer avenue	13	Fixtures	650
H. McMahon	30 Thompson street	18	Fixtures	650
H. McMahon	32 Thompson street	18	Fixtures	650

Robert C. Hennessey, 6 State road, Revere, from second-class stationary engineer at $68 a week to second-class stationary engineer at $73 a week.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Workmen's Compensation Service.

Helen T. Hallisey, 18 Charme avenue, Roslindale, from senior clerk and stenographer (temporary) at $58 a week to senior clerk and stenographer (permanent) at $58 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Bridge Division.

Lawrence J. Flaherty, 100 Kenrick street, Brighton, from assistant drawtender at $63 a week to first assistant drawtender (temporary) at $65.50 a week.

Lawrence O. Cunningham, 9 Mt. Pleasant avenue, Roxbury, from assistant drawtender at $63 a week to first assistant drawtender (temporary) at $65.50 a week.

Highway Division.

Arthur J. Kiley, 29 Falkland terrace, Brighton, from permit supervisor (street openings) (temporary) at $90.50 a week to permit supervisor (street openings) at $90.50 a week.

Sanitary Division.

Joseph P. Sances, 166 Monticello avenue, Dorchester, from senior account clerk (temporary) at $58 a week to senior account clerk at $58 a week.

Sewer Division.

Francis L. McNally, 198 E street, South Boston, from laborer at $58 a week to motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week.

Survey Division.

John W. O'Brien, 191 Milton street, Dorchester, from senior engineering aid (pending examination) at $65.50 a week to senior engineering aid at $65.50 a week.

John L. Galvin, 574 Newbury street, from senior engineering aid (pending examination) at $68 a week to senior engineering aid at $68 a week.

Kenneth E. Benkart, Western avenue, North Easton, from senior engineering aid (pending examination) at $65.50 a week to senior engineering aid at $65.50 a week.

Michael J. Corrao, 8 Moon street, from head clerk at $87 a week to assistant executive secretary (temporary) at $103.50 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Doris Burke, 211 Hancock street, Dorchester, from social work supervisor at $83.50 a week to principal social work supervisor (temporary transfer) at $90.50 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following transfers:

CITY PLANNING BOARD.

Gladys P. Lyons, 76 Chester street, Arlington, from City Planning Board (Cambridge) as senior planner at $370.83 a month to City Planning Board (Boston) as senior planner (permanent) at $90.50 a week.

Gladys P. Lyons, 76 Chester street, Arlington, from City Planning Board as senior planner (permanent) at $90.50 a week to City Planning Board as prin-

cipal planner (temporary), Rezoning Division, at $108.25 a week.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Cornelius D. Driscoll, 116 Maple street, West Roxbury, from Building Department as welding inspector at $76.50 a week to Department of School Buildings as welding inspector at $76.50 a week.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Catherine Boodro, 1623 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, from Library Department as cleaner at $53 a week to Fire Department as custodial worker (janitress) at $53 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Edith E. Graham, 26 Drayton avenue, Dorchester, from Metropolitan District Commission as cleaner at $2,220 a year to Parks and Recreation Department as matron at $43 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Robert F. Barnes, 48 Idlewell street, Weymouth, from Public Works Department (Highway Division) as motor equipment operator and laborer at $63 a week to Public Works Department (Automotive Division) as garage attendant at $63 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following leaves of absence:

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Highway Division.

Charles J. McEachern, 446 Dudley street, Roxbury, senior clerk and stenographer, $63 a week.

James M. Cavanaugh, 103 Colberg avenue, Roslindale, senior engineering aid, $60.50 a week.

STEP-RATE INCREASES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved step-rate increases for employees of the following departments:

BOSTON RETIREMENT BOARD.

Joseph J. Grifone, senior accounting machine operator (now temporary senior account clerk), from $55.50 to $60.50 a week.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

David Mathoff, senior construction engineer, from $522.01 to $532.88 a month.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Florence G. Ochs, hospital medical worker, from $45.50 to $50.50 a week.

Florence G. Ochs, laboratory assistant, temporary, from $48 to $53 a week.

Edith A. Ali, laboratory assistant, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Edith A. Ali, laboratory technician, temporary, from $57.58 to $60.50 a week.

Helen O'Neill, assistant record librarian, from $93.19 to $98.75 a week.

Margaret Lawless, medical record librarian, from $98.75 to $108.25 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Sewer Division.

Carl H. Anderson, sewer cleaner, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Thomas H. Byron, laborer, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

Robert L. Chaput, senior engineering aid, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Arthur W. Holland, sewer construction inspector, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

James A. Kingston, laborer, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Francis H. O'Rourke, senior engineering aid, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Gerald R. Riley, senior engineering aid, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Joseph F. Zamani, bricklayer, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Thomas H. Byron, temporary laborer, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Survey Division.

Kenneth L. Benkart, senior engineering aid, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

John W. O'Brien, senior engineering aid, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Frederick J. Milliken, Jr., senior engineering aid (draftsman), from $65.50 to $68 a week.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

COURT HOUSE COMMISSION.

Thomas J. Fitzgerald, steam fireman, from $65.67 to $68 a week.

Margaret J. McGlone, cleaner, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Carrie E. Partington, cleaner, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

BOSTON JUVENILE COURT.

Arthur C. O'Leary, principal clerk, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

Michael L. Kinsella, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

SUPERIOR CRIMINAL COURT.

Ellen M. Keohan, executive secretary, from $113 to $117.75 a week.

Nancy T. Concannon, clerk, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Claire M. Visall, clerk, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

MUNICIPAL COURT, ROXBURY DISTRICT.

William Stein, court officer, from $158.78 to $166.39 semimonthly.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following request:

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

House of Correction.

Permission has been granted to pay overtime to the following employees who worked on the holiday, March 17:

W. Bancroft, herdsman, $16; J. B. Connolly, baker-cook, $16; R. Flynn, hospital supervisor, $16.70; W. Gannon, hospital supervisor, $16.70; J. Hoban, deputy master, $17.40; G. O'Halloran, assistant deputy, $16.70; J. Parziale, officer-cook, $16; A. Puzzo, officer-receiver, $16; J. Sullivan, deputy master, $16.70.

VETERAN'S RETIREMENT.

The Mayor has approved the following veteran's application for retirement:

John J. Fagan, 65 Gates street, South Boston, steam fireman, Sewer Division, Public Works Department.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award the contracts for work, materials, and supplies, in accordance with recommendations of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Purchasing Division.

Upon March 28 the Mayor approved a contract with bidders as indicated for furnishing dry goods to the Long Island Division of the Boston City Hospital. Approximate total amounts of awards were as follows:

Contracts for Sparrow Chisholm Company, $1,816, net, 30 days; Barnet Zelmyer, doing business as Zelmar Mills, $1,166, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Orders for Jennings Linen Company, Inc., $690, net 30 days; Sherman Mills, Inc., $190, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; Taylor, Symonds Company, $39, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids, opened January 14, were as follows:

Dry Goods.

Requisition No. 91.

Item 1. 1,000 Yards White Turkish Toweling, 18 Inches, Cannon, No. 1756, or Equal (State Brand Quoting on), Per Yard.—M. J. Borofsky & Sons, Inc., 35.25 cents, Cannon; Jennings Linen Company, Inc., 33¾ cents, Cannon, No. 1756; New England Company, 34½ cents, no brand stated; Sparrow Chisholm Company, 33½ cents, no brand stated; Taylor, Symonds Company, 35½ cents, Cannon, No. 1756; Zelmar Mills, 33.5 cents,* no brand stated.

Item 2. 1,000 Yards White Huck Toweling, 16 Inches, Per Yard.—M. J. Borofsky & Sons, Inc., 21 cents; Jennings Linen Company, Inc., 20¼ cents; Sherman Mills, Inc., 19 cents*; Sparrow Chisholm Company, 19½ cents; Taylor, Symonds Company, 19¾ cents; Zelmar Mills, 20 cents.

Requisition No. 93.

Item 3. 50 Dozen White Pillowcases, Type 140, 42 Inches x 36 Inches, Pequot, or Equal (State Brand Quoting on), Per Dozen.—Jennings Linen Company, Inc., $4.69, Cannon; New England Company, $4.67, Springs; Sherman Mills, Inc., $4.98, Cast Iron; Sparrow Chisholm Company, $4.50, no brand stated; Taylor, Symonds Company, $4.80, Cast Iron; Zelmar Mills, $4.58,* no brand stated.

Item 4. 2 Dozen Quilted Bed Pads, 36 Inches x 48 Inches, Per Dozen.—Sparrow Chisholm Company, $25; Taylor Symonds Company, $19.50.*

Requisition No. 94.

Item 5. 100 Dozen Unbleached Bed Sheets, Type 140, 72 Inches x 108 Inches, Per Dozen.—Bids rejected.

Requisition No. 95.

Item 6. 1,000 Yards Cordette, 72 Inches, Per Yard.—Jennings Linen Company, Inc., 69 cents*; Sherman Mills, Inc., 76.5 cents; Sparrow Chisholm Company, 80 cents; Taylor, Symonds Company, $1.02.

Requisition No. 96.

Item 7. 1,000 Yards Bleached Sheeting, Type 140, 42 Inches, Per Yard.—M. J. Borofsky & Sons, Inc., 36.4 cents; Jennings Linen Company, Inc., 36 cents; New England Company, 36¾ cents, full width roll; Sherman Mills, Inc., 36.5 cents; Sparrow Chisholm Company, 33½

cents*; Taylor, Symonds Company, 35 cents; Zelmar Mills, 37.5 cents.

Item 8. 1,000 Yards Bleached Sheeting, Type 140, 36 Inches, Per Yard.—Jennings Linen Company, Inc., 30.4 cents; Sherman Mills, Inc., 33.5 cents; Sparrow Chisholm Company, 30 cents*; Taylor, Symonds Company, 33 cents; Zelmar Mills, 31 cents.

Requisition No. 97.

Item 9. 1,000 Yards Bleached Sheeting, Type 140, 72 Inches, Per Yard.—M. J. Borofsky & Sons, Inc., 61 cents; Jennings Linen Company, Inc., 58½ cents; New England Company, 62⅓ cents, full width roll; Sherman Mills, Inc., 63.5 cents; Sparrow Chisholm Company, 56 cents*; Taylor, Symonds Company, 61⅞ cents; Zelmar Mills, 62 cents.

Item 10. 1,000 Yards Unbleached Sheeting, Type 140, 36 Inches, Per Yard.—M. J. Borofsky & Sons, Inc., 24.5 cents; Jennings Linen Company, Inc., 27.4 cents; Sherman Mills, Inc., 26.5 cents; Sparrow Chisholm Company, 24 cents*; Taylor, Symonds Company, 24¾ cents; Zelmar Mills, 27.5 cents.

Requisition No. 98.

Item 11. 1,000 Yards Unbleached Sheeting, Type 140, 42 Inches, Per Yard.—Jennings Linen Company, Inc., 31.5 cents; Sherman Mills, Inc., 32 cents; Sparrow Chisholm Company, 30½ cents*; Taylor, Symonds Company, 33 cents; Zelmar Mills, 32.5 cents.

Item 12. 1,000 Yards Unbleached Sheeting, Type 140, 72 Inches, Per Yard.—M. J. Borofsky & Sons, Inc., 55 cents; Jennings Linen Company, Inc., 53¾ cents; New England Company, 56¼ cents, full width roll; Sherman Mills, Inc., 53.5 cents; Sparrow Chisholm Company, 53 cents; Taylor, Symonds Company, 56½ cents; Zelmar Mills, 53 cents.*

Requisition No. 99.

Item 13. 100 Yards Rubber Sheeting, 45 Inches, Per Yard.—Sherman Mills, Inc., 85 cents; Sparrow Chisholm Company, 85 cents; Taylor, Symonds Company, 87½ cents, boil proof, acid resistant; Zelmar Mills, 72 cents.*

Item 14. 200 Yards Ticking, 32 Inches, 8 Ounces, A.C.A., Per Yard.—M. J. Borofsky & Sons, Inc., 42 cents; Sherman Mills, Inc., 39.5 cents; Sparrow Chisholm Company, 38 cents*; Zelmar Mills, 46 cents.

Discount.—M. J. Borofsky & Sons, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Jennings Linen Company, Inc., terms, net, 30 days; New England Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Sherman Mills, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Sparrow Chisholm Company, net, 30 days; Taylor, Symonds Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Zelmar Mills, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—M. J. Borofsky & Sons, Inc., Items 1, 2, 8, 10, 11, 14, 7 days, Item 3, 3 days, Items 5 and 12, March, Items 7 and 9, February; Jennings Linen Company, Inc., prompt; New England Company, 2 weeks; Sherman Mills, Inc., at once; Sparrow Chisholm Company, all-at once; Taylor, Symonds Company, Items 1, 2, 4, 5, 10 days, Items 6, 10, 13, 14, prompt, Items 3, 8, 11, February, Items 7, 9, 12, January; Zelmar Mills, 30 to 60 days.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon April 1 the Mayor approved a contract with lowest bidders as indicated for furnishing dishes, glassware, and cutlery to the Boston City Hospital, from April 1, 1955, to December 31, 1955. Approximate total amounts of contracts were as follows:

S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $3,436.40; Jones, McDuffee & Stratton Corporation, $2,772.

Discount for both companies is 2 per cent, time of payment.

Bids, opened March 9, were as follows:

Dishes, Glassware, and Cutlery.

Requisition No. 6446.

Item 1. 2,400 Sauce Dishes, Plain White, 3½ Inches, Trade, Properly Fired, First Quality, Vitrified China, Per Dozen.—Boston China and Equipment Company, $1.65; Jones, McDuffee & Stratton Corporation, $1.62*; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $1.64; O'Toole Company, $1.76.

Requisition No. 6447.

Item 2. 2,100 Mugs, Plain White, China, 8 Ounces, Victor or Equal, Per Dozen.—Boston China and Equipment Company, $3.19; Jones, McDuffee & Stratton Corporation, $3.18*; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $3.20; O'Toole Company, $3.35.

Requisition No. 6448.

Item 3. 900 Nappies, Bowls, 3 Inches, Green Band and Line, First Quality, Vitrified China, Per Dozen.—Boston China and Equipment Company, $3.86; Jones, McDuffee & Stratton Corporation, $3.60*; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $3.80; O'Toole Company, $4.11.

Item 4. 300 Tea Pots, Individual, 10 Ounces, First Quality, As Per Specifications, Per Dozen.—Boston China and Equipment Company, $13.92; Jones, McDuffee & Stratton Corporation, $13.75; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $13.25*; O'Toole Company, $13.80.

Requisition No. 6449.

Item 5. 3,600 Plates, Bread and Butter, 4 Inches, Green Band and Line, Properly Fired, First Quality, Vitrified China, Per Dozen.—Boston China and Equipment Company, $2.24; Jones, McDuffee & Stratton Corporation, $2.18*; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $2.21; O'Toole Company, $2.36.

Requisition No. 6450.

Item 6. 900 Plates, Bread and Butter, 4 Inches, Plain White, First Quality, Vitrified China, Per Dozen.—Boston China and Equipment Company, $2.15; Jones, McDuffee & Stratton Corporation, $2.08*; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $2.12; O'Toole Company, $2.25.

Item 7. 900 Breakfast Plates, 6 Inches, Green Band and Line, First Quality, Vitrified China, Per Dozen.—Boston China and Equipment Company, $3.43; Jones, McDuffee & Stratton Corporation, $3.38; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $3.37*; O'Toole Company, $3.58.

Requisition No. 6451.

Item 8. 3,000 Forks, Stainless Steel, 18–8, Graded Metal, To Be Marked "B. C. H.," Republic or Equal, Per Dozen.—Boston China and Equipment Company, $1.72; Jones, McDuffee & Stratton Corporation, $1.40; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $1.68*; O'Toole Company, $1.80.

Requisition No. 6452.

Item 9. 2,400 Knives, Stainless Steel, 18–8 Metal, to be Marked "B.C.H.," Republic or Equal, 2 Pieces, Per Dozen.—Boston China and Equipment Company, $2.54; Jones, McDuffee & Stratton Corporation, $2.58; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $2.50*; O'Toole Company, $2.70.

Item 10. 2,100 Spoons, Dessert, Soup, Stainless Steel, 18–8 Metal, To Be Marked "B. C. H.," Republic or Equal, Per Dozen.—Boston China and Equipment Company, $1.72; Jones, McDuffee & Stratton Corporation, $1.40; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $1.68*; O'Toole Company, $1.80.

Item 11. 120 Spoons, Iron, Service, Re-tinned, 15 Inches Over-all, Large, Per Dozen.—Jones, McDuffee & Stratton Corporation, $9; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $4*; O'Toole Company, $7.80.

Requisition No. 6453.

Item 12. 4,800 Spoons, Tea, Stainless Steel, 18–8 Metal, Republic International or Equal, To Be Marked "B. C. H.," Per Dozen.—Boston China and Equipment Company, $1.20; Jones, McDuffee & Stratton Corporation, 95 cents; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $1.19*; O'Toole Company, $1.25.

Requisition No. 6454.

Item 13. 720 Bakers, Plain White, 3 Inches, Trade, Vitrified China, First Quality, Per Dozen.—Boston China and Equipment Company, $2.82; Jones, McDuffee & Stratton Corporation, $2.50; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $2.30.*

Item 14. 900 Bowls, Plain White China Crockery, Pint, First Quality, Vitrified China, Per Dozen.—Boston China and Equipment Company, $3.83; Jones, McDuffee & Stratton Corporation, $3.95; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $3.78*; O'Toole Company, $4.44.

Requisition No. 6455.

Item 15. 36 Vinegar Cruets with Stoppers, Per Dozen.—Boston China and Equipment Company, $1.56, No. 171, Anchor Hocking; Jones, McDuffee & Stratton Corporation, $1.45; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $1.25*; O'Toole Company, $1.25.

Item 16. 72 Cups, Blue Willow, First Quality, Vitrified China, Per Dozen.—Boston China and Equipment Company, $5.90; Jones, McDuffee & Stratton Corporation, $6.20; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $5.40*; O'Toole Company, $5.96.

Requisition No. 6456.

Item 17. 1,500 Cups, Cafeteria, Green Band and Line, First Quality China, Vitrified, Welded, Per Dozen.—Boston China and Equipment Company, $3.12; Jones, McDuffee & Stratton Corporation, $3.09*; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $3.10; O'Toole Company, $3.38.

Requisition No. 6457.

Item 18. 600 Dishes, Coop, Cereal, 6 Inches, Trade, Plain White, First Quality, Vitrified China, Per Dozen.—Boston China and Equipment Company, $3.10; Jones, McDuffee & Stratton Corporation, $2.99*; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $3.90; O'Toole Company, $3.26.

Requisition No. 6458.

Item 19. 144 Plates, Dessert, 4½ Inches, Plain White, Per Dozen.—Boston China and Equipment Company, $2.68; Jones, McDuffee & Stratton Corporation, $2.25*; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $2.44; O'Toole Company, $2.59.

Item 20. 60 Saucers, Blue Willow, First Quality, Vitrified China, Per Dozen.—Boston China and Equipment Company, $3.99; Jones, McDuffee & Stratton Corporation, $3.80; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $3.75*; O'Toole Company, $4.05.

Requisition No. 6459.

Item 21. 1,500 Saucers, Cafeteria, Green Band and Line, First Quality, Vitrified China, Per Dozen.—Boston China and Equipment Company, $2.06; Jones, McDuffee & Stratton Corporation, $1.99*;

S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $2.02; O'Toole Company, $2.14.

Requisition No. 6460.

Item 22. 3,600 Saucers, Fruit, Green Band and Line, 3½- Inches, First Quality, Vitrified China, Per Dozen.—Boston China and Equipment Company, $1.86; Jones, McDuffee & Stratton Corporation, $1.83; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $1.82*; O'Toole Company, $1.97.

Requisition No. 6461.

Item 23. 2,400 Tomato Juice Glasses, 4 Ounces, Sham'd to Heavy Bottom, Per Dozen.—Boston China and Equipment Company, 49 cents; Jones, McDuffee & Stratton Corporation, 54 cents; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., 50 cents*; O'Toole Company, 50 cents.

Discount.—Boston China and Equipment Company, 1 per cent, 15 days; Jones, McDuffee & Stratton Corporation, 2 per cent, time of payment; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; O'Toole Company, 2 per cent, time of payment.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon April 1 the Mayor approved a contract with Michael W. Lach for furnishing loam to the various city departments, from April 1, 1955, to September 30, 1955, inclusive. Approximate total amount of contract was $9,880, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids, opened April 1, were as follows:

Loam.

Approximately 3,800 Cubic Yards Loam, As Per Specifications, Per Cubic Yard.—Allstate Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., $2.43; Toira M. Jarvinen, $4.50; Michael W. Lach, $2.60*; Milano Brothers, Inc., $2.16; Weymouth Development Company, $2.19.

Discount.—Allstate Sand and Gravel Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Toira M. Jarvinen, 2 per cent, time of payment; Michael W. Lach, 2 per cent, time of payment; Milano Brothers, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Weymouth Development Company, 2 per cent, time of payment.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon April 5 the Mayor approved a contract with Richards Corporation for furnishing pig lead to the Water Division of the Public Works Department, from April 5, 1955, to December 31, 1955, inclusive. Approximate total amount of contract was $6,516, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids, opened April 4, were as follows:

Twenty Tons Pig Lead (Omaha & Grant or St. Joe), Delivered in 50-Pound or 100-Pound Pigs, if Possible.

New York Posted Price of Pig Lead on Day of Opening of Bids, April 4, 1955, Per Hundredweight.—National Lead Company of Massachusetts, $15; Richards Corporation, $15.*

Price Over New York Posted Price of Pig Lead on Date of Shipment, Per Hundredweight.—National Lead Company of Massachusetts, $1.15; Richards Corporation, $1.29.*

Total Delivered Price on Day of Opening of Bids, April 4, 1955, Per Hundredweight.—National Lead Company of Massachusetts, $16.15; Richards Corporation, $16.29.*

Trade Name of Pig Lead Upon Which Bid is Based.—National Lead Company of Massachusetts, Omaha & Grant or St. Joe brands; Richards Corporation, St. Joe pig lead.

Discount.—National Lead Company of Massachusetts, material, net, 30 days, no cash discount; Richards Corporation, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Remarks.—National Lead Company of Massachusetts, above to be taken in minimum 5-ton deliveries.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon April 15 the Mayor approved a contract with National Lead Company for furnishing lead pipe to the Water Division of the Public Works Department, from April 5, 1955, to December 31, 1955, inclusive. Approximate total amount of contract was $2,308.50, less 1 per cent discount, for payment within 10 days, net, 30 days. This total includes the cost of 19 reels, which are returnable, at $7.50 each.

Bid, opened April 1, was as follows:

Item 1. 18 Reels Lead Pipe, ¾ Inch (3 Pounds to Foot), Approximate Weight, Per Reel.—National Lead Company of Massachusetts, 600 pounds.

Item 2. 100 Feet Lead Pipe, 1 Inch (6 Pounds to Foot), Approximate Weight, Per Reel.—National Lead Company of Massachusetts, 600 pounds.

American Smelting and Refining New York Price, Day of Bid Opening, Per Hundredweight.—National Lead Company of Massachusetts, $15.

Price in Addition to New York Price, Per Hundredweight.—National Lead Company of Massachusetts, $4.

Total Price Day of Bid Opening, Per Hundredweight.—National Lead Company of Massachusetts, $19.

Price for Reels, Extra and Returnable, Each.—National Lead Company of Massachusetts, $7.50.

Discount.—National Lead Company of Massachusetts, 1 per cent, 10 days, net, 30 days.

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Upon April 18 the Mayor approved a contract with Massachusetts Envelope Company, for furnishing envelopes to the Printing Section. Approximate total amount of contract was $2,332.44, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids, opened April 5, were as follows:

Envelopes.

Item 1. 16,000 Special Window Envelopes, As Per Specifications, Per M.—Boston Envelope Company, $5.55; General Envelope Company, $5.35; Massachusetts Envelope Company, $5.*†

Item 2. 314,000 Special Window Envelopes, As Per Specifications, Per M.—Boston Envelope Company, $4.60; General Envelope Company, $4.43; Massachusetts Envelope Company, $4.22.*

Item 3. 97,000 Special Window Envelopes, As Per Specifications, Per M.—Boston Envelope Company, $5.55; General Envelope Company, $5.10; Massachusetts Envelope Company, $4.88.*†

Item 4. 100,000 Special Window O.S. White Woven Envelopes, As Per Specifications, Per M.—Boston Envelope Company, $5.55; General Envelope Company, $4.78; Massachusetts Envelope Company, $4.54.*†

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—Boston Envelope Company, all items, four to six weeks; General Envelope Company, all items, four to five weeks; Massachusetts Envelope Company, all items, three weeks.

Discount.—Boston Envelope Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; General Envelope Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Massachusetts Envelope Company, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Remarks.—Boston Envelope Company, Items 1, 3, and 4, prices are figured all together, will not accept just one of these items, Item 2 is figured alone; Massachusetts Envelope Company, above prices are firm prices.

* Contract awarded.

† Based on receiving all three items together.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Upon April 14 the Mayor approved a contract with J. Gavigan & Co. for subsoiling and concrete liners at Evergreen Cemetery, Brighton. Bids, opened Tuesday, April 12, were as follows:

J. Gavigan & Co., $3,296; Sylvester A. Ray, $3,623; D. F. Frangioso & Co., $3,744 (incomplete bid).

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Upon April 4 the Mayor approved a contract with D. Federico Company for sewerage works in Cutter road and Lillie Way, West Roxbury, at an estimated cost of $3,942.50. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed within sixty days after approval by the Mayor. The following bids were received April 6:

D. Federico Company, $3,942.50; N. Bevilacqua & Son, $4,164; Joseph Capone & Son, $4,359.50; Roslindale Contracting Company, $4,582; Susi & DeSantis Company, Inc., $4,734.50; C. Russo, Inc., $6,145.

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Upon April 14 the Mayor approved a contract with N. Bevilacqua & Son for sewerage works in DeStefano road and private land, West Roxbury, at an estimated cost of $4,886, including concrete pipe. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed within sixty days after approval by the Mayor. The following bids were received April 6:

Including Clay Pipe.—N. Bevilacqua & Son, $4,886; D. Federico Company, $5,220; Joseph Capone & Son, $5,717.50; Susi & DeSantis Company, Inc., $5,747.75; H. DiTullio & Sons, Inc., $6,254; Roslindale Contracting Company, $8,331; J. W. Construction Company, Inc., $8,510; C. Russo, Inc., $9,750.

Including Concrete Pipe.—N. Bevilacqua & Son, $4,886; D. Federico Company, $5,216; Joseph Capone & Son, $5,707.50; Susi & DeSantis Company, Inc., $5,742.75; H. DiTullio & Sons, Inc., $6,234; Roslindale Contracting Company, $8,331; J. W. Construction Company, Inc., $8,510; C. Russo, Inc., $9,730.

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Upon April 14 the Mayor approved a contract with J. A. Singarella Company for redecking and repairing the Summer Street Bridge, over A street, B street, and C street, at an estimated cost of $111,322.50. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed within six months from date of order to commence work. The following bids were received April 7:

J. A. Singarella Company, $111,322.50; Martin J. Kelly Company, Inc., $119,294.10; Charles Callahan Company, $124,893; Builders Iron Works, $125,467.63; Rossano Construction Company, Inc., $128,879.70; Carlson Construction Corporation, $129,319.90; M. Solimando, $130,885.20; John McCourt Company, $149,235.40; Michael Racciopi, $179,561.10.

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Upon April 18 the Mayor approved a contract with Joseph Amara & Son for

removing abandoned gas lampposts in various streets of the City of Boston, at an estimated cost of $11,450. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed December 31, 1955. The following bids were received April 14:

Joseph Amara & Son, $11,450; John J. Amara & Sons, $12,500; S. J. Tomasello Corporation, $12,850; Carriere Construction Company, $14,000; James A. Freaney, Inc., $15,800.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

The School Committee has approved proposals for collecting and removing ashes, rubbish, and building materials from certain Boston public schoolhouses. Bids, opened Wednesday, March 23, were received from the following concerns:

Joseph Amara & Sons, Dooley Brothers, Inc.

Award was made to the lowest responsible bidder, as follows:

Joseph Amara & Sons, $1,195.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

Upon varying dates as indicated the Mayor approved contracts with supply houses, contractors, etc., for furnishing labor, supplies, and commodities. Communications from heads of departments interested were as follows:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.
Purchasing Division.

BOSTON, April 12, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office is in receipt of a requisition, No. 6724, from the Boston City Hospital for 100 cases gauze sponges, 3 inches x 3 inches, 12-ply, and 50 cases gauze sponges, 2 inches x 2 inches, 12-ply, to be delivered, as requested, from April 15, 1955, to September 30, 1955.

Authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, directly to the manufacturer, Johnson & Johnson. It is my opinion that, in this way, the best interests of the city will be served.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $3,471, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, April 12, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office is in receipt from the Parks and Recreation Department for parts for existing playground equipment.

M. E. O'Brien & Sons, Inc., have submitted an informal written quotation. This company is the New England agent for J. E. Burke Equipment Company of Fond du Lac, Wisconsin, who manufactures the equipment requested by the Parks and Recreation Department. It is therefore requested that permission be granted me to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to M. E. O'Brien & Sons, Inc. It is my opinion that, in this way, the best interests of the city will be served.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $2,420.90, plus freight charge of $102.08 or $2,522.98, net.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, April 12, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office is in receipt of a requisition, No. 6808, from the Boston City Hospital for 97 boxes Urokon sodium, 70 per cent, to be used in the X-Ray Department. Mallinckrodt Chemical Works, the manufacturer of this solution, has submitted an informal written quotation.

Inasmuch as the solution will be purchased direct from the manufacturer, authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to Mallinckrodt Chemical Works. It is my opinion that, in this way, the best interests of the city will be served.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $3,197.80, net cash.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, April 13, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR:

I respectfully request your approval of the award of a contract, without advertising, with Remington Rand, Inc., for the maintenance and service of tabulating machine equipment of this department for the period commencing April 1, 1955, and ending March 31, 1956. The cost of this service for the year will be $5,971.88. Inasmuch as Remington Rand, Inc., is the manufacturer of this equipment it will be to the best advantage of the City of Boston to contract with them for the maintenance and service.

Respectfully,

JOSEPH P. LALLY,
City Auditor.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.
Collecting Division.

BOSTON, April 12, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

I respectfully request your permission to dispense with the usual form of advertising and to award a contract for maintenance of two sorters, one interpreter, two tabulating machines, and four punch machines to Remington Rand, Inc., 857 Commonwealth avenue, Boston, at a cost of $2,691.95.

There is no competition in the awarding of this contract as Remington Rand, Inc., is the only company with available facilities to properly service their own machines.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES E. GILDEA,
Collector-Treasurer.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, April 12, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This department extended invitations to several reputable general contractors to submit bids for alterations in Registry Department, tenth floor, City Hall Annex.

Bids were received from three general contractors, with the following result:

Paul J. Rogan Company, 24 Beaufort street, Jamaica Plain, $4,882; F. C. Dolan & Sons Company, 18 Aldworth street, Jamaica Plain, $4,950; S. J. Hingston, 326 Medford street, Charlestown, $4,976.

As time is an important factor in the above situation, and in my opinion nothing could be gained by publicly advertising as the low bidder's estimate is a very fair one, I respectfully request that permission be granted to award a contract to the Paul J. Rogan Company, of 24 Beaufort street, Jamaica Plain, Boston, in the sum of four thousand eight hundred and eighty-two (4,882) dollars.

Respectfully,

GEORGE P. DONOVAN,
Assistant Commissioner.

CHANGES IN CONTRACT.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

D. Antonellis, Inc., has been ordered to make the following changes in the contract for the High School of Practical Arts:

Item 1. Electrical work.—Furnish all material and labor necessary for the installation of the following work:

Room 200: two duplex receptacles—add $41.98; Room 201: two combination switch receptacles and pilot light for portable ironing boards—add $85.46; Outside Library: switch and light for bulletin board—add $87.66; Library: Duplex receptacle for floor lamp—add $82.84; Cafeteria: duplex receptacle for potato peeler—add $22.37; Cafeteria: duplex receptacle for coffee maker—add $18.55; Room 302: relocate 3-gong switch—add $53.21; Cafeteria: make necessary extension of call bell on telephone—add $39.90; Doctor's Office: install duplex receptacle—add $28.52; Library: run circuit to display cabinet and convenient outlet—add $40.06; Book Room, First Floor: install duplex receptacle and light—add $84.98; Cafeteria: install new program bell—add $101.67—$687.20; bond, 1 per cent, $6.87; profit, 10 per cent, $68.72—total, $762.79.

Item 2. Furnish and install new marble back behind urinal in men's room in basement—add $40; furnish and install additional marble at pipe space in girls' toilet, second floor—add $55—$95; bond, 1 per cent, $.95; profit 10 per cent, $9.50—total, $105.45; eliminate one slate safe in cafeteria employees' toilet—deduct $13—total addition, $92.45.

Item 3. Furnish and install new framing around pipes at lavatories in cafeteria—add $56.

Item 4. Remove four large windows in Assembly Hall, repair same, install new sash cords and weights, trim windows so they will operate properly—add $250.

Item 5. Change present locks and install new locks on doors in Room 207—add $7.

Item 6. Remove training bars on gymnasium walls and patch walls after removal—add $40.

Item 7. Remove present pigeon-hole shelving and bulletin board at Girls' High and install same in office at Practical Arts High—add $42.50.

Total, Items 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7, $395.50; bond, 1 per cent, $3.95—total, $399.45.

Item 8. Furnish all labor and materials necessary to lath and plaster around pipe space at two drinking fountains in cafeteria—add $55.

Item 9. Omit new partition in lobby at principal's office—deduct, $100.

Total deduction, Items 8 and 9, $45.

Item 10. Heating: remove present three radiators in girls' toilet and rehang same after all plastering is done—add $219.43.

Item 11. Omit new radiator called for in Guidance Room—deduct $75.

Total addition, Items 10 and 11, $144.43; bond, 1 per cent, $1.44; profit, 10 per cent, $14.44—total addition, $160.31.

Total additions to contract, $1,415, making the account as follows: contract price, $77,816; total additions, $3,214.49; amount of contract, $81,030.49.

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Rossano Construction Company, Inc., has been ordered to make the following change in the contract for the Abraham Lincoln School:

Change swing of two toilet-room doors and make all necessary adjustments to hardware and trim. Furnish and install new hardwood frame for custodian's closet in toilet room.

For this additional work the amount of $75 will be added, making the account as follows:

Contract price, $13,504; total additions, $75; amount of contract, $13,579.

OMIT AND SUBSTITUTE WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

Public Works Department.

John J. Botti has been directed to omit and substitute the following work under the contract for ground water level project in vicinity of Copley square, City Proper, dated January 19, 1955:

Omit the laying of 40 linear feet of 12-inch standard perforated pipe and couplings (double line) under Item 2 of the contract, at $20 per linear foot, and substitute 40 linear feet specially perforated 12-inch pipe double line (holes all around pipe) and couplings in 4-foot lengths, at $22.34 per linear foot.

Additional cost as per this order: 40 linear feet at $2.34, $93.60.

AMENDMENT TO ORIGINAL AWARD OF DAMAGES.

The Public Improvement Commission has voted as follows:

That the amount of $50 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Stanley W. and Marie C. Card for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of July 17, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Deforest street, Hyde Park.

That the amount of $320 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Robert J. Flynn for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of March 25, 1953, March 30, 1953, December 18, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Hemlock road and Billings street, and the widening, relocation, and revision of grade of Hemlock road, West Roxbury.

That the amount of $175 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Frances Damato for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of March 25, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Ansonia road, West Roxbury.

That the amount of $65 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Daniel V. and Margaret L. Lovett for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of July 23, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Halsey road, Hyde Park.

That the amount of $75 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Salvatore Mennoie for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of April 29, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Solaris road, Hyde Park.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

Civil Defense.

Approval has been given for an extension of time in the electrical contract awarded to the Emerson Electric Company to February 25, 1955. This extension of time is necessary, due to other electrical work done for the city and because of the inclement weather of the winter season.

Public Works Department.

Approval has been given for the extension of the time of completion of the contract with the General Ship & Engine Works, Inc., 336 Border street, East Boston, approved January 27, 1955, for making emergency repairs to the central tower structure of the Charlestown Bridge drawspan, from February 4, 1955, to March 18, 1955. This extension was requested because after the work had commenced conditions found were such that the work was delayed pending further engineering studies concerning the bridge tower structure.

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Approval has been given for the extension of the time of completion of the contract with C. A. Foley, 88 Broad street, Boston, approved March 14, 1955, for repairing the end lift jacks of the Northern Avenue Bridge, from April 12, 1955, to May 2, 1955. This extension was requested because the contractor had to have foundry and machine shop work done before starting the work of repairs.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Joseph Amara & Son, 706 Hyde Park avenue, Roslindale, for artificial stone sidewalks in Mother Julia road, Ward 17 (southerly side); Dorchester avenue to approximately 225 feet westerly, from April 1, 1955, to April 16, 1955. This extension was requested because the contract was not approved until March 31, 1955, therefore the contractor had insufficient time to complete the contract before the original specified date of completion.

ADDITIONS TO CONTRACT.

Department of School Buildings.

H. Piken & Co. have been ordered to make the following addition to the contract for the Mather School:

Furnish labor and materials to paint all the stone mullions of windows in the assembly hall and window of two rear stairways according to department standards for painting, for the sum of $225, and the amount of $225 will be added therefor, making the account as follows: contract price, $11,200; total additions, $225; amount of contract, $11,425.

CONTRACTS AMENDED.

The Mayor has approved the following request:

Hospital Department.

Boston, March 13, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

On September 9, 1954, your Honor approved a contract with R. Tweed & Son, 249 Hyde Park avenue, Boston, for setting glass in various buildings at Long Island Hospital, due to the hurricane of September, 1954, in the amount of $1,700.

The work to be done under this contract had been completed when the second hurricane caused additional damage.

We respectfully request the above contract be amended by adding the sum of $574.54 for work done in repairing damage caused by the second hurricane, making the total amount of the contract $2,274.54.

Respectfully yours,

Richard J. Condon,
President.

RECONSTRUCTION OF BRADSTON STREET.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the widening and reconstruction of Bradston street, Roxbury district, at the easterly corner of Southampton street, bounded and described as follows:

The highway named Bradston street is hereby widened and ordered reconstructed at the easterly corner of Southampton street.

For the making of the aforesaid improvement an easement for street purposes is hereby taken in the following described land, exclusive of trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed thereto:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Boston Consolidated Gas Company, bounded:

Southwesterly by the northeasterly line of Southampton street, twenty-nine and 33-100 feet; northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Bradston street as it existed prior to this order, twenty-nine and 33-100 feet; and southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Bradston street as widened under this order, thirty-eight and 89-100 feet on a curve of twenty feet radius; containing one hundred ninety-seven square feet, more or less.

Trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforedescribed land, shall be removed therefrom within thirty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Said Bradston street as hereby widened is bounded:

Southwesterly by the northeasterly line of Southampton street, twenty-nine and 33-100 feet; northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Bradston street as it existed prior to this order, twenty-nine and 33-100 feet; and southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Bradston street as hereby widened, thirty-eight and 89-100 feet on a curve of twenty feet radius.

No betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Voted, That this commission determines that the undermentioned persons sustain damages in their estate by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the widening of Bradston street, Roxbury district, as a highway, at the southeasterly corner of Bradston street, at Southampton street, under the order of this commission of April 13, 1955, in the amount hereinafter set against it; and awards said amount therefor.

Boston Consolidated Gas Company, 197 square feet, $1.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 2,029.

Acting under provisions of chapter 658, Acts of 1945, section 7, as amended (State-Boston Retirement System), the Boston Retirement Board has approved for retirement on account of accidental disability, the following-named police officer, effective at the close of business as of Thursday, March 31, 1955.

In view of this operation of law, after March 31, 1955, the said police officer shall no longer be an active member of this department, and it is hereby ordered that its records be so amended:

Detective James W. Elwell, Detective Bureau (detailed to Bureau of Operations).

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,030.

Acting under provisions of chapter 658, Acts of 1945, section 7, as amended (State-Boston Retirement System), the Boston Retirement Board has approved for retirement, on account of accidental disability, the following-named police officer, effective at the close of business, Saturday, April 30, 1955.

In view of this operation of law, after April 30, 1955, the said police officer shall no longer be an active member of this department, and it is hereby ordered that its records be so amended.

Sergt. George A. Toland, Traffic Division.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,031.

The Police Commissioner having heard the complaint of Capt. Thomas F. Casey, Division 13, against Patrolman Richard P. Craven, Division 13, on Tuesday, November 23, 1954, at Police Headquarters, charging him with violation of the Rules and Regulations of the Boston Police Department, has made a finding of guilty.

Therefore, it is ordered that the said Patrolman Richard P. Craven be suspended for a period of one year, effective as of Monday, November 15, 1954, at 5.45 o'clock P.M.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway construction, estimated to be thirty (30) days, vehicles are excluded from the following streets, effective April 11, 1955:

Hemman Street, West Roxbury.
From Kittredge street to Highfield road.

Summit Street, Hyde Park.
From the Boston-Milton line to Neponset avenue.

Washington Street, Hyde Park.
From Dana avenue to Neponset avenue.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of horse racing at Suffolk Downs from April 19, 1955, to June 4, 1955, parking of vehicles is prohibited in the following street:

Waldemar Avenue, East Boston.
Both sides, from Walley street to Race Track road, 24 hours.
North side, from Race Track road to McClellan Highway, 24 hours.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, occasioned by underground construction in connection with the John F. Fitzgerald Expressway, for a period estimated to be fifteen (15) days, the following street is one way in the direction indicated, effective April 11, 1955:

State Street, Boston Proper.
From Atlantic avenue to McKinley square.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of sewerage reconstruction, estimated to be thirty (30) days, the following temporary traffic rules are effective beginning April 5, 1955:

The following street is one way in the direction indicated:

West Canton Street, Boston Proper.
From Tremont street to Shawmut avenue.

Parking of vehicles is prohibited in the following street:

West Canton Street, Boston Proper.
Both sides, from Tremont street to Shawmut avenue.

BUILDING OPERATIONS IN CITY OF BOSTON.

The following is a statement showing By WARDS the number and estimated cost of new buildings for purposes of habitation for the erection of which applications were filed with the Building Department of the City of Boston during the

THREE-MONTH PERIOD ENDING MARCH 31, 1955.

WARD.	1-FAMILY DWELLINGS.		2-FAMILY DWELLINGS.		10-FAMILY DWELLINGS.		TOTAL FOR THREE MONTHS.	
	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.
1	4	$50,000	1	$14,000	—	—	5	$64,000
14	1	8,100	—	—	—	—	1	8,100
16	7	77,200	—	—	—	—	7	77,200
17	6	52,000	—	—	—	—	6	52,000
18	67	603,500	—	—	—	—	67	603,500
19	8	78,000	—	—	—	—	8	78,000
20	39	369,000	—	—	—	—	39	369,000
22	1	9,000	1	14,000	5	$345,000	7	368,000
Total	133	$1,246,800	2	$28,000	5	$345,000	140	$1,619,800

The following is a statement showing By WARDS the number and estimated cost of new buildings for purposes of habitation for the erection of which applications were filed with the Building Department of the City of Boston during the

MONTH ENDING MARCH 31, 1955.

WARD.	1-FAMILY DWELLINGS.		2-FAMILY DWELLINGS.		TOTAL FOR MONTH.	
	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.
1	1	$10,000	1	$14,000	2	$24,000
14	1	8,100	—	—	1	8,100
16	6	62,200	—	—	6	62,200
18	26	253,500	—	—	26	253,500
19	1	10,000	—	—	1	10,000
20	18	178,000	—	—	18	178,000
22	1	9,000	—	—	1	9,000
Total	54	$530,800	1	$14,000	55	$544,800

STATEMENT OF BUILDING OPERATIONS IN THE CITY OF BOSTON FOR THE MONTH ENDING MARCH 31, 1955.

(As compared with corresponding period in preceding years.)

	1955.		1954.		1953.		1952.		1951.	
	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.
Type I	6	$940,100	8	$1,120,200	3	$1,145,000	1	$1,500	2	$1,360,000
Type II	2	252,000	2	509,000	—	—	1	32,000	—	—
Type IV	9	141,600	10	242,000	11	585,700	4	106,800	5	38,800
Type V	2	1,300	5	29,900	2	2,300	2	4,000	1	20,000
Type VI	55	544,800	33	299,500	34	297,300	16	137,000	26	193,475
Total new construction	74	$1,879,800	58	$2,200,600	50	$2,030,300	24	$281,300	34	$1,612,275
Alterations, additions	464	1,342,917	590	746,602	388	665,271	260	673,622	296	528,705
Total structural construction	538	$3,222,717	648	$2,947,202	438	$2,695,571	290	$954,922	330	$2,140,980
Plumbing	247	$140,880	260	$169,575	247	$250,445	197	$298,045	173	$219,950
Gasfitting	565	55,580	562	66,565	438	49,305	382	49,333	326	39,633
Heaters, ovens, etc.	20	22,000	13	36,485	23	24,550	21	14,416	15	14,750
Elevators, new freight	3	19,980	6	34,659	6	26,200	6	31,065	4	46,000
Elevators, new passenger	10	219,000	2	25,250	4	41,530	5	75,850	1	12,000
Elevators, alterations, freight	16	10,302	13	21,885	12	33,800	9	1,145	12	6,112
Elevators, alterations, passenger	22	20,150	27	31,170	14	14,675	30	9,820	31	9,597
Signs, marquees, etc.	35	31,005	41	44,082	39	11,840	42	21,395	54	20,925
Fire escapes	42	5,960	122	23,070	89	17,926	70	32,150	31	8,155
Take-downs, wood	15	11,310	6	2,800	10	5,337	3	3,375	6	2,375
Take-downs, brick, etc.	9	22,425	1	200	5	12,496	2	3,800	18	34,392
Sprinklers	12	20,879	13	19,595	21	39,385	14	46,775	18	6,700
Excavations	8	3,950	4	16,150	2	300	1	150	2	25,100
Use of premises	5	—	5	—	2	—	2	—	1	—
Total	1,009	$583,421	1,075	$491,486	912	$527,789	784	$587,319	687	$445,689
Grand total all work	1,547	$3,806,138	1,723	$3,438,688	1,350	$3,223,360	1,074	$1,542,241	1,017	$2,586,669
Department revenues		$21,026.17		$6,884.50		$8,814.25		$4,862.50		$6,909.75

The following is a statement showing the number, purpose and estimated cost of the erection of new buildings and the alterations, repairs, additions, etc., of existing buildings for which applications were filed with the Building Department of the City of Boston during the

MONTH ENDING MARCH 31, 1955.

Purpose.	New Buildings.		Alterations.		Total.	
	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.
Amusement and recreation places, theatres, halls, movies.	—	—	1	$5,000	1	$5,000
Dwellings, small, 1-family	54	$530,800	87	83,311	141	614,111
Dwellings, small, 2-family	1	14,000	84	47,499	85	61,499
Dwellings, small, 3-family	—	—	97	43,293	97	43,293
Dwellings, small, with stores	—	—	21	16,879	21	16,879
Dwellings, large, 4 or more families	—	—	22	17,772	22	17,772
Dwellings, large, with stores	—	—	2	750	2	750
Educational buildings, schools, colleges	—	—	3	4,185	3	4,185
Garage and repair shops	1	800	9	4,542	10	5,342
Hotel and club buildings	—	—	2	750	2	750
Institutional buildings, hospitals, asylums, clinics	1	647,000	4	40,000	5	687,000
Lodgings, dormitories, convents, homes	—	—	10	2,709	10	2,709
Manufacturing buildings, bakeries, laundries, workshops.	—	—	15	42,217	15	42,217
Mercantile buildings, restaurants, stores, showrooms, service stations	11	566,600	63	277,880	74	844,480
Office and bank buildings	1	25,000	20	699,175	21	724,175
Public buildings, libraries, museums	—	—	1	20,000	1	20,000
Storage buildings, warehouses, lumber sheds, silos	3	95,000	13	30,575	16	125,575
Miscellaneous	2	600	10	6,380	12	6,980
Total	74	$1,879,800	464	$1,342,917	538	$3,222,717

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PURPOSES, NUMBER AND ESTIMATED COST OF NEW BUILDINGS AND ALTERATIONS, ADDITIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., FOR WHICH APPLICATIONS HAVE BEEN FILED FOR MONTH ENDING MARCH 31, 1955.

CHARACTER.	AMUSEMENT, RECREATION PLACES, THEATERS, MOVIES, HALLS.		CHURCHES, CHAPELS, SYNAGOGUES.		DWELLINGS, 1-FAMILY.		DWELLINGS, 2-FAMILY.		DWELLINGS, 3-FAMILY.		DWELLINGS, 1-2-3 FAMILY, WITH STORES, ETC.		DWELLINGS, MULTI-FAMILY.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type II	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type IV	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type V	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type VI	....	.....	....	.....	54	$530,800	1	$14,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Total new construction	....	.....	....	.....	54	$530,800	1	$14,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Alterations, etc	1	$5,000	....	.....	87	83,311	84	47,499	97	$43,293	21	$16,879	22	$17,772
Total structural work	1	$5,000	....	.....	141	$614,111	85	$61,499	97	$43,293	21	$16,879	22	$17,772

CHARACTER.	DWELLINGS, MULTI-FAMILY, WITH STORES.		EDUCATIONAL BUILDINGS, SCHOOLS, COLLEGES.		GARAGES AND REPAIR SHOPS.		HOTEL AND CLUB BUILDINGS.		INSTITUTIONAL BUILDINGS, HOSPITALS, ASYLUMS, CLINICS.		LODGINGS, DORMITORIES, CONVENTS, HOMES.		LODGING HOUSES WITH STORES.		MANUFACTURING BUILDINGS, BAKERIES, LAUNDRIES, WORKSHOPS.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	1	$647,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type II	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type IV	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type V	....	.....	....	.....	1	$800	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type VI	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Total new construction	....	.....	....	.....	1	$800	....	.....	1	$647,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Alterations, etc	2	$750	3	$4,185	9	4,542	2	$750	4	40,000	10	$2,709	....	.....	15	$42,217
Total structural work	2	$750	3	$4,185	10	$5,342	2	$750	5	$687,000	10	$2,709	....	.....	15	$42,217

CHARACTER.	MERCANTILE BUILDINGS, RESTAURANTS, STORES, SHOWROOMS, SERVICE STATIONS.		OFFICE AND BANK BUILDINGS.		PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIBRARIES, MUSEUMS.		STABLES, KENNELS, POULTRY HOUSES.		STORAGE WAREHOUSES, LUMBER SHEDS, SILOS, ETC.		MISCELLANEOUS.		TOTALS.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I	3	$243,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	1	$50,000	1	$100	6	$940,100
Type II	2	252,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	2	252,000
Type IV	6	71,600	1	$25,000	....	.....	....	.....	2	45,000	....	.....	9	141,600
Type V	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	1	500	2	1,300
Type VI	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	55	544,800
Total new construction	11	$566,600	1	$25,000	....	.....	....	.....	3	$95,000	2	$600	74	$1,879,800
Alterations, etc	63	277,880	20	699,175	1	$20,000	....	.....	13	30,575	10	6,380	464	1,342,917
Total structural work	74	$844,480	21	$724,175	1	$20,000	....	.....	16	$125,575	12	$6,980	538	$3,222,717

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PURPOSES, NUMBER AND ESTIMATED COST OF NEW BUILDINGS AND ALTERATIONS, ADDITIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., FOR WHICH APPLICATIONS HAVE BEEN FILED FOR THREE MONTHS ENDING MARCH 31, 1955.

CHARACTER.	AMUSEMENT, RECREATION PLACES, THEATERS, MOVIES, HALLS.		CHURCHES, CHAPELS, SYNAGOGUES.		DWELLINGS, 1-FAMILY.		DWELLINGS, 2-FAMILY.		DWELLINGS, 3-FAMILY.		DWELLINGS, 1-2-3-FAMILY, WITH STORES, ETC.		DWELLINGS, MULTI-FAMILY.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type II	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type IV	....	.....	1	$175,000	1	$15,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	5	$345,000
Type V	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type VI	....	.....	....	.....	132	1,231,800	2	$28,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Total new construction	....	.....	1	$175,000	133	$1,246,800	2	$28,000	....	.....	....	.....	5	$345,000
Alterations, etc	6	$16,800	4	109,725	179	156,462	218	108,663	233	$103,327	58	$42,003	100	87,747
Total structural work	6	$16,800	5	$284,725	312	$1,403,262	220	$136,663	233	$103,327	58	$42,003	105	$432,747

CHARACTER.	DWELLINGS, MULTI-FAMILY, WITH STORES.		EDUCATIONAL BUILDINGS, SCHOOLS, COLLEGES.		GARAGES AND REPAIR SHOPS.		HOTEL AND CLUB BUILDINGS.		INSTITUTIONAL BUILDINGS, HOSPITALS, ASYLUMS, CLINICS.		LODGINGS, DORMITORIES, CONVENTS, HOMES.		LODGING HOUSES WITH STORES.		MANUFACTURING BUILDINGS, BAKERIES, LAUNDRIES, WORKSHOPS.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I	....	.....	1	$980,000	....	.....	....	.....	1	$647,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type II	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type IV	....	.....	....	.....	2	$24,000	....	.....	1	15,000	....	.....	....	.....	1	$5,800
Type V	....	.....	....	.....	1	800	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type VI	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Total new construction	....	.....	1	$980,000	3	$24,800	....	.....	2	$662,000	....	.....	....	.....	1	$5,800
Alterations, etc	13	$3,714	12	791,985	24	19,778	7	$22,050	17	301,500	27	$21,311	....	.....	37	170,709
Total structural work	13	$3,714	13	$1,771,985	27	$44,578	7	$22,050	19	$963,500	27	$21,311	....	.....	38	$176,509

CHARACTER.	MERCANTILE BUILDINGS, RESTAURANTS, STORES, SHOWROOMS, SERVICE STATIONS.		OFFICE AND BANK BUILDINGS.		PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIBRARIES, MUSEUMS.		STABLES, KENNELS, POULTRY HOUSES.		STORAGE WAREHOUSES, LUMBER SHEDS, SILOS, ETC.		MISCELLANEOUS.		TOTALS.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I	4	$253,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	1	$50,000	1	$100	8	$1,930,100
Type II	2	252,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	2	252,000
Type IV	12	284,100	2	$25,500	....	.....	....	.....	2	45,000	....	.....	27	934,400
Type V	5	16,950	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	1	12,000	1	500	8	30,250
Type VI	1	6,000	1	50,000	1	$1,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	137	1,316,800
Total new construction	24	$812,050	3	$75,500	1	$1,000	....	.....	4	$107,000	2	$600	182	$4,463,550
Alterations, etc	149	469,527	52	867,535	3	20,775	....	.....	27	196,140	23	14,557	1189	3,524,308
Total structural work	173	$1,281,577	55	$943,035	4	$21,775	....	.....	31	$303,140	25	$15,157	1371	$7,987,858

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 19.

ANNUAL BALL.

The seventy-sixth annual ball of the Boston Fire and Protective Departments will be held on Monday evening, April 18, 1955, in the Boston Garden.

The Fire Commissioner, Chief of Department, and the Trustees of the Firemen's Relief Fund request all members off duty on that evening to attend the ball.

Following is a brief outline of the program:

8.00 P.M. Concert by Karle Rohde and his orchestra.

8.30 P.M. Exhibition and Drill by Sacred Heart C.Y.O. Band, Sacred Heart Parish, Roslindale, Mass.

9.00 P.M. Entrance of the Fire Commissioner, Chief of Department, and guests of the Boston Fire and Protective Departments, accompanied by the Boston Fire Department Band and Color Guard.

9.15 P.M. Greetings by president of the Boston Firemen's Relief Fund, Lieut. John M. Burke.

9.20 P.M. Presentation of Patrick J. Kennedy Medal by Mayor John B. Hynes.

9.30 P.M. Presentation of Walter Scott Medal by Fire Commissioner Francis X. Cotter.

9.35 P.M. Roll of Merit Awards by Chief of Department John V. Stapleton, assisted by Assistant Chief of Department Edward N. Montgomery.

9.40 P.M. Presentation of 40- and 25-year service buttons by Assistant Chief of Department Patrick E. Collins, assisted by Assistant Chief of Department Leo C. Driscoll.

The following-named members will represent their grades in the awarding of service buttons:

District Chief Edward T. Lynch, District 1.

Capt. Irving L. Johnson, Engine 33.

Lieut. Francis J. McNamara, Ladder 23.

Ladderman John J. Devine, Ladder 4.

Working Foreman Timothy J. Cadigan, Fire Alarm Construction.

9.45 P.M. Entertainment by stars of radio and television, presented by Theodore Sturgis.

11.00 P.M. to 1.00 A.M. Dancing. Music by Karle Rohde and his orchestra.

The floor marshal will be Ladderman Francis J. Dooley, Ladder Company 19.

Each district will detail one member to the ball. Fire Alarm Division will detail two members.

Relief Fund ticket sellers are detailed to the ball as aides.

The chief of aides will be Capt. John P. Brooks, Engine Squad 18.

All members of the department detailed to the ball as aides and members from the districts and Fire Alarm Division shall report to Capt. John P. Brooks at 7.30 P.M. at the Press Gate, Boston Garden.

Detailed members will attend strictly to the duties assigned them.

Trustees, aides, band and color guard members, and other members detailed to the ball will be excused from duty at 4 P.M., April 18. Members scheduled for the night tour of duty will return to their companies after the ball.

Members of the Band and Color Guard, Medal, Roll of Merit, and Service Button recipients shall report to Captain-Drillmaster Cornelius F. Finnegan in Room 1 at 8 P.M.

Uniform for the Band and Color Guard will be sack coat, white shirt, black tie, band hat. The remaining uniformed members shall be in regulation uniform with white gloves.

By order of Fire Commissioner FRANCIS X. COTTER.

JOHN V. STAPLETON,
Chief of Department.

The following is a statement showing the number of new buildings for purposes of habitation, together with the number of family accommodations provided thereby, for the erection of which applications were filed with the Building Department of the City of Boston during the

MONTH AND THREE MONTHS ENDING MARCH 31, 1955.

NUMBER OF FAMILY UNITS IN EACH BUILDING.	MONTH OF MARCH.				FIRST THREE MONTHS.			
	1955.		1954.		1955.		1954.	
	Buildings.	Families.	Buildings.	Families.	Buildings.	Families.	Buildings.	Families.
1	54	54	32	32	133	133	82	82
2	1	2	—	—	2	4	—	—
10	—	—	—	—	5	50	—	—
Total	55	56	32	32	140	187	82	82
Estimated cost of housing	$544,800		$298,500		$1,619,800		$779,310	

SUMMARY OF HOUSING CONSTRUCTION TO DATE.

NUMBER OF	MONTH OF MARCH.	THREE MONTHS.
New habitations erected	55	140
Accommodations provided by new construction	56	187
Accommodations provided by altering and remodeling	33	89
Accommodations eliminated by altering and remodeling	1	5
Habitations taken down	12*	19*
Family accommodations eliminated by demolition	43*	57*
Net change in number of habitations	43 more	121 more
Net change in number of family accommodations	45 more	214 more

DEMOLITIONS:	NUMBER.		NUMBER.	
	Buildings.	Families.	Buildings.	Families.
*1-family	2	2	4	4
2-family	1	2	4	8
3-family	5	15	7	21
6-family	4	24	4	24
Total	12	43	19	57

General Order No. 22.

I. PROMOTION.

The following promotion, which became effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, April 6, 1955, is hereby announced for the information of the department:

Deputy Chief Leo C. Driscoll, Headquarters Division, to assistant fire chief in charge of personnel and training (temporary).

II. RETIREMENTS.

The following retirements, effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, April 20, 1955, are hereby announced. These members are retired in accordance with chapter 347, Acts of 1892, as amended by chapter 237, Acts of 1949.

District Chief Miles V. Murphy, District 4.

Capt. Patrick J. Mahoney, Engine Company 1.

Lieut. Howard T. Chase, Engine Company 48.

District Chief Murphy was appointed to the department December 15, 1922. He was promoted to the grade of lieutenant January 6, 1939, to captain January 3, 1945, and to district chief March 16, 1949. Captain Mahoney was appointed to the department November 1, 1912. He was promoted to the grade of lieutenant November 2, 1928, and to captain December 10, 1937. Lieutenant Chase was appointed to the Fire Department April 11, 1919, and was promoted to lieutenant June 25, 1941.

All the foregoing officers leave the department with the best wishes of their associates.

III. RESIGNATIONS.

The following resignation, which became effective at 8 A.M., April 11, 1955, is hereby announced:

Junior Building Custodian John J. Gorham, Maintenance Division.

The following resignation, which will become effective at 5 P.M., April 26, 1955, is hereby announced:

Clerk and Typist Philomene K. Sheehan, Fire Prevention Division.

IV. TRANSFERS.

The following transfers, effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, April 27, 1955, are hereby announced:

Lieut. Vincent P. McBrine, from Ladder 16 to Engine 48.

Aide to Deputy Chief James H. Donnelly, from Ladder 8 to Headquarters.

V. FIRE ALARM BOX INSTALLED.

The following fire alarm box which was established in General Orders, No. 59, dated September 14, 1954, has been installed and connected into circuit No. 46:

5476, Hobart street and Ranelegh road.

Company commanders will add Box 5476 to circuit card No. 46.

VI. FIRE ALARM BOXES ESTABLISHED.

In the near future the following fire alarm box will be installed:

12-2577, Edwin P. Seaver School, 35 Eldridge road.

Company commanders will add the above box to assignment card for Box 2577.

In the near future the following fire alarm box will be installed:

13-3343, Oliver Wendell Holmes School, 40 School street.

Company commanders will add this box to assignment card for Box 3343.

Circuit numbers will be announced when the boxes are installed.

VII. FIRE ALARM BOX RENUMBERED.

Effective as of 12 noon, Wednesday, April 27, the following fire alarm box will be renumbered:

13-1412, South Station, Express Building, near Beach street. (Old Number, 13-1412; New Number, 12-1437.)

Company commanders will delete this box from assignment card for Box 1412 and add this box to assignment card for Box 1437.

Company commanders will delete Box 13-1412 from circuit card No. 3 and add Box 12-1437 to circuit card No. 3.

VIII. FIRE ALARM BOXES DISCONTINUED.

The following fire alarm boxes have been removed from service and discontinued permanently:

12-5134, Allston Theatre, 128 Brighton avenue.

12-5478, Hobart Street School, Hobart street.

Company commanders will delete Box 12-5134 from assignment card for Box 5134 and from circuit card No. 14, and delete Box 12-5478 from assignment card for Box 5478 and from circuit card No. 46.

IX. A.D.T. ASSIGNMENTS.

Company commanders shall add the following signal numbers to running cards of the A.D.T. Company in this department:

Signal 842, Narragansett Brewing Company, 153-165 Terrace street. (Sprinkler system.) Apparatus to respond: Engine Squad 14, Ladder 30, District Chief 5. Nearest box is 2271.

Signal 843, Green Shoe Manufacturing Company, 853 Albany street, garage building. (Sprinkler system.) Apparatus to respond: Engine Company 12, Ladder 4, District Chief 5. Nearest box is 2115.

X. BOSTON AUTOMATIC ASSIGNMENTS.

Company commanders shall add the following signal numbers to running cards of the Boston Automatic Fire Alarm Division in this department:

Signal 239, 560 Commonwealth avenue, First National Bank. Apparatus to respond: Engine 33, Ladder 15, District Chief 5. Nearest box is 2312.

Signal 338, 154-170 Stuart street. Apparatus to respond: Engine 26, Ladder 17, District Chief 4. Nearest box is 1514.

Signal 1441, Croft Brewing Company, office only, 165 Terrace street.

Signal 1442, Croft Brewing Company, Hop Room, enter 165 Terrace street.

Apparatus to respond to both foregoing signals: Engine Squad 14, Ladder 30, District Chief 5. Nearest box is 2271.

XI. CHANGE IN DESIGNATION OF BOSTON AUTOMATIC BOX 1628.

The name of the Fessenden Nursing Home, 45 Centre street, Roxbury, has been changed to Centre Manor Nursing Home.

Company commanders will change the designation for Boston Automatic Box No. 1628, from Fessenden Nursing Home to Centre Manor Nursing Home.

XII. COMMENDATIONS.

The following-named members are hereby commended for responding to and working at fire, Box 7443, on April 11, 1955, while off duty:

Lieut. Peter F. Palmieri, Ladder Company 19.

Lieut. Howard J. Sylvester, Engine Company 43.

Hoseman Paul V. Nolan, Engine Company 1.

Hoseman Francis J. Hurley, Engine Company 2.

Hoseman Edwin T. Keenan, Engine Company 2.

Ladderman John S. Allen, Ladder Company 19.

Ladderman Francis J. Dooley, Ladder Company 19.

Ladderman Frederick V. Ahearn, Ladder Company 19.

Ladderman James T. Shea, Ladder Company 19.

Ladderman Joseph E. Landry, Ladder Company 19.

The Fire Commissioner is pleased to commend all members who were off duty, and who responded to and worked at fire, Box 6151, five alarms, on April 14, 1955.

The valuable service rendered by these off-duty members is greatly appreciated and their willingness and spirit reflect great credit upon the Boston Fire Department.

By order of Fire Commissioner FRANCIS X. COTTER.

JOHN V. STAPLETON,
Chief of Department.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

HEARINGS STENOGRAPHER, DIVISION OF CIVIL SERVICE, DEPARTMENT OF CIVIL SERVICE AND REGISTRATION, MAY 21, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, May 2, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $3,480 a year; the maximum salary is $4,200 a year.

Vacancies: At present there is one vacancy for a female, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: To record verbatim, in shorthand, the proceedings at hearings, meetings, conferences, or similar gatherings; to transcribe the shorthand notes accurately and rapidly on a typewriter; when not engaged in hearing work, to do other stenographic or clerical work; and to perform related work as required.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants must have had at least one year of full-time paid experience in which hearing stenographic work was the major duty or at least three years of full-time paid experience in which other stenographic work was the major duty.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 1; practical questions, 1; stenography, 3; total, 5.

The dictation will be given at the rate of 175 and 200 words a minute, and the material dictated at each of these rates of speed will be of about 300 words in length. Applicants may transcribe either or both of the speed tests. If the two tests are transcribed, both will be marked and the applicant will be given the higher of the two marks. The transcription is marked for both speed of dictation and accuracy.

Passing Requirements. Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in accuracy of transcription of at least one dictation and in each subject in order to become eligible.

PROCEEDINGS OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Mar. 7, 1955.

A regular meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, at 6:23 P. M., the Chairman presiding.

Present: Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward.

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APPROVAL AND AMENDMENT OF MINUTES

The reading of the minutes of Feb. 7, 14 and 21, 1955, was omitted, the Committee approving them as printed.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the minutes of Nov. 8, 1954 (see p. 377), and the minutes of Jan. 10, 1955 (see p. 9), pertaining to the appointment from the eligible list of Adam J. Owens, teacher, junior high, Blackinton-John Cheverus District, to take effect Jan. 17, 1955, are hereby further amended to read to take effect "Jan. 24, 1955."

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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APPOINTMENTS

The following nominations by the Superintendent, certified by him as being in accordance with the rules and regulations, to take effect on the dates stated, were presented

(FROM THE ELIGIBLE LIST)

Brighton High School—George J. Manfra, cooperative instructor (fifteenth year salary, $5472-anniversary date Mar. 1), Mar. 14, 1955. Ralph M. Vozella, cooperative instructor (fifth year salary, $4080-anniversary date Apr. 1), Apr. 4, 1955.

Beethoven District—M. Gregory Toupouzis, teacher, elementary (third year salary-$3780-anniversary date Mar. 1), Mar. 28, 1955.

Clarence R. Edwards Junior High School—Thomas P. McLaughlin, teacher, junior high (seventh year salary-$4356-anniversary date Mar. 1), Mar. 28, 1955.

Dillaway District — Evelyn Hurwitch Zintz, teacher, kindergarten (second year salary — $3636-anniversary date Mar 1), Mar. 28, 1955.

Elihu Greenwood District — Margaret Shea O'Malley, teacher, elementary (fifth year salary-$4068-anniversary date Mar. 1), re-entrant, resigned from Abraham Lincoln District, Aug. 31, 1926, Mar. 28, 1955.

Ellis Mendell District—Barbara J. Lynch, teacher, kindergarten (second year salary-$3636-anniversary date Mar. 1), Mar. 28, 1955.

Emerson District—Ettore A. DiDonato, teacher, elementary (third year salary-$3780-anniversary date Mar. 1), Mar. 28, 1955; Rose Mary Torre, teacher, kindergarten (second year salary-$3636-anniversary date Mar. 1), Mar. 28, 1955.

Francis Parkman District — James W. Mulroy, teacher, elementary (third year salary — $3780—anniversary date Mar. 1), Mar. 28, 1955; Adelaide M. Whelton, teacher, elementary (second year salary—$3636—anniversary date Mar. 1), Mar. 28, 1955.

Hart-Gaston-Perry District — John M. Hughes, teacher, elementary (fourth year salary — $3924—anniversary date Mar. 1), Mar. 28, 1955; Francis A. Turley, teacher, elementary (fourth year salary—$3924—anniversary date Mar. 1), Mar. 28, 1955.

Harvard District — Daniel F. Tarpey, teacher, elementary (second year salary—$3636—anniversary date Mar. 1), Mar. 28, 1955.

Henry Grew District—Joanne M. Harris, teacher, elementary (second year salary—$3636—anniversary date Mar. 1), Mar. 28, 1955.

Henry L. Higginson District—Rita Howley Fitzgerald, teacher, elementary (fifth year salary-$4068-anniversary date Mar. 1), Mar. 28, 1955; Leo F. Ford, teacher, elementary (second year salary - $3636-anniversary date Mar. 1), Mar. 28, 1955.

Hugh O'Brien District—Ruth Cohen Blumsack, teacher kindergarten (minimum salary-$3492-anniversary date Mar. 1), Mar. 28, 1955.

James J. Chittick District—Paul Bailey, teacher, elementary (third year salary-$3780-anniversary date Mar. 1), Mar. 28. 1955.

John Winthrop District—John J. Buckley, teacher, elementary (third year salary-$3780-anniversary date Mar. 1), Mar. 28, 1955.

Longfellow District — Leo M. Howard, teacher, elementary (second year salary-$3636-anniversary date Mar. 1), Mar. 28, 1955.

Martin District—Helen Phillimore Sullivan, teacher, kindergarten (seventh year salary-$4356-anniversary date Mar. 1), Mar. 28, 1955.

Norcross District—Sibyl Kuskin Frumson, teacher, kindergarten (minimum salary-$3492-anniversary date Mar. 1), Mar. 28, 1955.

Robert Treat Paine District—Herbert F. McCarthy, teacher, elementary (second year salary-$3636-anniversary date Mar. 1), Mar. 28, 1955.

Roger Wolcott District—Robert J. Bond, teacher, elementary (second year salary-$3636-anniversary date Mar. 1), Mar. 28, 1955; Alice Greene Brodigan, teacher, elementary (seventh year salary-$4356 - anniversary date Mar. 1), re-entrant, resigned from Charles Sumner District, Dec. 23, 1941, Mar. 28, 1955; Richard F. Early, teacher, elementary (fourth year salary- $3924-anniversary date Mar. 1), Mar. 28, 1955; William J. Hurley, teacher, elementary (second year salary-$3636-anniversary date Mar. 1), Mar. 28, 1955; Richard S. Willits, teacher, elementary (second year salary-$3636-anniversary date Mar. 1), Mar. 28, 1955.

Sherwin District — Kathleen R. Heiser, teacher, kindergarten (second year salary—$3636—anniversary date Mar. 1), Mar. 28, 1955.

Theodore Lyman District — Joseph Rusci, teacher, elementary (second year salary—$3636—anniversary date Mar. 1), Mar. 28, 1955.

Washington Allston District—John B. Curry, teacher, elementary (sixth year salary—$4212—anniversary date Apr. 1), Apr. 25, 1955.

Wendell Phillips District — Norma Rivkind Forst, teacher, kindergarten (eighth year salary — $4500 — anniversary date Mar. 1), Mar. 28, 1955.

William Barton Rogers Junior High School — Philip Matthews, teacher, junior high (fourth year salary—$3924—anniversary date Apr. 1), Apr. 25, 1955.

William E. Endicott District—John W. Hannon, teacher, elementary (second year salary-$3636-anniversary date Mar. 1), Mar. 28, 1955.

William E. Russell District—Margaret Flanagan Brine, teacher, elementary (ninth year salary - $4644 - anniversary date Mar. 1, re-entrant, resigned from Wendell Phillips District Aug. 31, 1930), Mar. 28, 1955; Kathleen R. Callahan, teacher, kindergarten (second year salary-$3636-anniversary date Mar. 1), Mar. 28, 1955; Mary Reilly Fitzgerald, teacher, elementary (eleventh year salary - $4932 - anniversary date Mar. 1), re-entrant, resigned from O. H. Perry District, Aug. 31, 1943, Mar. 28, 1955; Janet M. Silva, teacher, kindergarten (minimum salary-$3492- anniversary date May 1), May 2, 1955.

William Lloyd Garrison District—E. Janet Ekdahl Mitchell, teacher, kindergarten (third year salary—$3780—anniversary date Mar. 1), Mar. 28, 1955.

Department of Home Economics—Lucille M. Guaragna Troy, teacher of cookery, junior high (minimum salary — $3492 — anniversary date Mar. 1), Mar. 28, 1955; Alice Winsloe Morrill, teacher of cookery, junior high (minimum salary — $3492 — anversary date Mar. 1), Mar. 28, 1955; Marilyn M. McKenzie, teacher of cookery, junior high (third year salary—$3780—anniversary date Mar. 1), Mar. 28, 1955.

Department of Music—James A. Dickie, instructor of band and orchestral instruments (Cert. XXXIX)—eleventh year salary —$4932—anniversary date Mar. 1), Mar. 28, 1955; Ralph Fuccillo, instructor of band and orchestral instruments (Cert. XXXIX)—third year salary—$3792—anni-

versary date Mar. 1), Mar. 28, 1955; Howard Garniss, instructor of band and orchestral instruments (Cert. XXXIX), second year salary—$3648—anniversary date Mar. 1), Mar. 28, 1955; Ernest W. Simms, instructor of band and orchestral instruments (Cert. XXXIX), minimum salary—$3504—anniversary date Mar. 1), Mar. 28, 1955.

On roll call the rules were suspended and the appointments approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS — 0.

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LIST OF TEACHERS APPROVED FOR TEMPORARY SERVICE

The Superintendent submitted under the provisions of Section 265, paragraph 3 of the regulations, the following list of teachers approved by him from which assignments may be made for temporary service:

Jeannette L. Alfe, Esther Baker Block, Richard W. Briana, Beatrice Goldberg Brody, John P. Buckley, Rhoda Saltman Budd, Raymond E. Cloutier, Albert G. Diehl, Mary Rinaldi DeLisle, Lilla DeMar, Ann Kelly Eaton, Marcello Freed, Rosario Giuliano, Blanche Gorfinkle Gordon, Edith Toland Keenan, Nancy Edmond Kenney, Dorothy A. Mazzarella, Francis T. McCafferty, E. Doris McKinney, Nancy McNulty, Agnes Allen O'Neil, Patricia Diskin Rose, Frank E. Santosuosso, Frank V. Strychar, Grace Laughlin Thompson.

Audiometer Technician—Dorothy Devereaux Kane.

On roll call the list of teachers was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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DEPARTMENT OF ADULT EDUCATIONAL AND RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES

(Evening Schools)

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Mar. 7, 1955, reporting, subject to the approval of the School Committee the appointment of the following-named persons for service in the evening schools for the term 1954-55:

Boston Central Evening High School — Charles B. Lawrence, assistant, Mar. 3, 1955 (one evening).

Boston Evening Trade School—James A. McNamee, assistant, Mar. 3, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the rules were suspended and the appointments approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Mar. 7, 1955, reporting, subject to the approval of the School Committee, that he has appointed the following-named persons for service in the evening schools for the term 1954-55:

Boston Central Evening High School—William B. Bergen, assistant, Jan. 27, 1955.

Roxbury Evening Commercial High School—J. Clifford Ronan, assistant, Jan. 25, 1955.

Grover Cleveland Evening School—Charles B. Cohn, assistant, Feb. 3, 1955; James N. Adams, assistant, Feb. 15, 1955.

Patrick T. Campbell Evening School—John F. Fox, assistant, Feb. 3, 1955.

Roslindale Evening School—Edith W. Colan, assistant, Mar. 1, 1955.

South End Evening School—John W. Whelan, assistant, Feb. 8, 1955.

Boston Evening Trade School—Frank C. Bernard, assistant, Mar. 1, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Mar. 7, 1955, reporting, subject to the approval of the School Committee, the appointment of the following-named clerical assistant for the evening school term 1954-'55:

Boston Evening Trade School—Catherine J. Sullivan, Feb. 17, 1955 (one evening).

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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(TEMPORARY SCHOOL NURSE)

Department of School Hygiene—Adele I. Sheehan, Mar. 2, 1955.

On roll call the appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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TRANSFER

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Mar. 7, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has made the following transfer of a teacher, to take effect on the date stated:

Francis X. Browne, teacher, junior high, Clarence R. Edwards Junior High School, to the same position in the Solomon Lewenberg Junior High School, Mar. 28, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the transfer was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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ASSIGNMENTS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Mar. 7, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has assigned the following-named teachers, as indicated, without change of rank or salary, to take effect Mar. 28, 1955, and to continue for the school year ending Aug. 31, 1955, unless earlier terminated by the Superintendent, with the approval of the School Committee:

Emerson District — Ettore A. DiDonato, teacher, elementary, to the Theodore Lyman District.

Francis Parkman District — James W. Mulroy, teacher, elementary, to the Agassiz District.

Henry Grew District—Joanne M. Harris, teacher, elementary, to the Patrick F. Lyndon District.

Longfellow District — Leo M. Howard, teacher, elementary, to the Elihu Greenwood District.

Roger Wolcott District — William J. Hurley, teacher, elementary, to the Thomas Gardner District; Richard S. Willits, teacher, elementary, to the Patrick F. Lyndon District.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the assignments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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DESIGNATION

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Mar. 7, 1955, reporting that he has made the following designation of a teacher, to serve in the position indicated, until such time as it shall be filled otherwise, in accordance with the rules and regulations, but not beyond Aug. 31, 1955:

Hart-Gaston-Perry District — Emma A. Sellew, teacher, elementary, as acting vice principal (vice Gertrude H. Gelly, absent on leave), Feb. 1, 1955.

Placed on file.

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APPOINTMENT OF SCHOOL SECRETARY

A communication was received from the Secretary, under date

of Mar. 7, 1955, reporting, subject to the approval of the School Committee, the appointment of Mary M. Cunningham, assistant, offices of the Superintendent-Secretary, to the position of secretary, ninth year, Charlestown High School, to take effect Mar. 7, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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PROPOSED TRANSFER OF CLERK

Mr. Carr offered the following:

ORDERED, That subject to the approval of the Division of Civil Service and the consent of the Secretary of the Overseers of the Public Welfare, City of Boston, this Committee recommends the transfer of Carroll A. Harrington from the Overseers of the Public Welfare, to the School Department, to supervise operation of the tabulating machine section of the Business Manager's Office, to take effect May 4, 1955.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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FORD FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIPS

The Superintendent submitted the following Report of the Local Nominating Committee on the selection of High School teachers under the Fund for the Advancement of Education, Committee on High School Teacher Fellowships, 655 Madison Avenue, New York 21, New York:

The Local Nominating Committee selected the following High School teachers for the consideration of the National Committee on High School Teacher Fellowships:

1. Emmet T. Morrill, 2. John K. Keelon, 3. Mary A. Connolly, 4. Dudley J. Walsh, 5. John S. Bowes, 6. Patrick F. O'Connor.

With permission of the School Committee, the applications of these candidates will be forwarded to the National Committee on High School Teacher Fellowships, 655 Madison Avenue, New York 21, New York.

Local Nominating Committee:

Mary K. Fitzgerald, Chairman, Boston School Committee.

John C. Kiley, Jr., Boston Municipal Research Bureau.

Harry F. Keefe, Boston Citizens Council.

Francis E. Sullivan, Boston Bar Association.

Muriel S. Barnes, Greater Boston Chamber of Commerce.

Francis J. O'Connor, High School Teacher.

Philip J. Bond, Assistant Superintendent.

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Mr. Lee: On this matter of Ford Foundation scholarships, my thoughts run somewhat similar to Mr. Ward's. I think at any time where a body with great wealth undertakes to sponsor various educational programs, you always like to ask the question: Who is going to make the decisions as to how those allocations shall be apportioned?

Chairman: Well, Mr. Lee, I think that Mr. Bond can best answer that. Do you know how those selections are made or who selects the projects sponsored by the Ford Foundation, Mr. Bond?

Mr. Bond: That is up to the individual teacher.

Chairman: No, Mr. Bond. Mr. Lee, I believe, is asking about the approval of the individual projects. As outlined by the Superintendent, the local committee selects the teachers whom they recommend for scholarships.

Mr. Bond: That is right, and that recommendation goes to the Central Committee for further study.

Chairman: And do you know the personnel of that Central Committee?

Mr. Bond: I don't know the personnel.

Mr. Lee: Well, the point I was making is that when a group with great wealth makes that wealth available to certain teachers or for certain educational purposes, it must almost of necessity apportion that wealth in accord with the ideas of those who operate that fund.

Chairman: Mr. Lee, would you like me to read you the names of the people on the National Committee on High School Teacher Fellowships? That is part of the Fund for the Advancement of Education, Committee on High School Teacher Fellowships, of the Ford Foundation; located at 655 Madison Avenue, New York 21, New York, and some of the people serving on that Committee nationally are people whom this Committee knows well or the Superintendent knows well:

Mr. Harold B. Gores, Chairman; Superintendent of Schools, Newton, Massachusetts;

Mr. Omer Carmichael, Superintendent of Schools, Louisville, Kentucky;

Mr. Herbert C. Clish, Superintendent of Schools, San Francisco, California;

Mr. William H. Cornog, President, Central High School, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania;

Miss Marcia Edwards, Associate Dean, College of Education. University of Minnesota;

Mrs. Hortense H. Levisohn, Principal, William Howard Taft High School, New York, New York;

Mr. Lloyd Michael, Superintendent, Evanston Township High School, Evanston, Illinois;

Mr. William L. Pressly, President, The Westminster Schools, Atlanta, Georgia;

Mr. Gerhardt E. Rast, Superintendent of Schools, Westport, Connecticut;

Mr. Virgil M. Rogers, Dean of the School of Education, Syracuse University, New York.

Those are the people serving on the National Committee on High School Teacher fellowships of the Ford Foundation, and they are the people who will pass upon the projects offered by our teachers who are seeking subsidy by the Ford Foundation.

Mr. Lee: Well, Madam Chairman, in this case I do not expect to oppose these scholarships for these six people; but I do want to point out in passing that we introduce a somewhat new principle into American life when we see a very wealthy foundation come on the educational scene and distribute monies, and distribute them, as it must, according to its best judgment in the last analysis.

If such a body is a body of great wisdom, the decisions and the distribution will be wise; if it's a body of less wisdom, they will not be particularly wise.

I am inclined to think the several school committees of the country have had greater wisdom than any one single agency which, because of its great wealth, can influence education in those school systems.

I have not been impressed by many projects of the Ford Foundation such as some long study about what controls public opinion or what controls thinking—a profound metaphysical subject which they are apparently going to approach with a test tube and measuring stick, which seems to be extremely superficial.

Would you be able to sketch for us what projects or some samples of the projects these teachers have chosen?

Chairman: You mean the projects discussed this afternoon?

Mr. Lee: I mean the projects these teachers have in mind.

Chairman: There are several English teachers. One of them, for example, proposed that he visit other school systems and discover whether they have better methods of teaching or use better methods of teaching English than we do. He would like to go over some of the literature and English language courses offered in our public schools and go over the entire curriculum with reference to the teaching of English to find out whether there might be some improvements made in it.

He would like to discover, for example—and this by means of a trip to England—why the English public is a much greater reading public than the American public seems to be. He wants to find out if that is so; and, if so, why

It is so. He seems to have the opinion that, for example, book sales in England double and triple book sales in the United States of America. That is one of the projects, as I recall it.

Another teacher asked for the opportunity to study at Harvard University on the subjects of psychology and history. She happens to be a high school teacher who has found it practically impossible to take the kind of courses necessary to broaden her knowledge in both history and psychology and still be on our teaching force, and these same courses with this same subject matter would not be offered during the summer months when it would be possible for her to attend school. Those were two of the people who come to my mind.

Another wanted to become an attache to a local state senator or state representative for the purpose of studying the operation of local government. I think that project was a most original one. I never heard anything of its type proposed before. This teacher felt that the whole subject of the operation of local government was neglected in our teaching of history, civics and government in our high schools, and he is proposing to become attached to some member of the State Senate or at the State House, perhaps several members of the State Senate, to do the kind of work which would bring him into the inner workings of local government so he would understand such workings better.

Those are three of the projects that come to my mind. Perhaps Mr. Bond has others that he could summarize.

Mr. Bond: Yes. One wanted to go into the French classrooms of New England, the Middle West, and the Far West to study methods of presenting French. He had formerly taught in France under a Fulbright scholarship, and he felt his inadequacy in letting the French scholars know how French was taught in different parts of this country.

Chairman: Also, Mr. Bond, I think he had this in mind. He had heard in his travels as a teacher that the City of Cleveland does one of the most outstanding jobs in the teaching of modern foreign languages of any city in the country, and he wanted to find out, if that were true, why was it true so that we might, let's say, do as well as Cleveland does.

Mr. Bond: Another man is a teacher of corrective reading in his own high school and would like to study further in that field and visit other centers where corrective reading is taught so as to gain further techniques in teaching.

Mr. Keelon is a commercial teacher and is very much interested in modern business machines. He wants to visit different commercial houses where these machines are used and learn their operation with the object of introducing several new machines into the Boston course of study.

I think that about completes it.

Chairman: That covers, I think, all of the projects that we heard about, Mr. Bond, or that we discussed today. Are there any further questions on the Ford Foundation scholarships? Then, if there are not, are the members ready to vote on that? Would you call the roll, Miss Reynolds?

Mr. Lee: What are we voting on? What is the motion?

Chairman: The motion is to approve the applications of the six teachers nominated by the local nominating committee for Ford Foundation scholarships.

Mr. Lee: And approve their leaving us?

Mr. Carr: Madam Chairman, in voting in the affirmative for this motion, does that presume that we will grant them a year's leave of absence if, in the eyes of the Ford Foundation, they are to be selected?

Chairman: I think that would be true, and Mr. Bond points out that each of the teachers nominated is entitled to a sabbatical leave and could present such a request.

Mr. Bond: With the exception of one.

Chairman: With the exception of one, they are entitled to a sabbatical leave without any fellowship.

On roll call, the applications of the six teachers approved by the Local Nominating Committee were approved for transmission to the National Committee on High School Teacher Fellowships by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward 5.

NAYS—0.

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The Committee recessed at 6:35 P. M. and reassembled at 7:20 P. M., all members present.

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APPROVAL OF STATE-AIDED WORK

A communication was received from Walter J. Markham, Director, Division of Vocational Education, State Department of Education, under date of Feb. 21, 1955, reporting that the establishment of courses in Electric Motor Repair, Elevator Repair, Glass Worker, Linotype Machinist, Meat Cutting, Paper Cutting, and Silversmithing, as part of the Diversified Classes in the Boston Part-time Apprenticeship School, has been approved in accordance with plans set forth and submitted in memoranda on file in the office of the Division of Vocational Education in the Department of Education.

If the plans as submitted are carried out, the work of the courses in Electric Motor Repair, Elevator Repair, Glass Worker, Linotype Machinist, Meat Cutting, Paper Cutting, and Silversmithing as part of the Diversified Classes will be given approval, and the city of Boston recommended for reimbursement under the provisions of Chapter 71 of the General Laws, as amended, reimbursement to date from Oct. 18, 1954.

Placed on file.

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RETIREMENT ON PENSION

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Mar. 7, 1955, reporting the retirement from active service of the following-named veteran who has been retired under the provisions of Chapter 32 of the General Laws, as amended:

Brighton High School — Samuel R. Romano, cooperative instructor, Feb. 28, 1955, $3580.20 per annum.

Placed on file.

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RESIGNATIONS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Mar. 7, 1955, reporting the resignations of the following-named teachers, to take effect on the dates stated:

Boston Trade High School — Charles P. York, senior instructor, Feb. 18, 1955.

Department of Home Economics — Dora Forte Hastings, teacher of sewing, elementary, Feb. 28, 1954.

Accepted.

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LEAVES OF ABSENCE

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Mar. 7, 1955, recommending that leave of absence without pay for maternity be granted the following-named teachers, to take effect on the dates indicated and to continue until terminated by the Superintendent with the approval of the School Committee, provided that such leave shall be for a period of at least three months after the date of birth and provided further that no such leave shall in any event exceed eighteen months:

Theodore Lyman District — Elizabeth B. Shaw, teacher, elementary, Mar. 1, 1955.

Department of Home Economics—Sylvia H. O'Donnell, teacher of sewing, junior high, Feb. 1, 1955.

Department of Physical Education — Marilyn Brion, assistant, high school, physical education, Feb. 28, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the leaves of absence without pay were granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Mar. 7, 1955, recommending that leave of absence without pay be granted the following-named teacher for the term specified:

Emerson District — Mary F. Keefe, teacher, elementary, Feb. 20, 1955, to Feb. 19, 1956, inclusive.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the leave of absence without pay was granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Mar. 7, 1955, reporting that leave of absence for military service without pay has been granted the following-named teachers, to take effect on the dates stated, and to continue until otherwise ordered:

Hart-Gaston-Perry District — Francis A. Turley, teacher, elementary, Mar. 28, 1955.

Roger Wolcott District—Robert J. Bond, teacher, elementary, Mar. 28, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the leaves of absence without pay were granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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REPORT ON MARRIED TEACHERS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Mar. 7, 1955, reporting that, in accordance with the provisions of Section 283 of the regulations, the following-named female teachers have reported that they were married on the dates indicated:

Emerson District—Mary F. Duddy, teacher, elementary, married Feb. 19, 1955, new name Mary F. Keefe.

Emily A. Fifield-Gilbert Stuart District—Anna I. Horne, teacher, elementary, married Feb. 20, 1955, new name Anna I. Green.

Martin District—Elizabeth M. Kelleher, vice principal, married Feb. 19, 1955, new name Elizabeth M. Thornton.

Placed on file.

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TRANSFER OF SCHOOL PROPERTY

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the Cudworth School, Gove Street, East Boston, land and building, is no longer required for school purposes, and that the School Committee of the City of Boston, under General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 15A and the powers contained therein, recommends that the land and building thereon be transferred to the Board of Real Estate Commissioners, City of Boston.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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ATTENDANCE AT CONVENTIONS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Mar. 7, 1955, submitting, in accordance with the provisions of Section 3 of Chapter 274 of the Acts of 1914, report of Louis F. Musco, member, Boston School Committee, on his attendance at the Annual Meeting of the National School Board Association, Inc., held in St. Louis, Missouri, Feb. 24 to 26, 1955, inclusive.

Placed on file.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That Regina I. Driscoll, Assistant in charge, Classes for Conservation of Eyesight, is hereby authorized to attend the Prevention of Blindness Conference, to be held in New York City, Mar. 16, 17, and 18, 1955, at an expense to the City not to exceed eighty-five dollars ($85).

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS — Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward 5.

NAYS—0.

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ANNUAL REPORT, BOARD OF TRUSTEES, PERMANENT SCHOOL PENSION FUND

The following report of the Board of Trustees of the Permanent School Pension Fund, established under Chapter 589 of the Acts of 1908, as amended, and as codified by Chapter 468 of the Acts of 1951, as amended by Chapter 781 of the Acts of 1951, and Chapter 624 of the Acts of 1952, respectfully submits its forty-seventh report, which is for the financial year ending December 31, 1954, as follows:

Report

The Board of Trustees, as now organized, consists of:

Hollis D. Hatch, Chairman. Elected by the Board of Trustees of the Boston Public School Teachers' Retirement Fund, November 18, 1952. Term expires June 30, 1957.

Daniel J. O'Connell, Jr. Elected by the School Committee, November 3, 1948. Term expires June 30, 1958.

William B. Carolan, Chairman of the Board of Sinking Fund Commissioners. Term expires April 30, 1955.

During the period, the School Committee has made the following appropriation for the payment of pensions:

By transfer from unexpended accrued interest in the Permanent School Pension Fund, as approved by the Board of Trustees of the Fund:

November 8, 1954	$135,000.00
Balance unexpended, 1953	1,210.69
Reimbursement from Commonwealth under provisions of Chapter 289 of the Special Acts of 1916	296.712.74
Total	$432.923.43
Total payments to pensions during this period	$426.050.53
Balance	$6.872.90

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The following is a financial statement of the Permanent School Pension Fund for the financial year January 1 to December 31, 1954:

Principal Account

Cash

Balance of Cash, December 31, 1953		$290.74
Receipts:		
Investments matured	$24.599.25	
Appreciation on Investments	400.75	
		25.000.00
		$25.290.74
Payments:		
Investments Purchased	25.000.00	
Balance of Cash, December 31, 1954		$290.74

Investments

Book Value of Investments, December 31, 1953	$619.183.70
Investments Purchased, Etc.	
$25.000. United States Treasury 2½% Bonds due June 15, 1969/64 transferred from Income Account @ 100.	25.000.00
	$644.183.70
Investments Matured, Sold, Etc.	
$25.000. State of Illinois 4% Bonds due May 1, 1954, matured	24.599.25
Book Value of Investments December 31, 1954	619.584.45
Total of Principal Account, December 31, 1954	$619.875.19

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Income Account

Cash

Balance of Cash, December 31, 1953		$421.48
Receipts:		
Interest on Investments	$26.814.25	
Interest on Investments Sold	532.08	
Investments Sold, etc.	108.000.00	
		135.346.33
		$135.767.81
Payments:		
Depreciation of Investments	$752.22	
City of Boston for Pensions to Teachers	135.000.00	
		135.752.22
Balance of Cash, December 31, 1954		$15.59

Investments

Book Value of Investments, December 31, 1953	$344.000.00
Investments Sold, Etc.	
$25.000. United States Treasury 2½% Bonds due June 1969/64 transferred to Principal Account @ 100.	$25.000.00
$58.000. United States Treasury 2½% Bonds due June 15, 1969/64 sold to C. J. Devine & Co. @ 99 19/32	58.000.00
$25.000. Philadelphia Electric Co. 2¾% Bonds due November 1, 1974 sold to Tucker, Anthony & Co. @ 98¼	25.000.00
	108.000.00
Book Value of Investments, December 31, 1954	236.000.00
Total of Income Account, December 31, 1954	$236.015.59

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The pension roll now stands as follows:

Total number of pensioners at end of year 1953		298
Number added during year 1954:		
Annuitants and others at $180 or $300	0	
From the school service	10	10
		308
Deaths during the year:		
Annuitants and others at $180 or $300	0	
Others	21	21
		287

Total number placed on pension roll to date, including No. 1134 (Ellen S. Bloomfield No. 1096 appearing twice)	1133
Total deaths to date	946
	187

(Signed) Hollis D. Hatch
Daniel J. O'Connell, Jr.
William B Carolan
Board of Trustees

The report was accepted and ordered spread on the records.

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STATE AID FOR PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Mr. Musco: Madam Chairman, there is one other thing of vital importance, and that is the matter of that Statewide Committee for School Aid.

You asked me to bring back a report, and I submitted a seven page written report of progress of the Statewide Committee for School Aid. However, I would like to bring you up to date as there was a hearing held on last Wednesday, February 23rd.

House Bill 1567, a petition of Graham T. Winslow for legislation to increase state aid for public schools, was heard on February 23, 1955, in Room 480 at 10 A. M. before the Committee on Education.

House Chairman, John P. McMorrow, opened the hearing before an overflow crowd. Mr. McMorrow regretted that he was unable to obtain larger quarters for this hearing because every other large room was taken.

Mr. Samuel Atkinson opened the case for the State-Wide Committee for School Aid. In his remarks he reviewed briefly the general financial condition of education in Massachusetts and stressed the immediate need for relief upon the overburdened taxpayer. In Massachusetts today local property taxes pay 80% of the cost of education. This source of taxation is near the breaking point. With increased enrollments, teacher shortage, lagging school construction, statutory limitations on appropriating power, low salaries, and a desire to protect the money allotted for state aid to education, House Bill 1567 would double the present twenty-one million in state aid for public schools.

The new income to finance this twenty-one million dollars would come from two sources, namely, (1) elimination of the deduction in the state income tax of the Federal income tax payment; and (2) an increase of from 4% to 6% in the surtax on personal and corporation state income tax. (Manufacturing corporations would be exempt.)

The second speaker, Mr. Theodore Berard, Chairman of the Massachusetts Teachers Association, developed the history of General Laws, Chapter 70, which today allows twenty-one million dollars in state aid to public schools. For the past several years many bills for state aid to public education have been filed without much success. Today the true cost of public education in Massachusetts would be about 175 million dollars. Hence the base of taxation for public education must be widened to meet future needs.

The third speaker, Mr. Fred Pitkin, research director of the Massachusetts Teachers Association, stressed these facts: (1) In 1962 Massachusetts will need forty-two million dollars a year to aid its public schools because while pupil enrollments will increase 28%, the number of teachers needed will increase 24%. In 1954 the cost per pupil was about $274, but the low value of the dollar reduced this to about $219 per pupil. While the national increase in education was 48%, Massachusetts lagged far behind.

Chairman: This is on state aid?

Mr. Musco: That's right.

No. 2: That the United States Department of Education in its annual report for 1954 stated that the more money spent increases the quality of education on the grounds that high skills cost more.

Several members of the Legislature were recorded in favor of this legislation: Senator Mary L. Fonseca (D.) of Fall River, Senator George L. Evans (R.) of Wakefield, Rep. Carter Lee (R.) of Quincy, Rep. John P. McMorrow (D.) of Dorchester, Senator Mahar of Franklin and Hampshire, and John Coughlin of the Youth Service Board.

Chairman: That is Representative McMorrow?

Mr. Musco: Yes. You can tell by the names that this is the majority of the Committee on Education.

Graham T. Winslow, Chairman of the State-Wide Committee for School Aid, spoke about the origin, the members of the State-Wide group, and the purposes of H. 1567 and H. 1744.

The following groups of professional men and women had representatives speak in favor of this bill:

Massachusetts Congress of Parents and Teachers: Superintendent Gilson of Winchester; Stuart MacMillan, School Committee Organizations of Massachusetts; Professor Sprague of the Harvard School of Education, who proved that the Massachusetts Constitution upholds education as a state function; and Senator Fonseca of Bristol County, whose bill S. 232 has the same purpose as H. 1567.

Professor Simpson of the Harvard School of Education, who presented facts from the Chamberlain Report on Education (1915) as to the yardstick used to obtain money for state aid to education and the revaluation of the needs of education by a more powerful formula. As Massachusetts has led before in the educational field of America, the time for leadership is here again for her to lead. Massachusetts should be resolute and bold in State education.

Senator Evans, a member of the Committee on Education and a member of the powerful Fiscal Survey Committee, analyzed the cost of education in Massachusetts and suggested that a new formula should be used so that the cost of public education in Massachusetts today should be increased from twenty-one million to about thirty million dollars, an increase of about 43% to the Boston Public Schools.

The appearance of Chairman Mary K. Fitzgerald, Mr. Joseph Lee, and Mr. Louis F. Musco of the Boston School Committee before the Committee on Education strengthened the presentation of H. 1567.

The State-Wide Committee for School Aid, of which I personally am a member and also represent the Massachusetts Association of School Committees, wishes to express its appreciation to the Boston School Committee for its assistance in behalf of this bill. The audience reaction as shown by the questions asked about the various school committee members from Boston indicates that each speaker was a definite asset for H. 1567.

Senator Mary L. Fonseca expressed the belief that if the State-Wide Committee for School Aid would contact various members of the House and Senate, H. 1567 would become law.

It is also requested by the State-wide Committee for school aid that all persons, citizens, interested in this particular bill please contact their senators and representatives for a favorable reaction for further school aid.

Chairman: Mr. Musco, the Committee is grateful to you for serving on this committee as its representative and as a representative of the Massachusetts Association of School Committees.

Are there any questions of Mr. Musco concerning his report? Thank you very much for your presentation, Mr. Musco.

Mr. Musco: Madam Chairman, I only ask that these particular comments be placed in the public record so that every person interested in public schools who reads the paper can write to his representative and senator in relation to this particular bill which is in the interest of all the citizens of Boston—in fact, the whole Commonwealth.

Chairman: Thank you very much, Mr. Musco.

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The Committee adjourned.

Attest:

AGNES E. REYNOLDS
Secretary

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, April 11, 1955.

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 2 P.M., President HURLEY in the chair and all the members present.

The Reverend Albert J. Shea of St. James Roman Catholic Church, Boston, was escorted to the rostrum.

INVOCATION BY REV. ALBERT J. SHEA.

O Mighty God, Whose triumph over death and sin is joyfully acclaimed, look down with favor upon the members of the City Council of Boston assembled here for the government of their fellow citizens. On this Easter Day Thy divine power has proved its supremacy over all things. We pray that Thy humble servants, the members of this Council, may have a full realization of their responsibilities in using that power to guide their fellow men in the civic government; that they may use that power wisely and zealously with the understanding that one day they must render an account of it to an omnipotent judge. Grant that this City of Boston may progress not only in material values but to that spiritual goal which transcends all others. With gratitude for the blessings of the past, we beseech Thee to guide, to correct, and to bless us. Amen.

The meeting was opened with the salute to the Flag.

JURORS DRAWN.

Jurors were drawn in the manner prescribed by law, Councillor Kerrigan presiding at the box in the absence of the Mayor, viz.:

One hundred twelve additional traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, to appear May 16, 1955:

James A. Banks, Ward 1; Milton Chadwick, Ward 1; Peter Dellagrotte, Ward 1; Richard Diaz, Jr., Ward 1; William E. Nugent, Ward 1; Angelo Spinozzi, Ward 1; Salvatore Stella, Ward 1; Bartholomew J. Kiley, Ward 2; Doris H. McCree, Ward 2; Martin O'Halloran, Jr., Ward 2; Morris H. Horwitz, Ward 3; Anthony Lombardozzi, Ward 3; Paul R. Richards, Ward 3; David Schneider, Ward 3; Hector J. Barnett, Ward 4; George Feeney, Ward 4; Arthur C. McEachern, Ward 4; Ford H. Cooper, Ward 5; Chloe Curtis, Ward 5; Richard B. Salinger, Ward 5; David I. Welch, Ward 5; George J. Devine, Jr., Ward 6; Edward Hartung, Ward 6; George P. Kudrevich, Ward 6; George R. O'Connell, Ward 6; Charles B. Peck, Ward 6; Arthur G. Potter, Ward 6; Howard S. Coon, Jr., Ward 7; Bernice Tilenis, Ward 7; James F. Bruno, Ward 8; Elcanor McNeil, Ward 8; Peter G. Doucet, Ward 9; Gertrude M. Kenney, Ward 9; Leo Maxwell, Ward 9; James Peters, Jr., Ward 9.

William J. Boles, Ward 10; John P. Collins, Ward 10; M. Joseph Murray, Ward 10; William Bollous, Ward 11; Martin J. Brooks, Ward 11; Paul V. Carpentier, Ward 11; Arthur J. Champagne, Ward 11; Eileen M. Doherty, Ward 11; John Henderson, Ward 11; George C. Pratt, Ward 11; John S. Sullivan, Ward 11; Myer Finkel, Ward 12; Lawrence E. Jimpson, Ward 12; Wesley C. Knorr, Ward 12; John S. Murphy, Ward 12; Walter F. Murphy, Ward 12; Walter E. Riley, Ward 12; Bertha Weinberg, Ward 12; Evelyn D. Bornstein, Ward 13; Anthony P. Davulis, Ward 13; Leo F. DeMille, Ward 13; Marion P. Fairclough, Ward 13; William C. Gould, Jr., Ward 13; William J. Kenney, Ward 13; John A. Nicholson, Jr., Ward 13; Paul T. Sepeck, Ward 13; William J. Whalen, Ward 13; Milton Abrams, Ward 14; Gertrude Altman, Ward 14; Mary K. Barry, Ward 14; Bernard F. Goldberg, Ward 14; Joseph I. Klein, Ward 14; Charles N. Segelman, Ward 14; Abraham Shapiro, Ward 14; Harold Snyder, Ward 14; Richard R. Hall, Ward 15; James J. Hill, Ward 15; William F. Robb, Ward 15.

Joseph A. Camia, Ward 16; Catherine A. Drew, Ward 16; Carl W. Field, Ward 16; Charles J. Ohrenberger, Ward 16; James Randall, Ward 16; Linda May Ashcroft, Ward 17; Arthur J. Colgan, Ward 17; Catherine Kelly, Ward 17; Edward J. McCarthy, Ward 17; William H. McDevitt, Ward 17; James P. Petrakos, Ward 17; Patrick Vaughan, Ward 17; John S. Chestnut, Ward 18; Arthur L. Coombs, Ward 18; Rose Marie d'Eon, Ward 18; Isadore Kaplan, Ward 18; Lena Tobin, Ward 18; Dorothy M. Easterbrook, Ward 19; Thomas A. Henry, Ward 19; Arnold S. Meyer, Ward 19; John F. Mulhern, Ward 19; Walter Henry Cooper, Ward 20; Elizabeth A. Griffin, Ward 20; George D. Nicoll, Ward 20; John F. Finn, Ward 21; Graham L. Johnston, Ward 21; Leo F. Kane, Ward 21; Max Miller, Ward 21; William Poltorak, Ward 21; Thomas W. Riggins, Ward 21; Clara E. Thompson, Ward 21; Victor F. Wilson, Ward 21; John M. Boland, Ward 22; Clifford Oland Bowen, Ward 22; Michael B. Hawkins, Ward 22; William F. Hogan, Ward 22; John N. Ruggero, Ward 22; George L. Speers, Ward 22; Samuel B. Wolf, Ward 22.

RESIGNATION OF LOUIS E. GRACE.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, April 11, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

You are hereby notified that I have accepted the resignation of Louis E. Grace, 97 Wellington Hill street, Mattapan, as constable authorized to serve civil process, as of April 7, 1955.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENTS BY THE MAYOR.

Subject to confirmation by the Council, the Mayor submitted the following appointments:

Constables with authority to serve civil process upon filing of bond for the term ending April 30, 1956: Edward F. Galvin, 11 Herman street, Roxbury; James M. Bushlow, 211 East Cottage street, Dorchester.

Referred to the Committee on Confirmations.

PROGRESS OF STUDY ON PROPOSED RENT INCREASES IN CHAPTER 372 HOUSING.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, April 11, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the chairman of the Boston Housing Authority relative to your order of March 21, 1955, concerning possible increases in rentals in multiple-dwelling units constructed under chapter 372 of the Acts of 1946.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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Boston Housing Authority,
April 6, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Subject: City Council Order of March 21, 1955, on Chapter 372 Rentals.

Dear Mayor Hynes:

In reply to your letter of March 24, 1955, on the above-referenced order, you are advised that this order was discussed at the Authority meeting of March 30, 1955.

The matter of the revision of rentals in the Chapter 372 multiple dwellings is still under study, and no changes will be made without consultation with the City Council Committee on Public Housing.

Very truly yours,
JAMES J. MAHAR, Chairman.

Placed on file.

TRAFFIC PLAN FOR JAMAICA-ARBORWAY AREA.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, April 11, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Public Works relative to your resolution of April 4, 1955, concerning a traffic plan for the Jamaica-Arborway section of Boston.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Public Works Department,
April 7, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.

Dear Mr. Flemming:

This is in reference to the following order that was passed in the City Council under date of April 4:

"Whereas, It has been announced by Mr. Greenough that the Metropolitan District Commission intends to improve the Jamaica-Arborway; and

"Whereas, Legislation is now on file to improve the traffic conditions on that thoroughfare; therefore be it

"Resolved, That the Boston City Council, herein assembled, requests the Traffic Commissioner and the Public Works Commissioner to offer a traffic plan which would best suit the citizens of Boston insofar as the Jamaica-Arborway is concerned."

It is my intention to take up this matter with Commissioner Greenough, and request that arrangements be made for a conference on this matter with Commissioner Reilly and the undersigned at the time that preliminary plans are being prepared.

I am certain that we will be able to come to a satisfactory agreement with the M.D.C. concerning the development and construction of an improved artery to replace or supplement the Arborway.

Respectfully yours,
GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Placed on file.

CONTRACTS FOR COLLECTION AND REMOVAL OF REFUSE.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, April 11, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

In accordance with the provisions of chapter 486, section 6, Statutes of 1909, it is required that contracts for collection of garbage and refuse in excess of one year be approved by the City Council.

I forward herewith communication from the Commissioner of Public Works recommending such approval in the case of contracts covering the East Boston district and the West Roxbury district of our city. These contracts are continued until March 31 of 1958.

Contracts in excess of one year are advantageous to the city, and it is the policy of this administration to stabilize collection procedure so that this type of contract will be for periods of two or three years. By such procedure the City of Boston can save substantial monies, as in the present case of the West Roxbury area, where the saving on long-term contract basis amounts to over $10,000 per year.

I respectfully request approval of your Honorable Body of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Public Works Department,
April 7, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

Under date of March 23, 1955, your Honor approved the awarding of two-month contracts — effective April 1 of the current year — for collecting and removing garbage and refuse in District 2, East Boston, and District 5A, West Roxbury, pending the approval of the City Council to the award of contracts in excess of one year to the contractors to whom the above-referenced short-term contracts were awarded. Your Honor also approved the awarding of 34-month contracts — effective June 1 of this year — in Districts 2 and 5A, with the understanding that the contracts for the latter-referenced periods would not be valid unless approved by the City Council, in accordance with the provisions of section 6 of the City Charter.

Following the procedure established by the Law Department two years ago, I submit herewith two executed copies of each contract document for the above-referenced districts for a 34-month period, from June 1, 1955, to March 31, 1958. The attached contract documents cover the districts listed below:

District 2, East Boston, Milano Brothers, Inc., closed trucks, from June 1, 1955, to March 31, 1958, $7,328 a month.

District 5A, West Roxbury, Frank J. Cavaliere, closed trucks, from June 1, 1955, to March 31, 1958, $10,350 a month.

The above-referenced contractors are exceptionally qualified, and the award of contracts for three-year periods instead of one-year periods will result in a saving of at least $10,200 annually to the city under the terms of the contract for the West Roxbury area. The contractor in the East Boston district bid the same per month for the one-year contract as for the three-year contract. Nevertheless, I feel that it is in the best interests of the city to award contracts over the three-year period in that district. Long-term contracts unquestionably are advantageous to the city, to the contractors, and also to the contractors' employees, and in the not too distant future all refuse collection contracts in the city, in my opinion, will be for two- or three-year periods.

At the present time current contracts are in effect in four districts for garbage and refuse collection work in excess of one-year periods; said contracts being awarded after obtaining the necessary approval of the City Council.

I respectfully recommend that the attached orders providing for the award of the above-referenced contracts be forwarded to the City Council for the approval of that Body.

Respectfully yours,
GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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Ordered, That contracts made by the Commissioner of Public Works in the name and behalf of the City of Boston for the collection and removal of refuse be, and hereby are, approved under St. 1909, c. 486, s. 6, as follows:

1. Contract with Milano Brothers, Inc., for the collection and removal of refuse from District 2 (East Boston), so called, during the two-year ten-month period beginning June 1, 1955, and ending March 31, 1958.

2. Contract with Frank J. Cavaliere for the collection and removal of refuse from District 5A (West Roxbury), so called, during the two-year ten-month period beginning June 1, 1955, and ending March 31, 1958.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committees named.

Claims.

General Exchange Insurance Corporation, for compensation for damage to car of Jacob Harris caused by city car.

Benjamin Ginsburg, for compensation for injuries and damage to property caused by an alleged defect at 50 State street.

Augusta L. Heinstein, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Bowdoin park, Dorchester.

Ethel Kruger, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 251 Normandy street, Dorchester.

Mary T. Minahan, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 36 Ansonia road, West Roxbury.

John F. Neilson, to be reimbursed as result of execution issued against him on account of his acts as employee of Public Works Department, Sanitary Division.

Cary and Francis Orlandi, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Cornell street, Roslindale.

Max Sinrich, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 108 Washington street, Brighton.

Starr Book Company, for compensation for damage to property at 103 Washington street, Boston, caused by defective catch basin.

Maurice Vandersnolk, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Cornell street, Roslindale.

Sophie Wolotsky, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Cheney street, Roxbury.

PERMITS FOR CHILDREN.

Petitions for children under fifteen years of age to appear at places of public amusement were received as follows:

Edwin Binney, John Hancock Hall, April 28.
Mary Campbell, John Hancock Hall, June 7.
Edna C. Johnson, Brown Hall, June 5.
Permits granted under usual conditions.

APPLICATION FOR SHELLFISH PERMIT.

Application for commercial use shellfish permit, was received from John McCormack, 37 Port Norfolk street, Dorchester, Ward 16.

Referred to the Committee on Licenses.

PETITION FOR RETIREMENT.

Petition of Joseph A. Devine, deputy master in the House of Correction, Penal Institutions Department, for retirement as a veteran.

Referred to the Committee on Claims.

NOTICES FROM DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES.

Notice was received from the Department of Public Utilities of hearing to be held April 22 at 10 A.M. on petition of the Metropolitan Transit Authority for leave to erect pole on easterly side of Walk Hill street, between Washington street and Hyde Park avenue.

Placed on file.

Notice was received from the Department of Public Utilities of hearing to be held April 20 at 10 A.M. on petition of the Metropolitan Transit Authority for license to operate motor vehicles on Columbus avenue, between Washington street and Tremont street, and on Tremont street between Columbus avenue and Broadway.

Referred to the Committee on Licenses.

RENAMING PRIVATE WAYS.

The following was received:

City of Boston.
In Public Improvement Commission.
March 1, 1955.

An order of this Commission, approved by his Honor the Mayor, assigning the names of private ways open to public travel in the City of Boston was recorded in the Registry of Deeds on February 28, 1955, in accordance with chapter 55, Acts of 1951, as amended by chapter 74, Acts of 1953.

The following private ways were renamed in this order:

Abbotsford Terrace, Dorchester, now St. Jude Terrace.
Adams Avenue, Hyde Park, now Maida Terrace.
Adams Place, Charlestown, now Bannock Place.
Adams Place, Roxbury, now Dade Street.
Addington Road, West Roxbury, now Maple Street (Extension).
Airport Street, East Boston, now Aramon Street.
Alpine Terrace, Roxbury, now Circuit Terrace.
Alta Crest, West Roxbury, now Altacrest Road.
Arch Place, Boston Proper, now Archway Street.
Arlington Terrace, Boston Proper, now Pelham Terrace.
Ashland Terrace, West Roxbury, now Ashwood Terrace.
Ashley Avenue, East Boston, now Palermo Street.
Auburn Avenue, Charlestown, now Auburn Terrace.
Austin Avenue, Dorchester, now Stoughton Terrace.
Ballou Place, Dorchester (from Norfolk Street to railroad), now Balina Place.
Bancroft Street, Dorchester, now Argyle Terrace.
Barry Place, Hyde Park, now Barry Street.
Bartlett Terrace, Roxbury, now Bonell Terrace.
Batchelder Terrace, Roxbury, now Centre Street Terrace (Extension).
Bellevue Terrace, Roxbury, now Linwood Square.
Bernard Street, Dorchester, now New England Avenue.
Berwick Street, Hyde Park, now Vernon Street.
Bicknell Avenue, Roxbury, now Roxbury Terrace.
Binney Place, Roxbury, now Aaron Place.
Bismarck Street South, Dorchester, now Bismarck Street.
Blanchard Street, Hyde Park, now Imbaro Road.
Bowdoin Square, Dorchester, now Dakota Terrace.
Brighton Street Avenue, Boston Proper, now Auton Way.
Brook Street, Dorchester, now Sturtevant Street
Buffalo Street, Brighton, now Guest Street.
Bunker Hill Terrace, Charlestown, now Tufts Terrace.
C Street, Roxbury, now Napa Street.
Calder Place, West Roxbury, now Candor Place.
Camden Place, Boston Proper, now Neville Place.
Canton Street Court, Boston Proper, now Canton Court.
Canton Street Place, Boston Proper, now Canton Place.
Caspar Street, West Roxbury, now Kiernan Road.
Cemo Road, West Roxbury, now Crockers Lane.
Clapp Street, Roxbury, now Toland Court.
Clarendon Avenue, West Roxbury, now Claron Street.
Clarendon Court, West Roxbury, now Delano Court.
Columbia Avenue, Dorchester, now Cottrell Street.
Cottage Avenue, West Roxbury (from Howitt Road to Sparrow Street), now St. Theresa Avenue.
Cottage Avenue, West Roxbury (from Sparrow Street to Maplewood Street), now Maplewood Street.
Cottage Place, Roxbury, now Medina Way.
Cottage Street, East Boston, now Neptune Terrace.
Craft Street, Roxbury, now Craftson Way.
Cranston Road, West Roxbury, now Courtney Road.
Cross Street Avenue, Charlestown, now Holston Street.
Cross Street Court, Charlestown, now Hilary Street.
Cummington Street, Boston Proper, now Babbitt Street.
D Street, South Boston, now Ramp Street.
Damrell Avenue, Hyde Park, now Danny Road.
Davis Place, Roxbury (from 879 Albany street), now Velmar place.
Davis Place, Roxbury (from 32 Webber Street), now Webber Place.
Depot Square, West Roxbury, now Woolsey Square.
Depot Street, Brighton, now Thor Terrace.
Devens Street Place, Charlestown, now Vendon Place.
Dexter Court, Dorchester, now Sexton Court.
Dexter Place, South Boston, now Transit Street.
Downer Street, Dorchester, now Howe Terrace.
Dromey Avenue, Dorchester, now Dromey Street.
Dunn Court, Dorchester, now Dunn Street.
Dunn's Park, Dorchester, now Dunn Street.
Eliot Avenue, Hyde Park, now Ernest Avenue.
Elm Place, Hyde Park, now Business Terrace.
Farragut Court, South Boston, now Admiral Court.
Fencourt, Roxbury, now Fencourt Street.
Fenton Place, Dorchester, now Marlin Way.
Florence Street East, West Roxbury, now Florian Street.
Forest Avenue, Hyde Park, now Forestvale Road.
Forest Street, Dorchester, now Fellsway Street.
Forest Street, Hyde Park, now Meadowview Road.
Fremont Place, Roxbury, now Nathan Street.
Fulton Street, Dorchester, now Franklin Street.
Furbush Court, Charlestown, now Gurnet Court.
Gerald Road, Hyde Park, now Belnap Road.
Glendower Street, West Roxbury, now Glencliff Road.
Granger Place, Dorchester, now Duncan Terrace.
Grant Avenue, Brighton, now Wilton Terrace.
Grant Place, Brighton, now Rotterdam Street.
Greenmount Street Court, Dorchester, now Greenmount Place.
Greenwich Street, Roxbury, now Greenwich Court.
Groveland Street, Dorchester (from Manchester Street to Maryknoll Street), now Maryknoll Street.
Groveland Street, Dorchester (from Maryknoll Street northerly), now Maryknoll Terrace.
Hamilton Alley, Boston Proper, now Jenton Way.
Hampstead Road, West Roxbury, now Hampstead Lane.
Harvard Place, Brighton, now Argus Place.
Hawthorne Avenue, Roxbury, now Kenway Terrace.
Hawthorne Street, Hyde Park, now Millstone Road.
Hayden Terrace, Roxbury, now Archer Terrace.
High Street, West Roxbury (from northeast of East to railroad), now Noone Street.
High Street, West Roxbury (from Stony Brook to 375 feet south of 4648 Washington Street), now Highpoint Road.
Highfield Street, Hyde Park, now Edgecliff Street.
Highland Park, Roxbury, now Fort Avenue Terrace.
Homer Street, East Boston, now Wordsworth Terrace.
Homestead Park, Roxbury, now Ruthven Park.
Humboldt Park, Roxbury, now Bower Court.
Hunneman Place, Roxbury, now Lamar Place.
Hutchins Avenue, Roxbury, now Nira Avenue.
James Avenue, South Boston, now Jason Terrace.
Jefferson Street, Hyde Park, now Cromwell Road.
Langdon Street, Roxbury, now Napa Street.
Laurel Road, Hyde Park, now Camelia Road.
Lawrence Avenue, Charlestown, now Lawrence Terrace.
Liberty Street, South Boston, now Liberty Place.
Linden Place, South Boston, now Salerno Place.
Linden Street, Hyde Park, now Lawton Street.
Liverpool Avenue, East Boston, now Coppersmith Way.
Longwood Terrace, Roxbury, now Brookwood terrace.
Lubec Street, East Boston (from Prescott Street to Lovell Street), now Lovell Street.
Lubec Street, East Boston (from Swift Street to M.T.A. location), now Swift Terrace.
Lynde Avenue, Charlestown, now Lynton Street.
Madison Street, Hyde Park (from Hyde Park Avenue to beyond Bradlee Street), now Meacham Street.
Mascoma Street, Dorchester, now Intervale Terrace.
McLellan Street, Boston Proper, now Millburn Place.
Mechanic Street North, Brighton, now Craftsman Street.
Merriam Place, Roxbury, now Thornton Terrace.
Milton Street, East Boston, now Horace Street.
Mission Street, Roxbury, now Judge Street.
Monument Lane, Charlestown, now Boswell Lane.
Moulton Avenue, Charlestown, now Moulton Way.
Mt. Ida Terrace, Dorchester, now Elba Terrace.
Mt. Vernon Avenue, Brighton, now Rushmore Street.
Myrtle Place, Dorchester, now Magnolia Place.
Neponset Street, Dorchester, now Point Road.
Newburn Place, Hyde Park, now Navarre Place.
Newburn Street, Hyde Park, now Navarre Street.
North Avenue, West Roxbury, now Northdale Avenue.
Oakdale Avenue, West Roxbury, now Pinecliff Road.
Oakland Avenue, Roxbury, now Bard Avenue.
Oakland Park, Brighton, now Oakland Place.
Oliver Place, Boston Proper, now Ping On Street.
Orleans Street, East Boston, now Vienna Street.
Parker Place, Roxbury (from Parker Hill Avenue), now Parker Hill Place.
Parker Place, Roxbury (from Terrace Street to railroad), now Terrace Place.
Percy Street, West Roxbury, now St. Mark Street (Extension).
Plymouth Court, Roxbury, now Treadwell Court.
Plymouth Street, Dorchester, now Dolphin Street.
Prentiss Place, Roxbury, now Kenesaw Terrace.
Prospect Avenue, Charlestown, now Prospect Terrace.
Prospect Street, West Roxbury, now Constance Road.
Rena Street, Brighton, now Western Place.
Richrow Street, Dorchester, now Caryll Street.
Riverside Place, Dorchester, now Riverbank Place.
Roach's Court, Dorchester, now Druce Court.
Rockland Street, West Roxbury, now Rockport Street.
Ross Terrace, Dorchester, now Savin Hill Terrace.
Roughan Terrace, Charlestown, now Kresson Terrace.
Rowe Place, West Roxbury, now Legion Place.
Russ Terrace, Dorchester, now Fox Point Road.
St. Alphonsus Avenue, Roxbury, now Utah Way.
Sharp Street, Dorchester, now Mather Court.
Sinclair Place, Brighton, now Sinclair Road.
Smith Avenue, Boston Proper, now Sabine Avenue.
Sorrento Street, Brighton, now West Sorrento Street.
Spring Terrace, Roxbury, now Bower Terrace.
Stanley Street, Hyde Park, now Stanbro Street.
Stark Avenue, Hyde Park, now Vallaro Road.
Struzziery Terrace, West Roxbury, now Lilac Terrace.
Sumner Road, Dorchester, now Sumner Square.
Sunny Terrace, Roxbury, now Dewey Terrace.

Sunnyside Road, Hyde Park, now Sunapee Road.
Sunset Circle, Dorchester, now Stanley Street.
Tileston Square, Boston Proper, now Teel Street.
Trumbull Street, East Boston, now Trident Street.
Union Court, Charlestown, now Ulene Court.
Union Terrace, West Roxhury, now Yale Terrace.
Upland Street, West Roxbury, now Ascent Street.
Unnamed way, Boston Proper (from 118 Oliver Street), now Boates Court.
Upton Court, Brighton, now Hague Street.
Van Ness Place, Roxbury, now Dunreath Terrace.
Vaughan Street, Hyde Park, now Chesterfield Street.
Wait Place, Roxhury, now Waymount Place.
Wait Street, Roxhury, now Waymount Street.
Wales Place, Dorchester, now Rockmount Street.
Walker Avenue, Charlestown, now Biscoe Place.
Walnut Street Court, Dorchester, now Walnut Court.
Washburn Avenue, East Boston (from Walley Street to Belle Isle Inlet), now Walley Street.
Washington Avenue, East Boston, now Chelsea Terrace.
Washington Street, Dorchester, now Vulcan Street.
Washington Heights Avenue, West Roxbury, now Weymouth Avenue.
Washington Heights Avenue East, West Roxbury, now Woodley Avenue.
Waupello Road, East Boston, now Shawsheen Road.
Way Place, Roxbury, now Copeland Park.
Welles Park, West Roxbury, now Wellsmere Park.
West Street, East Boston, now Westbrook Street.
Williams Court, Boston Proper, now Pie Alley.
Williams Street Terrace, Roxbury, now Williams Square.
Winslow Place, Roxbury, now Ballinger Place.
Winslow Street, West Roxbury, now Sherhrook Street.
Winthrop Place, Roxbury, now Gary Street.

GEORGE G. HYLAND, Chairman,
HERMAN CARP,
WM. ARTHUR REILLY,
Public Improvement Commission.

Approved: February 25, 1955,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor of Boston.

A True Copy.
Attest:
MICHAEL J. CORRAO,
Secretary.

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT OF HAROLD L. VAUGHAN.

Notice was received from the Board of Assessors of appointment of Harold L. Vaughan, 46 Deckard street, Roxbury, as permanent assistant assessor.
Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT OF FRANCIS W. GENS.

Notice was received from the Health Commissioner of appointment of Francis W. Gens, 49 Burroughs street, Jamaica Plain, as director of section of environmental sanitation.
Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT OF NICOLA FERROVIA.

Notice was received from the Health Department of appointment of Nicola Ferrovia, 9 Telegraph street, South Boston, as collector of samples, at $63 per week, effective April 6, 1955.
Placed on file.

APPROVAL OF CONSTABLES' BONDS.

The constables' bonds of the following, having been duly approved hy the Collector-Treasurer, were received and approved hy the Council: Henry Atwood, Phillip S. Phillips, Jacoh E. Schrank, Joseph P. Schrank, Edward W. Sheehan, Clifford L. Smith, William Tatel.

AMENDMENTS TO COUNTY CLASSIFICATION AND COMPENSATION PLAN.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Law Department, April 11, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

On April 4, 1955, your Honorable Body passed an order requesting me to prepare an order "fixing the compensation grade of the Correction Officer at the Charles Street Jail as Grade 18 and the specialized Jail Officer as Grade 19." I construe this as a request to prepare an order fixing Grade 18 as the compensation grade of jail officer and Grade 19 as the compensation grade of jail officer and electrician, jail officer and mechanic, jail officer and assistant steward, jail officer and storekeeper, jail officer and receiver, jail officer and photographer, and jail officer and clerk.

I understand that there are 39 jail officers and, in addition, 9 jail officers with specialty. The change in compensation grade would result in a weekly salary increase of $5 for some, $6 for others, and $7 for others, depending upon each officer's length of service. The proposed change, even if it did not become effective until June 1, would thus involve an expenditure in the current year exceeding $7,000. Examination of that part of the hudget dealing with personal services at the jail discloses not only no sum available for salary increases but a deduction of $9,213 for anticipated salary savings. In the circumstances, so far as I am aware, there is no appropriation available for the changes in compensation grade proposed. Since an appropriation is unquestionably a necessary antecedent to a valid salary increase (*see* Adalian Brothers, Inc., *v.* Boston, 323 Mass. 629, 630-631, and cases cited, also Opinion of the Justices, 323 Mass. 764, 767, and cases cited, also St. 1909, ch. 486, sec. 16), I must accordingly decline to prepare the order requested.

Respectfully,
WILLIAM L. BAXTER,
Corporation Counsel.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

COMMUNICATION FROM PRESIDENT MAXWELL OF BOSTON COLLEGE.

A communication was received from President Joseph R. N. Maxwell, S.J., President of Boston College, thanking the City Council for its expression of appreciation for the work done at Boston College in sponsoring the series of seminars on the problems of Boston.
Placed on file.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON LICENSES.

Coun. HAILER, for the Committee on Licenses, submitted the following:

1. Report on notice from the Department of Public Utilities (referred March 28) of hearing on petition of Metropolitan Transit Authority for license to operate motor vehicles over various streets hetween 12 midnight and 6 A.M.—recommending that same he placed on file.
2. Report on notice of hearing from the Department of Puhlic Utilities (referred March 28) of hearing to he held on petition of Pierce Bus Lines, Inc., for license to operate motor vehicles over Turtle Pond Parkway—recommending that same be placed on file.
3. Report on notice from the Department of Puhlic Utilities (referred March 21) of hearing to he held on petition of the Boston Edison Company for exemption of land between Southwood and Woodbine streets, Roxbury, and substation from operation of the zoning law—recommending that same he placed on file.

The reports were accepted, and the notices were severally placed on file.

4. Report on applications (referred March 7) for commercial use shellfish permits, of the following: Rohert P. McGee, Roy Kneeland—recommending that permits he granted.
5. Report on application (referred March 28) for commercial use shellfish permit for Robert E. Kneeland—recommending that permit be granted.

The reports were accepted, and the permits were severally granted under the usual conditions.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFIRMATIONS.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN, for the Committee on Confirmations, submitted the following:

1. Report on appointment by the Mayor (referred March 14) of Louis E. Grace as constahle authorized to serve civil process upon filing of bond for the term ending April 30, 1956—recommending that no further action is necessary.

The report was accepted.

2. Report on appointments by the Mayor (referred April 4) of Francis W. Sprague, Carl H. Olson, George E. White as weighers of goods for term ending April 30, 1956—recommending that appointments he confirmed.

The report was accepted, and the question came on confirmation. Committee, Councillors White and Piemonte. Whole numher of hallots 9, yeas 9, and the appointments were confirmed.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC LANDS.

Coun. HAILER, for the Committee on Puhlic Lands, submitted the following:

1. Report on message of the Mayor and order (referred February 7) relative to lease of certain portions of municipal building at 500 Columhia road, Dorchester, to the United States of America—recommending that same ought to pass.
2. Report on message of the Mayor and order (referred March 28) relative to lease of space in Curtis Hall Building to the United States of America—recommending that same ought to pass.
3. Report on message of the Mayor and order (referred March 28) for lease of certain portions of land at Long Island to the United States of America—recommending that same ought to pass.

The reports were accepted, and the orders were severally passed.

4. Report on order (referred April 4) accepting chapter 36 of Acts of 1955 authorizing the City of Boston to sell certain park land therein to the Hehrew Home for Aged—recommending that same ought to pass.

The report was accepted, and the order was passed.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN and WHITE requested that they he recorded as heing opposed to the passage of the foregoing order.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ORDINANCES.

Coun. PIEMONTE, for the Committee on Ordinances, suhmitted the following:

Report on message of Mayor and ordinance (referred March 21) transferring to the Commissioner of Public Works the powers and duties of the Parks and Recreation Commission with respect to Commonwealth avenue, other than the portion thereof, hetween Arlington street and Beacon street—recommending that same ought to pass.

The report was accepted and the ordinance was passed.

SALARIES OF FIRE FIGHTERS.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Whereas, There is no fundamental distinction between a municipal employee and an employee in private industry. A city worker must provide his family with food, clothing, shelter, medical care, and other necessities of life precisely as any other worker must; and

Whereas, In most cases the city worker has a job which requires skill, duties and responsihilities similar to jobs in private industry. The fact that he is a "Public" employee does not dictate that he be treated differently from other workers as a second-class citizen; and

Whereas, Boston Fire Fighters Local 718 has been conducting a campaign for the past three (3) years to show why the Boston fire fighters should he granted a yearly wage of $4,500; and

Whereas, Boston fire fighters have fallen steadily behind in regard to wages as compared to the wages paid to professional fire fighters in all of the large cities in Canada and the United States; and

Whereas, All municipal employees surrender, either hy law or hy weight of public opinion, certain rights granted to employees in private industry, the most important of these being the right to strike; and

Whereas, If municipal workers' rights of economic force are taken away, they must at the very least, he provided with an honest and impartial hearing of their grievances; and

Whereas, Under the reorganization of the departments of the City of Boston there was created the Administrative Services Department which states their duties as in section four (4) as follows: "The Supervisor of Personnel shall — (b) make a continuing study of personnel problems, employment conditions and economic changes affecting the several departments of the city," and further states as follows: "(d) supervise the administration of all compensation plans established for employees of the city and recommend such changes in those plans as from time to time shall seem to him necessary or advisahle"; therefore, he it

Resolved, That the Boston City Council request the Supervisor of Personnel in conjunction with the Director of Administrative Services conduct at once, a survey and make a study of salaries of fire fighters in the several large cities of this country, and as a result of this study, recommend such changes that will bring the Boston fire fighters up to the standards where they belong and a copy of their recommendations he submitted to the Mayor, City Council, and Boston Fire Fighters Local 718 as soon as possible.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF CITIZENS FISCAL SURVEY COMMITTEE.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor appoint a Citizens Fiscal Survey Committee whose total memhership shall he an odd number of not less than nine, nor more than fifteen persons, representing, but not limited to, the following organizations: C. I. O., A. F. of L., Greater Boston Chamher of Commerce, Retail Trade Board, Boston Bar Association, Boston Real Estate Board, and the Port of Boston Commission, for the following purposes:

No. 1. To study, analyze and coordinate all presently existing proposals offered for the improvement of the general economic well-being of the City of Boston, with a view towards developing a definite official policy and program and to coordinate this policy and program with the policies and programs presently heing developed by the Boston Planning Board and with the policies and programs of such civic organizations as the Greater Boston Chamber of Commerce.

No. 2. To study the present organizational structure of the City of Boston to determine whether or not any services presently being provided by the City of Boston can be reduced, transferred to another governmental unit, or operated with nearby communities on a joint basis without impairing the proper operation of city government and without interfering with the health, safety, and the general welfare of the citizens of Boston.

No. 3. To study the present tax structure of the City of Boston with a view towards developing a proposed new tax structure, the object of which shall be to:

(a) Broaden the tax base of the City of Boston;
(b) Reduce the taxes on real property;
(c) Correct tax inequities; and be it further

Ordered, That said committee prepare a written report of its findings and recommendations for submission to his Honor the Mayor and the members of the Boston City Council not later than November 1, 1955, so that whatever legislation is needed to effectuate whatever program may be developed by this committee and accepted by his Honor the Mayor and the Boston City Council may be prepared for submission to the Great and General Court of the Commonwealth, for its consideration at its sitting commencing in January of 1956; and be it further

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor consider the advisability of providing an appropriation of $25,000 in a supplementary budget to enable this committee to properly fulfill its purposes and avail itself of necessary expert and clerical assistance.

Coun. McCORMACK moved that the order be amended by inserting after the letters "A. F. of L." the letters "I. L. A." The motion was carried.

On motion of Councillor Ahearn the order as amended was referred to the Executive Committee.

CONGRATULATIONS TO TONY DeMARCO.

President HURLEY declared a recess while the welterweight champion of the world, Tony DeMarco, was escorted to the rostrum. On behalf of the entire membership of the Council, President HURLEY presented him with copies of two resolutions passed by the Council on April 4, 1955, congratulating him on his achievements.

The champion made a brief speech thanking the members of the Council and promised to strive to continue to merit the confidence reposed in him.

SICK LEAVE FOR SCHOOL TEACHERS.

Coun. AHEARN offered the following:

Whereas, The teachers of the City of Boston are governed by different rules and regulations with respect to sick leave than other city employees; and

Whereas, It is considered fair and equitable to place school teachers on the same basis as all other employees with respect to allowances for sick leave, now therefore be it

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor is hereby requested to investigate the matter of sick leave for Boston school teachers with a view to giving the teachers of the City of Boston the same rights as all other city employees with respect to sick leave.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

PUBLISHERS OF COMIC BOOKS.

Coun. AHEARN offered the following:

Whereas, The printing, publication, sale, and distribution of certain comic books containing accounts of criminal deeds, of bloodshed, lust, or crime have a decidedly bad effect on our juvenile population, and such reading material should be prohibited; and

Whereas, Twenty-seven publishers of comic magazines have banded together and appointed their own censor, who promises to set up the "strongest code of ethics ever adopted by a mass-media industry"; and

Whereas, All publishers of undesirable comic books and similar publications should follow this excellent example and cooperate; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Boston City Council in meeting assembled congratulates and commends the twenty-seven publishers who have voluntarily agreed to refrain from publishing undesirable and indecent comic books and to abide by a strict code of ethics; and be it further

Resolved, That the Boston City Council calls upon all the other publishers of comic magazines in the country to join with said twenty-seven publishers in following a proper code of ethics and thereby aiding in the campaign against juvenile delinquency through the abolition of indecent and improper comic books.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

SPOTLIGHTS ON ARTERIAL HIGHWAY.

Coun. HURLEY and AHEARN offered the following:

Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts be requested by his Honor the Mayor to have spotlights erected on the new arterial highway in the vicinity of the Sumner Tunnel to give additional protection to those police officers assigned to traffic duty there in the early evening and at night.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

FIELDS CORNER PARKING AREA.

Coun. HAILER and McCORMACK offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor request the Commissioner of Real Property to reopen the study on a parking area at Fields Corner and submit a report on the status of this project to the City Council.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

LEGISLATION FOR CONSTRUCTION OF HOTEL AND CONVENTION HALL.

Coun. HAILER offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor he requested to study the possibility of legislation for the purpose of obtaining a bond issue to be used for the construction of a 2,000–2,500-room hotel and a convention hall in the Back Bay area.

On motion of Councillor McLaughlin, the foregoing order was referred to the Executive Committee.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CLAIMS.

Coun. McCORMACK, for the Committee on Claims, submitted the following:

Report on petition of Ruth M. McLaughlin, widow of Daniel P. McLaughlin (referred April 4), for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses incurred as a result of injuries sustained by her late husband as member of the Fire Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 100 of chapter 41 of the General Laws, upon petition of Ruth M. McLaughlin, widow of Daniel P. McLaughlin, late member of the Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses incurred as a result of injuries received by her husband, through no fault of his own, while in the performance of his duty on November 1, 1952, there be allowed and paid, as recommended by the Fire Commissioner and approved by the Corporation Counsel, to the following the amount stated:

Boston Firemen's Relief Fund..... $3,742.10

said amount to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

The report was accepted and the order was passed.

RESURFACING OF CONDOR STREET, EAST BOSTON.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor request the Public Works Commissioner to include the resurfacing of Condor street in East Boston in his 1955 highway program.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

TRAFFIC CONDITIONS AT TALBOT AND WELLES AVENUES.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor request the Boston Traffic Commission to make a survey of the traffic conditions at the intersection of Talbot avenue and Welles avenue, Dorchester, with a view to erecting traffic signals.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

ACCEPTANCE OF BRUSH HILL TERRACE, HYDE PARK.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor request the Commissioner of Public Works to arrange for an early hearing before the Public Improvement Commission on the acceptance of Brush Hill Terrace in Hyde Park as a public way.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

TRANSFER OF EMERSON SCHOOL TO PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor confer with the Boston School Committee relative to the possibility of transferring title of the Emerson School in East Boston to the Parks and Recreation Department for the purpose of the construction of a wading pool on the property for the children of that area.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

M.T.A. ADVERTISING BY MEANS OF CARTOONS.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That the trustees of the Metropolitan Transit Authority be urged to continue the program of advertising by means of striking cartoons, etc., whereby people are informed as to the complex problems involved in mass transportation in Boston.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

REPORT OF PROGRESS ON URBAN RENEWAL PROGRAM.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That the representative of the Boston Housing Authority presently charged with development of the Urban Renewal Program for the city of Boston be requested to appear before the Executive Committee of the Boston City Council on Monday, April 25, 1955, to outline such progress as has been made toward an Urban Renewal Program for Boston.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

JITNEY FEEDER SERVICE TO FOREST HILLS AND/OR MATTAPAN STATIONS.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That the trustees of the Metropolitan Transit Authority be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to consider the possibility of experimenting with a jitney feeder service to the Forest Hills and/or Mattapan Station in the West Roxbury and/or Hyde Park district on the following basis:

1. That limousines of seven- or eight-passenger capacity be used.
2. That in no case should there be a reduction in the present level of bus or trackless trolley service.
3. That the present feeder routes through these districts be not duplicated.
4. That the jitney service be operated on a flat fifteen-minute service basis.
5. That the additional fee, if any, be kept to an absolute minimum.
6. That a sufficient period be allowed to determine the efficiency of the plan.
7. That the experimental route or routes be laid out to service those parts of the district farthest from present feeder lines.
8. That the new service be given extensive advertising in the local newspaper in the district selected.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

OVER-ALL PLAN TO REDEVELOP CERTAIN PORTIONS OF BOSTON.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That the Boston City Planning Board consider the possibility and wisdom of an over-all plan to redevelop portions of Boston not usually attractive to private capital substantially with federal funds as follows:

1. Urban redevelopment of the West End area as presently proposed.
2. Urban renewal of an area bounded by Cambridge street, Scollay square, Mt. Vernon street, and Charles street.
3. Establishment of a site on the south side of Scollay square, to include a relocated City Hall, new State Office Building and other needed governmental structures, with parking facilities incidental thereto.
4. Use of the present City Hall site as an off-street parking facility.

The order was passed under suspension of the rules. Councillor McCormack moved reconsideration of the foregoing vote.

The motion was carried. On further motion of Councillor McCormack, the order was referred to the Executive Committee.

LOAN FOR ADDITIONAL DEPARTMENTAL EQUIPMENT.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN called up, under unfinished business, No. 1 on the Calendar, viz.:

1. Order for loan of $1,000,000 for additional departmental equipment.

On March 28, 1955, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas eight, nays none.

The order was given its second reading and passage, yeas 9:

Yeas—Councillors Ahearn, Foley, Hailer, Hurley, Kerrigan, McCormack, McLaughlin, Piemonte, White—9.

CHANGING TITLE AND SALARY OF CERTAIN OFFICER OF CITY COUNCIL.

Coun. HURLEY offered the following:

City of Boston.

In the Year Nineteen Hundred and Fifty-Five.

An Ordinance Changing the Title and Salary of a Certain Officer of the City Council.

Be it ordained hy the City Council of Boston, as follows:

SECTION 1. The first paragraph of section 5 of chapter 3 of the Revised Ordinances of 1947, as amended, is herehy further amended by striking out clause (13) as appearing in section 2 of chapter 2 of the Ordinances of 1953, and inserting in place thereof the following clause:

(13) The city messenger, seventy-four hundred and sixty dollars; the assistant city messenger, fifty-two hundred and sixty dollars; the lihrarian-archivist, forty-seven hundred and sixty dollars; the document clerk, forty-seven hundred and sixty dollars; and one stenographer-clerk in the city messenger department, thirty-nine hundred and sixty dollars.

SECT. 2. Section 1 of chapter 11 of the Revised Ordinances of 1947, as most recently amended hy section 1 of chapter 1 of the Ordinances of 1954, is hereby further amended by striking out the first sentence and inserting in place thereof the following sentence:— The city messenger department shall consist of a city messenger, an assistant city messenger, a librarian-archivist, a document clerk, and such other officers as may he provided for and added thereto hy the city council from time to time.

SECT. 3. This ordinance shall take effect on the Monday following its approval hy the Mayor.

The ordinance was passed under suspension of the rules.

MAINTENANCE OF WATERTOWN ARSENAL AT MAXIMUM CAPACITY.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Whereas, The economic health of the City of Boston depends not only on the prosperity of industry within the geographic confines of the City of Boston, but also on the success of private and public plants in the Greater Boston area; and

Whereas, The Watertown Arsenal is one agency in the Greater Boston area which employs many Bostonians, and greatly contributes to our economy; and

Whereas, The Watertown Arsenal has had in the past, and faces in the future, severe manpower cuts; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Boston City Council, in meeting assemhled, go on record as opposed to any further reduction of the skilled and unskilled working force at the Watertown Arsenal; and he it further

Resolved, That the Massachusetts delegation in Congress he encouraged to procure such federal contracts as are necessary to maintain this plant operating at maximum capacity so that our state of preparedness will not he jeopardized and our economic well-being will not be impaired.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

MOTION FOR RECESS.

Coun. PIEMONTE moved that the Council take a recess for the purpose of going into Executive Session. The motion was lost.

Adjourned at 4.44 P.M., on motion of Councillor Ahearn, to meet on Monday, April 18, 1955, at 2 P.M.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

(Stenographic copy of such debate on file in office of City Clerk.)

DIAGNOSTIC LABORATORY.

The work of the Boston Diagnostic Laboratory reflects the medical and lay interest in the causes and prevention of tuberculosis, Boston's highest bacterial cause of death and the fourth highest of all causes. With constant and continual immunization for diphtheria, typhoid fever, and whooping cough, and increased use of antibiotics in the treatment of venereal diseases, the annual total examinations for these latter diseases have not increased, while routine sputa examinations for tuberculosis have demanded a major part of the diagnostic services.

—Health Department Report.

CITY OF BOSTON AND COUNTY OF SUFFOLK.

STATISTICAL FACTS FOR THE YEAR 1954

Date of incorporation	February 23, 1822
Date of adoption of City Charter (amended January 7, 1925)	1909
Form of Government	Mayor and City Council
Area (square miles)	47.81
Population — Federal Census (August 1, 1950)	801,444
Number of employees as of February 1, 1954	22,806
Boston Housing Authority:	
Federal Program (7,920 apartments housing 7,920 families)	
Number of apartments in veterans' permanent 1- and 2-family homes housing 1,306 families	
State-Aided Developments (containing 3,177 apartments housing 3,177 families)	
Building Department:	
Permits issued	17,515
Estimated cost	$35,771,706
Cemeteries: Number 19—Area (acres)	161.71
Election Department:	
Registered voters	383,864
Number of ballots cast last general election	169,493
Percentage of registered voters voting	44.15
Fire Department:	
Number of stations	51
Number of fireboats	2
Alarms responded to	15,150
Health Department: Health Units	10
Hospitals (Including Boston Sanatorium):	
City Hospital:	
Number of buildings	57
Bed capacity	2,460
Patients, daily average:	
Wards	1,798
Out-patient	891
Long Island Hospital:	
Number of buildings	27
Population	952
Library Department:	
Number of libraries	37
Number of employees (full time)	640
Number of volumes	2,011,358
Circulation	3,162,338
Markets, number of	2
Municipal buildings, number of	27
Park Department: Parks, number of acres	2,240.29
Area of playgrounds and play areas (acres)	807.12
Number of playgrounds and play areas	121
Number of municipal golf links	2
Number of municipal beaches	3
Public grounds and squares (acres)	57.41
Swimming pools (indoor) 2, (outdoor) 2	4
Number of recreation centers and indoor bathhouses	15
Police Department:	
Number of stations and headquarters	18
Arrests	93,294
Public Works Department:	
Bridges, number of	101
Miles of accepted streets and alleys	731
Sewers: Miles of sewers	1,302.75
Catch basins	23,972
Average number of gallons pumped daily at main pumping station	112,980,821
Sumner Traffic Tunnel: Length (feet)	5,654
Two-lane drive: Vehicles passing through — 1953	10,835,674
Water Service:	
Number of meters in service	95,653
Per capita daily average consumption (gallons)	139
Miles of mains: Ordinary	999,136
High pressure	18.72
Rapid Transit: Miles of subways and tunnels	16.81
Schools:	
Number of school buildings	224
Number of teachers	3,655
Average membership	94,774
Average daily attendance:	
Elementary and junior high schools	54,546
High schools	16,201
Kindergartens	8,151
Special schools	1,800

Registered Voters (Men and Women), City Election, November 3, 1953.

WARDS.	PRECINCTS.																						Totals.
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	
1	2,063	1,994	1,811	1,934	1,818	1,923	2,018	1,843	1,699	2,042	2,097	1,548	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	22,790
2	1,549	1,428	1,722	1,758	1,671	1,607	746	827	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11,308
3	1,611	1,652	1,625	1,649	1,412	1,618	1,368	1,490	1,510	1,185	1,437	1,489	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18,046
4	1,549	1,607	1,083	1,352	1,877	1,565	1,552	1,670	1,568	1,149	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14,972
5	1,763	1,094	1,664	1,256	1,787	2,007	2,280	1,648	1,650	1,273	1,231	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17,653
6	1,769	1,612	1,496	1,485	1,442	1,481	1,560	1,464	1,523	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13,832
7	1,590	1,725	1,677	1,671	1,645	1,844	1,747	1,569	1,609	1,739	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16,816
8	1,311	1,776	1,056	1,379	1,464	968	1,593	1,614	946	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12,107
9	1,358	1,649	1,508	1,794	956	1,089	1,075	521	1,293	964	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12,207
10	1,571	1,577	1,625	1,526	1,547	1,652	1,154	1,591	1,789	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14,032
11	809	728	741	712	828	940	1,143	971	957	887	1,136	847	709	1,121	691	789	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14,009
12	820	716	837	909	787	860	1,016	851	886	1,029	938	999	987	938	951	1,004	949	1,096	854	.....	.....	.....	17,427
13	778	857	1,069	979	1,060	906	793	923	682	748	771	686	926	888	948	1,027	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14,041
14	1,347	1,156	1,091	1,174	1,155	961	939	1,157	1,283	1,140	1,149	1,242	1,331	1,255	1,072	1,040	1,436	1,359	1,234	1,479	997	.....	24,997
15	1,043	976	983	897	856	902	889	900	955	951	938	1,012	818	799	959	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13,878
16	947	1,195	931	878	1,020	1,005	929	930	826	873	939	971	1,077	893	929	967	887	896	918	819	.....	.....	18,830
17	807	806	736	938	835	780	941	1,043	986	842	1,035	1,067	1,037	983	1,142	960	856	807	927	1,050	.....	.....	18,578
18	1,916	1,164	1,352	930	1,105	1,269	996	1,244	1,692	1,027	1,505	1,343	944	940	1,149	1,087	2,020	1,164	1,113	1,247	1,162	.....	26,369
19	1,053	983	858	1,090	1,140	960	943	953	798	871	1,136	1,102	1,024	792	934	1,331	1,028	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17,026
20	978	908	843	912	948	1,588	819	906	971	1,182	937	981	1,004	1,121	1,228	1,494	1,439	991	1,192	1,390	1,055	907	23,794
21	1,548	1,223	1,203	963	931	1,220	1,390	1,436	987	737	2,447	1,449	1,360	1,565	1,358	1,054	1,007	1,441	.....	.....	.....	.....	23,319
22	826	940	890	869	1,074	945	906	911	1,451	1,265	1,065	981	990	1,049	980	1,184	1,507	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17,833
Grand Total																							383,864

Number of Persons Registered Who Voted, City Election, November 3, 1953.

WARDS.	PRECINCTS.																						Totals.
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	
1	870	840	790	768	702	826	676	690	662	957	849	840	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9,470
2	626	664	774	798	740	639	378	388	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,007
3	835	942	926	806	519	629	575	610	593	444	518	608	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8,065
4	562	544	377	376	729	618	594	561	513	376	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,250
5	669	443	756	452	923	803	896	667	613	440	434	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,096
6	763	751	759	572	697	671	708	722	908	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,551
7	970	784	733	825	813	918	838	687	798	763	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8,129
8	557	712	408	688	673	430	728	769	415	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,380
9	543	588	483	573	323	333	396	193	482	337	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,251
10	789	789	819	603	788	645	373	608	850	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,264
11	319	314	282	262	267	371	502	422	402	354	488	436	310	468	299	369	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,865
12	326	271	320	337	263	263	321	327	335	320	309	332	410	429	375	498	415	446	326	.....	.....	.....	6,623
13	370	433	513	410	498	418	383	424	388	455	412	370	505	502	490	626	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,197
14	602	490	529	598	503	457	418	629	705	664	565	579	651	657	480	585	790	739	526	779	490	.....	12,436
15	489	418	428	447	387	476	498	400	441	415	436	422	370	422	433	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,482
16	427	575	495	520	541	431	487	470	368	510	519	527	475	492	424	515	467	506	493	452	.....	.....	9,694
17	410	354	344	369	407	405	459	439	450	436	523	490	391	423	550	462	448	420	491	535	.....	.....	8,806
18	904	460	623	422	434	519	492	540	677	504	637	564	341	319	481	460	971	401	345	653	540	.....	11,287
19	439	511	521	442	530	359	428	555	406	357	603	534	553	394	450	636	649	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8,367
20	459	399	409	418	445	898	461	430	455	587	549	542	491	658	476	547	712	490	642	605	546	413	11,632
21	439	407	480	354	295	439	489	288	365	311	721	500	376	492	493	420	481	440	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,790
22	312	344	319	344	415	442	441	440	534	507	493	489	541	442	444	595	749	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,851
Grand Total																							169,493

Proportion of Persons Registered Who Voted, 44.15 Per Cent.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

NOTE.—Applicants are advised to file applications early. In event of a tie on the eligible list, the applicant who filed his application first will be given precedence.

(These examinations are for the service of the state, all cities and such towns as are classified under civil service. Persons qualifying in the examinations may have their names placed on the state list for the grade or grades for which they apply, as well as on the list for the city or town in which they have domicile. A separate application must be filed for each examination. A Manual for the Guidance of Applicants for Positions as Civil Engineers, Grades I and II, prepared by the Director of Civil Service, may be obtained from the Public Documents Division, Room 116, State House, Boston, at 10 cents a copy. It is desirable that applicants obtain a copy of this manual and study it carefully.

CIVIL ENGINEER, GRADE I, JUNIOR ENGINEERING AID, JUNE 4, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, May 16, 1955.

Salary: For the state service, the minimum salary is $2,880 a year, and the maximum salary is $3,600 a year. In cities and towns, the salaries vary.

Vacancies: From time to time.

Duties: Under immediate supervision, to assist on engineering work involving the least technical skill and responsibility, in the field, office or laboratory; and to perform related work as required.

Examples of Duties: Holding a rod; sharpening and driving stakes; cutting away brush to clear lines; occasionally running an instrument; making minor computations and calculations; plotting level notes; assisting on estimates; using a planimeter to calculate areas; making simple drawings and tracings; filing plans, profiles and survey books; inspecting minor details of construction as directed.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants must have at least one year of full-time paid experience in civil engineering or in general construction work. *Substitution:* High school or equivalent education may be substituted for the required experience on the basis of one year of education for three months of experience.

CIVIL ENGINEER, GRADE II, SENIOR ENGINEERING AID, JUNE 4, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, May 16, 1955.

Salary: For the state service, the minimum salary is $3,480 a year, and the maximum salary is $4,200 a year. In cities and towns, the salaries vary.

Vacancies: From time to time.

Duties: Under supervision, to assist on engineering work by performing assigned tasks in the field or office, involving some knowledge or training in civil engineering practice, but not of full professional rank or responsibility; and to perform related work as required.

Examples of Duties: Running a transit or level on preliminary and final surveys and in giving lines on construction work; having charge of a field party on small work; acting as an assistant to the resident engineer on construction work, in establishing lines and grades for the contractor and inspecting his work; making preliminary estimates for construction; taking field notes; drafting plans and sections from survey notes; keeping graphic records of length, kind of surface and other detail of highway routes.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants must have at least two years of full-time paid experience in civil engineering or in general construction work. *Substitutions:* (*a*) High school graduation or equivalent education may be substituted for one-half year of the required experience. (*b*) Engineering training in a recognized university or engineering school granting the bachelor's or equivalent degree may be substituted for the required experience on the basis of one successfully completed year of such education for one year of experience, provided that if more than one year is so offered, at least one year shall have been in civil engineering. (*c*) Civil engineering training in a recognized technical school not granting the bachelor's or equivalent degree may be substituted for the required experience on the basis of one successfully completed year of such education for one-half year of experience.

The following applies to each of the above examinations:

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, including mathematics, 3; total, 5. Also, an optional test in drafting for those who desire to have their names certified on requisitions calling for this special qualification.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject of the examination in order to become eligible. A mark of at least 70 per cent must be obtained in the optional drafting test in order to qualify in that subject.

CIVIL SERVICE MEDICAL EXAMINER, DIVISION OF CIVIL SERVICE, DEPARTMENT OF CIVIL SERVICE AND REGISTRATION, MAY 21, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, May 2, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $5,820 a year for full-time employment; the maximum salary is $7,260 a year for full-time employment. (The present vacancy is for employment for approximately two-thirds' time.)

Vacancies: At present there is one vacancy for a male, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: Under general direction, to make medical and physical examinations of applicants for civil service positions, and to record the results of such examinations on prescribed forms; to serve as a member of the Medical Board in reporting on cases referred by the director for review of medical and physical findings; and to perform related work as required.

The duties require that the Medical Examiner be available to conduct examinations at various examination centers throughout the Commonwealth at the hours designated by the Director of Civil Service and to attend the Medical Board meetings which are presently held about once a month.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements. Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

Certification Requirement: Registration as a physician under the Massachusetts Board of Registration in Medicine.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION.
(STATE SERVICE.)

METROPOLITAN POLICE PATROLMAN, METROPOLITAN DISTRICT COMMISSION, JULY 15, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Friday, June 24, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $3,540 a year; the maximum salary is $4,260 a year.

Vacancies: From time to time.

Duties: The duties are those of a regular patrolman.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants shall be not less than twenty-two nor over thirty-five years of age at the time of filing application. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application *unless* one has been filed with a previous application.

Any veteran who will have attained the age of twenty-one within six months of the date of any scheduled examination for police service shall not be deemed ineligible for examination and appointment provided that he meets all other pertinent requirements of the Civil Service laws and regulations (chapter 287 of the Acts of 1947).

Veterans who had not reached the maximum age limit at the time of entering military or naval service will not be disqualified by reason of age, within five years after the date of honorable discharge. (Chapter 179, Acts of 1950.)

Applicants must be not less than 5 feet 8 inches in height and must meet minimum weight requirements according to the following table, in which height is given in inches in bare feet and weight in pounds without clothing:

68 inches — 135 pounds
69 inches — 140 pounds
70 inches — 145 pounds
71 inches — 150 pounds
72 inches — 155 pounds
73 inches — 160 pounds
74 inches — 165 pounds
75 inches — 170 pounds
76 inches — 175 pounds

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 3; practical questions, including memory test, general information, and Police Manual questions, 7; total, 10.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination and qualifying strength tests.

To become eligible, applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in the strength tests, but the mark will not be averaged with the educational mark.

Applicants must qualify in a 50-yard swimming test.

Certification Requirement: Possession of a Massachusetts motor vehicle operator's license.

The practical questions, other than the memory test and general information questions, will be based upon information contained in the current edition of the Police Manual prepared by the Director of Civil Service, which may be obtained from the Public Document Division, Room 116, State House, Boston, at 25 cents a copy. It is necessary that applicants obtain a copy of this manual and study it carefully.

Applicants must not bring manuals to the examination room.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING.

CITY OF BOSTON.

REAL PROPERTY BOARD.
ROOM 809, CITY HALL ANNEX.

IN REAL PROPERTY BOARD OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, ROOM 809, CITY HALL ANNEX, MARCH 24, 1955.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that public necessity requires the taking of a parcel of land containing approximately twenty-seven thousand, eight hundred and forty-six (27,846) square feet of land bounded by Kilby street, Central street, Broad street, and Water street, together with the buildings and structures thereon, in the Boston Proper district, for off-street parking purposes, substantially as shown on a plan marked "Proposed Sites for Off-Street Parking Facilities (Site No. 15), Boston Proper, January 25, 1955, George C. Halliscy, Engineer, Real Property Board," on file in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order to make said taking, and that it appoints 11 o'clock A.M. of Thursday, May 5, 1955, and the Public Hearing Rooms of the Public Improvement Commission of the City of Boston, 401 City Hall Annex, as the time and place for a PUBLIC HEARING IN THE MATTER.

REAL PROPERTY BOARD,
HERMAN CARP, *Chairman*,
WILLIAM F. KEESLER,
DAVID L. CURRIER,
THOMAS F. McDONOUGH,
GEORGE P. DONOVAN.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on this date.
Attest:
JOSEPH B. BURKE,
Executive Secretary.
(April 23.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

TO GENERAL CONTRACTORS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR GENERAL MODERNIZATION OF GIRLS' LATIN SCHOOL (FORMERLY DORCHESTER HIGH SCHOOL FOR GIRLS), TALBOT AVENUE, DORCHESTER, MASS.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for general modernization of Girls' Latin School (formerly Dorchester High School for Girls), Talbot avenue, Dorchester, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Tuesday, May 17, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, enclosed in an envelope, sealed and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $7,000, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

Subbidders bidding on the work of subcontractors shall use the proposal form prepared by and obtainable from the Awarding Authority.

All subbidders' proposals filed with the Awarding Authority shall be submitted in sealed envelopes, plainly marked with the title of the work; division of the work for which bid is submitted; subcontractor's name; and subcontractor's business address. All such bids shall be in the possession of the Awarding Authority and delivered or mailed to the general contractor no later than 12 o'clock noon, Tuesday, May 10, 1955.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount as specified in the following for the subbid item of work as listed below shall be submitted by each subbidder with the copy of his proposal filed with the Awarding Authority:

Glazing	$300
Resilient Floors	200
Marble Tile and Terrazzo	200
Painting	800
Roofing and Sheet Metal	1,500
Plumbing	500
Heating and Ventilating	1,500
Electrical Work	1,000
Waterproofing, Caulking, Dampproofing	300

The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, plainly marked "Bid Deposit."

Specifications and plans may be obtained at the office of the Awarding Authority on or after Wednesday, April 27, 1955.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price, will be required of the successful general contractor.

A deposit of a certified check in the sum of $50, payable to the City of Boston, will be required in order to procure a complete set of plans and specifications. This deposit shall be returned providing that all plans and specifications are returned in satisfactory condition within ten days after opening of bids.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do. The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all subbids on any item or items in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
Superintendent of Construction.
(April 23.)

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

MUNICIPAL COURT OF THE CITY OF BOSTON FOR THE TRANSACTION OF CRIMINAL BUSINESS.

NOTICE OF PROPOSAL TO DESTROY OR DISPOSE OF CERTAIN PAPERS.

In accordance with the provisions of General Laws, c. 221, s. 27A, as amended, and in accordance with the General Rule Relative to the Disposal of Obsolete and Useless Papers and Records in the Courts, adopted by the Supreme Judicial Court, June 24, 1946, and as amended March 31, 1947, and as amended July 1, 1952, by order of Elijah Adlow, Esquire, Chief Justice of the Municipal Court of the City of Boston, notice is hereby given that thirty days from the twenty-fifth day of April, 1955, it is proposed to destroy or dispose of the following papers and records for the year 1934, now in the files of the Municipal Criminal Court of the City of Boston, to wit: All General, Drunkenness, Domestic Relations, and Traffic cases, all Release Drunkenness cases, all copies of records of Autopsies by Medical Examiners, all Search Warrants, all denials, expense bills, records of Discharged Convicts and all Bail Slips for said year. Also, papers relating to so-called "charges" for alleged violations of motor vehicle Parking Rules or Regulations disposed of in the calendar years 1953 and 1954, in accordance with General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 90, section 20A, as inserted by St. 1935, c. 176, and as most recently amended by St. 1953, c. 249, and corresponding provisions of earlier laws. Said papers for the year 1954, which have been duly examined by the examiners of the division of accounts, are to be destroyed each month as the full calendar year is completed.

DANIEL J. LYNCH,
(April 23.) *Clerk.*

No. 73—392.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING GAS MASK CANISTERS TO THE BOSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Friday, April 29, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Gas Mask Canisters." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(April 23.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.
BUILDINGS DIVISION.

SPECIFICATIONS FOR REMOVAL OF PRESENT 180 STEAM BOILER TUBES AND REPLACING SAME WITH NEW ELECTRONITE STEEL TUBES OR EQUAL IN BOILER NO. 1, J. J. WILLIAMS MUNICIPAL BUILDING, CORNER OF WEST BROOKLINE STREET AND SHAWMUT AVENUE, BOSTON.

The Assistant Commissioner of Real Property of the City of Boston, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for removing and installing 180 boiler tubes at J. J. Williams Municipal Building, corner of West Brookline street and Shawmut avenue, Boston.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Friday, May 6, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, Room 808, City Hall Annex, at which time and place they will be opened and read aloud.

Proposals shall be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed and inclosed in a sealed envelope plainly marked with the name of the bidder and the description of the work bid upon. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a certificate of deposit issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $400, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope properly marked. Bid bonds will not be accepted.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required prior to the award of a contract.

Specifications may be obtained on and after Wednesday, April 27, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority.

A performance bond, issued by a surety company satisfactory to the Awarding Authority, in the full amount of the contract, will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to reject any and all bids if it be in the public interest so to do.

GEORGE P. DONOVAN,
Assistant Commissioner of Real Property
(April 23.) *Department.*

No. 76—369.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING OFFICIAL ENVELOPES FOR THE PRINTING SECTION, PURCHASING DIVISION.

Proposals may he obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will he opened and read Monday, May 2, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate hid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening hids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Envelopes." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do bnsiness in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the hest interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(April 23.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

CLEANING CATCH BASINS.

Proposals for Cleaning Catch Basins in City Proper, Roxbury, South Boston, East Boston, and Charlestown, City of Boston Sewer Division.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for cleaning catch basins in City Proper, Roxhury, South Boston, East Boston, and Charlestown, City of Boston Sewer Division. A bond will he required for doing the work of a surety company approved hy the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may he obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should he enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Cleaning Catch Basins in City Proper, Roxbury, South Boston, East Boston, and Charlestown, City of Boston Sewer Division," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, hefore 2 P.M. of WEDNESDAY, MAY 4, 1955, with a certified check for TWELVE HUNDRED (1,200) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then he publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to he deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must he from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to he ahnormally high or low, or the hidder neglects to hid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to he employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(April 23.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

CLEANING CATCH BASINS.

Proposals for Cleaning Catch Basins in Brighton, West Roxbury, Hyde Park, and Dorchester, City of Boston Sewer Division.

The Commissioner of Puhlic Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over onc half thereof is owned hy a citizen or citizens of the United States, for cleaning catch basins in Brighton, West Roxbury, Hyde Park, and Dorchester, City of Boston Sewer Division. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved hy the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be ohtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should he enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Cleaning Catch Basins in Brighton, West Roxbury, Hyde Park, and Dorchester, City of Boston Sewer Division," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, hefore 2 P.M. of WEDNESDAY, MAY 4, 1955, with a certified check for SEVEN HUNDRED (700) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to he deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the hids. All proposals must be from hidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to he abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to hid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(April 23.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING FOOTBALL UNIFORMS AND SUPPLIES FOR THE BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing football uniforms and supplies for the Boston puhlic schools. Proposal forms are obtainable at the office of the Business Manager of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, tenth floor. Envelopes containing proposals must be sealed and plainly marked "Proposal for Football Uniforms and Supplies." The bids must be in duplicate. Onc copy, signed by the bidder and accompanied hy a certified check, payahle to the City of Boston, in the amount of one hundred dollars ($100), must he left at the office of the Business Manager on or before 12 o'clock noon on Thnrsday, May 5, 1955. Copies filed with the Business Manager will be puhlicly opened and read at 12 o'clock noon of the day stated. The other copy, also signed hy the hidder, must be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., previous to the time named for opening of bids. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to accept the bid or hids which it deems best for the interests of the city. Successful hidders will be required to furnish a suitahle bond or deposit of money or other security in the amount of not less than 50 per cent of the amount of the contract.

HENRY J. SMITH,
Business Manager of the School Committee.
(April 23.)

NOTICE OF HEARING.

Collection and Removal of Refusc.

CITY OF BOSTON.

Office of the City Clerk.

April 23, 1955.

A public hearing will he given hy the City Council of Boston in the City Council Chamber, City Hall, on Tuesday, May 3, 1955, at eleven o'clock A.M., on the proposed contracts for the collection and removal of refuse as follows:

1. Contract with Milano Brothers, Inc., for the collection and removal of refuse from District 2 (East Boston), so called, during the two-year ten-month period heginning June 1, 1955, and ending March 31, 1958.
2. Contract with Frank J. Cavaliere for the collection and removal of refuse from District 5A (West Roxbury), so called, during the two-year ten-month period heginning June 1, 1955, and ending March 31, 1958.

By order of the City Council.

W. J. MALLOY,
(April 23.) *City Clerk.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Temporary Examinations.

Boston Public Schools: Examinations for temporary teaching positions in the City of Boston will be held on May 4, 5, and 6 in the Drill Hall of the Boston Latin School.

Married women with degrees are eligible to take the above examinations.

Examinations for admission to the four- and six-year courses at the Latin Schools will be held on Tuesday, June 7, and on Wednesday, September 7, at 9 A.M., for boys at the Boston Latin School; for girls at the Girls' Latin School.

Examinations for admission to the Boston high schools will be held on Wednesday, September 7, at the office of the Board of Examiners.

Address all questions in regard to these examinations to the Board of Examiners, 15 Beacon street, Boston.

RALPH M. CORSON,
(April 23.) *Chief Examiner.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR REPLACING WOODEN SEATING ON BLEACHERS AT PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT PLAYGROUNDS, BOSTON, MASS.

The Commissioner of Parks and Recreation of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, invites proposals for replacing wooden seating on hleachers at Parks and Recreation Department playgrounds, Boston, Mass. Forms of proposals must he ohtained at the Engineer's office of the Parks and Recreation Department, 33 Beacon street. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed and marked "Proposal for Replacing Wooden Seating on Bleachers at Parks and Recreation Department Playgrounds, Boston, Mass.," and left before 2 o'clock P.M. on Tuesday, May 3, 1955, at the office of the Parks and Recreation Department, with a certified check for $600, payahle to and to he the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, and will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must he deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening bids. A bond will he required for doing the work in the sum of 100 per cent of the estimated contract price. The rate per hour of the wages to he paid to mechanics, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to he performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may bc obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the Engineer's officc of the Parks and Recreation Department. The successful bidder will he required to provide for puhlic liability and property damage insurance and for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulations will he required prior to the award of said contract. The Commissioner reserves the right to reject any or all proposals.

FRANK R. KELLEY,
(April 23.) *Commissioner.*

NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS.

If your subscription date has ended and you are still receiving the *City Record*, whether notified or not, send your renewal ($5.00 for year), to Editor, *City Record*, Room 40, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Subscription from date of order.

JOSHUA H. JONES, *Editor.*

No. 77—320.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING CANNED CORNED BEEF FOR CITY DEPARTMENTS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Tuesday, May 3, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Canned Corned Beef." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amonnt of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(April 23.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

REAL PROPERTY BOARD.
PROPERTY DIVISION.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

APRIL 26, 1955, ON THE PREMISES.

	Upset Price.	Deposit.
9.30 A.M.—Vacant land, 76 Marginal Street, East Boston, 1,217 square feet	$300	$300
9.45 A.M.—Vacant land, Falcon Street, southerly side and Lot 15, adjacent 111 Falcon Street, East Boston, 4,724 square feet	200	200
10.05 A.M.—Vacant land, 555 East Second Street, and 555 Rear East Second Street, South Boston, 3,007 square feet	400	400
10.20 A.M.—Vacant land, Dorchester Avenue, Lot J, adjacent 2085 Dorchester Avenue, Dorchester, 9,229 square feet	700	500
10.35 A.M.—Vacant land, Elmont Street, southeasterly side, adjacent 27 Elmont Street, Dorchester, 5,329 square feet	500	500
10.50 A.M.—Vacant land, Greenfield Road, Lots 98, 99, 100, corner Sefton Street, Dorchester, 3,549 square feet	200	200
11.05 A.M.—Vacant land, Fulton Street, Lot 20, adjacent 21 Fulton Street, Hyde Park, 6,200 square feet	300	300
11.20 A.M.—Vacant land, West Milton Place, Lot 4, rear of 52 West Milton Street, Hyde Park, 4,998 square feet	200	200
11.35 A.M.—Vacant land, Willers Street, Lots 271, 272, 273, opposite De Soto Road, West Roxbury, 8,238 square feet	200	200
11.50 A.M.—Vacant land, Vershire Street, Lots 69, 70, adjacent 18 Vershire Street, West Roxbury, 7,511 square feet	300	300
12.05 P.M.—Vacant land, Dana Road, Lots 18, 19, corner Maple Road, West Roxbury, 3,012 square feet	150	150
12.20 P.M.—Vacant land, Dent Street, Lots K, 193, 233, 234, 236, part of Lot 237, 238, between Thurlow and Winslow Streets, and adjacent to 78 and 136 Dent Street, West Roxbury, 31,499 square feet	1,000	500
12.50 P.M.—Vacant land, Burton Street, Lot 81, adjacent 63 Burton Street, Brighton, 2,860 square feet	100	100
1.05 P.M.—Vacant land, 76-78 Litchfield Street, Brighton, 9,200 square feet	500	500

The Chairman reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

For further information call LA 3-5100, line 236.

HERMAN CARP, *Chairman.*
JOHN J. McGRATH, *Auctioneer.*
(April 23.)

No. 75—EQUIPMENT LOAN REVENUE.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING ONE (1) AUTOMOBILE (BUICK SPECIAL FOUR-DOOR SEDAN) FOR THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Monday, May 2, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Automobile." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(April 23.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

REPAIR OR REBUILD HERSEY WATER METERS.

Proposals for Furnishing Labor and Material Necessary to Repair or Rebuild and Test Hersey Water Meters for the Public Works Department (Water Division).

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for furnishing labor and material necessary to repair or rebuild and test Hersey water meters for the Public Works Department (Water Division). A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Furnishing Labor and Material Necessary to Repair or Rebuild and Test Hersey Water Meters for the Public Works Department (Water Division)," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of WEDNESDAY, MAY 4, 1955, with a certified check for FIVE HUNDRED (500) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(April 23.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

HIGHWAY RECONSTRUCTION WORK.

PROPOSALS FOR BITUMINOUS CONCRETE PAVEMENT IN

Bickford Avenue, Ward 10, from Heath Street to Wensley Street;
Bickford Street, Ward 10, from Centre Street to Heath Street;
Bromley Street, Ward 10, from New Heath Street to Heath Street;
Burney Street, Ward 10, from Tremont Street to Delle Avenue;
Conant Street, Ward 10, from St. Alphonsus Street to Huntington Avenue;
Frawley Street, Ward 10, from Huntington Avenue to Hillside Street;
Kempton Street, Ward 10, from Huntington Avenue to Fenwood Road;
Longwood Avenue, Wards 4 and 10, from Huntington Avenue to Brookline Avenue;
Mission Street, Ward 10, from Huntington Avenue to Stockwell Street;
Oscar Street, Ward 10, from Terrace Street to Parker Street;
Parkton Road, Ward 10, from 79 Perkins Street to 89 Perkins Street;
Stockwell Street, Ward 10, from Wait Street to Frawley Street.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for bituminous concrete pavement in Bickford avenue, Ward 10, etc. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Bituminous Concrete Pavement in Bickford Avenue, Ward 10, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, MAY 12, 1955, with a certified check for THIRTY-FIVE HUNDRED (3,500) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under Chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(April 23.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

No. 74—391—HURRICANE EMERGENCY.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING LUMBER FOR THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Friday, April 29, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Lumber." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(April 23.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

SEWERAGE WORKS.

Proposals for Sewerage Works in Hazelmere Road, New Haven Street, and Canterbury Street, West Roxbury.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Hazelmere road, New Haven street, and Canterbury street, West Roxbury. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Hazelmere Road, New Haven Street, and Canterbury Street, West Roxbury," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, MAY 5, 1955, with a certified check for NINE HUNDRED (900) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(April 23.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR PAINTING CONCRETE SWIMMING POOLS AT NORTH END PARK, BOSTON, MASS.

The Commissioner of Parks and Recreation of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, invites proposals for painting concrete swimming pools at North End Park, Boston, Mass. Forms of proposals must be obtained at the Engineer's office of the Parks and Recreation Department, 33 Beacon street. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed and marked "Proposal for Painting Concrete Swimming Pools at North End Park, Boston, Mass.," and left before 2 o'clock P.M. on Tuesday, May 3, 1955, at the office of the Parks and Recreation Department, with a certified check for $100, payable to and to be the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, and will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of 100 per cent of the estimated contract price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the Engineer's office of the Parks and Recreation Department. The successful bidder will be required to provide for public liability and property damage insurance and for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulations will be required prior to the award of said contract. The Commissioner reserves the right to reject any or all proposals.

FRANK R. KELLEY,
(April 23.) *Commissioner.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING AND SPREADING SAND ON BATHING BEACHES, SOUTH BOSTON, MASS.

The Commissioner of Parks and Recreation of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, invites proposals for furnishing and spreading sand on bathiug beaches, South Boston, Mass. Forms of proposals must be obtained at the Engineer's office of the Parks and Recreation Department, 33 Beacon street. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed and marked "Proposal for Furnishing and Spreading Sand on Bathing Beaches, South Boston, Mass.," and left before 2 o'clock P.M. on Tuesday, May 3, 1955, at the office of the Parks and Recreation Department, with a certified check for $300, payable to and to be the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, and will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of 100 per cent of the estimated contract price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the Engineer's office of the Parks and Recreation Department. The successful bidder will be required to provide for public liability and property damage insurance and for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulations will be required prior to the award of said contract. The Commissioner reserves the right to reject any or all proposals.

FRANK R. KELLEY,
(April 23.) *Commissioner.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR PAINTING CONCRETE POOL AT FROG POND, BOSTON COMMON, BOSTON, MASS.

The Commissioner of Parks and Recreation of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, invites proposals for painting concrete pool at Frog Pond, Boston Common, Boston, Mass. Forms of proposals must be obtained at the Engineer's office of the Parks and Recreation Department, 33 Beacon street. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed and marked "Proposal for Painting Concrete Pool at Frog Pond, Boston Common, Boston, Mass.," and left before 2 o'clock P.M. on Tuesday, May 3, 1955, at the office of the Parks and Recreation Department, with a certified check for $200, payable to and to be the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, and will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of 100 per cent of the estimated contract price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the Engineer's office of the Parks and Recreation Department. The successful bidder will be required to provide for public liability and property damage insurance and for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulations will be required prior to the award of said contract. The Commissioner reserves the right to reject any or all proposals.

FRANK R. KELLEY,
(April 23.) *Commissioner.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR PAINTING CONCRETE SWIMMING POOLS AT ENSIGN JOHN J. DOHERTY, JR., PLAYGROUND, CHARLESTOWN, MASS.

The Commissioner of Parks and Recreation of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, invites proposals for painting concrete swimming pools at Ensign John J. Doherty, Jr., Playground, Charlestown, Mass. Forms of proposals must be obtained at the Engineer's office of the Parks and Recreation Department, 33 Beacon street. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed and marked "Proposal for Painting Concrete Swimming Pools at Ensign John J. Doherty, Jr., Playground, Charlestown, Mass.," and left before 2 o'clock P.M. on Tuesday, May 3, 1955, at the office of the Parks and Recreation Department, with a certified check for $100, payable to and to be the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, and will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of 100 per cent of the estimated contract price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the Engineer's office of the Parks and Recreation Department. The successful bidder will be required to provide for public liability and property damage insurance and for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulations will be required prior to the award of said contract. The Commissioner reserves the right to reject any or all proposals.

FRANK R. KELLEY,
(April 23.) *Commissioner.*

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MAYOR HYNES FOR CONSUMERS OF NATURAL GAS IN BOSTON—SENDS WIRES TO BAY STATE CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION, BOTH CONGRESSMEN AND SENATORS, ASKING THAT MAJOR PRODUCERS BE PREVENTED FROM JUMPING PRICES AT SOURCE TO DETRIMENT OF CONSUMERS—BILL NOW PENDING IN CONGRESS.

The following telegram was sent to Congressmen McCormack, Wigglesworth, and Curtis and Senators Kennedy and Saltonstall:

PENDING IN THE CONGRESS IS H.R. 4560, WHICH, IF ENACTED, WILL EXEMPT PRODUCERS OF NATURAL GAS FROM FEDERAL PRICE REGULATION. DESPITE FACT THAT PRODUCTION COSTS REPRESENT ONLY 10 PER CENT OF PRICE FOR NATURAL GAS PAID BY CONSUMER, NEVERTHELESS, 85 PER CENT OF GAS PRODUCED IS BY SMALL NUMBER OF LARGE PRODUCERS. AT PRESENT TIME THERE IS NOTHING TO PREVENT MAJOR PRODUCERS FROM INCREASING PRICE OF GAS AT THE SOURCE TO DETRIMENT OF CONSUMER. SINCE

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BOSTON RED SOX TO SPONSOR, WITH PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT, A DIVISION OF DEPARTMENT BASEBALL LEAGUES KNOWN AS "RED SOX LEAGUES"—YOUNGSTERS UNDER SIXTEEN ELIGIBLE.

Mayor John B. Hynes has announced that the Boston Red Sox, in conjunction with the Boston Parks and Recreation Department, will sponsor a division of the Boston Park Baseball Leagues to be known as the "Red Sox Leagues." Every youngster in the city under sixteen years of age will be eligible for membership. Teams may be uniformed, but uniforms will not be a requirement.

At a conference with General Manager Joe Cronin of the Boston Red Sox, Commissioner of Parks and Recreation Frank R. Kelley, and Director of Recreation Pat Ryan, it was decided to organize at least one of these leagues in each district of the city. Each of these district leagues will be named after a player on the Red Sox roster.

Organizational meetings in the form of a "Baseball Jamboree" will be con-

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BOSTON PROTECTED FROM CONTAMINATED POLIO VACCINE — ONLY 75 VIALS FROM CALIFORNIA CONCERN WHOSE PRODUCT HAS BEEN BANNED, DISTRIBUTED, AND MAYOR JOHN B. HYNES HAS BEEN NOTIFIED THAT HEALTH DEPARTMENT IS RECOVERING THOSE — INCIDENCE OF CASES HAS BEEN VERY LOW FOR SEVERAL YEARS—MAYOR HAS BEEN INFORMED BY HEALTH COMMISSIONER DR. JOHN H. CAULEY.

The following statement has been issued by Mayor John B. Hynes on local polio situation:

Following notification of the ban on polio vaccine produced by the Cutter Laboratory, Boston's Health Commissioner, Dr. John H. Cauley, took immediate steps to determine how much of the vaccine had been shipped into Boston and whether or not it had been distributed to physicians for use.

An immediate survey revealed that although some 220 vials had been received by drug distributors in Boston, all but 75 vials were still in their hands and had not been given to physicians. The 75 vials which were distributed to physicians are being traced and unused material recalled. At this time parents can be reassured that no Cutter polio vaccine will be used in Boston until further directives are received.

Boston has not had any sort of a polio outbreak for many years, the annual incidence of polio cases being extremely low, with few if any cases occurring before the middle of June. In 1949 there was but one case before June 15; none at all in 1950, 1951, and 1952. Two cases occurred before the middle of June in 1953, only one in 1954, and one so far this year. Since the expected seasonal rise in the number of polio cases occurs so late in Boston, the free vaccine to be distributed for use of the first and second grade children by the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis has not been received. There is no definite assurance that it will be received within the next ten days, during which time the present problem as it pertains to the use of the vaccine will probably be solved by the National Institute of Health.

Every organization which has received any of the vaccine manufactured and distributed by the Cutter Laboratories has been most cooperative and has given a strict accounting of the vaccine which it has received. Several of the concerns which received the vaccine had distributed no vaccine to pharmacies, hospitals, or clinics for use. Very small amounts of the vaccine had been distributed, and the Boston Health Department is making every effort to contact all physicians who have administered the vaccine. More than 50 per cent of the vials which were originally shipped to this area are either on their way back to the Cutter Laboratories or are being shipped back today. Of the 300 vials in this area seventy-five were distributed outside the City of Boston. Every Boston physician who has received any of this Cutter vaccine is being contacted in order that a careful check may be made regarding the vaccine which they have either received or administered.

"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean;
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.

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MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries, or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the Complaints Division, Room 25, City Hall.

Information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways, the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments of streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped area for streets and the opening of private ways; the making of specific repairs in public streets; the naming of public streets, including the use of public ways for location of conduits, poles, and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railways, coal holes, and vaults, may be secured from the Public Improvement Commission, Room 403, City Hall Annex.

TO THE BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION, 112 Southampton street, for information relative to regulation of vehicular street traffic on all or any streets, ways, highways, roads, and parkways under the control of the City of Boston, the issuing of all permits in connection therewith.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting, and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch basins, the operation of Sumner Tunnel, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges, and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Haymarket Square, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish, and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughterhouses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases, of public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth Avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park, and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts, also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview, and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

TO THE DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS, 28 Norman street, for information as to the construction and repair of school of buildings.

TO THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, ROOM 907, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal, or tearing down of buildings.

TO THE ELECTRICAL INSPECTION DIVISION OF THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT, 1001 City Hall Annex, for all information relative to the erection of poles, building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division; also for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings of the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

TO THE BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT, 43 City Hall, relative to changes in the boundary lines of zoning districts of the City of Boston as established by chapter 488 of the Acts of 1924, and amendments thereto.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending April 23, 1955.

Population as of July, 1950, Massachusetts State Census, 817,713; population estimated July, 1954, United States Census Bureau, 810,633; number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 187; nonresidents, 70; total, 257.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 16.65; nonresidents deducted, 12.15.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:

Last week, 16.66; corresponding week last year, 14.01.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 11; one year to four years, inclusive, 4; sixty years and over, 157. Total deaths: Male, 154; female, 103; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 196.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Apr. 23, 1955.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Apr. 24, 1954.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior Poliomyelitis	—	—	1	—
Diphtheria	—	—	1	—
Encephalitis Lethargica	—	—	—	—
Influenza	—	—	—	—
Measles	57	—	187	—
Meningitis Epidemic	—	—	—	—
Pneumonia (lobar)	—	—	—	—
Scarlet Fever	45	—	24	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary)	5	10	11	1
Childhood Type Tuberculosis	—	—	—	—
Tuberculosis (other forms)	—	—	1	—
Typhoid Fever	—	—	—	—
Whooping Cough	1	—	5	—

* Residents and nonresidents included.

CONTRACT AWARDED FOR TESTING, INSPECTING, DESIGNING AND CONTROLLING BITUMINOUS AND CEMENT CONCRETE MIXES USED BY CITY — PROVISION MADE BY PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT FOR BEST OF STREET CONSTRUCTION AND RECONSTRUCTION — THOMPSON & LICHTNER COMPANY, INC., AWARDED CONTRACT.

The Public Works Department exercises special care in the selection of materials used in the construction and reconstruction of streets by controlling bituminous and cement concrete mixes so as to make sure the city gets all it contracts for. This is shown in the following letter, received by Mayor John B. Hynes, from George G. Hyland, Commissioner.

Public Works Department.

Boston, March 29, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

For the past several years contracts have been awarded to Thompson and Lichtner Company, Inc., for testing, inspecting, designing, and controlling bituminous and cement concrete mixes used by the department and by contractors working for the department on street construction and reconstruction work.

The work done by this firm of testing and consulting engineers has been very satisfactory, and it is my opinion that it would be in the best interests of the city to award a contract to said firm providing for the testing and inspection of the above-referenced types of highway materials used during the current year on our street construction and reconstruction program.

The amount of money spent for services of this nature represents only a small percentage of the cost of the materials used on our street work, and a contract of this type unquestionably is a good investment and may be considered as insurance. The testing and consulting engineer provides a control engineer at each asphalt plant to supervise operations and to control and design the asphaltic pavement mixes. The inspection service assures not only the quality of the material, but also the quantity. The latter-referenced item is very important, because we now pay street construction contractors for roadway materials furnished on a tonnage basis rather than on a square yard basis, which was the policy up to five years ago.

The change in policy from square yards to tonnage has been beneficial to the city and, in my opinion, is the fairest method of payment from a contractor's point of view. The firm of Thompson and Lichtner also makes field tests when necessary, and—in general—is in complete charge of the design and control of the asphaltic and cement concrete materials from the time that they are mixed at the plant to their delivery at the site of the particular highway project. The engineer has agreed to accept a new contract for the current year on the same terms, conditions, and unit prices that prevailed in the 1954 contract, which, incidentally, was awarded at the same unit prices and conditions that were in effect in the 1951 contract. A contract of this type should be awarded at a price at which we are certain that the quality of service rendered by the contractor will not be detrimentally affected

The 1954 contract provided for fair and reasonable payments that assured adequate and competent supervision and control of the pavement mixes, and it is my opinion that the proposed new contract should parallel in all respects the 1954 contract. This type of contract is one that does not lend itself to publicly advertising for proposals, because the service rendered and the integrity of the firm are of more importance than the price factor, although the cost is a consideration. In this particular case the price for which the above-referenced firm has agreed to perform the services required under the contract provisions is fair and reasonable, and it is my unqualified opinion that nothing would be gained by publicly advertising for proposals.

I respectfully request, therefore, that you authorize me to dispense with advertising and to award a contract to Thompson and Lichtner Company, Inc., for testing, inspecting, designing, and controlling bituminous and cement concrete mixes used by or under the direction of the department during the current year on street construction and reconstruction work, on the basis of agreed prices and with the understanding that the contract will not exceed the total amount of $35,000. The so-called agreed prices will be the same as those provided in the 1954 contract.

Respectfully yours,

George G. Hyland,
Commissioner of Public Works.

MAYOR HYNES SENDS TELEGRAM TO MASSACHUSETTS SENATORS AND CONGRESSMEN IN REGARD TO PRICE OF NATURAL GAS.

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1950 GAS AT THE WELL HEAD HAS INCREASED 20 PER CENT. NATURAL GAS NOW COSTS LOCAL GAS COMPANY 55.96 CENTS FOR ONE THOUSAND CUBIC FEET, AS AGAINST PREDICTED AND EXPECTED PRICE OF 40 CENTS.

BOSTON IS NOW BEING SERVED WITH MIXED GAS, SUPPLYING 187,610 CUSTOMERS. ANY FURTHER UPWARD RISE IN NATURAL GAS PRICE AT SOURCE WILL BE PASSED ALONG TO THESE CUSTOMERS. IT IS LIKELY THAT ANY FURTHER INCREASES WILL PRICE NATURAL GAS OUT OF THE HOME HEATING MARKET. COMPLETE FREEDOM FROM REGULATION COULD MEAN SUCCESSIVE INCREASES FOR NATURAL GAS, WITH RESULT THAT NATURAL GAS COULD EXCEED COST OF MANUFACTURED GAS. SUCH EVENTUALITY WOULD BE IN DIRECT VIOLATION OF UNDERSTANDING OF CONSUMING PUBLIC THAT NATURAL GAS WOULD BE LESS IN PRICE THAN MANUFACTURED GAS.

FEDERAL REGULATION OF BUSINESS GENERALLY IS NOT ADVISABLE. HOWEVER, WHENEVER A BUSINESS IS ENGAGED IN SUPPLYING A PUBLIC NECESSITY AND WHENEVER THAT BUSINESS MAY BECOME MONOPOLISTIC, IT IS ADVISABLE, IN MY OPINION, THAT CONSUMER BE PROTECTED BY FAIR AND REASONABLE REGULATIONS OR CONTROLS. I TRUST YOU WILL HAVE OPPORTUNITY TO GIVE H.R. 4560 YOUR CLOSE CONSIDERATION AND OPPOSE ITS PASSAGE.

John B. Hynes,
MAYOR OF BOSTON.

RED SOX TO SPONSOR A DIVISION OF THE BOSTON PARK BASEBALL LEAGUE.

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ducted in each district of the city. The jamboree program will consist of a panel of baseball experts, including Red Sox scouts, entertainment by local youngsters, registration of the teams, and the showing of the film "Baseball in Boston," a moving-picture story of the Red Sox in action. Mayor Hynes extends an open invitation to all parents and youngsters of this age group in an effort to emphasize this healthy youth program.

The following is the schedule of "Baseball Jamborees" for the coming week:

Dorchester district, Old Dorchester American Legion Post, Wednesday, April 27, 8 P.M.

Brighton district, Brighton Municipal Building, Thursday, April 28, 8 P.M.

Hyde Park-Mattapan district, Hyde Park Municipal Building, Thursday, April 28, 8 P.M.

Charlestown district, Charlestown Housing Auditorium, Friday, April 29, 8 P.M.

INSTRUCTIONS AS TO SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET ISSUED TO DEPARTMENT HEADS.

City of Boston,
Administrative Services Department,
April 25, 1955.

To Department Heads.

A supplementary budget will be submitted to the City Council on May 16, 1955. The primary purpose of this appropriation measure will be to provide for departmental needs and requirements which have developed since the submission of the 1955 budget estimates. Requests for supplementary allowances must be limited to items associated with essential and important services which can not be performed within the budget appropriations already approved for the current year. Any question concerning the nature and type of items to be included in the supplementary budget should be referred to the budget analyst assigned to your department.

Item estimates are to be prepared in triplicate on Budget Form No. 12, copies of which may be secured at Room 50, City Hall. Each item request must be supported by a full explanation of the purpose and necessity of the appropriation desired. Two copies of the estimates must be returned to the Director of Administrative Services not later than May 6, 1955. They should be accompanied by a letter of transmittal, signed by the department or division head, summarizing by main appropriation groups the total of the supplementary request.

Very truly yours,

Charles J. Fox,
Director.

TRANSFERS OF APPROPRIATIONS.

The Mayor has approved the following transfers of appropriations:

Mayor's Office.

From 369, Supplies and Materials (Not Otherwise Classified), $240, to 569, Office Furniture and Equipment, $240.

Public Works Department.

Water Division.

From 397, Public Works Supplies and Materials, $1,205, to 711, Extension and Improvement of Water Mains, $1,205.

LAYING OUT OF DONWOOD TERRACE.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the laying out (without construction) of Donwood terrace, Dorchester district, between Gladeside avenue and Ridgeview avenue, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named Donwood terrace is hereby laid out (without construction) between Gladeside avenue and Ridgeview avenue.

Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed thereto, in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

Northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Gladeside avenue, fifty-six and 16-100 feet; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Donwood terrace as hereby laid out by three measurements, eleven and 97-100 feet on a curve of eight feet radius, three hundred fifty-three and 61-100 feet, and thirteen and 10-100 feet on a curve of eight feet radius; southeasterly by the northwesterly line of Ridgeview avenue, fifty-six and 13-100 feet; and southwesterly by the southwesterly line of Donwood terrace as hereby laid out by three measurements, twelve and 4-100 feet on a curve of eight feet radius, three hundred fifty-three and 18-100 feet, and thirteen and 16-100 feet on a curve of eight feet radius.

No betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the laying out (without construction) of Donwood terrace, Dorchester district, as a highway, between Gladeside avenue and Ridgeview avenue, under the order of the commission of April 20, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

LAYING OF SEWER AND DRAIN PIPE.

The Public Improvement Commission has passed the following order:

Ordered, That approximately 450 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sewer, including 450 linear feet of 10-inch pipe surface drain, at an estimated cost of $5,175, be constructed in Manchester street, from a point 200 feet east of Cedar street to Idaho street, Dorchester district.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the undermentioned parcels of land situated on the northerly side of Manchester street, as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 1453-C, Sewerage Works, Manchester Street, Dorchester, April 13, 1955, James W. Haley, Chief Engineer, Survey Division, Public Works Department," and on file in the office of this department, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement herein ordered, in the amounts hereinafter respectively set against them:

Parcel.		Amount.
1.	William J. Driscoll Construction Company	Nothing
2.	William J. Driscoll Construction Company	$337 50
3.	William J. Driscoll Construction Company	337 50
4.	William J. Driscoll Construction Company	337 50
5.	William J. Driscoll Construction Company	337 50
6.	William J. Driscoll Construction Company	337 50
7.	William J. Driscoll Construction Company	337 50
8.	William J. Driscoll Construction Company	337 50
9.	William J. Driscoll Construction Company	337 50
	Total	$2,700 00

LAYING OUT OF LINVALE TERRACE.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the laying out (without construction) of Linvale terrace, Dorchester district, between Mamelon Circle and Gladeside avenue, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named Linvale terrace is hereby laid out (without construction), between Mamelon Circle and Gladeside avenue.

Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees, shrubs, or structures, standing upon or affixed thereto, in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

Southwesterly by the northeasterly line of Mamelon Circle, sixty-seven and 13-100 feet on a curve of one hundred twenty-seven and 50-100 feet radius; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Linvale terrace as hereby laid out by two measurements, seventeen and 40-100 feet on a curve of twelve feet radius and one hundred thirty-nine and 43-100 feet; northerly by the northerly line of Linvale terrace, by two measurements, three hundred seven and 74-100 feet and twelve and 57-100 feet on a curve of eight feet radius; easterly by the westerly line of Gladeside avenue, fifty-six feet; southerly by the southerly line of Linvale terrace as hereby laid out by three measurements, twelve and 57-100 feet on a curve of eight feet radius, two hundred seventy-three and 13-100 feet, and sixteen and 85-100 feet on a curve of fifteen feet radius; and southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Linvale terrace as hereby laid out by two measurements, one hundred three and 14-100 feet and twenty-nine and 14-100 feet on a curve of twenty-five feet radius.

No betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the laying out (without construction) of Linvale terrace, Dorchester district, as a highway, between Mamelon Circle and Gladeside avenue, under the order of the commission of April 20, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

Laundry Manager, Long Island Division, Boston Hospital Department, June 18, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Tuesday, May 31, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $73 a week; the maximum salary is $90.50 a week.

Vacancies: At present there is one vacancy for a male.

Duties: Under the direct supervision of the Superintendent of the Long Island Division, to have full charge of the laundry and associated departments (ironing room, sewing room, and sorting room); to recommend the manufacture of new materials by the sewing room and to supervise the making of sheets, towels, pillowcases, uniforms, and similar items in order to facilitate more efficient laundry service; and to perform related work as required.

The following are required: Knowledge of laundry formulas, proper methods of laundering, the making of hospital linens, and the operation and maintenance of the equipment used in the work; ability to supervise all activities.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Bernard F. Shadrawy, 830 Beacon street, has been appointed as provisional assistant assessor (part time), for a period of one month, effective March 1 and expiring March 31.

Harold L. Vaughan, 46 Deckard street, Roxbury, has been appointed as assistant assessor (part time), *vice* Frederick A. Robinson, retired, at $284.93 a month.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Approval has been given for the continued temporary employment, for a period of six months, from March 13, of Joseph M. Eich, 23 Maxfield street, West Roxbury, as electrical draftsman at $68.29 a week.

Approval has been given for a further extension of time, for a period of six months, from March 25, 1955, pending a competitive examination, for the temporary employment of John J. E. Adams, 2 Primrose street, Roslindale, as plumbing inspector at $80 a week.

Approval has been given for the provisional appointment, for a period of six months, from April 18, of Gloria Elias, 69 Hillside road, Watertown, as clerk-stenographer at $43 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

South Division.

For the week ending March 29:

The following temporary employee has been appointed:

Marcella A. Tatum, 11 Brandon avenue, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Main Division.

For the week ending April 12:

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Esther Bardlow, 5 Reddy avenue, Hyde Park, 1 day; Priscilla Beckwith, 686 Massachusetts avenue, Lillian Blackburn, 18 Park Vale avenue, Allston, Louise Blanchard, 31 Eaton street, East Milton, 3 days; Dolores Buckley, 549 Park street, Dorchester, 2 days; Ruby Childs, 270 Huntington avenue, 1 day; Carrie Coleman, 360 Tucker street, Milton, 2 days; Sophie Cotter, 173 Vine Rock street, Dedham, 1 day; Helene Crocker, 58 Myrtle street, 4 days; Patricia Camirand, 41 Falmouth street, 3 days; Norma Dean, 696 Massachusetts avenue, 1 day; Hannah Donahue, 270 Huntington avenue, 3 days; Florence Dowd, 93 Williams avenue, Hyde Park, Jean Darraugh, 568 East Sixth street, South Boston, 1 day; Catherine Dorman, 64 Cliff avenue, Winthrop, 3 days; Nancy Edwards, 428 Adams street, Dorchester, 2 days; Anna Ferrara, 53 Blue Hill avenue, Milton, 5 days; Christine Finn, 23 Commonwealth avenue, Ruth K. Frank, 3 Allston street, 2 days; Ethel Glennon, 57 Hollis avenue, Quincy, 3 days; Stella Graham, 43 Mercier avenue, Dorchester, 5 days; Mary Grant, 49 East Springfield street, 2 days; Diana Guinta, 42 Topliff street, Dorchester, 1 day; Eleanor Duffley, 35 Edwin street, Dorchester, 3 days; Virginia Hamilton, 827 River street, Mattapan, 1 day; Mary B. Healy, 162 East Cottage street, Dor-

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING APRIL 26.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Edward Wiezel	15 Avila road	18	Alterations, dwelling	$200
Katherine Imray	49 Barry street	15	Alterations, dwelling	700
Frances Rinehart	83 Bird street	15	Alterations, dwelling	148
Joe and Nemo	1 Boylston street	3	Alterations, restaurant, office	950
Silver Estate	152 Canal street	3	Sign, cafe, office	80
Sadie Smiles	834 Centre street	19	Alterations, dwelling	200
J. E. Burke	103 Clayton street	16	Alterations, shop	2,400
Homand Realty	247 Columbia road	14	Alterations, dwelling	500
Margaret Dobson	7 Dwight street	3	Alterations, lodging house	775
Joseph Farge	752 East Broadway	7	Alterations, store	200
Bolis Masulis	436 East Sixth street	7	Alterations, dwelling	500
Luciano Capodilupo	76 Green street	3	Fire repair, lodging house	250
C. D. Transportation	180 Hampden street	8	Alterations, pier	150
Industrial Enamel Corp	81 Hano street	22	Fire repair, manufacturing	185
W. J. Cantwell	31 Hartford street	13	Alterations, dwelling	375
A. Cardinale	76 Havre street	1	Fire escape, dwelling	60
J. Volta	78 Havre street	1	Fire escape, dwelling	60
A. Casalitto	80 Havre street	1	Fire escape, dwelling	60
Joseph Masser	17 Magnolia square	13	Alterations, dwelling	800
Arthur Hastedt	18 Malcolm road	19	Alterations, dwelling	450
Frederick Durepo	638 Metropolitan avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	620
B. Bradley	13 Monument street	2	Fire escape, dwelling	285
B. Bradley	Rear 13 Monument street	2	Fire escape, dwelling	125
George Magee	47 Neponset avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	485
V. J. Realty Company	365 North street	3	Alterations, dwelling	350
Joseph Palano	104 Pleasant street	15	Alterations, dwelling	1,600
General Electric Company	156 Porter street	1	Alterations, manufacturing	4,500
Henry Poydras	1148 and 1150 River street	18	Take-down, gas station	50
H. P. Hood & Sons	500 Rutherford avenue	2	Alterations, dairy	800
Alexander Irwin	58 Saunders street	21	Alterations, dwelling	1,300
Vincent Cudmore	94 Sawyer avenue	13	Alterations, dwelling	250
Justin Glass	284 Summit avenue	22	Alterations, dwelling	200
Alice Cadigan	30 Waldemar avenue	1	Alterations, dwelling	600
J & J Real Estate, Trustee	427 Washington street	22	Fire repair, trash house	500
Mrs. Tepuky	123 Wellington Hill street	14	Alterations, dwelling	500
Thomas Cavanough	73 Westchester road	19	Alterations, dwelling	350
Dorchester Historical Society	Rear 25 Willow street	20	Take-down, barn	400
J. Hanley	126 Woodrow avenue	14	Fire escape, dwelling	150
John Hassett	45 Woodward street	7	Alterations, dwelling	300
Joseph Hassett	47 Woodward street	7	Alterations, dwelling	300
A. W. Perry	647 Atlantic avenue	3	Alterations, store, office	300
J. E. and A. Fitzgerald	4 Bartlett terrace	9	Fire repair, dwelling	350
James Dangelo	14 Bowdoin avenue	17	Alterations, dwelling	525
Persephone Moskos	169 Brighton avenue	21	Sign, store	250
William Devin	35 and 37 Brookvale street	16	Alterations, dwelling	400
F. Blundo	13 Chelsea street	1	Sign, store, dwelling	300
G. Brudnow	508 Commonwealth avenue	5	Alterations, store, office	250
Elizabeth Corrado	8 Dartmouth street	3	Sign, restaurant	50
J. Giaswa	68 East Canton street	8	Alterations, junk shop	800
Michael Ryan	109 Fenwood road	10	Alterations, dwelling	1,200
Sadie Abrams	16 Glenarm street	14	Alterations, dwelling	680
Canada Dry, Inc	117 Heath street	10	Sign, manufacturing	550
Ralph DeStefano	65 Maverick square	1	Alterations, store, dwelling	350
Walter Eastman	13 Monmouth street	1	Alterations, dwelling	900
Walter Eastman	15 Monmouth street	1	Alterations, dwelling	900
Michael Repucci	374 North street	3	Alterations, dwelling, store	75
Henry Henderson	6 Patterson street	16	Alterations, dwelling	200
Albert and Florence Trotman	50 Quincy street	12	Fire escape, dwelling	500
Oak Grove Realty	74 Ruggles street	9	Alterations, dwelling	450
Wiggin Terminal	360 Rutherford avenue	2	Sign, storage, office	750
James Ritchie	21 Tolman street	16	Alterations, dwelling	500
Doris Brainard	13 Upland avenue	17	Alterations, dwelling	150
Anthony Zirzi	439 Washington street	17	Alterations, dwelling	200
Sears Roebuck	556 Washington street	17	Sign, store	200
Edward Vaunce	10A Westland avenue	4	Sign, restaurant, dwelling	850
Edwin Phelps	173 Willow street	20	Alterations, dwelling	175
Sam Cohen	162 Woodrow avenue	14	Alterations, dwelling	300
Vincent Rizzo	18 Averton street	20	Alterations, dwelling	350
A. Shapiro Charity Fund	108 Beach street	3	Alterations, office, storage	400
First National Bank	84½ Berkeley street	5	Sign, store, office	30
Mr. McNamara	12 Brewster street	6	Alterations, dwelling	300
Henry McManus	8 Carmel street	10	Alterations, dwelling	100
Frank Fairbairn	41 Congreve street	20	Alterations, dwelling	650
William Kennedy	41 Cornwall street	11	Alterations, dwelling	1,190
Harold Young	15 Dresden street	19	Alterations, dwelling	75
George Flynn	11 Enfield street	19	Alterations, dwelling	300
Philip Shapiro	59 and 59A Gordon street	21	Alterations, dwelling	400
A. Suskind	30 and 32 Hanover street	3	Alterations, stores	625
James Cruickshank	9 Hastings street	18	Alterations, dwelling	175
Joseph McCarthy	45 Howard avenue	13	Fire escape, dwelling	400
First Presbyterian Church	130 London street	1	Alterations, church	650
Henry W. Savage	97 Meridian street	1	Alterations, store	480
James Doulos	244 Northern avenue	6	Alterations, store	150
Ivan Wagner	105 Radcliffe street	14	Dwelling	300
Henry Quinn	27 and 29 Ridgemont street	21	Alterations, dwelling	400
Julius Kosky	200 Spring street	20	Alterations, dwelling	130
William Kremmell	191 Sycamore street	19	Alterations, dwelling	375
A. Rice	53 Sycamore street	19	Alterations, dwelling	100
American Legion Post 327	1462 Tremont street	19	Carnival	100
John Mara	62 Trenton street	1	Alterations, dwelling	600
A. Gebhardt	93 Walter street	20	Alterations, dwelling	950
Herbert Saves	569 Washington street	17	Alterations, stores	500
Atolonia Szyucinski	174 West Eighth street	6	Alterations, dwelling	890
Abbie Welch	134 West Third street	6	Alterations, dwelling	890
Delia O'Toole	140 West Third street	6	Alterations, dwelling	545
R. Hamaty and E. Ghiza	59 West Walnut park	11	Alterations, dwelling	900
Addie Phillips	35 Woodbine street	12	Alterations, dwelling	690
Isadore Zavodrich	177 Woodrow avenue	14	Alterations, dwelling	950
Mass. Memorial Hospital	296 Allston street	21	Alterations, hospital	800

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING APRIL 26.—Concluded.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
John Brown	295 and 297 Broadway	3	Take-down, dwelling	$1,140
Harry Bloomberg	27 Brookledge street	12	Alterations, dwelling	532
Charles V. Barry	275 Bellevue street	20	Alterations, dwelling	450
Louis Hoeschle	49 Catherine street	19	Alterations, dwelling	525
John O'Hare	36 Cedarwood road	19	Alterations, dwelling	350
Santo Fenene	40 Chelsea street	1	Alterations, dwelling	15
William J. McMorrow	260 Corey street	20	Alterations, dwelling	1,350
Minton Realty Corporation	65 Cornwall street	11	Alterations, foundry	1,150
Ames Boston Corporation	1 Court street	3	Alterations, offices	800
Mary M. Peterson	706 and 708 East Seventh street.	7	Alterations, dwelling	150
Lionel Klinow	200 Friend street	3	Sign, store, storage	100
Harry Siegal	23 Greendale road	14	Alterations, dwelling	90
Martha Aldridge	147 Harold street	12	Alterations, dwelling	350
Gertrude John	163 Hemenway street	4	Fire escape, dwelling	400
Max Gopin	253 Highland street	11	Alterations, dwelling	800
Devonshire Realty	16 Kingston street	3	Alterations, store	150
Antonio Gonzales	25 Lawrence street	4	Fire escape, lodging house	100
Antonio Gonzales	26 Lawrence street	4	Fire escape, lodging house	100
Carl Reitzel	12 Lorraine street	19	Alterations, dwelling	100
Anthony Winick	93 Massachusetts avenue	5	Sign, store, office	500
David Goodman	50 Millet street	17	Alterations, dwelling	100
Henry Hasken	21 Mt. Vernon street	7	Alterations, dwelling	1,400
Sabatino Marucci	114 and 116 Orleans street.	1	Excavation	100
Lionel Klinow	125 Portland street	3	Sign, store, storage	500
Mary Reany	10 Roseland street	16	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Rev. W. E. Pomeroy	30 St. John street	19	Alterations, dwelling	95
Charles Edson	14 Wenham street	19	Alterations, dwelling	350
Pirella Snow	45 Wrentham street	16	Alterations, dwelling	100
Edward Greer	298 Ashmont street	16	Fire escape, dwelling	450
Edith Cohen	37 Athelwold street	17	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Hollingsworth Estate	610 Atlantic avenue	3	Alterations, office, mfg.	700
Gertrude M. Stuart	535 Baker street	20	Alterations, dwelling	395
Fisher Electric Company	63 Bartlett street	2	Fire repair, store, dwelling	350
A. Belmonte	243 Everett street	1	Alterations, dwelling	400
William Handy	12 Brahms street	20	Alterations, dwelling	285
Harry Katzen	234 Callender street	14	Alterations, dwelling	700
Schactman & Swig	38 Chauncy street	3	Alterations, office, stores	250
Arthur Griffith	43 Clifford street	12	Alterations, dwelling	230
Long Real Estate	375 Columbus avenue	4	Alterations, club, lodging	200
A. Kaupp and F. Mercurio	672–676 East Broadway	6	Alterations, store, dwelling	700
Nora Lassier	114 Havre street	1	Alterations, dwelling	100
Sara Miller	60 Hollander street	12	Alterations, dwelling	450
Louis Ruggiolo	5 Magnolia square	13	Alterations, dwelling	700
William Hogan	11 and 13 Marion street	1	Alterations, dwelling	525
William Hogan	393 Meridian street	1	Alterations, dwelling	475
Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston.	333 Old Colony avenue	6	Excavation	500
Peter Esposito	99 Orient avenue	1	Alterations, dwelling	500
Patrick Donaghy	52 Pleasant street	2	Fire escape, dwelling	350
F. M. Libbey	15 Pompeii street	8	Alterations, dwelling	90
Ralph Nicmi	17 Pompeii street	8	Alterations, dwelling	90
William Templeton	91 Readville street	18	Alterations, dwelling	850
A. Coughlin	16 Rosemary street	11	Alterations, dwelling	950
Dominic Pagliccia	681 Saratoga street	1	Alterations, dwelling	450
Margaret Hattman	273 Savin Hill avenue	13	Alterations, dwelling	325
Charles Kiddy	40 Sherman street	19	Alterations, dwelling	350
Nordblom Company	92 State street	3	Alterations, store	1,500
Anival Carvalho	209 Trenton street	1	Fire escape, dwelling	300
Paul Truba	43 Walnut street	16	Alterations, dwelling	345
N. E. Centre Hospital	784 Washington street.	3	Alterations, store	750
George T. Roberts	579 Weld street	20	Alterations, dwelling	260
Isenberg Bros.	Rear 1 Westland avenue	4	Sign, store, dwelling	350
Dave Gordward	86 Woodhaven street	18	Alterations, dwelling	100

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chester, 7 days; Doris Holland, 24 Chestnut road, West Roxbury, 1 day; Dorothy Jewkes, 305 Lynn street, Malden, 2 days; Joan Keane, 1086 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, 1 day; Charlotte Kelleher, 48 Waverly street, Roxbury, 2 days; Olga Krag, 5 Park Vale, Brookline, 5 days; Claire McCue, 74 Robinwood road, Dedham, 4 days; Veronica McElligott, 34 Dickinson street, Somerville, 7 days; Catherine McGuinness, 14 Alsen road, Dorchester, 4 days; Mary R. Mahan, 29 Kempton street, 7 days; Carmella Messina, 102 Highland road, Somerville, 1 day; Anna Murphy, 115 Peterborough street, 2 days; Mary Murphy, 37 Hampden Circle, Wollaston, 3 days; Audrey Mailhot, 30 Walton street, Dorchester, 4 days; Phyllis Nigro, 271 Dartmouth street, 5 days; Angelina Peyton, 16 Dane street, Jamaica Plain, Alice M. Powers, 67 Prospect street, Wollaston, 1 day; Mary Pursley, 38 Van Brunt street, Hyde Park, 4 days; Romaine Riley, 171 Humboldt avenue, Roxbury, 3 days; Helen Rodriguez, 97 Spring street, West Roxbury, Edmund Shea, 29 East Concord street, 1 day; Angelina Smith, 3 Walford Drive, Canton, 2 days; Mabel Smith, 87 Bartlett road, Winthrop, Verna Snow, 75 Damon avenue, Melrose, 3 days; Helen Spillane, 499 Park street, Stoughton, 2 days; Mabel Steed, 87 Bartlett road, Winthrop, 1 day; Madeline Sullivan, 126 Marlborough street, 3 days; Margaret M. Sullivan, 28 Weymouth street, Holbrook, Frances Simonin, 29 Sagamore street, Dorchester, 1 day; Claire Shea, 136 Savin Hill avenue, Dorchester, 2 days; Josephine Trippe, 80 Orleans street, East Boston, 3 days; Kathryne Welch, 39 East Springfield street, 5 days.

The following weekly nurses have been appointed:

Permanent.—Belle Buccigross, 902 East Broadway, South Boston, floor nurse, $65.50 a week; Carol Duffy, 89 Salman street, West Roxbury, floor nurse, $45 a week; Patricia Keefe, 4345 Washington street, floor nurse, $63 a week; Ann Kinch, 327 West Third street, South Boston, floor nurse, $1.70 an hour; Violet Schurr, 1063 Belmont street, Watertown, Ann Tierney, 1171 Boylston street, floor nurses, $60.50 a week.

Temporary.—Barbara Blake, 27 Blakeville street, Dorchester, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour; Patricia Lavoie, 9 Lennoco road, Jamaica Plain, floor nurse, $1 an hour; Helen M. Rodriguez, 97 Spring street, West Roxbury, staff nurse, $60.50 a week.

The following provisional employee has been appointed:

Alice Coakley, 39 Ashland street, Dorchester, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—Sadie Bassett, 68 West Concord street, hospital medical worker, $55.50 a week; Elsie MacDonald, 184 Monticello avenue, Dorchester, hospital laundry worker, $48 a week; Pauline Madden, 43 Milton avenue, Dorchester, clerk-typist, $50.50 a week; Kathleen M. Huber, 8 Elmira street, Brighton, medical social worker, $73 a week; Patricia Cavanaugh, 21 Melville avenue, Dorchester, Mary Griswald, 21 Melville avenue, Dorchester, floor nurses, $1.60 an hour; Patricia McDermott, 180 Garfield avenue, Hyde Park, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour.

Temporary.—Catherine Connors, 121 Magazine street, Roxbury, Mary D. Penn, 24 Hammond street, Roxbury, hospital kitchen workers, $43 a week; Anthony LaPenna, 4 Copp's Hill terrace, hospital house worker, $43 a week; Louis Ceccre, 277 Paris street, East Boston, elevator operator, $43 a week; Theresa A. Lopas, 75 Baker street, West Roxbury, laboratory assistant, $45.50 a week.

Long Island Division.

The following changes have been made in the personnel for the week ending April 12:

Terminations.—George A. Cummings, painter, emergency; Clifton F. Dexter, Long Island Hospital guard, temporary; Margaret E. Evans, recreation room matron; Teresa F. Hughes, physical therapist; John V. Johannson, attendant; Thomas J. Joyce, hospital kitchen worker, emergency; Theresa C. Lamb, licensed graduate nurse; Frances M. McBride, graduate attendant nurse; Peter M. McPhee, cemetery laborer, emergency; Charles R. Peek, chaplain; Paul J. Powers, hospital house worker, permanent.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following appointments:

Auditing Department.

Francis X. Dunne, 14 Paisley park, Dorchester, clerk, $43 a week.

Fire Department.

Francis C. Keane, 7 Concord avenue, Charlestown, radio repairman, $67.82 a week.

Mary Radziusz, 1226 Columbia road, South Boston, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Fire Fighters, $67.82 a Week.

John C. Ahern, 68 Francis street, Roxbury.

William P. Powers, 39 Darling street, Roxbury.

John F. O'Faherty, 5 Coolidge road, Dorchester.

George W. Ray, Jr., 6 Ridgewood street, Dorchester.

Robert L. Hennessey, 9 Favre street, Mattapan.

James F. Walsh, 20 Monadnock street, Dorchester.

Joseph T. Earner, 22 Rowell street, Dorchester.

John J. Trementozzi, 37 Dana avenue, Hyde Park.

Richard W. Lynch, 101 Hampshire street, Roxbury.

Thomas M. O'Toole, 3 Mill street, Dorchester.

Gerald R. LaFlamme, 88 Clarkson street, Dorchester.

Francis C. Hession, 370 Bowdoin street, Dorchester.

Timothy J. McGowan, 30 Bellevue street, West Roxbury.

John J. Geswell, 17 Twomey court, South Boston.

George F. McCafferty, 2 Thwing street, Roxbury.

Thomas Slattery, 24 Old Morton street, Mattapan.

Carmen A. Campanaro, 125 Wordsworth street, East Boston.

John G. Thompson, 175 Falcon street, East Boston.

William H. H. Tripp, 26 Lyon street, Dorchester.

Edward F. McMillan, 259 Garfield avenue, Hyde Park.

Joseph M. Martin, 18 Chestnut street, Charlestown.

Frank J. Murano, 260 Mt. Vernon street, Dorchester.

Richard A. Ferrari, 48 Maple street, Hyde Park.

Nicholas F. Lepore, 31 Chelsea street, East Boston.

Francis T. McAlpine, 3 Morton place, Roxbury.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Health Division.

Genevieve Jacobsen, 143 Tremont street, Brighton, public health nurse, $63 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Long Island Division.

Peter McPhee, 4 Mill street, Dorchester, hospital laundry worker, $43 a week.

Rev. Howard W. Melvin, 73 Columbia road, Dorchester, chaplain, $33.77 a week.

Student Practical Nurses, $16.51 a Week.

Lois M. Gale, 4 Brookvale street, Roxbury.

Maudelle E. Gilmore, 115 South Lexington avenue, White Plains, New York,

Annmarie A. Johnson, 39 Waumbeck street, Roxbury.

Catherine D. Tolland, 27 Bates road, Milton.

Theresa M. Casey, 402 Main street, Manchester, New Hampshire.

Ila E. Drake, Box 184, New London, New Hampshire.

Lorrette M. Hebert, 87 Pine street, Waltham.

Helen J. Eldredge, 1681A Beacon street, Brookline.

Veronica Harrington, Long Island Hospital, licensed practical nurse, $53 a week.

Diane Seymour, Long Island Hospital, licensed practical nurse, $53 a week.

Arthur W. MacBain, 21 Union Park street, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Francis P. O'Keefe, 408 Tremont street, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Paul V. McKenna, 21 Garth road, West Roxbury, guard, $53 a week.

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING APRIL 26.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
S. Adams	10 Baird street	14	Connecting range	$35
C. Kay	568 Dorchester avenue	7	Connecting range	100
C. Kay	570 Dorchester avenue	7	Connecting range	100
A. Farley	26 East Springfield street	8	Connecting range	35
A. Farley	20 Greenwich street	9	Connecting range	40
A. Farley	17 Langdon street	8	Connecting range	15
S. Adams	9 Lyon street	16	Connecting range	255
S. Adams	23 Magdala street	16	Connecting range	35
S. Adams	7 Michigan avenue	14	Connecting range	275
P. Kennedy	80 Montgomery street	4	Connecting range	35
A. Farley	7 Oakland street	9	Connecting heater	35
S. Adams	11 Spencer street	17	Connecting range	325
G. Trethewey	187 Sycamore street	19	Connecting heater	285
D. Krieger	308 Newbury street	5	Connecting heater	300
G. Tack	149 Strathmore road	21	Connecting range	35
A. Cohen	76A Leverett street	3	Connecting range	35
W. Emery	75 North Beacon street	21	Connecting range	300
D. Spiers	3 Stratford street	20	Connecting range	50
A. Farley	33 Montrose street	12	Connecting range	10
A. Farley	51 Holworthy street	12	Connecting range	10
A. Farley	522 Blue Hill avenue	12	Connecting range	10
A. Farley	9 Emrose terrace	12	Connecting range	35
A. Farley	63 Woodford street	12	Connecting range	25
A. Farley	32 Edgewood street	12	Connecting range	30
G. Trethewey	81 Penfield street	20	Connecting range	40
J. Mellyn	440 Amory street	11	Connecting range	50
J. Mellyn	1 Meehan place	11	Connecting range	30
A. Farley	125 Bower street	12	Connecting range	15
A. Farley	55 Sherman street	12	Connecting range	10
A. Farley	130 Fisher avenue	10	Connecting heater	40
A. Farley	60 Catawba street	12	Connecting range	10
A. Farley	86 Winthrop street	12	Connecting range	45
A. Farley	26 Mt. Pleasant avenue	8	Connecting range	15
A. Farley	56 Crawford street	12	Connecting range	100
S. Adams	401 Ashmont street	16	Connecting range	345
S. Adams	27 Pierce avenue	16	Connecting heater	175
S. Adams	43 Malta street	18	Connecting heater	350
S. Adams	57 Grampian Way	13	Connecting range	400
S. Adams	11 Granville street	16	Connecting range	325
J. Wilson	47 Mystic street	2	Connecting range	35
E. Coleman	9 Mattakeeset street	18	Connecting range	35
C. Lee	804 Blue Hill avenue	12	Connecting range	65
C. Lee	31A Hutchings street	12	Connecting range	10
William Kocen	117 Bower street	12	Connecting range	50
J. Palumbo	332 Harvard street	14	Connecting range	35
G. Trethewey	176 Mt. Hope street	19	Connecting heater	160
H. Geddis	111 Huntington avenue	4	Connecting range	50
A. Cohen	29 Albion street	3	Connecting range	60
B. Weiner	146 Massachusetts avenue	4	Connecting range	40
M. Eskowitz	61 St. Alphonsus street	10	Connecting range	150
Jos. H. Vogel	155 West Newton street	4	Connecting range	45
J. O'Neil	401 Adams street	16	Connecting range	20
A. Figler	491B Blue Hill avenue	12	Connecting range	75
E. Sawyer	1356 Boylston street	5	Connecting range	45
I. Gerson	50 Burt street	17	Connecting heater	45
N. Clark	1046 Columbus avenue	9	Connecting range	400
D. Horgan	30 Covington street	7	Connecting range	40
S. Connolly	11 Dean street	12	Connecting heater	35
D. Gould	37 Dewey street	12	Connecting range	90
A. Milligan	129 Eastwood Circuit	20	Connecting range	100
J. McNulty	256 Eustis street	8	Connecting range	35
S. Connolly	78 Fulda street	11	Connecting range	35
S. Connolly	18 Greenville street	8	Connecting range	50
D. Gould	111 Hammond street	9	Connecting range	35
M. Loiterstein	Harrison avenue	8	Connecting range	35
D. Gould	29 Humboldt avenue	12	Connecting range	55
J. Wirth, Jr.	293 K street	7	Connecting heater	150
A. Milligan	49 Laurie avenue	20	Connecting range	110
A. Milligan	53 Laurie avenue	20	Connecting range	100
A. Milligan	1 Lillie Way	20	Connecting range	100
A. Milligan	2 Lillie Way	20	Connecting range	100
M. Loiterstein	108 Massachusetts avenue	4	Connecting range	135
N. Clark	16 McLellan street	14	Connecting range	35
M. Loiterstein	592 Metropolitan avenue	18	Connecting heater	400
J. Egan	11 Middlesex street	3	Connecting range	40
William Broderick	34 Milton street	18	Connecting range	600
G. Sanders	48 North street	3	Connecting range	500
E. Sawyer	199 Northern avenue	6	Connecting range	200
A. Halsband	8 Oxford place	3	Connecting range	35
J. O'Neil	96 Parsons street	21	Connecting heater	35
S. Connolly	1 Pevear place	12	Connecting range	35
H. Hinkley	37 Sherman street	12	Connecting range	25
A. Hird	51 Stow road	18	Connecting range	900
A. Milligan	307 V. F. W. Parkway	20	Connecting range	100
A. Milligan	311 V. F. W. Parkway	20	Connecting range	100
M. Loiterstein	47 Walnut street	16	Connecting heater	45
S. Connolly	28 Warwick street	9	Connecting range	50
S. Chipman	25 West Fifth street	6	Connecting cooker	35
N. Clark	5 Westminster terrace	11	Connecting cooker	300
J. Vangi	16 Willard street	3	Connecting range	25
N. Clark	2 Wyman place	10	Connecting range	400
C. Romano	7 Arcadia street	15	Connecting heater	250
W. Nye	1272 Boylston street	5	Connecting heater	250
William Hogan	158 Calumet street	10	Connecting range	100
E. Gamrin	1 Centre Street terrace	10	Connecting range	350
C. Romano	77 Chambers street	3	Connecting range	100
C. Romano	50 Charles street	15	Connecting heater	200
M. Riceman	14 Dewey street	13	Connecting cooker	45
C. Romano	8 Fossdale road	16	Connecting heater	200
D. Cahill	41 Green street	2	Connecting heater	35
S. Campbell	788 Harrison avenue	8	Connecting heater	40

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Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
C. Romano	101 Itasca street	18	Connecting range	$40
C. Romano	20 Levant street	15	Connecting range	40
D. Spiers	10 Millet street	17	Connecting heater	100
C. Romano	141 Millet street	17	Connecting range	400
C. Romano	145 Millet street	17	Connecting range	250
N. Clark	548 Newbury street	5	Connecting range	45
R. McCall	282 North Harvard street	22	Connecting range	50
R. McCall	53 Oakland street	22	Connecting range	35
C. Romano	46 Packard avenue	17	Connecting range	150
C. Romano	253A Park street	17	Connecting range	245
C. Romano	30 Pierce avenue	16	Connecting range	200
C. Romano	19 Pleasant street	13	Connecting heater	150
C. Romano	5 Shafter street	14	Connecting range	110
William Fishman	40 South Fairview street	20	Connecting range	10
C. Romano	88 Stoughton street	13	Connecting range	45
C. Romano	69 Van Winkle street	16	Connecting range	200
N. Clark	83 Walk Hill street	11	Connecting range	300
N. Clark	4368 Washington street	20	Connecting range	400
C. Romano	63 West Selden street	18	Connecting heater	180
C. Romano	152 Westville street	15	Connecting range	75
C. Romano	14 Woodfield street	16	Connecting range	250
C. Romano	35 Woodrow avenue	14	Connecting range	200
W. Crawford	64 Ballou avenue	17	Connecting heater	35
A. DiLorenzo	33 Corning street	5	Connecting range	300
Joseph H. Vogel	34 East Springfield street	8	Connecting range	20
D. Palmariello	10 Henchman street	3	Connecting range	40
A. Granara	2 Holden court	3	Connecting range	25
J. McGee	1298 Hyde Park avenue	18	Connecting range	80
N. Clark	22 Lyford street	14	Connecting range	10
N. Clark	25 Magnolia street	12	Connecting cooker	35
N. Clark	24 Mallon road	14	Connecting range	45
William Mooney	187 Neponset avenue	16	Connecting range	45
N. Rubin	2 North Mead court	2	Connecting range	45
A. Granara	36 Prince street	3	Connecting range	15
A. Hird	10 Rosseter street	14	Connecting range	400
D. Greenwood	12 Southwick street	16	Connecting heater	25
William Mooney	129 Wrentham street	16	Connecting range	45
B. Claney	844 Berkeley street	4	Connecting range	135
L. Rubinovitch	172 Blackstone street	3	Connecting range	35
C. Lee	528 Blue Hill avenue	12	Connecting range	120
S. Fox	478 Brookline avenue	5	Connecting range	45
G. Trethewey	166 Brown avenue	18	Connecting range	150
C. Lee	22 Dacia street	12	Connecting range	10
C. Lee	103 Devon street	12	Connecting range	10
C. Lee	109 Devon street	12	Connecting range	150
C. Lee	375 Dorchester street	7	Connecting range	15
C. Lee	870 Dorchester avenue	7	Connecting range	35
M. Slishman	483 Dudley street	13	Connecting range	10
F. Sullivan	70 Durnell avenue	19	Connecting heater	130
G. Trethewey	36 Elm Hill avenue	12	Connecting range	150
William Wiseman	155 N street	7	Connecting range	75
C. Lee	16 National street	7	Connecting range	15
C. Lee	64 Northampton street	9	Connecting range	10
C. Lee	36 Quincy street	12	Connecting range	25
C. Lee	115 Regent street	11	Connecting range	10
D. Greenwood	15 Robinwood avenue	19	Connecting heater	10
C. Lee	68 Rockland street	12	Connecting range	25
J. Sullivan	15 St. Marks road	16	Connecting range	80
S. Litman	53 Stanton street	14	Connecting range	35
F. Odenweller	14 Ticknor street	7	Connecting heater	35
William Howdy	682 Tremont street	9	Connecting range	50
C. Lee	6 Vinton street	7	Connecting range	25
S. Kramer	19 Wait street	10	Connecting range	20
C. Lee	48 Wait street	10	Connecting range	60
E. Rothenberg	109 West Newton street	9	Connecting range	150

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PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Laborers (Park), $50.50 a Week.

James F. Barry, 30 Boynton street, Jamaica Plain.

Finley J. Bertucelli, 101 Brooks street, East Boston.

John A. Bertuccio, 174 Maverick street, East Boston.

Edward P. Connolly, 3 Hammett street, Roxbury.

Andrew T. Daley, 6 Dever street, Dorchester.

Walter J. Downey, 149 L street, South Boston.

John F. Gallagher, Jr., 6 Dalrymple street, Jamaica Plain.

John J. Gallagher, 1200 Morton street, Dorchester.

Julius Gibbons, 460 Massachusetts avenue.

Angus J. Gillis, 52 Hereford street.

Francis E. Harkins, 78 Brookley road, Jamaica Plain.

Thomas C. Keller, Jr., 894 Canterbury street, Roslindale.

Joseph L. Lang, 395 West Fourth street, South Boston.

Gerardo Massa, 793 Saratoga street, East Boston.

Arthur E. Mellen, 10 School street, Charlestown.

George H. O'Brien, 33 Waverly street, Roxbury.

John J. O'Brien, 37 Prescott street, East Boston.

Paul E. O'Mara, 1592 Columbia road, South Boston.

Jaces F. Ricupero, 106 Bremen street, East Boston.

William J. Roust, 6 Parker street, Charlestown.

Joseph E. Sarno, 86 Forbes street, Jamaica Plain.

Paul Shuman, 35 Havelock street, Dorchester.

James F. Skidmore, 27 Milton avenue, Dorchester.

Lawrence A. West, 80 Brookway road, Roslindale.

William Corbett, 17 Davis street, laborer, (park), $58 a week.

Cemetery Division.

Grave Diggers, $53 a Week.

Jeremiah J. Minihan, Jr., 30 Rangeley street, Dorchester.

John W. Hunt, 319 Allston street, Allston.

Bartholomew F. O'Brien, 55 Beechland street, Roslindale.

Anthony C. Petrone, 54 I street, South Boston.

William J. Harriman, 666 East Sixth street, South Boston.

James P. Maney, 224 Roxbury street, Roxbury.

Edward T. Toohey, 290½ Eustis street, Roxbury.

Albert J. Maregni, 39 Turner street, Brighton.

George L. Murphy, 67 Chestnut street, Charlestown.

Charles M. Khoshabjian, 66 Richfield street, Dorchester.

John J. Naughton, 31 Irving street.

Kenneth A. Bembery, 6 Wood place, Charlestown.

John F. Thornton, 31 Tremlett street, Dorchester, cemetery chapel custodian, $53 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Mary A. Roache, 276 Hanover street, telephone operator, $55.50 a week.

George E. Groomes, 32 Munroe street, clerk, $43 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following appointments or reinstatements:

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Henry A. Crawford, 44 Eldridge road, Jamaica Plain, guard, $53 a week.

James McGrail, 192 Cabot street, Roxbury, guard, $53 a week.

John J. Hurley, 12 Atlantic street, South Boston, guard, $55.50 a week.

Harold MacDonald, 11 Olney street, Dorchester, guard, $53 a week.

Thomas F. Clancy, 26 Bradlee street, Dorchester, guard, $53 a week.

Robert L. McLaughlin, 22 Maryland street, Dorchester, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Jeanette L. Loukas, 16 Pond View avenue, Jamaica Plain, laboratory assistant, $45.50 a week.

Mary M. Rourke, 62 Wyman street, Jamaica Plain, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

Hospital House Workers, $43 a Week.

Leo G. Adams, 319 East Eighth street, South Boston.

Thomas N. Dunn, 121 Magazine street, Roxbury.

Douglas R. DeLong, 3147 Washington street, Jamaica Plain.

Hunter Monroe, 22 Emerald street, Roxbury.

Sylvester J. DeRosi, 93 Princeton street, East Boston.

George Becker, 22 Bentham road, Dorchester.

George L. Burke, 105 Rosseter street, Dorchester.

Alfred J. Jensen, Jr., 99 Spencer street, Dorchester.

David R. Alverde, 790 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester.

James H. Elwell, Jr., 468 Saratoga street, East Boston.

Gerald H. Martin, Jr., 105 Waumbeck street, Roxbury.

Katherine Driscoll, 609 River street, Mattapan.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Workmen's Compensation Service.

Ellen O'Driscoll, 20 Riverside square, Hyde Park, clerk and stenographer, $43 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following changes in status:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Personnel Division.

William J. McNeill, 4 Sparhawk street, Brighton, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior clerk and typist (temporary) at $55.50 a week.

Frank P. McDonough, 81 Jamaica street, Jamaica Plain, from senior personnel officer at $117.75 a week to assistant supervisor of personnel (temporary) at $122.50 a week.

Complaints Division.

Winifred R. McDonough, 12 Commonwealth avenue, from principal clerk and stenographer at $80 a week to head clerk (temporary) at $83.50 a week.

Robert J. Jones, 270 Lexington street, East Boston, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior clerk and typist (temporary) at $55.50 a week.

Samuel R. Goodwin, 14 Buswell street, from senior clerk at $65.50 a week to supervisor of complaints (temporary) at $90.50 a week.

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Harold R. Darling, 53 Oriole street, West Roxbury, from senior clerk at $65.50 a week to assessment recorder (temporary) at $68 a week.

Catherine H. Crawford, 27 Washington street, Charlestown, from senior clerk-typist at $65.50 a week to assessment recorder (temporary) at $68 a week.

AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

John J. Hartin, 20 Paisley park, Dorchester, from principal account examiner (subject to examination) at $87 a week to principal account examiner at $87 a week.

Joseph A. Re, 582 South street, Roslindale, from senior account clerk (subject to examination) at $63 a week to senior account clerk at $63 a week.

John F. Finn, General Putnam Garden, Cambridge, from senior account clerk (subject to examination) at $63 a week to senior account clerk at $63 a week.

Frederick J. Arata, 31 Standard street, Mattapan, from senior account clerk (temporary) at $55.50 a week to senior account clerk at $55.50 a week.

Harold T. Kenney, 1350 Commonwealth avenue, Brighton, from senior account clerk (subject to examination) at $63 a week to senior account clerk at $63 a week.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

James L. McFadden, 47 Norton street, Dorchester, from fire alarm operator at $76.63 a week to senior fire alarm operator (temporary) at $90.61 a week.

Thomas J. Clark, 6 Rockne avenue, Dorchester, from captain (Medal), assistant to deputy chief, at $117.24 a week to captain (Medal), assistant to deputy chief at $117.72 a week.

James J. Murphy, Jr., 675 Adams street, Dorchester, from fire lieutenant at $86.59 a week to fire captain at $98.66 a week.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM PLUMBING FOR THE WEEK ENDING APRIL 26.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
S. Whitcombe	655 Atlantic avenue	3	Fixtures	$1,600
W. Cooper	1396 Commonwealth avenue	21	Fixtures	550
C. Kay	568 Dorchester avenue	7	Fixtures	1,000
C. Kay	570 Dorchester avenue	7	Fixtures	1,000
A. Nickinello	1616 Dorchester avenue	16	Fixtures	1,250
L. Luxton	1757 Dorchester avenue	16	Fixtures	35
L. Luxton	Rear 68 East street	15	Fixtures	800
A. Farley	9 Emrose terrace	12	Fixtures	50
S. Whitcombe	83A Essex street	3	Fixtures	500
J. Erickson	115 Havre street	1	Fixtures	450
H. Geddis	111 Huntington avenue	4	Fixtures	75
A. Nickinello	605 Hyde Park avenue	18	Fixtures	1,500
G. Trethewey	175 Mt. Hope street	18	Fixtures	160
H. Ribeck	308 Newbury street	5	Fixtures	200
W. Emery	75 North Beacon street	21	Fixtures	1,500
G. Trethewey	81 Penfield street	20	Fixtures	175
L. Stevens	9 Sheldon street	19	Fixtures	200
G. Trethewey	187 Sycamore street	18	Fixtures	285
W. Cooper	7 Tuckerman street	7	Fixtures	1,400
G. W. Vogel	155 West Newton street	4	Fixtures	25
F. Odenweller	415 Broadway	6	Fixtures	300
E. Sawyer	199 Northern avenue	6	Fixtures	1,400
R. Coughlan	12 Ashley street	10	Fixtures	500
R. Kirby	107 Beacon street	5	Fixtures	5,000
E. Gamrin	1 Centre Street terrace	10	Fixtures	1,000
C. Romano	1388 Columbus avenue	11	Fixtures	200
E. Dorr	50 Edgewood street	12	Fixtures	700
E. Dorr	62 Edgewood street	12	Fixtures	450
H. Heath	272 Lamartine street	19	Fixtures	1,400
H. Heath	301 North street	3	Fixtures	500
G. Litwach	311 Washington street	21	Fixtures	100
D. Yorks	31 Dania street	18	Fixtures	500
B. Gold	3 David road	20	Fixtures	50
B. Gold	5 David road	20	Fixtures	150
P. Kennedy	61 East Cottage street	12	Fixtures	50
D. Yorks	25 Haviland road	20	Fixtures	400
D. Yorks	29 Haviland road	20	Fixtures	400
G. Crawford	1 High street	3	Fixtures	3,000
G. Crawford	249 Huntington avenue	4	Fixtures	400
L. Mahoney	2 Leighton road	18	Fixtures	500
L. Mahoney	6 Leighton road	18	Fixtures	500
L. Mahoney	10 Leighton road	18	Fixtures	500
L. Mahoney	14 Leighton road	18	Fixtures	5,000
L. Mahoney	18 Leighton road	18	Fixtures	500
L. Mahoney	22 Leighton road	18	Fixtures	500
L. Mahoney	26 Leighton road	18	Fixtures	500
L. Mahoney	30 Leighton road	18	Fixtures	500
L. Mahoney	34 Leighton road	18	Fixtures	500
L. Mahoney	38 Leighton road	18	Fixtures	500
J. Leon	54 New Haven street	20	Fixtures	375
D. Greenwood	12 Southwick street	16	Fixtures	175
G. Deutsch	26 Temple street	3	Fixtures	750
J. Leon	3373 Washington street	11	Fixtures	250
B. Clancy	84½ Berkeley street	4	Fixtures	350
S. Fox	478 Brookline avenue	5	Fixtures	600
G. Trethewey	166 Brown avenue	18	Fixtures	150
J. Cusick	2100 Dorchester avenue	16	Fixtures	250
G. Trethewey	70 Durnell avenue	20	Fixtures	160
W. Wiseman	36 Elm Hill avenue	12	Fixtures	300
W. Long	61 Franklin street	21	Fixtures	250
J. Marquess	171 Humboldt avenue	12	Fixtures	600
J. Weinberg	48 Mt. Bowdoin terrace	14	Fixtures	150
B. Porte	254 Newbury street	5	Fixtures	900
D. Greenwood	15 Robinwood avenue	19	Fixtures	450
G. Trethewey	3 Rosemere court	18	Fixtures	160
J. Vangi	11 Temple street	5	Fixtures	150

William T. Kennealey, 15 Queensberry street, from fire lieutenant at $90.61 a week to fire captain at $102.68 a week.

David F. Watkins, 119 Dorchester street, South Boston, from fire lieutenant at $94.64 a week to fire captain at $107.66 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Long Island Division.

Clifton F. Dexter, Long Island Hospital, from guard (temporary) at $53 a week to guard (permanent) at $53 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Automotive Division.

Thomas H. Flynn, 142 Vernon street, Roxbury, from principal account clerk (temporary) at $70.50 a week to principal account clerk at $70.50 a week.

Louis E. Perullo, 20 Walter street, Hyde Park, from mobile guard at $62.53 a week to sergeant mobile guard at $65.50 a week.

Bridge Division.

John M. Perry, 988 Old Colony Parkway, South Boston, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $65.50 a week to carpenter at $68 a week.

Central Office.

Cornelius E. O'Leary, 10 Gilmore terrace, West Roxbury, from head clerk at $98.75 a week to senior personnel officer (temporary) at $103.50 a week.

Highway Division.

John J. Sances, 164 Monticello avenue, Dorchester, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior clerk and typist (temporary) at $55.50 a week.

Douglas A. Butler, 84 Selden street, Dorchester, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior clerk and stenographer (temporary) at $55.50 a week.

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TAX ABATEMENT DECISIONS RENDERED BY THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS FOR THE WEEK ENDING MARCH 25.

LEGEND.

* Appellate Tax Board Settlement. ¶ Illegal assessment. || Chapter 59-5.
† Appellate Tax Board Decision. § Duplicate assessment. = Chapter 58-8.
‡ Overvaluation Settlement by Board of Assessors. x Chapter 231.

Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
First Nationpl Bank of Akron	787 Commonwealth av	21—1949	$18,800 80	$6,020 80	*
First National Bank of Akron	787 Commonwealth av	21—1950	20,853 00	6,678 00	†
A. W. Perry, Inc	89-105 Bedford st	3—1951	25,120 00	6,280 00	*
Albiani Lunch, Inc	10-12 Scollay sq	3—1954	5,652 00	2,637 60	†
First National Bank of Akron	787 Commonwealth av	21—1951	20,786 80	6,656 80	*
A. W. Perry, Inc	89-105 Bedford st	3—1952	26,720 00	6,680 00	*
Albiani Lunch Co., Inc	12 Scollay sq	3—1952	6,012 00	2,805 60	†
Broad Street Realty Co., Inc	67-67A Broad st	3—1952	734 80	66 80	*
Broad Street Realty Co., Inc	69 Broad st	3—1952	734 80	66 80	*
Donoghue, Mary E., et al	220-222 Tremont st	3—1952	3,340 00	1,002 00	*
Foley, Donald A	Vacant lot, Milk st	3—1952	1,162 32	160 32	*
Cooley, Richard L.	34 Newbury st	5—1952	4,000 80	434 20	*
Fredman, Max, Estate of	59-61 Middlesex st	5—1952	334 00	167 00	*
Greyhound Terminal of Boston	319 Stuart st	5—1952	54,174 80	7,414 80	*
Reiser, Mary	208A-208B Dudley st	8—1952	701 40	66 80	*
Berkman Trading Corp	1146 Columbus av	9—1952	5,678 00	1,002 00	*
Gateman, Louis	Vacant lot, Harold st., SE.	12—1952	394 12	260 52	*
Krafchick, Joseph	290 Quincy st., NE corner	13—1952	2,872 40	133 60	†
Krafchick, Joseph	92-96C Quincy st	13—1952	1,402 80	133 60	†
Barrett, James R., et al	907 Washington st	17—1952	668 00	167 00	*
Dunvegan Corporation	1277 Commonwealth av	21—1952	14,362 00	1,002 00	*
Ziman Realty Co	119 Brainerd rd	21—1952	2,805 60	133 60	*
Ziman Realty Co	90 Brainerd rd	21—1952	2,605 20	66 80	*
Agewska, Stefanza	8-10 Lincoln st	22—1952	868 40	400 80	*
A. W. Perry, Inc	105 Bedford st	3—1953	28,280 00	7,070 00	*
Albiani Lunch Co., Inc	12 Scollay sq	3—1953	6,363 00	2,969 40	†
Donoghue, Mary E., et al	220-222 Tremont st	3—1953	3,535 00	1,060 50	*
Garages, Inc	84 Chardon st	3—1953	9,191 00	2,121 00	*
Marcus, Louis	110-118 Lincoln st	3—1953	6,009 50	1,414 00	*
Nesson, Julius I	578 Huntington av	4—1953	1,131 20	353 50	*
Cooley, Richard L.	34 Newbury st	5—1953	4,242 00	459 55	*
Greyhound Terminal of Boston	319 Stuart st	5—1953	57,337 70	7,847 70	*
Berkman Trading Corp	1146 Columbus av	9—1953	6,009 50	1,060 50	*
Proctor, Harold	157 Roxbury st	9—1953	657 51	91 91	*
Munafo, Leo N. and Ida B.	71 Brookley rd	11—1953	565 60	70 70	*
Business Properties, Inc	63-75 Warren st	12—1953	6,009 50	565 60	*
Gateman, Louis	Vacant lot, Harold st., SE.	12—1953	417 13	275 73	*
Shivek, Jennie	5 Greenmount pl	15—1953	2,545 20	282 80	*
Boyajian, Sarkis, et al	1735-39 Centre st	20—1953	3,464 30	636 30	*
Congregation Adath Jeshrun	352 Grove st	20—1953	247 45	247 45	‖
Dunvegan Corp.	1277 Commonwealth av	21—1953	15,200 50	1,060 50	*
Saklad, Gertrude M	90 Brainerd rd	21—1953	2,757 30	70 70	*
Saklad, Gertrude M	119 Brainerd rd	21—1953	2,969 40	141 40	*
Agewska, Stefanza	8-10 Lincoln st	22—1953	636 30	141 40	*
Andelman, Lena	147 Cambridge st	22—1953	318 15	77 77	*
McGinn, Josephine V., et al	300 Bennington st	1—1954	558 40	83 76	‡
Pioneer Realty Co.	24 William C. Kelly sq	1—1954	5,081 44	681 04	‡
Post Publishing Co.	Vacant lot, Tibbetts Town Way	2—1954	265 24	55 84	‡
Abromson, Ounc	20 Kilby st	3—1954	7,678 00	1,745 00	‡
Albiani Lunch Co., Inc	12 Scollay sq	3—1954	6,282 00	2,931 60	‡
Bellevue Hotel	23 Beacon st	3—1954	26,175 00	2,972 00	‡
Bellevue Hotel	21 Beacon st	3—1954	31,410 00	5,933 00	‡
Cline, Hyman E., et al., Trustees	6 Hamilton pl	3—1954	69,800 00	20,940 00	‡
Clougherty, Martin J.	70 Cornhill	3—1954	4,746 40	1,047 00	‡
DelGaudio, Francis	17 North sq	3—1954	593 30	69 80	‡
DiCarrado, Antonio, et al	396 Hanover st	3—1954	628 20	69 80	‡
DiCarrado, Antonio	400 Hanover st	3—1954	628 20	69 80	‡
DiCarrado, Antonio	402 Hanover st	3—1954	977 20	69 80	‡
Donoghue, Mary E., et al	220-222 Tremont st	3—1954	3,490 00	1,047 00	‡
Ferullo, Joseph	180 North st	3—1954	1,326 20	174 50	‡
Foley, Donald A	Vacant lot, Milk st	3—1954	1,214 52	167 52	‡
Fox, John	Vacant lot, 76 Broad st	3—1954	383 90	174 50	‡
Gegan, Jenny K	172 State st	3—1954	2,233 60	244 30	‡
Gegan, Jenny K	174-176 State st	3—1954	2,094 00	244 30	‡
Genesky, Emile	15 La Grange st	3—1954	628 20	209 40	‡
Giannato, Raffaelo	59 Hull st	3—1954	1,256 40	209 40	‡
Marguard, Samuel J., et al	6 Moon st	3—1954	418 00	34 90	‡
Matteosian, George D	528 Tremont st	3—1954	698 00	174 50	‡
Matteosian, George D	526 Tremont st	3—1954	698 00	174 50	‡
Matteosian, Yegsha D	524 Tremont st	3—1954	837 60	104 70	‡
Matteosian, George D	1031 Washington st	3—1954	837 60	139 60	‡
Michelson, Mary	101 Merrimac st	3—1954	558 40	139 60	‡
Ninety-Nine Club, Inc.	103 State st	3—1954	2,094 00	209 40	‡
Ninety-Nine Club, Inc.	97-99 State st	3—1954	3,490 00	209 40	‡
Ninety-Nine Club, Inc.	107A-109 State st	3—1954	3,141 00	767 80	‡
Perry, A. W., Inc	105 Bedford st	3—1954	27,920 00	6,980 00	‡
Piane, Edward L.	66-86 Lincoln st	3—1954	19,222 50	3,490 00	‡
Pioneer Manufacturing Co	11 South Margin st	3—1954	279 20	104 70	‡
Post Publishing Co.	37-39 Hartford st	3—1954	698 00	97 72	‡
Post Publishing Co.	35 Hartford st	3—1954	1,291 30	160 54	‡
Post Publishing Co	137 High st	3—1954	837 60	125 64	‡
Post Publishing Co	100-102 Pearl st	3—1954	2,582 60	879 48	‡
Post Publishing Co	104-106 Pearl st	3—1954	1,535 60	546 52	‡
Post Publishing Co	110 Pearl st	3—1954	1,465 80	404 84	‡
Post Publishing Co	112-114 Pearl st	3—1954	1,465 80	404 84	‡
Post Publishing Co	116-118 Pearl st	3—1954	1,535 60	404 84	‡
Post Publishing Co	120-122 Pearl st	3—1954	1,465 80	369 94	‡
Post Publishing Co	124-126 Pearl st	3—1954	1,430 90	202 42	‡
Post Publishing Co	128-130 Pearl st	3—1954	1,535 60	397 86	‡
Post Publishing Co	132-134 Pearl st	3—1954	1,465 80	383 90	‡
Post Publishing Co	138 Pearl st	3—1954	1,465 80	390 88	‡
Post Publishing Co	141-143 Purchase st	3—1954	1,738 02	670 08	‡
Post Publishing Co	137-139 Purchase st	3—1954	2,024 20	677 06	‡
Post Publishing Co	125-127 Purchase st	3—1954	1,605 40	607 26	‡
Post Publishing Co	13-15 School st	3—1954	8,725 00	698 00	‡
Post Publishing Co	275 Washington st	3—1954	12,215 00	4,537 00	‡
Post Publishing Co	267 Washington st	3—1954	12,215 00	4,537 00	‡
Post Publishing Co	263-265 Washington st	3—1954	13,960 00	4,537 00	‡

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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Water Division.

Edward P. Foley, 128 Hancock street, Dorchester, from water service maintenance man at $68 a week to yardman at $68 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Robert Hayes, 59 Creighton street, Jamaica Plain, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior bookkeeper at $55.50 a week.

Claire L. Penny, 114 Lexington street, East Boston, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior bookkeeper at $55.50 a week.

Marion Sheehan, 37 Larchmont street, Dorchester, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior bookkeeper at $55.50 a week.

Temporary Home.

Helen O'Connell, 9 Albion place, Charlestown, from cook at $55.50 a week (with maintenance) to cook at $63 a week (without maintenance).

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following promotions:

BOSTON RETIREMENT BOARD.

James R. Burns, 38 Draper street, Dorchester, from senior account clerk at $65.50 a week to pension examiner at $68 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Joseph S. Tieso, 6 Royal road, Mattapan, from senior laundry worker at $68 a week to principal laundry worker at $70.50 a week.

Francis L. McCauley, 123 Zeigler street, Roxbury, from senior laundry worker at $70.50 a week to principal laundry worker at $73 a week.

Joseph W. Stoddard, 7 Langley road, Brighton, from laborer at $55.50 a week to park maintenance man at $58 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following transfers:

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Joseph A. Walling, 1627 Tremont street, Roxbury, from Health Department, Registry Division, as clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to Building Department as clerk and typist at $50.50 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Sanatorium Division.

Thomas J. Plunkett, 67 Pontiac street, Roxbury, from Real Property Department, Public Buildings Division, as fireman at $68 a week to Hospital Department, Sanatorium Division, as third-class stationary engineer at $70.50 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

James B. Garrity, 16 Fifield street, Dorchester, from Hospital Department, Long Island Division, as hospital house worker at $50.50 a week to Parks and Recreation Department as bath attendant and laborer at $53 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Catherine P. McGaugh, 24 Peak Hill road, West Roxbury, from Hospital Department, Sanatorium Division, as clerk-typist at $48 a week to Welfare Department as clerk-typist at $48 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following leaves of absence:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Personnel Division.

Thomas G. J. Shannon, 231 Willow street, West Roxbury, head clerk and personnel officer, $87 a week.

ELECTION DEPARTMENT.

Philip Kosky, 20 Kerwin street, Dorchester, assistant registrar of voters, $80 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Highway Division.

William E. Doherty, 4 Dunmore street, Roxbury, laborer, $60.50 a week.

STEP-RATE INCREASES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved step-rate increases for employees of the following departments:

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Eleanor G. Sullivan, clerk and typist, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

John J. Gustafson, fire apparatus repairman, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Gerardo Merola, mason, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Hospital Medical Workers.

	From	To
Mary R. Darcy,	$45.50—	$48.00
Stella M. Dickinson,	45.50—	48.00
Catherine Farrell,	45.50—	48.00
Rose L. Gleba,	45.50—	48.00
Angelina Mirabello,	45.50—	48.00
Agnes M. Stappen,	45.50—	48.00
Gladys Zupkofska,	45.50—	48.00
Mary O'Brien,	45.50—	48.00
Robert J. Batts,	45.50—	48.00
Ernest H. Bishop,	43.00—	45.50
Nicholas Files,	43.00—	45.50
John Hogan,	45.50—	48.00
Thomas O'Neil,	43.00—	45.50
Joseph R. Ross,	43.00—	45.50
Anthony Venezia,	48.00—	50.50
Catherine McFarlane,	43.00—	45.50

John W. Driscoll, hospital kitchen worker, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Elevator Operators.

	From	To
Alfred W. Delahanty,	$48.00—	$50.50
Alfred Farley,	50.50—	53.00
Margaret Madden,	53.00—	55.50

William C. Rofferty, hospital mechanical repairman, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Hospital House Workers.

	From	To
James J. Donnelly,	$45.50—	$48.00
Milton Brown,	43.00—	45.50
Patrick J. Conley,	43.00—	45.50
Robert J. Foley,	48.00—	50.50
William J. Kedian,	43.00—	45.50
George W. Larsen,	43.00—	45.50
Joseph McEachern,	43.00—	45.50

Robert Cahalane, ambulance driver, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Hospital Laundry Workers.

	From	To
Austin K. Hoar,	$45.50—	$48.00
James J. Mullen,	45.50—	48.00

John J. Burns, social worker, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Janet Ruboy, laboratory technician, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

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LEGEND.

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‡ Overvaluation Settlement by Board of Assessors. x Chapter 231.

Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Post Publishing Co	259–261 Washington st	3—1954	$12,215.00	$4,537.00	‡
Post Publishing Co	255–257 Washington st	3—1954	15,705.00	5,235.00	‡
Post Publishing Co	245–249 Washington st	3—1954	17,450.00	5,235.00	‡
Post Publishing Co	4–10 Williams ct	3—1954	6,980.00	2,443.00	‡
Rebon Realty Co., Inc	44–46 South st	3—1954	1,745.00	698.00	‡
Rebon Realty Co., Inc	200–206 Essex st	3—1954	2,094.00	698.00	‡
Rebon Realty Co., Inc	48–50 South st	3—1954	1,745.00	698.00	‡
Shapiro, Abraham	Utica st., SEs	3—1954	279.20	104.70	‡
Sherrard, G. J., Co	60–68 School st	3—1954	279,200.00	34,900.00	‡
Sherrard, G. J., Co	70–74 Tremont st	3—1954	17,450.00	1,745.00	‡
Sherrard, G. J., Co	42–52 School st	3—1954	64,565.00	15,705.00	‡
Simmons, Estelle	9 Cornhill	3—1954	1,396.00	628.20	‡
Sneirson, Samuel L., et al	90–104 Hanover st	3—1954	7,678.00	698.00	‡
Socony Vacuum Oil Co	Hull st., NEs	3—1954	3,420.00	279.20	‡
Socony Vacuum Oil Co	158 Friend st	3—1954	3,699.40	1,047.00	‡
Socony Vacuum Oil Co	Broadway, Ss	3—1954	1,123.78	251.28	‡
State Executive Commission	167 Tremont st	3—1954	13,192.20	977.20	‡
Sun Chong Lung Trust	50 Beach st	3—1954	767.80	139.60	‡
Taylor, William O., et al, Trustees	62–64 Kingston st	3—1954	38,390.00	10,470.00	‡
Welch, E. Sohier	105 State st	3—1954	2,094.00	349.00	‡
York Realty, Inc	27–35 Province st	3—1954	977.20	139.60	‡
York Realty, Inc	154–156 Kneeland st	3—1954	335.04	90.74	‡
York Realty, Inc	152 Kneeland st	3—1954	321.08	76.78	‡
York Realty, Inc	148 Kneeland st	3—1954	349.00	69.80	‡
York Realty, Inc	Vacant lot, Congress st	3—1954	2,066.08	1,019.08	‡
York Realty, Inc	Vacant lot, Congress st	3—1954	684.04	265.24	‡
York Realty, Inc	8 Hollis st	3—1954	593.30	69.80	‡
Carberry, William	254 West Newton st	4—1954	802.70	139.60	‡
Goolkasian, Annie	350 Massachusetts av	4—1954	1,535.60	418.80	‡
Goolkasian, Annie	354C Massachusetts av	4—1954	767.80	209.40	‡
Goolkasian, Annie	354B Massachusetts av	4—1954	767.80	209.40	‡
Kaufman, A. H., et al	26 Hemenway st	4—1954	4,949.00	139.60	‡
Ladoulis, Theodore, et al	7 Durham st	4—1954	732.90	209.40	‡
Ladoulis, Theodore, et al	17 Durham st	4—1954	663.10	139.60	‡
Ladoulis, Theodore, et al	15 Durham st	4—1954	663.10	139.60	‡
Ladoulis, Theodore, et al	11 Durham st	4—1954	732.90	209.40	‡
Ladoulis, Theodore, et al	3 Durham st	4—1954	732.90	209.40	‡
Ladoulis, Theodore, et al	5 Durham st	4—1954	732.90	209.40	‡
Ladoulis, Theodore, et al	9 Durham st	4—1954	732.90	209.40	‡
Sneirson, Samuel L., et al	175–177A Massachusetts av	4—1954	5,025.60	1,535.60	‡
Angoff, Samuel E., et al	173 Commonwealth av	5—1954	3,141.00	209.40	‡
Baer, Lena	6 Marlborough st	5—1954	6,002.80	418.80	‡
Boston Evening Clinic	397 Commonwealth av	5—1954	4,886.00	3,259.66	‖
Cass, Wallace W	356 Marlborough st	5—1954	1,047.00	139.60	‡
Chaletzky, George S	73 Village st	5—1954	698.00	139.60	‡
Chaletzky, George S., Trustee	82 Albion st	5—1954	977.20	104.70	‡
Chaletzky, George S	77 Village st	5—1954	698.00	139.60	‡
Chaletzky, George S., Trustee	86 Albion st	5—1954	977.20	104.70	‡
Cooley, Richard L	34 Newbury st	5—1954	4,188.00	453.70	‡
Cosgrove, Howard S	62 Commonwealth av	5—1954	3,141.00	558.40	‡
Coulouras, Elias	310–320 Cambridge st	5—1954	2,233.60	349.00	‡
Delaine, Helen	10 Otis pl	5—1954	11,168.00	2,094.00	‡
Donovan, C. E., et al	37 Fairfield st	5—1954	1,326.20	279.20	‡
Filling Stations Realty	Vacant lot, Dover st	5—1954	258.26	69.80	‡
Filling Stations Realty	205 Shawmut av	5—1954	1,396.00	349.00	‡
Fishelson, Sarah	48–52 Charles st	5—1954	2,094.00	139.60	‡
Fitzgerald, John	454 Tremont st	5—1954	1,954.40	349.00	‡
Fox, J. John	58 Commonwealth av	5—1954	2,094.00	698.00	‡
Gannon, Patrick K	462 Tremont st	5—1954	2,094.00	244.30	‡
Ghoti Estates, Inc	2 Boylston pl	5—1954	907.40	558.40	‡
Ghoti Estates, Inc	1 Boylston pl	5—1954	907.40	558.40	‡
Ghoti Estates, Inc	132 Boylston st	5—1954	6,282.00	1,396.00	‡
Goodwin, Beatrice M	17–19 Pinckney st	5—1954	1,116.80	139.60	‡
Greyhound Terminal	10 St. James av	5—1954	56,607.80	7,747.80	‡
Kaplan, Annie	147 Columbus av	5—1954	3,490.00	209.40	‡
Lexenberg, Morris	27 Phillips st	5—1954	698.00	69.80	‡
Lexenberg, Fannie	29 Phillips st	5—1954	418.80	69.80	‡
Lexenberg, Morris	24 Anderson st	5—1954	907.40	139.60	‡
Lexenberg, Morris	64 Phillips st	5—1954	872.50	69.80	‡
Marden, Rose I	75 Chestnut st	5—1954	4,886.00	698.00	‡
Massachusetts Dental Society	227 Commonwealth av	5—1954	1,745.00	698.00	‡
Matteosian, George D	438–446 Tremont st	5—1954	2,792.00	349.00	‡
Pratt, Paul K	89 Park Drive	5—1954	3,699.40	279.20	‡
Pratt, Paul K	35 Park Drive	5—1954	3,839.00	1,047.00	‡
Silversmith, Beatrice	183 Commonwealth av	5—1954	3,490.00	558.40	‡
Gavin, Annie	19 Dorchester st	6—1954	244.30	104.70	‡
Gavin, Annie	25 Dorchester st	6—1954	349.00	139.60	‡
Socony Vacuum Oil Co	West Broadway	6—1954	670.08	139.60	‡
Abromson, Onne	4 Hamlet st., SW corner	7—1954	4,537.00	698.00	‡
Daley, Walter E	4–10 Hunneman st	8—1954	3,483.02	691.02	‡
Dooley Brothers, Inc	Vacant lot, Howard st	8—1954	69.80	34.90	‡
Dooley Brothers, Inc	Vacant lot, Howard st	8—1954	55.84	20.94	‡
Dooley Brothers, Inc	Vacant lot, Howard st	8—1954	362.96	118.66	‡
Dooley Brothers, Inc	Vacant lot, George st., SWs	8—1954	328.06	69.80	‡
Homsy, Ramza	22–24 Greenville st	8—1954	2,373.20	628.20	‡
McLaughlin, John, et al	1724–28 Washington st	8—1954	1,954.40	139.60	‡
Shepard, Horace B	114–122 East Dedham st	8—1954	858.54	160.54	‡
Shepard, Horace B	Plympton st., SWs	8—1954	167.52	69.80	‡
Shepard, Horace B	East Dedham st., NEs	8—1954	774.78	139.60	‡
Shepard, Horace B	Plympton st., SWs	8—1954	293.16	97.72	‡
Sneirson, Samuel L., et al	46 Zeigler st	8—1954	2,094.00	209.40	‡
Sneirson, Samuel L., et al	32A–34A Warren st	8—1954	2,282.46	279.20	‡
Swig, Harriet	1704 Washington st	8—1954	488.60	139.60	‡
Bower Apartments, Inc	12 Marble st	9—1954	2,094.00	349.00	‡
Bower Apartments, Inc	11 Marble st	9—1954	1,745.00	349.00	‡
Canner, Julius S., et al	46 Millmont st	9—1954	1,116.80	349.00	‡
Canner, Julius S., et al	Vacant lot, Millmont st	9—1954	300.14	90.74	‡
Caron, Rose, et al	110 Dudley st	9—1954	1,884.60	488.60	‡
Rogan, Sherman	283–285 Cabot st	9—1954	404.84	69.80	‡
Ruggles Apartments, Inc	9–15 Ruggles st	9—1954	2,456.96	362.96	‡

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* Appellate Tax Board Settlement. ¶ Illegal assessment. ‖ Chapter 59–5.
† Appellate Tax Board Decision. § Duplicate assessment. = Chapter 58–8.
‡ Overvaluation Settlement by Board of Assessors. x Chapter 231.

Name of Person Assessed	Location nf Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Savage, Rose	Haskins st	9—1954	$118.66	$34.90	‡
Sneirson, Samuel L., Trustee	8–10 Williams st	9—1954	9,772.00	2,792.00	‡
Harkins, Catherine	725–727 Parker st	10—1954	593.30	69.80	‡
Prasse, Francis	750 Huntington av	10—1954	1,186.60	209.40	‡
Worley, John, Cn	166 Terrace st	10—1954	5,235.00	1,396.00	‡
Bradley, Sarah B	21 Germania st	11—1954	453 70	69 80	‡
Graglia, Felice, et al	Vacant lot, Haley st	11—1954	104 70	27.92	‡
Gragha, Felice, et al	5–7 Dennison st	11—1954	488.60	69.80	‡
McGinnis, Joseph	2 Atherton st	11—1954	837.60	209.40	‡
McGrath, Lewis J., et al	3055 Washington st	11—1954	1,863 66	139.60	‡
Standard Oil Co	205 Centre st	11—1954	802.70	209.40	‡
Weinfeld, Frederick D	7–9 Wardman rd	11—1954	1,884.60	488.60	‡
Weinfeld, Charles W	7 Waldren rd	11—1954	1,256.40	174 50	‡
Socony Vacuum Oil Co	1163 Columbus av	11—1954	2,443.00	349 00	‡
Cohen, Dora A., et al	244 Humboldt av	12—1954	907.40	209 40	‡
Dooley Brothers, Inc	6 Stanmore pl	12—1954	1,047.00	279 20	‡
Hackett, George R	136 Warren st	12—1954	418 80	34.90	‡
Levine, Beatrice	258 Seaver st	12—1954	3,141.00	349.00	‡
McMahon, Edward, et al	Quincy ter., west corner	12—1954	488.60	488.60	‡
Arisian, Khoren	14–16 Carson st	13—1954	314.10	34.90	‡
Arisian, Khoren	945 Dorchester av	13—1954	928.34	160.54	‡
Goodman, Morris, Trustee	4 Napier pk	13—1954	1,047.00	174.50	‡
Goodman, Arnold	8 Napier pk	13—1954	1,047.00	174.50	‡
Goodman, Morris, Trustee	5 Napier pk	13—1954	1,047.00	174.50	‡
Insogna, Giuseppina	16 Brookford st	13—1954	279.20	34.90	‡
Mann, Maurice, Trustee	9 Napier pk	13—1954	1,047.00	174.50	‡
Ravida, Dominic F., et al	127 Sydney st	13—1954	453.70	34.90	‡
Emanuel, George A	42 Mallon rd	14—1954	628.20	69.80	‡
Heeht Neighborhood House	Vacant lot, Wales st	14—1954	251.28	251.28	
Heeht Neighborhood House	Vacant lot, Wales st	14—1954	523 50	523.50	
Heeht Neighborhood House	Vacant lot, Esmond st., SWs	14—1954	69.80	69.80	
Hnnigbaum, Jennie	52 Goodale rd	14—1954	523 50	69 80	‡
Irwin, Francis E	41 Norwell st	14—1954	209.40	34.90	‡
Kasanof, Rebecca	1068 Blue Hill av	14—1954	3,629.60	209.40	‡
Kasanof, Rebecca	1078A Blue Hill av	14—1954	4,886.00	349.00	‡
Kasanoff, Rebecca	3 Arbutus st	14—1954	488.60	139 60	‡
King, Franklin	22 Brunswick st	14—1954	83.76	27.92	‡
King, Franklin	21 Brunswick st	14—1954	48 86	20.94	‡
King, Franklin	20 Brunswick st	14—1954	97.72	27.92	‡
King, Franklin	19 Brunswick st	14—1954	62.82	20 94	‡
King, Franklin	Lot B, Columbia pk	14—1954	188.46	48.86	‡
Lewis, Maurice A	81 Greenwood st	14—1954	439.74	69.80	‡
Provincc Realty	12–16 McLellan st	14—1954	5,235.00	698.00	‡
Sachs, Israel	730 Blue Hill av	14—1954	2,582.60	488.60	‡
Shepard, Horace B	Olney st., Ns	14—1954	558.40	139.60	‡
Socony Vacuum Oil Co	82 Talbot av	14—1954	1,745.00	558.40	‡
Socony Vacuum Oil Co	14 Morton st., SWs	14—1954	6,980.00	698 00	‡
Cody Distributing Co	18 Clayton st	15—1954	4,886.00	1,396.00	‡
Cottage Realty Corp	121–129 Hamilton st	15—1954	3,141.00	349.00	‡
Mullaney, Matthew J., et al	56 Bellevue st	15—1954	439.74	104 70	‡
Quinn, Mary A	9 Hendry st	15—1954	418 80	34.90	‡
Schreft, Eva	1145 Dorchester av	15—1954	1,396.00	418 80	‡
Socony Vacuum Oil Co	Vacant lot, Freeport st	15—1954	90.74	34.90	‡
Socony Vacuum Oil Co	Freeport st. and Dorchester av.	15—1954	1,745 00	349.00	‡
Teebagy, Margaret	185 Bowdoin st	15—1954	488.60	34 90	‡
A & F Realty Corp	1100 Morrissey Boulevard	16—1954	3,350.40	279.20	‡
Bortolotto, Ernesto, et al	543 Adams st	16—1954	502.56	55.84	‡
Esso Standard Oil Co	3 Neponset av	16—1954	1,256.40	174.50	‡
Esso Standard Oil Co	1684 Dorchester av	16—1954	1,221.50	383.90	‡
Kane, John A	6 Wainwright st	16—1954	314 10	34.90	‡
Manuelian, Sarkis	620–628 Adams st	16—1954	2,163 80	488.60	‡
Manuelian, Sarkis	625 Adams st	16—1954	1,047.00	209.40	‡
McCarthy, Mary	31 Burgoyne st	16—1954	523.50	69.80	‡
McCarthy, Mary	35 Burgoyne st	16—1954	523.50	69.80	‡
Port Norfolk Realty Corp	12 Ericsson st	16—1954	2,792.00	698.00	‡
Rossette, Joseph, et al	585 Adams st	16—1954	628.20	34.90	‡
Sacilotto, Luigia	39–41 Franconia st	16—1954	593.30	69.80	‡
Socony Vacuum Oil Co	651 Gallivan Boulevard	16—1954	1,012.10	279.20	‡
Socony Vacuum Oil Co	950 Old Colony Parkway	16—1954	1,779 90	279.20	‡
Sonego, Olive A. and Iole	710 Adams st	16—1954	677.06	118.66	‡
Sontag, Henry	418–430 Adams st	16—1954	5,933.00	558.40	‡
Sullivan, Margaret C	Vacant lot, Edwin st	16—1954	55.84	27.92	‡
Sullivan, Margaret C	9 Edwin st	16—1954	397.86	48 86	‡
Ashmont Business Corp	567 Talbot av	17—1954	3,141.00	698.00	‡
Esso Standard Oil Co	528 Washington st	17—1954	1,745.00	349.00	‡
McCarthy, Jeremiah	102 Fuller st	17—1954	628.20	69.80	‡
Merrigan, Walter	1135 Washington st	17—1954	1,116.80	139.60	‡
Merrigan, Walter J	1133 Washington st	17—1954	956.26	139 60	‡
Mullaney, Thomas R., et al	1 Lindsey st	17—1954	349.00	69 80	‡
Socony Vacuum Oil Co	970 Washington st	17—1954	1.745 00	439.74	‡
Socony Vacuum Oil Co	472 Washington st	17—1954	1,396 00	349 00	‡
Alabiso, Paul and Mary E	9 Friendship rd	18—1954	418.80	69 80	‡
Barlow, Margaret L	15 Pinewood st	18—1954	383.90	34 90	‡
Cincotti, Leo	847–851 River st	18—1954	698 00	139.60	‡
Pike, Albert and Anna	19–21 Fessenden st	18—1954	1,116 80	69 80	‡
Stenson, Michael, et al	635 Hyde Park av	18—1954	1,012 10	209.40	‡
Magee, William J	9 Park View av	19—1954	837.60	209.40	‡
O'Connell, John T. L	5 Moss Hill rd	19—1954	872 50	174 50	‡
Rando, Bernice L	35 Patten st	19—1954	523 50	104.70	‡
Rando, Bernice L	Patten st., garage	19—1954	90 74	34 90	‡
Roman Catholic Archbishop, Boston	Vacant lot, Louder's Lane	19—1954	837 60	837 60	
Swartz, Melanie	649 Centre st	19—1954	4,467.20	558 40	‡
Boyajian, Sarkis	1735–39 Centre st	20—1954	3,420.20	628 20	‡
Byrne, Mildred V., et al	45 Oriole st	20—1954	488 60	139 60	‡
Chellman, William H	77 Montview st	20—1954	698 00	139 60	‡
Congregation Adath Jeshrun	352 Grove st	20—1954	244 30	244.30	‖
Dooley, Gertrude V	100 Grayfield av	20—1954	1,012 10	104.70	‡
Esso Standard Oil Co	1789 Centre st	20—1954	1,605.40	279.20	‡

STEP-RATE INCREASES.

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J. Leo Barry, cashier, temporary, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Clerk-Typists.

	From	To
Joanne Bonavita,	$45.50—	$48.00
Mary M. Cheever,	45.50—	48.00
Sally T. Eagan,	45.50—	48.00
Marjorie Rez,	48.00—	50.50
Patricia Ryan,	43.00—	45.50

Frank Delvecchio, clerk, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Frank E. Dreist, accountant, from $80 to $83.50 a week.

Margaret McGuire, senior clerk, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Mary L. Ritchie, principal clerk, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Head Nurses.

	From	To
Gloria Forrest,	$70.50—	$73.00
Blanche Mankiewicz,	70.50—	73.00
Jeanette Roussie,	70.50—	73.00
Barbara Williamson,	70.50—	73.00

Floor Nurses.

	From	To
Dorothy Johnson,	$63.00—	$65.50
Jane MacKenzie,	63.00—	65.50
Margaret McDonough,	63.00—	65.50
Claire Morin,	60.50—	63.00
Jocelyn Tooher,	65.50—	68.00
Evelyn M. Landry,	65.50—	68.00

Eileen F. MacDonald, nurse anesthetist, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Sadie T. Sliby, hospital nurse, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Elizabeth A. Hannon, floor nurse (part time), from $1.50 to $1.60 an hour.

Virginia Kelleher, floor nurse (part time), from $1.65 to $1.70 an hour.

Jean Rico, floor nurse (part time), from $1.65 to $1.70 an hour.

Parks and Recreation Department.

John Albanese, painter, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Thomas P. Baggett, laborer, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Frank W. Clark, junior civil engineer, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

John F. Connolly, laborer, from $55.50 to $60.50 a week.

Michael J. Cotter, junior civil engineer, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Harry Damigella, junior civil engineer, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Gladys Fenton, principal account clerk, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

William L. Gibbons, laborer, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

John J. Glynn, senior laundryman, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Leroy H. Gorham, heavy motor equipment operator, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Eugene H. Gross, steamfitter, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Martin J. Lennon, painter, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

James E. Maloney, senior laundryman, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Melvin P. Manning, senior recreation instructor, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

William J. McIntyre, park maintenance man, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Charles J. Murphy, senior bath custodian, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Diego Pedone, gardener's helper, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Charles C. Satchebell, laborer, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

William R. Shea, rigger, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Maurice J. Skerry, laborer, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Gerardo Tocci, bricklayer, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Harold E. Whitcraft, senior swimming instructor, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

House of Correction.

Charles L. Moore, correction officer, from $75.95 to $76.50 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Highway Division.

David Murphy, senior engineering aid, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Vincent Sullivan, senior engineering aid, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Joseph F. McLean, superintendent of highway maintenance, from $118.12 to $127.25 a week.

Edward D. Rull, laborer, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

Sanitary Division.

William P. Bohan, laborer, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Leo L. Brennan, laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

John J. Carley, street cleaning and waste collection inspector, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Neil A. Cronin, street cleaning and waste collection inspector, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

George L. Dexter, street cleaning and waste collection inspector, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Bernard G. Donnelly, street cleaning and waste collection inspector, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

William J. Finn, street cleaning and waste collection inspector, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Francis D. Foy, street cleaning and waste collection inspector, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

William J. Gallagher, street cleaning and waste collection inspector, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

James Griffin, blacksmith's helper, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Edward C. Hardiman, laborer, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

James J. Marcy, laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Michael McBride, street cleaning and waste collection inspector, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

James J. McGrail, laborer, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Edward H. McLaughlin, laborer, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

John P. Sullivan, laborer, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

Tunnel Division.

Amedeo Testa, tollman-guard, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

William H. O'Brien, Jr., tollman-guard, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

Buildings Division.

Chester Gilmore, elevator operator, from $50.50 to $58 a week.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

REGISTRY OF DEEDS.

William E. Rahilly, director, Photo Recording and Microfilm Department, from $100.89 to $103.50 a week.

Paul G. Clancy, supervisor, photo recording, from $87 to $90.50 a week.

John T. Duffy, photo recording operator, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

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‡ Overvaluation Settlement by Board of Assessors. x Chapter 231.

Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Henfelder, Clarence R.	43 Rexhame st.	20—1954	$523.50	$69.80	‡
MacDonald, Leo V.	V. L., Billings st., NWs.	20—1954	20.94	6.98	‡
Pearlmutter, Benjamin	10 Ledgewood rd.	20—1954	488.60	34.90	‡
Tobin, Evelyn, et al.	23–25 Primrose st.	20—1954	502.56	69.80	‡
Abromson, Onne	V. L., St. Mary's st., Es.	21—1954	244.30	174.20	‡
Agejian, Shahen, et al.	574 Cambridge st.	21—1954	2,373.20	279.20	‡
Calicchio, Mary	9 Keswick st.	21—1954	593.30	69.80	‡
Digregorio, Savino	456 Park Drive	21—1954	977.20	69.80	‡
Dunvegan Corp.	1277 Commonwealth av.	21—1954	15,007.00	1,396.00	‡
Healey, Thomas B.	29–31 Gordon st.	21—1954	509.54	69.80	‡
O'Connell, Mansita L.	332 Chestnut Hill av.	21—1954	3,615.64	1,172.64	‡
Schreider, Marlene	137 Englewood av.	21—1954	16,752.00	1,745.00	‡
Shepard, Horace B.	Park Drive, NEs.	21—1954	1,081.90	209.40	‡
Shepard, Horace B.	Queensberry st., Ns.	21—1954	160.54	55.84	‡
Shepard, Horace B.	Queensberry st., Ns.	21—1954	167.52	55.84	‡
Shepard, Horace B.	Queensberry st., Ns.	21—1954	160.54	55.84	‡
Shepard, Horace B.	Queensberry st., Ns.	21—1954	160.54	55.84	‡
Shepard, Horace B.	Peterboro st., Ss.	21—1954	167.52	55.84	‡
Shepard, Horace B.	Peterboro st., Ss.	21—1954	167.52	55.84	‡
Shepard, Horace B.	Peterboro st., Ss.	21—1954	174.50	55.84	‡
Shepard, Horace B.	Peterboro st., Ss.	21—1954	167.52	55.84	‡
Shaeval, Albert M.	838 Beacon st.	21—1954	1,047.00	209.40	‡
Weinberg, Joseph, et al.	1928 Beacon st.	21—1954	5,584.00	1,047.00	‡
Weinberg, Joseph, et al.	1948–52 Beacon st.	21—1954	4,969.76	698.00	‡
Weinberg, Joseph, et al.	1940–46 Beacon st.	21—1954	5,584.00	1,047.00	‡
Andelman, Lena	147 Cambridge st.	22—1954	300.14	62.82	‡
Brockway Motor Co., Inc.	221 North Beacon st.	22—1954	5,723.60	698.00	‡
Crawford, William H. L.	427 Faneuil st.	22—1954	2,031.18	488.60	‡
Falo, Paul, et al.	21 Montfern av.	22—1954	488.60	69.80	‡
Kiley & Powers Co.	391 Market st.	22—1954	907.40	209.40	‡
Kiley & Powers Co.	Rear 385 Market st.	22—1954	1,933.46	349.00	‡
Mahoney, Catherine P.	418 Washington st.	22—1954	1,186.60	349.00	‡
Nicolazzo, Luciano	83–85 Surrey st.	22—1954	711.96	153.56	‡
Socony Vacuum Oil Co.	211–219 North Beacon st.	22—1954	2,652.40	907.40	‡
Socony Vacuum Oil Co.	288 Washington st.	22—1954	1,060.96	118.66	‡
PERSONAL PROPERTY.					
Bowker & Torrey Co.	22 Beverly st.	3—1952	$1,002.00	$501.00	*
Williams, John P.	470 Atlantic av.	3—1953	418.80	349.00	‡
Fox, John	East Boston Airport	1—1954	1,396.00	698.00	‡
Kelly, Phillip J.	211 Bunker Hill st.	2—1954	83.76	69.80	‡
Reservoir Club	355 Fresh Pond Parkway.	3—1954	34.90	34.90	¶
Fargo Potato Co., Inc.	493 C st.	6—1954	209.40	209.40	¶
Dooley Brothers, Inc.	39 George st.	8—1954	1,396.00	698.00	‡
McVey, Thomas H.	55 Leo M. Birmingham Parkway.	22—1954	523.50	279.20	‡

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Joseph Kelley, fireman, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following requests:

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

For the week ending April 5:

Leonard Van Gemert, traffic signal repair foreman, 7 hours.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Radio Supervisor Nathan Schatz, Fire Alarm Division, 4 hours at $3 an hour.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Sewer Division.

For the week ending April 12:

William Hannigan, foreman, 14 hours at $3 an hour; Victor Shuman, sewer division foreman, 4 hours at $3 an hour; Myles McDonough, pumping station engineer, 8 hours at $3 an hour.

VETERANS' RETIREMENTS.

The Mayor has approved the following veterans' applications for retirement:

Louis Treanor Farrell, 2 Maple street, Roxbury, senior settlement investigator, Health Department.

John A. Mahoney, 26 Rosedale street, Dorchester, road roller operator, Highway Division, Public Works Department.

Joseph P. Gilligan, 339 Charles street, blacksmith's helper, Sanitary Division, Public Works Department.

Henry Jackson (also known as Henry Jackson, Jr., and Henry W. Jackson), Union street, North Marshfield, associate physician, Main Division, Hospital Department.

Joseph A. Devine, Deer Island, deputy master, House of Correction, Penal Institutions Department.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award the contracts for work, materials, and supplies, in accordance with recommendations of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Purchasing Division.

Upon April 1 the Mayor approved a contract with lowest bidders as indicated for furnishing coal to the various city departments, from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, inclusive. Approximate total amounts of contracts were as follows:

Glendale Coal and Oil Company, $80,830, net; Boston Ice Company, Division of American Ice Company, $52,178, net.

Bids, opened March 21, were as follows:

Bituminous Run of Mine Coal.

Point of Delivery, Various Departments, Into Bins of Public Buildings, Estimated Quantities, 6,000 Tons of 2,000 Pounds,

Price Per Ton of 2,000 Pounds.—Burton Furber Coal Company, $11.61†; Glendale Coal and Oil Company, $11.57*; Massachusetts Wharf Company, $12.32; Snider Fuel Corporation, $11.87.

The Mine Price Upan Which This Proposal is Based is, Per Net Ton.—Burton Furber Coal Company, $5.40; Glendale Coal and Oil Company, $5.40*; Massachusetts Wharf Company, $5.40; Snider Fuel Corporation, $4.50.

The Cost of Transportation Upon Which This Proposal is Based is, Per Net Ton.—Burton Furber Coal Company, $4.90; Glendale Coal and Oil Company, $4.90*; Massachusetts Wharf Company, $4.90; Snider Fuel Corporation, $5.35.

Commercial Name of Coal.—Burton Furber Coal Company, Beacon Run of Mine; Glendale Coal and Oil Company, Beacon Run of Mine; Massachusetts Wharf Company, Beacon Run of Mine; Snider Fuel Corporation, Big Knob.

Name of Mine or Mines.—Burton Furber Coal Company, Anjean, No. 8; Glendale Coal and Oil Company, Anjean, No. 8; Massachusetts Wharf Company, Anjean, No. 8; Snider Fuel Corporation, Big Knob.

Location of Mine or Mines.—Burton Furber Coal Company, Anjean, Greenbrier County, West Virginia; Glendale Coal and Oil Company, Anjean, Greenbrier County, West Virginia; Massachusetts Wharf Company, Anjean, Greenbrier County, West Virginia; Snider Fuel Corporation, Boudin, West Virginia.

Analysis of Coal Which Bidder Praposes to Furnish (Dry Basis).

Volatile Matter.—Burton Furber Coal Company, 26.5 per cent; Glendale Coal and Oil Company, 26.5 per cent; Massachusetts Wharf Company, 26.5 per cent; Snider Fuel Corporation, 26 per cent.

Fixed Carbon.—Burton Furber Coal Company, 67.7 per cent; Glendale Coal and Oil Company, 67.7 per cent; Massachusetts Wharf Company, 67.7 per cent; Snider Fuel Corporation, 67.5 per cent.

Ash.—Burton Furber Coal Company, 5.8 per cent; Glendale Coal and Oil Company, 5.8 per cent; Massachusetts Wharf Company, 5.8 per cent; Snider Fuel Corporation, 6.5 per cent.

Sulphur Separately Determined.—Burton Furber Coal Company, .9 per cent; Glendale Coal and Oil Company, .09 per cent; Massachusetts Wharf Company, .9 per cent; Snider Fuel Corporation, 1 per cent.

B.T.U. Per Pound.—Burton Furber Coal Company, 14,725; Glendale Coal and Oil Company, 14,725; Massachusetts Wharf Company, 14,725; Snider Fuel Corporation, 14,500.

Bituminous Nut and Slack Coal.

Point of Delivery, Various Departments, Into Bins of Public Buildings, Estimated Quantity, Tons af 2,000 Pounds, 500 Tons, Priee Per Ton of 2,000 Pounds.—Burton Furber Coal Company, $11.26†; Glendale Coal and Oil Company, $11.22*; Massachusetts Wharf Company, $11.97; Snider Fuel Corporation, $11.69.

The Mine Priee Upon Which This Proposal is Based is, Per Net Ton.—Burton Furber Coal Company, $4.90; Glendale Coal and Oil Company, $4.90*; Massachusetts Wharf Company, $4.90, Snider Fuel Corporation, $4.75.

The Cost of Transportation Upon Which This Proposal is Based is, Per Net Ton.—Burton Furber Coal Company, $4.90; Glendale Coal and Oil Company, $4.90*; Massachusetts Wharf Company, $4.90; Snider Fuel Corporation, $5.35.

Comuercial Name of Coal.—Burton Furber Coal Company, Beacon Nut and Slack; Glendale Coal and Oil Company, Beacon Stoker Coal; Massachusetts Wharf Coal Company, Beacon Stoker; Snider Fuel Corporation, Big Knob.

Name af Mine or Mines.—Burton Furber Coal Company, Anjean, No. 8; Glendale Coal and Oil Company, Anjean, No. 8; Massachusetts Wharf Coal Company, Anjean, No. 8; Snider Fuel Corporation, Big Knob.

Location of Mine or Mines.—Burton Furber Coal Company, Anjean, Greenbrier County, West Virginia; Glendale Coal and Oil Company, Anjean, Greenbrier County, West Virginia; Massachusetts Wharf Coal Company, Anjean, Greenbrier County, West Virginia; Snider Fuel Corporation, Boudin, West Virginia.

Analysis of Coal Which Bidder Praposes to Furnish (Dry Basis).

Volatile Matter.—Burton Furber Coal Company, 26.5 per cent; Glendale Coal and Oil Company, 17.5 per cent; Massachusetts Wharf Company, 26.5 per cent; Snider Fuel Corporation, 26 per cent.

Fixed Carbon.—Burton Furber Coal Company, 67.7 per cent; Glendale Coal and Oil Company, 75.7 per cent; Massachusetts Wharf Company, 67.7 per cent; Snider Fuel Corporation, 67.5 per cent.

Ash.—Burton Furber Coal Company, 5.8 per cent; Glendale Coal and Oil Company, 6.8 per cent; Massachusetts Wharf Company, 5.8 per cent; Snider Fuel Corporation, 6.5 per cent.

Sulphur Separately Determined.—Burton Furber Coal Company, .9 per cent; Glendale Coal and Oil Company, .08 per cent; Massachusetts Wharf Company, .9 per cent; Snider Fuel Corporation, 1 per cent.

British Thermal Units Per Pound.—Burton Furber Coal Company, 14,725; Glendale Coal and Oil Company, 14,600; Massachusetts Wharf Company, 14,725; Snider Fuel Corporation, 14,500.

Bituminous Stoker Coal.

Point of Delivery, Various Departments, Into Bins of Public Buildings, Estimated Quantity, Tons of 2,000 Pounds, 400 Tons, Per Ton of 2,000 Pounds.—Glendale Coal and Oil Company, $14.50*; Massachusetts Wharf Company, $15.65.

The Mine Priee Upon Which This Praposal is Based is, Per Net Ton.—Glendale Coal and Oil Company, $6.75*; Massachusetts Wharf Company, $7.

The Cost of Transportation Upon Which This Proposal is Based is, Per Net Ton.—Glendale Coal and Oil Company, $6.58*; Massachusetts Wharf Company, $6.58.

Commercial Name of Coal.—Glendale Coal and Oil Company, Beacon Pea Stoker; Massachusetts Wharf Company, Beacon Pocahontas Stoker Pea.

Size of Coal.—Glendale Coal and Oil Company, $\frac{3}{4}$ x $\frac{7}{8}$; Massachusetts Wharf Company, $\frac{3}{4}$ x $\frac{7}{8}$.

Name of Mine or Mines.—Glendale Coal and Oil Company, Keystone; Massachusetts Wharf Company, Keystone.

Locatian af Mine or Mines.—Glendale Coal and Oil Company, Keystone, McDowell County, West Virginia; Massachusetts Wharf Company, Keystone, McDowell County, West Virginia.

Analysis of Coal Which Bidder Prapases to Furnish (Dry Basis).

Valatile Matter.—Massachusetts Wharf Company, 17.5 per cent.

Fixed Carbon.—Massachusetts Wharf Company, 75.7 per cent.

Ash.—Massachusetts Wharf Company, 6.8 per cent.

Sulphur Separately Determined.—Massachusetts Wharf Company, .8 per cent.

British Thermal Units Per Pound.—Massachusetts Wharf Company, 14,600.

Anthracite Coal.

Paint af Delivery, Various Bins of Public Buildings, Price Per Ton of 2,000 Pounds.

Egg Coal, 200 Tons.—Batchelder-Whittemore Fuel Corporation, $20.40; Boston Ice Company, $17.90*; Glendale Coal and Oil Company, $20, net; Metropolitan Coal Company, $20.60; Massachusetts Wharf Company, $19.30.

Stove or Nut Coal, 2,300 Tons.—Batchelder-Whittemore Fuel Corporation, $20.40; Boston Ice Company, $17.90*; Glendale Coal and Oil Company, $20, net; Metropolitan Coal Company, $20.60; Massachusetts Wharf Company, $19.30.

Buckwheat Coal, 600 Tans.—Batchelder-Whittemore Fuel Corporation, $16.20; Boston Ice Company, $12.38*; Glendale Coal and Oil Company, $15.90, net; Metropolitan Coal Company, $16.25; Massachusetts Wharf Company, $14.63.

Commercial Name of Coal.—Batchelder-Whittemore Fuel Corporation, Blue Coal; Boston Ice Company, D. & H. Coal, D. L. W. or equal; Metropolitan Coal Company, Pittston; Massachusetts Wharf Company, Hudson; Glendale Coal Company, Famous Reading Anthracite.

Name af Mine or Mines.—Batchelder-Whittemore Fuel Corporation, Huber; Boston Ice Company, D. & H., D. L. W. Coal Mines; Metropolitan Coal Company, Underwood Colliery; Massachusetts Wharf Company, Marvinn-Powderly, Loree; Glendale Coal Company, Locust, Summit Breaker.

Name and Address of Mine Operator or Agent from Whom Coal Will Be Purchased.—Batchelder-Whittemore Fuel Corporation, Glen Alden Coal Mining Company, Wilkesbarre, Pa.; Boston Ice Company, C. W. Claflin & Co., D. L. W. Coal Company, Boston; Metropolitan Coal Company, Pittston Clinchfield Coal Sales Corporation, New York City; Massachusetts Wharf Company, C. W. Claflin & Co., 55 Kilby street, Boston; Glendale Coal Company, Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron Company, Reading Terminal, Philadelphia, Pa.

Diseount.—Batchelder-Whittemore Fuel Corporation, 2 per cent, time of payment; Boston Ice Company, net; Burton Furber Coal Company, net, 30 days; Glendale Coal and Oil Company, none; Massachusetts Wharf Company, net, no discount; Metropolitan Coal Company, prices are net; Snider Fuel Corporation, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Remarks.—Batchelder-Whittemore Fuel Corporation, no bid at Auditor's office; Burton Furber Coal Company, no discount for prompt payment; Snider Fuel Corporation, the cost of the coal under this contract may be increased or decreased by the amount of any increase or decrease in rail rates; the cost of coal may be increased or decreased by any change in the price at the mine by reason of any code or regulation approved by a federal authority; the cost of coal may be increased or decreased by any change in mine price by reason of a general revision of wage rates up or down; the cost of coal may be increased by the amount of any federal or state sales tax applicable to city purchases.

* Contract awarded.

† The above delivered price is a firm price except for any changes that may occur in the transportation charges.

Upon April 18 the Mayor approved a contract with lowest bidders as indicated for furnishing paper products to the various city departments for delivery as requested. Approximate total amounts of awards were as follows:

Contracts for: Stone & Forsyth Company, $6,967.20, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment, except Items 25, 46, and 51 on which the discount is 1 per cent; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $5,763.13, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $1,331.02, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Orders for: Andrews Paper Company, $649.56, less 1 per cent discount, 10 days; Burnitol Manufacturing Company, $438.50, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; Massachusetts Envelope Company, $36, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids, opened March 28, were as follows:

Paper Products.

Boston City Hospital.

Item 1. 12,000 Paper Bags, 6 Pounds, Kraft, Automatic, Per M.—Andrews Paper Company, $2.68; Fort Hill Paper Company, $2.54; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $2.14*; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $2.18; Stone & Forsyth Company, $2.28.

Item 2. 24,000 Paper Bags, 12 Pounds, Kraft, Automatic, Per M.—Andrews Paper Company, $3.89; Fort Hill Paper Company, $3.69; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $3.11*; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $3.17; Stone & Forsyth Company, $3.31.

Item 3. 50,000 Paper Bags, 20 Pounds, Kraft, Automatic, Per M.—Andrews Paper Company, $5.69; Fort Hill Paper Company, $5.40; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $4.52*; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $4.63; Stone & Forsyth Company, $4.84.

Item 4. 1,000 Paper Bags, ¼ Barrel, Per M.—Andrews Paper Company, $17.08; Fort Hill Paper Company, $22; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $13.85, 60-pound basis; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $12*; Stone & Forsyth Company, $14.54.

Item 5. 12,000 Containers, ½-Pint, Sealright, or Equal, Per M.—Andrews Paper Company, $25.05; Massachusetts Envelope Company, $24.83; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $21.25; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $16.65*; Stone & Forsyth Company, $23.50.

Item 6. 500 Containers, 1-Quart, Sealright, or Equal, Per C.—Andrews Paper Company, $5.03; Massachusetts Envelope Company, $4.10; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $3.55*; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $4.25; Stone & Forsyth Company, $3.88.

Item 7. 600 Containers, 1-Gallon, Sealright, or Equal, Per C.—Andrews Paper Company, $14.93; Massachusetts Envelope Company, $13.93; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $12*; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $14; Stone & Forsyth Company, $13.20.

Item 8. 500 Containers, 1-Pint, Sealright, or Equal, Per C.—Andrews Paper Company, $3.40; Massachusetts Envelope Company, $2.98; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $2.52*; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $2.80; Stone & Forsyth Company, $2.82.

Item 9. 100,000 Souffle Cups, No. 55, Per M.—Andrews Paper Company, $2.52; Fort Hill Paper Company, $2.66; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $2.53*; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $2.62; Stone & Forsyth Company, $2.65.

Item 10. 50,000 Souffle Cups, No. 39, Per M.—Andrews Paper Company, $1.08; Fort Hill Paper Company, $1.14; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $1.08*; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $1.11; Stone & Forsyth Company, $1.13.

Item 11. 75,000 Souffle Cups, No. 45, Per M.—Andrews Paper Company, $1.20*; Fort Hill Paper Company, $1.31; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $1.24; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $1.27; Stone & Forsyth Company, $1.29.

Item 12. 8,000 Hot Coffee Cups, 8 Ounces, Dixie, No. 2108, or Equal, No Lid, Per M.—Andrews Paper Company, $13; Fort Hill Paper Company, $12; Massachusetts Envelope Company, $11.82; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $10.95, bulk pack, Nyman, $11.40, tube pack, cup; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $12.30; Stone & Forsyth Company, $10.80.*

Item 13. 500 1-Pint Oyster Pails, Per C.—Andrews Paper Company, $1.88; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $1.36*; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $1.65; Stone & Forsyth Company, $1.68.

Item 14. 1,000,000 Junior Dispenser Paper Napkins, Bleached, Per M.—Andrews Paper Company, 50 cents; Fort Hill Paper Company, 60 cents; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., 43.9 cents*; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., 55 cents; Stone & Forsyth Company, 50 cents.

Item 15. 1,000,000 Embossed Paper Napkins, Bleached, 13 x 13½, Per M.—Andrews Paper Company, 83 cents; Fort Hill Paper Company, 95 cents; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., 77.6 cents, full bleached,* 73 cents, semibleached; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., 93 cents; Stone & Forsyth Company, 82 cents.

Item 16. 20,000 Tray Napkins, 15 x 20, Mil-Pako, or Equal, Per M.—Andrews Paper Company, $2.25; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $1.80; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $1.75; Stone & Forsyth Company, $1.59.*

Item 17. 50,000 Paper Plates, 6 Inches, Deep Fluted, Stock 211, Sample at Room 65, City Hall, Per M.—Andrews Paper Company, $3.33; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $2.89; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $2.84.*

Item 18. 7,600 Sheets Kraft Wrapping Paper, 30 x 40, 70-Pound Basis, Per Pound.—Andrews Paper Company, 10.9 cents; Fort Hill Paper Company, 10 cents, approximately 1,500 pounds; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., 9.2 cents*; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., 9.75 cents, approximately 1,500 pounds; Stone & Forsyth Company, 9.75 cents.

Item 19. 5,760 Sheets White Drug Bond, 35-Pound Basis, Per Pound.—Andrews Paper Company, 22 cents; Fort Hill Paper Company, 16 cents, approximately 420 pounds; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., 14.25 cents*; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., 16 cents, approximately 420 pounds; Stone & Forsyth Company, 16.5 cents.

Item 20. 10 Rolls Lightweight Wrapping Paper, 20 Inches, for Laundry Use, Per Pound.—Andrews Paper Company, 11.5 cents; Fort Hill Paper Company, 11 cents, approximately 300 pounds; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., 8.9 cents, 40-pound basis*; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., 10.25 cents, approximately 300 pounds; Stone & Forsyth Company, 10.25 cents.

Item 21. 120 Reams White Wax Tissue, 18 x 12, Per Pound.—Andrews Paper Company, 70 cents per ream; Fort Hill Paper Company, 70 cents per ream; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., 66.8 cents per ream; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., 65.5 cents per ream; Stone & Forsyth Company, 24 cents.*

Item 22. 288 Balls, Half Pounds, No. 27, Cable Twine, Per Ball.—Andrews Paper Company, 44 cents; Fort Hill Paper Company, 40 cents; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., 35 cents*; Stone & Forsyth Company, 38 cents.

Item 23. 576 Balls, Half Pounds, White Cotton Twine, 24-Ply, Per Ball.—Andrews Paper Company, 33 cents; Fort Hill Paper Company, 36 cents; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., 31 cents*; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., 35 cents; Stone & Forsyth Company, 33 cents.

Item 24. 300 Balls, Half Pounds, Empress Twine, No. 18, Per Ball.—Andrews Paper Company, 29 cents; Fort Hill Paper Company, 30 cents; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., 25.5 cents*; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., 27.5 cents; Stone & Forsyth Company, 26.5 cents.

Item 25. 1,200 Cases Paper Towels, Multifold, Nibroc, No. 5010, Per Case.—Andrews Paper Company, $4.80; Fort Hill Paper Company, $3.90, per sample; Stone & Forsyth Company, $4.80.*

Item 26. 60 Cases Oval Paper, 8 Ounces, Per Case.—Andrews Paper Company, $6.40; Fort Hill Paper Company, $6.75; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $5.84*; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $7.25; Stone & Forsyth Company, $6.30.

Item 27. 50 Cases Doublefold Toilet Paper, 4½ x 5⅝, Per Case.—Andrews Paper Company, $10.25; Fort Hill Paper Company, $9.25; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $8.75*; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $10.10; Stone & Forsyth Company, $8.93.

Item 28. 6,000 1-Gallon Linerless Bulk Ice Cream Boxes, Automatic Bottom, Per C.—Andrews Paper Company, $9.326*; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $89.50 per M; Stone & Forsyth Company, $98.20 per M.

Sanatorium Division.

Item 29. 36,000 Chip Board Boxes, Gray, 9½ x 6 x 3, Per M.—Andrews Paper Company, $8.75; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $7.75; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $7.42*; Stone & Forsyth Company, $9.65, pastry.

Item 30. 30 Cases Oval Paper, 8 Ounces, Per Case.—Andrews Paper Company, $6.40; Fort Hill Paper Company, $6.75; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $5.84*; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $7.25; Stone & Forsyth Company, $6.30.

Item 31. 60 Cases Singlefold Toilet Paper, Per Case.—Andrews Paper Company, $8.80; Fort Hill Paper Company, $8.25; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $7.84; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $8.35; Stone & Forsyth Company, $3.13.*

Item 32. 60 Double Cases Singlefold Paper Towels, Nibroc, No. 5021, Per Case.—Andrews Paper Company, $8.78; Fort Hill Paper Company, $6.85; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $5.49, No. 28, wet strength, U. S. Government specifications; Stone & Forsyth Company, $8.78*; Massachusetts Envelope Company, $6.49.

Item 33. 20 Cases Roll Toilet Tissue, Bleached, 4½ x 4½, 1,000 Sheets to Roll, First Quality, Per Case.—Andrews Paper Company, $10.50; Fort Hill Paper Company, $10; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $8.35; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $7.85*; Stone & Forsyth Company, $9.50.

Item 34. 30 Cases Roll Paper Towels, 11 x 13½, 24 to Case, Per Case.—Andrews Paper Company, $6.50; Fort Hill Paper Company, $5.50; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $4.10*; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $5.25.

Item 35. 200 Pounds Kraft Wrapping Paper, 32 x 48, 70-Pound Basis, Per Pound.—Andrews Paper Company, 13.7 cents; Fort Hill Paper Company, 10.5 cents, 40 x 48; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., 11 cents*; Stone & Forsyth Company, 11.75 cents.

Item 36. 100 Pounds White Wrapping Paper, 24 x 36, First Quality, Per Pound.—

Andrews Paper Company, 23.25 cents; Fort Hill Paper Company, 16 cents; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., 14.25 cents*; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., 16 cents; Stone & Forsyth Company, 17.5 cents.

Item 37. 200 Pounds White Wax Paper, 12 x 18, Type 2430, or Equal, Per Pound.—Andrews Paper Company, 26 cents; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., 22 cents*; Stone & Forsyth Company, 21 cents.

Item 38. 200 Balls, Half Pounds, 16-Ply White Twine, Per Pound.—Andrews Paper Company, 66 cents; Fort Hill Paper Company, 36 cents per ball; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., 62 cents*; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., 72 cents; Stone & Forsyth Company, 66 cents.

Item 39. 50,000 Sputum Cups, Aseptic, Per M.—Burnitol Manufacturing Company, $8.77.*

Welfare, Fire, Buildings, Parks and Recreation Departments.

Item 40. 40 Cases Oval Paper, 8 Ounces, Less Than 5-Case Lots, Per Case.—Andrews Paper Company, $8.50; Fort Hill Paper Company, $7; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $6.11*; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $7.75; Stone & Forsyth Company, $7.40.

Item 41. 30 Cases Oval Paper, 8 Ounces, 5- to 25-Case Lots, Per Case.—Andrews Paper Company, $7.75; Fort Hill Paper Company, $7; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $6.10*; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $7.25; Stone & Forsyth Company, $6.70.

Item 42. 100 Cases Singlefold Paper Towels, Per Case.—Andrews Paper Company, $7.70; Fort Hill Paper Company, $2.85; Massachusetts Envelope Company, $3.30; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $2.69*; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $2.80; Stone & Forsyth Company, $3.13.

Item 43. 20 Cases Roll Toilet Paper, Bleached, 4½x4½, 1,000 Sheets to Roll, First Quality, Less Than 5-Case Lots, Per Case.—Andrews Paper Company, $9.90; Fort Hill Paper Company, $10; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $8.50, 1-ply facial; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $8.15*; Stone & Forsyth Company, $9.75.

Long Island Hospital.

Item 44. 70 Cases Oval Paper, 8 Ounces, Per Case.—Andrews Paper Company, $6.10; Fort Hill Paper Company, $6.75; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $5.81*; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $7.25; Stone & Forsyth Company, $6.30.

Item 45. 40 Cases Paper Napkins, Bleached, Embossed, 13x13½, 10,000, Per Case.—Andrews Paper Company, $8.30; Fort Hill Paper Company, $9.50; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $7.76, full bleach,* 10,000, $7.30, semibleach, embossed; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $9.40; Stone & Forsyth Company, $8.20.

Item 46. 60 Cases Paper Towels, Multifold, Nibroc, No. 5010, Per Case.—Andrews Paper Company, $4.90; Fort Hill Paper Company, $4; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $3.55, Nibroc, 9½x9½; Stone & Forsyth Company, $4.80.*

Item 47. 200 Pounds White Drug Bond Paper, 24x36, 35-Pound Basis, Per Pound.—Andrews Paper Company, 16 cents; Fort Hill Paper Company, 16 cents; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., 14.25 cents*; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., 17 cents; Stone & Forsyth Company, 16.5 cents.

Item 48. 200 Pounds Kraft Wrapping Paper, 30 Inches, Per Pound.—Andrews Paper Company, 13 cents; Fort Hill Paper Company, 10 cents; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., 9 cents*; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., 9.5 cents; Stone & Forsyth Company, 9.5 cents.

Item 49. 5 Cases Wax Paper Cups, 4 Ounces, with Lids, 2,500 to Case, Per Pound.—Andrews Paper Company, $9 per M; Massachusetts Envelope Company, $9.09 per M; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $8.40 per M,* Packtites, 2,000 to case; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $8.70 per M, 2,000 to case, total, 10,000; Stone & Forsyth Company, $9.51 per M.

Item 50. 30 Cases Doublefold Toilet Paper, 4½x5½, Per Case.—Andrews Paper Company, $10.25; Fort Hill Paper Company, $9.25; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $8.75*; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $9.70; Stone & Forsyth Company, $8.93.

Item 51. 50 Cases Multifold Paper Towels, Per Case.—Andrews Paper Company, $3.80; Fort Hill Paper Company, $4; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $3.55, 9½x9½; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $3.15*; Stone & Forsyth Company, $4.18.

Item 52. 20 Cases Paper Napkins, Bleached, Embossed, 13x13½, Per Case.—Andrews Paper Company, $8.30; Fort Hill Paper Company, $9.50; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $7.76,* alternate, $7.30, semibleach; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $9.40; Stone & Forsyth Company, $8.80.

Item 53. 20 Rolls Kraft Wrapping Paper, 24 Inches, 30-Pound Basis, Per Pound.—Andrews Paper Company, 13.05 cents; Fort Hill Paper Company, 11 cents, approximately 720 pounds; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., 9.7 cents; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., 9.4 cents, approximately 700 pounds; Stone & Forsyth Company, 10.25 cents.

Item 54. 20 Rolls Heavy Wax Paper, 24 Inches, for Wrapping Meat, Per Pound.—Andrews Paper Company, 15.40 cents; Fort Hill Paper Company, 16 cents, approximately 1,000 pounds; Sugarman Brothers, 11.75 cents,* Chico wax; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., 14.5 cents, approximately 1,100 pounds; Stone & Forsyth Company, 15.5 cents.

Item 55. 20,000 Glassine Sandwich Bags, 6 x 6½, Per M.—Andrews Paper Company, $2.25; Massachusetts Envelope Company, $1.80*; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $1.82, dry wax; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $1.95, 5½ x 5¾; Stone & Forsyth Company, $1.90, dry wax.

Item 56. 5,000 Paper Bags, 5 Pounds, Kraft, Automatic, Per M.—Andrews Paper Company, $2.46; Fort Hill Paper Company, $2.22; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $1.90*; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $2; Stone & Forsyth Company, $1.99.

Item 57. 5,000 Paper Bags, 10 Pounds, Kraft, Automatic, Per M.—Andrews Paper Company, $3.61; Fort Hill Paper Company, $3.26; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $2.77*; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $2.91; Stone & Forsyth Company, $2.92.

Item 58. 10,000 Paper Bags, 20 Pounds, Kraft, Automatic, Per M.—Andrews Paper Company, $5.69; Fort Hill Paper Company, $5.40; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $4.61*; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $4.87; Stone & Forsyth Company, $4.84.

Discount.—Andrews Paper Company, 1 per cent, 10 days, 30 days, net; Fort Hill Paper Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Massachusetts Envelope Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Stone & Forsyth Company, 2 per cent, time of payment on all but excepted items (*see* Remarks); Burnitol Manufacturing Company, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Remarks.— Massachusetts Envelope Company, Items 5, 6, 7, 8, 12, 49, and 55, quoting on Mono Brand made by Continental Can Company, on Item 32, quoting on Wheeler Paper Company, Albany, New York, No. 510, doubles, on Item 42, quoting on Wheeler Paper Company, Albany, New York, No. 510, singles; Stone & Forsyth Company, Items 25, 46, 51, take only 1 per cent discount.

* Contract awarded.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Upon April 20 the Mayor approved a contract as requested in the following letter:

BOSTON, April 18, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

On March 28, 1955, the attention of the department was called to a serious condition on premises at 295 and 297 Broadway, Ward 3. The front wall at roof line is bulged and liable to fall into street and the rear wall is also bulged. This building has a pitched roof which further enhances the danger from the bulged walls.

Your Honor's permission to enter the premises to remove the building having been obtained, invitation bids were solicited from thirteen wrecking contractors who customarily do such work for the department. Five of the wreckers have submitted bids as follows:

American Building Wrecking Company, $2,400; New York Building Wrecking Company, $2,265; City Building Wrecking Company, $1,775; Central Building Wrecking Company, $1,745; Michael J. Reardon, $1,440.

Accordingly, since the public safety requires immediate action, I ask your Honor's permission to award the contract to Michael J. Reardon, the lowest bidder, at $1,440. The condition is so serious that the work must begin at once.

Very truly yours,

CHARLES A. CALLANAN,
Building Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Upon April 22 the Mayor approved a contract as requested in the following letter:

BOSTON, April 18, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

In response to an advertisement in the *City Record* of March 19, 1955, the following list of bids was received and publicly opened and read aloud on March 30, 1955, for interior and exterior painting at the Brighton High School:

Doll Painting Company, $14,540; John W. Egan Company, $20,608; Frank W. Gazzola, $21,000; Kabot Painting Company, $22,413; D. M. McCartin Company, $22,865; Lester L. Bateman, $24,414; R & F Painting Company, $25,200; R. Tweed & Son, $28,227.

Replying to my inquiry concerning the work and contracts performed by the Doll Painting Company prior to the submission of bids, the Doll Company over a notarized signature recorded as their amount of work performed over a five-year period the following work on school buildings:

Osgood School, Medford, $265; Curtis School, Medford, $665; Fulton School, Medford, $1,935; Warren School, Newton, $280.

I do not consider the above experience sufficient to entrust to this company a

contract of the size of the work to be done at Brighton High School. Also there is a time element involved as work must be completed by August 31, 1955.

Therefore, subject to your Honor's approval, I am awarding a contract for interior and exterior painting at Brighton High School to John W. Egan Company, 21 Pleasant street, Newton Centre, in the amount of $20,608, as in my opinion this firm is the lowest responsible bidder of those who responded to our advertised invitation for proposals, and it is believed that this is in the best interests of the City of Boston.

Very truly yours,

James H. Mooney,
Superintendent of Construction.

Parks and Recreation Department.

Upon April 22 the Mayor approved a contract with Doerico Construction Company, Inc., for subsoiling and concrete liners at Mount Hope Cemetery, West Roxbury. Bids, opened Friday, April 15, were as follows:

Doerico Construction Company, Inc., $13,568.10; D. F. Frangioso & Co., $15,070; J. Gavigan Company, $15,222; Sylvester A. Ray, $16,169.50.

Public Works Department.

Upon April 21 the Mayor approved a contract with Joseph Capone & Son for sewerage works in Farwell avenue, Hyde Park, and Savannah avenue, Dorchester, at an estimated cost of $6,199, including concrete pipe. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed within 30 days after approval by the Mayor. The following bids were received April 13:

Including Clay Pipe.—Joseph Capone & Son, $6,299; H. DiTullio & Sons, Inc., $6,312; D. Federico Company, $6,318.50; R. A. Buccella & Sons, Inc., $6,447; Roslindale Contracting Company, $6,597; Susi & DeSantis Company, Inc., $6,676.50.

Including Concrete Pipe.—Joseph Capone & Son, $6,199; H. DiTullio & Sons, Inc., $6,212; D. Federico Company, $6,268.50; R. A. Buccella & Sons, Inc., $6,427; Roslindale Contracting Company, $6,497; Susi & DeSantis Company, Inc., $6,626.50.

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Upon April 21 the Mayor approved a contract with C. Russo, Inc., for sewerage works in Fairview avenue, Alvarado avenue, Alwin street, Stonehill road, and Cheryl Lane, Hyde Park, at an estimated cost of $12,547.20, including concrete pipe. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed within 60 days after approval by the Mayor. The following bids were received April 13:

Including Clay Pipe.—C. Russo, Inc., $12,732.20; R. A. Buccella & Sons, Inc., $13,576; Joseph Capone & Son, $13,672; Susi & DeSantis Company, Inc., $13,913.25; D. Federico Company, $14,909; N. Bevilacqua & Sons, $15,492.90; Roslindale Contracting Company, $16,124.70.

Including Concrete Pipe.—C. Russo, Inc., $12,547.20; R. A. Buccella & Sons, Inc., $13,539; Joseph Capone & Son, $13,579.50; Susi & DeSantis Company, Inc., $13,867; D. Federico Company, $14,872; N. Bevilacqua & Sons, $15,492.90; Roslindale Contracting Company, $16,032.20.

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Upon April 21 the Mayor approved a contract with J. A. Susi & Sons, Inc., for bituminous concrete pavement in Alvarado avenue, Chesterfield street, Danny road, Manila avenue, Reynold road, and Vallaro road, Ward 18, at an estimated cost of $57,241.25. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed September 1, 1955. The following bids were received April 15:

J. A. Susi & Sons, Inc., $57,241.25; J. D'Amico, Inc., $57,938.25; S. J. Tomasello Corporation, $57,961.95; Carriere Construction Company, $58,345.80; Rufo Construction Company, $59,755.67; P. V. Barone Corporation, $61,937.20.

Real Property Department.

Upon April 22 the Mayor approved a contract with John P. Barolis and William J. Skudris, a partnership, they being the highest bidder, in the amount of $3,805 per month, for the leasing of the off-street parking facility on Pearl, Franklin, and Hartford streets, Boston, for a term of six months, beginning May 1, 1955, and ending October 31, 1955, as follows:

John P. Barolis and William J. Skudris, a partnership, $3,805 a month.

Court Street Parking Company, $3,100 a month.

Kendall Square Garage Company, Inc., $3,025 a month.

Boston Auto Parks, Inc., $2,710 a month.

William J. Sakawich and Joseph Pastor, a partnership, $2,526 a month.

School Committee.

The School Committee has approved proposals for the cleaning of glass in windows, ventilators and entrances of School Committee Administration Building and glass in windows and transoms of School Committee Supply Room and windows and entrances of School Committee Administration Building Annex. Bids, opened Tuesday, March 8, were received from the following concerns:

Bay View Window Cleaning Company, Boston Window and Floor Cleaning Company.

Awards were made to the lowest responsible bidders, as follows:

Bay View Window Cleaning Company, $540.

Boston Window and Floor Cleaning Company, $738.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

Upon varying dates as indicated the Mayor has approved contracts with contractors, supply houses, etc., for furnishing labor, etc. Communications from heads of the departments interested were as follows:

Administrative Services Department.
Purchasing Division.

Boston, April 18, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

The Welfare Department has submitted a requisition to this office for 560,000 I.B.M. checks and another requisition for 1,220,000 I.B.M. cards.

Inasmuch as these checks and cards must be purchased directly from International Business Machines Corporation, authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to this company.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $3,547.70, net, f.o.b. Endicott, New York. Price includes cost of eleven new electroplates.

Respectfully yours,

John V. Moran,
Purchasing Agent.

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Boston, April 18, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

This office is in receipt of a requisition from the Boston City Hospital for approximately 4,000 ounces of mothers' milk.

The Directory for Mothers' Milk, Inc., 221 Longwood avenue, Boston, is the only distributor for mothers' milk. In view of this fact, authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to the Directory for Mothers' Milk, Inc. It is my opinion that, in this way, the best interests of the city will be served.

Approximate total amount of contract for the above quantity, at 30 cents per ounce, will be $1,200, net. Period of contract will be from May 1, 1955, to December 31, 1955.

Respectfully yours,

John V. Moran,
Purchasing Agent.

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Boston, April 20, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

This office is in receipt of a requisition from the Printing Section for 250,000 No. 9 white Mono outlook envelopes as per specifications. Immediate delivery of these envelopes is a necessity.

Since time does not permit us to publicly advertise for prices, informal requests for prices were solicited from three local manufacturers. Bids were received from two of the manufacturers.

Authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to William J. Travers doing business as Travers Envelope Company, the lower of the two bidders. It is my opinion that, in this way, the best interests of the city will be served.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $1,462.50, less 2 per cent discount for payment within ten days.

Respectfully yours,

John V. Moran,
Purchasing Agent.

Library Department.

Boston, April 21, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

The trustees of the Public Library respectfully request the approval of your Honor for the award of a contract, without public advertising, to the Library Service Division of Bro-Dart Industries, 59 East Alpine street, Newark, New Jersey, for the purchase of Plasti-Kleer book jacket covers for the period April 1, 1955, through March 31, 1956.

Since the Plasti-Kleer book jacket covers are patented items and can be obtained only from the Library Service Division of Bro-Dart Industries, no

useful purpose would be served in advertising for bids. The cost of these covers for the period of the contract will not be in excess of $5,908. The trustees have therefore

"*Voted*, That there be awarded without public advertising to the Library Service Division of Bro-Dart Industries, 59 East Alpine street, Newark, New Jersey, a contract for the purchase of Plasti-Kleer book jacket covers for the period April 1, 1955, through March 31, 1956, at prices per unit as follows: 6 inches to 9¼ inches, 7¼ cents; 9½ inches to 12 inches, 12¼ cents."

Inasmuch as the total cost for the covers will exceed $1,000, there is respectfully requested permission of your Honor to enter into this contract without publicly advertising for bids.

Respectfully,

THE TRUSTEES OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY OF THE CITY OF BOSTON,
MILTON E. LORD,
Director.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.
BOSTON, April 22, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR:

In order to carry out our garden program at the Cummings Estate in Woburn for 1955, it is necessary that we arrange for the transportation of children from all sections of the city to take part in this program. For the past few years the cost of transporting children—by bus for those living in some sections of the city and by railroad for those living in the North End section—has been paid by the Park Department from the income of the Randidge Trust Fund.

All arrangements for transportation are made through the Boston School Department under the supervision of Henry G. Wendler, supervisor of gardening for the schools and for the entire garden program at the Cummings Estate. In previous years the buses were hired from the Metropolitan Transit Authority on service order from the Park Department and were paid directly through the City Auditor's office by the Park Department. Railroad fares were paid by the School Department under their own order numbers, and at the end of the season the School Department, through the Business Manager, bills the Randidge Trust Fund Income for the amount of the railroad transportation.

We have received a request from the School Department for the same arrangement for this year. The rate for buses in 1955 will be $33.25 per bus per day, the same as in 1954. The railroad charges will be at the current fare rates in effect during the summer and fall seasons. The cost last year for all transportation required for this program was approximately $1,800. It appears that the cost will be the same this year.

We therefore request your approval to provide transportation by bus and railroad for school children who will take part in the garden program at the Cummings Estate during 1955, for a sum not to exceed $1,800, to be charged to the Randidge Trust Fund Income.

Respectfully yours,

FRANK R. KELLEY,
Chairman.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Approval has been given for the extension of the time of completion of the contract with Joseph A. Jacobs for demolition of the George Putnam School from April 15, 1955, to May 13, 1955. This extension was requested because, due to extra heavy walls on the lower floors, work will take longer than expected.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Rufo Construction Company, 1 Allen road, Brighton, for repairing the pavement of the Sumner Tunnel, from April 20, 1955, to May 21, 1955. This extension was requested because the contractor was delayed while awaiting delivery of extra new paving blocks required for the work.

AMENDMENT TO ORIGINAL AWARD OF DAMAGES.

The Public Improvement Commission has voted as follows:

That the amount of $230 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Edward and Helen V. Berg for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of March 27, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Oakmere street, West Roxbury.

That the amount of $130 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Stephen J. and Anna L. Connolly for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of August 26, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Wedgewood road, West Roxbury.

That the amount of $120 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Charles J. and Julia F. O'Mara for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of July 23, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Granmore road, Hyde Park.

That the amount of $200 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to James A. and Edith B. Burns for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of July 17, 1953, for the laying out and construction of DeForest street, Hyde Park.

That the amount of $600 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to John Corey for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of April 27, 1953, for the widening, as a public highway, of Beech street, West Roxbury.

That the amount of $50 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to John T. and Dorothy A. Daly for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of July 23, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Van Brunt street, Hyde Park.

ARBORCREST TERRACE LAID OUT.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the laying out (without construction) of Arborcrest terrace, Dorchester district, between Gladeside avenue and Ridgeview avenue, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named Arborcrest terrace is hereby laid out (without construction) from Gladeside avenue to Ridgeview avenue.

Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed thereto, in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

Northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Gladeside avenue, one hundred sixteen and 45-100 feet; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Arborcrest terrace as hereby laid out by three measurements, sixty and 50-100 feet on a curve of fifty-nine and 84-100 feet radius, four hundred seven and 10-100 feet, and twelve and 33-100 feet on a curve of eight feet radius; southeasterly by the northwesterly line of Ridgeview avenue, fifty three and 91-100 feet on a curve of three hundred fifty and 53-100 feet radius; southwesterly by the southwesterly line of Arborcrest terrace as hereby laid out by three measurements, eleven and 55-100 feet on a curve of eight feet radius, three hundred eighty-one and 75-100 feet, and forty-two and 61-100 feet on a curve of twenty feet radius.

No betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement consisting of the laying out (without construction) of Arborcrest terrace, Dorchester district, as a highway, from Gladeside avenue to Ridgeview avenue, under the order of the commission of April 20, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

NEWCROFT CIRCLE LAID OUT.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the laying out (without construction) of Newcroft Circle, Dorchester district, from River street to another part of River street, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named Newcroft Circle is hereby laid out (without construction) from River street to another portion of River street.

Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed thereto, in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

Southerly by the northerly line of River street, sixty-four and 87-100 feet; westerly by the westerly line of Newcroft Circle as hereby laid out by three measurements, twenty and 82-100 feet on a curve of 12 feet radius, one hundred eighty-four and 22-100 feet, and eighty-one and 67-100 feet on a curve of 52 feet radius; northerly by the northerly line of Newcroft Circle as hereby laid out, one hundred fifty-six feet; easterly by the easterly line of Newcroft Circle as hereby laid out by three measurements, eighty-one and 67-100 feet on a curve of 52 feet radius, two hundred thirty-one and 30-100 feet, and sixteen and 88-100 feet on a curve of 12 feet radius; southerly by the northerly line of River street, sixty-four and 87-100 feet; westerly by the westerly line of Newcroft Circle as hereby laid out by three measurements, twenty and 82-100 feet on a curve of 12 feet radius, two hundred twenty and 70-100 feet, and eighteen and 85-100 feet on a curve of 12 feet radius; southerly by the south-

erly line of Newcroft Circle as hereby laid out, one hundred fifty-six feet; easterly by the easterly line of Newcroft Circle as hereby laid out by three measurements, eighteen and 85-100 feet on a curve of 12 feet radius, one hundred ninety-four and 83-100 feet, and sixteen and 88-100 feet on a curve of 12 feet radius.

No betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement consisting of the laying out (without construction) of Newcroft Circle, Dorchester district, as a highway, from River street to another part of said River street, under the order of the commission of April 20, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

STREET LAID OUT IN DORCHESTER.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the laying out (without construction) of Gladeside avenue, Dorchester district, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named Gladeside avenue is hereby laid out (without construction), from River street approximately 1,800 feet northerly and northeasterly.

Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed thereto, in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

Southeasterly by the northwesterly line of River street by two measurements, one hundred one and 99-100 feet, and thirty-one and 01-100 feet on a curve of 828.62 feet radius; easterly and southeasterly by the easterly and southeasterly line of Gladeside avenue as hereby laid out by seven measurements, thirty-four and 91-100 feet on a curve of 15 feet radius, one hundred nine and 51-100 feet on a curve of 450.52 feet radius, five hundred twenty-four and 41-100 feet, one hundred seventy-eight and 66-100 feet on a curve of 1,239.12 feet radius, one hundred sixteen and 45-100 feet, eighty-five and 33-100 feet on a curve of 152.44 feet radius, and seven hundred forty-one and 76-100 feet; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Gladeside avenue as hereby laid out, fifty and 14-100 feet; northwesterly and westerly by the northwesterly and westerly line of Gladeside avenue as hereby laid out by seven measurements, seven hundred forty-five and 48-100 feet, one hundred thirteen and 31-100 feet on a curve of 202.44 feet radius, one hundred sixteen and 45-100 feet, one hundred seventy-one and 46-100 feet on a curve of 1,189.12 feet radius, five hundred twenty-four and 41-100 feet, one hundred fifty-three and 42-100 feet on a curve of 400.52 feet radius, and fifty-five and 54-100 feet on a curve of 78.06 feet radius.

No betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement consisting of the laying out (without construction) of Gladeside avenue, from River street approximately 1,800 feet northerly and northwesterly, as a highway, under the order of the commission of April 20, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

BLUEFIELD TERRACE LAID OUT.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the laying out (without construction) of Bluefield terrace, Dorchester district, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named Bluefield terrace is hereby laid out (without construction), between Ridgeview avenue and Gladeside avenue.

Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed thereto, in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

Southeasterly by the northwesterly line of Ridgeview avenue, forty-two and 63-100 feet; southwesterly by the southwesterly line of Bluefield terrace as hereby laid out by two measurements, five hundred twenty-nine and 21-100 feet, and twelve and 57-100 feet on a curve of eight feet radius; northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Gladeside avenue, fifty-six feet; and northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Bluefield terrace as hereby laid out by three measurements, twelve and 57-100 feet on a curve of eight feet radius, seventy-eight feet, and four hundred thirty-nine and 92-100 feet.

No betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement consisting of the laying out (without construction) of Bluefield terrace, Dorchester district, as a highway, between Ridgeview avenue and Gladeside avenue, under the order of the commission of April 20, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

ASSESSMENT LIENS CANCELED.

The Public Improvement Commission has voted to cancel the following assessment liens:

Whereas, An order of the Board of Street Commissioners, approved by the Mayor June 29, 1948, recorded in the Registry of Deeds June 30, 1948, Book 6442, page 241; said order provided for the laying out and construction of Jeffers street, West Roxbury district, as a public highway, from Alpheus road to Bateman street, as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Jeffers Street, West Roxbury, May 13, 1948, Thomas F. McGovern, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of this department;

Whereas, An assessment lien was created on the following-named parcels of land, as follows:

Lot.		Amount.
2.	City of Boston, Boston Housing Authority, Agent	$206 70
4.	City of Boston, Boston Housing Authority, Agent	818 60
6.	City of Boston, Boston Housing Authority, Agent	627 80
6A.	City of Boston, Boston Housing Authority, Agent	260 00
7.	City of Boston, Boston Housing Authority, Agent	426 05

Voted, That said assessment liens on said parcels be, and the same hereby are, canceled.

Whereas, An order of the Board of Street Commissioners, approved by the Mayor June 29, 1948, recorded in the Registry of Deeds June 30, 1948, Book 6442, page 243; said order provided for the laying out and construction of Grew Hill road, West Roxbury district, as a public highway, from Alpheus road to Jeffers street, as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Grew Hill Road, West Roxbury, May 19, 1948, Thomas F. McGovern, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of this department;

Whereas, An assessment lien was created on the following-named parcels of land, as follows:

Lot.		Amount.
1.	City of Boston, Boston Housing Authority, Agent	$267 50
1A.	City of Boston, Boston Housing Authority, Agent	3,320 40
3A.	City of Boston, Boston Housing Authority, Agent	280 00
5A.	City of Boston, Boston Housing Authority, Agent	272 50
5.	City of Boston, Boston Housing Authority, Agent	7,511 70

Voted, That said assessment liens on said parcels be, and the same hereby are, canceled.

Whereas, An order of the Board of Street Commissioners, approved by the Mayor June 29, 1948, recorded in the Registry of Deeds June 30, 1948, Book 6442, page 238; said order provided for the laying out and construction of Weeks avenue, West Roxbury district, as a public highway, from Alpheus road to Grew Hill road (formerly Mansfield street), as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Weeks Avenue, West Roxbury, May 19, 1948, Thomas F. McGovern, Chief Engineer, Street Laying-Out Department," and on file in the office of this department;

Whereas, An assessment lien was created on the following-named parcels of land, as follows:

Lot.		Amount.
1.	City of Boston, Boston Housing Authority, Agent	$203 00
1A.	City of Boston, Boston Housing Authority, Agent	527 00
6.	City of Boston, Boston Housing Authority, Agent	1,135 60
6A.	City of Boston, Boston Housing Authority, Agent	280 00
7A.	City of Boston, Boston Housing Authority, Agent	358 50
7.	City of Boston, Boston Housing Authority, Agent	1,374 50
9.	City of Boston, Boston Housing Authority, Agent	857 40

Voted, That said assessment liens on said parcels be, and the same hereby are, canceled.

SOUTHMERE ROAD LAID OUT.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the laying out (without construction) of Southmere road, Dorchester district, from River street to Ledgebrook road, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named Southmere road is hereby laid out (without construction), from River street to Ledgebrook road.

Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed thereto, in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

Northwesterly by the southeasterly line of River street, sixty-four and 44-100 feet on a curve of 1,902.21 feet radius; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Southmere road as hereby laid out by four measurements, nineteen and

46-100 feet on a curve of twelve feet radius, two hundred twelve and 55-100 feet on a curve of two hundred sixty-five feet radius, two hundred seventy-seven and 98-100 feet on a curve of four hundred sixty feet radius, and twenty and 17-100 feet on a curve of twelve feet radius; easterly by the westerly line of Ledgebrook road, sixty-four and 34-100 feet; and southwesterly by the southwesterly line of Southmere road as hereby laid out by four measurements, seventeen and 69-100 feet on a curve of twelve feet radius, three hundred nine and 7-100 feet on a curve of five hundred feet radius, two hundred forty-six and 74-100 feet on a curve of three hundred five feet radius, and eighteen and 72-100 feet on a curve of twelve feet radius.

No betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement consisting of the laying out (without construction) of Southmere road, Dorchester district, as a highway, from River street to Ledgebrook road, under the order of the commission of April 20, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

HEARINGS STENOGRAPHER, DIVISION OF CIVIL SERVICE, DEPARTMENT OF CIVIL SERVICE AND REGISTRATION, MAY 21, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, May 2, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $3,480 a year; the maximum salary is $4,200 a year.

Vacancies: At present there is one vacancy for a female, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: To record verbatim, in shorthand, the proceedings at hearings, meetings, conferences, or similar gatherings; to transcribe the shorthand notes accurately and rapidly on a typewriter; when not engaged in hearing work, to do other stenographic or clerical work; and to perform related work as required.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants must have had at least one year of full-time paid experience in which hearing stenographic work was the major duty or at least three years of full-time paid experience in which other stenographic work was the major duty.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 1; practical questions, 1; stenography, 3; total, 5.

The dictation will be given at the rate of 175 and 200 words a minute, and the material dictated at each of these rates of speed will be of about 300 words in length. Applicants may transcribe either or both of the speed tests. If the two tests are transcribed, both will be marked and the applicant will be given the higher of the two marks. The transcription is marked for both speed of dictation and accuracy.

Passing Requirements. Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in accuracy of transcription of at least one dictation and in each subject in order to become eligible.

CITY OF BOSTON AND COUNTY OF SUFFOLK.

STATISTICAL FACTS FOR THE YEAR 1954

Date of incorporation	February 23, 1822
Date of adoption of City Charter (amended January 7, 1925)	1909
Form of Government	Mayor and City Council
Area (square miles)	47.81
Population — Federal Census (August 1, 1950)	801,444
Number of employees as of February 1, 1954	22,806
Boston Housing Authority:	
Federal Program (7,920 apartments housing 7,920 families)	
Number of apartments in veterans' permanent 1- and 2-family homes housing 1,306 families	
State-Aided Developments (containing 3,177 apartments housing 3,177 families)	
Building Department:	
Permits issued	17,515
Estimated cost	$35,771,706
Cemeteries: Number 19—Area (acres)	161.71
Election Department:	
Registered voters	383,864
Number of ballots cast last general election	169,493
Percentage of registered voters voting	44.15
Fire Department:	
Number of stations	51
Number of fireboats	2
Alarms responded to	15,150
Health Department: Health Units	10
Hospitals (Including Boston Sanatorium):	
City Hospital:	
Number of buildings	57
Bed capacity	2,460
Patients, daily average:	
Wards	1,798
Out-patient	891
Long Island Hospital:	
Number of buildings	27
Population	952
Library Department:	
Number of libraries	37
Number of employees (full time)	640
Number of volumes	2,011,358
Circulation	3,162,338
Markets, number of	2
Municipal buildings, number of	27
Park Department: Parks, number of acres	2,240.29
Area of playgrounds and play areas (acres)	807.12
Number of playgrounds and play areas	121
Number of municipal golf links	2
Number of municipal beaches	3
Public grounds and squares (acres)	57.41
Swimming pools (indoor) 2, (outdoor) 2	4
Number of recreation centers and indoor bathhouses	15
Police Department:	
Number of stations and headquarters	18
Arrests	93,294
Public Works Department:	
Bridges, number of	101
Miles of accepted streets and alleys	731
Sewers: Miles of sewers	1,302.75
Catch basins	23,972
Average number of gallons pumped daily at main pumping station	112,980,821
Sumner Traffic Tunnel: Length (feet)	5,654
Two-lane drive: Vehicles passing through — 1953	10,835,674
Water Service:	
Number of meters in service	95,653
Per capita daily average consumption (gallons)	139
Miles of mains: Ordinary	999,136
High pressure	18.72
Rapid Transit: Miles of subways and tunnels	16.81
Schools:	
Number of school buildings	224
Number of teachers	3,655
Average membership	94,774
Average daily attendance:	
Elementary and junior high schools	54,546
High schools	16,201
Kindergartens	8,151
Special schools	1,800

PROCEEDINGS OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

March 14, 1955

A special meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, at 8 P. M., the Chairman presiding.

Present: Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward.

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HONOR AWARD CERTIFICATE

Mr. Carr presented the following:

One of the important national awards recently announced by the Trustees, Directors and Officers of Freedoms Foundation at Valley Forge was the selection of the Boston Public Schools by the distinguished National Awards Jury to receive The Honor Award Certificate for the brochure

"BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS PRESENT THE EXCITING RECORD OF TAKING THE SCHOOLS TO THE PEOPLE."

This brochure, a pictorial review of the planning, activities and accomplishments of American Education Week, was selected as an outstanding achievement in helping to bring about a better understanding of the American Way of Life.

The personnel of the Boston School Department and members of the Boston School Committee are happy to join in sharing this high national honor. We are deeply grateful to the newspapers, radio and TV stations throughout the country for bringing this project to the attention of the nation-wide public. We are especially indebted to the hundreds of Boston stores, banks, commercial institutions, and transportation agencies who donated space for 1200 exhibits, displays and live demonstrations which were viewed by 2,000,000 persons.

Credit should be extended to the head master, faculty and students of the Cooperative Printing Department, Roxbury Memorial High School, who printed the booklet.

Particular mention should be made of the leadership shown by Dr. John P. Sullivan, Head of the Division of Statistics and Publicity, in masterminding this successful project. He was personally responsible for selling the idea to the School Committee and the Superintendent—for planning, organizing and bringing the program to a successful conclusion. Probably no other single project has brought greater glory and nation-wide acclaim to the Boston public schools.

In order that this high honor receive the widest notice in the school department, I respectfully request that this presentation be spread upon the public record, and that a suitable circular be broadcast among the school department personnel.

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ADDITION TO CURTIS GUILD SCHOOL

The following communication was presented:

City of Boston — Department of School Buildings
26 Norman Street
March 11, 1955

Miss Agnes E. Reynolds,
Secretary, Boston School Committee,
15 Beacon Street,
Boston 8, Massachusetts.

My dear Miss Reynolds:—

Under date of March 7, 1955 you forwarded the following proposed order of amendment to the Board of Commissioners of School Buildings:—

ORDERED, That the order of Jan. 11, 1954, allocating out of the 1953 bond issue the sum of $236,138. for an addition to the Curtis Guild School, in the Blackinton-John Cheverus District, is hereby amended to read as follows:—

ORDERED, That out of the sum appropriated by the City Council of the City of Boston by order passed on May 4, 1953, and May 18, 1953, and approved by the Mayor on May 19, 1953, to be expended for the purpose of acquiring land for, and constructing, public schoolhouses in the City of Boston, including originally equipping and furnishing such schoolhouses, the sum of $236,138. be, and the same hereby is, allocated for acquiring land by demolition, plans, construction and furnishing of an addition to the Curtis Guild School, in the Blackinton-John Cheverus District, East Boston, containing four classrooms, an all-purpose room, a manual training room, a sewing room, and a playroom.

At a meeting of the Board of Commissioners of School Buildings which was held this date with Chairman Joseph F. O'Connell, Jr., Commissioner Thomas A. Cronin, and Commissioner Matthew T. Connolly present and voting, it was voted, unanimously, to report favorably on the above described order, all as provided in Section 7, Chapter 351 of the Acts of 1929.

Very truly yours,
Board of Commissioners of School Buildings
(Signed)
Joseph F. O'Connell, Jr.,
Chairman

Placed on file.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the order of Jan. 11, 1954, allocating out of the 1953 bond issue the sum of $236,138. for an addition to the Curtis Guild School in the Blackinton-John Cheverus District, is hereby amended to read as follows:

ORDERED, That out of the sum appropriated by the City Council of the City of Boston by order passed on May 4, 1953, and May 18, 1953, and approved by the Mayor on May 19, 1953, to be expended for the purpose of acquiring land for, and constructing, public schoolhouses in the City of Boston, including originally equipping and furnishing such schoolhouses, the sum of $236,138. be, and the same hereby is, allocated for acquiring land by demolition, plans, construction and furnishing of an addition to the Curtis Guild School in the Blackinton-John Cheverus District, East Boston, containing four classrooms, an all-purpose room, a manual training room, a sewing room, and a playroom.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

The following communication was presented:

City of Boston
Department of School Buildings
26 Norman Street
March 11, 1955.

Miss Agnes E. Reynolds,
Secretary,
Boston School Committee,
15 Beacon Street,
Boston 8, Massachusetts.

My dear Miss Reynolds:—

Under date of March 7, 1955 you forwarded the following draft of a proposed order to the Board of Commissioners of School Buildings:—

ORDERED, That out of the sum appropriated by the City Council of the City of Boston by order passed first on September 7, 1954, and again on September 27, 1954, and approved by the Mayor on September 28, 1954, to be expended for the purpose of acquiring land for, and constructing public schoolhouses in the City of Boston, including originally equipping and furnishing such schoolhouses, the sum of $134,000. be, and the same hereby is, allocated for acquiring land by demolition, plans, construction and furnishing of an addition to the Curtis Guild School in the Blackinton-John Cheverus District, East Boston, containing four classrooms, an all-purpose room, a manual training room, a sewing room, and a play room, said sum, when added to the $236,138. allocated for the purpose at this meeting this day, making a total sum allocated for the purpose of $370,138.

At a meeting of the Board of Commissioners of School Buildings which was held this date with Chairman Joseph F. O'Connell, Jr., Commissioner Thomas A. Cronin, and Commissioner Matthew T. Connolly present and voting, it was voted, unanimously, to report favorably on the above described order, all as provided in Section 7, Chapter 351 of the Acts of 1929.

Very truly yours
Board of Commissioners of School Buildings
(Signed) Joseph F. O'Connell Jr.
Chairman

Placed on file.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That out of the sum appropriated by the City Council of the City of Boston by order passed first on September 7, 1954, and again on September 27, 1954, and approved by the Mayor on September 28, 1954, to be expended for the purpose of acquiring land for, and constructing public schoolhouses in the City of Boston, including, originally equipping and furnishing such schoolhouses, the sum of $134,000. be, and the same hereby is, allocated for acquiring land by demolition, plans, construction and furnishing of an addition to the Curtis Guild School in the Blackinton-John Cheverus District, East Boston, containing four classrooms, an all purpose room, a manual training room, a sewing room, and a play room, said sum, when added to the $236,138. allocated for the purpose at this meeting this day, making a total sum allocated for the purpose of $370,138.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward — 5.

NAYS—0.

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IN MEMORIAM

The Superintendent regretfully reported the death of the following-named principal emerita, who had been retired on pension under the provisions of the Boston Retirement System:

John Marshall District—E. Gertrude Dudley, Mar. 12, 1955.

Placed on file.

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The Superintendent regretfully reported the death of the following-named teacher who had been retired on pension under the provisions of the State-Boston Retirement System:

John Winthrop District—Alice J. Sughrue, Mar. 9, 1955.

Placed on file.

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The School Committee requested that a letter of condolence, to be signed by the Secretary, be sent to the bereaved families.

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RESIGNATION

The Superintendent reported the resignation of the following-named teacher, to take effect on the date stated:

Department of Home Economics—Gertrude H. Ryan, teacher of cookery, junior high, Mar. 7, 1955.

Accepted.

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APPOINTMENTS

The following nominations by the Superintendent, certified by him as being in accordance with the rules and regulations, to take effect on the dates stated, were presented:

DEPARTMENT OF ADULT EDUCATIONAL AND RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES

(Extended Use)

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Mar. 14, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has assigned the following-named person to serve in the Department of Adult Educational and Recreational Activities, Extended Use Division, for the term 1954-55:

Assignment

Agnes A. Gruss, Mar 14, 1955

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the assignment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5

NAYS—0

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APPRENTICESHIP AND JOURNEYMAN CLASSES

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Mar. 14, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee and in accordance with the order passed at the meeting of Oct. 6, 1941 (p. 195), he has appointed the following-named person to the Apprenticeship and Journeyman Classes for Various Trades, to take effect on the date stated:

Instructor—Francis C. Carlow, Mar. 12, 1955

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5

NAYS—0

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LEAVES OF ABSENCE

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Mar. 14, 1955, recommending, subject to the approval of the School Committee and under a suspension of the regulations, that leave of absence without pay be granted the following-named teacher for the term specified:

Horace Mann School for the Deaf—Helen T. Patten, assistant, Sept. 1, 1955, to Aug. 31, 1956.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the regulations were suspended and the leave of absence without pay was granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Mar. 14, 1955, recommending that leave of absence without pay, under a suspension of the regulations, be granted the following-named person for the term specified:

Department of School Lunches—Mary J. Tobin, cafeteria attendant, Mar. 1 to June 23, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the regulations were suspended and the leave of absence without pay was granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0

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DESIGNATIONS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Mar. 14, 1955, reporting that he has made the following designations of teachers to serve in the positions indicated until such time as they shall be filled otherwise, in accordance with the rules and regulations, but not beyond Aug. 31, 1955:

Norcross District — Marion A. Cotter, vice principal, as acting principal (vice Estelle K. Kennedy, absent on leave), Feb. 28, 1955.

Samuel Adams District—John J. Passanisi, teacher, elementary, as acting submaster (vice Leo V. Motley, absent on leave), Feb. 28, 1955.

Wendell Phillips District—Carmela E. Conroy, teacher, elementary, as acting vice principal, Mar. 1, 1955.

Washington Irving Junior High School — Mortimer F. Reardon, submaster, as acting principal (vice Leroy K. Houghton, absent on leave); Thomas B. McAuliffe, teacher, junior high, as acting submaster, Feb. 28, 1955.

Placed on file.

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ACCOMMODATIONS FOR GRADUATING EXERCSES

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the Department of School Buildings is hereby requested to secure the use of the accommodations indicated for the graduating exercises of the several high schools on the dates specified:

Brighton High School—Capitol Theater, Tuesday morning, June 7, 1955.

Charlestown High School—Faneuil Hall, Tuesday evening, June 7, 1955.

Dorchester High School—Symphony Hall, Thursday afternoon, June 9, 1955.

English High School—Jordan Hall, Thursday evening, June 9, 1955.

Girls' High School—Symphony Hall, Tuesday afternoon, June 7, 1955.

Jeremiah E. Burke High School for Girls—Symphony Hall, Wednesday afternoon, June 8, 1955.

Roxbury Memorial High School (Girls)—Symphony Hall, Monday afternoon, June 6, 1955.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

ATTENDANCE AT CONVENTIONS

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That Dennis C. Haley, Superintendent of Schools, is hereby authorized to attend the Meeting of Superintendents in Cities with population over 200,000, to be held in Washington, D.C., Apr. 19 to 23, 1955, inclusive, at an expense to the city not to exceed one hundred fifty dollars ($150).

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That Marguerite G. Sullivan, Assistant Superintendent of Schools, is hereby authorized to attend the Conference of Supervisors of Elementary Education in Large Cities, to be held in Washington, D. C., Apr. 4 to 7, 1955, inclusive, at an expense to the city not to exceed one hundred fifty dollars ($150).

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5

NAYS—0

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That Agnes K. Brennan, Director, Department of Distributive Education, is hereby authorized to attend the Convention of the Eastern Business Teachers Association, to be held in Philadelphia, Pa., Apr. 7 to 9, 1955, inclusive, at an expense to the city not to exceed one hundred ten dollars ($110).

On roll call the order passed the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5

NAYS—0

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That Elizabeth H. Gilligan, Director, Department of Fine Arts, is hereby authorized to attend the National Art Education Association Conference, to be held in Cleveland, Ohio, Apr. 11 to 15, 1955, inclusive, at an expense to the city not to exceed one hundred eighty-five dollars ($185).

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5

NAYS—0

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That Robert C. Schimmel, radio coordinator, Visual and Radio Education, is hereby authorized to attend the Twenty-fifth Annual Radio-TV Institute, to be held at Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio, Apr. 12 to 15, 1955, inclusive, at an expense to the city not to exceed two hundred dollars ($200).

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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ANNUAL STREET PARADE

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the Annual Street Parade of the Boston School Cadets be held this year on Wednesday, May 25, 1955, and if necessary to postpone, on Thursday, May 26, 1955, or Wednesday, June 1, 1955.

On roll call the order passed by the folowing vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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ELIGIBLE LIST

A communication was received from the Board of Superintendents, under date of Mar. 14, 1955, transmitting a name to be added to the list of successful candidates of the August 1954 examinations, for the certificate of qualification indicated, as reported by the Board of Examiners.

This name does not constitute a separate eligible list, but should be inserted in School Document No. 6, 1954—Candidates Eligible for Permanent Appointment as Teachers—at the place indicated by the rating.

Rating	Elementary School, Name	Class B Certificate expires
**533	Louis E. Tobasky	June 30, 1958.

Placed on file.

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APPOINTMENT OF CUSTODIANS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of March 14, 1955, recommending, subject to the approval of the School Committee and in accordance with the certification of the Division of Civil Service, that James U. Robinson, who stands at the head of the promotional list, be appointed senior building custodian, to take effect Mar. 9, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Mar. 14, 1955, recommending, subject to the approval of the School Committee, and in accordance with the certification of the Division of Civil Service, that James J Shea, junior building custodian, who stands at the head of the promotional list, be appointed permanent intermittent senior building custodian, to take effect Mar. 9, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5

NAYS—0

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Mar. 14, 1955, recommending, subject to the approval of the School Committee, and in accordance with the certification of the Division of Civil Service, the appointment of the following-named persons, who stand at the head of the list and who have been approved by the Medical Director, Workmen's Compensation Service, City of Boston, as junior building custodians, to take effect on the dates indicated:

Francis A. Desmond, George A. Sparks, Jr., James J. O'Connor, Edward J. Hinckley, Mar. 9, 1955; Charles J. Cannata, Robert E. Powers, Ronald J. Cribbie, Mar. 16, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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The Committee adjourned.

Attest:

AGNES E. REYNOLDS
Secretary.

March 21, 1955.

A regular meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, at 7:30 P. M., the Chairman presiding.

Present: Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward.

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APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The reading of the minutes of the meeting of Mar. 7, 1955 was omitted, the Committee approving them as printed.

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RETIREMENTS ON PENSION

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Mar. 21, 1955, reporting the retirement from active service of the following-named members of the State-Boston Retirement System, to take effect on the dates indicated, as certified by the Boston Retirement Board:

John Marshall District—Doris L. Carroll, assistant, special class, Mar. 14, 1955.

Joseph H. Barnes Junior High School—James J. Smith, senior building custodian, Mar. 31, 1955.

William E. Endicott District—Eleanor Kapff Ziegler, assistant, special class, Mar. 31, 1955.*

*Resigned as of Aug. 31, 1948, now making application for retirement being over fifty-five years of age.

Placed on file.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Mar. 21, 1955, reporting the retirement from active service of Everett J. Ford, master, English High School, a member of the State-Boston Retirement System, to take effect Mar. 31, 1955, as certified by the Boston Retirement Board.

Mr. Ford was granted leave of absence for rest for the school year 1954-55, but has applied for retirement on pension because of personal illness and has submitted a satisfactory certificate from his physician.

The Superintendent recommended that the provisions of Section 322, paragraph 3 of the Regulations, pertaining to Mr. Ford's paying back to the School Committee the salary paid him during such sabbatical leave of absence, be waived.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the provisions of Section 322, paragraph 3 of the Regulations were waived by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward-5

NAYS—0

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APPOINTMENTS

The following nominations by the Superintendent, certified by him as being in accordance with the rules and regulations, to take effect on the dates stated, were presented:

(FROM THE ELIGIBLE LIST)

Patrick F. Lyndon District — Louis E. Tobasky, teacher, elementary (second year salary — $3636 — anniversary date Mar. 1), Mar. 28, 1955.

On roll call the rules were suspended and the appointment approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco and Ward 5.

NAYS—0.

(BY PROMOTION)

Hugh O'Brien District—Frances S. Cazanove, vice principal (from teacher, elementary, Hart-Gaston-Perry District), Mar. 28, 1955.

John Winthrop District—John K. Lennon, submaster (from teacher, junior high, Robert Gould Shaw Junior High School), Mar. 28, 1955.

On roll call the rules were suspended and the appointments approved hy the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs Lee, Musco, and ward—5

NAYS—0

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DEPARTMENT OF ADULT EDUCATIONAL AND RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES

(Extended Use)

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Mar. 21, 1955, reporting, subject to the approval of the School Committee, that he has assigned the following-named persons to serve in the Department of Adult Educational and Recreational Activities, Extended Use Division, for the term 1954-55:

Assignments

Charles C. Lidbergh, Mar. 18, 1955; Joseph E. McManus, Thomas F. Murray, John J. Shea, Joseph W. Walsh, Francis R. Wedlleton, Philip Zall, Apr. 1, 1955.

Re-assignments

George A. Gannon, William P. Kelly, John F. McGrail, Apr. 1, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the assignments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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(TOOLKEEPER)

Boston Trade High School—William M. Ryan, Mar. 28, 1955.

On roll call the appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5

NAYS—0

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A communication was received from the Supintendent, under date of Mar. 21, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has discontinued the leave of absence for maternity granted the following-named teacher at the meeting of Oct. 4, 1954, to take effect on the date stated:

Norcross District—Jean A. Bono, teacher, elementary, Mar. 31, 1955

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the discontinuance of leave of absence was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, Ward —5.

NAYS—0.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Mar. 21, 1955, reporting that, in accordance with the provisions of Section 283A, paragraph 3 of the Regulations, the maternity leave of absence without pay granted to Mary R. Prince, teacher, elementary, Mary Hemenway District, to take effect Feb. 1, 1954, has been terminated to take effect Mar. 14, 1955; and recommending that leave of absence without pay for maternity be granted to take effect on Mar. 15, 1955, and to continue until terminated by the Superintendent with the approval of the School Committee, provided that such leave shall be for a period of at least three months after the date of birth and, provided further, that no such leave shall in any event exceed eighteen months.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the leave of absence without pay was granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0

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TRANSFERS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Mar. 21, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has made the following transfers of teachers, to take effect Mar. 28, 1955:

Herbert J. Kinsella, submaster, John Winthrop District, to the same position in the Samuel Adams District.

James D. Supple, teacher, junior high, Patrick T. Campbell Junior High School, to the same position in the Robert Gould Shaw Junior High School.

Florence I. Walsh, vice principal, Hugh O'Brien District, to the same position in the Wendell Phillips District.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the transfers were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5

NAYS—0

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ASSIGNMENT

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Mar. 21, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has assigned the following-named teacher, as indicated, without change of rank or salary, to take effect on the date stated and to continue for the school year ending Aug. 31, 1955, unless earlier terminated by the Superintendent, with the approval of the School Committee:

Patrick F. Gavin Junior High School—Elizabeth J. Moynahan, teacher, junior high, to the Patrick T. Campbell Junior High School, Mar. 28, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the assignment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee Musco, and Ward—5

NAYS—0

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ATTENDANCE AT CONVENTION

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That Arnold L. Ganley, vocational instructor, Department of Vocational Guidance, is hereby authorized to attend the 1955 National Convention of the American Personnel and Guidance Association, to be held in Chicago, Illinois, Apr. 3 to 7,

1955, inclusive, at an expense to the city not to exceed two hundred fifty dollars ($250).

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco and Ward—5.

Nays—0.

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DEMOLITION OF SCHOOL BUILDING

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the Hobart Street School, near Brooks Street, Brighton, be demolished. and the site retained.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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ELIGIBLE LIST

A communication was received from the Board of Superintendents, under date of Mar. 21, 1955, submitting the list of successful candidates of the August 1954 examinations for Certificate XI. Special: Special Classes, as reported by the Board of Examiners on the attached list.

These names do not constitute separate eligible lists, but should be inserted in School Document No. 6, 1954—Candidates Eligible for Permanent Appointment as Teachers—at the places indicated by the respective ratings.

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SPECIAL CLASS CERTIFICATE
Assistant

Rating	Name	Certificate Expires
813**	John F. Creamer	June 30, 1958
927	Marion Swartwood Holodinski	June 30, 1958
913	Margaret Donovan McPhee	June 30, 1958
903	Rhoda Henderson Thomas	June 30, 1985
897	Elizabeth A. Devlin	June 30, 1958
864	Anne Wells Westbrooks	June 30, 1958
849	Janet LaPoint Manning	June 30, 1958
819	Frances Conley Dunton	June 30, 1958
811	Marcia E. McPherson	June 30, 1958
806	Ann E. Cahill	June 30, 1958
794	Claire C. Horton	June 30, 1958
785	Claire C. O'Connell	June 30, 1958

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SPECIAL CLASS—SUPPLEMENTARY LIST
Re-entrant

881	Margaret Lyons Smith	June 30, 1958

**Veteran.
Placed on file.

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GIRLS' LATIN SCHOOL

The Chairman laid before the Committee an instrument, in duplicate, drawn to permit the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to use for the purposes of Section 1 of Chapter 73 of the General Laws during the year beginning July 1, 1954, and ending June 30, 1955, so much of the Commonwealth's real estate which the City has been given permission to use for the Girls' Latin as lies within the limits of the Patrick A. Collins Building; and after consideration of the matter, upon motion duly made and seconded, it was

VOTED: That the Chairman of the School Committee be, and she hereby is, authorized to execute and deliver in the name and behalf of the School Committee the instrument so laid before the Committee by her.

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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AWARD OF GOLD KEYS

The Chairman presented a list of pupils in the Boston Public Schools who have been awarded Gold Keys in the recent Regional Scholastic Art competition which was sponsored by the Boston Globe, in cooperation with the Department of Fine Arts. The work of these Gold Key winners has been forwarded to Pittsburgh to compete for honors in the National High School Art Exhibition at Carnegie Institute, Pittsburgh, May 7 to 31, 1955.

Boston Technical High School, Maris Platais.

Dorchester High School, Don Cochrane, Judith Crowley, Rita Thompson, Marlene Wallin.

English High School, Richard Edlund, Andrew Mikelsons, Tadas Uskuraitis,

Girls' High School, Gail Chin.

Girls' Latin School, Constance Tarquini.

High School of Commerce, Roger Beattie.

Jamaica Plain High School, Virginia O'Byrne.

Jeremiah E. Burke High School, Roberta Buckman, Alice Oliver.

Roslindale High School, Deborah MacDermott.

Roxbury Memorial High School, (Girls), Beverly Brodie.

South Boston High School, Joan Marsters, Carol McPhee, Joseph Shaw.

Clarence R. Edwards Junior High School, Marion Teal.

Grover Cleveland Junior High School, Sylvia Tammi

Oliver Wendell Holmes Junior High School, Carole Lallier.

Patrick T. Campbell Junior High School, Ruth Burris, Ernest Finer, Janet Frank, William Griffin, Frederick Steen.

Robert Gould Shaw Junior High School, Adele Yanco.

Solomon Lewenberg Junior High School, Sheila Epstein.

Washington Irving Junior High School, Dora Avellino, Ann Galvin, Ann Lanzillo.

William Barton Rogers Junior High School—Loretta Bedard, Carolyn Ciesielski, Judith O'Connor, Christina Ogiba.

Dwight School—Maige MacCray.

Horace Mann School—Allan Fillmore, Theodore Orlandella, Andrew Todaro.

Hyde School—Juanita Selden.

Seven portfolios from all of Massachusetts were accepted by the judges to compete for Art School scholarships at Pittsburgh. Three of these belong to Boston Public High School students:

Roger Beattie—High School of Commerce.

Carol McPhee—South Boston High School.

Marlene Wallin — Dorchester High School.

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The Committee adjourned.

Attest:

AGNES E. REYNOLDS
Secretary

Mar. 28, 1955.

A special meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, at 4:50 P. M., the Chairman presiding.

Present: Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward.

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APPOINTMENTS

The following nominations by the Superintendent, certified by him as being in accordance with the rules and regulations, to take effect on the dates stated, were presented:

GARDENING
Season of 1955
(To take effect Mar. 18, 1955)

Garden Assistants—Arthur L. Evans, Paul G. Wendler.

On roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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APPRENTICESHIP AND JOURNEYMAN CLASSES

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Mar. 28, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee and in accordance with the order passed at the meeting of Oct. 6, 1941 (p. 195), he has appointed the following-named person to the Apprenticeship and Journeyman Classes for Various Trades, to take effect on the date stated:

Instructor—George N. Ackerman, Jr., Mar. 26, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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LEAVE OF ABSENCE

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Mar. 28, 1955, recommending that leave of absence without pay be granted the following-named teacher for the term specified:

William Barton Rogers Junior High School—John P. Breen, teacher, junior high, Apr. 15 to May 24, 1955, inclusive.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the leave

of absence without pay was granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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DEPARTMENT OF ADULT EDUCATIONAL AND RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES

(Evening Schools)

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the closing exercises of the Boston Evening Trade School for the term 1954-55, shall be held on Thursday, Mar. 31, 1955.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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SUSPENSION OF SESSIONS

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the sessions of all day and evening schools are hereby suspended on Thursday, Apr. 7, 1955.

On roll call the regulations were suspended and the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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CLOSING OF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICES

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the administrative offices and supply room of the School Committee are hereby closed on Friday, Apr. 8, 1955.

On roll call the regulations were suspended and the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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ATTENDANCE AT CONVENTIONS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Mar. 28, 1955, submitting, in accordance with the provisions of Section 3 of Chapter 274 of the Acts of 1914, report of Joseph McKenney, Director of Physical Education, on his attendance at the Annual Meeting of the National Collegiate Football Rules Committee, held in New York City, Jan. 10 to 12, 1955, inclusive.

Placed on file.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Mar. 28, 1955, submitting, in accordance with the provisions of Section 3 of Chapter 274 of the Acts of 1914, report of Leo C. Renaud, Veterans' Services, on his attendance at the Annual Convention of the American Vocational Association, held in San Francisco, California, Dec. 1 to 10, 1954, inclusive.

Place on file.

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SALARY ORDERS

Mr. Musco offered the following:

ORDERED, That the following-named supervisors of attendance, Department of Attendance, shall receive an increase in salary at the rate of twenty-two dollars ($22) per month, to take effect on the dates stated:

A .Frank Foster, Jan. 4, 1955.
Sidney Barr, Jan. 4, 1955.
Andrew K. Ahern, Jan. 5, 1955.
Leo D. Fahey, Jan. 5, 1955.
Ralph J. Pratt, Jan. 10, 1955.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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Mr. Carr offered the following:

ORDERED, That the salary of James A. Farrell, storeroom helper, Supply Room, is hereby established at the rate of seventy-four dollars and eighteen cents ($74.18) per week, to take effect Mar. 30, 1955, and to continue until otherwise ordered.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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LIST OF AUTHORIZED TEXT BOOKS

The following five orders were offered:

1. ORDERED, That the following-named books are hereby authorized for use as text books as indicated:

Grades I to VI

Arithmetic

McSwain, E. T., Ulrich, L. E., and Cooke, R. J. Understanding, Arithmetic Series. Laidlaw Brothers. cpt. 1954
Understanding Arithmetic 3. Grade III*. net $1.59
Understanding Arithmetic 4. Grade IV*. net $1.59
Understanding Arithmetic 5 Grade V*. net $1.59
Understanding Arithmetic 6. Grade VI*. net $1.59
f.o.b. Summit N. J.

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English

(Grammar and Language)

Dawson M. A., Miller J. M., and Zollinger, M. Language for Daily Use Series. World Book Company. cpt. 1955.
Language for Daily Use 3. Grade III*. net $1.56
Language for Daily Use 4. Grade IV*. net $1.62
Language for Daily Use 5. Grade V*. net $1.62
Language for Daily Use 6. Grade VI*. net $1.62
f.o.b. Yonkers, N. Y.

(To take the place of Language for Daily Use-Grades 3, 4, 5, 6 c1952 by Dawson and Miller)

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Greene, H. A., McBroom, M., Moscrip, R., and Gillett, N. Building Better English Series. Row, Peterson and Company. cpt. 1954.
Building Better English 3. Grade III*. net $1.26
Building Better English 4. Grade IV*. net $1.26
Building Better English 5. Grade V*. net $1.26
Building Better English 6. Grade VI*. net $1.26
f.o.b. White Plains, N. Y.

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Pollock, T. C., and Bowden, F. B. The Macmillan English Series. Words Work for You. The Macmillan Company. cpt. 1954. Grade IV*. net $1.47
f.o.b. N. Y.

Pollock, T. C., and Forester, J. J. The Macmillan English Series. Using Language. The Macmillan Company. cpt. 1954. Grade V*. net $1.53
f.o.b. N. Y.

Pollock, T. C., and Straub, J. H. The Macmillan English Series. Sharing Ideas. The Macmillan Company. cpt. 1954. Grade VI*. net $1.59
f.o.b. N. Y.

Wolfe, D. M., Geyer, E. M., Delancey, F. W., and Hamtilton, L. T. Enjoying English Series. The L. W. Singer Company, Inc. cpt. 1952. Enjoying English 4. Grade IV*. net $153
Enjoying English 5. Grade V*. net $159
Ennjoying English 6. Grade VI*. net $1.62
f. o b. Syracuse, N. Y.

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(Reading and Literature)

Bond, G. L., Dorsey, G. A., Cuddy, M. C., and Wise, K. Developmental Reading Series. Stories from Everywhere. Classmate Edition. Lyons and Carnahan. cpt. 1954. Grade III*. net $1.38
f. o. b. Wilkes-Barre, Pa.

Bond, G. L., and Cuddy, M. C. Developmental Reading Series. Lyons and Carnahan. cpt. 1953. Meeting New Friends. Classmate Edition. Grade IV*. net $1.65
Days of Adventure. Classmate Edition Grade V*. net $1.65
Stories to Remember. Classmate Edition. Grade VI*. net $1.65
f. o. b. Wilkes-Barre, Pa.

Bond G. L. Dorsey, G. A. Cuddy, M. C., and Wise, K. Developmental Reading Series. Lyons and Cranahan. Cpt. 1954. Many Surprises. Grade I*. net $0.99
Happy Times. Grade I*. net $1.14
Down Our Way. Grade II. Level I*. net $1.23
f. o. b. Wilkes-Barre, Pa.
(To take the place of Developmental Reading Series, c1949, by Bond, Alder Cuddy and Wise —Many Surprises, Happy Times and Down Our Way).

Bond, G. L., Dorsey, G. A., Cuddy, M. C., and Wise, K. Developmental Reading Series. Lyons and Carnahan cpt. 1954. Just for Fun. Grade II. Level 2*. net $1.17
Stories from Everywhere. Grade III. Level I*. net $1.38
f. o. b. Wilkes-Barre, Pa.
(To take the place of Developmental Reading Series—Just for Fun, c1949 and Stories from Everywhere, c1951 by Bond, Alder, Cuddy and Wise)

Gates, A. I., and Clark, M. K. The Macmillan Readers. Sharing More Adventures. Macmillan Company. cpt. 1953. Grade IV*. net $1.59
f.o.b. N. Y.

Gates, A. I., and Peardon, C. C. The Macmillan Readers. A World to Enjoy. The Macmillan Company. cpt. 1953. Grade V*. net $1.65
f.o.b. N. Y.

Gates, A. I., and Bartlett, M. M. The Macmillan Readers. Stories to Enjoy. The Macmillan Company. cpt. 1954. Grade VI*. net $1.71
f.o.b. N. Y.

Goldin, M. R., Sallen, B., Heyl, H. H., and Loftus, J. J. Child Experience Readers. Visits with Friends. Lyons and Carnahan. cpt. 1954. Grade II*. net $1.20
f.o.b. Wilkes-Barre, Pa.

Gray, W. S., Monroe, M., and Artley, A. S. Curriculum Foundation Series. The New Basic Readers. Just Imagine! Scott, Foresman and Company. cpt. 1953. Grade III*. net $1.35
f.o.b. N.Y.

Gray, W. S., Artley, A. S. and Arbuthnot, M. H. Curriculum Foundation Series. The New Basic Readers. Scott, Foresman and Company. cpt. 1953. The New More Streets and Roads. Grade III. Level 2*. net $1.41

The New Times and Places. Grade IV. Level 1*. net $1.41
f.o.b. N.Y.

Gray, W. S., Monroe, M., Artley, A. S., and Arbuthnot, M. H. Curriculum Foundation Series. The New Basic Readers. More Times and Places. Scott, Foresman and Company. cpt. 1955. Grade IV*. net $1.41
f.o.b. N.Y.

Johnson, E. M., and Jacobs, L. B., editors. Treasury of Literature. Readtext Series. Charles E. Merrill Books. cpt. 1954.
Treat Shop. Grade III*. net $1.50
Magic Carpet. Grade IV*. net $1.65
Enchanted Isles. Grade V*. net $1.65
Adventure Lands. Grade VI*. net $1.71
f. o. b. Columbus, Ohio

McKee, P., McCowan, A., Harrison, M. L., and Lehr, E. Reading for Meaning Series. Houghton Mifflin Company.
High Roads. Grade IV*. cpt. 1952. net $1.68
Sky Lines. Grade V*. cpt. 1953. net $1.77
Bright Peaks. Grade VI*. cpt. 1953. net $1.77
f. o. b. Cambridge

O'Donnell, M The Alice and Jerry Basic Readers. Row, Peterson and Company. cpt. 1954.
The New Singing Wheels. Grade IV*. net $1.59
The New Engine Whistles. Grade V*. net $1.59
f. o. b. White Plains
(To take the place of Singing Wheels and Engine Whistles c1947 by O'Donnell, M)

Spencer, P. R., Robinson, T. E., and Smith, M. M. Skills Reading Program. Finding New Trails. Lyons and Carnahan. cpt. 1954. Grade IV*. net $1.65
f.o.b. Wilkes-Barre, Pa.

Spencer, P. R., Robinson, T. E., Fritschler, L. D., and Smith, M. M. Skills Reading Program. Exploring New Trails. Lyons and Carnahan. cpt. 1953. Grade V*. net $1.65
f.o.b. Wilkes-Barre, Pa.

Spencer, P. R., Robinson, T. E., Fritschler, L. D., and Smith, M. M. Skills Reading Program. Traveling New Trails. Lyons and Carnahan. cpt. 1954. Grade VI*. net $1.65
f.o.b. Wilkes-Barre, Pa.
(To take the place of Traveling New Trails c1943 by Spencer and Fritschler)

Witty, P., Bringhurst, U., and Nolen, B. Reading for Interest Series. The Brave and Free. D. C. Heath and Company. cpt. 1955. Grade VI*. net $1.77
f.o.b. N. Y.
(To take the place of Brave and Free c1950 by Nolen)

Witty, P., Brumbaugh, F., and Nolen, B. Reading for Interest Series. Fun and Frolic. D. C. Heath and Company. cpt. 1955. Grade III*. net $1.50
f.o.b. N. Y.
(To take the place of Fun and Frolic c1947 by Nolen)

Witty, P., Cadwallader, D., and Nolen, B. Reading for Interest Series. Luck and Pluck. D. C. Heath and Company. cpt. 1955. Grade IV*. net $1.68
f.o.b. N. Y.
(To take the place of Luck and Pluck c1950 by Nolen)

Witty, P., Eberle I., and White, M. L. Readng for Interest Series. Secrets and Surprises. D. C. Heath and Company. cpt. 1955. Grade II*. net $1.38
f.o.b. N. Y.
(To take the place of Secrets and Surprises c1951 by Eberle)

Witty, P., Evans, E. K., and Bailey, E. R. Reading for Interest Series. Something Different. D. C. Heath and Company. cpt. 1955. Grade I*. net $1.26
f.o.b. N. Y.
(To take the place of Something Different c1947 by Evans)

Witty, P., Fenner, P., and Nolen, B. Reading for Interest Series. Merry Hearts and Bold. D. C. Heath and Company. cpt. 1955. Grade V*. net $1.77
f.o.b. N. Y.
(To take the place of Merry Hearts and Bold c1950 by Nolen)

Witty, P., Gay, R., and Wright, L. Reading for Interest Series. A Home for Sandy. D. C. Heath and Company. cpt. 1955. Grade I*. net $1.11
f. o. b. N. Y.
(To take the place of A Home for Sandy c1947 by Gay)

Witty, P., and Nolen, B. Reading for Interest Series. Do and Dare. D. C. Heath and Company. cpt. 1955. Grade III*. net $1.50
f. o. b. N. Y.
(To take the place of Do and Dare c1951 by Nolen)

Witty, P., Palmer, R., and Bristol, R. Reading for Interest Series. Lost

and Found. D. C. Heath and Company. cpt. 1955. Grade II*. net $1.38
f. o. b. N. Y.
(To take the place of Lost and Found c1947 by Palmer)

Witty, P., Wavle, A., and Falk, E. M. Reading for Interest Series. Rain and Shine. D. C. Heath and Company. cpt. 1955. Grade I*. net $1.11
f. o. b N. Y.
(To take the place of Rain and Shine c1947 by Wavle.)

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Geography

Cutright, P., Charters, W. W., King, A. Y., Dennis, I., and Potter, F. The Macmillan Social-Studies Series. Living Together in the Americas. The Macmillan Company. cpt. 1953. Grade V*. net $2.76
f.o.b. N. Y.

Thurston, E. L., and Hankins, G. C. Geography Series. Homelands of the Americas. Iroquois Publishing Company. cpt. 1954. Grade V*. net $2.97
f.o.b. Syracuse, N. Y.

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Health Education

Baruch, D., and Montgomery, E. Curriculum Foundation Series—Health and Personal Development Program. Scott, Foresman and Company. cpt. 1954.
Five in the Family. Grade III*. net $1.08
The Girl Next Door. Grade IV*. net $1.26
f.o.b. N. Y.
(To take the place of Five in the Family by Montgomery and Gray and The Girl Next Door by Baruch, Montgomery and Bauer c1948.)

Charters, W. W., Smiley, D. F., and Strang, R. M. Your Health and Growth Series. The Macmillan Company. cpt. 1955.
Healthful Ways, Grade IV*. net $1.32
Let's Be Healthy. Grade V*. net $1.47
Habits Healthful and Safe. Grade VI*. net $1.47
f.o.b. N. Y.
(To take the place of 1947 edition of Today's Health and Growth Series, Grs. IV, V, VI)

Hallock, G. T., Allen, R. L., and Thomas, E. Health for Better Living Series. Ginn and Company. cpt. 1954.
Health and Happy Days. Grade I*. net $1.05
Health in Work and Play. Grade II*. net $1.14
Health and Safety for You. Grade III*. net $1.20
f.o.b. Woodbridge, N. J.

Hallock, G. T., and Allen, R. L. Health for Better Living Series. Ginn and Company. cpt. 1954.
Growing Your Way. Grade IV*. net $1.35
Keeping Healthy and Strong. Grade V*. net $1.41
Teamwork for Health. Grade VI*. net $1.53
f.o.b. Woodbridge, N. J.

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Grades VII to XII
Civics

Blough, G. L., and Switzer, D. S. Fundamentals of Citizenship. Laidlaw Brothers. cpt. 1954. Grade XI*. net $1.82
f.o.b. Summit, N. J.

Clark, N. I., Edmonson, J. B., and Dondineau, A. Civics for Americans. The Macmillan Company. cpt. 1954. Grade IX*. net $2.76
f.o.b. N. Y.

Flock, O. S., and Smith, H. L. Government in the United States. Laidlaw Brothers. cpt. 1953. Grade IX*. net $2.70
f.o.b. Summit, N. J.

Paquin, L. G., and Irish, M. D. The People Govern. Charles Scribner's Sons. cpt. 1954. Grade XI*. net $3.15
f.o.b. N. Y.

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Commercial Subjects

Ernest, J. W., and DaVall, G. M. Salesmanship Fundamentals Gregg Publishing Division. cpt. 1954. Grade XII*. net $2.46
f.o.b. N. Y.

Friedman, S., and Grossman, J. Modern Clerical Practice - Basic course. Pitman Publishing Corporation. cpt. 1953. Grade XI*. net $1.95
f.o.b. N. Y.

Heiges, P. M., Schneider, A. E., and Huffman, H. General Record Keeping. Gregg Publishing Division. cpt. 1954. Grade IX*. net $2.01
f.o.b. N. Y.

Price, R. G., and Musselman, V. General Business for Everyday Living. Gregg Publishing Division. cpt. 1954. Grade IX*. net $2.40
f.o.b. N. Y.

Rosenberg, R. R. Essentials of American Business Law. Gregg Publishing Division. cpt. 1955. Grade XII*. net $2.22
f.o.b. N. Y.

Tidwell, M. F., and Stuart, E. R. Tidwell-Stuart Typing — complete course. Prentice-Hall, Inc. cpt. 1954. Grade XI*. net $2.22
f.o.b. Englewood Cliffs

Driver Education

Center for Safety Education New York University. Man and the Motor Car. Prentice-Hall, Inc. cpt. 1954. Grade IX*. net $2.22
f.o.b. Englewood Cliffs.

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Economics

Holt, S., and McCracken, H. L. Economics and You. Charles Scribner's Sons. cpt. 1954. Grade XI*. net $2.70
f.o.b. N. Y.

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English
(Grammar and Language)

Blumenthal, J. C., Frank R., and Zahner, L. Harcourt, Brace and Company, cpt. 1953. Living Language Grade 10. Grade X*. net $2.01
Living Language Grade 11, Grade XI*. net $2.04
f.o.b. Norwood

DeBoer, J. J. The New Building Better English Series. The New Building Better English—12. Row, Peterson and Company. cpt. 1955. Grade XII*. net $2.22
f.o.b. White Plains

Frank R., Zahner, L. C., and Schendler, S. Living Language Grade 12. Harcourt, Brace and Company. cpt. 1953. Grade XII*. net $2.04
f.o.b. Norwood

Gilmartin, J. G. Words in Action. Prentice-Hall, Inc. cpt. 1954. Grade IX*. net $1.47
f.o.b. Englewood Cliffs

Hagar, H. A., Stewart, N. M., and Hutchinson, E. L. Business English and Letter Writing. Gregg Publishing Division. cpt. 1953. Grade XII*. net $2.22.
f.o.b. N. Y.

John, M., Yates, P., and DeLaney, E. N. The New Building Better English Series. Row, Peterson and Company. cpt. 1955. The New Building Better English—9. Grade IX*. net $2.22
The New Building Better English—10. Grade X*. net $2.22
f.o.b. White Plains.

John M., and Yates, P. M. The New Building Better English Series. The New Building Better English—11. Row, Peterson and Company. cpt. 1955. Grade XI*. net $2.22.
f.o.b. White Plains.

Pollock, T. C., Milligan, J. P., and Loughlin, R. L. The Macmillan English Series. Thought and Expression. The

Macmillan Company cpt. 1954. Grade VIII*. net $1.74
f.o.b. N. Y.

Pollock, T. C., and Rounds, R. W. The Macmillan English Series. Words and Ideas. The Macmillan Company. cpt. 1954. Grade VII*. net $1.74
f.o.b. N. Y.

Pollock, T. C., Sheridan, M. C., Williams, D., and Weiffenbach, R. E. The Macmillan English Series. Our English Language. The Macmillan Company. cpt. 1955. Grade IX*. net $2.04
f.o.b. N. Y.

Pollock, T. C., Sheridan, M. C., Williams, D., and Anker, L. B. The Macmillan English Series. Essentials of Modern English. The Macmillan Company. cpt. 1955. Grade X*. net $2.16
f.o.b. N. Y.

Pollock, T. C., Sheridan, M. C., Roody, S. I., Williams, D., and Adams, H. M. The Macmillan English Series. Language Arts and Skills. The Macmillan Company. cpt. 1955. Grade XI*. net $2.16
f.o.b. N. Y.

Pollock, T. C., Sheridan, M. C., Ledbetter, F., and Doll, R. C. The Macmillan English Series. The Art of Communicating. The Macmillan Company. cpt. 1955. Grade XII*. net $2.16
f.o.b. N. Y.

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(Reading and Literature)

Blackmore, R. D., adapted by M. D. Holmes. Classics for Enjoyment. Lorna Doone. Laidlaw Brothers. cpt. 1948. Grade X*. net $1.35
f.o.b. Summit, N. J.

Brewton, J. E., Lemon, B., Wellons, B., and Abney, L. Cultural Growth Series. Expanding Literary Interests. Laidlaw Brothers. cpt. 1950. Grade IX*. net $2.55
f.o.b. Summit, N. J.

Brewton, J. E., Lemon, D., Sharp, R. A., and Abney, L. Cultural Growth Series. Laidlaw Brothers. cpt. 1950. Literature of the Americas. Grade XI*. net $2.82
English and Continental Literature. Grade XII*. net $2.82
f.o.b. Summit, N.J.

Bronte, E., adapted by L. Bunce and M. L. Howe. Classics for Enjoyment. Wuthering Heights. Laidlaw Brothers. cpt. 1951. Grade XI*. net $1.35
f.o.b. Summit, N.J.

Cooper, J. F., adapted by M. Holmes. Globe Readable Classics. The Deerslayer. Globe Book Company. cpt. 1954. Grade VII*. net $1.50
f.o.b. N.Y.

Dana, R. H., adapted by M. E. Satz. Globe Readable Classics. Two Years Before the Mast. Globe Book Company. cpt. 1954. Grade IX*. net $1.50
f.o.b. N.Y.

Dickens, C., adapted by L. P. Bunce. Globe Readable Classics. Great Expectations. Globe Book Company cpt. 1951. Grade IX*. net $1.50
f.o.b. N.Y.

Dickens, C., adapted by S. Royster. Globe Readable Classics. Nicholas Nickleby. Globe Book Company. cpt. 1954. Grade IX*. net $1.80
f.o.b. N.Y.

Edmonds, W. D., edited by H. Brewer. Modern Literature Series. Drums Along the Mohawk. Globe Book Company. cpt. 1954. Grade X*. net $1.98
f.o.b. N.Y.

Eliot, G., adapted by L. Greenawalt and G. A. Benscoter. Classics for Enjoyment. Silas Marner. Laidlaw Brothers. cpt. 1950. Grade X*. net $1.35
f.o.b. Summit, N. J.

Harding, Helen E., editor. Comparative Classics. Hamlet and other Tragedies—Old and New. Noble and Noble Publishers. Inc. cpt. 1951. Grade XI*. net $1.40
f.o.b. N. Y.

Melville, H., adapted by M. T. Hohn and G. A. Benscoter. Classics for Enjoyment. Moby Dick. Laidlaw Brothers, cpt. 1949. Grade IX*. net $1.35
f.o.b. Summit, N. J.

Moody, R. Little Britches: Man of the Family. Harcourt, Brace and Company. cpt. 1953. Grade IX*. net $1.59
f.o.b. Norwood

Poe, E. A., adapted by O. Depew. Globe Readable Classics. Poe's Stories and Poems. Globe Book Company. cpt. 1951. Grade IX*. net $1.50
f.o.b. N. Y.

Skinner, C. O., and Kimbrough, E., edited by F. H. Law. Our Hearts Were Young and Gay. Globe Book Company. cpt. 1954. Grade XI*. net $1.80
f.o.b. N. Y.

Twain, M., edited by M. Holmes. Globe Readable Classics. The Prince and the Pauper. Globe Book Company. cpt. 1953. Grade VII*. net $1.29
f.o.b. N. Y.

Wallace L., adapted by G. Holder. Globe Readable Classics. Ben-Hur. Globe Book Company. cpt. 1954. Grade IX*. net $1.65
f.o.b. N. Y.

Witty, P., Peterson, M. E., and Parker, A. E. Reading Roundup — Book One. D. C. Heath and Company. cpt. 1954. Grade VII*. net $2.25
f.o.b. N. Y.

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French

Bovee, A. G., and Carnahan, D. H. Lettres de Paris. D. C. Heath and Company. cpt. 1954. Unit III*. net $1.95
f.o.b. N. Y.

Langellier, A., and Langellier, P. Dupuis et Cie. Henry Holt and Company. cpt. 1954. Unit III*. net $2.10
f.o.b. N. Y.

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Geography

Stull, DeF., and Hatch, R. W. Our World Today — The Western Hemisphere. Allyn and Bacon, Inc. cpt. 1954. Grade VII* net $3.00
f.o.b. Englewood Cliffs

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Greek

Kelsey, F. W., and Zenos, A. S. Zenophon's Anabasis. Books I-IV. Allyn and Bacon, Inc. cpt. 1889. Grade XI*. net $3.21
f.o.b. Englewood Cliffs

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Health Education

Burkard, W. E., Chambers, R. L., and Maroney, F. W. Health Happiness Success Series. Lyons and Carnahan. cpt. 1953. You and Your Health. Grade VII*. net $1.50
Good Health for All. Grade VIII*. net $1.59
f.o.b. Wilkes-Barre, Pa.

Charters, W. W., Smiley, D. F., and Strang, R. M. Your Health and Growth Series. The Macmillan Company. cpt. 1955.
Growing up Healthily. Grade VII*. net $1.62
A Sound Body. Grade VIII. net $1.62
f.o.b. N. Y.
(To take the place of "Today's Health and Growth Series"—Growing Up Healthily and a Sound Body)

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Diehl, H. S., and Laton, A. D., Health and Safety for You. McGraw-Hill Book Company, cpt. 1954. Grade VII*. net $2.82
f.o.b. N. Y.

Jenkins, G. G., Bauer, W. W., and Shacter. H. S. Health and Personal Development Series. Teen-Agers. Scott, Foresman and Company. cpt. 1954. Grade IX*. net $2.70 f.o.b. N. Y.

Jones, E. Morgan, E., and Landis, P. E. The Road to Health Series. Laidlaw Brothers. cpt. 1954. For Healthful Living. Grade VII*. net $1.50 Good Health for Better Living. Grade VIII*. net $1.50 f.o.b. Summit, N. J.

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Williams, D. M. Building Health. J. B. Lippincott Company. cpt. 1952. Grade VIII*. net $2.40 f.o.b. Philadelphia

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History

Augspurger, E., and McLemore, R. A. Our Nation's Story. Laidlaw Brothers. cpt 1954. Grade X*. net $3.21 f.o.b. Summit, N. J.

Gavian, R. W., and Hamm, W. A. The American Story. D. C. Heath and Company. cpt. 1954. Grade XI*. net $2.70 f.o.b. N. Y.

McGuire, E., and Portwood, T. B. Our Free Nation. The Macmillan Company. cpt. 1954. Grade VII*. net $3.15 f.o.b. N. Y.

West, R. Story of Our Country. Allyn and Bacon, Inc. cpt. 1954. Grade VII*. net $2.97 f.o.b. Englewood Cliffs (To take the place of 1948 edition "Story of Our Country" by West, R., and West, W. M.)

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Home Economics

Craig, H. T., and Rush, O. D. Homes with Character. D. C. Heath and Company. cpt. 1952. Grade IX*. net $2.70 f.o.b. N. Y.

McDermott, I. E., and Nicholas, F. W. Homemaking for Teen-Agers. Charles A. Bennett Co. cpt. 1951. Grade IX*. net $2.22 f.o.b. Peoria

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Home Nursing and Child Care

Goodspeed, H. C., Mason, E. R., and Woods, E. L. Child Care and Guidance. J. B. Lippincott Company. cpt. 1953. Grade XI*. net $2.55 f.o.b. Philadelphia

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Mathematics

Aiken, D. J., and Henderson, K. B. Algebra: Its Big Ideas and Basic Skills, Book II. McGraw-Hill Book Company, Inc. cpt. 1954. Grade X*. net $2.13 f.o.b. N. Y.

Freilich, J., Berman, S. L., and Johnson, E. P. Algebra for Problem Solving—Book One. Houghton Mifflin Company. cpt. 1952. Grade IX*. net $2.34 f.o.b. Cambridge

Lankford, F. G., and Clark, J. R. Basic Ideas of Mathematics. World Book Company. cpt. 1953. Grade IX*. net $2.13 f.o.b. Yonkers, N. Y.

Leary, A. F., and Shuster, C. N. Plane Geometry. Charles Scribner's Sons. cpt. 1955. Grade X*. net $2.85 f.o.b. N. Y.

Leonhardy, A., and Ely, V. B. Mathematics for Everyday Living. D. Van Nostrand Company, Inc. cpt. 1954. Grade IX*. net $2.22 f.o.b. Newark, N. J.

Smith, R. R., and Lankford, F. G. Algebra One. World Book Company. cpt. 1955. Grade IX*. net $2.10 f.o.b. Yonkers, N. Y.

Weeks, A. W., and Funkhouser, H. G. Plane Trigonometry (with four-place tables). D. Van Nostrand Company, Inc. cpt. 1953. Grade XII*. net $2.16 f.o.b. Newark, N. J.

Welchons, A. M., and Krickenberger, W. R. New Plane Geometry. Ginn and Company. cpt. 1952. Grade X*. net $1.98 f.o.b. Woodbridge

Welchons, A. M., and Krickenberger, W. R. Trigonometry with Tables. Ginn and Company. cpt. 1954. Grade XII*. net $2.40 f.o.b. Woodbridge

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Merchandising

Wingate, I. B., Gillespie, K. R., and Addison, B. G. Know Your Merchandise. McGraw-Hill Book Company, Inc. cpt. 1953. Grade XII*. net $3.15 f.o.b. N.Y.

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Science

Baker, R. H. An Introduction to Astronomy. D. Van Nostrand Company, Inc. cpt. 1952. Grade XI*. net $3.60 f.o.b. Newark, N.J.

Brandwein, P. F., Hollingworth, L. G., Beck, A. D., and Burgess, A. E. Science for Better Living Series. Harcourt, Brace and Company. cpt. 1953. You and Your World. Grade VII. net $2.22 You and Your Inheritance. Grade VIII*. net $2.37 f.o.b. Norwood

Burns, E. E., Verwiebe, F. L., Hazel, H. C., and Van Hooft, G. E. Physics. A Basic Science, D. Van Nostrand Co., Inc., cpt. 1954. Grade XI*. net $3.09 f.o.b. Newark, N.J. (To take the place of Physics—A Basic Science — cpt. 1948, by Burns, Verwiebe and Hazel.)

Davis, I. C., Burnett, J., and Gross, E. W. Holt Science Series. Henry Holt and Co., Inc., cpt. 1954. Science 1, Grade VII*. net $2.37 Science 2. Grade VIII*. net $2.46 f.o.b. New York

Dowling, T. I., Freeman, K., Carroll, F., and Tippett, J. S. Understanding Science Series. The John C. Winston Co. cpt. 1953. Investigating Why. Grade VII*. net $1.89 Answering Why. Grade VIII*. net $1.95 f.o.b. Philadelphia

Eisman, L., and Tanzer, C. Biology and Human Progress. Prentice-Hall, Inc. cpt. 1953. Grade X*. net $3.15 f.o.b. Englewood Cliffs

Gilman, P. R., and Van Houten, L. F. General Science Today. Rand McNally and Company. cpt. 1954. Grade IX*. net $2.85 f.o.b. Chicago

Pisani, T. J. Essentials of Strength of Materials. D. Van Nostrand Company, Inc. cpt. 1954. Grade XII*. net $2.70 f.o.b. Newark, N. J.

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Speech Improvement

Barnes, H. G., and Smith, L. W. Speech Fundamentals. Prentice-Hall, Inc. cpt. 1953. Grade IX*. net $2.40 f.o.b. Englewood Cliffs

*Not more than 45 copies to be purchased for a school or district.

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2. ORDERED, That the following-named book is hereby authorized for use as a text book in the Boston Clerical School:

Gregg, J. R., Leslie, L. A. and Zoubek, C. E. Gregg Shorthand Manual Simplified. Gregg Publishing Division. cpt. 1955*. net $1.98 f.o.b. N.Y.

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3. ORDERED, That the following-named books are hereby authorized for use as text books

in the Boston Trade High School, and co-operative industrial courses:

Chapel, C. E. Jet Aircraft Simplified. Aero Publishers, Inc. cpt. 1953. Grade IX*. net $3.00
f.o.b. Los Angeles.

Chapel, C. E., editor. Northrop Aeronautical Institute. Series of Aviation Texts. McGraw-Hill Book Company, Inc.
Aircraft Maintenance and Repair. cpt. 1955. Grade IX*.
Aircraft Basic Science. cpt. 1953. Grade IX*.
net $6.40
each f.o.b. N. Y.

Crouse, W. H. Automotive Mechanics. McGraw-Hill Book Company. cpt. 1951. Grade IX*. net $3.60
f.o.b. N. Y.

Feirer, J. L. Advanced Woodwork and Furniture Making. Chas. A. Bennett Co., Inc. cpt. 1954. Grade XI*. net $2.97
f.o.b. Peoria

French, T. E., and Vierck, C. J. A Manual of Engineering Drawing. McGraw-Hill Book Company, Inc. cpt. 1953. Grade IX*. net $4.80
f.o.b. N. Y.

Ghiradi, A. A., and Johnson, J. R. Radio and Television Receiver Circuitry and Operation. Rinehart and Company, Inc. cpt. 1951. Grade IX*. net $4.87
f.o.b. Boston.

Glenn, H. T. Exploring Automechanics. Chas. A. Bennett Co., Inc. cpt. 1952. Grade IX*. net $2.97
f.o.b. Peoria.

Heitner, J. Automotive Mechanics — principles and practices. D. Van Nostrand Company, Inc. cpt. 1953. Grade IX*. net $3.45
f.o.b. Newark, N. J.

Polk, R. W. The Practice of Printing. Chas. A. Bennett Co., Inc. cpt. 1952. Grade IX*. net $2.88
f.o.b. Peoria.

Sacks, R. J. Theory and Practice of Arc Welding. D. Van Nostrand Company, Inc. cpt. 1943. Grade IX*. net $3.45
f.o.b. Newark, N. J.

Shuman, J. T. Machine Shop Work. American Technical Society. cpt. 1942. Grade IX*. net $3.20
f.o.b. Chicago

Stieri, E. Basic Welding Principles. Prentice-Hall, Ins. cpt. 1953. Grade IX*. net $3.44
f.o.b. Englewood Cliffs

Zipprich, A. E. Freehand Drafting for Technical Sketching. D. Van Nostrand Company, Inc. cpt. 1954. Grade IX*. net $2.55
f.o.b. Newark, N. J.

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4. ORDERED, That the revised editions of the following-named text books are hereby authorized for use as indicated to take the place of the old editions of the same:

Grades I to VI
Arithmetic

Lennes, N. J., Rogers, D. C., and Traver, L. R. Learning Arithmetic Series. Laidlaw Brothers. cpt. 1953.
Learning Arithmetic 3. Grade III*. net $1.26
Learning Arithmetic 4. Grade IV*. net $1.26
Learning Arithmetic 5. Grade V*. net $1.26
Learning Arithmetic 6. Grade VI*. net $1.26
f.o.b. Summit, N. J.

Dictionaries

The Winston Editorial Board. The Winston Dictionary for Schools. John C. Winston Company. cpt. 1954. Grade VI*. net $2.22
f. o. b. Philadelphia

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English
(Reading and Literature)

Goldin, M. R., Sallen, B., Heyl, H. H., and Loftus, J. J. Child Experience Readers. Happy Children. Lyons and Carnahan. cpt. 1954. Grade I*. net $1.20
f. o. b. Wilkes-Barre, Pa.

Hildreth, G., Felton, A. L., Meighen, A., Meighen, M. and Pratt, M. Easy Growth in Reading Series. Moving Ahead. John C. Winston Company. cpt. 1953. Grade VI*. net $1.65
f. o. b. Philadelphia

Wilkinson, H. S., and Brown, B. D. Improving Your Reading. Noble and Noble Publishers, Inc. cpt. 1953. Grade VI*. net $1.20
f. o. b. N. Y.

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Geography

Atwood, W. W., and Thomas, H. G. The American Nations. Ginn and Company. cpt. 1954. Grade V*. net $2.49
f. o. b. Woodbridge, N. J.

Atwood, W. W. and Thomas, H. G. Neighborhood Stories. Ginn and Company. cpt. 1954 Grade III*. net $1.62
f. o. b. Woodbridge, N. J.

Barrows, H. H., Parker, E. P., and Sorenson, C. W. Man in His World Series. Silver Burdett Company. cpt. 1954.
Our Big World. Grade IV*. net $1.92
The American Continents. Grade V*. net $2.55
Old World Lands. Grade VI*. net $2.67
f. o. b. N. Y.

Whipple, G., and James, P. E. Basal Geography Series. The Macmillan Company. cpt. 1954.
Our Earth. Grade IV*. net $2.10
Using Our Earth. Grade V*. net $2.34
f. o. b. N. Y.

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Health Education

Baruch, D., Montgomery, E., and Bauer, W. W. Curriculum Foundation Series. Health and Personal Development Program. You. Scott, Foresman and Company. cpt. 1954. Grade V*. net $1.35
f.o.b. N.Y.

Jones, E., Morgan, E., and Landis, P. E. Road to Health Series. Laidlaw Brothers. cpt. 1954.
Easy Steps to Health. Grade IV*. net $1.11
Your Health and You. Grade VI*. net $1.38
f.o.b. Summit, N. J.

Jones, E., Maloney, B., Morgan, E., and Landis, P. E. The Road to Health Series. Health Trails. Laidlaw Brothers. cpt. 1954. Grade V*. net $1.29
f.o.b. Summit, N.J.

Montgomery, E., Baruch, D., and Gray, W. S. Curriculum Foundation Series — Health and Personal Development Program. Three Friends. Scott, Foresman and Company. cpt. 1954. Grade II*. net $1.05
f.o.b. N.Y.

Montgomery, E., Bauer, W. W., and Gray, W. S. Curriculum Foundation Series—Health and Personal Development Program. Happy Days With Our Friends. Scott, Foresman and Company. cpt. 1954. Grade I*. net 0.90
f.o.b N. Y.

Schacter, H., and Bauer, W. W. Curriculum Foundation Series—Health and Personal Development Program. Foundation Series-You and Others. Scott, Foresman and Company. cpt. 1954. Grade VI*. net $1.41
f.o.b. N. Y.

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History

Lansing, M. History on the March Series. Makers of the Americas. D. C. Heath and Company. cpt. 1955. Grade V*. net $2.16
f.o.b. N. Y.

Reynolds, J. J., Horn, M. A., and Mizell, P. Short Stories of Famous Men. Noble and Noble Publishers, Inc. cpt. 1953. Grade V*. net $1.20
f.o.b. N. Y.

Townsend, H. Our America. Allyn and Bacon, Inc. cpt. 1953. Grade V*. net $2.25
f.o.b. Englewood Cliffs.

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Grades VII to XII
Bookkeeping

Zelliot, E. A., and Leidner, W. E. Zelliot-Leidner Bookkeeping Introductory. Prentice-Hall, Inc. cpt. 1954. Grade X*. net $2.25
f.o.b. Englewood Cliffs.

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Civics

Comfort, G. O., Knapp, R. H., and Shull, C. W. Your Government. McGraw-Hill Book Company, Inc. cpt. 1954. Grade X*. net $2.61
f.o.b. N. Y.

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Dictionaries

Winston Dictionary Staff. The Winston Dictionary-Advanced Edition Indexed. The John C. Winston Company cpt. 1954. Grade IX*. net $3.60
f.o.b. Philadelphia.

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English
(Grammar & Language)

Fleseh, R., and Lass, A. H. The Way to Write. McGraw-Hill Book Company, Inc. cpt. 1955. Grade XII*. net $1.86
f.o.b. N. Y.

Tressler, J. C., and Christ, H. L. English in Action Series. D. C. Heath and Company. cpt. 1955.
English in Action Course 1. Grade IX*. net $2.22
English in Action Course 2. Grade X*. net $2.22
English in Action Course 3. Grade XI*. net $2.34
English in Action Course 4. Grade XII*. net $2.34
f.o.b. N.Y.

Wolfe, D. M., Geyer, E. M., et al. Enjoying English Series. The L. W. Singer Company, Inc. cpt. 1955.
Enjoying English 10. Grade X*. net $2.22
Enjoying English 11. Grade XI*. net $2.31
Enjoying English 12. Grade XII*. net $2.34
f.o.b. Syracuse.

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(Reading and Literature)

Beery, M. Manners Made Easy. McGraw-Hill Book Company, Inc. cpt. 1954. Grade IX*. net $2.19
f.o.b. N.Y.

Cross, E. A., Benseoter, G. A., and Meachem, W. A. Literature, A Series of Anthologies. Heritage of American Literature. The Macmillan Company. cpt. 1954. Grade X*. net $2.73
f.o.b. N. Y.

Read, W. W., editor Comparative Classics. Comparative Essays Present and Past. Noble and Noble Publishers, Inc. cpt. 1953. Grade XI*. net $1.56
f.o.b. N. Y.

Shakespeare, W., and Rostant, E., edited by Doyle and Hoffman. Comparative Classics. Romeo and Juliet—Cyrano de Bergerae. Noble and Noble Publishers, Inc. cpt. 1952. Grade XII*. net $1.56
f.o.b. N. Y.

Shakespeare, W., and Anderson, M., edited by Harding. Comparative Classics. Julius Caesar-Elizabeth the Queen. Noble and Noble Publishers, Inc. cpt. 1954. Grade IX*. net $1.40
f.o.b. N. Y.

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French

Bond, O. F., editor. The Heath - Chicago French Series. Premiere Etape—Alternate Series Books One to Five. D. C. Heath and Company. cpt. 1947. Unit II*. net $1.80
f.o.b. N.Y.

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Health Education

Shaeter, H., Jenkins, G.G., and Bauer, W. W. Curriculum Foundation Series. Health and Personal Development Program. Scott, Foresman and Co.
You're Growing Up. Grade VII*. net $1.53
Into Your Teens. Grade VIII*. net $1.53
f.o.b. N.Y.

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History

Canfield, L. H., and Wilder, H. B. The Making of Modern America. Houghton Mifflin Company. cpt. 1954. Grade XI*. net $3.30
f.o.b. Cambridge

Casner, M. B., and Gabriel, R. H. The Story of American Democracy. Harcourt, Brace and Company. cpt. 1955. Grade VII*. net $2.97
f.o.b. Norwood

Hayes, C. J. H., Moon P. T., and Wayland, J. W. World History. The Macmillan Company. cpt. 1955. Grade XI*. net $3.30
f.o.b. N. Y.

Roehm, A. W., Buske, M. R., Webster, H., and Wesley, E. B. The Record of Mankind. D. C. Heath and Company. cpt. 1954. Grade X*. net $2.97
f.o.b. N. Y.

Smith, E. P. Muzzey, D. S., and Lloyd, M. World History. Ginn and Company. cpt. 1952. Grade X*. net $3.24
f.o.b. Woodridge, N. J.

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Latin

Seudder, J. W., revised by Charles Jenney Jr. Second Year Latin. Allyn and Bacon, Inc. cpt. 1954. Grade X*. net $2.85
f.o.b. Englewood Cliffs

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Mathematics

Aiken, D. J., and Henderson, K. B. Algebra: Its Big Ideas and Basic Skills, Book I. McGraw-Hill Book Company, Inc. cpt. 1954. Grade IX*. net $2.13
f.o.b N. Y.

Betz, W., Miller, A. B., Miller, F. B., et al. Everyday General Mathematics—Book One. Ginn and Company. cpt. 1953. Grade IX*. net $1.98
f.o.b Woodbridge, N. J.

Edgerton, E. I., and Carpenter, P. A. Intermediate Algebra. Allyn and Bacon, Inc. cpt. 1951. Grade XI*. net $1.86
f.o.b. Englewood Cliffs.

Hooper, A., and Griswold, A. L. A Modern Course in Trigonometry. Henry Holt and Company. cpt. 1953. Grade XII*. net $2.01
f.o.b. N.Y.

Lennes, N. J., Rogers, D. C., and Traver, L. R. The Learning Arithmetic Series. Laidlaw Brothers. cpt*. 1953.
Learning Arithmetic 7. Grade VII*. net $1.26
Learning Arithmetic 8. Grade VIII*. net $1.26
f.o.b. Summit, N.J.

Welchons, A. M. and Krickenberger, W. R. Algebra-Book One. Elementary Course. Ginn and Company. cpt. 1953. Grade IX*. net $1.86
f.o.b. Woodbridge, N.J.

Welchons, A. M., and Krickenberger, W. R. Algebra-Book Two. Second Course Complete. Ginn and Company. cpt. 1953. Grade XI*. net $2.04
f.o.b. Woodbridge, N.J.

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Science

Biddle, H. C., Bush, G. L., and Deming, H. G. Chemistry Today. Rand McNally and Company. cpt. 1954. Grade XI*. net $2.94
f.o.b. Chicago

Brownlee, R. B., Fuller, R. W., et al. Elements

of Chemistry. Allyn and Bacon, Inc. cpt. 1954. Grade XI*. net $2.97
f.o.b. Englewood Cliffs

Dull, C. E., Brooks, W. O., and Metcalfe, H. C. Modern Chemistry Henry Holt and Company. cpt. 1954. Grade XI*. net $2.91
f.o.b. N. Y.

Blackwood, O. H., Herron, W. B., and Kelly, W. C. High School Physics. Ginn and Company. cpt. 1954. Grade XI*. net $3.00
f.o.b. Woodbridge

Brown, H. E., and Schwachtgen, E. C. Physics The Story of Energy D. C. Heath and Company. cpt. 1954. Grade XI*. net $2.85
f.o.b. N. Y.

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Spanish

Jarrett, Edith Moore. El camino real, Book two. Houghton Mifflin Company. cpt. 1954. Unit II*. net $2.85
f.o.b. Cambridge

* Not more than 45 copies to be purchased for a school or district.

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5. ORDERED, That the following-named books, now authorized for use as text books, are hereby dropped from the list:

Adriance. Using the Wealth of the World. D. C. Heath and Company. cpt. 1943.

Artley et al. Curriculum Foundation Series. Reading for Independence. We Three. Scott, Foresman and Company. cpt. 1952.

Artley et al. Curriculum Foundation Series. Reading for Independence. What Next? Scott, Foresman and Company. cpt. 1952.

Barnard et al. Basic Science. Macmillan Company cpt. 1951.

Beshgeturian. Foreigners' Guide to English. World Book Company.

Betz. Junior Mathematics for Today. Book One. cpt. 1938. Book Two. cpt. 1941. Ginn and Company.

Betz. Everyday Junior Mathematics. Book Three. Ginn and Company. cpt. 1946.

Bridgman. Basic Songs for Male Voices. (A Capella Edition). American Book Company. cpt. 1936.

Briggs et al. Literature for the Junior High School. Book One. Part I and II. Book Two. Parts I and II. Book Three. Parts I and II. Rand McNally and Company. cpt. 1929.

Burnett and Slatkin. American Authors Today. Ginn and Company. cpt. 1947.

Charters et al. Today's Health and Growth Series. Health Secrets. Macmillan Company. cpt. 1947.

Clark et al. Arithmetic for Young America. Grade Three. Grade Four. Grade Five. Grade Six. World Book Company. cpt. 1949.

Craig and Hurley. New Pathways in Science. The Earth and Life Upon It. Ginn and Company. cpt. 1940.

Dumas. La Tulipe Noire. Odyssey Press, Inc. cpt. 1930.

Eggleston. Stories of Great Americans for Little Americans. American Book Company.

Fox. Little Bear Stories, ill. Rand McNally and Company. cpt. 1924.

Gavian and Hamm. The American Story. D. C. Heath and Company. cpt. 1951.

Goodwin and White. Anabasis of Xenophon. Ginn and Company.

Gow and Hanlon. Five Broadway Plays. McGraw-Hill Book Company. cpt. 1948.

Graham. Student's Textbook on Sheet Metal Work with Technology of Sheet Metal Work. David A. Graham, cpt. 1925.

Granville et al. Plane and Spherical Trigonometry. Ginn and Company. cpt. 1941.

Granville et al. Plane Trigonometry and Four Place Tables. Ginn and Company. cpt. 1943.

Gray and Jenkins. Latin for Today. Ginn and Company. cpt. 1933.

Gray et al. Basic Readers. Curriculum Foundation Series. Fun With Dick and Jane. More Friends and Neighbors. More Streets and Roads. Streets and Roads. Our New Friends. Friends and Neighbors. Scott, Foresman and Company. cpt. 1946.

Gray et al. Curriculum Foundation Series. Times and Places. Days and Deeds. Scott, Foresman and Company. cpt. 1951.

Hamm et al. A Unit History of the United States. D. C. Heath and Company. cpt. 1935.

Hanna and Hoyt. Curriculum Foundation Series. Tom and Susan. Scott, Foresman and Company. cpt. 1951.

Hart. Modern Junior Mathematics. Book One. Book Two. (With or without Answers). D. C. Heath and Company. cpt. 1931.

Kelty. How Our Civilization Began. Ginn and Company. cpt. 1935.

Korona and Rowe. Business and Personal Typewriting. Complete Course. Ginn and Company: cpt. 1940.

Lebowitz. Pre-Service Course in Machine Science. John Wiley and Sons, Inc. cpt. 1943.

Lesley. Basic Airplane Mechanics. John Wiley and Sons, Inc. cpt. 1944.

Lessenberry. Twentieth Century Typewriting. One Year Course. Southwestern Publishing Company. cpt. 1942.

Nitchie. Lip-Reading, Principles and Practice. (Old Edition). F. A. Stokes Company.

Perley. Que Fait Gaston? (illustrated). D. C. Heath and Company. cpt. 1922.

Piscopo. Vita Di Bimbo. Via Pietro Giannone, No. 11 (All Arenaccia). Napoli, Italy.

Robinson and Harris. Our Way of Life Begins. W. H. Sadlier, Inc. cpt. 1943.

Schorling et al. Arithmetic for Young America. Grade Seven. Grade Eight. World Book Company. cpt. 1949.

Schorling et al. Fundamental Mathematics. Book One. Book Two. World Book Company. cpt. 1944.

Scott and Paul. Permanent Agriculture. John Wiley and Sons, Inc. cpt. 1941.

Webster. Early European Civilization. D. C. Heath and Company. cpt. 1933.

Wells and Hart. Modern Plane and Solid Geometry. D. C. Heath and Company. cpt. 1927.

Webster. Shorter School Dictionary. American Book Company. cpt. 1933.

Carpenter. Our Neighbors Near and Far. American Book Company. cpt. 1946.

Barr and Drew. The Nest. Marshall Jones Company. cpt. 1930.

Beaty. Story Pictures of Farm Animals. Beckley-Cardy Company. cpt. 1934.

Bigham. Goober Village. Rand, McNally and Company. cpt. 1936.

Brandeis. Little Jeanne of France (illustrated). A. Flanagan Company. cpt. 1929.

Brandeis. The Little Swiss Wood-Carver (illustrated). A. Flanagan Company. cpt. 1929.

Brandeis. The Little Indian Weaver (illustrated). A. Flanagan Company. cpt. 1928.

Brandeis. The Wee Scotch Piper (illustrated). A. Flanagan Company. cpt. 1929.

Brown. In the Days of Giants. Houghton Mifflin & Company.

Brown. Crazy Quilt Circus Pony. Charles Scribner's Sons. cpt. 1934.

Carpenter. Our Little Friends of Eskimo Land. American Book Company. cpt. 1931.

Chance. Little Folks of Many Lands. Ginn & Company.

Cobb and Cobb. Anita. Arlo Publishing Company. cpt. 1937.

Egan. Prairie Days. The Welles Publishing Company. cpt. 1934.

Egan. The Talking Statues. The Welles Publishing Company. cpt. 1934.

Faison. Scalawag the Scottie. American Book Company. cpt. 1940.

Gates et al. Today's Work-Play Books. Good Times on Our Street. On Longer Trails. Friends and Workers. Tags and Twinkle. Macmillan Company. cpt. 1945.

Hale. Let's Make a Home. World Book Company. cpt. 1941.

Huber. Cinder the Cat. American Book Company. cpt. 1931.

La Rue. The F-U-N Book. revised. Macmillan Company. cpt. 1930.

La Rue. The Good Time Book. Macmillan Company. cpt. 1931.

La Rue. Under the Story Tree (illustrated). Macmillan Company. cpt. 1923.

La Rue. In Animal Land. Revised. Macmillan Company. cpt. 1929.

La Rue. Little Indians. Macmillan Company. cpt. 1934.

La Rue. Dicky and the Indians. Ginn and Company. cpt. 1948.

La Rue. Hoot-Owl. Macmillan Company. cpt. 1936.

Masters. The Pet Club. D. C. Heath and Company. cpt. 1937.

McElroy and Younge. The Squirrel Tree. American Book Company. cpt. 1927.

Monsell. The Childhood of Famous American Series. Tom Jefferson, A Boy in Colonial Days. Bobbs-Merrill Company. cpt. 1939.

Perkins. Dutch Twins Primer. Houghton Mifflin Company.

Perkins. French Twins. Houghton Mifflin Company.

Perkins. The Indian Twins. Houghton Mifflin Company.

Perkins. The Norwegian Twins. Houghton Mifflin Company.

Perkins. The Scotch Twins (illustrated). Houghton Mifflin Company. cpt. 1919.

Perkins. The Spartan Twins (illustrated). Houghton Mifflin Company. cpt. 1918.

Stevenson. Treasure Island. D. C. Heath and Company. cpt. 1936. (ed. Dunshee and Ludeke). (Grade Six).

Straub. Biff, the Fire Dog. Lyons and Carnahan. cpt. 1936.

Waldeck. Exploring the Jungle (New World Neighbors). D. C. Heath and Company. cpt. 1941.

Brigham and MacFarlane. The Old World. American Book Company. cpt. 1938.

Stull and Hatch. Our World Today. Europe and Europe Overseas. Allyn and Bacon. cpt. 1948.

The five orders were laid over.

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TRANSFERS OF CUSTODIANS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Mar. 28, 1955, recommending, subject to the approval of the School Committee, that the following-named senior building Custodians who, by seniority and merit, stand at the head of their respective lists, be transferred to the schools indicated, to take effect Mar. 23, 1955:

Charles T. George, from Margaret Fuller School to Beethoven School.

Andrew N. Goode, unassigned, to Joseph Tuckerman School.

Joseph G. Gormley, from Charles C. Perkins School to Old Agassiz School.

Leo R. Howe, from David L. Barrett School to Winchell School.

John J. Kane, from Joseph Tuckerman School to Joshua Bates School.

Michael J. Kane, from Thomas N. Hart School to Solomon Lewenberg Junior High School.

Martin D. Mullin, from Beethoven School to Benedict Fenwick School.

Francis M. Myers, from Wyman School to Franklin School.

John T. O'Brien, from Harvard School to Theodore Lyman School.

Robert L. Reid, from Old Agassiz School to Lowell School.

Stephen M. Ryan, from James J. Storrow School to Washington Allston School.

Charles W. Taylor, from John D. Philbrick School to Roger Clap School.

Cornelius J. Walsh, from Henry Abrahams School to William McKinley School

Leo W. Whitney, from Dudley School to Dearborn School

Vincent Wynne, from Champlain School to Rochambeau School.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the transfers were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5

NAYS—0

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The Committee adjourned.

Attest:

AGNES E. REYNOLDS
Secretary

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, for a trial period of sixty (60) days, the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective April 26, 1955:

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out the following:

Access Street, Charlestown.
Both sides, from Chelsea street to Water street, 24 hours.

Bailey Street, Dorchester.
North side, from Dorchester avenue to a point four hundred (400) feet west of Dorchester avenue, 24 hours.

Nashua Street, Boston Proper.
Northeast side, from Causeway street to a point two hundred (200) feet northwest of Causeway street, 24 hours.
Southwest side, from Causeway street to Charles street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.

Newbury Street, Roxbury.
Both sides, from Massachusetts avenue to a point two hundred and twenty-five (225) feet easterly, 24 hours.
North side, from Massachusetts avenue to Charlesgate East, 24 hours.

Parker Street, Roxbury.
East side, from Ruggles street to Ward street, 24 hours.

Prentiss Street, Roxbury.
Northeast side, from Tremont street to Columbus avenue, 24 hours.

Wapping Street, Charlestown.
Both sides, from Chelsea street to Water street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper" each of the following:

Nashua Street.
Northeast side, from Causeway street to a point eight hundred and fifty-five (855) feet northwest of Causeway street, 24 hours.

St. James Avenue.
South side, from Clarendon street to a point fifty (50) feet west of Clarendon street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper" and under the caption "Roxbury" the following:

Northampton Street.
Northeast side, from Harrison avenue to Albany street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Charlestown" the following:

Wapping Street.
Both sides, from John F. Fitzgerald Expressway to Water street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester" each of the following:

Bailey Street.
North side, from Dorchester avenue to a point four hundred (400) feet west of Dorchester avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Cummins Highway.
Southwest side, from the northwesterly end of the bridge over the Midland Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad to Hollingsworth street, 24 hours.

East Cottage Street.
North side, from Norfolk avenue to opposite the easterly street line of Humphreys street, 24 hours.

Norfolk Avenue.
Northeast side, from East Cottage street to Franklin court, 24 hours.

Sharp Street.
North side, from Sharp street, northerly arm (private way), to the Dorchester Rapid Transit, 24 hours.

Sydney Street.
East side, from Savin Hill avenue to a point seventy-five (75) feet north of Savin Hill avenue, 24 hours.

Whitby Terrace.
Northwest side, from Pleasant street to the dead end, 24 hours.

Willow Court.
Northwest side, from Massachusetts avenue to a point fifty-five (55) feet northeast of Massachusetts avenue, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury" each of the following:

Hollander Street.
South side, from Humboldt avenue to Crawford street, 24 hours.

Newbury Street.
North side, from a point two hundred and seventy (270) feet east of Massachusetts avenue to Charlesgate East, 24 hours.
South side, from a point two hundred and twenty-five (225) feet east of Massachusetts avenue to Massachusetts avenue, 24 hours.

Parker Street.
East side, from Ruggles street to Prentiss street, 24 hours.

Prentiss Street.
Northeast side, from Tremont street to Parker street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by striking out the following:

Nashua Street, Boston Proper.
Southwest side, from Causeway street to circle at Charles River Dam, 10 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from a point two hundred (200) feet northwest of Causeway street to circle at Charles River Dam, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Newbury Street, Boston Proper and Roxbury.
Both sides, from Arlington street to a point two hundred and twenty-five (225) feet east of Massachusetts avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

St. James Avenue, Boston Proper.
South side, from Arlington street to Trinity place, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper" each of the following:

Nashua Street.
Northeast side, from a point eight hundred and fifty-five (855) feet northwest of Causeway street to opposite exit ramp of John F. Fitzgerald Expressway, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Causeway street to exit ramp of John F. Fitzgerald Expressway, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

St. James Avenue.
South side, from Arlington street to Clarendon street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from a point fifty (50) feet west of Clarendon street to Trinity place, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the captions "Boston Proper" and "Roxbury" the following:

Newbury Street.
North side, from Arlington street to a point two hundred and seventy (270) feet east of Massachusetts avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Arlington street to a point two hundred and twenty-five (225) feet east of Massachusetts avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by striking out the following:

Access Street, Charlestown.
From Henley street to Chelsea street.

Henley Street, Charlestown.
From Chelsea street to Access street.

Joiner Street, Charlestown.
From Water street to John F. Fitzgerald Expressway.

Nashua Street, Boston Proper.
From the John F. Fitzgerald Expressway service road to the circle at Charles River Dam.

Public Alley No. 405, Roxbury.
From St. Botolph street to Huntington avenue.

Wapping Street, Charlestown.
From Chelsea street to Water street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper" the following:

Nashua Street.
From exit ramp of John F. Fitzgerald Expressway to the circle at Charles River Dam.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Charlestown" each of the following:

Joiner Street.
From Chelsea street to John F. Fitzgerald Expressway.

Wapping Street.
From John F. Fitzgerald Expressway to Water street.

Water Street.
From Wapping street to Water Street Connection of John F. Fitzgerald Expressway.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury" the following:

Public Alley No. 405.
From Huntington avenue to St. Botolph street.

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 23.

I. AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY CAMPAIGN.

Pamphlets, pledge cards, and report envelopes in connection with the 1955 American Cancer Society Campaign for funds are being issued to the department today. The requirements of the society are explained in the pamphlets and the assistance of all employees is invited in aid of this worthy cause. The money obtained will be used to support research work, much of it in hospitals and clinics in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, in order to furnish the medical profession with information necessary to combat this dread disease.

Company commanders and heads of branch divisions are requested to call the drive for funds to the attention of members of their respective commands and ask them to contribute to the society.

Members of the department who desire to contribute will fill out the pledge cards. Company commanders will accept donations from such members, and the stub of the card is to be given to each contributor as the receipt for his donation. Pledge cards and money are to be placed in the solicitor's report envelope, the front of the envelope is to be filled out as directed, and envelopes are to be forwarded to Principal Clerk Julia H. Khoury in the Headquarters Division on or before April 29, 1955. Delivery of money can be made on any weekday, excluding Saturday, and is to be made between the hours of 9 and 11 A.M.

II. CHANGE OF TIME.

Sunday, April 24, 1955, is the day required by law to make a change in clock time. In order to conform with the law, clocks in department stations will be set ahead one hour at 2 A.M. All tower clocks maintained by this department will be set ahead one hour at 6 A.M., or as soon thereafter as is practical, by the men regularly assigned to wind clocks.

III. FIRE ALARM BOX ESTABLISHED.

In the near future, the following fire alarm box will be installed:

13-2552, Washingtonian Hospital, 41 Morton street.

Company commanders will add the above box to assignment card for Box 2552.

Circuit number for this box will be announced when the box is installed.

IV. CANCELLATION OF A.D.T. SIGNALS.

Notice has been received from the American District Telegraph Company that the following signal numbers have been canceled:

14, Lewis Wharf, south pier (Clyde Line).
39, 512-520 Dudley street, O. Hodgkins & Co., Inc.
41, 22-26 Washington Street North.
59, 34-39 Washington Street North, Soboff & Glickson.
64, Long Wharf, outside, No. 55-56.
68, 22-32 Atlantic avenue, Lewis Wharf Corporation.
69, 52 Gerard street, Boston Electro Steel Castings Company.
146, 63 Melcher street, building.
233, 941 Massachusetts avenue, Morgan Laundry Service.
244, 24 School street, Merchants Co-operative Bank.
276, 238 St. Botolph street, Boston Garden Arena Corporation.
343, 601 Atlantic avenue, building.
381, 422 Border street, George McQuesten Company, Inc.
416, 212 Border street, City Fuel Company.
427, 317 and 319 and rear West First street, Harry Carr.
446, 166-174 Summer street and 266-278 Purchase street, building.
447, 2-16 Brighton avenue and 1103-1115 Commonwealth avenue (DeMambro Radio Supply Company, Inc.)
455, 2 New street, General Food Corporation.
462, 110-120 Gerard street, Foss & Co.
514, Commercial Wharf.
518, 202 Southampton street, Waldo Brothers.
538, 128-136 Pearl street and 137 and 139 Purchase street, Post Publishing Company.
546, 163-167 Oliver street, building.
558, 19 and 21 School street, Post Publishing Company.
594, 65-69 Allerton street, Pilgrim Laundry Company.
618, 40-44 Midway street, building.
654, 982 and 984 Bennington street, American Optical Company, building.
722, 19 and 23 Pittsburgh street, Alexander Smith Carpet Company.
736, 155-159 Hanover street, building.
746, 209 and 211 State street, Thompson Winchester Company.
756, 150-164 Terrace street, the Croft Brewing Company.
757, 153-165 Terrace street, the Croft Brewing Company.
772, 80-110 K street and 568 and 570 East First street, Clifford Manufacturing Company.

By order of Fire Commissioner FRANCIS X. COTTER.

JOHN V. STAPLETON,
Chief of Department.

General Order No. 24.

I. ASSIGNMENTS OF FIRE FIGHTERS.

The following assignments of fire fighters on probation in the department will become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, April 27, 1955:

George W. Ray, Jr., to Ladder Company 27.

Robert L. Hennessey, to Ladder Company 8.

James F. Walsh, to Ladder Company 26.

Joseph T. Earner, to Engine Company 8.

John J. Trementozzi, to Engine Company 16.

Richard W. Lynch, to Engine Company 13.

Thomas M. O'Toole, to Engine Company 31.

Gerald R. LaFlamme, to Engine Company 16.

Francis C. Hession, to Engine Company 24.

Timothy J. McGowan, to Ladder Company 13.

John J. Geswell, to Ladder Company 8.

George F. McCafferty, to Engine Company 33.

Thomas Slattery, to Engine Company 40.

Carmen A. Campanaro, to Engine Company 36.

John G. Thompson, to Engine Company 56.

William H. H. Tripp, to Engine Company 9.

Edward F. McMillan, to Ladder Company 22.

Joseph M. Martin, to Engine Company 36.

Frank J. Murano, to Engine Squad Company 34.

Richard A. Ferrari, to Engine Company 50.

Nicholas F. Lepore, to Engine Company 56.

Francis T. McAlpine, to Engine Company 40.

John C. Ahern, to Engine Company 50.

William P. Powers, to Engine Company 47.

John F. O'Faherty, to Ladder Company 2.

These fire fighters on probation will attend Department Drill School commencing Wednesday, April 27. They will report to their assigned companies for duty Saturday nights. They will be off duty Sundays.

II. Promotions.

The following promotions, which will become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, April 27, 1955, are hereby announced:

Capt. Peter A. Thompson, Ladder Company 12, to district fire chief.

Lieut. James J. Murphy, Ladder Company 8, to fire captain.

Lieut. William T. Kennealey, Engine Company 32, to fire captain.

Lieut. David F. Watkins, Ladder Company 18, to fire captain.

III. Retirements.

The following retirements, in accordance with section 7, chapter 658, Acts of 1945, as amended, are hereby announced, to become effective at 8 A.M., May 1, 1955:

Ladderman William O. Abbondanzio, Ladder Company 11.

Ladderman Robert D. Doherty, Ladder Company 30.

Ladderman Abbondanzio was appointed to the Fire Department January 21, 1948, and Ladderman Doherty was appointed June 11, 1952.

Both of the foregoing members leave the department with the best wishes of their associates.

IV. Resignation.

The following resignation, which became effective at 8 A.M., Monday, April 18, 1955, is hereby announced:

Fire Apparatus Repairman Francis X. Riley, Maintenance Division.

V. Transfers.

The following transfers will become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, April 27, 1955:

District Chief William B. Coughlan, from District 6 to District 4.

District Chief Harry W. Murphy, from District 2 to Special Service Unit.

District Chief John J. O'Mara, from Special Service Unit to District 2.

District Chief Peter A. Thompson, from Ladder Company 12 to District 2.

Capt. John J. Martin, from Engine 48 to Engine 31.

Capt. Frank A. Bergdoll, from Engine 36 to Engine 49.

Capt. Walter A. Maraghy, from Engine 49 to Engine 42.

Capt. George Thompson, from Ladder 16 to Ladder 12.

Capt. James J. Murphy, from Ladder 8 to Engine 36.

Capt. William T. Kennealey, from Engine 32 to Ladder 18.

Capt. David F. Watkins, from Ladder 18 to Engine 39.

Lieut. Philip F. Devlin, from Engine 50 to Engine 32.

Lieut. Richard A. Kemp, from Engine Squad 14 to Ladder 26.

Hoseman John F. O'Keefe, from Tower 2 to Ladder 2.

Hoseman Russell C. DeDoming, from Engine 1 to Engine 42.

Hoseman John F. Gilbrook, from Tower 2 to Engine 1.

Hoseman John E. Jameson, from Ladder 8 to Engine 4.

Hoseman Angelo J. Fucillo, from Engine 9 to Engine 5.

Hoseman Julian J. Goglia, from Engine 40 to Ladder 21.

Hoseman Daniel G. Sullivan, from Engine 36 to Engine 41.

Hoseman Daniel J. Harrington, from Engine Squad 18 to Engine 19.

Hoseman William C. Brown, from Engine Squad 34 to Engine Squad 18.

Ladderman James W. Gabaree, from Ladder 28 to Ladder 6.

Ladderman Frank E. Williams, from Ladder 6 to Ladder 28.

Hoseman William P. Harper, from Engine 51 to Engine 17.

Hoseman John H. O'Neill, from Engine 33 to Engine 20.

Hoseman Cornelius A. McCarthy, from Engine 24 to Engine 46.

Hoseman John F. Donovan, from Engine 8 to Engine 37.

Hoseman William G. Murray, from Engine 28 to Engine 55.

Hoseman Joseph P. Murray, from Engine 32 to Engine 26.

Hoseman Edward J. Everett, from Fire Prevention Division to Engine 36.

Hoseman John F. Collier, from Engine 2 to Ladder 19.

Hoseman James M. Finn, from Engine Squad 53 to Ladder 10.

Hoseman Ysaya W. DiRosario, from Engine 52 to Engine 19.

Ladderman William E. Donovan, from Ladder 10 to Engine Squad 53.

Ladderman William A. Stowe, from Ladder 13 to Ladder 7.

Hoseman Edward T. Gregory, from Engine 7 to Engine 46.

Ladderman Bertram L. Camick, from Ladder 24 to Lighting Plant 1.

Ladderman Gaspare G. Panciocco, from Ladder 21 to Ladder 30.

Hoseman Joseph V. O'Donnell, from Engine 52 to Ladder 29.

Hoseman Frederick J. Boodro, from Engine 43 to Engine 1.

Ladderman Frank P. Fall, from Ladder 29 to Engine 52.

Hoseman Thomas P. O'Keefe, from Engine 1 to Engine 43.

Hoseman John E. Kelley, from Engine 16 to Engine 52.

Ladderman William H. Halpin, from Ladder 1 to Ladder 13.

Ladderman Daniel F. Kent, from Ladder 13 to Ladder 1.

VI. Transfer of Ladder Company 10.

Effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, April 27, 1955, Ladder Company 10 will be transferred from its present quarters, 16 Walk Hill street, Jamaica Plain, to the quarters of Engine Company 28, 659 Centre street, Jamaica Plain.

By order of Fire Commissioner Francis X. Cotter.

John V. Stapleton,
Chief of Department.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 2,032.

The Acting Police Commissioner having heard the complaint of Capt. Francis J. Murphy of Division 1, against Patrolman Bernard A. Doyle of Division 1, on Tuesday, April 12, 1955, at Police Headquarters, charging him with violation of the rules and regulations of the Police Department, has made a finding of guilty.

Therefore, it is ordered that the said Patrolman Bernard A. Doyle be suspended for a period of two weeks, effective as of Wednesday, April 13, 1955, at 5.45 o'clock P.M.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

Thomas F. Sullivan,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,033.

The Acting Police Commissioner having heard the complaint of Capt. Francis J. Murphy of Division 1, against Patrolman Robert P. Maloney of Division 1, on Tuesday, April 12, 1955, at Police Headquarters, charging him with violation of the rules and regulations of the Police Department, has made a finding of guilty.

Therefore, it is ordered that the said Patrolman Robert P. Maloney be suspended for a period of two weeks, effective as of Wednesday, April 13, 1955, at 5.45 o'clock P.M.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

Thomas F. Sullivan,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,034.

The Acting Police Commissioner having heard the complaint of Capt. Francis J. Murphy of Division 1, against Patrolman Peter Wons of Division 1, on Tuesday, April 12, 1955, at Police Headquarters, charging him with violation of the rules and regulations of the Police Department, has made a finding of guilty.

Therefore, it is ordered that the said Patrolman Peter Wons be suspended for a period of two weeks, effective as of Wednesday, April 13, 1955, at 5.45 P.M.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,035.

Acting under provisions of chapter 658, Acts of 1945, section 7, as amended (State-Boston Retirement System), the Boston Retirement Board has approved for retirement, on account of accidental disability, the following-named police officer, effective at the close of business Saturday, April 30, 1955:

In view of this operation of law, after April 30, 1955, the said police officer shall no longer be an active member of this department, and it is hereby ordered that its records be so amended:

Patrolman John B. Casey, Division 14.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,036.

The resignation of Patrolman Robert L. Hennessey of Division 1 having been presented, it is hereby accepted, to take effect on Wednesday, April 27, 1955, at 7.45 o'clock A.M., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

RIDGEVIEW AVENUE LAID OUT.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the laying out (without construction) of Ridgeview avenue, Dorchester district, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named Ridgeview avenue is hereby laid out (without construction) from River street approximately 1,350 feet northwesterly and northeasterly, and again northwesterly and northeasterly.

Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed thereto, in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

Southeasterly by the northwesterly line of River street, seventy-four and 1-100 feet on a curve of one thousand nine hundred forty-seven and 21-100 feet radius; southwesterly by the southwesterly line of Ridgeview avenue as hereby laid out by two measurements, nineteen and 93-100 feet on a curve of twelve feet radius, and one hundred eighteen and 22-100 feet; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Ridgeview avenue as hereby laid out by three measurements, four hundred forty-five and 38-100 feet on a curve of three hundred fifty and 53-100 feet radius, one hundred thirty-three and 63-100 feet, fourteen and 99-100 feet on a curve of eight feet radius; again southwesterly by Bluefield terrace, forty-two and 63-100 feet; northwesterly by the southwesterly line of Ridgeview avenue as hereby laid out by six measurements, twenty-one and 7-100 feet on a curve of eleven feet radius, forty-three and 41-100 feet on a curve of seventy feet radius, sixty-one and 74-100 feet, eighty-one and 81-100 feet on a curve of two hundred thirteen and 64-100 feet radius, thirty-two and 20-100 feet, and seventeen and 65-100 feet on a curve of eighteen feet radius; again northwesterly by Cragmere terrace, forty-two and 75-100 feet; again northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Ridgeview avenue as hereby laid out by two measurements, eighteen and 76-100 feet on a curve of twelve feet radius, and three hundred eleven and 40-100 feet; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Ridgeview avenue as hereby laid out, fifty and 11-100 feet; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Ridgeview avenue as hereby laid out, two hundred seventy-seven and 59-100 feet; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Ridgeview avenue as hereby laid out by three measurements, one hundred fifty-nine and 51-100 feet on a curve of one hundred sixty-three and 64-100 feet radius, sixty-one and 74-100 feet, and one hundred seventy-six and 98-100 feet on a curve of one hundred thirty-nine and 29-100 feet radius; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Ridgeview avenue as hereby laid out by two measurements, one hundred thirty-three and 63-100 feet, and three hundred eighty-one and 85-100 feet on a curve of three hundred and 53-100 feet radius; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Ridgeview avenue as hereby laid out by two measurements, one hundred twenty-six and 35-100 feet, and seventeen and 31-100 feet on a curve of twelve feet radius.

No betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement consisting of the laying out (without construction) of Ridgeview avenue, from River street approximately 1,350 feet northwesterly and northeasterly, and again northwesterly and northeasterly, as a highway, under the order of the commission of April 20, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULING.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, occasioned by the transportation of children in Metropolitan Transit Authority buses to the General Motors "Motorama Exhibition" at Commonwealth Armory, parking of vehicles is prohibited in the following street, from Saturday, April 23, 1955, to Sunday, May 1, 1955, inclusive:

Gaffney Street, Boston Proper.
Both sides, from Commonwealth avenue to the Boston & Albany Railroad.

Building Operations in the City of Boston for the Month Ending MARCH 31, 1955.

MONTH OF MARCH.	1955. Number.	1955. Cost.	1954. Number.	1954. Cost.
Type I	6	$940,100	8	$1,120,200
Type II	2	252,000	2	509,000
Type IV	9	141,600	10	242,000
Type V	2	1,300	5	29,900
Type VI	55	344,800	33	299,500
Total new construction	74	$1,879,800	58	$2,200,600
Alterations, additions, etc.	464	1,342,917	590	746,602
Total structural construction	538	$3,222,717	648	$2,947,202
Increase or decrease	—110	275,515*		
	—16%	9%*		
Installations, etc.	1,009	583,421	1,,075	491,486
Grand total all work	1,547	$3,806,138	1,723	$3,438,688
Increase or decrease	—176	367,450*		
	—10%	11%*		

FIRST THREE MONTHS.

Type I	8	$1,930,100	9	$1,122,200
Type II	2	252,000	2	509,000
Type IV	27	934,400	21	420,420
Type V	8	30,250	7	31,500
Type VI	137	1,316,800	84	772,910
Total new construction	182	$4,463,550	123	$2,876,030
Alterations, additions, etc.	1,189	3,524,308	1,285	1,887,875
Total structural construction	1,371	$7,987,858	1,408	$4,763,905
Increase or decrease	—37	3,223,953*		
	—3%	67%*		
Installations, etc.	2,770	1,803,656	2,674	1,213,737
Grand total all work	4,141	$9,791,514	4,082	$5,977,642
Increase or decrease	59*	3,813,872*		
	1%*	63%*		

*Denotes increase —Denotes decrease

PRINCIPAL PROJECTS DURING THE MONTH.

New Hospital, 170 Pilgrim road (Diabetes Foundation)	$647,000
Alterations, Offices, 28 State street (Merchants National Bank)	230,000
Alterations, Offices, 41 Belvidere street (New England Telephone & Telegraph Company)	200,000
New, Mercantile, 5 Farragut road (Albany Garage)	200,000
Alterations, Bank, 572 Columbia road (Dorchester Savings Bank)	177,000
New Showroom, 1340 Soldiers Field road (Inge Schwartz)	172,000
Alterations, Stores & Offices, 10 High street (C. W. Whittier Brothers)	100,000
Alterations, Mercantile, 372 Stuart street (Liberty Mutual Insurance Company)	90,000
New, Storage, 22 Linden street (Fred Ralston Company)	50,000

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, April 18, 1955.

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 2 P.M., President HURLEY in the chair and all the members present.

The Reverend Bernard R. Boylan, S.J., of St. Mary's Roman Catholic Church, Boston, was escorted to the rostrum.

INVOCATION BY REV. BERNARD R. BOYLAN.

Begin, we beseech Thee, O God, all our actions with Thy holy grace and carry them on with Thy gracious assistance, that every prayer and work of ours may always begin from Thee and by Thee be happily ended, through Christ our Lord, Amen.

Incomprehensible Creator, true fountain of light and source of all knowledge, Who makest eloquent the tongues of those that want utterance, vouchsafe, we beseech Thee, to enlighten our understanding, direct our tongues, and pour on our lips the grace of Thy blessing.

Give us a diligent and obedient spirit, quickness of apprehension, capacity of retaining, and the powerful assistance of Thy holy grace. Grant that what we say and do in this chamber of government may be said and done for Thy greater honor and glory. Amen.

The meeting was opened with the salute to the Flag.

PENSIONS OF CERTAIN EMPLOYEES OF FIRE AND POLICE DEPARTMENTS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, April 18, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Chairman of the Boston Retirement Board in response to the order adopted by the City Council on April 4 concerning possible increases to firemen and policemen under the noncontributory pension system.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Boston Retirement Board,
April 18, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Sir:

The following is respectfully submitted in answer to the request of the City Council for a re-examination and revaluation of the noncontributory pensions now being paid to retired policemen and retired firemen.

On the pension roll of the Fire Department as of April 1, 1955, there are 586 pensioned firemen and 163 annuitants (widows of firemen). Based upon the payroll for the month of March, 1955, the total for the year 1955 will be $1,570,000. Except for one annuitant at $1,100, there are no firemen or annuitants receiving less than $1,200 per year. The average pension of the 749 persons is $2,100 per year.

On the Police Department pension roll as of April 1, 1955, there are 712 pensioned policemen and 78 annuitants. Except for three policemen and one annuitant at $1,100 per year there are no policemen or annuitants receiving less than $1,200 per year. Based upon the payroll for the month of March, 1955, the total for the year will amount to $1,590,944. The average pension of the 790 persons is $2,000 per year.

The pensions in both of these departments are established by the Legislature and, with certain conditions as to age and length of service, are at half pay of the salary at the time of retirement of the employee for regular retirement and two thirds of the salary at the time of the retirement of the employee for disability retirement.

Many of the retirements were made during the years when the salary of ordinary firemen and policemen ranged from $1,400 to $2,000 per year, resulting in pensions of $700 to $1,000 per year.

The rise in the last decade in the cost of living, worked a hardship on the survivors of those early retirements, but the situation has been met during the present administration.

There have been three increases in the pensions of those receiving less than $1,500 per year with the result that every former member of the Police and Fire Departments, retired with a noncontributory pension, after twenty-five years of service, receives at least $1,200 per year pension, after thirty-five years of service at least $1,500 per year.

Without presuming to enter into a discussion of the present pension situation, I venture to call attention to the fact that the payments by the city on account of noncontributory pensions have amounted, in round figures, from $2,600,000 in 1950 to $4,625,000 (estimated) in 1955, an increase of about 80 per cent.

Respectfully,
W. J. DOYLE, Chairman.

Placed on file.

EXPANDED STAFF FOR CITY PLANNING DEPARTMENT.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, April 18, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Chairman of the City Planning Board relative to your resolution of March 21, 1955, concerning expansion of the City Planning Department Staff to permit study of Metropolitan Transit Authority facilities in downtown Boston.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

City Planning Board,
April 13, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

In answer to your request for consideration and report on City Council Resolution of March 21 concerning expansion of the City Planning Department staff to permit study of M.T.A. facilities in downtown Boston, I am replying as follows:

The Board is of the opinion that to attempt to solve the problems of the M.T.A. without considering other commuter services, the railroads, etc., and the downtown traffic and parking dilemma is not realistic. A fault with extensive reports that have already been made concerning the M.T.A. and the Master Highway Program is that they were made independently and not integrated.

Realizing this fault of the past, several cities have made funds available for over-all transportation studies for their metropolitan regions. Samples of this, and the size of funds required, are as follows:

San Francisco: The Bay area communities and the State of California have now in operation a transportation study with a combined appropriation of $750,000.

New York: The New York Port Authority has appropriated $500,000 and is considering adding $250,000 more. In addition, the State of New Jersey is considering an appropriation of $800,000 for its part in the study.

Detroit: In Detroit there is a metropolitan area traffic study committee working on a two-year study under a $750,000 appropriation.

Philadelphia: Philadelphia has just started a full-fledged transportation study with an initial yearly budget of $100,000. It is expected that the study will cost at least $500,000.

Chicago: Chicago is considering a $1,000,000 study. Negotiations concerning appropriations of city, county, and state have not yet been completed.

Los Angeles: Los Angeles is completing a transit study which cost $250,000.

Several smaller cities have appropriated considerable amounts for transportation studies.

At the Boston College seminars several speakers highlighted the need for an integrated transportation study for this metropolitan area. It was also the consensus that such a study was fundamental in considering any alleviation in downtown congestion.

The City Planning Board will gladly use its resources in taking part in such a study, but it has no authority to plan metropolitan-wise. Though the Division of Planning of the Massachusetts Department of Commerce does have such a mandate, we believe that the initiation of an over-all transportation study should await the outcome of expected legislation this year for the establishment of a metropolitan planning agency. A full-fledged transportation study for this area would cost in the neighborhood of $500,000, and would mean the hiring of experts in the transportation field and the pooling of funds by all communities in the area.

The Board is of the opinion that until arrangements can be made for a properly organized transportation study an expansion of the Planning Board staff is not warranted for this purpose.

The matter certainly is of vital interest to the Board and the effort of the City Council to press for a solution is to be commended. The Board's immediate concern is that half-way measures will not suffice and that the use of City of Boston funds be predicated on a share basis with the state and other metropolitan communities.

Very truly yours,
THOMAS F. McDONOUGH, Chairman.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

DEATH OF RIGHT REVEREND ROBERT J. QUINLAN.

On motion of President HURLEY the rules were suspended on the order of business to allow the introduction of the following order by Councillors WHITE and HURLEY:

Whereas, The Right Reverend Richard J. Quinlan, pastor of St. John the Evangelist Church in Winthrop, has been called to his eternal reward by Almighty God; and

Whereas, Monsignor Quinlan by the example of his life in the service of God, the Roman Catholic Church, and consequently the people of this archdiocese since his ordination in June of 1920, has given courage and inspiration to countless tens of thousands of communicants; and

Whereas, During his priestly career he served for 15 years as head of the parochial school system and helped develop and expand that system into one of the most outstanding school systems in the entire country; and

Whereas, Monsignor Quinlan served as the first Roman Catholic chaplain of the Massachusetts House of Representatives, under Speaker of the House Thomas P. O'Neill, Jr., during the years 1949 through 1952, since its inception; and

Whereas, This distinguished and scholarly priest, a graduate of Boston College, a graduate student of the Catholic University in Washington, honored by the award of an honorary doctorate of laws by his alma mater, Boston College, in 1938 and similarly honored by Villanova College in 1939, was recognized by Our Holy Father, Pope Pius XII, and elevated to the rank of domestic prelate; and

Whereas, The beloved monsignor's talent and ability were further recognized by our Most Reverend Archbishop by appointing him as diocesan director of the Priests' Eucharistic League and as a member of the Diocesan Board of Consultors; and

Whereas, Monsignor Quinlan's passing will leave a huge void in our archdiocese, and his loss keenly and deeply felt by our beloved Archbishop, his fellow members of the clergy in the archdiocese, the laity of the archdiocese, and his parishioners of St. John the Evangelist; be it therefore

Resolved, That the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, extends its heartfelt sympathy to all of the aforementioned, and prays that Almighty God will look down upon them in their sorrows and grief and send forth the graces and strength to fortify them in this sorrow, keeping in mind the reminder of Archbishop Cushing on the passing of another great and good man, from the Mass of Requiem, "For the faithful, O Lord, life is changed—not taken away," and further, "This is the comfort of our faith: that our loved ones by God's mercy enter into the possession of all goodness, all truth, all beauty in the light of glory." "It is likewise the comfort of our faith that they are not lost to us, that they are intercessors for us, that the separation of death by the mercy of God is not final," and the memory of them is an inspiration to us bravely to press on to the journey's end where they await us.

May God have mercy on his soul, and may his soul with all the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace.

The resolution was adopted by a unanimous rising vote.

At the request of President HURLEY the Rev. Bernard R. Boylan offered prayers for the repose of the soul of the Right Reverend Richard J. Quinlan.

TRAFFIC CONDITIONS AT TALBOT AND WELLES AVENUES, DORCHESTER.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, April 18, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Traffic Commissioner relative to your order of April 11, 1955, concerning traffic conditions at the intersection of Talbot avenue and Welles avenue, Dorchester.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

Boston Traffic Commission,
April 15, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

With reference to Councillor McCormack's order of April 11, 1955, that a survey be made of the traffic conditions at the intersection of Alban street, Talbot avenue, and Welles avenue, Dorchester, with a view to erecting traffic signals, I wish to report that this commission is aware of the traffic problem at this location and has given consideration to it by placing it on our list for locations to be signalized when funds are made available to us for that purpose.

Sincerely yours,
WM. ARTHUR REILLY, Commissioner.

Placed on file.

TRANSFER OF APPROPRIATION WITHIN CITY COUNCIL.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, April 18, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

Under date of April 11, your Honorable Body established, within the City Messenger Department, the position of librarian-archivist. I am advised that this position will be filled by the promotion of a member of the present staff in the City Messenger office.

Before approving the order involved, it is necessary, in my opinion, to provide the additional funds involved in this promotion. I submit herewith a transfer order for this purpose and respectfully recommend its adoption by your Honorable Body.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

Ordered, That in accordance with the provisions of section 3B of chapter 486 of the Acts of 1909, as amended by chapter 604 of the Acts of 1941, the City Auditor be, and hereby is, authorized to transfer:

From the appropriation for City Council, 3, Supplies and Materials, $551.52, to the appropriation for City Council, 1, Personal Services, $551.52.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

ORDINANCES CONCERNING THE FEES FOR RENEWING CERTAIN GAS FITTERS' LICENSES.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, April 18, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Building Commissioner in which he recommends that the fee be fixed for the renewal of licenses of master gas fitters and journeymen gas fitters for periods of six months or less.

I therefore submit herewith an ordinance which will accomplish the purpose recommended by the Building Commissioner and I recommend the adoption of this ordinance by your Honorable Body.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Building Department, April 12, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.
Dear Mr. Mayor:

Chapter 4 of the Acts of 1955 has made it possible for the Board of Examiners of Gas Fitters to fix a single date in each year for the expiration of gas fitters' licenses, and thereby put that matter on a much more efficient basis not only by permitting the annual renewal of such licenses in one mass operation but also by eliminating a daily check up to ascertain what gas fitters have become unlicensed.

The Board of Examiners of Gas Fitters has designated May 1 of each year as the annual renewal date. During the transition period, renewal licenses will be issued for periods of less than one year.

Existing law calls for a $2 fee for renewing a master gas fitter's license and a 50-cent fee for renewing a journeyman gas fitter's license. So that gas fitters whose licenses are renewed for six months or less may not be unduly penalized, I recommend passage of the accompanying ordinance fixing the fee for renewing a gas fitter's license for a period of six months or less at $1 for a master and 25 cents for a journeyman.

Respectfully,
CHARLES A. CALLANAN,
Building Commissioner.

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City of Boston,

In the Year Nineteen Hundred and Fifty-Five.

An Ordinance Concerning the Fees for Renewing Certain Gas Fitters' Licenses.

Be it ordained by the City Council of Boston, as follows:

SECTION 1. Anything in section 121 of the Boston Building Code to the contrary notwithstanding, the fee for renewing under said section a gas fitter's license for a period of six months or less shall be, in the case of a master gas fitter, $1, and in the case of a journeyman gas fitter, 25 cents.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall cease to be operative after April 13, 1956.

Referred to the Committee on Ordinances.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committee named, viz.:

Claims.

Ernest W. Clark, to be reimbursed as result of execution issued against him on account of his acts as employee of Fire Department.

Bernard F. Goldberg, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect in Columbus avenue.

John J. Hoar, to be reimbursed as result of execution issued against him on account of his acts as employee of Fire Department.

Frank A. Huddleston, to be reimbursed as result of execution issued against him on account of his acts as employee of Traffic Commission.

Laurence L. Langley, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect in Selden street, Dorchester.

Lyle H. Lindberg, for compensation for damage to car by fire apparatus.

Mary J. McNeil, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Boulevard terrace and Commonwealth avenue.

Dominic Pucci, to be reimbursed as result of execution issued against him on account of his acts as employee of Parks and Recreation Department.

John J. Shanks, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 875 Hyde Park avenue.

Joseph H. Trayers, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of School Committee.

PERMIT FOR CHILDREN.

Petition for children under fifteen years of age to appear at place of public amusement:

Stanley E. Brown, Jordan Hall, June 7.

Permit granted under usual conditions.

MINOR'S LICENSE.

The application of John W. Bighamsawaugee, Jr., 8 Columbus square, Ward 4, for newsboy's license was received.

License granted under usual conditions.

PETITION FOR ANNUITY.

Petition of Virginia A. Higgins to be paid an annuity on account of the death of her husband, Lawrence J. Higgins, late member of the Police Department.

Referred to the Committee on Claims.

APPLICATIONS FOR SHELLFISH PERMITS.

Applications for commercial use shellfish permits were received from the following:

George H. Fairbanks, 7 Thomas park, South Boston, Ward 7; Ralph E. Bishop, 2 Port Norfolk street, Dorchester, Ward 16; Warren C. French, Jr., 10 Port Norfolk street, Dorchester, Ward 16; William A. McDonald, 23 Leyden street, East Boston, Ward 1.

Severally referred to the Committee on Licenses.

PETITIONS FOR INDEMNIFICATION.

Petition of John E. McLane, employee of Boston Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses.

Petition of John C. Barrett, Jr., employee of Boston Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses.

Severally referred to the Committee on Claims.

APPROVAL OF STATE HOUSING BOARD.

Notice was received from the State Housing Board of approval of sale by the Boston Housing Authority of 12 parcels of property under section 6 of chapter 372 of the Acts of 1946.

Placed on file.

ASSIGNMENT OF JUDGE.

Notice was received from the Supreme Judicial Court of assignment of Martin F. Connolly as judge of the Appellate Division, to fill the existing vacancy caused by death of Daniel J. Cavan, justice of the Central District Court of Northern Essex.

Placed on file.

APPROVAL OF CONSTABLES' BONDS.

The constables' bonds of the following, having been duly approved by the Collector-Treasurer, were received and approved by the Council:

Abram Bornstein, Alfred Blaustein, Sidney Cohen, Albert E. Doody, Abner Goldkrand, Salvatore Grassa, Arthur N. Gordon, Edward I. Hoffman, Bronis Kontrim, Harold Learner, Anthony Luongo, Frank A. Mitchell, Salvatore Maffei, George N. Pierce, Raphael R. Rafferty, Oscar G. Ridlon, Sidney J. Sheinfeld, Joseph Simansky, Leon Small, Jerome Suvalle, Benjamin J. Tackeff.

APPOINTMENT OF ASSISTANT ASSESSORS.

Notice was received from the Board of Assessors of the appointment as permanent assistant assessors of John J. Riley, Jr., 270 Parker Hill avenue, Boston, vice Samuel Kostick, retired, and Willard F. O'Brien, 47 Eliot street, Jamaica Plain, vice Matthew J. Peters, deceased.

Placed on file.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CLAIMS.

Coun. McCORMACK, for the Committee on Claims, submitted the following:

Report on petition (referred April 11) of Joseph A. Devine, deputy master in the House of Correction, Penal Institutions Department, for retirement as a veteran—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Whereas, Joseph A. Devine, employed in the service of the County of Suffolk as deputy master in the House of Correction, Penal Institutions Department, has made application to be retired under the provisions of section 57 of chapter 32 of the General Laws, as amended; and

Whereas, The said Joseph A. Devine has submitted to the City Council satisfactory evidence that he is a veteran as defined in section 56 of chapter 32 of the General Laws; that he has been certified for retirement for disability by the duly authorized medical board; that he has been in the service of the county at least ten years; that he is incapacitated for active service; and that his total income from all sources, exclusive of his retirement allowance and of any sum received from the government of the United States as a pension for war service, does not exceed one thousand dollars; it is hereby

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 57 of chapter 32 of the General Laws, as amended, Joseph A. Devine, employed in the service of the County of Suffolk as deputy master in the House of Correction, Penal Institutions Department, be, and hereby is, retired by the Mayor and City Council, acting as county commissioners, at an annual pension of $3,393, being 65 per cent of his highest regular rate of compensation.

The report was accepted, and the order was passed.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFIRMATIONS.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN, for the Committee on Confirmations, submitted the following:

Report on appointments by the Mayor (referred April 11) of Edward F. Galvin and James M. Bushlow as constables with authority to serve civil process upon filing of bond for the term ending April 30, 1956 — recommending that appointments be confirmed.

The report was accepted, and the question came on confirmation. Committee, Councillors Foley and White. Whole number of ballots 9, yeas 9, and the appointments were confirmed.

RECESS.

President HURLEY declared a 10-minute recess at 2.34 P.M. The members reassembled in the Council Chamber and were called to order by President HURLEY at 2.43 P.M.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. WHITE, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following:

1. Report on message of the Mayor and order (referred April 11) concerning certain proposed contracts for the collection and removal of refuse—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That in accordance with the provisions of section 6 of chapter 486 of the Acts of 1909, a public hearing be given by the City Council on Tuesday, May 3, 1955, at eleven o'clock A.M., on the contracts made by the Commissioner of Public Works, as follows:

1. Contract with Milano Bros., Inc., for the collection and removal of refuse from District 2 (East Boston), so called, during the two-year ten-month period beginning June 1, 1955, and ending March 31, 1958.

2. Contract with Frank J. Cavaliere for the collection and removal of refuse from District 5A (West Roxbury), so called, during the two-year ten-month period beginning June 1, 1955, and ending March 31, 1958; and be it further

Ordered, That the City Clerk be directed to give at least seven days' notice of said hearing in the "City Record" and in the daily newspapers.

The report was accepted, and the order was passed.

2. Report on message of Mayor and order (referred today) for transfer of $551.52 from City Council appropriation, Office Supplies, to City Council appropriation, Personal Services—recommending that same ought to pass.

The report was accepted, and the order was passed, yeas 9:

Yeas—Councillors Ahearn, Foley, Hailer, Hurley, Kerrigan, McCormack, McLaughlin, Piemonte, White.

FREE INOCULATIONS OF SALK ANTI-POLIO VACCINE.

Coun. WHITE and HURLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be commended for his desire and determination to obtain and give without charge the Salk anti-polio inoculations to the children of Boston and that his Honor be informed that the Boston City Council will be most happy to vote in favor of a loan order to cover the costs of such inoculations if in his determination the money is unobtainable elsewhere and such a loan order is necessary to obtain it.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

CONGRATULATIONS TO JAMES H. WALSH.

Coun. WHITE and HURLEY offered the following:

Whereas, James H. Walsh will retire on May 1, 1955, as managing director of the Greater Boston Chamber of Commerce, completing 34 years of service with that organization; and

Whereas, During his 34 years of association with the Chamber, Mr. Walsh has rendered outstanding service to Boston and its surrounding communities in an effort to help produce a balanced and better community; and

Whereas, He has well earned his coming retirement, be it therefore

Resolved, That the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, extends its congratulations and thanks to Mr. Walsh for his years of service and wishes him health, long life, and God's blessings in his retirement.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

GRATITUDE TO DOCTOR SALK AND HIS ASSOCIATES.

Coun. HURLEY and WHITE offered the following:

Whereas, Dr. Jonas Edward Salk with unusual single-mindedness, devotion, and determination, with the aid and assistance of his associates has successfully produced an anti-polio vaccine proven "incredibly safe" and "potentially almost 100 per cent effective"; and

Whereas, The discovery by Doctor Salk will ease the stress and worry of every mother and father in the country and throughout the world concerning this dread disease; and

Whereas, Dr. Thomas Francis, Jr., of the University of Michigan, in the long-awaited report, stated "there can be no doubt now that children can be inoculated successfully against polio", and further, "There can be no doubt that humanity can pull itself up from its own bootstraps and protect its children from the insidious invasions of ultramicroscopic disease"; be it therefore

Resolved, That the membership of the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, desires to express to Doctor Salk and all of his associates in this great and important work, the profound gratitude of the people of the City of Boston and all the future generations as yet unborn that will benefit from their work; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to Doctor Salk.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

NAMING OF SQUARE IN HONOR OF ANTHONY C. AVENI.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That the Committee to Memorialize Veterans be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to name the square at the intersection of Appleton and Tremont streets, South End, Boston, in honor of Lieut. Anthony C. Aveni of the Air Corps, who died April 12, 1944, in the service of his country.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

STRENGTHENING OF CITY PLANNING BOARD.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Whereas, The establishment of major policies for a large municipal government is a function increasingly technical, complex, and professionalized; and

Whereas, Such policies adopted must be sustained inevitably in a political frame of reference; and

Whereas, Boston's problems have an apparent surface simplicity but in fact a profound historical and economic complexity; and

Whereas, The proper and orderly sequence of events for the determination of policy is

(1) Apprehension of problems by duly constituted and responsible authority.

(2) Transmittal of problems and definition of areas of research to an adequately staffed and professionalized body within the municipal structure; and

(3) Research and discussion within the Planning Agency.

(4) Recommendation of specific policy to the duly constituted and responsible authority.

(5) Modification by the chief executive of the policies so recommended to fit existing political conditions.

(6) Enunciation of policy by the chief executive.

(7) Execution of such steps necessary to effectuate the policy; and

Whereas, The proper function of uncompensated citizens' committees is to examine into and support such policy as is determined within the usual mechanism of city government; now be it therefore

Resolved, (1) That the primary responsibility in formation of policy lies within the mechanism of city government and not without.

(2) Because of the complexities of problems facing a modern municipality of any size and especially Boston, these problems cannot be dealt with and policy formed on an amateur basis.

(3) The glaring weakness in the present policy formation mechanism in the City of Boston is the inadequate staffing of the Boston City Planning Board.

(4) Groups of well-meaning citizens of whatever distinction cannot, on a part-time amateur basis, hammer out the policies, ideas, plans, and suggestions which Boston must have or die.

(5) Boston's experience so far with such committees has been unsatisfactory.

(6) Such progress as has been made has been accomplished largely through the work of a handful of professionals; now be it further

Resolved, That in the fashioning of policies to restore Boston to her former greatness, the first step to be taken is to strengthen the Planning Department by the addition thereto on a permanent and not a consultative basis of professional planners of stature compensated generously; be it further

Resolved, That upon adequate research, the duly elected officials of the City of Boston must thereupon declare policy or abdicate their moral responsibility.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

NAMING OF SQUARE IN HONOR OF ROBERT J. TRICOMI.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Ordered, That the Committee to Memorialize Veterans be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to name the square at the corner of Lexington and Prescott streets, in East Boston, in honor of Pvt. Robert J. Tricomi, who lost his life on June 21, 1953, in Korea, while in the service of his country.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON LICENSES.

Coun. HAILER, for the Committee on Licenses, submitted the following:

1. Report on application (referred March 21) for commercial use shellfish permit for Arthur C. Liska—recommending that permit be granted.

2. Report on applications (referred March 28) for commercial use shellfish permits for Salvatore L. D'Amico, Frederick A. Muise—recommending that permits be granted.

3. Report on application (referred April 4) for commercial use shellfish permit for Francis J. Riley—recommending that permit be granted.

4. Report on application (referred today) for commercial use shellfish permit for Warren C. French, Jr.—recommending that permit be granted.

The reports were accepted, and the permits were severally granted under the usual conditions.

POLICY OF BOSTON RE M.T.A. PROBLEMS.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That the matter of a Planning Board determination of city policy vis-a-vis the M.T.A. problem be returned to the Planning Board for further comment based on the following:

(1) The importance of the M.T.A. system to the economy and tax structure of Boston.

(2) Possibilities of further and more imaginative use of M.T.A. system to enhance the economy of Boston.

(3) Presumption that the boundaries of political Boston will remain the same into the foreseeable future.

(4) Particular attention to the problems of Boston vis-a-vis the M.T.A. as distinguished from the problems of Greater Boston and its M.T.A. problems.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

FEES FOR GASOLINE LICENSES.

Coun. HAILER offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor request the Corporation Counsel for a ruling on the provisions of chapter 148, section 13, of the General Laws; and of clause 11 of section 22 of chapter 41 of the Revised Ordinances of 1947 as amended by chapter 3 of the Second Series of Ordinances of 1947.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

REPORT ON OFF-STREET PARKING FACILITIES IN JAMAICA PLAIN.

Coun. HAILER offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor request the Commissioner of Real Property to forward a progress report of the establishment of off-street parking facilities in Jamaica Plain to the Boston City Council.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

DELAY IN CARRYING OUT PLAN FOR URBAN REDEVELOPMENT.

Coun. HAILER offered the following:

Whereas, Congress passed the Urban Redevelopment Act in 1949; and

Whereas, Only two projects in the whole country have been completed under this act; and

Whereas, The Urban Redevelopment Division of the Boston Housing Authority started planning on its New York Streets project in 1951; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Boston City Council memorialize the members of the Massachusetts Delegation in Congress to investigate the delay in carrying out our program with the Housing and Home Finance Agency in Washington.

Coun. AHEARN in the chair.

Coun. FOLEY in the chair.

The foregoing resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

Adjourned at 3.58 P.M., on motion of Councillor McCormack, to meet on Monday, April 25, 1955, at 2 P.M.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.
(Stenographic copy of such debate on file in office of City Clerk.)

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of sewerage repairs, estimated to be fifteen (15) days, vehicles are excluded from the following street, effective April 13, 1955:

Willowwood Street, Dorchester.
From Ballou avenue to Dumas street.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway resurfacing, estimated to be thirty (30) days, vehicles are excluded from the following street, effective April 13, 1955:

Prentiss Street, Roxbury.
From Tremont street to Parker street.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of the Metropolitan Opera season, the following rules are effective from April 18, 1955, to April 24, 1955, inclusive:

Parking of vehicles is prohibited at any time in the following streets:

Huntington Avenue, Roxbury.
North side, from No. 319 to Forsyth street.

Opera Place, Roxbury.
West side, from St. Stephen street to Huntington avenue.

Parking of vehicles is prohibited in the following street, except during the following periods—S.15 P.M. to midnight on each day, 2.15 P.M. to 6 P.M. on April 20, April 23, and April 24, 1955:

Opera Place, Roxbury.
East side, from St. Stephen street to Huntington avenue.

Vehicles shall be placed at an angle of forty-five (45) degrees to the curb, with left rear wheel to the curb, in the following street, during the following periods—S.15 P.M. to midnight on each day, 2.15 P.M. to 6 P.M. on April 20, April 23, and April 24, 1955:

Opera Place, Roxbury.
East side, from St. Stephen street to Huntington avenue.

The following street is one way in the direction indicated:

Opera Place, Roxbury.
From St. Stephen street to Huntington avenue.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway construction, estimated to be thirty (30) days, vehicles are excluded from the following streets, effective April 20, 1955:

Cricket Lane, West Roxbury.
From Ledgewood road to Ledgewood road.

Ledgewood Road, West Roxbury.
From Corey street to Cricket Lane.

POLICE PENSIONS AND BENEFITS.

On December 1, 1952, there were 709 persons on the pension roll. During the year 25 died, 68 were added, leaving 752 on roll to date, 676 pensioners and 76 annuitants. Payments on account of pensions and annuities during the past year amounted to $1,377,183.62, and it is estimated that $1,717,827.71 will be required for pensions and annuities in 1954. The invested fund of the Police Charitable Fund amounted to $207,550.

No. 78—396.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING UNIFORM CLOTH FOR THE BOSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Monday, May 9, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Uniform Cloth." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(April 30.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

REAL PROPERTY BOARD.
PROPERTY DIVISION.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

MAY 10, 1955, ON THE PREMISES.

	Upset Price.	Deposit.
9.15 A.M.—Vacant land, Selma Street, westerly side, adjacent 10 Selma Street, East Boston, 3,296 square feet	$200	$200
9.45 A.M.—Vacant land, Old Colony Avenue, Lot 3, adjacent 780 Old Colony Avenue, Dorchester, 13,015 square feet	1,000	500
10.00 A.M.—Vacant land, Walk Hill Street, Lot 21, rear of 647-653 Walk Hill Street, Dorchester, 3,035 square feet	150	150
10.15 A.M.—Vacant land, Regis Road, southeasterly side, corner Rockway Street, Dorchester, 5,503 square feet	300	300
10.30 A.M.—Vacant land, Tina Avenue, Lot 40, 50 feet from 15 Tina Avenue, Hyde Park, 3,600 square feet	200	200
10.45 A.M.—Vacant land, Goff Street, Lot 774, 180 feet from Sherrin Street, Hyde Park, 6,065 square feet	100	100
10.55 A.M.—Vacant land, West Street, Lot 30, easterly corner Asheville Path, Hyde Park, 7,000 square feet	250	250
11.05 A.M.—Vacant land, Bateman Street, Lot 20, 200 feet from Beech Street, West Roxbury, 4,182 square feet	200	200
11.15 A.M.—Vacant land, Dale Street, Lots 303 and 304, opposite Burley Street, West Roxbury, 16,799 square feet	300	300
11.30 A.M.—Vacant land, 1604 Centre Street, West Roxbury, 3,590 square feet	250	250
11.55 A.M.—Vacant land, Rena Street, Lot 8, adjacent 12 Rena Street, Brighton, 5,000 square feet	200	200
12.05 P.M.—Vacant land, Riverdale Street, northwesterly side, adjacent 17 Riverdale Street, Brighton, 5,255 square feet	400	400

The Chairman reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

For further information call LA 3-5100, line 236.

HERMAN CARP, *Chairman.* JOHN J. McGRATH, *Auctioneer.*
(April 30.)

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 2,037.

The resignation of Patrolman Timothy J. McGowan of Division 3 having been presented, it is hereby accepted, to take effect on Wednesday, April 27, 1955, at 7.45 o'clock A.M., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

No. 84—597.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING COTTON RUBBER LINED FIRE HOSE FOR THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Wednesday, May 11, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Hose." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(April 30.) *Purchasing Agent.*

No. 83—349.
396.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING DRY GOODS AND NURSES' AND SURGEONS' GOWNS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Monday, May 9, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Dry Goods and Gowns." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(April 30.) *Purchasing Agent.*

No. 81—396.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING RUBBER FIRE COATS FOR THE BOSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Tuesday, May 10, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Rubber Fire Coats." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(April 30.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

HIGHWAY RECONSTRUCTION WORK.

PROPOSALS FOR BITUMINOUS CONCRETE PAVEMENT IN

Austin Street, Ward 18, from West Street to Gordon Avenue;

Fairmount Avenue, Ward 18, from Truman Highway to Milton Line;

Glenwood Avenue, Ward 18, from Loring Street to Truman Highway;

Perkins Avenue, Ward 18, from River Street to Child Street;

Pleasant Street, Ward 18, from Beacon Street to Vose Avenue;

Vose Avenue, Ward 18, from Beacon Street to Erie Street;

Westminster Street, Ward 18, from Providence Street to Hyde Park Avenue;

Westminster Street, Ward 18, from Metropolitan Avenue to Huntington Avenue.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for bituminous concrete pavement in Austin street, Ward 18, etc. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Bituminous Concrete Pavement in Austin Street, Ward 18, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, MAY 19, 1955, with a certified check for FOUR THOUSAND (4,000) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(April 30.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

READVERTISEMENT.

This Advertisement Supersedes Invitation for Proposals Published in "City Record," April 9, 1955.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION WORK.

PROPOSALS FOR BITUMINOUS CONCRETE PAVEMENT IN

Arvale Road, Ward 14 (Formerly Harvard Road), from Harvard Avenue to Approximately 180 Feet Northeasterly;

Auriga Street Extension, Ward 16, from Garner Road to Approximately 235 Feet Northerly;

Banton Street, Ward 16 (Formerly Barnes Street), from Dorchester Avenue to Approximately 332 Feet Westerly;

Bantry Way, Ward 7 (Formerly Bateman Place), from N Street to East Eighth Street;

Colebrook Street, Ward 7 (Formerly Howe Avenue), from H Street to Approximately 223 Feet Westerly;

Garfield Avenue, Ward 18, from Needham Road to Approximately 395 Feet Northeasterly;

Hillis Road, Ward 18 (Formerly Hillside Street), from River Street to Church Street;

Newland Street, Ward 9, from Worcester Street to West Springfield Street;

Westville Terrace, Ward 15, from Westville Street to Approximately 200 Feet Northerly;

—and—

Such Additional Locations, If Any, in Wards 7, 9, 14, 15, 16, and 18, As May Be Designated by the Commissioner of Public Works.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for bituminous concrete pavement in Arvale road, Ward 14, etc. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Bituminous Concrete Pavement in Arvale Road, Ward 14, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, MAY 5, 1955, with a certified check for THREE THOUSAND (3,000) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under Chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(April 30.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR MOTORCYCLES AND SIDECARS.

The Police Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing and delivering motorcycles and sidecars. The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at the office of the Property Clerk, 154 Berkeley street, Room 105, Boston, and deposit with his bid at the office of the Police Commissioner, a properly certified check in the amount of $500, payable to and to become the property of the Police Commissioner for the City of Boston, if the proposal is not carried out. Proposals will be publicly opened and read on Friday, May 13, 1955, at 12 o'clock noon, at the office of the Police Commissioner, 154 Berkeley street, Boston, Mass. The Police Commissioner reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the Police Department of the City of Boston. Surety bond will be required of the successful bidder in an amount equivalent to 50 per cent of the estimated contract amount.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
(April 30.) *Police Commissioner.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING FUEL OIL.

The Police Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing this department with fuel oil. The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at the office of the Property Clerk, 154 Berkeley street, Room 105, Boston, and deposit with his bid at the office of the Police Commissioner, a properly certified check in the amount of $500, payable to and to become the property of the Police Commissioner for the City of Boston, if the proposal is not carried out. Proposals will be publicly opened and read on Friday, May 13, 1955, at 12 o'clock noon, at the office of the Police Commissioner, 154 Berkeley street, Boston, Mass. The Police Commissioner reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the Police Department of the City of Boston. Surety bond will be required of the successful bidder in an amount equivalent to 50 per cent of the estimated contract amount.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
(April 30.) *Police Commissioner.*

No. 79—397.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING TEN 16-INCH GATE VALVES FOR THE WATER DIVISION, PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Wednesday, May 11, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Gate Valves." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(April 30.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR SERVICE ROAD RECONSTRUCTION AND PARKING AREA AT FRANKLIN PARK, WEST ROXBURY, MASS.

The Commissioner of Parks and Recreation of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, invites proposals for service road reconstruction and parking area at Franklin Park, West Roxbury, Mass. Forms of proposals must be obtained at the Engineer's office of the Parks and Recreation Department, 33 Beacon street. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed and marked "Proposal for Service Road Reconstruction and Parking Area at Franklin Park, West Roxbury, Mass.," and left before 2 o'clock P.M. on Tuesday, May 10, 1955, at the office of the Parks and Recreation Department, with a certified check for $1,500, payable to and to be the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, and will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of 100 per cent of the estimated contract price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the Engineer's office of the Parks and Recreation Department. The successful bidder will be required to provide for public liability and property damage insurance and for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulations will be required prior to the award of said contract. The Commissioner reserves the right to reject any or all proposals.

FRANK R. KELLEY,
(April 30.) *Commissioner.*

THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING SHOP SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT FOR THE BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS (CONSISTING OF PRINTING SUPPLIES, OFFSET PRINTING SUPPLIES, ELECTRICAL SUPPLIES, AUTOMOBILE SUPPLIES, RADIO SUPPLIES, GENERAL HARDWARE, PAINTING SUPPLIES, PAPER, ROPE AND TWINE, WELDING SUPPLIES, LEAD AND SMELTING PRODUCTS, PLUMBING SUPPLIES, PIPE AND PIPE FITTINGS, STEEL AND SHEET METAL SUPPLIES).

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing and delivering shop supplies and equipment as per schedule. Proposal forms are obtainable at the office of the Business Manager of the School Committee, tenth floor, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Envelopes containing proposals must be sealed and plainly marked "Proposal for Furnishing Shop Supplies and Equipment." The bid must be in duplicate. One copy, signed by the bidder, and accompanied by a certified check, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount of at least 5 per cent of the total bid, must be left at the office of the Business Manager on or before 12 o'clock noon on Monday, May 16, 1955. Copies filed with the Business Manager will be publicly opened at 12 o'clock noon on the day stated. The other copy, also signed by the bidder, must be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., previous to the time named for the opening of the bids. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to accept such bid or part of bid as may be deemed best for the interests of the city. Successful bidders will be required to furnish a suitable bond or deposit of money or other security in the amount of not less than 50 per cent of the amount of the contract.

HENRY J. SMITH,
Business Manager of the School Committee.
(April 30.)

No. 80—396.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING UNIFORMS AND HATS FOR TOLLMAN-GUARDS, SUMNER TUNNEL.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Tuesday, May 10, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Uniforms and Hats." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(April 30.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

CHANGES IN TRAFFIC RULES AND REGULATIONS.

Voted, That the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective May 9, 1955:

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out the following:

Warren Avenue, Charlestown.
West side, from City square to Front street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," the following:

Eastburn Street.
Both sides, from Washington street to a point two hundred (200) feet south of Washington street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Charlestown," the following:

Warren Avenue.
Both sides, from City square to Water street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Semont Road.
East side, from a point one hundred (100) feet south of St. Marks road to St. Marks road, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Montrose Street.
South side, from Warren street to Moreland street, 24 hours.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by striking out the following:

Eastburn Street, Brighton.
From Washington street to Mt. Vernon street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," each of the following:

Malden Street.
From Albany street to Wareham street.
Plympton Street.
From Albany street to Harrison avenue.
Wareham Street.
From Malden street to Albany street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," each of the following:

Eastburn Street.
From the southerly end of the driveway of the U. S. Post Office property to Mt. Vernon street.
Fairbanks Street.
From Washington street to Faneuil street.
Sidlaw Road.
From Chiswick road to Commonwealth avenue.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Charlestown," the following:

Warren Avenue.
From City square to Water street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," each of the following:

Freeport Street.
From William T. Morrissey Boulevard at the point where it intersects Freeport street two hundred and twenty (220) feet north of the extension of Conley street to the extension of Conley street.
From William T. Morrissey Boulevard at its southerly junction with Freeport street in a northerly direction to Victory road.
Minot Street.
From Carruth street to Adams street.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by striking out the following:

Carruth Street, Dorchester.
At Minot street.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," each of the following:

Adams Street.
At Parkman street.
Callender Street.
At Lucerne street.

WM. ARTHUR REILLY,
Commissioner.

A true copy.
Attest:
WILLIAM T. DOYLE,
Executive Secretary.
(April 30-May 7.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

TO PAINTING CONTRACTORS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR INTERIOR PAINTING AT THE EDWARD EVERETT SCHOOL, PLEASANT STREET, DORCHESTER, MASS.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for interior painting at the Edward Everett School, Pleasant street, Dorchester, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Monday, May 9, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals shall be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed and inclosed in a sealed envelope, plainly marked with the name of the bidder and the description of the work bid upon. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a certificate of deposit issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $150, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked. Bid bonds will not be accepted.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

A performance bond, issued by a surety company satisfactory to the Awarding Authority, in the full amount of the contract will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any and all bids if it be in the public interest so to do.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
(Apr. 30.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

No. 82—297.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR CUTTING, FOLDING, BINDING, GATHERING, BANDING, MARKING AND DELIVERING POLICE LIST FOR 1955.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Monday, May 9, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Binding of 1955 Police List." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(April 30.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ASSEMBLE GATE VALVES FOR WATER DIVISION.

Proposals for Furnishing Labor to Assemble About 25 12-Inch Gate Valves and 100 8-Inch Gate Valves.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for furnishing labor to assemble about 25 12-inch gate valves and 100 8-inch gate valves. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Furnishing Labor to Assemble About 25 12-Inch Gate Valves and 100 8-Inch Gate Valves," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of WEDNESDAY, MAY 11, 1955, with a certified check for FIVE HUNDRED (500) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(April 30.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

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MAYOR HYNES SEEKS $75,000 APPROPRIATION FROM CITY COUNCIL FOR INSTALLATION OF TRAFFIC SIGNAL LIGHTS—TEN LOCATIONS LISTED AS EMERGENCY AND 22 OTHERS TO BE SIGNALIZED AS SOON AS POSSIBLE—ASKS PROMPT ATTENTION—MORE SITES TO BE SELECTED AT LATER DATE.

The following communication was sent by the Mayor to the City Council:

GENTLEMEN:

I submit herewith an order for the appropriation of $75,000 from the special appropriation, Sales of City Property, for the installation of traffic signal lights at various locations in the City of Boston.

Attached hereto is a communication received by me last November from the Chairman of the Traffic Commission setting forth 10 locations which can be classified as emergency and 22 other locations which must be signalized as soon as possible.

The sum herewith requested will permit the Traffic Department to plan for

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MAYOR HYNES ANNOUNCES LIST OF APPOINTMENTS TO VARIOUS DEPARTMENTS AND BOARDS AS OF MAY 2.

Following is a list of appointments announced by his Honor the Mayor as of May 2:

Richard J. Condon, 24 Park street, West Roxbury, Trustee of City Hospital, for term ending May 1, 1960.

Frank W. Buxton, 29 Sutherland road, Brighton, Trustee of Public Library, for term ending May 1, 1960.

James M. McCusker, 58 Aldrich street, Roslindale, member of Board of Examiners of Gas Fitters in Building Department, for term ending May 1, 1956.

George R. McNeil, 92 Greaton road, West Roxbury, Board of Examiners, for term ending May 1, 1958.

James S. Maloof, 19 Cowing street, West Roxbury, Overseer of Public Welfare, for term ending May 1, 1958.

Beulah S. Hester, 38 Howland street, Roxbury, Overseer of Public Welfare for term ending May 1, 1958.

James F. Bowers, 87 Theodore Parker road, West Roxbury, Overseer of Public Welfare, for term ending May 1, 1958.

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BOSTON'S PROBLEM OF REMOVAL AND DISPOSAL OF RUBBISH AND GARBAGE PRESENTED TO LEGISLATURE'S ATTENTION — MAYOR JOHN B. HYNES OUTLINES DIFFICULTIES OF SERIOUS SITUATION AS PRESENTED IN LETTER FROM PUBLIC WORKS COMMISSIONER GEORGE G. HYLAND AND ASKS LEGISLATURE STUDY NEED OF INCINERATORS AS SOLUTION OF DIFFICULTIES CONFRONTING OFFICIALS AND CITIZENS.

Following is a letter sent by the Mayor to the Boston Representatives and Senators at the State House, Boston:

Because the local problem in Boston of removing and disposing of rubbish and garbage has been given legislative attention, I desire to present to you the situation in Boston as it appears from the standpoint of city officials.

Attached is a communication from the Commissioner of Public Works. I hope you will read this communication closely, so that the ove-rall picture of Boston's problem with regard to rubbish and garbage may be clear to you.

You will note in the report that the refuse disposal problem in Boston has been the subject of concern for forty-five years. During all this period of time it has been realized that only by the construction of incinerators can we adequately meet the problem. I sincerely hope that any deliberations of the Legislature, and any action of the Legislature, will be predicated on the information contained in the report which I herewith send you.

Respectfully,

JOHN B. HYNES, *Mayor.*

The letter from Commissioner George Hyland reads as follows:

CITY OF BOSTON, PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,
509 City Hall Annex, Boston 8, Mass.,
April 26, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES, *Mayor of Boston.*

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The increasing tendency of legislators to introduce bills prohibiting the erection of incinerators in certain sections of the city will eventually prevent the City or the Metropolitan District Commission from building incinerators for the disposal of Boston's garbage and rubbish. The location and operation of land dumps is also becoming the subject of restrictive legislation and, if carried to extremes, may require the city to dump all its refuse, at prohibitive cost, at one or more of the islands located in Boston Harbor.

In order to determine the effect of such eventualities upon the cost of refuse disposal, an objective and unbiased study of the problem was recently made by Associate Engineer John F. Flaherty of this office. He is an expert on this subject, and he knows more about it than any other individual in the city — bar none. His findings and conclusions, therefore, should receive careful consideration by everyone interested in this subject, and particularly by the members of the State Senate and the House of Representatives, who are now considering legislation concerning this problem.

This report to your Honor may be considered as a condensation of the lengthier and more detailed report submitted to me by Mr. Flaherty.

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"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean;
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, May 9, at 2 P.M.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries, or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the Complaints Division, Room 25, City Hall.

Information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways, the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments of streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped area for streets and the opening of private ways; the making of specific repairs in public streets; the naming of public streets, including the use of public ways for location of conduits, poles, and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railways, coal holes, and vaults, may be secured from the Public Improvement Commission, Room 403, City Hall Annex.

To the Boston Traffic Commission, 112 Southampton street, for information relative to regulation of vehicular street traffic on all or any streets, ways, highways, roads, and parkways under the control of the City of Boston, the issuing of all permits in connection therewith.

To the Commissioner of Public Works, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting, and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch basins, the operation of Sumner Tunnel, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges, and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

To the Health Department, Haymarket Square, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish, and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughterhouses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases, of public health nuisances.

To the Board of Park Commissioners, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth Avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park, and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts, also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview, and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

To the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

To the Department of School Buildings, 28 Norman street, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

To the Board of Examiners, Room 907, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal, or tearing down of buildings.

To the Electrical Inspection Division of the Building Department, 1001 City Hall Annex, for all information relative to the erection of poles, building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division; also for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings of the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

To the Board of Zoning Adjustment, 43 City Hall, relative to changes in the boundary lines of zoning districts of the City of Boston as established by chapter 488 of the Acts of 1924, and amendments thereto.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending April 30, 1955.

Population as of July, 1950, Massachusetts State Census, 817,713; population estimated July, 1954, United States Census Bureau, 810,633; number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 145; nonresidents, 72; total, 217.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 13.96; nonresidents deducted, 9.46.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:

Last week, 16.65; corresponding week last year, 15.37.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 17; one year to four years, inclusive, 5; sixty years and over, 138. Total deaths: Male, 124; female, 93; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 158.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

Diseases.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Apr. 30, 1955.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended May 1, 1954.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior Poliomyelitis	—	—	—	—
Diphtheria	2	—	—	—
Encephalitis Lethargica	—	—	—	—
Influenza	—	—	—	—
Measles	73	—	230	—
Meningitis Epidemic	2	—	—	1
Pneumonia (lobar)	—	1	—	1
Scarlet Fever	40	—	11	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary)	16	4	23	3
Childhood Type Tuberculosis	—	—	—	—
Tuberculosis (other forms)	1	—	3	1
Typhoid Fever	—	—	—	—
Whooping Cough	9	—	3	—

* Residents and nonresidents included.

MAYOR SEEKS APPROPRIATION FOR INSTALLATION OF TRAFFIC SIGNALS.

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the installation of lights at all of the emergency locations set forth, and for some of the other locations. As more funds become available it will be possible to signalize all locations in the city which need lights.

In view of the fact that there is much normal delay in the installation of lights, I suggest that your Honorable Body give the attached order as prompt action as possible.

Respectfully,
JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor.

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Ordered, That under the provisions of section 63 of chapter 44 of the General Laws, the sum of seventy-five thousand dollars be, and the same hereby is, appropriated from the special account, Sales of City Property, to be expended under the direction of the Boston Traffic Commission, for the installation of traffic signal lights at various locations in the City of Boston.

LETTER FROM COMMISSIONER.

November 18, 1954.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

I am enclosing a list of locations where traffic signal lights are badly needed. There are many more locations than are contained in this list, but because of heavy volumes of traffic, or heavy accident incidents, or special hazards, these locations are the most important at the present time.

The following might also be placed in the class of being emergencies:

1. Longwood avenue and Riverway.
2. High street and Oliver street.
3. Angell street, Blue Hill avenue, Harvard street, and Talbot avenue.
4. Commonwealth avenue and Lake street.
5. Forest Hills street, Montebello road, and Washington street.
6. Everett street and Western avenue (St. Anthony's Church).
7. Brookline avenue, Fenway, Pilgrim road, and Riverway.
8. Kenmore square (addition to existing signals).
9. Fairmount street, Gallivan Boulevard, and Morton street.
10. Albert street, Centre street, and Lamartine street (Bromley Park Housing Project).

I feel compelled to report these locations and those on the enclosed list in the interests of public safety and in the hope that municipal resources will permit the making of an appropriation for these signal lights at the earliest possible moment.

The sum of $60,000 would be required for the list of nine emergency locations, and the sum of $100,000 would be needed to accomplish those on the supplementary list.

I have not included many locations where an installation of signal lights would be justified but have endeavored to determine, to the best of my ability, those which are most in need of immediate relief.

Respectfully yours,
WM. ARTHUR REILLY,
Commissioner.

SUPPLEMENTARY LIST OF INTERSECTIONS FOR SIGNALIZATION.

WARD	LOCATION
11.	Cemetery road, Forest Hills avenue, and Morton street.
12.	Morton street, at Shattuck Hospital.
18.	American Legion Highway, Canterbury street, and Cummins Highway.
3 and 5.	Cambridge street, Grove street, and North Grove street.
4.	Evans Way and Louis Prang street.
17.	Alban street. Talbot avenue, and Welles avenue.
8.	Blue Hill avenue, Dudley street, Magazine street, and Mt. Pleasant avenue.
4 and 5.	Clarendon street and Columbus avenue.
5.	Boylston street and Jersey street.
10.	Bynner street, Jamaicaway, and Willow Pond road.
19.	Arborway, Cataumet street, and Pond street.
6.	Dorchester street, East Broadway, and West Broadway (Perkins square).
21.	Commonwealth avenue and St. Lukes road.
11.	Brinton street, Marcella street, and Washington street.
7.	D street and Dorchester avenue.
8.	Eustis street and Harrison avenue.
21.	Commonwealth avenue and St. Mary's street (Boston University).
22.	Faneuil street and Parsons street.
7.	Old Colony avenue, at Preble street.
17.	Dorchester avenue and Richmond street.
11.	Child and South streets.

MAYOR HYNES ANNOUNCES NEW APPOINTMENTS IN CITY SERVICE.

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Ida M. Kahn, 6 Cummings road, Brighton, Overseer of Public Welfare, for term ending May 1, 1958.

Daniel Weisberg, 45 Supple road, Dorchester, member of Board of Commissioners of Sinking Funds in Treasury Department, for term ending May 1, 1958.

Robert D. Patterson, 7 Mt. Vernon place, Boston, member of Board of Commissioners of Sinking Funds, for term ending May 1, 1958.

David L. Currier, 40 Water street, Boston, to be Associate Commissioner of Real Property, for term ending May 1, 1957.

Daniel G. O'Connor, 52 Welles avenue, Dorchester, to be Associate Commissioner of Parks and Recreation, for term ending May 1, 1959.

CITY FLAG TO FLY FROM ICE CAP IN GREELAND AIR BASE.

The City of Boston flag will soon fly on an ice cap 185 miles from the nearest point of civilization, the Thule Air Base in Greenland.

Corporal William F. Supplee, U.S.A., a Boston boy, and eight other men, are the first humans to attempt to survive a full winter on an ice cap. He has requested Mayor John B. Hynes to send him a City of Boston flag to fly alongside the flags of Michigan, Wisconsin, Iowa, California, North Carolina, and Illinois.

Corporal Supplee, in his letter to the Mayor, states: "Our only contact with the outside world is by courier planes that fly over once a week to drop mail and supplies. At present we are having fairly nice weather—outside it is only 28 below.

"I wish I could tell you what we are here for, but I'm sure you can appreciate the security involved."

At the direction of the Mayor, a member of his staff, J. Ralph Granara, will send three City of Boston official flags to Corporal Supplee, with the request that Corporal Supplee bring one of the flags home to Boston with him on his return for preservation as a memento of having flown over this unique experiment in a remote part of the world.

BE KIND TO ANIMALS DECLARATION.

Sunday, May 1, has been designated as Humane Sunday, and May 2 to May 7, inclusive, Be Kind to Animals Week.

The week of tribute to our animal friends is one which I, as Mayor of the City of Boston, heartily endorse. For 87 years, the Massachusetts Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals and the American Humane Education Society, from their headquarters in the Angell Memorial Hospital in the City of Boston, have spread to the far corners of the earth the message of kindness and compassion to all living things.

In our own state and city there remains little, if any, of the cruelty toward animals that once existed. A constantly-growing respect for the rights of all living things, coupled with strong public opinion and strict enforcement of our splendid humane laws, has brought about this happy condition.

Humane education is the safeguard of these advances, and I especially urge the teachers in our schools and all our citizens to continue to impress kindness upon the minds of the school children, for the twofold benefit of developing their own good character and for the protection of our animal friends.

JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor.

MAYOR HYNES ASKS LEGISLATIVE STUDY OF BOSTON'S NEED OF INCINERATORS.

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STUDY RESTRICTED.

His study was restricted, in general, to the furnishing of answers to the following questions:

1. What is the present annual cost of collecting and disposing of garbage and rubbish?
2. What would the total annual cost be if the Calf Pasture and Hallet Street dumps were closed, necessitating the hauling to Spectacle Island and other locations of the refuse now dumped at the above-named two mainland dumps?
3. What would the total annual cost be if the Spectacle Island, Calf Pasture, and Hallet Street dumps were closed, and if the refuse now hauled to those locations were disposed of at two modern, sanitary incinerators that the City of Boston would build in the South Bay area and in the Dorchester section?
4. What would the total annual cost be if the city disposed of all refuse material at the harbor islands, assuming

that we were prevented from operating any mainland dumps or incinerators?

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QUESTION 1. *What is the present annual cost of collecting and disposing of garbage and rubbish?*

The cost of refuse collection and disposal for the period April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, is estimated to be $2,527,000*. This amount comprises the following items: the collection contracts for the entire city, $2,087,100; the disposal contract with dumping at Spectacle Island and the Calf Pasture, $417,000; the contract for the use of the Saugus dump, $10,800; and the cost of operating the Gardner Street dump, $12,000. The cost of operating the Hallet Street dump is included in the refuse collection contracts for the Dorchester districts.

* The cost for the calendar year of 1950 was $2,738,019, which indicates progress in effecting economies while improving the standard of service.

The above costs are minimal and will undoubtedly increase in the future by an appreciable amount. All the excess profits have been taken out of the collection contracts, and the cost of labor for this work is increasing at the rate of about 10 cents per hour each year.

TOTAL COST ESTIMATED.

QUESTION 2. *What would the total annual cost be if the Calf Pasture and Hallet Street dumps were closed necessitating the hauling to Spectacle Island and other locations of the refuse now dumped at the above-named two mainland dumps?*

Assuming the loss of the Calf Pasture and Hallet Street dumps, and that no incinerators are provided to handle the refuse now delivered to those dumps and to Spectacle Island, then the following provisions would have to be made:

The refuse from Brighton would be delivered to the Gardner Street, West Roxbury, dump. The refuse from Charlestown and the North and West Ends would be sent to the Saugus dump. Refuse from the remainder of the City Proper, along with the refuse from Roxbury and South Boston, would be delivered to the Fort Hill wharf, located at Atlantic avenue, opposite Oliver street. The refuse from the Dorchester and Elm Hill Districts would be delivered to the reactivated Victory Road wharf, located at Commercial Point, Dorchester. The refuse delivered to the Fort Hill and Victory Road wharves would be towed to and dumped on Spectacle Island. This quantity amounts to over twice the quantity of rubbish now being dumped on Spectacle Island.

Mr. Flaherty estimates that the current cost will be increased a minimum of $709,400 a year because of the new arrangements that would have to be made if the above-referenced assumptions become realities. It should be kept in mind that Spectacle Island will not last indefinitely as a dump, as it has been in use continuously since 1912, and it is limited as to the volume of material that can be hauled to it.

TWO INCINERATORS PROPOSED.

QUESTION 3. *What would the total annual cost be if the Spectacle Island, Calf Pasture, and Hallet Street dumps were closed, and if the refuse now hauled to those locations were disposed of at two modern, sanitary incinerators that the City of Boston would build in the South Bay area and in the Dorchester section?*

It is proposed to construct two incinerators — one 900-ton unit in the South Bay area, at an estimated cost of $3,600,000; and the other in Dorchester, near the Neponset River, at an estimated cost of $1,400,000 for a 400-ton unit. The annual cost of operating both incinerators, including amortization of the capital investment, is estimated at $756,500 per year. However, this amount will be lowered by an estimated $120,000 that will be received annually for the disposal of rubbish from private collectors, and an additional $50,000 saving in the cost of oil at the Boston City Hospital, due to the utilization of the waste heat that will be developed at the South Bay incinerator. A further savings of $48,000 a year will result from the elimination of the present Hallet Street dump, making a total credit of $218,000 a year against the cost of operating the incinerator. Therefore, the gross operating cost will be reduced to a net cost of $538,500 per year for both units.

Mr. Flaherty estimates that it will cost the city $121,300 more per year than the current cost if the above-referenced system of incineration is adopted in place of the current antiquated and inadequate method of disposal now in effect in the city. The increased cost is due principally to the amortizing of the initial capital expenditure of $5,000,000 for the construction of the two incinerators, and would be substantially higher, except for the fact that the construction of incinerators will permit the city to abandon the present excessively costly contract which provides for the hauling of a great volume of refuse material daily to Spectacle Island. The construction of the two proposed incinerators will furnish the city with an adequate and satisfactory means of refuse disposal, without any major changes for at least the next twenty-five years. As you well know, the mainland dumps are being exhausted at an increasingly fast rate, and the Spectacle Island operation cannot be considered from a long-range point of view because of the inadequacy of the available dumping area.

QUESTION 4. *What would the total annual cost be if the city disposed of all refuse material at the harbor islands, assuming that we were prevented from operating any mainland dumps or incinerators?*

It may be an extreme case, but it is possible that the inability to obtain incinerator locations, and the exhaustion or prohibition of open dumps on the mainland, would require us to dispose of all the refuse produced in the city at islands in Boston Harbor. The only two islands that appear suitable for this function are Spectacle Island and Rainsford Island. Dumping of refuse on Spectacle Island has been continuous since 1912, and the height of the refuse dump on this island is approaching its limit. Therefore, in the very near future, continuation of dumping at this site will require extending the dump into open water. Obtaining the permission of governmental authorities having jurisdiction over these tidal waters will be difficult, if not impossible to obtain, as Spectacle Island is located in close proximity to President Roads, the main channel to Boston inner harbor. When Spectacle Island is filled to its capacity, it will be necessary to develop Rainsford Island for this function. Rainsford Island, while not located near the main ship channel, is adjacent to an anchorage for explosives and is considerably farther down the harbor than Spectacle Island, thereby requiring much longer towing distance for the refuse scows.

The present Albany Street wharf will have to be abandoned within the next year, due to the construction of the John F. Fitzgerald Expressway in Fort Point Channel and the closing of the latter waterway to navigation. The two remaining wharves, Fort Hill and Victory Road, have insufficient capacity for handling all the refuse to be towed to the islands under this scheme and, therefore, a new facility would have to be constructed of a size comparable to the Fort Hill wharf.

COST $3,907,500 YEARLY.

Mr. Flaherty estimates that it would cost the City of Boston $3,907,500 per year if we were required to haul all refuse material to Spectacle Island or to some other island in Boston Harbor. The cost under such a method would, therefore, be $1,380,500 per year more than the total yearly cost under the present method, and $1,259,200 per year more than the total yearly cost would be if the South Bay and Dorchester incinerators are constructed.

GENERAL COMMENTS.

The hauling of all refuse material to the harbor islands is of no benefit whatsoever, from the standpoint of economics, sanitation, aesthetics, or adequacy. It has been shown by this study that it is the most expensive means of refuse disposal. While the point of final disposal is remote from the city — being on harbor islands — it does not do away with the maintenance and operation of three water-front wharves as required under this scheme.

These wharf dumping stations are more of a potential nuisance than any incinerator receiving bin could ever be. Also, it should be noted that the two islands, Spectacle and Rainsford, flank Long Island, on which is located a hospital for the aged and chronically ill, and it is possible that odors emanating from the open dumps on the harbor islands could be a source of nuisance to the patients at Long Island.

From an aesthetic standpoint, the appearance of a modern incinerator building is much to be preferred to the unsightly view that would be presented by the operation of open dumps in tide water along the harbor entrance. This method is not the final solution to the problem of refuse disposal. As stated previously, the land area on the harbor islands is very limited, and the increase in the quantity of refuse to be disposed of at these islands being four times the quantity presently being dumped at Spectacle Island, the available area at the islands, both on land and in the tidal waters, would be depleted in a relatively short period of time.

CONCLUSIONS.

The results of this study show, from an economic standpoint, that incineration is the answer to Boston's refuse disposal problem. The following table, showing the comparison of costs of the various methods considered, demonstrates the basis for this conclusion:

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DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees:

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

The retirement of Louis T. Farrell, senior settlement investigator, has been approved.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

For the week ending April 19:

The following weekly nurses have been appointed:

Permanent.—Alma Crowley, 1 Newcroft Circle, Mattapan, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Helena K. Gallagher, 19 Farquhar street, Roslindale, floor nurse, $1.60 an hour; Edith O'Sullivan, 576 East Eighth street, South Boston, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour.

Temporary.—Barbara Blake, 27 Blakeville street, Dorchester, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Janet L. Bragger, 397 Newton street, Chestnut Hill, Barbara Brooks, 200 Bay State road, Stephanie Coffey, 231 Washington street, Arlington, Doris Frediani, 51 Lakewood road, South Weymouth, Evelyn Gage, 200 Bay State road, floor nurses, $1 an hour; Audrey Mailhot, 33 Cedar street, Mattapan, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour; Helene Marsh, 76 Willowdean avenue, West Roxbury, Marion McInnis, 8 Oriole street, West Roxbury, Mary Monaghan, 12 Atkinson street, Lynn, Patricia Phipps, 25 Elder terrace, Arlington, Sally Walsh, 28 Essex street, Andover, Barbara Wincklhofer, 200 Bay State road, floor nurses, $1 an hour.

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Esther Bardlow, 5 Reddy avenue, Hyde Park, Lillian Blackburn, 18 Park Vale avenue, Allston, 1 day; Ruby Childs, 270 Huntington avenue, Roxbury, 8 days; Mary Costello, 75 Montclair avenue, Roslindale, 2 days; Sophie Cotter, 173 Vine Rock street, Dedham, 3 days; Patricia Camirand, 41 Falmouth street, 7 days; Patricia Doucette, 352 Athens street, South Boston, Florence Dowd, 93 Williams avenue, Hyde Park, 1 day; Anna Ferrara, 53 Blue Hill avenue, Milton, 7 days; Mary Fraser, 99 Norway street, Delores Flanagan, 4 Buick street, Watertown, Diana Guinta, 42 Topliff street, Dorchester, 2 days; Virginia Hamilton, 827 River street, Mattapan, 1 day; Mary B. Healy, 163 East Cottage street, Dorchester, 5 days; Charlotte Kelleher, 48 Waverly street, Roxbury, 1 day; Veronica McElligott, 34 Dickinson street, Somerville, 7 days; Marguerite Mackesey, 79 Frost street, Medford, 2 days; Mary R. Mahan, 29 Kempton street, 7 days; Mary Murphy, 37 Hampden Circle, Wollaston, 3 days; Audrey Mailhot, 30 Walton street, Dorchester, 7 days; Angelina Mulloney, 1235 Trapelo road, Waltham, 3 days; Alice M. Powers, 94 Old Colony avenue, Wollaston, Mary Pursley, 38 Van Brunt street, Hyde Park, 2 days; Romaine Riley, 171 Humboldt avenue, Roxbury, 6 days; Mabel Smith, 87 Bartlett road, Winthrop, 1 day; Verna Snow, 75 Damon avenue, Melrose, Helen Spillane, 499 Park street, Stoughton, 3 days; Mabel Steed, 87 Bartlett road, Winthrop, Madeline Sullivan, 126 Marlborough street, 2 days; Margaret M. Sullivan, 28 Weymouth street, Hol-

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING MAY 3.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Adolph Dzinsko	55 Aspinwall road	17	Alterations, dwelling	$150
Louise McKenzie	435 Beacon street	5	Alterations, dwelling	100
Paul Hoffman	1075 Boylston street	5	Sign, office, dwelling	100
John McLaughlin	639 Columbia road	7	Sign, restaurant	50
Somerset Hotel	416 Commonwealth avenue	5	Alterations, hotel	800
Charles Bruning Company	965 Commonwealth avenue	21	Sign, stores	90
John J. Cunningham	45 Cornwall street	11	Alterations, dwelling	500
Boggs Supply Company	37 Damrell street	7	Sign, warehouse	50
J. J. Dunphy	10 Dix street	16	Alterations, dwelling	940
Joseph Simanski	31 Dover street	3	Alterations, dwelling	150
Walworth Company	Rear 800 East First street	7	Fire repair, foundry	1,000
James Smith	381 K street	7	Fire escape, dwelling	50
John Driscoll	75 Leicester street	22	Alterations, dwelling	900
Joseph Amico	56 London street	1	Fire escape, dwelling	100
Joseph Amico	58 London street	1	Fire escape, dwelling	400
Francis Crillomi	60 London street	1	Fire escape, dwelling	125
John Amabile	185 Maverick street	1	Alterations, store, dwelling	360
Clara Weinfield	888 and 888A Morton street	17	Alterations, cleansing	1,800
A. Cavanna	28 Park street	16	Alterations, dwelling	550
Robert Pallonham	66 Pershing road	19	Alterations, dwelling	475
K. E. Manookian	12 Porter street	5	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Salvatore DeSisto	8 and 10 Richardson street	22	Alterations, dwelling	350
Thomas Lawn	6 Ripley road	14	Alterations, dwelling	950
R. C. Archbishop, Boston	120 Safford street	18	Excavation	5,000
Joseph Glassman	54 Scollay square	3	Sign, cafe, office	200
Crescent Grille, Inc	55 Scollay square	3	Sign, cafe	200
D. W. Hershon	815 Shawmut avenue	9	Sign, garage	75
Sheraton Restaurant	46 Temple place	3	Fire escape, store, office	100
Boston Frolics	247 Tremont street	5	Sign, store, restaurant, office	80
James Ellis Company	415 and 417 West Broadway	6	Alterations, store, office	1,000
Salvatore Thurco	6 Wise street	10	Fire repair, dwelling	480
Thomas Moakley	6 Atlantic street	6	Alterations, dwelling	400
United Trading Corporation	817 Boylston street	5	Sign, store, office	100
M. Wagner and H. Gow	16 Charles River square	5	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Thomas Spivey	47 Litchfield street	22	Alterations, dwelling	1,700
Liberty Lunch Company	199 Northern avenue	6	Sign, store	850
A. R. Mekelburg	19 Palmer street	8	Sign, store	900
Patrick Cavanaugh	60 Princeton street	1	Alterations, dwelling	425
William Pridger	1008 Tremont street	9	Alterations, store	850
A. W. Perry Inc	655 Atlantic avenue	3	Alterations, office, manufacturing, store	800
A. W. Perry Inc	655 Atlantic avenue	3	Alterations, office, manufacturing, store	800
Albert Shaevel	838 Beacon street	21	Alterations, store	350
Maria Capodilupo	2 Belmont place	1	Fire escape, garage, club	250
Philip Dove	1062 Blue Hill avenue	14	Alterations, store	500
General Baking Company	62 Bunker Hill street	2	Alterations, bakery, office	250
General Baking Company	62 Bunker Hill street	2	Alterations, bakery, office	4,000
Coreena Collins	72 Cabot street	9	Alterations, store	2,000
William Keenan	19 Claybourne street	17	Fire escape, dwelling	400
Owen Gallagher	658 Columbia road	13	Fire repair, lodging house	200
Louis Osher	192 Cottage street	1	Alterations, dwelling	480
Ted Dowgallio	20 Dawes street	7	Alterations, dwelling	300
Charles Theodore	592 Dorchester avenue	7	Alterations, dwelling, store	125
James Bekas	1730 Dorchester avenue	16	Alterations, store	250
C. Szpakautski	31 Dorset street	7	Alterations, dwelling	175
Ruthe Kleegman	7 Eaton street	3	Fire escape, dwelling	150
Joe Bowler	25 Edgemont street	20	Alterations, dwelling	100
Patrick J. O'Donnell	25–29 Edgewater Drive	18	Alterations, garage	500
Reginald Butts	35 Edson street	17	Alterations, dwelling	600
Arsilio Anzalone	65 Empire street	22	Alterations, dwelling	200
Arsilio Anzalone	77 Empire street	22	Alterations, dwelling	200
P. H. Callbeck	20 Ericsson street	16	Fire repair, foundry, storage	500
Peter Screnzi	200 Everett street	1	Alterations, dwelling	350
A. W. Perry Company	13 and 15 Federal court	3	Alterations, office, manufacturing, store	450
President, Fellows—Harvard College	57–63 Franklin street	3	Alterations, office, manufacturing, store	200
Anthony Dombrowski	129 Franklin street	22	Alterations, dwelling	640
William Shannon	30 Guernsey street	20	Alterations, dwelling	500
S. S. Realty Corp.	Rear 125 Harvard avenue	21	Alterations, garage	1,000
Catherine Greco	209 Havre street	1	Fire escape, dwelling, office	300
Albert Robinson	70A Humboldt avenue	12	Fire repair, store	500
Hill Management Corp.	407 Huntington avenue	4	Alterations, store, dwelling	500
Etta Grossman	27 Lawrence avenue	14	Alterations, dwelling	500
Estate William Davis	23 Linwood street	9	Fire escape, dwelling	100
Pineo Pagliernani	54 Marshfield street	8	Alterations, dwelling	500
Employees Group Insurance	110 Milk street	3	Alterations, offices	1,900
H. Fillicani	157 Milk street	3	Sign, manufacturing	85
Rocco Anzaldi	68 Nonantum road	21	Alterations, dwelling	900
Israel Sneireson	477 Norfolk street	14	Alterations, dwelling	365
Catherine–Pat McDonough	71 Old Harbor street	7	Alterations, dwelling	165
Joseph Ferullo	181 Paris street	1	Alterations, dwelling	100
Philip Taylor	60 Pinckney street	5	Alterations, dwelling	350
King & Company Realty	20 Pleasant street	2	Alterations, dwelling	200
S. Aiewski	57 Portsmouth street	22	Fire escape, dwelling	200
Security Boston Corp.	10 Post Office square	3	Alterations, office, store	405
Benjamin F. Glasser	24 Powellton road	14	Alterations, dwelling	1,600
A. Shinler	38 St. Botolph street	4	Alterations, dwelling	150
James Moes	315 Shawmut avenue	3	Fire repair, store, dwelling	450
Columbia Packing Co.	155 Southampton street	8	Sign, meat packing	900
Leo McGrath	63 Stratford street	20	Alterations, dwelling	300
Minot, DeBlois, Maddison	73 Tremont street	3	Alterations, office	1,000
A. W. Perry, Inc.	161 Tremont street	3	Alterations, store	800
James Phelan	162 Tremont street	3	Alterations, store	800
Cora Hargrave	111 Trenton street	1	Alterations, dwelling	750
Orleaner Williams	12 Vinton street	7	Alterations, dwelling	600
Boston Edison Company	62 Warren street	8	Alterations, store, office	1,000
Blair Foodland	2214 Washington street	8	Alterations, store	900
Stella Keasner	4259–65 Washington street	20	Take-down, store, dwelling	1,500
Provident Institute Savings	28 and 30 Winter street	3	Signs, bank	1,000

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM PLUMBING FOR THE WEEK ENDING MAY 3.

Plumber.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
O. Weider	656 Adams street	16	Fixtures	$100
M. Lappin	296 Allston street	21	Fixtures	10,000
G. Zeolla	610 Atlantic avenue	3	Fixtures	300
O. Weider	11 Bloomfield street	17	Fixtures	150
J. Wilson	198 Bunker Hill street	2	Fixtures	100
William Berkeley	40 Daly street	16	Fixtures	1,000
A. Lewis	12A Greenwood avenue	18	Fixtures	185
A. Hird	96 Hancock street	13	Fixtures	700
William Awad	146 Kittredge street	18	Fixtures	100
D. Sullivan	40 Mapleton street	21	Fixtures	650
F. Bateman	48 Neptune road	1	Fixtures	425
O. Weider	10 Rockne avenue	16	Fixtures	100
William Berkeley	33 Rosselerin road	16	Fixtures	900
A. Lewis	17 Virginia street	13	Fixtures	50
S. Franco	1766 Washington street	9	Fixtures	600
J. Sullivan	11 Annapolis street	13	Fixtures	500
J. Bailey	16 Charles River square	5	Fixtures	100
William Hogan	116 Conant street	10	Fixtures	100
G. Vallati	23 Elder street	7	Fixtures	200
M. Caputo	12 Middlesex street	2	Fixtures	1,200
D. Sheehan	30 Snow street	21	Fixtures	150
F. Goldberg	100 South street	3	Fixtures	200
G. Hayes	20 Adams street	2	Fixtures	100
S. Shulman	31 Belle avenue	20	Fixtures	800
S. Shulman	35 Belle avenue	20	Fixtures	800
William Farfara	30 Forest street	18	Fixtures	900
S. Shulman	14 Gibson street	16	Fixtures	500
A. Farfaras	245 Huntington avenue	18	Fixtures	100
A. Farfaras	249 Huntington avenue	18	Fixtures	100
A. Farfaras	253 Huntington avenue	18	Fixtures	100
A. Farfaras	257 Huntington avenue	18	Fixtures	100
D. Gould	84 Leonard street	15	Fixtures	20
S. Shulman	83 Lorna road	18	Fixtures	275
A. Stahly	9 St. William street	13	Fixtures	40
H. Hinckley	306 South street	19	Fixtures	45
D. Puopolo	471 Gallivan Boulevard	16	Fixtures	200
L. Miller	169 A street	6	Fixtures	15
A. Kellem	60 Dover street	3	Fixtures	250
E. Duggan	180 Federal street	3	Fixtures	500
I. Gerson	39 Maywood street	12	Fixtures	45
F. McMillen	112 Northampton street	8	Fixtures	60
P. Bishop	6 Queen street	16	Fixtures	700
William Long	44 Scollay square	3	Fixtures	185
William Connell	95 South street	3	Fixtures	225
C. Lang	12 V. F. W. Parkway	20	Fixtures	25
G. Trethewey	3880 Washington street	20	Fixtures	170
A. Milligan	76 Baker street	20	Fixtures	1,000
William Palmer	40 Clearwater Drive	18	Fixtures	150
R. Carr	1605 Columbus avenue	11	Fixtures	150
John J. Vogel	508 Commonwealth avenue	5	Fixtures	500
J. Wilson	356 Gallivan Boulevard	16	Fixtures	100
John J. Vogel	86 Glendower road	18	Fixtures	150
E. Slein	56 Glenwood avenue	18	Fixtures	250
A. Milligan	3 Gould street	20	Fixtures	1,000
A. Milligan	7 Gould street	20	Fixtures	1,000
J. O'Mearn	818 Harrison avenue	8	Fixtures	2,000
E. Webber	190 Manchester street	18	Fixtures	75
E. Dorr	53 Mountfort street	5	Fixtures	450
N. Prives	49 Newcastle road	21	Fixtures	290
J. Hannigan	30 Rugby road	18	Fixtures	450
A. Milligan	45 Schiller road	20	Fixtures	500
John J. Vogel	181 Stratford street	20	Fixtures	125
E. Slein	711 Washington street	17	Fixtures	600
N. Prives	58 Westminster street	18	Fixtures	200

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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brook, 5 days; Frances Simonin, 29 Sagamore street, Dorchester, 3 days; Josephine Trippe, 80 Orleans street, East Boston, 5 days; Kathryn Welch, 49 East Springfield street, 7 days; Jean Darrau, 568 East Sixth street, South Boston, Rita McCallum, 162 Bowdoin street, Dorchester, 1 day.

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—Vincent A. Falcone, 15 Fellows street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; Mary E. Bono, 27 Bay street, Dorchester, hospital house worker, $55.50 a week; Alice E. McStravick, 61 McGreevey Way, hospital house worker, $50.50 a week; Melvin F. Proctor, 6 Stafford street, Roxbury, hospital laundry worker, $43 a week; Helen M. Hayward, 19 Savin Hill court, Dorchester, laboratory assistant, $48 a week; Helen Hickey, 78 Reservoir street, Cambridge, head nurse, $65.50 a week.

Temporary.—Paul H. Hart, 11 Wentworth street, Dorchester, Joseph McCarthy, 473A Dudley street, Roxbury, Penelope G. Spinos, 693 Tremont street, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; David R. Alverde, 790 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, James H. Elwell, 4685 Saratoga street, East Boston, Francis J. Hartmann, 84 George street, hospital house workers, $43 a week; Mary D. Penn, 24 Hammond street, Roxbury, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

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For the week ending April 26:

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Lillian Blackburn, 18 Park Vale avenue, Allston, 3 days; Ruby Childs, 270 Huntington avenue, Roxbury, Marcelyn Curry, 64 Rosseter street, Dorchester, 1 day; Patricia Camirand, 41 Falmouth street, 6 days; Dorothy Currie, 283 Chestnut avenue, Jamaica Plain, 2 days; Patricia Doucette, 352 Athens street, South Boston, 6 days; Florence Dowd, 93 Williams avenue, Hyde Park, 4 days; Jean Darraugh, 568 East Sixth street, South Boston, 3 days; Eleanor Duffley, 35 Edwin street, Dorchester, Catherine Dorman, 64 Cliff avenue, Winthrop, Mary Edwards, 428 Adams street, Dorchester, Mary Fraser, 99 Norway street, 2 days; Wanda Geragosian, 10 Independence avenue, Lexington, 1 day; Diana Guinta, 42 Topliff street, Dorchester, 2 days; Helen Hagenberger, 207 Park Drive, 1 day; Mary B. Healy, 163 East Cottage street, Dorchester, 7 days; Anne Lynskey, 52 Telsa street, Medford, 1 day; Loretta Lynch, 270 Huntington avenue, Roxbury, 6 days; Rita McCallum, 162 Bowdoin street, Dorchester, Veronica McElligott, 34 Dickinson street, Somerville, 4 days; Catherine McGuinness, 14 Alsen road, Dorchester, 1 day; Marguerite Mackesey, 79 First street, Medford, 3 days; Mary R. Mahan, 29 Kempton street, 7 days; Thelma Miles, 9 Albemarle Chambers, 2 days; Anna Murphy, 115 Peterborough street, 4 days; Audrey Mailhot, 30 Walton street, Dorchester, 7 days; Phyllis Nigro, 271 Dartmouth street, 3 days; Mae Owens, 259 Chestnut avenue, Jamaica Plain, 6 days; Angelina Peyton, 16 Dane street, Jamaica Plain, 1 day; Alyce N. Powers, 67 Prospect avenue, Wollaston, 5 days; Grace Powers, 16 Spaulding street, Dorchester, 1 day; Mary Pursley, 38 Van Brunt street, Hyde Park, 2 days; Romaine Riley, 171 Humboldt avenue, Roxbury, 1 day; Edmund Shea, 29 East Concord street, 4 days; Verna Snow, 75 Damon avenue, Melrose, Helen Spillane, 499 Park street, Stoughton, 2 days; Mabel Steed, 87 Bartlett road, Winthrop, 3 days; Madeline Sullivan, 126 Marlborough street, 1 day; Margaret Sullivan, 28 Weymouth street, Holbrook, 3 days; Isabel Sutton, 121 Boston street, Dorchester, Josephine Trippe, 80 Orleans street, East Boston, 2 days; Theresa Wagner, 12 Milford street, 3 days; Ila Ward, 79 Warren street, Roxbury, 1 day; Kathryn Welch, 49 East Springfield street, 7 days.

The following weekly nurses have been appointed:

Permanent.—Phyllis Surette, 62 Lyman street, Waltham, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Viola Sullivan, 207 Lamartine street, Jamaica Plain, floor nurse, $1.60 an hour.

Temporary.—Lillian Blackburn, 19 Park Vale avenue, Allston, Helen Spillane, 499 Park street, Stoughton, Dorothy Currie, 283 Chestnut avenue, Jamaica Plain, Elizabeth Blake, 64 Friend street, Beverly, Helen Sheehan, Turnpike street, Canton, Margaret Canty, 2 Mt. Cushing terrace, Dorchester, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour.

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—Winifred Fitzpatrick, 68 Francis street, hospital medical worker, $48 a week; Charles Wilson, 137 K street, South Boston, hospital house worker, $50.50 a week; Anna M. Flynn, 42 Pleasant Hill avenue, Dorchester, clerk-typist, $50.50 a week; Homer Bentley, Plain street, Millis, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour; Dorothea L. Norton, 268 Geneva avenue, Dorchester, floor nurse, $1.60 an hour; Rev. Arthur H. Becker, 34 Glendale street, Dorchester, chaplain, $205.33 a month.

Temporary.—Lillian Blackburn, 60 Ashford street, Brighton, Dorothy J. Currie, 283 Chestnut avenue, Jamaica Plain, Helen Spillane, 499 Park street,

Stoughton, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour; William T. Ellis, 39 Mott street, Arlington, resident, Gynecology and Obstetrics, $132 a month; John C. Gould, Indiana, Robert H. Yonemoto, 1723 West Thirty-fifth street, Los Angeles, California, junior assistant residents, $162 a month.

Long Island Division.

The following changes have been made for the week ending April 20:

Terminations.—Dianne B. Seymour, student practical nurse; Mary A. Robinson, head nurse; James Lovett, steam fireman, emergency; Joseph M. O'Hara, attendant nurse.

The following changes have been made for the week ending April 27:

Terminations.—Lydia J. Sullivan, telephone operator, temporary; George R. Keough, painter's helper, emergency.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

The following employeees have resigned:

Mary R. Barrett, Mary Kiley, permanent clerks and typists; Edward Murphy, permanent social worker; Carole Kenneally, permanent clerk and typist; Joseph Hanglin, permanent social worker; Frances Foley, permanent senior clerk typist; Rhoda Greenstein, Vito Maniscalco, permanent clerks and typists; M. Virginia Jones, permanent social worker; Catharine Lydon, provisional statistical machine operator.

The following employee has been transferred:

Concetta Vacca, permanent clerk and typist.

The following employee has retired:

Elizabeth Mahony, permanent principal social work supervisor.

The following were elected officers of the Board for the ensuing year:

Joseph K. Collins, chairman; James S. Maloof, vice-chairman; Joseph E. Scanlon, treasurer; William G. O'Hare, secretary.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following appointments:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Ann R. Cataldo, 8 Hall street, Jamaica Plain, statistical machine operator, $45.50 a week.

Jeannette M. Bonnevie (English), 145 Pinckney street, statistical machine operator, $45.50 a week.

Sarah Yalenezian, 46 Holborn street, Roxbury, statistical machine operator, $45.50 a week.

Helen S. Menno, 45 Catherine street, Roslindale, statistical machine operator, $45.50 a week.

Claire F. O'Rourke, 60 Walworth street, Roslindale, statistical machine operator, $45.50 a week.

CIVIL DEFENSE.

Mary Driscoll, 125 Pleasant street, Dorchester, clerk-stenographer, $43 a week.

Marie Ann Orth, 7 Parkman street, Dorchester, clerk-stenographer, $43 a week.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Joseph F. Garrity, 228 Geneva avenue, Dorchester, storekeeper, $55.50 a week.

William T. Hogan, 90 Orton-Marotta Way, South Boston, junior building custodian, $53 a week.

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING MAY 3.

GAS FITTER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
O. Weider	656 Adams street	16	Connecting range	$35
H. Lappin	296 Allston street	21	Connecting range	100
J. Wilson	30 Chestnut street	2	Connecting range	35
F. Farrar	64 Clearway street	4	Connecting range	45
J. Wilson	29 Eden street	2	Connecting range	30
P. Janis	47 Edgewood street	12	Connecting heater	40
William Awad	8 Fairbanks street	21	Connecting range	35
D. Carey	8 Fayette street	3	Connecting heater	95
William Long	61 Franklin street	21	Connecting range	40
D. Greenwood	5 Grant street	13	Connecting range	40
P. Gulesian	141 Hollingsworth street	18	Connecting heater	300
P. Gulesian	3A Holmfield avenue	18	Connecting heater	300
F. Farrar	187 Huntington avenue	4	Connecting range	45
S. Fox	882 Huntington avenue	10	Connecting range	50
A. Granara	69 Prince street	3	Connecting range	100
P. Gulesian	7 Radford place	18	Connecting range	200
William Awad	20 Ranelegh road	21	Connecting range	40
William Awad	59 Riverview road	21	Connecting range	45
O. Weider	10 Rockne avenue	16	Connecting heater	45
William Awad	15 Turner street	21	Connecting range	40
S. Franco	1766 Washington street	8	Connecting range	40
P. Gulesian	54 Webster street	18	Connecting heater	200
P. Gulesian	66 West Milton street	18	Connecting range	400
J. Sullivan	22 Westglow street	16	Connecting heater	50
J. Sullivan	198 Westville street	15	Connecting range	75
M. Caputo	162 Athens street	6	Connecting range	60
D. Spiers	40 Bird street	15	Connecting heater	250
M. Eskowitz	1089 Blue Hill avenue	14	Connecting range	45
M. Caputo	109 Buttonwood street	7	Connecting range	50
H. Slavet	124 Capen street	17	Connecting range	150
William Fishman	20 Constitution road	18	Connecting range	40
B. Clancy	17 Cortes street	5	Connecting range	70
J. Curran	2 Davidson avenue	15	Connecting range	45
M. Caputo	576 East Broadway	6	Connecting range	120
M. Caputo	415 East Eighth street	6	Connecting range	25
M. Caputo	493 East Fourth street	6	Connecting range	55
J. Esterhill	787 East Fourth street	6	Connecting range	70
G. Vallati	23 Elder street	7	Connecting range	200
M. Caputo	188 F street	6	Connecting range	35
S. Connolly	32 Fountain street	11	Connecting heater	50
M. Eskowitz	328 Harvard street	14	Connecting heater	35
M. Eskowitz	4 Holborn street	12	Connecting range	15
C. Bevelander	69 and 71 Litchfield street	21	Connecting heater	50
S. Connolly	2 Pevear place	12	Connecting range	40
C. Green	12 Porter street	11	Connecting heater	40
B. Weiner	100 Queensberry street	5	Connecting range	40
S. Connolly	9 Rochdale street	11	Connecting heater	35
A. Figler	126 Washington street	14	Connecting range	75
S. Goldman	64 Alexander street	13	Connecting range	65
N. Clark	102 Crawford street	12	Connecting range	300
William Chase	10 Dilworth street	9	Connecting range	150
S. Shulman	14 Gibson street	16	Connecting range	100
N. Clark	12 Jacob street	18	Connecting range	50
M. Eskowitz	42 Johnson street	14	Connecting range	50
A. Granara	31 Revere street	5	Connecting range	40
H. Hinckley	306 South street	19	Connecting range	30
A. Granara	15 Tileston street	3	Connecting range	30
William Wiseman	184 Woodrow avenue	14	Connecting range	80
H. Sellon	11 Allston street	2	Connecting range	100
P. Bishop	188 Blue Hill avenue	12	Connecting range	10
D. Greenwood	131 Child street	18	Connecting range	35
J. Curran	180 Federal street	3	Connecting range	250
C. Lang	20 Fernwood road	20	Connecting range	10
G. Trethewey	65 Fletcher street	20	Connecting range	145
P. Gulesian	248 Huntington avenue	18	Connecting range	200
W. Foster	805 Hyde Park avenue	18	Connecting range	40
G. Trethewey	9 Littledale street	18	Connecting range	140
A. Kellem	21 Mallon road	14	Connecting range	35
D. Greenwood	47 May street	19	Connecting range	30
I. Gerson	39 Maywood street	12	Connecting heater	35
J. Esterhill	66 Monadnock street	13	Connecting range	175
Wm. Connell	11 Navillus terrace	16	Connecting range	45
P. Gulesian	27 Radcliffe road	18	Connecting heater	25
G. Trethewey	35 Rosecliff street	18	Connecting range	300
P. Bishop	6 Rosedale street	16	Connecting range	40
Wm. Long	44 Scollay square	3	Connecting range	40
C. Lang	65 Seymour street	18	Connecting range	15
P. Gulesian	55 Solaris road	18	Connecting range	15
P. Bishop	5 Topliff street	16	Connecting range	45
C. Lang	12 Veterans of Foreign Wars Parkway.	20	Connecting heater	10
F. Murphy	2989 Washington street	11	Connecting cooker	50
G. Trethewey	3880 Washington street	20	Connecting heater	150
Wm. Connell	65 Whitfield street	16	Connecting range	600
G. Trethewey	11 Whitford street	18	Connecting heater	65
A. Stahly	1197 Adams street	17	Connecting range	10
F. Carr	31 Allen street	3	Connecting range	15
P. Murtha	47 Armandine street	18	Connecting range	35
S. Adams	75 Bailey street	17	Connecting range	350
John J. Vogel	45 Birch street	20	Connecting range	100
S. Adams	11 Burt street	16	Connecting range	275
F. Avery	17 Caspar street	20	Connecting heater	35
F. Carr	6 Cleveland place	3	Connecting heater	35
F. Avery	30 Colberg avenue	20	Connecting range	15
F. Carr	1605 Columbus avenue	11	Connecting range	200
John J. Vogel	16 Courtney road	20	Connecting range	45
S. Fox	178 Dorchester street	7	Connecting range	65
F. Carr	10 Eaton street	3	Connecting range	50
E. Dorr	50 Edgewood street	12	Connecting range	300
S. Adams	9 Edwin street	16	Connecting range	80
F. Carr	170 Endicott street	3	Connecting range	30

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING MAY 3.—Concluded.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
S. Adams	368 Gallivan Boulevard	16	Connecting range	$325
John J. Vogel	86 Glendower road	18	Connecting range	35
S. Adams	84 Granite avenue	16	Connecting heater	200
P. Janis	5 Greenough park	19	Connecting range	75
P. Gulesian	23 Greenwood avenue	18	Connecting heater	200
F. Avery	45 Hastings street	20	Connecting heater	40
John J. Vogel	94 Hewlett street	20	Connecting range	125
J. Marquess	171 Humboldt avenue	12	Connecting heater	150
S. Adams	19 Locust street	7	Connecting range	80
P. Gulesian	6 Magee street	18	Connecting range	400
P. Murtha	7 Mill street	16	Connecting range	25
A. Stahly	112 Milton avenue	17	Connecting range	20
John J. Vogel	78 Mt. Vernon street	20	Connecting range	150
A. Stahly	31 Neponset avenue	16	Connecting range	30
Wm. Broderick	65 Newfield street	20	Connecting range	45
A. Stahly	72 North Margin street	3	Connecting range	15
P. Murtha	214 Norwell street	14	Connecting range	10
H. Hinckley	2 Perkins square	11	Connecting range	15
F. Carr	14 Pitts street	3	Connecting range	60
A. Stahly	9 St. William street	13	Connecting heater	40
H. Hinckley	649 Shawmut avenue	8	Connecting range	40
A. Granara	50 South Market street	3	Connecting range	30
F. Carr	29 South Russell street	3	Connecting range	15
C. Kay	21 Stellman road	19	Connecting range	50
John J. Vogel	181 Stratford street	20	Connecting heater	35
F. Avery	29 Sunnyside street	10	Connecting heater	35
P. Murtha	90 Thetford avenue	18	Connecting range	60
L. Luxton	73 Waldeck street	17	Connecting range	160
J. Kurgan	111 Waldemar avenue	1	Connecting range	35
D. Gould	1819 Washington street	9	Connecting range	60
H. Beaulieu	2932 Washington street	11	Connecting heater	150
F. Avery	28 West Walnut park	11	Connecting range	25
F. Avery	33 West Walnut park	11	Connecting range	25
P. Murtha	86 Wheatland avenue	17	Connecting range	25

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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Health Department.

Bella P. Rosenberg, 631 Morton street, Dorchester, public health nurse, $63 a week.

Haigouhy Choulian, 220 Hemenway street, public health nurse, $63 a week.

Jane M. Pray, 270 Mt. Vernon street, Dorchester, dental hygienist, $58 a week.

Marilyn C. Cotter, 200 Mt. Vernon street, West Roxbury, dental hygienist, $58 a week.

Hospital Department.

Long Island Division.

Mary L. Pitts, Long Island Hospital, licensed practical nurse, $53 a week.

Marion Fougere, 78 Grampian Way, Dorchester, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

James J. Browne, Long Island Hospital, steam fireman (second-class license), $65.50 a week.

Penal Institutions Department.

House of Correction.

Herman W. Benson, 190 Brooks street, East Boston, correction officer, $63 a week.

Paul Flynn, 230 Waldemar avenue, East Boston, correction officer, $63 a week.

William E. Belanger, 5 Ellsworth street, Dorchester, correction officer, $63 a week.

Dennis J. Corbett, 156 Sumner street, East Boston, correction officer, $63 a week.

Joseph J. Mikenas, Jr., 80 Harbor View street, Dorchester, correction officer, $63 a week.

Frederick D. O'Connor, 36 Montgomery street, correction officer, $63 a week.

John A. Marenghi, 412 Sumner street, East Boston, correction officer, $63 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following appointments or reinstatements:

Administrative Services Department.

Printing Section.

Marjorie T. Callinan, 24 Fairmount street, Dorchester, copyholder, $60.50 a week.

Margaret E. Dow, 11 Victory road, Dorchester, copyholder, $60.50 a week.

City Planning Board.

Robert Ewing, 7 Alexander avenue, Belmont, senior planner, $90.50 a week.

Hospital Department.

Sanatorium Division.

Florence Z. Barry, 1 Jones avenue, Dorchester, licensed attendant nurse, $65.50 a week.

Public Works Department.

Sanitary Division.

Kenneth A. Bambery, 6 Wood place, Charlestown, laborer, $50.50 a week.

George J. Lindsay, 90 Orton-Marotta Way, South Boston, laborer, $50.50 a week.

John Marshall, 51 Maywood street, Roxbury, laborer, $50.50 a week.

Joseph Sarno, 86 Forbes street, Jamaica Plain, laborer, $50.50 a week.

Bartholomew F. O'Brien, 55 Beechland street, Roslindale, laborer, $50.50 a week.

Ernest Medeiros, 19 Eaton street, laborer, $50.50 a week.

Ralph S. Natarello, 38 Hecla street, Dorchester, laborer, $53 a week.

Dominic J. Pittella, 76 Havre street, East Boston, laborer, $53 a week.

Richard S. Best, 67 Ceylon street, Dorchester, laborer, $53 a week.

John Morgante, 1154 Harrison avenue, Roxbury, laborer, $53 a week.

Charles M. Khoshabjian, 66 Richfield street, Dorchester, laborer, $53 a week.

Finley J. Bertucelli, 101 Brooks street, East Boston, laborer, $53 a week.

John J. O'Brien, 37 Prescott street, East Boston, laborer, $53 a week.

William J. Shea, 64 West Seventh street, South Boston, laborer, $53 a week.

Lawrence J. Trabucco, 21 Dean street, Dorchester, laborer, $53 a week.

Alexander A. Marsolini, 2 Sunnyside street, Jamaica Plain, laborer, $53 a week.

John M. Doherty, 39 Saxton street, Dorchester, laborer, $50.50 a week.

James T. O'Connor, 241 Centre street, Dorchester, laborer, $53 a week.

James H. Powers, 277 Dudley street, Roxbury, laborer, $58 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following reinstatement:

Veterans' Services Department.

Cornelius J. Connolly, 1597 Tremont street, Roxbury, clerk and typist, $48 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following changes in status:

Fire Department.

Peter A. Thompson, 505 Adams street, Dorchester, from fire captain at $102.68 a week to district fire chief at $122.61 a week.

Richard M. Mackey, 18 Victoria street, Dorchester, from garage attendant at $53 a week to storekeeper (temporary) at $55.50 a week.

Hospital Department.

Lawrence G. Hegner, 51 Linden street, Dorchester, from hospital medical worker at $48 a week to hospital house worker at $48 a week.

Thomas D. Regan, 38 Pilsudski Way, South Boston, from hospital medical worker at $50.50 a week to hospital house worker at $50.50 a week.

John J. King, 14 I street, South Boston, from hospital medical worker at $48 a week to hospital house worker at $48 a week.

William J. Quinlan, 877 East Fourth street, South Boston, from hospital medical worker at $50.50 a week to hospital house worker at $50.50 a week.

Leo F. Roach, 16 O street, South Boston, from hospital medical worker at $50.50 a week to hospital house worker at $50.50 a week.

Long Island Division.

John F. Silvey, Long Island Hospital, from inhalation equipment technician (temporary) at $60.50 a week to inhalation equipment technician (permanent) at $60.50 a week.

Joan L. Connors, 26 Sargent street, Dorchester, from clerk-typist at $50.50 a week to senior clerk and stenographer (temporary) at $55.50 a week.

Public Works Department.

Automotive Division.

Philip Dickerman, 104 St. Botolph street, from senior clerk and stenographer (subject to qualifying examination) at $63 a week to senior clerk and stenographer at $63 a week.

Frederick R. Harvey, 19 Gilman street, Roslindale, from motor equipment repair inspector (subject to qualifying examination) at $83.50 a week to motor equipment repair inspector at $83.50 a week.

John F. Murphy, 6 Castleton street, Jamaica Plain, from clerk and typist at $53 a week to senior clerk and typist (temporary) at $58 a week.

Joseph O'Donnell, 26 Beechland street, Roslindale, from laborer at $58 a week to storekeeper (temporary) at $60.50 a week.

Bridge-Tunnel Division.

Lawrence J. Flaherty, 100 Kenrick street, Brighton, from assistant drawtender at $63 a week to first assistant drawtender (temporary) at $65.50 a week.

Highway Division.

Charles J. McEachern, 446 Dudley street, Roxbury, from senior clerk and stenographer (subject to qualifying examination) at $63 a week to senior clerk and stenographer at $63 a week.

John T. Gorman, 1017 Canterbury street, Roslindale, from senior clerk and typist at $63 a week to principal account clerk (temporary) at $65.50 a week.

Sanitary Division.

William Harrington, 1198 Tremont street, Roxbury, from heavy motor equipment operator and laborer at $65.50 a week to motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week.

Sewer Division.

William F. Hannigan, 17 Margin street, Hyde Park, from sewer district foreman at $83.50 a week to foreman of tide-gate repairmen and maintenancemen (temporary) at $87 a week.

James J. Fitzgerald, 103 Turner road, Scituate, from senior engineering aid at $73 a week to junior civil engineer (temporary) at $80 a week.

Francis W. Vogel, 24 Fletcher street, Roslindale, from junior civil engineer at $90.50 a week to assistant civil engineer at $94 a week.

Thomas H. Byron, 6 Stone terrace, Dorchester, from laborer at $55.50 a week to motor equipment operator and laborer at $58 a week.

Water Division.

Arthur J. Rivers, 6 Bucknam street, Roxbury, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week to senior engineering aid (temporary) at $63 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Mary O'Brien, 14A Holborn street, Roxbury, from statistical machine operator (temporary) at $50.50 a week to clerk and typist at $48 a week.

Wilhelmina Givens, 152 Humboldt avenue, Roxbury, from clerk and typist at $48 a week to statistical machine operator (key punch) (temporary transfer) at $50.50 a week.

A. Teresa Duffy, 42 Sudan street, Dorchester, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to statistical machine operator (key punch) (temporary transfer) at $53 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following promotions:

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Mary R. Scanlon, 770 East Broadway, South Boston, from head clerk (temporary) at $363.23 a month to head clerk (permanent) at $363.23 a month.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Dorothy M. Curran, 35 Glendale street, Dorchester, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior clerk and typist at $55.50 a week.

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TAX ABATEMENT DECISIONS RENDERED BY THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS FOR THE WEEK ENDING MARCH 30.

LEGEND.

* Appellate Tax Board Settlement. ¶ Illegal assessment. ‖ Chapter 59-5.
† Appellate Tax Board Decision. § Duplicate assessment. = Chapter 58-8.
‡ Overvaluation Settlement by Board of Assessors. x Chapter 231.

Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Cohen, Frank	1051 Blue Hill av	14—1950	$630.00	$63.00	*
Mann, Arnold	7 Verrill st	14—1950	598.50	31.50	*
O'Brien, Helen L	254 Bennington st	1—1951	1,130.40	188.40	*
Cooper, Herman	24 Julian st	13—1951	628.00	251.20	=
Cohen, Frank	1051 Blue Hill av	14—1951	628.00	62.80	*
Goren, Minnie S	939 Blue Hill av	14—1951	1,130.40	62.80	*
Goren, Minnie S	935 Blue Hill av	14—1951	1,130.40	62.80	*
Mann, Arnold	7 Verrill st	14—1951	596.60	31.40	*
Norfolk Apartments, Inc	51–59 Deering rd	14—1951	3,768.00	314.00	*
Smith, Myer	5 Verrill st	14—1951	596.60	31.40	*
O'Brien, Helen L	254 Bennington st	1—1952	1,202.40	200.40	*
Berry Louis	62 Boylston st	3—1952	160,320.00	46,760.00	*
Berry, Louis	47 La Grange st	3—1952	668.00	100.20	*
Berry, Louis	55 La Grange st	3—1952	4,008.00	868.40	*
Collateral Loan Co	75 Cornhill	3—1952	5,678.00	1,002.00	*
Dias, Thomas J	9 Causeway st	3—1952	334.00	126.92	*
Gilman, Osmon B	43 and 45 West st	3—1952	21,042.00	8,684.00	*
A. & E. Paper Co., Inc	32 South Market st	3—1952	2,004.00	267.20	*
Broadway, Inc., The	134–140 Broadway	5—1952	11,690.00	2,338.00	*
Goodwin, Julia E	154 Boylston st	5—1952	9,686.00	1,336.00	*
Cohen, Frank	1051 Blue Hill av	14—1952	668.00	66.80	*
Goren, Minnie S	939 Blue Hill av	14—1952	1,202.40	66.80	*
Goren, Minnie S	935 Blue Hill av	14—1952	1,202.40	66.80	*
Mann, Arnold	7 Verrill st	14—1952	634.60	33.40	*
Norfolk Apartments, Inc	51–59 Deering rd	14—1952	4,008.00	334.00	*
Smith, Myer	5 Verrill st	14—1952	634.60	33.40	*
Starr, Bessie	30 Hosmer st	14—1952	701.40	33.40	*
Daib, Thomas J	West Milton st., Ss	18—1952	354.04	40.08	*
A. & E. Paper Co., Inc	32 South Market st	3—1953	2,121.00	282.80	*
Berry, Louis	47 La Grange st	3—1953	707.00	106.05	†
Berry, Louis	55 La Grange st	3—1953	4,242.00	919.10	†
Berry, Louis	62 Boylston st	3—1953	169,680.00	49,490.00	†
Collateral Loan Co	75–81 Cornhill	3—1953	6,009.50	1,060.50	*
Gilman, Osmon B	43 West st	3—1953	22,270.50	9,191.00	*
Taylor, William O., et al	41–45 Broad st	3—1953	3,535.00	494.90	*
Silvestro, Concetta	25 Hale st	3—1953	494.90	141.40	*
Silvestro, Gaetano	45 Hale st	3—1953	424.20	70.70	*
Silvestro, Gaetano	28 South Margin st	3—1953	919.10	212.10	*
Silvestro, Gaetano	49 Hale st	3—1953	707.00	212.10	*
Broadway, Inc., The	58 Warrenton st	5—1953	12,372.50	2,474.50	*
Marcus, Sumner J., Trustee	154 Boylston st	5—1953	7,777.00	1,414.00	*
Dudley Trading Corp	636 Columbia rd	7—1953	1,555.40	353.50	*
Haveles, Helen P	30 Castleton st	10—1953	636.30	106.05	*
Worley, John, Co	166 Terrace st	10—1953	5,302.50	1,414.00	*
Rothner, Ida	156 Humboldt av	12—1953	1,979.60	212.10	*
Feldman, Rose	166 Harvard st	14—1953	636.30	35.35	*
Goren, Minnie S	935 Blue Hill av	14—1953	1,272.60	70.70	*
Goren, Minnie S	939 Blue Hill av	14—1953	1,272.60	70.70	*
Norfolk Apartments, Inc	51–59 Deering rd	14—1953	4,242.00	353.50	*
Smith, Myer	5 Verrill st	14—1953	671.65	35.35	*
Starr, Bessie	30 Hosmer st	14—1953	742.35	35.35	*
Mann, Arnold	7 Verrill st	14—1953	671.65	35.35	*
Barsomian, Leo and Alice	6 Ashland st	16—1953	777.70	70.70	*
Barsomian, Leo and Alice	8 Ashland st	16—1953	777.70	70.70	*
Port Norfolk Realty Corp	12 Ericsson st	16—1953	2,828.00	707.00	*
Trachtenberg, Abraham	154 Fairmount st	17—1953	818.40	282.80	*
Fine, David, et al	1328 Blue Hill av	18—1953	1,378.65	247.45	*
Noonan, Thomas J., et al	408 South Huntington av	19—1953	3,885.00	707.00	*
O'Brien, Helen L	254 Bennington st	1—1954	1,256.40	209.40	‡
A. & E. Paper Co., Inc	32 and 33 South Market st	3—1954	2,094.00	279.20	‡
Ames, Eli J., Realty Corp	683 Atlantic av	3—1954	8,725.00	1,745.00	‡
Anastasi, Patrick	Vacant lot, Commercial st	3—1954	97.72	48.86	‡
Anastasi, Patrick	Vacant lot, Commercial st	3—1954	48.86	20.94	‡
Anastasi, Patrick	Vacant lot, Commercial st	3—1954	118.66	69.80	‡
Anastasi, Patrick	Vacant lot, Commercial st	3—1954	132.62	69.80	‡
Bernstein, Sylvia	36 Hancock st	3—1954	2,233.60	209.40	‡
Berry, Louis	62 Boylston st	3—1954	167,520.00	48,860.00	‡
Berry, Louis	55 La Grange st	3—1954	4,188.00	907.40	‡
Berry, Louis	47 La Grange st	3—1954	698.00	104.70	‡
Bland, Eli M., et al	149 and 149A Dover st	3—1954	314.10	104.70	*
Collateral Loan Co	75 Cornhill	3—1954	5,933.00	1,047.00	‡
Esso Standard Oil Co	239 Cambridge st	3—1954	2,303.40	418.80	‡
Gilman, Osmon B	43 West st	3—1954	21,987.00	9,074.00	‡
Lee Chin Shee Foo	13 Hudson st	3—1954	628.20	139.60	‡
Levin, Henry H	175A Tremont st	3—1954	24,430.00	3,490.00	‡
Lesser, Henry, Trustee	16 Spring st	3—1954	565.60	244.30	‡
Lesser, Henry	34 Spring st	3—1954	607.26	69.80	‡
Marder, John	532 Tremont st	3—1954	1,256.40	139.60	‡
Mass. School of Barbering, Inc	1173 Washington st	3—1954	1,416.94	349.00	‡
Matthew, Elias K., Trustee	27 State st	3—1954	12,215.00	2,792.00	‡
Matthew, Elias K	17 Edinboro' st	3—1954	1,396.00	139.60	‡
Phelan, James	162A Tremont st	3—1954	17,222.52	3,043.28	‡
Raymond Realty Co	31 Hawley st	3—1954	8,725.00	698.00	‡
Raymond Realty Co	348 Washington st	3—1954	27,920.00	5,235.00	‡
Raymond Realty Co	42 Hawley pl	3—1954	1,047.00	174.50	‡
Raymond Realty Co	364 Washington st	3—1954	19,544.00	1,396.00	‡
Raymond Realty Co	368 Washington st	3—1954	10,470.00	1,745.00	‡
Raymond Realty Co	35 Hawley st	3—1954	879.48	181.48	‡
Raymond Realty Co	36 Hawley st	3—1954	3,141.00	1,047.00	‡
Riccio, Anthony V	9A Charter st	3—1954	732.90	69.80	‡
Riccio, Anthony V	23½ Charter st	3—1954	732.90	69.80	‡
Riccio, Anthony V	25 Charter st	3—1954	628.20	69.80	‡
Riccio, Anthony V	15A Charter st	3—1954	663.10	69.80	‡
Riccio, Gennaro, Jr	11A Charter st	3—1954	558.40	209.40	‡
Riccio, Gennaro, Jr	13 Charter st	3—1954	593.30	209.40	‡
Riccio, Joseph, et al	290 Hanover st	3—1954	4,188.00	418.80	‡
Silvestro, Gaetano	45 Hale st	3—1954	418.80	69.80	‡

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Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Silvestro, Gaetano	49 Hale st.	3—1954	$698.44	$209.40	‡
Silvestro, Gaetano	28 South Margin st	3—1954	907.40	209.40	‡
Silvestro, Concetta	25 Hale st.	3—1954	488.66	139.60	‡
United Shoe Mach. Corp	48 High st	3—1954	279,200.00	13,960.00	‡
Van Veen, Julia	14 Foster st	3—1954	523.50	90.74	‡
Ward, Ethel H., et al., Trustees	130 Blackstone st	3—1954	6,980.00	2,094.00	‡
Ward, Ethel H., et al., Trustees	138 Blackstone st	3—1954	1,256.40	209.40	‡
Ward, Ethel H., et al., Trustees	71 Union st	3—1954	2,792.00	349.00	‡
Zabarsky, Isaac	22 Irving st	3—1954	439.74	48.86	‡
Berman, Doris	310 Columbus av	4—1954	1,465.80	69.80	‡
Capodilupo, Anna, et al	282 Huntington av	4—1954	4,537.00	837.60	‡
Child Cancer Res. Fnd., Inc	43 Binney st	4—1954	35,074.50	35,074.50	‖
Friedman, Ada	521A Columbus av	4—1954	488.60	69.80	‡
Friedman, Ada	523A Columbus av	4—1954	488.60	69.80	‡
Friedman, Reuben	383 Columbus av	4—1954	558.40	104.70	‡
Friedman, Reuben	503 Columbus av	4—1954	488.60	69.80	‡
Silversmith, Peter P	451 Columbus av	4—1954	6,980.00	698.00	‡
Broadway, Inc., The	58 Warrenton st	5—1954	12,215.00	2,443.00	*
Cohen, Bertha E	106 Broadway	5—1954	1,047.00	139.60	‡
Cohen, Bertha E	112 Broadway	5—1954	984.18	209.40	‡
Cooper, Frank	53 Phillips st	5—1954	1,116.80	209.40	‡
Homsy, Antoon T	148 Marlborough st	5—1954	2,792.00	698.00	‡
Newbury Investment Corp.	98 Broadway	5—1954	$523.50	$69.80	‡
154 Boylston Street Trust	154 Boylston st	5—1954	7,678.00	1,396.00	‡
Reiss Realty Co., Inc.,	592 Commonwealth av	5—1954	13,960.00	2,443.00	‡
Riverbank Realty, Inc.	73 Newbury st	5—1954	4,188.00	698.00	‡
Showstack, Max	18 Phillips st	5—1954	2,966.50	523.50	‡
Dailey, Alfred J.	638 East Fourth st	6—1954	1,396.00	558.40	‡
Dailey, Alfred J.	636 East Fourth st.	6—1954	698.00	139.60	‡
Esso Standard Oil Co.	West Seventh st., SW	6—1954	1,396.00	104.70	‡
Fitzgerald, Robert J.	292 K st.	6—1954	467.66	69.80	‡
Rosenberg, Frances	82 A st.	6—1954	97.72	27.92	‡
Rosenberg, Frances	A st., SW	6—1954	223.36	41.88	‡
Silver Properties, Inc.	475 West Broadway	6—1954	12,913.00	1,186.60	‡
United Shoe Mach. Corp.	51 Sleeper st	6—1954	34,900.00	6,980.00	‡
Dudley Trading Corp.	636 Columbia rd.	7—1954	1,535.60	349.00	‡
Green, Harry	1228 Massachusetts av.	7—1954	907.40	139.60	‡
Mullen, Michael E., et al	244 L st.	7—1854	349.00	209.40	=
Puricelli, Giacomo, et al	24 Eastman st.	7—1954	279.20	69.80	‡
Quaglia, Rose, et al.	Vacant lot, Norfolk av., SW	7—1954	69.80	27.92	‡
Ward, Ethel H., et al	610 Columbia rd.	7—1954	31,479.80	2,512.80	‡
Ward, Ethel H., et al., Trustees	14 Ramsey st.	7—1954	977.20	279.20	‡
Kaufman, Kaspar, et al	103 Winthrop st.	8—1954	481.62	62.82	‡
Sacilotto, Arturo	57 Batchelder st.	8—1954	279.20	34.90	‡
Sonego, Olive A. and Sonego	10 Marshfield st.	8—1954	265.24	55.84	‡
Zopatti, Moses and Nora	21 Clifton st.	8—1954	593.30	104.70	‡
Babson Realty Corp.	116 West Brookline st.	9—1954	1,591.44	195.44	‡
Camden Street Realty Co.	200 Camden st.	9—1954	5,235.00	698.00	‡
Jay Realty Corp.	2385 Washington st.	9—1954	2,931.60	1,047.00	‡
Haveler, Helen, et al.	30 Castleton st.	10—1954	628.20	104.70	‡
Connaughton, John J.	43 Glen rd.	11—1954	663.10	104.70	‡
Goldstein, Maurice	1 Chilcott pl.	11—1954	942.30	244.30	‡
Rubin, Henriette, et al.	376 Arborway	11—1954	572.36	139.60	‡
Furst, Etta	3 Edgewood st.	11—1954	4,188.00	698.00	‡
Adamson, Clementina	75 Crawford st.	12—1954	698.00	69.80	*
Evans, Louis, et al	108 Harrishof st.	12—1954	488.60	69.80	*
Feldman, Arthur W.	70 Brookledge st.	12—1954	781.76	83.76	*
Johnson, Hilda W.	26 Clifford st.	12—1954	349.00	69.80	*
Kagno, Evelyn, et al.	40 Schuyler st.	12—1954	942.30	104.70	*
Laythe, Laura M.	130 Warren st.	12—1954	544.44	104.70	*
Owen, Myer, et al.	5 Intervale st.	12—1954	523.50	104.70	*
Owen, Myer, et al.	7 Intervale st.	12—1954	523.50	104.70	*
Owen, Myer, et al.	9 Intervale st	12—1954	523.50	104.70	*
Owen, Myer, et al.	11 Intervale st	12—1954	523.50	104.70	*
Payton, Dudley A., et al.	98 Crawford st.	12—1954	432.76	69.80	*
Perhnutter, Joseph L.	107 Homestead st	12—1954	767.80	279.20	*
Rothner, Ida	156 Humboldt av.	12—1954	1,954.40	209.40	‡
Shapiro, Hyman	226 Humboldt av.	12—1954	2,163.80	279.20	*
Skolniek, Marcia J.	31 Hutchings st	12—1954	767.80	69.80	*
Thomas, Fannie L.	176 Ruthven st	12—1954	802.70	139.60	*
Yanofsky, Joseph, et al.	461 Blue Hill av.	12—1954	2,233.60	349.00	‡
Zides, Max	58-60 Ruthven st.	12—1954	837.60	139.60	*
Zides, Max	548 Warren st.	12—1954	523.50	104.70	*
Zides, Max	550-552 Warren st.	12—1954	523.50	69.80	*
Zides, Max	2 Elm Hill pk.	12—1954	558.40	139.60	*
Cohen, Bessie S.	1488 Blue Hill av	13—1954	698.00	69.80	‡
Hughes, Emily E	30 Sydney st.	13—1954	404.84	55.84	‡
Koffman, Benjamin	637 Dudley st.	13—1954	8,027.00	698.00	‡
St. Mary's Infant Asylum Hospital	Vacant lot, Everett av.	13—1954	132.62	132.62	‖
University Building Corp.	40 Danube st.	13—1954	1,745.00	279.20	‡
University Building Corp.	34 Danube st	13—1954	1,675.20	279.20	‡
Bethel Hebrew School	131 Glenway st	14—1954	10,470.00	10,470.00	¶
Bleadon, Francis, et al	9 Roxton st.	14—1954	401.84	69.80	‡
Cavagnaro, Louisa B.	16 Calder st	14—1954	335.04	69.80	‡
Cohen, Frank	1051 Blue Hill av.	14—1954	767.80	69.80	‡
Feldman, Rose	166 Harvard st.	14—1954	628.20	34.90	‡
Gilman, Charles	578 Blue Hill av.	14—1954	1,151.70	104.70	‡
Gilman, Myer, et al.	70-72 Westmore rd.	14—1954	523.50	69.80	*
Goldberg, Shirley E.	42 Fayban st.	14—1954	837.60	69.80	‡
Goren, Minnie S.	935 Blue Hill av.	14—1954	1,256.40	69.80	‡
Goren, Minnie S.	939 Blue Hill av.	14—1954	1,256.40	69.80	‡
Libman, Annie	54 Harwood st.	14—1954	572.36	34.90	‡
Mann, Arnold	7 Verrill st.	14—1954	663.10	34.90	‡
Norfolk Apartments, Inc.	51 Deering rd., SE.	14—1954	4,188.00	349.00	‡
Owen, Anna	38 Lawrence av.	14—1954	418.80	69.80	*

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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Thomas J. Donnelly, 41 Woodgate street, Mattapan, from park maintenance man at $60.50 a week to electrician at $65.50 a week.

William E. Collins, 47 Woodlawn street, Forest Hills, from park maintenance foreman at $87 a week to general foreman of park maintenance at $94 a week.

Thomas J. Waldron, 32 Blanford road, Brighton, from gardener at $65.50 a week to senior gardener at $68 a week.

William F. Breen, 112 Brookside avenue, Jamaica Plain, from bath attendant and laborer at $58 a week to bath custodian (temporary) at $60.50 a week.

VETERANS' SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Harry A. Holland, 45 Pleasant street, Dorchester, from principal veterans' services supervisor (temporary transfer) at $90.50 a week to principal veterans' services supervisor at $90.50 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following transfer:

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Ambrose P. Griffin, 10 Rosaria street, Dorchester, from Public Works Department (Highway Division) as clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to Public Works Department (Water Division as clerk and typist at $50.50 a week.

STEP-RATE INCREASES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved step-rate increases for employees of the following departments:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Purchasing Division.

Eugene K. Welsh, assistant purchasing agent, from $121.96 to $127.25 a week.

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Dorothy A. Flaherty, senior statistical machine operator, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

Frederick J. Arata, senior account clerk, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Robert J. Kent, senior account clerk, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Daniel E. Coughlin, principal statistical machine operator, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Eleanor T. Spellman, senior statistical machine operator, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Patricia Spellman, senior statistical machine operator, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Constance Perruzzi, senior statistical machine operator, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Marie C. Martin, senior statistical machine operator, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Eleanor Coyle, statistical machine operator, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Health Division.

Margaret M. Glynn, clerk and typist, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Giacomo Bruno, assistant building maintenance supervisor, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

John K. Swan, public health dentist, from $80 to $83.50 a week.

Gerald J. Larkin, public health dentist, from $80 to $83.50 a week.

Gertrude C. Ego, senior clerk, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Alfred J. Tutela, environmental sanitation inspector (food), from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Charles J. Hamilton, environmental sanitation inspector, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

John B. Lynch, public health physician, from $108.25 to $113 a week.

Weights and Measures Division.

Henry C. Coffey, deputy sealer of weights and measures, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Long Island Division.

Alice M. Kane, graduate registered nurse, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

John J. Ferguson, senior hospital kitchen worker-cook, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Raymond G. Greene, attendant nurse, from $48 to $53 a week.

William E. Kirby, attendant nurse, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Evelyn M. McArthur, graduate practical nurse, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

John F. McCarthy, senior hospital kitchen worker-cook, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Eugene A. O'Keefe, attendant nurse, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

John S. Ridgen, attendant nurse, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Thomas W. Gilson, electrician foreman, from $83.50 to $87 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Charles Becker, zoo attendant, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

William Dunne, heavy motor equipment operator, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Cemetery Division.

Philip F. Fallo, tree maintenance foreman, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Automotive Division.

Robert Chace, motor equipment repairman, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

James Connolly, principal account clerk, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Hugh P. Foley, mobile guard, from $62.53 to $63 a week.

Thomas J. Moran, laborer-watchman, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Matthew Muliero, sergeant mobile guard, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Charles E. Snyder, machine maintenance repairman, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Sanitary Division.

Walter W. Moran, street cleaning and waste collection inspector, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

Ellen Corcoran, custodial worker, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

William C. McCarthy, principal account clerk, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Mary Gallagher, clerk-typist, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Alice M. Leahy, clerk-typist, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

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Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Robbins, Benjamin D.	11 Fernboro st.	14—1954	$698.00	$69.80	‡
Robbins, Benjamin D.	90 Lawrence av.	14—1954	523.50	34.90	‡
Rossman, Annie	38 Mascot st.	14—1954	698.00	139.60	‡
Rossman, Sarah	42 Mascot st.	14—1954	698.00	139.60	‡
Smith, Myer	5 Verrill st.	14—1954	663.10	34.90	‡
Sontag, David and Anna	17 Creston st.	14—1954	523.50	69.80	‡
Sontag, David and Anna	15 Creston st.	14—1954	523.50	69.80	‡
Starr, Bessie	30 Hosmer st.	14—1954	732.90	34.90	‡
Stern, Rose	25 Donald rd.	14—1954	663.10	69.80	‡
Wassersug, Harry M., et al.	59 Wales st.	14—1954	837.60	69.80	*
Wigderovitz, Isaac	19 Livingstone st.	14—1954	1,047.00	69.80	‡
Wigderovitz, Minnie, Estate of	21 Frontenac st.	14—1954	1,047.00	69.80	‡
Wigderovitz, Minnie, Estate of	1127 Blue Hill av.	14—1954	3,141.00	907.40	‡
Storer, Otis W.	31 Hendry st.	15—1954	439.74	69.80	‡
Zopatti, Moses and Nora	16 Bird st.	15—1954	572.36	83.76	‡
Barsomian, Leo and Alice	6 Ashland st.	16—1954	767.80	69.80	‡
Barsomian, Leo and Alice	8 Ashland st.	16—1954	767.80	69.80	‡
Caro, Ida	750 Adams st.	16—1954	1,256.40	139.60	‡
Fermental, Francis L., Trustee	11 Beaumont st.	16—1954	418.80	69.80	‡
Gallivan Realty Corp.	489 Gallivan Blvd.	16—1954	6,980.00	1,745.00	‡
Luzio, Gordon V.	Neponset av., Es.	16—1954	46.86	20.94	‡
Luzio, Gordon V.	33 Neponset av.	16—1954	83.76	41.88	‡
Luzio, Gordon V.	Neponset av., Es.	16—1954	69.80	34.90	‡
Luzio, Gordon V.	Neponset av., Es.	16—1954	62.82	34.90	‡
Old Colony Filling Station, Inc.	Hallet st.	16—1954	1,745.00	488.60	‡
Caruso, Christina	547 Washington st.	17—1954	1,116.80	209.40	‡
Hurley, Nora A.	78 Tonawanda st.	17—1954	537.46	118.66	‡
Murphy, Irene A.	10 Fendale av.	17—1954	537.46	69.80	‡
Peters, George, et al.	4–6 Bloomfield st.	17—1954	4,188.00	907.40	‡
Vaughan, Richard J.	23 Clancy rd.	17—1954	579.34	69.80	‡
Colella, Gennaro	997 River st.	18—1954	453.70	69.80	‡
Donahue, Alice M.	110 Williams av.	18—1954	41.88	20.94	‡
Donahue, Alice M.	110 Williams av.	18—1954	55.84	20.94	‡
Donahue, Alice M.	110 Williams av.	18—1954	397.86	104.70	‡
Fine, David, et al.	1328 Blue Hill av.	18—1954	1,361.10	244.30	‡
Ingemi, Michael A.	River st.	18—1954	104.70	34.90	‡
McLean, Henry A., et al.	21 Webster st.	18—1954	448.60	69.80	‡
Primpas, Cantina	524–542 River st.	18—1954	6,945.10	488.60	‡
Shapero, Beatrice, et al.	1290 Blue Hill av.	18—1954	1,012.10	209.10	‡
Stack, Andrew J.	Vacant lot, Walnut st.	18—1954	209.40	139.60	‡
Yanofsky, Sarah	1284 Blue Hill av.	18—1954	2,603.54	279.20	‡
Yanofsky, Sarah	1292 Blue Hill av.	18—1954	1,200.56	349.00	‡
Yanofsky, Sarah	1296 Blue Hill av.	18—1954	1,486.74	349.00	‡
Esso Standard Oil Co.	475 Centre st.	19—1954	1,256.40	69.80	‡
Esso Standard Oil Co.	881 Centre st.	19—1954	1,954.40	279.20	‡
Noonan, Thomas J., et al.	408 South Huntington av.	19—1954	3,839.00	698.00	‡
St. Pierre, Raoul J., et al.	32 Woodland rd.	19—1954	1,333.18	446.72	‡
Cooper, Harold J.	80 Grayfield av.	20—1954	802.70	663.10	=
Gurvitz, Saul	76 Lyall st.	20—1954	383.90	69.80	‡
Harkins, Vincent P.	11 Keane rd.	20—1954	544.44	335.04	=
Lyons, Delia A., et al.	100 Ardale st.	20—1954	474.64	139.60	‡
Mezzano, Albert, et al.	338 Belgrade av.	20—1954	1,745.00	349.00	‡
Najeeb, Meshaka	5330 Washington st.	20—1954	300.14	48.86	‡
Partridge, Paul	61 Grayfield av.	20—1954	523.50	383.90	=
Pope Lumber Co.	32 Park st.	20—1954	1,088.88	279.20	‡
Winer, Hyman, et al., Trustees	1931 Centre street	20—1954	3,538.86	886.46	‡
Autges. Realty Co., Inc.	192 Brighton av.	21—1954	2,094.00	349.00	‡
Cottage Farm Realty Corp.	278 Babcock st.	21—1954	13,262.00	2,094.00	‡
DeMas, Paul, et al.	1232 Commonwealth av.	21—1954	4,886.00	698.00	‡
Esso Standard Oil Co.	230 Harvard av.	21—1954	1,396.00	300.14	‡
Esso Standard Oil Co.	1390 Boylston st.	21—1954	8,306.20	2,722.20	‡
Fienman, Rose	71 Euston rd.	21—1954	593.30	34.90	‡
Gryzmisk, Mortimer C. Z.	398 Chestnut Hill av.	21—1954	8,396.94	1,745.00	‡
Neustadt, Maurice S.	596 Cambridge st.	21—1954	488.60	34.90	‡
Notargiacomo, Frank J.	386A Cambridge st.	21—1954	1,396.00	174.50	‡
Old South Church in Boston	10 Keswick rd.	21—1954	349.00	349.00	‖
Orlandella, Lena, Trustee	65 Strathmore rd.	21—1954	8,376.00	698.00	‡
Pitts Plate Glass Co.	300 Babcock st.	21—1954	15,007.00	3,490.00	‡
Tempesta, Thomas C.	74 Union st.	21—1954	418.80	279.20	=
Curley, Michael L., et al.	323–327 Faneuil st.	22—1954	1,535.60	279.20	‡
Elm Farm Foods Co.	Vacant lot, Buffalo st., Ns.	22—1954	7,608.20	2,024.20	‡
Esso Standard Oil Co.	216 Western av.	22—1954	2,163.80	488.60	‡
Esso Standard Oil Co.	433 Washington st.	22—1954	1,256.40	209.40	‡
Notargiacomo, Frank J., Trustee	4 Smith st.	22—1954	300.14	90.74	‡
Santamaria, Anna	58 Leo M. Birmingham Parkway.	22—1954	513.50	139.60	‡
Notargiacomo, Viola P. O.	3–5 Waverly st.	22—1954	418.80	104.70	‡
Notargiacomo, Frank J.	Vacant lot, Harvium rd.	22—1954	55.84	20.94	‡
Notargiacomo, Florence F.	51–53 Langley rd.	22—1954	488.60	104.70	‡
Notargiacomo, Frank J.	Vacant lot, Braintree st.	22—1954	146.58	69.80	‡
Notargiacomo, Frank J., Trustee	8 Hefferan st.	22—1954	314.10	69.80	‡
Notargiacomo, Frank J., Trustee	5 Hefferan st.	22—1954	314.10	69.80	‡
PERSONAL PROPERTY.					
Rosnov, Nathan	985 Massachusetts av.	8—1951	$502.40	$251.20	‡
Jacobsen Mfg. Co.	Wiggin Terminals.	2—1954	914.38	914.38	¶
DiPesa, Charles E.	10 High st.	3—1954	139.60	104.70	‡
Ginsberg, Bernard	205 Albany st.	3—1954	279.20	258.26	‡
Shell Oil Co.	441 Stuart st.	4—1954	349.00	209.40	‡
Clark Terminal of Boston, Inc.	Boston, Mass.	6—1954	3,908.80	1,954.40	‡
Rutstein, Maurice	443 Broadway	6—1954	237.32	97.72	‡
German Workingmen's Assn., Inc.	22 Amory st.	11—1954	558.40	209.40	‡
J. A. Garvey Transportation, Inc.	Tracy's Boat Yard.	15—1954	27.92	27.92	¶
Luciano, Arthur	641 River st.	18—1954	55.84	55.84	¶
Patten, Clyde	14 Miner st.	21—1954	13.96	13.96	¶

STEP-RATE INCREASES.

(Continued from page 587.)

Margaret Donahue, principal clerk, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Marie Scanlon, principal medical social work supervisor, from $83.50 to $87 a week.

Helen Holm, social worker, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Elliot Marks, social worker, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Douglas Shaw, statistical machine operator, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

COURTHOUSE.

David J. O'Brien, janitor, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Thomas O'Donnell, janitor, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Catherine E. Parker, cleaner, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following requests:

BOSTON RETIREMENT BOARD.

For the week ending April 26:

Anna J. Casey, head clerk, 9 hours at $3 an hour; Jerry R. Colella, senior pension examiner, 39 hours at $3 an hour; Marie C. Crowley, principal account clerk, 18 hours at $3 an hour; Anna T. McCarthy, principal clerk and typist, 21 hours at $3 an hour; Daniel F. Moynihan, principal pension examiner, 24 hours at $3 an hour.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

For the week ending April 26:

Harry L. McGuire, tree maintenance foreman, 60 hours at $2 an hour; Walter Shaughnessy, park maintenance foreman, 16 hours at $3 an hour; John J. Keane, foreman, greenhouse, 16 hours at $3 an hour; Daniel A. Cocuzzo, junior civil engineer, 8 hours at $2.09 an hour; Thomas Roberto, golf course foreman, 40 hours at $2 an hour; Neil P. Canney, park maintenance foreman, 24 hours at $3 an hour.

Cemetery Division.

Edwin W. Banks, cemetery foreman, Evergreen Cemetery, 38 hours at $2 an hour.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award the contracts for work, materials, and supplies, in accordance with recommendations of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Purchasing Division.

Upon April 18 the Mayor approved a contract with bidders as indicated for furnishing recreation supplies to the Parks and Recreation Department. Approximate total amounts of awards were as follows:

Contracts for: Horace Partridge Athletic Goods, Division of Wilson Sporting Goods Company, $3,397.04, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; W. H. Brine Company, $3,140.70, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; "Bucky" Warren, Inc., $1,673.45, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; J. L. Hammett Company, $1,292.10, net, 30 days; James W. Brine Company, Inc., $1,166.50, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Orders for: Collegiate House, Inc., $576.75, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; Caruso Sports Center, Inc., $162.40, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids, opened March 15, were as follows:

Recreation Supplies.

Requisition No. 299.

Item 1. 50 Tennis Rackets, Laminated-Leather Grip, Nylon Strung, T-624 Fleetwood, or Equal, Each.—James W. Brine Company, Inc., $5.76, N3, $4.80, NB; W. H. Brine Company, $5.20*; Caruso Sports Center, Inc., $3.97, Wilson, T-3732; Horace Partridge Athletic Goods, $4.58, T-3626; Collegiate House, Inc., $4.15, T-3722; "Bucky" Warren, Inc., $5.23.

Item 2. 15 Tennis Nets, Double Court, 21-Thread, Manila Rope, T-4221 C. B., or Equal, Each.—James W. Brine Company, Inc., $11.73; W. H. Brine Company, $13.59; Horace Partridge Athletic Goods, $13.48, T-1234; Collegiate House, Inc., $10.95*; M. E. O'Brien & Sons, Inc., $10.87; "Bucky" Warren, Inc., $11.63.

Item 3. 5 Gross Tennis Court Balls, Hard, Court Type, USLTA Approved, Per Gross.—Milton Bradley Company, $66.24, seamless, No. 577; James W. Brine Company, Inc., $70.20, NH, $76.50, Penn, W&D, or Dunlop; W. H. Brine Company, $68.28; Horace Partridge Athletic Goods, $63.84, T-1010; Collegiate House, Inc., $57; J. L. Hammett Company, $64.90, seamless, No. 577; "Bucky" Warren, Inc., $62.28.*

Item 4. 50 Valleyball Nets, Spaulding, 7556, Each.—James W. Brine Company, Inc., $6.97; W. H. Brine Company, $7.75; Horace Partridge Athletic Goods, $8.16, H-5520; Collegiate House, Inc., $6.40, 3024VB*; M. E. O'Brien & Sons, Inc., $6.45, D-3024VE; "Bucky" Warren, Inc., $3.73, alternate, $6.97.

Item 5. 3 Leather Basketballs, Official Size, Weight and Performance, Rawlings R.S.S., Each.—James W. Brine Company, Inc., $19.85; W. H. Brine Company, $19.85*; Caruso Sports Center, Inc., $13.87, Wilson, B-1110; Horace Partridge Athletic Goods, $13.86; "Bucky" Warren, Inc., $14.95.

Item 6. 15 Clock Timers, Sports Master, or Equal, Each.—James W. Brine Company, Inc., $7; Horace Partridge Athletic Goods, $6.04, E-8240; "Bucky" Warren, Inc., $6.78.*

Item 7. 6 All Sports Timers, Galco, or Equal, Each.—James W. Brine Company, Inc., $18.67; Horace Partridge Athletic Goods, $14.99, E-8210*; Collegiate House, Inc., $4.75; "Bucky" Warren, Inc., $11.25.

Item 8. 20 Boxing Striking Bags, Large Size, Leather-Welted Seams, Valve Type Bladder, Wilson, H-1250, Each.—James W. Brine Company, Inc., $7.50, ES58, $9, RSB; Caruso Sports Center, Inc., $7.49*; Horace Partridge Athletic Goods, $7.50; "Bucky" Warren, Inc., $9.30.

Item 9. 20 Striking Bag Bladders, Large Size, Valve Type, Each.—James W. Brine Company, Inc., 85 cents; W. H. Brine Company, 80 cents; Caruso Sports Center, Inc., 63 cents, Wilson H-1420*; Horace Partridge Athletic Goods, 68 cents, H-1420; J. L. Hammett Company, 68 cents, seamless No. 1525R; "Bucky" Warren, Inc., 80 cents; Milton Bradley Company, 72 cents, seamless, SR 1525-R.

Item 10, 15 Medicine Balls, 12-Inch Diameter, 9-Pound Weight, Premier, No. 912, Each.—James W. Brine Company, Inc., $9.60; W. H. Brine Company, (*a*) $8.75[1], (*b*) $10; Caruso Sports Center, Inc., $8.59, No. 612; Horace Partridge Athletic Goods, $7.70, E-3213[2]; "Bucky" Warren, Inc., $9.25.*

[1] (*a*) No. 612, 6 pounds in weight and 12 inches in diameter; (*b*) No. 914, 9 pounds in weight and 14 inches in diameter.

[2] Samples were not submitted on Items 10 and 12 because there were none in stock at time, if necessary, samples can be offered at a later date upon request.

Item 11. 1 Gross Handballs, No. 555, Seamless, Per Gross.—Milton Bradley Company, $65.52; James W. Brine Company, Inc., $57*; W. H. Brine Company, $68.40; Caruso Sports Center, Inc., $5.76[3]; Collegiate House, Inc., $65; Horace Partridge Athletic Goods, $58.75, E-6214; J. L. Hammett Company, $59.90; "Bucky" Warren, Inc., $68.40.

[3] This item withdrawn, permission of J.V.M.

Item 12. 100 Sets Rubber Quoits, Complete, Per Set.—James W. Brine Company, $2.40, DR, $1.48, DJ; W. H. Brine Company, $1.25*; Horace Partridge Athletic Goods, $2.80, No. 703, 2 pegs and 4 quoits; "Bucky" Warren, Inc., $1.31.

Requisition No. 300.

Item 13. 50 Sets Official Horseshoes, As Per Specifications, Per Set.—James W. Brine Company, Inc., $4.60; W. H. Brine Company, $5.33*; Caruso Sports Center, Inc., $4.82, Wilson, E-6304; Horace Partridge Athletic Goods, $4.83, E-6304; "Bucky" Warren, Inc., $3.83.

Item 14. 100 Sets Bat Tennis, Complete, Per Set.—James W. Brine Company, Inc., $4.08, 2-paddle set, $6.48, 4-paddle set; W. H. Brine Company (*a*) $4.08[4], (*b*) $6.48; Horace Partridge Athletic Goods, $6.97, E-6304; "Bucky" Warren, Inc., $4.22.

[4] (*a*) covers No. 10 set furnished by General Sportscraft Company, containing two tennis bats, same as sample, two tennis balls and a net; (*b*) covers set containing four bats, three balls, and net, as per sample.

Item 15. 50 Beanbag Boards, As Specified, Each.—James W. Brine Company, Inc., $7.50.*

Item 16. 50 Sets Basket Goal Nets, Heavy, 84-Thread Cord, Per Set.—James W. Brine Company, Inc., $1.86; Caruso Sports Center, Inc., $1.93, Wilson, B-1954; Collegiate House, Inc., $1.85*; Horace Partridge Athletic Goods, $1.93, B-1954; M. E. O'Brien & Sons, Inc., $1.72; "Bucky" Warren, Inc., $1.94.

Item 17. 150 Officials' Whistles, Small, Nickel-Plated, Each.—James W. Brine Company, Inc., 45 cents*; W. H. Brine Company, 40 cents; Caruso Sports Center, Inc., 39 cents, Wilson, H-8313; Horace Partridge Athletic Goods, 36 cents, E-8313; "Bucky" Warren, Inc., 35 cents.

Item 18. 20 Officials' Horns, Each.—James W. Brine Company, Inc., $1.25*; Caruso Sports Center, Inc., $1.34, Wilson, E-8350; Collegiate House, Inc., $1.25; "Bucky" Warren, Inc., $1.32.

Item 19. 15 Sets Boxing Gloves, 12-Ounce, Golden Glove Type or Equal, Per Set.—James W. Brine Company, Inc., $14.10; W. H. Brine Company, $11.50*; Caruso Sports Center, Inc., $11.48, Wilson, H-1016; Horace Partridge Athletic Goods, $11.50, H-1016; "Bucky" Warren, Inc., $16.

Item 20. 15 Sets Boxing Gloves, 10-Ounce, Golden Glove or Equal, Per Set.—James W. Brine Company, Inc., $12.90; W. H. Brine Company, $11.25*; Caruso Sports Center, Inc., $10.89, Wilson, H-1014; Horace Partridge Athletic Goods, $10.90, 1014; "Bucky" Warren, Inc., $10.50.

Item 21. 10 Boxing Headguards, Spaulding, 5223, or Equal, Each.—James W. Brine Company, Inc., $6.50; W. H. Brine Company, $4.54*; Horace Partridge Athletic Goods, $3.96, H–1916; "Bucky" Warren, Inc., $4.90, alternate, $9.65.

Item 22. 10 Foul-Proof Boxing Protectors, Medium, Taylor, or Equal, Each.—James W. Brine Company, Inc., $5.31, EP, $7.50, E4*; Horace Partridge Athletic Goods, $7.15, E–1081; "Bucky" Warren, Inc., $6.65, $8.25.

Item 23. 50 Dozen Rubber-Covered Softballs, Voit, C112 Type, or Equal, Per Dozen.—Milton Bradley Company, $763 total, seamless, No. 412; James W. Brine Company, Inc., $15.98; W. H. Brine Company, $15.84; Caruso Sports Center, Inc., $14.88, Wilson, A–9322; Collegiate House, Inc., $15.50; Horace Partridge Athletic Goods, $12.42, A–9322*; J. L. Hammett Company, $14.60 seamless, No. 412; "Bucky" Warren, Inc., $12.54.

Item 24. 25 Dozen Rubber-Covered, Soft Center, Voit Type, Softballs, 12 Inches, C912, or Equal, Per Dozen.—James W. Brine Company, Inc., $15.98; W. H. Brine Company, $15.84; Caruso Sports Center, Inc., $9.43, Wilson, 9150; Collegiate House, Inc., $11.80, N–9332; Horace Partridge Athletic Goods, $13.68, A–9326*; "Bucky" Warren, Inc., $14.52.

Requisition No. 301.

Item 25. 50 Sets Softball Bases, 15 Ounces, Canvas, Quilted and Padded, with Spikes, MacGregor, SB3, or Equal, Per Set.—James W. Brine Company, Inc., $4.20, R–670,* $5.52, R–675; W. H. Brine Company, $4.735; Caruso Sports Center, Inc., $4.27, Premier, No. 49; Collegiate House, Inc., $4.20, No. 49; Horace Partridge Athletic Goods, $4.43, A–9932; "Bucky" Warren, Inc., $3.85.

Item 26. 15 Sets Softball Bases, Voit Type, SB No. 1, or Equal, Per Set.—Milton Bradley Company, $10.86, seamless, 3393; James W. Brine Company, Inc., $12.64; W. H. Brine Company, $14.52; Caruso Sports Center, Inc., $11.96, Wilson, A–9944; Collegiate House, Inc., $4.25, each base, $12.75, set of 3; Horace Partridge Athletic Goods, $11.40, A–9944; J. L. Hammett Company, $10.70, seamless, 3393*; "Bucky" Warren, Inc., $13.68.

Item 27. 50 Rubber Basketballs, Official Size, Weight and Performance, Second Grade, Voit JB2 or Equal, Each.—Milton Bradley Company, $257.50, total, seamless, No. 502; James W. Brine Company, Inc., $6.88; W. H. Brine Company, $8.16; Caruso Sports Center, Inc., $4.34, Wilson B–1620; Horace Partridge Athletic Goods, $5.90, B–1616; J. L. Hammett Company, $4.95, seamless, No. 502*; "Bucky" Warren, Inc., $6.25.

Item 28. 30 Rubber Basketballs, Official Size, Weight and Performance, Enduro, Voit CB2, or Equal, Each.—Milton Bradley Company, $216.30, total, seamless, No. 580; James W. Brine Company, Inc., $8.15; W. H. Brine Company, $6.88; Caruso Sports Center, Inc., $6.53, Wilson, B–1616; Collegiate House, Inc., $8.10; Horace Partridge Athletic Goods, $7.02, B–1610*; J. L. Hammett Company, $6.95, seamless, No. 580; "Bucky" Warren, Inc., $7.43.

Item 29. 75 Volleyballs, Rubber, Voit, CV4 Type, or Equal, Each.—Milton Bradley Company, $5.55, seamless, No. 582; James W. Brine Company, Inc., $6.37; W. H. Brine Company, $6.38; Caruso Sports Center, Inc., $5.49, Wilson, H–5054; Collegiate House, Inc., $6.30; Horace Partridge Athletic Goods, $5.42, H–5050*; J. L. Hammett Company, $5.35, seamless, 582; "Bucky" Warren, Inc., $5.83.

Item 30. 100 Dozen Hi-Bouncers, T.B. Rejects, Per Dozen.—James W. Brine Company, Inc., 80 cents; W. H. Brine Company, 72 cents; "Bucky" Warren, Inc., 71 cents.*

Item 31. 300 Rubber Utility Balls 8½ Inches, Voit PG Type, or Equal, Assorted Colors, Per Dozen.—Milton Bradley Company, $18.72, seamless, 404; James W. Brine Company, Inc., $1.76 each; W. H. Brine Company, $1.74; Caruso Sports Center, Inc., $19.89, Wilson, E–6520; Collegiate House, Inc., $1.75; Horace Partridge Athletic Goods, $18, E–6520*; J. L. Hammett Company, $18.24, seamless, No. 404; "Bucky" Warren, Inc., $19.14.

Item 32. 20 Rubber Footballs, Voit, CF9, Enduro, or Equal, Each.—Milton Bradley Company, $6.67, seamless, No. 581; James W. Brine Company, Inc., $7.49; W. H. Brine Company, $8.75; Caruso Sports Center, Inc., $6.71, Wilson, F-1512; Horace Partridge Athletic Goods, $6.93, F-1510; J. L. Hammett Company, $6.50, seamless, 581; "Bucky" Warren, Inc., $6.93.*

Item 33. 25 Dozen Softball Bats, "Louisville Slugger," or Equal, Per Dozen.—James W. Brine Company, Inc., $11.08; W. H. Brine Company, $10.50*; Caruso Sports Center, Inc., $8.88, Wilson, A-9440; Horace Partridge Athletic Goods, $10.08, A-9432; "Bucky" Warren, Inc., $9, $10.25.

Item 34. 50 Catchers' Mitts, Cowhide, Adjustable Wrist Strap, High School Type, Rawlings, 222, or Equal, Each.—James W. Brine Company, Inc., $7.06; W. H. Brine Company, $8.70; Caruso Sports Center, Inc., $5.21, Wilson, A-2556; Collegiate House, Inc., $5.35, A-2556; Horace Partridge Athletic Goods, $6.30, A-2542; "Bucky" Warren, Inc., $6.93, $8.48.*

Requisition No. 302.

Item 35. 50 Catchers' Masks, Leather Covered, Welded Wire Frame, Adjustable Straps, Rawlings, OV52 or Equal, Each.—James W. Brine Company, Inc., $5.60, A-1521, $4.50, No. RM523; W. H. Brine Company, $5.35; Caruso Sports Center, Inc., $3.75, Wilson, H-3060; Collegiate House, Inc., $4.20, A-3060; Horace Partridge Athletic Goods, $4.85, A-3040; "Bucky" Warren, Inc., $4.32.*

Item 36. 50 Catchers' Body Protectors, Tan, Canvas, Kapok Stuffed, Adjustable Straps, Rawlings, No. 12, or Equal, Each.—James W. Brine Company, Inc., $4.06*; W. H. Brine Company, $4.55; Caruso Sports Center, Inc., $3.52, Wilson, A-3260; Collegiate House, Inc., $5.45, A-3236; Horace Partridge Athletic Goods, $3.36, A-3260*; "Bucky" Warren, Inc., $3.90.

Item 37. 100 Dozen Cushion Cork Center, Official Size, Weight and Performance Baseballs, Rejects of First Grade Ball, Per Dozen.—James W. Brine Company, Inc., $13.68; W. H. Brine Company, $17.55; Caruso Sports Center, Inc., $13.14, Wilson, A-1064; Collegiate House, Inc., $11.85, No. C76; Horace Partridge Athletic Goods, $12.77, No. BB*; "Bucky" Warren, Inc., $16.20, $12.

Item 38. 50 Dozen Cushion Cork Center, Official Size, Weight and Performance Baseballs, First Grade, Spaulding, 134, or Equal, Per Dozen.—James W. Brine Company, Inc., $18; W. H. Brine Company, $16.20*; Caruso Sports Center, Inc., $16.97, Wilson, A–1044; Collegiate House, Inc., $15.65, No. CHS; Horace Partridge Athletic Goods, $15.12, No. XX; "Bucky" Warren, Inc., $18, $16.10.

Item 39. 25 Dozen Baseball Bats, No. 130, Louisville Slugger Type, or Equal, Per Dozen.—James W. Brine Company, Inc., $13.96; W. H. Brine Company, $13.50*; Caruso Sports Center, Inc., $16.94, Wilson, A–1520; Collegiate House, Inc., $16.80; Horace Partridge Athletic Goods, $13.20, A–1326; "Bucky" Warren, Inc., $14.35.

Item 40. 15 Dozen Baseball Bats, Louisville Slugger, No. 11, B, "Big Leaguer," or Equal, Per Dozen.—James W. Brine Company, Inc., $15.40; W. H. Brine Company, $15*; Caruso Sports Center, Inc., $10.08, Wilson, A–1360; Collegiate House, Inc., $18; Horace Partridge Athletic Goods, $13.92, A–1340; "Bucky" Warren, Inc., $15.90.

Item 41. 10 Dozen Baseball Bats, Louisville Slugger, Type No. 125J, Genuine, Autographed "Little League," Louisville Slugger, Per Dozen.—James W. Brine Company, Inc., $15.40*; W. H. Brine Company, $16.20; Caruso Sports Center, Inc., $10.08, Wilson, A–1532; Collegiate House, Inc., $18; Horace Partridge Athletic Goods, $13.32, A–1526; "Bucky" Warren, Inc., $15.90, $14.40.

Requisition No. 303.

Item 42. 400 Beanbags, 6 x 6, Heavy Canvas, Each.—James W. Brine Company, Inc., 40 cents; Collegiate House, Inc., 35 cents; Horace Partridge Athletic Goods, 37.5 cents, E–6994; "Bucky" Warren, Inc., 18 cents.*

Item 43. 25 Kalah Game Boards.—No bids.

Item 44. 20 Sets Shuffleboards, J.W.B., D-900, or Equal, Per Set.—James W. Brine Company, Inc., $10.20; W. H. Brine Company, $12[5]; Horace Partridge Athletic Goods, $11.13; "Bucky" Warren, Inc., $10.*

[5] Item 44—have furnished sample of General Sportscraft's No. 925 (2-piece aluminum pusher), set with one-piece pusher may be furnished at same price.

Item 45. 90 Dozen Boxes Checkers, 30 Pieces, Per Dozen.—Milton Bradley Company, $1.89, Bradley, No. 518; J. L. Hammett Company, $1.79*; "Bucky" Warren, Inc., $2.06.

Item 46. 90 Dozen Checkerboards, MB-4830A, 18 Inches or Equal, Per Dozen.—Milton Bradley Company, $3.33; J. L. Hammett Company, $3.20.*

Item 47. 25 Dozen Sets Chinese Checkers, MB-4751C, or Equal, Per Dozen Sets.—Milton Bradley Company, $13.10; J. L. Hammett Company, $12*; "Bucky" Warren, Inc., $6, $12.

Item 48. 90 Dozen Sets Jackstones, Per Dozen Sets.—"Bucky" Warren, Inc., $1.25; J. L. Hammett Company, 80 cents.*

Item 49. 900 Packages Marbles, 60 to Package, Per Package.—"Bucky" Warren, Inc., 13 cents, package of 40; J. L. Hammett Company, 7 cents, package of 40*; Milton Bradley Company, 21 cents.

Discount.—Milton Bradley Company, net, no discount; James W. Brine Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; W. H. Brine Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; "Bucky" Warren, Inch 2 per cent, time of payment; Caruso Sports Center, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Collegiate House, Inc 2 per cent, time of payment; J. L. Hammett Company, net, 30 days; M. E. O'Brien & Sons, Inc., 2 per cent, 10 days, net, 30 days; Horace Partridge Athletic Goods, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Remarks.—M. E. O'Brien & Sons, Inc., total orders for all items bid, Items

2, 4, and 16, on basis of all or none; order to be received by April 10 for delivery as required, cost of bond, if required, to be added to bid price, samples on request (per Mr. Rosdahl), prices firm for 14 days only, subject to review thereafter. W. H. Brine Company, Item 19, sample submitted, no sample on Item 20, as it is exactly the same as sample for Item 19, but of a lighter weight.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon April 21 the Mayor approved a contract with Central Products Company for furnishing concrete sectional liners to the Cemetery Division of the Parks and Recreation Department, from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, inclusive. Approximate total amount of contract was $13,944, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bid, opened March 22, was as follows:

Item 1. 700 No. 86 Concrete Sectional Liners, Each.—Central Products Company, $15.30.

Item 2. 200 No. 88 Concrete Sectional Liners, Each.—Central Products Company, $16.17.

Discount.—Central Products Company, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Specifications.

To be reinforced steel concrete sectional crypts. Six slab pieces to complete the unit. All sections to be at least 1¼ inches thick. Concrete to be made from lightweight aggregate. Tops and bottoms must be reinforced with at least No. 1 steel wire longitudinally and 8 inches on center and No. 4 steel cross wire 6 inches on center. Sides must be reinforced with at least No. 2 longitudinal steel wire and No. 8 cross wire. Side slabs to be tongued to engage with receiving groove in end slabs. Bottom slabs must be rabbited or recessed to fit end and side slabs.

Boston Traffic Commission.

Upon April 26 the Mayor approved a contract with James A. Freaney, Inc., for furnishing and installing underground conduit and concrete bases for traffic signal posts in the intersection of Longwood avenue and Riverway, Boston, at an estimated cost of $1,790. The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced on a date to be specified in a written order from the commission and shall be fully completed within one month from that date. The following bids were received April 21:

James A. Freaney, Inc., $1,790; John J. Botti, $1,890; R. A. Buccella & Sons, Inc., $1,960; James A. Susi, $2,386.25.

Department of School Buildings.

Upon April 27 the Mayor approved a contract with Stanton Electrical Company, Inc., for electrical work at the Administration Building, 15 Beacon street, Boston. Bids, opened April 25, were as follows:

Stanton Electrical Company, Inc., $3,245; J. J. Finn Electrical Service, $3,694; Kay Electric Company, $3,873; John R. Lentine, $3,927.

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Upon April 28 the Mayor approved a contract with New York Building Wrecking Company, Inc., for demolition of the Hobart Street School Building. Bids, opened April 26, were as follows:

New York Building Wrecking Company, Inc., $1,890; Mystic Building Wrecking Company, Inc., $2,364; Central Building Wrecking Company, $2,445; City Building Wrecking Company, $2,740; American Building Wrecking Company, Inc., $3,250.

Upon May 2 the Mayor approved a contract with Frank DiCenzo & Sons, Inc., for sealing exterior masonry walls, to minimize their absorption and increase their repellency of water, at the Atherton School. Bids, opened April 26, were as follows:

Frank DiCenzo & Sons, Inc., $2,575, extra work, 55 cents per square foot; D. Antonellis, Inc., $3,100, extra work, 50 cents per square foot; Patrick Ross Company, $3,399, extra work, 58 cents per square foot; W. E. Smith Company, Inc., $3,742, extra work, 40 cents per square foot; M. Solimando, $4,344, extra work, 60 cents per square foot; South Shore Waterproofing Company, $5,680, extra work, 40 cents per square foot.

Hospital Department.

Upon April 27 the Mayor approved a contract for relocation of laboratory facilities to the first floor south end of old Surgical Building, Boston City Hospital. Bid, opened Wednesday, April 20, was as follows: M. Solimando, $7,574.

Library Department.

Upon April 26 the Mayor approved a contract with Fred Ralston & Co. for gardening work at twelve branch libraries. Bids, opened Wednesday, April 6, were as follows:

Fred Ralston & Co., Inc., $1,931.50; Hydraulic Seeding and Fertilizing Company, $2,491; Joseph C. Fahey, $2,525 (disqualified, no proposal submitted to City Auditor).

Public Works Department.

Upon April 27 the Mayor approved a contract with S. J. Tomasello Corporation for bituminous concrete pavement in Canterbury street, Wards 18 and 19; Corey terrace, Ward 20; Hartlawn road, Ward 20; Newmarket square, Ward 8; Zeller Street Extension, Ward 20; and bituminous concrete pavement and sewerage works in Merriam street, Ward 11, and such additional locations, if any, in Wards 8, 11, 18, 19, and 20, as may be designated by the Commissioner of Public Works, at an estimated cost of $69,798.86. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed September 1, 1955. The following bids were received April 21:

S. J. Tomasello Corporation, paving, $67,181.36, sewer, $2,617.50, grand total, $69,798.86.

Rufo Construction Company, paving, $69,910.80, sewer, $2,130, grand total, $72,040.80.

P. V. Barone Corporation, paving, $73,102.75, sewer, $2,640, grand total, $75,742.75.

School Committee.

The School Committee has approved proposals for furnishing toilet paper in rolls for Boston public schools. Bids, opened Tuesday, April 12, were received from the following concerns:

Fort Hill Paper Company, Ginsburg Brothers, Inc., H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., Mainco Trading Company, Stone & Forsyth Company, Waltham Paper Products Company.

Award was made to the lowest responsible bidder, as follows:

Waltham Paper Products Company, $2,865.

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The School Committee has approved proposals for furnishing paper, blankbooks, notebooks and envelopes for Boston public schools. Bids, opened Monday, March 14, were received from the following concerns:

Boston Envelope Company, Boston Paper Board Company, Milton Bradley Company, Elbe File and Binder Company, Gledhill Brothers, Inc., J. L. Hammett Company, Hinkson Paper Company, Mainco Trading Company, Massachusetts Envelope Company, Henry S. Wolkins Company.

Awards were made to the lowest responsible bidders, as follows:

Mainco Trading Company, $23,470.45.
Boston Paper Board Company, $1,348.40.
J. L. Hammett Company, $17,223.50.
Milton Bradley Company, $1,025.75.
Boston Envelope Company, $2,443.
Henry S. Wolkins Company, $8,956.
Gledhill Brothers, Inc., $1,291.50.

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The School Committee has approved a proposal for furnishing Kraft paper garbage containers for Boston public schools. Bid, opened Monday, April 11, was as follows:

Whitney Brothers, Inc., $1,621.50.

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The School Committee has approved proposals for furnishing fine arts supplies, industrial arts supplies (including items for use in kindergartens). Bids, opened Monday, February 14, were received from the following concerns:

Boston Blue Print Company, Inc., Boston Envelope Company, Milton Bradley Company, Charvoz-Roos Corporation, Devoe Reynolds Company, Inc., Eugene Dietzgen Company, Inc., Elbe File & Binder Company, Inc., Gemexco, Inc., Gledhill Brothers, Inc., J. L. Hammett Company, H. T. Herbert Company, Lutz Company, Mainco Trading Company, B. L. Makepeace, Inc., Massachusetts Envelope Company, Palmer Pann Corporation, Play Art Educational Equipment Company, George Smith, United Arts Company, Inc., Walbuck Crayon Company, Henry S. Wolkins Company.

Awards were made to the lowest responsible bidders, as follows:

Boston Envelope Company, $998.84.
Gledhill Brothers, Inc., $11,579.10.
J. L. Hammett Company, $32,405.93.
Lutz Company, $908.20.
Henry S. Wolkins Company, $5,649.14.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

Upon varying dates as indicated the Mayor approved contracts with commercial houses, supply houses, and contractors for furnishing labor, supplies, etc. Communications from heads of the departments interested were as follows:

Administrative Services Department.

Purchasing Division.

Boston, March 22, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

This office is in receipt of a requisition from the Water Division of the Public Works Department for an emergency delivery of approximately 7½ tons of pig lead to be used in repairing emergency breaks in water lines. The present amount in the contract with National Lead Company of Massachusetts covering the period from April 1, 1954, to March 31, 1955, has been exhausted.

Inasmuch as this material is urgently

needed for emergency repairs, it is requested that permission be granted me to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to the last supplier, National Lead Company of Massachusetts, at the same contract price, namely, $16.15 per hundredweight, net, which is the New York posted price on date of shipment plus $1.15 per hundredweight. Today's posted price is $15 per hundredweight, net.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $2,422.50, net.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, April 1, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

In accordance with the provisions of the letter approved by your Honor on January 24, 1955, authority is requested to award a contract, without public advertisement, to the following-named company for furnishing perishable foods to the various city departments from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, inclusive:

Columbia Packing Company, 155 Southampton street.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, April 28, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office is in receipt of a Requisition No. 63 from the Fire Alarm Division of the Fire Department for immediate delivery of 6,000 feet 12-3 Simplex S. O. Tyrex rubber cord. Informal requests for prices were solicited from five local distributors and the manufacturer. Marshall & Co., Inc., 288 Congress street, submitted the lowest bid, which was $258 per thousand feet, plus four reels at $25 each, net.

Inasmuch as this wire is urgently needed for rewiring the lighting plants and rescue squad trucks, and since six competitive bids were received, including that of the manufacturer, authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to Marshall & Co., Inc. It is my opinion that, in this way, the best interests of the city will be served.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $1,648, net. This amount includes $100 for four reels at $25 each, which are extra and returnable for full credit in good condition.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, April 25, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office is in receipt of twenty-seven requisitions from the Parks and Recreation Department for parts for various makes of hand and power mowers to be delivered immediately upon receipt of orders.

Quotations were received from various companies. The lowest bidders were as follows:

R. E. Jarvis Company, $1,668.27; Clapper Company, $220.65; George D. Hanchett & Son, $144.17.

Inasmuch as these parts are needed immediately and since, in my opinion, the most advantageous prices have been obtained, it is requested that permission be granted me to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to R. E. Jarvis Company and orders to the other two companies.

Approximate total amounts of awards will be as follows:

R. E. Jarvis Company, $1,668.27—parts for Briggs Stratton, Devere, Wisconsin, Great American, Ideal, Foley, and Spinway machines; Clapper Company, $220.65—parts for Toto machines; George D. Hanchett & Son, $144.17—parts for International machines.

Discounts for R. E. Jarvis Company and George D. Hanchett & Son is 2 per cent, payment within ten days; prices of Clapper Company are net.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

BOSTON, April 27, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

On March 25, 1955, your Honor approved a $1,218,221 contract with Rich Brothers Construction Company, providing for the construction of an elementary school in the William E. Russell District. This firm was the lowest responsible eligible bidder for the project following its advertisement in the *City Record*.

The subcontractor selected and included in the aforesaid general contract for the work of waterproofing, dampproofing, and caulking, at a figure of $2,681, failed to execute a subcontract to cover all of that work. Accordingly, and under the applicable provisions of the General Laws, chapter 149, sections 44A through 44E, as amended, the awarding authority and the general contractor have selected another subbidder to perform this phase of the work, viz., Patrick Ross & Co., the next subbidder, at a figure of $4,373, requiring an increase in the contract cost of $1,692.

Therefore, and without added advertising, your approval is respectfully requested to appropriately amend the principal contract documents, conformably with the aforesaid statute, by inserting the name of Patrick Ross & Co. as the subcontractor for waterproofing, dampproofing, and caulking, at a figure of $4,373, and by substituting the sum of $1,219,913 in place of $1,218,221 as the new total contract sum, in order to reflect the $1,692 increase in the cost of construction.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES H. MOONEY,
Superintendent of Construction.

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BOSTON, April 28, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

To formulate a policy of having elevator inspections, tests, minor adjustments, repairs, etc., performed by the elevator manufacturers, I requested estimates based on a specific specification, copy attached, and for this service, consistent with the specifications, including use of two mechanics, I received for the inspection and maintenance of seven Portland Elevator Company elevator installations a proposal in the amount of $1,401.

As the experience of this department has proved conclusively that repairs, maintenance, inspections, etc., should be made by the elevator manufacturer, particularly as relates to replacement parts of elevator machinery and equipment, I deemed it to be in the best interest of the City of Boston to establish such a procedure.

Consequently, I ask that you approve this method of acquiring maintenance, tests, etc., without public advertising, and authorize me to negotiate a contract with the Portland Elevator Company, Inc., 133 Oliver street, for the period April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, in an amount not to exceed $1,401.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES H. MOONEY,
Superintendent of Construction.

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BOSTON, April 28, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

To formulate a policy of having elevator inspections, tests, minor adjustments, repairs, etc., performed by the elevator manufacturers, I requested estimates based on a specific specification, copy attached, and for this service, consistent with the specifications, including use of two mechanics, I received for the inspection and maintenance of twelve (12) F. S. Payne Company elevator installations a proposal in the amount of $2,011.

As the experience of this department has proved conclusively that repairs, maintenance, inspections, etc., should be made by the elevator manufacturer, particularly as relates to replacement parts of elevator machinery and equipment, I deemed it to be in the best interests of the City of Boston to establish such a procedure.

Consequently, I ask that you approve this method of acquiring maintenance, tests, etc., without public advertising, and authorize me to negotiate a contract with the F. S. Payne Company, 291 Congress street, Boston, Mass., for the period April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, in an amount not to exceed $2,011.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES H. MOONEY,
Superintendent of Construction.

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HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, March 25, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

We respectfully request your permission to dispense with publicly advertising for bids, and to award a contract to Otis Elevator Company, 130 Clarendon street, Boston, Mass., for maintenance of twenty-one (21) Otis electric passenger elevators, two (2) Otis double-button freight elevators, and two (2) Otis push-button dumb-waiters, located at the Boston City Hospital, for a period from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, inclusive, at a monthly cost of $1,802.67, the

total cost for the contract period not to exceed the sum of $21,632.04.

This firm has performed this very technical service in a most satisfactory and efficient manner for the past four years.

The rates this year represent an increase of $18.23 per month over the rates as stated in the contract which is to expire on March 31, 1955; however, the increase is one that has been determined in accordance with the terms of certain option provisions contained in the contract under which the city could have required the contractor to perform these services at the new rate for the period of the proposed contract, namely, April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956.

Furthermore, it is the opinion of the Board of Trustees that the interests of the city will best be served by awarding the new contract, without advertising, to Otis Elevator Company, and the Board is further of the view that nothing would be gained by publicly advertising for proposals for this work.

Respectfully yours,

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT AND BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL,
by RICHARD J. CONDON,
President.

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BOSTON, April 6, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

On February 1, 1955, your Honor approved the award of a twelve-month $4,800 contract to Mr. Harvey Burstein, 294 Washington street, Boston, Mass., to provide for his services on behalf of this department as an expert security consultant, during the calendar year of 1955.

For your information, the contract was not executed because of the limitations imposed upon municipal officers by the Acts of 1909, chapter 486, section 3A, relating to the incurring of liabilities, in the absence of appropriation, prior to the effective date of the 1955 municipal budget.

However, under the authority of the foregoing statute and conformably with the Acts of 1890, chapter 418, section 6, as amended, the proposed contractor has been serving this department most satisfactorily during the past two months.

It is now proposed, following the effective date of the municipal budget, that the aforenamed Harvey Burstein be engaged by written contract as a security consultant to cover the period April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956. The contractor's services are to be used on an average of two days a week during the contract period, for which he is to be paid $50 per diem, the total contract sum not to exceed $4,800, being payable in twelve equal instalments.

Your Honor's authorization is respectfully requested to dispense with public advertising and to award a contract to Harvey Burstein, as security consultant, as outlined above, in the sum of $4,800.

In view of the highly special nature of the services involved, it is not believed that public advertising therefor would be of avail to the City of Boston.

Respectfully yours,

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT AND BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL,
by RICHARD J. CONDON,
President.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, March 29, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

At the present time, the American Service Company, 253 Adams street, Dorchester, has the contract for the servicing and maintaining of the gas lamps used for street lighting purposes.

Under the terms of the present contract, which will terminate on March 31, the contractor is paid $21.87 per year for each lamp serviced. I have been negotiating with the contractor's representative for the past several weeks concerning a new contract which will start on April 1, and I have been unsuccessful in my efforts to have said contractor agree to accept a new contract on the basis of the current rate of $21.87. Said representative claims that the continued reduction in the number of gas lamps in the city coupled with an increase in the unit cost, prevents him from accepting the same price included in the current contract. He is insistent that he needs a minimum increase of 76 cents per lamp per year, making the new rate $22.63. This is the best arrangement that I can make with said contractor, and, in view of this, I recommend that a new contract, based on this rate, be awarded to the American Service Company for the fiscal year April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956.

The agreed price of $22.63 is still less than that paid on similar contracts by some of the adjacent municipalities, and I am satisfied that no lower price could be obtained if the department publicly advertised for proposals. As a matter of fact, I do not feel that we would obtain proposals from anyone else, as there are very few contractors qualified to undertake a service contract of this type. Incidentally, there are approximately 3,380 gas lights still in service in this city, and I hope to reduce this number substantially in the next twelve-month period.

I respectfully request, therefore, your permission to dispense with advertising, and to award a contract to the American Service Company, 253 Adams street, Dorchester, for the servicing, maintaining, and equipping of the gas lamps located in the streets of this city, for the period from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, at an agreed price of $22.63 per lamp per year. It is estimated that the cost of the above-referenced contract will not exceed $58,000 for the period from April 1 to December 31 of the current year; and it is further estimated that it will not exceed the sum of $19,000 for the first three months of 1956. The contract for the period from January 1, 1956, to March 31, 1956, is awarded under the provisions of chapter 182 of the Acts of 1951, which authorizes, in substance, the awarding of a contract for the first three months of the succeeding year upon like or more favorable terms and conditions than the contract in effect during the last nine months of the then current fiscal year.

Respectfully yours,

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

MUNICIPAL COURT, CHARLESTOWN DISTRICT.

BOSTON, April 1, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

Your approval is hereby requested for the award of a contract for transportation of prisoners, without public advertising, to Daniel A. Wiles, 3 Dexter Row, Charlestown, for the period commencing April 1, 1955, and ending with the last day of March, 1956.

The approximate total amount contemplated for expenditure shall not exceed $1,860.

The above-named individual has performed this essential service for a considerable number of years, and has proven himself highly dependable and efficient. This performance has always been highly satisfactory and his rate is fair and reasonable for the services rendered. I therefore am of the opinion that nothing could be gained by publicly advertising for bids.

Yours very truly,

JOHN F. GILMORE,
Justice.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Hub Building Wrecking Company for demolition of the English High School, from May 11, 1955, to August 31, 1955. This extension was requested because the contractor had met difficult and extraordinary construction and had to endure inclement weather.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with B. Feneno Company for hurricane emergency roofing work at the Boston Clerical School, from December 31, 1954, to May 14, 1955. This extension was requested due to unforeseen circumstances encountered and the progression of events occurring while work was in progress, also inclement weather conditions.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Charles N. Wood Company, 570 Arsenal street, Watertown, for miscellaneous repair work to Walter snow fighters, from April 30, 1955, to May 31, 1955. This extension was requested because the contractor was delayed while awaiting delivery of parts.

DIAGNOSTIC LABORATORY.

The work of the Boston Diagnostic Laboratory reflects the medical and lay interest in the causes and prevention of tuberculosis, Boston's highest bacterial cause of death and the fourth highest of all causes. With constant and continual immunization for diphtheria, typhoid fever, and whooping cough, and increased use of antibiotics in the treatment of venereal diseases, the annual total examinations for these latter diseases have not increased, while routine sputa examinations for tuberculosis have demanded a major part of the diagnostic services.

—Health Department Report.

MAYOR HYNES ASKS LEGISLATIVE STUDY OF BOSTON'S NEED OF INCINERATORS.

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COMPARISON OF COSTS.

Method of Disposal	Estimated Yearly Cost	Increase Per Year
(1) Current method—mainland dumps and Spectacle Island	$2,527,000	
(2) With increase in dumping at Spectacle Island due to loss of Calf Pasture and Hallet Street dumps	3,236,400	$709,400
(3) With two incinerators supplanting dumps at Calf Pasture, Hallet Street, and Spectacle Island	2,648,300	121,300
(4) With no incinerators or mainland dumps — all dumping at harbor islands.	3,907,500	1,380,500

Incineration is also best from the standpoint of sanitation, aesthetics, and adequacy. The continuation or the increase in disposal on harbor islands does not remove the necessity for maintaining and operating wharves which are far less sanitary than incinerators. With incineration, there is no possibility of contaminating the harbor waters with spilled refuse, and there is no problem of rodent control such as exists at the wharf stations. The mileage required for the collection and hauling of refuse on the city streets is not reduced regardless of the methods of disposal used, with the exception, however, that if through restrictive legislation we are required to abandon all mainland dumps, then the amount of trucking mileage in hauling refuse to the wharf stations—particularly through the Dorchester district—will be increased considerably. Due to architectural treatment, modern incinerators present an appearance more to be preferred than that of wharf stations or open dumps on the harbor islands.

There is one additional factor, not considered in this report, that will affect future disposal costs. That is the necessity for retaining dumping areas on the mainland for incinerator residue. The remaining dumping areas on the mainland should be conserved for this material, which is an appreciable quantity, as approximately 10 per cent of the material delivered to an incinerator must be disposed of as residue. To exhaust all the remaining dumping area before resorting to incineration will increase the cost of final disposal in an amount dependent upon the distance of the residue dump from the incinerators.

INCINERATORS THE ANSWER.

The construction of incinerators is the answer to the refuse disposal problem in Boston, and every report on this subject over the past forty-five years has so agreed. The construction of two incinerators, the South Bay incinerator and the Dorchester Incinerator, will solve the immediate problem and will provide an adequate method of disposal for at least the next twenty-five years.

An objection to the construction of the 900-ton South Bay incinerator has been raised by representatives of the Newmarket development, who contend that the operation of the incinerator would jeopardize the future of said development. In our opinion, the incinerator would prove to be an asset to the area and not a detriment.

The site location—which is approximately 1,800 feet from the market—was given careful consideration when it was selected in 1951, and we obtained the approval, at that time, of a representative of the State Department of Public Health and the United States Department of Agriculture. I enclose photostatic copies of said approvals, as well as copies of other correspondence, that relate to the proposed South Bay incinerator.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

AMENDMENT TO ORIGINAL AWARD OF DAMAGES.

The Public Improvement Commission has voted as follows:

That the amount of $760 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Victor B. and Dorothy H. Magnuson for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of June 8, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Lochland road, Hyde Park.

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That the amount of $65 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Martin A. and Cora A. Fulton for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of August 26, 1953, for the laying out and construction of President road, West Roxbury.

RETIREMENT BOARD REPORTS.

To the Auditor.

At a meeting of the Boston Retirement Board, held on April 15, the retirement from active service of the following-named members of the State-Boston Retirement System was voted to become effective at the close of business, April 30, 1955, in accordance with chapter 658 of the Acts of 1945, as amended:

BOSTON HOUSING AUTHORITY.

Jeremiah Coughlin, maintenance man.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Festus J. Joyce, plumbing inspector.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

William C. Abbondanzio, ladderman.
Robert D. Doherty, ladderman.
George M. Eaton, captain.
Warren C. Somers, hoseman.

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

Beatrice Flanagan, chief, School Issue Department.
Jean B. Lay, adults librarian.
Gertrude E. M. Leufgren, assistant.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Alice V. Dolan, matron.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Joseph A. Friel, detective, Grade III.
John B. Casey, patrolman.
George A. Toland, sergeant.
James W. Elwell, patrolman.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Thomas Reid, plumber.

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT.

Joseph L. Butler, custodian.
William P. Cleary, custodian.
Herbert J. Kine, custodian.

To the Auditor.

At a meeting of the Boston Retirement Board, held on April 15, 1955, the retirement from active service of the following-named members of the Boston Retirement System was approved to become effective at the close of business, April 30, 1955, in accordance with chapter 521 of the Acts of 1922:

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

May E. Martin, laundress.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

John A. Foley, laborer.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.
COURT HOUSE.

John N. Murphy, janitor.

BOSTON RENT BOARD REPORT.

Following is the report of the Boston Rent Board for the month ending December 31, 1954:

Incoming telephone calls		2,220
Callers—Landlords	785	
Tenants	1,190	
Attorneys	147	
Total		2,122
Total pending on November 30, 1954	646	
Cases docketed during month	314	
Total		960
Total disposed during month		310
Total pending on December 31, 1954		650
Compliance Actions.		
Total pending on November 30, 1954	27	
Cases docketed during month	25	
Total		52
Total disposed during month		37
Total pending on December 31, 1954		15
Refunds.		
Single		6
To tenants		$322.40

ASSESSED VALUATIONS CONTINUE TO RISE.

A survey of 43 assessing jurisdictions over 100,000 population, recently completed by the National Association of Assessing Officers, discloses that the latest totals of assessed valuations average 4.3 per cent higher than those for last year. Last year's survey of 46 jurisdictions showed an increase for the preceding period of 6.35 per cent. Duval County (Jacksonville), Florida, reported a 19.7 per cent increase, the highest of any jurisdiction. Other jurisdictions reporting high percentage increases in valuations were Dade County (Miami), Florida, 13.3 per cent; Providence, Rhode Island, 10.5 per cent; King County (Seattle), 10.4 per cent; Grand Rapids, Michigan, 9.3 per cent; Richmond, Virginia, 8.8 per cent; Los Angeles County, 8.5 per cent; Minneapolis and San Antonio, 6.9 per cent; and Erie, Pennsylvania, 6.7 per cent.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS. (STATE SERVICE.)

NOTE.—Applicants are advised to file applications early. In event of a tie on the eligible list, the applicant who filed his application first will be given precedence.

(These examinations are for the service of the state, all cities and such towns as are classified under civil service. Persons qualifying in the examinations may have their names placed on the state list for the grade or grades for which they apply, as well as on the list for the city or town in which they have domicile. A separate application must be filed for each examination. A Manual for the Guidance of Applicants for Positions as Civil Engineers, Grades I and II, prepared by the Director of Civil Service, may be obtained from the Public Documents Division, Room 116, State House, Boston, at 10 cents a copy. It is desirable that applicants obtain a copy of this manual and study it carefully.

CIVIL ENGINEER, GRADE I, JUNIOR ENGINEERING AID, JUNE 4, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, May 16, 1955.

Salary: For the state service, the minimum salary is $2,880 a year, and the maximum salary is $3,600 a year. In cities and towns, the salaries vary.

Vacancies: From time to time.

Duties: Under immediate supervision, to assist on engineering work involving the least technical skill and responsibility, in the field, office or laboratory; and to perform related work as required.

Examples of Duties: Holding a rod; sharpening and driving stakes; cutting away brush to clear lines; occasionally running an instrument; making minor computations and calculations; plotting level notes; assisting on estimates; using a planimeter to calculate areas; making simple drawings and tracings; filing plans, profiles and survey books; inspecting minor details of construction as directed.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants must have at least one year of full-time paid experience in civil engineering or in general construction work. *Substitution:* High school or equivalent education may be substituted for the required experience on the basis of one year of education for three months of experience.

CIVIL ENGINEER, GRADE II, SENIOR ENGINEERING AID, JUNE 4, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, May 16, 1955.

Salary: For the state service, the minimum salary is $3,480 a year, and the maximum salary is $4,200 a year. In cities and towns, the salaries vary.

Vacancies: From time to time.

Duties: Under supervision, to assist on engineering work by performing assigned tasks in the field or office, involving some knowledge or training in civil engineering practice, but not of full professional rank or responsibility; and to perform related work as required.

Examples of Duties: Running a transit or level on preliminary and final surveys and in giving lines on construction work; having charge of a field party on small work; acting as an assistant to the resident engineer on construction work, in establishing lines and grades for the contractor and inspecting his work; making preliminary estimates for construction; taking field notes; drafting plans and sections from survey notes; keeping graphic records of length, kind of surface and other detail of highway routes.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants must have at least two years of full-time paid experience in civil engineering or in general construction work. *Substitutions:* (*a*) High school graduation or equivalent education may be substituted for one-half year of the required experience. (*b*) Engineering training in a recognized university or engineering school granting the bachelor's or equivalent degree may be substituted for the required experience on the basis of one successfully completed year of such education for one year of experience, provided that if more than one year is so offered, at least one year shall have been in civil engineering. (*c*) Civil engineering training in a recognized technical school not granting the bachelor's or equivalent degree may be substituted for the required experience on the basis of one successfully completed year of such education for one-half year of experience.

The following applies to each of the above examinations:

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, including mathematics, 3; total, 5. Also, an optional test in drafting for those who desire to have their names certified on requisitions calling for this special qualification.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject of the examination in order to become eligible. A mark of at least 70 per cent must be obtained in the optional drafting test in order to qualify in that subject.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

LAUNDRY MANAGER, LONG ISLAND DIVISION, BOSTON HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, JUNE 18, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Tuesday, May 31, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $73 a week; the maximum salary is $90.50 a week.

Vacancies: At present there is one vacancy for a male.

Duties: Under the direct supervision of the Superintendent of the Long Island Division, to have full charge of the laundry and associated departments (ironing room, sewing room, and sorting room); to recommend the manufacture of new materials by the sewing room and to supervise the making of sheets, towels, pillowcases, uniforms, and similar items in order to facilitate more efficient laundry service; and to perform related work as required.

The following are required: Knowledge of laundry formulas, proper methods of laundering, the making of hospital linens, and the operation and maintenance of the equipment used in the work; ability to supervise all activities.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION. (STATE SERVICE.)

METROPOLITAN POLICE PATROLMAN, METROPOLITAN DISTRICT COMMISSION, JULY 15, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Friday, June 24, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $3,540 a year; the maximum salary is $4,260 a year.

Vacancies: From time to time.

Duties: The duties are those of a regular patrolman.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants shall be not less than twenty-two nor over thirty-five years of age at the time of filing application. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application *unless* one has been filed with a previous application.

Any veteran who will have attained the age of twenty-one within six months of the date of any scheduled examination for police service shall not be deemed ineligible for examination and appointment provided that he meets all other pertinent requirements of the Civil Service laws and regulations (chapter 287 of the Acts of 1947).

Veterans who had not reached the maximum age limit at the time of entering military or naval service will not be disqualified by reason of age, within five years after the date of honorable discharge. (Chapter 179, Acts of 1950.)

Applicants must be not less than 5 feet 8 inches in height and must meet minimum weight requirements according to the following table, in which height is given in inches in bare feet and weight in pounds without clothing:

68 inches — 135 pounds
69 inches — 140 pounds
70 inches — 145 pounds
71 inches — 150 pounds
72 inches — 155 pounds
73 inches — 160 pounds
74 inches — 165 pounds
75 inches — 170 pounds
76 inches — 175 pounds

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 3; practical questions, including memory test, general information, and Police Manual questions, 7; total, 10.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination and qualifying strength tests.

To become eligible, applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in the strength tests, but the mark will not be averaged with the educational mark.

Applicants must qualify in a 50-yard swimming test.

Certification Requirement: Possession of a Massachusetts motor vehicle operator's license.

The practical questions, other than the memory test and general information questions, will be based upon information contained in the current edition of the Police Manual prepared by the Director of Civil Service, which may be obtained from the Public Document Division, Room 116, State House, Boston, at 25 cents a copy. It is necessary that applicants obtain a copy of this manual and study it carefully.

Applicants must not bring manuals to the examination room.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, April 25, 1955.

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 2 P.M., President HURLEY in the chair and all the members present.

The Reverend Francis X. Quinn of St. Joseph's Roman Catholic Church, Boston, was escorted to the rostrum.

INVOCATION BY REV. FRANCIS X. QUINN.

O Lord, the Omniscient Judge of the hearts of men, on this opening of the Council for the transaction of business, we invoke Thy divine guidance and plead with Thee to give us the wisdom and the courage to fulfill the obligations that are a part of our office. Thou knowest that we are planning and building, not only for the present citizens of this, our beloved community, but for several generations to come, and what we do here will affect the lives not only of those we know but the children and even the grandchildren of those we know.

The strength of America is in the home, and perhaps the strength of America is in the local governments.

May we be able to bear the pressures that come to us in our sacred office and may we receive from Thee the light and the guidance to perform faithfully and effectively and successfully the duties we have the honor to bear in the interest of the citizens of our great and beloved city. Amen.

The meeting was opened with the salute to the Flag.

RESURFACING OF CONDOR STREET, EAST BOSTON.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, April 25, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Public Works relative to your order of April 11, 1955, concerning the resurfacing of Condor street in East Boston.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Public Works Department,
April 18, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.

Dear Mr. Flemming:

This is in reference to the following order that was passed in the City Council under date of April 11, 1955:

"Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor request the Public Works Commissioner to include the resurfacing of Condor street in East Boston in his 1955 highway program."

The above-referenced street is in poor condition, and I have tried for the past two or three years to include it in our street reconstruction program, but I have deferred action on it due to the cost involved and the necessity of resurfacing other streets in various sections of the city that are more important than Condor street.

However, I do recognize that this street should be resurfaced at some time in the near future, and, if possible, I will include it in this year's highway reconstruction program.

Respectfully yours,
GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Placed on file.

SPOTLIGHTS ON ARTERIAL HIGHWAY.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, April 25, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Public Works relative to your order of April 11, 1955, concerning erection of spotlights on the new arterial highway in the vicinity of the Sumner Tunnel.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Public Works Department,
April 20, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.

Dear Mr. Flemming:

This is in reference to the following order that was passed in the City Council under date of April 11:

"Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts be requested by his Honor the Mayor to have spotlights erected on the new arterial highway in the vicinity of the Sumner Tunnel to give additional protection to those police officers assigned to traffic duty there in the early evening and at night."

I presume that the police officers referred to above are assigned to traffic duty at the Sumner Tunnel Plaza, North street, Hanover street, and possibly other surface streets in the area. As these streets are all under the jurisdiction of the City of Boston, the State Department of Public Works would not, in my opinion, install spotlights on the arterial highway for the benefit of these officers. Therefore, the erection of any spotlights is under the jurisdiction of the City of Boston, and will have to be installed at its expense.

I suggest that this matter be referred to the Police Commissioner, in order that he may determine the locations at which these lights should be provided, in order to give—as stated in the above order—additional protection to those police officers assigned to traffic duty in the vicinity of the tunnel.

Respectfully yours,
GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

On motion of Councillor White the message was referred to the Executive Committee.

PAYMENT OF SUM OF MONEY TO CLARKESON ENGINEERING COMPANY, INC.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, April 22, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

In the summer of 1953, the State Department of Public Works contracted with the New York engineering firm of Parsons, Brinckerhoff, Hall & MacDonald for an independent judgment as to the most suitable route for the John F. Fitzgerald Expressway, from Fort Hill square to the vicinity of Broadway, near Albany street. To insure that these consultants would confer with city officials and would take into account factors of importance to the city, the city defrayed part of the cost. When the Parsons firm submitted its report to the state and city on September 15, 1953, it was found to contain unexpected findings ostensibly detrimental to the city. The State Department of Public Works seemed bent upon proceeding forthwith in accordance with the report unless competent engineers advised otherwise. Believing the situation to be one of extreme emergency involving the health or safety of the people or their property, the City Planning Board, without the formalities of an appropriation or a written contract, engaged Clarkeson Engineering Company, Inc., to study and comment upon the Parsons report and suggest any alternate route felt to be superior. After the submission by Clarkeson Engineering Company, Inc., of its report on October 19, 1953, its bill for $2,375.42 was forwarded by the City Planning Board to the City Auditor for payment. If the situation legally qualified as a case of "extreme emergency involving the health or safety of the people or their property," an appropriation would have been unnecessary under St. 1909, c. 486, s. 16, and the lack of a written contract would not have been of vital significance under an opinion rendered on March 19, 1940, by then Corporation Counsel Henry Parkman, Jr. The City Auditor, after consultation with the present Corporation Counsel, felt constrained to disapprove payment of the $2,375.42, however, because of substantial doubt as to whether the situation legally qualified as such an extreme emergency. A member of the House of Representatives has filed a bill to clarify the city's power to pay this obligation. Under the provisions of Joint Rule 7B of the Legislature, such a measure cannot be admitted for consideration unless approved by the Mayor and City Council. Submitted herewith is a resolve to meet this requirement. I respectfully urge its adoption by your Honorable Body so that the city will not break faith on its moral obligation.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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Resolved, That the City Council of Boston favors the consideration by the Legislature of the petition of Representative John E. Yerxa, now held under Joint Rule 7B, relative to authorizing the City of Boston to pay a sum of money to Clarkeson Engineering Company, Inc.; provided that any such legislation enacted includes a referendum to the Mayor and City Council.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

EXEMPTION OF CERTAIN CONTRACTS FROM REQUIREMENTS OF ADVERTISING.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, April 25, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I submit herewith an order providing for acceptance of chapter 60 of the Acts of 1955. This legislation establishes $2,000 as the amount of expenditure at which advertising for bids in the "City Record" and the execution of written contracts is required.

At present, the corresponding amount is $1,000 and, as you are aware, this figure has been in effect for many years. The change proposed reflects the depreciation in dollar value which has occurred in the last two decades. Since commodity prices and cost of services have practically doubled in this period, it may be said that the amount proposed under chapter 60 is the current monetary equivalent of the value present in the existing figure when it was originally established.

It is my intention to require city and county departments to secure invitation proposals for all expenditures between the former and proposed figures and to base awards on the lowest bid received. In this manner the city will not lose the advantage of competition on purchases below the proposed amount. While retaining this desirable element in our purchasing procedure, departments will be relieved of a vast amount of clerical effort and legal research now required in the processing of the large number of contracts made necessary by the existing limit. I consider, therefore, the provisions of chapter 60 of the Acts of 1955 as being beneficial to the city and respectfully recommend adoption of the accompanying order by your Honorable Body.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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Ordered, That chapter 60 of the Acts of 1955, entitled, "An Act Concerning Certain Contracts Entered Into on Behalf of the City of Boston and the County of Suffolk" be, and hereby is, accepted.

Referred to the Committee on Ordinances.

APPROPRIATION FOR SCHOOL PURPOSES.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, April 25, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

Under the appropriation limit provided by law, the School Committee has appropriated for general school purposes the sum of $22,799,007.19. In addition, the committee has requested that additional appropriations totaling $3,421,544.97 be provided for general school purposes under the provisions of chapter 224 of the Acts of 1936.

After a review of the above request, I am of the opinion that additional appropriations totaling $3,279,448.97, or a reduction of $142,096 in the original request of the committee, will suffice for the current year's needs of the School Department. I have communicated this fact to the members of the School Committee and have their acquiescence to this reduction.

Approval of the supplementary amount will mean that 1955 appropriations for general school purposes will exceed by $1,048,066.21 actual expenditures in 1954 for said purposes. The main factors responsible for this increase are indicated in the following table:

1955 cost of increases allowed September 1, 1954		$650,000
Salary adjustments and increases, September 1, 1955		205,000
Expansion in Services:		
Supervisors of attendance	$13,000	
Instruction	100,000	
School nurses	23,700	
		136,700
Increase in number of pensioned veterans		99,000
Additional requirements for transportation of pupils		30,600
Increased fuel, light, and telephone costs		22,000
		$1,143,300
Less reductions in former charges for:		
Tuition	$38,000	
School lunches	29,000	
Trucking	13,600	
Compensation survey	12,500	
		93,100
		$1,050,200

I submit herewith an order providing for the additional appropriations and respectfully recommend its adoption by your Honorable Body.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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Ordered, That the respective sums of money specified in the schedules hereinafter set out be, and hereby are, appropriated for school purposes in addition to appropriations previously voted by the School Committee; said sums to be raised by taxation on the polls and estates in the City of Boston; and that all orders heretofore or hereafter passed by the City Council relating to appropriations, taxes, and the interest thereon, apply to the appropriations and taxes herein provided for.

Administration	$143,702 82
Instruction	2,320,792 26
Auxiliary services	123,339 13
Operation of plant	566,751 15
Fixed charges	124,773 61
Total	$3,279,448 97

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Finance.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committee named, viz.:

Claims.

Mrs. Fred L. Dorr, for compensation for damage to property at 16 Mt. Calvary road, Roslindale, caused by fires at Mount Hope Cemetery.

Annie Faucher, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Berkeley and Boylston streets.

Violet T. Fitzgerald, for compensation for damage to car by fire apparatus.

James Frawley, to be reimbursed as result of execution issued against him on account of his acts as employee of Public Works Department, Sewer Division.

James A. Johnson, for compensation for damage to property at 68 Willowwood street, Dorchester, caused by break in sewer pipe.

Volney J. Kavanaugh, for compensation for damage to car by police wagon.

William F. Keenan, to be reimbursed as result of execution issued against him on account of his acts as employee of Police Department.

Arthur J. Landry, to be reimbursed as result of execution issued against him on account of his acts as employee of Fire Department.

Anna G. Leary, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 241 Adams street.

Samuel Levey, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect in Blue Hill avenue and Woolson street.

James E. McTigue, to be reimbursed as result of execution issued against him on account of his acts as employee of Police Department.

Adele G. Mizhir, for compensation for collapse of water boiler at 5016 Washington street, West Roxbury, caused by water being shut off.

Mary O'Neil, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Washington street and Woodside avenue.

Lillian Reed, for compensation for damage to property at 782 Shawmut avenue, caused by excavations for sewer.

George F. Scanlon, to be reimbursed as result of execution issued against him on account of his acts as employee of Sheriff's office.

William M. Steed, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 243 Beacon street.

Thomas W. Stewart, for compensation for damage to car by police vehicle.

Arthur W. Wagner, to be reimbursed as result of execution issued against him on account of his acts as employee of Fire Department.

Benjamin Weiner, for compensation for damage to property at Hyde Park avenue, Forest Hills, caused by broken water main.

Whittredge Portable Buildings Company, for compensation for damage to car by fire apparatus.

James E. Wightman, for compensation for damage to property at 119 Clare avenue, Hyde Park, caused by defective sewer.

PERMITS FOR CHILDREN.

Petitions for children under fifteen years of age to appear at places of public amusement:

Lillafrances Viles, Hyde Park High School, May 16.

Wallace James, Boston Conservatory, May 21.

Permits granted under usual conditions.

PETITION FOR ANNUITY.

Petition of M. Florence Maguire to be paid an annuity on account of the death of her husband, John J. Maguire, late member of the Police Department.

Referred to the Committee on Claims.

APPLICATIONS FOR SHELLFISH PERMITS.

Applications for commercial use shellfish permits were received from the following:

William E. Vuilleumier, 9 Southwick street, Dorchester, Ward 16 (to expire May 15, 1955).

William E. Vuilleumier, 9 Southwick street, Dorchester, Ward 16 (to expire September 15, 1955).

Severally referred to the Committee on Licenses.

PETITION FOR INDEMNIFICATION.

Petition of George A. Frattoroli, employee of Boston Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses.

Referred to the Committee on Claims.

APPROVAL OF CONSTABLES' BONDS.

The constables' bonds of the following, having been duly approved by the Collector-Treasurer, were received and approved by the Council:

Samuel C. Baker, James M. Bushlow, Francis S. Carter, Morris Clemens, John D. Cole, John M. Crawford, John A. D'Arcy, Roland W. Golden, Meyer Goldstein, Maurice Guberman, Edward C. Gurnon, Corless J. Hawkes, James A. Hickey, Mark H. Krafsur, Nathan Kravitsky, Charles I. Lesser, Frank J. Macchia, Paul H. McCarthy, George M. Romanos, Jr., Francis Shack, Milton Shaffer, Frank Shaw, Isaac Shulman, John A. Sousa, William Tepper, Joseph Todisco, Roman J. Vasil, Laurence Wernick, Louis Yacker.

NOTICE OF INTEREST IN CONTRACT.

Notice was received from George W. Judkins, member of the Board of Appeal, of appraisal at the request of the Boston Housing Authority of property contained in the Veterans' Housing Development on the Arborway, at Morton street, Forest Hills.

Placed on file.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CLAIMS.

Coun. McCORMACK, for the Committee on Claims, submitted the following:

1. Report on petition of James F. Lydon (referred March 28) to be reimbursed as a result of an execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Sewer Division, Public Works Department — recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That the sum of six hundred dollars ($600) be allowed and paid to James F. Lydon in reimbursement for amount of execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Sewer Division, Public Works Department, said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

2. Report on petition of Frank L. Huddleston (referred April 18) to be reimbursed as a result of an execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Boston Traffic Commission — recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That the sum of seventy-five dollars ($75) be allowed and paid to Frank L. Huddleston in reimbursement for amount of execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Boston Traffic Commission, said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

3. Report on petition of Ernest W. Clark (referred April 18) to be reimbursed as a result of an execution issued against him on account of his acts as a member of the Fire Department — recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That the sum of one hundred fifty dollars ($150) be allowed and paid to Ernest W. Clark in reimbursement for amount of execution issued against him on account of his acts as a member of the Fire Department, said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

4. Report on petition of John E. McLane (referred April 18) for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses — recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 100 of chapter 41 of the General Laws, upon petition of John E. McLane, a member of the Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury received, through no fault of his own, while in the performance of his duty on January 19, 1955, there be allowed and paid, as recommended by the Fire Commissioner and approved by the Corporation Counsel, to the following the amounts stated:

Thomas F. Broderick, Jr., M.D.	$25
St. Elizabeth's Hospital	10
Total	$35

said amount to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

5. Report on petition of John C. Barrett, Jr. (referred April 18) for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses incurred — recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 100 of chapter 41 of the General Laws, upon petition of John C. Barrett, Jr., a member of the Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury received, through no fault of his own, while in the performance of his duty on March 1, 1955, there be allowed and paid, as recommended by the Fire Commissioner and approved by the Corporation Counsel, to the following the amount stated:

John C. Barrett, Jr. (petitioner). $25.70

said amount to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

The reports were accepted and the orders were severally passed.

ELECTION OF LIBRARIAN-ARCHIVIST.

Coun. HURLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That the City Council now proceed to the election of a librarian-archivist in the City Messenger Department.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

The roll was called with the following result:

For Joseph J. Brogna — Councillors Ahearn, Foley, Hailer, Hurley, Kerrigan, McCormack, McLaughlin, Piemonte, White — 9.

Joseph J. Brogna was declared elected librarian-archivist in the City Messenger Department.

TEMPORARY APPOINTMENTS, CLERK OF COMMITTEES DEPARTMENT.

Coun. HURLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That effective April 27, 1955, the following persons be, and they hereby are, appointed in the service of the Clerk of Committees Department to the positions set against their respective names until the fourth Wednesday of May, 1955, at the salaries in effect for them on April 26, 1955:

Francis R. Burke, temporary clerk.

Peter J. Cloherty, temporary clerk.

Nicholas DiMella, temporary stenographer-clerk.

Agnes G. Dinsmore, temporary clerk-receptionist.

Catherine E. Dunn, temporary stenographer-clerk.

Mary E. Flynn, temporary stenographer-clerk.

Catherine Monahan, temporary stenographer-clerk.

Paul G. O'Hara, temporary clerk

Passed under suspension of the rules.

RELOCATION OF MTA TROLLEY AND BUS STOPS.

Coun. HAILER offered the following:

Ordered, That the Traffic Commissioner, through his Honor the Mayor, be requested to make a survey throughout the various shopping areas of the city in conjunction with the representatives of the Metropolitan Transit Authority to consider relocating trolley and bus stops. Some stops are located in positions which cause traffic congestion making it hazardous for pedestrians and operators alike; while others are located immediately in front of business establishments, thereby making it difficult for shoppers and store owners alike.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

SALE OF HOUSING CONSTRUCTED UNDER CHAPTER 372.

Coun. HAILER and FOLEY offered the following:

Whereas, There has been enacted in Chapter 247 of 1955 an unjust and unfair provision concerning the sale of housing constructed under Chapter 372 of the Acts of 1946; and

Whereas, The said Chapter 247 of the Acts of 1955 provides that

(1) A veteran purchasing a housing unit constructed under Chapter 372 must pay real estate taxes in advance before receiving a deed;

(2) That assessment upon which the tax is to be paid is to be the sales price; be it therefore

Resolved, That an immediate attempt be made to repeal those provisions of Chapter 247 of the Acts of 1955 forcing a veteran purchaser of Chapter 372 housing to pay a full year's taxes in advance.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

RECESS.

On motion of Councillor Kerrigan the Council voted to take a recess at 2.50 P.M., subject to the call of the Chair. The members reassembled in the Council Chamber and were called to order by President HURLEY at 3.40 P.M.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. WHITE, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following:

1. Report on message of the Mayor (referred today) concerning erection of spotlights on the new arterial highway in the vicinity of the Sumner Tunnel — recommending that same be placed on file.

The report was accepted and the message was placed on file.

2. Report on message of the Mayor and resolution (referred today) that Council favors consideration by the Legislature of the petition authorizing the City of Boston to pay a sum of money to Clarkeson Engineering Company, Inc. — recommending that same ought to pass.

The report was accepted, and the resolution was adopted.

ERECTION OF SPOTLIGHTS IN AREA OF SUMNER TUNNEL.

Coun. HURLEY and WHITE offered the following:

Ordered, That the Police Commissioner of the City of Boston be requested by his Honor the Mayor to study the possibility of, and cause to be erected, spotlights in the area of the Sumner Tunnel, Sumner Tunnel Plaza, North street, and

Hanover street, to give additional protection to those police officers who are assigned to traffic duty there in the early evening and at night.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

LOAN TO HOUSING AUTHORITY FOR URBAN RENEWAL PROGRAM.

Coun. PIEMONTE and KERRIGAN offered the following:

Whereas, Under the Housing Act of 1954 providing for Urban Renewal, one third of the cost is borne by the city or town; and

Whereas, The city may advance moneys to the Housing Authority for the purpose of preparing the necessary plans and program to participate under the renewal program; and

Whereas, Moneys so loaned by the city are credited to the city's share of the proportionate cost; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor loan to the Housing Authority sufficient sums of money to engage and speedily carry out plans for participation of the City of Boston under the Urban Renewal program.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

ANNIVERSARY OF DEATH OF PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT.

Coun. McCORMACK and FOLEY offered the following:

Resolved, That the Boston City Council notes with sorrow the tenth anniversary of the death of one of the handful of great men our century has produced, President Franklin D. Roosevelt.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

Adjourned at 3.49 P.M., on motion of Councillor McCormack, to meet on Monday, May 2, 1955, at 2 P.M.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

(Stenographic copy of such debate on file in office of City Clerk.)

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective May 9, 1955:

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out the following:

Warren Avenue, Charlestown.
West side, from City square to Front street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," the following:

Eastburn Street.
Both sides, from Washington street to a point two hundred (200) feet south of Washington street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Charlestown," the following:

Warren Avenue.
Both sides, from City square to Water street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Semont Road.
East side, from a point one hundred (100) feet south of St. Marks road to St. Marks road, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Montrose Street.
South side, from Warren street to Moreland street, 24 hours.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by striking out the following:

Eastburn Street, Brighton.
From Washington street to Mt. Vernon street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," each of the following:

Malden Street.
From Albany street to Wareham street.

Plympton Street.
From Albany street to Harrison avenue.

Wareham Street.
From Malden street to Albany street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," each of the following:

Eastburn Street.
From the southerly end of the driveway of the U. S. Post Office property to Mt. Vernon street.

Fairbanks Street.
From Washington street to Faneuil street.

Sidlaw Road.
From Chiswick road to Commonwealth avenue.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Charlestown," the following:

Warren Avenue.
From City square to Water street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," each of the following:

Freeport Street.
From William T. Morrissey Boulevard at the point where it intersects Freeport street two hundred and twenty (220) feet north of the extension of Conley street to the extension of Conley street.
From William T. Morrissey Boulevard at its southerly junction with Freeport street in a northerly direction to Victory road.

Minot Street.
From Carruth street to Adams street.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by striking out the following:

Carruth Street, Dorchester.
At Minot street.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," each of the following:

Adams Street.
At Parkman street.

Callender Street.
At Lucerne street.

LAYING OUT OF CRAGMERE TERRACE, DORCHESTER.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the laying out (without construction) of Cragmere terrace, Dorchester district, between Gladeside avenue and Ridgeview avenue, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named Cragmere terrace is hereby laid out (without construction), between Gladeside avenue and Ridgeview avenue.

Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed thereto, in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

Northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Gladeside avenue, sixty-three and 97-100 feet; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Cragmere terrace as hereby laid out, by three measurements, eighteen and 77-100 feet on a curve of twelve feet radius, two hundred one and 73-100 feet, and one hundred forty-one and 23-100 feet; southeasterly by the northwesterly line of Ridgeview avenue, forty-two and 75-100 feet; and southwesterly by the southwesterly line of Cragmere terrace as hereby laid out, by two measurements, three hundred fifty-six and 99-100 feet and eighteen and 93-100 feet on a curve of twelve feet radius.

No betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement consisting of the laying out (without construction) of Cragmere terrace, Dorchester district, as a highway, between Gladeside avenue and Ridgeview avenue, under the order of the commission of April 20, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

LAYING OUT OF MAMELON CIRCLE, DORCHESTER.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the laying out (without construction) of Mamelon Circle, Dorchester district, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named Mamelon Circle is hereby laid out (without construction), from River street to another portion of River street.

Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed thereto, in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

Southerly by the northerly line of River street, sixty-three and 41-100 feet on a curve of 361.22 feet radius; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Mamelon Circle as hereby laid out by three measurements, fifteen and 54-100 feet on a curve of 12 feet radius, two hundred sixty-six and 98-100 feet on a curve of 295 feet radius, and eighty-nine feet; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Mamelon Circle as hereby laid out, four hundred and 55-100 feet on a curve of 127.50 feet radius; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Mamelon Circle as hereby laid out by two measurements, one hundred forty-two and 21-100 feet and thirty-one and 7-100 feet on a curve of 15 feet radius; southerly by the northerly line of River street,

eighty-four and 58-100 feet on a curve of 361.22 feet radius; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Mamelon Circle as hereby laid out by two measurements, sixteen and 72-100 feet on a curve of 20 feet radius and one hundred eighty-nine and 41-100 feet; southwesterly by the southwesterly line of Mamelon Circle as hereby laid out, two hundred seventy-four and 89-100 feet on a curve of 87.50 feet radius; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Mamelon Circle as hereby laid out by three measurements, eighty-nine feet, two hundred seventeen and 92-100 feet on a curve of 255 feet radius, twenty and 66-100 feet on a curve of 12 feet radius.

No betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement consisting of the laying out (without construction) of Mamelon Circle, Dorchester district, as a highway, from River street to another portion of said River street, under the order of the commission of April 20, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

LAYING OUT OF MEADOWBANK AVENUE, DORCHESTER.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the laying out (without construction) of Meadowbank avenue, Dorchester district, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named Meadowbank avenue is hereby laid out (without construction), from River street approximately 950 feet southerly and westerly.

Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed thereto, in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

Northerly by the southerly line of River street, sixty-four and 3-100 feet; westerly and northwesterly by the westerly and northwesterly line of Meadowbank avenue as hereby laid out by five measurements, nineteen and 21-100 feet on a curve of 12 feet radius, two hundred eighty-nine and 48-100 feet, ninety-seven and 84-100 feet on a curve of 80 feet radius, three hundred forty-nine and 37-100 feet, one hundred seventy-five and 23-100 feet on a curve of 680 feet radius; westerly by another portion of Meadowbank avenue, 40 feet; southeasterly and easterly by the southeasterly and easterly line of Meadowbank avenue as hereby laid out by five measurements, one hundred eighty-five and 54-100 feet on a curve of 720 feet radius; three hundred forty-nine and 37-100 feet, one hundred forty-six and 77-100 feet on a curve of 120 feet radius, two hundred ninety-one and 38-100 feet, and eighteen and 49-100 feet on a curve of 12 feet radius.

No betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement consisting of the laying out (without construction) of Meadowbank avenue, Dorchester district, from River street approximately 950 feet southerly and westerly, as a highway, under the order of the commission of April 20, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

LAYING OUT OF LEAHAVEN ROAD.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the laying out (without construction) of Leahaven road, Dorchester district, from Meadowbank avenue to River street, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named Leahaven road is hereby laid out (without construction), from River street to Meadowbank avenue.

Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed thereto, in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

Northerly by the southerly line of River street, sixty-four and 17-100 feet; easterly by the easterly line of Leahaven road as hereby laid out by four measurements, nineteen and 73-100 feet on a curve of twelve feet radius, one hundred ninety-eight and 19-100 feet, one hundred ninety-six and 3-100 feet on a curve of 657.49 feet radius, and nineteen and 45-100 feet on a curve of 12 feet radius; southerly by the northerly line of Meadowbank avenue, sixty-four and 7-100 feet; and westerly by the westerly line of Leahaven road as hereby laid out by four measurements, eighteen and 31-100 feet on a curve of 12 feet radius, two hundred eleven and 8-100 feet on a curve of 697.49 feet radius, two hundred two and 88-100 feet, and seventeen and 97-100 feet on a curve of 12 feet radius.

No betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the laying out (without construction) of Leahaven road, Dorchester district, as a highway, from River street to Meadowbank avenue, under the order of the commission of April 20, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

LAYING OUT OF BRIARCLIFF TERRACE, DORCHESTER.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the laying out (without construction) of Briarcliff terrace, Dorchester district, between Gladeside avenue and Ridgeview avenue, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named Briarcliff terrace is hereby laid out (without construction), between Gladeside avenue and Ridgeview avenue, Dorchester district.

Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed thereto, in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

Northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Gladeside avenue, eighty and 48-100 feet; northerly by the northerly line of Briarcliff terrace as hereby laid out, by five measurements, twenty-one and 68-100 feet on a curve of ten feet radius, ninety-two and 30-100 feet, one hundred twenty-one and 64-100 feet on a curve of one thousand four hundred twenty-five and 98-100 feet radius, one hundred ninety-three and 84-100 feet, and ten and 74-100 feet on a curve of eight feet radius; easterly by the westerly line of Ridgeview avenue, fifty-five and 42-100 feet on a curve of three hundred fifty and 53-100 feet radius; and southerly by the southerly line of Briarcliff terrace as hereby laid out, by five measurements, thirteen and 13-100 feet on a curve of eight feet radius, one hundred eighty-five and 45-100 feet, one hundred eighteen and 23-100 feet on a curve of one thousand three hundred eighty-five and 98-100 feet radius, one hundred twenty-five and 12-100 feet, and twenty-four and 35-100 feet on a curve of twenty-five feet radius.

No betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement consisting of the laying out (without construction) of Briarcliff terrace, Dorchester district, as a highway, between Gladeside avenue and Ridgeview avenue, under the order of the commission of April 20, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

LAYING OUT OF LEDGEBROOK ROAD, DORCHESTER.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the laying out (without construction) of Ledgebrook road, Dorchester district, between River street and Meadowbank avenue, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named Ledgebrook road is hereby laid out (without construction), between River street and Meadowbank avenue, Dorchester district.

Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed thereto, in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

Northerly by the southerly line of River street, fifty-seven and 0-100 feet; easterly by the easterly line of Ledgebrook road as hereby laid out, by three measurements, eighteen and 93-100 feet on a curve of twelve feet radius, five hundred six and 82-100 feet, and nineteen and 11-100 feet on a curve of twelve feet radius; southerly by the northerly line of Meadowbank avenue, sixty-five and 20-100 feet on a curve of 680 feet radius; westerly by the westerly line of Ledgebrook road as hereby laid out, by three measurements, nineteen and 74-100 feet on a curve of 12 feet radius, five hundred five and 24-100 feet, eighteen and 85-100 feet on a curve of 12 feet radius.

No betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement consisting of the laying out (without construction) of Ledgebrook road, Dorchester district, as a highway, from River street to Meadowbank avenue, under the order of the commission of April 20, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULING.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway resurfacing, estimated to be thirty (30) days, the following street is one way in the direction indicated, effective April 27, 1955:

A Street, South Boston.

From Congress street to Melcher street.

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 26.

Annual Communion Sunday.

The twelfth annual Communion Sunday for Catholic members of the Boston Fire and Protective Departments will be held in St. Vincent's Church, E and West Third streets, South Boston, at 9 A.M., Sunday, May 8, 1955.

The guest speaker for the breakfast will be Most Reverend Richard J. Cushing, D.D., Archbishop of Boston.

The Celebrant of the Mass will be department chaplain, Right Reverend Monsignor Henry J. O'Connell. The Toastmaster will be Fire Commissioner Francis X. Cotter. His Honor, Mayor John B. Hynes, will be present.

Upon completion of the Mass, members will form outside the church and march to Blinstrub's Village, 300 West Broadway, South Boston, where the annual Communion Breakfast will be held.

Regulation uniform with sack coat and white gloves shall be worn on this occasion.

Any member planning to attend the Mass will be excused from duty when relieved by his partner.

Members who desire to participate in the annual Communion Sunday exercises are privileged to exchange time.

Members may have their sons accompany them at the Mass and at the breakfast.

This ceremony has become an established annual rite for the Catholic members of the department. For new members of the department inducted during the past year, it will be an opportunity to meet their spiritual leader and to make new contacts and friendships in the department during the breakfast. The committee earnestly requests that all members off duty make every effort to attend the Mass and the breakfast. It is particularly requested that members possessing uniforms should wear them, although the lack of a uniform should not act as a deterrent for participation in the exercises. An especially fine program has been arranged for those attending.

By order of Fire Commissioner Francis X. Cotter.

John V. Stapleton,
Chief of Department.

General Order No. 27.

I. Changes in Titles of Positions.

The following changes in titles of positions, to become effective immediately, in order to conform to the provisions of chapter 45, of the Acts of 1952, are hereby announced:

Assistant Chief of Department in Charge of Fire Fighting Force to Assistant Fire Chief in Charge of Fire Fighting Force.

Assistant Chief of Department in Charge of Personnel and Training to Assistant Fire Chief in Charge of Personnel and Training.

Assistant Chief of Department in Charge of Fire Prevention Division to Assistant Fire Chief in Charge of Fire Prevention Division.

Deputy Chief to Deputy Fire Chief.
District Chief to District Fire Chief.
Captain to Fire Captain.
Lieutenant to Fire Lieutenant.
Hoseman to Fire Fighter.
Ladderman to Fire Fighter.

Members who have titles such as, "Aide to Commissioner," "Aide to Chief of Department," "Arson Inspector," "Aide to Chaplain," etc., shall, if they are privates, precede the aforementioned titles with, "Fire Fighter." *Example*—"Fire Fighter, Aide to Commissioner," "Fire Fighter, Arson Inspector," etc.

If an officer has a title such as, "Captain-Drillmaster," "Lieutenant-Chief Inspector," "Lieutenant-Master," etc., the word, "Fire" shall precede it. *Example*—"Fire Captain, Drillmaster," "Fire Lieutenant, Chief Inspector," etc.

Hereafter, these new titles shall be used on all communications.

II. Retirements.

The following retirements, in accordance with section 7, chapter 658, Acts of 1945, as amended, which became effective at 8 A.M., May 1, 1955, are hereby announced:

Fire Captain George M. Eaton, Engine Company 16.

Fire Fighter Warren C. Somers, Engine Company 40.

Fire Captain Eaton was appointed to the Fire Department May 31, 1929, and he was promoted to the grade of lieutenant June 25, 1940, and to captain September 11, 1947. Fire Fighter Somers was appointed to the department January 26, 1949.

Both the foregoing named leave the department with the best wishes of their associates.

III. New Assignment Cards.

Assignment cards for Boxes 5281 and 5478 have been distributed to the department. They shall replace old assignment cards for Boxes 5281 and 5478, and shall become effective at 8 A.M., Thursday, May 5, 1955. The instructions contained in paragraph 13, General Orders, No. 71, November 12, 1954, shall apply to the two new assignment cards. The old assignment cards shall be returned to Headquarters on or before Monday, May 9, 1955.

IV. An Act Authorizing Compensation for Overtime Service by Fire Fighters of Cities and Towns.

The following is hereby promulgated for the information of the department:

"The Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
1955 Acts and Resolves (Chapter 195).
An Act Authorizing Compensation for Overtime Service by Fire Fighters of Cities and Towns.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

Chapter 48 of the General Laws is hereby amended by inserting after section 58B, inserted by section 1 of chapter 413 of the acts of 1945, the following section: Section 58C. If a fire fighter in the service of a city or town shall be required to be on duty for any period in excess of his regular hours of duty as from time to time established, he may be given time off equal to such period of overtime duty or, if time off cannot be given by reason of personnel shortage or other cause, he may be paid for such period of overtime duty at the hourly rate of his regular compensation for his average weekly hours of regular duty.

Approved March 22, 1955."

V. Changes on Assignment Cards.

Due to the relocation of Ladder 10 to the quarters of Engine Company 28, 659 Centre street, Jamaica Plain, company commanders shall make the following changes on assignment cards to become effective at 8 A.M., Friday, May 6, 1955:

Boxes: 2581, 12-2581, 2584, 259, 2591, 2594.

First alarm to fire: Drop Ladder 10; add Ladder 6 (arrival, second due).

Second alarm to fire: Drop Ladder 6; add Ladder 10.

Changes on the assignment cards shall be made as to the order of arrival at the scene in response to alarms of ladder companies, as follows:

Boxes: 2382, 12-2382, 13-2382, 14-2382, 2383.

First alarm to fire: Order of arrival, Ladders 10, 26.

Boxes: 2384, 2385, 2389, 241, 2416, 2417, 2418, 242, 2421, 2423, 12-2423, 13-2423, 14-2423, 15-2423, 2425, 12-2425, 2426, 2427, 2428, 2438, 2439, 245, 12-245, 13-245, 14-245, 2451, 2453, 2454, 2457, 2458, 2459, 246, 2521, 12-2521, 254, 2541, 2545, 12-2545, 2547, 12-2547.

First alarm to fire: Order of arrival, Ladders 10, 30.

Boxes: 2562, 2564, 2571, 2573, 2574, 2577, 12-2577, 2578, 2586, 2616, 2617, 12-2617.

First alarm to fire: Order of arrival, Ladders 16, 10.

Boxes: 271, 12-271, 2711.

First alarm to fire: Order of arrival, Ladders 10, 16.

VI. Fire Alarm Box Installed.

The following fire alarm box which was established in General Orders, No. 22, dated April 20, 1955, has been installed and connected into circuit No. 88:

13-3343, Oliver Wendell Holmes School, 40 School street.

Company commanders will add Box 13-3343 to circuit card No. 88.

Company commanders will change the designation on assignment card for Box 3343 by deleting the words "Aux., Oliver Wendell Holmes School." Assignment card will read as follows:

3343, School and Harvard streets.

VII. Fire Alarm Box Discontinued.

The following fire alarm box has been removed from service and discontinued permanently:

12-1511, Hotel Touraine, Boylston and Tremont streets.

Company commanders will delete Box 12-1511 from assignment card for Box 1511 and from circuit card No. 7.

VIII. House Journals.

Company commanders are requested to forward to Headquarters on Form 5 or 5A before May 11, 1955, the number of House Journals which will be required for their respective companies for the year beginning June 1, 1955.

IX. Commendations.

Fire Fighters Stephen E. Bogue of Ladder Company 10 and John J. Bogue of Ladder Company 29 are hereby commended for responding to and working at fire, Box 2386, three alarms, on April 30, 1955, while off duty.

By order of Fire Commissioner Francis X. Cotter.

John V. Stapleton,
Chief of Department.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway resurfacing, estimated to be thirty (30) days, vehicles are excluded from the following streets, when and where official signs are in place, effective April 26, 1955:

Bowdoin Avenue, Dorchester.
From Washington street to Eldon street.
Falmouth Street, Roxbury.
From Dalton street to St. Paul street.
Norway Street, Roxbury.
From Falmouth street to Massachusetts avenue.
St. Paul Street, Roxbury.
From Norway street to Falmouth street.
St. William Street, Dorchester.
From Dorchester avenue to Auckland street.
South Munroe Terrace, Dorchester.
From Neponset avenue to Train street.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, occasioned by construction of the John F. Fitzgerald Expressway, estimated to be ten (10) days, the following traffic regulations are effective beginning April 27, 1955:

Vehicles are excluded from the following street:

India Street, Boston Proper.
From Franklin street to India square.

The one-way rule in the following street is suspended and it is a two-way street:

India Street, Boston Proper.
From Custom House street to Franklin street.
From India square to Atlantic avenue.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of sidewalk construction, estimated to be thirty (30) days, parking of vehicles is prohibited in the following street, effective April 30, 1955:

Beacon Street, Boston Proper.
South side, from Exeter street to Massachusetts avenue.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

FIRE FIGHTER, BOSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT, JUNE 25, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, June 6, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $3,540 a year; the maximum salary is $4,160 a year.

Vacancies: From time to time.

Duties: The regular duties of a municipal fire fighter.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants shall be not less than twenty-two or over thirty-five years of age at the time of filing the application. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application *unless* one has been filed with a previous application.

Any veteran who will have attained the age of twenty-one within six months of the date of any scheduled examination for fire service shall not be deemed ineligible for examination and appointment provided that he meets all other pertinent requirements of the Civil Service laws and rules (chapter 287, Acts of 1947).

Veterans who had not reached the maximum age limit at the time of entering military or naval service will not be disqualified by reason of age within five years after the date of honorable discharge. (Chapter 179, Acts of 1950.)

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 3; practical questions, including general information, 7; total, 10.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination and qualifying strength tests.

To become eligible, applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in the strength tests, but the mark will not be averaged with the educational mark.

The written examination will consist of questions on general information and questions based upon information contained in the Fire Manual for the Instruction of Applicants for Entrance Examinations in the Fire Service in Cities and Towns of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, prepared by the Director of Civil Service, which may be obtained from the Public Document Division, Room 116, State House, Boston, at 40 cents a copy. It is necessary that applicants obtain a copy of this manual and study it carefully.

Applicants must not bring Fire Manuals to the examination room.

MUNICIPAL BOND PROPOSALS.

State and municipal bond proposals reported during June as approved by 239 municipalities in 31 states and Alaska totaled $173,811,935, as compared with $113,704,950 for June, 1953, the Bond Buyer reports . . . Jones Beach Parkway Authority in New York has been ordered to show cause why the 10-cent toll on the portion of the Southern State Parkway now completed should not be discontinued. Basis of the suit, it is said, is a claim that all of the highway must be completed before any tolls can be collected.

THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING IRON CASTINGS FOR THE BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing iron castings for the Boston public schools. Proposal forms are obtainable at the office of the Business Manager of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, tenth floor. Envelopes containing proposals must be sealed and plainly marked "Proposal for Furnishing Iron Castings for the Boston Public Schools." The bid must be in duplicate. One copy, signed by the bidder, and accompanied by a certified check, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount of one hundred dollars ($100), must be left at the office of the Business Manager on or before 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, May 19, 1955. Copies filed with the Business Manager will be publicly opened and read at 12 o'clock noon of the day stated. The other copy, also signed by the bidder, must be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., previous to the time named for the opening of bids. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to accept the bid which it deems best for the interests of the city. The successful bidder will be required to furnish a suitable bond or deposit of money or other security in the amount of not less than 50 per cent of the amount of the contract.

HENRY J. SMITH,
Business Manager of the School Committee.
(May 7.)

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 2,038.

The Police Commissioner having heard the complaint of Capt. Edward L. Kelley, Division 4, against Patrolman Cornelius J. Yarasitis, Division 4, on Friday, April 15, 1955, at Police Headquarters, charging him with violation of the rules and regulations of the Boston Police Department, has made a finding of guilty.

Therefore, it is ordered that the said Patrolman Cornelius J. Yarasitis be suspended for a period of three months, commencing as of Monday, April 11, 1955, at 5.45 o'clock P.M.

The Acting Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

HIGHWAY RECONSTRUCTION WORK.

Proposals for Bituminous Concrete Pavement in Morton Street, Wards 12 and 19, from Approximately 1,400 Feet Northwest of Canterbury Street to 1,620 Feet Northwest of Canterbury Street.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for bituminous concrete pavement in Morton street, etc. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Bituminous Concrete Pavement in Morton Street, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, MAY 26, 1955, with a certified check for FIVE HUNDRED (500) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(May 7.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CIVIL DEFENSE KIT.

In Milwaukee residents have been notified by the city's civil defense administration to get together kits of nonperishable foods on which their families could live for a week in the open if need be. A 43-pound kit, costing $37, was used for demonstration purposes. In the kit, besides food, were a first-aid packet, water purification tablets, cooking utensils, and cans of canned heat. The entire unit packed in an aluminum laundry mail case doubles as a dishpan, wash basin, and infant bathtub.

Toledo City Journal.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

WATER WORKS.

Proposals for Laying and Relaying Water Pipes in East Eagle Street, Ward 1; Falcon Street, Ward 1; White Street, Ward 1; Mt. Vernon Street, Ward 13; and Such Additional Locations, If Any, in Wards 1 and 13, As May Be Designated by the Commissioner of Public Works.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for laying and relaying water pipes in East Eagle street, Ward 1, etc. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Eacb proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Laying and Relaying Water Pipes in East Eagle Street, Ward 1, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of WEDNESDAY, MAY 18, 1955, with a certified check for NINE HUNDRED (900) DOLLARS, payable to and to become tbe property of the city if tbe proposal after acceptance is not carried out. Tbe proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to tbe Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under tbe contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves tbe right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(May 7.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

HIGHWAY RECONSTRUCTION.

PROPOSALS FOR BITUMINOUS CONCRETE PAVEMENT IN

Ardale Street, Ward 20, from Centre Street to Walter Street;

Bellaire Road, Ward 20, from Cerdan Avenue to Burnside Avenue;

Cerdan Avenue, Ward 20, from Weld Street to 190 Feet Southwest of Peak Hill Road;

Colby Road, Ward 20, from Centre Street to Weld Street;

Corey Street, Ward 20, from Weld Street to Veterans of Foreign Wars Parkway;

Farquhar Street, Ward 20, from South Street to Centre Street;

Maple Street, Ward 20, from Weld Street to Maple Street Extension;

Pinehurst Street, Ward 20, from Belgrade Avenue to Durnell Avenue.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for bituminous concrete pavement in Ardale street, Ward 20, etc. A bond will be required for doing tbe work of a surety company approved by tbe Commissioner in tbe sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of tbe contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Eacb proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Bituminous Concrete Pavement in Ardale Street, Ward 20, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fiftb floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, MAY 26, 1955, with a certified cbeck for FOUR THOUSAND (4,000) DOLLARS, payable to and to become tbe property of the city if tbe proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will tben be publicly opened and read in tbe Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, tbe sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, tbe contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnisbing of other benefits under chapter 152 of tbe General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the rigbt to reject any or all proposals or to award tbe contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(May 7.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

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JOSHUA H. JONES, *Editor.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR INSTALLING A HEATING BOILER AND THREE BURNERS.

The Trustees of the Public Library of the City of Boston, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invite sealed proposals for installing a heating boiler and oil burner at the East Boston Branch Library, 276 Meridian street, East Boston; an oil burner at the Hyde Park Branch Library, 35 Harvard avenue, Hyde Park; and an oil burner at the West Roxbury Branch Library, 1961 Centre street, West Roxbury, as specified in tbe specifications.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Tuesday, May 17, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, at wbich time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals shall be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Business Office, Boston Public Library, Copley square, Boston, Mass. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, and enclosed in a sealed envelope, plainly marked with the name of the bidder and the description of the work bid upon. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $350, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked. Bid bonds will not be accepted.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

Specifications for the work may be obtained on and after Monday, May 9, 1955, at the Business Office, Boston Public Library, Copley square, Boston, Mass.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price will be required of the successful contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves tbe right to accept or reject any or all bids, and to accept or reject any portion or portions of bids, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

THE TRUSTEES OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY OF THE CITY OF BOSTON,
by MILTON E. LORD,
(May 7.) *Director.*

No. 85—396.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING GENERAL CLOTHING FOR THE HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Monday, May 16, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Clothing." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as be deems for the best interests of tbe city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(May 7.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR CONSTRUCTING BASKETBALL COURTS AT PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT PLAYGROUNDS IN BOSTON, MASS.

The Commissioner of Parks and Recreation of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, Invites proposals for constructing basketball courts at Parks and Recreation Department playgrounds in Boston, Mass. Forms of proposals must be obtained at the Engineer's office of the Parks and Recreation Department, 33 Beacon street. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed and marked "Proposal for Constructing Basketball Courts at Parks and Recreation Department Playgrounds in Boston, Mass.," and left before 2 o'clock P.M. on Tuesday, May 17, 1955, at the office of the Parks and Recreation Department, with a certified check for $800, payable to and to be the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, and will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of 100 per cent of the estimated contract price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealtb, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the Engineer's office of the Parks and Recreation Department. The successful bidder will be required to provide for public liability and property damage insurance and for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulations will be required prior to the award of said contract. The Commissioner reserves the right to reject any or all proposals.

FRANK R. KELLEY,
(May 7.) *Commissioner.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR ALTERATIONS AND RENEWALS OF STORM-SANITARY AND ELECTRICAL SYSTEMS IN BASEMENT OF MEDICAL BUILDING, BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL, 818 HARRISON AVENUE, BOSTON, MASS.

The City of Boston, by the Board of Trustees, Hospital Department, and of the Boston City Hospital, hercinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for alterations and renewals of storm-sanitary and electrical systems in basement of Medical Building, Boston City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until two o'clock P.M., Thursday, May 26, 1955, E.D.S.T., at the office of the Superintendent, Boston City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms ohtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, and enclosed in an envelope, sealed, and plainly marked with the description of the work to he done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall he filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible hank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $2,000, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No hidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

Subhlders bidding on the work of subcontractors shall use the proposal form prepared by and obtainahle from the Awarding Authority.

All subbidders' proposals filed with the Awarding Authority shall be submitted in sealed envelopes plainly marked with the title of the work; division of the work for which bid is submitted; subcontractor's name; and subcontractor's business address. All such bids shall be in the possession of the Awarding Authority and delivered or mailed to the general contractor no later than twelve o'clock noon, Monday, May 23, 1955, E.D.S.T.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible hank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount as specified in the following for the various subbid items of work as listed below, shall be submitted by each subhidder with the copy of his proposal filed with the Awarding Authority.

Plumbing, $500
Electrical Work, $100

The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, plainly marked "Bid Deposit."

Specifications and plans may be obtained at the office of the Engineer, J. M. McCusker Associates, 17 Chestnut avenue, Jamaica Plain, Boston, Mass., on Monday, May 9, 1955, upon deposit of certified check for $10, payable to the City of Boston. The full amount of the deposit will be returned to bidders upon receipt of said plans and specifications in good condition, by the Awarding Authority.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do. The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all subbids on any item or items in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, AND OF THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL,
RICHARD J. CONDON,
(May 7.) *President.*

THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER.

PROPOSALS FOR TOOL AND KNIFE GRINDING AND SHARPENING, SAW FILING AND SETTING FOR THE BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for tool and knife grinding and sharpening, saw filing and setting for the Boston public schools. Proposal forms are obtainable at the office of the Business Manager of the School Committee, tenth floor, 15 Beacon street. Envelopes containing proposals must be sealed and plainly marked "Proposal for Tool and Knife Grinding and Sharpening, Saw Filing and Setting for the Boston Public Schools." The bid must be in duplicate. One copy, signed by the bidder, and accompanied by a certified check payable to the City of Boston, in the amount of one hundred dollars ($100), must be left at the office of the Business Manager on or before 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday, May 18, 1955. Copies filed with the Business Manager will be publicly opened at 12 o'clock noon of the day stated. The other copy, also signed by the bidder, must be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., previous to the time named for the opening of bids. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to accept such bid as may be deemed best for the interests of the city. The successful bidder will be required to furnish a suitable bond or deposit of money or other security in the amount of not less than 50 per cent of the amount of the contract.

HENRY J. SMITH,
Business Manager of the School Committee.
(May 7.)

THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING KINDERGARTEN SUPPLIES FOR THE BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing and delivering to the Supply Room of the School Committee kindergarten supplies for the Boston public schools. Proposal forms are obtainable at the office of the Business Manager of the School Committee, tenth floor, 15 Beacon street. Envelopes containing proposals must be sealed and plainly marked "Proposal for Furnishing Kindergarten Supplies for the Boston Public Schools." The bid must be in duplicate. One copy, signed by the bidder, and accompanied by a certified check, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount of one hundred dollars ($100), must be left at the office of the Business Manager on or before 12 o'clock noon, Tuesday, May 17, 1955. Copies filed with the Business Manager will be publicly opened at 12 o'clock noon of the day stated. The other copy, also signed by the bidder, must be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., previous to the time named for the opening of bids. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to accept such bid or part of bid as may be deemed best for the interests of the city. The successful bidders will be required to furnish a suitable bond or deposit of money or other security in the amount of not less than 50 per cent of the amount of the contract.

HENRY J. SMITH,
Business Manager of the School Committee.
(May 7.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING SIGNAL CABLE.

The Police Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing and delivering signal cable. The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at the office of the Property Clerk, Room 105, 154 Berkeley street, Boston, and deposit with his bid, at the office of the Police Commissioner, a properly certified check for $500, payable to and to become the property of the Police Commissioner for the City of Boston, if the proposal is not carried out. Proposals will be publicly opened and read on Friday, May 20, 1955, at 12 o'clock noon, at the office of the Police Commissioner, 154 Berkeley street, Boston, Mass. The Police Commissioner reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the Police Department of the City of Boston. Surety bond will be required of the successful hidder in an amount equivalent to 50 per cent of the estimated amount of the contract.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
(May 7.) *Police Commissioner.*

THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER.

PROPOSALS FOR REBINDING BOOKS FOR THE BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids on rebinding approximately 3,500 books. Proposal forms are obtainable at the office of the Business Manager of the School Committee, tenth floor, 15 Beacon street. Envelopes containing proposals must be sealed and plainly marked "Proposal for Rebinding Books." The bid must be in duplicate. One copy, signed by the bidder, and accompanied by a certified check, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount of one hundred dollars ($100), must be left at the office of the Business Manager on or before 12 o'clock noon on Tuesday, May 17, 1955. Copies filed with the Business Manager will be publicly opened and read at 12 o'clock noon of the day stated. The other copy, also signed by the bidder, must be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., previous to the time named for the opening of bids. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids, and to accept such bid as may he deemed best for the interests of the city. The successful bidder will be required to furnish a suitable bond or deposit of money or other security in the amount of not less than 50 per cent of the amount of the contract.

HENRY J. SMITH,
Business Manager of the School Committee.
(May 7.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

REAL PROPERTY BOARD.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR LEASING OF PUBLIC PARKING FACILITY ON PEARL STREET, FRANKLIN STREET, AND HARTFORD STREET.

The Real Property Board of the City of Boston, hereinafter called the Board, invites from individual citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, proposals for leasing for a term of six (6) months beginning June 1, 1955, and ending November 30, 1955, unless earlier terminated in accordance with the conditions as more fully set forth in the form of lease, the public parking facility situated in Boston on the northeasterly side of Pearl street, southeasterly side of Franklin street, and the southwesterly side of Hartford street, and containing approximately thirty-four thousand five hundred and ninety-five (34,595) square feet of land, upon the covenants, agreements, and conditions contained in the form of lease which, with the form of proposal, may be obtained daily (except Saturdays, Sundays, and holidays), between 9 A.M. and 5 P.M., at the office of the Board, Room 809, City Hall Annex, Court street, Boston.

Proposals shall be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained as aforesaid. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, enclosed in an envelope, sealed and marked "Proposal for Leasing of Public Parking Facility on Pearl, Franklin, and Hartford Streets, Boston." One copy of the proposal, accompanied by a bid deposit of $2,000, made under the terms stated in the form of proposal, in the form of CASH or a CERTIFIED CHECK payable to the City of Boston, shall be filed with the Board at its said office on or before 2 P.M., Thursday, May 19, 1955, at which time and place all proposals will be publicly opened and read. The other copy of the proposal shall be filed by the bidder before said day and hour at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, School street, Boston.

No proposal shall be withdrawn after the day and hour hereinbefore set for the opening of proposals.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all proposals.

HERMAN CARP, *Chairman,*
WILLIAM F. KEESLER,
DAVID L. CURRIER,
THOMAS F. MCDONOUGH,
GEORGE P. DONOVAN,
Real Property Board of the City of Boston.
(May 7.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

CHANGES IN TRAFFIC RULES AND REGULATIONS.

Voted, That the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective May 9, 1955:

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out the following:

Warren Avenue, Charlestown.
West side, from City square to Front street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," the following:

Eastburn Street.
Both sides, from Washington street to a point two hundred (200) feet south of Washington street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Charlestown," the following:

Warren Avenue.
Both sides, from City square to Water street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Semont Road.
East side, from a point one hundred (100) feet south of St. Marks road to St. Marks road, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Montrose Street.
South side, from Warren street to Moreland street, 24 hours.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by striking out the following:

Eastburn Street, Brighton.
From Washington street to Mt. Vernon street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," each of the following:

Malden Street.
From Albany street to Wareham street.

Plympton Street.
From Albany street to Harrison avenue.

Wareham Street.
From Malden street to Albany street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," each of the following:

Eastburn Street.
From the southerly end of the driveway of the U. S. Post Office property to Mt. Vernon street.

Fairbanks Street.
From Washington street to Faneuil street.

Sidlaw Road.
From Chiswick road to Commonwealth avenue.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Charlestown," the following:

Warren Avenue.
From City square to Water street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," each of the following:

Freeport Street.
From William T. Morrissey Boulevard at the point where it intersects Freeport street two hundred and twenty (220) feet north of the extension of Conley street to the extension of Conley street.
From William T. Morrissey Boulevard at its southerly junction with Freeport street in a northerly direction to Victory road.

Minot Street.
From Carruth street to Adams street.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by striking out the following:

Carruth Street, Dorchester.
At Minot street.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphahetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," each of the following:

Adams Street.
At Parkman street.

Callender Street.
At Lucerne street.

WM. ARTHUR REILLY,
Commissioner.

A true copy.
Attest:
WILLIAM T. DOYLE,
Executive Secretary.
(April 30-May 7.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR AUTOMOBILES.

The Police Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing automobiles. The bidder must use the form of proposal to he obtained at the office of the Property Clerk of the Boston Police Department, Room 105, 154 Berkeley street, Boston, and deposit with his bid at the office of the Police Commissioner, a properly certified check in the amount of $1,000, payable to and to become the property of the Police Commissioner for the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. Proposals will be publicly opened and read on Friday, May 20, 1955, at 12 o'clock noon, at the office of the Police Commissioner, 154 Berkeley street, Boston, Mass. The Police Commissioner reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the Police Department of the City of Boston. Surety bond will he required from the successful hidder in an amount equivalent to 50 per cent of the estimated amount of the contract.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
(May 7.) *Police Commissioner.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

SEWERAGE WORKS.

Proposals for Sewerage Works in David Road and Outlet in Mossbank Footway to Louder's Lane, West Roxbury.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in David road, etc. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in David Road, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of WEDNESDAY, MAY 18, 1955, with a certified check for FIVE HUNDRED (500) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then he publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must he made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the hids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide hy insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(May 7.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR UTILITY WAGONS.

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DIRECTOR OF SEARS SURGICAL LABORATORY AT CITY HOSPITAL NAMED BY TRUSTEES WITH APPROVAL OF MAYOR HYNES—DR. JOHN ENGELBERT DUNPHY, NOTED SURGEON, CHOSEN FOR PLACE — OUTSTANDING AND RENOWNED IN HIS PROFESSION—PATIENTS AND PUBLIC TO BENEFIT.

The Trustees of the Hospital Department of the City of Boston, with the approval of his Honor the Mayor, have announced the appointment of Dr. John Engelbert Dunphy of Wellesley Hills to be director of the Sears Surgical Laboratory and director of the Fifth (Harvard) Surgical Service at the Boston City Hospital.

Dr. Dunphy was born in 1908 in Northampton, Mass. He attended Holy Cross College, received his A.B. degree in 1929 and graduated from Harvard Medical School in 1933. He received postgraduate surgical training between 1933 and 1940 at the Peter Bent Brigham Hospital. During 1938 he served as George Gorham Peters training fellow at the Lahey Clinic. In 1939 he was appointed Arthur Tracy Cabot fellow in surgery at Harvard Medical School.

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REPORT OF MARY K. FITZGERALD, CHAIRMAN, BOSTON SCHOOL COMMITTEE, ON ATTENDANCE AT ANNUAL MEETING OF NATIONAL SCHOOL BOARD ASSOCIATION, INCORPORATED, IN ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI, FEBRUARY 24 TO 26, 1955, INCLUSIVE.

The following is the report on attendance of the School Committee Chairman, Mary K. Fitzgerald, at the National School Board Association Convention, St. Louis, Missouri, on February 24 and 25, 1955:

Upon arrival, and following registration, the writer attended general sessions and conferences on educational matters concerning School Committees over the nation.

During the afternoon of February 25, discussion was held with other members of Massachusetts School Committees concerning a resolution on increased state aid and on federal aid legislation for schools. These matters were further discussed at general sessions of the entire association.

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MAYOR JOHN B. HYNES EXTOLS SPIRIT OF FRIENDLY GOOD WILL OF BOSTON'S CITIZENS IN RELATIONSHIPS WITH EACH OTHER — ADDRESSES GATHERING OF MASSACHUSETTS COMMITTEE OF CATHOLICS, PROTESTANTS, AND JEWS AT ANNUAL DINNER AT HOTEL STATLER — BEARS GREETINGS TO ASSEMBLY AND THREE DISTINGUISHED GUESTS, GOVERNOR McKELDEN OF MARYLAND, GENERAL WALTER BEDELL SMITH, AND JACK BENNY, FROM CITIZENS OF BOSTON.

At the annual dinner of the Massachusetts Committee of Catholics, Protestants, and Jews, Mayor John B. Hynes spoke as follows:

Six years ago, when I was an unsophisticated tyro at the job of Mayor, I was privileged to attend this annual dinner of the Massachusetts Committee of Catholics, Protestants, and Jews, and extend the official greetings of the City of Boston.

On that occasion, and on each annual occasion since that time, I was profoundly stirred by the spirit of friendly good will which prevailed at these dinners — and which prevails tonight at this dinner.

I have also been agreeably impressed with the character and color always present at this gathering, which never fails to bring together the most beautiful, the most striking, the most charming ladies — and the most distinguished, the most intelligent, and the most successful gentlemen of our community.

In this vein, I might suggest that this is an opportune moment for me to gingerly, albeit adroitly, express the vagrant thought that it could be my fortune or my fate to come to this dinner in the years immediately ahead, in the same capacity I am here tonight, and join with you in a wonderful evening arranged by a wonderful committee, headed by Oscar Hauserman, Harold Hodgkinson, Ralph Eastman, good old Ben Shapiro, and the dean of all committeemen, Mike Kelleher.

I venture a guess that with such a committee behind him, and a fund-raiser like Mike Kelleher producing the wherewithal, a guy could be elected to anything but the presidency of the Women's Temperance League, and that position I am not fitted to fill — by no stretch of anyone's imagination.

Distinguished Guests.

Tonight I greet, in the name of our city, our three distinguished guests.

To the affable and most capable Governor of Maryland I wish to state that we have long since forgotten that little incident on the streets of Baltimore some ninety-odd years ago when our militia boys were answering the call of Father Abraham. We never mention that incident, Governor, never. Nice to have you in Boston, Governor McKelden.

To one of the outstanding military geniuses of our time patriotic old Boston extends a hearty welcome. From afar we have admired you, General Walter Bedell Smith — not alone because of your military prowess, but also because of your innate modesty, because of your complete lack of pomp and circumstance, because of your devotion to principle. We are honored, General, to have you with us tonight.

And for our third guest of honor we have a special welcome. Like timeless, ageless Boston, Jack Benny is timeless and ageless. May this old city which gave strength and courage to our new republic during its earliest and darkest days always be a citadel of God-fearing, freedom-loving, understanding peoples. May you, Jack Benny — you who have pierced many a gloomy hour with the sunshine of your personality — may you never age, and, like Boston itself, may you be with us always.

"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean;
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, May 16, at 2 P.M.

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To the HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Haymarket Square, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish, and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughterhouses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases, of public health nuisances.

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To the BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT, 43 City Hall, relative to changes in the boundary lines of zoning districts of the City of Boston as established by chapter 488 of the Acts of 1924, and amendments thereto.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending May 7, 1955.

Population as of July, 1950, Massachusetts State Census, 817,713; population estimated July, 1954, United States Census Bureau, 813,696, number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 159; nonresidents, 82; total, 241.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 15.25; nonresidents deducted, 10 32.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:

Last week, 13.96; corresponding week last year, 14.01.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 12; one year to four years, inclusive, 3; sixty years and over, 161. Total deaths: Male, 128; female, 113; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 179.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended May 7, 1955.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended May 8, 1954.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior Poliomyelitis	—	—	—	—
Diphtheria	1	—	—	—
Encephalitis Lethargica	—	—	—	—
Influenza	—	—	—	—
Measles	31	2	142	—
Meningitis Epidemic	—	—	2	—
Pneumonia (lobar)	—	—	—	1
Scarlet Fever	71	—	17	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary)	34	1	10	5
Childhood Type Tuberculosis	—	—	—	—
Tuberculosis (other forms)	3	1	—	—
Typhoid Fever	—	—	—	—
Whooping Cough	6	—	10	—

* Residents and nonresidents included.

MAYOR NAMES DIRECTOR OF SEARS SURGICAL LABORATORY AT CITY HOSPITAL.

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Dr. Dunphy served as instructor in surgery for one year before entering military service in 1950. He left the Army in 1954 with the rank of lieutenant colonel, having served as Chief of Surgical Service and consultant in surgery in the European theatre. Since his return from service Dr. Dunphy has devoted himself to teaching, research and clinical surgery at Harvard Medical School and at Peter Bent Brigham.

He was promoted to the rank of professor at Harvard in 1953. He holds the rank of surgeon at the Brigham. He is Chief Consultant in Surgery to the Veterans Administration for the New England-New York area.

Dr. Dunphy has written and published approximately sixty major articles. He is regarded as one of the nation's outstanding younger surgeons. During the past year he has served as president of the Society of University Surgeons.

Said Mayor Hynes of Dr. Dunphy's appointment: "This good news has been long awaited by those of us who are devoted to further improving the services for patients at the Boston City Hospital. Most serious consideration and careful study has been given to this appointment for several months. I am happy to make this announcement and to offer my congratulations to Dr. Dunphy. I am sure that his outstanding ability will afford splendid leadership to the Sears Laboratory, which was established as a memorial to the late Dr. George G. Sears, former trustee of the hospital, under the will of the late Charles Tyler, Boston attorney. The direct result of this excellent appointment will be a major step forward in the higher standards of care for the patients at the Boston City Hospital and another move in the direction to make this institution the outstanding one of its kind in the country."

REPORT OF MARY K. FITZGERALD, CHAIRMAN, BOSTON SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

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On February 25 the chairman left further reports concerning the National Association Meeting in the hands of School Committee Member Musco, and went to Washington, D. C., to confer on the federal aid to schools bills then in committee, with Congressman John W. McCormack of Massachusetts.

On Saturday, February 26 a conference was held in the office of Congressman McCormack, who referred the School Committee Chairman to Congressman Carl Perkins of Kentucky, who is a member of the House Committee on Education and Labor.

Mr. Perkins informed the chairman that it is most likely that some form of school construction aid will be given by the federal government, but that it is his feeling that the present administration bill does not grant large enough or direct enough aid to meet the problem all over the nation.

The School Committee chairman recommended at a subsequent meeting in Boston, of the Boston School Committee, that this committee go on record as supporting the so-called Hill Bills for federal aid to schools in construction, and for general school purposes.

In all of these bills under consideration stringent provisions for local control of schools are made.

Respectfully submitted,

MARY K. FITZGERALD,
Chairman, Boston School Committee.

REPORT OF MARGUERITE G. SULLIVAN, ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS, ON ATTENDANCE AT CONFERENCE OF SUPERVISORS OF ELEMENTARY EDUCATION IN LARGE CITIES, IN WASHINGTON, APRIL 4 TO 7, INCLUSIVE.

The following is the report of Marguerite G. Sullivan, Assistant Superintendent of Schools, on attendance at conference in Washington:

DR. DENNIS C. HALEY,
Superintendent of Boston Public Schools.
DEAR DR. HALEY:

The following is the report of my attendance at the Conference of Supervisors of Elementary Education in Large Cities in Washington, D. C.

The Elementary School Conference of representatives from 55 of the largest cities of the United States was opened at 9.30 A.M., April 4, 1955, by Dr. Helen K. Mackintosh, Acting Chief, Elementary Schools Section of the United States Department of Education.

Dr. Herbert Brownell, United States Commissioner of Education, emphasized the country-wide needs for sufficient classroom accommodations and for adequately prepared teachers. He urged that school systems also turn their attention to a fuller integration of home and school experiences of children and a greater concern that teachers keep themselves up to date and not "historic" in their viewpoints.

He urged fullest teacher participation in international programs, citing the values gained from the Montevideo UNESCO Conference.

Representatives of New York, Philadelphia, Chicago, Los Angeles, Baltimore, Buffalo, and Boston were assigned to one group for work periods for the session. In these work periods the following topics were discussed:

1. Ways of implementing policies—system-wide and within districts.
2. Orientation of new teachers.
3. Entrance age.
4. Effective coordination of special services.
5. Programs for gifted children.
6. Provisions for release of tensions of elementary teachers.
7. Curriculum building.

The greatest satisfaction from the conference came from the recognition of common problems and from the realization that Boston not only has made progress commensurate with that of the rest of the country, but in many areas is actually in the forefront in dealing with these problems. However, we are not keeping pace with the problem of entrance age. (All reading studies point to the desirability of a six-year C.A. for beginning reading.) New York City, among others, has just raised its entrance age from five years, four months, to five years, eight months.

The experience gained from this type of "mutual exchange" conference was invaluable.

Respectfully submitted,

MARGUERITE G. SULLIVAN,
Assistant Superintendent.

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

Marion Cieri, 88 Endicott street, Boston, in the sum of $495, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk on Endicott street, near Cross street, September 19, 1952.

Pasquale Rao, 98 West Cedar street, Boston, in the sum of $445, as compensation for damage to merchandise stored in basement of above premises caused by the backing up of a sewer, September 18, 1954.

Rita Bowers, 63 Radcliffe street, Dorchester, in the sum of $485, as compensation for personal injuries and damage to property caused by a raised portion of the sidewalk in front of 30 Shafter street, Dorchester, November 15, 1954.

Mary E. Sheehan, 112 Murdock street, Brighton, in the sum of $15, as compensation for damage to automobile caused by a hole in the highway on Brooks street, near Oliva road, Brighton, September 18, 1954.

Charles A. Sullivan, 237 Weld street, West Roxbury, in the sum of $35, as compensation for damage to property during the construction of Weld street by the Public Works Department in 1954.

Mrs. Frances C. Healy, 41 Auckland street, Dorchester, in the sum of $75, as compensation for damage to property in basement of above premises caused by the backing up of a sewer, during the first week of December, 1954.

Selby Auto Supply Company, Inc., 924 Columbus avenue, Roxbury, in the sum of $440, as compensation for damage to property stored in basement of above premises caused by a leak in the service pipe, at the main, February 4, 1955.

Mrs. Thomas Hillery, 39 Dart road, Dorchester, in the sum of $51, as compensation for damage to property in above premises caused by a broken water pipe, February 2, 1952.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

W. H. Ellis & Son Company has been granted an extension of time until June 15, 1955, for the completion of the contract for reconstruction and repairs of pile and timber fences, L Street Bath House, South Boston.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Approval has been given for the extention of the time of completion of the contract, approved April 7, 1955, with the General Ship & Engine Works, Inc., 336 Border street, East Boston, for welding repairs to drawspan of the Summer Street Bridge over the Reserved Channel and Charlestown Bridge over the Charles River, from May 7, 1955, to May 20, 1955.

This extension was requested because the contractor could not complete necessary welding work due to a long rainy spell.

Men and Women Residents, January 1, 1954, Including Supplementary List.

WARDS.	PRECINCTS.																					Totals.
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	
1	2,464	2,421	2,759	2,485	2,620	2,502	2,421	2,228	2,099	2,406	2,293	2,000	2,209	1,205									32,112
2	2,251	1,805	2,131	2,179	2,132	2,258	2,077																14,836
3	2,657	2,487	2,412	2,420	2,417	2,556	2,159	2,290	2,813	3,026	3,252	3,066											31,555
4	3,110	2,683	2,102	2,878	3,031	2,267	2,176	2,426	2,471	1,719													25,163
5	3,334	1,880	2,727	2,121	2,944	3,302	3,931	2,782	2,185	1,747	1,706												28,959
6	2,289	2,160	2,079	1,997	1,848	1,769	1,868	1,746	1,556														17,312
7	1,824	2,296	2,088	2,127	2,135	2,387	1,959	2,016	1,317	2,089													20,268
8	1,785	3,473	1,623	1,958	1,978	1,408	2,166	2,379	1,290														18,060
9	2,641	3,243	2,646	2,512	1,662	1,737	1,645	808	1,934	1,412													20,240
10	1,907	1,970	1,998	2,059	1,977	2,083	1,623	2,088	2,134														17,839
11	2,387	1,798	1,972	2,176	2,091	1,674	1,715	2,076	1,375	1,810													19,071
12	2,340	1,891	2,018	2,185	2,246	2,272	2,267	1,839	1,737	1,620	2,069	1,695											24,212
13	1,161	1,187	1,511	1,513	1,370	1,139	975	1,120	783	967	1,007	884	1,161	1,074	1,114	1,212							18,208
14	2,711	1,942	2,321	2,312	2,249	2,189	2,140	1,871	2,366	1,352	1,909	1,751	1,841	2,093	2,126	1,427							32,600
15	1,259	1,198	1,176	1,090	1,056	1,093	1,049	1,070	1,150	1,202	1,137	1,168	1,019	1,108	1,300								17,075
16	1,184	1,439	1,099	1,067	1,170	1,172	1,175	1,072	1,029	1,022	1,056	1,114	1,260	1,095	1,324	1,113	1,025	962	1,062	934			22,374
17	984	1,024	940	1,163	968	900	1,125	1,295	1,277	1,022	1,190	1,283	1,245	1,245	1,318	1,168	995	917	1,058	1,167			22,284
18	2,543	1,432	1,639	1,087	1,293	1,583	1,321	1,546	1,960	1,225	2,110	1,633	1,158	1,189	1,388	1,308	2,463	1,525	1,451	1,562	1,387		32,803
19	1,336	1,149	1,049	1,462	1,492	1,219	1,335	1,097	939	1,118	1,300	1,304	1,256	896	1,049	1,652	1,247						20,930
20	1,163	1,095	999	1,043	1,077	1,855	915	1,041	1,132	1,474	1,062	1,102	1,170	1,238	1,538	1,925	1,703	1,119	1,326	1,771	1,234	1,087	28,069
21	2,360	1,837	2,116	1,859	2,125	1,463	1,140	3,244	2,465	1,732	2,497	1,665	1,477	1,380	1,870	1,484							30,711
22	1,049	1,241	1,216	1,087	1,431	1,204	1,085	1,193	1,725	1,651	1,338	1,177	1,144	1,276	1,196	1,375	1,732						22,120
Grand Total																							516,807

Registered Voters (Men and Women), State Election, November 2, 1954.

WARDS.	PRECINCTS.																					Totals.
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	
1	1,685	1,603	1,825	1,545	1,682	1,732	1,647	1,610	1,505	1,763	1,846	1,717	1,657	822									22,699
2	1,491	1,407	1,672	1,689	1,636	1,606	1,524																11,025
3	1,582	1,657	1,610	1,667	1,342	1,516	1,264	1,371	1,481	1,088	1,344	1,427											17,349
4	1,507	1,559	1,050	1,262	1,762	1,538	1,464	1,589	1,607	1,078													14,416
5	1,709	1,091	1,602	1,169	1,763	1,938	2,157	1,560	1,553	1,171	1,161												16,874
6	1,626	1,553	1,414	1,379	1,380	1,161	1,480	1,395	1,493														13,181
7	1,543	1,698	1,597	1,586	1,580	1,775	1,723	1,526	1,572	1,649													16,249
8	1,249	1,622	927	1,332	1,394	934	1,479	1,536	901														11,374
9	1,268	1,521	1,357	1,660	1,075	978	1,012	501	1,188	914													11,474
10	1,574	1,513	1,562	1,484	1,481	1,584	1,103	1,515	1,741														13,557
11	1,480	1,336	1,261	1,556	1,508	1,249	1,303	1,647	1,067	1,483													13,893
12	1,449	1,157	1,338	1,470	1,302	1,466	1,607	1,264	1,309	1,150	1,690	1,392											16,594
13	739	814	1,052	938	1,012	891	784	904	670	729	761	692	951	874	920	1,007							13,738
14	1,757	1,397	1,791	1,792	1,728	1,563	1,695	1,418	1,829	1,061	1,531	1,359	1,490	1,686	1,750	1,089							24,936
15	1,000	948	953	823	825	892	890	876	940	948	948	960	807	765	926								13,501
16	938	1,036	918	871	1,004	966	933	895	798	881	938	978	965	893	923	940	906	878	925	825			18,411
17	808	769	731	903	801	745	920	1,016	969	821	1,013	1,058	992	961	1,151	942	847	805	895	1,029			18,176
18	2,222	1,145	1,345	924	1,110	1,289	1,015	1,262	1,667	996	1,672	1,343	918	929	1,160	1,087	2,103	1,136	1,117	1,253	1,158		26,851
19	1,023	955	888	1,035	1,097	935	916	966	781	880	1,100	1,104	1,019	750	890	1,339	1,055						16,733
20	993	894	839	881	923	1,613	806	879	960	1,205	922	979	1,034	1,118	1,243	1,497	1,486	977	1,196	1,393	1,043	883	23,764
21	1,392	1,134	1,551	1,197	1,480	1,078	856	2,331	1,746	1,435	1,996	1,313	1,215	1,007	1,410	1,149							22,290
22	761	942	876	839	1,042	918	900	895	1,427	1,234	1,052	958	999	1,042	982	1,152	1,487						17,506
Grand Total																							374,591

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Permission has been given to change the salary of John J. Riley, Jr., from $263.18 to $284.93 a month.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Approval has been given for the temporary appointment, for a period of 30 working days from April 29, of George B. Gavin, 157 Hemenway street, as clerk-typist at $43 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

For the week ending May 3:

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Esther Bandlow, 5 Reddy avenue, Hyde Park, Priscilla Beckwith, 686 Massachusetts avenue, 1 day; Lillian Blackburn, 18 Park Vale avenue, Allston, Rita Buscher, 238 Norfolk street, Wollaston, Gertrude Clark, 13 Rosa street, Hyde Park, 2 days; Sophie Cotter, 173 Vine Rock street, Dedham, 4 days; Iris Crowley, 168 Crowley-Rogers Way, South Boston, 2 days; Patricia Camirand, 41 Falmouth street, 6 days; Hannah Donahue, 270 Huntington avenue, 2 days; Patricia Doucette, 352 Athens street, South Boston, 7 days; Florence Dowd, 93 Williams avenue, Hyde Park, Eleanor Duffiey, 35 Edwin street, Dorchester, 4 days; Mary Edwards, 428 Adams street, Dorchester, Christine Finn, 23 Commonwealth avenue, 2 days; Mary Fraser, 99 Norway street, 7 days; Wanda Geragosian, 10 Independence avenue, Lexington, 5 days; Ethel Goff, 40 Rockwell street, Dorchester, 1 day; Stella Graham, 43 Mercier avenue, Dorchester, 3 days; Virginia Hamilton, 827 River street, Mattapan, 1 day; Mary B. Healy, 163 East Cottage street, Dorchester, 6 days; Joan Keane, 1086 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, 3 days; Loretta Lynch, 270 Huntington avenue, 5 days; Rita McCallum, 162 Bowdoin street, Dorchester, 1 day; Claire McCue, 74 Robinwood road, Dedham, 3 days; Veronica McElligott, 34 Dickinson street, Somerville, 6 days; Catherine McGuinness, 14 Alsen road, Dorchester, 2 days; Anne McInnis, 853 East Third street, South Boston, 3 days; Mary R. Mahan, 29 Kempton street, Thelma Miles, 9 Albemarle Chambers, Audrey Mailhot, 30 Walton street, Dorchester, 7 days; Angelina Mullaney, 1235 Trapelo road, Waltham, 2 days; Angelina Peyton, 16 Dane street, Jamaica Plain, 4 days; Alyce N. Powers, 67 Prospect avenue, Wollaston, 1 day; Grace Powers, 16 Spaulding street, Dorchester, 3 days; Mary Pursley, 38 Van Brunt street, Hyde Park, 4 days; Romaine Riley, 171 Humboldt avenue, Roxbury, 3 days; Verna Snow, 75 Damon road, Melrose, 1 day; Margaret M. Sullivan, 28 Weymouth street, Holbrook, 5 days; Isabel Sutton, 121 Boston street, Dorchester, 4 days; Doris Stoddard, 50 Aldie street, Allston, 1 day; Helen Sheehan, Turnpike street, Canton, 4 days; Gertrude Stevens, 1 day; Josephine Trippe, 80 Orleans street, East Boston, 2 days; Ila Ward, 79 Warren street, Roxbury, 7 days; Kathryn Welch, 49 East Springfield street, 2 days.

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING MAY 10.

GAS FITTER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
R. E. Luxton	38 Bellevue street	15	New appliances	$55
S. F. Pryor	1004 Bennington street	1	New appliances	14
T. H. Matthews	34 Bowdoin street	14	New appliances	500
L. E. Clark	43 Chelsea street	1	New appliances	150
John J. McGee	20 Concord square	4	New appliances	100
L. E. Clark	255 Cummins Highway	19	New appliances	400
John J. McGee	87 Dartmouth street	4	New appliances	250
R. Simon	20 Dorchester street	6	New appliances	51
L. F. Luxton	68 East street	15	New appliances	185
Charles W. Mehegan	841 East Fifth street	6	New appliances	540
Morris Eskowitz	552 East Fourth street	6	New appliances	50
L. E. Clark	14 Frederick street	7	New appliances	300
L. E. Clark	443 Hanover street	3	New appliances	250
John F. Wilson	43 High street	2	New appliances	250
Edmund Secatore	3 Horace street	1	New appliances	500
L. E. Clark	47 Iroquois street	10	New appliances	400
Charles W. Mehegan	3 Jason terrace	7	New appliances	340
R. Somes	218 K street	6	New appliances	46
Henry Beaulieu	96 Lawn street	10	New appliances	70
	424 Medford street	20	New appliances	200
T. H. Matthews	40 Melbourne street	16	New appliances	75
L. E. Clark	592 Metropolitan avenue	18	New appliances	250
L. E. Clark	17 Pond street	18	New appliances	250
P. F. Janis	9 Revere street	19	New appliances	50
L. E. Clark	72 Saybrook street	22	New appliances	250
Robert Murray	95 Village street	5	New appliances	85
F. J. Avery	3764 Washington street	19	New appliances	1,200
L. E. Clark	443 West Fourth street	7	New appliances	400
D. F. O'Neill	80 Alleghany street	10	New appliances	50
David P. Egan	5 Appian Way	22	New appliances	500
O. C. Weider	95A Ashmont street	16	New appliances	250
Leo Fama	109 Bartlett street	2	New appliances	350
A. J. Granara	65 Charter street	3	New appliances	45
E. F. Hart	6 Colon street	21	New appliances	25
O. J. McElarney	160 Commonwealth avenue	5	New appliances	50
J. H. Vogel	32 Concord square	4	New appliances	10
Nathan Deutsch	162 Cottage street	1	New appliances	55
D. F. O'Neill	33 Creston street	14	New appliances	45
Hyman Wyman	112 Dartmouth street	4	New appliances	50
E. F. Hart	2221 Dorchester avenue	17	New appliances	500
F. C. Odenweller	575 East Eighth street	6	New appliances	60
D. F. O'Neill	14 Eldora street	10	New appliances	40
Nathan Deutsch	107 Eutaw street	1	New appliances	65
C. J. Lee	18 Fabyan street	14	New appliances	12
A. Casaletto	113 Fuller street	17	New appliances	12
E. F. Hart	84 Garnet road	20	New appliances	100
F. C. Odenweller	253 Gold street	6	New appliances	60
T. H. O'Brien	96 H street	7	New appliances	50
Abraham Figler	1 Huckins street	8	New appliances	45
E. F. Hart	97 Huntington avenue	4	New appliances	200
D. F. O'Neill	74 Intervale street	12	New appliances	40
D. F. O'Neill	234 L street	7	New appliances	125
D. P. Evans	62 Leo M. Birmingham Pky.	22	New appliances	75
James T. Thomas	15 Malta street	18	New appliances	50
O. G. Weider	54 Marshfield street	8	New appliances	500
James Zinchuk	115 Meridian street	1	New appliances	150
S. E. Stahly	26 Maryland street	13	New appliances	50
Nathan Deutsch	259 Paris street	1	New appliances	50
L. W. Fuller	455 Parker street	10	New appliances	50
D. F. O'Neill	702 Parker street	10	New appliances	30
D. F. O'Neill	120 Parker Hill avenue	10	New appliances	20
A. DiLorenzo	271 Shawmut avenue	5	New appliances	30
David Segal	42 Sullivan street	2	New appliances	60
A. E. Stahly	126 Talbot avenue	14	New appliances	10
D. F. O'Neill	23 Wait street	10	New appliances	8
A. DiLorenzo	898 Washington street	3	New appliances	70
Nathan Deutsch	218 Webster street	1	New appliances	50
James Egazs	22 West Springfield street	4	New appliances	150
Benjamin Reska	16 Ashland street	3	New appliances	100
C. J. Lee	103 Gordon street	21	New appliances	150
J. Spiers	194 Heath street	10	New appliances	300
J. F. Wilson	22 Common street	2	New appliances	25
J. F. Wilson	8 Bartlett street	2	New appliances	300
E. E. Healy	7 Sumner park	7	New appliances	200
S. V. Italiano	19 Neptune road	1	New appliances	465
S. V. Italiano	65 Gladstone street	1	New appliances	40
S. V. Italiano	12 Henry street	1	New appliances	350
L. E. Clark	1482 Dorchester avenue	15	New appliances	400
L. E. Clark	19 Winston street	14	New appliances	250
L. E. Clark	2 St. James terrace	12	New appliances	200
G. S. Trethewey	133 Cornell street	18	New appliances	450
G. S. Trethewey	4039 Washington street	20	New appliances	215
G. S. Trethewey	570 Weld street	20	New appliances	250
G. S. Trethewey	10 Pinedale road	18	New appliances	225
E. E. Dorr	16 Dustin street	22	New appliances	15
Emilio Pascucci	264 Webster street	1	New appliances	18
Emilio Pascucci	74 Lexington street	1	New appliances	25
Emilio Pascucci	188 London street	1	New appliances	25
Emilio Pascucci	17 Marion street	1	New appliances	25
Abraham Kellem	69 Old Harbor street	7	New appliances	65
Abraham Kellem	374 Shawmut avenue	5	New appliances	40
Samuel Landau	415 Newbury street	5	New appliances	200
Samuel Landau	74 India street	3	New appliances	50
Samuel Landau	108 Washington street	21	New appliances	12
Samuel Landau	100 Washington street	21	New appliances	12
Samuel Landau	1615 Commonwealth avenue	21	New appliances	50
Dominic Puopolo	11 School street	3	New appliances	25
Lantes	195 Blackinton street	1	New appliances	120
Centus	William E. Russell School	7	New appliances	280
Turley	54 Halliday street	19	New appliances	90
Greenwood	55 Centre street	20	New appliances	350

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING MAY 10.—Concluded.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Hird	89 Mt. Ida road	15	New appliances	$250
Pryor	314 Main street	2	New appliances	12
Vallati	12 Denvir street	16	New appliances	150
C. Lee	19 Mayfair street	12	New appliances	15
C. Lee	522 Blue Hill avenue	12	New appliances	20
C. Lee	211 M street	7	New appliances	15
Hinckly	216 Harris avenue	19	New appliances	25
M. S. Langley	76 Atherton street	11	New appliances	150
William Long	122 Brookline avenue	21	New appliances	185
William Hogan	95 Calumet street	10	New appliances	100
A. Ventola	13 Charter street	3	New appliances	200
Edward Mogal	180 Commonwealth avenue	5	New appliances	18
M. Caputo	8 Douglas street	7	New appliances	85
J. Freedman	257 E street	6	New appliances	40
J. Freedman	496 East Sixth street	6	New appliances	35
Fred Farrar	34 Falmouth street	4	New appliances	75
J. Ricciardelli	385 Frankfort street	1	New appliances	35
Edward Mogal	233 Harrison avenue	3	New appliances	40
B. Szathmary	29 Highland Park street	11	New appliances	200
C. E. Bevelander	1072 Hyde Park avenue	18	New appliances	75
S. Kramer	7 Jackson avenue	3	New appliances	50
Edward Mogal	18 Kirkland street	5	New appliances	15
Henry Beaulieu	96 Lawn street	10	New appliances	75
A. Granara	277 North street	3	New appliances	12
M. Caputo	21 Rowell street	13	New appliances	550

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM PLUMBING FOR THE WEEK ENDING MAY 10.

Plumber.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
E. Fuller	30 Castlegate road	14	Fixtures	$245
Michael M. Waler	38 Como road	18	Fixtures	745
George W. Vogel	32 Concord square	4	Fixtures	25
John J. Hickey	190 Cummins Highway	18	Fixtures	5,000
Adolph DiLorenzo	271 Columbia road	14	Fixtures	100
William E. Hogan	2066 Dorchester avenue	16	Fixtures	300
Duncan C. Ayles	114 Federal street	3	Fixtures	500
William E. Hogan	108 Marlborough street	3	Fixtures	300
O. G. Weider	54 Marshfield street	8	Fixtures	1,500
O. G. Weider	205 Manchester street	18	Fixtures	1,500
O. G. Weider	213 Manchester street	18	Fixtures	1,500
Alfred E. Stahly	27 Maryland street	13	Fixtures	50
James Zinchuk	155 Meridian street	1	Fixtures	500
Alfred E. Stahly	31 Neponset avenue	16	Fixtures	120
James T. Thoms	30 Rector road	18	Fixtures	100
Frank E. Carlson	7 Rosewood street	18	Fixtures	450
A. DiLorenzo	271 Shawmut avenue	3	Fixtures	80
George W. Vogel	31 Upton street	9	Fixtures	500
Max Pass	1161 Boylston street	5	Fixtures	7,500
Joseph V. Pearl	12 Brownson terrace	20	Fixtures	1,000
George S. Trethewey	133 Cornell street	18	Fixtures	50
Benjamin Gold	7 David road	20	Fixtures	900
E. E. Dorr	16 Dustin street	22	Fixtures	200
Leslie Bragg	79 Glendower road	18	Fixtures	1,150
Dominic Puopolo	326 North Harvard street	22	Fixtures	350
George S. Trethewey	10 Pinedale road	18	Fixtures	225
John M. Hannigan	48 Rosewood street	18	Fixtures	300
Abraham Kellem	374 Shawmut avenue	9	Fixtures	225
E. E. Healy	25 Sudan street	13	Fixtures	165
E. E. Healy	7 Sumner park	7	Fixtures	415
E. E. Dorr	49 Marine road	7	Fixtures	450
Frank Deltufo	372 Adams street	16	Fixtures	250
John E. Woodacre	499 West Broadway	7	Fixtures	150
Samuel Landay	15 Hemenway street	4	Fixtures	700
Albert N. Hird	23 Hendry street	15	Fixtures	1,000
Robert A. LaCentra	750 Columbia road	7	Fixtures	—
Robert A. LaCentra	195 Leyden street	1	Fixtures	—
John Woodacre	3 Mendell Way	11	Fixtures	175
David Yorks	39 Aliano road	20	Fixtures	500
George Vogel	216 Beacon street	5	Fixtures	190
William Esposito	25 Chelsea street	1	Fixtures	175
Henry Beaulieu	96 Lawn street	10	Fixtures	125
P. F. Russo	225 Perham street	20	Fixtures	750
Edward Mogel	31 Rutland square	4	Fixtures	425
Michael Canto	2 Sefton street	18	Fixtures	600
I. Rosenberg	99 Chauncy street	3	Fixtures	400
J. Dunbar	87 Dartmouth street	4	Fixtures	300
C. E. Bevelander	86 Gardner street	22	Fixtures	250
P. F. Russo	62 Hamilton street	18	Fixtures	750
P. F. Russo	1298 Hyde Park avenue	18	Fixtures	200
J. Palumbo	17 Lewis Wharf	3	Fixtures	150
W. Joyce	49 Malcolm road	19	Fixtures	1,000
Owen McElarney	42 Medford street	2	Fixtures	1,000
J. Sussenberger	293 North Beacon street	22	Fixtures	800
P. Janis	9 Revere street	19	Fixtures	300
C. E. Bevelander	1029 South street	20	Fixtures	150
W. Wiseman	175 Tremont street	3	Fixtures	300
P. Janis	1065 Tremont street	9	Fixtures	200
J. Curran	39 and 41 West street	3	Fixtures	250

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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The following weekly nurses have been appointed:

Permanent.—Rosemary McConnell, 4 Landseer terrace, West Roxbury, floor nurse, $68 a week.

Temporary.—Helen F. Hegenberger, 207 Park Drive, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Catherine Powers, 29 West Eagle street, East Boston, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour.

Correction.—Viola Sullivan, 207 Lamartine street, Jamaica Plain, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour.

The following provisional employees have been appointed:

William R. Schomburg, 63 Edgewood street, Roxbury, Robert F. McGuire, 2542 Washington street, Roxbury, hospital medical workers, $43 a week.

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—Eugene F. Callahan, 69 I street, South Boston, Claire A. Capone, 234 Gold street, South Boston, Mary F. Clark, 39 Edison Green, Annie T. Foley, 12 Hallet street, Roxbury, Robert M. Gibbons, 21 St. Brendan road, Dorchester, Agnes M. Shaw, 570 Ashmont street, Dorchester, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; Sally Fournier, 237 Beacon street, hospital kitchen worker, $53 a week; Maureen Conway, 185 Somerset avenue, Winthrop, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Muriel Ford, 24 Cordis street, Charlestown, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour; Mary Hunt, 695 Heath street, Brookline, floor nurse, $1.70 an hour; Marilyn McCuistion, 120 Dartmouth street, floor nurse, $60.50 a week.

Temporary.—Mary G. Morris, 44 St. Germain street, Mary C. Mullin, 37 Harbor View street, Dorchester, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; Harry W. Ritchie, 1862 Cottage Street place, East Boston, second-class engineer, $73 a week; Isabel Mulhern, 108 Hemenway street, floor nurse, $63 a week; Dr. Henry Jackson, Jr., 541 Hammond street, Brookline, associate physician, $397 a month; Jose K. Rosales, Jr., 24 Fenwood road, resident anesthetist, $875 a month.

South Division.

For the week ending May 10:

The following temporary employee has been appointed:

Margaret E. O'Brien, 2997 Washington street, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

The following resignations have been approved:

Sylvia Cavanagh, registered graduate nurse; James H. Kelly, hospital medical worker, temporary; Henry McGonigle, hospital house worker, temporary; Ruth Rundberg, hospital house worker.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following appointments:

Fire Department.

Francis J. Shea, 676 Hyde Park avenue, Roslindale, spray painter, $60.50 a week.

Health Department.

Margaret M. Larkin, 47 Garden street, public health nurse, $63 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Cemetery Division.

James P. Maney, Jr., 224 Roxbury street, Roxbury, grave digger, $60.50 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Madeline Doyle, 199 Summer street, Somerville, statistical machine operator (key punch), $45.50 a week.

Rose Swartz, 90 Brainerd road, Allston, statistical machine operator (key punch), $45.50 a week.

Winifred L. Hoyt, 33 Revere street, social worker, $65.50 a week.

Louis Arcadipane, 1 Unity street, clerk, $43 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following appointments or reinstatements:

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Hospital Medical Workers, $43 a Week.

Anna M. McManus, 49 Huban court, Roxbury.

Elizabeth F. Hall, 20 South Huntington avenue, Jamaica Plain.

Mary L. Callahan, 4 Sumner street, Dorchester.

Helen E. Kenney, 116 Eustis street, Roxbury.

Marie A. Hetherington, 931 Harrison avenue.

Katherine H. Parsons, 234 Gold street, South Boston.

Anne T. Buckley, 21 Mansur street, Jamaica Plain.

Elaine T. Mone, 10 Lambert street, Roxbury.

Concetta DeStefano, 91 Jamaica street, Jamaica Plain.

Lillian M. McKinney, 271 Cabot street, Roxbury.

Thelma S. Lawrence, 18 Ditmus court, Roxbury.

Gladys Russo, 9 Shirley street, Roxbury.

Petronella B. Stukas, 220 West Fifth street, South Boston.

Gertrude C. O'Brien, 109 River street, Mattapan.

Elizabeth Torsney, 545 East Sixth street, South Boston.

Ann M. Conole, 16 Raven street, Dorchester.

Ruth M. Brown, 17 Walpole street, Roxbury.

Louise E. McKeever, 17 Kensington street, Roxbury.

Dorothy Krauss, 22 Lakeville street, Jamaica Plain.

Barbara M. Cahill, 242 West Third street, South Boston.

Winifred Ryan, 1 Bainbridge street, Roxbury.

Shirley P. Bruno, 47 Savin street, Roxbury.

Laura Farrior, 1963 Washington street, Roxbury.

Fannie M. DeRosa, 67 Fayston street, Roxbury.

Loretta M. Jones, 625 Shawmut avenue, Roxbury.

Dorothy E. Worthington, 471 Columbus avenue.

Adrienne L. Delaney, 271 Lamartine street, Jamaica Plain.

Anne Scanlon, 158 Hillside street, Roxbury.

Arzella Johnson, 53 Quincy street, Roxbury.

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING MAY 10.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Commonwealth of Mass.	529–33 Atlantic avenue	3	Take-down, store, storage	$2,000
Commonwealth of Mass.	537–41 Atlantic avenue	3	Take-down, store, storage	3,000
Commonwealth of Mass.	543 and 545 Atlantic avenue	3	Take-down, store, storage	2,000
Commonwealth of Mass.	240 Congress street	3	Take-down, offices	15,000
City of Boston	83 Hobart street	22	Take-down, school	1,890
Florio and Michael Scanzillo	Rear 345 Princeton street	1	Take-down, dwelling	50
Florio and Michael Scanzillo	345 Princeton street	1	Take-down, dwelling	150
A. W. Perry, Inc.	647 Atlantic avenue	3	Alterations, store, office, mfg.	200
A. Durham	13 Bainbridge street	11	Alterations, dwelling	200
Hyman Herman	103 Ballou avenue	14	Alterations, dwelling	265
T. Diab	289 Beacon street	5	Fire escape, lodging house	100
M. T. A.	1939 Beacon street	21	Sign, store	200
Ernest Post	227 Belgrade avenue	20	Alterations, dwelling	500
B. Lazzani	1211 Bennington street	1	Alterations, dwelling	800
James Karp	38 Bicknell street	14	Alterations, dwelling	200
Miriam Gerstein	1633 Blue Hill avenue	18	Alterations, store	900
Boston Y. M. C. A.	48 Boylston street	3	Alterations, Y. M. C. A.	800
Harper Paulson	543 Boylston street	5	Sign, store, office	75
Damon & Sons	711 Boylston street	5	Alterations, offices	3,500
Ralston Tree Company	47 Braintree street	22	Alterations, offices	1,800
Anthony Anastasi	46 Brookley road	11	Alterations, dwelling	100
Winifred Gens	96 Call street	11	Alterations, dwelling	450
Winifred Gens	98 Call street	11	Alterations, dwelling	450
D. M. Ahegian	100 Chandler street	4	Alterations, tavern, dwelling	700
Shartman & Swig	32 Chauncy street	3	Sign, store, office	850
C. & L. Tire Company	25–35 Chesterton street	8	Excavation	900
Helen Duncklee	59 Chestnut Hill avenue	22	Alterations, dwelling	290
Fannie Goodman	276 Chestnut Hill avenue	21	Alterations, dwelling	900
Howard Rhone	151 Crawford street	12	Alterations, dwelling	175
Arnold Douglas	47 Dale street	12	Alterations, dwelling	240
Sheraton Corporation	205 Dartmouth street	4	Alterations, hotel	9,500
David Pitnof	1391 Dorchester avenue	15	Alterations, store, dwelling	400
Bridget Carr	231 Dorchester street	7	Fire escape, store, dwelling	65
Bridget Carr	235 Dorchester street	7	Fire escape, store, dwelling	65
Harold Dakin	7 Dudley street	9	Sign, store	200
Henry Duemmling	622 Dudley street	8	Alterations, store, dwelling	900
Charles Leon	14 Ellet street	15	Alterations, dwelling	55
Charles Leon	16 Ellet street	15	Alterations, dwelling	50
B. Trainer	260 Everett street	1	Alterations, dwelling	900
Joseph and Catherine Faretra	182 Franklin street	22	Alterations, dwelling	350
Joseph Magennis	5 Fresno street	20	Alterations, dwelling	850
M. C. Harmer *et al*	92–102 Friend street	3	Alterations, manufacturing	100
Dudley Properties	116 Fulton street	3	Fire escape, commercial	350
Joseph Angukosa	74 Gates street	7	Alterations, dwelling	780
N. E. Warehouse	32 George street	8	Fire escape, storage	100
S. L. Sneierson Trust	94 Hanover street	3	Alterations, store, office	700
Ruth Goldman	84 Hazleton street	14	Alterations, dwelling	100
Francis Collins	192 Heath street	10	Alterations, club bar	250
William Rafferty	46 High street	3	Alterations, office, dwelling	100
Andrew Beria	31 Hillside street	10	Alterations, dwelling	144
Andrew and Alexandra Beria	33 and 35 Hillside street	10	Alterations, dwelling	700
S. D. Hicks & Sons	1677 Hyde Park avenue	18	Alterations, mfg., shop	100
Estate F. S. Small	102 Kendall street	9	Alterations, dwelling	500
Lillian Palmiere	238 L street	7	Alterations, dwelling	400
Reymore Neilson	2 Ledgedale road	20	Alterations, dwelling	216
City of Boston	63 Lowell street	3	Alterations, dwelling	95
City of Boston	65 Lowell street	3	Alterations, dwelling	95
Gun Products, Inc.	72 Marginal street	1	Fire escape, offices	300
Mollie Sassen	59 Mascot street	14	Alterations, dwelling	1,200
A. Holt	512 Massachusetts avenue	9	Alterations, lodging house	575
A. Holt	514 Massachusetts avenue	9	Alterations, lodging house	575
William Kerr	24 Medway street	17	Alterations, dwelling	200
J. Dietrick	133 Metropolitan avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	100
Joseph DeMattia	58 Mt. Pleasant avenue	8	Alterations, dwelling	1,200
Marie Sullivan	60 Mt. Pleasant avenue	8	Alterations, dwelling	1,200
Mary McGaffigan	20 Mt. Vernon street	2	Fire escape, dwelling	525
Walter Eldridge	25 Mystic street	2	Alterations, dwelling	700
R. C. Archbishop of Boston	19 North Bennet street	3	Alterations, school	1,500
Pellegrino Cavallo	7 North Margin street	3	Fire escape, dwelling	122
Elizabeth Kilty	10 Orchardale street	15	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Mary Merlino	84 Orient avenue	1	Alterations, dwelling	500
C. Powers	86 Pearl street	2	Alterations, dwelling	85
A. Broz	32 Princeton street	1	Alterations, dwelling	950
Thomas Foley	9 Regan road	17	Alterations, dwelling	325
Jack Palanchian	73 Richfield street	15	Alterations, dwelling	1,200
L. Hutchinson	115 Richmond street	17	Alterations, dwelling	50
Elizabeth Martin	89 River street	17	Alterations, dwelling	600
Santo Parolin	58 Rossmore road	11	Alterations, dwelling	75
M. Gordon	13 Saint Charles street	5	Alterations, wall	950
Dreyfus Properties	11 School street	3	Fire repairs, store, offices	500
Marian Bellar	14 and 16 Scollay square	3	Alterations, store, office	100
Joseph Anzaldi	31 Selden street	17	Alterations, dwelling	475
J. Headge	364 and 366 Shawmut avenue	5	Alterations, dwelling	800
S. and C. Lucifaro	73 Sheridan street	19	Alterations, dwelling	125
Cabot Forbes	60 State street	3	Alterations, offices	720
Hale & Dorr	70 State street	3	Alterations, store, office	300
R. M. Bradley	148 State street	3	Sign, offices	945
Pellegrino Cavallo	3 Stillman street	3	Fire escape, dwelling	43
Pellegrino Cavallo	17 Stillman street	3	Fire escape, dwelling	54
S. Feingold	12 Supple road	14	Alterations, dwelling	150
169–170 Tremont St., Inc.	169–170 Tremont street	3	Sign, store, office	300
B. Cummings	33 Vassar street	14	Alterations, dwelling	850
William Filene's Sons	426 Washington street	3	Alterations, store	3,000
A. W. Perry	888 Washington street	3	Alterations, store, mfg.	150
A. McDonald	2989 Washington street	11	Alterations, dwelling	85
Robert MacLellan	3390 Washington street	11	Alterations, mfg., shop	1,500
D. Bullock	39 Waumbeck street	12	Alterations, dwelling	100

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING MAY 10.—Concluded.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Joseph Ferrara	353 West Third street	6	Fire escape, dwelling	$400
Albert Littleton	8 Windom street	22	Alterations, dwelling	1,100
E. Teaffe	72 Winthrop street	2	Fire escape, dwelling	500
Jacob Scholar	118 Woodrow avenue	11	Alterations, dwelling	250
Horatio Newhall	922 Beacon street	21	Alterations, dwelling	200
Ellen Weydt	10 Bloomington street	16	Alterations, dwelling	185
Louis Vincent	967 and 969 Blue Hill avenue	14	Alterations, dwelling	650
Damon & Sons	711 Boylston street	5	Alterations, offices	500
John Doucette	1296 Boylston street	5	Sign, restaurant	100
Irene Manomaitis	16 Como road	20	Alterations, dwelling	125
Mr. Ignazzio	5 Charter street	3	Alterations, dwelling	600
John Connelly	22 Chase street	7	Alterations, dwelling	100
Corena Collins	21 Custer street	19	Alterations, dwelling	300
Michael Tedesco	566 & 568 Dorchester avenue	7	Alterations, dwelling, store	950
Michael Tedesco	570 & 572 Dorchester avenue	7	Alterations, store, dwelling	950
J. Madden	526 East Seventh street	7	Fire escape, dwelling	260
A. Pinardo	528 East Seventh street	7	Fire escape, dwelling	260
Sara Bernstein	59 Elm street	3	Sign, store, restaurant	150
F. E. Harrington	11 Elmdale street	16	Alterations, dwelling	100
Eva Stelitz	15 Evelyn street	18	Alterations, dwelling	330
Josephine Merola	77 Everett street	22	Take-down, dwelling	775
Maria Capadilupo	128 Everett street	1	Alterations, dwelling	270
Joseph and Mary Grasso	42 Ferrin street	2	Alterations, dwelling	110
Kenneth Dunscombe	26 and 28 Guernsey street	20	Excavation	700
Daniel P. O'Neil	36 Guernsey street	20	Excavation	700
Joseph Clancy	38 Guernsey street	20	Excavation	700
Cross Hardware Company	210 and 212 Hanover street	3	Sign, store	100
David Hollis	Rear 108 Holton street	22	Excavation	1,100
Sharon Farms Market	211 Humboldt avenue	12	Sign, stores	100
Joseph Christo	362 K street	7	Alterations, store, dwelling	350
Estate Fannie Orlinsky	46 Leverett street	3	Alterations, store, dwelling	200
Joseph Shaw	68 Lyall street	20	Alterations, dwelling	95
Paul Strati	21 Mallon road	11	Alterations, dwelling	450
Ida's Restaurant	3 Mechanic street	3	Sign, store	50
Timothy Rock	368 Meridian street	1	Alterations, dwelling	2,400
Hon Shee Chin	20 Pine street	3	Fire escape, dwelling	250
Angelo Amato	106 Princeton street	1	Alterations, dwelling	300
A. Romano	320 Saratoga street	1	Alterations, dwelling	350
Leonard T. Ward	8 Stock street	16	Alterations, dwelling	281
John Zouras	555 Talbot avenue	17	Sign, restaurant	100
Anne Horan	67 Thetford avenue	17	Alterations, dwelling	100
Dominic Schiavone	132 Train street	16	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
James McCarthy	1592 Tremont street	10	Sign, store, dwelling	300
W. Bergquist	29 Virginia street	13	Alterations, dwelling	525
Anthony Viola	60 Washington street	3	Alterations, store	500
A. Sennett	125 Washington street	11	Alterations, dwelling	700
Cambridge Engraving Company.	888 and 890 Washington street.	3	Sign, mfg., store	100
Maurice Gordon	2028 Washington street	8	Alterations, cafe	800
George Doyle	303 West Broadway	6	Sign, store, dwelling	100
Mrs. Anderson	76 Woodrow avenue	11	Alterations, dwelling	150

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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Margaret A. Melly, 45 Chelmsford street, Dorchester.

Rose M. Boudreau, 15½ Union street, Charlestown.

Catherine Davis, 66 Fayston street, Roxbury.

Frances M. Sheiber, 57 Salem street.

Evelyn K. Sullivan, 910 East Broadway, South Boston.

Maria E. Crockett, 722 Shawmut avenue.

Agnes L. Biagiotti, 29 Dorset street, Dorchester.

Ollie B. Knox, 610 Columbus avenue, Roxbury.

Grace M. Newton, 61 Savin street, Roxbury.

Gladys L. Ghiz, 44 West Newton street.

Ruth E. Spinale, 34 North Russell street.

Mary Biancucci, 173 Trenton street, East Boston.

Anna G. Gaughan, 122 St. Stephen street.

Vera S. McDonough, 1 Trull street, Dorchester.

Rita M. Buckley, 40 Symphony road.

Agnes Rose, 871 East Fourth street, South Boston.

Mary C. Boyle, 117 Maverick street, East Boston.

Margaret E. O'Brien, 2997 Washington street.

Theresa M. Rogerson, 11 Haverford street, Jamaica Plain.

Thelma V. Regan, 14 Melbourne street, Dorchester.

Helen C. Needleman, 33 Montpelier road, Dorchester.

Hyleath Norman, 28 Creston street, Roxbury.

Ethel Watkins, 4 Jess street, Jamaica Plain.

Ethel M. Corbin, 5 Milford street.

Priscilla Mayne, 325 West Third street, South Boston.

Bertha M. Guisti, 2775 Washington street, Roxbury.

Joan M. Fogarty, 11 Trimount place, South Boston.

Mary E. Fondanova, 116 Eustis street, Roxbury.

Margaret E. Ramsey, 290 Talbot avenue, Dorchester.

Margaret Lambert, 617 Harrison avenue, hospital medical worker, $53 a week.

Anna R. M. Campbell, 91 Walter street, Roslindale, clerk and typist, $13 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Bridge-Tunnel Division.

Robert J. Woods, 64 Martin street, West Roxbury, tollman-guard, $63 a week.

Highway Division.

John B. Gray, 50 Decatur street, Charlestown, junior engineering aid, $50.50 a week.

Sanitary Division.

Francis J. Shea, 666 East Sixth street, South Boston, motor equipment operator and laborer, $60.50 a week.

Joseph E. Sarno, 86 Forbes street, Jamaica Plain, laborer, $55.50 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following changes in status:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Nora M. Fahey, 10 Clifford street, Hyde Park, from senior clerk and typist at $65.50 a week to assessment recorder (temporary for three months) at $68 a week.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Anthony J. Gimilaro, 25 Grady court, East Boston, from senior clerk and typist at $63 a week to cashier (temporary, six months) at $65.50 a week.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

David F. Reynolds, Jr., 60 Sawyer avenue, Dorchester, from motor equipment repairman at $68 a week to carpenter and laddermaker at $68 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

William T. Stearns, 5 Upham avenue, Dorchester, from hospital house worker at $50.50 a week to electrician's helper at $53 a week.

Abraham S. Kerzner, 19 Havelock street, Dorchester, from painter at $63 a week to sign painter at $65.50 a week.

Cecelia E. Rowell, 1386 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, from hospital medical worker at $50.50 a week to hospital house worker at $50.50 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Water Division.

Edward W. Neumeier, 186 Bayswater street, East Boston, from water meter reader (permanent intermittent) at $63 a week to water meter reader at $63 a week.

Charles A. Mason, 71 Faneuil street, Brighton, from water meter reader (permanent intermittent) at $65.50 a week to water meter reader at $65.50 a week.

Rocco V. Raffaele, 287 Highland street, Roxbury, from laborer at $58 a week to working foreman laborer at $60.50 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Anna C. Murphy, 110 West street, Hyde Park, from clerk and typist at $48 a week to senior clerk and stenographer (temporary transfer) at $55.50 a week.

Marie Scanlon, 137 Church street, West Roxbury, from medical social work supervisor at $76.50 a week to principal medical social work supervisor (temporary transfer) at $83.50 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following promotions:

BOSTON RETIREMENT BOARD.

John J. Vaughan, 29 Plain street, Dorchester, from senior pension examiner at $80 a week to principal pension examiner (temporary, six months) at $83.50 a week.

Harold B. Sacks, 14 Cleaves street, Roxbury, from pension examiner at $65.50 a week to senior pension examiner (temporary, six months) at $68 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Walter M. Novak, 68 Harvest street, Dorchester, from maintenance mechanic carpenter at $68 a week to maintenance mechanic foreman at $70.50 a week.

George E. Boutilier, 40 Ames street, Dorchester, from maintenance mechanic rigger at $70.50 a week to maintenance mechanic foreman at $73 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following leaves of absence:

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Nicholas F. Lepore, 137 Savin Hill avenue, junior building custodian, $53 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Sanatorium Division.

Lawrence Delaney, 671 Massachusetts avenue, hospital kitchen worker, $48 a week.

Long Island Division.

Katherine Schwede, 366 Commonwealth avenue, hospital laundry worker, $50.50 a week.

STEP-RATE INCREASES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved step-rate increases for employees of the following departments:

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

Henry C. Clark, Jr., traffic sign maintenance man, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Henry T. Barry, clerk and typist, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

ELECTION DEPARTMENT.

Guy E. Leone, assistant executive secretary, from $90.50 to $94 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Harold R. Murphy, hospital medical worker, from $43 to $48 a week.

James J. Donnelly, hospital house worker, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

Dorothy Feeney, principal clerk and stenographer, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Anna McCarthy, principal clerk and stenographer, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Catherine Razzeto, senior clerk and stenographer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Janet Barton, licensed attendant nurse, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Eleanor Caulfield, registered graduate nurse, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Ethel Landrigan, registered graduate nurse, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Anna Vigent, hospital medical worker, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Michael Clarke, hospital kitchen worker, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Hiram Freeman, hospital kitchen worker, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

William Markley, hospital kitchen worker, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Stanley Shady, hospital kitchen worker, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Margaret Donahue, hospital house worker, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Herbert Patrician, senior hospital house worker, grounds, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Mary T. Sullivan, hospital house worker, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

Francis Salway, senior hospital laundry worker, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Stanley Kasin, laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Frederick Durfee, motor equipment operator, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

John Freitas, park maintenance foreman, from $83.50 to $87 a week.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

SUPREME JUDICIAL COURT.

Grace F. Crowley, senior clerk, from $120.71 to $126.15 semimonthly.

Alice M. Moloney, secretary, from $137.03 to $142.46 semimonthly.

SUPERIOR CRIMINAL COURT.

Della J. Fallon, cashier, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

MUNICIPAL COURT OF BOSTON.

PROBATION OFFICE.

Evelyn M. McCormick, clerk, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

MUNICIPAL COURT OF CHARLESTOWN.

John F. Mullen, senior clerk, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

VETERANS' RETIREMENTS.

The Mayor has approved the following veterans' applications for retirement:

Frank H. Sliney, 671 La Grange street, West Roxbury, captain, Fourth Division, Police Department.

Joseph E. Gately, 230 South street, Jamaica Plain, chief water meter reader, Water Division, Public Works Department.

Arthur M. Greene, 41 Blakeville street, Dorchester, senior cashier, Building Department.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award the contracts for work, materials, and supplies, in accordance with recommendations of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Purchasing Division.

Upon April 27 the Mayor approved a contract as requested in the following letter:

BOSTON, April 25, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

Attached is tabulation of bids received on proposals for furnishing street signs and street signposts to the Paving Division of the Public Works Department. These bids were publicly opened and read in this office on March 29, 1955.

Authority is requested to award Item 1 to the only bidder and Item 2 to the lowest bidder meeting specifications at the prices checked on the accompanying tabulation.

Approximate total amounts of contracts will be as follows:

Item 1. Sam Stone, doing business as Sam Stone Signs, $2,010, less one half of 1 per cent discount.

Item 2. Atlantic Pipe and Supply Company, Inc., $3,500, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

Bids were as follows:

Requisition No. 45.

Item 1. 600 Street Signs, Double-Faced Porcelain Baked Enamel, 22 Inches x 7 Inches, with 2 Holes Drilled, Each.—Sam Stone Signs, $3.35.*

Requisition No. 46.

Item 2. 200 Street Signposts, Length of Post, 12 Feet 6 Inches, as Per Specifications, Each.—Atlantic Pipe and Supply Company, Inc., $17.50*; Monroe Company of Boston, $12.10; Sam Stone Signs, $17.75.

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—Atlantic Pipe and Supply Company, Inc., Item 2, part in 3 days, balance in partial shipments up to a month; Monroe Company of Boston, Item 2, 25 days; Sam Stone Signs, Item 1, 90 days, Item 2, 60 days.

Discount.—Atlantic Pipe and Supply Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Monroe Company of Boston, 2 per cent, time of payment; Sam Stone Signs, one half of 1 per cent.

* Contract awarded.

Upon April 29 the Mayor approved a contract with Alexander Santilli, doing business as Alloy Castings, for furnishing street signpost parts to the Paving Division of the Public Works Department. Approximate total amount of contract was $3,810, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bid, opened April 18, was as follows:

Requisition No. 66.

Item 1. 500 Aluminum Street Signpost Collars for 4-Inch Street Signposts, with 2 Metal Straps, 4 Bolts and Nuts, Each.—Alloy Castings, $3.90.

Item 2. 150 Extra Straps, Each.—Alloy Castings, 40 cents.

Item 3. 500 Aluminum Street Signpost Acorns for 4-Inch Street Signposts, Each.—Alloy Castings, $3.60.

Discount.—Alloy Castings, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—Alloy Castings, 3 weeks.

Upon May 2 the Mayor approved a contract with Keleket X-Ray Corporation for furnishing X-ray screens to the X-Ray Department of the Boston City Hospital. Approximate total amount of contract was $1,696, net, 30 days. This amount includes cost of fifty (50) cassettes at 92 cents each.

Bids, opened April 11, were as follows:

Requisition No. 6899. X-Ray Screens To Be Installed. Each Screen to Have Small Lead Numbers in the Screen, Same Number Clearly Printed on Back of Cassette. Lead Plate for Use of Identification Marker, Built-In.

Item 1. 25 Pairs Patterson Par Speed, 14x17, Screens, Per Pair.—Atlantex Corporation, $46; Keleket X-Ray Corporation, $44*; E. M. Parker Company, $44; Picker X-Ray Corporation, $44.

Item 2. 25 Pairs Patterson Par Speed, 10x12, Screens, Per Pair.—Atlantex Corporation, $24; Keleket X-Ray Corporation, $22*; E. M. Parker Company, $22; Picker X-Ray Corporation, $22.

Discount.—Atlantex Corporation, 2 per cent, time of payment; Keleket X-Ray Corporation, net, 30 days; E. M. Parker Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Picker X-Ray Corporation, net, 30 days.

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—Atlantex Corporation, 2 to 4 weeks; Keleket X-Ray Corporation, 30 days; E. M. Parker Company, 30 days, complete installation; Picker X-Ray Corporation, 7 days.

Remarks.—Keleket X-Ray Corporation, 50 cassettes, 92 cents each extra; E. M. Parker Company, labor and material,

building in lead plates and numbers, $145 additional; Picker X-Ray Corporation, services, $148.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon May 9 the Mayor approved a contract with American-LaFrance Foamite Corporation for furnishing gas mask canisters to the Fire Department. Approximate total amount of contract was $3,500, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids, opened April 29, were as follows:

500 Model S, Burrell All-Service Gas Mask Canisters, Each.—American Fire Equipment Company, $7; American-LaFrance Foamite Corporation, $7.*

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—American Fire Equipment Company, 2 weeks, f.o.b. destination; American-LaFrance Foamite Corporation, immediate delivery from our stock in Boston as required by Fire Department.

Discount.—American Fire Equipment Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; American-LaFrance Foamite Corporation, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Remarks.—American-LaFrance Foamite Corporation, the only company carrying a large stock of these canisters in Boston.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon May 9 the Mayor approved a contract with Swift & Co. for furnishing canned corned beef to the various city departments from May 16, 1955, to October 30, 1955, inclusive. Approximate total amount of contract was $3,922.80, net.

Bids, opened May 3, were as follows:

120 Cases Canned Corned Beef, 12/6 Pounds to Case, Per Case.—Wilson & Co., Inc., $33.19; Swift & Co., $32.69.*

Brand Name and Origin.—Wilson & Co., Inc., Wilson & Co. (Argentina); Swift & Co., Swift's Premium (Argentina).

Discount.—Wilson & Co., Inc., none; Swift & Co., none.

* Contract awarded.

Department of School Buildings.

Upon May 4 the Mayor approved a contract with Warner W. Walsh for interior and exterior painting at the Alexander Hamilton School. Bids, opened April 26, were as follows:

Warner W. Walsh, $5,345; R. Tweed & Son, $5,773; D. M. McCartin Company, $6,111; Nicholas Bello, $6,200; R & F Painting Company, $7,293; John W. Egan Company, $7,719; Lester L. Bateman, $10,498.

Hospital Department.
Long Island Division.

Upon May 9 the Mayor approved a contract with Rossano Construction Company, Inc., for repairs to incinerator, Long Island Hospital. The following bids were received April 18:

Rossano Construction Company, Inc., $1,737; Jarvis Engineering Company, $1,759; N. E. Boiler Setting Company, $1,839; D. Antonellis, Inc., $2,900.

Parks and Recreation Department.

Upon May 9 the Mayor approved a contract with Ronald L. Albert for painting concrete pool at Frog Pond, Boston Common. Bids, opened Tuesday, May 2, were as follows:

Ronald L. Albert, $1,964; R & F Painting Company, $2,100; Warner W. Walsh, $2,147; Master Craft Company, $2,250; R. Tweed & Son, $2,343; Nicholas Bello, $2,800.

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Upon May 9 the Mayor approved a contract with William J. Banfield for furnishing and spreading sand on bathing beaches, South Boston. Bids, opened Tuesday, May 3, were as follows:

William J. Banfield, $3,588; V. J. Armata, $3,710; Doerico Construction Company, Inc., $4,824 (illegal bid, no bid filed at Auditor's office).

Public Works Department.

Upon May 4 the Mayor approved a contract with R. A. Buccella & Sons, Inc., for sewerage works in Regent street, Roxbury, at an estimated cost of $2,630. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed within 60 days after approval by the Mayor. The following bids were received April 28:

R. A. Buccella & Sons, Inc., $2,630; N. Bevilacqua & Son, $2,836; Joseph Capone & Son, $2,894.

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Upon May 4 the Mayor approved a contract with H. DiTullio & Sons, Inc., for sewerage works in Manchester street and Maryknoll street, Dorchester, at an estimated cost of $6,603, including concrete pipe. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed within 60 days after approval by the Mayor. The following bids were received April 27:

Including Clay Pipe.—H. DiTullio & Sons, Inc., $6,828; D. Federico Company, $6,983; R. A. Buccella & Sons, Inc., $7,021; Roslindale Contracting Company, $7,346.10; Susi & DeSantis Company, Inc., $7,221.25; J. D'Amico, Inc., $7,401; Joseph Capone & Son, $7,629; N. Bevilacqua & Son, $7,570; J. W. Construction Company, $7,808; DiMascio Brothers & Co., $6,968.

Including Concrete Pipe.—H. DiTullio & Sons, Inc., $6,603; D. Federico Company, $6,893; R. A. Buccella & Sons, Inc., $6,931; Roslindale Contracting Company, $7,121.10; Susi & DeSantis Company, Inc., $7,176.25; J. D'Amico, Inc., $7,401; Joseph Capone & Son, $7,404; N. Bevilacqua & Son, $7,570; J. W. Construction Company, $7,673; DiMascio Brothers & Co., $6,968.

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Upon May 9 the Mayor approved a contract with William J. Banfield for cleaning catch basins in City Proper, Roxbury, South Boston, East Boston, and Charlestown, at an estimated cost of $22,000. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed within 200 days after approval by the Mayor. The following bids were received May 4:

William J. Banfield, $22,000; Joseph DeVirglio, $22,300; Albany Contracting Company, $24,300; James A. Freaney, Inc., $27,000.

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Upon May 9 the Mayor approved a contract with James A. Freaney, Inc., for cleaning catch basins in Brighton, West Roxbury, Hyde Park, and Dorchester, at an estimated cost of $12,600. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed within 200 days after approval by the Mayor. The following bids were received May 4:

James A. Freaney, Inc., $12,600; Albany Contracting Company, $13,140; Joseph DeVirgilio, $13,380; William J. Banfield, $14,100.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

Upon varying dates as indicated the Mayor approved contracts with commercial houses, contractors, etc., for furnishing labor and supplies. Communications from heads of the departments interested were as follows:

Administrative Services Department.
Purchasing Division.

Boston, May 6, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

This office is in receipt of a requisition from the Suffolk County Registry of Deeds for one (1) Photostat Photographic Copying Apparatus, Model No. 1-37, Recorder Continuous, No. 781493, complete with bookholder and accessories.

This machine is made only by the Photostat Corporation, which company has submitted a price of $6,300, less trade-in allowance on one (1) Haloid Daylight Duplex machine of $300. The price submitted includes service and replacement of all parts for 1955.

Inasmuch as this equipment will be purchased direct from the manufacturer, authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to Photostat Corporation, 824 Industrial Bank Building, Providence, Rhode Island, for one (1) Model No. 1-37 Photostat Photographic Copying Apparatus. It is my opinion that, in this way, the best interests of the city will be served.

Approximate net total of contract will be $6,000.

Respectfully yours,

John V. Moran,
Purchasing Agent.

Hospital Department.

Boston, May 2, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

After the serious power plant failure at Boston City Hospital on March 16, 1955, certain emergency work was immediately indicated. Permission to award a contract, without advertising, was requested and granted to install an emergency water feed line to the high pressure steam boilers. This work is nearing completion. No specifications for additional work could be prepared until the problems of this phase were solved.

Two generators in the power plant are in need of immediate and extensive repairs. Funds for this work have been allocated. These two generators represent approximately three quarters of the plant's generating capacity. The repairs must be made during the low-load summer period. Only one of the units can be out of operation at one time.

Repairs to the steam turbine generator will take four weeks. A second generator will need sixteen weeks for repair. Since this requires a combined total of twenty weeks at the least the work must be started promptly to assure adequate power supply when heavy demand arises in the fall.

These repairs cannot safely be started until certain emergency work is done on the high and low pressure mains connected to these generators. The existing emergency exhaust line on the low pressure steam main must be closed off in order to shut down the turbine generator for

repairs. A new emergency exhaust must be installed in this line before this generator can be repaired.

The main shut-off valves and the flanges on the high pressure steam heads to the generators leak. These must be repaired before work can be started on the generators.

In view of the necessity for pushing this work rapidly to completion permission is requested to dispense with advertising in the *City Record* and to award a contract for emergency repairs to certain power plant steam mains to P. J. Riley & Company, 295 Highland avenue, Boston, in an amount not to exceed three thousand dollars ($3,000).

A large amount of additional emergency repair work is necessary in the power plant. This work must be done before the return of cold weather to render the plant secure and to ensure continuous services vital to patient welfare. The additional problems are under intensive study and survey.

The problem isolated for special handling in this request is the most urgent of several problems which remain. Work should be started promptly as the emergency feed line is now ready and no delay should be allowed because of the time required for the necessary generator repairs.

The Trustees of the Hospital Department therefore request your Honor's immediate approval of this emergency request as a matter immediately affecting proper care of patients at Boston City Hospital.

Respectfully yours,

RICHARD J. CONDON,
President, Board of Trustees.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, April 27, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

Under date of August 10, 1954, a contract in the total amount of $55,814.30 was awarded to the Carriere Construction Company of Roslindale, for constructing Joslin road, Ward 4, and eight other public ways located in Wards 8, 12, and 19. The above-referenced contractor submitted the lowest bid of all that were received after publicly advertising for proposals.

Subsequent to the award of the contract, we found that the Deaconess Hospital was going to construct a new addition on Joslin road and, incidentally, the work on said addition is now in progress. Therefore, I have indefinitely postponed the construction of Joslin road until the hospital addition is completed and the proposed construction of said street has been eliminated from the list of streets included in the above-referenced contract.

The estimated cost of constructing Joslin road was in the amount of $8,850. In order to provide for the approximate amount of the contract work involved in said contract, I propose having the contractor construct Abby road, which is a short dead-end street located off Waverly street, in Brighton, and which was ordered laid out and constructed by the Board of Street Commissioners under date of November 16, 1953. It is estimated that it will cost approximately $6,500 to construct Abby road, in accordance with the terms, conditions, and the unit prices that prevail in the subject contract.

I respectfully recommend, therefore, your authority to dispense with advertising and to amend the above-referenced contract so as to include the construction of Abby road, Ward 22, in an amount not to exceed $6,500, in accordance with the terms, conditions, and unit prices of the above-referenced publicly advertised contract, and with the understanding that the construction of Joslin road will be deferred and done under some future contract.

Respectfully yours,

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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BOSTON, April 28, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

Under date of March 18 of the current year, your Honor approved the awarding of a contract, without publicly advertising for proposals, to the engineering firm of Charles A. Maguire & Associates, for the preparation of contract plans and specifications for the reconstruction of the Charlestown Bridge, and also for the conducting of a study and investigation of the drawspan structure, including a study of the fender system and the operating mechanism.

The work of preparing the contract plans and specifications was to be paid on the basis of a fee equal to 4½ per cent of the construction cost, and the study involving the drawspan structure was to be done on a cost-plus basis, at a maximum fee not in excess of $10,000. In the proposal that was sent to me by the Maguire Company concerning this matter, no amount was specified in said proposal concerning the maximum to be allowed for conducting the study. I felt, however, that $10,000 should be sufficient, and included this amount in the letter of March 15 that I sent to you requesting your approval to the awarding of a contract for the above-referenced consulting services.

The contract has not been executed as yet, and representatives of the Maguire Company state that the maximum of $10,000 for the study is too low, as they feel that they will need approximately $16,500 to conduct a detailed and thorough study of the drawspan structure and the operating mechanism. I am agreeable to the establishing of such a maximum, as I do not, in any way, want to jeopardize the thoroughness of the study to be made. A thorough and complete study of the drawspan and section of the bridge should result in eventual savings to the city when the repair and construction work is in progress, as the governing plans and specifications will be prepared as the result of and on the basis of the report and findings made by the consultants in the course of their study. For that reason, therefore, I do not want to restrict the extent of said study.

I respectfully request, therefore, your authority to dispense with advertising, and to increase from $10,000 to $16,500 the maximum amount that the City of Boston will pay to Charles A. Maguire & Associates, for conducting the study and investigation of the drawspan structure of the Charlestown Bridge, including a study of the fender system and operating mechanism, as referred to in my letter of March 15. This communication, therefore, and your Honor's approval, will serve as an amendment to my original letter of March 15 only to the extent of increasing from $10,000 to $16,500 the maximum amount for the conducting of the above-referenced study.

Respectfully yours,

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Park Construction Company, Inc., 40 Court street, for construction of office building and garage, Arborway and Forest Hills street, from May 1, 1955, to June 30, 1955. This extension was requested because the contractor was delayed by inclement weather.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with J. J. Bonavire, Inc., 209 Washington street, for construction of new garage, Public Works Department yard, City of Boston, 315 Western avenue, Brighton, from May 1, 1955, to July 15, 1955. This extension was requested because the contractor was delayed by inclement weather.

CHANGE IN CONTRACT.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

D. Antonellis, Inc., has been ordered to make the following change in the contract for the High School of Practical Arts:

Omit the painting of the Domestic Science Suite and the Supply Room in basement for the sum of $350, and the amount of $350 will be deducted therefor, making the account as follows: contract price, $77,816; total additions, $3,214.49; total deductions, $350; amount of contract, $80,680.49.

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Works Department for the following construction work:

Rebuild a 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer in Regent street, between Hulbert street and Circuit street, in the Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of $3,900.

A 12-inch pipe surface drain, two catch basins and connections in Fairview avenue, between River street and Alvarado avenue, in the Hyde Park district, at an estimated cost of $2,600.

A 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer in Canterbury street, between existing sewer (800 feet northeast of Walk Hill street) and 700 feet northeasterly, in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of $10,000.

A 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer, 10-inch pipe surface drain in Hazelmere road, between Haviland road and 220 feet easterly, in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of $4,600.

A 30-inch reinforced concrete pipe surface drain in New Haven street, between 250 feet south of Northdale road and 230 feet southerly, in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of $3,900.

A 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer, 10-inch pipe surface drain, five catch basins and connections in Manchester street, between 210 feet east of Cedar street and Idaho street, in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of $5,100.

AMENDMENT TO ORIGINAL AWARD OF DAMAGES.

The Public Improvement Commission has voted as follows:

That the amount of $550 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Reed and Elizabeth H. Freeman for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of June 8, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Lochland road, Hyde Park district.

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That the amount of $30 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Thomas and Helen M. Fitzgerald for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of January 14, 1952, for the laying out and construction of Austin street, Hyde Park district.

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That the amount of $103.35 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to J. Wadsworth White for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of June 5, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Wilton street, Hyde Park district.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 2,039.

Capt. Frank H. Sliney, Division 4, honorably discharged veteran, having arrived at the age of fifty-seven years, having been in service of the Boston Police Department for twenty-eight years, and having requested retirement under provisions of section 57, chapter 32, General Laws (Ter. Edit.), as amended, it is hereby

Ordered, His Honor the Mayor having approved the same, that Capt. Frank H. Sliney be retired from active duty in the Police Department, effective Tuesday, May 3, 1955, at 5.45 o'clock P.M.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,040.

Acting under provisions of chapter 658, Acts of 1945, section 7, as amended (State-Boston Retirement System), the Boston Retirement Board has approved for retirement, on account of accidental disability, the following-named police officer, as of Saturday, April 30, 1955, at the close of business.

In view of this operation of law, after April 30, 1955, the said police officer shall no longer be an active member of this department, and it is hereby ordered that its records be so amended.

Detective Joseph A. Friel, Detective Bureau (detailed to Bureau of Criminal Investigation).

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,041.

A trial board, consisting of Capts. Cornelius F. O'Brien, George F. Snell, and Patrick J. O'Donnell, having heard by reference a complaint made by Robert A. Lynch, captain, commanding Division 19, against Patrolman Richard T. Bavis, Division 19, charging him with violation of the Rules and Regulations of the Police Department, has reported a finding of guilty, recommending punishment duty of 105 hours.

This recommendation is accepted, and it is ordered that the said Patrolman Richard T. Bavis perform 105 hours' punishment duty.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,042.

The following transfers are hereby ordered, to take effect Friday, May 6, 1955, at 7.45 o'clock A.M.:

Capt. Francis W. Russell, from Division 10 to City Prison.

Capt. Dennis F. Dalton, from City Prison to Division 10.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,043.

The following-named officer having requested retirement under the provisions of the Statutes of 1892, chapter 353, as amended, for the reason that he is incapacitated, it is hereby

Ordered, His Honor the Mayor having approved the same, that he be retired from active service in the Police Department, effective Friday, May 6, 1955, at 7.45 o'clock A.M.:

Patrolman Michael R. O'Leary, Division 4, 35 years of service.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following requests:

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.
Sanatorium Division.

For the week ending May 3:

Evelyn Kravitz, Rachael Scheehl, dietitians; Luke McCarthy, engineer; Patrick Murtagh, chief power plant engineer; Joseph Sedar, chef; Alice De Rochn, Mary Spinale, night supervisor of nurses; Mary Rogers, registered graduate nurse; Mary Flynn, Anne Gilson, Clara Greene, Rose Humiston, Sadie Linn, Mazie MacIntyre, Katherine Morris, Gertrude O'Connell, Johanne Reidy, Anna Sullivan, Cecelia Sullivan, Mary Tolan, head nurses.

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 29.

I. PROMOTION.

The following promotion, which became effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, May 11, 1955, is hereby announced:

Fire Lieut. Vincent A. Bolger, Ladder Company 4, to fire captain.

II. TRANSFERS.

The following transfers, which became effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, May 11, 1955, are hereby announced:

Fire Capt. John J. F. Fitzgerald, from Engine 2 to Ladder 19.

Fire Capt. Joseph P. McDonough, from Ladder 19 to Engine 47.

Fire Capt. Vincent A. Bolger, from Ladder 4 to Ladder 16.

Fire Lieut. David Goldman, from Ladder 3 to Engine 31.

III. HIGH COMMENDATION.

An alarm was received from Box 6154 at 12.18 A.M., April 11, 1955, for a fire in an apartment house located at 25 Maverick street, East Boston.

Upon arrival of the department at the scene, it was found that the fire was in a third-floor apartment, from which heavy smoke was issuing through the windows. Department members were informed by a citizen that people were trapped in the apartment. Ladders were immediately placed to the windows, over which fire fighters ascended, and at the same time other members of the department entered the hallway and made their way to the third floor. Fire Fighters George E. Gilbrook of Engine Company 9 and William A. Cunningham of Engine Company 40, the first members over the ladder, entered the apartment through the window. They encountered a heavy concentration of smoke, gasses, and intense heat. They groped their way through the rooms and found the unconscious forms of a mother and her young son in the bedroom. They carried the victims from the room to the window and passed them to other members, who brought them down the ladder to the street. Meanwhile, Fire Fighter James A. Gray of Ladder Company 21, who was detailed to Ladder Company 2, had entered the apartment from the hallway by forcing the door. He searched through the smoke- and gas-filled rooms and found the unconscious form of a young boy under the bed. He carried him out of the apartment and down the stairs to the street. The rescued victims were given first aid in the street and then removed to the East Boston Relief Station. The department members who participated in these operations were affected by the presence of pungent smoke and gasses, and Fire Fighter Cunningham was treated at the East Boston Relief Station for smoke and gas inhalation.

Fire Fighters Gilbrook, Cunningham, and Gray effected the rescue of the occupants of the apartment under extremely difficult conditions, and their prompt action undoubtedly resulted in the saving of the occupants' lives.

The Fire Commissioner is pleased to highly commend Fire Fighters Gilbrook, Cunningham, and Gray for their prompt and heroic action, and their cases are referred to the Board of Merit for further consideration.

The Fire Commissioner is pleased to commend all members first arriving at the scene who participated in operations at this fire. Their prompt and efficient action and teamwork resulted in the saving of lives and reflects great credit upon themselves and the Boston Fire Department.

IV. G. A. C. ASSIGNMENT.

Company commanders shall add the following signal number to running cards of the General Alarm Corporation in this department:

Signal 473, Chilton Greetings Company, 76 Atherton street. (Sprinkler.) Apparatus to respond: Engine 42, Ladder 30, District 9. Nearest box is 2276.

By order of Fire Commissioner FRANCIS X. COTTER.

JOHN V. STAPLETON,
Chief of Department.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, May 2, 1955.

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 2 P.M., President HURLEY in the chair and all the members present.

The Reverend Joseph L. Shea, S. J., Dean of Men at College of Arts and Sciences, Boston College, Chestnut Hill, was escorted to the rostrum.

INVOCATION BY REV. JOSEPH L. SHEA.

Almighty God, in this hour of decision, we beseech Thee to make us fitting instruments of Thy mercy and justice. Heavenly Father, You Who art the eternal lawgiver, grant us penetrating light so that we may see the many needs of our people; the profound knowledge so necessary to know how best to serve them; the unbounded love so required that we may embrace Thee in the interest of all our people.

Divine Master, teach us to be stern in our justice, yet sweet in our mercy, so that in our decisions there may be reflected the image of Thy divine countenance. Amen.

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost. Amen.

The meeting was opened with the salute to the Flag.

JURORS DRAWN.

Jurors were drawn in the manner prescribed by law, Councillor McLaughlin presiding at the box in the absence of the Mayor, viz.:

Fifty-eight traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, to appear June 6, 1955:

Rocco Ferrara, Ward 1; Eugene Mannetta, Ward 1; Edward F. Dolan, Ward 2; Marie B. Flynn, Ward 2; Arthur K. Smith, Ward 2; George W. Blacklock, Ward 3; Ignatius S. Fiorenza, Ward 3; Walter Christen, Ward 4; Alice McGuire, Ward 4; Edwin J. Burke, Ward 5; Sol Krumins, Ward 5; Samuel Stepanis, Ward 5; Thomas C. Lyons, Ward 6; Mary J. Barry, Ward 7; James F. Bridges, Ward 7; Daniel A. Cahill, Ward 7; Thomas P. Fidelle, Ward 7; Kenneth S. Stewart, Ward 7; Joseph J. Venis, Ward 7; Louis Russo, Ward 8; Alton S. MacDonald, Ward 9.

John C. Ahern, Ward 10; Frank Weinacker, Ward 10; George J. Williams, Ward 10; William Kelly, Ward 11; Everett J. MacLean, Ward 13; Samuel Aloff, Ward 14; Estelle S. Bernstein, Ward 14; Peter Levowich, Ward 14; Max Schklar, Ward 14; Joseph Zigman, Ward 14; George E. Colpas, Ward 15; Herbert J. Powers, Ward 15; Mary E. Haran, Ward 16; Samuel Rosen, Ward 17; Harold A. Curtis, Ward 18; Dorothy E. Gorman, Ward 18; Herbert M. Herman, Ward 18; Joseph E. Justice, Ward 18; Thomas A. Powell, Ward 18.

Richard H. Barnett, Ward 19; Francis C. Finnegan, Ward 19; Harold A. Lofgren, Ward 19; John J. Handwerk, Ward 20; George G. Locklin, Ward 20; Harry A. A. Low, Ward 20; Charles R. McKenzie, Ward 20; William A. O'Brien, Ward 20; Joseph F. Grace, Ward 21; Abraham M. Parker, Ward 21; David Poster, Ward 21; Elizabeth Simard, Ward 21; Ruth L. Simons, Ward 21; Robert Wasserman, Ward 21; John J. French, Ward 22; Edward R. Glennon, Ward 22; Wilbur W. Hayes, Ward 22; Cornelius D. Sheehan, Ward 22.

One hundred thirty-one traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, to appear June 6, 1955:

Joseph Balliro, Jr., Ward 1; Joseph C. Cundari, Ward 1; Louis DiLorenzo, Ward 1; Angelo R. Musto, Jr., Ward 1; Angelo J. Nota, Jr., Ward 1; Martin J. Barrett, Ward 2; Frank J. McDermott, Ward 2; Charles E. Sinnott, Jr., Ward 2; Vito A. Capraro, Ward 3; William J. Sarsfield, Ward 3; Joseph Zerendow, Ward 3; Robert H. Dooley, Ward 4; Arthur N. Fetterman, Ward 4; Patrick J. Flynn, Ward 4; Reynolds J. Recchia, Ward 4; Knute E. Andersen, Ward 5; Grace E. Burr, Ward 5; Eugene H. Daigneault, Ward 5; Jean M. Moore, Ward 5; Joseph L. O'Neil, Ward 5; Thomas J. Berry, Ward 6; John J. Ryan, Ward 6.

Frank Boleza, Ward 7; Michael J. Connolly, Ward 7; Edmund Henry, Ward 7; Walter J. Lynch, Ward 7; James J. Sheehan, Ward 7; John S. Witas, Ward 7; Gordon M. Clark, Ward 8; Harry Entzminger, Ward 8; John Farrell, Ward 9; Earl Roy Fisk, Ward 9; Alice V. Glynn, Ward 9; Roy Henderson, Ward 9; Syvalia Hyman, Ward 9; Beryl E. Roach, Ward 9; John O. Slavinsky, Ward 9; George W. Washington, Ward 9; John M. Thornton, Ward 10; George Wegeler, Jr., Ward 10.

Anne B. Carey, Ward 11; James L. Carey, Ward 11; Francis Coleman, Ward 11; Helen Doyle, Ward 11; Daniel James Flynn, Ward 11; William A. Harrington, Ward 11; Warren A. Mahler, Ward 11; Catherine M. McCool, Ward 11; Angus D. McLeod, Ward 11; Robert F. Paylor, Ward 11; George S. Ritchie, Ward 11; Carl Schrader, Ward 11; Richard W. Acres, Ward 12; Philip B. Cardoza, Ward 12; Abraham Grolnic, Ward 12; Paul L. Lamore, Ward 12; Peter J. McLaughlin, Ward 12; Morris Ruden, Ward 12; Herbert G. Smith, Ward 12.

Ernest L. Felch, Ward 13; Edmund F. Harrington, Ward 13; Catherine A. Lee, Ward 13; Ralph Miller, Ward 13; Catherine R. Monahan, Ward 13; Francis M. Rice, Ward 13; Dorothy R. Snow, Ward 13; Max Crystal, Ward 14; John H. Frawley, Ward 14; Leon Goff, Ward 14; Joseph I. Keeson, Ward 14; John J. O'Malley, Ward 14; William P. Ross, Ward 14; Louis A. Sangiolo, Ward 14; John J. Sherman, Ward 14; Arthur N. Skelskie, Ward 14; Peter Strano, Ward 14; Florence R. Walker, Ward 14; Anna B. Zorfas, Ward 14; Albert F. Brown, Ward 15; Francis G. LaPlante, Ward 15; Ralph William Rogers, Ward 15.

George W. Anderson, Ward 16; Sarah Connelly, Ward 16; Mary L. Fitzpatrick, Ward 16; Raymond F. Hicks, Ward 16; Francis G. Last, Ward 16; Grace E. McCormack, Ward 16; Lewis J. Miller, Ward 16; Mario G. Scanzio, Ward 16; Salvatore Sorgi, Ward 16; Lawrence P. Wigandt, Ward 16; Ralph M. Freedman, Ward 17; Marjorie F. Hagen, Ward 17; John E. McLaughlin, Ward 17; James H. Nicholson, Ward 17; Philip M. O'Donnell, Ward 17; Frederick F. Redgate, Ward 17; Martin F. Riordan, Ward 17.

James F. Ahearn, Ward 18; Leslie J. Bennetts, Ward 18; Gloria A. Coughlin, Ward 18; Nicholas L. Imbaro, Ward 18; Vincent J. Kohansky, Ward 18; Edward N. Lee, Ward 18; Joseph E. Murphy, Ward 18; George E. Richenburg, Ward 18; David J. Ross, Ward 18; William Hay, Ward 19; James B. Mitchell, Ward 19; Joseph J. Murphy, Ward 19; Edward J. Norton, Ward 19; Howard W. Yandell, Ward 19.

John Evans Behn, Ward 20; Elizabeth Chase Blake, Ward 20; George F. Gavin, Ward 20; Patrick J. Kelliher, Ward 20; Alma Magoun, Ward 20; Michael O'Toole, Ward 20; Lois M. Payson, Ward 20; Joseph E. Sollitto, Ward 20; John F. Walsh, Ward 20; John R. Halpin, Ward 21; William A. Heptig, Ward 21; Frank J. Kent, Ward 21; Lawrence J. Lambert, Ward 21; Martin L. McCullough, Ward 21; Ermah G. Peterson, Ward 21; James W. N. Foynes, Ward 22; Edward E. Hale, Ward 22; Auguste F. LePaulone, Ward 22; Martin O'Brien, Ward 22.

APPOINTMENTS BY THE MAYOR.

Subject to confirmation by the Council, the Mayor submitted the following appointments:

Constable with authority to serve civil process upon filing of bond for the term ending April 30, 1956: Newman A. Flanagan, 5 Cedar street, Dorchester.

Weigher of Coal and Goods for the term ending April 30, 1956: Richard E. Brodeur, 8 Hancock park, Everett.

Weighers of Goods for the term ending April 30, 1956: Vincent Krowski, 40 Spring avenue, Brockton; George Powellock, 43 Park street, Arlington; Thomas E. Gannon, 108 Adams street, Dorchester.

Severally referred to the Committee on Confirmations.

JITNEY FEEDER SERVICE TO FOREST HILLS AND/OR MATTAPAN STATIONS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, May 2, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the general manager of the Metropolitan Transit Authority relative to your order of April 11, 1955, concerning the experimenting with a jitney feeder service to the Forest Hills and/or Mattapan Stations in the West Roxbury and/or Hyde Park districts.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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Metropolitan Transit Authority,
April 25, 1955.

Mr. Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.
Dear Sir:

The trustees have directed me to reply to the order of April 11 that the operation as outlined therein would be impractical from an operating standpoint and financially imperil the present basis of operations.

Very truly yours,
EDWARD DANA,
General Manager.

Placed on file.

SURVEY OF TRAFFIC AND TRUCKING CONDITIONS ON CHESTER AND GARDNER STREETS, BRIGHTON.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, May 2, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Traffic Commissioner relative to your order of March 21, 1955, concerning traffic and trucking conditions on Chester and Gardner streets, Brighton.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

Boston Traffic Commission,
April 25, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.
Dear Mr. Mayor:

With reference to the City Council order dated March 21, requesting a survey of traffic and trucking conditions on Chester and Gardner streets, Brighton, with a view to eliminating certain traffic hazards and unnecessary noise, I wish to report that a count was made on April 4 and 5, 1955, and a previous count had been made in March, 1952.

The results of the counts indicate that few heavy trucks pass through these streets, and it was observed that there are many business concerns on Commonwealth avenue whose shipping doors are reached by way of Gardner street. As these trucks would be using Gardner street to reach a specified destination, they could not be legally eliminated under a "Heavy Commercial Vehicle Excluded" ruling.

The traffic conditions found on Chester and Gardner streets are not substantially different from those in the entire neighborhood, and accordingly it appears there are not sufficient warrants existing at the present time to establish a ruling for the exclusion of heavy vehicles from these roadways. The number of trucks five tons or over using Gardner street totaled twenty-four, and in Chester street only eight, in a 10-hour period. This volume is not considered to be excessive, and, while it may be offensive to one or two of the residents, we are obliged to establish our regulations in favor of many rather than the few.

Sincerely yours,
WM. ARTHUR REILLY, Commissioner.

Placed on file.

MTA ADVERTISING BY MEANS OF CARTOONS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, May 2, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the general manager of the Metropolitan Transit Authority relative to your order of April 11, 1955, concerning the continuance of the program of advertising by means of striking cartoons, etc.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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Metropolitan Transit Authority,
April 25, 1955.

Mr. Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.
Dear Sir:

In connection with the order of April 11, the trustees have directed me to thank the Council for its interest, and indicate that the railway expects to use similar types of advertising as occasion arises.

Very truly yours,
EDWARD DANA, General Manager.

Placed on file.

ACCEPTANCE OF BRUSH HILL TERRACE, HYDE PARK.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, May 2, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Public Works relative to your order of April 11, 1955, concerning the acceptance of Brush Hill terrace in Hyde Park as a public way.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Public Works Department, April 28, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.
Dear Mr. Flemming:

This is in reference to the following order that was passed in the City Council under date of April 11:

"Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor request the Commissioner of Public Works to arrange for an early hearing before the Public Improvement Commission on the acceptance of Brush Hill terrace in Hyde Park as a public way."

Upon investigation, I find that a petition signed by a majority of the property owners of the above-referenced private way was submitted to the Board of Street Commissioners on November 3, 1953, requesting that said street be laid out and constructed as a public highway.

A survey of the street has been completed recently, and a public hearing—as required by law—will be held by the Public Improvement Commission in the near future, before taking final action on this matter.

I trust that it will be adjusted to the satisfaction of all concerned.

Respectfully yours,
GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Placed on file.

APPROPRIATION FROM PARKMAN FUND INCOME.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, May 2, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I am in receipt of the attached communication from the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation, requesting the appropriation of $48,000 from the income of the George F. Parkman Fund, to be expended under the direction of the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation, for the Maintenance and Improvement of the Common and Parks in Existence on January 12, 1887.

The 1955 budget estimates for the personal service requirements of the Park Department included an estimate of the total yearly income from the George F. Parkman Fund. The budget allowances made provision for the appropriation of this income as it accrued for the purpose of defraying the cost of work actually performed on the Common and Parks in Existence on January 12, 1887.

I submit herewith an order appropriating the sum of $48,000, the accrued income now available from the Parkman Fund, and respectfully recommend its immediate passage by your Honorable Body.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Park Department, April 28, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Sir:

I respectfully request that you ask the City Council to transfer from the income of the George F. Parkman Fund the sum of $48,000, which is now available, to be expended under the direction of this department for the following purposes:

Common and Parks in Existence on January 12, 1887, Maintenance and Improvement of $48,000

When making up the budget estimates for the year 1955, a sum equal to the total yearly income of the George F. Parkman Fund was deducted from Item 100, Permanent Employees, with the understanding that this deduction was to be replaced by the total yearly income of said Parkman Fund for 1955, to be transferred as it accrued from time to time during the year to the regular maintenance appropriation of the Parks and Recreation Commission.

Respectfully yours,
FRANK R. KELLEY, Commissioner.

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Ordered, That the sum of $48,000 be, and hereby is, appropriated from the income of the George F. Parkman Fund, to be expended under the direction of the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation for the Maintenance and Improvement of the Common and Parks in Existence on January 12, 1887, as follows:

Common and Parks in Existence on January 12, 1887, Maintenance and Improvement of $48,000

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Finance.

APPROPRIATION FOR AUTOMATIC TRAFFIC SIGNALS.

The following was recieved:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, May 2, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I submit herewith an order for the appropriation of $75,000 from the special appropriation "Sales of City Property" for the installation of traffic signal lights at various locations in the City of Boston.

Attached hereto is a communication received by me last November from the chairman of the Traffic Commission, setting forth ten locations which can be classified as emergency and twenty-two other locations which must be signalized as soon as possible.

The sum herewith requested will permit the Traffic Department to plan for the installation of lights at all of the emergency locations set forth, and for some of the other locations. As more funds become available it will be possible to signalize all locations in the city which need lights.

In view of the fact that there is much normal delay in the installation of lights, I suggest that your Honorable Body give the attached order as prompt action as possible.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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Boston Traffic Commission,
November 18, 1954.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

I am enclosing a list of locations where traffic signal lights are badly needed. There are many more locations than are contained in this list, but because of heavy volumes of traffic, or heavy accident incidents, or special hazards, these locations are the most important at the present time.

The following might also be placed in the class of being emergencies:

1. Longwood avenue and Riverway.
2. High street and Oliver street.
3. Angell street, Blue Hill avenue, Harvard street, and Talbot avenue.
4. Commonwealth avenue and Lake street.
5. Forest Hills street, Montebello road, and Washington street.
6. Everett street and Western avenue (St. Anthony's Church).
7. Brookline avenue, Fenway, Pilgrim road, and Riverway.
8. Kenmore square (addition to existing signals).
9. Fairmount street, Gallivan Boulevard, and Morton street.
10. Albert street, Centre street, and Lamartine street (Bromley Park Housing Project).

I feel compelled to report these locations and those on the enclosed list in the interests of public safety and in the hope that municipal resources will permit the making of an appropriation for these signal lights at the earliest possible moment.

The sum of $60,000 would be required for the list of nine emergency locations, and the sum of $100,000 would be needed to accomplish those on the supplementary list.

I have not included many locations where an installation of signal lights would be justified but have endeavored to determine, to the best of my ability, those which are most in need of immediate relief.

Respectfully yours,
WM. ARTHUR REILLY, Commissioner.

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SUPPLEMENTARY LIST OF INTERSECTIONS FOR SIGNALIZATION.

Location.

Ward 11—Cemetery road, Forest Hills avenue, and Morton street.
Ward 12—Morton street, at Shattuck Hospital.
Ward 18—American Legion Highway, Canterbury street, and Cummins Highway.
Wards 3 and 5—Cambridge street, Grove street, and North Grove street.
Ward 4—Evans Way and Louis Prang street.
Ward 17—Alban street, Talbot avenue, and Welles avenue.
Ward 8—Blue Hill avenue, Dudley street, Magazine street, and Mt. Pleasant avenue.
Wards 4 and 5—Clarendon street and Columbus avenue.
Ward 5—Boylston street and Jersey street.
Ward 10—Bynner street, Jamaicaway, and Willow Pond road.
Ward 19—Arborway, Cataumet street, and Pond street.
Ward 6—Dorchester street, East Broadway, and West Broadway (Perkins square).
Ward 21—Commonwealth avenue and St. Lukes road.
Ward 11—Brinton street, Marcella street, and Washington street.
Ward 7—D street and Dorchester avenue.
Ward 8—Eustis street and Harrison avenue.
Ward 21—Commonwealth avenue and St. Mary's street (Boston University).
Ward 22—Faneuil street and Parsons street.
Ward 7—Old Colony avenue, at Preble street.
Ward 17—Dorchester avenue and Richmond street.
Ward 11—Child street and South street.

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 63 of chapter 44 of the General Laws, the sum of $75,000 be, and the same hereby is, appropriated from the special account "Sales of City Property" to be expended under the direction of the Boston Traffic Commission, for the installation of traffic signal lights at various locations in the City of Boston.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Finance.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committee named, viz.:

Claims.

John S. Allen, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Fire Department.

Ernano A. Ballerini, for compensation for damage to car caused by tow truck at Sumner Tunnel.

Michael J. Brothers, for reimbursement as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Sanitary Division, Public Works Department.

Mary L. Cassone, for compensation for damage to property on Washington street near Townsend street, caused by city truck.

Connie Evangelista, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Endicott and Cross streets.

Peter Femino, for compensation for damage to truck by police vehicle.

Frank Gemellaro, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Commercial street.

Catherine G. Goldstein, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Blue Hill avenue near Nazing street.

Sydney S. Kaplan, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Commercial and Battery streets.

John J. McNeely, for compensation for damage to property at 8 Brighton street, Charlestown, caused by falling tree.

Mary Monty, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Kneeland and Tyler streets.

Charlotte M. Munroe, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 809 Beacon street, Boston.

Mrs. John A. O'Brien, for compensation for damage to car by ladder truck of Fire Department.

Louis Polito, for compensation for damage to property at 81 Searle road, West Roxbury, caused by broken sewer drain.

Ethel Provenzano, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at East Fourth and K streets, South Boston.

Bessie L. Quinn, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Southern avenue, Dorchester.

Anna Roumeliotis, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Kneeland and Tyler streets.

Harry L. Silva, for compensation for damage to property at 326 Washington street, Dorchester, caused by break in water main.

John F. Spencer, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Sanitary Division, Public Works Department.

Martha L. Stuart, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 20 Gould street, West Roxbury.

Peter F. Tague, Jr., for compensation for damage to car by city vehicle.

Dora Woolf, for compensation for injuries and damage to property caused by an alleged defect at 40 Geneva avenue, Dorchester.

PETITION FOR ANNUITY.

Petition of Elizabeth G. McLaughlin to be paid an annuity on account of the death of her husband, Thomas F. McLaughlin, late member of the Police Department.

Referred to the Committee on Claims.

MINOR'S LICENSE.

The application of Joe Gon Day, 75 Oak street, Ward 3, for newsboy's license was received.

License granted under usual conditions.

APPLICATIONS FOR SHELLFISH PERMITS.

Applications for commercial use shellfish permits, were received from the following:

Peter E. Clancy, 46 White street, East Boston, Ward 1.

Alphonso P. LaRosa, 175 Howard avenue, Dorchester, Ward 13.

Severally referred to the Committee on Licenses.

NOTICE FROM DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES.

A communication was received from the Department of Public Utilities transmitting copy of order granting petition of the Metropolitan Transit Authority for pole location in Walk Hill street, between Washington street and Hyde Park avenue.

Placed on file.

NOTICE FROM STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

A communication was received from the State Department of Public Works transmitting copy of order and layout and taking of portion of state highway (John F. Fitzgerald Expressway).

Placed on file.

APPROVAL OF CONSTABLES' BONDS.

The constables' bonds of the following, having been duly approved by the Collector-Treasurer, were received and approved by the Council:

Alphonse A. Balunas, Saul I. Bearak, George Courlang, Edward A. DeSimone, Hyman Fritz, John W. Herbert, C. Joseph Lauria, Alfred Lubin, Martin E. Mason, Francis J. Melville, Jr., John J. Murphy, Edward J. Pinta, Harry Smith, Sidney Williams.

APPOINTMENTS BY THE MAYOR.

Notices were received from the Mayor of the following appointments:

James F. Bowers, 87 Theodore Parker road, West Roxbury, Overseer of Public Welfare, for term ending May 1, 1958.

Frank W. Buxton, 29 Sutherland road, Brighton, Trustee of Public Library, for term ending May 1, 1960.

Richard J. Condon, 24 Park street, West Roxbury, Trustee of the City Hospital, for term ending May 1, 1960.

David L. Currier, 40 Water street, Boston, Associate Commissioner of Real Property, for term ending May 1, 1957.

Beulah S. Hester, 38 Howland street, Roxbury, Overseer of Public Welfare, for term ending May 1, 1958.

Ida M. Kahn, 6 Cummings road, Brigbton, Overseer of Puhlic Welfare, for term ending May 1, 1958.

James S. Maloof, 19 Cowing street, West Roxbury, Overseer of Puhlic Welfare, for term ending May 1, 1958.

James M. McCusker, 58 Aldrich street, Roslindale, memher of Board of Examiners of Gas Fitters in the Building Department, for term ending May 1, 1956.

George R. McNeil, 2 Greaton road, West Roxbury, memher of Board of Examiners in the Building Department, for term ending May 1, 1958.

Daniel G. O'Connor, 52 Welles avenue, Dorchester, Associate Commissioner of Parks and Recreation, for term ending May 1, 1959.

Robert D. Patterson, 7 Mt. Vernon place, Boston, memher of Board of Commissioners of Sinking Funds in the Treasury Department, for term ending May 1, 1958.

Daniel Weisberg, 45 Supple road, Dorchester, member of Board of Commissioners of Sinking Funds in the Treasury Department, for term ending May 1, 1958.

Severally placed on file.

APPOINTMENT OF THOMAS M. LANNON.

Notice was received from City Auditor Joseph P. Lally of appointment of Thomas M. Lannon as deputy city auditor.

Placed on file.

COMMUNICATION FROM JAMES H. WALSH.

A letter was received from James H. Walsh, Managing Director of the Greater Boston Chamher of Commerce, expressing gratitude for the resolution adopted by the Council in recognition of his retirement as managing director of the Chamher.

Placed on file.

PUBLIC HEARING RE CONTRACTS FOR COLLECTION AND REMOVAL OF REFUSE.

Coun. HURLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That a meeting of tbe City Council be held in tbe City Council Cbamher, City Hall, on Tuesday, May 3, 1955, at eleven o'clock A.M., for the purpose of holding a puhlic hearing on the proposed contracts for the collection and removal of refuse, suhmitted to the City Council by the Mayor on April 11, 1955.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

EMPLOYEES OF GEORGE ROBERT WHITE FUND TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR MEMBERSHIP IN RETIREMENT SYSTEM.

Coun. HURLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That chapter 309 of the Acts of 1955, entitled "An Act to Make Persons Employed hy the Trustees of the George Rohert White Fund in the City of Boston Elighle for Membership in tbe State-Boston Retirement System" be, and hereby is, accepted.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

THANKS TO LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Whereas, The League of Women Voters of Boston have prepared and distrihuted a hooklet containing information pertaining to Boston and entitled, "Boston . . . A directory of its City Services;" and

Whereas, In so doing they have performed a valuahle service to Boston; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That tbe Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, express its thanks and appreciation to the League of Women Voters of Boston for performing this much-needed service; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the League of Women Voters of Boston.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

NAMING OF SQUARE IN HONOR OF SILVIO E. GIELLA.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Ordered, That the Committee to Memorialize Veterans he requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to name the square at the corner of Hull street and Snow Hill street, Boston, in honor of Pfc. Silvio E. Giella, who lost his life on April 6, 1945, on Luzon Island, while in the service of his country during World War II.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

CAMPAIGN AGAINST LITTERBUGS.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Whereas, The littering of streets is a detriment to any city; and

Whereas, In the City of Boston the correction of this prohlem involves more than one department; and

Whereas, The Public Works Commissioner has under his direction the collecting of refuse and garhage and the sweeping of streets; and

Whereas, The Health Department has within its power a division known as the Health and Sanitation Inspectors, whose duty it is to enforce health and sanitation in the City of Boston; and

Whereas, The Police Department is the general law-enforcing agency in the City of Boston; and

Whereas, The Park Department has the supervision of the picking up of litter in the parks and playgrounds of the City of Boston; and

Whereas, The Corporation Counsel of the City of Boston is the department charged with the drawing up of ordinances and passing on the legality and constitutionality of the same; and

Whereas, The Traffic Commission makes the rules and regulations relative to parking; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor request that the Commissioner of Puhlic Works, the Police Commissioner, the Park Commissioner, the Health Commissioner, the Traffic Commissioner, and the Corporation Counsel confer for the purpose of instituting a permanent campaign against litterhugs in the City of Boston, and to draw up and execute any plans or ordinances which they may deem necessary or expedient to carry out the same; and he it further

Resolved, That they consider tbe advisability of inviting the School Committee to assist them in distributing leaflets and circulars relative to said campaign to the homes through the school children.

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor request the Commissioner of Public Works, the Police Commissioner, the Health Commissioner, the Park Commissioner, and the Corporation Counsel to confer for the purpose of discussing a permanent campaign against litterbugs; and he it further

Ordered, That said group invite the cooperation of the School Committee in distrihuting to the homes, by the school children, leaflets and circulars relative to said campaign.

The resolution and the order were respectively adopted and passed under suspension of the rules.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ORDINANCES.

Coun. PIEMONTE, for the Committee on Ordinances, suhmitted the following:

Report on message of the Mayor and ordinance (referred April 18) concerning the fees for renewing certain gasfitters' licenses—that same ought to pass.

The report was accepted, and the ordinance was passed.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CLAIMS.

Coun. McCORMACK, for the Committee on Claims, submitted the following:

1. Report on petition of George A. Frattaroli (referred April 25) for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 100 of chapter 41 of the General Laws, upon petition of George A. Frattaroli, a member of the Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury received through no fault of his own while in the performance of his duty on Octoher 5, 1952, there he allowed and paid, as recommended hy the Fire Commissioner and approved hy the Corporation Counsel, to the following the amounts stated:

Joseph Gregorie, M.D.	$30.00
Matthew V. Norton, M.D.	45.00

said amount to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimhursements.

2. Report on petition of Mary F. Donohoe (referred October 11, 1954) to he paid an annuity on account of the death of her bushand, John J. Donohoe, memher of the Fire Department — recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 89A of chapter 32 of the General Laws, an annuity of $1,500 he allowed and paid to Mary F. Donohoe, widow of John J. Donohoe, a memher of the Fire Department, who died on August 6, 1954, on account of injuries received in the performance of his duty; said annuity to continue so long as she remains unmarried; the annuity to hecome effective upon the date of the approval of this order hy the Mayor, and to he charged to the appropriation for Fire Department, Pensions and Annuities.

The reports were accepted, and the orders were severally passed.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCE.

Coun. HAILER, for the Committee on Appropriations and Finance, submitted the following:

Report on message of the Mayor and order (referred April 25) for additional appropriation of $3,279,448.97 for school purposes — that same ought to pass.

The report was accepted, and the order was passed, yeas 9:

Yeas—Councillors Ahearn, Foley, Hailer, Hurley, Kerrigan, McCormack, McLaughlin, Piemonte, White—9.

FIRE DEPARTMENT SERVICE AT BARRY'S LEDGE DUMP.

Coun. HAILER offered the following:

Ordered, That Fire Commissioner Cotter and the Director of Fire Prevention be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to conduct an immediate and thorough investigation into the necessity of providing the extensive Fire Department service which is being utilized at the so-called Barry's Ledge dump on Cummins Highway in Roslindale, and forward a report on the results of this investigation to the Boston City Council.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPRECIATION OF PRESENTATION OF MOTORAMA IN BOSTON.

Coun. HAILER offered the following:

Whereas, General Motors Motorama, held in Boston during the past ten days, has been one of the most encouraging exhibitions held in the city of Boston; and

Whereas, Motorama provided an entertaining, cultural, and educational spectacle for Boston's citizens and attracted thousands from outside the city as well; and

Whereas, Due to the many thousands who attended the spectacular demonstration Boston also profited in direct economical gain; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, convey to Harlow Curtice and his entire Motorama staff our commendation and thanks for bringing Motorama to Boston; and be it further

Resolved, That we extend an invitation to the General Motors Motorama to return to Boston again next year.

Tbe resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

EXCLUSION OF CERTAIN HOUSING UNITS FROM OPERATION OF CHAPTER 247 OF THE ACTS OF 1955.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Ordered, That the Corporation Counsel be directed, through his Honor the Mayor, to draft emergency legislation excluding tbose units built under chapter 372 of the Acts of 1946 from chapter 247 of the Acts of 1955.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

CONSTRUCTION OF ELEMENTARY SCHOOL IN ORIENT HEIGHTS SECTION.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Resolved, Tbat his Honor the Mayor request the Superintendent of School Construction, Mr. James Mooney, and the Superintendent of Schools, Dr. Dennis Haley, to employ the services of a consulting engineer to determine whether or not the terrain on Waldemar avenue in the Orient Heights section of East Boston is suitable for the construction of an elementary school.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

ACCEPTANCE OF BURNHAM STREET, ROXBURY.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Ordered, That the Public Improvement Commission he requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to accept, lay out, and construct as a public way Burnham street in the Ward 8 section of Roxbury.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

PENSIONING OF FRED W. CAVANAGH.

Coun. KERRIGAN offered the following:

Resolved, That the City Council of Boston favors the consideration by the Legislature of the petition now held under Joint Rule 7B, providing for the pensioning at full pay of Fred W. Cavanagh, a memher of the Boston Fire Department; provided that any such legislation enacted includes a referendum to the Mayor and City Council.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

DEATH OF ALBERT EINSTEIN.

Coun. FOLEY, WHITE, and McCORMACK suhmitted the following:

Whereas, Albert Einstein, one of the handful of great theoretical physicists of all time, has recently passed on; and

Whereas, The contrihutions of Albert Einstein in the realm of basic research have opened to

mankind the possibility of tapping the unlimited energy of matter for the good of the human race; and

Whereas, Einstein's contributions to his adopted land in the realm of national defense have been invaluable and have contributed to the preservation of this bastion of freedom in a period of rapidly evolving technology of warfare; be it therefore

Resolved, That in the death of Albert Einstein the world has lost its greatest theoretical physicist and is the poorer for it; and be it further

Resolved, That the Boston City Council, while mourning his loss, salutes a life fully and richly lived.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON LICENSES.

Coun. HAILER, for the Committee on Licenses, submitted the following:

1. Report on applications (referred August 30, 1954) for commercial use shellfish permit for Robert W. Savage, Carl W. Savage, Jr., John F. Grunostrom, John A. Savage, Harland P. Savage—that no further action is necessary.

2. Report on application (referred October 25, 1954) for commercial use shellfish permit for Milton J. Hallin—that no further action is necessary.

The reports were severally accepted.

3. Report on applications (referred April 18) for commercial use shellfish permit for Ralph E. Bishop, Warren C. French, Jr.,—recommending that permits be granted.

The report was accepted, and the permits were severally granted under the usual conditions.

REVISION OF LAWS RELATING TO RETIREMENT SYSTEMS AND PENSIONS.

Coun. AHEARN offered the following:

Whereas, There is now pending in the Legislature House No. 2500, which is the final report of the Special Commission to Study and Revise the Laws Relating to Retirement Systems and Pensions; and

Whereas, Labor unions, veterans' organizations, and other groups have appeared in opposition to said final report in its present form; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Boston City Council in meeting assembled hereby opposes the passage of House No. 2500 in its present form and be it further

Resolved, That the Special Commission is respectfully urged to consult with the representatives of labor, veterans, and other interested organizations, with a view to correcting and perfecting the recommended legislation found in House No. 2500.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

CONGRATULATIONS TO KIWANIS CLUB.

Coun. AHEARN offered the following:

Whereas, The Kiwanis Club of Boston, Inc., has had printed small cards entitled "Thanksgiving Before Meals" for use on tables in restaurants, clubs, and other public eating places; and

Whereas, These cards contain prayers of the Catholic, Jewish, and Protestant faiths; and

Whereas, The habit of thanking God for His gifts should be cultivated and sustained by all His creatures; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Boston City Council in meeting assembled expresses its congratulations to the Kiwanis Club of Boston for their most worthwhile work and thanks them for fostering publicly religion and the spirit of gratitude to God for His gifts, and expresses the hope that all restaurants and public eating places throughout the city will use and prominently display the Kiwanis card "Thanksgiving Before Meals."

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

Adjourned at 4.02 P.M., on motion of Councillor Piemonte, to meet on Tuesday, May 3, 1955, at 11 A.M.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

(Stenographic copy of such debate on file in office of City Clerk.)

SPECIAL MEETING.

Tuesday, May 3, 1955.

Meeting of the City Council held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 11 A.M., for a public hearing by the City Council on the proposed contracts with Milano Brothers, Inc., and Frank J. Cavaliere for the collection and removal of refuse. President HURLEY in the chair. Absent, Councillors Ahearn, Foley, Hailer, and White.

The meeting was opened with the salute to the Flag.

President HURLEY announced that a quorum would be necessary during the hearing at all times.

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The City Clerk read the following:

Ordered, That in accordance with the provisions of section 6 of chapter 486 of the Acts of 1909, a public hearing be given by the City Council on Tuesday, May 3, 1955, at eleven o'clock A.M., on the contracts made by the Commissioner of Public Works as follows:

1. Contract with Milano Brothers, Inc., for the collection and removal of refuse from District 2 (East Boston), so called, during the two-year ten-month period beginning June 1, 1955, and ending March 1, 1958;

2. Contract with Frank J. Cavaliere for the collection and removal of refuse from District 5A (West Roxbury), so called, during the two-year ten-month period beginning June 1, 1955, and ending March 31, 1958; and be it further

Ordered, That the City Clerk be directed to give at least seven days' notice of said hearing in the "City Record" and in the daily newspapers.

In City Council, April 18, 1955. Passed.

Attest:

W. J. MALLOY,
City Clerk.

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The City Clerk also read the following:

NOTICE OF HEARING.

COLLECTION AND REMOVAL OF REFUSE.

CITY OF BOSTON.
OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK.
April 23, 1955.

A public hearing will be given by the City Council of Boston in the City Council Chamber, City Hall, on Tuesday, May 3, 1955, at eleven o'clock A.M., on the proposed contracts for the collection and removal of refuse as follows:

1. Contract with Milano Brothers, Inc., for the collection and removal of refuse from District 2 (East Boston), so called, during the two-year ten-month period beginning June 1, 1955, and ending March 31, 1958.

2. Contract with Frank J. Cavaliere for the collection and removal of refuse from District 5A (West Roxbury), so called, during the two-year ten-month period beginning June 1, 1955, and ending March 31, 1958.

By order of the City Council.

W. J. MALLOY,
(April 23.) City Clerk.

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City of Boston,
City Clerk Department, May 3, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

In accordance with your order passed April 18, 1955, and the provisions of section 6 of chapter 486 of the Acts of 1909, seven days' notice of a public hearing by the City Council on Tuesday, May 3, 1955, at eleven o'clock A.M., in the City Council Chamber, on the proposed contracts for the collection and removal of refuse, was given by the City Clerk by the publication in the "City Record" on April 23, 1955, and in all the daily newspapers on April 25, 1955, of an advertisement, a copy of which is hereto annexed.

Attest:

W. J. MALLOY,
City Clerk.

Placed on file.

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At the request of the President, the City Clerk announced that copies of the notice of the public hearing have been mailed to the Boston Finance Commission, Boston Municipal Research Bureau, the Commissioner of Public Works, the Corporation Counsel, and to the two contractors concerned, as well as to the nine members of the Boston City Council.

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George G. Hyland, Commissioner of Public Works, appeared before the Council, and gave detailed information on the question of the proposed contracts for the collection and removal of refuse in the City of Boston.

At the end of the testimony presented by Mr. Hyland, the Chair asked if any one else wished to appear before the Council. Senator Mario Umana and Representative Rico Matera, both of East Boston, stated they were in favor of the contract being awarded to Milano Brothers, Inc.

There being no one else who appeared, the Chair declared the public hearing closed at 11.44 A.M.

Adjourned at 11.45 A.M., on motion of Councillor Piemonte, to meet on Monday, May 9, 1955, at 2 P.M.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway resurfacing, estimated to be thirty (30) days, parking of vehicles is prohibited in the following street, effective May 4, 1955:

Boston Street, South Boston.
Both sides, from Dorchester avenue to the bridge over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway resurfacing, estimated to be thirty (30) days, vehicles are excluded from the following street, effective May 5, 1955:

P Street, South Boston.
From East Fourth street to East Sixth street.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, occasioned by the construction of a surface roadway of the John F. Fitzgerald Expressway, for a period estimated to be thirty (30) days, the following temporary traffic rules are effective May 2, 1955:

The one-way rules in the following streets are suspended and they are two-way streets:

Central Street, Boston Proper.
From India street to Atlantic avenue.
India Street, Boston Proper.
From Milk street to Atlantic avenue.
Milk Street, Boston Proper.
From India street to Atlantic avenue.
State Street, Boston Proper.
From Commercial street to the westerly arm of McKinley square.

Parking of vehicles is prohibited in the following street:

State Street, Boston Proper.
Both sides, from Commercial street to Atlantic avenue.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, for a trial period of sixty (60) days, the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective May 10, 1955:

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," the following:

West Cedar Street.
At Revere street.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway resurfacing, estimated to be thirty (30) days, the following street is one way in the direction indicated, effective May 5, 1955:

A Street, South Boston.
From Gillette park to Congress street.

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

Eleanor Esterman, 14 Crowell street, Dorchester, in the sum of $395, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 61 Capen street, Dorchester, June 19, 1954.

SEWERAGE WORKS IN BRIGHTON.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that the right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following-described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings, or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands, not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 1443, Sewerage Works, Guest Street, Brighton, May 3, 1955, James W. Haley, Chief Engineer, Survey Division, Public Works Department," deposited in this office, and said lands are in that part of Boston called Brighton, and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to the Boston & Albany Railroad, being part of the private way known as Guest street, bounded:

Westerly by the public portion of Guest street, ten feet; northerly by a remaining portion of the private way called Guest street, eighty-three and 73-100 feet; southeasterly by land hereinafter described as taken from the Boston & Albany Railroad, twelve and 8-100 feet; and southerly by another portion of the private part of Guest street, seventy-six and 96-100 feet; containing eight hundred three square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to the Boston & Albany Railroad, bounded:

Northwesterly by land hereinbefore described as taken from the Boston & Albany Railroad, twelve and 8-100 feet; northerly by other land supposed to belong to said railroad, fifty-four and 48-100 feet; westerly again by other land supposed to belong to said railroad, two hundred fifty-seven and 72-100 feet; northerly again by other land supposed to belong to said railroad, one hundred fifty-nine feet; easterly by land hereinafter described as taken from said railroad, fifteen feet; southerly by other land supposed to belong to said railroad, one hundred forty-nine feet; easterly again by other land supposed to belong to said railroad, two hundred fifty-two and 72-100 feet; and southerly again by other land supposed to belong to said railroad, seventy-one and 25-100 feet; containing five thousand four hundred ninety-one square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to the Boston & Albany Railroad, bounded:

Westerly by land hereinbefore described as taken from the Boston & Albany Railroad, fifteen feet; northerly by other land of the Boston & Albany Railroad, five hundred sixty-eight and 39-100 feet; westerly again by other land supposed to belong to the Boston & Albany Railroad, twenty feet; northerly again by other land supposed to belong to said railroad, one hundred four and 37-100 feet; easterly by the westerly line of Everett street, thirty-five and 10-100 feet; and southerly by the northerly line of land supposed to belong to the Arthur C. Harvey Company, six hundred seventy and 9-100 feet; containing twelve thousand one hundred thirty-two square feet, more or less.

It is further ordered that the existing 670 feet of 15-inch sanitary sewer lying within the last above-described parcel be taken for City of Boston sewerage purposes.

There is to be built in the above-described easements 560 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sanitary sewer and 520 linear feet of 30-inch pipe surface drain.

It is also ordered that 650 linear feet of 12-inch pipe sanitary sewer and 190 linear feet of 30-inch pipe surface drain be constructed in the public portion of Guest street as an extension of the above-described sewer. Total estimated cost is $19,500.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the abutting parcels of land situated on both sides of Guest street, and designated as assessment parcels 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, on the plan hereinbefore referred to and on file in the office of this department, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement herein ordered; each of said parcels in the amount hereinafter respectively set against it; said parcels and the supposed owners thereof being shown on the aforesaid plan.

Parcel.		Amount.
1.	Boston & Albany Railroad	$2,000
2.	Clorox Chemical Company	2,000
3.	Boston & Albany Railroad	1,500
4.	Boston & Albany Railroad	2,000
5.	Boston & Albany Railroad	3,000
	Total	$10,500

Voted, That this commission determines that the undermentioned persons sustain damages in their estates by the taking of an easement for sewerage purposes and the construction of sewerage works in Guest street and in private land between Guest street and Everett street, Brighton district, under the order of the commission of May 4, 1955, in the amounts hereinafter respectively set against them, and awards said amounts therefor.

Boston & Albany Railroad (Guest street), 803 square feet, nothing.

Boston & Albany Railroad, 5,491 square feet, nothing.

Boston & Albany Railroad (including existing sewer), 12,132 square feet, $4,200.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, for a trial period of sixty (60) days, the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective May 10, 1955:

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out the following:

Blue Hill Avenue, Roxbury.
East side, from Dudley street to Stanwood street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.

Dorchester Avenue, Dorchester.
West side, from Hancock street to Adams street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Dorchester Avenue, South Boston.
West side, from Boston street to the bridge over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, near Kemp street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Summer Street, South Boston.
Southwest side, from a point two hundred and forty (240) feet northwest of D street to a point three hundred and sixty (360) feet northwest of D street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the captions "Boston Proper" and "Roxbury," the following

Charlesgate West.
West side, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Dorchester Avenue.
West side, from Ashmont street to Bailey street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the captions "Dorchester" and "South Boston," the following:

Dorchester Avenue.
West side, from Boston street to Adams street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," each of the following:

Blue Hill Avenue.
East side, from Dudley street to Geneva avenue, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.

Buena Vista Street.
North side, from Warren street to Walnut avenue, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "South Boston," the following:

Summer Street.
Southwest side, from a point two hundred and forty (240) feet northwest of D street to a point three hundred and forty (340) feet northwest of D street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by striking out the following:

Charlesgate West, Boston Proper and Roxbury.
West side, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the captions "Boston Proper" and "Roxbury," the following:

Charlesgate West.
West side, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Article IV, Section 6, Part 3 (Restrictions in Cent and Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by striking out the following:

Blue Hill Avenue, Roxbury.
East side, from Dove street to Stanwood street, 10 A.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Stanwood street to Geneva avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 6, Part 3 (Restrictions in Cent and Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Blue Hill Avenue.
East side, from Dove street to Geneva avenue, 10 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 8 (Angle Parking in Left Side of One-Way Streets), is amended by adding the following:

Beacon Street, Brighton.
Northwest roadway, southeast (Reservation) side, from Ayr road to a point one hundred and five (105) feet southwest of Ayr road.

Article IV, Section 16A, Part 2 (Parking of Vehicles Owned by the United States Government), is amended by striking out the following:

Summer Street, South Boston.
Southwest side, from a point two hundred and forty (240) feet northwest of D street to a point three hundred and sixty (360) feet northwest of D street.

Article IV, Section 16A, Part 2 (Parking of Vehicles Owned by the United States Government), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetieal arrangement under the eaption "South Boston," the following:

Summer Street.
Southwest side, from a point two hundred and forty (240) feet northwest of D street to a point three hundred and forty (340) feet northwest of D street.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, for a trial period of sixty (60) days, the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective May 17, 1955:

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out the following:

Berkeley Street, Boston Proper.
Southwest side, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from a point sixty (60) feet south of Boylston street to Boylston street, 24 hours.

Clarendon Street, Boston Proper.
Northeast side, from Columbus avenue to Boylston street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Harrison Avenue, Boston Proper.
Northwest side, from Dover street to East Brookline street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from East Newton street to East Concord street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.

Massachusetts Avenue, Boston Proper.
Northeast side, from Albany street to No. 566 Massachusetts avenue, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.
Northeast side, from No. 524 Massachusetts avenue to a point one hundred (100) feet southeast of the bridge over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.

Massachusetts Avenue, Dorchester and Roxbury.
Northeast side, from Edward Everett square to the Roxbury Canal, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.

Massachusetts Avenue, Roxbury.
Northeast side, from a point one hundred (100) feet northwest of the bridge over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad to Belvidere street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.
Northeast side, from Belvidere street to Commonwealth avenue, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Stuart Street, Boston Proper.
Both sides, from Church street to Arlington street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Washington Street, Boston Proper.
East side, from Hanover street to Haymarket square, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," each of the following:

Beacon Street.
North side, from Storrow Memorial Drive to Clarendon street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from a point one hundred and fifty (150) feet west of Arlington street to Clarendon street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Berkeley Street.
Northeast side, from a point forty-five (45) feet west of Tremont street to a point sixty (60) feet southeast of Boylston street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from a point sixty (60) feet southeast of Boylston street to Boylston street, 24 hours.
Southwest side, from Warren avenue to Boylston street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from Boylston street to Commonwealth avenue, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Broadway.
Northeast side, from Stuart street to Tremont street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Shawmut street to Tremont street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Clarendon Street.
Southwest side, from Tremont street to Columbus avenue, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Columbus avenue to Boylston street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Boylston street to Commonwealth avenue, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Dartmouth Street.
Both sides, from Columbus avenue to Buckingham street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Dover Street.
South side, from Shawmut avenue to Tremont street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Harrison Avenue.
West side, from Kneeland street to Harvard street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Bennet street to Oak street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Motte street to Dover street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Dover street to East Brookline street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from East Newton street to East Concord street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Massachusetts Avenue.
Northeast side, from Albany street to No. 566 Massachusetts avenue, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from No. 524 Massachusetts avenue to a point one hundred (100) feet southeast of the bridge over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

St. James Avenue.
North side, from Arlington street to Berkeley street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Stuart Street.
South side, from Washington street to Tremont street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Warrenton street to Church street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, northerly arm, from Church street to Columbus avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
North side, southerly arm, from Church street to Columbus avenue, 24 hours.
South side, from Columbus avenue to Huntington avenue, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Washington Street.
East side, from Broadway to Harvard street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Adams square to Haymarket square, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper plaee in the alphabetical arrangement under the captions "Dorchester" and Roxbury" the following:

Massachusetts Avenue.
Northeast side, from Edward Everett square to the Roxbury Canal, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the eaption "Roxbury" the following:

Massachusetts Avenue.
Northeast side, from a point one hundred (100) feet northwest of the bridge over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad to Commonwealth avenue, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by striking out the following:

Beacon Street, Boston Proper.
North side, from Embankment road to a point ninety-three (93) feet east of Massachusetts avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from a point one hundred and fifty (150) feet west of Arlington street to Charlesgate East, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Berkeley Street, Boston Proper.
Both sides, from Warren avenue to Columbus avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from Columbus avenue to a point sixty (60) feet south of Boylston street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Columbus avenue to Stanhope street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Stuart street to Boylston street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from Boylston street to Commonwealth avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Southwest side, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Northeast side, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Broadway, Boston Proper.
Southwest side, from Shawmut street to Tremont street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from Stuart street to Tremont street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Clarendon Street, Boston Proper.
Northeast side, from the bridge over the Boston & Albany Railroad to Boylston street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Southwest side, from the bridge over the Boston & Albany Railroad to Boylston street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Boylston street to Commonwealth avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Massachusetts Avenue, Roxbury.
Northeast side, from a point one hundred (100) feet northwest of the bridge over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad to Belvidere street, 10 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from Belvidere street to Commonwealth avenue, 10 A.M. to 4 P.M.

St. James Avenue, Boston Proper.
North side, from Arlington street to Berkeley street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Stuart Street, Boston Proper.
South side, from Washington street to Tremont street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Warrenton street to Broadway, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Broadway to Church street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Columbus avenue to Huntington avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Washington Street, Boston Proper.
East side, from Broadway to Harvard street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Adams square to Hanover street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Hanover street to Haymarket square, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper" each of the following:

Beacon Street.
North side, from Storrow Memorial Drive to Clarendon street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
North side, from Clarendon street to a point ninety-three (93) feet east of Massachusetts avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from a point one hundred and fifty (150) feet west of Arlington street to Clarendon street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
South side, from Clarendon street to Charlesgate East, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Berkeley Street.
Both sides, from Warren avenue to Columbus avenue, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Northeast side, from Columbus avenue to a point sixty (60) feet south of Boylston street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Southwest side, from Columbus avenue to Stanhope street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Southwest side, from Stuart street to Boylston street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Northeast side, from Boylston street to Commonwealth avenue, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Both sides, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Broadway.
Southwest side, from Shawmut street to Tremont street, 9.30 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Northeast side, from Stuart street to Tremont street, 9.30 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Clarendon Street.
Both sides, from the bridge over the Boston & Albany Railroad to Boylston street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Southwest side, from Boylston street to Commonwealth avenue, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Southwest side, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

St. James Avenue.
North side, from Arlington street to Berkeley street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Stuart Street.
South side, from Washington street to Tremont street, 9.30 A.M. to 4 P.M.
South side, from Warrenton street to Broadway, 9.30 A.M. to 4 P.M.
South side, from Broadway to Church street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
South side, from Columbus avenue to Huntington avenue, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Washington Street.
East side, from Broadway to Harvard street, 9.30 A.M. to 4 P.M.
West side, from Adams square to Haymarket square, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury" the following:

Massachusetts Avenue.
Northeast side, from a point one hundred (100) feet northwest of the bridge over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad to Commonwealth avenue, 10 A.M. to 4 P.M.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, the following temporary amendments to the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston, which were adopted December 16, 1954, and which were effective December 20, 1954, for a trial period of sixty (60) days, and which were extended on February 3, 1955, for a further trial period of sixty (60) days from February 18, 1955, are hereby extended from April 19, 1955, to May 17, 1955:

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out the following:

Berkeley Street, Boston Proper.
Southwest side, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from a point sixty (60) feet south of Boylston street to Boylston street, 24 hours.

Clarendon Street, Boston Proper.
Northeast side, from Columbus avenue to Boylston street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Columbus Avenue, Boston Proper.
Southeast side, from Arlington street to opposite Morgan street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.

Columbus Avenue, Boston Proper and Roxbury.
Southeast side, from Clarendon street to Washington street (Egleston square), 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.

Harrison Avenue, Boston Proper.
Northwest side, from Dover street to East Brookline street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from East Newton street to East Concord street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.

Massachusetts Avenue, Boston Proper.
Northeast side, from Albany street to No. 566 Massachusetts avenue, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.
Northeast side, from No. 524 Massachusetts avenue to a point one hundred (100) feet southeast of the bridge over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.

Massachusetts Avenue, Dorchester and Roxbury.
Northeast side, from Edward Everett square to the Roxbury Canal, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.

Massachusetts Avenue, Roxbury.
Northeast side, from a point one hundred (100) feet northwest of the bridge over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad to Belvidere street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.
Northeast side, from Belvidere street to Commonwealth avenue, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Stuart Street, Boston Proper.
Both sides, from Church street to Arlington street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper" each of the following:

Beacon Street.
North side, from Storrow Memorial Drive to a point ninety-three (93) feet east of Massachusetts avenue, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from a point one hundred and fifty (150) feet west of Arlington street to Massachusetts avenue, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Massachusetts avenue to Charlesgate East, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Charlesgate West to Commonwealth avenue, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
North side, from Bay State road to Raleigh street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Berkeley Street.
Northeast side, from a point forty-five (45) feet west of Tremont street to a point sixty (60) feet southeast of Boylston street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from a point sixty (60) feet southeast of Boylston street to Boylston street, 24 hours.
Southwest side, from Warren avenue to Boylston street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from Boylston street to Commonwealth avenue, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Broadway.
Northeast side, from Stuart street to Tremont street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Shawmut street to Tremont street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Charles Street.
East side, from Cambridge street to Beacon street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Clarendon Street.
Both sides, from Tremont street to Boylston street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Boylston street to Commonwealth avenue, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Columbus Avenue.
Southeast side, from Arlington street to opposite Morgan street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Harrison Avenue.
West side, from Kneeland street to Harvard street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Bennet street to Oak street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Motte street to Dover street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Dover street to East Brookline street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from East Newton street to East Concord street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Huntington Avenue.
Southeast side, from Boylston street to Oxford terrace, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Massachusetts Avenue.
Northeast side, from Albany street to No. 566 Massachusetts avenue, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from No. 524 Massachusetts avenue to a point one hundred (100) feet southeast of the bridge over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Stuart Street.
South side, from Washington street to Tremont street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Warrenton street to Church street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, northerly arm, from Church street to Columbus avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
North side, southerly arm, from Church street to Columbus avenue, 24 hours.
South side, from Columbus avenue to Huntington avenue, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Tremont Street.
Southeast side, from Castle street to Hollis street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Northwest side, from Arlington street to Stuart street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Washington Street.
East side, from Dover street to Motte street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Broadway to Harvard street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Cornhill to Brattle street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Adams square to Hanover street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Hanover street to Haymarket square, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Washington Street North.
East side, from Haymarket square to Keany square, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Haverhill street to Keany square, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the captions "Boston Proper" and "Roxbury" each of the following:

Columbus Avenue.
Southeast side from Clarendon street to Tremont street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Huntington Avenue.
Northwest side, from Boylston street to Norway street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from Stuart street to a point twenty (20) feet northeast of the northeast exit of the Charles H. Innes Memorial Underpass, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the captions "Dorchester" and "Roxbury" the following:

Massachusetts Avenue.
Northeast side, from Edward Everett square to the Roxbury Canal, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury" each of the following:

Columbus Avenue.
Southeast side, from Tremont street to Washington street (Egleston square), 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.

Massachusetts Avenue.
Northeast side, from a point one hundred (100) feet northwest of the bridge over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad to Commonwealth avenue, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by striking out the following:

Beacon Street, Boston Proper.
North side, from Embankment road to a point ninety-three (93) feet east of Massachusetts avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
North side, from Massachusetts avenue to Charlesgate East, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from a point one hundred and fifty (150) feet west of Arlington street to Charlesgate East, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Charlesgate West to Commonwealth avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
North side, from Bay State road to Raleigh street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Berkeley Street, Boston Proper.
Both sides, from Warren avenue to Columbus avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from Columbus avenue to a point sixty (60) feet south of Boylston street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Columbus avenue to Stanhope street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Stuart street to Boylston street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from Boylston street to Commonwealth avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Northeast side, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Broadway, Boston Proper.
Southwest side, from Shawmut street to Tremont street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from Stuart street to Tremont street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Charles Street, Boston Proper.
East side, from Cambridge street to Beacon street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Clarendon Street, Boston Proper.
Northeast side, from the bridge over the Boston & Albany Railroad to Boylston street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Southwest side, from the bridge over the Boston & Albany Railroad to Boylston street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Boylston street to Commonwealth avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Columbus Avenue, Boston Proper.
Southeast side, from Arlington street to opposite Morgan street, 10 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from Clarendon street to Dartmouth street, 10 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Huntington Avenue, Boston Proper.
Southeast side, from Boylston street to Oxford terrace, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Huntington Avenue, Boston Proper and Roxbury.
Northwest side, from Boylston street to Norway street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from Stuart street to a point twenty (20) feet northeast of the northeast exit of the Charles H. Innes Memorial Underpass, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Massachusetts Avenue, Roxbury.
Northeast side, from a point one hundred (100) feet northwest of the bridge over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad to Belvidere street, 10 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from Belvidere street to Commonwealth avenue, 10 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Stuart Street, Boston Proper.
South side, from Washington street to Tremont street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Warrenton street to Broadway, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Broadway to Church street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Columbus avenue to Huntington avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Tremont Street, Boston Proper.
Northwest side, from Warrenton street to Broadway, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northwest side, from Broadway to Berkeley street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from Broadway to Dover street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Washington Street, Boston Proper.
East side, from Dover street to Motte street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Broadway to Harvard street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Cornhill to Brattle street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Adams square to Hanover street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Hanover street to Haymarket square, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Washington Street North, Boston Proper.
East side, from Haymarket square to Keany square, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Haverhill street to Keany square, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper" each of the following:

Beacon Street.
North side, from Storrow Memorial Drive to a point ninety-three (93) feet east of Massachusetts avenue, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
South side, from a point one hundred and fifty (150) feet west of Arlington street to Charlesgate East, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
North side, from Massachusetts avenue to Charlesgate East, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
South side, from Charlesgate West to Commonwealth avenue, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
North side, from Bay State road to Raleigh street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Berkeley Street.
Both sides, from Warren avenue to Columbus avenue, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Northeast side, from Columbus avenue to a point sixty (60) feet south of Boylston street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Southwest side, from Columbus avenue to Stanhope street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Southwest side, from Stuart street to Boylston street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Northeast side, from Boylston street to Commonwealth avenue, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Both sides, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Broadway.
Southwest side, from Shawmut street to Tremont street, 9.30 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Northeast side, from Stuart street to Tremont street, 9.30 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Charles Street.
East side, from Cambridge street to Beacon street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Clarendon Street.
Both sides, from the bridge over the Boston & Albany Railroad to Boylston street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Southwest side, from Boylston street to Commonwealth avenue, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Southwest side, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Columbus Avenue.
Southeast side, from Arlington street to opposite Morgan street, 10 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Southeast side, from Clarendon street to Dartmouth street, 10 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Huntington Avenue.
Southeast side, from Boylston street to Oxford terrace, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Stuart Street.
South side, from Washington street to Tremont street, 9.30 A.M. to 4 P.M.
South side, from Warrenton street to Broadway, 9.30 A.M. to 4 P.M.
South side, from Broadway to Church street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
South side, from Columbus avenue to Huntington avenue, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Tremont Street.
Northwest side, from Warrenton street to Broadway, 9.30 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Northwest side, from Broadway to Arlington street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Southeast side, from Broadway to Castle street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Northwest side, from Arlington street to Berkeley street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from Castle street to Dover street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Washington Street.
East side, from Dover street to Motte street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
East side, from Broadway to Harvard street, 9.30 A.M. to 4 P.M.
West side, from Cornhill to Brattle street, 9.30 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Both sides, from Adams square to Hanover street, 9.30 A.M. to 4 P.M.
West side, from Hanover street to Haymarket square, 9.30 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Washington Street North.
East side, from Haymarket square to Keany square, 9.30 A.M. to 4 P.M.
West side, from Haverhill street to Keany square, 9.30 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones) is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the captions "Boston Proper" and "Roxbury" the following:

Huntington Avenue.
Northwest side, from Boylston street to Norway street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Southeast side, from Stuart street to a point twenty (20) feet northeast of the northeast exit of the Charles H. Innes Memorial Underpass, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury" the following:

Massachusetts Avenue.
Northeast side, from a point one hundred (100) feet northwest of the bridge over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad to Commonwealth avenue, 10 A.M. to 4 P.M.

TRANSFER OF APPROPRIATION.

The Mayor has approved the following transfer of appropriation:

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Temporary Home.

From 594, Household Furniture and Equipment, $75, to 279, Repairs and Servicing of Equipment (Not Otherwise Classified), $75.

Purchases and Sales of Used Cars Reported to the Police Department for the Year Ending November 30, 1953.

MONTH	Bought by Dealers	Sold by Dealers	Sold by Individuals
1952			
December	2,709	2,750	1,570
1953			
January	2,809	3,018	1,519
February	2,596	2,905	903
March	3,981	3,954	1,601
April	3,647	4,105	1,530
May	3,285	3,905	1,383
June	3,488	4,096	1,382
July	3,114	3,493	1,214
August	3,214	3,643	1,047
September	2,948	3,215	953
October	3,216	3,568	1,015
November	3,017	2,703	981
Totals	38,024	41,355	15,098

Automobiles Reported by the Police as Stolen in Boston for the Year Ending November 30, 1953.

MONTH	Reported Stolen	Recovered During Month	Recovered Later	Not Recovered
1952				
December	216	200	12	4
1953				
January	157	143	11	3
February	157	148	9	0
March	233	220	11	2
April	172	161	8	3
May	224	210	12	2
June	185	171	12	2
July	172	166	2	4
August	187	176	8	3
September	202	194	2	6
October	204	192	6	6
November	167	145	9	13
Totals	2,726	2,126	102	48

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS. (STATE SERVICE.)

NOTE.—Applicants are advised to file applications early. In event of a tie on the eligible list, the applicant who filed his application first will be given precedence.

(These examinations are for the service of the state, all cities and such towns as are classified under civil service. Persons qualifying in the examinations may have their names placed on the state list for the grade or grades for which they apply, as well as on the list for the city or town in which they have domicile. A separate application must be filed for each examination. A Manual for the Guidance of Applicants for Positions as Civil Engineers, Grades I and II, prepared by the Director of Civil Service, may be obtained from the Public Documents Division, Room 116, State House, Boston, at 10 cents a copy. It is desirable that applicants obtain a copy of this manual and study it carefully.

CIVIL ENGINEER, GRADE I, JUNIOR ENGINEERING AID, JUNE 4, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, May 16, 1955.

Salary: For the state service, the minimum salary is $2,880 a year, and the maximum salary is $3,600 a year. In cities and towns, the salaries vary.

Vacancies: From time to time.

Duties: Under immediate supervision, to assist on engineering work involving the least technical skill and responsibility, in the field, office or laboratory; and to perform related work as required.

Examples of Duties: Holding a rod; sharpening and driving stakes; cutting away brush to clear lines; occasionally running an instrument; making minor computations and calculations; plotting level notes; assisting on estimates; using a planimeter to calculate areas; making simple drawings and tracings; filing plans, profiles and survey books; inspecting minor details of construction as directed.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants must have at least one year of full-time paid experience in civil engineering or in general construction work. *Substitution:* High school or equivalent education may be substituted for the required experience on the basis of one year of education for three months of experience.

CIVIL ENGINEER, GRADE II, SENIOR ENGINEERING AID, JUNE 4, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, May 16, 1955.

Salary: For the state service, the minimum salary is $3,480 a year, and the maximum salary is $4,200 a year. In cities and towns, the salaries vary.

Vacancies: From time to time.

Duties: Under supervision, to assist on engineering work by performing assigned tasks in the field or office, involving some knowledge or training in civil engineering practice, but not of full professional rank or responsibility; and to perform related work as required.

Examples of Duties: Running a transit or level on preliminary and final surveys and in giving lines on construction work; having charge of a field party on small work; acting as an assistant to the resident engineer on construction work, in establishing lines and grades for the contractor and inspecting his work; making preliminary estimates for construction; taking field notes; drafting plans and sections from survey notes; keeping graphic records of length, kind of surface and other detail of highway routes.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants must have at least two years of full-time paid experience in civil engineering or in general construction work. *Substitutions:* (*a*) High school graduation or equivalent education may be substituted for one-half year of the required experience. (*b*) Engineering training in a recognized university or engineering school granting the bachelor's or equivalent degree may be substituted for the required experience on the basis of one successfully completed year of such education for one year of experience, provided that if more than one year is so offered, at least one year shall have been in civil engineering. (*c*) Civil engineering training in a recognized technical school not granting the bachelor's or equivalent degree may be substituted for the required experience on the basis of one successfully completed year of such education for one-half year of experience.

The following applies to each of the above examinations:

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, including mathematics, 3; total, 5. Also, an optional test in drafting for those who desire to have their names certified on requisitions calling for this special qualification.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject of the examination in order to become eligible. A mark of at least 70 per cent must be obtained in the optional drafting test in order to qualify in that subject.

METROPOLITAN POLICE PATROLMAN, METROPOLITAN DISTRICT COMMISSION, JULY 15, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Friday, June 24, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $3,540 a year; the maximum salary is $4,260 a year.

Vacancies: From time to time.

Duties: The duties are those of a regular patrolman.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants shall be not less than twenty-two nor over thirty-five years of age at the time of filing application. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application *unless* one has been filed with a previous application.

Any veteran who will have attained the age of twenty-one within six months of the date of any scheduled examination for police service shall not be deemed ineligible for examination and appointment provided that he meets all other pertinent requirements of the Civil Service laws and regulations (chapter 287 of the Acts of 1947).

Veterans who had not reached the maximum age limit at the time of entering military or naval service will not be disqualified by reason of age, within five years after the date of honorable discharge. (Chapter 179, Acts of 1950.)

Applicants must be not less than 5 feet 8 inches in height and must meet minimum weight requirements according to the following table, in which height is given in inches in bare feet and weight in pounds without clothing:

68 inches — 135 pounds
69 inches — 140 pounds
70 inches — 145 pounds
71 inches — 150 pounds
72 inches — 155 pounds
73 inches — 160 pounds
74 inches — 165 pounds
75 inches — 170 pounds
76 inches — 175 pounds

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 3; practical questions, including memory test, general information, and Police Manual questions, 7; total, 10.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination and qualifying strength tests.

To become eligible, applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in the strength tests, but the mark will not be averaged with the educational mark.

Applicants must qualify in a 50-yard swimming test.

Certification Requirement: Possession of a Massachusetts motor vehicle operator's license.

The practical questions, other than the memory test and general information questions, will be based upon information contained in the current edition of the Police Manual prepared by the Director of Civil Service, which may be obtained from the Public Document Division, Room 116, State House, Boston, at 25 cents a copy. It is necessary that applicants obtain a copy of this manual and study it carefully.

Applicants must not bring manuals to the examination room.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

LAUNDRY MANAGER, LONG ISLAND DIVISION, BOSTON HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, JUNE 18, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Tuesday, May 31, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $73 a week; the maximum salary is $90.50 a week.

Vacancies: At present there is one vacancy for a male.

Duties: Under the direct supervision of the Superintendent of the Long Island Division, to have full charge of the laundry and associated departments (ironing room, sewing room, and sorting room); to recommend the manufacture of new materials by the sewing room and to supervise the making of sheets, towels, pillowcases, uniforms, and similar items in order to facilitate more efficient laundry service; and to perform related work as required.

The following are required: Knowledge of laundry formulas, proper methods of laundering, the making of hospital linens, and the operation and maintenance of the equipment used in the work; ability to supervise all activities.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

FIRE FIGHTER, BOSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT, JUNE 25, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, June 6, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $3,540 a year; the maximum salary is $4,160 a year.

Vacancies: From time to time.

Duties: The regular duties of a municipal fire fighter.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants shall be not less than twenty-two or over thirty-five years of age at the time of filing the application. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application *unless* one has been filed with a previous application.

Any veteran who will have attained the age of twenty-one within six months of the date of any scheduled examination for fire service shall not be deemed ineligible for examination and appointment provided that he meets all other pertinent requirements of the Civil Service laws and rules (chapter 287, Acts of 1947).

Veterans who had not reached the maximum age limit at the time of entering military or naval service will not be disqualified by reason of age within five years after the date of honorable discharge. (Chapter 179, Acts of 1950.)

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 3; practical questions, including general information, 7; total, 10.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination and qualifying strength tests.

To become eligible, applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in the strength tests, but the mark will not be averaged with the educational mark.

The written examination will consist of questions on general information and questions based upon information contained in the Fire Manual for the Instruction of Applicants for Entrance Examinations in the Fire Service in Cities and Towns of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, prepared by the Director of Civil Service, which may be obtained from the Public Document Division, Room 116, State House, Boston, at 40 cents a copy. It is necessary that applicants obtain a copy of this manual and study it carefully.

Applicants must not bring Fire Manuals to the examination room.

ASSESSED VALUATIONS CONTINUE TO RISE.

A survey of 43 assessing jurisdictions over 100,000 population, recently completed by the National Association of Assessing Officers, discloses that the latest totals of assessed valuations average 4.3 per cent higher than those for last year. Last year's survey of 46 jurisdictions showed an increase for the preceding period of 6.35 per cent. Duval County (Jacksonville), Florida, reported a 19.7 per cent increase, the highest of any jurisdiction. Other jurisdictions reporting high percentage increases in valuations were Dade County (Miami), Florida, 13.3 per cent; Providence, Rhode Island, 10.5 per cent; King County (Seattle), 10.4 per cent; Grand Rapids, Michigan, 9.3 per cent; Richmond, Virginia, 8.8 per cent; Los Angeles County, 8.5 per cent; Minneapolis and San Antonio, 6.9 per cent; and Erie, Pennsylvania, 6.7 per cent.

CITY OF BOSTON AND COUNTY OF SUFFOLK.

STATISTICAL FACTS FOR THE YEAR 1954

Date of incorporation	February 23, 1822
Date of adoption of City Charter (amended January 7, 1925)	1909
Form of Government	Mayor and City Council
Area (square miles)	47.81
Population — Federal Census (August 1, 1950)	801,444
Number of employees as of February 1, 1954	22,806
Boston Housing Authority:	
Federal Program (7,920 apartments housing 7,920 families)	
Number of apartments in veterans' permanent 1- and 2-family homes housing 1,306 families	
State-Aided Developments (containing 3,177 apartments housing 3,177 families)	
Building Department:	
Permits issued	17,515
Estimated cost	$35,771,706
Cemeteries: Number 19—Area (acres)	161.71
Election Department:	
Registered voters	383,864
Number of ballots cast last general election	169,493
Percentage of registered voters voting	44.15
Fire Department:	
Number of stations	51
Number of fireboats	2
Alarms responded to	15,150
Health Department: Health Units	10
Hospitals (Including Boston Sanatorium):	
City Hospital:	
Number of buildings	57
Bed capacity	2,460
Patients, daily average:	
Wards	1,798
Out-patient	891
Long Island Hospital:	
Number of buildings	27
Population	952
Library Department:	
Number of libraries	37
Number of employees (full time)	640
Number of volumes	2,011,358
Circulation	3,162,338
Markets, number of	2
Municipal buildings, number of	27
Park Department: Parks, number of acres	2,240.29
Area of playgrounds and play areas (acres)	807.12
Number of playgrounds and play areas	121
Number of municipal golf links	2
Number of municipal beaches	3
Public grounds and squares (acres)	57.41
Swimming pools (indoor) 2, (outdoor) 2	4
Number of recreation centers and indoor bathhouses	15
Police Department:	
Number of stations and headquarters	18
Arrests	93,294
Public Works Department:	
Bridges, number of	101
Miles of accepted streets and alleys	731
Sewers: Miles of sewers	1,302.75
Catch basins	23,972
Average number of gallons pumped daily at main pumping station	112,980,821
Sumner Traffic Tunnel: Length (feet)	5,654
Two-lane drive: Vehicles passing through — 1953	10,835,674
Water Service:	
Number of meters in service	95,653
Per capita daily average consumption (gallons)	139
Miles of mains: Ordinary	999,136
High pressure	18.72
Rapid Transit: Miles of subways and tunnels	16.81
Schools:	
Number of school buildings	224
Number of teachers	3,655
Average membership	94,774
Average daily attendance:	
Elementary and junior high schools	54,546
High schools	16,201
Kindergartens	8,151
Special schools	1,800

POPULATION OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

April 1, 1950.

As Returned by the United States Department of Commerce, Bureau of Census.

Ward	
1	53,296
2	31,332
3	50,644
4	35,889
5	40,701
6	30,328
7	34,484
8	29,355
9	33,357
10	30,281
11	30,456
12	36,880
13	29,805
14	52,580
15	26,661
16	33,233
17	32,322
18	48,348
19	29,525
20	39,053
21	38,984
22	33,930
Total	801,444

WOOING FRINGE LOT PARKING PATRONS NOT EASY.

Enticing motoring commuters into fringe parking lots can be a difficult courtship. Recent experience in Washington, Baltimore, Cleveland, and St. Louis indicates that success cannot be achieved unless there is provided an attractive parking-transit fee, frequent bus service between the lot and central business district, and easy approaches to the lot. St. Louis offers a 5 to 7½ minute bus service, no parking fee, and a special 35-cent round-trip fare. Patronage of the 600-car lot is increasing, but a profitable operation has not yet been achieved. However, a survey of 500 of the lot's patrons showed 72 per cent rate the service as "excellent." Three out of four said they arrived closer to their downtown destinations than when they drove in. Private lots in downtown Cleveland are now getting short-term parkers—which produces more revenue for the operator than all-day parkers. In Baltimore the consensus is that fringe parking now "does not work".

Another necessity for cities planning fringe parking lots is the provision of convenient shelters to protect patrons from inclement weather. — *American Municipal Association Report.*

IMPORTANCE OF FOOD-BORNE DISEASE.

The relationship of food to disease continues to be an important public health program. The United States Public Health Service reported 327 outbreaks of food-borne disease in the United States in 1948, which resulted in 9,962 cases and 17 deaths. As only one out of ten cases of food-borne disease is ever reported, the resulting situation is far more important than available statistics would indicate.

The United States Public Health Service reports that there occurred in the United States in 1948, 30 cases and 6 deaths resulting from botulism; 74 cases and 1 death resulting from chemical food poisoning; 120 cases of dysentery; 8,832 cases and 7 deaths resulting from food infection and gastroenteritis; 270 cases of scarlet fever.

—Health Department Report.

X-RAY OF SCHOOL PERSONNEL.

The General Court of Massachusetts passed a law effective July 1, 1951, requiring all school personnel coming in contact with pupils to submit X-ray proof of freedom of tuberculosis in a communicable form—such proof to be filed every three years.

In accordance with the provisions of the law, the Health Department provided free X-ray service for school personnel desiring it. 70 mm. equipment was used where possible and was located in stategic areas to accommodate the large numbers of teachers, nurses, custodians, clerical workers, and others covered by the provisions of the law. The X-ray bus was stationed for an entire month on Boston Common, and 70 mm. equipment was also placed in Boston Teachers College. Four health units having 70 mm. X-ray machines were open daily for a six-week period to provide service for outlying sections of the city. All retakes were made at the South End Health Unit. More than 24,500 X-rays were taken during the program. Provision was also made for new employees of educational institutions to be X-rayed at the usual X-ray locations provided by the Health Department.

—Health Department Report.

CITIES GENERALLY DO NOT CONTROL PRIVATE PARKING RATES.

Review of numerous ordinances and other materials by AMA for a member league shows that cities do not generally exercise any control over rates charged for parking. Supply and demand seems to furnish the regulation needed. Generally, however, applications for a parking lot or garage license require that rates charged be set forth in the application, that rates be posted conspicuously at the entrance to the lot, and that rates cannot be changed without official written notice to the municipality.

—American Municipal Association Report.

THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING GROCERIES FOR BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOL KITCHENS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing and delivering at the several high, intermediate, and junior high schools, groceries as per schedule. Proposal forms are obtainable at the office of the Business Manager of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, tenth floor. Envelopes containing proposals must be sealed and plainly marked "Proposal for Furnishing Groceries for Boston Public School Kitchens." The bid must be in duplicate. One copy, signed by the bidder, and accompanied by a certified check, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount of one hundred dollars ($100), must be left at the office of the Business Manager on or before 12 o'clock noon on Tuesday, May 24, 1955. Copies filed with the Business Manager will be publicly opened and read at 12 o'clock noon of the day stated. The other copy, also signed by the bidder, must be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., previous to the time named for opening bids. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids, and to accept the bid which it deems best for the interests of the city. The bidder awarded the contract must furnish a suitable bond or deposit of money or other security for the faithful performance of the contract in the amount of not less than 50 per cent thereof.

HENRY J. SMITH,
Business Manager of the School Committee.
(May 14.)

TUNNEL TRAFFIC IN MAY.

In the month of May, 1954, 1,031,226 vehicles used the Sumner Tunnel. This is the first time in the history of the tunnel that in excess of 1,000,000 vehicles used the facility in any one month.

In May of 1953, 979,920 vehicles went through the tunnel, or 51,306 less than May of this year.

THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER.

PROPOSALS FOR CLEANSING, STERILIZING, AND RECONDITIONING BASKETBALL AND HOCKEY EQUIPMENT FOR THE BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for cleansing, sterilizing, and reconditioning basketball and hockey equipment for the Boston public schools. Proposal forms are obtainable at the office of the Business Manager of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, tenth floor. Envelopes containing proposals must be sealed and plainly marked "Proposal for Cleansing, Sterilizing, and Reconditioning Basketball and Hockey Equipment." The bid must be in duplicate. One copy, signed by the bidder, and accompanied by a certified check, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount of fifty dollars ($50), must be left at the office of the Business Manager on or before 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday, May 25, 1955. Copies filed with the Business Manager will be publicly opened and read at 12 o'clock noon of the day stated. The other copy, also signed by the bidder, must be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., previous to the time named for opening of bids. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to accept the bid which it deems best for the interests of the city. The successful bidders will be required to furnish a suitable bond or deposit of money or other security in the amount of not less than 50 per cent of the amount of the contract.

HENRY J. SMITH,
Business Manager of the School Committee.
(May 14.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR REPAIRING AND PAINTING GREENHOUSES, FRANKLIN PARK, WEST ROXBURY, MASS.

The Commissioner of Parks and Recreation of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, invites proposals for repairing and painting greenhouses, Franklin Park, West Roxbury, Mass. Forms of proposals must be obtained at the Engineer's office of the Parks and Recreation Department, 33 Beacon street. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed and marked "Proposal for Repairing and Painting Greenhouses, Franklin Park, West Roxbury, Mass.," and left before 2 o'clock P.M. on Tuesday, May 24, 1955, at the office of the Parks and Recreation Department, with a certified check for $1,500, payable to and to be the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, and will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of 100 per cent of the estimated contract price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the Engineer's office of the Parks and Recreation Department. The successful bidder will be required to provide for public liability and property damage insurance and for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulations will be required prior to the award of said contract. The Commissioner reserves the right to reject any or all proposals.

FRANK R. KELLEY,
Commissioner.
(May 14.)

READVERTISEMENT
of Item Nos. 1 and 3 on Proposal No. 58.

No. 86—396.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING UNIFORM SHIRTS AND UNIFORM DRESSES FOR CENTRAL SUPPLY, BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Friday, May 20, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Uniforms." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(May 14.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

REAL PROPERTY BOARD.
PROPERTY DIVISION.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

MAY 24, 1955, ON THE PREMISES.

	Upset Price.	Deposit.
9.30 A.M.—Vacant land, Hancock Street, Lot B, 60 feet from Hancock Street on Fruean Place, Dorchester, 7,200 square feet..	$400	$400
9.45 A.M.—Vacant land, West Selden Street, Lot 115, adjacent 231 West Selden Street, Dorchester, 4,967 square feet.....	250	250
9.55 A.M.—Vacant land, West Selden Street, southeasterly side, adjacent 170 West Selden Street, Dorchester, 5,511 square feet...	300	300
10.10 A.M.—Vacant land, Alabama Street, Lot 2 and Currier Street, Lot 1, corner of Alabama and Currier Streets, Dorchester, 8,794 square feet.....	400	400
10.25 A.M.—Vacant land, Savannah Avenue, Lots 255 and 256, corner Canaan Street, Dorchester, 4,200 square feet.....	200	200
10.40 A.M.—Vacant land, Sefton Street, Lots 103 and 104, 80 feet from Greenfield Street, Dorchester, 4,200 square feet...	200	200
10.55 A.M.—Vacant land, Ruskin Road, Lot 162, adjacent 107 Farrar Avenue, Hyde Park, 6,217 square feet.....	400	400
11.10 A.M.—Vacant land, Annafran Street, Lot 613, adjacent 67 Annafran Street, Hyde Park, 1,600 square feet.....	100	100
11.25 A.M.—Vacant land, Sammett Avenue, Lot 78, Rear of 53 Neponset Avenue, West Roxbury, 4,970 square feet.....	100	100
11.40 A.M.—Vacant land, Chittick Road, Lot 105, formerly Foster Street, 50 feet from 41 Chittick Road, Hyde Park, 6,250 square feet.....	300	300
11.55 A.M.—Vacant land, West Milton Place, Lot 6, at end of West Milton Place, Hyde Park, 6,020 square feet.....	300	300
12.10 P.M.—Vacant land, Centre Street, Lot 5, 50 feet from 2501 Centre Street, West Roxbury, 4,864 square feet.....	200	200
12.25 P.M.—Vacant land, Fensmere Road, northeasterly side, at end of Willers Street, West Roxbury, 514,888 square feet.....	1,000	500
12.40 P.M.—Vacant land, Risley Road, Part of Lot 92, lying in the rear, about 32 feet from Brookline town line, West Roxbury, 5,204 square feet.....	200	200

The Chairman reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

For further information call LA 3-5100, line 236.

HERMAN CARP, *Chairman.* JOHN J. McGRATH, *Auctioneer.*
(May 14.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

HIGHWAY RECONSTRUCTION WORK.

PROPOSALS FOR SHEET ASPHALT PAVEMENT IN
Poplar Street, Ward 18, from Beech Street to West Street;
West Street, Ward 18, from Poplar Street to Approximately 265 Feet Southerly.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sheet asphalt pavement in Poplar street, Ward 18, etc. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sheet Asphalt Pavement in Poplar Street, Ward 18, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, JUNE 2, 1955, with a certified check for TWENTY-FOUR HUNDRED (2,400) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under Chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(May 14.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING ANTHRACITE COAL.

The Police Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing and delivering anthracite coal. The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at the office of the Property Clerk, Room 105, 154 Berkeley street, Boston, and deposit with his bid, at the office of the Police Commissioner, a properly certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the Police Commissioner for the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. Proposals will be publicly opened and read on Friday, May 27, 1955, at 12 o'clock noon, at the office of the Police Commissioner, 154 Berkeley street, Boston, Mass. The Police Commissioner reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the City of Boston Department of the City of Boston. Surety bond will be required of the successful bidder in an amount equivalent to 50 per cent of the estimated amount of the contract.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
(May 14.) *Police Commissioner.*

READVERTISEMENT
of this Item on Proposal No. 57.

No. 89—330.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING DIESEL FUEL OIL TO BE DELIVERED INTO THE BUNKERS OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT BOATS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Friday, May 20, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Fuel Oil." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(May 14.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT (SANATORIUM DIVISION).

PROPOSALS FOR WINDOW CLEANING.

The City of Boston, by the Board of Trustees, Hospital Department, and of the Boston City Hospital, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for window cleaning at the Sanatorium Division, 249 River street, Mattapan, Mass., two times during the period from June 1, 1955, to Decemher 31, 1955, in accordance with the specifications. A bond, in the sum of the entire contract price, will be required for the faithful performance of the contract.

The work shall be done only by use of any one or more of the following methods: (1) ladders, (2) scaffold, (3) boatswain's chair. The use of no other method or methods shall be permitted in doing the work. Attention is called to the applicable revised rules and regulations appearing in Industrial Bulletin No. 21, established by Department of Labor and Industries, Division of Industrial Safety.

Proposals will he received until 12 o'clock noon, Tuesday, May 31, 1955, at the office of the Assistant Superintendent of the Sanatorium Division, 249 River street, Mattapan, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals shall he submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the office of the Assistant Superintendent of the Sanatorium Division, 249 River street, Mattapan, Mass. Each copy of the proposal shall he properly filled out, signed, and enclosed in a sealed envelope, plainly marked with the name of the bidder and the description of the work bid upon. One copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall he filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals. Proposals are to be addressed "Boston City Hospital, Sanatorium Division—Proposals for Window Cleaning."

Specifications may be obtained after 12 o'clock noon on Monday, May 16, 1955, at the office of the Assistant Superintendent of the Sanatorium Division, 249 River street, Mattapan, Mass.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of one hundred dollars ($100), shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed at the office of the Assistant Superintendent, Sanatorium Division, 249 River street, Mattapan, Mass. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked. Bid bonds will not he accepted.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before the award of said contract.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any informalities in hidding if it be in the public interest to do so.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, AND OF THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL,

RICHARD J. CONDON,
(May 14.) *President.*

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JOSHUA H. JONES, *Editor.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

HIGHWAY RECONSTRUCTION WORK.

PROPOSALS FOR SHEET ASPHALT PAVEMENT IN

Arlington Street, Ward 5, from St. James Avenue to Columbus Avenue;

Huntington Avenue, Ward 4, from Massachusetts Avenue to Ruggles Street;

Massachusetts Avenue, Wards 4 and 9, from St. Stephen Street to Columbus Avenue;

Stuart Street, Ward 5, from Arlington Street to Church Street;

— and —

Such Additional Locations, If Any, in Wards 4, 5, and 9, As May Be Designated by the Commissioner of Public Works.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sheet asphalt pavement in Arlington street, Ward 5, etc. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sheet Asphalt Pavement in Arlington Street, Ward 5, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, JUNE 2, 1955, with a certified check for THIRTY-THREE HUNDRED (3,300) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(May 14.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR $4,000,000 CITY OF BOSTON GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS.

COUPON SERIAL BONDS.

BONDS EXEMPT FROM TAXATION IN MASSACHUSETTS AND FROM THE PRESENT FEDERAL INCOME TAX.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.
OFFICE OF THE COLLECTOR-TREASURER.

CITY HALL, BOSTON, MASS., MAY 2, 1955.

In pursuance of the authority given by orders of the City Council of Boston and Acts of Massachusetts, the undersigned will receive proposals until 12 o'clock M., Eastern Daylight Saving Time, Tuesday, May 17, 1955, for the purchase of all but no part of the following-described coupon serial bonds.

Coupon Serial Bonds.

Bidder to name rate of interest in multiples of ¼ of one per cent; no bid to be less than par and accrued interest and a different rate of interest may be bid for all but no part of each purpose loan to be issued.

PUBLIC WAYS, CONSTRUCTION OF, $2,000,000.

Order of City Council of Boston of April 5, 1955, effective April 26, 1955. Payable $200,000 annually, April 1, 1956, to April 1, 1965, inclusive.

BRIDGES, CONSTRUCTION OF, $500,000.

Order of City Council of Boston of June 15, 1954, effective July 6, 1954. Payable $25,000 annually, April 1, 1956, to April 1, 1975, inclusive.

CONSTRUCTION OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS, ACQUISITION OF LAND, ETC., $1,000,000.

Order of City Council of Boston of May 19, 1953, effective June 9, 1953. Payable $50,000 annually, April 1, 1956, to April 1, 1975, inclusive.

SEWERAGE LOAN, $500,000.

Order of City Council of Boston of April 5, 1955, effective April 26, 1955. Payable $25,000 annually, April 1, 1956, to April 1, 1975, inclusive.

All loans will be issued in Coupon Bond Certificates of $1,000 each, and will be paid on the dates specified for each loan, all with interest payable semiannually on the first days of April and October in each year, at the office of the Collector-Treasurer, Boston.

In comparing bids, preference will be given to the bidder whose bid provides for the lowest net interest cost to the city. (Total interest for the duration of the loan from April 1, 1955, less the amount of premium bid.)

The bonds will be dated April 1, 1955, and will be ready for delivery on or about June 22, 1955. Delivery of the bonds will be made either in Boston or in New York City at the option of the purchaser. Interest will begin April 1, 1955, and will cease on the dates on which the bonds are payable.

These bonds are exempt from taxation in Massachusetts and from the present Federal Income Tax.

Proposals must be sealed and addressed to James E. Gildea, Collector-Treasurer, Boston 8, Mass., endorsed "Proposals for Loans." Each proposal must be accompanied either by a cashier's check or by a certified check in the amount of $40,000, drawn on a Boston or New York City National Bank or Trust Company, the check made payable to the City of Boston, James E. Gildea, Collector-Treasurer. The check of any bidder to whom an award is made will be retained as part payment for the loans awarded. All other checks will be returned.

Accrued interest from April 1, 1955, to date of delivery is to be paid by the purchaser.

All proposals will be opened in the office of the Collector-Treasurer, Tuesday, May 17, 1955, at 12 o'clock M., Eastern Daylight Saving Time. The Collector-Treasurer reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to accept such bid or bids as may seem to him to be the most advantageous to the city.

JAMES E. GILDEA,
(May 14.) *Collector-Treasurer.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR SEALING EXTERIOR MASONRY WALLS, TO MINIMIZE THEIR ABSORPTION AND INCREASE THEIR REPELLENCY OF WATER, AT THE ENGLISH HIGH SCHOOL, AVENUE LOUIS PASTEUR, BOSTON, MASS.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for sealing exterior masonry walls, to minimize their absorption and increase their repellency of water, at the English High School, Avenue Louis Pasteur, Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Monday, May 23, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed and enclosed in an envelope, sealed, and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $250, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do, in accordance with sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
(May 14.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

No. 87—399.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR PURCHASING HAY, GRAIN, AND STRAW.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Friday, May 27, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Hay, Grain, and Straw." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(May 14.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR CONSTRUCTING AND COMPLETING A PLAYGROUND, ETC., IN THE ROXBURY MEMORIAL HIGH SCHOOL FOR GIRLS, TOWNSEND AND DECKARD STREETS, LEWIS DISTRICT, ROXBURY, MASS.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for constructing and completing a playground, etc., in the Roxbury Memorial High School for Girls, Townsend and Deckard streets, Lewis District, Roxbury, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Wednesday, June 1, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, inclosed in an envelope, sealed and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $2,500, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

Subbidders bidding on the work of subcontractors shall use the proposal form prepared by and obtainable from the Awarding Authority.

All subbidders' proposals filed with the Awarding Authority shall be submitted in sealed envelopes, plainly marked with the title of the work; division of the work for which bid is submitted; subcontractor's name; and subcontractor's business address. All such bids shall be in the possession of the Awarding Authority and delivered or mailed to the general contractor no later than 12 o'clock noon, Wednesday, May 25, 1955.

Subbid proposals are *not* to be filed at the office of the City Auditor.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount as specified in the following for the various subbid items of work as listed below, shall be submitted by each subbidder with the copy of his proposal filed with the Awarding Authority:

Chain Link, Iron Fence, and Light Iron	$300
Plumbing	200
Electrical	300

The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, plainly marked "Bid Deposit."

Plans and specifications and other contract documents may be obtained at the office of the Awarding Authority upon deposit of a certified check for $25, payable to the City of Boston. The full amount of the deposit will be refunded to each actual bidder upon return of all documents in good condition within fifteen days after the opening of bids.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price, will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do. The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all subbids on any item or items in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
Superintendent of Construction.
(May 14.)

THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING PASSENGER AUTOMOBILES FOR THE BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing passenger automobiles for the Boston public schools. Proposal forms are obtainable at the office of the Business Manager of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, tenth floor. Envelopes containing proposals must be sealed and plainly marked "Proposal for Furnishing Passenger Automobiles." The bid must be in duplicate. One copy, signed by the bidder, and accompanied by a certified check, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount of one hundred dollars ($100), must be left at the office of the Business Manager on or before 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, May 26, 1955. Copies filed with the Business Manager will be publicly opened and read at 12 o'clock noon of the day stated. The other copy, also signed by the bidder, must be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., previous to the time named for opening of bids. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to accept the bid or bids which it deems best for the interests of the city. The successful bidder will be required to furnish a suitable bond or deposit of money or other security in the amount of not less than 50 per cent of the amount of the contract.

HENRY J. SMITH,
Business Manager of the School Committee.
(May 14.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR CONVERTING HOSE WAGONS TO SQUAD UNITS.

The Fire Commissioner of the City of Boston, 115 Southampton street, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and Corporations or other Legal Associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for the conversion of five Mack Hose Wagons, Type 85, to five Engine Squad Pumping Units equipped with Class A, seven hundred and fifty (750) GPM pumps. The bond of an approved surety company doing business in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, in the full amount of the contract, will be required to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Fire Commissioner, 115 Southampton street. Each proposal must be signed by the bidder, placed in an envelope, sealed and marked "Proposal for Converting Five Mack Hose Wagons to Engine Squad Pumping Units," and left at the office of the Fire Commissioner, 115 Southampton street, before 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, May 26, 1955, accompanied by a certified check for five hundred (500) dollars, payable to the City of Boston and to be the property of said city as liquidated damages suffered by said city if, after acceptance of his proposal, the bidder shall fail to carry out said proposal. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened for reading. Proposals must be made in duplicate, and the sealed duplicate, without check, must be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.) to all persons to be employed under this contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing will be required prior to the award of said contract. Specifications and drawings may be obtained at the office of the Fire Commissioner, 115 Southampton street. The Fire Commissioner reserves the right to reject any and all proposals and to award the contract as he deems best.

FRANCIS X. COTTER,
(May 14-21.) *Fire Commissioner.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS.

PROPOSALS FOR TRANSPORTATION OF VOTING MACHINES WITHIN THE CITY OF BOSTON.

The Board of Election Commissioners of the City of Boston, Room 111, City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest, to the extent of at least one half thereof, is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for the transportation of voting machines within the City of Boston. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Board in the sum of $1,000, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 111, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Transportation of Voting Machines," and left at Room 111, first floor, City Hall Annex, before 12 M. on Friday, June 3, 1955, with a certified check for two hundred (200) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal, after acceptance, is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in Room 111, City Hall Annex.

The proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor, previous to the time named for opening the bids.

The Contractor must prove to the satisfaction of the Board that he has complied with all the rules and regulations of the Department of Public Utilities relating to the carrying on of the work under the contract. Before commencing the performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as it deems best.

BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS.
DAVID LASKER,
(May 14.) *Chairman.*

No. 88—397.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING IRON CASTINGS AND BRONZE FITTINGS FOR THE SEWER DIVISION, PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Tuesday, May 24, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Iron Castings and Bronze Fittings." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(May 14.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF GAS FITTERS.

ROOM 901, CITY HALL ANNEX.

NOTICE OF EXAMINATION FOR GAS FITTING LICENSES.

An examination of applicants for Master's or Journeyman's Gas Fitting License will be held on May 20, 1955, at 1.30 P.M., in Room 902, City Hall Annex.

City of Boston Gas Fitting Regulations recently established consistent with the provisions of chapter 479, Acts of 1938, as amended, are obtainable in pamphlet form at the office of the Building Commissioner. Price 50 cents.

CHARLES A. CALLANAN,
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(May 14.) *Health Commissioner.*

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SOUTH END REDEVELOPMENT GETS UNDER WAY—MAYOR HYNES AND HOUSING OFFICIALS SIGN CONTRACTS TO ENABLE CITY TO GET $2,800,000 FEDERAL GRANT FOR RECONSTRUCTION OF "NEW YORK STREETS" AREA—TO BE COMPLETED IN THREE YEARS.

Mayor John B. Hynes and officials of the Boston Housing Authority have signed loans and grant contracts that will enable the city to obtain a $2,800,000 federal grant for the redevelopment of the 24-acre tract in the South End, known as the "New York Streets" area.

The contracts, also signed by Daniel Tyler, Jr., and James J. Mahar, chairmen of the State Housing Board and the Boston Housing Authority, respectively, will entitle the city to borrow up to $3,000,000 to cover costs of rebuilding the blighted district into a modern commercial and light manufacturing center.

Two thirds of the cost will be borne by the Federal Housing and Home Finance Agency, the city assuming the remainder of the cost of land acquisition and clearance.

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REPORT OF REGINA I. DRISCOLL, ASSISTANT IN CHARGE, CLASSES FOR CONSERVATION OF EYESIGHT, ON ATTENDANCE AT THE PREVENTION OF BLINDNESS CONFERENCE, IN NEW YORK CITY, MARCH 16, 17, AND 18.

The following is the report of attendance at conference of National Society for the Prevention of Blindness, Hotel Statler, New York City, March 16, 17, and 18:

Four hundred medical men, teachers, nurses, and social workers from all sections of the United States and Canada met at the Hotel Statler, New York City, for a three-day conference sponsored by the National Society for the Prevention of Blindness. "Sight for the Whole Family" was the general theme of the conference.

Mason H. Bigelow, president of the society, reported that 27,000 persons became blind last year. The total number of blind in this country is now approximately 319,000. One reason for the increasing number of blind is the lengthening span of human life. In later years,

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MAYOR JOHN B. HYNES SUBMITS SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET RECOMMENDATIONS TOTALING $1,547,558.67—PLANS FOR INCREASES IN PAY FOR POLICE AND FIREMEN TO MEET THEIR REQUESTS—GRANTS TO BE IN THREE INSTALLMENTS—PLANS FOR PLANTS AND STRUCTURAL REPAIRS ALSO—PENSIONS AND ANNUITIES WILL CALL FOR ADDED EXPENDITURES.

On May 16 the Mayor submitted the supplementary budget to the City Council as follows:

To the City Council.

GENTLEMEN:

I submit herewith supplementary budget recommendations for City, County, and Income Departments totaling $1,547,558.67. In the main, the appropriations recommended are to provide for departmental needs and requirements, which have developed since the submission of the 1955 budget estimates.

The main features of the allowances recommended under the three divisions are indicated in the following sections:

CITY DEPARTMENTS.

Supplementary budget estimates submitted by City Departments total $1,549,978.75. Against these requests, appropriations totaling $1,189,031.75 are herewith recommended. The important features of the total recommended are shown in the following table:

Repairs to Plant and Structures	$579,849 00
Salary Adjustments — Police and Fire Departments	230,000 00
Pensions and Annuities	130,000 00
Fire Department Equipment	66,672 00
Gas Company Suit	35,000 00
Establishment of New Police Revolver Range	20,000 00
Removal of Unsafe Buildings	20,000 00
City Planning Activities	15,500 00
Art Festival	15,000 00
Cleaning of Vacant Lots	12,000 00
Statutory Increases for Licensing Board Members	3,555 51
Special Primary and Election	2,977 25

The following brief comments are offered in explanation of the foregoing items:

Plant and Structural Repairs.

The appropriation recommended under this heading will be allotted as follows:

Hospital Department	$536,049 00
Municipal Buildings	43,800 00

Originally, it was contemplated to include most of the items in this particular appropriation in the request submitted to the Legislature, to permit the city to borrow for major and extraordinary repairs and alterations. During legislative consideration of this request these items were eliminated because of an opinion that they represented ordinary maintenance rather than expenditures of a capital nature. In many instances the

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"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean;
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, May 23, at 2 P.M.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries, or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the Complaints Division, Room 25, City Hall.

Information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways, the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments of streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped area for streets and the opening of private ways; the making of specific repairs in public streets; the naming of public streets, including the use of public ways for location of conduits, poles, and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railways, coal holes, and vaults, may be secured from the Public Improvement Commission, Room 403, City Hall Annex.

To the BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION, 112 Southampton street, for information relative to regulation of vehicular street traffic on all or any streets, ways, highways, roads, and parkways under the control of the City of Boston, the issuing of all permits in connection therewith.

To the COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting, and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch basins, the operation of Sumner Tunnel, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges, and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

To the HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Haymarket Square, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish, and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughterhouses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases, of public health nuisances.

To the BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth Avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park, and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts, also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview, and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

To the SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

To the DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS, 28 Norman street, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

To the BOARD OF EXAMINERS, ROOM 907, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal, or tearing down of buildings.

To the ELECTRICAL INSPECTION DIVISION OF THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT, 1001 City Hall Annex, for all information relative to the erection of poles, building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division; also for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings of the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

To the BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT, 43 City Hall, relative to changes in the boundary lines of zoning districts of the City of Boston as established by chapter 488 of the Acts of 1924, and amendments thereto.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending May 14, 1955.

Population as of July, 1950, Massachusetts State Census, 817,713; population estimated July, 1954, United States Census Bureau, 813,696, number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 134; nonresidents, 71; total, 205.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 13.01; nonresidents deducted, 8.52.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:

Last week, 15.25; corresponding week last year, 14.01.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 18; one year to four years, inclusive, 3; sixty years and over, 137. Total deaths: Male, 119; female, 86; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 149.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended May 14, 1955.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended May 15, 1954.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior Poliomyelitis	—	—	1	—
Diphtheria	—	—	2	—
Encephalitis Lethargica	—	—	—	—
Influenza	—	—	—	—
Measles	28	—	307	1
Meningitis Epidemic	1	—	—	—
Pneumonia (lobar)	—	1	—	2
Scarlet Fever	75	—	21	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary)	24	3	5	4
Childhood Type Tuberculosis	—	—	—	—
Tuberculosis (other forms)	2	—	—	—
Typhoid Fever	—	—	—	—
Whooping Cough	6	—	7	—

* Residents and nonresidents included.

MAYOR HYNES SUBMITS SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET RECOMMENDATIONS TO CITY COUNCIL.

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work has been long deferred, and it is believed that further postponement will result in serious damage to the structures involved.

In the Hospital Department the items approved include essential and important services for proper care of patients as well as compliance with fire laws, safety, and building requirements. With respect to municipal buildings, the appropriations recommended are concerned primarily with replacement of roofs on several buildings and the rehabilitation of heating plants.

Salary Adjustments — Police and Fire Departments.

When the compensation plan was put into effect, the uniformed forces of the Fire and Police Departments were not included. It is my proposal to initiate a plan which will advance over a two-year period the salaries of firefighters and policemen to the average rate paid in all cities of the United States with a population of 500,000 or over. Because of the present disparity between salary rates in Boston and the national average, to advance the uniformed forces to this latter figure immediately would require the appropriation of a sum greater than the city at the moment can afford. Therefore, it is my purpose to increase the salaries of all uniformed men beginning September 7 of this year by the sum of $150. It is further proposed that next year, beginning the first week in April, the salaries of the uniformed forces be increased another $150. In the following year, 1957, a further increment can be made, so that salaries paid to this group of employees in our city will be comparable to the national average in the larger cities of the country.

It must be kept in mind in considering salary adjustments for the uniformed forces that while salary scales for similar employees in many of the large cities are considerably in excess of the current scales in Boston, nevertheless, the uniformed forces in our city enjoy benefits and privileges which are not available in many of the large cities of the country. However that may be, I do believe that the uniformed forces of our city are presently underpaid, and I therefore propose the plan herein set forth in order to establish the compensation of our uniformed forces at a scale comparable to that of the other large cities in the United States.

Pensions and Annuities.

An examination of the pension rolls of the city for the first four months of the year reveals a continuing upward trend, and it is apparent that the original appropriation provided for this purpose should be increased to the full year's requirements.

Fire Department Equipment.

The allotment made to the Fire Department under the Equipment Loan will be used in great measure for the purchase of new apparatus. It is deemed desirable, therefore, to provide the department with additional funds to permit the purchase of life nets, fire alarm boxes, radio equipment, ladders, masks, and resuscitators.

Gas Company Suit.

Because the Gas Company has appealed the decision handed down last year by the Appellate Tax Board with relation to the assessment of property owned by the company, it will be necessary for the city to employ the services of legal experts and to prepare briefs and arguments that may be necessary in opposing the appeal.

New Police Revolver Range.

The Police Department has been forced to give up the revolver range used for many years, and it is now proposed to establish a new range on land owned by the city in West Roxbury.

Removal of Unsafe Buildings.

Funds available to the Building Department for the removal of unsafe and dilapidated structures are practically exhausted. The department has in view a number of such structures which constitute a menace to public safety, and it is believed desirable to provide funds for the removal of this threat in cases where the owners of the properties cannot be located or refuse to carry out the necessary demolition.

City Planning Activities.

For several years the City Planning Board has been engaged in a rezoning study. Funds which have been provided previously are now exhausted, and, in order to complete the program, an additional appropriation is deemed necessary this time. In addition, an allowance has been made to cover the employment of additional personnel by the Board, whose work load has been materially increased by the Urban Renewal Program activities.

Art Festival.

In your consideration of my original budget estimates, the appropriation of $15,000 included for the Boston Art Festival was eliminated. I have secured from the officers of the festival a detailed list of the proposed expenditures against such an allotment and, therefore, I am resubmitting an appropriation for this purpose.

Cleaning of Vacant Lots.

At the present time the city holds approximately 3,000 vacant lots. Unfortunately these properties are used in large measure as dumping areas for various forms of waste. As a result, many complaints are received by the Real Property Department concerning the condition of these properties. While it is impossible to provide for a continual city-wide cleaning program, nevertheless funds must be provided to take care of the most serious complaints and situations. The amount provided for this purpose in the original budget is practically exausted, and a further appropriation is deemed necessary.

Statutory Increases for Licensing Board Members.

Because of a recent legislative action increasing the salaries of the members of the Licensing Board, it is now necessary to provide the additional funds required for the balance of the year.

Special Primary and Election.

During February and March, because of the death of a duly elected representative, it was necessary for the Election Department to conduct a special primary and election in Ward 9. Because these functions were held after the 1955 budget had been submitted, it is now necessary to provide an appropriation to cover the costs.

COUNTY DEPARTMENTS.

Supplementary budget estimates submitted by County Departments total $290,748.79. Against these requests, allotments have been recommended totaling $146,526.92. The important features included within this total are shown in the following table:

Statutory Increases in Jurors' Fees	$30,000 00
Sea Wall Extension, Deer Island	30,000 00
Plant and Structural Repairs	29,535 00
Pensions and Annuities	15,000 00
Additional Personnel, Juvenile Court	8,546 64
Security Measures, County Jail	4,000 00
Statutory Increases to Judges, Roxbury Court	2,403 32

The following comments are offered in connection with the foregoing items:

Jurors' Fees.

Recently legislation was enacted increasing jurors' fees in regular actions from $8 to $10 per day and for the Grand Jury and capital cases from $10 to $12 per day. It is estimated that this action will increase payments to jurors during the balance of the year by over $30,000.

Sea Wall Extension.

Two years ago a policy was adopted to gradually restore the sea wall on the Winthrop side of Deer Island. Two appropriations of $30,000 have been provided each year, and it is proposed to continue this year with a similar appropriation.

Plant and Structural Repairs.

As previously explained under a similar item in the city's section, it was originally contemplated to carry out a major repair program through the medium of a loan appropriation. A number of items involving county buildings were included in this program but were subsequently eliminated because they were deemed to be maintenance charges. The additional appropriation recommended provides for new roofs on the Dorchester and West Roxbury Court buildings and necessary repairs at the Brighton and Roxbury Court Houses as well as in the Central Court House in Pemberton square.

Pensions and Annuities.

A review of county pension rolls over the first four months indicates that an additional appropriation should be provided to cover full pension requirements during the balance of the year.

Additional Personnel, Juvenile Court.

Under legislation recently enacted, the position of First Assistant Clerk in the Juvenile Court has been established, and an appropriation is provided for this purpose.

CITY BUDGET

Appropriation	Total	1 Personal Services	2 Contractual Services	3 Supplies and Materials	4 Current Charges and Obligations	5 Equipment	7 Structures and Improvements	Special Appropriations
GENERAL GOVERNMENT								
LEGISLATIVE AND EXECUTIVE								
1-01-95 Public Celebrations	$15,000 00	—	—	—	—	—	—	$15,000 00
1-01-12 City Council	2,670 00	$2,670 00	—	—	—	—	—	—
ELECTIONS								
1-01-21 Election Department	2,977 25	2,300 00	$227 25	$450 00	—	—	—	—
FINANCE								
1-01-31 Auditing Department	3,630 00	—	—	—	$3,630 00	—	—	—
1-01-36 Assessing Department	9,279 94	—	3,890 91	2,009 00	1,100 00	$1,980 00	—	—
1-01-37 Collecting Division, Treasury Department	741 95	—	506 95	—	138 00	100 00	—	—
ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES								
1-01-40 Administrative Services Department	8,011 00	4,866 00	3,175 00	—	—	—	—	—
LAW								
1-01-51 Law Department	41,120 00	6,120 00	35,000 00	—	—	—	—	—
RECORDING AND REPORTING								
1-01-62 City Documents	7,000 00	—	7,000 00	—	—	—	—	—
PLANNING								
1-01-70 City Planning	15,500 00	7,500 00	—	—	—	—	—	8,000 00
GENERAL GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS								
1-01-80 Real Property Department	57,800 00	—	56,800 00	1,000 00	—	—	—	—
MISCELLANEOUS GENERAL GOVERNMENT								
1-01-91 Boston Retirement Board	5,992 10	5,992 10	—	—	—	—	—	—
PUBLIC SAFETY								
POLICE								
1-02-11 Police Department	155,000 00	135,000 00	—	—	—	—	$20,000 00	—
FIRE								
1-02-21 Fire Department	161,672 00	95,000 00	15,000 00	—	—	51,672 00	—	—
PROTECTIVE INSPECTION AND REGULATION								
1-02-30 Building Department	21,000 00	—	21,000 00	—	—	—	—	—
OTHER								
1-02-52 Licensing Board	3,555 51	3,555 51	—	—	—	—	—	—
HOSPITALS								
1-06-00 Hospital Department	536,019 00	—	—	—	—	—	536,019 00	—
LIBRARIES								
1-10-11 Library Department	2,000 00	—	2,000 00	—	—	—	—	—
PARKS AND RECREATION								
1-11-00 Parks and Recreation Department	10,000 00	5,000 00	—	5,000 00	—	—	—	—
MISCELLANEOUS								
1-13-74 Pensions and Annuities—City	130,000 00	—	—	—	—	—	—	130,000 00
GRAND TOTALS	$1,189,031 75	$268,003 61	$144,600 14	$8,459 00	$5,168 00	$53,752 00	$556,019 00	$153,000 00

COUNTY BUDGET

Appropriation	Total	1 Personal Services	2 Contractual Services	3 Supplies and Materials	5 Equipment	7 Structures and Improvements	Special Appropriations
GENERAL GOVERNMENT							
GENERAL GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS							
4-01-82 County Courthouse (Custodian)	$5,291 00	—	$3,500 00	$969 00	$823 00	—	—
1-01-81 Buildings Division, Real Property Department	23,800 00	—	23,800 00	—	—	—	—
CORRECTION							
CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTIONS							
4-08-11 Jail	6,235 00	—	5,735 00	—	500 00	—	—
4-08-13 House of Correction, Penal Institutions	38,067 10	$2,517 10	1,850 00	3,700 00	—	$30,000 00	—
JUDICIAL							
CENTRAL COURTS							
4-12-13 Clerk's Office, Superior Court, Civil Session	15,000 00	—	15,000 00	—	—	—	—
4-12-14 Criminal Session, Superior Court	19,743 00	3,162 00	15,100 00	—	1,181 00	—	—
4-12-16 Boston Juvenile Court	8,546 61	8,546 61	—	—	—	—	—
4-12-17 Probate Court	2,044 44	2,044 44	—	—	—	—	—
DISTRICT COURTS							
4-12-21 Municipal Court, Charlestown District	2,116 62	2,116 62	—	—	—	—	—
4-12-23 Municipal Court, South Boston District	1,609 50	1,259 50	350 00	—	—	—	—
4-12-25 Municipal Court, Roxbury District	6,115 97	6,115 97	—	—	—	—	—
4-12-26 Municipal Court, West Roxbury District	195 00	—	—	195 00	—	—	—
4-12-27 Municipal Court, Brighton District	1,420 00	—	—	700 00	720 00	—	—
4-12-28 District Court of Chelsea	1,309 35	1,309 35	—	—	—	—	—
MISCELLANEOUS							
4-13-75 Pensions and Annuities	15,000 00	—	—	—	—	—	$15,000 00
GRAND TOTALS	$146,526 92	$27,101 92	$65,635 00	$5,564 00	$3,226 00	$30,000 00	$15,000 00

For a number of years the court has had the benefit of the services of two probation officers employed by the Citizenship Training Group, Inc., a private organization, which has been maintained by private contributions and donations. The principal benefactor has given notice that further contributions will be materially reduced and eventually terminated. In order to retain the valuable services of the two officers in question, provision has been made to include them as members of the probation staff of the court.

Security Measures, County Jail.

An appropriation has been deemed desirable to permit the construction in the jail yard of a chain link fence to enclose the inmates' exercise area. Also provision has been made for necessary lock work and the centralization of all alarm signals through an enunciator signal system.

Judges' Statutory Increases.

Under the provisions of legislation recently enacted, the salaries of the two full-time justices of the Roxbury Court have been increased, and an appropriation is hereby provided to meet the requirements of the balance of the year.

INCOME DEPARTMENTS.

The supplementary recommendations in this division will provide funds for the laying of new water mains, the extension of water mains for domestic and fire protection in newly developed areas in various sections, and for replacing with new and larger mains old and smaller-sized mains which no longer are adequate. In addition, it has been deemed desirable to increase the funds available for pension requirements, since rolls of this character in this division have shown an upward trend during the first four months.

I respectfully recommend adoption of the appropriation orders herewith submitted in connection with the supplementary budget recommendations.

Respectfully submitted,

J. B. HYNES, *Mayor.*

SUPPLEMENTARY APPROPRIATIONS AND TAX ORDERS FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR 1955.

Ordered, That the respective sums of money specified for the City and County Departments in the schedules hereinafter set out be, and hereby are, appropriated for the purposes hereinafter specified, said sums to be raised by taxation on the polls and estates of the City of Boston, and that all orders heretofore or hereinafter passed by the City Council relating to appropriations, taxes, and interest thereon apply to the appropriations and taxes herein provided for.

Ordered, That the respective sums of money specified for the Public Works Department, Water Service, in the schedules hereinafter set out be, and hereby are, appropriated for the purpose hereinafter specified, said sums to be met from water rates and revenues.

(For tables of appropriation, see page 636.)

INCOME DEPARTMENTS BUDGET

APPROPRIATION	Total	Special Appropriations
71-12-711 Public Works Department, Water Service: Extension and Improvement of Water Mains	$200,000 00	$200,000 00
3-71-16 Pensions and Annuities	12,000 00	12,000 00
GRAND TOTALS	$212,000 00	$212,000 00

REPORT OF ARNOLD L. GANLEY, VOCATIONAL INSTRUCTOR, DEPARTMENT OF VOCATIONAL GUIDANCE, ON ATTENDANCE AT 1955 NATIONAL CONVENTION OF AMERICAN PERSONNEL AND GUIDANCE ASSOCIATION, IN CHICAGO, APRIL 3 TO 7.

The following is the report of the 1955 convention of the American Personnel and Guidance Association held in Chicago, April 3 to 7:

The theme of this convention, "Guidance and Personnel Work in a Dynamic Society," provided the keynote for the proceedings of the several organizations of which A.P.G.A. is composed. This report is based specifically on the outcomes of meetings scheduled by two of those organizations, the National Vocational Guidance Association and the American School Counselors Association.

It summarizes the considerations which appeared generally throughout the sessions, the reports of guidance practices at the various levels of the school system, and the discussions of problems in large school systems.

GENERAL CONSIDERATIONS.

Great emphasis was placed on the importance of guidance in a world of rapid change. Guidance workers were urged to keep in close touch with these changing conditions in order to be of greatest service to their counselees. It was pointed out that each community has within it many resources from which information about these changing conditions can be obtained. The need and value of community cooperation in solving guidance problems was stressed.

A second general point which came up for attention several times was the need for the counselor to be the master, not the servant, of his techniques. He should be thoroughly trained in the techniques of the profession, but he should not allow attention to technique to destroy his perspective in dealing with individual cases. The aim of guidance is not the development of techniques in themselves but the counseling of youngsters who are helped to know themselves better, to realize their potentialities, to see their way into the future more clearly.

GUIDANCE PRACTICES.

From the point of view of the administration of guidance, the need for continuity in the guidance program from elementary school through high school was stressed. It was apparent that much guidance work is being carried on at the elementary school level in various communities. While no uniform set of practices has been so widely adopted that general statements can be made regarding the extent or specific content of elementary school guidance, there was unanimity in regard to the necessity for recognizing, studying, and treating the problems of the individual at this level.

The junior high years were recognized as a crucial period in the life of the young adolescent during which adequate guidance services are vitally essential. One large city system reported the development of a cooperative work-study program for those junior high school pupils who are potential early school leavers.

A point which received much attention at the senior high level was the guidance of those about to enter employment. In preparation for this convention much study had been given to the attitudes of the young worker on his first job. Inability to get along with others and failure to assume responsibility were reported as the chief causes of failure. The matter of placement and follow-up were discussed thoroughly. Our own system has developed techniques for this work far in advance of those in use in most of the school systems of the country.

GUIDANCE IN LARGE SCHOOL SYSTEMS.

Group discussions, for the most part unscheduled, were carried on by those concerned with guidance in large city school systems. Some of the matters in regard to which constructive suggestions were developed were the in-service training of counselors, the place of classroom teachers in the overall guidance program, the continuity of the program throughout the system, guidance contributions to the curriculum, and the development of new methods and materials.

It is a pleasure to report that, throughout the convention, in the description of established practice, in the proposals for new methods and materials, in reports of current research, there was only one objective: better tools and better methods to help the individual child.

Respectfully submitted,

ARNOLD L. GANLEY, ED.D.

TRANSFER OF APPROPRIATIONS.

The Mayor has approved the following request for transfer of appropriations:

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Water Division.

From 260, Repairs and Maintenance of Buildings and Structures, $2,000, to 711, Extension and Improvements of Water Mains, $2,000.

From 260, Repairs and Maintenance of Buildings and Structures, $5,300, to 711, Extensions and Improvements of Water Mains, $5,300.

CHANGE IN CONTRACTS.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

W. H. Hughes Electric Service has been ordered to make the following change in the contract for the Philip H. Sheridan School:

Replace conduit between switchboard and cabinet on first floor for the sum of $67, and the amount of $67 will be added therefor, making the account as follows: contract price, $1,400; total additions, $67; amount of contract, $1,467.

CITY TO RECEIVE FEDERAL GRANT FOR REDEVELOPMENT OF SOUTH END.

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Scheduled for completion in three years, the project will contain over $10,000,000 worth of new buildings and is regarded as the first step in Boston's "face-lifting" program.

The Boston Housing Authority Urban Redevelopment Division has made public the salient features of the first urban redevelopment project in Boston with circulation of the following information:

Name: "New York Streets" Project. (So termed because many of the streets in the district have names of New York municipalities.)

Location: Bounded by Albany, Dover, and Washington streets and the New Haven Railroad.

Total Area: About 24 acres, including streets. Approximately 16 acres for disposal and redevelopment after clearance.

Total Assessed Valuation: About $2.4 million, less $260,000 which is tax-exempt. (It has declined 17 per cent in the past ten years, $506,000 since 1941.)

Character of the District: Predominantly residential. Inharmonious commercial and industrial uses.

Its Present Condition: Largely substandard dwellings. Excessive land coverage and population density. Deteriorated property values. Narrow streets. Commonly considered a "blighted district" in which further deterioration is inevitable unless a program of redevelopment is undertaken.

Public Agency in Charge of Project: Urban Redevelopment Division of the Boston Housing Authority. (Owen A. Gallagher, Chairman of the Authority; Kane Simonian, Chief of Urban Redevelopment.)

Federal and State Laws: Federal—Housing Act of 1949 (Public Law 171, 81st Congress). State—Sections 26 JJ-MM, Chapter 121, General Laws.

Purposes of the Project: To redevelop a decadent urban district, to eliminate slums, and to provide maximum opportunity for industrial development.

Net Project Cost: About $4.3 million. (Represents gross cost less $750,000 from resale of land.)

Division of Cost: Federal government will make a capital grant of two thirds, or about $2.9 million. City of Boston will finance the balance, or about $1.4 million. City's share will consist in part of site improvement and provision of public facilities and the balance will be in cash.

Number of Families Affected: About 600. The law requires relocation of these families. All except a few will be accommodated in public housing projects.

Initial Procedure: The Authority will take the property by eminent domain (except for a few industrial properties which will be allowed to remain). It will demolish existing buildings, lay out new street pattern, do the necessary landscaping, and lay out new parcels of land for industrial development.

Disposal of Land: The new parcels, totaling 16 acres in area, will be offered for sale or long-term lease to private individuals or firms at fair value of the land. Purchasers will develop the parcels under restrictions as to use, area, etc., prescribed by the Authority.

There will be no public expenditure for development of the land; it will be entirely in the hands of private enterprise. After ownership of the land passes into private hands, there will be no tax concessions.

Industrial Advantages: Accessibility—the district is close to the heart of the city, within one mile of financial, wool, leather, insurance, retail trade, and garment districts. The Central Artery will run immediately south of the district and connect with it. Rapid transit lines will serve it. Freedom from traffic congestion—there will be wider and better laid out streets and provision for off-street loading and parking. Nearness of labor supply.

Anticipated Results: Creation of an ideal area for light industry. Better living for people now residing in the district. Increased property values that will more than repay city expenditures. More than $4,000,000 in new tax values are anticipated.

Approvals Necessary: Mayor and City Council. State Housing Board. Housing and Home Finance Agency (Federal Agency).

REPORT OF REGINA I. DRISCOLL, ASSISTANT IN CHARGE, CLASSES FOR CONSERVATION OF EYESIGHT.

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Mr. Bigelow said, eye diseases such as glaucoma and cataract take their heaviest toll.

Mrs. Claire Burrell, Acting Director, Bureau for the Education of the Physically Handicapped, New York City, outlined the extent to which that city is caring for visual problems in the schools. There are 85 Sight Saving Classes caring for 1,073 pupils. Of this number 67 classes are for elementary children, 12 for junior high, and 6 for senior high. There are 85 specially trained teachers for this work, and all teachers are expected to cooperate.

Placement of pupils in Sight Saving Classes should be the joint responsibility of ophthalmologists and educators. The total needs of a child should be considered.

"Aids for Children with Subnormal Vision" was the subject of a talk by Dr. Howard F. Haines, Clinical Instructor at Ohio State University. His conclusion was that visual training cannot be preplanned as each case is different.

The morning session of March 17 was devoted to a consideration of the opportunities for nurses to conserve the sight of the whole family. Prenatal care, care for the vision of the preschool child, and visual difficulties of the aged are part of the work of public health nurses. Preschool visual screening was recommended.

Miss Antoinette E. Colasurda, R.N., Supervisor, Prevention of Blindness Service, Commission for the Blind, New York State Department of Social Welfare, referred to the findings of the St. Louis vision testing program. Some of the recommendations were that testing should be done by trained personnel, findings should be interpreted to parents and that there should be adequate follow up.

Industry should maintain an effective eye program, eye hazards should be checked, competent medical services provided, and adequate illumination installed.

The happiest note of the conference was the announcement by Dr. Jonathan T. Lanman, Professor of Pediatrics at the New York Medical Center, that the cause of retrolental fibroplasia, a blinding disease that strikes tiny infants, may possibly be discovered in the use of too much oxygen. Studies made during the past two years at the Bellevue Medical Center show that a very restricted use of oxygen has brought a sharp decrease in the incidence of retrolental fibroplasia. It is now hoped that in time this disease may be eliminated.

D. Irving H. Leopold, Director of Research, Wills Eye Hospital, Philadelphia, spoke of the use of many of the new drugs. He warned that knowledge of the toxic effects of these drugs lags far behind beneficial effects.

Reports given at this conference showed great progress in combating eye diseases has been made through research work.

Respectfully submitted,

REGINA I. DRISCOLL,
Assistant in Charge, Conservation of Eyesight Classes.

GAS MAIN IN COLLINS STREET, HYDE PARK.

The Public Improvement Commission has voted as follows:

That permission be granted to Worcester Gas Light Company, 1176 River street, Hyde Park, to place and maintain an underground structure (4-inch welded steel gas main) in Collins street, Hyde Park, at Clare avenue, and continuing easterly for a distance of approximately 225 feet, terminating at a point near Bradlee street, substantially as shown on a plan marked "Proposed Extension of 225 Feet of 4-Inch Welded Steel Gas Main on Collins Street, Between Clare Avenue and Bradlee Street, Hyde Park, Worcester Gas Light Company, April 26, 1955," and filed in the office of the Commissioner of Public Works.

The Commissioner of Public Works is hereby authorized to issue permits for opening and occupying the street for placing and maintaining said main, under the conditions set forth in the City Ordinances, and such other terms and conditions as the said commissioner may deem proper.

The work of locating said main to be subject to the approval of said Public Works Commissioner, and the street above referred to is to be kept open for both pedestrian and vehicular traffic during the laying and construction of said main.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway resurfacing, estimated to be thirty (30) days, vehicles are excluded from the following street, effective May 6, 1955:

Dimock Street, Roxbury.

From Washington street to Amory street.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees:

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

William J. Pendergast, 352 Beech street, Roslindale, working foreman lineman and cable splicer, has been retired at $3,293.33 a year.

William H. McAndrew, 112 Landseer street, West Roxbury, lieutenant, has been retired at $3,293.33 a year.

Franklin B. Sanborn, 55 Boylston street, Jamaica Plain, deputy chief, has been retired at $5,000 a year.

Thomas M. Manning, 23 Sherbrook street, West Roxbury, captain, has been retired at $3,746.67 a year.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

For the week ending May 10:

The following provisional employees have been appointed:

Anne T. Buckley, 21 Mansur street, Jamaica Plain, Mary L. Callahan, 4 Sumner street, Dorchester, Concetta M. DeStefano, 91 Jamaica street, Jamaica Plain, Elizabeth F. Hall, 20 South Huntington avenue, Marie Hetherington, 931 Harrison avenue, Helen E. Kenney, 116 Eustis street, Roxbury, Lillian M. McKinney, 271 Cabot street, Roxbury, Elaine T. Mone, 10 Lambert street, Roxbury, Gertrude C. O'Brien, 19 Fuller street, Dorchester, Katherine H. Parsons, 234 Gold street, South Boston, Gladys Russo, 9 Shirley street, Petronella B. Stukas, 220 West Sixth street, South Boston, Joseph P. Timmons, 75 Cambridge street, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; George R. Keough, 112 Pembroke street, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week; Philip Velanski, 21 O'Callaghan Way, South Boston, elevator operator, $43 a week.

The following weekly nurses have been appointed:

Permanent.—Patricia Johnson, 68 Willowwood street, Dorchester, floor nurse, $1.60 an hour; Barbara Kerwin, 63 High Rock street, Lynn, floor nurse, $60.50 a week.

Temporary.—Elizabeth S. Blake, 64 Friend street, Revere, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour; Louise Blanchard, 31 Eaton street, East Milton, floor nurse, $45 a week; Marie J. Kelleher, 12 Tappan street, Melrose, floor nurse, $1 an hour; Catherine Powers, 29 West Eagle street, East Boston, Jerril Walsh, 209 Norfolk street, Dorchester, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour.

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—Robert E. Humphrey, 166 Main street, Charlestown, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; Marion M. Antonelli, 824 Washington street, Brookline, medical social worker, $83.50 a week; Marcia Burbank, 11 East Newton street, Mary J. Finigian, 182 Washington street, Dorchester, floor nurses, $60.50 a week.

Temporary.—Mary M. Beatty, 7 Taft street, Dorchester, Helena P. Bird, 108 Mt. Pleasant avenue, Roxbury, Grace H. Flannery, 712 East Sixth street, South Boston, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; William Whitman, 119 Sutherland road, Brighton, medical social worker, $65.50 a week; James O'Connor, 241

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING MAY 17.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Josephine Panico	115 Adams street	15	Alterations, dwelling	$900
Alexander Melloul	354 Adams street	16	Alterations, dwelling, funerals	500
J. Florina	1 Allen street	3	Fire escape, dwelling	200
Haynes Memorial	296 Allston street	21	Alterations, hospital	10,000
John Newman	40 American Legion Highway.	14	Alterations, dwelling	450
Elias Mathews	25 Arch street	3	Alterations, store, office	150
L. Johnson	24 Atherton avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	900
A. W. Perry, Inc.	655 Atlantic avenue	3	Alterations, stores, office	800
A. W. Perry, Inc.	655 Atlantic avenue	3	Alterations, stores, office	1,000
Nora Cremins	97 Baxter street	6	Alterations, dwelling	575
Orlando Vitagliano	1014 Bennington street	1	Alterations, store	140
A. Addonizzio	1209 Bennington street	1	Alterations, dwelling	400
A. W. Perry, Inc.	414–26 Boylston street	3	Alterations, store, office	800
Westinghouse Electric	95 Brookline avenue	21	Sign, office, storage	95
Mrs. Steward	135 Brooks street	1	Alterations, dwelling	300
Harry Laria	30 Cambridge street	3	Sign, hotel	200
Max's Market, Inc.	171 Cambridge street	3	Sign, store, dwelling	200
Julie Spike	56 Carrolton road	20	Alterations, dwelling	400
Sears Roebuck	1834 Centre street	20	Sign, store	200
A. Williams	7 Circuit street	12	Alterations, dwelling	350
Nora Fahy	10 Clifford street	18	Alterations, dwelling	900
John Panarello	28 Colonial avenue	17	Alterations, dwelling	280
A. Bestany	6 Columbus avenue	4	Sign, tavern, garage	150
Anthony Capozzi	42 Como road	17	Alterations, dwelling	400
Day Trust Company	111 Devonshire street	3	Alterations, bank, offices	65
I. Grossman	70 East Canton street	9	Alterations, dwelling	75
Gerade Cellucci	25 Etna street	22	Alterations, dwelling	300
Frank Conti	23 Eutaw street	1	Alterations, dwelling	425
Eugene Mannetta	141 Falcon street	1	Alterations, dwelling	300
S. D'Amico	203 Falcon street	1	Fire escape, dwelling	250
General Building Trust	75 Federal street	3	Alterations, bank, office	135
St. Botolph Holding Company	5 Gainsborough street	4	Take-down, dwelling	500
St. Botolph Holding Company	7 Gainsborough street	4	Take-down, dwelling	500
Edward R. Domin	219 Gold street	6	Take-down, dwelling	150
Frank DiCenso	24 Helena road	16	Alterations, dwelling	210
Louis LaBeer	4 Henrici street	18	Alterations, dwelling	50
Anna Dempsey	9 Homes avenue	15	Alterations, dwelling	1,800
John Antonelli	26 Hopedale street	21	Alterations, dwelling	900
National Docks	25 Lewis street	1	Alterations, storage	1,000
Luciano Bartolomeo	57 Leyden street	1	Alterations, dwelling	800
Martin Kelley	35 Lindall street	19	Alterations, dwelling	500
Benny Marro	62 London street	1	Fire escape, dwelling	85
Frank Albanese	64 London street	1	Fire escape, dwelling	85
Mary Tully	34 Lonsdale street	16	Alterations, dwelling	900
Gertrude Miller	14 Magnolia square	13	Alterations, dwelling	925
Walter Killoran	14 Malcolm road	19	Alterations, dwelling	400
Ann Lawton	26 Maryland street	13	Alterations, dwelling	500
Edward Antoniewicz	25 Milton avenue	17	Alterations, dwelling	1,260
Lena Wernick	736 Morton street	14	Alterations, dwelling	450
Bernard and Gertrude Kirk	31 Monument avenue	2	Alterations, dwelling	75
R. C. Archbishop of Boston	103 Mt. Pleasant avenue	8	Take-down, school	600
Neponset Nursing Home	337 Neponset avenue	16	Fire escape, nursing home	450
Boston Real Estate Trust	45 Newbury street	5	Alterations, store, office	82
Sheiva Macycore	9 Nightingale street	14	Alterations, dwelling	300
William T. Moore	23 Nixon street	17	Alterations, dwelling	200
Lawrence Florentina	222 North Harvard street	21	Alterations, dwelling	475
Robert Kelly	138 Norwell street	14	Alterations, dwelling	685
Feinberg & Sklar	120 Olney street	14	Alterations, dwelling	400
Mary J. Tansey	63 Orchardhill road	11	Alterations, dwelling	310
Joseph Leary	556 Park street	16	Alterations, dwelling	335
Federal Reserve Bank	30 Pearl street	3	Alterations, bank	1,500
Piedmont Realty Inc.	40–44 Piedmont street	5	Alterations, office	900
Oscar Markowsky	39 Pomeroy street	21	Alterations, dwelling	980
Olin Ambrose	17 Princeton street	1	Fire escape, dwelling	300
L. Werman	1200 River street	18	Alterations, store	372
Ida Gruber	20 Savin street	12	Alterations, dwelling	400
George Marquis	5 Sparhawk street	22	Fire escape, dwelling	300
Max and Mary Werrick	77 Stratton street	14	Alterations, dwelling	950
Lela Turner	26 Taft street	13	Alterations, dwelling	180
Frank Powers	47 Tremlett street	17	Alterations, dwelling	300
Gilda Varvero	24 Trenton street	1	Alterations, dwelling	45
Robert Futa	154 Trenton street	1	Alterations, dwelling	300
Dominic Corbett	30 Union avenue	19	Alterations, dwelling	300
Louis Kibler	12 Verona street	11	Alterations, dwelling	75
Louis Kibler	16 Verona street	11	Alterations, dwelling	100
Louis Green	43 and 45 Wallingford road	22	Alterations, dwelling	350
Codman Properties, Inc.	556 Washington street	17	Alterations, store	120
Jacob Backer	227 and 229 West Ninth st.	7	Alterations, dwelling	190
Adams Company, Inc.	23 Weston street	9	Fire escape, dwelling	80
Adams Company, Inc.	27 Weston street	9	Fire escape, dwelling	80
Boston School Department	75 West Newton street	9	Fire escape, school	125
Joseph Ringrose	21 Wheatland avenue	17	Alterations, dwelling	285
Hilda Pearl	12 Winston road	14	Alterations, dwelling	220
Hyman Shostack	240 Almont street	18	Alterations, dwelling	500
Irving Babener	19 Babson street	18	Alterations, dwelling	600
Wallace Sanderson	124 Birch street	20	Alterations, dwelling	750
Sharaff's, Inc.	125 Broadway	5	Alterations, bakery	650
Boston Penny Savings Bank	532 Commonwealth avenue	5	Alterations, bank, shops	225
Catherine Lyons	837 Cummins Highway	18	Alterations, dwelling	250
Alice Green	6 Don street	14	Alterations, dwelling	500
George Perry	28 Fernboro street	14	Alterations, dwelling	1,400
Henry Bromberg	32 Gleason street	14	Alterations, dwelling	100
Fiore DeChristoforo	331 Hanover street	3	Alterations, store, dwelling	250
Leo Swartz	163 Lamartine street	19	Alterations, tavern	85
William Whidden, Jr.	46 Oakton avenue	16	Alterations, dwelling	980
Joseph Zeletsky	32 Saxton street	13	Alterations, dwelling	75
Agnes McMahon	Rear 8 Woodglen place	18	Take-down, shed	400
Mary A. Breen	177 Wren street	20	Alterations, dwelling	250
Madeline Daunt	66 and 68 Adamson street	22	Garage	800

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING MAY 17.—Continued.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Mutual Serv. Construction..	35 Aliano road	20	Dwelling	$9,000
Mutual Serv. Construction..	39 Aliano road	20	Dwelling	9,000
George DeAngelis	600 American Legion H'way	18	Dwelling	8,000
George Richards	10 Amesbury street	20	Dwelling	8,000
Rugus Wornum	30 Arnold street	9	Shop, garage	26,910
Thomas Geraghty	29 Asheville road	18	Dwelling	10,000
Fur Merchants Cold Storage.	717 and 719 Atlantic avenue	3	Alterations, storage	2,000
Patrick O'Donnell	25 Bailey street	17	Dwelling	38,000
Charles Malta	76 Baker street	20	Dwelling	9,000
Charles Malta	78 Baker street	20	Dwelling	9,000
C. & D. Jesseau	242 Baker street	20	Alterations, dwelling	580
Assoc. Evan. Luth. Church..	670 Baker street	20	Alterations, storage	None
S. Clifford Speed	107 Beacon street	5	Alterations, dwelling	$1,800
Dryco Properties	701–705 Beacon street	5	Alterations, manufacturing, display	12,000
Elmore Trust Company	777–781 Beacon street	21	Fire repairs, theatre	5,000
John D'Alessandro	848 Beacon street	21	Alterations, lodging house	None
Andrew Canning	15 Beekct street	16	Dwelling	$9,200
John E. O'Neill	31 Belle avenue	20	Dwelling	8,000
John E. O'Neill	35 Belle avenue	20	Dwelling	8,000
New England Telephone and Telegraph Company.	41 Belvidere street	4	Alterations, office	200,000
Merchants Warehouse	131 Beverly street	3	Alterations, warehouse	3,000
William and Mary Tobin	67 Bloomfield street	17	Alterations, dwelling	None
New England Telephone and Telegraph Company.	6 Bowdoin square	3	Telephone exchange, office	$30,000
International Hotels	62 Boylston street	3	Alterations, hotel	1,000
Elpaneo, Inc	1161 Boylston street	5	Storage, office	30,000
Samuel Gondelman	50 Brockton street	18	Alterations, dwelling	1,500
H. D. & R. T. Yanco	44 Bronx road	20	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Joseph Auclair	51 Caledonian avenue	20	Dwelling, garage	10,000
United Farmers Co-op	142 Cambridge street	2	Alterations, garage	3,500
Joseph Pritchard	52 Cedar Grove street	16	Dwelling	9,000
Eldon Schofield	24 Cemo road	20	Dwelling	9,000
Abraham Kaplan	678–682 Centre street	19	Alterations, stores	20,000
Thomas Timmins	955 Centre street	19	Alterations, dwelling	2,000
John Capozzi	69 Charles street	18	Dwelling	8,000
United States Gypsum	600 Chelsea street	2	Sign, manufacturing	880
John Bevilaqua	43 Chisholm road	18	Dwelling, garage	9,000
John Bevilaqua	47 Chisholm road	18	Dwelling, garage	9,000
John Bevilaqua	51 Chisholm road	18	Dwelling, garage	11,000
Edward Zak	8 Coleman street	18	Dwelling	10,000
Dorchester Savings Bank	570 and 572 Columbia road	13	Alterations, banking	177,000
Pearl's Realty Corporation Boston.	305 Columbus avenue	4	Alterations, manufacturing	10,000
Gibbs Realty Investments	1000 and 1002 Columbus avenue.	9	Lubritorium, office	12,000
Benjamin James Goralnick	1250 Columbus avenue	11	Alterations, manufacturing	300
Abraham Sheroff	11 Common street	3	Alterations, shop, storage	450
Algonquin Club	217 Commonwealth avenue.	5	Alterations, club	18,000
528 Realty Company	528 Commonwealth avenue.	5	Alterations, restaurant, office	2,800
Ernest Dietz	708 Commonwealth avenue.	21	Alterations, lodging house	None
Boston Edison Company	1207 Commonwealth avenue	21	Alterations, power station	$1,500
Israel Siegel	1394 and 1396 Commonwealth avenue.	21	Alterations, dwelling, store	1,000
Mario Corsi	36 Como road	18	Dwelling	9,000
Mario Corsi	38 Como road	18	Dwelling	8,600
Mario Corsi	40 Como road	18	Dwelling	8,600
Frank Verano	84 Como road	18	Alterations, dwelling	320
Valentino Caruso	101 Como road	18	Dwelling	8,000
Ellis Pelley	144 Corey street	20	Dwelling, garage	9,000
Michael and Nathan Ross	249 Corey road	21	Convalescent home	135,000
P. J. Madigan	264 Corey street	20	Dwelling	12,000
George Cummins	36 Cornell street	18	Dwelling	8,294
Clarence Taylor	2 Cresthill road	22	Dwelling	9,000
Saratoga Realty Trust	430 D street	6	Garage, repair shop	22,000
Robert C. Schoener	76 Dale street	18	Dwelling	9,800
Joseph Casigene	40 Daly street	16	Dwelling	11,000
James Bjornsen	70 Dent street	20	Dwelling	9,672
Benjamin Cushing	81 Dorchester avenue	6	Garage	1,863
Thomas F. Ryan	24 Dunckle street	22	Garage	1,000
Robert Molloy	68 East street	15	Alterations, office	30
Joseph McCabe	509 East First street	6	Alterations, offices	3,500
Joseph Ansaldi	25A Eliot street	19	Dwelling	10,000
Motor Mart Garage	60–72 Eliot street	5	Alterations, garage, stores	None
William Frazer	49 Fairview street	20	Alterations, dwelling	None
A. P. Levin	172–180 Federal street	3	Sign, restaurant, store, office	$4,000
Minot, DeBlois, Maddison	125–131 Federal street	3	Fire repair, store, office	3,000
William and Israel Roulo	1 and 3 Flint place	7	Fire escape, dwelling	200
Public Works Department Boston.	327 Forest Hills street	11	Trucks	70,000
Franciscan Missionary Sisters	172 Foster street	22	Alterations, convent	None
Albert Homsy	35 and 37 Freeman avenue	20	Dwelling	$20,000
Mass. General Hospital	55 Fruit street	3	Alterations, hospital	5,000
Mass. General Hospital	59 Fruit street	3	Alterations, hospital	20,000
Thomas Tedeschi	80 Fulda street	11	Fire escape, dwelling	2,200
David Brown Trust	149 Fuller street	17	Dwelling	8,100
Cataldo Realty Company	97 and 99 Fulton street	3	Fire repair, storage	2,500
Manuel Kashkashian	130 G street	7	Fire repair, dwelling	155
George Waite	61 Glendower road	18	Dwelling	10,000
Stuart Hastings	33 Gloucester street	5	Alterations, dwelling	6,000
John J. Connolly	3 Gould street	20	Dwelling	9,000
John J. Connolly	7 Gould street	20	Dwelling	9,000
Harry Harke	184 Greenfield road	18	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
G. S. & T. P. Saegh	223 Grove street	20	Office	14,000
Hooston Realty Trust	39 Gwinnett street	18	Dwelling	8,000
Harry Happnie	62 Hamilton street	18	Dwelling	10,000
Salvatore and Alice Renzullo	276 Hanover street	3	Alterations, dwelling, store	2,500
J. Kepnes	15 and 17 Hampden street	8	Alterations, storage	3,000
Boston City Hospital	810 Harrison avenue	8	Alterations, hospital	18,000
Jules Cossette	25 Haviland road	20	Dwelling	8,000
Jules Cossette	29 Haviland road	20	Dwelling	8,000
Arthur Ryley	72 Hawthorne street	20	Dwelling	10,000
Harry J. Carson	266 Hebron street	18	Dwelling	9,000
Harry J. Carson	270 Hebron street	18	Dwelling	9,000

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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Centre street, Dorchester, ambulance medical aid, $53 a week; Janice Epstein, 86 East Newton street, Gwendolyn Tweedale, 11 East Newton street, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour; Walter E. Carrigan, 75 Elm street, Malden, resident surgeon, $2,264 a year.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following appointments:

Administrative Services Department.

Printing Section.

Josephine F. Fogg, 19 Terrace avenue, Newton Highlands, proofreader, $96.25 a week.

Solomon Baker, 15 Dumas street, Dorchester, job pressman, $89.23 a week.

Raymond Rourke, 2 Marston road, Walpole, monotype caster operator, $96.25 a week.

Assessing Department.

Jeannette M. Bonnevie (English), 145 Pinckney street, statistical machine operator, $48 a week.

Boston Traffic Commission.

Edmund C. Burke, 60 Robinwood avenue, Jamaica Plain, traffic sign maintenance man, $55.50 a week.

George J. Aiken, 475 Sumner street, East Boston, traffic sign maintenance man, $55.50 a week.

Domenic H. Toto, 59 Hull street, traffic sign maintenance man, $55.50 a week.

Salvatore Saldi, 108 Chelsea street, East Boston, traffic sign maintenance man, $55.50 a week.

John A. McKillop, 13 Dwight street, traffic sign maintenance man, $55.50 a week.

William J. Decourcy, 77 Rockview street, Jamaica Plain, traffic sign maintenance man, $55.50 a week.

Charles J. Lynch, 247 Cornell street, Roslindale, traffic sign maintenance man, $55.50 a week.

Arthur A. Callahan, 48 Pierce avenue, Dorchester, traffic sign maintenance man, $55.50 a week.

Elmer A. McFee, 253 Cummins Highway, Roslindale, traffic sign maintenance man, $55.50 a week.

Lawrence J. Gatto, 15 Thacher street, traffic sign maintenance man, $55.50 a week.

Alfonso Guarnaccia, 21 Charter street, traffic sign maintenance man, $55.50 a week.

Thomas M. Healy, 59 G street, South Boston, traffic sign maintenance man, $55.50 a week.

James P. Dillon, 3 Lexington avenue, Charlestown, traffic sign maintenance man, $55.50 a week.

Salvatore Eorvino, 95 Poplar street, traffic sign maintenance man, $55.50 a week.

Samuel Yanoff, 690 Blue Hill avenue, Dorchester, traffic sign maintenance man, $55.50 a week.

Fire Department.

Anne Marie Grafton, 259 West Third street, South Boston, clerk and stenographer, $43 a week.

Health Department.

David Zax, 533 Washington street, Dorchester, public health dentist, $80 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Long Island Division.

Rosemary L. Clark, 2 Sutherland road, Brookline, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Paul McKenna, 21 Garth road, West Roxbury, hospital guard, $58 a week.

Veronica Harrington, Long Island Hospital, licensed practical nurse, $53 a week.

Marion Fougere, 78 Grampian Way, Dorchester, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Abram L. Rose, 23 East Elm street, Wollaston, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Gerald E. Shock, 23 East Elm street, Wollaston, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Merwyn Hassell, 23 East Elm street, Wollaston, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

James N. Latford, 23 East Elm street, Wollaston, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Thomas Lennon, 33 Franklin Hill avenue, Dorchester, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

House of Correction.

Ralph P. Dowling, 250 West Fifth street, South Boston, correction officer, $63 a week.

Henry E. Hickey, 1 Joyce-Hayes Way, South Boston, correction officer, $63 a week.

Raymond G. Wallace, 55 Moseley street, correction officer, $63 a week.

Charles F. Verno, 3 Grayson street, Dorchester, correction officer, $63 a week.

Paul J. Madison, 403 East Fifth street, South Boston, correction officer, $63 a week.

Bresci DiBiccari, 149 Trenton street, East Boston, correction officer, $63 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Mildred M. O'Neill, 84 Clarkson street, Dorchester, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following appointments or reinstatements:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Printing Section.

Joseph Herlihy, 1 O'Reilly Way, Charlestown, cylinder pressman, $93.86 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Francis J. Cleggett, 523 Tremont street, first-class steam fireman, $65.50 a week.

Dr. Edward H. Kass, Thorndike Memorial Laboratory, Boston City Hospital, assistant physician, $397 a month.

Sanatorium Division.

George Scott, 22 School street, Charlestown, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

John Durkin, 234 Calumet street, Roxbury, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

Daniel Maguire, 30 Bickford street, Jamaica Plain, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

John J. Smith, 19 Elder street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $50.50 a week.

Claire Peatfield, 69 Prospect street, Hyde Park, senior clerk and stenographer, $55.50 a week.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING MAY 17.—Concluded.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Ralph Germano	6 Hemman street	18	Garage, dwelling	$8,000
Ralph Germano	10 Hemman street	18	Garage, dwelling	8,000
C. W. Whittier & Brothers	10 High street	3	Alterations, office, stores	100,000
Edward Anton	63 Highland street	18	Dwelling	8,000
Lawson L. Riley	171 Humboldt avenue	12	Alterations, dwelling	5,000
Socony Vacuum Company	541 Huntington avenue	4	Alterations, gas station	3,000
Grace Loud Corporation	1800 Hyde Park avenue	18	Gas station	13,000
American Sugar Refinery	13 India Wharf	3	Fire repair	5,000
Daniel J. Coll	383 K street	7	Fire escape, dwelling	600
Anthony Pino	26 Kennebec street	18	Dwelling	14,000
Charles J. O'Malley	84 Keystone street	20	Dwelling	8,000
Charles J. O'Malley	88 Keystone street	20	Dwelling	8,000
Jacob F. Rank, Trustee	82 and 84 Kilsyth road	21	Alterations, dwelling	300
York Realty Company	154 and 156 Kneeland street	3	Fruit terminal	13,000
R. C. Archbishop of Boston	127 Lake street	22	Alterations, office, bedrooms	3,000
Henry Longval	72 Lasell street	20	Dwelling	8,000
Angelo DiStefano	71 and 73 Lexington street	1	Alterations, store, dwelling	None
City of Boston	195 Leyden street	1	Alterations, school	$300,000
Esther Levine	35 and 37 Lorne street	14	Alterations, dwelling, office	None
Michael Carrabes	75 Mariposa street	18	Dwelling	$9,504
Frank and Anthony Cacchiotti.	407 Marlborough street	5	Alterations, dwelling	8,000
Domenic Salvati	424 Marlborough street	5	Alterations, dwelling, store	1,500
Christina Smith	62 Mascot street	14	Alterations, dwelling	300
Mr. Boston Distiller, Inc.	1006–18 Massachusetts avenue.	8	Sign, distillery, storage	2,000
Salvatore Durante	169 Maverick street	1	Alterations, dwelling, store	1,500
Cassie DeMarzo	208 Maverick street	1	Alterations, dwelling	None
B. B. & A. E. Thurman	424–428 Medford street	2	Truck terminal	$14,000
Joseph Campisi	476 Metropolitan avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	3,000
New England Telephone & Telegraph Company.	119–125 Milk street	3	Alterations, telephone, exchange, office	20,000
Anthony Rahwan	91 and 93 Minden street	10	Alterations, store, dwelling	None
George Hanright	33 and 35 Montcalm avenue	22	Alterations, dwelling	None
James and John Graykin	53 Montvale street	20	Alterations, dwelling	None
Mary K. Riley	33 Minot street	16	Alterations, dwelling	$1,200
J. John Keohane	235 Moss Hill road	19	Dwelling, garage	10,000
L. & G. Realty	23 Mt. Pleasant avenue	8	Alterations, dwelling	None
L. & G. Realty	25 Mt. Pleasant avenue	8	Alterations, dwelling	None
L. & G. Realty	27 Mt. Pleasant avenue	8	Alterations, dwelling	None
L. & G. Realty	29 Mt. Pleasant avenue	8	Alterations, dwelling	None
Patrick and Catherine Logue	3 Mt. Vernon street	17	Alterations, dwelling	$650
City of Boston	325 Mt. Vernon street	13	School	980,000
Philip Goff	40 Myopia road	18	Dwelling	9,000
Handschumacher, Inc.	48 North street	3	Alterations, manufacturing, (meat)	200
Pier Grille, Inc	199 Northern avenue	6	Alterations, restaurant	850
John and James Carroll	26 North Market street	3	Sign, stores	950
W. A. MacDonald	32 Oakton avenue	16	Dwelling	9,000
Anna Hamilton	33 Orchard street	19	Alterations, dwelling	2,000
Emmanuela Moscaritola	60 and 62 Orient avenue	1	Alterations, dwelling	5,200
Ralph DeStefano	194 Orient avenue	1	Dwelling	10,000
Giuseppi and Filippa DiPerri	12 Paris street	1	Alterations, dwelling	None
Thomas McGreevy	11 Pelton street	20	Dwelling, garage	$9,000
Charles L. Brown	3 Perthshire road	22	Garage	2,000
Children's Museum	100 Pond street	19	Alterations, museum	20,000
Salvatore Casso	69 Prince street	3	Fire repairs, store, dwelling, office	500
Dominic Poli	191 Princeton street	1	Alterations, store, dwelling	1,500
Nicholas Grassa	6 Queen street	16	Alterations, dwelling	900
George Kadehjian et al	59–75 Queensberry street	5	Alterations, garage, shop sales	None
Morton Wolf	745 River street	18	Hospital, kennels	$15,000
Henry Poydar	1148 and 1150 River street	18	Store	17,000
Joseph Cangeone	33 Rosselerin road	16	Dwelling	9,000
Janie Henton	12 Roxbury court	9	Fire repairs, dwelling	995

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Joan Sullivan, 128 Ward street, Roxbury, statistical machine operator, $45.50 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following reinstatement:

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

M. Virginia Jones, 105 West Springfield street, social worker, $73 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following changes in status:

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Marguerite L. Neville, 34 Winthrop street, Charlestown, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior clerk (temporary transfer) at $55.50 a week.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Vincent A. Bolger, Jr., 50 Shepton street, Dorchester, from fire lieutenant at $90.61 a week to fire captain at $102.68 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

John E. Ridge, 198 D street, South Boston, from hospital laundry worker at $45.50 a week to hospital house worker at $45.50 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Bridge Division.

John J. McCall, 16 Sayward street, Dorchester, from assistant division engineer at $141.14 semimonthly to division engineer (temporary) at $155.75 semimonthly.

Highway Division.

James P. Hooley, 75 Glen road, Jamaica Plain, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $65.50 a week to laborer at $63 a week.

Roderick G. Maginnis, 275 West Fifth street, South Boston, from junior engineering aid at $63 a week to senior engineering aid (temporary) at $73 a week.

Charles M. Martell, 12 Parkman street, South Boston, from senior civil engineer

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING MAY 17.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
M. Caputo	2 Sefton street	18	New appliances	$75
Edward Mogel	795 Washington street	3	New appliances	12
J. Carey	72 Whitten street	16	New appliances	25
Edward Mogel	18 Wigglesworth street	10	New appliances	30
T. Cady	16 Aldie street	22	New appliances	100
P. Gulesian	44 Charles street	18	New appliances	400
J. Buresh	4 Eldridge road	19	New appliances	32
E. Secatore	113 Eutaw street	1	New appliances	25
A. Granara	37 Fleet street	3	New appliances	175
F. Odenweller	3 Flint place	7	New appliances	24
S. Sawtelle	18 Knowlton street	7	New appliances	25
W. Connell	52 Newcroft Circle	18	New appliances	25
P. Gulesian	23 Pine street	18	New appliances	200
J. Vangil	19 Pitts street	3	New appliances	15
P. Gulesian	23 Sanford street	18	New appliances	200
J. Wilson	39 Soley street	2	New appliances	100
P. Gulesian	23 Tacoma street	18	New appliances	200
J. Marquess	229 West Canton street	4	New appliances	50
P. Gulesian	12 Winborough street	18	New appliances	200
D. Carey	143 Beacon street	5	New appliances	50
D. Horgan	297 Bolton street	6	New appliances	100
W. Long	5 Cambridge terrace	21	New appliances	35
J. McLaughlin	19 Clifford street	18	New appliances	25
M. Eskowitz	67 Columbia road	14	New appliances	50
N. Clark	76 Crescent avenue	13	New appliances	400
D. Horgan	634 Dorchester avenue	7	New appliances	100
D. Horgan	239 Dorchester avenue	7	New appliances	100
E. Carlin	530 East Broadway	6	New appliances	150
J. Long	545 East Eighth street	7	New appliances	50
D. Horgan	582½ East Eighth street	7	New appliances	50
D. Horgan	760 East Eighth street	7	New appliances	100
J. Buresh	20 Fairbury street	13	New appliances	70
J. Wirth	11 Gates street	7	New appliances	65
N. Clark	137 Havre street	1	New appliances	15
A. West	8 Hollander street	12	New appliances	100
W. Hogan	24 Kempton street	10	New appliances	100
D. Horgan	221 L street	7	New appliances	100
H. Slavet	1 Linden court	15	New appliances	200
D. Horgan	47 Mercer street	7	New appliances	100
N. Clark	19 Montfern avenue	22	New appliances	400
N. Clark	14 Morrow road	22	New appliances	400
N. Clark	26 North Crescent Circle	22	New appliances	400
J. Egan	452 Tremont street	5	New appliances	50
W. Horgan	48 Vale street	11	New appliances	100
D. Horgan	219 West Fifth street	6	New appliances	100
D. Horgan	224 West Fifth street	6	New appliances	100
N. Clark	203 West Third street	6	New appliances	400
D. Horgan	282 West Third street	6	New appliances	100
N. Clark	190 Woodrow avenue	14	New appliances	400
J. Egan	16 Worcester square	8	New appliances	100
Marchant	156 Boylston street	5	New appliances	97
Trethewey	57 Bradfield avenue	20	New appliances	200
Cummings	46 Colonial avenue	17	New appliances	14
Greenwood	57 Cottage road	20	New appliances	150
Simon	648 East Seventh street	6	New appliances	42
Fafara	30 Forest street	18	New appliances	900
Trethewey	36 Grandfield street	19	New appliances	200
Alberts	818 Harrison avenue	8	New appliances	100
Alberts	818 Harrison avenue	8	New appliances	100
Carlson	660 Parker street	9	New appliances	150
Odenweller	137 Pearl street	7	New appliances	175
Trethewey	17 Rawston street	18	New appliances	175
Kramer	188 Savin Hill avenue	13	New appliances	425
Weiner	2497 Washington street	12	New appliances	50
Trethewey	643 West Roxbury Parkway	20	New appliances	190
F. Carr	40 Woodlawn street	11	New appliances	100
J. Esterhill	66 Monadnock street	13	New appliances	175
F. Avery	22 Asticou road	19	New appliances	30
F. Avery	55 Call street	19	New appliances	45
W. Chase	66 Chestnut street	10	Pipe size	25
F. Avery	7 Dalrymple street	11	Heaters	50
F. Farrar	36 Falmouth street	4	Heaters	75
F. Avery	1 Glines avenue	11	Heaters	25
F. Avery	3 Glines avenue	11	Heaters	100
F. Avery	23 Halifax street	19	Cookers	10
B. Gold	37 Jersey street	5	Pipe size	25
M. Vitale	44–48 Midway street	6	Furnaces	50
A. Granara	227 North street	3	Ranges	40
P. Lembo	17 Shirley street	8	Ranges	40
W. Broderick	37 West Milton street	18	Heaters	40
G. Speers	20 Bigelow street	22	Heaters	75
M. Gates	6 Castlegate road	14	Heaters	45
A. Granara	23½ Charter street	3	Heaters	50
F. Odenweller	294 D street	6	Ranges	75
D. O'Neill	20 Deckard street	12	Ranges	50
N. Clark	20 Donnybrook road	22	Heaters	75
D. O'Neill	357 Dorchester avenue	7	Heaters	75
D. O'Neill	57 Dudley street	10	Heaters	75
N. Clark	71 Etna street	22	Ranges	50
F. Odenweller	220 Gold street	6	Ranges	40
N. Clark	157 Intervale street	14	Ranges	50
H. Geddis	523 Newbury street	4	Heaters	75
H. Geddis	73 Perham street	20	Heaters	50
N. Clark	488 Quincy street	15	Heaters	45
J. Buresh	133 Tremont street	3	Heaters	55

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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at $121.96 a week to assistant division engineer (temporary) at $141.50 a week.

Leo G. Costello, 18 Spring Valley road, West Roxbury, from junior engineering aid at $63 a week to senior engineering aid (temporary) at $73 a week.

Sanitary Division.

Charles H. Lewis, 40 Williams street, Roxbury, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week to laborer at $58 a week.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

John W. Barry, 107 Montclair avenue, Roslindale, from head clerk at $98.75 a week to head administrative clerk (temporary) at $103.50 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following promotions:

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Joseph T. McGrane, 177 Tudor street, South Boston, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior clerk and typist at $55.50 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Sanatorium Division.

Charles L. Schroth, 14 Brighton street, Charlestown, from hospital house worker at $45.50 a week to senior hospital laundry worker at $53 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following transfer:

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Leonida Onofri, 15 Bennett street, Brighton, from Health Department (Registry Division) as senior clerk and typist at $63 a week to Public Works Department (Highway Division) as senior clerk and typist at $63 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following leaves of absence:

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Joseph L. Owens, 3110 Washington street, Jamaica Plain, senior clerk and typist, $63 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

John G. Downing, M.D., 520 Commonwealth avenue, public health physician (part time), $65 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Long Island Division.

Arthur V. Grace, Long Island Hospital, hospital house worker, $50.50 a week.

STEP-RATE INCREASES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved step-rate increases for employees of the following departments:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Personnel Division.

Eileen E. O'Leary, senior clerk and typist, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Walter J. Kelley, temporary principal accountant, from $103.50 to $108.25 a week.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Robert L. Sullivan, senior fire alarm operator, from $86.59 to $90.61 a week.

Carl DeVasto, lineman, from $67.82 to $70.69 a week.

Robert W. Smith, fire fighter, from $74.71 to $76.63 a week.

Edward W. Deveau, fire fighter, from $74.71 to $76.63 a week.

William C. Dunn, fire fighter, from $74.71 to $76.63 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Highway Division.

Victor Cantillo, highway construction inspector, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

John T. Gorman, principal account clerk (temporary), from $60.08 to $68 a week.

Edward H. Dolan, heavy motor equipment operator and laborer, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

William P. McDermott, heavy motor equipment operator and laborer, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Joseph DelVecchio, paver, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Bernard McLaughlin, paver, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Mario J. Olivieri, paver, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Eugene McAuliffe, motor equipment operator and laborer, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Simone Lazzaro, laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

John F. O'Neill, motor equipment operator and laborer, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

John P. Toohey, laborer, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

George W. Ryan, laborer, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

Joseph W. Rahall, highway construction inspector, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Highway-Lighting Division.

Silvio Saccone, street lighting inspector (temporary), from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Sewer Division.

Vico Alibrandi, senior engineering aid, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Walter H. Thorpe, senior engineering aid, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Water Division.

Peter F. McDonough, water service repairman, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Jerome L. Moore, heavy motor equipment operator and laborer, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

John J. O'Rourke, crane operator, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

Chester Gilmore, elevator operator, from $50.50 to $55.50 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

George F. Krim, principal clerk, from $80 to $76.50 a week.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

William E. Doherty, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following requests:

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

For the week ending May 3:

John G. O'Donnell, heating and ventilating inspector, 5 hours at $3 an hour; Michael J. McElhinney, heating and ventilating inspector, 21 hours at $3 an hour.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

House of Correction.

For the week ending May 3:

Permission has been given to include the following-named employees of the House of Correction on the overtime payroll for the month of April, at not over $3 an hour:

J. B. Connolly, baker-cook, 1 day, $16; H. Flynn, W. Gannon, hospital supervisors, 1 day, $16.70 each; W. Kelley, deputy master, 1 day, $18.80; F. Luciano, officers' cook, 1 day, $16; J. McGowan, assistant deputy master, 1 day, $16; G. O'Halloran, assistant deputy master, 1 day, $16.70.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

For the week ending May 3:

Walter Barringer, 8 hours, $17.40.

VETERANS' RETIREMENTS.

The Mayor has approved the following veterans' applications for retirement:

Daniel Leonard Carney, 705 Metropolitan avenue, Hyde Park, acting first assistant registrar, Registry Division, Health Department.

William F. Kelly, 19 Boardman street, East Boston, head clerk, Sewer Division, Public Works Department.

Clarence A. Knight, 35 Newcastle road, Brighton, lieutenant, Engine Company 31, Fire Department.

Joseph F. Harrington, 60 Bloomfield street, Dorchester, sprinkler inspector, Building Department.

Leo V. Motley, 86 Bay State road, submaster, Samuel Adams School.

Pasquale Lauretti, 16 Wall street, laborer, Sanitary Division, Public Works Department.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM PLUMBING FOR THE WEEK ENDING MAY 17.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
P. Winters	654 Cummins Highway	18	Ranges	$6,000
L. Ruotolo	10 Donnybrook road	21	Ranges	135
Stillman	104 Groveland street	18	Ranges	600
C. Lang	107 Temple street	20	Heaters	60
J. Gleason	84 Theodore Parker road	20	Heaters	100
L. Viso	170 Falcon street	1	Heaters	150
A. Dilorenzo	212 Harrison avenue	3	Heaters	110
P. Russo	136 Harvard avenue	21	Heaters	150
Trethewey	34 Knoll street	20	Heaters	250
McNally	10 Maplewood street	20	Heaters	900
Matthews	20 Meridian street	1	Heaters	350
Imbersino	41 Morton street	11	Heaters	500
Patey	19 Woodland street	19	Heaters	1,500
Sullivan	367 Columbia road	15	Ranges	600
Schmitt	1292 Commonwealth avenue	21	Ranges	1,000
Woodacre	36 Maverick street	1	Ranges	300
Shuman	29 Messinger street	18	Ranges	800
Shuman	30 Messinger street	18	Ranges	900
Whitcombe	30 Pearl street	3	Ranges	2,000
Lucedio	79 Revere street	5	Ranges	65
Russo	36 Rockingham road	18	Ranges	725
Hannigan	6 Sanford street	17	Ranges	550
Kramer	44–46 South street	3	Ranges	150
McGivern	20 Trull street	15	Ranges	200
J. Burke	1192 Blue Hill avenue	14	Ranges	100
A. Milligan	23 Glendower road	18	Ranges	1,000
S. Cohen	7 Harris avenue	19	Ranges	300
A. Milligan	25 Hazelmere road	20	Ranges	1,000
W. Lee	1800 Hyde Park avenue	18	Ranges	1,000
H. Geddis	73 Perham street	20	Ranges	35
A. Milligan	26 Rutledge street	20	Ranges	1,000
C. Bootie	129 South street	3	Ranges	50
R. Murray	655 Tremont street	4	Ranges	100

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award the contracts for work, materials, and supplies, in accordance with recommendations of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Purchasing Division.

Upon May 4 the Mayor approved a contract with Thomas W. Reed Company for furnishing surgical supplies to the Boston City Hospital. Approximate total amount of contract was $2,670.33, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids, opened April 26, were as follows:

Surgical Supplies.

Requisition No. 6945.

Item 1. 300 Bowls, Stainless Steel, Without Ring, 1½-Quart, Vollrath, No. 6941½, or Equal, Each.—Boston China and Equipment Company, $1.92, No. 6941½; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $2.04; E. F. Mahady Company, $1.98, No. 6941½; Metropolitan Supply Company, $1.92, No. 6941½; T. J. Noonan Company, $2.15, Vollrath; Thomas W. Reed Company, $1.87.*

Item 2. 25 Kidney Basins, Stainless Steel, Vollrath, No. 8860, or Equal, Each.—Boston China and Equipment Company, $1.79; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $1.90; E. F. Mahady Company, $1.85, Vollrath; Metropolitan Supply Company, $1.75; T. J. Noonan Company, $2.07, Vollrath; Thomas W. Reed Company, $1.75.*

Item 3. 200 Sponge Bowls, 8-Inch, Stainless Steel, Crusader, No. 5707, or Equal, As Per Sample at Boston City Hospital, Each.—Boston China and Equipment Company, $2.15, Vollrath, No. 8742; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $2.25; E. F. Mahady Company, $2.20, Vollrath, No. 8742; Metropolitan Supply Company, $2.09, Vollrath, No. 8742; T. J. Noonan Company, $2.47, Vollrath, No. 8742; Thomas W. Reed Company, $2.09, Vollrath, No. 8742.*

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TAX ABATEMENT DECISIONS RENDERED BY THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS FOR THE WEEK ENDING APRIL 22.

LEGEND.

* Appellate Tax Board Settlement. ¶ Illegal assessment. || Chapter 59-5.
† Appellate Tax Board Decision. § Duplicate assessment. = Chapter 58-8.
‡ Overvaluation Settlement by Board of Assessors. x Chapter 231.

Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Boston & Lockport Block Co.	100 Condor st	1—1948	$23,785.71	$9,911 01	†
Boston & Lockport Block Co.	100 Condor st	1—1949	25,310.08	10,512 08	†
Robinson, Charles	20 Hanover st	3—1950	693.00	75.60	*
Lumber Mutual Insurance Co.	632 Beacon st	5—1950	14,175.00	2,835 00	†
Women's Society of Methodist Ch.	Shawmut av., NW	9—1950	2,212.80	942 80	=
Boston & Lockport Block Co.	100 Condor st	1—1951	27,983 68	11,655 68	†
Robinson, Charles	20 Hanover st	3—1951	690 80	75 36	*
Lumber Mutual Insurance Co.	632 Beacon st	5—1951	14,130 00	2,826 00	†
Women's Society of Methodist Ch.	Shawmut av., NW	9—1951	2,235.68	2,235 68	=
Chabby, Harry, et al	133 Peterborough st	21—1951	5,652.00	785 00	*
Baker, Wm. B., et al	4-10 Bromfield st	3—1952	173,680 00	16,032 00	*
Berg, DiMare & Berg, Inc.	245 Atlantic av	3—1952	8,350 00	1,670 00	*
Burg, Abraham S., Trustee	130 Beach st	3—1952	6,012.00	901 80	*
Cline, Kenneth M., et al	395 Washington st	3—1952	106,880 00	6,680 00	*
Fifty Associates	315 Washington st	3—1952	31,062 00	11,623 20	*
Fifty Associates	325 Washington st	3—1952	96,860 00	19,104 80	*
Harding, G. R., et al	143 Tremont st	3—1952	30,728.00	10,354 00	*
Karolik, Maxim	21 West st	3—1952	10,020.00	5,341 00	*
Fleischer, F., et al	135-143 Merrimac st	3—1952	6,680 00	1,336 00	*
Loew's Boston Theatre	415 Washington st	3—1952	38,076.00	4,676 00	*
Loew's Boston Theatre	38 Bromfield st	3—1952	23,380 00	2,672.00	*
Loew's Boston Theatre	2 Music Hall pl	3—1952	77,822 00	11,022.00	*
Morse, John, et al	367 Washington st	3—1952	40,080 00	9,352.00	*
Natural Products Co.	181 State st	3—1952	3,340 00	2,451.56	=
Patten Restaurant	71 Summer st	3—1952	11,690.00	2,338 00	*
Perry, Benjamin P	16-18 Winter st	3—1952	12,024 00	334.00	*
Robinson, Charles	20-22 Hanover st	3—1952	731.60	80 16	*
Taylor, Wm. O., et al	105-111 Chauncy st	3—1952	16,700.00	4,342.00	*
Theopold, P. H., et al	101-103 Summer st	3—1952	12,024 00	3,006 00	*
Theopold, P. H., et al	105-113 Summer st	3—1952	30,060.00	7,348 00	*
Welch, F. C., et al	58-60 Summer st	3—1952	15,030 00	2,338 00	*
Hotel Bostonian, Inc.	1138 Boylston st	4—1952	16,700 00	2,338 00	*
Anderson, O. K., et al	19 Arlington st	5—1952	6,680 00	1,670.00	*
Foster, Edith	Commonwealth av	5—1952	10,634.56	4,622.56	*
Lumber Mutual Insurance Co.	632 Beacon st	5—1952	15,030.00	3,006.00	†
Neuberger, John	229 Eustis st	8—1952	160.32	145.29	=
Custin, H. J., et al	1580 Columbus av	11—1952	1,503.00	167.00	*
Cohen, Mollie H., et al	224 Seaver st	12—1952	11,690.00	1,670 00	*
Chabby, Harry, et al	133 Peterborough st	21—1952	6,012 00	835.00	*
Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co.	Rear 61 Brookline av	21—1952	1,068.80	267.20	*
Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co.	61 Brookline av	21—1952	19,372.00	2,672.00	*
Koffman, Bessie	111 Kilsyth rd	21—1952	1,736.80	66.80	*
Koffman, Bessie	113 Kilsyth rd	21—1952	1,670.00	66.80	*
Koffman, Bessie	115 Kilsyth rd	21—1952	1,670.00	66.80	*
Baker, Wm. B., et al	4-10 Bromfield st	3—1953	183,820.00	16,968.00	*
Berg, DiMare & Berg, Inc.	245 Atlantic av	3—1953	8,837.50	1,767.50	*
Burg, A. S., et al	130 Beach st	3—1953	6,363.00	954.45	*
Cline, Kenneth M., et al	395 Washington st	3—1953	113,120 00	7,070.00	*
Fifty Associates	315 Washington st	3—1953	32,875.50	12,301.80	*
Fifty Associates	325 Washington st	3—1953	102,515.00	20,220.20	*
Fleischer, Fannie	135-143 Merrimac st	3—1953	7,070.00	707.00	*
Harding, George R., et al	143 Tremont st	3—1953	32,522.00	10,958.50	*
Kaknes, James D., et al	181 State st	3—1953	3,535.00	2,379.69	=
Karolik, Maxim	21-23 West st	3—1953	10,605.00	5,656.00	*
Loew's Boston Theatre	415 Washington st	3—1953	40,299 00	4,949.00	*
Loew's Boston Theatre	38 Bromfield st	3—1953	24,745.00	2,828.00	*
Loew's Boston Theatre	2 Music Hall pl	3—1953	82,365.50	11,665.50	*
Morse, John, et al	367 Washington st	3—1953	42,420.00	9,898.00	*
Patten Restaurant	71 Summer st	3—1953	12,372.50	2,474.50	*
Robinson, Charles	20-22 Hanover st	3—1953	777.70	84.84	*
Taylor, William O., et al	105-111 Chauncy st	3—1953	17,675.00	4,595.50	*
Theopold, P. H., et al	101-103 Summer st	3—1953	12,726.00	3,181.50	*
Theopold, P. H., et al	105-113 Summer st	3—1953	31,815.00	7,777.00	*
Welch, Francis C., et al	58-60 Summer st	3—1953	15,907.50	2,474.50	*
Gilbert, Bernard, Trustee	327 Huntington av	4—1953	6,716.50	848.40	*
Gilbert, Bernard, Trustee	331 Huntington av	4—1953	5,938.80	848.40	*
Gilbert, Bernard, Trustee	335 Huntington av	4—1953	5,938.80	848.40	*
Gordon, Isabelle	98 Huntington av	4—1953	1,313.30	212 10	*
Hotel Bostonian, Inc.	1138 Boylston st	4—1953	17,675.00	2,474.50	*
Anderson, O. K., et al	19 Arlington st	5—1953	7,070 00	1,767.50	*
Clinkard, Lillian F	103 Marlborough st	5—1953	848.40	424.20	*
Lumber Mutual Insurance Co.	632 Beacon st	5—1953	15,907.50	3,181.50	†
Packard Motor Car Co.	13 Commonwealth av	5—1953	11,255.44	4,892.44	*
Neuberger, John	229 Eustis st	8—1953	169.68	148.47	=
Gottlieb, Harry	1313 Tremont st	9—1953	1,484.70	282.80	*
Quercio, Elena	3700 Washington st	11—1953	410.06	127.26	*
Cohen, Mollie H., et al	224-236 Seaver st	12—1953	12,372.50	1,767.50	*
Cottage Realty Corp.	121 Hamilton st	15—1953	3,181.50	141.40	*
Brickman, Etta	56 Selkirk rd	21—1953	5,797.40	707.00	*
Chabby, Harry, et al	133 Peterborough st	21—1953	6,363.00	883.75	*
Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co.	Rear 61 Brookline av	21—1953	1,131.20	282.80	*
Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co.	61 Brookline av	21—1953	20,503.00	2,828.00	*
Koffman, Bessie	111 Kilsyth rd	21—1953	1,838 20	70.70	*
Koffman, Bessie	113 Kilsyth rd	21—1953	1,767.50	70.70	*
Koffman, Bessie	115 Kilsyth rd	21—1953	1,767.50	70.70	*
Spector, Louis, et al	211 Park Drive	21—1953	4,242.00	919.10	*
Medford Realty Co	511 Medford st	2—1954	9,625.42	2,443.00	*
Baker, William B	371 Washington st	3—1954	181,480.00	16,752.00	*
Beckert, Lizzie I	147 Washington st	3—1954	2,792.00	523.50	*
Berg, DiMare & Berg, Inc.	231 Milk st	3—1954	8,725 00	1,745.00	*
Burg, Abraham S	130 Beach st	3—1954	6,282.00	942.30	*
Cline, Kenneth M	395 Washington st	3—1954	111,680.00	6,980.00	*
Fifty Associates	315 Washington st	3—1954	32,457.00	12,145.20	*
Fifty Associates	325 Washington st	3—1954	101,210.00	19,962.80	*
Fleischer, Fannie	135 Merrimac st	3—1954	6,980.00	698.00	*
Harding, George R	143 Tremont st	3—1954	32,108.00	10,819.00	*
Karolik, Maxim	21 West st	3—1954	10,470.00	5,584.00	*

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

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Item 4. 144 Covers for Sponge Bowls, Stainless Steel, As Per Sample at Boston City Hospital, Each.—Boston China and Equipment Company, $1.27; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $1.35; E. F. Mahady Company, $2.62, L. & G., No. 2904 (no plates); Metropolitan Supply Company, $1.03, No. 7904; T. J. Noonan Company, $1.46, L. & G., No. 2904; Thomas W. Reed Company, $1.23.*

Requisition No. 6946.

Item 5. 26 Forceps Jars, Stainless Steel, Vollrath, No. 8878, or Equal, Each.—Boston China and Equipment Company, $3.74; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $3.95; E. F. Mahady Company, $3.85; Metropolitan Supply Company, $3.63; T. J. Noonan Company, $4.29, Vollrath; Thomas W. Reed Company, $3.63.*

Item 6. 50 Instrument Trays, Stainless Steel, 12x8x2, Vollrath, No. 7312-2, or Equal, Each.—Boston China and Equipment Company, $3.17; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $3.45; E. F. Mahady Company, $3.25, Vollrath; Metropolitan Supply Company, $3.08; T. J. Noonan Company, $3.64, Vollrath; Thomas W. Reed Company, $3.08.*

Item 7. 100 Iodine Cups, Stainless Steel, Ascepticon, No. 5350-8, or Equal, Sample at Boston City Hospital, Each.—Boston China and Equipment Company, 98 cents; E. F. Mahady Company, $1.10; Metropolitan Supply Company, 95 cents; T. J. Noonan Company, $1.12, Ascepticon; Thomas W. Reed Company, 96 cents.*

Item 8. 24 Ointment Jars, Strap Handle Cover, Stainless Steel, Vollrath, No. 8772, or Equal, Each.—Boston China and Equipment Company, $2.23; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $2.35; E. F. Mahady Company, $2.29, Vollrath; Metropolitan Supply Company, $2.17; T. J. Noonan Company, $2.56, Vollrath; Thomas W. Reed Company, $2.17.*

Requisition No. 6947.

Item 9. 300 Measures, Graduated, 1,000 c.c., Stainless Steel, Vollrath, No. 8532, or Equal, Each.—Boston China and Equipment Company, $3.68; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $3.85; E. F. Mahady Company, $3.79, Vollrath; Metropolitan Supply Company, $3.58; T. J. Noonan Company, $4.23, Vollrath; Thomas W. Reed Company, $3.58.*

Make and Model Bid Upon.

Item 1.—Boston China and Equipment Company, Vollrath, No. 6941½; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., Vollrath, No. 6941½; E. F. Mahady Company, Vollrath, No. 6941½; Metropolitan Supply Company, Vollrath, No. 6941½; T. J. Noonan Company, as specified; Thomas W. Reed Company, Vollrath.

Item 2.—Boston China and Equipment Company, Vollrath, No. 8860; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., Vollrath, No. 8860; E. F. Mahady Company, Vollrath, No. 8860; Metropolitan Supply Company, Vollrath, No. 8860; T. J. Noonan Company, as specified; Thomas W. Reed Company, Vollrath.

Item 3.—Boston China and Equipment Company, Vollrath, No. 8742; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., Vollrath, No. 8742; E. F. Mahady Company, Vollrath, No. 8742; Metropolitan Supply Company, Vollrath, No. 8742; T. J. Noonan Company, Vollrath, No. 8742; Thomas W. Reed Company, Vollrath.

Item 4.—Boston China and Equipment Company, Crusader, No. 2904; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., L. & G., No. 2904;

E. F. Mahady Company, L. & G., Crusader, No. 2904; Metropolitan Supply Company, Vollrath, No. 2904; T. J. Noonan Company, L. & G., No. 2904; Thomas W. Reed Company, Crusader.

Item 5.—Boston China and Equipment Company, Vollrath, No. 8878; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., Vollrath, No. 8878; E. F. Mahady Company, Vollrath, No. 8878; Metropolitan Supply Company, Vollrath, No. 8878; T. J. Noonan Company, as specified; Thomas W. Reed Company, Vollrath.

Item 6.—Boston China and Equipment Company, Vollrath, No. 7312-2; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., Vollrath, No. 7312-2; E. F. Mahady Company, Vollrath, No. 7312-2; Metropolitan Supply Company, Vollrath, No. 7312-2; T. J. Noonan Company, as specified; Thomas W. Reed Company, Vollrath.

Item 7.—Boston China and Equipment Company, Ascepticon, No. 5350-8; E. F. Mahady Company, Weiss, No. 5350-8, Ascepticon; Metropolitan Supply Company, Ascepticon, No. 5350-8; T. J. Noonan Company, as specified; Thomas W. Reed Company, Ascepticon.

Item 8.—Boston China and Equipment Company, Vollrath, No. 8772; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., Vollrath, No. 8772; E. F. Mahady Company, Vollrath, No. 8772; Metropolitan Supply Company, Vollrath, No. 8772; T. J. Noonan Company, as specified; Thomas W. Reed Company, Vollrath.

Item 9.—Boston China and Equipment Company, Vollrath, No. 8532; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., Vollrath, No. 8532; E. F. Mahady Company, Vollrath, No. 8532; Metropolitan Supply Company, Vollrath, No. 8532; T. J. Noonan Company, as specified; Thomas W. Reed Company, Vollrath.

Discount.—Boston China and Equipment Company, 1 per cent, 10 days; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; E. F. Mahady Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Metropolitan Supply Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; T. J. Noonan Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Thomas W. Reed Company, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—Boston China and Equipment Company, immediate to 30 days; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., Item 4, 4 weeks or less, all other items, 4 to 8 weeks; E. F. Mahady Company, Items 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 8, and 9, 45 to 60 days, Item 4, 21 to 30 days, Item 7, 30 to 45 days; Metropolitan Supply Company, Item 7, within two weeks after order, all other items, from 4 to 8 weeks after receipt of order; T. J. Noonan Company, Item 4, at once, Item 7, 2 weeks, all other items, 4 to 8 weeks; Thomas W. Reed Company, all items, 6 to 8 weeks.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon May 6 the Mayor approved a contract as requested in the following letter:

BOSTON, May 4, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

Bids on proposals for furnishing fire hats and uniform caps to the Fire Department were publicly opened and read in this office on April 25, 1955. Attached is tabulation of prices received.

Authority is requested to award a contract for Items 1, 2, and 3 to Justin A. McCarthy, doing business as Justin A. McCarthy Company, one of several tie bidders, and a contract for Items 4, 5, and 6 to Basch Cap Company, the lower bidder. Prices are as checked on the accompanying tabulation.

Approximate total amounts of contracts will be as follows:

Justin A. McCarthy, doing business as Justin A. McCarthy Company, $3,127.05, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; Basch Cap Company, $1,442.50, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

Bids were as follows:

Fire Hats and Uniform Caps.

Item 1. 150 Standard Boston Fire Department Fire Hats with Cushion Liners and Ear Flaps and Low Style Eagles, As Per Sizes on Specifications, Each.—American Fire Equipment Company, $19.35; American-LaFrance-Foamite Corporation, $19.35; Cairns & Brothers, Inc., $19.35; Eureka Fire Hose, $19.35; Gorham Fire Equipment Company, $19.35; Justin A. McCarthy Company, $19.35.*

Item 2. 3 No. 16 Combination White Deputy Chiefs' Fire Hats, As Per Sizes on Specifications, Each.—American Fire Equipment Company, $22.45; American-LaFrance-Foamite Corporation, $22.45; Cairns & Brothers, Inc., $22.45; Eureka Fire Hose, $2.62; Gorham Fire Equipment Company, $22.45; Justin A. McCarthy Company, $22.45.*

Item 3. 60 No. 262 New Style Cushion Liners with Ear Flaps, As Per Sizes on Specifications, Each.—American Fire Equipment Company, $2.62; American-LaFrance-Foamite Corporation, $2.62; Cairns & Brothers, Inc., $2.62; Eureka Fire Hose, $2.62; Gorham Fire Equipment Company, $2.62; Justin A. McCarthy Company, $2.62.*

TAX ABATEMENT DECISIONS RENDERED BY THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS FOR THE WEEK ENDING APRIL 22.— Concluded.

LEGEND.

* Appellate Tax Board Settlement. ¶ Illegal assessment. ‖ Chapter 59-5.
† Appellate Tax Board Decision. § Duplicate assessment. = Chapter 58-8.
‡ Overvaluation Settlement by Board of Assessors. x Chapter 231.

Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Loew's Boston Theatre	2 Music Hall pl	3—1954	$81,317.00	$11,517.00	*
Loew's Boston Theatre	415 Washington st	3—1954	39,786.00	4,886.00	*
Loew's Boston Theatre	38 Bromfield st	3—1954	24,430.00	2,792.00	*
Morse, John	367 Washington st	3—1954	41,880.00	9,772.00	*
Patten Restaurant	71 Summer st	3—1954	12,215.00	2,443.00	*
Robinson, Charles	22 Hanover st	3—1954	767.80	83.76	*
Robrish, Sylvia	322 Washington st	3—1954	27,920.00	4,537.00	*
Robrish, Sylvia S	15 Milk st	3—1954	8,725.00	2,443.00	*
Edward, Rose, et al	16 Tremont st	3—1954	20,940.00	6,980.00	*
Taylor, William Co	105 Chauncy st	3—1954	17,450.00	4,537.00	*
Theopold, Philip H	101 Summer st	3—1954	12,564.00	3,141.00	*
Theopold, Philip H	105 Summer st	3—1954	31,410.00	7,678.00	*
Welch, Francis C., Trustee	58 Summer st	3—1954	15,705.00	2,443.00	*
Gilbert, Bernard, Trustee	335 Huntington av	4—1954	5,863.20	837.60	*
Gilbert, Bernard, Trustee	327 Huntington av	4—1954	6,631.00	837.60	*
Gilbert, Bernard, Trustee	331 Huntington av	4—1954	5,863.20	837.60	*
Hotel Bostonian, Inc	1138 Boylston st	4—1954	17,450.00	2,443.00	*
Loew's Boston Theatre	201 Massachusetts av	4—1954	641,914.00	2,792.00	*
Loew's Boston Theatre	211 Massachusetts av	4—1954	24,779.00	2,094.00	*
Anderson, O. Kelley	19 Arlington st	5—1954	6,980.00	1,396.00	*
Jenney Manufacturing Co	10 Deerfield st	5—1954	10,888.80	1,465.80	*
Kurker, J. K., et al	151 Beacon st	5—1954	3,141.00	349.00	*
One Sixty Ipswich, Inc	160 Ipswich st	5—1954	5,584.00	1,047.00	*
Richmond, Evelyn	Commonwealth av	5—1954	11,112.16	4,830.16	*
Rochelle, Rose	475 Beacon st	5—1954	1,570.50	174.50	*
Sunrise Realty Co	18 Newbury st	5—1954	8,027.00	1,745.00	*
Brine, R. S., Trans. Co	184 West First st	6—1954	9,981.40	2,303.40	*
Dilorati, John D	135 K st	6—1954	282.80	69.80	*
Sherman, Louis, et al	24 Farnsworth st	6—1954	6,980.00	2,792.00	*
Idzikowski, Helen A	Boston st., Lot A	7—1954	34.90	20.94	*
St. Georges Syrian Orthodox Church	154 Tyler st	8—1954	383.90	383.90	‖
St. Georges Syrian Orthodox Church	7 James st	8—1954	383.90	383.90	‖
Gottlieb, Harry	1313 Tremont st	9—1954	1,465.80	279.20	*
Custin, H. J., et al	1589 Columbus av	11—1954	1,570.50	174.50	*
Farrington Mfg. Co	165 Brookside av	11—1954	14,658.00	4,188.00	*
Farrington Mfg. Co	76 Atherton st	11—1954	25,895.80	4,955.80	*
Quercio, Elena	3700 Washington st	11—1954	404.84	125.64	*
Cohen, M. H., et al	224 Seaver st	12—1954	12,215.00	1,745.00	*
Unity Real Estate Co	761 Dudley st	13—1954	8,725.00	1,047.00	*
Saver, Herbert S	569 Washington st	17—1954	3,490.00	279.20	*
Havey, Wm. B., Jr	75 May st	19—1954	628.20	55.84	*
Hill, Catherine H	Veterans of Foreign Wars Parkway.	20—1954	34.90	20.94	*
Brickman, Etta	56 Selkirk rd	21—1954	5,723.60	698.00	*
Chabby, Harry, Trustee	133 Peterborough st	21—1954	6,282.00	872.50	*
Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co	Rear 61 Brookline av	21—1954	1,116.80	279.20	*
Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co	61 Brookline av	21—1954	20,242.00	2,792.00	*
Koffman, Bessie	113 Kilsyth rd	21—1954	1,745.00	69.80	*
Koffman, Bessie	115 Kilsyth rd	21—1954	1,745.00	69.80	*
Koffman, Bessie	111 Kilsyth rd	21—1954	1,814.80	69.80	*
Lipsky, B., et al	1442 Commonwealth av	21—1954	6,631.00	558.40	*
Spector, Louis, et al	211 Park Drive	21—1954	4,188.00	907.40	*
Thirty Washington, Inc	30 Washington st	21—1954	9,074.00	1,396.00	*
PERSONAL PROPERTY.					
Jenney Mfg. Co	12 India st	3—1952	$2,672.00	$668.00	*
Jenney Mfg. Co	12 India st	3—1953	2,828.00	707.00	*
Market Basket Stores, Inc	920 Morton st	3—1953	530.25	459.55	*
Harry, Andrew	38 Park st	2—1954	34.90	34.90	¶
Berman, Eli, et al	20 Stuart st	3—1954	1,745.00	1,396.00	¶
Savings Bank Insurance Council	209 Washington st	3—1954	265.24	265.24	*
Jenney Mfg. Co	Various locations	3—1954	2,792.00	698.00	*
J. J. Newberry Co	180 Massachusetts av	4—1954	69.80	69.80	¶
Miller, Joseph	393 West Broadway	6—1954	125.64	125.64	¶
West, Francis J., M.D	1101 Beacon st	16—1954	62.82	27.92	¶

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order for Items, 1, 2, and 3.—American Fire Equipment Company, 1 to 6 weeks on all 3 items; American-LaFrance-Foamite Corporation, 1 to 6 weeks on all 3 items; Cairns & Brothers, Inc., 1 to 6 weeks on all 3 items; Eureka Fire Hose, complete delivery, 4 to 6 weeks on all; Gorham Fire Equipment Company, 4 to 6 weeks on all 3 items; Justin A. McCarthy Company, 1 to 6 weeks on all 3 items.

Uniform Caps, Delivered As Requested, from May 1, 1955, to August 15, 1955.

Item 4. 80 Officers' Uniform Summer Caps, As Per Specifications, Each.—Basch Cap Company $3.50*; Modern Uniform Cap Manufacturing Company, $4.50.

Item 5. 100 Officers' Uniform Winter Caps, As Per Specifications, Each.—Basch Cap Company, $3.50*; Modern Uniform Cap Manufacturing Company, $4.50.

Item 6. 250 Privates' Uniform Cops, As Per Specifications, Each.—Basch Cap Company, $3.25*; Modern Uniform Cap Manufacturing Company, $4.

Price Per Yard for This Material, Per Yard.—Basch Cap Company, $4.72½; Modern Uniform Cap Manufacturing Company, $6.50 to $7.20.

Name of Materiol from Which It Is Proposed to Make Caps.—Modern Uniform Cap Manufacturing Company, Warrenton, or material described in proposals.

Discount.—American Fire Equipment Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; American-LaFrance-Foamite Corporation, 2 per cent, time of payment; Basch Cap Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Cairns & Brothers, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Eureka Fire Hose, 2 per cent, time of payment; Gorham Fire Equipment Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Justin A. McCarthy Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Modern Uniform Cap Manufacturing Company, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Remarks.—Basch Cap Company, caps are made in Boston by union labor; Justin A. McCarthy Company, delivery date as per letter enclosed from Cairns & Brothers, Inc.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon May 9 the Mayor approved a contract with lowest bidders by items for furnishing lumber to the various city departments. Approximate total amounts of awards were as follows:

Contract for Cobb Lumber Company, Inc., $1,254.

Orders for General Builders Supply Company, $175; Barney & Carey Company, $134.88.

Discount for all companies is 2 per cent, time of payment.

Bids, opened April 22, were as follows:

Lumber.

Requisition No. 247.

Item 1. 3,000 Feet, 2 Inches x 8 Inches x 16 Feet, As Specified, Per M Board Feet.—Barney & Carey Company, $112.40; Blacker & Shepard Company, $118; Cobb Lumber Company, Inc., $104*; General Builders Supply Company, $120; Pope Lumber Company, $134.

Item 2. 3,000 Feet, 2 Inches x 6 Inches x 16 Feet, As Specified, Per M Board Feet.—Barney & Carey Company, $112.40; Blacker & Shepard Company, $115; Cobb Lumber Company, Inc., $104*; General Builders Supply Company, $120; Pope Lumber Company, $134.

Item 3. 3,000 Feet, 4 Inches x 4 Inches x 16 Feet, As Specified, Per M Board Feet.—Barney & Carey Company, $119.75; Blacker & Shepard Company, $116; Cobb Lumber Company, Inc., $106*; General Builders Supply Company, $120; Pope Lumber Company, $134.

Item 4. 1,000 Feet, 1 Inch x 6 Inches x 16 Feet, As Specified, Per M Board Feet.—Barney & Carey Company, $107.75; Blacker & Shepard Company, $115; Cobb Lumber Company, Inc., $104*; General Builders Supply Company, $120; Pope Lumber Company, $134.

Item 5. 2,000 Feet, 1 Inch x 4 Inches x 16 Feet, As Specified, Per M Board Feet.—Barney & Carey Company, $107.75; Blacker & Shepard Company, $110; Cobb Lumber Company, Inc., $104*; General Builders Supply Company, $120; Pope Lumber Company, $130.

Item 6. 500 Feet, ¾ Inch x 12 Inches x 16 Feet, As Specified, Per M Board Feet.—Barney & Carey Company, $385; Blacker & Shepard Company, $120; Cobb Lumber Company, Inc., $375; General Builders Supply Company, $350*; Pope Lumber Company, $400.

Requisition No. 0157—Store.

1,200 Feet, 2 Inches x 8 Inches x 16 Feet, As Specified, Per M Board Feet.—Barney & Carey Company, $112.40*; Blacker & Shepard Company, $118; Pope Lumber Company, $130.

Discount.—Barney & Carey Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Blacker & Shepard Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Cobb Lumber Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; General Builders Supply Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Pope Lumber Company, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—Barney & Carey Company, all items upon receipt of order; Blacker & Shepard Company, all items, 30 days; Cobb Lumber Company, Inc., immediate; General Builders Supply Company, immediate; Pope Lumber Company, 2 weeks.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon May 13 the Mayor approved a contract with Dickson Buick, Inc., for furnishing one Buick Special, four-door sedan, to the Building Department. Approximate total amount of contract was as follows:

List price, $2,781.52, less taxes, $166, less trade-in allowance, $915.52, net total delivered price, $1,700.

Bids, opened May 2, were as follows:

One New 1955 Buick Special, Four-Door Sedan, As Per Specifications.

List Price.—Thompson Buick Company, $2,796.62; Dickson Buick, Inc., $2,781.52.*

Less Taxes.—Thompson Buick Company, $218.80; Dickson Buick, Inc., $166.

Less Allowance.—Thompson Buick Company, $631.52; Dickson Buick, Inc., $915.52.

Total Delivered Price.—Thompson Buick Company, $1,946.30; Dickson Buick, Inc., $1,700.

Color To Be Furnished.—Thompson Buick Company, black; Dickson Buick, Inc., any single color.

Earliest Delivery Date Upon Receipt of Order.—Thompson Buick Company, soon as possible; Dickson Buick, Inc., 2 weeks delivery.

Discount.—Thompson Buick Company, none; Dickson Buick, Inc., none.

* Contract awarded.

Upon May 13 the Mayor approved a contract with Prismo Safety Corporation for furnishing Traffic White paint to the Traffic Commission. Approximate total amount of contract was $7,200, net, 30 days.

Bids, opened March 28, were as follows:

Requisition No. 138.

2,000 Gallons Traffic White Paint, Prismo Municipal Life-Line, or Equal, in Accordance with Specifications, Per Gallon.—Con-Lux Paint Corporation, $3.38, Con-Lux Brite-Line; Files & O'Keefe Company, $3.33; Prismo Safety Corporation, $3.60.*

Brand Name of Paint Upon Which Bid Is Based.—Con-Lux Paint Corporation, Con-Lux Brite-Line Traffic White (*see* proposal); Files & O'Keefe Company, Beeline; Prismo Safety Corporation, Prismo Municipal Life-Line.

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—Con-Lux Paint Corporation, 10 days; Files & O'Keefe Company, 15 to 20 days; Prismo Safety Corporation, 30 days.

Discount.—Con-Lux Paint Corporation, 2 per cent, time of payment; Files & O'Keefe Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Prismo Safety Corporation, net, 30 days.

Remarks.—Con-Lux Paint Corporation, six pounds of moisture-proof glass beads per each gallon of paint, specifications for Brite-Line Traffic paint and moisture-proof glass beads attached to proposal; Files & O'Keefe Company, "Beeline" is a reflective striping compound containing millions of tiny glass spheres in a white pigmented binder, applied with standard equipment; Prismo Safety Corporation, sphere dispensers will be of the type previously supplied to the City of Boston.

* Contract awarded.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Upon May 11 the Mayor approved a contract with R. Tweed & Son for interior painting at the Edward Everett School. Bids, opened May 9, were as follows:

R. Tweed & Son, $1,493; Kabot Painting Company, $1,640; Lester L. Bateman, $1,760; Nicholas Bello, $1,885; R & F Painting Company, $2,040; Joseph G. Gazzola, $2,885; John M. Kennedy & Co., Inc., $3,300.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Upon May 16 the Mayor approved a contract with John R. Lentine for electrical work in various buildings, Boston City Hospital. Bids, opened April 13, were as follows:

Emerson Electrical Manufacturing Company, $7,050; John J. Finn Electrical Service, $6,672; M. B. Foster Electric Company, $5,600; John R. Lentine, $4,526; Suffolk Electric Company, $2,735.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Upon May 17 the Mayor approved a contract with S. J. Tomasello Corporation for service road reconstruction and parking area at Franklin Park, West Roxbury. Bids, opened Tuesday, May 10, were as follows:

S. J. Tomasello Corporation, $13,972.50; Baker & Co., Inc., $14,316.50; John McCourt Company, $14,914.50; P. V. Barone Corporation, $16,745; Carriere Construction Company, $19,342.50.

Upon May 17 the Mayor approved a contract with R & F Painting Company for painting concrete swimming pools at Ensign John J. Doherty, Jr., Playground, Charlestown. Bids, opened Tuesday, May 3, were as follows:

R & F Painting Company, $850; Ronald L. Albert, $1,344; Nicholas Bello, $1,600.

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Upon May 17 the Mayor approved a contract with R & F Painting Company for painting concrete swimming pools at North End Park. Bids, opened Tuesday, May 3, were as follows:

R & F Painting Company, $838; Ronald L. Albert, $1,244; Nicholas Bello, $1,500.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Upon May 9 the Mayor approved a contract with Hersey Manufacturing Company for furnishing labor and material necessary to repair or rebuild and test Hersey water meters for the Public Works Department (Water Division), at an estimated cost of $12,420. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed within three months after approval by the Mayor.

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Upon May 10 the Mayor approved a contract with John J. Amara & Sons for bituminous concrete pavement in Ballou avenue, Brookview street, Floyd street, Harwood street, Jones avenue, Stratton street, Wilcock street, and York street, Ward 14, at an estimated cost of $65,160. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed October 1, 1955. The following bids were received May 5:

John J. Amara & Sons, $65,160; Rufo Construction Company, $66,978.75; S. J. Tomasello Corporation, $67,868; Adams Asphalt Company, Inc., $70,409.50; J. D'Amico, Inc., $71,580.75; P. V. Barone Corporation, $72,170.50.

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Upon May 11 the Mayor approved a contract with John J. Amara & Sons for artificial stone, bituminous concrete sidewalk, edgestone and roadway repairs for hurricane damage in various locations in the city, at an estimated cost of $32,853.50. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed December 31, 1955. The following bids were received May 5:

John J. Amara & Sons, $32,853.50; Charles Todesca, $34,332.30; Adams Asphalt Company, Inc., $43,821.50.

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Upon May 11 the Mayor approved a contract with Adams Asphalt Company, Inc., for bituminous concrete pavement in Arvale road, Ward 14; Auriga Street Extension, Ward 16; Banton street, Ward 16; Bantry Way, Ward 7; Colebrook street, Ward 7; Garfield avenue, Ward 18; Hillis road, Ward 18; Newland street, Ward 9, and Westville terrace, Ward 15, at an estimated cost of $61,488.50. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed October 1, 1955. The following bids were received May 5:

Adams Asphalt Company, Inc., $61,488.50; P. V. Barone Corporation, $64,760.70; S. J. Tomasello Corporation, $65,979.10; Rufo Construction Company, $82,834.40.

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Upon May 13 the Mayor approved a contract with Susi & DeSantis Company, Inc., for sewerage works in Hazelmere road, New Haven street, and Canterbury street, West Roxbury, at an estimated cost of $15,911. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed within 90 days after approval by the Mayor. The following bids were received May 5:

Susi & DeSantis Company, Inc., $15,911; D. Federico Company, $18,072.80; Ricci & DeSantis Construction Company, Inc., $18,193; Roslindale Contracting Company, $19,859; DiMascio Brothers & Co., $20,191.30; J. W. Construction Company, Inc., $20,395; C. Russo, Incorporated, $22,790; J. D'Amico, Inc., $24,635; H. DiTullio & Sons, Inc., $26,340; Joseph Capone & Son, $26,520.

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Upon May 17 the Mayor approved a contract with McCulloch Manufacturing Company for furnishing labor to assemble about 25 12-inch and 100 8-inch gate valves, at an estimated cost of $10,312.50. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed within four months after approval by the Mayor.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

The School Committee has approved proposals for furnishing pencils, pens, penholders, chalk, ink, notebook covers and other items, for Boston public schools. Bids, opened Monday, March 7, were received from the following dealers:

Milton Bradley Company, Gledhill Brothers, Inc., J. L. Hammett Company, Hinkson Paper Company, Holden Patent Book Cover Company, William R. McAdams Company, Mainco Trading Company, Manhattan Stationery Company, Musgrave Pencil Company, Ruwe Pencil Company, United Art Company, Inc., Walbuck Crayon Company, Henry S. Wolkins Company.

Awards were made to the lowest responsible bidders, as follows:

William R. McAdams Company, $1,090.
Milton Bradley Company, $1,446.50.
Henry S. Wolkins Company, $6,975.07.
J. L. Hammett Company, $5,667.95.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

Upon varying dates as indicated the Mayor approved contracts with supply and commercial houses, contractors, and other establishments for furnishing labor, supplies, etc. Communications from heads of the departments interested were as follows:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.
Purchasing Division.

BOSTON, May 10, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office is in receipt of a requisition from the Boston City Hospital for 450 rolls of Cardiette paper and two containers, to be delivered immediately.

Sanborn Company, 39 Osborne street, Cambridge, is the manufacturer of the above equipment and is the only source of supply. Authority is therefore requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to Sanborn Company. It is my opinion that, in this way, the best interests of the city will be served.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $1,196.50, net.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

BOSTON, May 10, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

In accordance with the provisions of the letter approved by your Honor on January 24, 1955, authority is requested to award a contract, without public advertisement, to Warren Fitch Company, Inc., for furnishing perishable foods to the various city departments, from May 10, 1955, to March 31, 1956, inclusive.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, May 13, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office is in receipt of a requisition from the Water Division of the Public Works Department for the immediate delivery of twelve (12) reels of $\frac{5}{8}$-inch 3-pound lead pipe. This amount was not included in the original estimate for contract needs for 1955 and therefore cannot be purchased on the present contract.

Inasmuch as the National Lead Company of Massachusetts, who was the only bidder this year on the publicly opened bid of April 4, 1955, and has been the supplier for the past several years, will furnish the lead under the same terms as the present contract, it is my opinion that no advantage would be gained by publicly advertising for prices.

Authority is therefore requested to dispense with publicly advertising for bids and award a contract, without public advertisement, to National Lead Company of Massachusetts, for 12 reels (7,200 pounds) of $\frac{5}{8}$-inch 3-pound lead pipe at $4 per hundredweight over the base price of New York lead, date of shipment, delivered at City Water Yard, Albany street, Boston. Today's market price of lead is $19 per hundredweight.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $1,368, less 1 per cent discount for payment within ten days, plus $90 for twelve (12) reels at $7.50 each, net, extra and returnable.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, May 17, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The Parks and Recreation Department is desirous of obtaining an Oliver tractor, Model 55, with cab and equipped with one (1) hydraulic loader with material bucket and one (1) de luxe Pippin hydraulic digger, Model 114, with special hydraulic pump. This equipment is the type most suited to a specific phase of the operations of the Parks and Recreation Department.

Prices have been obtained from the H. F. Davis Tractor Company, the exclusive distributor for Oliver industrial tractors. Inasmuch as this company is the exclusive distributor for Oliver tractors, it is my opinion that no useful purpose would be served by public advertisement.

Authority is therefore requested that public advertisement for prices be dispensed with and a contract be awarded, without public advertisement, to H. F.

Davis Tractor Company for one (1) Oliver Super "55" tractor with hydraulic loader and hydraulic backhoe at a total price of $5,740, net.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, May 17, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office is in receipt of a requisition from the Fire Department for the immediate delivery of twelve (12) Mainline, two-door, Ford sedans, 6-cylinder.

In order to expedite delivery of these units, written quotations were solicited from several Ford dealers. Bids were received from Stilphen Motor Company, Hoover Motors, Inc., and Bowers Motor Sales, Inc. Bowers Motor Sales, Inc., 415 Hyde Park avenue, Roslindale, Mass., was the lowest bidder by $432, making a total of $20,640, net, for twelve (12) units.

Authority is therefore requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to Bowers Motor Sales, Inc., for immediate delivery of twelve (12) Mainline, two-door, 6-cylinder, Ford sedans.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $20,640, net.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

CITY PLANNING BOARD.

BOSTON, May 11, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

On Tuesday, May 10, 1955, at a meeting of the City Planning Board the following vote was taken:

"That Adams, Howard & Greeley, City Planning Consultants, 15 Ash street, Cambridge, be engaged by contract covering a period of ten months from June 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, at a total cost of twelve hundred dollars ($1,200), to provide assistance and guidance to the Board in conducting its master plan work and that the Chairman be authorized to sign the contract."

Therefore, if this meets with your approval it is respectfully requested that your authorization be given for the awarding of the proposed contract, without public advertising, to Adams, Howard & Greeley, City Planning Consultants, to cover the period from June 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, for furnishing the above-mentioned services, at a cost not to exceed twelve hundred dollars ($1,200).

It is felt in view of the nature of the professional services involved, as well as the fact that this firm has so satisfactorily and efficiently performed a similar service for the Board during the past twelve months, that nothing would be gained by publicly advertising for bids for this work.

Very truly yours,

THOMAS F. McDONOUGH,
Chairman.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

BOSTON, May 10, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

Changes in the school system, particularly the reoccupancy of Dorchester High School for Girls, scheduled to become Girls' Latin School as of September, 1955, have necessitated the use of Girls' High School, West Newton street, Boston, abandoned for school purposes, as a storehouse for quantities of valuable materials which will be reused in school buildings as the occasion demands.

Quantities of materials have been moved into the building for storage purposes and we find that the building has been broken into on a number of occasions to the extent that we must prevent ingress by unauthorized persons by boarding up exterior wall openings in the cellar, basement, and first story above basement. To accomplish this I invited competitive estimates, based on identical specifications, and received the estimates recorded below:

John F. Hynes, $1,980; Brendon Sullivan, $2,355; Michael Barr, $2,400; M. Solimando, $2,420; D. Antonellis, $2,620.

As time is an essential factor in protecting the stored materials, and as the estimates received, in my opinion, are equivalent to those that would be submitted if the specifications were placed on the open competitive market, I ask that you waive the formality of public advertising and authorize me to negotiate a contract with John F. Hynes, 1350 Columbus avenue, Roxbury, to provide the necessary labor and materials to board up the openings, at a cost not to exceed $1,980.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES H. MOONEY,
Superintendent of Construction.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, May 11, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR:

Your Honor's permission is requested to execute a contract, without publicly advertising for bids, with the Quincy Shipbuilding and Repair Corporation, Quincy, Mass., for dry-docking, painting, and repair work on fireboats, Engines 31 and 47, for a sum not to exceed $1,690.

The fireboats have not been painted, and no inspection and repair work has been done on propeller, tail shaft, suction and strainers, and valves, since 1953. However, in order to keep the boats in efficient operating condition, they must be dry-docked in the near future.

For the proper protection of the water front each boat should be out of service for the shortest possible period of time in order to effect the necessary repairs.

Bids were requested on this work from the three companies in and around Boston which have the facilities for making the repairs and dry-docking the boat, and two bids were received as follows:

Quincy Shipbuilding and Repair Corporation, $1,690; James S. Munro, $2,820.

This is emergency work and in my opinion no advantage would be gained by the city in publicly advertising the repair work inasmuch as the price quoted by the Quincy Shipbuilding and Repair Corporation is very reasonable. It is also my opinion that no lower price could be obtained by the Fire Department for doing said work.

Respectfully yours,

FRANCIS X. COTTER,
Fire Commissioner.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, May 6, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

We respectfully request your permission to dispense with publicly advertising for bids, and to award a contract to Remington Rand, Inc., 857 Commonwealth avenue, Boston, Mass., for furnishing all labor and materials necessary for the expansion, correcting of errors, combining and banding of duplicates, verifying sequence, and inserting the necessary guides in Soundex File Sections S, T, U, V, and W, Out-Patient Department, Boston City Hospital, at a cost not to exceed the sum of $2,035.80.

The Remington Rand firm has been selected to perform this work as they evolved and originally installed this system at the hospital, and have performed the same type of services on other sections of this file in 1952, 1953, and 1954.

The above-mentioned firm performs its work with particular efficiency and, furthermore, can carry out these services promptly and without unnecessary disruption of office routine, for as indicated, it is the original designer of the Soundex File System.

The trustees are of the opinion, therefore, that nothing would be gained by publicly advertising for bids for the afore-mentioned special services.

Respectfully yours,

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, AND BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL,
by RICHARD J. CONDON,
President.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, May 6, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

On March 31, 1955, I received a report of inspection on the No. 2 boiler, 2630, in the power plant at the House of Correction made on March 24, 1955, by Thomas H. Henehan, inspector for the Employers' Group Insurance Companies, who insure the boilers at the institution.

In order to validate the certificate of inspection which must be in our possession the following work had to be done as soon as possible: Make repairs to leaking girth, remove rivets in defective section, repair and fusion weld fire cracks, install new rivets and calk girth joint, replace two defective tubes, repair furnace refractory burner cone and bulged right wall, replace a defective section of pipe and descale the entire boiler.

This work was awarded to the Industrial Welding Company who have done very good work in the past at a reasonable price. When they got into the boiler they discovered that in order to do the required work they would have to practically take the boiler apart around the girth joint and rebuild same after an immense quantity of fusion welding and to install four tubes as well as chip and weld a large number of

rivets. This entailed the use of their compressors and additional manpower.

As this work had to be done and at once in order to keep the plant in operation and as no particular saving could be made by publicly advertising, I respectfully request your permission to award this work to the Industrial Welding Company, of 488 Dorchester avenue, South Boston, at a price not to exceed $481.50.

Respectfully,

EDWARD L. FRIEL,
Commissioner.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 2,044.

Patrolman William M. Clancy, of Division 1, is commended and granted two days' extra vacation for meritorious police work performed on April 7, 1955.

While on a day off and in the vicinity of his home, Patrolman Clancy's attention was attracted by the sound of gunfire. A man had accosted his estranged wife and apparently upon failing to effect a reconciliation had fired five shots at her, two of them taking effect, and then started to run from the scene. Patrolman Clancy immediately gave chase and succeeded in overtaking the culprit and disarming him. He is now being held for the grand jury for assault with intent to murder.

The commissioner is pleased to recognize the prompt and courageous action of Patrolman Clancy in effecting this arrest.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,045.

The following transfers are hereby ordered to take effect on Wednesday, May 11, 1955, at 7.45 o'clock A.M.:

Capt. Charles J. Deignan, from Division 18 to Division 4.

Capt. Edwin P. Murphy, from Bureau of Criminal Investigation to Division 18.

Capt. Patrick J. O'Donnell, from Bureau of Operations to Division 11.

Sergt. Arthur W. Corkery, from Division 11 to Division 4.

Sergt. Edward J. Curtin, from Division 16 to Division 14.

Sergt. Francis A. Campbell, from Division 18 to Division 4.

Patrolman Thomas F. Reedy, Jr., from Division 2 to Division 4.

Patrolman Wilbur E. Cunningham, from Division 4 to Division 8.

Patrolman Francis A. Glavin, from Division 4 to Division 17.

Patrolman Patrick F. Nagle, from Division 4 to City Prison.

Patrolman Herbert J. Small, from Division 4 to City Prison.

Patrolman Richard L. Gates, from Division 8 to Division 18.

Patrolman Charles T. Cobb, from Division 11 to Superintendent's Office.

Patrolman James J. Ross, from Division 16 to Division 18.

Patrolman Robert H. Bradley, from Division 18 to Division 4.

Patrolman John H. McCabe, Jr., from Division 18 to Division 4.

Patrolman Thomas F. O'Toole, from Division 18 to Bureau of Operations.

Patrolman George F. Delaney, from Traffic Division to City Prison.

Patrolman David O. Marks, from Traffic Division to Bureau of Operations.

Patrolman William V. Flannery, from Bureau of Operations to City Prison.

Patrolman Thomas E. Mahoney, from Superintendent's Office to Traffic Division.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,046.

The following-named persons are hereby appointed permanent patrolmen in this department and are assigned as follows, effective Wednesday, May 11, 1955, at 2 o'clock P.M.:

Division 2.

James J. Duggan.

Division 4.

Thomas E. Carney, James L. Cavanaugh, Francis J. Coleman, Francis J. Esmond, George F. Lombard, Robert T. McCreary, Robert P. Murray, John J. Usher.

Division 9.

Edward M. Caruso, Peter A. Emanuel, William J. Keane.

Division 10.

Robert L. Cunningham, Robert W. Dufault, Charles A. Sullivan, Jr., William E. Towns.

Division 11.

Thomas E. Kelly, Francis J. McLaughlin, Martin J. Touhey.

Division 14.

John G. Rahilly.

Division 16.

James A. Burke, George E. Slattery, Jr.

Division 18.

John J. Gallagher, Henry P. Hallion.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 31.

I. RETIREMENTS.

The following retirements, in accordance with chapter 347, Acts of 1892, as amended by chapter 237, Acts of 1939, are hereby announced, to become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, May 18, 1955:

Deputy Fire Chief Franklin B. Sanborn, Division 2.

Fire Capt. Thomas M. Manning, Engine Company 28.

Fire Lieut. William H. McAndrew, Ladder Company 25.

Working Foreman William J. Pendergast, Fire Alarm Division.

The following retirement, in accordance with section 57, chapter 32, of the General Laws, as amended, is hereby announced, to become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, May 18, 1955:

Fire Lieut. Clarence A. Knight, Engine Company 31.

Deputy Fire Chief Sanborn was appointed to the department February 1, 1918. He was promoted to the grade of lieutenant November 15, 1927; to captain November 1, 1929; to district chief November 27, 1936; and to deputy chief October 22, 1947. Captain Manning was appointed to the department June 30, 1913. He was promoted to the grade of lieutenant December 18, 1933, and to captain January 29, 1941. Lieutenant McAndrew was appointed to the department September 3, 1920, and was promoted to lieutenant February 2, 1944. Lieutenant Knight was appointed to the department May 11, 1931, and was promoted to lieutenant May 3, 1944. Working Foreman Pendergast was appointed to the department December 5, 1919.

All the foregoing-named members leave the department with the best wishes of their associates.

II. A.D.T. ASSIGNMENTS.

Company commanders shall add the following signal numbers to running cards of the American District Telegraph Company in this department:

Signal 844, A. W. Perry, Inc., 89 and 91 Bedford street. (Sprinkler.) Apparatus to respond: Engine 25, Ladder 8, District Chief 3. Nearest box is 1431.

Signal 845, Wigglesworth Machinery Company, 60 Border street. (Sprinkler.) Apparatus to respond: Engine 9, Ladder 2, District Chief 1. Nearest box is 6157.

III. G.A.C. SIGNAL.

Company commanders shall add the following signal number to running cards of the General Alarm Corporation in this department:

Signal 474, Congress Sportswear Company, 89 and 91 Bedford street. (Sprinkler.) Apparatus to respond: Engine 25, Ladder 8, District Chief 3. Nearest box is 1431.

IV. DISCONTINUANCE OF BOSTON AUTOMATIC SIGNALS.

Notice has been received from the Boston Automatic Fire Alarm Company that the following signals have been discontinued:

Signal 518, 44 and 46 Lincoln street.

Signal 519, 48, 50, and 52 Lincoln street.

Signal 1236, 54-58 Lincoln street, and 166 Essex street.

V. COMMENDATIONS.

The following members are hereby commended for responding to and working at fire, Box 1345, three alarms, May 12, 1955, while off duty:

Fire Lieut. Stephen J. McMahon, Engine Company 10.

Fire Fighter Thomas Getheral, Engine Company 4.

Fire Fighter James M. Dever, Engine Company 17.

Fire Fighter James W. Parks, Engine Squad 11.

Fire Fighter Robert Randall, Engine Company 8.

By order of Fire Commissioner FRANCIS X. COTTER.

JOHN V. STAPLETON,
Chief of Department.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

John J. Botti has been directed to perform the following extra work under the contract for sewerage works in Ridgeway Lane, at Cambridge street, City Proper, dated April 1, 1955:

Omit 18 linear feet of 20-inch clay pipe sewer, complete in place, under Item 1, and dig two test pits requiring 16.89 cubic yards of earth excavation; remove and replace brick work to clean out brick sewer in Cambridge street, at Ridgeway Lane, at an agreed price of $21.85 per cubic yard of trench excavation. Estimated cost of extra work, $369.05.

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Mayor has approved the requests of the Public Improvement Commission for the following construction work:

Four catch basins and connections in Merriam street, West Roxbury, between Minton street and Stony Brook, in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of $2,000.

One thousand one hundred and forty linear feet of 24-inch pipe surface drain in Barry street, Hyde Park, from River street to Business street; in Business street, from Barry street southerly, approximately 580 feet; and in private land, east of Business street, approximately 200 feet; in an existing easement conveyed to the City of Boston on March 9, 1955, by L. E. Mason Company, in the Hyde Park district, at an estimated cost of $20,500.

BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT ORGANIZES.

At the annual business meeting of the Board of Zoning Adjustment, on Wednesday, May 18, Alan J. Potter, representative of the Boston Chamber of Commerce, was unanimously re-elected chairman for the ensuing year, and Albert V. Colman, Mayor's representative, re-elected vice-chairman.

Appointments by his Honor the Mayor of Samuel S. Eisenberg, representing the Boston Society of Architects, as a principal member, and Douglas B. Footit, representing the Boston Society of Landscape Architects, as an alternate member, were announced.

Thomas E. McCormick and Miss Mary T. Downey were reappointed engineer and secretary, respectively.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of sewerage repairs, estimated to be thirty (30) days, vehicles are excluded from the following street, effective May 10, 1955:

Wales Street, Dorchester.
From Nightingale street to Talbot avenue.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway resurfacing, estimated to be thirty (30) days, vehicles are excluded from the following street, effective May 10, 1955:

Maywood Street, Roxbury.
From Warren street to Blue Hill avenue.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of sewerage cleaning by the Public Works Department, estimated to be three (3) days, vehicles are excluded from the following street, effective May 11, 1955:

Hudson Street, Boston Proper.
From Beach street to Kneeland street.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of moving large transformer to Boston Edison Company power station in Lincoln street, Brighton, vehicles are excluded from the following street from 7 A.M. Saturday, May 14, to 7 A.M. Monday, May 16, 1955:

Lincoln Street, Brighton.
From Franklin street to Cambridge street.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of street construction, estimated to be thirty (30) days, vehicles are excluded from the following streets, effective May 12, 1955:

Bellevue Street, West Roxbury.
From March avenue to Bellevue Hill road.
Chesterfield Street, Hyde Park.
From Readville street to Manila avenue.
Danny Road, Hyde Park.
From Reynold road to Vallaro road.
Reynold Road, Hyde Park.
From Chesterfield street to Como road.
Vallaro Road, Hyde Park.
From Como road to Danny road.
Zeller Street Extension, West Roxbury.
From Zeller street to dead end.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of sewer construction, estimated to be thirty (30) days, vehicles are excluded from the following street, effective May 13, 1955:

Forest Hills Street, West Roxbury.
From Lotus street to Arborway.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

LAUNDRY MANAGER, LONG ISLAND DIVISION, BOSTON HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, JUNE 18, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Tuesday, May 31, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $73 a week; the maximum salary is $90.50 a week.

Vacancies: At present there is one vacancy for a male.

Duties: Under the direct supervision of the Superintendent of the Long Island Division, to have full charge of the laundry and associated departments (ironing room, sewing room, and sorting room); to recommend the manufacture of new materials by the sewing room and to supervise the making of sheets, towels, pillowcases, uniforms, and similar items in order to facilitate more efficient laundry service; and to perform related work as required.

The following are required: Knowledge of laundry formulas, proper methods of laundering, the making of hospital linens, and the operation and maintenance of the equipment used in the work; ability to supervise all activities.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

FIRE FIGHTER, BOSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT, JUNE 25, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, June 6, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $3,540 a year; the maximum salary is $4,160 a year.

Vacancies: From time to time.

Duties: The regular duties of a municipal fire fighter.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants shall be not less than twenty-two or over thirty-five years of age at the time of filing the application. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application *unless* one has been filed with a previous application.

Any veteran who will have attained the age of twenty-one within six months of the date of any scheduled examination for fire service shall not be deemed ineligible for examination and appointment provided that he meets all other pertinent requirements of the Civil Service laws and rules (chapter 287, Acts of 1947).

Veterans who had not reached the maximum age limit at the time of entering military or naval service will not be disqualified by reason of age within five years after the date of honorable discharge. (Chapter 179, Acts of 1950.)

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 3; practical questions, including general information, 7; total, 10.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination and qualifying strength tests.

To become eligible, applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in the strength tests, but the mark will not be averaged with the educational mark.

The written examination will consist of questions on general information and questions based upon information contained in the Fire Manual for the Instruction of Applicants for Entrance Examinations in the Fire Service in Cities and Towns of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, prepared by the Director of Civil Service, which may be obtained from the Public Document Division, Room 116, State House, Boston, at 40 cents a copy. It is necessary that applicants obtain a copy of this manual and study it carefully.

Applicants must not bring Fire Manuals to the examination room.

CONSULATES IN ARREARS ON TAXES.

New York City reports that 12 foreign countries are in arrears a total of $416,985 in real estate taxes on 27 properties, most of them bought within the last 15 years as consulates and headquarters for United Nations delegations.

Nearly all of the defaulting governments claim the right to city realty tax exemption under treaties and international doctrines, but the city has refused to waive its claims. Total assessed valuation is $5,324,000, with $720,000 exempt from tax. Finland, the Netherlands, and Israel have kept their real estate accounts paid up to date.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, May 9, 1955.

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 2 P.M., President HURLEY in the chair, and all the members present.

The Reverend John J. Fogarty, St. Mary's Roman Catholic Church, Charlestown, was escorted to the rostrum.

INVOCATION BY REV. JOHN J. FOGARTY.

Direct, we beseech Thee, O Lord, all our actions by Thy holy inspiration, and carry them on by Thy gracious assistance, so that every prayer, work, and act of ours may begin always from Thee and through Thee be happily ended, through Christ our Lord.

We know, O Lord, that Thy will should and must be our will, that the norm and criterion by which we are to judge our every thought, word, and action is to ask ourselves, "Is it, this thought, word, or action, in conformity with the mind of God, the will of God?"—which is for us the Divine Law, the Divine Plan—and so we beseech Thee, O Lord, that every thought, word, and action of each and every member of this Council may be in keeping with Thy will.

And, O God, let these Councillors be not unmindful that Thou art the source of all authority and that whatever authority they have by reason of their office is from Thee. May You, the Divine Lawmaker, be the model for these members here assembled in Council, that whatever they do may be for Thy honor and glory and for the good of the people whom they serve. Amen.

The meeting was opened with the salute to the Flag.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR.

Subject to confirmation by the Council, the Mayor submitted the appointment of James J. McArdle, 110 Marion street, East Boston, as weigher of goods for the term ending April 30, 1956.

Referred to the Committee on Confirmations.

SICK LEAVE FOR SCHOOL TEACHERS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, May 9, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the secretary to the Boston School Committee relative to your resolution of April 11, 1955, concerning the matter of sick leave for the Boston school teachers.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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The School Committee of the City of Boston,
April 29, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.
Dear Mr. Mayor:

At the conference of the School Committee on April 25, 1955, Miss Mary K. Fitzgerald, chairman, presented for consideration a resolution adopted by the City Council on April 11, 1955, requesting you to investigate the matter of sick leave for Boston school teachers, with a view to giving the teachers of the City of Boston the same rights as all other city employees with respect to sick leave.

I have been directed by the chairman to inform you that the matter of a sick leave plan for Boston public school teachers is still under consideration by the School Committee and is to be given further study.

Very truly yours,
AGNES E. REYNOLDS, Secretary.

Placed on file.

TRANSFER OF EMERSON SCHOOL TO PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, May 9, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the secretary to the Boston School Committee relative to your order of April 11, 1955, concerning the transferring of the title of the Emerson School in East Boston to the Parks and Recreation Department, for the purpose of the construction of a wading pool on the property for the children of that area.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

The School Committee of the City of Boston,
May 4, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.
Dear Mr. Mayor:

This is to acknowledge receipt of your communication of April 15, 1955, addressed to the chairman of the School Committee, Miss Mary K. Fitzgerald, transmitting Councillor Foley's order passed at the meeting of the City Council April 11, 1955, pertaining to the possibility of transferring title of the site of the former Emerson School in East Boston to the Parks and Recreation Department for the purpose of constructing a wading pool on the property for the children of the area.

At the conference of the School Committee on Monday, May 2, 1955, this matter was presented by the chairman and discussed at length.

In connection therewith the members gave due consideration to a report which was submitted by the Structural Engineer in this department, Mr. Charles B. McMackin.

Mr. McMackin reported that the combined areas of the Emerson and Patrick J. Kennedy sites amount to 54,952 square feet. Of this area, 10,430 square feet are occupied by the Patrick J. Kennedy School. Demolition of the Emerson School was completed in January, 1955.

The present enrollment of the Patrick J. Kennedy School is 389 pupils; the play space available to the pupils when the yard has been resurfaced will be approximately 100 square feet per pupil. This area for play space is what we would like to strive for in all of our school yards. Certainly anything less is not in keeping with current national standards.

As the result of his study of this matter, Mr. McMackin recommended to the School Committee that this property be not transferred to the Parks and Recreation Department, in which the School Committee concurred.

Very truly yours,
AGNES E. REYNOLDS, Secretary.

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RELOCATION OF MTA TROLLEY AND BUS STOPS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, May 9, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Traffic Commissioner relative to your order of April 25, 1955, concerning a survey being made in conjunction with the representatives of the Metropolitan Transit Authority to consider relocating trolley and bus stops.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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Boston Traffic Commission,
April 29, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.
Dear Mr. Mayor:

With reference to Council order of April 25, 1955, to make a survey throughout the various shopping areas of the city in conjunction with the representatives of the Metropolitan Transit Authority, to consider relocating trolley and bus stops, we will have the study made and will report again concerning the matter.

The scope of the survey is of such proportions, however, that several weeks will be required to complete this survey.

Respectfully yours,
WM. ARTHUR REILLY, Commissioner.

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NAMING OF INTERSECTIONS IN HONOR OF DECEASED VETERANS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, May 9, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I submit herewith six orders for the naming of various intersections in the city in honor of deceased veterans of World War II and the Korean action.

The Committee to Memorialize Veterans, after due consideration, has recommended the naming of various sites as set forth in the accompanying orders.

In view of the fact that each site is to be named in memory of a veteran who sacrificed his life on the altar of liberty, I recommend that your Honorable Body give approval to the accompanying orders.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Public Improvement Commission,
May 4, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.
Dear Mr. Mayor:

At a meeting of the Committee to Memorialize Veterans, held this day, it was voted to designate the following intersections in honor of the following-named veterans:

Sheafe street and Snow Hill street, Boston Proper—Corp. CARMINE F. SARNO SQUARE. (Corp. Sarno, U. S. Army, lost his life in Italy on July 10, 1944.)

Hillside street and Sachem street, Roxbury—Pfc. BERNARD J. FARRELL SQUARE. (Pfc. Farrell, U. S. Army, was killed in action in Germany on March 20, 1945.)

Nottingham street and Rosseter street, Dorchester—Sergt. JAMES J. CROWLEY SQUARE. (Sergt. Crowley lost his life in Germany on September 27, 1944.)

Appleton street and Tremont street, Boston Proper—2d Lieut. ANTHONY C. AVENI SQUARE. (2d Lieut. Aveni, U. S. Air Corps, lost his life in Florida on April 12, 1944.)

Lexington street and Prescott street, East Boston—Pvt. ROBERT J. TRICOMI SQUARE. (Pvt. Tricomi lost his life in Korea on June 21, 1953.)

Hull street and Snow Hill street, Boston Proper—Pfc. SILVIO E. GIELLA SQUARE. (Pfc. Giella lost his life on Luzon Island on April 6, 1945.)

Respectfully,
MICHAEL J. CORRAO, Secretary,
Committee to Memorialize Veterans.

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Ordered, That the space at the junction of Sheafe street and Snow Hill street, Ward 3, be named Carmine F. Sarno Square, in honor of Carmine F. Sarno, late veteran of World War II.

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Ordered, That the space at the junction of Hillside street and Sachem street, Ward 10, be named Bernard J. Farrell Square, in honor of Bernard J. Farrell, late veteran of World War II.

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Ordered, That the space at the junction of Nottingham street and Rosseter street, Ward 14, be named James J. Crowley Square, in honor of James J. Crowley, late veteran of World War II.

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Ordered, That the space at the junction of Appleton street and Tremont street, Ward 5, be named Anthony C. Aveni Square, in honor of Anthony C. Aveni, late veteran of World War II.

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Ordered, That the space at the junction of Lexington street and Prescott street, Ward 1, be named Robert J. Tricomi Square, in honor of Robert J. Tricomi, who lost his life in Korea.

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Ordered, That the space at the junction of Hull street and Snow Hill street, Ward 3, be named Silvio E. Giella Square, in honor of Silvio E. Giella, late veteran of World War II.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committee named, viz.:

Claims.

Silvio Avellino, for compensation for damage to property at 640 Hyde Park avenue, caused by break in water main.

Donald P. Bortz, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Police Department.

Barbara F. Donia, also known as Barbara F. Blair, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Brattle street, at Scollay square.

Dorothy Donovan, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 2 Vinton street, South Boston.

Michael Donovan, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 2 Vinton street, South Boston.

James J. Downey, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Fire Department.

William W. Farrell, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Park Department.

Charles George, for compensation for damage to car by fire truck.

Blanche Linehan, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at I and East Third streets, South Boston.

Robert B. McLeod, for compensation for damage to car by falling limbs of tree at 3 Warren place, Roxbury.

National Screen Service Corporation, for compensation for damage to property at 95 Broadway, caused by leak in water main.

John O'Brien, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 416 Market street, Brighton.

S. S. Pierce Company, for compensation for damage to car by car of School Department.

Arthur J. Roche, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Sanitary Division, Public Works Department.

John J. Shaughnessy, Jr., for reimbursement as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Bridge Division, Public Works Department.

Elizabeth Shepperson, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at entrance to Prince School.

Rose Zeyfis, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 1546 Commonwealth avenue.

PERMITS FOR CHILDREN.

Petitions for children under fifteen years of age to appear at places of public amusement:

Boston Music School, Inc., Brown Hall, May 15.
Ellen White Pompeo, Recital Hall, May 22.
Rosalie Fuccillo, John Hancock Hall, June 8.
Armando Arena, Jordan Hall, May 22.
Jean Paige, Boston Conservatory Auditorium, May 23 and 24.
Katherine M. Foley, Recital Hall, May 11.
Permits granted under usual conditions.

APPLICATIONS FOR SHELLFISH PERMITS.

Applications for shellfish permits, commercial use, were received from the following:

Herbert Bennett, 12 Water street, Dorchester, Ward 16.
Edward W. Elms, 214 Havre street, East Boston, Ward 1.
Anthony J. Ferragamo, 23 Leyden street, East Boston, Ward 1.
David F. Fullerton, 2 West Eagle street, East Boston, Ward 1.
James H. Grant, 69 Saratoga street, East Boston, Ward 1.
Roy Kneeland, 7 Thomas park, South Boston, Ward 7.
Harold T. Matthews, 306 Meridian street, East Boston, Ward 1.
Joseph Riley, 298 Neponset avenue, Dorchester, Ward 16.
Maurice X. Roche, 136 Coleridge street, Boston, Ward 1.
Thomas Scott, 12 Pine street, Hyde Park, Ward 18.
Robert E. Kneeland, 7 Thomas park, South Boston, Ward 7.
William A. Scott, 385 Meridian street, East Boston, Ward 1.

Severally referred to the Committee on Licenses.

ORGANIZATION OF BOARD OF OVERSEERS OF PUBLIC WELFARE.

Notice was received from the Board of Overseers of Public Welfare of organization of the Board at its annual meeting on May 2 as follows:

Chairman, Joseph K. Collins; vice chairman, James S. Maloof; treasurer, Joseph E. Scanlon; secretary, William G. O'Hare.

Placed on file.

APPROVAL BY STATE HOUSING BOARD.

Notice was received from the State Housing Board of approval of sale by the Boston Housing Authority of thirteen parcels of property under section 6 of chapter 372 of the Acts of 1946.

Placed on file.

NOTICE OF HEARINGS BEFORE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES.

Notice was received from the Department of Public Utilities of hearing to be held May 18 at 2.15 P.M. on petition of the Metropolitan Transit Authority for license to operate motor vehicles on Lowney Way Extension, between junction of Chelsea street and Lowney Way, Charlestown.

Notice was received from the Department of Public Utilities of hearing to be held May 18 at 2.15 P.M. on petition of Metropolitan Transit Authority to operate motor vehicles for purpose of transporting employees of the Farrington Manufacturing Company on Green street between Washington and Centre streets, Centre street between Green street and South Huntington avenue, South Huntington avenue between Centre street and Huntington avenue, Huntington avenue between South Huntington avenue and the Boston-Brookline line; Chestnut Hill avenue between the Brookline-Boston line and Cleveland Circle, Cleveland Circle.

Notice was received from the Department of Public Utilities of hearing to be held May 26 at 10.15 A.M. as to propriety of the rates and charges filed April 28, 1955 by the Middlesex & Boston Street Railway Company.

Severally placed on file.

NOTICE FROM DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES.

A communication was received from the Department of Public Utilities transmitting copy of order granting petition of Boston Edison Company for exemption of land situated between Southwood and Woodbine streets, Roxbury, and substation from operation of zoning laws.

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APPROVAL OF CONSTABLES' BONDS.

The constables' bonds of the following, having been duly approved by the Collector-Treasurer, were received and approved by the Council:

Norman L. Munson, William G. Peters, Edward J. Rockett, Artbur C. Stanton.

APPOINTMENT OF KEEPER OF THE LOCKUP.

Notice was received from the Police Commissioner of the appointment of Capt. Francis W. Russell to be Keeper of the Lockup for period of one year from May 6, 1955.

Placed on file.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMISSION RE STRAYER SURVEY OF SCHOOL SYSTEM.

The following was received:

The Finance Commission of the City of Boston,
May 4, 1955.

To the Mayor and City Council.

Ten years have now elapsed since the Finance Commission undertook to make a complete "Survey of the Organization and Administration of the Boston School System," and to produce a manual for improvement in the educational program. The technical director of this survey was Dr. George D. Strayer, who has been for many years an eminent specialist in this field. The so-called Strayer Report was released by the Finance Commission late in 1944.

As in the case of the more recent survey of the departments under the control of the Mayor and City Council, the question is often asked: "What has been accomplished by this survey?" To answer this question fairly and accurately is not an easy matter. The original Strayer Report comprised over 1,100 pages. An intelligent digest of it required 65 pages. Altogether it contains over 1,000 recommendations, more than 100 being of major import. Hence it can be realized that to give a complete answer would require almost another survey of the proportions of the original one made in 1911 by Dr. Strayer.

However, it can be fairly and accurately stated that very substantial progress has been made toward the goals set up in the survey in the areas of organization and administration; and it can also be fairly and accurately stated that the portion of Dr. Strayer's report relating to the educational program has served as a textbook for teacher here and elsewhere.

In 1946, when the Strayer Report was two years old, the Commission reported on the extent to which major recommendations of the report had been adopted to that time. A great many, it was found, remained unadopted; nevertheless, many key recommendations had been followed. One reason advanced for the failure to adopt more of its recommendations was the fact, acknowledged by Dr. Strayer originally, that the process of adoption would, in many cases, be necessarily slow because of peculiar circumstances in the area involved. With the passing of a decade since the publication of this earlier accounting, the Finance Commission feels that a more complete analysis of the situation should now be given.

Admittedly, community changes, unpredictable at the time of the survey, have in the interim invalidated some recommendations; the extensive public housing projects, for example, have affected the validity of school building site recommendations found in the report.

At the time of the issuance of the original report in 1944, the conclusions and recommendations of Dr. Strayer were not too kindly received by the school administrators then in control. That attitude no longer exists. The Finance Commission believes this particular report has special significance because the following data, indicating compliance or noncompliance with the Strayer recommendations, was produced by the present Superintendent of Schools, Dennis C. Haley, at the behest of the Finance Commission. Furthermore, in the instances of noncompliance, there is explanation by Dr. Haley.

In the digest of the Strayer Report referred to hereinbefore, there is a total of 108 recommendations. These might be said to relate to major issues.

In the following section there are listed: (1) the recommendations of Dr. Strayer; (2) the report by the Superintendent on the current status of progress of adoption; and (3), in some instances, comment by the Finance Commission expressing a viewpoint on the matter in question.

RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE STRAYER SURVEY COMMITTEE FROM THE DIGEST.

(The report of the Superintendent is indented under each recommendation. Page numbers refer to the digest of the Strayer Report.)

ADMINISTRATIVE ORGANIZATION AND MANAGEMENT—Page 13.

1. The Superintendent of Schools should be made the chief executive officer of the School Committee and of the school system, with power to nominate his immediate assistants.

Accomplished.

2. The Administrative Boards should be dissolved.

Accomplished.

3. The Board of Superintendents should be continued as an advisory and quasi-judicial board.

Accomplished.

4. The assistant superintendents should be placed on a functional assignment, and relieved of their geographical responsibilities.

Accomplished.

5. The Board of Examiners should be given statutory status to permit independence of action.

Not necessary, since the Board of Examiners has been given adequate authority to prepare lists of eligibles for both original appointment and promotion on the basis of such tests as it may devise.

6. A comprehensive and integrated budget procedure be introduced.

Accomplished.

7. The central organization be moved from 15 Beacon street to 7 Beacon street.

Not accomplished, but new location is desirable.

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION—Page 14.

8. The Department of School Lunches, the Superintendent of School Buildings, and the Schoolhouse Custodian should, by changes in the bylaws of the School Committee, be made administratively subordinate to the chief business officer of the school system. This business officer should preferably have the title of assistant superintendent and should be directly responsible to the Superintendent of Schools.

Accomplished in part. Schoolhouse Custodian and Business Manager are now responsible administratively to the Superintendent. A similar relationship between the Superintendent of Schools and the Superintendent of Construction is also desirable.

FINANCIAL ADMINISTRATION—Page 15.

9. The adoption of standard classification and procedure in preparing the budget.

Accomplished in appropriation accounting by adoption of national standard under Bulletin 2010 of the United States Department of Health, Education, and Welfare.

10. Simplification and mechanization of accounting.

In process, pending installation of punch card system.

11. (a) Revision of the current auditing procedure and (b) the employment of more helpful and complete auditing service than is now received.

(a) Auditing is now in conformity with accepted accounting principles and procedures.

(b) Every item is now checked in the individual schools.

12. Development of a more effective means of acquainting the School Department and the general public with the financial problems and operations of the school system.

As a more effective means of presenting financial problems and operations of the school system, a new, condensed budget has been prepared in recent years on a functional basis and is accompanied by a detailed letter of transmittal. In addition, the annual report of the Business Manager has been revised and simplified.

PURCHASE AND MANAGEMENT OF SUPPLIES—Page 16.

13. Good values are obtained, but there is not enough competition for school business.

It must be borne in mind that in 1943-44, when the Strayer Survey was in progress, war conditions made it impossible to follow normal procedures in obtaining supplies. The office of the Business Manager is constantly striving to improve purchasing practices and to invite wide competition. To achieve this objective specifications are frequently revised; market conditions and quality controls, etc., are subject of continuing study. Although the law requires competitive bidding and contracts of $1,000 or more, the office of the Business Manager goes beyond the statutory requirements by seeking bids on smaller contracts.

14. (a) Testing and (b) stock control procedures should be improved.

(a) An independent chemical analyst is regularly engaged by the Business Manager to see that specifications and contractual obligations are met. Experience has convinced the Business Manager that this system is both adequate and economical.

(b) Two full-time inspectors are now employed to keep records of physical inventories. When punch-card installations are made, these inventories will be reconciled with machine records for further accuracy.

15. Machines should be installed for supply operations.

Several already in use.

16. Provisions should be made for purchase of postwar surplus materials, especially for cafeterias.

Accomplished.

OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS—Page 17.

17. Manpower needs for custodian services should be calculated.

Surveys were made in 1948 in connection with the establishment of the 40-hour week as a basis for equalizing work load. Square footage and building uses were considered. As a result 127 additional custodians were appointed. The number of assistant schoolhouse custodians has been increased to four since the Strayer Survey to provide more effective supervision and direction of custodial

services and to make recommendations concerning manpower and other needs to maintain highest standards of building maintenance.

Finance Commission Observation: In accordance with Strayer recommendation a study of all phases of the custodian question has recently been completed by the Jacobs Company of Chicago, Public Administration Consultants; the findings and recommendations are now under consideration by the School Committee. Included are: determination of manpower requirements, simplified salary and classification plan, recommendations for improvements in this area.

18. There is need for an organized training program to give custodians needed skills.

Not accomplished as a formal training program. However, custodians are trained by senior custodians in development of skills. Custodians also receive instruction, supervision, and direction from the Schoolhouse Custodian and the four assistant schoolhouse custodians.

19. More women could be employed, especially in girls' schools.

Schoolhouse Custodian sees no need for women. Men are more adaptable for the various types of work required because of the number of small buildings and the many outside occupancies.

OPERATION OF BUILDINGS—Page 18.

20. Schoolhouse Custodian's title should be changed to Supervisor of Plant Operation. He should be not directly under School Committee, but under Assistant Superintendent for Business Affairs and Housing.

Schoolhouse Custodian is now directly responsible to Superintendent. No further change recommended.

21. A small, permanent maintenance crew should be employed to do repair work.

Maintenance work comes under the Department of School Buildings rather than under the School Committee. At present the Department of School Buildings employs small, permanent crews of electricians and furniture refinishers.

Finance Commission Observation: Relatively little maintenance work done by permanent crew of School Buildings Department.

MAINTENANCE OF BUILDINGS—Page 19.

22. Position of Engineer of the School Committee, who is now liaison officer between the Superintendent of Schools and the Board of Commissioners of School Buildings, may be abolished without losing efficiency.

This recommendation is predicated upon the amendment of existing legislation concerning the Department of School Buildings and the transfer of the duties of this department to the School Committee.

23. Improved methods for care of floors should be adopted.

Since the oiling of wooden floors has been prohibited for reasons of safety, every possible kind of preparation has been tried in vain to seal floors adequately. New mopping machines have been acquired to facilitate washing. New buffing machines have improved method of caring for linoleum and tile floors, and all modern methods are being employed to care for floors which are made of material other than wood.

24. Lighting and fire-safety conditions should be subjected to engineer-analysis.

An analysis of lighting conditions has been made by electrical engineers of the Department of School Buildings, but because of large sums allocated to mandatory requirements of public safety laws, progress in correcting poor conditions has been delayed.

Since 1945, when chapter 143, the Public Safety Law, was amended to include Boston, every school building has been surveyed by the Department of Public Safety. To date more than $3,500,000 has been spent for the installation of fire escapes, enclosure of stairways, etc., to meet the rigid requirements of this law. At present this work is 99.9 per cent accomplished.

25. Administrative staff for maintenance of plant may be considerably reduced in size.

Requires legislative action placing Department of School Buildings under the School Committee.

26. Minor repairs should be part of work of custodians.

Custodians always have made some minor repairs.

Finance Commission Observation: Amount of such work done by custodians is negligible.

27. Sanitary facilities should be modernized as far as possible.

Sanitary facilities are being modernized as quickly as funds will permit. Work of this type has been completed in eight schools. To carry out this program in all schools would cost $1,250,000. Handwashing facilities with attendant temperature control equipment and soap and towel dispensers have been installed in approximately 80 schools. Work is progressing as funds are available.

28. Designing of major alterations should be done by private architects and engineers.

This recommendation is related by the Survey Committee to transfer of control of school buildings to the School Committee. However, at the present time designing of major alterations is done almost exclusively by private architects and engineers. In the Public Safety Program each project in major alteration work was grouped with four others and let out to private architects.

29. There should be an orderly comprehensive plan for improvement and repair program.

A long-range plan for modernization of school buildings has been prepared. Painting and improvement of lighting and plumbing facilities are progressing as rapidly as funds will permit.

PLANNING, CONSTRUCTION, AND UTILIZATION OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS—Page 20.

30. Higher standards of safety, sanitation, and educational adaptation be drafted and applied to all future construction, and, as future budgets permit, to the alteration of otherwise satisfactory existing school buildings.

The highest standards of safety, sanitation, and educational adaptation have been provided for in the modernization program mentioned above as well as in the plans for 17 new building projects. Four of these projects have been completed since 1950.

These are as follows:

Addition to the Brighton High School Garage.

Michael J. Perkins School: Addition of 5 classrooms and a kindergarten.

Hemenway School, Henry Grew District, Hyde Park: A new 6-room building with assembly hall and kindergarten.

New Fairmount School, Elihu Greenwood District, Hyde Park: A new 12-room building with an all-purpose room and kindergarten.

The other 13 new building projects are described below.

Martin District, Roxbury—Thomas Dwight site: Elementary school to accommodate 1,010 pupils—24 classrooms, 2 double kindergartens, 1 manual training room, 1 sewing room, 1 assembly hall, 1 playroom, 1 cooking room, and 1 sheet metal shop.

Blackinton-John Cheverus District, East Boston— Blackinton-Curtis Guild site: Addition to Curtis Guild building to accommodate 140 pupils—4 classrooms, 1 manual training room, 1 sewing room, and 1 all-purpose room.

Blackinton-John Cheverus District, East Boston—Orient Heights area: Elementary school to accommodate 340 pupils—9 classrooms and 1 kindergarten.

William E. Russell District, Dorchester—Columbia Point, Calf Pasture area: Elementary school (first building) to accommodate 1,010 pupils—26 classrooms, 2 double kindergartens, 1 manual training room, 1 sewing room, 1 assembly hall, and 1 playroom.

James J. Chittick District, Mattapan: Addition to James J. Chittick building to accommodate 190 pupils—4 classrooms, 1 double kindergarten, 1 all-purpose room, and miscellaneous rooms.

Rice-Franklin District, South End—former English High School site: Elementary school to replace Rice and Bancroft buildings, to accommodate 1,010 pupils—22 classrooms, 2 kindergartens, 1 manual training room, 1 sewing room, 1 assembly hall, 1 cooking room, 1 sheet metal shop, and 1 gymnasium.

Sherwin District, Roxbury—Boston Trade High School: Erection of addition to provide cafeteria and gymnasium; also relocation of woodworking shop.

Solomon Lewenberg Junior High School, Outlook road, Mattapan: Erection of addition to provide gymnasium.

Mary Hemenway District, Dorchester—Elbridge Smith School site: Elementary school to replace the Elbridge Smith building, to accommodate 330 pupils—8 classrooms, 2 kindergartens, 1 sewing room, and 1 all-purpose room.

Elihu Greenwood District, Hyde Park—Needham Road lots, Fairmount area: New elementary school to accommodate 445 pupils—12 classrooms, 1 kindergarten, 1 sewing room, 1 all-purpose room.

Henry Grew District, Hyde Park—Henry Grew site, Gordon avenue: Elementary building to replace the Henry Grew building, to accommodate 305 pupils—8 classrooms, 1 kindergarten, 1 sewing room, 1 all-purpose room.

Dwight District, South End—Dwight-Louisa May Alcott area: Elementary school to replace Dwight and Louisa May Alcott buildings, to accommodate 715 pupils—19 classrooms, 2 kindergartens, 1 manual training room, 1 sewing room, 1 assembly hall, and 1 playroom.

Elihu Greenwood District, Hyde Park—Elihu Greenwood site, Metropolitan avenue: Elementary school to replace the Elihu Greenwood building, to accommodate 470 pupils—12 classrooms, 2 kindergartens, 1 sewing room, 1 manual training room, and 1 all-purpose room.

Yards.

Lewis District, Roxbury Memorial High School yard (Girls' Building): Development of side yard for play space.

Charles Sumner District, Roslindale: Development of lot at corner of Poplar and Dale streets for additional play space for the George H. Conley School, and modernization work in the existing schoolyard.

Bigelow District, South Boston: Purchase of vacant land on Silver street, to supplement play space for pupils, Bigelow School yard.

Dudley District, Roxbury, land adjacent to William Bacon School site: Purchase and development of lot located at corner of Auburn street and Oakburn court, comprising 6,428 square feet.

31. Boston schools should be made safe against fire.

Refer to No. 24.

32. A long-range school housing policy and program should be established.

Since 1951 the Superintendent of Schools has submitted annually to the City Planning Board his long-range capital improvement program, which currently provides for 32 new building projects to cost approximately $40,000,000.

Under this program of the Superintendent of Public Schools two bond issues of $5,000,000 each have been authorized: one in 1953, and the other in 1954. This total of $10,000,000 has been allocated by the School Committee for the erection of 13 new buildings and 4 additions. Contracts are about to be let on certain of these buildings, and construction is expected to begin in April, 1955. Plans are so well advanced on other buildings that contracts are expected to be let and construction begun by September, 1955. The 13 buildings have been described in No. 31, which also includes descriptions of 4 schoolyards, which are being financed out of annual appropriations.

33. Thirty-five school buildings should be closed.

Thirty of the thirty-five buildings listed in the Strayer Survey have been closed; one more of these buildings will be closed as of June 30, 1955. The remaining four buildings have been kept open for various reasons such as distance, traffic hazards, increased enrollments, new housing developments, etc.

In addition to the thirty buildings mentioned above, a number of other school buildings have been closed in various sections of the city.

34. Board of Commissioners of School Buildings be dissolved and its statutory powers be transferred to the School Committee.

Not accomplished. Requires action by Legislature.

35. Planning and construction be placed under Assistant Superintendent for Business Affairs and Housing.

This recommendation is predicated upon amendment of legislation to transfer duties of Department of School Buildings to School Committee.

FOOD SERVICE IN THE SCHOOLS—Page 24.

36. Responsibility and authority for all school nutrition, except in the vocational schools, should be centered in the Director of School Lunches.

Director of School Lunches is responsible for food preparation and service in 37 schools, and cooperates in purchase of food for 3 schools which prepare and serve food independently (Trade High School for Girls, Girls' High School, and M. Gertrude Godvin). Only 2 schools are served by concessionaire, namely, the Washington Irving Junior High School and the Robert Gould Shaw Junior High School.

Supervisor of Nutrition of the Department of School Hygiene is responsible for inspection of physical surroundings in cafeteria: sanitation, quality, safety, protection of food, and promotion or improvement of the nutritional habits of school children.

37. The general supervision of the food service program, and the management of food service units in schools or groups of schools should be done by persons well qualified in nutrition, quantity food preparation, and business operations.

One year's paid experience in food work now required by Civil Service examination for cafeteria attendants. Cafeteria managers are selected by promotional examination for which cafeteria attendants with one year's service are eligible.

38. The nutrition program should be extended, offering more of the Type A, federally subsidized lunches. In the secondary schools it should include well-planned, nutritionally adequate meals.

Accomplished in all lunchrooms except Lewis and Donald McKay, where physical setup makes this program impossible, and in the High School of Commerce (presently located in the Boston Clerical Building), which is scheduled to close in June, 1955.

Expansion of the recommended nutrition program is indicated by the following comparison:

	1944 35 Cafeterias	1954 33 Cafeterias
Enrollment in Cafeterias.....	44,323	30,500
Total Special Lunches.....	250,184	631,729
Average Daily Special Lunches	1,390	3,748
Average Daily Participation..	3%	12.3%

39. As conditions permit, adequate equipment should be installed for food preparation, preservation, and storage, and for dishwashing.

Long-range plan in effect since 1943 has been only partly accomplished because of limited funds and the need of equipment to carry out policy of preparing food in individual schools rather than in a central kitchen.

40. (a) Jobs should be classified and wages standardized; (b) there should be central volume purchasing of staples, on specifications and competitive bids, for the sake of economy and uniform quality; (c) accounting controls should be established; (d) concessionnaire service should be discontinued.

(a) Now classified as cafeteria managers and cafeteria attendants.
(b) This procedure is in effect.
(c) Accomplished.
(d) Accomplished in all but two schools.

Finance Commission Observation: Classification and Pay Plan for food service recently completed by Jacobs Company and submitted to School Committee.

41. There should be an Advisory Committee, composed of administrators, teachers, parents, and others concerned with the problem of health, to guide the further development of the food service program.

In process.

ELEMENTARY EDUCATION — Page 30.

42. All elementary education should be placed under one assistant superintendent.

Accomplished.

43. Curriculum development, involving the active participation of all members of the instructional staff, should receive immediate and continuing attention. Among the first tasks will be a study (1) of Boston's children and (2) of Boston's resources for education.

In operation.

44. The daily program of the elementary school should not, as at present, be broken up into fifteen or twenty periods, one for each subject or activity. Instead, the program should follow an organization by large divisions, such as the language arts, the social studies, the sciences, and the fine and practical arts.

This recommendation has been incorporated into the tentative outline of the report of the Steering Committee on the Revision of the Elementary Curriculum, in which major areas of learning are organized in seven large divisions with time allotments varying from grade to grade in accordance with the best educational practices. The seven divisions are the following:

I. Before School Activities
II. Character Training
III. Arithmetic
IV. Fine Arts and Crafts
V. Health Education
VI. Language Arts
VII. Social Living

45. Children should have a full day of kindergarten instead of a half day, and for many children entering at the age of four there should be two years of kindergarten, in order that there may be readiness for the work of the first grade at the time of promotion to that grade.

The lengthening of the school day for kindergarten children is considered impractical by Boston school authorities.

The entering age for kindergarten in the Boston Public Schools is four and one-half years and for Grade I five and one-half years as of October 1 of the year of admission. Although authorities hold that six years plus is the optimum age for readiness for the first grade work, the entering age is generally lower in urban communities and large centers of population because of local conditions and parental desires. In the Boston Public Schools a special program is offered in the first grade to achieve readiness socially, emotionally, physically, etc., for the formal work of the grades.

46. Promotion practices should be restudied.
Under constant study.

47. There should be a comprehensive program of testing children for aptitudes, interests, and achievements, and the findings of such tests should be used in planning the further education of the children tested.

We have made great progress in our testing program. Achievement tests are now given in English and arithmetic in September of each year to determine pupils' readiness for work of the grade, their abilities, and their needs. It has been recommended that a testing day be scheduled in the spring to test achievement in year's work to date.

48. Adequate data about each individual child should be recorded on a cumulative record form and made available for use by the teachers responsible for his education.

Under continuous study by elementary principals. A "290 Card," which incorporates the best available features of a practical cumulative record form, is presently in use on a trial basis in several school districts.

SPECIAL EDUCATION — Page 31.

49. A better method of distinguishing mentally retarded pupils for admission to special classes is needed.

Pupils are carefully selected, tested, and studied before placement. Only those with I.Q's between 50 and 60 are admitted to special classes. Since 1947 subspecial classes have been conducted for those pupils with I.Q's under 50.

50. Facilities, methods, and materials for teaching mentally retarded children should be improved.

New materials, specially adapted, have been introduced, and special library corners have been installed in all special classrooms. Atmosphere is homelike, and teachers are all trained in the unit method of teaching. All except one center has been closed, and pupils have been placed in buildings near their homes. Now in operation are 105 special classes and 17 subspecial classes. On the junior high school level 42 special classes are being conducted. A new course of study is in preparation.

51. More audiometer testing should be done in the Horace Mann School.

An otologist now conducts a clinic at the Horace Mann School and makes regular audiological examinations of all pupils.

Audiograms, which become permanent records of the Horace Mann School, have proven useful for out-of-school purposes, such as to assist selective service boards to determine degree of deafness of examinee.

52. Lighting should be improved in the classes for the conservation of eyesight.
Accomplished.

53. A more adequate method should be employed in selection of pupils for speech improvement classes (Page 32).

The testing procedure recommended by the American Speech and Hearing Association is now regularly followed in the selection of children for admission to speech improvement classes.

54. Remedial reading classes, taught by well-qualified teachers, are needed.

Forty remedial reading classes, including every grade level, are now in operation throughout the city. Thirty-four classes are in elementary schools, four in junior high schools, and two in high schools. Appropriation of sufficient funds to establish a remedial reading class in every elementary school district has been recommended in the 1955 budget.

Two committees, which have been studying the problem of remedial reading, are now preparing final reports and recommendations. One committee has worked on the administration of the remedial reading program; the other has studied the clinical approach to remedial reading.

55. Psychological testing, complete physical examination, and analysis of the individual's educational, social, and personality problems should precede the transfer of a boy to the M. Gertrude Godvin School (Page 32).

Testing, examination, and analysis prior to transfer to the Godvin School is not favored. The present procedure meets with great success the physical, mental, educational, emotional, social, and religious needs of the pupils and should not be changed.

Upon arrival at the Godvin School, all boys go through the "Receiving Room," where they receive a thorough physical examination and take I.Q., aptitude, and achievement tests. Immediate care is provided for apparent defects; and extraordinary care is provided if necessary for epileptics, diabetics, stammerers, and boys with nervous disorders, deafness, near blindness, etc. Psychiatric treatment is also provided if needed.

Conferences are held with former principal, parents, probation or parole officers, and agencies interested or needed. A home visit is then made to complete the history of each child. Placement in the school program is then made in terms of needs, interests, capabilities, and limitations. All social and clinical agencies of school and community touching the child are also co-ordinated to contribute most effectively to his rehabilitation.

Although all who come to the school are habitual truants, only 1 to 3 per cent are committed each year to the County Training School. Thus 97 per cent to 99 per cent of the pupils of the Godvin School make satisfactory adjustments as a result of the school training which is related to individual needs as revealed by the present successful procedure of testing, examination, analysis, and placement.

56. A Juvenile Adjustment Clinic should be established as the central agency for the discovery and correction of personal problems among children and youth (Page 33).

A Juvenile Adjustment Clinic, as proposed by the Strayer Survey Committee, envisioned a far more elaborate organization than the Division of Juvenile Adjustment which correlates, confers with proper diagnostic and treatment agencies, and obtains proper therapy or makes proper placement of individual pupil. A recently appointed committee of three assistant superintendents is presently studying the problem of juvenile delinquency and adjustment.

THE EDUCATION OF YOUTH IN BOSTON — Page 34.

57. The problem of drop-outs should be studied.

A continuing study is being conducted under the direction of Assistant Superintendent Daley and a committee from the Head Masters' Association. "Stay in School" pamphlets have been prepared for general distribution to pupils and parents. Another has been prepared for principals and teachers. Class advisers in conjunction with specially assigned teachers are now checking on border-line cases and advise, assist, and encourage such pupils to keep them in school. Regular contacts are maintained between parents and teachers, and appeals are being made constantly through Home and School Associations to strengthen the holding power of the schools.

58. Future courses should provide for a sharing of responsibilities, in order to develop in pupils a greater ability to direct their own learning.

Insofar as it is possible in the orderly process of education, the Boston Public Schools encourage the development of initiative and independence of judgment by pupils in the direction of learning. Particularly is encouragement given in the increasing opportunities offered in student councils, forums, junior achievement, key clubs, junior rotarians, etc. Career Days are also held annually in all high schools to permit pupils to hear and to talk with leaders in professional, industrial, and business life who conduct panels or make individual presentations. These programs are preceded by orientation programs and followed by evaluation sessions.

59. A secondary school graduate should have developed a marketable skill.

A major aim of the school program is the development of marketable skills, and programs are constantly being expanded and adjusted to achieve this end more effectively for every individual pupil. For example, cooperative courses in distributive education are now conducted in four high schools. A course in merchandising is planned for the Roxbury Memorial High School (Boys) for next year. In addition, cooperative industrial courses and trade courses, as well as many of the commercial courses, are given by teachers with broad, practical experience, and offer on-the-job training opportunities or include projects which are carried out in school shops, offices, or classrooms under simulated working conditions. An effort is made to vocationalize every possible phase of education so that every pupil will have a specific skill if he does not continue beyond high school.

60. Boston's secondary schools for both younger and older youth should offer more opportunities for the study and practice of citizenship.

Recent courses of study indicate the continuing interest of the Boston Public Schools in the teaching of citizenship, which will come into every course at all levels in a most practical manner when the course of study in civic education proposed by Miss Fitzgerald on March 18, 1952, becomes operative completely.

This work was inaugurated in the fall of 1952 in cooperation with the State Department of Education and with Dr. John Mahoney and Dr. Holmes of the Civic Education Project.

Two periods weekly were allotted, and 35 pilot teachers were selected and trained in a special course preparatory to choosing and adapting material and methods to the needs and purposes of the various grades. An experienced head of a high school history department was designated as coordinator to supervise and visit classes, furnish current data, and sponsor civic projects such as field trips to historic shrines and active participation in such programs as Student Government Day, Student Exchange Day, etc.

Material has also been supplied to teachers of all subjects and methods suggested to employ every possible opportunity to teach and develop citizenship in all classes. To advance this program a 30-hour institute was presented under the title of "Making Better Citizens." Although attendance was voluntary, nearly 400 teachers participated.

61. The Boston School Committee should establish a secondary school of the technical institute type, to include the thirteenth and fourteenth grades (Page 35).

Not accomplished. The expense would be prohibitive at this time; also there is serious question of the need of such a school with so many private institutions offering this type of training in the city.

There is, however, a great present need for a new, modernized Technical High School to replace the present inadequate building and the colony now housing the student body. Such a replacement — to cost $5,712,000 — is included in the Capital Improvement Program of the Superintendent of Schools.

62. An assistant superintendent should be assigned to the organization and administration of all secondary education, including intermediate, high, Latin, vocational and trade schools, and technical institutes.
Accomplished.

63. An assistant superintendent should be assigned to the field of curriculum development and the improvement of instruction.
Accomplished.

64. A long-term plan for public education in Boston should be prepared.

In process. Curriculum committees are due to make specific reports in the near future. Tentative courses of study have been prepared and are being used by classroom teachers who are making suggestions and recommendations for consideration in the preparation of the final reports of the curriculum committees. To bring about uniformity, both horizontally and vertically; to guarantee ease and efficiency of progression from grade to grade; and to facilitate transfer from school to school; coordinating councils from all levels have worked closely with the curriculum committees.

65. The more than 3,000 youth now attending elementary school units should be placed in intermediate schools.

This recommendation has been followed whenever possible, but its realization has been limited by lack of separate accommodations in specific geographic areas. Junior high school system and school housing accommodations are now under study by special committees.

66. All of the schools for youth should be under the administrative direction of an assistant superintendent.

Accomplished.

INTERMEDIATE SCHOOLS—Page 37.

67. The intermediate schools should offer more exploratory facilities, including a well-defined and comprehensive program of school activities for getting new social experience, a program of individual counseling and guidance for the cultivation of new interests, and libraries where a student may seek intellectual adventure. (The above three ideas are labelled a, b, c.)

(a) Program does so provide. (b) New programs were prepared and printed by special committees on guidance for Grades VII in 1953 and for Grades VIII and IX in 1954. (c) Expense entailed in establishing libraries and obtaining properly qualified persons in charge has prevented the accomplishment of this recommendation, but junior high schools generally have made special book collections available to pupils. Furthermore, the Boston Public Library cooperates most effectively in providing "intellectual adventures" and supplementing the work of the junior high schools. This excellent working arrangement has been brought about through planning conferences between teachers and public school personnel and by the employment of Young Adult workers in all library branches to work closely with the schools and the pupils.

68. There should be only one curriculum in the intermediate school with enough flexibility to provide for the needs of everyone.

There is no uniformity of theory or practice on this subject. Our junior high schools offer four basic curricula: academic, general, fine arts, and mechanic arts for boys or practical arts for girls. Within each curriculum broad opportunities are offered for exploration, with due attention being given to core subjects.

DAY HIGH AND LATIN SCHOOL—Page 38.

69. Local curriculum resources, newspapers and news magazines, and more modern methods should be employed in high schools.

Boston Public Schools make the widest possible use of local curriculum resources, newspapers, and news magazines. School programs and local resources are correlated by visits, essay contests, general and particular cooperation with community agencies and business organizations, etc.

All such resources are included in courses of study at the levels at which they may be used most advantageously in the development of pupils in accordance with accepted educational objectives and practices.

Through the activities of curriculum committees and subject councils and through regular supervision by department heads and other supervisory personnel, the most effective modern methods are introduced into all courses, classrooms, and shops in Boston high schools.

70. The policy of segregation by sex should be given further local study.

There is no general agreement among educators on the subject of segregation by sex in public schools. Boston's traditional policy of conducting both segregated and nonsegregated high schools is in line with that of large school systems generally and in accord with local parental desires.

71. Personnel administration should provide more freely for the retirement of teachers on the basis of disability acquired in service.

Accomplished in part.

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION—Page 40.

72. The trade schools should feature cooperative part-time training.

Part-time cooperative industrial courses, which provide for students to spend alternate weeks in school and in outside employment in the trade after they reach the legal age for employment, are conducted in eight district high schools in agriculture, cabinetmaking, electricity, machine shop, printing, sheet metal, and upholstery.

The Trade High Schools have the authority to conduct somewhat similar courses which provide for actual, part-time work experience in industry. The Boston Trade High School does not presently conduct such courses, since placements are readily obtainable in trades for which students have been prepared under the present plan. The Trade High School for Girls, however, places every senior in employment on a part-time certificate. Every senior divides each school day between school work and regular employment, receives the minimum wage of the trade, and is visited and supervised by the head of her respective department who marks each student on school work and employment record.

Boston has successfully offered those various types of training, and officials are alert to any possible changes which may improve the preparation or the employment possibilities of pupils.

73. A better method should be provided for the selection and classification of industrial students to merit the probabilities of successful schoolroom work.

Conditions which suggested this recommendation have been subject of nation-wide criticism. Yet the problem of selection and classification of industrial pupils is under constant scrutiny, and steady progress is being made in the Boston Public Schools toward a solution, especially through an expanded guidance program and increased parental understanding and cooperation.

More specifically, a new procedure which permits pupils not completing mechanic arts courses in Grade IX to enter Boston Trade High School provides a broader base for selection. Aptitude tests, application blanks, and personal interviews by department heads have contributed greatly to the improvement of the process of selection.

74. A program of vocational education should be revised to make it more interesting and valuable.

This program is being constantly revised. For example, in distributive education, cooperative courses in salesmanship are now offered in six high schools, subject always to the approval and supervision of the State Department of Education by law.

Recently introduced are courses in refrigeration, television, electronics, offset printing, etc. Short unit courses have recently been introduced in the Trade High School for Girls. In general, courses are being made functional as well as vocational in the light of standards commensurate with business demands.

Supplementing course offerings and procedures are such worth-while programs as Career Days, Junior Achievement, etc.

75. The Brandeis Vocational School should be used as an opportunity school offering the young people much-needed short unit courses of instruction.

Brandeis Vocational High School has been closed and sold.

76. A "technical institute" type of school should be established to give vocational training of more than high school but less than full college grade, and to prepare workers for industrial jobs that lie somewhere between the skilled trade worker and the engineer. With certain changes the present Boston Technical High School could be used for this purpose.

Not accomplished. When the new Boston Technical High School is erected and in use the advisability of offering training beyond the high school level to selected school pupils will be carefully considered.

77. The Boston Clerical School and the High School of Commerce should be used to train young men and women at the posthigh school level for subexecutive and semiprofessional positions in commercial lines.

The High School of Commerce will close as of June, 1955. Opportunities to train for subexecutive and semiprofessional positions in commercial lines have been offered and are being offered at Boston Clerical School for young men and young women. Refresher courses are given for adults who may spend the time necessary to regain or acquire business skills.

78. A position of Director of Business Education should be filled in order to raise this important branch of vocational education to a proper standing.

Provision for the employment of a Director of Business Education has been made in the present budget, and a rating for this position is now in process.

79. The administration of all vocational education should be lodged with Assistant Superintendent of Secondary Education.

Accomplished.

80. There should be wider use of citizen-advisory committees for the trades and commercial branches.

Accomplished.

HEALTH EDUCATION, PHYSICAL EDUCATION, AND RECREATION—Page 43.

81. Every pupil should be given a careful physical examination every three years instead of a high-spotted inspection every twelve months.

In effect. Under the authority of section 57, chapter 71, G. L., as amended on July 9, 1951, to take effect in September, 1952, the Department of Public Health has established detailed regulations for the physical examination of school children in Massachusetts. These regulations contain the following provision: "The School Committee or Board of Health shall cause every child in the public schools to be separately and carefully examined by a physician duly registered in Massachusetts within six months before entrance to school or during the first year after entrance and at intervals of either three or four years thereafter."

82. The preparation of teachers of health education, the curriculum, and the method of instruction should be improved.

(a) The teaching of health education has been gradually assigned to teachers of physical education all of which are required to take minor examination in health education as a prerequisite for appointment. The Director of Physical Education and his assistants have major degrees in this field.

(b) Content, methods, and materials in health education are presently subject of study by the Curriculum Committee.

83. An expert and competent person should be placed in charge of health education.

Plans are in progress to improve the program in health education and to meet the highest standards of competence in the person who will be selected as the result of a rating to fill the present vacancy caused by the retirement of the Supervisor of Health Education and Safety Education.

84. Conditions of healthful school living, such as (a) handwashing facilities and (b) length of lunch period, should be improved.

(a) Accomplished. Refer to No. 27.

(b) Not accomplished. However, in the study just completed, elementary principals and teachers have recommended a lunch hour of one hour and an extension of the school day to 2:30 to retain required number of teaching hours. This recommendation has not yet been acted upon.

85. Physical education in the elementary schools is inadequate because of (a) emphasis on posture training and formal exercise, (b) lack of suitable facilities, and (c) time allotments.

(a) Not correct; emphasis in physical education in the elementary schools of Boston is on games, dances, and body mechanics in accordance with approved educational standards.

(b) Facilities have been improved insofar as has been possible under building restrictions.

(c) A new time allotment has been recommended in the tentative report of the Steering Committee on the Revision of the Elementary School Curriculum.

86. Intermediate schools should be properly equipped with gymnasia, lockers, and showers to permit a broader program.

Fifteen of the nineteen junior high schools have regular gymnasia, and one has showers and locker rooms. The Department of Physical Education has recommended yearly that shower and locker facilities be installed, but funds have not been available.

However, since 1945, a much broader junior high school program has been instituted and implemented (1) by the appointment of two assistant directors to supervise junior high school programs; (2) by the appointment of men teachers in physical education; (3) by an increase in time allotment; and (4) by the establishment of intramural and competitive programs in basketball, track, touch football, and baseball.

Military science was abolished in Grade IX in junior high schools in 1953.

87. Military drill should not be viewed as an equivalent substitute for physical education.

Military drill is a subject distinct from physical education and is not viewed as an equivalent.

88. A separate Division of Recreation should be organized, with an associate director who in addition to his other duties would achieve coordination between school and community recreational programs.

An associate director has been appointed in the new Department of Adult Educational and Recreational Activities to coordinate school and community recreational programs.

89. The Department of School Hygiene and Physical Education should be combined into a single unit to be known as "Division of Health and Physical Education."

Not accomplished. Organization of these departments is not uniform throughout the country. It is generally considered inadvisable, however, to combine educational and medical functions in a single department.

GUIDANCE—Page 46.

90. Boston's guidance program should rest more securely on a scientific basis to be accomplished by (a) a broader research and (b) more complete pupil personnel records.

(a) A broad program of research has always been carried on by the Department of Vocational Guidance. Many studies of a continuous

nature, such as the follow-up surveys of graduates and the reports on school leavers, have been exceptionally valuable.

(b) Refer to No. 18.

ADULT EDUCATION—Page 47.

91. The School Committee should establish a policy and a plan for adult education in terms of the needs and desires of the public.

This recommendation has been effected by

(a) Adapting of content and method to the needs and desires of adults.

(b) Permitting freedom of discussion and expression of opinion in all adult classes.

(c) Equipping the trade and vocational schools with machines that compare favorably with machines used by adults in industry.

(d) Combining the evening schools and the evening centers into one department of adult education and recreation under one head.

92. Boston's adult education program should offer universal learning opportunity to its citizens.

This recommendation is too broad in scope since it would require a central building with special equipment and unlimited curriculum with a specialized faculty serving a group of too widely disassociated interests. To be really effective, many buildings of this type would be required if businessmen and others in different sections of the city wanted one hour or so of instruction at noon, morning, or evening. This would make the cost prohibitive. Theoretically, the idea is excellent; practically, the administration and setup of so broad an undertaking is something decidedly different.

However, evening schools have been established for those who lacked certain subjects in day school education for which a present need is felt; who desire to supplement day school education; who received credit for day school work. This credit added to evening school credit has resulted in pupils receiving evening elementary or high school diplomas. This has been made possible by providing

(a) Opportunity day or evening for acquiring citizenship.

(b) Cultural subjects for those desiring to study them.

(c) Social civic opportunities through informal gatherings, discussions, and clubs in school centers.

(d) School centers for recreation under informal supervision.

(e) Trade training courses open to all.

PERSONNEL ADMINISTRATION—Page 50.

93. Personnel administration should be made the full-time responsibility of an assistant superintendent, under the direction of the Superintendent of Schools.

Accomplished.

94. The Board of Examiners should be established by an act of the legislature as a permanent agency.

Not accomplished.

95. The assistant superintendents should be relieved of the duty of rating teachers.

Not accomplished.

96. (a) The Board of Examiners should be given full and unhampered authority to prepare lists of eligibles both for original appointment and promotion on the basis of such tests as it may devise; (b) this process of selection should be followed for all positions below the rank of director.

(a) Authority of Board of Examiners in this regard has been increased.

(b) Rating systems now in effect for all ranks below that of assistant superintendent.

97. Beginning teachers should receive better remuneration to allow them to concentrate on getting off to a good start.

Accomplished.

98. Personnel administration should provide means by which teachers and other workers are helped constantly to move toward greater competence.

In-service training courses, large and active curriculum committees and subject councils, and continual assistance from Department of Practice and Training assist teachers toward greater competence.

99. The Personnel Department when established will administer the intake and release of employees.

Now in operation.

100. The local residence rule should be rescinded.

Accomplished.

101. The study of the salary problem should be the responsibility of the Personnel Department.

An Assistant Superintendent in Charge of Personnel has been appointed since the Strayer Survey. Salary problems have been made his responsibility.

102. Large savings may be effected in the salary budget by establishing the teacher-pupil ratios: elementary—32-33; high school—27; practical arts and vocational schools—23; intermediate schools—27.

In 1953-54 ratios were as follows: elementary schools—30.6; high schools—23.2; practical arts and vocational schools—15; junior high schools—31.2.

103. A basic salary schedule for the regular teaching personnel should be derived. It is only through such a basic schedule that unified policy can be achieved. Essential differentiations can, of course, be made from a basic schedule.

Partly accomplished by adjustments already made in the process of establishing a single salary schedule.

104. The Boston school system should adopt a single salary schedule, based on the educational training and experience of the teaching force, as contrasted with the basing of salaries on position or grade level.

Single salary schedule has been approved by the School Committee.

105. Boston should adopt the principle of equal pay for men and women and then proceed to develop a schedule which recognizes this principle to the greatest extent possible in the light of fiscal limitations. If full recognition of this principle cannot be achieved at once, the School Committee should seek to achieve it by steps, but in terms of a comprehensive plan for doing so.

Accomplished.

106. Salaries for personnel engaged in administrative, supervisory, and special services require a simplification which can stem only from better classification. These salaries should be considered as differentiations from the basic salary schedule. Fewer salary grades for these persons are needed.

Now under consideration.

107. Instructional salary policy ought to be so devised as to cause the large proportion of school money used for personal services to achieve a substantial and observable upgrading in the professional preparation of teachers for their work. This is the most important single outcome of good salary policy.

Provided in single salary policy as enunciated.

Respectfully submitted,
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THE FINANCE COMMISSION.

ROBERT E. CUNNIFF,
Secretary.

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NOTICE OF INTEREST IN CONTRACT.

Notice was received from Samuel J. Tomasello, member of the Board of Appeal, of interest in contract between the City of Boston and the S. J. Tomasello Corporation.

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENTS BY THE MAYOR.

Notices were received from the Mayor of the following appointments:

Howard T. Clinch, 38 Newbury street, member of Art Commission in the Administrative Services Department for term ending May 1, 1960.

Samuel S. Eisenberg, 739 Boylston street, Boston, member of Board of Zoning Adjustment in the City Planning Department for term ending May 1, 1960.

Douglas B. Footit, 11 Beacon street, Boston, to be alternate to Samuel S. Eisenberg of Board of Zoning Adjustment in the City Planning Department for term ending May 1, 1960.

George W. Judkins, 31 State street, Boston, member of the Board of Appeal in the Building Department for term ending May 1, 1960.

Severally placed on file.

ORGANIZATION OF LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

Notice was received from Milton E. Lord, director, of the organization of the Trustees of the Public Library as follows: president, the Most Reverend Richard J. Cushing; vice president, Mr. Frank W. Buxton; clerk, Miss Elizabeth B. Brockunier.

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REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCE.

Coun. HAILER, for the Committee on Appropriations and Finance, submitted the following:

1. Report on message of the Mayor and order (referred May 2) for appropriation of $75,000 from Special Account, Sales of City Property, to be expended under direction of the Traffic Commission for installation of traffic signal lights at various locations—that same ought to pass.

The report was accepted, and the order was passed, yeas 9:

Yeas—Councillors Ahearn, Foley, Hailer, Hurley, Kerrigan, McCormack, McLaughlin, Piemonte, White—9.

2. Report on message of the Mayor and order (referred May 2) for appropriation of $18,000 from income of George F. Parkman Fund, to be expended under the direction of the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation—recommending that same ought to pass.

The report was accepted, and the order was passed, yeas 9:

Yeas—Councillors Ahearn, Foley, Hailer, Hurley, Kerrigan, McCormack, McLaughlin, Piemonte, White—9.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFIRMATIONS.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN, for the Committee on Confirmations, submitted the following:

1. Report on appointment by the Mayor (referred May 2) of Newman A. Flanagan as constable with authority to serve civil process upon filing of bond for the term ending April 30, 1956—recommending that appointment be confirmed.

2. Report on appointment by the Mayor (referred May 2) of Richard E. Brodeur as weigher of coal and goods for the term ending April 30, 1956—recommending that appointment be confirmed.

3. Report on appointment by the Mayor (referred May 2) of Vincent Krowski, George Powellock, and Thomas R. Gannin as weighers of goods for the term ending April 30, 1956—recommending that appointments be confirmed.

The reports were accepted, and the question came on confirmation. Committee, Councillors Kerrigan and Piemonte. Whole number of ballots 9, yeas 9, and the appointments were confirmed.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON LICENSES.

Coun. HAILER for the Committee on Licenses, submitted the following:

1. Report on notice from the Department of Public Utilities (referred April 11) of hearing to be held on petition of MTA to operate motor vehicles over Columbus avenue, between Washington street and Tremont street, and Tremont street, between Columbus avenue and Broadway—recommending that same be placed on file.

The report was accepted, and the notice was placed on file.

2. Report on application (referred May 2) for commercial use shellfish permit for Peter E. Clancy—recommending that permit be granted.

3. Report on applications (referred today) for commercial use shellfish permits for Herbert Bennett, Edward W. Elms, Anthony J. Ferragamo, David F. Fullerton, James H. Grant, Roy Kneeland, Harold T. Matthews, Joseph Riley, Maurice X. Roche, Thomas Scott, Robert E. Kneeland, William A. Scott—recommending that permits be granted.

4. Report on application (referred April 25) for commercial use shellfish permit for William E. Vuillemier—recommending that permit be granted.

The reports were accepted, and the permits were granted under the usual conditions.

RECESS.

On motion of Councillor Piemonte, the Council voted to take a recess at 2.25 P.M., subject to the call of the Chair. The members reassembled in the Council Chamber and were called to order by President HURLEY at 2.56 P.M.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. WHITE, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following:

1. Report on message of the Mayor (referred February 7) re appointment of committee to investigate all phases of group insurance, accident, and health plans, etc.—recommending that same be placed on file.

2. Report on communication from Charles J. Fox, Director of Administrative Services (referred August 16, 1954), submitting report on subject of post auditing of departmental accounts—recommending that same be placed on file.

3. Report on message of the Mayor (referred March 21) re procedures adopted by the city for determining the MDC and MTA assessments levied upon the city—recommending that same be placed on file.

The reports were accepted and the messages and communications were severally placed on file.

4. Report on order (referred April 4) re use by A. M. and F. M. radio and television stations in Boston of tape recordings of Council meetings or committee meetings—recommending that the order ought to pass.

The report was accepted and the order was passed.

5. Report on order (referred April 11) requesting the Mayor to appoint a Citizens Fiscal Survey Committee—recommending that same ought to pass.

The report was accepted and the order was passed.

6. Report on order (referred April 11) re legislation for purpose of obtaining bond issue for construction of hotel and convention hall in Back Bay area—recommending that same ought to pass.

The report was accepted and the order was passed.

7. Report on order (referred April 11) that Planning Board consider overall plan for urban redevelopment of West End area and Scollay

square, relocation of City Hall and other governmental structures, and use of present City Hall as an off-street parking facility—recommending that same ought to pass.

The report was accepted and the order was passed.

8. Report on resolution (referred April 18) on strengthening of City Planning Department—recommending that resolution be adopted.

The report was accepted and the resolution was adopted.

9. Report on message of the Mayor (referred April 18) re expansion of City Planning Department staff to permit study of Metropolitan Transit Authority facilities in downtown Boston—recommending that the message be placed on file.

The report was accepted and the message was placed on file.

10. Report on message of the Mayor and six orders (referred today) re naming of various intersections in honor of deceased veterans—recommending that same ought to pass.

The report was accepted and the orders were severally passed.

11. Report on message of the Mayor and order (referred April 11) for approval of certain contracts for the collection and removal of refuse— recommending that same ought to pass.

The report was accepted and the order was passed.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CLAIMS.

Coun. McCORMACK, for the Committee on Claims, submitted the following:

1. Report on petition of Arthur J. Landry (referred April 25) to be reimbursed for amount of execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Maintenance Division, Fire Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That the sum of two hundred ninety-five dollars ($295) be allowed and paid to Arthur J. Landry in reimbursement for amount of execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Maintenance Division, Fire Department, said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

2. Report on petition of John F. Neilson (referred April 11) to be reimbursed as a result of an execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Sanitary Division, Public Works Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That the sum of five hundred eighty-three dollars ($583) be allowed and paid to John F. Neilson in reimbursement for amount of execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Sanitary Division, Public Works Department, said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

3. Report on petition of William F. Keenan (referred April 25) to be reimbursed as a result of an execution issued against him on account of his acts as a member of the Police Department —recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That the sum of eight thousand four hundred sixty-seven dollars and forty-three cents ($8,467.43) be allowed and paid to William F. Keenan in reimbursement for amount of execution issued against him on account of his acts as a member of the Police Department, said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

4. Report on petition of James E. McTigue (referred April 25) to be reimbursed as a result of an execution issued against him on account of his acts as a member of the Police Department —recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That the sum of three thousand four hundred thirty-nine dollars and forty cents ($3,439.40) be allowed and paid to James E. McTigue in reimbursement for amount of execution issued against him on account of his acts as a member of the Police Department, said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

5. Report on petition of John J. Hoar (referred April 18) to be reimbursed as a result of an execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Fire Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That the sum of eighty-five dollars ($85) be allowed and paid to John J. Hoar in reimbursement for amount of execution issued against him on account of his acts as a member of the Fire Department, said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

6. Report on petition of Arthur W. Wagner (referred April 25) to be reimbursed as a result of an execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Fire Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That the sum of nine hundred fifty dollars ($950) be allowed and paid to Arthur W. Wagner in reimbursement for amount of execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Fire Department, said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

7. Report on petition of Chester T. Wojdakowski (referred March 28) to be reimbursed as a result of an execution issued against him on account of his acts as a member of the Police Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That the sum of six hundred seventy-seven dollars and ninety-nine cents ($677.99) be allowed and paid to Chester T. Wojdakowski in reimbursement for amount of execution issued against him on account of his acts as a member of the Police Department, said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

8. Report on petition of Edwina M. Sullivan (referred October 4, 1954) to be paid an annuity on account of the death of her husband, Frank J. Sullivan, late member of the Fire Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 89A of chapter 32 of the General Laws an annuity of fifteen hundred dollars be allowed and paid to Edwina M. Sullivan, widow of Frank J. Sullivan, a member of the Fire Department, who died on August 28, 1954, on account of injuries received in the performance of his duty, said annuity to continue so long as she remains unmarried; the annuity to become effective upon the date of the approval of this order by the Mayor, and to be charged to the appropriation for Fire Department Pensions and Annuities.

9. Report on petition of George F. Scanlon (referred April 25) to be reimbursed as a result of an execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Sheriff's Office, Suffolk County—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That the sum of three thousand four hundred dollars ($3,400) be allowed and paid to George F. Scanlon in reimbursement for amount of execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Suffolk County Sheriff's Office, said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

The reports were accepted and the orders were severally passed.

COMPENSATION PLAN FOR FIRE FIGHTERS AND POLICEMEN.

Coun. KERRIGAN offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be requested to give consideration to the adoption of a compensation plan for fire fighters and policemen which will, over a period of time, bring the salaries of these two groups to a point comparable to salaries paid in the larger cities of our country.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

PROCLAMATION OF "HOSPITALIZED VETERANS' DAY."

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Whereas, On Monday, May 23, 1955, there is to be a charity baseball game at Fenway Park, between the Boston Red Sox and the Champions of the World—the New York Giants; and

Whereas, The entire proceeds of this affair are used for the benefit of those veterans who are hospitalized because of injuries or illnesses incurred in the service of their country; and

Whereas, The Boston Red Sox donate the use of Fenway Park and the said Red Sox and Giants provide the services of their baseball players without charge; and

Whereas, This event is staged and sponsored by one of Boston's leading newspapers, the Boston "Record-American" and "Sunday Advertiser," solely to bring comfort and cheer to these hospitalized veterans; and

Whereas, This worthy cause deserves the official cooperation and sanction of the City of Boston and the wholehearted endorsement and support of all the citizens of the City and the Commonwealth; therefore be it

Resolved, That his Honor, the Mayor, proclaim Monday, May 23, 1955, as "Hospitalized Veterans' Day," and take whatever further steps he deems necessary and advisable to insure the financial success of this event.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

MANASSAH E. BRADLEY MEMORIAL STADIUM.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Ordered, That the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation, through his Honor the Mayor, consider the possibility of changing the name of the East Boston Memorial Stadium to the Manassah E. Bradley Memorial Stadium.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

FURTHER DEVELOPMENT OF LITTLE LEAGUE MOVEMENT IN BOSTON.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Whereas, The Little League Movement in Boston is now solidly established in certain areas of the city; and

Whereas, The cooperation between the Little Leagues and the Park Department of the City of Boston has become an outstanding example for cooperation between private groups and the city; be it therefore

Resolved, (1) That a task force be established composed of members of the Boston Advisory Committee of the Little Leagues, with clerical and technical assistance from the Park Department, to contact interested parties (veterans, fraternal, service and social organizations) with a view to establishing Little Leagues in those parts of the city not now serviced by Little Leagues, notably Roxbury, certain parts of Dorchester and Charlestown;

(2) That an article ought to be prepared by the Recreation Division of the Park Department for national publication, if possible, explaining the present excellent system of coordination and cooperation between the Park Department and the private Little Leagues, both for the helpful ideas such article would contain and for the credit which would accrue to the City of Boston, in some measure balancing the harsh criticism to which the city is constantly subjected.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

RESURFACE CENTRE STREET, AT BELGRADE AVENUE, WEST ROXBURY.

Coun. HAILER offered the following:

Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to immediately restore the surface of Centre street West Roxbury, at the junction of Belgrade avenue, where an opening was made by a public service corporation.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

SEWERAGE FACILITIES ON HALE AND EMMET STREETS, HYDE PARK.

Coun. HAILER offered the following:

Ordered, That the Department of Public Works, through his Honor the Mayor, be requested to install sewerage facilities on Hale and Emmet streets, Hyde Park.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

TELEPHONE INSTRUMENT IN CITY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Upon receiving unanimous consent Councillor Foley made a statement calling attention to the fact that visitors to Boston might be interested to know that in the City Clerk's office is a telephone still in active use which is one of the earliest installed in the City of Boston.

RESURFACING OF BAKER STREET, WEST ROXBURY.

Coun. McCORMACK, WHITE, and HAILER offered the following:

Ordered, That the Public Works Commissioner be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to resurface Baker street, between Spring and Centre streets, West Roxbury.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

Adjourned at 3.24 P.M., on motion of Councillor McLaughlin, to meet on Monday, May 16, 1955, at 2 P.M.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

(Stenographic copy of such debate on file in office of City Clerk.)

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULING.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of delivering spire for steeple of Old North Church, the following temporary traffic regulations are effective on May 11, 1955, from 7 A.M. to 4 P.M.:

Vehicles are excluded from the following streets:

Hull Street, Boston Proper.
From Snow Hill street to Salem street.

Salem Street, Boston Proper.
From Tileston street to Charter street.

Parking of vehicles is prohibited in the following street:

Hull Street, Boston Proper.
Both sides, from Commercial street to Salem street.

CITY OF BOSTON AND COUNTY OF SUFFOLK.

STATISTICAL FACTS FOR THE YEAR 1954

Date of incorporation	February 23, 1822
Date of adoption of City Charter (amended January 7, 1925)	1909
Form of Government	Mayor and City Council
Area (square miles)	47.81
Population — Federal Census (August 1, 1950)	801,444
Number of employees as of February 1, 1954	22,806
Boston Housing Authority:	
Federal Program (7,920 apartments housing 7,920 families)	
Number of apartments in veterans' permanent 1- and 2-family homes housing 1,306 families	
State-Aided Developments (containing 3,177 apartments housing 3,177 families)	
Building Department:	
Permits issued	17,515
Estimated cost	$35,771,706
Cemeteries: Number 19—Area (acres)	161.71
Election Department:	
Registered voters	383,864
Number of ballots cast last general election	169,493
Percentage of registered voters voting	41.15
Fire Department:	
Number of stations	51
Number of fireboats	2
Alarms responded to	15,150
Health Department: Health Units	10
Hospitals (Including Boston Sanatorium):	
City Hospital:	
Number of bulldings	57
Bed capacity	2,460
Patients, daily average:	
Wards	1,798
Out-patient	891
Long Island Hospital:	
Number of buildings	27
Population	952
Library Department:	
Number of libraries	37
Number of employees (full time)	640
Number of volumes	2,011,358
Circulation	3,162,338
Markets, number of	2
Municipal buildings, number of	27
Park Department: Parks, number of acres	2,240.29
Area of playgrounds and play areas (acres)	807.12
Number of playgrounds and play areas	121
Number of municipal golf links	2
Number of municipal beaches	3
Public grounds and squares (acres)	57.41
Swimming pools (indoor) 2, (outdoor) 2	4
Number of recreation centers and indoor bathhouses	15
Police Department:	
Number of stations and headquarters	18
Arrests	93,294
Public Works Department:	
Bridges, number of	101
Miles of accepted streets and alleys	731
Sewers: Miles of sewers	1,302.75
Catch basins	23,972
Average number of gallons pumped daily at main pumping station	112,980,821
Sumner Traffic Tunnel: Length (feet)	5,654
Two-lane drive: Vehicles passing through — 1953	10,835,674
Water Service:	
Number of meters in service	95,653
Per capita daily average consumption (gallons)	139
Miles of mains: Ordinary	999,136
High pressure	18.72
Rapid Transit: Miles of subways and tunnels	16.81
Schools:	
Number of school buildings	224
Number of teachers	3,655
Average membership	94,774
Average daily attendance:	
Elementary and junior high schools	54,546
High schools	16,201
Kindergartens	8,151
Special schools	1,800

ASSESSED VALUATIONS CONTINUE TO RISE.

A survey of 43 assessing jurisdictions over 100,000 population, recently completed by the National Association of Assessing Officers, discloses that the latest totals of assessed valuations average 4.3 per cent higher than those for last year. Last year's survey of 46 jurisdictions showed an increase for the preceding period of 6.35 per cent. Duval County (Jacksonville), Florida, reported a 19.7 per cent increase, the highest of any jurisdiction. Other jurisdictions reporting high percentage increases in valuations were Dade County (Miami), Florida, 13.3 per cent; Providence, Rhode Island, 10.5 per cent; King County (Seattle), 10.4 per cent; Grand Rapids, Michigan, 9.3 per cent; Richmond, Virginia, 8.8 per cent; Los Angeles County, 8.5 per cent; Minneapolis and San Antonio, 6.9 per cent; and Erie, Pennsylvania, 6.7 per cent.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

INSTALLATION OF LIGHTING.

Proposals for Installing Lighting in the Fresh Air Ducts of the Sumner Tunnel.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for installing lighting in the fresh air ducts of the Sumner Tunnel. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Installing Lighting in the Fresh Air Ducts of the Sumner Tunnel," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, JUNE 2, 1955, with a certified check for THREE HUNDRED FIFTY (350) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(May 21.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

VEHICULAR TRAFFIC THROUGH SUMNER TUNNEL IN 1953 BREAKS ALL RECORDS—TOTAL OF 10,835,670 VEHICLES USED TUBES—1,251,698 MORE THAN PREVIOUSLY.

Vehicular traffic through the Sumner Tunnel for the year 1953 was 13 per cent higher than in the year 1952. This was revealed in figures made public from the office of Public Works Commissioner George G. Hyland this week.

According to the Commissioner a total of 10,835,670 vehicles used the tunnel in 1953, to break the previous record of 9,583,972 vehicles established in 1952. The increase in 1953 over 1952 totals 1,251,698 vehicles.

CITY OF BOSTON.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT (SANATORIUM DIVISION).

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING AND INSTALLING WOODEN WINDOW SCREENS AND DOORS FOR THE "A" BUILDING AT THE SANATORIUM DIVISION OF THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL, 249 RIVER STREET, MATTAPAN, MASS.

The City of Boston, hy the Board of Trustees, Hospital Department, and of the Boston City Hospital, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for furnishing and installing wooden window screens and doors for the "A" Building at the Sanatorium Division of the Boston City Hospital, 249 River street, Mattapan, Mass.

Proposals will he received until 12 o'clock noon, Tuesday, June 7, 1955, at the office of the Assistant Superintendent of the Sanatorium Division, 249 River street, Mattapan, Mass., at which time and place they will he publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be suhmitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the office of the Assistant Superintendent of the Sanatorium Division, 249 River street, Mattapan, Mass. Each copy of the proposal shall he properly filled out, signed and enclosed in an envelope, sealed, and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall he filed hefore the time stated ahove for the opening of proposals.

Specifications may he ohtained after 12 o'clock noon on Monday, May 23, 1955, at the office of the Assistant Superintendent of the Sanatorium Division, 249 River street, Mattapan, Mass.

A hid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued hy, a responsible hank or trust company, payahle to the City of Boston, in the sum of three hundred (300) dollars, shall be suhmitted with the copy of the proposal filed at the office of the Assistant Superintendent, Sanatorium Division, 249 River street, Mattapan, Mass. The bid deposit shall he in a separate envelope, properly marked.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to he performed shall not he less than the rate of wages determined for this work hy the Commissioner of Lahor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful hidder will he required to provide hy insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other henefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to he employed under the contract.

A performance bond of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority, in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price will he required of the successful bidder.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities, and to reject any or all hids, if it he in the puhlic interest so to do.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, AND OF THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL,
RICHARD J. CONDON,
(May 21.) *President.*

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JOSHUA H. JONES, *Editor.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING UNIFORM OVERCOATS, SACK COATS, AND TROUSERS TO THE BOSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT.

The Fire Commissioner of the City of Boston, 115 Southampton street, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for furnishing uniform overcoats, sack coats, and trousers to the Fire Department, as specified in proposals which may he ohtained at the office of the Awarding Authority, 115 Southampton street, Boston. There will be a charge of one dollar ($1) for each set of proposals taken out. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $300, payahle to and to hecome the property of the City of Boston, if the proposal is not carried out, at the ahove office. A duplicate hid, without check, must he left at the office of the City Auditor prior to the time named for opening hids. Both bids to he sealed in envelopes marked "Proposal for Uniform Overcoats, Sack Coats, and Trousers." The hids will he puhlicly opened and read on Friday, May 27, 1955, at 12 M., at the office of the Awarding Authority, 115 Southampton street, Boston, Mass. The successful bidder must furnish a bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as surety for the faithful performance of the contract. The Awarding Authority reserves the right to accept or reject any or all hids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

FRANCIS X. COTTER,
(May 21.) *Fire Commissioner.*

THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING KITCHEN EQUIPMENT, CHINA, TABLEWARE, ETC., FOR BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOL KITCHENS AND CAFETERIAS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing kitchen equipment, china, tahleware, etc., for Boston puhlic school kitchens and cafeterias. Proposal forms are obtainahle at the office of the Business Manager of the School Committee, tenth floor, 15 Beacon street. Envelopes containing proposals must be sealed and plainly marked "Proposal for Furnishing Kitchen Equipment, China, Tahleware, etc." The hid must be in duplicate. One copy, signed hy the hidder, and accompanied hy a certified check, payahle to the City of Boston, in the amount of two hundred dollars ($200), must be left at the office of the Business Manager on or before 12 o'clock noon on Friday, June 3, 1955. Copies filed with the Business Manager will he puhlicly opened at 12 o'clock noon of the day stated. The other copy, also signed by the hidder, must he filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., previous to the time named for opening of bids. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all hids and to accept such hid or part of hid as may he deemed hest for the interests of the city. The successful hidders will he required to furnish a suitahle hond or deposit of money or other security in the amount of not less than 50 per cent of the amount of the contract.

HENRY J. SMITH,
Business Manager of the School Committee.
(May 21.)

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.
CITY OF BOSTON
PUBLIC AUCTION
ON THE PREMISES
9 EAST STREET — BOSTON PROPER
THURSDAY — JUNE 2nd — 11 A.M.

★ LOCATION — 3-story brick building at 9 East Street — corner lot — formerly Engine No. 7 Firehouse.
★ LAND AREA — 1,893 sq. fect (more or less).
★ ASSESSED VALUE — $45,000.
★ MINIMUM PRICE — $15,000.
★ DEPOSIT — In cash or cashier's check at time and place of sale, $2,500; halance to be paid in 30 days. Any other terms to be announced at the sale.

The Commissioner reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

JOHN J. McGRATH, Auctioneer. HERMAN CARP, Commissioner.
LA3-5100, Ext. 236
(May 21.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT (SANATORIUM DIVISION).

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR INTERIOR PAINTING IN VARIOUS BUILDINGS AT THE SANATORIUM DIVISION OF THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL, 249 RIVER STREET, MATTAPAN, MASS.

The City of Boston, hy the Board of Trustees, Hospital Department, and of the Boston City Hospital, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for interior painting in various buildings at the Sanatorium Division of the Boston City Hospital, 249 River street, Mattapan, Mass.

Proposals will he received until 12 o'clock noon, Monday, June 13, 1955, at the office of the Assistant Superintendent of the Sanatorium Division, 249 River street, Mattapan, Mass., at which time and place they will be puhlicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must he suhmitted in duplicate on forms obtained at the office of the Assistant Superintendent of the Sanatorium Division, 249 River street, Mattapan, Mass. Each copy of the proposal shall he properly filled out, signed and enclosed in an envelope, sealed, and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall he filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed hefore the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

Specifications may he ohtained after 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday, May 25, 1955, at the office of the Assistant Superintendent of the Sanatorium Division, 249 River street, Mattapan, Mass.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible hank or trust company, payahle to the City of Boston, in the sum of seven hundred fifty (750) dollars, shall he suhmitted with the copy of the proposal filed at the office of the Assistant Superintendent, Sanatorium Division, 249 River street, Mattapan, Mass. The hid deposit shall he in a separate envelope, properly marked.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to he performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful hidder will he required to provide hy insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other henefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to he employed under the contract.

A performance hond in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price will he required of the successful bidder, of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities, and to reject any or all hids, if it he in the public interest so to do.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, AND OF THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL,
RICHARD J. CONDON,
(May 21.) *President.*

No. 91—Department Equipment Loan.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

Proposals for Furnishing Park Equipment (Mowers, Spreader, Spiker, Fairway Units, and Grass Trimmers) for the Parks and Recreation Department.

Proposals mny be obtnined at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will he opened and read Wednesday, June 1, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must lenve his proposnl with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposnl is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and mnrked "Proposal for Park Equipment." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business ln Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the hest Interests of the city.

John V. Moran,
(May 21.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

FENDER REPAIRS.

Proposals for Repairing Fender Piers of the Northern Avenue and Congress Street Bridges, Over Fort Point Channel.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of nt least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for repairing fender piers of the Northern Avenue and Congress Street Bridges, over Fort Point Channel. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, senled, marked "Proposal for Repairing Fender Piers of the Northern Avenue nnd Congress Street Bridges, Over Fort Point Channel," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, JUNE 2, 1955, with a certified check for EIGHT HUNDRED FIFTY (850) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and rend in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the hids. All proposnls must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of nny item appears to the Commissioner to be nbnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance ln full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

George G. Hyland,
(May 21.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Proposals for Constructing a New Play Area at Franklin Field, Dorchester, Mass.

The Commissioner of Parks and Recreation of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, invites proposals for constructing a new play aren at Franklin Field, Dorchester, Mass. Forms of proposals must be obtained at the Engineer's office of the Parks and Recreation Department, 33 Beacon street. Each proposal should he signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed and marked "Proposal for Constructing a New Play Area at Franklin Field, Dorchester, Mass.," and left before 2 o'clock P.M. on Tuesday, May 31, 1955, at the office of the Parks and Recreation Department, with a certificd check for $3,000, payable to and to be the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, and will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of 100 per cent of the estimated contract price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contrnct shall not he less thnn the rate of wages in the schedule determined hy the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract rcferred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be ohtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the Engineer's office of the Parks and Recreation Department. The successful bidder will be required to provide for public liability and property damage insurance and for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other henefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to he employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulntions will be required prior to the award of said contract. The Commissioner rcserves the right to reject any or all proposals.

Frank R. Kelley,
(May 21.) *Commissioner.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Invitation for Proposals for Converting Hose Wagons to Squad Units.

The Fire Commissioner of the City of Boston, 115 Southampton street, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and Corporations or other Legal Associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for the conversion of five Mack Hose Wagons, Type 85, to five Engine Squad Pumping Units equipped with Class A, seven hundred and fifty (750) GPM pumps. The bond of an approved surety company doing business in the Commonwealth of Massachnsetts, in the full amount of the contract, will be required to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be ohtained at the office of the Fire Commissioner, 115 Southampton street. Each proposal must be signed by the bidder, placed in an envelope, sealed and marked "Proposal for Converting Five Mack Hose Wagons to Engine Squad Pumping Units," and left at the office of the Fire Commissioner, 115 Southampton street, before 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, May 26, 1955, accompanied by a certified check for five hundred (500) dollars, payable to the City of Boston and to be the property of said city as liquidated damages suffered by said city lf, after acceptance of his proposal, the hidder shall fail to carry out said proposal. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened for reading. Proposals must be made in duplicate, and the sealed duplicate, without check, must be deposited hy the bidder wlth the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.) to all persons to be employed under this contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing will be required prior to the award of said contract. Specifications and drawings may be obtained at the office of the Fire Commissioner, 115 Southampton street. The Fire Commissioner reserves the right to reject any and all proposals and to award the contract as he deems hest.

Francis X. Cotter,
(May 14-21.) *Fire Commissioner.*

No. 90—597.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

Proposals for Furnishing Fire Apparatus. (Two Tractor-Drawn, 100-Foot, Steel Aerial Ladder Trucks.)

Proposals may be obtained nt Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Tuesday, June 14, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $1,000, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate hid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Fire Apparatus." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all hids, or any part of a hid, and to award the contract as he deems for the hest interests of the city.

John V. Moran,
(May 21.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

SEWERAGE WORKS.

Proposals for Sewerage Works in Section 18, Stony Brook, Hyde Park.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Section 18, Stony Brook, Hyde Park. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Section 18, Stony Brook, Hyde Park," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, hefore 2 P.M. of WEDNESDAY, JUNE 22, 1955, with a certified check for TWENTY-FIVE THOUSAND (25,000) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made ln duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposlted by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every Item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such prlce. The rate per hour of the wages to he paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers ln the work to be performed under the contract shall not he less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provlde by insurance for the payment of compensatlon and the furnishing of other henefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such lnsurance ln full force and effect during the term of thls contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

George G. Hyland,
(May 21.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

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REPORT OF ROBERT C. SCHIMMEL, RADIO CO-ORDINATOR, VISUAL AND RADIO EDUCATION, ON ATTENDANCE AT TWENTY-FIFTH ANNUAL RADIO-TV INSTITUTE, AT OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY, COLUMBUS, OHIO, APRIL 11 TO 15, INCLUSIVE.

The following is the report on attendance at the twenty-fifth anniversary meeting of the Institute for Education by Radio-TV under the auspices of Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio, April 11-15, by Robert C. Schimmel, Radio Co-ordinator, Boston Public Schools:

The keynote this year was "The Shape of Things to Come." Ordinarily, "catch phrases" can be innocuous or at best mere indications of general trends of conversation, but, strangely enough, the immediate truth of the saying was made manifest when we were told to be prompt (Tuesday, April 12) in leaving the ballroom of the Deshler-Hilton Hotel (5 P.M.), since a conclave of Columbus doctors were moving in to see a closed-circuit telecast, coast to coast, on the techniques for administering the Salk vaccine—the electrifying news of the success of which had just been announced to the world. In

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REPORT OF AGNES K. BRENNAN, DIRECTOR, DEPARTMENT OF DISTRIBUTIVE EDUCATION, ON ATTENDANCE AT CONVENTION OF THE EASTERN BUSINESS TEACHERS ASSOCIATION IN PHILADELPHIA, APRIL 6 TO 9, INCLUSIVE.

The following is the report of Agnes K. Brennan, Director of Distributive Education, on attendance at the Eastern Business Teachers Association Convention at the Bellevue Stratford Hotel, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, April 6 to 9:

"Today's Business and the 3 R's," the theme of the convention, was developed by speakers at the sectional and general meetings.

On Thursday, the topic of the Administration and Supervision in Business Education Section meeting was "Planning for Proper Attention to the 3 R's in Business Education." Wesley E. Scott, City Director of Commercial and Distributive Education, talked of the Philadelphia program, which closely resembles the Boston program.

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EXPENDITURES FOR VETERANS' BENEFITS FOR MONTH OF FEBRUARY SHOW INCREASE OF $21,921.91 OVER CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF LAST YEAR — 1,735 CASES AIDED BENEFITING TOTAL OF 3,483 INDIVIDUALS — 120 CASES CLOSED DUE TO EMPLOYMENT AND OTHER REASONS.

Expenditures for veterans' benefits for the month of February show an increase over those of the same period in 1954 of $21,921.91, according to the monthly report of Victor C. Bynoe, Commissioner of Veterans' Services, as presented to Mayor John B. Hynes. The report also shows 1,735 cases aided during the month, representing a total of 3,483 individuals benefited through the financial facilities of the Veterans' Services Department. There were 120 cases closed during the month because of obtaining employment and other beneficial reasons.

The complete report follows:

BOSTON, May 17, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

SIR:

I have the honor to submit the report of the Veterans' Services Department for the month of February, 1955.

Very truly yours,

VICTOR C. BYNOE, *Commissioner.*

Expenditures for February, 1955.

	Civil War	Spanish War	Mexican War	World War I	World War II	Korean War	Totals
Regular Rolls	$192 20	$2,207 12	$358 00	$26,960 98	$66,686 97	$4,559 00	$100,964 27
Emergency	—	60 00	—	726 00	7,103 00	1,220 00	9,109 00
Bills	24 00	1,280 49	—	2,610 00	5,857 96	7 25	9,779 70
Burials	—	—	—	750 00	150 00	50 00	950 00
Hospital	—	—	—	1,050 00	3,108 00	434 00	4,592 00
Supplementary	—	—	—	1,654 23	6,842 10	683 00	9,179 33
Totals	$216 20	$3,547 61	$358 00	$33,751 21	$89,748 03	$6,953 25	$134,574 30

Relief Expenditures Comparison.

	Feb. 1955	Jan. 1955	Feb. 1954
Civil War	$192 20	$172 20	$197 20
Spanish	2,207 12	2,310 44	2,327 99
Mexican	358 00	369 00	376 00
World War I	26,960 98	26,980 38	24,929 36
World War II	66,686 97	63,784 17	48,536 95
Korean	4,559 00	4,664 50	1,808 50
Emergency	9,109 00	11,234 20	8,705 25
Burials	950 00	—	2,224 00
Bills	9,779 70	379 64	10,793 81
Hospital	4,592 00	—	7,061 00
Supplementary	9,179 33	6,075 88	5,692 33
	$134,574 30	$115,970 41	$112,652 39

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"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean;
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
Nathan Haskell Dole.

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Advertising.

A rate of $4 per inch of 12 lines (set solid) has been established for such advertisements as under the law must be printed in the City Record. Advertising and other copy must be in hand at 5 P.M., Wednesday of each week to insure its publication in the Saturday issue.

MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, June 6, at 2 P.M.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries, or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the Complaints Division, Room 25, City Hall.

Information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways, the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments of streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped area for streets and the opening of private ways; the making of specific repairs in public streets; the naming of public streets, including the use of public ways for location of conduits, poles, and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railways, coal holes, and vaults, may be secured from the Public Improvement Commission, Room 403, City Hall Annex.

To the Boston Traffic Commission, 112 Southampton street, for information relative to regulation of vehicular street traffic on all or any streets, ways, highways, roads, and parkways under the control of the City of Boston, the issuing of all permits in connection therewith.

To the Commissioner of Public Works, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting, and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch basins, the operation of Sumner Tunnel, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges, and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

To the Health Department, Haymarket Square, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish, and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughterhouses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases, of public health nuisances.

To the Board of Park Commissioners, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth Avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park, and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts, also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview, and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

To the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

To the Department of School Buildings, 28 Norman street, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

To the Board of Examiners, Room 907, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal, or tearing down of buildings.

To the Electrical Inspection Division of the Building Department, 1001 City Hall Annex, for all information relative to the erection of poles, building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division; also for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings of the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

To the Board of Zoning Adjustment, 43 City Hall, relative to changes in the boundary lines of zoning districts of the City of Boston as established by chapter 488 of the Acts of 1924, and amendments thereto.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending May 21, 1955.

Population as of July, 1950, Massachusetts State Census, 817,713; population estimated July, 1954, United States Census Bureau, 813,696, number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 142; nonresidents, 75; total, 217.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 13.91; nonresidents deducted, 8.97.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:

Last week, 13.01; corresponding week last year, 13.11.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 5; one year to four years, inclusive, 2; sixty years and over, 152. Total deaths: Male, 127; female, 90; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 149.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

Diseases.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended May 21, 1955.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended May 22, 1954.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior Poliomyelitis	—	—	—	—
Diphtheria	—	—	1	—
Encephalitis Lethargica	—	—	—	—
Influenza	—	—	—	—
Measles	22	—	375	—
Meningitis Epidemic	—	—	—	—
Pneumonia (lobar)	—	—	—	1
Scarlet Fever	70	—	18	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary)	21	1	20	—
Childhood Type Tuberculosis	—	—	—	—
Tuberculosis (other forms)	5	—	3	1
Typhoid Fever	1	—	—	—
Whooping Cough	3	—	8	—

* Residents and nonresidents included.

MONTHLY REPORT OF VETERANS' SERVICES SHOWS INCREASE OVER SAME PERIOD IN 1954.

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Total Cases Aided.

	Feb. 1955	Jan. 1955	Feb. 1954
Civil War	5	4	5
Spanish	71	56	65
Mexican	5	4	5
World War I	563	563	535
World War II	997	1,020	819
Korean	4	103	55
	1,735	1,750	1,484

Expenditures for veterans' benefits for month of February, 1955, show an increase of $21,921.91 in comparison with expenditures for the corresponding period of 1954.

The 1,735 cases aided during the month of February, 1955, represent a total of 3,483 individuals benefited through the financial facilities of the Veterans' Services Department.

There were 120 cases closed during the month of February, 1955, because of obtaining employment, having been awarded unemployment compensation, receiving social security, and becoming ineligible to receive financial assistance for miscellaneous other reasons.

Classification of Cases Aided During February, 1955.

	Civil War	Spanish War	Mexican War	World War I	World War II	Korean War
Unemployable veterans	0	2	1	225	262	32
Employable veterans	0	0	0	53	264	38
Wives	0	0	0	1	13	2
Widows	3	69	4	258	43	0
Children	2	0	0	6	30	0
Mothers	0	0	0	18	337	19
Fathers	0	0	0	2	48	3
	5	71	5	563	997	94

ORIGINAL APPLICATIONS.

Brought forward	76
Made during February	158
Granted	95
Rejected	51
Referred to other cities and towns	7
Investigations not completed	81

REAPPLICATIONS.

Brought forward	162
Made during February	210
Granted	156
Rejected	29
Referred to other cities and towns	0
Investigations not completed	187

During the month of February, 1955, the department collected $34.50 which represents refunds by former beneficiaries who were found to have drawn aid under circumstances which warranted its return to the City of Boston.

Very truly yours,

VICTOR C. BYNOE, *Commissioner.*

REPORT OF DIRECTOR OF DEPARTMENT OF DISTRIBUTIVE EDUCATION.

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The Distributive Education Section meeting presented a panel of store personnel representatives and teacher-coordinators. They developed the theme "How Can Distributive Education Apply the 3 R's to Meet the Needs of Workers in a Metropolitan Area?" The question and discussion period was excellent.

At the general meeting on Saturday morning a stimulating presentation on the "3 R's—Reading, Riting, Rithmetic" made it clear that our high school business education courses have gradually moved away from teaching the fundamentals. The three speakers, experts in their fields, challenged secondary school teachers to adopt procedures for teaching the 3 R's which are successful in elementary education. C. Newton Stokes of Temple University presented statistics which partially explained the fundamental arithmetic weaknesses which constantly plague high school pupils and teachers.

Raymon Kistler gave an excellent keynote address, "Teaching the Business of Living." Bryan Blalock, the banquet speaker, gave an entertaining and inspirational talk, "The 5 in '55."

REPORT OF RADIO COORDINATOR, DEPARTMENT OF VISUAL AND RADIO EDUCATION.

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such a dramatic fashion, therefore, was the fact borne home to all attending the Institute that in television, the medium to be discussed at so many of our meetings, lay the answer to mass education either in emergency or in daily life. The thought-provoking fact was: When in the history of man had there been the chance in time of somewhat national emergency to indoctrinate so many men at one time with the exact procedure necessary for the entire number to work in unison? Indeed, we had been given concrete proof of "The Shape of Things to Come." How this great mass medium could be utilized became the subject for much talk and argument.

Highly interesting to me were specific instances of what some great metropolitan areas are doing to utilize television, now so commonly called "our great educational tool." Mr. Uberto Neely, general manager of Station WCET (all educational TV stations incorporate the letter "E" in their call letters), brought out how his Cincinnati station was cooperating with Mr. Mendal Sherman, Audio-Visual Director of the Cincinnati public schools. Mr. Sherman informed us that in-school viewing was done at all levels (all schools have TV receivers) and included about one hour viewing per day, though not at all levels. Thus, grades two to four might be covered with a special telecast one day, while on another the high schools might be favored. Mr. Sherman mentioned numerous problems, one of which was the fact that out-of-school listening scarcely exists due to the station's being UHF (Ultra High Frequency). (UHF requires special converters to the regular TV set). Cincinnati programs beamed to the schools cover for the most part any

material not readily available to the schools (field trips, museum excursions, and the like).

Mr. James McAndrew, director of the New York schools' broadcasting activities, took up particular problems of the New York system, which (like ours, so far) is compelled to outlet through a commercial station. However, Mr. McAndrew admitted that his schools were in an advantageous position due to the many TV stations in New York, the independents of which have been most anxious from the very beginning to give them time and to experiment. Specifically, he brought out the problems of some of the series he has had on the air and broke down some figures for his "Camera Three" (released over and in conjunction with WCBS-TV). Mr. Robert Herridge, producer of the program, explained how they used professional actors, little scenery, and created the weekly series on a "peanut budget." The many educators were somewhat taken aback when the so-called "peanut budget" turned out to be a sum equal to about $2,000 per week. Mr. McAndrew mollified us (slightly) by telling us that New York's other series, "Living Blackboard," was really a small budget, never amounting to much more than $200 per week and was achieved by the use of teachers and pupils of the New York school system. However, he did say that the series, "Living Blackboard" was highly expensive in time hours of those involved.

From the viewpoint of the college-owned TV station, Mr. William Harley, program manager of the University of Wisconsin's station, gave a fascinating report concerning the case history of his station's production of Euripides' "Medea," an offering which won acclaim from many viewers (Mr. Harley's words). Since his presentation took most of one afternoon session, I'll merely give the high lights here.

1. Size of stage upon which "Medea" was produced: 15 feet by 30 feet (a converted science laboratory that in its meagerness created many camera difficulties).
2. Man power hours: nearly a thousand.
3. Departments of the University of Wisconsin involved:
   a. Speech.
   b. School of Acting.
   c. School of Music.
   d. Literature Department.
   e. Script-Writing Department.
   f. TV and Radio Production Department.
   g. Department of Scenic Design.
   h. Art Department (also covered costuming).
4. Cost of production: Around $250 (substituting as they did time hours and ingenuity for money).

This report was Mr. Harley's answer to Mr. Herridge's that he agreed TV shows could consume many man hours, but need not necessarily consume large amounts of money. Mr. Herridge countered with the assumption that if all the time hours of the professors involved were included, the figure might be startling.

Mr. George Biersack of Dayton University (outletting over a commercial station) said that halfway between "Camera Three" and "Medea" probably lay the happy medium for all of us. General conversation, however, proved that:

1. Producing TV programs, even on a small scale, is expensive.
2. That, since so many "man hours" plus the "know-how" are involved, salary scales for school producers must of necessity be "upped" to attract the caliber of man necessary.
3. That TV cannot be produced with a visual department manned at the radio (AM) production level, nor can it be maintained at the radio budget level.

Dr. David D. Henry, vice chancellor of New York University, and soon to be president of Illinois University, said at the annual dinner that two types of school telecasts now exist and will continue to exist: those aimed at educating within the school and those aimed at reaching the child in his home. This presents a great challenge, since there are now (late 1954 figures) 15,000,000 Americans living within the range of educational television stations. His speech was heartening, because he left us somewhat firmer in the belief that, even in spite of budget problems, man-hour difficulties, and often lack of proper facilities, educational television will forge ahead. Two years ago (his words) what was a dream has now become a reality. Our own Channel 2 here in Boston is an example. But he warned to make haste slowly. Color TV is more impressive, and he told us not to load our schools with sets that may soon become archaic.

Our other distinguished speaker was Mr. George C. McConnaughey, chairman of the Federal Communications Committee, whose keynote speech told us that our very security depends upon our educational system. "We must not store up treasures in warehouses but must develop our minds so that we can stay ahead of others. Any forward step involving the many facets of our educational system should be encouraged, because our entire future stability and existence is only as sound as our educational system. I feel the minimum amount of regulation in your field will provide you with the maximum amount of opportunity." He said educational knowledge could best be given to our children and our people through the media of radio and television.

Dr. Leon Levine, director of radio and TV, Columbia University (and one of our own English High School graduates, I proudly mention), carried the torch during all sessions for AM radio, pointing out that radio has a distinct job and can do that job better than TV. He gave facts and figures for the New York area showing that more than 40,000 people subscribed to courses given by Columbia University —thus proving, he said, that content matter can be given by the voice alone without the aid of seeing the lecturer.

The many sessions were graced by numerous well-known people, including Miss Frieda Hennock, FCC member, and Mr. Paul Walker, former chairman of the FCC. Outstanding Kines (films of telecasts), representing educational systems in various parts of the country, gave us an idea of what actually was being aired throughout the nation.

1. "Inquiry"—KPIX (San Francisco), University of California.
2. "Save Our Soil"—CBC (Canadian Broadcasting Company), Mr. R. Lambert.
3. "Walker in the City"—KETC (St. Louis).
4. "Princeton, '54"—WRCA-TV (New York City).
5. "Farm"—WAVE-TV (Louisville).

The many fruitful sessions and discussions brought me in thought to our Boston problems. I saw what others are doing and have done. What will it be our privilege to do with whatever time is given us on Channel 2? Will we be given time? Time and our budget and our salaries will tell. Meanwhile, we will not abandon radio.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of street construction, estimated to be sixty (60) days, parking of vehicles is prohibited in the following street, effective May 16, 1955, when and where official signs are in place:

Southampton Street, Roxbury and South Boston.
From Massachusetts avenue to Andrew square.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway resurfacing, estimated to be thirty (30) days, vehicles are excluded from the following street, effective May 13, 1955:

Munroe Street, Roxbury.
From Warren street to Walnut avenue.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of street reconstruction, estimated to be fifteen (15) days, vehicles are excluded from the following street, effective May 17, 1955:

Canterbury Street, Dorchester.
From Stella road to Cummins Highway.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of delivering spire for steeple of Old North Church, the following temporary traffic regulations are effective on May 24, 1955, from 7 A.M. to 4 P.M.:

Vehicles are excluded from the following street:

Salem Street, Boston Proper.
From Tileston street to Charter street.

Parking of vehicles is prohibited in the following streets:

Hull Street, Boston Proper.
Both sides, from Commercial street to Salem street.

Salem Street, Boston Proper.
Both sides, from Cross street to Charter street.

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

Annie Faucher, 1069 Boylston street, in the sum of $495, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the crosswalk on Berkeley street, at corner of Boylston street, May 28, 1954.

Samuel Levey, 111 Homestead street, Roxbury, in the sum of $69.81, as compensation for damage to automobile caused by a hole in the highway on Blue Hill avenue, near Woolson street, October 21, 1954.

Domenic E Mondello, 21 Centre street, Brookline, in the sum of $112.20, as compensation for damage to automobile caused by a hole in the highway on Kneeland street, at the corner of Hudson street, October 30, 1954.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees:

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Approval has been given for the permanent appointment of Joseph I. Kelly, 30 Elmwood street, Roxbury, as junior building custodian at $53 a week.

Approval has been given for a change in title for Bernard V. Cullen, from electrical engineer to chief electrical engineer, from $112.40 to $121.98 a week retroactive to July 7, 1954.

Approval has been given for a change in title for John E. Powers, from roofing inspector to district superintendent of roofing, from $85.55 to $95.13, retroactive to March 18, 1955.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

William J. McCarthy, 15 Carroll street, West Roxbury, fire lieutenant, has been retired at $3,293.33 a year.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

For the week ending May 17:

The following provisional employees have been appointed:

Edward F. Breen, 104 Queensberry street, Ruth M. Brown, 17 Walpole street, Roxbury, Shirley P. Bruno, 47 Savin street, Dorchester, Henry C. Cameron, 56 Bragdon street, Roxbury, Ann M. Conole, 16 Raven street, Dorchester, Adrienne I. Delaney, 271 Lamartine street, Jamaica Plain, Fannie M. DeRosa, 67 Fayston street, Roxbury, William E. Donahue, 46 Wordsworth street, East Boston, Laura Farrier, 1963 Washington street, Roxbury, Arzella Johnson, 53 Quincy street, Roxbury, Loretta M. Jones, 625 Shawmut avenue, Dorothy E. Krauss, 22 Lakeville road, Jamaica Plain, Frank T. McDonald, 51 Monadnock street, Dorchester, Louise E. McKeever, 17 Kensington street, Jamaica Plain, Thomas J. Paradise, 40 Tuttle street, Dorchester, Reuben G. Pharms, 2 Trotter court, Roxbury, Winifred P. Ryan, 1 Bainbridge street, Roxbury, Anne Scanlon, 158 Hillside street, Roxbury, John M. Sullivan, 205 Perham street, West Roxbury, Melvin Wartel, 28 Angell street, Dorchester, George Whitney, 38 Bataan court, Roxbury, Dorothy E. Worthington, 471 Columbus avenue, hospital medical workers, $43 a week.

South Division.

For the week ending May 17:

The service of the following employee has been terminated:

Temporary.—Ellen McAdam, 23 Dorr street, Roxbury, hospital laundry worker, $43 a week.

Long Island Division.

The following changes have been made in the personnel for the week ending May 10:

Terminations.—Helen J. Eldredge, Veronica M. Harrington, student practical nurses; Edith M. Jenks, licensed practical nurse; Donald Kereluik, attendant nurse; James B. Garrity, hospital house worker; Thomas R. Griffin, James J. Mullen, hospital kitchen workers, emergency.

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING MAY 24.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
City of Boston	154 and 156 Ruskindale road	18	Alterations, school	$373,700
Pierce	22 Rutledge street	20	Dwelling, garage	9,000
A. J. Conindas	26 Rutledge street	20	Dwelling	9,000
Grace Jenkins	34 Sagamore street	13	Alterations, dwelling	750
Christ Church, Boston	185 Salem street	3	Alterations, church	100,000
Elizabeth Terzis	112–22 Savin Hill avenue	13	Alterations, stores	9,000
Nicholas Zevitas	46 Saybrook street	22	Alterations, garage	None
Steven Caruso	27–33 Shelby street	1	Shop	$11,000
Patrick and Mary Roach	15 Shepard street	22	Alterations, dwelling	800
R. M. Bradley	148 State street	3	Sign, bank, offices	4,600
N. E. Tel. & Tel. Company	245 State street	3	Alterations, office	20,000
George Ricci	5 Stillman place	3	Alterations, dwelling	None
John Cosolas	59 and 61 Stuart street	3	Alterations, office, dwelling, store	$1,000
John Cosolas	65 Stuart street	3	Alterations, office, dwelling, store	2,000
Liberty Mutual Insurance	372–78 Stuart street	5	Alterations, office, storage	90,000
Rice Building Trust	134–38 Summer street	3	Alterations, store, office	1,200
John J. O'Connell	839 Summer street	6	Wheel alignment	4,000
Leo DeBole	371 Sumner street	1	Alterations, store, dwelling	None
Leo Glennon	5 Tarleton road	20	Dwelling	$10,200
Bettano Miscioscia *et al*	2 and 4 Teragram street	1	Dwelling	14,000
First National Bank	52–58 Temple place	3	Alterations, bank	1,900
Mario Corsi	7 Thatcher street	18	Dwelling	9,000
Mario Corsi	61 Thatcher street	18	Dwelling	9,000
Cozie Bradley	733 Tremont street	4	Alterations, store, dwelling	2,000
David Baer	804 Tremont street	9	Alterations, club, dwelling	400
Patsy Marchitelli	1065 Tremont street	10	Alterations, manufacturing	30,000
Frank Capaldi Trust	1274–78 Tremont street	9	Post Office	25,000
Russell Foley	258 Turtle Pond Parkway	18	Alterations, dwelling, garage.	700
J. M. and M. E. Sweeney	48 Valley road	17	Dwelling	9,000
Sabino Pasquale	26 Vernon street	18	Dwelling	8,000
Sabino Pasquale	30 Vernon street	18	Dwelling	8,000
Fred DeRoma	701 Veterans Foreign Wars Parkway.	20	Dwelling, garage	9,000
Minnie Parker	49 and 51 Wareham street	8	Alterations, manufacturing, store	8,000
Jacob Lennox	126 Washington street	14	Alterations, store, restaurant	3,000
D. Sears Real Estate Trust	628–36 Washington street	3	Sign, store, restaurant	4,800
George Shalhoub	5178 Washington street	20	Rug repair, washer	10,000
George Shalhoub	5178 Washington street	20	Alterations, garage	300
George Lafontain	6 Wedgewood street	20	Alterations, dwelling	500
Emilio Baratta	99–103 West Cedar street	5	Sign, office, dwelling	1,200
Henry Massaro	34 West Eagle street	1	Alterations, dwelling	450
City of Boston	315 Western avenue	22	Garage	38,803
Edward Flibotte	144 West Selden street	18	Dwelling	9,000
Robert C. Wagner	116 Whitcomb avenne	19	Dwelling, garage	11,000
John and Anna Vance	131 Williams avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	700
Sabino Pasquale	36 Woodland road	18	Dwelling	8,000
Robert Develin	14 Woodworth street	16	Fire repair, dwelling	3,700
William Bagley, Trustee	11 Adams street	2	Fire repair, dwelling	350
Mary Merola	14 Alabama street	18	Dwelling, garage	8,000
Boston Edison Company	173 Alford street	2	Pump house	11,000
Mutual Service Cons. Co.	43 Aliano road	20	Dwelling	9,000
Mutual Service Cons. Co.	47 Aliano road	20	Dwelling	9,000
Mass. General Hospital	90 Allen street	3	Garage	None
Sun Valley Homes	134 Almont street	18	Dwelling	$8,000
Sun Valley Homes	138 Almont street	18	Dwelling	8,000
Mary Merola	162 Almont street	18	Garage, dwelling	8,000
Mary Merola	168 Almont street	18	Garage, dwelling	8,000
Mary Merola	170 Almont street	18	Garage, dwelling	8,000
Brooks Skinner Company	364 Amory street	11	Alterations, foundry	None
Richard Brown	22 Arborview road	19	Dwelling	16,791
Estate Martin Mullen	31 Brent street	17	Alterations, dwelling	None
Florence Davis	453 Cambridge street	22	Alterations, dwelling	None
Andel Realty	53–85 Canal street	3	Sign, office, stores	$1,500
Metropolitan Transit Auth	44 Causeway street	3	Sign, stores	800
S. S. Ganick Corporation	82 Charles street	5	Alterations, shop, offices	2,000
Abraham Warnick	35 Colorado street	18	Dwelling	11,000
Reardon Tire Sales	301 Columbia road	14	Office, warehouse	52,000
Thomas A. Sheehan Co	1595 Columbus avenue	11	Sales, shop	8,000
Hearthstone Insurance Co.	395 Commonwealth avenue.	5	Alterations, office	11,500
Albert Salter & Sons	524 Commonwealth avenue.	5	Alterations, restaurant, office, dwelling	5,000
William Leonardi	528 Commonwealth avenue.	5	Canopy	500
Gulf Oil Corporation	665 Commonwealth avenue.	5	Alterations, dwelling	11,000
Ellis Minucci	1202 Commonwealth avenue	21	Alterations, dwelling	4,000
DiGregorio & Cassis	1322 Commonwealth avenue	21	Alterations, dwelling	7,000
Carmine Musto	16 Curley street	18	Dwelling	8,000
Sebastian Alongi	102 Dent street	20	Dwelling	11,000
Stony Brook Village Corp	6 Dodge road	18	Dwelling	8,000
Stony Brook Village Corp	10 Dodge road	18	Dwelling	8,000
M. Troy and J. J. Dunphy	1616 Dorchester avenue	16	Service station	15,000
Stony Brook Village	9 Eastmount road	18	Dwelling	8,000
Stony Brook Village	15 Eastmount road	18	Dwelling	8,000
Stony Brook Village	19 Eastmount road	18	Dwelling	8,000
Harold Ellis, Jr	49 Englewood avenue	21	Alterations, dwelling	500
S. DiAmico	203 Falcon street	1	Alterations, dwelling	250
Rocco Panciocco	19 Franklin street	18	Dwelling	9,000
Stephen Green	8 Frazer street	16	Dwelling	8,000
John B. Blotto	19 Freeman avenue	20	Dwelling	8,000
Havey Rowe	2 Hazelmere road	20	Dwelling	10,000
Aldor Carlson	18 Edgebrook road	20	Dwelling	8,000
Henry Der	90 Hudson street	3	Alterations, store, dwelling	None
Maurice Gordon	331 Huntington avenue	4	Alterations, dwelling	$1,500
John Porter	224 Itasca street	18	Dwelling	9,000
William Slade	33 Ivory street	20	Dwelling	10,000
Stony Brook Village	2 Kristin court	18	Dwelling	8,000
Stony Brook Village	42 Leighton road	18	Dwelling	8,000

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING MAY 24.—Continued.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Frank Mattson	4 Hefferan street	22	Alterations, dwelling	$100
C. Leeder and A. O. Friedman	153 Hemenway street	4	Alterations, dwelling	200
Annie Greene	53 Hopedale street	22	Alterations, dwelling	375
Leo Gordon	18 Hubert street	9	Alterations, dwelling	100
Northeastern University	360 Huntington avenue	4	Alterations, school	900
A. Mulrey	2 King street	16	Alterations, garage	345
Max Gopin	35 Lawrence street	2	Alterations, dwelling	90
First Church Christ Scientist	220 Massachusetts avenue	4	Sign, bank, office	550
Bell & Bell Company	16 McLellan street	14	Alterations, dwelling	100
Cappy's Diner	12 Middlesex street	2	Sign on ground	900
Heirs of Samuel Fine	98 Morris street	1	Alterations, fence	100
Leona Fine	100 Morris street	1	Fire damage, shop	450
Edith Blender	132 Myrtle street	5	Fire escape, dwelling	200
Socony Vacuum Oil Co.	217 North Beacon street	22	Alterations, gas station	75
Henry Pasquale	170 Paris street	1	Alterations, dwelling	200
Henry Pasquale	172 Paris street	1	Alterations, dwelling	200
Rosario Alangi	32 Pleasant street	2	Alterations, dwelling	300
Samuel Snerson	7 Portland street	3	Sign, office, storage	90
Terfilio Flattes	21 Pratt street	21	Alterations, dwelling	1,450
D. Jacobsen	61 Revere street	3	Fire escape, dwelling	275
Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston.	20 Roseland street	16	Alterations, rectory	1,000
Julius Ense	19 Ruthven street	12	Alterations, dwelling	200
New England Greyhound	10 St. James avenue	5	Sign, bus depot	850
Anthony Ridge	29 St. Margaret street	7	Alterations, dwelling	650
Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston.	21 Samoset street	16	Alterations, convent	3,500
Major Patterson	11 Savin street	12	Alterations, dwelling	480
Delia Walsh	42 Sawyer avenue	15	Alterations, retaining wall	90
F. Burke	111 Shawmut avenue	5	Sign, store, dwelling	250
Cornelius Manning	768 Tremont street	8	Alterations, grill, dwelling	122
J. W. McEvoy	6 Valentine street	11	Alterations, dwelling	100
Melvin Young	702 Walk Hill street	14	Alterations, dwelling	40
Joseph Melnick	358 Warren street	12	Alterations, store	80
J. F. Conaty	362 Washington street	22	Sign, store, dwelling	550
Teek Realty Corporation	4258 Washington street	18	Alterations, store, offices	475
Daniel O'Connor	51 Welles avenue	17	Alterations, dwelling	200
Mary Hickey	175 Wilmington avenue	17	Alterations, dwelling	1,950
Lodge Construction Co	35 Ayles road	18	Dwelling	7,000
A & J Auto Ignition	55 Brighton avenue	21	Alterations, office, sales, repair	18,000
Gasper Calli	68 De Soto road	20	Alterations, garage	400
Mario Corsi	60 Groveland street	18	Dwelling	10,800
Lodge Construction Co	5 Derry road	18	Dwelling	7,000
Lodge Construction Co	9 Derry road	18	Dwelling	7,000
Lodge Construction Co	15 Derry road	18	Dwelling	7,000
Lodge Construction Co	18 Derry road	18	Dwelling	7,000
Lodge Construction Co	21 Derry road	18	Dwelling	7,000
Lodge Construction Co	22 Derry road	18	Dwelling	7,000
Lodge Construction Co	25 Derry road	18	Dwelling	7,000
Lodge Construction Co	26 Derry road	18	Dwelling	7,000
Lodge Construction Co	29 Derry road	18	Dwelling	7,000
Lodge Construction Co	79 Safford street	18	Dwelling	7,000
Lodge Construction Co	95 Safford street	18	Dwelling	7,000
Isabella S. Gardner Museum	163 Worthington street	21	Alterations, museum, dwelling	2,500
Nordblom Company	512 Beacon street	5	Alterations, dwelling	200
M. E. Rasch	19 and 21 Birchwood street	20	Alterations, dwelling	100
A. Damon	711 Boylston street	5	Alterations, offices	400
Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston.	1103 Boylston street	5	Alterations, church	7,000
Lena Fogg	135 Brooks street	1	Alterations, dwelling	425
S. Isaacson	85 Centre street	11	Alterations, store	650
F. J. Jacobs Company	1708 Centre street	20	Alterations, shop, garage	90
Federal National Linen Serv.	1310 Columbus avenue	11	Alterations, laundry	650
Mason Haley	17 Dale street	12	Fire escape, dwelling	350
A. Gravel	35 Dalrymple street	11	Alterations, dwelling	500
L. E. Moran Company	290 Devonshire street	3	Sign, store, office, storage	350
Edward McCarthy	501 East Eighth street	7	Sign, tavern	80
John B. Wenzler	645 East Second street	6	Sign, store, dwelling	80
James Boyd	462 East Seventh street	7	Alterations, dwelling	200
Ruth Finklestein	15 Elm Hill avenue	12	Alterations, dwelling	100
Ryerson Steel Company	60 Everett street	22	Alterations, warehouse	1,000
John Lukow	36 Frazier street	18	Alterations, dwelling	1,450
Morrison & Schiff	Rear 60 Fulton street	3	Fire escape, warehouse	125
Anthony Cataldo	11 Gordon avenue	18	Alterations, fire repairs, dwelling	480
American Sugar Refining Co.	47 Granite street	6	Alterations, storage	150
F. Demonti	308 Hanover street	3	Alterations, store, dwelling	500
R. Tenaglia	77 Hawthorne street	19	Excavation	200
Solomon Syatt	31 Hiawatha road	18	Alterations, dwelling	625
A. Mestone	5 Highland street	9	Fire escape, dwelling	300
John Healy	5 Hobson street	20	Alterations, dwelling	350
Emanuel	169 Howard avenue	13	Alterations, dwelling	450
Elizabeth Lanzilli	391 Hyde Park avenue	19	Alterations, dwelling	450
Thomas Randozzo	1193 and 1195 Hyde Park av.	18	Take-down, car repair	200
Thomas Randozzo	1197 and 1199 Hyde Park av.	18	Take-down, car repair	400
Rev. David Channer	1 Kensington street	11	Alterations, dwelling	50
Catherine Mullin	63 King street	16	Alterations, dwelling	150
Y.M.C.A.	47 La Grange street	3	Alterations, squash court	2,000
Maria and Anthony Cali	200 London street	1	Fire escape, dwelling	450
William Gibbs	7 Longfellow street	15	Alterations, dwelling	642
Mass. College Pharmacy	179 Longwood avenue	4	Temporary tent	250
A. Bonavito	313 Maverick street	1	Alterations, dwelling	980
Clara Weinfield	884 Morton street	17	Alterations, shop	900
Clara Weinfield	886 Morton street	17	Alterations, cleaners	800
Quality Cleansers	888 Morton street	17	Sign, cleaners	100
Timothy Donovan	260 North Harvard street	22	Alterations, dwelling	570
William Dempsey	293 Norwell street	14	Alterations, dwelling	425
A. T. Milligan	111 Park street	20	Alterations, garage	90
D. Frisoli	108 Putnam street	1	Fire escape, dwelling	300
Allan McLean	946 River street	18	Alterations, dwelling	500
Wheelock College	132 Riverway	4	Temporary tent	250
John Colbert	230 Savin Hill avenue	13	Alterations, dwelling	650
Albert Kelly	21 Shalter street	14	Alterations, dwelling	400

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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The following changes have been made in the personnel for the week ending May 17:

Terminations.—Gertrude F. Boyle, senior X-ray technician, temporary; Patrick C. Flaherty, carpenter's helper, emergency.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following appointments:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Richard P. McDonough, 8 Bagnal street, Allston, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

BOSTON RETIREMENT BOARD.

Joseph King, 648 Adams street, Dorchester, accounting machine operator, $43 a week.

Bruce MacDonald, 345 Neponset avenue, Dorchester, accounting machine operator, $43 a week.

James Lacey, 4 Aldie street, Allston, accounting machine operator, $43 a week.

Edward L. Hanlon, 150 St. Botolph street, accounting machine operator, $43 a week.

Lawrence Donovan, 269 Meridian street, East Boston, accounting machine operator, $43 a week.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Ernest E. King, 63 Falcon street, East Boston, elevator inspector, $68 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Eugene Zack, 136 Harrison avenue, laboratory assistant, $45.50 a week.

Frederick Primick, 80 East Concord street, laboratory assistant, $45.50 a week.

Paul MacLean, 180 Hamilton street, Dorchester, laboratory assistant, $45.50 a week.

Sidney Cohen, 18 Ithaca street, Mattapan, laboratory assistant, $45.50 a week.

Eugene Sweeney, 201 Harrison avenue, laboratory assistant, $45.50 a week.

Austin J. O'Malley, 93 Mt. Ida road, Dorchester, second-class stationary engineer, $73 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

Mildred Ward, 36 Thornton street, Roxbury, registered graduate nurse, $68 a week.

Edward Mullen, 27 Withington street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $50.50 a week.

Claire Peatfield, 69 Prospect street, Hyde Park, clerk and typist, $50.50 a week.

Long Island Division.

Loren D. Cox, 70 Ames street, Dorchester, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Philip T. Frank, 461 Walnut avenue, Jamaica Plain, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Anthony Kosty, 25 East Elm avenue, Wollaston, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Wayne E. Hysong, 23 East Elm avenue, Wollaston, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Cemetery Division.

Francis E. Harkins, 78 Brookley road, Jamaica Plain, grave digger, $53 a week.

Attilio Orlando, 64 Eutaw street, East Boston, grave digger, $53 a week.

Carmine J. Barbarisi, 17 New street, East Boston, grave digger, $53 a week.

James Feeney, 16 Cable street, Jamaica Plain, grave digger, $53 a week.

Albert F. Powers, 254 Bowen street, South Boston, grave digger, $53 a week.

Richard J. Hornbrook, 44 Mansfield street, Allston, grave digger, $53 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following appointments or reinstatements:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Printing Section.

Leander J. Gaff, 40 Bowdoin street, cylinder pressfeeder, $84 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

James M. O'Leary, 518 East Broadway, South Boston, public health dentist, $80 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Eugene H. Fernandes, 93 River street, Mattapan, senior X-ray technician, $58 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following reinstatement:

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Katherine Krauss, 652 Morton street, Mattapan, principal clerk, $76.50 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following changes in status:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Rita M. Conley, 1368 Commonwealth avenue, from principal statistical machine operator at $73 a week to chief of Tabulating Division (temporary for three months) at $87 a week.

Helen F. Murray, 861 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, from clerk and typist at $45.50 a week to senior clerk and typist (for a period of six months) at $55.50 a week.

BOSTON RETIREMENT BOARD.

Charles R. Curran, 5 Vinson street, Dorchester, from junior accounting machine operator at $63 a week to senior account clerk (temporary) at $63 a week.

James P. Kelly, Jr., 175 Fuller street, Dorchester, from senior accounting machine operator at $63 a week to senior account clerk (temporary) at $63 a week.

Albert W. Driscoll, 3 Oakhurst street, Dorchester, from senior accounting machine operator at $63 a week to senior account clerk (temporary) at $63 a week.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Daniel T. McInness, 41 Faneuil street, Brighton, from fire fighter at $74.71 a week to fire fighter, aide to deputy fire chief, at $78.54 a week.

John C. Kilroy, 9 Wensley street, Roxbury, from fire fighter at $74.71 a week to fire lieutenant at $86.59 a week.

Edwin C. Neimann, 93 Washington street, Hyde Park, from fire fighter, first engineer, at $82.38 a week to fire lieutenant at $86.59 a week.

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PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING MAY 24.—Continued.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Stony Brook Village	46 Leighton road	18	Dwelling	$8,000
Harvard Medical School	230 Longwood avenue	4	Alterations, school	10,000
Bratt Construction Company	99 Lorna road	18	Dwelling, garage	16,000
Bratt Construction Company	103 Lorna road	18	Dwelling, garage	16,000
Bratt Construction Company	107 Lorna road	18	Dwelling, garage	16,000
Bratt Construction Company	111 Lorna road	18	Dwelling, garage	16,000
William Driscoll	181 Manchester street	17	Dwelling	9,000
William Driscoll	185 Manchester street	17	Dwelling	9,000
William Driscoll	89 Manchester street	17	Dwelling	9,000
William Driscoll	93 Manchester street	17	Dwelling	9,000
William Driscoll	97 Manchester street	17	Dwelling	9,000
Louis and Sue Ciampi	20–30 Maverick square	1	Alterations, gas station, office	8,000
Messinger Corporation	38 Messinger street	18	Dwelling	9,000
Messinger Corporation	41 Messinger street	18	Dwelling	9,000
Messinger Corporation	42 Messinger street	18	Dwelling	9,000
Messinger Corporation	46 Messinger street	18	Dwelling	9,000
Mario Corsi	615 Metropolitan avenue	18	Dwelling	9,000
Mario Corsi	619 Metropolitan avenue	18	Dwelling	9,000
Philip Berson	869 Morton street	18	Alterations, office, gas station, lubritorium	200
E. Ossun and R. Day	337 Neponset avenue	16	Alterations, home, aged, dwelling	500
Sidney Berry	77 Newland street	9	Alterations, dwelling	None
Albert Fournier	3 Norton street	18	Dwelling	$8,000
Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston.	20 and 22 Old Harbor street	7	Alterations, class room	6,000
Sabatino Marcucci	112–116 Orleans street	1	Garage	12,000
Joseph Mercadante	270 Parsons street	22	Alterations, lunch room	1,000
Felix B. Coyne	56 Percival street	15	Fire repairs, dwelling	4,750
Henry Morash	10 Ransom road	18	Dwelling	12,000
S. P. McDonough	108 Roslindale avenue	20	Alterations, dwelling	2,500
James Gondolfo	88 Rutherford avenue	2	Fruit stand	950
Celanie Talbot	12 Stanton street	17	Alterations, dwelling	None
Domenic Tomaci	9 Taunton avenue	18	Dwelling	$8,000
Bernard Foley	208 Turtle Pond Parkway	18	Alterations, dwelling	700
Socony Vacuum Company	970 Washington street	17	Alterations, gas station	4,000
Gerald Scally	425 West Roxbury Parkway	20	Dwelling	15,000
Ricco Intonti	766 West Roxbury Parkway	20	Dwelling	13,500
Henry Kiernan	5 Winchester terrace	20	Dwelling	12,000
Robert McGovern	11 Arborview road	19	Dwelling	12,000
Nichols Construction Company.	12 Arborview road	19	Dwelling	8,000
Albert Locatelli	270 Beacon street	5	Alterations, dwelling, garage	2,000
Regis Development Corp.	1531 Blue Hill avenue	18	Insurance office	100,000
Metropolitan Transit Authority.	1670 & 1672 Blue Hill avenue	18	Sign, shop	950
Harold and Mary Peffer	11 Burley street	18	Dwelling	7,000
C. E. Fay Company	1168 Commonwealth avenue	21	Sign, sales, service station	10,000
Alphonse Ambrose	43 Custer street	19	Alterations, dwelling	None
Alphonse Ambrose	45 Custer street	19	Alterations, dwelling	None
City of Boston	230 Dartmouth street	5	Alterations, library	$5,256
Socony Vacuum Oil Company	603 Dudley street	13	Alterations, service station	3,000
Rutland Corner House	103 Francis street	4	Alterations, dwelling	100
Salvatore Grassa	10 Hanover avenue	3	Alterations, dwelling	None
H. H. & K. Collins	106 Keystone street	20	Dwelling	$9,000
Jadith Realty Trust	78–84 Lincoln street	22	Office, storage, service station	43,769
Walter DeLorey	12 Malcolm road	19	Dwelling	9,000
Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston.	109 Mt. Pleasant avenue	8	Convent	70,000
Walter McCabe	16 Ophir street	11	Alterations, dwelling	None
Walter McCabe	18 Ophir street	11	Alterations, dwelling	None
A. W. Perry, Inc.	165 and 167 Tremont street	3	Alterations, store, offices	$40,000
J. W. Praught	1204 V. F. W. Parkway	20	Warehouse	8,000
Martha Kosofsky	5201–03A Washington street	20	Signs, store, dwelling	700
Kenneth Foote	420 Western avenue	22	Office, shop, garage	18,000
Pinebrook Realty Company	35 Morrissey Boulevard	13	Alterations, manufacturing	12,000
Arthur Ryan	10 Anawan terrace	20	Alterations, dwelling	150
Frederick Bernacchi	475 Ashmont street	16	Alterations, dwelling	400
Benjamin Miller	65 Batchelder street	8	Alterations, dwelling	500
E. Cavanaugh	37 Belfort street	13	Alterations, dwelling	450
Chester Fredberg	138–138A Blue Hill avenue	13	Alterations, dwelling	210
L. King	466 Blue Hill avenue	14	Sign, store, bowling	300
M. Coleman	1063 Blue Hill avenue	14	Alterations, dwelling	350
Davis Slovinsky	1143 Blue Hill avenue	14	Alterations, store	200
Promisier Food Mart	1218 Blue Hill avenue	14	Sign, store	90
Fred Polimeno	26 Bower street	12	Alterations, dwelling	100
Fred Polimeno	28 Bower street	12	Alterations, dwelling	415
Julia Goodwin	156 Boylston street	5	Sign, store, office	650
M. Lowenstein Company	821 Boylston street	5	Alterations, store	800
F. M. Hartigan	80 Brown avenue	19	Alterations, dwelling	100
Emily Silva	207 Bunker Hill street	2	Alterations, dwelling	450
Walter Turner	16 Burke street	9	Alterations, dwelling	75
Mark's Construction Company.	2526 Centre street	20	Excavation	300
Schactman & Swig	36 Chauncy street	3	Sign, store, office	980
Dominic Michelie	231 Chelsea street	1	Alterations, dwelling	200
C. & L. Tire Company	25 Chesterton street	8	Ramp, wood locker	80
S. P. Gopen	303 Congress street	3	Alterations, offices	2,500
William Matera	79 Congreve street	20	Alterations, dwelling	480
Henderson & Beal	1 Court street	3	Alterations, office	150
Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston.	1725–29 Dorchester avenue	16	Alterations, church	7,500
Charles and Harry Paul	2281 Dorchester avenue	17	Alterations, sales, tires	300
J. M. Hampson	486 Dudley street	8	Alterations, store, dwelling	200
Clifford Smith	11 Euclid street	17	Alterations, dwelling	100
Ray C. Johnson	197–201 Friend street	3	Alterations, office, manufacturing	500
Anthony Sapanis	46 and 48 G street	7	Alterations, dwelling	200
Henry Bromberg	32 Gleason street	14	Alterations, dwelling	1,500
Edward Quint	23 Gray street	5	Alterations, dwelling	350
Green Shoe Company	924 Harrison avenue	8	Take-down, dwelling	800
Green Shoe Company	926 Harrison avenue	8	Take-down, dwelling	800
Green Shoe Company	928–930 Harrison avenue	8	Take-down, dwelling, store	800
Green Shoe Company	932 Harrison avenue	8	Take-down, dwelling	800

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Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Harvard Medical School	25 Shattuck street	4	Temporary tent	$350
Robert Gordon	718 Shawmut avenue	9	Alterations, store, dwelling	400
Frank Doherty	27 Sheffield road	20	Alterations, dwelling	85
Sara Pitman	35 Spring street	3	Alterations, store, dwelling	1,000
State Street Trust	274A Tremont street	3	Sign, store, office	100
A. Hubman	495 Tremont street	5	Alterations, dwelling	400
Slack Realty	359 Warren street	12	Alterations, store	1,000
National Sales-Service	203 Washington street	14	Sign, store, dwelling	35
Albert Shack	5335 Washington street	20	Alterations, store	200
Daniel G. O'Connor	55 Welles avenue	17	Alterations, dwelling	500
Boston Edison Company	91 West Canton street	9	Alterations, power plant	2,000
M. Black	64 Westminster street	9	Fire escape, dwelling	375
Arthur Buchon	67 Westminster street	18	Alterations, dwelling	250
Francis McLaughlin	34 Winthrop street	2	Fire escape, dwelling	75
Samuel Bloom	123 Woodrow avenue	16	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Best Homes Realty Trust	2303 Centre street	20	Dwelling	8,000
Ettore Piazza	25 Wyvern street	19	Dwelling	8,000
Spun Silk Mills Company	101 Antwerp street	21	Alterations, dwelling	200
Natalie Jurewich	254 Austin street	18	Alterations, dwelling	500
Joseph O'Connell	358 Beacon street	5	Alterations, dwelling	2,000
Boston Art Festival	Boston Public Garden	5	Temporary plywood floor	200
Merchants R. E. Trust	585-591 Boylston street	4	Alterations, bank, office	200
Back Bay Restaurant	1088 Boylston street	4	Fire escape, restaurant, hall	600
Mae Podolsky	27 Brinsley street	14	Alterations, dwelling	300
Lena Leone	108 Byron street	1	Alterations, wall	550
A. Kurpewski	141 Central avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	600
Thomas Hedrington	39 Colasset street	20	Alterations, dwelling	96
Robbins Canter Service	1605 Columbus avenue	11	Alterations, manufacturing	400
Carl Slater	491 Commonwealth avenue	5	Alterations, office, dwelling	400
Savino Intraversato	70 Frankfort street	1	Alterations, dwelling	550
Susan Elliot	46 Hereford street	5	Fire escape, dwelling	400
N. Russo and E. Cunio	15 Knoll street	20	Alterations, dwelling	90
W. McCormack	416 Medford street	2	Alterations, offices	200
John J. Madden	26 New Bedford street	18	Alterations, fire repairs, dwelling	90
William McDonnell	189 Wachusett street	19	Alterations, dwelling	345

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PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM PLUMBING FOR THE WEEK ENDING MAY 24.

Plumber.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
J. Phinney	821 and 823 Boylston street	4	New appliances	$750
J. Cunah	44 Doncaster street	18	New appliances	1,000
J. Woodacre	735 East Fifth street	6	New appliances	150
J. Crane	60 Everett street	21	New appliances	600
D. Robinson	25 Shattuck street	4	New appliances	1,000
D. Robinson	25 Shattuck street	4	New appliances	2,000
D. Robinson	25 Shattuck street	4	New appliances	1,000
W. McKennan	156 Stuart street	5	New appliances	2,000
P. Sanderbergh	32 Summer street	18	New appliances	500
J. Susenberger	148 Washington street	14	New appliances	300
S. Lucido	72 Whitten street	16	New appliances	300
S. Clayman	40 Forest street	8	Ranges	175
H. Ribeck	17 Imbaro road	18	Ranges	175
S. Shuman	81 Keystone street	20	Heaters	800
S. Shuman	88 Keystone street	20	Heaters	700
N. Wallen	619 Metropolitan avenue	8	Heaters	400
S. Clayman	144 West Selden street	18	New appliances	1,025
M. Yorks	231 Chelsea street	1	Heaters	350
J. Kretas	91 Cottage street	1	Heaters	185
H. Kroner	28 Fleet street	3	Heaters	350
H. Geddis	439 La Grange street	20	Heaters	200
P. Sanderbergh	215 Perham street	20	Heaters	100
G. Trethewey	11 Brookfield street	20	Heaters	100
A. Abbott	135 Brooks street	4	Heaters	175
C. Lang	22 Churchill street	20	Heaters	180
S. Lucidio	24 Elder street	7	Heaters	300
A. Farley	179 Newburg street	20	Heaters	200
S. Lucidio	16 Oriole street	20	Heaters	160
G. Trethewey	1036 South street	20	Heaters	180

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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John R. Harrison, 64 Hamilton street, Dorchester, from fire fighter at $74.71 a week to fire lieutenant at $86.59 a week.

Paul B. McNiff, 734 East Eighth street, South Boston, from fire fighter at $74.71 a week to fire lieutenant at $86.59 a week.

Richard P. Duffley, 35 Edwin street, Dorchester, from fire lieutenant at $90.61 a week to fire captain at $102.68 a week.

John R. Greene, 135 P street, South Boston, from fire lieutenant at $86.59 a week to fire captain at $98.66 a week.

Frederick P. Clauss, 5 Homes avenue, Dorchester, from fire captain at $102.68 a week to district fire chief at $122.61 a week.

Joseph F. Kilduff, 30 Bradeen street, Roslindale, from district fire chief (Medal) at $128.08 a week to deputy fire chief (Medal) at $144.16 a week.

Hospital Department.

Mary M. Corbett, 370 Centre street, Jamaica Plain, from hospital medical worker at $45.50 a week to hospital house worker at $45.50 a week.

Alfred J. Gallagher, 146 Calumet street, Roxbury, from senior hospital kitchen worker at $60.50 a week to principal hospital kitchen worker at $63 a week.

Long Island Division.

Gertrude F. Boyle, Long Island Hospital, from senior X-ray technician (temporary) at $58 a week to senior X-ray technician (permanent) at $58 a week.

Mary E. Mulhall, 21 Oakley street, Dorchester, from clerk and typist at $48 a week to senior clerk and typist (temporary, six months) at $55.50 a week.

Public Works Department.

Central Office.

Mae M. Murray, 32 Ditson street, Dorchester, from senior clerk and stenographer (temporary) at $55.50 a week to senior clerk and stenographer at $55.50 a week.

Cornelius E. O'Leary, 10 Gilmore terrace, West Roxbury, from senior personnel officer (temporary) at $103.50 a week to senior personnel officer at $103.50 a week.

Highway Division.

Joseph W. Dixon, 89 Waumbeck street, Roxbury, from junior engineering aid at $53 a week to senior engineering aid (temporary) at $60.50 a week.

Sanitary Division.

David P. Harrington, 23 O'Connell road, Dorchester, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior account clerk at $63 a week.

John J. Daley, 102 East Newton street, from street cleaning and waste collection inspector at $80 a week to district supervisor of street cleaning and waste collection (temporary) at $83.50 a week.

Sewer Division.

James H. Kelly, 1 Johnson avenue, Jamaica Plain, from sewer cleaner at $63 a week to sewer construction inspector (permanent intermittent) at $65.50 a week.

Riccaldo Savino, 303 Maverick street, East Boston, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week to sewer construction inspector (permanent intermittent) at $68 a week.

William H. Murray, 444 Gallivan Boulevard, Dorchester, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $61.25 a week to sewer construction inspector (permanent intermittent) at $68 a week.

Carle Maloof, 441 Shawmut avenue, from catch-basin machine operator at $68 a week to sewer construction inspector (permanent intermittent) at $70.50 a week.

John J. O'Callaghan, 98 Granite avenue, Dorchester, from sewer cleaner at $70.50 a week to sewer gateman (temporary) at $73 a week.

James J. Kiley, 7 Greenheys street, Roxbury, from sewer construction inspector at $80 a week to foreman, tidegate repair and maintenance (temporary) at $83.50 a week.

Arthur J. Lennon, 33 Oakview terrace, Jamaica Plain, from senior civil engineer at $117.75 a week to principal civil engineer (temporary) at $122.50 a week.

Survey Division.

Robert F. Mehegan, 38 Fenway, from senior clerk and typist at $60.50 a week to principal clerk and typist (temporary) at $65.50 a week.

Saverio A. DePronza, 406 Sumner street, East Boston, from clerk and typist at $48 a week to senior clerk and typist (temporary) at $55.50 a week.

Charles D. Sullivan, 31 St. Rose street, Jamaica Plain, from senior clerk at $65.50 a week to principal clerk and stenographer (temporary) at $70.50 a week.

Water Division.

James M. Doherty, 295 Bunker Hill street, Charlestown, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior clerk (temporary) at $55.50 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following promotions:

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

William J. McCarron, 24 Olmstead street, Jamaica Plain (formerly 10 Dorchester street), from elevator inspector at $83.50 a week to chief elevator inspector (temporary transfer) at $98.75 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Sanatorium Division.

Claire Peatfield, 69 Prospect street, Hyde Park, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior clerk and stenographer (temporary for six months) at $55.50 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Cemetery Division.

John F. Ruck, 15 Harris avenue, Jamaica Plain, from cemetery chapel custodian at $60.50 a week to principal clerk (temporary) at $65.50 a week.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

John H. Flanagan, 25 Grover street, Jamaica Plain, from second-class stationary engineer at $83.50 a week to chief power plant engineer (temporary) at $87 a week.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following leaves of absence:

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Thelma I. Segarra-Obiol, 183 Temple street, West Roxbury, electroencephalographic technician, $70.50 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

James Kelly, 195 Westville street, Dorchester, permanent steamfitter, $68 a week.

Nora Norton, 20 South Munroe street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $50.50 a week.

STEP-RATE INCREASES.

The Mayor has approved the following step-rate increases for employees of the following departments:

CITY PLANNING BOARD.

Robert C. Hansen, junior planner, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Sydnor F. Hodges, principal planner (temporary), from $108.25 to $113 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Francis J. Sullivan, head social work supervisor, from $94 to $98.75 a week.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING MAY 24.

GAS FITTER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
P. Gulesian	108 Arlington street	18	Heaters	$200
S. Adams	32 Athelwold street	17	Heaters	225
E. Sectores	11A Barnes street	I	Ranges	200
P. Gulesian	22 Bradlee street	18	Heaters	200
C. Connor	35 Bunker Hill street	2	Heaters	100
S. Adams	54 Centre street	17	Heaters	200
A. Award	1756 Commonwealth avenue	21	Heaters	300
W. Hogan	58 Dunster street	19	Ranges	300
C. Kay	665 East Seventh street	6	Heaters	300
J. Crane	60 Everett street	21	Heaters	300
W. Weinstine	61-63 Fowler street	14	Heaters	100
A. Sarletta	12 Franklin street	3	Heaters	100
S. Adams	76 Greenwood street	14	Heaters	100
S. Adams	15 Helena street	16	Heaters	100
N. Clark	17 Kingston street	2	Heaters	100
A. Award	84 Lake street	22	Heaters	100
P. Gulesian	51 Lincoln street	18	Heaters	100
L. Letex	9 Maryland street	15	Heaters	200
A. Award	Matchett street	22	Heaters	300
W. Connell	663 Metropolitan avenue	18	Heaters	300
D. Spiers	41 River street	17	Heaters	25
S. Adams	5 Ridgewood street	15	Heaters	75
P Gulesian	88 Readville street	18	Ranges	40
S. Adams	55 Spencer street	17	Heaters	50
W. Hogan	48 St. John street	19	Ranges	75
W. Silimack	7 Mark road	16	Ranges	50
J. Whith	243 West Third street	6	Ranges	75
S. Adams	119 Whitfield street	17	Heaters	50
T. Foley	50 Beacon street	5	Heaters	60
A. Ligger	318A Blue Hill avenue	12	Heaters	75
B. Luner	528 Commonwealth avenue	5	Heaters	50
Kethiner	91 Cottage street	1	Heaters	15
S. Kramer	16 East street	15	Heaters	25
D. Kegner	40 Forest street	8	Heaters	50
H. Lappin	35 Francis street	10	Heaters	100
S. Kramer	128 Huntington street	4	Heaters	50
S. Prayor	209 Maine street	2	Heaters	75
E. Healy	16 Melbourne street	16	Heaters	35
N. Wallen	619 Metropolitan avenue	18	Heaters	75
D. Keyner	50 Readville street	18	Heaters	75
D. Keyner	25 Standard street	18	Heaters	50
F. Carlson	27 St. Botolph street	4	Heaters	75
W. Fater	28 Wilton street	10	Heaters	70
Springer	25 Allen street	3	Heaters	75
J. Wilson	65 Baldwin street	2	Heaters	80
J. Flynn	15 Bradshaw street	14	Heaters	75
J. Flynn	91 Buttonwood street	7	Heaters	50
J. Flynn	10 Centre avenue	16	Heaters	70
H. Cutler	5 Bower street	12	Heaters	75
C. Lang	35 Brier street	20	Heaters	70
G. Trethewey	11 Brookfield street	20	Heaters	75
A. Gardella	60 Chambers street	3	Heaters	75
C. Lang	22 Churchill road	20	Heaters	90
S. Connolly	43 Clifford street	12	Heaters	40
A. Gardella	53 Cooper street	2	Heaters	40
R. McCall	173 Cottage street	1	Heaters	80
N. Clark	993 Dorchester avenue	13	Heaters	75
W. Dorgan	11 Elkins street	6	Heaters	60
S. Goldman	6 Esmond street	14	Heaters	75
S. Connolly	29 Fort avenue	11	Heaters	50
C. Lang	5 Grayfield avenue	20	Heaters	75
N. Clark	44 Jones avenue	14	Heaters	70
C. Lang	554 La Grange street	20	Heaters	50
N. Clark	189 London street	1	Heaters	75
G. Vallati	78 Bloomfield street	17	Heaters	50
A. McElerney	288 Maine street	2	Heaters	50
M. Caputo	12 Middlesex street	2	Heaters	75

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Sumner Tunnel Division.

Joseph McCarthy, tollman-guard, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

John McCarthy, tollman-guard, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Anna M. Danahy, assistant matron, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

MUNICIPAL COURT, ROXBURY DISTRICT.

Joseph Silva, from $131.59 to $137.03 semimonthly.

VETERANS' RETIREMENTS.

The Mayor has approved the following veterans' applications for retirement:

Helen P. (Barr) Nickerson, 58 Westland avenue, school medical aid, Department of School Hygiene, School Department.

Neil P. Coyle, 328 Shawmut avenue, motor equipment operator and laborer, Sanitary Division, Public Works Department.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award the contracts for work, materials, and supplies, in accordance with recommendations of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Purchasing Division.

Upon May 16 the Mayor approved a contract with lowest bidders as indicated for furnishing official envelopes to the Printing Section. Approximate total amounts of contracts were as follows:

Massachusetts Envelope Company, $3,106, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; Boston Envelope Company, $1,495, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids were as follows:

Item 1. 300,000 No. 7, Substance 24 White Wove Official Envelopes, Per M.—Boston Envelope Company, $2.41; Mainco Trading Company, $2.31; Massachusetts Envelope Company, $2.35*; Travers Envelope Company, $2.44.

Item 2. 300,000 No. 9, Substance 24 White Wove Official Envelopes, Per M.—Boston Envelope Company, $3.02; Mainco Trading Company, $3; Massachusetts Envelope Company, $2.77*; Travers Envelope Company, $2.86.

Item 3. 500,000 No. 10, Substance 24 White Wove Official Envelopes, Per M.—Boston Envelope Company, $3.21; Mainco Trading Company, $3.25; Massachusetts Envelope Company, $3.14*; Travers Envelope Company, $3.23.

Item 4. 500,000 Cheek Window Envelopes, Per M.—Boston Envelope Company, $2.99, 20 pounds, white; Massachusetts Envelope Company, $3.20; Travers Envelope Company, $3.27, Substance 20, white (dimensions furnished on this window envelope, size, 3½x7 15/16, window, 1¼x5, position, 5/16 inch from left, ⅞ inch from bottom, nearest to specifications).

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—Boston Envelope Company, Items 1, 2, and 3, two weeks, partial shipment before if needed, Item 4, three to four weeks; Mainco Trading Company, immediate delivery; Massachusetts Envelope Company, three weeks' delivery; Travers Envelope Company, Items 1, 2, and 3, three to four weeks, Item 4, four to five weeks from receipt of order.

Discount.—Boston Envelope Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Mainco Trading Company, 2 per cent, 30 days; Massachusetts Envelope Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Travers Envelope Company, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Remarks.—Massachusetts Envelope Company, above prices are firm prices.

* Contract awarded.

Upon May 17 the Mayor approved a contract with the Boston Woven Hose and Rubber Company for furnishing 10,000 feet of 3-inch, 2½-inch, and 1½-inch fire hose to the Fire Department. Approximate total amount of contract was $33,940, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids, opened May 11, were as follows:

Fire Hose.

Item 1. 10,000 Feet of 3-Inch Cotton Rubber-Lined Fire Hose, Having Dacron Filler Yarns, As Per Specifications, Per Foot.—Blaze Guard Manufacturing Company, $1.59; Boston Woven Hose and Rubber Company, $1.62*; Charles H. Clougherty Company, $2.35; Eureka Fire Hose, $2.24; Quaker Rubber Corporation, $1.80.

Item 2. 10,000 Feet of 2½-Inch Cotton Rubber-Lined Fire Hose, Having Dacron Filler Yarns, As Per Specifications, Per Foot.—Blaze Guard Manufacturing Company, $1.09; Boston Woven Hose and Rubber Company, $1.13*; Charles H. Clougherty Company, $1.55; Eureka Fire Hose, $1.49; Quaker Rubber Corporation, $1.25.

Item 3. 10,000 Feet of 1½-Inch Cotton Rubber-Lined Fire Hose, Having Dacron Filler Yarns, As Per Specifications, Per Foot.—Blaze Guard Manufacturing Company, 69 cents; Boston Woven Hose and Rubber Company, 64.4 cents*; Charles H. Clougherty Company, $1.10; Eureka Fire Hose, 90.2 cents; Quaker Rubber Corporation, 78 cents.

Questionnaire on 3-Inch Hose.

Brand or Trade Name.—Blaze Guard Manufacturing Company, Blazeron; Charles H. Clougherty Company, Bi-Lateral Dacron; Boston Woven Hose and Rubber Company, as per specifications; Eureka Fire Hose, Boston specifications, double jacket; Quaker Rubber Corporation, as per specifications.

Manufacturer of Hose.—Blaze Guard Manufacturing Company, Blaze Guard Manufacturing Company; Charles H. Clougherty Company, B. F. Goodrich Company; Boston Woven Hose and Rubber Company, Boston Woven Hose and Rubber Company; Eureka Fire Hose, Eureka Fire Hose; Quaker Rubber Corporation, Quaker Rubber Corporation.

Location of Factory or Plant.—Blaze Guard Manufacturing Company, North Bergen, N. J.; Charles H. Clougherty Company, Akron, Ohio; Boston Woven Hose and Rubber Company, 29 Hampshire street, Cambridge; Eureka Fire Hose, 1 Market street, Passaic, N. J.; Quaker Rubber Corporation, Tacony and Comly streets, Philadelphia.

Manufacturer of Couplings.—Blaze Guard Manufacturing Company, Akron Brass Company; Charles H. Clougherty Company, Boston Coupling Company, Boston; Boston Woven Hose and Rubber Company, Boston Coupling Company, Boston; Eureka Fire Hose, Akron Brass, Elkhart Brass, or Powhatan Brass Company; Quaker Rubber Corporation, Akron Brass Company.

Composition of Couplings.—Blaze Guard Manufacturing Company, 85 per cent copper, 5 per cent zinc, 5 per cent tin, 5 per cent lead; Charles H. Clougherty Company, bronze; Boston Woven Hose and Rubber Company, municipal metal, as per specifications; Eureka Fire Hose, copper alloy, municipal alloy, or underwriters' red metal; Quaker Rubber Corporation, as per specifications.

Guarantee.—Blaze Guard Manufacturing Company, guarantee attached; Charles H. Clougherty Company, in full compliance with specifications; Boston Woven Hose and Rubber Company, as per specifications; Eureka Fire Hose, exactly as shown in Section 11; Quaker Rubber Corporation, 10 years' service life.

Weight of a 50-Foot Section of the Hose As Specified.—Blaze Guard Manufacturing Company, approximately 74 pounds; Charles H. Clougherty Company, 55 pounds with couplings; Boston Woven Hose and Rubber Company, as per specifications; Eureka Fire Hose, approximately 73 pounds; Quaker Rubber Corporation, 62½ pounds.

Questionnaire on 2½-Inch Hose.

Brand or Trade Name.—Blaze Guard Manufacturing Company, Blazeron; Charles H. Clougherty Company, Bi-Lateral Dacron; Boston Woven Hose and Rubber Company, as per specifications; Eureka Fire Hose, Boston specifications, double jacket; Quaker Rubber Corporation, as per specifications.

Manufacturer of Hose.—Blaze Guard Manufacturing Company, Blaze Guard Manufacturing Company; Charles H. Clougherty Company, Bi-Lateral Fire Hose Company; Boston Woven Hose and Rubber Company, Boston Woven Hose and Rubber Company; Eureka Fire Hose, Eureka Fire Hose; Quaker Rubber Corporation, Quaker Rubber Corporation.

Location of Factory or Plant.—Blaze Guard Manufacturing Company, North Bergen, N. J.; Charles H. Clougherty Company, Akron, Ohio; Boston Woven Hose and Rubber Company, 29 Hampshire street, Cambridge; Eureka Fire Hose, 1 Market street, Passaic, N. J.; Quaker Rubber Corporation, Tacony and Comly streets, Philadelphia.

Manufacturer of Couplings.—Blaze Guard Manufacturing Company, Akron Brass Company; Charles H. Clougherty Company, Boston Coupling Company; Boston Woven Hose and Rubber Company, Boston Coupling Company; Eureka Fire Hose, Akron Brass, Elkhart Brass, or Eureka Fire Hose Division; Quaker Rubber Corporation, Akron Brass Company.

Composition of Couplings.—Blaze Guard Manufacturing Company, 85 per cent copper, 5 per cent zinc, 5 per cent tin, 5 per cent lead; Charles H. Clougherty Company, bronze; Boston Woven Hose and Rubber Company, municipal metal, as per specifications; Eureka Fire Hose, copper alloy, municipal alloy, or underwriters' red metal; Quaker Rubber Corporation, as per specifications.

Guarantee.—Blaze Guard Manufacturing Company, guarantee attached; Charles H. Clougherty Company, in full compliance with specifications; Boston Woven Hose and Rubber Company, as per specifications; Eureka Fire Hose, exactly as shown in Section 11; Quaker Rubber Corporation, 10 years' service life.

Weight of a 50-Foot Section of the Hose, as Specified.—Blaze Guard Manufacturing Company, approximately 44 pounds; Charles H. Clougherty Company, 45 pounds; Boston Woven Hose and Rubber Company, as per specifications; Eureka Fire Hose, approximately 55 pounds; Quaker Rubber Corporation, 46 pounds.

Questionnaire on 1½-Inch Hose.

Brand or Trade Name.—Blaze Guard Manufacturing Company, Blazeron; Charles H. Clougherty Company, Bi-Lateral Dacron; Boston Woven Hose and Rubber Company, as per specifications; Eureka Fire Hose, Boston specifications, double jacket; Quaker Rubber Corporation, as per specifications.

Manufacturer of Hose.—Blaze Guard Manufacturing Company, Blaze Guard Manufacturing Company; Charles H. Clougherty Company, Bi-Lateral Fire Hose Company; Boston Woven Hose and Rubber Company, Boston Woven Hose and Rubber Company; Eureka Fire Hose, Eureka Fire Hose; Quaker Rubber Corporation, Quaker Rubber Corporation.

Location of Factory or Plant.—Blaze Guard Manufacturing Company, North Bergen, N. J.; Charles H. Clougherty Company, Akron, Ohio; Boston Woven Hose and Rubber Company, 29 Hampshire street, Cambridge; Eureka Fire Hose, 1 Market street, Passaic, N. J.; Quaker Rubber Corporation, Tacony and Comly streets, Philadelphia.

Manufacturer of Couplings.—Blaze Guard Manufacturing Company, Akron Brass Company; Charles H. Clougherty Company, Boston Coupling Company; Boston Woven Hose and Rubber Company, Boston Coupling Company; Eureka Fire Hose, Akron Brass, Elkhart Brass, or Eureka Fire Hose Division; Quaker Rubber Corporation, Akron Brass Company.

Composition of Couplings.—Blaze Guard Manufacturing Company, 85 per cent copper, 5 per cent zinc, 5 per cent tin, 5 per cent lead; Charles H. Clougherty Company, bronze; Boston Woven Hose and Rubber Company, municipal metal, as per specifications; Eureka Fire Hose, copper alloy, municipal alloy, or underwriters' red brass; Quaker Rubber Corporation, as per specifications.

Guarantee.—Blaze Guard Manufacturing Company, guarantee as attached;

Charles H. Clougherty Company, in full compliance with specifications; Boston Woven Hose and Rubber Company, as per specifications; Eureka Fire Hose, exactly as shown in Section 11; Quaker Rubber Corporation, 10 years' service life.

Weight of a 50-Foot Section of the Hose, as Specified.—Blaze Guard Manufacturing Company, approximately 21¾ pounds; Charles H. Clougherty Company, 25 pounds; Boston Woven Hose and Rubber Company, as per specifications; Eureka Fire Hose, approximately 28 pounds; Quaker Rubber Corporation, 26 pounds.

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—Blaze Guard Manufacturing Company, Item 1, 90 days, Item 2, 60 days, Item 3, 30 days; Boston Woven Hose and Rubber Company, all items, 10,000 feet per week starting 30 days from receipt of an order; Charles H. Clougherty Company, all items, 60 days; Eureka Fire Hose, all items, partial shipment, 60 days, complete shipment, 90 days; Quaker Rubber Corporation, all items, 60 days.

Discount.—Blaze Guard Manufacturing Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Boston Woven Hose and Rubber Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Charles H. Clougherty Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Eureka Fire Hose, 2 per cent, time of payment; Quaker Rubber Corporation, 2 per cent, 30 days.

Remarks.—Blaze Guard Manufacturing Company, no increases in prices will be effective between the date of the bid and the date of delivery, any decreases in price established at the manufacturing or producing level shall be credited to the city, in the event of price control by the federal government, the highest price paid by the city will not exceed the established control price, *see* letters attached; Boston Woven Hose and Rubber Company, if entire order is received, will start shipment within 30 days at the rate of 10,000 feet per week total, quoting strictly in accordance with the specifications attached with no exceptions whatsoever.

* Contract awarded.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Upon May 23 the Mayor approved a contract with M. Solimando for general modernization at Girls' Latin School, Dorchester. Bids, opened May 17, were as follows:

M. Solimando, $172,842; D. Antonellis, Inc., $184,350; P. J. Cantwell & Son, $193,320; Rossano Construction Company, Inc., $196,866; J. F. Stack & Co., $197,250; John Rugo, $198,691; Brendan F. Sullivan & Co., $198,884; Martin J. Kelly Company, Inc., $228,310; J. A. Singarella Company, $239,000.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Upon May 23 the Mayor approved a contract with S. J. Tomasello Corporation for bituminous concrete pavement in Bickford avenue, Bickford street, Bromley street, Burney street, Conant street, Frawley street, Kempton street, Ward 10; Longwood avenue, Wards 4 and 10; Mission street, Oscar street, Parkton road and Stockwell street, Ward 10, at an estimated cost of $69,772.50. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed October 31, 1955. The following bids were received May 12:

S. J. Tomasello Corporation, $69,772.50; John McCourt Company, $70,648.35; John J. Amara & Sons, $71,044; Rufo Construction Company, $71,828.85; P. V. Barone Corporation, $74,761.75.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

Upon May 23 the Mayor approved a contract with Hodge Boiler Works for the removal of 180 steam boiler tubes and the replacing of same with the following results: (Archbishop J. J. Williams Municipal Building). Bids, opened Friday, May 6, were as follows:

Hodge Boiler Works, $2,640; J. F. Burnett, $2,710; C. W. Boiler Manufacturing and Repairing Company, Inc., $2,800; Daniel Russell Boiler Works, $3,133; Industrial Welding Company, $3,176.76; John W. Grundy, $3,300; Harding Welding and Piping Corporation, $3,993.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

CIVIL DEFENSE.

An extension of time for the contract dated September 14, 1954, calling for repair of structural damage caused by the hurricane of August 31, 1954, has been given to the B. Feneno Company, to the date of December 31, 1954, because of the delay in the purchase and delivery of equipment, in addition to the fact that more time than could be foreseen at the date of issuance of the contract has been required at each of the separate 119 locations. Inclement weather conditions further hampered the completion of repairs.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Charles Todesca, 100 Roslindale avenue, Roslindale, for sheet asphalt pavement in Summer street and Washington street and artificial stone sidewalks in Washington street, from May 31, 1955, to July 30, 1955. This extension was requested because the contractor was delayed by inclement weather during the early spring.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

J. D'Amico, Inc., has been directed to perform the following extra work under the contract for bituminous concrete pavement in Ansonia road, Bowditch road, Cricket Lane, Highfield road, Ledgewood road, and Searle road, dated October 5, 1954:

In Highfield road, furnish and place approximately 10.5 tons of stone dust in sidewalk area at $3 per ton. Estimated cost of extra work, $31.50.

STREET CONSTRUCTION IN DORCHESTER.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the widening and construction of Dorchester avenue, South Boston district, at the northwesterly corner of Southampton street, and named, bounded and described as follows:

The highway named Dorchester avenue is hereby widened at the northwesterly corner of Southampton street and ordered constructed.

For the making of the aforesaid improvement an easement for street purposes is hereby taken in the following described land, exclusive of trees, shrubs or structures standing upon or affixed thereto.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Blanchard Mottie Company, Inc., bounded:

Easterly by the westerly line of Dorchester avenue as it existed prior to this order by two measurements, 3.19 feet and 27.94 feet; westerly by the westerly line of Dorchester avenue as widened under this order, 54.24 feet on a curve of 50 feet radius; southeasterly by the northwesterly line of Southampton street, 28.61 feet, containing 149 square feet, more or less.

Trees, shrubs or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforedescribed land, shall be removed therefrom within thirty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Said Dorchester avenue as hereby widened is bounded:

Easterly by the westerly line of Dorchester avenue by two measurements, 3.19 feet and 27.94 feet; westerly by the westerly line of Dorchester avenue, 54.24 feet on a curve of 50 feet radius; southeasterly by the northwesterly line of Southampton street, 28.61 feet.

No betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Voted, That this commission determines that the undermentioned estate sustains damages by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the widening and construction of Dorchester avenue, South Boston, at the northwesterly corner of Southampton street, under the order of the commission of May 18, 1955, in the amount hereinafter mentioned, and awards said amount therefor.

Blanchard Moffie Company, Inc., 149 square feet, $1.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 2047.

Acting under provisions of chapter 658, Acts of 1945, section 7, as amended (State-Boston Retirement System), the Boston Retirement Board has approved for retirement on account of accidental disability the following-named police officer, effective at the close of business, Tuesday, May 31, 1955.

In view of this operation of law, after May 31, 1955, the said police officer shall no longer be an active member of this department, and it is hereby ordered that its records be so amended:

Capt. John D. Ahern, Division 11.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of sewer repair, estimated to be ten (10) days, the following street is one way in the direction indicated, effective May 17, 1955:

West Canton Street, Boston Proper.
From Tremont street to Shawmut avenue.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway reconstruction estimated to be thirty (30) days, vehicles are excluded from the following street, effective May 17, 1955:

Corey Terrace, West Roxbury.
From Corey street to dead end.

SEWERAGE WORKS IN DORCHESTER.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that sewerage works in Dania street, Cookson terrace, Viking terrace, Constitution road, Jamestown terrace, and Linvale terrace be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within thirty (30) days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly Dorchester and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to City of Boston, bounded:

Southeasterly by the northwesterly line of Linvale terrace, twenty feet; southwesterly by other land of said City of Boston, ten feet; northwesterly by land hereinafter described as taken from owners unknown, twenty feet; northeasterly by other land supposed to belong to said City of Boston, ten feet, containing two hundred square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being a 20-foot passageway, bounded:

Southeasterly by land hereinbefore described as taken from City of Boston, twenty feet; southwesterly by other land of the City of Boston and by land supposed to belong to John J. Daly, two hundred eight and 23/100 feet; northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Cookson terrace, twenty feet; and northeasterly by Dania street and land supposed to belong to Flax Realty Company, two hundred eight and 12/100 feet, containing four thousand one hundred sixty-seven square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Cookson terrace, bounded:

Southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Cookson terrace, twenty feet; southwesterly by another part of Cookson terrace, seven and 21/100 feet; northwesterly by another part of Cookson terrace, twenty feet; and northeasterly by Dania street, seven and 41/100 feet, containing one hundred forty-six square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Philip F. and Mary M. Fallo, being part of the private way known as Dania street, bounded:

Southwesterly by the northeasterly line of Cookson terrace, seven and 41/100 feet; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Dania street, forty-six and 69/100 feet; southeasterly by another part of Dania street, by two measurements, twenty-eight and 90/100 feet and eighteen and 99/100 feet; containing two hundred forty-eight square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Dania street, bounded:

Southwesterly by the southwesterly line of Dania street, forty-seven and 23/100 feet; northwesterly by another part of Dania street, hereinbefore described, by two measurements, eighteen and 99/100 feet and twenty-eight and 90/100 feet; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Dania street, four hundred one and 68/100 feet; westerly by the westerly line of Dania street, twenty-three and 56/100 feet on a curve of fifteen feet radius; southwesterly by the southwesterly line of Dania street, two hundred thirty-nine and 10/100 feet; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Dania street, thirty-five feet; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Dania street, two hundred thirty-eight and 95/100 feet; easterly by the easterly line of Dania street, by two measurements, fifty-four and 55/100 feet on a curve of fifty feet radius and thirteen and 70/100 feet on a curve of fifteen feet radius; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Dania street, by two measurements, four hundred forty-nine and 98/100 feet and twenty-three and 19/100 feet on a curve of fifteen feet radius, containing twenty-eight thousand eight square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being the private way known as Viking terrace, bounded:

Northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Dania street, sixty feet; southwesterly by the southwesterly line of Viking terrace, by two measurements, twenty-three and 56/100 feet on a curve of fifteen feet radius and one hundred seven feet; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Viking terrace, forty-seven and 12/100 feet on a curve of fifteen feet radius; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Viking terrace, by two measurements, one hundred seven feet and twenty-three and 56/100 feet on a curve of fifteen feet radius, containing four thousand one hundred ten square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Constitution road, bounded:

Northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Dania street, seventy feet; southwesterly by the southwesterly line of Constitution road, by two measurements, twenty-three and 56/100 feet on a curve of fifteen feet radius and one hundred seven feet; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Constitution road, sixty-two and 84/100 feet on a curve of twenty feet radius; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Constitution road, by two measurements, one hundred seven feet and twenty-three and 56/100 feet on a curve of fifteen feet radius, containing five thousand six hundred five square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being the private way known as Jamestown terrace, bounded:

Northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Dania street, forty-five and 24/100 feet; southwesterly by the southwesterly line of Jamestown terrace, by two measurements, twenty-three and 56/100 feet on a curve of fifteen feet radius and one hundred seven feet; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Jamestown terrace, forty-seven and 12/100 feet on a curve of fifteen feet radius; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Jamestown terrace, by two measurements, one hundred nineteen and 34/100 feet and two and 67/100 feet on a curve of fifteen feet radius, containing four thousand sixty-two square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Constitution road, bounded:

Southeasterly by the northwesterly line of Dania street, seventy feet; southwesterly by the southwesterly line of Constitution road, by two measurements, twenty-three and 56/100 feet on a curve of fifteen feet radius and seventy and 59/100 feet; northwesterly by another part of Constitution road, thirty-seven and 90/100 feet; southwesterly by another part of Constitution road, ten and 76/100 feet; northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Crossman street, nineteen and 97/100 feet; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Constitution road, by two measurements, one hundred thirteen and 17/100 feet and twenty-three and 56/100 feet on a curve of fifteen feet radius; containing four thousand two hundred one square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Flax Realty Company, being part of the private way known as Constitution road, bounded:

Southeasterly by another part of Constitution road, thirty-seven and 90/100 feet; southwesterly by the southwesterly line of Constitution road, four and 34/100 feet; northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Crossman street, thirty-five and 37/100 feet; northeasterly by another part of Constitution road, ten and 76/100 feet; containing two hundred fifty-eight square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Crossman street, bounded:

Southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Crossman street, fifty-five and 34/100 feet; northeasterly by another part of Crossman street, thirteen and 83/100 feet; southeasterly by another part of Crossman street, thirty-eight and 36/100 feet; southwesterly by another part of Crossman street, thirteen and 83/100 feet; again southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Crossman street, by two measurements, sixteen and 39/100 feet and twenty-nine and 38/100 feet on a curve of one hundred forty-five feet radius; northwesterly by another part of Crossman street, thirty-seven and 38/100 feet; again northwesterly by another part of Crossman street, one hundred three and 88/100 feet; southwesterly by Faunce road, forty-one and 50/100 feet; containing three thousand four hundred sixty-four square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Flax Realty Company, being part of an unnamed private way, bounded:

Northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Crossman street, by two measurements, sixteen and 39/100 feet and twenty-nine and 38/100 feet on a curve of one hundred forty-five feet radius; northwesterly by other land supposed to belong to Flax Realty Company, by two measurements, ninety-seven and 23/100 feet and sixteen and 16/100 feet on a curve of ten feet radius; northeasterly by the southwesterly line of Dania street, sixty-four and 61/100 feet; southeasterly by other land supposed to belong to Flax Realty Company, by two measurements, thirty and 50/100 feet on a curve of twenty feet radius, and one hundred nineteen and 50/100 feet; containing four thousand three hundred seventy-two square feet, more or less.

Sewerage works to be constructed are as follows:

In Linvale terrace and in private land, between Linvale terrace and Dania street, 250 linear feet of 24-inch pipe surface drain.

In Dania street, 237 linear feet of 21-inch pipe surface drain and 445 linear feet of 12-inch pipe surface drain.

In Viking terrace, 142 linear feet of 10-inch pipe surface drain and 145 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sewer.

In Constitution road, from Dania street southeasterly, 142 linear feet of 10-inch pipe surface drain and 145 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sewer.

In Jamestown terrace, 142 linear feet of 10-inch pipe surface drain and 145 feet of 10-inch pipe sewer.

In Constitution road, from Dania street northwesterly, 169 linear feet of 24-inch pipe surface drain and 165 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sewer.

In Crossman street, 66 linear feet of 24-inch pipe surface drain and 70 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sewer.

In private land, between Crossman street and Dania street, 70 linear feet of 24-inch pipe sewer.

The total estimated cost for the above sewerage works is $34,790.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvements.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the abutting parcels of land hereinafter listed and being situated on Viking terrace, Jamestown terrace, Constitution road, and Crossman street, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement herein ordered; each of said parcels in the amounts hereinafter respectively set against it; said parcels and the supposed owners thereof being shown on the plan hereinbefore referred to and on file in the office of this commission.

Parcel.	Amount.
4. (Viking Terrace) Flax Realty Company..	$435
5. (Viking Terrace) Flax Realty Company..	435
4. (Constitution road) Flax Realty Company	435
5. (Constitution road) Flax Realty Company	435
2. (Jamestown Terrace) Flax Realty Company	174
3. (Jamestown Terrace) Flax Realty Company	174
4. (Jamestown Terrace) Flax Realty Company	174
5. (Jamestown Terrace) Flax Realty Company	174
6. (Jamestown Terrace) Flax Realty Company	174
1. (Crossman Street) Mary Merola	564
2. (Crossman Street) Flax Realty Company	282
Total	$3,456

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of easements for sewerage purposes and the construction of sewerage works in Dania street, Cookson terrace, Viking terrace, Constitution road, Jamestown terrace, Linvale terrace, and in private land, Dorchester district, under the order of the commission of May 11, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

City of Boston, 200 square feet	Nothing
Owners unknown (passageway), 4,167 square feet	Nothing
Owners unknown (Cookson terrace), 146 square feet	Nothing
Owners unknown (Dania street), 248 square feet	Nothing
Owners unknown (Dania street), 28,008 square feet	Nothing
Owners unknown (Viking terrace), 4,110 square feet	Nothing
Owners unknown (Constitution road), 5,605 square feet	Nothing
Owners unknown (Jamestown terrace), 4,062 square feet	Nothing
Owners unknown (Constitution road), 4,201 square feet	Nothing
Flax Realty Company, 258 square feet..	Nothing
Owners unknown (Crossman street), 3,464 square feet	Nothing
Flax Realty Company, 4,372 square feet	Nothing

LAND-TAKING FOR SCHOOL PURPOSES.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that due notice be given that this commission is of the opinion that public necessity requires the taking of approximately 8,969 square feet of land, for school purposes, on Mt. Vernon street, Dorchester district, supposed to belong to Boston College High School, substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this commission, that it intends to pass an order for making said taking, and that it appoints 10 o'clock A.M. of March 16, 1955, and the office of this commission, 401 City Hall Annex, as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said commission on said day.

Attest:

MICHAEL J. CORRAO,
Secretary.

IN PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT COMMISSION,
CITY OF BOSTON, APRIL 27, 1955.

Whereas, The Public Improvement Commission has passed the aforesaid order of notice and has caused a copy of said order to be published March 4, 5, 7, 8, 1955, in the Boston *American* and the Boston *Globe,* and March 5, 1955, in the *City Record,* and has given the public hearing, notice of which was given in said order; and

Whereas, The Department of School Buildings of the City of Boston, with the approval of the Mayor, has selected, designated, and requested the Public Improvement Commission of said city to take for said city for Department of School Buildings purposes the land hereinafter described, in that part of Boston formerly Dorchester; it is

Voted, That the Public Improvement Commission of said City of Boston, acting under the provisions of chapter 486 of the Acts of the Legislature of 1909 and chapter 79 of the General Laws and all other authority thereto enabling, hereby takes in fee for said city, for school purposes, the following described parcels of land, including the trees, buildings, and other structures standing upon or affixed thereto.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Boston College High School, shown as Parcel 5 on a plan hereinafter referred to, bounded:

Northerly by land supposed to belong to the City of Boston, taken for school purposes under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor dated February 5, 1954, twenty-nine and 7-100 feet; northwesterly by other land of the City of Boston, taken for school purposes under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor dated February 5, 1954, by four measurements, seventeen and 3-100 feet, fifteen and 81-100 feet, seventeen and 72-100 feet, and thirty-five and 23-100 feet; southeasterly by other land of said Boston College High School, one hundred four feet; containing eight hundred eighty square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Boston College High School, shown as Parcel 6 on a plan hereinafter referred to, bounded:

Northwesterly by land supposed to belong to the City of Boston, taken for school purposes under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor dated February 5, 1954, by seven measurements, twenty-seven and 51-100 feet, twenty and 40-100 feet, forty and 31-100 feet, fifty-two and 77-100 feet, sixteen and 3-100 feet, thirty-eight and 95-100 feet, and forty-three and 83-100 feet; southeasterly by other land of said Boston College High School, two hundred sixteen feet; containing four thousand six hundred twenty-four square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Boston College High School, shown as Parcel 7 on a plan hereinafter referred to, bounded:

Northeasterly by land supposed to belong to the City of Boston, taken for school purposes under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor dated February 5, 1954, twenty-four and 60-100 feet; southwesterly by other land of said Boston College High School, twenty-three and 42-100 feet; southeasterly by other land of said Boston College High School, eight and 59-100 feet; containing one hundred one square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Boston College High School, shown as Parcel 8 on a plan hereinafter referred to, bounded:

Northeasterly by land supposed to belong to the City of Boston, taken for school purposes under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor dated February 5, 1954, by five measurements, nineteen feet, fifty and 21-100 feet, twenty-nine and 19-100 feet, fifty-six and 11-100 feet, and sixty feet; southwesterly by other land of said Boston College High School, one hundred ninety-nine and 76-100 feet; containing three thousand four hundred twenty-two square feet, more or less.

Said parcels of land are shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Mt. Vernon Street, Dorchester, April 22, 1955, James W. Haley, Chief Engineer, Survey Division, Public Works Department," and on file in the office of this department.

Voted, That this commission determines that the undermentioned estates sustain damages by the taking in fee of land near Mt. Vernon street, Dorchester district, for school purposes, under the order of the commission of April 27, 1955, in the amounts hereinafter respectively set against them; and awards said amounts therefor.

Parcel 5, Boston College High School, 880 square feet, $457.60.

Parcel 6, Boston College High School, 4,624 square feet, $2,404.48.

Parcel 7, Boston College High School, 101 square feet, $52.52.

Parcel 8, Boston College High School, 3,422 square feet, $1,779.44.

Total, $4,694.04.

STREET REPAIRS ORDERED.

The Public Improvement Commission has voted as follows:

That this commission, having passed the order of notice relating to the public improvement, hereinafter described, and having caused a copy of said order to be published March 18, 19, 21, and 22, 1955, in the Boston *Globe* and Boston *American,* two daily newspapers published in the City of Boston, and having given the public hearing, notice of which was given in said order, and being of the opinion that public necessity and convenience require, does hereby order that specific repairs be made in Cemetery road, West Roxbury district, between Forest Hills street and Morton street, consisting of the reduction in width of the existing sidewalks, as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Cemetery road, West Roxbury, May 9, 1955, James W. Haley, Chief Engineer, Survey Division, Public Works Department," and on file in the office of said department.

That this commission, having passed the order of notice relating to the public improvement, hereinafter described, and having caused a copy of said order to be published March 4, 5, 7, and 8, 1955, in the Boston *American* and Boston *Globe*, two daily newspapers published in the City of Boston, and having given the public hearing, notice of which was given in said order, and being of the opinion that public necessity and convenience require, does hereby order that specific repairs be made in Massachusetts avenue, Roxbury district, at the intersection of Theodore A. Glynn Way, consisting of the installation of traffic divisional island, as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Southampton Street, Massachusetts Avenue, Theodore A. Glynn Way, Roxbury, April 4, 1955, James W. Haley, Chief Engineer, Survey Division, Public Works Department," and on file in the office of said department.

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That this commission, having passed the order of notice relating to the public improvement, hereinafter described, and having caused a copy of said order to be published March 4, 5, 7, and 8, 1955, in the Boston *American* and Boston *Globe*, two daily newspapers published in the City of Boston, and having given the public hearing, notice of which was given in said order, and being of the opinion that public necessity and convenience require, does hereby order that specific repairs be made in Southampton street, Roxbury district, at the intersection of Massachusetts avenue, consisting of the installation of two traffic divisional islands and the reduction in width of the existing sidewalks, as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Southampton Street, Massachusetts Avenue, Roxbury, April 4, 1955, James W. Haley, Chief Engineer, Survey Division, Public Works Department," and on file in the office of said department.

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That this commission, having passed the order of notice relating to the public improvement, hereinafter described, and having caused a copy of said order to be published March 4, 5, 7, and 8, 1955, in the Boston *American* and Boston *Globe*, two daily newspapers published in the City of Boston, and having given the public hearing notice of which was given in said order, and being of the opinion that public necessity and convenience require, does hereby order that specific repairs be made in Southampton street, Roxbury district, at the intersection of Theodore A. Glynn Way, consisting of the installation of a traffic divisional island, as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Southampton Street, Massachusetts Avenue, Theodore A. Glynn Way, Roxbury, April 4, 1955, James W. Haley, Chief Engineer, Survey Division, Public Works Department," and on file in the office of said department.

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That this commission, having passed the order of notice relating to the public improvement, hereinafter described, and having caused a copy of said order to be published March 4, 5, 7, and 8, 1955, in the Boston *American* and the Boston *Globe*, two daily newspapers published in the City of Boston, and having given the public hearing, notice of which was given in said order, and being of the opinion that public necessity and convenience require, does hereby order that specific repairs be made in Theodore A. Glynn Way, Roxbury district, at the intersection of Newmarket square, consisting of the installation of a traffic divisional island, as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Southampton Street, Massachusetts Avenue, Theodore A. Glynn Way, Roxbury, April 4, 1955, James W. Haley, Chief Engineer, Survey Division, Public Works Department," and on file in the office of said department.

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That this commission, having passed the order of notice relating to the public improvement, hereinafter described, and having caused a copy of said order to be published March 4, 5, 7, 8, 1955, in the Boston *American* and Boston *Globe*, two daily newspapers published in the City of Boston, and having given the public hearing, notice of which was given in said order, and being of the opinion that public necessity and convenience require, does hereby order that specific repairs be made in Bunker Hill street, Charlestown district, consisting of the reduction in width of existing sidewalks at various locations and the installation of a traffic divisional island near the intersection of Elm street, as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Bunker Hill Street, Charlestown, May 16, 1955, George G. Hyland, Commissioner of Public Works," and on file in the office of the Public Works Department.

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That this commission, having passed the order of notice relating to the public improvement, hereinafter described, and having caused a copy of said order to be published March 4, 5, 7, and 8, 1955, in the Boston *American* and Boston *Globe*, two daily newspapers published in the City of Boston, and having given the public hearing, notice of which was given in said order, and being of the opinion that public necessity and convenience require, does hereby order that specific repairs be made in Massachusetts avenue, Roxbury district, at the intersection of Southampton street, consisting of the reduction in width of the existing sidewalks, as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Southampton Street, Massachusetts Avenue, Roxbury, April 4, 1955, James W. Haley, Chief Engineer, Survey Division, Public Works Department," and on file in the office of said department.

AMENDMENTS TO ORIGINAL AWARDS OF DAMAGES.

The Public Improvement Commission has voted as follows:

That the amount of $75 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to George E. and Edna S. Gray for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of March 27, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Oakmere street, West Roxbury.

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That the amount of $75 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to William R. and Lois L. Zwicker for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of March 27, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Oakmere street, West Roxbury.

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That the amount of $200 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Beatrice Ravida for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of October 19, 1953, for the widening of Summit street, Hyde Park.

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That the amount of $240 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to George D. and Phyllis M. LaFontaine for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of August 26, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Wedgewood road, West Roxbury.

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That the amount of $85 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Kalman and Barbara M. Donchess for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of March 25, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Ansonia road, West Roxbury.

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That the amount of $175 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Richard A. and Eleanor A. Jacobson for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of July 23, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Van Brunt street, Hyde Park.

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That the amount of $160 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to William C. Gustus for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of July 23, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Van Brunt street, Hyde Park.

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That the amount of $200 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Anthony F. and Katherine L. Cabral for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of June 11, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Hallron street, Hyde Park.

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Works Department for the following construction work:

One hundred and forty linear feet of 10-inch pipe sewer in Regent street, between Hulbert street and Circuit street, in the Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of $3,364.

Five catch basins and connections in Maryknoll street, north of Clearwater Drive, north of Caryll street, and north of Eskridge street, in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of $3,500.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway construction, estimated to be thirty (30) days, vehicles are excluded from the following street, effective May 20, 1955:

Hartlawn Road, West Roxbury.

From Baker street to Prospect street.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of underground construction by the Boston Edison Company, estimated to be thirty (30) days, parking of vehicles is prohibited in the following street, when and where official signs are in place, effective May 25, 1955:

Harvard Avenue, Brighton.

Both sides, from Brighton avenue to Cambridge street.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, May 16, 1955.

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 2 P.M., President HURLEY in the chair, and all the members present.

The Reverend James M. Gibbons, of Our Lady, Comforter of the Afflicted, Roman Catholic Church, Waltham, was escorted to the rostrum.

INVOCATION BY REV. JAMES M. GIBBONS.

I pray Thee, O Lord, to guide these men in their dealings and negotiations for the City of Boston. Please, God, in their personal dealings with one another, may they be guided by charity so that each man will accomplish what he hopes will be best for the City of Boston. May they realize, perhaps, their shortcomings and be charitable in their dealings with one another.

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost. Amen.

The meeting was opened with the salute to the Flag.

EXCLUSION OF CERTAIN HOUSING UNITS FROM OPERATION OF CHAPTER 247 OF THE ACTS OF 1955.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, May 16, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Corporation Counsel concerning your order of May 2, 1955, relative to drafting emergency legislation, excluding those units built under chapter 372 of the Acts of 1946 from chapter 247 of the Acts of 1955.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Law Department, May 16, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.
Dear Mr. Mayor:

Ten days ago you transmitted to me a copy of the order passed by the City Council on May 2, 1955, reading as follows:

"Ordered, That the Corporation Counsel be directed, through his Honor the Mayor, to draft emergency legislation, excluding those units built under chapter 372 of the Acts of 1946 from chapter 247 of the Acts of 1955."

This is to report that, since there is already pending before the General Court's Committee on Mercantile Affairs House No. 2796, which would appear to cover the matter adequately, no further draft of legislation is necessary.

Respectfully,
WILLIAM L. BAXTER,
Corporation Counsel.

Placed on file.

MANASSAH E. BRADLEY MEMORIAL STADIUM.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, May 16, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation relative to your order of May 9, 1955, concerning changing of the name of the East Boston Memorial Stadium to the Manassah E. Bradley Memorial Stadium.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Parks and Recreation Department,
May 13, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.
Dear Sir:

This will acknowledge memo from your office with attached order from Councillor McCormack requesting the naming of the East Boston Memorial Stadium in memory of the late Representative Manassah E. Bradley.

This request will receive our consideration.

Very truly yours,
FRANK R. KELLEY, Commissioner.

Placed on file.

FURTHER DEVELOPMENT OF LITTLE LEAGUE MOVEMENT IN BOSTON.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, May 16, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation concerning your order of May 9, 1955, relative to the interest of various societies and organizations in the establishment of Little Leagues in other sections of the city.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Parks and Recreation Department,
May 13, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.
Dear Sir:

This will acknowledge memo from your office with attached order from Councillor Foley, setting forth that there has been splendid cooperation between the Little League officials and the authorities in the Parks and Recreation Department and that both groups should be commended.

The order further states that members of the Little League and the Park Department should endeavor to interest various societies and organizations in establishing their own Little Leagues in sections of the city and that the work between the Park Department and the Little League should be publicized in various sections of the country.

This matter will have our attention.

Very truly yours,
FRANK R. KELLEY, Commissioner.

Placed on file.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committee named, viz.

Claims.

William P. Albanese, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Fire Department.

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Armand Studios, for compensation for damage to property at 184 Boylston street, caused by bullet from police detective's gun.

Rose L. Avery, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 52 Clarkwood street.

Francis R. Avola et al., for adjustment of claims against Edward D. Skane, police officer.

Stanley Boczkowski, for compensation for damage to property at 28 Glendon street, East Boston, caused by backing up of sewage.

Victor Bonaceto, for compensation for damage to property at 76 Hemman street, Roslindale, caused during installation of sidewalks.

John J. Boyle, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Water Division, Public Works Department.

Catherine E. Breen, for compensation for damage to property at 51 Oakmere street, West Roxbury, during laying out and construction of Oakmere street.

Salvatore J. Castronova, to be reimbursed as result of execution issued against him on account of his acts as employee of Fire Department.

Gemma Castrucci, for compensation for damage to clothing caused by tar thrown by city employees.

Christopher Columbus Youth Center, for compensation for damage to property at 44 Prince street, Boston, by fire apparatus.

Martha Donahue, for compensation for damage to property at 46 Woodward street, South Boston, caused by backing up of sewage.

Michael Donato, for compensation for loss of valuables at Fens Stadium.

David Donnelly, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Police Department.

David J. Driscoll, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Police Department.

Thomas and Julia Fasano, for compensation for damage to property at 58 Hemman street, Roslindale, during sidewalk construction.

General Exchange Insurance Corporation, for compensation for damage to car of William Brogan by fire truck.

General Exchange Insurance Corporation, for compensation for damage to car of Henry Hurley by Police Department car.

General Exchange Insurance Corporation, for compensation for damage to car of Ethelyn Kincade by city truck.

General Exchange Insurance Corporation, for compensation for damage to car of James Martin by Police Department car.

General Exchange Insurance Corporation, for compensation for damage to car of Joseph Polsky by Water Department truck.

General Exchange Insurance Corporation, for compensation for damage to car of Charles Reil by Fire Department truck.

John J. Hillen, Jr., to be reimbursed as result of execution issued against him on account of his acts as employee of Automotive Division of Public Works Department.

Francis Orlandi, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 29 Cornell street, Roslindale.

Herbert R. Peterson, for compensation for damage to car by city motor vehicle.

William Quigg, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Sanitary Division, Public Works Department.

Arthur W. Woodford, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Water Division, Public Works Department.

SUPPLEMENTARY APPROPRIATIONS OF $1,547,558.67.

See *City Record*, May 21 Issue, for Letter of Transmittal and Appropriation Orders.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Finance.

PERMITS FOR CHILDREN.

Petitions for children under fifteen years of age to appear at places of public amusement:

Mary J. Barker, Brighthelmstone Club, May 20.
Kay A. McDermott, John Hancock Hall, June 1.
Gertrude Dolan, Jordan Hall, June 16 and 24.
Permits granted under usual conditions.

PETITIONS FOR INDEMNIFICATION.

Petition of John K. Hayes, employee of Boston Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses.

Petition of William A. Terrenzi, employee of Boston Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses.

Petition of Charles N. Vogel, employee of Boston Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses.

Petition of Joseph F. Vogel, employee of Boston Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses.

Petition of Leo J. Walker, employee of Boston Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses.

Petition of William J. Walsh, Jr., employee of Boston Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses.

Severally referred to the Committee on Claims.

APPLICATIONS FOR COMMERCIAL SHELLFISH PERMITS.

Applications for commercial use shellfish permits were received from the following:

Edward M. George, 151 Princeton street, East Boston, Ward 1; John P. Fowler, 186 I street, South Boston, Ward 7; Salvatore L. D'Amico, 293 Lexington street, East Boston, Ward 1; James V. D'Amico, 293 Lexington street, East Boston, Ward 1; Leonard W. D'Amico, 74 North Margin street, Boston, Ward 3; Vincent A. Perrella, 2 West Eagle street, East Boston, Ward 1; Richard J. Mulloy, 27 Gayland street, Dorchester, Ward 13; Frank D'Amico, 182 Falcon street, East Boston, Ward 1; Lawrence E. Bellows, 18 Vinton street, South Boston, Ward 7; Charles A. Maslauskas, 538 East Fourth street, South Boston, Ward 6; Richard Kirby, 7 Greenmount street, Dorchester, Ward 15; Joseph F. Wardell, 50 Barnes avenue, East Boston, Ward 1; Daniel S. Kinnally, 21 Vallar road, East Boston, Ward 1; Frederick A. Muise, 369 Border street, East Boston, Ward 1; Frank J. Sidorowicz, 17 Newport street, Dorchester, Ward 13; Rupert Y. Hodgkins, 2 Bennet place, East Boston, Ward 1; Arthur C. Liska, 33 Washburn street, Dorchester, Ward 7; William H. Riley, 16 Port Norfolk street, Dorchester, Ward 16; George M. Hurd, 417 Chelsea street, East Boston, Ward 1; George Lincoln, 5 Hallett-Davis street, Dorchester, Ward 16; Daniel J. Mulkern, Jr., 255 Border street, East Boston, Ward 1; Richard Hodgkins, 2 Bennet place, East Boston, Ward 1; Bronick Kwasnica, 179 H street, South Boston, Ward 7; Daniel J. Mulkern, 255 Border street, East Boston, Ward 1.

Severally referred to the Committee on Licenses.

NOTICE OF HEARINGS ON PETITIONS TO ESTABLISH NURSING HOMES AND ERECT HOSPITALS.

The following was received:

City of Boston.
Building Department, May 12, 1955.

To the Members of the Boston City Council.

A public hearing, as required by the Zoning Act for the City of Boston, will be held in Room 907, City Hall Annex, on Thursday, May 19, 1955, at 10 A.M., on the following:

9 Rockland street, Ward 12. Permission has been requested by the prospective owner, Kenneth L. Brennick, to establish a nursing home at this location.

11 Rockland street, Ward 12. Cora A. Hooten, owner, and Kenneth L. Brennick, prospective owner, request permission to establish a nursing home at this location.

12 High Rock Way, Ward 21. Catherine and Mary MacGillivray, owners and prospective occupants, have requested permission to establish a nursing home.

295 Longwood Avenue, Ward 4. Permission has been requested by the Judge Baker Guidance Center, owner and prospective occupant, to have a hospital erected.

170 Pilgrim Road, Ward 4. Diabetes Foundation, Inc., owner and prospective occupant, has requested permission to have a hospital erected.

CHARLES A. CALLANAN,
Building Commissioner.

President HURLEY announced that the hearing on the above would be held on Thursday, May 19, at 10 A.M. in Room 907, City Hall Annex.

Placed on file.

APPROVAL OF CONSTABLES' BONDS.

The constables' bonds of the following, having been duly approved by the Collector-Treasurer, were received and approved by the Council: Newman A. Flanagan, Andrew A. Raffoni.

APPOINTMENTS BY THE MAYOR.

Notices were received from the Mayor of the following appointments:

F. Paul Morgan, 45 Milk street, Boston, as member of Board of Zoning Adjustment in the City Planning Department for term ending May 1, 1960.

Thomas M. Horan, 19 Congress street, Boston, as alternate to F. Paul Morgan of the Board of Zoning Adjustment in the City Planning Department for term ending May 1, 1960.

Severally placed on file.

Coun. WHITE in the chair.

ACCELERATION OF PLANS FOR WEST END AREA URBAN REDEVELOPMENT.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor request the Boston Housing Authority to accelerate the completion of the plans and other procedural requirements in connection with urban redevelopment for the West End area and, to this end, that additional personnel be assigned to the Urban Redevelopment Division for this specific purpose.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

STATUS OF CITY PUBLIC RELATIONS PROGRAM.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor advise the Boston City Council of the present status of any specific public relations program for the City of Boston.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

ELECTRIC LIGHTS ON EAST FOURTH STREET.

Coun. McCORMACK, FOLEY, and KERRIGAN offered the following:

Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works take whatever action is necessary to install electric lights on East Fourth street, between P street and Farragut road, in South Boston.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

PLAY AREA IN RIPLEY ROAD SECTION, DORCHESTER.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Ordered, That the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation consider the advisability of constructing a "small tot" play area in the Ripley Road section of Dorchester.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

PLAY AREA IN FRANKLIN FIELD SECTION, DORCHESTER.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Ordered, That the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation consider the advisability of constructing a "small tot" play area in the Franklin Field section of Dorchester.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

EXPANSION OF PRIVATE BASEBALL RECREATION PROGRAM FOR JUVENILES.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That the Board of Parks and Recreation be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to take the following steps toward the expansion of the private baseball recreation program for juveniles in Boston:

1. The immediate establishment of a committee composed basically of the Boston Advisory Committee of the Little League, with liaison, clerical, and technical assistance from the Park Department and such other groups as may seem advisable; that said group take such steps as seem necessary to extend the Little League movement to sections of Boston not presently serviced by Little League movements.

2. That a separate advisory committee for the private Babe Ruth Leagues be established "to promote cooperation between the city and the private Babe Ruth League movement in the city;" that the committee be modeled on the Boston Advisory Committee for the Little League.

3. That the Board of Parks and Recreation immediately contact the national Babe Ruth League movement with a view to bringing to Boston the Babe Ruth League sectional playoff this year and the Babe Ruth League World Series in 1956 or 1957.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

RECREATION AREA IN BRIGHTON.

Coun. AHEARN offered the following:

Whereas, There is badly needed in the Aberdeen section of Brighton a safe and adequate recreation area to obviate the necessity of traveling long distances through heavy, dangerous traffic on Commonwealth avenue and Chestnut Hill avenue in order to reach the recreation area at Cleveland Circle, be it therefore

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor is hereby requested to direct the Park Commissioner to construct a play and recreation area on the site of Park Department land in back of the fire station on Chestnut Hill avenue, Brighton, and to furnish said area with benches, swings, and appropriate equipment for the use of the mothers and children of the Aberdeen section of Brighton.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

SUPERVISED RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES AT HEALTH UNITS.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Ordered, That the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation consider the advisability of having supervised recreational activities promoted at the Savin Street Health Unit in the Roxbury district and at other health units where such a program would be readily adaptable.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON LICENSES.

Coun. HAILER, for the Committee on Licenses, submitted the following:

1. Report on application (referred April 11) for commercial use shellfish permit for John McCormack—that no further action is necessary.

2. Report on application (referred April 18) for commercial use shellfish permit for George H. Fairbanks—that no further action is necessary.

The reports were accepted.

3. Report on application (referred April 25) for commercial use shellfish permit for William E. Vuillemier—recommending that permit be granted.

4. Report on applications (referred today) for commercial use shellfish permits for Edward M. George, John P. Fowler, Salvatore L. D'Amico, James V. D'Amico, Leonard W. D'Amico, Vincent A. Perrella, Jr., Richard J. Mulloy, Frank D'Amico, Lawrence E. Bellows, Charles A. Maslauskas, Richard Kirby, Joseph F. Wardell, Daniel S. Kinnally, Frederick A. Muise, Frank J. Sidorowicz, Rupert Y. Hodgkins, Arthur C. Liska, William H. Riley, George M. Hurd, George Lincoln, Daniel J. Mulkern, Jr., Richard Hodgkins, Bronick Kwasnica, Daniel J. Mulkern—recommending that permits be granted.

The reports were accepted, and the permits were severally granted under the usual conditions.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFIRMATIONS.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN, for the Committee on Confirmations, submitted the following:

Report on appointment by the Mayor (referred May 9) of James J. McArdle as weigher of goods—recommending that appointment be confirmed.

The report was accepted, and the question came on confirmation. Committee, Councillors Hailer and Ahearn. Whole number of ballots, 9, yeas 9, and the appointment was confirmed.

COMMITTEE HEARING ON SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET.

Councillor Hailer announced that there would be a meeting of the Committee on Appropriations and Finance on Monday, May 23, at 10.30 A.M., to consider the supplementary budget submitted by the Mayor.

Adjourned at 3.06 P.M., on motion of Councillor McCormack, to meet on Monday, May 23, 1955, at 2 P.M.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

(Stenographic copy of such debate on file in office of City Clerk.)

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

Ausilio Pastore, 228 Chelsea street, East Boston, in the sum of $200, as compensation for damage to property at above address caused by a leak in the water service pipe under the sidewalk in September, 1953.

Max Sinrich, 116 Washington street, Brighton, in the sum of $198, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 108 Washington street, Brighton, December 7, 1954.

Benjamin Ginsburg, 71 Monadnock road, Newton, in the sum of $295, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 50 State street, Boston, September 9, 1953.

Mrs. Ajia Handy, 130 Cornell street, Roslindale, in the sum of $348, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 188 Durnell avenue, Roslindale, June 9, 1954.

Ethel Litsky, 72 Iffley road, Jamaica Plain, in the sum of $335, as compensation for personal injuries caused when her husband's automobile, in which she was a passenger struck a hole in the highway opposite 14 Grove street, Boston, November 24, 1954.

Mary J. McNeil, 1504 Commonwealth avenue, Brighton, in the sum of $465, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a broken curbing on Commonwealth avenue, near Boulevard terrace, January 16, 1951.

Jack Litsky, 72 Iffley road, Jamaica Plain, in the sum of $485, as compensation for personal injuries and damage to automobile caused by a hole in the highway opposite 14 Grove street, Boston, November 24, 1954.

Marie A. McGann, 170 West Brookline street, Boston, in the sum of $300, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 162 West Brookline street, May 21, 1954.

Emily Myers, 701 Metropolitan avenue, Hyde Park, in the sum of $395, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a raised portion of the sidewalk in front of 1065 River street, April 2, 1954.

Mary Nicholas, 34 Mt. Hope street, Roslindale, in the sum of $395, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 12 Bexley road, Roslindale, December 2, 1954.

John J. Halloran, 381 Columbia road, Dorchester, in the sum of $60.35, as compensation for damage to automobile caused by a hole in the surface of the Northern Avenue Bridge, January 13, 1955.

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

Mary O'Neil, 40 Glendale street, Dorchester, in the sum of $135, as compensation for personal injuries caused by broken curbing and sidewalk on Washington street, corner of Woodside avenue, Jamaica Plain, March 10, 1955.

William M. Steed, 18 Julia street, Malden, in the sum of $435, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 243 Beacon street, January 7, 1955.

Vincent LaRosa, 120 Waldemar avenue, East Boston, in the sum of $279.10, as compensation for damage to property stored in the cellar of the above premises caused by the backing up of a sewer during February, 1955.

Hyman Cohen, 230 Blue Hill avenue, Roxbury, in the sum of $375, as compensation for damage to property in cellars at 234 and 236 Blue Hill avenue, owned by him, caused by a leak in the water main, near the service pipe, between May and December, 1954.

John Dillon, 69 Bartlett street, Roxbury, to be reimbursed in the sum of $60, as a result of an accident which occurred on September 22, 1954, when a motor truck belonging to the Parks and Recreation Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Rudolph Caldwell.

Karl H. West, Jr., 6 Rock road, Mattapan, in the sum of $15, as compensation for damage to automobile caused by a hole in the highway opposite 62 Cummins Highway, September 20, 1954.

John J. Dunphy, 10 Dix street, Dorchester, in the sum of $213, as refund of the fee paid to the Board of Street Commissioners for the transfer of gasoline storage license No. 23783, granted to Julia A. Bowen on March 17, 1933, to Mary Troy Dunphy, which was declared invalid by the Corporation Counsel as it was never exercised by the original licensee.

Henry P. Domohowski, 59 Stanbro street, Hyde Park, to be reimbursed in the sum of $495, as a result of an accident which occurred on November 25, 1949, when a motor vehicle belonging to the Police Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Florence Pollini, resulting in personal injuries to the owner and damages to the automobile.

Henry P. Domohowski, 59 Stanbro street, Hyde Park, to be reimbursed in the sum of $125, as a result of an accident which occurred on November 25, 1949, when a motor vehicle belonging to the Police Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Florence Pollini, causing personal injuries to Janet Pollini, a passenger.

Henry P. Domohowski, 59 Stanbro street, Hyde Park, to be reimbursed in the sum of $485, as a result of an accident which occurred on November 25, 1949, when a motor vehicle belonging to the Police Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Florence Pollini, causing personal injuries to Joseph Pollini, a passenger.

Henry P. Domohowski, 59 Stanbro street, Hyde Park, to be reimbursed in the sum of $295, as a result of an accident which occurred on November 25, 1949, when a motor vehicle belonging to the Police Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Florence Pollini, causing personal injuries to Mildred Pollini, a passenger.

Henry P. Domohowski, 59 Stanbro street, Hyde Park, to be reimbursed in the sum of $185, as a result of an accident which occurred on November 25, 1949, when a motor vehicle belonging to the Police Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Florence Pollini, causing personal injuries to Helen Ostopowich, a passenger.

Albert J. Leary, 95 Montclair avenue, Roslindale, to be reimbursed in the sum of $274, as a result of an accident which occurred on December 21, 1954, when a motor truck belonging to the Sanitary Division, Public Works Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by the Hartford Accident and Indemnity Company.

Joseph H. Trayers, 100 Rowe street, Roslindale, to be reimbursed in the sum of $78.65, as a result of an accident which occurred on January 13, 1955, when a motor vehicle belonging to the School Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by William G. Bergin.

No. 95—320.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING FLOUR FOR CITY DEPARTMENTS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Wednesday, June 8, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Flour." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(May 28.) *Purchasing Agent.*

No. 92—599.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING ONE (1) LATHE FOR THE LONG ISLAND HOSPITAL DIVISION.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Monday, June 13, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for One (1) Lathe." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(May 28.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

HIGHWAY RECONSTRUCTION WORK.

PROPOSALS FOR BITUMINOUS CONCRETE PAVEMENT IN

Burr Street, Ward 19, from Boylston Street to Spring Park Avenue;

Carolina Avenue, Wards 11 and 19, from South Street to Verona Street;

Cheshire Street, Ward 19, from Green Street to 253 Feet Northeasterly;

Dane Street, Ward 19, from Eliot Street to Holbrook Street;

Hawthorne Street, Ward 19, from Florence Street to Sycamore Street;

Heathcote Street, Ward 19, from Poplar Street to Hawthorne Street;

Perkins Street, Ward 19, from Chestnut Street to Francis Parkman Drive

—and—

Sedgwick Street, Ward 19, from South Street to John A. Andrew Street.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for bituminous concrete pavement in Burr street, Ward 19, etc. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Bituminous Concrete Pavement in Burr Street, Ward 19, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, JUNE 16, 1955, with a certified check for THREE THOUSAND (3,000) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(May 28.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

Gertrude C. Crowley, 84 Moreland street, Roxbury, in the sum of $395, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 92 Moreland street, December 4, 1954.

Irene Fishman, 41 Evelyn street, Mattapan, in the sum of $325, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 51 Evelyn street, September 22, 1954.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

RESURFACING WATER DIVISION TRENCHES.

Proposals for Replacement of Bituminous Concrete Pavement and Artificial Stone Sidewalks Where Excavations Have Been Made by the Water Division of the Public Works Department in Any Location in the City Excepting That Bounded by Berkeley Street to Dover Street to Fort Point Channel by Atlantic Avenue, Commercial Street, Causeway Street to the Charles River, Back to the Starting Point at Berkeley Street.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for replacement of bituminous concrete pavement, etc. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Replacement of Bituminous Concrete Pavement, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, JUNE 9, 1955, with a certified check for FIFTEEN HUNDRED (1,500) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(May 28.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR ADDITIONS AND ALTERATIONS TO OIL-BURNING EQUIPMENT AT THE ROBERT GOULD SHAW SCHOOL, MT. VERNON STREET, WEST ROXBURY, MASS.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for additions and alterations to oil-burning equipment at the Robert Gould Shaw School, Mt. Vernon street, West Roxbury, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Thursday, June 16, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, enclosed in an envelope, sealed and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $300, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

Subbidders bidding on the work of subcontractors shall use the proposal form prepared by and obtainable from the Awarding Authority.

All subbidders' proposals filed with the Awarding Authority shall be submitted in sealed envelopes, plainly marked with the title of the work; division of the work for which bid is submitted; subcontractor's name; and subcontractor's business address. All such bids shall be in the possession of the Awarding Authority and delivered or mailed to the general contractor no later than 12 o'clock noon, Monday, June 13, 1955.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount as specified in the following for the subbid item of work as listed below shall be submitted by each subbidder with the copy of his proposal filed with the Awarding Authority:

Oil Burner and Oil Burner Piping, etc.	$200
Electrical Work	$150

The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, plainly marked "Bid Deposit."

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do. The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all subbids on any item or items in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
(May 28.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

591—598.
No. 93—594—599.
6—63—71.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING KITCHEN EQUIPMENT (FOOD CONVEYORS, DISHWASHING MACHINES, ETC.).

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Thursday, June 9, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Kiteben Equipment." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(May 28.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

SEWERAGE WORKS.

Proposals for Sewerage Works in Ackley Place, West Roxbury, and Outlet in Private Land and Brookside Avenue Playground.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Ackley place, etc. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Ackley Place, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of WEDNESDAY, JUNE 8, 1955, with a certified check for ONE HUNDRED (100) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(May 28.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

BRIDGE REPAIRS.

Proposals for Redecking and Repairing the Massachusetts Avenue Bridge, Over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for redecking and repairing the Massachusetts Avenue Bridge, over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Redecking and Repairing the Massachusetts Avenue Bridge, Over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, JUNE 9, 1955, with a certified check for EIGHT HUNDRED FIFTY (850) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(May 28.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

No. 97—396.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING GENERAL CLOTHING (KHAKI PANTS AND SHIRTS, MEN'S UNDERWEAR, AND BINDERS).

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Monday, June 6, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Clothing." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(May 28.) *Purchasing Agent.*

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

CITY OF BOSTON

PUBLIC AUCTION

VACANT LAND, DORCHESTER

344,082 square feet (more or less)

NORMANDY ST., SOUTHERLY SIDE
To Be Sold on the Premises Adjacent to
264 COLUMBIA ROAD

THURSDAY — JUNE 9 — 10 A.M.

★MINIMUM PRICE — $7,000.

★ DEPOSIT — $1,000, cash or certified check at time and place of sale.

All other terms to be announced at sale.

Commissioner reserves right to reject any or all bids.

JOHN J. McGRATH, *Auctioneer.*
HERMAN CARP, *Commissioner.*
(May 28.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT (SANATORIUM DIVISION).

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR EXTERIOR PAINTING OF BUILDINGS A, B, C, E, I, M, RECREATION, K, AREA BETWEEN A AND B, AND CERTAIN TUNNELS AT THE SANATORIUM DIVISION OF THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL, 249 RIVER STREET, MATTAPAN, MASS.

The City of Boston, by the Board of Trustees, Hospital Department, and of the Boston City Hospital, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for exterior painting of Buildings A, B, C, E, I, M, Recreation, K, area between A and B, and certain tunnels at the Sanatorium Division of the Boston City Hospital, 249 River street, Mattapan, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Wednesday, June 22, 1955, at the office of the Assistant Superintendent of the Sanatorium Division, 249 River street, Mattapan, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained at the office of the Assistant Superintendent of the Sanatorium Division, 249 River street, Mattapan, Mass. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed and enclosed in an envelope, sealed, and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

Specifications may be obtained after 12 o'clock noon on Tuesday, May 31, 1955, at the office of the Assistant Superintendent of the Sanatorium Division, 249 River street, Mattapan, Mass.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of seven hundred fifty (750) dollars, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed at the office of the Assistant Superintendent, Sanatorium Division, 249 River street, Mattapan, Mass. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not he less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under the contract.

A performance bond in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price will be required of the successful bidder, of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities, and to reject any or all bids, if it be in the public interest so to do.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, AND OF THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL,
RICHARD J. CONDON,
(May 28.) *President.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING AND INSTALLING PUMPS AT L STREET BATHHOUSE, SOUTH BOSTON, MASS.

The Commissioner of Parks and Recreation of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, invites proposals for furnishing and installing pumps at L Street Bathhouse, South Boston, Mass. Forms of proposals must be obtained at the Engineer's office of the Parks and Recreation Department, 33 Beacon street. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed and marked "Proposal for Furnishing and Installing Pumps at L Street Bathhouse, South Boston, Mass.," and left before 2 o'clock P.M. on Tuesday, June 7, 1955, at the office of the Parks and Recreation Department, with a certified check for $250, payable to and to be the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, and will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of 100 per cent of the estimated contract price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the Engineer's office of the Parks and Recreation Department. The successful bidder will be required to provide for public liability and property damage insurance and for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulations will be required prior to the award of said contract. The Commissioner reserves the right to reject any or all proposals.

FRANK R. KELLEY,
(May 28.) *Commissioner.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR CONSTRUCTING A PLAY AREA AT WILLIAM GARY WALSH PLAYGROUND, DORCHESTER, MASS.

The Commissioner of Parks and Recreation of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, invites proposals for constructing a play area at William Gary Walsh Playground, Dorchester, Mass. Forms of proposals must be obtained at the Engineer's office of the Parks and Recreation Department, 33 Beacon street. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed and marked "Proposal for Constructing a Play Area at William Gary Walsh Playground, Dorchester, Mass.," and left before 2 o'clock P.M. on Tuesday, June 7, 1955, at the office of the Parks and Recreation Department, with a certified check for $800, payable to and to be the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, and will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of 100 per cent of the estimated contract price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the Engineer's office of the Parks and Recreation Department. The successful bidder will be required to provide for public liability and property damage insurance and for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulations will be required prior to the award of said contract. The Commissioner reserves the right to reject any or all proposals.

FRANK R. KELLEY,
(May 28.) *Commissioner.*

No. 96—346.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING SOAP FOR CITY DEPARTMENTS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the blds will be opened and read Wednesday, June 8, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Soap." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(May 28.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

SEWERAGE WORKS.

Proposals for Sewerage Works in Linvale Terrace, Cookson Terrace (Private Land), Dania Street, Viking Terrace, Constitution Road, Jamestown Terrace, Crossman Street, and Private Land, Between Crossman Street and Dania Street, Dorchester.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Linvale terrace, etc. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Linvale Terrace, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of WEDNESDAY, June 8, 1955, with a certified check for SEVENTEEN HUNDRED (1,700) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(May 28.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING AND INSTALLING FURNITURE AND EQUIPMENT IN THE NEW ADDITION TO THE CURTIS GUILD SCHOOL, EAST BOSTON, MASS., FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS, CITY OF BOSTON.

Sealed proposals for furnishing and installing furniture and equipment in the new addition to the Curtis Guild School, East Boston, Mass., will be received by the Superintendent of Construction at the office of the Department of School Buildings, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., until 12 o'clock noon of Thursday, June 9, 1955, and at that place and time will be publicly opened and read. The proposal submitted to the Superintendent of Construction shall not be separated from the book of specifications. The additional copy of the proposal shall be removed from the book of specifications and after filling out shall be sealed in an envelope and delivered to the Auditor of the City of Boston, at City Hall, School street, Boston, Mass., before the time for the opening of the proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check, or a certificate of deposit issued by a responsible bank or trust company, paynble to the City of Boston, in the sum of five per cent (5%) of the amount of the bid, except that the minimum amount of check shall be $50, shall be submitted with the copy of proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked. Bid bonds will not be accepted.

A bond of an approved surety company will be given by the successful bidder in the full amount of the contract price, except that no bond will be required for contracts under $1,000. All contracts are subject to the approval of the Mayor.

Specifications and forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Construction, Department of School Buildings, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual opening thereof.

The rate per hour of wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs, and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any and all bids. The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject any item or items, in accordance with the provisions of chapter 480 of the Acts of 1939.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
Superintendent of Construction.
(May 28.)

No. 94—320.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING SHORTENING AND OIL.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Wednesday, June 8, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Shortening and Oil." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(May 28.) *Purchasing Agent.*

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JOSHUA H. JONES, *Editor.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR MODERNIZATION OF PLUMBING FACILITIES AT THE BIGELOW SCHOOL, WEST FOURTH AND E STREETS, SOUTH BOSTON, MASS.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for modernization of plumbing facilities at the Bigelow School, West Fourth and E streets, South Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Thursday, June 16, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, enclosed in an envelope, sealed and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $1,500, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

Subbidders bidding on the work of subcontractors shall use the proposal form prepared by and obtainable from the Awarding Authority.

All subbidders' proposals filed with the Awarding Authority shall be submitted in sealed envelopes, plainly marked with the title of the work; division of the work for which bid is submitted; subcontractor's name; and subcontractor's business address. All such bids shall be in the possession of the Awarding Authority and delivered or mailed to the general contractor no later than Monday, June 13, 1955.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount as specified in the following for the subbid item of work as listed below shall be submitted by each subbidder with the copy of his proposal filed with the Awarding Authority:

Marble, Slate, Tile, etc.	$250
Plumbing	$800
Heating and Ventilating	$150

The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, plainly marked "Bid Deposit."

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do. The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all subbids on any item or items in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
(May 28.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

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REPORT OF ELIZABETH H. GILLIGAN, DIRECTOR, DEPARTMENT OF FINE ARTS, ON ATTENDANCE AT NATIONAL ART EDUCATION ASSOCIATION CONFERENCE IN CLEVELAND, OHIO, APRIL 11 TO 15, INCLUSIVE.

The following is the Art Director's report on her attendance at the National Art Education Association Conference in Cleveland, Ohio, April 11-15:

"Art Education, a Frontier for Freedom" was the theme of the third biennial National Art Education Association Conference held at the Hotel Statler, Cleveland, Ohio, April 11 through 15, 1955.

On Monday and Tuesday I attended the preconvention workshops for directors of art in cities with a population of 200,000 and over. The subdivision of this workshop group with which I worked was concerned with the problems of curriculum development and implementation. From the two days of discussion some of the criteria evolved are as follows: attractive format; clear statement of philosophy; some sort of

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PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT COMMISSION PLANNING TO WIDEN AND RELOCATE PART OF CUMMINS HIGHWAY IN VICINITY OF BROCKTON STREET, DORCHESTER, TO IMPROVE TRAFFIC CONDITIONS.

The Public Improvement Commission has made plans for a public improvement consisting of the widening and relocation of Cummins Highway in Dorchester, between Brockton street and the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad (Midland Division). The changes will make for an improvement in traffic conditions along the highway. The order of the commission reads as follows:

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the widening and relocation of Cummins Highway, Dorchester district, between Brockton street and the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad (Midland Division), bounded and described as follows:

The highway named Cummins Highway is hereby widened and relocated between Brockton street and the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad (Midland Division).

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MAYOR JOHN B. HYNES PLEASED MOTOR PARK, INC., READY TO SIGN FORMAL CONTRACT AND LEASE WITH CITY PROVIDING FOR CONSTRUCTION OF AN UNDERGROUND GARAGE BENEATH BOSTON COMMON—LAWYER NAMED TO DRAFT CONTRACTS AND LEASE—WORK TO START IN NEAR FUTURE BY PRIVATE CONCERN.

The Mayor's statement and the letter from Motor Park, Inc., follow:

I have been formally notified that Motor Park, Inc., is now prepared to sign immediately a formal contract and lease with the city providing for the construction of an underground garage beneath Boston Common.

I have been also notified that work on the construction of the garage will be started within ninety days after the formal contract and lease are signed by the City of Boston and Motor Park, Inc.

This notification was sent to me by Winthrop R. Scudder, vice president of Motor Park, Inc., at 1 Court street, Boston.

Needless to say, I am delighted with this action and with this assurance that work will be started within the near future on the Common garage which would mean so much to the future of Boston.

While a bill is now pending before the State Senate calling for the creation of a public authority to build a Common garage, I would much prefer that the construction of the garage be financed with private capital rather than with public funds and that it be privately operated.

That always has been my position and is still my position. I had the bill filed in the Legislature only so that the garage might be built by a public authority in the event that it were not possible to build it privately.

To Confer on Contract.

I will direct the Corporation Counsel to confer with the attorneys for Motor Park, Inc., so that a formal contract and lease may be signed as expediently as possible.

The start of construction on the Common garage would, in my opinion, be one of the most significant steps, and perhaps the most notable single step, that has been taken during my five and a half years as Mayor.

The Common garage not only would help to meet our critical downtown parking problem, but it should also contribute tremendously to the future prosperity and well-being of our city.

With the Central Artery and the network of highways outside of Boston making it easy for motorists to reach our downtown shopping section, and with the Common garage and other off-street parking facilities providing convenient places for them to leave their cars, I can see far brighter years ahead for the city — years that should bring greater business and increased employment opportunities for our people.

I am certain that everyone in Boston will join in my gratification over the fact that it now appears that this long-awaited improvement is to become a reality.

The notification which I received from Motor Park, Inc., read as follows:

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"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean;
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.

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A rate of $4 per inch of 12 lines (set solid) has been established for such advertisements as under the law must be printed in the City Record. Advertising and other copy must be in hand by 5 P.M. Wednesday of each week to insure its publication in the Saturday issue.

MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, June 6, at 2 P.M.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries, or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the Complaints Division, Room 25, City Hall.

Information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways, the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments of streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped area for streets and the opening of private ways; the making of specific repairs in public streets; the naming of public streets, including the use of public ways for location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railways, coal holes, and vaults, may be secured from the Public Improvement Commission, Room 403, City Hall Annex.

TO THE BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION, 112 Southampton street, for information relative to regulation of vehicular street traffic on all or any streets, ways, highways, roads, and parkways under the control of the City of Boston, the issuing of all permits in connection therewith.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting, and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of Sumner Tunnel, the maintenance of bridges and draw-bridges, and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Haymarket Square, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish, and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughterhouses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases, of public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth Avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park, and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts, also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview, and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

TO THE DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS, 28 Norman street, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

TO THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, ROOM 907, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal, or tearing down buildings.

TO THE ELECTRICAL INSPECTION DIVISION OF THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT, 1001 City Hall Annex, for all information relative to the erection of poles, building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division; also for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings of the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

TO THE BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT, 43 City Hall, relative to changes in the boundary lines of zoning districts of the City of Boston as established by chapter 488 of the Acts of 1924, and amendments thereto.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending May 28, 1955.

Population as of July, 1950, Massachusetts State Census, 817,713; population estimated July, 1954, United States Census Bureau, 810,633; number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 153; nonresidents, 73; total, 226.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 14.35; nonresidents deducted, 9.9.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:

Last week, 13.91; corresponding week last year, 15.82.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 11; one year to four years, inclusive, 2; sixty years and over, 152. Total deaths: Male, 127; female, 99; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 161.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended May 28, 1955.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended May 29, 1954.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior Poliomyelitis	1	—	—	—
Diphtheria	—	—	—	—
Encephalitis Lethargica	—	—	—	—
Influenza	—	—	—	—
Measles	20	—	434	—
Meningitis Epidemic	1	—	—	—
Pneumonia (lobar)	—	2	—	1
Scarlet Fever	60	—	21	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary)	36	4	13	4
Childhood Type Tuberculosis	—	—	—	—
Tuberculosis (other forms)	2	—	—	1
Typhoid Fever	—	—	—	—
Whooping Cough	4	—	1	—

* Residents and nonresidents included.

REPORT OF DIRECTOR, DEPARTMENT OF FINE ARTS.

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growth and development chart indicating age level expectancies; flexibility of interpretation. The consensus was that, ideally, curriculum development should be a continual process, and that the process of producing the curriculum was as valuable as the final product. An excellent display of good recent curriculum guides supplemented these discussions.

On Wednesday morning Dr. William Milliken, Director of the Cleveland Museum of Fine Arts, gave an inspiring keynote address, "Art Education, a Frontier for Freedom." Dr. Milliken reminded the group that art is what it it today because of the past, and that art educators and museum people must transmit this past, using appreciation studies "as tools that lay bare the future, not freeze the present in the past." He particularly emphasized the need of keeping an open mind and of willingness to see another point of view, pointing out that, taught in this way, art history can develop tolerant and sympathetic attitudes. In the subsequent panel discussion the following are a few of the timely points made: that art as "the creation of the human spirit" is essentially democratic and cannot flourish under a dictatorship; that there must be order in freedom, however, and education must show where freedom's limitations are overstepped and must help students to develop judgment.

The conference work groups considered the problems of improving art instruction. The discussions I attended were concerned with improving the school art program on the high school level. Some of the subjects touched upon were sources of curriculum material, time allotments, and the general lack of art study opportunities for the academic student.

All of the speakers at the general sessions spoke on different aspects of the convention theme. Opening the second session, author Bradford Smith spoke on the subject of "Culture and Politics," basing his talk on the idea that culture—in its original meaning "tilling"—is concerned not with the froth of civilization, but with the grass roots, and consists of those things we do as men as distinguished from animals. Foremost among these things he places the arts, and he considers creative originality the distinguishing characteristic of the artist from the scientist. American life, he considers, has made two distinct contributions to the arts. First of all, more than in any other country or era, art in our country is the art of the people—from the colonial quilting bees to the present-day community buildings. Our second distinct contribution is that we are all immigrants with contributions from all cultures. The extent to which our country can carry forward this cultural cross-pollination will be the measure of its greatness.

At the third general session Dr. Melvin Tumin of Princeton University, talking on "Art Education and Creative Social Life," also made the point that it is in creative experience that man is most separated from the beast. He spoke of the three levels of social interrelation, namely, all against all, with mutual hostility and antagonism; simple coexistence or mutual exploitation; and the third, creative mutual participation whereby each one is enriched by the experience. This third must be our aim as educators. He warned against overdoing the idea of adjusting. He stressed the need for keeping the spirit of inquiry and for training our students to ask the critical question, "Is it good, valuable, and true?" and to select and relate themselves, even at the price of pain, only to that which is good, true, and beautiful.

At the fourth general session Mr. Edwin Ziegfield, President of INSEA, speaking on "New Frontiers for Art Education," pointed out what art can do as a means of developing needed human values in overscientific and materialistic civilizations and what contribution it can make to international understanding.

At the concluding general session Senator Wayne Morse addressed the convention on the subject of "Freedom and Today's Citizen." His main point was that we must develop the capability as well as the right of freedom of choice.

On both Wednesday and Thursday there were opportunities to view the fine exhibits of the art work of the schools in the Cleveland area and to view and participate in the demonstrations by pupils, teachers, and professionals of the many media possible for school use. I was able to bring back colored slides of the demonstrations and exhibits for further study.

On Friday two other phases of art education were seen during visits to the Cleveland Museum and Karamu House, an interracial community center with a rich program of the arts centered around the theater. A Festival of Arts provided by music and dance groups from the Cleveland schools and national cultural groups presented another colorful phase of the arts.

The National Art Education Association Convention at Cleveland was a great success, with over 2,000 in attendance and with a stimulating, thought-provoking program. I consider it a great privilege to have had the opportunity to attend and to discuss problems and projects with art educators from all over the country.

MOTOR PARK, INC., READY TO SIGN FORMAL CONTRACT AND LEASE FOR UNDERGROUND GARAGE BENEATH BOSTON COMMON.

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Motor Park, Inc.,
1 Court Street,
Boston, Mass., May 26, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This will formally notify you that Motor Park, Inc., a Massachusetts corporation, in accordance with the terms of an agreement originally dated July 2, 1946, and subsequently extended from time to time, is now prepared to sign immediately a formal contract and lease with the City of Boston providing for the construction of a garage under the surface of Boston Common, pursuant to authority granted by Statutes of 1946, chapter 294.

Within ninety days of signing of such formal contract and lease Motor Park, Inc., will commence the construction of the said garage and will carry out in all respects the terms of the formal contract and lease.

Very truly yours,

MOTOR PARK, INC.,
WINTHROP R. SCUDDER,
Vice President.

PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT COMMISSION TO WIDEN AND RELOCATE PART OF CUMMINS HIGHWAY.

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For the making of the aforesaid improvement an easement for street purposes is hereby taken in the following described land, exclusive of trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed thereto:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Pietro Camozzi, bounded:

Southerly by the northerly line of Cummins Highway as it existed prior to this order, forty-eight and 66/100 feet; northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Woodhaven street as it existed prior to this order, thirty-five and 00/100 feet; easterly and northeasterly by the easterly and northeasterly line of Cummins Highway as widened and relocated under this order by two measurements, thirty-three and 12/100 feet on a curve of 18.53 feet radius and twenty-one and 83/100 feet on a curve of 258.60 feet radius; containing three hundred ninety-four square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to John J. Steele, bounded:

Southeasterly by the northwesterly line of Woodhaven street, as it existed prior to this order, nineteen and 88/100 feet; southerly by the northerly line of Cummins Highway as it existed prior to this order, one hundred thirty-one and 87/100 feet; northwesterly by land hereinafter described as taken from Theresa Melone, four and 61/100 feet; northerly by the northerly line of Cummins Highway as widened and relocated under this order by two measurements, one hundred twenty-nine and 18/100 feet and eleven and 90/100 feet on a curve of 11.09 feet radius; containing one thousand seventy-four square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Theresa Melone, bounded:

Southeasterly by land hereinbefore described as taken from John J. Steele, four and 61/100 feet; southerly by the northerly line of Cummins Highway as it existed prior to this order, sixty-nine and 90/100 feet; northerly by the northerly line of Cummins Highway as widened and relocated under this order, seventy-one and 99/100 feet; containing one hundred forty-six square feet, more or less.

Said Cummins Highway as hereby widened and relocated is bounded:

Northwesterly by another portion of Cummins Highway at the intersection of Brockton street, eighty-eight and 49/100 feet; northerly by the northerly line of Cummins Highway by three measurements, eighty and 00/100 feet, two hundred-one and 17/100 feet, eleven and 90/100 feet on a curve of 11.09 feet radius; again northerly by Woodhaven street, fifty-two and 45/100 feet; easterly and northeasterly by the easterly and northeasterly line of Cummins Highway

by two measurements, thirty-three and 12/100 feet on a curve of 18.53 feet radius and forty-nine and 35/100 feet on a curve of two hundred fifty-eight and 60/100 feet radius; southeasterly by another portion of Cummins Highway, eighty and 00/100 feet; southwesterly and southerly by the southwesterly and southerly line of Cummins Highway by two measurements, seven and 33/100 feet and three hundred ninety-nine and 31/100 feet.

For the making of the aforesaid improvement, easements are hereby taken in the following described land, for the right to slope or bank the filling where required for the grading of said Cummins Highway:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to John J. Steele, bounded:

Southerly by the northerly line of Cummins Highway as widened and relocated under this order by two measurements, one hundred twenty-nine and 18/100 feet and eleven and 90/100 feet on a curve of 11.09 feet radius; southeasterly by the northwesterly line of Woodhaven street, thirty-seven and 00/100 feet; northerly by other land of said John J. Steele, one hundred forty-six and 31/100 feet; northwesterly by land hereinafter described as taken from Theresa Melone, twenty-three and 16/100 feet; containing three thousand nine hundred sixty-five square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Theresa Melone, bounded:

Southerly by the northerly line of Cummins Highway as widened and relocated under this order, seventy-one and 99/100 feet; southeasterly by land hereinbefore described as taken from John J. Steele, twenty-three and 16/100 feet; northerly by other land of said Theresa Melone, eighty-four and 01/100 feet; and westerly by other land of said Theresa Melone, ten and 00/100 feet; containing one hundred fifty-one square feet, more or less.

Trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforedescribed land shall be removed therefrom within thirty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

No betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Voted, That this commission, having passed the order of notice relating to the public improvement hereinafter described, and having caused a copy of said order to be published March 18, 19, 21, and 22, 1955, in the Boston *Globe* and the Boston *American*, two daily newspapers published in the City of Boston, and having given the public hearing, notice of which was given in said order, and being of the opinion that public necessity and convenience requires, does hereby order that specific repairs be made in Cummins Highway, Dorchester district, between Harvard street and the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad (Midland Division), consisting of the installation of a traffic divisional island and the relocation of the existing sidewalks at the intersection of Greenfield road, as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Cummins Highway, Dorchester, May 16, 1955, James W. Haley, Chief Engineer, Survey Division, Public Works Department," and on file in the office of said department.

Voted, That this commission determines that the undermentioned persons sustained damages in their estates by the making of the public improvement consisting of the widening and relocation of Cummins Highway, Dorchester district, between Brockton street and the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad (Midland Division), and the taking of an easement for sloping purposes, under the order of the commission of May 25, 1955, in the amounts hereinafter mentioned, and awards set amounts therefor.

Pietro Camozzi, 394 square feet, $1.
John J. Steele, 1,074 square feet, $1.
John J. Steele, 3,965 square feet, $1.
Theresa Melone, 146 square feet, $1.
Theresa Melone, 1,151 square feet, $1.

RETIREMENT BOARD REPORTS.

March 31, 1955.

To the Auditor.

At meetings of the Retirement Board, held on March 9, 15, 24, and 30, respectively, the retirement from active service of the following-named employees of the Boston Retirement System was approved to become effective at the close of business, March 31, 1955, under the provisions of chapter 521 of the Acts of 1922:

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Norman F. Davidson, lieutenant.
Thomas Flaherty, hoseman.
Thomas F. Hurley, hoseman.
Patrick J. Kenney, stationary fireman.
Walter F. McCourt, hoseman.
Joseph W. Thompson, Jr., lieutenant.

Attest:

WILFRED J. DOYLE,
Executive Officer.

May 31, 1955.

To the Auditor.

At meetings of the Retirement Board, held on May 13, 16, 20, and 26, respectively, the retirement from active service of the following-named employees of the State-Boston Retirement System, was approved to become effective at the close of business, May 31, 1955, under the provisions of chapter 658:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.
Printing Section.

Edward L. Coyle, chauffeur.

BOSTON TRAFFIC DEPARTMENT.

Harry A. Higgins, assistant traffic engineer.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

William J. Donahue, lieutenant.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Ellen A. Heffernan, head administrative clerk.
Anne M. Kelliher, nurse.
Josephine Kaup, telephone operator.
Margaret M. Manning, nurse

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Jane E. O'Brien, medical social worker.
Mary G. Walsh, assistant housekeeper.
Mary E. MacFadyen, head nurse.

Sanatorium Division.

Charles Iannaccone, laborer.

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

Katherine J. Collins, working forewoman.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

John D. Ahern, captain.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

William A. Adams, laborer.
Hugh Earley, laborer.

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT.

Mary Rose Kirby, assistant.
Mary L. Tebeau, assistant.
Grace McDermott Riley, assistant.
Mary L. Phillips, attendant.
Mary J. Tobin, attendant.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.
REGISTRY OF DEEDS.

Helen F. Hayward, clerk.

Attest:

PAUL L. CARTY,
Executive Officer.

May 31, 1955.

To the Auditor.

At meetings of the Boston Retirement Board held on May 12 and May 26, the retirement from active service of the following-named employees and members of the Boston Retirement System, under the provisions of chapter 521 of the Acts of 1922 (Boston Retirement Act), was approved to become effective at the close of business, May 31, 1955:

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Raymond D. Doucette, ladderman.
Leo S. Manning, hoseman.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Francis J. Kelly, patrolman.

Attest:

W. J. DOYLE,
Chairman.

SUMNER TUNNEL TRAFFIC BREAKS RECORD FOR SINGLE DAY, 39,556 VEHICLES USING TUBE.

On May 31, Commissioner George G. Hyland issued the following statement:

On last Friday, May 27, a record-breaking 39,556 vehicles used the Sumner Tunnel in going to and from Boston and East Boston. This establishes a new record for the number of vehicles using the tunnel in a single day, and I believe establishes a record throughout the entire country for the number of vehicles using a similar facility.

Our facility comprises a two-directional, single tube tunnel, whereas tunnels such as the Holland and Lincoln in New York City have single tubes, with traffic going in the same direction.

In 1951, 11,081,000 vehicles used the tunnel, and it is expected that in excess of 11,500,000 vehicles will use it during the current year.

The tunnel has been opened to traffic since June 30, 1934.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 2,049.

The following-named officers having requested retirement under the provisions of the Statutes of 1892, chapter 353, as amended, for the reason that they are incapacitated, it is hereby

Ordered, His Honor the Mayor having approved the same, that they be retired from active service in the Police Department, effective Tuesday, May 24, 1955, at 7.45 o'clock A.M.:

Patrolman John Flaherty, Division 11, 35 years of service.

Patrolman Duncan MacKillop, Division 15, 32 years of service.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following personnel changes:

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

For the week ending May 17:

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Esther Bandlow, 5 Reddy avenue, Hyde Park, 3 days; Priscilla Beckwith, 686 Massachusetts avenue, Glenness Calhoun, 2 Avondale street, Dorchester, Gertrude Clark, 13 Rosa street, Hyde Park, 2 days; Patricia Camirand, 44 Falmouth street, 1 day; Dorothy Currie, 283 Chestnut avenue, Jamaica Plain, 2 days; Adele Daly, 30 Aspinwall avenue, North Weymouth, 3 days; Jean Darraugh, 568 East Sixth street, South Boston, 1 day; Hannah Donahue, 270 Huntington avenue, 4 days; Patricia Doucette, 352 Athens street, South Boston, 5 days; Eleanor Duffley, 35 Edwin street, Dorchester, 2 days; Christine Finn, 23 Commonwealth avenue, 1 day; Ruth K. Frank, 3 Allston street, 2 days; Stella Graham, 43 Mercier avenue, Dorchester, 5 days; Diana Guinta, 42 Topliff street, Dorchester, 2 days; Mary B. Healy, 163 East Cottage street, Dorchester, 5 days; Matilda Hensel, 172 Beach street, Belmont, 2 days; Dorothy Jewkes, 305 Lynn street, Malden, 5 days; Charlotte Kelleher, 48 Waverly street, Roxbury, 1 day; Claire McCue, 74 Robinwood road, Dedham, 2 days; Veronica McElligott, 34 Dickinson street, Somerville, Catherine McGuinness, 14 Alsen road, Dorchester, 3 days; Mary R. Mahan, 29 Kempton street, Thelma Miles, 9 Albemarle Chambers, 7 days; Anna Murphy, 115 Peterborough street, Mary Murphy, 37 Hampden Circle, Wollaston, 2 days; Audrey Mailhot, 30 Walton street, Dorchester, 5 days; Angelina Mullaney, 1235 Trapelle road, Waltham, 2 days; Phyllis Nigro, 271 Dartmouth street, 4 days; Agnes O'Connor, 270 Huntington avenue, Mae Owens, 259 Chestnut avenue, Jamaica Plain, Estelle Paris, 167 Fayerweather street, Cambridge, Dora Picarsky, 31 Edison Green, Dorchester, 2 days; Alyce Powers, 67 Prospect avenue, Wollaston, 1 day; Grace Powers, 16 Spaulding street, Dorchester, 4 days; Mary Pursley, 38 Van Brunt street, Hyde Park, 1 day; Romaine Riley, 171 Humboldt avenue, Roxbury, 2 days; Bernice Smith, 105 Walnut avenue, Roxbury, 4 days; Mabel Smith, 87 Bartlett road, Winthrop, Verna Snow, 75 Damon avenue, Melrose, 1 day; Helen Spillane, 499 Park street, Stoughton, 4 days; Anna Stankard, 79 Edwin road, Waltham, Bernice Stanley, 22 Sandra road, East Walpole, Mabel Steed, 87 Bartlett road, Winthrop, 2 days; Helen Sheehan, Turnpike street, Canton, 3 days; Josephine Trippe, 80 Orleans street, East Boston, 1 day; Ila Ward, 79 Warren street, Roxbury, 4 days; Theresa Wagner, 12 Milford street, 3 days.

The following weekly nurses have been appointed:

Permanent.—Jeanette Bruno, 710 Massachusetts avenue, floor nurse, $58 a week; Marilyn Collins, 37 Joy street, Pauline Smith, 17 Raven street, Dorchester, floor nurses, $60.50 a week; Ann C. Venuti, 97 Temple street, North Abington, floor nurse, $68 a week.

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING MAY 31.

GAS FITTER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
G. Vallanti	151 Minot street	16	New appliances	$75
S. Pryor	50 Monument street	2	New appliances	50
S. Connolly	110 Mt. Pleasant avenue	18	New appliances	75
G. Trethewey	36 Newburg street	20	New appliances	80
A. Gardella	222 North street	2	New appliances	75
Saulctta	343 Park street	17	New appliances	70
C. Lang	583 Poplar street	18	New appliances	75
A. Gardella	11 Searle road	20	New appliances	70
J. McGee	79 Thatcher street	18	New appliances	75
A. Gardella	24 Trenton street	2	New appliances	70
G. Trethewey	56 Walter street	20	New appliances	75
S. Connolly	40 Woodward street	8	New appliances	80
M. Wallen	38 Como road	20	New appliances	50
M. Wallen	40 Como road	20	New appliances	50
M. Wallen	61 Thatcher street	18	New appliances	75
A. Stahly	2161 Dorchester avenue	16	New appliances	30
A. Stahly	55 Downer street	15	New appliances	70
A. Stahly	89 Oakton street	16	New appliances	25
A. Stahly	55 Pleasant street	16	New appliances	10
A. Stahly	24 Thelma street	16	New appliances	40
W. Connell	62 Ballou avenue	14	New appliances	250
W. Connell	27 Lonsdale street	16	New appliances	400
W. Connell	95 Norfolk street	17	New appliances	225
W. Connell	19 South Munroe terrace	16	New appliances	25
W. Connell	124 Walnut street	16	New appliances	225
O. Weider	51 Bushnell street	16	New appliances	25
O. Weider	81 Sydney street	13	New appliances	25
C. Mehegan	817 Harrison avenue	8	New appliances	No fee
C. Mehegan	33 Oakwood street	17	New appliances	No fee
O. Weider	25 Carson street	13	New appliances	$150
O. Weider	28 Cooper street	3	New appliances	200
E. Ardini	145 Endicott street	3	New appliances	100
E. Ardini	915 Beacon street	21	New appliances	45
S. Sawtelle	61 Falkland street	22	New appliances	20
C. Bevelander	42 Faneuil street	22	New appliances	100
J. Collins	80 Orleans street	1	New appliances	25
E. Secatore	33 Seymour street	19	New appliances	250
H. Beaulieu	38 Torrey street	17	New appliances	500
E. Healy	138 West Ninth street	7	New appliances	25
S. Adams	132 Adams street	15	New appliances	50
P. Gulesian	22 Avila road	18	New appliances	75
P. Gulesian	48 Blake street	18	New appliances	100
S. Litman	41 Blue Hill avenue	8	New appliances	75
R. Storeman	295 Blue Hill avenue	12	New appliances	50
E. Dorr	394 Bowdoin street	15	New appliances	100
P. Gulesian	201 Clare avenue	18	New appliances	75
P. Kennedy	25 Cortes street	5	New appliances	50
S. Connolly	107 Devon street	14	New appliances	75
W. Kroner	7 Dixfield street	7	New appliances	50
S. Adams	177 Fairmount street	17	New appliances	150
J. Amico	239 Franklin street	18	New appliances	75
D. O'Neill	2 French terrace	10	New appliances	75
S. Adams	10 Gaylord street	17	New appliances	50
D. Horgan	5½ Grimes street	7	New appliances	100
D. Horgan	76 H street	6	New appliances	75
D. Horgan	112 H street	7	New appliances	75
G. Trethewey	17 Hilburn street	18	New appliances	100
S. Connolly	43 Humboldt avenue	12	New appliances	50
D. O'Neill	33 Iroquois street	10	New appliances	75
D. Horgan	392 K street	7	New appliances	75
S. Adams	113 Lonsdale street	18	New appliances	50
P. Gulesian	5 Lockwood street	18	New appliances	75
D. Horgan	225 M street	7	New appliances	100
P. Kennedy	21 Milford street	3	New appliances	75
M. Silman	80 Milton street	18	New appliances	60
D. Horgan	40 N street	6	New appliances	75
S. Litman	339 Norfolk street	7	New appliances	80
P. Gulesian	80 Readville street	18	New appliances	75
S. Adams	164 River street	18	New appliances	100
P. Panlin	182 Ruthven street	18	New appliances	75
B. Clancy	1 Linden street	21	New appliances	50
D. Horgan	26 Telegraph street	7	New appliances	75
D. Horgan	56 Telegraph street	7	New appliances	75
P. Kennedy	95 Waltham street	3	New appliances	85
S. Adams	15 Washington street	14	New appliances	75
P. Kennedy	4320 Washington street	18	New appliances	80
S. Adams	1 Weyanoke street	16	New appliances	200
D. O'Neill	6 Woodville street	8	New appliances	175
S. Adams	11 Wrentham street	16	New appliances	75
J. Crane	60 Everett street	21	New appliances	1,000
N. Deutsch	29 Boardman street	1	New appliances	300
N. Deutsch	261 Havre street	1	New appliances	150
H. Slavet	875 Huntington avenue	10	New appliances	75
J. Tierney	54 Lewis Wharf	3	New appliances	2,500
N. Deutsch	280 Maverick street	1	New appliances	75
J. Burke	23 Maxwell street	17	New appliances	80
R. Luxton	Santuit street	16	New appliances	75
J. McCusker	1230 Soldiers Field road	22	New appliances	1,000
J. Vangi	35 Spring street	3	New appliances	25
J. Fierney	3 Symphony road	5	New appliances	50
N. Deutsch	156 Trenton street	1	New appliances	75
N. Deutsch	269 Webster street	1	New appliances	100
J. Vogel	158 West Newton street	4	New appliances	75
H. Geddis	33 Bay State road	4	New appliances	100
E. Adina	18 Bothwell road	22	New appliances	75
W. Cooper	2 Brookley road	11	New appliances	80
A. Petriou	198 Brooks street	1	New appliances	20
S. Kramer	850 Canterbury street	18	New appliances	20
F. Carlson	151 Centre street	11	New appliances	50
H. Hinckley	25 Chilcott place	11	New appliances	40
F. Rull	803 East Broadway	6	New appliances	10
F. Rull	117 Farragut road	6	New appliances	150

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING MAY 31.—Concluded.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
J. Wilson	516 Medford street	2	New appliances	$50
W. Horgan	20 St. Albans road	10	New appliances	50
H. Hinckley	1 Stoughton Street place	19	New appliances	339
O. Weider	138 Templeton street	16	New appliances	75
S. Wolf	151 Terrace street	10	New appliances	65
M. Miller	1 Vernon street	9	New appliances	20
O. Weider	23 Washburn street	7	New appliances	50
A. Onerimo	31 Washburn street	7	New appliances	10
J. Zanpetion	151 Webster street	1	New appliances	50
E. Eskonit	37 Winston road	11	New appliances	20
W. Connell	60 Cedar street	16	New appliances	50
J. McKenon	2423 Centre street	20	New appliances	100
A. Granara	117 Chambers street	3	New appliances	10
A. Granara	45 Charter street	3	New appliances	25
B. Bishop	Chestnut Hill avenue	21	New appliances	250
B. Nemi	49 Hammond street	9	New appliances	75
D. Gould	25 Laconia street	3	New appliances	55
D. Gould	81 Leonard street	15	New appliances	60
A. Calaband	1113½ River street	18	New appliances	70
E. Healy	19 Ronan street	15	New appliances	20
D. Gould	167 Roxbury street	9	New appliances	12
F. Odenweller	269 West Second street	6	New appliances	15
J. Cohen	113 State street	3	New appliances	150
W. Connell	3 St. Marks road	16	New appliances	140
B. Bishop	21 Wigglesworth street	10	New appliances	150

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM PLUMBING FOR THE WEEK ENDING MAY 31.

Plumber.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
J. Leon	35 Ansonia road	20	Heaters	$150
J. Vogel	916 Beacon street	21	Heaters	650
O. Weider	51 Bushnell street	16	Heaters	60
O. Weider	1834 Centre street	20	Ranges	200
A. Statley	2161 Dorchester avenue	16	Heaters	45
O. Weider	67 Edwin street	16	Heaters	125
H. Beaulieu	30 Elm street	19	Heaters	50
J. Leon	223 Grove street	20	Heaters	300
A. Stahly	55 Downer street	15	Heaters	70
A. Stahly	22 Hallet street	16	Heaters	85
A. Meghan	818 Harrison avenue	8	Heaters	2,100
A. Statley	1 Helena road	16	Heaters	70
W. Connell	27 Lonsdale street	16	Heaters	100
H. Lynn	12 March avenue	20	Heaters	1,000
M. Wallen	32 Oakton avenue	16	Heaters	900
A. Stahly	287 and 289 Old Colony avenue.	7	Heaters	85
A. Stahly	151-164 Ruskindale road	18	Heaters	11,500
M. Wallen	61 Thatcher street	18	Heaters	1,000
A. Stahly	21 Thelma street	16	Heaters	45
A. Stahly	38 Torrey street	16	Heaters	165
J. Wallace	19 Tremont street	3	Heaters	100
P. Russo	116 Whitcomb avenue	19	Heaters	725
E. Parod	287 Athens street	6	Heaters	900
M. Langley	74 Atherton street	11	Heaters	100
E. Dorr	391 Bowdoin street	15	Heaters	250
H. Heath	40 Brookdale street	19	Heaters	200
W. Cooper	2 Brookley road	11	Heaters	350
M. Silman	103 Como road	18	Ranges	900
P. Russo	1360 Commonwealth avenue	21	Ranges	200
M. Silman	76 Dale street	18	Heaters	800
G. Patey	62 Ebi street	19	Heaters	200
R. Coughlan	198 Falcon street	1	Ranges	200
G. Trethewey	17 Hilburn street	18	Heaters	300
G. Patey	227 Moss Hill road	19	Heaters	800
R. Coughlan	212 Northern avenue	6	Heaters	200
J. Corcoran	12 Stanton street	17	Heaters	200
J. Murphy	111 Sumner street	3	Heaters	300
H. Smith	530 Atlantic avenue	3	Heaters	300
J. McCusker	470 Atlantic avenue	3	Heaters	200
G. Beach	51 Chestnut street	19	Heaters	150
J. McGlan	1595 Columbus avenue	11	Heaters	200
A. Roberst	1 Court street	3	Heaters	300
J. Keerhan	20 Granite avenue	6	Heaters	3,150
S. Lucedo	55 St. Rose street	11	Heaters	200
E. Funcell	25 Shepard street	22	Heaters	200
Megegan	380 Talbot avenue	18	Heaters	9,500
G. Vogel	158 West Newton street	11	Heaters	700
O. Weider	15 Becket street	16	Heaters	2,000
E. Marchant Company	76 Bedford street	3	Heaters	300
M. Wallen	35 Colorado street	20	Heaters	750
M. Yorks	101 Henry street	1	Heaters	575
R. Libby	72 Lasell street	20	Heaters	800
O. Weider	181 Manchester street	18	Heaters	700
H. Lituvisch	222 Roxbury street	9	Heaters	400
O. Weider	138 Templeton street	16	Heaters	200
S. Lucido	21 Edgewood street	12	Heaters	120
M. Miller	760 East Sixth street	6	Heaters	375
A. Gardenella	46 Gloucester street	5	Ranges	1,500
J. O'Neill	29 Sunnyside street	18	Heaters	1,600

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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Temporary.—Claire Bilapka, 40 Fenway, Elizabeth Courtney, 27 Plumer street, Everett, Patricia Johnson, 68 Willowwood street, Dorchester, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour.

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—James A. Burke, 26 Gavin Way, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $50.50 a week; Alfred F. Sears, 59 Gordon avenue, Hyde Park, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; Jean Marie Atkinson, 758 Huntington avenue, Roxbury, clerk-typist, $50.50 a week; Frank M. DelVecchio, 197 Chambers street, clerk, $45.50 a week; Nancy B. DeRoche, 194 Beacon street, supervising nurse, $73 a week; Doris M. Duffy, 18 Cleveland street, Malden, floor nurse, $68 a week; Barbara A. Forrey, 699 Massachusetts avenue, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Rita Gaffney, 107 Centre street, Roxbury, floor nurse, $70.50 a week; Gloria H. Lewis, 201 Magnolia street, Dorchester, floor nurse, $65.50 a week; Ruth M. Nagle, 210 Sherman road, Chestnut Hill, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour.

Temporary.—Tony Avila, 134 West Concord street, Charles K. Doherty, 86 Bowdoin street, Robert B. Duncan, 69 West Cottage street, Roxbury, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; Harriet Thayer, 89 Charles street, medical social worker, $65.50 a week; Sheila Mae Torre, 55 Green street, Charlestown, clerk-typist, $43 a week; Carol W. Boyd, 105 Queensberry street, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Catherine A. Powers, 29 West Eagle street, East Boston, Helen Sheehan, Turnpike road, Canton, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour.

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For the week ending May 24:

The following provisional employees have been appointed:

Stanley Bekerman, 364 Norfolk street, Dorchester, Agnes L. Biagiotti, 29 Dorset street, Jamaica Plain, Josephine Bill, 11 Andrews street, Dorchester, Mary Biancucci, 173 Trenton street, East Boston, Rose E. Boudreau, 15½ Union street, Charlestown, Dennis F. Carroll, 36 Beechland street, Roslindale, Joseph P. Collins, 52 Alexander street, Dorchester, Ethel M. Corbin, 5 Milford street, Marie E. Crockett, 722 Shawmut avenue, Catherine Davis, 66 Fayston street, Roxbury, Albert J. Demelis, 63 Appleton street, Robert M. Kean, 236 Parker Hill avenue, Roxbury, Ollie M. Knox, 610 Columbus avenue, David Kunze, 11 Whitford street, Roxbury, Margaret Kelly, 45 Chelmsford street, Helen C. Needleman, 33 Montepelier road, Grace M. Newton, 61 Savin street, Roxbury, Hyleath Norman, 28 Creston street, Roxbury, Thomas Paradise, 40 Tuttle street, Dorchester, Theresa Rogerson, 11 Haverford street, Evelyn K. Sullivan, 910 East Broadway, South Boston, Ethel M. Watkins, 4 Jess street, Jamaica Plain, Earl R. Wilkinson, 230 Huntington avenue, hospital medical workers, $43 a week.

South Division.

For the week ending May 24:

The following temporary employees have been appointed:

Margaret E. Kelley, 140 Newburg street, Roslindale, hospital house worker, $43 a week; Mary E. Turnbull, 68 West Concord street, hospital medical

worker, $43 a week; James Gallo, 549 East Third street, South Boston, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

Appointments or Reinstatements.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Printing Section.

Helen L. Sheehan, 156 Ballou avenue, Dorchester, clerk-typist, $43 a week.

CITY PLANNING BOARD.

Frank J. Boutell, 113 Bateman street, Hyde Park, senior civil engineering draftsman, $80 a week.

Elliot Hansen, 27½ Bostonia avenue, Brighton, planning assistant, $65.50 a week.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

James P. Maney, 895 Blue Hill avenue, Roxbury, junior building custodian, $53 a week.

Joseph F. Creedon, 96 Holmes avenue, Dorchester, junior building custodian, $53 a week.

John J. Cunningham, 39 Roxbury street, Roxbury, fire fighter, $76.63 a week.

Angelo M. Malvarosa, 125 Salem street, sign painter, $60.50 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

William Betts, 5 Buswell street, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

Gerald P. Hallahan, 10 Montpelier road, Dorchester, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

Carl Mohr, 12 Locust street, Dorchester, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

Arthur J. Crochiere, 4 Worcester square, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

Cornelius Sullivan, 111 Maverick street, East Boston, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

William O. Woods, 9 Milford street, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

John G. Kennedy, 55 Burke street, South Boston, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

Patrick J. McMahon, 75 Circuit street, Roxbury, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

Dominic J. Farrell, 31 Dunlap street, Dorchester, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

James J. Moynihan, 20 Winfield street, South Boston, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

Benedict Fiasconaro, 709 East Seventh street, South Boston, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

John J. Ashman, 19 Brandon avenue, Dorchester, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

John V. Zappi, 27 Flagg street, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

Paul R. Bernier, 309 Huntington avenue, medical social worker, $65.50 a week.

Patrick F. O'Toole, 271 Silver street, South Boston, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

George E. Thomas, 9 Old Harbor street, South Boston, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

Edward A. Falvey, 265 Emerson street, South Boston, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

Charles J. McAvay, 20 Maryland street, Dorchester, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING MAY 31.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
John Hart	61 Mora street	17	Alterations, dwelling	$220
Bernard Kelly	8 Church street	15	Alterations, funeral home	500
Boston Wharf Company	49 Melcher street	6	Alterations, manufacturing	900
Kathleen Morrissey	6 Westmoreland street	16	Alterations, dwelling	615
Charles Cataldo	7 Boardman street	1	Alterations, dwelling	990
Lena Cianea	21 Business street	18	Alterations, dwelling	125
Lena Cianea	19 Business street	18	Alterations, dwelling	125
William Manganilli	12 Chesterton street	8	Alterations, dwelling	700
Charles Manoog	19 Wyola place	14	Fire repairs, shop, storage	800
Arthur Vickerson	18 Faraday street	18	Alterations, dwelling	200
E. DelBianca	833 Saratoga street	1	Excavation	90
E. DelBianca	834 Saratoga street	1	Excavation	90
E. DelBianca	812 Saratoga street	1	Excavation	90
Zabrias Kosmor	4 Howland street	12	Fire escape, dwelling	325
Margaret Murray	2119 Dorchester avenue	17	Alterations, dwelling	25
Daniel Fox	155 and 157 Meridian street	1	Alterations, dwelling, store	625
Peter Costas	57 and 59 Savin Hill avenue	13	Alterations, store, dwelling	900
Boston Real Estate Trust	530 Atlantic avenue	3	Alterations, store, offiee	2,800
Arthur Silva	18 Dimock street	11	Alterations, dwelling	530
Joseph Padula	2 Lawrence court	6	Alterations, dwelling	600
Joseph Nauvokas	74 Gates street	6	Alterations, dwelling	1,090
G. Luftman	72 Clarkwood street	14	Alterations, dwelling	150
Boston Edison Company	42 Chauncy street	3	Alterations, power plant	600
P. J. and M. Bruno	126 Saratoga street	1	Alterations, dwelling	600
Wm. Zerveskes	290 East Eighth street	7	Alterations, tavern, dwelling	500
Lincoln Oil Company	223 Harvard avenue	21	Take-down, serviee station	300
P. J. Farrell	2 Pearl street	13	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
New England Trust Co.	24 Milk street	3	Alterations, office	150
A. W. Perry Company	655 Atlantic avenue	3	Alterations, store, office	815
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	245 State street	3	Alterations, offiees	500
Margaret Burns	157 Gold street	6	Alterations, dwelling	266
Hugh Guilderson	7 Granada avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Cabot, Cabot, Forbes	60 State street	3	Alterations, fire eseape, offices	150
Rose Taylor	104 Myrtle street	3	Fire escape, dwelling	75
Richard Doyle	382 West Fourth street	6	Alterations, dwelling	75
B. Shirner	32 Hammond street	9	Fire eseape, dwelling	350
First National Bank	91 Meridian street	1	Sign, store, dwelling	400
Angelo Marciello	3 Prescott street	1	Alterations, dwelling	650
J. Sherloek	45 Dale street	18	Alterations, dwelling	900
H. Norton	94 Durnell avenue	20	Alterations, dwelling	175
A. Hanson	36 DeSoto road	20	Alterations, dwelling	150
Gillette Company	102 A street	6	Take-down, grain elevator	2,000
Gillette Company	110 A street	6	Take-down, storage	1,000
Boston Wharf Company	288 A street	6	Fire eseape, storage	300
Eli Ames	665 Atlantic avenue	3	Sign, storage, office	200
Eva Cook	9 Beethoven street	11	Alterations, dwelling	465
Felieia MacDonald	17 Beethoven street	11	Alterations, dwelling	125
R. Hoffman	34 Bieknell street	14	Alterations, dwelling	400
Julia Keller	44 Bireh street	19	Alterations, dwelling	570
Frederiek Raseh	19 and 21 Birehwood street	20	Alterations, dwelling	870
Bowling Alley, Inc	466 and 468 Blue Hill avenue	14	Sign, bowling, pool, shop, sales	100
Ernest Elmuts	27 Boylston street	19	Alterations, dwelling	350
City of Boston	501 Boylston street	5	Temporary grandstand	300
Irving Hiruhnian	66 Boynton street	19	Alterations, dwelling	100
Raymond Funk	19 Brainard street	18	Alterations, dwelling	360
William Dingwell	28 Brent street	17	Alterations, dwelling	180
S. Fritz and S. Berkman	208 Brighton avenue	21	Take-down, dwelling	650
S. Fritz and S. Berkman	212 Brighton avenue	21	Take-down, dwelling	600
S. Fritz and S. Berkman	214 Brighton avenue	21	Take-down, dwelling	600
S. Fritz and S. Berkman	218 Brighton avenue	21	Take-down, dwelling	600
Ida Goldstein	82 Capen street	17	Alterations, dwelling	550
Lee Development, Inc	1980 Centre street	20	Exeavation	200
William Labrun	8 Chamblet street	13	Alterations, dwelling	300
Wm. Hagan	1 Colchester street	18	Alterations, dwelling	980
Somerset Hotel	416 Commonwealth avenue	5	Excavate, swimming pool	600
Charles Abbott	72 Copeland street	12	Alterations, dwelling	800
Benjamin Kneznek	94 Crawford street	12	Fire repair, dwelling	400
A. Wong Jayne	168 Dent street	20	Alterations, dwelling	300
Jerome Murray	5 Dixfield street	7	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Arthur Nelson	1516 Dorchester avenue	16	Alterations, store	950
Morris Shemkople	1 Duke street	14	Alterations, dwelling	450
Victor Grublin	604 East Broadway	6	Sign, store, dwelling	50
Timothy Moynihan	618 East Seventh street	7	Alterations, dwelling	341
Charles Leon	10 and 12 Ellet street	15	Alterations, dwelling	1,500
A. W. Perry, Inc.	81 and 83 Essex street	3	Alterations, store, office, manufaeturing	1,000
A. Fay	258 Everett street	1	Alterations, dwelling	800
Prudential Life Insurance Co.	80 Federal street	3	Alterations, store, offices	275
Boston Storage Warehouse	22 Forsyth street	4	Sign, storage, store	950
Owen F. Lyons	72 Garfield avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	200
J. Ryan	16 Gwinnett street	18	Alterations, dwelling	300
Charles Caldwell	10 Halford road	20	Alterations, dwelling	500
Seamen's Friend Society	287 Hanover street	3	Fire escape, club, lodging house	100
Robert F. Kelly	40 Haviland road	20	Alterations, dwelling	288
Carl Fritz	8 Higgins street	21	Take-down, dwelling	650
Berman Realty	145 Homestead street	12	Fire escape, dwelling	125
E. J. Pieree	33 Howland street	12	Alterations, dwelling	350
Northeastern University	370 Huntington avenue	4	Excavation	25,000
Franeis Prasse	750 Huntington avenue	10	Sign, store, dwelling	150
American Sugar Company	37 India Wharf	3	Alterations, shed	500
Boston Y. M. C. A	45 La Grange street	3	Alterations, gymnasium	100
George DeGregorio	180 Leyden street	1	Alterations, dwelling	550
R. Rafferty	77 Linden street	22	Alterations, dwelling	500
Joseph Sehlaifer *et al*	40 Lorina road	18	Alterations, dwelling	300
Joseph Finelli	138 Main street	2	Alterations, store, dwelling	550
Walter Woods	337 Main street	2	Alterations, dwelling	200
George Harris	3 Marion street	19	Alterations, dwelling	250
Edmund Butler	15 Martin street	20	Alterations, dwelling	480
Domenie Stormanti	49 Metropolitan avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	1,270

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING MAY 31.—Concluded.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Mary Cryan	1 New Heath street	11	Alterations, dwelling	$170
Mary Cryan	3 New Heath street	11	Alterations, dwelling	140
J. Watson	33 Newland street	9	Fire escape, dwelling	60
Edward Brady	120 Nonantum street	22	Alterations, dwelling	300
Hyman Merken	118 Olney street	14	Alterations, dwelling	430
Bursaniti Restaurant	11 Otis street	3	Alterations, restaurant, office	980
Richard Roust	6 Parker street	2	Fire escape, dwelling	527
B. Ford	111 Princeton street	1	Alterations, dwelling	375
G. Tropeano	105 Quincy street	13	Alterations, dwelling	800
T. Burke	97 Rossmore road	11	Alterations, dwelling	980
Wm. C. Connaughton	53 St. Rose street	11	Alterations, dwelling	250
Michael Gioiosa	216 Saratoga street	1	Alterations, dwelling	100
Michael Vazza	25 Temple street	20	Alterations, dwelling	500
U-Drivit	1322 Tremont street	9	Alterations, garage	990
E. Chin	106 Tyler street	3	Alterations, dwelling	240
St. Gabriel's Monastery	159 Washington street	21	Alterations, church	1,700
Arthur T. Nelson	575 Washington street	17	Alterations, store	450
Executive Committee, Baptist Church.	670 Washington street	17	Alterations, church	3,500
A. Goldenberg	1569 Washington street	9	Sign, cafe, dwelling	80
Frank Ferdinand	2260 Washington street	8	Reviewing stand	200
Alfred Jacobs	4089 Washington street	19	Alterations, dwelling	850
C. H. Wieder	43 Webster street	18	Alterations, dwelling	210
Mrs. Maphier	52 Welles avenue	17	Alterations, dwelling	150
Peter Coleman	72 Westbourne street	20	Alterations, dwelling	240
John Stonis	398 West Broadway	6	Sign, store, dwelling	200
J. Watson	54 West Canton street	9	Fire escape, store, dwelling	60
Robert Jennings	88 Westchester road	19	Excavation	100
Frank Bruno	470 Western avenue	22	Alterations, dwelling	300
Myer Winkler	78 West Selden street	14	Alterations, dwelling	415
Donald McLellan	15 Whitby terrace	13	Alterations, dwelling	545
Mary Varrone	61 White street	1	Alterations, dwelling	500
J. J. and L. A. Hanley	Rear 126 Woodrow avenue	14	Take-down, barn	90

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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George I. Bannon, 15 Weston place, Roxbury, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

Grace E. Sherry, 45 Robeson street, Jamaica Plain, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

Angelo P. D'Agostino, 63 Webster street, East Boston, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

James L. Marble, 139 East Cottage street, Dorchester, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

George P. Murray, 75 Old Harbor street, South Boston, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

Donald F. Austin, 27 Fenton street, Dorchester, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

John J. Tully, 3 Sudan street, Dorchester, third-class stationary engineer, $63 a week.

Ralph Lea, 74 Westville street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Theresa M. Hagman, 53 Beaver street, Hyde Park, hospital laundry worker, $43 a week.

Long Island Division.

Walter R. Mulhall, Jr., 21 Oakley street, Dorchester, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Highway Division.

Edward J. O'Brien, 973 River street, Hyde Park, laborer, $50.50 a week.

Ralph Monaco, 343 Border street, East Boston, laborer, $50.50 a week.

Angus J. Gillis, 52 Hereford street, laborer, $50.50 a week.

Lawrence A. West, 80 Brookway road, Roslindale, laborer, $50.50 a week.

Francis E. Harkins, 78 Brookley road, Jamaica Plain, laborer, $50.50 a week.

Mark L. Mulkern, 214 Silver street, South Boston, laborer, $53 a week.

Edward J. Corbett, 230 Westview street, Dorchester, laborer, $53 a week.

Chester J. Wojcik, 2 Jeffries street, East Boston, laborer, $53 a week.

Albert F. Thornton, 156 Monticello avenue, Dorchester, laborer, $58 a week.

Changes in Status.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Teresa C. St. John, 11 South Main street, Cohasset, from medical social worker at $80 a week to medical social work supervisor at $83.50 a week.

William Harry Clarke, 83 Worcester street, from hospital medical worker at $50.50 a week to elevator operator at $50.50 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Bridge Division.

Lawrence O. Cunningham, 9 Mt. Pleasant avenue, Roxbury, from assistant drawtender at $63 a week to first assistant drawtender (temporary) at $65.50 a week.

Promotions.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Sanatorium Division.

Lillian C. Hixon, 74 Eustis street, Roxbury, from hospital medical worker at $53 a week to hospital house worker at $53 a week.

Margaret M. Burke, 46 Millet street, Dorchester, from hospital medical worker at $50.50 a week to hospital house worker at $50.50 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

William F. Kilroy, 4 Gore street, Roxbury, from laborer at $55.50 a week to bath custodian (temporary) at $58 a week.

Stephen McDonald, 3 Bartlett street, Charlestown, from bath attendant and laborer at $60.50 a week to bath custodian (temporary) at $63 a week.

John F. Coffey, 110 Fuller street, Dorchester, from park maintenance man at $60.50 a week to bath custodian (temporary) at $63 a week.

Albert O. Mattarazzo, 36 Prince street, from laborer at $58 a week to bath custodian (temporary) at $60.50 a week.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Irene A. Boice, 9 Ingleside street, Roxbury, from senior clerk and stenographer at $68 a week to principal clerk at $70.50 a week.

House of Correction.

Peter J. Joyce, Deer Island, from correction officer at $76.50 a week to correction officer and baker (temporary) at $80 a week.

John M. McGowan, 88 Russett road, West Roxbury, from correction officer at $76.50 a week to assistant deputy master (temporary) at $80 a week.

Leaves of Absence.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Herbert T. White, 120 Central avenue, Hyde Park, fire fighter, $74.71 a week.

Terence J. McGonagle, 57 Austin street, Hyde Park, fire fighter, $74.71 a week.

Lloyd C. Phillips, 127 Cedar street, Roxbury, fire fighter, $74.71 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Marcia S. Burbank, 11 East Newton street, floor nurse, $60.50 a week.

Martha Legg, 89 Charles street, social worker, $70.50 a week.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Charles E. Englert, 664 West Roxbury Parkway, senior law clerk and investigator, $59.44 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Bridge-Tunnel Division.

John J. McCarthy, 57 Birchwood street, West Roxbury, tollman-guard, $65.50 a week.

Water Division.

Clarence Marcy, 445 Adams street, Dorchester, principal clerk, $76.50 a week.

Transfers.

AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

Thomas P. Mahoney, 19 Clifton street, Roxbury, from Parks and Recreation Department as principal clerk at $68 a week to Auditing Department as principal clerk at $68 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Long Island Division.

Hugh W. McNulty, 19 Regina road, Dorchester, from Welfare Department as social worker at $80 a week to Hospital Department (Long Island Division) as social worker at $80 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Lester A. Anderson, 72 Blue Hill avenue, Roxbury, from Parks and Recreation Department as zoo attendant at $60.50 a week to Public Works Department (Sanitary Division) as laborer at $58 a week.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

Martin E. Thornton, 80 Terrace street, Roxbury, from Hospital Department

(Sanatorium Division) as steam fireman at $68 a week to Real Property Department as steam fireman at $68 a week.

Step-Rate Increases.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Budget Division.

Michael L. Connors, senior budget analyst, temporary, from $103.50 to $108.25 a week.

John L. Glynn, senior budget analyst, temporary, from $98.75 to $103.50 a week.

John T. Leonard, senior budget analyst, temporary, from $103.50 to $108.25 a week.

AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

John J. Hopkins, principal account examiner, from $80 to $83.50 a week.

John J. Kirby, senior accountant, from $90.50 to $94 a week.

Henry E. Steele, principal account examiner, from $80 to $83.50 a week.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

Robert Drummond, senior civil engineering draftsman, from $80 to $83.50 a week.

Marie Sellers, clerk and typist, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Willard E. Barnett, interior electrical inspector, from $83.50 to $87 a week.

Charles M. Gravallese, gas fitting inspector, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Long Island Division.

Almeady C. Mealey, supervisor of nurses, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Anne V. Murphy, clerk-typist, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Edward J. Gastater, attendant nurse, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Carol I. Fama, graduate practical nurse, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

George J. Klier, senior hospital kitchen worker, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Joseph L. McLean, working foreman-carpenter, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Elizabeth T. Pong, licensed attendant nurse, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Catherine Regan, hospital kitchen worker, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Joseph W. Stempkowski, attendant nurse, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Harold F. Warnock, senior hospital kitchen worker, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

William A. Munroe, assistant chef, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Mary M. McGillicuddy, matron, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

George E. Boutilier, maintenance mechanic foreman, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

William F. Breen, bath custodian, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Virginia C. Cochrane, matron, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Patrick Cogavin, gardener, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Patrick J. Flaherty, laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Nora T. Kane, matron, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

William P. McGuinness, park maintenance foreman, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Joseph E. McKernan, laborer, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Harriet E. Monson, matron, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Michael J. Moschella, maintenance mechanic carpenter, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Blanche E. Phillips, matron, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Alfred Repucci, supervisor stadium custodian, from $80 to $83.50 a week.

David C. Walsh, park maintenance foreman, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

John J. Ashe, zoo attendant, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Cemetery Division.

Francis E. Harkins, grave digger, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

Attilio Orlando, grave digger, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

House of Correction.

John R. Hoban, deputy master, from $87 to $90.50 a week.

William F. Dennehy, correction officer, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

John R. Hoban, assistant deputy master, from $83.50 to $87 a week.

Peter J. Joyce, correction officer, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Edward J. Leikauskas, correction officer, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Patrick A. O'Donnell, correction officer, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

John C. Corbett, correction officer and clothing cutter, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Cornelius E. O'Leary, senior personnel officer, from $103.50 to $108.25 a week.

Automotive Division.

William J. Flanagan, motor equipment maintenance man, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Joseph E. McCormick, painter, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

John B. Moran, motor equipment repairman, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

John B. Moran, working foreman motor equipment repairman, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Bridge Division.

Charles Calnan, bridge construction inspector, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Martin Weidman, drawtender, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Everett Allen, drawtender, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Highway Division.

Forest L. Arey, heavy motor equipment operator and laborer, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Mark L. Mulkern, laborer, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

George H. McMahon, laborer, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Lawrence A. West, laborer, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

Sanitary Division.

Edward R. Brosemer, motor equipment operator and laborer, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

William Follins, laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

George E. Ashworth, laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Canio Barone, laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

William J. Blackstone, laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Martin F. Conley, heavy motor equipment operator and laborer, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Thomas F. Delaney, motor equipment operator and laborer, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Charles F. Donovan, heavy motor equipment operator and laborer, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

George H. Edwards, heavy motor equipment operator and laborer, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

James H. Halloran, laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Walter A. Hanley, laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

William E. Hart, laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

James Healey, laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Lawrence Kalish, motor equipment operator and laborer, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

John J. Lennon, heavy motor equipment operator and laborer, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Joseph Longo, laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Martin M. Maloney, laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Thomas Manning, laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Patrick J. McAvoy, laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Thomas H. Mould, laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Ralph S. Natarello, laborer, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

Joseph Pittella, laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

William A. Rooney, laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Louis R. Santiano, heavy motor equipment operator and laborer, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

William O. Schertell, Jr., laborer, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

William J. Shea, laborer, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

John F. Silva, Jr., laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Leo J. Sullivan, heavy motor equipment operator and laborer, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Nicholas Vacca, heavy motor equipment operator and laborer, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Theodore A. Weiss, laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

John Cadogan, carpenter, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Edward M. Norton, blacksmith-foreman, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

George J. Lynch, motor equipment operator and laborer, from $61.25 to $63 a week.

George J. Lynch, motor equipment operator and laborer (motor pool), from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Sewer Division.

Thomas V. Foley, Jr., motor equipment operator and laborer, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

William Hannigan, foreman tide gate repairman, from $87 to $90.50 a week.

James F. Kelly, sewer construction inspector, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Edward McLaughlin, sewer cleaner, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Walter E. Moran, motor equipment operator and laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

William H. Murray, motor equipment operator and laborer, from $61.25 to $63 a week.

Riccardo Savino, motor equipment operator and laborer, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Arthur C. Shannon, assistant civil engineer, from $98.75 to $103.50 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Wilma Jones, clerk and typist, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Gertrude Techan, clerk and typist, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Winifred Hannegan, social worker, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Helen Flynn, social worker, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Marie Mahon, social worker, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Joseph McManus, social work supervisor, from $83.50 to $87 a week.

Edward Real, head statistical clerk, from $87 to $90.50 a week.

Temporary Home.

Hazel Heffernan, superintendent of Temporary Home, from $80 to $83.50 a week.

Overtime Allowed.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

For the week ending May 30:

Walter Shaughnessy, park maintenance foreman, 44 hours at $3 an hour.

Thomas Roberto, golf course foreman, 40 hours at $2 an hour.

Patrick J. Burke, collector, 40 hours at $2.27 an hour.

John W. Hardiman, supervisor of recreation equipment, 12 hours at $3 an hour.

Thomas J. Veasey, zoo foreman, 12 hours at $3 an hour.

John J. Hammond, general foreman of horticulture, 8 hours at $3 an hour.

Neil P. Canney, park maintenance foreman, 80 hours at $3 an hour.

Harry L. McGuire, tree maintenance foreman, 32 hours at $2 an hour.

Cemetery Division.

William H. Hawkins, supervisor of cemeteries, Mount Hope Cemetery, 71 hours at $2.26 an hour; Charles F. Guiney, cemetery foreman, Fairview Cemetery, 54 hours at $2.09 an hour; Edwin W. Banks, cemetery foreman, Evergreen Cemetery, 58 hours at $2 an hour.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

For the week ending May 17:

John Flanagan, chief power plant engineer, 24 hours at $2.175 an hour.

Hector Campbell, building maintenance supervisor, 32 hours at $2.087 an hour.

VETERANS' RETIREMENTS.

The Mayor has approved the following veterans' applications for retirement:

Daniel Doherty, 128 Hamilton street, Dorchester, laborer-watchman, Automotive Division, Public Works Department.

Anthony Martin, 14 Elder street, Dorchester, water meter repairman, Water Division, Public Works Department.

John Jacob Dulleck (also known as John Anthony Dulleck), 147 Adams street, Dorchester, ambulance driver, Sanatorium Division, Hospital Department.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award the contracts for work, materials, and supplies, in accordance with recommendations of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Purchasing Division.

Upon March 28 the Mayor approved a contract with bidders as indicated for furnishing general clothing and dry goods to the various city departments, as requested, from April 1, 1955, to December 31, 1955, inclusive. Items 28 and 58 are rejected and will be purchased in the open market. Approximate total amounts of awards were as follows:

Contracts for: Sherman Mills, Inc., $31,687.16, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; Taylor, Symonds Company, $11,366.60, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; Jennings Linen Company, Inc., $6,111, net, 30 days; Barnet Zelmyer, doing business as Zelmar Mills, $4,749.20, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; Community Workshops, Inc., $1,024.81, net.

Orders for: Department of Correction of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, $17,565.50, net; New England Company, $102.50, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; Sparrow Chisholm Company, $255, net, 30 days; Merchants Cash Corporation, $192, net.

Bids, opened February 23, were as follows:

General Clothing and Dry Goods.

Item 1. 600 Cooks' Aprons, Drillelath, Sanforized, 36 Inches Long, Overall with Halter Part, Dauble Front, Per Dozen.—Angelica Uniform Company, Inc., $10.92, Angelica, Style X128, 36 inches x 36 inches double front; New England Company, $6.60; Sherman Mills, Inc., $8.50; Taylor, Symonds Company, $6.90; Zelmar Mills, $6.50.

Item 2. 660 Orderlies' Aprons, 30 Inches Wide, 24-Inch Tie to Hem, Ties To Be 24 Inches, Saft Webbing, Per Dozen.—Angelica Uniform Company, Inc., $8.28, Angelica, Style X118, 30 inches x 36 inches; Community Workshops, Inc., $6.45, No. 140, unbleached sheeting; New England Company, $7.30; Sherman Mills, Inc., $7.50; Taylor, Symonds Company, $7.30; Zelmar Mills, $6.50.

Item 3. 144 Plastic Aprons, Reinforced at Point of Strain, Bibs and Front, Per Dozen.—Angelica Uniform Company, Inc., $18.36, Angelica, Style 141; Sherman Mills, Inc., $17.50, as previously furnished made of .008 gauge boilable film, heat sealed at points of strain; Taylor, Symonds Company, $10.

Item 4. 540 Porters' Aprons, Per Dozen.†—Angelica Uniform Company, Inc., $8.88, Angelica, Style 134; Community Workshops, Inc., $6.45, No. 140, unbleached sheeting; New England Company, $7.30; Taylor, Symonds Company, $7.30; Zelmar Mills, $6.50.

Item 5. 240 Students' Aprons, Single Front with Hip and Shoulder Straps, 140 Count Drill Cloth Sanforized, Per Dozen.†—New England Company, $6; Taylor, Symonds Company, $6.50; Zelmar Mills, $6.50.

Item 6. 180 Ward Maids' Aprons, Unbleached Cotton, 140 Count, 13½ Inches Wide, 11½ Inches Deep, Pocket, 6½ Inches, Flap, 6½ Inches, As Per Specifications, Per Dozen.†—No bids.

Item 7. 300 Adult Bathrobes, Maroon Striped Terry Cloth, Color Fast, Small, Medium, and Large, Full Cut, Per Dozen.—Merchants Cash Corporation, $66; Sherman Mills, Inc., $46.50; Taylor, Symonds Company, $42*; Zelmar Mills, $46.50.

Item 8. 120 Children's Bathrobes, Striped Terry Cloth, Color Fast, As Per Sizes on Proposal, Per Dozen.—Sherman Mills, Inc., $31*; Taylor, Symonds Company, $32.50; Zelmar Mills, $33.

Item 9. 4,080 Adult Bedgowns, White Cotton, 140 Count, Sanforized, Raglan Sleeves, As Per Specifications, Per Dozen.—Angelica Uniform Company, Inc., $21.36, Angelica, Style 600, made according to exact specifications; Community Workshops, Inc., $18.50; Jennings Linen Company, Inc., $2.15 each; New England Company, $19.25; Sherman Mills, Inc., $18.48; Sparrow Chisholm Company, $1.82 each; Taylor Symonds Company, $1.85 each; Zelmar Mills, $19.60.

Item 10. 100 Dozen Adult Bedgowns, White Jersey, Raglan Sleeve, 45 Inches Long, Per Dozen.—Angelica Uniform Company, Inc., $20.64, Angelica Style, 600K; Jennings Linen Company, Inc., $17; Sherman Mills, Inc., $19.50, No. 1210/45, Sherman Mills, Tube Tex process for controlled shrinkage; Sparrow Chisholm Company, $19; Taylor, Symonds Company, $18.25.

Item 11. 720 Children's Bedgowns, Cotton, 240 Each, Small, Medium, and Large, As Per Specifications, Per Dozen.—Angelica Uniform Company, Inc., $18.84, Angelica, Style X604, made according to specifications; Community Workshops, Inc., $8.62, small, $11.85, medium, $15.14, large; New England Company, $11.50; Sherman Mills, Inc., $13.25; Taylor, Symonds Company, $12.60; Zelmar Mills, $10.50.*

Item 12. 1,500 Infants' Bedgowns, White Outing Flannel, Tied in Back, 21 Inches Long, Per Dozen.†—Community Workshops, Inc., $5.19, No. 800, flannel; Sherman Mills, Inc., $6; Taylor, Symonds Company, $5.65; Zelmar Mills, $5.25.

Item 13. 1,800 Bath Blankets, Cotton, Each.—Jennings Linen Company, Inc., $1.39; Sherman Mills, Inc., $1.41*; Sparrow Chisholm Company, $1.40; Taylor, Symonds Company, $1.40; Zelmar Mills, $1.55.

Item 14. 596 Gray Blankets, 50 Per Cent Wool, Each.—Sparrow Chisholm Company, $3.50*; Taylor Symonds Company, $1.70, 100 per cent wool, 72 x 84.

Item 15. 300 Bassinet Blankets, Assarted Colors, 30 Inches x 40 Inches, Cotton, Each.—Jennings Linen Company, Inc., 48 cents; Sherman Mills, Inc., 45 cents; Sparrow Chisholm Company, 45 cents; Taylor Symonds Company, 45 cents*; Zelmar Mills, 45½ cents.

Item 16. 480 Binders, White Flannelette, Double, 5½ Inches Wide, Belt, 1½ Yards Long, Tail, 33 Inches Long, Per Dozen.—Community Workshops, Inc., $5.15*; Taylor, Symonds Company, $6.35.

Item 17. 240 Cooks' Coats, White, Assorted Sizes, 36 to 40, Each.†—Angelica Uniform Company, Inc., $1.87, Angelica, Style 180; New England Company, $21.50 per dozen*; Sherman Mills, Inc., $3.10; Taylor, Symonds Company, $2.75; Zelmar Mills, $1.92.

Item 18. 120 Khaki Coats, Assorted Sizes, 36 to 44, Each.†—New England Company, $28 per dozen*; Taylor, Symonds Company, $2.60, tan; Zelmar Mills, $2.15.

Item 19. 420 Operating Room Coats, White, Peppercll Twill, Short Sleeves, Military Collar, Button Front, No Belt, Each.†—Angelica Uniform Company, Inc., $1.45, Angelica, Style 611; Community Workshops, Inc., $19.92 per dozen, sanforized Jean twill; Jennings Linen Company, Inc., $1.66; New England Company, $16 per

dozen; Sherman Mills, Inc., $2.15; Taylor, Symonds Company, $1.52; Zelmar Mills, $2.

Item 20. 480 Bedpan Covers, 27 x 27 Inches, Finished, Blue and White Ticking, Per Dozen.†—Community Workshops, Inc., $4.70, 8-ounce tieking; New England Company, $3.82; Taylor, Symonds Company, $4.20; Zelmar Mills, $4.70.

Item 21. 120 Heater Covers, 12 x 18 Inches, Double, Flannelette, Open on One End with Drawstrings, White Preferred, Per Dozen.†—Community Workshops, Inc., $2.75; Sherman Mills, Inc., $6.75.

Item 22. 180 Ice Cap Covers, 12 x 12 Inches, Thin White Flannel, as Per Specifications, Per Dozen.†—Community Workshops, Inc., $1.80, No. 650, flannel; Sherman Mills, Inc., $4.75; Taylor, Symonds Company, $1.95.

Item 23. 75 Dozen Instrument Covers, White, Pepperell Twill, Double, As Per Sizes on Specifications, Per Dozen.†—Community Workshops, Inc., $3.98, sanforized Jean twill; New England Company, $4, small, $6, large; Sherman Mills, Inc., $5.75.

Item 24. 180 Screen Covers, 3-Fold, White Cotton, Sanforized, 140 Count, 41 Inches Wide, As Per Specifications, Per Dozen.†—New England Company, $9.50; Taylor, Symonds Company, $11.75.

Item 25. 216 Towel Covers, 15 x 15 Inches, Unbleached Cotton, Sanforized, 140 Count, Per Dozen.†—Bids rejected.

Item 26. 100 Yards Damask, 72 Inches, Linen and Cotton, Per Yard.— New England Company, $1.13*; Sherman Mills, Inc., $1.40; Sparrow Chisholm Company, $1.80; Taylor, Symonds Company, $1.67, finished.

Item 27. 150 Yards Damask, 64 Inches, Linen and Cotton, Per Yard.—New England Company, 98 cents*; Sherman Mills, Inc., $1.20; Sparrow Chisholm Company, $1.50; Taylor, Symonds Company, $1.53, finished.

Item 28. 75 Yards Duck, Heavy, 36 Inches.—No bids.

Item 29. 240 Ether Stockings, As Per Specifications, Per Dozen.†—Community Workshops, Inc., $11.14, No. 650, flannel; Sherman Mills, Inc., $11.50.

Item 30. 300 Yards Cotton Flannel, 36 Inches, Per Yard.—New England Company, 85 cents; Sherman Mills, Inc., 29.5 cents; Taylor, Symonds Company, 35 cents, 7 ounces, 38 cents, 8 ounces, 47½ cents, 10 ounces.*

Item 31. 300 Yards Gray Flannel, 36 Inches, Per Yard.—Sherman Mills, Inc., 31.5 cents; Sparrow Chisholm Company, 45 cents; Taylor, Symonds Company, 26 cents.*

Item 32. 480 Pairs Canvas Gloves, Leather Palms, Per Dozen.—Merchants Cash Corporation, $4.80*; Taylor, Symonds Company, $4.50, put up 12 dozen per carton; Zelmar Mills, $5.25.

Item 33. 600 Pairs Canvas Gloves, Heavy Duty, Knit Wrist, Work Gloves, Per Dozen.—Merchants Cash Corporation, $2.50; Taylor, Symonds Company, $2.10*; Zelmar Mills, $2.50.

Item 34. 240 Pairs Canvas Gloves, Heavy Duty, No Coloring, for Kitchen, Per Dozen.—Merchants Cash Corporation, $4.25; Taylor, Symonds Company, $2.10, put up 12 dozen per carton; Zelmar Mills, $2.50.

Item 35. 444 Nurses' Gowns, Scrub, Drawstring Waist, As Per Specified, Per Dozen.—Angelica Uniform Company, Inc., $22.44, Angelica, Style 820, alternate $19.20; Community Workshops, Inc., $22.13, sanforized pepperell Jean twist*; Jennings Linen Company, Inc., $24.60; Sherman Mills, Inc., $23.50; Taylor, Symonds Company, $24.75; Zelmar Mills, $22.90.

Item 36. 60 Surgeons' Gowns, Per Dozen.—Angelica Uniform Company, Inc., $22.80, Angelica, Style 606; New England Company, $26; Sherman Mills, Inc., $27.50; Taylor, Symonds Company, $22.50*; Zelmar Mills, $28.50.

Item 37. 60 Bath Mats, Cotton, As Per Specifications, Each.—Sherman Mills, Inc., 96 cents*; Sparrow Chisholm Company, 96 cents, 20x33; Taylor, Symonds Company, $1.25, 22 x 38.

Item 38. 72 Mattress Pads, Bassinet, Each.—Sherman Mills, Inc., 70 cents; Taylor, Symonds Company, 26 cents, 15 x 17,* 30 cents, 17 x 18.*

Item 39. 144 Mattress Pads, Twin Size, Each.—Sherman Mills, Inc., $1.69*; Sparrow Chisholm Company, $2; Taylor, Symonds Company, $1.70, 36 x 76, $1.80, 39 x 76.

Item 40. 25 Pieces Mosquito Netting, 8-Yard Piece, 72 Inches, Per Yard.—Taylor, Symonds Company, $4.25.*

Item 41. 96 Pairs Cooks' Pants, Sizes 30 to 44, Each.—Angelica Uniform Company, Inc., $1.95, Angelica, Style 550-HNB; New England Company, $18 per dozen; Sherman Mills, Inc., $2.38; Taylor, Symonds Company, $1.95; Zelmar Mills, $1.875.

Item 42. 250 Pillows, As Per Specifications, Each.—Sherman Mills, Inc., $2.70 Sparrow Chisholm Company, $2.10*; Taylor, Symonds Company, $2.05; Zelmar Mills, $1.25.

Item 43. 9,000 Pillowcases, 36 Inches Long, 2½-Inch Hem, 140 Count, Per Dozen.—Jennings Linen Company, Inc., $4.65; New England Company, $4.67; Sherman Mills, Inc., $4.58*; Sparrow Chisholm Company, $4.75; Taylor, Symonds Company, $4.70; Zelmar Mills, $4.76.

Item 44. 3,000 Draw Sheets, Unbleached Cotton, 140 Count, Sanforized, 54 x 81 Finished, Per Dozen.—New England Company, $12.61, unsanforized; Sherman Mills, Inc., $12.21*; Sparrow Chisholm Company, $18.75; Taylor, Symonds Company, $18.50, $12; Zelmar Mills, $12.25.

Item 45. 4,200 Bleached Sheets, 72 x 108 Finished, 140 Count, Per Dozen.—Jennings Linen Company, Inc., $20.70; New England Company, $21.25; Sherman Mills, Inc., $21.31; Sparrow Chisholm Company, $21.50; Taylor, Symonds Company, $21.25*; Zelmar Mills, $22.50.

Item 46. 4,800 Sheets, Unbleached, 72 x 108 Finished, 140 Count, Per Dozen.—Jennings Linen Company, Inc., $20.60; New England Company, $21.42; Sherman Mills, Inc., $20.30*; Sparrow Chisholm Company, $21; Taylor, Symonds Company, $21.50; Zelmar Mills, $20.75.

Item 47. 5,000 Yards Sheeting, Bleached, 140 Count, Per Yard.—Jennings Linen Company, Inc., 32 cents, 36 inches, 37 cents, 42 inches, 63 cents, 72 inches; Sherman Mills, Inc., 27 cents, 36 inches,* 34.25 cents, 42 inches,* 57 cents, 72 inches*; Sparrow Chisholm Company, 31 cents, 36 inches, 33½ cents, 42 inches, 57 cents, 72 inches; Zelmar Mills, 31 cents, 36 inches, 35 cents, 42 inches, 61 cents, 72 inches.

Item 48. 5,000 Yards Sheeting, Unbleached, 140 Count, Per Yard.—Jennings Linen Company, Inc., 27.5 cents, 36 inch, 33 cents, 42 inch, 57 cents, 72 inch; New England Company, 31 cents, 42 inch, 45 cents, 72 inch; Sherman Mills, Inc., 24.25 cents, 36 inch,* 28.5 cents, 42 inch,* 52.75 cents, 72 inch; Sparrow Chisholm Company, 24½ cents, 36 inch, 31 cents, 42 inch, 53½ cents, 72 inch; Zelmar Mills, 27 cents, 36 inch, 36 cents, 42 inch, 54 cents, 72 inch.

Item 49. 180 Fumigation Sheets, 8-Ounce Ticking, 64 Inches Wide, 54 Inches Long, Two Breadths or One Piece, Per Dozen.—Taylor, Symonds Company, $15.75*; Zelmar Mills, $17.15.

Item 50. 600 Rubber Sheets, 36 Inches x 45 Inches, with 8-Ounce Ticking, 18 Inches on Each Side, Per Dozen.—Archer Rubber Company, $21; Sherman Mills, Inc., $19.95; Sparrow Chisholm Company, $19; Taylor, Symonds Company, $16; Zelmar Mills, $19.*

Item 51. 100 Khaki Shirts, Assorted Sizes, Per Dozen.—Merchants Cash Corporation, $19; Sherman Mills, Inc., $19.25; Taylor, Symonds Company, $19, 6 ounces*; Zelmar Mills, $19.25.

Item 52. 2,100 White Spreads, Cordette, 81 Inches x 108 Inches, Each.—Jennings Linen Company, Inc., $2.91*; Sherman Mills, Inc., $3.04; Sparrow Chisholm Company, $3.05; Taylor, Symonds Company, $3.05.

Item 53. 60 Bates Spreads, Striped or Chenille, 81 Inches x 108 Inches, Each.—Jennings Linen Company, Inc., $4.30; Sparrow Chisholm Company, $3*; Taylor, Symonds Company, $1.55.

Item 54. 30 Krinkle Crepe Spreads, Crib, 54 Inches x 80 Inches, Each.—Sparrow Chisholm Company, $1.50.*

Item 55. 30 Krinkle Crepe Spreads, Bassinet, 36 Inches x 27 Inches, Each.—Sparrow Chisholm Company, $1.*

Item 56. 120 Table Cloths, 54 Inches x 54 Inches, White Damask, Linen and Cotton, Each.—New England Company, $14.25 per dozen, Biltmore*; Sherman Mills, Inc., $2.20; Sparrow Chisholm Company, $2.25; Taylor, Symonds Company, $2.07½.

Item 57. 2,300 Yards Toweling, 18-Inch, White Huck, Per Yard.—Jennings Linen Company, Inc., 27 cents; New England Company, 16½ cents, 18-inch; Sherman Mills, Inc., 22.25 cents; Sparrow Chisholm Company, 22½ cents; Taylor, Symonds Company, 22 cents; Zelmar Mills, 20.4 cents.*

Item 58. 1,000 Yards Toweling, White Crash, Blue Border.—Bids rejected.

Item 59. 4,200 Bath Towels, 22 x 36 Inches, Per Dozen.†—New England Company, $3.44, Cannon, No. 1256, 18 x 36; Sherman Mills, Inc., $4.35, 20 x 40; Sparrow Chisholm Company, $5.46, 20 x 40; Taylor, Symonds Company, $5.05, 20 x 40.

Item 60. 2,400 Bath Towels, 24 x 45 Inches, or Nurses and Doctors, Per Dozen.†—New England Company, $5.25, Cannon, No. 789, seconds, 22 x 44; Sherman Mills, Inc., $5.60, 22 x 44; Sparrow Chisholm Company, $5, 22 x 44; Taylor, Symonds Company, $8.25, 24 x 46, $5.95, 22 x 44.

Item 61. 1,800 Doctors' Towels, 17 x 17 Inches, Boot Mills, ¼-Inch Hem on Each End, Per Dozen.†—Jennings Linen Company, Inc., $1.65; New England Company, $1.05, 16 x 17, cut size; Sherman Mills, Inc., $2.30; Sparrow Chisholm Company, $1.80, 16 x 17; Taylor, Symonds Company, $1.65; Zelmar Mills, $1.60.

Item 62. 1,500 Hand Towels, 17½ x 36 Inches, Per Dozen.†—New England Company, $2.65, Cannon, No. 824, 18 x 36; Sherman Mills, Inc., $3.75; Sparrow Chisholm Company, $3.25; Taylor, Symonds Company, $3.10.

Item 63. 300 Huck Towels, 18 x 18 Inches, Per Dozen.†—Sherman Mills, Inc., $2.75; Sparrow Chisholm Company, $1.75; Taylor, Symonds Company, $1.60.

Item 64. 2,400 Toilet Towels, 22 x 44 Inches, Per Dozen.†—Sherman Mills, Inc.,

$5.60; Sparrow Chisholm Company, $6; Taylor, Symonds Company, $5.50.

Item 65. 1,200 Union Dish Towels, 36 Inches Long Finished, Unbleached Linen and Cotton, Per Dozen.†—Jennings Linen Company, Inc., $3.35; Sherman Mills, Inc., $3.20; Sparrow Chisholm Company, $2.90; Taylor, Symonds Company, $3.05.

Item 66. 600 Towels, Red Border, 16 x 18 Inches, Per Dozen.†—Jennings Linen Company, Inc., $2; New England Company, $1.10, No. 277, Cannon; Sherman Mills, Inc., $1.75; Sparrow Chisholm Company, $1.80; Taylor, Symonds Company, $1.55; Zelmar Mills, $1.42.

Item 67. 100 Dozen Underdrawers, Sizes 36 to 46, Medium Weight, Per Dozen.—Merchants Cash Corporation, $13.50; Sherman Mills, Inc., $16.85; Taylor, Symonds Company, $11; Zelmar Mills, $13.50.*

Item 68. 100 Dozen Undershirts, Sizes 36 to 46, Medium Weight, Per Dozen.—Merchants Cash Corporation, $13.50; Sherman Mills, Inc., $16.85; Taylor, Symonds Company, $11; Zelmar Mills, $13.50.*

Discount.—Angelica Uniform Company, net, 10 days, end of month; Archer Rubber Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Community Workshops, Inc., net; Jennings Linen Company, Inc., net, 30 days; Merchants Cash Corporation, net; New England Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Sherman Mills, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Sparrow Chisholm Company, net, 30 days; Taylor, Symonds Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Zelmar Mills, 2 per cent, time of payment.

* Contract awarded.

† Order for Department of Correction.

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Upon May 25 the Mayor approved a contract with Sparrow Chisholm Company for furnishing uniform cloth to the Fire Department. Approximate total amount of contract was $25,374.60, net, 30 days.

Bids, opened May 9, were as follows:

Uniform Cloth.

Requisition No. 948.

Item 1. 18 Bolts, Approximately 45 Yards Each, Fireman's Uniform Cloth, As Specified, Approximately 810 Yards, Per Yard.—Sparrow Chisholm Company, $9.44*; Taylor Symonds Company, $9.48; Zelmar Mills, $9.87.

Item 2. 49 Bolts, Approximately 60 Yards Each, Fireman's Serge Cloth, As Specified, Approximately 2,940 Yards, Per Yard.—Sparrow Chisholm Company, $6.03*; Taylor Symonds Company, $6.19; Zelmar Mills, $6.44.

Discount.—Sparrow Chisholm Company, net, 30 days; Taylor Symonds Company, net, 30 days; Zelmar Mills, 1 per cent, time of payment.

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—Sparrow Chisholm Company, Item 1, start 60 days, complete 90 days, Item 2, start 10 days, complete 60 days; Taylor Symonds Company, Item 1, June or July, Item 2, 6 weeks to 90 days complete; Zelmar Mills, time of delivery omitted on Purchasing copy of bid.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon May 25 the Mayor approved a contract with George Coleman Bookbinding Company, Inc., for binding and delivering 1955 Police List. Approximate total amount of contract was $3,512.50, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids, opened May 9, were as follows:

Binding and Delivering Police List.

Requisition No. 205.

Item 1. Pamphlets, 21,750 Copies, Bound and Delivered, As Specified, Each.—George Coleman Bookbinding Company, Inc., 3 cents*; Boston Mailing Company, $484.11, total.

Item 2. Cloth-Bound Copies, 220 Copies, Bound and Delivered, As Specified, Each.—George Coleman Bookbinding Company, Inc., $1.75*; Boston Mailing Company, $473.44, total.

Item 3. Paper-Bound Copies, 1,650 Copies, Bound and Delivered, As Specified, Each.—George Coleman Bookbinding Company, Inc., $1.50*; Boston Mailing Company, $2,526.30, total.

Discount.—George Coleman Bookbinding Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Boston Mailing Company, net, 30 days.

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—George Coleman Bookbinding Company, Inc., Item 1, 10 days (working days) (partial delivery), Item 2, 12 days (working days) (partial delivery), Item 3, 15 days (working days) (partial delivery); Boston Mailing Company, as required by the City of Boston Printing Department (all three items).

* Contract awarded.

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Upon May 25 the Mayor approved a contract with lowest bidders for furnishing uniforms and hats for the guards at the Sumner Tunnel of the Public Works Department. Approximate total amounts of awards were as follows:

Contract for: J. Hollis Company, Inc., $2,350, less one half of 1 per cent discount for payment in 10 days; net, 30 days.

Orders for: Faneuil Tailoring Company, Inc., $161.50, less one half of 1 per cent discount for payment in 10 days; net, 30 days.

Bids, opened May 16, were as follows:

Uniforms and Hats.

Item 1. 50 Tollman-Guard Uniforms with Two Pants, As Per Specifications, Each.—Faneuil Tailoring Company, Inc., $48.75; J. Hollis Company, Inc., $47*; Smith & Bennett, Inc., $50.

Item 2. 50 Tollman-Guard Uniform Hats, As Per Specifications, Each.—Faneuil Tailoring Company, Inc., $3.15, four sergeant cords at $1 each*; J. Hollis Company, Inc., $3.50; Smith & Bennett, Inc., $3.45.

Name of Cloth that Uniforms Will Be Made of.—Faneuil Tailoring Company, Inc., Metcalf, 416-1, or International Mills; J. Hollis Company, Inc., 416-1, Metcalf; Smith & Bennett, Inc., 416-1, Metcalf Brothers; N. Y.

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—Faneuil Tailoring Company, Inc., 2 to 3 weeks; J. Hollis Company, Inc., 30 to 60 days; Smith & Bennett, Inc., Item 1, 3 to 4 weeks, possibly sooner, Item 2, 10 days, possibly sooner.

Discount.—Faneuil Tailoring Company, Inc., one half of 1 per cent, 10 days; net, 30 days; J. Hollis Company, Inc., one half of 1 per cent, 10 days; net, 30 days; Smith & Bennett, Inc., one quarter of 1 per cent, 20 days, net 30 days.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon May 25 the Mayor approved a contract with Chapman Valve Manufacturing Company for furnishing gate valves to the Water Division of the Public Works Department. Approximate total amount of contract was $3,850, net, 30 days, f.o.b. Indian Orchard, Mass., with freight allowed to Boston, Mass., common points.

Bids, opened May 11, were as follows:

Gate Valves.

Requisition No. 250.

10 16-Inch Gate Valves, New York Pattern, M. D. C. Pattern in Accordance with Specifications and Blueprints Which Are a Part of This Bid Form, Each.—Chapman Valve Manufacturing Company, $385*; A. P. Smith Manufacturing Company, $409.70.

Discount.—Chapman Valve Manufacturing Company, net, 30 days; A. P. Smith Manufacturing Company, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Earliest Delivery Date.—Chapman Valve Manufacturing Company, 90 days; A. P. Smith Manufacturing Company, 90 to 100 days.

Remarks.

Chapman Valve Manufacturing Company.—For furnishing and delivering f.o.b. our factory at Indian Orchard, Mass., with freight allowed to Boston, Mass., common points: 10 16-inch Chapman List 59-Y bell end, inside screw, iron body, bronze mounted New York pattern gate valves, in accordance with American Water Works Association specifications. Valves to be for vertical installation. Operation by means of a 2-inch square nut turning right hand to open, and without gears or by-pass. This quotation is subject to acceptance within 45 days from this date. If accepted then conditioned upon receipt within an additional 30 days from date of this acceptance of a detailed order specifying sizes and quantities, and allowing shipment and invoicing as soon as manufactured.

A. P. Smith Manufacturing Company.—We propose to furnish the following materials: 10 16-inch hub-end (lugged) 300-pound test, M. D. C. specifications, New York Pattern Vertical N. R. S. nut-operated gate valves, no gearing, no by-pass valve. Price is net f.o.b. delivered at destination. Prices firm subject to acceptance within 30 days from the bid date. If not accepted within said period, price in effect at time of shipment will apply. Estimated shipment after receipt of order, 90 to 100 days. Gate valves, M. D. C. Water Division specifications, New York Pattern, 300-pound test, 150-pound W. W. P. I. B. B. M., N. R. S., double disc, parallel seat type, fitted as per the item description.

* Contract awarded.

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

Upon May 27 the Mayor approved a contract with Seltzer & Co., Inc., for installing a heating boiler and oil burner at the East Boston Branch Library; an oil burner at the Hyde Park Branch Library, and an oil burner at the West Roxbury Branch Library. Bids, opened Tuesday, May 17, were as follows:

Seltzer & Co., Inc., $7,062; R. F. Dowling Company, Inc., $7,367; Morgan Plumbing and Heating Company, $7,450 (disqualified); Trask Heating Company, $8,127.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Upon May 25 the Mayor approved a contract with William P. Herlihy for constructing basketball courts at Parks and Recreation Department playgrounds in Boston. Bids, opened Tuesday, May 17, were as follows:

William P. Herlihy, $7,649; A. Cocco & Sons, $8,612.50.

Upon May 26 the Mayor approved a contract with Dorchester Plate and Window Glass Company for repairing and painting greenhouses, Franklin Park, West Roxbury. Bids, opened Tuesday, May 24, were as follows:

Dorchester Plate and Window Glass Company, $21,749; R. Tweed & Son, $22,591.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Upon May 27, the Mayor approved a contract with Baker & Co., Inc., for bituminous concrete pavement in Austin street, Fairmount avenue, Glenwood avenue, Perkins avenue, Pleasant street, Vose avenue, and Westminster street, Ward 18, at an estimated cost of $77,497.50. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed November 1, 1955. The following bids were received May 19:

Baker & Co., Inc., $77,497.50; J. D'Amico, Inc., $80,651; J. A. Susi & Sons, Inc., $81,647; S. J. Tomasello Corporation, $82,819.50.

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Upon May 27 the Mayor approved a contract with Susi & DeSantis Company, Inc., for construction of sewerage works in David road and outlet in Mossbank Footway to Louder's Lane, West Roxbury, at an estimated cost of $8,881, including concrete pipe. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed within 60 days after approval by the Mayor. The following bids were received May 18:

Including Clay Pipe.—Susi & DeSantis Company, Inc., $9,058.50; Roslindale Contracting Company, $9,126.50; J. D'Amico, Inc., $9,642.50; D. Federico Company, $9,943.50; C. Russo, Inc., $12,237.

Including Concrete Pipe.—Susi & DeSantis Company, Inc., $8,881; Roslindale Contracting Company, $8,949; J. D'Amico, Inc., $9,642.50; D. Federico Company, $9,801.50; C. Russo, Inc., $12,187.

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Upon May 27 the Mayor approved a contract with D. Federico Company for laying and relaying water pipes in East Eagle, Falcon, and White streets, Ward 1; Mt. Vernon street, Ward 13, and such additional locations, if any, in Wards 1 and 13, as may be designated by the Commissioner of Public Works, at an estimated cost of $15,509.50. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed August 31. The following bids were received May 18:

D. Federico Company, $15,509.50; R. A. Buccella & Sons, Inc., $16,893; Susi & DeSantis Company, Inc., $17,286; Roslindale Contracting Company, $22,202; J. D'Amico, Inc., $22,592.50; C. Russo, Inc., $25,447.50.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

Upon varying dates as indicated the Mayor approved contracts with commercial houses, contractors, etc., for furnishing labor, supplies, etc. Communications from heads of the departments interested were as follows:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.
Purchasing Division.

BOSTON, APRIL 29, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office is in receipt of an estimate of approximately one hundred (100) Royal typewriters, 11 inches to 16 inches, to be purchased as requested with equipment loan funds.

The Royal Typewriter Company, Division of Royal McBee Corporation, has submitted prices on various sizes of typewriters, which prices are subject to change with thirty days' notice. The approximate total amount will be $19,750, less discount of $10 per machine, making a net total of $18,750. This total is exclusive of federal tax, from which the City of Boston is exempt on presentation of an exemption certificate.

Inasmuch as the Royal Typewriter Company, Division of Royal McBee Corporation, is the manufacturer of Royal typewriters, authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to this company. It is my opinion that, in this way, the best interests of the city will be served.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $19,750, less discount of $10 per machine, making a net total of $18,750.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, May 17, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office is in receipt of a requisition from the Parks and Recreation Department for four (4) Walter, Model FZM, Specification T-80, positive four-wheel drive combination heavy-duty trucks with equipment as specified. The Parks and Recreation Department has practically standardized on Walter equipment owing to the fact that they have found it to be the best heavy-duty equipment for the type of work which must be performed by them, as stated in the attached copy of a letter received from the commissioner of that department.

Charles H. Wood, doing business as Charles N. Wood Company, is the New England distributor for this equipment. Inasmuch as this company is the direct factory representative in this area, it is my opinion that no advantage would be gained by publicly advertising for bids.

It is therefore requested that permission be granted me to dispense with publicly advertising for bids and award a contract, without public advertisement, to Charles H. Wood, doing business as Charles N. Wood Company, for four (4) Walter, Model FZM, trucks at $11,900 each, less allowance on four (4) used units at $1,200 each.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $47,600, less trade-in allowance on four (4) used units, $4,800, making a net total of $42,800.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, May 19, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

Each year the Boston City Hospital requires various amounts of equipment for use in the Fenwal laboratory for preparing blood plasma and intravenous fluids. The amounts of equipment required cannot be accurately estimated, due to the fluctuation in the number of patients requiring this type of treatment.

Macalaster Bicknell Parenteral Corporation, who is the only distributor and source of supply in New England, has submitted a price list less 10 per cent trade discount, net, thirty days. It is estimated that approximately $13,000 will be expended from June 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, for Fenwal laboratory equipment.

Inasmuch as Macalaster Bicknell Parenteral Corporation is the only source of supply, it is my opinion that no advantage would be gained by publicly advertising for prices. Authority is therefore requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to Macalaster Bicknell Parenteral Corporation for furnishing approximately $13,000 worth of Fenwal laboratory equipment to the Boston City Hospital at list prices less 10 per cent, to be delivered as requested, from June 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, May 24, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office is in receipt of two requisitions from the Boston City Hospital for a total of sixteen (16) gross of Fremont Smith needles to be delivered immediately. These needles are manufactured only by the Randall Faichney Corporation.

Inasmuch as the Randall Faichney Corporation is the only manufacturer of the needles requested, authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for bids and award a contract, without public advertisement, to this company. It is my opinion that no advantage would be gained by publicly advertising for bids.

Approximate total amount of contract for sixteen (16) gross Fremont Smith square-type needles at $72 per dozen, less 40 per cent, will be $8,294.40, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

BOSTON RENT BOARD.

BOSTON, April 26, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

On behalf of the Board, I respectfully request your authorization to dispense with a public invitation for proposals in the *City Record* and to enter into a contract, covering the period April 1, 1955, to December 31, 1955, with Dwyer Office Equipment Company, 587 East Broadway, South Boston, Mass., for the rental of various office machines, including typewriters, at a monthly cost of $235, a total cost for the contract period of $2,115.

This firm has furnished these machines for use of our personnel from the very beginning and has cooperated with us in every way. Furthermore, the contractor's adjustment, repair, and replacement services have been carried out promptly and efficiently. In addition, their monthly rates are fair, and con-

sistent with those being charged in this area by others for such machines.

In view of the foregoing, it is not felt that publicly inviting bids would be of avail in the present instance.

Very respectfully yours,

EDWARD W. O'HEARN,
Chairman, Boston Rent Board.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.
Sanatorium Division.

BOSTON, May 16, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

YOUR HONOR:

Your approval is respectfully requested to engage the services of the J. M. McCusker Associates for engineering services in connection with renovations and alterations to the steam heating, plumbing, and electrical wiring systems in various buildings at the Sanatorium Division.

Your approval is also respectfully requested to dispense with advertising because of the professional nature of the services involved.

The estimated cost of this work is $60,000. The J. M. McCusker Associates are to be paid a fee equal to 10 per cent of the actual cost of the above work, subject to the approval of the provisions of the contract for said services.

This matter was approved by the Board of Trustees at a meeting held on May 6, 1955.

Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD J. CONDON,
President, Board of Trustees, Hospital Department, and of Boston City Hospital.

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, May 23, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The Trustees of the Public Library respectfully request the approval of your Honor for the award of a contract, without public advertising, to the Library Service Division of Bro-Dart Industries, 59 East Alpine street, Newark, New Jersey, for the purchase of rigid back transparent front and spine de luxe binders for reading room periodicals.

Since these binders are patented items and can be obtained only from the Library Service Division of Bro-Dart Industries, no useful purpose would be served in advertising for bids. The trustees have therefore

"*Voted*, That there be awarded, without public advertising, to the Library Service Division of Bro-Dart Industries, 59 East Alpine street, Newark, New Jersey, a contract for the purchase of rigid back transparent front and spine de luxe binders for reading room periodicals, in an amount not to exceed three thousand one hundred and five dollars and thirteen cents ($3,105.13)."

Inasmuch as the total cost for the binders will exceed one thousand dollars ($1,000), there is respectfully requested permission of your Honor to enter into this contract without publicly advertising for bids.

Respectfully,

MILTON E. LORD,
Director.

BOSTON, May 23, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The Trustees of the Public Library respectfully request the approval of your Honor for the award of a contract, without public advertising, to the McBee Company, 367 Boylston street, Boston, for the purchase of Keysort book loan cards.

These cards are needed in connection with the new charging system which has been in effect since January, 1952. The cards are proprietory items and can be purchased only from the McBee Company. The trustees have therefore

"*Voted*, That there be entered into, without public advertising, with the McBee Company, 367 Boylston street, Boston, a contract for the purchase of Keysort book loan cards in the amount of two thousand two hundred and forty-two dollars and ninety-one cents ($2,242.91)."

Inasmuch as the total cost for the cards will exceed one thousand dollars ($1,000), there is requested permission of your Honor to enter into this contract without publicly advertising for bids.

Respectfully,

MILTON E. LORD,
Director.

MAYOR'S OFFICE.
Public Celebrations.

BOSTON, May 25, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

In connection with the 1955 Boston Art Festival to be held June 4 through the 19th, your authorization is respectfully requested to dispense with public advertising in the *City Record* and to enter into a contract with Martha Graham & Company to provide for the presentation of a concert of the modern dance at the Public Garden on the evenings of June 10 and 11. The cost for the services of this artist will be $2,000.

Martha Graham has long been acclaimed as one of the foremost exponents of the modern dance. She studied in her early years with both Ruth St. Denis and Ted Shawn. Also, later she was a teacher of dancing at the renowned Eastman School of Music in Rochester. Miss Graham has created well over one hundred dances extending from solos to complete modern dance theater compositions. Further, this artist has appeared with the Cleveland and the Philadelphia Symphony orchestras, conducted by Charles Weidman and Leopold Stokowski, respectively.

In view of the highly artistic nature of the services involved, it is my opinion that nothing would be gained by public advertising for these services.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN D. BROWN,
Director of Public Celebrations.

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BOSTON, May 25, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

It is my purpose, subject to your approval, to dispense with publicly inviting bids and to engage the services of New England Opera Theatre, Inc., 160 Boylston street, Boston, Mass., under the very able direction of Boris Goldofsky, by written contract, to present the world premiere, in English, of the opera "Don Pasquale," by Donizetti, on the evenings of June 4, 5, and 6, at the Public Garden in connection with the 1955 Boston Arts Festival. The cost for the services of the contractor is $2,750.

This opera company which has evolved from the student company of the Berkshire Music Center annually gives several productions in this city as well as giving a performance in five or six other New England cities. All of the company's offerings have been enthusiastically received by critics and the public alike. In 1947 this opera company rendered the first public performance in the United States of Mozart's *Idomeneo*.

In the light of the foregoing, the modest costs involved, and the very special nature of the services to be rendered, it is not felt that public advertising would be of any avail to the City of Boston in the present instance.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN D. BROWN,
Director of Public Celebrations.

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BOSTON, May 26, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

In conjunction with numerous other activities to take place in this city in public celebration of June 17, Bunker Hill Day, I respectfully request your authorization to dispense with public advertising and to award a contract to Fitzpatrick Brothers, Inc., caterers, 342 Pearl street, Malden, Mass., in an amount not to exceed $1,850, providing for the preparation, furnishing, and delivery on June 17 of ham sandwiches, hot coffee, brick ice cream, cake and macaroons, together with appropriate paper plates, spoons, cups, and napkins, to various organizations and locations as designated and apportioned in the following:

David Cleary Chapter 109, D.A.V., $150.
Charlestown Chapter 71, D.A.V., $150.
Walter W. Lacey Post, Amvets, $150.
Col. Bogan Camp, Spanish War Veterans, $150.
Charlestown Post 544, V.F.W., $150.
Army-Navy Union, Bunker Hill Garrison 1775, $150.
Knights of Columbus, $250.
American Legion, Bunker Hill Post, $250.
Chief Marshal John Lowney, $100.
Daniel J. Foley, committee, $100.
William Flynn, committee, $100.
James Kelly, committee, $150.
Total, $1,850.

This contractor has successfully demonstrated on a number of prior occasions that he has the ability, experience, and all the facilities at hand required to properly and satisfactorily carry out such an assignment. In addition, since the prices for the aforespecified commodities are uniform, it is not considered that advantage would be gained by the city as a result of a public advertisement for bids for these services.

As was the case throughout the course of last year's public celebration of June 17, tickets of admission will not be required.

Respectfully yours,

MARTIN J. RYAN,
Director of Public Celebrations.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Rossano Construction Company, Inc., for modernization of toilet facilities at the Abraham Lincoln School, from May 13, 1955, to June 16, 1955. This extension was requested because of a delay in getting materials.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with L. J. Banda for modernization of toilet facilities at the Boston Public Latin School, from May 31, 1955, to June 30, 1955. This extension was requested because of a delay in obtaining materials for flooring.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Sanatorium Division.

It is agreed that the words "ninety (90) calendar days" appearing in the contract between the City of Boston and Brisk Waterproofing Company, Inc., for pointing and waterproofing work on the nurses' home at the Sanatorium Division of the Boston City Hospital, dated December 29, 1954, be stricken out and the word and figures "June 30, 1955," be substituted in their place.

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It is agreed that the word and figures "February 15, 1955," appearing in the contract between the City of Boston and John F. Shea Company, Inc., for repairing roofs at the Sanatorium Division of the Boston City Hospital, dated November 10, 1954, as subsequently amended, be stricken out and the word and figures "September 15, 1955," be substituted in their place.

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It is agreed that the words "sixty (60) calendar days" appearing in the contract between the City of Boston and J. W. Gately Sons for replacing awnings damaged by hurricane at the Sanatorium Division of the Boston City Hospital, dated December 15, 1954, be stricken out and the word and figures "May 31, 1955," be substituted in their place.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

John McCourt Company has been granted an extension of time until July 1, 1955, for the completion of the contract for constructing bituminous concrete walks in the Public Garden.

John M. Gray has been granted an extension of time until June 15, 1955, for the completion of Article 13, of the contract, for architectural services for constructing a new laundry building and to alter the bathhouse, Dover street, Boston.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with the General Ship and Engine Works, Inc., 336 Border street, East Boston, for welding repairs to draw span of the Summer Street Bridge, over Reserved Channel, and Charlestown Bridge, over Charles River, from May 20, 1955, to June 1, 1955. This extension was requested because it was necessary to have the contractor make repairs not originally anticipated.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Joseph Amara & Son, 706 Hyde Park avenue, Roslindale, for sheet asphalt pavement in Falmouth street, Norway street, and St. Paul street, from May 21, 1955, to June 30, 1955. This extension was requested because the contractor was delayed by inclement weather during the period between the signing of the contract and the original specified completion date.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, occasioned by roadway construction in Cummins Highway, for a period estimated to be two (2) weeks, vehicles are excluded from the following street, effective May 27, 1955:

Canterbury Street, West Roxbury.
From Clare avenue to Cummins Highway.

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

Nicholas Karaglanes, 46 Princeton street, East Boston, in the sum of $363, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a broken piece of curbstone on Marion street, corner of Saratoga street, January 12, 1953.

Thomas F. Keating, Jr., 11 Phillips street, Boston, in the sum of $31, as compensation for damage to automobile caused by a hole in the highway opposite 52 Boylston street, Jamaica Plain, December 24, 1954.

George M. Karp, 59 Beaumont street, Dorchester, in the sum of $315, as compensation for damage to property in basement of above premises caused by the backing up of a sewer during the month of November, 1954.

Gladys Meehan, 70 Crest street, West Roxbury, in the sum of $125, as compensation for damage to property stored in cellar of above premises caused by the backing up of a sewer, June 24, 1954.

Francis J. Doyle, 15 Olmstead street, Jamaica Plain, to be reimbursed in the sum of $460, as expense incurred in hiring a contractor to excavate on his premises in order to locate the source of water which was entering a building owned by him at 12 Pond street, Jamaica Plain, the leak later being found outside the sidewalk on city property, June 15, 1954.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

AMENDMENT OF NOTICE.

MEDICAL SOCIAL WORKER, JUNE 29, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Wednesday, June 8, 1955.

This examination is held to establish eligible lists for the classification of medical social worker for local welfare departments in the larger municipalities of the Commonwealth. Certification will be made first from the eligible list of persons with domicile in the municipality. If no such list exists, certification will be made from the eligible list of persons with domicile in the Public Assistance District in which the municipality is located.

AMENDMENT.

The following information is in addition to that given in the original examination announcement, which was issued on May 11, 1955:

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

METROPOLITAN POLICE PATROLMAN, METROPOLITAN DISTRICT COMMISSION, JULY 15, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Friday, June 24, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $3,540 a year; the maximum salary is $4,260 a year.

Vacancies: From time to time.

Duties: The duties are those of a regular patrolman.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants shall be not less than twenty-two nor over thirty-five years of age at the time of filing application. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application *unless* one has been filed with a previous application.

Any veteran who will have attained the age of twenty-one within six months of the date of any scheduled examination for police service shall not be deemed ineligible for examination and appointment provided that he meets all other pertinent requirements of the Civil Service laws and regulations (chapter 287 of the Acts of 1947).

Veterans who had not reached the maximum age limit at the time of entering military or naval service will not be disqualified by reason of age, within five years after the date of honorable discharge. (Chapter 179, Acts of 1950.)

Applicants must be not less than 5 feet 8 inches in height and must meet minimum weight requirements according to the following table, in which height is given in inches in bare feet and weight in pounds without clothing:

68 inches — 135 pounds
69 inches — 140 pounds
70 inches — 145 pounds
71 inches — 150 pounds
72 inches — 155 pounds
73 inches — 160 pounds
74 inches — 165 pounds
75 inches — 170 pounds
76 inches — 175 pounds

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 3; practical questions, including memory test, general information, and Police Manual questions, 7; total, 10.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination and qualifying strength tests.

To become eligible, applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in the strength tests, but the mark will not be averaged with the educational mark.

Applicants must qualify in a 50-yard swimming test.

Certification Requirement: Possession of a Massachusetts motor vehicle operator's license.

The practical questions, other than the memory test and general information questions, will be based upon information contained in the current edition of the Police Manual prepared by the Director of Civil Service, which may be obtained from the Public Document Division, Room 116, State House, Boston, at 25 cents a copy. It is necessary that applicants obtain a copy of this manual and study it carefully.

Applicants must not bring manuals to the examination room.

Men and Women Residents, January 1, 1954, Including Supplementary List.

WARDS.	PRECINCTS.																						Totals.
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	
1	2,464	2,121	2,759	2,485	2,020	2,502	2,421	2,228	2,099	2,406	2,293	2,000	2,209	1,205	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	32,112
2	2,251	1,805	2,131	2,179	2,132	2,258	2,077	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14,836
3	2,657	2,487	2,112	2,120	2,417	2,556	2,159	2,290	2,813	3,026	3,252	3,066	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	31,555
4	3,110	2,683	2,102	2,878	3,031	2,267	2,476	2,126	2,471	1,719	.....	.....	..	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	25,163
5	3,331	1,880	2,727	2,121	2,944	3,302	3,931	2,782	2,485	1,717	1,706	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	28,959
6	2,289	2,160	2,079	1,997	1,848	1,769	1,868	1,746	1,556	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17,312
7	1,821	2,296	2,088	2,127	2,135	2,387	1,959	2,016	1,317	2,089	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20,268
8	1,785	3,173	1,623	1,958	1,978	1,408	2,166	2,379	1,290	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18,060
9	2,641	3,243	2,646	2,512	1,662	1,737	1,645	808	1,934	1,412	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20,240
10	1,907	1,970	1,998	2,059	1,977	2,083	1,623	2,088	2,134	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17,839
11	2,387	1,798	1,972	2,176	2,091	1,674	1,715	2,076	1,375	1,810	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	19,071
12	2,310	1,894	2,048	2,185	2,246	2,272	2,267	1,839	1,737	1,620	2,069	1,695	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	24,212
13	1,161	1,187	1,511	1,513	1,370	1,139	975	1,120	783	967	1,007	881	1,161	1,074	1,144	1,212	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18,208
14	2,711	1,942	2,321	2,312	2,219	2,189	2,140	1,871	2,366	1,352	1,909	1,751	1,841	2,093	2,126	1,427	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	32,600
15	1,259	1,198	1,176	1,090	1,056	1,093	1,049	1,070	1,150	1,202	1,137	1,168	1,019	1,108	1,300	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17,075
16	1,181	1,439	1,099	1,067	1,170	1,172	1,175	1,072	1,029	1,022	1,056	1,114	1,260	1,095	1,324	1,113	1,025	962	1,062	934	.....	.....	22,374
17	984	1,024	940	1,163	968	900	1,125	1,295	1,277	1,022	1,190	1,283	1,245	1,245	1,318	1,168	995	917	1,058	1,167	.....	.....	22,284
18	2,513	1,432	1,639	1,087	1,293	1,583	1,321	1,546	1,960	1,225	2,110	1,633	1,158	1,189	1,388	1,308	2,463	1,525	1,451	1,562	1,387	.....	32,803
19	1,336	1,149	1,049	1,462	1,492	1,249	1,335	1,097	939	1,118	1,300	1,304	1,256	896	1,049	1,652	1,247	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20,930
20	1,163	1,095	999	1,043	1,077	1,855	915	1,041	1,132	1,474	1,062	1,102	1,170	1,238	1,538	1,925	1,703	1,119	1,326	1,771	1,234	1,087	28,069
21	2,360	1,837	2,116	1,859	2,125	1,463	1,140	3,244	2,465	1,732	2,497	1,665	1,477	1,380	1,870	1,484	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	30,714
22	1,019	1,241	1,216	1,087	1,431	1,204	1,085	1,193	1,725	1,651	1,338	1,177	1,144	1,276	1,196	1,375	1,732	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	22,120
Grand Total																							516,807

Registered Voters (Men and Women), State Election, November 2, 1954.

WARDS.	PRECINCTS.																						Totals.
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	
1	1,685	1,603	1,825	1,545	1,682	1,732	1,617	1,610	1,505	1,763	1,846	1,717	1,657	822	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	22,699
2	1,191	1,407	1,672	1,689	1,636	1,606	1,521	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11,025
3	1,582	1,657	1,610	1,667	1,342	1,516	1,261	1,371	1,181	1,088	1,341	1,427	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17,349
4	1,507	1,559	1,050	1,262	1,762	1,538	1,461	1,589	1,607	1,078	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14,416
5	1,709	1,091	1,602	1,169	1,763	1,938	2,157	1,560	1,553	1,171	1,161	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16,874
6	1,626	1,553	1,411	1,379	1,380	1,461	1,480	1,395	1,193	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13,181
7	1,543	1,698	1,597	1,586	1,580	1,775	1,723	1,526	1,572	1,619	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16,249
8	1,219	1,622	927	1,332	1,394	931	1,479	1,536	901	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11,374
9	1,268	1,521	1,357	1,660	1,075	978	1,012	501	1,188	914	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11,474
10	1,574	1,513	1,562	1,481	1,481	1,584	1,103	1,515	1,741	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13,557
11	1,180	1,336	1,261	1,556	1,508	1,249	1,303	1,617	1,067	1,483	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13,893
12	1,449	1,157	1,338	1,470	1,302	1,166	1,607	1,261	1,309	1,150	1,690	1,392	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16,594
13	739	844	1,052	938	1,012	891	781	904	670	729	761	692	951	874	920	1,007	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13,738
14	1,757	1,397	1,791	1,792	1,728	1,563	1,695	1,118	1,829	1,061	1,531	1,359	1,490	1,686	1,750	1,089	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	24,936
15	1,000	948	953	823	825	892	890	876	940	948	948	960	807	765	926	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13,501
16	938	1,036	918	871	1,004	966	933	895	798	881	938	978	965	893	923	940	906	878	925	825	.....	.....	18,411
17	808	769	731	903	801	745	920	1,016	969	821	1,013	1,058	992	961	1,151	942	847	805	895	1,029	.....	.....	18,176
18	2,222	1,115	1,345	924	1,110	1,289	1,015	1,262	1,667	996	1,672	1,313	918	929	1,160	1,087	2,103	1,136	1,117	1,253	1,158	.....	26,851
19	1,023	955	888	1,035	1,097	935	916	966	781	880	1,100	1,101	1,019	750	890	1,339	1,055	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16,733
20	993	891	839	881	923	1,613	806	879	960	1,205	922	979	1,034	1,118	1,243	1,497	1,486	977	1,196	1,393	1,043	883	23,764
21	1,392	1,134	1,551	1,197	1,480	1,078	856	2,331	1,746	1,435	1,996	1,313	1,215	1,007	1,410	1,149	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	22,290
22	761	942	876	839	1,012	918	900	895	1,427	1,234	1,052	958	999	1,042	982	1,152	1,487	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	17,506
Grand Total																							374,591

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 2,050.

Acting under provisions of chapter 521, Acts of 1922, as amended, and in conformity with General Laws, chapter 32, section 94 (Heart Bill), the Boston Retirement Board has approved for retirement, on account of accidental disability, the following-named police officer, effective at the close of business, Tuesday, May 31, 1955.

In view of this operation of law, after May 31, 1955, the said police officer shall no longer be an active member of this department, and it is hereby ordered that its records be so amended.

Patrolman Francis J. Kelly, Division 6.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,051.

The resignation of Patrolman James J. Baggett of Division 14 having been presented, it is hereby accepted, to take effect on Wednesday, June 1, 1955, at 7.45 o'clock A.M., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,052.

The resignation of Patrolman Francis M. Hoey of Division 16 having been presented, it is hereby accepted, to take effect on Tuesday, May 31, 1955, at 5.45 o'clock P.M., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

Special Order No. 37.

May 27, 1955.

From: The Chief of Department.
To: Deputy Fire Chiefs, Divisions 1, 2.

I. SUBJECT: NEW REQUIREMENTS ON RANGE AND/OR SPACE HEATERS.

Circulars are being distributed to all districts relative to the requirement of an antiflooding device on new range and/or space heaters installed on or after June 1, 1955.

At the present time, two valves have been approved for use, *i.e.*, the Glidden Safe-T-Flow Valve, manufactured by Worcester Taper Pin Company, and the A-P Controls Valve, Model 255A, manufactured by the A-P Controls Corporation, Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

It is expected that other valves will be available in the near future. When they are, the department will be notified.

Copies of the notice to installers are available on request to Oil Burner Inspector James McPherson, Fire Prevention Division. The effective date should read June 1, 1955, instead of March 1, 1955.

II. SUBJECT: MEMORIAL DAY.

The Band and Color Guard will take part in Memorial Day exercises on Monday, May 30, 1955. Members shall report to Acting Band Manager Joseph Schein in Hyde square, Jamaica Plain, at 9 A.M. Members on the previous night tour of duty will be excused at 6 A.M., members will be excused from the day tour of duty on the 30th.

III. SUBJECT: IN-SERVICE INSPECTION NOTICES.

Accompanying this order, small printed notification slips are being furnished to the department today. These slips are self-explanatory. They are to be left at dwellings where occupants fail to answer the door bell, and it is not possible to enter and inspect.

A record shall be kept by the company officer of all dwellings where notification slips are left, and an effort should be made to inspect such dwellings at a later date.

Deputy Fire Chiefs shall distribute the slips to the various districts in their divisions.

IV. SUBJECT: ANNUAL SUPPLY OF HOUSE JOURNALS.

The annual supply of house journals will be delivered to the various houses of the department during the week of May 30, 1955.

The officer in charge of each house at the time of delivery is requested to sign the receipt given him by the messenger, acknowledging receipt of the journals.

By order of JOHN V. STAPLETON,
Chief of Department.

STATE-BOSTON, CHAPTER 90, HIGHWAY RECONSTRUCTION.

Sealed proposals for HIGHWAY WORK on Neponset avenue (Dorchester) will be received at Room 427, 100 Nashua street, Boston, Mass., until 2 P.M. of Tuesday, June 14, 1955, then to be publicly opened and read. Plans and proposal forms: $5, amount returnable only to bidders. Proposal guaranty: $3,000. Minimum wage and dump truck rates are set. Full information at above address; plans on display at district offices of State Department of Public Works. Right reserved to reject any or all proposals.

JOHN B. HYNES,
(June 4.) *Mayor of Boston.*

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CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING HOSPITAL EQUIPMENT.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Wednesday, June 15, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Hospital Equipment." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(June 4.) *Purchasing Agent.*

READVERTISEMENT.

This Advertisement Supersedes Invitation for Proposals Published in "City Record," May 14, 1955.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

HIGHWAY RECONSTRUCTION WORK.

PROPOSALS FOR SHEET ASPHALT PAVEMENT IN

Arlington Street, Ward 5, from St. James Avenue to Columbus Avenue;

Huntington Avenue, Ward 4, from Massachusetts Avenue to Ruggles Street;

Massachusetts Avenue, Wards 4 and 9, from St. Stephen Street to Columbus Avenue;

Stuart Street, Ward 5, from Arlington Street to Church Street;

—and—

Such Additional Locations, If Any, in Wards 4, 5, and 9, As May Be Designated by the Commissioner of Public Works.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sheet asphalt pavement in Arlington street, Ward 5, etc. A bond will he required for doing the work of a surety company approved hy the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may he obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sheet Asphalt Pavement in Arlington Street, Ward 5, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, JUNE 9, 1955, with a certified check for THIRTY-THREE HUNDRED (3,300) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then he publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must he made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to he deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the hids. All proposals must he from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be ahnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to he paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined hy the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Puhlic Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems hest.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(June 4.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

George F. Murphy, 17 McNulty court, Charlestown, in the sum of $25, as compensation for damage to automobile caused by a hole in the highway on Bunker Hill street, near Lexington avenue, February 11, 1955.

Julius Duckston, 1069 Boylston street, Boston, in the sum of $495, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk on Clearway street, near Massachusetts avenue, December 6, 1951.

CITY OF BOSTON.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT (SANATORIUM DIVISION).

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR REPAIRING FREIGHT ELEVATOR IN KITCHEN BUILDING AT THE SANATORIUM DIVISION OF THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL, 249 RIVER STREET, MATTAPAN, MASS.

The City of Boston, by the Board of Trustees, Hospital Department, and of the Boston City Hospital, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for repairing freight elevator in kitchen building at the Sanatorium Division of the Boston City Hospital, 249 River street, Mattapan, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Tuesday, June 21, 1955, at the office of the Assistant Superintendent of the Sanatorium Division, 249 River street, Mattapan, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained at the office of the Assistant Superintendent of the Sanatorium Division, 249 River street, Mattapan, Mass. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed and enclosed in an envelope, sealed, and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

Specifications may be obtained after 12 o'clock noon on Monday, June 6, 1955, at the office of the Assistant Superintendent of the Sanatorium Division, 249 River street, Mattapan, Mass.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of two hundred and fifty (250) dollars, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed at the office of the Assistant Superintendent, Sanatorium Division, 249 River street, Mattapan, Mass. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under the contract.

A performance bond, and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority, and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price, will be required of the successful bidder.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities, and to reject any or all bids, if it be in the public interest to do so, in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, AND OF THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL.
RICHARD J. CONDON,
(June 4.) *President.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

HIGHWAY RECONSTRUCTION WORK.

Proposals for Bituminous Concrete Pavement in Pond Street, Ward 19, from Avon Street to Mt. Walley Avenue.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for bituminous concrete pavement in Pond street, Ward 19, from Avon street to Mt. Walley avenue. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Bituminous Concrete Pavement in Pond Street, Ward 19, from Avon Street to Mt. Walley Avenue," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, JUNE 23, 1955, with a certified check for ONE THOUSAND (1,000) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(June 4.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

No. 100—591.
D.E.I.
CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING TWO (2) AIR COMPRESSORS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Tuesday, June 14, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Air Compressors." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(June 1.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

HIGHWAY RECONSTRUCTION WORK; INSTALLATION OF TRAFFIC DIVISIONAL ISLANDS AND SIDEWALK NARROWING.

PROPOSALS FOR SHEET ASPHALT PAVEMENT AND INSTALLATION OF TRAFFIC DIVISIONAL ISLANDS AND SIDEWALK NARROWING IN

Dock Square, Ward 3;
— and —
Installation of Traffic Divisional Islands and Sidewalk Narrowing in Blue Hill Avenue and Talbot Avenue, Ward 14;
— and —
Sidewalk Narrowing in Albany Street, Ward 3, Near Randolph Street;
Boylston Street, Ward 5, at Arlington Street;
Old Colony Avenue and Columbia Road, Ward 7;
Washington Street, Ward 11, from Morton Street to Asticou Road;
— and —
Roadway Widening in Brookline Avenue, Ward 4, from Fenway to Park Drive.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sheet asphalt pavement and installation of traffic divisional islands and sidewalk narrowing in Dock square, Ward 3, etc. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sheet Asphalt Pavement and Installation of Traffic Divisional Islands and Sidewalk Narrowing in Dock Square, Ward 3, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, JUNE 23, 1955, with a certified check for THREE THOUSAND (3,000) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(June 4.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

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CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING ONE (1) WALK-IN DEEP FREEZE REFRIGERATOR AND MECHANICAL REFRIGERATING EQUIPMENT FOR THE SANATORIUM DIVISION, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Thursday, June 16, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Refrigerator and Mechanical Refrigerating Equipment." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(June 4.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

CHANGES IN TRAFFIC RULES AND REGULATIONS.

Voted, That the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective June 13, 1955:

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out the following:

Access Street, Charlestown.
Both sides, from Chelsea street to Water street, 24 hours.
Bailey Street, Dorchester.
North side, from Dorchester avenue to a point four hundred (400) feet west of Dorchester avenue, 24 hours.
Chelsea Street, Charlestown.
Southeast side, from City square to Bunker Hill street, 24 hours.
Henley Street, Charlestown.
Both sides, from Navy Yard gate to Chelsea street, 24 hours.
Nashua Street, Boston Proper.
Northeast side, from Causeway street to a point two hundred (200) feet northwest of Causeway street, 24 hours.
Southwest side, from Causeway street to Charles street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.
Newbury Street, Roxbury.
Both sides, from Massachusetts avenue to a point two hundred and twenty-five (225) feet easterly, 24 hours.
North side, from Massachusetts avenue to Charlesgate East, 24 hours.
Parker Street, Roxbury.
East side, from Ruggles street to Ward street, 24 hours.
Prentiss Street, Roxbury.
Northeast side, from Tremont street to Columbus avenue, 24 hours.
Ruggles Street, Roxbury.
North side, from Washington street to Shawmut avenue, 24 hours.
Wapping Street, Charlestown.
Both sides, from Chelsea street to Water street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," each of the following:

Nashua Street.
Northeast side, from Causeway street to a point eight hundred and fifty-five (855) feet northwest of Causeway street, 24 hours.
St. James Avenue.
South side, from Clarendon street to a point fifty (50) feet west of Clarendon street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," and under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Northampton Street.
Northeast side, from Harrison avenue to Albany street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Charlestown," each of the following:

Chelsea Street.
Southeast side, from City square to John F. Fitzgerald Expressway, 24 hours.
Southeast side, from John F. Fitzgerald Expressway to Bunker Hill street, 24 hours.
Henley Street.
Both sides, from the Naval Shipyard gate to John F. Fitzgerald Expressway, 24 hours.
Wapping Street.
Both sides, from John F. Fitzgerald Expressway to Water street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," each of the following:

Bailey Street.
North side, from Dorchester avenue to a point four hundred (400) feet west of Dorchester avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Cummins Highway.
Southwest side, from the northwesterly end of the bridge over the Midland Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad to Hollingsworth street, 24 hours.
East Cottage Street.
North side, from Norfolk avenue to opposite the easterly street line of Humphreys street, 24 hours.
Norfolk Avenue.
Northeast side, from East Cottage street to Franklin court, 24 hours.
Sharp Street.
North side, from Sharp street, northerly arm (private way), to the Dorchester Rapid Transit, 24 hours.
Sydney Street.
East side, from Savin Hill avenue to a point seventy-five (75) feet north of Savin Hill avenue, 24 hours.
Whitby Terrace.
Northwest side, from Pleasant street to the dead end, 24 hours.
Willow Court.
Northwest side, from Massachusetts avenue to a point fifty-five (55) feet northeast of Massachusetts avenue, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," each of the following:

Hollander Street.
South side, from Humboldt avenue to Crawford street, 24 hours.
Newbury Street.
North side, from a point two hundred and seventy (270) feet east of Massachusetts avenue to Charlesgate East, 24 hours.
South side, from a point two hundred and twenty-five (225) feet east of Massachusetts avenue to Massachusetts avenue, 24 hours.
Parker Street.
East side, from Ruggles street to Prentiss street, 24 hours.
Prentiss Street.
Northeast side, from Tremont street to Parker street, 24 hours.
Ruggles Street.
Both sides, from Washington street to Shawmut avenue, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by striking out the following:

Nashua Street, Boston Proper.
Southwest side, from Causeway street to circle at Charles River Dam, 10 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from a point two hundred (200) feet northwest of Causeway street to circle at Charles River Dam, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Newbury Street, Boston Proper and Roxbury.
Both sides, from Arlington street to a point two hundred and twenty-five (225) feet east of Massachusetts avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
St. James Avenue, Boston Proper.
South side, from Arlington street to Trinity place, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," each of the following:

Nashua Street.
Northeast side, from a point eight hundred and fifty-five (855) feet northwest of Causeway street to opposite Exit Ramp of John F. Fitzgerald Expressway, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Causeway street to Exit Ramp of John F. Fitzgerald Expressway, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
St. James Avenue.
South side, from Arlington street to Clarendon street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from a point fifty (50) feet west of Clarendon street to Trinity place, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the captions "Boston Proper," and "Roxbury," the following:

Newbury Street.
North side, from Arlington street to a point two hundred and seventy (270) feet east of Massachusetts avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Arlington street to a point two hundred and twenty-five (225) feet east of Massachusetts avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by striking out the following:

Access Street, Charlestown.
From Henley street to Chelsea street.
Calumet Street, Roxbury.
From Tremont street to Pequot street.
Chelsea Street, Charlestown.
From City square to Bunker Hill street.
Endicott Street, Boston Proper.
From Cross street to Cooper street.
Henley Street, Charlestown.
From Chelsea street to Access street.
Joiner Street, Charlestown.
From Water street to John F. Fitzgerald Expressway.
Lowney Way, Charlestown.
From Bunker Hill street to Mt. Vernon street.
Nashua Street, Boston Proper.
From the John F. Fitzgerald Expressway Service road to the circle at Charles River Dam.
Public Alley No. 405, Roxbury.
From St. Botolph street to Huntington avenue.
Ruggles Street, Roxbury.
From Tremont street to Washington street.
Wapping Street, Charlestown.
From Chelsea street to Water street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," the following:

Nashua Street.
From Exit Ramp of John F. Fitzgerald Expressway to the circle at Charles River Dam.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Charlestown," each of the following:

Joiner Street.
From Chelsea street to John F. Fitzgerald Expressway.
Wapping Street.
From John F. Fitzgerald Expressway to Water street.
Water Street.
From Wapping street to Water Street Connection of John F. Fitzgerald Expressway.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," each of the following:

Public Alley No. 405.
From Huntington avenue to St. Botolph street.
Ruggles Street.
From Tremont street to Shawmut avenue.

Article VI, Section 11 (Only Right Turn Movements Permitted), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Calumet Street.
Into Tremont street, easterly.

WM. ARTHUR REILLY,
Commissioner.

A true copy.
Attest:
W. T. DOYLE, *Executive Secretary.*
(June 4-11.)

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FIFTY-EIGHT LIFEGUARDS APPROVED BY MAYOR HYNES TO PATROL BEACHES AND POOLS UNDER PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT CONTROL DURING SUMMER MONTHS—SEASON STARTED JUNE 1 AND CONTINUES TO SEPTEMBER 15.

Mayor Hynes has approved the request of Frank R. Kelley, chairman of the Parks and Recreation Department, for the appointment of 58 lifeguards at $50.50 a week to patrol the beaches and park pools for the summer for the protection of lives. These guards are to be employed from June 1 to September 15. The list includes the following:

Peter J. Anastasi, 47 Charter street.
John B. Balmforth, 6 Sterling square, South Boston.
Francis E. Buckley, 582 East Fifth street, South Boston.
William T. Burke, 20 Nottingham street, Dorchester.

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NO AMENDMENTS TO COMPENSATION PLAN FOR SUFFOLK COUNTY EMPLOYEES UNTIL SURVEY NOW IN PROGRESS IS COMPLETED—MAYOR HYNES SENDS INFORMATION ON MATTER TO CITY COUNCIL.

The following correspondence has gone forward from the office of the Mayor:

To the City Council.

GENTLEMEN:

In response to the City Council order dated May 23, 1955, concerning the proposed amendment for the officers of Suffolk County Jail, I send you herewith a communication from the Supervisor of Personnel in which it is stated that no amendments to the Compensation Plan should be made until a complete survey is made of the county employees' situation.

Respectfully,

J. B. HYNES, *Mayor.*

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DEAR SIR:

Council order dated May 23, 1955, requesting the Mayor to take immediate steps to amend the Compensation Plan for officers of Suffolk County Jail by

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MAYOR JOHN B. HYNES PAYS HIGH AND REVERENT TRIBUTE TO VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS—DELIVERS MEMORIAL DAY ADDRESS AT CEDAR GROVE CEMETERY DURING EXERCISES UNDER AUSPICES OF LOWER MILLS POST 8699.

The following are the remarks of his Honor the Mayor, John B. Hynes, at the Memorial Day exercises, May 29, 1955, before the Lower Mills Post 8699, V.F.W., at Cedar Grove Cemetery:

It is a great honor to participate in the memorial exercises under the auspices of the Dorchester Lower Mills Post of the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Today we re-enact a scene which has been traditional for almost one hundred years in our land, and today, in thousands of resting places throughout our country, we fittingly pay reverent homage to all those who marched beneath the emblem of the free — and who now, please God, are happy in the Valhalla of the brave.

Memorial Day is a day of recollection and recapitulation; a day when the stark realities of life — and death — stand out boldly and clearly; a day when we bridge the chasm between the past and the present and set our sights on the future.

It is a day when the lessons we have learned at the cost of suffering and sacrifice and bloodshed should be re-examined. To do this in a few brief minutes is obviously impossible. Let it suffice for me to state that, even though we have taken up arms on seven occasions, we are not a warlike people or nation.

Never Fought for Material Gain.

Never once have we borne arms for material gain — never once have we sought to dominate, subjugate, or enslave any other nation.

On each occasion when we have taken up arms we have fought to protect and to preserve the God-given rights of man. By every rule of good behavior among nations, by every rule of international law, we should be recognized for what we are — a nation of peaceful-minded people, with no lurking ambition to deprive other people of their substance, with no thought of inflicting our will upon any other people or any other nation.

We must recognize, however, that there are nations in this world —a world getting ever smaller — which are openly antagonistic to the principles upon which our country is founded, and these nations and their satellites would like nothing better than to see the United States of America fall of its own weight. And this is the threat, the danger, and the remote possibility that faces you and me today.

No Reason to Fear.

We can meet attack by attack. We can meet power with power; and strength with strength. We have no reason to fear the rattling of the sword by any other nation or empire.

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"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean;
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, June 13, at 2 P.M.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries, or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the Complaints Division, Room 25, City Hall.

Information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways, the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments of streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped area for streets and the opening of private ways; the making of specific repairs in public streets; the naming of public streets, including the use of public ways for location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railways, coal holes, and vaults, may be secured from the Public Improvement Commission, Room 403, City Hall Annex.

TO THE BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION, 112 Southampton street, for information relative to regulation of vehicular street traffic on all or any streets, ways, highways, roads, and parkways under the control of the City of Boston, the issuing of all permits in connection therewith.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting, and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catchbasins, the operation of Sumner Tunnel, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges, and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Haymarket Square, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish, and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughterhouses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases, of public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth Avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park, and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts, also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview, and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

TO THE DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS, 28 Norman street, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

TO THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 907, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal, or tearing down buildings.

TO THE ELECTRICAL INSPECTION DIVISION OF THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT, 1001 City Hall Annex, for all information relative to the erection of poles, building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division; also for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings of the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

TO THE BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT, 43 City Hall, relative to changes in the boundary lines of zoning districts of the City of Boston as established by chapter 488 of the Acts of 1924, and amendments thereto.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending June 4, 1955.

Population as of July, 1950, Massachusetts State Census, 817,713; population estimated July, 1954, United States Census Bureau, 810,633; number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 141; nonresidents, 70; total, 211.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 13.46; nonresidents deducted, 8.97.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:

Last week, 14.35; corresponding week last year, 16.27.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 15; one year to four years, inclusive, 6; sixty years and over, 122. Total deaths: Male, 122; female, 89; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 150.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended June 4, 1955.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended June 5, 1954.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior Poliomyelitis	—	—	—	—
Diphtheria	—	—	1	—
Encephalitis Lethargica	—	—	—	—
Influenza	—	—	—	—
Measles	7	1	453	—
Meningitis Epidemic	—	—	1	—
Pneumonia (lobar)	—	1	—	—
Scarlet Fever	46	—	16	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary)	24	2	19	3
Childhood Type Tuberculosis	—	—	—	—
Tuberculosis (other forms)	—	—	3	—
Typhoid Fever	—	—	—	—
Whooping Cough	4	—	1	1

* Residents and nonresidents included.

1,765 VETERANS' CASES BENEFITED DURING MONTH OF MARCH, WITH 3,469 INDIVIDUALS SHARING IN EXPENDITURES — EXPENSES INCREASED $32,239.47 OVER THOSE OF SAME MONTH IN 1954 — 185 CASES CLOSED BY REASON OF EMPLOYMENT AND OTHER FAVORABLE CONDITIONS.

Expenditures for veterans' benefits for the month of March this year show an increase of $32,239.47 over those of the same period in 1954, according to the statement issued by Commissioner Victor C. Bynoe, and presented to Mayor John B. Hynes. There were 1,765 cases aided during that period, representing a total of 3,469 individuals. There were 185 cases closed. The statement reads as follows:

BOSTON, May 31, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

SIR:

I have the honor to submit the report of the Veterans' Services Department for the month of March, 1955.

Very truly yours,

VICTOR C. BYNOE, *Commissioner.*

Expenditures for March, 1955.

	Civil War	Spanish War	Mexican War	World War I	World War II	Korean War	Totals
Regular Rolls	$192 20	$2,155 18	$389 00	$26,840 48	$68,360 52	$5,529 00	$103,466 38
Emergency	—	35 00	—	1,067 50	7,278 00	1,463 50	9,844 00
Bills	—	716 55	4 00	3,317 70	8,161 24	114 25	12,313 74
Burials	—	—	—	725 75	694 00	279 50	1,699 25
Hospital	854 00	70 00	—	6,501 00	17,746 00	2,029 00	27,200 00
Supplementary	—	—	—	558 66	3,866 11	498 50	4,923 27
Totals	$1,046 20	$2,976 73	$393 00	$39,011 09	$106,105 87	$9,913 75	$159,446 64

Relief Expenditures Comparison.

	Mar. 1955	Feb. 1955	Mar. 1954
Civil War	$192 20	$192 20	$197 20
Spanish	2,155 18	2,207 12	2,386 16
Mexican	389 00	358 00	392 00
World War I	26,840 48	26,960 98	25,260 76
World War II	68,360 52	66,686 97	51,020 15
Korean	5,529 00	4,559 00	1,975 00
Emergency	9,844 00	9,109 00	8,785 75
Burials	1,699 25	950 00	—
Bills	12,313 74	9,779 70	9,091 01
Hospital	27,200 00	4,592 00	16,172 00
Supplementary	4,923 27	9,179 33	11,927 14
	$159,446 64	$134,574 30	$127,207 17

Total Cases Aided.

	Mar. 1955	Feb. 1955	Mar. 1954
Civil War	5	5	6
Spanish	58	71	64
Mexican	5	5	5
World War I	564	563	544
World War II	1,025	997	848
Korean	108	94	59
	1,765	1,735	1,526

There were 185 cases closed during the month of March, 1955, because of obtaining employment, having been awarded unemployment compensation, receiving social security, and becoming ineligible to receive financial assistance for miscellaneous other reasons.

Very truly yours,

VICTOR C. BYNOE, *Commissioner.*

NO AMENDMENTS TO COMPENSATION PLAN PENDING SURVEY.

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changing the grade of the officers and officers with specialties by two compensation grades, is returned herewith.

Under dates of November 2, 1954, and November 29, 1954, in response to orders passed by the City Council amending the County Compensation Plan to increase the salary grades of jail officers and correction officers, I submitted reports, in accordance with the provisions of the statutes, to the City Council stating that it was my opinion that a survey should be made of the duties and responsibilities of the officers in question before any recommendations were approved increasing the grade.

The Council, nevertheless, passed these orders and submitted them to the Mayor, who vetoed them, using as his reason practically the same basis as contained in my reports to the City Council. The survey has been completed, and the results indicate that an increase of two compensation grades is not justified. The survey also disclosed other conditions which would indicate that any change in the compensation of these officers would probably disrupt the existing proportion between other positions in the County of Suffolk.

It has been decided, therefore, that a survey should be made of all other positions included in the Classification and Compensation Plans for the Officers and Employees of Suffolk County. It is intended to start this survey immediately, so that it may be completed as soon as possible. In my opinion, therefore, I believe that no amendments should be made to the Compensation Plan for Suffolk County until this survey has been completed.

Very truly yours,

JOHN A. SULLIVAN,
Supervisor of Personnel.

MAYOR HYNES APPROVES APPOINTMENT OF FIFTY-EIGHT LIFEGUARDS.

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Walter E. Mortimer, 10 Tufts street, Charlestown.
Martin F. Mulkern, 46 Stellman road, Roslindale.
James E. O'Leary, 98 Elm street, Charlestown.
Paul K. O'Leary, 445 West Fourth street, South Boston.
Alfred L. Orlandi, 4 Michelangelo street.
Philip J. Petrocelli, 53 Myrtlebank avenue, Dorchester.
John Pretzie, 70 Francis street, Roxbury.
Charles F. Ray, 914 East Broadway, South Boston.
William T. Rogers, 237 Quincy street, Roxbury.
Richard H. Rose, 32 Monument avenue, Charlestown.
Joel Rudom, 77 Kingsdale street, Dorchester.
Ronald R. Simpson, 42 Mystic street, Charlestown.
Thomas F. Smith, Jr., 33 Corey street, Charlestown.
James M. Stafford, 30 High street, Charlestown.
Karl M. Stone, 247 Chambers street.
Edward A. Sullivan, 132 Dale street, Roxbury.
Joseph F. Toomey, 41 M street, South Boston.
Louis A. Vangel, 24 Kingsboro park, Jamaica Plain.
Frank J. Vita, 57 Polk street, Charlestown.
Richard A. Vita, 57 Polk street, Charlestown.
John F. Walsh, 442 East Eighth street, South Boston.
Joseph J. Zarba, 493 Hanover street.

TRANSFER OF APPROPRIATION.

The Mayor has approved the following request for transfer of appropriation:

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.
Wayfarers' Lodge.

From 498, Insurance, $144, to 299, Inspection Services, $144.

CIRCULAR LETTER NO. 15.

CITY OF BOSTON,
MAYOR'S OFFICE, June 3, 1955.

To All Department Heads.
GENTLEMEN:

You are hereby directed to grant leave of absence, without loss of pay, to employees of your department who are duly-elected delegates and alternates of the Disabled American Veterans, Department of Massachusetts, in order that they may attend their annual State and National conventions.

State Convention, Boston, Mass., July 14, 15, 16, 17, 1955.

National Convention, DesMoines, Iowa, August 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 1955.

Respectfully,

JOHN B. HYNES, *Mayor.*

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 2,053.

The following-named officer having requested retirement under the provisions of the Statutes of 1892, chapter 353, as amended, for the reason that he is incapacitated, it is hereby

Ordered, His Honor the Mayor having approved the same, that he be retired from active service in the Police Department, effective Wednesday, June 1, 1955, at 7.45 o'clock A.M.:

Sergt. William T. J. Ross, Traffic Division, 35 years of service.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,054.

Patrolman Robert J. Fitzgibbons, City Prison, honorably discharged veteran, having arrived at the age of fifty-eight years, having been in service of Boston Police Department for thirty-one years, and having requested retirement under provisions of section 58, chapter 32, General Laws (Ter. Edit.), as amended, it is hereby

Ordered, His Honor the Mayor having approved the same, Patrolman Robert J. Fitzgibbons will be retired from active duty in the Police Department, effective Tuesday, June 7, 1955, at 5.45 o'clock P.M.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,055.

The following-named officer having requested retirement under the provisions of the Statutes of 1892, chapter 353, as amended, for the reason that he is incapacitated, it is hereby

Ordered, His Honor the Mayor having approved the same, that he be retired from active service in the Police Department, effective Friday, June 3, 1955, at 7.45 o'clock A.M.:

Patrolman Charles D. Anderson, City Prison, 34 years of service.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

MAYOR HYNES MEMORIAL DAY ADDRESS.

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We do have reason to be concerned, however, with our own state of mind, and with the growing tendency in our land to avoid armed conflict at any price—even to the extent of attempting to appease those who will never be appeased until and unless we throw up the sponge, and thusly become traitors to our heritage and traitors to those whose memories we revere on this Memorial Day.

There is a plague sweeping the world today—not the kind of plague of olden days, which destroyed the bone and sinew of men and snuffed out their lives. The modern-day plague is more subtle—but far more deadly—for it seeks to destroy the soul of all humanity. It seeks to destroy our ideals, our adherence to principle, our love of individual freedom. It seeks to drive from our hearts any devotion to the God who created man and all things.

This is the pernicious, insidious philosophy of materialism, paganism, atheism. This is the modern-day fifth column, the modern-day Trojan horse, the modern-day plague that can bring America to its knees far more effectively than a frontal attack by armed might.

GREATEST DANGER WITHIN.

And so, my friends, I leave this thought with you on this day of poignant and touching memory. The greatest danger to our land stems from within our land itself. If we are going to join that growing cult whose God is materialism, if we are going to give obeisance and worship to the golden calf; if we are going to be lulled into a state of narcotic stupor because of the false doctrine that happiness through material gains and paganistic pleasures is all that matters—then we are subject to every appeasement wind that blows and, worse still, we are digging a grave for this great civilization of ours which so many who have gone before have died to preserve.

Let us then, and especially on this day of wholesome memory, resolve that we shall not let the powerful, poisonous plague of atheism, with its twin counterparts, materialism and paganism, find root in our hearts, or in the soil of our land.

America the beautiful will always be America the beautiful if we, and those who follow us, will but remember that no nation can long live, and no people can long prosper, when the golden calf takes the place of God Himself in the altars of our hearts.

Since the very birth of our nation we have acknowledged the supremacy of God and we have accepted His precepts and His laws as higher and more binding than man-made laws. If we have the same faith as our forefathers, and if we, too, steer clear of the false philosophies that sap our strength and weaken our national character, we shall be doing our part, in our day and in our generation, to make our country in the days and generations to come the great, lasting home of freedom and liberty and justice, for which the men we pay homage to today were willing to suffer and die.

May God in His infinite justice be merciful to all our departed brothers.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following personnel changes:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

The following-named have been appointed assistant assessors, part time, at $263.18 a month:

John J. McColgan, 17 Dawes street, Dorchester; Maurice F. Joyce, 41 Wycliff avenue, West Roxbury; Francis X. Cuddy, 10 Hooper street, Dorchester; Bernard F. Shadrawy, 830 Beacon street.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

For the week ending May 24:

The following weekly nurses have been appointed:

Permanent.—Louise Blanchard, 31 Eaton street, East Milton, floor nurse, $45 a week; Barbara (Waterman) Forrey, 699 Massachusetts avenue, Patricia Horron, 43 Magdala street, Dorchester, floor nurses, $60.50 a week; Helen Malvarez, 23 Hendry street, Dorchester, floor nurse, $65.50 a week; Jeanne Papineau, 736 Washington street, Dedham, $76.50 a week.

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Marie Allen, 51 Cherry street, Malden, 7 days; Esther Bandlow, 5 Reddy avenue, Hyde Park, Ann Cavallo, 28 Norton street, Dorchester, 2 days; Ruby Childs, 270 Huntington avenue, Roxbury, Gertrude Clark, 13 Rosa street, Hyde Park, Sophie Cotter 173 Vine Rock street, Dedham, 5 days; Marselyn Curry, 64 Rosseter street, Dorchester, Patricia Camriand, 41 Falmouth street, 2 days; Dorothy Currie, 283 Chestnut avenue, Jamaica Plain, 6 days; Adele Daly, 30 Aspinwall avenue, North Weymouth, 7 days; Norma Dean, 696 Massachusetts avenue, 1 day; Jean Darrough, 568 East Sixth street, South Boston, 3 days; Eleanor Duffley, 35 Edwin street, Dorchester, 2 days; Catherine Dorman, 64 Cliff avenue, Winthrop, 1 day; Yolander Evans, 126 Waverly street, Everett, 4 days; Anna Ferrara. 53 Blue Hill avenue, Milton, 7 days; Ruth K. Frank, 3 Allston street, 2 days; Mary Fraser, 99 Norway street, 3 days; Stella Graham, 43 Mercier avenue, Dorchester, 7 days; Diana Guinta, 42 Topliff street, Dorchester, Virginia Hamilton, 827 River street, Mattapan, 1 day; Mary B. Healy, 163 East Cottage street, Dorchester, 5 days; Doris Holland, 24 Chestnut road, West Roxbury, 1 day; Veronica Lombard, 8 Doris street, Dorchester, 5 days; Anne Lynskey, 52 Telsa street, Medford, 2 days; Claire McCue, 74 Robinwood road, Dedham, 7 days; Veronica McElligott, 34 Dickinson street, Somerville, Catherine McGuinness, 14 Alsen road, Dorchester, 2 days; Mary R. Mahon, 29 Kempton street, 7 days; Thelma Miles, 9 Albemarle Chambers, 1 day; Anna Murphy, 115 Peterborough street, 5 days; Mary Murphy, 37 Hampden Circle, Wollaston, 3 days; Audrey Mailhot, 30 Walton street, Dorchester, 6 days; Angelina Mulloney, 1235 Trapello road, Waltham, 1 day; Agnes O'Connor, 270 Huntington avenue, 5 days; Estelle Paris, 167 Fayerweather street, Cambridge, 1 day; Angelina Peyton, 16 Dane street, Jamaica Plain, Dora Picarsky, 31 Edison Green, Dorchester, Grace Powers, 16 Spaulding street, Dorchester, 2 days;

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM PLUMBING FOR THE WEEK ENDING JUNE 7.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
W. Jacobs	96 Ardale street	20	New appliances	$225
	Gillette park	6	New appliances	1,000
S. Landau	125 Harvard avenue	21	New appliances	300
F. Rouke	63 Highland street	18	New appliances	800
M. Ross	84 Lincoln street	22	New appliances	1,535
I. Gerson	16 Rector avenue	18	New appliances	400
R. Kirby	130 St. Mary's street	21	New appliances	500
W. Jacobs	3 Westminster terrace	22	New appliances	175
A. Russo	14 Aldworth street	19	New appliances	150
A. Russo	24 Barry street	18	New appliances	150
A. Russo	11 Basto terrace	20	New appliances	100
A. Russo	13 Brainard street	18	New appliances	160
A. Russo	21 Charles street	18	New appliances	75
G. Trethewey	8 Clare avenue	18	New appliances	175
G. Trethewey	32 Easthourne street	20	New appliances	245
G. Trethewey	52 and 84 Johnswood road	18	New appliances	350
A. Russo	25 Lochland road	18	New appliances	1,000
A. Russo	30 Lochland road	18	New appliances	100
W. Russell	20 Nonquit street	13	New appliances	50
A. Russo	32 Ridlon road	18	New appliances	200
A. Russo	1863 River street	18	New appliances	100
A. Russo	66 Robinwood avenue	19	New appliances	150
A. Russo	54 Rosewood street	18	New appliances	100
A. Russo	22 Roxana street	18	New appliances	1,000
A. Russo	128 Selwyn street	18	New appliances	190
A. Russo	10 Tampa street	18	New appliances	250
H. Hinckley	22 Thomas street	11	New appliances	20
T. Matthews	36 Upland street	17	New appliances	200
C. Forbes	265 Washington street	2	New appliances	45
J. Hennagan	65 Woodbole avenue	18	New appliances	25
J. Vogel	27 Allenwood street	20	New appliances	350
J. Vogel	27 Arborough road	20	New appliances	140
F. Clute	368 Congress street	6	New appliances	300
P. Connell	144 Corey street	20	New appliances	900
L. Mahoney	2 Criston court	18	New appliances	547
D. Yorks	88 Dale street	18	New appliances	400
J. Vogel	145 Deforest street	18	New appliances	150
L. Mahoney	6 Dodge street	18	New appliances	547
L. Mahoney	10 Dodge street	18	New appliances	547
L. Mahoney	9 Eastmount road	18	New appliances	547
L. Mahoney	15 Eastmount road	18	New appliances	547
L. Mahoney	19 Eastmount road	18	New appliances	547
I. Gerson	107 Evans street	19	New appliances	200
J. Vogel	18 Gould street	20	New appliances	300
L. Downey	840 Huntington avenue	10	New appliances	300
L. Mahoney	42 Leighton road	18	New appliances	547
L. Mahoney	46 Leighton road	18	New appliances	547
G. Trethewey	1036 South street	20	New appliances	230
M. Maguire	Veterans of Foreign Wars Parkway.	20	New appliances	1,250
W. Jacobs	6 Arborcrest terrace	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	7 Arborcrest terrace	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	10 Arborcrest terrace	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	6 Bluefield terrace	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	10 Bluefield terrace	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	11 Bluefield terrace	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	14 Bluefield terrace	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	18 Bluefield terrace	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	22 Bluefield terrace	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	26 Bluefield terrace	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	23 Bluefield terrace	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	14 Briarcliff terrace	18	New appliances	108
H. Abrams	249 Corey road	21	New appliances	120
J. McBlam Company	1595 Columbus avenue	4	New appliances	
W. Jacobs	2 Cragmere terrace	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	3 Cragmere terrace	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	6 Cragmere terrace	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	10 Cragmere terrace	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	11 Cragmere terrace	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	14 Cragmere terrace	18	New appliances	108
K. Hering	42 Danford terrace	19	New appliances	120
W. Jacobs	1 Donwood terrace	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	2 Donwood terrace	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	3 Donwood terrace	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	6 Donwood terrace	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	7 Donwood terrace	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	10 Donwood terrace	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	11 Donwood terrace	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	14 Donwood terrace	18	New appliances	108
F. Carlson	52 Florence street	19	New appliances	120
W. Jacobs	68 Fremont street	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	61 Gladeside avenue	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	72 Gladeside avenue	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	80 Gladeside avenue	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	83 Gladeside avenue	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	84 Gladeside avenue	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	87 Gladeside avenue	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	88 Gladeside avenue	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	91 Gladeside avenue	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	92 Gladeside avenue	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	96 Gladeside avenue	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	108 Gladeside avenue	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	112 Gladeside avenue	18	New appliances	108
S. Landau	16 Keswick street	21	New appliances	200
W. Jacobs	11 Linvale terrace	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	14 Linvale terrace	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	19 Linvale terrace	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	4 Mamelon Circle	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	8 Mamelon Circle	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	20 Mamelon Circle	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	24 Mamelon Circle	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	6 Newcroft Circle	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	15 Newcroft Circle	18	New appliances	108
E. Spring	122 Savin Hill avenue	18	New appliances	200
A. Milligan	87 Whitcomb avenue	18	New appliances	1,000

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING JUNE 7.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Marks Const. Company	2522 Centre street	20	Excavation	$200
Mary Sullivan	130 Lake street	22	Alterations, dwelling	300
Donato Perella	90 Neponset avenue	16	Alterations, dwelling	200
Robert C. Pearson	620 Veterans of Foreign Wars Parkway.	20	Alterations, dwelling	185
Dave Goldberg	1413 Washington street	9	Alterations, store, apartments	450
William Bowman	139 Bay State road	5	Alterations, dwelling	500
David Cohen	55 Hudson street	3	Alterations, storage	800
A. Ehrenzeller, Inc	329 Washington street	14	Alterations, office	700
Clara Hornsby	55 So. Huntington avenue	10	Alterations, dwelling	325
Samuel Attardo	17 Hillsboro street	7	Alterations, dwelling	215
Samuel Piper	14 Judson street	13	Alterations, dwelling	495
John Williams	378 Columbia road	15	Alterations, dwelling	75
A. Shavel	838 Beacon street	21	Store, sign	350
Julius Karlsberg	482 Blue Hill avenue	14	Store, sign	300
Leon King	9 Mascot street	15	Alterations, dwelling	700
Arthur Wolf	381 and 383 Tremont street	5	Take-down, store	250
291 Washington Street, Inc.	10 School street	3	Sign, store and offices	175
Elpanco	1161 Boylston street	5	Sign	650
Mrs. D. Mogan	341 East Eagle street	1	Alterations, dwelling	1,300
Mrs. Carl Slater	491 Commonwealth avenue	5	Alterations, offices, apartments	200
Abraham Siegal	51 Lorne street	14	Alterations, dwelling	350
Mary, Frank DiNicolandone	46 Waldemar avenue	1	Excavation	100
A. Mario	254 Everett street	1	Alterations, dwelling	400
P. Sardella	58 Green street	19	Alterations, dwelling	900
John Wenzler	181 E street	7	Alterations, dwelling	189
Andre G. Belanger	7 Gifford place	7	Alterations, dwelling	993
Frank Norkus	8 Tuckerman street	8	Alterations, dwelling	500
Boston Real Estate Trust	109 and 109A Summer street	3	Sign, store, offices	300
John J. Costello	22 Rosemary street	19	Alterations, dwelling	60
James Kritzas	7 Vancouver street	4	Alterations, apartments	350
P. Campana	130 Wordsworth street	1	Alterations, dwelling	960
Everett J. Hassell	76 West street	18	Alterations, dwelling	200
Evelyn E. Watson	37 Kent street	9	Alterations, dwelling	350
J. J. Norton	77 Chickatawbut street	16	Alterations, dwelling	100
Louis Sherstead	47 Browning avenue	14	Alterations, dwelling	500
Alexander Monteforte	4 Cleveland place	3	Alterations, dwelling	250
J. Tobin	15 and 17 Ferndale street	17	Alterations, dwelling	225
M. J. Smith	73 Hawthorne street	19	Excavation	100
Phoenix Mutual Insurance Company.	Winter street	3	Alterations, store, offices	200
G. Poto	72 London street	1	Alterations, dwelling	80
G. Poto	70 London street	1	Alterations, dwelling	80
A. Ivaska	366 West Broadway	6	Alterations, store, office, dwelling	1,600
Abraham Danes	270 Eustis street	8	Alterations	500
Abraham Danes	274 Eustis street	8	Alterations, dwelling	500
Mercantile Wharf Corp	88 Clinton street	3	Alterations, fruit, wholesale	150
United Shoe Machinery Corp.	140 Federal street	3	Alterations, office, store	6,000
New England Trust Company	278A Tremont street	3	Alterations, office	150
Donato Quattrocchi	70 Clarendon street	4	Alterations, store	150
Charles Goldstein	52 Westminster street	9	Alterations, dwelling, store	350
Alexander Rosenberg	25 Glenarm street	14	Alterations, dwelling	500
Robert T. Fowler & Son	12 Kingsbury street	11	Alterations, dwelling	200
Mary R. Donnelly	29 Raymond street	21	Alterations, dwelling	1,100
B. Rosenberg	1020 Blue Hill avenue	14	Alterations, stores	500
City of Boston	Drawtenders' house	3	Take-down	973
Dominic Pascarelli	97 Southern avenue	17	Alterations, dwelling	300
Wilbur C. Sticker	3 Greenwood Circle	18	Alterations, dwelling	335
Florence Jones	44 Old Morton street	17	Alterations, dwelling	1,500
Ruggles St. Baptist Church	159 Ruggles street	9	Alterations, church rectory	750
Anniello Abrussese	Westwood street	15	Alterations, dwelling	630
Peter Leonard	157 Cedar street	11	Alterations, dwelling	600
Thomas McDonough	60 Sudan street	13	Alterations, dwelling	150
Patrick J. Minihane	14 Glenmont road	22	Take-down	50
Felix Miscewics	222 Roxbury street	9	Alterations, store	1,800
Sons of Divine Prov., Inc	111 Orient avenue	1	Alterations, rest home	119,000
Mutual Service Constr. Co	51 Albano road	20	Dwelling	9,000
John Venckus	5 Thomas park	7	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Philip Polino	14 Farwell avenue	18	Dwelling	10,000
Merchants National Bank	28 State street	3	Alterations, office	230,000
Robert Flavin	87 Whitcomb street	19	Dwelling	9,900
Louis Caporale	19 Driftwood road	19	Dwelling	17,000
Hans and Marie Schlecht	85 Clare avenue	18	Garage	715
Ribello Fiore	36 Charles street	18	Dwelling	7,000
Robert H. Keenan	31 Chittick road	18	Dwelling	8,000
City of Boston	Long Island	1	Alterations, dwelling	26,000
City of Boston	Long Island	1	Alterations	10,000
Edward Brown	65 Itasca street	18	Dwelling	16,500
Randall Realty Company	45 and 47 Fellows street	8	Warehouse	300,000
Nicholas Tsacoyeanes	185 Lake street	22	Alterations, dwelling	300
James Doules	246 Northern avenue	6	Alterations, restaurant	2,000
Metropolitan Transit Auth.	2-6 Lowell street	3	Alterations, store	900
John H. Wallace	68 Paul Gore street	19	Alterations, dwelling	2
Frederick J. Keif	2 Helen F. Burgess Footway	17	Dwelling	8,000
Michaele Rappucci	8 South Russell street	3	Alterations, dwelling	2
Michaele Rappucci	12 South Russell street	3	Alterations, dwelling	2
David B. Chaletsky	30 and 32 Sarsfield street	9	Sign, dwelling	550
C. E. and S. T. Borden	1380 Boylston street	21	Sign, store	900
M. G. Brudno	508 Commonwealth avenue	5	Alterations, store, offices	10,000
Somerset Hotel	416 Commonwealth avenue	5	Swimming pool	15,000
Christine Steenblock	65 Clarendon street	5	Sign, dwelling	1,300
Charlotte Beckman	136 Harvard street	14	Sign, store	900
Theodore P. Metrakas	286 and 288 Columbia road	14	Sign, dwelling	500
C. E. and S. T. Borden	1380 Boylston street	21	Sign, store	2,400
Susan M. Elliott	46 Hereford street	5	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Joseph P. McNamara	33 Pershing road	19	Alterations, dwelling	2,000
Sylvia Robrish	636 Beacon street	5	Alterations, office	8,000
J. W. Praught Company	1202 Veterans of Foreign Wars Parkway.	20	Office	30,000

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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Romaine Riley, 171 Humboldt avenue, Roxbury, 5 days; Bernice Smith, 105 Walnut avenue, Roxbury, 4 days; Mabel Smith, 87 Bartlett road, Winthrop, 2 days; Helen Spillane, 499 Park street, Stoughton, 3 days; Bernice Stanley, 22 Sandra road, East Walpole, 4 days; Mabel Steed, 87 Bartlett road, Winthrop, 7 days; Margaret M. Sullivan, 28 Weymouth street, Holbrook, 3 days; Helen Sheehan, Turnpike street, Canton, 7 days; Josephine Trippe, 80 Orleans street, East Boston, 5 days; Ila Ward, 79 Warren street, Roxbury, 3 days; Theresa Wagner, 12 Milford street, 4 days; Kathryn Welch, 49 East Springfield street, 7 days; Catherine Finn, 23 Commonwealth avenue, Eleanor Delaney, 67 Division street, North Quincy, Eva Durgen, 13 Hardwick road, Quincy, Rita McCallum, 162 Bowdom street, Dorchester, 1 day.

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—William J. Fricburger, 60 Bickford street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $50.50 a week; John Hall, 5 Shandon road, West Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; Helen Manning, 23 East street, Dorchester, Dorothy Stackpole, 2 Hubbard terrace, Roxbury, hospital medical workers, $50.50 a week; Wilbert Paquette, 103 Horadan Way, South Boston, hospital house worker, $50.50 a week; Jane E. O'Brien, 55 Channing road, Watertown, medical social worker, $80 a week; Mary A. Dalton, 29 Fuller road, North Weymouth, Josephine M. Harding, Ballast Lane, Marblehead, floor nurses, $65.50 a week; Dorothy Havey, 372 Dudley street, Roxbury, floor nurse, $68 a week.

Temporary.—Mary J. Antonelli, 23 Monsignor Reynolds Way, Anne T. Buckley, 21 Mansur street, Jamaica Plain, Mary L. Callahan, 4 Sumner street, Dorchester, John F. Domaldo, 164 Monticello avenue, Dorchester, Elizabeth F. Hall, 20 South Huntington avenue, Francis E. Harrington, 5 Belvoir road, Dorchester, Robert F. McGuire, 2542 Washington street, Katherine H. Parson, 234 Gold street, South Boston, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; Mary Crowley, 50 Edison Green, Dorchester, Frank Mayo, 23 Princeton street, East Boston, hospital house workers, $43 a week; George R. Keough, 112 Pembroke street, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week; Richard J. Mulloy, 27 Gayland street, Dorchester, hospital laundry worker, $43 a week; Catherine Maheigan, 42 Auburn street, Charlestown, clerk-typist, $43 a week; Robert W. Dockery, Boston City Hospital, senior resident, $132 a month; Dr. Eli A. Etscovitz, 236 Independence Drive, Chestnut Hill, junior visiting physician, $3,064 a year; Dr. Joseph Wiener, 116 Sutherland road, Brighton, junior assistant resident, $112 a month.

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For the week ending May 31:

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Marie Allen, 51 Cherry street, Malden, Esther Bandlow, 5 Reddy avenue, Hyde Park, 2 days; Priscilla Beckwith, 686 Massachusetts avenue, 3 days; Ruby Childs, 270 Huntington avenue, 7 days; Marcelyn Curry, 64 Rosseter street, Dorchester, Patricia Camirand, 41 Fal-

mouth street, Dorothy Currie, 283 Chestnut avenue, Jamaica Plain, 3 days; Adele Daly, 30 Aspinwall avenue, North Weymouth, 2 days; Norma Dean, 696 Massachusetts avenue, 1 day; Florence Dowd, 93 Williams avenue, Hyde Park, 3 days; Catherine Dorman, 64 Cliff avenue, Winthrop, 2 days; Eleanor Delaney, 67 Division street, North Quincy, Yolander Evans, 126 Waverly street, Everett, Anna Ferrara, 53 Blue Hill avenue, Milton, 7 days; Christine Finn, 23 Commonwealth avenue, 4 days; Ruth K. Frank, 3 Allston street, 2 days; Mary Fraser, 99 Norway street, Virginia Francis, 3 days; Emily Gallagher, 79 Wrentham street, Dorchester, 1 day; Stella Graham, 43 Mercier avenue, Dorchester, 3 days; Diana Guinta, 42 Topliff street, Dorchester, Virginia Hamilton, 827 River street, Mattapan, Mary B. Healy, 163 East Cottage street, Dorchester, 1 day; Joan Keane, 1086 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, Veronica Lombard, 8 Doris street, Dorchester, 3 days; Anne Lynskey, 52 Telsa street, Medford, 2 days; Loretta Lynch, 270 Huntington avenue, 4 days; Rita MacCallum, 162 Bowdoin street, Dorchester, 2 days; Claire McCue, 74 Robinwood road, Dedham, 7 days; Veronica McElligott, 34 Dickinson street, Somerville, 3 days; Catherine McGuinness, 14 Alsen road, Dorchester, 5 days; Mary R. Mahan, 29 Kempton street, 7 days; Anna Murphy, 115 Peterborough street, 3 days; Audrey Mailhot, 30 Walton street, Dorchester, 6 days; Edmund Shea, 29 East Concord street, 1 day; Bernice Smith, 105 Walnut avenue, Roxbury, Verna Snow, 75 Damon avenue, Melrose, 2 days; Helen Spillane, 499 Park street, Stoughton, Anna Stankard, 79 Edwin road, Waltham, 3 days; Bernice Stanley, 22 Sandra road, East Walpole, Mabel Steed, 87 Bartlett road, Winthrop, 6 days; Margaret M. Sullivan, 28 Weymouth street, Holbrook, 7 days; Helen Sheehan, Turnpike street, Canton, 5 days; Josephine Trippe, 80 Orleans street, East Boston, 3 days; Theresa Wagner 12 Milford street, 6 days; Ila Ward, 79 Warren street, Roxbury, Agnes O'Connor, 270 Huntington avenue, 4 days; Angelina Peyton, 16 Dane street, Jamaica Plain, Romaine Riley, 171 Humboldt avenue, Roxbury, 3 days; Carmella Messina, 102 Highland road, Somerville, 1 day.

Long Island Division.

For the week ending May 25:

Terminations.—Ralph A. Plunkett, plant superintendent; John L. Donoghue, social worker; Roland E. Dunlop, attendant nurse; Helen L. Wood, attendant nurse.

Cancellations.—George V. Flynn, Jr., painter's helper; Peter McDonough, hospital kitchen worker.

For the week ending June 1:

Terminations.—Vincent J. Caldarola, hospital laborer, provisional; Lois M. Gale, student practical nurse; Robert J. Gaughan, hospital kitchen worker, emergency; Francis J. Heanue, hospital kitchen worker, emergency.

Cancellations.—Wayne Hysong, attendant nurse; Gerald E. Shook, Abraham L. Rose, attendant nurses, Vacation Supply.

Appointments.

ELECTION DEPARTMENT.

Harold R. Blair, 40 Hollander street, Roxbury, assistant registrar of voters, $68 a week.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING JUNE 7.—Concluded.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Robert E. Perry	12 Clifton street	8	Fence	$500
F. A. Vanlop Company	1105 Commonwealth avenue	21	Sign, store	1,800
Edwin D. Brooks *et al*	278 and 280 Boylston street	5	Alterations, store	12,000
Michael D. Vaughan	19 Tina avenue	18	Dwelling	8,000
Joseph F. Ansaldi	16 Haviland road	20	Dwelling	8,000
Pauline Manfro	185 Perham street	20	Dwelling	8,000
Gertrude Gilbert	530 East Broadway	6	Alterations, dwelling	650
H. Eugenia Knowles	34 Greenbrier street	17	Alterations, dwelling	2
Albert Mangini	972–976 Saratoga street	1	Alterations, store, dwelling	2
J. F. Morse & Company	62–66 Norfolk avenue	8	Alterations, office, garage	15,000
J. F. Morse & Company	66 Norfolk avenue	8	Alterations, factory	200
Sevenel, Inc.	89 Summer street	18	Dwelling	7,000
Sevenel, Inc.	85 Summer street	18	Dwelling	7,000
Sevenel, Inc.	63 Austin street	18	Dwelling	7,000
Sevenel, Inc.	152 West Selden street	18	Dwelling	7,000
Sevenel, Inc.	150 West Selden street	18	Dwelling	7,000
Thomas McGreevy	51 Potomac street	20	Dwelling	9,000
Thomas McGreevy	113 Willow street	20	Dwelling	9,000
Hyman Drooker	72–76 Blackstone street	3	Sign, store	1,400
Winter Street Building Trust	8 Winter street	3	Alterations, store, office	3,000
Mutual Service Constr. Co.	31 Aliano road	20	Dwelling	9,000
George Koufas	1003 Massachusetts avenue	8	Move lunch cart	2,000
First National Bank	7 Baldwin place	22	Take-down	500
First National Bank	17 Chestnut Hill avenue	21	Take-down	500
Mrs. A. Whidden	231 Fuller street	17	Alterations, dwelling	390
Mrs. M. Lombard	41 Mather street	16	Alterations, dwelling	150
Albert Aznive	53 Roslin street	17	Alterations, dwelling	100
Mrs. M. Brady	21 Speedwell street	15	Alterations, dwelling	215
A. W. Perry, Inc.	89 Bedford street	3	Alterations, office	500
Eli Ames Realty	83 Summer street	3	Alterations, store, office	950
Sneirson Realty	25 School street	3	Alterations, store, office	150
James Roach	68 Stanley street	15	Alterations, dwelling	50
Miss Mabel V. Mulvey	1 and 2 Swan court	15	Fire escape	150
Mrs. Sophie Wernon	108 Deering road	14	Alterations, dwelling	100
John LaFerla	66 London street	1	Fire escape	90
Elizabeth F. Woodbury	68 London street	1	Fire escape	90
George Crawford	39 Mt. Vernon street	2	Fire escape	350
M. J. VanLeer	762 East Fourth street	6	Alterations, dwelling	300
Mrs. Churchill	81 Penfield street	20	Alterations, dwelling	200
Elian J. Khours	18 and 20 Weymouth avenue	20	Alterations, dwelling	175
M. J. Smith	74 Hawthorne street	19	Excavate	100
M. J. Smith	81 Hawthorne street	19	Excavate	100
Rowan Realty Company	119 Braintree street	21	Alterations, platform	500
Hill Realty, Inc.	63 Mt. Vernon street	5	Alterations, dwelling	250
Esther Blume	6 Arbutus street	14	Alterations, dwelling	500
Paul Messina	25 Woodville street	8	Alterations, dwelling	900
A. McGonigal	25 Irvington street	4	Alterations, garage	960
Carney Hospital	2100 Dorchester avenue	16	Festival	100
Fred F. and Alice S. Kahler	284 Bolton street	6	Take-down	947
Arthur Keoorkian	604 Cambridge street	21	Alterations, dwelling	850
E. Capodilupo	70 and 72 Joy street	3	Alterations, dwelling	1,500
Ridge Management Corp.	844 Beacon street	21	Alterations, dwelling	1,700
Helen Lemay	13 Tuckerman street	7	Alterations, dwelling	335
Kenneth Franklin	102 Bird street	15	Alterations, dwelling	455
Michael J. Lally	66 Pinehurst street	20	Alterations, dwelling	742
Boston Housing Authority	975 Parker street	10	Take-down	4,000
Peter E. Carleton	11 Mada avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	250
Marjorie S. Humphries	11 March avenue	20	Alterations, dwelling	600
Louis and Teresa Fusco	329 Vermont street	20	Alterations, dwelling	325
Martin J. Whalen	143 N street	6	Alterations, dwelling	100
R. S. Robie	1234-1276 Washington street	3	Alterations, garage, store	950
J. Gorin	266 Babcock street	21	Alterations, office	2,000
Jordan Marsh Company	450 Washington street	3	Alterations, store	200
Jordan Marsh Company	450 Washington street	3	Alterations, store	900
Joseph Turca	694 Shawmut avenue	9	Alterations, dwelling	85
Oakfield Corp.	145 Freeport street	15	Excavation	1,000
Wm. G. Walsh Post 369, Inc.	7 Dunbar avenue	17	Excavation	500
Donald Jacobson	61 Revere street	3	Alterations, dwelling	500

Joseph Guinasso, 31 Charter street, assistant registrar of voters, $68 a week.

Edgar H. Hopgood, 152A Huntington avenue, assistant registrar of voters, $68 a week.

John J. McCarthy, 57 Birchwood street, West Roxbury, assistant registrar of voters, $68 a week.

Edward J. Pearl, 32 Brookside avenue, Jamaica Plain, assistant registrar of voters, $68 a week.

Edward J. Ryan, 11 Bullard street, Dorchester, assistant registrar of voters, $68 a week.

John W. Shanley, Jr., 6 Silloway street, Dorchester, assistant registrar of voters, $68 a week.

Salvatore J. Silvestro, 42A Green street, assistant registrar of voters, $68 a week.

Lazer Zorfas, 123 Lucerne street, Dorchester, assistant registrar of voters, $68 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Thomas C. Doyle, 16 Bourne street, Jamaica Plain, assistant public boating manager, $50.50 a week.

Thomas R. Crotty, 1 Allen place, assistant public boating manager, $50.50 a week.

Richard J. Glasheen, 36 Guernsey street, Roslindale, assistant public boating manager, $50.50 a week.

Joseph A. Gordon, 116 Riverway, assistant public boating manager, $50.50 a week.

John J. Lane, 118 Barnes avenue, East Boston, assistant public boating manager, $50.50 a week.

John M. MacAuley, 40 Grove street, assistant public boating manager, $50.50 a week.

Brian K. Marron, 46 Cedar Lane Way, assistant public boating manager, $50.50 a week.

Frank McCann, 21 Peak Hill road, Roslindale, assistant public boating manager, $50.50 a week.

James E. McGee, 1826 Hyde Park avenue, Readville, assistant public boating manager, $50.50 a week.

Donald W. McGuire, 8 St. Gregory street, Dorchester, assistant public boating manager, $50.50 a week.

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING JUNE 7.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
F. Avery	98 Brookside avenue	11	Gas appliances	$10
F. Avery	1005 Centre street	19	Gas appliances	20
S. Landau	72 Clifford street	8	Gas appliances	20
F. Avery	32 Cranston street	18	Gas appliances	25
F. Avery	205 D street	18	Gas appliances	25
C. Kay	896 Dorchester avenue	7	Gas appliances	50
F. Avery	205 Heath street	10	Gas appliances	50
L. Marquess	22 Hollander street	12	Gas appliances	40
F. Avery	100 Hyde Park avenue	19	Gas appliances	400
F. Avery	224 Hyde Park avenue	19	Gas appliances	10
W. Jacobs	22 Iffley road	11	Gas appliances	225
	1 Melville street	17	Gas appliances	50
F. Avery	4 Merriam street	11	Gas appliances	10
M. Caputo	49 Middle street	7	Gas appliances	40
S. Landau	92 Murdock street	22	Gas appliances	50
R. Simon	165 O street	7	Gas appliances	155
S. Landau	15 Oakland street	9	Gas appliances	15
M. Caputo	19 Palmer street	8	Gas appliances	200
S. Landau	Park Drive	21	Gas appliances	10
W. Jacobs	96 Paul Gore street	19	Gas appliances	200
F. Avery	27 Prince street	19	Gas appliances	10
W. Jacobs	Roxbury Memorial High	12	Gas appliances	150
H. Dickson	25 St. Stephen street	4	Gas appliances	100
F. Avery	301 Wachusett street	18	Gas appliances	10
L. Marquess	22 Wakullah street	12	Gas appliances	50
S. Lacedo	686 Washington street	3	Gas appliances	150
W. Jacobs	52 Woodland street	19	Gas appliances	75
A. Russo	11 Aldworth terrace	19	Gas appliances	200
A. Russo	21 Barry street	18	Gas appliances	150
P. Farnell	3 Bartlett street	9	Gas appliances	50
A. Russo	11 Basto terrace	20	Gas appliances	200
H. Cutler	77 Bower street	12	Gas appliances	10
I. Silvester	129 Bower street	12	Gas appliances	50
A. Russo	13 Brainard street	18	Gas appliances	160
G. Trethewey	8 Clare avenue	18	Gas appliances	375
G. Trethewey	32 Eastbourne street	20	Gas appliances	245
G. Trethewey	52 and 54 Johnswood road	18	Gas appliances	350
F. Cutler	15 Lyman street	3	Gas appliances	50
J. Rooney	53 Lexington street	18	Gas appliances	100
A. Russo	25 Lochland road	18	Gas appliances	100
A. Russo	30 Lochland road	18	Gas appliances	500
A. Russo	9 McDonough court	18	Gas appliances	50
M. Eskowitz	869 Morton street	18	Gas appliances	50
G. Trethewey	118 Redlands road	20	Gas appliances	20
A. Russo	225 Reservation road	18	Gas appliances	100
A. Russo	1863 River street	18	Gas appliances	100
A. Russo	66 Robinwood avenue	19	Gas appliances	50
A. Russo	54 Rosewood road	18	Gas appliances	100
A. Russo	22 Roxana street	18	Gas appliances	500
A. Russo	128 Selwyn street	18	Gas appliances	500
A. Russo	10 Tampa street	18	Gas appliances	1,000
H. Hinckley	22 Thomas street	11	Gas appliances	25
M. Ross	265 Washington street	2	Gas appliances	65
A. Russo	4467 Washington street	18	Gas appliances	150
D. Cahill	5174 Washington street	20	Gas appliances	50
P. Panlin	31 Wenonah street	12	Gas appliances	9
A. Russo	19 Winslow street	18	Gas appliances	100
J. Vogel	27 Arborough road	20	Gas appliances	20
C. Lee	522 Blue Hill avenue	14	Gas appliances	25
N. Clark	8 Boylston street	11	Gas appliances	450
N. Clark	7 Cedar street	2	Gas appliances	15
J. Vogel	317 Centre street	11	Gas appliances	50
M. Yorks	91 Chelsea street	1	Gas appliances	10
C. Lee	1512 Columbia road	7	Gas appliances	40
J. Vogel	115 Deforest street	18	Gas appliances	25
N. Clark	576 East Second street	6	Gas appliances	150
C. Lee	85 Farragut road	6	Gas appliances	10
L. Rubin	226 Fuller street	17	Gas appliances	10
N. Clark	16 Glendower street	18	Gas appliances	25
J. Vogel	12 Granville street	18	Gas appliances	150
L. Posido	21 Holyoke street	4	Gas appliances	10
C. Lee	111 Humboldt avenue	12	Gas appliances	50
C. Lee	99 Intervale street	11	Gas appliances	10
D. Spiers	86 Johnson street	20	Gas appliances	200
J. Amedio	64 London street	1	Gas appliances	15
M. Yorks	73 Lubec street	1	Gas appliances	10
N. Clark	10 Park Vale avenue	21	Gas appliances	200
L. Visco	142 Princeton street	1	Gas appliances	10
C. Lee	170 Quincy street	13	Gas appliances	40
N. Clark	166 Seaver street	12	Gas appliances	50
A. Granara	31 Sheafe street	3	Gas appliances	60
N. Clark	183 South street	11	Gas appliances	15
G. Trethewey	1036 South street	20	Gas appliances	220
C. Lee	1080 Tremont street	9	Gas appliances	50
F. Odenweller	125 West Second street	7	Gas appliances	20
G. Trethewey	67 Walk Hill avenue	19	Gas appliances	350
J. McLoughlan	3724 Washington street	11	Gas appliances	20
J. Vogel	4416 Washington street	18	Gas appliances	110
J. Mirth	174 West Sixth street	6	Gas appliances	40
N. Clark	15 Whitfield street	17	Gas appliances	50
L. Downey	129 Woodrow avenue	14	Gas appliances	100
K. Hering	201 Belgrade avenue	20	Gas appliances	100
W. Connell	12 Centre street	16	Gas appliances	40
P. Weiner	74 Cobden street	11	Gas appliances	50
D. Mastrangelo	492 Commercial street	3	Gas appliances	25
M. Loitherstein	1673 Commonwealth avenue	21	Gas appliances	38
K. Hering	42 Danforth street	19	Gas appliances	60
W. Connell	15 Dawson street	16	Gas appliances	20
W. Connell	72 Dix street	16	Gas appliances	75
D. O'Neill	907 East Broadway	6	Gas appliances	150
D. O'Neill	15 Field street	10	Gas appliances	8

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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James F. Sullivan, 490 Centre street, Jamaica Plain, assistant public boating manager, $50.50 a week.

Ruthmarie Green, 943 Adams street Dorchester, play leader, $40 a week.

Shirley A. Abberton, 185 Green street, Jamaica Plain, play leader, $40 a week.

Welfare Department.

Constance E. Conway, 2 Perkins square, Jamaica Plain, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Norma J. Lally, 22 Speedwell street, Dorchester, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Frederick A. Sullivan, 93 Pearl street, Charlestown, social worker, $65.50 a week.

Salvatore Freddura, 350 Hanover street, social worker, $65.50 a week.

Anthony Colarossi, 116 Falcon street, East Boston, social worker, $65.50 a week.

Marguerite K. Donoghue, 99 Beaumont street, Dorchester, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Florence C. Hector, 29 Homestead street, Roxbury, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Patricia J. McArdle, 458 La Grange street, West Roxbury, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Weston E. McArthur, 180 Ruggles street, social worker, $65.50 a week.

Frederick J. Kirby, 60 Queensberry street, social worker, $65.50 a week.

Appointments or Reinstatements.

Administrative Services Department.

Printing Section.

Ella O. Pratt, 739 Broadway, Somerville, monotype keyboard operator, $96.25 a week.

Civil Defense.

Joseph D. McAvoy, 91 St. Rose street, Jamaica Plain, storeroom helper, part time, 1.23 an hour.

Joseph Cotter, 63 Rockne avenue, Dorchester, clerk, part time, $1.23 an hour.

John J. Dooley, 43 Roslin street, Dorchester, clerk, part time, $1.23 an hour.

Mary Driscoll, 125 Pleasant street, Dorchester, clerk-stenographer, $43 a week.

Marie A. Orth, 7 Parkman street, Dorchester, clerk-stenographer, $43 a week.

Alyce Annis, 77 Adamson street, Allston, clerk-stenographer, $45.50 a week.

Patricia Barr, 106 Fletcher street, Roslindale, clerk-stenographer, $48 a week.

Elizabeth Huey, 51 East Lenox street, Roxbury, clerk-typist, $45.50 a week.

Rita Walenduk, 80 Westmoreland street, Dorchester, clerk-stenographer, $60.50 a week.

Leo Conlan, 30 Fidelis Way, Brighton, assistant to the director, $76.50 a week.

Joseph Doherty, 319 Centre street, Jamaica Plain, assistant to the director, $70.50 a week.

Louis B. Devine, Jr., 277 Beacon street, executive secretary, social service division, $76.50 a week.

Department of School Buildings.

F. Janet Spurr, 410 Stuart street, clerk-typist, $43 a week.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Joan M. Fallon, 629 Gallivan Boulevard, Dorchester, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Henry J. Schneider, 950 Parker street, firefighter, $74.71 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

John Heizer, 290 Marlborough street, laboratory assistant, $45.50 a week.

Barbara K. Gilmore, 38 Breck avenue, Brighton, laboratory assistant, $45.50 a week.

Pauline Houlihan, 12 Nottingham street, Dorchester, laboratory assistant, $45.50 a week.

Charles T. Coyle, 564 River street, Mattapan, ambulance and medical aide man, $53 a week.

Rita T. Carpenter, 22 Tafthill terrace, Roslindale, laboratory assistant, $45.50 a week.

Margaret Concannon, 72 Hillsdale street, Dorchester, laboratory assistant, $45.50 a week.

Frances Geoghegan, 151 H street, South Boston, laboratory assistant, $45.50 a week.

William F. Whittaker, 620 Columbia road, Dorchester, elevator operator, $43 a week.

John J. Keating, 306 Bolton street, South Boston, elevator operator, $43 a week.

John C. Carr, 2 Smith street, Roxbury, hospital laundry worker, $50.50 a week.

Cornelius J. Murphy, 400 Mt. Vernon street, Dorchester, elevator operator, $43 a week.

Francis A. McNulty, 32 Horadan Way, Roxbury, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

Liborio M. Sforza, 39 Clark street, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

William A. Marra, 115 Salem street, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

Louis A. Romano, 5 Thacher street, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

William Stanton, 416 Newbury street, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

Thomas F. Packard, 33 Sharon street, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

James M. Wallace, 69 Batchelder street, Roxbury, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

Thomas F. Pitts, 56 Rockland street, West Roxbury, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

Albert P. Morgan, 27 Beale street, Dorchester, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

George H. Bell, 178 Hillside street, Roxbury, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

John H. O'Connell, 7 Orton-Marotta Way, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

Edward J. Qualters, 155 Eustis street, elevator operator, $43 a week.

Harry T. Turner, 716 Harrison avenue, hospital house worker, $45.50 a week.

Edith Wolfsberg, 11 East Newton street, laboratory assistant, $45.50 a week.

Ann Najarian, Thorndike Memorial Laboratory, laboratory assistant, $45.50 a week.

Patricia Welch, Thorndike Memorial Laboratory, laboratory assistant, $45.50 a week.

Rose B. Blumenthal, Thorndike Memorial Laboratory, laboratory assistant, $45.50 a week.

Robert Pearson, 179 Longwood avenue, pharmacist, $68 a week.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING JUNE 7.—Concluded.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
F. Carlson	52 Florence street	19	Gas appliances	$200
D. Keger	27 Greenwood street	14	Gas appliances	25
D. O'Neill	2 Highland street	10	Gas appliances	40
M. Loitherstein	107 Homestead street	12	Gas appliances	32
W. Connell	96 I street	6	Gas appliances	100
J. Weinburgh	15 Melvin avenue	21	Gas appliances	40
W. Connell	626 Metropolitan avenue	18	Gas appliances	20
F. O'Neill	143 N street	6	Gas appliances	25
W. Connell	289 and 291 Neponset street	16	Gas appliances	225
M. Loitherstein	120 Peterborough street	21	Gas appliances	28
M. Loitherstein	106 Queensberry street	21	Gas appliances	30
E. Andini	23 Ridgeway Lane	3	Gas appliances	50
	122 Savin Hill avenue	15	Gas appliances	135
O. Memolo	19 Thacher street	3	Gas appliances	30
F. Odenweller	633 Second street	6	Gas appliances	50
S. Landau	47 Turner street	22	Gas appliances	50
J. Vogel	41 Worcester street	9	Gas appliances	50

Sanatorium Division.

William A. Marra, 115 Salem street, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

William O. Woods, 9 Milford street, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

Patrick J. McMahon, 75 Circuit street, Roxbury, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

John G. Kennedy, 55 Burke street, South Boston, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

Edward P. Hurley, 86 Draper street, Dorchester, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

Mary A. O'Toole, 35 Shepton street, Dorchester, registered graduate nurse, part time, $1.60 an hour.

Mary K. Clifford, 307 East Eighth street, South Boston, hospital house worker, $50.50 a week.

Long Island Division.

Francis J. Heanue, 574 Ashmont street, Dorchester, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Anthony F. Hanbury, 88 Calumet street, Roxbury, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Robert S. Byron, 6 Stone terrace, Dorchester, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Margaret Bancroft, 17 St. William street, Dorchester, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

William F. Snow, 15 Fairmount street, Dorchester, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Paul Mantos, 231 Cottage road, West Roxbury, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Water Division.

James J. Harney, 896 Harrison avenue, laborer, $50.50 a week.

John P. Kane, 65 Lawrence street, Charlestown, laborer, $58 a week.

Donald M. Greer, 320 Vermont street, West Roxbury, laborer, $50.50 a week.

Armand R. Pellegrini, 32 Central street, laborer, $50.50 a week.

Promotions.

CITY PLANNING BOARD.

John Coughlin, Jr., 135 Minot street, Dorchester, from planning assistant at $68 a week to junior planner (temporary, six months) at $76.50 a week.

Lloyd Sinclair, 121 Charles street, from junior planner (permanent) at $80 a week to senior planner (temporary, six months) at $90.50 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Louis Scanzillo, 1070 Canterbury street, Roslindale, from laborer at $58 a week to gardener's helper at $60.50 a week.

VETERANS' SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Cornelius J. Connolly, 1597 Tremont street, Roxbury, from clerk and typist at $48 a week to senior clerk (temporary) at $55.50 a week.

Changes in Status.

AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

Francis J. Murray 55 Guernsey street, Roslindale, from clerk and typist, at $50.50 a week to senior account clerk (temporary, six months) at $55.50 a week.

George J. Guthro, 125 Cushing avenue, Dorchester, from senior account clerk at $58 a week to principal clerk at $65.50 a week.

John Flanagan, Jr., 857 Saratoga street, East Boston, from principal statistical machine operator at $73 a week to supervisor of statistical machines at $87 a week.

CITY PLANNING BOARD.

Jean T. Davis, 5 Magdala street, Dorchester, from senior clerk-stenographer (temporary) at $58 a week to senior clerk-stenographer (permanent) at $58 a week.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Pompio J. Magistri, 223 Quincy street, Roxbury, from fire fighter at $76.63 a week to fire fighter, aide to deputy fire chief, at $80.46 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Patrick J. Foley, 1 Arborway, Jamaica Plain, from dental supervisor at $112.37 a week to director of dental services (temporary) at $122.50 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Eileen Conlin, 19 Wycliff avenue, West Roxbury, from principal clerk and stenographer at $76.50 a week to principal medical stenographer at $76.50 a week.

Catherine T. Janik, 342 Huntington avenue, Hyde Park, from laboratory assistant (permanent) at $53 a week to laboratory technician (permanent) at $58 a week.

Philip E. Cammack, 39 Worcester square, from hospital medical worker at $48 a week to hospital house worker at $48 a week.

Katherine McGilvray, 78½ Robbins street, Waltham, from floor nurse at $65.50 a week to head nurse at $68 a week.

Katharine Foley, 30 Walton street, Dorchester, from floor nurse at $63 a week to head nurse at $65.50 a week.

Long Island Division.

William S. Munroe, 41 East Newton street, from senior hospital kitchen worker (cook) (permanent) at $58 a week to assistant chef (temporary) at $65.50 a week.

Mary E. Driscoll, 49 Worthington street, Roxbury, from senior clerk and stenographer at $68 a week to principal clerk and stenographer at $70.50 a week.

Frederick C. Flynn, Long Island Hospital, from hospital house worker (permanent) at $56.60 a week to senior hospital kitchen worker (temporary) at $60.50 a week.

Florence Lespasio, Long Island Hospital, from head nurse at $76.50 a week to supervisor of nurses at $80 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Bridge Division.

Pauline A. Lealy, 1687 Commonwealth avenue, Brighton, from cashier at $76.50 a week to principal account clerk at $80 a week.

Sanitary Division.

John J. Duffy, 25 Dustin street, Brighton, from heavy motor equipment operator and laborer at $65.50 a week to motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week.

Water Division.

Ralph F. Scopa, 238 Poplar street, Roslindale, from water service maintenance man at $63 a week to water service repairman at $65.50 a week.

James M. McNicholas, 57 Harvard street, Dorchester, from laborer at $58 a week to water service repairman at $60.50 a week.

Joseph M. Finneran, 36 Howe street, Dorchester, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior clerk and typist

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Transfers.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

James A. McGuire, 49 South street, Jamaica Plain, from Health Department as ambulance driver at $70.50 a week to Hospital Department as ambulance driver at $70.50 a week.

Leaves of Absence.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Thomas J. Hughes, 114 Princeton street, East Boston, senior egress inspector, $83.50 a week.

Edward M. O'Flaherty, 31 Lindall street, West Roxbury, chief building inspector, $108.25 a week.

Jerome J. Lynch, Jr., 925 Centre street, Jamaica Plain, clerk-typist, $43.36 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Sanatorium Division.

Mary Clifford, 307 East Eighth street, South Boston, hospital house worker, $50.50 a week.

Edith M. Lamb, 5 Walton street, Dorchester, hospital kitchen worker, $48 a week.

Step-Rate Increases.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

James M. O'Leary, public health dentist, from $80 to $83.50 a week.

Charles O'Connor, chief, Bureau of Food, from $94 to $98.75 a week.

Ethel S. Stein, dental assistant, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Joseph H. White, junior building custodian, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Bernadette Campbell, senior clerk, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Helen G. Hannon, clerk and typist, part time, from $40.50 to $43 a week.

Eleanor Marchand, clerk and typist, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Louise I. Gillis, research laboratory technician, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Thomas Wiley, senior X-ray technician, temporary, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Roland Cantalupo, X-ray technician, temporary, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Francis Morrill, senior X-ray technician, temporary, from $55.08 to $58 a week.

Mary F. Noyes, hospital house worker, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Margaret Manning, hospital house worker, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

Helen Allen, head nurse, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Floor Nurses.

	From	To
Nancy Forsyth,	$63.00	$65.50
Bertha Lyons,	63.00	65.50
Marion O'Boyle,	60.50	63.00
Lorraine Williams,	60.50	63.00

Ruth J. Howser, nurse anesthetist, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Hospital Medical Workers.

	From	To
Ethel M. Brodis,	$48.00	$50.50
Anne Chappelle,	43.00	45.50
Margaret Crowley,	50.50	53.00
Genevieve Doherty,	48.00	50.50
Barbara F. Flynn,	43.00	45.50
Alice M. Gates,	43.00	45.50
Mary E. Jones,	43.00	45.50
Dorothy Farrar,	43.00	45.50
Josephine Kowalczyk,	43.00	45.50
Mary T. Mahoney,	43.00	45.50
Rita M. Monahan,	48.00	50.50
Abbie M. Rochefort,	45.50	48.00
Anna Salenas,	43.00	45.50
Alice Washburn,	43.00	45.50
Placido Ferrara,	48.00	50.50
William H. Mattie,	45.50	48.00
Samuel J. Muscato,	48.00	50.50
John J. Smith,	48.00	50.50
Hattie Bennett,	48.00	50.50
Bridget M. Foley,	48.00	50.50
Mildred A. Sharp,	48.00	50.50

Hospital Laundry Workers.

	From	To
Ruth Beiderman,	$50.50	$53.00
Lincoln Benson,	70.50	73.00
Harry J. Pitts,	43.00	45.50
Mary T. Sanford,	50.50	53.00
Marcus VanPragg,	43.00	45.50

Hospital Kitchen Workers.

	From	To
Samuel Smith, Jr.,	$48.00	$50.50
Philip M. Bonaffine,	48.00	50.50
Madeline R. Buchanan,	49.49	50.50
Madeline R. Buchanan,	51.99	53.00

Sanatorium Division.

Grace Dooley, clerk and typist, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Anthony Jerzylo, steam fireman, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Agnes Ward, senior clerk and typist, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Mary MacMillan, licensed attendant nurse, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

John Lyons, senior hospital house worker, grounds, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Mary O'Connor, hospital house worker, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

Margaret Butler, hospital medical worker, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Mary Lane, hospital medical worker, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

Elizabeth Maloney, hospital medical worker, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Ellen Wilkinson, hospital medical worker, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

James Cadigan, senior hospital kitchen worker, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Grace Mackey, hospital laundry worker, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

James Kennedy, building construction and repair inspector, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Cecile V. Doyle, telephone operator, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

VETERANS' SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

William J. McGee, veterans' services supervisor, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Overtime Allowed.

BOSTON RETIREMENT BOARD.

For the week ending June 1:

Anna J. Casey, head clerk, 3 hours, $9; Jerry R. Colella, senior pension examiner, 60 hours, $180; Anna T. McCarthy, principal clerk and typist, 45 hours, $135; M. Stephen McCrann, disability pension analyst, 27½ hours, $79.18; Daniel F. Moynihan, principal pension examiner, 21 hours, $63.

VETERANS' RETIREMENTS.

The Mayor has approved the following veterans' applications for retirement:

Robert J. Fitzgibbons, 76 Pinckney street, patrolman, City Prison, Police Department.

Barnet Rudman, 66 American Legion Highway, Dorchester, master, Boston Latin School, School Department.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award the contracts for work, materials, and supplies, in accordance with recommendations of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Purchasing Division.

Upon March 23 the Mayor approved a contract with lowest bidders as indicated for furnishing groceries and canned goods to the various city departments, from April 1, 1955 to September 30, 1955, inclusive. Items 74, 89, 91, 120, and 133 are rejected and will be purchased in the open market when and where available. Approximate total amounts of awards were as follows:

Contracts for: Radio Foods Corporation, $28,703.50, net, delivered; George D. Emerson Company, $16,715.80, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $11,595.10, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; E. Sherman Company, $9,544.52, net, 30 days; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $7,963.41, net, 15 days; Armour & Co., $6,044.25, net; Standard Brands, Inc., $4,464.36, net, 30 days; Monarch Finer Foods, Division Consolidated Foods Corporation, $3,274.10, net, 30 days; H. J. Heinz Company, $3,197.70, net; T. A. Faulds Company, Division of Vaka Brothers Corporation, $2,024.18, net; H. A. Johnson Company, $1,929.80, less 1 per cent

discount, time of payment; American Flour Company, $1,838.70, net, 20 days; Megowen Educator Food Company, $1,470.79, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; National Biscuit Company, $1,188.55, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; Kellogg Sales Company, $1,021.33, net, 30 days.

Orders for: Ralston Purina Company, $697.50, net, 30 days; New England Importation Company, Inc., $296.08, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; Vintage Brand Foods, $258.50, net, 30 days.

Bids, opened March 7, were as follows:

Groceries and Canned Goods.

Item 1. 150 Cases Apples, Sliced, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $5.72*; H. A. Johnson Company, $5.75; Radio Foods Corporation, $5.70; E. Sherman Company, $5.95; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $6.75.

Item 2. 350 Cases Applesauce, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $4.47; H. A. Johnson Company, $4.33; Monarch Finer Foods, $4.39; Radio Foods Corporation, $4.10*; E. Sherman Company, $4.64; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $4.249; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $4.38; Vintage Brand Foods, $4.52.

Item 3. 175 Cases Apricots, Halves, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $7.09*; H. A. Johnson Company, $7.25.

Item 4. 200 Cases Fruit Cocktail, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $7.32; H. A. Johnson Company, $7.77; Monarch Finer Foods, $7.30; Radio Foods Corporation, $7.10*; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $7.298; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $7.30.

Item 5. 20 Cases Grapefruit, Whole, 12/50, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $5.10; H. A. Johnson Company, $5.33; Monarch Finer Foods, $4.99; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $4.98.*

Item 6. 30 Cases Grapefruit, Broken, 12/50, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $5.10; Radio Foods Corporation, $4.90.*

Item 7. 350 Cases Peaches, Halves, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $6.08; H. A. Johnson Company, $6.33; Radio Foods Corporation, $5.85; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $5.95.*

Item 8. 450 Case Peaches, Sliced, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $6.43; H. A. Johnson Company, $6.33; Radio Foods Corporation, $6.*

Item 9. 475 Cases Pears, Halves, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $7.29*; H. A. Johnson Company, $7.77; Monarch Finer Foods, $7.35; Radio Foods Corporation, $7.25; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $7.40, 30/35 count.

Item 10. 130 Cases Pineapple, Crushed, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $5.93; H. A. Johnson Company, $5.99; Monarch Finer Foods, $5.90; Radio Foods Corporation, $5.60*; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $5.78.

Item 11. 200 Cases Pineapple, Broken, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $6.42; H. A. Johnson Company, $6.79; Monarch Finer Foods, $6.55; Radio Foods Corporation, $6.25*; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $6.38.

Item 12. 20 Cases Pineapple, Slieed, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $7.22; H. A. Johnson Company, $7.39; Radio Foods Corporation, $7.20; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $7.05.*

Item 13. 180 Cases Plums, Purple, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $4.46*; H. A. Johnson Company, $4.74; Monarch Finer Foods, $4.75, Radio Foods Corporation, $4.67.

Item 14. 70 Cases Asparagus, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $8.95*; H. A. Johnson Company, $9.57; Monarch Finer Foods, $9.10.

Item 15. 30 Cases Baked Beans, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $4.42; H. A. Johnson Company, $4.85; Monarch Finer Foods, $4.30; Radio Foods Corporation, $4.05*; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $4.196; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $4.35.

Item 16. 600 Cases Stringless Beans, Cut, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $3.47; H. A. Johnson Company, $3.77; Monarch Finer Foods, $3.40; Radio Foods Corporation, $3.25; E. Sherman Company, $4.37; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $3.243*; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $3.64.

Item 17. 110 Cases Wax Beans, Cut, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $4.09*; H. A. Johnson Company, $4.14; Monarch Finer Foods, $4.19; Radio Foods Corporation, $4.35; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $4.463; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $4.60.

Item 18. 60 Cases Lima Beans, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $5.60; H. A. Johnson Company, $6.60; Monarch Finer Foods, $5.63, green and white; Radio Foods Corporation, $5*; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $5.63.

Item 19. 465 Cases Slieed Beets, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $3.33*; H. A. Johnson Company, $3.77; Monarch Finer Foods, $3.65; Radio Foods Corporation, $3.35; E. Sherman Company, $3.87; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $3.55.

Item 20. 180 Cases Dieed Carrots, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $3.04; H. A. Johnson Company, $3.38; Monarch Finer Foods, $3.28; Radio Foods Corporation, $2.85*; E. Sherman Company, $3.82; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $2.99.

Item 21. 475 Cases Cream Corn, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $3.73*; H. A. Johnson Company, $4.77; Monarch Finer Foods, $4.15; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $4.45; Radio Foods Corporation, $4.15.

Item 22. 40 Cases Cream Corn, No. 2 or No. 303, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $3.10, 24/303; H. A. Johnson Company, $3.07, 24/303; Monarch Finer Foods, $2.75, 24/303; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $2.75, 24/303*; Radio Foods Corporation, $2.90, 24/303.

Item 23. 40 Cases Cranberry Sauee, Strained, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $6.23; H. A. Johnson Company, $7.34, Ocean Spray; Monarch Finer Foods, $5.92*; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $6.70; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $6.80; Radio Foods Corporation, $6.50.

Item 24. 85 Cases Mushrooms, Pieces and Stems, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $17.47; H. A. Johnson Company, $21.12; Monarch Finer Foods, $16.98; E. Sherman Company, $16.79*; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $17.37.

Item 25. 790 Cases Peas, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $4.42; H. A. Johnson Company, $4.66; E. Sherman Company, $4.59; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $4.40; Radio Foods Corporation, $4.25.*

Item 26. 10 Cases Dried Onions, White, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $7.34; H. A. Johnson Company, $7.45; Monarch Finer Foods, $6.90; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $6.95*; H. J. Heinz Company, $7.50, Magic, 1-pound, 12-ounce tins; Radio Foods Corporation, $7.72.

Item 27. 50 Cases Dried Onions, 2/12½-Pound or 2/16-Pound, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, 70 cents per pound; E. Sherman Company, $10.92*, 2/16-pound; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $15.50, 2/12½-pound, chips.

Item 28. 30 Cases Pimentos, 24/14-Ounee, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $8.62; H. A. Johnson Company, $8.22; Monarch Finer Foods, $7.85; E. Sherman Company, $14.49, whole and broken, 15 cases, 48/15-ounce; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $8.226; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $8.*

Item 29. 100 Cases Potatoes, Sweet, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $5.95; H. A. Johnson Company, $5.65; Monarch Finer Foods, $5.25; E. Sherman Company, $5.29; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $5.25.*

Item 30. 15 Cases Squash, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $3.85; H. A. Johnson Company, $3.35; Radio Foods Corporation, $2.77*; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $3.50.

Item 31. 140 Cases Sauerkraut, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $2.61; H. A. Johnson Company, $2.89; Monarch Finer Foods, $2.50; Radio Foods Corporation, $2.75; E. Sherman Company, $5.18; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $2.493*; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $2.85.

Item 32. 140 Cases Spinaeh, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $3.42; H. A. Johnson Company, $3.38; Monarch Finer Foods, $3.45; Radio Foods Corporation, $3.30; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $3.189*; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $3.30.

Item 33. 700 Cases Tomatoes, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $4.59*; H. A. Johnson Company, $5.49.

Item 34. 150 Cases Tomatoes, California Pack, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $5.20; H. A. Johnson Company, $4.89*; H. J. Heinz Company, $6.54.

Item 35. 17 Cases Ketchup, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $6.73; H. A. Johnson Company, $6.29; Monarch Finer Foods, $6.50; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $6.10*; H. J. Heinz Company, $7.37, Fancy, 7-pound 8-ounce; Stokes Food Service, $6.30, Hunt's.

Item 36. 120 Cases Ketchup, 24/14-Ounee, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $4.43; H. A. Johnson Company, $4.44; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $3.95*; H. J. Heinz Company, $4.81, Fancy; Stokes Food Service, $4.295, Snider's.

Item 37. 80 Cases Tomato Paste, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $7.60; Radio Foods Corporation, $7.12*; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $7.85; H. J. Heinz Company, $8.24, Fancy.

Item 38. 420 Cases Tomato Puree, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $4.43; H. A. Johnson Company, $4.52; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $4.25.*

Dietetie Fruits and Vegetables.

Item 39. 20 Cases Apricots, Halves, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $6.21, No. 303; H. A. Johnson Company, $5.66, 24/303; Monarch Finer Foods, $5.35, 24/303; Radio Foods Corporation, $5.57, 24/303; E. Sherman Company, $5.18; 24/303*; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $5.75, 24/303.

Item 40. 15 Cases Peaches, Halves, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $5.75, No. 303; H. A. Johnson Company, $5.66, 24/303; Monarch Finer Foods, $4.55, 24/303*; Radio Foods Corporation,

$5.15, 24/303; E. Sherman Company, $4.93, 24/303; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $5.30, 24/303.

Item 41. 67 Cases Peaches, Sliced, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $5.80, No. 303; H. A. Johnson Company, $5.66, 24/303; Monarch Finer Foods, $4.60, 24/303*; Radio Foods Corporation, $5.22, 24/303; E. Sherman Company, $4.89, 24/303; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $5.30, 24/303.

Item 42. 77 Cases Pears, Halves, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $6.90, No. 303; H. A. Johnson Company, $6.69, 24/303; Monarch Finer Foods, $5.55, 24/303*; Radio Foods Corporation, $6.19, 24/303; E. Sherman Company, $5.84, 24/303; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $6.25, 24/303.

Item 43. 102 Cases Beans, Cut, Stringless, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $4.47, 24/303; H. A. Johnson Company, $2.46, 12/303; Monarch Finer Foods, $4.35, 24/303; Radio Foods Corporation, $4.33, 24/303; E. Sherman Company, $4.14, 24/303*; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $4.50, 24/303.

Item 44. 55 Cases Beans, Wax, Cut, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $4.70, 24/303; H. A. Johnson Company, $2.46, 12/303; Monarch Finer Foods, $4.40, 24/303; Radio Foods Corporation, $4.33, 24/303*; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $4.50, 24/303.

Item 45. 60 Cases Asparagus, Cuts, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $7.40, 24/300; H. A. Johnson Company, $10.14, 24/14½-ounce; Monarch Finer Foods, $6.35, 24/303*; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $8.80, 24/2.

Item 46. 30 Cases Corn, Cream Style, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $4.80, No. 303; Radio Foods Corporation, $3.40, 24/303*; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $3.50, 24/303.

Item 47. 25 Cases Corn, Whole Kernel, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $4.90, No. 303; Monarch Finer Foods, $3.65, 24/303; Radio Foods Corporation, $3.24, 24/303*; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $3.70, 24/303.

Item 48. 40 Cases Carrots, Diced, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $3.90, No. 303, sliced; H. A. Johnson Company, $1.60, 12/303; Monarch Finer Foods, $3.40, 14/303, sliced; Radio Foods Corporation, $2.58, 24/303*; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $3.45, 24/303.

Item 49. 102 Cases Peas, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $4.40, 24/303; H. A. Johnson Company, $2.44, 12/303; Monarch Finer Foods, $3.95, 24/303*; Radio Foods Corporation, $4.33, 24/303; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $4.50, 24/303; E. Sherman Company, $4.14, 24/303.

Item 50. 10 Cases Tomatoes, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $5.29, 24/303; H. A. Johnson Company, $3.20, 12/2; Monarch Finer Foods, $4.35, 24/303*; Radio Foods Corporation, $4.74, 24/303; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $6, 24/2; E. Sherman Company, $5.19, 24/303.

Item 51. 5 Cases Tomato Juice, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $3.57, 24/303; H. A. Johnson Company, $1.75, 12/2*; Monarch Finer Foods, $2.40, 24/12-ounce; Radio Foods Corporation, $3.19, 24/303; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $3.75, 24/2.

Jams and Jellies.

Item 52. 59 Cases Raspberry Jam, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $13.40; H. A. Johnson Company, $16.90, 51-pound; E. Sherman Company, $11.84, 8-pound 6-ounce; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $11.50, 49½-pound*; Vintage Brand Foods, $12.99, 49½-pound; New England Importation Company, $12.70, 56-pound.

Item 53. 52 Cases Strawberry Jam, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $13.40; H. A. Johnson Company, $19.25, 51-pound; E. Sherman Company, $13.84, 8-pound 6-ounce; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $12.20, 49½-pound*; Vintage Brand Foods, $13, 49½-pound; New England Importation Company, $14.60, 56-pound.

Item 54. 30 Cases Apple Jelly, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $6.35; H. A. Johnson Company, $8.70, 49½-pound; E. Sherman Company, $6.24, 8-pound 6-ounce; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $6.15, 49½-pound*; Vintage Brand Foods, $6.20, 49½-pound; New England Importation Company, $6.40, 56-pound.

Item 55. 14 Cases Currant Jelly, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $12.90; H. A. Johnson Company, $14.50, 49½-pound; E. Sherman Company, $9.24, 8-pound 6-ounce*; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $10.25, 49½-pound; Vintage Brand Foods, $12.75, 49½-pound; New England Importation Company, $9.65, 56-pound.

Item 56. 29 Cases Grape Jelly, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $8.70; H. A. Johnson Company, $11.15, 49½-pound; E. Sherman Company, $7.24, 8-pound 6-ounce*; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $7.88, 49½-pound; Vintage Brand Foods, $8.55, 49½-pound; New England Importation Company, $7.95, 56-pound; H. J. Heinz Company, $12.96, Heinz, Fancy, Pure.

Juices.

Item 57. 565 Cases Apple, Gallons, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $2.33; H. A. Johnson Company, $6.95; Monarch Finer Foods, $2.35; Radio Foods Corporation, $2.15*; E. Sherman Company, $2.49; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $2.25; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $2.179.

Item 58. 650 Cases Cranberry, 4/Gallon, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $5.99; H. A. Johnson Company, $6.18; Radio Foods Corporation, $5.83; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $5.689*; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $5.90.

Item 59. 800 Cases Grapefruit, 12/46-Ounce, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $2.73; H. A. Johnson Company, $2.72; Monarch Finer Foods, $2.84; Radio Foods Corporation, $2.45*; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $2.66.

Item 60. 100 Cases Grape, 12/Quart, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $4.47; H. A. Johnson Company, $4.49; E. Sherman Company, $4.58; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $4.039*; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $4.35.

Item 61. 90 Cases Orange, 12/46-Ounce, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $3.45; H. A. Johnson Company, $3.95; Monarch Finer Foods, $2.95*; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $3.25.

Item 62. 550 Cases Pineapple, 12/46-Ounce, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $2.97; H. A. Johnson Company, $2.89; Monarch Finer Foods, $2.84; Radio Foods Corporation, $2.55*; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $2.689; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $2.85.

Item 63. 75 Cases Prune, 12/46-Ounce, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $4.82; H. A. Johnson Company, $4.83; Monarch Finer Foods, $4.60; Radio Foods Corporation, $4.10; E. Sherman Company, $4.37; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $4.15.*

Item 64. 850 Cases Tomato, 6/10-Ounce, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $2.84; H. A. Johnson Company, $2.93; Radio Foods Corporation, $2.50*; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $2.95; H. J. Heinz Company, $3.72, California, Fancy.

Item 65. 50 Cases V-8 Cocktail, 12/46-Ounce, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $1.45; Radio Foods Corporation, $3.99*; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $3.997; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $4.10.

Dried Fruits and Vegetables.

Item 66. 500 Pounds Currants, 30's, Per Pound.—H. A. Johnson Company, 18 cents; Monarch Finer Foods, 17.5 cents*; E. Sherman Company, 18.33 cents.

Item 67. 4,200 Pounds Prunes, 40/50, 30's, Per Pound.—George D. Emerson Company, 29.7 cents; H. A. Johnson Company, 26 cents*; Monarch Finer Foods, 26.5 cents; E. Sherman Company, 26.49 cents.

Item 68. 4,100 Pounds Prunes, 50/60, 30's, Per Pound.—George D. Emerson Company, 24.7 cents; H. A. Johnson Company, 26 cents; Monarch Finer Foods, 23 cents*; E. Sherman Company, 24.18 cents.

Item 69. 3,000 Pounds Raisins, 30's, Per Pound.—George D. Emerson Company, 14.2 cents; H. A. Johnson Company, 14.25 cents; Monarch Finer Foods, 13.75 cents; Radio Foods Corporation, 13.5 cents*; E. Sherman Company, 14.23 cents; American Flour Company, 14.25 cents.

Item 70. 170 Bags Pea Beans, 100's, Per Bag.—George D. Emerson Company, $13.40*; Radio Foods Corporation, $13.50.

Item 71. 23 Bags Red Kidney Beans, 100's, Per Bag.—George D. Emerson Company, $12.80; Radio Foods Corporation, $10.50.*

Item 72. 113 Bags Yellow Split Peas, 100's, Per Bag.—George D. Emerson Company, $12.20; H. A. Johnson Company, $11.99; Radio Foods Corporation, $13.25; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $11.90.*

Item 73. 2 Bags Green Split Peas, 100's, Per Bag.—H. A. Johnson Company, $15.90.*

Item 74. 15 Bags Barley, 100's.—Bids rejected.

Item 75. 62 Bags Rice, 100's, Per Bag.—George D. Emerson Company, $11.60; H. A. Johnson Company, $13.73; E. Sherman Company, $11.24*; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $11.75; American Flour Company, $11.50.

Soups, Campbell's or Heinz Only, 12/50- or 51-Ounce.

Item 76. 360 Cases Tomato, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $5.33; H. A. Johnson Company, $5.39; Radio Foods Corporation, $5; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $5.10; H. J. Heinz Company, $4.80.*

Item 77. 150 Cases Mushroom, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $7.63; H. A. Johnson Company, $8.89; Radio Foods Corporation, $7.42; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $7.41; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $7.50; H. J. Heinz Company, $7.20.*

Item 78. 20 Cases Chicken Noodle, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $7.63; H. A. Johnson Company, $8.89; Radio Foods Corporation, $7.42; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $7.41; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $7.50; H. J. Heinz Company, $7.20.*

Item 79. 10 Cases Celery, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $6.44; H. A. Johnson Company, $8.89; Radio Foods Corporation, $6.03; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $6.10.*

Item 80. 42 Cases Vegetable, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $6.44; H. A. Johnson Company, $6.50; Radio Foods Corporation, $6.03; M. Stoll &

Co., Inc., $6.031; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $6.10; H. J. Heinz Company, $5.85.*

Cereals and Craekers.

Item 81. 3,500 Pounds Farina, 50's, Per Pound.—Radio Foods Corporation, 7.65 cents; American Flour Company, 7.35 cents.*

Item 82. 9,000 Pounds Whole Wheat Cereal, 50's, Per Pound.—Ralston Purina Company, 7.75 cents, Ralston.*

Item 83. 17,500 Pounds Rolled Oats, 50's, Per Pound.—Radio Foods Corporation, 6.1 cents*; American Flour Company, 6.36 cents; Ralston Purina Company, 6.6 cents, Ralston.

Item 84. 275 Cases Corn Flakes, 24/12-Ounce, Per Case.—VanBrode Milling Company, $4, VanBrode, 36/8-ounce; Kellogg Sales Company, $3.06*; Ralston Purina Company, $3.60, Ralston.

Item 85. 30 Cases Rice Krispics, 36/5½-Ounce, Per Case.—VanBrode Milling Company, $4.40, VanBrode, Crisp Rice; Kellogg Sales Company, $4.15*; Ralston Purina Company, $3.87, 24/6-ounce, Ralston, Rice Chex.

Item 86. 3,000 Pounds Maltex, 100's, Per Bag—George D. Emerson Company, $12.28; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $11.31*; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $11.60.

Item 87. 15 Cases, All Bran, 12/1-Pound, Per Case.—Kellogg Sales Company, $2.538; National Biscuit Company, $2.538, Nabisco.*

Item 88. 30 Cases, Shredded Wheat, 24/12-Ounce, Per Case.—Kellogg Sales Company, $3.60; National Biscuit Company, $3.666, Nabisco*; Ralston Purina Company, $3.60, Biscuits.

Item 89. 34 Cases Farina, 24/28-Ounce.—Bids rejected.

Item 90. 34 Cases Maltex, 18/22-Ounce, Per Case.—Radio Foods Corporation, $5.15; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $5.113*; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $5.25.

Item 91. 16 Cases Pep, 24/10-Ounce, Per Case.—VanBrode Milling Company, $4.25, Wheat Flakes, 36/8-ounce; Kellogg Sales Company, $3.45825.*

Item 92. 30 Cases Maypo Oat Cereal, 18/20-Ounce, Per Case.—Radio Foods Corporation, $5.15; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $5.113*; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $5.25.

Item 93. 6,590 Pounds Saltines, 1-Pound, Per Pound.—Megowen Educator Food Company, 18.93 cents, Educator*; National Biscuit Company, 21.1 cents, Nabisco.

Item 94. 1,600 Pounds Saltines, 2-Pound.—Bids rejected.

Item 95. 4,000 Pounds Graham Craekers, 1-Pound, Per Pound.—Megowen Educator Food Company, 16.19 cents, 10-ounce package, 6,400 10-ounce packages, Educator; National Biscuit Company, 26 cents, Nabisco.*

Item 96. 300 Pounds Oyster Crackers, Bulk, Per Pound.—Megowen Educator Food Company, 20.3 cents, 5-pound carton, Educator*; National Biscuit Company, 22.5 cents, Dandy.

Item 97. 1,600 Pounds Craeker Meal, Per Pound.—George D. Emerson Company, 11.7 cents, 25's; M. Stoll & Company, Inc., 11.2 cents, 10's or 25's; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., 11 cents, 25's; American Flour Company, 11 cents, 25's; Megowen Educator Food Company, 10.15 cents, 8-pound bags, Educator*; National Biscuit Company, 15.9 cents, 25-pounds.

Cake Mixes.

Item 98. 1,200 Pounds Biscuit Mix, Per Pound.—H. A. Johnson Company, 16.95 cents, "Downyflake"; American Flour Company, 13 cents; T. A. Faulds Company, 12.9 cents, "Red-E-Made"; Stokes Food Service, 19.4 cents, "Modern Maid."

Item 99. 900 Pounds Bran Muffin Mix, Per Pound.—H. A. Johnson Company, 18.7 cents, "Downyflake"; American Flour Company, 13 cents; T. A. Faulds Company, 12.35 cents, "Red-E-Made"; Stokes Food Service, 19.1 cents, "Modern Maid."

Item 100. 1,500 Pounds Corn Muffin Mix, Per Pound.—H. A. Johnson Company, 18.62 cents; American Flour Company, 14.25 cents; T. A. Faulds Company, 12.25 cents*; Stokes Food Service, 19.1 cents.

Item 101. 2,700 Pounds Chocolate Cake Mix, Per Pound.—H. A. Johnson Company, 25.56 cents; American Flour Company, 18.75 cents; T. A. Faulds Company, 15.24 cents*; Stokes Food Service, 29.8 cents.

Item 102. 2,000 Pounds Coffee Cake Mix, Per Pound.—H. A. Johnson Company, 17.78 cents; American Flour Company, 11.25 cents; T. A. Faulds Company, 10.9 cents*; Stokes Food Service, 27.5 cents.

Item 103. 4,000 Pounds Gingerbread Mix, Per Pound.—H. A. Johnson Company, 20.56 cents; American Flour Company, 15.5 cents; T. A. Faulds Company, 13.5 cents*; Stokes Food Service, 18.7 cents.

Item 104. 3,000 Pounds Spice Cake Mix, Per Pound.—H. A. Johnson Company, 22.78 cents; American Flour Company, 14.85 cents*; T. A. Faulds Company, 15.25 cents; Stokes Food Service, 18.7 cents.

Item 105. 3,000 Pounds White Cake Mix, Per Pound.—H. A. Johnson Company, 25 cents, "Downyflake"; American Flour Company, 14.5 cents; T. A. Faulds Company, 13.5 cents, "Red-E-Made"*; Stokes Food Service, 18.7 cents, "Modern Maid."

Puddings and Gelatine.

Item 106. 3,600 Pounds Butterscotch Pudding, Per Pound.—Standard Brands, Inc., 23.44 cents, Royal*; Stokes Food Service, 29.28 cents, Jello.

Item 107. 4,700 Pounds Chocolate Pudding, Per Pound.—Standard Brands, Inc., 26.04 cents, Royal*; Stokes Food Service, 27.1 cents, Jello.

Item 108. 3,000 Pounds Vanilla Pudding, Per Pound.—Standard Brands, Inc., 23.44 cents, Royal*; Stokes Food Service, 29.28 cents, Jello.

Item 109. 5,600 Pounds Assorted Gelatine, Per Pound.—Standard Brands, Inc., 30.24 cents, Royal*; Stokes Food Service, 33.33 cents, Jello.

Spaghetti and Macaroni.

Item 110. 3,200 Pounds Macaroni, Plain, Per Pound.—George D. Emerson Company, 14 cents; H. A. Johnson Company, 14.3 cents; E. Sherman Company, 11.84 cents.*

Item 111. 6,000 Pounds Macaroni, Elbow, Per Pound.—George D. Emerson Company, 14 cents; H. A. Johnson Company, 14.3 cents; E. Sherman Company, 11.44 cents.*

Item 112. 12,000 Pounds Spaghetti, Per Pound.—George D. Emerson Company, 14 cents; H. A. Johnson Company, 14.3 cents; E. Sherman Company, 11.64 cents.*

Item 113. 1,200 Pounds Egg Noodles, Per Pound.—George D. Emerson Company, 26 cents; H. A. Johnson Company, 24.3 cents; E. Sherman Company, 20.97 cents.*

Fish.

Item 114. 125 Cases Chopped Clams, 12/51-Ounce, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $12.73; H. A. Johnson Company, $13.23; Monarch Finer Foods, $12.50; Radio Foods Corporation, $12.27; E. Sherman Company, $12.34; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $12.38*; New England Citrus Bowl, $12.40.

Item 115. 25 Cases Crabmeat, 48/½, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $33.70; H. A. Johnson Company, $28.95, 48/6¼-ounce; Monarch Finer Foods, $29.25, 6½-ounce; E. Sherman Company, $26.44, 6½-ounce.*

Item 116. 10 Cases Sardines, in Oil, 100/¼, Per Case.—Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $7.88.*

Item 117. 75 Cases Red Alaska Salmon, 48/1-Pound, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $30.70; H. A. Johnson Company, $31.95; Monarch Finer Foods, $29.75; Radio Foods Corporation, $28.75*; E. Sherman Company, $29.53; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $31.

Item 118. 4 Cases Shrimp, Jumbo, 48/½, Per Case.—H. A. Johnson Company, $13.75, 4½-ounce.*

Item 119. 15 Cases Tuna, White, in Oil, 48/½, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $15.95; H. A. Johnson Company, $16.19, 7-ounce; Monarch Finer Foods, $15.60; 7-ounce; E. Sherman Company, $15, 6½/7-ounce; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $14.25, 7-ounce.*

Item 120. 10 Cases Tuna, White, in Oil, 48/13-Ounce.—Bids rejected.

Miscellaneous.

Item 121. 25 Cases Tuna, White, in Brine, 12/Large, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $29.90; H. A. Johnson Company, $14.69, 6/66-ounce; Monarch Finer Foods, $28.30, 66½-ounce; E. Sherman Company, $27.84, 74½-ounce,* Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $28, 66½-ounce.

Item 122. 30 Cases Accent, 12/1-Pound, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $24.40; H. A. Johnson Company, $24.44; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $21.32.*

Item 123. 50 Cases Ammonia, 12/Quart, Per Case.—M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $1.316*; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $1.50.

Item 124. 100 Cases Cornstarch, 24/1-Pound, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $2.73; H. A. Johnson Company, $2.98; Radio Foods Corporation, $2.59; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $2.433; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $2.60; Vintage Brand Foods, $2.19, lined paper bags.*

Item 125. 2,400 Pounds Dry Milk, Skim, 200's, Per Pound.—George D. Emerson Company, 19.7 cents; Radio Foods Corporation, 16.5 cents, 225's*; American Flour Company, 17.25 cents.

Item 126. 2,000 Pounds Dry Milk, Whole, 200's, Per Pound.—George D. Emerson Company, 41.7 cents; American Flour Company, 37 cents.*

Item 127. 75 Cases Evaporated Milk, 48/14½-Ounce, Per Case.—Radio Foods Corporation, $5.50; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $5.70; Armour & Co., $5.39.*

Item 128. 1,000 Cases Evaporated Milk, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $6.20; Radio Foods Corporation, $5.65; Armour & Co., $5.64.*

Item 129. 650 Gallons Molasscs, 55-Gallon Barrels, Per Gallon.—H. A. Johnson Company, 66 cents; Radio Foods Corporation, 82 cents; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., 59.7 cents.*

Item 130. 650 Gallons Cider Vinegar, 55-Gallon Barrels, Per Gallon.—Radio Foods Corporation, 32 cents*; Stickney & Poor, 36 cents, plus $3 returnable barrel.

Item 131. 1,224 Pounds Peanut Butter, 4/8½-Pound Jars, Per Pound.—George D. Emerson Company, 37.9 cents*; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., 38 cents.

Item 132. 2,000 Dozen Strained Fruits and Vegetables, Per Dozen.—George D. Emerson Company, $1.23, Gerber; Radio Foods Corporation, 99 cents*; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $1.02; H. J. Heinz Company, $1.10, Heinz, in glass.

Item 133. 330 Dozen Assorted Strained Meats.—Bids rejected.

Item 134. 1,000 Pounds Minute Tapioca, 6/5-Pound, Per Pound.—E. Sherman Company, 23.61 cents.*

Item 135. 1,050 Pounds Cocoa, 6/5-Pound, Per Pound.—George D. Emerson Company, 79 cents; E. Sherman Company, 58.13 cents*; New England Importation Company, 71.75 cents, Century; Stokes Food Service, 66.95 cents, Century.

Item 136. 2,000 Pounds Cocoa, 100's, Per Pound.—George D. Emerson Company, 67 cents; H. A. Johnson Company, 73.5 cents; E. Sherman Company, 54.59 cents*; New England Importation Company, 69.25 cents, 50's; Stokes Food Service, 63.95 cents, 50's.

Item 137. 10 Bags Baking Soda, 100's, Per Bag.—George D. Emerson Company, $4.25; Vintage Brand Foods, $3.95.*

Item 138. 40 Gallons Stuffed Manzanillo Olives, 4/Gallon, Per Gallon.—H. A. Johnson Company, $3.60; Monarch Finer Foods, $3.20; E. Sherman Company, $3.18; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $3.289; Suffolk Grocery Company, $3.05*; New England Importation Company, $3.50.

Item 139. 80 Gallons Sweet Cross-Cut Pickles, 4/Gallon, Per Gallon.—George D. Emerson Company, $1.57; H. A. Johnson Company, $1.75; Monarch Finer Foods, $1.38*; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $1.554; New England Importation Company, $1.45; H. J. Heinz Company, $1.53, No. 10 tin, Heinz, Fancy, 6/10.

Item 140. 120 Gallons Dill Pickles, 35/40, 4/Gallon, Per Gallon.—George D. Emerson Company, $1.15; H. A. Johnson Company, $1.23; Monarch Finer Foods, 99 cents, 20/25 cut; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $1.077; New England Importation Company, $1.0425*; H. J. Heinz Company, $1.26, No. 10 tin, Heinz, Genuine, 38's.

Item 141. 84 Gallons Sweet Mixed Pickles, 4/Gallon, Per Gallon.—George D. Emerson Company, $1.41; H. A. Johnson Company, $2.15; Monarch Finer Foods, $1.40; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $1.577; New England Importation Company, $1.345*; H. J. Heinz Company, $2.32, No. 10 tin, Heinz, Fancy, 6/10.

Item 142. 40 Gallons Sweet Mustard Pickles, 4/Gallon, Per Gallon.—George D. Emerson Company, $1.65, No. 10 tin; H. A. Johnson Company, $2.95; New England Importation Company, $1.15.*

Item 143. 80 Cases Chef-Boy-Ar-Dee Spaghetti Sauce, with Meat, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $6.48; H. A. Johnson Company, $7.29; Radio Foods Corporation, $6.15, 2 per cent cash discount*; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $6.30.

Item 144. 40 Cases Chef-Boy-Ar-Dee Spaghetti Sauce, Meatless, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $6.48; H. A. Johnson Company, $7.29; Radio Foods Corporation, $6.15, 2 per cent cash discount*; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $6.30.

Item 145. 300 Bags Table Salt, 100's, Per Bag.—American Flour Company, $1.32*; Thomas F. Culkeen, $1.41.

Item 146. 240 Pounds Assorted Junket, 1-Pound, Per Pound.—H. A. Johnson Company, 65 cents; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., 62 cents.*

Item 147. 540 Gallons Mayonnaise, 4-Gallon, Per Gallon.—George D. Emerson Company, $1.88, Gold; H. A. Johnson Company, $2.29, Bestovall; Monarch Finer Foods, $1.79, Monarch; Radio Foods Corporation, $1.55, Roberts*; E. Sherman Company, $1.61, Roberts; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $1.80, Bennet; New England Citrus Bowl, $1.65, Saratoga; New England Importation Company, $1.615, Muri.

Item 148. 500 Gallons Salad Dressing, 4-Gallon, Per Gallon.—George D. Emerson Company, $1.64, Roberts; H. A. Johnson Company, $1.89, Bestovall; Monarch Finer Foods, $1.48, Monarch; Radio Foods Corporation, $1.33, Roberts*; E. Sherman Company, $1.35, Roberts; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $1.399, Salad Time; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $1.38, Suffolk; Vintage Brand Foods, $1.39, Vintage; H. J. Heinz Company, $1.895, Heinz, Fancy; New England Importation Company, $1.395, Muri; Stokes Food Service, $2.03, McCormick.

Discount.—American Flour Company, net, 20 days; Armour & Co., net; Thomas F. Culkeen, net; George D. Emerson Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; T. A. Faulds Company, net; H. J. Heinz Company, net; H. A. Johnson Company, 1 per cent, time of payment; Kellogg Sales Company, net, 30 days; Megowen Educator Food Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Monarch Finer Foods, net, 30 days; National Biscuit Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; New England Citrus Bowl, net, delivered; New England Importation Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Radio Foods Corporation, net, delivered; Ralston Purina Company, net, 30 days; E. Sherman Company, net, 30 days; Standard Brands, Inc., net, 30 days; Stickney & Poor Spice Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Stokes Food Service, 1 per cent, 10 days, net, 30 days; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., net 15 days; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; VanBrode Milling Company, Inc., net, 30 days; Vintage Brand Foods, net, 30 days.

Remarks.—Vintage Brand Foods, Item 137, no bid on Purchasing copy, $3.95 on Auditor's copy.

* Contract awarded.

Upon May 25 the Mayor approved a contract with lowest bidders by item for furnishing general clothing and spreads to the various city departments. All bids received on Item 6 have been rejected and this item will be purchased in the open market at a later date at an approximate amount of $500. Approximate total amounts of awards were as follows:

Contracts for: Farley Harvey Company, Inc., $1,350; Whitehouse Manufacturing Company, Division of Opelika Manufacturing Corporation, $1,225.

Orders for: Taylor, Symonds Company, $513; Barnet Zelmyer, doing business as Zelmar Mills, $475.

Prices submitted by Whitehouse Manufacturing Company, Division of Opelika Manufacturing Corporation, are net; all other companies are offering a 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids, opened April 11, were as follows:

General Clothing and Spreads.

Requisition No. 6297, Boston City Hospital.

Item 1. 270 Crib Spreads, 54 x 80, As Specified, Each.—Sparrow Chisholm Company, $1.58; Taylor, Symonds Company, $1.45.*

Item 2. 270 Bassinet Spreads, 36 x 27, As Specified, Each.—Sparrow Chisholm Company, 95 cents; Taylor, Symonds Company, 45 cents.*

Requisition No. 6907, Boston City Hospital.

Item 3. 50 Dozen Spreads, 81 x 108, As Specified, Per Dozen.—Farley Harvey Company, Inc., $2.25 each, net*; Sparrow Chisholm Company, $29.50; Zelmar Mills, $31.

Requisition No. 6908, Boston City Hospital.

Item 4. 50 Dozen Surgeons' Gowns, As Specified, Per Dozen.—Angelica Uniform Company, Inc., $24.95; New England Company, $26; Sparrow Chisholm Company, $25.90; Taylor, Symonds Company, $26; Whitehouse Manufacturing Company, $24.50*; Zelmar Mills, $27.

Requisition No. 361, Penal Institutions Department.

Item 5. 100 Dozen White Broadcloth Shorts, As Specified, Per Dozen. Merchants Cash Corporation, $4.75; Taylor, Symonds Company, $4.40; Zelmar Mills, $4.75.*

Item 6. 100 Dozen Athletic Shirts, As Specified.—Bids rejected.

Discount.—Angelica Uniform Company, Inc., net, 10 days, end of month; Farley Harvey Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Merchants Cash Corporation, net; New England Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Sparrow Chisholm Company, net, 30 days; Taylor, Symonds Company, 2 per cent, time of payment, Whitehouse Manufacturing Company, net, 30 days; Zelmar Mills, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Earliest Delivery Date.—Angelica Uniform Company, Inc., 5 weeks after receipt of order; Farley Harvey Company, Inc., approximately 10 days from receipt of order; New England Company, 4 weeks after receipt of order; Sparrow Chisholm Company, all as wanted; Whitehouse Manufacturing Company, 30 days; Merchants Cash Corporation, 10 days; Taylor, Symonds Company, Item 5, prompt, Item 6, 2 weeks.

Remarks.—Angelica Uniform Company, Inc., bidding Angelica, Style X605-TH, sanforized jean twill, no ties in back, sew-on, 30 white composition buttons at top and 16 inches below; Taylor, Symonds Company, delivery, Items 1 and 2, 15 days, Item 3, 4 to 6 weeks, Item 4, 3 to 4 weeks; Farley Harvey Company, Inc., Item 3, bidding on size 86 x 105.

* Contract awarded.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Upon June 1 the Mayor approved a contract with Moore Construction Company, Inc., for sealing exterior masonry walls, to minimize their absorption and increase their repellency of water, at English High School. Bids, opened May 23, were as follows:

Moore Construction Company, Inc., $3,780; D. Antonellis, Inc., $4,200; Patrick Ross Company, $5,945; National Waterproofing Company, $6,297; F. DiCenzo & Sons, Inc., $7,898.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Upon June 3 the Mayor approved a contract with Smith & Bennett, Inc., for furnishing uniform overcoats, sack coats, and trousers to the Boston Fire Department. Bids, opened Friday, May 27, were as follows:

Smith & Bennett, Inc., $18,100; J. Hollis Company, Inc., $18,610; K. Fishtine & Son, $18,865.

Upon June 6 the Mayor approved a contract with A. F. Robinson Boiler Works for the conversion of five Mack hose wagons, Type 85, to five Engine

Squad pumping units, equipped with Class A, 750 g.p.m. pumps. Bids, opened Thursday, May 26, were as follows:

A. F. Robinson Boiler Works, $50,000; Mack Motor Truck Company, $62,095.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Upon June 6 the Mayor approved a contract with Parkman Construction Company for renewal of storm, sanitary, and electrical systems in basement of Medical Building, Boston City Hospital. Bids, opened Thursday, May 26, were as follows:

James A. Freaney, Inc., $26,769; Rossano Construction Company, Inc., $25,004; M. Solimando, $22,530; Parkman Construction Company, Inc., $21,523.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Upon June 6 the Mayor approved a contract with William P. Herlihy for constructing a new play area at Franklin Field, Dorchester. Bids, opened Tuesday, May 31, were as follows:

William P. Herlihy, $33,238.50; John McCourt Company, $35,990.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

Upon May 27 the Mayor approved a contract as requested in the following letter:

BOSTON, May 25, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

At a meeting of the Real Property Board duly held on Wednesday, May 25, 1955, it was unanimously

Voted, To accept the bid of Boston Auto Parks, Inc., a Massachusetts corporation, it being the highest bidder, in the amount of $3,255 per month, for the leasing of the off-street parking facility on Pearl, Franklin, and Hartford streets, Boston, for a term of six months, beginning June 1, 1955, and ending November 30, 1955, in accordance with the terms of the proposal and subject to the approval of the Mayor.

It was also unanimously

Voted, That the chairman is authorized to take the necessary legal steps for the preparation and execution of the lease to Boston Auto Parks, Inc., for a term of six months, beginning June 1, 1955, and ending November 30, 1955, at a monthly rental of $3,255, in accordance with the terms of the proposal and subject to the approval of the Mayor.

Following is a tabulation of the bids:

Boston Auto Parks, Inc., 25 Huntington avenue, $3,255 per month.

Court Street Parking Company, 22 Court street, $3,250 per month.

Kendall Square Garage Company, Inc., 10 Beach street, $3,155 per month.

Your approval of the action of the Board is respectfully requested.

Respectfully yours,

HERMAN CARP,
Commissioner of Real Property.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

The School Commitee has approved proposals for rebinding of books for Boston public schools. Bids, opened Tuesday, May 17, were received from the following concerns:

DesMoines Bookbindery Company, Heckman Bindery, Inc., College Bindery.

Award was made to the lowest responsible bidder, as follows:

DesMoines Bookbindery Company, $2,625.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

Upon varying dates as indicated the Mayor approved contracts with commercial houses, contractors, etc., for furnishing labor, supplies, etc. Communications from heads of the departments interested were as follows:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.
Purchasing Division.

BOSTON, June 1, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office is in receipt of a requisition from the Assessing Department for one (1) Remington-Rand electronic sorting machine for punch cards. This machine is now on rental and the rental charge will be entirely canceled when the machine is purchased.

Inasmuch as Remington Rand, Inc., is the sole manufacturer of this machine, it is my opinion that no advantage could be gained by publicly advertising for prices. Authority is therefore requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to Remington Rand, Inc., for one (1) Remington-Rand electronic sorting machine for punch cards.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $5,700, net. This amount includes $100 for freight prepaid.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, June 3, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR:

Your Honor's permission is requested to execute a contract, without publicly advertising for bids, with Roy B. Rendle & Co., Inc., 364 Border street, East Boston, for installing and fastening twenty-seven (27) new oak piles at the berths of fireboats, Engines 31 and 47, at the foot of Battery street, Boston, for a sum not to exceed $3,250.

The fireboat berths were damaged during the hurricane of August 31, 1954, to such an extent that it is now necessary to install new piles, and the work should be done as soon as possible in order to prevent damage to the fireboats when they are in dock.

Permission to do the work has been granted by the Hurricane Relief Board of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Bids were requested on this work from three companies in Boston who have the facilities for making such repairs. Two bids were received as follows:

Roy B. Rendle & Co., Inc., $3,250, W. H. Ellis & Son Company, $3,771.77.

This work should be done as quickly as possible and, in my opinion, no advantage would be gained by the city publicly advertising the repair work inasmuch as the price quoted by the Roy B. Rendle & Co., Inc., is very reasonable. It is also my opinion that no lower price could be obtained by the Fire Department for doing said work.

Respectfully yours,

FRANCIS X. COTTER,
Fire Commissioner.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

J. A. Singarella Company has been directed to perform the following extra work under the contract for redecking and repairing the Summer Street Bridge, over A street, B street, and C street, dated April 27, 1955:

Remove and dispose of MTA surface car rails on the bridge over A and B streets, as directed. (Rails on the bridge over C street are not to be removed.)

Estimated cost of extra work, $550.

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Faletra Brothers, Inc., have been directed to perform the following extra work under the contract for Brookway Footpath, cement concrete stairs and bituminous concrete walks; Bradeen Street Footway, Brookway terrace, bituminous concrete sidewalks, dated December 8, 1954:

In Brookway Footpath, provide insurance for New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad for bodily-injury coverage with limits of $150,000 each person, $300,000 each accident and property damage with limits of $100,000 each accident, $100,000 aggregate. This insurance is required by the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad for work done under track area.

Estimated cost of extra work, $667.80.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with J. E. Morin for hurricane emergency roofing work at the Mather School, from May 31, 1955, to June 30, 1955. This extension was requested because of a delay in work on account of iron work being done by another contractor not completed.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Doerico Construction Company, Inc., has been granted an extension of time until July 1, 1955, for the completion of the contract for subsoiling and concrete liners at Mount Hope Cemetery, West Roxbury.

RECENT FEDERAL ACTIONS AFFECTING CITIES.

The Housing Act of 1949, approved on July 15, authorized a uniform 10 per cent payment to cities in lieu of taxes on housing projects, but the independent offices appropriation bill passed on August 15 contains a provision that for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1950, only payments provided for in the original contract between the housing authority and the city are authorized for federal reimbursement.

Federal aid for hospital construction has been approved for nearly 800 projects; more than 600 are general hospitals and the great majority are in towns of under 10,000 population.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

SPECIAL MEETING.

Friday, May 20, 1955.

Special meeting of the City Council held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 2 P.M., President HURLEY in the chair. Absent, Councillors Foley, Hailer, Kerrigan, and McCormack.

The meeting was opened with the salute to the Flag.

The meeting waa held pursuant to the following call:

City of Boston,
City Clerk Department,
May 19, 1955.

A special meeting of the City Council will be held in its Chamber, City Hall, on Friday, May 20, 1955, at two o'clock P.M.

By order of the Court.

J. M. DUNLEA,
Assistant City Clerk.

Subject: To draw jurors.

Placed on file.

JURORS DRAWN.

Jurors were drawn in the manner prescribed by law, Councillor Piemonte presiding at the box, in the absence of the Mayor, viz.:

Sixty-eight traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, to appear June 7, 1955:

Henry E. Bruno, Ward 1; Edward Devau, Ward 1; Irene L. Dodge, Ward 1; Ralph Dotoli, Ward 1; Michael Lombardi, Ward 1; Mary Venezia, Ward 1; Walter E. Godfrey, Ward 3; Gregorio C. Pettinella, Ward 3; Flora Compton, Ward 4; Iona Jacobs, Ward 4; Daniel W. Morris, Ward 4; John D. Cuneo, Ward 5; Rudolph M. DeBonis, Ward 5; George R. Dolloff, Ward 5; Charles W. Fuller, Ward 5; Irving Goldberg, Ward 5; Eugene A. Prange, Ward 5; Herbert W. Richardson, Ward 5; Elizabeth M. Scullane, Ward 5; Thomas J. Joyce, Ward 6; Thomas P. McCole, Ward 6; Joseph E. Sullivan, Ward 6; John E. Carson, Ward 7; James F. Costello, Ward 8; James J. Sammon, Ward 8; Arthur W. Wright, Ward 8; James H. Lewis, Ward 10; Edward C. Bowen, Ward 11; Oswald F. Dalton, Ward 11; Winifred M. Gately, Ward 11; George G. McKinney, Ward 11; Peter D. Malloy, Ward 11; Paul A. Thompson, Ward 11.

Lillian Ammendolia, Ward 12; Walter E. Quinn, Ward 13; James J. Shea, Ward 13; Max Frank, Ward 14; Sarah Friedman, Ward 14; Murray Gartz, Ward 14; Moe Gilman, Ward 14; Albert B. Gavin, Ward 15; William Rowan, Ward 15; Charles K. Upham, Ward 15; Margaret E. Doody, Ward 16; George M. Gelt, Ward 16; William J. Mullins, Ward 16; George W. Murphy, Ward 16; Albert A. Shatas, Ward 16; Gertrude L. White, Ward 16; Jeanne B. Murphy, Ward 17; John J. O'Brien, Ward 17; Robert H. Pike, Ward 17; Jacob L. Sokolow, Ward 17; David G. Munroe, Ward 18; Rupert M. Richards, Ward 18; Gerald P. Smalley, Ward 18.

Archie J. McIsaac, Ward 19; William T. Dowd, Ward 20; Sadie Cherney, Ward 21; Ledson N. Collings, Ward 21; Edward Paul Joyce, Ward 21; Melvin Lerner, Ward 21; Leo S. Lisker, Ward 21; Norman K. Miskin, Ward 21; Frank L. Parent, Ward 21; Mary E. Dellano, Ward 22; Hubert S. Greenland, Ward 22; Bernard M. Peyser, Ward 22.

The purpose for which the meeting was called having been accomplished, President HURLEY declared the meeting adjourned at 2.30 P.M.

Monday, May 23, 1955.

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 2 P.M., President HURLEY in the chair. Absent, Councillor Kerrigan.

The Reverend Daniel P. Mahoney, S.J., of St. Andrew House, Boston, was escorted to the rostrum.

INVOCATION BY REV. DANIEL P. MAHONEY, S.J.

O God, Creator and Giver of all gifts, grant to us today the knowledge to apply to the problems that come before this Body; grant us the wisdom to apply that knowledge for all that is better for the welfare of our people, whether they be rich or poor, to the end that they may be better educated to the needs of our city. Amen.

The meeting was opened with the salute to the Flag.

President HURLEY presented to the Council former Governor John S. Battles of Virginia who made a brief address, and thanked the members for their courtesy and promised to reciprocate their treatment to him if they ever visited the Commonwealth of Virginia.

APPOINTMENTS BY THE MAYOR.

Subject to confirmation by the Council, the Mayor submitted the following appointments:

Constable with authority to serve civil process upon filing of bond for term ending April 30, 1956: Joseph Henry Donnelly, 550 Centre street, Jamaica Plain.

Weigher of Coal for term ending April 30, 1956: Lawrence H. Burkard, 296 California street, Newton.

Severally referred to the Committee on Confirmations.

INTERCOMMUNICATION SYSTEM BETWEEN ARTERIAL HIGHWAY APPROACHES AND OFF-STREET PARKING FACILITIES.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, May 23, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of the Real Property Department concerning your order of February 14, 1955, relative to large signs and intercommunication system on the Arterial Highway.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Real Property Department,
May 19, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.

Re: Councillor Foley's Order of February 14, 1955, Concerning Intercommunication System.

Dear Mr. Flemming:

The Real Property Board has been apprised of the Council order concerning the above.

The Board has directed the chairman to make a further study of methods of advising motorists as to the availability of parking spaces.

Very truly yours,
HERMAN CARP,
Commissioner of Real Property.

Placed on file.

COMPETITION IN MOTOR CARRIER TRANSPORTATION TO BOSTON.

On motion of Councillor Hurley the rules were suspended on the order of business to allow him to introduce the following resolution:

Whereas, The American system of free enterprise has devoted itself to maintaining competition in public transportation to the end that public transportation has taken great strides for the benefit of itself and for the American people; and

Whereas, Competition in the American way has been the basis of continual improvement in public means of transportation; and

Whereas, It is essential to the future of the City of Boston and its surrounding communities that transportation to and from Boston be continually improved and that competition in the furnishing of transportation to and from Boston be fostered and maintained as a basis for such improved services; be it therefore

Resolved, That the City of Boston does not favor the concentration and consolidation in any one company of motor carrier transportation between Boston, the Maritime Provinces, and the Gateway to Canada; and between Boston and the City of New York.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

REPORT ON OFF-STREET PARKING FACILITIES IN JAMAICA PLAIN.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, May 23, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of the Real Property Department relative to your order of April 18, 1955, concerning a progress report about the establishment of off-street parking facilities in Jamaica Plain.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Real Property Department,
May 19, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.

Re: City Council Order of April 18, 1955, Requesting a Progress Report Concerning the Establishment of Off-Street Parking Facilities in Jamaica Plain.

Dear Mr. Flemming:

An area has been designated by the Real Property Board for off-street parking in Jamaica Plain center.

The City Planning Board, in its recommendation to the Real Property Board, suggested that the structure now being used by the Jamaica Plain Post, V.F.W., at 11 Thomas street, Jamaica Plain, be included in the taking. As soon as there is a "meeting of the minds" by both Boards as to the including of said structure in the proposed taking, the facility can be installed.

HERMAN CARP,
Commissioner of Real Property.

Placed on file.

FIELDS CORNER PARKING AREA.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, May 23, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen.

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of the Real Property Department relative to your order of April 11, 1955, concerning the reopening of the study on parking area at Fields Corner, Dorchester.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Real Property Department,
May 19, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.

Re: Council Order of April 11, 1955, Concerning Reopening the Study on Parking Area at Fields Corner, Dorchester.

Dear Mr. Flemming:

Please be advised that further studies are now being made concerning creation of a parking area at Fields Corner, installation of said parking area having been tied up because of a clash of opinions of the merchants in the Fields Corner district as to the appropriate location for such an area.

HERMAN CARP,
Commissioner of Real Property.

Placed on file.

POSTING OF CITY-OWNED LAND TO BE SOLD AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, May 23, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of the Real Property Department relative to your order of February 28, 1955, concerning the posting of lists of city-owned foreclosed real estate on certain bulletin boards through the city.

Respectfully,
J. B. Hynes, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Real Property Department,
May 19, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.

Re: Council Order of February 28, 1955, Concerning the Posting of Lists of City-owned Foreclosed Real Estate on Certain Bulletin Boards Through the City.

Dear Mr. Flemming:

Please be advised that it has been the practice of the Real Property Board to publish annually such a list and to include therein the method whereby the general public may purchase said city-owned properties.

Copies of this publication may be obtained from the reference shelves of every branch of the Boston Public Library and they are also available to the general public at the office of the Real Property Board.

To date in 1955, due to a shortage of personnel, the new compilation has not as yet been prepared for the printers. As soon as there is a lull in the departmental work, we shall make an effort to compile the new book for publication, funds being available for that purpose.

HERMAN CARP,
Commissioner of Real Property.

Placed on file.

RESURFACING OF BAKER STREET, WEST ROXBURY.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, May 23, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Public Works relative to your order of May 9, 1955, concerning the resurfacing of Baker street, between Spring and Centre streets, West Roxbury.

Respectfully
J. B. Hynes, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Public Works Department,
May 17, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.

Dear Sir:

This is in reference to the following order that was passed in the City Council under date of May 9.

Ordered, That the Public Works Commissioner be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to

resurface Baker street, between Spring and Centre streets, West Roxbury.

The above-referenced matter will receive the immediate attention of the highway engineers and every reasonable effort will be made to improve the conditions of the above-referenced street some time in the future.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Placed on file.

RELEASE OF BOND OF SCULLY STEEL PRODUCTS COMPANY.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, May 17, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I submit herewith an order releasing the Fidelity and Casualty Company of New York from its liability on a $20,000 bond filed with the City of Boston in connection with a spur track crossing Lincoln street in Brighton.

In the accompanying communication from the Commissioner of Public Works, it is explained that the Fidelity and Casualty Company of New York desires to be released from its liability on the bond on the premise that a new bond was to be filed in accordance with the applicable city ordinance. The new $20,000 bond was in fact deposited with the city on April 1, 1955. I therefore recommend passage of the accompanying order releasing the Fidelity and Casualty Company of New York from liability on the original bond filed by Scully Steel Products Company.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Public Works Department,
May 17, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.
Dear Mr. Mayor:

On April 24, 1933, the Scully Steel Products Company, an Illinois corporation, filed a so-called street permit bond, having the Fidelity and Casualty Company of New York as surety and being in the amount of $20,000, with the permit office of this department to protect the city's interest in connection with a spur track crossing Lincoln street, Brighton. Later, the corporation changed its name and by subsequent endorsement executed on April 21, 1943, likewise changed its name on the bond to read: "United States Steel Supply Company."

The Fidelity and Casualty Company of New York on April 13, 1955, requested to be relieved of liability as surety on the bond because of the fact that a new $20,000 bond was to be furnished to the city with the Federal Insurance Company as surety. The new bond was filed by the United States Steel Supply Division, United States Steel Corporation, on April 1, 1955. The bond is satisfactory to this department, and, therefore, I submit, for submission to the City Council for the approval of that Body, an order providing for the release of the Fidelity and Casualty Company of New York from all liability on its part as surety on the original bond, effective upon passage of the accompanying order.

Respectfully yours,
GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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Whereas, Scully Steel Products Company on April 23, 1933, filed a bond in the amount of $20,000 under chapter 27, section 16 of the Revised Ordinances of 1925, with the Fidelity and Casualty Company of New York as surety, in connection with a spur track crossing Lincoln street, Brighton; and

Whereas, on April 6, 1937, the condition of the aforesaid bond was amended by the addition of the words "or Carnegie Steel Company" after the words Scully Steel Products Company, the Carnegie Steel Company having previously transferred all its assets in the City of Boston to Scully Steel Products Company which firm was carrying on the business in Boston and had assumed all the obligations of said Carnegie Steel Company relating to said business; and

Whereas, By virtue of a December 31, 1952, merger, all the properties and assets of Scully Steel Products Company and Carnegie Steel Company, both then being known, by reason of several changes of name, as "United States Steel Company" became vested in United States Steel Corporation which parent corporation also assumed all of their liabilities; and

Whereas, United States Steel Supply Division, United States Steel Corporation did, in connection with said spur track, give to the City of Boston on April 1, 1955, a bond in the amount of $20,000 with the Federal Insurance Company as surety, which surety is satisfactory to the Commissioner of Public Works; now therefore be it

Ordered, That the Fidelity and Casualty Company of New York be, and it hereby is, released from its liability as surety on the original bond, effective upon the passage of this order.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

APPROPRIATION FOR PURCHASE OF MOTORCYCLES FOR POLICE DEPARTMENT.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, May 23, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I am in receipt of the attached communication from the Police Commissioner in which he requests an appropriation of $13,953.50 to permit the purchase of ten (10) motorcycles to be used by the Police Department in connection with the supervision of parking meters.

Under the provisions of section 22A of chapter 40 of the General Laws, revenue received from parking meter fees may be used to meet necessary expenses incurred for the regulation of parking and other traffic activities incident thereto.

Since proper supervision of the use of parking meters will assure a full return to the city of established parking meter fees, I submit herewith an order providing for the appropriation of the amount requested by the Police Commissioner, and respectfully recommend its adoption by your Honorable Body.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Police Department, May 13, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.
Dear Mayor Hynes:

When the Police Department budget for 1955 was considered by the Mayor and the Director of Administrative Services, it was agreed that the amount required for motorcycles under Item 500, Automotive Equipment, would be eliminated from the budget with the proviso that the necessary amount would be appropriated from revenue received from parking meter fees for ten (10) motorcycles with side cars attached used for checking parking meter violations.

After public advertising the lowest bid received for supplying these motorcycles was $13,953.50, and it is respectfully requested that this amount be made available for their purchase.

Very truly yours,
T. F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

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Ordered, That the sum of thirteen thousand nine hundred fifty-three dollars and fifty cents ($13,953.50) be, and the same hereby is, appropriated from the revenue received from parking meter fees, to be expended by the Police Commissioner, for the purchase of motorcycles to be used in the supervision of the use of parking meters.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Finance.

TRANSFER OF LAND AT PITTSBURGH STREET, SOUTH BOSTON.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, May 23, 1955.

To the Honorable City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication of Francis X. Cotter, Fire Commissioner, relative to the transfer of the Fire Department property at Pittsburgh street, South Boston, to the Commissioner of Real Property, together with a proposed form of order for adoption by your Honorable Body.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Fire Department, April 4, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes and City Council.
Gentlemen:

The land and building at 9 Pittsburgh street, South Boston, formerly occupied as a fire station by Ladder Company 18, has been abandoned inasmuch as said land and building are no longer required for Fire Department purposes.

I recommend that the land and building be transferred to the custody of the Real Property Department.

Respectfully yours,
FRANCIS X. COTTER,
Fire Commissioner.

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Whereas, The City of Boston is the owner in fee of approximately eight thousand nine hundred sixty-four (8,964) square feet of land, together with the buildings thereon, located on the southeasterly side of Pittsburgh street, South Boston district of the City of Boston, presently held by said city for Fire Department purposes; and

Whereas, The Fire Commissioner of the City of Boston has determined that said land and buildings are no longer required for public purposes; now therefore it is hereby

Ordered, That the above-described parcel of city-owned property be, and the same hereby is, transferred from the care, custody, control and management of the Fire Department to the care, custody, control and management of the Commissioner of Real Property.

Referred to the Committee on Public Lands.

LOAN AND APPROPRIATION FOR REMODELING HOSPITAL, LIBRARY, AND OTHER MUNICIPAL BUILDINGS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, May 23, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

Under the provisions of chapter 364 of the Acts of 1955, the city is authorized to borrow an amount not exceeding $3,000,000 for remodeling, reconstructing, or making extraordinary repairs to hospital and library buildings.

It is further provided that this amount shall be applied and used as follows:

Hospital Department	$2,800,000
Library Department	$400,000

The amount provided for the Hospital Department will be utilized for the three divisions of the department, namely, the City Hospital, the Sanatorium Division, and Long Island Hospital. It will embrace major improvements in electrical, sewage, and water systems in the three institutions. At the library, the amount allotted will be used for a new tile roof on the main library building.

The act further provides that an appropriation equivalent to 25 cents on each $1,000 of the assessed valuation for the year 1954 must be provided as a down payment to support the loan. This appropriation is to be used for major repairs to buildings in the following departments in the amounts set forth:

Administrative Services	$18,000
Fire Department	$10,000
Library Department	$79,500
Real Property Department (Buildings Division)	$205,000
Welfare Department	$40,500

The work to be performed under the amounts authorized will be of a major character and will result in improving the facilities and the services rendered by the departments involved.

I submit herewith two orders, one providing for a loan appropriation of $3,000,000, and the other for an appropriation from taxes of $392,000. I respectfully recommend adoption of these orders by your Honorable Body.

Respectfully submitted,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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Ordered, That under the provisions of chapter 364 of the Acts of 1955, the sum of three million dollars ($3,000,000) be, and the same hereby is, appropriated for remodeling, reconstructing, or making extraordinary repairs to hospital and library buildings, owned by the city, including water and sewer systems appurtenant to such buildings, and that to meet said appropriation, the Collector-Treasurer be authorized to issue, from time to time, on request of the Mayor, bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city to said amount. The proceeds of said appropriation shall be applied and used within the limitations as to amounts hereinafter set forth:

Hospital Department	$2,600,000
Library Department, new tile roof on main library	$400,000

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Ordered, That in accordance with the provisions of section 1 of chapter 364 of the Acts of 1955, the sum of three hundred ninety-two thousand dollars ($392,000) be, and hereby is, appropriated for remodeling, reconstructing, or making extraordinary repairs to the hospital, library, and other municipal buildings, said sum to be raised by taxation on the polls and estates in the City of Boston, and that all orders heretofore or hereafter passed by the City Council relating to appropriations, taxes, and the interest thereon apply to the appropriations and taxes herein provided for.

Under the provisions of section 3 of chapter 364 of the Acts of 1955, the foregoing appropriation shall be used for remodeling, reconstructing, or making extraordinary repairs to buildings in the following departments in the amounts respectively set forth:

Administrative Services Department	$18,000
Fire Department	$10,000
Library Department, main library, other than for new tile roof	$79,500
Real Property Department (Buildings Division)	$205,000
Welfare Department	$40,500

Any excess of the appropriation provided in this order over and above the aggregate of the amounts allocated to the respective departments under section 3 of chapter 364 of the Acts of 1955 may be used to supplement the sum so allocated or may be used in addition to the moneys authorized to be borrowed under section 1 of chapter 364 of the Acts of 1955 for the purposes for which such moneys are authorized to be borrowed.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Finance.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committee named:

Claims.

Frances Bucks, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 131 Columbia road, Dorchester.

Madeline Campbell, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Columbus avenue, Boston.

Frank J. DeLuca, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Fulton and Richmond streets.

Sumner Elden, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Hudson street, Boston.

H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., for compensation for damage to vehicle by fire apparatus.

Roy B. Langill, to be reimbursed as result of executions issued against him.

Kathryn Moriarty, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Avery street, Boston.

Donald D. Penny, to be reimbursed as result of execution issued against him on account of his acts as employee of Police Department.

Rose Riley, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 107 Brook avenue, Roxbury.

George C. Russell, to be reimbursed as result of execution issued against him on account of his acts as employee of Fire Department.

Augusta Seifer, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 240 Tremont street.

Emil R. Swenson, for compensation for damage to car by fire apparatus.

PERMITS FOR CHILDREN.

Petitions for children under fifteen years of age to appear at places of public amusement:

Alice Foley, Jordan Hall, June 6.

Sarah E. Sprague, Brown Hall, June 15.

E. Virginia Williams, John Hancock Hall, June 3 and 18.

Permits granted under usual conditions.

APPLICATIONS FOR SHELLFISH PERMITS.

Applications for commercial use shellfish permits were received from the following:

Richard A. Bishop, 2 Port Norfolk street, Dorchester, Ward 16; George H. Fairbanks, 7 Thomas park, South Boston, Ward 7; Joseph Kearney, 15 Oakman street, Dorchester, Ward 16; Henry F. O'Neill, 15 Wadsworth street, East Boston, Ward 1.

Severally referred to the Committee on Licenses.

NOTICES OF HEARINGS BEFORE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES.

A communication was received from the Boston Edison Company transmitting copy of notice of the Department of Public Utilities of hearing to be held by the Department of Public Utilities on May 27 at 10 A.M. on petition of the Boston Edison Company for location in William T. Morrissey Boulevard, Dorchester, for pipes with necessary wires and cables to be used for distribution of electricity.

A communication was received from the Boston Edison Company transmitting copy of notice of Department of Public Utilities of hearing to be held by the Department of Public Utilities on May 27 at 10 A.M. on petition of the Boston Edison Company for location at Soldiers Field road, at Cambridge street, and Memorial Drive, at River street, and the River Street Bridge, Cambridge, for two steel pipes and manholes with necessary wires and cables for purpose of supplying electricity in bulk.

Notice was received from the Department of Public Utilities of hearing to be held June 16 at 10 A.M. on investigation by the department of rates and charges filed by the Plymouth & Brockton Street Railway Company.

Severally placed on file.

NOTICE FROM STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

A communication was received from the State Department of Public Works transmitting copy of order of layout and taking of a road in the City of Boston for location of a state highway (Southeast Expressway).

Placed on file.

APPROVAL OF STATE HOUSING BOARD.

Notice was received from the State Housing Board of approval of sale by the Boston Housing Authority of 42 parcels of property under section 6 of chapter 372 of the Acts of 1946.

Placed on file.

ABSENCE OF MAYOR FROM CITY.

Notice was received from the Mayor of his absence from the city on May 18, 19, and 20, 1955.

Placed on file.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CLAIMS.

Coun. McCORMACK, for the Committee on Claims, submitted the following:

1. Report on petition of John K. Hayes (referred May 16) for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses—recommending passage of the accompanying order.

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 100 of chapter 11 of the General Laws, upon petition of John K. Hayes, a member of the Fire Department for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury received through no fault of his own while in the performance of his duty on January 20 1955, there be allowed and paid, as recommended by the Fire Commissioner and approved by the Corporation Counsel, to the following the amounts stated:

Carney Hospital	$167 85
Richard M. Kilfoyle, M.D.	81 00
Christopher L. Landry, M.D.	75 00
Alfred W. Branca, M.D.	15 00
Archie G. Keigan, M.D.	5 00
Total	$346 85

said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

2. Report on petition of Charles N. Vogel (referred May 16) for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 100 of chapter 11 of the General Laws, upon petition of Charles N. Vogel, a member of the Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury received through no fault of his own while in the performance of his duty on September 18, 1951, there be allowed and paid, as recommended by the Fire Commissioner and approved by the Corporation Counsel, to the following the amount stated:

Boston Firemen's Relief Fund $81 88

said amount to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

3. Report on petition of Joseph F. Vogel (referred May 16) for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 100 of chapter 11 of the General Laws, upon petition of Joseph F. Vogel, a member of the Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury received through no fault of his own while in the performance of his duty on September 4, 1951, there be allowed and paid, as recommended by the Fire Commissioner and approved by the Corporation Counsel, to the following the amount stated:

George B. Smithy, M.D. $130

said amount to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

4. Report on petition of William A. Terrenzi (referred May 16) for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 100 of chapter 11 of the General Laws, upon petition of William A. Terrenzi, a member of the Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury received through no fault of his own while in the performance of his duty on March 20, 1955, there be allowed and paid, as recommended by the Fire Commissioner and approved by the Corporation Counsel, to the following the amounts stated:

Milton Hospital and Convalescent Home	$161 61
Samuel E. Marcellino, M.D.	150 00
James P. Hepburn, M.D.	35 00
Total	$349 61

said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

5. Report on petition of Leo J. Walker (referred May 16) for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 100 of chapter 11 of the General Laws, upon petition of Leo J. Walker, a member of the Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury received through no fault of his own while in the performance of his duty on October 26, 1954, there be allowed and paid, as recommended by the Fire Commissioner and approved by the Corporation Counsel, to the following the amounts stated:

St. Elizabeth's Hospital	$199 10
Roger T. Doyle, M.D.	65 00
Sylvester McGinn, M.D.	60 00
Total	$324 10

said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

6. Report on petition of William J. Walsh, Jr. (referred May 16), for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 100 of chapter 11 of the General Laws, upon petition of William J. Walsh, Jr., a member of the Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury received through no fault of his own while in the performance of his duty on July 25, 1951, there be allowed and paid, as recommended by the Fire Commissioner and approved by the Corporation Counsel, to the following the amounts stated:

William J. Walsh, Jr. (petitioner)	$21 00
Boston Firemen's Relief Fund	31 64
Total	$55 64

said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

The reports were accepted, and the orders were severally passed.

TEMPORARY APPOINTMENTS, CLERK OF COMMITTEES DEPARTMENTS.

Coun. HURLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That effective May 25, 1955, the following persons be, and they hereby are, appointed in the service of the Clerk of Committees Department to the positions set against their respective names until the fourth Wednesday of June, 1955, at the salaries in effect for them on May 24, 1955.

Francis R. Burke, temporary clerk.

Peter J. Cloherty, temporary clerk.

Nicholas DiMella, temporary stenographer-clerk.

Agnes G. Dinsmore, temporary clerk-receptionist.

Catherine E. Dunn, temporary stenographer-clerk.

Mary E. Flynn, temporary stenographer-clerk.

Catherine Monahan, temporary stenographer-clerk.

Paul G. O'Hara, temporary clerk.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

IMPROVEMENTS AT RINGER PLAYGROUND, ALLSTON.

Coun. AHEARN offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor is hereby requested to direct the Park Commissioner to put in a state of good repair the Stanley A. Ringer Playground, Allston, and its facilities, which are now in a dilapidated condition, and to install swings and such equipment as may be necessary to provide adequate facilities for recreation for the children.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

TRAFFIC SIGNALS AT PREBLE STREET AND OLD COLONY AVENUE.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor is hereby requested to advise the Traffic Commissioner to install pedestrian traffic lights at the junction of Preble street and Old Colony avenue, in South Boston.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

BASEBALL GAME BETWEEN MEMBERS OF THE GENERAL COURT AND MEMBERS OF THE CITY COUNCIL.

Coun. FOLEY and McCORMACK offered the following:

Ordered, That for the purpose of promoting the great American game of baseball, the Boston City Council hereby issues a challenge to the Great and General Court of the Commonwealth for a game of baseball or softball to be played at a mutually convenient time and place.

Coun. WHITE moved to amend the order by striking out the words "or softball." The amendment was carried.

The order as amended was passed.

CONGRATULATIONS TO MAYOR HYNES.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN, for all the members of the Council, offered the following:

Whereas, The United States Conference of Mayors, at a recent meeting in New York, has honored our Mayor, John B. Hynes, by electing him President of that National Organization; and

Whereas, This election reflects the great esteem in which Mayor John B. Hynes is held by the three hundred and fifty Mayors of cities in the United States who are the membership of this organization; and

Whereas, His election not only reflects great credit upon himself, but upon the office of Mayor of the City of Boston and the entire citizenry of Boston; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the members of the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, desire to extend its warmest congratulations to the Honorable John B. Hynes, Mayor of our City of Boston.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

RECESS.

On motion of Councillor White the Council voted to take a recess at 3.05 P.M., subject to the call of

the Chair. The members reassembled in the Council Chamber and were called to order by President HURLEY at 4.03 P.M.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORT.

Coun. WHITE, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following:

Report on message of the Mayor and order (referred today) releasing the Fidelity and Casualty Company of New York from its liability as surety for the Scully Steel Products Company in connection with spur track crossing Lincoln street, Brighton—recommending that same ought to pass.

The report was accepted, and the order was passed.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON LICENSES.

Coun. HAILER, for the Committee on Licenses, submitted the following:

1. Report on application (referred January 17) for commercial use shellfish permit for Vincent P. Costa—recommending that no further action is necessary.

2. Report on application (referred February 7) for commercial use shellfish permit for Norman W. MacDonald—recommending that no further action is necessary.

3. Report on application (referred March 28) for commercial use shellfish permit for Vincent P. Chamberlain—recommending that no further action is necessary.

The report was accepted.

RETIREMENT OF DANIEL S. LONG.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Resolved, That the City Council of Boston favors the consideration by the Legislature of the petition now held under Joint Rule 7B relative to the retirement of Daniel S. Long, provided that any such legislation enacted includes a referendum to the Mayor and the City Council.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

SPECIAL DIVISION TO ENFORCE PARKING METER REGULATIONS.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Whereas, The City of Boston is undertaking an accelerated off-street parking program; and

Whereas, The success of off-street parking programs is dependent to a great extent on the continuous overturn in said parking facilities; and

Whereas, Under the General Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts salaries for compensation of enforcing the parking meter regulations may be paid out of the receipts of said parking meters; now therefore be it

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor consider the advisability of setting up a special division for the policing of said off-street parking areas and that qualified men be engaged to carry out said duties.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

THE NEXT MEETING.

On motion of Councillor McLaughlin it was voted that when the Council adjourn it be to meet on Monday, June 6, 1955, at 2 P.M.

FOOT TRAFFIC ACROSS WILLIAM MORRISSEY BOULEVARD.

Coun. FOLEY, KERRIGAN, and McCORMACK offered the following:

Ordered, That, through his Honor the Mayor, the members of the Metropolitan District Commission be requested to conduct a survey to provide safe passage for foot traffic across William Morrissey Boulevard, from the Boston College High School—Columbia Point side of the boulevard to the opposite side and to the Columbia Station area; and be it further

Ordered, That the members of the Metropolitan District Commission survey the area at the First National Stores for the purpose of installing a pedestrian traffic light to insure the safety of pedestrians crossing the boulevard.

The order was passed under suspension of the rules.

CONGRATULATIONS TO BOSTON COLLEGE AND ITS OFFICIALS.

Coun. FOLEY and all the Councillors offered the following:

Whereas, There was on Thursday, May 19, completed the second annual series of seminars and conferences on the economic problems of Boston under the auspices of the College of Business Administration of Boston College; and

Whereas, In the course of these conferences the economic problems of Boston were fully discussed by the leaders of Boston's commercial, industrial, financial, and political worlds; and

Whereas, Such a program of seminars and conferences is an idea novel to Boston, yet very much needed if the city is to solve her pressing problems; be it

Resolved, That the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, extend its thanks to the School of Business Administration of Boston College for the thought, work, effort, and expense which were lavished upon this plan; and be it further

Resolved, That the Boston City Council expresses hereby its conclusion that the conferences have been an enormous success and it urges Boston College to sponsor a similar seminar and conferences during the next academic year; and be it further

Resolved, That the Boston City Council extends its particular congratulations to Rev. Father Maxwell, S.J., President of Boston College; to Father Seavey Joyce, S.J., Dean of the College of Business Administration; and Father Collins, S.J., Head of the Department of Finance of the Business College; for the skill and untiring effort that they contributed to the success of the conferences.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

CHECKING SERVICE AND RESERVED SECTION IN THEATERS FOR SHOPPERS.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That in order to make Boston more attractive for shopping, the Industrial Adviser to his Honor the Mayor be directed, through his Honor the Mayor, to propose to the operators of theaters in downtown Boston that such theaters provide a checking service free of charge to shoppers adequate to handle such bundles as they may be carrying and, secondly, that they reserve a favorably located section of each theater for the exclusive use of female patrons during and for some time after regular shopping hours, and that this program be extensively advertised in the public press.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

HEARING FOR FIREFIGHTERS' UNION.

President HURLEY announced that a public hearing would be held by the Executive Committee on Thursday, June 2, at 11 A.M., on the order passed by the Council February 28, 1955, on the advisability of official recognition of a negotiating body for the Boston Fire Department.

AMENDMENT TO COUNTY COMPENSATION AND CLASSIFICATION PLAN.

Coun. WHITE offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be requested to take immediate steps to amend the Compensation Plan for officers, from Grade 16 to Grade 18, and also to change the grade of the following officers with specialties:

Jail officer and mechanic, from Grade 17 to Grade 19.

Jail officer and assistant steward, from Grade 17 to Grade 19.

Jail officer and storekeeper, from Grade 17 to Grade 19.

Jail officer and receiver, from Grade 17 to Grade 19.

Jail officer and photographer, from Grade 17 to Grade 19.

Jail officer and clerk, from Grade 17 to Grade 19.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

ECONOMIC PROBLEMS OF BOSTON.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be requested to report to the City Council at his earliest possible opportunity what steps the City of Boston intends to take to study and evaluate, with a view towards taking affirmative action, the various suggested solutions to the myriad problems of Boston as outlined during the recently scheduled series of seminars which were sponsored by Boston College re economic problems of Boston; and be it further

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be requested to report to the City Council the present status of its order passed May 9, 1955, concerning the appointment of a Citizens Fiscal Survey Committee.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

ACCEPTANCE OF KARDON STREET, HYDE PARK.

Coun. HAILER offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor request the Public Improvement Commission to arrange an early hearing date for the acceptance of Kardon street, Hyde Park, with a view to its early construction.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

PLACING OF "HEAD" TAX ON CERTAIN PERSONS.

Coun. HAILER offered the following:

Be it resolved, That the Boston City Council goes on record as favoring the drafting of legislation by the Corporation Counsel creating a $25 per person "head" tax on those working within but residing outside the City of Boston to be placed before the State Legislature.

Referred to the Committee on Legislative Matters.

OLD COLONY HOUSING DEVELOPMENT RENTALS.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Ordered, That the Chairman of the Boston Housing Authority advise the Boston City Council of the rentals that will be charged in the Old Colony Housing Development if the said project is purchased for fair market value.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

Adjourned at 5.05 P.M., on motion of Councillor Piemonte, to meet on Monday, June 6, 1955, at 2 P.M.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

(Stenographic copy of such debate on file in office of City Clerk.)

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway resurfacing, estimated to be thirty (30) days, parking of vehicles is prohibited in the following street, effective June 1, 1955:

Summer Street, South Boston.

Both sides, from Fort Point Channel to bridge over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway resurfacing, estimated to be thirty (30) days, vehicles are excluded from the following street, effective June 1, 1955:

Merriam Street, West Roxbury.

From Brookside avenue to Stony Brook with an arm southwesterly to Minton street.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of construction of the surface roadways underneath the Fitzgerald Expressway, between North street and State street, estimated to be thirty (30) days, the following temporary traffic regulations are effective in the Boston Proper district beginning June 1, 1955:

The one-way rules in the following streets are suspended and they are two-way streets with parking prohibited in both sides of them:

Commercial Street.

From Cross street to Richmond street.

Fulton Street.

From Cross street to Richmond street.

Mercantile Street.

From Richmond street to Cross street.

Richmond Street.

From Atlantic avenue to North street.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of moving large transformer to Boston Edison Company power station in Lincoln street, Brighton, vehicles are excluded from the following street, from 7 A.M., Saturday, June 4, to 7 A.M., Monday, June 6, 1955:

Lincoln Street, Brighton.

From Franklin street to Cambridge street.

PROCEEDINGS OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Apr. 4, 1955.

A regular meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, at 4:30 P. M., the Chairman presiding.

Present: Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward.

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APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The reading of the minutes of the meetings of Mar. 14, and Mar. 21, 1955, was omitted, the Committee approving them as printed.

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APPROPRIATIONS—LAND AND BUILDINGS

The following communication was presented:

City of Boston
Department of School Buildings
26 Norman Street
March 31, 1955

Miss Agnes E. Reynolds,
Secretary,
Boston School Committee,
15 Beacon Street,
Boston, Massachusetts.

My dear Miss Reynolds:—

Under date of March 28, 1955 you forwarded the following proposed appropriation order to the Board of Commissioners of School Buildings:—

ORDERED, That in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 224 of the Acts of 1936, as amended by Chapter 117 of the Acts of 1949, the following appropriations are hereby made to meet the estimated cost of "construction and furnishing of new school buildings, both temporary and permanent, including the taking of land therefor, and for school yards and the preparing of school yards for use, and for rent of hired school accommodations" for the fiscal year 1955:—

LAND AND BUILDINGS FOR SCHOOLS

Item 1 Administration Expenses, Salaries	$72,000.00
2 Rent of Hired Accommodations	37,775.00
3 Bigelow District, South Boston: Development of playspace of land on Silver Street and land adjacent to the Bigelow School	25,000.00
4 For acquiring land for, and constructing, public schoolhouses, including originally equipping and furnishing such schoolhouses	157,000.00
5 Reserve for such items of land, plans and construction of school buildings as are or may finally be approved	460,962.00
Total	$752,737.00

The above sum of $752,737.00 appropriated for land and buildings is obtained from the amount available under the $.50 allowance.

At a meeting of the Board of Commissioners of School Buildings held this date and at which meeting Chairman Joseph F. O'Connell, Jr., and Commissioner Thomas A. Cronin were present and voting, it was voted to report favorably on the above described appropriation order, all as provided in Section 7, Chapter 351 of the Acts of 1929.

Very truly yours
Board of Commissioners of
School Buildings:
(Signed) Jos. F. O'Connell Jr.,
Chairman.

Placed on file.

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The following statement was ordered spread upon the records:

ESTIMATED TOTAL AMOUNT AVAILABLE FOR APPROPRIATION FOR LAND AND BUILDINGS—1955

Amount available under the provisions of Chapter 224 of the Acts of 1936, as amended by Chapter 117 of the Acts of 1949, vis., $.50 on each $1000 of the average valuation	$752,737.00

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 224 of the Acts of 1936, as amended by Chapter 117 of the Acts of 1949, the following appropriations are hereby made to meet the estimated cost of "construction and furnishing of new school buildings, both temporary and permanent, including the taking of land therefor, and for school yards and the preparing of school yards for use, and for rent of hired school accommodations" for the fiscal year 1955:

LAND AND BUILDINGS FOR SCHOOLS

Item 1—Administration Expenses, Salaries	$ 72,000.00
Item 2—Rent of hired accommodations	37,775.00
Item 3—Bigelow District, South Boston: Development of playspace of land on Silver Street and land adjacent to the Bigelow Schoolyard	25,000.00
Item 4—For acquiring land for, and constructing, public schoolhouse, including originally equipping and furnishing such schoolhouses	157,000.00
Item 5—Reserve for such items of land, plans and construction of school buildings as are or may finally be approved	460,962.00
Total	$752,737.00

The above sum of $752,737.00 appropriated for land and buildings is obtained from the amount available under the $.50 allowance.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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APPROPRIATIONS — ALTERATIONS AND REPAIRS

The following communication was presented:

City of Boston—Department of
School Buildings
26 Norman Street
March 31, 1955

Miss Agnes E. Reynolds,
Secretary, Boston School Committee,
15 Beacon Street,
Boston 8, Massachusetts.

My dear Miss Reynolds:—

Under date of March 28, 1955 you forwarded the following proposed order to the Board of Commissioners of School Buildings:—

ORDERED, That in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 224 of the Acts of 1936, as amended by Chapter 117 of the Acts of 1949, the following appropriations are hereby made to meet the estimated cost of "alteration and repair of school buildings and for furniture, fixtures, and means of escape in case of fire, and for fire protection of existing buildings, and for improving existing school yards," for the fiscal year 1955 based on the accompanying detailed estimates:

A. Administration Expenses:	
1. Salaries	$305,000.00
2. Workmen's Compensation	600.00
3. Veterans' Retirement Roll	11,205.00
B. Administration Expenses: Office expenses and other items	32,000.00
C. Alterations, Furniture and Equipment for Special Educational needs	150,000.00
E. General Alterations and Repairs	2,060,500.80
Total	$2,559,305.80

The above total of $2,559,305.80 appropriated for "alteration and repair of school buildings," etc., is obtained from the amount available under the $1.70 allowance.

At a meeting of the Board of Commissioners of School Buildings held this date and at which meeting Chairman Joseph F. O'Connell, Jr., and Commissioner Thomas A. Cronin were present and voting, it was voted to report favorably on the above described order.

Very truly yours,
Board of Commissioners
of School Buildings
(Signed) Jos. F. O'Connell, Jr.,
Chairman

Placed on file.

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The following statement was ordered spread upon the records:

ESTIMATED TOTAL AMOUNT AVAILABLE FOR APPROPRIATION FOR ALTERATIONS AND REPAIRS—1955

Amount available under the provisions of Chapter 224 of the Acts of 1936 as amended by Chapter 117 of the Acts of 1949, viz., $1.70 on each $1000 of the average valuation	$2,559,305.80

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, that in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 224 of the Acts of 1936, as amended by Chapter 117 of the Acts of 1949, the following appropriations are hereby made to meet the estimated cost of "alteration and repair of school buildings and for furniture, fixtures, and means of escape in case of fire, and for fire protection of existing buildings, and for improving existing school yards," for the fiscal year 1955 based on the accompanying detailed estimates:

A—Administration Expenses:	
1—Salaries	$ 305,000.00
2—Workmen's Compensation	600.00
3—Veterans' Retirement Roll	11,205.00
B—Administration Expenses: Office Expenses and Other Items	32,000.00

C—Alterations, Furniture and Equipment for Special Educational Needs	150,000.00
E—General Alterations and Repairs	2,060,500.80
Total	$2,559,305.80

The above total of $2,559,305.80 appropriated for "alteration and repair of school buildings," etc., is obtained from the amount available under the $1.70 allowance.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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The following is the detail for "Administration Expenses, Salaries and Office Expenses" in connection with the Alteration and Repair of School Buildings and Land and Buildings, as submitted by the Department of School Buildings:

Administrative Division

1 Superintendent of Construction	$ 12,000.00
2 Deputy Superintendents of Construction at $8000 each	16,000.00
1 Deputy Superintendent of Construction at $7,500 (9½ months)	5,950.00
1 Executive Secretary	7,220.40
1 Principal Accountant	6,091.11
1 Senior Accountant	2,582.06
1 School Building Contract Supervisor	5,523.94
1 Assistant Building Contract Supervisor	4,963.20
1 Chief and Auditing Clerk	5,012.85
1 Personnel Officer	5,214.00
1 Head Clerk	4,763.67
1 Head Clerk	4,865.05
1 Accountant	4,644.43
1 Accountant	4,125.30
1 Principal Clerk	4,010.97
1 Principal Clerk and Stenographer	3,862.35
1 Senior Clerk-Stenographer	3,326.40
1 Telephone Operator-Clerk	3,458.40
1 Telephone Operator	3,326.40
2 Clerk-Typists at $2,270.04 each	4,540.08

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Architectural Division

1 Principal Structural Engineer	6,963.90
1 Assistant Structural Engineer and Architect	5,168.13
1 Architect	5,270.03
1 Senior Architectural Draftsman	4,204.95
2 Senior Architectural Draftsmen at $4,408.80 each	8,817.60

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Civil Engineering Division

1 Assistant Civil Engineer	5,025.56
1 Assistant Civil Engineer	5,012.58

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Electrical Division

1 Chief Electrical Engineer	6,181.88
2 Senior Electrical Engineers	11,754.48
2 Senior Electrical Engineers	11,957.20
3 Assistant Electrical Engineers	15,810.09
1 Assistant Electrical Engineer	5,228.54
1 Assistant Electrical Engineer	5,067.28
1 Electrical Systems Supervisor	5,568.45
1 Junior Electrical Engineer	4,502.34
1 Temporary Electrical Draftsman	3,605.71

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Furniture and Storekeeping

1 Supervising School Furniture Inspector	4,778.40
1 Principal Storekeeper	4,593.60
1 School Furniture Inspector	3,830.37
1 Furniture Repairer and Refinisher	3,754.40
1 Steam Fireman	3,786.90
1 Vermin Exterminator	3,564.00
1 Storekeeper	3,867.94
1 Laborer	2,862.90

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Heating and Ventilating Division

1 Principal Heating and Ventilating Engineer	6,715.16
1 Chief Heating and Ventilating Inspector	5,516.61
3 Assistant Heating and Ventilating Engineers	14,292.84
1 Heating and Ventilating Inspector	4,580.10
1 Heating and Ventilating Inspector	4,408.80

Plumbing and Gasfitting Division

1 Supervisor of Plumbing and Gasfitting	5,934.72
1 Assistant Supervisor of Plumbing and Gasfitting	4,820.64
1 Plumbing and Gasfitting Inspector	4,820.64
1 Temporary Plumbing and Gasfitting Inspector	4,224.00

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Roofing Division

1 Supervising Roofing Inspector	5,259.35
1 Roofing Inspector	4,497.04

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Supervision of School Building Alterations and Repairs

1 Supervisor of School Buildings	5,116.26
1 Supervisor of School Buildings	4,963.20
1 Supervisor of School Buildings	5,214.80
1 Supervisor of School Buildings	4,868.70
2 Supervisors of School Buildings	9,576.80
1 Supervisor of School Buildings	4,497.09
Total	$251,874.59

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Overtime already paid	$5,000.00	
Overtime anticipated	5,000.00	
Additional employes if those required can be procured	15,125.41	25,125.41
Total		$377,000.00

*Of this amount $305,000 is to be appropriated under Alterations and Repairs and $72,000 under Land and Buildings.

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Office Expenses and Other Items

Office supplies, printing, etc.	$ 6,000.00
Drafting and engineering supplies	500.00
Postage	600.00
Telephone and telegraph	3,800.00
Subscriptions to engineering publications	200.00
Automobile expenses	5,000.00
Carfares and mileage	7,000.00
Fuel	3,800.00
Gas and electricity	3,000.00
Custodians' supplies, boiler room supplies, care and cleaning	300.00
American District Telegraph protection service	1,600.00
Expert services	200.00
Total of office expenses and other items	$32,000.00

Placed on file.

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The following is the detail for General Alterations and Repairs (Item "E"), as submitted by the Department of School Buildings:

1. Productive work by pupils	$ 2,000.00
2. Contingencies and emergencies	30,000.00
3 (a) Upkeep of structural plant	314,500.80
(b) Replacement of broken glass	55,000.00
4. Fire escapes, new and repair and fire prevention (including Chapter 143 requirements)	150,000.00
5. Care of School Grounds	150,000.00
6. Furniture:	
(a) New and replacement	50,000.00
(b) Repair and refinish, etc.	70,000.00
7. Special equipment:	
(a) Shops	1,000.00
(b) Lunchrooms	3,500.00
8. Shades, auditorium drapes and curtains	60,000.00
9. Painting	300,000.00
10. Plumbing systems, upkeep	90,000.00
11. Heating and ventilating systems, upkeep	145,000.00
12. (a) Electrical systems, upkeep	85,000.00
(b) Gas systems, upkeep	10,000.00
13. Special Equipment:	
(a) Home Economics	1,500.00
(b) Industrial Arts	7,500.00
(c) School Hygiene, rest and nutrition	1,000.00
14. Elevators, upkeep	9,000.00
15 Lockers, new and repair	9,000.00
16. Trucking and expressage	30,000.00
17. Portable buildings, moving	—
18. Modernization of plumbing systems	150,000.00
19. Modernization of heating systems	150,000.00
20. Modernization of electrical systems	85,000.00
21. Roofing	100,000.00
22. Previous year's invoices to be settled	1,500.00
Total	$2,060,500.80

Placed on file.

APPROPRIATIONS—
GENERAL SCHOOL PURPOSES

The Business Manager submitted in compliance with the rules, the following communication:

In compliance with your instructions and in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 224 of the Acts of 1936, as amended by Chapter 117 of the Acts of 1949, I submit herewith the proposed appropriations within the statutory limit in the amount of $22,799,007.19* which will provide in part for the needs for General School Purposes of the Boston Public Schools for the fiscal year 1955.

The total amount required for General School Purposes for 1955 is $26,220,552.16. An additional appropriation of $3,421,544.97 must be requested of the Mayor for his recommendation to the City Council.

Repectfully submitted,
(Signed) Henry J. Smith
Business Manager

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*Amounts available for appropriation for 1955 under Chapter 224 of the Acts of 1936, as amended by Chapter 117 of the Acts of 1949

Sum of	$21,200,000.00
Unexpended balances of 1954	128,927.32
Estimated income 1955	1,470,079.87
	$22,799,007.19

Placed on file.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 224 of the Acts of 1936, as amended by Chapter 117 of the Acts of 1949, the following amounts are hereby appropriated to provide in part for the needs for General School Purposes in the Boston Public Schools for the fiscal year 1955:

Administration	$ 819,000.00
Instruction	18,332,166.04
Auxiliary Services	683,970.22
Operation of Plant	2,567,896.79
Fixed Charges	455,986.14
Pensions to Teachers (non-contributory) (1)	
Total	$22,799,007.19 (2)

(1) No appropriation from tax levy. These pensions are paid from (a) income received from the Commonwealth, (b) unexpended balance of last year, (c) accrued interest of Permanent School Pension Fund.

(2) It is expected that $3,361,090.19 of this amount will be provided from estimated income for 1955, from unexpended balances from 1954, and from the estimated amount to be received by the City of Boston from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under General Laws, Chapter 70, as most recently amended.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

TOTAL REQUIREMENTS FOR ALL SCHOOL PURPOSES

The Business Manager submitted the following communication:

The total requirements for All School Purposes for 1955 are as follows:

	Appropriation By School Committee	Request To Mayor	Total Appropriation Required
Land and Buildings	$ 752,737.00	$ ———	$ 752,737.00
Alterations and Repairs	2,569,305.80		2,569,305.80
General School Purposes	22,799,007.19	3,421,544.97	26,220,552.16
	$26,111,049.99	$3,421,544.97	$29,532,594.96

Respectfully submitted,
(Signed) Henry J. Smith
Business Manager

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The Secretary read the following letter to be sent to His Honor, the Mayor, John B. Hynes, with reference to additional school appropriations:

April 4, 1955

Honorable John B. Hynes
Mayor, City of Boston
City Hall, Boston, Massachusetts

Dear Sir:

I am transmitting herewith for your approval attested copies of an order passed at the meeting of the School Committee held on Monday, April 4, 1955, appropriating the sum of $22,799,007.19 for General School Purposes.

This sum is the entire amount available for appropriation for General School Purposes by the School Committee within the limits of Chapter 224, Acts of 1936, as amended.

The total amount needed for 1955 for General School Purposes is $26,220,,552.16.

Because the total amount needed for 1955 for General School Purposes ($26,220,-552.16) exceeds the amount available for appropriation by the School Committee ($22,799,-007.19), the School Committee respectfully requests your Honor to recommend to the City Council to appropriate the additional amount needed for General School Purposes in the sum of $3,421,544.97 to be allocated as follows:

Administration	$ 160,666.82
Instruction	2,437,854.26
Auxiliary Services	138,489.13
Operation of Plant	569,771.15
Fixed Charges	124,773.61
Pensions to Teachers	
Total	$3,421,544.97

Respectfully submitted,
(Signed) Agnes E. Reynolds
Secretary

On roll call the members agreed by the following vote to submit the foregoing communication to His Honor, the Mayor:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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IN MEMORIAM

The Superintendent regretfully reported the death of the following-named teacher who had been retired on pension:

Girls' High School—Ava B. Dawson, Mar. 28, 1955.

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The School Committee requested that a letter of condolence, to be signed by the Secretary, be sent to the bereaved family.

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ELECTION OF ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Apr. 4, 1955, presenting under the provisions of Chapter 497 of the Acts of 1946, the nomination of Philip J. Bond as Assistant Superintendent for a six-year term beginning Sept. 1, 1955, the present term of Mr. Bond being due to expire Aug. 31, 1955.

A roll call being ordered, the Secretary proceeded to call the roll with the following results:

For PHILIP J. BOND—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

The Chair thereupon declared Philip J. Bond re-elected Assistant Superintendent of Public Schools for a six-year term ending Aug. 31, 1961.

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NOTIFICATION OF TERMINATION OF SERVICE OF TEMPORARY TEACHERS

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the Secretary of this Committee, Agnes E. Reynolds, be, and she hereby is, authorized and directed to give, in the name and behalf of this Committee, to each teacher hereinafter named, notice under General Laws (Ter. Ed.) ch. 71, sec. 41 (as amended by St. 1950, ch. 283), that such teacher is not to be employed for the school year commencing September 1, 1955:

Frances Griffin Allen, Doris Clark Anderson, Ann M. Andreas, Dorothy Buck Baker, Patricia Trayers Brougham, Ann E Cahill, Barbara L. Cameron, Mary E. Carroll, Adeline Oswald Cary, Ruth Gallant Chenell, Florence Hubert Clark, Mary Gleason Cohan, Grace Flanagan Conley, Isabel Furlong Connelly, Therese M. Cullinane, Marie Scollard Degnan.

Margaret M. Dennison, Arthur Depoian, Ann Dawley Deveau, Mary Flynn Divver, Margaret A. Dolan, Eleanor Mullen Donohue, Jeremiah J. Donovan, Catherine Doherty Driscoll, John J. Duffy, Jr., Theresa Adan Dwyer, William F Eddy, Rudolph A. Feudo, Anne E. Fisher, Elizabeth Teaffe Fitzpatrick Kathleen V. Fitzpatrick, Marie A. Fox, Myrtis Andrews Freeman, Celena Hoar Gavin, Rosemary Mahan Gibbons, Dorothy Blenkhorn Goodwin.

Loretta McDonough Haley, Gertrude Gorey Hayes, Mary Hartigan Hoar, Ann R. Howe, Dora Holmes Howe, Mary Conaty Ketlak, J. Lillian Bloomberg Klein, Naomi Wexler Kliman, Bertha Ives Lang, Nicholas J Lembo, Mary O'Brien Lizio, Paul A. Lovett, Janet LaPointe Manning, Ann L. McCarthy, Grace Farrell McCarty, Howard E. McClure.

John W. McCue, Claire T. McDonald, Mary Fuhs McMann, Ellen V. McPartland, Mary Carrigan Monahan, Edwin J. P. Mosher, Jr., Catherine Kenney Murdock, Ethel Tuohy Murphy, Esther Winer Needle, Catherine Malone O'Brien, Marie Butters O'Connor, James H. O'Malley, Jr., Martha Crane O'Neil, A. Thomas Pellegriti, Hazel D. Pitters, Marie Cullity Plante.

Stanley Rimmer, Mary Wagenseller Runge, Marguerite C. Russell, Mary O'Neil Shaughnessy, Raymond L. Shaw, Hilda Reinstein Sherman, Mary Sullivan Shields, Theresa O'Reilly Shields, Anna Blake Shue, Lena Ulman Singer, Samuel I. Squires, Frances Kelly Terrasi, Emma C. Thomas.

Josephine G. Trocchio, Loretta Monahan Untz, Nina Forsythe Ward, Thomas P. Welch, Norma Francis White, Regina Gannon White, Mary Cronin Mahady, Helen Holland McNeese, Priscilla Stahl Miles, Katherine M. Beaver.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Musco, and Ward—4.

NAYS—Mr. Lee—1.

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ATTENDANCE AT CONVENTION

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Apr. 4, 1955, submitting, in accordance with the provisions of Section 3 of Chapter 274 of the Acts of 1914, report of John A. Murphy, principal, Elihu Greenwood District, on his attendance at the annual meeting of the Department of Elementary School Principals of the National Education Association, held in Chicago, Illinois, Mar. 16 to 19, 1955, inclusive.

Placed on file.

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EXPENDITURES TO MAR. 1, 1955

A communication was received from the Business Manager, under date of Apr. 1, 1955, submitting, pending the adoption of the maintenance budget, a statement showing the expenditures for the maintenance of the public schools for the current month, the expenditures for the first two drafts of the current fiscal year, the expenditures for the first two drafts of the fiscal year 1954, and the increases and decreases in the several items.

Placed on file.

AUDIT REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1954

A communication was received from O'Brien, Fitzgerald and Cullen, under date of Mar. 25, 1955, submitting their audit report of the School Committee of the City of Boston for the year ending Dec. 31, 1954.

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ADJUSTMENT COUNSELORS

Mr. Lee: Madam Chairman, there is a matter which I would like to bring up in public meeting before we go back into conference.

It has been a custom here from time to time to pay tribute in public to certain distinguished citizens. That is something I have never done; but I would like to do it at this moment, partly because the man to whom I pay tribute, I hope, will serve as an inspiration to those who voted in the negative on that $25,000 for adjustment counselors—and may now vote to reconsider. He may also serve as an inspiration to us, when we fix salaries on August 31st.

The man to whom I would like to pay my respects is named James Sordello. Mr. James Sordello, in about 1936, was running for representative. He was running from the North End. And his platform was "Steam-heated sidewalks for the North End."

I think we should pay tribute to this man as one who had a farsighted moderation. He was howled down by the public, back those eighteen years ago. He was considered too visionary. He was defeated in that election. And yet, within the space of eighteen short years we have seen accomplished in this city ideas that far transcend Mr. Sordello's humble thought.

We have seen a steam-heated highway laid across the North End for which many buildings were torn down, and on all its slopes there are steamheating pipes to warm the tires of the automobiles passing over. You can check that with the Public Works Department, if you have not come across the information in the newspapers, as I checked this morning.

So now, gentlemen, we find that the public is spending $100,000,000 for steam-heated streets. Yet the public will not spend even a portion of that for steam-heated sidewalks. My thought to you is that we should go back to the moderation of James Sordello: and, while we see the tremendous amounts paid by the taxpayers for these steam-heated highways in the sky, we should steam-heat our hearts a little bit and spend a portion of that $100,000,000 on the education of youth.

And that is why I say that when we mention sums like $25,000 for the betterment of youth, it should be considered very, very moderate.

In an age as extravagant, as pleasure-mad, as self-indulgent as to spend $100,000,000 on steam-heated highways, I am sure that we can spend more money on warming the lives of youth by adequate playgrounds, by adequate warm-hearted personnel, to deal with their problems.

I have finished my remarks, hoping that Mr. Musco will move for reconsideration on the $25,000, and that in any case you will retain a perspective whereby to realize the tremendous expenditures the public makes without winking an eyelash for such things as steam-heated streets, and so be resolved to call upon the public to adequately support its school system.

Chairman: Thank you, Mr. Lee.

Mr. Musco: Madam Chairman, Mr. Musco won't move for reconsideration on any theory Mr. Lee might propose. I am interested in facts, and I am interested, like everybody on the School Committee, in keeping the cost of the schools down to a reasonable level. I would like to concentrate on the education of the child.

Chairman Then if there are no further items in public meeting at this time, we shall return to conference so that Mr. Lee may bring up the other matter.

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The Committee adjourned.

Attest:

AGNES E. REYNOLDS
Secretary.

April 25, 1955

A special meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, at 5.56 P. M., the Chairman presiding.

Present: Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward.

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APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The reading of the minutes of the meetings of Mar. 28, and Apr. 4, 1955, was omitted, the Committee approving them as printed.

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AMENDMENT OF MINUTES

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the minutes of the meeting of Feb. 7, 1955, are hereby amended as follows:

On Page 62 — Appointments From the Eligible List — Instruction of Physically Handicapped Children — Marie Hohman Golden, teacher (minimum salary — $3942) — should read — (minimum salary — $3492).

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

RESOLUTIONS

Mr. Musco offered the following:

WHEREAS, The tireless struggle of a resolute nation against a paralyzing disease was lessened on April 13, 1955; and

WHEREAS, The little children of the world may walk and play again with cheerful laughter ringing in their childish hearts; and

WHEREAS, The fathers and mothers of young children the world over may offer thanks to God for the blessing that the scourge of mankind, dreaded poliomyelitis that knew no age, has been checked; and

WHEREAS, The forces of the medical and scientific world, in joint venture, have been helped by the dollars and dimes of the rich and poor alike, who saw the life of our late beloved President, Franklin D. Roosevelt, himself a poliomyelitis victim, suddenly end after a bitter struggle against the frightening malady of infantile paralysis; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Jonas E. Salk of the University of Pittsburgh has discovered a vaccine that foreshadows the devastation of poliomyelitis, and the release of all mankind from this maddening nightmare; and

WHEREAS, Prayers of thanksgiving rise from the grateful hearts of man to a merciful God for a blessing bestowed upon them; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That The School Committee of the City of Boston, in meeting assembled, sincerely congratulates Dr. Jonas E. Salk for his successful discovery of a poliomyelitis vaccine which will end the crippling effects of poliomyelitis and warmly extends to him its wishes for continued success in this baffling mystery; and be it further

RESOLVED, That these resolutions be spread upon the records of the School Committee, and a copy sent by the Secretary to Dr. Jonas E. Salk, and to the Nobel Foundation.

On roll call the preamble and resolutions were adopted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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LAND AND BUILDINGS FOR SCHOOLS

The following communication from His Honor the Mayor was presented:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor
City Hall

April 18, 1955

Miss Agnes E. Reynolds, Secretary
Boston School Committee
15 Beacon Street
Boston, Massachusetts

Dear Miss Reynolds:

I am returning the enclosed appropriation order adopted

under date of April 4, 1955, by the School Committee and relating to appropriations for "Land and Buildings for Schools." You will note that I have approved the first three items in this order and have disapproved the last two.

As indicated in this morning's conference with the School Committee, I feel that in view of the fact a substantial portion of the $10,000,000 loan authorization for new schools has yet to be encumbered, no additional appropriations for this purpose should be made this year.

Respectfully
(Signed) J. B. Hynes
Mayor

Placed on file.

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The following are the appropriations for Land and Buildings referred to by the Mayor in the foregoing letter as not approved:

Item 4 — For acquiring land for, and constructing, public schoolhouses, including originally equipping and furnishing such schoolhouses, $157,000.00.

Item 5—Reserve for such items of land, plans and construction of school buildings as are or may finally be approved, $460,962.00.

The foregoing was ordered spread on the records.

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Chairman: The question now comes: Shall the appropriation for Land and Buildings for Schools —Item 4—For acquiring land for, and constructing, public schoolhouses, including originally equipping and furnishing such schoolhouses, $157,000.00 — pass, notwithstanding the disapproval by His Honor, the Mayor?

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Mr. Lee: Madam Chairman, may I suggest to the Committee an alternative procedure which I hope they will think is wise? It will be a friendly procedure in regard to the Mayor.

I bring out first that our deadline is not until the end of the week so there is a little time for both him and us to reconsider, if we wish. I think one item should be reconsidered, and one item only and that is the money allowed for Alterations and Repairs—not the money allowed for new buildings but the money allowed for alterations and repairs.

What occurs to me is that we might ask the Mayor to reconsider his thought on that in a very broad light—that there are certain aspects of this last year in the city's administration and in other governmental activities in Boston which I think would make a larger item for Alterations and Repairs appropriate at this time.

As I have often said to you before, we have seen these tremendous outlays for steam-heated streets which have not come out of the Mayor's budget but they have been with the Mayor's approval and with his co-operation, and that has been an enormous sum in that skyway across the city.

Chairman: May I ask you a point of information?

Do you recall that the Mayor said that on Alterations and Repairs he is going to ask for a bond issue from the Legislature to make alterations and repairs to his city buildings so that he will have more funds to get on with alterations and repairs in the city buildings, and that he feels that the same course would be open to the School Department?

Mr. Lee: I had forgotten that, Madam Chairman, and therefore, I will direct my remarks toward our giving a particularly hearty endorsement to that; and to put it dramatically for him to realize its importance with us, I would like to say again that there are cases on which I have gotten complaints, and I am quite sure you have, of buildings that are actually cold—and I think the superintendent will bear me out—where teachers have had to move into certain rooms and away from certain other rooms because the buildings were too cold to work in.

In your own interrogation of the Home and School Association representatives, I think, the most prominent item involved complaints on the looks of buildings and their rundown condition as well as all the items they had on juvenile behavior problems, and I do not believe it is good business for the Mayor—and I am trying to speak as his friend—to have presided over these tremendous skyways with steam-heated streets so that people can race from the North Shore to the South Shore without getting their tires cooled, and then not to exert himself very, very strenuously to make sure that these alterations and repairs for our classrooms shall go on.

I think it should be put in quite strong colors to him. I also think we ought to give him some encouragement about further sources of revenue.

For example, if he were to tax only the bakers in the city, that might be one way of doing, to support the Government; or perhaps if we put a ceiling on what bakers can receive from their customers, that might be another step that could be taken.

But to do what we do now is quite peculiar. We first put a ceiling on what the suppliers of housing can charge, cutting off what they can receive from their customers, and then we single out that one group whom we have already sorely deprived of their customers' revenue and impose our entire municipal tax on them. It is about as important to be supplied with a house as to be supplied with bread, and more important in winter.

I believe that we should encourage relief in that respect. If you had complete rent ceilings so nobody paid any rent at all, it is hard to see how the landlords would be able to pay much of a tax to the City.

Progressive cities like Los Angeles have done away with that kind of thing. The Mayor out there ran on a platform of trying to run his city more fairly and more progressively and he also stepped into the field which we have not gone into here of getting the Federal housing projects turned back to the City because now, with the money we do not pay for rent, we find that same money taxed and used to build Federal housing projects, and then they yield the city very small revenues.

Chairman: Mr. Lee, may I ask you as a point of information: Now you are offering what you say is an alternative to our voting on the two questions. What is your alternative suggestion?

Mr. Lee: Well, I think, Madam Chairman, in view of your bringing up the Mayor's proposed bond issue for repairs—I would like to say this. First, is that the recollection of others? May I just make that inquiry?

Mr. Museo: It amounts to $10,000,000.

Mr. Lee: Did you hear him say that, Mr. Museo?

Mr. Museo: Yes.

Mr. Lee: Then I merely want my remarks, which have now come to an end on this point, to form the basis, perhaps, of a letter worded according to the liking of the Superintendent and Miss Reynolds, in which we stress to the Mayor the relative importance of getting our school buildings painted and getting them warm.

Chairman: Then he should give us some of that bond issue to paint and repair school buildings?

Mr. Lee: Yes, I think that thought should be given to him in rather strong terms but friendly terms. We can further call to his attention that the Committee gave consideration to his problem of raising revenue and various suggestions were made about raising revenues from other than real estate people.

Chairman: Will you take care of that?

Superintendent: Yes.

Mr. Museo: Madam Chairman, before you go into this particular letter to the Mayor, I understand specifically that he asked the Superintendent of Construction if he had sufficient money for alterations and repairs, and Mr. Mooney stated in the affirmative,—that he had enough money and enough work to keep him busy for a whole year.

Chairman: Now this is next year. The bond issue comes next year, Mr. Museo, that the Mayor is going to ask for.

Mr. Lee: As far as Mr. Museo's point goes, it would then be a fact that the School Buildings Department is working so hard that they are busy without any further money to spend, and would not have enough men to carry out a further appropria-

tion. In that case I think we had better expand the School Buildings Department. I don't think our school system should be stymied because they are shorthanded at School Buildings.

Superintendent: Anything the Mayor would do to the alterations and repair of city buildings would have to be done in an entirely different budget from anything that we would do in connection with our school buildings. They cannot be intermingled, Mr. Lee.

Chairman: I think we did ask him, though, Mr. Superintendent, if he would approve a bond issue for the alterations and repairs of school buildings.

Superintendent: That is right.

Chairman: That was done at the same time, and that is the thing I think you are bringing out, Mr. Lee, isn't it?

Mr. Lee: Yes. Well, how would he do that, Mr. Superintendent? He would have to do that before May 1st upon our recommendation?

Superintendent: No, he has told us now in this letter and also personally that he would not approve of a bond issue for new buildings, Mr. Lee.

Mr. Lee: Not for new buildings but for this repair.

Chairman: Alterations and repairs of buildings.

Superintendent: I don't think —although I may be wrong—that you can have a bond issue for Alterations and Repairs.

Chairman: Mr. Superintendent, I don't know whether Mr. Musco heard this as well as I did but I heard the Mayor say that he is going to ask the Legislature specially for money in a bond issue for Alterations and Repairs of public buildings.

Superintendent: Public buildings.

Chairman: Definitely I heard him say that.

Mr. Lee: Now where it is going to the Legislature, the Commonwealth being the superior authority, can't he then, if he so wishes, in cooperation with us broaden his request to the Legislature to include money for school buildings and under the authority of the Legislature we could surely issue bonds for repairs.

Chairman: Would it be agreeable to you to have the Superintendent call the Mayor's office and ask him?

Superintendent: Suppose I ask him personally on that, Mr. Lee? Would that be agreeable?

Mr. Lee: Yes, you give him the substance of our thoughts.

Superintendent: I will do it tomorrow:

Mr. Lee: I think everybody agrees that our buildings are in bad shape, and in the light of other city expenditures we are entitled to more from some source or other.

Superintendent: Suppose I try to talk with him tomorrow, Mr. Lee.

Chairman: The question now comes: Shall the appropriation for land and buildings for schools —Item 4—for acquiring land for, and constructing, public school houses, including originally equipping and furnishing such school houses, $157,000 — pass, notwithstanding disapproval by His Honor the Mayor?

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Mr. Lee: I will urge the members not to vote at all on that and have an amendment on the following motion merely saying that we are not pressing the point.

The Secretary was directed to call the roll and the members, as their names were called, respectively voted as follows:

Mr. Carr: No.
Mr. Lee: No.
Mr. Musco: No.
Mr. Ward: Present.
Chairman: No.

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Chairman: The question now comes: Shall the appropriation for Land and Buildings for Schools —Item 5—Reserve for such items of land, plans and construction of school buildings as are or may finally be approved, $460,962.00— pass, notwithstanding the disapproval by His Honor, the Mayor?

The Secretary was directed to call the roll and the members, as their names were called, respectively voted as follows:

Mr. Carr: No.
Mr. Lee: No.
Mr. Musco: No.
Mr. Ward: Present.
Chairman: No.

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The Chairman stated that the Mayor approved the order appropriating $134,775.00 for Land and Buildings, which order reads as follows:

ORDERED: That in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 224 of the Acts of 1936, as amended by Chapter 117 of the Acts of 1949, the following appropriations are hereby made to meet the estimated cost of "construction and furnishing of new school buildings, both temporary and permanent, including the taking of land therefor, and for school yards and the preparing of school yards for use, and for rent of hired school accommodations" for the fiscal year 1955:

LAND AND BUILDINGS FOR SCHOOLS	
Item 1—Administration Expenses, Salaries	$ 72,000.00
Item 2—Rent of hired accommodations	37,775.00
Item 3—Bigelow District, South Boston: Development of playspace of land on Silver Street and land adjacent to the Bigelow Schoolyard	25,000.00
Total	$134,775.00

The above sum of $134,775.00 appropriated for land and buildings is obtained from the amount available under the $.50 allowance.

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

ALTERATIONS AND REPAIRS

The following communication from His Honor, the Mayor, was presented:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor
City Hall

April 18, 1955

Miss Agnes E. Reynolds, Secretary
Boston School Committee
15 Beacon Street
Boston, Massachusetts

Dear Miss Reynolds:

I am returning the enclosed appropriation order adopted under date of April 4, 1955, by the School Committee, and relating to appropriations for "Alteration and Repair of School Buildings." You will note that I have approved the first three items as voted, and the fourth item in an amount $500,000 less than that voted by the Committee.

In view of the major construction program now being handled within the School Buildings' Department, I feel that the amount approved under Item E represents the maximum repair program which can be administered and supervised by the department.

Respectfully
(Signed) J. B. Hynes
Mayor

Placed on file.

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The following are the appropriations for Alterations and Repairs approved by the Mayor in the foregoing letter

A. Administration Expenses:	
1. Salaries	$ 305,000.00
2. Workmen's Compensation	600.00
3. Veterans' Retirement Roll	11,205.00
B. Administration Expenses: Office Expenses and Other Items	32,000.00
C. Alterations, Furniture and Equipment for Special Educational Needs	150,000.00
E. General Alterations and Repairs	1,560,500.80
Total	$2,059,305.80

The foregoing was ordered spread on the records.

Chairman: The question now comes: Shall the appropriation for Item E. General Alterations and Repairs, $2,060,500.80, pass, notwithstanding the disapproval of His Honor, the Mayor?

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The Secretary was directed to call the roll and the members, as their names were called, respectively stated that they voted as follows:

Mr. Carr: No.

Mr. Lee: I am voting No, but with emphasis on our efforts to bring to the Mayor's attention our still pressing need for more money for alterations and repairs, possibly to be raised by a bond issue to be authorized by the Legislature in conjunction with a similar step on the part of the Mayor.

Mr. Musco: No.
Mr. Ward: Present.
Chairman: No.

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The Chairman stated that the Mayor approved the order ap-

propriating $2,059,305.80 for Alterations and Repairs, which order reads as follows:

ORDERED, That in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 224 of the Acts of 1936, as amended by Chapter 117 of the Acts of 1949, the following appropriations are hereby made to meet the estimated cost of "alteration and repair of school buildings and for furniture, fixtures, and means of escape in case of fire, and for fire protection of existing buildings, and for improving existing school yards," for the fiscal year 1955 based on the accompanying detailed estimates:

A. Administration Expenses:	
1. Salaries	$ 305,000.00
2. Workmen's Compensation	600.00
3. Veterans' Retirement Roll	11,205.00
B. Administration Expenses: Office Expenses and Other Items	32,000.00
C. Alterations, Furniture and Equipment for Special Educational Needs	150,000.00
E. General Alterations and Repairs	1,560,500.80
Total	$2,059,305.80

The above total of $2,059,305.80 appropriated for "alteration and repair of school buildings," etc., is obtained from the amount available under the $1.70 allowance.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS — Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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GENERAL SCHOOL PURPOSES

The following communication from His Honor, the Mayor, was presented:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor
City Hall

April 25, 1955

Miss Agnes E. Reynolds,
Secretary,
School Committee,
15 Beacon Street,
Boston, Massachusetts.

Dear Miss Reynolds:

In accordance with the understanding arrived at in my recent conference with the School Committee on the appropriation requirements for the current year, I beg to advise you that I shall recommend to the City Council at its next meeting, under the provisions of Chapter 224 of the Acts of 1936, additional appropriations for general school purposes totaling—$3,279,448.97.

Very truly yours,
(Signed) John B. Hynes
Mayor

Administration	$ 143,792.82
Instruction	2,321,762.26
Auxiliary Services	123,339.13
Operation of Plant	566,761.15
Fixed Charges	124,773.61
Total	$3,279,448.97

Placed on file.

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The Chairman stated that the foregoing total of $3,279,448.97 for General School Purposes is $142,096.00 less than the original request of Apr. 4, 1955 of the School Committee to the Mayor for recommendation to the City Council for $3,421,544.97.

The foregoing was ordered spread on the record.

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Chairman: The question now comes: Does the Committee concur in the recommendation of the Mayor to the City Council for an additional appropriation for General School Purposes totaling $3,279,448.97, which is $142,096.00 less than the original request of the School Committee for $3,421,544.97?

The Secretary was directed to call the roll and the members, as their names were called, respectively voted as follows:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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NOTICE TO BOARD OF ASSESSORS OF ANNUAL APPROPRIATIONS

A communication was received from the Business Manager, under date of Apr. 25, 1955, reporting that under the provisions of Chapter 224 of the Acts of 1936, as amended by Chapter 513 of the Acts of 1945, and as amended by Chapter 117 of the Acts of 1949; and under the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 70, the School Committee is required to certify not later than May 1st of each fiscal year to the Board of Assessors the amount of the appropriations made by the School Committee that must be raised by taxation.

The total of the appropriations made by the School Committee for all school purposes for the year 1955 is $24,993,087.99, made up as follows: (This is exclusive of any additional appropriation for General School Purposes which the City Council may approve.)

(a) General School Purposes	$22,799,007.19
(b) Alteration and Repair of School Buildings	2,059,305.80
(c) Land and Buildings for schools, including rent of hired school accommodation	134,775.00
Total	$24,993,087.99

The Business Manager recommended the passage of the accompanying orders certifying to the Board of Assessors that the sum of $21,631,997.80 is to be raised by taxation for all school purposes in the year 1955, based upon appropriations made by the School Committee.

Placed on file.

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The following was offered:

1. ORDERED, That under the provisions of Chapter 224 of the Acts of 1936, as amended by Chapter 513 of the Acts of 1945, and amended by Chapter 117 of the Acts of 1949; and under the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 70, the Board of Assessors is hereby notified that the School Committee of the City of Boston has appropriated for the fiscal year 1955 the sum of $24,858,312.99 for maintenance of the Boston Public Schools (General School Purposes, $22,799,007.19, plus Alteration and Repair of School Buildings, $2,059,305.80.)

(This is exclusive of any additional appropriation for General School Purposes which the City Council may approve).

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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The following was offered:

2. ORDERED, That the Board of Assessors is hereby further notified that of the amount appropriated for maintenance (General School Purposes and Alterations and Repairs), as specified in the preceding order, viz, $24,858,312.99, the sum of $21,497,222.80 should be included in the total amount to be raised by taxation for maintenance. The balance, $3,361,090.19, will be obtained as follows:

Unexpended balance, General School Purposes, 1954	$ 128,927.32
Unexpended balance—Alteration and Repair of School Buildings, 1954	
Estimated Income, General School Purposes, 1955	1,470,079.87
Total of foregoing unexpended balances and estimated Income	$1,599,007.19
Estimated amount to be received by the City under General Laws, Chapter 70	1,762,083.00
Total of Credits for Maintenance (General School Purposes and Alteration and Repair of School Buildings)	$3,361,090.19

(This is exclusive of any additional appropriation for General School Purposes which the City Council may approve.)

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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The following was offered:

3. ORDERED, That under the provisions of Chapter 224 of the Acts of 1936, as amended by Chapter 513 of the Acts of 1945, and as amended by Chapter 117 of the Acts of 1949, and under the provisions of General Laws, Chapter 70, the Board of Assessors is hereby notified that the School Committee of the City of Boston has appropriated for the fiscal year 1955 the sum of $134,775.00 for Land and Buildings for schools, including rent of hired school accommodations.

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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The following was offered:

4. ORDERED, That the Board of Assessors is hereby further notified that the amount ap-

propriated for Land and Buildings, as specified in the preceding order, viz., $134,775.00 should be included in the total amount to be raised by taxation.

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

SUMMARY

The following summary shows the appropriations which have been made by the School Committee, the total credits, and the amount to be raised by taxation for the fiscal year 1955. This is exclusive of any additional appropriation for General School Purposes which the City Council may approve.

	Appropriations By School Committee	Credits	Amounts to be Raised by Taxation
School Committee—General School Purposes	$22,799,007.19	$1,599,007.19	
Department of School Buildings—Alteration and repair of school buildings	2,059,305.80	———	
Estimated amount to be received by the City under General Laws, Chapter 70	———	1,762,083.00	
	$24,858,312.19	$3,361,090.19	$21,497,222.80
Department of School Buildings—Land and buildings for schools, including rent of hired school accommodations	134,775.00	———	134,775.00
Totals	$24,993,087.99	$3,361,090.19	$21,631,997.80

N. B. The total credits are made up of unexpended balances, the estimated income for the current year, and the estimated amount to be received by the City under General Laws, Chapter 70.

The foregoing was ordered spread on the record.

Mr. Lee: Madam Chairman, before we leave this matter, the only territory we have left on this whole budget matter, as I understand it, is such territory as the Superintendent may develop and explore with the Mayor when he talks to him this week on this problem of money from some source for Alterations and Repairs.

Superintendent: That is right.

Mr. Lee: Now, suppose, Mr. Superintendent, the Mayor says, "Well, after all, the Legislature is not in session, and any success I have with the Legislature may come after I am out of office, and at best will come next year."

And you then say to him, "But, Mr. Mayor, this is a crying situation in our Boston schools." I want you to have a free hand from this Committee to accept from the Mayor a revision of his own figures. Suppose he says, "Well, in view of what you told me, Mr. Superintendent, and the children's being cold, and rain dripping on their heads and all these replies that come in from the Home and School Associations, which we did not have time to go into at our meeting, I think I can be a little more generous on your Alterations and Repairs out of revenues prior to the Legislature." Surely the Superintendent is free to develop such a possibility, is he not?

Superintendent: I would say that I would immediately notify Miss Fitzgerald, the Chairman of the Committee, and ask her to call a special meeting before May 1st, which might be Thursday, Friday or Saturday of this week, and I am sure she will be willing to do it—wouldn't you?

Chairman: Yes.

Superintendent: I will tell him the Committee will hold itself in readiness for an emergency meeting if necessary.

Mr. Lee: We are giving raises to our teachers and we are not giving raises to our kids, — in other words, no further benefit in the form of properly heated schools and properly painted schools.

Mr. Musco: We will be with him at 11 o'clock on Wednesday morning.

Chairman: Did you get that notice? It is the Board of Sale meeting on Wednesday at 11 o'clock. We can talk with him at that time.

Superintendent: Do you want me to go down with you, Madam Chairman?

Chairman: Yes, I think it would be a good idea.

Mr. Lee: Wouldn't it be a better idea to have him see him separately on the subject earlier? That will give him two whacks instead of one. I think the Superintendent can talk more dispassionately than a group of people sitting around a table talking about the sale of buildings.

Superintendent: I will.

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IN MEMORIAM

The Superintendent regretfully reported the death of the following-named Principal Emeritus who had been retired under the provisions of th Boston Retirement System:

Martin District — Charles M. Lamprey, principal emeritus, Mar. 27, 1955.

Placed on file.

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The Superintendent regretfully reported the deaths of the following-named teachers who had been retired on pension:

Girls' High School—Abby N. Arnold, Mar. 10, 1955.

Placed on file.

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The School Committee requested that a letter of condolence, to be signed by the Secretary, be sent to the bereaved families.

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RESIGNATION

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Apr. 25, 1955, reporting the resignation of Cecelia L. Dana, school nurse. Department of School Hygiene, to take effect Apr. 30, 1955.

Accepted.

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RETIREMENT ON PENSION

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Apr. 25, 1955, reporting the retirement from active service of the following-named veteran who has been retired under the provisions of Chapter 32 of the General Laws, as amended:

Brighton High School—John E. Fuller, master, Apr. 12, 1955, $3650.40 per annum.

Placed on file.

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APPOINTMENTS

The following nominations by the Superintendent, certified by him as being in accordance with the rules and regulations, to take effect on the dates stated were presented:

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(FROM THE ELIGIBLE LIST)

Dillaway District — Frances Conley Dunton, assistant, special class (third year salary—$3792—annivesary date May 1), May 16, 1955.

Dudley District—Elizabeth A. Devlin, assistant, special class (second year salary—$3648—anniversary date May 1), May 16, 1955.

Elihu Greenwood District — Claire C. Horton, assistant, special class (second year salary—$3648—anniversary date May 1), May 16, 1955.

John Marshall District—Marian Swartwood Holodinski, assistant, special class (second year salary—$3648—anniversary date May 1), May 16, 1955; Marcia E. McPherson, assistant, special class (second year salary—$3648—anniversary date May 1), May 16, 1955.

John Winthrop District—Margaret Lyons Smith, assistant, special class—fifth year salary—$4080—anniversary date May 1, (re-entrant, resigned from U. S. Grant District, Jan. 29, 1937) May 16, 1955.

Oliver Wendell Holmes Junior High School — Janet LaPointe Manning, assistant, special class (third year salary—$3792—anniversary date May 1), May 16, 1955.

Sherwin District—Rhoda Henderson Thomas, assistant, special class (second year salary—$3648—annivesary date May 1), May 16, 1955.

Washington Allston District—Ann E. Cahill, assistant, special class (third year salary—$3792—anniversary date May 1), May 23, 1955.

Washington Irving Junior High School—Claire C. O'Connell, assistant, special class (second year salary—$3648—anniversary date May 1), May 16, 1955.

William Howard Taft Junior High School—Ann Wells West-

brooks, assistant, special class (second year salary-$3648-anniversary date May 1), May 16, 1955.

Woodrow Wilson Junior High School—Margaret Donovan McPhee, assistant, special class (third year salary-$3792-anniversary date May 1), May 16, 1955.

Department of Home Economies—Miriam L. Regan, teacher of cookery, junior high, seventh year salary - $4356 - anniversary date May 1, (re-entrant, resigned from Department of Home Economies, Sept. 8, 1950), May 16, 1955.

On roll call the rules were suspended and the appointments approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Museo, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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LIST OF TEACHERS APPROVED FOR TEMPORARY SERVICE

The Superintendent submitted under the provisions of Section 265, paragraph 3 of the regulations, the following list of teachers approved by him from which assignments may be made for temporary service:

Roberta Moody Alston, Ellen Sharpe Binney, Elizabeth Glecson Blake, Morton F. Bradley, Joseph P. Durkin, Marie Manning Field, June Goldberg Goldsmith, Olthelia Dclirson Gomez, Sadazo J. Hamano, Nora Burns Howley, Eugene E. Lanzilla, Thomas H. McCourt, Gerald C. McMorrow, Francis D. O'Leary, Catherine Boylan Shea, Dorothy Doyle Smiley.

On roll call the list of teachers was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Museo, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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DEPARTMENT OF ADULT EDUCATIONAL AND RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES

(Evening Schools)

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Apr. 25, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has appointed the following-named persons for service in the evening schools for the term 1954-55:

Boston Central Evening High School—William J. Bond, assistant, Mar. 24, 1955.

East Boston Evening Commercial High School — William J. Bond, assistant, Mar. 8, 1955 (one evening).

Roxbury Evening Commercial High School—William J. Bond, assistant, Mar. 3, 1955 (one evening).

South Boston Evening Commercial High School—Gertrude A. Morrissey, assistant, Mar. 10, 1955 (one evening).

Roxbury Evening School — Charles B. Kenney, assistant, Mar. 15, 1955 (one evening).

William Blackstone Evening School—Dorothy K. Morrill, assistant, Mar. 10, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Apr. 25, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has made the following transfer of a teacher:

James N. Adams, assistant, Grover Cleveland Evening School, to the same position in the South Boston Evening School, Mar. 22 to 31, 1955 (four evenings).

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the transfer was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messr. Lee, Museo, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Apr. 25, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has appointed the following-named clerical assistant for the evening school term 1954-55:

Boston Evening Trade School—Catherine J. Sullivan, Mar. 8, 1955 (one evening).

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Apr. 25, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has made the following transfer of a clerical assistant:

Grace V. O'Conner, clerical assistant, Boston Evening Trade School, to the same position in the Brighton Evening Commercial High School, Mar. 15, 1955 (one evening).

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the transfer was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Museo, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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Extended Use

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Apr. 25, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has assigned the following-named person to serve in the Department of Adult Educational and Recreational Activities, Extended Use Division, for the term 1954-55:

Assignment

James R. Jackman, Apr. 1, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the assignment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Museo, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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(Summer Review Schools)

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Apr. 25, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has made the following-named appointments of principals of summer review schools for the term 1955, to take effect June 27, 1955:

Dorchester Summer Review High School—William J. Cunningham.

Fenway Summer Review High School—Wilfred L. O'Leary.

Grover Cleveland Summer Review Junior High School—Florence M. Hawkins.

James P. Timilty Summer Review Junior High School—Paul J. Sullivan.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messr. Lee, Museo, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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TEACHER COACH

Baseball

(To take effect Apr. 15, 1955)

High School of Commerce—Henry J. Chiarini.

On roll call the appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messr. Lee, Museo, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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TEACHER COACHES, JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOLS

(Baseball)

(To take effect Apr. 1, 1955)

Clarence R. Edwards Junior High School—Edward J. Grant.

Donald McKay Junior High School—Everett J. Ford, Jr.

Grover Cleveland Junior High School—Francis P. O'Brien.

James P. Timilty Junior High School—Frederick J. Gumbs.

Joseph H. Barnes Junior High School—William P. Foley.

Lewis Junior High School — Thomas F. Kennedy.

Mary E. Curley Junior High School—Walter E. Shaughnessy.

Michelangelo Junior High School—Raymond F. Higgins.

Oliver Wendell Holmes Junior High School—George L. O'Connell.

Patrick F. Gavin Junior High School—Charles F. O'Hara.

Patrick T. Campbell Junior High School—Edward C. Lambert.

Robert Gould Shaw Junior High School—Lionel H. Buckley.

Solomon Lewenberg Junior High School—Harold A. Martell.

Thomas A. Edison Junior High School—Harold J. Cleary.

Washington Irving Junior High School—Leo R. Long.

William Barton Rogers Junior High School—Louis R. Osterman.

William Blackstone Junior High School—Ernest A. DiMattia.

William Howard Taft Junior High School—Thomas J. Carty.

Woodrow Wilson Junior High School—Francis O. Tracy.

On roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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(Elementary Schools with Junior High Classes)

Abraham Lincoln District — Herbert C. Hambelton.

Blackinton-John Cheverus District—Frederick L. Sweeney.

Dearborn District — John D. Callahan.

Dwight District — James F. Hughes.

Francis Parkman District — Arthur F. Gustus.

Martin District — Joseph F. Fielding.

Prince District—James S. Celeste.

Rice-Franklin District—Everett C. Yates.

Sherwin District—Angelo DiMattia.

William E. Russell District—Thomas G. Dolan.

Boston Latin School (5th and 6th Classes)—J. Stephen Patten.

M. Gertrude Godvin School — John S. Moloney.

On roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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TRANSFER

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Apr. 25, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has made the following transfers of teachers, to take effect May 16, 1955:

John H. Hegarty, assistant, special class, William Howard Taft Junior High School, to the same position in the Sherwin District.

Jennie M. Russo, assistant, special class, Dillaway District, to the same position in the Agassiz District.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the transfers were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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LEAVES OF ABSENCE

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Apr. 25, 1955, reporting that, in accordance with the provisions of Section 283A of the Regulations, the leave of absence without pay granted to Joan Lionetto, teacher, kindergarten, James J. Chittick District, to take effect Sept. 1, 1954, has been terminated to take effect Mar. 31, 1955; and recommending that leave of absence without pay for maternity be granted to take effect on Apr. 1, 1955, and to continue until terminated by the Superintendent with the approval of the School Committee, provided that such leave shall be for a period of at least three months after the date of birth, and, provided further, that no such leave shall in any event exceed eighteen months.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the leave of absence without pay was granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That Kevin J. Bowers, teacher, junior high, Patrick F. Gavin Junior High School, is hereby granted leave of absence without loss of pay for the period June 16 to 23, 1955, inclusive, in order to participate in a study tour of Europe.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Musco, and Ward—4.

NAYS—Mr. Lee—1.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That Ann M. Mulholland, assistant, Horace Mann School for the Deaf, is hereby granted leave of absence without loss of pay for the period June 20 to 23, 1955, inclusive, in order to take a course at Northwestern University, Evanston, Illinois.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Musco, and Ward—4.

NAYS—Mr. Lee—1.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Apr. 25, 1955, recommending that leave of absence without pay, under a suspension of the regulations, and subject to the approval of the School Committee, be granted the following-named teacher for the term specified:

Patrick T. Campbell Junior High School—Cecelia Dunphy — teacher, junior high, Mar. 10 to June 23, 1955, inclusive.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the regulations were suspended and the leave of absence without pay was granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Apr. 25, 1955, recommending that leave of absence, without pay, be granted to the following-named teacher for the term specified:

Harvard District—Mary T. Sullivan, teacher, elementary, Sept. 1, 1955 to Aug. 31, 1956, inclusive.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the leave of absence without pay was granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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ASSIGNMENTS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Apr. 25, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has assigned the following-named teachers, as indicated, without change of rank or salary, to take effect May 16, 1955, and to continue for the school year ending Aug. 31, 1955, unless earlier terminated by the Superintendent, with the approval of the School Committee:

Dillaway District — Frances Conley Dunton, assistant, special class, to the John Marshall District.

John Marshall District—Marian Swartwood Holodinski, assistant, special class, to the William E. Endicott District.

William Howard Taft Junior High School—Ann Wells Westbrooks, assistant, special class, to the Sherwin District.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the assignments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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DESIGNATIONS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Apr. 25, 1955, reporting that he has made the following designations of teachers, to serve in the positions indicated, until such time as they shall be filled otherwise, in accordance with the rules and regulations, but not beyond Aug. 31, 1955:

Minot District — Mabel L. Augusta, teacher, elementary, as acting vice principal (vice Louise J. Chambers, absent on leave), Mar. 23, 1955.

Phillips Brooks District—James J. Howard, teacher, elementary,

as acting submaster (vice Joseph T. Sullivan, absent on leave), Mar. 7, 1955.

Patrick F Lyndon District — Louis E. Tobasky, teacher, elementary, as acting submaster, Mar. 28, 1955.

Placed on file.

REPORT ON MARRIED TEACHER

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Apr. 25, 1955, reporting that in accordance with the provisions of Section 283 of the regulations, the following-named female teacher has reported that she was married on the date indicated:

Bennett District — Claire M. Magner, teacher, elementary, married Feb. 13, 1955, new name Claire M. Fraser.

Placed on file.

DEPARTMENT OF ADULT EDUCATIONAL AND RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES

(Summer Review Schools)

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That summer review schools are hereby established for the term 1955 in the following-named school buildings:

Dorchester Summer Review High School, in the Jeremiah E. Burke High School, Washington Street, near Columbia Road, Dorchester.

Fenway Summer Review High School, in the Boston Latin School, Avenue Louis Pasteur, Boston.

Grover Cleveland Summer Review Junior High School, in the Grover Cleveland School, Charles Street, Dorchester.

James P. Timilty Summer Review Junior High School, in the James P. Timilty School, Eliot Square, Roxbury.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the term 1955 of the summer review high schools shall begin on Monday, June 27, 1955, and close on Friday, August 12, 1955, and that sessions be held on each day of said term except Saturdays, Sundays, and Monday, July 4, 1955, from 8 A. M. to 12 M.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the term 1955 of the summer review junior high schools shall begin on Monday, June 27, 1955, and close on Friday, August 12, 1955, and that sessions be held on each day of said term except Saturdays, Sundays, and Monday, July 4, 1955, from 9 A. M. to 12 M.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the Superintendent is hereby authorized to make such emergency appointments of teachers as may be necessary for service in the summer review schools for the term 1955.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That during the term 1955, pupils may be admitted to the summer review schools only upon the approval of the Superintendent or of the Assistant Superintendent in charge.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

(Evening Schools)

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the closing exercises of the evening commercial high and the evening elementary schools on Thursday evening, Apr. 14, 1955, is hereby ratified.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the graduating exercises of the Boston Central Evening High School shall be held on Thursday evening, May 26, 1955.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

ANNUAL COMPETITIVE DRILLS

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the annual competitive drills of the Boston School Cadets take place this year as follows:

English High School—at 101st Infantry Armory, Friday, April 15, 1955.

East Boston High School—at school, Friday, April 15, 1955.

South Boston High School—at school, Friday, April 15, 1955.

Boston Latin School—at school, Wednesday, April 27, 1955.

Jamaica Plain High School—at J. W. Murphy, Jr. Playground, Thursday, April 28, 1955.

Brighton High School — at school, Friday, April 29, 1955.

Dorchester High School — at school, Friday, April 29, 1955.

Boston Trade High School—at 101st Infantry Armory, Tuesday, May 3, 1955.

Roslindale High School — at Healy Field, Tuesday, May 3, 1955.

Hyde Park High School — at Stony Brook Reservation, Wednesday, May 4, 1955.

Boston Technical High School—at 101st Infantry Armory, Friday, May 6, 1955.

Charlestown High School — at Charlestown Armory, Friday, May 6 1955.

Roxbury Memorial High School (Boys)—at school, Friday, May 6, 1955.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

COURSES OF STUDY

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the tentative Arts and Crafts Course, M. Gertrude Godvin School, is hereby established on a permanent basis.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the accompanying Course of Study in Physical Education for Grades IV, V and VI is hereby adopted, and that fifteen hundred (1500) copies be printed as a school document.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

ELIGIBLE LISTS

A communication was received from the Board of Superintendents, under date of Apr. 25, 1955, transmitting the list of candidates of the August 1954 examinations for Certificate XXI, School Nurse, as reported by the Board of Examiners.

This does not constitute a separate Eligible List but should be inserted in School Document No. 6, 1954—Candidates Eligible for Permanent Appointment as Teachers:

SCHOOL NURSE CERTIFICATE

Rating	Name	Certificate Expires
894	**Louise Sharko Holthaus	June 30, 1958
858	**Hannah J. Moore	June 30, 1958
847	**Eleanor M. Madden	June 30, 1958
840	**Justine S. Balutis	June 30, 1958
831	**Mary K. Twomey	June 30, 1958
846	Mary Duane Shea	June 30, 1958
832	Alice M. Noonan	June 30, 1958
784	Mary Maguire King	June 30, 1958
774	Janet Murphy Fitzgerald	June 30, 1958

**Veteran

Placed on file.

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A communication was received from the Board of Superintendents, under date of Apr. 25, 1955, transmitting a name to be added to the list of successful candidates of the August 1954 examinations for the certificate of qualification indicated, as reported by the Board of Examiners.

This name does not constitute a separate eligible list, but should be inserted in School Document No. 6, 1954—Candidates Eligible for Permanent Appointment as Teachers—at the place indicated by the rating.

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Rating	Name	Certificate Expires
	Kindergarten Certificate	
881	Judith Mostow Galer	June 30, 1958

Placed on file.

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AUDIT OF BOOKS AND ACCOUNTS OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the bid of two thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars ($2750) of O'Brien, Fitzgerald, and Cullen, to audit the books and accounts of the School Committee of the City of Boston for the year ending Dec. 31, 1955, in accordance with the specifications, is hereby accepted.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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APPOINTMENTS, ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICES

A communication was received from the Secretary, under date of Apr. 25, 1955, reporting, subject to the approval of the School Committee and with the approval of the Division of Civil Service and the consent of the Head of the Department concerned, the appointment of Carroll A. Harrington as principal statistical machine operator in the Office of the Business Manager, by transfer from the City of Boston Department of Public Welfare, to take effect May 4, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the salary of Carroll A. Harrington, principal statistical machine operator, Office of the Business Manager is hereby established at the rate of seventy-six dollars and fifty cents ($76.50) a week, to take effect May 4, 1955, and to continue until otherwise ordered.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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A communication was received from the Secretary, under date of Apr. 25, 1955, reporting, subject to the approval of the School Committee, and with the approval of the Division of Civil Service and the consent of the Head of Department concerned, the appointment of Marilyn Breen as assistant, Office of the Superintendent, by transfer from the Metropolitan District Commission, Water Division, to take effect Apr. 20, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the salary of Marilyn Breen, assistant, Office of the Superintendent, is hereby established at the rate of fifty-six dollars and thirty cents ($56.30) a week, to take effect Apr. 20, 1955, and to continue until otherwise ordered.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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ATTENDANCE AT CONVENTIONS

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That William F. Carr, Mary K. Fitzgerald, and Louis F. Musco, members of the School Committee of the City of Boston, are hereby authorized to attend the Convention of the Massachusetts Association of School Committees, to be held in Swampscott, May 12, 13, and 14, 1955, at an expense to the City not to exceed fifty dollars ($50) each

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Apr. 25, 1955, submitting, in accordance with the provisions of Section 3 of Chapter 274 of the Acts of 1914, report of Mary K. Fitzgerald, Chairman, Boston School Committee, on her attendance at the Annual Meeting of the National School Board Association, Inc., held in St. Louis, Missouri, Feb. 24 to 26, 1955, inclusive.

Placed on file.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Apr. 25, 1955, submitting, in accordance with the provisions of Section 3 of Chapter 274 of the Acts of 1914, report of Marguerite G. Sullivan, Assistant Superintendent of Schools, on her attendance at the Conference of Supervisors of Elementary Education in Large Cities, held in Washington, D. C., Apr. 4 to 7, 1955, inclusive.

Placed on file.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Apr. 25, 1955, submitting, in accordance with the provisions of Section 3 of Chapter 274 of the Acts of 1914, report of Regina T. Driscoll, assistant in charge, Classes for Conservation of Eyesight, on her attendance at the Prevention of Blindness Conference, held in New York City, Mar. 16, 17, and 18, 1955.

Placed on file.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Apr. 25, 1955, submitting, in accordance with the provisions of Section 3 of Chapter 274 of the Acts of 1914, report of Arnold L. Ganley, vocational instructor, Department of Vocational Guidance, on his attendance at the 1955 National Convention of the American Personnel and Guidance Association, held in Chicago, Illinois, Apr. 3 to 7, 1955, inclusive.

Placed on file.

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EXPENDITURES TO APR. 1, 1955.

A communication was received from the Business Manager, under date of Apr. 1, 1955, submitting, pending the adoption of the maintenance budget, a statement showing the expenditures for the maintenance of the public schools for the current month, the expenditures for the first three drafts of the current fiscal year, the expenditures for the first three drafts of the fiscal year 1954 and the increases and decreases in the several items.

Placed on file.

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RESIGNATION OF CUSTODIAN

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Apr. 25, 1955, reporting the resignation, to take effect Apr. 12, 1955, of Joseph T. Farmer junior building custodian, Dorchester High School.

Accepted.

TRANSFER OF CUSTODIAN

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Apr. 25, 1955, recommending subject to the approval of the School Committee, that the following-named senior building custodian who, by seniority and merit, stands at the head of his respective list, be transferred to the school indicated, to take effect Apr. 1, 1955: James J. Dunn, from Grover Cleveland Junior High Schol to the Joseph H. Barnes Junior High School.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the transfer was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5

NAYS—0

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UNFINISHED BUSINESS

The five orders laid over at the meeting of Mar. 28, 1955, making additions to and changes in the List of Authorized Text Books, were taken up.

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Mr. Ward: Madam Chairman, what books are these?

Superintendent: These are the books, Madam Chairman and Mr. Ward, that were submitted at the meeting of Mar. 28, 1955, and laid over.

Mr. Ward: What are the names of the books?

Superintendent: There are about 120 books.

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The following order was read by the Secretary:

"ORDERED, That Order No. 4 is hereby amended by striking out the asterisks and the reference thereto in the order."

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Mr. Ward: Explain the striking out of the asterisks, Mr. Superintendent.

Superintendent: Madam Chairman and Mr. Ward, when these were presented to the School Committee, there was an asterisk placed opposite the names of revisions, and that meant that the schools were limited to forty-five copies.

Now the Board of Superintendents at the following meeting felt that these books had been in use for a year and if they did not have the restriction on them before, the revised copy of that book should not carry a restriction, and so the striking out of the asterisk will permit schools to buy books that are revisions in larger quantities than forty-five. However, they have been tried out over a period of years so that the Board felt that they shouldn't limit the schools to the forty-five.

Mr. Ward: Madam Chairman, on May 15th the Un-American Activities Committee of the State, I understand, is releasing the names of certain people. I can't vote on this until after May 15th when I might find out whether or not any of these people whom the Committee on Un-American Activities might name in these books is all right.

I say nothing against these books but I say that I would like to have their information, which is very complete, and I may have a different view and we all may have different views on May 15th.

Mr. Carr: Madam Chairman, I believe that if, as Mr. Ward says, the committee is going to report by May 15th, none of these books will be actually purchased by then, will they?

Superintendent: No, they will not. If the School Committee could see fit to accept this list, then if any names came out in the May 15th report, ——

Chairman: Pending the report. Is that agreeable to you, Mr. Ward?

Superintendent: ——then we could withhold the purchase of those books.

Mr. Carr: Couldn't we pass it and instruct the Superintendent that in the event, when this report comes out, any names are on it——

Mr. Ward: I wouldn't want the School Committee or the school system to have on its lists a book that may be named by this Committee on Un-American Activities. Therefore, I don't care what the Committee may do, I will have to vote "No."

Chairman: Mr. Superintendent, what would happen if this order did not go through tonight?

Superintendent: We have tried this year, Madam Chairman and members, to move up authorization of new books with the thought that we would like to have these new books in the hands of pupils at the opening of school in September.

In other words, when there is a delay in the acceptance of new books, there is a delay in the purchase of new books and there is educational loss for the pupils as a result of not having books that they ought to have at the opening of school. They won't have them until perhaps long after the opening of school.

Chairman: Mr. Superintendent, is it true that there is every possibility—in fact, there is every probability—that none of the books on your list will be mentioned by the Committee in its report on May 15th? In other words, the chances are probably against that?

Mr. Ward: I don't say that there will be but I want to be sure.

Superintendent: If there are names mentioned of any authors who have authored these books that are before you tonight, we certainly would have ample time before the orders were culminated through the Business Manager's office to strike them out and not purchase them. However, if we can get the machinery operating now for the purchase of new books in the schools so that they will come into the Business Manager's Office, he will be able to purchase them during the summer months and they will be in the schools ready for use in September.

We certainly would intercept any book or any author if any information came from any source, up to the time that the books were ordered, let's say, which would perhaps be the first of July, Mr. Smith?

Business Manager: Yes. We won't have them delivered until the opening of school as all books now go directly to the schools instead of to the Supply Room.

Superintendent: Mr. Smith, when would you like to place the orders for these books to have them delivered at the opening of school? About what date?

Business Manager: I think by July 1st is all right.

Superintendent: Then certainly if anything came out on May 15th we would have ample time to stop the purchase of any book or books that we saw fit.

Mr. Ward: Madam Chairman, suppose the report of the Bowker Committee is not out by May 15th? I would say that I think the Superintendent should confer with Senator Bowker and ask him if he is assured that this report will be out by May 15th. Now this is my understanding. It will not be out by the 15th.

Superintendent: When will the Legislature prorogue?

Mr. Ward: June or July. I don't know when.

Superintendent: Won't the report be out before then?

Mr. Ward: I have information that on May 15th, this report will not be out.

Mr. Carr: Well, we can't postpone buying the books forever. We will have to buy them some time. If they are not going to report for another year, what will happen?

Mr. Ward. If there are Communist authors in there, where do you stand?

Mr. Carr: If the committee was not going to report for a year and a half we could not hold off buying the books.

Mr. Ward: I don't think it will be that long. I think it probably will be May or June.

Chairman: Then, Mr. Ward, on the 90 per cent of the books that are all right, are you going to penalize that 90 per cent?

Mr. Ward: Madam Chairman, you are going to penalize 99.9 per cent. If one book is wrong—just one book—or one author is wrong, that book must be out.

Superintendent: May I say this? I think this will help. These new books would not be purchased in larger quantities than forty-five. If, during the summer months, we found that one of these books was authored by one of these persons whose name might be mentioned in this report from Senator Bowker and his committee, certainly we would withdraw those forty-five books, and the amount of financial loss to the city would be not more than $75 or $100 at most.

So that for the greater good of the greater number of pupils and the greater number of books, it would appear that it would be nice if the orders were passed tonight and at the same time we have several cushions of insurance that I have mentioned. One would be to withdraw the books and throw them away.

It would not be a serious amount of money, Mr. Ward.

Mr. Ward: Madam Chairman, I am not sure, and therefore I must vote "No."

Chairman: That is your privilege, Mr. Ward.

Mr. Lee: A point of information, Madam Chairman. Mr. Superintendent, you have a committee, I believe, or you are working through certain people to look over our textbooks in general, following suggestions made by Mr. Ward a month ago with a view especially to finding any unprogressive and backward authors who can't keep up with the American pace of freedom.

Now, that committee, I suppose, will take quite a considerable time to report.

Superintendent: Textbook committees, Mr. Lee, have already worked these books up.

Mr. Lee: I mean it hasn't gone through the whole list.

Superintendent: I don't mean this special committee that I appointed since Mr. Ward brought this matter up.

Mr. Lee: I mean that special committee, or your own special inquiry.

Superintendent: The special committee considered only the two or three books that were questioned by the School Committee.

Mr. Ward: Those are the only two or three that were brought in.

Superintendent: That is right.

Mr. Ward: I mean the two or three we looked at.

Mr. Lee: Are the books on this list here the ones that Mr. Ward questioned? Are they on the list?

Superintendent: They are on our regular authorized list, and are in use.

Mr. Lee: Are they on this list we are approving tonight?

Superintendent: No. These are brand new books.

Mr. Ward: Those are already accepted, and are in use.

Mr. Lee: It is true that you, through your staff or through outside or other help, as you need it, are investigating this whole subject that Mr. Ward raised?

Superintendent: That is right. I am conducting my own inquiry of all textbooks, in response to anxieties which Mr. Ward put before the Committee as to authors of doubtful loyalty.

Mr. Lee: Will that investigation be over in many months or when?

Superintendent: I would think that I can report to the School Committee some time within a month or so, Mr. Lee.

Mr. Lee: Wouldn't a motion satisfy the situation if it used the wording that Miss Reynolds has in mind, and then added, "Provided that the Superintendent shall be authorized to cancel the purchase of any book which subsequent information finds to be the handiwork of an author affiliated with a foreign imperialistic dictatorship."

Superintendent: Yes.

Mr. Ward: Suppose there are $10,000 worth of books. Now let me explain this. In the Committee down in Washington—and I now speak of Mr. Beale, who has been for years the counsel for the Committee on Un-American Activities—this has been done. Up until about three years ago anybody could walk in there and copy the code and copy the actual hearings and the statements.

In the past two or three years—and I think the Superintendent knows and he can give us the years—they have not allowed anybody to go in there and copy the testimony before that Committee. However, previous to that time there were undoubtedly thousands of good anti-Communists who did go in and copy the evidence presented before the Committee on Un-American Activities. Now in the last two or three years they have not allowed that to be done.

Thousands of copies of that information are in the hands of certain definite anti-Communists. They could be available to this Committee—the names and other information that might be of importance.

I can think of certain men who are very, very high type men, many of them dead, and I will take one, Heywood Broun. Heywood Broun was a writer. Heywood Broun died a very religious, Christ-like man. Heywood Broun died an anti-Communist, hating Communists; but when he wrote when he was writing—he was a definite out-and-out Red Communist whose pen dripped with the Stalin and Marxist theories and that was what we have in our books, not the writings of the man who died a Christ-like saint but the man who wrote only what Stalin told him to write.

I say Heywood Broun was a reformed and fine man, but the letters and the stories that he left behind him dripped with the Stalin and Marxist theories and out-and-out Communism.

There are many, many other men who have reformed and they are fine men; but when they wrote back in 1932 and 1933 and 1934, they were members of Communist Front organizations and they were men who believed in the theory of the philosophy of Communism.

Now we could turn around and say that this man is a grand man but when he wrote he was a Communist. Take the case of Whitaker Chambers. He was anti-Communist. I would accept anything that Whitaker Chambers wrote as of now but I would not accept what he wrote twelve or fifteen years ago.

Now these books may be all right. There is not only the Attorney-General, the Un-American Activities Committee, but there are the States of Pennsylvania, Massachusetts, and I want to say this. I want to say this here and now. I think the grandest job ever done in the history of Massachusetts was done in 1938 by Senator Sybil Holmes, when her Committee on Un-American Activities conducted an investigation here in Massachusetts. Her report was magnificent, and if we read it, we would say the same as I say.

Now, in conscience I cannot vote for these books because I know not what I am voting for, and I am suspicious in the sense that I would like to wait and find out what the report contains. That is why I must vote "No." Every member of this Committee has a right to vote as his conscience dictates, but in mine I cannot vote. I cannot vote for them, notwithstanding the fact that I may feel that they all are good.

Chairman: Thank you very much, Mr. Ward.

Mr. Lee: I would like to suggest, Madam Chairman, that the orders be amended further by adding at the end, the words: "Provided the order for or use of any book on the above list be cancelled if subsequent information shows it to be the handiwork of an author affiliated with a foreign imperialistic dictatorship."

Chairman: Any objection to that amendment?

Mr. Musco: It appears to me that the Superintendent could arm himself with a list of books and go up to Mr. Thomas Bresnahan, the general counsel for the Commission.

Mr. Ward: Madam Chairman, let me say this, in answer to Mr. Musco: How can the Superintendent get that information when the public, the Legislature, and the Senate are first entitled to that information?

Mr. Musco: I am not asking Mr. Haley to do that. I am asking Mr. Haley to arm himself with a list and put it in the hands of Mr. Bresnahan, and all Mr. Bresnahan has to do is to check one against the other in secret. He won't know.

Mr. Ward: I would doubt very much if Mr. Bresnahan would do this for the School Committee and I doubt if he could under the ethics of his position as counsel.

Chairman: Mr. Ward, would you have any objection to Mr. Lee's amendment?

Mr. Ward: Yes, I would. I would object to that due to the fact that we would perhaps spend money on books that later we may throw away. That is my objection.

Chairman: Well, Mr. Ward, you yourself have stated that you believe that it may be only one

book that would be involved, and the Superintendent says that no one book can be purchased in quantities over forty-five. Every book is limited to purchases of forty-five copies.

Mr Ward: It may be one. There is every probability that there are none.

Mr. Haley is not talking about one book. He is talking about this: Forty-five books known as John Jones; forty-five books known as James Smith; forty-five books known as some other name. Is that correct?

Superintendent: (Indicating affirmative.)

Mr. Ward: In other words, you are not talking about one book. I would say that if you bought only forty-five books, that would not be too bad; but if you buy forty-five books, out of 2,000 possible books, and if you take forty-five times 2,000, and these cost $3 each—I don't say you are going to do that but you could. That would involve a large expenditure.

Superintendent: There are something over 100 books in this list. Assume that every one of them was bad and we purchased 4500 all together. Certainly a hundred of these different books are not bad so far as we know from our investigating committees and screening committees. There is nothing on the printed page of any one of them that is bad.

Of course, it is true we don't know the private lives of the authors. That we cannot vouch for, and we never will be able, perhaps, to vouch for all of the details of the private lives of any authors.

I can picture, Madam Chairman and members, the private life of an author who was thoroughly American but was wrong was bad; but certainly if the printed page that he produced is wholesome that is as far as our investigating committee can go.

However, I would think, Madam Chairman and Mr. Ward, that we are not taking a great chance in following Mr. Lee's suggestions if between now and September 1st or between now and the first of July when Mr. Smith submits his orders to the publishers, we find anything that even indicates any doubt in our minds about the private lives of the authors—not what is on the printed page—certainly we could hold up the purchase of that book.

I don't think under those conditions that we are taking any great chances. Of course, the thing that I am anxious for—and I know you are, too—is to have the best educational literature at the disposal of our pupils at the opening of school. It is just like having an old automobile. We are using old automobiles now. New models come out. We like to use the new model, and we want to keep up to date with other school systems. I would think that we are pretty well protected, Mr. Ward, by this idea that Mr. Lee has suggested, and I certainly will continue to follow it.

Mr. Ward: Madam Chairman, if what the Superintendent has said is true, there may be 4500 books. The average cost would be about $3 a book, is that right?

Superintendent: $2, perhaps.

Mr. Ward: I had $3.

Chairman: Mr. Ward, I just want to ask a point of information, if I could, of the Superintendent, and I have asked very few points of information this evening.

Mr. Superintendent, isn't it true that if these orders are passed tonight and instructions are given to Mr. Smith that he is not to purchase a book because you find information out between May 15th and July 1st, we have not actually spent that money?

Superintendent: That is right.

Chairman: In other words, is it only if the information is discovered after July 1st that there is any danger of expenditure of funds?

Superintendent: And I would think, too, Madam Chairman—

Mr. Ward: Madam Chairman, I point this out. If what the Superintendent says is right, the cost would be $9,000. We would waste $9,000. If he says 4500 books at $2 per book, that would be $9,000. Is that right?

Superintendent: That would be on the assumption, Mr. Ward, that every single book was bad.

Mr. Ward: That is right.

Superintendent: The chances are about a million to one that they will not all be bad in their entirety.

Mr. Ward: I realize that. If what you say is true, it could cost $9,000. That is all I bring out.

Question came on the passage of the order amending Order No. 4 of the five orders laid over at the meeting of Mar. 28, 1955, as follows:

ORDERED, That Order No. 4 is hereby amended by striking out the asterisks and the reference thereto in the order.

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee and Musco—4.

NAYS—Mr. Ward—1.

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Mr. Lee offered the following:

ORDERED, That Orders Nos. 1 to 4, inclusive, of the five orders presented and laid over at the meeting of Mar. 28, 1955, making additions to and changes in the List of Authorized Text Books, be further amended by adding at the end of the first paragraph of each of the four orders the following words: "provided that the purchasing or use of any of the following-named books be cancelled if subsequent information shows it to be the handiwork of an author affiliated with a foreign imperialistic dictatorship."

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee and Musco—3.

NAYS—Mr. Ward—1.

ABSENT—Mr. Carr—1.

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Mr. Lee: On that, Madam Chairman, with a view to Mr. Ward's perhaps reflecting further on the matter, I would say that I share Mr. Ward's beliefs very strongly; and I have said often before this Committee that I think we have taken the first step toward dictatorship by having centralized our government so strongly in one place,—namely, Washington — when Karl Marx stresses in his Manifesto, as I have read again and again that the first step in the revolution is to centralize power and to destroy and weaken local government; and I will admit that that has been done. That trend toward centralization by a lot of nibbling away at local powers, rights, and institutions by magazine articles and little references here and there—

Chairman: That was also done when we had a Constitutional Convention back in 1776.

Mr. Lee: No, the Commonwealth delegated very, very few powers, and expressly said it was a sovereign state. I read you the article the other day.

Chairman: Wasn't there some kind of a convention at which all the statesmen said they were going to have certain powers delegated to the Federal government, powers to make money, war, and taxes and things like that?

Mr. Lee: For our original ratification of the Federal Constitution we met here, and on that occasion we delegated a certain few powers to the Federal government. But both at that time and in our own Constitution we stated that we were a sovereign state with all powers in our hands except those which we expressly delegated.

Chairman: We have just lost one member. Shall we have a roll call before we lose our quorum?

Mr. Lee: I was arguing on your side of it. I agree with Mr. Ward that there is this trend in the country. I agree that it has been brought about by incessant nibbling, on the part of authors of different books and magazines and newspaper articles. I am on my guard against that. But where we have this protective amendment, I don't think we are going to be taking any step in the wrong direction.

Mr. Ward: Madam Chairman, so far as Karl Marx is concerned, I think that Karl Marx has failed in the whole Communist theory of Marxism. That is dead. If I were to have the courage to say it I would say there is no Communism in the world. It is Bolshevism. It's not Communism. Karl Marx in every theory he brought out has failed. There is nothing that he has said, nothing he has done in his Manifesto, that has proved to be right; that has not failed to be a definite failure.

The question now comes on a motion established by Stalin of Bolshevism.

Chairman: Doesn't the question come on the textbook order, Mr. Ward?

Mr. Ward: The question comes on that because Stalin has a part in this. He probably contributed certain moneys to these writers. That is why I say that this is now for world imperialism. This is to turn around and say to Russia: "Let us go ahead through Bolshevism, not Communism" — and conquer all these small nations and ultimately conquer America.

There is no more capitalistic country in the whole world than Russia. We are not a capitalistic country. Russia is.

Chairman: Mr. Ward, do you have any objection to our having the agenda culminated so that we can have a vote? I think that we are all ready for the question. Do you want to hold the item, Mr. Ward?

Mr. Ward: I would hold the item, definitely. I would hold it, yes.

Chairman: The Superintendent has already indicated that we won't have books in September.

Mr. Ward: If we don't have books in September and they are bad books and they are books that he may turn around and say he is sorry he made the motion, he will be happy.

Chairman: Could we have the roll call then on that, whether we pass on them or not?

Mr. Ward: You have no quorum so you can't have a roll call.

Chairman: There are three members.

Mr. Ward: You must have three votes and you have't the three votes.

Chairman: Then we can wait a few minutes. I think Mr. Musco will be willing to come back.

Mr. Ward: If you are stopping me from talking because of a time element, why wait a few minutes? So if you are going to wait a few minutes —

Chairman: I am not stopping you from talking because of a time element. There are some of us who just cannot stay. Do you want to bring up another subject while we are waiting? If so, I will be glad to hear it, Mr. Ward. Would you bring it up?

Question came on the passage of the five orders making changes in the List of Authorized Text Books, as amended.

On roll call, the orders passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee and Musco—3.

NAYS—Mr. Ward—1.

ABSENT—Mr. Carr—1.

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The Committee adjourned.

Attest:

AGNES E. REYNOLDS,
Secretary.

CONSTRUCTION OF ITASCA STREET.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of Itasca street, Dorchester district, as a public highway, from Almont street to Mattapan street, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named Itasca street is hereby laid out from Almont street to Mattapan street, and ordered constructed.

Said highway, and the land in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, exclusive of trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed thereto, is bounded and described as follows:

Westerly by Almont street, by two measurements, seventy-one and 58/100 feet on a curve of one thousand one hundred eighty-four and 44/100 feet radius and thirty-two and 68/100 feet on a curve of two thousand five hundred feet radius; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Itasca street as hereby laid out, by two measurements, thirty-two and 25/100 feet on a curve of fifteen feet radius and four hundred forty-three and 59/100 feet; northeasterly by Mattapan street, forty feet on a curve of one thousand two hundred thirty feet radius; and southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Itasca street as hereby laid out, by two measurements, four hundred sixty-six and 27/100 feet and fifty-three and 27/100 feet on a curve of fifty feet radius.

Trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforedescribed land shall be removed therefrom within thirty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the abutting parcels of land situated on both sides of said Itasca street will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement herein ordered; each of said parcels in the amount hereinafter respectively set against it; said parcels and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan hereinbefore described and on file in the office of this department.

Parcel.		Amount.
1A	Haig and Surpoohy Savakian	$226 82
1B	Haig and Surpoohy Savakian	227 22
2	Haig and Surpoohy Savakian	267 00
3	Haig and Surpoohy Savakian	427 84
4	City of Boston	380 00
5	Harold N. and Herminie S. Irving	640 00
6	Mary D. Goldberg	565 30
7	Wolf and Edith D. Rosenblum	380 00
8	Louis and Sally Barman	184 10
9	Max and Ethel Engelson	254 46
10	Max and Ethel Engelson	120 00
11	John P. Conway	380 00
12	Sun Valley Homes, Inc	380 00
13	John F. Cochran	63 80
14	Samuel and Mary Dwash	550 08
15	Jenny Cohen	550 03
16	Melvin and Evelyn Deitch	560 00
17	Harry Morrison	417 20
18	John J. Conniff	249 90
19A	John J. Conniff	75 00
19B	John J. Conniff	37 50
	Total	$6,966 40

Voted, That this commission determines that no persons sustain damages in their estates by the making of the public improvement consisting of the laying out and construction of Itasca street, Dorchester district, as a public highway, between Almont street and Mattapan street, under the order of the commission of June 1, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

EXTENSION OF EMMONSDALE ROAD.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of an extension of Emmonsdale road, West Roxbury district, as a public highway, from Howitt road to Martin street, bounded and described as follows:

An extension of the highway named Emmonsdale road is hereby laid out from Howitt road to Martin street, and ordered constructed.

Said highway and the land in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, exclusive of trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed thereto, is bounded and described as follows:

Northwesterly by Howitt road, forty feet; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Emmonsdale road as hereby laid out, nine hundred seven and 54/100 feet; southeasterly by Martin street, forty feet; and southwesterly by the southwesterly line of Emmonsdale road as hereby laid out, nine hundred seven and 61/100 feet.

Trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforedescribed land shall be removed therefrom within thirty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the abutting parcels of land situated on both sides of said Emmonsdale road will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement herein ordered; each of said parcels in the amount hereinafter respectively set against it; said parcels and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan hereinbefore described and on file in the office of this department.

Parcel.		Amount.
1	John J. and Helen J. Donovan	$480 06
2	John B. and Sophie M. Barrett	357 50
3	Thomas J. and Mary V. Nestor	187 50
4	George J. and Dina Decas	238 95
5	Lawrence J. and Mary L. Tierney	149 37
6	William J. and Mary F. Carey	229 37
7	August L. and Svea A. Englund	169 95
8	Adam A. Tenkar	249 95
9	James A. Jr., and Eleanor C. Wall	265 40
10	Joseph P. and Grace M. Novcto	290 12
11	Mary A. and Harold E. Sanford	390 35
12	John J. and Helen G. Hennessey	512 56
13	Harold G. and Helen H. Arnold	3,734 20
14	Francis P. and Catherine V. Hennessey	230 10
	Total	$7,475 38

Voted, That this commission determines that no persons sustain damages in their estates by the making of the public improvement consisting of the laying out and construction of an extension of Emmonsdale road, West Roxbury district, as a public highway, from Howitt road to Martin street, under the order of the commission of June 1, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Improvement Commission for the following construction work:

A 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer, 10-inch pipe surface drain, and four catch basins in David road, between Moss Hill road and Mossbank Footway, in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of $10,000.

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 34.

I. RETIREMENT.

The following retirement, in accordance with section 7, chapter 658, Acts of 1945, as amended, which became effective at 8 A.M., June 1, 1955, is hereby announced:

Fire Lieut. William J. Donahue, Engine Company 46.

Lieutenant Donahue was appointed to the department May 31, 1929, and was promoted to the grade of lieutenant February 2, 1944. He leaves the department with the best wishes of his associates.

II. ASSIGNMENT AS AIDE TO DEPUTY FIRE CHIEF.

The following assignment, which became effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, May 25, 1955, is hereby announced:

Fire Fighter Daniel T. McInness, Engine Company 4, to fire fighter, aide to deputy fire chief.

III. REASSIGNMENT AS FIRE FIGHTER.

The following reassignment, which became effective at 8 A.M., June 1, 1955, is hereby announced:

Fire Fighter, Aide to Deputy Fire Chief Frank W. Goyette, Ladder Company 30, to fire fighter.

IV. TRANSFER.

The following transfer, effective at 8 A.M. Wednesday, June 8, 1955, is hereby announced:

Fire Fighter, Aide to Deputy Fire Chief Daniel T. McInness, from Engine Company 4 to Ladder Company 30.

By order of Fire Commissioner FRANCIS X. COTTER.

PATRICK E. COLLINS,
Acting Chief of Department.

Special Order No. 38.

From: The Acting Chief of Department.

To: Deputy Fire Chiefs, Divisions 1, 2.

I. SUBJECT: DORCHESTER DAY PARADE

The department will take part in the Dorchester Day parade on Saturday afternoon, June 4, 1955. Two Civil Defense Fire Fighting Units, one from Engine Company 50 and one from Engine Company 32, Lighting Plant No. 2 and the District Fire Chief on the Special Service Unit, who will be in charge of the representation, will participate.

These units shall assemble in Codman square, Dorchester, at 2 P.M., June 4. They will go over the route of the parade, starting at 2.25 P.M., prior to the official start.

II. SUBJECT: MEETING OF ADVISORY PANEL.

A meeting of the Advisory Panel in connection with the indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses, in accordance with General Laws (Ter. Ed., c. 41, s. 100, as amended), will be held in Headquarters, 115 Southampton street, Boston, at 10 A.M., on Monday, June 6, 1955. The several members concerned will be notified to be present at this meeting.

III. SUBJECT: BOSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT BAND AND COLOR GUARD.

Members of the band and color guard will take part in the Junior Firemen's Program at the Hatch Shell, Charles River Esplanade, on June 9, 1955. They shall report to Band Manager Joseph Schon at the Hatch Shell at 6 P.M. Members working the day tour the 9th will be excused at 3 P.M.; members on the night tour will be excused until midnight.

IV. SUBJECT: CHANGE ON ASSIGNMENT CARD.

On assignment card for Box 2162, the order of arrival of ladder companies on the first alarm will be changed to read as follows:

Box 2162, Ladder 4 and Ladder 30.

Company commanders shall make the above change.

Per order of PATRICK E. COLLINS,
Acting Chief of Department.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective June 13, 1955:

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out the following:

Access Street, Charlestown.
Both sides, from Chelsea street to Water street, 24 hours.

Bailey Street, Dorchester.
North side, from Dorchester avenue to a point four hundred (400) feet west of Dorchester avenue, 24 hours.

Chelsea Street, Charlestown.
Southeast side, from City square to Bunker Hill street, 24 hours.

Henley Street, Charlestown.
Both sides, from Navy Yard gate to Chelsea street, 24 hours.

Nashua Street, Boston Proper.
Northeast side, from Causeway street to a point two hundred (200) feet northwest of Causeway street, 24 hours.
Southwest side, from Causeway street to Charles street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.

Newbury Street, Roxbury.
Both sides, from Massachusetts avenue to a point two hundred and twenty-five (225) feet easterly, 24 hours.
North side, from Massachusetts avenue to Charlesgate East, 24 hours.

Parker Street, Roxbury.
East side, from Ruggles street to Ward street, 24 hours.

Prentiss Street, Roxbury.
Northeast side, from Tremont street to Columbus avenue, 24 hours.

Ruggles Street, Roxbury.
North side, from Washington street to Shawmut avenue, 24 hours.

Wapping Street, Charlestown.
Both sides, from Chelsea street to Water street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," each of the following:

Nashua Street.
Northeast side, from Causeway street to a point eight hundred and fifty-five (855) feet northwest of Causeway street, 24 hours.

St. James Avenue.
South side, from Clarendon street to a point fifty (50) feet west of Clarendon street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," and under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Northampton Street.
Northeast side, from Harrison avenue to Albany street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Charlestown," each of the following:

Chelsea Street.
Southeast side, from City square to John F. Fitzgerald Expressway, 24 hours.
Southeast side, from John F. Fitzgerald Expressway to Bunker Hill street, 24 hours.

Henley Street.
Both sides, from the Naval Shipyard gate to John F. Fitzgerald Expressway, 24 hours.

Wapping Street.
Both sides, from John F. Fitzgerald Expressway to Water street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," each of the following:

Bailey Street.
North side, from Dorchester avenue to a point four hundred (400) feet west of Dorchester avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Cummins Highway.
Southwest side, from the northwesterly end of the bridge over the Midland Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad to Hollingsworth street, 24 hours.

East Cottage Street.
North side, from Norfolk avenue to opposite the easterly street line of Humphreys street, 24 hours.

Norfolk Avenue.
Northeast side, from East Cottage street to Franklin court, 24 hours.

Sharp Street.
North side, from Sharp street, northerly arm (private way), to the Dorchester Rapid Transit, 24 hours.

Sydney Street.
East side, from Savin Hill avenue to a point seventy-five (75) feet north of Savin Hill avenue, 24 hours.

Whitby Terrace.
Northwest side, from Pleasant street to the dead end, 24 hours.

Willow Court.
Northwest side, from Massachusetts avenue to a point fifty-five (55) feet northeast of Massachusetts avenue, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," each of the following:

Hollander Street.
South side, from Humboldt avenue to Crawford street, 24 hours.

Newbury Street.
North side, from a point two hundred and seventy (270) feet east of Massachusetts avenue to Charlesgate East, 24 hours.

South side, from a point two hundred and twenty-five (225) feet east of Massachusetts avenue to Massachusetts avenue, 24 hours.

Parker Street.
East side, from Ruggles street to Prentiss street, 24 hours.

Prentiss Street.
Northeast side, from Tremont street to Parker street, 24 hours.

Ruggles Street.
Both sides, from Washington street to Shawmut avenue, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by striking out the following:

Nashua Street, Boston Proper.
Southwest side, from Causeway street to circle at Charles River Dam, 10 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from a point two hundred (200) feet northwest of Causeway street to circle at Charles River Dam, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Newbury Street, Boston Proper and Roxbury.
Both sides, from Arlington street to a point two hundred and twenty-five (225) feet east of Massachusetts avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

St. James Avenue, Boston Proper.
South side, from Arlington street to Trinity place, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," each of the following:

Nashua Street.
Northeast side, from a point eight hundred and fifty-five (855) feet northwest of Causeway street to opposite Exit Ramp of John F. Fitzgerald Expressway, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Causeway street to Exit Ramp of John F. Fitzgerald Expressway, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

St. James Avenue.
South side, from Arlington street to Clarendon street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from a point fifty (50) feet west of Clarendon street to Trinity place, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the captions "Boston Proper," and "Roxbury," the following:

Newbury Street.
North side, from Arlington street to a point two hundred and seventy (270) feet east of Massachusetts avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Arlington street to a point two hundred and twenty-five (225) feet east of Massachusetts avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by striking out the following:

Access Street, Charlestown.
From Henley street to Chelsea street.

Calumet Street, Roxbury.
From Tremont street to Pequot street.

Chelsea Street, Charlestown.
From City square to Bunker Hill street.

Endicott Street, Boston Proper.
From Cross street to Cooper street.

Henley Street, Charlestown.
From Chelsea street to Access street.

Joiner Street, Charlestown.
From Water street to John F. Fitzgerald Expressway.

Lowney Way, Charlestown.
From Bunker Hill street to Mt. Vernon street.

Nashua Street, Boston Proper.
From the John F. Fitzgerald Expressway Service Road to the circle at Charles River Dam.

Public Alley No. 405, Roxbury.
From St. Botolph street to Huntington avenue.

Ruggles Street, Roxbury.
From Tremont street to Washington street.

Wapping Street, Charlestown.
From Chelsea street to Water street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," the following:

Nashua Street.
From Exit Ramp of John F. Fitzgerald Expressway to the circle at Charles River Dam.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Charlestown," each of the following:

Joiner Street.
From Chelsea street to John F. Fitzgerald Expressway.

Wapping Street.
From John F. Fitzgerald Expressway to Water street.

Water Street.
From Wapping street to Water Street Connection of John F. Fitzgerald Expressway.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," each of the following:

Public Alley No. 405.
From Huntington avenue to St. Botolph street.

Ruggles Street.
From Tremont street to Shawmut avenue.

Article VI, Section 11 (Only Right Turn Movements Permitted), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Calumet Street.
Into Tremont street, easterly.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, parking of vehicles is prohibited in the following streets, from June 1, 1955, to October 3, 1955, inclusive:

Columbia Road, South Boston.
North side, from I street to Farragut road, 24 hours.

L Street, South Boston.
Both sides, from Columbia road to East Eighth street, 24 hours.

Marine Road, South Boston.
South side, from I street to M street, 24 hours.

Ticknor Street, South Boston.
Both sides, from Columbia road to Marine road, 24 hours.

EXTENSION OF CRICKET LANE.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of an extension of Cricket Lane, West Roxbury district, as a public highway, southwesterly and southeasterly to Ledgewood road, bounded and described as follows:

An extension of the highway named Cricket Lane is hereby laid out southwesterly and southeasterly to Ledgewood road, and ordered constructed.

Said highway and the land in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, exclusive of trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed thereto, is bounded and described as follows:

Southwesterly by another portion of Cricket Lane (public), forty feet; northerly by the northerly line of Cricket Lane as hereby laid out, ninety-nine and 73/100 feet on a curve of eighty-five feet radius; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Cricket Lane as hereby laid out, by two measurements, one hundred thirty-five and 33/100 feet and one hundred twelve and 7/100 feet on a curve of eighty feet radius; southwesterly by the southwesterly line of Cricket Lane as hereby laid out, one hundred five and 99/100 feet; southeasterly by Ledgewood road, forty and 1/100 feet; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Cricket Lane as hereby laid out, one hundred four and 90/100 feet; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Cricket Lane as hereby laid out, by two measurements, fifty-six and 3/100 feet on a curve of forty feet radius and one hundred thirty-five and 33/100 feet; southerly by the southerly line of Cricket Lane as hereby laid out, fifty-two and 79/100 feet on a curve of forty-five feet radius.

Trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforedescribed land shall be removed therefrom within thirty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the abutting parcels of land situated on both sides of said Cricket Lane will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement herein ordered; each of said parcels in the amount hereinafter respectively set against it; said parcels and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan hereinbefore described and on file in the office of this department.

Parcel.		Amount.
1	Harry and Ida Doxer	Nothing
2	Morris S. and Frances R. Saris	$754 11
3	Herbert A. and Seralyn M. Faber	609 45
4	Solomon (also known as Saul) and Sadie Cohen	597 50
5	Henry T. and Loretta M. Doherty	682 92
6	Julia Barenho tz	Nothing
7	Abbott A. and Anne Kline	$170 10
8	Leslie J. and Marilyn Barenholtz	185 04
9	Samuel E. and Esther Freeman	144 66
10	Sheldon and Roberta Camiel	558 32
11	Solomon and Helen Shwartzer	496 00
12	Louis and Jeannette S. Jacobs	Nothing
	Total	$4,189 10

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in their estate by the making of the public improvement consisting of the laying out and construction of an extension of Cricket Lane, West Roxbury district, as a public highway, southwesterly and southeasterly to Ledgewood road, under the order of this commission of June 1, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

CITY OF BOSTON.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

CHANGES IN TRAFFIC RULES AND REGULATIONS.

Voted, That the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective June 20, 1955:

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out the following:

Berkeley Street, Boston Proper.
Southwest side, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from a point sixty (60) feet south of Boylston street to Boylston street, 24 hours.

Blue Hill Avenue, Roxbury.
East side, from Dudley street to Stanwood street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.

Clarendon Street, Boston Proper.
Northeast side, from Columbus avenue to Boylston street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Dorchester Avenue, Dorchester.
West side, from Hancock street to Adams street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Dorchester Avenue, South Boston.
West side, from Boston street to the bridge over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad near Kemp street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Harrison Avenue, Boston Proper.
Northwest side, from Dover street to East Brookline street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from East Newton street to East Concord street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.

Massachusetts Avenue, Boston Proper.
Northeast side, from Albany street to No. 566 Massachusetts avenue, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.
Northeast side, from No. 524 Massachusetts avenue to a point one hundred (100) feet southeast of the bridge over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.

Massachusetts Avenue, Dorchester and Roxbury.
Northeast side, from Edward Everett square to the Roxbury Canal, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.

Massachusetts Avenue, Roxbury.
Northeast side, from a point one hundred (100) feet northwest of the bridge over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad to Belvidere street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.
Northeast side, from Belvidere street to Commonwealth avenue, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Stuart Street, Boston Proper.
Both sides, from Church street to Arlington street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Summer Street, South Boston.
Southwest side, from a point two hundred and forty (240) feet northwest of D street to a point three hundred and sixty (360) feet northwest of D street, 24 hours.

Washington Street, Boston Proper.
East side, from Hanover street to Haymarket square, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," each of the following:

Beacon Street.
North side, from Storrow Memorial Drive to Clarendon street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from a point one hundred and fifty (150) feet west of Arlington street to Clarendon street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Berkeley Street.
Northeast side, from a point forty-five (45) feet west of Tremont street to a point sixty (60) feet southeast of Boylston street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from a point sixty (60) feet southeast of Boylston street to Boylston street, 24 hours.
Southwest side, from Warren avenue to Boylston street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from Boylston street to Commonwealth avenue, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Broadway.
Northeast side, from Stuart street to Tremont street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Shawmut street to Tremont street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Clarendon Street.
Southwest side, from Tremont street to Columbus avenue, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Columbus avenue to Boylston street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Boylston street to Commonwealth avenue, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Dartmouth Street.
Both sides, from Columbus avenue to Buckingham street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Dover Street.
South side, from Shawmut avenue to Tremont street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Harrison Avenue.
West side, from Kneeland street to Harvard street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Bennet street to Oak street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Motte street to Dover street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Dover street to East Brookline street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from East Newton street to East Concord street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Massachusetts Avenue.
Northeast side, from Albany street to No. 566 Massachusetts avenue, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from No. 524 Massachusetts avenue to a point one hundred (100) feet southeast of the bridge over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

St. James Avenue.
North side, from Arlington street to Berkeley street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Stuart Street.
South side, from Washington street to Tremont street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Warrenton street to Church street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, northerly arm, from Church street to Columbus avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
North side, southerly arm, from Church street to Columbus avenue, 24 hours.
South side, from Columbus avenue to Huntington avenue, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Washington Street.
East side, from Broadway to Harvard street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Adams square to Haymarket square, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the captions "Boston Proper," and "Roxbury," the following:

Charlesgate West.
West side, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Dorchester Avenue.
West side, from Ashmont street to Bailey street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the captions "Dorchester," and "Roxbury," the following:

Massachusetts Avenue.
Northeast side, from Edward Everett square to the Roxbury Canal, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the captions "Dorchester," and "South Boston," the following:

Dorchester Avenue.
West side, from Boston street to Adams street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," each of the following:

Blue Hill Avenue.
East side, from Dudley street to Geneva avenue, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.

Buena Vista Street.
North side, from Warren street to Walnut avenue, 24 hours.

Massachusetts Avenue.
Northeast side, from a point one hundred (100) feet northwest of the bridge over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad to Commonwealth avenue, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "South Boston," the following:

Summer Street.
Southwest side, from a point two hundred and forty (240) feet northwest of D street to a point three hundred and forty (340) feet northwest of D street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by striking out the following:

Beacon Street, Boston Proper.
North side, from Embankment road to a point ninety-three (93) feet east of Massachusetts avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from a point one hundred and fifty (150) feet west of Arlington street to Charlesgate East, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Berkeley Street, Boston Proper.
Both sides, from Warren avenue to Columbus avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from Columbus avenue to a point sixty (60) feet south of Boylston street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Columbus avenue to Stanhope street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Stuart street to Boylston street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from Boylston street to Commonwealth avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Northeast side, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Broadway, Boston Proper.
Southwest side, from Shawmut street to Tremont street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from Stuart street to Tremont street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Charlesgate West, Boston Proper and Roxbury.
West side, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Clarendon Street, Boston Proper.
Northeast side, from the bridge over the Boston & Albany Railroad to Boylston street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Southwest side, from the bridge over the Boston & Albany Railroad to Boylston street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Boylston street to Commonwealth avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Massachusetts Avenue, Roxbury.
Northeast side, from a point one hundred (100) feet northwest of the bridge over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad to Belvidere street, 10 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from Belvidere street to Commonwealth avenue, 10 A.M. to 4 P.M.

St. James Avenue, Boston Proper.
North side, from Arlington street to Berkeley street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Stuart Street, Boston Proper.
South side, from Washington street to Tremont street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Warrenton street to Broadway, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Broadway to Church street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Columbus avenue to Huntington avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Washington Street, Boston Proper.
East side, from Broadway to Harvard street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Adams square to Hanover street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Hanover street to Haymarket square, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," each of the following:

Beacon Street.
North side, from Storrow Memorial Drive to Clarendon street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
North side, from Clarendon street to a point ninety-three (93) feet east of Massachusetts avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from a point one hundred and fifty (150) feet west of Arlington street to Clarendon street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
South side, from Clarendon street to Charlesgate East, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Berkeley Street.
Both sides, from Warren avenue to Columbus avenue, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Northeast side, from Columbus avenue to a point sixty (60) feet south of Boylston street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Southwest side, from Columbus avenue to Stanhope street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Southwest side, from Stuart street to Boylston street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Northeast side, from Boylston street to Commonwealth avenue, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Both sides, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Broadway.
Southwest side, from Shawmut street to Tremont street, 9.30 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Northeast side, from Stuart street to Tremont street, 9.30 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Clarendon Street.
Both sides, from the bridge over the Boston & Albany Railroad to Boylston street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Southwest side, from Boylston street to Commonwealth avenue, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Southwest side, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

St. James Avenue.
North side, from Arlington street to Berkeley street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Stuart Street.
South side, from Washington street to Tremont street, 9.30 A.M. to 4 P.M.
South side, from Warrenton street to Broadway, 9.30 A.M. to 4 P.M.
South side, from Broadway to Church street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
South side, from Columbus avenue to Huntington avenue, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Washington Street.
East side, from Broadway to Harvard street, 9.30 A.M. to 4 P.M.
West side, from Adams square to Haymarket square, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the captions "Boston Proper," and "Roxbury," the following:

Charlesgate West.
West side, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Massachusetts Avenue.
Northeast side, from a point one hundred (100) feet northwest of the bridge over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad to Commonwealth avenue, 10 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Article IV, Section 6, Part 3 (Restrictions in Cent and Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by striking out the following:

Blue Hill Avenue, Roxbury.
East side, from Dove street to Stanwood street, 10 A.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Stanwood street to Geneva avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 6, Part 3 (Restrictions in Cent and Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Blue Hill Avenue.
East side, from Dove street to Geneva avenue, 10 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 8 (Angle Parking in Left Side of One-Way Streets), is amended by adding the following:

Beacon Street, Brighton.
Northwest roadway, southeast (reservation) side, from Ayr road to a point one hundred and five (105) feet southwest of Ayr road.

Article IV, Section 16A, Part 2 (Parking of Vehicles Owned by the United States Government), is amended by striking out the following:

Summer Street, South Boston.
Southwest side, from a point two hundred and forty (240) feet northwest of D street to a point three hundred and sixty (360) feet northwest of D street.

Article IV, Section 16A, Part 2 (Parking of Vehicles Owned by the United States Government), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "South Boston," the following:

Summer Street.
Southwest side, from a point two hundred and forty (240) feet northwest of D street to a point three hundred and forty (340) feet northwest of D street.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," the following:

West Cedar Street.
At Revere street.

WM. ARTHUR REILLY,
Commissioner.

A true copy.
Attest:
W. T. DOYLE, *Executive Secretary.*
(June 11-18.)

WOOING FRINGE LOT PARKING PATRONS NOT EASY.

Enticing motoring commuters into fringe parking lots can be a difficult courtship. Recent experience in Washington, Baltimore, Cleveland, and St. Louis indicates that success cannot be achieved unless there is provided an attractive parking-transit fee, frequent bus service between the lot and central business district, and easy approaches to the lot. St. Louis offers a 5 to 7½ minute bus service, no parking fee, and a special 35-cent round-trip fare. Patronage of the 600-car lot is increasing, but a profitable operation has not yet been achieved. However, a survey of 500 of the lot's patrons showed 72 per cent rate the service as "excellent." Three out of four said they arrived closer to their downtown destinations than when they drove in. Private lots in downtown Cleveland are now getting short-term parkers—which produces more revenue for the operator than all-day parkers. In Baltimore the consensus is that fringe parking now "does not work".

Another necessity for cities planning fringe parking lots is the provision of convenient shelters to protect patrons from inclement weather. — *American Municipal Association Report.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

REAL PROPERTY BOARD. PROPERTY DIVISION.

PUBLIC AUCTION.
JUNE 21, 1955, ON THE PREMISES.

	Upset Price.	Deposit.
9.30 A.M.–Vacant land, Allston Street, northwesterly side, adjacent 38 Allston Street, Charlestown, 1,248 square feet.	$100	$100
9.40 A.M.–Vacant land, 555-561 Medford Street, corner Beach Street, Charlestown, 1,282 square feet	350	350
10.05 A.M.–Vacant land, 88-90-92-94 Bolton Street, South Boston, 3,414 square feet	400	400
10.20 A.M.–Vacant land, Denny Street, Lots I, J, K, L, adjacent 28 Denny Street, Dorchester, 12,820 square feet	600	500
10.35 A.M.–Vacant land, Landor Road, Lots A, B, C, Rear, rear of 7-9-11 Landor Road, Dorchester, 7,031 square feet	300	300
10.50 A.M.–Vacant land, West Selden Street, Part of Lot 96, adjacent 188 West Selden Street, Dorchester, 4,745 square feet	300	300
11.05 A.M.–Vacant land, Rockingbam Road, Lot 123, opposite 40 Rockingham Road, Dorchester, 4,000 square feet	200	200
11.15 A.M.–Vacant land, Ruskindale Road, Lot 156, opposite 95 Ruskindale Road, Hyde Park, 3,681 square feet	100	100
11.30 A.M.–Vacant land, Austin Street, Lots 563 and 564, adjacent 196 Austin Street, Hyde Park, 10,000 square feet	400	400
11.45 A.M.–Vacant land, Haydn Street, Lot 173 and Washington Street, Lot 174, corner Haydn and Wasbington Streets, West Roxbury, 8,000 square feet	550	500
12.00 NOON–Vacant land, Amory Street, Lot C, corner West Walnut Park, Roxbury, 5,490 square feet	600	500
12.15 P.M.–Vacant land, 1-3-5 Newark Street, rear of 166 Cedar Street, Roxbury, 3,519 square feet	350	350

The Chairman reserves the right to reject any or all bids.
For further information call LA 3-5100, line 236.

HERMAN CARP, *Chairman.*
JOHN J. McGRATH, *Auctioneer.*
(June 11.)

X-RAY OF SCHOOL PERSONNEL.

The General Court of Massachusetts passed a law effective July 1, 1951, requiring all school personnel coming in contact with pupils to submit X-ray proof of freedom of tuberculosis in a communicable form—such proof to be filed every three years.

In accordance with the provisions of the law, the Health Department provided free X-ray service for school personnel desiring it. 70 mm. equipment was used where possible and was located in stategic areas to accommodate the large numbers of teachers, nurses, custodians, clerical workers, and others covered by the provisions of the law. The X-ray bus was stationed for an entire month on Boston Common, and 70 mm. equipment was also placed in Boston Teachers College. Four health units having 70 mm. X-ray machines were open daily for a six-week period to provide service for outlying sections of the city. All retakes were made at the South End Health Unit. More than 24,500 X-rays were taken during the program. Provision was also made for new employees of educational institutions to be X-rayed at the usual X-ray locations provided by the Health Department.

—*Health Department Report.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

TO PAINTING CONTRACTORS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR INTERIOR AND EXTERIOR PAINTING, INCLUDING FIRE ESCAPE, AT PETER FANEUIL SCHOOL, 60 JOY STREET, BOSTON, MASS.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for interior and exterior painting, including fire escape at the Peter Faneuil School, 60 Joy street, Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Tuesday, June 21, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud..

Proposals shall be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Autbority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed and inclosed in a sealed envelope, plainly marked with the name of the bidder and the description of the work bid upon. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a certificate of deposit issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $500, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked. Bid bonds will not be accepted.

No bidder may withdraw his bid witbin thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

A performance bond, issued by a surety company satisfactory to the Awarding Autbority, in the full amount of the contract will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any and all bids if it be in the public interest so to do.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
(June 11.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING PAPER NAPKINS, PAPER CUPS, STRAWS FOR MILK, WAX PAPER, PLASTIC FORKS AND SPOONS, AND OTHER ITEMS FOR THE BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing and delivering to the Supply Room of the School Committee paper napkins, paper cups, straws for milk, wax paper, plastic forks and spoons, and other items for the Boston public schools. Proposal forms are obtainable at the office of the Business Manager of the School Committee, tenth floor, 15 Beacon street. Envelopes containing proposals must be sealed and plainly marked "Proposal for Furnishing Paper Napkins, Paper Cups, Straws for Milk, Wax Paper, Plastic Forks and Spoons, and Other Items for the Boston Public Schools." The bid must be in duplicate. One copy, signed by the bidder, and accompanied by a certified check, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount of one hundred dollars ($100), must be left at the office of the Business Manager on or before 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, June 23, 1955. Copies filed with the Business Manager will be publicly opened and read at 12 o'clock noon of the day stated. The other copy, also signed by the bidder, must be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., previous to the time named for the opening of bids. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to accept such bid or part of bid as may be deemed best for the interests of the city. The successful bidders will be required to furnish a suitable bond or deposit of money or other security in the amount of not less than 50 per cent of the amount of the contract.

HENRY J. SMITH,
Business Manager of the School Committee.
(June 11.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

CHANGES IN TRAFFIC RULES AND REGULATIONS.

Voted, That the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective June 13, 1955:

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out the following:

Access Street, Charlestown.
Both sides, from Chelsea street to Water street, 24 hours.
Bailey Street, Dorchester.
North side, from Dorchester avenue to a point four hundred (400) feet west of Dorchester avenue, 24 hours.
Chelsea Street, Charlestown.
Southeast side, from City square to Bunker Hill street, 24 hours.
Henley Street, Charlestown.
Both sides, from Navy Yard gate to Chelsea street, 24 hours.
Nashua Street, Boston Proper.
Northeast side, from Causeway street to a point two hundred (200) feet northwest of Causeway street, 24 hours.
Southwest side, from Causeway street to Charles street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.
Newbury Street, Roxbury.
Both sides, from Massachusetts avenue to a point two hundred and twenty-five (225) feet easterly, 24 hours.
North side, from Massachusetts avenue to Charlesgate East, 24 hours.
Parker Street, Roxbury.
East side, from Ruggles street to Ward street, 24 hours.
Prentiss Street, Roxbury.
Northeast side, from Tremont street to Columbus avenue, 24 hours.
Ruggles Street, Roxbury.
North side, from Washington street to Shawmut avenue, 24 hours.
Wapping Street, Charlestown.
Both sides, from Chelsea street to Water street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," each of the following:

Nashua Street.
Northeast side, from Causeway street to a point eight hundred and fifty-five (855) feet northwest of Causeway street, 24 hours.
St. James Avenue.
South side, from Clarendon street to a point fifty (50) feet west of Clarendon street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," and under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Northampton Street.
Northeast side, from Harrison avenue to Albany street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Charlestown," each of the following:

Chelsea Street.
Southeast side, from City square to John F. Fitzgerald Expressway, 24 hours.
Southeast side, from John F. Fitzgerald Expressway to Bunker Hill street, 24 hours.
Henley Street.
Both sides, from the Naval Shipyard gate to John F. Fitzgerald Expressway, 24 hours.
Wapping Street.
Both sides, from John F. Fitzgerald Expressway to Water street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," each of the following:

Bailey Street.
North side, from Dorchester avenue to a point four hundred (400) feet west of Dorchester avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Cummins Highway.
Southwest side, from the northwesterly end of the bridge over the Midland Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad to Hollingsworth street, 24 hours.
East Cottage Street.
North side, from Norfolk avenue to opposite the easterly street line of Humphreys street, 24 hours.
Norfolk Avenue.
Northeast side, from East Cottage street to Franklin court, 24 hours.
Sharp Street.
North side, from Sharp street, northerly arm (private way), to the Dorchester Rapid Transit, 24 hours.
Sydney Street.
East side, from Savin Hill avenue to a point seventy-five (75) feet north of Savin Hill avenue, 24 hours.
Whitby Terrace.
Northwest side, from Pleasant street to the dead end, 24 hours.
Willow Court.
Northwest side, from Massachusetts avenue to a point fifty-five (55) feet northeast of Massachusetts avenue, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," each of the following:

Hollander Street.
South side, from Humboldt avenue to Crawford street, 24 hours.
Newbury Street.
North side, from a point two hundred and seventy (270) feet east of Massachusetts avenue to Charlesgate East, 24 hours.
South side, from a point two hundred and twenty-five (225) feet east of Massachusetts avenue to Massachusetts avenue, 24 hours.
Parker Street.
East side, from Ruggles street to Prentiss street, 24 hours.
Prentiss Street.
Northeast side, from Tremont street to Parker street, 24 hours.
Ruggles Street.
Both sides, from Washington street to Shawmut avenue, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by striking out the following:

Nashua Street, Boston Proper.
Southwest side, from Causeway street to circle at Charles River Dam, 10 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from a point two hundred (200) feet northwest of Causeway street to circle at Charles River Dam, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Newbury Street, Boston Proper and Roxbury.
Both sides, from Arlington street to a point two hundred and twenty-five (225) feet east of Massachusetts avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
St. James Avenue, Boston Proper.
South side, from Arlington street to Trinity place, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," each of the following:

Nashua Street.
Northeast side, from a point eight hundred and fifty-five (855) feet northwest of Causeway street to opposite Exit Ramp of John F. Fitzgerald Expressway, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Causeway street to Exit Ramp of John F. Fitzgerald Expressway, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
St. James Avenue.
South side, from Arlington street to Clarendon street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from a point fifty (50) feet west of Clarendon street to Trinity place, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the captions "Boston Proper," and "Roxbury," the following:

Newbury Street.
North side, from Arlington street to a point two hundred and seventy (270) feet east of Massachusetts avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Arlington street to a point two hundred and twenty-five (225) feet east of Massachusetts avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by striking out the following:

Access Street, Charlestown.
From Henley street to Chelsea street.
Calumet Street, Roxbury.
From Tremont street to Pequot street.
Chelsea Street, Charlestown.
From City square to Bunker Hill street.
Endicott Street, Boston Proper.
From Cross street to Cooper street.
Henley Street, Charlestown.
From Chelsea street to Access street.
Joiner Street, Charlestown.
From Water street to John F. Fitzgerald Expressway.
Lowney Way, Charlestown.
From Bunker Hill street to Mt. Vernon street.
Nashua Street, Boston Proper.
From the John F. Fitzgerald Expressway Service road to the circle at Charles River Dam.
Public Alley No. 405, Roxbury.
From St. Botolph street to Huntington avenue.
Ruggles Street, Roxbury.
From Tremont street to Washington street.
Wapping Street, Charlestown.
From Chelsea street to Water street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," the following:

Nashua Street.
From Exit Ramp of John F. Fitzgerald Expressway to the circle at Charles River Dam.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Charlestown," each of the following:

Joiner Street.
From Chelsea street to John F. Fitzgerald Expressway.
Wapping Street.
From John F. Fitzgerald Expressway to Water street.
Water Street.
From Wapping street to Water Street Connection of John F. Fitzgerald Expressway.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," each of the following:

Public Alley No. 405.
From Huntington avenue to St. Botolph street.
Ruggles Street.
From Tremont street to Shawmut avenue.

Article VI, Section 11 (Only Right Turn Movements Permitted), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Calumet Street.
Into Tremont street, easterly.

WM. ARTHUR REILLY,
Commissioner.

A true copy.
Attest:
W. T. DOYLE, *Executive Secretary.*
(June 4-11.)

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

Daniel Donnelly, 425 Dudley street, Roxbury, to be reimbursed in the sum of $26.10, as a result of an accident which occurred on January 12, 1952, when a motor truck belonging to the Police Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Josephine Joyce.

Michael J. Brothers, 451 Bennington street, East Boston, to be reimbursed in the sum of $204.15, as a result of an accident which occurred on March 4, 1955, when a motor vehicle belonging to the Sanitary Division, Public Works Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Mary Sullivan.

John J. Shaughnessy, Jr., 534 East Sixth street, South Boston, to be reimbursed in the sum of $20, as a result of an accident which occurred on March 4, 1955, when a motor vehicle belonging to the Bridge Division, Public Works Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Nathan Kaczka.

Donald P. Bortz, 27 Halsey road, Hyde Park, to be reimbursed in the sum of $115.75, as a result of an accident which occurred on November 10, 1954, when a motor vehicle belonging to the Police Department, which he was operating, struck an automobile owned by Leo M. Ross.

Winifred Murphy, 22 Codman street, Dorchester, in the sum of $435, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 505 Washington street, Dorchester, March 15, 1952.

Ida Spiegel, 265 Humboldt avenue, Roxbury, in the sum of $385, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 257 Humboldt avenue, December 23, 1954.

Julia Van Veen, 32 Westland avenue, in the sum of $465, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 18 St. Stephen street, November 26, 1954.

Ethel Yarros, 15 Verrill street, Mattapan, in the sum of $425, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk on Norfolk street, near Elizabeth street, Dorchester, January 1, 1955.

Lucy Salem, 15 Corning street, in the sum of $495, as compensation for damage to property caused by the backing up of a sewer during March and April, 1954.

John S. Allen, 142 N street, South Boston, to be reimbursed in the sum of $83.50, as a result of an accident which occurred on April 12, 1954, when a motor truck belonging to the Fire Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Vito Cuzzi.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

HIGHWAY RECONSTRUCTION WORK.

Proposals for Clearing and Excavating in Brook Farm Road, Ward 20, from Newfield Street to Banks Street.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for clearing and excavating in Brook Farm road, Ward 20, from Newfield street to Banks street. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Clearing and Excavating in Brook Farm Road, Ward 20, from Newfield Street to Banks Street," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, JUNE 30, 1955, with a certified check for THREE HUNDRED (300) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(June 11.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

SEWERAGE WORKS.

Proposals for Sewerage Works in Brook Farm Road, West Roxbury, from La Grange Street to Lyall Street.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Brook Farm road, West Roxbury, from La Grange street to Lyall street. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Brook Farm Road, West Roxbury, from La Grange Street to Lyall Street," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, JUNE 30, 1955, with a certified check for FIVE HUNDRED (500) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(June 11.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR ELECTRICAL WORK AT THE WILLIAM BLACKSTONE SCHOOL, 33 BLOSSOM STREET, BOSTON, MASS.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for electrical work at the William Blackstone School, 33 Blossom street, Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Monday, June 20, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, enclosed in an envelope sealed and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $150, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

Specifications and plans may be obtained at the office of the Awarding Authority on or after June 13, 1955.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do, in accordance with sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

JAMES H. MCNEELY,
(June 11.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

William P. Albanese, 11 Treadway road, Dorchester, to be reimbursed in the sum of $222, as a result of an accident which occurred on August 16, 1954, when a motor truck belonging to the Fire Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by William A. Brogan, Jr., causing personal injuries to Paul Bilton, a passenger.

William P. Albanese, 11 Treadway road, Dorchester, to be reimbursed in the sum of $332, as a result of an accident which occurred on August 16, 1954, when a motor truck belonging to the Fire Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by William A. Brogan, Jr., causing damage to the automobile and personal injuries to Mr. Brogan.

John O'Brien, 79 Antwerp street, Brighton, in the sum of $365, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 418 Market street, Brighton, October 11, 1952.

CITY OF BOSTON.

BOSTON HOUSING AUTHORITY.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR ASPHALT SHINGLE ROOFING, RIVER STREET, MATTAPAN.

The City of Boston, acting by and through the Boston Housing Authority, Room 302, 230 Congress street, Boston, in accordance with the provisions of chapter 372 of the Massachusetts Acts of 1946, as amended, invites proposals for asphalt shingle roofing and related work on eight (8) wood frame houses at the River Street development, Mattapan district.

A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company authorized to transact business in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city.

Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 302, 230 Congress street, Boston. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Asphalt Shingle Roofing, River Street, Mattapan," and left at Room 302, 230 Congress street, Boston, Mass., before 12 noon, Eastern Daylight Time, on Monday, June 20, 1955, at which time and place the proposals will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Bid security in the sum of 5 per cent of the amount of each proposal in the form of cash or certified check shall accompany each proposal.

Proposals must he made in quadruplicate, one (1) sealed proposal without bid security to he deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time set for opening the bids.

The rate per hour of the wages to he paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Boston Housing Authority. The successful hidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required prior to the award of said contract.

The city reserves the right to reject any or all proposals and to waive any informalities either in the bidding or in the proposals, and reserves the right to award the contract or contracts as it deems for its hest interests.

No bid may be withdrawn for a period of thirty (30) days subsequent to the opening of bids without the consent of the city.

CITY OF BOSTON, ACTING BY AND THROUGH THE BOSTON HOUSING AUTHORITY,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
(June 11.) *Chairman.*

Rachel Gold, 12 St. Germain street, in the sum of $435, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 12 St. Germain street, December 27, 1954.

John J. Shanks, 80 Williams avenue, Hyde Park, in the sum of $36.65, as compensation for damage to automobile caused by a hole in the highway opposite 875 Hyde Park avenue, Hyde Park, December 14, 1954.

Edward Habinowski, 35 Poplar street, Belmont, in the sum of $22, as compensation for damage to automobile caused by a hole in the highway on Commonwealth avenue, at Massachusetts avenue, April 25, 1954.

CITY OF BOSTON.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING AND INSTALLING SCIENTIFIC LABORATORY EQUIPMENT IN LABORATORIES ON GROUND FLOOR OF PAVILION BUILDING, BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL.

The City of Boston, by the Board of Trustees, Hospital Department, and of the Boston City Hospital, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for furnishing and installing scientific laboratory equipment in laboratories on ground floor of Pavilion Building, Boston City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until two o'clock P.M., Thursday, June 23, 1955, E.D.S.T., at the office of the Superintendent, Boston City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, and enclosed in an envelope, sealed, and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $800, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do.

The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all bids in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, AND OF THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL,
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THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING SCISSORS AND SHEARS FOR THE BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing scissors and shears for the Boston public schools. Proposal forms are obtainable at the office of the Business Manager of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, tenth floor. Envelopes containing proposals must be sealed and plainly marked "Proposal for Furnishing Scissors and Shears for the Boston Public Schools." The bid must be in duplicate. One copy, signed by the bidder, and accompanied by a certified check, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount of one hundred dollars ($100), must be left at the office of the Business Manager on or before 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday, June 22, 1955. Copies filed with the Business Manager will be publicly opened and read at 12 o'clock noon of the day stated. The other copy, also signed by the bidder, must be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., previous to the time named for the opening of bids. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids, and to accept such bid or part of bid as may be deemed best for the interests of the city. The successful bidders will be required to furnish a suitable bond or deposit of money or other security in the amount of not less than 50 per cent of the amount of the contract.

HENRY J. SMITH,
Business Manager of the School Committee.
(June 11.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

TO ASPHALT PAVING CONTRACTORS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR REGRADING AND LAYING ASPHALT SURFACE, ETC., AT THE SITE OF THE PATRICK J. KENNEDY SCHOOL AND EMERSON YARD, PRESCOTT STREET, EAST BOSTON, MASS.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for regrading and laying asphalt surface, etc., at the site of the Patrick J. Kennedy School and Emerson yard, Prescott street, East Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Wednesday, June 22, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals shall be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed and inclosed in a sealed envelope, plainly marked with the name of the bidder and the description of the work bid upon. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a certificate of deposit issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $200, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked. Bid bonds will not be accepted.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

A performance bond, issued by a surety company satisfactory to the Awarding Authority, in the full amount of the contract will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any and all bids if it be in the public interest so to do.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
(June 11.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

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CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING ONE (1) 36-INCH BAND SAW, WITH A.C. MOTOR, FOR THE SANITARY SERVICE, PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Tuesday, June 21, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payahle to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for One (1) Band Saw." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all hids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(June 11.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR PAINTING INTERIOR AND EXTERIOR OF FIRE ALARM HEADQUARTERS BUILDING.

The Fire Commissioner of the City of Boston, 115 Southampton street, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned hy a citizen or citizens of the United States, for painting the interior and exterior of the Fire Alarm Headquarters Building, 59 Fenway, Boston, Mass. The bond of an approved surety company doing husiness in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, in the full amount of the contract, will be required to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Fire Commissioner, 115 Southampton street. Each proposal must be signed hy the bidder, placed in an envelope, sealed and marked "Proposal for Painting Interior and Exterior of Fire Alarm Headquarters Building," and left at the office of the Fire Commissioner, 115 Southampton street, before twelve o'clock noon on Monday, June 20, 1955, accompanied hy a certified check for three hundred (300) dollars, payahle to the City of Boston and to be the property of said city as liquidated damages suffered by said city if, after acceptance of his proposal, the bidder shall fail to carry out said proposal. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened for reading. Proposals must be made in duplicate, and the sealed duplicate, without check, must be deposited hy the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. The successful hidder will he required to provide hy insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.), to all persons to be employed under this contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing will be required prior to the award of said contract. Specifications may be obtained at the office of the Fire Commissioner, 115 Southampton street. The Fire Commissioner reserves the right to reject any and all proposals and to award the contract as he deems best.

FRANCIS X. COTTER,
(June 11.) *Fire Commissioner.*

No. 101—320.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING TEA AND COFFEE.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Tuesday, June 21, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal tor Tea and Coffee." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(June 11.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING AND INSTALLING FURNITURE AND EQUIPMENT IN THE NEW ADDITION TO THE JAMES J. CHITTICK SCHOOL, MATTAPAN, MASS., FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS, CITY OF BOSTON.

Sealed proposals for furnishing and installing furniture and equipment in the new addition to the James J. Chittick School, Mattapan, Mass., will be received by the Superintendent of Construction at the office of the Department of School Buildings, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., until 12 o'clock noon of Thursday, June 23, 1955, and at that place and time will be publicly opened and read.

The proposal submitted to the Superintendent of Construction shall not be separated from the book of specifications. The additional copy of the proposal shall be removed from the book of specifications and after filling out shall be sealed in an envelope and delivered to the Auditor of the City of Boston, at City Hall, School street, Boston, Mass., before the time for the opening of the proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check, or a certificate of deposit issued hy a responsihle bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of five per cent (5%) of the amount of the bid, except that the minimum amount of check shall be $50, shall be submitted with the copy of proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked. Bid bonds will not be accepted.

A hond of an approved surety company will be given by the successful bidder in the full amount of the contract price, except that no bond will be required for contracts under $1,000. All contracts are subject to the approval of the Mayor.

Specifications and forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Construction, Department of School Buildings, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual opening thereof.

The rate per hour of wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs, and laborers in the work to he performed shall not he less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachnsetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful hidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any and all hids. The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject any item or items, in accordance with the provisions of chapter 480 of the Acts of 1939.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
Superintendent of Construction.
(June 11.)

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

TO BUILDING WRECKING CONTRACTORS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR RAZING OF THE W. C. BRYANT SCHOOL, KENILWORTH STREET, ROXBURY, MASS.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for razing of the W. C. Bryant School, Kenilworth Street, Roxbury, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Wednesday, June 22, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals shall be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed and inclosed in a sealed envelope, plainly marked with the name of the bidder and the description of the work bid upon. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a certificate of deposit issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $200, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked. Bid bonds will not be accepted.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

A performance bond, issued by a surety company satisfactory to the Awarding Authority, in the full amount of the contract will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any and all bids if it be in the public interest so to do.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
(June 11.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

INVITATION FOR BIDS.

BOSTON HOUSING AUTHORITY.

The Boston Housing Authority will receive sealed proposals for furnishing and delivering heavy fuel oil in connection with the operation of multiple dwelling projects, operated hy it as agents of the City of Boston under chapter 372 of the Acts of 1946, as amended, located at P street and Columhia road, South Boston; Farragut road, South Boston; Victory road and Adams street, Dorchester; Sumner and Willis streets, Dorchester, and Arborway, Forest Hills, until 12 o'clock noon, Eastern Daylight Saving Time, Wednesday, June 15, 1955, at the office of the Authority, Room 303, 230 Congress street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place all bids will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Bids shall he submitted in quadruplicate in a sealed envelope endorsed with the name and address of the bidder and plainly marked "Proposals for Furnishing and Delivering Fuel Oil."

One (1) sealed proposal without bid security shall be filed in the office of the City Auditor prior to the time for filing of hids at the office of the Boston Housing Authority.

The successful bidder or bidders will be required to furnish a satisfactory performance bond in the form set forth in the proposal form. Only responsible bidders will be considered in making the award.

The Boston Housing Authority reserves the right to reject any or all proposals and to waive any informalities either in the bidding or in the proposals, and reserves the right to award the contract or contracts as it deems for its hest interests.

The contract will terminate upon the sale of any project for the project which has been sold.

No hid shall be withdrawn for a period of thirty (30) days subsequent to the opening of bids without the consent of the Boston Housing Authority.

Bidders may bid upon any one or more of the proposals.

Proposals must be accompanied by bid security in the amount set forth in the proposal form, in the form of a certified check or bank draft, payable to the Boston Housing Authority.

BOSTON HOUSING AUTHORITY,
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MAYOR HYNES' PUBLIC APPEAL FOR $7,500 TO BUY "WASHINGTON AT DORCHESTER HEIGHTS" PAINTING SUCCESSFUL — OVERSUBSCRIBED BY A TOTAL OF $879.50 — CITIZENS CONTRIBUTED GRAND SUM OF $8,379.50 TO ASSURE ART TREASURE REMAINING IN POSSESSION OF CITY OF BOSTON — MAYOR HIGHLY PLEASED.

Mayor Hynes has announced that his public appeal for $7,500 to buy the remarkable painting of "Washington at Dorchester Heights," by the late Emanuel Leutze, as an art treasure for the City of Boston, has been oversubscribed by $879.50, a total of $8,379.50 having been donated. The surplus, if it meets with the permission of the donors, will be used for another civic venture long close to the Mayor's heart.

When the Mayor learned of the generous response to his appeal he immediately issued a statement of gratitude to Chairman Thomas J. Carty and the committee of citizens who assisted him

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SITE OF 800-CAR PARKING FACILITY IN DOWNTOWN SHOPPING DISTRICT CHOSEN BY CITY'S REAL PROPERTY BOARD — WILL TAKE BY EMINENT DOMAIN 20,000 SQUARE FEET OF LAND IN HAYWARD PLACE-HARRISON AVENUE EXTENSION DISTRICT, ASSESSED FOR APPROXIMATELY $360,000.

The Boston Real Property Board has voted to take by eminent domain 20,000 square feet of land in the heart of the downtown shopping district for the site of an 800-car mechanical parking facility.

The board's action marks the first step toward realization of Mayor Hynes' $15,000,000 off-street parking program.

The site, bounded by Hayward place, Harrison Avenue Extension, and Norfolk place, is assessed at approximately $360,000.

The garage will be situated but a few steps off Washington street and only a

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NO GOOD REASON WHY PARTY AND CANDIDATES CAN'T SWEEP INTO OFFICE NEXT YEAR AND IN YEARS TO COME, MAYOR JOHN B. HYNES TELLS GATHERING OF DEMOCRATS AT JEFFERSON-JACKSON DINNER — JOIN HANDS AND SUBMERGE DIFFERENCES AND FIGHT TOGETHER FOR PARTY SUCCESS AND A BETTER GOVERNMENT FOR OUR CITIZENS — EXTENDS GREETINGS OF CITY TO GATHERING OF LEADERS AT SHERATON PLAZA HOTEL — BOSTON TO SET EXAMPLE FOR REST OF STATE, HE PREDICTS.

At the Jefferson-Jackson Dinner at the Hotel Sheraton Plaza Mayor John B. Hynes spoke as follows:

Tonight, as I extend the greetings of the City of Boston to this most enthusiastic and dedicated gathering of Democrats, may I first express my deep and sincere pleasure that our Junior Senator, our mutual friend, John Kennedy, has recovered from his recent illness and is back on the firing line.

May I also express similar sentiments that our former Governor, our party leader, our electrifying friend, Paul Dever, has also completely recovered from his recent illness and is back at the helm of the party to give our party the leadership which will spell victory next year.

We are all members of a great party. Many of us hold diverse opinions on matters which are of no lasting consequence. Fundamentally we are all in complete agreement that the principles upon which our party rests are as forward-looking, as democratic, and as American as they were in the days of Thomas Jefferson and Andrew Jackson.

As I see it, there is no good reason why our party and its candidates cannot sweep into office next year and the years thereafter. All that is necessary is that we join hands, submerge whatever minor differences may have arisen, and fight together not only for the success of our party, but for that which follows party success—and that is a better government for our fellow citizens.

In the achievement of that goal let me emphatically state to you that Boston will not be found wanting. Indeed, I might go further and state that Boston will set an example for the rest of our Commonwealth, which, if followed, will bring to our party next year its greatest and most resounding victory.

"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean;
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, June 27, at 2 P.M.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries, or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the Complaints Division, Room 25, City Hall.

Information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways, the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments of streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped area for streets and the opening of private ways; the making of specific repairs in public streets; the naming of public streets, including the use of public ways for location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railways, coal holes, and vaults, may be secured from the Public Improvement Commission, Room 403, City Hall Annex.

To the BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION, 112 Southampton street, for information relative to regulation of vehicular street traffic on all or any streets, ways, highways, roads, and parkways under the control of the City of Boston, the issuing of all permits in connection therewith.

To the COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting, and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of Sumner Tunnel, the maintenance of bridges and draw-bridges, and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 601, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

To the HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Haymarket Square, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish, and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughterhouses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases, of public health nuisances.

To the BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth Avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park, and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts, also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview, and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

To the SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

To the DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS, 28 Norman street, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

To the BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 907, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal, or tearing down buildings.

To the ELECTRICAL INSPECTION DIVISION OF THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT, 1001 City Hall Annex, for all information relative to the erection of poles, building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division; also for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings of the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

To the BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT, 43 City Hall, relative to changes in the boundary lines of zoning districts of the City of Boston as established by chapter 488 of the Acts of 1924, and amendments thereto.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending June 11, 1955.

Population as of July, 1950, Massachusetts State Census, 817,713; population estimated July, 1954, United States Census Bureau, 813,696; number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 133; nonresidents, 67; total, 200.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 12.56; nonresidents deducted, 8.07.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:

Last week, 13.46; corresponding week last year, 13.56.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 16; one year to four years, inclusive, 2; sixty years and over, 126. Total deaths: Male, 108; female, 92; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 165.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended June 11, 1955.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended June 12, 1954.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior Poliomyelitis	—	—	—	—
Diphtheria	—	1	—	—
Encephalitis Lethargica	—	—	—	—
Influenza	—	—	—	—
Measles	12	—	402	—
Meningitis Epidemic	1	—	—	—
Pneumonia (lobar)	—	1	—	—
Scarlet Fever	41	—	15	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary)	12	2	22	2
Childhood Type Tuberculosis	—	—	—	—
Tuberculosis (other forms)	—	1	1	—
Typhoid Fever	—	—	—	—
Whooping Cough	2	—	7	—

* Residents and nonresidents included.

20,000 FEET OF LAND FOR PARKING TO BE TAKEN BY EMINENT DOMAIN.

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minute's walk from Boston's major retail stores. It is scheduled for completion within a year.

The city will lease the site to private enterprise, which will construct and operate the facility. Construction costs are estimated at $1,500,000.

Cost of the land and six small buildings on it, plus a large rear portion of the Jefferson Building, 558-570 Washington street, will amount to approximately $388,750, according to the board's preliminary survey.

Properties to be taken are 12-14, 16-22, 24-26, 28-30, and 32-34 Hayward place, 24-28 and 30-34 Harrison Avenue Extension, the right of way along Chickering place and Norfolk place, and the rear of the six-story Jefferson Building, starting 70 feet from its Washington Street frontage.

The buildings to be knocked down on Hayward place and Harrison Avenue Extension are antiquated two-, three-, and four-story structures housing small stores, storage lofts, and the Village Barn night club.

Removal of tenants will be completed within three or four months, and demolition work will begin immediately.

Funds for the project will come from a $5,000,000 bond issue recently authorized for purchase of parking sites. A second loan authorization of $10,000,000 is pending in the Legislature to cover costs of the entire program, calling for downtown parking facilities for 5,000 cars.

The next site to be taken will be in the financial district—for a 600-car mechanically-operated garage. The proposed site is at Central and Kilby streets, near the Boston Custom House Building.

MAYOR'S FUND FOR PURCHASE OF PAINTING OF WASHINGTON OVERSUBSCRIBED.

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in raising the fund. "It is most gratifying," he said, "to find so many persons willing to give to the city. I am particularly grateful to Archbishop Richard J. Cushing and the school children of Boston for their generous support of the cause. It was their gifts, plus those of thousands of small, and a few substantial, donations by people from all walks of life that made the money-raising appeal such a grand success."

Immediately following receipt of the information that the money is now available to buy the picture, in keeping with a state statute governing the acquisition of works of art by a municipality, the Mayor formally requested the Boston Art Commission to inspect the picture with a view towards determining whether or not it has sufficient artistic merit to warrant it being accepted by the city as an art treasure and, if it is found to meet their standards, to determine in what public building it should be permanently housed.

If the report of the Art Commission is favorable, the Mayor will then request the City Council to formally authorize him to accept the gift from the donors as a city asset. When and if the City Council authorizes the Mayor to accept the painting, he plans to arrange a suitable unveiling ceremony.

Members of the Art Commission are: Howard T. Clinch, chairman; William Emerson; Margaret Fitzhugh Browne; Daniel Sargent; and Nelson W. Aldrich, chairman of the Boston Arts Festival. It was on the advise of a member of the commission and other connoisseurs, who made a study of the picture when it first came on the market, that the Mayor determined to acquire it for the city. It was his expressed opinion that the painting not only had rare artistic quality, but that in some respects it is superior to Leutze's most famous painting of "Washington Crossing the Delaware," that is owned by the Metropolitan Art Museum in New York.

Many of the donors to the fund established to buy the picture have stated their preferences as to where the picture should be permanently displayed. Some favor Faneuil Hall, others the proposed South Boston Central Library. However, most prefer the Boston Public Library in Copley square, which institution possesses the priceless gold Washington Congressional Medal of Honor and other invaluable memorabilia of Washington. Furthermore, the Central Library affords a more convenient location for it to be seen by both residents and visitors to Boston.

AMENDMENTS TO ORIGINAL AWARDS OF DAMAGES.

The Public Improvement Commission has voted as follows:

That the amount of $1,750 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to John J. and Margaret M. Devin for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of November 21, 1952, for the laying out and construction of Wyvern street, West Roxbury district.

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That the amount of $110 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to David J. and Norma M. Peterson for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of March 25, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Ansonia road, West Roxbury.

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That the amount of $125 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Philip Slishman for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of June 8, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Lochland road, Hyde Park.

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That the amount of $275 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Reymore C. and Petrine Neilson for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of August 26, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Ledgedale road, West Roxbury.

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That the amount of $100 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Paul B. and Florence M. O'Neil for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of July 23, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Van Brunt street, Hyde Park.

That the amount of $2,700 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Lena M. Costello for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of March 25, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Mendell Way, West Roxbury.

CONSTRUCTION OF HACKENSACK ROAD.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made consisting of the laying out and construction of Hackensack road, West Roxbury district, as a public highway, from south of Payson road to Hackensack Circle, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named Hackensack road is hereby laid out, from south of Payson road to Hackensack Circle, and ordered constructed.

Said highway and the land in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, exclusive of trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed thereto, is bounded and described as follows:

Northerly by another part of Hackensack road, forty feet; easterly by the easterly line of Hackensack road as hereby laid out, by two measurements, one hundred eleven and 9-100 feet on a curve of one hundred seventy-nine and 93-100 feet radius and twenty-six and 80-100 feet on a curve of twenty-five feet radius; again easterly by Hackensack court, forty-nine and 32-100 feet; again easterly by the easterly line of Hackensack road as hereby laid out, by two measurements, thirty-seven and 33-100 feet on a curve of twenty feet radius and one hundred thirty-six and 85-100 feet on a curve of two hundred seventy feet radius; southerly by another part of Hackensack road, forty feet; and westerly by the westerly line of Hackensack road as hereby laid out, by three measurements, one hundred thirty-five and 41-100 feet on a curve of two hundred thirty feet radius, forty-one and 26-100 feet, and one hundred three and 60-100 feet on a curve of one hundred thirty-nine and 93-100 feet radius.

Trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforedescribed land shall be removed therefrom within thirty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the abutting parcels of land situated on both sides of said Hackensack road will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement herein ordered; each of said parcels in the amount hereinafter respectively set against it; said parcels and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan hereinbefore described and on file in the office of this department.

Parcel.		Amount.
1.	Fred J., Jr., and Alice Zeltman..	$152 00
2.	David and Mollie Kaplan.....	573 15
3.	Maurice and Libby Rubin.....	750 00
4.	David and Mollie Kaplan.....	140 00
5.	Celia Yoffe.....	268 82
6.	Sidney and Nellie Cohen.....	320 45
7.	Sidney Kontoff.....	499 56
	Total	$2,708 98

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement consisting of the laying out and construction of Hackensack road, West Roxbury district, from south of Payson road to Hackensack Circle, under the order of the commission of June 1, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

Lewis E. and Violet E. Barnes, 197 Green street, Jamaica Plain, in the sum of $75, as compensation for damage to property stored in basement of above premises caused by the backing up of a sewer, December 12, 1953.

Robert Moy, 8 Oxford place, Boston, in the sum of $55, as compensation for damage to property caused by a leak in the water main, February 2, 1955.

Harold F. Watts, 11 Mercer street, South Boston, to be reimbursed in the sum of $24.12, as a result of an accident which occurred on March 9, 1955, when a motor truck belonging to the Water Division, Public Works Department, collided with an automobile owned by Pasquale M. DeGregorio.

Edward J. Casey, 35 Elmore street, Roxbury, to be reimbursed in the sum of $143.75, as a result of an accident which occurred on March 4, 1955, when a motor truck belonging to the Fire Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Dr. Lloyd Flint.

John M. Lynch, 15 Myrtlebank avenue, Dorchester, to be reimbursed in the sum of $25, as a result of an accident which occurred on December 29, 1954, when a motor vehicle belonging to the Police Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Volney J. Kavanaugh.

John J. Marshall, 25 Burrell street, Roxbury, to be reimbursed in the sum of $154.82, as a result of an accident which occurred on January 12, 1954, when a motor truck belonging to the Sanitary Division, Public Works Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Dr. Paul M. Zoll.

John H. Currie, Jr., 29 Rawson street, Dorchester, to be reimbursed in the sum of $108, as a result of an accident which occurred on February 28, 1955, when a motor truck belonging to the Water Division, Public Works Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Rose Tushman.

Madeline Campbell, 31 Prentiss street, Roxbury, in the sum of $375, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 985 Columbus avenue, December 31, 1952.

Gussie Cole, 14 Bullard street, Dorchester, in the sum of $492, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 14 Bullard street, January 6, 1955.

Mrs. Louis Freedman, 46 Abbotsford road, Brookline, in the sum of $485, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk on Winter street, near Washington street, January 2, 1951.

Alan M. Goldberg, 103 Devon street, Dorchester, in the sum of $170, as compensation for personal injuries caused when his father's automobile, in which he was a passenger, struck a hole in the highway opposite 105 Devon street, February 11, 1955.

Bernard F. Goldberg, 85 Fowler street, Dorchester, in the sum of $47.95, as compensation for damage to automobile caused by a hole in the highway on Columbus avenue, near the Armour Company plant, December 16, 1954.

Sydney E. Goldberg, 103 Devon street, Dorchester, in the sum of $269.30, as compensation for personal injuries and damage to automobile caused by a hole in the highway opposite 105 Devon street, February 11, 1955.

Martha Goldberg, 103 Devon street, Dorchester, in the sum of $395, as compensation for personal injuries caused when her husband's automobile, in which she was a passenger, struck a hole in the highway opposite 105 Devon street, February 11, 1955.

Blanche Linehan, 56 I street, South Boston, in the sum of $325, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk on East Third street, corner of I street, November 21, 1954.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

METROPOLITAN POLICE PATROLMAN, METROPOLITAN DISTRICT COMMISSION, JULY 15, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Friday, June 24, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $3,540 a year; the maximum salary is $4,260 a year.

Vacancies: From time to time.

Duties: The duties are those of a regular patrolman.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants shall be not less than twenty-two nor over thirty-five years of age at the time of filing application. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application *unless* one has been filed with a previous application.

Any veteran who will have attained the age of twenty-one within six months of the date of any scheduled examination for police service shall not be deemed ineligible for examination and appointment provided that he meets all other pertinent requirements of the Civil Service laws and regulations (chapter 287 of the Acts of 1947).

Veterans who had not reached the maximum age limit at the time of entering military or naval service will not be disqualified by reason of age, within five years after the date of honorable discharge. (Chapter 179, Acts of 1950.)

Applicants must be not less than 5 feet 8 inches in height and must meet minimum weight requirements according to the following table, in which height is given in inches in bare feet and weight in pounds without clothing:

68 inches — 135 pounds
69 inches — 140 pounds
70 inches — 145 pounds
71 inches — 150 pounds
72 inches — 155 pounds
73 inches — 160 pounds
74 inches — 165 pounds
75 inches — 170 pounds
76 inches — 175 pounds

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 3; practical questions, including memory test, general information, and Police Manual questions, 7; total, 10.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination and qualifying strength tests.

To become eligible, applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in the strength tests, but the mark will not be averaged with the educational mark.

Applicants must qualify in a 50-yard swimming test.

Certification Requirement: Possession of a Massachusetts motor vehicle operator's license.

The practical questions, other than the memory test and general information questions, will be based upon information contained in the current edition of the Police Manual prepared by the Director of Civil Service, which may be obtained from the Public Document Division, Room 116, State House, Boston, at 25 cents a copy. It is necessary that applicants obtain a copy of this manual and study it carefully.

Applicants must not bring manuals to the examination room.

X-RAY OF SCHOOL PERSONNEL.

The General Court of Massachusetts passed a law effective July 1, 1951, requiring all school personnel coming in contact with pupils to submit X-ray proof of freedom of tuberculosis in a communicable form—such proof to be filed every three years.

In accordance with the provisions of the law, the Health Department provided free X-ray service for school personnel desiring it. 70 mm. equipment was used where possible and was located in strategic areas to accommodate the large numbers of teachers, nurses, custodians, clerical workers, and others covered by the provisions of the law. The X-ray bus was stationed for an entire month on Boston Common, and 70 mm. equipment was also placed in Boston Teachers College. Four health units having 70 mm. X-ray machines were open daily for a six-week period to provide service for outlying sections of the city. All retakes were made at the South End Health Unit. More than 24,500 X-rays were taken during the program. Provision was also made for new employees of educational institutions to be X-rayed at the usual X-ray locations provided by the Health Department.

—Health Department Report.

IMPORTANCE OF FOOD-BORNE DISEASE.

The relationship of food to disease continues to be an important public health program. The United States Public Health Service reported 327 outbreaks of food-borne disease in the United States in 1948, which resulted in 9,962 cases and 17 deaths. As only one out of ten cases of food-borne disease is ever reported, the resulting situation is far more important than available statistics would indicate.

The United States Public Health Service reports that there occurred in the United States in 1948, 30 cases and 6 deaths resulting from botulism; 74 cases and 1 death resulting from chemical food poisoning; 120 cases of dysentery; 8,832 cases and 7 deaths resulting from food infection and gastroenteritis; 270 cases of scarlet fever.

—Health Department Report.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following personnel changes:

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Alfred E. Smith, 16 Poplar place, fire fighter, has been retired at $3,293.33 a year.

Michael J. McLaughlin, 34 Winthrop street, Charlestown, fire captain, has been retired at $3,746.67 a year.

John J. Smith, 231 Park street, Dorchester, fire captain, has been retired at $3,746.67 a year.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

For the week ending May 31:

The following weekly nurses have been appointed:

Permanent.—Florence Bursey, 710 Massachusetts avenue, floor nurse, $58 a week; Olga Owen, 32 Rose Circle, Peabody, floor nurse, $1.70 an hour; Jeanne Papineau, 710 Massachusetts avenue, instructor, $73 a week; Anna Riedl, 37 Joy street, floor nurse, $63 a week.

Temporary.—Mary Kjelgaard, 15 Lafayette avenue, East Weymouth, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour; Margaret Taplin, 675 Boylston street, house mother, $60.50 a week.

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—Saul Stearns, 26 Norwell street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $50.50 a week; Constance Campbell, 14 Richfield street, Dorchester, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Alice Chamberlain, 26 Rustlewood road, Milton, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour; Madeline Drouin, 710 Massachusetts avenue, head nurse, $70.50 a week; Mary E. MacFayden, 710 Massachusetts avenue, head nurse, $80 a week; Catherine McNulty, 87 Congreve street, Roslindale, floor nurse, $1.60 an hour; Eileen Shea, 1943 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, floor nurse, $68 a week; Rabbi David Alpert, 62 Russell street, Brookline, chaplain, $205.33 a month.

Temporary.—Stanley A. Beberman, 364 Norfolk street, Dorchester, Edward F. Breen, 104 Queensberry street, Frank T. McDonald, 51 Monadnock street, Dorchester, Grace M. Newton, 61 Savin street, Roxbury, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; Cornelius L. Sullivan, 65 Meridian street, East Boston, hospital house worker, $43 a week; Marguerite Mackesey, 79 First street, Medford, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour.

The following doctor has been appointed:

Mohammed Hosseyn Lashkari, resident, Ophthalmology, $162 a month.

South Division.

For the week ending May 31:

The service of the following employee has been terminated:

Janet O'Connell, 16 Dartmouth street, Everett, floor nurse, $65.50 a week.

Appointments.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Purchasing Division.

Jeanne A. Long, 102 Baldwin street, Charlestown, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Alice M. Fellows, 51 Chesbrough road, West Roxbury, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING JUNE 14.

GAS FITTER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
A. Statley	22 Barry street	15	New appliances	$40
G. Trethewey	168 Beech street	20	New appliances	400
I. Silverstine	93 Binney street	4	New appliances	50
S. Galvet	1192 Blue Hill avenue	14	New appliances	500
J. Hickey	85 Brown street	19	New appliances	250
A. Statley	14 Cawfield street	7	New appliances	45
	85 Clifton street	8	New appliances	50
A. Awad	16 Colliston road	21	New appliances	60
B. Zuff	400 D street	6	New appliances	500
A. Statley	19 Dakota street	17	New appliances	35
A. Wilisman	28 Dania street	18	New appliances	100
G. Gould	3303 Dudley street	8	New appliances	12
L. Rubin	East Springfield street	8	New appliances	150
A. Awad	72 Foster street	22	New appliances	50
T. O'Brien	7 Halborn street	18	New appliances	60
M. Woods	Harvard street	14	New appliances	60
G. Trethewey	12 Hastings street	20	New appliances	265
J. Vogel	Hyde Park avenue	19	New appliances	50
W. Fishman	2 Jamestown terrace	18	New appliances	50
B. Zuff	Kneeland street	3	New appliances	1,000
W. Foster	56 Maple street	18	New appliances	50
E. Scantie	Meridian street	1	New appliances	50
A. Statley	Mt. Ida road	15	New appliances	60
Shulman	127 Norfolk street	17	New appliances	50
W. Fishman	88 Orange street	20	New appliances	200
A. Awad	33 Perthshire road	22	New appliances	50
G. Trethewey	584 Poplar street	18	New appliances	160
M. Riceman	37 Robey street	8	New appliances	25
A. Zeolla	140 Russett road	20	New appliances	50
M. Woods	237 Talbot avenue	17	New appliances	55
G. Hathaway	287 Talbot avenue	17	New appliances	60
A. Omemian	37 Wall street	3	New appliances	50
P. Connelly	117 Arlington street	18	New appliances	200
M. Williams	2 Bond street	3	New appliances	400
Fortes	41 Blue Hill avenue	8	New appliances	65
M. Cannon	22 Chipman street	17	New appliances	400
R. DeTe	157 Endicott street	3	New appliances	35
E. Hieber	26 Grandview street	18	New appliances	300
J. Murray	104 Hampden street	8	New appliances	40
Miss O'Connell	29 High street	2	New appliances	55
J. Cass	412 Huntington avenue	18	New appliances	300
Truilli	15 Kenney street	10	New appliances	35
F. Pratt	209 London street	1	New appliances	35
P. Barasso	229 Marion street	1	New appliances	65
J. Carvahelo	1 Mason court	2	New appliances	100
F. Santill	276 Paris street	1	New appliances	50
M. Geddamimsky	51 Radcliffe street	15	New appliances	20
S. Olszewski	51 Richfield street	18	New appliances	60
S. Olszewski	1414 River street	18	New appliances	400
M. Glickson	72 Ruggles street	9	New appliances	15
J. Garrity	585 South street	19	New appliances	405
M. Corsi	60 Starbird street	18	New appliances	35
J. Carlson	4 Summer street	18	New appliances	200
Jewish Community Center	50 Sutherland street	21	New appliances	100
B. Ward	130 Trenton street	1	New appliances	70
W. Howdy	72 Waltham street	3	New appliances	50
Myers	3223 Washington street	11	New appliances	55
E. Sylvestri	242 Webster street	1	New appliances	50
L. Luxton	99 Wheatland avenue	17	New appliances	200
W. Fishman	48 Ansonia street	20	New appliances	20
W. Fishman	130 Babson street	18	New appliances	40
J. Litman	225 Dorchester avenue	6	New appliances	50
C. Balender	22 Elm street	2	New appliances	20
M. Yorks	177 Everett street	1	New appliances	10
G. Vallentine	14 Grant street	13	New appliances	200
C. Balender	1 Lawrence street	5	New appliances	50
C. Lee	3 Luteman place	9	New appliances	50
W. Jacobs	55 Paul Gore street	19	New appliances	35
R. Lyman	189 Princeton street	1	New appliances	8
M. Caltue	25 Shattuck street	10	New appliances	300
J. Fredman	965 Tremont street	9	New appliances	35
S. Krane	1187 Tremont street	9	New appliances	20
G. Vallentine	19 Upham avenue	13	New appliances	300
W. Mead	38 Upton street	18	New appliances	35
E. Ardini	56 Aldworth street	19	New appliances	300
B. Zuff	123 Amory street	11	New appliances	200
P. Gulesian	1 Andria street	18	New appliances	200
W. Cooper	2002 Beacon street	21	New appliances	175
N. Clark	11 Bond street	3	New appliances	400
B. Reska	13 Bowdoin street	3	New appliances	7
	21 Bowdoin street	14	New appliances	45
D. Greenwood	96 Bynner street	10	New appliances	150
N. Clark	1 Carlson street	13	New appliances	400
E. Pascucci	189 Chelsea street	1	New appliances	15
B. Ribeck	151 Cottage street	1	New appliances	30
A. Figler	33 Forest street	8	New appliances	40
F. Odenweller	512 East Fourth street	7	New appliances	175
E. Pascucci	26 Frankfort street	1	New appliances	25
N. Clark	69 Frankfort street	1	New appliances	15
P. Gulesian	29 Gordon street	18	New appliances	200
N. Clark	9 Grove street	5	New appliances	200
N. Clark	9 Grove street	5	New appliances	200
C. Lee	34 Hammond street	9	New appliances	45
H. Cutler	Harold street	12	New appliances	50
E. Pascucci	178 Havre street	1	New appliances	15
E. Pascucci	221 Marion street	1	New appliances	10
C. Lee	659 Massachusetts avenue	8	New appliances	150
E. Pascucci	24 Maverick street	1	New appliances	35
R. McDonald	53 Newland street	9	New appliances	35
N. Clark	31 Nixon street	17	New appliances	450
P. Gulesian	24 Norway street	18	New appliances	200

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING JUNE 14.—Concluded.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
N. Clark	Onslow terrace	6	New appliances	$100
A. Gardella	87 School street	2	New appliances	25
E. Miller	2960 Washington street	11	New appliances	25
I. Gerson	23 Williams avenue	18	New appliances	50
P. Gulesian	100 Williams avenue	18	New appliances	200
G. Trethewey	10 Atherton avenue	18	New appliances	350
B. Szatlmary	73 Camden street	9	New appliances	60
S. Connolly	230 Dudley street	8	New appliances	25
S. Connolly	22 East Cottage street	8	New appliances	50
C. Glynn	728 East Eighth street	7	New appliances	75
F. Odenweller	663 East Seventh street	7	New appliances	50
A. Granara	165 Endicott street	3	New appliances	40
G. Trethewey	219 Florence street	19	New appliances	200
G. Gould	91 Fayston street	14	New appliances	25
S. Connolly	60 Hollander street	12	New appliances	15
M. Yorks	118 Moore street	1	New appliances	10
B. Weiner	150 St. Botolph street	4	New appliances	50
H. Beaulieu	1591 Tremont street	10	New appliances	40
H. Beaulieu	2932 Washington street	11	New appliances	35
A. Granara	2 Westford place	22	New appliances	10
A. Granara	27 Westford street	22	New appliances	125
G. Trethewey	26 Winton street	18	New appliances	250
R. Kirby	111 Worcester street	4	New appliances	100
R. Kirby	113 Worcester street	4	New appliances	100

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM PLUMBING FOR THE WEEK ENDING JUNE 14.

Plumber.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
T. Reid	337 Beacon street	5	New appliances	$3,000
G. Trethewey	168 Beech street	20	New appliances	400
S. Robbins	455 Broadway	6	New appliances	700
J. Hinckley	85 Brown avenue	19	New appliances	250
D. Filippi	264 Corey street	20	New appliances	950
T. Reid	33 Gloucester street	5	New appliances	2,800
M. Lappin	960 Harrison avenue	8	New appliances	10,000
J. Crane	Huntington avenue		New appliances	50,000
W. Berkley	66 Norfolk street	9	New appliances	2,875
G. Trethewey	580 Poplar street	20	New appliances	160
G. Zeolla	140 Russett road	20	New appliances	725
W. Farara	162 Almont street	18	New appliances	1,000
H. Ricick	7 Beaufield street	16	New appliances	50
S. Cort	1790 Centre street	20	New appliances	125
C. Riely	400 Commonwealth avenue	5	New appliances	2,000
G. Gould	2013 Commonwealth avenue	22	New appliances	200
G. Gould	2017 Commonwealth avenue	22	New appliances	200
H. Ribeck	249 Emerson street	6	New appliances	500
A. Milligan	26 Glendower street	18	New appliances	1,000
S. Luccdio	20 Homestead street	12	New appliances	65
J. Caserio	78 London street	1	New appliances	600
E. Parid	17 Middleton street	14	New appliances	350
R. Divorleans	116 Orleans street	1	New appliances	400
L. Visco	101 Princeton street	1	New appliances	50
H. Hinckley	858 South street	19	New appliances	75
M. Kahn	50 Sutherland road	21	New appliances	20,000
M. Wallen	60 Starbird avenue	18	New appliances	1,500
J. Murphy	3724 Washington street	11	New appliances	200
J. McKennon	38 Woodland street	18	New appliances	900
W. McKennon	73 Charles street	5	New appliances	800
S. Gagor	25 Charles street	5	New appliances	160
M. Myers	19 Congreve street	20	New appliances	300
G. Paty	16 Haviland road	19	New appliances	800
W. Jacobs	18 Ledgebrook road	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	2 Leahaven road	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	7 Leahaven road	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	11 Leahaven road	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	14 Leahaven road	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	54 Meadowbank avenue	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	19 Newcroft Circle	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	40 Newcroft Circle	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	48 Newcroft Circle	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	15 Ridgeview avenue	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	34 Ridgeview avenue	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	40 Ridgeview avenue	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	45 Ridgeview avenue	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	49 Ridgeview avenue	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	57 Ridgeview avenue	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	61 Ridgeview avenue	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	62 Ridgeview avenue	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	65 Ridgeview avenue	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	371 River street	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	383 River street	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	393 River street	18	New appliances	108
W. Jacobs	397 River street	18	New appliances	108
J. Crane	68 Rossmore road	11	New appliances	500
T. Corey	50 Warren street	22	New appliances	1,000
D. Greenwood	96 Bynner street	10	New appliances	150
M. Yorks	1303 Centre street	20	New appliances	500
W. Lee	69 Charles street	18	New appliances	1,000
S. Imbreseia	57 Frnnklin street	3	New appliances	100
S. Luccdio	71 Lake Shore road	22	New appliances	65
D. Greenwood	56 Robinwood avenue	19	New appliances	250
S. Imbreseia	37 St. Edward road	1	New appliances	200
S. Luccdio	Woodman street	11	New appliances	200
G. Trethewey	10 Atherton street	18	New appliances	170
D. Puopolo	483 Beacon street	5	New appliances	100
F. Odenweller	207 E street	6	New appliances	1,400
H. Heath	123 Faywood avenue	1	New appliances	1,000
I. Carlin	43 Harold street	12	New appliances	120
J. Wilson	4 Penryth street	11	New appliances	1,100
H. Heath	2 and 4 Teragram street	1	New appliances	1,000
A. Roberts	40 Water street	3	New appliances	1,000
G. Trethewey	20 Winton street	18	New appliances	250

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

James Caragianis, 190 Sumner street, East Boston, steam fireman, $60.50 a week.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

Werner F. Gossels, 209 Fairmount street, Dorchester, senior engineering and (draftsman), $60.50 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Alan J. Ward, 29 Cobden street, Roxbury, clerk, $43 a week.

Appointments or Reinstatements.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Printing Section.

Katherine M. Heintz, 60 Rockwell street, Dorchester, monotype keyboard operator, $96.25 a week.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Charles L. O'Reilly, 31 O'Callaghan Way, South Boston, fire fighter, $76.63 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Mary M. Croke, 45 Milwood street, Dorchester, principal clerk and stenographer, $76.50 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Walter B. Heidke, 46 Chestnut street, Jamaica Plain, X-ray technician, $45.50 a week.

John Hughes, 111 Saranac street, Dorchester, first-class steam fireman, $65.50 a week.

Patricia V. Taylor, 268 Savin Hill avenue, Dorchester, laboratory assistant, $45.50 a week.

Mary Daley, 44 Beaumont street, Dorchester, laboratory assistant, $45.50 a week.

William A. Ahern, Jr., 11 Cliffmont street, Roslindale, elevator operator, $45.50 a week.

Long Island Division.

Jean Marini, 45 Puritan Drive, Quincy, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Joseph L. Kennedy, Jr., 1275 Brook road, Milton, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Jane E. Monahan, 22 Dawson street, Dorchester, clerk and stenographer, $43 a week.

John E. Radigan, 1 Highland terrace, Roxbury, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Alice G. Hirst, 36 Ohio avenue, Lawrence, graduate registered nurse, $70.70 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Sewer Division.

Charles W. Grady, 169 Sycamore street, Roslindale, steam fireman, $60.50 a week.

James D'Agostino, 29 Pitts street, steam fireman, $60.50 a week.

Changes in Status.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Thomas F. Bohan, 1084 Truman Highway, Hyde Park, from fire fighter at $74.71 a week to fire lieutenant at $86.59 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Helen G. Hannan, 67 Thetford avenue, Dorchester, from clerk and typist, part time, at $40.50 a week to clerk and typist, full time, at $48 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Automotive Division.

John B. Moran, 62 Birchwood street, West Roxbury, motor equipment repairman at $70.50 a week to working foreman motor equipment repairman at $75 a week.

Sanitary Division.

Arnold E. McGee, 364 Harrison avenue, from heavy motor equipment operator and laborer at $65.50 a week to motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week.

Sewer Division.

James J. Fitzgerald, 103 Turner road, Scituate, from senior engineering aid at $75 a week to junior civil engineer at $80 a week.

Promotion.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Lillian Manowitz, 68 Poplar street, from clerk and typist at $53 a week to senior clerk and typist at $55.50 a week.

Leave of Absence

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Leo J. Donovan, 51 Newcroft Circle, Mattapan, clerk-stenographer, $58.70 a week.

Step-Rate Increases.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Personnel Division.

Frank P. McDonough, assistant supervisor of personnel, from $122.50 to $127.25 a week.

William P. McNeill, senior clerk and typist, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Alice T. Popke, principal clerk and stenographer, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

COURT HOUSE.

William J. Feeney, steam fireman, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Anna Foley, cleaner, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

Eileen C. Wholey, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

SUPERIOR CRIMINAL COURT.

Dorothy A. Roper, clerk, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

John P. White, Jr., principal clerk, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

MUNICIPAL COURT OF BOSTON.

Probation Office.

Ann M. Nostro, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Criminal Business.

M. Stella Rinaldi, clerk, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

MEDICAL EXAMINER SERVICE, NORTHERN DIVISION.

Rita Flaherty, principal clerk, from $317.55 to $332.78 monthly.

Irene E. Starr, secretary, from $284.93 to $295.80 monthly.

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING JUNE 14.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Samuel Spencer	20 Balfour street	14	Alterations, dwelling	$660
Elm Farm Foods	222 Border street	1	Take-down, coal hopper	400
Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston.	278 Bowdoin street	15	Festival	100
M. Hamett	94 Bower street	13	Fire repairs, dwelling	370
Ernest Raylor	137 Cabot street	9	Alterations, dwelling	200
P. Ward	226 Calumet street	14	Alterations, dwelling	300
Unitarian Church	1867 Centre street	20	Alterations, church parish house	990
Harry London	1800 Commonwealth av.	21	Alterations, dwelling	200
Richard Owens	69 Crawford street	12	Alterations, dwelling	979
Mary Power	419 East Eighth street	7	Fire escape, dwelling	200
Thomas Healey	704 East Seventh street	6	Alterations, dwelling	50
Tracy's Yacht Basin	22 Ericsson street	16	Alterations, storage	825
Estate of Sophie Neman	295 Foster street	22	Alterations, dwelling	200
Louis Weinstein	41 Fottler road	18	Alterations, dwelling	360
Herbert and Helen Boliver	409 Frankfort street	1	Alterations, dwelling	150
John McLaughlin	436 Gallivan Boulevard	16	Alterations, dwelling	600
Thomas Diab	69 Hancock street	5	Alterations, dwelling	400
Lillian Russell	83 London street	1	Fire escape, dwelling	85
Lanoroary	85 London street	1	Fire escape, dwelling	85
John Williams	23 Mt. Pleasant street	18	Alterations, dwelling	455
E. W. Garvey	18 Pleasant street	13	Alterations, dwelling	800
J. J. Reidy	11 Rawston road	18	Alterations, dwelling	464
Vincent DiNunno	1135 Saratoga street	1	Alterations, garage	700
M. McNeil	40 Sherwood street	19	Alterations, dwelling	90
Jennie Chipman	57 Stanwood street	14	Alterations, dwelling	125
Thomas Cronin	10 and 10½ Walk Hill street	19	Fire damage, store	495
Lebow's	60 Washington Street North	3	Alterations, offices	820
Mary O'Connor	111 Woodard road	20	Alterations, dwelling	450
Martin Feeney	115 Woodard road	20	Alterations, dwelling	325
F. Shriber	53 Woolson street	14	Alterations, dwelling	1,700
Ethel Gules	18 Wyoming street	12	Alterations, dwelling	989
Thomas Savage	311 Beech street	18	Alterations, dwelling	400
Frederick Desmond	29 Bentley street	22	Alterations, dwelling	50
City Fuel	226 Border street	1	Take-down shed,	100
Nelson Cohen	15 Browning avenue	14	Alterations, dwelling	200
John Kelly	276 Centre street	10	Alterations, store, dwelling	875
Patrick Connolly	60 Chesterfield street	18	Alterations, dwelling	297
Dominic Martins	38 Clarkson street	15	Alterations, dwelling	450
J. Boure	30 Dalrymple street	11	Alterations, dwelling	870
Gertrude Rooney *et al*	60 Dearborn street	8	Alterations, store, club	1,150
Theodore Evangelio	270 and 272 E street	6	Alterations, store, dwelling	750
B. Buttiglieri	270 East Eagle street	1	Alterations, dwelling	900
J. J. McKee	466 East Eighth street	7	Alterations, dwelling	68
Mrs. Donlevy	77 Englewood avenue	21	Alterations, convalescent home	178
Lillian Cumnings	90 Fisher avenue	10	Alterations, dwelling	450
Louis DeYesso	168 George street	8	Alterations, dwelling	200
Third Order St. Francis Sisters	91 Gordon avenue	18	Excavation	200
Joseph Freeman	200 Hampden street	8	Alterations, dwelling, store	300
Ellen Duggan	8 Howard place	13	Alterations, dwelling	250
Edward Blanchard	1295 Hyde Park avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	820
A. Lombardi	7 Jeffries street	1	Alterations, dwelling	895
Christie MacDonald	428 Meridian street	1	Alterations, dwelling	1,300
Albert Abate	77 Mt. Ida road	15	Alterations, dwelling	200
Antone Dias	4 Parker place	10	Fire repairs, dwelling	200
Commonwealth of Mass.	96–102 Purchase street	3	Take-down store, storage	8,000
Commonwealth of Mass.	114–120 Purchase street	3	Take-down, manufacturing	4,000
Mario Ventresca	68 Richfield street	15	Alterations, dwelling	650
William Ballem	679 River street	18	Alterations, dwelling	90
Peter Kamis	9 Royal road	18	Alterations, dwelling	360
William Savin	22 and 24 Savin street	12	Alterations, dwelling	580
John Gannen	5 Scollay square	3	Alterations, office, loft	1,500
Andrew Russo	19 South Munroe terrace	16	Fire repairs, dwelling	250
A. Colbert	5 Sunset street	10	Alterations, dwelling	950
Mae Durkee	80 Van Winkle street	16	Alterations, dwelling	300
Theodore Evangelio	203 West Fifth street	6	Alterations, dwelling	400
Michael Connolly	31 Whitridge street	16	Excavation	100
Mary Walsh	40 Wren street	20	Alterations, dwelling	1,400
Joseph Miniozza	16 Ashland street	3	Fire repairs, store, dwelling	1,500
Baird Realty Company	508 Beacon street	5	Alterations, dwelling	6,000
Alfred Brothers	63 Centre street	10	Alterations, dwelling	450
Alfred Fournier	75 Chesbrough road	20	Dwelling	8,000
C. & L. Tire Company	25–35 Chesterton street	8	Office, storage, retreading	112,000
Mary O'Connell	43 Chestnut street	2	Alterations, dwelling	None
W. J. Driscoll Const. Co.	50 Clearwater Drive	17	Dwelling	$9,000
W. J. Driscoll Const. Co.	56 Clearwater Drive	17	Dwelling	9,000
W. J. Driscoll Const. Co.	60 Clearwater Drive	17	Dwelling	9,000
Hotel Somerset	400 Commonwealth avenue	5	Alterations, hotel	1,100
Sidney Burton	28 Cunningham street	13	Alterations, dwelling	None
N. E. Metallurgical Corp.	473 Dorchester avenue	7	Alterations, laboratory	$2,000
Messinger Corporation	74 Favre street	18	Dwelling	9,000
Messinger Corporation	78 Favre street	18	Dwelling	9,000
Rev. Robert Stone	17 Forest street	8	Alterations, dwelling	500
St. Paul's Presbyterian Church	121 Greenfield road	18	Dwelling	9,000
Highlands Trust	52 Groveland street	18	Dwelling	9,500
Francis Collins	194 Heath street	10	Fire repairs, club	9,800
James Paul	34 Hemlock road	20	Dwelling, garage	8,000
E. P. Kaligoris	34 High street	15	Garage	1,125
William Hogan	795 Huntington avenue	10	Alterations, dwelling, store	750
City Parking Garage	55 La Grange street	3	Office	500
W. J. Driscoll Const. Co.	45 Maryknoll street	18	Dwelling	9,000
W. J. Driscoll Const. Co.	65 Maryknoll street	18	Dwelling	9,000
W. J. Driscoll Const. Co.	71 Maryknoll street	18	Dwelling	9,000
Messinger Corporation	45 Messinger street	18	Dwelling	9,000
Messinger Corporation	46 Messinger street	18	Dwelling	9,000
Estate Caroline Gove	Rear 149–153 Newbury street	5	Use premises	None
Socony Vacuum Company	217 North Beacon street	22	Alterations, gas station	$6,000

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING JUNE 14.—Concluded.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Diabetes Foundation	170 Pilgrim road	4	Clinic, hospital, office	$697,000
Genevieve Gibbons	86 Safford street	18	Dwelling	8,000
Genevieve Gibbons	88 Safford street	18	Dwelling	8,000
Harry Gutterman	154 Talbot avenue	14	Alterations, dwelling	None
Franklin Miller	19 Tesla street	18	Alterations, sales	$1,999
A. Salvo	72 West Cottage street	13	Garage	1,000
Joseph Palombi	109 Westminster street	18	Dwelling	14,000
Samuel Missel	799 Blue Hill avenue	14	Alterations, dwelling	525
Goode Realty Trust	13 Bower street	12	Fire repairs, dwelling	350
Alice McLaughlin *et al*	76 Centre street	17	Alterations, dwelling	1,500
Lester Nightingale	31 Chickatawbut street	16	Alterations, dwelling	1,975
James Cronin	2 Concord street	2	Alterations, dwelling	400
Elizabeth Brunck	7 Denton terrace	18	Alterations, dwelling	350
Richmond Trust	509 East Fifth street	6	Alterations, storage	175
Charles Leon	14 and 16 Ellet street	15	Alterations dwelling	1,500
Esther Weinberg	80 Elm Hill avenue	12	Alterations, dwelling	100
Cecelia Nicholson	15 Fairfax street	16	Alterations, dwelling, home for aged	800
Edward Leonard	16 Fisher avenue	10	Alterations, dwelling	1,300
E. M. Caggiano	353 Hanover street	3	Alterations, dwelling, store.	850
H. Fraser	77 Homestead street	12	Alterations, dwelling	450
Winter Place Trust	1 and 2 Jackson place	3	Alterations, shop, restaurant	300
Walter Jacobs	97 Lasell street	20	Alterations, dwelling	200
State Street-Second National Bank	130 Massachusetts avenue	4	Sign, bank	200
Ellen Neville	51 Minot street	16	Alterations, dwelling	250
V. Kaufman	68 Myrtle street	3	Alterations, dwelling	300
Cesare Abate	10 Newcastle road	22	Alterations, dwelling	1,850
Mr. Korolick	42 North Russell street	3	Alterations, dwelling, store	475
John Elliott	140 Whitfield street	17	Alterations, dwelling	975
Vincent Erti	49 Brook Farm road	20	Dwelling	8,000
Socony Mobil Oil Co	1707 Dorchester avenue	16	Alterations, service station.	8,000
Rocco Tenaglia	70 Hawthorne street	19	Dwelling	9,000
Rocco Tenaglia	73 Hawthorne street	19	Dwelling	9,000
Rocco Tenaglia	74 Hawthorne street	19	Dwelling	9,000
Rocco Tenaglia	77 Hawthorne street	19	Dwelling	9,000
A. Butler	81 Hawthorne street	19	Dwelling	9,000
Mohawk Rubber Company	181-190 Old Colony avenue	7	Alterations, sales, vulcanizing	1,000
Thomas Altimar	10 Rhoda street	20	Dwelling	13,000
John Jones	15 Ball street	9	Alterations, dwelling	250
Anthony Barnes	70 Barnes avenue	1	Alterations, dwelling	400
Anthony Jablone	172 Bayswater street	1	Alterations, dwelling	250
J. Errobino	643 Bennington street	1	Alterations, dwelling	900
William Leppo	949 Blue Hill avenue	14	Alterations, dwelling	375
Little Building Trust	80 Boylston street	5	Alterations, store, office	600
Joseph Daley	32 Buttonwood street	13	Alterations, dwelling	400
N. Malkin	70 Commonwealth avenue	5	Fire escape, lodging house	50
M. Bergagna	72 Commonwealth avenue	5	Fire escape, lodging house	50
Annie and Thomas Kelley	25 East street	15	Alterations, dwelling	665
A. Zichello	237 Everett street	1	Alterations, dwelling	350
Celestin Salelli	20 and 22 Herrick street	22	Take-down, dwelling	600
Sotir Mitro	190 L street	7	Alterations, dwelling	100
John Romano	4 Lark street	7	Alterations, dwelling	125
Bette Levin	939 Morton street	18	Alterations, dwelling	250
Robert Shepard	849 Saratoga street	1	Alterations, dwelling	2,400
James McGaugh	3 Ware street	15	Alterations, dwelling	300
Rose Baker	22 Abbot street	14	Alterations, dwelling	277
Little, Brown & Co.	31 Beacon street	3	Alterations, office	900
Edward Champion	74 Brooks street	22	Alterations, dwelling	500
Leonard Griffin	116 Clarkson street	15	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Joel Rubin	83 and 85 Clifton street	9	Alterations, dwelling	400
Julia Waitaitis	1322 Columbia road	7	Alterations, dwelling	150
Conrad Pauski	48 Cornell street	20	Alterations, dwelling	950
Oliver Perry	166 Fallon street	1	Alterations, dwelling	400
Louise Carmichael	30 Hopedale street	22	Alterations, dwelling	400
Ann Jacobs	171 La Grange street	20	Alterations, dwelling	90
Josie Botbol	20 Lawrence avenue	14	Alterations, dwelling	750
Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston	70 London street	1	Alterations, church	900
John Lay	13 Maywood street	12	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Daniel O'Keefe	23 Turner street	22	Alterations, dwelling	175
Michael Sangas	10 Woodmount street	22	Alterations, dwelling	450
Ellen Weydt	10 Bloomington street	16	Alterations, dwelling	750
Max Cohen	9 Braemore road	21	Alterations, dwelling	2,000
Mark's Construction Co	2526 Centre street	20	Dwelling, garage	11,000
Lincoln Oil Company	495 and 497 Neponset avenue	17	Service station, office	400
Irene Jagiello	83 Sumner street	7	Alterations, dwelling	None
The Salesian Society	29 Warrenton street	3	Alterations, school	$2,000
Thomas Sedote	420 Washington street	17	Alterations, office, studio, dwelling	100

STEP-RATE INCREASES.

(Continued from page 751.)

Elizabeth L. Comins, senior clerk, from $263.18 to $274.05 monthly.

Joseph Martino, mortuary attendant, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Overtime Allowed.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

For the week ending June 7:

Richard K. Boyle, chef, 8 hours at $2.35 an hour; Cornelius Cooper, assistant chef, 8 hours at $2.29 an hour; Sebastian Guiffreida, assistant chef, 8 hours at $2 an hour; Reginald Dunn, assistant chef, 8 hours at $2.29 an hour; Thomas Lyons, assistant chef, 8 hours at $2.09 an hour; William Hoff, second-class stationary engineer, 8 hours at $3 an hour.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

House of Correction.

R. Flynn, hospital supervisor, 1 day, $16.70; J. Hoban, deputy master, 1 day, $17.40; P. Joyce, officers' cook, 1 day, $16; J. McGowan, assistant deputy, 1 day, $16; J. Parziale, officers' cook, 1 day, $16; E. Shepard, deputy master, 1 day, $18.80; R. Stewart, hospital supervisor, 1 day, $16.70; J. Sullvan, deputy master, 1 day, $16.70.

VETERANS' RETIREMENTS.

The Mayor has approved the following veterans' applications for retirement:

Eugene H. Lord, 72 Highland avenue, Arlington, master, Boston Latin School.

Charles M. McKenzie, 674 Commercial street, Provincetown, division head, Boston Trade High School.

Charles Federman, 11 North Anderson street, job pressman, Printing Section, Administrative Services Department.

William A. Cornwell, 3 Bruce street, Dorchester, laborer, Sanitary Division, Public Works Department.

Michael J. Picco, 37 Yeoman street, Roxbury, motor equipment operator and laborer, Sanitary Division, Public Works Department.

Lawrence I. Harris, 1391 Commonwealth avenue, Allston, senior instructor, Boston Trade High School.

Patrick J. Donovan, 103 Church street, West Roxbury, master, Dorchester High School.

James H. Mullins, 22 Upland road, Brockton, master, Hyde Park High School.

Joseph F. Roche, 37 Plain street, Dorchester, yardman, Water Division, Public Works Department.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award the contracts for work, materials, and supplies, in accordance with recommendations of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Purchasing Division.

Upon June 1 the Mayor approved a contract with bidders as requested in the following letter:

BOSTON, May 31, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

Bids on proposals for furnishing dry goods and gowns to the Boston City Hospital and Long Island Hospital Division were publicly opened and read in this office on May 9, 1955. Tabulation of prices received is attached.

Authority is requested to award contracts and orders to the bidders as indicated on the accompanying tabulation. Bids received on Item 1 are being rejected and this item will be purchased at a later date from Deer Island Industries. No bids were received on Items 4 and 10, these will be purchased in the open market when and where available.

Approximate total amounts of awards will be as follows:

Contracts for: Barnet Zelmyer, doing business as Zelmar Mills, $1,229.50, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; Whitehouse Manufacturing Company, Division of Opelika Manufacturing Corporation, $1,093.20, net, 30 days.

Orders for: Taylor, Symonds Company, $561.50, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; Community Workshops, Inc., $198, net, 10 days; New England Company, $155, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

Bids were as follows:

Dry Goods and Gowns.

To Be Delivered to 751 Albany Street, for Linen Room, Boston City Hospital.

Requisition No. 6294.

Item 1. 900 Sheets, Shroud, Bleached Muslin, 3 Yards Long, 2 Yards Wide, 1-Inch Hem Both Sides.—Bids rejected.

Requisition No. 7085.

Item 2. 120 Bassinet Pads, 10 x 60, White Cotton, Quilted, Sanforized, Each.—Sherman Mills, Inc., 59 cents; Sparrow Chisholm Company, $1.50, Wearever; Taylor, Symonds Company, 57½ cents.*

Requisition No. 7086.

Item 3. 120 Bath Mats, 22 x 36, Assorted Colors (Terry), Each.—Jennings Linen Company, Inc., $1.83⅓, Sherman Mills, Inc., 90 cents (20 x 30); Sparrow Chisholm Company, $1.04 (20 x 30); Taylor, Symonds Company, $1.25 (22 x 38)*; Zelmar Mills, 96 cents.

Requisition No. 7088.

Item 4. 72 Frame Covers, Dark Blue Twill, Sanforized, 90 x 92. —No bids.

Requisition No. 7090.

Item 5. 36 Mayo Table Covers, Large, Unbleached Cotton, Sanforized, As Per Specifications, Each.—Community Workshops, Inc., $5.50*; Jennings Linen Company, Inc., $6.45; Zelmar Mills, $5.56.

Requisition No. 7094.

Item 6. 120 Nurses' Gowns, Jade Green, No. 40, Vat Dyed, Pepperell Twill, As Per Specifications, Each.—Angelica Uniform Company, Inc., $24.50 per dozen, Angelica, Style No. X820–DJ8 (available in double sizes, 30 to 32 through 46 to 48); Community Workshops, Inc., $25.75 per dozen, vat dyed, Kelly green, Pepperell twill, $27.38 per dozen, Jade, No. 156, Indian Head; Jennings Linen Company, Inc., $2.30; Sherman Mills, Inc., $2.10; Sparrow Chisholm Company, $2.10; Whitehouse Manufacturing Company, $1.86*; Zelmar Mills, $25.25 per dozen, crisscross neck.

Item 7. 120 Nurses' Gowns, Jade Green, No. 42, Vat Dyed, As Per Specifications, Each.—Angelica Uniform Company, Inc., $24.50 per dozen, Angelica, Style No. 820–DJ8 (available in double sizes, 30 to 32 through 46 to 48); Community Workshops, Inc., $25.75 per dozen, vat dyed, Kelly green, Pepperell twill, $27.38 per dozen, Jade, No. 156, Indian Head; Jennings Linen Company, Inc., $2.30; Sherman Mills, Inc., $2.10; Sparrow Chisholm Company, $2.10; Whitehouse Manufacturing Company, $1.86*; Zelmar Mills, $25.25 per dozen, crisscross neck.

Requisition No. 7095.

Item 8. 240 Surgeons' Gowns, Jade Green, Large, Long Sleeves, As Per Specifications, Each.—Angelica Uniform Company, Inc., $29.75 per dozen, Angelica, Style No. X605–DJ8; Community Workshops, Inc., $30.62 per dozen, vat dyed, Kelly green, Pepperell twill, $32.54 per dozen, Jade, No. 156, Indian Head; Jennings Linen Company, Inc., $3.17; New England Company, $29 per dozen; Sherman Mills, Inc., $2.45; Sparrow Chisholm Company, $2.50; Whitehouse Manufacturing Company, $2.23*; Zelmar Mills, $27.90 per dozen.

Requisition No. 7198.

Item 9. 5 Dozen Nurses' Gowns, Operating Room, Dark Blue, Pepperell Twill or Indian Head, As Per Specifications, Per Dozen.—Angelica Uniform Company, Inc., $37.08, Angelica, Style No. X820, Armor cloth; Community Workshops, Inc., $23.95, vat dyed, dark blue, Pepperill twill; Whitehouse Manufacturing Company, $1.86 each*; Zelmar Mills, $24.75.

Requisition No. 7197.

Item 10. 9 Dozen Covers, Dark Blue, Fine Pepperell Twill, (a) 3 Dozen, 40 x 40, (b) 3 Dozen, 70 x 60, (c) 3 Dozen, 76 x 76. —No bids.

Requisition No. 7357.

Item 11. 500 Yards Organdy, Duchess, Best Quality Obtainable, for Nurses' Caps, 40 Inches, Per Yard.—Sparrow Chisholm Company, 75 cents; Taylor, Symonds Company, 44½ cents.*

To Be Delivered to Long Island Viaduct, Long Island Hospital Division.

Requisition No. 676.

Item 12. 200 Cotton Flannel Bath Blankets, 72 x 99, Each.—Jennings Linen Company, Inc., $2.05; Sherman Mills, Inc., $1.48; Sparrow Chisholm Company, $1.75; Taylor, Symonds Company, $1.70; Zelmar Mills, $1.40.*

Requisition No. 680.

Item 13. 300 Yards Blue and White Check Material, 36 Inches, Per Yard.—Sparrow Chisholm Company, 52½ cents, Jumbo, fully shrunk; Taylor, Symonds Company, 40 cents*; Zelmar Mills, 48 cents.

Item 14. 2,000 Yards White Turkish Towcling, 18 Inches, Per Yard.—Jennings Linen Company, Inc., 43 cents; Sherman Mills, Inc., 35.5 cents; Sparrow Chisholm Company, 47½ cents, Style 742, Navy; Taylor, Symonds Company, 35½ cents; Zelmar Mills, 33.5 cents.*

Item 15. 1,000 Yards White Huck Toweling, 16 Inches, Per Yard.—Jennings Linen Company, Inc., 28½ cents; New England Company, 15½ cents*; Sherman Mills, Inc., 19.5 cents; Sparrow Chisholm Company, 19½ cents; Taylor, Symonds Company, 18 cents; Zelmar Mills, 16.5 cents.

Item 16. 25 Dozen White Pilloweases, Type 140, 42 x 36, Pequot, or Equal, Per Dozen.—Jennings Linen Company, $4.95; New England Company, $4.80; Sherman Mills, Inc., $4.63; Sparrow Chisholm Company, $4.60; Taylor, Symonds Company, $4.65; Zelmar Mills, $4.58.*

Item 17. 1,000 Yards Crash Dish Toweling, 16 Inches, Per Yard.—Jennings Linen Company, Inc., 19½ cents; Sherman Mills, Inc., 22.5 cents, 35 per cent linen, 65 per cent cotton; Sparrow Chisholm Company, 19 cents; Taylor, Symonds Company, 17 cents; Zelmar Mills, 16.5 cents.*

Discount.—Angelica Uniform Company, Inc., net, 10 days, end of month; Community Workshops, Inc., net, 10 days; Jennings Linen Company, Inc., net, 10 days; New England Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Sherman Mills, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Sparrow Chisholm Company, net, 30 days; Taylor, Symonds Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Whitehouse Manufacturing Company, net 30 days; Zelmar Mills, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—Angelica Uniform Company, Inc., 6 weeks after receipt of order; Community Workshops, Inc., partial shipment, three weeks' time, mill delivery permitting; Jennings Linen Company, Inc., Items 1, 6, 7, 8, 2 to 3 weeks, Items 3, 12, and 14, 2 weeks, Items 15, 16, and 17, prompt, Item 5, 3 weeks; New England Company, Item 8, 2 to 4 weeks, Item 15, at once, Item 16, 2 weeks; Sherman Mills, Inc., all items, 2 weeks; Sparrow Chisholm Company, all items, at once; Taylor, Symonds Company, Items 1 and 13, 2 weeks, Items 2, 11, and 16, at once, Items 3, 12, 14, 15, and 17, 10 days; Whitehouse Manufacturing Company, 30 days; Zelmar Mills, 30 to 60 days.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon June 1 the Mayor approved a contract with Archer Rubber Company for furnishing rubber fire coats to the Fire Department. Approximate total amount of contract was $3,150, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids, opened May 10, were as follows:

Rubber Fire Coats.

300 Firemen's Rubber Fire Coats, B.F.D., Standard Sizes and Lengths of Coats As Indicated, Each.—Archer Rubber Company, $10.50*; Charles H. Clougherty, doing business as Charles H. Clougherty Company, $13.05; Hope Rubber Company, Inc., $12.65; R. G. Mearn Company, Inc., $12.75; United States Rubber Company, $10.87.

Discount.—Archer Rubber Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Charles H. Clougherty, doing business as Charles H. Clougherty Company, 2 per cent, 30 days, net, 60 days; Hope Rubber Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; R. G. Mearn Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; United States Rubber Company, net, 30 days.

Remarks.—Hope Rubber Company, Inc., wish to make the following notation: straps on sleeve will not be included; will add a collar flap and storm cuffs; fabric will be 2.75 drill instead of Jean twill; other than above exceptions will meet all specifications with fire coat submitted as sample.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon June 9 the Mayor approved a contract with Mechanics Iron Foundry Company for furnishing iron castings and bronze fittings to the Public Works Department upon receipt of order and until March 31, 1956. Approximate total amount of contract was $20,099, net.

Bids, opened May 24, were as follows:

Iron Castings and Bronze Fittings.

Item 1.

Class A. 200,000 Pounds Common Castings, Per Pound.—Mechanics Iron Foundry Company, 9.25 cents*; Puritan Iron Works, Inc., 10.5 cents.

Class B. 2,000 Pounds Heavy Castings, Per Pound.—Mechanics Iron Foundry Company, 11 cents*; Puritan Iron Works, Inc., 12 cents.

Class C. 10,000 Pounds Special Castings, Per Pound.—Mechanics Iron Foundry Company, 11 cents*; Puritan Iron Works, Inc., 12 cents.

Class D. 1,200 Pounds Catch-Basin Traps, As Per Specifications, Per Pound.—Mechanics Iron Foundry Company, 19.5 cents*; Puritan Iron Works, Inc., 20 cents.

Item 2.

15 Pounds Bronze Pins, Furnished and Fitted in Manhole and Catch-Basin Covers and Grates, Including Drilling of Castings and All Incidental Work, Per Pound.—Mechanics Iron Foundry Company, $1*; Puritan Iron Works, Inc., $1.50.

Item 3.

15 Pounds Bronze Fittings, Bolts, Nuts, Etc., Including All Machine Work, Fitting and Placing and All Incidental Work, Per Pound.—Mechanics Iron Foundry Company, $1*; Puritan Iron Works, Inc., $1.25.

Item 4.

15 Pounds Tobin Bronze, or Equivalent in Tensile Strength and Ductility, Fittings, Bolts, Pins, Nuts, Etc., As Per Specifications, Per Pound.—Mechanics Iron Foundry Company, $1*; Puritan Iron Works, Inc., $1.25.

Discount.—Mechanics Iron Foundry Company, firm price, net; Puritan Iron Works, Inc., firm price, no discount.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon June 9 the Mayor approved a contract with Socony Mobil Oil Company, Inc., for furnishing Diesel fuel oil to the Fire Department for fireboats, until March 31, 1956. Approximate total amount of contract was $2,110, net. Price will be seller's posted tank car price at time and for place of delivery and is subject to a temporary verbal discount of .5 cent per gallon.

Bid, opened May 20, was as follows:

Approximately 20,000 Gallons Diesel Fuel Oil for Delivery Into the Bunkers of the Fire Department Boats "Marabout" and "Bulwark," Alongside Contractor's Dock.

Price Per U. S. Standard Gallon at Delivered Temperature.—Socony Mobil Oil Company, Inc., 10.55 cents.*

Location of Storage Tanks.—Socony Mobil Company, Inc., East Boston, Mass.

Capacity of Storage Tanks at Above Location.—Socony Mobil Oil Company, Inc over 1,000,000 gallons.

Source of Supply (Name of Refinery or Refinery Agent).—Socony Mobil Oil Company, Inc., Socony Mobil Oil Company, Inc.

Discount.—Socony Mobil Oil Company, Inc., no discount, net.

Remarks.—Socony Mobil Oil Company, Inc., seller's posted tank car price at time and place of delivery of May 18, 1955, is 10.55 cents per gallon subject to a temporary verbal discount of .5 cent per gallon.

* Contract awarded.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Upon June 1 the Mayor approved a contract with S. J. Tomasello Corporation for bituminous concrete pavement in Ardale street, Ward 20; Bellaire road, Ward 20; Cerdan avenue, Ward 20; Colby road, Ward 20; Corey street, Ward 20; Farquhar street, Ward 20; Maple street, Ward 20, and Pinehurst street, Ward 20, at an estimated cost of $80,390.65. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed December 31, 1955. The following bids were opened May 26:

S. J. Tomasello Corporation, $80,390.65; Charles Todesca, $80,587.50; Rufo Construction Company, $80,793.60.

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Upon June 1 the Mayor approved a contract with J. D'Amico, Inc., for bituminous concrete pavement in Morton street, Wards 12 and 19, at an estimated cost of $9,144. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed August 31, 1955. The following bids were received May 26:

J. D'Amico, Inc., $9,144; S. J. Tomasello Corporation, $9,933.75; Edward Vozzella, $10,202.50; P. V. Barone Corporation, $17,375; Baker & Co., Inc., $18,233.

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Upon June 1 the Mayor approved a contract as requested in the following letter:

BOSTON, May 27, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

On May 5, 1955, publicly advertised proposals for bituminous concrete pavement in Arvale road, Ward 14, Auriga Street Extension, Ward 16, Banton street, Ward 16, Bantry Way, Ward 7, Colebrook street, Ward 7, Garfield avenue, Ward 18, Hillis road, Ward 18, Newland street, Ward 9, Westville terrace, Ward 15, and such additional locations, if any, in Wards 7, 9, 14, 15, 16, and 18, as may be designated by the Commissioner of Public Works, were received and publicly opened and read. The bids received were as follows:

Adams Asphalt Company, Inc., $61,488.50; P. V. Barone Corporation, $64,760.70; S. J. Tomasello Corporation, $65,979.10; Rufo Construction Company, $82,834.40.

The work to be done under this contract is to be completed October 1, 1955.

On May 11, 1955, your Honor approved the award of the contract for the above work to the lowest bidder, Adams Asphalt Company, Inc., in the amount of $61,488.50.

The Adams Asphalt Company, Inc., did not properly execute the contract and bond for the work and deliver them to the Commissioner of Public Works within the time required under the terms of the proposal. It may be noted that the Adams Asphalt Company, Inc., is at present the subject of Federal bankruptcy proceedings.

At this time, therefore, I respectfully request your authorization to award the contract for the above paving work to P. V. Barone Corporation, the second lowest bidder, in the amount of $64,760.70.

The certified check, in the amount of $3,000, deposited with the Commissioner of Public Works by the Adams Asphalt Company, Inc., in connection with its proposal, is still in the custody of this department pending receipt of advice from the Law Department as to its appropriate disposition.

Respectfully,

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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Upon June 7 the Mayor approved a contract with James B. Rendle Company for repairing the fender piers of the Northern Avenue and Congress Street Bridges, at an estimated cost of $11,990. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed within two months from date of order to commence work. The following bids were received June 2:

James B. Rendle Company, $11,990; McKie Lighter Company, $15,658; W. H. Ellis & Son Company, $15,900; Rev-Lynn Contracting Company, $16,885; Riley Company, $21,035.

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Upon June 7 the Mayor approved a contract with J. J. Finn Electrical Service for installing lighting in the fresh-air ducts of the Sumner Tunnel at an estimated cost of $6,524. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed within six weeks from date of order to commence work. Bids, opened June 2, were as follows:

J. J. Finn Electrical Service, $6,524; Suffolk Electric Company, $6,840.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

Upon varying dates as indicated the Mayor approved contracts with commercial houses, contractors, etc., for furnishing labor, supplies, etc. Communications from heads of the departments interested were as follows:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.
Purchasing Division.

BOSTON, June 6, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

Each year the Fire Department requires certain amounts of parts for "Wheat Lights." The estimated dollar value for the required parts to be delivered, as required, from June 15, 1955, to March 31, 1956, is approximately $6,500, net.

Inasmuch as these parts will be purchased direct from Koehler Manufacturing Company, the only manufacturer, authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to this company. It is my opinion that, in this way, the best interests of the city will be served.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $6,500, net.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, June 6, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The Boston Traffic Commission has requisitioned the following amounts of Eagle Signal Corporation signal equipment to be delivered not later than 60 days from receipt of order:

Twelve traffic signal flashers, Type EP-10, complete with cabinets, cabinets to have no mounting holes, at $57.10 each, net.

Two Group 1 type, traffic signal controller mechanisms only, print No. ETS-47G1-2B, at $354.50 each, net.

Two pedestrian flasher secondary controller mechanisms only, print No. ETS-133-2, $276.87 each, net.

All equipment is to be in accordance with Boston Traffic Commission standard specifications.

The above prices were submitted by R. W. LeBaron, Inc., the only distributor in this area. Inasmuch as this company is the only distributor, authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to R. W. LeBaron, Inc., for the above items at the prices indicated. It is my opinion that, in this way, the best interests of the city will be served.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $1,947.94, net.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, June 6, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office is in receipt of a requisition from the Boston Traffic Commission for one (1) 1955 dual control Mainline ranch wagon for the driver training program. This unit may also be used for regular Traffic Commission operations.

Bowers Motor Sales, Inc., is the only Ford dealer in this area authorized to sell

dual control units. An informal written quotation has been obtained from this company in the amount of $2,850, less discount of $300, making a net total of $2,550.

Inasmuch as Bowers Motor Sales, Inc., is the only authorized dealer for dual control units, authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to this company. It is my opinion that, in this way, the best interests of the city will be served.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $2,550, net.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, June 6, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The Superior Criminal Court of the Suffolk County Courthouse has submitted a requisition for seven (7) Underwood, 15-inch, pica, typewriters, Model 150.

Inasmuch as these machines can be purchased direct from the manufacturer, Underwood Corporation, authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to this company. It is my opinion that, in this way, the best interests of the city will be served.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $1,425.50, less a 15 per cent discount, $217.88, making a net total of $1,234.62.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, June 6, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office is in receipt of a requisition from the Auditing Department for four (4) Clary, No. 145, adding machines, and one (1) carrying ease, with a trade-in of four (4) used Sundstrand machines.

Inasmuch as these machines can be purchased direct from the manufacturer, Clary Multiplier Corporation, authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to this company for the four adding machines at $342 each and the carrying case at $16.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $1,384, less a trade-in allowance of $360 on four used Sundstrand machines at $90 each, making a net total of $1,024.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, June 6, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

At various times, in the past, the House of Correction at Deer Island has been without light, power, or telephone service for days at a time, due to power failures. Emergency equipment of the Fire Department has been used several times, but in addition to being inadequate for the institution's needs it is needed for the regular operations of the Fire Department.

During the hurricanes of 1954, several types of equipment were tested. It was found that the portable type of equipment sold by Electromath Corporation, White Plains, New York, was best suited for use at Deer Island from both a security and economic standpoint. The Penal Institutions Department has submitted a requisition to this office for two (2) portable power plant generators as made by the Electromath Corporation. This company has submitted a price of $2,250 each, less one half of 1 per cent discount for payment in ten days.

Inasmuch as the equipment of Electromath Corporation has proved to be best suited for use by the House of Correction at Deer Island and since the equipment would be purchased direct from the company, authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to Electromath Corporation. It is my opinion that, in this way, the best interests of the city will be served.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $4,500, less one half of 1 per cent discount for payment in ten days.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, June 7, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office is in receipt of a requisition from the Water Division of the Public Works Department for approximately 440 tons of ice for drinking fountains, to be delivered when and where requested throughout the City of Boston, from June 16, 1955, to September 30, 1955.

The only company with the proper facilities for delivering the ice as requested is the Boston Ice Company, Division of American Ice Company. This company has satisfactorily furnished ice to the Water Division of the Public Works Department for the past several years. It is therefore requested that authority be granted me to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to the Boston Ice Company, Division of American Ice Company, for approximately 440 tons of ice at $10 per ton, net.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $4,400, net.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, June 7, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The Fire Department has submitted a requisition for 350 Fire Alarm Box ruby globes. American Service Company, 255 Adams street, Dorchester, is the only manufacturer of the type of globe required by the Fire Alarm Division. This company has submitted a quotation.

Inasmuch as these globes can be purchased direct from the manufacturer, authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to American Service Company. It is my opinion that, in this way, the best interests of the city will be served.

The globes will be in accordance with the specifications of the Fire Alarm Division of the Fire Department. Approximate total amount of contract for 350 ruby globes at $6.10 each will be $2,135, net.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

BOSTON, June 2, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

I respectfully request your authorization to dispense with a public solicitation of proposals and to award a contract to Alfred G. Peterson & Sons, Inc., to furnish the labor and all the materials necessary to supply, transport, and erect numerous tents of varying sizes, from 15 feet x 15 feet to 20 feet x 90 feet, at the Boston Public Garden in connection with the 1955 Boston Arts Festival and the multiple art exhibits, consisting of works of painting, sculpture, architectural design, and models of the same on public display, as well as the opera and concert of modern dance, to be presented during the period of the 1955 Boston Arts Festival. Some of the tents are white and will have green ridges and green scalloped valances, others will have alternating green and white stripes. Also, the contractor is to install a large stationary triangular canopy, as well as erect a wooden frame to be used as a nailing surface for Selotex from which the paintings will be hung. The total contract sum will be $5,100.

This firm has been serving the New England area along these lines for over one half a century and, in particular, carried out similar services preparatory to the 1953 and 1954 Boston Arts Festivals in a highly cooperative and efficient manner. Furthermore, the contractor, in addition to the required Workmen's Compensation coverage, will afford insurance against personal injury and property damage in limits of not less than $5,000/$10,000.

In the light of the foregoing, it is not felt that public advertising would be of avail to the city in the present instance.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN D. BROWN,
Director of Public Celebrations.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, June 3, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR:

Under date of September 21, 1954, your Honor approved four contracts in the sum of $50,000 each, for the removal of dangerous trees and the pruning of dangerous limbs and branches of trees in all sections of the city. The damage to the trees was caused by the two hurricanes. These contracts were charged to the special appropriation, "Hurricane Emergency." The work under the four contracts has been completed.

Under date of April 1, 1955, I addressed a communication to your Honor stating that under these contracts we had removed 5,000 dangerous trees that were blown down or damaged by the hurricanes, and trimmed and pruned dangerous limbs on 75,000 other trees. I informed you of the locations where the trees had been removed and also called to your attention that trees in the following locations were in a very precarious and dangerous condition and that steps must be taken either to remove the trees or trim the dangerous limbs. The work to be done includes practically all of Franklin Park, the area in the vicinity of Jamaica Pond, Dorchester Park, George Wright Golf Course, Orchard Park, Blackstone Park, and a few other locations.

The City Auditor has informed me that the Hurricane Emergency Board

of the Commonwealth will allow this department an additional $100,000 to complete the work of removing and trimming dangerous trees and branches.

The work performed by the four companies was very satisfactory and I am requesting your permission to further retain the services of these tree companies to complete the work already outlined above. It is my intention to start these companies to work immediately upon receipt of your approval. Because of the limitation of time allowed by the Hurricane Emergency Board to complete the work, it is necessary that the work start at once.

The work is to be paid for at the following rates:

Foremen, $3.35 an hour.
Climbers and laborers, $2.85 an hour.
Truck (up to 1½-ton), $2.50 an hour.
Truck (2½-ton), $3.50 an hour.
Trucks (2½-ton) with winches, $4 an hour.
Power saws, $2.50 an hour.

Rates for foremen, climbers, and laborers are for the first nine (9) hours in any one day, Monday through Saturday. Time and one half will be charged for all hours over the first nine. Double time will be charged for foremen, climbers, and laborers for all Sunday and holiday work.

The contract with each company is not to exceed $25,000. All companies have agreed on the standard rates which, as indicated above, are the same for men and equipment being charged to the state, municipalities, and the utility companies. As these rates are standard and are on an hourly basis whereby the city gets full value for the money expended, there would be no gain to the city by publicly advertising for bids.

Therefore, I request your authorization to dispense with public advertising for bids and to enter into a contract with Fred Ralston & Co., Inc., 22 Linden street, Allston, Mass., for "Removal of Dangerous Trees and Trimming of Limbs in All Sections of the City," for a sum not to exceed $25,000, to be charged to the special appropriation, "Hurricane Emergency, 6-52-51."

Respectfully yours,

FRANK R. KELLEY,
Commissioner.

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BOSTON, June 3, 1955.

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Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR:

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The work performed by the four companies was very satisfactory and I am requesting your permission to further retain the services of these tree companies to complete the work already outlined above. It is my intention to start these companies to work immediately upon receipt of your approval. Because of the limitation of time allowed by the Hurricane Emergency Board to complete the work, it is necessary that the work start at once.

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Therefore, I request your authorization to dispense with public advertising for bids and to enter into a contract with Blueview Nursery, 32 Gaston street, Roxbury, Mass., for "Removal of Dangerous Trees and Trimming of Limbs in All Sections of the City," for a sum not to exceed $25,000, to be charged to the special appropriation, "Hurricane Emergency, 6-52-51."

Respectfully yours,

FRANK R. KELLEY,
Commissioner.

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The City Auditor has informed me that the Hurricane Emergency Board of the Commonwealth will allow this department an additional $100,000 to complete the work of removing and trimming dangerous trees and branches.

The work performed by the four companies was very satisfactory, and I am requesting your permission to further retain the services of these tree companies to complete the work already outlined above. It is my intention to start these companies to work immediately upon receipt of your approval. Because of the limitation of time allowed by the Hurricane Emergency Board to complete the work, it is necessary that the work start at once.

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Therefore, I request your authorization to dispense with public advertising for bids and to enter into a contract with Superior Tree Service, Inc., 15 Littlejohn street, Arlington, Mass., for "Removal of Dangerous Trees and Trimming of Limbs in All Sections of the City," for a sum not to exceed $25,000, to be charged to the special appropriation, "Hurricane Emergency, 6-52-51."

Respectfully yours,

FRANK R. KELLEY,
Commissioner.

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Mayor of Boston.

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The City Auditor has informed me that the Hurricane Emergency Board of the Commonwealth will allow this department an additional $100,000 to complete the work of removing and trimming dangerous trees and branches.

The work performed by the four companies was very satisfactory, and I am requesting your permission to further retain the services of these tree companies to complete the work already outlined above. It is my intention to start these companies to work immediately upon receipt of your approval. Because of the limitation of time allowed by the Hurricane Emergency Board to complete the work, it is necessary that the work start at once.

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Therefore, I request your authorization to dispense with public advertising for bids and to enter into a contract with Eastern Tree and Landscape Corporation, 280 Bridge street, Dedham, Mass., for "Removal of Dangerous Trees and Trimming of Limbs in All Sections of the City," for a sum not to exceed $25,000, to be charged to the special appropriation, "Hurricane Emergency, 6-52-51."

Respectfully yours,

FRANK R. KELLEY,
Commissioner.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, June 6, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

At the present time, William W. Drummey, architect, of 80 Boylston street, Boston, has a contract with this department for the furnishing of architectural and engineering services in connection with the construction of a new district office building and garage at the Forest Hills yard, and also a new garage at the Brighton yard. The construction of both facilities is well under way, and the services performed by the architect have been very satisfactory.

At the present time, it is my desire to construct an addition to the existing stock room that is located at the Highland Street garage and which is under the jurisdiction of the Automotive Division. The existing facilities for keeping automotive parts needed for the repair of the 400 pieces of equipment that are under the jurisdiction of this department are most inadequate, to say the least. We need additional space to provide for the storing of all automotive parts in one central location. At the present time, these parts are stored in several locations, and such a system does not provide for efficient or economical operation.

We estimate that we can construct an addition to the stock room at the south end of the present Highland Street garage for approximately $15,000. We can provide an additional area of approximately 11,000 square feet in the proposed new addition for the above-referenced amount. The construction work should be started as soon as possible, in order to make certain that it is completed before the start of the cold weather.

As the work of the above-referenced architect has been very satisfactory on the projects now under construction, I would like to engage his services for the furnishing of architectural and engineering services in connection with the construction of the addition to the stock room at the Highland Street garage. I feel that the simplest and most expeditious way of executing a contract with the architect is to amend the present contract so as to provide for the furnishing of the latter-referenced services by the architect on the basis of a 6 per cent fee, which is standard, and which is the same fee provided in the existing contract. On a contract of this kind, it obviously is not in the best interests of the city to publicly advertise for proposals, as the fees are standard, and the talent and ability of the architect selected are of more importance than the amount of the fee.

I respectfully request, therefore, your authority to dispense with advertising, and to amend the existing contract with William W. Drummey, architect, so as to provide for the furnishing, by said architect, of the necessary architectural and engineering services in connection with the providing of plans and specifications for the new stock room to be constructed at the southerly end of the Highland Street garage; with the understanding that the architect will be paid a fee based on 6 per cent of the estimated cost of construction; with the further understanding that said construction costs will not exceed $15,000.

Respectfully yours,

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, June 8, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR:

We have plans and specifications submitted by the S. M. Levin Company, Inc., of 84 Washington street, Boston, for furnishing and installing two special steel counters for the clerks' offices of the Charlestown and South Boston District Courts. These are made up of many intricate sets of drawers and filing systems.

We have written requests from the clerks of these courts that this equipment be ordered from this company to assure proper installations, especially because of the fact their engineers spent considerable time and made thorough analyses and surveys of every phase of the problems involved and as a result have recommended the type of equipment that would be most suitable for the specific needs of each court.

In view of the technical knowledge indicated by the plans and specifications and the expressions by the courts, I believe it will be to the best interests of the City of Boston to award a contract, without the usual form of advertising, to the S. M. Levin Company, Inc., in the sum of $1,427.30, for the work described.

This company enjoys an excellent reputation for quality products and has performed very good work for this and other city departments in the past.

Very truly yours,

GEORGE P. DONOVAN,
Assistant Commissioner.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

REGISTRY OF DEEDS.

BOSTON, June 6, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

I hereby respectfully request from your Honor written authority to dispense with publicly advertising for bids and to enter into a separate contract with Field Stationery Company, 414 Highland avenue, Somerville, Mass., for the furnishing of sixty-one books, consisting of forty-six 1956 Grantor indices and fifteen 1956 Grantee indices. Said sixty-one books having a total of 22,820 pages, to be made of standard paper, Grade A, printed and stamped according to schedule as per contract. The Grantor books to be bound in two colors: one set in dark binding and the second set in light binding. The expenditure under the proposed contract is to be $1,641.25.

The aforementioned firm has for six years supplied the Registry with the said indices and their products have consistently been of the very highest quality.

Delivery by September 1 is essential because the headings have to be entered by the Register.

Respectfully yours,

LEO J. SULLIVAN,
Register of Deeds.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Sanatorium Division.

The words and figures "120 calendar days" appearing in the contract between the City of Boston and Parkman Construction Company, Inc., dated December 31, 1954, have been stricken out and the word and figures "June 30, 1955," have been substituted in their place, for performing alterations and renewals to certain toilets and steam systems in various buildings at the Sanatorium Division of the Boston City Hospital.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

D. F. Frangioso & Co., have been granted an extension of time until July 1, 1955, for the completion of the contract for drainage and grading at the Franklin Park Golf Course, West Roxbury.

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Ronald L. Albert has been granted an extension of time until June 10, 1955, for the completion of the contract for painting concrete pool at Frog Pond, Boston Common.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with John McCourt Company, 28 Walcott street, Hyde Park, for sheet asphalt pavement in Columbus avenue (Roxbury Crossing), from June 1, 1955, to July 15, 1955. This extension was requested because the contractor was delayed by inclement weather in the early spring.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Joseph Capone & Son, for sewerage works in Farwell avenue, Hyde Park, and Savannah avenue, Dorchester, from June 1, 1955, to June 10, 1955. This extension was requested because the work was delayed due to unforeseen difficulties.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Dooley Brothers, Inc., 39 George street, Roxbury, for bituminous concrete pavement in A street, from May 31, 1955, to December 31, 1955. This extension was requested because the contractor was delayed by inclement weather in the spring.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Dooley Brothers, Inc., 39 George street, Roxbury, for bituminous concrete pavement in Grampian Way, Pope's Hill street, and Victory road, from May 31, 1955, to December 31, 1955. This extension was requested because the contractor was delayed by inclement weather in the spring.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Dooley Brothers, Inc., 39 George street, Roxbury, for bituminous concrete pavement in Newmarket square, etc, from May 31, 1955, to December 31, 1955. This extension was requested because the contractor was delayed by inclement weather in the spring.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with A. Singarella & Sons, Inc., 22A Tremlett street, Dorchester, for the construction of the open-air off-street parking facility at Ruggles street, Roxbury district, to July 1, 1955. This extension was requested due to inclement weather.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

S. J. Tomasello Corporation has been directed to perform the following extra work under the contract for bituminous concrete pavement in Canterbury street, Corey terrace, Hartlawn road, Newmarket square, Zeller Street Extension, and bituminous concrete pavement and sewerage works in Merriam street, dated May 6, 1955:

In Newmarket square, from Massachusetts avenue to approximately 750 feet northerly, construct one manhole approximately 12 feet deep on existing surface drain according to Sewer Department specifications, including all excavation, labor, and equipment, for the sum of $400.

Estimated cost of extra work, $400.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION. (STATE SERVICE.)

NOTE.—Applicants are advised to file applications early. In event of a tie on the eligible list, the applicant who filed his application first will be given precedence.

SENIOR CLERK AND STENOGRAPHER, DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, JULY 22, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Friday, July 1, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $2,880 a year; the maximum salary is $3,600 a year.

Vacancies: At present there is one vacancy at Framingham State Teachers College, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: Under supervision, to take stenographic notes from dictation of more than average difficulty and transcribe the notes on the typewriter; to do clerical work of more than ordinary difficulty and responsibility involving general familiarity with office processes; in some cases to have supervision over a small group of other employees on routine work; and to perform related work as required.

Examples of Duties: Performing clerical duties in the preparation of college payrolls and personnel requisitions; maintaining records of sick leaves and vacation leaves, etc., requiring the application of the Civil Service Laws and Rules and the Rules and Regulations of the Division of Personnel and Standardization governing personnel; performing miscellaneous clerical duties ordinarily performed in the business office of a college.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants must have at least three years of full-time paid clerical experience. *Substitution:* Full-time high school or business school education may be substituted for a maximum of one year of the required experience on the basis of one year of education for three months of experience.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; clerical tests (spelling, arithmetic, word knowledge, alphabetical arrangement, numerical arrangement, comparing), 1; stenography, 2; total, 5.

The dictation will be given at the following rates of speed: 80, 100 and 120 words a minute, the dictation at each rate of speed consisting of material of about 300 words in length. Each applicant may select any one or two of the three speed tests for transcription. If an applicant transcribes two tests, both are marked and the applicant is given the higher of the two marks. The transcription is marked for both speed of dictation and accuracy.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in accuracy of transcription of at least one dictation and in each subject in order to become eligible.

SIGNAL ELECTRICIAN, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS, JULY 22, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Friday, July 1, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $3,300 a year; the maximum salary is $4,020 a year.

Vacancies: At present there is one vacancy for a male, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: Under supervision, to do general electrical signal installation and maintenance work with or without helpers; and to perform related work as required.

Examples of Duties: Installing, inspecting and maintaining traffic control signals, flashers, neon signs, safety lights and automatic traffic recorders, including adjusting of timing periods, etc.; installing and testing traffic detectors, assembling traffic housings, and wiring control boxes; installing service and meter boxes and testing signal and lighting circuits; performing other miscellaneous electrical installation and maintenance work.

The work must be performed in all kinds of weather, and emergency work at night, on holidays, or week ends may be required.

Familiarity with the following is required: National Electrical Code, issue of 1953; flashing and cycle operated traffic signals and equipment; simple electrical mathematics.

Copies of the National Electrical Code may be obtained at the office of the New England Fire Insurance Rating Association, Room 614, 89 Broad street, Boston, Mass., at 10 cents a copy.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

Certification Requirements: Possession of a Massachusetts journeyman electrician's license and of a Massachusetts motor vehicle operator's license.

STATEMENT OF BUILDING OPERATIONS IN THE CITY OF BOSTON FOR THE MONTH ENDING APRIL 30, 1955.

(As compared with corresponding period in preceding years.)

	1955.		1954.		1953.		1952.		1951.	
	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.
Type I	11	$1,479,000	2	$540,000	3	$410,000	17	$7,324,000	6	$2,004,850
Type II	3	470,000	2	247,000	1	20,000	3	650,000	—	—
Type IV	8	193,700	12	402,800	9	448,300	11	121,750	11	135,700
Type V	5	8,750	5	6,900	6	7,500	6	19,800	5	17,300
Type VI	85	808,900	68	674,600	57	460,980	40	289,500	29	238,600
Total new construction	112	$2,960,350	89	$1,871,300	76	$1,346,780	77	$8,405,050	51	$2,396,450
Alterations, additions, etc	481	1,618,027	612	1,750,749	411	998,788	567	851,615	594	755,216
Total structural construction	593	$4,578,377	701	$3,622,049	487	$2,345,568	644	$9,256,665	645	$3,151,666
Plumbing	222	$133,185	223	$235,065	276	$993,930	276	$178,895	236	$440,386
Gasfitting	516	55,825	415	43,280	469	120,405	422	177,285	364	61,714
Heaters, ovens, boilers	29	13,475	22	19,200	17	272,630	6	6,050	164	92,445
Elevators, new freight	3	6,500	—	—	6	54,500	6	28,765	1	4,900
Elevators, new passenger	2	48,000	—	—	5	195,400	3	39,085	6	115,900
Elevators, alterations, freight	10	9,965	17	7,430	12	14,660	13	2,256	13	5,955
Elevators, alterations, passenger	19	17,590	20	11,749	12	45,205	18	10,475	26	11,190
Signs, marquees, etc	55	24,510	32	9,855	42	17,360	53	15,643	33	11,375
Fire escapes	38	9,135	85	18,530	48	10,455	48	9,600	80	17,244
Take-downs, wood	15	6,515	5	2,450	10	2,850	3	200	17	5,394
Take-downs, brick, etc	3	17,050	1	500	8	4,925	14	54,400	7	7,450
Sprinklers	8	15,420	6	12,925	11	33,460	19	85,680	3	66,725
Excavations	6	16,700	6	650	2	450	8	4,200	1	200
Use of premises	—	—	9	—	8	—	7	—	5	—
Total	927	$373,870	840	$361,634	926	$1,766,420	893	$612,534	958	$841,651
Grand total all work	1,520	$4,952,247	1,541	$3,983,683	1,413	$4,111,988	1,537	$9,869,199	1,603	$3,993,227
Department revenue		$14,548.61		$7,400.50		$8,679.75		$7,197.50		$4,427.75

The following is a statement showing the number, purpose and estimated cost of the erection of new buildings and the alterations, repairs, additions, etc., of existing buildings for which applications were filed with the Building Department of the City of Boston during the

MONTH ENDING APRIL 30, 1955.

Purpose.	New Buildings.		Alterations.		Total.	
	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.
Amusement and recreation places, theatres, halls, movies	1	$15,000	2	$102	3	$15,102
Churches, chapels, synagogues	1	250,000	1	900	2	250,900
Dwellings, small, 1-family	75	683,000	90	41,987	165	724,987
Dwellings, small, 2-family	5	84,000	93	56,630	98	140,630
Dwellings, small, 3-family	—	—	104	47,490	104	47,490
Dwellings, small, with stores	—	—	16	8,383	16	8,383
Dwellings, large, 4 or more families	1	38,000	22	38,788	23	76,788
Dwellings, large, with stores	—	—	9	3,909	9	3,909
Educational buildings, schools, colleges	1	430,000	1	10,000	2	440,000
Garage and repair shops	7	217,600	13	29,692	20	247,292
Hotel and club buildings	—	—	5	23,400	5	23,400
Institutional buildings, hospitals, asylums, clinics	—	—	5	1,120,800	5	1,120,800
Lodgings, dormitories, convents, homes	2	807,000	12	9,927	14	816,927
Manufacturing buildings, bakeries, laundries, workshops	—	—	15	28,085	15	28,085
Mercantile buildings, restaurants, stores, showrooms, service stations	9	210,950	69	153,879	78	364,829
Office and bank buildings	1	12,000	11	31,185	12	43,185
Storage buildings, warehouses, lumber sheds, silos	4	171,000	9	12,270	13	183,270
Miscellaneous	5	41,800	4	600	9	42,400
Total	112	$2,960,350	481	$1,618,027	593	$4,578,377

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PURPOSES, NUMBER AND ESTIMATED COST OF NEW BUILDINGS AND ALTERATIONS, ADDITIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., FOR WHICH APPLICATIONS HAVE BEEN FILED FOR MONTH ENDING APRIL 30, 1955.

Character.	Amusement, Recreation Places, Theaters, Movies, Halls.		Churches, Chapels, Synagogues.		Dwellings, 1-Family.		Dwellings, 2-Family.		Dwellings, 3-Family.		Dwellings, 1-2-3 Family, with Stores, etc.		Dwellings, Multi-Family.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I	1	$15,000	1	$250,000	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Type II	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Type IV	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Type V	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Type VI	....	....	....	....	75	$683,000	5	$84,000	....	....	....	....	1	$38,000
Total new construction	1	$15,000	1	$250,000	75	$683,000	5	$84,000	....	....	....	....	1	$38,000
Alterations, etc	2	102	1	900	90	41,987	93	56,630	104	$47,490	16	$8,383	22	38,788
Total structural work	3	$15,102	2	$250,900	165	$724,987	98	$140,630	104	$47,490	16	$8,383	23	$76,788

Character.	Dwellings, Multi-Family, with Stores.		Educational Buildings, Schools, Colleges.		Garages and Repair Shops.		Hotel and Club Buildings.		Institutional Buildings, Hospitals, Asylums, Clinics.		Lodgings, Dormitories, Convents, Homes.		Lodging Houses with Stores.		Manufacturing Buildings, Bakeries, Laundries, Workshops.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I	....	....	1	$130,000	1	$200,000	....	....	....	....	1	$187,000	....	....	....	....
Type II	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	320,000	....	....	....	....
Type IV	....	....	....	....	2	12,700	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Type V	....	....	....	....	1	1,800	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Type VI	....	....	....	....	3	3,100	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Total new construction	....	....	1	$130,000	7	$217,600	....	....	....	....	2	$807,000	....	....	....	....
Alterations, etc	9	$3,909	1	10,000	13	29,692	5	$23,400	5	$1,120,800	12	9,927	....	....	15	$28,085
Total structural work	9	$3,909	2	$440,000	20	$247,292	5	$23,400	5	$1,120,800	14	$816,927	....	....	15	$28,085

Character.	Mercantile Buildings, Restaurants, Stores, Showrooms, Service Stations.		Office and Bank Buildings.		Public Buildings, Libraries, Museums.		Stables, Kennels, Poultry Houses.		Storage Warehouses, Lumber Sheds, Silos, etc.		Miscellaneous.		Totals.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I	2	$29,000	1	$12,000	....	....	....	....	2	$21,000	1	$35,000	11	$1,479,000
Type II	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	2	150,000	....	....	3	470,000
Type IV	6	181,000	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	8	193,700
Type V	1	950	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	3	6,000	5	8,750
Type VI	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	800	85	808,900
Total new construction	9	$210,950	1	$12,000	....	....	....	....	4	$171,000	5	$41,800	112	$2,960,350
Alterations, etc	69	153,879	11	31,185	....	....	....	....	9	12,270	4	600	481	1,618,027
Total structural work	78	$364,829	12	$43,185	....	....	....	....	13	$183,270	9	$42,400	593	$4,578,377

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PURPOSES, NUMBER AND ESTIMATED COST OF NEW BUILDINGS AND ALTERATIONS, ADDITIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., FOR WHICH APPLICATIONS HAVE BEEN FILED FOR FOUR MONTHS ENDING APRIL 30, 1955.

CHARACTER.	AMUSEMENT, RECREATION PLACES, THEATERS, MOVIES, HALLS.		CHURCHES, CHAPELS, SYNAGOGUES.		DWELLINGS, 1-FAMILY.		DWELLINGS, 2-FAMILY.		DWELLINGS, 3-FAMILY.		DWELLINGS, 1-2-3-FAMILY, WITH STORES, ETC.		DWELLINGS, MULTI-FAMILY.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I	1	$15,000	1	$250,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type II	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type IV	....	.....	1	175,000	1	$15,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	5	$345,000
Type V	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type VI	....	.....	....	.....	207	1,914,800	7	$112,000	....	.....	....	.....	1	38,000
Total new construction	1	$15,000	2	$425,000	208	$1,929,800	7	$112,000	....	.....	....	.....	6	$383,000
Alterations, etc	8	16,902	5	110,625	269	198,449	311	165,293	337	$150,817	74	$50,386	122	126,535
Total structural work	9	$31,902	7	$535,625	477	$2,128,249	318	$277,293	337	$150,817	74	$50,386	128	$509,535

CHARACTER.	DWELLINGS, MULTI-FAMILY, WITH STORES.		EDUCATIONAL BUILDINGS, SCHOOLS, COLLEGES.		GARAGES AND REPAIR SHOPS.		HOTEL AND CLUB BUILDINGS.		INSTITUTIONAL BUILDINGS, HOSPITALS, ASYLUMS, CLINICS.		LODGINGS, DORMITORIES, CONVENTS, HOMES.		LODGING HOUSES WITH STORES.		MANUFACTURING BUILDINGS, BAKERIES, LAUNDRIES, WORKSHOPS.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I	....	.....	2	$1,410,000	1	$200,000	....	.....	1	$647,000	1	$487,000	....	.....	....	.....
Type II	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	1	320,000	....	.....	....	.....
Type IV	....	.....	....	.....	4	36,700	....	.....	1	15,000	....	.....	....	.....	1	$5,800
Type V	....	.....	....	.....	2	2,600	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type VI	....	.....	....	.....	3	3,100	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Total new construction	....	.....	2	$1,410,000	10	$242,400	....	.....	2	$662,000	2	$807,000	....	.....	1	$5,800
Alterations, etc	22	$7,623	13	801,985	37	49,470	12	$45,450	22	1,422,300	39	31,238	....	.....	52	198,794
Total structural work	22	$7,623	15	$2,211,985	47	$291,870	12	$45,450	24	$2,084,300	41	$838,238	....	.....	53	$204,594

CHARACTER.	MERCANTILE BUILDINGS, RESTAURANTS, STORES, SHOWROOMS, SERVICE STATIONS.		OFFICE AND BANK BUILDINGS.		PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIBRARIES, MUSEUMS.		STABLES, KENNELS, POULTRY HOUSES.		STORAGE WAREHOUSES, LUMBER SHEDS, SILOS, ETC.		MISCELLANEOUS.		TOTALS.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I	6	$282,000	1	$12,000	....	.....	....	.....	3	$71,000	2	$35,100	19	$3,409,100
Type II	2	252,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	2	150,000	....	.....	5	722,000
Type IV	18	465,100	2	25,500	....	.....	....	.....	2	45,000	....	.....	35	1,128,100
Type V	6	17,900	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	1	12,000	4	6,500	13	39,000
Type VI	1	6,000	1	50,000	1	$1,000	....	.....	....	.....	1	800	222	2,125,700
Total new construction	33	$1,023,000	4	$87,500	1	$1,000	....	.....	8	$278,000	7	$42,400	294	$7,423,900
Alterations, etc	218	623,406	63	898,720	3	20,775	....	.....	36	208,410	27	15,157	1670	5,142,335
Total structural work	251	$1,646,406	67	$986,220	4	$21,775	....	.....	44	$486,410	34	$57,557	1964	$12,566,235

The following is a statement showing the number of new buildings for purposes of habitation, together with the number of family accommodations provided thereby, for the erection of which applications were filed with the Building Department of the City of Boston during the

MONTH AND FOUR MONTHS ENDING APRIL 30, 1955.

Number of Family Units in Each Building.	Month of April.				First Four Months.			
	1955.		1954.		1955.		1954.	
	Buildings.	Families.	Buildings.	Families.	Buildings.	Families.	Buildings.	Families.
1	75	75	65	65	208	208	147	147
2	5	10	4	8	7	14	4	8
4	1	4	—	—	1	4	—	—
10	—	—	—	—	5	50	—	—
Total	81	89	69	73	221	276	151	155
Estimated cost	$805,000		$720,800		$2,424,800		$1,500,110	

SUMMARY OF HOUSING CONSTRUCTION TO DATE.

Number of	Month of April.	Four Months.
New habitations erected	81	221
Accommodations provided by new construction	89	276
Accommodations provided by altering and remodeling	18	107
Accommodations eliminated by altering and remodeling	—	5
Habitations taken down	7*	26*
Family accommodations eliminated by demolition	18*	75*
Net change in number of habitations	74 more	195 more
Net change in number of family accommodations	89 more	303 more

Demolitions.	Number.		Number.	
	Buildings.	Families.	Buildings.	Families.
*1-family	—	—	4	4
2-family	4	8	8	16
3-family	2	6	9	27
4-family	1	4	1	4
6-family	—	—	4	24
Total	7	18	26	75

The following is a statement showing By Wards the number and estimated cost of new buildings for purposes of habitation for the erection of which applications were filed with the Building Department of the City of Boston during the

FOUR-MONTH PERIOD ENDING APRIL 30, 1955.

Ward.	1-Family Dwellings.		2-Family Dwellings.		4-Family Dwellings.		10-Family Dwellings.		Total for Four Months.	
	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.
1	5	$60,000	1	$14,000	—	—	—	—	6	$74,000
14	1	8,100	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	8,100
16	8	85,200	—	—	—	—	—	—	8	85,200
17	7	60,000	—	—	1	$38,000	—	—	8	98,000
18	109	951,500	4	64,000	—	—	—	—	113	1,015,500
19	14	149,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	14	149,000
20	62	598,000	1	20,000	—	—	—	—	63	618,000
22	2	18,000	1	14,000	—	—	5	$345,000	8	377,000
Total	208	$1,929,800	7	$112,000	1	$38,000	5	$345,000	221	$2,424,800

BUILDING OPERATIONS IN CITY OF BOSTON.

The following is a statement showing By WARDS the number and estimated cost of new buildings for purposes of habitation for the erection of which applications were filed with the Building Department of the City of Boston during the

MONTH ENDING APRIL 30, 1955.

WARD.	1-FAMILY DWELLINGS.		2-FAMILY DWELLINGS.		4-FAMILY DWELLINGS.		TOTAL FOR MONTH.	
	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.
1	1	$10,000	—	—	—	—	1	$10,000
16	1	8,000	—	—	—	—	1	8,000
17	1	8,000	—	—	1	$38,000	2	46,000
18	42	348,000	4	$64,000	—	—	46	412,000
19	6	71,000	—	—	—	—	6	71,000
20	23	229,000	1	20,000	—	—	24	249,000
22	1	9,000	—	—	—	—	1	9,000
Total	75	$683,000	5	$84,000	1	$38,000	81	$805,000

Building Operations in the City of Boston for the Month Ending APRIL 30, 1955.

MONTH OF APRIL.	1955.		1954.	
	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.
Type I	11	$1,479,000	2	$540,000
Type II	3	470,000	2	247,000
Type IV	8	193,700	12	402,800
Type V	5	8,750	5	6,900
Type VI	85	808,900	68	674,600
Total new construction	112	$2,960,350	89	$1,871,300
Alterations, additions, etc	481	1,618,027	612	1,750,749
Total structural construction	593	$4,578,377	701	$3,622,049
Increase or decrease	—108	956,328*		
	—15%	26%*		
Installations, etc	927	373,870	840	361,634
Grand total all work	1,520	$4,952,247	1,541	$3,983,683
Increase or decrease	—21	968,564*		
	—1%	24%*		

FIRST FOUR MONTHS.

Type I	19	$3,409,100	11	$1,662,200
Type II	5	722,000	4	756,000
Type IV	35	1,128,100	33	823,220
Type V	13	39,000	12	58,400
Type VI	222	2,125,700	152	1,447,510
Total new construction	294	$7,423,900	312	$4,747,330
Alterations, additions, etc	1,670	5,142,335	1,897	3,638,624
Total structural construction	1,964	$12,566,235	2,109	$8,385,954
Increase or decrease	—145	4,180,281		
	—7%	50%*		
Installations, etc	3,697	2,177,526	3,514	1,575,371
Grand total all work	5,661	$14,743,761	5,623	$9,961,325
Increase or decrease	38*	4,782,436*		
	.5%*	48%*		

*Denotes increase —Denotes decrease

PRINCIPAL PROJECTS DURING THE MONTH.

Alterations, Hospital, 275 Charles street (Massachusetts General)	$875,000
New, Convent, 11 Hale street (Sisters of Saint Francis)	487,000
New, School, 91 Gordon avenue (Sisters of Saint Francis)	430,000
New, Convent, 50 Mt. Walley avenue (Daughters of Saint Paul)	320,000
New, Church, 120 Safford street (Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston)	250,000
New, Community Garage, 109 Lincoln street (York Realty)	200,000
Alterations, Hospital, 296 Allston street (St. James Memorial)	100,000
New, Storage, 108 Holton street (David Hollis)	100,000
Alterations, Hospital, 275 Charles street (Massachusetts General)	90,000
Alterations, Hospital, 736 Cambridge street (Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston)	55,000
New, Mercantile, 49–55 Maverick square (F. Secatore)	51,000
New, Mercantile, 1531 Blue Hill avenue (Regis Development Corporation)	50,000
New, Storage, 25 Chesterton street (C & L Tire Company)	50,000

LAND-TAKING FOR SCHOOL PURPOSES.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered the taking of approximately 6,428 square feet of land for school purposes, at the southwesterly corner of Auburn street and Oakburn avenue, Roxbury district, supposed to belong to Gardner C. Brooks, substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this commission, that it intends to pass an order for making said taking, and that it appoints 10 o'clock A.M., March 16, 1955, and the office of this commission, 401 City Hall Annex, as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said commission on said day.

Attest:

MICHAEL J. CORRAO,
Secretary.

IN PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT COMMISSION,
CITY OF BOSTON, JUNE 1, 1955.

Whereas, the Public Improvement Commission has passed the aforesaid order of notice and has caused a copy of said order to be published March 5, 1955, in the *City Record,* and March 4, 5, 7, 8, 1955, in the Boston *American* and the Boston *Globe,* and has given the public hearing, notice of which was given in said order; and

Whereas, The Public Works Department of the City of Boston, with the approval of the Mayor, has selected, designated, and requested the Public Improvement Commission of said city to take for said city for school purposes the land hereinafter described, in that part of Boston, formerly Roxbury; it is

Voted, That the Public Improvement Commission of said City of Boston, acting under the provisions of chapter 486 of the Acts of the Legislature of 1909, and chapter 79 of the General Laws, and all other authority thereto enabling, hereby takes in fee for said city, for school purposes, the following-described parcel of land, including the trees, buildings, and other structures standing upon or affixed thereto.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to the City of Boston, bounded:

Northeasterly by the southwesterly line of Oakburn avenue, ninety-eight and 53-100 feet; southeasterly by the northwesterly line of Auburn street, sixty-eight and 22-100 feet; southwesterly by other land of said city of Boston (William Bacon School), ninety-eight and 47-100 feet; and northwesterly by land supposed to belong to Mabel E. Wolfe, sixty-four feet; containing six thousand four hundred ninety-four square feet, more or less.

Said parcel is shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Auburn Street, Roxbury, June 1, 1955, George G. Hyland, Commissioner of Public Works,' and on file in the office of said department.

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in their estate by the making of the public improvement consisting of the taking in fee of approximately 6,428 square feet of land, for school purposes, at the southwesterly corner of Auburn street and Oakburn avenue, Roxbury district, under the order of the commission of June 1, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

City of Boston, 6,494 square feet, nothing.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, June 6, 1955.

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 2 P.M., Senior Member WHITE in the chair. Absent, Councillor Hurley.

The Reverend John J. Grant, Assistant Editor of "The Pilot," was escorted to the rostrum.

INVOCATION BY REV. JOHN J. GRANT.

Our Father, Who art in heaven, the eternal, perfect and all-loving God, we ask Thy blessings on these deliberations of the Boston City Council. As duly-elected members of this assembly, the representatives of Thy people in this city, they are here, conscious of their high responsibility to Thee and to Thy people; anxious and determined to find prudent, practical answers to the problems of our society.

Give them vision and understanding to see the issues and conflicts, not in terms of selfish individual interests, but wisely and generously in terms of the common good for the entire citizenry of this great city. Mindful of their difficulties, ever ready to hear the views of their fellow councillors with respect and courtesy, may they yet never fail to recognize the need for common devotion and zealous service for the good of the whole community.

While these members of the Boston City Council vie with each other to express the truth as they see it, and the prudent solution they feel necessary, may all the proceedings of this meeting end with the singleness of purpose of furthering the common weal.

May the blessings of Almighty God, Father, Son, and Holy Ghost, descend upon each and every one of you gathered in His Name, and the name of His people, remain forever.

The meeting was opened with the salute to the Flag.

WELCOME TO MR. YEHUDAH NEDIVI.

Mr. Yehudah Nedivi, Town Clerk of Tel Aviv, Israel, was escorted to the rostrum and was introduced to the members of the Council by Chairman WHITE. Mr. Nedivi made a brief address and expressed the greetings of his Council and thanked the members for their kindness in permitting him to witness the proceedings of the local government.

On motion of Councillor Ahearn the rules were suspended on the order of business to allow the introduction of the following resolution and three orders.

CONGRATULATIONS TO "THE PILOT."

Coun. HURLEY, WHITE, AHEARN, FOLEY, HAILER, KERRIGAN, McCORMACK, McLAUGHLIN, and PIEMONTE offered the following:

Whereas, The "Pilot," official newspaper of the Catholic Archdiocese of Boston, and America's oldest Catholic news weekly, has been published continuously for 126 years since its establishment by Bishop Benedict J. Fenwick, S.J., the second Bishop of Boston, in 1829; and

Whereas, The "Pilot" since its inception, under the guidance of the distinguished Boston prelates, Bishop Fenwick, Bishop John Bernard Fitzpatrick, Archbishop John J. Williams, William Cardinal O'Connell, and our present beloved Archbishop Richard J. Cushing, has been encouraged, enlarged, strengthened, and steadily and constantly improved and made an ever-increasing force and voice for good in this great Archdiocese; and

Whereas, The "Pilot" was greatly honored at the recent annual Catholic Press Convention by being named "Catholic Newspaper of Distinction," and cited for its "general excellence"; and

Whereas, The "Pilot" was further cited by receiving the highest award for the best feature article of the year, "The Boston Eye Bank Offers Hope to Sightless," by Joseph A. Ryan; and

Whereas, The "Pilot" was further cited for the "Best Example of Teaching Christian Doctrine" on its entry "Theology for Every Man," on the question, "Is Wire-Tapping Morally Unsound"; and

Whereas, The "Pilot" was further honored by a prize-winning photo by Philip A. Stack in the category "Best Use of a Picture" portraying Archbishop Cushing distributing Communion to the "exceptional" children at St. Coletta's School at Hanover; and

Whereas, The "Pilot" was the only Catholic paper to receive a citation in all these award divisions; and

Whereas, These awards and citations won by the "Pilot" reflect great credit and honor on the Archdiocese of Boston, its great spiritual leaders, Archbishop Richard J. Cushing, his Auxiliary Bishops Eric F. McKenzie and Jeremiah F. Minihan, the editor of the "Pilot," Very Reverend Monsignor Francis J. Lally, its associate editor, Reverend John J. Grant, its business manager, the Right Reverend Monsignor Arthur V. Lyons, and further reflects great credit on the City of Boston and its environs, and on the people of the Archdiocese who support the "Pilot"; be it therefore

Resolved, That the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, hereby extend to Archbishop Richard J. Cushing, his Auxiliary Bishops, Most Reverend Eric F. McKenzie and Most Reverend Jeremiah F. Minihan, Very Reverend Francis J. Lally, and all of those associated with him in the publication of the "Pilot," their sincere congratulations for these honors bestowed on the "Pilot," the Archdiocese of Boston and as a result, on the City of Boston and pray that Almighty God will guide, direct, assist and aid them in the continuation of their good work; and be it further

Resolved, That copies of this resolution be prepared for presentation to Archbishop Cushing, Monsignor Lally, and the "Pilot," and that Monsignor Lally be invited to attend a future meeting of the Boston City Council to be presented them.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

Coun. AHEARN in the chair.

INCREASE OF APPROPRIATION FOR CERTAIN NECESSARY EXPENSES OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Coun. WHITE offered the following:

Ordered, That chapter 236 of the Acts of 1955 entitled "An Act Authorizing the School Committee of the City of Boston to Increase the Annual Appropriation to Defray Certain Travelling and Other Necessary Expenses" be, and hereby is, accepted.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

LEGISLATION RE TEACHERS' RETIREMENT FUND.

Coun. WHITE offered the following:

Ordered, That chapter 396 of the Acts of 1955, entitled "An Act Relative to the Effective Date for Increasing the Amounts Retained for the Teachers' Retirement Fund in the City of Boston from the Salaries of Members" be, and hereby is, accepted.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

JURY LIST.

Coun. WHITE offered the following:

Ordered, That the City Clerk be hereby directed, when the Jury List is filed with him by the Election Commissioners, to cause the names on said list to be written each on a separate ballot and said ballots to be properly folded as provided in section 7 of chapter 234 of the General Laws and placed in the box provided for the purpose.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

JURORS DRAWN.

Jurors were drawn in the manner prescribed by law, Councillor Piemonte presiding at the box, in the absence of the Mayor, viz.:

Twenty-two grand jurors, Superior Criminal Court, to appear July 5, 1955:

Salvatore J. Sacco, Ward 1; Beatrice Cooper, Ward 3; James Bisiack, Ward 4; Sherman H. O'Neil, Ward 6; Christopher L. Gaubon, Ward 7; William A. Hendrick, Ward 7; Francis M. Killeen, Ward 8; John E. Horrigan, Ward 9; Fletcher W. Thomas, Ward 10; Robert F. Reynolds, Ward 11; Leo J. Charron, Ward 13; Edythe Saunders, Ward 13; Jean E. Goldberg, Ward 14; Henry D. Blasser, Ward 16; Stanley R. Johnson, Ward 17; William R. King, Ward 17; William E. Mortimer, Ward 18; Leo E. Gray, Ward 20; George G. Guard, Ward 21; Arthur E. White, Ward 21; Joseph T. Craffey, Ward 22; John F. Hayes, Ward 22.

Fifty-one traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, to appear July 5, 1955:

Lawrence J. Barry, Ward 1; Carmen Ciampa, Ward 3; Euplio DeAngelis, Ward 3; Stanley Raymond, Ward 3; Edward C. Smith, Ward 4; Derek H. Whitham, Ward 4; Herbert N. Baldwin, Ward 5; Matthew Cannata, Ward 6; Walter J. Smolinski, Ward 6; Terence G. Cavanagh, Ward 7; William V. Connolly, Ward 7; John W. Hayes, Ward 7; Gilbert V. Hooper, Ward 7; Vincent Scarlata, Ward 7; Joseph J. Sullivan, Ward 7; John J. Bownes, Ward 10; James J. Cronin, Ward 10; Frederick J. Boehner, Ward 11; Dwight F. Merrill, Ward 11; George Rodman, Ward 11; George H. Tyner, Ward 11; William Copeland, Ward 12; Edward W. Jacobs, Ward 12; Esther R. Mulloney, Ward 12; Sydney Raine, Ward 12; Edward J. Cochrane, Ward 13; Bernard Heckman, Ward 13; Francis A. Landry, Ward 13; John F. Linehan, Ward 13; Jeremiah J. Murphy, Jr., Ward 13; George N. Ackerman, Ward 15; Lawrence C. Corrao, Ward 16; Marjorie Mugford, Ward 16; James J. Conley, Jr., Ward 17; Abraham Cooper, Ward 17; Matilda Goldstein, Ward 17; Alexander MacFarlane, Ward 17; Daniel J. White, Ward 17; Edward F. Zaleski, Ward 17; George Leon Farah, Ward 18; Thomas J. Higgins, Jr., Ward 18; Joseph Rushwick, Ward 18; Walter Haberlin, Ward 19; Thomas F. McMullen, Ward 19; Mary R. Mackie, Ward 20; Emmett J. Cotter, Ward 21; Daniel S. Klein, Ward 21; Frederick G. Wilson, Ward 21; Catherine Corkery, Ward 22; Leo G. Corsetti, Ward 22; John G. Shea, Ward 22.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR.

Subject to confirmation by the Council, the Mayor submitted the following appointment of Kenneth William Kempton, 27 Story street, South Boston, as constable, with authority to serve civil process upon filing of bond, for the term ending April 30, 1956.

Referred to the Committee on Confirmations.

ACCEPTANCE OF BURNHAM STREET, ROXBURY.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, June 6, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Public Works relative to your order of May 2, 1955, concerning the accepting, laying out, and construction as a public way, of Burnham street, in the Ward 8 section of Roxbury.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Public Works Department,
May 27, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's office.

Dear Mr. Flemming:

This is in reference to the following order that was passed in the City Council under date of May 2.

"Ordered, That the Public Improvement Commission be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to accept, lay out, and construct as a public way, Burnham street, in the Ward 8 section of Roxbury."

If the owners of property abutting the above-referenced street are desirous of having it laid out and constructed as a public highway, they should sign a petition to that effect, and send it to Michael Corrao, secretary of the Public Improvement Commission. If the petition is received, a public hearing will be held on the matter and appropriate action taken by the members of the commission.

Respectfully yours,
GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Placed on file.

SEWERAGE FACILITIES ON HALE AND EMMET STREETS, HYDE PARK.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, June 6, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Public Works relative to your order of May 9, 1955, concerning the installation of sewerage facilities on Hale and Emmet streets, Hyde Park.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Public Works Department,
May 23, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.

Dear Mr. Flemming:

This is in reference to the following order that was passed in the City Council under date of May 9:

"Ordered, That the Department of Public Works, through his Honor the Mayor, be requested to install sewerage facilities on Hale and Emmet streets, Hyde Park."

Upon investigation, I find that there are approximately ten houses in the above-referenced area without sewerage facilities. If sewers and surface drainage facilities are provided, practically all of the excavation will involve the removal of rock, at considerable expense.

We estimate that it would cost $27,000 to provide the facilities, and we feel that such an expenditure is unwarranted until the area is more fully developed than at the present time.

Respectfully yours,
GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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ELECTRIC LIGHTS ON EAST FOURTH STREET.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, June 6, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Public Works relative to your order of May 16, 1955, concerning the installation

of electric lights on East Fourth street, between P street and Farragut road, in South Boston.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Public Works Department,
May 27, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.
Dear Mr. Flemming:

This is in reference to the following order that was passed in the City Council under date of May 16:

"Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works take whatever action is necessary to install electric lights on East Fourth street, between P street and Farragut road, in South Boston."

A survey of the above-referenced area will be made by the Street Lighting engineers of the department, and steps will be taken to improve the existing street lighting facilities.

Respectfully yours,
GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

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RECREATION AREA IN BRIGHTON.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, June 6, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation relative to your order of May 16, 1955, concerning the construction of a play and recreation area on the site of the Park Department land on Chestnut Hill avenue, Brighton.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Parks and Recreation Department,
May 27, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.
Dear Sir:

I have your memorandum of May 23, with enclosure, Council order of Councillor Ahearn that the Park Commissioner construct a play and recreation area on the site of the Park Department land on Chestnut Hill avenue, Brighton.

This area is one acquired by this department in recent years and it will require a large appropriation in order to develop it properly. There are no funds within our budget for doing this work. It will require a capital improvement appropriation.

Very truly yours,
FRANK R. KELLEY, Commissioner.

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SUPERVISED RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES AT HEALTH UNITS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, June 6, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation relative to your order of May 16, 1955, concerning supervised recreational activities at the Savin Street Health Unit in the Roxbury district and at such other health units where such a program would be readily adaptable.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Parks and Recreation Department,
May 27, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.
Dear Sir:

I have your memorandum with enclosure, City Council order of Councillor McCormack that the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation consider the advisability of having supervised recreational activities at the Savin Street Health Unit in the Roxbury district and at such other health units where such a program would be readily adaptable.

These units are under the care and control of the Health Department. We could not assume the supervision of any of the programs at these locations unless we have sufficient personnel and the necessary funds within our budget for doing this work.

Very truly yours,
FRANK R. KELLEY, Commissioner.

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PLAY AREA IN RIPLEY ROAD SECTION, DORCHESTER.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, June 6, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation relative to your order of May 16, 1955, concerning the construction of a "small tot" play area in the Ripley Road section of Dorchester.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Parks and Recreation Department,
May 27, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.
Dear Sir:

I have your memorandum of May 23 with enclosure, Councillor McCormack's order that the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation consider the advisability of constructing a "small tot" play area in the Ripley Road section of Dorchester.

I am pleased to inform Councillor McCormack that arrangements are being made to begin this work in the very near future.

Very truly yours,
FRANK R. KELLEY, Commissioner.

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PLAY AREA IN FRANKLIN FIELD SECTION, DORCHESTER.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, June 6, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation relative to your order of May 16, 1955, concerning the construction of a "small tot" play area in the Franklin Field section of Dorchester.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Parks and Recreation Department,
May 27, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.
Dear Sir:

I desire to acknowledge your memorandum of May 23 with enclosure, Councillor McCormack's order of May 16 that the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation consider the advisability of constructing a "small tot" play area in the Franklin Field section of Dorchester.

I am pleased to inform Councillor McCormack that arrangements are being made to begin this work in the very near future.

Very truly yours,
FRANK R. KELLEY, Commissioner.

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IMPROVEMENTS AT RINGER PLAYGROUND, ALLSTON.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, June 6, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation relative to your order of May 23 1955, concerning the repairing of the Stanley A. Ringer Playground, Allston, and installation of swings and other equipment.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Park Department, June 3, 1955.

Mr. Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office,
Dear Sir:

This will acknowledge memo from the office of the Mayor with attached order of Councillor Ahearn, requesting the installation of new equipment and necessary repair work at Stanley Ringer Playground, Allston. Emergency repair work will have our attention. New equipment and other recreation facilities will have to be deferred until the 1956 Budget. We have no funds for doing this work in 1955.

Very truly yours,
FRANK R. KELLEY, Commissioner.

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LOAN TO HOUSING AUTHORITY FOR URBAN RENEWAL PROGRAM.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, June 6, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the chairman of the Boston Housing Authority concerning your order of April 25, 1955, relative to a loan to the Boston Housing Authority for the purpose of participation in the urban renewal program.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

Boston Housing Authority,
May 25, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.
Subject: City Financial Participation in the Activities of the Urban Redevelopment Program of This Authority.
Dear Mayor Hynes:

This is in reply to the City Council order of April 25, 1955, on the above subject matter.

As you are aware, federal procedure calls for the local government to advance funds for its estimated share of the net cost of the development prior to advance of Federal on-site funds.

Accordingly, when the executed contract for development is in hand, this Authority, through its treasurer, will be obliged to request city funds.

Preliminary conversations to this effect have already taken place with you and the office of the City Treasurer.

Very truly yours,
JAMES J. MAHAR, Chairman.

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SPECIAL DIVISION TO ENFORCE PARKING METER REGULATIONS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, May 6, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Director of Administrative Services relative to your order of May 23, 1955, concerning the setting up of a special division for the policing of off-street parking areas.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Administrative Services Department,
June 3, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.
Subject: Councillor Piemonte's Order of May 23, 1955.
Dear Sir:

Under date of April 29, 1955, chapter 318 of the acts of the current year was approved by Governor Herter. This legislation provides for the regulation of parking in off-street parking areas and facilities operated by the City of Boston. Under its provisions police officers may enter upon parking areas and facilities if any violation of motor vehicle parking rules and regulations comes to their attention. Prior to the enactment of this legislation the Police Department felt it lacked the necessary authority to enter such areas.

In view of this legislative development it would appear unnecessary to establish a separate policing agency as suggested in the attached council order.

Respectfully,
CHARLES J. FOX, Director.

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RELOCATION OF M.T.A. TROLLEY AND BUS STOPS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, June 6, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith further communication from the Traffic Commissioner relative to your order of April 25, 1955, concerning a survey being made in conjunction with the representatives of the Metropolitan Transit Authority to consider relocating trolley and bus stops.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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Boston Traffic Commission,
May 20, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.
Dear Mr. Mayor:

With further reference to a Council order of April 25, 1955, requesting that a survey be made throughout the various shopping areas of the city for the purpose of relocating trolley and bus stops, I submit the following report.

With the cooperation of Mr. Dana and Mr. John Callahan of the Metropolitan Transit Authority, careful consideration was given to the subject and the best means of procedure.

In order to facilitate what is desired by the Council order, inquiries were made to determine whether or not any specific area or locations should be given priority in our study.

Councillor Hailer, the sponsor of the order, indicated that there were three stops in the Roslindale area where improvements should be made. Accordingly, Mr. Spellman of the M.T.A. and Mr. Moriarty of this department met at Roslindale square on May 16 and reviewed the bus stops in the area.

An improvement in the operation of the buses at Washington street and Basile street on the southeast side would result if the M.T.A. stop could be extended to approximately 100 feet, to include the area outside the Roslindale Municipal Building.

At Robert street and South street, southwest side, which is what is called a "layover point," an additional 50 feet would be helpful in relieving a narrow turn from South street into Robert street.

A few meters at each location would have to be removed.

At Centre street and Belgrade avenue, northwest side, outbound, angle parking is permitted just above the present stop, and frequently there is encroachment into the M.T.A. space which requires the buses to load or unload from the roadway.

In order to obtain additional space here the angle parking would have to be removed and the bus stop lengthened.

An alternate proposal in the Roslindale Square section would be the establishment of a "No Parking Anytime" regulation in the north side of South street from the railroad tracks to the moving picture theater about 250 feet away. This would eliminate the layover space now used at Robert street.

These proposals would assist the M.T.A. in its efforts to accomplish efficiency in handling passengers at the curbstones of these locations.

The present locations were established a short time ago, so that, in substance, they are in the best sites for the public and for the M.T.A., as they were established as result of a conference between M.T.A. authorities, local interests, and traffic officials.

Our years of experience with this subject have shown that the ultimate locations arrived at come from compromise made between the desires of the M.T.A. and the wishes of local merchants and residents, and the present stops which are in existence through the Roslindale Square section and throughout the city are a result of conference between all parties concerned.

It does not appear that any of the bus stops in question are improperly located, and the matter of giving increased space to the stops is one which will undoubtedly bring forth protests from merchants and residents who will be directly affected by the changes.

Accordingly, we shall await further advice in the matter from Councillor Hailer concerning the above-mentioned locations before making changes, so that we may have a feeling that the changes made will be agreeable to all parties concerned and not the subject of controversy and protests.

Respectfully yours,
WM. ARTHUR REILLY, Commissioner.

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TRAFFIC SIGNALS AT PREBLE STREET AND OLD COLONY AVENUE.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, June 6, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Traffic Commissioner relative to your order of May 23, 1955, concerning the installation of pedestrian traffic lights at the junction of Preble street and Old Colony avenue in South Boston.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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Boston Traffic Commission,
May 27, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.
Dear Mr. Mayor:

With reference to the order of the City Council dated May 23, 1955, requesting the installation of pedestrian traffic lights at Preble street and Old Colony avenue, I wish to report that we have had this area under consideration for some time, recognizing a growing traffic problem there.

In connection with our study and the recommendation of the Council, we have voted to install lights at the above-mentioned intersection during the current year.

Respectfully yours,
WM. ARTHUR REILLY, Commissioner.

Placed on file.

FOOT TRAFFIC ACROSS WILLIAM T. MORRISSEY BOULEVARD.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, June 6, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the executive assistant of the Metropolitan District Commission relative to your order of May 23, 1955, concerning a survey being made relative to providing safe passage for "foot traffic" across the William T. Morrissey Boulevard in the Boston College High School area.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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Metropolitan District Commission,
June 3, 1955.

Mr. Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.
Dear Sir:

Commissioner Greenough has asked me to acknowledge receipt of your memorandum of May 26 with the accompanying copy of an order of your honorable City Council (Messrs. Foley, Kerrigan, and McCormack) asking that a survey be made relative to providing safe passage for "foot traffic" across the William T. Morrissey Boulevard in the Boston College High School area.

The Commissioner would like to assure the Councillors that, in making improvements to the Morrissey Boulevard, a primary consideration has been the construction of a pedestrian overpass in the vicinity of Boston College High School and that plans for such a structure are now well along toward completion.

It is expected that a contract for the construction of the overpass will be advertised at an early date.

Very truly yours,
EDWARD F. BARRY,
Executive Assistant.

Placed on file.

AMENDMENT TO COUNTY COMPENSATION AND CLASSIFICATION PLAN.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, June 6, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

In response to the City Council order dated May 23, 1955, concerning the proposed amendment for the officers of Suffolk County Jail, I send you herewith a communication from the Supervisor of Personnel in which it is stated that no amendments to the Compensation Plan should be made until a complete survey is made of the county employees' situation.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Administrative Services Department,
June 3, 1955.

Mr. Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.
Dear Sir:

Council order dated May 23, 1955, requesting the Mayor to take immediate steps to amend the Compensation Plan for officers of Suffolk County Jail by changing the grade of the officers and officers with specialties by two compensation grades, is returned herewith.

Under dates of November 2, 1954, and November 29, 1954, in response to orders passed by the City Council amending the County Compensation Plan to increase the salary grades of jail officers and correction officers, I submitted reports, in accordance with the provisions of the statutes, to the City Council stating that it was my opinion that a survey should be made of the duties and responsibilities of the officers in question before any recommendations were approved increasing the grade. The Council, nevertheless, passed these orders and submitted them to the Mayor, who vetoed them, using as his reason practically the same basis as contained in my reports to the City Council. The survey has been completed, and the results indicate that an increase of two compensation grades is not justified. The survey also disclosed other conditions which would indicate that any change in the compensation of these officers would probably disrupt the existing proportion between other positions in the County of Suffolk.

It has been decided, therefore, that a survey should be made of all other positions included in the Classification and Compensation Plans for the Officers and Employees of Suffolk County. It is intended to start this survey immediately so that it may be completed as soon as possible. In my opinion, therefore, I believe that no amendments should be made to the Compensation Plan for Suffolk County until this survey has been completed.

Very truly yours,
JOHN A. SULLIVAN,
Supervisor of Personnel.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

PRINTING OF FANEUIL HALL PAMPHLET.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, June 6, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

For many years it has been a custom to distribute to persons visiting Faneuil Hall a pamphlet describing the history and background of this historic structure. I am informed that the supply of these pamphlets has been exhausted, and that it is desired to have a new edition printed.

I submit herewith an order providing for such printing and respectfully recommend its adoption by your Honorable Body.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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Ordered, That the Purchasing Agent be authorized to have printed as a city document 5,000 copies of a descriptive pamphlet relating to Faneuil Hall, and that said copies be delivered to the Assistant Commissioner of Real Property for distribution to visitors at this historic shrine.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

AMENDMENT OF COUNTY COMPENSATION AND CLASSIFICATION PLAN.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, June 1, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

The attached proposal by the Supervisor of Personnel to amend the Compensation and Classification Plans for the Officers and Employees of Suffolk County, by revising the rules for administering the plan to grant credit for prior service in the other municipalities of Suffolk County, namely, Chelsea, Revere, and Winthrop, as well as the City of Boston, is hereby approved and transmitted for consideration and adoption by your Honorable Body.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Administrative Services Department,
June 1, 1955.

To the Mayor and City Council.
Gentlemen:

Under Rule 9, "Starting Salary and Increments", section (d), "Computation of Service," of the Compensation and Classification Plans for the Officers and Employees of Suffolk County, in computing length of service, credit is given on appointment to a position in the county service for prior service with the City of Boston. This limitation of prior service to the City of Boston appears to be unfair to a person who had prior service with one of the other municipalities in Suffolk County, namely, Chelsea, Revere, or Winthrop, which are also in Suffolk County as well as the City of Boston.

In order to correct this apparent injustice, I am recommending for your favorable consideration the accompanying order amending the rule so that credit will be given to persons appointed to Suffolk County positions for prior service with Chelsea, Revere, or Winthrop, as well as the City of Boston.

Respectfully yours,
JOHN A. SULLIVAN,
Supervisor of Personnel.

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Ordered, That Schedule A of the Compensation and Classification Plans for the Officers and Employees of Suffolk County be, and hereby is, amended by striking out the last two sentences of paragraph (d), "Computation of Service", of Rule 9, "Starting Salary and Increments", and inserting in place thereof the following sentences:

"Service with the Cities of Boston, Chelsea, Revere, and the Town of Winthrop, shall be included in computing length of service with the County of Suffolk. Service with any governmental unit other than the County of Suffolk, Cities of Boston, Chelsea, Revere, and the Town of Winthrop, shall not be included in computing length of service."

Referred to the Executive Committee.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committee named:

Claims.

Paul G. Allen, for compensation for damage to car by car of Parks and Recreation Department.

Walter Bushey, to be reimbursed in the sum of $97.50, amount of veterans' aid check cashed by him.

Edward J. Casey, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Fire Department.

Neil P. Coyle, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Street Cleaning Division, Public Works Department.

Daniel Cronin, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 24A Myrtle street.

John H. Currie, Jr., to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Water Division, Public Works Department.

Elaine DiFronzo, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Shcafe street.

David J. Fasolino, for compensation for damage to property at 66 Hemman street, Roslindale, during sidewalk construction.

First National Stores, Inc., for compensation for damage to property at 42 Hyde Park avenue, Jamaica Plain, caused by break in water main.

John J. Fitzpatrick, for compensation for damage to car by city truck.

Americo Frasso, to be reimbursed as result of execution issued against him on account of his acts as employee of Highway Division, Public Works Department.

General Exchange Insurance Corporation, for compensation for damage to car of John Brunetta caused by paint used by workmen painting traffic light.

General Exchange Insurance Corporation, for compensation for damage to car of Marguerite Flaherty caused by city car.

Francis Grasso, for compensation for injuries caused by city truck.

Edward J. Hawes, to be reimbursed as result of execution issued against him on account of his acts as employee of Hospital Department.

Joseph W. Hener, for compensation for damage to property at 213 Poplar street, Roslindale, during repairs to street and sidewalk.

Gerald W. Lang, to be reimbursed as result of executions issued against him on account of his acts as employee of Automotive Division, Public Works Department.

Charles H. Lewis, to be reimbursed as result of execution issued against him on account of his acts as employee of Sanitary Division, Public Works Department.

John M. Lynch, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Police Department.

John J. Marshall, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Sanitary Division, Public Works Department.

James Moses, for compensation for injuries caused by city truck.

Clare P. Murphy, for compensation for damage to laundry at 134 Parsons street, Brighton, caused by rusty water from street.

Lillian V. Peterson, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 633 Hyde Park avenue, Roslindale.

Agnes Sweed, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 261-279 Athens street, South Boston.

Allen B. Thompson, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect in Columbus avenue.

Norman A. Turnquist, for compensation for damage to car by police car.

United Art Company, Inc., for compensation for damage to property at 514 Harrison avenue, Boston, caused by backing up of sewage.

Harold F. Watts, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Water Division, Public Works Department.

PERMITS FOR CHILDREN.

Petitions for children under fifteen years of age to appear at places of public amusement:

Viola K. Breiding, John Hancock Hall, June 2.

Lillian Arden Chiampa, John Hancock Hall, June 6.

Guglielmina B. Fiorentino, Recital Hall, June 17.

Jane Slater, New England Conservatory Hall, June 15.

Permits granted under usual conditions.

APPLICATIONS FOR SHELLFISH PERMITS.

Applications for commercial use shellfish permits were received from the following: Herbert E. Lawson, 196 Minot street, Dorchester, Ward 16; Henry A. Larson, 23 Monmouth street, East Boston, Ward 1.

Severally referred to the Committee on Licenses.

PETITION FOR ANNUITY.

Petition of Mary F. Lane, to be paid an annuity on account of the death of her husband, Walter A. Lane, late member of the Police Department.

Referred to the Committee on Claims.

APPROVAL OF SALE OF PROPERTY BY HOUSING AUTHORITY.

Notice was received from the State Housing Board of approval of sale, by the Boston Housing Authority, of twenty-one parcels of property, under section 6 of Chapter 372 of the Acts of 1946.

Placed on file.

NOTICES FROM DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES.

A communication was received from the Department of Public Utilities transmitting copy of order granting petition of the Boston Edison Company for location for pipes, wires and cables on William T. Morrissey Boulevard, Dorchester.

Placed on file.

Notice was received from the Department of Public Utilities of hearing to be held June 7 at 12 noon on petition of the Metropolitan Transit Authority for leave to erect, maintain and use a pole to support wires on easterly side of South street, between Sedgwick street and Carolina avenue.

Severally placed on file.

APPROVAL OF CONSTABLES' BONDS.

The constables' bonds of the following, having been duly approved by the Collector-Treasurer, were received and approved by the Council:

Samuel J. Adelman, Louis H. Oppenheim, Andrew J. Palermo.

APPROVAL OF LOAN BY EMERGENCY FINANCE BOARD.

A communication was received from the Emergency Finance Board enclosing vote passed by the Board approving loan of $3,000,000. for the purpose of remodeling, reconstructing, or making extraordinary repairs to hospital and library buildings.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Finance.

ORGANIZATION OF BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT.

Notice was received from the Board of Zoning Adjustment of organization of the Board as follows: Chairman, Alan J. Potter; Vice-Chairman, Albert V. Colman; Engineer, Thomas E. McCormick; Secretary, Mary T. Downey.

Placed on file.

COMMUNICATION FROM PRESIDENT JOSEPH R. N. MAXWELL, S.J., OF BOSTON COLLEGE.

A communication was received from the Very Reverend Joseph R. N. Maxwell, S.J., President of Boston College, expressing the thanks of the college for the resolution passed by the Council, on May 23, 1955, relative to the seminars held at Boston College this year.

Placed on file.

BASEBALL GAME BETWEEN THE MEMBERS OF THE GENERAL COURT AND THE MEMBERS OF CITY COUNCIL.

A communication was received from Representative James C. Bayley accepting the challenge of the City Council to a game of baseball or softball with the members of the General Court.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CLAIMS.

Coun. McCORMACK, for the Committee on Claims, submitted the following:

1. Report on petition of Salvatore Castronova (referred May 16) to be reimbursed as a result of an execution issued against him on account of his acts as a member of the Fire Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That the sum of eighty-five dollars ($85) be allowed and paid Salvatore Castronova in reimbursement for amount of execution issued against him on account of his acts as a member of the Fire Department, said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

2. Report on petition of George C. Russell (referred May 23) to be reimbursed as a result of an execution issued against him on account of his acts as a member of the Fire Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That the sum of nine hundred seventy-five dollars ($975) be allowed and paid to George C. Russell in reimbursement for amount of execution issued against him on account of his acts as a member of the Fire Department, said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

3. Report on petition of Roy B. Langill (referred May 23) to be reimbursed as a result of an execution issued against him on account of his acts as a member of the Fire Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That the sum of seven thousand seven hundred eighty-two dollars ($7,782) be allowed and paid to Roy B. Langill in reimbursement for amount of execution issued against him on account of his acts as a member of the Fire Department, said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

4. Report on petition of Donald D. Penny (referred May 23) to be reimbursed as a result of an execution issued against him on account of his acts as a member of the Police Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That the sum of five hundred eighty-eight dollars and twenty-five cents ($588.25) be allowed and paid to Donald D. Penny in reimbursement for amount of execution issued against him on account of his acts as a member of the Police Department, said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

5. Report on petition of John J. Hillen, Jr. (referred May 16), to be reimbursed as a result of an execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Automotive Division, Public Works Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That the sum of two hundred thirty-five dollars and ten cents ($235.10) be allowed and paid to John J. Hillen, Jr., in reimbursement for amount of execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Automotive Division, Public Works Department, said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

The reports were accepted, and the orders were severally passed.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCE.

Coun. HAILER, for the Committee on Appropriations and Finance, submitted the following:

Report on message of the Mayor and order (referred May 23) for appropriation of $13,953.50 from revenue received from parking meter fees, to be expended by the Police Commissioner, for purchase of motorcycles to be used in the supervision of the use of parking meters—recommending that same ought to pass.

The report was accepted, and the order was passed, yeas 7, nays 0:

Yeas—Councillors Ahearn, Foley, Hailer, Kerrigan, McCormack, McLaughlin, Piemonte—7.

Nays—0.

After the foregoing order was passed Councillor Hailer stated that he knew that the Councillors who are absent are in favor of the appropriation order.

GREATER RECREATIONAL AND EDUCATIONAL USE OF COMMON AND PUBLIC GARDEN.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Whereas, The Annual Arts Festival is now being conducted in the Boston Common; and

Whereas, The Arts Festival, which has been conducted with great success the past few years, is always such an attraction and creates good public relations and good will, as is further evidenced by the fact that Army and Navy authorities have lifted the ban on the Common and the Public Garden for the duration of the Arts Festival; and

Whereas, The annual Christmas Festival is also a great attraction and a major factor in the creation of good will; and

Whereas, Both the Common and the Public Garden are places of beauty and afford many opportunities for further recreational and educational activities, and said facilities are not now being used to their full capacity throughout the year; and

Whereas, In other cities such programs as artificial ice skating, a sport which has proved such a popular attraction, open-air theater, and musical entertainment have been provided for the public; and

Whereas, There are no such programs at present provided in the Common or the Garden, either by the City of Boston or by any other social or private agency; now therefore be it

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor immediately request the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation, representatives of social agencies in Boston, and of other interested groups to make a study of the potentialities of recreational and educational programs that could be undertaken with a view to providing for a program of ice skating similar to that conducted in New York's Rockefeller Center, and also to providing for an open-air theater in the summertime, which might be utilized by the teenagers from various sections of Boston and which the settlement houses, which have been looking for summer programs, might utilize, without limiting it to the same; and be it further

Resolved, That the bands and other musical groups from the Boston public schools and private schools be invited to participate in planned musical programs at the Parkman bandstand in the Common; and be it further

Resolved, That every effort be made, through these and other programs, to afford to the public the full and unrestricted use of the Common and of the Public Garden for their entertainment.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

REMOVAL OF OBSTRUCTION AT MAVERICK SQUARE.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Ordered, That the Transit Department be, and are hereby, requested to remove the so-called "hump" over the old East Boston Tunnel entrance at Maverick square; and be it further

Ordered, That if it be found that the removal of the so-called "hump" be the responsibility of the Metropolitan Transit Authority, that his honor, the Mayor, request the said Metropolitan Transit Authority to remove said "hump."

Passed under suspension of the rules.

RECOGNITION OF BOSTON FIRE FIGHTERS LOCAL 718 AS NEGOTIATING BODY.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Ordered, That the Boston Fire Fighters Local 718, International Association of Fire Fighters, American Federation of Labor, be the recognized negotiating body for the members of the fire fighting force and the Fire Alarm Division of the Boston Fire Department and that they will be the official spokesmen for same in all grievances concerning wages, hours of labor and conditions of employment.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

LEGISLATION RE PAYMENT OF ANNUITY TO WIDOW OF EDWARD J. RUSSELL.

Coun. AHEARN offered the following:
Resolved, That the City Council of Boston favors the consideration by the Legislature of the petition now held under Joint Rule 7B authorizing the City of Boston to pay an annuity to the widow of Edward J. Russell, former member of the Fire Department of the City of Boston, provided that any such legislation enacted includes a referendum to the Mayor and City Council.
Referred to the Committee on Claims.

TRAFFIC CONDITIONS ON WALKER STREET, CHARLESTOWN.

Coun. AHEARN, for Councillor Hurley, offered the following:
Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor is hereby requested to direct the Traffic Commissioner to make a survey of traffic conditions on Walker street, Charlestown, with a view to making one-way traffic running from Main street to Bartlett street.
Passed under suspension of the rules.

PUBLIC HEARING ON M.T.A. CONVERSION OF BUS SYSTEM.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:
Ordered, That the Executive Committee of the Boston City Council schedule a public hearing on the proposal of the Metropolitan Transit Authority to convert the bus transportation system in the Dorchester section and in the rest of the city, from trackless trolley to diesel vehicles; and be it further
Ordered, That the members of the Mayor's committee for the 11 cities and towns, the representatives of the M.T.A., the representatives of organized labor, and all other interested groups and individuals be invited to attend.
Passed under suspension of the rules.

"SMALL TOT" PLAY AREA IN WILLIAM G. WALSH PLAYGROUND.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:
Ordered, That the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation take immediate steps to install a small tots' play area in the William G. Walsh Playground, in the Dorchester section of the City of Boston.
Passed under suspension of the rules.

TRAFFIC CONDITIONS ON CLIFFORD STREET, ROXBURY.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:
Ordered, That through his Honor the Mayor the Traffic Commissioner be requested to make a survey of traffic conditions on Clifford street, Roxbury, with a view to having it made one way from Blue Hill avenue to Warren street.
Passed under suspension of the rules.

WELCOME TO FATHER RENATUS ZIGGIOTTI.

Coun. FOLEY and PIEMONTE offered the following:
Whereas, The City of Boston has recently been honored by the presence in it of the Very Reverend Renatus Ziggiotti, the Superior General of the Salesian order; and
Whereas, The Salesian Fathers, founded by St. Don Bosco, have served the people of the City of Boston superlatively well since their establishment here less than ten years ago; be it therefore
Resolved, That the Boston City Council expresses its welcome to Father Ziggiotti to our city; and be it further
Resolved, That the Boston City Council wishes Father Ziggiotti Godspeed on his trip to the United States.
The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

INCLUSION OF PHOTOGRAPHIC ART IN 1956 ARTS FESTIVAL.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:
Ordered, That the Trustees of the Boston Arts Festival be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to consider the possibility of making provision for the inclusion of photographic art in the plans for the 1956 Arts Festival.
That such provision be made only for photographic works of true artistic merit and not for technical proficiency only.
That a special division be made for recognition and exhibition of photographic portraiture.
Passed under suspension of the rules.

REPORT ON PROGRESS OF URBAN RENEWAL PROGRAM.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:
Ordered, That the official charged with responsibility for the Urban Renewal Program be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to appear before the Executive Committee of the Boston City Council on June 27, 1955, to report such progress as has been made in developing an Urban Renewal Program for Boston.
Passed under suspension of the rules.

EXPEDITING OF REPAIR OF WASHINGTON STREET.

Coun. HAILER offered the following:
Ordered, That the Public Works Commissioner be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to confer with the M.T.A. Trustees for the purpose of expediting the repair of Washington street, from Egleston square to Forest Hills.
Passed under suspension of the rules.

NAMING OF SQUARE IN HONOR OF LIEUT. FRANCIS A. CAHILL.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN offered the following:
Ordered, That the Committee to Memorialize Veterans be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to name the junction of Standard and River streets, Mattapan, in honor of the memory of Lieut. Francis A. Cahill, U.S.N.R., who lost his life in the service of our country in Southern France on August 23, 1945.
Passed under suspension of the rules.

NOTICE OF INTEREST IN CONTRACTS.

Notice was received from Samuel J. Tomasello, member of the Board of Appeal, of interest in contracts between the City of Boston and the S. J. Tomasello Corporation for pavement in Bickford avenue, etc., and service road reconstruction and parking area at Franklin Park, West Roxbury.
Placed on file.

Adjourned at 4.05 P.M., on motion of Councillor Hailer, to meet on Monday, June 13, 1955, at 2 P.M.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

(Stenographic copy of such debate on file in office of City Clerk.)

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective June 20, 1955:

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out the following:

Berkeley Street, Boston Proper.
Southwest side, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from a point sixty (60) feet south of Boylston street to Boylston street, 24 hours.

Blue Hill Avenue, Roxbury.
East side, from Dudley street to Stanwood street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.

Clarendon Street, Boston Proper
Northeast side, from Columbus avenue to Boylston street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Dorchester Avenue, Dorchester.
West side, from Hancock street to Adams street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Dorchester Avenue, South Boston.
West side, from Boston street to the bridge over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad near Kemp street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Harrison Avenue, Boston Proper.
Northwest side, from Dover street to East Brookline street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from East Newton street to East Concord street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.

Massachusetts Avenue, Boston Proper.
Northeast side, from Albany street to No. 566 Massachusetts avenue, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.
Northeast side, from No. 524 Massachusetts avenue to a point one hundred (100) feet southeast of the bridge over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.

Massachusetts Avenue, Dorchester and Roxbury.
Northeast side, from Edward Everett square to the Roxbury Canal, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.

Massachusetts Avenue, Roxbury.
Northeast side, from a point one hundred (100) feet northwest of the bridge over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad to Belvidere street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.
Northeast side, from Belvidere street to Commonwealth avenue, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Stuart Street, Boston Proper.
Both sides, from Church street to Arlington street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Summer Street, South Boston.
Southwest side, from a point two hundred and forty (240) feet northwest of D street to a point three hundred and sixty (360) feet northwest of D street, 24 hours.

Washington Street, Boston Proper.
East side, from Hanover street to Haymarket square, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," each of the following:

Beacon Street.
North side, from Storrow Memorial Drive to Clarendon street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from a point one hundred and fifty (150) feet west of Arlington street to Clarendon street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Berkeley Street.
Northeast side, from a point forty-five (45) feet west of Tremont street to a point sixty (60) feet southeast of Boylston street, 1 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from a point sixty (60) feet southeast of Boylston street to Boylston street, 24 hours.
Southwest side, from Warren avenue to Boylston street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from Boylston street to Commonwealth avenue, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Broadway.
Northeast side, from Stuart street to Tremont street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Shawmut street to Tremont street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Clarendon Street.
Southwest side, from Tremont street to Columbus avenue, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Columbus avenue to Boylston street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Boylston street to Commonwealth avenue, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Dartmouth Street.
Both sides, from Columbus avenue to Buckingham street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Dover Street.
South side, from Shawmut avenue to Tremont street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Harrison Avenue.
West side, from Kneeland street to Harvard street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Bennet street to Oak street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Motte street to Dover street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Dover street to East Brookline street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from East Newton street to East Concord street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Massachusetts Avenue.
Northeast side, from Albany street to No. 566 Massachusetts avenue, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from No. 524 Massachusetts avenue to a point one hundred (100) feet southeast of the bridge over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
St. James Avenue.
North side, from Arlington street to Berkeley street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Stuart Street.
South side, from Washington street to Tremont street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Warrenton street to Church street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, northerly arm, from Church street to Columbus avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
North side, southerly arm, from Church street to Columbus avenue, 24 hours.
South side, from Columbus avenue to Huntington avenue, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Washington Street.
East side, from Broadway to Harvard street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Adams square to Haymarket square, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the captions "Boston Proper," and "Roxbury," the following:
Charlesgate West.
West side, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:
Dorchester Avenue.
West side, from Ashmont street to Bailey street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the captions "Dorchester," and "Roxbury," the following:
Massachusetts Avenue.
Northeast side, from Edward Everett square to the Roxbury Canal, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the captions "Dorchester," and "South Boston," the following:
Dorchester Avenue.
West side, from Boston street to Adams street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," each of the following:
Blue Hill Avenue.
East side, from Dudley street to Geneva avenue, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.
Buena Vista Street.
North side, from Warren street to Walnut avenue, 24 hours.
Massachusetts Avenue.
Northeast side, from a point one hundred (100) feet northwest of the bridge over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad to Commonwealth avenue, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "South Boston," the following:
Summer Street.
Southwest side, from a point two hundred and forty (240) feet northwest of D street to a point three hundred and forty (340) feet northwest of D street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by striking out the following:
Beacon Street, Boston Proper.
North side, from Embankment road to a point ninety-three (93) feet east of Massachusetts avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from a point one hundred and fifty (150) feet west of Arlington street to Charlesgate East, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Berkeley Street, Boston Proper.
Both sides, from Warren avenue to Columbus avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from Columbus avenue to a point sixty (60) feet south of Boylston street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Columbus avenue to Stanhope street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Stuart street to Boylston street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from Boylston street to Commonwealth avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Northeast side, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Broadway, Boston Proper.
Southwest side, from Shawmut street to Tremont street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from Stuart street to Tremont street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Charlesgate West, Boston Proper and Roxbury.
West side, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Clarendon Street, Boston Proper.
Northeast side, from the bridge over the Boston & Albany Railroad to Boylston street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Southwest side, from the bridge over the Boston & Albany Railroad to Boylston street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Boylston street to Commonwealth avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Massachusetts Avenue, Roxbury.
Northeast side, from a point one hundred (100) feet northwest of the bridge over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad to Belvidere street, 10 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from Belvidere street to Commonwealth avenue, 10 A.M. to 4 P.M.
St. James Avenue, Boston Proper.
North side, from Arlington street to Berkeley street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Stuart Street, Boston Proper.
South side, from Washington street to Tremont street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Warrenton street to Broadway, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Broadway to Church street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Columbus avenue to Huntington avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Washington Street, Boston Proper.
East side, from Broadway to Harvard street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Adams square to Hanover street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Hanover street to Haymarket square, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," each of the following:
Beacon Street.
North side, from Storrow Memorial Drive to Clarendon street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
North side, from Clarendon street to a point ninety-three (93) feet east of Massachusetts avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from a point one hundred and fifty (150) feet west of Arlington street to Clarendon street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
South side, from Clarendon street to Charlesgate East, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Berkeley Street.
Both sides, from Warren avenue to Columbus avenue, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Northeast side, from Columbus avenue to a point sixty (60) feet south of Boylston street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Southwest side, from Columbus avenue to Stanhope street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Southwest side, from Stuart street to Boylston street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Northeast side, from Boylston street to Commonwealth avenue, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Both sides, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Broadway.
Southwest side, from Shawmut street to Tremont street, 9.30 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Northeast side, from Stuart street to Tremont street, 9.30 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Clarendon Street.
Both sides, from the bridge over the Boston & Albany Railroad to Boylston street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Southwest side, from Boylston street to Commonwealth avenue, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Southwest side, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
St. James Avenue.
North side, from Arlington street to Berkeley street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Stuart Street.
South side, from Washington street to Tremont street, 9.30 A.M. to 4 P.M.
South side, from Warrenton street to Broadway, 9.30 A.M. to 4 P.M.
South side, from Broadway to Church street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
South side, from Columbus avenue to Huntington avenue, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Washington Street.
East side, from Broadway to Harvard street, 9.30 A.M. to 4 P.M.
West side, from Adams square to Haymarket square, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the captions "Boston Proper," and "Roxbury," the following:
Charlesgate West.
West side, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:
Massachusetts Avenue.
Northeast side, from a point one hundred (100) feet northwest of the bridge over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad to Commonwealth avenue, 10 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Article IV, Section 6, Part 3 (Restrictions in Cent and Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by striking out the following:
Blue Hill Avenue, Roxbury.
East side, from Dove street to Stanwood street, 10 A.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Stanwood street to Geneva avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 6, Part 3 (Restrictions in Cent and Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:
Blue Hill Avenue.
East side, from Dove street to Geneva avenue, 10 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 8 (Angle Parking in Left Side of One-Way Streets), is amended by adding the following:
Beacon Street, Brighton.
Northwest roadway, southeast (reservation) side, from Ayr road to a point one hundred and five (105) feet southwest of Ayr road.

Article IV, Section 16A, Part 2 (Parking of Vehicles Owned by the United States Government), is amended by striking out the following:
Summer Street, South Boston.
Southwest side, from a point two hundred and forty (240) feet northwest of D street to a point three hundred and sixty (360) feet northwest of D street.

Article IV, Section 16A, Part 2 (Parking of Vehicles Owned by the United States Government), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "South Boston," the following:
Summer Street.
Southwest side, from a point two hundred and forty (240) feet northwest of D street to a point three hundred and forty (340) feet northwest of D street.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," the following:
West Cedar Street.
At Revere street.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, for a trial period of sixty (60) days, the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective June 21, 1955:

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out the following:
Corona Street, Dorchester.
South side, from Bowdoin street to Geneva avenue, 24 hours.
Harrison Avenue, Boston Proper and Roxbury.
Southeast side, from Northampton street to Eustis street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.
Northwest side, from East Newton street to Warren street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Melrose Street, Boston Proper.
South side, from Broadway to a point fifty-four (54) feet west of Broadway, 24 hours.
Pearl Street, Boston Proper.
Northeast side, from Milk street to Franklin street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," the following:
Pearl Street.
Both sides, from Milk street to Franklin street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the captions "Boston Proper," and "Brighton," the following:
Ashford Street.
North side, from Babcock street to Malvern street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the captions "Boston Proper," and "Roxbury," the following:
Harrison Avenue.
Northwest side, from East Newton street to Northampton street, 4 P.M to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Northampton street to East Lenox street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from East Lenox street to Eustis street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.
Northwest side, from East Lenox street to Warren street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," the following:
Highgate Street.
East side, from Cambridge street to Farrington avenue, 24 hours.
West side, from Cambridge street to a point one hundred and twenty-five (125) feet south of Cambridge street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:
Fuller Street.
North side, from Dorchester avenue to Clermont street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "East Boston," each of the following:
Lexington Street.
Northwest side, from Meridian street to Lexington square, 24 hours.
Orleans Street.
Southeast side, from Sumner street to a point forty (40) feet southwest of Sumner street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," each of the following:
Amory Avenue.
South side, from Amory street to the dead end, 24 hours.
Creighton Street.
East side, from Centre street to opposite the northerly street line of Bynner street, 24 hours.
Fairbury Street.
Both sides, from Blue Hill avenue to Rand street, 24 hours.
Sterling Street.
Northeast side, from Washington street to Shawmut avenue, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 6, Part 3 (Restrictions in Cent and Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by striking out the following:
Belgrade Avenue, West Roxbury.
North side, from South street to Robert street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 6, Part 3 (Restrictions in Cent and Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "West Roxbury," each of the following:
Belgrade Avenue.
North side, from South street to a point two hundred and seventy (270) feet west of Robert street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Robert Street.
Southwest side, from Belgrade avenue to a point one hundred (100) feet northwest of Belgrade avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," the following:
St. Thomas More Drive.
West roadway, from the Boston-Newton line to Chestnut Hill Driveway.

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 36.

I. RESCUE COMPANY.

Effective at 8 A.M., Tuesday, June 14, 1955, the Rescue Company shall respond to first alarms in District 3.

The following adjustments shall be made on assignment cards, effective at 8 A.M., June 14:

On all boxes of the 1200 series, except Box 123, all boxes of the 1300 series, and Boxes 1411, 1413, 1421, 1422, 1423, 1425, 1431, 1441, 1443, 1451, 1461, 1463: First alarm: Add "Res." Second alarm: Drop "Res."

II. ENGINE SQUAD COMPANIES.

Effective at 8 A.M., Tuesday, June 14, 1955, Engine Squad 14 will answer emergency calls in Districts 5 and 7. Effective at the same time Engine Squad 18 will answer emergency calls in Districts 8 and 9.

The remaining instructions concerning Engine Squad assignments as stated in General Orders No. 60, September 17, 1954, shall continue in effect.

III. PROMOTION.

The following promotion, which will become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, June 15, 1955, is hereby announced:

Fire Fighter Thomas F. Bohan, Engine 43, to fire lieutenant.

IV. ASSIGNMENT AS AIDE TO DEPUTY FIRE CHIEF.

The following assignment, which became effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, June 1, 1955, is hereby announced:

Fire Fighter Pompio J. Magistri, Engine Company 37, to fire fighter, aide to deputy fire chief.

V. RETIREMENTS.

The following retirements, in accordance with chapter 347, acts of 1892, as amended by chapter 237, Acts of 1939, are hereby announced, to become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, June 15, 1955:

Fire Captain John J. Smith, Engine Company 31.

Fire Captain Michael J. McLaughlin, Engine Company 50.

Fire Fighter Alfred E. Smith, Maintenance Division.

Captain Smith was appointed to the Fire Department December 21, 1910. He was promoted to the grade of lieutenant May 31, 1929, and to captain July 9, 1937. Captain McLaughlin was appointed to the department, June 30, 1913. He was promoted to the grade of lieutenant February 3, 1928, and to captain December 18, 1933. Fire Fighter Smith was appointed to the department July 27, 1917.

All the foregoing named leave the department with the best wishes of their associates.

VI. FIRE ALARM BOXES INSTALLED.

The following fire alarm boxes which were established in General Orders, No. 17, dated March 30, 1954, have been installed and connected into circuits indicated:

3225, Monticello and Brandon avenues, circuit No. 24.

12-3225, Brandon avenue, opposite Belvoir road, circuit No. 49.

13-3225, Montpelier road, opposite No. 20, circuit No. 49.

14-3225, Monticello avenue, opposite No. 96, circuit No. 24.

15-3225, Monticello avenue, opposite Montpelier road, circuit No. 24.

16-3225, Monticello avenue, opposite No. 166, circuit No. 49.

Company commanders will add the above boxes to the circuit cards indicated.

The following fire alarm boxes which were established in General Orders, No. 7, dated February 2, 1955, have been installed and connected into circuits indicated:

328, Stonehurst and Topliff streets, circuit No. 9.

7138, Dorchester avenue and West Broadway, circuit No. 11.

Company commanders will add Box 328 to circuit card No. 9 and Box 7138 to circuit card No. 11.

The following fire alarm box which was established in General Orders, No. 22, dated April 20, 1955, has been installed and connected into circuit No. 72:

12-2577, Edwin P. Seaver School, 35 Eldridge road.

Company commanders will add Box 12-2577 to circuit card No. 72.

In connection with the installation of Box 12-2577, the auxiliary connection to the Seaver School has been disconnected from Box 2577. The designation on the assignment card for Box 2577 should be changed by deleting the words "Aux. Edwin P. Seaver School," so that the assignment card for this box will read as follows:

2577, Eldridge and Herbertson roads.

VII. CHANGE IN CIRCUIT NUMBER FOR FIRE ALARM BOX.

In accordance with General Orders, No. 7, dated February 2, 1955, the fire alarm box which was formerly located at Homes avenue and Topliff street has been relocated at the corner of Longfellow and Topliff streets, so that the designation of this fire alarm box should read as follows:

3282, Longfellow and Topliff streets.

This fire alarm box has been changed from circuit No. 9 to circuit No. 86.

Company commanders will delete Box 3282 from circuit card No. 9 and add Box 3282 to circuit card No. 86.

VIII. FIRE ALARM BOX DISCONTINUED.

The following fire alarm box has been discontinued and removed from service:

12-2328, Boston Storage Warehouse, 21-25 Westland avenue.

Company commanders will delete Box 12-2328 from assignment card for Box 2328 and also delete Box 12-2328 from circuit card No. 7.

IX. A. D. T. ASSIGNMENT.

Company commanders are requested to add the following signal number to running cards of the American District Telegraph Company in this department:

Signal 846, R & S Pickle Works, Inc., 148-154 Terrace street. (Sprinkler system.)

Apparatus to respond: Engine Squad 14, Ladder 30, District Chief 5. Nearest box is 2271.

X. TRANSFERS.

The following transfers, effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, June 15, 1955, are hereby announced:

Fire Lieut. James D. Kennedy, from Ladder Company 18 to Ladder Company 20.

Fire Lieut. Thomas F. Bohan, from Engine Company 43 to Engine Company 20.

Fire Fighter, Aide to Deputy Fire Chief Pompio J. Magistri, from Engine Company 37 to Ladder Company 30.

By order of Fire Commissioner FRANCIS X. COTTER.

PATRICK E. COLLINS,
Acting Chief of Department.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, for a trial period of sixty (60) days, the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective June 6, 1955:

Article VI, Section 10 (Left Turns Prohibited), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Longwood Avenue.
Into Riverway, southerly, 3 P.M. to 7 P.M.

Article VI, Section 11 (Only Right Turn Movements Permitted), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Longwood Avenue.
Into Riverway, southerly, 3 P.M. to 7 P.M.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, for a trial period of sixty (60) days, the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective June 21, 1955:

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," each of the following:

Fuller Street.
At Capen street.
Milton Avenue.
At Fuller street.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway resurfacing, estimated to be fifteen (15) days, the following street is one way in the direction indicated each Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday, from 8 A.M. to 4.30 P.M., effective beginning Tuesday, June 14, 1955:

Perkins Street, West Roxbury.
From Jamaicaway to South Huntington avenue.

Registered Voters (Men), State Election, November 2, 1954.

WARDS.	PRECINCTS.																						Totals.
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	
1	865	857	978	788	868	932	816	818	778	893	910	830	841	462	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	11,636
2	783	597	798	785	766	798	735	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	5,262
3	848	914	827	875	730	804	583	785	967	676	751	878	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	9,641
4	838	693	560	652	785	558	593	665	611	321	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	6,276
5	879	549	619	494	641	630	768	622	584	384	411	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	6,581
6	811	772	700	693	683	704	719	670	727	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	6,479
7	743	802	805	761	790	896	734	752	709	786	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	7,778
8	484	752	442	593	627	442	690	732	449	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	5,211
9	713	791	621	649	443	360	467	236	560	404	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	5,244
10	629	626	694	600	692	749	520	565	796	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	5,871
11	687	623	618	760	723	614	631	801	495	685	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	6,637
12	691	528	638	690	569	698	736	606	645	559	801	670	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	7,831
13	347	360	506	478	487	401	375	413	299	316	380	338	461	404	452	497	....	....	....	....	....	....	6,514
14	880	693	879	817	845	773	842	717	890	536	776	705	753	849	875	555	....	....	....	....	....	....	12,385
15	468	426	468	373	398	427	416	401	442	449	472	482	397	378	449	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	6,446
16	466	525	431	364	433	450	425	407	356	390	414	448	471	425	445	443	444	417	421	368	....	....	8,543
17	360	346	310	426	355	313	378	492	460	334	417	503	469	457	529	438	388	354	420	477	....	....	8,256
18	1,097	578	680	442	529	620	501	624	816	469	785	641	432	450	546	509	1,050	550	544	632	558	....	13,053
19	474	437	386	473	440	465	428	410	332	391	512	495	487	340	405	641	460	....	....	....	....	....	7,576
20	459	434	388	396	408	734	366	408	462	555	388	431	475	505	610	739	715	421	527	647	471	439	10,978
21	569	458	600	556	616	444	344	961	753	660	830	589	533	389	535	419	....	....	....	....	....	....	9,256
22	379	454	434	390	528	423	367	444	663	552	482	443	448	496	467	627	705	....	....	....	....	....	8,302
Grand Total																							175,756

Registered Voters (Women), State Election, November 2, 1954.

WARDS.	PRECINCTS.																						Totals
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	
1	820	746	847	757	814	800	831	792	727	870	936	887	816	420	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	11,063
2	708	810	874	904	870	808	789	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	5,763
3	734	743	783	792	612	712	681	586	514	412	590	549	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	7,708
4	669	866	490	610	977	980	871	924	996	757	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	8,140
5	830	542	983	675	1,122	1,308	1,389	938	969	787	750	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	10,293
6	815	781	714	686	697	757	761	725	766	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	6,702
7	800	896	792	825	790	879	989	774	863	863	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	8,471
8	765	870	485	739	767	492	789	804	452	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	6,163
9	555	730	736	1,011	632	618	545	265	628	510	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	6,230
10	945	887	868	884	789	835	583	950	945	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	7,686
11	793	713	646	796	785	635	672	846	572	798	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	7,256
12	758	629	700	780	733	768	871	658	664	591	889	722	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	8,763
13	392	454	546	460	525	490	409	491	371	413	381	354	490	470	468	510	....	....	....	....	....	....	7,224
14	877	701	912	975	883	790	853	701	939	525	755	654	737	837	875	534	....	....	....	....	....	....	12,551
15	532	522	485	450	427	465	474	475	498	499	476	478	410	387	477	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	7,055
16	472	511	487	507	571	510	508	488	442	491	524	530	494	468	478	497	462	461	504	457	....	....	9,868
17	448	423	391	477	446	432	542	524	509	487	596	555	523	504	622	504	459	451	475	552	....	....	9,920
18	1,125	567	665	482	581	669	514	638	851	527	887	702	486	479	614	578	1,053	586	573	621	600	....	13,798
19	549	518	502	562	657	470	488	556	449	489	588	609	532	410	485	698	595	....	....	....	....	....	9,157
20	534	460	451	485	515	879	440	471	498	650	534	548	559	613	633	758	771	556	669	746	572	444	12,786
21	823	676	951	641	864	634	512	1,370	993	775	1,166	724	682	648	875	730	....	....	....	....	....	....	13,034
22	382	488	442	449	514	495	533	451	764	682	570	515	551	546	515	525	782	....	....	....	....	....	9,204
Grand Total																							198,835

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

COMMUNITY GARDEN PLANNER, BOSTON PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT, JULY 22, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Friday, July 1, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $58 a week; the maximum salary is $70.50 a week.

Vacancies: At present there is one vacancy for a male, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: To plan and allocate various plots for community vegetable and flower gardens, keep all the necessary pertinent records, and assist residents of the City of Boston in the cultivation, fertilization, and preparation of soil for the gardens; to assist in general park maintenance work, such as pruning and care of trees, requiring the ability to do tree climbing, tree surgery, and incidental cavity work; to assist in the planting and maintenance of small squares and deltas and in other incidental park work as directed by supervisors; and to perform related work as required.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5. Also a practical test in tree climbing.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject and must qualify in the practical test in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

HIGHWAY RECONSTRUCTION WORK.

PROPOSALS FOR BITUMINOUS CONCRETE PAVEMENT IN

Chiswick Terrace, Ward 22, from Chiswick Road to Approximately 85 Feet Northeast of Embassy Road; Dustin Street, Wards 21 and 22, from North Beacon Street to Cambridge Street; Embassy Road, Ward 22, from Chestnut Hill Avenue to Chiswick Terrace; Harvard Avenue, Ward 21, from Commonwealth Avenue to Brookline Line; Linden Street, Ward 21, from Cambridge Street to Commonwealth Avenue; Nottinghill Road, Ward 21, from Blenford Road and Melton Road to Nottinghill Road;

— and —

SHEET ASPHALT PAVEMENT IN North Harvard Street, Ward 22, from Cambridge Street to Hooker Street;

— and —

CROSSOVERS IN Commonwealth Avenue, Ward 21 (Southerly Reservation), from Thorndike Street to Harvard Avenue;

— and —

Such Additional Locations, If Any, in Wards 21 and 22, As May Be Designated by the Commissioner of Public Works.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for bituminous concrete pavement in Chiswick terrace, etc. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Bituminous Concrete Pavement in Chiswick Terrace, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, JULY 7, 1955, with a certified check for THIRTY-SIX HUNDRED (3,600) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(June 18.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING TRANSPORTATION OF FILMS, MOTION PICTURE EQUIPMENT, SCIENCE MATERIAL, AND SCHOOL EXHIBITS FOR BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing transportation of films, motion picture equipment, science material, and school exhibits. Proposal forms are obtainable at the office of the Business Manager of the School Committee, tenth floor, 15 Beacon street. Envelopes containing proposals must be sealed and plainly marked "Proposal for Furnishing Transportation of Films, Motion Picture Equipment, Science Material, and School Exhibits." The bid must be in duplicate. One copy, signed by the bidder, and accompanied by a certified check for one hundred dollars ($100), payable to the City of Boston, must be left at the office of the Business Manager on or before 12 o'clock noon on Tuesday, June 28, 1955. Copies filed with the Business Manager will be publicly opened and read at 12 o'clock noon of the day stated. The other copy, also signed by the bidder, must be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., previous to the time named for the opening of bids. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to accept such bid as may be deemed for the best interests of the city. The successful bidder will be required to furnish a suitable bond or deposit of money or other security in the amount of not less than 50 per cent of the amount of the contract.

HENRY J. SMITH,
Business Manager of the School Committee.
(June 18.)

No. 108—397.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING COPPER TUBING FOR PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, WATER DIVISION.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Monday, June 27, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Copper Tubing." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(June 18.) *Purchasing Agent.*

No. 107—369.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING STATIONERY SUPPLIES FOR THE PRINTING SECTION.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Tuesday, June 28, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Stationery Supplies." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(June 18.) *Purchasing Agent.*

THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING GROCERIES FOR BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOL CAFETERIAS AND M. GERTRUDE GODVIN SCHOOL.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing and delivering at Boston public school cafeterias and M. Gertrude Godvin School groceries as per schedule. Proposal forms are obtainable at the office of the Business Manager of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, tenth floor. Envelopes containing proposals must be sealed and plainly marked "Proposal for Furnishing Groceries for Boston Public School Cafeterias and M. Gertrude Godvin School." The bid must be in duplicate. One copy, signed by the bidder, and accompanied by a certified check, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount of at least 5 per cent of the total bid, must be left at the office of the Business Manager on or before 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, June 30, 1955. Copies filed with the Business Manager will be publicly opened and read at 12 o'clock noon of the day stated. The other copy, also signed by the bidder, must be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., previous to the time named for opening bids. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to accept the bid or part of bid which it deems best for the interests of the city. The bidder awarded the contract must furnish a suitable bond or deposit of money or other security for the faithful performance of the contract in the amount of not less than 50 per cent thereof.

HENRY J. SMITH,
Business Manager of the School Committee.
(June 18.)

No. 103—591.
6—63—71.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING LAUNDRY EQUIPMENT (SPREADER, TUMBLER, WASHWHEELS, AND EXTRACTOR) FOR THE HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Wednesday, June 29, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Laundry Equipment." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(June 18.) *Purchasing Agent.*

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CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING OFFICE AND HOSPITAL FURNITURE.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Wednesday, June 29, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Furniture." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(June 18.) *Purchasing Agent.*

No. 105—391.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING LUMBER (SPRUCE AND PINE) FOR THE BRIDGE SERVICE, PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Friday, June 24, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Lumber." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(June 18.) *Purchasing Agent.*

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CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

TO PAINTING CONTRACTORS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR INTERIOR AND EXTERIOR PAINTING, INCLUDING FIRE ESCAPE, AT CHAPMAN SCHOOL, EUTAW STREET, EAST BOSTON, MASS.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for interior and exterior painting, including fire escape, at the Chapman School, Eutaw street, East Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Monday, June 27, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals shall be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed and inclosed in a sealed envelope, plainly marked with the name of the bidder and the description of the work bid upon. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a certificate of deposit issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $500, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked. Bid bonds will not be accepted.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

A performance bond, issued by a surety company satisfactory to the Awarding Authority, in the full amount of the contract will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any and all bids if it be in the public interest so to do.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
(June 18.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

No. 104—397.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING WATER WORKS SUPPLIES (CURB COCKS AND COUPLINGS).

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Tuesday, June 28, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Water Works Supplies." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(June 18.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

CHANGES IN TRAFFIC RULES AND REGULATIONS.

Voted, That the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective June 20, 1955:

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out the following:

Berkeley Street, Boston Proper.
Southwest side, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from a point sixty (60) feet south of Boylston street to Boylston street, 24 hours.

Blue Hill Avenue, Roxbury.
East side, from Dudley street to Stanwood street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.

Clarendon Street, Boston Proper.
Northeast side, from Columbus avenue to Boylston street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Dorchester Avenue, Dorchester.
West side, from Hancock street to Adams street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Dorchester Avenue, South Boston.
West side, from Boston street to the bridge over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad near Kemp street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Harrison Avenue, Boston Proper.
Northwest side, from Dover street to East Brookline street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from East Newton street to East Concord street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.

Massachusetts Avenue, Boston Proper.
Northeast side, from Albany street to No. 566 Massachusetts avenue, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.
Northeast side, from No. 524 Massachusetts avenue to a point one hundred (100) feet southeast of the bridge over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.

Massachusetts Avenue, Dorchester and Roxbury.
Northeast side, from Edward Everett square to the Roxbury Canal, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.

Massachusetts Avenue, Roxbury.
Northeast side, from a point one hundred (100) feet northwest of the bridge over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad to Belvidere street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.
Northeast side, from Belvidere street to Commonwealth avenue, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Stuart Street, Boston Proper.
Both sides, from Church street to Arlington street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Summer Street, South Boston.
Southwest side, from a point two hundred and forty (240) feet northwest of D street to a point three hundred and sixty (360) feet northwest of D street, 24 hours.

Washington Street, Boston Proper.
East side, from Hanover street to Haymarket square, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," each of the following:

Beacon Street.
North side, from Storrow Memorial Drive to Clarendon street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from a point one hundred and fifty (150) feet west of Arlington street to Clarendon street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Berkeley Street.
Northeast side, from a point forty-five (45) feet west of Tremont street to a point sixty (60) feet southeast of Boylston street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from a point sixty (60) feet southeast of Boylston street to Boylston street, 24 hours.
Southwest side, from Warren avenue to Boylston street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from Boylston street to Commonwealth avenue, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Broadway.
Northeast side, from Stuart street to Tremont street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Shawmut street to Tremont street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Clarendon Street.
Southwest side, from Tremont street to Columbus avenue, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Columbus avenue to Boylston street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Boylston street to Commonwealth avenue, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Dartmouth Street.
Both sides, from Columbus avenue to Buckingham street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Dover Street.
South side, from Shawmut avenue to Tremont street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Harrison Avenue.
West side, from Kneeland street to Harvard street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Bennet street to Oak street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Motte street to Dover street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Dover street to East Brookline street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from East Newton street to East Concord street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Massachusetts Avenue.
Northeast side, from Albany street to No. 566 Massachusetts avenue, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from No. 524 Massachusetts avenue to a point one hundred (100) feet southeast of the bridge over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
St. James Avenue.
North side, from Arlington street to Berkeley street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Stuart Street.
South side, from Washington street to Tremont street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Warrenton street to Church street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, northerly arm, from Church street to Columbus avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
North side, southerly arm, from Church street to Columbus avenue, 24 hours.
South side, from Columbus avenue to Huntington avenue, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Washington Street.
East side, from Broadway to Harvard street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Adams square to Haymarket square, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the captions "Boston Proper," and "Roxbury," the following:

Charlesgate West.
West side, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Dorchester Avenue.
West side, from Ashmont street to Bailey street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the captions "Dorchester," and "Roxbury," the following:

Massachusetts Avenue.
Northeast side, from Edward Everett square to the Roxbury Canal, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the captions "Dorchester," and "South Boston," the following:

Dorchester Avenue.
West side, from Boston street to Adams street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," each of the following:

Blue Hill Avenue.
East side, from Dudley street to Geneva avenue, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.
Buena Vista Street.
North side, from Warren street to Walnut avenue, 24 hours.
Massachusetts Avenue.
Northeast side, from a point one hundred (100) feet northwest of the bridge over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad to Commonwealth avenue, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "South Boston," the following:

Summer Street.
Southwest side, from a point two hundred and forty (240) feet northwest of D street to a point three hundred and forty (340) feet northwest of D street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by striking out the following:

Beacon Street, Boston Proper.
North side, from Embankment road to a point ninety-three (93) feet east of Massachusetts avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from a point one hundred and fifty (150) feet west of Arlington street to Charlesgate East, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Berkeley Street, Boston Proper.
Both sides, from Warren avenue to Columbus avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from Columbus avenue to a point sixty (60) feet south of Boylston street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Columbus avenue to Stanhope street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Stuart street to Boylston street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from Boylston street to Commonwealth avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Northeast side, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Broadway, Boston Proper.
Southwest side, from Shawmut street to Tremont street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from Stuart street to Tremont street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Charlesgate West, Boston Proper and Roxbury.
West side, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Clarendon Street, Boston Proper.
Northeast side, from the bridge over the Boston & Albany Railroad to Boylston street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Southwest side, from the bridge over the Boston & Albany Railroad to Boylston street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Boylston street to Commonwealth avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Massachusetts Avenue, Roxbury.
Northeast side, from a point one hundred (100) feet northwest of the bridge over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad to Belvidere street, 10 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from Belvidere street to Commonwealth avenue, 10 A.M. to 4 P.M.

St. James Avenue, Boston Proper.
North side, from Arlington street to Berkeley street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Stuart Street, Boston Proper.
South side, from Washington street to Tremont street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Warrenton street to Broadway, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Broadway to Church street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Columbus avenue to Huntington avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Washington Street, Boston Proper.
East side, from Broadway to Harvard street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Adams square to Hanover street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Hanover street to Haymarket square, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," each of the following:

Beacon Street.
North side, from Storrow Memorial Drive to Clarendon street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
North side, from Clarendon street to a point ninety-three (93) feet east of Massachusetts avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from a point one hundred and fifty (150) feet west of Arlington street to Clarendon street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
South side, from Clarendon street to Charlesgate East, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Berkeley Street.
Both sides, from Warren avenue to Columbus avenue, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Northeast side, from Columbus avenue to a point sixty (60) feet south of Boylston street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Southwest side, from Columbus avenue to Stanhope street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Southwest side, from Stuart street to Boylston street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Northeast side, from Boylston street to Commonwealth avenue, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Both sides, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Broadway.
Southwest side, from Shawmut street to Tremont street, 9.30 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Northeast side, from Stuart street to Tremont street, 9.30 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Clarendon Street.
Both sides, from the bridge over the Boston & Albany Railroad to Boylston street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Southwest side, from Boylston street to Commonwealth avenue, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Southwest side, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

St. James Avenue.
North side, from Arlington street to Berkeley street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Stuart Street.
South side, from Washington street to Tremont street, 9.30 A.M. to 4 P.M.
South side, from Warrenton street to Broadway, 9.30 A.M. to 4 P.M.
South side, from Broadway to Church street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
South side, from Columbus avenue to Huntington avenue, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Washington Street.
East side, from Broadway to Harvard street, 9.30 A.M. to 4 P.M.
West side, from Adams square to Haymarket square, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the captions "Boston Proper," and "Roxbury," the following:

Charlesgate West.
West side, from Commonwealth avenue to Beacon street, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Massachusetts Avenue.
Northeast side, from a point one hundred (100) feet northwest of the bridge over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad to Commonwealth avenue, 10 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Article IV, Section 6, Part 3 (Restrictions in Cent and Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by striking out the following:

Blue Hill Avenue, Roxbury.
East side, from Dove street to Stanwood street, 10 A.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Stanwood street to Geneva avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 6, Part 3 (Restrictions in Cent and Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Blue Hill Avenue.
East side, from Dove street to Geneva avenue, 10 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 8 (Angle Parking in Left Side of One-Way Streets), is amended by adding the following:

Beacon Street, Brighton.
Northwest roadway, southeast (reservation) side, from Ayr road to a point one hundred and five (105) feet southwest of Ayr road.

Article IV, Section 16A, Part 2 (Parking of Vehicles Owned by the United States Government), is amended by striking out the following:

Summer Street, South Boston.
Southwest side, from a point two hundred and forty (240) feet northwest of D street to a point three hundred and sixty (360) feet northwest of D street.

Article IV, Section 16A, Part 2 (Parking of Vehicles Owned by the United States Government), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "South Boston," the following:

Summer Street.
Southwest side, from a point two hundred and forty (240) feet northwest of D street to a point three hundred and forty (340) feet northwest of D street.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," the following:

West Cedar Street.
At Revere street.

WM. ARTHUR REILLY,
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A true copy.
Attest:
W. T. DOYLE, *Executive Secretary.*

(June 11-18.)

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HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION WORK INVOLVING BOWDOIN AVENUE, ST. WILLIAM STREET, AND SOUTH MUNROE TERRACE, DORCHESTER, TO BE RESUMED AND COMPLETED BY BAKER & COMPANY—ADAMS ASPHALT COMPANY, INC., MET WITH FINANCIAL DIFFICULTIES AND RETIRED FROM JOB—CITY LOSES NOTHING.

Contractors Baker & Co., Inc., have been designated by the Commissioner of Public Works, George G. Hyland, with the approval of Mayor Hynes, to complete the highway construction work involving Bowdoin avenue, Ward 14, St. William street, Ward 13, and South Munroe terrace, Ward 16. This contract was originally awarded to the Adams Asphalt Company, Inc., but was not completed because of financial difficulties. The work will now be completed as originally intended by Baker & Co. so that the city will not be placed at any disadvantage or financial loss. The letter from Commissioner Hyland with the explanation reads as follows:

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ALL IN READINESS FOR MAYOR'S FIELD DAY ON TUESDAY EVENING AT FENWAY PARK—HUGE AND VARIED ENTERTAINMENT PROGRAM BEING PROVIDED FOR GUESTS OF MAYOR HYNES AND FRIENDS.

Free parking will be available to all spectators at the 1955 Mayor's Charity Field Day, at Fenway Park, on Tuesday evening. This convenience was made possible through the generosity of the Back Bay parking lot owners, to stimulate attendance at this civic and charitable event.

Headlining an all-star entertainment cast, *al fresco,* will be Morton Downey, famed singing star of stage, screen, and television. In addition, a beautiful 1955 Cadillac convertible, and an eight-day all expenses paid air trip to Hollywood, via American Airlines, will be prizes awarded to lucky ticket holders.

On hand for the festivities for this six-hour sports and theatrical show will be Archbishop Richard J. Cushing, Mayor John B. Hynes, and many other civic and state dignitaries.

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VETERANS' BENEFITS SOARED $32,272.56 ABOVE THOSE OF THE SAME MONTH IN 1954, ACCORDING TO REPORT TO MAYOR JOHN B. HYNES BY COMMISSIONER VICTOR C. BYNOE OF VETERANS' SERVICES DEPARTMENT—1,679 CASES WERE AIDED, INVOLVING 3,258 INDIVIDUALS—267 CASES CLOSED OUT.

Expenditures for veteran' benefits for April of this year were $32,272.56 higher than for the same month in 1954, the report from Commissioner Victor C. Bynoe of the Veterans' Services Department to Mayor John B. Hynes shows.

During the month of April of this year there were 1,679 cases aided, involving 3,258 individuals. During that period 267 cases were closed. The full report to the Mayor reads as follows:

BOSTON, June 7, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

SIR:

I have the honor to submit the report of the Veterans' Services Department for the month of April, 1955.

Very truly yours,

VICTOR C. BYNOE, *Commissioner.*

Expenditures for April, 1955.

	Civil War	Spanish War	Mexican War	World War I	World War II	Korean War	Totals
Regular Rolls	$192 20	$1,994 20	$371 00	$26,887 48	$62,535 03	$4,992 00	$96,971 91
Emergency	—	—	—	882 00	6,019 50	986 00	7,887 50
Bills	7 50	683 79	—	3,903 81	9,773 14	254 93	14,623 17
Burials	—	150 00	—	710 23	199 00	—	1,059 23
Hospital	—	973 00	165 00	10,714 00	21,772 00	1,390 00	35,014 00
Supplementary	—	—	—	930 25	3,692 61	282 50	4,905 36
Totals	$199 70	$3,800 99	$536 00	$44,027 77	$103,991 28	$7,905 43	$160,461 17

Relief Expenditures Comparison.

	April, 1955	Mar., 1955	April, 1954
Civil War	$192 20	$192 20	$202 20
Spanish	1,994 20	2,155 18	2,416 02
Mexican	371 00	389 00	322 00
World War I	26,887 48	26,840 48	25,142 69
World War II	62,535 03	68,360 52	49,260 82
Korean	4,992 00	5,529 00	2,059 00
Emergency	7,887 50	9,844 00	7,896 85
Burials	1,059 23	1,699 25	1,107 56
Bills	14,623 17	12,313 74	7,273 07
Hospital	35,014 00	27,200 00	26,647 00
Supplementary	4,905 36	4,923 27	5,951 38
Totals	$160,461 17	$159,446 64	$128,188 59

(*Continued on page 779.*)

"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean;
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, June 27, at 2 P.M.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries, or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the Complaints Division, Room 25, City Hall.

Information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways, the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments of streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped area for streets and the opening of private ways; the making of specific repairs in public streets; the naming of public streets, including the use of public ways for location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railways, coal holes, and vaults, may be secured from the Public Improvement Commission, Room 403, City Hall Annex.

TO THE BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION, 112 Southampton street, for information relative to regulation of vehicular street traffic on all or any streets, ways, highways, roads, and parkways under the control of the City of Boston, the issuing of all permits in connection therewith.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting, and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of Sumner Tunnel, the maintenance of bridges and draw-bridges, and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Haymarket Square, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish, and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughterhouses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases, of public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth Avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park, and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts, also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview, and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

TO THE DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS, 28 Norman street, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

TO THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, ROOM 907, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal, or tearing down buildings.

TO THE ELECTRICAL INSPECTION DIVISION OF THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT, 1001 City Hall Annex, for all information relative to the erection of poles, building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division; also for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings of the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

TO THE BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT, 43 City Hall, relative to changes in the boundary lines of zoning districts of the City of Boston as established by chapter 488 of the Acts of 1924, and amendments thereto.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending June 18, 1955.

Population as of July, 1950, Massachusetts State Census, 817,713; population estimated July, 1954, United States Census Bureau, 813,696; number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 151; nonresidents, 58; total, 209.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 13.02; nonresidents deducted, 9.87.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:

Last week, 12.56; corresponding week last year, 14.46.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 10; one year to four years, inclusive, 1; sixty years and over, 136. Total deaths: Male, 119; female, 90; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 161.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended June 18, 1955.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended June 19, 1954.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior Poliomyelitis	1	—	—	—
Diphtheria	—	—	—	—
Encephalitis Lethargica	—	—	—	—
Influenza	—	—	—	—
Measles	15	—	374	—
Meningitis Epidemic	—	—	—	—
Pneumonia (lobar)	—	—	—	2
Scarlet Fever	22	—	9	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary)	8	3	15	7
Childhood Type Tuberculosis	—	—	—	—
Tuberculosis (other forms)	1	1	—	1
Typhoid Fever	—	—	—	—
Whooping Cough	—	—	7	—

* Residents and nonresidents included.

MONTHLY REPORT OF VETERANS' SERVICES SHOWS INCREASE OVER SAME PERIOD IN 1954.

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Total Cases Aided.

	April, 1955	Mar., 1955	April, 1954
Civil War	5	5	6
Spanish	55	58	65
Mexican	5	5	4
World War I	569	564	536
World War II	959	1,025	810
Korean	86	108	51
Totals	1,679	1,765	1,472

Expenditures for veterans' benefits April, 1955, show an increase of $32,272.58 in comparison with expenditures for the corresponding period of 1954.

The 1,679 cases aided during the month of April, 1955, represent a total of 3,258 individuals benefited through the financial facilities of the Veterans' Services Department.

There were 267 cases closed during the month of April, 1955, because of obtaining employment, having been awarded unemployment compensation, receiving social security, and becoming ineligible to receive financial assistance for miscellaneous other reasons.

Classification of Cases Aided During April, 1955.

	Civil War	Spanish War	Mexican War	World War I	World War II	Korean War
Unemployable veterans	0	2	1	234	238	31
Employable veterans	0	0	0	51	252	30
Wives	0	0	0	1	16	3
Widows	3	53	4	255	43	0
Children	2	0	0	7	27	0
Mothers	0	0	0	19	338	19
Fathers	0	0	0	2	45	3
	5	55	5	569	959	86

ORIGINAL APPLICATIONS.

Brought forward	49
Made during April	112
Granted	67
Rejected	40
Referred to other cities and towns	17
Investigations not completed	37

REAPPLICATIONS.

Brought forward	207
Made during April	176
Granted	131
Rejected	30
Referred to other cities and towns	2
Investigations not completed	220

During the month of April, 1955, the department collected $1,244 which represents refunds by former beneficiaries who were found to have drawn aid under circumstances which warranted its return to the City of Boston.

Very truly yours,
VICTOR C. BYNOE, *Commissioner.*

CONSTRUCTION WORK IN DORCHESTER TO BE COMPLETED BY BAKER & CO.

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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,
BOSTON, June 14, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

Under date of September 2, 1954, a contract in the amount of $49,865.75 was awarded to Adams Asphalt Company, Inc., of 53 Blanche street, Cambridge, for highway construction work, involving Bowdoin avenue, Ward 14, St. William street, Ward 13, and South Munroe terrace, Ward 16.

The contractor started work on this contract on October 4, 1954, but his operations were restricted to the removal of trees on Bowdoin avenue up to the time that work was suspended for the winter months. Operations were resumed on May 2, and under date of May 25, I received a notification from a representative of the contractor to the effect that due to financial difficulties, said firm had ceased operations on the subject contract.

In other words, the firm went into bankruptcy. I immediately contacted the surety on the contract, the Peerless Casualty Company, and requested said company to complete the work under the terms and conditions of the surety bond. Subsequently, I was notified by a representative of the latter-referenced company that arrangements had been made with Baker & Co., Inc., 3475 Washington street, Jamaica Plain, to complete the contract in accordance with the terms and conditions of the contract document, with the understanding that the new contractor would be paid an additional fixed sum of $4,600 for completing the work. The city will not be required to pay any more than it would have paid to the Adams Asphalt if the latter contractor completed the work, as the additional sum of $4,600 will be paid at no additional cost to the city in the manner described hereinafter.

Acting on advice of the Law Department, it is my intention to recommend the award of a contract to Baker & Co., Inc., in the original amount of the contract, namely, $49,865.75, less the amount of $4,282.40, due for the work previously done by the Adams Asphalt Company, plus the fixed sum of $4,600 agreed upon between representatives of the Baker Company and the Peerless Casualty Company, less the amount of $317.60, which represents the sum that the bonding company will pay to the City of Boston at the time of the execution of the new contract to Baker & Co., Inc.

This amount of $317.60 will then be turned over to the Baker Company by the city, and arrangements will be made in the new contract to provide for the payment to Baker & Co., of $4,282.40, which represents the amount due for the work done by the Adams Asphalt Company. Under this arrangement, Baker & Co. will be paid the $4,600 fixed fee agreed upon by the bonding company. These computations and this arrangement appear rather involved, but they result in the award of a contract in the amount of the original contract, namely, $49,865.75, to the Baker Company, and they also result in the payment of the

fixed sum of $4,600 to the latter-referenced contractor without any additional cost to the City of Boston.

In a situation of this kind, the Law Department informs me that the city must take steps to award the unfinished part of the contract work to a contractor selected by the bonding company, at a price agreed upon by the selected contractor and the bonding company, with the express understanding that after the work included in the original contract has been completed and the city has paid the selected contractor the amount due, the total cost to the city will be the same as the cost would have been if the original contractor, in this instance, Adams Asphalt Company, Inc., had completed the contract work in accordance with the terms, conditions, and bid prices prevailing in the original contract.

For these reasons, therefore, I respectfully request your approval to dispense with advertising, and to award a contract in the amount of $49,865.75 to Baker & Co., Inc., of 3475 Washington street, Jamaica Plain, for constructing Bowdoin avenue, Ward 14, St. William street, Ward 13, and South Munroe terrace, Ward 16, in accordance with all pertinent terms, conditions, and unit prices that are in effect in the contract that was abandoned by the original contractor, Adams Asphalt Company, Inc., on May 25 of the current year, with the understanding that an item will be included in the contract to pay the contractor the above-referenced amount of $4,282.40.

It is understood that all pertinent provisions of the original contract will remain in full force and effect, including the provisions of Article 3, which state, in effect, that the department reserves the right to increase or diminish the quantities in any of the items, provided that the sum of all said items does not exceed 25 per cent of the total of the original proposal.

In this instance, the original proposal, in my opinion, is $45,583.35, which represents the contract sum less the $4,282.40, which is the value of the work previously done by Adams Asphalt Company, Inc. As stated hereinbefore, the work involved in the new contract, plus the work done by the Adams Company on the old contract, will not cost the city any more than if the original contractor had completed the contract in accordance with all terms, conditions, and unit prices of the original contract.

Respectfully yours,

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

"MECHANICAL ENGINEERING WEEK" DECLARATION.

Three quarters of a century ago a few far-sighted leaders founded the American Society of Mechanical Engineers to promote "the arts and sciences connected with engineering and mechanical construction," to provide means for the mutual self-improvement of engineers, and to render greater service to mankind.

In years that have passed, the imagination, competence, and energy of the members of that society, individually and in association with others who have given freely of their time and resources, have borne fruit in the glorious record of such accomplishments as engineers are fitted by genius and experience to attain in the advancement of peace and the material welfare of the free world.

In 1955, the American Society of Mechanical Engineers is celebrating its Seventy-Fifth Anniversary by rededicating itself to the task of building our nation's engineering strength for greater service in the ever-widening fields of engineering application by truth and by service to enrich mankind; therefore,

I, JOHN B. HYNES, Mayor of the City of Boston, do hereby designate the week of June 20 as "Mechanical Engineering Week," to be appropriately recognized by the citizens of the City of Boston.

JOHN B. HYNES, *Mayor.*

GALA PROGRAM IN READINESS FOR MAYOR'S FIELD DAY.

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Tickets are now on sale at Field Day Headquarters, Room 108, City Hall Annex, and will also be on sale at Fenway Park. Tickets are priced at $1 for general admission, $2 for Reserved Seats, $3 for Box Seats, and $4 for Skyview Seats.

Top CYO Bands and Bugle and Drum Corps will present a colorful musical pageant early in the evening.

All proceeds from the annual Mayor's Charity Field Day are used to aid Boston's handicapped and underprivileged citizens whose needs are not provided for by the local charitable agencies; such items as wheelchairs, crutches, artificial eyes and limbs, hospital beds, are only a few of the aids supplied by Field Day funds.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

COMMUNITY GARDEN PLANNER, BOSTON PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT, JULY 22, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Friday, July 1, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $58 a week; the maximum salary is $70.50 a week.

Vacancies: At present there is one vacancy for a male, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: To plan and allocate various plots for community vegetable and flower gardens, keep all the necessary pertinent records, and assist residents of the City of Boston in the cultivation, fertilization, and preparation of soil for the gardens; to assist in general park maintenance work, such as pruning and care of trees, requiring the ability to do tree climbing, tree surgery, and incidental cavity work; to assist in the planting and maintenance of small squares and deltas and in other incidental park work as directed by supervisors; and to perform related work as required.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5. Also a practical test in tree climbing.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject and must qualify in the practical test in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following personnel changes:

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

The resignation of Anne Watts, junior bacteriologist, has been accepted.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

For the week ending June 7:

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Esther Bandlow, 5 Reddy avenue, Hyde Park, 2 days; Priscilla Beckwith, 686 Massachusetts avenue, Ruby Childs, 270 Huntington avenue, Gertrude Clark, 13 Rosa street, Hyde Park, 6 days; Marcelyn Curry, 64 Rosseter street, Dorchester, 2 days; Patricia Camirand, 41 Falmouth street, 1 day; Adele Daly, 30 Aspinwall avenue, North Weymouth, 3 days; Eleanor Duffley, 35 Edwin street, Dorchester, 2 days; Catherine Dorman, 64 Cliff avenue, Winthrop, 5 days; Dolores Diggs, 20 Holborn street, Roxbury, Yolander Evans, 126 Waverly street, Everett, 4 days; Anna Ferrara, 53 Blue Hill avenue, Milton, 7 days; Christine Finn, 23 Commonwealth avenue, Mary Fraser, 99 Norway street, 1 day; Diana Guinta, 42 Topliff street, Dorchester, 2 days; Virginia Hamilton, 827 River street, Mattapan, Veronica Lombard, 8 Doris street, Dorchester, Anne Lynsky, 52 Telsa street, Medford, 3 days; Loretta Lynch, 270 Huntington avenue, Claire McCue, 74 Robinwood road, Dedham, 4 days; Veronica McElligott, 34 Dickinson street, Somerville, 7 days; Anne McInnis, 853 East Third street, South Boston, 5 days; Mary R. Mahan, 29 Kempton street, 7 days; Carmella Messina, 102 Highland road, Somerville, 1 day; Anna Murphy, 115 Peterborough street, 4 days; Audrey Mailhot, 30 Walton street, Dorchester, 1 day; Angelina Mulloney, 1235 Trapelo road, Waltham, 2 days; Agnes O'Connor, 270 Huntington avenue, 7 days; Estelle Paris, 167 Fayerweather street, Cambridge, 1 day; Dora Picarsky, 31 Edison Green, Dorchester, 5 days; Romaine Riley, 171 Humboldt avenue, Roxbury, Edmund Shea, 29 East Concord street, 2 days; Bernice Smith, 105 Walnut avenue, Roxbury, 3 days; Mabel Smith, 87 Bartlett road, Winthrop, 1 day; Helen Spillane, 499 Park street, Stoughton, Mabel Steed, 87 Bartlett road, Winthrop, 5 days; Margaret M. Sullivan, 28 Weymouth street, Holbrook, 7 days; Isabel Sutton, 121 Boston street, Dorchester, Florence Sullivan, Ila Ward, 79 Warren street, Roxbury, 2 days; Kathryn Welch, 49 East Springfield street, 6 days; Teresa Sullivan, 10 Hatch street, South Boston, Mary Edwards, 428 Adams street, Dorchester, Ethel Goff, 40 Rockwell street, Dorchester, Alyce N. Powers, 67 Prospect avenue, Wollaston, 1 day.

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—Luke Bishop, 25 Arnold street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; Albert Dolaher, 22 Temple street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $55.50 a week; William R. Fitzgerald, 39 Wendover street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; Michael A. Gibbons, 18 Brandon avenue, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $45.50 a week; Alton Pierce, 724 Harrison avenue, Frank J. Raineri, 440 Han-

over street, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; Colee Smith, 11 Juniper street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $50.50 a week; Mary G. Welsh, 10 Belmore terrace, Jamaica Plain, senior hospital house worker, $63 a week; M. Virginia Jones, 105 West Springfield street, dietitian, $76.50 a week; Jane K. McGrath, 44 Eldridge road, medical social worker, $73 a week; Eleanor M. Delaney, 67 Division street, North Quincy, floor nurse, $63 a week; Ellen Greene, 112 Brown avenue, Roslindale, floor nurse, $68 a week; Marilyn Horne, 37 Regent street, Roxbury, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Ruth V. Issokson, 58 Cheney street, Roxbury, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour; Anne Masel, 103 Waverly street, Everett, floor nurse, $63 a week; Claire Murphy, 32 Worcester square, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour; Takako Salvi, 123 Harvard street, Cambridge, floor nurse, $1.70 an hour; Pauline Smith. 17 Raven street, Dorchester, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Anna Traverse, 11 North Anderson street, floor nurse, $65.50 a week.

Temporary.—Mary Biancucci, 173 Trenton street, East Boston, Helen E. Kenney, 116 Eustis street, Roxbury, Elaine T. Mone, 10 Lambert street, Roxbury, Ethel M. Watkins, 4 Jess street, Jamaica Plain, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; George J. Connors, 432 Shawmut avenue, hospital house worker, $43 a week; Helen M. Wybieralla, 15 Vancouver street, hospital house worker, $53 a week; Claire F. Bilapka, 40 Fenway, Margaret Cheney, 54 Hollingsworth street, Mattapan, Mary E. King, 1 Judson road, Weymouth, Virginia G. MacCalmon, 58 Morse street, Watertown, Audrey Mailhot, 33 Cedar street, Mattapan, Veronica McElligott, 34 Dickinson street, Somerville, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour; Dr. Thomas C. Chalmers, Boston City Hospital, assistant physician, $3,764 a year.

The following nurses have been appointed:

Permanent.—Margaret Crowson, 45 Garrison road, Brookline, Patricia B. Johnson, 68 Willowwood street, Dorchester, floor nurses, $48 a week; Irene Picarsky, 31 Edison Green, Dorchester, floor nurse, $45 a week.

Temporary.—Mary E. King, 1 Judson road, Weymouth, Veronica McElligott, 34 Dickinson street, Somerville, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour.

Long Island Division.

The following changes have been made for the week ending June 8:

Terminations.—Albert F. Perris, hospital kitchen worker, emergency; Dora Richards, Donald R. Schneof, Charles R. Taylor, attendant nurses.

Cancellations.—Loren D. Cox, Philip T. Frank, attendant nurses. Vacation supply.

Appointments.

CITY PLANNING BOARD.

William A. Withington. 20 Hancock street, Winchester, senior planner, $90.50 a week.

CIVIL DEFENSE.

Patricia B. (O'Brien) Cavallaro, 18 Trescott street, Dorchester, secretary, $63 a week.

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING JUNE 21.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Joseph Griffin	26 Arhorway	19	Alterations, dwelling	$525
H. Jacohs	12 Ashland street	16	Alterations, dwelling	85
Barnet Samuels, Inc	322 Beacon street	5	Fire escape, dwelling	65
William Marine	19 Bellevue Hill road	20	Alterations, dwelling	300
Joseph McWilliams	286 Bunker Hill street	2	Fire escape, dwelling	318
Edward Doherty	39 Chelsea street	2	Sign, tavern	200
Commonwealth Pharmacy	1394 Commonwealth avenue	21	Sign, store, dwelling	1,000
William McSheron	15 Dalkeith street	13	Alterations, dwelling	500
Sarah Joh	54 Dearhorn street	8	Alterations, dwelling	100
Patrick McDonough	226 East Cottage street	7	Alterations, dwelling	250
Francis David	808 East Fifth street	6	Alterations, dwelling	2,200
Helen Flynn	812 East Fifth street	6	Alterations, dwelling	775
Vincent Chaine	10 Freeman avenue	20	Excavation	100
Louis Glick	180 Friend street	3	Alterations, store, storage	450
Francis Savage	19 Granada avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	1,300
Huhert McDowell	202 Harold street	12	Alterations, dwelling	960
John and Violet Shea	210 Heath street	10	Alterations, dwelling	640
Richard and Anna Callahan	90 High street	2	Fire escape, dwelling	165
Connie Ritz	96 High street	2	Fire escape, dwelling	165
S. D. Walker Jr	17 and 19 Hobson street	22	Alterations, dwelling	900
Celeste Andreozzi	1437 Hyde Park avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	400
Margaret McLaughlin	122 Milton avenue	17	Alterations, dwelling	225
Christo Matthews	194 Thornton street	11	Alterations, dwelling	595
Lillian Casey	48 Train street	16	Alterations, dwelling	2,200
Mary Enos	132 Trenton street	1	Alterations, dwelling	200
T. O'Toole	201 Washington street	21	Alterations, dwelling	800
Ocean Realty Inc	156-170 Blue Hill avenue	13	Alterations, store	900
Harry Winter	1192 Blue Hill avenue	14	Sign, store	300
Harold Matlin	97 and 99 Brook avenue	8	Alterations, dwelling, office	50
Angelina Torchia	19½ Charter street	3	Alterations, dwelling	650
Brodigan Motor	711 Columhia road	7	Alterations, storage, garage	2,000
Jennie Zamhito	157 Cornell street	18	Alterations, dwelling	300
Sarah Goldberg	109 Deering road	14	Alterations, dwelling	500
Annie Chalfin	616 Dudley street	8	Alterations, dwelling	200
Nicholas Bonelli	350 East Eighth street	12	Alterations, dwelling	50
Jacoh Cohen	542 East Eighth street	7	Alterations, store, dwelling	300
Elizaheth Diggins	50 Hancock street	13	Alterations, dwelling	250
John McLaughlin	77 Humholdt avenue	12	Alterations, dwelling	300
Clifford Manufacturing Co	175 Ipswich street	5	Alterations, manufacturing	750
James Haverty	28 Justin road	22	Alterations, dwelling	250
Hazel Brady	27 Longfellow street	15	Alterations, dwelling	300
Clarence Courtney	232 Magnolia street	14	Alterations, dwelling	200
Bunker Hill Civic Committee	438 Main street	2	Temporary carnival	100
John Davenport	1 Menlo street	22	Alterations, dwelling	450
Alhert Camelo	66 Millet street	17	Alterations, dwelling	80
William Horne	9 Neponset avenue	16	Alterations, dwelling	300
Mass. General Hospital	20 North Anderson street	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,500
Gerald Cole	34 Rosecliff street	18	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Leo Goode	43 Seymour street	19	Alterations, dwelling	980
F. DeRoma	31 Sunset Hill road	20	Excavation	100
Marguerite Walsh	124 Tremont street	22	Alterations, dwelling	700
Steven Vrattas	487 Tremont street	5	Alterations, store, dwelling	300
Patsy Marchitelli	1065 Tremont street	9	Sign, manufacturing	50
Thomas Linton	2 Vista street	18	Alterations, dwelling	990
James Sullivan	704 Washington street	22	Alterations, dwelling	400
Joseph Anderson	145 West street	18	Alterations, cleaners	300
A. Black	208 Westville street	14	Alterations, dwelling	400
Joseph Bonarrigo	61 Woodard road	20	Alterations, dwelling	399
Victor H. Nohile	227 Park Drive	21	Alterations, dwelling	None
Ofgant Jackson Chevrolet	460 Blue Hill avenue	14	Sign, garage, sales	$450
Dairy Cane Company	230 Bowdoin street	15	Sign, stores	95
Louis Lowinstein	799 Boylston street	5	Signs, office, stores	985
Michael Lastonia	1024 and 1026 Boylston st.	4	Alterations, dwelling, restaurant	250
Zarah Weinstein	30 Burrell street	8	Alterations, dwelling	800
Zarah Weinstein	32 Burrell street	8	Alterations, dwelling	800
Mr. Yanakis	25 Camhridge street	3	Alterations, hotel	350
Ernest Rivard	396 Centre street	16	Alterations, dwelling	220
Ernest Rivard	398 Centre street	16	Alterations, dwelling	220
First National Bank	17 Chestnut Hill avenue	22	Alterations, dwelling	500
Frank Davenport	73 Cliftondale street	18	Alterations, dwelling	990
Morris Rohbins	1605 Columhus avenue	11	Sign, caterer	80
Hayward Cox	7 Dalkeith street	13	Alterations, dwelling	670
J. Gustafson	38 Dorset street	7	Alterations, dwelling	175
Mrs. Pagliocca	730 East Fifth street	7	Alterations, dwelling	475
A. Bongiorno	764 East Fourth street	7	Alterations, dwelling	350
John W. Savage	627 East Sixth street	7	Alterations, dwelling	180
J. Fine	142 Friend street	3	Alterations, store, storage	125
Frank Pistorino	54 Gates street	7	Alterations, dwelling	800
William Green	166 and 168 Glenway street	14	Alterations, dwelling	500
Eugene Magnis	154 Green street	19	Sign, lunch room	90
Dorothy Mason	46 Greenwich street	15	Alterations, dwelling	75
Philip Shief	63 Hartford street	13	Alterations, dwelling	250
Clarence Savage	102 Kendall street	9	Alterations, dwelling	1,300
John A. Bosworth	142 Keystone street	20	Alterations, dwelling	225
S. Holsherg	26 Kingston street	3	Sign, stores	90
Temple Allen	96 Kittredge street	18	Alterations, dwelling	1,200
P. Needleman	52 Laurel street	12	Sign, lunch room	90
John Calnan	7 Leslie street	16	Alterations, dwelling	50
Mary Fitzgerald	8 Leslie street	16	Alterations, dwelling	75
P. Santuoso	205 London street	1	Alterations, dwelling	100
A. Ranora	207 London street	1	Fire escape, dwelling	200
Samuel Singer	113 Quincy street	13	Alterations, dwelling	360
Stella Rossi	342 Saratoga street	1	Alterations, dwelling	200
Sadie Cantor	12 South Huntington avenue	10	Sign, lunch room	100
T. O'Loughlin	20 Spaulding street	16	Alterations, dwelling	100
Quincy Market	26 T Wharf	3	Alterations, office, storage	150
Teresa Barry	91 Washington street	2	Alterations, dwelling	160
Enrico Sirignano	3984 Washington street	19	Alterations, dwelling	1,600
Tina LaMarca	185 Webster street	1	Alterations, dwelling	65

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING JUNE 21.—Concluded.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Lewis MacRae	141 West Selden street	18	Alterations, dwelling	$150
Peter Cassell	30 Whiting street	12	Alterations, dwelling	305
E. Astoria	1026 Boylston street	4	Fire escape, store, dwelling	50
Old Colony Trust Company	1028 Boylston street	4	Fire escape, store, dwelling	50
A. Brothers	63 Centre street	9	Fire escape, store, dwelling	70
Mrs. Travers	36 Cherokee street	10	Alterations, dwelling	900
Gertrude Beswick	287 Hancock street	15	Fire repairs, dwelling	600
J. Hurley	21 Linwood street	9	Fire escape, dwelling	250
John O'Hare	79 Milton avenue	17	Alterations, dwelling	200
Abraham Rabinowitz	27 Mindoro street	9	Alterations, garage	600
Sydney Luker	1 Moulton street	2	Fire repairs, store, dwelling	400
Mary Hayes	30 Mozart street	10	Alterations, dwelling	360
A. Boba	2 Noyes Place	2	Fire escape, bakery, dwelling	300
Herbert Madden Company	17–23 Phipps street	2	Alterations, storage	900
Francis Dunn	109 Rockview street	19	Alterations, dwelling	200
H. M. Bangs & Sons	1140 Saratoga street	1	Alterations, storage, warehouse	300
Robert Gordon	718 Shawmut avenue	9	Sign, store, dwelling	10
Fred Younger	91 Waumbeck street	12	Alterations, dwelling	300
Harry Levine	5 Wayne street	12	Alterations, dwelling	620
E. Smith	18 Welles avenue	17	Alterations, dwelling	150
Joseph Byrne	99 West Broadway	6	Alterations, store, dwelling	150
Mr. Manhatten	455 West Broadway	6	Alterations, store, dwelling	650
L. Day	227 West Canton street	9	Fire escape, rooming house	50
L. Day	229 West Canton street	9	Fire escape, lodging house	50
N. P. Barker	672 West Roxbury Parkway	20	Alterations, dwelling	410
August Koch	36 Zeller street	20	Alterations, dwelling	470
Ann T. Maloof	58 Antwerp street	22	Alterations, dwelling	75
Gertrude Haggerty	55 Archdale road	19	Alterations, dwelling	990
Josephine Ferrino	21 Bennington street	1	Fire escape, dwelling	60
Josephine Ferrino	23 Bennington street	1	Fire escape, dwelling	60
Peter Connolly	190 Bolton street	7	Take-down, dwelling	300
Joseph Goldberg	319 Border street	1	Alterations, dwelling	200
Joseph Goldberg	321 Border street	1	Alterations, dwelling	200
Joseph Goldberg	323 Border street	1	Alterations, dwelling	200
Walker Building Trust	116 Boylston street	5	Alterations, store, office	500
R. R. Higgins	525 Commercial street	3	Sign, lobster dealer	100
M.T.A.	543 Commercial street	3	Sign, store, office	100
Robert Graham	65 Dudley street	9	Take-down, dwelling	890
Joseph Leverone	55 Elm street	2	Alterations, dwelling	545
Francis DeSaviano	39 Elmont street	14	Alterations, dwelling	900
David Kaplan	1 Fountain square	12	Alterations, dwelling	100
A. Tima	31 Highland street	9	Alterations, dwelling	700
William H. Kelley	14 Lexington street	2	Alterations, dwelling	490
Joseph Sugure	277 Metropolitan avenue	18	Excavation	100
Joseph Vaccara	30 Moore street	1	Alterations, dwelling	100
A. L. Fistel	140–144 Oliver street	3	Sign, manufacturing, office	100
Carlo Corino	11 Snow street	22	Fire escape, dwelling	280
Carlo Corino	15 Snow street	22	Fire escape, dwelling	395
Harry Ziman	37 Spring street	3	Alterations, store, storage	200
Ruth Raycraft	9 Stock street	16	Alterations, dwelling	800
Catherine Murray	33 Sumner street	7	Alterations, dwelling	95
Jerry Nigro	245 and 247 Sumner street	1	Sign, storage	100
Anthony Ciaccia	192 Sycamore street	19	Alterations, dwelling	900
James T. Downes	Rear 3886 Washington street	19	Alterations, dwelling	90
Julis Solomon	28 Winston road	14	Alterations, dwelling	165
Bernard A. Jaffe	21 Winthrop street	12	Alterations, dwelling	1,800
William T. Potter	30 Winthrop street	12	Alterations, dwelling	890
Ernest Borolotto	42 Woodcliff street	13	Alterations, dwelling	80
Samuel Katz	135 Woodrow avenue	14	Alterations, dwelling	300

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Albert F. Marando, 74 East Lenox street, junior building custodian, $53 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Vincent Gookin, 221 Corey street, West Roxbury, media man, $49.11 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Rabbi Benjamin L. Grossman, 190 Ruthven street, Roxbury, chaplain, $205.33 a month.

Robert Misiewicz, 78 Orchard street, Jamaica Plain, ambulance and medical aid man, $53 a week.

Dr. Norman Salverstone, Thorndike Memorial Laboratory, assistant physician, $313.67 a month.

Virginia Soule, 49 South Huntington avenue, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Thomas Morton, 97 King street, Dorchester, ambulance and medical aid man, $53 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

Eastman Kelley, 44 Maynard street, Roslindale, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Long Island Division.

Ann M. O'Donnell, 91 Dix street, Dorchester, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

John F. Donahue, 77 Waldeck street, Dorchester, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

John J. Clasby, 289 Fuller street, Dorchester, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Joseph J. Lyons, Jr., 150 Foster street, Brighton, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Edward French, 27 Cook street, Charlestown, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Herbert R. Howden, Jr., 196 Austin street, Hyde Park, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Brendan Fitzpatrick, 72 Winthrop street, Charlestown, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Joseph W. Duncan, 23 East Elm avenue, Wollaston, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Marlyn L. Cormier, 56 Commonwealth avenue, swimming instructor, $58 a week.

Virginia A. Burkholder, 231 Park Drive, playleader, $40 a week.

Mary R. Nolan, 11 Bertson avenue, West Roxbury, playleader, $40 a week.

Evelyn B. Harris, 24 Gayland street, Dorchester, playleader, $40 a week.

Helen F. Freeman, 18 Treadway road, Dorchester, recreation instructor, $58 a week.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

House of Correction.

Henry W. O'Brien, 22 Hewlett street, Roslindale, steam fireman, $60.50 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Bridge-Tunnel Division.

Thomas L. Kerwin, 1057 Morton street, Dorchester, electrician-operator, $68 a week.

Sewer Division.

James V. Duffy, 192 Milton street, Dorchester, electrician-operator, $68 a week.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

Dennis V. Farrell, 268 Gallivan Boulevard, Dorchester, junior building custodian, $60.50 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

John G. Shea, 22 O'Connell road, Dorchester, clerk, $43 a week.

Brendan L. Harrington, 23 O'Connell road, Dorchester, clerk, $43 a week.

Mary C. Dolan, 29 Bourne street, Jamaica Plain, social worker, $65.50 a week.

Elaine M. Fogel, 553 Gallivan Boulevard, Dorchester, social worker, $65.50 a week.

Mary L. Cloherty, 24 Zeller street, Roslindale, social worker, $65.50 a week.

Mary E. White, 17 Wabon street, Roxbury, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Ethel R. Waters, 902 Albany street, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Joseph G. Griswold, 103 Mountfort street, social worker, $65.50 a week.

Vito Maniscalco, 275 Centre street, Jamaica Plain, social worker, $65.50 a week.

Appointments or Reinstatements.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Ronna Brickman, 16 Cleaves street, Jamaica Plain, medical social worker, $65.50 a week.

Ellen Chase, 97 Buchanan road, West Roxbury, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Gerald Garland, 42 Worcester square, clerk, $43 a week.

Mark Huffman, 42 Worcester square, clerk, $43 a week.

Barbara A. Reidy, 72 Surrey street, Brighton, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Geraldine D'Amico, 49 Snow Hill street, laboratory assistant, part time, $35.50 a week.

William Hoar, 16 Auriga street, Dorchester, hospital guard, $53 a week.

Coleman J. Anderson, 8 King street, Dorchester, hospital guard, $53 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

John J. Claney, 20 Maple street, West Roxbury, second-class steam fireman, $60.50 a week.

George Farley, 16 Bowdoin street, Dorchester, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

Long Island Division.

Richard Mulhall, 21 Oakley street, Dorchester, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

John W. McKeown, 2 Smith street, Roxbury, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Marie E. Palmieri, 1631 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Joseph J. Herman, Jr., 241 Centre street, Dorchester, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

James J. Browne, Long Island Hospital, steam fireman, $70.50 a week.

Changes in Status.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Budget Division.

Mary F. Moynihan, 86 Hunnewell avenue, Brighton, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior clerk and typist (temporary) at $55.50 a week.

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

John A. Wall, 18 Beechcroft street, Brighton, from senior engineering aid, draftsman, temporary, at $68 a week to senior engineering aid, draftsman, permanent, at $68 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Helen L. Sullivan, 19 Alberta street, West Roxbury, from principal clerk and stenographer at $80 a week to head administrative clerk (temporary) at $103.50 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Hollis Morrill, 55 Marmion street, Jamaica Plain, from hospital house worker at $50.50 a week to electrician's helper at $53 a week.

Carol A. O'Brien, 68 Child street, Hyde Park, from laboratory assistant, permanent, at $50.50 a week to laboratory technician, temporary, at $58 a week.

Long Island Division.

Frank Engel, 15 Dix street, Dorchester, from hospital guard at $68 a week to senior hospital guard, temporary, at $70.50 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

George M. O'Neill, 23 Train street, Dorchester, from assistant civil engineer at $108.25 a week to senior civil engineer at $113 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Automotive Division.

James H. Stewart, 35 West Eagle street, East Boston, from automotive engineer at $108.25 a week to division engineer (temporary) at $151 a week.

Bridge Division.

John J. McCall, 16 Sayward street, Dorchester, from assistant division engineer at $141.14 a week to division engineer at $155.75 a week.

Highway Division.

John J. Doherty, 62 Wyman street, Jamaica Plain, from highway construction inspector at $80 a week to senior highway construction inspector at $94 a week.

John J. Doherty, 62 Wyman street, Jamaica Plain, from senior highway construction inspector at $94 a week to chief construction inspector (temporary) at $103.50 a week.

Edward C. Donovan, 336 Geneva avenue, Dorchester, from senior encroachment investigator at $76.50 a week to chief encroachment investigator (temporary) at $80 a week.

Sanitary Division.

Edward King, 273 C street, South Boston, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week to heavy motor equipment operator and laborer at $63 a week.

Francis B. McNamara, 396 West Fourth street, South Boston, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $63 a week to heavy motor equipment operator and laborer at $65.50 a week.

William H. Watts, 635 East Sixth street, South Boston, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week to heavy motor equipment operator and laborer at $63 a week.

Arthur R. Connor, 155 Garfield avenue, Hyde Park, from laborer at $55.50 a week to motor equipment operator and laborer at $58 a week.

John J. Dillon, 23 Pine Lodge road, West Roxbury, from laborer at $58 a week to motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week.

James J. Gill, 1 Short Street court, Charlestown, from laborer at $58 a week to motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week.

Edward J. Harrington, 1176 Harrison avenue, Roxbury, from laborer at $58 a week to motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week.

Francis X. Murphy, 13 Adams street, Roxbury, from laborer at $55.50 a week to motor equipment operator and laborer at $58 a week.

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM PLUMBING FOR THE WEEK ENDING JUNE 21.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
O. Weider	59 Adams street	15	New appliances	$50
F. Koufman	640 American Legion H'way.	18	New appliances	4,000
S. Shulman	22 Arborview road	19	New appliances	1,000
G. Sacchetti	510 Baker street	20	New appliances	1,000
C. Lang	969 Canterbury street	18	New appliances	160
S. Goldman	28 Charlotte street	14	New appliances	75
I. Rosenburg	2 Dock square	3	New appliances	300
H. Goldburg	48 Freemont street	18	New appliances	150
L. Bragg	61 Glendower street	18	New appliances	1,050
H. Goldburg	312 La Grange street	20	New appliances	150
C. Lang	29 Laurie avenue	20	New appliances	40
O. Weider	65 Maryknoll street	18	New appliances	500
S. Kramer	7 Oakwood street	17	New appliances	200
S. Amico	16 Winter street	3	New appliances	800
O. Weider	59 Adams street	15	New appliances	50
L. Koufman	640 American Legion H'way.	18	New appliances	4,000
S. Shulman	22 Arborview road	19	New appliances	1,000
G. Sacchetti	510 Baker street	20	New appliances	1,000
C. Lang	969 Canterbury street	18	New appliances	160
S. Goldman	28 Charlotte street	14	New appliances	75
I. Rosenburg	2 Dock square	3	New appliances	300
S. Goldburg	48 Freemont street	18	New appliances	150
L. Bragg	61 Glendower street	18	New appliances	1,050
H. Goldburg	312 La Grange street	20	New appliances	150
C. Lang	29 Laurie avenue	20	New appliances	40
O. Weider	65 Maryknoll street	18	New appliances	500
S. Kramer	7 Oakwood street	17	New appliances	200
A. Amico	16 Winter street	3	New appliances	800
W. Lee	35 Alleyne road	20	New appliances	700
W. Lee	43 Alleyne road	20	New appliances	700
W. Lee	47 Alleyne road	20	New appliances	700
W. Lee	51 Alleyne road	20	New appliances	700
D. Atkins	43 Bonad road	20	New appliances	500
D. Atkins	45 Bonad road	20	New appliances	500
K. Boden	2 Bond street	3	New appliances	250
K. Boden	2A Bond street	3	New appliances	400
A. Kudish	65 Brentwood street	22	New appliances	950
A. Milligan	43 Chisholm road	18	New appliances	1,000
A. Milligan	47 Chisholm road	18	New appliances	1,000
A. Milligan	51 Chisholm road	18	New appliances	1,000
S. Fox	23 and 25 Humboldt avenue	12	New appliances	500
W. Hogan	795 Huntington avenue	10	New appliances	500
H. Budding	5 Pickering avenue	12	New appliances	150
C. Romano	2 Pleasant street	13	New appliances	1,500
K. Boden	72 Waltham street	3	New appliances	11
S. Starety	29 Warrenton street	3	New appliances	300
A. Ardini	477 Washington street	3	New appliances	200
E. Dore	23 Adamson street	22	New appliances	350
E. Dore	32 Athewold street	17	New appliances	425
A. Platt	646–647 Centre street	19	New appliances	3,400
D. Yorks	35 Dani avenue	18	New appliances	500
G. Trethewey	26 Delano pk	18	New appliances	155
S. Lucedio	17 Fleet street	3	New appliances	65
E. DeGroot	Forsyth street	4	New appliances	100
H. Dickerson	7 Geotile street	20	New appliances	200
E. Dorr	870 Huntington avenue	10	New appliances	350
A. Kaufner	224 Itasca street	18	New appliances	600
E. Mogel	17 Lawrence street	5	New appliances	650
R. Ebba	367 Maverick street	1	New appliances	195
E. Mogel	2 Mt. Vernon street	5	New appliances	25
D. Weinbergh	38 Norfolk street	9	New appliances	800
J. Harrington	6 Norton street	15	New appliances	155
H. Heath	177 Orient street	1	New appliances	1,000
E. Mogel	37 Parker Hill avenue	10	New appliances	35
R. Ebba	147 Princeton street	1	New appliances	985
L. Blakey	1016 South street	20	New appliances	500
E. Ross	123 Stuart street	5	New appliances	450
E. Dorr	1467 Tremont street	10	New appliances	450
E. Mogel	191 Warren avenue	4	New appliances	30
G. Trethewey	4040 Washington street	19	New appliances	200
A. Statley	19 Dakota street	17	New appliances	70
D. Yorks	92 Dale street	18	New appliances	500
S. Stephan	21 Fletcher street	20	New appliances	00
A. Statley	63 Glendale street	15	New appliances	75
H. Abraham	103 Lorna road	18	New appliances	2,200
A. Statley	192 Milton avenue	17	New appliances	20
J. Butler	33 Minot street	16	New appliances	750
S. Stephan	94 Mt. Vernon street	5	New appliances	650
H. Abraham	36 Pinckney street	5	New appliances	175
L. Lucedio	54 Pleasant street	18	New appliances	200

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING JUNE 21.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
O. Weider	59 Adams street	15	New appliances	$100
W. Lorien	131 Brooks street	1	New appliances	50
C. O'Connor	404 Bunker Hill street	2	New appliances	75
C. Lang	969 Canterbury street	18	New appliances	50
C. Lang	32 Church street	20	New appliances	25
J. Wilson	23 Devens street	2	New appliances	50
I. Rosenburg	2 Dock square	3	New appliances	75
H. Geddis	3 Dunham street	4	New appliances	15
C. Kay	314 Eighth street	1	New appliances	100
J. Alderman	46 Field street	4	New appliances	59
C. Kay	67 Garnet street	20	New appliances	10
J. Wilson	80 High street	2	New appliances	50
C. Lang	29 Laurie avenue	20	New appliances	10
H. Geddis	435 Marlborough street	4	New appliances	50
P. Pinello	302 Neponset Valley Pkwy.	18	New appliances	225
O. Weider	5 Parkman street	16	New appliances	50
R. Eff	189 Princeton street	1	New appliances	50
J. Paledino	200 South street	21	New appliances	40
C. Lang	150 Stratford street	20	New appliances	15
C. Lang	185 Stratford street	20	New appliances	12
	78 Sudan street	13	New appliances	40
F. Odenweller	645 Walk Hill street	18	New appliances	50
	23 Wentworth street	17	New appliances	60
H. Hinckley	62 Wenham street	18	New appliances	15
J. Amico	16 Winter street	3	New appliances	225
C. Romano	307 Ashmont street	16	New appliances	50
C. Romano	22 Charles street	15	New appliances	250
C. Romano	347 Charles street	3	New appliances	60
J. Freedman	33½ Green street	3	New appliances	40
C. Romano	25 Nonquit street	13	New appliances	500
C. Romano	552 Park street	17	New appliances	200
W. Hogan	200 Parker Hill avenue	10	New appliances	100
J. Jacobs	5 Pickering street	12	New appliances	150
C. Romano	2 Pleasant street	13	New appliances	500
C. Romano	19 Pleasant street	13	New appliances	150
W. Hogan	25 Rexford street	18	New appliances	100
W. Hodwy	745 River street	18	New appliances	45
C. Romano	7 Silloway street	16	New appliances	200
C. Romano	133 Tonawanda street	17	New appliances	250
W. Hogan	6 Stockwell street	10	New appliances	200
C. Romano	39 Vaughan street	5	New appliances	250
C. Romano	324 Washington street	16	New appliances	250
C. Romano	18 Wentworth street	17	New appliances	200
C. Romano	23 Willis street	13	New appliances	500
E. Dorr	19 Adamson street	22	New appliances	200
P. Gulesian	5 Andria road	18	New appliances	28
F. Odenweller	556 Athens street	6	New appliances	35
E. Dorr	23 Athelwold street	17	New appliances	300
L. Ciriello	86 Barnes street	1	New appliances	50
N. Clark	69 Calumet street	10	New appliances	15
E. Mogel	282 Columbus avenue	4	New appliances	25
G. Trethewey	26 Delano street	18	New appliances	155
W. Connell	1745 Dorchester avenue	16	New appliances	50
E. Mogel	585 East Broadway	6	New appliances	15
D. Dagatino	11 Eastman street	7	New appliances	80
E. Ciriello	25 Eutaw street	1	New appliances	175
P. Gulesian	231 Fairmount street	18	New appliances	200
W. Connell	79 Fuller street	17	New appliances	50
H. Dickerson	7 Garth road	20	New appliances	200
S. Lutman	38 Hollander street	12	New appliances	25
E. Mogel	74 Hudson street	3	New appliances	12
E. Dorr	870 Huntington avenue	10	New appliances	50
P. Gulesian	1129 Hyde Park avenue	18	New appliances	50
E. Cohiel	3 Jess street	11	New appliances	35
E. Mogel	17 Lawrence street	5	New appliances	80
S. Armstrong	215 Lexington street	1	New appliances	400
P. Gulesian	703 Metropolitan avenue	18	New appliances	200
P. Lutman	35 Moseley street	13	New appliances	15
E. Mogel	2 Mt. Vernon street	5	New appliances	50
W. Connell	42 Neponset avenue	16	New appliances	50
E. Mogel	37 Parker Hill avenue	10	New appliances	15
J. Drewer	49 Parley avenue	19	New appliances	130
G. Trethewey	16 Primrose street	20	New appliances	500
P. Gulesian	6 Ridlon road	18	New appliances	200
E. Mogel	39 Sharon street	8	New appliances	500
L. Blackney	2019 South street	20	New appliances	220
J. McMannon	80 Sprague street	18	New appliances	35
G. Trethewey	181 Spring street	20	New appliances	275
D. Spiers	150 Stanwood street	14	New appliances	190
C. Chipman	43 Sterling street	9	New appliances	25
P. Gulesian	118 Sycamore street	18	New appliances	80
R. Ranger	376 Tremont street	5	New appliances	28
G. Trethewey	97 Walworth street	20	New appliances	215
E. Mogel	191 Warren avenue	4	New appliances	15
G. Trethewey	4357 Washington street	10	New appliances	200
P. Gulesian	21 Waterloo street	18	New appliances	200
E. Mogel	72 Westland avenue	4	New appliances	13
E. Mogel	78 Westland avenue	4	New appliances	13
C. Green	22 Windsor street	9	New appliances	25
P. Gulesian	122 Wood avenue	18	New appliances	300
E. Mogel	21 Worcester street	9	New appliances	200
A. Statley	841 Beacon street	21	New appliances	70
V. Taylor	188 Blue Hill avenue	13	New appliances	75
E. O'Farrell	1414 Centre street	20	New appliances	50
A. Statley	20 Fletcher street	21	New appliances	200
A. Statley	63 Glendale street	15	New appliances	75
J. Butler	13 Holbrook street	16	New appliances	50
	1-2 Humboldt avenue	12	New appliances	20
A. Statley	192 Milton street	17	New appliances	50
J. Butler	33 Minot street	16	New appliances	15
A. Statley	286 Neponset street	16	New appliances	15

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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Horace C. Rider, 30 Forest street, Jamaica Plain, from laborer at $58 a week to motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week.

Frank R. Iula, 16 Edwards street, Hyde Park, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week to heavy motor equipment operator and laborer at $63 a week.

Joseph F. Mahoney, 10 Taft street, Dorchester, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week to heavy motor equipment operator and laborer at $63 a week.

James L. McCarthy, 160 Temple street, West Roxbury, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week to heavy motor equipment operator and laborer at $63 a week.

Thomas J. Thornton, 170 Heath street, Jamaica Plain, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week to heavy motor equipment operator and laborer at $63 a week.

Water Division.

Francis J. Bradley, 31 Monument square, Charlestown, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior account clerk (temporary) at $55.50 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Marie Scanlon, 137 Church street, West Roxbury, from medical social work supervisor at $83.50 a week to medical social work director (temporary transfer, 6 months) at $90.50 a week.

Cecelia A. Conroy, 31 Moraine street, Jamaica Plain, from head clerk at $83.50 a week to personnel officer (temporary transfer, 6 months) at $87 a week.

Catharine Noonan, 563 Veterans of Foreign Wars Parkway, Chestnut Hill, from head social work supervisor at $113 a week to assistant deputy welfare agent (temporary, 6 months) at $122.50 a week.

Margaret O'Reilly, 1191 Boylston street, from head clerk at $83.50 a week to head administrative clerk at $87 a week.

Joseph Todisco, 23 Clark street, from head statistical machine operator at $83.50 a week to supervisor of statistical machines at $90.50 a week.

Helena Holbrow, 305 Harvard street, Dorchester, from head clerk at $83.50 a week to head administrative clerk at $87 a week.

Agnes E. McCarthy, 35 Peterborough street, from head clerk at $83.50 a week to head clerk and secretary at $87 a week.

Charles Saya, 89 Clement avenue, West Roxbury, from head accountant at $113 a week to assistant deputy welfare agent at $122.50 a week.

William Lally, 10 Realton road, West Roxbury, from head social work supervisor at $113 a week to deputy welfare agent (temporary transfer) at $155.75 a week.

Edward Real, 49 Linwood street, Hyde Park, from social worker at $76.50 a week to head statistical clerk (temporary transfer) at $90.50 a week.

Promotions.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

Bernard J. Dunn, 3 Woodbourne road, Jamaica Plain, from senior traffic engineer, grade 28, temporary, at $113 a week to senior traffic engineer, grade 28, permanent, at $113 a week.

Francis I. Ellard, 198 Garfield avenue, Hyde Park, from traffic sign maintenance man at $63 a week to traffic investigator (temporary, 6 months) at $63 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Margaret M. Barry, 88 Norton street, Dorchester, from second assistant city registrar at $113 a week to first assistant city registrar, temporary, at $117.75 a week.

Marguerite F. Ego, 124 River street, Mattapan, from third assistant city registrar at $94 a week to second assistant city registrar, temporary, at $98.75 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Sanatorium Division.

Viola MacKinnon, 122 Kemper street, Wollaston, from registered graduate nurse at $73 a week to head nurse at $76.50 a week.

James P. Slattery, 454 Massachusetts avenue, from hospital kitchen worker at $50.50 a week to senior hospital kitchen worker, temporary, at $53 a week.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

House of Correction.

Leonard J. Candelora, 497A Shirley street, Winthrop, from correction officer at $70.50 a week to correction officer and assistant herdsman, temporary, at $73 a week.

Edward F. Frederick, 161 Fuller street, Dorchester, from correction officer at $70.50 a week to correction officer and painter (temporary) at $73 a week.

VETERANS' SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Patricia A. Murphy, 53 High street, Charlestown, from senior clerk and typist at $55.50 a week to senior settlement clerk at $60.50 a week.

Transfer.

ELECTION DEPARTMENT.

Anthony P. Landolfi, 62 Auburn street, from Administrative Services Department (Purchasing Division) as clerk-typist at $48 a week to Election Department as assistant registrar of voters at $68 a week.

Leave of Absence.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Leo E. Diamond, 20 Bellevue road, Wakefield, head clerk, $90.50 a week.

Step-Rate Increases.

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Henry P. Ireland, head clerk, from $378.45 to $393.68 a month.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Ruth P. Sullivan, senior account clerk, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Helen F. Sample, custodial worker-janitress, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Robert D. Roster, senior clerk and typist, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Ellen R. Aherne, clerk and stenographer, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Felix Faiella, plumber, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Angelo J. DeAngelis, fire apparatus repairman, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Frederick G. Duffy, cable splicer, from $70.69 to $74.71 a week.

William J. Zuzevich, machinist, from $67.82 to $70.69 a week.

George J. Higbee, fire fighter, from $74.71 to $76.63 a week.

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APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING JUNE 21.—Concluded.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
C. O'Connor	47 Pearl street	2	New appliances	$70
A. Statley	18 Peverell street	13	New appliances	35
C. O'Connor	16 School street	2	New appliances	55
E. O'Farrell	25½ Shepard street	22	New appliances	50
B. Baldersel	25 Speedwell street	15	New appliances	50
J. Butler	14 Tolman street	16	New appliances	60
E. Luxton	27 Topliff street	15	New appliances	190
P. Gellis	30 West Dedham street	9	New appliances	75

TAX ABATEMENT DECISIONS RENDERED BY THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS FOR THE WEEK ENDING MAY 12.

LEGEND.

* Appellate Tax Board Settlement. ¶ Illegal assessment. ‖ Chapter 59-5.
† Appellate Tax Board Decision. § Duplicate assessment. = Chapter 58-8.
‡ Overvaluation Settlement by Board of Assessors. x Chapter 231.

Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Hamilton, James M.	Lot 37, Overlook st	1—1930	$6.16	$4.92	=
Hamilton, James M.	Lot 37, Overlook st	1—1931	6.30	6.30	=
Bickford, Irving M.	Lot 77, Overlook st	1—1932	10.65	10.65	=
Hamilton, James M.	Lot 37, Overlook st	1—1932	7.10	7.10	=
McConnell, John	Lot 57, Overlook st	1—1932	10.65	10.65	=
Bickford, Irving M.	Lot 77, Overlook st	1—1933	9.84	8.74	=
Hamilton, James M.	Lot 37, Overlook st	1—1933	6.56	6.56	=
McConnell, John	Lot 57, Overlook st	1—1933	9.84	9.84	=
Hamilton, James M.	Lot 37, Overlook st	1—1934	7.42	7.42	=
McConnell, John	Lot 57, Overlook st	1—1934	11.13	9.53	=
Sullivan, Thomas D.	Lot 46, Overlook st	1—1942	4.10	4.10	=
Sullivan, Thomas D.	Lot 46, Overlook st	1—1943	4.10	4.10	=
Sullivan, Thomas D.	Lot 46, Overlook st	1—1944	3.99	3.99	=
Sullivan, Thomas D.	Lot 46, Overlook st	1—1945	4.25	4.25	=
Sullivan, Thomas D.	Lot 46, Overlook st	1—1946	4.20	4.20	=
Sullivan, Thomas D.	Lot 46, Overlook st	1—1947	4.65	4.65	=
Sullivan, Thomas D.	Lot 46, Overlook st	1—1948	5.34	5.34	=
Wolsey, Lillian E.	Stony Brook Reservation	18—1948	304.38	130.09	=
Sullivan, Thomas D.	Lot 46, Overlook st	1—1949	5.68	5.68	=
Savitz, Maurice J.	1111 Blue Hill av	14—1949	1,704.00	170.40	*
Wolsey, Lillian E.	Stony Brook Reservation	18—1949	323.76	255.60	=
Sullivan, Thomas D.	Lot 46, Overlook st	1—1950	6.30	4.15	=
Gordon, Leo	50 Peterborough st	5—1950	5,670.00	315 00	*
Jones, Elizabeth E.	14 Centre st	9—1950	233.10	37.80	*
Wentworth, Inc.	8 Eldora st	10—1950	315 00	50.40	*
Byron, Harry H.	394–400 Warren st	12—1950	756.00	63.00	*
Neustadt, Samuel	183 Quincy st	13—1950	315 00	31 50	*
Neustadt, Samuel	185A Quincy st	13—1950	315.00	31.50	*
Neustadt, Samuel	187–187A Quincy st	13—1950	315.00	31.50	*
Neustadt, Samuel	189–189A Quincy st	13—1950	315.00	31.50	*
Neustadt, Samuel	191 Quincy st	13—1950	378.00	31.50	*
Dudley Wood Products, Inc.	71 Norwell st	14—1950	245.70	63.00	*
Dudley Wood Products, Inc.	77 Norwell st	14—1950	245.70	63.00	*
Dudley Wood Products, Inc.	85 Norwell st	14—1950	182.70	31.50	*
Superneau, C. B.	27 Leston st	14—1950	882.00	63.00	*
Resnick, Rebecca	38 Jones av	14—1950	598.50	31.50	*
Wolsey, Lillian E.	Stony Brook Reservation	18—1950	359.10	283.50	+
Karle, Alice A.	77 Forbes street	19—1950	378.00	31.50	*
Ames, John S., et al.	48–50 Winter sreet	3—1951	23,864.00	8,164.00	*
Taylor, Wm. O., et al.	105 Chauncy st	3—1951	15,700.00	4,082.00	*
Gordon, Leo	50 Peterborough st	5—1951	5,652.00	314.00	*
Shumavonian, Peter	56 East Newton st	8—1951	879.20	125.60	*
Byron, Harry H.	394–400 Warren st	12—1951	753.60	62.80	*
Neustadt, Samuel	187 Quincy st	13—1951	314.00	31.40	*
Neustadt, Samuel	183 Quincy st	13—1951	314.00	31.40	*
Neustadt, Samuel	185 Quincy st	13—1951	314.00	31.40	*
Neustadt, Samuel	191 Quincy st	13—1951	376.80	31.40	*
Neustadt, Samuel	189 Quincy st	13—1951	314.00	31.40	*
Dudley Wood Products, Inc.	71 Norwell st	14—1951	244.92	62.80	*
Dudley Wood Products, Inc.	77 Norwell st	14—1951	244.92	62.80	*
Dudley Wood Products, Inc.	85 Norwell st	14—1951	182.12	31.40	*
Resnick, Rebecca	38 Jones av	14—1951	595.60	31.40	*
Superneau, C. B.	27 Leston st	14—1951	879.20	62.80	*
Tatelman, Naten	24 Crowell st	17—1951	973.40	62.80	*
Wolsey, Lillian E.	Stony Brook Reservation	18—1951	357.96	282.60	=
Pearlmutter, Charles	105–107 Lanark rd	21—1951	753.60	62.80	*
W. G. Realty Corp	61 Selkirk rd	21—1951	741.04	238.64	*
A. H. Realty Co.	Avery pl	3—1952	2,304.60	467.60	*
Ames, John S., et al.	48–50 Winter st	3—1952	25,384.00	8,684 00	*
Capraro, Anthony	326–328 Commercial st	3—1952	1,135.60	400.80	*
Glass, Natalie, et al.	11–17 Stuart st	3—1952	8,016.00	835.00	*
Glass, Natalie, et al.	19–25 Stuart st	3—1952	8,016.00	835.00	*
Kantor, Rose	45–53 Howard st	3—1952	668.00	66.80	*
Kantor, Rosc	9 Bulfinch st	3—1952	434.20	33.40	*
Lucey, Thomas J	4½ Bulfinch st	3—1952	414.16	33.40	*
Lucey, Thomas J	6½ Bulfinch st	3—1952	414.16	33.40	*
Lucey, Thomas J	8 Bulfinch st	3—1952	414.16	33.40	*
Salow Brothers Realty	43–47 Purchase st	3—1952	1,503.00	948.56	¶
Folger, Thomas E	335 Tremont st	5—1952	801.60	33.40	*
Gopin, Max	54 Myrtle st	5—1952	2,571.80	167.00	*
Gordon, Leo	50 Peterborough st	5—1952	6,012.00	334.00	*
Jenney Mfg. Co., et al.	1 Lindall pl	5—1952	1,670.00	267.20	*
Poole, William D.	33 Brookline av	5—1952	10,020.00	1,670.00	*
Adams, Charles F., et al.	46 Locust st	7—1952	3,293.24	808.28	*
Gioacchino, Albanes	1520 Columbia rd	7—1952	534.40	126.92	*
Guptill, Samuel H.	17 West Cottage st	8—1952	247.16	80.16	*
Shumavonian, Peter	742 Harrison av	8—1952	935.20	133.60	*
Spotniz, Eiser, Trustee	80–82 Ruggles st	9—1952	768.20	33.40	*
Taylor, Abraham R.	17 Haskins st	9—1952	267.20	33.40	*
Taylor, Abraham R.	19 Haskins st	9—1952	267.20	33.40	*

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‡ Overvaluation Settlement by Board of Assessors. x Chapter 231.

Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Taylor, Abraham R	21 Haskins st.	9—1952	$267.20	$33.40	*
Taylor, Abraham R	23 Haskins st.	9—1952	267.20	33.40	*
Fredman, Max, Estate	8–10 Cornwall st.	11—1952	300.60	33.40	*
Supranor, Mary	135 Walnut av.	11—1952	2,001.00	200.40	*
Varnerin, Anthony	17 Townsend st.	11—1952	668.00	66.80	*
Billis, Mary	14 Circuit st.	12—1952	334.00	66.80	*
Billis, Mary	11A Circuit st.	12—1952	400.80	66.80	*
Eliot Savings Bank	165 Dudley st.	12—1952	6,680.00	801.60	*
Guptill, Samuel H.	Vacant lot, Dewey st.	13—1952	46.76	20.01	*
Guptill, Samuel H.	45–19 Dewey st.	13—1952	1,002.00	334.00	*
Kliman, Jacob	5 Sudan st.	13—1952	434.20	33.40	*
Neustadt, Samuel	183 Quincy st	13—1952	334.00	33.40	*
Neustadt, Samuel	185A Quincy st.	13—1952	334.00	33.40	*
Neustadt, Samuel	187A Quincy st.	13—1952	334.00	33.40	*
Neustadt, Samuel	189A Quincy st.	13—1952	334.00	33.40	*
Neustadt, Samuel	191A Quincy st.	13—1952	400.80	33.40	*
Sissemoine, Eva	56 Saxton st.	13—1952	300.60	33.40	*
Sissemoine, Eva	54 Saxton st.	13—1952	300.60	33.40	*
Sissemoine, Eva	52 Saxton st.	13—1952	300.60	33.40	*
Sissemoine, Eva	50 Saxton st.	13—1952	300.60	33.40	*
Dudley Wood Products, Inc.	71 Norwell st.	14—1952	260.52	66.80	*
Dudley Wood Products, Inc.	77 Norwell st.	14—1952	260.52	66.80	*
Dudley Wood Products, Inc.	85 Norwell st.	14—1952	193.72	33.40	*
Ettinger, Dora	582 Blue Hill av.	14—1952	714.76	113.56	*
Fine, Tillie	71 Esmond st.	14—1952	634.60	33.40	*
Hirsh, Benzion, et al.	394A Blue Hill av.	14—1952	501.00	33.40	*
Hirsh, Benzion, et al.	396A Blue Hill av.	14—1952	434.20	33.40	*
Hirsh, Benzion, et al.	398A Blue Hill av.	14—1952	434.20	33.40	*
Hirsh, Celia	15 Norwell st.	14—1952	267.20	40.08	*
Hirsh, Celia	15A Norwell st.	14—1952	267.20	66.80	*
Hirsh, Celia	11 Norwell st.	14—1952	267.20	40.08	*
Hirsh, Celia	9 Norwell st.	14—1952	267.20	40.08	*
Hirsh, Celia	5 Norwell st.	14—1952	267.20	40.08	*
Hirsh, Celia	7 Norwell st.	14—1952	267.20	40.08	*
Kahn, Philip	786 Blue Hill av.	14—1952	4,475.60	334.00	*
Karlsberg, Pinkus	80–86 Erie st.	14—1952	768.20	100.20	*
Realty Owners, Inc.	118 Devon st.	14—1952	835.00	33.40	*
Realty Owners, Inc.	122 Devon st.	14—1952	835.00	33.40	*
Realty Owners, Inc.	120 Devon st.	14—1952	835.00	33.40	*
Realty Owners, Inc.	110 Devon st.	14—1952	1,002.00	66.80	*
Resnick, Rebecca	38 Jones av	14—1952	634.60	33.40	*
Supernean, Clarence	27 Leston st.	14—1952	935.20	66.80	*
Resnick, Bessie	445–447 Adams st.	16—1952	5,344.00	668.00	*
Resnick, Bessie	457 Adams st.	16—1952	3,139.60	267.20	*
Tatelman, Naten	24 Crowell st.	17—1952	1,035.40	66.80	*
Wolsey, Lillian E.	Stony Brook Reservation	18—1952	380.76	300.60	=
Leventhal, Victor	74–76 Green st.	19—1952	467.60	133.60	*
Walk Hill Realty Co.	9A–15 Walk Hill st.	19—1952	1,336.00	200.40	*
Chernus Realty Co.	84 Sutherland rd.	21—1952	2,404.80	133.60	*
Managers Realty	105–107 Lanark rd.	21—1952	1,603.20	400.80	*
Pearlmutter, C.	7 Miner st.	21—1952	801.60	66.80	*
Rockett, Emily D., Trustee	39 Boulevard ter.	21—1952	1,469.60	467.60	*
Ruby, Fannie	132 Kilsyth rd.	21—1952	968.60	66.80	*
Sheinfield, Sally	61 Selkirk rd	21—1952	601.20	66.80	*
W. G. Realty Corp.	116 Brooks st	1—1953	788.24	253.84	*
Carmen, Israel, et al.	50 Prescott st	1—1953	424.20	35.35	*
Sherzi, Mary H., Trustee	354 Main st.	2—1953	318.15	35.35	*
Donnelly, Mary J.	Avery pl.	3—1953	240.38	70.70	*
A. H. Realty Co.	48–50 Winter st.	3—1953	2,439.15	494.90	*
Ames, John, et al., Trustees	326–328 Commercial st.	3—1953	26,866.00	9,191.00	*
Capraro, Antony	4½ Bulfinch st.	3—1953	1,201.90	121.20	*
Friedland, Celia	6½ Bullineh st.	3—1953	438.31	35.35	*
Friedland, Celia	8½ Bulfinch st.	3—1953	438.34	35.35	*
Friedland, Celia	11–17 Stuart st	3—1953	438.31	35.35	*
Glass, Natalie, et al.	19–25 Stuart st.	3—1953	8,484.00	883.75	*
Glass, Natalie, et al.	45–53 Howard st.	3—1953	8,484.00	883.75	*
Kantor, Rose	9 Bulfinch st	3—1953	707.00	70.70	*
Kantor, Rose	335 Tremont st.	3—1953	459.55	35.35	*
Folger, Thomas E.	54–58A Myrtle st.	5—1953	848.40	35.35	*
Gopin, Max	1 Lindall st.	5—1953	2,721.95	176.75	*
Jenny Mfg. Co.	33 Brookline av.	5—1953	1,767.50	282.80	*
N. E. Stationery Co.	50 Peterborough st.	5—1953	10,605.00	1,767.50	*
Norfolk Apts., Inc.	46 Locust st.	5—1953	6,363.00	353.50	*
Adams, Charles, et al	1520 Columbia rd.	7—1953	3,485.51	855.47	*
Gioacchino, A.	56 East Newton st.	7—1953	565.60	134.33	*
Shumavonian, Peter, et al.	80–82 Ruggles st.	8—1953	989.80	141.40	*
Spotnz, Eiser, Trustee, et al.	17 Haskins st.	9—1953	813.05	35.35	*
Taylor, Abraham R.	19 Haskins st.	9—1953	282.80	35.35	*
Taylor, Abraham R.	21 Haskins st.	9—1953	282.80	35.35	*
Taylor, Abraham R.	23 Haskins st.	9—1953	282.80	35.35	*
Taylor, Abraham R.	195 South st.	9—1953	282.80	35.35	*
Cooper, William B.	165 Dudley st	11—1953	1,060.50	282.80	*
Eliot Savings Bank	45 Dewey st.	12—1953	7,070.00	848.40	*
Keystone Realty Corp.	47 Dewey st.	13—1953	353.50	35.35	*
Keystone Realty Corp	183 Quincy st	13—1953	353.50	35.35	*
Neustadt, Samuel	185A Quincy st	13—1953	353.50	35.35	*
Neustadt, Samuel	187A Quincy st	13—1953	353.50	35.35	*
Neustadt, Samuel	189 Quincy st	13—1953	353.50	35.35	*
Neustadt, Samuel	191 Quincy st	13—1953	424.20	35.35	*
Dudley Wood Products, Inc	71 Norwell st	14—1953	275.73	70.70	*
Dudley Wood Products, Inc	77 Norwell st	14—1953	275.73	70.70	*
Dudley Wood Products, Inc	85 Norwell st	14—1953	205.03	35.35	*
Fine, Tillie	71 Esmond st	14—1953	671.65	35.35	*
Hirsh, Benzion, et al.	394 Blue Hill av.	14—1953	530.25	35.35	*
Hirsh, Benzion, et al.	396 Blue Hill av	14—1953	459.55	35.35	*
Hirsh, Benzion, et al.	398 Blue Hill av	14—1953	459.55	35.35	*
Hirsh, Celia	15 Norwell st	14—1953	282.80	42.42	*
Hirsh, Celia	15A Norwell st.	14—1953	282.80	70.70	*
Hirsh, Celia	11 Norwell st	14—1953	282.80	42.42	*

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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Robert N. Anderson, fire fighter, from $71.71 to $76.63 a week.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

House of Correction.

Charles S. Crane, correction officer, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

James P. Griffin, correction officer, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Santo M. Gulizia, correction officer, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

John McGowan, assistant deputy master, from $80 to $83.50 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Anthony D'Arcangelo, senior clerk and typist, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Highway Division.

Ruthford J. Kelley, division engineer, from $160.50 to $165.25 a week.

William Riley, highway district foreman, from $83.50 to $87 a week.

Edward Murphy, highway construction inspector, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Thomas O'Rourke, highway construction inspector, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Joseph W. Dixon, senior engineering aid (temporary), from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Survey Division.

Arthur J. Brickley, assistant civil engineer, from $94 to $98.75 a week.

Michael J. Corrao, head clerk, from $87 to $90.50 a week.

Albert J. Rodriguez, junior civil engineer, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Robert P. Mehegan, principal clerk and typist, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Francis McHugh, senior engineering aid, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Joyce E. Campbell, senior clerk and stenographer, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

A. Albert Minichiello, assistant civil engineer, from $103.50 to $108.25 a week.

Angelo J. Ialuna, assistant civil engineer, from $98.75 to $103.50 a week.

Water Division.

Joseph P. Flynn, water service inspector, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Stephen V. Lydon, water service inspector (permanent intermittent), from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Nicholas D. Personeni, bricklayer, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

William A. Quigg, laborer, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

John P. Sullivan, assistant civil engineer, from $98.75 to $103.50 a week.

Alfred J. Torpey, water service inspector, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

Patrick Logan, steam fireman, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Mary Grace, custodial worker, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Mary D. Carr, chief matron, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Overtime Allowed.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

Michael T. Gainey, traffic signal inspector, 40 hours, $80.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

For the week ending June 13:

John J. Donovan, 8 hours, $17.40; Brainerd Hughes, John R. Slattery, 8 hours, $16.70 each.

VETERANS' RETIREMENTS.

The Mayor has approved the following veterans' applications for retirement:

Gilbert H. Noyes, 42 Hemman street, Roslindale, lieutenant, City Prison, Police Department.

Caesar Mikolajewski, 1 Aspinwall road, Dorchester, senior fire alarm operator, Fire Alarm Division, Fire Department.

Joseph F. Fischer, 37 St. Edward road, East Boston, patrolman, Police Department.

Manus William Eyges, 638 Morton street, Mattapan, compositor, Printing Section, Administrative Services Department.

Abraham Sidney Shubow, 144 Shore Drive, Winthrop, public health dentist, Health Department.

William J. Brooks, 15 Eugenia road, Roslindale, electrician-operator, Bridge Division, Public Works Department.

James J. Galvin, 750 Veterans of Foreign Wars Parkway, West Roxbury, hoseman, Engine Company 3, Fire Department.

Alexander McLaughlin, 11 Blanche street, Dorchester, motor equipment operator and laborer, Highway Division, Public Works Department.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award the contracts for work, materials, and supplies, in accordance with recommendations of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Purchasing Division.

Upon June 2 the Mayor approved a contract with lowest bidders for furnishing general clothing to the Boston City Hospital and Long Island Hospital. Awards were made to the lowest bidders meeting specifications at the prices checked on the accompanying tabulation. Only one bid was received on Item 11 but the bidder failed to enter a bid on the Auditor's copy of the proposal. Therefore, this item will be purchased in the open market at an approximate cost of $60. Approximate total amounts of awards were as follows:

Contract for: M. Hoffman & Co., Inc., $1,448.75, net.

Orders for: Barnet Zelmyer, doing business as Zelmar Mills, $703.70; Taylor, Symonds Company, $166.

Discount for these two companies is 2 per cent, time of payment.

Bids, opened May 16, were as follows:

General Clothing.

To Be Delivered to Boston City Hospital.

Item 1. 54 Pairs Pants, Khaki Twill, Sanforized, Metal Buttons, As Per Sizes on Specifications, Per Pair.—M. Hoffman & Co., Inc., $2.55; Zelmar Mills, $2.45.*

Item 2. 54 Shirts, Khaki Twill, Sanforized, Short Sleeves, Metal Buttons, As Per Sizes on Specifications, Each.—M. Hoffman & Co., Inc., $2.10, alternate, $1.50; Zelmar Mills, $1.75.*

Item 3. 54 Jumpers, Khaki Twill, Sanforized, Long Sleeves, Metal Buttons,

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‡ Overvaluation Settlement by Board of Assessors. x Chapter 231.

Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Hirsh, Celia	9 Norwell st	14—1953	$282.80	$42.42	*
Hirsh, Celia	5 Norwell st	14—1953	282.80	42.42	*
Hirsh, Celia	7 Norwell st	14—1953	282.80	42.42	*
Kahn, Philip, et al	2 Abbot st	14—1953	4,736.90	353.50	*
Karlsberg, P., et al	80–86 Erie st	14—1953	813.05	106.05	*
Rabinovitz, Mollie	54 Mountain av	14—1953	473.67	35.35	*
Resnick, R., et al	38 Jones av	14—1953	671.65	35.35	*
Robinson, Nathan W	1232 Dorchester av	15—1953	650.44	84.84	*
Robinson, Nathan W	1224 Dorchester av	15—1953	1,767.50	494.90	*
Resnick, Bessie	445–447 Adams st	16—1953	5,656.00	707.00	*
Resnick, Bessie	457 Adams st	16—1953	3,322.90	282.80	*
Sheinfeld, Sally	28–30 Ferndale st	17—1953	848.40	70.70	*
Sheinfeld, Sally	29–31 Ferndale st	17—1953	848.40	70.70	*
Tatelman, Naten	24 Crowell st	17—1953	1,095.85	70.70	*
Compressed Steel Shafting Co	1587 Hyde Park av	18—1953	6,150.90	848.40	*
Wolsey, Lillian E	Stony Brook Reservation	18—1953	402.99	318.15	=
Leventhal, Victor	74–76 Green st	19—1953	494.90	141.40	*
Walk Hill Realty, Inc	9A–15 Walk Hill st	19—1953	1,414.00	212.10	*
Chernus Realty Co	84 Sutherland rd	21—1953	2,545.20	141.40	*
Henderson, James H	1 Buswell st	21—1953	1,201.90	70.70	*
Managers Realty, Inc	20–30 Wadsworth st	21—1953	1,696.80	424.20	*
Pearlmutter, C	105–107 Lanark rd	21—1953	848.40	70.70	*
Rockett, Emily, Trustee	7 Miner st	21—1953	1,555.40	494.90	*
Ruby, Fannie	39 Boulevard ter	21—1953	1,025.15	70.70	*
Shaughnessy, F. J	910 Beacon st	21—1953	1,060.50	141.40	*
Sheinfeld, Sally	132 Kilsyth rd	21—1953	636.30	70.70	*
Donnelly, Mary, et al	354 Main st	2—1954	237.32	69.80	*
Ames, John S., Trustees	48–50 Winter st	3—1954	26,524.00	9,074.00	*
A. H. Realty Co	Avery pl	3—1954	2,408.10	488.60	*
Friedland, Celia	4½ Bulfinch st	3—1954	432.76	34.90	*
Friedland, Celia	6½ Bulfinch st	3—1954	432.76	34.90	*
Friedland, Celia	8½ Bulfinch st	3—1954	432.76	34.90	*
Gatti, Angelo, et al	147–149 Richmond st	3—1954	732.90	104.70	*
Gatti, Angelo, et al	10–12 North Bennet st	3—1954	732.90	104.70	*
Gatti, Angelo, et al	151–153 Richmond st	3—1954	698.00	139.60	*
Gerber, Edward, et al	42–44 Washington st	3—1954	6,282.00	488.60	*
Glass, Natalie, et al	11–17 Stuart st	3—1954	8,376.00	872.50	*
Glass, Natalie, et al	19–25 Stuart st	3—1954	8,376.00	872.50	*
Kantor, Rose	45–53 Howard st	3—1954	698.00	69.80	*
Kantor, Rose	9 Bulfinch st	3—1954	453.70	34.90	*
Metropolitan Building	252–272 Tremont st	3—1954	228,944.00	59,330.00	*
Metropolitan Building	244 Tremont st	3—1954	27,920.00	11,866.00	*
Nine Park Street, Inc	9 Park st	3—1954	6,980.00	698.00	*
Shamroth, S., et al	251 Causeway st	3—1954	20,940.00	5,235.00	*
Rubin, Howard	641 Huntington av	4—1954	1,874.80	209.40	*
Rubin, Howard	643 Huntington av	4—1954	1,535.60	209.40	*
Stoneham Co., Inc	8–16 Stoneholm st	4—1954	12,564.00	2,094.00	*
Wallace, John L	239 West Canton st	4—1954	279.20	34.90	*
Albiani, S., et al	134 Newbury st	5—1954	2,443.00	349.00	*
Berkowitz, Sara	594 Commonwealth av	5—1954	17,450.00	5,933.00	*
Colanturo, George	242 Marlborough st	5—1954	1,535.60	209.40	*
Folger, Thomas E	335 Tremont st	5—1954	837.60	34.90	*
Fricdland, Celia	82–82A West Cedar st	5—1954	1,047.00	139.60	*
Gopin, Max	54–58A Myrtle st	5—1954	2,687.30	174.50	*
Jennie Mfg., Co	1 Lindall st	5—1954	1,745.00	279.20	*
Karam, Theodore	112 Charles st	5—1954	1,221.50	69.80	*
LaMarcia Realty Corp	212 Commonwealth av	5—1954	1,745.00	349.00	*
Lumber Mutual Fire Ins. Co	632 Beacon st	5—1954	15,705.00	3,141.00	*
Marshall, Leon, et al	71 Marlborough st	5—1954	1,047.00	104.90	*
New England Stationery	29 Brookline av	5—1954	10,470.00	1,396.00	*
Norfolk Apartments	50 Peterborough st	5—1954	6,282.00	349.00	*
Dehydrating Process Co	50 Mt. Washington st	6—1954	5,235.00	1,396.00	*
Adams, Charles F., et al	46 Locust st	7—1954	3,441.14	844.58	*
Gioacchino, A	1520 Columbia rd	7—1954	558.40	132.62	*
Dudley Street Baptist Church	11 Mt. Pleasant av	8—1954	711.96	711.96	||
Ziegler, Konrad	46–64 George st	8—1954	3,490.00	1,047.00	*
Shunavonian, Peter	56–56A East Newton st	8—1954	977.20	139.60	*
Felt, Mae A	83 Windsor st	9—1954	139.60	20.94	*
Spitniz, Eiser, Jr	80–82 Ruggles st	9—1954	802.70	34.90	*
Taylor, Abraham R	17 Haskins st	9—1954	279.20	34.90	*
Taylor, Abraham R	19 Haskins st	9—1954	279.20	34.90	*
Taylor, Abraham R	21 Haskins st	9—1954	279.20	34.90	*
Taylor, Abraham R	23 Haskins st	9—1954	279.20	34.90	*
Trimount Clothing	18–26 Station st	9—1954	19,195.00	5,235.00	*
Hughes, William F	1552 Tremont st	10—1954	1,396.00	139.60	*
Cooper, William B	195 South st	11—1954	1,047.00	279.20	*
Cooper, William B	199 South st	11—1954	1,047.00	279.20	*
Varnerin, Anthony	47 Townsend st	11—1954	698.00	69.80	*
Dashman, Angelina	4 Regent ct	12—1954	244.30	69.80	*
Fett, Theodore	37 Circuit st	12—1954	300.14	34.90	*
Fuller, Eugene H	28 Elm Hill pk	12—1954	558.40	69.80	*
Melanson, John, et al	3 Dunreath st	12—1954	349.00	69.80	*
Turner, Alfred, et al	39 Circuit st	12—1954	174.50	69.80	*
Neustadt, Samuel	183 Quincy st	13—1954	349.00	34.90	*
Neustadt, Samuel	185A Quincy st	13—1954	349.00	34.90	*
Neustadt, Samuel	187A Quincy st	13—1954	349.00	34.90	*
Neustadt, Samuel	189A Quincy st	13—1954	349.00	34.90	*
Neustadt, Samuel	191A Quincy st	13—1954	418.80	34.90	*
Parad, Matilda	100 Brook av	13—1954	174.50	34.90	*
Parad, Matilda	98 Brook av	13—1954	174.50	34.90	*
Parad, Matilda	96 Brook av	13—1954	209.40	34.90	*
Parad, Matilda	94 Brook av	13—1954	195.44	34.90	*
Parad, Matilda	92 Brook av	13—1954	174.50	34.90	*
Parad, Matilda	90 Brook av	13—1954	174.50	34.90	*
Parad, Matilda	88 Brook av	13—1954	174.50	34.90	*
Dudley Wood Products, Inc.,	71 Norwell st	14—1954	272.22	69.80	*
Dudley Wood Products, Inc.,	77 Norwell st	14—1954	272.22	69.80	*
Dudley Wood Products, Inc.,	85 Norwell st	14—1954	202.42	34.90	*
Fine, Tillie	71 Esmond st	14—1954	663.10	34.90	*

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Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Fistel, Carl, et al	51 Jones av	14—1954	$1,158.68	$111.68	*
Goldberg, Irving E	2-4 Washington st	14—1954	256.40	209.40	*
Hirsh, Benzion, et al	394 Blue Hill av	14—1954	523.50	34.90	*
Hirsh, Benzion, et al	396 Blue Hill av	14—1954	453.70	34.90	*
Hirsh, Benzion, et al	398 Blue Hill av	14—1954	453.70	34.90	*
Hirsh, Celia	15 Norwell st	14—1954	279.20	41.88	*
Hirsh, Celia	15A Norwell st	14—1954	279.20	69.80	*
Hirsh, Celia	11 Norwell st	14—1954	279.20	41.88	*
Hirsh, Celia	9 Norwell st	14—1954	279.20	41.88	*
Hirsh, Celia	5 Norwell st	14—1954	279.20	41.88	*
Hirsh, Celia	7 Norwell st	14—1954	279.20	41.88	*
Karlsberg, P., et al	80-86 Erie st	14—1954	802.70	104.70	*
Lenox, Jacob, et al	114-126 Washington st	14—1954	3,141.00	418.80	*
Poliak, Esther	139 Lucerne st	14—1954	1,151.70	69.80	*
Rabinvitz, Mollie	54 Mountain av	14—1954	467.66	34.90	*
Resnick, Morris, et al	2 Abbot st	14—1954	4,676.60	349.00	*
Resnick, R., et al	38 Jones av	14—1954	663.10	34.90	*
Schlesinger, Harry	27 Leston st	14—1954	977.20	69.80	*
Sassen, Mollie M	59 Mascot st	14—1954	523.50	174.50	
Yorks, Abraham, et al	408 Blue Hill av	14—1954	3,490.00	279.20	*
Chapman, Charles P	490 Columbia rd	15—1954	1,047.00	139.60	*
Laselva, Frederick	33 Hamilton st	15—1954	523.50	174.50	*
Robinson, Nathan W	1232 Dorchester av	15—1954	650.44	83.76	*
Robinson, Nathan W	1224 Dorchester av	15—1954	1,745.00	488.60	*
Driscoll, Leo C	58 Whitten st	16—1954	586.32	7.00	*
Resnick, Bessie	445-147 Adams st	16—1954	5,584.00	698.00	*
Resnick, Bessie	457 Adams st	16—1954	3,280.60	279.20	*
Clancy, Mary	33 Driscoll Drive	17—1954	579.34	55.84	*
Clancy, Mary	37 Driscoll Drive	17—1954	69.80	34.90	*
Cohen, Joseph	60 Harvard st	17—1954	1,012.10	34.90	*
Sheinfeld, Sally	28-30 Ferndale st	17—1954	837.60	69.80	*
Sheinfeld, Sally	29-31 Ferndale st	17—1954	837.60	69.80	*
Tatelman, Nathan	24 Crowell st	17—1954	1,081.90	69.80	*
Compressed Steel Shafting Co	1587 Hyde Park av	18—1954	6,072.60	837.60	*
Pearlmutter, Charles	11 Roxana st	18—1954	837.60	34.90	*
Pearlmutter, Charles	1455 River st	18—1954	837.60	34.90	*
Roman Catholic Archbishop	21 Chapel rd	18—1954	837.60	349.00	*
Will, William A	Vacant lot, Neponset Valley Parkway	18—1954	111.68	41.88	*
Wolsey, Lillian E	Stony Brook Reservation	18—1954	397.86	314.10	=
Leventhal, Victor	74-76 Green st	19—1954	488.60	139.60	*
Walk Hill Realty	9A-15 Walk Hill st	19—1954	1,396.00	209.40	*
Aronson, Samuel	1255 Commonwealth av	21—1954	1,954.40	349.00	*
Aronson, Samuel	1263 Commonwealth av	21—1954	2,024.20	349.00	*
Aronson, Samuel	1259 Commonwealth av	21—1954	2,024.20	349.00	*
Aronson, Samuel	1251 Commonwealth av	21—1954	1,954.40	349.00	*
Blass, Lillian	1292 Commonwealth av	21—1954	1,605.40	39.60	*
Chernus Realty Co	84 Sutherland rd	21—1954	2,512.80	139.60	*
Henderson, James	1 Buswell st	21—1954	1,186.60	69.80	*
Managers Realty Co	20 Wadsworth st	21—1954	1,675.20	418.80	*
Miller, Bessie	26 Park Vale av	21—1954	2,094.00	349.00	*
Miller, Bessie	16 Joyce rd	21—1954	2,094.00	349.00	*
Pearlmutter, Charles	105 Lanark rd	21—1954	937.60	69.80	*
Rockett, Emily, Trustee	7 Miner st	21—1954	1,535.60	488.60	*
Ruby, Fannie	39 Boulevard ter	21—1954	1,012.10	69.80	*
Schwartz, S., et al	130-140 Brighton av	21—1954	12,215.00	2,792.00	*
Shaughnessy, Frederick	910 Beacon st	21—1954	1,047.00	139.60	*
Sheinfeld, Sally	132 Kilsyth rd	21—1954	628.20	69.80	*
Werman, Lester	61 Selkirk rd	21—1954	834.26	265.24	*
Donahue, John P	8 Glenmont rd	22—1954	314.10	34.90	*
Farrell, Bern, et al	149 Foster st	22—1954	593.30	139.60	*
Underwood, Leslie A	45 Oak Square av	22—1954	258.26	13.96	HUR
Wallace, John L	307 Cambridge st	22—1954	321.08	41.88	HUR
PERSONAL PROPERTY.					
Rubinstein, Helena	11 Newbury st	5—1952	$400.80	$233.80	*
United National Co-operative Co	360 C st	6—1954	1,745.00	1,047.00	*
United National Co-operative Co	360 C st	6—1952	1,670.00	1,002.00	*
United National Co-operative Co	360 C st	6—1953	1,767.50	1,060.50	*
Ruhinstein, Helena	11 Newbury st	5—1953	424.20	247.45	*
DeSanctis, Louis	419 Bremen st	1—1954	1,396.00	1,019.08	*
Saievitz, Herbert D	68 Kneeland st	3—1954	349.00	244.30	*

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

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As Per Sizes on Specifications, Each.—M. Hoffman & Co., Inc., $3; Zelmar Mills, $2.35.*

Item 4. 2 Dozen Pairs Pants, Khaki Twill, Sanforized, Metal Buttons, As Per Sizes on Specifications, Per Dozen Pairs.—M. Hoffman & Co., Inc., $30.50; Zelmar Mills, $29.40,* $2.45 per dozen, Auditor's copy.

Item 5. 2 Dozen Shirts, Khaki Twill, Sanforized, Short Sleeves, Metal Buttons, As Per Sizes, Per Dozen.—M. Hoffman & Co., Inc., $25, alternate, $18; Zelmar Mills, $21,* $1.75 per dozen, Auditor's copy.

Item 6. 2 Dozen Jumpers, Khaki Twill, Sanforized, Long Sleeves, Metal Buttons, Per Dozen.—M. Hoffman & Co., Inc., $36; Zelmar Mills, $28.20,* $2.35 per dozen, Auditor's copy.

Item 7. 132 Pairs Overalls, Dark Blue Denim, Sanforized, Double Knees, As Per Sizes on Specifications, Per Pair.—M. Hoffman & Co., Inc., $3.08*; Taylor, Simonds Company, $2.75.

Item 8. 132 Shirts, Dark Blue Denim, Sanforized, Short Sleeves, Metal Buttons, As Per Sizes on Specifications, Each.—M. Hoffman & Co., Inc., $1.20.*

Item 9. 132 Jumpers, Dark Blue Denim, Sanforized, Long Sleeves, Metal Buttons, As Per Sizes on Specifications, Each.—M. Hoffman & Co., Inc., $2.38*; Taylor, Symonds Company, $2.50.

Item 10. 4 Dozen Pairs Overalls, Dark Blue Denim, Sanforized, Double Knees, As Per Sizes on Specifications, Per Dozen Pairs.—M. Hoffman & Co., Inc., $37*; Taylor, Symonds Company, $33.

Item 11. 48 Shirts, Dark Blue Denim, Sanforized, Short Sleeves, Metal Buttons, As Per Sizes on Specifications.—No bids.

Item 12. 48 Jumpers, Dark Blue Denim, Sanforized, Long Sleeves, Metal Buttons, As Per Sizes on Specifications, Each.—M. Hoffman & Co., Inc., $2.38*; Taylor, Symonds Company, $2.50.

Item 13. 33 Pairs Overalls, White, Drill Cloth, Sanforized, Double Knee, Metal Buttons, As Per Sizes on Specifications, Per Pair.—M. Hoffman & Co., Inc., $3.08*; Taylor, Symonds Company, $2.25.

Item 14. 33 Shirts, White, Drill Cloth, Sanforized, Short Sleeves, Metal Buttons, As Per Sizes on Specifications, Each. M. Hoffman & Co., Inc., $1.25.*

Item 15. 33 Jumpers, White, Drill Cloth, Sanforized, Long Sleeves, Metal Buttons, As Per Sizes on Specifications, Each.—M. Hoffman & Co., Inc., $2.50*; Taylor, Symonds Company, $2.25.

Item 16. 1 Dozen Pairs Overalls, Size 40, White Drill Cloth, Sanforized, Double Knee, Metal Buttons, Per Dozen Pairs.—M. Hoffman & Co., Inc., $37*, Taylor Symonds Company, $27.

Item 17. 1 Dozen Shirts, Size 40, White Drill Cloth, Sanforized, Short Sleeves, Metal Buttons, Per Dozen.—M. Hoffman & Co., Inc., $15.*

Item 18. 1 Dozen Jumpers, Size 40, White Drill Cloth, Sanforized, Long Sleeves, Metal Buttons, Per Dozen.—M. Hoffman & Co., Inc., $30*; Taylor, Symonds Company, $27.

Item 19. 12 Dozen Children's Overalls, Striped Seersucker, Pink, Blue, Brown, As Per Sizes on Specifications.—No bids.

Item 20. 4 Dozen Dungarees, Boys, Size 10, Navy Blue, Lightweight, Per Dozen.—M. Hoffman & Co., Inc., $15.75; Taylor, Symonds Company, $13.*

Item 21. 42 Pairs Pants, Khaki, Lightweight, As Per Sizes on Specifications, Per Pair.—M. Hoffman & Co., Inc., $2.25, alternate, $2.75, metal buttons; Taylor, Symonds Company, $2.20*; Zelmar Mills, $2.25.

To Be Delivered to Long Island Viaduct, Long Island Hospital Division.

Item 22. 50 Doctors' Operating Gowns, Blue, As Per Sizes on Specifications, Each.—Taylor, Symonds Company, $2.65, misty gray; Zelmar Mills, $2.50.*

Item 23. 12 Operating Shirts, Blue, 6 Medium, 6 Large, Each.—Taylor, Symonds Company, $1.40, misty gray; Zelmar Mills, $1.50.*

Item 24. 12 Operating Trousers, Blue, Pajama Style, 6 Medium, 6 Large, Each.—Taylor, Symonds Company, $1.50, misty gray; Zelmar Mills, $1.65.*

Item 25. 12 Nurses' Scrub Dresses, Blue, 6 Small, 6 Large, Each.—Taylor, Symonds Company, $2.25, misty gray; Zelmar Mills, $2.50.*

Item 26. 6 Doctors' Utility Long Coats, White Sanforized Twill, Bell-Shaped, Amply Cut, As Per Specifications, Each.—Taylor, Symonds Company, $3.60*; Zelmar Mills, $4.

Discount.—M. Hoffman & Co., Inc., net; Taylor, Symonds Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Zelmar Mills, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—M. Hoffman & Co., Inc., at once; Taylor, Symonds Company, Items 7, 9, 12, 13, 15, 16, 18, 1 week, Items 20, 21,

2 weeks, Items 22, 23, 24, 25, and 26, 10 days; Zelmar Mills, 2 to 3 weeks.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon June 9 the Mayor approved a contract for furnishing hay, grain, and straw to the various city departments, from July 1, 1955, to September 30, 1955, inclusive. Approximate total amounts of contracts were as follows:

Thomas F. Culkeen, $8,100.15, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; John J. White Company, $5,053.45, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids, opened May 27, were as follows:

Hay, Grain, and Straw.

Item 1. 30 Tons Dairy Ration, 16 Per Cent (Flory, Yellow Tag or Wirthmore Record), Per Ton.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $75.85*; John J. White Company, $77.25.

Item 2. 50 Tons U. S. No. 1 Timothy Hay, Per Ton.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $37.90*; John J. White Company, $38.90.

Item 3. 10 Tons U. S. No. 2 Timothy Hay, Per Ton.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $36.90*; John J. White Company, $37.90.

Item 4. 30 Tons U. S. No. 1 Clover Mixed Hay, Approximately 40 Per Cent Clover, Per Ton.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $38.40*; John J. White Company, $38.40.

Item 5. 10 Tons U. S. No. 2 Clover Mixed Hay, Per Ton.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $37.40*; John J. White Company, $37.40.

Item 6. 80 Tons U. S. No. 1 Alfalfa Hay, Per Ton.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $55; John J. White Company, $54.80.*

Item 7. 10 Tons U. S. No. 2 Alfalfa Hay, Per Ton.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $54; John J. White Company, $53.30.*

Item 8. 3 Tons Oat Straw, Per Ton.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $28.50*; John J. White Company, $28.50.

Item 9. 6 Tons Crimped Oats, Per Ton.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $74*; John J. White Company, $78.50.

Item 10. 1,000 Pounds Whole Oats, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $3.70*; John J. White Company, $3.95.

Item 11. 800 Pounds Laying Pellets, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $4.50*; John J. White Company, $5.15.

Item 12. 2,000 Pounds Whole Corn, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $3.65*; John J. White Company, $3.90.

Item 13. 6,000 Pounds Sheep and Goat Ration, Wirthmore, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $4.95*; John J. White Company, $4.95.

Item 14. 2,600 Pounds Cracked Corn, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $3.65*; John J. White Company, $3.90.

Item 15. 2,600 Pounds Pigeon Feed, Phil., No. 2, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $7.10*; John J. White Company, $7.50.

Item 16. 500 Pounds Wheat, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $3.95*; John J. White Company, $4.50.

Item 17. 800 Pounds Sunflower Seed, Large Size, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $13.25*; John J. White Company, $13.50.

Item 18. 2,000 Pounds Bran, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $3.10*; John J. White Company, $3.35.

Item 19. 400 Pounds Mockingbird Food, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $29; John J. White Company, $28.50.*

Item 20. 3,000 Pounds Scratch Feed, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $4*; John J. White Company, $4.40.

Item 21. 1,000 Pounds Rabbit Pellets, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $4.85*; John J. White Company, $5.70.

Item 22. 1,800 Pounds Sheep Food, Omolene Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F., Culkeen,, $4.80*; John J. White Company $4.85.

Item 23. 2,000 Pounds Rat Chow, Purina, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $9*; John J. White Company, $9.40.

Item 24. 100 Pounds Hemp Seed, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $17*; John J. White Company, $17.95.

Item 25. 400 Pounds Canary Seed, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $16*; John J. White Company, $17.25.

Item 26. 1,000 Pounds Hog Feed, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $3.60*; John J. White Company, $3.95.

Item 27. 100 Pounds Linseed Meal, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $4.85; John J. White Company, $4.75.*

Item 28. 1,000 Pounds Laying Mash, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $4.30*; John J. White Company, $4.85.

Item 29. 200 Pounds Millet (Extra Fine), Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $8.90; John J. White Company, $8.85.*

State Brand of Feeds Upon Which Bid Is Based.—Thomas F. Culkeen, Wirthmore, or equal; John J. White Company, Ralston Purina Company.

Discount.—Thomas F. Culkeen, 2 per cent, time of payment; John J. White Company, 2 per cent, time of payment.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon June 16 the Mayor approved a contract with Armour & Co. for furnishing shortening and oil to the various city departments, from July 1, 1955, to September 30, 1955, inclusive. No bids were received on Item 3, this item will be purchased in the open market when and where available at an approximate amount of $150. Approximate total amount of contract was $1,281.12, net.

Bids, opened June 8, were as follows:

Shortening and Oil.

Item 1. 5,600 Pounds Shortening, 50-Pound Tins, Primex, or Equal, Per Pound.—American Flour Company, 22.25 cents; Armour & Co., 21.72 cents*; Swift & Co., 21.98 cents.

Item 2. 40 Gallons Pure Cottonseed Oil, 5-Gallon Cans, Per Can.—American Flour Company, $8.50; Armour & Co., $8.10*; Swift & Co., $8.40.

Item 3. 90 Gallons Pure Corn Oil, 1-Gallon Cans.—No bids.

Discount.—American Flour Company, 1 per cent, 20 days; Armour & Co., net; Swift & Co., net, no discount.

Remarks.—Swift & Co., subject to acceptance by June 20, 1955.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon June 16 the Mayor approved a contract with Thurman Company for furnishing flour to the various city departments, from July 1, 1955, to September 30, 1955, inclusive. Approximate total amount of contract was $10,258.75, net.

Bids, opened June 8, were as follows:

Flour.

Item 1. Approximately 1,525 Bags Flour, Bread, New Cotton Bags, 100 Pounds Each, As Specified, Per Bag.—American Flour Company, $6.52; Thurman Company, $6.12.*

Mill Brand of Flour.—American Flour Company, American, Special; Thurman Company, Contender.

Item 2. Approximately 175 Bags Flour, Pastry, 100-Pound New Cotton Bags, in Accordance with Specifications, Per Bag.—American Flour Company, $5.50; Thurman Company, $5.29.*

Mill Brand of Flour.—American Flour Company, Boston Light; Thurman Company, Snowball.

Discount.—American Flour Company, net, 20 days; Thurman Company, net.

* Contract awarded.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Upon June 13 the Mayor approved a contract with Faletra Brothers, Inc., for constructing a play area at William Gary Walsh Playground, Dorchester. Bids, opened Tuesday, June 7, were as follows:

Faletra Brothers, Inc., $9,147.75; M. Solimando, $10,265.

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Upon June 13 the Mayor approved a contract with J. W. Praught Company for furnishing and installing pumps at L Street Bathhouse, South Boston. Bids, opened Tuesday, June 7, were as follows:

J. W. Praught Company, $4,480; R. J. Berke & Co., Inc., $4,825; P. J. Riley & Co., $4,870; Robert A. LaCentra Company, $5,820.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Upon June 13 the Mayor approved a contract with DiMascio Brothers & Co. for sewerage works in Linvale terrace, Cookson terrace (private land), Dania street, Viking terrace, Constitution road, Jamestown terrace, Crossman street, and private land between Crossman street and Dania street, Dorchester, at an estimated cost of $22,901. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed within 90 days after approval by the Mayor. The following bids were received June 8:

DiMascio Brothers & Co., $22,901; C. Russo, Inc., $23,557; Joseph Capone & Son, $25,558; Susi & DeSantis Company, Inc., $26,987; D. Federico Company, $27,475; R. A. Buccella & Sons, Inc., $28,731.50; Ricci & DeSantis Construction Company, $29,990.70.

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Upon June 13 the Mayor approved a contract with Joseph Capone & Son for sewerage works in Ackley place, West Roxbury, and outlet in private land and Brookside Avenue Playground, at an estimated cost of $1,796, including concrete pipe. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed within 30 days after approval by the Mayor. The following bids were received June 8:

Including Clay Pipe.—Joseph Capone & Sons, $1,893; R. A. Buccella & Sons, $1,860.90; N. Bevilacqua & Son, $2,131.

Including Concrete Pipe.—Joseph Capone & Son, $1,796; R. A. Buccella & Sons, $1,841.50; N. Bevelacqua & Son, $2,131.

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Upon June 13 the Mayor approved a contract with Martin J. Kelly Company, Inc., for redecking and repairing the Massachusetts Avenue Bridge at an estimated cost of $15,025. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed within six months from date of order to commence work. The following bids were received June 9:

Martin J. Kelly Company, Inc., $15,025; Carney Construction Company, Inc., $16,871.50; J. A. Singarella Company, $23,000.

Upon June 13 the Mayor approved a contract with John F. Shea Company, Inc., for replacement of bituminous concrete pavement and artificial stone sidewalks where excavations have been made by the Water Division of the Public Works Department in any location in the city, excepting that bounded by Berkeley street to Dover street to Fort Point Channel by Atlantic avenue, Commercial street, Causeway street to the Charles River, back to the starting point at Berkeley street, at an estimated cost of $35,200. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed December 31, 1955. The following bids were received June 9:

John F. Shea Company, Inc., $35,200; Charles Todesca, $38,450; Baker & Co., Inc., $38,675; Ward General Contracting Company, $39,525; Faletra Brothers, Inc., $42,075; John J. Amara & Sons, $45,275.

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Upon June 13 the Mayor approved a contract with John McCourt Company for sheet asphalt pavement in Arlington street, Huntington avenue, Massachusetts avenue, Stuart street, Wards 4, 5, and 9, and such additional locations, if any, in Wards 4, 5, and 9, as may be designated by the Commissioner of Public Works, at an estimated cost of $63,932. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed November 1, 1955. The following bids were received June 9:

John McCourt Company, $63,932; Baker & Co., Inc., $70,205; Charles Todesca, $71,924.50; Rufo Construction Company, $72,180.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

The School Committee has approved proposals for furnishing automobiles for Boston public schools. Bids, opened Thursday, May 26, were received from the following concerns:

Westminster Motors, Inc., Kane Chevrolet Company, Inc., Sherry Motors, Inc., Cote Motor Company, Inc., Bowers Motor Sales, Inc., Coombs & McBeath, Inc.

Awards were made to the lowest responsible bidders, as follows:

Bowers Motor Sales, Inc., $4,608.

Coombs & McBeath, Inc., $5,797.

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The School Committee has approved proposals for furnishing iron castings for Boston public schools. Bid, opened Thursday, May 19, was as follows:

Cumberland Foundry, Inc., $1,750.

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The School Committee has approved proposals for furnishing football uniforms and supplies for Boston public schools. Bids, opened Thursday, May 5, were received from the following concerns:

James W. Brine Company, Inc., W. H. Brine Company, Collegiate House, Inc., Max Goodman & Son, E. F. Holland Company, Inc., Huber Sports Equipment, Inc., Horace Partridge Athletic Goods, Division of Wilson Sporting Goods Company, "Bucky" Warren, Inc.

Awards were made to the lowest responsible bidders, as follows:

James W. Brine Company, Inc., $6,344.62.

Collegiate House, Inc., $2,329.60.

Horace Partridge Athletic Goods, Division of Wilson Sporting Goods Company, $3,278.95.

"Bucky" Warren, Inc., $1,731.51.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

Upon varying dates as indicated the Mayor approved contracts with commercial houses, contractors, etc., for furnishing labor, supplies, etc. Communications from heads of the departments interested were as follows:

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, June 7, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

It was necessary to have specifications made for alterations in Room 43, fourth floor, City Hall, and three reputable contractors were invited to submit prices for the work entailed, which includes plastering, carpentry, painting, electrical work, etc., with the following results:

F. C. Dolan & Sons Company, $5,143; S. J. Hingston, $5,460; Paul J. Rogan Company, $5,680.

In view of the above, together with the knowledge that time is very essential, I believe that the best interests of the city is served by awarding this work to the low bidder, the F. C. Dolan & Sons Company, of 18 Aldworth street, Jamaica Plain, on a time and material basis, in a sum not to exceed $5,143, without the usual form of advertising. The Dolan Company enjoys an excellent reputation and has performed very good work for this department in the past.

Very truly yours,

GEORGE P. DONOVAN,
Assistant Commissioner.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Dooley Brothers, Inc., have been directed to perform the following extra work under the contract for bituminous concrete pavement in A street, dated October 21, 1954:

In existing backfilled trenches over lighting conduits, excavate earth to a depth of 6 inches, remove pavement for a distance of 6 inches on each side and place a 6-inch concrete mat flush with existing pavement. A 6-inch shoulder shall be provided around the perimeter of all openings to insure a bearing for the concrete mat on undisturbed soil. High early strength Portland cement shall be used in the concrete for the 6-inch mat. There is approximately 320 square yards of this work and the price is to be $5 per square yard. This work is to be done by use of a compressor and hand labor.

Estimated cost of extra work, $1,600.

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J. D'Amico, Inc., has been directed to perform the following extra work under the contract for bituminous concrete pavement in Ansonia road, Bowditch road, Cricket Lane, Highfield road, Ledgewood road, and Searle road, dated October 5, 1954:

In Cricket Lane, from Ledgewood road southeasterly, northeasterly, and northwesterly, approximately 800 feet, construct concrete retaining wall on street line approximately 50 feet long, average height 3 feet above ground level. Approximately 15 cubic yards of concrete will be required. The price will be $35 per cubic yard, and is to include all necessary forms, excavation, and incidental work.

Estimated cost of extra work, $630.

OMIT AND SUBSTITUTE WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Faletra Brothers, Inc., have been directed to omit and substitute the following work under the contract for cement concrete stairs and bituminous concrete walks in Brookway Footpath and bituminous concrete sidewalks in Bradeen Street Footway and Brookway terrace, dated December 8, 1954:

In Brookway Footpath, omit 1,000 square feet of gunite, 1½ inches thick, at $2.75 per square foot; substitute, 1,000 square feet of gunite, 2 inches thick, at $3.30 per square foot.

Estimated cost of substituted work, $3,300.

Estimated cost of omitted work, $2,750.

Estimated increase in cost, $550.

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Faletra Brothers, Inc., have been directed to omit and substitute the following work under the contract for cement concrete stairs and bituminous concrete walks in Brookway Footpath and bituminous concrete sidewalks in Bradeen Street Footway and Brookway terrace, dated December 8, 1954:

In Brookway Footpath, omit 170 linear feet of 4-inch V.C. pipe, to be placed in back of wall for drainage, at $2 per linear foot; substitute, 170 linear feet of concrete gutter, shaped to fit irregularities in stone wall and coated with mastic for water proofing, at $2 per linear foot.

Estimated cost of substituted work, $340.

Estimated cost of omitted work, $340.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract approved May 3, 1955, with M. Solimando for sealing exterior masonry walls, to minimize their absorption and increase their repellency of water, at the Chapman School, from June 15, 1955, to August 15, 1955. This extension was requested because of additional work not called for in contract.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract approved May 11, 1955, with Stanton Electrical Company, Inc., for electrical work at the Administration Building, 15 Beacon street, from June 15, 1955, to July 15, 1955. This extension was requested because of delay in shipment from the factory of the molophane fixtures which were specified.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

W. H. Ellis & Son Company have been granted an extension of time until July 15, 1955, for the completion of the contract for reconstruction and repairs of pile and timber fences at L Street Bathhouse, South Boston.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract dated December 8, 1954, with Faletra Brothers, Inc., 115 Providence

street, Hyde Park, for construction of underpass, walks, stairs, etc., in Brookway Footpath, Bradeen Street Footway, and Brookway terrace, from May 31, 1955, to June 15, 1955. This extension was requested because the contractor was delayed by inclement weather in the early spring.

TRANSFER OF APPROPRIATIONS.

The Mayor has approved the following request for transfer of appropriation:

SUPERIOR CRIMINAL COURT.
Court Officers' Division.

From 100, Personal Services, $5,000, to 320, Food Supplies, $5,000.

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 37.

I. PROMOTIONS.

The following promotions, which will become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, June 22, 1955, are hereby announced:

Fire Lieut. Daniel L. McCarthy, Ladder 20, to fire captain.

Fire Lieut. William R. Lovett, Engine 13, to fire captain.

Fire Fighter Sumner N. Card, Engine 39, to fire lieutenant.

Fire Fighter Leo J. McElaney, Ladder 1, to fire lieutenant.

II. REINSTATEMENT.

The following reinstatement, which became effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, June 15, 1955, is hereby announced:

Fire Fighter Henry J. Schneider, to Engine Company 24.

III. RETIREMENTS.

The following retirements, in accordance with the provisions of section 7, chapter 658, Acts of 1945, are hereby announced, to become effective at 8 A.M., Friday, July 1, 1955:

Fire Capt. John E. J. Broughton, Ladder Company 24.

Fire Fighter John J. O'Connor, Engine Company 4.

Fire Fighter Georgio A. Frattaroli, Engine Company 5.

The following retirement, in accordance with the provisions of section 13, chapter 521, Acts of 1922, is hereby announced, to become effective at 8 A.M., Friday, July 1, 1955:

Fire Fighter John A. Abbott, Engine Company 26.

The following retirement, in accordance with section 7, chapter 32, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), as amended, is hereby announced, to become effective at 8 A.M., Friday, July 1, 1955:

Fire Fighter Leo J. Walker, Engine Company 13.

The following retirement, in accordance with section 57, chapter 32 of the General Laws, as amended, is hereby announced, to become effective at 8 A.M., June 22, 1955:

Fire Fighter James J. Galvin, Engine Company 3.

Captain Broughton was appointed to the Fire Department May 31, 1929. He was promoted to the grade of lieutenant October 16, 1940, and to captain September 26, 1945. Fire Fighter O'Connor was appointed February 3, 1947. Fire Fighter Frattaroli was appointed March 15, 1950. Fire Fighter Abbott was appointed September 2, 1942. Fire Fighter Walker was appointed April 5, 1944, and Fire Fighter Galvin was appointed July 16, 1937.

All the foregoing-named members leave the department with the best wishes of their associates.

IV. TRANSFERS.

The following transfers will become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, June 22, 1955:

Fire Capt. Robert E. Kenneally, from Engine 56 to Engine 50.

Fire Capt. James C. Wilson, from Engine 3 to Engine 48.

Fire Capt. Daniel L. McCarthy, from Ladder 20 to Engine 20.

Fire Capt. William R. Lovett, from Engine 13 to Engine 3.

Fire Lieut. Robert P. Beltramini, from Ladder 20 to Engine 13.

Fire Lieut. Richard A. Kemp, from Ladder 26 to Ladder 20.

Fire Lieut. Sumner N. Card, from Engine 39 to Engine 2.

Fire Lieut. Leo J. McElaney, from Ladder 1 to Ladder 26.

Fire Fighter Thomas E. Kelly, from Ladder 12 to Engine 50.

Fire Fighter William J. Griffiths, from Engine 9 to Engine 37.

Fire Fighter Charles I. Famulari, from Engine 5 to Engine 4.

Fire Fighter Charles R. Gove, from Engine 4 to Engine 5.

V. FIRE ALARM BOXES INSTALLED.

The following fire alarm box which was established in General Orders, No. 7, dated February 2, 1955, has been installed and connected to Circuit 20:

12-2246, Eliot Square Nursing Home, Inc., 159 Roxbury street.

Company commanders will add the above box to Circuit Card 20.

The following fire alarm box which was established in General Orders, No. 23, dated April 21, 1955, has been installed and connected to Circuit 83:

13-2552, Washingtonian Hospital, 41 Morton street.

Company commanders will add the above box to Circuit Card 83.

VI. FIRE ALARM BOXES ESTABLISHED.

In the near future. the following fire alarm boxes will be installed:

12-3154, John Winthrop School, 35 Brookford street.

12-3285, John Marshall School, 35 Westville street.

12-3564, Edmund P. Tileston School, 106 Babson street.

Circuit numbers for these boxes will be announced when the boxes are installed. Company commanders will add the above boxes to the assignment cards indicated.

VII. COMMENDATIONS.

Fire Fighter Henry F. McCormick of Ladder Company 14 is hereby commended for responding to and working at fire, Box 5288, two alarms, June 16, 1955, while off duty.

Fire Fighter Frank E. Utley of Engine Squad 34 is hereby commended for responding to and working at fire, Box 5292, June 18, 1955, while off duty.

By order of Fire Commissioner FRANCIS X. COTTER.

JOHN V. STAPLETON,
Chief of Department.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 2,056.

The resignation of Patrolman Charles M. Parlon of the Traffic Division, having been presented, it is hereby accepted, to take effect on Monday, June 13, 1955, at 7.45 o'clock A.M., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,057.

Patrolmen Vincent T. Clifford and Albert R. Fiore of Division 10 are commended and each is granted two days' additional vacation for meritorious police work performed on February 27, 1955.

While Patrolman Clifford was patrolling his route he observed a rear window broken in a building and upon investigation heard noises from within. At this time Patrolman Fiore was proceeding along the opposite side of the street and Patrolman Clifford signaled him for assistance, posting him at the rear while he covered the front entrance. Shortly thereafter, Patrolman Clifford captured at gun point a man leaving by the front door, while Patrolman Fiore took into custody another man attempting to make his escape through the broken window.

Investigation disclosed that these two men had forced their way into the building and broken open a safe containing several hundred dollars which they had divided between them. This money was recovered and a number of burglarious tools seized at the time.

Both of these men, one a former State Prison inmate, have received lengthy prison terms for breaking and entering and possession of burglarious tools.

The commissioner is pleased to recognize the alertness of these officers and the efficient manner in which they operated to bring about the apprehension of these criminals.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,058.

The resignation of Patrolman Frederick J. O'Brien of Division 16, having been presented, it is hereby accepted, to take effect Thursday, June 16, 1955, at 7.45 o'clock A.M., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

MUNICIPAL BOND PROPOSALS.

State and municipal bond proposals reported during June as approved by 239 municipalities in 31 states and Alaska totaled $173,811,935, as compared with $113,704,950 for June, 1953, the Bond Buyer reports . . . Jones Beach Parkway Authority in New York has been ordered to show cause why the 10-cent toll on the portion of the Southern State Parkway now completed should not be discontinued. Basis of the suit, it is said, is a claim that all of the highway must be completed before any tolls can be collected.

Registered Voters (Men and Women), City Election, November 3, 1953.

Wards.	Precincts.																					Totals.
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	
1	2,063	1,994	1,811	1,934	1,818	1,923	2,018	1,843	1,699	2,042	2,097	1,548	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	22,790
2	1,549	1,428	1,722	1,758	1,671	1,607	746	827	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11,308
3	1,611	1,652	1,625	1,649	1,412	1,618	1,368	1,490	1,510	1,185	1,437	1,489	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18,046
4	1,549	1,607	1,083	1,352	1,877	1,565	1,552	1,670	1,568	1,149	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14,972
5	1,763	1,094	1,664	1,256	1,787	2,007	2,280	1,648	1,650	1,273	1,231	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17,653
6	1,769	1,612	1,496	1,485	1,442	1,481	1,560	1,464	1,523	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13,832
7	1,590	1,725	1,677	1,671	1,645	1,844	1,747	1,569	1,609	1,739	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16,816
8	1,311	1,776	1,056	1,379	1,464	968	1,593	1,614	946	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12,107
9	1,358	1,649	1,508	1,794	956	1,089	1,075	521	1,293	964	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12,207
10	1,571	1,577	1,625	1,526	1,547	1,652	1,154	1,591	1,789	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14,032
11	809	728	741	712	828	940	1,143	971	957	887	1,136	847	709	1,121	691	789	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14,009
12	820	716	837	909	787	860	1,016	851	886	1,029	938	999	987	938	951	1,004	949	1,096	854	.....	.....	.....	17,427
13	778	857	1,069	979	1,060	906	793	923	682	748	771	686	926	888	948	1,027	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14,041
14	1,347	1,156	1,091	1,174	1,155	961	939	1,157	1,283	1,140	1,149	1,242	1,331	1,255	1,072	1,040	1,436	1,359	1,234	1,479	997	.....	24,997
15	1,043	976	983	897	856	902	889	900	955	951	938	1,012	818	799	959	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13,878
16	947	1,195	931	878	1,020	1,005	929	930	826	873	939	971	1,077	893	929	967	887	896	918	819	.....	.....	18,830
17	807	806	736	938	835	780	941	1,043	986	842	1,035	1,067	1,037	983	1,142	960	856	807	927	1,050	.....	.....	18,578
18	1,916	1,164	1,352	930	1,105	1,269	996	1,244	1,692	1,027	1,505	1,343	944	940	1,149	1,087	2,020	1,164	1,113	1,247	1,162	.....	26,369
19	1,053	983	888	1,090	1,140	960	943	953	798	871	1,136	1,102	1,024	792	934	1,331	1,028	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17,026
20	978	908	843	912	948	1,588	819	906	971	1,182	937	981	1,004	1,121	1,228	1,494	1,439	991	1,192	1,390	1,055	907	23,794
21	1,548	1,223	1,203	963	931	1,220	1,390	1,436	987	737	2,447	1,449	1,360	1,565	1,358	1,054	1,007	1,441	.....	.....	.....	.....	23,319
22	826	940	890	869	1,074	945	906	911	1,451	1,265	1,065	981	990	1,049	980	1,184	1,507	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17,833
Grand Total																							383,864

Number of Persons Registered Who Voted, City Election, November 3, 1953.

Wards.	Precincts.																					Totals.
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	
1	870	840	790	768	702	826	676	690	662	957	849	840	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9,470
2	626	664	774	798	740	639	378	388	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,007
3	835	942	926	866	519	629	575	610	593	444	518	608	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8,065
4	562	544	377	376	729	618	594	561	513	376	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,250
5	669	443	756	452	923	803	896	667	613	440	434	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,096
6	763	751	759	572	697	671	708	722	908	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,551
7	970	784	733	825	813	918	838	687	798	763	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8,129
8	557	712	408	688	673	430	728	769	415	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,380
9	543	588	483	573	323	333	396	193	482	337	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,251
10	789	789	819	603	788	645	373	608	850	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,264
11	319	314	282	262	267	371	502	422	402	354	488	436	310	468	299	369	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,865
12	326	271	320	337	263	263	321	327	335	320	309	332	410	429	375	498	415	446	326	.....	.....	.....	6,623
13	370	433	513	410	498	418	383	424	388	455	412	370	505	502	490	626	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,197
14	602	490	529	598	503	457	418	629	705	664	565	579	651	657	480	585	790	739	526	779	490	.....	12,436
15	489	418	428	447	387	476	498	400	441	415	436	422	370	422	433	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,482
16	427	575	495	520	541	431	487	470	368	510	519	527	475	492	424	515	467	506	493	452	.....	.....	9,694
17	410	354	344	369	407	405	459	439	450	436	523	490	391	423	550	462	448	420	491	535	.....	.....	8,806
18	904	460	623	422	434	519	492	540	677	504	637	564	341	319	481	460	971	401	345	653	540	.....	11,287
19	439	511	521	442	530	359	428	555	406	357	603	534	553	394	450	636	649	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8,367
20	459	399	409	418	445	898	461	430	455	587	549	542	491	658	476	547	712	490	642	605	546	413	11,632
21	439	407	480	354	295	439	489	288	365	311	721	500	376	492	493	420	481	440	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,790
22	312	344	319	344	415	442	441	440	534	507	493	489	541	442	444	595	749	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,851
Grand Total																							169,493

Proportion of Persons Registered Who Voted, 44.15 Per Cent.

PROCEEDINGS OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Apr. 27, 1955

A special meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Mayor's Office at 12:05 P. M., the Chairman presiding.

Present: Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco and Ward.

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On roll call, the members as their names were called, respectively stated that they voted as follows to waive notice of this meeting today:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco and Ward —5.

NAYS—0.

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SALE OF LUCRETIA CROCKER SCHOOL

The following preamble and order were offered:

WHEREAS, The Lucretia Crocker School, Bickford Street, Jamaica Plain, is not now required for school purposes, it is hereby

ORDERED, That it is advisable to sell the following-named property which is not now required for school purposes, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 259 of the Acts of 1908:

Lucretia Crocker School, Bickford Street, Jamaica Plain: Land and building, containing approximately 30,000 square feet.

On roll call, the preamble was adopted and the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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The Committee adjourned.

Attest:

AGNES E. REYNOLDS,
Secretary.

May 2, 1955.

A regular meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, at 5:23 P. M., the Chairman presiding.

Present: Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco.

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RESOLUTIONS, STATION WGBH, TV CHANNEL TWO

Miss Fitzgerald offered the following preamble and resolutions:

WHEREAS, President Conant of Harvard invited Ralph Lowell to lunch in 1946 to talk about the part radio might play in education; and

WHEREAS, A great, great, great granduncle of Ralph Lowell by will left half of his fortune to found Lowell Institute to further the education of the people of Boston; and

WHEREAS, The will specified that there should always be one trustee named Lowell, descended from a common grandfather, so that the principal might grow and grow; and

WHEREAS, None of the money should be put into bricks and mortar; and

WHEREAS, This sum has grown to $3,000,000, and the presidents of Boston College, Boston University, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Northeastern, and Harvard University help to form the Lowell Broadcasting Company; and

WHEREAS, From a modest budget this great educational institution is about to venture upon great deeds in the field of education; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the School Committee of the City of Boston extends to the sponsors of this television station its best wishes for a prosperous and successful venture in the field of education on Channel Two; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Secretary be directed to send a copy of these resolutions to Station WGBH, Boston, Massachusetts.

On roll call the preamble and resolutions were adopted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco —4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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Chairman: I think that the establishment of such a station will afford the public schools an excellent opportunity to interpret the work that they are doing day by day in a more efficient manner to the public of the City of Boston and the State of Massachusetts, and I think we do need such interpretation.

Mr. Musco: I think the job would only be half done if a station such as this is placed in operation and our Boston School System is lacking in provisions for the reception of programs. I wonder if we should not ask the Superintendent to make a study in which we might insert many pieces of equipment and have sets within our system to take advantage of these during the school day.

Chairman: I think that is a wonderful idea.

Superintendent: Do you mean for the budget of 1956?

Mr. Musco: Yes, even to start an experimental program or a pilot program in one of our schools on different levels, such as elementary, junior high, and senior high school levels, so that we can utilize these programs as they come through. Then, in the course of a year, we may be, and probably will be partial to installing TV sets in all of our schools.

Superintendent: I will be glad to.

Mr. Lee: This is simply a study?

Chairman: A study by the Superintendent of the possibility of putting television receivers in some of the classrooms.

Mr. Lee: May I ask Mr. Musco: Won't that give the kids the idea that they ought to have television at home?

Chairman: I think, Mr. Lee, they already have the idea.

Mr. Lee: I hope not.

Mr. Musco: Inasmuch as most of our schools have audio-visual aid, such as a 16 mm. sound projector or a 35 mm. slide projector, and certainly all of the classrooms have teachers, we would just like to bring the thrill and the use of television reception right into the classroom.

Chairman: Mr. Lee, I think we are continually complaining that there is not enough education in television programs, and here is a station which is going to begin its life with entire devotion to educational subjects, I think it is something we ought to encourage.

If children are going to watch television anyway, they might be encouraged to watch educational programs more frequently by being exposed to them.

Mr. Lee: I am not opposing your motion, you understand. My question was, that when you get kids used to television in classrooms, then they want to look at television at home where there are no selected programs. That is, educational programs may be available or not. I don't know the details, but a child can easily turn to a program put on by some thoroughly unedifying person which takes away from the child his normal chance to grow up in a normal way.

I think the easiest solution to television—and we read about so many controversies on the subject—is not to have children look at television at all. They stand to gain more by not looking at it than by looking at the present programs which I hear sharply criticized.

Mr. Musco: Then we become retrogressive instead of progressive, and I think Boston ought to start taking a step forward and go ahead and be the one to lead such a program and not the one to follow.

Chairman: I think that Mr. Musco is just requesting the Superintendent to make a study of this question, and the Superintendent could come to us with his suggestions.

Mr. Lee: Is the Superintendent to make the study bearing in mind my thoughts in the matter? I don't have a television set myself, but I have been told that the programs are very retrogressive and would lead people into salaciousness and depravity. I may be completely wrong, but I have seen reams and reams of discussion in magazines just to that effect.

So, just take into consideration the different views. At least I would appreciate that.

Mr. Musco: We have different points of opinion.

Madam Chairman, I can see twenty years from now that I as a great-grandfather will see every classroom with a television set.

Mr. Lee: I also add that even if a program is good, I don't believe the child's time is as well spent in front of that program at home as if he was either outdoors playing or learning a musical instrument or reading books whose worth to him has been attested by the ages. I don't see that it fills any need that cannot be much better filled by other means even if it is a good program, and I am told that many of the programs are prepared by persons of very low conceptions of what human nature and existence are.

Chairman: I think, Mr. Lee, the Superintendent will have your remarks in mind when he makes the study.

Superintendent: I will be glad to.

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ACCEPTANCE OF OFFICE

The following communication was received:

April 29, 1955

Miss Agnes E. Reynolds,
Secretary,
Boston School Committee.

Dear Miss Reynolds:

I wish to thank you for your letter of April 5, 1955, informing me that at the meeting of the School Committee held on April 4, 1955, I was reelected Assistant Superintendent for an additional term of six years beginning September 1, 1955.

In accepting this reelection, may I express my continued loyalty to Superintendent Dennis C. Haley and to the Boston School Committee. I am deeply appreciative of their confidence in me.

Very truly yours,
(Signed) Philip J. Bond
Assistant Superintendent

Placed on file.

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IN MEMORIAM

The Superintendent regretfully reported the death of the following-named school nurse who had been retired on pension under the provisions of the Boston Retirement System:

Department of School Hygiene —K. Josephine Ellis, Apr. 20, 1955.

Placed on file.

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The Superintendent regretfully reported the death of the following-named assistant who had been retired under the provisions of the State-Boston Retirement System:

Offices of the Superintendent-Secretary—Mary E. Shepheard, Apr. 28, 1955.

Placed on file.

The School Committee requested that a letter of condolence, to be signed by the Secretary, be sent to the bereaved families.

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APPOINTMENTS

The following nominations by the Superintendent, certified by him as being in accordance with the rules and regulations, to take effect on the dates stated, were presented:

(FROM THE ELIGIBLE LIST)

Girls' Latin School—Marie L. Paraboschi, assistant from permanent substitute teacher (twelfth year salary — $5088), May 16, 1955.

Abraham Lincoln—Quincy District—Ruth Onigman Toyster, teacher, kindergarten (third year salary—$3780 — anniversary date May 1), May 16, 1955.

Norcross District — Beatrice Segall Snyder, teacher, kindergarten (third year salary—$3780 —anniversary date May 1), May 16, 1955.

Washington Allston District—Maureen L. Mahoney, teacher, kindergarten (second year salary —$3636—anniversary date May 1), May 16, 1955.

Laid over.

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(BY PROMOTION)

Trade High School for Girls—Grace R. Whittaker, head of department, Cert. IV. (from senior assistant), May 16, 1955.

Laid over.

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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATIONAL AND RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES

(Extended Use)

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of May 2, 1955, reporting, subject to the approval of the School Committee, the assignment of the following-named person to serve in the Department of Adult Educational and Recreational Activities, Extended Use Division, for the term 1954-55:

Assignment

Alfred R. Potter, May 2, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the assignment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco —4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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GARDENING

Season of 1955

(To take effect Apr. 28, 1955)

Garden Supervisors—Nella Bacciola, Catherine M. Mancy, Elsie McHale, Cornelius J. O'Leary, Leo E. Raftery, John P. Sweeney.

Garden Assistants—William J. Bond, John E. Burke, Henry C. Clark, Frank J. Corliss, Bernard F. Devlin, Nicholas F. Dioguardi, William H. Dugan, James J. Foley, Edward J. Golden, A. Ruth Hickey, Robert Hinckley, James F. Hughes, Marguerite M. Hughes, Ann T. Joyce, John J. Malone, Alice G. Moran, Ralph Rosenthal, Walter E. Shaughnessy, Helen M. Toomey, John W. Whelan.

On roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco —4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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ASSIGNMENTS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of May 2, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has assigned the following-named teachers, as indicated, without change of rank or salary to take effect on the dates stated, and to continue for the school year ending Aug. 31, 1955, unless earlier terminated by the Superintendent, with the approval of the School Committee:

High School of Commerce — George F. McCarthy, master, to Girls' High School; William Ogrean, master, to Jeremiah E. Burke High School for Girls; Alfred B. Sullivan, master, to Boston Latin School; Timothy M. Tully, head of department, to Boston Latin School, May 16, 1955.

Emily A. Fifield—Gilbert Stuart District — Laurence A. O'Brien, teacher, elementary, to Hart-Gaston-Perry District, May 1, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the assignments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzger, ald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco —4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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REPORT ON MARRIED TEACHERS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of May 2, 1955, reporting that in accordance with the provisions of Section 283 of the regulations, the following-named female teachers have reported that they were married on the dates indicated:

Girls' High School — Rose J. Martini, assistant, married Apr. 16, 1955, new name Rose J. Lord.

Francis Parkman District — Joan M. Kelly, teacher, elementary, married Apr. 15, 1955, new name Joan M. Dooley; Adelaide M. Whelton, teacher, elementary, married Apr. 19, 1955, new name Adelaide M. Carroll.

Phillips Brooks District—Patricia A. Coughlin, teacher, elementary, married Apr. 16. 1955, new name Patricia A. Hogan.

Placed on file.

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TRANSFER OF SCHOOL PROPERTY

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the Boston Housing Authority, Agent of the City of Boston for the providing of housing for veterans of World War II, is hereby granted, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 372 of the Acts of 1946 and acts in amendment thereof or in addition thereto, the use of the following-named school property which is not now devoted to or required by the City of Boston for school purposes:

A parcel of land situated on the easterly side of Tileston Street between Rosemont and Winborough Streets in the Hyde Park District of the City of Boston, containing approximately 31,041 square feet.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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ATTENDANCE AT CONVENTIONS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of May 2, 1955, submitting, in accordance with the provisions of Section 3 of Chapter 274 of the Acts of 1914, report of Agnes K. Brennan, Director, Department of Distributive Education, on her attendance at the Convention of the Eastern Business Teachers Association, held in Philadelphia, Pa., Apr. 7 to 9, 1955, inclusive.

Placed on file.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of May 2, 1955, submitting, in accordance with the provisions of Section 3 of Chapter 274 of the Acts of 1914, report of Robert C. Schimmel, Radio Coordinator, Visual and Radio Education, on his attendance at the Twenty-fifth Annual Radio-TV Institute, held at Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio, April 12 to 15, 1955, inclusive.

Placed on file.

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RESIGNATION OF CUSTODIAN

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of May 2, 1955, reporting the resignation of Leo T. Ford, junior building custodian, Boston Clerical School, to take effect Mar. 26, 1955.

Accepted.

APPOINTMENT OF CUSTODIAN

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of May 2, 1955, recommending, subject to the approval of the School Committee and with the approval of the Division of Civil Service, the appointment of John F. Burns, Jr., who has been approved by the Medical Director, Workmen's Compensation Service, as junior building custodian, to take effect May 2, 1955, Mr. Burns having resigned from his position Nov. 18, 1952.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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The Committee adjourned.

Attest:

AGNES E. REYNOLDS,
Secretary.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, for a trial period of sixty (60) days, the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective June 28, 1955:

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out the following:

Norfolk Avenue, Dorchester.
Northeast side, from East Cottage street to Franklin court, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Norfolk Avenue.
Northeast side, from East Cottage street to a point one hundred and fifty (150) feet southeast of Franklin court, 24 hours.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Tebroc Street.
From Levant street to Bowdoin street.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, for a trial period of sixty (60) days, the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective June 28, 1955:

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Quincy Street.
At Clarkson street.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Charlestown," the following:

Warren Street.
Northeast side, at Park street.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of sewer construction, estimated to be thirty (30) days, vehicles are excluded from the following street, effective June 16, 1955:

Canterbury Street, West Roxbury.
From Morton street to Walk Hill street.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway resurfacing in Cummins Highway, estimated to be five (5) days, the one-way rule in the following street is suspended and it is a two-way street, effective June 17, 1955:

Poplar Street, West Roxbury.
From Washington street to Sycamore street.

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SEWERAGE WORKS IN WEST ROXBURY.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that sewerage works be constructed as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being the private way known as Hazelmere road, bounded:

Westerly by the public portion of Hazelmere road, forty feet; northerly by the northerly line of Hazelmere road, one hundred thirty feet; easterly by another portion of Hazelmere road, forty feet; southerly by the southerly line of Hazelmere road, one hundred thirty feet; containing 5,200 square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: 220 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sewer; 170 linear feet of 10-inch pipe surface drain; and 1 catch basin, at an estimated cost of $3,100.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the abutting parcels of land situated on both sides of Hazelmere road, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement herein ordered; each of said parcels in the amount hereinafter respectively set against it; said parcels and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan hereinbefore referred to and on file in the office of said department.

Parcel.		Amount.
1.	Walter R. and Kathryn Walsh.....	$330
2.	Owen F. Oakes.....	330
3.	Warren F. and Elizabeth K. Hall....	330
4.	Frank L. and Marjorie A. Walsh....	330
	Total	$1,320

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the taking of an easement for sewerage purposes and the construction of sewerage works in Hazelmere road, West Roxbury district, under the order of the commission of June 8, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

Owners unknown (Hazelmere road), 5,200 square feet, nothing.

STATEMENT OF BUILDING OPERATIONS IN THE CITY OF BOSTON FOR THE MONTH ENDING MAY 31, 1955.

(As compared with corresponding period in preceding years.)

	1955.		1954.		1953.		1952.		1951.	
	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.
Type I	2	$2,100,000	3	$2,600	2	$360,000	4	$186,000	19	$7,561,700
Type II	—	—	1	210,000	—	—	1	100,000	—	—
Type IV	12	847,800	6	90,500	19	844,100	6	34,600	16	337,000
Type V	5	19,200	2	1,500	2	1,800	9	25,175	6	22,600
Type VI	92	880,620	50	447,050	39	326,100	38	316,500	30	255,160
Total new construction	111	$3,847,620	62	$781,650	62	$1,535,000	58	$962,275	71	$8,076,950
Alterations, repairs, etc	600	795,414	551	1,080,651	492	1,101,415	712	849,338	632	657,940
Total structural construction	711	$4,643,034	613	$1,862,301	554	$2,636,415	770	$1,811,613	703	$8,731,890
Plumbing	215	$189,345	242	$149,265	273	$187,160	249	$576,009	233	$114,311
Gasfitting	509	56,117	470	51,955	531	56,475	381	47,239	402	50,754
Heaters, ovens, etc	35	17,180	27	23,460	18	23,330	10	13,125	14	162,370
Elevators, new freight	1	2,000	4	11,160	3	15,073	3	14,350	4	10,533
Elevators, new passenger	1	10,000	8	150,000	1	5,500	9	246,625	1	6,000
Elevators, alterations, freight	13	2,540	7	5,225	13	13,396	9	4,155	18	16,977
Elevators, alterations, passenger	21	5,875	21	21,200	22	14,739	20	3,160	38	33,955
Signs, projections, etc	51	18,990	22	10,730	31	19,573	67	18,270	41	10,220
Fire escapes	41	10,565	93	22,722	74	19,495	38	10,229	72	16,023
Take-downs, wood	32	15,015	7	2,150	11	4,269	8	9,990	19	1,920
Take-downs, brick, etc	11	27,550	2	1,175	2	500	22	88,280	4	4,850
Sprinklers	5	10,775	7	7,750	19	50,067	11	29,725	9	11,930
Excavations	17	31,470	3	1,150	2	10,100	2	900	3	1,600
Use of premises	7	—	6	—	6	—	1	—	12	—
Total	962	$397,422	919	$157,942	1,009	$419,677	833	$1,062,517	873	$447,433
Grand total all work	1,673	$5,040,456	1,532	$2,320,246	1,563	$3,056,092	1,603	$2,874,130	1,576	$9,182,323
Department revenue		$16,664.41		$7,200.25		$9,207.25		$7,148.25		$6,589.25

The following is a statement showing the number, purpose and estimated cost of the erection of new buildings and the alterations, repairs, additions, etc., of existing buildings for which applications were filed with the Building Department of the City of Boston during the

MONTH ENDING MAY 31, 1955.

PURPOSE.	NEW BUILDINGS.		ALTERATIONS.		TOTAL.	
	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.
Amusement and recreation places, theatres, halls, movies	1	$32,000	7	$12,800	8	$44,800
Churches, chapels, synagogues	—	—	5	27,950	5	27,950
Dwellings, small, 1-family	76	691,500	108	85,269	184	779,769
Dwellings, small, 2-family	13	161,000	125	54,158	138	215,158
Dwellings, small, 3-family	—	—	150	73,645	150	73,645
Dwellings, small, with stores	—	—	31	30,064	31	30,064
Dwellings, large, 4 or more families	—	—	29	12,212	29	12,212
Dwellings, large, with stores	—	—	5	1,602	5	1,602
Educational buildings, schools, colleges	1	1,500,000	4	31,275	5	1,531,275
Garage and repair shops	4	4,900	5	1,850	9	6,750
Hotel and club buildings	—	—	1	21,600	1	21,600
Institutional buildings, hospitals, asylums, clinics	1	600,000	2	33,000	3	633,000
Lodgings, dormitories, convents, homes	1	70,000	5	120,287	6	190,287
Manufacturing buildings, bakeries, laundries, workshops	—	—	12	11,301	12	11,301
Mercantile buildings, restaurants, stores, showrooms, service stations	10	755,100	72	201,188	82	956,288
Office and bank buildings	1	12,000	24	69,890	25	81,890
Storage buildings, warehouses, lumber sheds, silos	1	11,000	4	3,150	5	14,150
Miscellaneous	2	4,120	8	4,170	10	8,290
Total	111	$3,847,620	600	$795,414	711	$4,643,034

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PURPOSES, NUMBER AND ESTIMATED COST OF NEW BUILDINGS AND ALTERATIONS, ADDITIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., FOR WHICH APPLICATIONS HAVE BEEN FILED FOR MONTH ENDING MAY 31, 1955.

CHARACTER.	AMUSEMENT, RECREATION PLACES, THEATERS, MOVIES, HALLS.		CHURCHES, CHAPELS, SYNAGOGUES.		DWELLINGS, 1-FAMILY.		DWELLINGS, 2-FAMILY.		DWELLINGS, 3-FAMILY.		DWELLINGS, 1-2-3 FAMILY, WITH STORES, ETC.		DWELLINGS, MULTI-FAMILY.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type IV	1	$32,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type V	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type VI	....	.....	....	.....	76	$694,500	13	$164,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Total new construction	7	$32,000	....	.....	76	$694,500	13	$164,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Alterations, etc	7	12,800	5	$27,950	108	85,269	125	51,158	150	$73,645	31	$30,064	29	$12,212
Total structural work	8	$44,800	5	$27,950	184	$779,769	138	$215,158	150	$73,645	31	$30,064	29	$12,212

CHARACTER.	DWELLINGS, MULTI-FAMILY, WITH STORES.		EDUCATIONAL BUILDINGS, SCHOOLS, COLLEGES.		GARAGES AND REPAIR SHOPS.		HOTEL AND CLUB BUILDINGS.		INSTITUTIONAL BUILDINGS, HOSPITALS, ASYLUMS, CLINICS.		LODGINGS, DORMITORIES, CONVENTS, HOMES.		LODGING HOUSES WITH STORES.		MANUFACTURING BUILDINGS, BAKERIES, LAUNDRIES, WORKSHOPS.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I	....	.....	1	$1,500,000	....	.....	....	.....	1	$600,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type IV	....	.....	....	.....	3	$3,800	....	.....	....	.....	1	$70,000	....	.....	....	.....
Type V	....	.....	....	.....	1	1,100	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type VI	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Total new construction	....	.....	1	$1,500,000	4	$4,900	....	.....	1	$600,000	1	$70,000	....	.....	....	.....
Alterations, etc	5	$1,602	4	31,275	5	1,850	4	$21,600	2	33,000	5	120,287	....	.....	12	$14,304
Total structural work	5	$1,602	5	$1,531,275	9	$6,750	4	$21,600	3	$633,000	6	$190,287	....	.....	12	$14,304

CHARACTER.	MERCANTILE BUILDINGS, RESTAURANTS, STORES, SHOWROOMS, SERVICE STATIONS.		OFFICE AND BANK BUILDINGS.		PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIBRARIES, MUSEUMS.		STABLES, KENNELS, POULTRY HOUSES.		STORAGE WAREHOUSES, LUMBER SHEDS, SILOS, ETC.		MISCELLANEOUS.		TOTALS.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	2	$2,100,000
Type IV	7	$742,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	12	847,800
Type V	2	3,100	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	1	$11,000	1	$1,000	5	19,200
Type VI	1	10,000	1	$12,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	1	120	92	880,620
Total new construction	10	$755,100	1	$12,000	....	.....	....	.....	1	$11,000	2	$1,120	111	$3,817,620
Alterations, etc	72	201,188	21	69,890	....	.....	....	.....	4	3,150	8	4,170	600	795,111
Total structural work	82	$956,288	25	$81,890	....	.....	....	.....	5	$14,150	10	$8,290	711	$4,643,031

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PURPOSES, NUMBER AND ESTIMATED COST OF NEW BUILDINGS AND ALTERATIONS, ADDITIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., FOR WHICH APPLICATIONS HAVE BEEN FILED FOR FIVE MONTHS ENDING MAY 31, 1935.

CHARACTER.	AMUSEMENT, RECREATION PLACES, THEATERS, MOVIES, HALLS.		CHURCHES, CHAPELS, SYNAGOGUES.		DWELLINGS, 1-FAMILY.		DWELLINGS, 2-FAMILY.		DWELLINGS, 3-FAMILY.		DWELLINGS, 1-2-3-FAMILY, WITH STORES, ETC.		DWELLINGS, MULTI-FAMILY.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I	1	$15,000	1	$250,000										
Type II														
Type IV	1	32,000	1	175,000	1	$15,000							5	$345,000
Type V														
Type VI					283	2,609,300	20	$276,000					1	38,000
Total new construction	2	$47,000	2	$425,000	284	$2,624,300	20	$276,000					6	$383,000
Alterations	15	29,702	10	138,575	377	283,718	436	216,451	487	$224,462	105	$80,450	151	138,747
Total structural work	17	$76,702	12	$563,575	661	$2,908,018	456	$492,451	487	$224,462	105	$80,450	157	$521,747

CHARACTER.	DWELLINGS, MULTI-FAMILY, WITH STORES.		EDUCATIONAL BUILDINGS, SCHOOLS, COLLEGES.		GARAGES AND REPAIR SHOPS.		HOTEL AND CLUB BUILDINGS.		INSTITUTIONAL BUILDINGS, HOSPITALS, ASYLUMS, CLINICS.		LODGINGS, DORMITORIES, CONVENTS, HOMES.		LODGING HOUSES WITH STORES.		MANUFACTURING BUILDINGS, BAKERIES, LAUNDRIES, WORKSHOPS.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I			3	$2,910,000	1	$200,000			2	$1,247,000	1	$487,000				
Type II											1	320,000				
Type IV					7	40,500			1	15,000	1	70,000			1	$5,800
Type V					3	3,700										
Type VI					3	3,100										
Total new construction			3	$2,910,000	14	$247,300			3	$1,262,000	3	$877,000			1	$5,800
Alterations, etc	27	$9,225	17	833,260	42	51,320	16	$67,050	24	1,455,300	44	151,525			64	213,098
Total structural work	27	$9,225	20	$3,743,260	56	$298,620	16	$67,050	27	$2,717,300	47	$1,028,525			65	$218,898

CHARACTER.	MERCANTILE BUILDINGS, RESTAURANTS, STORES, SHOWROOMS, SERVICE STATIONS.		OFFICE AND BANK BUILDINGS.		PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIBRARIES, MUSEUMS.		STABLES, KENNELS, POULTRY HOUSES.		STORAGE WAREHOUSES, LUMBER SHEDS, SILOS, ETC.		MISCELLANEOUS.		TOTALS.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I	6	$282,000	1	$12,000					3	$71,000	2	$35,100	21	$5,509,100
Type II	2	252,000							2	150,000			5	722,000
Type IV	25	1,207,100	2	25,500					2	45,000			47	1,975,900
Type V	8	21,000							2	23,000	5	10,500	18	58,200
Type VI	2	16,000	2	62,000	1	$1,000					2	920	314	3,006,320
Total new construction	43	$1,778,100	5	$99,500	1	$1,000			9	$289,000	9	$46,520	405	$11,271,520
Alterations, etc	290	824,594	87	968,610	3	20,775			40	211,560	35	19,327	2270	5,937,749
Total structural work	333	$2,602,694	92	$1,068,110	4	$21,775			49	$500,560	41	$65,847	2675	$17,209,269

The following is a statement showing the number of new buildings for purposes of habitation, together with the number of family accommodations provided thereby, for the erection of which applications were filed with the Building Department of the City of Boston during the

MONTH AND FIVE MONTHS ENDING MAY 31, 1955.

Number of Family Units in Each Building.	Month of May.				First Five Months.			
	1955.		1954.		1955.		1954.	
	Buildings.	Families.	Buildings.	Families.	Buildings.	Families.	Buildings.	Families.
1	76	76	49	49	284	284	196	196
2	13	26	—	—	20	40	4	8
4	—	—	—	—	1	4	—	—
10	—	—	—	—	5	50	—	—
Total	89	102	49	49	310	378	200	204
Estimated cost	$858,500		$446,400		$3,283,300		$1,946,510	

SUMMARY OF HOUSING CONSTRUCTION TO DATE.

Number of	Month of May.	Five Months.
New habitations erected	89	310
Accommodations provided by new construction	102	378
Accommodations provided by altering and remodeling	46	153
Accommodations eliminated by altering and remodeling	9	14
Habitations taken down	18*	44*
Family accommodations eliminated by demolition	42*	117*
Net change in number of habitations	71 more	266 more
Net change in number of family accommodations	97 more	400 more

Demolitions.	Number.		Number.	
	Buildings.	Families.	Buildings.	Families.
*1-family	4	4	8	8
2-family	4	8	12	24
3-family	10	30	19	57
4-family	—	—	1	4
6-family	—	—	4	24
Total	18	42	44	117

The following is a statement showing By Wards the number and estimated cost of new buildings for purposes of habitation for the erection of which applications were filed with the Building Department of the City of Boston during the

FIVE-MONTH PERIOD ENDING MAY 31, 1955.

Ward.	1-Family Dwellings.		2-Family Dwellings.		4-Family Dwellings.		10-Family Dwellings.		Total for Five Months.	
	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.
1	6	$69,000	4	$44,000	—	—	—	—	10	$113,000
14	1	8,100	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	8,100
16	8	85,200	—	—	—	—	—	—	8	85,200
17	12	105,000	—	—	1	$38,000	—	—	13	143,000
18	157	1,357,000	5	72,000	—	—	—	—	162	1,429,000
19	24	250,500	—	—	—	—	—	—	24	250,500
20	73	711,500	1	20,000	—	—	—	—	74	731,500
22	3	38,000	10	140,000	—	—	5	$345,000	18	523,000
Total	284	$2,624,300	20	$276,000	1	$38,000	5	$345,000	310	$3,283,300

BUILDING OPERATIONS IN CITY OF BOSTON.

The following is a statement showing By WARDS the number and estimated cost of new buildings for purposes of habitation for the erection of which applications were filed with the Building Department of the City of Boston during the

MONTH ENDING MAY 31, 1955.

WARD.	1-FAMILY DWELLINGS.		2-FAMILY DWELLINGS.		TOTAL FOR MONTH.	
	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.
1	1	$9,000	3	$30,000	4	$39,000
17	5	45,000	—	—	5	45,000
18	48	405,500	1	8,000	49	413,500
19	10	101,500	—	—	10	101,500
20	11	113,500	—	—	11	113,500
22	1	20,000	9	126,000	10	146,000
Total	76	$694,500	13	$164,000	89	$858,500

Building Operations in the City of Boston for the Month Ending MAY 31, 1955.

MONTH OF MAY.	1955.		1954.	
	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.
Type I	2	$2,100,000	3	$2,600
Type II			1	240,000
Type IV	12	817,800	6	90,500
Type V	5	19,200	2	1,500
Type VI	92	880,620	50	417,050
Total new construction	111	$3,817,620	62	$781,650
Alterations, additions, etc.	600	795,411	551	1,080,654
Total Structural Construction	711	$4,613,031	613	$1,862,304
Increase or decrease	98*	2,780,730		
	16%*	149%*		
Installations, etc	962	397,422	919	457,942
Grand total all work	1,673	$5,040,456	1,532	$2,320,246
Increase or decrease	141*	2,720,210*		
	9%*	117%*		

FIRST FIVE MONTHS.

Type I	21	$5,509,100	11	$1,664,800
Type II	5	722,000	5	996,000
Type IV	17	1,975,900	39	913,720
Type V	18	58,200	14	59,900
Type VI	314	3,006,320	202	1,894,560
Total new construction	105	$11,271,520	271	$5,528,980
Alterations, additions, etc	2,270	5,937,749	2,148	4,719,278
Total structural construction.	2,675	$17,209,269	2,722	$10,248,258
Increase or decrease	47	6,961,011*		
	2%	68%*		
Installations, etc	1,659	2,574,948	4,433	2,033,313
Grand total all work	7,331	$19,781,217	7,155	$12,281,571
Increase or decrease	179*	7,502,646*		
	2%*	61%*		

* Denotes increase. - Denotes decrease.

PRINCIPAL PROJECTS.

New, School, 370 Huntington avenue (Northeastern University)	$1,500,000
New, Hospital, 295 Longwood avenue (Judge Baker Fund)	600,000
New, Market, 545 Freeport street (Oakfield Corp.)	432,000
Alterations, Home, 111 Orient avenue (Sons of Divine Providence)	119,000
New, Mercantile, 630 American Legion Highway (Legion Dev. Corp.)	75,000
New, store, 930 Canterbury street (Rocco Zuppo)	70,000
New, convent, 109 Mt. Pleasant avenue (Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston)	70,000
New, store, 1980 Centre street (Lee Development Corp.)	60,000

LAND-TAKING IN EAST BOSTON.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that public necessity requires the taking of a parcel of land, for school purposes, situated in East Boston and bounded as follows:

Northerly by Faywood avenue; easterly by land supposed to belong to John L. M. and Catherine Fournier and Ovide F. Cellat; southerly by Montmorenci avenue; and westerly by land supposed to belong to Michael A. Flamnia and Michael and Antoinette A. Faretra; containing 69,281 square feet, more or less; substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this commission, that it intends to pass an order for making said taking, and that it appoints 10 o'clock A.M. of March 23, 1955, and the office of this commission, 401 City Hall Annex, as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said commission on said day.

Attest:

MICHAEL J. CORRAO,
Secretary.

IN PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT COMMISSION,
CITY OF BOSTON, JUNE 8, 1955.

Whereas, The Public Improvement Commission has passed the aforesaid order of notice and has caused a copy of said order to be published March 11, 12, 14, and 15, 1955, in the Boston *Post* and the Boston *Herald,* and March 12, 1955, in the *City Record,* and has given the public hearing, notice of which was given in said order; and

Whereas, The Department of School Buildings of the City of Boston, with the approval of the Mayor, has selected, designated, and requested the Public Improvement Commission of said city to take for said city, for Department of School Buildings purposes, the land hereinafter described, in that part of Boston formerly East Boston, it is

Voted, That the Public Improvement Commission of said City of Boston, acting under the provisions of chapter 486 of the Acts of the Legislature of 1909 and chapter 79 of the General Laws and all other authority thereto enabling, hereby takes in fee for said city, for school purposes, the following-described parcels of land, including the trees, buildings, and other structures standing upon or affixed thereto:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Flavia Marino, shown as Parcel 1 on a plan hereinafter referred to, bounded:

Northerly by the southerly line of Faywood avenue, sixty feet on a curve of one thousand one hundred eighty feet radius; westerly by land supposed to belong to Michael Faretra *et al.,* seventy and 20-100 feet; southerly by land hereinafter described as taken from person or persons unknown, being a portion of the private way known as Tower street, fifty-seven and 63-100 feet on a curve of eight hundred eighteen feet radius; and easterly by land hereinafter described as taken from Alice M. Mirra, fifty-nine and 90-100 feet; containing three thousand seven hundred seventy-five square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Alice M. Mirra, shown as Parcel 2 on a plan hereinafter referred to, bounded:

Westerly by land hereinbefore described as taken from Flavia Marino, fifty-nine and 90-100 feet; northerly by the southerly line of Faywood avenue, two hundred thirty-nine and 29-100 feet

on a curve of one thousand one hundred eighty feet radius; easterly and southerly by land hereinafter described as taken from person or persons unknown, being a portion of the private way known as Tower street, by three measurements, fifteen and 79-100 feet on a curve of ten feet radius, thirty and 62-100 feet on a curve of twenty and 92-100 feet radius, and two hundred thirty-three and 65-100 feet on a curve of eight hundred eighteen feet radius; containing ten thousand two hundred eighty-seven square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being a portion of the private way known as Tower street, shown as Parcel 3 on a plan hereinafter referred to, bounded:

Northerly and westerly by land hereinbefore described as taken from Flavia Marino and Alice M. Mirra, by three measurements, two hundred ninety-one and 28-100 feet on a curve of eight hundred eighteen feet radius, thirty and 62-100 feet on a curve of twenty and 92-100 feet radius, and fifteen and 79-100 feet on a curve of ten feet radius; northerly by the southerly line of Faywood avenue, fifty-two and 73-100 feet on a curve of one thousand one hundred eighty feet radius; easterly by land supposed to belong to John L. M. Fournier *et al.*, fourteen and 91-100 feet on a curve of nine and 28-100 feet radius; easterly and southerly by land hereinafter described as taken from John L. M. Fournier *et al.*, Louis Vitale, Pasquale and Antoinette Vega, and Gertrude M. Hart, by two measurements, seventy-eight and 90-100 feet on a curve of fifty-three and 92-100 feet radius, and three hundred four and 69-100 feet on a curve of seven hundred eighty-five feet radius; northwesterly by another portion of said Tower street, forty-eight and 45-100 feet; containing twelve thousand one hundred seventy-four square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to John L. M. and Catherine Fournier, shown on Parcel 4 on a plan hereinafter referred to, bounded:

Westerly and northwesterly by land hereinbefore described as taken from person or persons unknown, being a portion of a private way known as Tower street, forty-one feet on a curve of fifty-three and 92-100 feet radius; southwesterly by land hereinafter described as taken from Louis Vitale, eighteen and 55-100 feet; and easterly by other land of John L. M. and Catherine Fournier, forty-nine and 97-100 feet; containing two hundred forty-one square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Louis Vitale, shown as Parcel 5 on a plan herinafter referred to, bounded:

Northeasterly by land hereinbefore described as taken from John L. M. and Catherine Fournier, eighteen and 55-100 feet; northerly by land hereinbefore described as taken from person or persons unknown, being a portion of the private way known as Tower street, by two measurements, thirty-seven and 90-100 feet on a curve of fifty-three and 92-100 feet radius, and one hundred sixty-nine and 77-100 feet on a curve of seven hundred eighty-five feet radius; containing thirteen thousand one hundred fifteen square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Pasquale and Antoinetta Vega, shown as Parcel 6 on a plan hereinafter referred to, bounded:

Easterly by land hereinafter described as taken from Dorothea Pastore and by land hereinbefore described as taken from Louis Vitale, one hundred fifteen and 4-100 feet; northerly by land hereinbefore described as taken from person or persons unknown, being a portion of the private way known as Tower street, forty-five and 17-100 feet on a curve of seven hundred eighty-five feet radius; westerly by other land hereinafter described as taken from Pasquale and Antoinetta Vega, one hundred seven and 53-100 feet; southerly by the northerly line of Montmorenci avenue, forty feet on a curve of nine hundred eighty feet radius; containing four thousand six hundred eighty square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Pasquale and Antoinetta Vega, shown as Parcel 7 on a plan hereinafter referred to, bounded:

Easterly by other land hereinbefore described as taken from Pasquale and Antoinetta Vega, one hundred seven and 53-100 feet; northerly by land hereinbefore described as taken from person or persons unknown, being a portion of the private way known as Tower street, forty-four and 98-100 feet on a curve of seven hundred eighty-five feet radius; westerly by land hereinafter described as taken from Gertrude M. Hart, ninety-nine and 33-100 feet; southerly by the northerly line of Montmorenci avenue, forty feet on a curve of nine hundred eighty feet radius; containing four thousand three hundred fifty-eight square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land ,supposed to belong to Gertrude M. Hart, shown as Parcel 8 on a plan hereinafter referred to, bounded:

Easterly by land hereinbefore described as taken from Pasquale and Antoinetta Vega, ninety-nine and 33-100 feet; northerly by land hereinbefore described as taken from person or persons unknown, being a portion of the private way known as Tower street, forty-four and 77-100 feet on a curve of seven hundred eighty-five feet radius; westerly by land supposed to belong to Michael Flammia, ninety and 45-100 feet; southerly by the northerly line of Montmorenci avenue, forty feet on a curve of nine hundred eighty feet radius; containing three thousand nine hundred seventy-six square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land supposed to belong to Dorothea Pastore, shown as Parcel 9 on a plan hereinafter referred to, bounded:

Westerly by land hereinbefore described as taken from Pasquale and Antoinetta Vega, sixty-three feet; northerly by land hereinbefore described as taken from Louis Vitale, one hundred twenty-eight and 6-100 feet; easterly by land hereinafter described as taken from Luigi and Michelina Ricciardelli, sixty-eight and 14-100 feet; southerly by the northerly line of Montmorenci avenue, one hundred twenty feet on a curve of nine hundred eighty feet radius; containing seven thousand nine hundred fifty-two square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Luigi and Michelina Ricciardelli, shown as Parcel 10 on a plan hereinafter referred to, bounded:

Westerly by land hereinbefore described as taken from Dorothea Pastore, sixty-eight and 14-100 feet; northerly by land hereinbefore described as taken from Louis Vitale, sixty-four and 99-100 feet; easterly by land hereinafter described as taken from Ovide F. Cellat, seventy-six and 69-100 feet; and southerly by the northerly line of Montmorenci avenue, sixty feet on a curve of nine hundred eighty feet radius; containing four thousand four hundred seventy square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Ovide F. Cellat, shown as Parcel 11 on a plan hereinafter referred to, bounded:

Westerly by land hereinbefore described as taken from Luigi and Michelina Ricciardelli, seventy-six and 69-100 feet; northerly by land hereinbefore described as taken from Louis Vitale and land of John L. M. and Catherine Fournier, fifty-five and 13-100 feet; easterly by other land of Ovide F. Cellat, eighty-seven feet; and southerly by the northerly line of Montmorenci avenue, fifty feet on a curve of nine hundred eighty feet radius; containing four thousand two hundred fifty-three square feet, more or less; and it is further

Voted, That the Public Improvement Commission of said City of Boston, acting under the provisions of chapter 486 of the Acts of the Legislature of 1909, and chapter 79 of the General Laws, and all authority thereto enabling, hereby takes by way of easement for said city for school purposes the right of travel, and use for such other purposes as ways are commonly used in said city, over the following parcel of land, reserving nevertheless to the owners all rights not inconsistent therewith:

A parcel of land, belonging to person or persons unknown, being a portion of the private way known as Tower street, and shown as Parcel 12 on a plan hereinafter referred to, bounded:

Northerly by land supposed to belong to Michael Faretra *et al.*, Domenic A. Lospasio, and Florence J. Bianco *et al.*, one hundred ninety-nine and 55-100 feet on a curve of eight hundred eighteen feet radius; easterly by land supposed to belong to Florence J. Bianco *et al.*, and Anthony Gravallese *et al.*, by three measurements, seventy-six and 80-100 feet on a curve of sixty-two and 85-100 feet radius, ten feet, and fifteen and 71-100 feet on a curve of ten feet radius; southerly by the northerly line of Montmorenci avenue, fifty-three feet; westerly by land supposed to belong to Louis Vitale, by three measurements, fifteen and 71-100 feet on a curve of ten feet radius, ten feet, and thirty-six and 48-100 feet on a curve of twenty-nine and 85-100 feet radius; southerly by land supposed to belong to Louis Vitale and Michael A. Flammia, one hundred fifty-six and 75-100 feet on a curve of seven hundred eighty-five feet radius; southeasterly by land hereinbefore described as taken from person or persons unknown, being a portion of the private way known as Tower street, forty-eight and 45-100 feet; containing eight thousand three hundred sixty-five square feet, more or less.

Said parcels are shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Faywood Avenue, Tower Street, Montmorenci Avenue, East Boston, June 8, 1955, George G. Hyland, Commissioner of Public Works," and on file in the office of said department.

Voted, That this commission determines that the undermentioned persons sustain damages in their estates by the taking in fee of land on Faywood ave-

nue and Montmorenci avenue, East Boston district, for school purposes, under the order of the commission of June 8, 1955, in the amounts hereinafter mentioned, and awards said amounts therefor.

Flavia Marino, 3,775 square feet, $1.

Alice M. Mirra, 10,287 square feet, $1

Owners unknown (Tower street), 12,174 square feet, $1.

John L. M. and Catherine Fournier, 241 square feet, $1.

Louis Vitale, 13,115 square feet, $1.

Pasquale and Antoinetta Vega, 1,680 square feet, $1.

Pasquale and Antoinetta Vega, 1,358 square feet, $1.

Gertrude M. Hart, 3,976 square feet, $1.

Dorothea Pastore, 7,952 square feet, $1.

Luigi and Michelina Ricciardelli, 1,470 square feet, $1.

Ovide F. Cellai, 1,253 square feet, $1.

Owners unknown (Tower street), 8,365 square feet, $1.

SEWERAGE WORKS IN WEST ROXBURY.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that sewerage works be constructed as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being the private way known as David road, bounded:

Southerly by Mossbank Footway by two measurements, one and 31-100 feet and sixty-nine and 95-100 feet; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of David road, one hundred eighteen and 3-100 feet; northeasterly, easterly, and southeasterly by the northeasterly, easterly, and southeasterly line of David road, sixty-six and 98-100 feet on a curve of 31.77 feet radius; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of David road by two measurements, one hundred sixty-three and 21-100 feet and forty-eight and 17-100 feet on a curve of 72.96 feet radius; northeasterly by another portion of David road, forty and 62-100 feet; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of David road by two measurements, forty-six and 14-100 feet on a curve of 107.96 feet radius and one hundred sixty-three and 21-100 feet; northwesterly, westerly, and southwesterly by the northwesterly, westerly, and southwesterly line of David road, one hundred forty-one and 9-100 feet on a curve of 69.77 feet radius; southwesterly by the southwesterly line of David road, fifty-five and 97-100 feet; containing 11,042 square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: 380 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sewer and 380 linear feet of 10-inch pipe surface drain, and four (4) catch basins.

It is also ordered that 290 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sewer and 290 feet of 10-inch pipe surface drain be constructed in Moss Bank Footway, from David road to Louder's Lane, as an outlet for the above-described sewerage works. The total estimated cost is $9,950.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the abutting parcels of land situated on both sides of David road, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement herein ordered; each of said parcels in the amount hereinafter respectively set against it; said parcels and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan hereinbefore referred to and on file in the office of said department.

Parcel.		Amount.
1.	Russell Housing Corporation	$670
2.	Russell Housing Corporation	670
3.	Russell Housing Corporation	670
4.	Russell Housing Corporation	670
5.	Russell Housing Corporation	670
6.	Russell Housing Corporation	670
Total		$4,020

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the taking of an easement for sewerage purposes and the construction of sewerage works in David road, West Roxbury district, under the order of the commission of June 8, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

Owners unknown (David road), 14,042 square feet, nothing.

TUNNEL TRAFFIC IN MAY.

In the month of May, 1954, 1,031,226 vehicles used the Sumner Tunnel. This is the first time in the history of the tunnel that in excess of 1,000,000 vehicles used the facility in any one month.

In May of 1953, 979,920 vehicles went through the tunnel, or 51,306 less than May of this year.

No. 112—598.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING ONE (1) SISK UROLOGICAL AND X-RAY TABLE FOR THE LONG ISLAND HOSPITAL DIVISION, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Friday, July 8, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Table." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(June 25.) *Purchasing Agent.*

No. 113—392.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING TRAFFIC SIGNAL EQUIPMENT FOR THE BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Friday, July 8, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Traffic Signal Equipment." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(June 25.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITIES GENERALLY DO NOT CONTROL PRIVATE PARKING RATES.

Review of numerous ordinances and other materials by AMA for a member league shows that cities do not generally exercise any control over rates charged for parking. Supply and demand seems to furnish the regulation needed. Generally, however, applications for a parking lot or garage license require that rates charged be set forth in the application, that rates be posted conspicuously at the entrance to the lot, and that rates cannot be changed without official written notice to the municipality.

—*American Municipal Association Report.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

WATER WORKS.

PROPOSALS FOR LAYING AND RELAYING WATER PIPES IN

Bradlee Street, Ward 18; Collins Street, Ward 18; Navaree Street, Ward 18; Stony Brook Easement, Ward 18;

—and—

Such Additional Locations, If Any, in Ward 18, As May Be Designated by the Commissioner of Public Works.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for laying and relaying water pipes in Bradlee street, etc. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Laying and Relaying Water Pipes in Bradlee Street, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, JULY 7, 1955, with a certified check for TWELVE HUNDRED (1,200) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(June 25.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

HIGHWAY RECONSTRUCTION WORK.

PROPOSALS FOR BITUMINOUS CONCRETE PAVEMENT IN

Balfour Street, Ward 13, from Wayland Street to Dalkeith Street;
Davern Avenue, Ward 13, from Columbia Road to Virginia Street;
Everton Street, Ward 15, from Olney Street to Geneva Avenue;
Humes Road, Ward 16, from Ashmont Street to Nahant Avenue;
Juliette Street, Ward 15, from Fox Street to Linden Street;
Mt. Ida Road, Ward 15, from Bowdoin Street to Homes Avenue;
Peacevale Road, Ward 17, from Norfolk Street Approximately 801 Feet Southeasterly;
Peverell Street, Ward 13, from Salcombe Street to Sawyer Avenue;
Templeton Street, Ward 16, from Dorchester Avenue to Across Florida Street;
Torrey Street, Ward 17, from Washington Street to Wentworth Street;
Wilmington Avenue, Ward 17, from Nevada Street to Across Milton Avenue;
Woodcliff Street, Ward 13, from Blue Hill Avenue to Dacia Street,

—and—

Such Additional Locations, If Any, in Wards 13, 15, 16, and 17, As May Be Designated by the Commissioner of Public Works.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for bituminous concrete pavement in Balfour street, etc. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Bituminous Concrete Pavement in Balfour Street, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, JULY 14, 1955, with a certified check for THIRTY-FIVE HUNDRED (3,500) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(June 25.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING PHONOGRAPHS FOR THE BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing and delivering phonographs for the Boston public schools. Proposal forms are obtainable at the office of the Business Manager of the School Committee, tenth floor, 15 Beacon street. Envelopes containing proposals must be sealed and plainly marked "Proposal for Phonographs." The bid must be in duplicate. One copy, signed by the bidder, and accompanied by a certified check in the amount of one hundred dollars ($100), payable to the City of Boston, must be left at the office of the Business Manager on or before Thursday, July 7, 1955, at 12 noon. Copies filed with the Business Manager will be publicly opened and read at 12 o'clock noon of the day stated. The other copy, also signed by the bidder, must be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., previous to the time named for the opening of the bids. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids, and to accept such bid or part of bid as it deems best for the interests of the city. The successful bidder will be required to furnish a suitable bond or deposit of money or other security in the amount of not less than 50 per cent of the amount of the contract.

HENRY J. SMITH,
Business Manager of the School Committee.
(June 25.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

TO FURNITURE DEALERS.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings of the City of Boston invites sealed proposals for furnishing and delivering furniture, of the type, number, and quality as per specifications, to various schools in Boston, and giving bond of a surety company satisfactory to the Superintendent of Construction therefor, in the full amount of the contract. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Construction, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., signed by the bidder and left before 12 noon, Wednesday, July 6, 1955, at said office, with a certified check for 5 per cent of the total bid, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Superintendent of Construction reserves the right to reject any or all proposals if it be in the public interest so to do.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
(June 25.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

No. 109—309.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING ANTIFREEZE FOR THE CITY DEPARTMENTS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Monday, July 11, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Antifreeze." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(June 25.) *Purchasing Agent.*

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CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING KITCHEN EQUIPMENT (FOOD CONVEYORS, DISHWASHING MACHINES, ETC.) AND WHEEL CHAIRS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Thursday, July 7, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Kitchen Equipment and Wheel Chairs." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(June 25.) *Purchasing Agent.*

No. 110—309.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING AUTOMOBILE TIRE CHAINS, REPAIR PARTS AND ACCESSORIES.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Monday, July 11, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Tire Chains." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(June 25.) *Purchasing Agent.*

No. 111—396.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING GENERAL CLOTHING (MEN'S UNDERWEAR AND BLUE DENIM JACKETS).

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Thursday, July 7, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Clothing." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(June 25.) *Purchasing Agent.*

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EMERGENCY REPAIRS TO CITY HOSPITAL HEATING AND POWER PLANTS NEEDED IMMEDIATELY TO PREVENT POSSIBLE DISASTER AFFECTING PATIENTS AND EMPLOYEE STAFF, PRESIDENT RICHARD J. CONDON, OF BOARD OF TRUSTEES, TELLS MAYOR HYNES — COSTS MAY REACH $137,000.

Following is a letter sent to his Honor the Mayor from Richard J. Condon, President of the Board of Trustees of the Boston City Hospital:

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The power plant and steam distribution system at Boston City Hospital need immediate and extensive repairs. The nature of the situation and the character of the work involved constitute a real emergency. The necessary work must be started at the earliest possible date in order to make the hospital's plant secure before the return of eold weather.

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REPORT OF DENNIS C. HALEY, SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS, ON ATTENDANCE AT MEETING OF SUPERINTENDENTS IN CITIES WITH POPULATION OVER 200,000, IN WASHINGTON, APRIL 19 TO 23, 1955, INCLUSIVE.

The following is the report of attendance of Superintendent Dennis C. Haley at convention in Washington:

Superintendent Dennis C. Haley represented the Boston public schools at the annual spring meeting of the superintendents of schools in cities with population over 200,000, held in Washington, D.C., April 19 to 23, 1955. Fifty-six cities were represented. Major topics of the conferenee were Finance and Costs; Buildings; Administration; Desegregation and Integration; Curriculum; Personnel; and Public Relations.

With constantly increasing enrollments causing critical problems in school housing throughout the nation, matters concerning new construction and modernization received careful attention. For the extensive building programs now in effect in all cities, over-all average cost of new construction was found to be approxi-

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MAYOR JOHN B. HYNES SEEKS $3,500,000 IN LOAN ORDER BEFORE CITY COUNCIL FOR APPROPRIATIONS ALLOCATED FOR SCHOOL COMMITTEE AND HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT — TO BE A SELF-LIQUIDATING LOAN PLEDGED AGAINST RECEIPTS FROM SALE OF TAX TITLE PROPERTIES — ASKS QUICK ACTION TO SPEED ANNOUNCEMENT OF TAX RATE FOR THIS YEAR WITHIN NEXT TWO WEEKS.

On Monday, June 27, Mayor John B. Hynes submitted the following to the City Council:

To the City Council.

GENTLEMEN:

I submit herewith a loan order in the amount of $3,500,000, to be allocated to appropriations already made for the School Committee and the Hospital Department.

This loan order is authorized, as described in the accompanying letter of the City Auditor, by chapter 49 of the Acts of 1933, as amended by chapter 262 of the Acts of 1955. This is a self-liquidating loan pledged against the receipts from the sale of tax title properties.

In order that the tax rate for the City of Boston may be declared within the next two weeks, I most earnestly request that your Honorable Body give one reading at today's meeting to the attached order, and the second reading fourteen days hence. Passage of this order will not only hasten the declaration of the tax rate, but will also make it possible to keep any increase in the tax rate to a moderate amount.

Respectfully,
JOHN B. HYNES, *Mayor.*

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AUDITING DEPARTMENT.
BOSTON, June 27, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR:

Under the provisions of chapter 49 of the Acts of 1933, as most recently amended by chapter 262 of the Acts of 1955, municipalities are authorized, with the approval of the State Emergency Finance Board, to borrow from the Commonwealth, for ordinary maintenance expenses and revenue loans, an amount not exceeding in the aggregate the total amount represented by tax titles taken or purchased by such city or town and held by it.

Since the enactment of the original legislation in 1933, the City of Boston has taken advantage of its provisions and converted a "frozen asset," represented by the amounts due on tax titles and tax possessions, into an immediately available cash resource on twenty-one occasions by negotiating loans with the Commonwealth totaling in the aggregate the sum of $29,614,500. The following table indicates the year and amount of the loans:

Year.	Amount.	Year.	Amount.
1934	$3,800,000	1939	$3,500,000
1935	3,000,000	1940	2,000,000
1936	7,000,000	1941	1,500,000
1937	3,814,500		
1938	5,000,000		$29,614,500

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"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean;
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, July 11, at 2 P.M.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries, or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the Complaints Division, Room 25, City Hall.

Information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways, the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments of streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped area for streets and the opening of private ways; the making of specific repairs in public streets; the naming of public streets, including the use of public ways for location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railways, coal holes, and vaults, may be secured from the Public Improvement Commission, Room 403, City Hall Annex.

TO THE BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION, 112 Southampton street, for information relative to regulation of vehicular street traffic on all or any streets, ways, highways, roads, and parkways under the control of the City of Boston, the issuing of all permits in connection therewith.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting, and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of Sumner Tunnel, the maintenance of bridges and draw-bridges, and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Haymarket Square, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish, and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughterhouses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases, of public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth Avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park, and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts, also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview, and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

TO THE DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS, 28 Norman street, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

TO THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, ROOM 907, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal, or tearing down buildings.

TO THE ELECTRICAL INSPECTION DIVISION OF THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT, 1001 City Hall Annex, for all information relative to the erection of poles, building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division; also for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings of the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

TO THE BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT, 43 City Hall, relative to changes in the boundary lines of zoning districts of the City of Boston as established by chapter 488 of the Acts of 1924, and amendments thereto.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending June 25, 1955.

Population as of July, 1950, Massachusetts State Census, 817,713; population estimated July, 1954, United States Census Bureau, 813,696; number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 149; nonresidents, 73; total, 222.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 14.35; nonresidents deducted, 9.42.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:

Last week, 13.02; corresponding week last year, 14.92.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 14; one year to four years, inclusive, 2; sixty years and over, 135. Total deaths: Male, 138; female, 84; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 160.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended June 25, 1955.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended June 26, 1954.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior Poliomyelitis	1	—	3	—
Diphtheria	—	—	—	—
Encephalitis Lethargica	—	—	—	—
Influenza	—	—	—	—
Measles	15	1	280	—
Meningitis Epidemic	—	—	—	—
Pneumonia (lobar)	—	1	—	—
Scarlet Fever	22	—	8	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary)	8	3	29	4
Childhood Type Tuberculosis	—	—	—	—
Tuberculosis (other forms)	1	—	3	—
Typhoid Fever	—	—	—	—
Whooping Cough	1	—	9	—

* Residents and nonresidents included.

MAYOR SEEKS $3,500,000 LOAN FOR APPROPRIATIONS ALLOCATED FOR SCHOOL COMMITTEE AND HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

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The statute provides that the term of the loan shall be one year, with provision for renewal from time to time. The loan is liquidated by the monthly payment to the Commonwealth of tax title and tax possession receipts. The first loan negotiated was issued on November 1, 1934, in the amount of $3,800,000, bearing an interest rate of 4½ per cent, and was renewed on November 1, 1935, in the amount of $1,173,776.04, bearing an interest rate of 4½ per cent. The second loan was issued on June 18, 1935, in the amount of $2,000,000, bearing an interest rate of 4½ per cent, and was renewed in the amount of $925,083.42 on June 18, 1936, at the same interest rate of 2½ per cent.

The third loan was issued on October 1, 1935, in the amount of $1,000,000, bearing an interest rate of 2½ per cent, and was renewed on October 1, 1936, at a rate of 1 per cent. All subsequent loans and renewals had an interest rate of 1 per cent. The statute also provides that any excess of the amount of interest received by the Commonwealth over the cost to the Commonwealth for interest on money borrowed to provide the funds for the tax title loans be refunded to the city. Because of this provision the city received substantial refunds of interest paid, as the result of which the net cost to the city was at an average interest rate of less than 1 per cent.

Completely aware as we all are of the tremendous effect and influence of the tax rate on the economic and business life of the city, I submit for your consideration that the City of Boston again take advantage of this statute and negotiate with the Commonwealth for the issuance of a tax title loan in the amount of $3,500,000, to be used for ordinary maintenance expenses.

According to the records of this department, tax titles held by the City of Boston as of May 31, 1955, amounted to $3,657,953.66, and tax possessions held as of the same date amounted to $1,975,120.57. Under the provisions of the statute it is necessary for the City Treasurer to petition the Emergency Finance Board for authority to make a loan of this character.

In the event that you approve of this recommendation, I suggest that a message and order be sent immediately to the City Council for consideration. Prompt action is necessary, since the order will require two readings and votes by the Council, after which it must be referred to the Emergency Finance Board of the Commonwealth for its approval. At least three weeks will elapse before the order is fully effective, and, as this will be a factor in the determination of the tax rate, the necessity for immediate action must be evident.

Very truly yours,

JOSEPH P. LALLY, *City Auditor.*

EMERGENCY REPAIRS TO CITY HOSPITAL HEATING PLANT.

(*Continued from page 805.*)

The hospital is completely dependent upon the power plant for steam for cooking, heating, laundry and sterilization procedures, and for the production of most of the electricity required for necessary services for patients. Any prolonged shut down of the power plant would be a major catastrophe and would completely disrupt the facilities necessary for the care of the hundreds of patients within the hospital.

The six high pressure steam boilers are all more than 20 years old. Most of the valves, piping, traps, pumps, and other portions of the steam distribution system are considerably older. Repairs have been made at various times to various portions of the plant. Boilers, chimney, several condensate pumps, turbines and generators have had major repairs in recent years.

THOROUGH STUDY.

The trustees have realized the necessity for a thorough engineering study of the entire power plant and for an extensive repair and modernization program. Funds have been requested for these studies and for the work accumulated as the result of deferred maintenance over a period of many years. Funds have been requested in recent months in three categories—in the regular budget for the current year, in the extraordinary repair loan, and in the supplemental budget for the current year. These funds have now become available.

Contracts have been let for certain necessary turbine and generator repairs to be made this summer. Various valves have been replaced and a number of urgent welding and other repairs were made during the fall and winter and continued into this spring.

On March 16, 1955, a major power plant failure occurred. An extremely serious prolonged shut down of the plant was narrowly averted. An emergency contract was awarded to P. J. Riley & Co. of Boston to install an emergency water feed line to the boilers to cope with the immediate problem. An intensive and detailed study of the entire problem was immediately undertaken. With the completion of the boiler feed line an additional emergency contract was awarded to P. J. Riley & Co. to make immediate repairs to steam lines and valves connecting the boilers with the power plant. This work has recently been completed.

The trustees have personally inspected the plant and have studied the problem at length. At various times the Director of Administrative Services, the City Auditor, and representatives of the Boston Finance Commission have inspected the plant and discussed the various problems with Dr. Conlin and with the Plant Superintendent and the hospital's consulting engineer.

On May 27, 1955, the trustees voted to engage the services of Jackson and Moreland, engineers, Boston, to inspect the plant and to report and make recommendations concerning the best means of handling the problems involved.

Reports have been received from Jackson and Moreland in writing and at various conferences with the hospital's administration. Representatives of the firm met with the trustees on June 23, 1955. It is their opinion as it is unanimously of the trustees, the hospital superintendent and plant superintendent, that the extensive program involved must be started at the earliest possible date.

Jackson and Moreland have reported, in part, as follows: "A complete power plant failure of serious duration such as was narrowly averted in March of this year, would certainly cripple the hospital and might well result in a tragedy of major proportions. In our judgment the present condition of the power plant makes the possibility of such a failure very real. . . . Flow diagrams and piping drawings of the plant are not available. . . . Alternate routes by which steam may reach important equipment or users have not been provided, jeopardizing the reliability of these facilities. . . . We do not believe that the hospital can afford to gamble on a power plant failure during the four to five months additional time required for procurement of a contract by competitive bidding. We recommend, therefore, that you proceed to negotiate a cost-plus fee contract for the work, without competitive bidding. This procedure, we feel, is fully justified by both the emergency nature of the situation and the character of the work."

DELAY TO BE AVOIDED.

For most of the work definite specifications cannot be prepared until various portions of the system have been dismantled and inspected. This procedure, under proper supervision, is the most economical way of handling the problem. The trustees agree completely that the prolonged delay involved in the usual procedures for a contract by competitive bidding must be avoided in order to get the necessary work rapidly under way and completed as far as possible before the increased demands made upon the plant by the return of cold weather.

The various categories of work include repairs to and replacements of portions of the fuel system, its tanks, lines, pumps and burners, minor repairs to the boilers, the water system, the steam system, both high and low pressure, including mains, valves, separators, traps, exhausts, returns and insulation, and repairs to various pumps, pumping facilities and other elements of the distribution system.

The trustees will assign a clerk of the works to the project. Jackson and Moreland have agreed to furnish a qualified resident engineer and to furnish certain other services connected with supervision of the proposed emergency repairs and replacements if such services are requested. Jackson and Moreland were further requested to furnish the trustees with the names of Boston steamfitting contractors regarded as reliable and competent to undertake work of the type involved.

The trustees voted on June 23, 1955, to request your Honor's permission to enter upon a contract, without advertising, with Jackson and Moreland, engineers, 600 Park Square Building, Boston, to furnish a properly qualified resident engineer and to furnish certain other planning and supervisory services in connection with the emergency repairs and replacements to the power plant and steam distribution system at Boston City Hospital.

After careful consideration of all information available concerning the list of contracting firms submitted by Jackson and Moreland, the trustees voted on June 23, 1955, to request your Honor's permission to dispense with public advertising and to award a cost-plus fee contract for emergency repairs and replacements to the power plant and steam distribution system at Boston City Hospital to the firm of P. J. Riley & Co., 295 Highland street, Roxbury, in an amount not to exceed $137,000.

It is felt that these unanimously voted proposals have been exhaustively studied and that they are necessary and urgent in view of a present emergency situation directly affecting the welfare and care of patients in the hospital. Your Honor's approval of these actions of the trustees is respectfully requested, and it is asked that the various municipal agencies concerned make every effort to expedite procedures necessary to get the proposed work promptly under way.

Respectfully yours,

RICHARD J. CONDON,
President, Board of Trustees.

REPORT OF DENNIS HALEY, SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

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mately $1 per cubic foot. Various means of lowering costs and effecting greater utilization of space were recommended. Among these were the use of cinder blocks for interior walls, use of cement foundation slabs where feasible, and reduction of amount of corridor space. It was also evident that greater variety in architectural style of school buildings will result from the growing practice of adapting each building to its available site.

Plans for evacuation of pupils in event of enemy attack were found to be handled quite differently in various cities. Some cities plan to send pupils home immediately upon receiving the alert; others are ready to move pupils to prearranged locations in order that parents may know exactly where their children are and call for them as soon as conditions permit. In one city Parent-Teacher Association groups have formed car pools to move children from schools to designated safety areas. It was agreed, however, that all plans must be flexible, and "fall-out" must be considered. The issuance of identification tags to pupils of three cities has proved to be impractical because of losses and exchanges.

The enrichment and the adaptation of maintenance of educational TV stations was considered with particular reference to costs and programming. Five cities now operate such stations at initial cost of about $500,000 per station and an annual operating budget of nearly $200,000. One city buys service at $130 per hour, and operates five hours per week. Other stations are on the air up to six hours daily.

The majority of cities reported a decline in vandalism and juvenile delinquency. Some reasons attributed were less publicity on juvenile misdeeds, a change in public attitude, and greater firmness by the courts. Superintendents reported increased attention to the emotionally disturbed child, and several cities—notably Philadelphia—described a case method approach which has been very successful. Most cities now have at least one psychiatrist on a part-time or full-time basis.

The enrichment and the adaptation of the curriculum to meet most effectively the changing needs of pupils was stressed. Twenty-three cities now release teachers from regular class assignments during part of the school year or employ them at extra salary during summer months to work on curriculum revision. Reading clinics are now being conducted in 14 cities, as a result of the growing conviction among educators that reading should be emphasized throughout the entire school course. Because of the great shortage of science students in colleges, several cities are expanding science courses and activities in high schools. Foreign languages are now being taught in eleven cities, beginning at the fifth grade level. An increasing number of cities have introduced effective and acceptable courses about religion.

In addition to these high lights, the conference agenda offered opportunity for rewarding discussions concerning such subjects as the Salk Polio Vaccine Inoculation Program; recruitment of teachers; salaries, pensions, sick leaves, and superannuation; and matters of supervision.

At this conference school superintendents from our major cities again revealed great skill and efficiency in meeting the many pressing problems and demands which face all public school administrators today. They also demonstrated to our people that our public schools continue to provide vital and dynamic leadership in preparing our youth for satisfying and productive lives in accord with the highest traditions of our democratic society.

Respectfully submitted,

DENNIS C. HALEY,
Superintendent of Public Schools.

PUBLIC ALLEY DISCONTINUED.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made consisting of the discontinuance of Public Alley No. 104, Boston Proper, as a public highway, from Commercial street to North street, bounded and described as follows:

The highway named Public Alley No. 104 is hereby discontinued as a public highway, from Commercial street to North street.

Said Public Alley No. 104 as hereby discontinued is bounded:

Easterly by Commercial street, ten and 70-100 feet; northerly by the northerly line of Public Alley No. 104, by two measurements, fifty-four and 35-100 feet and sixty-three and 70-100 feet; westerly by North street, twelve and 67-100 feet, and southerly by the southerly line of Public Alley No. 104, sixty-three and 68-100 feet; easterly by the easterly line of said Public Alley No. 104, two and 67-100 feet; southerly by the southerly line of said Public Alley No. 104, fifty-eight and 19-100 feet.

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement consisting of the discontinuance of Public Alley No. 104, Boston Proper, from Commercial street to North street, under the order of the commission of June 22, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

REPAIRS ON BEACON STREET, BRIGHTON.

The Public Improvement Commission has approved the following:

Voted, That this commission, having passed the order of notice, relating to the public improvement, hereinafter described, and having caused a copy of said order to be published March 11, 12, 14, 15, 1955, in the Boston *Post* and Boston *Herald*, two daily newspapers published in the City of Boston, and having given the public hearing, notice of which was given in said order, and being of the opinion that public necessity and convenience require, does hereby order that specific repairs be made in Beacon street, Brighton district, consisting of the reduction in width of the northwesterly sidewalk from Ayr road approximately 300 feet southwesterly, as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Beacon Street, Brighton, June 8, 1955, George G. Hyland, Commissioner of Public Works," and on file in the office of the Survey Division of the Public Works Department.

CHELSEA STREET BRIDGE CLOSED.

Public Works Commissioner George G. Hyland has announced that vessels will not be permitted to pass through the Chelsea Street Bridge, over Chelsea River, between East Boston and Chelsea, from 8 o'clock Thursday morning, June 30, until 4 o'clock on Friday afternoon, July 1. Some very necessary repairs and adjustments, now in progress, require this action to be taken, but during these hours vehicles and pedestrians may cross the bridge without interference.

A second phase of the work will require the diversion of vehicles and pedestrians on Sunday, July 3, from 5 o'clock in the morning until 1 o'clock in the afternoon, for which appropriate detour signs will be placed, the commissioner stated.

CLAIM ALLOWED.

Upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, the Mayor has approved the following claim:

David J. Driscoll, 99 Francis street, Roxbury, to be reimbursed in the sum of $95.75, as a result of an accident which occurred on December 27, 1954, when a motor vehicle belonging to the Police Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by John G. Dorels.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following personnel changes:

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.
Main Division.

For the week ending June 14:

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Marie Allen, 51 Cherry street, Malden, Esther Bandlow, 5 Reddy avenue, Hyde Park, 3 days; Priscilla Beckwith, 686 Massachusetts avenue, 4 days; Gertrude Clark, 13 Rosa street, Hyde Park, 3 days; Marcelyn Curry, 64 Rosseter street, Dorchester, Wendella Carrington, 5 days; Norma Dean, 696 Massachusetts avenue, Eleanor Duffley, 35 Edwin street, Dorchester, 2 days; Mary Edwards, 428 Adams street, Dorchester, 4 days; Joan Fletcher, 2 days; Anna Ferrara, 53 Blue Hill avenue, Milton, 3 days; Dolores Flanagan, 4 Buick street, Watertown, 2 days; Ethel Goff, 40 Rockwell street, Dorchester, 4 days; Stella Graham, 43 Mercier avenue, Dorchester, 5 days; Diana Guinta, 42 Topliff street, Dorchester, 2 days; Virginia Hamilton, 827 River street, Mattapan, 3 days; Joan Keane, 1086 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, 2 days; Veronica Lombard, 8 Doris street, Dorchester, 4 days; Anne Lynskey, 52 Telsa street, Medford, 2 days; Loretta Lynch, 270 Huntington avenue, 1 day; Claire McCue, 74 Robinwood road, Dedham, 2 days; Veronica McElligott, 34 Dickinson street, Somerville, 4 days; Catherine McGuinness, 14 Alsen road, Dorchester, 3 days; Anne McInnis, 853 East Third street, South Boston, 4 days; Marguerite Mackesey, 79 First street, Medford, 3 days; Mary R. Mahan, 29 Kempton street, 7 days; Anna Murphy, 115 Peterborough street, 2 days; Agnes O'Connor, 270 Huntington avenue, 3 days; Estelle Paris, 167 Fayerweather street, Cambridge, 2 days; Dora Picarsky, 31 Edison Green, Dorchester, 3 days; Alyce N. Powers, 67 Prospect avenue, Wollaston, 2 days; Romaine Riley, 171 Humboldt avenue, Roxbury, 6 days; Helen Spillane, 499 Park street, Stoughton, 5 days; Anna Stankard, 79 Edwin road, Waltham, 6 days; Margaret M. Sullivan, 28 Weymouth street, Holbrook, 3 days; Claire Shea, 136 Savin Hill avenue, Dorchester, 1 day; Helen Sheehan, Turnpike street, Canton, 3 days; Teresa Sullivan, 10 Hatch street, South Boston, Ila Ward, 79 Warren street, Roxbury, 6 days; Kathryn Welch, 49 East Springfield street, 3 days; Jean Darraugh, 568 East Sixth street, South Boston, 1 day.

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For the week ending June 21:

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—Frank P. Stewart, 162 Orton-Marotta Way, South Boston, hospital laundry worker, $48 a week; Mary Riordan, 34 Cohasset street, Roslindale, hospital medical worker, $53 a week; Teresa A. DiGenio, 636 Saratoga street, East Boston, laboratory technician, $65.50 a week; Viola Gergstrom, 122 Church street, Wilmington, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Marie Brodeur, 30 Commonwealth avenue, Margaret H. Cast, 114 Newbury street, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour; Lois Quinn, 12 Pembroke street, floor nurse, $60.50 a week.

Temporary.—David H. Colten, 160 Callender street, Elizabeth P. Johnson, 137 Blue Hill avenue, Roxbury, Kath-

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TAX ABATEMENT DECISIONS RENDERED BY THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS FOR THE WEEK ENDING MAY 27.

LEGEND.

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‡ Overvaluation Settlement by Board of Assessors. x Chapter 231.

Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Sherzi, Louis, et al	219 Trenton st	1—1950	$258.30	$37.80	*
DeGrasse, Eleanor	39 Somerset st	3—1950	9,450.00	1,575.00	*
Neustadt, Betsey	91 Savin st	12—1950	3,150.00	31.50	*
Neustadt, Betsey	93 Savin st	12—1950	315.00	31.50	*
Neustadt, Betsey	269 Blue Hill av	12—1950	403.20	50.40	*
Shuster, Myron	82 Devon st	14—1950	428.40	50.40	*
National Laundry Co	1196 Dorchester av	15—1950	415.80	63.00	*
Rosenfield, Harry	1225 Dorchester av	15—1950	1,890.00	504.00	*
Hollingsworth, Amor	Lot E, Fairway st., Ns	18—1950	2,268.00	378.00	*
Friend, Leslie, Trustee	767 Centre st	19—1950	4,485.60	604.80	*
Kasok, David	29 Brainerd rd	21—1950	3,339.00	189.00	*
Koffman, Nathan	99 Brainerd rd	21—1950	2,503.00	220.50	*
Koffman, Nathan	109 Brainerd rd	21—1950	2,583.00	220.50	*
Sherzi, Louis R	219 Trenton st	1—1951	257.48	37.68	*
DeGrasse, Eleanor	39 Somerset st	3—1951	9,420.00	1,570.00	*
Terminal Taxi Co	Vacant lot, Brattle st	3—1951	12,484.64	8,164.00	*
Neustadt, Betsey	91 Savin st	12—1951	314.00	31.40	*
Neustadt, Betsey	93 Savin st	12—1951	314.00	31.40	*
Neustadt, Betsey	269 Blue Hill av	12—1951	401.92	50.24	*
Schneider, Ida	34 Mascot st	14—1951	628.00	31.40	*
Shuster, Myron	82 Devon st	14—1951	427.04	50.24	*
National Laundry Co	1196 Dorchester av	15—1951	414.48	62.80	*
Rosenfield, H., et al	1225 Dorchester av	15—1951	1,884.00	502.40	*
Hollingsworth, Amor	Lot E, Fairway st	18—1951	2,260.80	376.80	*
Friend, Leslie, Trustee	767 Centre st	19—1951	4,471.36	602.88	*
Johnson, Ray C	68 Woodstock av	21—1951	2,260.80	125.60	*
Koffman, Nathan	109 Brainerd rd	21—1951	2,574.80	219.80	*
Koffman, Nathan	99 Brainerd rd	21—1951	2,574.80	219.80	*
White City Apts	29 Brainerd rd	21—1951	3,328.40	188.40	*
Sherzi, Louis R	219 Trenton st	1—1952	273.88	40.08	*
DeGrasse, Eleanor	39 Somerset st	3—1952	10,020.00	1,670.00	*
Quaker Building Co	9 Federal ct	3—1952	2,004.00	658.00	*
Quaker Building Co	15 Federal ct	3—1952	6,680.00	2,338.00	*
Washington Court Corp	1 Court st	3—1952	26,720.00	3,340.00	*
Goodwin, Julia E	154 Boylston st	5—1952	9,686.00	1,336.00	*
Macausland, W. R., Trustee	412 Beacon st	5—1952	6,680.00	1,002.00	*
Popkin, Isaac	22-24 Church st	5—1952	3,006.00	1,135.60	*
Chipman, Charlotte	25 Nazing st	12—1952	2,338.00	133.60	*
Neustadt, Betsey	91 Savin st	12—1952	334.00	33.40	*
Neustadt, Betsey	93 Savin st	12—1952	334.00	33.40	*
Neustadt, Betsey	263A Blue Hill av	12—1952	554.44	60.12	*
Neustadt, Betsey	269 Blue Hill av	12—1952	427.50	53.44	*
Andler, Samuel	38 Esmond st	14—1952	768.20	100.20	*
Baker, Rose	22 Abbot st	14—1952	534.40	33.40	*
Davis, Thelma, et al	38 Talbot av	14—1952	400.80	66.80	*
Michaels, Ruth, et al	88 Devon st	14—1952	447.56	33.40	*
Ravley, Rebecca	17 Fernboro st	14—1952	467.60	33.40	*
Rubin, Sadie	171 Glenway st	14—1952	467.60	33.40	*
Schneider, Ida	34 Mascot st	14—1952	668.00	33.40	*
Shuster, Myron	82 Devon st	14—1952	454.24	53.44	*
Tofsky, Ida	39 Goodale rd	14—1952	567.80	33.40	*
Winner, Nettie	35 Wilcock st	14—1952	501.00	33.40	*
National Laundry Co	1196 Dorchester av	15—1952	440.88	66.80	*
Rosenfield, H., et al	1225 Dorchester av	15—1952	2,004.00	534.40	*
Biggs, David, et al	608 Gallivan Blvd	16—1952	467.60	66.80	*
Biggs, David, et al	608A Gallivan Blvd	16—1952	1,068.80	534.40	*
Hollingsworth, Amor	Lot E, Fairway st	18—1952	2,404.80	400.80	*
W. G. Realty Corp	Cummins Hwy, NE cor	18—1952	53.44	10.02	*
W. G. Realty Corp	Cummins Hwy., NE cor	18—1952	53.44	10.02	*
Friend, Leslie, et al	767 Centre st	19—1952	4,756.16	641.28	*
Chernus Realty Co	1668 Commonwealth av	21—1952	2,538.40	467.60	*
Johnson, Ray C	68 Woodstock av	21—1952	2,404.80	133.60	*
Kogos, Morris, et al	29 Colborne rd	21—1952	1,102.20	66.80	*
White City Apts	29 Brainerd rd	21—1952	3,540.40	200.40	*
William Trading Co	445 Washington st	22—1952	668.00	167.00	*
Sherzi, Louis R	219 Trenton st	1—1953	289.87	42.42	*
DeGrasse, Eleanor	39 Somerset st	3—1953	10,605.00	1,767.50	*
Fosters Wharf Co	353 Atlantic av	3—1953	24,745.00	10,605.00	*
Quaker Building Co	15 Federal ct	3—1953	7,070.00	2,474.50	*
Quaker Building Co	9 Federal ct	3—1953	2,121.00	707.00	*
Washington Court Corp	1 Court st	3—1953	28,280.00	3,535.00	*
Macausland, W. R	412 Beacon st	5—1953	7,070.00	1,060.50	*
Stumberg, Sofia	22 Church st	5—1953	3,181.50	1,131.20	*
Harlen Realty Corp	28 Cliff st	12—1953	509.04	120.19	*
Neustadt, Betsey	91 Savin st	12—1953	353.50	35.35	*
Neustadt, Betsey	93 Savin st	12—1953	353.50	35.35	*
Andler, Samuel	38 Esmond st	14—1953	813.05	106.05	*
Baker, Rose	22 Abbot st	14—1953	565.60	35.35	*
Davis, Saul, et al	38 Talbot av	14—1953	424.20	70.70	*
Michaels, Benjamin	88 Devon st	14—1953	473.69	35.35	*
Ravley, Rebecca	17 Fernboro st	14—1953	494.90	35.35	*
Rubin, Sadie	171 Glenway st	14—1953	494.90	35.35	*
Schneider, Ida	34 Mascot st	14—1953	707.00	35.35	*
Stone, Frances	29 Winston rd	14—1953	671.65	35.35	*
Tofsky, Ida	39 Goodale rd	14—1953	600.95	35.35	*
Winner, Nettie	35 Wilcock st	14—1953	530.25	35.35	*
National Laundry Co	1196 Dorchester av	15—1953	440.88	70.70	*
Rosenfield, Harry	1225 Dorchester av	15—1953	2,121.00	565.60	*
Doughty, Edgar W	37 Magee st	18—1953	459.55	42.42	*
Pappinicholas, L	2 Perkins st	19—1953	4,383.40	1,201.90	*
Shalit, Matalie	656 Centre st	19—1953	5,302.50	707.00	*
Chernus Realty Co	1669 Commonwealth av	21—1953	2,686.60	494.90	*
Johnson, Ray C	68 Woodstock av	21—1953	2,545.20	141.40	*
Kogos, Morris	29 Colborne rd	21—1953	1,166.55	70.70	*
White City Apts	29 Brainerd rd	21—1953	3,747.10	212.10	*
William Trading Co	445 Washington st	22—1953	707.00	176.75	*
Sherzi, Louis R	219 Trenton st	1—1954	286.18	41.88	*
Ames Boston Corp	1 Court st	3—1954	27,920.00	3,490.00	*
Clark Realty Co	577 Washington st	3—1954	20,940.00	8,725.00	*

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Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Clark Realty Co	583 Washington st	3—1954	$23,034.00	$9,074.00	*
DeGrasse, Eleanor	39 Somerset st	3—1954	10,470.00	1,745.00	*
Family Fruit Co	25 Cornhill	3—1954	1,256.40	69.80	*
Hamnondwealth Estate	6 Hawes st	3—1954	9,772.00	1,745.00	*
Pilgrim Building Co	31 Milk st	3—1954	80,270.00	10,470.00	*
Quaker Building Co	9 Federal ct	3—1954	2,091.00	698.00	*
Quaker Building Co	15 Federal ct	3—1954	6,980.00	2,443.00	*
Re, Abram	40 Fulton st	3—1954	2,443.00	1,047.00	*
Re, Abram	36 Fulton st	3—1954	2,582.60	1,047.00	*
South Cove Assoc	32 Hancock st	3—1954	848.40	139.80	*
South Cove Assoc	34 Hancock st	3—1954	848.40	139.60	*
South Cove Assoc	40 Hancock st	3—1954	1,018.08	167.52	*
Whittemore, Carroll	16 Ashburton pl	3—1954	2,094.00	558.40	*
Whittemore, Roberta	18 Ashburton pl	3—1954	2,443.00	698.00	*
Beacon Assoc., Inc	214 West Newton st	4—1954	349.00	34.90	*
Heller, Louis, et al	72 Huntington av	4—1954	1,465.80	244.30	*
Heller, Louis, et al	74 Huntington av	4—1954	1,465.80	244.30	*
Gilbert, Maurice	17 Cortes st	5—1954	907.40	174.50	*
Heller, Louis	222 Marlborough st	5—1954	3,839.00	698.00	*
Heller, Louis	220 Marlborough st	5—1954	3,490.00	698.00	*
Heller, Louis, et al	33 Marlborough st	5—1954	1,909.50	314.10	*
MacAusland, W. R	412 Beacon st	5—1954	6,980.00	1,047.00	*
M. I. T. Student House	111 Bay State rd	5—1954	1,221.50	104.70	*
One Hundred Mass	359 Newbury st	5—1954	14,658.00	3,490.00	*
Peters, Al	74 Queensberry st	5—1954	3,490.00	837.60	*
Ramler, David A., Trustee	404 Brookline av	5—1954	4,537.00	488.60	*
South Cove Assoc	Vacant lot, Berkeley st	5—1954	279.20	104.70	*
South Cove Assoc	56 Berkeley st	5—1954	548.40	34.90	*
Stumberg, Sofia	22 Church st	5—1954	3,141.00	1,047.00	*
Willis, Arthur, Jr	287 Columbus av	5—1954	13,960.00	1,745.00	*
Dimare, Anthony J	493 C st	6—1954	18,497.00	2,443.00	*
General Alloys Co	387 West First st	6—1954	9,374.14	2,394.14	*
Koenig, Calman	381 West Broadway	6—1954	1,605.40	209.40	*
Rodik Co	456 Dorchester av	7—1954	1,745.00	628.20	*
Whittier Co., The	982 Columbus av	9—1954	844.58	146.58	*
Brilliant, Mollie	1 Maple ct	12—1954	9,981.40	1,745.00	*
Clayman, Harry, et al	37 Brookledge st	12—1954	802.70	104.70	*
Four 28 Realty	424 Warren st	12—1954	1,745.00	349.00	*
Harlen Realty Corp	28 Cliff st	12—1954	502.56	118.66	*
Kahn, Sarah	43 Munroe st	12—1954	628.20	69.80	*
Neustadt, Betsey	91 Savin st	12—1954	349.00	34.90	*
Neustadt, Betsey	93 Savin st	12—1954	349.00	34.90	*
Neustadt, Betsey	265 Blue Hill av	12—1954	153.70	62.82	*
Neustadt, Betsey	267 Blue Hill av	12—1954	446.72	55.84	*
Neustadt, Betsey	263 Blue Hill av	12—1954	579.34	62.82	*
Neustadt, Betsey	269 Blue Hill av	12—1954	446.72	55.84	*
Shapiro, Rose	240 Humboldt av	12—1954	628.20	69.80	*
Waters, Francis M	33 Woodford st	13—1954	558.40	69.80	*
Chieftain Pontiac	1277 Blue Hill av	14—1954	5,933.00	1,047.00	*
Davis, Saul, et al	38 Talbot av	14—1954	424.20	69.80	*
Kasanof, Rebecca	1078 Blue Hill av	14—1954	4,886.00	349.00	*
Ravley, Rebecca	17 Fernboro st	14—1954	488.60	34.90	*
Rubin, Sadie	171 Glenway st	14—1954	488.60	34.90	*
Schneider, Ida	34 Mascot st	14—1954	698.00	34.90	*
Stone, Frances	29 Winston rd	14—1954	663.10	34.90	*
Tofsky, Ida	39 Goodale rd	14—1954	593.30	34.90	*
Winner, Nettie	35 Wilcock st	14—1954	523.50	34.90	*
National Laundry Co	1196 Dorchester st	15—1954	460.68	69.80	*
Rosenfield, Harry	1225 Dorchester av	15—1954	2,094.00	558.40	*
O'Shea, Nancy J., Trustee	322 Gallivan Blvd	16—1954	418.80	69.80	*
White, Joseph H	730 W. T. Morrissey Blvd	16—1954	1,954.40	418.80	*
Dwyer, Mary K	27 Fuller st	17—1954	488.60	34.90	*
Dwyer, Maria	109 Fuller st	17—1954	523.50	34.90	*
Eskot, Frances A	39 Maxwell st	17—1954	656.12	63.82	*
Ellis, John J	Austin st	18—1954	1,416.94	509.54	*
Pappinicholas, L	2 Perkins st	19—1954	4,327.60	1,186.60	*
Shalit, Natalie K	656 Centre st	19—1954	5,235.00	698.00	*
Leon, George B	4895 Washington st	20—1954	453.70	104.70	*
Bloomberg, Sara	90 St. Mary's st	21—1954	3,385.30	453.70	*
Bradford, Helen F	59 Linden st	21—1954	628.20	69.80	*
Chernua Realty Co	1669 Commonwealth av	21—1954	2,652.40	488.60	*
Estabrook, Lillian	924 Beacon st	21—1954	1,326.20	209.40	*
Kogos, Morris	29 Colborne rd	21—1954	1,151.70	69.80	*
Leverone, Flora	916 Beacon st	21—1954	1,151.70	104.70	*
Mutual Assoc., Inc	949 Commonwealth av	21—1954	6,980.00	1,047.00	*
Ramler, David A., Trustee	V. L., Peterborough st	21—1954	1,329.16	404.84	*
Shamon, Helena M	869 Beacon st	21—1954	767.80	69.80	*
White City Apts., Inc	29 Brainerd rd	21—1954	3,699.40	209.40	*
William Trading Co	445 Washington st	22—1954	802.70	174.50	*
National Blouse Corp	449 Cambridge st	22—1954	6,980.00	2,303.40	*
PERSONAL PROPERTY.					
Barron, Stanley	217 Kelton st	21—1950	$283.50	$170.10	*
Barron, Stanley P	217 Kelton st	21—1951	282.60	188.40	*
Tobey, Harold G	403 Commonwealth av	5—1952	233.80	66.80	*
WCOP Broadcasting Co	485 Boylston st	5—1952	4,008.00	2,672.00	*
Kelman, Robert, et al	1054 Blue Hill av	14—1952	133.60	53.44	*
National Laundry Co	1210 Dorchester av	15—1952	1,336.00	534.40	*
Baden, Jack	1360 Blue Hill av	18—1952	60.12	33.40	*
Steinberg, Benjamin	1334 Blue Hill av	18—1952	100.20	33.40	*
Barron, Stanley P	217 Kelton st	21—1952	300.60	213.76	*
WCOP Broadcasting Co	485 Boylston st	5—1953	4,242.00	2,828.00	*
National Laundry Co	1210 Dorchester av	15—1953	1,414.00	565.60	*
Baden, Jack J	1360 Blue Hill av	18—1953	63.63	35.35	*
Barron, Stanley P	217 Kelton st	21—1953	318.15	240.38	*
National Laundry Co	1210 Dorchester av	15—1954	1,396.00	558.40	*

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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leen O'Brien, 53 Hillside street, Roxbury, Anthony Thompson, 43 Upton street, Earl R. Wilkinson, 230 Huntington avenue, Dorothy E. Worthington, 471 Columbus avenue, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; Julia Clifford, 60 Bickford street, Jamaica Plain, Joseph Taurinskas, 15 Tremont place, South Boston, hospital house workers, $43 a week; Rita M. Langley, 99 Norway street, Dolores S. Moore, 34 Yarmouth street, laboratory assistants, $45.50 a week; Paul J. Cox, 409 Marlborough street, clerk, $43 a week; Ruth A. Pick, 31 Grove street, clerk-typist, $43 a week; Helen M. Rodriguez, 97 Spring street, West Roxbury, staff nurse, $60.50 a week; Dr. Arthur Teuscher, Switzerland, intern, $92 a month.

South Division.

For the week ending June 14:

The following temporary employees have been appointed:

Gerald F. Cahill, 121 Old Harbor street, South Boston, Charles B. Holland, 322 Hyde Park avenue, Jamaica Plain, hospital medical workers, $43 a week.

The service of the following employee has been terminated:

Permanent.—Evelyn M. Landry, 4 Airport road, North Quincy, floor nurse, $68 a week.

Long Island Division.

The following changes have been made for the week ending June 14:

Terminations.—Mary J. Halpin, John W. Horne, attendant nurses; Thomas J. Joyce, hospital kitchen worker, emergency; Peter M. McPhee, hospital laundry worker, emergency; Walter R. Mulhall, Jr., attendant nurse, temporary.

Cancellations:—Mary F. Kelly, hospital laundry worker, emergency; Peter M. McPhee, hospital laundry worker, provisional.

Appointments.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

Agnes Reynolds, 80 St. Marks road, Dorchester, telephone operator, $55.50 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Charles E. Boyle, 38 Mozart street, Jamaica Plain, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Laborers, $50.50 a Week.

William N. Baldwin, 358 Dorchester street, South Boston.

Carmine J. Barbarisi, 17 New street, East Boston.

James F. Barry, 911 Albany street, Roxbury.

Elio A. Bosco, 139 Eutaw street, East Boston.

Francis R. Calnan, 164 Monticello avenue, Dorchester.

James F. Cashman, 16 Armstrong street, Jamaica Plain.

Henry W. Crede, 28 Rossmore road, Jamaica Plain.

Andrew J. Crimmins, 164 Marine road, South Boston.

George W. Crossman, 154 H street, South Boston.

John F. Cullinane, 35 East street, Dorchester.

Patrick J. Cunningham, 149 Winthrop street, Roxbury.

Eugene F. Daly, 62 Burnett street, Jamaica Plain.

Charles A. DiCicco, 365 Sumner street, East Boston.

Victor F. DiStefano, 40 McKone street, Dorchester.

Francis X. Doody, 56 London street, East Boston.

Robert F. Doolin, 91 O'Callaghan Way, South Boston.

William J. Downey, 149 L street, South Boston.

James A. Feeney, 16 Cable street, Jamaica Plain.

James S. Ferrara, 1 Penryth street, Roxbury.

Joseph V. Flaherty, 165 East Cottage street, Roxbury.

James E. Foley, 21 Gavin Way, South Boston.

James A. Gleavey, 56 Maxwell street, Dorchester.

Gerardo Guiggio, 2 Snelling place.

Robert F. Haglestein, 65 Glendower road, Roslindale.

Francis A. Higgins, 42 Sumner street, East Boston.

Robert F. Higgins, 31 Patterson Way, South Boston.

Ralph V. Lamberti, 92 Trenton street, East Boston.

Donald J. Leishman, 44 Parkman street, Dorchester.

Carmine A. Luongo, 35 North Margin street.

Charles J. Manning, 140 Falcon street, East Boston.

Robert T. McHugh, 64 Horace street, East Boston.

Frank T. McQuaid, 32 Crescent avenue, Dorchester.

George J. Melchin, 655 East Fifth street, South Boston.

John A. Milano, 291 Webster street, East Boston.

William Mouradian, 1 Penryth street, Roxbury.

Robert B. Murphy, 705 East Fifth street, South Boston.

William Nasher, 12 Theodore street, Dorchester.

Arthur J. O'Brien, 5 Wallace court, Charlestown.

George R. O'Connell, 4 Linskey-Barry court, South Boston.

Anthony A. Parziale, 45 Lamson street, East Boston.

Michael J. Ridge, 302 Lexington street, East Boston.

William T. Rogers, 14 Victoria street, Dorchester.

Joseph P. Ryan, 8 Estrella street, Jamaica Plain.

Samuel Serio, 164 Putnam street, East Boston.

Joseph A. Sonn, 283 Chelsea street, East Boston.

Emanuel Stone, 109 Homestead street, Roxbury.

Vincent A. Strudas, 140 Cedar street, Roxbury.

Thomas J. Troy, 92 L street, South Boston.

Ernest F. Tucker, 3981 Washington street, Roslindale.

John T. Vaughan, 23 Clancy road, Dorchester.

Gerard P. Walsh, 33 Logan Way, South Boston.

Leonard J. Walsh, 1628 Columbia road, South Boston.

Francis B. Wohlgemuth, 37 Linden Park street, Roxbury.

Americo Zapponi, 460 Huntington avenue.

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING JUNE 28.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Antonio Battaglino	79 Beacon street	18	Alterations, garage	$1,000
Gorin-Leeder	89 Bickford street	10	Alterations, manufacturing	400
Church of the Advent	28 Brimmer street	5	Alterations, dwelling	175
Wilhelmina Wagner	590 Cambridge street	21	Alterations, dwelling	250
Harold Cail	456 Centre street	19	Alterations, dwelling	200
P. Clark	26 Dalrymple street	11	Alterations, dwelling	400
City of Boston	19 Fleet street	3	Fire escape, store, dwelling	415
Joseph Martini	21 Fleet street	3	Fire escape, store, dwelling	900
Northeastern University	70 Forsyth street	4	Alterations, school	7,500
James Sampston	18 India street	3	Alterations, store, office	125
Commonwealth of Mass	109–113 Lincoln street	3	Take-down, offices	14,000
R. S. Robie, Inc	264 Main street	2	Alterations, garage	960
Andrew Pano	53 Orchard street	19	Alterations, garage	290
Security Boston Trust	10 Post Office square	3	Alterations, office, stores	900
Marion Quimbley	124 Princeton street	1	Fire escape, dwelling	325
Henry Benoit	79 Russell street	2	Alterations, dwelling	980
Vincent Tautvaisa	61 Thomas park	7	Alterations, dwelling	200
James T. Downes	Rear 3886 Washington street	19	Alterations, dwelling	950
National Shawmut Bank	40 Water street	3	Alterations, bank, office	1,500
Mario Schepici	195 Chelsea street	1	Alterations, dwelling	200
Reuben Wilson	61 Clifford street	12	Alterations, dwelling	400
Reuben Wilson	63 Clifford street	12	Alterations, dwelling	400
Suburban Homes, Inc	20 Dennis street	8	Alterations, dwelling	150
G. Carbone	1200 Dorchester avenue	15	Alterations, dwelling	100
John Piazza	1491–95 Dorchester avenue	16	Fire repair, store, office	500
Aronzo Silletti	18 Gustin street	7	Alterations, barn	25
John L. White	45 Kenwood street	17	Alterations, dwelling	175
F. J. and F. E. Morris	248 Manchester street	18	Alterations, dwelling	110
M. Deluca	73 Pierce street	18	Alterations, dwelling	450
Dana L. Clark, Jr	15 Rawson street	7	Take-down, garage, hut	250
K. Pagington	1545 River street	18	Alterations, dwelling	750
Louis Leventhal	156 Ruthven street	12	Alterations, dwelling	700
William C. Steponkus	108 Sawyer avenue	13	Alterations, dwelling	500
Mrs. Slattery	14 Sparhawk street	22	Alterations, dwelling	175
Hollis Philips Trustee	130 Summer street	3	Alterations, store, office	950
Street & Co	159 Tremont street	3	Fire escape, restaurant	135
Bond Clothing	620 Washington street	3	Sign, store	600
T. Jean Dushan	2 West Hill place	5	Fire escape, dwelling	200
T. Jean Dushan	3 West Hill place	3	Fire escape, dwelling	80
Hugh O'Conner	28 Aldie street	22	Alterations, dwelling	350
Louis Gordon	63 Aldrich street	19	Alterations, dwelling	500
Emilio Passariello	111 Bennington street	1	Alterations, dwelling	275
Bowdoin Amusement Co	65–71 Cambridge street	3	Take-down, store, theatre	24,000
H. Shamroth	251 Causeway street	3	Alterations, offices	250
M. Wilson	61 Clifford street	12	Fire escape, dwelling	300
Gabriel Kahn	4 Colliston road	21	Alterations, dwelling	390
Gabriel Kahn	6 Colliston road	21	Alterations, dwelling	390
Gabriel Kahn	8 Colliston road	21	Alterations, dwelling	390
Helen Keane	36 Devon street	14	Alterations, dwelling	465
Edward Callahan	155 Dudley street	8	Sign, store	800
Charles A. Hoar	29 Durant street	20	Alterations, dwelling	295
A. Power	10 Eldora street	10	Alterations, dwelling	985
Raffaele Puppolo	143 Everett street	1	Alterations, store, dwelling	375
G. Romano	17–29 Follen street	4	Fire escape, dwelling	400
William Cohen	152–58 Glenway street	14	Alterations, stores	150
St. Monica's Home	15 Highland Park street	11	Alterations, dwelling	400
Estate Abie Siewerts	8 and 10 Holden street	7	Alterations, dwelling	125
Florence Purciello	70 Homer street	1	Alterations, dwelling	200
Daniel J. Sullivan	31 Knoll street	20	Alterations, dwelling	458
Alice M. Hanson	37 Knoll street	20	Alterations, dwelling	550
Thomas Dowd	237 La Grange street	20	Alterations, dwelling	200
Commonwealth of Mass	111 Lincoln street	3	Take-down, offices	10,000
Joseph Merigan	82 Milton avenue	17	Alterations, dwelling	440
Albert Tramont	44 and 46 Paris street	I	Alterations, dwelling	500
Duncan Campbell	41 Parker Hill avenue	10	Alterations, dwelling	1,800
Patrick Gaquin	19 Potosi street	14	Alterations, dwelling	400
Murray Lourie	347 River street	18	Alterations, dwelling	300
Caroline Hoefler	19 Robin street	20	Alterations, dwelling	250
State Street Associates	74 State street	3	Alterations, offices	950
Boston-Plymouth Corp	143 Stuart street	3	Alterations, restaurant	450
Unsqusts Mancinelli	257 Washington street	17	Alterations, dwelling	330
Wm. Filene's Sons	426 Washington street	3	Alterations, store	300
Boston Edison Company	428 West Broadway	6	Alterations, store	3,000
Elena Menton	643 Adams street	16	Alterations, dwelling	500
Viktoras Vadeisa	265 Bolton street	6	Alterations, dwelling	100
J. Barrasso	126 Bremen street	1	Alterations, dwelling	950
Murray Coleman	233 Columbia road	14	Alterations, dwelling	657
Minot, DeBlois, Maddison	10 Congress street	3	Alterations, offices	None
John B. Foley	39 Corona street	15	Alterations, dwelling	$850
All Navy Post VFW	978 Dorchester avenue	13	Alterations, dwelling, hall	950
Patsy Mercuiro	175 Endicott street	3	Temporary bandstand	500
A. DeSantis	86 Eutaw street	1	Alterations, dwelling	800
Michael Navelton	324 K street	7	Alterations, dwelling	200
Leo Jaruis	49 Millet street	17	Alterations, dwelling	300
A. Bulens	25 Monmouth street	1	Alterations, dwelling	400
Edith Shane	29 Nightingale street	14	Alterations, dwelling	100
John Ward	23 Puritan avenue	15	Alterations, dwelling	585
53 State Street Corporation	53 State street	3	Alterations, offices	700
Fred Hapworth	67 West street	18	Alterations, store, dwelling	90
Mutual Life Insurance Co	43 Winter street	3	Alterations, store, office	4,000
A. Rossi	34 Wyman street	10	Alterations, dwelling	875
Adolph Bauer	76 Alpheus road	18	Alterations, dwelling	1,463
Tr. Prot. Epis. Church	225 and 227 Ashmont street	16	Take-down, dwelling, office	750
Margaret Smallcomb	134 Athens street	6	Alterations, dwelling	141
A. Cavalierre	124 Bayswater street	1	Alterations, dwelling	750
Gardner Fiske	68 Beacon street	5	Alterations, bank, store, dwelling	950
James Proctor	392 Boylston street	5	Sign, store	90

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING JUNE 28.—Concluded.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Loew's Boston Theatre	32 Bromfield street	3	Alterations, store	$750
Peter Finegan	33 Clarence street	8	Alterations, dwelling	400
M. McCormack	35 Commerce street	9	Alterations, manufacturing	300
R. S. Robie, Inc	600 Commercial street	3	Sign, garage	450
Renaldo Meleo	65 Como road	18	Alterations, dwelling	1,350
Madis Keskula	27 Cornell street	18	Alterations, dwelling	250
Uptown Realty Company	279 Dartmouth street	5	Alterations, restaurant, dwelling	250
Sarkis Avakian	281 Dorchester street	7	Alterations, store, dwelling	75
Caroline Langinfield	759 Dudley street	13	Sign, store	200
Lawrence Costello	71 Elm street	2	Alterations, dwelling	550
M. Dragone	31 Ferry street	3	Alterations, manufacturing	100
Eleanor Clegg	16 Flavia street	16	Alterations, dwelling	119
Frank Trotman	15 Glide street	16	Alterations, dwelling	529
Wong Pack	219 Harrison avenue	3	Alterations, store, dwelling	450
Mayer Bloch	25 Lincoln street	2	Alterations, dwelling	225
John Coviello	276 Maverick street	1	Alterations, dwelling	1,500
Rocky Malfy	91 Moore street	1	Fire escape, dwelling	190
Patrick Henry	251 Norwell street	17	Alterations, dwelling	750
Chester Burdziuk	62 O street	6	Alterations, dwelling	337
Chester Burdziuk	64 O street	6	Alterations, dwelling	337
H. Fink	41 Paine street	18	Fire repair, dwelling	300
William Hughes	1 Port Norfolk street	16	Alterations, dwelling	287
Mary Pannese	125 Putnam street	1	Alterations, dwelling	150
Raie Isaacs	210 Ruggles street	9	Alterations, store	450
Raie Isaacs	212 Ruggles street	9	Alterations, store	450
Benj. O'Neill	17 Savin Hill avenue	13	Alterations, dwelling	181
Eli Ames	83 Summer street	3	Alterations, store	980
Suffolk Savings Bank	1 Tremont street	3	Alterations, bank	400
Joseph Melnick	386 Warren street	12	Fire repair, store	400
Richard Jacobson	3174 Washington street	11	Alterations, store	300
E. Segal	14 Wayne street	12	Alterations, dwelling	100

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM PLUMBING FOR THE WEEK ENDING JUNE 28.

Plumber.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
E. Kossoi	82 Charles street	5	New appliances	$1,500
E. Slein	15 Chesterfield street	18	New appliances	50
G. Crawford	25-35 Chesterton street	8	New appliances	6,500
J. Devlin	303 Congress street	3	New appliances	2,800
E. Kossoi	66 Chestnut street	5	New appliances	1,800
R. Snyder	430 D street	6	New appliances	2,500
R. DiLorenzo	663 Dudley street	13	New appliances	100
L. Speers	14 Duncklee street	22	New appliances	260
L. Speers	41 Hardwick street	22	New appliances	35
J. Crane	360 Huntington avenue	4	New appliances	400
H. Heath	33 Montmorenci avenue	1	New appliances	2,500
L. Mahoney	109 Mt. Pleasant avenue	8	New appliances	6,800
E. Webber	56 Oakridge street	17	New appliances	400
S. Lasedio	509 Park Drive	21	New appliances	750
I. Moschella	62 Princeton street	1	New appliances	130
E. Kelly	175 Wood avenue	18	New appliances	3,150
S. Clayman	471 Gallivan Boulevard	16	New appliances	350
S. Clayman	77 Hawthorne street	19	New appliances	1,125
A. Wallen	153 and 155 Meridian street	1	New appliances	700
S. Clayman	28 Mora street	17	New appliances	50
G. Patey	247 Moss Hill road	19	New appliances	1,200
M. Yorks	185 Perham street	20	New appliances	500
D. Weinburg	16 Richardson street	22	New appliances	600
J. Wilson	130 Summer street	30	New appliances	300
L. Viseo	142 Wordsworth street	1	New appliances	200
W. Joyce	V.F.W. Parkway	18	New appliances	1,000
L. Losordo	63 Austin street	18	New appliances	300
V. Sferrazzo	185A Bowdoin street	15	New appliances	400
L. Luxton	198-212 Bowdoin street	15	New appliances	1,000
C. Belvalando	21 Brookway road	22	New appliances	200
A. Nicklennao	311 Columbia road	15	New appliances	1,850
D. Namio	53 Dartmouth street	4	New appliances	50
V. Sferrazzo	610 Gallivan Boulevard	16	New appliances	225
V. Sferrazzo	32 Kennebec street	18	New appliances	1,000
J. Corncorn	17 Peacevale street	17	New appliances	250
M. Yorks	310 Princeton street	1	New appliances	125
L. Losordo	85 Summer street	18	New appliances	300
L. Losordo	89 Summer street	18	New appliances	300
L. Losordo	102 Summer street	18	New appliances	300
L. Losordo	105 Summer street	18	New appliances	300
L. Losordo	106 Summer street	18	New appliances	300
L. Losordo	109 Summer street	18	New appliances	300
L. Losordo	110 Summer street	18	New appliances	300
L. Losordo	115 Summer street	18	New appliances	300
J. Murphy	10 and 12 Walk Hill road	19	New appliances	100
A. Milligan	20 Amesbury street	20	New appliances	1,500
S. Slishman	American Legion Highway	18	New appliances	1,100
J. Camellio	19 Brook Farm road	20	New appliances	1,200
H. Hinckley	109 Callender street	14	New appliances	350
S. Slishman	61 Curley street	18	New appliances	800
H. Arabs	321 Dartmouth street	5	New appliances	325
A. Milligan	18 Edgebrook street	20	New appliances	1,000
W. Long	58 and 60 Hano road	22	New appliances	285
O. Weider	197 Manchester street	17	New appliances	1,000
G. Odenweller	141 Shawmut avenue	5	New appliances	550
G. Odenweller	18 Ticknor street	7	New appliances	600
A. Milligan	701 V.F.W. Parkway	20	New appliances	1,000
R. Crook	888 Washington street	3	New appliances	3,000
G. Patey	247 Moss Hill road	19	New appliances	12

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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Matrons, $43 a Week.

Gertrude L. Barry, 190 South street, Jamaica Plain.

Sarah E. Beatty, 275 Gallivan Boulevard, Dorchester.

Mary S. Byrne, 114 King street, Dorchester.

Mary I. Cahill, 346 K street, South Boston.

Nellie C. Capone, 52 Selwyn street, Roslindale.

Mary G. Carey, 28 Dorr street, Roxbury.

Margaret T. Carroll, 845 Boylston street.

Mary E. Collins, 17 Leedsville street, Dorchester.

Helen R. Collins, 230 O'Callaghan Way, South Boston.

Elizabeth E. Corbett, 60 Dana avenue, Hyde Park.

Mary M. Crowley, 50 Edison Green, Dorchester.

Anna A. Curtin, 6 Holden place, Dorchester.

Margaret K. Dailey, 47 Adams street, Roxbury.

Agnes M. Dallan, 36 Vaughan avenue, Dorchester.

Theora D. Dilday, 12 Rutland square.

Paolina Diloreto, 42 Mayhew street, Dorchester.

Mary E. Doherty, 25 Billerica street.

Mary M. Doyle, 72 Parsons street, Brighton.

Josephine C. Finnigan, 14 Summer street, Charlestown.

Delia M. Flaherty, 15 Clare avenue, Roslindale.

Camille M. Floceher, 47 Allen street.

Mary M. Flynn, 80 Arlington avenue, Charlestown.

Elizabeth A. Foley, 31 Nikisch avenue, Roslindale.

Edith E. Glennon, 116 Child street, Jamaica Plain.

Ellen E. Glennon, 1 Dudley street, Roxbury.

Helen C. Glennon, 343 South Huntington avenue, Jamaica Plain.

Kathleen Grimes, 18 Everett street, Dorchester.

Elizabeth N. Haddad, 92 Waltham street.

Catherine A. Hayes, 4 Dunning Way, Jamaica Plain.

Rose F. Hibbs, 215 D street, South Boston.

Marion E. Holland, 2085 Centre street, West Roxbury.

Katherine A. Howard, 123 Clare avenue, Hyde Park.

Bridget Joyce, 242 E street, South Boston.

Mary M. Kelleher, 1118 Saratoga street, East Boston.

Laura G. McDonald, 20 Darius court, South Boston.

Katherine F. Monarch, 26 Alabama street, Mattapan.

Gladys Caroline Mooney, 69 Walden street, Jamaica Plain.

Helen T. Moore, 140 Ward street, Roxbury.

Mary G. Morris, 44 St. Germain street.

Anna J. Murphy, 87 Olney street, Dorchester.

Ellen M. Murphy, 12 Althea street, Dorchester.

Mary A. Murray, 170 West Ninth street, South Boston.

Mary F. O'Brien, 922 East Broadway, South Boston.
Nora A. O'Donnell, 368 Centre street, Jamaica Plain.
Catherine A. O'Neil, 152 Homes avenue, Dorchester.
Ellen O'Neill, 447 Marlborough street.
Helen R. Owens, 94 Hillside street, Roxbury.
Hildegarde A. Peloquin, 5 Dixfield street, South Boston.
Catherine Powers, 98 Pleasant street, Dorchester.
Mary E. Reardon, 123 Boylston street, Jamaica Plain.
Marie E. Reissfelder, 20 Charme avenue, Roslindale.
Winifred K. Rock, 130 Park street, Dorchester.
Elizabeth J. Sheehan, 74 Shepton street, Dorchester.
Sophie Springer, 246 Magnolia street, Roxbury.
Henrietta F. Tierney, 231 O'Callaghan Way, South Boston.
Mary I. Vaccaro, 229 Marion street, East Boston.
Annie M. Vareika, 59 Lithgow street, Dorchester.
Cecilia Vaughan, 9 Hardy street, South Boston.
Anna T. Young, 66 Meridian street, East Boston.
Annie F. Cole, 2 Brook Farm road, West Roxbury.
Nora C. Flaherty, 408 East Seventh street, South Boston.
Dorothy A. Harris, 75 Sydney street, Dorchester.
Florence G. Hayes, 34 Bellevue street, Dorchester.
Josephine C. Lafford, 11 Flavia street, Dorchester.
Agnes B. Murphy, 289 Wachusett street, Jamaica Plain.
Mary A. O'Connor, 113 Hancock street, Dorchester.
Margaret A. Powers, 11 St. Brendan road, Dorchester.
Francis M. Sheehan, 43 Sever street, Charlestown.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

House of Correction.

Robert W. Greatorex, Jr., 61 Lawrence street, Charlestown, correction officer, $63 a week.
Joseph H. Cody, 647 Bennington street, East Boston, correction officer, $63 a week.

Appointments or Reinstatements.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Printing Section.

Frederick A. Masucci, 47 Joy street, compositor apprentice, $77 a week.
Carmen Gentile, 9 Noyes place, compositor apprentice, $77 a week.
Elizabeth Schwab, 10 Penfield street, Roslindale, monotype keyboard operator, $96.25 a week.

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Matilda (Sasso) Sunderland, 252 Dudley street, Roxbury, senior statistical machine operator, $63 a week.
Frederick J. Leonard, 154 Rosseter street, Dorchester, senior engineering aid (draftsman), $60.50 a week.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

James H. Butler, 7 Gaylord street, Dorchester, plumbing inspector, $68 a week.

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING JUNE 28.

GAS FITTER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
C. Bevelander	50 Appleton street	5	New appliances	$50
J. Flemming	641 Baker street	20	New appliances	50
S. Adams	424 Bowdoin street	15	New appliances	395
S. Adams	10 Briarcliff street	18	New appliances	150
A. Farley	144 Cedar street	11	New appliances	50
A. Farley	173 Centre street	11	New appliances	75
S. Landau	1840 Commonwealth avenue	21	New appliances	50
A. Farley	97 Crawford street	12	New appliances	15
A. Farley	57 Crawford street	12	New appliances	50
A. Farley	8 Cunard street	9	New appliances	50
S. Adams	18 Dracut street	16	New appliances	240
W. Hogan	53 Dunster street	19	New appliances	100
R. Simon	556 East Eighth street	7	New appliances	18
E. Ardini	613 East Seventh street	7	New appliances	10
J. Vogel	33 East Springfield street	8	New appliances	10
A. Farley	13 Edgewood street	12	New appliances	50
A. Farley	5 Ennis street	11	New appliances	50
J. Goldburg	16 Fenwick street	9	New appliances	35
A. Farley	21 Forest Hills street	11	New appliances	50
S. Adams	30 Gibson street	16	New appliances	325
A. Farley	158 Harold street	12	New appliances	30
A. Farley	140 Harrishof street	12	New appliances	20
A. Farley	62 Hartford street	13	New appliances	20
S. Adams	8 Hecla street	15	New appliances	325
A. Farley	2 Humboldt avenue	12	New appliances	15
A. Farley	29 Highland avenue	11	New appliances	50
A. Farley	74 Holworthy street	12	New appliances	50
A. Farley	114 Howland street	12	New appliances	30
S. Adams	34 Johnston road	14	New appliances	250
S. Adams	71 Leonard street	15	New appliances	550
J. Zompanti	182 Marion street	1	New appliances	50
S. Landau	423 Marlborough street	5	New appliances	15
A. Farley	57 Newcomb street	8	New appliances	30
A. Farley	7 Oakland street	8	New appliances	50
A. Farley	5 Otisfield street	8	New appliances	40
S. Landau	509 Park Drive	21	New appliances	50
J. Ricciardello	24 Parkton road	10	New appliances	30
R. Simon	9 Peters street	6	New appliances	66
I. Monsthella	62 Princeton street	1	New appliances	20
A. Farley	9 Rowen court	11	New appliances	50
A. Farley	17 Regent street	12	New appliances	50
R. Ebba	320 Saratoga street	1	New appliances	50
A. Farley	55 Sherman street	12	New appliances	40
S. Adams	9 Southern avenue	17	New appliances	185
	12 South Russell street	3	New appliances	50
S. Adams	78 Sudan street	13	New appliances	225
A. Farley	425 Warren avenue	12	New appliances	10
E. Ardini	838 Washington street	17	New appliances	300
A. Farley	2779 Washington street	11	New appliances	30
A. Farley	84 Waumbeck street	12	New appliances	10
A. Farley	30 Woodcliff street	13	New appliances	200
I. Silverstien	229 Woodrow avenue	14	New appliances	50
H. Beaulieu	184 Boylston street	5	New appliances	60
D. Granara	8 Baldwin street	3	New appliances	400
N. Clark	12 Browning avenue	14	New appliances	50
P. Kennedy	34 Cedar Lane place	5	New appliances	10
M. Yorks	23 Chelsea street	1	New appliances	50
P. Kennedy	17 Cumberland street	4	New appliances	400
N. Clark	225 Cummins Highway	19	New appliances	50
P. Kennedy	147 Dover street	3	New appliances	50
D. Horgan	718 East Fourth street	6	New appliances	50
N. Clark	19 Ellington street	14	New appliances	60
D. Horgan	188 Gold street	6	New appliances	50
P. Kennedy	4 Glover street	15	New appliances	50
M. Eskowitz	5 Jones street	14	New appliances	15
N. Clark	210 K street	6	New appliances	400
N. Clark	23 Kenton street	11	New appliances	50
P. Kennedy	28 Lawrence street	4	New appliances	50
C. Germain	57 Lubec street	1	New appliances	47
A. Wallen	155 Meridian street	1	New appliances	200
M. Miller	79½ Middlesex street	5	New appliances	25
P. Fitzgerald	106 Minden street	11	New appliances	40
P. Fitzgerald	106 Minden street	11	New appliances	50
P. Kennedy	83 Montgomery street	4	New appliances	50
S. Stephans	94 Mt. Vernon street	5	New appliances	25
N. Clark	143 Newburg street	20	New appliances	50
M. Masquets	91 Nightingale street	14	New appliances	15
D. Horgan	6 Peters street	7	New appliances	50
P. Plian	74 Ruggles street	10	New appliances	45
P. Kennedy	335 Shawmut avenue	3	New appliances	50
P. Kennedy	466 Shawmut avenue	9	New appliances	60
P. Kennedy	22 St. Germain street	4	New appliances	60
H. Hamastine	132 Tonawanda street	17	New appliances	40
D. Horgan	240 West Broadway	9	New appliances	50
D. Horgan	350 West Third street	6	New appliances	50
B. Cumers	17 Walpole street	9	New appliances	40
H. Hinckley	15 Washington street	9	New appliances	60
N. Clark	26 Wayburn street	19	New appliances	40
S. Franco	141 Winthrop street	8	New appliances	70
J. Crespi	Veterans' of Foreign Wars Parkway.	20	New appliances	50
L. Fang	109 Bartlett street	2	New appliances	50
N. Clark	60 Bennington street	1	New appliances	15
V. Sherrazzo	185A Bowdoin street	15	New appliances	15
D. O'Neill	76 Calumet street	10	New appliances	50
L. Marchot	16 Charles River place	5	New appliances	50
J. Hinckley	Cummins Highway	18	New appliances	15
D. Namio	53 Dartmouth street	4	New appliances	15
H. Slavet	10 Dunkeld street	13	New appliances	25
C. McGregor	10 Glenmont road	22	New appliances	10
B. Weiner	335 Huntington avenue	4	New appliances	50

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING JUNE 28.—Concluded.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
A. Figler	23 Intervale street	12	New appliances	$50
V. Sferrazzo	73 and 75 Leonard street	12	New appliances	50
D. O'Neill	128 O street	1	New appliances	90
J. Connors	17 Peacevale road	17	New appliances	250
H. Barron	380 Riverway	5	New appliances	50
A. Remick	57 and 59 Rockland street	12	New appliances	50
C. Glynn	2 Schrepel place	6	New appliances	50
C. Glynn	4 Schrepel place	6	New appliances	150
H. Barron	74 South street	11	New appliances	50
D. O'Neill	3 Torpie street	10	New appliances	25
L. Lutman	2 Tovar street	15	New appliances	25
N. Clark	12 Westminster avenue	11	New appliances	50
V. Sferrazzo	50 and 52 Woodlawn street	11	New appliances	25
S. Slaut	6 Adelaide street	19	New appliances	50
H. Hinckley	24 Bardwell street	11	New appliances	50
N. Deutch	1219 Bennington street	1	New appliances	85
O. McElearney	6 Bolton place	2	New appliances	1,100
N. Deutch	79 Brooks street	6	New appliances	85
F. Carlson	3 Buckley avenue	10	New appliances	75
H. Hinckley	109 Callender street	14	New appliances	15
F. Farrar	40 Clearway street	1	New appliances	20
H. Hinckley	180 Commonwealth avenue	5	New appliances	18
C. Lee	39 Dewey street	13	New appliances	75
O. Weider	975 Dorchester avenue	13	New appliances	50
N. Deutch	221 East Eagle street	2	New appliances	75
F. Farrar	52 Falmouth street	4	New appliances	40
O. Weider	327 Gallivan Boulevard	16	New appliances	50
F. Cerrlo	27 Lyman street	3	New appliances	20
N. Deutch	176 Marion street	1	New appliances	75
N. Deutch	300 Maverick street	1	New appliances	75
C. Lee	9 Millmont street	9	New appliances	35
O. Weider	Mt. Bowdoin terrace	14	New appliances	25
C. Lee	146 Moreland street	8	New appliances	50
C. Lee	72 Munroe street	12	New appliances	152
A. Granara	74 North Margin street	3	New appliances	50
C. Speers	36 Nonantum street	22	New appliances	400
F. Farrar	9 Norway street	4	New appliances	20
A. Award	54 Portsmouth street	22	New appliances	50
A. Award	29 Riverview street	22	New appliances	50
S. Sault	74 Summer street	18	New appliances	300
A. Granara	56 Temple street	3	New appliances	24
W. Connell	34 Vinson street	16	New appliances	90
W. Crook	888 Washington street	3	New appliances	200
F. Smith	176 West Fourth street	6	New appliances	10
G. Trethewey	6 Aldrich street	20	New appliances	185
J. Barry	83 Belnel road	18	New appliances	146
R. Homer	226 Causeway street	3	New appliances	1,200
J. Hempler	100 Chauncy street	3	New appliances	50
T. Remick	331 Chelsea street	1	New appliances	125
A. Russo	22 Chestnut street	18	New appliances	100
A. Russo	14 Cleveland street	18	New appliances	50
M. Wallen	35 Colorado street	18	New appliances	75
S. Connolly	1046 Columbus avenue	9	New appliances	50
A. Russo	633 Cummins Highway	18	New appliances	50
S. Connolly	107 Devon street	14	New appliances	15
A. Russo	60 Groveland street	18	New appliances	500
S. Connolly	50 Guild street	9	New appliances	50
A. Russo	1260 Hyde Park avenue	18	New appliances	100
S. Connolly	1 Ingleside street	13	New appliances	25
D. O'Neill	16 Linwood street	10	New appliances	10
A. Russo	615 Metropolitan avenue	18	New appliances	500
S. Connolly	51 Munroe street	12	New appliances	50
S. Connolly	242 Northen avenue	6	New appliances	200
S. Connolly	17 Oakburn avenue	9	New appliances	200
F. Farrar	170 Pilgrim road	4	New appliances	50
G. Trethewey	607 Poplar street	18	New appliances	160
J. Rooney	981 River street	18	New appliances	75
J. Barry	1014 River street	18	New appliances	146
C. Glynn	3 Schrepel place	6	New appliances	150
S. Connolly	16 Sewall street	10	New appliances	15
A. Russo	7 Thatcher street	18	New appliances	500
S. Connolly	168 Thornton street	12	New appliances	100
E. Selin	10 Vallaro road	18	New appliances	50
A. Russo	7 Wise street	10	New appliances	125

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

(Continued from page 813.)

City Planning Board.

Joseph A. Limole, 170 Waldemar avenue, East Boston, planning assistant, $65.50 a week.

Health Department.

Constance Newcomb, 801 Huntington avenue, Roxbury, X-ray technician, $45.50 a week.

Robert E. Grandfield, 56 Oriole street, West Roxbury, physician (roentgenology), part time, $75 a week.

Hospital Department.

Main Division.

Joan L. Kilbane, 172 Norfolk street, Dorchester, laboratory assistant, $45.50 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

Lawrence Roche, 11 Paul Gore street, Jamaica Plain, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Paul Riley, 44 Cooper street, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

John F. Connolly, 98 Medford street, Charlestown, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Dr. Robert S. Weiner, 249 River street, Mattapan, resident physician, $202 a month.

Dr. Ernest Waingarten, 249 River street, Mattapan, resident physician, $65.50 a week.

Helen M. Stone, 88 Auckland street, Dorchester, hospital laundry worker, $43 a week.

Mary A. Johnson, 66 Blake street, Hyde Park, hospital laundry worker, $43 a week.

John F. Manning, 46 Tuttle street, Dorchester, third-class stationary engineer, $70.50 a week.

Long Island Division.

Helen Lyons, 7 Shepard street, Squantum, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Charles L. Malloy, Jr., 95 Lamartine street, Jamaica Plain, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Charles J. Leonard, Jr., 62 Bowdoin avenue, Dorchester, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Richard Grant, 14 Dawson street, Dorchester, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

Changes in Status.

Administrative Services Department.

Budget Division.

Michael L. Connors, 441 Ashmont street, Dorchester, from senior budget analyst, temporary, at $108.25 a week to senior budget analyst at $108.25 a week.

Building Department.

Frank J. Coughlin, 65 Horace street, East Boston, from executive secretary, temporary, at $532.88 a month to executive secretary at $532.88 a month.

Fire Department.

Sumner N. Card, 198 Sherrin street, Hyde Park, from fire fighter at $74.71 a week to fire lieutenant at $86.59 a week.

Leo J. McElaney, 75 Hillside street, Roslindale, from fire fighter at $74.71 a week to fire lieutenant at $86.59 a week.

William R. Lovett, 125 Elmer road, Dorchester, from fire lieutenant at $90.61 a week to fire captain at $102.68 a week.

Daniel L. McCarthy, 9 Van Winkle street, Dorchester, from fire lieutenant at $90.61 a week to fire captain at $102.68 a week.

Hospital Department.

Main Division.

Dr. Manuel Conde, 603 Washington street, Wellesley, from executive assistant, physician, at $58.70 a week to executive assistant at $80 a week.

Dr. Isaac Merlis, 23 Jones avenue, Dorchester, from executive assistant, resident physician, at $72.12 a week to senior executive assistant at $429.56 a month.

Dr. Henry Nigro, 17 Bay State road, from executive assistant at $363.23 a month to senior executive assistant at $450.23 a month.

Dr. Charles Averill, 205 Park Drive, from executive assistant at $348 a month to senior executive assistant at $429.56 a month.

Dr. Chester Bronwell, 16 Joy street, from executive assistant at $348 a month to senior executive assistant at $429.56 a month.

Dr. Theodore Sennella, 16 Pleasant street, Revere, from executive assistant at $363.23 a month to senior executive assistant at $450.23 a month.

Dr. Maurice Winthrop O'Connell, 167 Park street, West Roxbury, from executive assistant at $117.75 a week to principal executive assistant at $146.25 a week.

Dr. John Boda, 381 Hyde Park avenue, Jamaica Plain, from executive assistant, physician, at $58 a week to executive assistant at $80 a week.

Dr. Giulio J. D'Angio, 140 Cabrini Boulevard, New York, from visiting physician, Department of Radiology, at $280.33 a month to junior visiting physician, Department of Radiology, at $255.33 a month.

Public Works Department.

Survey Division.

Thomas F. McCusker, 1454 Centre street, Roslindale, from executive secre-

tary, temporary, at $117.75 a week to executive secretary at $117.75 a week.

Promotions.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Louis Tobin, 183 Harvard street, Dorchester, from deposition clerk at $80 a week to third assistant city registrar at $83.50 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Cemetery Division.

Joseph P. Connor, 156 Minot street, Dorchester, from grave digger at $60.50 a week to cemetery foreman at $68 a week.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

George C. Hallisey, 10 Lila road, Jamaica Plain, from assistant civil engineer at $108.25 a week to senior civil engineer, temporary, at $113 a week.

Transfer.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Elizabeth Jones, 1152 Commonwealth avenue, Allston, from Boston Traffic Commission as telephone operator at $68 a week to Health Department as telephone operator at $68 a week.

Step-Rate Increases.

AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

Henry J. Creutz, senior accountant, temporary, from $90.50 to $94 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Long Island Division.

Henry T. Currie, Long Island Hospital guard, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

James C. Duffy, Long Island Hospital guard, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Harold E. Hegner, Long Island Hospital guard, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Maurice V. Hickey, Long Island Hospital guard, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Bernard J. Bannon, hospital kitchen worker, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Eleanor Bird, attendant nurse, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Frederick A. Browne, attendant nurse, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Frank A. Campbell, attendant nurse, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Daniel R. Collins, attendant nurse, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Denis A. Fitzgerald, hospital house worker, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

David Gillespie, hospital kitchen worker, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Elizabeth J. Hauswirth, licensed practical nurse, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Robert E. Landers, attendant nurse, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Charles M. Maloney, attendant nurse, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Mary A. McGrath, hospital house worker, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

Angelo A. Schraffa, head hospital kitchen worker, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

John F. Silvey, inhalation equipment technician, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Automotive Division.

Joseph A. Sweeney, mobile guard supervisor, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Bridge Division.

James J. Lewis, assistant drawtender, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

John J. Donohue, assistant drawtender, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Martin A. Weidman, drawtender, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Sanitary Division.

John Doherty, laborer, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

George E. Hurley, motor equipment operator and laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Alexander A. Marsolini, laborer, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

Alfred E. O'Brien, laborer, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

Sewer Division.

Francis L. Hegner, assistant civil engineer, from $94 to $98.75 a week.

James M. Flynn, senior account clerk, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Carmen A. Sarro, catch-basin cleaning machine operator, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Joseph Sardellitti, sewer cleaner, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Alfred P. Trask, sewer cleaner, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Sumner Tunnel Division.

Joseph W. Blake, tollman-guard, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Paul V. Cashman, tollman-guard, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Christopher A. Carey, tollman-guard, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Water Division.

Donald M. Greer, laborer, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Barbara L. Coska, clerk and typist, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Marion DiMaggio, clerk and typist, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Shirley Gateman, clerk and typist, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Louise Herr, clerk and typist, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

William F. Lally, deputy welfare agent, from $155.75 to $160.50 a week.

Fannie Pelosi, senior bookkeeper, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Catherine Tedisco, senior bookkeeper, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Harvey Evans, social worker, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Margaret Loughman, social worker, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Ciriaco Tordiglione, social worker, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following request:

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Sanatorium Division.

For the week ending June 7:

The following-named employees who earn over $77 a week have been granted an additional day's pay for working May 30:

Luke McCarthy, engineer (worked in addition to holiday); Patrick Murtagh, chief engineer (worked in addition to holiday); Rachael Scheehl, dietitian; Joseph Sedar, chef; Katherine Burke, head nurse (also worked April 19); Eleanor Caulfield, registered graduate nurse; Alice DeRoehn, night supervisor of nurses; Mary Flynn, head nurse; Anne Gilson, head nurse, physiotherapy; Clara Greene, Rose Humiston, Sadie Linn, Mazie MacIntyre, Katherine Morris, Gertrude O'Connell, Johanne Reidy, Mary Rogers, head nurses; Mary Spinale, night supervisor of nurses; Anna Sullivan, Cecelia Sullivan, Mary Tolan, head nurses.

VETERANS' RETIREMENTS.

The Mayor has approved the following veterans' applications for retirement:

Michael A. Malley, 765 South street, Roslindale, title examiner, Assessing Department.

George J. Reagan, Barlow's Landing road, Pocasset, Mass., personnel officer, Department of School Buildings.

Thomas J. Mullins, 396 K street, South Boston, assistant drawtender, Bridge Division, Public Works Department.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award the contracts for work, materials, and supplies, in accordance with recommendations of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Purchasing Division.

Upon June 16 the Mayor approved a contract with lowest acceptable bidders for furnishing park equipment to the Parks and Recreation Department. Approximate total amounts of contracts were as follows:

Sawtelle Brothers, $7,693.54, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; Clapper Company, $3,949.40, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids, opened June 1, were as follows:

Park Equipment.

Requisition No. 618.

Item 1. 3 Kut Kwick, or Equal, Rotary Mowers, 30-Inch Cut, 6-Horsepower Engine, With Reverse, Each.—Clapper Company, $535.50, Toro, 31-inch, GK rotary mower with reverse; R. E. Jarvis Company, $359.50, Yazoo, B66–27, 6-horsepower; Sawtelle Brothers, $437.*

Requisition No. 619.

Item 2. 1 Royer, or Equal, Compost and Loam Spreader, Gasoline Powered.—Clapper Company, $380, Model C, Jr. Royer soil shredder, $580, Model CA-2; Sawtelle Brothers, $361,* Model C, Jr. Royer (4 to 6 yards per hour), $551, Royer, CA-2 (6 to 9 yards per hour).

Requisition No. 620.

Item 3. 1 Motoraire, or Equal, Greens Spiker.—Clapper Company, $360, West Point GL Jr. Aerifier with ½-inch open spoons, $362, same model with ½-inch thatch spoons; Sawtelle Brothers, $351.55.*

State Make and Model Bid Upon.—Clapper Company, Item 1, Toro, 31-inch, GK rotary mower with reverse; Item 2, Model C, Jr. Royer soil shredder, or Model, CA-2, as alternate; Item 3, West Point GL Aerifier with ½-inch open spoons or with ½-inch thatch spoons; R. E. Jarvis Company, Item 1, Yazoo, B66–27, 6-horse power; Sawtelle Brothers, Item 1, Kut Kwick, C602X30; Item 2, Royer, Model C, Jr., or Model CA-2; Item 3, Soilaire-Motoraire.

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—Clapper Company, Items 1 and 3, promptly, Item 2, 10 days; R. E. Jarvis Company, from stock, 3 or 4 days; Sawtelle Brothers, Item 1, 21 days, Item 2, 15 days, Item 3, 7 days.

Requisitions Nos. 621 and 622.

Item 4. 5 Jacobsen, or Equal, Power Greens Mowers, 22-Inch Cut, Each.—

Clapper Company, $310, Toro power greens mower*; Sawtell Brothers, $330.15, Jacobsen.

Requisition No. 623 and Requisition No. 42.

Item 5. 8 Kut Kwick, or Equal, Self-Propelled 26-Inch Rotary Mowers, 3½-Horsepower Engine, Each.—Clapper Company, $408, 24-inch, Whirlwind rotary mower, Standard Model; R. E. Jarvis Company, $209.50, Yazoo, B-3-24, 3.6 horsepower; Sawtelle Brothers, $251.75, Kut Kwick.*

Requisition No. 624.

Item 6. 12 Worthington, or Equal, Fairway Units, 5 Blades, 30-Inch Cut, Each.—Clapper Company, $199.95, Toro, 30-inch Spartan mower*; R. E. Jarvis Company, $180, Ideal, 30-inch, 5 blades; Sawtell Brothers, $202.50, Worthington.

State Make and Model Bid Upon.—Clapper Company, Item 4, Toro power greens mower; Item 5, 24-inch Whirlwind rotary mower, standard; Item 6, 30-inch Toro Spartan mower; R. E. Jarvis Company, Item 5, Yazoo, B3-24, 3.6 horsepower; Item 6, Ideal; Sawtelle Brothers, Item 4, Jacobsen, 22-inch power greens mower; Item 5, Kut Kwick, 3½-horsepower, 26-inch cut; Item 6, Worthington, 30-inch, Fairway.

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—Clapper Company, Items 4, 5, 6, promptly; R. E. Jarvis Company, Items 5 and 6, 10 days; Sawtelle Brothers, Item 4, 7 days, Item 5, 15 days, Item 6, 10 days.

Requisition No. 626.

Item 7. 3 Worthington, or Equal, Triplex Power Mowers, 85-Inch Cutting Width, 8.5-Horsepower Engine, Riding Seat To Be Integral Part of Machine, Each.—Clapper Company, $1,011.50, Toro, 76-inch, Professional power mower; Sawtelle Brothers, $1,157.25.*

Requisition No. 44.

Item 8. 2 Bunton, or Equal, Gasoline Powered Grass Trimmers, 12½-Inch Cut, Each.—Clapper Company, $99.50; R. E. Jarvis Company, $116.50, Bunton, 4-cycle, 12½-inch; Sawtelle Brothers, $92.12, Bunton, Model B-12,* alternate, $103.70, Model "Dilly."

Discount.—Clapper Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; R. E. Jarvis Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Sawtelle Brothers, 2 per cent, time of payment.

State Make and Model Bid Upon.—Clapper Company, Item 7, 76-inch Professional power mower; Item 8, Bunton grass trimmer, 12½-inch; R. E. Jarvis Company, Item 8, Bunton, 12½-inch; Sawtelle Brothers, Item 7, Worthington Triplex; Item 8, Bunton, Model B-12 or "Dilly."

Earliest Delivery Date.—Clapper Company, promptly, both items; R. E. Jarvis Company, 10 days; Sawtelle Brothers, Item 7, 21 days or sooner, Item 8, 10 days.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon June 27 the Mayor approved a contract with contractors as requested in the following letter:

BOSTON, June 15, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

Attached is tabulation of bids received on proposals for furnishing soap to the various city departments, from July 1, 1955, to September 30, 1955, inclusive. These bids were publicly opened and read in this office on June 8, 1955.

Authority is requested to award Items 1 and 3 to the lowest bidders at the prices as indicated on the accompanying tabulation. Swift & Co. submitted the lowest bid on Items 2, 4, 5, and 6. Their bid was for acceptance within 10 days and therefore did not fully conform with the proposal which allows the city 30 days to accept a bid.

It is therefore requested that authority be granted me to reject all bids received on Items 2, 4, 5, and 6 and award a contract, without public advertisement, to Swift & Co. for these items at the prices as indicated on the accompanying tabulation.

Approximate total amounts of all awards will be as follows:

Contracts for: Swift & Co., $1,750.11, net; Beach Soap Company, $1,353, less 1 per cent, 10 days, net, 30 days.

Order for: Acme Soap Company, $669.90, less 1 per cent, 15 days.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

Bids were as follows:

Soap.

Item 1. 150 Barrels Soap Powder, 200-Pound Barrels, Per Pound.—Armour & Co., 6.59 cents, Lighthouse washing powder; Beach Soap Company, 4.51 cents,* Fiberboard drums (*see* proposal for analysis); Swift & Co., 4.90 cents, 300-pound drum (*see* proposal for analysis on Items 1 and 2); Colgate Palmolive Company, 7.84 cents.

Item 2. 100 Cases Soap Powder, 18 28-Ounce Packages to Case, Indicate Type of Package.—Swift & Co., 7.44 cents,* 18 28-ounce packages (*see* proposal for analysis on Items 1 and 2); Colgate Palmolive Company, 9.58 cents, 24 30-ounce packages.

Item 3. 75 Bags Soap Chips, Per Pound.—Acme Soap Company, 8.12 cents*; Armour & Co., 9.69 cents, Flint soap chips; Beach Soap Company, 8.16 cents, alternate, 8.03 cents, paper bags; Swift & Co., 8.50 cents; Colgate Palmolive Company, 9.23 cents.

Item 4. 125 Cases Laundry Soap, Per Pound.—Swift & Co., 6.95 cents*; Colgate Palmolive Company, 7.65 cents.

Item 5. 200 Cases White Floating Soap, Unwrapped, 200 3-Ounce, Per Pound.—Swift & Co., 11.14 cents*; Colgate Palmolive Company, 1.134 cents, total, $850.

Item 6. 20 Cases White Floating Soap, Unwrapped, 1,000 ½-Ounce, Per Pound.—Swift & Co., 25.44 cents*; Colgate Palmolive Company, .317 cent, total, $198.

Discount.—Swift & Co., net, no discount; Colgate Palmolive Company, net; Acme Soap Company, 1 per cent, 15 days; Armour & Co., net; Beach Soap Company, 1 per cent, 10 days, net, 30 days.

Remarks.—Procter & Gamble Company, late bid, Auditor's copy on time with prices listed as follows: Item 3, 8.69 cents per pound, Item 5, 18.26 cents per pound, Item 6, 32.91 cents per pound; Colgate Palmolive Company, oil exemption certificate with orders; Swift & Co., exemption certificate to be furnished on White Floating Soap, bid is subject to acceptance within 10 days, June 20, 1955.

* Contract awarded.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Upon June 21 the Mayor approved a contract with D. Antonellis, Inc., for modernization of plumbing facilities at the Bigelow School. Bids, opened June 15, were as follows:

D. Antonellis, Inc., $29,170; Michael Racioppi, $30,786; John Rugo, $30,854; Martin J. Kelly Company, Inc., $37,437.

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Upon June 21 the Mayor approved a contract with Dorgan Electrical Company for electrical work at the William Blackstone School. Bids, opened June 20, were as follows:

Dorgan Electrical Company, $2,422; John R. Lentine, $2,712; Herbert F. Sawyer, Inc., $2,820; Kay Electric Company, $2,900; Ralph E. Dixon Electric Company, $3,250; William R. Wheeler, Jr., $3,290.

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Upon June 21 the Mayor approved a contract with M. Solimando for construction and completing a playground, etc., in the Roxbury Memorial High School for Girls, Townsend and Deckard street, Roxbury. Bids, opened June 1, were as follows:

M. Solimando, $50,624; J. A. Singarella, $70,000.

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Upon June 23 the Mayor approved a contract with Faneuil Construction Company for interior and exterior painting, including fire escapes, at the Peter Faneuil School. Bids, opened June 21, were as follows:

Faneuil Construction Company, $6,485; Nicholas Bello, $6,610; R and F Painting Company, $6,890; Kabot Painting Company, $7,013; John M. Kennedy Company, Inc., $8,955.

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Upon June 23 the Mayor approved a contract with City Building Wrecking Company for razing the W. C. Bryant School. Bids, opened June 22, were as follows:

City Building Wrecking Company, $5,387; Mystic Building Wrecking Company, Inc., $7,800; Central Building Wrecking Company, $8,430; New York Building Wrecking Company, Inc., $8,535; American Building Wrecking Company, Inc., $10,885; Hub Building Wrecking Company, Inc., $17,000.

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Upon June 23 the Mayor approved a contract with Washington Contracting Company, Inc., for grading, asphalt paving, etc., at the P. J. Kennedy School and Emerson yard. Bids, opened June 22, were as follows:

Washington Contracting Company, Inc., $5,685; Magri Contracting Company, Inc., $6,944; Trimount Bituminous Products Company, $8,319; Martin J. Kelly Company, Inc., $9,395; Liberty Asphalt Construction Company, $9,990.75; Lincoln Asphalt Corporation, $10,495.

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Upon June 27 the Mayor approved a contract with Massachusetts Heating Corporation for alterations to oil burning system in the Robert G. Shaw School. Bids, opened June 16, were as follows:

Seltzer & Co., Inc., $11,128; Massachusetts Heating Corporation, $11,858; J. W. Praught Company, $12,800; Joseph F. Dwyer, $12,900.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Sanatorium Division.

Upon June 21 the Mayor approved a contract with Careful Cleaning Company for window cleaning at the Sanatorium Division. Bids, opened Tuesday, May 31, were as follows:

Bay State Cleaning Company, $2,250; Bay View Window Cleaning Company, $1,750; Careful Cleaning Company, $1,725.

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Upon June 21 the Mayor approved a contract with Crown Shade and Screen Company for furnishing and installing wooden screens and doors for the A Building at the Sanatorium Division. Bids, opened June 7, were as follows:

David Donovan, $4,485; Crown Shade and Screen Company, $1,612.50.

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Upon June 23 the Mayor approved a contract with D. M. McCartin Company for interior painting in various buildings at the Sanatorium Division. Bids, opened June 13, were as follows:

Max Cahn, $21,100; Kabot Painting Company, Inc., $19,100; General Painting Company, $18,500; R and F Painting Company, $16,700; D. M. McCartin Company, $15,391.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Upon June 7 the Mayor approved a contract with J. A. Susi & Sons, Inc., for sheet asphalt pavement in Poplar street and West street, Ward 18, at an estimated cost of $45,574.60. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed November 1, 1955. The following bids were received June 2:

J. A. Susi & Sons, Inc., $45,574.60; Rufo Construction Company, $46,175.40; Faletra Brothers, Inc., $46,215.50; P. V. Barone Corporation, $47,180.50; S. J. Tomasello Corporation, $49,893.50.

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Upon June 21 the Mayor approved a contract with S. J. Tomasello Corporation for bituminous concrete pavement in Burr street, Ward 19; Carolina avenue, Wards 11 and 19; Cheshire street, Dane street, Hawthorne street, Heathcote street, Perkins street, and Sedgwick street, Ward 19, at an estimated cost of $55,976. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed December 31, 1955. The following bids were received June 16:

S. J. Tomasello Corporation, $55,976; Charles Todesca, $62,359.75; P. V. Barone Corporation, $62,954; Faletra Brothers, Inc., $63,195; Rufo Construction Company, $65,029.86; J. A. Susi & Sons, Inc., $65,041.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

The School Committee has approved proposals for furnishing kindergarten supplies for Boston public schools. Bids, opened Tuesday, May 17, were received from the following concerns:

Gledhill Brothers, Inc., Henry S. Wolkins Company, Milton Bradley Company, Craftint Manufacturing Company, Pepperell Braiding Company, Inc., Play-Art Educational Equipment Company, J. L. Hammett Company, Hans Haber.

Award was made to the lowest responsible bidder, as follows:

J. L. Hammett Company, $5,586.39.

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The School Committee has approved proposals for furnishing tool sharpening for Boston public schools. Bid, opened Wednesday, May 18, was as follows:

Boston Saw & Knife Company, $2,104.17.

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The School Committee has approved proposals for furnishing groceries for public school kitchens. Bids, opened Tuesday, May 24, were received from the following concerns:

New England Importation Company, S. S. Pierce Company.

Award was made to the lowest responsible bidder, as follows:

S. S. Pierce Company, $6,515.74.

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The School Committee has approved proposals for cleansing, sterilizing, and reconditioning basketball and hockey supplies for Boston public schools. Bids, opened Wednesday, May 25, were received from the following concerns:

Ivory System, Inc., Sportcraft Company, Inc., Arrow System, Division of Mulvey Company, Inc.

Awards were made to the lowest responsible bidders, as follows:

Arrow System, Division of Mulvey Company, Inc., $795.50.

Sportcraft Company, Inc., $1,266.90.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

Upon varying dates as indicated the Mayor approved contracts with contractors, for furnishing labor, materials, etc. Communications from heads of departments interested were as follows:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.
Purchasing Division.

BOSTON, June 8, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The Boston City Hospital has conducted limited tests on Instant Maxwell House Coffee. These tests have indicated that the use of this coffee would be more economical than the regular coffee.

In order to determine this fact more definitely, the City Hospital is desirous of conducting more extensive tests. Authority is therefore requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to General Foods Corporation for furnishing 3,900 packages (4½-ounce packages) at 78.85 cents a package, Instant Maxwell House Coffee to the Boston City Hospital, from July 1, to July 31, 1955.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $3,075.15, net.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

ELECTION DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, June 15, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR:

The Board of Election Commissioners respectfully requests permission to award the contract for the transportation of voting machines within the City of Boston to P. A. Milan, Inc., 202 State street, Boston, the only bidder. The proposed contract sum is $17.85 for each voting machine transported.

May we point out P. A. Milan, Inc., has performed this work for the past five years. We respectfully request permission to award the contract to them for the year 1955.

Respectfully yours,

DAVID LASKER,
Chairman.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, June 8, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

We respectfully request your permission to dispense with publicly advertising for bids, and to award a contract to Westinghouse Electric Corporation, 10 High street, Boston, Mass., for furnishing all the labor and materials necessary for the complete repair and replacements to the 400-kilowatt engine-driven D.C. generator, power plant, Boston City Hospital, at a cost not to exceed the sum of $9,145.

There is a distinct advantage in having the Westinghouse Electric Corporation perform this work as they are the manufacturers of the generator, are thoroughly familiar with it, and have the necessary parts and labor available to complete the work in the least possible time.

The trustees are of the opinion, therefore, that nothing could be gained by publicly advertising for bids.

Respectfully yours,

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, AND BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL,
by RICHARD J. CONDON,
President.

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BOSTON, June 8, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

We respectfully request your permission to dispense with publicly advertising for bids, and to award a contract to Westinghouse Electric Corporation, 10 High street, Boston, Mass., for the services of a service engineer and blader to supervise repairs on 600-kilowatt Turbogenerator, power plant, Boston City Hospital, at a cost not to exceed the sum of $2,500.

Because of the technical nature of the services required, and because of the fact that the rates for this type of work are standardized, the trustees are of the opinion that nothing could be gained by publicly advertising for bids.

Respectfully yours,

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, AND BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL,
by RICHARD J. CONDON,
President.

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BOSTON, June 15, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

I respectfully request your permission to award a contract to James M. McCusker Company, 17 Chestnut avenue, Jamaica Plain, Mass., without publicly advertising for bids, for full architectural engineering services in connection with the completion of the out-patient laboratory.

The estimated cost of the proposed work is $6,000, and the engineer will be paid a fee which will be 10 per cent of the actual cost of this work.

In view of the professional nature of the services involved, it is felt that nothing would be gained by publicly advertising for bids.

Respectfully yours,

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, AND BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL,
by RICHARD J. CONDON,
President.

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

BOSTON, June 14, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR:

Authority is hereby requested to award contracts, without public advertisement in the *City Record*, for fireworks displays on July 4, 1955, to the following companies:

Providence Fireworks Company, Pearl Fireworks Company, Rockland Fireworks Company, Inc.

These displays will be given at the following locations and at the following contract sums:

Columbus Park, South Boston, and Smith Field, Brighton, at a total cost of $2,500, to the Providence Fireworks Company.

Boston Common, at a total cost of $2,500, to the Pearl Fireworks Company.

Jamaica Pond and Franklin Field, Dorchester, at a total cost of $2,500, to the Rockland Fireworks Company, Inc.

These companies have proved by their performances in the past years that they are able to execute these fireworks displays in a safe manner. They employ trained pyrotechnicians who are under the direct supervision of the managers of these three companies. These companies are covered by insurance for personal and public liability.

Inasmuch as the nature of the skilled service involved and the quality of goods necessary for proper and safe fireworks displays are such as would be extremely difficult, if not impossible to obtain through public bidding, it is felt that no advantage will be gained by publicly advertising for proposals.

Very truly yours,

JOHN D. BROWN,
Director of Public Celebrations.

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BOSTON, June 14, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

Your approval is respectfully requested to dispense with advertising and to award a contract to the J. L. Sullivan Company, of 1987 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, Mass., for furnishing candy, viz., 109,000 cellophane-wrapped lollypops, of assorted flavors, for the children in the various sections of the city, in connection with the public celebration of Independence Day, in the total amount of $1,635.

This firm has satisfactorily performed this service for a number of years and inasmuch as the price of this commodity is relatively uniform, it is considered that no advantage would accrue to the city by publicly advertising for proposals for the same.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN D. BROWN,
Director of Public Celebrations.

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BOSTON, June 14, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

Your approval is respectfully requested for the award of a contract in the sum of $4,995.83, and without advertising, to H. P. Hood & Sons, 500 Rutherford avenue, Charlestown, Mass., for the furnishing of the following for the children in the various sections of the city, in connection with the public celebration of Independence Day:

9,083½ dozen Hoodsies at 55 cents per dozen, $4,995.83.

This firm has satisfactorily carried out similar commitments for this city for a considerable number of years and since the price for this commodity is uniform, it is felt that nothing would be gained by publicly inviting bids.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN D. BROWN,
Director of Public Celebrations.

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BOSTON, June 20, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

It is the intention of the office of Public Celebrations to arrange by contract for the furnishing of music for public enjoyment on Boston Common during the month of July. After due deliberation, it has been decided, subject to your prior approval, to award contracts to the following band leaders for the dates specified below:

Alfred Bandera, July 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16.

Samuel Seiniger, July 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23.

Robert Hardy, July 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30.

Each of the above leaders will conduct an orchestra of twenty-five (25) men. The amount to be expended under each of the proposed contracts is one thousand three hundred seventy-five (1,375) dollars.

In view of the fact that securing the particular type and quality of service involved in performing the proposed contracts is not such as would necessarily be assured through the customary procedure of publicly advertising for proposals, your authorization is, therefore, requested to dispense with advertising in the awards of the subject contracts.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN D. BROWN,
Director of Public Celebrations.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, June 22, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The Real Property Board proposes to engage the services of William Nelson Jacobs Associates, 438 Park Square Building, Boston, Mass., as architects-engineers, in connection with the proposed construction of an off-street parking facility at Hayward place, Harrison Avenue Extension, and Norfolk place, Boston.

The estimated cost of the proposed facility is approximately $1,250,000, and the architects-engineers shall be paid a standard fee equal to the sum of 5.83 per cent of the full amount of the cost of said construction, which fee would include supervision.

In view of the nature of the professional services involved, no benefit would be gained by advertising for bids, and it is respectfully requested that permission be given to award the contract to William Nelson Jacobs Associates without public advertising.

Respectfully submitted,

HERMAN CARP,
Commissioner.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, June 22, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

YOUR HONOR:

The Board of Overseers of the Public Welfare respectfully requests your permission to award a contract for a period of twelve months, from July 15, 1955, to Miss Katharine D. Hardwick for expert services as consultant to the board.

For the past year Miss Hardwick has served as consultant to the board and her services have been of inestimable value. Miss Hardwick has been actively engaged in social work for many years and her ability and reputation in the social work field is widely recognized.

The amount of the contract will not exceed five thousand forty (5,040) dollars for the twelve-month period. Due to the nature of the services to be performed, public advertising would not be advisable.

Sincerely yours,

JOSEPH K. COLLINS,
Chairman.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Warner W. Walsh for interior and exterior painting at the Alexander Hamilton School, from June 30, 1955, to August 31, 1955. This extension was requested because of difficulty in securing suitable help and delay in obtaining materials due to trucking strike.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Quincy Shipbuilding and Repair Corporation has been granted an extension of time for repair to two fireboats, from July 1 to July 8, 1955.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

R and F Painting Company have been granted an extension of time until June 10, 1955, for the completion of the contract for painting concrete swimming pools at North End Park, Boston.

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R and F Painting Company have been granted an extension of time until June 10, 1955, for the completion of the contract for painting concrete swimming pools at Ensign John J. Doherty Playground, Charlestown.

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D. F. Frangioso & Co. have been granted an extension of time until October 1, 1955, for the completion of the contract for drainage and grading at the Franklin Park Golf Course, West Roxbury.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with John J. Botti, 1050 Adams street, Dorchester, for bituminous concrete sidewalks in Bellevue street and Neponset avenue, from July 1, 1955, to August 15, 1955. This extension was requested because the contractor was delayed by inclement weather in the early spring months.

ADDITIONS TO CONTRACT.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

R. Tweed & Son have been ordered to make the following addition to the contract for the Edward Everett School:

Paint, in accordance with the department specifications for interior painting, walls of the assembly hall, including all previously painted, varnished or stained surfaces of wood, metal or plaster (the stage is considered a part of the assembly hall) for the sum of $373, and the amount of $373 will be added therefor, making the account as follows: contract price, $1,493; total additions, $373; amount of contract, $1,866.

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M. Solimando has been ordered to make the following addition to the contract for the Chapman School:

Point all joints on the two vent stacks above roof line, in accordance with the Department of School Buildings specifications. For this additional work, not called for in specifications, because work could not be ascertained until scaffolding was erected, the sum of $950 will be added, making the account as follows: contract price, $3,444; total additions, $950; amount of contract, $4,394.

OMIT AND SUBSTITUTE WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

John J. Botti has been directed to omit and substitute the following work under the contract for bituminous concrete sidewalks in Bellevue street and Neponset avenue, dated December 31, 1954:

Omit: Remove two trees, 12 inches to 24 inches in diameter, including stumps, etc., at $75 each, and remove five trees, diameter over 24 inches, including stumps, etc., at $150 each.

Substitute: Remove two trees, 12 inches to 24 inches in diameter, and cut stumps of same down to 4 inches below sidewalk grade, at $75 each. Also remove five trees, diameter over 24 inches, and cut stumps of same down to 4 inches below sidewalk grade, at $150 each.

Estimated cost of substituted work, $900.

Estimated cost of omitted work, $900.

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J. A. Singarella Company has been directed to make the following omission and substitution under the contract for redecking and repairing the Summer Street Bridge, over A street, B street, and C street, dated April 27, 1955:

Omit: On the Summer Street Brdige, over C street, omit the work of removing the granite block roadway pavement, placing wire mesh reinforcement and new concrete under Items 1, 17, and 19, respectively, at an estimated decrease in cost to the city of $5,500.

Substitute: On the Summer Street Bridge, over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad tracks, remove the existing bituminous concrete roadway surface on both roadways, approximately 5,500 square yards, at an agreed price of $1 per square yard, and place a new bituminous concrete roadway surface, approximately 610 tons, at the contract price of $10 per ton, under Item 22. Total estimated cost to the city of substituted work, $11,600.

Estimated increase in cost to city, $6,100.

TRANSFERS OF APPROPRIATIONS.

The Mayor has approved the following requests for transfers of appropriations:

CITY PLANNING BOARD.

From 290, Miscellaneous Contractual Services: 297, Printing, Binding, Ruling, $100, to 590, Miscellaneous Equipment: 593, Library Books, $100.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Sanitary Division.

From 252, Disposal of Garbage and Waste, $10,000, to 595, Public Works Equipment, $10,000.

AMENDMENT TO ORIGINAL AWARD OF DAMAGES.

The Public Improvement Commission has voted as follows:

That the amount of $100 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Andrew J. and Dora A. McCarthy for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of March 30, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Billings street, West Roxbury.

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That the amount of $50 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Pleasant Cafe, Inc., for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of April 27, 1953, for the widening and construction of Beech street, West Roxbury.

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That the amount of $400 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Joseph M. and Marguerite M. Mullen for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of March 27, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Oakmere street, West Roxbury.

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That the amount of $30 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Carl F. and Lorraine Cugua for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of November 21, 1952, for the laying out and construction of Quarley road, West Roxbury.

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That the amount of $100 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Theresa M. Rooney for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of November 29, 1951, for the widening and construction of Poplar street, West Roxbury.

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That the amount of $375 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Charles S. and Kathryn J. Wilson for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of July 23, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Cranmore road, Hyde Park.

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That the amount of $75 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Louise M. F. Nielsen for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of June 4, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Crestway road, East Boston.

EXTENSION OF LAMARTINE STREET.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made consisting of the laying out (without construction) of an extension of Lamartine street, Roxbury district, from Centre street to Heath street, over the way now known as Albert street, bounded and described as follows:

An extension of the highway named Lamartine street is hereby laid out as a public highway, from Centre street to Heath street (without construction).

Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees or structures standing upon or affixed thereto, in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

Southwesterly by Centre street, one hundred fourteen and 93-100 feet; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Lamartine street as hereby laid out, by seven measurements, thirty-three and 51-100 feet on a curve of thirty-eight and 99-100 feet radius, fifty-six and 27-100 feet, two hundred five and 25-100 feet on a curve of one thousand three hundred sixty and 18-100 feet radius, one hundred eleven and 12-100 feet, two hundred forty-six and 4-100 feet on a curve of one thousand six hundred thirty-three and 12-100 feet radius, one hundred twelve and 53-100 feet on a curve of three thousand two hundred thirty-three and 66-100 feet radius, and eight and 58-100 feet on a curve of ten feet radius; northeasterly by Heath street, sixty-five and 45-100 feet; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Lamartine street as hereby laid out, two hundred fifty-seven and 27-100 feet on a curve of three thousand two hundred eighty and 36-100 feet radius; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Lamartine street as hereby laid out, three and 30-100 feet; and southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Lamartine street as hereby laid out, by four measurements, twenty-eight and 61-100 feet on a curve of three thousand two hundred eighty-three and 66-100 feet radius, seventy-one and 7-100 feet, one hundred thirty-two and 29-100 feet on a curve of three thousand two hundred seventy-two and 66-100 feet radius, and one hundred eighty and 93-100 feet on a curve of three thousand two hundred twenty-five and 84-100 feet radius.

No betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement consisting of the laying out (without construction) of an extension of Lamartine street, Roxbury district, from Centre street to Heath street, under the order of the commission of June 15, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

TUNNEL TRAFFIC IN MAY.

In the month of May, 1954, 1,031,226 vehicles used the Sumner Tunnel. This is the first time in the history of the tunnel that in excess of 1,000,000 vehicles used the facility in any one month.

In May of 1953, 979,920 vehicles went through the tunnel, or 51,306 less than May of this year.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, June 13, 1955.

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 2 P.M., Senior Member White in the chair. Absent, Councillor Hurley.

The Reverend William B. O'Connor, St. James Roman Catholic Church, Boston, was escorted to the rostrum.

INVOCATION BY REV. WILLIAM B. O'CONNOR.

We pray Thee, O God of might, wisdom, and justice, through Whom authority is rightfully administered, laws are enacted, and judgments decreed, assist with Thy holy spirit of counsel and fortitude the members of this Boston City Council, that their administration may be conducted with righteousness and be eminently useful to Thy people whom they represent.

Direct, O Lord, our actions by Thy holy inspiration be carried on by Thy gracious assistance that every deed and work of ours may begin always from Thee and by Thee be happily ended. Amen.

The meeting was opened with the salute to the Flag.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR.

Subject to confirmation by the Council, the Mayor submitted the appointment of Francis J. VonEuw, 33 Peak Hill road, West Roxbury, as weigher of goods, for the term ending April 30, 1956.

Referred to the Committee on Confirmations.

APPOINTMENT OF A CITIZENS' FISCAL SURVEY COMMITTEE.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, June 13, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

With respect to the order adopted by your Honorable Body on May 9, 1955, recommending the appointment of a Citizens' Fiscal Survey Committee to make various studies relative to the City of Boston, may I make the following observations:

1. The Boston Citizens' Council, at the present time, has under consideration a number of proposals relating to the well-being of the community. This Council, as you perhaps know, has been most active in promoting and assisting in the seminars held at the Boston College School of Business Administration, and has been active in the furtherance of urban redevelopment and urban renewal in our city.

2. The Administrative Services Board, as required by ordinance, is making studies and recommendations with respect to the organization, activities, policies, and procedures of all city departments. This is a continuing study on matters pertinent to the administration of the city government.

3. The Mayor's Committee on Municipal Finance, in addition to the conduct of surveys of departmental operations, has under consideration the general subject of broadening the city's tax base and thus afford tax relief to the owners of real property.

It would appear, therefore, that the committee suggested in the order of your Honorable Body would be another committee superimposed upon the committees and agencies already at work. I do not believe it advisable, because of this situation to recommend the appropriation of funds for services which would, to some extent at least, overlap and duplicate efforts now being made in the same direction.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

On motion of Councillor Piemonte, the foregoing message was referred to the Executive Committee.

OLD COLONY HOUSING DEVELOPMENT RENTALS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, June 13, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Chairman of the Boston Housing Authority relative to your order of May 23, 1955, concerning proposed rentals in the Old Colony Housing Development if this development is purchased.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

Boston Housing Authority,
June 7, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Subject: City Council Order Dated May 23, 1955, on Proposed Rentals in Relocation Housing.

Dear Mayor Hynes:

This is in reply to the above-referenced City Council order.

The Authority cannot at this time make any definite statement as to rents in a relocation development such as that at Old Colony if the Authority is successful in obtaining it.

The chief factors in fixing rents are the purchase price, the rate of interest on borrowed money, the term of amortization, and the amount of the payment to the City of Boston in place of taxes. Since all of these factors are indeterminate now it is deemed best not to make any estimates until better information is available.

It is certain, however, that the average rent will be greater than that in low-rent developments since no subsidy is available on such housing, and therefore the rentals must cover all costs.

Very truly yours,
JAMES J. MAHAR, Chairman.

Coun. PIEMONTE moved that the message and communication be referred to the Executive Committee, and that the members of the Boston Housing Authority be requested to appear before the Executive Committee at 3 P.M. on Monday, June 27, 1955, and have available statistics showing occupancy of each housing unit and financial statistics concerning occupancy for past five years.

The motion was carried.

The message and communication were referred to the Executive Committee.

PUBLIC RELATIONS PROGRAM FOR BOSTON.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, June 13, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

With respect to the several orders adopted by your Honorable Body calling for a public relations program for the City of Boston, let me first state that before the city might appropriate public funds for the purpose of advertising its resources, advantages, and attractions it must, under existing law, have in actual possession matching funds contributed by public subscription. In addition, the amount which may be appropriated in any one year is limited to $50,000.

In view of these statutory requirements, it is highly questionable whether a publicity campaign of this type suggested in the attached orders could be conducted with satisfactory results. Advertising confined to this area would accomplish little. To cover a large section of the country through newspapers, radio, and television would involve the expenditure far in excess of the amount at present authorized.

At the present time, the State Department of Commerce is engaged in a campaign to publicize on a country-wide basis the advantages of this area. While the emphasis is on the attractions of the state as a whole, nevertheless, Boston is a beneficiary of the campaign. In view of this fact, I question the wisdom of embarking on an overlapping effort.

Under my administration, the Mayor's office has always cooperated and worked with the agencies interested in advertising Boston and its advantages; and the programs initiated by these agencies have received and will receive the full cooperation and assistance which they deserve in furthering Boston's interests.

I am not out of sympathy with the desires of the City Council to publicize the advantages of the City of Boston. In every way possible, we are attempting to meet the spirit of the orders as adopted by your Honorable Body. I shall appreciate, from time to time, any further suggestions which may be made by your Body.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

Placed on file.

Coun. PIEMONTE moved that the message be remanded to the Mayor with the request that Mr. Paul Hines confer with representatives of Boston Chamber of Commerce, the Boston Real Estate Board, and the Retail Trade Board with the view of getting firsthand from them whether they are willing to match by public subscription any amount the city might appropriate.

The motion was carried.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committee named:

Claims.

Mary A. Beard, for compensation for damage to property at 1302 Dorchester avenue, caused by break in water main.

Orland Bilizzi, for refund on pedler's license.

Saul Burrell, for compensation for damage to oil burner at 41 Hyde Park avenue, caused by break in water main.

Peter Canto, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Endicott and North Margin streets.

James F. Condon, Jr., to be reimbursed as result of executions issued against him on account of his acts as employee of Police Department.

John J. Doyle, to be reimbursed as result of execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Fire Department.

Philip Engel, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Sutherland road.

Virginia Faretra, for compensation for damage to property at 1 Davis court, East Boston, caused by city employees installing water meter.

Ruth Friedland, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Washington street, near Columbia road.

Frank J. Galvin, to be reimbursed as result of executions issued against him on account of his acts as employee of Fire Department.

Joseph L. General, for compensation for damage to property at 14 and 16 Linden street, caused by break in water main.

General Exchange Insurance Corporation, for compensation for damage to car of Joseph Pichetti caused by city car.

Elizabeth Gorin, for compensation for damage to property at 24 McLellan street, Dorchester, caused during sewer and construction work.

Ethel V. Hayes, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect at Lorraine and Iona streets.

Albert T. Homsy, for refund on building permit at 35 and 37 Freeman avenue, West Roxbury.

Thomas A. Joyce, for compensation for damage to property at 22 Hemman street, Roslindale, caused during street and sidewalk construction.

Alan L. Locke, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Wilcock street, Dorchester.

Arthur L. Locke, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect in Wilcock street, Dorchester.

Henry B. McKay, for compensation for injuries and damage to car by Police Department vehicle.

Modern Italian Bakery Company, Inc., for compensation for damage to property at 275 North street, caused by backing up of sewage.

Harry N. Nelson, for compensation for damage to property at 214 Chestnut avenue, Jamaica Plain, by fire trucks.

PERMITS FOR CHILDREN.

Petitions for children under fifteen years of age to appear at places of public amusement:

Ann Bobitt-Gardner, Brown Hall, June 16.
Rose E. Sidman, John Hancock Hall, June 23.

Permits granted under usual conditions.

PETITION FOR ANNUITY.

Petition of Ethel Phillips, to be paid an annuity on account of the death of her husband, Daniel A. Phillips, late member of the Police Department.

Referred to the Committee on Claims.

APPLICATIONS FOR COMMERCIAL SHELLFISH PERMITS.

Applications for commercial use shellfish permits were received from the following:

Robert R. McDermott, 391 Meridian street, East Boston, Ward 1; William L. Snow, 49 West Eagle street, East Boston, Ward 1.

Severally referred to the Committee on Licenses.

PETITIONS FOR INDEMNIFICATION.

Petition of Raymond B. LaCasse, employee of the Boston Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses.

Petition of Francis R. Montello, employee of the Boston Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses.

Petition of Olaf T. Svensen, employee of the Boston Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses.

Petition of Charles N. Vogel, employee of the Boston Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses.

Severally referred to the Committee on Claims.

APPROVAL OF CONSTABLE'S BOND.

The constable's bond of Solomon Spack, having been duly approved by the Collector-Treasurer, was received and approved by the Council.

1955 BUDGET OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

A communication was received from Mr. Henry J. Smith, Business Manager of the School Department, transmitting copy of 1955 budget of the School Committee.

Placed on file.

325TH ANNIVERSARY OF FOUNDING OF DORCHESTER.

A resolution of the Great and General Court of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, congratulating Dorchester upon the anniversary of the 325th year of its settlement, was received.

Placed on file.

NOTICE OF INTEREST IN CONTRACT.

Notice was received from Samuel J. Tomasello, member of the Board of Appeal, of interest in the contract for bituminous concrete pavement on Ardale street, etc.

Placed on file.

BORROWING CAPACITY OF CITY FOR YEAR 1955.

A communication was received from the Board of Commissioners of Sinking Funds stating that the amount which the city will be able to borrow during the present municipal year within the debt limit established by law is $31,344,167.56.

DEBT INCURRING POWER IN 1955.

Total debt incurring power within the debt limit (5 per cent of $1,569,133,815, the average assessed valuation for three years, less abatements)			$78,456,690 75
Debt incurred:			
Total funded debt — city and county		$123,180,500 00	
Funded debt outside the debt limit (debt exempted from the operation of the law limiting municipal indebtedness):			
City Debt	$23,080,000 00		
Traffic Tunnel Debt	1,100,000 00		
Traffic Tunnel Retirement Debt	15,270,000 00		
County Debt	333,000 00		
Rapid Transit Debt	52,743,500 00		
	$92,526,500 00		
Funded debt for Public Works Administration projects, issued under authority of chapter 366, Acts of 1933, as amended by chapter 21, Acts of 1934	653,000 00		
		93,179,500 00	
Funded debt within the debt limit		$30,001,000 00	
Offsets to funded debt:			
Sinking funds	$59,596,027 85		
Less sinking funds for debt outside the debt limit:			
City			
Rapid Transit	$52,743,500 00		
Traffic Tunnel	1,100,000 00		
Traffic Tunnel Retirement	5,537,051 04		
	59,380,551 01		
Offsets to funded debt within the debt limit		215,476 81	
Net indebtedness within the debt limit, December 31, 1954		$29,785,523 19	
Loans authorized but not issued (within the debt limit)		20,500,000 00	
Used debt incurring power within the debt limit			50,285,523 19
Unused debt incurring power within the debt limit, January 1, 1955			$28,171,167 56
Estimated increase during the year by:			
Serial bonds within the debt limit redeemable during year			3,173,000 00
Estimated amount of indebtedness that may legally be incurred within the debt limit during the municipal year			$31,344,167 56

Placed on file.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCE.

Coun. HAILER, for the Committee on Appropriations and Finance, submitted the following:

1. Report on message of the Mayor and order (referred May 23) for appropriation of $392,000 for reconstruction of certain municipal buildings—recommending that same ought to pass.

The report was accepted, and the order was passed, yeas 8, nays 0:

Yeas—Councillors Ahearn, Foley, Hailer, Kerrigan, McCormack, McLaughlin, Piemonte, White—8.

Nays—0.

2. Report on message of the Mayor and order (referred May 23) for loan of $3,000,000 for reconstruction of hospital and library buildings—recommending that same ought to pass.

The report of the committee was accepted. The order was given its first reading and passage, yeas 8, nays 0:

Yeas—Councillors Ahearn, Foley, Hailer, Kerrigan, McCormack, McLaughlin, Piemonte, White—8.

Nays—0.

The order was assigned for 14 days for final action.

Coun. AHEARN in the chair.

3. Report on message of Mayor and supplementary appropriations and tax order (referred May 16)—recommending passage of the supplementary appropriations and tax order.

Coun. WHITE in the chair.

The report of the committee was accepted.

Correctional Institutions.

Coun. HAILER moved that Item 7, House of Correction, Penal Institutions, be reduced to $28,500. The motion was lost, yeas 3, nays 5:

Yeas—Councillors Foley, Hailer, Piemonte—3.

Nays—Councillors Ahearn, Kerrigan, McCormack, McLaughlin, White—5.

Real Property Department.

Coun. HAILER moved that Item 2, Real Property Department, be reduced to $51,800.

Coun. PIEMONTE moved that Item 2, Real Property Department, be reduced to $35,800. The motion was lost.

The question then came on Councillor Hailer's motion to reduce Item 2, Real Property Department, to $51,800. The motion was lost.

Hospital Department.

Coun. HAILER moved that Item 7, Hospital Department, be reduced to $524,049. The motion was lost.

The supplementary appropriations and tax order as submitted by the Mayor were passed, yeas 7, nays 1:

Yeas—Councillors Ahearn, Foley, Hailer, Kerrigan, McCormack, McLaughlin, White—7.

Nays—Councillor Piemonte.

After the passage of the foregoing supplementary appropriations, Councillor Hailer stated that Councillor Hurley, if he were present, would be in favor of the passage of the supplementary appropriations, and also in favor of the first reading on the $3,000,000 loan order and the passage of the appropriation order for $392,000.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CLAIMS.

Coun. McCORMACK, for the Committee on Claims, submitted the following:

1. Report on petition of Neil P. Coyle (referred June 6) to be reimbursed as a result of an execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Street Cleaning Division, Public Works Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order.

Ordered, That the sum of three hundred ninety-eight dollars and sixty-eight cents ($398.68) be allowed and paid to Neil P. Coyle in reimbursement for amount of execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Street Cleaning Division, Public Works Department, said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

2. Report on petition of Gerard W. Lang (referred June 6) to be reimbursed as a result of an execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Automotive Division, Public Works Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That the sum of seven hundred sixty-five dollars and ten cents ($765.10) be allowed and paid to Gerard W. Lang in reimbursement for amount of execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Automotive Division, Public Works Department, said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

3. Report on petition of Americo Frasso (referred June 6) to be reimbursed as a result of an execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Highway Division, Public Works Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That the sum of seventy-four dollars and forty cents ($74.40) be allowed and paid to Americo Frasso in reimbursement for amount of execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Highway Division, Public Works Department, said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

4. Report on petition of Charles H. Lewis (referred June 6) to be reimbursed as a result of an execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Sanitary Division, Public Works Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That the sum of sixty-three dollars and forty cents ($63.40) be allowed and paid to Charles H. Lewis in reimbursement for amount of execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Sanitary Division, Public Works Department, said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

The reports were accepted, and the orders were severally passed.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFIRMATIONS.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN, for the Committee on Confirmations, submitted the following:

1. Report on appointment by the Mayor (referred May 23) of Joseph Henry Donnelly as constable, with authority to serve civil process upon filing of bond, for term ending April 30, 1956—recommending that appointment be confirmed.

2. Report on appointment by the Mayor (referred June 6) of Kenneth William Kempton as constable, with authority to serve civil process upon filing of bond, for term ending April 30, 1956—recommending that appointment be confirmed.

3. Report of appointment by the Mayor (referred May 23) of Lawrence H. Burkard as weigher of coal, for the term ending April 30, 1956 recommending that appointment be confirmed.

The reports were accepted, and the question came on confirmation. Committee, Councillors McCormack and Piemonte. Whole number of ballots 8, yeas 8, and the appointments were confirmed.

FAVORABLE ACTION ON PORT OF BOSTON SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Resolved, That the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, petitions the Massachusetts Great and General Court to act favorably on the supplementary budget requests of the Port of Boston Commission for an additional $100,000 to be used for port promotions.

Coun. PIEMONTE in the chair. The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

FIREFIGHTERS SERVING IN RESERVE COMPONENTS OF ARMED FORCES.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Ordered, That the Fire Commissioner of the City of Boston consider the advisability of amending Rule 406 of the Boston Fire Department to allow members of that department serving in a reserve component of the armed forces to reenlist in the interest of national defense.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

CONTRIBUTION TO ART FESTIVAL BY METROPOLITAN DISTRICT COMMISSION.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That the Trustees of the Boston Art Festival be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to approach the Commissioners of the Metropolitan District Commission for the purpose of obtaining a contribution toward defraying the annual expenses of the Boston Art Festival.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

THE NEXT MEETING.

On motion of Councillor Hailer it was voted that when the Council adjourn it be to meet on Monday, June 27, 1955, at 2 P.M.

COMMENDATIONS TO PRIVATE LITTLE LEAGUES AND PARK COMMISSIONER FRANK KELLEY.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Ordered, The Boston City Council hereby places itself firmly on record as in sympathy and support of the private Little League movement in the City of Boston; and be it further

Ordered, That the Boston City Council as the duly-elected legislative body of the City of Boston expresses its praise and commendation to Park Commissioner Frank Kelley for his enlightened and exemplary policies of cooperation and encouragement to the private Little League movement in Boston, a movement of private citizens in various districts of the city to provide, on their own initiative and at their own expense, well supervised and equipped recreational facilities for boys in Boston.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

PROPOSED EXTENSION OF PARK DEPARTMENT SAILING PROGRAM.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That the Board of Park Commissioners be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to contact the commodores of all yacht clubs in Boston Harbor to determine whether they would cooperate in a joint endeavor with the Park Dement to extend the Park Department sailing program to East Boston, South Boston, and Dorchester.

That there be suggested to said commodores that the city will supply boats, some personnel, and material for such a program and that the yacht clubs could supply either floats and or instruction and supervision.

That a brief report of the results of this effort be forwarded to the Council when completed.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

CHANGE IN SALARIES OF CERTAIN CITY COUNCIL OFFICERS.

Coun. WHITE, for Councillor Hurley and ALL the COUNCILLORS, offered the following:

City of Boston.

In the Year Nineteen Hundred and Fifty-five.

An Ordinance Changing the Salaries of Certain City Council Officers.

Be it ordained by the City Council of Boston, as follows:

SECTION 1. The first paragraph of section 5 of chapter 3 of the Revised Ordinances of 1947, as amended, is hereby further amended by striking out clause (6) as appearing in section 1 of chapter 2 of the Ordinances of 1953, and inserting in place thereof the following clause:

(6) The clerk of committees of the city council, seventy-four hundred and sixty dollars; the assistant clerk of committees, sixty-three hundred and sixty dollars; and the two secretaries in the clerk of committees department, forty-seven hundred and sixty dollars each.

SECT. 2. Said first paragraph of said section 5 of chapter 3, as so amended, is hereby further amended by striking out clause (13) as appearing in section 1 of chapter 4 of the Ordinances of 1955, and inserting in place thereof the following clause:

(13) The city messenger, seventy-four hundred and sixty dollars; the assistant city messenger, fifty-two hundred and sixty dollars; the librarian-archivist, forty-seven hundred and sixty dollars; the document clerk, forty-seven hundred and sixty dollars; and one stenographer-clerk in the city messenger department, forty-four hundred and sixty dollars.

SECT. 3. This ordinance shall take effect on June 15, 1955.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

CHANGE OF SALARIES OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES IN CLERK OF COMMITTEES DEPARTMENT.

Coun. WHITE, for Councillor Hurley and ALL the COUNCILLORS, offered the following:

Ordered, That the weekly salaries of the hereinafter named temporary clerks and, or stenographers in the service of the Clerk of Committees Department be increased, effective June 15, 1955, to the amounts hereinafter set against their respective names:

Francis R. Burke, temporary clerk, $72.66 per week.

Peter J. Cloherty, temporary clerk, $73.41 per week.

Nicholas DiMella, temporary stenographer-clerk, $81.61 per week.

Agnes G. Dinsmore, temporary clerk-receptionist, $68.41 per week.

Catherine E. Dunn, temporary stenographer-clerk, $72.66 per week.

Mary E. Flynn, temporary stenographer-clerk, $73.41 per week.

Catherine R. Monahan, temporary stenographer-clerk, $72.66 per week.

Paul G. O'Hara, temporary clerk, $72.66 per week.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

CREATING OFFICE OF RECEPTIONIST-CLERK IN CITY MESSENGER DEPARTMENT.

Coun. AHEARN, for ALL the COUNCILLORS, offered the following:

City of Boston.

In the Year Nineteen Hundred and Fifty-five.

An Ordinance Creating the Office of Receptionist-Clerk in the City Messenger Department.

Be it ordained by the City Council of Boston, as follows:

SECTION 1. The first paragraph of section 5 of chapter 3 of the Revised Ordinances of 1947, as amended, is hereby further amended, by striking out clause (13) as appearing in section 2 of chapter 6 of the Ordinances of 1955, and inserting in place thereof the following clause:

(13) The city messenger, seventy-four hundred and sixty dollars; the assistant city messenger, fifty-two hundred and sixty dollars; the librarian-archivist, forty-seven hundred and sixty dollars; the document clerk, forty-seven hundred and sixty dollars; one stenographer-clerk in the city messenger department, forty-four hundred and sixty dollars; and one receptionist-clerk, thirty-five hundred and seventy dollars.

SECT. 3. This ordinance shall take effect on June 15, 1955.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

SALARY INCREASES TO MEMBERS OF POLICE AND FIRE DEPARTMENTS.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Whereas, The annual budget and supplementary budget of the City of Boston have been adopted; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the appropriations be reviewed with the purpose of effecting a salary increase for the members of the Boston Police Department and the Boston Fire Department at the earliest possible date.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

Adjourned at 5.06 P.M., on motion of Councillor Kerrigan, to meet on Monday, June 27, 1955, at 2 P.M.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

(Stenographic copy of such debate on file in office of City Clerk.)

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 2,059.

The resignation of Patrolman Richard L. Gates of Division 18 having been presented, it is hereby accepted, to take effect as of Tuesday, June 21, 1955, at 5.45 o'clock P.M., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,060.

In accordance with the provisions of the veterans' retirement act, the following-named police officers of this department are hereby retired from active duty, effective Tuesday, June 21, 1955, at 5.45 o'clock P.M.:

General Laws (Ter. Edit.), Chapter 32, Section 57, as Amended.

Patrolman Joseph F. Fischer, Division 7, age 56, 25 years of service.

General Laws (Ter. Edit.), Chapter 32, Section 58, as Amended.

Lieut. Gilbert H. Noyes, City Prison, age 62, 31 years of service.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,061.

Acting under provisions of chapter 32, section 7, as amended (State-Boston Retirement System), the Boston Retirement Board has approved for retirement, on account of accidental disability, the following-named police officers, effective at the close of business Thursday, June 30, 1955.

In view of this operation of law, after June 30, 1955, the said police officers shall no longer be active members of this department, and it is hereby ordered that its records be so amended:

Patrolman Andrew J. McDonough, Division 4.

Patrolman Warren F. Russell, Traffic Division.

The Acting Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,062.

The following promotions and assignments are hereby ordered, to take effect Wednesday, June 29, 1955, at 7.45 o'clock A.M.:

To the Grade of Lieutenant.

Sergt. James S. Evans, from Traffic Division to Traffic Division.

To the Grade of Sergeant.

Patrolman Wilbur P. Costello, from Division 3 to Division 11.

Patrolman James B. Richardson, from Division 3 to Division 7.

Patrolman Anthony A. Conroy, from Division 3 to Traffic Division.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

Arthur W. Woodford, 49 Storrs avenue, Braintree, to be reimbursed in the sum of $200, as a result of an accident which occurred on January 17, 1955, when a motor truck belonging to the Water Division, Public Works Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Bartholomew Murphy, causing damage to the automobile and personal injuries to Mr. Murphy.

William Quigg, 616 East Third street, South Boston, to be reimbursed in the sum of $75, as a result of an accident which occurred on December 21, 1954, when a motor truck belonging to the Sanitary Division, Public Works Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Mrs. Philip L. Tabor.

John F. Spencer, 125 Dorchester street, Squantum, to be reimbursed in the sum of $75, as a result of an accident which occurred on January 15, 1954, when a motor vehicle belonging to the Sanitary Division, Public Works Department, which he was operating, collided with the premises owned by Joseph Pastor on Milton avenue, Hyde Park.

Maurice Vandersnock, 4 Haverford street, Jamaica Plain, by his father, Everett H. Vandersnoek, for compensation in the sum of $250, for personal injuries and damage to automobile caused by a hole in the highway opposite 29 Cornell street, Roslindale, January 9, 1955.

Registered Voters (Men and Women), City Election, November 3, 1953.

WARDS.	PRECINCTS.																					Totals.
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	
1	2,063	1,994	1,811	1,934	1,818	1,923	2,018	1,843	1,699	2,042	2,097	1,548	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	22,790
2	1,549	1,428	1,722	1,758	1,671	1,607	746	827	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11,308
3	1,611	1,652	1,625	1,649	1,412	1,618	1,368	1,490	1,510	1,185	1,437	1,489	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18,046
4	1,549	1,607	1,083	1,352	1,877	1,565	1,552	1,670	1,568	1,149	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14,972
5	1,763	1,094	1,664	1,256	1,787	2,007	2,280	1,648	1,650	1,273	1,231	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17,653
6	1,769	1,612	1,496	1,485	1,442	1,481	1,560	1,464	1,523	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13,832
7	1,590	1,725	1,677	1,671	1,645	1,844	1,747	1,569	1,609	1,739	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16,816
8	1,311	1,776	1,056	1,379	1,464	968	1,593	1,614	946	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12,107
9	1,358	1,649	1,508	1,794	956	1,089	1,075	521	1,293	964	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12,207
10	1,571	1,577	1,625	1,526	1,547	1,652	1,154	1,591	1,789	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14,032
11	809	728	741	712	828	940	1,143	971	957	887	1,136	847	709	1,121	691	789	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14,009
12	820	716	837	909	787	860	1,016	851	886	1,029	938	999	987	938	951	1,004	949	1,096	854	.....	.....	.....	17,427
13	778	857	1,069	979	1,060	906	793	923	682	748	771	686	926	888	948	1,027	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14,041
14	1,347	1,156	1,091	1,174	1,155	961	939	1,157	1,283	1,140	1,149	1,242	1,331	1,255	1,072	1,040	1,436	1,359	1,234	1,479	997	.....	24,997
15	1,043	976	983	897	856	902	889	900	955	951	938	1,012	818	799	959	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13,878
16	947	1,195	931	878	1,020	1,005	929	930	826	873	939	971	1,077	893	929	967	887	896	918	819	.....	.....	18,830
17	807	806	736	938	835	780	941	1,043	986	842	1,035	1,067	1,037	983	1,142	960	856	807	927	1,050	.....	.....	18,578
18	1,916	1,164	1,352	930	1,105	1,269	996	1,244	1,692	1,027	1,505	1,343	944	940	1,149	1,087	2,020	1,164	1,113	1,247	1,162	.....	26,369
19	1,053	983	888	1,090	1,140	960	943	953	798	871	1,136	1,102	1,024	792	934	1,331	1,028	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17,026
20	978	908	843	912	948	1,588	819	906	971	1,182	937	981	1,004	1,121	1,228	1,494	1,439	991	1,192	1,390	1,055	907	23,794
21	1,548	1,223	1,203	963	931	1,220	1,390	1,436	987	737	2,447	1,449	1,360	1,565	1,358	1,054	1,007	1,441	.....	.....	.....	.....	23,319
22	826	940	890	869	1,074	945	906	911	1,451	1,265	1,065	981	990	1,049	980	1,184	1,507	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17,833
Grand Total																							383,864

Number of Persons Registered Who Voted, City Election, November 3, 1953.

WARDS.	PRECINCTS.																					Totals.
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	
1	870	840	790	768	702	826	676	690	662	957	849	840	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9,470
2	626	664	774	798	740	639	378	388	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,007
3	835	942	926	866	519	629	575	610	593	444	518	608	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8,065
4	562	544	377	376	729	618	594	561	513	376	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,250
5	669	443	756	452	923	803	896	667	613	440	434	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,096
6	763	751	759	572	697	671	708	722	908	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,551
7	970	784	733	825	813	918	838	687	798	763	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8,129
8	557	712	408	688	673	430	728	769	415	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,380
9	543	588	483	573	323	333	396	193	482	337	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,251
10	789	789	819	603	788	645	373	608	850	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,264
11	319	314	282	262	267	371	502	422	402	354	488	436	310	468	299	369	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,865
12	326	271	320	337	263	263	321	327	335	320	309	332	410	429	375	498	415	446	326	.....	.....	.....	6,623
13	370	433	513	410	498	418	383	424	388	455	412	370	505	502	490	626	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,197
14	602	490	529	598	503	457	418	629	705	664	565	579	651	657	480	585	790	739	526	779	490	.....	12,436
15	489	418	428	447	387	476	498	400	441	415	436	422	370	422	433	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,482
16	427	575	495	520	541	431	487	470	368	510	519	527	475	492	424	515	467	506	493	452	.....	.....	9,694
17	410	354	344	369	407	405	459	439	450	436	523	490	391	423	550	462	448	420	491	535	.....	.....	8,806
18	904	460	623	422	434	519	492	540	677	504	637	564	341	319	481	460	971	401	345	653	540	.....	11,287
19	439	511	521	442	530	359	428	555	406	357	603	534	553	394	450	636	649	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8,367
20	459	399	409	418	445	898	461	430	455	587	549	542	491	658	476	547	712	490	642	605	546	413	11,632
21	439	407	480	354	295	439	489	288	365	311	721	500	376	492	493	420	481	440	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,790
22	312	344	319	344	415	442	441	440	534	507	493	489	541	442	444	595	749	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,851
Grand Total																							169,493

Proportion of Persons Registered Who Voted, 44.15 Per Cent.

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

Cary Orlandi, by his father, Thomas Orlandi, 3 Knights court, Jamaica Plain, in the sum of $495, as compensation for personal injuries caused when an automobile operated by Maurice Vandersnoek, in which he was a passenger, struck a hole in the highway opposite 29 Cornell street, Roslindale.

Francis Orlandi, by his father, Thomas Orlandi, 3 Knights court, Jamaica Plain, in the sum of $325, as compensation for personal injuries caused when an automobile operated by Maurice Vandersnoek, in which he was a passenger, struck a hole in the highway opposite 29 Cornell street, Roslindale, January 9, 1955.

Laurence B. Rosenberg, 1522 Commonwealth avenue, Brighton, in the sum of $490, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 4 and 6 Carol avenue, Brighton, May 27, 1954.

Dorothy Roush, 640 Huntington avenue, Boston, in the sum of $365, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 31 George street, Hyde Park, February 17, 1955.

Morgan T. Ryan, 27 Woodard road, West Roxbury, in the sum of $100, as compensation for damage to property caused by a change in grade during the construction of a new sidewalk on Woodard road by the Public Works Department in 1954.

Sylvia Keller, 25 Theodore street, Mattapan, in the sum of $495, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 339 Seaver street, Dorchester, December 16, 1954.

Florence E. Watts, 6 Brookfield street, Roslindale, in the sum of $103, as compensation for damage to property caused by a change in grade of the sidewalk during the construction of Brookfield street by the Public Works Department in 1953.

John Connor, 429 East Sixth street, South Boston, in the sum of $430, as compensation for damage to property at above address caused by water entering the cellar from a leaking service pipe on city property, February 6, 1955.

Samuel Myers, 1842 Commonwealth avenue, Brighton, in the sum of $445, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 1820 Commonwealth avenue, December 19, 1954.

William P. Albanese, 11 Treadway road, Dorchester, to be reimbursed in the sum of $272, as a result of an accident which occurred on August 16, 1954, when a motor truck belonging to the Fire Department, which he was op-

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CITY OF BOSTON.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

CHANGES IN TRAFFIC RULES AND REGULATIONS.

Voted, That the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective July 11, 1955:

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out the following:

Adams Street, Dorchester.
East side, from Dickens street to Dorchester avenue, 24 hours.
West side, from Dickens street to Dorchester avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Bunker Hill Street, Charlestown.
Both sides, from Chelsea street to Decatur street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Charlestown," the following:

Bunker Hill Street.
Northeast side, from Chelsea street to Hunter street, 24 hours.
Southwest side, from Chelsea street to Lowney Way, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Adams Street.
Both sides, from Dorchester avenue to Park street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 9 (Parking of Vehicles in Center of Roadway), is amended by striking out the following:

State Street, Boston Proper.
From McKinley square to Atlantic avenue, in the center of the roadway, within the lines indicated.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Freeport Street.
From William T. Morrissey Boulevard at the point where it intersects Freeport street two hundred and twenty (220) feet north of the extension of Conley street to Neponset avenue.

WM. ARTHUR REILLY,
Commissioner.

A true copy.
Attest:
W. T. DOYLE, *Executive Secretary.*
(July 2-9.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

MOVING BUILDING.

Proposals for Moving Wooden Building from 388 Albany Street to 624 Albany Street and Dismantling and Disposing of a Derrick and Derrick Machinery at 624 Albany Street.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for moving wooden building from 388 Albany street, etc. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Moving Wooden Building from 388 Albany Street, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, JULY 21, 1955, with a certified check for ONE HUNDRED (100) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(July 2.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

WATER WORK.

PROPOSALS FOR LAYING WATER PIPES IN

Constitution Road, Ward 18;
Crossman Street, Ward 18;
Faunce Road, Ward 18;
Jamestown Terrace, Ward 18;
Lorna Road Extension, Ward 18;
Messinger Street, Ward 18;
Orlando Street, Ward 18;
Viking Terrace, Ward 18;
— and —
Such Additional Locations, If Any, in Ward 18, As May Be Designated by the Commissioner of Public Works.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for laying water pipes in Constitution road, Ward 18, etc. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Laying Water Pipes in Constitution Road, etc.," and left at Room 506, (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, JULY 14, 1955, with a certified check for FIVE HUNDRED (500) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(July 2.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

erating, collided with an automobile owned by William A. Brogan, Jr., causing personal injuries to Ruth Bilton, a passenger.

William P. Albanese, 11 Treadway road, Dorchester, to be reimbursed in the sum of $172, as a result of an accident which occurred on August 16, 1954, when a motor truck belonging to the Fire Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by William A. Brogan, Jr., causing personal injuries to King Bilton, a passenger.

No. 119—500.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING AUTOMOTIVE EQUIPMENT FOR THE CITY DEPARTMENTS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Wednesday, July 27, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $500, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Automotive Equipment." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a hid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(July 2.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

REAL PROPERTY BOARD.
PROPERTY DIVISION.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

JULY 12, 1955, ON THE PREMISES.

	Upset Price.	Deposit.
9.30 A.M.—Vacant land, 3 Badger Place, 80 feet from Green Street, Charlestown, 915 square feet	$100	$100
9.45 A.M.—Vacant land, 20–22 Kingston Street, Charlestown, 2,352 square feet	200	200
10.05 A.M.—Vacant land, 146 K Street, South Boston, 1,125 square feet	200	200
10.20 A.M.—Vacant land, Camden Place, southwesterly side (3 parcels) and Lots 20–21 and formerly numbered 15, 16, 18 Camden Place, Boston, 8,905 square feet	1,750	500
10.40 A.M.—Vacant land, Meyer Street, Lot 58, adjacent 27 Meyer Street, West Roxbury, 8,016 square feet	250	250
10.55 A.M.—Vacant land, West Selden Street, southeasterly side, adjacent 164 West Selden Street, Dorchester, 5,511 square feet	300	300
11.10 A.M.—Vacant land, Stony Brook Reservation, about 600 feet from end of Gordon Avenue, Hyde Park, 87,120 square feet	250	250
11.25 A.M.—Vacant land, Cottage Avenue, Lots 143, 144, 145, 147, 149, 151, 153, 155, 157, and Eagle Street, Lot 140 and Heron Street, Lot 139 and Grouse Street, Lots 148, 150, 152, 154, 156, (450 feet from Washington Street), West Roxbury, 104,389 square feet	1,500	500
11.40 A.M.—Vacant land, Riverview Street, Lots 20–21 (100 feet from Northdale Road), West Roxbury, 11,706 square feet	400	400
11.55 A.M.—Vacant land, La Grange Street, Lots 224 and 225 (600 feet from Furbush Road), West Roxbury, 9,200 square feet	500	500

The Chairman reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

For furtber information call LA 3-5100, line 236.

HERMAN CARP, *Chairman.* JOHN J. McGRATH, *Auctioneer.*
(July 2.)

William P. Albanese, 11 Treadway road, Dorchester, to be reimbursed in the sum of $172, as a result of an accident which occurred on August 16, 1954, when a motor truck belonging to the Fire Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by William A. Brogan, Jr., causing personal injuries to Albert Bilton, a passenger.

CITY OF BOSTON.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR RELOCATING FIRE ALARM BOXES.

The Fire Commissioner of the City of Boston, 115 Southampton street, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for relocating seven (7) fire alarm boxes and one (1) fire alarm cable hox on Hyde Park avenue, Boston. A bond of an approved surety company doing business in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, in the full amount of the contract, will he required to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Fire Commissioner, 115 Southampton street. Each proposal must he signed hy the bidder, placed in an envelope, sealed, and marked "Proposal for Relocating Fire Alarm Boxes," and left at the office of the Fire Commissioner, 115 Southampton street, before 12 o'clock noon of Friday, July 8, 1955, accompanied by a certified check for three hundred (300) dollars, payahle to the City of Boston, and to be the property of said city as liquidated damages suffered by said city, if, after acceptance of his proposal, the bidder shall fail to carry out said proposal. The proposals shall then and there he publicly opened for reading. Proposals must be made in duplicate, and the sealed duplicate, without check, must be deposited hy the hidder with the City Auditor previous to the time for opening the proposals. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs, and lahorers shall not he less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, schedule of which appears in the specifications. The successful bidder will he required to provide hy insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other henefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.), to all persons to he employed under this contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing will be required prior to the award of said contract. Plans and specifications may be ohtained at the office of the Fire Commissioner, 115 Southampton street, Boston. The Fire Commissioner reserves the right to reject any and all proposals and to award the contracts as he deems best.

FRANCIS X. COTTER,
(July 2.) *Fire Commissioner.*

No. 118—594.
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CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING ONE (1) REFRIGERATION CABINET FOR THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL.

Proposals may be ohtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Wednesday, July 13, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate hid, without check, must he left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening hids. Envelopes containing hids to he sealed and marked "Proposal for Refrigeration Cahinet." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a hid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(July 2.) *Purchasing Agent.*

Arthur J. Roche, 219 Dover street, Boston, to be reimbursed in the sum of $60.75, as a result of an accident which occurred on March 1, 1955, when a motor truck belonging to the Sanitary Division, Public Works Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by George S. Kehr.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

HIGHWAY RECONSTRUCTION WORK.

PROPOSALS FOR BITUMINOUS CONCRETE PAVEMENT IN

Dorchester Avenue, Ward 15, from Hancock Street to Adams Street;
Dorchester Avenue, Ward 3, from Summer Street to Bridge Over Fort Point Channel;
Melcher Street, Ward 6, from Summer Street to A Street;
Mt. Washington Avenue, Ward 3, from Fort Point Channel to Granite Street;

— and —

Such Additional Locations, If Any, in Wards 3, 6, and 15, As May Be Designated by the Commissioner of Public Works.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for bituminous concrete pavement in Dorchester avenue, Ward 15, etc. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved hy the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may he obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Bituminous Concrete Pavement in Dorchester Avenue, Ward 15, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, JULY 21, 1955, with a certified check for FIVE THOUSAND (5,000) DOLLARS, payable to and to hecome the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the hids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to he paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and lahorers in the work to he performed under the contract shall not he less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined hy the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may he obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to he employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(July 2.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

SEWERAGE WORKS.

Proposals for Sewerage Works in Itasca Street, from Currier Street 300 Feet Northeasterly, Dorchester.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Itasca street, from Currier street 300 feet northeasterly, Dorchester. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Itasca Street, from Currier Street 300 Feet Northeasterly, Dorchester," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of WEDNESDAY, JULY 13, 1955, with a certified check for TWO HUNDRED (200) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(July 2.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

No. 115—391.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING LUMBER (SPRUCE) FOR THE BRIDGE SERVICE, PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Monday, July 11, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Lumber." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(July 2.) *Purchasing Agent.*

THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING SEWING SUPPLIES FOR THE BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing and delivering to the Supply Room of the School Committee sewing supplies for the Boston public schools. Proposal forms are obtainable at the office of the Business Manager of the School Committee, tenth floor, 15 Beacon street. Envelopes containing proposals must be sealed and plainly marked "Proposal for Furnishing Sewing Supplies for the Boston Public Schools." The bid must be in duplicate. One copy, signed by the bidder, and accompanied by a certified check, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount of one hundred dollars ($100), must be left at the office of the Business Manager on or before 12 o'clock noon on Friday, July 15, 1955. Copies filed with the Business Manager will be publicly opened at 12 o'clock noon of the day stated. The other copy, also signed by the bidder, must be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., previous to the time named for the opening of bids. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to accept such bid or part of bid as may be deemed best for the interests of the city. The successful bidders will be required to furnish a suitable bond or deposit of money or other security in the amount of not less than 50 per cent of the amount of the contract.

HENRY J. SMITH,
Business Manager of the School Committee.
(July 2.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR INSTALLING UNDERGROUND CONDUIT AND FIRE ALARM BOX SUBBASES AND MIDDLE SECTIONS.

The Fire Commissioner of the City of Boston, 115 Southampton street, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for installing underground conduit and fire alarm box subbases and middle sections in Washington street and Manthorne road, West Roxbury, and Perkins street, Jamaica Plain. A bond of an approved surety company doing business in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, in the full amount of the contract, will be required to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Fire Commissioner, 115 Southampton street. Each proposal must be signed by the bidder, placed in an envelope, sealed, and marked "Proposal for Installing Underground Conduit and Fire Alarm Box Subbases and Middle Sections," and left at the office of the Fire Commissioner, 115 Southampton street, before 12 o'clock noon of Monday, July 11, 1955, accompanied by a certified check for three hundred (300) dollars, payable to the City of Boston, and to be the property of said city as liquidated damages suffered by said city if, after acceptance of his proposal, the bidder shall fail to carry out said proposal. The proposals shall then and there be publicly opened for reading. Proposals must be made in duplicate, and the sealed duplicate, without check, must be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time for opening the proposals. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs, and laborers shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, schedule of which appears in the specifications. The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.) to all persons to be employed under this contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing will be required prior to the award of said contract. Plans and specifications may be obtained at the office of the Fire Commissioner, 115 Southampton street, Boston. The Fire Commissioner reserves the right to reject any and all proposals and to award the contract as he deems best.

FRANCIS X. COTTER,
(July 2.) *Fire Commissioner.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR ALTERATIONS AND MISCELLANEOUS WORK AT THE HENRY ABRAHAMS SCHOOL, MAHLER STREET, OFF WASHINGTON STREET, ROSLINDALE, MASS.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for alterations and miscellaneous work at the Henry Abrahams School, Mahler street, off Washington street, Roslindale, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Friday, July 15, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, enclosed in an envelope, sealed and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $1,500, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

Subbidders bidding on the work of subcontractors shall use the proposal form prepared by and obtainable from the Awarding Authority.

All subbidders' proposals filed with the Awarding Authority shall be submitted in sealed envelopes, plainly marked with the title of the work; division of the work for which bid is submitted; subcontractor's name; and subcontractor's business address. All such bids shall be in the possession of the Awarding Authority and delivered or mailed to the general contractor no later than 12 o'clock noon, Tuesday, July 12, 1955.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount as specified in the following for the subbid item of work as listed below shall be submitted by each subbidder with the copy of his proposal filed with the Awarding Authority:

Plastering	$100
Painting	$200
Roofing	$100

The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, plainly marked "Bid Deposit."

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do. The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all subbids on any item or items in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
(July 2.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR REPAIRING AND REPLACING OF PARTS OF FIRE ESCAPES AND THE INCIDENTAL WORK IN CONNECTION WITH SAME AT VARIOUS SCHOOLS.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for repairing and replacing of parts of fire escapes and the incidental work in connection with same at various schools.

Proposals will he received until 12 o'clock noon, Tuesday, July 19, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will he puhlicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be suhmitted in duplicate on forms ohtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall he properly filled out, signed, enclosed in an envelope, sealed and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated ahove, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall he filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A hid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued hy, a responsible hank or trust company, payahle to the City of Boston, in the sum of $500, shall he suhmitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The hid deposit shall he in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No hidder may withdraw his hid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to he paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not he less than the rate of wages determined for this work hy the Commissioner of Lahor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful hidder will be required to provide hy insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required hefore commencing performance of this contract.

A performance bond and also a lahor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do husiness under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all hids if it he in the puhlic interest so to do, in accordance with sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
(July 2.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

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CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING DICTATING AND TRANSCRIBING EQUIPMENT FOR THE HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Proposals may he ohtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the hids will he opened and read Wednesday, July 13, 1955, at 12 M. The hidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payahle to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate hid, without check, must he left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening hids. Envelopes containing hids to he sealed and marked "Proposal for Dictating and Transcrihing Equipment." The successful hidder must furnish a faithful performance hond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do husiness in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all hids, or any part of a hid, and to award the contract as he deems for the hest interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(July 2.) *Purchasing Agent.*

No. 116—711.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING CAST-IRON CASTINGS (SERVICE PIPE STOCK) FOR PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, WATER SERVICE.

Proposals may he ohtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the hids will he opened and read Tuesday, July 12, 1955, at 12 M. The hidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payahle to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must he left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening hids. Envelopes containing hids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Cast-Iron Castings." The successful hidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all hids, or any part of a hid, and to award the contract as he deems for the hest interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(July 2.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.
BUILDINGS DIVISION.

SPECIFICATIONS FOR THE REMOVAL OF PRESENT 108 DEFECTIVE BOILER TUBES AND REPLACING SAME WITH SEAMLESS STEEL TUBES ON NO. 1 BOILER AT CITY HALL ANNEX, BOSTON.

The Assistant Commissioner of Real Property of the City of Boston, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for removing and installing hoiler tubes at City Hall Annex, Court street, Boston.

Proposals will he received until 12 o'clock noon, Friday, July 15, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, Room 808, City Hall Annex, at which time and place they will he opened and read aloud.

Proposals shall he suhmitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed and inclosed in a sealed envelope plainly marked with the name of the hidder and the description of the work hid upon. One copy shall he filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated ahove, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall he filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A hid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a certificate of deposit issued by, a responsihle hank or trust company, payahle to the City of Boston, in the sum of $500, shall be suhmitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The hid deposit shall be in a separate envelope properly marked. Bid honds will not he accepted.

No bidder may withdraw his hid within thirty days after the actual opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to he paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Lahor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful hidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to he employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will he required prior to the award of a contract.

Specifications may be obtained on and after Tuesday, July 5, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority.

A performance bond, issued hy a surety company satisfactory to the Awarding Authority, in the full amount of the contract, will he required of the successful general contractor.

A charge of 50 cents will he made for specifications.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to reject any and all hids if it he in the puhlic interest so to do.

GEORGE P. DONOVAN,
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DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR MODERNIZATION OF PLUMBING FACILITIES AT THE MICHELANGELO SCHOOL, CHARTER STREET, COPP'S HILL, BOSTON, MASS.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for modernization of plumbing facilities at the Michelangelo School, Charter Street, Copp's Hill, Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Thursday, July 21, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, enclosed in an envelope, sealed and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $1,600, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

Subbidders bidding on the work of subcontractors shall use the proposal form prepared by and obtainable from the Awarding Authority.

All subbidders' proposals filed with the Awarding Authority shall be submitted in sealed envelopes, plainly marked with the title of the work; division of the work for which bid is submitted; subcontractor's name; and subcontractor's business address. All such bids shall be in the possession of the Awarding Authority and delivered or mailed to the general contractor no later than Monday, July 18, 1955.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount as specified in the following for the subbid item of work as listed below shall be submitted by each subbidder with the copy of his proposal filed with the Awarding Authority:

Marble and Tile.....$300
Plumbing and Gas.....$800
Heating and Ventilating.....$300

The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, plainly marked "Bid Deposit."

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do. The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all subbids on any item or items in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

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"THE PERMANENT REVOLUTION"—ADDRESS DELIVERED BY HON. CLARE BOOTH LUCE, UNITED STATES AMBASSADOR TO THE REPUBLIC OF ITALY, AT THE INDEPENDENCE DAY EXERCISES IN FANEUIL HALL, JULY 4, 1955.

In her address Ambassador Luce spoke as follows:

Ladies and Gentlemen.

Today, in this historic Faneuil Hall, revered by all American patriots but especially beloved by Bostonians, we come together to commemorate the one hundred seventy-ninth anniversary of the signing of the Declaration of Independence.

You may guess with what emotion, with what a mingled sense of pride and humbleness, I speak to you today, in this place known throughout America as "The Cradle of Liberty."

I remember that, well over two centuries ago, Peter Faneuil, a Huguenot refugee from the political and religious intolerance of an old-world king, fled to Boston, that he prospered and was happy here, and that in gratitude he gave this hall to his townsfolk for a market place. Before the last brick had been laid, Peter Faneuil died. His eulogy was delivered at the first annual town meeting by the Master of the Boston Latin School, John Lovell. In concluding Lovell said, "What now remains, but my ardent wishes . . . that this Hall may be ever sacred to the interests of Truth, of Justice, of Loyalty, of Honor, of Liberty. . . . May Liberty always spread its joyful wings over this place! Liberty that opens men's hearts to beneficence and gives the relish to those who enjoy the effects of it."

Prime Duty Reaffirmation of Dedication.

And so it has been. Since that far-off day the walls of Faneuil Hall have echoed to the eloquent voices and the heroic footsteps of the greatest patriots in our history. Washington and Lafayette, Daniel Webster, Charles Sumner, Wendell Phillips — who made his greatest antislavery speech here — are but a few.

I, a daughter of New England and a child of Connecticut, presume to share this hour here with you only because I know that it behooves your speaker to say nothing original, nothing startling, nothing new. Yet I feel that a moment of beauty, ever old and ever new, is achieved whenever we make reaffirmation of our dedication to John Lovell's ideals — Truth, Justice, Loyalty, Honor, Liberty. Indeed, this reaffirmation is the prime duty of the glorious Fourth.

Rebellion—Not Revolution.

Today historians are accustomed to say that what began in 1776 was not properly a "revolution," but rather a colonial rebellion. The word "revolution" (they say) connotes the idea of destroying an old order and establishing a new order, after the fashion of what happened in the France of 1789 and in the Russia of 1917.

Certainly, this is not what happened in the America of 1776. The proof of this assertion lies in the latter section of the Declaration of Independence. Few people listen carefully to the reading of this section—a lengthy legal indictment of George III as a "tyrant." But this indictment makes it quite clear that the American colonial rebellion was staged in the name

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CENTRAL MAILING UNITS TO BE LOCATED IN CITY HALL AND ANNEX TO CUT POSTAGE COSTS—SAVINGS OF $15,000 ANNUALLY ANTICIPATED.

Central mailing units are soon to be installed in City Hall and the Annex, aimed at saving a minimum of $15,000 annually, according to announcement of the Administrative Services Department, 50 City Hall. The announcement was made public in a communication sent to heads of all departments, which reads as follows:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.
BOSTON, June 27, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR:

With a view to controlling and reducing postage costs, which have been rising steadily during the past decade, considerable thought and study have been devoted by the Administrative Services Board to the advantages of installing central mailing units to handle the outgoing mail requirements of the City Hospital as well as all departments located in City Hall and the Annex.

It was found that the only efficient method to accomplish the control desired was to establish centralized operations in the matter of mailing. It is estimated that by so doing we can realize a savings in postage costs alone of from 10 to 15 per cent annually. Since departmental postage expenditures total annually in excess of $125,000, a minimum saving of $15,000 is antici-

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PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT ADDS 149 EMPLOYEES AS PLAY LEADERS TO SUPERVISE PLAYGROUND WORK FOR SUMMER SEASON.

For the summer season playground work in the various playground and play spots under the direction of the Parks and Recreation Department, the Administrative Services Department has named 108 female and 41 male play leaders to direct the activities provided for the young people who are on their school vacations. They are to be paid at the rate of $40 per week making a grand total of $5,960 per week for the season. The list of leaders follows:

Shirley A. Abberton, 185 Green Street, Jamaica Plain.
Joan M. Anthony, 17 Moulton Street, Charlestown.

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"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean;
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, July 11, at 2 P.M.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries, or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the Complaints Division, Room 25, City Hall.

Information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways, the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments of streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped area for streets and the opening of private ways; the making of specific repairs in public streets; the naming of public streets, including the use of public ways for location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railways, coal holes, and vaults, may be secured from the Public Improvement Commission, Room 403, City Hall Annex.

To the BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION, 112 Southampton street, for information relative to regulation of vehicular street traffic on all or any streets, ways, highways, roads, and parkways under the control of the City of Boston, the issuing of all permits in connection therewith.

To the COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting, and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of Sumner Tunnel, the maintenance of bridges and draw-bridges, and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

To the HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Haymarket Square, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish, and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughterhouses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases, of public health nuisances.

To the BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth Avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park, and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts, also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview, and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

To the SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

To the DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS, 28 Norman street, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

To the BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 907, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal, or tearing down buildings.

To the ELECTRICAL INSPECTION DIVISION OF THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT, 1001 City Hall Annex, for all information relative to the erection of poles, building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division; also for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings of the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

To the BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT, 43 City Hall, relative to changes in the boundary lines of zoning districts of the City of Boston as established by chapter 488 of the Acts of 1924, and amendments thereto.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending July 2, 1955.

Population as of July, 1950, Massachusetts State Census, 817,713; population estimated July, 1954, United States Census Bureau, 813,696; number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 137; nonresidents, 74; total, 210.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 13.47; nonresidents deducted, 8.97.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:

Last week, 14.35; corresponding week last year, 12.20.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 19; one year to four years, inclusive, 2; sixty years and over, 131. Total deaths: Male, 116; female, 95; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 160.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended July 2, 1955.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended July 3, 1954.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior Poliomyelitis	—	—	—	—
Diphtheria	—	—	—	—
Encephalitis Lethargica	—	—	—	—
Influenza	—	—	—	—
Measles	5	—	48	—
Meningitis Epidemic	—	—	1	1
Pneumonia (lobar)	—	—	—	—
Scarlet Fever	20	—	2	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary)	8	6	44	3
Childhood Type Tuberculosis	—	—	—	—
Tuberculosis (other forms)	1	—	3	—
Typhoid Fever	—	—	—	—
Whooping Cough	3	—	14	—

* Residents and nonresidents included.

HON. CLARE BOOTH LUCE DELIVERS FOURTH OF JULY ORATION AT FANEUIL HALL.

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not of a new order—but of an old order. It was staged in the name of that tradition of freedom and order whose repository was the British Constitution. It was the intention of the rebelling colonists to re-establish this old order and this venerable tradition by giving to their sustaining inner principles —which our Founding Fathers passionately believed to be *eternal* principles of justice under law and God—a newly vital political expression. Renovation, not innovation, was their purpose. To preserve and extend the political values of the past and the spiritual truths of Christianity, not to create new political values or new spiritual truths, was their clearly seen and clearly stated objective.

Arms for Vindication.

Our Founding Fathers took up arms to vindicate for themselves the traditional rights of Englishmen, guaranteed by long-standing laws.

These rights were in substance the rights of the Christian citizen who, because he is a Christian, knows his own personal dignity, and also knows the duty of society to a higher law — a law not made by earthly powers, but written by the Creator in the very nature of man.

The essential appeal made by the spokesmen of the American Revolution—most of them men trained in the common law of England — was to this tradition of a higher law, the law that they called "natural."

In this inviolable law they found the strong roots of all the personal freedoms that they cherished and claimed. In this natural law they also found the sanction for the order of social life that they sought to establish on the American continent. They fought for liberty indeed—for liberation from the yoke of a rule grown harsh and tyrannical, and therefore ungodly. The Declaration of Independence makes this clear. But this historic document makes it equally clear that the freedom for which our forebears fought was not the illusory autonomy of the eighteenth century continental rationalist who fancied himself to be free from all law because he had begun to fancy that man—every individual man—was a law unto himself.

The freedom of American society—so our Founding Fathers thought—was to be an ordered freedom, a freedom under God and under the law. The rights of the American citizen—so they likewise thought—were those rights which we call unalienable precisely because man is not endowed with them by other men, but by Him who is the author both of the individual man and of human society.

Conservative Doctrine.

This was the doctrine of the American Revolution. It was a conservative doctrine. But what it sought to conserve was an idea that is forever revolutionary: the idea that man can govern himself, under law.

The Founding Fathers themselves were quite aware of the revolutionary character of this idea. Liberty and self-government, George Washington said, are "*finally* staked on the experiment entrusted to the American people." That "grand scheme and design in Providence," John Adams called it. Lincoln, who in his own day called our form of government "the last best hope" of mankind, called the Revolution "the germ which has vegetated and still is to grow and expand into the universal liberty of mankind." Said Ralph Waldo Emerson, "The office of America is to liberate." Of the startling and beneficent results in human affairs that the doctrine of the Revolution could effect, every American President has been convinced. Every year of our history has committed us to the office, as Emerson called it, of liberation achieved by the spreading of our Revolutionary doctrine.

If this be true, then we must not shrink when we are told that our future task, our great historic task, is to continue the American Revolution, both by perfecting it here in America and also by helping other peoples to establish the universal principles of liberty in their own homelands. For our concept is universal—and applies to all mankind.

In this task all mankind is our potential ally. The desire for liberty is the eternal ferment in the affairs of men. The need for order is the eternal inner form that keeps this ferment from wasting itself in political turbulences that lead to bloody civil and international strife.

Desire for Freedom.

Throughout the world today the human desire for freedom from ancient tyrannies, exploitations, injustices, and inequalities is agitating peoples everywhere—especially colonial peoples. To help lead these peoples into the path toward true freedom, wherever our leadership can be made effective by example, by aid, by wise diplomacy, is today the supreme challenge to our statecraft.

The new colonialism that follows in the wake of tyrannical Soviet imperialism now threatens to engulf all of Asia as it has already engulfed great portions of Europe. It threatens to imprison behind the Iron Curtain more millions of people whose first hopes of liberty were stirred long ago by the world-encircling echoes of the voices that once reverberated in the rafters of Faneuil Hall. For they have seen, over the decades, these principles attract here men from many lands in search of freedom. They have seen these principles create here the happiest, strongest, richest, most productive nation that civilization has ever known.

Today, however, the principles have grown blurred in the minds of many—even unhappily of many Americans. The beneficent effects, the material effects, prosperity, productivity, economic progress, are now passionately coveted by those who have too long been denied them by old tyrannies. Communism has falsely promised the world's malcontents and dispossessed to achieve the new effects rapidly, without the old principles. The falseness of the Communist promise is now widely evident, but the power which Communism has gained by false promises is still a brutal fact in our world.

So today, in 1955, with the United States at the very apex of its power, the great drama of the American Revolution versus the Russian Revolution, the drama of freedom and order under God versus slavery and final chaos under the Kremlin, is inexorably moving to a climax.

Rich Prosperous Land.

Yes, ours is a rich and prosperous and happy land. Nevertheless, one dark and terrible thought tortures every mind and constricts every heart. Can the United States continue the revolution it began? Can we strongly and respectfully press our universal concept of liberty under law upon the world? Can we even safeguard our Revolutionary heritage within our own boundaries? *Can we do all this—short of war?*

We know what that war would be like. Atomic weapons would make vast cities, such as this fair city of Boston, "radioactive cemeteries." If, for want of vigilance, preparedness, or adequate military intelligence reports, we failed to apprise ourselves in advance of attack, an atomic Pearl Harbor launched by Russia could in a few short hours disrupt our organized national life. Twenty minutes after such an attack, America would never again in our lifetime be as strong as it had been twenty minutes before. Unbearable and unbelievable though the very thought may be, we must face the possibility that such an onslaught might bring to an end our privileged prosperity, and leave us living, or at best surviving, amidst the ruins—the ruins not only of our cities, but of the dreams for a free world that we have cherished for two centuries.

Still more unbearable for the Christian conscience to contemplate is the idea that we ourselves should ever launch such a war. No, we will not, must not, accept the idea that war is inevitable, or that only war can resolve this gigantic struggle between the freedom of men living under God in faith and the order of men existing under tyrants in fear.

What then? The temptation is great to avoid war by withdrawal from the struggle, by retirement into isolation, by appeasing. But we have resisted, and will resist, that temptation. We know that America was not made by cowards. We know that freedom is more precious than security. We know we will cease to be Americans if we cease trying to fulfill our historic destiny, which is to lead the world towards those ideals of Liberty so often propounded here in Faneuil Hall. And, this being so, we know we have no choice but to make those efforts—with all their consequent sacrifices—which alone have a chance to win victory with peace.

Our first duty is the duty imposed on us by George Washington—eternal vigilance in the conduct of our military affairs. This means the willingness of every able-bodied man to serve his country when called, and of every citizen to pay for what is needed to keep us strong on land, on water, and in the skies. Our second duty is to support, in unity, a bold and yet cautious foreign policy, activated by a generous and yet prudent diplomacy. And this means our willingness to be helpful and patient with our allies. Looking back, as we are today, for guidance from the great figures of our past, we can get it from Samuel Adams, whose statue stands in the square before this hall. Said Samuel Adams, when the question of the conquest of little nations by great ones was raised in his day: "Let Congress study what measures may be taken in common with the European nations, that national differences may be settled and determined without the necessity of war, in which the world has too long been deluged to the disgrace of human reason and government."

PEACE DIPLOMACY.

If our peace diplomacy is to succeed, such measures—cold war measures, as we have come to call them—of mutual aid and assistance to our allies and to those seeking to maintain their independence from Russia must be vigorously and generously pursued.

Here, speaking as a diplomat—a member of America's Foreign Service—I shall permit myself two reflections.

First, I believe that no foreign policy can ever be stronger than the Foreign Service charged with putting it into effect. If the American people want a good Foreign Service, made up of the highest type of dedicated men and women, they must cease being ungenerous and unduly critical toward their Foreign Service. They must begin to treat us with at least the affection and respect and generosity they show to other branches of their government.

Second, speaking specifically as your Ambassador to Italy, in asking for patience and generosity with our allies, I make a special plea for the young Italian Republic. Born only a decade ago, today it is still meeting enormous difficulties. There are the problems created by its own lack of natural resources; by its understandable want of experience with parliamentary democracy and a consequent factionalism; above all, by the existence of millions of Italians who vote for the Communists. We must remember that these misguided millions are the very examples of those whose right desires for a better and fuller life have been wrongly channeled by the false prophets of the new Soviet order. These Italians want the wrong thing—for their own worldly as well as spiritual salvation—when they want Communism. But, may God bless them and help to guide them still, they want it for the right reason—they want to be free of the old economic tyrannies that denied them equality of opportunity with others in their society.

America, which has been built and strengthened by immigrants from many lands, knows what fine citizens most Italians make when they come to our land, and to our free cities like Boston. Many more will be coming to our shores in the next year. Let me say in passing that, all news stories to the contrary, I think I can assure you that, as regards Italy at least, the President's Refugee Relief Act will fulfill its provisions. By December, 1956, we shall have issued to Italians every one of the visas permitted to us under the law.

ITALY EMERGING.

The shining fact is that postwar Italy is emerging as a vibrant and dynamic nation. In spite of all its internal difficulties it moves steadily forward to a sound recovery. And it continues firm in the framework of the great Western Alliance. Above all, it has stayed true to its Christian heritage. If we ourselves do not fail Italy, Italy will not fail us, or the West.

I shall conclude with one inspiriting thought. This time of supreme strain is an opportunity for new greatness. We have a rare heritage. We have unlimited spiritual resources on which to draw. Today, on our national birthday, we make newly vital contact with the treasures in our American tradition. Strengthened by a fresh sense of the inner meaning of our Revolutionary past, we face the future with confidence. Our spirit and our resolution today are not other than those expressed by George Washington and Abraham Lincoln, and echoed anew by President Eisenhower when he said at Evanston: "Now is a time when great things must again be dared in Faith. Let us dare again to dedicate our generation to the fairest dream mankind has ever known—the dream that moved us to found a nation under God in freedom."

This dream is still fair. But today it is broader. We do not cherish it for ourselves alone. We wish it realized in the wider world of a just and peaceful international community. Unto the task of this new realization let us pledge, as did our forbears, "our lives, our fortunes, and our sacred honor."

PLANS BEING FORMULATED TO CUT COSTS OF CITY MAILING.

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pated. The Post Office Department has found that approximately 4 per cent of the adhesive postage stamps sold are never used. The discontinuance of the use of government-stamped envelopes and the substitution therefor of commercially purchased envelopes will also effect savings. At the State House centralized mailing has been in operation for thirty-two years with a large degree of success, and it is believed that a similar procedure at the City Hospital and in the Hall and Annex would produce beneficial results.

The results of the Board's studies may be summarized by listing some of the advantages of a centralized mailing room:

a. Systematizes operations and avoids duplications and errors by combining into one unit scattered operations pertaining to one of the most important details of municipal management.

b. Centralizes this unit and brings it under the direction of individuals trained in up-to-date mailing procedures, so that all correspondence in both the Hall and Annex will receive the attention its importance demands.

c. Puts important details of mailing in charge of one person who is familiar with the rules and regulations of the Postal Service and equips himself to properly conduct this important unit.

d. Saves postage by placing the supply of postage in control of one responsible individual, making it possible to keep a proper accounting of all postage purchased.

e. Saves clerical work, as stenographers can devote their full time to correspondence if they are alleviated of the detail of despatching it.

f. Avoids congestion by eliminating rush work in various departments at the close of business hours and staggers the mailings so that the day's correspondence is not received at the post office in one bulk mailing during the peak hours when congestion also prevails there.

g. Permits the economical use of modern labor-saving devices which each department concerned would not be justified in buying for their mail requirements alone.

The Administrative Services Board proposes, with your approval, to establish central mailing units at the City Hospital and in City Hall Annex in the Collecting Division of the Treasury Department. The Director of Hospitals is in favor of this action and already has plans for making space available for such a unit. With slight structural changes, space can be provided in the Collecting Division for the installation of modern mailing equipment, funds for the purchase of which are available in the Equipment Loan.

Respectfully submitted.

CHARLES J. FOX, *Chairman,*
JOHN A. SULLIVAN,
JOHN V. MORAN,
JAMES E. GILDEA,
JOSEPH P. LALLY.

LAWRENCE W. COSTELLO,
Administrative Secretary.

SUMMER ORGAN RECITALS AT FANEUIL HALL.

Mayor John B. Hynes has announced that daily, except Saturdays and Sundays, until Labor Day there will be a series of noonday organ recitals at Faneuil Hall, the city's most famous historic building, known throughout America as the "Cradle of Liberty." John C. Kiley, well-known concert artist, will be in charge of the program.

While the concerts are being planned primarily for the entertainment of the thousands of tourists from all sections of America who visit the Hall, the public is invited to attend. Mr. Kiley, who is a musician of note, is expected to present music of the "pops" and patriotic variety.

All of the concerts will be played on the electrical organ presented to the city two years ago by the Christmas Festival Committee and the Boston public school children.

Brought into play also during some of the concerts will be the rare spinet piano presented to the city recently by the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company and the costly wall chimes presented by Chairman Harry J. Blake of the Christmas Festival Committee.

RETIREMENT BOARD REPORTS.

June 30, 1955.

To the Auditor.

At meetings of the Retirement Board, held on the following dates, June 10, June 15, June 22, and June 27, respectively, the retirement from active service of the following-named employees was approved to become effective at the close of business, June 30, 1955, under the provisions of chapter 658:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.
Printing Section.

Margaret B. Grant, copyholder.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Leo J. Walker, hoseman.
John J. O'Connor, hoseman.
John J. Broughton, captain.
George A. Frateroli, hoseman.
Jeremiah Mahoney, lieutenant.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Margaret M. Burchell, nurse.
Hazel Wedgewood, director of nurses.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

David E. Alpert, rabbi.
Helen D. Gardner, supervisor of nurses' home.
Alice E. McStravick, houseworker.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

Mary J. Scheeler, assistant housekeeper.

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

Flora A. Ennis, assistant.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Thomas B. Ward, gardener-laborer.
Luke Nicholson, gardener-laborer.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Roy C. Christenson, steam fireman.
Andrew J. McDonough, patrolman.
Eugene A. Taylor, janitor.
Charles C. Sullivan, hostler.
Warren F. Russell, patrolman.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Coleman Hernan, laborer.
Robert F. Hyland, meter reader.
William F. McDonough, principal clerk and cashier.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

William J. Davis, janitor.

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT.

E. Cecelia Bowen, assistant.
Mary L. Barlow, assistant.
Alice M. Boughtwood, assistant.
Elizabeth P. Brennan, assistant.
Helen T. Campbell, assistant.
Frances E. Campion, assistant.
Elizabeth M. Cleary, assistant.
Mary M. Conroy, head of department.
Anna M. Devin, assistant.
Anna M. Dixon, assistant.
Rosanna M. Dowd, assistant.
Margaret R. Dwyer, assistant.
Elizabeth A. Elcock, assistant.
Elizabeth B. Faden, assistant.
Mary A. Ford, assistant.
Alice M. Gardette, assistant.
Alice K. Gorman, instructor.
Helen H. Goulter, assistant.
Mary C. Gourley, assistant.
Chester E. Hammond, division head.
Hollis D. Hatch, master.
Mary H. Healey, principal.
Katherine E. Hurley, assistant.
Ella H. Hyde, assistant.
Mary E. Jago, assistant.
Mary E. Jenkins, assistant.
Victoria E. Jesseman, assistant.
May Kapples, assistant.
Doris P. Kennard, permanent substitute.
Theresa V. Kelley, nurse.
Helen P. Kelly, assistant.
Marjorie Loring, supervisor.
Lillian A. McCall, vice principal.
Caroline H. McCarthy, assistant.
Agnes McCloskey, assistant.
George C. McKeen, instructor.
Elizabeth H. Maher, assistant.
Marguerite F. Murphy, assistant.
Mary L. Murphy, assistant.
Elizabeth E. Nichols, assistant.
Margaret M. O'Connell, assistant.
Curtis Peckham, instructor.
Arthur R. Racine, master.
Charlotte Rafter, examiner.
Mary Dooley Regan, assistant.
Marguerite R. Riley, assistant.
George G. Rose, co-operative instructor.
Katherine M. Schubarth, assistant.
Emma S. Sellew, assistant.
Gertrude P. Shea, assistant.
Lilian A. Smith, assistant.
Pauline F. Smith, director of kindergarten.
Margaret E. Tobin, assistant.
Jane R. Woods, assistant.
Irene P. Zahn, assistant.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Helen G. O'Connell, cook.
Harriet Beardsley, social worker.
Mary I. King, social worker.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

JAIL.

Hugh F. McGovern, officer.

PROBATE COURT.

Sylvester Colbert, court officer.

REGISTRY OF DEEDS.

Stephen J. Darcy, photo recorder operator.

Attest:

PAUL L. CARTY,
Executive Officer.

June 30, 1955.

To the Auditor.

At meetings of the Boston Retirement Board, held on the following dates, June 3 and June 15, 1955, the retirement from active service of the following-named employees and members of the Boston Retirement System, under the provisions of chapter 521 of the Acts of 1922 (Boston Retirement Act), was approved to become effective as of the close of business, June 30, 1955:

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

John A. Abbott, hoseman.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

James J. Supple, chauffeur.

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT.

Roscoe G. Frame, submaster.

Attest:

W. J. DOYLE, *Chairman.*

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT APPOINTS PLAY SUPERVISORS FOR SUMMER SEASON.

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Joan Barnett, 38 Mozart Street, Jamaica Plain.
Ann E. Bernard, 41 Linden Road, West Roxbury.
Claire A. Blaney, 901 East Broadway, South Boston.
Eleanor M. Bowen, 48 Manthorne Road, West Roxbury.
Carol J. Brown, 68 Theodore Parker Road, West Roxbury.
Virginia Burkholder, 231 Park Drive.
Mary B. Camphell, 110 Parsons Street, Brighton.
Patricia L. Carr, 10 Newsome Park, Jamaica Plain.
Helena M. Casey, 33 Louder's Lane, Jamaica Plain.
Norma M. Centracchio, 8 Horace Street, East Boston.
Caroline R. Coffey, 35 Eastman Street, Dorchester.
Marlene Cohen, 84 Lanark Road, Brighton.
Noreen P. Condon, 41 O'Reilly Way, Charlestown.
Eleanor A. Coppola, 9 Calvin Road, Jamaica Plain.
Joan M. Coppola, 30 Trenton Street, East Boston.
Nancy R. Croke, 68 Emerald Street.
Maureen E. Cronin, 80 Lambert Avenue, Roxbury.
Virginia M. Cullity, 15 Nelson Street, Dorchester.
Barbara L. Cutler, 280 Humboldt Avenue, Roxbury.
Denise M. Dagle, 13 Walker Street, Cbarlestown.
Mary A. DeCoster, 49 Regent Street, Roxbury.
Marilyn C. DeLuca, 60 Prince Street.
Marianne C. DeMarco, 207 Temple Street, West Roxbury.
Marie T. DiBenedetto, 12 Foster Street.
Mary M. Dolan, 10 Drayton Avenue, Dorchester.
Dorothy Downey, 2 O'Leary Way, Jamaica Plain.
Frances T. Downey, 1048 Washington Street, Dorchester.
Adrienne A. Driscoll, 40 Washburn Street, Dorchester.
Joan Driscoll, 3 Lexington Street, Charlestown.
Marie B. Eldridge, 14 Wait Street, Roxbury.
Carole R. Escott, 39 Goodale Road, Mattapan.
Mary T. Feenan, 29 Freeland Street, Mattapan.
Barbara H. Fitzgerald, 12 Stafford Street, Roxbury.
Anita G. Flaherty, 917 East Broadway, South Boston.
Eleanor J. Foley, 443 West Fourth Street, South Boston.
Ann M. Ford, 236 Washington Street, Brighton.
Maureen T. Goff, 406 East Third Street, South Boston.
Judith E. Gorin, 58 Cheney Street, Roxbury.
Ruth Marie Green, 943 Adams Street, Dorchester.
Cynthia M. Greer, 15 Favre Street, Mattapan.
Jean C. Groden, 296 River Street, Mattapan.
Marianne G. Hagerty, 4065 Washington Street, Roslindale.
Joan M. Hanley, 19 Rhoda Street, West Roxbury.
Arleen M. Haran, 38 Semont Road, Dorchester.
Ruth J. Harrell, 23 Wabon Street, Roxbury.
Ann M. Harrington, 19 Elmhurst Street, Dorchester.
Evelyn B. Harris, 24 Gayland Street, Dorchester.
Kathleen R. Heiser, 78 Wallingford Road, Brigbton.
Diane L. Hemmer, 75 Parkton Road, Jamaica Plain.
Phyllis K. Hemmer, 75 Parkton Road, Jamaica Plain.
Bernice Hestor, 50 Iffley Road, Jamaica Plain.
Helen K. Higgins, 2 Neponset Avenue, Dorchester.
Margaret Hines, 7 Bellaire Road, West Roxbury.
Marie Jackman, 13 Allen Street, West End.
Jacqueline Jones, 14 Bennett Street, Brigbton.
Ann B. Kearney, 21 Glenellen Road, West Roxbury.
Janice Kellert, 24 Glenville Avenue, Allston.
Cecelia E. Kilgallon, 27 Eastland Road, Jamaica Plain.
Frances Kilgallon, 11 Dana Avenue, Hyde Park.
Anna C. LaCascia, 703 Bennington Street, East Boston.
Ruth Lawrence, 279 Walnut Avenue, Roxbury.
Shirley A. Lee, 2747 Washington Street, Roxbury.
Patricia Limerack, 15 Southbourne Road, Jamaica Plain.
Joan P. Malloy, 38 Franconia Street, Dorchester.
Helen Mariano, 44 Beechland Street, Roslindale.
Mary J. Matthews, 74 Whitten Street, Dorchester.
Ellen C. McDonough, 106 Melville Avenue, Dorchester.
Joan M. McIntosh, 35 Newcroft Circle, Mattapan.
Ann M. McManus, 9 Spalding Street, Jamaica Plain.
Constance T. McNulty, 46 Sydney Street, Dorcbester.
Joan Molway, 137 Wilmington Avenue, Dorchester.
Eleanor S. Midman, 622 Walk Hill Street, Mattapan.
Patricia E. Moran, 90 Whitcomb Avenue, Jamaica Plain.
Jeanne M. Moriarty, 62 Landseer Street, West Roxbury.
Mary A. Morrissey, 231 Asbmont Street.
Joan C. Mullen, 41 Pleasant Hill Avenue, Dorchester.
Mary R. Nolan, 11 Bertson Avenue, West Roxbury.
Catherine M. O'Connell, 98 Bloomfield Street, Dorchester.
Josephine M. Parker, 114 Gladstone Street, East Boston.
Ellen Polk, 88 Magnolia Street, Dorchester.
Rita Quinn, 67 Chelmsford Street, Dorchester.
Patricia L. Rafferty, 27 Wellesley Park, Dorchester.
Noreen A. Rea, 62 Edwin Street, Dorchester.
Jeanne F. Reardon, 36 Glenrose Road, Dorchester.
Elizabeth A. Regan, 2187 Dorchester Avenue, Dorchester.
Pauline Reilly, 91 Child Street, Hyde Park.
Nancy Riley, 28 St. Germain Street.

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING JULY 5.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Arthur Schmidt	246 West Fifth street	6	Alterations, dwelling	$600
Edwin C. Joy	99 Winthrop street	8	Alterations, dwelling	600
George Virgin	343 Ashmont street	16	Alterations, dwelling	275
Robert Walley	227 Beech street	20	Alterations, dwelling	990
George Weinfield	59 Belgrade avenue	20	Alterations, cleaners	620
Ashton Photo Studio	1260 Blue Hill avenue	14	Sign, store	95
Bertha Cohen	98 and 100 Broadway	5	Alterations, repair shop	950
Minot, DeBlois, Maddison	30 Bromfield street	3	Alterations, store, office	150
J. Marshall	783 Centre street	19	Alterations, store	800
Khoren Arisian	935-45 Dorchester avenue	13	Alterations, store, dwelling	1,490
Mrs. McPhee	12 Epping street	17	Alterations, dwelling	350
Thomas Hutchings	11 Havana street	20	Alterations, dwelling	900
Berman Realty	145 Homestead street	12	Fire escape, dwelling	300
G. Bartlett	22 Lyndhurst street	17	Alterations, dwelling	350
Louise Klein	115 M street	6	Alterations, store, dwelling	250
Claudine Alleyne	30 Marshfield street	8	Alterations, dwelling	90
Ralph Eaton	112 Milton avenue	17	Alterations, dwelling	700
Anthony Costa	519 Poplar street	18	Alterations, dwelling	3,000
L & M Realty Trust	160 Southampton street	8	Alterations, storage	150
Rice Building Trust	134-38 Summer street	3	Alterations, store, office	800
Herbert M. Sears	110 Tremont street	3	Alterations, offices	2,000
Richard Sanger	827 Washington street	3	Fire repair, manufacturing, store	3,500
Richard Sanzi	827 Washington street	3	Fire repair, store, manufacturing	100
Mary S. Sullivan	455 West Broadway	6	Sign, store, office	50
Elizabeth Wall Estate	11 Ada street	19	Garage	1,000
A. W. Perry	617-59 Atlantic avenue	3	Alterations, store	43,000
Melrose Realty Corporation	8 Beacon street	3	Alterations, store, office	10,000
Mark's Construction Co.	2522 Centre street	20	Dwelling, garage	11,000
Oscar-Marion Benjaminsen	67 Codman park	11	Alterations, dwelling	None
Hill Management Corp.	598 Columbia road	7	Alterations, offices	$5,000
Joseph Alukonis	1756 Columbia road	7	Garage	1,000
Elizabeth Wall Estate	195 Cummins Highway	19	Garage	1,000
Stony Brook Village	15 Dodge road	18	Dwelling	8,000
Rocco Panciocco	6 Donna terrace	18	Dwelling	9,000
Aronson Brothers, Inc	412 and 414 Dorchester avenue.	7	Alterations, garage	10,000
Stony Brook Village Corp	2 Eastmont road	18	Dwelling	8,000
Stony Brook Village Corp	6 Eastmont road	18	Dwelling	8,000
Stony Brook Village Corp	22 Eastmont road	18	Dwelling	8,000
Stony Brook Village Corp	10 Eastmont road	18	Dwelling	8,000
Stony Brook Village Corp	14 Eastmont road	18	Dwelling	8,000
Stony Brook Village Corp	18 Eastmont road	18	Dwelling	8,000
Lucrezia Magri	888½ Harrison avenue	8	Alterations, dwelling	None
Stony Brook Village Corp	5 Kristin court	18	Dwelling	$8,000
Stony Brook Village Corp	8 Kristin court	18	Dwelling	8,000
Stony Brook Village Corp	10 Kristin court	18	Dwelling	8,000
Harry Happnie	25 Lawton street	18	Dwelling	9,000
Harry Happnie	29 Lawton street	18	Dwelling	9,000
Stony Brook Village Corp	5 Leighton road	18	Dwelling	8,000
Stony Brook Village Corp	11 Leighton road	18	Dwelling	8,000
Stony Brook Village Corp	17 Leighton road	18	Dwelling	8,000
Stony Brook Village Corp	21 Leighton road	18	Dwelling	8,000
Stony Brook Village Corp	25 Leighton road	18	Dwelling	8,000
Stony Brook Village Corp	29 Leighton road	18	Dwelling	8,000
Stony Brook Village Corp	33 Leighton road	18	Dwelling	8,000
Stony Brook Village Corp	37 Leighton road	18	Dwelling	8,000
Stony Brook Village Corp	41 Leighton road	18	Dwelling	8,000
Stony Brook Village Corp	45 Leighton road	18	Dwelling	8,000
Stony Brook Village Corp	49 Leighton road	18	Dwelling	8,000
Stony Brook Village Corp	53 Leighton road	18	Dwelling	8,000
Stony Brook Village Corp	57 Leighton road	18	Dwelling	8,000
Stony Brook Village Corp	61 Leighton road	18	Dwelling	8,000
Stony Brook Village Corp	65 Leighton road	18	Dwelling	8,000
Mildred DeFilippo	23 Monmouth street	1	Alterations, dwelling	None
James L. Anderer	91 Newfield street	20	Erect, dwelling	$14,000
Rocco Panciocco	1401 River street	18	Erect, dwelling	9,000
Charles Brown	28 Savin street	12	Alterations, dwelling	None
S. L. & I. E. Spitz	2 Susanna court	18	Alterations, dwelling	$500
J. Benjarowiez	26 Ward street	7	Alterations, dwelling	None
Jacob Rubin & Sons	280 Washington street	22	Alterations, garage, sales	$2,000
Jordan Alperin	109 West Brookline street	4	Alterations, office	900
Leo Donnelly	2 Wilmington avenue	17	Erect, dwelling, garage	9,000
Theresa Cleary	92 Armandine street	17	Alterations, dwelling	550
J. Tracy	49 Atherton street	11	Alterations, dwelling	300
Michael Santamarin	668 Bennington street	1	Alterations, dwelling	700
Thomas Nee	12 Bolster street	10	Fire escape, dwelling	300
Laline & Partridge	1255 Boylston street	5	Alterations, sales, service	900
Morris Rudnick	62 Brookline avenue	5	Alterations, cafe, sign	100
Dominic Salvato	51 Cambridge street	2	Fire escape, store, dwelling	500
Abraham Horowitz	66 Centre street	10	Alterations, dwelling	100
Abraham Horowitz	68 Centre street	10	Alterations, dwelling	100
James DelTufo	22 Clarence street	8	Alterations, dwelling	200
Palmer Russell	1950 Commonwealth avenue	21	Fire repair, dwelling	100
Bridget Coffey	40-42 Cranston street	19	Alterations, dwelling	180
Thomas Toohil	3 Cufflin street	22	Alterations, dwelling	285
Edward Rudnick	46-48 Dorset street	7	Alterations, dwelling	150
W. & F. Greenburg	30 Harlem street	14	Alterations, dwelling	500
Angus MacDonald	7 Hathon square	2	Alterations, dwelling	400
Robert W. Greer	3 Johnston park	12	Alterations, dwelling	200
Est. Horowitz	33 Lamartine street	10	Alterations, dwelling	100
Russel Mulhern	289 Marlborough street	5	Fire escape, dwelling	None
Joseph Micley	293 Marlborough street	5	Fire escape, dwelling	None
First National Bank	67 Milk street	3	Alterations, bank	$150
William Barsantis	11 Otis street	3	Sign, restaurant, loft, office	80
Fanny Barg	152 Ruthven street	12	Alterations, dwelling	95
Laurentin Bissehop	1582 Tremont street	10	Alterations, dwelling	200

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following personnel changes:

Assessing Department.

Approval has been given for an extension of the appointment of Philip E. Conroy, 924 Washington street, Dorchester, as temporary deputy assessor at $122.50 a week, for a period of six months.

Department of School Buildings.

Approval has been given for an extension of the temporary appointment, from May 21 to June 22, 1955, of George B. Gavin, 157 Hemenway street, as clerk-typist at $43 a week.

Approval has been given for the provisional appointment, for a period from June 9 to June 22, 1955, of Paula J. Omansky, 108 Deering road, Mattapan, as clerk-typist at $43 a week.

Health Department.

Approval has been given for the continued voluntary employment of Alma Amoroso, assistant supervisor of nurses, at the Field Training Center of the Whittier Street Health Unit, at no expense to the city.

The following temporary appointments have been terminated:

John T. Bowers, Jr., David I. Melime, public health physicians, part time.

Margaret M. Burchell, public health nurse, has been retired as of June 30.

Hazel Wedgwood, director of public health nurses, has been retired as of June 30.

The resignation of Marguerite B. Derry, junior bacteriologist, provisional, has been accepted as of June 28.

Abraham S. Shubow, public health dentist, has been retired as of June 21.

Hospital Department.

Main Division.

For the week ending June 21:

The following weekly nurses have been appointed:

Permanent.—Mary Collins, 31 Regent street, Roxbury, floor nurse, $65.50 a week; Sheila Doyle, 216 Commonwealth avenue, floor nurse, $63 a week; Grace Flaherty, 19 Ticknor street, South Boston, floor nurse, $1.65 an hour; Patricia Johnson, 68 Willowwood street, Dorchester, floor nurse, $1.60 an hour; Frances Knight, 2062 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, floor nurse, $68 a week; Mary L. Miller, 42 Ely road, Dorchester, part-time floor nurse, $1.70 an hour; Irene Picarsky, 31 Edison Green, Dorchester, part-time floor nurse, $1.50 an hour; Helene Vaillancourt, 216 Commonwealth avenue, floor nurse, $63 a week.

Temporary.—Madeleine Demers, 91 Bay State road, Carolyn Turco, 6 Beaufort road, Jamaica Plain, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour; Margaret Malone, 50 Floyd street, Winthrop, floor nurse, $60.50 a week.

South Division.

For the week ending June 21:

The following temporary employee has been appointed:

Violet D. Quagliozzi, 745 Massachusetts avenue, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour.

Long Island Division.

The following changes have been made for the week ending June 22:

Terminations.—Jeanne M. Cusato, registered graduate nurse; Elizabeth J.

Hauswirth, licensed practical nurse; Robert W. Bradley, attendant nurse; Margaret Bancroft, attendant nurse, Vacation Supply.

Leave of Absence.—Sophie A. Haran, head nurse.

Cancellation.—William F. Snow, attendant nurse.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

BOSTON JUVENILE COURT.

Elizabeth F. Powers, R.N., 543 La Grange street, West Roxbury, has been appointed as probation officer at $4,600 a year.

Approval has been given for the appointment of Louis G. Maglio, 36 Lewis avenue, Winthrop, as probation officer at $5,200 a year.

Appointments.

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

John Cahill, 405 Marlborough street, assistant civil engineer, $87 a week.

Martin Concannon, 1677 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, assistant civil engineer, $87 a week.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Thomas G. Slyman, 100 Kennebec street, Mattapan, fire fighter, $67.82 a week.

John J. Donovan, 22 Eden street, Charlestown, fire fighter, $67.82 a week.

Joseph M. Crawford, 12 Navillus terrace, Dorchester, fire fighter, $67.82 a week.

Peter W. Judge, 5 Fidelis Way, Brighton, fire fighter, $67.82 a week.

John J. Sheedy, 140 Stratton street, Dorchester, fire fighter, $67.82 a week.

Arthur D. Howell, 1035 South street, Roslindale, fire fighter, $67.82 a week.

Bernard F. Woods, 16 Pearl street, Charlestown, fire fighter, $67.82 a week.

John P. Fallon, 22 Everett square, Allston, fire fighter, $67.82 a week.

Thomas F. Goodwin, 2 Crystal place, Charlestown, fire fighter, $67.82 a week.

Joseph L. Pistorino, 530 East Fifth street, South Boston, fire fighter, $67.82 a week.

William J. O'Brien, 27 Kingsboro park, Jamaica Plain, fire fighter, $67.82 a week.

George V. Rull, 436 West Second street, South Boston, fire fighter, $67.82 a week.

Robert M. Sweeney, 40 Wolcott street, Dorchester, fire fighter, $67.82 a week.

Walter P. Sullivan, 15 Mystic street, Charlestown, fire fighter, $67.82 a week.

Joseph A. Reardon, 40 Stratton street, Dorchester, fire fighter, $67.82 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Teresa DiGenio, 636 Saratoga street, East Boston, junior bacteriologist, $63 a week.

Patricia A. Burke, 5 Richview street, Dorchester, public health nurse, $63 a week.

Lois A. Wilson, 1640 Columbia road, South Boston, public health nurse, $63 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Dr. Ernest William Hancock, 3028 Puritan avenue, Lincoln, Nebraska, research fellow, Thorndike Memorial Laboratory, $147 a month.

Dr. Wilfred Jones, Jr., South Hadley, research fellow, Thorndike Memorial Laboratory, $147 a month.

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PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING JULY 5.—Concluded.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Estate A. Horowitz	20 Wise street	10	Alterations, dwelling	$100
F. Simpson	333 Beacon street	5	Fire escape, dwelling	105
J. Bernstein	335 Beacon street	5	Fire escape, dwelling	105
Thomas G. Dolan	10 Bournedale road	19	Alterations, dwelling	150
Mr. Calnan	652 Columbia road	7	Alterations, dwelling	350
Little Sisters of Poor	424 Dudley street	8	Alterations, home aged	2,500
Andrew Graham	37 Garner road	16	Alterations, dwelling	100
Mary Stashewsky	202 Heath street	10	Alterations, dwelling	50
A. Nunan	72 Humboldt avenue	12	Sign, stores	500
David Platt	4 Lorraine terrace	21	Alterations, dwelling	500
Kuen Dea	77 Oak street	3	Alterations, stores, dwelling	500
Patrick Connolly	40 Oriole street	20	Alterations, dwelling	450
Joseph McKinney	83 Parsons street	22	Alterations, dwelling	250
L. Sonnabend	3A Poplar place	3	Fire escape, dwelling	50
L. Sonnabend	5A Poplar place	3	Fire escape, dwelling	50
A. Waldfogel	29–31 Port Norfolk street	16	Alterations, dwelling	800
A. Waldfogel	40 Port Norfolk street	16	Alterations, dwelling	800
Lois Galanis	34 Rockwell street	17	Alterations, dwelling	310
Thomas J. Fitzgerald	167 Savin Hill avenue	13	Alterations, dwelling	250
Leverett Folkin	97 Spencer street	17	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Bertrum Gavell	132 Thornton street	10	Alterations, dwelling	200
Peter Abrojoula	2128 Washington street	8	Sign, store, dwelling	800
Patrick Sullivan	332 West Fourth street	6	Alterations, dwelling	400
Francis Smith	70 Whitfield street	17	Alterations, dwelling	150
Mary Comstock	2 Yeoman street	8	Fire repair, dwelling	390
Cecelia Wattendorf	75 Lonsdale street	16	Alterations, dwelling	200
James Gorman	14 Ashfield street	20	Alterations, garage	200
Ann Nursing Home	66 Bowdoin avenue	14	Fire escape, nursing home	400
McKeon & Casby	1110 Boylston street	4	Sign, stores	250
Jacob Yereminn	238 Bunker Hill street	2	Alterations, store, dwelling	260
Mary Kelley	21 Chamberlain street	17	Alterations, dwelling	225
Frank Chiango	4 Cottage street	1	Alterations, dwelling	75
Jordan Marsh Company	477 Harrison avenue	3	Alterations, storage	1,600
S & S Realty	125 Harvard avenue	21	Alterations, garage	400
St. Thomas Nursing Home	157 Humboldt avenue	12	Fire escape, nursing home	500
Mrs. Hazen	677 Hyde Park avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	200
Sophie Pickard	181 I street	7	Alterations, dwelling	250
Mason Shuman	45 Lamartine street	10	Sign, store, office	500
Mass. College Pharmacy	179 Longwood avenue	4	Alterations, college	750
Builders Realty Corporation	4 Lorraine terrace	21	Alterations, dwelling	300
N. C. Grassa	23 Rowena street	16	Alterations, dwelling	450
Frank Clifford	59 Sagamore street	13	Alterations, dwelling	550
F. DeCristoforo	160 Salem street	2	Fire escape, dwelling	200
A. J. Koob, Agent	144 and 145 Tremont street	3	Alterations, store, office	200
Arnoldo DiManno	154 Tudor street	6	Alterations, dwelling	250
Leo-Anne Fallon	33–35 Westford street	22	Alterations, dwelling	500
C. Blesdaell	16 Windermere road	13	Fire escape, dwelling	300
Robert Lee	44 Winthrop street	2	Alterations, dwelling	500
John Signorello	8 Yeoman street	8	Fire repairs, dwelling	10

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM PLUMBING FOR THE WEEK ENDING JULY 5.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
M. Langley	74 Atherton street	11	New appliances	$200
J. Amico	420 Boylston street	5	New appliances	200
T. Matthews	330 Brookline avenue	4	New appliances	150
J. Vogel	60 Clarendon street	18	New appliances	150
C. Belvelander	30 Cummington street	21	New appliances	100
T. Matthews	27 Frederika street	16	New appliances	75
J. Vogel	3 Glenhaven road	20	New appliances	100
K. Hering	48 Hillside street	10	New appliances	90
G. Zeulla	364 Hyde Park avenue	19	New appliances	1,000
L. Young	65 Rockwell street	17	New appliances	300
M. Caputo	48 Thomas park	7	New appliances	750
J. Murphy	3694 Washington street	11	New appliances	500
A. Columbo	109 Westminster street	18	New appliances	875
D. Greenwood	15 Boylston street	19	New appliances	75
B. Szathmary	287 Columbus avenue	4	New appliances	200
D. Greenwood	36 Dwinell street	20	New appliances	25
H. Eichel	74 Florida street	16	New appliances	125
J. Vangi	68 Leverett street	3	New appliances	45
C. Crawford	28 State street	3	New appliances	1,800
L. Lacidio	50 Williams street	18	New appliances	65
G. Trethewey	70 Aldrich street	20	New appliances	200
F. Donough	78 Antwerp street	22	New appliances	900
G. Trethewey	5 Blanvon road	19	New appliances	165
S. Landue	120 Boylston street	3	New appliances	800
F. Inghrem	360 Huntington avenue	4	New appliances	1,000
S. Landue	226 Marlborough street	6	New appliances	1,500
R. Powers	48 Nightingale street	14	New appliances	300
L. Ruotolt	232 Saratoga street	1	New appliances	125
G. Trethewey	620 South street	20	New appliances	250
A. Granara	110 Tremont street	3	New appliances	150
D. Greenwood	171 Wachusett street	19	New appliances	250
L. Slavet	665 Commonwealth avenue	5	New appliances	650
F. Odenweller	494 E. Third street	6	New appliances	800
A. Statley	114 Elmer street	16	New appliances	75
E. Healy	15 Groome street	7	New appliances	185
W. McKennon	24 Jersey street	5	New appliances	3,000
W. Connell	156 Neponset street	16	New appliances	600
G. Zealla	841 Parker street	10	New appliances	600
A. Hird	34 Greenbrier street	17	New appliances	200
H. Dickerson	340 Marlborough street	4	New appliances	200
N. Goldburg	22 Myrtlebank avenue	16	New appliances	125
D. Kaldverch	343 So. Huntington avenue	10	New appliances	200
M. Caputo	15 Willis street	13	New appliances	410

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING JULY 5.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
G. Dour	2787 Washington street	9	New appliances	$50
A. Cohen	29 Albiano road	8	New appliances	50
W. Connell	98 Anckland street	15	New appliances	125
J. Barry	129 Belnel road	18	New appliances	50
K. Hering	69 Bynner street	10	New appliances	100
W. Brodrick	16 Birchwood road	20	New appliances	50
J. Turner	785 Centre street	19	New appliances	950
A. Cohen	133 Chambers street	3	New appliances	60
W. Fishman	12 Constitution road	18	New appliances	50
T. Lake	2161 Dorchester avenue	17	New appliances	650
F. Odenweller	81 Draper street	15	New appliances	50
F. Odenweller	494 East Third street	6	New appliances	250
B. Weiner	108 Gainsborough street	4	New appliances	60
J. Vogel	28 Harwich street	4	New appliances	12
W. Brodrick	38 Hazelmere road	20	New appliances	60
W. Hogan	795 Huntington avenue	10	New appliances	200
W. Hogan	795 Jamestown avenue	10	New appliances	50
W. Fishman	9 Jamestown avenue	18	New appliances	70
S. Slavet	53 North Russell street	3	New appliances	50
J. Turner	142 O street	6	New appliances	110
A. Zealla	841 Parker street	10	New appliances	100
W. Brodrick	1555 River street	18	New appliances	10
W. Hogan	1500 Tremont street	10	New appliances	50
L. Marchant	8 Winter street	3	New appliances	25
S. Pryor	28 Albion place	2	New appliances	200
G. Poulopo	408 Beacon street	5	New appliances	15
W. Hogan	133 Columbia road	14	New appliances	50
P. Gulesian	198 Dana avenue	18	New appliances	400
H. Hinckley	54 Hampstead street	19	New appliances	30
S. Pryor	4 Holden Row	2	New appliances	35
P. Gulesian	1115 Hyde Park avenue	18	New appliances	200
P. Gulesian	1492 Hyde Park avenue	18	New appliances	400
G. Vallati	7 Maple street	16	New appliances	60
D. Greenwood	4 Marcella street	19	New appliances	10
H. Dickerson	340 Marlborough street	4	New appliances	200
P. Gulesian	41 Myopia road	18	New appliances	4,000
J. Vogel	396 Beech street	18	New appliances	150
M. Caputo	6 Carlotta street	16	New appliances	40
K. Hering	330 Centre street	10	New appliances	15
W. Connell	6 Cerina street	19	New appliances	50
H. Hinckley	8 Cheshire street	19	New appliances	65
I. Gerson	31 Circuit street	12	New appliances	50
J. Vogel	60 Clarendon street	18	New appliances	25
J. Vogel	Colberg street	20	New appliances	160
J. Vogel	3 Conway court	20	New appliances	125
M. Caputo	262 Dorchester avenue	6	New appliances	173
P. Gulesian	12 Fairmount street	18	New appliances	200
A. Casaletti	135 Falcon street	1	New appliances	30
E. Secatora	32 Frankfort street	1	New appliances	40
J. Vogel	3 Glenhaven street	20	New appliances	25
J. Vogel	6 Hano street	22	New appliances	25
K. Hering	48 Hillside street	10	New appliances	12
P. Gulesian	820 Hyde Park avenue	18	New appliances	400
P. Gulesian	1300 Hyde Park avenue	18	New appliances	300
J. Vogel	106 Kittredge street	18	New appliances	150
J. Vogel	16 Knoll street	20	New appliances	100
P. Lembo	1 Louise street	12	New appliances	50
P. Gulesian	26 Massasoit street.	18	New appliances	400
W. Connell	155 Milton street	16	New appliances	50
P. Gulesian	99 Providence street	18	New appliances	100
P. Gulesian	1523 River street	18	New appliances	200
W. Connell	50 Rosedale street	17	New appliances	750
J. Vogel	1078 South street	20	New appliances	100
J. Vogel	277 Stratford street	20	New appliances	100
J. Vogel	30 Tappan street	20	New appliances	150
W. Connell	15 Templeton street	16	New appliances	45
W. Connell	27 Templeton street	10	New appliances	25
M. Caputo	48 Thomas park	7	New appliances	90
M. Caputo	313 West Fourth street.	6	New appliances	28
M. Caputo	198 West Sixth street.	6	New appliances	35
J. Vangi	214 Allen street	3	New appliances	45
E. Clayton	91 Bigelow street	22	New appliances	30
B. Zeffi	71 Brighton street	21	New appliances	300
H. Beaulie	10 Chilcott place	11	New appliances	70
G. Valati	49 Corona street	15	New appliances	200
J. Freedman	8 Day street	10	New appliances	25
D. Greenwood	36 Dwinell street	20	New appliances	25
C. Kay	288 East Eighth street.	7	New appliances	35
J. McLoughlan	39 Eastland street	7	New appliances	200
E. Pasques	75 Everett street	1	New appliances	25
E. Pasques	40 Falcon street	1	New appliances	25
S. Freedman	57 Franklin street	3	New appliances	35
D. Kogell	12 Macallen street	6	New appliances	300
E. Pasques	102 Marion street	1	New appliances	25
E. Pasques	101 Maverick street	1	New appliances	15
H. Beaufiel	32 Quincy street	12	New appliances	250
J. Rooney	995 River street	18	New appliances	50
H. Vallati	55 St. Marks road	16	New appliances	200
H. Vallati	6 Wellesley park	17	New appliances	200
N. Clark	105 Albano street	20	New appliances	400
N. Clark	20 Aldrich street	20	New appliances	200
S. Landau	1999 Commonwealth ave.	21	New appliances	25
S. Statley	114 Elmer road	16	New appliances	25
C. Joyce	197 Foster street	22	New appliances	50
S. Landau	15 Hemenway street	4	New appliances	35
G. Trethewey	706 Hyde Park avenue	18	New appliances	175
G. Gould	Johnson park	12	New appliances	100
G. Trethewey	19 Montvale street	20	New appliances	650
S. Landau	15 Ransom road	21	New appliances	25
G. Trethewey	620 South street	20	New appliances	250
M. Laitenstine	2 Vinton street	16	New appliances	60
D. Greenwood	171 Wachusett street	19	New appliances	250
N. Clark	226 Walter street	18	New appliances	

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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Dr. Asher Marks, 24 Pierce road, Watertown, research fellow, Thorndike Memorial Laboratory, $147 a month.

Dr. Roger Lloyd Nichols, 5 Arcadia street, Cambridge, research fellow, Thorndike Memorial Laboratory, $147 a month.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

Francis P. Tracey, 66 Calumet street, Roxbury, real estate custodian, $70.50 a week.

VETERANS' SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Thomas J. McAuliffe, 4 O'Callaghan Way, South Boston, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Cyril M. Lydon, 30 Kenwood street, Dorchester, physician general, $91 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Temporary Home.

Dollie Scully, 11 Mace place, Lynn, cook, $43 a week with maintenance.

Appointments or Reinstatements.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Lawrence A. Quirk, 30 Whitfield street, Dorchester, plumbing inspector, $68 a week.

CITY PLANNING BOARD.

Walter Shouse, 32 Grove street, senior planner, $90.50 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Margaret H. O'Donnell, 784 East Third street, South Boston, clerk and typist, $50.50 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

John Dalco, 19 Nelson street, Dorchester, laboratory assistant, $45.50 a week.

Edmund Brooks, 42 Pratt street, Allston, ambulance and medical aid man, $53 a week.

Frank E. DeMarchi, Jr., 35 Leyden street, East Boston, X-ray technician, $45.50 a week.

Francis J. O'Connor, M.D., 61 Royter street, Milton, assistant physician, $247 a month.

Mary Ryan, 218 Parker Hill avenue, Roxbury, senior X-ray technician, $58 a week.

Gloria DelGaudio, 372 Sumner street, East Boston, senior X-ray technician, $58 a week.

Raymond Whitaker, 19 Myrtle street, senior X-ray technician, $58 a week.

Rosalie Berinato, 140 Stanwood street, Dorchester, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Barbara Twombly, 16 Ashford street, Allston, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Phyllis Scipione, 6 Copley street, Roxbury, clerk and typist, $43 a week

Janet Meltzer, 25 Lawrence avenue, Roxbury, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Francis Pinell, 65 Davison street, Hyde Park, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Patricia McNally, 74 Hillsdale street, Dorchester, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Barbara Rubin, 369 Columbus avenue, physical therapist, $58 a week.

Dr. John Bertrand Cadigan, Jr., 58 Woodlawn street, Dedham, research fellow, Thorndike Memorial Laboratory, $147 a month.

Sanatorium Division.

Patrick J. Healey, 16 Tower street, Jamaica Plain, third-class stationary engineer, $63 a week.

Dr. Charles Thayer, 249 River street, Mattapan, resident physician, $112 a month.

Mary A. Johnson, 66 Blake street, Hyde Park, hospital laundry worker, $48 a week.

Francis Connolly, 13 Sachem street, Roxbury, second-class steam fireman, $60.50 a week.

Katherine Cummings, 27 Mt. Ida road, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Long Island Division.

Joseph M. Lydon, 215 Park avenue, Squantum, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Daniel J. Donovan, 51 Perham street, West Roxbury, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

John J. Murphy, 15 Leroy street, Dorchester, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Josephine A. Simione, 106 Webster street, East Boston, occupational therapist, $58 a week.

William J. Foley, 21 Saxton street, Dorchester, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Mary I. Burgess, West Warren road, Palmer, licensed practical nurse, $53 a week.

Thomas L. Monahan, Jr., 22 Dawson street, Dorchester, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Frederick F. Tomlinson, 246 Minot street, Dorchester, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Patricia Ann Collins, 23 Verdun street, Dorchester, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Lucy Alice Lyon, 6 Arthur street, Rockland, licensed practical nurse, $43 a week.

Margaret Clark Conlon, 48 Lawnview Drive, Braintree, licensed practical nurse, $43 a week.

Albert O'Brien, 258 Eustis street, Roxbury, hospital laundry worker, $43 a week.

Bernard J. Frim, 407 Huntington avenue, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Richard M. Long, 933 East Broadway, South Boston, lifeguard, $50.50 a week.

Thomas J. Mundy, Jr., 1726 Commonwealth avenue, Brighton, lifeguard, $50.50 a week.

Louis Flavio, 8 Bulfinch place, laborer, $58 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Bridge Division.

Anthony J. Schuko, 28 Brookside avenue, Jamaica Plain, electrician operator, $68 a week.

Hubert J. Curley, Jr., 8 Patterson Way, South Boston, electrician operator, $68 a week.

Changes in Status.

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Ersilia Manning, 739 Bennington street, East Boston, from senior statistical machine operator (permanent) at $65.50 a week to principal statistical machine operator (temporary for three months) at $70.50 a week.

AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

Harold T. Kenney, 1350 Commonwealth avenue, Brighton, from senior account clerk at $63 a week to principal clerk (temporary for six months) at $65.50 a week.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

James P. Molloy, 4 Royce road, Allston, from head administrative clerk (temporary) at $103.50 a week to head administrative clerk at $103.50 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Frank Perez, 48 Garnet road, West Roxbury, from senior physical therapist at $76.50 a week to principal physical therapist at $80 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Barbara A. Sullivan, 14 Johnson street, West Roxbury, from clerk and stenographer at $48 a week to senior clerk and typist at $55.50 a week.

Frank R. DiSalvatore, 88 Clarkson street, Dorchester, from bath custodian at $68 a week to general construction inspector (temporary) at $70.50 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Highway Division.

John A. Vozzella, 76 Wellsmere road, Roslindale, from junior civil engineer at $83.50 a week to assistant civil engineer (temporary) at $87 a week.

John B. Ferri, 1422 Commonwealth avenue, Allston, from assistant civil engineer at $98.75 a week to senior civil engineer (temporary) at $108.25 a week.

Sanitary Division.

Joseph M. Casey, 248 D street, South Boston, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week to laborer at $58 a week.

Survey Division.

Philip A. Moynihan, 16 Wallingford road, Brighton, from junior engineering aid at $58 a week to senior engineering aid (temporary) at $63 a week.

Water Division.

Joseph C. Raedy, 35 Waverly street, Roxbury, from laborer at $58 a week to motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week.

Phillip M. Coyne, 36 King street, Dorchester, from laborer at $58 a week to motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week.

John A. Caulfield, 253 Emerson street, South Boston, from heavy motor equipment operator and laborer at $65.50 a week to water meter repairman at $65.50 a week.

Thomas F. Walsh, 451 Talbot avenue, Dorchester, from water service maintenance man at $68 a week to water meter repairman at $70.50 a week.

Miriam Greenfield, 81 Bernard street, Dorchester, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior account clerk (temporary) at $55.50 a week.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Joseph M. Porter, 701 Bennington street, East Boston, from senior account clerk at $65.50 a week to deputy collector (temporary) at $83.50 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Edward B. Ryan, 35 Asticou road, Jamaica Plain, from social worker at $80 a week to social work supervisor (temporary transfer) at $83.50 a week.

Francis Harrington, 30 Woodlawn street, Jamaica Plain, from social worker at $76.50 a week to social work supervisor (temporary transfer) at $80 a week.

Anna Coughlin, 761 Columbia road, Dorchester, from head clerk at $83.50 a week to senior accountant (temporary transfer) at $90.50 a week.

Promotions.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

Leonard M. VanGemert, 108 Washington street, North Easton, from traffic signal repair foreman at $83.50 a week to assistant traffic signal supervisor, Section E, temporary, at $87 a week.

Michael T. Gainey, 56 Patten street, Jamaica Plain, from traffic signal inspector at $80 a week to chief traffic signal inspector, temporary, at $83.50 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Mary E. Welsh, 135 Elmer road, Dorchester, from principal public health nurse at $87 a week to director of public health nurses at $94 a week.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

House of Correction.

Thomas Nee, 72 Dresser street, South Boston, from correction officer at $70.50 a week to correction officer and carpenter (temporary) at $73 a week.

VETERANS' SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

John M. Foley, 91 Mt. Ida road, Dorchester, from veterans' services investigator at $68 a week to veterans' services supervisor at $70.50 a week.

Samuel J. Keges, 21 Favre street, Mattapan, from veterans' services investigator at $76.50 a week to veterans' services supervisor at $80 a week.

Transfers.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Joseph G. DeGruttola, 88 Putnam street, East Boston, from Public Works Department (Highway Division) as laborer at $58 a week to Parks and Recreation Department as laborer at $58 a week.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

House of Correction.

John J. Manion, 71 Westland avenue, from Public Works Department (Sumner Tunnel) as tollman-guard at $70.50 a week to Penal Institutions Department (House of Correction) as correction officer at $70.50 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

William W. Skelly, 78 West Cottage street, Dorchester, from Public Works Department (Sewer Division) as motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week to Public Works Department (Bridge Division) as motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week.

Leaves of Absence.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Purchasing Division.

Anthony P. Landolfi, 62 Auburn street, clerk-typist, $48 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Maureen Iretan, 48 Glenwood road, Somerville, floor duty nurse, $60.50 a week.

Penal Institutions Department.

House of Correction

Arthur M. Cardarelli, 4 E Street place, South Boston, correction officer, $70.50 a week.

Step-Rate Increases.

Administrative Services Department.

Printing Section.

James J. Duffy, head administrative clerk, from $113 to $117.75 a week.

Building Department.

John James McNeil, elevator inspector, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Health Department.

Theresa M. Meads (nee Poto), clerk and typist, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Annabell M. Dervan, supervising public health nurse, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Marie Burke, dental hygienist, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Edward Kelleher, cashier, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Hospital Department.

Main Division.

Donald T. Fenton, ambulance and medical aid man, from $55.50 to $60.50 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

Rosemary DeLuca, clerk and typist, from $15.50 to $18 a week.

Evelyn Kravitz, dietitian, from $80 to $83.50 a week.

Dorothea Kosta, hospital medical worker, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Edward Horrigan, senior hospital kitchen worker, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

James Smyth, hospital kitchen worker, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Parks and Recreation Department.

Irving Bartlett, laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Henry T. Bergen, laborer, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

William Bonner, gardener, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Raymond J. Boyd, senior engineering aid, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Joseph O. Cabana, gardener, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Luigi Cedrone, park keeper, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Robert Cole, machinist, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Vincent D. Connolly, laborer, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

William L. Cotter, heavy motor equipment operator, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

John T. Crickard, laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

John J. Curran, laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Francis G. Estey, laborer, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

William F. Henderson, Jr., superintendent of recreation, from $87 to $90.50 a week.

James H. Kane, laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Thomas F. Kearns, laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Francis Kelly, gardener, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Arthur Kennedy, motor equipment operator, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Simon Liebster, laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

William McSweeney, motor equipment operator, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Lester L. Morris, laborer, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

Joseph M. O'Brien, laborer, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

Peter J. O'Malley, park keeper, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Ralph Sannella, laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Joseph W. Stoddard, park maintenance man, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Irving Wait, motor equipment operator, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

James J. Woods, laborer, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Cemetery Division.

Erwin Hainline, heavy motor equipment operator, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Donald Callow, maintenance machinist (mechanical), from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Penal Institutions Department.

House of Correction.

Leo Pitts, correction officer, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Frederick D. O'Connor, correction officer, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Veterans' Services Department.

Mary E. Holland, veterans' services investigator, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

Superior Court.

Criminal Sessions.

Marie G. Healy, principal clerk, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Civil Business.

Helen V. Mahoney, senior clerk, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Virginia B. Cullen, clerk, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Municipal Court of Boston.

Mary J McCaffrey, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Josephine E. Petitto, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Ann M. Magnifico, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Municipal Court, Charlestown District.

Jeremiah F. Brennan, clerk, from $113 to $117.75 a week.

Municipal Court, Brighton District.

Dorothy V. Kelley, senior clerk, from $263.18 to $274.05 a month.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following requests:

Boston Retirement Board.

For the week ending June 14:

Jerry R. Colella, senior pension examiner, 24 hours, $72.

M. S. McCrann, disability pension analyst, 9½ hours, $28.50.

Parks and Recreation Department.

Cemetery Division.

For the week ending June 28:

William H. Hawkins, supervisor, Mt. Hope Cemetery, 36 hours, $81.45; Charles F. Guiney, foreman, Fairview Cemetery, 44 hours, $91.85; Edwin W. Banks, foreman, Evergreen Cemetery, 46 hours, $92; Joseph P. Brooks, head clerk, 36 hours, $81.45.

VETERANS' RETIREMENTS.

The Mayor has approved the following veterans' applications for retirement:

George W. O'Donnell, 34 Rangeley street, Dorchester, captain, Seventh Division, Police Department.

Paul Thomas Harrington, 2 Brookvale street, Dorchester, third-class stationary engineer, Sanatorium Division, Hospital Department.

Walter P. Crowley, 43 Norton street, Dorchester, interior electrical inspector, Electrical Inspection Division, Building Department.

Timothy C. Doherty, 50 Iffley road, Jamaica Plain, teller, Collecting Division, Treasury Department.

Fred Holmes, 14 Vermont street, West Roxbury, master, Roxbury Memorial High School (Boys).

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award the contracts for work, materials, and supplies, in accordance with recommendations of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

Administrative Services Department.

Purchasing Division.

Upon July 1 the Mayor approved a contract with Commercial Refrigeration Company for furnishing one walk-in deep freeze refrigerator and refrigerating equipment to the Sanatorium Division. Approximate total amount of contract was $4,672, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids, opened June 16, were as follows:

Refrigerator and Refrigerating Equipment.

Item 1. One Walk-In Deep Freeze Refrigerator, Total Cost, As Per Specifications.—Commercial Refrigeration Company, $3,680*; Jarvis Engineering Company, $4,256; Miller & Seddon Company, Inc., $3,796; Automatic Refrigerating Company, $4,010; United Cork Companies, $3,910.

Earliest Delivery and Installation Date After Receipt of Order.—Commercial Refrigeration Company, 7 days; Jarvis Engineering Company, 30 days; Miller & Seddon Company, Inc., 3 weeks; Automatic Refrigerating Company, shipment at once, work to start on delivery, sectional freezer built in factory before shipment to job; United Cork Companies, 2 weeks from receipt of signed order.

Item 2. Mechanical Refrigerating Equipment, As Per Specifications.—Commercial Refrigeration Company, $992*; Jarvis Engineering Company, $1,556; Miller & Seddon Company, Inc., $1,392; Automatic Refrigerating Company, $1,370.

Earliest Completion Date for Delivery and Installation After Receipt of Order.—Commercial Refrigeration Company, 7 days; Jarvis Engineering Company, 30 days; Miller & Seddon Company, Inc., 3 weeks; Automatic Refrigerating Company, shipment at once, work to start upon delivery.

Discount.—Commercial Refrigeration Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Jarvis Engineering Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Miller & Seddon Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Automatic Refrigerating Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; United Cork Companies, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Remarks.—Jarvis Engineering Company, Item 1, have figured on using Model Z500 WL Copeland 5-horsepower sealed unit; have figured to use Model LT366 Larkin which has a capacity

of 2,400 c.f.m.; Item 2, the condensing unit will be a Model WUW150FS Worthington which has a capacity of 16,600 b.t.u. at 20 degree suction when operating at 790 r.p.m., the rest of the material is as per the specifications.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon July 1 the Mayor approved a contract as requested in the following letter:

BOSTON, June 28, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

Bids on proposals for furnishing copper service tubing to the Water Division of the Public Works Department were publicly opened and read in this office on June 27, 1955. Tabulation of prices received is attached.

Authority is requested to award a contract to George A. Hamlin, doing business as George A. Hamlin & Co., the only bidder quoting a firm price. Price is as indicated on the accompanying tabulation.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $5,811, less one half of 1 per cent discount for payment within 10 days.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

Bids were as follows:

Requisition No. 313.

Copper Service Tube.

(All Tubing To Be in Accordance with ASTM Specifications 88–51.)

15,000 Feet Copper Service Tube, ¾-Inch, Type K, Soft, 250 60-Foot Coils, Per Foot.—George A. Hamlin & Co., 38.74 cents*; John A. McDonald Company, 38.50 cents.

Discount.—George A. Hamlin & Co., one half of 1 per cent, 10 days; John A. McDonald Company, one half per cent.

Trade Name of Product Upon Which Bid is Based.—George A. Hamlin & Co., United Wire Corporation; John A. McDonald Company, Lewin-Mathes.

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—George A. Hamlin & Co., immediate delivery; John A. McDonald Company, at once after ending of truck strike.

Remarks.—John A. McDonald Company, prices are quoted with the understanding that any increase established by the manufacturer on or before the delivery of the above material, will be added to quoted price at the manufacturer or producing level.

* Contract awarded.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Upon July 1 the Mayor approved a contract with John M. Kennedy & Co., Inc., for interior and exterior painting, including fire escapes, at the Chapman School. Bids, opened June 27, were as follows:

John M. Kennedy & Co., Inc., $8,918; Nicholas Bello, $9,800; R & F Painting Company, $10,500; John A. Emanuel, $11,580; Kabot Painting Company, $11,813.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Upon June 28 the Mayor approved a contract with J. A. Susi & Sons, Inc., for bituminous concrete pavement in Pond street, Ward 19, for the estimated amount of $23,448.50. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed December 31, 1955. The following bids were received June 23:

J. A. Susi & Sons, Inc., $23,448.50; S. J. Tomasello Corporation, $23,713; Faletra Brothers, Inc., $25,969.50.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Upon June 28 the Mayor approved the following correction of contract:

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

SUBJECT: International Business Machines Corporation Contract.

DEAR SIR:

On March 29, 1955, your approval was received for this department to execute a contract with the International Business Machines Corporation for the lease of certain International Business Machines Corporation equipment.

In error, the "not to exceed" total cost of the contract for the year was quoted as "thirty-two thousand five hundred and five (32,505) dollars." The gross amount of the contract should have read "thirty-three thousand one hundred and five (33,105) dollars."

Permission is now requested to amend the original contract to reflect the proper figure.

Very truly yours,

WILLIAM F. LALLY,
Deputy Welfare Agent.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

Upon varying dates as indicated the Mayor approved contracts for furnishing supplies, labor, etc. Communications from heads of the departments interested were as follows:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.
Purchasing Division.

BOSTON, June 23, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The Sanatorium Division has submitted a requisition to this office for one (1) new 1955 Dodge station wagon to be delivered immediately.

Inasmuch as time is of the essence, informal requests for prices were solicited from several dealers. Three bids were received. Authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to Westminster Motors, Inc., who was the lowest bidder on the informal written quotations. It is my opinion that by awarding the contract to this company the best interests of the city will be served.

Approximate total amount of contract will be as follows:

1955 Dodge, V8, four-door, three-seat, Sierra, with equipment as specified, $3,405.60, less allowance on 1949 station wagon, $1,206.20—$2,199, less recoverable tax on Sierra suburban, $185.75, net total, $2,013.25.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, June 27, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The Fire Department has submitted a requisition for rope fenders for the fireboats, Engines 31 and 47.

Inasmuch as time is of the essence, informal written quotations were solicited from several companies. The following bids were received:

John F. Conroy, doing business as Atlantic Rope Company, $6,156.88, less one half of 1 per cent for payment in 10 days; Newton Awning Company, Inc., $6,460, net; R. C. Allen Company, $6,600, net.

Inasmuch as these fenders are needed immediately and since prices have been received from suppliers of this type of merchandise, authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to John F. Conroy, doing business as Atlantic Rope Company, the lowest bidder on the informal requests for prices. It is my opinion that, in this way, the best interests of the city will be served.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $6,156.88, less one half of 1 per cent for payment in 10 days.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, June 27, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office is in receipt of a requisition from the Auditing Department for three Burroughs sensimatic accounting machines, Style F303, specials with control panel, set of journal bands and rear form chute assembly. This equipment can be purchased direct from the manufacturer, Burroughs Corporation. The following prices have been submitted by this company:

Three Burroughs sensimatic accounting machines, Style F303, specials, at $3,946 each, $11,838; one control panel, $150; one set journal bands, $12; one rear form chute assembly, $21—$12,021; less 10 per cent government discount, $1,202.10—$10,818.90; less credit on trade-in of three Burroughs accounting machines, Class 301700, No. 777570, No. 777571, No. 777572, $300—$10,518.90.

Inasmuch as this equipment will be purchased direct from the manufacturer, authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to Burroughs Corporation.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $10,518.90, net.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, June 27, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The Public Works Department has submitted requisitions to this office for the immediate delivery of Worthington Gamon meter parts to the Water Division. These parts are manufactured only by Worthington-Gamon Meter Division, Worthington Corporation. Prices have been received from this company.

Inasmuch as the above company is the only manufacturer for the meter parts requested, authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to Worthington-Gamon Meter Division, Worthington Corporation, at the prices submitted on quotations numbered 9-460, 9-461, 9-462, 9-463, 9-464, and 9-465, which are on file in this office.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $5,551.80, net, f.o.b. Newark, New Jersey.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, June 28, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office is in receipt of a requisition from the Auditing Department for payroll forms. These forms are patented and obtainable only from Moore Business Forms, Inc., 285 Columbus avenue, Boston.

The following price has been submitted by this company:

75,000 3-part Final and 10,000 3-part Preliminary at $42.28 per M.

Inasmuch as Moore Business Forms, Inc., is the only source of supply, authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to this company for the forms requested at the above price. It is my opinion that, in this way, the best interests of the city will be served.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $3,593.80, net.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, June 28, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

On June 13, 1955, bids on proposals for furnishing one (1) South Bend lathe to Long Island Hospital were to be publicly opened and read in this office. However, no bids were received.

Packard Machinery Company, the only local distributor for South Bend lathes, has since submitted an informal written quotation. Inasmuch as Packard Machinery Company is the only local distributor for this type of equipment and since no bids were received in this office on the public advertisement, it is my opinion that readvertising for public bids would serve no purpose.

It is therefore requested that authority be granted me to dispense with publicly advertising for bids and award a contract, without public advertisement, to Packard Machinery Company. It is my opinion that, in this way, the best interests of the city will be served.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $1,916.40, less 2 per cent discount for payment within 10 days, net, 30 days.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, June 28, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The Auditing Department has submitted a requisition to this office for the following:

Two Underwood Sundstrand Multiple Adding Machines, Model 10140P.

Two Underwood Sundstrand Printing Calculators, Model 10140PC.

These machines can be purchased direct from the manufacturer, Underwood Corporation, which has submitted the following prices:

Two adding machines at $375 each, $750; two printing calculators at $495 each, $990—$1,740—less 20 per cent discount, $348—$1,392; less trade-in on Sundstrand, 359937, $90—$1,302.

Inasmuch as these machines will be purchased direct from the manufacturer, authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to Underwood Corporation.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $1,302, net.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

BOSTON, June 24, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

SUBJECT: Jamaica Plain High School.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

An emergency requiring immediate action was discovered during examination of roof of Jamaica Plain High School to determine the necessity for extensive roof repairs. It was found that a large dormer located in the front tower of the building was in danger of falling. Its location, directly over an entrance to the building, was such that John J. Hourihan of 27 Dixwell street, Jamaica Plain, was assigned to remove the dormer in its entirety and reframe and reslate the opening.

To accomplish this work it was necessary to erect two scaffolds, one inside and one outside the building, and the entire work, still in progress, will cause an expenditure not to exceed $1,400.

The nature of the work was such, and the condition discovered so dangerous, that I could not permit a delay and the work was authorized. Consequently, I ask that you approve such procedure with the understanding that public advertising be dispensed with and a contract negotiated with John J. Hourihan, 27 Dixwell street, Jamaica Plain, in an amount not to exceed $1,400.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES H. MOONEY,
Superintendent of Construction.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, June 23, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR:

We are now making our annual arrangements for the floodlighting of certain of our night baseball and football games. The present plans call for at least one floodlighted game in each section of the city during the baseball and football seasons. It is not possible to floodlight all the areas for which we receive requests, but by scheduling at least one night game in each section, we feel we are making a fair distribution of this recreation feature.

During all the years that we have been floodlighting games, the lighting service has been furnished by the Lashua Portable Lighting, Inc., 594 Washington street, Stoughton, Mass. This company floodlights practically all the night athletic events held in the eastern part of the country where there are no permanent installations for floodlights. It is the only concern in this area with the equipment and men needed for furnishing this service.

We will floodlight approximately 10 baseball games and 21 football games during the 1955 season. In recent years we have been paying the Lashua Company for this service at the rate of $150 for floodlighting of baseball games and $200 for football games. The company has agreed to furnish the service this year at the same rate as in previous years, which includes the furnishing and setting up of equipment, floodlighting the entire field, furnishing all necessary labor, insurance, etc.

I am of the opinion that nothing would be gained by advertising for bids and, accordingly, I request that we be allowed to award a contract, without public advertising for bids, to the Lashua Portable Lighting, Inc., 594 Washington street, Stoughton, Mass., for floodlighting 10 baseball games at a price of $150 per game and 21 football games at a price of $200 per game, the total contract price not to exceed $5,700, to be charged to Budget Item 299 in the Parks and Recreation Department budget.

Respectfully yours,

FRANK R. KELLEY,
Commissioner.

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BOSTON, June 29, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR:

The refreshment and boat privilege at the Boat Landing at Jamaica Pond expires on June 30, 1955.

This privilege has been held for more than thirty-five years by Mrs. Elizabeth Curtis of 477 Talbot avenue, Dorchester. She has paid an annual rental fee of $600 to the city for this privilege. Mrs. Curtis is a widow. She has conducted this concession in a manner satisfactory to the Parks and Recreation Commission and has discharged her financial obligations to the city when due.

Therefore, I respectfully request your approval for the award of another license for a period of five years beginning July 1, 1955, to Mrs. Elizabeth Curtis, at the same rate she is now paying, namely, $600 per year.

Respectfully yours,

FRANK R. KELLEY,
Commissioner.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, June 16, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The department operates 30 heavy-duty Walter snow fighter trucks during the winter months on snow plowing, sanding, and salting work. It is most essential to have these units in good operating condition at all times, due to the emergency nature of the work on which they are engaged. It is difficult for the department mechanics to keep these units in good repair because of the many other vehicles that the mechanics are required to repair.

Recently, a survey of the above-referenced heavy-duty equipment was made by representatives of the Automotive Division of this department, and it was determined that major repairs should be made during the summer months to eight units. It was further estimated that the cost of effecting the repairs and installing heaters and defroster on six of the units would approximate $7,300. I feel that it is more

economical and more satisfactory, from every point of view, to have this repair work—which is of a very specialized nature—done by the local distributor for Walter trucks in this area.

For the past three years, repairs to these units have been made by the Charles N. Wood Company, the authorized dealer of Walter trucks in this area. The work of the latter-referenced has been most satisfactory, and I feel that it would be advantageous to the city at this time to award a contract to the Wood Company which would provide for the effecting of repairs to the units selected by Acting Division Engineer Stewart of the Automotive Division.

I respectfully request, therefore, your authorization to dispense with advertising, and to award a contract to the Charles N. Wood Company, in an amount not to exceed $7,300, for effecting whatever repairs are necessary to the Walter snow fighter trucks during the current year, with the understanding that the work will be authorized and assigned by Acting Division Engineer James H. Stewart of the Automotive Division, and with the further understanding that the city makes no commitment as to the volume of work to be sent to the Wood Company. All repair work will be done in the presence of an inspector from the Automotive Division, and at agreed rates for labor and parts used on the work.

Respectfully yours,

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, June 16, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR:

This department has a contract with John R. Lentine of 50 South street, Jamaica Plain, the low bidder, for changing over elevator at City Hall from D.C. to A.C. current, with necessary electrical work in the amount of $1,500.

When contract was nearing completion, the City of Boston Wire Division ordered us to install a 400-ampere switch and also new outlet, switch and receptacle in the elevator penthouse. These were not included in the original contract, and this extra work amounts to $402.40.

As we had no way of anticipating this added electrical work and it is in the interests of public safety, I respectfully ask permission to amend this contract with John R. Lentine to read $1,902.40, an addition of $402.40, without the usual public advertisement.

Very truly yours,

GEORGE P. DONOVAN,
Assistant Commissioner.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

BOSTON, June 23, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

Funds were allowed in the 1955 supplementary Jail budget for the erection of a chain link fence to enclose the inmates' exercise area in the jail yard. Approximately 365 feet of chain link fencing with 31 feet of gates will be required to complete this work.

This enclosure will provide a greater measure of security during exercise periods and because the outdoor exercise is allowed during the summer I should like to have this fencing installed as soon as possible.

Proposals were invited from three reputable local firms and the amounts submitted for this project are as follows:

P. J. Dinn & Co., $2,160; Yeoman's O'Connell Company, $2,087; Boston Chain Link Fence Company, $1,978.

I feel that there would be no further benefit for the City of Boston to publicly advertise for this type of work and with the time element in mind, I respectfully request your permission to award a contract to the lowest bidder, Boston Chain Link Fence Company, of Boston, for the immediate construction of this enclosure.

Respectfully yours,

FREDERICK R. SULLIVAN,
Sheriff.

AMENDMENTS TO ORIGINAL AWARDS OF DAMAGES.

The Public Improvement Commission has voted as follows:

That the amount of $150 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Henry N. and Anna T. Nelson for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of June 26, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Chestnut square, West Roxbury.

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That the amount of $700 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Nicholas G. Beram, Veterans' Association, Inc., for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of April 30, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Beram avenue, West Roxbury.

OMIT AND SUBSTITUTE WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

J. A. Susi & Sons, Inc., have been directed to omit and substitute the following work under the contract for bituminous concrete pavement in Alvarado avenue, Chesterfield street, Danny road, Manila avenue, Reynold road, and Vallaro road, dated April 28, 1955:

In Danny road omit approximately 25 tons of stone dust sidewalks at $3 per ton.

In Danny road furnish and lay bituminous concrete sidewalks on northerly side instead of stone dust sidewalks. These sidewalks will require approximately 70 tons of bituminous concrete base at $11 per ton and approximately 70 tons of bituminous concrete wearing surface at $11 per ton.

Estimated cost of substituted work, $1,540.

Estimated cost of omitted work, $75.

Estimated increase in cost, $1,465.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Faletra Brothers, Inc., 115 Providence street, Hyde Park, for construction of underpass, walks, stairs, etc., in Brookway Footpath, Bradeen Street Footway, and Brookway terrace, from June 15, 1955, to August 1, 1955. This extension was requested because the contractor was ordered to do additional fence work under this contract.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Park Construction Company, Inc., 40 Court street, Boston, for construction of office building and garage, Arborway and Forest Hills street, Ward 11, from June 30, 1955, to July 29, 1955. This extension was requested because the contractor was authorized to do additional painting.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with McKie Lighter Company, 51 Sleeper street, Boston, for repairing fender piers, Warren Bridge, from May 26, 1955, to June 15, 1955. This extension was requested because the contractor was delayed on account of not being able to obtain early delivery of piles necessary for this work.

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Works Department for the following construction work:

Five drop inlets and five existing catch basins be converted to manholes in Cemetery road, between Forest Hills street and Morton street, in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of $1,000.

A 10-inch pipe surface drain, 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer, and eight catch basins and one drop inlet in Brook Farm road, between La Grange street and Lyall street, in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of $9,000.

A 10-inch pipe surface drain and one catch basin in private land, between Ackley place and Brookside Avenue Playground, in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of $2,000.

A 24-inch and 12-inch pipe surface drain and 12-inch pipe sanitary sewer in Dania street, between Cookson terrace and West Selden street, in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of $8,500.

A 24-inch pipe surface drain and 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer in Crossman street and private land, between Faunce road and 145 feet northerly and easterly (to existing surface drain), in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of $2,000.

A 24-inch and 12-inch pipe surface drain and 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer and two catch basins in Constitution road, between Crossman street and end, in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of $5,800.

A 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer and 10-inch pipe surface drain in Viking terrace, between Dania street and end, in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of $2,300.

A 24-inch pipe surface drain in Cookson terrace, between Mamelon Circle and Dania street, in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of $3,700.

A 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer and 10-inch pipe surface drain in Jamestown terrace, between Dania street and end, in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of $2,300.

A 72-inch, 48-inch, 36-inch, 24-inch and 18-inch pipe conduit in Stony Brook, Section 18, between Grew Avenue Extension (opposite Willow street), Sec-

tion 17, and Bald Knob road (near Gordon avenue), in the Hyde Park district, at an estimated cost of $500,000.

Tributary branches in Providence street, Child street, Austin street, Marston street, and private land.

SEWERAGE WORKS IN PROVIDENCE STREET, HYDE PARK.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that the right and easement be taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings, or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands, not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings, or other structures standing upon the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within thirty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 1458, Sewerage Works, Providence Street, Hyde Park, May 19, 1955, George G. Hyland, Commissioner of Public Works," deposited in this office and said lands are in that part of Boston called Hyde Park, and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, belonging to person or persons unknown, being a part of the private way known as Providence street, bounded:

Southerly by said Providence street and by a City of Boston sewer easement taken May 9, 1917, forty feet; westerly by the Boston & Providence Railroad Corporation by four measurements, ten feet, one hundred and 45/100 feet, two hundred thirty-two and 88/100 feet on a curve of seven thousand three hundred fifty-two and 40/100 feet radius, and three hundred fifty feet; northerly by another portion of said Providence street, forty feet; and easterly by land supposed to belong to Percy J. L. Peardon, Simon Keller, trustees, Hyde Park Automobile Company, Car Transport Company, Harry P. Harwich, and Lionel Goldman, by four measurements, three hundred fifty feet, two hundred thirty-four and 15/100 feet on a curve of seven thousand three hundred ninety-two and 40/100 feet radius, one hundred one and 65/100 feet, and ten and 52/100 feet; containing twenty-seven thousand seven hundred ninety-three square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to the Boston & Providence Railroad Corporation, bounded:

Easterly by land hereinbefore described as taken from person or persons unknown, being a part of the private way known as Providence street, twelve feet; southerly by other land of the Boston & Providence Railroad Corporation, sixty-six feet; westerly by land hereinafter described as taken from Salvatore and Carmela Mazzarella, twelve feet; and northerly again by land of said Boston & Providence Railroad Corporation, sixty-six feet; containing seven hundred ninety-two square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Salvatore and Carmela Mazzarella, bounded:

Easterly by land hereinbefore described as taken from Boston & Providence Railroad Corporation and other land of the Boston & Providence Railroad Corporation, fifty and 06/100 feet; southerly by land supposed to belong to the City of Boston, forty and 05/100 feet; westerly by other land of said Salvatore and Carmela Mazzarella, fifty and 06/100 feet; and northerly by other land hereinafter described as taken from Domenic, Grace, and Louis Trocano, forty and 05/100 feet; containing two thousand two square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Domenic, Grace, and Louis Trocano, bounded:

Southerly by land hereinbefore described as taken from Salvatore and Carmela Mazzarella, forty and 05/100 feet; westerly by other land of said Domenic Trocano *et al.*, fifty and 06/100 feet; northerly by land hereinafter described as taken from Giacomo and Elisabetta Maratea, forty and 05/100 feet; and easterly by land supposed to belong to the Boston & Providence Railroad Corporation, fifty and 06/100 feet; containing two thousand two square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Giacomo and Elisabetta Maratea, bounded:

Southerly by land hereinbefore described as taken from Domenic Trocano *et al.*, forty and 05/100 feet; westerly by other land of Giacomo and Elisabetta Maretea, fifty and 06/100 feet; northerly by land hereinafter described as taken from Emily and Philomena Spolsino, forty and 05/100 feet; and easterly by land supposed to belong to the Boston & Providence Railroad Corporation, fifty and 06/100 feet; containing two thousand two square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Emily and Philomena Spolsino, bounded:

Southerly by land hereinbefore described as taken from Giacomo and Elisabetta Maretea, forty and 05/100 feet; westerly by other land of Emily and Philomena Spolsino, fifty and 06/100 feet; northerly by land hereinafter described as taken from James A. and Anna M. Martin, forty and 05/100 feet; and easterly by land supposed to belong to the Boston & Providence Railroad Corporation, fifty and 06/100 feet; containing two thousand two square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to James A. and Anna M. Martin, bounded:

Southerly by land hereinbefore described as taken from Emily and Philomena Spolsino, forty and 05/100 feet; westerly by other land of James A. Martin and Anna M. Martin, fifty and 05/100 feet; northerly by land hereinafter described as taken from Robert A. and Doris D. Williams, forty and 05/100 feet; and easterly by land supposed to belong to the Boston & Providence Railroad Corporation, fifty and 06/100 feet; containing two thousand two square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Robert A. and Doris D. Williams, bounded:

Southerly by land hereinbefore described as taken from James A. Martin and Anna M. Martin, forty and 05/100 feet; westerly by other land of Robert A. and Doris D. Williams, fifty and 06/100 feet; northerly by land hereinafter described as taken from Joseph E. Rosata, forty and 05/100 feet; and easterly by land supposed to belong to the Boston & Providence Railroad Corporation, fifty and 06/100 feet; containing two thousand two square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Joseph E. Rosata, bounded:

Southerly by land hereinbefore described as taken from Robert A. and Doris D. Williams, forty and 05/100 feet; westerly by other land of Joseph E. Rosata, fifty and 06/100 feet; northerly by land hereinafter described as taken from Sevenel Inc., forty and 05/100 feet; and easterly by land supposed to belong to the Boston & Providence Railroad Corporation, fifty and 06/100 feet; containing two thousand two square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Sevenel Inc., bounded:

Southerly by land hereinbefore described as taken from Joseph E. Rosata, forty and 05/100 feet; westerly by other land of said Sevenel Inc., one hundred and 12/100 feet; northerly by land hereinafter described as taken from Anthony and Lena Lacorazza, forty and 05/100 feet; and easterly by land supposed to belong to the Boston & Providence Railroad Corporation, one hundred and 12/100 feet; containing four thousand four square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Anthony and Lena Lacorazza, bounded:

Southerly by land hereinbefore described as taken from Sevenel Inc., forty and 05/100 feet; westerly by other land of Anthony and Lena Lacorazza, one hundred and 12/100 feet; northerly by land taken by the City of Boston for sewer purposes (Stony Brook), April 30, 1954, forty and 05/100 feet; and easterly by land supposed to belong to the Boston & Providence Railroad Corporation, one hundred and 12/100 feet; containing four thousand four square feet, more or less.

There is to be built in the above-described easements 1,220 linear feet of 36-inch pipe surface drain and 105 linear feet of 48-inch pipe surface drain at an estimated cost of $91,000.

No betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Voted, That this commission determines that the undermentioned persons sustain no damages in their estates by the taking of an easement for sewerage purposes and the construction of sewerage works in Providence street, Hyde Park district, under the order of the commission of June 22, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

Owners unknown (Providence street), 27,793 square feet, nothing.

Boston & Providence Railroad Corporation, 792 square feet, nothing.

Salvatore and Carmela Mazzarella, 2,002 square feet, nothing.

Domenic, Grace, and Louis Trocano, 2,002 square feet, nothing.

Giacomo and Elisabetta Maretea, 2,002 square feet, nothing.

Emily and Philomena Spolsino, 2,002 square feet, nothing.

James A. and Anna M. Martin, 2,002 square feet, nothing.

Robert A. and Doris D. Williams, 2,002 square feet, nothing.

Joseph E. Rosata, 2,002 square feet, nothing.

Sevenel Inc., 4,004 square feet, nothing.

Anthony and Lena Lacorazza, 4,004 square feet, nothing.

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 38.

I. RETIREMENTS.

The following retirement, in accordance with section 57, chapter 32, General Laws, as amended, which became effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, June 22, 1955, is hereby announced:

Senior Fire Alarm Operator Caesar Mikolajewski, Fire Alarm Division.

The following retirements, in accordance with section 7, chapter 32, General Laws, as amended, effective at 8 A.M., Friday, July 1, 1955, are hereby announced:

Fire Lieutenant Jeremiah E. Mahoney, Engine Company 26.

Fire Fighter Arthur D. Brownell, Engine Company 48.

Fire Lieutenant Mahoney was appointed to the department March 23, 1931, and was promoted to the grade of lieutenant October 25, 1946. Senior Fire Alarm Operator Mikolajewski was appointed to the department March 31, 1933. Fire Fighter Brownell was appointed to the department February 8, 1929.

The foregoing named leave the department with the best wishes of their associates.

II. BOSTON AUTOMATIC ASSIGNMENT.

Company commanders shall add the following signal number to running cards of the Boston Automatic Fire Alarm Division in this department:

Signal 324, 60 Washington street, Haymarket Co-operative Bank.

Apparatus to respond: Engine 4, Ladder 24, District Chief 3. Nearest box is 1323.

III. DISCONTINUANCE OF BOSTON AUTOMATIC SIGNALS.

Notice has been received from the Boston Automatic Fire Alarm Division of the Automatic Fire Alarm Company that the following signals have been discontinued:

Signal 312, 34, 36, and 38 Lincoln street.

Signal 313, 40 and 42 Lincoln street.

Signal 475, 141-149 Essex street, corner Essex place.

Signal 476, 151-157 Essex street, corner Lincoln street.

Signal 537, 87-93 Lincoln street, corner Tufts street.

Signal 1431, building No. 1, 99 Lincoln street.

Signal 1638, 41 Waltham street, Washingtonian Hospital.

IV. EXAMINATION FOR PROMOTION TO DEPUTY FIRE CHIEF.

Notice has been received from the Department of Civil Service that an examination for promotion to deputy fire chief, Boston Fire Department, will be held on August 12, 1955.

The examination is open to permanent district fire chiefs in the Boston Fire Department who have been employed in this grade, after certification, for at least one year prior to the date of examination.

The duties are the regular duties of a deputy fire chief, and the subject and weights of the examination are as follows: Experience, 3; report, 2; practical questions, 10; total, 15.

Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Application blanks may be obtained in the office of the Fire Commissioner, 115 Southampton street, Boston. When completed, applications should be sent to the Division of Civil Service, Room 148, State House, Boston, Mass. Applications must be placed on file not later than Friday, July 22, 1955.

Under the provisions of chapter 708 of the Acts of 1941, as amended, persons unable to compete in a competitive promotional examination because of absence in military or naval service may be given a qualifying promotional examination if request, in writing, is made within six months after the termination of such service.

Applicants will be notified at a later date of the time and place of examination.

Civil Service posters concerning this examination are being issued with this general order, and one copy is to be posted in a conspicuous place in each Fire Department building.

V. EXAMINATION FOR PROMOTION TO DISTRICT FIRE CHIEF.

Notice has been received from the Department of Civil Service that an examination for promotion to district fire chief will be held on August 19, 1955.

The examination is open to permanent fire captains in the Boston Fire Department who have been employed in this grade, after certification, for at least one year prior to date of examination.

The duties are the regular duties of a district fire chief, and the subject and weights of the examination are as follows: Experience, 3; report, 2; practical questions, 10; total, 15.

Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Application blanks may be obtained in the office of the Fire Commissioner, 115 Southampton street, Boston. When completed, applications should be sent to the Division of Civil Service, Room 148, State House, Boston, Mass. Applications must be placed on file not later than Friday, July 29, 1955.

Under the provisions of chapter 708 of the Acts of 1941, as amended, persons unable to compete in a competitive promotional examination because of absence in military or naval service may be given a qualifying promotional examination if request, in writing, is made within six months after the termination of such service.

Applicants will be notified at a later date of the time and place of examination.

Civil Service posters concerning this examination are being issued with this general order, and one copy is to be posted in a conspicuous place in each Fire Department building.

VI. EXAMINATION FOR PROMOTION TO FIRE LIEUTENANT.

Notice has been received from the Department of Civil Service that an examination for promotion to fire lieutenant will be held on August 26, 1955.

The examination is open to permanent fire fighters in the Boston Fire Department who have been employed in this grade, after certification, for at least three years prior to the date of examination.

The duties are the regular duties of a fire lieutenant, and the subject and weights of the examination are as follows: Experience, 1; practical questions, 4; total, 5.

Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Application blanks may be obtained in the office of the Fire Commissioner, 115 Southampton street, Boston. When completed, applications should be sent to the Division of Civil Service, Room 148, State House, Boston, Mass. Applications must be placed on file not later than Friday, August 5, 1955.

Under the provisions of chapter 708 of the Acts of 1941, as amended, persons unable to compete in a competitive promotional examination because of absence in military or naval service may be given a qualifying promotional examination if request, in writing, is made within six months after the termination of such service.

Applicants will be notified at a later date of the time and place of examination.

Civil Service posters concerning this examination are being issued with this general order, and one copy is to be posted in a conspicuous place in each Fire Department building.

VII. COMMENDATION.

Fire Fighter George F. McCafferty of Engine Company 33 is hereby commended for responding to and working at fire, Box 1481, four alarms, on June 20, 1955, while off duty.

By order of Fire Commissioner FRANCIS X. COTTER.

JOHN V. STAPLETON,
Chief of Department.

General Order No. 39.

I. ASSIGNMENTS OF FIRE FIGHTERS.

The following assignments of fire fighters on probation which will become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, July 6, 1955, are hereby announced:

Thomas G. Slyman, to Engine Company 9.

John J. Donovan, to Engine Company 50.

Joseph M. Crawford, to Engine Squad 18.

Peter W. Judge, to Engine Company 56.

John J. Sheedy, to Engine Company 40.

Arthur D. Howell, to Engine Company 28.

Bernard F. Woods, to Engine Company 27.

John P. Fallon, to Engine Company 41.

Thomas F. Goodwin, to Engine Company 27.

Joseph L. Pistorino, to Engine Squad 18.

William J. O'Brien, to Ladder Company 26.

George V. Rull, to Ladder Company 15.

Robert M. Sweeney, to Ladder Company 24.

Walter P. Sullivan, to Ladder Company 9.

Joseph A. Reardon, to Engine Company 40.

These fire fighters on probation will attend department drill school starting Wednesday, July 6. They will report to their assigned companies for duty Saturday nights. They will be off duty Sundays.

II. TRANSFERS.

The following transfers will become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, July 6, 1955:

Fire Fighter Paul F. Condon, from Ladder 15 to Ladder 7.

Fire Fighter Charles F. Dewan, from Engine Squad 18 to Engine 13.

Fire Fighter Joseph E. Hughes, from Engine Squad 53 to Engine Squad 14.

Fire Fighter Henry J. Miller, from Engine 20 to Engine 43.

Fire Fighter Benjamin H. Fiske, from Engine 43 to Ladder 20.

Fire Fighter Donald F. Toomey, from Ladder 22 to Ladder 20.

Fire Fighter Francis X. Barry, from Engine 40 to Engine 3.

Fire Fighter James M. Foley, from Ladder 24 to Engine 31.

Fire Fighter Daniel G. Finnerty, from Ladder 10 to Engine Squad 53.

Fire Fighter Thomas E. Driscoll, from Engine 10 to Engine Squad 53.

Fire Fighter Thomas F. Gorham, from Engine 56 to Engine 21.

Fire Fighter John H. Shea, from Engine 27 to Engine 39.

Fire Fighter Andrew V. Smith, from Engine 50 to Ladder 12.

Fire Fighter William J. Walsh, from Ladder 7 to Engine 17.

Fire Fighter Cornelius F. Quinlan, from Engine 41 to Engine 51.

Fire Fighter Charles H. Dunbar, from Engine 5 to Engine 9.

Fire Fighter William C. Brown, from Engine Squad 18 to Ladder 12.

Fire Fighter William J. Kenneally, from Ladder 24 to Engine Squad 53.

Fire Fighter Thomas J. Callaghan, from Ladder 14 to Rescue Company.

Fire Fighter Stephen J. Gabrick, from Ladder 9 to Engine 42.

Fire Fighter Pasquale LaSelva, from Engine 29 to Ladder 11.

Fire Fighter John F. Gilbrook, from Engine 1 to Engine 25.

Fire Fighter William P. Doyle, from Engine 7 to Engine 26.

III. RETIREMENT RESCINDED.

The retirement of Fire Fighter Arthur D. Brownell of Engine Company 48 (announced in G. O. 38, c.s.) has been rescinded, effective at 8 A.M., Friday, July 1, 1955.

By order of Fire Commissioner FRANCIS X. COTTER.

JOHN V. STAPLETON,
Chief of Department.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of delivering and erecting new steeple of Old North Church, the following temporary traffic regulations are effective from 6 A.M. July 5, 1955, to 4 P.M. July 8, 1955:

Vehicles are excluded from the following streets:

Hull Street, Boston Proper.
From Snow Hill street to Salem street.

Salem Street, Boston Proper.
From Tileston street to Charter street.

Parking of vehicles is prohibited in the following streets:

Hull Street, Boston Proper.
Both sides, from Commercial street to Salem street.

Salem Street, Boston Proper.
Both sides, from Cross street to Charter street.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, occasioned by demolition of a building gutted by fire at the corner of Washington street and Common street, for a period estimated to be ten (10) days, vehicles are excluded from the following street, effective June 23, 1955:

Common Street, Boston Proper.
From Washington street to Tremont street.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway resurfacing, estimated to be thirty (30) days, vehicles are excluded from the following street, effective June 23, 1955:

Bickford Street, Roxbury.
From Heath street to Centre street.

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Voted, That the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective July 11, 1955:

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out the following:

Adams Street, Dorchester.
East side, from Dickens street to Dorchester avenue, 24 hours.
West side, from Dickens street to Dorchester avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Bunker Hill Street, Charlestown.
Both sides, from Chelsea street to Decatur street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Charlestown," the following:

Bunker Hill Street.
Northeast side, from Chelsea street to Hunter street, 24 hours.
Southwest side, from Chelsea street to Lowney Way, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Adams Street.
Both sides, from Dorchester avenue to Park street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 9 (Parking of Vehicles in Center of Roadway), is amended by striking out the following:

State Street, Boston Proper.
From McKinley square to Atlantic avenue, in the center of the roadway, within the lines indicated.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Freeport Street.
From William T. Morrissey Boulevard at the point where it intersects Freeport street two hundred and twenty (220) feet north of the extension of Conley street to Neponset avenue.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 2,063.

The following-named persons are hereby appointed permanent patrolmen in this department and are assigned as follows, effective Wednesday, June 29, 1955, at 11.30 o'clock A.M.:

Paul B. Farrell, Division 1.
Ermes Cametti, Division 2.
Anthony J. Kupstis, Jr., Division 3.
Cornelius J. Moynihan, Division 3.
Saul L. Stearns, Division 3.
Thomas F. Cashman, Jr., Division 4.
Fred P. Speranzo, Division 9.
Frank C. Hall, Jr., Division 16.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,064.

The following transfers are hereby ordered, to take effect on Thursday, June 30, 1955, at 7.45 o'clock A.M.:

Lieut. Warren A. Blair, from Division 1 to Division 4.

Sergt. Mark A. Fay, from Division 3 to City Prison.

Patrolman Thomas J. Kelly, Jr., from Division 1 to Division 11.

Patrolman Alton L. McKenney, from Division 16 to City Prison.

Patrolman John J. Gallagher, from Division 18 to Division 11.

Patrolman John F. O'Brien, from Traffic Division to City Prison.

Patrolman Arthur J. Vaughan, from Traffic Division to Superintendent's Office.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,065.

The resignation of Patrolman Walter P. Sullivan, of Division 18, having been presented, it is hereby accepted, to take effect Wednesday, July 6, 1955, at 7.45 o'clock A.M., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,066.

Capt. George W. O'Donnell, Division 7, honorably discharged veteran, having arrived at the age of fifty-four years, having been in service of Boston Police Department for twenty-six years, and having requested retirement under provisions of section 57, chapter 32, General Laws (Ter. Edit.), as amended, it is hereby

Ordered, His Honor the Mayor having approved the same, Capt. George W. O'Donnell will be retired from active duty in the Police Department, effective Tuesday, July 5, 1955, at 5.45 o'clock P.M.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

SEWERAGE WORKS IN STONY BROOK, HYDE PARK.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that the right and easement be taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands, not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings, or other structures standing upon the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within thirty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 1459, Sewerage Works, Stony Brook, Hyde Park, May 19, 1955, George G. Hyland, Commissioner of Public Works," deposited in this office, and said lands are in that part of Boston called Hyde Park, and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land supposed to belong to owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Beaver street, bounded:

Easterly by the northerly line of Austin street, forty feet; southerly by the southerly line of said Beaver street, two hundred thirty-one and 18/100 feet; westerly by another portion of said Beaver street, forty feet; northerly by the northerly line of said Beaver street, two hundred thirty-one and 18/100 feet; containing 9,247 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Albert P. Russo, bounded:

Northerly by land hereinbefore described as taken from owners unknown, being a portion of the private way known as Beaver street, twelve and 16/100 feet; easterly by other land of said Albert P. Russo, one hundred fifty-five and 17/100 feet; southerly by land hereinafter described as taken from John W. and Bonnie E. Burke, twelve and 16/100 feet; westerly by other land of Albert P. Russo, one hundred fifty-five feet; containing 1,886 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land supposed to belong to John W. and Bonnie E. Burke, bounded:

Northerly by land hereinbefore described as taken from Albert P. Russo, twelve and 16/100 feet; easterly by other land of said John W. Burke *et al.*, one hundred fifty feet; southerly by land hereinafter described as taken from owners unknown, being a portion of the private way known as Chestnut street, twelve and 16/100 feet; westerly by other land of John W. Burke *et al.*, one hundred fifty feet; containing 1,824 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to owners unknown, being a portion of the private way known as Chestnut street, bounded:

Northerly by land hereinbefore described as taken from John W. Burke *et al.*, twelve and 16/100 feet; southeasterly by another portion of said Chestnut street, thirty and 41/100 feet; southerly by the southerly line of said Chestnut street, twelve and 16/100 feet; northwesterly by another portion of said Chestnut street, thirty and 41/100 feet; containing 365 square feet, more or less.

There is to be built in the above-described easements 560 linear feet of 72-inch pipe surface drain.

It is further ordered that:

(*a*) 3,289 linear feet of 72-inch pipe surface drain be constructed in an existing easement taken April 30, 1954, for sewerage purposes in Hyde Park in private land adjacent to the westerly side of the Boston & Providence Railroad location from a point opposite Willow avenue to Austin street at a point near Beaver street;

(*b*) 204 linear feet of 72-inch pipe surface drain be constructed in Austin street, the public way, from Beaver street northerly;

(*c*) 607 linear feet of 72-inch pipe surface drain be constructed in an existing easement taken for sewerage purposes on October 19, 1928, in private land between Chestnut street and Gordon avenue;

(*d*) 291 linear feet of 72-inch pipe surface drain be constructed in Gordon avenue, the public way from a point 80 feet east of Child street to Bald Knob road;

(*e*) 165 linear feet of 72-inch pipe surface drain in Bald Knob road (an M.D.C. park road), from Gordon avenue southerly.

The total estimated cost is $346,000.

No betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Voted, That this commission determines that the undermentioned persons sustain no damages in their estates by the taking of an easement for sewerage purposes and the construction of sewerage works in Stony Brook, Beaver street and in private land between Beaver street and Chestnut street, Hyde Park district, under the order of the commission of June 22, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

Owners unknown (Beaver street), 9,247 square feet, nothing.

Albert P. Russo, 1,886 square feet, nothing.

John W. and Bonnie E. Burke, 1,824 square feet, nothing.

Owners unknown (Chestnut street), 365 square feet, nothing.

PLAY SUPERVISORS APPOINTED FOR SUMMER SEASON.

(*Continued from page 833.*)

Joanne B. Rogers, 60 Undine Road, Brighton.
Elizabeth A. Ryan, 32 Patterson Way, South Boston.
Mary B. Schofield, 50 Temple Street, Dorchester.
Maureen A. Shea, 128 O'Callaghan Way, South Boston.
Dorothy A. Sollitto, 27 Hayes Road, Roslindale.
Patricia C. Stokes, 160 Homestead Street, Roxbury.
Barbara Sullivan, 19 Clearwater Drive, Dorchester.
Carol A. Sullivan, 65 O'Reilly Way, Charlestown.
Eleanor F. Sullivan, 181 Wren Street, West Roxbury.
Ruth E. Sullivan, 11 Glenham Street, West Roxbury.
Barbara A. Tafe, 131 Spencer Street, Dorchester.
Evelyn Tallen, 102 Queensberry Street.
Georgia L. Thompson, 16 Wardman Road, Roxbury.
Barbara A. Wallace, 235 Dorchester Street, South Boston.
Judith A. Walsh, 20 Malcolm Road, Jamaica Plain.
Nancy L. Youngclaus, 26 Malta Street, Mattapan.
Frances Zetes, 15 Hartford Street, Dorchester.
Dolores C. Zizza, 72 St. Andrew Road, East Boston.
Thomas P. Athridge, Jr., 810 American Legion Highway, Roslindale.
Paul Bailey, 445 Blue Hill Avenue, Roxbury.
Charles Bernazzani, 151 Walworth Street, Roslindale.
Warren A. Burr, Jr., 27 Dix Street, Dorchester.
Harold L. Collins, 1104 Adams Street, Dorchester.
Irving L. Coppel, 47 Nazing Street, Roxbury.
Allan Curtis, 325 Pond Street, Jamaica Plain.
James J. Dana, 49 Everett Street, East Boston.
Robert C. Dever, 9 Leslie Street, Dorchester.
Robert E. Dinsmore, 113 Bunker Hill Street, Charlestown.
Paul G. Donahue, 84 Louder's Lane, Jamaica Plain.
William V. Durante, 873 Saratoga Street, East Boston.
Edward Fenton, 60 Tyndale Street, Roslindale.
Eugene F. Finamore, 22 Lockwood Street, Hyde Park.
James Fitzgerald, 422 Ashmont Street, Dorchester.
Stephen J. Fotos, 63 West Newton Street.
Arthur Fuller, 14 Dracut Street, Dorchester.
Robert J. Gravallese, 30 Drumlin Road, East Boston.
William C. Gustus, 50 Van Brunt Street, Hyde Park.
Robert J. Hasenfus, 15 Kirk Street, West Roxbury.
David T. Hill, 16 Edson Street, Dorchester.
Charles F. Hoar, Jr., 92 Lasell Street, West Roxbury.
Thomas M. Jackson, 118 Harrishof Street, Roxbury.
James J. Kenneally, 509 Columbia Road, Dorchester.
Thomas A. Kenneally, 178 Calumet Street, Roxbury.
John S. Kelsti, 4331 Washington Street, Roslindale.
James D. Leonard, 71 Hampstead Road, Jamaica Plain.
John W. Lyons, 4 Draper Street, Dorchester.
William J. Martin, Jr., 42 Cleveland Street, Hyde Park.
James H. McCue, 75 Pierce Avenue, Dorchester.
James D. McLaughlin, 40 Rockwell Street, Dorchester.
James J. McLaughlin, 5 Toledo Terrace, Dorchester.
John E. O'Connor, 28 Malcolm Road, Jamaica Plain.
Anthony J. Pagliarulo, 23 Orange Street, Roslindale.
Michael E. Rizzo, 347 Maverick Street, East Boston.
James R. Roach, 9 Sumner Place, Roxbury.
Peter R. Roach, 2A Florence Street.
Edward C. Roche, 12 Dorr Street, Roxbury.
William L. Smith, 118 West Concord Street.
Paul A. Svenson, 19 Dillingham Street.
Richard Talanian, Jr., 104 Arlington Street, Hyde Park.

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

John J. Boyle, 530 Newbury street, Boston, to be reimbursed in the sum of $75, as a result of an accident which occurred on February 5, 1955, when a motor truck belonging to the Water Division, Public Works Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by the Highland Hardware Company, Inc.

William P. Albanese, 11 Treadway road, Dorchester, to be reimbursed in the sum of $172, as a result of an accident which occurred on August 16, 1954, when a motor truck belonging to the Fire Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by William A. Brogan, Jr., causing personal injuries to William Bilton, a passenger.

Michael W. Farrell, 910 Harrison avenue, Roxbury, to be reimbursed in the sum of $32, as a result of an accident which occurred on February 1, 1955, when a motor vehicle belonging to the Parks and Recreation Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Bruce M. Gove.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS. (STATE SERVICE.)

EPIDEMIOLOGIST, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH, AUGUST 12, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Friday, July 22, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $5,880 a year; the maximum salary is $7,680 a year.

Vacancies: At present there is one vacancy, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: Under administrative direction to assist in the investigation, including the establishment of the diagnosis of single cases and epidemics, of communicable diseases; in the formulation of plans for their control, including the carrying out of the necessary prophylactic measures; in the tabulation and analysis of observations in regard to their occurrence; in carrying out planned field studies to add to the knowledge regarding them; and in the writing of reports, articles and papers to inform physicians, nurses and the public in regard to them; and to perform related work as required.

Examples of Duties: Investigating cases of typhoid fever, salmonellosis and shigellosis and searching for the source; assisting local boards of health in investigating food-borne epidemics; tabulating and analyzing morbidity and epidemiological records; writing articles for departmental publications and papers for scientific periodicals.

Ability in public speaking and in public relations is necessary, as well as knowledge of statistical procedures and communicable disease control.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants must have at least two years of full-time paid experience as a physician in public health work in a recognized agency. *Substitutions:* (1) Full-time experience in a recognized hospital as an interne or as a teaching fellow, or training in a recognized school of public health may be substituted year for year for the required experience. (2) Military medical, or private medical practice may be substituted for a maximum of one year of the required experience on the basis of two years of military or private practice for one year of the required experience.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR RECONSTRUCTION OF PARK DRIVE, BETWEEN BROOKLINE AVENUE AND BEACON STREET, BOSTON, MASS.

The Commissioner of Parks and Recreation of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, invites proposals for reconstruction of Park Drive, between Brookline avenue and Beacon street, Boston, Mass. Forms of proposals must be obtained at the Engineer's office of the Parks and Recreation Department, 33 Beacon street. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed and marked "Proposal for Reconstruction of Park Drive, Between Brookline Avenue and Beacon Street, Boston, Mass.," and left before 2 o'clock P.M. on Tuesday, July 19, 1955, at the office of the Parks and Recreation Department, with a certified check for $2,500, payable to and to be the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, and will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of 100 per cent of the estimated contract price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the Engineer's office of the Parks and Recreation Department. The successful bidder will be required to provide for public liability and property damage insurance and for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulations will be required prior to the award of said contract. The Commissioner reserves the right to reject any or all proposals.

FRANK R. KELLEY,
(July 9.) *Commissioner.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR ELECTRICAL WORK AT THE BIGELOW SCHOOL, 350 WEST FOURTH STREET, SOUTH BOSTON, MASS.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for electrical work at the Bigelow School, 350 West Fourth street, South Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Monday, July 18, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, enclosed in an envelope, sealed and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $400, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do, in accordance with sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
(July 9.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

John J. McGrath, 31 State street, Boston, to be reimbursed in the sum of $295, as a result of an accident which occurred on December 7, 1954, when a motor vehicle belonging to the Real Property Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by David Cohen, causing damage to the automobile and personal injuries to Mr. Cohen and his minor son.

James J. Downey, 801 East Third street, South Boston, to be reimbursed in the sum of $450, as a result of an accident which occurred on October 20, 1954, when a motor truck belonging to the Fire Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Wilmer O'Brien, damaging the automobile and causing personal injuries to Mr. O'Brien.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

BRIDGE RECONSTRUCTION.

Proposals for Reconstruction of Charlestown Bridge, Over Charles River (Excluding Drawspan).

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for reconstruction of Charlestown Bridge, over Charles River (excluding drawspan). A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Reconstruction of Charlestown Bridge, Over Charles River (Excluding Drawspan)," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of TUESDAY, JULY 26, 1955, with a certified check for FIFTY THOUSAND (50,000) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of ten dollars ($10), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(July 9.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

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JOSHUA H. JONES, *Editor.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

HIGHWAY RECONSTRUCTION WORK.

PROPOSALS FOR BITUMINOUS CONCRETE PAVEMENT IN

Cambridge Street, Wards 3 and 5, from East Side of Blossom Street to Traffic Circle at Charles Street;
Charles Street, Ward 5, from Beacon Street to Cambridge Street;
Grove Street, Ward 5, from Revere Street to Cambridge Street;
Mt. Vernon Street, Ward 5, from Hancock Street to Embankment Road;
Walnut Street, Ward 5, from Mt. Vernon Street to Beacon Street;
—and—
Such Additional Locations, If Any, in Wards 3 and 5, As May Be Designated by the Commissioner of Public Works.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for bituminous concrete pavement in Cambridge street, etc. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Bituminous Concrete Pavement in Cambridge Street, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, JULY 28, 1955, with a certified check for THIRTY-TWO HUNDRED (3,200) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(July 9.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

SEWERAGE WORKS.

Proposals for Sewerage Works in Woodland Road, Hyde Park.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Woodland road, Hyde Park. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Woodland Road, Hyde Park," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of WEDNESDAY, JULY 20, 1955, with a certified check for ONE HUNDRED (100) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(July 9.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT COMMISSION.

IN PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT COMMISSION, CITY OF BOSTON, JULY 6, 1955.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Commission is of the opinion that public necessity requires the taking of a parcel of land, for Park Department purposes, in the Boston Proper district, supposed to belong to Peter J. and Vincent J. Gandolfo, containing 1,106 square feet, more or less, and situated on the southwesterly side of North Margin street; substantially as shown on a plan on file in the office of this Commission, that it intends to pass an order to make said taking, and that it appoints 10 o'clock A.M., of July 20, 1955, and the office of this Commission, 401 City Hall Annex, as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

GEORGE G. HYLAND, *Chairman,*
HERMAN CARP,
WM. ARTHUR REILLY,
Public Improvement Commission.

A true copy of an order passed by said Commission on said day.

Attest:

MICHAEL J. CORRAO,
(July 9.) *Secretary.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings of the City of Boston invites sealed proposals for furnishing and delivering electric refrigerators as per specifications, to various schools in Boston, and giving bond of a surety company satisfactory to the Superintendent of Construction therefor, in the full amount of the contract. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Construction, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., signed by the bidder and left before 12 noon, Monday, July 18, 1955, at said office, with a certified check for 5 per cent of the total bid, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Superintendent of Construction reserves the right to reject any or all proposals.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
(July 9.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING AND INSTALLING ADDITIONS AND ALTERATIONS TO HEATING SYSTEM AT THE JOHN WINTHROP SCHOOL, BROOKFORD AND DACIA STREETS, DORCHESTER, MASS.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for furnishing and installing additions and alterations to heating system at the John Winthrop School, Brookford and Dacia streets, Dorchester, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Tuesday, July 19, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, enclosed in an envelope, sealed and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $500, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do, in accordance with sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
(July 9.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

TO PAINTING CONTRACTORS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR INTERIOR AND EXTERIOR PAINTING AT THE EAST BOSTON HIGH SCHOOL, WHITE STREET, EAST BOSTON, MASS.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for interior and exterior painting at the East Boston High School, White street, East Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Monday, July 18, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals shall be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed and inclosed in a sealed envelope, plainly marked with the name of the bidder and the description of the work bid upon. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a certificate of deposit issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $500, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked. Bid bonds will not be accepted.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

A performance bond, issued by a surety company satisfactory to the Awarding Authority, in the full amount of the contract will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any and all bids if it be in the public interest so to do.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
(July 9.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

No. 120—594.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING 51 STAINLESS STEEL UTILITY TABLES FOR THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Thursday, July 21, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Utility Tables." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(July 9.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

TO FURNITURE DEALERS.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings of the City of Boston invites sealed proposals for furnishing and delivering furniture, of the type, number, and quality as per specifications, to various schools in Boston, and giving bond of a surety company satisfactory to the Superintendent of Construction therefor, in the full amount of the contract. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Construction, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., signed by the bidder and left before 12 noon, Wednesday, July 20, 1955, at said office, with a certified check for 5 per cent of the total bid, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Superintendent of Construction reserves the right to reject any or all proposals if it be in the public interest so to do.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
(July 9.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

SEWERAGE WORKS.

Proposals for Sewerage Works in Canterbury Street and Rocky Nook Terrace, West Roxbury.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Canterbury street and Rocky Nook terrace, West Roxbury. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Canterbury Street and Rocky Nook Terrace, West Roxbury," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of WEDNESDAY, JULY 20, 1955, with a certified check for THREE HUNDRED (300) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(July 9.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER.

PROPOSALS FOR CLEANSING, STERILIZING AND RECONDITIONING BASEBALL AND TRACK EQUIPMENT FOR THE BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for cleansing, sterilizing and reconditioning baseball and track equipment for the Boston public schools. Proposal forms are obtainable at the office of the Business Manager of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, tenth floor. Envelopes containing proposals must be sealed and plainly marked "Proposal for Cleansing, Sterilizing and Reconditioning Baseball and Track Equipment." The bid must be in dupheate. One copy, signed by the bidder, and accompanied by a certified check, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount of one hundred dollars ($100), must be left at the office of the Business Manager on or before 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday, July 20, 1955. Copies filed with the Business Manager will be publicly opened and read at 12 o'clock noon of the day stated. The other copy, also signed by the bidder, must be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., previous to the time named for opening of bids. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to accept the bid or bids which it deems best for the interests of the city. The successful bidders will be required to furnish a suitable bond or deposit of money or other security in the amount of not less than 50 per cent of the amount of the contract.

HENRY J. SMITH,
Business Manager of the School Committee.
(July 9.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

CHANGES IN TRAFFIC RULES AND REGULATIONS.

Voted, That the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective July 11, 1955:

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out the following:

Adams Street, Dorchester.
East side, from Dickens street to Dorchester avenue, 24 hours.
West side, from Dickens street to Dorchester avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Bunker Hill Street, Charlestown.
Both sides, from Chelsea street to Decatur street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Charlestown," the following:

Bunker Hill Street.
Northeast side, from Chelsea street to Hunter street, 24 hours.
Southwest side, from Chelsea street to Lowney Way, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Adams Street.
Both sides, from Dorchester avenue to Park street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 9 (Parking of Vehicles in Center of Roadway), is amended by striking out the following:

State Street, Boston Proper.
From McKinley square to Atlantic avenue, in the center of the roadway, within the lines indicated.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Freeport Street.
From William T. Morrissey Boulevard at the point where it intersects Freeport street two hundred and twenty (220) feet north of the extension of Conley street to Neponset avenue.

WM. ARTHUR REILLY,
Commissioner.

A true copy.
Attest:
W. T. DOYLE, *Executive Secretary.*
(July 2-9.)

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ARTIFICIAL STONE SIDEWALKS, REPLACING BRICK, ON BEACON STREET TO EXETER STREET—AS REQUESTED BY PUBLIC WORKS COMMISSIONER GEORGE G. HYLAND—MAYOR APPROVED EXPENDITURE OF $13,449.

Artificial stone sidewalks, replacing brick, along the southerly side of Beacon street, in the vicinity of Arlington street to Exeter street, has been approved by Mayor John B. Hynes, at the request of George G. Hyland of the Public Works Department. The letter of approval reads as follows:

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, June 30, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

Under date of December 7, 1954, a contract in the amount of $13,449 was awarded to Charles Todesca, 100 Roslindale avenue, Roslindale, for constructing artificial stone sidewalks on the southerly side of Beacon street, Ward 5, from Exeter street to Massachusetts avenue.

The work provided in the contract between the above-referenced limits has

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REPORT OF MARY K. FITZGERALD, CHAIRMAN, SCHOOL COMMITTEE, ON ATTENDANCE AT CONVENTION OF THE MASSACHUSETTS ASSOCIATION OF SCHOOL COMMITTEES, IN SWAMPSCOTT, MAY 12, 13, 14.

The following is the report on attendance of School Committee Chairman Mary K. Fitzgerald, at Massachusetts Association of School Committees, Swampscott, Mass., May 12, 13, 14:

Working sessions of School Committee members at New Ocean House, Swampscott, began on Thursday, May 12, 1955.

Especially beneficial were the discussions of school construction costs and of Federal and State Aid to Education. State and Federal Aid to School bills were objectively analyzed for the benefit of School Committee members, with everyone in agreement that Massachusetts does not give enough financial assistance to schools, but with feeling on the part of some that Federal Aid is a more controversial issue, though such aid is desirable. An up-to-the-minute report

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3,684,447 PAROCHIAL SCHOOL PUPILS, TAUGHT BY 123,386 TEACHERS IN 11,590 SCHOOLS, REPRESENTED AT 52ND ANNUAL CONVENTION OF NATIONAL CATHOLIC EDUCATIONAL ASSOCIATION AT ATLANTIC CITY—ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT FREDERICK J. GILLIS MAKES REPORT TO SCHOOL COMMITTEE—SHOWS BOSTON TAKING SPECIAL CARE OF THOSE IN ANY WAY HANDICAPPED—OTHER PROBLEMS ALSO REPORTED ON.

The following is the report of Dr. Frederick J. Gillis, assistant superintendent, on attendance at the fifty-second annual convention of the National Catholic Educational Association, held in Atlantic City, New Jersey, April 11–15:

The National Catholic Educational Association held its fifty-second annual convention in Atlantic City, New Jersey, April 11–15, 1955.

The number of parochial school pupils represented by the delegates to the convention, according to figures prepared recently by the National Catholic Welfare Conference, was 3,684,447, taught by 123,386 teachers in 11,590 schools.

Topics discussed at the general, committee, and special meetings included subjects such as White House Conference on Education; audio-visual education; kindergarten; teacher accreditation; religious and vocational guidance program on the high school level; inter-American affairs; study habits; teacher training, mental health; problems regarding recreation; library practice; nursing education; financial aid to higher education by business and industry; manpower and personnel in the National Reserve plan, the child-centered school; expansion of physical facilities in colleges and universities; architecture and school planning; adult education; secondary education; the classroom teacher; the conquest of polio; elementary school problems; character formation; and the problems met in special education.

Special Education.

My assignment at the convention was to present the administrative problems of special education, because many of the Catholic diocesan superintendents of schools are now confronted with the problems of caring for the exceptional. I cited:

1. The number of these children, according to Samuel M. Brownell, Commissioner of Education for the United States, who has said that 4,800,000, or approximately one eighth of the entire school-age population, may be classed as exceptional.
2. The lack of trained teachers. America at this moment needs 100,000 trained teachers for these children.
3. Recommended two pamphlets, the product of a national committee of which I was a member.*
4. Referred the group to the "Creed for Exceptional Children."
5. Explained how the Boston public schools, believing that education is for all of the children of all of the people, have provided education for:

* "College and University Programs for the Preparation of Teachers of Exceptional Children."
"State Certification Requirements for Teachers of Exceptional Children."

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"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean;
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.

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STREET AGENCIES.

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Advertising.

A rate of $4 per inch of 12 lines (set solid) has been established for such advertisements as under the law must be printed in the City Record. Advertising and other copy must be in hand by 5 P.M. Wednesday of each week to insure its publication in the Saturday issue.

MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, July 25, at 2 P.M.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries, or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the Complaints Division, Room 25, City Hall.

Information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways, the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments of streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped area for streets and the opening of private ways; the making of specific repairs in public streets; the naming of public streets, including the use of public ways for location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railways, coal holes, and vaults, may be secured from the Public Improvement Commission, Room 403, City Hall Annex.

To the BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION, 112 Southampton street, for information relative to regulation of vehicular street traffic on all or any streets, ways, highways, roads, and parkways under the control of the City of Boston, the issuing of all permits in connection therewith.

To the COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting, and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of Sumner Tunnel, the maintenance of bridges and draw-bridges, and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

To the HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Haymarket Square, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish, and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughterhouses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases, of public health nuisances.

To the BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth Avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park, and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts, also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview, and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

To the SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

To the DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS, 28 Norman street, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

To the BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 907, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal, or tearing down buildings.

To the ELECTRICAL INSPECTION DIVISION OF THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT, 1001 City Hall Annex, for all information relative to the erection of poles, building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division; also for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings of the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

To the BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT, 43 City Hall, relative to changes in the boundary lines of zoning districts of the City of Boston as established by chapter 488 of the Acts of 1924, and amendments thereto.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending July 9, 1955.

Population as of July, 1950, Massachusetts State Census, 817,713; population estimated July, 1954, United States Census Bureau, 813,696; number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 177; nonresidents, 67; total, 244.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 15.70; nonresidents deducted, 11.21.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:

Last week, 13.46; corresponding week last year, 13.06.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 15; one year to four years, inclusive, 4; sixty years and over, 158. Total deaths: Male, 143; female, 101; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 182.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended July 9, 1955.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended July 10, 1954.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior Poliomyelitis	22	1	—	—
Diphtheria	—	—	—	—
Encephalitis Lethargica	—	—	—	—
Influenza	—	—	—	—
Measles	3	—	155	—
Meningitis Epidemic	2	—	—	—
Pneumonia (lobar)	—	—	—	2
Scarlet Fever	8	—	5	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary)	11	6	13	2
Childhood Type Tuberculosis	—	—	—	—
Tuberculosis (other forms)	1	1	1	—
Typhoid Fever	—	—	—	—
Whooping Cough	1	—	6	—

*Residents and nonresidents included.

REPORT OF FREDERICK J. GILLIS ON ATTENDANCE AT CONVENTION.

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The blind — unable to read or to learn of their environment through the sense of sight.

The partially seeing — with severe vision impairment.

The deaf — with such a severe hearing loss that they cannot distinguish speech sounds even when using the best hearing aids.

The hard of hearing — who cannot understand speech sounds without amplification.

The speech handicapped—stutterers, cleft palates, cerebral palsied, articulatory defects, voice problems.

The crippled — victims of polio, tuberculosis of bone or joint, osteomyelitis, injuries, burns, fractures, amputations, accidents.

Special health problems — tuberculosis, epilepsy, rheumatic fever, malnutrition, cardiac, and others.

The mentally retarded — with a mental age between one half and three fourths of their chronological ages, generally grouped as educable, trainable, and institutional.

The socially or emotionally maladjusted.

6. Pointed out the cost of education as compared with the cost of crime, gambling, etc. According to estimates of the National Education Association, in 1953 there was an annual appropriation of approximately six billion dollars for education in the entire United States. But during the same year, we expended:

Crime	28 billions
Gambling	20 billions
Liquor	9 billions
Bookies	8 billions
Tobacco products and smoking supplies	5.2 billions
Cigarettes	4 billions
Numbers game	2 billions
Movies	1.6 billions
Slot machines	1 billion

7. Stated reasons for the increase each year in the number of exceptional children who need training:

a. The advance of medical science enables many more children with handicaps, mental and physical, to grow up.

b. More and more parents demand that the school administrators make provision to educate these handicapped children when they reach school age, with school facilities equal to those of so-called normal children.

c. Overcrowded schools and large classes make it impossible for teachers to give special or individual attention to the needs of exceptional pupils. So, even the teachers have requested that special classes be established for children unable to make reasonable progress in a normal class.

Salient Qualities.

8. Listed seven salient qualities for educational administrators:

"A profound knowledge of the end and of the human processes of education as well as of the academic organization, program, and procedures to achieve the goal; scholarly attainments and taste; a thorough grasp of the history, tradition, and distinctive spirit of the institution; the ability to inspire teamwork in the faculty and staff; ease and facility in public relations inside and outside the institution; recognizing and facing up to the problems that come across the administrator's desk and establishing regular procedures for grappling with them; and making clear-cut decisions after due study and evaluation of the issues."

9. Reported the advance made in Massachusetts in caring for the exceptional, as a result of the work of a special commission which reported in 1954. The report of this commission became the basis for Massachusetts legislation which provides:

1. Establishment of a Division of Special Education, with adequate personnel, within the Department of Education, Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
2. Reimbursement to cities and towns maintaining special classes for mentally retarded children.
3. Classification of mentally retarded children into the educable, trainable, and custodial groups.

In the special education meetings, discussions took place re administrative problems, remedial reading on the elementary and secondary level, philosophy of special education, effect of entertainment on youth, re-education of the delinquent, good reading habits, home visits, training the multiple and severely handicapped non-educable child of nursery and kindergarten school age, vocational guidance of the handicapped, educational problems of the cerebral palsied child, testing program and grading procedures, personality needs of the mentally retarded, the deaf child, the gifted child, the speech clinic, and current trends in the treatment of emotionally disturbed children.

In a panel on the re-education of delinquent girls, Miss Alice L. Jenks of our Division of Juvenile Adjustment presented an excellent paper on "Community Resources in the Re-education of the Socially Maladjusted Girl." In her paper, and in answer to questions from the floor, Miss Jenks explained the work of the division in employing all resources of the schools, community, and clinics (educational and psychiatric), as well as the value of visits to the homes. The questions asked by delegates to the convention revealed that the operation of the Division of Juvenile Adjustment, Boston public schools, is known nationally.

Causes of Delinquency.

Mother Mary St. Urban, House of the Good Shepherd, Boston, presented a paper on the causes behind today's widespread delinquency: broken homes; lack of academic success; absence of religious background; misdirected energy of adolescent youth; unusual freedom of youth; unwise entertainment; violence in picture, print, and TV presentation; and the changing world in which we live. This speaker told the audience of the unfailing cooperation of the Boston public schools, as did Monsignor Thomas McNamara, Director of the Catholic Boys Guidance Center, Boston, who spoke from the floor.

Sister M. Nila, O.S.F., of the Archbishop Cushing Educational Clinic, Boston, in her paper on "Remedial Reading: An Elementary and Secondary Problem," stated that ten million adults in the United States are illiterates; lack of reading ability is a prominent cause for leaving school before completion of course; ages of those in need of remedial reading may be from seven to seventy; many high school and college pupils are nonreaders; diagnosis is essential in auditory discernment as well as visual discernment; verbalizers should be recognized as early as possible; and much bitterness is found in illiterates.

Administrative problems in the field of special education seem to be common to all school systems: lack of trained teachers; lack of courses of study; and the expense of proper equipment, diagnostic clinics, physical examination, small classes, lighting, and housing.

The underlying philosophy of Boston's education of the exceptional child is that education is for all of the children of all of the people; that certain basic principles regarding education of the exceptional are recognized by all, for those children have the same fundamental physical and psychological needs as any other children; the general development pattern is common to all children; all have similar feelings and desires.

Recreational Program.

The recreational program conducted in Boston for the exceptional was also cited: Castle Island during the summer and Curtis Hall on Saturdays during the school term for the mentally retarded and the Tileston Playground during the summer for crippled children; recreation for the cerebral palsied; and other recreational opportunities for the exceptional child.

Sister Mary George, O.S.F., Principal, St. Coletta School, Hanover, Mass., gave a practical yet inspirational talk, "Ever Onward and Upward," regarding the care and education of the exceptional child in a boarding school.

Many discussions with personnel in the field of the exceptional, between formal sessions, elicited various regional practices.

Mrs. Marie Killilea of New York, author of *Karen and Wren*, spoke at a meeting on the motor handicapped and mentally retarded. She is the mother of Karen, a handicapped child, who has walked the path to personal sanctification through loving care and training of her child. Besides therapy, training, and care by parents, doctors, and others for the exceptional child, Karen's mother stressed the necessity of developing in the handicapped, as in any other child, his individual personality and the sense of owing the family a return.

The convention, with its multiple educational facets, demonstrated that the problems faced by all systems of education are similar. Co-operation of all agencies for the good of the child is essential for the survival of American democracy.

NEW SIDEWALKS FOR BEACON STREET.

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been completed, and the improvement has been a most desirable one from every point of view, as the old sidewalks consisted of red brick, and were in a deplorable condition.

While the work provided in the current contract has been completed, there is a balance of approximately $6,500 remaining in the encumbrance set up for the contract, and I feel this amount would be spent to good advantage by extending the limits of the sidewalk work to Berkeley street. The item price quoted by the contractor for installing the new cement concrete sidewalks is very low, and I feel, therefore, that we should take advantage of it, particularly when said contractor is agreeable to extending the limits of the contract for the

reason that he does not have sufficient work at the present time to keep his organization efficiently employed.

I respectfully request your authority, therefore, to dispense with advertising and to amend the above-referenced contract to include the construction of artificial stone sidewalks in the southerly side of Beacon street, from Berkeley street to Exeter street, in accordance with the terms, conditions, and unit prices that are included in the present contract, which, as stated, was awarded under date of December 5 of last year as the result of publicly advertising for proposals.

I also respectfully request your authorization to expend under the terms of the original contract and this amendment, the original contract sum of $13,449, plus the 25 per cent authorized under the provisions of Article 3 of the contract document.

Respectfully yours,

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

MARY K. FITZGERALD REPORTS ON ATTENDANCE AT CONVENTION OF SCHOOL COMMITTEES.

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on the status of the Massachusetts bills for State Aid to schools was given.

The Chairman of the Boston School Committee headed a discussion group Friday, May 13, on "Orientation of New Members." This session dealt with a very real problem of giving new members of School Committees an understanding of the more complex issues before them for consideration.

Victor McDonald of the National Association of School Boards gave a talk on his experience of nineteen years as a school board member in Connecticut. Mr. McDonald's major points were:

1. Acquaint new members with schools' physical plants.
2. When a new issue comes up on the agenda which has a previous history, the chairman should stop discussion to acquaint new members with all the facts in the situation.

A business session at which new officers were elected and reports were made, was held on the afternoon of Friday, May 13.

On Saturday, at the closing luncheon, the most outstanding School Committee member of the year was cited by the association, and a luncheon talk on "The Schools and Civil Defense" was heard.

Respectfully submitted,

MARY K. FITZGERALD,
Chairman, Boston School Committee.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 2,067.

The Boston Police Department Revolver Team competed over the weekend in the Northeastern Regional Pistol and Revolver Matches at Poughkeepsie, New York.

The men all shot extremely well with Patrolman Raymond H. Berlo of Division 16 winning the championship and Patrolman Henry P. Domohowski of Division 9 placing second. In winning the championship, Patrolman Berlo compiled a score of 2,601 out of a possible 2,700. This is the first time a New England shooter has accomplished this feat and in order to comprehend such shooting, it must be borne in mind that only twenty-four men have attained such a score throughout the country during the past ten years.

There were 225 shooters registered for the matches and many were the very best in this region. Our men succeeded in winning three team matches in addition to the superlative performances of Patrolmen Berlo and Domohowski. Our success at these matches will enhance our reputation throughout the country and can only reflect credit on our whole department.

The team was under the charge of Capt. Andrew Markhard and comprised the following officers:

Lieut. John Stevens, Crime Prevention Bureau.

Sergt. John J. Jackmauh, Division 7, detailed to Crime Prevention Bureau.

Detective John E. Gibbons, Bureau of Criminal Investigation.

Detective James W. Chisholm, Bureau of Criminal Investigation.

Patrolman Lawrence T. Walsh, Division 3.

Patrolman Henry P. Domohowski, Division 9, detailed to Crime Prevention Bureau.

Patrolman Raymond H. Berlo, Division 16.

I know I speak for the members of the entire department when I say we are pleased with this accomplishment and extend our congratulations to these officers.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,068.

Patrolman Patrick J. Hernon of Division 19 and Patrolman Henry J. Dackiewicz of Division 10 are commended and each is granted one week's additional vacation for meritorious police work performed on June 30, 1955.

While on his way home after a police detail, Patrolman Hernon was informed of a holdup in a nearby savings bank. He ran toward the scene and observed a man running from the premises and entering a car. Commandeering a passing auto, Patrolman Hernon gave chase to a point where the bandit's car was blocked by other vehicles and he had to flee on foot, running through an alley where he was pursued by the officer.

At this point, Patrolman Dackiewicz, also off duty, who was passing in his own car, immediately grasped the situation and ran in a direction to cut off the avenue of escape.

Upon reaching a fence, the bandit turned on Patrolman Hernon and threatened him with a loaded revolver, whereupon the officer fired one shot striking him in the forehead. The bandit then jumped over the fence into the next yard where Patrolman Dackiewicz, who was waiting, kicked the gun from his hand and both officers took him into custody. Approximately $5,000, being the total taken from the bank, was recovered.

The commissioner is pleased to recognize the outstanding police work performed by these officers, both of whom showed great courage and devotion to duty in effecting the arrest of this criminal.

Patrolman Donald P. McGowan and Joseph E. Walsh of Division 13, having received from the dispatcher in their prowl car notice of the above holdup, proceeded to a point where they might intercept the getaway car, and succeeded in arresting the other bandit who was also armed.

The commissioner is pleased to recognize the alertness and prompt action taken by these officers which aided in clearing up this serious crime.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,069.

I am in receipt of the following letter from Commissioner of Public Safety Otis M. Whitney which I am pleased to announce to the members of the department:

"THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY,
1010 COMMONWEALTH AVENUE, BOSTON,
July 1, 1955.

COMMISSIONER THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
154 Berkeley Street, Boston.

DEAR COMMISSIONER:

On behalf of the Massachusetts State Police, please allow me to congratulate the Boston Police Department upon the splendid performance of duty of Patrolman Henry Dackiewicz and Patrolman Patrick J. Hernon in the attempted holdup of the Grove Hall Savings Bank branch office on Thursday, June 30.

Apprehension of the criminals involved is an excellent example of outstanding police work. The officers concerned acted in accordance with the best traditions of your department, and reflect great credit on the largest law enforcement agency in Massachusetts.

Very truly yours,

OTIS M. WHITNEY,
Commissioner of Public Safety."

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,070.

The following-named officers having requested retirement under the provisions of the Statutes of 1892, chapter 353, as amended, for the reason they are incapacitated, it is hereby

Ordered, His Honor the Mayor having approved the same, that they be retired from active service in the Police Department, effective Wednesday, July 13, 1955, at 7.45 o'clock A.M.:

Sergt. John B. Glawson, Jr., Division 11, 32 years of service.

Detective James A. Michaels, Detective Bureau (detailed to Division 9), 35 years of service.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,071.

The resignation of Patrolman Patrick F. McDonough of Division 16 having been presented, it is hereby accepted, to take effect Tuesday, July 19, 1955, at 7.45 o'clock A.M.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following personnel changes:

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Approval has been given for an extension of the temporary employment, for a period of three months, of the following employees:

George B. Gavin, 157 Hemenway street, Paula J. Omansky, 108 Deering road, Dorchester, clerk-typists, $43 a week.

Approval has been given for a continuance of employment for a period of six months of the following employees, currently on a temporary transfer basis:

John R. Hanton, 236 Bennington street, East Boston, from accountant to senior accountant, $90.50 a week; James J. O'Keefe, 208 Baker street, West Roxbury, from senior account clerk to accountant, $73 a week; John T. Stone, 23 Tremlett street, Dorchester, from senior heating and ventilating engineer to principal heating and ventilating engineer, $122.50 a week.

Permission has been given for an emergency appointment, for a period of 30 days, of Patricia M. Ellis, 101 Bellevue street, Dorchester, as clerk-typist at $43 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

For the week ending June 28:

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Priscilla Beckwith, 686 Massachusetts avenue, 4 days; Carol Brencold, Ann Cavallo, 28 Norton street, Dorchester, 2 days; Carrie Coleman, 360 Thacher street, Milton, 1 day; Sophie Cotter, 173 Vine Rock street, Dedham, 3 days; Helene Crocker, 58 Myrtle street, Marcelyn Curry, 64 Rosseter street, Dorchester, 1 day; Mary Costello, 75 Montclair avenue, Roslindale, 2 days; Norma Dean, 696 Massachusetts avenue, Jean Darraugh, 568 East Sixth street, South Boston, 1 day; Eleanor Duffley, 35 Edwin street, Dorchester, 2 days; Yolander Evans, 126 Waverly street, Everett, 1 day; Anna Ferrara, 53 Blue Hill avenue, Milton, 2 days; Mildred Filaroska, 69 Park Drive, 7 days; Christine Finn, 23 Commonwealth avenue, Dolores Flanagan, 4 Buick street, Watertown, Ethel Glennon, 37 Hollis avenue, Quincy, Diana Guinta, 42 Topliff street, Dorchester, 2 days; Juanita Gerin, 5 days; S. Goldberg, 2 days; Virginia Hamilton, 827 River street, Mattapan, 3 days; Mary B. Healy, 163 East Cottage street, Dorchester, 5 days; Veronica Lombard, 8 Doris street, Dorchester, 3 days; Loretta Lynch, 270 Huntington avenue, 4 days; Rita McCallum, 162 Bowdoin street, Dorchester, 1 day; Veronica McElligott, 34 Dickinson street, Somerville, 7 days; Catherine McGuinness, 14 Alsen road, Dorchester, Anne McInnis, 853 East Third street, South Boston, 4 days; Mary R. Mahan, 29 Kempton street, 7 days; Mary Murphy, 37 Hampden Circle, Wollaston, 4 days; Angelina Mullaney, 1235 Trapelo road, Waltham, 2 days; Phyllis Nigro, 607 Franklin street, Cambridge, 3 days; Joanne Oates, 1 day; Dora Picarsky, 31 Edison Green, Dorchester, 7 days; Mabel Smith, 87 Bartlett road, Winthrop, 1 day; Anna

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TAX ABATEMENT DECISIONS RENDERED BY THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS FOR THE WEEK ENDING JUNE 21.

LEGEND.

* Appellate Tax Board Settlement. ¶ Illegal assessment. ‖ Chapter 59-5.
† Appellate Tax Board Decision. § Duplicate assessment. = Chapter 58-8.
‡ Overvaluation Settlement by Board of Assessors. x Chapter 231.

Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Boston Safe Deposit & Trust Co.	508 Washington st	3—1950	$25,200.00	$4,069.80	†
Clark, H. L., Trustee, et al	546–548 Washington st	3—1950	12,600.00	2,034.90	†
Paco Co., The	156 Tremont st	3—1950	33,075.00	15,435.00	†
R. H. White Realty Corp	552 Washington st	3—1950	8,505.00	1,373.40	†
R. H. White Realty Corp	512–516 Washington st	3—1950	37,800.00	6,104.70	†
R. H. White Realty Corp	518–536 Washington st	3—1950	176,400.00	28,488.60	†
R. H. White Realty Corp	538–540 Washington st	3—1950	18,900.00	3,049.20	†
State Street Trust Co., et al	542–544 Washington st	3—1950	15,750.00	2,545.20	†
Watson, Irene B., et al	504–506 Washington st	3—1950	18,900.00	3,049.20	†
Boston Wharf Co	33–37 Sleeper st	6—1950	6,111.00	1,008.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	29–31 Sleeper st	6—1950	7,245.00	2,709.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	23–27 Sleeper st	6—1950	2,583.00	1,701.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	15–21 Sleeper st	6—1950	7,749.00	1,165.50	†
Boston Wharf Co	11–13 Sleeper st	6—1950	1,575.00	819.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	34–36 Farnsworth st	6—1950	3,717.00	882.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	47–53 Farnsworth st	6—1950	2,835.00	378.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	41–45 Farnsworth st	6—1950	6,867.00	2,772.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	21–25 Farnsworth st	6—1950	1,764.00	504.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	17–19 Farnsworth st	6—1950	4,410.00	756.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	11–15 Farnsworth st	6—1950	5,355.00	378.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	344–346 Congress st	6—1950	1,008.00	693.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	354–358 Congress st	6—1950	5,355.00	819.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	12–18 Pittsburgh st	6—1960	8,820.00	4,095.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	20–24 Pittsburgh st	6—1950	1,323.00	441.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	Vacant lot, Pittsburgh st	6—1950	604.80	289.80	†
Boston Wharf Co	47–53 Pittsburgh st	6—1950	2,520.00	630.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	35–39 Pittsburgh st	6—1950	6,300.00	1,827.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	19–23 Pittsburgh st	6—1950	6,300.00	1,323.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	364–372 Congress st	6—1950	11,970.00	3,780.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	44–48 Stillings st	6—1950	10,080.00	3,465.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	45–49 Stillings st	6—1950	2,079.00	441.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	39–43 Stillings st	6—1950	1,278.90	774.90	†
Boston Wharf Co	23–27 Stillings st	6—1950	4,725.00	1,449.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	17–21 Stillings st	6—1950	4,725.00	1,278.90	†
Boston Wharf Co	11–15 Stillings st	6—1950	4,725.00	1,449.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	Vacant lot, Congress st	6—1950	31.50	15.75	†
Boston Wharf Co	381–389 Congress st	6—1950	5,040.00	2,016.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	369–375 Congress st	6—1950	6,300.00	3,150.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	363–367 Congress st	6—1950	5,670.00	1,575.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	312–320 Summer st	6—1950	8,568.00	252.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	322–330 Summer st	6—1950	8,631.00	2,961.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	332–340 Summer st	6—1950	8,757.00	2,457.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	321–323 Congress st	6—1950	5,544.00	819.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	259–263 Summer st	6—1950	12,600.00	1,701.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	324 A st	6—1950	945.00	441.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	253 Summer st	6—1950	11,214.00	1,134.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	11–17 Melcher st	6—1950	10,143.00	4,347.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	19–27 Melcher st	6—1950	7,560.00	1,260.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	29–37 Melcher st	6—1950	7,875.00	945.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	Necco et., Shed 7	6—1950	1,575.00	787.50	†
Boston Wharf Co	55 Melcher st	6—1950	17,507.70	2,261.70	†
Boston Wharf Co	288–308 A st	6—1950	15,750.00	2,205.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	242–284 A st	6—1950	36,225.00	7,875.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	238–240 A st	6—1950	289.80	88.20	†
Boston Wharf Co	76–82 Midway st	6—1950	2,016.00	252.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	56–70 Midway st	6—1950	3,087.00	882.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	50–52 Midway st	6—1950	6,489.00	945.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	40–44 Midway st	6—1950	9,198.00	1,323.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	28–32 Midway st	6—1950	18,207.00	10,017.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	24–26 Midway st	6—1950	10,206.00	3,591.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	16–22 Midway st	6—1950	5,103.00	1,638.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	2–14 Midway st	6—1950	25,767.00	9,702.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	169 A st	6—1950	11,655.00	1,134.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	171–181 A street	6—1950	3,150.00	1,260.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	207–209 A st	6—1950	5,355.00	2,709.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	211–213 A st	6—1950	5,355.00	1,323.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	231–233 A st	6—1950	945.00	441.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	245 A st	6—1950	1,134.00	661.50	†
Boston Wharf Co	319–321 A st	6—1950	8,190.00	1,890.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	Rear 319 A st	6—1950	7,686.00	2,142.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	311–319 Summer st	6—1950	8,253.00	1,953.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	321–325 Summer st	6—1950	15,750.00	2,520.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	327–333 Summer st	6—1950	8,001.00	1,575.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	337–347 Summer st	6—1950	13,671.00	4,536.00	†
Boston Safe Deposit & Trust Co.	508 Washington st	3—1951	25,120.00	4,056.88	†
Clark, H. L., Trustee	546–548 Washington st	3—1951	12,560.00	2,028.44	†
Paco Co., The	156 Tremont st	3—1951	32,970.00	15,386.00	†
R. H. White Realty Corp	552 Washington st	3—1951	8,478.00	1,369.04	†
R. H. White Realty Corp	512–516 Washington st	3—1951	37,680.00	6,085.32	†
R. H. White Realty Corp	518–536 Washington st	3—1951	175,840.00	28,398.16	†
R. H. White Realty Corp	538–540 Washington st	3—1951	18,840.00	3,039.52	†
State Street Trust Co., et al	542–544 Washington st	3—1951	15,700.00	2,537.12	†
Watson, Irene B., et al	504–506 Washington st	3—1951	18,840.00	3,039.52	†
Boston Wharf Co	33–37 Sleeper st	6—1951	6,091.60	1,004.80	†
Boston Wharf Co	29–31 Sleeper st	6—1951	7,222.00	2,700.40	†
Boston Wharf Co	23–27 Sleeper st	6—1951	2,574.80	1,695.60	†
Boston Wharf Co	15–21 Sleeper st	6—1951	7,724.40	1,161.80	†
Boston Wharf Co	11–13 Sleeper st	6—1951	1,570.00	816.40	†
Boston Wharf Co	34–36 Farnsworth st	6—1951	3,705.20	879.20	†
Boston Wharf Co	38–42 Farnsworth st	6—1951	3,328.40	1,067.60	†
Boston Wharf Co	47–53 Farnsworth st	6—1951	2,826.00	376.80	†
Boston Wharf Co	41–45 Farnsworth st	6—1951	6,845.20	2,763.20	†
Boston Wharf Co	21–25 Farnsworth st	6—1951	1,758.40	502.40	†
Boston Wharf Co	17–19 Farnsworth st	6—1951	4,396.00	753.60	†
Boston Wharf Co	11–15 Farnsworth st	6—1951	5,338.00	376.80	†
Boston Wharf Co	344–346 Congress st	6—1951	1,004.80	690.80	†
Boston Wharf Co	354–358 Congress st	6—1951	6,280.00	1,758.40	†
Boston Wharf Co	12–18 Pittsburgh st	6—1951	8,792.00	4,082.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	20–24 Pittsburgh st	6—1951	1,318.80	439.60	†
Boston Wharf Co	26–28 Pittsburgh st	6—1951	5,903.20	1,909.12	†

TAX ABATEMENT DECISIONS RENDERED BY THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS FOR THE WEEK ENDING JUNE 21.— Continued.

LEGEND.

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† Appellate Tax Board Decision. § Duplicate assessment. = Chapter 58-8.
‡ Overvaluation Settlement by Board of Assessors. x Chapter 231.

Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Boston Wharf Co	41-56 Pittsburgh st	6—1951	$3,893.60	$439.60	†
Boston Wharf Co	Vacant lot, Pittsburgh st	6—1951	602.88	288.88	†
Boston Wharf Co	35-39 Pittsburgh st	6—1951	6,280.00	1,821.20	†
Boston Wharf Co	19-23 Pittsburgh st	6—1951	6,280.00	1,318.80	†
Boston Wharf Co	364-372 Congress st	6—1951	11,932.00	3,768.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	45-49 Stillings st	6—1951	2,072.40	439.60	†
Boston Wharf Co	39-43 Stillings st	6—1951	1,274.84	772.41	†
Boston Wharf Co	23-27 Stillings st	6—1951	4,710.00	1,444.40	†
Boston Wharf Co	17-21 Stillings st	6—1951	4,710.00	1,274.81	†
Boston Wharf Co	11-15 Stillings st	6—1951	4,710.00	1,441.40	†
Boston Wharf Co	381-389 Congress st	6—1951	5,021.00	2,009.60	†
Boston Wharf Co	Vacant lot, Congress st	6—1951	31.40	15.70	†
Boston Wharf Co	363-367 Congress st	6—1951	5,652.00	2,512.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	312-320 Summer st	6—1951	8,540.80	251.20	†
Boston Wharf Co	322-330 Summer st	6—1951	8,603.60	2,951.60	†
Boston Wharf Co	332-340 Summer st	6—1951	8,729.20	2,419.20	†
Boston Wharf Co	321-323 Congress st	6—1951	5,526.40	816.40	†
Boston Wharf Co	259-263 Summer st	6—1951	12,560.00	1,695.60	†
Boston Wharf Co	324 A st	6—1951	942.00	439.60	†
Boston Wharf Co	253 Summer st	6—1951	11,178.40	1,130.40	†
Boston Wharf Co	11-17 Melcher st	6—1951	10,110.80	4,333.20	†
Boston Wharf Co	19-27 Melcher st	6—1951	7,536.00	1,256.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	29-37 Melcher st	6—1951	7,850.00	942.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	V. L., Necco ct., NW cor	6—1951	200.96	43.96	†
Boston Wharf Co	Necco ct., Shed 7	6—1951	1,570.00	785.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	55 Melcher st	6—1951	17,452.12	2,254.52	†
Boston Wharf Co	63 Melcher st	6—1951	5,966.00	1,004.80	†
Boston Wharf Co	288-308 A st	6—1951	15,700.00	2,198.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	242-284 A st	6—1951	36,110.00	12,874.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	238-240 A st	6—1951	288.88	87.92	†
Boston Wharf Co	76-82 Midway st	6—1951	2,009.60	251.20	†
Boston Wharf Co	56-70 Midway st	6—1951	3,077.20	879.20	†
Boston Wharf Co	50-52 Midway st	6—1951	6,468.40	942.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	40-44 Midway st	6—1951	9,168.80	1,318.80	†
Boston Wharf Co	28-32 Midway st	6—1951	18,149.20	9,985.20	†
Boston Wharf Co	21-26 Midway st	6—1951	10,173.60	3,579.60	†
Boston Wharf Co	16-22 Midway st	6—1951	5,086.80	1,632.80	†
Boston Wharf Co	2-14 Midway st	6—1951	25,685.20	9,671.20	†
Boston Wharf Co	169 A st	6—1951	11,618.00	1,130.40	†
Boston Wharf Co	171-181 A st	6—1951	3,140.00	1,256.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	207-209 A st	6—1951	5,338.00	2,700.40	†
Boston Wharf Co	211-213 A st	6—1951	5,338.00	1,318.80	†
Boston Wharf Co	231-233 A st	6—1951	942.00	439.60	†
Boston Wharf Co	245 A st	6—1951	1,130.40	659.40	†
Boston Wharf Co	319-321 A st	6—1951	8,164.00	1,884.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	Rear 319 A st	6—1951	7,661.60	2,135.20	†
Boston Wharf Co	311-319 Summer st	6—1951	8,226.80	1,946.80	†
Boston Wharf Co	321-325 Summer st	6—1951	15,700.00	2,512.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	327-333 Summer st	6—1951	7,975.60	1,570.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	337-347 Summer st	6—1951	13,627.60	4,521.60	†
Elmwood Investment	47-53 Pittsburgh st	6—1951	2,512.00	628.00	†
Elmwood Investment	44-48 Stillings st	6—1951	10,048.00	3,454.00	†
Boston Safe Deposit & Trust Co	508 Washington st	3—1952	26,720.00	4,315.28	†
Clark, Harold L., Trustee	546-548 Washington st	3—1952	13,360.00	2,157.61	†
Paco Co., The	156 Tremont st	3—1952	35,070.00	16,366.00	†
R. H. White Realty Corp	538-540 Washington st	3—1952	20,040.00	3,233.12	†
R. H. White Realty Corp	518-536 Washington st	3—1952	187,040.00	30,206.96	†
R. H. White Realty Corp	512-516 Washington st	3—1952	40,080.00	6,472.92	†
R. H. White Realty Corp	552 Washington st	3—1952	9,018.00	1,456.21	†
State Street Trust Co., et al	542-544 Washington st	3—1952	16,700.00	2,698.72	†
Watson, Irene B., et al	504-506 Washington st	3—1952	20,040.00	3,233.12	†
Boston Wharf Co	33-37 Sleeper st	6—1952	6,479.60	1,068.80	†
Boston Wharf Co	29-31 Sleeper st	6—1952	7,682.00	2,872.40	†
Boston Wharf Co	23-27 Sleeper st	6—1952	2,738.80	1,803.60	†
Boston Wharf Co	15-21 Sleeper st	6—1952	8,216.40	1,235.80	†
Boston Wharf Co	11-13 Sleeper st	6—1952	1,670.00	868.40	†
Boston Wharf Co	31-36 Farnsworth st	6—1952	3,941.20	935.20	†
Boston Wharf Co	38-42 Farnsworth st	6—1952	3,540.40	1,135.60	†
Boston Wharf Co	47-53 Farnsworth st	6—1952	3,006.00	400.80	†
Boston Wharf Co	41-45 Farnsworth st	6—1952	7,281.20	2,939.20	†
Boston Wharf Co	21-25 Farnsworth st	6—1952	2,004.00	668.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	17-19 Farnsworth st	6—1952	4,676.00	801.60	†
Boston Wharf Co	11-15 Farnsworth st	6—1952	5,678.00	400.80	†
Boston Wharf Co	344-346 Congress st	6—1952	1,068.80	734.80	†
Boston Wharf Co	351-358 Congress st	6—1952	6,680.00	1,870.40	†
Boston Wharf Co	12-18 Pittsburgh st	6—1952	9,352.00	4,342.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	20-24 Pittsburgh st	6—1952	1,402.80	467.60	†
Boston Wharf Co	26-28 Pittsburgh st	6—1952	6,279.20	2,030.72	†
Boston Wharf Co	44-56 Pittsburgh st	6—1952	5,010.00	1,336.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	V. L., Pittsburgh st., end	6—1952	641.28	307.28	†
Boston Wharf Co	35-39 Pittsburgh st	6—1952	6,680.00	1,937.20	†
Boston Wharf Co	19-23 Pittsburgh st	6—1952	6,680.00	1,402.80	†
Boston Wharf Co	364-372 Congress st	6—1952	12,692.00	4,008.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	45-49 Stillings st	6—1952	2,201.40	467.60	†
Boston Wharf Co	39-43 Stillings st	6—1952	1,356.01	821.61	†
Boston Wharf Co	23-27 Stillings st	6—1952	5,010.00	1,536.40	†
Boston Wharf Co	17-21 Stillings st	5—1952	5,010.00	1,356.01	†
Boston Wharf Co	11-15 Stillings st	6—1952	5,010.00	1,536.40	†
Boston Wharf Co	Vacant lot, Congress st	6—1952	33.40	16.70	†
Boston Wharf Co	381-389 Congress st	6—1952	5,344.00	2,137.60	†
Boston Wharf Co	363-367 Congress st	6—1952	6,012.00	2,672.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	312-320 Summer st	6—1952	9,084.80	267.20	†
Boston Wharf Co	322-330 Summer st	6—1952	9,151.60	3,139.60	†
Boston Wharf Co	332-340 Summer st	6—1952	9,285.20	2,605.20	†
Boston Wharf Co	321-323 Congress st	6—1952	5,878.40	868.40	†
Boston Wharf Co	259-263 Summer st	6—1952	13,360.00	1,803.60	†
Boston Wharf Co	324 A st	6—1952	1,002.00	467.60	†
Boston Wharf Co	253 Summer st	6—1952	11,890.40	1,202.40	†
Boston Wharf Co	11-17 Melcher st	6—1952	10,754.80	4,609.20	†
Boston Wharf Co	19-27 Melcher st	6—1952	8,016.00	1,336.00	†

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Stankard, 79 Edwin road, Waltham, 7 days; Margaret M. Sullivan, 28 Weymouth street, Holbrook, 4 days; Josephine Trippe, 80 Orleans street, East Boston, Ila Ward, 79 Warren street, Roxbury, 2 days.

The following weekly nurses have been appointed:

Permanent.—Olga Owen, 32 Rose Circle, Peabody, floor nurse, $65.50 a week; Olga Owen, 32 Rose Circle, Peabody, floor nurse, $1.70 an hour; Ann Walker, 710 Massachusetts avenue, housemother, $58 a week; F. Jeanne Monahan, 67 Elm street, Stoneham, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Elsie Belli, 18 Prospect street, Maynard, floor nurse, $68 a week; Patricia Marzilli, 39 Potomac street, West Roxbury, floor nurse, $45 a week.

Temporary.—Helen Sheehan, Turnpike street, Canton, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Audrey Mailhot, 33 Cedar street, Mattapan, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour; Joan M. Keane, 1086 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, staff nurse, $60.50 a week; Mary E. King, 1 Judson road, Weymouth, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour.

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—John J. Gorham, 122 Eustis street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; Hazel Noble, 34 Annunciation road, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $45.50 a week; Edith Weaver, 30 Chadwick street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $50.50 a week; Harold J. Druan, 8 Adelaide street, Jamaica Plain, hospital kitchen worker, $50.50 a week; James E. Lennon, 50 Alton court, Roxbury, hospital kitchen worker, $48 a week; Cornelius L. Sullivan, 65 Meridian street, East Boston, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week; George H. Bell, 178 Hillside street, Roxbury, Thomas F. Pitts, 681 Massachusetts avenue, hospital house workers, $43 a week; Viola Bergstrom, 122 Church street, Wilmington, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Patricia Burke, 88 Oxford street, Arlington, floor nurse, $65.50 a week; Eleanor Chaisson, Franklin Square House, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Edith Hall, 50 Evergreen avenue, Auburndale, nursing instructor, $83.50 a week; Margaret McDonough, 29 Mather street, Dorchester, floor nurse, $65.50 a week; James Burke, 111 Bowdoin street, Dorchester, steamfitter's helper, $60.50 a week.

Temporary.—Adrienne I. Delaney, 271 Lamartine street, Jamaica Plain, William E. Donahue, 46 Wordsworth street, East Boston, Edward R. Drohan, 54 West Newton street, Thomas J. Flaherty, 1111 Morton street, Mattapan, Thomas J. Kelley, 122 Eustis street, Roxbury, Joseph F. Mulhern, 11 Branton street, Dorchester, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; John A. Zizza, 5 Fleet street, hospital house worker, $43 a week; Joan D. Carroll, 46 Beechland street, Roslindale, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week; Lillian Fisher, 40 Hillside street, Roxbury, John Millett, 46 Hillside street, Roxbury, hospital laundry workers, $43 a week; John W. Heizer, 290 Marlborough street, laboratory assistant, $45.50 a week; Agnes Reynolds, 80 St. Marks road, Dorchester, telephone operator, $55.50 a week;

James V. Curran, 141 Broadway, South Boston, ambulance medical aid, $53 a week.

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For the week ending July 5:

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Priscilla Beckwith, 686 Massachusetts avenue, 7 days; Carol Brencold, Ann Cavallo, 28 Norton street, Dorchester, 1 day; Sophie Cotter, 173 Vine Rock street, Dedham, 2 days; Marcelyn Curry, 64 Rosseter street, Dorchester, 3 days; Ellen Clark, 2 days; Adele Daly 30 Aspinwall avenue, North Weymouth, 3 days; Jean Darraugh, 568 East Sixth street, South Boston, 1 day; Anna Ferrara, 53 Blue Hill avenue, Milton, 2 days; Mildred Filaraska, 69 Park Drive, 7 days; Stella Graham, 43 Mercier avenue, Dorchester, 5 days; Diana Guinta, 42 Topliff street, Dorchester, 3 days; Juanita Gearin, Sophie Goldberg, 2 days; Virginia Hamilton, 827 River street, Mattapan, Mary B. Healy, 163 East Cottage street, Dorchester, Charlotte Kelleher, 48 Waverly street, Roxbury, 1 day; Veronica Lombard, 8 Doris street, Dorchester, 7 days; Anne Lynskey, 52 Telsa street, Medford, 3 days; Loretta Lynch, 270 Huntington avenue, 2 days; Rita McCallum, 162 Bowdoin street, Dorchester, 1 day; Veronica McElligott, 34 Dickinson street, Somerville, Catherine McGuinness, 14 Alsen road, Dorchester, 2 days; Mary R. Mahan, 29 Kempton street, 7 days; Anna Murphy, 115 Peterborough street, Phyllis Nigro, 271 Dartmouth street, 3 days; Marion O'Boyle, 27 Magazine street, Roxbury, 6 days; Romaine Riley, 171 Humboldt avenue, Roxbury, 3 days; Bernice Smith, 105 Walnut avenue, Roxbury, 2 days; Helen Spillane, 499 Park street, Stoughton, 4 days; Anna Stankard, 79 Edwin road, Waltham, Margaret M. Sullivan, 28 Weymouth street, Holbrook, 3 days; Josephine Trippe, 80 Orleans street, East Boston, Ila Ward, 79 Warren street, Roxbury, 1 day.

South Division.

For the week ending June 28:

The service of the following employee has been terminated:

Permanent.—Thomas E. McManus, 41 Darling street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $45.50 a week.

Appointments.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Printing Section.

Gerald P. Cohen, 20 Smith street, Roxbury, clerk and messenger, $43 a week.

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

David Whitley, 120 George street, Roxbury, senior engineering aid (draftsman), $60.50 a week.

Dorothea Sgroi, 183 Leyden street, East Boston, statistical machine operator, $45.50 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Arthur E. Hiltz, 7 Haverford street, Jamaica Plain, environmental sanitation inspector, $73 a week.

Joseph X. Conley, 343 Geneva avenue, Dorchester, environmental sanitation inspector, $65.50 a week.

Thomas J. Kenney, 181 Ruskindale road, Mattapan, laboratory assistant, $45.50 a week.

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TAX ABATEMENT DECISIONS RENDERED BY THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS FOR THE WEEK ENDING JUNE 21.— Concluded.

LEGEND.

* Appellate Tax Board Settlement. ¶ Illegal assessment. || Chapter 59–5.
† Appellate Tax Board Decision. § Duplicate assessment. = Chapter 58–8.
‡ Overvaluation Settlement by Board of Assessors. x Chapter 231.

Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Boston Wharf Co	29–37 Melcher st	6—1952	$8,350.00	$1,002.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	Vacant lot, Necco ct., NW	6—1952	213.76	46.76	†
Boston Wharf Co	Necco ct., Shed 7	6—1952	1,670.00	835.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	55 Melcher st	6—1952	18,563.72	2,398.12	†
Boston Wharf Co	63 Melcher st	6—1952	6,346.00	1,068.80	†
Boston Wharf Co	288–308 A st	6—1952	16,700.00	2,338.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	242–284 A st	6—1952	38,410.00	13,694.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	238–240 A st	6—1952	307.28	93.52	†
Boston Wharf Co	76–82 Midway st	6—1952	2,137.60	267.20	†
Boston Wharf Co	56–70 Midway st	6—1952	3,273.20	935.20	†
Boston Wharf Co	50–52 Midway st	6—1952	6,880.40	1,002.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	40–44 Midway st	6—1952	9,752.80	1,402.80	†
Boston Wharf Co	28–32 Midway st	6—1952	19,305.20	10,621.20	†
Boston Wharf Co	24–26 Midway st	6—1952	10,821.60	3,807.60	†
Boston Wharf Co	16–22 Midway st	6—1952	5,410.80	1,736.80	†
Boston Wharf Co	2–14 Midway st	6—1952	27,321.20	10,287.20	†
Boston Wharf Co	169 A st	6—1952	12,358.00	1,202.40	†
Boston Wharf Co	171–181 A st	6—1952	3,340.00	1,336.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	207–209 A st	6—1952	5,678.00	2,872.40	†
Boston Wharf Co	211–213 A st	6—1952	5,678.00	1,402.80	†
Boston Wharf Co	231–233 A st	6—1952	1,002.00	467.60	†
Boston Wharf Co	245 A st	6—1952	1,202.40	701.40	†
Boston Wharf Co	319–321 A st	6—1952	8,684.00	2,004.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	Rear 319 A st	6—1952	8,149.60	2,271.20	†
Boston Wharf Co	311–319 Summer st	6—1952	8,750.80	2,070.80	†
Boston Wharf Co	321–325 Summer st	6—1952	16,700.00	2,672.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	327–333 Summer st	6—1952	8,483.60	1,670.00	†
Boston Wharf Co	337–347 Summer st	6—1952	14,495.60	4,809.60	†
Elmwood Investment	47–53 Pittsburgh st	6—1952	2,672.00	668.00	†
Elmwood Investment	44–48 Stillings st	6—1952	10,688.00	3,674.00	†

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM PLUMBING FOR THE WEEK ENDING JULY 12.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
S. Connolly	1531 Blue Hill avenue	18	New appliances	$2,600
G. Robbins	45 Broad street	3	New appliances	500
G. Robbins	341 Centre street	10	New appliances	300
W. Kough	31 Chittick road	18	New appliances	1,200
E. Duggan	31 Hereford street	5	New appliances	1,000
C. Belevander	14 Marmion street	11	New appliances	200
H. Kelligan	45 Riverdale street	22	New appliances	800
H. Beaulieu	3466 Washington street	11	New appliances	100
G. Robbins	156 Western avenue	22	New appliances	300
W. Dunster	12 Westminster avenue	9	New appliances	300
E. Sawyer	1322 Commonwealth avenue	21	New appliances	1,500
D. Yorks	96 Dale street	18	New appliances	400
H. Smith	11 Silloway street	16	New appliances	400
M. Slishman	9 Taunton street	18	New appliances	1,060
M. Slishman	19 Tina avenue	18	New appliances	500
F. Sullivan	1204 Veterans Foreign Wars Parkway.	20	New appliances	2,400
E. Bailey	14 Beacon street	3	New appliances	1,800
A. Kellem	508 Beacon street	5	New appliances	3,750
J. Janico	11 Burley street	18	New appliances	950
B. Hurley	52 Cedar Grove street	16	New appliances	600
E. Baliey	44 Columbia road	13	New appliances	3,000
R. Libby	1377 Dorchester avenue	15	New appliances	500
E. Bailey	280 Fenway	10	New appliances	1,000
W. Hogan	79 Iroquois street	12	New appliances	200
D. Puopolo	414 Marlborough street	5	New appliances	300
G. Trethewey	25 Mendum street	20	New appliances	250
J. Dunbar	53 Montvale street	20	New appliances	950
P. Russo	15 Summer street	3	New appliances	190
J. Flynn	10 Temple terrace	20	New appliances	100
A. Kellem	227 West Fifth street	6	New appliances	1,050
A. Kellem	229 West Fifth street	6	New appliances	1,050
T. Foley	34 Beacon street	5	New appliances	150
T. Foley	60 Chestnut street	5	New appliances	600
J. McTomney	118 Commonwealth avenue	5	New appliances	250
L. Jerson	110 Greenbrier street	17	New appliances	200
C. Peterson	738 Hyde Park avenue	18	New appliances	125
). Richards	89 Pinckney street	5	New appliances	200
A. Statley	24 Bodwell street	15	New appliances	75
W. Berkeley	226 Boston street	7	New appliances	400
A. Columbo	75 Chesbrough street	20	New appliances	575
S. Landau	464 Commonwealth avenue	5	New appliances	500
S. Landau	52 Providence street	18	New appliances	800
P. Goderan	68 Richfield street	15	New appliances	550
L. Perio	77 and 79 Waverly street	22	New appliances	100
L. Perio	81 and 83 Waverly street	22	New appliances	1,000

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING JULY 12.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Diamond Parlor Furniture..	49 Causeway street	3	Alterations, office, manufacturing	$500
Republic Construction Corp.	13 Centre court	16	Alterations, dwelling	None
Republic Construction Corp.	15 Centre court	16	Alterations, dwelling	None
Lee Development Company.	1980 Centre street	20	Offices	$60,000
Alice Lowell	58 Chestnut street	5	Alterations, dwelling	500
H. Wade White	60 Chestnut street	5	Alterations, dwelling	7,000
Franklin Fund, Inc.	4 Circuit square	12	Alterations, dwelling	None
Ralph DeRota	121 Faywood avenue	1	Dwelling	$10,000
Regent Realty Corporation..	12 Haverford street	11	Alterations, dwelling	None
Regent Realty Corporation..	14 Haverford street	11	Alterations, dwelling	None
George Graves	6 MacDonald street	18	Garage	$800
Messinger Corporation	51 Messinger street	18	Dwelling	9,000
Bernard McNulty	62 Montclair avenue	20	Dwelling	9,000
Alfred Cataldo	139 Mt. Hope street	18	Dwelling	9,000
Homes, Inc.	76A Norfolk street	17	Alterations, store	None
Homes, Inc.	78 Norfolk street	17	Alterations, dwelling	None
J. F. Mahoney	116 Orange street	20	Dwelling	$9,000
Diamond Parlor Furniture..	149 Staniford street	3	Alterations, office, manufacturing	500
Frederick DeRoma	31 Sunset Hill road	20	Dwelling	9,000
Frederick DeRoma	33 Sunset Hill road	20	Dwelling	9,000
Frederick DeRoma	35 Sunset Hill road	20	Dwelling	9,000
Frederick DeRoma	37 Sunset Hill road	20	Dwelling	9,000
Walter J. Waldron	655 William T. Morrissey Boulevard.	16	Service station	16,000
William Butler	2 Appian Way	22	Alterations, dwelling	700
Rose Doyle	39 Ashfield street	20	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Louis Caparano	27 Brooks street	1	Alterations, dwelling	1 000
Theodoro Stencel	29 Burgess street	8	Alterations, dwelling	500
Court House Realty	89 Call street	11	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Max Cohen	20 Chase street	13	Alterations, dwelling	300
Henry Werner	20 and 22 Clarendon street.	4	Alterations, shop, office	300
Mary Hockaday	27 Clifford street	12	Alterations, dwelling	200
P. J. McCarthy	28 Denny street	13	Alterations, dwelling, store	70
F. Willis	1159 and 1161 Dorchester avenue.	15	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Hubert Gorevich	22 Evelyn street	14	Alterations, dwelling	550
Isaac Saranovitz	30 Evelyn street	14	Alterations, dwelling	70
David Lipofsky	525 and 527 Gallivan Boulevard.	16	Alterations, dwelling	850
John Kelley	230 Geneva avenue	15	Alterations, dwelling	95
David Kaplan	69 Hackensack road	19	Excavation	400
Benjamin Wyman	73 Hackensack road	19	Excavation	400
John Wexler	47 Johnston road	14	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
William Kearney	35 Lawley street	16	Alterations, dwelling	700
K. J. McNeill	131 Perham street	20	Alterations, dwelling	100
Aspasia Salidis	14 and 16 Ridgemont street.	21	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Tileston & Hollingsworth...	892 River street	18	Alterations, boiler room	2,250
Wheelock College	154 Riverway	5	Alterations, dormitory	700
Margaret Sampson	1119 Saratoga street	1	Alterations, dwelling	900
Anthony Gaughan	16 Symmes street	20	Alterations, dwelling	1,500
Bernard Carney	538 and 540 Talbot avenue.	16	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Dora Katze	488 Tremont street	3	Alterations, store, dwelling	700
Joseph Alrich	19 Prescott street	13	Alterations, dwelling	400
M. Shattuck	219 West Fifth street	6	Fire escape, dwelling	115
I. Butler	221 West Fifth street	6	Fire escape, dwelling	115
J. Tabeek	33 West Tremlett street	17	Alterations, dwelling	265
Joe Nicholson	27 Whitten street	16	Alterations, dwelling	200
Joseph Epstein	198 Woodrow avenue	14	Alterations, dwelling	750
Ind. Transit Co. Inc	223 and 225 Albany street	3	Use premises, service station	None
Estate of Mary Clarke	62 Alexander street	13	Alterations, dwelling	$500
John Potts	246 Allston street	21	Dwelling	8,300
John Potts	250 Allston street	21	Dwelling	8,300
John Potts	254 Allston street	21	Dwelling	8,300
John E. Potts	358 Allston street	21	Dwelling	8,300
Haynes Memorial Hospital..	296 Allston street	21	Alterations, hospital	100,000
Legion Development Corp..	630 American Legion Hwy..	18	Store	75,000
Thomas T. Tuck	5 and 7 Anselm terrace	22	Dwelling	14,000
Thomas T. Tuck	6 and 8 Anselm terrace	22	Dwelling	14,000
Thomas T. Tuck	9 and 11 Anselm terrace	22	Dwelling	14,000
Thomas T. Tuck	10 and 12 Anselm terrace	22	Dwelling	14,000
Thomas T. Tuck	14 and 16 Anselm terrace	22	Dwelling	14,000
Thomas T. Tuck	15 and 17 Anselm terrace	22	Dwelling	14,000
Thomas T. Tuck	18 and 20 Anselm terrace	22	Dwelling	14,000
Thomas T. Tuck	19 and 21 Anselm terrace	22	Dwelling	14,000
Thomas T. Tuck	22 and 24 Anselm terrace	22	Dwelling	14,000
David Hollis	55 Antwerp street	22	Warehouse	100,000
The Five Trust	4 Arlington street	5	Alterations, office, store, apts.	2,000
Assoc. Evan. Luth. Church..	670 Baker street	20	Office	12,000
Peter DiSessa	12 Barnes avenue	1	Alterations, dwelling	500
William Bowman	139 Bay State road	5	Alterations, dwelling	10,000
Sigma Phi Epsilon Fraternity	518 Beacon street	5	Alterations, dwelling	5,000
Charles E. Lamborgluni....	78 Bellevue street	20	Dwelling	15,000
Hub Theatres Inc.	1375 Bennington street	1	Office	1,800
Hub Theatres Inc.	1375 Bennington street	1	Projection booth	1,400
Hub Theatres Inc.	1375 Bennington street	1	Ticket booth	500
Hub Theatres Inc	1375 Bennington street	1	Ticket booth	500
Decatur Hopkins Company..	85-99 Berkeley street	5	Alterations ,supply house	7,000
Denver Package Company..	1 and 2 Blackstone street	3	Alterations, storage house	350
B. Rosenberg	1020 Blue Hill avenue	14	Alterations, stores	500
Morris Winer Foundry Inc..	184 Border street	1	Take-down	300
Morris Winer Foundry Inc..	196 Border street	1	Take-down	400
Morris Winer Foundry Inc..	Rear 196 Border street	1	Take-down	500
Border Trust	204 Border street	1	Take-down	200
Border Trust	212 Border street	1	Take-down	600
Border Trust	Rear 212 Border street	1	Take-down	500
Border Trust	222 Border street	1	Take-down	200
Border Trust	224 Border street	1	Take-down	200

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LAW DEPARTMENT.

Nicholas C. Crossen, Jr., 21 Stellman road, Roslindale, assistant corporation counsel, $99.73 a week.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

House of Correction.

T. V. Campagna, M.D., 195 Bay State road, physician, $87.47 a week.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

Werner F. Gossels, 209 Fairmount street, Dorchester, senior engineering aid (draftsman), $60.50 a week.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Wilfred J. Gaudreau, Jr., 48 North Munroe terrace, Dorchester, clerk, $43 a week.

VETERANS' SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Lewis Goldstein, 2 Alwin terrace, Hyde Park, veterans' services investigator, $73 a week.

Frank J. Bachoff, 20 Faulkner street, Dorchester, veterans' services investigator, $68 a week.

William F. Keenan, 86 Butler street, Dorchester, veterans' services investigator, $65.50 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Margaret E. McCarthy, 22 Russell street, Charlestown, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Virginia M. Shea, 41 Owencroft road, Dorchester, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Nancy L. Allen, 5 Wabeno street, Roxbury, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Patricia A. Reardon, 9 Moraine street, Jamaica Plain, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Dorothy A. Connolly, 206 West Eighth street, South Boston, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Jeanette Rapack, 182 Chelsea street, East Boston, statistical machine operator (key punch), $45.50 a week.

Appointments or Reinstatements.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Printing Section.

Leander J. Gaff, 40 Bowdoin street, cylinder pressfeeder, $84 a week.

Solomon Baker, 15 Dumas street, Dorchester, job pressman, $89.23 a week.

Marjorie T. Callinan, 24 Fairmount street, Dorchester, copyholder, $60.50 a week.

Joseph Herlihy, 1 O'Reilly Way, Charlestown, cylinder pressman, $93.86 a week.

Frances Moloney, 5 Concord avenue, Cambridge, monotype keyboard operator, $96.25 a week.

CITY PLANNING BOARD.

Elliot Hansen, 27½ Bostonia avenue, Brighton, planning assistant, $68 a week.

Barbara Devine, 17 Bonnie Brier Circle, Hingham, junior planner, $76.50 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Margaret G. Keady, 22 Medfield street, public health nurse, $63 a week.

Patrick J. Foley, 1 Arborway, Jamaica Plain, dental supervisor, $113 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Paul Ziegler, 40 Dale street, Roslindale, laboratory assistant, $45.50 a week.

Patricia M. Flynn, 39 Undine road, Brighton, laboratory assistant, $35.50 a week.

Irene Rohe, 178 Commonwealth avenue, medical social worker, $65.50 a week.

Patricia Murray, 170 Arborway, research laboratory technician, $63 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

Michael Reilly, 65 Faneuil street, Brighton, third-class stationary engineer, $63 a week.

Walter Ruszcyk, 22 Ward street, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Philip Lynch, 435 Old Colony avenue, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

John Walsh, 218 Parker Hill avenue, Roxbury, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

Long Island Division.

Osamu J. Inashima, 70 Mt. Vernon street, head pharmacist, $73 a week.

Edward J. Connolly, 3 Bernice street, Dorchester, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Changes in Status.

AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

Jonathan H. Edwards, 96 Harrishof street, Roxbury, from principal statistical machine operator at $76.50 a week to assistant supervisor of statistical machines (temporary) at $80 a week.

Catherine H. Crawford, 27 Washington street, Charlestown, from senior clerk-typist at $65.50 a week to assessment recorder, temporary for three months, at $68 a week.

Harold R. Darling, 53 Oriole street, West Roxbury, from senior clerk at $65.50 a week to assessment recorder, temporary for three months, at $68 a week.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Robert P. Seeley, 43 Gartland street, Jamaica Plain, from senior storekeeper at $73 a week to senior electrical engineering draftsman at $76.50 a week.

Martin J. Carney, 25 Mayhew street, Dorchester, from fire fighter at $76.63 a week to fire fighter (engineer, Motor Squad) at $80.46 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Leonard L. Pasciucco, 5 Fernald terrace, Dorchester, from cashier at $68 a week to head clerk (temporary) at $73 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Richard K. Boyle, 221 Dudley street, Roxbury. from assistant chef at $90.50 a week to senior assistant chef (temporary) at $94 a week.

Reginald T. Dunn, 133 Clare avenue, Hyde Park, from assistant chef at $90.50 a week to senior assistant chef (temporary) at $94 a week.

Carol A. O'Brien, 68 Child street, Hyde Park, from laboratory assistant at $50.50 a week to laboratory technician at $58 a week.

Albert R. Bonatti, 341 Savin Hill avenue, Dorchester, from third-class stationary engineer (temporary) at $76.50 a week to first-class steam fireman (permanent) at $73 a week.

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PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING JULY 12.—Continued.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Border Trust	226 Border street	1	Take-down	$300
Border Trust	Rear 226 Border street	1	Take-down	400
Border Trust	230 Border street	1	Take-down	50
Border Trust	234 Border street	1	Take-down	100
Border Trust	240 Border street	1	Take-down	200
William J. Hill	127–131 Bower street	12	Alterations, dwelling	2,000
Charlotte and F. Feinberg	725 Boylston street	5	Alterations, store, office	3,000
Anthony Main	404 and 406 Bremen street	1	Garage	4,500
Hannah T. McDonough	106 Brook avenue	13	Alterations, dwelling	375
Joseph A. Sansone	147 Charles street	5	Alterations, store, apartments	3,500
Joseph A. Sansone	149 Charles street	5	Alterations, store, apartments	6,500
Socony Oil Company Inc	1704 Centre street	20	Alterations, service station	2,700
Joseph Sestito, jr	41 Chesterfield street	18	Dwelling	10,000
Mary L. Buckley	35 Chestnut street	2	Use premises, parking lot	None
Thomas E. P. Rice	54 Chestnut street	5	Alterations, dwelling	$3,300
Mary Keefe	795 Columhia road	7	Alterations, dwelling	1,800
David A. Feldman	7 Courtney road	20	Dwelling	1,7784
Gertrude M. Conhoy	44 Creighton street	10	Garage	751.20
J. F. Durant	88 Dale street	18	Dwelling	10,000
J. F. Durant	92 Dale street	18	Dwelling	10,000
J. F. Durant	96 Dale street	18	Dwelling	10,000
F.ax Realty Company	15 Dania street	18	Dwelling	10,000
Charles H. Alexander	4 Dedham street	18	Garage	1,540
Loyal Prot. Life Iusurance Co	Deerfield street	5	Alterations, office	3,600
John and Lillian Simourian	25–29 Denhy road	22	Fruit terminal, office	35,000
Mitchell and B. Nashawaty	28 DeSoto road	20	Dwelling	20,000
Daniel Gorenstein	982 and 984 Dorchester av.	13	Alterations, store	6,500
Elmo R. Mazzoni	16 Faraday street	18	Dwelling	8,000
James P. Lydon	15 Farwell avenue	18	Dwelling	9,000
United Shoe Mach. Corp	140 Federal street	3	Alterations, store, office	9,000
Simmons College	300 Fenway	4	Alterations, college	20,000
Harvard College	57–63 Franklin street	3	Alterations, store, office, manufacturing	3,000
C. L. Young Trustee	76–110 Gainsborough street	4	Use premises, Park Area	None
Modern Coffees Inc	5–7 Gaston street	12	Alterations, process of coffee	$2
A. P. & M. E. Nadeau	69 Gibson street	16	Erect, garage	800
James B. McKinnon	70 Glenellen road	20	Erect, dwelling	9,000
W. & E. M. Martin	879 Harrison avenue	8	Alterations, dwelling	2
Lincoln Filling Station, Inc	226 Harvard avenue	21	Erect, service station	25,000
Wentworth Institute	550 Huntington avenue	4	Alterations, school	20,000
Socony Oil Company	994 Hyde Park avenue	18	Alterations, service station	3,500
St. George Syrian Church	6 James street	8	Erect, meeting room	24,000
Francis X. Calden	71 Kittredge street	18	Erect, garage	950
Cecelia F. Wattendorf	75 Lonsdale street	16	Alterations, dwelling	200
Mario Corsi	236 Manchester street	18	Erect, dwelling	10,500
Mario Corsi	240 Manchester street	18	Erect, dwelling	10,500
Mario Corsi	244 Manchester street	18	Erect, dwelling	7,500
Sidney Barrow	291 Marlborough street	5	Alterations, dwelling	690
J. Dickson Realty Company	901 Massachusetts avenue	8	Erect, diner	45,000
G. & A. Cincotta	26 Mayfield street	13	Alterations, dwelling	200
Phillip Gluck	3 Melton road	21	Alterations, dwelling	1,500
Messinger Corporation	49 Messinger street	18	Erect, dwelling	9,000
Joseph M. Sugrue	277 Metropolitan avenue	18	Erect, dwelling	9,000
Joseph J. Cappellano	2–10 Middlesex street	2	Use premises, Park Area	None
Joseph J. Cappellano	12 Middlesex street	2	Use premises, Park Area	None
Thompson Wire Company	41 Mildred avenue	18	Alterations, manufacturing	$12,500
David S. Grant	5 Milton street	3	Alterations, dwelling	2,500
Socony Oil Company	15 Morton street	11	Alterations, service station	2,000
Erick A. Johnson	4 Mossdale road	19	Erect, dwelling	9,000
George S. Patey	297 Moss Hill road	19	Erect, dwelling, garage	20,000
Lawrence Barbuto	19 Mt. Pleasant street	18	Erect, dwelling	8,000
John C. Ahern	95 Oakmere street	20	Erect, dwelling	13,856
Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Boston.	333 Old Colony avenue	7	Erect, church	175,000
City of Boston	300 Park Drive	4	Erect, attendants booth	2,000
Samuel Slavet	62 Phillips street	5	Alterations, dwelling	2
Maria Scandura	108 Princeton street	1	Alterations, dwelling	2
Luigi Ahhate	147 Princeton street	1	Alterations, dwelling	200
Joseph Pettenatie	153 Ruskindale road	18	Erect, dwelling	9,000
Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Boston.	120 Safford street	18	Erect, church	250,000
Kirhy Realty Company	130 St. Mary's street	21	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Joseph H. Schmidt	20 Sherwood street	19	Alterations, dwelling	675
Joseph E. Cahozzi, et al	7 South Waverly street	22	Erect, garage	751
Salvatore D'Addario	331–333 Sumner street	1	Alterations, store	1,300
Arthur E. Jordan	77 Thatcher street	18	Alterations, dwelling	500
Joseph Penna	44 Tileston street	18	Erect, dwelling	10,000
Tremont Temple	88 Tremont street	3	Alterations, church, office	15,000
William Consalvo	41 Vernon street	18	Alterations, dwelling	10,000
Angelo Pizzano	630 V. F. W. Wars Parkway	20	Erect, dwelling, garage	14,200
Flax Realty Company	1 Viking terrace	18	Erect, dwelling	10,000
Flax Realty Company	2 Viking terrace	18	Erect, dwelling	10,000
Flax Realty Company	5 Viking terrace	18	Erect, dwelling	10,000
M. & F. DiNicolantonio	46 Waldemar avenue	1	Erect, dwelling	9,000
Tide Water Associated Oil Company.	2–6 Warren avenue	5	Alterations, service station	2,000
C. W. Whittier & Brother	254–256 Washington street	3	Alterations, restaurant	1,000
Jordan Marsh Company	450 Washington street	3	Alterations, store	6,000
Jordan Marsh Company	450 Washington street	3	Alterations, store	23,000
Lucia Cantola	77–79 Waverly street	22	Alterations, dwelling	2,000
Lucia Cantola	81–83 Waverly street	22	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Annette Mathin	139 Wellington Hill street	14	Alterations, dwelling	300
Michael A. Connolly	31 Whitridge street	16	Erect, dwelling	22,000
Michael Joyce	15 Willis street	13	Alterations, dwelling	1,400
Benjamin Perry	16–18 Winter street	3	Alterations, office, store	3,000
John Spruill	45 Alpha road	17	Alterations, dwelling	525
Jarvis Deeran	262 Bennington street	1	Alterations, dwelling	500
John Ferrante	1054 Bennington street	1	Alterations, dwelling	200
Mary Murphy	12 Centervale park	16	Alterations, dwelling	100
Motor Mart Garage	4–16 Columhus avenue	5	Alterations, store, garage	1,000
First National Bank	375 Columhus avenue	5	Sign, store, dwelling	80
Genie Leoncello	42 Dana avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	1,750
Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston.	605 East Fourth street	6	Alterations, school	500
Frank Cavaleri	576 East Second street	6	Alterations, dwelling	940

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING JULY 12.—Concluded.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Walter Fields	49 Elm street	2	Alterations, dwelling	$300
Angeline Koutroubas	164 Fairmount street	17	Alterations, dwelling	60
Manuel Tabor	118 Gladstone street	1	Alterations, dwelling	600
Mr. Williams	265 Humboldt avenue	12	Alterations, dwelling	100
John Yankus	214 L street	7	Alterations, dwelling	90
Joseph Scigliano	26 Leyden street	1	Alterations, dwelling	200
Louis Armella	61 Lubec street	1	Alterations, fire repairs dwelling	425
Katherine Leonard	28 Prospect street	2	Alterations, dwelling	435
David Walsh	67 Stratford street	20	Alterations, dwelling	433
Martin McHugh	15 Surrey street	22	Excavation	100
Moses Richmond	110 Tremont street	5	Sign, restaurant, dwelling	100
Selma Zilb	67 Walnut park	11	Take-down, garage	125
Joe Shapiro	76 West Eagle street	1	Alterations, dwelling	475
M. Mills	14 Ardale street	20	Fire escape, dwelling	400
James Burdell	41 Ashfield street	20	Alterations, dwelling	900
Harold Mitten	221-223 Boston street	7	Alterations, dwelling	275
Italo DiFabio	20-22 Brooks street	22	Alterations, dwelling	150
F. Willis	1159-61 Dorchester avenue	15	Alterations, dwelling	850
Boston Public Library	646 East Broadway	6	Carnival	200
Mrs. Holmes	115 Elm street	2	Alterations, dwelling	100
Eva Spelitz	45 Evelyn street	18	Alterations, dwelling	250
M. Lyko	6 Hartford street	13	Fire escape, nursing home	600
Dept. of School Buildings	36 Kenilworth street	8	Take-down, school	5,387
Max Marder	172 L street	7	Alterations, store, dwelling	1,700
J. E. Fisher	16 Linwood square	9	Fire escape, dwelling	300
Ruth Weston	17 Meredith street	20	Alterations, dwelling	990
M. Bossi	31 Moreland street	12	Fire escape, nursing home	600
Shepard Saunders	523 Norfolk street	14	Alterations, dwelling	300
Virginia Smith	62 Ridgemont street	21	Fire escape, nursing home	500
Kaey's Incorporated	85 Summer street	3	Sign, store	100
John M. Corcoran	287 Talbot avenue	17	Alterations, dwelling	325
David Whittaker	27 Townsend street	11	Alterations, dwelling	700
209 Washington street, Inc.	209 Washington street	3	Alterations, offices	1,000
Jordan Marsh Company	474-80 Washington street	3	Alterations, store, offices	100

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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Long Island Division.

Harold F. Warnock, Long Island Hospital, from senior hospital kitchen worker (cook) at $58 a week to assistant chef at $60.50 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Highway Division.

James M. Flynn, 17 Bow street, Hyde Park, from senior account clerk at $58 a week to cashier (temporary) at $63 a week.

Willard B. Pickett, 54 Calumet street, Roxbury, from principal account clerk at $76.50 a week to assistant permit supervisor (temporary) at $80 a week.

Douglas A. Butler, 84 Selden street, Dorchester, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior clerk and stenographer (temporary) at $55.50 a week.

Sanitary Division.

James J. Bellew, 12 Josephine street, Dorchester, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $65.50 a week to street cleaning and waste collection inspector at $73 a week.

John J. Daley, 102 East Newton street, from street cleaning and waste collection inspector at $80 a week to district supervisor of street cleaning and waste collection (temporary) at $83.50 a week.

Bertrand F. P. Pratt, 262 Columbus avenue, from laborer at $55.50 a week to blacksmith's helper at $58 a week.

Vincenzo Treia, 15 Rockford street, Roxbury, from laborer at $60.50 a week to blacksmith's helper at $63 a week.

Robert J. Caswell, 44 East Newton street, from blacksmith's helper at $60.50 a week to laborer at $58 a week.

Sewer Division.

James J. Kiley, 7 Greenheys street, Roxbury, from sewer construction inspector at $80 a week to foreman of tidegate repairs and maintenance (temporary) at $83.50 a week.

Water Division.

Joseph W. Doherty, 360 Riverway, Jamaica Plain, from supervising water meter reader at $83.50 a week to chief water meter reader (temporary) at $87 a week.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Anna E. Edmunds, 351 Charles street, from clerk-typist at $50.50 a week to senior account clerk at $55.50 a week.

Concetta Vacca, 34 Dennis street, Roxbury, from clerk-typist at $50.50 a week to senior clerk and stenographer at $55.50 a week.

Jean M. Eldridge, 22 Caspian Way, Dorchester, from senior account clerk at $63 a week to principal clerk at $65.50 a week.

Henry A. Barry, 730 Columbia road, Dorchester, from paymaster at $90.50 a week to senior accountant at $94 a week.

Ida A. Hibbard, 81 Dent street, West Roxbury, from principal account clerk at $80 a week to accountant at $90.50 a week.

Maurice F. Brodie, 25 Alicia road, Dorchester, from county paymaster at $108.25 a week to principal accountant at $113 a week.

Edward A. Hoey, 1871 Commonwealth avenue, from paymaster at $90.50 a week to county paymaster at $94 a week.

Katherine Magullion, 70 Westchester road, Jamaica Plain, from clerk-typist at $50.50 a week to senior account clerk at $55.50 a week.

Thomas H. Harris, 6 Winthrop street, Roxbury, from clerk-typist at $50.50 a week to senior account clerk at $55.50 a week.

Promotions.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Purchasing Division.

Helen R. Roth, 6 Eldora street, Roxbury, from senior clerk and typist (temporary) at $55.50 a week to senior clerk and typist at $55.50 a week.

Susan H. Pucillo, 18 Ashley street, East Boston, from senior clerk and typist (temporary) at $55.50 a week to senior clerk and typist at $55.50 a week.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

Arthur E. Burke, 88 Draper street, Dorchester, from senior clerk at $63 a week to parking meter collector (temporary) at $65.50 a week.

VETERANS' SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Marguerite V. Strout, 10 Mystic street, Charlestown, from veterans' services supervisor (temporary transfer) at $83.50 a week to veterans' services supervisor (permanent) at $83.50 a week.

Sylvia Mainzer, 73 Crawford street, Roxbury, from principal clerk and stenographer (temporary transfer) at $70.50 a week to principal clerk and stenographer (permanent) at $70.50 a week.

Transfers.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Julia M. Rahilly, 124 Melville avenue, Dorchester, from Building Department as senior clerk-typist at $65.50 a week to Building Department, Board of Appeal, as senior clerk-typist at $284.93 a month.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Sanatorium Division.

Josephine Kowalczyk, 33 Garfield avenue, Hyde Park, from Boston City Hospital as hospital medical worker at $45.50 a week to Sanatorium Division as hospital medical worker at $45.50 a week.

Long Island Division.

Annie Duffy, 403 Neponset avenue, Dorchester, from Hospital Department as hospital medical worker at $45.50 a week to Long Island Division as hospital kitchen worker at $45.50 a week.

Leaves of Absence.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Bridge Division.

Nicholas Cantalupo, 70 Revere street, carpenter, $65 a week.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Mary F. Kelley (nee Sullivan), 1 Wallace court, Charlestown, statistical machine operator, $53 a week.

Step-Rate Increases.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Budget Division.

John G. Pickett, principal budget analyst, from $132 to $136.75 a week.

CITY CLERK DEPARTMENT.

Irene M. Ford, principal clerk and typist, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Mary M. Murphy, principal clerk-secretary, from $83.50 to $87 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Amelia T. Chapin, hospital kitchen worker, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

Robert J. McNabb, steamfitter, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Catherine Caine, telephone operator, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

John J. O'Sullivan, second-class stationary engineer, from $87 to $90.50 a week.

Hospital Medical Workers.

	From	To
Eunice Belyea,	$45.50—	$48.00
Donaldo Favreau,	43.00—	45.50
Mildred O'Connell,	48.00—	50.50
Anna Smith,	48.00—	50.50
Maggie B. Mills,	43.00—	45.50
Paul Altrocchi,	43.00—	45.50
Robert L. Grant,	48.00—	50.50
Robert McAuliffe,	45.50—	48.00

Hospital House Workers.

	From	To
Leborio M. Sforza,	$43.00—	$45.50
Frederick Flynn,	45.50—	48.00
Elizabeth Loughlin,	48.00—	50.50

Elevator Operators.

	From	To
William Whittaker,	$43.00—	$45.50
Clarence Fernald	45.50—	48.00

Jane E. Kelley, senior hospital house worker, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Hospital Laundry Workers.

	From	To
Robert McGonagle,	$43.00—	$45.50
Richard P. Sheehan,	43.00—	45.50

Miriam Driscoll, senior X-ray technician, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Laboratory Technicians.

	From	To
Marjorie McLaughlin,	$58.00—	$60.50
Carol A. O'Brien,	50.50—	53.00

Joan Gillespie, clerk and typist, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

George Pickett, senior accountant, from $90.50 to $94 a week.

Helen Rogers, principal medical stenographer, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Josephine Lane, housemother, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Floor Nurses.

	From	To
Marie LaRosa,	$65.50—	$68.00
Eileen MacIntosh,	65.60—	68.00
Una Montgomery,	60.50—	63.00
Elinor White,	63.00—	65.50
June Zuran,	60.50—	63.00

Jean Papineau, nursing arts instructor, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Alice Travers, supervising nurse, from $80 to $83.50 a week.

Carolyn McCormick, floor nurse, part time, from $1.50 to $1.60 an hour.

Alma Crowley, floor nurse, part time, from $1.50 to $1.60 an hour.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Victor F. Nardi, laborer, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

Andrew E. Fitchner, locksmith, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

COURT HOUSE.

James J. Dolan, elevator operator, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Laurence J. Haley, watchman, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Leo J. McGarry, janitor, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

Jacob Osolin, engineer third-class, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

SUPERIOR CRIMINAL COURT.

Francis M. Masuret, Jr., principal clerk, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Gloria C. Giordano, senior clerk, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING JULY 12.

GAS FITTER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
S. Karmer	26 Alexander street	13	New appliances	$50
P. Bishop	42 Brent street	17	New appliances	25
H. Hinckley	109 Callender street	9	New appliances	20
W. Connell	38 Clifton street	16	New appliances	15
M. Eskovitz	85 Clifton street	8	New appliances	35
J. McTomney	118 Commonwealth avenue	5	New appliances	50
H. Slishman	262 East Fourth street	7	New appliances	43
J. Freedman	41 Garfield street	18	New appliances	25
I. Gerson	5 Greendale road	14	New appliances	75
P. Bishop	31 Holiday street	15	New appliances	30
	38½ Harrison avenue	2	New appliances	30
H. Geddis	860 Huntington avenue	10	New appliances	36
W. Connell	6 Huron Circle	16	New appliances	10
T. Toley	24 Jersey street	5	New appliances	75
G. Tack	54 Lawn street	10	New appliances	55
W. Connell	80 Neponset street	16	New appliances	150
W. Connell	136 Neponset avenue	16	New appliances	15
A. Onessimo	16 North Anderson street	3	New appliances	25
W. Connell	110 Norfolk street	16	New appliances	20
L. Visco	108 Pleasant street	1	New appliances	50
P. Bishop	141 Princeton street	15	New appliances	50
P. Bishop	6 Queen street	16	New appliances	60
P. Bishop	23 Rowena street	16	New appliances	50
P. Bishop	397 Talbot avenue	17	New appliances	40
H. Geddis	179 Temple street	20	New appliances	75
P. Bishop	32 Thetford avenue	17	New appliances	30
W. Connell	112 Wilmington avenue	17	New appliances	30
M. Slishman	5 Albemarle street	4	New appliances	15
W. Fafara	162 Almont street	18	New appliances	800
W. Fafara	166 Almont street	18	New appliances	800
M. Langley	74 Atherton street	11	New appliances	10
F. Kozell	77 Bedford street	3	New appliances	50
R. Ebba	154 Bennington street	1	New appliances	25
R. Ebba	182 Bennington street	1	New appliances	25
B. Weinburg	1424 Blue Hill avenue	18	New appliances	500
A. Statley	24 Bodwell street	15	New appliances	50
W. Foster	226 Boston street	7	New appliances	25
A. Farley	89 Bower street	12	New appliances	50
D. Triglie	401 Bunker Hill street	2	New appliances	125
P. Ferris	1055 Centre street	19	New appliances	650
R. Ebba	383 Chelsea street	1	New appliances	25
A. Farley	7 Copeland street	12	New appliances	25
A. Farley	47 East Cottage street	8	New appliances	20
A. Farley	25 Fenno street	12	New appliances	25
D. O'Neill	82 Fisher street	10	New appliances	10
P. Simon	25 G street	6	New appliances	41
D. O'Neill	87 Gainsborough street	4	New appliances	10
A. Farley	33 Highland street	9	New appliances	15
R. Ebba	71 Lexington street	1	New appliances	30
A. Farley	14 Mayfair street	12	New appliances	45
A. Farley	97 Munroe street	12	New appliances	50
A. Statley	31 Neponset street	16	New appliances	40
	47A North Margin street	3	New appliances	25
L. Luxton	9 O'Donnell square	16	New appliances	65
R. Ebba	147 Princeton street	1	New appliances	50
R. Ebba	189 Princeton street	1	New appliances	30
R. Ebba	191 Princeton street	1	New appliances	25
R. Ebba	285 Princeton street	1	New appliances	20
A. Farley	19 Regent street	12	New appliances	45
A. Farley	14 Sargent street	12	New appliances	14
P. Simon	320 W. Seventh street	7	New appliances	81
M. Slishman	9 St. Peter street	19	New appliances	25
R. Ebba	14 Trenton street	2	New appliances	25
D. O'Neill	97 Warwick street	10	New appliances	50
D. O'Neill	15 Wyoming street	12	New appliances	35
S. Connolly	1 Alleghany street	10	New appliances	50
S. Connolly	4 Alleghany street	10	New appliances	40
C. Lee	144 Athens street	6	New appliances	25
C. Crawford	7 Bailey strcet	17	New appliances	15
S. Connolly	81 Burrell street	8	New appliances	60
C. Lee	6 Dean street	13	New appliances	25
A. Figler	21 Dewey street	13	New appliances	45
C. Crawford	74 Florida street	16	New appliances	35
C. Lee	47 Fulda street	11	New appliances	25
C. Beaulieu	48 Gardena street	22	New appliances	50
W. Guggan	31 Hereford street	5	New appliances	500
I McGee	280 Humboldt avenue	12	New appliances	50
J. Callato	3 London court	1	New appliances	7
C. Lee	534 Massachusetts avenue	9	New appliances	75
C. Lee	420 Pond street	19	New appliances	50
W. Blackey	41 Rexford street	18	New appliances	200
A. Granara	37 Tileston street	3	New appliances	25
C. Lee	6 Thornton street	9	New appliances	25
A. Onessimo	827 Washington street	3	New appliances	20
C. Lee	12 Westminster avenue	9	New appliances	50
S. Karmer	125 Cedar street	11	New appliances	23
E. Sawyer	1322 Commonwealth avenue	21	New appliances	200
A. Granara	161 Endicott street	3	New appliances	10
C. O'Connor	112 High street	2	New appliances	45
F. Deltufo	5 Madison street	18	New appliances	50
C. O'Connor	166 Main street	2	New appliances	6
I. Springer	1 McLellan street	14	New appliances	30
C. O'Connor	11 Washington street	12	New appliances	50
D. Slavet	149 Broadway	5	New appliances	50
A. Avery	19 Calvin road	19	New appliances	120
K. Hering	270½ Centre street	10	New appliances	25
R. McCall	341 Centre street	10	New appliances	50
A. Lorenzo	277 Chelsea street	1	New appliances	30
J. Butler	12 Clover street	16	New appliances	75
D. Horgan	308 East Eighth street	7	New appliances	25
D. Horgan	708 East Sixth street	7	New appliances	50

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Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
L. Visco	170 172 Falcon street	1	New appliances	$35
W. Hogan	143 Highland avenue	11	New appliances	200
D. Greenwood	44 Johnswood avenue	19	New appliances	40
F. Avery	24 Mansur street	10	New appliances	25
G. Trethewey	25 Meudum street	20	New appliances	250
D. Horgan	19 Mercer street	7	New appliances	10
F. Avery	40 Old Harbor street	5	New appliances	950
C. Chandler	112 Pinckney street	5	New appliances	15
C. Chandler	56 Queensberry street	5	New appliances	50
C. Chandler	58 Queensberry street	5	New appliances	40
W. Crawford	109 River street	17	New appliances	15
J. Fereny	33 Sharon street	8	New appliances	30
A. Lorenzo	277 Shawmut avenue	3	New appliances	30
D. Horgan	63 Telegraph street	7	New appliances	50
D. Horgan	67 Telegraph street	7	New appliances	40
F. Avery	53 Walden street	10	New appliances	15
W. Crawford	112 Woodrow avenue	14	New appliances	30

STEP-RATE INCREASES.

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SUPREME JUDICIAL COURT.

Dorothy M Treano, clerk, from $93.53 to $98.96 semimonthly.

BOSTON JUVENILE COURT.

Joan M. Guinazzo, clerk, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

REGISTRY OF DEEDS.

Richard John Horrigan, clerk, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following requests:

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

For the week ending June 28:

John Montgomery, traffic sign maintenance foreman, 8 hours; Leonard VanGemert, traffic signal repair foreman, 20 hours; James Pender, traffic signal inspector, 36 hours; Francis Laughlin, chief traffic investigator, 5½ hours.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

For the week ending June 28:

General Foreman of Fire Department Maintenance James W. Marley, 24 hours at $3 an hour.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

For the week ending June 28:

Thomas Roberto, golf course foreman, 40 hours at $3 an hour; Dennis N. O'Leary, principal clerk, 24 hours at $3 an hour; Harry Damigella, junior civil engineer, 16 hours at $3 an hour; Frank W. Clark, junior civil engineer, 12 hours at $3 an hour; Patrick J. Burke, collector, 32 hours at $3 an hour; Alfred T. Repucci, custodian, 4 hours at $3 an hour; John B. Gleason, painter foreman, 8 hours at $3 an hour; John J. Keane, foreman, greenhouse, 8 hours at $3 an hour; Harry L. McGuire, tree maintenance foreman, 72 hours at $3 an hour; William E. Collins, general foreman, park maintenance, 24 hours at $3 an hour; John Hardiman, supervisor, recreation equipment, 24 hours at $3 an hour; Frank McGrath, general foreman, park maintenance, 12 hours at $3 an hour; John Freitas, foreman, 8 hours at $3 an hour; Neil P. Canney, park maintenance foreman, 32 hours at $3 an hour; John J. Hammond, general foreman, horticulture, 40 hours at $3 an hour.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award the contracts for work, materials, and supplies, in accordance with recommendations of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Purchasing Division.

Upon July 11 the Mayor approved a contract with White Coffee Corporation for furnishing tea and coffee to the various city departments, from July 1, 1955, to September 30, 1955, inclusive. Approximate total amount of contract was $11,391.31, net.

Bids, opened June 21, were as follows:

Tea and Coffee.

Item 1. 800 Pounds Black Ceylon or India Tea, As Specified, 100-Pound Chests, Per Pound.—Martin L. Hall Company, 62.30 cents; J. L. McCormick & Co., 57.5 cents; White Coffee Corporation, 56 cents.*

Item 2. 400 Pounds Black Ceylon or India Tea, 1-Pound Packages, As Specified, Per Pound.—Martin L. Hall Company, 64.05 cents; J. L. McCormick & Co., 59.5 cents; White Coffee Corporation, 58.5 cents.*

Item 3. 175 Cases Tea Bags, with Tags, As Specified, Packed 10/100's, 150 Tea Bags to Pound, Per Case.—Martin L. Hall Company, $6.86; J. L. McCormick & Co., $6.55; Tetley Tea Co., Inc., $8.40; White Coffee Corporation, $5.46.*

Item 4. 75 Cases Tea Bags, Stringless, As Specified, Packed As Requested, Per Case.—Martin L. Hall Company, $2.82, 50/1-ounce; Holiday Coffee Corporation, $3.9525, 50/1-ounce; J. L. McCormick & Co., $2.45, 50/1-ounce; Tetley Tea Co., Inc., $7.10, packed 96 to carton; White Coffee Corporation, $2.12, 50/1-ounce.*

Item 5. 18,100 Packages Ground Coffee, in Accordance with Specifications Outlined in Proposal, Per Package.—Dwinell-Wright Company, 57.19 cents; Martin L. Hall Company, 59.37 cents; Holiday Coffee Corporation, 58.50 cents, Blend A, 57 cents, Blend B; White Coffee Corporation, 53.01 cents.*

Discount.—Dwinell-Wright Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Martin L. Hall Company, net, 15 days; Holiday Coffee Corporation, net, cash; J. L. McCormick & Co., net, 10 days; Tetley Tea Co., Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; White Coffee Corporation, net, no discount, letter dated June 20, sent to Mr. Moran changing prices on Items 1 and 2 to read as follows: Item 1, 56 cents per pound, Item 2, 58.5 cents per pound.

* Contract awarded.

Upon July 11 the Mayor approved a contract as requested in the following letter:

BOSTON, July 7, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

Bids on proposals for furnishing lumber to the Bridge Service of the Public Works Department were publicly opened and read in this office on June 24, 1955. Tabulation of prices received is attached.

Authority is requested to make awards to the lowest bidders at the prices checked on the accompanying tabulation. Approximate total amounts of awards will be as follows:

Contract for: Cobb Lumber Company, Inc., $1,130, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Order for: Cowan Lumber Company, $832.50, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

Bids were as follows:

Lumber.

Item 1. 5,000 Feet Board Measure, 2 Inches x 8 Inches x 16 Feet, Hard Pine, Planed 1 Side, Str., S. E. & S., Long Leaf, Per M Board Feet.—Cobb Lumber Company, Inc., $170; Cowan Lumber Company, $166.50*; Massachusetts Lumber Company, $176.

Item 2. 5,000 Feet Board Measure, 3 Inches x 8 Inches x 16 Feet, Rough Spruce, Per M Board Feet.—Barney & Carey Company, $114.50; Cobb Lumber Company, Inc., $113*; Downes Lumber Company, $130; General Builders Supply Company, $119.50.

Item 3. 5,000 Feet Board Measure, 4 Inches x 8 Inches x 16 Feet, Rough Spruce, Per M Board Feet.—Barney & Carey Company, $120; Cobb Lumber Company, Inc., $113*; General Builders Supply Company, $119.50.

Discount.—Barney & Carey Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Cobb Lumber Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Cowan Lumber Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Downes Lumber Company, 2 per cent, 10 days; General Builders Supply Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Massachusetts Lumber Company, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—Barney & Carey Company, upon receipt of order; Cobb Lumber Company, Inc., immediately; Cowan Lumber Company, immediately; Downes Lumber Company, immediately; General Builders Supply Company, 10 days; Massachusetts Lumber Company, 1 day.

Remarks.—Downes Lumber Company, bid received late at Purchasing Division.

* Contract awarded.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Upon July 11 the Mayor approved a contract with A. B. Stanley Company, Inc., for furnishing and installing scientific laboratory equipment in laboratories on ground floor of Pavilion Building, Boston City Hospital. Bids, opened Thursday, June 23, were as follows:

E. H. Sheldon Equipment Company, $15,416.80; A. B. Stanley Company, Inc., $14,000.

Sanatorium Division.

Upon July 11 the Mayor approved a contract with F. S. Payne Company for repairing the freight elevator in the

kitchen building at the Sanatorium Division. Bids, opened June 21, were as follows:

Otis Elevator Company, $1,605; Beckwith Elevator Company, Inc., $934; F. S. Payne Company, $817.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Upon July 11 the Mayor approved a contract with Pacella Brothers Corporation for sewerage works in Stony Brook, Section 18, Hyde Park, in the estimated amount of $439,077. The work contemplated under this contract is to be completed within 300 days after approval of the contract by the Mayor. The following bids were received June 22:

Pacella Brothers Corporation, $439,077; Civitarese-Piatelli Construction Corporation, $601,782; J. Andreassi Company & Underground Construction, Inc., as joint venturers, $624,041; Salah & Pecci Construction Company, Inc., $699,178.50; Wes-Julian Construction Corporation, $753,727; C. DiMartino & Sons, Inc., $938,146.60.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

Upon varying dates as indicated the Mayor approved contracts with business firms, contractors, and commercial houses for furnishing labor, materials, etc. Communications from heads of the departments interested were as follows:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.
Purchasing Division.

BOSTON, June 20, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

In view of the fact that replacement equipment is being purchased under the Equipment Loan for the Printing Section, it has become necessary to rewire the Printing Plant changing it from direct current to alternating current.

Stanton Electrical Company, Inc., made a survey of the plant and have submitted a proposal and specifications to furnish all labor and install all materials and new fixtures for the alterations of the present direct current lighting system at the Printing Plant for the sum of $14,975. This company has advised that they can start the work immediately upon the award of a contract.

Inasmuch as time is of the essence and in view of the fact that the transfer of the printing functions of the Boston Public Library will not be made until this work is completed, authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to Stanton Electrical Company, Inc. It is my opinion that, in this way, the best interests of the city will be served.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $14,975, net.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, July 7, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office is in receipt of requisitions from the Public Works Department for one (1) Elgin, new 1955 model, "Street King" dual control street sweeper, and one (1) Wayne, new 1955 Model 2-450, dual control street sweeper, both as per specifications.

Prices have been submitted by the sole local factory representatives in this area for these particular sweepers. Inasmuch as these sweepers will be purchased direct from the factory representatives, it is my opinion that no advantage would be gained by publicly advertising for prices.

Authority is therefore requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to E. J. Bleiler Equipment Company, Inc., for the Elgin "Street King" dual control street sweeper, as per specifications, and a contract to Harold Alexander, doing business as Louis A. Alexander Company, for the Wayne dual control street sweeper, as per specifications.

Approximate total amounts of contracts will be: E. J. Bleiler Equipment Company, Inc., $11,950, less 1 per cent discount, nearest city pay day, net 30 days; Harold Alexander, doing business as Louis A. Alexander Company, $11,650, net.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

BOSTON, June 30, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

I respectfully request your Honor's approval of my selection of Desmond & Lord, 6 Beacon street, Boston, Mass., as architect for the construction of an elementary school in the Blackinton-Joyce Cheverus District, East Boston, at an estimated cost of construction of four hundred twenty-five thousand (425,000) dollars.

As there is a universally accepted standard rate for professional architectural services established by the American Institute of Architects I ask your approval of my procedure of dispensing with public advertising in the *City Record* as it is considered that nothing would be gained by public advertising.

All details of architectural fees, payments, etc., will be included in the formal contract.

There is an appropriation available for this work authorized by the School Committee on January 15, 1954.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES H. MOONEY,
Superintendent of Construction.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, July 6, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR:

I respectfully request your Honor's permission to dispense with publicly advertising for bids and to award a contract to the Roxbury Mattress Corporation, 121 Lamartine street, Jamaica Plain, Mass., in a sum not to exceed $2,507.50, for remaking 295 mattresses of the Fire Department.

This firm has performed the same type of service for the Boston City Hospital for the past three years, and the price of $8.50 for remaking each mattress is the same price paid by the hospital. It is my understanding that the Roxbury Mattress Corporation has remade mattresses for the Hospital Department in a very satisfactory and efficient manner.

I am of the opinion that nothing would be gained by publicly advertising for bids to do this work, and, futhermore, it is my opinion that the interests of the city would be best served by awarding the contract, without advertising, to the Roxbury Mattress Corporation for a sum not to exceed $2,507.50.

Respectfully yours,

FRANCIS X. COTTER,
Fire Commissioner.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, July 8, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The Paco developing machine in the Main X-Ray Department of the Boston City Hospital is in need of immediate and extensive emergency repairs.

This machine, valued at $25,000, is in constant use and is essential for proper and continuing patient care and welfare.

The General Electric X-Ray Corporation is the sole representative for this machine in this area. Their representatives have inspected the machine. It is not possible to give an exact figure for the necessary work until the equipment is dismantled.

An estimated figure of $1,400 has been submitted to cover the cost of labor and material.

Your Honor's permission is requested to dispense with public advertising in the *City Record* and to award a contract to the General Electric X-Ray Corporation, 1256 Soldiers Field road, Brighton, for the emergency repairs to this machine in an amount not to exceed $1,400.

Very truly yours,

RICHARD J. CONDON, *President,*
Board of Trustees, Boston City Hospital.

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BOSTON, July 8, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

An extensive series of leaks in waste pipes between the second and third floors of the Thorndike Building at Boston City Hospital has produced a situation which requires immediate attention. There has been extensive flooding. One ward has had to be vacated and it has been necessary to discontinue use of one half of the X-ray facilities of the Urological Service because of water leakage on the equipment.

It is felt that this situation constitutes an emergency due to serious interference with patient care, the necessary activities of the X-Ray Department and to certain necessary laboratory procedures.

Your Honor's permission is therefore requested to permit the award of a contract, without public advertising, in the *City Record*, to J. P. O'Hearn & Co., plumbing contractors, 9 Columbia place, Dorchester, in an amount not to exceed $1,650. This work is extensive and involves areas extending from the third floor to the basement of the Thorndike Building. The necessary repairs should be undertaken immediately.

Very truly yours,

RICHARD J. CONDON, *President,*
Board of Trustees, Boston City Hospital.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, July 5, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR:

This year we again expect exceptionally large crowds to attend our night and

Sunday football games. It therefore becomes a necessity that some of these fields be roped, particularly those fields where games in our top league are to be played.

From our experience we find that it is more satisfactory and economical to employ a contractor to rope off the playground for these games. If the Parks and Recreation Department purchased all the ropes and stakes that are required, it would be quite expensive. In addition to the costs of the ropes and stakes, we would be required to operate at least six department trucks on each Sunday with a crew of three men to a truck, all of whom would have to be paid overtime. Also we would probably suffer the loss of ropes and stakes.

F. C. Dolan & Sons who have performed this work in recent years have offered to do the work this year at the same unit prices bid on last year's contract.

As they did an excellent job on this type of work last year and have the necessary experience and equipment to do the work, we feel that it would be in the best interest of the city to accept their offer.

Therefore, it is respectfully requested that I be allowed to award a contract, without advertising publicly, for roping and staking playgrounds, as explained above, to F. C. Dolan & Sons, 18 Aldworth street, Jamaica Plain, Mass., for a sum not to exceed $4,970, same to be charged to the regular budget, Item 299, Park Department.

Respectfully yours,

FRANK R. KELLEY,
Commissioner.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, June 27, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

YOUR HONOR:

The Board of Overseers of the Public Welfare respectfully requests your permission to award a contract for a period of eight and one half months from July 15, 1955, through March 31, 1956, to Miss Katharine D. Hardwick for expert services as Consultant to the Board.

For the past year Miss Hardwick has served as Consultant to the Board and her services have been of inestimable value. Miss Hardwick has been actively engaged in social work for many years and her ability and reputation in the social work field is widely recognized.

The amount of the contract will not exceed three thousand five hundred and seventy (3,570) dollars for the eight and one half-month period. Due to the nature of the services to be performed public advertising would not be advisable.

Sincerely yours,

JOSEPH K. COLLINS,
Chairman.

OMIT AND SUBSTITUTE WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Charles Todesca has been directed to omit and substitute the following work under the contract for sheet asphalt pavement in Summer street and Washington street and artificial stone sidewalks in Washington street, dated October 21, 1954:

In Summer street, omit the furnishing and laying of approximately 330 tons of sheet asphalt wearing surface at $13.50 per ton and substitute the seeding of existing car rails and cover entire roadway with bituminous concrete binder. This work, including seeding of car rails, is to be paid for under Item 10 of the contract and will require approximately 500 tons of bituminous concrete binder at $11 per ton.

Estimated cost of substituted work, $5,500.

Estimated cost of omitted work, $1,455.

Estimated increase in cost, $1,045.

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Rufo Construction Company, Inc., has been directed to omit and substitute the following work under the contract for bituminous concrete pavement in Guest street and Hemman street, dated November 12, 1954:

In Hemman street, omit the furnishing and laying of approximately 40 linear feet of 10-inch minor drain at $4 per linear foot and substitute the furnishing and laying of approximately 40 linear feet of 6-inch drain to replace house connections above grade at $3.44 per linear foot.

Estimated cost of omitted work, $160.

Estimated cost of substituted work, $137.60.

Estimated decrease in cost, $22.40.

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J. A. Susi & Sons, Inc., have been directed to omit and substitute the following work under the contract for bituminous concrete pavement in Alvarado avenue, Chesterfield street, Danny road, Manila avenue, Reynold road, and Vallaro road, dated April 28, 1955:

In Manila avenue, north side, omit approximately 20 tons of stone dust sidewalks at $3 per ton and substitute the furnishing and laying of approximately 30 tons of bituminous concrete base for sidewalks at $11 per ton and approximately 30 tons of bituminous concrete wearing surface for sidewalks at $11 per ton.

Estimated cost of substituted work, $660.

Estimated cost of omitted work, $60.

Estimated increase in cost, $600.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with L. J. Banda for modernization of toilet facilities at the Boston Public Latin School, from June 30, 1955, to July 30, 1955. This extension was requested because additional work was not called for in contract.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with H. Piken & Co. for interior and exterior painting, including fire escapes, at the David A. Ellis School, from June 30, 1955, to August 1, 1955. This extension was requested on account of school being in session and work was delayed.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with C. Russo, Inc., for sewerage works in Fairview avenue, Alvarado avenue, Alwin street, Stonehill road, and Cheryl Lane, Hyde Park, from June 28, 1955, to July 28, 1955. This extension was requested because the contractor had to do extra work.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Charles Todesca, 100 Roslindale avenue, Roslindale, for artificial stone sidewalks in Beacon street, from Exeter street to Massachusetts avenue, from June 30, 1955, to September 15, 1955. This extension was requested because the contractor was ordered to do additional work.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Defina & Sons, 14 Liberty street, Waltham, for reinforced concrete retaining wall and chain link fence in Westglow street, from June 1, 1955, to August 1, 1955. This extension was requested because the contractor encountered unusually large footings and the concrete had to be removed by hand, thereby delaying the progress of the work.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with C. Russo, Inc., 499 Beech street, Roslindale, for laying water pipes in Dietz road, Ward 18; Dodge road, Ward 18; Eastmont road, Ward 18; Kristin court, Ward 18; Leighton road, Ward 18; and such additional locations, if any, in Ward 18, as may be designated by the Commissioner of Public Works, to August 1, 1955. This extension was requested because two additional streets were added to the contract (Emmet street, Ward 18, and Dana street, Ward 18).

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Charles Todesca has been directed to perform the following extra work under the contract for sheet asphalt pavement in Summer street and Washington street and artificial stone sidewalks in Washington street, dated October 21, 1954:

In Summer street, at the corner of Melcher street, construct one drop inlet, including 10-inch pipe connections to existing catch basin, for the sum of $100.

In Summer street, excavate by hand 12 cubic yards of material which is necessary due to widening at corner of Melcher street. Price to be paid, the sum of $3.50 per cubic yard.

Estimated cost of extra work, $142.

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Park Construction Company has been directed to perform the following extra work under the contract for construction of office building and garage at Arborway and Forest Hills street, Ward 11, dated January 5, 1955:

305.3 cubic yards of rock excavation (Item 1 of Additions) at $17 per cubic yard, $5,190.10; 24.9 cubic yards of rock excavation (Item 8 of Additions) at $12 per cubic yard, $298.80—$5,488.90; less credit for omitted general excavation (Item 1 of Additions) of 330.2 cubic yards at 75 cents per cubic yard, $247.65; estimated cost of extra work, $5,241.25.

TUNNEL TRAFFIC IN MAY.

In the month of May, 1954, 1,031,226 vehicles used the Sumner Tunnel. This is the first time in the history of the tunnel that in excess of 1,000,000 vehicles used the facility in any one month.

In May of 1953, 979,920 vehicles went through the tunnel, or 51,306 less than May of this year.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, June 27, 1955.

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 2 P.M., President HURLEY in the chair, and all the members present.

The Reverend Russell R. Novello, of St. Mary's Roman Catholic Church, Charlestown, was escorted to the rostrum.

INVOCATION BY REV. RUSSELL R. NOVELLO.

In the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost, Amen.

We beseech Thee, God, Thou great governor of the world, Who by Thy supreme and universal providence, dost guide the course of nature with unerring wisdom and rectitude, influence the minds and hearts of these, the members of the City Council, so that they may rightly serve Thee and the people they represent.

Grant that they may, under the influence of Thy grace, prepare effective measures to secure and protect the just rights and privileges of the people of Boston that Thy people may serve Thee in peace, love, and prosperity.

In the Name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost, Amen.

The meeting was opened with the salute to the Flag.

RESIGNATION OF MORRIS YOUMAN.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, June 21, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

You are hereby notified that I have accepted the resignation, effective June 21, 1955, of Morris Youman, 31 Wellington Hill street, Mattapan, as a constable authorized to serve civil process.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

Placed on file.

VETO OF ORDINANCE CREATING OFFICE OF RECEPTIONIST-CLERK IN CITY MESSENGER DEPARTMENT.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, June 16, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I return herewith disapproved, and without my signature, an ordinance creating the new position of receptionist-clerk in the City Messenger Department. It is not clear to me that the creation of an additional position is warranted at this time.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

The message and ordinance were referred to the Executive Committee.

CONVEYANCE OF LAND ON VICTORY ROAD, DORCHESTER, TO COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, June 27, 1955.

To the Honorable City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication received from Frank R. Kelley, Commissioner of Parks and Recreation, pursuant to a vote of the Parks and Recreation Commission passed June 16, 1955.

Under the provisions of chapter 441 of the Acts of 1955, the City of Boston, acting by its Mayor, is authorized to convey without consideration to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts for armory purposes the land on the northerly side of Victory road in the Dorchester district now under the charge of the Parks and Recreation Commission. This land until recently has been under the control of the Boston Housing Authority and was used as a temporary housing project known as Alsen Village. The land has recently been turned back by the Authority to the Parks and Recreation Commission. It is the intention of the Commonwealth to erect on the land a building to be used for armory purposes for the Dorchester district. The building will also be available for recreational facilities by the youth of the district.

Pursuant to the provisions of the 1955 Act, the Parks and Recreation Commission at its meeting on June 16, 1955, has recommended the conveyance to the Commonwealth.

I transmit herewith an order which would authorize the conveyance of the land and recommend its adoption by your Honorable Body.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Parks and Recreation Department,
June 16, 1955.

To the Honorable the Mayor and City Council.
Gentlemen:

The Parks and Recreation Commission hereby recommends to you that the whole of the land on the northerly side of Victory road in the Dorchester district of Boston belonging to the City of Boston and now under the care and custody of this commission be conveyed without consideration to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts for armory purposes under chapter 441 of the Acts of 1955.

This recommendation is sent to you pursuant to and by direction of vote adopted at a meeting of the Parks and Recreation Commission held on June 16, 1955.

It is the understanding of this commission, based on information received from National Guard officials, that if and when this armory is constructed the halls and other sections of the building will be open to the community for recreation purposes as well as for meetings, reunions, and community functions of larger social and civic groups.

Respectfully,
FRANK R. KELLEY, Commissioner.

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Whereas, The City of Boston is the owner in fee of a certain parcel of land situated on the northerly side of Victory road, Dorchester district, of the City of Boston, presently in the charge and control of its Parks and Recreation Commission; and

Whereas, The Parks and Recreation Commission of the City of Boston has recommended that said land be conveyed without consideration to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts for armory purposes: now, therefore, it is hereby

Ordered, That pursuant to the provisions of chapter 441 of the Acts of 1955, the Mayor of the City of Boston be, and he hereby is, authorized in the name and behalf of the City of Boston to execute and deliver an instrument satisfactory in form to the Corporation Counsel conveying without consideration all of the City of Boston's right, title and interest in and to a certain parcel of land situated on the northerly side of Victory road in the Dorchester district of the City of Boston presently in the charge and control of its Parks and Recreation Commission to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts for armory purposes.

Referred to Committee on Public Lands.

PROPOSED EXTENSION OF PARK DEPARTMENT SAILING PROGRAM.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, June 27, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation relative to your order of June 13, 1955, concerning the contacting of the commodores of all yacht clubs in Boston Harbor to determine whether they would cooperate in a joint endeavor with the Parks and Recreation Department to extend the Parks and Recreation Department sailing program to East Boston, South Boston, and Dorchester.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Parks and Recreation Department,
June 23, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.
Dear Sir:

I have your memorandum of June 16, with enclosure, Councillor Foley's order that the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to contact the commodores of all yacht clubs in Boston Harbor to determine whether they would cooperate in a joint endeavor with the Parks and Recreation Department to extend the Parks and Recreation Department sailing program to East Boston, South Boston, and Dorchester.

At the present time we have not sufficient funds or personnel to start such an ambitious program but it is one that is certainly worthy of consideration.

If and when we have sufficient appropriations we can give consideration to this project.

Very truly yours,
FRANK R. KELLEY, Commissioner.

Placed on file.

WALKER STREET, CHARLESTOWN, ONE WAY, FROM MAIN STREET TO BARTLETT STREET.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, June 27, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Traffic Commissioner concerning your order, of June 6, 1955, relative to traffic conditions on Walker street, Charlestown, with a view to making one-way traffic running from Main street to Bartlett street.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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Boston Traffic Commission,
June 16, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.
Dear Mr. Mayor:

With reference to Council order of June 6, 1955, ordering the Traffic Commissioner to make a survey of traffic conditions in Walker street, Charlestown, with a view to making one-way traffic running from Main street to Bartlett street, I wish to report that Walker street at present fits into the normal pattern of one-way streets.

Franklin street is on one side and is one way from Main street to Eden street, so that to reverse Walker street would result in three parallel streets being one way in the same direction. We try to avoid this whenever possible although there are many instances in the city where we do have several parallel streets in the same direction.

However, in the case in question, a study of the traffic flows indicates that this would be undesirable, as the dislocated traffic would only cause trouble elsewhere in the neighborhood.

By having every other street one way each gets its share of the traffic volume without favoritism to any particular roadway.

Respectfully yours,
Wm. Arthur Reilly, Commissioner.

Placed on file.

EXPEDITING OF REPAIR OF WASHINGTON STREET.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, June 27, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the General Manager of the Metropolitan Transit Authority concerning your order of June 6, 1955, relative to expediting the repair of Washington street, from Egleston square to Forest Hills.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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Metropolitan Transit Authority,
June 16, 1955.

Mr. Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.
Dear Sir:

In connection with the order of June 6, the trustees directed me to advise that they have already notified the Public Works Commissioner that they will be able to discontinue the tracks between Egleston square and Forest Hills in 1956 and they cannot do it before.

Very truly yours,
EDWARD DANA,
General Manager.

Placed on file.

URBAN REDEVELOPMENT PROGRAM FOR WEST END AREA.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, June 27, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Chairman of the Boston Housing Authority relative to your order of May 16, 1955, concerning the speeding up of the plans in connection with the urban redevelopment for the West End area.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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Boston Housing Authority,
June 20, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.
Subject: City Council Order of May 16, 1955, on Urban Redevelopment in the West End Area.
Dear Mayor Hynes:

You have advised this Authority many times of your interest in accelerating the completion of plans and other procedural requirements for the redevelopment in the West End.

The Authority has instructed the Urban Redevelopment Division to expedite the completion of plans for the project.

The Urban Redevelopment Division has completed the final plans and supporting documentation for the West End Project as of May 31, 1955. The current activities of the Urban Redevelopment Division in connection with this project consist of the preparation and assembling of the application, legal and financial forms to accompany the submittal of the plans to the Housing and Home Finance Agency.

The official submittal of the project plans and other required documentation have been submitted to the Housing and Home Finance Agency on June 13, 1955. Official review of the project plans by the Housing and Home Finance Agency will require some additional material or planning changes as recommended by that agency. The present staff of the Urban Redevelopment Division

is adequate to take care of whatever may be required in this connection. The assignment of additional personnel would not be of any value during this stage.

Very truly yours,
JAMES J. MAHER, Chairman.

Placed on file.

GREATER RECREATIONAL AND EDUCATIONAL USE OF COMMON AND PUBLIC GARDEN.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, June 27, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation relative to your order of June 6, 1955, concerning the unrestricted use of the Boston Common and the Public Garden for entertainment purposes.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Parks and Recreation Department,
June 15, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.
Dear Sir:

This will acknowledge receipt of memo from your office dated June 10, with attached order of Councillor Piemonte, relative to converting the Public Garden Pond to an ice-skating center and further the consideration of erecting an open-air theater.

These matters have received our consideration in the past and all I can report is that when sufficient appropriations are provided we would only be too pleased to proceed with these improvements.

The public and private schools have closed for the year but we would be pleased to have any of these groups use the Parkman bandstand for concerts.

Very truly yours,
FRANK R. KELLEY, Commissioner.

Placed on file.

ACCEPTANCE OF KARDON STREET, HYDE PARK.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, June 20, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Public Works relative to your order of May 23, 1955, concerning the acceptance of Kardon street, Hyde Park.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Public Works Department,
June 14, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.
Dear Mr. Flemming:

This is in reference to the following order that was passed in the City Council under date of May 23:

"Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor request the Public Improvement Commission to arrange an early hearing date for the acceptance of Kardon street, Hyde Park, with a view to its early construction."

Every reasonable effort will be made to have the above-referenced street constructed as soon as possible, taking into consideration the appropriation available for street construction work, and also the large backlog of streets already included in the current year's program for highway construction and reconstruction.

Respectfully yours,
GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Placed on file.

SMALL TOTS' PLAY AREA IN WILLIAM G. WALSH PLAYGROUND.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, June 20, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation relative to your order of June 6, 1955, concerning the installation of a small tots' play area in the William G. Walsh Playground in Dorchester.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Parks and Recreation Department,
June 10, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.
Dear Sir:

I have your memorandum of June 10, 1955, with enclosure, Councillor McCormack's order that the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation install a small tots' play area in the William Gary Walsh Playground, Dorchester.

I am pleased to inform the councillor that we are awarding a contract setting aside a small tots' play area at the Walsh Playground.

Very truly yours,
FRANK R. KELLEY, Commissioner.

Placed on file.

TRANSFER OF APPROPRIATION TO BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, June 27, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I am advised by the Chairman of the Board of Appeal that additional clerical assistance is required in order to keep abreast with the volume of business now being handled by the Board.

Legislation enacted in recent years has imposed additional requirements on the office and, at the present time, considerable overtime work is the only way open for the prompt dispatch of business. I feel that the request is justifiable and, accordingly, submit herewith an order providing for the transfer from the Reserve Funds of sufficient funds to permit the employment of an additional employee in the office.

I respectfully recommend the adoption of the accompanying order by your Honorable Body.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

Ordered, That in accordance with the provisions of section 3B of chapter 486 of the Acts of 1909, as amended by chapter 604 of the Acts of 1941, the City Auditor be, and hereby is, authorized to transfer:

From the appropriation for Reserve Fund, $1,709.58, to the appropriation for Building Department, Board of Appeal, 1, Personal Services, $1,709.58.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

APPROPRIATION OF $100,000 FOR PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, June 27, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I am advised by the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation that extensive renovations and reconstruction of roads throughout the entire park system is necessary. The more important areas on which immediate work of this character should be performed are indicated in the accompanying communication.

Since our park system is one of the most valuable assets of the city, I feel that the projects contemplated should be carried out without delay. I accordingly submit herewith an order appropriating from the Sales of City Property one hundred thousand dollars ($100,000) for the road work in question.

I respectfully recommend the adoption of the accompanying order by your Honorable Body.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Parks and Recreation Department,
June 22, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.
Dear Sir:

It is respectfully requested that you arrange for the transfer of $100,000 from the appropriation, "Sales of City Property," to the appropriation, "Reconstruction and Repair of Parkways and Roadways, 1-11-41-711."

This appropriation is required so that we might proceed with the reconstruction and repair of parkways and roadways throughout the city. In our 1955 budget we requested an appropriation of $150,000 for roadway work, but the money was not appropriated. There is considerable road repair work to be done over the entire park system, but the more important areas upon which work should be started are as follows:

Park Drive, from Brookline avenue northerly to Beacon street. Reconstruct and widen.

Louis Pasteur avenue, from Fenway to Longwood avenue. Reconstruct.

Park Drive and Boylston street, the double road from Fens Bridge to Gaston Circle. Resurface.

Fenway, from Boylston Street Entrance at O'Reilly triangle to Westland Avenue Rotary, and from the rotary to Museum road at the side road to the museum. Resurface.

The total estimated expense for doing the above work is approximately $130,000. It will be necessary for us to ascertain just how much of the work will be done from the $100,000 for which transfer is requested.

An early consideration of our request will be appreciated.

Respectfully yours,
FRANK R. KELLEY, Commissioner.

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 63 of chapter 44 of the General Laws, the sum of one hundred thousand dollars ($100,000) be, and the same hereby is, appropriated from the special account, "Sales of City Property," to be expended under the direction of the Parks and Recreation Department, for "Reconstruction and Repair of Parkways and Roadways."

Referred to the Executive Committee.

LOAN ORDER OF $3,500,000 FOR SCHOOL COMMITTEE AND HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, June 27, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I submit herewith a loan order in the amount of $3,500,000, to be allocated to appropriations already made for the School Committee and the Hospital Department.

This loan order is authorized, as described in the accompanying letter of the City Auditor, by chapter 49 of the Acts of 1933 as amended by chapter 262 of the Acts of 1955. This is a self-liquidating loan pledged against the receipts from the sale of tax title properties.

In order that the tax rate for the City of Boston may be declared within the next two weeks, I most earnestly request that your Honorable Body give one reading at today's meeting to the attached order, and the second reading 14 days hence. Passage of this order will not only hasten the declaration of the tax rate, but will also make it possible to keep any increase in the tax rate to a moderate amount.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Office of the City Auditor, June 24, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.
Dear Sir:

Under the provisions of chapter 49 of the Acts of 1933, as most recently amended by chapter 262 of the Acts of 1955, municipalities are authorized, with the approval of the State Emergency Finance Board, to borrow from the Commonwealth for ordinary maintenance expenses and revenue loans, an amount not exceeding in the aggregate the total amount represented by tax titles taken or purchased by such city or town and held by it.

Since the enactment of the original legislation in 1933, the City of Boston has taken advantage of its provisions and converted a "frozen asset," represented by the amounts due on tax titles and tax possessions, into an immediately available cash resource on twenty-one occasions by negotiating loans with the Commonwealth totaling in the aggregate the sum of $29,614,500. The following table indicates the year and amount of the loans:

YEAR.	Amount.
1934	$3,800,000
1935	3,000,000
1936	7,000,000
1937	3,814,500
1938	5,000,000
1939	3,500,000
1940	2,000,000
1941	1,500,000
	$29,614,500

The statute provides that the term of the loan shall be one year with provision for renewal from time to time. The loan is liquidated by the monthly payment to the Commonwealth of tax title and tax possession receipts. The first loan negotiated was issued on November 1, 1934, in the amount of $3,800,000, bearing an interest rate of 4½ per cent, and was renewed on November 1, 1935, in the amount of $1,173,776.04, bearing an interest rate of 2½ per cent. The second loan was issued on June 18, 1935, in the amount of $2,000,000, bearing an interest rate of 2½ per cent, and was renewed in the amount of $925,083.42 on June 18, 1936, at the same interest rate of 2½ per cent. The third loan was issued on October 1, 1935, in the amount of $1,000,000, bearing an interest rate of 2½ per cent, and was renewed on October 1, 1936, at a rate of 1 per cent. All subsequent loans and renewals had an interest rate of 1 per cent. The statute also provides that any excess of the amount of interest received by the Commonwealth over the cost to the Commonwealth for interest on money borrowed to provide the funds for the tax title loans be refunded to the city. Because of this provision, the city received substantial refunds of interest paid, as the result of which the net cost to the city was at an average interest rate of less than one per cent.

Completely aware as we all are of the tremendous effect and influence of the tax rate on the economic and business life of the city, I submit for your consideration that the City of Boston again take advantage of this statute and negotiate with the Commonwealth for the issuance of a tax title loan in the amount of $3,500,000, to be used for ordinary maintenance expenses.

According to the records of this department, tax titles held by the City of Boston as of May 31, 1955, amounted to $3,657,953.66, and tax

possessions held as of the same date amounted to $1,975,120.57. Under the provisions of the statute it is necessary for the City Treasurer to petition the Emergency Finance Board for authority to make a loan of this character.

In the event that you approve of this recommendation, I suggest that a message and order be sent immediately to the City Council for consideration. Prompt action is necessary since the order will require two readings and votes by the Council, after which it must be referred to the Emergency Finance Board of the Commonwealth for its approval. At least three weeks will elapse before the order is fully effective and as this will be a factor in the determination of the tax rate, the necessity for immediate action must be evident.

Very truly yours,
JOSEPH P. LALLY,
City Auditor.

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 2, chapter 49, of the Acts of 1933, as most recently amended by chapter 262, of the Acts of 1955, the Collector-Treasurer be authorized to secure the approval of the Emergency Finance Board to an issuance of $3,500,000 in bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city, said bonds or certificates of indebtedness to be sold at their face value to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and the proceeds to be used for ordinary maintenance expenses as set forth in the following table:

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Administration	$143,792 82
Instruction	2,320,792 26
Auxiliary Services	123,339 13
Operation of Plant	566,751 15
Fixed Charges	124,773 61
	$3,279,448 97

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Plant and Structural Repairs	220,551 03
	$3,500,000 00

On motion of Councillor Foley the order was referred to the Executive Committee.

REMOVAL OF ILLEGALLY PARKED VEHICLES.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, June 27, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

This communication is prompted by chapter 315 of the Acts of 1955 entitled "An Act Relative to the Removal of Vehicles Parked or Standing in Violation of Law on Public Ways in the Downtown Area of the City of Boston." It will be recalled that when chapter 369 of the Acts of 1954 empowering the Boston Traffic Commission to provide by rule or regulation for the removal of vehicles parked or standing in violation of law on public ways in the downtown area was accepted by your Honorable Body on October 25, 1954, the Police Commissioner voiced objection to the provision preventing the use of independent contractors to tow away the offending vehicles and also to the provision limiting the towing charge to $5 and the storage charges to 6½ cents an hour. Chapter 315 of the Acts of 1955 has been enacted to permit the use of an independent contractor selected on the basis of competitive bids invited by advertisement in the "City Record," to change the maximum towing charge to $8 and to limit the storage charges to the schedule of maximum rates contained in the then latest lease of a city-owned off-street parking facility. Chapter 315 of the Acts of 1955 will not take effect, however, until accepted by your Honorable Body subject to the provisions of the City Charter. Accordingly, I transmit herewith, and recommend the adoption of, an order accepting said chapter 315 of the Acts of 1955.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

Ordered, That Chapter 315 of the Acts of 1955 entitled "An Act Relative to the Removal of Vehicles Parked or Standing in Violation of Law on Public Ways in the Downtown Area of the City of Boston" be, and the same hereby is, accepted.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

TRANSFER OF LAND ON NEPTUNE ROAD TO COMMONWEALTH.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, June 27, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

Chapter 438 of the Acts of 1955 provides for the acquisition by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts of the bridge carrying Neptune road, East Boston, over the former Boston, Revere Beach & Lynn Railroad tracks to World War Memorial Park on Wood Island. That park now belongs to the Commonwealth. Since the bridge cannot fairly be said to service any area other than the park, the Commonwealth should take over the bridge as an incident of the park. The bridge is a liability to the city rather than an asset because it requires repairs but produces no revenue. In view of this, the above-cited act provides that no damages shall be paid the city upon the Commonwealth's taking of the bridge. To guard against the city's being deprived of property without its consent, however, the act will not take effect until its acceptance by your Honorable Body subject to the provisions of the City Charter. As the bridge is presently in need of substantial repairs, immediate acceptance of the act would appear to be very much in the city's interest. Accordingly, I recommend early adoption of the order transmitted herewith.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

Ordered, That chapter 438 of the Acts of 1955 entitled "An Act Providing for the Acquisition by the Commonwealth of a Certain Parcel of Land on Neptune road in the East Boston district of the City of Boston" be, and the same hereby is, accepted.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committees named, viz:

Claims.

George W. Burnham, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect at 2090 Washington street.

Eugene J. Colucci, for compensation for injuries and damage to property caused by an alleged defect at Union and Washington streets.

Louis J. Cook, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect in Woodcliff street, Roxbury.

John P. Costello, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Cambridge street, Allston.

John Crew, for compensation for damage to car and personal injuries caused by city motor vehicle.

Lewis Cutler, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Rogers Park, Brighton.

George R. DeLuca, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect in Fellows street.

Marion Donald, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 813 East Fourth street, South Boston.

Isabel M. Fitzmaurice, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 210 Washington street, Boston.

Gertrude Gartland, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Marion street, East Boston.

Edward Hession, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 15 Brattle square.

Paul M. Hession, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect in Columbus avenue.

International Fabric Company, for compensation for damage to car by city truck.

Edward J. Kelly, to be reimbursed for expenses incurred in excavating sidewalk at 39 Linnet street, West Roxbury.

Bessie Lansky, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 144 Columbia road.

William J. Lynch, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Clarendon and Stuart streets.

Joseph P. Lyons, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Public Works Department, Highway Division.

Joseph P. Lyons, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Public Works Department, Highway Division.

Mrs. Donald E. MacPhail, for compensation for injuries to daughter at Playland, Boston Common.

G. D. Mathews, for compensation for damage to property at 438–446 Tremont street and 51 Albion street, caused by water backing into basement.

Edith E. McCarthy, for compensation for damage to fence at 136 Deforest street, Roslindale, caused during reconstruction of street.

Margaret Messina, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Boston Common.

William H. Murray, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect in Adams street, near Oakton avenue.

New England Electric Service Company, for compensation for damage to property at 7–10 Commercial Wharf, caused by break in water main.

Laurence M. O'Keefe, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect at entrance to Sumner Tunnel.

Giovanni Passalacqua, for compensation for damage to property at 6 Washington street, Boston, caused by broken water meter.

Joseph J. and Mary Peyser, for compensation for damage to property at 11 Brier road, West Roxbury, caused during blasting operations.

Paul Sciaba, for compensation for damage to property at 86 West Canton street, caused by employees of Public Works Department.

Elizabeth Sisson, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 678 Beacon street.

Albert Vozzella, for compensation for damage to car by city truck.

Maurice B. White, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Westland avenue.

Licenses.

Petition of S. A. Woods Rifle & Pistol Club, Inc., for license for target shooting on the ground floor of premises at 27 Damrell street, South Boston.

Petition of Rapid Transit, Inc., for license to operate motor vehicles on Bennington street, East Boston.

RECESS.

On motion of Councillor McCormack, the Council voted to take a recess at 4.18 P.M., subject to the call of the Chair. The members reassembled and were called to order by President HURLEY at 6.43 P.M.

APPOINTMENTS TO CLERK OF COMMITTEES DEPARTMENT.

Coun. HURLEY submitted the following:

Ordered, That effective June 22, 1955, the following persons be, and they hereby are, appointed in the service of the Clerk of Committees Department to the positions set against their respective names until the fourth Wednesday in July, 1955, at the salaries in effect for them on June 21, 1955:

Francis R. Burke, temporary clerk.

Peter J. Cloherty, temporary clerk.

Nicholas DiMella, temporary stenographer-clerk.

Agnes G. Dinsmore, temporary clerk-receptionist.

Catherine E. Dunn, temporary stenographer-clerk.

Mary E. Flynn, temporary stenographer-clerk.

Catherine Monahan, temporary stenographer-clerk.

Paul G. O'Hara, temporary clerk.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

PRINTING OF BOOK, "BOSTON'S STREETS."

Coun. HURLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor direct the Purchasing Agent, in conjunction with the Commissioner of Public Works, to prepare and print 500 copies of the book entitled "Boston's Streets," with precinct changes to date—of which at least 150 copies shall be hard covered, to be distributed by the City Messenger to the various city departments—the expense of same to be charged to City Documents.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

PETITION FOR ANNUITY.

Petition of Edeline C. Egan, to be paid an annuity on account of the death of her husband, Edward C. Egan, late member of the Police Department.

Referred to the Committee on Claims.

REDUCTION OF ANNUITY.

Petition of Veronica S. Hughes, for a reduction of the annuity granted her on account of the death of her husband, Frank J. Hughes, late member of the Police Department.

Referred to the Committee on Claims.

APPLICATIONS FOR SHELLFISH PERMITS.

Applications for commercial use shellfish permits were received from the following: Thomas J. Capobianco, 155 Havre street, East Boston, Ward 1; Vincent R. DiBenedetto, 379 Meridian street, East Boston, Ward 1; George Elms, 214 Havre street, East Boston, Ward 1; Rupert Y. Hodgkins, Sr., 2 Bennet place, East Boston, Ward 1; John J. Kerrigan, 27 Lawley street, Dorchester, Ward 16; Dorrance Lincoln, 5 Hallet-Davis street, Dorchester, Ward 16.

Severally referred to the Committee on Licenses.

APPROVAL OF STATE HOUSING BOARD.

Notice was received from the State Housing Board of approval of sale of seventeen parcels of property under section 6 of chapter 372 of the Acts of 1946.

Placed on file.

NOTICES FROM DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES.

Notice was received from the Department of Public Utilities of hearing to be held July 6, at

10 A.M., on petition of Metropolitan Transit Authority for license to operate motor vehicles over the American Legion Highway, between Cummins Highway and Blue Hill avenue, West Roxbury district.

Notice was received from the Department of Public Utilities of hearing to be held July 6, at 10 A.M., on petition of Metropolitan Transit Authority for license to operate motor vehicles over Iffley road, between Washington street and Walnut avenue, on Walnut avenue, between Iffley road and Columbus avenue, West Roxbury district.

A communication was received from the Department of Public Utilities transmitting copy of order granting petition of Boston Edison Company for locations for wires and cables in Soldiers Field road, Brighton, and elsewhere.

A communication was received from the Department of Public Utilities transmitting copy of order granting petition of Boston Edison Company for locations for wires and cables under and across the Charles River and Soldiers Field road, Brighton.

A communication was received from the Department of Public Utilities transmitting copy of order granting petition of Metropolitan Transit Authority for permission to erect pole on South street, between Sedgwick street and Carolina avenue.

Severally placed on file.

NOTICES FROM STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

A communication was received from the State Department of Public Works transmitting copy of order of layout and taking of section of state highway (John F. Fitzgerald Expressway).

A communication was received from the State Department of Public Works transmitting copy of order of layout and taking of section of state highway (Southeast Expressway).

Severally placed on file.

APPROVAL OF CONSTABLE'S BOND.

The constable's bond of Kenneth W. Kempton, having been duly approved by the Collector-Treasurer, was received and approved.

APPOINTMENTS IN ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Notice was received from the Assessing Department of the appointments of the following as temporary assistant assessors for the term of five months:

John J. McColgan, 17 Dawes street, Dorchester; Francis X. Cuddy, 10 Hooper street, Dorchester; Maurice F. Joyce, 41 Wycliff avenue, West Roxbury, Bernard F. Shadrawy, 830 Beacon street, Boston.

Placed on file.

EXPRESSION OF APPRECIATION FROM FRANK R. KELLEY.

A communication was received from Mr. Frank R. Kelley, Commissioner of Parks and Recreation, expressing his thanks to the City Council for the resolution adopted by that Body on June 13, 1955, commending him for his cooperation with the Little League Movement in Boston.

Placed on file.

EXPRESSION OF THANKS FROM SALESIAN FATHERS.

A communication was received from the Very Reverend Renatus Ziggiotti, S.D.B., Superior General of the Salesian Order of St. Bosco, expressing his gratitude to the City Council for the resolution adopted by that Body on June 6, 1955, welcoming him to the City of Boston.

Placed on file.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE HEARING.

Coun. McCORMACK announced that a hearing would be held by the Executive Committee on Tuesday, June 28, 1955, at 10:30 A.M., to consider his order of June 6, 1955, relative to the Metropolitan Transit Authority buses.

ANNUAL INSPECTION OF DEER ISLAND.

Coun. McCORMACK announced that on Thursday, June 30, 1955, at 10:30 A.M., there would be the annual inspection of Deer Island.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CLAIMS.

Coun. McCORMACK for the Committee on Claims, submitted the following:

1. Report on petition of Charles N. Vogel (referred June 13) for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury sustained by him while in the performance of his duty as a member of the Fire Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 100 of chapter 11 of the General Laws, upon petition of Charles N. Vogel, a member of the Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury received, through no fault of his own, while in the performance of his duty on September 18, 1951, there be allowed and paid, as recommended by the Fire Commissioner and approved by the Corporation Counsel, to the following the amount stated:

Boston Firemen's Relief Fund, $83.81

said amount to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

2. Report on petition of Olaf T. Svensen (referred June 13) for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury sustained by him while in the performance of his duty as a member of the Fire Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 100 of chapter 11 of the General Laws, upon petition of Olaf T. Svensen, a member of the Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury received, through no fault of his own, while in the performance of his duty on March 21, 1955, there be allowed and paid, as recommended by the Fire Commissioner and approved by the Corporation Counsel, to the following the amounts stated:

Peter Bent Brigham Hospital,	$118
Franc D. Ingraham, M.D.,	25
Martin H. Spellman, M.D.,	15
Total,	$188

said amount to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

3. Report on petition of Francis R. Montello (referred June 13) for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses incurred by him as a result of an injury received while in the performance of his duty as a member of the Fire Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 100 of chapter 11 of the General Laws, upon petition of Francis R. Montello, a member of the Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury received, through no fault of his own, while in the performance of his duty on February 13, 1955, there be allowed and paid, as recommended by the Fire Commissioner and approved by the Corporation Counsel, to the following the amount stated:

Lawrence J. Christian, $25,

said amount to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

4. Report on petition of Raymond B. LaCasse (referred June 13) for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury sustained by him while in the performance of his duty as a member of the Fire Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 100 of chapter 11 of the General Laws, upon petition of Raymond B. LaCasse, a member of the Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury received, through no fault of his own, while in the performance of his duty on February 20, 1955, there be allowed and paid, as recommended by the Fire Commissioner and approved by the Corporation Counsel, to the following the amounts stated:

St. Elizabeth's Hospital,	$321
John P. Rattigan, M.D.,	125
Raymond B. LaCasse, petitioner,	5
Total,	$451

said amount to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

5. Report on petition of Edward J. Hawes (referred June 6) to be reimbursed as a result of an execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Hospital Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That the sum of eighty dollars and eighty-seven cents ($80.87) be allowed and paid to Edward J. Hawes in reimbursement for amount of execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Hospital Department, said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

6. Report on petition of James Frawley (referred April 25) to be reimbursed as a result of an execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Sewer Division, Public Works Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order.

Ordered, That the sum of one hundred ten dollars ($110) be allowed and paid to James Frawley in reimbursement for amount of execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Sewer Division, Public Works Department, said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

7. Report on petition of John J. Doyle (referred June 13) to be reimbursed as a result of an execution issued against him on account of his acts as a member of the Fire Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That the sum of three hundred dollars ($300) be allowed and paid to John J. Doyle in reimbursement for amount of execution issued against him on account of his acts as a member of the Fire Department, said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

8. Report on petition of Frank J. Galvin (referred June 13) to be reimbursed as a result of an execution issued against him on account of his acts as a member of the Fire Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order.

Ordered, That the sum of two thousand five hundred seventeen dollars and eleven cents ($2,517.11) be allowed and paid to Frank J. Galvin in reimbursement for amount of execution issued against him on account of his acts as a member of the Fire Department, said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

9. Report on petition of James F. Condon, Jr., (referred June 13), to be reimbursed as a result of an execution issued against him on account of his acts as a member of the Police Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That the sum of fourteen hundred dollars ($1,400) be allowed and paid to James F. Condon, Jr., in reimbursement for amount of execution issued against him on account of his acts as a member of the Police Department, said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

The reports were accepted, and the orders were severally passed.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFIRMATIONS.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN, for the Committee on Confirmations, submitted the following:

Report on appointment by the Mayor (referred June 13) of Francis J. Von Euw as weigher of goods for the term ending April 30, 1956—recommending that appointment be confirmed.

The report was accepted, and the question came on confirmation. Committee, Councillors Ahearn and Piemonte. Whole number of ballots 9, yeas 9, and the appointment was confirmed.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC LANDS.

Coun. HAILER, for the Committee on Public Lands, submitted the following:

1. Report on message of the Mayor and order (referred May 23) for transfer of land on Pittsburgh street, South Boston, from Fire Department to Real Property Department—recommending that same ought to pass.

2. Report on message of the Mayor and order (referred March 21) for transfer of Cudworth School, East Boston, from School Committee to Real Property Department—recommending that same ought to pass.

The reports were accepted. The orders were severally passed, yeas 8, nays 0:

Yeas—Councillors Ahearn, Hailer, Hurley, Kerrigan, McCormack, McLaughlin, Piemonte, White—8.

Nays—0.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON LICENSES.

Coun. HAILER, for the Committee on Licenses, submitted the following:

1. Report on applications (referred January 10) for commercial use shellfish permits for John E. Grundstrom, Carl W. Savage, Jr., Harland C. Savage, John A. Savage, and Robert W. Savage—recommending that no further action is necessary.

The report was accepted.

2. Report on application (referred May 2) for commercial use shellfish permit for Alphonso P. LaRosa—recommending that permit be granted.

3. Report on application (referred May 23) for commercial use shellfish permits for Henry F. O'Neill and Joseph Kearney—recommending that permits be granted.

4. Report on applications (referred June 6) for commercial use shellfish permits for Herbert E. Lawson and Henry A. Larson—recommending that permits be granted.

5. Report on application (referred June 13) for commercial use shellfish permit for William L. Snow—recommending that permit be granted.

The reports were accepted, and the permits were severally granted under the usual conditions.

CONTRIBUTION TO ART FESTIVAL BY METROPOLITAN DISTRICT COMMISSION.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, June 27, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Executive Assistant to the Metropolitan District Commission relative to your order of June 13, 1955, concerning a contribution towards defraying the annual expenses of the Boston Art Festival.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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Metropolitan District Commission,
June 23, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.

Dear Sir:

Commissioner Greenough has asked me to acknowledge receipt of your memorandum of June 16 with the accompanying copy of an order of your Honorable City Council requesting the commission to consider the possibility of making a contribution towards defraying of the annual expenses of the Boston Art Festival.

The commissioner is, of course, in entire accord with the purposes served by the Art Festival and has loaned equipment to the Festival Committee to the extent possible, but he regrets that he must advise that no funds are available in the commission's accounts from which such a contribution could be made.

Very truly yours,
EDWARD F. BARRY,
Executive Assistant.

Placed on file.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. WHITE, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following:

I. Report on message of the Mayor and order (referred today) for loan of $3,500,000 for maintenance expenses of the School Committee and the Hospital Department—recommending that the order receive its first reading and passage and that the order be then referred to the Executive Committee to hold a publicly advertised hearing before July 11, 1955, and that to the public meeting an invitation be extended to the following organizations to attend by representation:

Boston Municipal Research Bureau.
Boston Finance Commission.
Boston Citizens' Council.
League of Women Voters.
General public by publicly advertised hearing.

The report was accepted, and the question came on giving the order its first reading. The order was given its first reading and passage, yeas 6, nays 0:

Yeas—Councillors Ahearn, Hurley, Kerrigan, McLaughlin, Piemonte, White—6.
Nays—0.
Voting Present—Councillors Foley, Hailer, McCormack.

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Coun. PIEMONTE moved that the order for loan of $3,500,000 for ordinary maintenance expenses of the School Committee and the Hospital Department be referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Finance and that this committee hold a publicly advertised hearing on Thursday, July 7, 1955, at ten o'clock A.M., and invitations be extended to the following organizations to attend by representation:

1. Boston Municipal Research Bureau,
2. Boston Finance Commission,
3. Boston Citizens' Council,
4. League of Women Voters of Boston,
5. General public by the notice of the publicly advertised hearing,

and that the Committee on Appropriations and Finance report their action at the next meeting of the Boston City Council on July 11, 1955.

The motion was carried.

The order was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Finance together with a copy of the foregoing motion.

2. Report on order (referred June 6) for acceptance of chapter 236 of Acts of 1955, re authorizing the School Committee to increase appropriations for certain traveling and other necessary expenses— recommending that same ought to pass.

The report was accepted, and the order was passed.

3. Report on order (referred June 6) for acceptance of chapter 396 of Acts of 1955, re increasing amounts retained for Teachers' Retirement Fund from salaries of members—recommending that same ought to pass.

The report was accepted, and the order was passed.

4. Report on message of the Mayor and order (referred today) for appropriation of $100,000 from Sales of City Property to Parks and Recreation Department for reconstruction and repair of parkways and roadways—recommending reference of the order to the Committee on Appropriations and Finance.

The report was accepted. The order was referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Finance.

LOAN ORDER OF $3,000,000 FOR REMODELING AND RECONSTRUCTING HOSPITAL AND LIBRARY BUILDINGS.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN called up, under unfinished business, No. 1 on the calendar, viz.:

I. Order for loan of $3,000,000 for remodeling and reconstructing hospital and library buildings.

On June 13, 1955, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

The order was given its second reading and passage, yeas 9.

TRANSFER OF APPROPRIATION TO BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Coun. WHITE moved the rules be suspended, and that the Council recall from the Executive Committee the order referred today for transfer of appropriation of $1,709.58 from the Reserve Fund to the Building Department, Board of Appeal, Personal Services.

The rules were suspended and the order was recalled from the Executive Committee.

The order was passed, yeas 9.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON LICENSES.

Coun. HAILER, for the Committee on Licenses, submitted the following:

Report on petition of Rapid Transit, Inc. (referred today), for license to operate motor vehicles on Bennington street, East Boston—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That a notice be given of a public hearing in accordance with chapter 9 of the Ordinances of 1953, to be held in the City Council Chamber, City Hall, on Thursday, July 14, 1955, at 11 A.M., by the Committee on Licenses of the Boston City Council to consider a petition of Rapid Transit, Inc., for an additional license for the operation of motor vehicles for the carriage of passengers for hire on Bennington street, between Saratoga street and Ashley street, and return over the same route in the East Boston district of Boston.

The report was accepted, and the order was passed.

REIMBURSEMENT BY COMMONWEALTH OF BALANCE OF SUMNER TUNNEL DEBT.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Whereas, The Revenue Authority Advisory Committee of the Governor discloses that during the years 1934 to 1944 the City of Boston paid from its tax revenue the sum of $3,219,308.80 to meet the Sumner Tunnel debt for the years 1934 to 1944; and

Whereas, The state reimbursed the City of Boston the sum of $600,000 from the State Highway Fund in the years 1939 to 1946 leaving a balance of $20,619,308.80; be it

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel study the legislation governing the Sumner Tunnel financing with a view to determining the possibility of obtaining for the city the sum of $2,619,308.80 not yet reimbursed by the state.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

NAMING OF INTERSECTION IN HONOR OF ENRICO BAGA.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN offered the following:

Ordered, That the Committee to Memorialize Veterans be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to name the junction of Como road and Valaro road, Ward 18, in honor of the memory of Private Enrico Baga, an outstanding athlete while attending Hyde Park High School, who lost his life in the service of our country in Germany on March 16, 1945.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

COMMENDATIONS TO CERTAIN POLICE OFFICERS.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN offered the following:

Whereas, The services rendered the public by various employees of the city service are so frequently taken for granted; and

Whereas, Criticism, often unfair, is regularly directed towards the services of our city; and

Whereas, When employees of the City of Boston render outstanding services in the course of their employment, it should be the subject of commendation; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the police officers of Police Division 7, East Boston, be commended and rewarded for the valiant service and heroism displayed during a gun battle with robbers on June 18, when two members of the department were badly wounded; and, be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to each member of the Boston Police Department who took part in this action.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

TWO-WAY COMMUNICATIONS ON PUBLIC CARRIERS.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN offered the following:

Whereas, On June 22, 1955, the motor vessel "Pilgrim Belle" was seriously damaged while proceeding from Boston to Nantasket; and

Whereas, There were on board at that time approximately 300 passengers, most of them of school age; and

Whereas, It has now been determined that this motor vessel was without any modern means of communication; and

Whereas There might have been an appalling loss of life but for the quick thinking of the ship's captain and the proximity of Spectacle Island upon which the captain beached the ship; and

Whereas, There does not appear to be any sensible reason in these times for public carriers of any kind to be without modern means of communication; therefore be it,

Resolved, That the members of the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, urgently request the officials of the Federal Government, the United States Coast Guard, and the Director of the Division of Public Safety in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to promptly initiate rules and regulations which would compel all public carriers to be suitably equipped to provide two-way communications and thus preclude a situation such as that of the plight of the passengers of the "Pilgrim Belle" on June 22; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded forthwith to each of the aforementioned agencies.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

PROTECTION OF SCHOOL PROPERTY.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN offered the following:

Ordered, That the members of the Boston School Committee be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to consider the advisability of arranging the summer schedule of schoolhouse employees so that school buildings will be properly protected from vandalism during the summer months when these buildings are unoccupied; and be it further

Ordered, That the School Committee be requested to investigate the possibility of the assignment of police officers during the nighttime hours to guard schoolhouse property.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPROVAL OF NEW MANAGEMENT OF BOSTON & MAINE RAILROAD.

Coun. HAILER offered the following:

Whereas, The economic welfare of the Port of Boston is of continuing concern to the Boston City Council; and

Whereas, The vitality of the City of Boston's industrial and commercial life is dependent in great measure on adequate transportation facilities; and

Whereas, The Boston & Maine Railroad is a vital component of the transportation complex which serves the Port of Boston and other areas and agencies of our city's industrial and commercial life; and

Whereas, The Boston & Maine Railroad has suffered serious attrition of its services and numbers of personnel; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Boston City Council approves of measures by which the new controlling ownership of the Boston & Maine Railroad may effect common management with the prospering New Haven Railroad; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be sent to Richard F. Mitchell, Chairman of the Interstate Commerce Commission.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

THE NEXT MEETING.

On motion of Councillor Ahearn, the Council voted that when it adjourns, it be to meet on Monday, July 11, 1955, at 2 P.M.

Adjourned at 7.39 P.M., on motion of Councillor Ahearn, to meet on Monday, July 11, 1955, at 2 P.M.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

(Stenographic copy of such debate on file in office of City Clerk.)

SEWERAGE WORKS IN MARSTON STREET, HYDE PARK.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that the right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings, or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands, not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings, or other structures standing upon the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within thirty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 1457, Sewerage Works, Marston Street, Hyde Park, May 19, 1955, George G. Hyland, Commissioner of Public Works," deposited in this office, and said lands are in that part of Boston called Hyde Park, and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to the Boston & Providence Railroad Corporation, bounded:

Easterly by other land of said Boston & Providence Railroad Corporation, taken for sewerage purposes April 30, 1954, twelve feet; southerly again by other land of said Boston & Providence Railroad Corporation, sixty feet; westerly by land hereinafter described as taken from owners unknown, being a portion of the private way known as Marston street, twelve feet; and northerly by other land of said Boston & Providence Railroad Corporation, sixty feet; containing 720 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to owners unknown, being a portion of the private way known as Marston street, bounded:

Easterly by land hereinbefore described as taken from Boston & Providence Railroad Corporation, thirty-four and 71/100 feet; southerly by the southerly line of said Marston street, twenty feet; southwesterly by the southwesterly line of said Marston street, three hundred twenty-seven and 05/100 feet; northwesterly by another portion of said Marston street, forty feet; and northeasterly by the northeasterly line of said Marston street, three hundred twenty-seven and 86/100 feet; containing 13,115 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to the City of Boston, bounded:

Northeasterly by land hereinbefore described as taken from owners unknown, being a portion of the private way known as Marston street, and by another portion of said Marston street, twelve and 23/100 feet; easterly by other land of said City of Boston, by two measurements, eighty-five and 40/100 feet and sixty-eight and 76/100 feet; southerly by land hereinafter described as taken from James W. Jordan *et al.*, twelve and 01/100 feet; easterly by land supposed to belong to Daniel F. Flynn *et al.*, Joseph Sternfield *et al.*, Margaret M. Hogan *et al.*, Allen B. Pinksen *et al.*, by two measurements, seventy and 46/100 feet and eighty-nine and 81/100 feet; containing 1,887 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to James W. Jordan and Elizabeth Jordan Smith, bounded:

Northerly by land hereinbefore described as taken from City of Boston, twelve and 01/100 feet; easterly by other land of said James W. Jordan *et al.*, fifty and 02/100 feet; southerly by land hereinafter described as taken from Walter F. Clark *et al.*, twelve and 01/100 feet; and westerly by land supposed to belong to Francis Riley *et al.*, and Daniel F. Flynn *et al.*, fifty and 02/100 feet; containing 600 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Walter F. and Catherine Clark, bounded:

Northerly by land hereinbefore described as taken from James W. Jordan *et al.*, twelve and 01/100 feet; easterly by other land of said Walter F. Clark *et al.*, fifty and 02/100 feet; southerly by land hereinafter described as taken from Norman Kilburn *et al.*, twelve and 01/100 feet; and westerly by land supposed to belong to John F. Lilly *et al.*, and Francis Riley *et al.*, fifty and 02/100 feet; containing 600 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Norman and Mary C. Kilburn, bounded:

Northerly by land hereinbefore described as taken from Walter F. Clark *et al.*, twelve and 01/100 feet; easterly by other land of said Norman Kilburn *et al.*, fifty and 02/100 feet; southerly by land hereinafter described as taken from Ignatius Douchis *et al.*, twelve and 01/100 feet; and westerly by land supposed to belong to James E. Higgins *et al.*, and by land in which a sewer easement was taken September 17, 1946, and by other land of John F. Lilly *et al.*, fifty and 02/100 feet; containing 600 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Ignatius and Lillian F. Douchis, bounded:

Northerly by land hereinbefore described as taken from Norman Kilburn *et al.*, twelve and 01/100 feet; easterly by other land of said Ignatius Douchis *et al.*, fifty and 02/100 feet; southerly by land hereinafter described as taken from Harold Pettersen *et al.*, twelve and 01/100 feet; and westerly by land supposed to belong to Loie M. Hollenbeck and James E. Higgins *et al.*, fifty and 02/100 feet; containing 600 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Harold and Ethel F. Pettersen, bounded:

Northerly by land hereinbefore described as taken from Ignatius Douchis *et al.*, twelve and 01/100 feet; easterly by other land of said Harold Pettersen *et al.*, fifty and 02/100 feet; southerly by land hereinafter described as taken from Evelyn A. Anthony, twelve and 01/100 feet; westerly by land supposed to belong to Loie M. Hollenbeck, fifty and 02/100 feet; containing 600 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Evelyn A. Anthony, bounded:

Northerly by land hereinbefore described as taken from Harold Pettersen *et al.*, twelve and 01/100 feet; easterly by other land of said Evelyn A. Anthony, forty-two and 39/100 feet; northeasterly again by other land of said Evelyn A. Anthony, seventeen and 54/100 feet; southerly by land hereinafter described as taken from Carmelo Ficicchy *et al.*, twenty-seven and 55/100 feet; westerly by land supposed to belong to Loie M. Hollenbeck, fifty and 02/100 feet; containing 660 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Carmelo and Anna G. Ficicchy, bounded:

Northerly by land hereinbefore described as taken from Evelyn A. Anthony, twenty-seven and 55/100 feet; northeasterly by other land of said Carmelo Ficicchy *et al.*, by two measurements, twenty-six and 09/100 feet and sixty and 99/100 feet, easterly again by other land of said Carmelo Ficicchy *et al.*, four and 26/100 feet; southerly by land hereinafter described as taken from Frank Sarno *et al.*, fifteen and 10/100 feet; southwesterly by land supposed to belong to Richard L. Matthey *et al.*, fifty feet; southwesterly again by land supposed to belong to Antonio Settipane *et al.*, fifty feet; containing 1,155 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Frank and Eileen N. Sarno, bounded:

Northerly by land hereinbefore described as taken from Carmelo Ficicchy *et al.*, fifteen and 10/100 feet; easterly by other land of said Frank Sarno *et al.*, fifty-five and 92/100 feet; southerly by land hereinafter described as taken from Earle J. St. Charles, twenty-one and 02/100 feet; westerly by land supposed to belong to Richard L. Matthey *et al.*, fifty-five feet; containing 1,000 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Earle J. and Frances C. St. Charles, bounded:

Northerly by land hereinbefore described as taken from Frank Sarno *et al.*, twenty-one and 02/100 feet; easterly by other land of said Earle J. St. Charles *et al.*, fifty-four and 23/100 feet; southerly by the northerly line of West street, twenty-eight and 60/100 feet; and westerly by land supposed to belong to Richard L. Matthey *et al.*, forty-three and 27/100 feet; containing 1,152 square feet, more or less.

There is to be built in the above-described sewerage works, 724 linear feet of 48-inch pipe surface drain and 376 linear feet of 24-inch pipe surface drain at an estimated cost of $51,000.

No betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Voted, That this commission determines that the undermentioned persons sustain no damages in their estates by the taking of an easement for sewerage purposes and the construction of sewerage works in Marston street and in private land, between Marston street and West street, Hyde Park district, under the order of the commission of June 22, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

Boston & Providence Railroad Corporation, 720 square feet, nothing.

Owners unknown (Marston street), 13,115 square feet, nothing.

City of Boston, 1,887 square feet, nothing.

James W. Jordan and Elizabeth Jordan Smith, 600 square feet, nothing.

Walter F. and Catherine Clark, 600 square feet, nothing.

Norman and Mary C. Kilburn, 600 square feet, nothing.

Ignatius and Lillian F. Douchis, 600 square feet, nothing.

Harold and Ethel F. Pettersen, 600 square feet, nothing.

Evelyn A. Anthony, 660 square feet, nothing.

Carmelo and Anna G. Ficicchy, 1,155 square feet, nothing.

Frank and Eileen N. Sarno, 1,000 square feet, nothing.

Earle J. and Frances C. St. Charles, 1,152 square feet, nothing.

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 40.

GASOLINE IN DWELLINGS.

Due to the increased use of power lawn mowers, outboard motors, and appliances which depend upon gasoline for motive power and when not in use are usually kept or stored in or on the premises of a dwelling, members of the department engaged in "In-service Inspections" shall be on the alert for their presence.

In any instance where such devices are found, occupants shall be warned of the inherent dangers of gasoline even though the quantity be small, informed as to the amount permitted by law and cautioned against filling appliance tank indoors. The inspectors shall stress that tank be drained before taking appliance indoors, and drained gasoline safely disposed of. NOTE:—Gasoline should never be left around in open containers, disposed of in toilets, washbasins, sinks, plumbing fixtures or drains, or permitted to get into the hands of children.

For the information and guidance of personnel on "In-service Inspections," section 23 of chapter 148 limits the amount of volatile inflammable fluid which may be kept, used or stored in any part of any building used for habitation without a permit to one quart contained in an approved safety can. This applies to a garage which is an integral part of a dwelling. Section 23 also limits the amount of gasoline which may be kept, used or stored without a permit to one gallon contained in an approved safety can within 50 feet of any building used for habitation—this would include a detached garage used in connection with a dwelling.

Upon discovery of any violation of section 23, whether in connection with these appliances or not, such volatile flammable fluid shall be immediately ordered removed from the premises.

By order of Fire Commissioner FRANCIS X. COTTER.

JOHN V. STAPLETON,
Chief of Department.

CITY OF BOSTON.

REAL PROPERTY BOARD.
PROPERTY DIVISION.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

JULY 26, 1955, ON THE PREMISES.

	Upset Price.	Deposit.
9.30 A.M.—4 story brick building, occupied, 19 Fleet Street, Boston, 1,544 square feet	$5,000	$500
9.50 A.M.—4 story brick building, vacant, 24 Fay Street, Boston, 779 square feet	450	450
10.10 A.M.—Vacant land, Florence Street, Lot 16, 50 feet from Wyvern Street, West Roxbury, 5,624 square feet	100	100
10.25 A.M.—Vacant land, Murray Hill Road, Lot K, southwesterly side, West Roxbury, 2,608 square feet	150	150
10.40 A.M.—Vacant land, Vershire Street, Lots 55 and 56, northerly corner Alleyne Street, West Roxbury, 7,627 square feet	400	400
10.55 A.M.—Vacant land, Riverview Street, Lots 23 and 24, about 200 feet from Northdale Road, West Roxbury, 11,962 square feet	200	200
11.10 A.M.—Vacant land, Dana Road, Lots 57 and 58, adjacent 115 Dana Road, West Roxbury, 3,529 square feet	100	100
11.25 A.M.—Vacant land, Damrell Avenue, Lots 177 and 178, southerly corner Stark Avenue, Hyde Park, 12,650 square feet	500	500
11.40 A.M.—Vacant land, Westville Road, Lot 15, adjacent 26 Westville Road, Hyde Park, 5,379 square feet	200	200
11.50 A.M.—Vacant land, Westville Road, Lot 24, adjacent 25 Westville Road, Hyde Park, 6,196 square feet	200	200
12.10 P.M.—Vacant land, Alahama Street, Lot 28-A, adjacent 190 Almont Street, Dorchester, 4,390 square feet	350	350

The Chairman reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

For further information call LA 3-5100, line 236.

HERMAN CARP, *Chairman.* JOHN J. McGRATH, *Auctioneer.*

(July 16.)

AMENDMENT TO ORIGINAL AWARD OF DAMAGES.

The Public Improvement Commission has voted as follows:

That the amount of $325 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to John J. and Maria A. Matchett for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of March 25, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Ansonia road, West Roxbury district.

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That the amount of $100 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Harry V., Jr., and Mary B. Madden for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of June 15, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Corina road, West Roxbury district.

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That the amount of $191.50 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Edward W. and Ethel G. O'Connor for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of August 4, 1954, for the widening and construction of Summit street, Hyde Park district.

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

TO PAINTING CONTRACTORS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR INTERIOR AND EXTERIOR PAINTING AT THE ROSLINDALE HIGH SCHOOL, POPLAR AND FLORENCE STREETS, ROSLINDALE, MASS.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for interio and exterior painting at the Roslindale High School, Poplar and Florence streets, Roslindale, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Monday, July 25, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals shall he submitted in duplicate on forms ohtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed and inclosed in a sealed envelope, plainly marked with the name of the hidder and the description of the work bid upon. One copy shall he filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated ahove, and the other copy shall he filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A hid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a certificate of deposit issued hy, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the um of $500, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall he in a separate envelope, properly marked. Bid honds will not he accepted.

No hidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to he paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and lahorers in the work to he performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work hy the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide hy insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required hefore commencing performance of this contract.

A performance bond, issued by a surety company satisfactory to the Awarding Authority, in the full amount of the contract will be required of the successful genceral contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any and all bids if it he in the puhlic interest so to do.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
(July 16.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

TRANSFERS OF APPROPRIATIONS.

The Mayor has approved the following requests for transfers of appropriations:

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Temporary Home.

From 594, Household Furniture and Equipment, $677, to 279, Repairs and Servicing of Equipment (Not Otherwise Classified), $677.

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From 261, Carpentry, $200, to 391, Building Supplies and Materials, $200.

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR SEALING EXTERIOR MASONRY WALLS, TO MINIMIZE THEIR ABSORPTION AND INCREASE THEIR REPELLENCY OF WATER, AT THE BOSTON LATIN SCHOOL, AVENUE LOUIS PASTEUR, BOSTON, MASS.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for sealing exterior masonry walls, to minimize their absorption and increase their repellency of water, at the Boston Latin School, Avenue Louis Pasteur, Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Monday, July 25, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed and enclosed in an envelope, sealed, and plainly marked with the description of the work to he done. One copy shall he filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated ahove, and the other copy shall he filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall he filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A hid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued hy, a responsihle bank or trust company, payahle to the City of Boston, in the sum of $200, shall be suhmitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The hid deposit shall he in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No hidder may withdraw his hid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and lahorers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work hy the Commissioner of Lahor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful hidder will he required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other henefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to he employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will he required before commencing performance of this contract.

A performance hond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all hids if it be in the public interest so to do, in accordance with sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
(July 16.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

STATE-BOSTON, CHAPTER 90, HIGHWAY RECONSTRUCTION.

Sealed proposals for HIGHWAY WORK on Hyde Park avenue (Boston), will be received at Room 427, 100 Nashua street, Boston, Mass., until 2 P.M. of Tuesday, July 26, 1955, then to be publicly opened and read. Plans and proposal forms: $5, amount returnable only to bidders. Proposal guaranty: $10,000. Minimum wage and dump truck rates are set. Full information at above address; plans on display at district offices of State Department of Public Works. Right reserved to reject any or all proposals.

JOHN B. HYNES,
(July 16.) *Mayor of Boston.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT (SANATORIUM DIVISION).

TO ELECTRICAL CONTRACTORS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR ELECTRICAL CHANGE-OVER, BUILDING G, AT THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL, SANATORIUM DIVISION, 249 RIVER STREET, MATTAPAN, MASS.

The City of Boston, by the Board of Trustees, Hospital Department, and of the Boston City Hospital, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for electrical change-over, Building G, at the Sanatorium Division of the Boston City Hospital, 249 River street, Mattapan, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 2 o'clock, Eastern Daylight Saving Time, Wednesday, July 27, 1955, at the office of the Assistant Superintendent, Sanatorium Division, 249 River street, Mattapan, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the office of the Assistant Superintendent. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed and enclosed in an envelope, sealed, and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Assistant Superintendent, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $600, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the office of the Assistant Superintendent. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

Specifications and plans may be obtained at the office of the Assistant Superintendent on or after 9 A.M., July 18, 1955.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do.

The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all bids in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, AND OF THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL,
RICHARD J. CONDON,
(July 16.) *President.*

LIEN CANCELED.

The Public Improvement Commission has voted as follows:

Whereas, An order of the Board of Street Commissioners, approved by the Mayor June 26, 1953, recorded in the Registry of Deeds July 16, 1953, Book 6883, page 167; said order providing for the laying out and construction of Mt. Vernon street, Dorchester district, from William T. Morrissey Boulevard (formerly Old Colony Parkway) to land of the City of Boston.

Whereas, Assessment lien was created on the following-named parcel of land, as follows:

Parcel 3, Sidney R. Rabb *et al.*, Trustees of Colby Realty Trust, $2,261.70.

Voted, That said assesment lien be, and the same hereby is, canceled.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

BRIDGE RECONSTRUCTION.

Proposals for Redecking Redfield Street Bridge, Over New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad (Neponset).

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for redecking Redfield Street Bridge, over New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad (Neponset). A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Redecking Redfield Street Bridge, Over New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad (Neponset)," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, JULY 28, 1955, with a certified check for ONE THOUSAND (1,000) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(July 16.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

ADDITIONS TO CONTRACT.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

L. J. Banda has been ordered to make the following addition to the contract for the Boston Public Latin School:

Furnish and install sections of marble dado on walls of the six toilet rooms at locations of the new urinal fixtures to cover the irregular brickwork which was formerly concealed by the original slate urinals. The marble shall be ¾-inch thick, Nashobe, or equal, to match the new work, and the dado shall be approximately 5 feet high. For this work, not called for in contract, add the sum of $599.50, and the amount of $599.50 will be added therefor, making the account as follows: contract price, $7,871; total additions, $599.50; amount of contract, $8,470.50.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

SEWERAGE WORKS.

Proposals for Sewerage Works in Joan Road, Dodge Road, Leighton Road, Belnap Road, and Perry Court, Hyde Park.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Joan road, etc. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Joan Road, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, JULY 28, 1955, with a certified check for TWENTY-FIVE HUNDRED (2,500) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(July 16.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

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JOSHUA H. JONES, *Editor.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION WORK.

PROPOSALS FOR BITUMINOUS CONCRETE PAVEMENT IN

Alwin Street, Ward 18, from Turtle Pond Parkway to Dedham Parkway;

Cheryl Lane, Ward 18, from Stonehill Road Approximately 375 Feet Westerly and Northerly;

Stonehill Road, Ward 18 (Formerly Alwin Terrace and Alwin Court), from Alwin Street to Alwin Street;

— and —

Such Additional Locations, If Any, in Ward 18, As May Be Designated by the Commissioner of Public Works.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for bituminous concrete pavement in Alwin street, etc. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Bituminous Concrete Pavement in Alwin Street, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, AUGUST 4, 1955, with a certified check for TWENTY-FIVE HUNDRED (2,500) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mecbanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(July 16.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING AND INSTALLING NEW OIL BURNERS IN THE HYDE PARK HIGH SCHOOL, METROPOLITAN AND CENTRAL AVENUES, HYDE PARK, MASS.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for furnishing and installing new oil burners in the Hyde Park High School, Metropolitan and Central avenues, Hyde Park, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Thursday, August 4, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, enclosed in an envelope, sealed and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $1,500, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

Subbidders bidding on the work of subcontractors shall use the proposal form prepared by and obtainable from the Awarding Authority.

All subbidders' proposals filed with the Awarding Authority shall be submitted in sealed envelopes, plainly marked with the title of the work; division of the work for which bid is submitted; subcontractor's name; and subcontractor's business address. All such bids shall be in the possession of the Awarding Authority and delivered or mailed to the general contractor no later than 12 o'clock noon, Monday, August 1, 1955.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount as specified in the following for the subbid item of work as listed below shall be submitted by each subbidder with the copy of his proposal filed with the Awarding Authority:

Oil Burner and Oil Burner Piping, etc.	$750
Electrical Work	$150

The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, plainly marked "Bid Deposit."

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price will be required of the successful general contractor.

Plans and specifications may be obtained on or after Wednesday, July 20, 1955.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do. The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all subbids on any item or items in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
(July 16.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

TO PAINTING CONTRACTORS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR INTERIOR AND EXTERIOR PAINTING, INCLUDING FIRE ESCAPE, AT THE JOSHUA BATES SCHOOL, HARRISON AVENUE, BETWEEN EAST NEWTON AND EAST BROOKLINE STREETS, BOSTON, MASS.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for interior and exterior painting, including fire escape, at the Joshua Bates School, Harrison avenue, between East Newton and East Brookline streets, Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Monday, July 25, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals shall be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed and inclosed in a sealed envelope, plainly marked with the name of the bidder and the description of the work bid upon. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a certificate of deposit issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $250, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked. Bid bonds will not be accepted.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

A performance bond, issued by a surety company satisfactory to the Awarding Authority, in the full amount of the contract will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any and all bids if it be in the public interest so to do.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
(July 16.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING BASKETBALL, TRACK AND HOCKEY EQUIPMENT FOR THE BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing basketball, track and hockey equipment for the Boston public schools. Proposal forms are obtainable at the office of the Business Manager of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, tenth floor. Envelopes containing proposals must be sealed and plainly marked "Proposal for Basketball, Track and Hockey Equipment." The bids must be in duplicate. One copy, signed by the bidder, and accompanied by a certified check, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount of two hundred dollars ($200), must be left at the office of the Business Manager on or before 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday, July 27, 1955. Copies filed with the Business Manager will be publicly opened and read at 12 o'clock noon of the day stated. The other copy, also signed by the bidder, must be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., previous to the time named for opening of bids. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to accept the bid or bids which it deems best for the interests of the city. The successful bidders will be required to furnish a suitable bond or deposit of money or other security in the amount of not less than 50 per cent of the amount of the contract.

HENRY J. SMITH,
Business Manager of the School Committee.
(July 16.)

No. 123—598.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING ONE (1) SURGICAL OPERATING TABLE FOR THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Thursday, July 28, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Operating Table." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(July 16.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR ROOFING WORK AT THE JAMAICA PLAIN HIGH SCHOOL, ELM STREET, JAMAICA PLAIN.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for roofing work at the Jamaica Plain High School, Elm street, Jamaica Plain, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Monday, July 25, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, enclosed in an envelope, sealed and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $500, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do, in accordance with sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
(July 16.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR ELECTRICAL WORK AT VARIOUS SCHOOLS, BOSTON, MASS.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for electrical work at various schools, Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Monday, July 25, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, enclosed in an envelope, sealed and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $560, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do, in accordance with sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
(July 16.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

No. 122—297.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR CUTTING, PASTING, FOLDING, BINDING, GATHERING, BANDING, MARKING AND DELIVERING 1955 VOTING LISTS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Tuesday, July 26, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Binding of 1955 Voting Lists." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

(July 16.) JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

SEWERAGE WORKS.

Proposals for Sewerage Works in Wilton Street, Hyde Park.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Wilton street, Hyde Park. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Wilton Street, Hyde Park," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of MONDAY, JULY 25, 1955, with a certified check for ONE HUNDRED (100) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined hy the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(July 16.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

No. 121—591.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING FIVE (5) DISHWASHING MACHINES FOR THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Thursday, July 28, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Dishwashing Machines." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

(July 16.) JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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NEW SYSTEM OF MAIL RECEPTION AND DELIVERY FOR OFFICES IN CITY HALL AND ANNEX TO BE ESTABLISHED BEGINNING AUGUST 1—LARGE SAVING IN EXPENSES WITH GREATER EFFICIENCY ANTICIPATED.

A new system of mail reception and delivery for offices in City Hall and the Annex has been announced through the Administrative Services Department by Charles J. Fox, Director. The plan is being adopted to effect savings in the handling of mail matter and in the cause of efficiency. The directive and its explanation reads as follows:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.
July 20, 1955.

To Department Heads.

On Monday, August 1, 1955, a Central Mailing Unit will be established in the Collecting Division of the Treasury Department, to be located at the end of the corridor just beyond the stairway and Room 201 in the Annex. This unit will have three definite responsibilities:

1. To handle all out-going mail for departments located in City Hall and the Annex.

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BOWDITCH ROAD EXTENSION IN WARD 19 TO BE COMPLETED UNDER ORIGINAL D'AMICO CONTRACT FOR SIX STREETS IN SAME DISTRICT — ADDITIONAL COST TO BE $6,500.

J. D'Amico, Inc., has been authorized by Public Works Commissioner George G. Hyland, with the approval of the Mayor, to complete the Bowditch Road extension in Ward 19 as a part of his original contract for six streets in that vicinity. The original contract was for $69,734.10 to which the sum of $6,500 has been added for the work. The letter of approval reads as follows:

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
June 29, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

Under date of October 5, 1954, a contract in the amount of $69,734.10 was awarded to J. D'Amico, Inc., of 49 Ellison avenue, Dorchester, for constructing six streets, including an extension to Bowditch road which is located in Ward 19. Subsequent to the award of the contract and acting under the provisions of

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LICENSE OF STATES MARINE CORPORATION TO STORE, KEEP, AND SELL OIL AND GASOLINE IN EAST BOSTON REVOKED — COMMITTEE ON LICENSES, CONSISTING OF FIRE, BUILDING, AND TRAFFIC COMMISSIONERS, VOTED FOR REVOCATION — STATES MARINE CORPORATION LACKED POWER TO MAKE APPLICATION BY FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH GENERAL LAWS AS SPECIFIED.

On July 18 the following statement was issued from the office of the Mayor:

On June 21, 1949, the Board of Street Commissioners, now extinct, granted a license to States Marine Corporation for the keeping, storage, and sale of 100,000 barrels of range oil and fuel oil and 100,000 barrels of gasoline at the premises, 120–172 Border street, East Boston.

On July 15, 1955, the Committee on Licenses, which has succeeded to the powers of the Board of Street Commissioners, and which is composed of the Building Commissioner, the Fire Commissioner, and the Chairman of the Traffic Commission, voted to revoke the license granted to States Marine Corporation for the following reasons:

1. The application for said license was filed by the applicant, namely, States Marine Corporation, at a time when, due to its failure to comply with General Laws (Ter. Ed.) c. 181, ss. 3 and 5, it lacked power to make said application.

2. In the application for said license States Marine Corporation as applicant misrepresented itself as owner of said land when, due to its failure to comply with General Laws (Ter. Ed.) c. 181, ss. 3 and 5, its title thereto was, by virtue of General Laws (Ter. Ed.) c. 181, s. 9, invalid as against the Commonwealth and the local licensing authority as the representative of the Commonwealth.

3. States Marine Corporation, due to its failure to comply with General Laws (Ter. Ed.) c. 181, ss. 3 and 5, was, at the time of the granting of said license, without power to accept such grant.

4. Neither the owner nor the occupant of said land did in the year 1955, on or before April 30, file with the Fire Commissioner of Boston a certificate of registration setting forth the name and address of the holder of said license.

5. Said land has not been used for the purpose for which it was licensed within a reasonable time after the granting of said license.

Further ordered, That the secretary of this committee be, and he hereby is, authorized and directed to give notice of the foregoing order by sending an attested copy thereof forthwith by certified mail, return receipt requested, to William J. Fitzsimons, Esquire, attorney for States Marine Corporation, 40 Court street, Boston, Mass., and also to States Marine Corporation, 90 Broad street, New York City, New York.

Vote taken in Committee on Licenses, July 15, 1955.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMISSION.

Ordered, That in the proceeding instituted in this committee on May 24, 1955, and publicly heard on June 29, 1955, and now pending before this committee for final decision, in the matter of the revocation of the license granted to States Marine Corporation on or about June 21, 1949, under General Laws (Ter. Ed.) c. 148, s. 13 (as amended), by the Board of Street

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"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean;
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.

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STREET AGENCIES.

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Advertising.

A rate of $4 per inch of 12 lines (set solid) has been established for such advertisements as under the law must be printed in the City Record. Advertising and other copy must be in hand by 5 P.M. Wednesday of each week to insure its publication in the Saturday issue.

MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, July 25, at 2 P.M.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries, or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the Complaints Division, Room 25, City Hall.

Information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways, the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments of streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped area for streets and the opening of private ways; the making of specific repairs in public streets; the naming of public streets, including the use of public ways for location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railways, coal holes, and vaults, may be secured from the Public Improvement Commission, Room 403, City Hall Annex.

TO THE BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION, 112 Southampton street, for information relative to regulation of vehicular street traffic on all or any streets, ways, highways, roads, and parkways under the control of the City of Boston, the issuing of all permits in connection therewith.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting, and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catchbasins, the operation of Sumner Tunnel, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges, and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Haymarket Square, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish, and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughterhouses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases, of public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth Avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park, and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts, also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview, and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

TO THE DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS, 28 Norman street, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

TO THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 907, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal, or tearing down buildings.

TO THE ELECTRICAL INSPECTION DIVISION OF THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT, 1001 City Hall Annex, for all information relative to the erection of poles, building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division; also for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings of the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

TO THE BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT, 43 City Hall, relative to changes in the boundary lines of zoning districts of the City of Boston as established by chapter 488 of the Acts of 1924, and amendments thereto.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending July 16, 1955.

Population as of July, 1950, Massachusetts State Census, 817,713; population estimated July, 1954, United States Census Bureau, 813,696; number of deaths (stillbirths exeluded): Residents, 125; nonresidents, 70; total, 195.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 12.56; nonresidents deducted, 8.07.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:

Last week, 15.70; corresponding week last year, 13.06.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 10; one year to four years, inclusive, 11; sixty years and over, 122. Total deaths: Male, 107; female, 88; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 113.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended July 16, 1955.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended July 17, 1954.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior Poliomyelitis	52	2	2	—
Diphtheria	1	—	—	—
Encephalitis Lethargica	—	—	—	—
Influenza	—	—	—	—
Measles	3	—	133	—
Meningitis Epidemic	3	—	3	—
Pneumonia (lobar)	—	—	—	2
Scarlet Fever	4	—	34	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary)	49	2	17	5
Childhood Type Tuberculosis	—	—	—	—
Tuberculosis (other forms)	4	—	2	1
Typhoid Fever	—	—	—	—
Whooping Cough	2	—	6	—

*Residents and nonresidents included.

BOWDITCH ROAD EXTENSION TO BE COMPLETED.

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Article 4A of the contract document, the resurfacing of Moss Hill road and the construction of Cricket Lane extension, West Roxbury, were added to the original contract. The work required on these two streets and the work on all streets in the original contract has been completed, with the exception of Bowditch road.

At the present time, we do not have sufficient money provided under the terms of the original contract to provide for the construction of the latter street, as the amount authorized has been used to complete the other five streets included in the original contract, plus the two streets that were added, namely, Moss Hill road and Cricket Lane extension. It is most important, however, to provide for the completion of the construction of Bowditch Road extension as soon as possible as it is a dirt street in deplorable condition and the work involved would have been done under the terms of the original contract except, as stated, that there are insufficient funds remaining at the present time.

In view of the circumstances, I feel that the only practical thing to do is to award a contract to the above-referenced contractor, without publicly advertising for proposals, for the construction of Bowditch Road extension, under the terms and conditions of the publicly-advertised contract that was awarded on October 5 of last year. The extension of Bowditch road consists of a short piece of a dead-end street and, therefore, normally involves costly highway work.

It is my opinion that if we advertised for bids for this work at the present time, we would receive unit prices higher than those in the current D'Amico contract. In addition, the proposed new contract may be considered as being awarded as the result of publicly advertising for bids, in that all terms, conditions and unit prices are to be based on the publicly-advertised contract that was awarded to the D'Amico Company on October 5 of last year.

I respectfully request, therefore, your authorization to dispense with advertising and award a contract in the amount of $6,500 to James D'Amico, Inc., of 49 Ellison avenue, Dorchester, for constructing Bowditch road, Ward 19, for a distance of approximately 250 feet westerly of the end of the present paved surface with the understanding that the work will be done in accordance with the terms, conditions and unit prices that appear in the contract that was awarded to said contractor on October 5, 1954, as the result of publicly advertising for proposals.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

TRANSFERS OF APPROPRIATIONS.

The Mayor has approved the following request for transfer of appropriations:

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.
Cemetery Division.

From 599, Miscellaneous Equipment (Not Otherwise Classified), $4,000, to 120, Overtime, $4,000.

NEW MAIL SYSTEM TO START AUGUST 1.

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2. To handle all requisitions for postage requirements of departments located outside the Hall and Annex. (At the present time, this particular phase is being handled by the Auditing Department, Room 47, City Hall.)

3. To handle all interdepartmental mail arising within the Hall and Annex. (This will mean the discontinuance of all interdepartmental mail distribution now handled in the Mayor's Office and the Auditing Department.)

The Central Mailing Unit will be open from 9.30 A.M. to 4.30 P.M. each working day. Departments in the Hall and Annex will deposit mail matter at this unit twice a day—on or about eleven in the morning and not later than four in the afternoon. All mail deposited in this fashion will go out the same day. Mail left after 4 P.M. will be dispatched the following morning. Mail received after 4 P.M. on Friday or the last working day of each week will be held until Monday morning.

All mail deposited with the unit must be accompanied by a postage voucher prepared in duplicate, a copy of which is enclosed herewith. Departments depositing mail will fill out the area on the voucher above the double line. When the mail accompanying each voucher has been processed for mailing, the unit will complete the remaining detail on the voucher and return the original copy to the department involved. The returned vouchers will be utilized by the offices involved in the preparation of Standard Invoice forms. In submitting Standard Invoice forms the words "Postage Account" should be inserted in the place provided for the name of the vendor. Under the heading, "Description," should be listed the voucher numbers involved in the payment covered by the Standard Invoice form and in the "Amount" column the amounts of the respective vouchers. The department copy of this Standard Invoice form will be subsequently returned to your office.

In the case of offices with small mailing requirements, vouchers may be accumulated and Standard Invoice forms prepared at least once a month. In the case of offices using a substantial amount of postage, the Standard Invoice forms should be prepared once a week.

The following instructions are submitted for the information of departmental clerks and officials:

(*a*) All departmental postage now on hand will be used before utilizing the facilities of the Central Mailing Unit; in other words, until such time as your present postage supply is exhausted, you will continue handling your postage mail in the same manner as now obtains.

(*b*) Interdepartmental mail should be segregated from the mail requiring postage and so identified either by a rubber stamp or notation to the effect that it is "interdepartmental." Deliveries of this type should be made at the unit at the same periods as specified for the delivery of postage mail; clerks or messengers making such deliveries should also request one of the clerks on duty in the unit to deliver to him such interdepartmental mail as might be on hand for his particular department.

(*c*) Except in rare cases, all envelopes requiring postage should be submitted unsealed, *with the envelope flaps placed over one another.* In the event it is deemed desirable to seal a limited number of envelopes, they should be kept separate from the unsealed mail and properly faced. Departments using different sizes of envelopes should keep each size in a separate bundle; all insertions should be made before delivery to the unit.

(*d*) Mail in the following categories should be kept separate, as in the case of interdepartmental mail, and not mixed in with regular first-class mail:

Special Delivery	Foreign Mail
Registered	Second-class
Certified	Third-class
Air Mail	Fourth-class or Parcel Post.

Mail of this special character should also be stamped or properly identified before delivery to the unit in order that it will not be processed as regular first-class mail.

(*e*) Employees taking mail to the unit should not leave their mail on top of other mail on the counter during rush periods but should wait until the counter clerk is available to receive it.

(*f*) Enclosed herewith are three circulars issued by the Post Office Department covering rules and regulations governing all types of mail and, more especially, certified mail.

It will be noted that substantial savings can be realized through the utilization of certified mail in lieu of registered mail, wherever possible or permissible. In all cases where items of value are not involved, certified mail should be utilized rather than registered mail, provided the statutes or ordinances under which your department functions will permit of the same. In many cases where registered mail is utilized, there are no statutory requirements for the same and departments just go ahead and use this method as a matter of course where a receipt of notice is desired from an addressee. In all such cases in the future, such mail should be posted by certified mail rather than registered mail, thereby realizing a saving of 25 cents on each such parcel.

In order to expedite deliveries of mail within the Boston Postal District, the Post Office Department is insisting that we include zone numbers when addressing envelopes and one of the circulars enclosed sets forth the information required.

(*g*) Departments within the Hall and Annex requiring postage on or before August 1 should limit their requests to an amount sufficient to cover their needs through July 29.

Very truly yours,

CHARLES J. FOX, *Director.*

OIL LICENSE REVOKED IN EAST BOSTON.

(*Continued from page 873.*)

Commissioners of the City of Boston, with the approval of the Mayor of said city, to use the land at 120-172 Border street in the East Boston district of said city for the keeping, storage, and sale of 100,000 barrels of range oil and fuel oil and 100,000 barrels of gasoline, it be, and hereby is, decided as follows:

I. At the aforesaid hearing competent evidence was introduced warranting a finding, and it is found that:

a. States Marine Corporation is a corporation established, organized, or chartered under the laws of the State of New York.

b. States Marine Corporation has never in writing appointed the Commissioner of Corporations and Taxation of

the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and his successor in office to be its true and lawful attorney upon whom all lawful processes in any action or proceeding against it may be served.

c. States Marine Corporation has never filed with said Commissioner of Corporations and Taxation a duly certified copy of its charter, articles, or certificate of incorporation, or a true copy of its bylaws, or a certificate setting forth the data mentioned in clauses (*a*), (*b*), (*c*), (*d*), and (*e*) of General Laws (Ter. Ed.) c. 181, s. 5.

d. Neither the owner nor the occupant of the aforesaid land did in the year 1955, on or before April 30, file with the Fire Commissioner of Boston a certificate of registration setting forth the name and address of the holder of the aforesaid license.

e. The aforesaid land has not been used for the purpose for which it was licensed within a reasonable time after the granting of the aforesaid license.

II. The presumption of regularity attaching to official acts is such that the license registration certificates for the years 1950, 1951, 1952, 1953, and 1954, although seemingly improvidently executed, ought not on the evidence in this case to be controverted; and so charges numbered (4), (5), (6), (7), (8), (9), and (10) are waived, and rulings No. 11, No. 12, No. 13, No. 14, and No. 15 requested by the attorney for States Marine Corporation are denied as immaterial. The other rulings so requested are disposed of as follows:

No. 1 — denied
No. 2 — granted; but the committee does not so find.
No. 3 — denied.
No. 4 — granted; but the committee does not so find.
No. 5 — granted; but the committee does not so find.
No. 6 — denied.
No. 7 — denied.
No. 8 — denied.
No. 9 — denied.
No. 10 — denied.
No. 16 — granted.
No. 17 — denied.

III. The aforesaid license is hereby revoked on each of the following grounds:

1. The application for said license was filed by the applicant, namely, States Marine Corporation, at a time when, due to its failure to comply with General Laws (Ter. Ed.) c. 181, ss. 3 and 5, it lacked power to make said application.

2. In the application for said license States Marine Corporation as applicant misrepresented itself as owner of said land when, due to its failure to comply with General Laws (Ter. Ed.) c. 181, ss. 3 and 5, its title thereto was, by virtue of General Laws (Ter. Ed.) c. 181, s. 9, invalid as against the Commonwealth and the local licensing authority as the representative of the Commonwealth.

3. States Marine Corporation, due to its failure to comply with General Laws (Ter. Ed.) c. 181, ss. 3 and 5, was, at the time of the granting of said license, without power to accept such grant.

4. Neither the owner nor the occupant of said land did in the year 1955, on or before April 30, file with the Fire Commissioner of Boston a certificate of registration setting forth the name and address of the holder of said license.

5. Said land has not been used for the purpose for which it was licensed within a reasonable time after the granting of said license.

Further ordered, That the secretary of this committee be, and he hereby is, authorized and directed to give notice of the foregoing order by sending an attested copy thereof forthwith by certified mail, return receipt requested, to William J. Fitzsimons, Esquire, attorney for States Marine Corporation, 40 Court street, Boston, Mass., and also to States Marine Corporation, 90 Broad street, New York City, New York.

A true copy.
Attest:
FRANK J. COUGHLIN,
Secretary.

SEWERAGE WORKS IN DORCHESTER.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that sewerage works be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within thirty (30) days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly Dorchester and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Corman road, bounded:

Southwesterly by Cummins Highway, seventy feet; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Corman road, by four measurements, twenty-three and 56-100 feet on a curve of fifteen feet radius, seventy-four and 18-100 feet, sixty-five and 73-100 feet on a curve of one hundred seventy feet radius, and four hundred forty-four and 33-100 feet; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Corman road, one hundred twenty-nine and 87-100 feet; southeasterly by another portion of the private way known as Corman road, forty and 10-100 feet; southwesterly by the southwesterly line of Corman road, seventy-seven and 67-100 feet; and southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Corman road, by five measurements, nineteen and 48-100 feet on a curve of thirteen feet radius, three hundred ninety-five and 4-100 feet, fifty and 27-100 feet on a curve of one hundred thirty feet radius, seventy-four and 18-100 feet, and twenty-three and 56-100 feet on a curve of fifteen feet radius, containing twenty-seven thousand four hundred thirty-six square feet, more or less.

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of an easement for sewerage purposes in Corman road, Dorchester district, between Cummins Highway and Hallowell street, under the order of the commission of July 6, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

Owners unknown (Corman road), 27,436 square feet, nothing.

CONGRESS STREET WIDENING.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made consisting of the widening and construction of Congress street, Boston Proper district, at the southwesterly corner of Dock square, bounded and described as follows:

The highway named Congress street is hereby widened and relocated at the southwesterly corner of Dock square, and ordered constructed.

For the making of the aforesaid improvement an easement for street purposes is hereby taken in the following-described land, exclusive of trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed thereto.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Merchants National Bank of Boston, bounded:

Easterly by the westerly line of Congress street as it existed prior to this order, eight feet; northerly by the southerly line of Dock square as it existed prior to this order, three feet; and southwesterly by other land of said Merchants National Bank of Boston, eight and 29-100 feet, containing twelve square feet, more or less.

Trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforedescribed land, shall be removed therefrom within thirty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Said Congress street as hereby widened and relocated, is bounded:

Easterly by the westerly line of Congress street, eight feet; northerly by the southerly line of Dock square, three feet; and southwesterly by other land supposed to belong to Merchants National Bank of Boston, eight and 29-100 feet, containing twelve square feet, more or less.

No betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Voted, That this commission determines that the undermentioned persons sustain damages in their estates by the making of the public improvement consisting of the widening and relocation of Congress street, Boston Proper district, at the southwesterly corner of Dock square, under the order of this commission of July 13, 1955, in the amount hereinafter set against it, and awards said amount therefor.

Merchants National Bank of Boston, 12 square feet, $1.

CHANGES IN SOCIAL SECURITY LAW.

Changes in the Social Security Act now make Old Age and Survivors Insurance benefits available to all municipal employees, except firemen and policemen. The procedure varies, however, for those who are eligible for membership in existing retirement systems and those who are not.

The most important point to remember is that the municipality must take the initiative to secure OASI coverage for its employees and must act through the state government. Proper enabling legislation and contractual clauses in state documents are "musts." They secure coverage as part of the state's contract with the Bureau of Old Age and Survivors Insurance, U. S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare.

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DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following personnel changes:

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

For the week ending July 5:

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—William B Butterfield, 25 Wheatland avenue, Dorchester, John J. Cahill, 86 O street, South Boston, Sarah E. Kurko, 524 Dorchester avenue, South Boston, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; Dorothy Burke, 9 Alaska street, Roxbury, hospital laundry worker, $50.50 a week; Cornelia T. Sylvester, 9 Revere street, social worker, $73 a week; Josephine Sienkiewicz, Franklin Square House, laboratory assistant, $53 a week; Helen Gardner, 85 Hollis avenue, Norfolk Downs, supervising nurse, $66.58 a week; Elizabeth Glynn, 79 Belmont street, Everett, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour; A. Joanne Linehan, 30 Everett street, Jamaica Plain, floor nurse, $63 a week; Edith O'Sullivan, 576 East Eighth street, South Boston, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour; Julia Ryan, 533 East Fifth street, South Boston, head nurse, $76.15 a week; Ethel R. Solomont, 121 Boland road, Chestnut Hill, floor nurse, $1.70 an hour.

Temporary.—James Lemuel Fife, Avenue Louis Pasteur, Edward C. Stanger, 33 Pond Avenue Circle, Jamaica Plain, Ann L. Woods, 5 Sterling square, South Boston, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; Robert White, 76 Trenton street, East Boston, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week; John F. Leahy, 132 Savin Hill avenue, Dorchester, hospital house worker, $43 a week; Robert W. Dingle, 665 East Eighth street, South Boston, laboratory assistant, $45.50 a week; Patricia M. Ellie, 493 Arborway, Jamaica Plain, clerk-typist, $35.50 a week; Carol Garibaldi, 15 Miles Standish road, West Roxbury, clerk-typist, $43 a week; Janet L. Bragger, 397 Newton street, Chestnut Hill, Barbara Brooks, 200 Bay State road, Dorothy Ching, 37 Browning road, Somerville, Stephanie Coffey, 231 Washington street, Arlington, floor nurses, $1 an hour; Ann Conley, 105 H street, South Boston, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour; Ann B. Costello, 9 Hillcroft road, Jamaica Plain, Doris M. Frediani, 51 Lakewood road, South Weymouth, Evelyn A. Gage, 200 Bay State road, Marie J. Kelleher, 12 Tappan street, Melrose, Patricia A. Lavoie, 9 Lennoco road, Jamaica Plain, floor nurses, $1 an hour; Margaret E. Malone, 990A Shirley street, Winthrop, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Helene Marsh, 76 Willowdean avenue, West Roxbury, Louise McDevitt, 23 Partridge avenue, Somerville, Marion McInnis, 8 Oriole street, West Roxbury, Mary E. Monaghan, 12 Atkinson street, Lynn, Patricia Phipps, 25 Elder terrace, Arlington, Sally J. Walsh, 28 Essex street, Andover, Patricia Wincklhofer, 200 Bay State road, floor nurses, $1 an hour.

The following chief residents have been appointed at $202 a month:

John C. Athans, Surgical III; James T. Balmanno, Robert O. Blackburn, Surgical I; William D. Bugey, Anesthesia; Howard J. Christian, Charles Barrie Cook, Pathology; Robert V. Dandrow, Gynecology and Obstetrics; Peter A. DiOrio, Anesthesia; Thomas Donovan, Thoracic Surgery; Merrill M. Gold-

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING JULY 19.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Evariste Lavertu	137 Gallivan Boulevard	17	Dwelling	$10,000
Melvin Henshan	212 Turtle Pond Parkway	18	Alterations, dwelling	700
Ray Miller	64 Pleasant street	13	Store	12,000
Charles J. O'Malley	11 New Haven street	20	Dwelling	8,000
Frank Mazzarella	180 Austin street	18	Dwelling	8,000
Frank Mazzarella	176 Austin street	18	Dwelling	8,000
Joseph Penna	40 Tileston street	18	Dwelling	9,000
John J. Connolly	10 Addington road	20	Dwelling	9,000
Mary E. Manley	33 Percival street	15	Alterations, dwelling	2
Mr. Boston Distillers, Inc.	1006-10 Massachusetts av.	8	Alterations, distillery, whse.	500
Frederick Pecurri	44 Rockingham road	18	Alterations, dwelling	2
John A. Cranstrom	821 Cummins Highway	18	Alterations, dwelling	5,000
Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston.	70 Gen. William H. Devine Way.	7	Rectory	45,000
Tillie Rose	459 Columbia road	15	Alterations, dwelling	2
Carmella Mussi	141 L street	7	Alterations, store, dwelling	800
Herbert Johnson	19 Arborview road	19	Garage	14,000
William Filene's Sons	33 Franklin street	3	Alterations, store	18,700
Mar-Mel Construction Co.	22 Lexington avenue	18	Dwelling	9,000
Evariste Lavertu	141 Gallivan Boulevard	17	Dwelling	10,000
Mar-Mel Construction Co.	39 Northbourne road	19	Dwelling	10,000
Arthur A. Procizer	63 Hackensack road	20	Dwelling	10,000
J. H. Westerbeke Corporation	45 Tenean street	16	Storage	4,000
Joseph N. Mullen	26 Oakmere street	20	Dwelling	9,000
Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston.	45 Magnolia street	13	Alterations, convent	4,000
American Sugar Refining Co.	Rear 67-95 Granite street	6	Canopy	4,000
Peter J. Maregni	80 Litchfield street	22	Dwelling	20,000
William Greenwood	29 Arlington street	18	Alterations, dwelling	2,000
John O. Fuguori	33 Montmorenci avenue	1	Dwelling	10,000
American Sugar Refining Co.	47 Granite street	6	Alterations, refinery	3,000
Darman-Victor Company	20 Williams street	11	Alterations, manufacturing	2,000
Darman-Victor Company	3485 Washington street	11	Alterations, storage	10,000
Michael D. Vaughan	73 Whitcomb avenue	19	Dwelling	10,000
Michael D. Vaughan	75 Whitcomb avenue	19	Dwelling	10,000
James F. Rider	45 Martin street	20	Alterations, dwelling	100
Mann & Mann	1803 Centre street	20	Alterations, dwelling, store	400
Walter P. Clark	24 Notre Dame street	11	Alterations, dwelling	400
Omnus Abrahamson	10-20 Kilby street	3	Alterations, offices	500
Hollis Phillips Trust	130 Summer street	3	Alterations, stores, offices	300
Arthur Nelson	63 Dunboy street	22	Alterations, dwelling	125
Andrew Dutton Company	60 Canal street	3	Sign, store, offices	400
Norman L. Maddock	19 Fresno street	20	Alterations, dwelling	247
John Aiello	7 Snow street	22	Fire escape, dwelling	350
John Aiello	9 Snow street	22	Fire escape, dwelling	350
F. Engals	42 Hanover street	3	Alterations, theatre	450
Boston Wharf Company	169 A street	6	Alterations, storage	7,800
Beacon Printing Company	1260 Blue Hill avenue	14	Sign, stores	35
F. Bailey Frye	81-89 Dorchester avenue	6	Alterations, dwelling	450
Frederick E. Smith	38 Holborn street	12	Alterations, dwelling	950
John Paglio	14 Albion street	8	Alterations, dwelling	600
M. C. Cuneo	476 Warren street	12	Alterations, dwelling	400
Children's Hospital	25 Blackfan street	4	Excavate for hospital	200
Susan Poland	134 Temple street	20	Alterations, dwelling	200
H. F. Cline Construction Co.	236 Boylston street	5	Sign, stores	625
John Costello	102 and 104 Mt. Pleasant av.	8	Alterations, dwelling	150
Crowley's Stores	192 Harvard avenue	21	Sign, store	300
Harvard Club of Boston	374 Commonwealth avenue	5	Alterations, clubhouse	175
Harvard Club of Boston	378 Commonwealth avenue	5	Alterations, clubhouse	175
Roger L. Mills	27 Commercial street	3	Alterations, mercantile	650
E. Abata	23 High street	2	Alterations, dwelling	350
E. Abata	35 High street	2	Alterations, dwelling	450
E. Abata	19 High street	2	Alterations, dwelling	350
E. Abata	36 Monument square	2	Alterations, tenement	450
George W. Kunnerth	81 Arlington street	22	Alterations, dwelling	225
Fisher Company	1585 Commonwealth avenue	21	Sign, stores	175
Alice Rosen	200 Blue Hill avenue	13	Sign, tavern	175
Arthur A. Callahan	795 Adams street	16	Sign, cafe	175
D. T. Foley	1413 Dorchester avenue	15	Sign, cafe	175
Nyer Dana	1276 Hyde Park avenue	18	Sign, restaurant	175
V. Corrigiani	1297 River street	18	Sign, restaurant	175
Patrick Driscoll	5 Gardner street	2	Sign, restaurant	175
Fred J. Rockwell	1876 Dorchester avenue	16	Sign, tavern	175
Nicola Vecchio	356 Bennington street	1	Sign, tavern	175
Anna Hauk	197 Bowdoin street	15	Sign, tavern	175
Nathan J. Baker	440 Geneva avenue	15	Sign, store	175
Elm Farm Foods	135 Harvard street	14	Sign, store	175
Clark Realty Trust	9 Avery street	3	Sign, tavern	175
Downey Judge	1283 Dorchester avenue	15	Sign, tavern	175
Paul Campus	35 Cambridge street	3	Sign, tavern	175
M. Comiskey	1547 Tremont street	10	Sign, tavern	175
Hospital Life Insurance Co.	102 Massachusetts avenue	4	Sign, tavern	175
Christopher Panos	4 Dartmouth street	4	Sign, cafe	175
M. Mahady	1316 Washington street	3	Sign, tavern	175
Bennie Wiener	6 Hyde Park avenue	18	Sign, restaurant	175
Louis Kay	85 Arch street	3	Sign, cafe	175
Roslindale Tavern, Inc.	4272 Washington street	18	Sign, tavern	175
Hugh J. Cassidy	378A Centre street	19	Sign, tavern	175
Edward Cuber	74 Union street	3	Sign, tavern	175
D. D'Cesaro	69 Readville street	18	Sign, restaurant	175
Eleanor Page	339 Massachusetts avenue	4	Sign, lunchroom	175
D. Macauley	267 Dorchester street	6	Sign, tavern	175
M. Sateros	2257 Dorchester avenue	17	Sign, cafe	175
N. E. Kelly	560 Dorchester avenue	7	Sign, tavern	175
A. Beal	2269 Dorchester avenue	17	Sign, tavern	175
Louis Chilk	184 Friend street	3	Sign, cafe	175
Matthew Crehan	1619 Tremont street	10	Sign, tavern	175
David Sears Real Estate Trust	44 Summer street	3	Sign, tavern	175
Paul's Army and Navy Store	2391 Washington street	9	Sign, grill	175
Ann Corrall	126 Conant street	10	Sign, tavern	175

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING JULY 19.—Concluded.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
J. J. Sullivan	238 Dorchester street	7	Sign, cafe	$175
William Balukonis	258 West Broadway	6	Sign, cafe	175
M. Luongo	14 Maverick square	1	Sign, cafe	175
C. Mascarello	14 Rutherford avenue	2	Sign, restaurant	175
TV Supply Corporation	3437 Washington street	11	Sign, tavern	175
Rose Salvi	3496 Washington street	11	Sign, cafe	175
Daniel Thomas	26 Cambridge street	3	Sign, cafe	175
John Hines	1014 Washington street	3	Sign, cafe	175
Catherine Travers	730 Dudley street	7	Sign, cafe	175
Martin Boyer	1505 Washington street	9	Sign, tavern	175
Louis Bernstein	39 Worcester square	8	Sign, spa	175
Margaret Israli	28 Athelwold street	17	Alterations, dwelling	125
Kenneth Sorderstrom	5 Denton terrace	18	Alterations, dwelling	675
J. Gusenoff	180 Walnut street	16	Alterations, dwelling	375
Robert Yanafsky	1286A Blue Hill avenue	18	Alterations, store	480
F. Barreto	41 Fleet street	3	Alterations, dwelling	325
Andrew Adreani	82 Orient avenue	1	Alterations, dwelling	200
A. Zissman	59 Ruggles street	9	Alterations, dwelling	600
Rose Seordine	1433 Columbus avenue	10	Alterations, dwelling	300
Keystone Manufacturing	151 Hallet street	16	Alterations, manufacturing	100
Viola Pinanski	260 Hanover street	3	Sign, bank	350
John Murry	39 Chappie street	2	Alterations, dwelling	985
M. C. Radio Shop	370 Blue Hill avenue	14	Sign, store	50
K. Kelleher	16 Donnybrook road	22	Alterations, dwelling	250
Boston Theatre	614 Washington street	3	Sign, theatre	1,000
M. Lamore	867 Cambridge street	22	Sign, store	700
Massachusetts Envelope Co.	655–59 Atlantic avenue	3	Sign, store	100
W. Leonard	510 Main street	2	Sign, store	35
J. Sheehan		10	Alterations, dwelling	1,535

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM PLUMBING FOR THE WEEK ENDING JULY 19.

Plumber.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
A. Statley	24 Bodwell street	15	New appliances	$75
W. Berkley	226 Boston street	7	New appliances	400
A. Columbo	75 Chesbrough street	20	New appliances	875
S. Landau	461 Commonwealth avenue	5	New appliances	500
S. Landau	52 Providence street	18	New appliances	800
P. Gordando	68 Richfield street	15	New appliances	550
W. Perio	77 and 79 Waverly street	22	New appliances	100
W. Perio	81 and 83 Waverly street	22	New appliances	1,000
E. Ottletto	94 Bay State road	5	New appliances	500
G. Stanford	139 Bay State road	5	New appliances	3,600
Santollato	1292 Commonwealth avenue	21	New appliances	1,500
A. Bonus	1000 Columbus avenue	9	New appliances	1,000
E. Duggan	67 Harvard avenue	21	New appliances	500
S. Statley	137 Lucerne street	14	New appliances	135
D. Manio	401 Maine street	2	New appliances	500
J. Chase	434 Massachusetts avenue	9	New appliances	300
W. Collins	154 Riverway	4	New appliances	220
L. Speers	26 Snow street	22	New appliances	350
J. McKinnon	32 Vernon street	18	New appliances	900
J. McKinnon	34 Vernon street	18	New appliances	900
J. Murphy	3708 Washington street	11	New appliances	200
S. Laccdio	50 Williams street	18	New appliances	65
A. Berger	518 Beacon street	5	New appliances	1,000
J. Woodacre	37 Creston street	14	New appliances	200
L. Mahoney	2 Eastmont road	18	New appliances	547
L. Mahoney	10 Eastmont road	18	New appliances	547
L. Mahoney	14 Eastmont road	18	New appliances	547
L. Mahoney	18 Eastmont road	18	New appliances	547
L. Mahoney	22 Eastmont road	18	New appliances	547
L. Mahoney	5 Kristin court	18	New appliances	547
L. Mahoney	8 Kristin court	18	New appliances	547
L. Mahoney	10 Kristin court	18	New appliances	547
L. Mahoney	11 Leighton road	18	New appliances	547
L. Mahoney	17 Leighton road	18	New appliances	547
L. Mahoney	21 Leighton road	18	New appliances	547
P. Russo	157 Newbury street	5	New appliances	65
J. Barile	11 Sumner terrace	7	New appliances	150
H. Kroner	255 Vermont street	20	New appliances	500
D. Yorks	2 Viking terrace	18	New appliances	400
F. McDonald	350 West Fourth street	6	New appliances	13,311
G. Trethewey	25 Whitford street	18	New appliances	220
J. Houghton	Boston street	7	New appliances	400
H. Geddis	194 Massachusetts avenue	4	New appliances	150
R. Center	33 Stillman street	3	New appliances	6,800
E. Schmitt	49 West Eagle street	1	New appliances	500
S. Kellen	130 Anawan avenue	20	New appliances	450
E. Sawyer	54 Broadway	5	New appliances	500
S. Connolly	1980 Centre street	20	New appliances	4,000
F. Sholmes	712 East Broadway	6	New appliances	150
E. Mogel	49 Greenwich street	9	New appliances	50
F. Terbon	455 Pond street	19	New appliances	450
S. Duster	1415 Washington street	12	New appliances	250
L. Duster	2422 Washington street	12	New appliances	150
G. Rose	420 Western avenue	22	New appliances	560

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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stein, Inhalation Therapy; Paul F. Gryska, Surgical V; Earl E. Hellerstein Pathology; Richard Heringer, Surgical V; Maurice N. Levy, Surgical III; Stephan W. Meagher, Surgical I; Anibal Ponce, Urology; George E. Quigley, Anesthesia; Luke R. Rader, Pediatric Surgical; Ivan E. Rhodes, Radiology; Wendell B. Thrower, Surgical V; William D. Tompkins, Surgical III.

The following chief resident has been appointed at $162 a month:

Edward L. Spatz, Neurosurgery.

The following senior assistant residents have been appointed at $132 a month:

Alfred Aborjaily, Gynecology and Obstetrics; William C. Aikman, Surgical V; Manuel C. Baptista, Otolaryngology; William Beachman, Medical I; Jack K. Beezer, Gynecology and Obstetrics; Rafael A. Berlanga, Radiology; Paul Binette, Medical V and VI; James D. Blaine, Surgical I; Max Bloom, Medical III; Antonio E. Boschetti, Pathology; Matthew D. Branche, Surgical III; Robert L. Bunnen, Oral Surgery; John J. Calabro, Medical II and IV; Walter S. Clough, Gynecology and Obstetrics; Sidney Curelop, Medical I; Jean P. Dawson, Rh Laboratory; Jaime Dorfsman, Neurosurgery; Thomas F. Dolan, Pediatrics; Ellsworth A. Ellison, Orthopedics; Matthew C. Finn, Surgical I; Ambrose F. Finnell, Radiology; Luis M. Flores, Surgical I; Robert Fortin, Radiology; Howard L. Gadboys, William L. Gage, Surgical III; Ambler Garnett, Gynecology and Obstetrics; Frank E. Garrett, Ophthalmology; Francis B. Hennessey, Anthony H. T. Hodginson, Orthopedics; Dwight C. Hoeg, Medical II and IV; John Ashbel Hosmer, Gynecology and Obstetrics; Thomas P. Kendrick, Oral Surgery; Eugene Liebsohn, Dermatology; P. Herbert Leiderman, Neurology; Richard Lennihan, Surgery I; Enrique Leon, Radiology; Cayetano P. Mangahas, Ophthalmology; Roland B. Marchildon, Surgical V; Robert G. Monroe, Medical I; Alfredo Monsivais, Medical V and VI; Joaquin Nunez, Surgical III; Robert G. Oates, Surgical V; James E. O'Neil, Orthopedics; Donald Osterberg, Neurology; Charles W. Parton, Surgical I; John A. Peters, Pathology; Henry W. Polchlopek, Medical III; Vasilios Paulos, Radiology; Jack W. Reese, Surgical III; George M. Ryan, Surgical V; Stanley M. Silverberg, Medical III; Gerald E. Sinclair, Medical V and VI; Houtz G. Steenberg, Surgical I; Carl B. Tisch, Medical V and VI.

The following senior assistant resident has been appointed at $112 a month:

Framroz C. R. Avari, Pathology.

The following junior assistant residents have been appointed at $112 a month:

Saeed Ahari, Surgical III; Harvey L. Atin, Gerald D. Aurbach, Medical V and VI; Jared L. Barkley, Surgical V; Donald W. Baxter, Neurology; Fred W. Benton, Gynecology and Obstetrics; Samuel Braunstein, Dermatology; Goronwy O. Broun, Medical II and IV; John M. Budinger, Pathology; James E. Cavanagh, Surgical V; Gilbert R. Cherrick, Phin Cohen, Medical II and IV; Maurice C. Constantin, Medical V and VI; Philip A. Corfman, Surgical V; Francis B. Crowley, Gynecology and Obstetrics; Paul L. Davidson, Medical II and IV;

John F. Duff, Surgical III; Romeo E. Estrellado, Aural; Dale B. Flickinger, Surgical V; Robert Franklin, Pediatrics; Joseph E. Geary, Surgical III; Harold Earl Goldman, Pediatrics; Ramon M. Greenberg, Neurology; Edwin R. Guise, Surgical I; Phyllis M. Hageman, Pediatrics; James F. Harrington, Medical V and VI; James N. Hayward, Medical I; Monto Ho, Medical II and IV; Russell I. Irons, Pediatrics; Robert H. Jones, Medical II and IV; Robert L. Jones, Gynecology and Obstetrics; Robert Jreissaty, Medical V and VI; Manuel Kaplan, Medical II and IV; Saroj Kapur, Pediatrics; Joseph F. Kerrins, Medical III; Blanche Kimoto, Elizabeth King, Pediatrics; Arthur Klatsky, Medical II and IV; Richard A. Kovarik, Gynecology and Obstetrics; Gregory B. Krivchenia, Surgical V; Edward Landau, Medical III; Alan M. Lawley, Surgical V; Guy W. Leadbetter, Abraham Lechter, Surgical I; Norman C. Leigh, Pediatrics; Antonio R. Lopes, Surgical III; Martha G. Lovell, Pediatrics; Leo J. MacDonald, Medical III; Richard A. MacDonald, Pathology; Henry R. Madoff, Surgical I; Douglas J. Marchant, Gynecology and Obstetrics; James A. McA'Nulty, Medical I; Carl Nelson, Surgical III; Douglas A. Nelson, Pathology; Cornelius T. Patrick, Munro H. Proctor, Medical II and IV; Irving A. Ratner, Surgical I; Daniel F. Reardon, Pediatrics; Oscar M. Reinmuth, Neurology; E. Arthur Robinson, Surgical III; Curtis F. Ross, Medical III; Robert B. Rossi, Pediatrics; Arthur H. Round, Gynecology and Obstetrics; Robert Lee Ruderman, Surgical I; Hiemie Samuels, Walfram H. Schurholtz, Medical V and VI; Yukinaga Sekiya, George W. Settle, Surgical V; Louis L. Sommer, Medical V and VI; Samuel W. Stein, Medical II and IV; Frank J. Talbot, Medical I; Bienvenido Tan, Surgical I; Daniel Tassel, Medical III; James F. Tierney, Surgical III; Lawrence Tose, Surgical I; Stanley Van den Noort, Medical II and IV; John A. Vecchiola, Medical V and VI; Clifford G. Vernick, Surgical I; David G. Wallin, Medical V and VI; Stephan P. Weglarz, Medical I; Bernard D. Wiegand, Medical II and IV; John T. Wilson, Surgical I; Elihu Yorshis, Medical I; Marie T. Zeterberg, Pediatrics.

The following residents have been appointed at $162 a month:

Louis J. Blumen, Surgical I; Thomas F. Boyd, Philip Burke, Surgical III; Enrique M. Carrasquilla, Urology; Roger A. Connor, Dermatology; Robert F. Corrente, Surgical V; Enrique Cuadra, Surgical III; Gerald R. Dennison, Gynecology and Obstetrics; William Dowling, Surgical V; Jose G. Duarte, Neurosurgery; Jorge Dib Elias, Urology; Norman Geschwind, Neurology; William Y. Goon, Pathology; James Lee Harrison, Surgical III; Robert S. Heidt, Orthopedics; Malcolm McK. Howard, Robert Irwin Katz, Surgical III; Merle A. Legg, Pathology; Bernard E. Maney, Rh Laboratory; Miles D. Mrvos, Surgical I; Louis N. Pernokas, Jose A. Rodriguez, Surgical V; Frank J. Rowe, Pathology; Ralph Rutledge, Surgical V; Thomas W. Sale, Surgical III; Myron Segal, Thoracic Surgery; Vincent Lim Sy, Anesthesia; Leonard H. Talarico, Urology; Thomas W. Tully, Gynecology

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APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING JULY 19.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
F. Avery	8 Beethoven street	11	New appliances	$12
N. Deutch	1008 Bennington street	1	New appliances	30
F. Avery	13 Bishop street	19	New appliances	25
D. Gould	4 Bradford street	3	New appliances	25
F. Avery	15 Castleton street	10	New appliances	25
F. Avery	124 Deforest street	18	New appliances	25
N. Deutch	114 Gladstone street	1	New appliances	35
F. Avery	40 Hall street	11	New appliances	25
H. Cutler	47 Jones avenue	14	New appliances	10
Deltufo	290 K street	6	New appliances	150
N. Deutch	152 Lexington street	2	New appliances	50
D. Gould	530 Massachusetts avenue	9	New appliances	25
D. Gould	68 Montmorenci avenue	1	New appliances	40
N. Deutch	69 Neptune road	3	New appliances	185
W. Connell	44 North Munroe terrace	16	New appliances	15
J. McKinnon	11 Northdale road	20	New appliances	100
F. Avery	4 Pine Grove terrace	10	New appliances	25
F. Avery	6 Pond street	19	New appliances	30
J. McKinnon	64 Salman street	20	New appliances	100
F. Avery	66 School street	17	New appliances	25
W. Connell	69 Shepton street	16	New appliances	30
A. Granara	94 Staniford street	3	New appliances	12
N. Clark	49 Stockton street	17	New appliances	50
F. Avery	7 Sylvia street	11	New appliances	40
A. Granara	119 Water street	3	New appliances	12
F. Avery	9 Wenham street	19	New appliances	20
F. Avery	26 Wenham street	19	New appliances	25
J. Spildover	103 West Broadway	6	New appliances	75
N. Clark	353 West Third street	7	New appliances	50
W. Vangie	19 Willard street	3	New appliances	15
N. Clark	51 Withington street	17	New appliances	50
F. Avery	72 Woodlawn street	11	New appliances	25
D. Greenwood	347 Arborway	11	New appliances	25
G. Trethewey	254 Belgrade avenue	20	New appliances	75
G. Trethewey	56 Birch street	20	New appliances	150
G. Trethewey	32 Burroughs street	19	New appliances	200
L. Bloom	44 Cabot street	9	New appliances	65
M. Eskowitz	351 Centre street	10	New appliances	25
P. Lembo	94 G street	7	New appliances	20
F. Odenweller	8 Malverna road	18	New appliances	135
A. Granara	44 Prince street	3	New appliances	8
G. Trethewey	135 Rowe street	19	New appliances	300
H. Haffer	24 Royce road	21	New appliances	25
B. Zeiff	1610 Tremont street	10	New appliances	150
G. Trethewey	3846 Washington street	19	New appliances	300
G. Trethewey	4357 Washington street	20	New appliances	200
F. Odenweller	152 West Sixth street	6	New appliances	55
G. Trethewey	25 Whitford street	18	New appliances	220
P. Janis	40 Windsor street	9	New appliances	60
J. McGee	20 Bellflower street	7	New appliances	65
J. Houghton	Boston street	7	New appliances	75
J. Plumbo	63 Burnett street	11	New appliances	50
J. Reid	75 Carolina avenue	11	New appliances	70
S. Adams	34 Dracut street	16	New appliances	245
A. Casallota	135 Falcon street	1	New appliances	30
S. Adams	8 Frederika street	16	New appliances	195
F. Tuffy	356 Gallivan Boulevard	16	New appliances	900
S. Adams	19 Granville road	16	New appliances	375
S. Adams	7 Larchmont street	17	New appliances	260
S. Adams	38 Longfellow street	15	New appliances	215
B. Neine	19 Newbern street	9	New appliances	50
S. Adams	19 Nixon street	17	New appliances	235
H. Haffer	20 Royce road	22	New appliances	25
S. Adams	104 Selden street	17	New appliances	95
S. Adams	40 Wolcott street	14	New appliances	250

TAX ABATEMENT DECISIONS RENDERED BY THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS FOR THE WEEK ENDING JULY 5.

Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Baker, Walter, & Co	1231–1251 Adams st	17—1947	$419,762.50	$1,627.50	†
Baker, Walter, & Co	Buildings, Ns, Baker ct	17—1947	41,850.00	6,975.00	†
Baker, Walter, & Co	Buildings, corner Adams st	17—1947	16,275.00	2,325.00	†
General Foods Corp	1231–1251 Adams st	17—1948	22,695.00	1,869.00	†
General Foods Corp	Ns, Baker ct	17—1948	47,926.50	7,876.50	†
General Foods Corp	Es, Washington st., SE cor. Adams st	17—1948	18,690.00	2,670.00	†
General Foods Corp	1231–1251 Adams st	17—1949	24,140.00	1,988.00	†
General Foods Corp	Ns, Baker ct	17—1949	50,978.00	8,378.00	†
General Foods Corp	Es, Washington st., SE cor. Adams st.	17—1949	19,880.00	2,840.00	†
General Foods Corp	4 New st	1—1950	19,530.00	11,970.00	†
General Foods Corp	2 New st	1—1950	3,540.60	705.60	†
General Foods Corp	New st	1—1950	2,835.00	441.00	†
General Foods Corp	1231–1251 Adams st	17—1950	26,775.00	2,205.00	†
General Foods Corp	Baker ct	17—1950	56,542.50	9,292.50	†
General Foods Corp	Washington st., cor. Adams st	17—1950	22,050.00	3,150.00	†
General Foods Corp	4 New st	1—1951	10,990.00	5,652.00	†
General Foods Corp	2 New st	1—1951	3,529.36	703.36	†
General Foods Corp	New st	1—1951	2,826.00	439.60	†
General Foods Corp	1231–1251 Adams st	17—1951	26,690.00	2,198.00	†
General Foods Corp	Ns Baker ct	17—1951	56,363.00	9,263.00	†
General Foods Corp	Washington st., cor. Adams st	17—1951	21,980.00	3,140.00	†
General Foods Corp	4 New st	1—1952	11,690.00	6,012.00	†
General Foods Corp	2 New st	1—1952	3,754.16	748.16	†
General Foods Corp	New st	1—1952	3,006.00	467.60	†
General Foods Corp	Miller's Lane	17—1952	64,963.00	14,863.00	†
General Foods Corp	Neponset River, Ns	17—1952	23,380.00	3,340.00	†
General Foods Corp	4 New st	1—1953	12,372.50	6,363.00	†
General Foods Corp	2 New st	1—1953	3,973.34	791.84	†
General Foods Corp	New st	1—1953	3,181.50	494.90	†

† Appellate Tax Board Decision.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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and Obstetrics; Philip B. Wade, Surgical I; Emile F. Wamsteker, Gynecology and Obstetrics.

Sanatorium Division.

Approval has been given for the following resignations:

Dr. Joelle Hiebert, Dr. William Whitcomb, resident physicians; Paul Harrington, John Tully, third-class stationary engineers; George P. Murray, hospital kitcher worker; Robert J. Jesson, hospital medical worker, temporary; Mary McGrory, hospital medical worker.

South Division.

For the week ending July 5:

The service of the following employee has been terminated:

Permanent.—Jean E. O'Connell, 37 Symphony road, floor nurse, $65.50 a week.

The following temporary employee has been appointed:

Elizabeth Stackpole, 68 Winthrop street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

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For the week ending July 12:

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—Virginia M. Petralia, 37A Pearl street, Medford, floor nurse, $60.50 a week.

Temporary.—Charles B. Holland, 322 Hyde Park avenue, Jamaica Plain, Agnes Coyne, 179 Norfolk avenue, Roxbury, Marcella A. Tatum, 11 Brandon avenue, Dorchester, hospital medical workers, $43 a week.

The following temporary employee has been appointed:

Agnes Coyne, 179 Norfolk avenue, Roxbury, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

The following special nurses have been appointed at $12.50 a day:

Audrey Mailhot, 19 Everett avenue, Dorchester; Gertrude Clark, 21 Carroll street, East Weymouth; Jean O'Connell, 1734A Commonwealth avenue, Brighton.

Long Island Division.

The following changes have been made for the week ending July 6:

Terminations.—James W. Warren, painter's helper, emergency; Thomas F. Barry, laundry manager, provisional; Charles H. Maloney, attendant nurse; Mildred E. Poli, occupational therapist; Joseph T. Cawley, hospital laundry worker, emergency.

Appointments or Reinstatements.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Printing Section.

Ella O. Pratt, 739 Broadway, Somerville, monotype keyboard operator, $96.25 a week.

Robert C. Harvey, 104 Chandler street, monotype keyboard operator, $96.25 a week.

Elizabeth Schwab, 10 Penfield street, Roslindale, monotype keyboard operator, $96.25 a week.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Charles A. O'Dowd, 26 Burton street, Brighton, fire alarm operator, $67.82 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Ruth P. Johnson, 15 Dewey street, Roxbury, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Arthur Fennessey, 67 Horadan Way, Roxbury, electrician, $63 a week.

Barnetta Williams, 69 Savin street, Dorchester, laboratory assistant, $45.50 a week.

William A. Sullivan, 1 Tobin court, Roxbury, electrician, $63 a week.

Jean Green, 19 Speedwell street, Dorchester, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

William Bugey, 6 Bailey street, West Somerville, assistant anesthesiologist, $833.33 a month.

Austin J. O'Malley, 93 Mt. Ida road, Dorchester, second-class stationary engineer, $73 a week.

Josephine Curry, 928 Parker street, Jamaica Plain, clerk and typist, part time, $43 a week.

Norma Feinberg, 10 Mildred avenue, Mattapan, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Mary Leigh Marchand, 15 Mallon road, Dorchester, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Virginia R. Farrell, 51 Cohasset street, Roslindale, laboratory assistant, $45.50 a week.

Joseph Bonavita, 200 Hampden street, Roxbury, ambulance and medical aid man, $53 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

James J. Rinn, 198 Poplar street, Roslindale, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

Paul Donovan, 9 Stockton street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Lawrence Reddam, 410 Market street, Brighton, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Sumner Ransom, 214 Silver street, South Boston, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

John Crasco, 34 Magnolia street, Dorchester, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

Arthur Morrow, 18 Edson street, Dorchester, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

Frank O'Hara, 11 La Fayette Park, Roxbury, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

John Emerson, 14 Derry road, Hyde Park, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Joseph S. Jones, 54 Annunciation road, Roxbury, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

John F. Lyman, 289 Dorchester street, South Boston, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

Long Island Division.

Frank M. Harvey, 328 Centre street, Dorchester, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

Thomas J. Reis, 21 N street, South Boston, plumber's helper, $53 a week.

John Whitney, 10 Crabtree road, Squantum, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

William J. Curry, M.D., 1970 Commonwealth avenue, Brighton, assistant resident physician, $94 a week.

Merwyn Hassell, 23 East Elm street, Wollaston, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

William A. Tobin, 67 Bloomfield street, Dorchester, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Margaret Clark Conlon, 48 Lawnview Drive, Braintree, licensed practical nurse, $53 a week.

Lucy Alice Lyon, 6 Arthur street, Rockland, licensed practical nurse, $53 a week.

James N. Latford, 23 East Elm avenue, Wollaston, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Robert J. Gaughan, 43 Torrey street, Dorchester, hospital laundry worker, $43 a week.

Alice G. Hirst, 36 Ohio avenue, Lawrence, graduate registered nurse, $68 a week.

Gerard Vincent Benelli, 43 Rodman street, Quincy, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Emanuel S. Hellman, 11 West 69th street, New York, intern, $25 a week.

Dorothea E. Waelder, 7501 Fairfax road, Bethesda, Maryland, intern, $25 a week.

Wilbert S. Aronow, Long Island Hospital, intern, $25 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Robert J. Boushell, 59 Granite avenue, Dorchester, lifeguard, $50.50 a week.

Promotions.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

Eugene J. Ferris, 15 Leahaven road, Mattapan, from clerk (permanent) at $50.50 a week to senior clerk (temporary) at $55.50 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Frank P. Henry, 15 Elmira street, Brighton, from senior housing and sanitation inspector at $80 a week to senior environmental sanitation inspector (temporary) at $87 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Sanatorium Division.

Walter McCabe, 1870 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, from chauffeur-intermittent ambulance driver (temporary) at $68 a week to chauffeur (permanent) at $68 a week.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

House of Correction.

Joseph A. Bonito, 93 Faywood avenue, East Boston, from correction officer at $70.50 a week to correction officer and shoemaking instructor (temporary) at $73 a week.

Changes in Status.

CIVIL DEFENSE.

Patricia Barr, 106 Fletcher street, Roslindale, from clerk-stenographer at $48 a week to clerk-stenographer at $55.50 a week.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Joseph A. Wall, 56 Chickatawbut street, Dorchester, from building maintenance supervisor at $83.50 a week to general foreman of mechanics and craftsmen (temporary) at $87 a week.

Joseph M. Cady, 105 Draper street, Dorchester, from fire lieutenant at $90.61 a week to fire captain at $102.68 a week.

George W. Meuse, Jr., 75 South Huntington avenue, Jamaica Plain, from fire fighter at $74.71 a week to fire lieutenant at $86.59 a week.

Stanley W. Card, 96 Deforest street, Hyde Park, from fire fighter at $74.71 a week to fire lieutenant at $86.59 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Matthew J. Mullaney, 28A West Cottage street, Dorchester, from senior clerk at $63 a week to senior settlement investigator (temporary) at $68 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Robert McAuliffe, 15 Millmont street, Roxbury, from hospital medical worker at $45.50 a week to senior hospital medical worker at $53 a week.

Mary K. Bosworth, 4 Carol avenue, Brighton, from senior clerk and typist at $63 a week to principal medical stenographer at $65.50 a week.

Arthur F. Riley, 1075 Saratoga street, East Boston, from hospital medical worker at $53 a week to senior hospital medical worker at $55.50 a week.

John R. Hogan, 174 Highland street, Roxbury, from hospital medical worker at $48 a week to senior hospital medical worker at $53 a week.

Peter J. Stanislovitis, 646 East Seventh street, South Boston, from hospital medical worker at $50.50 a week to senior hospital medical worker at $63 a week.

Thomas J. Byrnes, 38 Lonsdale street, Dorchester, from hospital medical worker at $50.50 a week to senior hospital medical worker at $53 a week.

Catherine Sapier, 658 Tremont street, from hospital medical worker at $53 a week to senior hospital medical worker at $55.50 a week.

Genevieve M. Hannon, 12 Dorset street, Dorchester, from hospital medical worker at $53 a week to senior hospital medical worker at $55.50 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

Alfred J. Wells, 14 Dorr street, Roxbury, from senior hospital house worker at $53 a week to hospital house worker at $50.50 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Highway Division.

Charles M. Martell, 12 Parkman street, South Boston, from assistant division engineer (temporary) at $141.50 a week to assistant division engineer at $141.50 a week.

Silvio Saccone, 8 Hurlcroft avenue, Dorchester, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $65.50 a week in motor pool to street lighting inspector (temporary) at $70.50 a week.

Survey Division.

John J. Ryan, 129 Wrentham street, Dorchester, from assistant civil engineer at $108.25 a week to senior designing engineer (temporary) at $113 a week.

Water Division.

James Bellino, 2 Murray court, East Boston, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week to heavy motor equipment operator and laborer at $63 a week.

Joseph L. Regan, 73 Durnell avenue, Roslindale, from special water meter reader at $80 a week to water installation inspector and estimator (temporary) at $83.50 a week.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

William R. Quirk, 507 East Sixth street, South Boston, from junior building custodian at $60.50 a week to steam fireman at $63 a week.

Leaves of Absence.

CIVIL DEFENSE.

Patricia B. Cavallaro, 11 Beatty street, Canton, civil defense secretary, $63 a week.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Lloyd C. Phillips, 127 Cedar street, Roxbury, fire fighter, $75.19 a week.

Charles L. O'Reilly, 31 O'Callaghan Way, South Boston, fire fighter, $76.63 a week.

Herbert T. White, 120 Central avenue, Hyde Park, fire fighter, $74.71 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Bernice K. Lichtenstein, 184 Monticello avenue, Dorchester, public health nurse, $68 a week.

Adolph Sandberg, 656 Huntington avenue, Roxbury, public health dentist, $85.52 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Automotive Division.

Walter L. Farrell, 6 Victor street, Roxbury, garage attendant, $60.50 a week.

Step-Rate Increases.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Harry P. Blute, electrical supervisor, from $102.80 to $108.25 a week.

Edward W. Burke, laborer, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

James F. Burke, principal clerk, from $72.11 to $80 a week.

Nancy G. Caruso, principal clerk-stenographer, from $68.28 to $76.50 a week.

John J. Casey, Jr., senior architectural draftsman, from $75.95 to $83.50 a week.

Bernard V. Cullen, chief electrical engineer, from $121.98 to $131.56 a week.

Frank J. Daley, chief heating inspector, from $100.85 to $108.25 a week.

Thomas F. Donnelly, senior electrical engineer, from $106.63 to $116.21 a week.

Walter J. Flaherty, assistant heating and ventilating engineer, from $85.54 to $95.12 a week.

Frank J. Foley, assistant heating and ventilating engineer, from $85.54 to $95.12 a week.

Ralph J. Goslin, assistant electrical engineer, from $95.13 to $104.71 a week.

James E. Hanlon, senior structural engineer, from $112.65 to $122.23 a week.

James E. Hanlon, temporary principal structural engineer, from $127.25 to $132 a week.

John R. Hanton, accountant, from $87.46 to $90.50 a week.

John R. Hanton, temporary senior accountant, from $90.50 to $94 a week.

Joseph A. Hingston, senior furniture inspector, from $72.11 to $73 a week.

Daniel T. Horgan, senior electrical engineer, from $108.55 to $118.13 a week.

Stanley F. Ives, junior electrical engineer, from $83.62 to $87 a week.

Walter J. Kelley, senior accountant, from $87.46 to $97.04 a week.

Walter J. Kelley, temporary principal accountant, from $97.04 to $108.25 a week.

George T. Kelly, architect, from $95.13 to $104.71 a week.

Edward F. Lawler, accountant, from $85.54 to $90.50 a week.

Michael J. Long, assistant electrical engineer, from $95.13 to $104.71 a week.

Frank A. Martino, architect, assistant structural engineer, from $97.05 to $98.75 a week.

James D. McCarthy, assistant civil engineer, from $90.50 to $100.08 a week.

Michael McElhinney, heating and ventilating inspector, from $86.50 to $87 a week.

Paul W. Mooney, supervisor, school buildings, alterations and repair, from $85.55 to $87 a week.

William N. Moran, assistant electrical engineer, from $91.29 to $100.87 a week.

John J. Murphy, assistant electrical engineer, from $95.13 to $104.71 a week.

James J. O'Keefe, senior account clerk, from $66.73 to $66.73 a week.

James J. O'Keefe, temporary accountant, from $66.73 to $73 a week.

John E. Powers, district superintendent of roofing, from $95.13 to $104.71 a week.

Max I. Omansky, supervisor, school buildings, alterations and repair, from $95.13 to $98.75 a week.

Norman W. Rodham, assistant civil engineer, from $91.29 to $98.75 a week.

John F. Ryan, assistant electrical engineer, from $95.13 to $104.71 a week.

Louis J. Scorziello, assistant heating and ventilating engineer, from $85.54 to $95.12 a week.

Jeremiah F. Shea, senior electrical engineer, from $106.63 to $116.21 a week.

John T. Stone, senior heating and ventilating engineer, from $100.88 to $110.46 a week.

John T. Stone, temporary principal heating and ventilating engineer, from $110.46 to $122.50 a week.

Josephine C. Sullivan, head clerk, from $85.54 to $95.12 a week.

Harold P. Timmins, senior electrical engineer, from $108.55 to $118.13 a week.

Sidney F. Welsh, head clerk, from $87.46 to $97.04 a week.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Marie D. Connolly, clerk and typist, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

John J. Wall, blacksmith, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

John F. Graham, fire fighter, from $74.71 to $76.63 a week.

Francis D. Gunning, fire fighter, from $74.71 to $76.63 a week.

Robert E. Randall, fire fighter, from $74.71 to $76.63 a week.

George A. McGowan, lineman, from $74.71 to $76.63 a week.

Robert P. Beltramini, fire lieutenant, from $86.59 to $90.61 a week.

James R. Maney, junior building custodian, from $53 to $60.50 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Sanatorium Division.

John McDonald, clerk, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Joseph J. Pulgini, parole agent, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

House of Correction.

John J. Gallivan, correction officer and electrician, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Automotive Division.

Kathleen Burbank, senior account clerk, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

William J. Coughlin, principal account clerk, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Harry Dobkin, laborer-watchman, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Joseph A. Sweeney, supervisor mobile guard, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Highway Division.

John B. Ferri, senior civil engineer (temporary), Section H, from $108.25 to $113 a week.

John A. Vozzella, assistant civil engineer (temporary), Section F, from $87 to $90.50 a week.

James M. Flynn, cashier (temporary), Section D, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Chester J. Zywicki, senior engineering aid, Section F, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Angus J. Gillis, laborer, Section I, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

Lighting Service.

Charles E. McCabe, assistant electrical engineer, from $87 to $90.50 a week.

Joseph A. Glynn, assistant electrical engineer, from $87 to $90.50 a week.

Ralph B. Whitehouse, electrician, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following requests:

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Sanatorium Division.

For the week ending July 5:

Approval has been given for an additional day's pay for working June 17:

John Anthony, head pharmacist; Evelyn Kravitz, dietitian; Luke McCarthy, engineer (an extra day in addition to holiday); Patrick Murtagh, chief engineer (an extra day in addition to holiday); Rachael Scheehl, dietitian; Katherine Burke, head nurse; Eleanor Caulfield, registered graduate nurse; Alice DeRoehn, night supervisor of nurses; Mary Flynn, head nurse; Anne Gilson, head nurse, physician; Clara Greene, Rose Humiston, Sadie Linn, Mazie McIntyre, Katherine Morris, Gertrude O'Connell, Johanne Reidy, head nurses; Mary Rogers, registered graduate nurse; Mary Spinale, night supervisor of nurses; Anna Sullivan, Cecelia Sullivan, Mary Tolan, head nurses.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

For the week ending July 5:

W. Bancroft, herdsman, 1 day, $16; J. B. Connolly, officer baker, 1 day; $16; W. Gannon, hospital supervisor, 1 day, 16.70; W. Kelley, deputy, 1 day, $18.80; F. Luciano, officer cook, 1 day, $16; J. McGowan, assistant deputy, 1 day, $16; G. O'Halloran, deputy, 1 day, $16.70; A. Puzzo, officer receiver, 1 day, $16; E. Shepard, deputy, 1 day, $18.80; R. Stewart, hospital supervisor, 1 day, $16.70; J. Sullivan, deputy, 1½ days, $25.05.

VETERANS' RETIREMENTS.

The Mayor has approved the following veterans' applications for retirement:

Pelegrino G. Colarusso (also known as Pellegrino Colarusso), 75 Lubec street, East Boston, sewer cleaner, Sewer Division, Public Works Department.

Giuseppe Verna (also known as Guiseppe Verna), 97 Hunneman street, Roxbury, hospital kitchen worker, Commissary Division, Hospital Department.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award the contracts for work, materials, and supplies, in accordance with recommendations of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Purchasing Division.

Upon July 11 the Mayor approved a contract with bidders as indicated for furnishing hospital equipment to the various city departments. Prices received on Items 2, 16, 36, and 37 will be rejected. No bids were received on Items 5, 11, and 15. Items 2, 5, 11, 15, and 16 will be purchased where available. Items 36 and 37 will be readvertised. Approximate total amounts of awards were as follows:

Contracts for: Atlantex Corporation, $3,355.10, net; T. J. Noonan Company, $2,602.50; American Sterilizer Company, $2,178, net.

Orders for: Crowley & Gardner Company, $892.50; Will Corporation, $554.05, net, 30 days; E. F. Mahady Company, $463.90.

Discounts for T. J. Noonan Company, Crowley & Gardner Company, and E. F. Mahady Company are 2 per cent, time of payment.

Bids, opened June 15, were as follows:

Boston City Hospital.

Hospital Equipment.

Requisition 7739.

Item 1. 1 Precision Serological Bath, As Specified.—Macalaster Bicknell Company, Inc., $124.50, Precision, 66648; T. J. Noonan Company, $124.50, Precision, M1865B*; Will Corporation, $124.50, Precision, Scientific, 66648.

Item 2. 1 Stirrer, Palo, Medical Duty, As Specified.—Bids rejected.

Item 3. 1 Chair, Fluoroscopic, As Specified.—Atlantex Corporation, $75, Bar-Ray, F-103*; E. F. Mahady Company, $62, Halsey, nonswivel, $76, Halsey, with swivel.

Item 4. 1 Double View Box, 17x28, As Specified.—Atlantex Corporation, $72.50, S & S, sheet metal*; E. F. Mahady Company, $80, Halsey.

Requisition 7747.

Item 5. 1 Prism Bar, Berens, As Specified.—No bids.

Item 6. 1 Set B. & L. Glass Prisms, As Specified.—American Optical Company, $33.50, AO, 2099, 20 prisms; Bausch & Lomb Optical Company, $45, as specified; Crowley & Gardner Company, $45, Bausch & Lomb.*

Item 7. 1 B. & L. Exopththalometer, With Case, As Specified.—Bausch & Lomb Optical Company, $50, as specified; Crowley & Gardner Company, $50, B. & L.*

Item 8. 1 B. & L. Attachment for Poser Lamp, As Specified.—Bausch & Lomb Optical Company, $65, as specified; Crowley & Gardner Company, $65, B. & L.*

Item 9. 1 B. & L. Paired Objectives for Poser Slit Lamp, As Specified.—Bausch & Lomb Optical Company, $30, as specified; Crowley & Gardner Company, $30, B. & L.*

Requisition 7748.

Item 10. 1 Box, B. & L., or Equal, Glass Prisms, No. 71-42-13.—American Optical Company, $33.50, A.O., 2099, 20 prisms; Bausch & Lomb Optical Company, $45, as requested; Crowley & Gardner Company, $45, B. & L.*

Item 11. 1 Red Glass on Handle, No. B-4147, As Specified.—No bids.

Item 12. 1 A. O. Trial Frame, No. 2390, or Equal, As Specified.—American Optical Company, $65, AO, 2390; Bausch & Lomb Optical Company, $65, 71-42-07, B. & L.; Crowley & Gardner Company, $65, AO; E. F. Mahady Company, $65, AO, 2390.*

Item 13. 2 A.O. Pinhole Discs, No. 1851, or Equal, As Specified, Each.—American Optical Company, $1, AO, 1851; Bausch & Lomb Optical Company, $1.10, B. & L., 71-42-70-891; Crowley & Gardner Company, $1.10, AO; E. F. Mahady Company, $1, AO, 1851.*

Item 14. 1 A. O. Red Maddox Rod, No. 1853, As Specified.—American Optical Company, $3.90, AO, 1853; Bausch & Lomb Optical Company, $4, B. & L., 71-42-70-896; Crowley & Gardner Company, $4, AO; E. F. Mahady Company, $3.90, AO, 1853.*

Item 15. 1 Worth Four Test for Near, As Specified.—No bids.

Requisition 7755.

Item 16. 2 Mogni-Focuser, Edroy, 23/4 x 8, As Specified.—Bids rejected.

Item 17. 1 Operating Lamp with Floor Stand, A.C. Only, As Specified.—American Optical Company, $107.50, AO, 401, AD operating lamp; Bausch & Lomb Optical Company, $105, as specified; Crowley & Gardner Company, $105, B. & L.*

Item 18. 1 Prism, Plastic, Berens, S-22, Individual, As Specified.—American Optical Company, $48, Berens, S-22; T. J. Noonan Company, $48, R. O. Guelden.*

Item 19. 2 Prism Bars, Berens, B-14, Vertical, Each.—American Optical Company, $27.50, Berens, B-14; T. J. Noonan Company, $27.50, Guelden.*

Item 20. 2 Prism Bars, Berens, B-15, Horizontal, Each.—American Optical Company, $27.50, Berens, B-15; T. J. Noonan Company, $27.50, Guelden.*

Requisition 7809.

Item 21. 6 Microscopes, B. & L., or Equal, in Complete Accordance with Specifications Outlined, Each.—American Optical Company, $534.60, AO, 17 MHB, Spencer Equipment, as specified; Atlantex Corporation, $534.60, AO,* alternate $480.15, Leitz, BS25/92/11A; Bausch & Lomb Optical Company, $534.60, 5 or more, B. & L., 31-20-65-09, $594, less than 5, B. & L., TBR-9; Macalaster Bicknell Company, $587, TBR-9; E. F. Mahady Company, $534.60, TBV-9, B. & L.; T. J. Noonan Company, $534.60, net, B. & L.; Will Corporation, $534.60, B. & L., TBU-9.

Requisition 7811.

Item 22. 1 Balance, AIIT 1886-R, or Equal, Equipped As Specified.—Will Corporation, $283.55, roller, Smith, GDO, 500 mg. sp., as specified.*

Requisition 7817.

Item 23. 1 Bunn Glove Conditioner, As Specified.—American Sterilizer Company, $850, 2 per cent, Bunn, SS.; Crowley & Gardner Company, $850, Bunn, SS; E. F. Mahady Company, $850, Bunn; T. J. Noonan Company, $850, length, 30 inches, width, 24 inches, Bunn, SS.*

Requisition 7819.

Item 24. 1 PH Meter, Beckman, or Equal, As Specified.—Macalaster Bicknell Company, Inc., $275; E. F. Mahady Company, $240, Beckman, PH; T. J. Noonan Company, $240, Beckman, H-2*; Will Corporation, $275, W-16191, Beckman, 8502.

Item 25. 1 Pump Megavoc, As Specified.—Macalaster Bicknell Company, Inc., $242.50; Will Corporation, $242.50, W-22746, Cent., Scientific, 92010-1.*

Item 26. 1 Vacuum Regulator, As Specified.—Will Corporation, $28, W-27-851, Todd, as specified.*

Requisition 7823.

Item 27. 1 Work Table, 100 Inches x 36 Inches x 34 Inches, As Specified and Per Drawing.—Atlantex Corporation, $726.50, Brooklyn Hospital Equipment Company; T. J. Noonan Company, $615, No. 355-2, Shampaine.*

Item 28. 1 Work Table, 84 Inches x 36 Inches x 34 Inches, As Specified and Per Drawing.— Atlantex Corporation, $350, Brooklyn Hospital Equipment Company; T. J. Noonan Company, $615, No. 355-1, Shampaine.*

Requisition 7828.

Item 29. 1 Indirect Ophthalmoscope, As Specified.—American Optical Company, $228, Schepens, No. E-6200; E. F. Mahady Company, $228.*

Requisition 7831.

Item 30. 1 Major Operating Table, ASC, Model No. 1080, or Equal, As Specified.—American Sterilizer Company, $2,178, delivered and installed complete.*

Requisition 7834.

Item 31. 1 B. & L. Compact Acuity Projector With Stand, As Specified.—American Optical Company, $205, 1217, AO, Project-O chart, black base; Bausch & Lomb Optical Company, $205, as specified; Crowley & Gardner Company, $205, B. & L.*

Item 32. 1 B. & L. Circular Screen, As Specified.—American Optical Company, $10, 1217, S. R. screen; Bausch & Lomb Optical Company, $7.50, as specified; Crowley & Gardner Company, $7.50, B. & L.*

Requisition 7835.

Item 33. 1 Feree-Rand Perimeter, B. & L., As Specified.—American Optical Company, $265, 12232, AO, Brombach perimeter; Bausch & Lomb Optical Company, $265, as specified; Crowley & Gardner Company, $265, B. & L.*

Item 34. 1 Adjustable Instrument Table, B. & L., or Equal, As Specified.—American Optical Company, $37, 1480L, AO, instrument table; Bausch & Lomb Optical Company, $75, as specified; Crowley & Gardner Company, $75, B. & L.*; E. F. Mahady Company, $75, as specified.

Item 35. 1 Complete Tangent Screen Equipment, B. & L., or Equal.—Bausch & Lomb Optical Company, $165, as specified; Crowley & Gardner Company, $165, B. & L.; E. F. Mahady Company, $165, as specified.*

Long Island Hospital.

Requisition 11.

Item 36. 24 Colson, or Equal, Wheel Chairs, in Accordance with Specifications.—Bids readvertised.

Requisition 31.

Item 37. 12 Commode Wheel Chairs, Colson, Model 14434 x 3, or Equal, as Specified.—Bids readvertised.

Discount.—American Optical Company, net, 30 days; American Sterilizer Company, net, cash; Atlantex Corporation, net; Colson Corporation, no bid at Auditor's; Bausch & Lomb Optical Company, no discount; Crowley & Gardner Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Charles P. Lauman Company, Inc., 1 per cent, 10 days; Macalaster Bicknell Company, Inc., net, 30 days, no check at Purchasing office; E. F. Mahady Company, Items 21 and 24, net, all others, 2 per cent, time of payment; T. J. Noonan Company, Item 21, net, all others, 2 per cent, time of payment; Will Corporation, net, 30 days, prices firm, f. o. b. destination.

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—American Optical Company, 15 days on all items; American Sterilizer Company, 30 days, both items; Atlantex Corporation, Items 3 and 4, 30 days, Item 21 and alternate, 15 days, Items 27 and 28, 30 to 60 days; Colson Corporation, Item 36, 20 days, Item 37, 30 days; Bausch & Lomb Optical Company, Items 7 and 12, immediate, all other items, 30 days; Crowley & Gardner Company, Items 12, 13, and 14, 30 days, Item 23, immediate upon receipt of order, all other items, 30 to 60 days; Charles P. Lauman Company, Inc., approximately 30 days; Macalaster Bicknell Company, Inc., Item 21, 60 days, all other items from stock, immediate; E. F. Mahady Company, Items 3 and 4, 15 days, Item 12, 21 days, Items 13, 14, 21, and 24, immediate, Items 23, 7 to 14 days, Item 29, 5 to 7 days, Items 34, 35, 7 to 10 days; T. J. Noonan Company, Items 18, 19, 20 and 21, 1 to 2 weeks, Item 23, 10 to 20 days, Item 24, at once, Items 27, 28, 60 to 90 days, Items 36, 37, 10 to 20 days; Will Corporation, 1 day on all items.

* Contract awarded.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Upon July 19 the Mayor approved a contract with P. J. Cantwell & Son for alterations and miscellaneous work at the Henry Abrahams School. Bids, opened July 15, were as follows:

P. J. Cantwell & Son, $24,342; Schwamb Construction Company, $25,273; D. Antonellis, Inc., $28,140; Parkman Construction Company, Inc., $28,949; M. Solimando, $33,095; Martin J. Kelly Company, Inc., $41,900.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Upon July 14 the Mayor approved a contract with James A. Freaney, Inc., for installing underground conduit and fire alarm box subbases and middle sections in Washington street and Manthorne road, West Roxbury, and Perkins street, Jamaica Plain. Bids, opened Monday, July 11, were as follows:

James A. Freaney, Inc., $5,997; Ward General Contracting Company, $7,870; John J. Botti, $8,361.

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Upon July 19 the Mayor approved a contract with Ward General Contracting Company for relocation of seven fire alarm boxes and one fire alarm cable box on Hyde Park avenue. Bids, opened Friday, July 8, were as follows:

Ward General Contracting Company, $1,200; John J. Botti, $1,320; James A. Freaney, Inc., $1,722.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Upon July 13 the Mayor approved a contract with E. Susi & Williams Corporation for laying and relaying water pipes in Bradlee street, Collins street, Navarre street, Stony Brook easement, Ward 18, and such additional locations, if any, in Ward 18, as may be designated by the Commissioner of Public Works, in the estimated amount of $15,605.50. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed October 1, 1955. The following bids were received July 7:

E. Susi & Williams Corporation, $15,605.50; C. Russo, Inc., $17,400; Susi & DeSantis Company, Inc., $17,925; R. A. Buccella & Sons, Inc., $17,982; D. Federico Company, $20,468; Z & S Construction Company, Inc., $22,850; C. Jiustino, Inc., $23,290; Roslindale Contracting Company, $23,655; H. DiTullio & Sons, Inc., $24,680.

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Upon July 13 the Mayor approved a contract with S. J. Tomasello Corporation for bituminous concrete pavement in Chiswick terrace, Ward 22; Dustin street, Wards 21 and 22; Embassy road, Ward 22; Harvard avenue, Ward 21; Linden street, Ward 21; Nottinghill road, Ward 21, and sheet asphalt pavement in North Harvard street, Ward 22, and crossovers in Commonwealth avenue, Ward 21, and such additional locations, if any, in Wards 21 and 22, as may be designated by the Commissioner of Public Works, in the estimated amount of $69,892.75. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed December 31, 1955. The following bids were received July 7:

S. J. Tomasello Corporation, $69,892.75; Charles Todesca, $71,170.20; Faletra Brothers, Inc., $74,907.30; P. V. Barone Corporation, $76,108.50.

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Upon July 14 the Mayor approved a contract with Joseph Capone & Son for sewerage works in Brook Farm road, West Roxbury, in the estimated amount of $7,790, using clay pipe for sewer and concrete pipe for surface drain. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed within 60 days after approval by the Mayor. The following bids were received June 30:

Clay Pipe.—Joseph Capone & Son, $8,080; N. Bevilacqua & Son, $7,817; Ricci & DeSantis Construction Company, Inc., $7,850; C. Russo, Inc., $9,958; Roslindale Contracting Company, $11,137.50.

Concrete Pipe.—Joseph Capone & Son, $7,790; N. Bevilacqua & Son, $7,817; Ricci & DeSantis Construction Company, Inc., $7,850; C. Russo, Inc., $9,900; Roslindale Contracting Company, $11,045.

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Upon July 14 the Mayor approved a contract with DeRoma Brothers Company for clearing and excavation in Brook Farm road, Ward 20, in the estimated amount of $1,971. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed December 31, 1955. The following bids were received June 30:

DeRoma Brothers Company, $1,971; Joseph P. McCabe, Inc., $6,124; D. F. Frangioso & Co., $7,604; J. A. Susi & Sons, Inc., $8,308; Carriere Construction Company, $11,239; A. Singarelli & Sons, Inc., $12,689.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

Upon January 19 the Mayor approved a contract with Hodge Boiler Works for the removal of present 108 defective tubes and replacing same with seamless steel tubes on No. 1 boiler at City Hall Annex, with the following results:

Hodge Boiler Works, $5,262; C & W Boiler Manufacturing Company, $5,358; Daniel Russell Boiler Works, $7,432.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

J. J. Bonavire, Inc., has been directed to perform the following extra work under the contract for construction of new garage, Public Works Department yard, City of Boston, 315 Western avenue, Brighton, dated February 9, 1955:

Furnish all labor and materials necessary for extra depth of the foundation and footings for the garage at No. 315 Western avenue, Brighton.

Estimated cost of extra work, $3,500.

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Rufo Construction Company, Inc., has been directed to perform the following extra work under the contract for bituminous concrete pavement in Bower street, Dimock street, Maywood street, Munroe street, and Prentiss street, dated August 16, 1954:

In Prentiss street, deliver 4.3 linear feet of new circular edgestone to city yard at $3.68 per linear foot.

In Munroe street, furnish 5.3 linear feet of concrete curb, including excavation in place, at $2 per linear foot.

Estimated cost of extra work, $62.42.

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Faletra Brothers, Inc., have been directed to perform the following extra work under the contract for cement concrete stairs and bituminous concrete walks in Brookway Footpath and bituminous concrete sidewalks in Bradeen Street Footway and Brookway terrace, dated December 8, 1954:

In Brookway Footpath, construct granite block slope pavement at granite wing walls for the sum of $117. City of Boston will provide granite block.

Estimated cost of extra work, $117.

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S. J. Tomasello Corporation has been directed to perform the following extra work under the contract for bituminous concrete pavement in Canterbury street, Corey terrace, Hartlawn road, Newmarket square, Zeller Street Extension, and bituminous concrete pavement and sewerage works in Merriam street, dated May 6, 1955:

In Canterbury street, deliver 26.6 linear feet of straight edgestone (VA4) to city yard at $2.37 per linear foot, and reset one existing stone bound for the sum of $15.

In Hartlawn road, deliver 149.8 linear feet of straight edgestone (VA4) to city yard at $2.37 per linear foot.

In Highfield road, deliver 54.4 linear feet of straight edgestone (VA4) to city yard at $2.37 per linear foot.

Cost of hauling above edgestone to be paid for under Item 5-e of contract.

Estimated cost of extra work, $562.

AMENDMENT TO ORIGINAL AWARD OF DAMAGES.

The Public Improvement Commission has voted as follows:

That the amount of $325 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Theresa Hoffman for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of March 25, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Hemlock road, West Roxbury district.

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That the amount of $50 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Thomas R. and Mary T. Carroll for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of August 26, 1953, for the laying out and construction of President road, West Roxbury district.

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That the amount of $300 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Edward W. and Alma M. Peak for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of March 25, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Ansonia road, West Roxbury district.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Fred Ralston Company, Inc., has been granted an extension of time until August 30, 1955, for the completion of the contract for removal of dead or diseased trees in the City of Boston.

CHANGE IN CONTRACT.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Stanton Electrical Company, Inc., has been ordered to make the following changes in the contract for the Boston Latin School:

Install seven outlets complete with Solux No. F62, fluorescent strips and lamps, in new cases with two switch outlets to control same on two separate circuits; remove three duplex receptacles, installed as per original contract, and install four new receptacles as per new plan; install two new circuits in panel and perform all incidental wiring for complete installation, all for the sum of $365, and the amount of $365 will be added therefor, making the account as follows: contract price, $3,245; total additions, $365; amount of contract, $3,610.

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Joseph Rugo, Inc., has been ordered to make the following changes in the contract for the James J. Chittick School:

1. Furnish and install 516 square feet of 4-inch cinder block furring of walls against old building in Rooms C-2 and C-8, for the sum of $564.39.

2. In accordance with the request of the Department of School Buildings, Heating Division, relocate the fresh-air intake grille shown on drawing No. 7, Elevation A, and drawing No. 5, second floor plan. This F. A. intake which occurs on the second floor, Classroom 2-4, is to be relocated at the next adjacent window within that room. Since there is no additional labor or material involved, there is to be no change in cost, in the amount of $307,419, making the account as follows: contract price, $307,419; total additions, $564.39; amount of contract, $307,983.39.

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M. Solimando has been ordered to make the following changes in the contract for the Girls' Latin School:

Additions.

1. Cut off the bottom of 106 existing basement window grilles not less than 2 inches in height, and as much more as necessary to reach good sound material, relocate bottom hinges as necessary, and weld bottom bars with new $\frac{3}{8}$-inch x $\frac{1}{4}$-inch channel irons.

2. Furnish and install 10 new grilles complete in every detail and patterned after the existing grilles as to size, shape, locking devices, etc., at locations directed by the Supervisor of School Buildings Alterations and Repairs.

3. Furnish and install stiffening bars on those grilles where bulges in wire are excessive as determined by the Supervisor of School Buildings Alterations and Repairs, approximately 50 in number.

Total cost of above work, $3,390; allowance for repairing grilles in accordance with the specifications in contract, $750; amount of addition, $2,640.

Deduction.

Substitute galvanized sheet metal window stool covers in place of the zinc covers specified. The net reduction on 250 covers at 55 cents per cover is $137.50, which sum shall be deducted from the contract.

Substitution.

Furnish and install a complete Hourly Corrective Electric Time System as specified below. The system shall operate on 110 volts, 60 cycles, and the type manufactured by Simplex Time Recorder Company, consisting of the following items:

One Master Clock, six-circuit program unit, remote switch unit, 71 12-inch clocks, 26 6-inch program bells, one 3-inch door bell and button, one 500-watt transformer, 24 volts.

The above Simplex Electric Time System will be substituted for the IBM Hourly Corrective Electric Time System called for in the contract with no change in price.

Total amount additions, $2,640; total amount deductions, $137.50; net amount addition, $2,502.50; and the amount of $2,502.50 will be added therefor, making the account as follows: contract price, $172,842; total additions, $2,502.50; amount of contract, $175,341.50.

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 41.

I. ROBERT J. QUINN.

It is with deep regret that the Fire Commissioner announces the death, on July 5, 1955, of Fire Fighter Robert J. Quinn of Engine Squad 18. Fire Fighter Quinn was appointed to the department January 12, 1944.

The funeral was held from his late home, 5 Regina road, Dorchester, at 8.15 A.M., Friday, July 8, 1955, followed by a Requiem High Mass in St. Peter's Church, Dorchester, at 9 A.M.

The chief of department made the customary detail to act as funeral escort, and members of Engine Squad 18 were excused from duty in order to attend the services.

II. PROMOTIONS.

The following promotions are hereby announced, to become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, July 20, 1955:

Fire Lieut. Joseph M. Cady, Engine Company 21, to fire captain.

Fire Fighter Stanley W. Card, Engine Company 26, to fire lieutenant.

Fire Fighter George W. Meuse, Jr., Engine Company 37, to fire lieutenant.

III. TRANSFERS.

The following transfers will become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, July 20, 1955:

Fire Capt. Charles J. Fleming, from Engine 26 to Engine 47.

Fire Capt. Joseph P. McDonough, from Engine 47 to Engine 2.

Fire Capt. Joseph M. Cady, from Engine 21 to Engine 26.

Fire Lieut. Arthur I. Downing, from Ladder 7 to Engine 21.

Fire Lieut. Stanley W. Card, from Engine 26 to Ladder 18.

Fire Lieut. George W. Meuse, Jr., from Engine 37 to Engine 26.

IV. RETIREMENTS.

The following retirements, in accordance with the provisions of chapter 347, Acts of 1892, as amended by chapter 237, Acts of 1939, are hereby announced, to become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, July 20, 1955:

District Fire Chief James E. Welch, District 9.

Fire Fighter James F. Marshall, Fire Prevention Division.

District Fire Chief Welch was appointed to the Fire Department July 10, 1912, and was promoted to the grade of fire lieutenant February 1, 1929; to fire captain December 18, 1933; to district fire chief September 17, 1947. Fire Fighter Marshall was appointed to the Fire Department January 30, 1918.

Both the foregoing-named members leave the department with the best wishes of their associates.

V. RESIGNATION.

The following resignation, which became effective at 8 A.M., Thursday, July 14, 1955, is hereby announced:

Fire Fighter Robert E. Powers, Engine Company 33.

VI. COMMENDATIONS.

The following-named members are hereby commended for responding to and working at fire, Box 1547, three alarms, July 1, 1955, while off duty:

Fire Capt. John J. Collins, Ladder Company 26.

Fire Capt. William T. Kennealey, Ladder Company 18.

Fire Fighter Robert E. Randall, Engine Company 8.

Fire Fighter John A. Hopkins, Engine Squad 14.

Fire Fighter Harold J. Ennis, Ladder Company 12.

Fire Fighter Raymond F. Ochs, Ladder Company 1.

The members of Engine Company 32 are hereby commended for excellent teamwork performed by them during fire, Box 17, Somerville, Mass., at 1.13 A.M., July 8, 1955, which resulted in saving a man's life.

VII. LETTER OF APPRECIATION.

The following letter from his Honor, Mayor John B. Hynes, is hereby published for the information of the department:

July 6, 1955.

MR. FRANCIS X. COTTER,
Fire Commissioner.
DEAR MR. COTTER:

Thank you for the part you and your department played in making our 1955 Charity Field Day so big a success.

As you know, the money from the Field Day Fund is used to assist needy and underprivileged people and deserving charities.

It appears that our fund this year will be the biggest ever. I am sure you will get great satisfaction from the knowledge that you helped to make that possible.

Would you please post this letter so that your entire department will know of my deep gratitude.

Sincerely yours,

J. B. HYNES, *Mayor.*

By order of Fire Commissioner FRANCIS X. COTTER.

JOHN V. STAPLETON,
Chief of Department.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 2,072.

The Police Commissioner having heard the complaint of Capt. Francis W. Russell, City Prison, against Patrolman Thomas J. Mathey, City Prison, which was concluded on Monday, July 11, 1955, at Police Headquarters, charging him with violation of the rules and regulations of the Boston Police Department, has made a finding of guilty.

Therefore, It is ordered that the said Patrolman Thomas J. Mathey be suspended for a period of six months, effective as of Wednesday, June 15, 1955, at 5.45 o'clock P.M.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,073.

Acting under provisions of chapter 521, Acts of 1922, as amended, and in conformity with General Laws, chapter 32, section 94 (Heart Bill), as amended, the Boston Retirement Board has approved for retirement on account of accidental disability, the following-named police officer, effective at the close of business Sunday, July 31, 1955.

In view of this operation of law, after July 31, 1955, the said police officer shall no longer be an active member of this department, and it is hereby ordered that its records be so amended.

Patrolman Daniel P. Galvin, Division 19.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,074.

Acting under provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 32, section 7, as amended (State-Boston Retirement System), the Boston Retirement Board has approved for retirement on account of accidental disability, the following-named police officer, effective at the close of business Sunday, July 31, 1955.

In view of this operation of law, after July 31, 1955, the said police officer shall no longer be an active member of this department, and it is hereby ordered that its records be so amended.

Patrolman Lawrence F. Frye, Division 4.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of street reconstruction, estimated to be sixty (60) days, parking of vehicles is prohibited in the following street, effective July 7, 1955:

Neponset Avenue, Dorchester.
Both sides, from Adams street to Neponset Circle.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of repairs to the bridge over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, estimated to be thirty (30) days, parking of vehicles is prohibited in the following street, effective July 11, 1955:

Massachusetts Avenue, Boston Proper and Roxbury.
Both sides, from Columbus avenue to St. Botolph street.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, occasioned by the reconstruction of Pinehurst street, for a period estimated to be thirty (30) days, the one-way rule in the following street is suspended and it is a two-way street, effective July 13, 1955:

Haslet Street, West Roxbury.
From Metcalf street to Roslindale avenue.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway resurfacing, estimated to be fifteen (15) days, vehicles are excluded from the following streets, when and where official signs are in place, effective July 18, 1955:

Arlington Street, Boston Proper.
From St. James avenue to Stuart street.
Church Street, Boston Proper.
From Stuart street to Columbus avenue.
From Providence street to Boylston street.
Stuart Street, Boston Proper.
From Arlington street to Church street.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway resurfacing, estimated to be thirty (30) days, vehicles are excluded from the following streets, effective July 12, 1955:

Bickford Avenue, Roxbury.
From Heath street to Wensley street.
Bromley Street, Roxbury.
From Heath street to New Heath street.
Parkton Road, West Roxbury.
From No. 79 Perkins street to No. 89 Perkins street.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, occasioned by resurfacing in the M.T.A. Dudley Street Terminal, the parking of vehicles is prohibited in the following street, from July 11, 1955, to July 16, 1955, inclusive:

Warren Street, Roxbury.
East side, from Zeigler street to Taber street, 24 hours.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, July 11, 1955.

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 2 P.M., President HURLEY in the chair, and all the members present.

The Reverend Anthony Cioe, O.F.M., of St. Leonard of Port Maurice Church, Boston, was escorted to the rostrum.

INVOCATION BY REV. ANTHONY CIOE.

O Omnipotent and Eternal God, we beseech Thy help in the work that lies before us. The people have selected us as their representatives. They expect what is best from us. Only with Your grace and Your assistance can their expectations be realized.

O understanding and always helpful God, You who make such splendid allowances for human frailty, assist us so that we may never be motivated by monetary or selfish aims. Make us mentally strong to consider what is right. Make us physically strong to carry out what is best for the people who have put their trust in us.

Dear God, this is our humble prayer. Hear and answer it. Amen.

A prayer was offered for the repose of the soul of John Malloy, the father of Walter J. Malloy, City Clerk.

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost. Amen.

The meeting was opened with the salute to the Flag.

JURORS DRAWN.

Jurors were drawn in the manner prescribed by law, Councillor White presiding at the box, in the absence of the Mayor, viz.:

Four grand jurors, Superior Criminal Court, to appear August 1, 1955:

James W. Watkins, Ward 4; William J. Carey, Ward 17; Wilfred J. Guillemette, Ward 21; Maynard W. Hinden, Ward 21.

Forty-nine traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, to appear August 1, 1955:

Michael DeVita, Ward 1; Helen L. Gibbons, Ward 1; Helen K. Priest, Ward 2; William H. Sullivan, Ward 2; George Maerides, Ward 3; M. Dorsey Parker, Ward 3; Robert Joseph Warnock, Ward 4; James M. Middleton, Ward 5; William J. Smith, Ward 5; Ramon Martinez, Ward 6; Marie E. O'Connor, Ward 7; William J. Stearns, Ward 7; Annette E. Dietel, Ward 9; Booker T. Stanfield, Ward 9; Karl A. Hering, Ward 10; James J. Hurley, Ward 10; John J. Keefe, Ward 10; Ruth E. Lancaster, Ward 10; William J. MacPherson, Ward 10; Charles Nolan, Ward 10; Albert F. Ryan, Ward 10; Charles Rossborough, Ward 11; Charles Stone, Ward 12; Murray A. Weinfeld, Ward 12; Herbert M. Williams, Ward 12; Charles E. Brown, Ward 13; Robert Lipousky, Ward 14; Edith I. Welch, Ward 14; Herbert I. Zimmerman, Ward 14; Paul A. DaSilva, Ward 15; Winifred O. Lee, Ward 15; Anna R. Sullivan, Ward 15; James J. Matthews, Ward 16; William J. Brooks, Ward 17; John F. McHugh, Jr., Ward 17; Doris Warsofsky, Ward 17; Arthur E. Jordan, Ward 18; Joseph Clinton, Ward 19; Eugene DiMattia, Ward 19; Charles H. Fox, Ward 19, George J. Flight, Ward 19; George A. Barrett, Ward 20; Joseph A. Sullivan, Ward 20; P. Paul Twiss, Ward 20; Merrill W. Ambrose, Ward 22; John J. Conroy, Ward 22; Thomas J. Griffin, Ward 22; Daniel F. Sullivan, Ward 22; Edward Wilkins, Ward 22.

APPOINTMENTS BY THE MAYOR.

Subject to confirmation by the Council, the Mayor submitted the following appointments:

Weigher of Coal for the term ending April 30, 1956: Charles F. Williams, 38 Marion road, Arlington.

Weigher of Goods for the term ending April 30, 1956: Walter F. Colbert, 97 Mt. Ida road, Dorchester.

Severally referred to Committee on Confirmations.

CREATION OF METROPOLITAN PLANNING BOARD.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, July 11, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Corporation Counsel relative to your resolution of March 14, 1955, concerning the creation of a Metropolitan Planning Board.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Law Department, July 5, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

The resolution adopted by the City Council on March 14, 1955, favoring the enactment of legislation to encourage the creation of a Metropolitan Planning Board prompts me to call to the attention of the City Council through you chapter 374 of the Acts of 1955 entitled "An Act to Permit the Establishment of Metropolitan or Regional Planning Districts Within the Commonwealth."

Respectfully,
WILLIAM L. BAXTER,
Corporation Counsel.

Placed on file.

PURCHASE OF PAINTING, "WASHINGTON AT DORCHESTER HEIGHTS."

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, July 11, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

A short while ago, I was privileged to see a very fine oil painting of "Washington at Dorchester Heights," done by the late Emanuel Leutze, which was offered for sale by the Vose Galleries of Boston, Inc., for $7,500.

It was my opinion that such a fine painting which commemorated an important historical event in Boston should remain in this city and become the property of the City of Boston. Accordingly, I took an option for the purchase of the painting and appointed a committee to make an appeal to the general public for donations to enable the City of Boston to become the owner of this painting.

I am very happy to announce that the donations from the general public have now reached the goal of $7,500 and that Mr. J. Reed Morss, President of the Boston Five Cents Savings Bank, who kindly consented to be custodian of this fund while the public donations were being made, is ready to present to me the proceeds of this fund.

Therefore, I submit herewith to your Honorable Body an order enabling the acceptance of the donations, the purchase of the painting and the funding of any balance for the care and preservation of the painting, and respectfully request approval of the accompanying order. I also submit a communication from the Chairman of the Art Commission approving the purchase of the painting. This is a necessary requirement under the ordinances of the city.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Art Commission, Faneuil Hall,
July 6, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
City Hall, Boston, Mass.

My dear Mr. Mayor:

The Art Commission approves the purchase of the painting "Washington at Dorchester Heights," by Emanuel Leutze, for which $7,500 has been raised by popular subscription.

Respectfully,
HOWARD T. CLINCH, Chairman.

Ordered: 1. That the Mayor be, and he hereby is, authorized and empowered to accept in the name and behalf of the City of Boston from the Washington at Dorchester Heights Committee such sums as have been or may be received by said committee through the donations of public-spirited persons for the purpose of enabling the City of Boston to acquire and preserve the oil painting by Emanuel Leutze of "George Washington at Dorchester Heights;"

2. That the Mayor be, and he hereby is, authorized and empowered to expend from the sums so accepted not exceeding seventy-five hundred dollars ($7,500), for the purpose of purchasing for the City of Boston the aforesaid oil painting; and

3. That all sums accepted from the Washington at Dorchester Heights Committee in excess of the amount required to purchase for the city the oil painting by Emanuel Leutze of "George Washington at Dorchester Heights" be funded as the Washington at Dorchester Heights Fund—with all income therefrom to be added to the principal and with so much of the principal as may from time to time be necessary to be used for the care and preservation of said oil painting.

On motion of Councillor Picmonte the rules were suspended and the order was passed.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committee named, viz.:

Claims.

American Canvas Company, for compensation for damage to property at 210 Commercial street, caused by break in water main.

Toby Baker, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Chiswick road, Brighton.

Boston Hardware Company, Inc., for compensation for damage to property at 340 Hanover street, caused by backing up of sewage.

Mary E. Charland, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in State street, Boston.

Albert Y. Clun, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect in Columbus avenue.

William J. Clegg, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Water Department.

Patrick DeMarco, for compensation for damage to property at 342A Hanover street, caused by backing up of sewage.

Wesley & Doris Dilworth, for compensation for damage to property at 86 Ruthven street, Roxbury, caused by clogged street sewers.

Florence Dimino, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Prince street, Boston.

Patrick H. Fahey, for compensation for damage to car by vehicle of Fire Department.

Max Feinstein, for compensation for damage to property at 17 Claymoss road, Brighton, caused by backing up of sewage.

General Exchange Insurance Corporation, for compensation for damage to car of Joseph Bingle by fire truck.

Miriam Gidez, for compensation for loss of clothing at City Hospital.

Helen C. Gomez, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in East Concord street.

Rebecca Gorfinkle, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Almont street, Mattapan.

Harold E. Gorham, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Fire Department.

Filomena and Joseph Guesto, for compensation for damage to property at 103 Charter street, caused during removal of adjoining building.

William Harrington, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Public Works Department, Sanitary Division.

Thelma Harvey, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Summer street, and Atlantic avenue.

James E. Hayes, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Leo McCarthy Playground.

Etta L. Heinstein, for compensation for damage to car by city truck.

Richard S. Judge, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Public Works Department, Sanitary Division.

John E. Kitchen, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Public Works Department, Highway Division.

Lena Levine, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Irma street and Woodrow avenue.

John McDonough, to be reimbursed as result of execution issued against him on account of his acts as employee of Police Department.

Alexander N. Morrison, to be reimbursed as result of execution issued against him on account of his acts as employee of Fire Department.

James H. Mullane, to be reimbursed as result of executions issued against him on account of his acts as employee of Fire Department.

Robert Murdock, for compensation for injuries caused by defective gate at entrance to Arnold Arboretum.

Angelina Padula, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Lawrence court.

Anthony Porcaro, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Horace street, East Boston.

Ruth and John Powers, Jr., for compensation for injuries caused by fireworks on Boston Common.

Anna M. Russo, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 738 East Broadway.

William R. Scollins, for compensation for damage to property at 16 Bateman street, Roslindale, caused by backing up of sewage.

Wallace A. Siteman, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Parks and Recreation Department.

Helen G. Stepasiuk, for compensation for damage to car by city truck.

Albert Templeton, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Fire Department.

Gerald Wall, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Hospital Department, Long Island Division.

Jeremiah Wholey, to be reimbursed as result of execution issued against him on account of his acts as employee of Public Works Department.

Robert J. Wilson, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Police Department.

PETITION FOR ANNUITY.

Petition of Annie L. Lavelle to be paid annuity on account of death of her husband, John F. Lavelle, late member of Fire Department.

Referred to the Committee on Claims.

APPLICATIONS FOR SHELLFISH PERMITS.

Applications for commercial use shellfish permits were received from the following:

William F. Gannon, 262 West Broadway, South Boston, Ward 6; Thomas J. McCann, 446 West Fourth street, South Boston, Ward 6.

Severally referred to the Committee on Licenses.

APPROVAL OF STATE HOUSING BOARD.

Notice was received from the State Housing Board of approval of eight parcels of property, under section 6 of chapter 372 of the Acts of 1946.

Placed on file.

NOTICE OF HEARING BEFORE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES.

Notice was received from the Department of Public Utilities of hearing to be held July 28, 1955, at 10 A.M., on petition of Metropolitan Transit Authority for approval of modification of changes in rates of fare and charges for service.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN in the chair.

On motion of Councillor Piemonte, the notice was referred to the Executive Committee.

APPROVAL OF CONSTABLE'S BOND.

The constable's bond of Joseph H. Donnelly, having been duly approved by the Collector-Treasurer, was received and approved.

JURY LIST.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
City Clerk Department, July 11, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

You are hereby notified that the list of inhabitants qualified to serve as jurors, prepared by the Election Commissioners and printed in City Document Number 32, was filed with me on June 29, 1955. It contains 9,576 names.

Respectfully,
W. J. MALLOY,
City Clerk.

Placed on file.

CENTRAL MAILING UNITS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Administrative Services Department,
July 5, 1955.

Walter J. Malloy,
City Clerk.

Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of section 2 of chapter 3A of the Revised City Ordinances, I submit herewith a copy of a report sent to the Mayor on the subject of the installation of Central Mailing Units to handle the out-going mail requirements of the City Hospital as well as all departments located in City Hall and the Annex.

Very truly yours,
CHARLES J. FOX, Director.

Administrative Services Department,
June 27, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Sir:

With a view to controlling and reducing postage costs which have been rising steadily during the past decade, considerable thought and study have been devoted by the Administrative Services Board to the advantages of installing Central Mailing Units to handle the out-going mail requirements of the City Hospital as well as all departments located in City Hall and the Annex.

It was found that the only efficient method to accomplish the control desired was to establish centralized operations in the matter of mailing. It is estimated that by so doing we can realize a savings in postage costs alone of from 10 to 15 per cent annually. Since departmental postage expenditures total annually in excess of $125,000, a minimum savings of $15,000 is anticipated. The Post Office Department has found that approximately 4 per cent of the adhesive postage stamps sold is never used. The discontinuance of the use of government stamped envelopes and the substitution therefor of commercially purchased envelopes will also effect savings. At the State House centralized mailing has been in operation for thirty-two years with a large degree of success and it is believed that a similar procedure at the City Hospital and in the Hall and Annex would produce beneficial results.

The results of the Board's studies may be summarized by listing some of the advantages of a centralized mailing room:

(a) Systematizes operations and avoids duplications and errors by combining into one unit scattered operations pertaining to one of the most important details of municipal management.

(b) Centralizes this unit and brings it under the direction of individuals trained in up-to-date mailing procedures so that all correspondence in both the Hall and Annex will receive the attention its importance demands.

(c) Puts important details of mailing in charge of one person who is familiar with the Rules and Regulations of the Postal Service and equips himself to properly conduct this important unit.

(d) Saves postage by placing the supply of postage in control of one responsible individual, making it possible to keep a proper accounting of all postage purchased.

(e) Saves clerical work as stenographers can devote their full time to correspondence if they are alleviated of the detail of despatching it.

(f) Avoids congestion by eliminating rush work in various departments at the close of business hours and staggers the mailings so that the day's correspondence is not received at the Post Office in one bulk mailing during the peak hours when congestion also prevails there.

(g) Permits the economical use of modern labor saving devices which each department concerned would not be justified in buying for their mail requirements alone.

The Administrative Services Board proposes, with your approval, to establish central mailing units at the City Hospital and in City Hall Annex in the Collecting Division of the Treasury Department. The Director of Hospitals is in favor of this action and already has plans for making space available for such a unit. With slight structural changes, space can be provided in the Collecting Division for the installation of modern mailing equipment, funds for the purchase of which are available in the Equipment Loan.

Respectfully submitted,
CHARLES J. FOX, Chairman,
JOHN A. SULLIVAN,
JOHN V. MORAN,
JAMES E. GILDEA,
JOSEPH P. LALLY.
LAWRENCE W. COSTELLO,
Administrative Secretary.

Placed on file.

ESTABLISHMENT OF BUREAU OF MILK AND CHEMISTRY.

Notice was received from the Health Department of the establishment in the Section of Environmental Sanitation of the Bureau of Milk and Chemistry.

Placed on file.

TWO-WAY COMMUNICATIONS ON PUBLIC CARRIERS.

A communication was received from Mr. Otis M. Whitney, Commissioner of Public Safety, acknowledging receipt of a copy of the resolution of the City Council of June 27, 1955, concerning the provision for two-way communication on all public carriers in which he was heartily in favor and advising that he would transmit a copy of the aforesaid resolutions to the Public Utilities Department, the agency that supervises public carriers.

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT OF JOSEPH L. MALONE.

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Joseph L. Malone to be Director of Civil Defense, for the term ending July 1, 1956, unless sooner terminated by operation of law.

Placed on file.

NOTICE OF INTEREST IN CONTRACT.

Notice was received from Samuel J. Tomasello, member of the Board of Appeal, that his firm, S. J. Tomasello Corporation, has been awarded a contract for bituminous concrete pavement on Burr street, etc.

Placed on file.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC LANDS.

Coun. HAILER, for the Committee on Public Lands, submitted the following:

Report on message of the Mayor and order (referred June 27) for transfer of land on Victory road, Dorchester, from Parks and Recreation Commission to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts—recommending that same ought to pass.

The report was accepted, and the question came on giving the order its first reading. The order was given its first reading and passage, yeas 8, nays 1:

Yeas—Councillors Ahearn, Foley, Hailer, Hurley, Kerrigan, McCormack, McLaughlin, White—8.

Nays—Councillor Piemonte—1.

The order was assigned for 14 days for final action.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON LICENSES.

Coun. HAILER, for the Committee on Licenses, submitted the following:

Report on applications (referred July 11) for commercial use shellfish permits of John J. Kerrigan and Dorrance Lincoln—recommending that permits be granted.

The report was accepted, and the permits were severally granted under the usual conditions.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CLAIMS.

Coun. McCORMACK, for the Committee on Claims, submitted the following:

1. Report on resolution (referred June 6) that the City Council of Boston favors the consideration by the Legislature of the petition now held under Joint Rule 7B authorizing the City of Boston to pay an annuity to the widow of Edward J. Russell, former member of the Fire Department of the City of Boston, provided that any such legislation enacted includes a referendum to the Mayor and City Council—recommending that the same be adopted.

The report was accepted, and the resolution was adopted.

2. Report on petition of Veronica S. Hughes (referred June 27) for a reduction of the annuity granted her on account of the death of her husband, Frank J. Hughes, late member of the Police Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That the annuity of fifteen hundred dollars a year to Veronica S. Hughes, widow of Frank J. Hughes, a member of the Police Department, who died on June 22, 1952, on account of injuries received in the performance of his duty, authorized under an order passed by the City Council on January 26, 1953, and approved by the Mayor on January 27, 1953, be, and hereby is, reduced to fourteen hundred dollars a year.

The report was accepted and the order was passed.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCE.

Coun. HAILER, for the Committee on Appropriations and Finance, submitted the following:

1. Report on message of the Mayor and order (referred June 27) for loan of $3,500,000 for ordinary maintenance expense of School Committee and Hospital Department—recommending that same ought to pass.

The report was accepted and the order was given its second reading and final passage, yeas 7, nays 0:

Yeas—Councillors Ahearn, Hailer, Hurley, Kerrigan, Piemonte, McLaughlin, White—7.

Nays—0.

Voting Present—Councillors Foley, McCormack—2.

2. Report on message of the Mayor and order (referred April 4) for appropriation of $70,000 for off-street parking area in Uphams Corner district—recommending reference of the order to the Executive Committee.

The report was accepted, and said reference ordered.

President HURLEY in the chair.

COMPENSATORY TIME OFF TO CERTAIN POLICE OFFICERS.

Coun. AHEARN offered the following:

Ordered, That chapter 223 of the Acts of 1955, entitled "An Act Granting Compensatory Time Off to Certain Police Officers in Attendance in Certain Criminal Cases" be, and hereby is, accepted.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

THE NEXT MEETING.

On motion of Councillor Hailer the Council voted that when it adjourn it be to meet on Monday, July 25, 1955, at 2 P.M.

ADDRESS OF CLARE BOOTH LUCE PRINTED AS PUBLIC DOCUMENT.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Ordered, That the address delivered by Her Excellency, Clare Booth Luce, Ambassador to Italy, on July 4, 1955, at Faneuil Hall, be printed and distributed as a public document.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

CONSTRUCTION OF WADING AND SWIMMING POOLS BY GEORGE ROBERT WHITE FUND.

Coun. PIEMONTE, and All Members of the Council, offered the following:

Ordered, That the George Robert White Fund consider the advisability of constructing wading

and swimming pools in the Hyde Park and West Roxbury sections of Boston.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

TAX EXEMPTION FOR REAL ESTATE.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Resolved, That it be the expression of the Boston City Council that Senate Bill No. 768 or any bill pertaining to tax exemption for Real Estate within the confines of the City of Boston be rejected unless initiated by a majority vote of the Boston City Council and the Mayor, or in the event such legislation is adopted, it contain a provision requiring acceptance by the Boston City Council and his Honor, the Mayor of Boston, and that a copy of this resolution be sent to the Governor, the President of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

NAMING OF UNDERPASS IN HONOR OF THOMAS J. MANNING.

Coun. WHITE, McLAUGHLIN, and HAILER offered the following:

Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to name the new underpass from Archdale road to Hyde Park avenue, Jamaica Plain, in honor of the late Thomas J. Manning, through whose untiring efforts this underpass has become a reality, and that suitable signs designating same be erected.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

SURVEY OF SEAWARD FENCE AT CASTLE ISLAND.

Coun. FOLEY, KERRIGAN, and McCORMACK offered the following:

Ordered, That the Park Department, through his Honor the Mayor, be requested to make a survey of the seaward fence at Castle Island with a view to making the fence more secure in order to prevent small children from falling into the harbor.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

INQUIRY OF CONDITIONS AT BARRY'S LEDGE.

Coun. HAILER, WHITE, and McLAUGHLIN offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be requested to establish a Board of Inquiry, consisting of the Health Commissioner, the Building Commissioner, the Fire and Police Commissioners, and the Corporation Counsel to study the continued drilling, blasting and burning taking place at Barry's Ledge on Cummins Highway, Roslindale.

Coun. McCORMACK moved that the order be amended by adding the following:

Be It Further Ordered, That the Fire Commissioner and Director of Fire Prevention be requested to answer the order of Councillor Hailer filed on May 2, 1955, which reads as follows:

Ordered, That Fire Commissioner Cotter and the Director of Fire Prevention be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to conduct an immediate and thorough investigation into the necessity of providing the extensive Fire Department service which is being utilized at the so-called Barry's Ledge dump on Cummins Highway in Roslindale, and forward a report on the results of this investigation to the Boston City Council.

The motion was carried.

The order, as amended, was passed under suspension of the rules.

PAYMENT OF PENSION TO WILLIAM J. BRICKLEY.

Coun. KERRIGAN, WHITE, and HURLEY offered the following.

Ordered, That chapter 517 of the Acts of 1955, entitled "An Act Authorizing the County of Suffolk to Pay a Pension to William J. Brickley" be, and the same hereby is, accepted.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

GREETINGS TO FRENCH NATION ON BASTILLE DAY.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Whereas, All men of good will are cognizant of the great contributions the French people have made to philosophy, literature, the arts, science and the cause of liberty everywhere; and

Whereas, In our country's heroic and successful struggle for independence in the 18th century, the names of the Marquis de la Fayette and the Count de Rochambeau will forever be held hallmarks of American independence and history; and

Whereas, To the governments and industries of our great communities throughout our country, men and women of French ancestry have brought and given freely of the knowledge, experience, vivacity, devotion and brilliance that is the heritage of all French people, particularly in our own great State of Massachusetts where so large a portion of our population are citizens of French birth or French parentage; and

Whereas, On July 14, 1789, the people of Paris rose in rebellion and precipitated one of the greatest and most heroic struggles for freedom in the history of mankind. On that day they seized the Bastille—a hated symbol of oppression and tyranny and deposed the despot King Louis XVI. The following day, they commenced the razing of this hated fortress and on that day they sent the key of this jail to George Washington, the Father of our Country, as a symbol of their devotion and regard for him as the Father of Freedom and Liberty for all men; and

Whereas, The taking of the Bastille sounded the clarion call for all Frenchmen to rise and rally round the standard of liberty, equality and fraternity in the great nation of France; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Boston City Council, in the name of our great city and its citizens, send greetings to the great French nation and our fellow American citizens of French ancestry here and throughout the world on their celebration of the 166th anniversary of Bastille Day—that epochal hallmark in mankind's constant struggle for freedom; and be it further

Resolved, That copies of this resolution be sent to Consul Francois Charles-Roux and Vice Consul Rene Cerisoles with the personal congratulations of the City Council for the splendid and efficient manner in which they carry on the duties of their office.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

CONGRATULATIONS TO ATTORNEY JOSEPH SCHNEIDER AND MASSACHUSETTS BAR ASSOCIATION.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following resolution:

Whereas, At the recent meeting of the Massachusetts Bar Association, Attorney Joseph Schneider was elected President; and

Whereas, This is the first time in the history of this organization's activities that one of the Jewish faith has been so honored; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, congratulate Attorney Schneider for being elevated to a position for which he is so eminently well qualified; and be it further

Resolved, That congratulations are also extended to the Massachusetts Bar Association for this splendid example of democracy in action.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

TO EXTEND FENCE AT MURPHY PLAYGROUND.

Coun. HURLEY and KERRIGAN offered the following:

Ordered, That the Park Commissioner be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to extend the fence in the left field of Murphy Playground, Jamaica Plain.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

Adjourned at 4.14 P.M., on motion of Councillor Ahearn, to meet on Monday, July 25, 1955, at 2 P.M.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

(Stenographic copy of such debate on file in office of City Clerk.)

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, occasioned by resurfacing in the M.T.A. Dudley Street Terminal, the one-way rule in the following street is suspended and it is a two-way street, from July 11, 1955, to July 16, 1955, inclusive:

Warren Street, Roxbury.
From Dudley street to Washington street.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, for a trial period of sixty (60) days, the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective July 12, 1955:

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Brook Avenue.
Even-numbered side, from No. 495 Dudley street to No. 573 Dudley street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Farnham Street.
North side, from Hampden street to Reading street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by adding the following new subsection:

(6) No driver shall stop, stand or park any vehicle in the following municipal parking areas, during the hours indicated:

The area under the John F. Fitzgerald Expressway, between North street and Traverse street, 8 A.M. to 9.30 A.M.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "West Roxbury," the following:

Brook Farm Road.
From La Grange street to Baker street.

Article VI, Section 10 (Left Turns Prohibited), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," the following:

Congress Street.
Into Water street, easterly.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway construction, estimated to be thirty (30) days, vehicles are excluded from the following streets, effective July 6, 1955:

Alvarado Road, Hyde Park.
From Fairview avenue to dead end.
Pinehurst Street, West Roxbury.
From Belgrade avenue to Durnell avenue.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, for a trial period of sixty (60) days, the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective July 12, 1955:

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "West Roxbury," the following:

Bellevue Street.
At Tennyson street.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway resurfacing, estimated to be ten (10) days, the following street is one way in the direction indicated, when and where official signs are in place, effective July 7, 1955:

Southampton Street, Roxbury and South Boston.
From Dorchester avenue to Theodore A. Glynn Way.

EXTENSION OF LEWISTON STREET.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of an extension of Lewiston street, Hyde Park district, as a public highway, from Edwardson street to Frazer street, bounded and described as follows:

An extension of the highway named Lewiston street is hereby laid out, from Edwardson street to Frazer street, and ordered constructed.

For the making of the aforesaid improvement an easement for street purposes is hereby taken in the following-described land, exclusive of trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed thereto:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Abe and Edith G. Berkowitz, bounded:

Southerly by the northerly line of Frazer street, ten feet; westerly by the easterly line of Lewiston street as it existed prior to this order, ten feet; and easterly by the easterly line of Lewiston street as laid out under this order, fifteen and 71-100 feet on a curve of ten feet radius; containing twenty-one square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Clifford J. and Caroline R. Doyon, bounded:

Southerly by the northerly line of Frazer street, ten feet; easterly by the westerly line of Lewiston street as it existed prior to this order, ten feet; and westerly by the westerly line of Lewiston street as laid out under this order, fifteen and 71-100 feet on a curve of ten feet radius; containing twenty-one square feet, more or less.

Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed thereto, in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

Southerly by the northerly line of Frazer street, sixty feet; westerly by the westerly line of Lewiston street as hereby laid out, by three measurements, fifteen and 71-100 feet on a curve of ten feet radius, one hundred forty-nine and 10-100 feet, and one hundred fifty-one and 46-100 feet; northerly by the southerly line of Edwardson street, forty and 8-100 feet; and easterly by the easterly line of Lewiston street as hereby laid out, by three measurements, one hundred fifty-one and 81-100 feet, one hundred fifty-two and 3-100 feet, and fifteen and 71-100 feet on a curve of ten feet radius.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Parcel.		Amount.
1.	Felice and Anna Giangregorio....	$234 02
2.	Anthony and Lena Merlino.....	506 16
3.	Morris and Thelma Barron.....	540 24
4.	Joseph P. and Alice W. Cardeiro,	520 00
5.	Abe and Edith G. Berkowitz.....	267 12
6.	Clifford J. and Caroline R. Doyon	398 95
7.	Dorothy Helena Wager.....	520 00
8.	Joseph and Eleanor M. Cadose....	547 20
9.	Francis W. and Antoinette R. Kulas	448 56
	Total	$3,982 25

Voted, That this commission determines that the undermentioned persons sustain damages in their estates by the making of the public improvement consisting of the laying out and construction of an extension of Lewiston street, Hyde Park district, from Edwardson street to Frazer street, under the order of this commission of July 13, 1955, in the amounts hereinafter set against them; and awards said amounts therefor.

Abe and Edith G. Berkowitz, 21 square feet, $1.

Clifford J. and Caroline R. Doyon, 21 square feet, $1.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

STATISTICAL MACHINE OPERATOR, BOSTON WELFARE DEPARTMENT, AUGUST 20, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, August 1, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $45.50 a week; the maximum salary is $58 a week.

Vacancies: From time to time, for females.

Duties: Under immediate and direct supervision to perform simple routine statistical machine operations and related clerical tasks involved in the collection, compilation and verification of accounting and statistical machine data; to prepare and present such data in tabulated or other form to be used in connection with the administration of public assistance; and to perform related work as required.

Examples of Duties: Sorting by alphabetic, numeric or check number sequence; effecting the completion of payrolls; key punching and verifying relief grants and statistical data.

At present, the duties require operation of the following International Business Machines: No. 082 Electronic Sorter; No. 513 Reproducing Punch; No. 026 Printing Key Punch; No. 056 Alpha-Numeric Card Verifiers.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants must have at least three months of full time paid experience in the operation of statistical machines. *Substitution:* A certificate from a recognized school for satisfactory completion of a course in the operation of statistical machines may be substituted for the required experience.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions and practical tests, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

CITY OF BOSTON.

BOSTON HOUSING AUTHORITY.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR PAINTING 14 WOOD FRAME HOUSES.

The City of Boston, acting by and through the Boston Housing Authority, Room 303, 230 Congress street, Boston, in accordance with the provisions of chapter 372 of the Massachusetts Acts of 1946, as amended, invites proposals for painting of fourteen (14) wood frame houses.

A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company authorized to transact business in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 303, 230 Congress street, Boston. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Painting Fourteen (14) Wood Frame Houses," and left at Room 303, 230 Congress street, Boston, Mass., before 12 noon, Eastern Daylight Time, on Monday, August 1, 1955, at which time and place the proposals will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Bid security in the sum of 5 per cent of the amount of the proposal in the form of cash or certified check shall accompany each proposal.

Proposals must be made in quadruplicate, one (1) sealed proposal without bid security to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time made for opening the bids.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Boston Housing Authority. The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law, so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required prior to the award of said contract.

The city reserves the right to reject any or all proposals and to waive any informalities either in the bidding or in the proposals, and reserves the right to award the contract or contracts as it deems for its best interests.

No bid may be withdrawn for a period of thirty (30) days subsequent to the opening of bids without the consent of the city.

CITY OF BOSTON, ACTING BY AND THROUGH THE BOSTON HOUSING AUTHORITY,

JAMES J. MAHAR,
Chairman.

(July 23.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING AND INSTALLING MANHOLE AND HANDHOLE PLATES AND FUSIBLE PLUGS ON STEAM BOILERS IN THE VARIOUS SCHOOLS, BOSTON, MASS.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for furnishing and installing manhole and handhole plates and fusible plugs on steam boilers in the various schools, Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Monday, August 1, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed and enclosed in an envelope, sealed, and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $250, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do, in accordance with sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
Superintendent of Construction.

(July 23.)

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CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

WATER WORKS.

PROPOSALS FOR LAYING WATER PIPES IN

Beacon Street, Lawton Street, Stanbro Street, Ward 18; David Road, Ward 19; Brook Farm Road and Washington Street, Ward 20; Soldiers Field Road, Ward 22;
— and —
Such Additional Locations, If Any, in Wards 18, 19, 20, and 22, As May Be Designated by the Commissioner of Public Works.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for laying water pipes in Beacon street, etc. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Laying Water Pipes in Beacon Street, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 3, 1955, with a certified check for FOUR HUNDRED (400) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(July 23.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULING.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, occasioned by Hand Tub Muster demonstration by the Boston Fire Department on Boston Common, parking of vehicles is prohibited in the following street on Saturday, August 20, 1955, from 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Charles Street, Boston Proper.
East side, from Boylston street to Beacon street.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

CONSTRUCTION OF BUILDINGS.

Invitation for Proposals for Construction of Addition to Public Works Department Garage, Highland Street, Roxbury, Mass.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for CONSTRUCTION OF ADDITION TO PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT GARAGE, HIGHLAND STREET, ROXBURY, MASS. Proposals will be received until 2 P.M., Thursday, August 4, 1955, at Room 506, City Hall Annex, Boston, Mass., and they will be publicly opened and read aloud immediately thereafter in the Hearing Room, Room 401, City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed and enclosed in an envelope, sealed, and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of seven hundred (700) dollars, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

Specifications and plans may be obtained on and after 11 A.M., Tuesday, July 26, 1955, at Room 506, City Hall Annex. There will be a charge of two (2) dollars (not refundable), for each set of plans and specifications taken out.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority, and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do. The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all bids in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(July 23.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

No. 127—598.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING HOSPITAL EQUIPMENT.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Thursday, August 4, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Hospital Equipment." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(July 23.) *Purchasing Agent.*

REAL PROPERTY BOARD. PROPERTY DIVISION.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

HYDE PARK, VACANT LAND, THURSDAY, JULY 28, 1955.

GROUP "C"—10 A.M.

TO BE HELD AT INTERSECTION OF SHERRIN, GOFF, AND BEECH STREETS.

Fifty parcels located on Asheville Road, Beech Street, Goff Street, and Lodgehill Road.
Area: 330,716 square feet (more or less).
Assessed value: $13,300. Minimum price: $2,500.

GROUP "A"—10.20 A.M.

TO BE HELD ADJACENT TO 212 AUSTIN STREET.

Austin Street, Lots 570, 571, 572, 573.
Sherrin Street, Lots 540, 541, 542, 547, 548.
Area: 45,000 square feet (more or less).
Assessed value: $2,200. Minimum price: $1,300.

GROUP "B"—10.40 A.M.

TO BE HELD ADJACENT TO 254 AUSTIN STREET.

Austin Street, Lots 580-587, inclusive.
Sherrin Street, Lots 526-536, inclusive.
Area: 95,810 square feet (more or less).
Assessed value: $4,000. Minimum price: $1,000.

GROUP "D"—11 A.M.

TO BE HELD ADJACENT TO 67 SHERRIN STREET.

Dale Street, Lots 395 and 396.
Highfield Street, Lots 366-373, inclusive, and Lots 427-429, inclusive.
Sherrin Street, Lots 449-454, inclusive, and Lots 456-467, inclusive.
Area: 201,816 square feet (more or less).
Assessed value: $7,500. Minimum price: $1,600.
Deposit: $500, cash or certified check, for each individual group.

Chairman reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Plan of lots may be seen daily, 9 A.M. to 5 P.M., at 809 City Hall Annex.

HERMAN CARP, *Chairman.* JOHN J. McGRATH, *Auctioneer.*
(July 23.)

No. 125—392.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING NEOPRENE-JACKETED AND LEAD-COVERED CABLE FOR BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Thursday, August 4, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Cable." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(July 23.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

HIGHWAY RECONSTRUCTION AND SEWERAGE WORKS.

Proposals for Bituminous Concrete Pavement and Sewerage Works in Mt. Vernon Street, Ward 13, from William T. Morrissey Boulevard to About 3,600 Feet East of William T. Morrissey Boulevard.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for bituminous concrete pavement and sewerage works in Mt. Vernon street, etc. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Bituminous Concrete Pavement and Sewerage Works in Mt. Vernon Street, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, AUGUST 11, 1955, with a certified check for TWENTY-ONE HUNDRED (2,100) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(July 23.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

No. 124—391.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING LUMBER (SPRUCE) FOR THE WATER DIVISION, PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Monday, August 1, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Lumber." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(July 23.) *Purchasing Agent.*

No. 126—320.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING COFFEE (INSTANT) FOR CITY DEPARTMENTS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Friday, July 29, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Coffee." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(July 23.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

BOSTON HOUSING AUTHORITY.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR ASPHALT SHINGLE ROOFING, RIVER STREET, MATTAPAN.

The City of Boston, acting by and through the Boston Housing Authority, Room 303, 230 Congress street, Boston, in accordance with the provisions of chapter 372 of the Massachusetts Acts of 1946, as amended, invites proposals for asphalt shingle roofing and related work on certain wood frame houses at the River Street Development, Mattapan district, City of Boston.

A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company authorized to transact business in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city.

Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 303, 230 Congress street, Boston. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Asphalt Shingle Roofing, River Street, Mattapan," and left at Room 303, 230 Congress street, Boston, Mass., before 1 P.M., Eastern Daylight Time, on Monday, August 1, 1955, at which time and place the proposals will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Bid security in the sum of 5 per cent of the amount of each proposal in the form of cash or certified check shall accompany each proposal.

Proposals must be made in quadruplicate, one (1) sealed proposal without bid security to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time set for opening the bids.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Boston Housing Authority. The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required prior to the award of said contract.

The city reserves the right to reject any or all proposals and to waive any informalities either in the bidding or in the proposals, and reserves the right to award the contract or contracts as it deems for its best interests.

No bid may be withdrawn for a period of thirty (30) days subsequent to the opening of bids without the consent of the city.

CITY OF BOSTON, ACTING BY AND THROUGH THE BOSTON HOUSING AUTHORITY,

JAMES J. MAHAR,
(July 23.) *Chairman.*

THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER.

PROPOSALS FOR CLEANING GLASS IN WINDOWS, DOORS, AND TRANSOMS ON THE OUTSIDE OF BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for cleaning glass in windows, doors, and transoms on the outside of Boston public school buildings. Proposal forms are obtainable at the office of the Business Manager of the School Committee, tenth floor, 15 Beacon street. Envelopes containing proposals must be sealed and plainly marked "Proposal for Cleaning Glass in Windows, Doors, and Transoms on the Outside of Boston Public School Buildings." Successful bidders will be required to comply with all the applicable revised rules and regulations for the prevention of accidents in window cleaning as contained in Industrial Bulletin No. 21 of the Department of Labor and Industries Division of Industrial Safety, with the exception that the following methods only may be used where such rules and regulations are applicable: (1) working on a ladder; (2) working from a scaffold; (3) working from a boatswain's chair. The bids must be in duplicate. One copy, signed by the bidder, and accompanied by a certified check, payable to the City of Boston at the rate of fifty dollars ($50) for each district on which bid is submitted, must be left at the office of the Business Manager on or before 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, August 4, 1955. Copies filed with the Business Manager will be publicly opened and read at 12 o'clock noon of the day stated. The other copy, also signed by the bidder, must be left with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., previous to the time named for the opening of bids. The successful bidders will be required, before commencing performance, to provide by insurance (*a*) for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws, chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract; (*b*) public liability and property damage in the amounts set forth in the proposal form. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids, and to accept the bid or bids which it deems best for the interests of the city. The bidders awarded the contract must furnish a suitable bond or deposit of money or other security for the faithful performance of the contract in the amount of not less than 100 per cent thereof.

HENRY J. SMITH,
Business Manager of the School Committee.
(July 23.)

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING.

CITY OF BOSTON.

REAL PROPERTY BOARD.
ROOM 809, CITY HALL ANNEX.

IN REAL PROPERTY BOARD OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, ROOM 809, CITY HALL ANNEX, JULY 13, 1955.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Board is of the opinion that public necessity requires the taking of a parcel of land containing approximately thirteen thousand, three hundred (13,300) square feet on the northerly side of Central street, from the corner of Kilby street to number thirty-eight (38) Central street, together with the buildings and structures thereon, in the Boston Proper district, for off-street parking purposes, substantially as shown on a plan marked "Proposed Site 15B, Off-Street Parking Facilities, Kilby and Central Streets, Boston Proper, June 16, 1955, George C. Hallisey, Engineer, Real Property Board," on file in the office of this Board, that it intends to pass an order to make said taking, and that it appoints 2 o'clock P.M. of Wednesday, August 10, 1955, and the Public Hearing Rooms of the Public Improvement Commission of the City of Boston, 401 City Hall Annex, as the time and place for a PUBLIC HEARING IN THE MATTER.

REAL PROPERTY BOARD,
HERMAN CARP, *Chairman*,
WILLIAM F. KEESLER,
DAVID L. CURRIER,
THOMAS F. MCDONONGH,
GEORGE P. DONOVAN.

A true copy of an order passed by said Board on this date.
Attest:
JOSEPH B. BURKE,
Executive Secretary.
(July 23.)

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BOSTON UNDERTAKING BIGGEST HIGHWAY PROJECT IN HISTORY OF CITY — HYDE PARK AVENUE TO BE COMPLETELY RECONSTRUCTED FOR A DISTANCE OF 9,500 FEET — CONTRACT AWARDED TO DOOLEY BROTHERS, INC., THE LOW BIDDER, AT $267,180 — TO BE MODERN IN EVERY RESPECT, WITH TWO SEPARATE ROADWAYS.

Bids were opened on Wednesday, and Mayor Hynes signed the contract for the biggest Chapter 90 Highway Project ever undertaken in the City of Boston. Public Works Commissioner George G. Hyland made the announcement, following the approval by the Mayor:

The project involves the complete reconstruction of Hyde Park avenue, from Walk Hill street, Forest Hills, to Metropolitan avenue, in Hyde Park, a distance of 9,500 feet.

The present highway, which is 54 feet in width from curb to curb, will be con-

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REPORT OF LOUIS F. MUSCO, SCHOOL COMMITTEE MEMBER, ON ATTENDANCE AT CONVENTION OF MASSACHUSETTS ASSOCIATION OF SCHOOL COMMITTEES IN SWAMPSCOTT, MAY 12-14, 1955.

The following is the report of Boston School Committeeman Louis F. Musco on his attendance at the convention of the Massachusetts Association of School Committees, at the New Ocean House, Swampscott, May 12-14:

Mr. Musco took a leading role at this convention during the three-day session. He presented the program director, Edward Sherburne of Channel 2, Educational Station WGBH-TV, and conducted a question and answer period on the subject. As acting chairman of the Nominating Committee he presented the slate of officers of the Massachusetts Association of School Committees to the business meeting, supervised the voting of the members for the officers to serve through the 1956 convention, and the election of same to the membership.

During the panel discussion, "School Board Members in Action," Mr. Musco delivered the following report to the assembly:

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BOSTON'S TAX RATE FOR 1955, $69.80—SAME AS LAST YEAR — MAYOR JOHN B. HYNES HOLDS DOWN RATE FOR BENEFIT OF TAXPAYERS DESPITE UNUSUALLY HEAVY DEMANDS BECAUSE OF FALLING VALUATIONS AND INCREASES IN COSTS FOR CITY SCHOOLS AND COUNTY OPERATIONS — HIGHER RELIEF AND WELFARE COSTS, SLIDING-SCALE ADJUSTMENTS ADD TO DIFFICULTIES OF REVENUE BALANCING TO ACHIEVE ACCOMPLISHMENT.

Upon July 26, Mayor John B. Hynes issued the following statement on the 1955 tax rate:

The tax rate for 1955 has been fixed at $69.80 per thousand valuation, the same rate as that of 1954.

Despite increases in expenditures over which city officials have little or no control; despite a marked falling off in the total valuations of the city; and despite an increase in the appropriation for the overlay account, it has been possible to hold the 1955 rate at the same level as the rate of last year. In view of the fact that the average tax rate increase of the cities and towns in the Commonwealth for the year 1955 is $5 per thousand, with some increases as high as $10, it is gratifying to report that there will be no increase in the Boston tax rate for this year.

In arriving at the 1955 rate, full advantage has been taken of all sound and acceptable methods of municipal financing. For example, a loan of three and one half million dollars has been approved and will be used as an income credit. This loan does not pledge the general credit of the city. It is a self-liquidating loan amply protected by tax title assets. In the judgment of the chief financing officers of the city, the Boston City Council and the State Emergency Finance Board, this type of loan authorized by the Legislature, is fully justified. With this judgment I concur. At this stage in the life of our city, it is incumbent to utilize every legal and sound means of financing to keep the tax rate from soaring to discouraging heights.

Maintenance Costs.

The maintenance costs for city, school, and county operations for 1955 are some two million five hundred thousand dollars greater than for 1954. The chief contributing factors to this increase are greater requirements for sliding-scale adjustments for employees; higher relief and welfare costs; and perceptibly higher costs for noncontributory pensions. Other factors which affect the balancing of the income and expenditures of the city are a decrease in revenues in the School Department; an increase in debt requirement appropriations; an increase in appropriations for support of loans; an increased appropriation of close to half a million dollars in the amount set aside for the overlay account; and a net loss of some twenty-five million dollars in the total valuations of the city.

Although the greater amount set aside this year for overlay, and the severe drop in property valuations represent over a dollar in terms of the tax rate, nevertheless, the increase in the overlay appropriation from three to three and one half per cent, and the reduction in valuations to meet adjustments made by the Assessing Department Board of Review, are forward steps toward more realistic and stable valuation procedures and methods.

Growing Expenditures.

Growing municipal expenditures in areas where economies, for one reason or another, cannot be instituted; and a shrinking of the tax base, point up the desirability of a serious evaluation of the city's needs, and the

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"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean;
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, August 1, at 2 P.M.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries, or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the Complaints Division, Room 25, City Hall.

Information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways, the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments of streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped area for streets and the opening of private ways; the making of specific repairs in public streets; the naming of public streets, including the use of public ways for location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railways, coal holes, and vaults, may be secured from the Public Improvement Commission, Room 403, City Hall Annex.

To the BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION, 112 Southampton street, for information relative to regulation of vehicular street traffic on all or any streets, ways, highways, roads, and parkways under the control of the City of Boston, the issuing of all permits in connection therewith.

To the COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting, and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of Sumner Tunnel, the maintenance of bridges and draw-bridges, and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

To the HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Haymarket Square, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish, and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughterhouses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases, of public health nuisances.

To the BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth Avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park, and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts, also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview, and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

To the SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

To the DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS, 28 Norman street, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

To the BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 907, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal, or tearing down buildings.

To the ELECTRICAL INSPECTION DIVISION OF THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT, 1001 City Hall Annex, for all information relative to the erection of poles, building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division; also for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings of the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

To the BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT, 43 City Hall, relative to changes in the boundary lines of zoning districts of the City of Boston as established by chapter 488 of the Acts of 1921, and amendments thereto.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending July 23, 1955.

Population as of July, 1950, Massachusetts State Census, 817,713; population estimated July, 1954, United States Census Bureau, 813,696; number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 171; nonresidents, 67; total, 238.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 15.25; nonresidents deducted, 10.77.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:

Last week, 12.56; corresponding week last year, 10.81.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 19; one year to four years, inclusive, 5; sixty years and over, 146. Total deaths: Male, 143; female, 95; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 188.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended July 23, 1955.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended July 24, 1954.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior Poliomyelitis	60	5	2	—
Diphtheria	—	—	—	—
Encephalitis Lethargica	—	—	—	—
Influenza	—	—	—	—
Measles	1	—	86	—
Meningitis Epidemic	3	—	—	—
Pneumonia (lobar)	—	—	—	—
Scarlet Fever	6	—	1	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary)	—	6	—	1
Childhood Type Tuberculosis	—	—	—	—
Tuberculosis (other forms)	—	—	—	—
Typhoid Fever	—	—	—	—
Whooping Cough	3	—	11	—

*Residents and nonresidents included.

REPORT OF LOUIS F. MUSCO ON ATTENDANCE AT CONVENTION.

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Louis F. Musco, Boston School Committeeman, acts as an official of the Massachusetts Council for Public Schools.

The Massachusetts Association of School Committees is represented on this Board of Directors by his attendance at biweekly meetings in the interests of public school education.

The goal of our public schools should be to make the best in education available to every American child and adult on completely equal terms.

Public school education should be constantly reappraised and kept reponsive both to our education traditions and to the changing times.

The problem of its people's schools lies at the heart of a free society. None of man's public institutions has a deeper effect upon his conduct as a citizen—whether of the local community, of the nation, or of the world.

With these basic beliefs in mind, the Massachusetts Council for Public Schools has set for itself and its nation-wide councils two immediate goals:

To help Americans realize how important our public schools are to our expanding democracy.

To arouse in each community the intelligence and will to improve our public schools.

How do we as elected School Committee members and state officials of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts fulfill our obligations of promoting better public school education?

You, as an interested, informed, public-spirited citizen, hold the key to public school improvement in your community because you represent the people!

You can open the door and show the way to better local public school education in your locality throughout the Commonwealth because you can institute immediate action!

The two most prevalent and prominent obstacles to better schools are, primarily, PUBLIC INDIFFERENCE and, secondly, EDUCATIONAL INADEQUACIES.

The Massachusetts Council for Public Schools can be a tremendous force in assisting school committee members to solve their local problems by seeking impartial research and information. This group of citizens is dedicated to the cause of better local public schools and state-wide public education. They can help you, upon request, through opening the first door of PUBLIC INDIFFERENCE by:

Arousing among citizens throughout the state a sense of responsibility toward public education.

Assisting in the organization by individuals and groups of local school councils whose objective will be intelligent and constructive support.

Holding regional meetings throughout Massachusetts at which lay citizens in workshops can discuss school problems.

Publishing "News and Notes," a monthly bulletin informing individuals of significant developments in public education at local, state, and national levels.

Providing outstanding educators as speakers to lay groups on all phases of education.

Furnishing case histories which outline how American citizens in their respective communities have worked together with school administrations in the solution of a host of school problems.

They can assist you and other individuals in your efforts to unlock the second barred door of INADEQUACIES OF PUBLIC EDUCATION by:

Organizing the 40 local citizen councils throughout the state. These councils are autonomous but rely on the main council for statistical information, case histories, and many other matters connected with public school problems. These local councils represent a cross section of their communities. They work with the school authorities, and their opinions are based on adequate study and research.

Committee on teacher preparation endeavors to increase the supply of qualified teachers in Massachusetts. Mass meetings for prospective teachers are held, and literature is distributed to liberal arts college undergraduates. The committee also works with the departments of education of the many colleges and universities in Massachusetts and with the State Department of Education in an effort to create effective courses in training programs for potential teachers.

Committee to study legislation works with representatives from several professional and lay state-wide groups in an endeavor to clarify the significance of all proposed education legislation and increased school aid.

The purpose of the conference expressed in the theme "Better Schools Make Better Communities" was successful in its design to study ways in which local citizens may develop community action for better schools.

TAX RATE FOR 1955 ANNOUNCED.

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procurement of new revenues to meet some of those needs. It is becoming more apparent, year by year, that real estate cannot, and should not, bear such a major share of municipal costs. Before further burdens are thrust upon both business and home properties, it is of telling importance that the Legislature revise the tax structure of the Commonwealth and the cities and towns therein. Unless this is done soon, we shall all suffer from the competition of other states which have provided the financial impetus to encourage home building and business growth.

Under all the circumstances, I am relieved that the tax rate for 1955 remains the same as that of 1954.

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Works Department for the following construction work:

An 8-inch pipe sanitary sewer in Woodland road, between 300 feet northeast of River street and 220 feet northeasterly, in the Hyde Park district, at an estimated cost of $3,000.

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A 12-inch pipe surface drain and 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer in Itasca street, between Currier street and 300 feet northeasterly, in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of $4,200.

LARGE HIGHWAY PROJECT STARTED IN HYDE PARK.

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verted into a so-called double-barreled highway, with a center safety strip 4 feet wide for the entire length of the street, and two separate roadways, each of which will be 29 feet wide from curb to curb. The increase in roadway width will be accomplished by narrowing the present 13-foot sidewalks to sidewalks 9 feet wide.

The propesed new highway will be modern in every respect, and particularly with regard to highway safety. It will be similar to the Columbia Road Project which was completed four years ago as a Chapter 90 Project. Work is to be completed by the end of the year. The city assumes entire contract, but state will reimburse city for half of costs later.

A low bid in the amount of $267,180 was submitted by Dooley Brothers, Inc., 39 George street, Roxbury, to whom the contract was awarded. Other bids submitted were as follows:

Old Colony Construction Company, $270,315.80.

Rufo Construction Company, $271,462.20.

Baker & Co., $285,762.50.

J. A. Susi & Son, Inc., $303,052.

William P. Capone Corporation, $320,658.75.

MAYOR HYNES VETOES EXTRA PAY FOR PATROLMEN AS WITNESSES IN CRIMINAL CASES.

CITY OF BOSTON,
MAYOR'S OFFICE, July 21, 1955.

To the City Council.

GENTLEMEN:

I return herewith disapproved, and without my signature, the order adopted by your Honorable Body on July 11, 1955, for the acceptance of chapter 223 of the Acts of 1955, entitled "An Act Granting Compensatory Time Off to Certain Police Officers in Attendance in Certain Criminal Cases."

In the opinion of the Police Commissioner the effect of the acceptance of this act would be to encourage and to place a premium on indiscriminate arrests for any real or suspected violation of law. Further, it is estimated that the operation of this act would add at least $250,000 a year to the expenses of the Police Department and would in no sense be an improvement in the administration of that department.

Respectfully,

JOHN B. HYNES, *Mayor.*

BACK BAY BUSINESSMEN ASK PUBLIC HEARING ON COMMON GARAGE PLANS.

The following communication has been received at the office of the Mayor:

"BACK BAY ASSOCIATION, INC.,
Robert Cauchon, Executive Secretary,
229 Berkeley Street, Boston.
July 26, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

MY DEAR MAYOR HYNES:

At a meeting of the Directors of the Back Bay Association, held last night, it was decided that we should call to your attention the fact that, when we

originally went on record as in favor of the Boston Common Garage, we were, in fact, approving an underground garage and at that time understood there would not be a Public Garden tunnel, entrance, and exit on Commonwealth Avenue Mall, or concessions in the facility.

It is, therefore, our opinion that, before plans are approved, there should be a public hearing and an opportunity given the contractors and Motor Parks, Inc., to show an actual elevation and plan of the proposed new construction.

We shall appreciate your assistance toward a clarification of the changes made since our approval.

Very truly yours,

HOWARD C. NASON, *President*,
Back Bay Association, Inc."

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POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 2,015.

The following-named officer having requested retirement under the provisions of the Statutes of 1892, chapter 353, as amended, for the reason that he is incapacitated, it is hereby

Ordered, His Honor the Mayor having approved the same, that he be retired from active service in the Police Department, effective Wednesday, July 20, 1955, at 7.45 o'clock A.M.:

Detective Patrick L. Harrington, Detective Bureau (detailed to Division 13), 35 years of service.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

STREET CONSTRUCTION IN DORCHESTER.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the widening and construction of Hill Top street, Dorchester district, at the northwesterly corner of Crockett avenue, bounded and described as follows:

The highway named Hill Top street is hereby widened at the northwesterly corner of Crockett avenue, and ordered constructed.

For the making of the aforesaid improvement an easement for street purposes is hereby taken in the following described land, exclusive of trees, shrubs or structures standing upon or affixed thereto.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to William F. and Elsie M. Lyons, bounded:

Easterly by the westerly line of Crockett avenue as it existed prior to this order, two and 40-100 feet; southerly by the northerly line of Hill Top street as it existed prior to this order, forty and 29-100 feet; northerly by the northerly line of Hill Top street as widened under this order, forty and 10-100 feet, on a curve of three hundred thirty-six and 69-100 feet radius, containing thirty-three square feet, more or less.

Trees, shrubs or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforedescribed land, shall be removed therefrom within thirty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Said Hill Top street as hereby widened is bounded:

Easterly by the westerly line of Crockett avenue as it existed prior to this order, two and 40-100 feet; southerly by the northerly line of Hill Top street as it existed prior to this order, forty and 29-100 feet; northerly by the northerly line of Hill Top street as hereby widened, forty and 10-100 feet on a curve of three hundred thirty-six and 69-100 feet radius.

No betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Voted, That this commission determines that the undermentioned persons sustain damages in their estate by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the widening and construction of Hill Top street, Dorchester district, at the northwesterly corner of Crockett avenue, under the order of the commission of July 20, 1955, in the amount hereinafter mentioned, and awards said amount therefor.

William F. and Elsie M. Lyons, 33 square feet, $1.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway resurfacing, estimated to be thirty (30) days, vehicles are excluded from the following streets, effective July 25, 1955:

Frawley Street, Roxbury.
From Huntington avenue to Hillside street.

Mission Street, Roxbury.
From Huntington avenue to Stockwell street.

Stockwell Street, Roxbury.
From Wait street to Frawley street.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following personnel changes:

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

James E. Welch, 12 Ceylon street, Dorchester, district fire chief, has been retired at $4,440 a year.

James F. Marshall, 26 Arbroth street, Dorchester, fire fighter, has been retired at $2,773.33 a year.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

The retirement of Mary K. O'Brien, public health nurse, has been approved as of July 15.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

For the week ending July 12:

The following weekly nurses have been appointed:

Permanent.—Elizabeth Courtney, 27 Plumer street, Everett, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Helen T. Malvarez, 23 Hendry street, Dorchester, floor nurse, $68 a week; Jennie Roussopoulas, 12 Williams street, Cambridge, floor nurse, $63 a week.

Temporary.—Marie A. Guerriero, 22 Monument square, Charlestown, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour; Thelma A. Lee, 381 Meridian street, East Boston, Catherine A. Powers, 129 West Eagle street, East Boston, Marie Stanley, 473 La Grange street, West Roxbury, floor nurses, $60.50 a week.

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Priscilla Beckwith, 686 Massachusetts avenue, 6 days; Rita Buscher, 238 Norfolk street, Wollaston, 3 days; Ruby Childs, 270 Huntington avenue, 1 day; Marcelyn Curry, 64 Rosseter street, Dorchester, 4 days; Gertrude Claney, 27 Spaulding street, Dorchester, 2 days; Norma Dean, 696 Massachusetts avenue, 1 day; Hannah Donahue, 270 Huntington avenue, 3 days; Jean Darraugh, 568 East Sixth street, South Boston, 2 days; Delores Diggs, 5 days; Yolander Evans, 126 Waverly street, Everett, 3 days; Anna Ferrara, 53 Blue Hill avenue, Milton, 4 days; Mildred Filaraska, 69 Park Drive, 6 days; Christine Finn, 23 Commonwealth avenue, 5 days; Stella Graham, 43 Mercier avenue, Dorchester, 7 days; Diana Guinta, 42 Topliff street, Dorchester, 1 day; Veronica Lombard, 8 Doris street, Dorchester, 5 days; Anne Lynskey, 52 Telsa street, Medford, 3 days; Loretta Lynch, 270 Huntington avenue, 5 days; Claire McCue, 74 Robinwood road, Dedham, 1 day; Catherine McGuinness, 14 Alsen road, Dorchester, Blanche McDonough, 2 days; Marguerite Mackesey, 79 First street, Medford, 3 days; Mary R. Mahan, 29 Kempton street, 7 days; Mary Murphy, 37 Hampden Circle, Wollaston, 2 days; Audrey Mailhot, 30 Walton street, Dorchester, 3 days; Angelina Mullaney, 1235 Trapelo road, Waltham, 1 day; Marion O'Boyle, 27 Magazine street, Roxbury, 4 days; Dora Picarsky, 31 Edison Green, Dorchester, Alyce N. Powers, 67 Prospect avenue, Wollaston, 3 days; Romaine Riley, 171 Humboldt avenue, Roxbury, 2 days; Bernice Smith, 105 Walnut avenue, Roxbury, Verna Snow, 75 Damon avenue, Melrose, 3 days; Helen Spillane, 499 Park street, Stoughton, 5 days; Margaret M. Sullivan, 28 Weymouth street, Holbrook, 7 days; Florence Sullivan, 1

day; Josephine Trippe, 80 Orleans street, East Boston, 3 days; Esther Bandlow, 5 Reddy avenue, Hyde Park, Mary Fraser, 99 Norway street, Rita McCallum, 162 Bowdoin street, Dorchester, 1 day.

The following doctor has been appointed:

James E. Bryan, junior assistant resident, Medical II and IV, $112 a month.

South Division.

For the week ending July 19:

The following permanent employee has been appointed:

Violet D. Quagliozzi, 745 Massachusetts avenue, floor nurse, $65.50 a week.

The following temporary employee has been appointed:

Harry A. Lang, 1148 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Appointments or Reinstatements.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Edward P. Conners, 134 O'Callaghan Way, South Boston, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

CITY PLANNING BOARD.

Joan L. Kennedy, 46 Country Club Lane, Belmont, planning assistant, $65.50 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Alice K. Daly, 17 Bowditch road, principal bacteriologist, $90.50 a week.

Marion Lamb, 31 Parkton road, Jamaica Plain, head bacteriologist, $113 a week.

Carolyn Galassi, 18 Leicester road, pharmacist, $68 a week.

Ann Murray, 34 Wentworth street, telephone worker, $55.50 a week.

David Korff, 573 Norfolk street, Dorchester, clerk, $43 a week.

Long Island Division.

Richard A. Block, 414 Beacon street, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

Catherine T. Sears, 31 Elmdale street, Dorchester, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Joseph S. Ayoub, 23 Bertson avenue, West Roxbury, assistant corporation counsel, staff counsel, $99.73 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Kenneth F. Coffey, 27 Pleasant street, Dorchester, lifeguard, $50.50 a week.

Donald P. Lydon, 74 Moseley street, Dorchester, lifeguard, $50.50 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Automotive Division.

Patrick C. Burns, 13 Adams street, Roxbury, laborer-watchman, $58 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Freida C. Wheeler, 125 Ruthven street, Roxbury, clerk and typist, $50.50 a week.

Changes in Status.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Joseph A. Walling, 20 St. Albans road, Roxbury, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior clerk and typist (temporary, 3 months), at $55.50 a week.

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING JULY 26.

GAS FITTER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
E. Mogel	1190 Bennington street	1	New appliances	$150
E. Mogel	122 Bowdoin street	6	New appliances	12
I. Melfer	195 Broadway	3	New appliances	30
W. Hogan	175 Calumet street	10	New appliances	50
E. Mogel	523A Columbus avenue	4	New appliances	50
W. Hogan	192 Commonwealth avenue	5	New appliances	13
W. Hogan	19 Cortes street	5	New appliances	15
P. Winnick	1084B Dorchester avenue	13	New appliances	35
E. Mogel	46 Dwight street	3	New appliances	13
W. DeLinzo	158 Falcon street	1	New appliances	25
E. Mogel	49 Greenwich street	9	New appliances	30
E. Mogel	3 Lyndeboro' place	5	New appliances	12
J. Wilson	347 Main street	2	New appliances	30
A. Granara	60 Myrtle street	5	New appliances	12
B. Meiler	35 Newport street	13	New appliances	15
W. Hogan	742 Parker street	10	New appliances	50
S. Kramer	192 Savin Hill avenue	13	New appliances	150
W. Hogan	175 School street	11	New appliances	100
W. Hogan	70 Station street	9	New appliances	25
F. Kozell	76 Summer street	3	New appliances	50
W. Hogan	1500 Tremont street	10	New appliances	25
P. Ratenburg	1415 Washington street	3	New appliances	35
E. Mogel	3 West Canton street	9	New appliances	21
M. Lotisherman	64 Woodstock street	21	New appliances	25
P. Murtha	11 Alicia road	17	New appliances	35
P. Murtha	8 Ashland street	16	New appliances	40
P. Murtha	36 Belden street	7	New appliances	50
P. Clancy	69 Brimmer street	8	New appliances	350
E. Fannell	1141 Centre street	20	New appliances	40
E. Fannell	101 Como road	18	New appliances	75
D. Oneill	3 Dallas place	10	New appliances	60
S. Slavet	114 F street	6	New appliances	300
P. Murtha	415 Geneva street	14	New appliances	45
G. Gould	28 Goldsmith street	19	New appliances	50
D. Oneill	93 Goodenough street	22	New appliances	12
D. Oneill	5 Hardy street	7	New appliances	20
P. Murtha	10 Howe street	15	New appliances	12
H. Hinckley	69 South Huntington avenue	11	New appliances	25
P. Murtha	73 Milton street	17	New appliances	12
D. Oneill	296 Neponset avenue	16	New appliances	10
J. Thomas	636 River street	18	New appliances	25
P. Murtha	32 Roslin street	17	New appliances	12
E. Fannell	10 Royal street	22	New appliances	25
P. Murtha	1 Shafter street	17	New appliances	48
P. Murtha	17 Stockton street	14	New appliances	25
P. Murtha	48 Stonehurst street	15	New appliances	12
S. Kramer	1000 Washington street	3	New appliances	50
D. Oneill	52 Welles avenue	17	New appliances	10
P. Murtha	103 Wheatland avenue	17	New appliances	20
J. Stilman	218 Anderson street	5	New appliances	250
A. Kellan	142 Athens street	6	New appliances	50
S. Pryor	115 Bartlett place	3	New appliances	60
N. Clark	12 Brahms street	20	New appliances	400
N. Clark	10 Carroll street	20	New appliances	300
D. Greenwood	790 Centre street	19	New appliances	10
E. Fannell	1692 Commonwealth avenue	21	New appliances	100
N. Clark	80 Corbet street	17	New appliances	300
N. Clark	32 Crawford street	12	New appliances	300
P. Janis	34 Day street	10	New appliances	40
N. Clark	14 Holiday street	15	New appliances	300
S. Slishman	19 Maida terrace	18	New appliances	31
C. Gorniani	319 Maverick street	1	New appliances	25
D. Greenwood	22 Wenham street	19	New appliances	20
R. Cook	259 West Newton street	4	New appliances	20
J. Flynn	2 Arborcrest terrace	11	New appliances	15
P. Russo	150 Arlington street	18	New appliances	170
W. Connell	343 Ashmont street	16	New appliances	2
J. Flynn	75 Astoria street	18	New appliances	212
P. Gulesian	172 Austin street	18	New appliances	200
P. Gulesian	559 Bennington street	1	New appliances	30
P. Gulesian	686 Bennington street	1	New appliances	25
W. Connell	1 Berkshire street	16	New appliances	25
J. Flynn	35 Bernard street	14	New appliances	60
J. Flynn	103 Birch street	14	New appliances	50
P. Russo	57 Blake street	18	New appliances	160
J. Flynn	32 Blakeville street	15	New appliances	30
J. Flynn	150 Bowdoin street	15	New appliances	45
W. Connell	3 Briarcliff street	18	New appliances	20
W. Connell	251 Causeway street	3	New appliances	200
E. Pasucci	330 Chelsea street	1	New appliances	30
J. Flynn	51 Clarkson street	15	New appliances	100
G. Trethewey	126 Colberg avenue	20	New appliances	30
J. Vogal	318 Cummins Highway	18	New appliances	150
P. Gulesian	55 Davison street	18	New appliances	75
J. Flynn	86 Deering street	16	New appliances	100
D. Horgan	386 Dorchester avenue	7	New appliances	20
J. Vogal	623 East Fifth street	7	New appliances	20
J. Flynn	1 Fernald street	15	New appliances	25
	90 Gainsborough street	4	New appliances	1
J. Flynn	232 Geneva avenue	1	New appliances	68
N. Clark	198 Green street	11	New appliances	400
S. Landue	113 Harvard avenue	21	New appliances	50
S. Landue	23 Hendry street	15	New appliances	30
J. Vogal	15 Hewlett street	18	New appliances	50
J. Vogal	38 Homes street	15	New appliances	600
P. Gulesian	1482 Hyde Park avenue	18	New appliances	200
J. Flynn	17 Inwood street	15	New appliances	120
D. Horgan	29 Jenkins street	7	New appliances	30
A. Granara	76 Leverett street	3	New appliances	65
A. Granara	27 Lyndhurst street	17	New appliances	300
P. Gulesian	12 Marcy road	18	New appliances	14
P. Russo	18 Mason street	18	New appliances	20
P. Russo	434 Massachusetts avenue	9	New appliances	50
P. Russo	403 Meridian street	1	New appliances	25

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING JULY 26—Concluded.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
J. Flynn	1 Newcroft circle	18	New appliances	$25
A. Granara	229 North street	3	New appliances	25
D. Greenwood	256 Paris street	1	New appliances	50
J. Flynn	22 Pleasant street	13	New appliances	25
P. Gulesian	82 Providence street	18	New appliances	200
P. Gulesian	704 Saratoga street	18	New appliances	25
G. Trethewey	117 Sycamore street	18	New appliances	175
P. Russo	739 Truman Highway	18	New appliances	325
J. Vogal	28 Tyndale street	20	New appliances	140
J. Vogal	129 Tyndale street	20	New appliances	140
G. Trethewey	66 Walter street	20	New appliances	35
G. Trethewey	895 Washington street	3	New appliances	20
A. Granara	58 West Cedar street	5	New appliances	30
D. Horgan	273 West Fifth street	7	New appliances	30
D. Horgan	242 West Fourth street	6	New appliances	40
J. Flynn	30 Wheatland street	17	New appliances	75
P. Gulesian	216 Wood avenue	18	New appliances	200
W. Connell	126 Woodrow avenue	14	New appliances	50

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM PLUMBING FOR THE WEEK ENDING JULY 26.

Plumber.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
E. Fannell	29 Bentley street	22	New appliances	$350
L. Mahoney	2 Burgess street	17	New appliances	1,500
W. Cooper	7 Courtney road	20	New appliances	2,000
D. Ayers	821 Cummins Highway	18	New appliances	1,200
E. Fannell	82 Dustin street	22	New appliances	200
M. Miller	20 Dwight street	3	New appliances	500
E. Fannell	73 Hawthorne street	18	New appliances	600
A. Rinaldi	18 Maverick street	1	New appliances	500
S. Slavet	277 Metropolitan avenue	18	New appliances	900
S. Slishman	2 Wilmington street	17	New appliances	800
S. Litman	Blue Hill avenue	12	New appliances	165
L. Mahoney	25 Leighton road	18	New appliances	547
L. Mahoney	29 Leighton road	18	New appliances	547
L. Mahoney	33 Leighton road	18	New appliances	547
L. Mahoney	37 Leighton road	18	New appliances	547
L. Mahoney	31 Leighton road	18	New appliances	547
L. Mahoney	45 Leighton road	18	New appliances	547
L. Mahoney	49 Leighton road	18	New appliances	547
L. Mahoney	53 Leighton road	18	New appliances	547
L. Mahoney	57 Leighton road	18	New appliances	547
L. Mahoney	61 Leighton road	18	New appliances	547
L. Mahoney	65 Leighton road	18	New appliances	547
E. Ouellette	86 Safford street	18	New appliances	950
E. Ouellette	88 Safford street	18	New appliances	950
S. Schulman	12 Malcolm road	19	New appliances	1,000
J. Sullivan	33 Percival street	15	New appliances	200
D. Greenwood	22 Wenham street	19	New appliances	200
S. Speers	126 Bryant street	20	New appliances	300
D. Ranlidie	73 Carver street	5	New appliances	300
D. Ranlidie	1704 Centre street	20	New appliances	400
J. Vogel	403 Commonwealth avenue	5	New appliances	700
D. Corey	286 Congress street	3	New appliances	875
D. Elrich	74 Florida street	17	New appliances	100
P. Gulesian	39 Gwinnett street	18	New appliances	770
J. Thomas	46 Hereford street	5	New appliances	900
J. Vogel	15 Hewlett street	18	New appliances	150
D. Greenwood	68 McBride street	19	New appliances	65
D. Greenwood	41 Mendelssohn street	20	New appliances	450
D. Greenwood	48 Newburn street	19	New appliances	700
S. Landue	509 Park Drive	21	New appliances	1,200
G. Trethewey	117 Sycamore street	18	New appliances	175
J. Vogel	129 Tyndale street	20	New appliances	300
S. Kramer	1000 Washington street	3	New appliances	500
S. Shulman	3 Corman road	18	New appliances	900
S. Shulman	5 Corman road	18	New appliances	900
S. Shulman	9 Corman road	18	New appliances	900
S. Shulman	7 Corman road	18	New appliances	900
J. McMannon	36 Cornell street	18	New appliances	900
J. Keerham	160 Commonwealth avenue	5	New appliances	850
J. Keerham	16 Faraday street	18	New appliances	900
S. Shulman	74 Favre street	18	New appliances	900
S. Shulman	78 Favre street	18	New appliances	900
J. McMannon	18 Hawthorne street	18	New appliances	900
J. McMannon	40 Ivory street	19	New appliances	900
S. Shulman	38 Messinger street	18	New appliances	900
S. Shulman	41 Messinger street	18	New appliances	900
S. Shulman	42 Messinger street	18	New appliances	900
S. Shulman	45 Messinger street	18	New appliances	900
S. Shulman	46 Messinger street	18	New appliances	900
S. Shulman	49 Messinger street	18	New appliances	900
S. Shulman	50 Messinger street	18	New appliances	900
S. Shulman	54 Messinger street	18	New appliances	900
S. Shulman	1404 River street	18	New appliances	900
J. McMannon	18 Thompson street	18	New appliances	900

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Mildred Erkander, 82 St. Stephen street, from head nurse at $70.50 a week to supervising nurse at $73 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Automotive Division.

John Woods, 35 Mt. Everett street, Dorchester, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week to garage foreman at $63 a week.

Highway Division.

Thomas J. Sullivan, 47 Vassar street, Dorchester, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $63 a week to paver at $65.50 a week.

Survey Division.

Arthur J. Brickley, 52 Hallowell street, Mattapan, from junior civil engineer at $90.50 a week to assistant civil engineer at $98.75 a week.

Promotions.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Sanatorium Division.

Dr. William Whitcomb, 531 Common street, Dedham, from resident physician at $202 a month to resident surgeon at $252.30 a month.

VETERANS' SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Katherine E. Kelliher, 7 Greenmount street, Dorchester, from senior settlement clerk at $70.50 a week to veterans' services investigator at $73 a week.

Transfers.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Arthur E. Burke, 88 Draper street, Dorchester, from Boston Traffic Commission as senior clerk at $63 a week to Building Department as senior clerk at $63 a week.

Gertrude C. Ego, 124 River street, Mattapan, from Health Department as senior clerk at $65.50 a week to Building Department as senior clerk and typist at $65.50 a week.

Leaves of Absence.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Catherine Keating, 14 Sterling square, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $50.50 a week.

Step-Rate Increases.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

William Mooney, traffic sign maintenance man, from $58 to $63 a week.

ELECTION DEPARTMENT.

Mark McKinnon, assistant registrar of voters, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

William Corbett, laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Francie Dargon, laborer, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

Anthony J. DiOrio, laborer, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Raymond E. Doherty, swimming instructor, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

James J. Donovan, laborer, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

John Doocey, tree climber, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Arthur A. English, superintendent of park maintenance, from $103.50 to $108.25 a week.

Raymond Flaherty, machinist, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Theresa M. Gill, matron, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

John J. Hammond, general foreman of horticulture, from $87 to $90.50 a week.

William Hannon, laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Daniel F. Higgins, laborer, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Charles Hufnagle, gardener, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Charles D. Kane, laborer, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

James J. Kelley, motor equipment operator, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

John J. O'Neil, laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Charles Sheppard, park keeper, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Joseph Upton, park keeper, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Sumner Tunnel.

Frederick Scanlon, electrician-operator, from $80 to $83.50 a week.

Thomas D. Welch, electrician-operator, from $80 to $83.50 a week.

Water Division.

William P. Austin, water meter reader, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Mario P. Calabruso, water service repairman, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

James R. Carson, motor equipment operator and laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Thomas P. Flaherty, water service inspector, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Miriam Greenfield, clerk and typist, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

Miriam Greenfield, temporary senior account clerk, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Edward W. Neumier, water meter reader, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Emilio Porcaro, water service repairman, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Joseph A. Sullivan, plumber and leading water meter installer, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

John J. Walsh, water service repairman, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Harold F. Watts, water service repairman, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Marion E. MacAdam, senior clerk and typist, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Marion E. MacAdam, principal account clerk (temporary), from $65.50 to $68 a week.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Civil Business.

Gerard M. Hennegan, principal clerk, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

John Paul Morrison, cashier, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Mary E. Coleran, senior clerk, from $65.08 to $68 a week.

George E. Dunn, senior clerk, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Thomas Maguire, clerk, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Mary F. Harrington, clerk, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING JULY 26.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Martin Lawless	116 Conant street	10	Alterations, dwelling	$1,562
W. O'Brien	116–120 Broadway	5	Sign, cafe	175
A. Cronin	10 Walk Hill street	19	Sign, market	175
H. Gaghian	100 Chandler street	4	Sign, cafe	175
M. McCarthy	7 Halborn street	18	Alterations, dwelling	1,050
Joseph Blain	66 Greenfield street	18	Alterations, dwelling	1,749
James Dunbar	40 Veterans of Foreign Wars Parkway.	20	Alterations, dwelling	849
Harry Brown	26 Pine Ridge road	17	Alterations, dwelling	900
Gardener Bates	44 Elm street	2	Alterations, dwelling	220
P. Ochohowski	15 Coleman street	18	Alterations, dwelling	500
Mr. Talmieri	53 Whitford street	18	Alterations, dwelling	250
William Ansell	22 Edge Hill street	10	Alterations, dwelling	450
J. Mariano	16 Neponset avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	375
L. Hollman	83 Wensley street	10	Alterations, dwelling	300
Salvation Army	55 Cambridge street	3	Alterations, dwelling	250
David W. Wood	79 Harrison avenue	3	Alterations, dwelling	350
J. Sullivan	47 Parkton road	10	Alterations, dwelling	400
J. Doran	469 East Sixth street	7	Alterations, dwelling	300
Rose River	366 West Broadway	6	Alterations, dwelling	400
Jos. Kramer	141 N street	6	Alterations, dwelling	25
Dr. James Bailey	62 Arborway	19	Alterations, dwelling	600
A. J. Rail	488 Tremont street	5	Alterations, dwelling	995
William Lawton	39 Neponset avenue	16	Alterations, dwelling	400
Joe Casidey	20 Treadway street	15	Alterations, dwelling	250
Anthony Bonanno	6 Cushing avenue	15	Alterations, dwelling	900
John DiMauro	226 Chelsea street	1	Alterations, dwelling	500
Robert Lee	26 Windom street	22	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Emmett Pullman	35 Elm street	2	Alterations, dwelling	260
Jerry Caprerallo	242 Bremen street	1	Alterations, dwelling	450
Edward Walsh	53 Hobson street	22	Alterations, dwelling	1,200
Kennard Hochard	74 Aldie street	22	Alterations, dwelling	1,400
Martin Company	249–253 Harvard street	14	Alterations, dwelling	950
J. Driscoll	848 Beacon street	21	Alterations, dwelling	170
Frank Spring	8 Spring Garden street	13	Alterations, dwelling	490
Church Realty Company	100 Belvidere street	4	Take-down, dwelling	1,800
Church Realty Company	102 Belvidere street	4	Take-down, dwelling	1,800
Church Realty Company	104 Belvidere street	4	Take-down, dwelling	1,800
Church Realty Company	106 Belvidere street	4	Take-down, dwelling	1,800
Church Realty Company	108 Belvidere street	4	Take-down, dwelling	1,800
Frank Sullivan	1115 Hyde Park avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	50
Adile Burkowski	223 West Fifth street	6	Fire escape, dwelling	350
Jerome Sullivan	106 Woodrow avenue	14	Alterations, dwelling	950
Mr. Kolodny	327 Blue Hill avenue	12	Alterations, dwelling	140
Peter Charlton	4040 Washington street	19	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
M. Lounsbery	66 Montclair avenue	20	Alterations, dwelling	110
Stuart Long	26 Gould street	20	Alterations, dwelling	800
Allen Realty Company	15 Huntington avenue	4	Sign, store	100
M. Huntington	50 Mystic street	2	Fire escape, dwelling	80
J. Butler	111 Beacon street	5	Alterations, dwelling	350
Edward Fannell	82 Dustin street	22	Alterations, dwelling	250
S. Weiner	7 Fottler road	14	Alterations, dwelling	1,900
David Kaplian	29 Leyland street	8	Alterations, dwelling	920
David Kaplian	27 Leyland street	8	Alterations, dwelling	920
James McCrean	25 Hollander street	12	Alterations, dwelling	1,800
Edward Cutter	72–80 Freeport street	15	Alterations, dwelling	900
Patrick Whoney	42 Larchmont street	19	Alterations, dwelling	700
J. Higgins	67 Richfield street	15	Alterations, dwelling	595
Rickshaw, Inc	42 Stuart street	3	Alterations, dwelling	300
Harry Smith	35 Havelock street	14	Alterations, dwelling	75
Albert Carpenter	647 Atlantic avenue	3	Alterations, dwelling	900
Albert Carpenter	647 Atlantic avenue	3	Sign, store	900
Charles Caruso	223 Washington street	14	Alterations, dwelling	200
Nathan Rutstein	30 Fessenden street	19	Alterations, dwelling	250
Michael Grendal	945 South street	20	Alterations, dwelling	300
J. O'Sullivan	576 East Eighth street	7	Alterations, dwelling	350
Lincoln Oil Company	226 Harvard avenue	21	Alterations, store	400
George Gioshes	9 Wensley street	10	Alterations, dwelling	500
Mary Eastman	538 and 540 E Eighth street	7	Alterations, dwelling	300
M. Peirlman	Blue Hill avenue	14	Alterations, dwelling	350
First National Bank	897 Washington street	3	Alterations, dwelling	35
Mr. Silk	114 Wellington Hill street	14	Alterations, dwelling	375
Mr. Silk	110 Wellington Hill street	14	Alterations, dwelling	230
L. Arone	108 Bremen street	1	Alterations, dwelling	475
C. C. Candy Shop	1066 Blue Hill avenue	14	Alterations, dwelling	25
BNS Realty Company	2 Lawrence avenue	2	Alterations, dwelling	975
A. Brenberg	31–39 Allerton street	8	Alterations, dwelling	950
Joseph Lencen	60 Seymour street	19	Alterations, dwelling	1,680
Mario Enos	196 Putnam street	1	Alterations, dwelling	1,100
Joseph Tama	37 Garth road	20	Alterations, dwelling	1,900
A. Rangie	173 Princeton street	1	Alterations, dwelling	900
A. Ternerini	10 Prescott street	1	Alterations, dwelling	875
Sergio Poggi	18 Myrtlebank avenue	16	Alterations, dwelling	482
William Ansell	22 Edge Hill street	10	Alterations, dwelling	450
Thomas Maloney	34 Marshfield street	8	Alterations, dwelling	500
Krikor Mikhitarian	153 West Ninth street	7	Alterations, dwelling	450
A. McDonnell	26 Knoll street	20	Alterations, dwelling	695
Mario Ciardiello	21 and 23 Edgemont street	20	Alterations, dwelling	450
Joseph Hohmann	77 Farquhar street	20	Alterations, dwelling	830
Fanny Kalm	35 Lawrence avenue	14	Alterations, dwelling	300
Simplex Company	90 Revere street	5	Alterations, dwelling	100
Hanley's Bakery	1884 Beacon street	20	Alterations, dwelling	150
Stuart Hastings	278 Clarendon street	5	Alterations, dwelling	75
Morris Davis	89 Walnut avenue	12	Alterations, dwelling	250
Supreme Spirits Company	15 Dock square	3	Alterations, dwelling	500
Church Realty Company	159 Huntington avenue	4	Alterations, dwelling	400
Church Realty Company	161 Huntington avenue	4	Alterations, dwelling	400
Jacob Riniek	170 Quincy street	13	Alterations, dwelling	600
Howard J. Witt	66 and 68 Wheatland avenue	17	Alterations, dwelling	600
Harvard College	10 Harvard Way	22	Alterations, dwelling	900
Mrs. Jane Canavan	25 Sydney street	13	Alterations, dwelling	450
Carl Foster	171 Broadway	3	Alterations, dwelling	490
Patrick A. DeGiso	626 Dudley street	8	Alterations, dwelling	500

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING JULY 26.—Concluded.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
James and Glenorm DeGiso	4 Lantern Lane	20	Fire repair, dwelling	$200
Adato Yanulin	35 and 37 Cheverus road	16	Alterations, dwelling	50
Joseph Magnolha	198 State street	3	Fire escape, dwelling	175
James L. McCormick	202 State street	3	Fire escape, dwelling	150
Parks Sausage & Provison Co.	200 State street	3	Fire escape, office	475
Stony Brook Village Corp	Belnap road, 8 parcels	18	Eight dwellings	64,000
Stony Brook Village Corp	Dodge road, 10 parcels	18	Ten dwellings	88,000
Stony Brook Village Corp	Joan court, 18 parcels	18	Eighteen dwellings	152,000
Stony Brook Village Corp	Leighton road, 30 parcels	18	Thirty dwellings	248,000
Stony Brook Village Corp	Perry court, 5 parcels	18	Five dwellings	40,000
N. Warwick & Sons	25 Nevada street	17	Dwelling	10,000
N. Warwick & Sons	29 Nevada street	17	Dwelling	10,000
John McDonald	11 Prospect park	18	Dwelling	10,075
A. Gobbi	5 Woodland road	19	Dwelling	19,000
Paul Babson	214 Newbury street	5	Alterations, offices	1,000
R. Campbell	102 Oakmere street	20	Dwelling	9,900
D. Lucozzi	8 Thacher court	3	Garage	800
A. W. Perry	585 Washington street	3	Alterations, offices	6,000
Ralph Carpenter	588–622 Washington street	3	Alterations, offices	8,000
T. Durhan	2 West Hill Place	5	Alterations, lodging house	2,000
T. Durhan	3 West Hill Place	5	Alterations, lodging house	2,000
Henry Lozell	64 Lasell street	20	Dwelling	9,000
Ruben Wilson	63 Clifford street	12	Alterations, dwelling	2,000
Grampa Brothers	27 Chiffmont street	18	Dwelling	9,000
Stuart Hastings	278 Clarendon street	5	Alterations, dwelling	10,000
Rachel Ceicarello	140 Bayswater street	1	Alterations, dwelling	2,000
Rocco Panciocio	1408 River street	18	Dwelling	9,000
Oakfield Corporation	515 Freeport street	16	Use of premises	None
City of Boston	621 Albany street	8	Alterations, offices	$7,000
Charles Hanse	15 Freeland street	18	Dwelling	9,000
Regent Realty Company	89 Intervale street	15	Alterations, dwelling	2
Joseph Russo	317 Main street	2	Garage	170
Jnseph Russo	89 Intervale street	14	Alterations, dwelling	9,000
Mary Michael	10 Sparhawk street	22	Alterations, dwelling	320
Sandies, Inc	209 Tremont street	5	Alterations, store	3,000
National Shawmut Bank	10 Water street	3	Alterations, bank office	13,000
Annie Freeman	156–160 Wellington Hill st.	14	Alterations, store	1,750
N. Warrington	159 Wilmington avenue	17	Dwelling	10,000
C. Hennessey	211 Manthorne road	20	Dwelling	9,000
Samuel Kaplain	991 Massachusetts avenue	8	Use of premises	None
J. Keenan	124 Needham road	18	Alterations, dwelling	$9,820
Franciscan Fathers	18 North Bennet street	3	Alterations, school	50,000
Joseph Mayo	16 Pinckney street	5	Alterations, dwelling	3,700
Rickshaw, Inc	42 Stuart street	3	Alterations, restaurant	5,000
F. Cooniff	82 Oakmere street	20	Dwelling	9,000
Paul Babson	210 and 212 Newbury street	5	Alterations, dwelling	15,000
Dovercraft, Inc	261 West street	18	Dwelling	32,000
Dovercraft, Inc	263 West street	18	Dwelling	32,000
Dovercraft, Inc	60 Garfield street	18	Dwelling	32,000
M. Rachel	226 Marlborough street	5	Alterations, offices	4,000
A. W. Perry, Inc	577 Washington street	3	Alterations, offices	6,000
First National Bank	67 Milk street	3	Alterations, offices	6,000
Northeastern University	360 Huntington avenue	4	Alterations, classrooms	9,000
Northeastern University	346 Huntington avenue	4	Alterations, classrooms	900
Northeastern University	370 Huntington avenue	4	School	150,000
Shepard Company	50 School street	3	Alterations, hotel	25,000
A. J. Cobb	144–145 Tremont street	3	Alterations, store	6,000
Dickerson Realty	909 Massachusetts avenue	8	Penthouse	500
Richard Keeting	6 Stanbro street	18	Dwelling	9,000
E. Banchottle	35 Hazelmere road	20	Dwelling	113,430
Gordon College	22 Evans Way	4	Alterations, dwelling	3,000
Gordon College	26 Evans Way	4	Alterations, dwelling	3,000
W. Clark	9 Freeman avenue	20	Alterations, dwelling	990
Rev. Richard J. Cushing	21 Isabella street	5	Alterations, dwelling	15,000
Mary McDonald	6 and 8 Hazelmere road	20	Alterations, dwelling	700
Columbia Life Insurance Co.	91 Franklin street	3	Alterations, dwelling	3,700
Howard Witt	66 and 68 Wheatland avenue	17	Alterations, dwelling	600
Stuart Hastings	278 Clarendon street	5	Alterations, dwelling	75
Morris Davis	89 Walnut avenue	12	Alterations, dwelling	2,500
Jacob Rinick	170 Quincy street	13	Alterations, dwelling	600
Hanley's Bakery	1884 Centre street	20	Alterations, dwelling	150
Supreme Spirits Company	15 Dock square	3	Alterations, dwelling	500
Church Realty Company	159 Huntington avenue	4	Alterations, dwelling	400
Church Realty Company	161 Huntington avenue	4	Alterations, dwelling	400
Carl Foster	171 Broadway	3	Alterations, dwelling	490
Patrick Gieso	626 Dudley street	8	Alterations, dwelling	400
James DeSoto	4 Lantern Lane	20	Fire repairs, dwelling	200
A. Yanulin	35 and 37 Cheverus road	16	Alterations, dwelling	300
Joseph Masrangelli	198 State street	3	Alterations, dwelling	175
James L. McCormick	202 State street	3	Fire escape, dwelling	150
Parks Sausage Provision Co.	200 State street	3	Fire escape, dwelling	175
Harvard College	10 Harvard Way	22	Alterations, dwelling	900
James Canavan	25 Sydney street	13	Alterations, dwelling	450
W. Weinberg	7 Spencer street	17	Alterations, dwelling	100
Rev. Matthew Staple	845 East Fifth street	6	Alterations, dwelling	650
Annie Corsie	92 Westover street	20	Alterations, dwelling	375
Ralph Hurton	601–601 Newbury street	5	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
William Persoll	372 K street	7	Alterations, dwelling	350
M. Joyce	663 East Fifth street	7	Alterations, dwelling	50
M. Joyce	663A East Fifth street	7	Fire escape, dwelling	50

STEP-RATE INCREASES.

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EAST BOSTON DISTRICT COURT.

Carol A. DeCristoforo, clerk, from $93.53 to $98.96 semimonthly.

L. Dorothy Salamone, clerk, from $101.40 to $109.84 semimonthly.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following requests:

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

John H. Flanagan, chief power plant engineer, 40 hours at $2.175 an hour; Hector Campbell, building maintenance supervisor, 24 hours at $2.087 an hour.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

John J. Donovan, 8 hours, $17.40; Brainerd Hughes, 8 hours, $16.70; John R. Murphy, 8 hours, $10.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award the contracts for work, materials, and supplies, in accordance with recommendations of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Purchasing Division.

Upon April 1 the Mayor approved a contract with lowest bidders as indicated for furnishing fuel oil and kerosene to the various city departments, from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, inclusive. Approximate total amounts of contracts were as follows:

Metropolitan Coal Company, $233,700; Boston Ice Company, Division of American Ice Company, $196,587.50; Union Oil Company of Boston, $142,042.75; Esso Standard Oil Company, $96,860; White Fuel Corporation, $84,432; Neptune Oil Corporation, $6,804.

Discount for Union Oil Company of Boston is 2 per cent, time of payment; for all other companies, net.

Bids, opened March 22, were as follows:

Heavy Fuel Oil.

Price Per Barrel of 42 U. S. Gallons at 60° F.

Boston City Hospital, 95,000.—Esso Standard Oil Company, $2.47; Metropolitan Coal Company, $2.46*; New England Petroleum Corporation, $2.57; Union Oil Company, $2.525; White Fuel Corporation, $2.472; Burton Furber Coal Company, $2.42, plus 11 cents.

Boston Sanatorium, 25,000.—Esso Standard Oil Company, $2.493; Metropolitan Coal Company, $2.517; New England Petroleum Corporation, $2.50; Union Oil Company, $2.525; White Fuel Corporation, $2.472*; Burton Furber Coal Company, $2.42, plus 11.2 cents.

Long Island, 35,000. — Metropolitan Coal Company, $2.517; New England Petroleum Corporation, $2.49; Union Oil Company, $2.525*; White Fuel Corporation, $2.504; Burton Furber Coal Company, $2.42, plus 9.5 cents.

Deer Island, 22,000.—Esso Standard Oil Company, $2.435*; Metropolitan Coal Company, $2.517; New England Petroleum Corporation, $2.49; Union Oil Company, $2.525; Burton Furber Coal Company, $2.42, plus 21 cents.

City Hall Annex, 3,000.—Esso Standard Oil Company, $2.47; Metropolitan Coal Company, $2.517; New England Petroleum Corporation, $2.50; Union Oil Company, $2.525; White Fuel Corporation, $2.46*; Burton Furber Coal Company, $2.42, plus 12 cents.

First Corps of Cadets Armory, 1,200.—Esso Standard Oil Company, $2.47; Metropolitan Coal Company, $2.517; New England Petroleum Corporation, $2.50; Union Oil Company, $2.525; White Fuel Corporation, $2.46*; Burton Furber Coal Company, $2.42, plus 17 cents.

Suffolk County Courthouse, 18,000.—Esso Standard Oil Company, $2.405*; Metropolitan Coal Company, $2.517; New England Petroleum Corporation, $2.50; Union Oil Company, $2.525; White Fuel Corporation, $2.495; Burton Furber Coal Company, $2.42, plus 16 cents.

Fire Headquarters, 115 Southampton Street, 5,000.—Esso Standard Oil Company, $2.47; Metropolitan Coal Company, $2.517; New England Petroleum Corporation, $2.49; Union Oil Company, $2.525; White Fuel Corporation, $2.46*; Burton Furber Coal Company, $2.42, plus 17 cents.

Location of Storage Tanks.—Esso Standard Oil Company, 30 Beacham street,

Everett; Metropolitan Coal Company, Chelsea, South Boston, Quincy; New England Petroleum Corporation, Quincy; Union Oil Company, Revere; White Fuel Corporation, 900 East First street; Burton Furber Coal Company, C. H. Sprague & Son Company, South Boston and North Weymouth.

Capacity.—Esso Standard Oil Company, 180,000 barrels; Metropolitan Coal Company, 385,000 barrels; New England Petroleum Corporation, 125,000 barrels; Union Oil Company, 600,000 barrels; White Fuel Corporation, 1,500,000 barrels; Burton Furber Coal Company, 380,000 barrels.

Source of Supply.—Esso Standard Oil Company, Esso Standard Oil Company; Metropolitan Coal Company, Gulf Oil Corporation; New England Petroleum Corporation, Shell Asiatic; Union Oil Company, Texas Company; White Fuel Corporation, Esso Standard Oil Company; Burton Furber Coal Company, (*a*).

Number of Trucks, Size.—Esso Standard Oil Company, 10, 1,600 to 4,000 gallons each; Metropolitan Coal Company, 58, 2,400 to 4,500 gallons each; New England Petroleum Corporation, 21, 1,500 to 5,000 gallons each; Union Oil Company, 22, 3,550 to 4,800 gallons each; White Fuel Corporation, 48, 1,500 to 4,600 gallons each; Burton Furber Coal Company, (*b*).

(*a*) Shell Caribbean — Petroleum Company with refineries in Houston, Texas, Venezuela, and the Netherlands, West Indies.

(*b*) Burton Furber Company Heavy Oil Trucks.

Capacity.	Compartments. A	B
4,670	—	—
4,500	3,000	1,500
4,150	—	—
3,515	1,560	1,955
3,200	1,600	1,600
3,160	1,500	1,660
3,000	1,500	1,500
2,600	—	—
2,180	600	1,580
1,500	700	800

Remarks.

Esso Standard Oil Company.— For delivery of Esso Bunker C fuel oil, No. 6, in full transport loads of 4,000 gallons each or over, the price shall be Esso Standard Oil Company's delivered price in effect at time of delivery.

Metropolitan Coal Company.— The prices quoted on this proposal are based on tank car price at Boston, Mass., at time and date of delivery as published in the *New York Journal of Commerce.* Today's posted tank car price is $2.42 per barrel.

New England Petroleum Corporation.— All prices for the deliveries of heavy and medium fuel oils submitted on proposal No. 57, date of opening, March 21, 1955, are based upon the Boston Harbor tank car prices for No. 6 and No. 5 fuel oils, respectively, as published by Esso Standard Oil Company, in the *New York Journal of Commerce,* effective on day of delivery.

Union Oil Company.—The price will increase or decrease in accordance with the posted tank car price at Boston on date of delivery.

White Fuel Corporation.—Prices quoted for heavy fuel oil are subject to increase or decrease by the same number of cents or fractions thereof, per barrel, that our posted tank car price increases or decreases. Our posted tank car price today for No. 6 oil is $2.42 per barrel.

Medium Fuel Oil.

Price Per Barrel of 42 U.S. Gallons at 60° F.

North End Pool, 150.—Esso Standard Oil Company, $3.40; Metropolitan Coal Company, $3.575; New England Petroleum Corporation, $3.49; Union Oil Company, $3.355*; White Fuel Corporation, $3.58.

Paris Street Gymnasium, East Boston, 1,300.—Esso Standard Oil Company, $3.40; Metropolitan Coal Company, $3.575; New England Petroleum Corporation, $3.47; Union Oil Company, $3.335*; White Fuel Corporation, $3.58.

L Street Bath, South Boston, 1,000.—Esso Standard Oil Company, $3.40; Metropolitan Coal Company, $3.755; New England Petroleum Corporation, $3.47; Union Oil Company, $3.355*; White Fuel Corporation, $3.58.

Various Health Units, 2,500.—Esso Standard Oil Company, $3.40; Metropolitan Coal Company, $3.575; New England Petroleum Corporation, $3.47; Union Oil Company, $3.355*; White Fuel Corporation, $3.58.

Printing Plant, North Street, 2,200.—Esso Standard Oil Company, $3.40; Metropolitan Coal Company, $3.347; New England Petroleum Corporation, $3.47; Union Oil Company, $3.335*; White Fuel Corporation, $3.32.

Chardon Street, Public Welfare, 1,500.—Esso Standard Oil Company, $3.40; Metropolitan Coal Company, $3.347; New England Petroleum Corporation, $3.47; Union Oil Company, $3.335*; White Fuel Corporation, $3.49.

South Boston Municipal Building, 1,300.—Esso Standard Oil Company, $3.40; Metropolitan Coal Company, $3.575; New England Petroleum Corporation, $3.47; Union Oil Company, $3.355*; White Fuel Corporation, $3.58.

Maurice J. Tobin Municipal Building, 1,300.—Esso Standard Oil Company, $3.40; Metropolitan Coal Company, $3.347; New England Petroleum Corporation, $3.47; Union Oil Company, $3.335*; White Fuel Corporation, $3.32.

Highland Street Garage, 900.—Esso Standard Oil Company, $3.40; Metropolitan Coal Company, $3.575; New England Petroleum Corporation, $3.47; Union Oil Company, $3.355*; White Fuel Corporation, $3.58.

Calf Pasture Pumping Station, 1,700.—Esso Standard Oil Company, $3.40; Metropolitan Coal Company, $3.347; New England Petroleum Corporation, $3.47; Union Oil Company, $3.335*; White Fuel Corporation, $3.32.

Albany Street Garage, 1,200.—Esso Standard Oil Company, $3.40; Metropolitan Coal Company, $3.575; New England Petroleum Corporation, $3.47; Union Oil Company, $3.355*; White Fuel Corporation, $3.58.

112 Southampton Street, Boston Traffic Commission, 1,000.—Esso Standard Oil Company, $3.40; Metropolitan Coal Company, $3.347; New England Petroleum Corporation, $3.47; Union Oil Company, $3.335*: White Fuel Corporation, $3.315.

Location of Storage Tanks.—Esso Standard Oil Company, Everett; Metropolitan Coal Company, Chelsea; New England Petroleum Corporation, Quincy; Union Oil Company, Revere; White Fuel Corporation, 900 East First Street.

Capacity.—Esso Standard Oil Company, 30,000 barrels; Metropolitan Coal Company, 200,000 barrels; New England Petroleum Corporation, 125,000 barrels; Union Oil Company, 600,000 barrels; White Fuel Corporation, 1,500,000 barrels.

Source of Supply.—Esso Standard Oil Company, Esso Standard Oil Company; Metropolitan Coal Company, Gulf Oil Corporation; New England Petroleum Corporation, Shell Asiatic; Union Oil Company, Texas Company; White Fuel Corporation, Esso Standard Oil Company.

Number of Trucks, Size.—Esso Standard Oil Company, 10, 1,600 to 4,000 gallons each; Metropolitan Coal Company, 58, 2,400 to 4,500 gallons each; New England Petroleum Corporation, 21, 1,500 to 5,000 gallons each; Union Oil Company, 22, 3,500 to 4,800 gallons each; White Fuel Corporation, 48, 1,500 to 4,600 gallons each.

Remarks.

Esso Standard Oil Company.—For delivery of Esso fuel oil, light, No. 5, in full transport loads of 3,000 gallons each or over, the price shall be Esso Standard Oil Company's delivered price in effect at time of delivery. Today's delivered price is $3.40 per barrel. For delivery of Esso fuel oil, light, No. 5, in full tank wagon loads (minimum delivery 1,500 gallons each) the price shall be Esso Standard Oil Company's delivered price in effect at time of delivery. Today's delivered price is $3.535 per barrel.

Metropolitan Coal Company.—The prices quoted on this proposal are based on the tank car price at Boston, Mass., at time and date of delivery as published in the *New York Journal of Commerce.* Today's posted tank car price is $3.25 per barrel.

New England Petroleum Corporation.—The above prices for medium fuel oil are based on minimum truck deliveries of 1,500 gallons each. However, on all transport truck deliveries of 3,600 gallons or more, a discount of 15 cents per barrel will be allowed.

White Fuel Corporation.—The above prices are subject to increase or decrease by the same number of cents or fractions thereof, per barrel, that our posted tank car price increases or decreases. Our posted tank car price today for No. 5 oil is $3.25 per barrel.

Light Fuel Oil.

Approximately 1,750,000 Gallons, Various City Departments, Per Gallon.—Boston Ice Company, 10.30 cents; Glendale Coal and Oil Company, 10.98 cents; Metropolitan Coal Company, 10.98 cents; White Fuel Corporation, 11.47 cents.

Location of Storage Tanks.—Boston Ice Company, Greater Boston; Glendale Coal and Oil Company, Revere; Metropolitan Coal Company, Chelsea, Neponset; White Fuel Corporation, 900 East First street.

Capacity of Tanks.—Boston Ice Company, 1,000,000 barrels; Glendale Coal and Oil Company, 35,000,000,000 barrels; Metropolitan Coal Company, 200,000 barrels; White Fuel Corporation, 1,500,000 barrels.

Source of Supply.—Boston Ice Company, White Fuel, Esso Standard, Atlantic Refinery; Glendale Coal and Oil Company, Texas Company; Metropolitan Coal Company, Gulf Oil Corporation; White Fuel Corporation, Esso Standard Oil Company.

Number of Trucks, Size.—Boston Ice Company, 4, 4,000 gallons, 14, retail, 2,000 gallons; Glendale Coal and Oil Company, 4, 3,000 gallons, 6, 2,400 gallons; Metropolitan Coal Company, 28, 2,200 to 2,600 gallons each; White Fuel Corporation, 48, 1,500 to 4,600 gallons each.

Remarks.

Boston Ice Company.—Today's posted tank car price at time of delivery, 10.30 cents, plus .505 cent, published in the *New York Journal of Commerce.*

Glendale Coal and Oil Company.—Boston tank car price at time of delivery plus .68 cent per gallon, 10.98 cents per gallon, present price.

Metropolitan Coal Company. Tank car plus .68 cent per gallon.

White Fuel Corporation. The above price is subject to increase or decrease by the same number of cents or fractions thereof, per gallon, that our posted tank car price increases or decreases. Our posted tank car price today for No. 2 oil is 10.3 cents per gallon.

Light Fuel Oil, Long Island Hospital, by Boat.

Approximately 54,000 Gallons.—Neptune Oil Corporation, 12.6 cents per gallon.*

Diesel Fuel Oil.

For Delivery Into the Bunkers of the Fire Department Boats "Marabout" and "Bulwark" Alongside Contractor's Dock.

Approximately 20,000 Gallons.—No bids.

Kerosene.

Approximately 50,000 Gallons.—Boston Ice Company, 15 cents per gallon, firm.*

Discount.—Boston Ice Company, net; Burton Furber Coal Company, net, 30 days (no discount for prompt payment); Esso Standard Oil Company, no discount, terms, net, 30 days; Glendale Coal and Oil Company, no discount; Metropolitan Coal Company, prices are net; Neptune Oil Corporation, none; New England Petroleum Corporation, net, no discount; Union Oil Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; White Fuel Corporation, terms are net.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon July 20 the Mayor approved a contract with Massachusetts Lumber Company, Inc., for furnishing spruce lumber to the Bridge Service of the Public Works Department. Approximate total amount of contract was $1,125, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids, opened July 11, were as follows:

Lumber.

10,000 Feet Board Measure, 2 Inches x 8 Inches x 16 Feet, Rough Spruce, Per M Board Feet.—Cobb Lumber Company, Inc., $117; General Builders Supply Company, $118.20; Massachusetts Lumber Company, $112.50.*

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—Cobb Lumber Company, Inc., immediate; General Builders Supply Company, 2 weeks; Massachusetts Lumber Company, 2 weeks.

Discount.—Cobb Lumber Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; General Builders Supply Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Massachusetts Lumber Company, 2 per cent, time of payment

* Contract awarded.

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Upon July 21 the Mayor approved a contract with William H. Field Company, Inc., for furnishing one band saw to the Sanitary Service of the Public Works Department. Approximate total amount of contract was $2,411, net, 30 days.

Bids, opened June 21, were as follows:

One 36-Inch Tannewitz, Type GH, Band Saw, or Equal, Delivered.—William H. Field Company, Inc., $2,411*; Woodcraft Supply Company, $1,390.

Make and Model Bid Upon.—William H. Field Company, Inc., 36-inch Tannewitz, Type GH, band saw (high speed), with 5-horsepower, 3-phase, 220-volt, A. C. motor; Woodcraft Supply Company, Crescent, Model BW36D5F, 36-inch, high-speed band saw, direct motor driven, 5-horsepower, 220-volt, 3-phase, 60-cycle.

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—William H. Field Company, Inc., 30 to 15 days.

Discount.—William H. Field Company, Inc., net, 30 days; Woodcraft Supply Company, 2 per cent, time of payment.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon July 21 the Mayor approved a contract with contractors as requested in the following letter:

BOSTON, July 21, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

Attached is tabulation of bids received on proposals for furnishing general clothing to the various city departments. These bids were publicly opened and read in this office on June 6, 1955.

Authority is requested to award contracts to the bidders at the prices checked on the accompanying tabulation. Each bidder was requested to submit samples for the various items and the awards have been made, in each instance, on the basis of the samples meeting specifications.

Approximate total amounts of contracts were as follows:

M. Hoffman & Co., Inc., $2,850, net; Barnet Zelmyer, doing business as Zelmar Mills, $1,757.50 less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Respectfully yours,

EUGENE K. WELSH,
Acting Purchasing Agent.

Bids were as follows:

General Clothing.

Requisition 755.

Item 1. 60 Dozen Men's Khaki Pants, As Specified, Per Dozen.—M. Hoffman & Co., Inc., $31.50.* $30, alternate A, $25.50, alternate B, (alternate A, button or zipper fly) (alternate B, button fly); Merchants Cash Corporation, $28; Taylor, Symonds Company, $27, 30 to 42, $30, 44 to 46; Zelmar Mills, $29.40.

Requisition 756.

Item 2. 40 Dozen Men's Khaki Shirts, As Per Specifications, Per Dozen.—M. Hoffman & Co., Inc., $24.* $22.50, alternate; Merchants Cash Corporation, $19; Taylor, Symonds Company, $19; Zelmar Mills, $21.

Requisition 757.

Item 3. 45 Dozen Men's Winter Weight Undershirts, As Per Specifications, Per Dozen.—Merchants Cash Corporation, $13.50, long sleeves; Taylor, Symonds Company, $16; Zelmar Mills, $16.75.*

Requisition 758.

Item 4. 45 Dozen Men's Winter Weight Underdrawers, As Per Specifications, Per Dozen.—Merchants Cash Corporation, $13.50; Taylor, Symonds Company, $16; Zelmar Mills, $16.75.*

Requisition 7943.

Item 5. 20 Dozen Binders, Sculletus, As Per Specifications, Per Dozen.—Taylor, Symonds Company, $14; Zelmar Mills, $13.*

Discount.—M. Hoffman & Co., Inc., net; Merchants Cash Corporation, net; Taylor, Symonds Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Zelmar Mills, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Best Delivery Date.—M. Hoffman & Co., Inc., at once; Merchants Cash Corporation, 15 days, Items 1 and 2, 30 days, Items 3 and 4; Taylor, Symonds Company, 10 to 15 days, Items 1, 2, 3, and 4, 10 to 20 days, Item 5; Zelmar Mills, Items 1 and 2 at once, Items 3, 4, 5, 3 weeks.

* Contract awarded.

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DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Upon July 20 the Mayor approved a contract with Industrial Welding Company for repairing and replacing parts of fire escapes and incidental work in connection with same at various schools. Bids, opened July 19, were as follows:

Industrial Welding Company, $14,829; Ri-Co Iron and Metal Works, $26,000; Quincy Ornamental Iron Works, $48,740.

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Upon July 20 the Mayor approved a contract with Joseph P. O'Hearn for additions and alterations to heating and ventilating system at the John Winthrop School. Bids, opened July 19, were as follows:

Joseph P. O'Hearn, $9,665; Joseph F. Dwyer, $9,888; J. W. Praught Company, $9,998; Eugene Rieciardelli, $10,731; Seltzer & Co., Inc., $10,795.

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Upon July 20 the Mayor approved a contract with Warner W. Walsh for interior and exterior painting at the East Boston High School. Bids, opened July 18, were as follows:

Warner W. Walsh, $11,347; R & F Painting Company, $11,594; John D. Ahern Company, Inc., $11,815; R. Tweed & Son, $11,883; Kabot Painting Company, $12,813; Cahn Painting Company, $15,400.

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Upon July 20 the Mayor approved a contract with Dixon Electric Appliance Company for furnishing and delivering electric refrigerators to various schools. Bids, opened July 18, were as follows:

Dixon Electric Appliance Company (Hotpoint Super-ster Model 5EB105), $2,188.45; General Electric Appliances Company, $2,194.50.

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Upon July 21 the Mayor approved a contract with Emerson Electrical Manufacturing Company for electrical work at the Bigelow School. Bids, opened July 18, were as follows:

Emerson Electrical Manufacturing Company, $5,735; Dorgan Electrical Company, Inc., $6,674; Ralph E. Dixon, $8,100; J. J. Finn Electrical Service, $8,621; Kay Electric Company, $9,775.

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Upon July 21 the Mayor approved a contract with Gledhill Brothers, Inc., for furnishing furniture for the new addition to the James J. Chittick School, Hyde Park, for Items 1, 3, 6, 9, 10, 13, 18, and 19, in the amount of $8,629.35.

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Upon July 21 the Mayor approved a contract with Gledhill Brothers, Inc., for furnishing furniture for the new addition to the Curtis Guild School, Ashley street, East Boston, for Items 1, 9, and 10, in the amount of $3,032.

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Upon July 21 the Mayor approved a contract as requested in the following letter:

BOSTON, July 20, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

In response to an advertisement in the *City Record* of June 11, 1955, bids for furniture for the new addition to the James J. Chittick School, as per attached

mimeographed detail, were received and publicly read aloud on June 23, 1955.

Subject to your Honor's approval I am awarding a contract to O. P. Killam & Son, Marblehead, for Items 2 and 12, in the aggregate amount of $1,101.72.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES H. MOONEY,
Superintendent of Construction.

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Upon July 21 the Mayor approved a contract with E. F. Maloney, Inc., as requested in the following letter:

BOSTON, July 20, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

In response to an advertisement in the *City Record* of May 28, 1955, the attached list of bids for furniture for the new addition to the Curtis Guild School, Ashley street, East Boston, was received and publicly opened and read aloud June 9, 1955.

Subject to your Honor's approval I am awarding a contract to E. F. Maloney, Inc., 131 Clarendon street, Boston, for Item 6, in the amount of $2,242.56.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES H. MOONEY,
Superintendent of Construction.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Upon July 20 the Mayor approved a contract with R. A. Buccella & Sons, Inc., for laying water pipes in Constitution road, Ward 18; Crossman street, Ward 18; Faunce road, Ward 18; Jamestown terrace, Ward 18; Lorna Road Extension, Ward 18; Messinger street, Ward 18; Orlando street, Ward 18; Viking terrace, Ward 18, and such additional locations, if any, in Ward 18, as may be designated by the Commissioner of Public Works, at an estimated cost of $8,075. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed November 1, 1955. The following bids were received July 14:

R. A. Buccella & Sons, Inc., $8,075; D. Federico & Co., $8,348; C. Russo, Inc., $8,493; J. Capone & Son, $9,460; Roslindale Contracting Company, $10,665.

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Upon July 20 the Mayor approved a contract with Charles Todesca for bituminous concrete pavement in Balfour street, Ward 13; Davern avenue, Ward 13; Everton street, Ward 15; Humes road, Ward 16; Juliette street, Ward 15; Mt. Ida road, Ward 15; Peacevale road, Ward 17; Peverell street, Ward 13; Templeton street, Ward 16; Torrey street, Ward 17; Wilmington avenue, Ward 17; Woodcliff street, Ward 13, and such other additional locations, if any, in Wards 13, 15, 16, and 17, as may be designated by the Commissioner of Public Works, at an estimated cost of $66,666.50. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed December 31, 1955. The following bids were received July 14:

Charles Todesca, $66,666.50; Baker & Co., Inc., $69,317.70; John J. Amara & Sons, $70,319.94; Faletra Brothers, Inc., $71,806.90; P. V. Barone Corporation, $73,030.60; S. J. Tomasello Corporation, $73,834.25.

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Upon July 21 the Mayor approved a contract with Joseph Capone & Son for sewerage works in Itasca street, Dorchester, at an estimated cost of $3,327, including concrete pipe. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed within 45 days after approval by the Mayor. The following bids were received July 13:

Including Clay Pipe.—Joseph Capone & Son, $3,482; C. Russo, Inc., $3,369; R. A. Buccella & Sons, Inc., $4,206.

Including Concrete Pipe.—Joseph Capone & Son, $3,327; C. Russo, Inc., $3,338; R. A. Buccella & Sons, Inc., $4,144.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

Upon varying dates as indicated the Mayor approved contracts with commercial houses, contractors, etc., for furnishing labor, supplies, and other services. Communications from heads of the departments interested were as follows:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.
Purchasing Division.

BOSTON, July 6, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

In accordance with the provisions of the letter approved by your Honor on January 24, 1955, authority is requested to award a contract, without public advertisement, to the following company for furnishing perishable foods to the various city departments, from July 6, 1955, to March 31, 1956, inclusive: Netto & Wheaton, Inc., 3 Blackstone street, Boston.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, July 12, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office is in receipt of an estimate from the Boston City Hospital for Becton-Dickinson Vacutainer tubes, adapters, needles, etc., for delivery to the Out-Patient Department Laboratory and Central Supply Room.

Prices on the above supplies are established by the manufacturer who will not sell direct to the city. All Becton-Dickinson distributors have the same prices. It is therefore my opinion that no advantage would be gained by publicly advertising for prices.

Authority is therefore requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to the following companies and at the amounts indicated:

T. J. Noonan Company, $3,500, net; Thomas W. Reed Company, $3,500, net.

Prices will be B. D. list less 40 per cent. Period of contract will be from July 15, 1955, to March 31, 1956.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, July 13, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office is in receipt of several requisitions from the Traffic Commission for traffic signal equipment as manufactured by Eagle Signal Corporation.

The only distributor in this area for the equipment requested is R. W. LeBaron, Inc., of Arlington, Mass. Inasmuch as this equipment will be purchased directly from the manufacturer's only distributor in this area, it is my opinion that no advantage would be gained by publicly advertising for prices.

Authority is therefore requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to R. W. LeBaron, Inc., for traffic signal equipment to be delivered as requested and in accordance with the specifications of the Traffic Commission.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $29,294, net, f.o.b. Boston Traffic Commission.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, July 14, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

On June 27, 1955, bids were publicly opened and read in this office for furnishing 15,000 feet of copper service tubing to the Water Division of the Public Works Department. The contract was awarded to George A. Hamlin, doing business as George A. Hamlin & Co., on the basis of a firm price which was 38.74 cents per foot. The total amount of the contract plus the allowable 25 per cent has been delivered.

The Water Division has now submitted a requisition for additional needs of copper tubing in the amount of 12,600 feet. George A. Hamlin, doing business as George A. Hamlin & Co., is agreeable to deliver this additional tubing at the same price as that submitted on their public bid.

The existing truck strike will probably result in an increase in shipping costs. In addition, the miners are on strike and this will probably effect an increase in the cost of copper tubing. In view of the foregoing, I believe it advisable at this time to award a contract, without public advertisement, to the above company. It is my opinion that, in this way, the best interests of the city will be served.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $4,881.24, less one half of 1 per cent discount for payment within 10 days.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, July 21, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office is in receipt of a requisition from the Collecting Division, Treasury Department, for central mailing equipment. Pitney Bowes, Inc., 230 Congress street, Boston, is the only local distributor for the above equipment. A written quotation on the required items has been submitted by this company.

Inasmuch as Pitney Bowes, Inc., is the only local distributor, authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, for furnishing the following items at the prices indicated to the Collecting Division, Treasury Department:

One Model 4300, VSP 40 mail table, complete with power stacker, $1,723.91; less trade-in allowance on AV 11204, $165—$1,558.91; one Model 620 mail sorting table, $341.33; one Model S-120

first-class mail scale, $113.56; one Model 1A automatic mail opener, $238.56; two BR-25 mail bag racks, $53—$2,305.36. Federal excise tax exemption certificate to be furnished.

It is my opinion that by awarding the above contract to Pitney Bowes, Inc., the best interests of the city will be served.

Approximate total amount of the contract will be $2,305.36, net, thirty days.

Respectfully yours,

Eugene K. Welsh,
Acting Purchasing Agent.

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Boston, July 21, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

This office is in receipt of several requisitions from the Boston City Hospital for Remington-Rand typewriters. Inasmuch as these typewriters may be purchased direct from the manufacturer, no advantage would be gained by publicly advertising for prices.

Authority is therefore requested to dispense with publicly advertising for bids and award a contract, without public advertisement, to Remington-Rand, Inc., for furnishing seven (7) typewriters to the Boston City Hospital at the prices indicated below:

One 13-inch noiseless elite, $236.50; less trade-in allowance on L. C. Smith 9S895SB10, $5—$231.50.

One 13-inch noiseless elite, $236.50; less trade-in allowance on one Remington X56467S, $15—$221.50.

One 13-inch noiseless elite, $236.50; less trade-in allowance on Royal KMM 12-2307724, $15—$221.50.

One 14-inch elite, $197.50; less 1 L. C. Smith 1A-1637627-11 to be sold for credit, $27.50—$170.

Three 13-inch noiseless at $236.50 each, $709.50; less trade-in allowances on L. C. Smith 508405-S, $5; Remington, X703279, $12.50; Remington, X703270, $12.50—$679.50.

Total amount of contract will be $1,521, net.

Respectfully yours,

Eugene K. Welsh,
Acting Purchasing Agent.

Department of School Buildings.

Boston, July 12, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

The School Committee, through the office of Superintendent of Public Schools, Dr. Dennis C. Haley, has, at a very late date, requested me to have a large amount of painting of the interior and exterior of the building done before the opening of school in September, and the painting work is being placed in the market for competitive bidding. However, before the painting work can be properly executed it is necessary, in the interests of economy, to complete considerable carpentry work such as the installation of new window sash, repair of window sash, frames, parting beads, muntins, doors, etc.

As the bulk of carpentry work must be completed prior to the start of a painting contract, time is a controlling factor, and in order to arrange for completion of all work by the date of school opening I invited three reputable carpentry concerns to submit competitive bids for such work based on a precise specification, with the following results:

Michael Barr, $2,500; John F. Hynes, $2,650; Brendan F. Sullivan, $2,750.

That the carpentry work may be started forthwith and prior to award of the painting contract, I ask that you approve my procedure as herein set forth, dispense with public advertising, and authorize me to negotiate a contract with Michael Barr, 7 Everett street, Dorchester, in the amount of $2,500, based on the specification for competitive invitation bids.

Respectfully yours,

James H. Mooney,
Superintendent of Construction.

Hospital Department.

Boston, June 30, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

On June 28, 1955, your Honor authorized the execution of a contract with Jackson & Moreland, engineers, 600 Park Square Building, Boston, to furnish a properly qualified resident engineer, and to furnish certain other planning and supervisory services in connection with the emergency repairs and replacements to the power plant and steam distribution systems at Boston City Hospital.

For your further information, according to our best estimate, it is expected that the total cost of the services to be performed under the proposed contract will not exceed $13,700, the engineering firm to be paid at the rate of $1,500 per month for its services.

Respectfully yours,

Board of Trustees, Hospital Department, and of the Boston City Hospital,

Richard J. Condon,
President.

Penal Institutions Department.

Boston, July 18, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

On June 2, 1955, Inspector Thomas B. Henehan of the Employers Group Insurance Companies, inspected a H.R.T. boiler, No. 2629, at the House of Correction and found that the top row of tubes needed immediate replacement, fire cracks in the girth of a seam in the first course had to be fusion welded, a feed line bushing in a tube sheet replaced, and that the refractory front wall had to be rebuilt and a bulge in a section of the left wall had to be rebuilt.

Last week the last several items were taken care of by the institution but the top row of tubes, 18 in number, 20 feet by 3 inches, will have to be replaced, and the fire cracks in the girth seam of the first course will have to be chipped out and fusion welded.

On May 13, your Honor approved the awarding of a similar job on boiler, No. 2630, to the Industrial Welding Company, 488 Dorchester avenue, South Boston, Mass., and as they did a very fast and efficient job at a reasonable price, and as the above-mentioned work must be done and notice of completion forwarded to the insurance company as soon as possible in order to validate the certificate for operation, I respectfully request your permission to award this work to the same company, the Industrial Welding Company, at a price for materials and labor, use of apparatus, etc., at a cost not to exceed $741.

Respectfully,

Edward L. Friel,
Commissioner Penal Institutions.

Real Property Department.

Boston, June 1, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

On May 11, 1955, your Honor approved the unadvertised $32,200 contract with John McCourt Company for surfacing with bituminous concrete and seal coating the surface, together with other work, in connection with construction of the proposed off-street parking area under the Fitzgerald Expressway.

Based on what was then calculated to be the total volume of the contract items of work at the agreed prices therefor, that would be needed to complete the project, it was the considered opinion of this department that the cost of the entire operation would not exceed the $32,200 figure.

However, as the work has progressed, it now seems certain that the cost of the actual quantities of additional work which will need to be performed over and above our best possible prior estimates of the same, will be in an amount not to exceed $4,345.

Therefore, since this firm is carrying on the work in a highly satisfactory manner and as we wish to have the construction completed as expeditiously as possible, I respectfully request your Honor's authorization to dispense with public advertising and to amend the subject contract with John McCourt Company, Readville, Mass., accordingly, in the sum of $4,345.

Respectfully yours,

Herman Carp,
Commissioner of Real Property.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

Department of School Buildings.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with D. McCartin Company for interior and exterior painting, including fire escapes, at the William Bacon School, from June 30, 1955, to August 31, 1955. This extension was requested because of a delay in obtaining necessary material to complete painting of boiler room.

Hospital Department.

Approval has been given for an extension of time from July 1, 1955, to August 15, 1955, on the contract of J. P. O'Hearn & Co. for alterations, repairs, and installations in the central sterile supply area in basement of Maternity Building, Boston City Hospital. This extension of time is necessary because the contractor cannot complete his contract until after a new ceiling which is being installed under another contract is completed.

Parks and Recreation Department.

William P. Herlihy has been granted an extension of time until August 15, 1955, for the completion of the contract for constructing basketball courts at Parks and Recreation Department Playgrounds in Boston.

J. W. Praught Company has been granted an extension of time until October 1, 1955, for the completion of the contract for furnishing and installing pumps at the L Street Bathhouse, South Boston.

ADDITIONS TO CONTRACT.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Martin J. Kelly Company, Inc., has been directed to make the following additions to the contract for redecking and repairing the Massachusetts Avenue Bridge, over the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, dated June 30, 1955:

1. Furnish and place necessary form boards and steel reinforcing bars where and as directed in the center roadway (to permit repairs to main deck concrete slab in defective areas) at $120.

2. Furnish and place approximately 230 square yards of 4-inch x 4-inch x No. 8 steel wire mesh throughout center roadway (for reinforcing the concrete shim which is to be placed under existing contract) at $1.30 per square yard, total cost, $299.

Estimated increase in cost to city, $419.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Faletra Brothers, Inc., has been directed to perform the following extra work under the contract for cement concrete stairs and bituminous concrete walks in Brookway Footpath and bituminous concrete sidewalks in Bradeen Street Footway and Brookway terrace, dated December 8, 1954:

In Brookway Footpath, furnish and erect additional fence required, due to change in fence locations as shown on plan, for the sum of $898.50.

In Brookway Footpath, move fence at C. & R. Construction Company property for the sum of $228.

In Bradeen Street Footway, replace fence at V. Barletta Company property for the sum of $35.

Estimated cost of extra work, $1,161.50.

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 42.

I. PROMOTIONS.

The following promotions are hereby announced, to become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, July 27, 1955:

Fire Capt. Edwin M. Finnegan, Ladder Company 27, to district fire chief.

Fire Lieut. Rizkallah Teebagy, Ladder Company 14, to fire captain.

Fire Fighter John J. Costello, Rescue Company, to fire lieutenant.

II. TRANSFERS.

The following transfers will become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, July 27, 1955:

District Fire Chief John A. O'Neill, from S.S.U. to S.S.U. and District 6.

District Fire Chief Edwin M. Finnegan, from Ladder 27 to S.S.U.

Fire Capt. Arthur C. Mullen, from Ladder 22 to Ladder 27.

Fire Capt. Rizkallah Teebagy, Ladder 14 to Ladder 11.

Fire Lieut. John J. Walsh, from Ladder 21 to Ladder 14.

Fire Lieut. John J. Costello, from Rescue Company to Engine Squad 11.

III. RETIREMENTS.

The following retirements, in accordance with section 7, chapter 658, Acts of 1945, as amended, are hereby announced, to become effective at 8 A.M., Monday, August 1, 1955:

Fire Lieut. James J. Horgan, Ladder Company 2.

Fire Fighter Frank L. Loring, Engine Company 20.

The following retirement, in accordance with the provisions of section 7, chapter 32, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), as amended by section 94, chapter 32, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), is hereby announced, to become effective at 8 A.M., August 1, 1955:

Fire Lieut. John F. Good, Ladder Company 20.

Fire Lieutenant Horgan was appointed to the Fire Department on November 24, 1943, and was promoted to the grade of lieutenant on February 2, 1949. Fire Lieutenant Good was appointed to the Fire Department on January 13, 1943, and was promoted to the grade of lieutenant on November 1, 1950. Fire Fighter Loring was appointed to the Fire Department on November 24, 1943.

All the foregoing-named members leave the department with the best wishes of their associates.

By order of Fire Commissioner FRANCIS X. COTTER.

JOHN V. STAPLETON,
Chief of Department.

STREET REPAIRS.

The Public Improvement Commission has voted as follows:

That this commission, having passed the order of notice relating to the public improvement, hereinafter described, and having caused a copy of said order to be published June 10, 11, 13, 14, 1955, in the Boston *Herald* and the Boston *American*, two daily newspapers published in the City of Boston, and having given the public hearing, notice of which was given in said order, and being of the opinion that public necessity and convenience requires, does hereby order that specific repairs be made in Beacon street, Boston Proper, consisting of the installation of a traffic island at the southwesterly corner of Charlesgate East, as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Beacon Street, Boston Proper, July 5, 1955, George G. Hyland, Commissioner of Public Works," and on file in the office of this commission.

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That this commission, having passed the order of notice relating to the public improvement, hereinafter described, and having caused a copy of said order to be published May 6, 7, 9, 10, 1955, in the Boston *Globe* and the Boston *Post*, two daily newspapers published in the City of Boston, and having given the public hearing, notice of which was given in said order, and being of the opinion that public necessity and convenience requires, does hereby order that specific repairs be made in Everett street, Brighton district, at the approaches to the Everett Street Bridge, consisting of the relocation of the existing curb lines, as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Everett Street, Brighton, June 22, 1955, George G. Hyland, Commissioner of Public Works," and on file in the office of this commission.

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That this commission, having passed the order of notice relating to the public improvement, hereinafter described, and having caused a copy of said order to be published May 6, 7, 9, 10, 1955, in the Boston *Globe* and the Boston *Post*, two daily newspapers published in the City of Boston, and having given the public hearing, notice of which was given in said order, and being of the opinion that public necessity and convenience requires, does hereby order that specific repairs be made in Boylston street, Boston Proper, consisting of increasing the curb radius at the northwesterly corner of Clarendon street, as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Boylston Street, Boston Proper, July 5, 1955, George G. Hyland, Commissioner of Public Works," and on file in the office of this commission.

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That in accordance with the provisions of chapter 117 of the Acts of 1947, permission is hereby granted to Bratt Construction Company, to prepare for public travel, Lorna Road Extension, Dorchester district, from approximately 295 feet southwest of Lena terrace, approximately 380 feet southwesterly, provided that the construction of said Lorna Road Extension shall be in accordance with the City of Boston plans and specifications for the construction of private ways for public travel as shown on a plan titled "Standard Construction Plan of Private Ways Open for Public Travel, October 28, 1954, George G. Hyland, Commissioner of Public Works," and in accordance with the lines and grade shown on a plan dated June 19, 1954, by E. Corsano, Civil Engineer, filed in the Survey Division of the Public Works Department, City of Boston.

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That in accordance with the provisions of chapter 117 of the Acts of 1947, permission is hereby granted to David Shaw, to prepare for public travel, Corman road, Dorchester district, from Cummins Highway to Hallowell street, provided that the construction of said Corman road shall be in accordance with the City of Boston plans and specifications for the construction of private ways for public travel as shown on a plan titled "Standard Construction Plan of Private Ways Open for Public Travel, October 28, 1954, George G. Hyland, Commissioner of Public Works," and in accordance with the lines and grade shown on a plan dated May 5, 1955, by Charles E. Brewer, Civil Engineer, filed in the Survey Division of the Public Works Department, City of Boston.

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That in accordance with the provisions of chapter 117 of the Acts of 1947, permission is hereby granted to Stony Brook Village Corporation, 235 Turtle Pond Parkway, Hyde Park, to prepare for public travel, Dodge road, Hyde Park district, from Dietz road approximately 640 feet westerly, provided that the construction of said Dodge road shall be in accordance with the City of Boston plans and specifications for the construction of private ways for public travel as shown on a plan titled "Standard Construction Plan of Private Ways Open for Public Travel, October 28, 1954, George G. Hyland, Commissioner of Public Works," and in accordance with the lines and grade shown on plans

dated July 26, 1954, and June 28, 1955, by Arnold E. Schaier, Civil Engineer, filed in the Survey Division of the Public Works Department, City of Boston.

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That in accordance with the provisions of chapter 117 of the Acts of 1947, permission is hereby granted to Stony Brook Village Corporation, 235 Turtle Pond Parkway, Hyde Park, to prepare for public travel, Kristin court, Hyde Park district, from Dodge road, approximately 175 feet southwesterly, provided that the construction of said Kristin court shall be in accordance with the City of Boston plans and specifications for the construction of private ways for public travel as shown on a plan titled "Standard Construction Plan of Private Ways Open for Public Travel October 28, 1954, George G. Hyland, Commissioner of Public Works," and in accordance with the lines and grade shown on a plan dated July 26, 1954, by Arnold E. Schaier, Civil Engineer, filed in the Survey Division of the Public Works Department, City of Boston.

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That in accordance with the provisions of chapter 117 of the Acts of 1947, permission is hereby granted to Stony Brook Village Corporation, 235 Turtle Pond Parkway, Hyde Park, to prepare for public travel, Leighton road, Hyde Park district, from Alwin street to Dietz road, provided that the construction of said Leighton road shall be in accordance with the City of Boston plans and specifications for the construction of private ways for public travel as shown on a plan titled "Standard Construction Plan for Private Ways Open for Public Travel, October 28, 1954, George G. Hyland, Commissioner of Public Works," and in accordance with the lines and grade shown on a plan dated November 9, 1954, by Arnold E. Schaier, Civil Engineer, filed in the Survey Division of the Public Works Department, City of Boston.

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That in accordance with the provisions of chapter 117 of the Acts of 1947, permission is hereby granted to Stony Brook Village Corporation, 235 Turtle Pond Parkway, Hyde Park, to prepare for public travel, Belnap road, Hyde Park district, from Leighton road to Eastmont road, provided that the construction of said Belnap road shall be in accordance with the City of Boston plans and specifications for the construction of private ways for public travel as shown on a plan titled "Standard Construction Plan of Private Ways Open for Public Travel, October 28, 1954, George G. Hyland, Commissioner of Public Works," and in accordance with the lines and grade shown on a plan dated January 21, 1955, by Arnold E. Schaier, Civil Engineer, filed in the Survey Division of the Public Works Department, City of Boston.

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That in accordance with the provisions of chapter 117 of the Acts of 1947, permission is hereby granted to Stony Brook Village Corporation, 235 Turtle Pond Parkway, Hyde Park, to prepare for public travel, Joan road, Hyde Park district, from Leighton road to Dodge road, provided that the construction of said Joan road shall be in accordance with the City of Boston plans and specifications for the construction of private ways for public travel as shown on a plan titled "Standard Construction Plan of Private Ways Open for Public Travel, October 28, 1954, George G. Hyland, Commissioner of Public Works," and in accordance with the lines and grade shown on a plan dated June 18, 1955, by Arnold E. Schaier, Civil Engineer, filed in the Survey Division of the Public Works Department, City of Boston.

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That in accordance with the provisions of chapter 117 of the Acts of 1947, permission is hereby granted to Stony Brook Village Corporation, 235 Turtle Pond Parkway, Hyde Park, to prepare for public travel, Eastmont road, Hyde Park district, from Dietz road to Leighton road, provided that the construction of said Eastmont road shall be in accordance with the City of Boston plans and specifications for the construction of private ways for public travel as shown on a plan titled "Standard Construction Plan of Private Ways Open for Public Travel, October 28, 1954, George G. Hyland, Commissioner of Public Works," and in accordance with the lines and grade shown on a plan dated July 26, 1954, by Arnold E. Schaier, Civil Engineer, filed in the Survey Division of the Public Works Department, City of Boston.

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That this commission, having passed the order of notice relating to the public improvement, hereinafter described, and having caused a copy of said order to be published June 10, 11, 13, 14, 1955, in the Boston *Herald* and Boston *American*, two daily newspapers published in the City of Boston, and having given the public hearing, notice of which was given in said order, and being of the opinion that public necessity and convenience require, does hereby order that specific repairs be made in Southampton street, Roxbury district, between Massachusetts avenue and Albany street, consisting of the reduction in width of the existing sidewalks, as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Southampton Street, Albany Street, Northampton Street, Roxbury, July 13, 1955, George G. Hyland, Commissioner of Public Works," and on file in the office of said department.

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That this commission, having passed the order of notice relating to the public improvement, hereinafter described, and having caused a copy of said order to be published May 6, 7, 9, 10, 1955, in the Boston *Globe* and the Boston *Post*, two daily newspapers published in the City of Boston, and having given the public hearing, notice of which was given in said order, and being of the opinion that public necessity and convenience require, does hereby order that specific repairs be made in Commonwealth avenue, Boston Proper district, consisting of the reduction in width of the existing sidewalk on the northerly side, between Deerfield street and Beacon street and the extension of the existing divisional island southeasterly into Beacon street, as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Commonwealth Avenue, Brookline Avenue, Beacon Street, Roxbury, July 13, 1955, George G. Hyland, Commissioner of Public Works," and on file in the office of said department.

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That this commission, having passed the order of notice relating to the public improvement, hereinafter described, and having caused a copy of said order to be published June 10, 11, 13, 14, 1955, in the Boston *Herald* and Boston *American*, two daily newspapers published in the City of Boston, and having given the public hearing, notice of which was given in said order, and being of the opinion that public necessity and convenience require, does hereby order that specific repairs be made in Northampton street, Roxbury district, from Albany street approximately 125 feet northwesterly, consisting of the reduction in width of existing sidewalks, as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Southampton Street, Albany Street, Northampton Street, Roxbury, July 13, 1955, George G. Hyland, Commissioner of Public Works," and on file in the office of said department.

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That this commission, having passed the order of notice relating to the public improvement, hereinafter described, and having caused a copy of said order to be published May 6, 7, 9, 10, 1955, in the Boston *Globe* and Boston *Post*, two daily newspapers published in the City of Boston, and having given the public hearing, notice of which was given in said order, and being of the opinion that public necessity and convenience require, does hereby order that specific repairs be made in Main street, Charlestown district, at the southerly corner of Austin street, consisting of increasing the existing curb radius as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Main Street, Austin Street, Charlestown, July 13, 1955, George G. Hyland, Commissioner of Public Works," and on file in the office of said department.

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That this commission, having passed the order of notice relating to the public improvement, hereinafter described, and having caused a copy of said order to be published May 6, 7, 9, 10, 1955, in the Boston *Globe* and Boston *Post*, two daily newpapers published in the City of Boston, and having given the public hearing, notice of which was given in said order, and being of the opinion that public necessity and convenience require, does hereby order that specific repairs be made in Dock square, Boston Proper district, consisting of the reduction in width of existing sidewalks, the alteration and relocation of existing traffic divisional islands and the installation of additional traffic divisional islands, as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Dock Square, Boston Proper, June 20, 1955, George G. Hyland, Commissioner of Public Works," and on file in the office of said department.

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That this commission, having passed the order of notice relating to the public improvement, hereinafter described, and having caused a copy of said order to be published May 6, 7, 9, 10, 1955, in the Boston *Globe* and Boston *Post*, two daily newspapers published in the City of Boston, and having given the public hearing, notice of which was given in said order, and being of the opinion that public necessity and convenience require, does hereby order that specific repairs be made in Brookline avenue, Roxbury, consisting of the installation of a traffic divisional island at the intersection of Beacon street as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Commonwealth Avenue, Brookline Avenue, Beacon Street, Roxbury, July 13, 1955, George G. Hyland, Commissioner of Public Works," and on file in the office of said department.

STREET CONSTRUCTION IN HYDE PARK.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvment be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of Ayles road, Hyde Park district, as a public highway, from Edwardson street to Safford street, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named Ayles road is hereby laid out, from Safford street to Edwardson street, and ordered constructed.

For the making of the aforesaid improvement an easement for street purposes is hereby taken in the following described land, exclusive of trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed thereto:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Robert E. and Alice V. Durkin, bounded:

Northwesterly by Safford street, twenty-two and 1-100 feet; southwesterly by the northeasterly line of Ayles road as it existed prior to this order, twenty-two and 1-100 feet; and northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Ayles road as laid out under this order, thirty-three and 33-100 feet on a curve of twenty feet radius; containing one hundred seven square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Robert F. and Gertrude M. McLaughlin, bounded:

Southeasterly by Westminster street, eighteen and 83-100 feet; southwesterly by the northeasterly line of Ayles road as it existed prior to this order, eighteen and 83-100 feet; and northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Ayles road as laid out under this order, thirty and 22-100 feet on a curve of twenty feet radius; containing seventy-four square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Paul J. Hart, bounded:

Northwesterly by Westminster street, twenty-one and 33-100 feet; southwesterly by the northeasterly line of Ayles road as it existed prior to this order, twenty-one and 33-100 feet; and northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Ayles road as laid out under this order, thirty-two and 70-100 feet on a curve of twenty feet radius; containing one hundred square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Lodge Construction Company, Inc., bounded:

Southeasterly by Westminster street, twenty-one and 24-100 feet; northeasterly by the southwesterly line of Ayles road as it existed prior to this order, twenty-one and 24-100 feet; and southwesterly by the southwesterly line of Ayles road as laid out under this order, thirty-two and 62-100 feet on a curve of twenty feet radius; containing ninety-nine square feet, more or less.

Trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforedescribed land, shall be removed therefrom within thirty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Said Ayles road as hereby laid out is bounded:

Northwesterly by Safford street, sixty-two and 19-100 feet; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Ayles road, by three measurements, thirty-three and 33-100 feet on a curve of twenty feet radius, four hundred forty-nine and 10-100 feet, and thirty and 22-100 feet on a curve of twenty feet radius; again northeasterly by Westminster street, fifty and 31-100 feet; again northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Ayles road, by two measurements, thirty-two and 70-100 feet on a curve of twenty feet radius and seven hundred fifty-eight and 83-100 feet; southeasterly by another portion of Ayles road at the southeasterly corner of Edwardson street, forty and 8-100 feet; southwesterly by the southwesterly line of Ayles road, seven hundred eighty and 16-100 feet; southwesterly again by Westminster street, fifty-five and 58-100 feet; and southwesterly again by the southwesterly line of Ayles road, by two measurements, thirty-two and 62-100 feet on a curve of twenty feet radius and four hundred seventy and 14-100 feet.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the abutting parcels of land situated on both sides of Ayles road, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement herein ordered; each of said parcels in the amount hereinafter respectively set against it; said parcels and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Ayles Road, Hyde Park, June 10, 1955, George G. Hyland, Commissioner of Public Works," and on file in the office of this commission.

Parcel.		Amount.
1.	Robert E. and Alice V. Durkin,	$135 21
2.	Walter Francis and Dorothy H. Mulloy	532 00
3.	Gerald D. and Dorothy M. McCarthy	532 00
4.	Daniel V. and Rose J. Clifford..	585 00
5.	Joseph J. Castronovo	585 00
6.	John W. and Lillian F. Heise....	625 00
7.	Edward B. and Eleanor R. Rist,	625 00
8.	Robert F. and Gertrude M. McLaughlin	156 78
9.	Paul J. Hart	361 00
10.	Carl A. and Marguerite M. Anderson	480 00
11.	Edward G. and Olivia Harrington	480 00
12.	Francis D. and Mary A. Brooks,	480 00
13.	Daniel F. and Mary R. McGinley	480 00
14.	James F. Satter	159 63
15.	John B. and Mildred Finneran..	140 37
16.	Freeman T., Jr., and Charlotte M. Cobb	480 00
17.	James V. and Veronica M. Heffernan	480 00
18.	Richard E. and Jeanne D. Howe	480 00
19.	Francis L. and Grace Oprandi..	480 00
20.	Albert E. and Doris G. Jameson,	480 00
21.	Manuel M. and Ruth L. Shifres,	157 41
22.	City of Boston	2,760 48
23.	Lodge Construction Company, Inc.	435 00
24.	Albert J. and Elizabeth W. Connelly	585 00
25.	Aurel J. Doucette	585 00
26.	Jeremiah J. Hegarty	585 00
27.	Donald Charles and Agnes Allen,	585 00
28.	John J. and Mildred F. McDevitt	585 00
29.	Richard D. and Elizabeth A. Teehan	195 96
	Total	$15,230 84

Voted, That this commission determines that the undermentioned persons sustain damages in their estates by the making of the public improvement consisting of the laying out and construction of Ayles road, Hyde Park district, from Safford street to Edwardson street, under the order of this commission of July 20, 1955, in the amounts hereinafter respectively set against them; and awards said amounts therefor.

Robert E. and Alice V. Durkin, 107 square feet, $1.

Robert F. and Gertrude H. McLaughlin, 74 square feet, $1.

Paul J. Hart, 100 square feet, $1.

Lodge Construction Company, Inc., 99 square feet, $1.

WORCESTER SQUARE AS A HIGHWAY.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the relocation and construction of Worcester square, Boston Proper district, as a highway, between Harrison avenue and Washington street, bounded and described as follows:

The highway named Worcester square is hereby relocated between Washington street and Harrison avenue, and ordered constructed.

For the making of the aforesaid improvement an easement for street purposes is hereby taken in the following-described land, exclusive of trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed thereto:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to the City of Boston, being a portion of the public grounds called Worcester square, bounded:

Southwesterly by other land hereinafter described as taken from City of Boston, seven and 13-100 feet; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of said public grounds as it existed prior to this order, by three measurements, forty-seven and 12-100 feet on a curve of thirty feet radius, two hundred eighty and 74-100 feet, and forty-seven and 12-100 feet on a curve of thirty feet radius; southwesterly by another portion of said public grounds as hereinafter described as taken from the City of Boston, seven and 13-100 feet; again southwesterly by the northeasterly line of said public grounds as established by this order, by five measurements, sixteen and 47-100 feet on a curve of fifteen and 73-100 feet radius, thirty-six and 65-100 feet on a curve of seventy feet radius, two hundred forty and 74-100 feet, thirty-six and 65-100 feet on a curve of seventy feet radius, and sixteen and 47-100 feet on a curve of fifteen and 73-100 feet radius, containing two thousand seven hundred fifty square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to the City of Boston, being a portion of the public grounds called Worcester square, bounded:

Southwesterly by the southwesterly line of said public grounds as it existed prior to this order, by three measurements, forty-seven and 12-100 feet on a curve of thirty feet radius, two hundred eighty and 74-100 feet, and forty-seven and 12-100 feet on a curve of thirty feet radius; northeasterly by land hereinbefore described as taken from the City of Boston, being a portion of the public grounds known as Worcester square, seven and 13-100 feet; again northeasterly by the southwesterly line of said public grounds known as Worcester square, as established by this order, by five measurements, sixteen and 47-100 feet on a curve of fifteen and 73-100 feet radius, thirty-six and 65-100 feet on a curve of seventy feet radius, two hundred forty and 74-100 feet, thirty-six and 65-100 feet on a curve of seventy feet radius, and sixteen and 47-100 feet on a curve of fifteen and 73-100 feet radius; and again northeasterly by land hereinbefore described as taken from the City of Boston, being another portion of the public grounds known as Worcester square, seven and 13-100 feet, containing

two thousand seven hundred fifty square feet, more or less.

Trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforedescribed land, shall be removed therefrom within thirty (30) days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Said Worcester square as hereby relocated is bounded:

Northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Washington street, fifty and 5-100 feet; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Worcester square as hereby relocated, by seven measurements, ninety-five feet, thirty-nine and 14-100 feet on a curve of forty-seven feet radius, forty-nine and 96-100 feet on a curve of sixty feet radius, two hundred eighty and 74-100 feet, thirty-five and 15-100 feet on a curve of sixty feet radius, again thirty-five and 15-100 feet on a curve of sixty feet radius, and one hundred eighteen and 18-100 feet; southeasterly by the northwesterly line of Harrison avenue, eighty and 38-100 feet; southwesterly by the southwesterly line of Worcester square as hereby relocated, by seven measurements, one hundred twenty-six and 2-100 feet, thirty-five and 15-100 feet on a curve of sixty feet radius, again thirty-five and 15-100 feet on a curve of sixty feet radius, two hundred eighty and 74-100 feet, forty-nine and 96-100 feet on a curve of sixty feet radius, thirty-nine and 14-100 feet on a curve of forty-seven feet radius, and ninety-two and 78-100 feet, with the following area of public grounds excluded therefrom:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to the City of Boston, being the public grounds known as Worcester square, bounded:

By Worcester square as relocated under this order, northeasterly by three measurements, thirty-six and 65-100 feet on a curve of seventy feet radius, two hundred forty and 74-100 feet, and thirty-six and 65-100 feet on a curve of seventy feet radius; southeasterly, thirty-two and 94-100 feet on a curve of fifteen and 73-100 feet radius; southwesterly, by three measurements, thirty-six and 65-100 feet on a curve of seventy feet radius, two hundred forty and 74-100 feet, and thirty-six and 65-100 feet on a curve of seventy feet radius; northwesterly, thirty-two and 94-100 feet on a curve of fifteen and 73-100 feet radius, containing fourteen thousand one hundred seventy-two square feet, more or less.

No betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Voted, That this commission determines that no persons sustain damages in their estates by the making of the public improvement consisting of the relocation and construction of Worcester square, Boston Proper, as a public highway, from Washington street to Harrison avenue, under the order of this commission of June 29, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

City of Boston, 2,750 square feet, nothing.

City of Boston, 2,750 square feet, nothing.

STREET EXTENSION IN HYDE PARK DISTRICT.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of an extension of Edwardson street, Hyde Park district, as a public highway, from Lewiston street to Ayles road, bounded and described as follows:

An extension of the highway named Edwardson street is hereby laid out, from Lewiston street to Ayles road, and ordered constructed.

For the making of the aforesaid improvement an easement for street purposes is hereby taken in the following described land, exclusive of trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed thereto:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Ruth L. Shifres and Manuel M. Shifres, bounded:

Southwesterly by Ayles road, eighteen and 76-100 feet; southeasterly by the northwesterly line of Edwardson street as it existed prior to this order, eighteen and 76-100 feet; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Edwardson street as laid out under this order, thirty and 13-100 feet on a curve of twenty feet radius; containing seventy-four square feet, more or less.

Trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforedescribed land, shall be removed therefrom within thirty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Said Edwardson street as hereby laid out is bounded:

Southwesterly by Ayles road, fifty-eight and 84-100 feet; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Edwardson street, by two measurements, thirty and 13-100 feet on a curve of twenty feet radius and one hundred eighty-one and 65-100 feet; northeasterly by Lewiston street, forty and 08-100 feet; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Edwardson street, two hundred and 41-100 feet.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the abutting parcels of land situated on both sides of said Edwardson street will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement herein ordered; each of said parcels in the amounts hereinafter respectively set against it; said parcels and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan hereinbefore referred to and on file in the office of this department.

Parcel.		Amount.
1.	Manuel M. and Ruth L. Shifres,	$382 35
2.	George and Allice M. Homer	169 12
3.	Francis W. and Antonette R. Kulas	150 00
4.	Ralph E. and Mary C. Whealan,	500 00
5.	James H. and Lillian M. Marshall	500 00
6.	Leon E. and Mary V. Houle	480 00
	Total	$2,181 47

Voted, That this commission determines that the undermentioned person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement consisting of the laying out and construction of an extension of Edwardson street, Hyde Park district, from Lewiston street to Ayles road, under the order of this commission of July 20, 1955, in the amount hereinafter set against it; and awards said amount therefor.

Manuel M. and Ruth L. Shifres, 71 square feet, $1.

CONSTRUCTION OF FRAZER STREET, HYDE PARK.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of Frazer street, Hyde Park district, as a public highway, from Wood avenue to Reddy avenue, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named Frazer street is hereby laid out from Wood avenue to Reddy avenue, and ordered constructed.

Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed thereto, in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

Northeasterly by Wood avenue, forty and 53-100 feet; northerly by the northerly line of Frazer street as hereby laid out, seven hundred forty-nine and 25-100 feet; westerly by the easterly line of Reddy avenue as hereby laid out, forty feet; and southerly by the southerly line of Frazer street as hereby laid out, seven hundred fifty-five and 79-100 feet.

Trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforedescribed land, shall be removed therefrom within thirty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the abutting parcels of land situated on both sides of Frazer street will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement herein ordered; each of said parcels in the amount hereinafter respectively set against it; said parcels and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Frazer Street, Hyde Park, June 10, 1955, George G. Hyland, Commissioner of Public Works," and on file in the office of this commission.

Parcel.		Amount.
1.	George J. Seibert, Heirs of Mary G. Seibert	$281 60
2.	Arthur C. and Margaret B. Ryley	660 00
3.	Peter and Albina Yankun	660 00
4.	Thomas A. Uva	560 00
5.	Clifford J. and Caroline R. Doyon	247 37
6.	Abe and Edith G. Berkowitz	166 95
7.	John L. and Venita B. McGuirk,	336 00
8.	John M. and Margaret G. Gordon	340 00
9.	Mildred T. Griffin	180 45
10.	Robert A. Yanaro	165 10
11.	Eleanor Conti	400 00
12.	Romeo W., Jr., and Frances Godin	480 00
13.	Rosa Lee Hajinlian	480 00
14.	James L. and Frances J. DelConte	480 00
15.	Louis and Etta Goodman	468 80
16.	William H. Lynch	468 80
17.	Joseph Uva	468 80
18.	Rocco S. Panciocco	468 80
19.	Frank and Helen T. Kelly	375 00
20.	Mary A. Lukow	375 00
21.	John J. and Myrna M. Whelan	375 00
22.	John and Emma McGuirk	375 00
23.	Paul and Medora Diette	480 00
24.	Emily R. Buchanan	200 00
	Total	$9,492 67

Voted, That this commission determines that no persons sustain damages in their estates by the making of the public improvement consisting of the laying out and construction of Frazer street, Hyde Park district, as a public highway, from Wood avenue to Reddy avenue, under the order of this commission of July 13, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

CITY OF BOSTON.

OFFICE OF THE COLLECTOR-TREASURER.

NOTICE OF TAX TAKING.

JULY 29, 1955.

TO THE OWNERS OF THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED PARCELS OF REAL ESTATE SITUATE IN THE CITY OF BOSTON WITHIN THE COUNTY OF SUFFOLK AND THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS, AND TO ALL OTHER PERSONS CONCERNED:

You are hereby notified that it is my intention to take for the City of Boston on Wednesday, the seventeenth day of August, 1955, at 9.30 o'clock A.M., under General Laws, chap. 60, sec. 53, as amended, the following described parcels of real estate for non-payment, after demand, of the taxes thereon hereinafter respectively specified, with incidental expenses, cost and interest, unless the same shall have been previously discharged.

WARD ONE.

Joseph and Ernestine A. Anzalone—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northerly side of East Eagle street, numbered 222, between an estate of Frank DeSanctis and others and an estate of Michele Cogliano and another, and supposed to contain 2,187 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... $28 00

Albert C. and Albina Brun—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Washington avenue, numbered 1, making the northerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Phyllis Marino and others, and supposed to contain 1,173 feet, tax for 1953, 197 96

Concettina Camiolo—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Cottage street, numbered 164, between an estate of Joseph Sulprizio and another and an estate of Giuseppe Peppino and another, and supposed to contain 2,104 feet, tax for 1953....$622 16
Paid on account..... 500 00

Balance due..... 122 16

Matthew J. Carino—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Lexington street, numbered 131, making the southerly corner of and numbered 132 Brooks street, adjoining an estate of John Froio and another, and supposed to contain 750 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 9 00

Edward M. Carrafiello—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Lexington street, numbered 51, between an estate of Salvatore Aiello and another and an estate of Antonio Grato and another, and supposed to contain 1,083 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 5 50

Charles and Concetta Cataldo—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Wilbur court, numbered 2, between an estate of Maddalena Masullo, trustee, and another estate of said Cataldo and another, and supposed to contain 855 feet, water and costs for 1952, 49 00

Maria Cataldo—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Havre street, numbered 144, between an estate of Michael D. Collins and an estate of Incoronate DelVenta, and supposed to contain 1,152 feet, tax for 1953..... 183 82

Alexander C. and Loretta E. Cavignano—Land, with buildings thereon, lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Marginal street, numbered 216 rear, between an estate of Mary A. Dowd and another and two estates of Bethlehem Steel Company, and supposed to contain 3,646 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 49 00

Giuseppe Cimmino—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Ashley street, numbered 70, making the junction of Whitby street, adjoining an estate of Charles Carideo, trustee, and supposed to contain 6,036 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 11 50

Congregation Beth David—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Paris place, numbered 2, between an estate of Henry Lamhiase and sundry estates on Paris street, and supposed to contain about 6,500 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 9 00

Luigi and Angelina Deacetis—About 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Bremen street, bounded and described as follows: Southeasterly by Bremen street; southwesterly by an estate of Celia Dollin and others; northwesterly by estates of Frank Castagnino and another; northeasterly by an estate of Matthew Racich, tax for 1953 .....$70 70
Paid on account..... 30 00

Balance due..... 40 70

Frank and Rosaria DeRienzo—Land, with buildings thereon, on the easterly side of Meridian street, numbered 471, between an estate of Alice Hayden and an estate of Amelia E. Gangemi, and supposed to contain 2,250 feet, tax for 1953 .....$261 59
Paid on account..... 200 00

Balance due..... 61 59

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the northerly side of Falcon street, numbered 30, between another estate of said DeRienzo and another and an estate of Barhara Hanson, and supposed to contain 2,625 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 9 00

Ralph and Catherine F. Derota—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Eutaw street, numbered 44, making the westerly corner of Marion street, adjoining an estate of John Deluple and another, and supposed to contain 1,370 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 25 00

Frank, Louis, Wilson, Hoover and Aldo DeSanctis; Elvira Viera; Rose Cortesi; Lydia C. Beris, and Vera Iappico—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northerly side of East Eagle street, numbered 220, between an estate of Joseph Anzalone and another and an estate of Charles F. Christian and another, and supposed to contain 2,187 feet, tax for 1953..... 367 64

Pasquale and Maria DiPietro—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Sumner street, numbered 506, between an estate of Nicola Veonucci and an estate of Guerino Cirone and another, and supposed to contain 2,200 feet, tax for 1953.....$296 94
Paid on account..... 130 00

Balance due..... 166 94

William Dunhar—About 4,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Waldemar avenue, being lot 21, H. T. Whitman plan, dated 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2204, tax for 1953..... 14 14
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1953..... 21 85

Lena Dunn; Anna Crump; and Edward C. Devizia—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Bennington street, numbered 398, between an estate of Commonwealth of Massachusetts and an estate of Louis Maiorano and another, and supposed to contain 1,300 feet, tax for 1953..... 141 40
Water and costs for 1952..... 23 50

Agnes T. Fairclough—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Coleridge street, numbered 134, between an estate of Elizabeth M. Roche and an estate of Arthur J. Page, and supposed to contain 1,875 feet, tax for 1953..... 127 26

Serafino H. Fallavollita—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Chelsea street, numbered 333, between an estate of Rosina Cioffi and another and an estate of Rosina Cioffi, and supposed to contain 1,760 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 4 00

Morris Fine—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Putnam street, numbered 177, making the southerly corner of Morris street, adjoining an estate of Leona Fine, and supposed to contain 3,000 feet, tax for 1953 .....$240 38
Paid on account..... 100 00

Balance due..... 140 38

John Forward, Inc.—About 136,794 feet of land on the westerly side of Meridian street, being all of the lot shown on W. R. Luby plan, dated July 1, 1944, except the 6,098 square feet taken by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts for highway purposes, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 53620, Book 264, page 20, tax for 1953..... 1,109 99

Maria and Antonia Frassica—About 4,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Whitby street, being lot 7, H. T. Whitman plan, dated August, 1889, recorded with Suffolk Deeds at end of Book 2221, tax for 1953..... 21 21

William and Concetta Guidara—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Princeton street, numbered 274, between an estate of Adelina Saggese and an estate of Angiolina DiFuria, and supposed to contain 2,250 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 38 50

Gertrude M. Hart—About 3,976 feet of land on the northerly side of Montmorenci avenue, being lot 4, H. T. Whitman plan, dated 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2204, tax for 1953..... 14 14

Mary C. Hickey—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northerly side of Condor street, numbered 38 and 40, between an estate of Lester J. Fortier and another and an estate of Elizabeth Thornton, and supposed to contain 2,250 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 5 00

Alphonsus Kennedy (Life Tenant); Mary G. James, Clarence P., and Daniel G. McInnis; Jerome Ford; Martha P. and Joseph Kennedy; and Gloria Downing—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northerly side of Bennett place, at end, numbered 4, adjoining an estate of Mary G. McInnis, and supposed to contain 1,000 feet, tax for 1953.... 63 63

Anna Lewis—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Eutaw place, numbered 8, between an estate of Elmer A. King and another and an estate of Pasquale Cerrato and another, and supposed to contain 754 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 9 00

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Marion street, numbered 37, 39, 41, 43, making the westerly corner of Eutaw place, adjoining an estate of James E. Crouse, and supposed to contain 2,040 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 38 00

Also about 373 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Eutaw place, being lot 5, William S. Crocker plan, dated November 22, 1939, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, book 5832, page 531, tax for 1953.. 7 07

Valentine Little—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Sumner street, numbered 391, between an estate of Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston and an estate of Angelo R. Debole, and supposed to contain 992 feet, tax for 1953..... 106 05
Water and costs for 1952..... 4 00

Louis and Antoinette Loriso—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of London street, numbered 77, between an estate of Nicola Liberato and another and an estate of Helen L. Gibbons, and supposed to contain 1,600 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 19 00

Raffaele Manganello—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Lamson court, numbered 11, between an estate of Carlo Rossi and another and an estate of Catherine A. Digon, and supposed to contain 750 feet, tax for 1953..... 70 70
Water and costs for 1952..... 2 00

WARD ONE.

Frank S. and Rose M. Mazzone—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Saratoga street, numbered 316, between an estate of Philip Romano and others and an estate of Reuben S. Williams, and supposed to contain 2,800 feet, tax for 1953.....$459 55
Paid on account..... 400 00

Balance due..... 59 55

Luigi Melito—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Everett street, numbered 110, between an estate of Angelo D'Italia and another and an estate of Salvatore Trapasso and another, and supposed to contain 2,687 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 20 50

Ernest I. and Pamela G. Meyer (supposed present owner Yolanda Wisneski)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the easterly side of Meridian street, numbered 293 and 293A, between an estate of Violet Faraci and an estate of Violet Faraci, and supposed to contain 980 feet, tax for 1953..... 311 08

Pasquale and Marianna Mucci—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Cottage street, numbered 175, between an estate of Domenic Bolognese and another and an estate of Philomena Farias and another, and supposed to contain 2,571 feet, tax for 1953....$480 76
Paid on account..... 280 76

Balance due..... 200 00

Leonard and Mary Murano—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Maverick street, numbered 236 and 236A, between an estate of Linda Costanza and an estate of V. and J. Realty Company, and supposed to contain 2,389 feet, water and costs for 1952 .....$32 50
Paid on account..... 15 00

Balance due..... 17 50

Michael Pargoli—Land, with buildings thereon, on the westerly side of Monmouth square, numbered 1, making the junction of White and Monmouth streets, adjoining an estate of Salvatore Rubino and another, and supposed to contain 6,606 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 5 50

Viola Penta—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Lexington street, numbered 104, between an estate of Edward J. O'Brien and another and an estate of Jennie Guerriero, and supposed to contain 2,500 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 20 50

M. Phillips & Sons, Inc.—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Bremen street, numbered 10, making the westerly corner of Bremen place, adjoining an estate of Michele Fontana and another, and supposed to contain 1,697 feet, tax for 1953..... 353 50
Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Maverick square, numbered 69 and 71, between an estate of Josephine DeStefano and an estate of Poto Realty Company, and supposed to contain 1,760 feet, tax for 1953..... 912 03

Joseph and D. Louise Polito (supposed present owner George Sayer)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Bennington street, numbered 165, between an estate of Guistino Dihacco and another and an estate of Rosina Minichiello and another, and supposed to contain 1,122 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 28 00

Francesco Recupero—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Havre street, numbered 149, making the southerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Vincenzo Cali and another and supposed to contain 1,710 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 19 00

Letterio V. Rigano—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Webster street, numbered 40 and 42, between an estate of City of Boston and sundry estates fronting on Orleans street and estates of City of Boston and Boston & Albany Railroad Company, and supposed to contain 3,389 feet, water and costs for 1952 .....$83 40
Paid on account..... 60 00

Balance due..... 23 40

Mario and Carmela Scbepicl—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Marion street, numbered 249, between an estate of Franklyn E. Jacobsen and another and an estate of Joseph Interbartolo and another, and supposed to contain 1,400 feet; 405 feet of this estate is shown as lot A, C. B. Humphrey plan, dated December 30, 1911, and is registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 53677, Book 264, page 277, water and costs for 1952..... 13 00

Anna Stubl—Land, with buildings thereon, on the westerly side of Meridian street, numbered 148 and 150, between an estate of Edward P. Lang and an estate of Sumner G. Hirshberg and another, and supposed to contain 1,226 feet, tax for 1953.....$494 90
Paid on account..... 450 00

Balance due..... 44 90

Josephine Venuto (supposed present owners Ralph and Catherine DeRota)—About 3,915 feet of land on the northerly side of Faywood avenue, being lot 42, Whitman and Howard plan, dated May 10, 1932, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 5358, page 140, tax for 1953..... 7 07

Biagio Vigliotta—About 4,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Waldemar avenue, being lot 17, H. T. Whitman plan, dated 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2204, tax for 1953..... 14 14
Apportionment for sewer assessment for 1953..... 21 85

Sterling L. Wardell—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Maverick street, numbered 317, between an estate of Carmelo Nicolisi and an estate of Alfred F. Leone and another, and supposed to contain 3,000 feet, tax for 1953.....$311 08
Paid on account..... 275 00

Balance due..... 36 08

Lena Wilson—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Haynes street, numbered 20, between an estate of Antonio Stasi and an estate of Rosaria F. Dvolio, and supposed to contain 1,000 feet, water and costs for 1952.....$21 00
Paid on account..... 11 00

Balance due..... 10 00

Mario and Joseph Zullo—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southerly side of Addison street, numbered 73, between an estate of Edmund J. Solari and another and an estate of Vincent Mengotti and another, and supposed to contain 8,817 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 28 00

WARD TWO.

Benjamin Abramson—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Main street, numbered 532A and 536 rear, between an estate of Caverly, Inc., and the location of the Boston & Maine Railroad, and supposed to contain 3,671 feet, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 11577, Book 53, page 177, tax for 1953..... $600 95

Leonard S. Abramson—About 405 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Walnut court, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Walnut court; southeasterly by another estate of said Abramson; southwesterly by an estate of John Meaney and another; northwesterly by an estate of Katherine M. Green and another, tax for 1953..... 7 07
Also about 410 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Walnut court, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Walnut court; southeasterly by another estate of said Abramson; southwesterly by an estate of John Meaney; northwesterly by another estate of said Ahramson, tax for 1953..... 7 07
Also about 405 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Walnut court, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Walnut court; southeasterly by another estate of said Abramson; southwesterly by an estate of William Powers heirs; northwesterly by another estate of said Ahramson, tax for 1953..... 7 07
Also about 400 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Walnut court, making the westerly corner of Chappie street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Walnut court; southeasterly by Chappie street; southwesterly by an estate of City of Boston; northwesterly by another estate of said Abramson, tax for 1953..... 7 07

Anthony Accomando—Land, with buildings thereon, on the westerly side of Armory street, numbered 10, between an estate of City of Boston and an estate of John W. Tobin and another, and supposed to contain 992 feet, tax for 1953.... 56 56
Water and costs for 1952..... 11 50

Antonio A. and Mabel Agcaoli—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Ferrin street, numbered 66, between an estate of Arthur A. Bryant and another and an estate of Marie C. McCabe, and supposed to contain 1,400 feet, tax for 1953.....$113 12
Paid on account..... 52 80

Balance due..... 60 32

Rosario Alongi—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Avon place, numbered 3, between an estate of Emma C. Kcarns and another and an estate of City of Boston, and supposed to contain 612 feet, tax for 1953..... 35 35
Water and costs for 1952..... 9 00
Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Lincoln street, numbered 20, between an estate of Maude Soderlund heirs or devisees and an estate of City of Boston, and supposed to contain 1,340 feet, tax for 1953..... 169 68
Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Lincoln street, numbered 2 rear, between estates of Benjamin Abramson, trustee, and Martin A. Farrington and an estate of Alice Sanseverino, and supposed to contain 1,178 feet, being lot B, George L. Philpott plan, dated July 27, 1923, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4494, page 360, tax for 1953.... 183 82
Water and costs for 1952..... 111 80
Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of School street, numbered 5, between an estate of Charles Raftell and an estate of Goodnough Realty Company, and supposed to contain 1,208 feet, tax for 1953..... 183 82

Jane and Andrew Botticelli (supposed present owner Thomas H. and Freda M. Getherall)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of a passageway leading from the northwesterly side of St. Martin street, numbered 42A St. Martin street, between another estate of said Botticelli and another and an estate of Joseph Schiavo, and supposed to contain 670 feet; the above-mentioned passageway is sometimes known as South Quincy place, tax for 1953..... 49 49
Water and costs for 1952..... 9 00
Also land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of a passageway leading from the northwesterly side of St. Martin street, numbered 42B St. Martin street, adjoining another estate of said Botticelli and another, and supposed to contain 794 feet; the above-mentioned passageway is sometimes known as South Quincy place, tax for 1953..... 49 49

Mary F. and Edward Bradley—About 1,007 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Arlington avenue, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Arlington avenue; southeasterly by an estate of George F. Allen and another; southwesterly by a passageway; northwesterly by an estate of Margaret J. Harrigan, tax for 1953..... 28 28

Charlestown Disabled Veterans Club, Inc.—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Elm street, numbered 11, making the southerly corner of Howard place, extending through to and making the easterly corner of Payson place, and supposed to contain 2,600 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 9 00

WARD TWO.

Joseph A. and Mary F. Clune—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Main street, numbered 393, between an estate of Robert A. Clune and an estate of Max Reiser and another, and supposed to contain 1,179 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 9 00

James J. and Marjorie M. Desmond Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Forest place, numbered 6, at end, adjoining an estate of Mary C. Duggan, and supposed to contain 830 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 63 63

Richard F. Devlin—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Russell street, numbered 105, between an estate of Gerald J. Dupuis and another and another estate of said Devlin, and supposed to contain 1,658 feet, tax for 1953, 106 05
Water and costs for 1952 ..... 9 00
Also land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Russell street, numbered 107, between another estate of said Devlin and an estate of Mary W. Golding, and supposed to contain 3,219 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 106 05

James P. Frizzell—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Mystic place, numbered 5, extending through to Hill street, between an estate of Mary E. Quinlan and an estate of Frank A. Marino and another, and supposed to contain 590 feet, tax for 1953.... 35 35

G. and M. Lunch System, Inc.—About 2,307 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Wapping street, being a lot shown on James W. Haley plan, dated September 27, 1950, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 6635, tax for 1953, 162 61
Also about 1,435 feet of land on the southerly side of Henley street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Henley street; easterly by an estate of John B. Frasca and another estate of said G. and M. Lunch System, Inc.; southerly by Wapping street; westerly by an estate of Commonwealth of Massachusetts, tax for 1953 ..... 84 84

Russell J. Hawkes and Kleanthy Kapetanakis—Land, with buildings thereon, on the easterly side of Haverhill street, numbered 28, between an estate of Anastasia V. Kelly and another and an estate of Charles O'Brien and another, and supposed to contain 981 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 63 63

R. Warren Hopkins—About 2,001 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Main street, being lot B, Edmund I. Leeds plan, not dated, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 5849, page 78, tax for 1953 ..... 106 05

Joseph F. and Allene H. Irvin (supposed present owner Rosario Alongi)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Pleasant street, numbered 32, between an estate of Alexander W. Mazaka and an estate of John F. Sullivan and another, and supposed to contain 1,205 feet, tax for 1953, 148 47

William E. Johnson—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Short Street court, numbered 3, between an estate of Joseph White and an estate of Katherine Kane, and supposed to contain 619 feet, tax for 1953..... 56 56
Also land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Short Street court, numbered 4, between an estate of Harrietta E. Ford and an estate of Doris T. Dow, and supposed to contain 820 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 63 63

Philip Kahn (supposed present owner Beatrice Jackson)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Medford street, numbered 368, 370, 372, extending through to Webster court, between another estate of said Kahn and an estate of Catherine R. Ciccarelli, and supposed to contain 3,249 feet, tax for 1953.....$353 50
Paid on account..... 227 81
Balance due..... 125 69
Water and costs for 1952..... 25 00

John E. Kepple—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Essex street, numbered 2, making the westerly corner of and numbered 9 Mill street, adjoining an estate of George S. Sanborn, and supposed to contain 3,150 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 254 52

Thomas P. and Annie T. Lawler—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Wall street, numbered 7, between an estate of Thomas E. Hogan, Jr., and another and an estate of William P. Shea and another, and supposed to contain 839 feet, tax for 1953.... 84 84

Mary L. Malone—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Soley street, numbered 47, between an estate of Edward W. Greene and another and an estate of Hugh Doherty and another, and supposed to contain 1,770 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 254 52

John A. Martinelli—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Arlington avenue, numbered 80, between an estate of George F. Allen and others and an estate of Marcus Krickman, and supposed to contain 918 feet, tax for 1953.... 91 91
Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Tremont street, numbered 55, between an estate of Angus MacDonald and another and an estate of Joseph M. Franceschi, and supposed to contain 1,605 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 197 96

Carmelino J. and Margaret E. McCabe—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Lincoln place, numbered 3, between an estate of City of Boston and an estate of Sylvester Kuckeruk, and supposed to contain 1,383 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 84 84
Water and costs for 1952..... 17 50

Thomas W. and Ellen M. Moore—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Parker street, numbered 24, between an estate of Rudolph A. St. Louis and another and an estate of Lindricka Hermanicius, and supposed to contain 2,640 feet, water and costs for 1952.....$9 00
Paid on account..... 7 00
Balance due..... 2 00

William H. and Frances Muise—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Lincoln street, numbered 9, making the northerly corner of Adams place, adjoining an estate of Charles F. Babcock, and supposed to contain 976 feet, tax for 1953..... 134 33

Charles E. Murray—About 2,600 feet of land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Medford street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly and southeasterly by an estate of Wilfrid M. Auclair; southwesterly by Medford street; and northwesterly by an estate of Thomas F. Culkeen and another, tax for 1953..... 141 40

Wilbur J. and Elizabeth G. Noone—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Bolton place, numbered 8, between an estate of Michael J. Murphy and another and an estate of City of Boston, and supposed to contain 600 feet, water and costs for 1952, 9 00

Theresa E. O'Callaghan (supposed present owner Kimball Realty Corp.)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Bunker Hill street, numbered 301, between an estate of Frederick Russell and another and an estate of Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston, and supposed to contain 1,262 feet, tax for 1953..... 219 17

John E. and Nora T. O'Connor—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Allston street, numbered 45, between an estate of Samuel Hawkins and another and an estate of John L. Cronin, Sr., and another, and supposed to contain 1,132 feet, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 50208, Book 247, page 8, water and costs for 1952..... 17 05

Hugh J., Helen, and Bridget E. O'Donnell—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Lexington street, numbered 16, between an estate of John E. Doherty and another and an estate of William H. Kelley and another, and supposed to contain 1,605 feet, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 33694, Book 164, page 94, tax for 1953.....$219 17
Paid on account..... 205 00
Balance due..... 14 17

Kate E. O'Hearn—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Chelsea street, numbered 35 and 35½, between an estate of Erminia Corrieri and an estate of Samuel Aronson, and supposed to contain 1,717 feet, tax for 1953..... 402 99

Katherine E. O'Hearn—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Rutherford avenue, numbered 116, between an estate of Annie Western and an estate of Elizabeth T. Griffin, and supposed to contain 1,882 feet, tax for 1953, 353 50

George W. Raynes (Life Tenant) and Alphonse Raynes—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Tremont street, numbered 62 and 64, making the northerly corner of Nason place, adjoining an estate of Harvey S. Shapiro, and supposed to contain 1,350 feet, tax for 1953..... 176 75

Alice M. and Ellen Ripley—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northerly side of Sherman square, at end, numbered 6, adjoining an estate of Nora M. Corrigan, and supposed to contain 850 feet, tax for 1953..... 70 70

Stanley L. and Beatrice W. Rudnick—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Bartlett street, numbered 57, making the easterly corner of and numbered 59 School street, adjoining an estate of Alta H. Flagg, and supposed to contain 4,966 feet, tax for 1953..... 311 08

Sherman W. Saltmarsh—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Baldwin street, numbered 23A, 25, 27, making the southerly corner of and numbered 432, 434, 436A Main street, adjoining an estate of H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., and supposed to contain 3,819 feet, tax for 1953..... 494 90

Eli and Ethel Shnaper—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Warren street, numbered 81 and 85A, making the easterly corner of Pleasant street, adjoining an estate of City of Boston, and supposed to contain 2,256 feet, tax for 1953..... 353 50

Ellen L. Wall—About 753 feet of land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Bunker Hill court, numbered 3, between an estate of Mary E. F. O'Donnell and an estate of E. Amelia Lewis, being lot C, George L. Philbott plan, dated September 10, 1946, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 6316, page 5, water and costs for 1952..... 23 50

Celia Wasserman (supposed present owner Frances Chaletzky)—Land, with buildings, thereon, on the northerly side of Henley street, numbered 88, 90, and 90A, between an estate of United States of America and an estate of Commonwealth of Massachusetts, and supposed to contain 4,064 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 494 90
Water and costs for 1952..... 111 50

Celia, Joshua M., Robert, Isadore, Charlotte, Oscar F., Selma, and Wolf Wasserman (supposed present owner Beatrice Jackson)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Main street, numbered 93, 95, and 97, between another estate of said Wasserman and others and an estate of Joseph W. Burke, and supposed to contain 1,472 feet, being lot B, S. Chipman plan dated December, 1953, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 6925, page 354, tax for 1953..... 296 94
Water and costs for 1952..... 9 00
Also land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Main street, numbered 99 and 99A, making the easterly corner of and numbered 1A Pleasant street, adjoining another estate of said Wasserman and others, and supposed to contain 596 feet, being lot A, S. Chipman plan, dated December, 1953, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 6925, page 354, tax for 1953..... 162 61
Water and costs for 1952..... 37 00

WARD TWO.

Celia Wasserman and Others (Set Off to Beatrice Jackson) (supposed present owner Beatrice Jackson)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Pleasant street, numbered 1, 3, and 5, between two estates of said Jackson, and supposed to contain 2,635 feet, being lot C, S. Chipman plan, dated December, 1953, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 6925, page 354, tax for 1953 ..... 516 11
Water and costs for 1952 ..... 147 00
Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Pleasant street, numbered 11, making the southerly corner of and numbered 80 Warren street, adjoining another estate of said Jackson, and supposed to contain 2,675 feet, being lot D, S. Chipman plan, dated December, 1953, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 6925, page 354, tax for 1953 ..... 197 96
Water and costs for 1952 ..... 29 50
Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Warren street, numbered 76 and 76A, between another estate of said Jackson and an estate of Frank M. Donahue, trustee, and supposed to contain 1,660 feet, being lot F, S. Chipman plan, dated December, 1953, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 6925, page 354, tax for 1953 ..... 127 26
Water and costs for 1952 ..... 38 50

Rose T. White (supposed present owner Jeremiah P. and Kathleen R. Twomey)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Bartlett street, numbered 118, between an estate of Harry Glenn and another and an estate of Jeremiah J. Dunlea, and supposed to contain 1,200 feet, tax for 1953 .... 106 05

Ella M. Wilmot (supposed present owner Douglas Remodeling, Inc.)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Ferrin street, numbered 76, between an estate of Charles A. Roche and an estate of City of Boston, and supposed to contain 1,413 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 77 77

WARD THREE.

A. Accardi Co.—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Commercial street, numbered 98 and 100, between an estate of Parisis J. Georgian and an estate of Alfonso V. Spagnuolo and another, and supposed to contain 1,345 feet, tax for 1953 ..... $848 40

Archie Asadourian—About 740 feet of land on the northerly side of Wilkes street, bounded and described as follows: Southerly by Wilkes street; easterly by an estate of City of Boston; northerly by an estate of Laura E. Wesson; westerly by sundry estates of Harold D. Morse and Corrada Palladino, tax for 1953 ..... 42 42

Vangai and Olympia Atbanos—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Poplar street, numbered 91, making the northerly corner of and numbered 115 and 117 Brighton street, adjoining an estate of Sarah Cline, and supposed to contain 2,314 feet, tax for 1953, 565 60

Louis and Nathan Baer—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northerly side of Eaton street, numbered 19, between an estate of Antone Neinartowicz and another and an estate of Augusta Brenner, and supposed to contain 1,463 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 657 51
Also land, with buildings thereon, on the northerly side of Eaton street, at end, numbered 25 and 27, extending through to and numbered 12 McLean court, between an estate of City of Boston and an estate of Edith Klingenstein, and supposed to contain 2,233 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 1,315 02
Water and costs for 1952 ..... 151 80
Also land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Allen street, numbered 9, between an estate of Jane F. Fitzgerald and an estate of Antonio Marotta, and supposed to contain 1,123 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 579 74
Water and costs for 1952 ..... 76 00
Also land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Auburn street, numbered 54, extending through to a passageway, between an estate of Wladyslaw Czapski and an estate of Hyman Shrier, and supposed to contain 810 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 388 85
Water and costs for 1952 ..... 65 50

Sydney Berry—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Bradford street, numbered 1, making the easterly corner of Waltham street, adjoining an estate of John P. Hurley, and supposed to contain 1,294 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 282 80
Water and costs for 1952 ..... 19 00

Adele M. Bithoney—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Rollins street, numbered 10, between an estate of Abdallah A. Bithoney and another and an estate of Michael Rizzo, and supposed to contain 1,500 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 353 50
Water and costs for 1952 ..... 67 00

Wayman and Mary C. Brown—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Milford street, numbered 7, making the easterly corner of Taylor street, adjoining an estate of Samuel Goldmeer, and supposed to contain 844 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 247 45

Generoso A. and Luciano Capodilupo—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southerly side of Green street, numbered 76 and 76A, making the southwesterly corner of and numbered 48 Lynde street, adjoining an estate of Elvira V. Perelli, and supposed to contain 2,136 feet, tax for 1953 ..... $1,449 35
Paid on account 518 10
Balance due 931 25

Cara Donna Packing Co.—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southerly side of North street, numbered 209, 211, and 213, between an estate of Pietro Bombardieri and an estate of Eleanor Ferullo, and supposed to contain 3,000 feet, tax for 1953, 848 40

Anthony C. Castaldo—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Merrimac street, numbered 152 and 154, between another estate of said Castaldo and an estate of Phllip Winnick, and supposed to contain 1,318 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 318 15
Water and costs for 1952 ..... 50 50
Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Merrimac street, numbered 160, 160A, 158, and 156, between another estate of said Castaldo and an estate of John Manoli and another, and supposed to contain 2,512 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 848 40
Water and costs for 1952 ..... 174 30

David B. Chaletzky—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Rose street, numbered 40, between an estate of Maurice Golden and another estate of said Chaletzky, and supposed to contain 900 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 289 87
Also land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Rose street, numbered 38, between an estate of Clarence Moore and another estate of said Chaletzky, and supposed to contain 892 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 289 87

Chin Stanley Lin Foo (reassessed)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Hudson street, numbered 92 and 92A, between an estate of Harry Bing You and an estate of Henry G. Der, and supposed to contain 1,230 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 7 00

Clark Realty Company—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Washington street, numbered 575 and 577, extending through to and numbered 17 Avery street, between another estate of said Clark Realty Company and an estate of E. Sohier Welch and others, trustees, and supposed to contain 4,515 feet, tax for 1953 ..... $14,140 00
Paid on account 3,500 00
Balance due 10,640 00
Also land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Washington street, numbered 581 and 583, making the northerly corner of and numbered 9 and 11 Avery street, adjoining another estate of said Clark Realty Company, and supposed to contain 3,056 feet, tax for 1953 ..... $21,210 00
Paid on account 10,000 00
Balance due 11,210 00

Michael Cohen (reassessed)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Warrenton street, numbered 30, between an estate of George A. Bowles and another and an estate of Mary Spellman, and supposed to contain 2,312 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 86 50

Maria A. Coppola—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Endicott street, numbered 182 and 184, between another estate of said Coppola and an estate of Annie M. Ciriello and others, and supposed to contain 808 feet, tax for 1953 ..... $353 50
Paid on account 200 00
Balance due 153 50

D and L Realty, Inc.—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Poplar street, numbered 102, between another estate of said D and L Realty, Inc., and an estate of Girolamo Gattuso and another, and supposed to contain 1,292 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 459 55
Water and costs for 1952 ..... 86 50
Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Poplar street, numbered 104, making the southerly corner of Porcelain place, adjoining another estate of said D and L Realty, Inc., and supposed to contain 1,615 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 494 90
Water and costs for 1952 ..... 130 30

Angelo and Isabelle DeMarco—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Friend street, numbered 252, between an estate of Bertha Golubchin and an estate of Oscar A. Harvey, and supposed to contain 315 feet, tax for 1953 .... 318 15

Arthur U. and Alice DeRoseiear (supposed present owner Aaron Shindler)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Fay street, numbered 20, extending through to a passageway, between an estate of City of Boston and an estate of Laura M. Amadei, and supposed to contain 742 feet, water and costs for 1952.. 67 50

Israel Dores—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Dover street, numbered 257, extending through to Public Alley No. 717, between another estate of said Dores and an estate of Helen A. B. Rose and others, and supposed to contain 2,762 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 466 62
Water and costs for 1952 ..... 151 70
Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Dover street, numbered 253, extending through to Public Alley No. 717, between two other estates of said Dores, and supposed to contain 2,772 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 466 62
Water and costs for 1952 ..... 184 95
Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Dover street, numbered 255, extending through to Public Alley No. 717, between two other estates of said Dores, and supposed to contain 2,760 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 466 62
Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Dover street, numbered 251, extending through to Public Alley No. 717, between an estate of City of Boston and another estate of said Dores, and supposed to contain 3,030 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 466 62
Water and costs for 1952 ..... 303 80

Sophie Dorfman—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Troy street, numbered 48, between two other estates of said Dorfman, and supposed to contain 900 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 197 96

Barney and Ida Ezer—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Seneca street, numbered 3, between an estate of Joseph Vicari and an estate of Max Shriber, and supposed to contain 900 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 247 45

WARD THREE.

Joseph and Rose Feldstein—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Oak place, numbered 3, extending through to Maple place, between another estate of said Feldstein and another and an estate of Nidie J. Bethoni, and supposed to contain 1,375 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 212 10

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Oak place, numbered 2, extending through to Maple place, between two other estates of said Feldstein and another, and supposed to contain 1,375 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 212 10

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Oak place, numbered 1, making the southerly corner of and numbered 17, 19, 21, 23, and 25 Oak street, adjoining another estate of said Feldstein and another, and supposed to contain 1,375 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 353 50

Orlando Giglio—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Unity court, numbered 22, between an estate of Anthony A. Venditti and another and an estate of Antonio Rosati and another, and supposed to contain 730 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 141 40

Hark Bros. Corp.—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of North street, numbered 24, making the northerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Nelson Crowther, and supposed to contain 2,454 feet, tax for 1953.... 3,605 70

Andrew P. Hazelwood—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Milford street, numbered 30, between an estate of Peter Wilk and another and an estate of Charles P. Caruso, and supposed to contain 1,274 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 5 50

Hoffman Grill, Inc.—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Wasbington street, numbered 861 and 867, between an estate of the Boston Dispensary and others, trustees, and an estate of Louis Battite, and supposed to contain 2,900 feet, tax for 1953 .....$1,060 50
Paid on account..... 914 80

Balance due..... 145 70

Domenica Iazodda—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Rose street, numbered 10, between an estate of Philip Portnoy and an estate of Angelo Gurciullo, and supposed to contain 886 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 148 47

Mamie Jackson—Land, witb buildings tbereon, on tbe southwesterly side of Rollins street, numbered 19, between an estate of Cbarles Dow and anotber and an estate of Najiebie A. Naddoff, and supposed to contain 1,155 feet, tax for 1953, 240 38
Water and costs for 1952..... 11 50

Joe and Nemo, Inc.—Land, with buildings tbereon, on tbe nortberly side of Howard street, numbered 21 and 23, between an estate of Cyrus Sargeant and another and anotber estate of said Joe and Nemo, Inc., and supposed to contain 1,020 feet, tax for 1953..... 1,767 50

Clifford Jordan—Land, witb buildings thereon, on tbe soutbeasterly side of Harrison avenue, numbered 348, 348A, and 348B, between an estate of Sylvia Shapiro and an estate of Freda Birstein, and supposed to contain 927 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 17 00

Philip Kahn (supposed present owner Daniel Williams)—Land, with buildings tbereon, on the soutbwesterly side of Rochester street, numbered 28 and 28B, between an estate of Albert L. Cohen, trustee, and an estate of City of Boston, and supposed to contain 900 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 247 45
Water and costs for 1952..... 67 00

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Rochester street, numbered 32, between an estate of Albert L. Cohen, trustee, and an estate of Philip Portnoy, and supposed to contain 900 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 247 45
Water and costs for 1952..... 97 80

Also land, witb buildings tbereon, on tbe soutbwesterly side of Rocbester street, numbered 36, between an estate of Philip Portnoy and an estate of Harris M. Colpitts, and supposed to contain 900 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 247 45
Water and costs for 1952..... 81 60

David Kaplan, Trustee of tbe Roslin Trust—Land, witb buildings thereon, on the nortbwesterly side of Shawmut avenue, numbered 255, 255A, and 255B, extending tbrough to Public Alley No. 712, between an estate of Cbarles Krimsky and an estate of Mary Koury, and supposed to contain 1,234 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 353 50
Water and costs for 1952..... 7 00

Max R. Kargman—Land, witb buildings tbereon, on tbe easterly side of Tremont street, numbered 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, and 32, between an estate of Edward Rose and otbers, trustees, and an estate of City of Boston, and supposed to contain 21,043 feet, tax for 1953 .....$106,050 00
Paid on account..... 91,270 00

Balance due..... 14,780 00

Nathan Katz—Land, witb buildings tbereon, on tbe nortberly side of Bridge court, numbered 6, between an estate of Donato Gasbarri and an estate of City of Boston, and supposed to contain 767 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 26 50

Max Krinsky—Land, with buildings thereon, on tbe nortberly side of Cambridge street, numbered 169, 169A, 171, 173, and 175, between two estates of Max Krinsky and another, and supposed to contain 3,167 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 1,060 50

Max and Libby Krinsky—Land, witb buildings tbereon, on tbe easterly side of Soutb Russell street, numbered 42, between an estate of Annie E. Ranney and an estate of Melville C. Gamble, and supposed to contain 1,183 feet, tax for 1953, 494 90

George Kritzer and Sidney Zaslow—Land, witb buildings tbereon, on the easterly side of Sbawmut avenue, numbered 38, 40, 42, between an estate of Lucy D. M. Sidman and an estate of Micbael S. Rosenbaum and anotber, and supposed to contain 916 feet, tax for 1953.... 459 55

Frances Larkin—Land, with buildings tbereon, on tbe soutbwesterly side of Green street, numbered 44 and 44A, between an estate of Ellery Howland and an estate of Anita Russo, and supposed to contain 1,500 feet, tax for 1953..... 636 30
Water and costs for 1952..... 91 00

Luigi Lavita—Land, witb buildings thereon, on tbe westerly side of Jasper place, at end, numbered 2, adjoining an estate of Francesca Esposito, and supposed to contain 385 feet, registered in tbe Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 2956, Book 10, page 256, tax for 1953.....$70 70
Paid on account..... 60 00

Balance due..... 10 70

Ida Lemelman—Land, with buildings tbereon, on tbe nortbwesterly side of Harrison avenue, numbered 411 and 411A, between an estate of Louis Osber and another, trustee, and an estate of Frank Gluzband, and supposed to contain 831 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 318 15

Ida and Barnet Lemelman—Land, witb buildings tbereon, on tbe soutbwesterly side of Seneca street, numbered 7, between an estate of Albert L. Cohen, trustee, and an estate of Max Shriber, and supposed to contain 900 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 247 45

Charles I. Lesser—Land, witb buildings tbereon, on the soutberly side of Compton street, numbered 22, between an estate of Marion L. Gaffney and another estate of said Lesser, and supposed to contain 1,098 feet, tax for 1953..... 282 80

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southerly side of Compton street, numbered 20, between two other estates of said Lesser, and supposed to contain 1,098 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 282 80

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southerly side of Compton street, numbered 16½ and 18, between an estate of Cosimo Roffoni and another and another estate of said Lesser, and supposed to contain 1,095 feet, tax for 1953, 282 80

Esther Lesser—Land, witb buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Compton street, numbered 29 and 29A, between another estate of said Lesser and an estate of Sophia Zographos, and supposed to contain 1,017 feet, tax for 1953..... 424 20

Graziano N. Longarini—Land, with buildings thereon, on tbe northerly side of Battery street, numbered 30 and 34, between an estate of G. Savarese and Son, Inc., and an estate of Giuseppe Rizzo, and supposed to contain 1,386 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 600 95

Joseph W., Cbarles C., Zoe M. Lund and Fred B. Lund, Jr.; Meriam Stetson, Rachel C. Griffing, Marion E. Torrey, Executors Under the Will of Fred B. Lund; Artbur E. Whittemore and Harold T. Davis, Trustees of Edwin Bowker Estate Trust; John E. Peakes, Trustee for Benefit of Georgie C. Bowker; Lothrop Withington, Trustee Under the Will of Howard E. Torrey—About 1,210 feet of land lying in the rear from tbe northeasterly side of what was formerly Beverly street before the taking for the John F. Fitzgerald Expressway, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by estates of S. and P. Realty Corporation; northwesterly, southwesterly, and soutbeasterly hy an estate of Fred W. Allison *et al.*, Trustees of Braman Dow and Company, tax for 1953.... 254 52

John Maheras (reassessed from Deny Poulos)—Land, witb buildings thereon, on tbe northwesterly side of Harrison avenue, numbered 361, 361A, 361B, between an estate of Joseph N. Vicari and an estate of Gussie Becker, and supposed to contain 1,250 feet, tax for 1953..... 424 20
Water and costs for 1952..... 19 00

Zakie Maloof—Land, witb buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Bond street, numbered 8, between an estate of Harry George and another and an estate of John Fanning and another, and supposed to contain 1,260 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 212 10

Aurelio Mandatore, Mortgagee in Possession, 7-2-52—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Poplar street, numbered 38, making the westerly corner of Public Alley No. 13, adjoining an estate of James A. Tuffo, and supposed to contain 1,400 feet, tax for 1953..... 494 90
Water and costs for 1952..... 217 13

Charles, Henry, Carmella, Edith, Michael and Gennaro Milano; and Jennie M. Catino (supposed present owner Joaquin and Maria Figueira)—Land, with buildings thereon, on tbe easterly side of North street, numbered 293, 293 rear, 295, 295½, and 297, between an estate of Frank Marino and another and an estate of Imperial Restaurant, Inc., and supposed to contain 3,460 feet, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 56768, Book 279, page 168, tax for 1953 ..... 565 60

Clarence Moore—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Rose street, numbered 16, between an estate of Frances Chaletzky and an estate of Harold Huffam, and supposed to contain 886 feet, tax for 1953..... 289 87
Water and costs for 1952..... 35 50

New England Land Co.—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Summer street, numbered 131, 133, and 135, between an estate of 125 Summer Street Trust and an estate of Pauline Spanos, trustee, and supposed to contain 2,850 feet, tax for 1953 .....$5,394 41
Paid on account..... 4,772 25

Balance due..... 622 16

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of South street, numbered 13, 15, 17, 19, and 23, making the westerly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Twenty-five Soutb Street, Inc., and supposed to contain 5,287 feet, tax for 1953 .....$8,745 59
Paid on account..... 5,832 75

Balance due..... 2,912 84

WARD THREE.

Orear Panos—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Florence street, numbered 2 and 2B, between an estate of Louis Okstein and an estate of Giuseppina Affanato, and supposed to contain 1,056 feet, tax for 1953.... 318 15

Margaret Pastore (supposed present owner Ernest C. and Edward V. Guarente)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Hanover street, numbered 415 and 415A, making the easterly corner of and numbered 8 Harris street, adjolning an estate of Rosalind C. Risteen, and supposed to contain 1,282 feet, tax for 1953, 742 35

Vincenzo and Maria Petitto—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Charter street, numbered 24, making the southerly corner of Unity street, adjoining an estate of Giovanni Toscani and another, and supposed to contain 1,299 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 742 35
Water and costs for 1952..... 128 10

Louis and Charles Polcari—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Fleet street, numbered 11 and 13, between an estate of Annabale Polcari and an estate of Maria Figueira, and supposed to contain 1,462 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 68 50

Emidio Ricciotti—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Sheafe street, numbered 19, between an estate of Generoso Cella and an estate of Carmine Cataldo, and supposed to contain 1,203 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 16 00

Rosalind C. Risteen—Land, with buildings thereon, on the easterly side of North street, numbered 307 and 309, between an estate of Salvatore Rotondo and another and an estate of Achille Giannasca and anotber, and supposed to contain 1,504 feet, tax for 1953..... 494 90
Water and costs for 1952..... 25 00
Also land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Cbarter street, numbered 19 and 19 rear, making the easterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Gluseppina Baudanza and another, and supposed to contain 2,175 feet, tax for 1953..... 636 30

Joseph and Marie Roberto—About 1,150 feet of land on the northerly side of Stillman street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Edith C. Gleason and others; easterly by a passageway; soutberly by Stillman street; and westerly by an estate of Commonwealth of Massachusetts, tax for 1953..... 247 45

Rhoda J. Ryan—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southerly side of Smith court, numbered 2, making the southeasterly corner of Holmes Alley, adjolning an estate of Congregation Lebariz, and supposed to contaln 1,536 feet, tax for 1953..... 636 30

George Salamy—About 1,400 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hudson street, bounded and described as follows: Southeasterly by Hudson street; southwesterly by an estate of Mary C. Dow; northwesterly by an estate of St. George's Syrian Orthodox Church Society of Boston; and northeasterly by another estate of said Salamy, tax for 1953..... 98 98

Joseph M. Salbin (supposed present owner Mary C. Dow)—About 1,400 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hudson street, bounded and described as follows: Southeasterly by Hudson street; southwesterly by three estates of John Marshall; northwesterly by an estate of St. George's Syrlan Orthodox Church Society of Boston; and northeasterly by an estate of George Salamy, tax for 1953..... 98 98

Alfred T., George A., Edward A., Frank V., Joseph, Louise T., and Eugene Scigliano—About 851 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Minot street, bounded and described as follows; Northwesterly by Minot street; northeasterly by an estate of John I. Fitzgerald; southwesterly by an estate of Marie G. Healy; and southeasterly by an estate of Commonwealth of Massachusetts, tax for 1953..... 98 98

Moy G. Shee—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Tyler street, numbered 10 and 10A, between an estate of Wong Been and another and an estate of Ng Jam Wah and others, and supposed to contain 1,440 feet, tax for 1953..... 2,121 00

Nathan Siegel—About 400 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Chapel place, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of Rocco DiTullio and another; southeasterly by Chapel place; southwesterly by another estate of said Siegel; and northwesterly by an estate of Minnie M. Fox, tax for 1953..... 28 28
Also about 400 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Chapel place, bounded and described as follows: Southeasterly by Chapel place; southwesterly by an estate of Herman L. Slack; northeasterly by another estate of said Siegel; and northwesterly by an estate of Minnie M. Fox, tax for 1953..... 28 28

Mildred Sneirson—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Commercial street, numbered 248 and 250, between an estate of W. H. Cole Chocolate Company and an estate of Angelina Cardone, and supposed to contain 1,178 feet, tax for 1953..... 565 60

Michael Solomon—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Harvard street, numbered 70, between an estate of Frances L. Halpern and an estate of James Hadge and another, trustees, and supposed to contain 901 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 13 00

Alfonso V. Spagnuolo and Frank Bacigalupo—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Commercial street, numbered 94 and 96, between an estate of Gaetano Fazio and an estate of A. Accardi Company, and supposed to contain 1,035 feet, tax for 1953.... 671 65
Water and costs for 1952..... 9 00

Zerry E. Storms—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Shawmut avenue, numbered 235, between an estate of Hattie M. White and an estate of Charles S. Robinson and another, and supposed to contain 900 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 282 80
Water and costs for 1952..... 26 50

Pearl E. Vining—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Shawmut avenue, numbered 219 and 219A, making the westerly corner of Public Alley No. 705, adjoining another estate of said Vining, and supposed to contain 1,403 feet, tax for 1953..... 424 20
Also land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Shawmut avenue, numbered 221, between another estate of said Vining and an estate of John Christie, and supposed to contain 2,494 feet, tax for 1953..... 459 55

Charles B. Wallace—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Groton street, numbered 10, between an estate of Harriet C. Boggie and another estate of said Wallace, and supposed to contain 1,075 feet, tax for 1953..... 212 10
Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Groton street, numbered 8, between an estate of Helen Fortunato and another estate of said Wallace, and supposed to contain 1,011 feet, tax for 1953..... 212 10

Pearl Williams—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Lowell street, numbered 39 and 41, making the southerly corner of Cotting street, adjoining an estate of Paul M. Gott and another, and supposed to contain 600 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 23 50

Albert E. Wilson—About 1,414 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hudson street, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by Hudson street; northeasterly by another estate of said Wilson; southeasterly by an estate of Boston Paper Board Company; southwesterly by an estate of Affefie Rahawn, tax for 1953..... 98 98
Also about 1,414 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Hudson street, bounded and described as follows: Nortbwesterly by Hudson street; northeasterly by another estate of said Wilson; southeasterly by an estate of Boston Paper Board Company; southwesterly by another estate of said Wilson, tax for 1953, 98 98
Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Hudson street, numbered 126, between an estate of Better Equipment Company and another estate of said Wilson, and supposed to contain 1,178 feet, tax for 1953..... 282 80

Jones M. Wing—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Kingston street, numbered 145, 147, and 149, extending through to and numbered 30 and 32 Edinboro' street, between an estate of Myer Krim and another and an estate of Fadel Touma and another, and supposed to contain 3,148 feet, tax for 1953..... 2,333 10

Hagop Yaghsizian (supposed present owner Frank Ely)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Laconia street, numbered 27, extending through to Perry street, between an estate of Phillip Budinski and an estate of Robert D. O'Leary, and supposed to contain 1,321 feet, tax for 1953, 318 15

WARD FOUR.

Ezra Adjmi—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Warren avenue, numbered 198, 200, 202, between another estate of said Adjmi and an estate of Bessie Tyler, and supposed to contain 982 feet, tax for 1953..... $636 30
Water and costs for 1952..... 47 50

Helen V. Bailey—Land, with buildings thereon, on the westerly side of Field street, numbered 16, between an estate of Warren L. Thiessen and another and an estate of Thomas Greenwood and another, and supposed to contain 1,196 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 19 00

Otis Bell (supposed present owner Charles H. Tinker)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Worcester street, numbered 113, between another estate of said Bell and an estate of Catherine E. Boyington, and supposed to contain 1,160 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 155 54
Water and costs for 1952..... 8 50
Also land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Worcester street, numbered 111, between two other estates of said Bell, and supposed to contain 1,160 feet, tax for 1953..... 155 54
Water and costs for 1952..... 4 00
Also land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Worcester street, numbered 109, making the northerly corner of Concord place, adjoining another estate of said Bell, and supposed to contain 1,450 feet, tax for 1953, 176 75
Water and costs for 1952..... 5 50

James R. and Vivian G. Cooper (supposed present owner Clifford C. Jamieson)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Massachusetts avenue, numbered 366, between an estate of Cuthbert E. C. Pbillibert and an estate of Charles E. Thomas, and supposed to contain 2,350 feet, water and costs for 1952.....$103 00
Paid on account..... 50 00
Balance due..... 53 00

Marie P. Davis—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Ruggles street, numbered 275 and 277, between an estate of Eli Loomis and an estate of General Ice Cream Corporation, and supposed to contain 3,195 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 240 38
Water and costs for 1952..... 9 00

Anna H. Fallon—Land, with buildings thereon, on the easterly side of Field street, numbered 17, between an estate of William Wolf and others and an estate of Frances L. Adami, and supposed to contain 1,440 feet, tax for 1953..... 134 33
Water and costs for 1952..... 10 00

Mae R. Field (supposed present owner Doris Berman)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Columbus avenue, numbered 304 and 304A, between an estate of Doris Berman and an estate of Lydia Roy, and supposed to contain 1,455 feet, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 56307, Book 277, page 107, tax for 1953 ..... 318 15

WARD FOUR.

Irene Floyd—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Claremont park, numbered 31, between an estate of Arthur M. Burke and an estate of Ida M. Hamilton, and supposed to contain 969 feet, tax for 1953.....$141 40
Paid on account..... 98 34

Balance due..... 43 06

Jane Haley—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Braddock park, numbered 10, making the westerly corner of Public Alley No. 539, extending through to Public Alley No. 540, adjoining an estate of William J. Hector and another, and supposed to contain 2,310 feet, tax for 1953, 318 15
Water and costs for 1952..... 20 50

Margaret M. and Mary V. Harkins—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Brookline avenue, numbered 474, between an estate of Karl A. Klinckmuller and another and an estate of Alice E. Taylor *et al.*, and supposed to contain 1,733 feet, tax for 1953..... 339 36

George and Marie Henson—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Worcester street, numbered 117, between an estate of Catherine E. Boyington and an estate of Alonzo J. Shadman, and supposed to contain 1,160 feet, water and costs for 1952 .....$31 00
Paid on account..... 15 58

Balance due..... 15 42

George G. and Marie Henson—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Holyoke street, numbered 5, making the northerly corner of Public Alley No. 543, extending through to Public Alley No. 544, adjoining an estate of Victoria Riddick, and supposed to contain 2,155 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 38 50

George G. Henson—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of West Springfield street, numbered 205, between an estate of Morrie E. and Daisy M. Grady and an estate of Lester D. Lazarus, and supposed to contain 1,600 feet, water and costs for 1952.....$104 50
Paid on account..... 25 00

Balance due..... 79 50

Benjamin and Sarah P. Hunter—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Claremont park, numbered 27, between an estate of Francis J. Baskerville and another and an estate of Arthur M. Burke, and supposed to contain 910 feet, tax for 1953..... 141 40

Euphemia A. Kerr—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Chandler street, numbered 120, extending through to Lawrence street, between an estate of Flora Leverone and an estate of Florence D. Fyfe, and supposed to contain 1,280 feet, tax for 1953 .....$388 85
Paid on account..... 247 45

Balance due..... 141 40

Lavinia M. McGill—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Dartmouth street, numbered 65 and 65A, making the easterly corner of Dartmouth place, adjoining an estate of Rita Bimler, and supposed to contain 1,102 feet, tax for 1953..... 388 85
Water and costs for 1952..... 5 50

John McLaren—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of West Brookline street, numbered 194, making the southerly corner of Public Alley No. 526, adjoining an estate of William E. McDermott, and supposed to contain 1,767 feet, tax for 1953..... 353 50
Water and costs for 1952..... 25 00

Catherine M. O'Rourke (supposed present owner John W. Bighamsawauger, Sr., and Ellen R. Bighamsawauger)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Columbus square, numbered 8, between an estate of Laurice Penn and another estate of said O'Rourke, and supposed to contain 1,701 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 151 90

Albert E. Roberts—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Massachusetts avenue, numbered 374 and 376, between an estate of Cuthbert E. C. Phillibert and another estate of said Roberts, and supposed to contain 2,136 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 127 00

Kenneth L. and Louise C. Roberts—Land, with buildings thereon, on the westerly side of West Canton street, numbered 188, making the northwesterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of George W. Schraut, and supposed to contain 1,440 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 34 00

Eluchlous and Cassie Smith—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northerly side of West Canton street, numbered 195, between an estate of Elsie H. Burke and an estate of John L. Guyer, and supposed to contain 1,330 feet, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 53540, Book 263, page 140, tax for 1953.....$374 71
Paid on account..... 354 71

Balance due..... 20 00

Stanley P. Sreda—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Columbus avenue, numbered 312, extending through to Chandler street, between an estate of Gergro Realty and Investment, Inc., and an estate of Doris Berman, and supposed to contain 2,425 feet, tax for 1953..... 395 92
Water and costs for 1952..... 11 50

Ezra Wolfson—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southerly side of Cambria street, numbered 25, between an estate of Reidar F. Andersen and another and an estate of Michael N. Thomas, and supposed to contain 1,441 feet, tax for 1953..... 141 40

WARD FIVE.

Irving C. Barlow—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Melrose street, numbered 10, between an estate of A. Eric Salsburg and another and an estate of Arthur J. Lawson, and supposed to contain 764 feet, water and costs for 1952..... $29 50

Cozie D. and Rosezella Bradley—About 2,937 feet of land, with buildings thereon, if any, on the northwesterly side of Middlesex street, now or formerly numbered 21, between an estate of City of Boston and an estate of Bronislawa Widronak, tax for 1953..... 311 08
Water and costs for 1952..... 125 25

Rosezella L. Bradley—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Albion street, numbered 37, between an estate of Sidney P. Saunders and an estate of Thomas Curley, and supposed to contain 888 feet, tax for 1953.... 91 91

Frances Chaletzky—Land, with buildings thereon, on the easterly side of Middlesex street, numbered 80, between an estate of Sotira Ostoposides and an estate of Joseph Weinberg, and supposed to contain 983 feet, tax for 1953..... 212 10
Water and costs for 1952..... 29 50

Norman A. Chaletzky—Land, with buildings thereon, on the westerly side of Anderson street, numbered 39, between an estate of John Korey and an estate of William C. Cheswick, and supposed to contain 1,646 feet, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 48419, Book 238, page 19, water and costs for 1952.... 109 00

Charles Management Corporation—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Fairfield street, numbered 21, making the westerly corner of Commonwealth avenue, adjoining an estate of Louis Lissack, and supposed to contain 3,984 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 68 00

Curley Chen—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Kirkland street, numbered 12, between an estate of Richard A. Laureana and another and an estate of Young Sing, and supposed to contain 691 feet, tax for 1953 .....$247 45
Paid on account..... 207 45

Balance due..... 40 00

John Christie—Land, with buildings thereon, on the easterly side of Village street, numbered 30, between an estate of Julio Dos Santos and an estate of Mary E. Frazier, and supposed to contain 1,091 feet, tax for 1953..... 148 47

Jennie S. Cleveland and Ruth V. B. Day, Trustees Under Will of George B. Hugo—Land, with buildings thereon, on the westerly side of Shawmut avenue, numbered 145 and 147, between an estate of Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston and an estate of Elinor Silverman, and supposed to contain 792 feet, tax for 1953..... 247 45

Lillian F. Clinkard—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 165, extending through to Public Alley No. 425, between an estate of Roy Frank Kipp and an estate of Katherine T. Foley and others, and supposed to contain 3,237 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 87 50

Wilbert H. and Florence L. Cook—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northerly side of Phillips street, numbered 17, between an estate of Gertrude Rosenstein and an estate of Helen L. Bacon, and supposed to contain 783 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 141 40
Water and costs for 1952..... 17 50

Howard S. Cosgrove—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Boylston street, numbered 202 and 208, extending through to and numbered 42 and 48 Park square, between another estate of said Cosgrove and an estate of Boyle-White Realty Corporation, and supposed to contain 7,087 feet, tax for 1953....$14,140 00
Paid on account..... 2,431 64

Balance due..... 11,708 36

Maximo Cruz—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northerly side of Dover street, numbered 34, making the northeasterly corner of Village street, adjoining an estate of Esther Cohen, and supposed to contain 1,563 feet, tax for 1953..... 424 20
Water and costs for 1952..... 9 00

Thomas Curley (supposed present owner Dominic J. Sariceno)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the westerly side of Emerald street, numbered 22, between an estate of Theodore Chepeleff and others, trustees of Albanian Church of St. George of Boston, and an estate of Edward Shuman, and supposed to contain 1,057 feet, tax for 1953..... 176 75

Thomas Curley (supposed present owner William G. Hill)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Village street, numbered 41, between an estate of City of Boston and an estate of Samuel Cox, and supposed to contain 1,144 feet, tax for 1953..... 141 40

Minerva B. Dobro (supposed present owner Boston Evening Clinic and Hospital)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northerly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 397, between an estate of Hearthstone Insurance Company of Massachusetts and an estate of First National Bank of Boston, and supposed to contain 6,919 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 4,949 00

Walter John Gaywood—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northerly side of Revere street, numbered 87, making the northwesterly corner of Bellingham place, adjoining an estate of John J. Lonergan and another, and supposed to contain 1,265 feet, tax for 1953....$1,131 20
Paid on account..... 989 80

Balance due..... 141 40

Philip Giove—Land, with buildings thereon, on the westerly side of Grove street, numbered 41, between an estate of Nunzio Giove and another and an estate of Rose DeFiore, and supposed to contain 1,147 feet, tax for 1953..... 530 25
Water and costs for 1952..... 5 50

Griggs Realty Corporation—Land, with buildings thereon, on the westerly side of Anderson street, numbered 29 and 29A, between another estate of said Griggs Realty Corporation and an estate of Sarah Fendell and others, and supposed to contain 1,254 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 73 75

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Also land, with buildings thereon, on the westerly side of Anderson street, numbered 31 and 31A, between another estate of said Griggs Realty Corporation and an estate of John J. Reardon, and supposed to contain 1,280 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 52 00

James and Sadie N. Hadge, Trustees—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Tremont street, numbered 362 and 362A, between an estate of Anna R. Woolf, trustee, and an estate of Mitchell G. Hadge and another, and supposed to contain 962 feet, tax for 1953..... 494 90

Humphries-Bruce, Inc.—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Winchester street, numbered 47, between an estate of International Alliance of Theatrical Stage Employees and Moving Picture Machine Operators of the United States and Canada, Local 182, and an estate of Catherine M. Regan, and supposed to contain 612 feet, tax for 1953..... 353 50

Catherine S. Huntington—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southerly side of Pinckney street, numbered 66, between an estate of Robert N. Cronin and an estate of Frances Altman, and supposed to contain 1,600 feet, tax for 1953....$1,025 15
Paid on account..... 883 75

Balance due..... 141 40

Frances G. Isaacs—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northerly side of Bay State road, numbered 125, between an estate of Boston School of Dental Nursing and an estate of Muriel C. Kasdon, and supposed to contain 5,072 feet, tax for 1953, 1,201 90
Water and costs for 1952..... 26 50

Katherine Johnson—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Gray street, numbered 53, extending through to a passageway, between an estate of Marie A. Powers and others and an estate of Richard S. Folger, and supposed to contain 720 feet, tax for 1953..... 282 80

John C., Annie P., and Mary P. Johnston—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Chestnut street, numbered 22, between an estate of Cedric W. Foster and another and an estate of John R. McLane and another, trustees, and supposed to contain 2,420 feet, tax for 1953..... 1,060 50

The Lafayette Corporation (supposed present owner Carmelite Sisters for the Aged and Infirm)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northerly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 333 and 335, extending through to Public Alley No. 429, between an estate of Mary E. Bush and an estate of Garland School of Homemaking, and supposed to contain 9,960 feet, tax for 1953..... 14,140 00

Rosalie H. Levine—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southerly side of Piedmont street, numbered 16, between an estate of William A. Rodday and an estate of William S. Haynes Company, and supposed to contain 684 feet, tax for 1953.... 707 00

Anna M. MacLean—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 278, between an estate of Professional Building Company, Inc., and an estate of Christopher Dounelis, and supposed to contain 3,112 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 62 50

Mary L. McDonald—About 1,729 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Newbern place, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by an estate of Michael Redstone; northeasterly by Newbern place; southwesterly by an estate of New England Theatre Service Corporation; southeasterly by an estate of American Theatre Supply, tax for 1953..... 84 84

Henry J. McKinney—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Winchester street, numbered 37, between an estate of Piedmont Realty, Inc., and an estate of Joseph Pearlman, and supposed to contain 554 feet, tax for 1953..... 494 90

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Piedmont street, numbered 46, between an estate of Piedmont Realty, Inc., and an estate of Master Motion Picture Bureau, Inc., and supposed to contain 681 feet, tax for 1953..... 494 90

Eugene L. and Gloria Metz—Land, with buildings thereon, on the westerly side of Fairfield street, numbered 31, making the southwesterly corner of Public Alley No. 432, adjoining an estate of William H. Goodwin and another, and supposed to contain 1,271 feet, tax for 1953.....$989 80
Paid on account..... 650 00

Balance due..... 339 80

Morris, Mary A., K. Alice, and Frank E. Mngullion; Gertrude E. O'Neill; Anna C. Troy; Elizaheth, Pauline, and Patricia Wonderly—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Tremont street, numbered 494, 496, and 498, making the easterly corner of Dover street, adjoining nn estate of John E. F. Magee, and supposed to contain 2,353 feet, tax for 1953..... 3,181 50

Frank Sawyer—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Dartmouth street, numbered 319, between an estate of Mildred F. Sawyer and an estate of M. Jane Buckley, and supposed to contain 1,326 feet, tax for 1953..$989 80
Paid on account..... 707 70

Balance due..... 282 10

Mildred F. Sawyer—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Marlborough street, numbered 137, making the northerly corner of and numbered 317 Dartmouth street, adjoining an estate of Frank Sawyer, and supposed to contain 4,563 feet, tax for 1953 .....$15,200 50
Paid on account..... 10,605 00

Balance due..... 4,595 50

Mayo A. Shattuck and Walter Powers, Trustees Under Will of Frank Wood (reassessed from Mayo A. Shattuck) (supposed present owner James E. Jackson)—About 1,073 feet of land on the westerly side of Albion street, bounded and described as follows: Easterly by Albion street; southerly by an estate of Luther Pinckney and another; westerly by an estate of Leah Gruzen; northerly by an estate of Patricia K. Gannon, tax for 1953..... 77 77

Lucy D. M. Sidman—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Fayette street, numbered 16, between an estate of Horace A. McIntyre and an estate of Lillian I. Squires, and supposed to contain 1,477 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 47 50

David H. Siegel—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 197, extending through to Public Alley No. 426, between an estate of Haven Realty, Inc., and an estate of Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Company, and supposed to contain 3,486 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 91 00

Hugh and Miriam E. Simms—Land, with buildings thereon, on the easterly side of Strong place, numbered 3, between an estate of Walter Klaman and an estate of Willard M. Stephen and another, and supposed to contain 540 feet, tax for 1953..... 127 26

Henry C. and Alherta R. Turner—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Beacon street, numbered 451, between an estate of Harry I. Cohen and an estate of Bertha C. Miller, and supposed to contain 2,296 feet, tax for 1953..... 777 70

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James W. Bagley—About 994 feet of land on the southerly side of East Second street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by East Second street; easterly by an estate of Frank Russo; southerly by an estate of Italian-American Citizens Club of South Boston; westerly by an estate of Richard P. Bagley and another, tax for 1953 ..... $21 21

Richard P. and Eliza Bagley—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southerly side of East Second street, numbered 597, between an estate of Bridget Walsh and an estate of James W. Bagley, and supposed to contain 981 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 63 63

Lena and Anthony Baio; Catherine Antico; and Marion Castellano—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southerly side of Beckler avenue, numbered 15, between an estate of Vincenza Giacobbe and an estate of Maria Sperrazza, and supposed to contain 1,029 feet, tax for 1953..... 141 40

Margaret M. Barron—About 940 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Fifth street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of said Barron; southeasterly by an estate of Joseph A. Sincevich and another; southwesterly by West Fifth street; northwesterly by an estate of City of Boston, tax for 1953..... 14 14

Philip Basile—About 895 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Bolton street, bounded and described as follows: Southwesterly by Bolton street; northwesterly by another estate of said Basile; northeasterly by an estate of City of Boston; southeasterly by an estate of Annie Grimes, tax for 1953..... 14 14

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Bolton street, numbered 76, between two other estates of said Basile, and supposed to contain 895 feet, tax for 1953..... 49 49
Water and costs for 1952..... 14 50

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Bolton street, numbered 74, between another estate of said Basile and an estate of Grosilda Valiocas, and supposed to contain 895 feet, tax for 1953..... 49 49
Water and costs for 1952..... 11 50

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of B street, numbered 147, between two other estates of said Basile, and supposed to contain 743 feet, tax for 1953..... 70 70
Water and costs for 1952..... 9 00

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Bolton street, numbered 78, between two other estates of said Basile, and supposed to contain 895 feet, tax for 1953..... 49 49
Water and costs for 1952..... 20 50

John D. Bates Heirs—About 1,489 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Seventh street, bounded and described as follows: Southwesterly by West Seventh street; northwesterly by an estate of Carmelo DiNatale and an estate of Joseph DiNatale; southeasterly by an estate of Spiro Anastas and another and an estate of Wilhelmina H. Baranow and another; northeasterly by an estate of Joseph W. Casper and another, tax for 1953..... 35 35

Alfred and Serafina L. Benvissuto—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of West Third street, numbered 116, between an estate of Gerard V. Cossette and another and an estate of Arshalouse Chopourian, and supposed to contain 1,098 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 176 75

Alfred Benvissuto—About 3,056 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Third street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by West Third street; southeasterly by an estate of Stanley T. Michalski and another; southwesterly by estates of City of Boston and Jacob Misiasz; northwesterly by an estate of Helen Tohin, tax for 1953..... 42 42

John C. Brink—About 1,100 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Gold street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Gold street; southeasterly by an estate of Maria Dedomenico and another and an estate of Jennie M. Riley; southwesterly by an estate of Jennie M. Riley; northwesterly by another estate of said John C. Brink, tax for 1953..... 14 14

Vincent R. Burns—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of West Third street, numbered 168, between an estate of Marjorie F. Moulton and an estate of Edith Beninati, and supposed to contain 1,308 feet, tax for 1953..... 141 40

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Mary E. Carten—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northerly side of East Third street, numbered 466, between an estate of Claire M. Aylward and an estate of Elizabeth Mahoney, and supposed to contain 767 feet, water and costs for 1952, 32 50

John and Elvira DeBlasi—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of West Second street, numbered 422, between another estate of said DiBlasi and another and an estate of Alfred Isherwood and another, and supposed to contain 1,098 feet, tax for 1953..... 70 70

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of West Second street, numbered 418, between another estate of said DiBlasi and another and an estate of Mary Feeney, and supposed to contain 1,098 feet, tax for 1953..... 70 70

Michael Durand—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Baxter street, numbered 31, between an estate of Mary A. Gorham and an estate of Etta S. Baxt, and supposed to contain 1,234 feet, tax for 1953..... 134 33

Nora G. Flaherty—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Tudor street, numbered 179, between an estate of Arthur E. LaCoste and another and an estate of Bartley Mulkern, and supposed to contain 958 feet, tax for 1953.... 70 70

Water and costs for 1952..... 9 00

Lionel D. Greene and A. Richard Mekelberg (reassessed from Moses I. Richman *et al.*) (supposed present owner Hyman Krinsky *et al.*, Trustees)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southerly side of East Sixth street, numbered 653, between an estate of Merle D. Rider and another and an estate of Michael Venis, and supposed to contain 3,094 feet, tax for 1953..... 353 50

Helena G. Griffin—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of West Third street, numbered 234, between an estate of Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston and an estate of Mary J. Fitzgerald, and supposed to contain 1,300 feet, water and costs for 1952, 14 50

Helen Hasenbine, Trustee for Catherine Hasenbine—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Bolton street, numbered 289, between an estate of Anton B. Mosnicka and an estate of Puiszas Ausevicz, and supposed to contain 922 feet, tax for 1953..... 84 84

Water and costs for 1952..... 9 00

Home Realty and Finance Corp.—Land, with buildings thereon, on the easterly side of K street, numbered 142, between an estate of City of Boston and an estate of Domenica Dionisio, and supposed to contain 1,263 feet, tax for 1953..... 176 75

Gertrude Jackson and Ruth Jewell—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Baxter street, numbered 78, between an estate of Apolonia Sztucinski and another estate of said Jackson and another, and supposed to contain 1,258 feet, water and costs for 1952, 5 50

Robert Keyes (reassessed from Julia Keyes)—About 3,780 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Wright's court, bounded and described as follows: Southeasterly by Wright's court; southwesterly by another estate of said Keyes and an estate of Vincenzo Milano and another; northwesterly by an estate of Joseph Sharkin; northeasterly by an estate of George J. Arcand and another, tax for 1953, 63 63

John T. Leonard—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of D street, numbered 108, making the northerly corner of Bell court, adjoining an estate of Anna McCann, and supposed to contain 836 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 36 60

Marian Realty Company—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northerly side of East Broadway, numbered 710 rear to 722, inclusive, extending through to East Third street, between an estate of Sarah Levitan and an estate of Olaf C. Jensen and others, and supposed to contain 45,045 feet, being the lot shown on A. N. Colman plan, dated June 4, 1926, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 43611, Book 214, page 11, tax for 1953 .....$12,407 85

Paid on account..... 7,564 90

Balance due..... 4,842 95

Matthew J. McInerney—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Bolton street, numbered 91 and 91A, between an estate of Luigi Marcello and an estate of Felicia Merlino, and supposed to contain 1,000 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 9 00

The Micawber Company (Set off)—About 1,211,923 feet of land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Northern avenue, adjoining an estate of New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company, being all of the lot shown on the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company plan by A. L. Barnes, dated December, 1952, and recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 6837, page 402, except Parcels 1, 2, and 3, as shown on A. L. Barnes plan, dated June, 1953, and recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 6891, page 80, which were conveyed by the Micawber Company on August 11, 1953, by the deeds which are recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 6891, pages 68, 73, and 80, tax for 1953 .....182,158 55

Sonia Mogulefsky—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Bolton street, numbered 119, between an estate of John McDonough and another and another estate of said Mogulefsky, and supposed to contain 1,000 feet, tax for 1953..... 91 91

Water and costs for 1952..... 14 50

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Bolton street, numbered 121, between an estate of Joseph A. O'Bryan and another estate of said Mogulefsky, and supposed to contain 1,000 feet, tax for 1953..... 91 91

Water and costs for 1952..... 11 50

R. S. Brine Transportation Company (reassessed)—About 73,238 feet of land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of West First street, numbered 184, 190, and 194, extending through to and numbered 15 and 17 Cypher street, adjoining an estate of Commonwealth of Massachusetts, being the lot shown on S. Albert Kaufman plan, dated August 30, 1946, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 48853, Book 240, page 53, tax for 1953..... 7,777 00

George V. Scanlon—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northerly side of East Second street, numbered 894, between an estate of Mary Connelly and another and an estate of Sarkis Arakian, and supposed to contain 1,213 feet, tax for 1953 .....$70 70

Paid on account..... 60 00

Balance due..... 10 70

Joseph L. and Ada Schicker—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Dorchester street, numbered 71, between another estate of said Schicker and another and an estate of Mary Chatapanski and others, and supposed to contain 1,540 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 233 31

Joseph L. and Ada Schicker (reassessed from Joseph and Ada Saunders)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Dorchester street, numbered 69, between an estate of Dorothy Raptelis and another estate of said Schicker and another, and supposed to contain 1,540 feet, tax for 1953, 233 31

Rapi and Jane Socratis—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of West Fourth street, numbered 385, between an estate of Henry M. Curry and others and an estate of Anna M. Galvin and another, and supposed to contain 2,635 feet, tax for 1953.....$233 31

Paid on account..... 100 00

Balance due..... 133 31

Peter Stetson—About 1,380 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Bolton street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Bolton street; southeasterly by an estate of Laurin Valentukevich and another; southwesterly by an estate of Sidney J. Connolly and another; northwesterly by an estate of Margaret R. Gillen and another, tax for 1953..... 14 14

Petras and Alexandria Strikaitis—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of E street, numbered 280, making the northerly corner of and numbered 204, 206, and 208 West Fifth street, adjoining an estate of Mary J. Kerrigan, and supposed to contain 2,070 feet, tax for 1953.....$480 76

Paid on account..... 80 00

Balance due..... 400 76

Michael Sullivan (supposed present owner Margaret R. and John J. Sullivan)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Grimes street, numbered 14, between an estate of Herbert J. Lane and an estate of Edward M. McGuire and another, and supposed to contain 903 feet, tax for 1953.... 84 84

Frank J. and Grace M. Wainwright—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Bolton street, numbered 131, between an estate of Timothy Sullivan and another estate of said Wainwright and another, and supposed to contain 980 feet, tax for 1953.....$106 05

Paid on account..... 15 00

Balance due..... 91 05

Water and costs for 1952..... 53 50

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Bolton street, numbered 133, between another estate of said Wainwright and another and an estate of City of Boston, and supposed to contain 980 feet, tax for 1953 .....$106 05

Paid on account..... 15 00

Balance due..... 91 05

Water and costs for 1952..... 35 50

Frank Wasilkewicz—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Bolton street, numbered 180, between an estate of Petronele White and another and an estate of Petronele Waikshnoris and supposed to contain 1,250 feet, tax for 1953..... 141 40

Frank J. Wenzler—Land, with buildings thereon, on the easterly line of K street, numbered 194, between another estate of said Wenzler and an estate of Benjamin J. D'Agostino, Jr., and supposed to contain 1,238 feet, tax for 1953..... 91 91

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the northerly side of East Third street, numbered 558, 560, and 562, making the northeasterly corner of K street, adjoining another estate of said Wenzler, and supposed to contain 1,912 feet, tax for 1953..... 459 55

Water and costs for 1952..... 5 50

Hagop Yaghsizian—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northerly side of Kemble place, numbered 3, between an estate of Peter Torrisi and another and an estate of George A. Chisholm and another, and supposed to contain 858 feet, tax for 1953..... 49 49

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Berkman Trading Corp.—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southerly side of East Fourth street, numbered 549, between an estate of Charles Wedgewood and an estate of Gertrude C. Grabia and another, and supposed to contain 27,403 feet, tax for 1953.....$3,535 00

Robert F. and Gertrude M. Burnham—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Frederick street, numbered 18, between an estate of Leo Federici and another and an estate of Annie J. Sheehan, and supposed to contain 787 feet, tax for 1953..... 70 70

Water and costs for 1952..... 9 00

Anthony D'Agostino—About 4,300 feet of land on the southerly side of East Eighth street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by East Eighth street; easterly by an estate of Catherine E. Sutliff and another and by two estates of Alexandre Stapulonis and another and Mary Culpin and another; southerly by an estate of Sotis Mitro and another; and westerly by an estate of Beniamino D'Agostino, tax for 1953..... 98 98

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Mary A. Finan—Land, with buildings thereon, on the easterly side of Mercer street, numbered 50, between an estate of Margaret M. Daley and an estate of James P. Doherty, and supposed to contain 1,955 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 6 00

William and Margaret A. Flaherty—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Bowen street, numbered 268, between an estate of Vincent J. Farmer and an estate of Anna C. Stravinsky, and supposed to contain 738 feet, tax for 1953.....$106 05
Paid on account..... 85 00

Balance due..... 21 05

Thomas J. Groden—About 2,500 feet of land on the northeasterly side of East Eighth street, bounded and described as follows: Southwesterly by East Eighth street; westerly by another estate of said Groden and an estate of Frank P. DeCarlo and another; northerly by an estate of City of Boston; easterly by estates of Patrick J. Reid and another and another estate of said Groden; southeasterly by an estate of Nellie M. C. Buckley, trustee, tax for 1953 ..... 42 42

Also about 610 feet of land on the northeasterly side of East Eighth street, bounded and described as follows: Southwesterly by East Eighth street; northwesterly by an estate of Frank P. DeCarlo and another; and northeasterly and southeasterly by another estate of said Groden, tax for 1953, 28 28

Alice H. Healey—About 1,861 feet of land on the northerly side of Dixfield street, making the northwesterly corner of a passageway leading up to Thomas park, adjoining an estate of Edgar Johnson, being the lot shown on William Kelly plan, dated April 24, 1922, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14789, Book 69, page 189, tax for 1953 ..... 21 21

Thomas L. Healy—About 932 feet of land lying in the rear from the southerly side of Thomas park in the renr of and ndjoining an estate of Harry Henry and another, being lot C, William Kelly plan, dated August 7, 1919, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4749, page 301, tax for 1953..... 7 07

Also about 1,070 feet of land lying in the rear from the southerly side of Thomas park, being lot A, William Kelly plan, dated August 7, 1919, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4749, page 301, tax for 1953..... 7 07

Also about 932 feet of lund lying In the rear from the southerly side of Thomas park, being lot B, William Kelly plan, dated August 7, 1919, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4749, page 301, tax for 1953, 7 07

Clara P. Horton; Herbert L. Marshall; Marion G. snd Prentice Pierce; Ella Wheelock; George H. Jacobs; Anna G. Fuller; Bradford M., Irene L., and Chnrles A. Day (supposed present owner Banquer Realty Company, Inc.)—About 2,452 feet of lund on the southeasterly side of Field's court, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by Field's court; northeasterly by another estate of said Horton and others; southeasterly by an estate of Adele Corrado; southwesterly by an estate of Anna Mazzucchelli, tax for 1953..... 28 28

Also about 3,184 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Field's court, bounded and described as follows; Northwesterly by Field's court; northeasterly by another estate of said Horton and others; southeasterly by an estate of Adele Corrado; southwesterly by another estate of said Horton and others, tax for 1953..... 28 28

Also about 3,020 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Field's court, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by Field's court; northeasterly by another estate of said Horton and others; southeasterly by an estate of Adele Corrado; southwesterly by another estate of said Horton and others, tax for 1953..... 28 28

Also about 2,668 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Field's court, at end, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by Field's court, northeasterly by an estate of Boston Sand and Gravel Company; southeasterly by an estate of Adele Corrado; southwesterly by another estate of said Horton and others, tax for 1953..... 28 28

Also about 2,401 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Field's court, at end, bounded and described as follows: Southeasterly by Field's court; southwesterly by an estate of Andrew and Esther Zanga; northwesterly and northeasterly by estates of Boston Sand and Gravel Company, tax for 1953, 21 21

Also about 157,114 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Willow court, bounded and described as follows: Southwesterly by Willow court; northwesterly by other estates of said Horton and others and estates of Adele Corrado and Boston Sand and Gravel Company; southeasterly by sundry estates in the rear of 121 to 195 Boston street and the location of the ends of West Howell street and West Bellflower street; northeasterly by other estates of said Horton and others and an estate of Banquer Realty Company, Inc., tax for 1953..... 1,109 99

Also about 115,968 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Willow court, bounded and described as follows: Southeasterly and southwesterly by another estate of said Horton and others; northwesterly by estates of Boston Sand and Gravel Company and the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company; northeasterly by an estate of Banquer Realty Company, Inc., tax for 1953, 820 12

John P. and Martha Jakstas—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of F street, numbered 85, making the southerly corner of and numbered 257 West Fifth street, adjoining an estate of Carl K. Martin, and supposed to contain 998 feet, tax for 1953 .....$282 80
Paid on account..... 200 00

Balance due..... 82 80

Olive M. Kelly—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of West Eighth street, numbered 175, between an estate of Anna F. Trahey and an estate of Viktoras Vadeira, and supposed to contain 2,100 feet, tax for 1953...$155 54
Paid on account..... 55 00

Balance due..... 100 54

Jean Lipson—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of West Ninth street, numbered 134, between an estate of Catherine E. Benischek and another and an estate of Martha E. Odenweller and another, and supposed to contain 1,875 feet, tax for 1953..... 120 19

Wolf and Bessie Mogul—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Annabel street, numbered 23, making the southwesterly corner of nnd numbered 53 Sumner street, adjoining an estate of Delia Januskevich, and supposed to contain 6,703 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 13 75

Robert Joseph Mullen—About 5,393 feet of land on the northerly side of Columbia road, bounded and described as follows: Southerly by Columbia road; easterly by an estate of John J. Morrisey and another; northerly by an estate of Domenica F. Palmiere and others; and westerly by an estate of Michael E. Mullen and others, trustees, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 55311, Book 272, page 111, tax for 1953..... 226 24

Martha E. and Emma C. Odenweller—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of E street, numbered 184, between an estate of City of Boston and another estate of said Odenweller and another, and supposed to contain 888 feet, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 4877, Book 20, page 77, tax for 1953..... 84 84

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of E street, numbered 182, between another estate of said Odenweller and another and an estate of Sadie G. Hartung, and supposed to contain 891 feet, tax for 1953..... 84 84

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of West Ninth street, numbered 132, between an estate of Jean Lipson and an estate of Charles Rozanski and another, and supposed to contain 2,047 feet, tax for 1953..... 98 98

Also about 1,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of West Ninth street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by West Ninth street; southeasterly and southwesterly by estates of City of Boston; northwesterly by an estate of Bridget A. Dowling, tax for 1953..... 28 28

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Lark street, numbered 24, between an estate of Robert Millen & Sons Company and an estate of Edward J. Dooley, junior, and supposed to contain 920 feet, tax for 1953..... 63 63

Albert A. and Jane M. O'Hare—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Washburn street, numbered 15, between an estate of Henry Newenhouse and another and an estate of Elsie M. Arnold, and supposed to contain 2,700 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 25 00

James O'Toole—About 1,800 feet of land on the easterly side of Carpenter street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Walter Utyra; easterly by an estate of Alexandro Ciccone and another; southerly by an estate of James O'Toole and another; westerly by Carpenter street, tax for 1953..... 28 28

James and Bridget O'Toole—Land, with buildings thereon, on the easterly side of Carpenter street, numbered 12, between an estate of Joseph Milenski and another and an estate of James O'Toole, and supposed to contain 1,920 feet, tax for 1953..... 176 75

Elizabeth Raftery—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southerly side of East Sixth street, numbered 455, between an estate of Emily G. Carson and an estate of Frances M. Golden and another, and supposed to contain 990 feet, tax for 1953 .....$113 12
Paid on account..... 28 00

Balance due..... 85 12

Peter Shirkus—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southerly side of East Seventh street, numbered 725 and 725A, making the southwesterly corner of N street, adjoining an estate of Khachador Kachodovnian, and supposed to contain 1,248 feet, tax for 1953..... 247 45

Mary J. Smith and Gertrude Burke—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Clapp street, numbered 33, between an estate of Frank J. Mills and another and another estate of said Mary J. Smith and another, and supposed to contain 2,325 feet, tax for 1953..... 176 75

Also about 2,325 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Clapp street, bounded and described as follows: Southwesterly by Clapp street; southeasterly by another estate of said Smith and another; northeasterly by an estate of Herbert F. Stafford; northwesterly by an estate of City of Boston, tax for 1953..... 42 42

Alice A. Yonuska—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northerly side of Columbia road, numbered 1506, between another estate of said Yonuska and an estate of Henry L. Duggan and another, and supposed to contain 2,433 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 14 50

WARD EIGHT.

Placido Arena, Trustee for Benefit of Maria Arena—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Flagg street, numbered 29, between another estate of said Arena, trustee, and an estate of Julio Zappi, and supposed to contain 992 feet, tax for 1953..... $162 61

WARD EIGHT.

Also land, with huildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Flagg street, numbered 31, hetween another estate of said Arena, trustee, and an estate of Suhurban Homes, Inc., and supposed to contain 780 feet, tax for 1953... ..... 148 47

Eva, Benjamin, Henry, and Ahraham S. Beeman; and Rehecca Cooper (supposed present owner James E. Jackson)—Land, with huildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Dudley street, numbered 263 and 265, between an estate of Bertha Firestein and an estate of Lester G. Benn and another, and supposed to contain 2,400 feet, tax for 1953, 296 94

A. Berkman Sons, Inc.—Land, with buildings thereon, on the easterly side of Hampden street, numbered 44 and 46, between an estate of Philip Galle and an estate of Joseph Palino, and supposed to contain 3,150 feet, tax for 1953..... 388 85

Ivy B. Bouxman—Land, with huildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Massachusetts avenue, numbered 803 and 805, extending through to Southampton street, between another estate of said Bouxman and an estate of Edgar W. Cottle and another, trustees, and supposed to contain 5,314 feet, tax for 1953..... 975 66
Water and costs for 1952..... 13 00
Also land, with huildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Southampton street, numhered 32, between an estate of Aldo D. Mangherini and an estate of Marie R. Kenney, and supposed to contain 3,213 feet, tax for 1953..... 268 66

Catherine A., Stephen R. H., and Edmund D. Codman—About 9,699 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Harrison avenue, making the easterly corner of East Canton street, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by Harrison avenue; southeasterly by estates of Josephine Corigliano and Lawrence R. Schumann and hy an estate of Israel Grossman; southwesterly hy East Canton street; northeasterly by an estate of Josephine Corigliano, tax for 1953..... 509 04

Anthony C. and Marguerite C. DeLuca—About 2,680 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cedric street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Adeline Tatten; northeasterly by Cedric street, southeasterly hy another estate of said DeLuca and another; southwesterly by an estate of Dimitri Oksenuk and another; northwesterly by two estates of Joan Altavilla, trustee, and others, tax for 1953..... 28 28
Also about 3,562 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cedric street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by another estate of said DeLuca and another; northeasterly hy Cedric street; southeasterly by another estate of said DeLuca and another; southwesterly by an estate of Dimitri Oksenuk and another, tax for 1953, 35 35
Also about 4,897 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cedric street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly and southeasterly hy other estates of said DeLuca and another; northeasterly by Cedric street; southwesterly hy an estate of Salvatore Miceli; westerly by an estate of Salvatore Miceli and another, tax for 1953.... 49 49
Also about 1,366 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cedric street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly and southeasterly hy two other estates of said DeLuca and another; northeasterly by Cedric street; southwesterly hy an estate of Salvatore Miceli, tax for 1953..... 7 07
Also about 2,868 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cedric street, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly, easterly, and southwesterly hy other estates of said DeLuca and another; northeasterly hy Cedric street, tax for 1953 ..... 28 28
Also about 4,030 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cedric street, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by another estate of said DeLuca and another; northeasterly by Cedric street; southeasterly hy an estate of Gertrude Foley, trustee; southwesterly by an estate of Marianetta Fiermonte, tax for 1953..... 42 42

Peter B. and Helen C. Gaudet—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northerly side of Worcester square, numbered 2, between an estate of Mary Melanson and an estate of Nicholas Stamatos, and supposed to contain 2,087 feet, tax for 1953, 537 32

Edward P. Gilgun—Land, with huildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Harrison avenue, numhered 720, hetween an estate of Vera S. Leach and an estate of David B. Chaletzky, and supposed to contain 2,661 feet, tax for 1953..... 636 30
Water and costs for 1952..... 114 40

Grant African Methodist Episcopal Church—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Washington street, not numhered, making the southerly corner of Newcomb street, adjoining an estate of Caproni Galleries of Amedeo, Inc., and supposed to contain 4,950 feet, tax for 1953.... 3,535 00

Melvin Hussey—Land, with huildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Davis place, numhered 1 and 2, making the easterly corner of Webher street, adjoining an estate of Muriel F. Pettigrew, and supposed to contain 4,131 feet, tax for 1953.. 91 91

Clarence and Marthana Jones—Land, with huildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Newcomb street, numbered 38, hetween two estates of City of Boston, and supposed to contain 832 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 113 12
Water and costs for 1952..... 9 00

Fannie Kass—Land, with huildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Eustis street, numbered 193, between two other estates of said Kass, and supposed to contain 1,519 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 52 00
Also land, with huildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Eustis street, numbered 189, hetween two other estates of said Kass, and supposed to contain 1,594 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 31 00
Also land, with huildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Adams street, numhered 58, hetween an estate of Maurice St. Clair and another and another estate of said Kass, and supposed to contain 1,157 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 38 50
Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Adams street, numhered 56, between two other estates of said Kass, and supposed to contain 1,068 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 16 00
Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Adams street, numhered 54, making the southerly corner of Eustis street, adjoining another estate of said Kass, and supposed to contain 1,048 feet, water and costs for 1952, 28 00
Also land, with huildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Eustis street, numbered 191, between two other estates of said Kass, and supposed to contain 1,568 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 20 50
Also land, with huildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Eustis street, numhered 195, hetween another estate of said Kass and an estate of Edward Herman, and supposed to contain 1,599 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 23 50

Ruth L. Katz—About 3,842 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Eustis street, making the easterly corner of Hampden street, being lot 76, shown on assessors' plans, volume 8, page 13, also on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1953..... 162 61

Sophie Kurko (supposed present owner St. George's Syrian Orthodox Church Society of Boston)—Land, with huildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of James street, numbered 7, between an estate of Marie Maher and an estate of St. George's Syrian Orthodox Church Society, Inc., and supposed to contain 1,834 feet, tax for 1953, 388 85

Katherine M. Lally, Trustee for George J. and Francis H. Mitchell—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Dudley street, numhered 610 and 612, hetween an estate of Gordon E. Atkinson and another and an estate of Dudley Properties, Inc., and supposed to contain 5,294 feet, tax for 1953..... 707 00
Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Leyland street, numbered 37, making the northwesterly corner of Burgess street, adjoining an estate of Katherine M. Lally, trustee, and supposed to contain 3,032 feet, tax for 1953..... 600 95

Katherine M. Lally, Trustee Under Deed—Land, with huildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Leyland street, numbered 33, between an estate of David Kaplan and an estate of Katherine M. Lally, trustee, and supposed to contain 1,982 feet, tax for 1953.... 374 71

Katherine M. Lally, Trustee for George J. and Francis N. Mitchell—Land, with huildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Leyland street, numbered 35, hetween two estates of Katherine M. Lally, trustee, and supposed to contain 1,995 feet, tax for 1953..... 388 85

Mary and Katherine Leahan; and Anna V. L. Pearson (supposed present owner Dominic J. Sariceno)—Land, with huildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of East Newton street, numbered 40, between an estate of Max Cutler and an estate of Mary Flynn, and supposed to contain 1,526 feet, tax for 1953..... 296 94

Thomas McManus—Land, with huildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Gertrose street, numhered 18, hetween an estate of Anna Gamarekian and an estate of Giovanni Lamattina, and supposed to contain 794 feet, tax for 1953..... 212 10

Vincent Messina—Land, with huildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Dudley street, numbered 312 and 314, making the easterly corner of Adams street, adjoining an estate of William Palter, and supposed to contain 5,189 feet, tax for 1953..... 707 00
Water and costs for 1952..... 18 00

Josephine C. Neal (reassessed)—Land, with huildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Dudley street, numbered 333, making the westerly corner of and numhered 3 Vine street, adjoining an estate of Gaetano G. Scolamiero, and supposed to contain 5,137 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 18 00

Jennie Neustadt—Land, with huildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Dudley street, numbered 357, 357A, 359, 359A, 361, 361A, 363, 363A, 365, and 365A, between an estate of James F. Mahoney Roxhury Veterans Association, Inc., and an estate of James W. Mais and another, and supposed to contain 5,522 feet, tax for 1953 .....$1,633 17
Paid on account..... 820 00
Balance due..... 813 17

Maurice S. Neustadt and Matha N. Witkin—About 4,830 feet of land lying in the rear from the southwesterly side of Dudley street, hounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of Jennie Neustadt; southeasterly hy an estate of James F. Mahoney Roxhury Veterans Association, Inc.; southwesterly by Forest place and by estates of Charles E. Donovan and another, and Christie M. Edmands and others; northwesterly by estates of Gertrude C. Murray and James W. Mais and another, tax for 1953..... 134 33

Dimitri and Molly Oksenuk—Land, with huildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of George street, numhered 94, hetween an estate of Theolinda Palladino and an estate of Donato Palvere, and supposed to contain 6,871 feet, being the lot shown on S. Alhert Kaufman plan, dated August 17, 1950; part of this area is now suhject to a tax title held hy the City of Boston, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate numher 57384, Book 282, page 184, tax for 1953..... 226 24

Hilda H. Quirk—Land, with huildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Mt. Pleasant avenue, numbered 88, hetween an estate of David H. Pinard and another and an estate of Agnes MacInnis, and supposed to contain 1,440 feet, tax for 1953..... 282 80

WARD EIGHT.

Also about 3,658 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Eustis street, bounded and described as follows: Easterly by an estate of D. and L. Realty, Inc.; southerly by Eustis street; southwesterly by an estate of Francesco Lia and another; northerly by an estate of Herman Brightman, tax for 1953 ..... 106 05

Earl G. and Michael H. Romanske; Gladys G. Wyatt; Dorothy Hewitt; and Helen Rothbaum—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Albany street, numbered 889 and 891, making the westerly corner of Hunneman street, adjoining an estate of Sarah M. Braverman, and supposed to contain 4,663 feet, tax for 1953.... 296 94

Ellsworth D. Roston (supposed present owner Home Realty and Finance Corp.)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Forest street, numbered 14, extending through to and numbered 7 Mt. Pleasant place, between an estate of Mabel O. Garrity and an estate of Eunice A. Loehr, and supposed to contain 6,950 feet, tax for 1953..... 339 36
Water and costs for 1952..... 7 00

Margaret C. Ryan—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Massachusetts avenue, numbered 672, between another estate of said Ryan and an estate of Mary A. Rosemowicz, and supposed to contain 1,952 feet, tax for 1953, 459 55

Warren T. and Marie V. Shanahan—Land, with buildings thereon, on the westerly side of Rohey street, numbered 33, between an estate of Leroy A. Messnm and an estate of Walter Korsak, and supposed to contain 2,178 feet, tax for 1953..... 205 03

Samuel J. Sigel—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Dudley street, numbered 287, between an estate of Robert F. Watson, trustee, and an estate of Elvira Kassavalis, and supposed to contain 1,728 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 13 00

Tennessee Smith—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Newcomb street, numbered 28, between an estate of City of Boston and an estate of Rosanna Maynard, and supposed to contain 1,531 feet, tax for 1953..... 113 12

South Shore Construction Co., Inc.—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Gertrose street, numbered 17, between an estate of MacNeil Brothers Company and an estate of City of Boston, and supposed to contain 806 feet, tax for 1953..... 212 10
Water and costs for 1952..... 61 00

George Francis and Lorraine C. Ware—About 6,573 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Mt. Pleasant avenue, being lot B, C. H. W. Wood Company plan, dated May 6, 1910, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3492, page 141, tax for 1953.. 113 12

Max Weinstein—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Harrison avenue, numbered 979, making the northerly corner of and numbered 1 Plymouth court, adjoining an estate of Eustis Junk Corporation, and supposed to contain 2,255 feet, tax for 1953..... 212 10

Milton H. Woolf (supposed present owner Anna R. Woolf, Trustee of the Harold Irving Realty Trust)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Clifton street, numbered 64, between an estate of Maria DeVeta and an estate of Dudley G. Kimball, and supposed to contain 2,395 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 44 50

Julius C. Younge—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Forest street, numbered 30, making the easterly corner of Adams street, adjoining an estate of Luke Roddy and another, and supposed to contain 5,949 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 16 00

Julio Zappi—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Flagg street, numbered 27, between an estate of Placido Arena, trustee, and an estate of Antonio Amente and another, and supposed to contain 811 feet, tax for 1953.... 148 47
Water and costs for 1952..... 13 00

WARD NINE.

African Orthodox Church of Boston (supposed present owner Lovely Zion Baptist Church, Inc.)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Ruggles street, numbered 113, between another estate of said African Orthodox Church of Boston and an estate of Isaac Popkin, trustee, and supposed to contain 1,439 feet, water and costs for 1952..... $9 00

Seymour C. Agnew; Agnes E. Wheeler; and William E. Ramsdell, Trustees Under Will of Harriet R. Ewing—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Newland street, numbered 51, between an estate of George Landy and others and an estate of Sarah A. Johnston and others, and supposed to contain 1,554 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 169 68

Mary E. Armstrong—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Northfield street, numbered 68, between an estate of Ruby I. Peterson and an estate of Grace McLaughlin and another, and supposed to contain 1,006 feet, tax for 1953..... 113 12
Water and costs for 1952..... 19 00

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Northfield street, numbered 44, between an estate of Abraham Horowitz and an estate of Margaret M. Irvine, and supposed to contain 1,009 feet, tax for 1953..... 113 12

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Northfield street, numbered 39, between an estate of City of Boston and an estate of Rees Irvine, and supposed to contain 961 feet, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 45865, Book 225, page 65, tax for 1953..... 113 12
Water and costs for 1952..... 97 00

Fred D. and Lillie Bennett—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Arnold street, numbered 5 and 7, making the northerly corner of a 10-foot passageway, adjoining an estate of Katie Pettie, and supposed to contain 2,061 feet, tax for 1953..$127 26
Paid on account..... 32 50

Balance due..... 94 76

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Madison street, numbered 21 and 21A, between an estate of Peter J. Gaskins and an estate of City of Boston, and supposed to contain 1,875 feet, tax for 1953.....$162 61
Paid on account..... 75 00

Balance due..... 87 61

A. Berkman Sons, Inc.—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Hubert street, numbered 4, between two other estates of said A. Berkman Sons, Inc., and supposed to contain 2,600 feet, tax for 1953..... 494 90

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Hubert street, numbered 2, between another estate of said A. Berkman Sons, Inc., and an estate of Jacob Dubin, trustee, and supposed to contain 2,577 feet, tax for 1953..... 494 90

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Comet place, numbered 1, between an estate of City of Boston and an estate of Wade H. McCree and another, and supposed to contain 648 feet, tax for 1953..... 106 05

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Tremont street, numbered 1045 and 1047, between an estate of Leo Gordon and an estate of Philip M. Shir and others, trustees, and supposed to contain 2,024 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 650 44

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Hubert street, numbered 8, between two other estates of said A. Berkman Sons, Inc., and supposed to contain 2,649 feet, tax for 1953..... 353 50

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Hubert street, numbered 6, between two other estates of said A. Berkman Sons, Inc., and supposed to contain 2,592 feet, tax for 1953..... 494 90

Lorraine Berry—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Pelham street, numbered 20, between an estate of Mary I. Seavey and an estate of Mary M. Doyle, and supposed to contain 910 feet, tax for 1953..... 134 33

Ivy Bouxman—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Columbus avenue, numbered 1050, making the easterly corner of Prentiss street, adjoining an estate of Prentiss Apartments, Inc., and supposed to contain 1,415 feet, tax for 1953..... 565 60
Water and costs for 1952..... 44 50

Mary Britt (reassessed from Carl Richardson) (supposed present owner Mary Britt)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Camden street, numbered 103, making the easterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Jesse Goode Real Estate Trust, and supposed to contain 2,000 feet, tax for 1953..... 212 10

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of West Concord street, numbered 102, between an estate of June E. Fonn and an estate of Mary Benway, and supposed to contain 1,130 feet, tax for 1953..... 353 50
Water and costs for 1952..... 20 50

Cleretta Burke (supposed present owner Arthur M. and Cleretta Burke)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Vernon street, numbered 192, between an estate of Helen Hurvitz and an estate of Harry Dores, trustee, and supposed to contain 816 feet, tax for 1953.....$70 70
Paid on account..... 40 00

Balance due..... 30 70

Capitol Laundry Co.—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Linden Park street, numbered 60 and 66, between an estate of the Salvation Army of Massachusetts, Inc., and another estate of said Capitol Laundry Company, and supposed to contain 9,900 feet, tax for 1953....$1,838 20
Paid on account..... 1,492 72

Balance due..... 345 48
Water and costs for 1952..$554 00
Paid on account..... 300 00

Balance due..... 254 00

Frances Chaletzky—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Vernon street, numbered 84 and 86, making the westerly corner of Kent street, adjoining an estate of Frank W. Morris and another, and supposed to contain 2,442 feet, tax for 1953..... 296 94
Water and costs for 1952..... 9 50

Samuel P. Chipman—About 588 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Trumbull street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Trumbull street; southeasterly by another estate of said Chipman; southwesterly by another estate of said Chipman; and northwesterly by an estate of Eastern Smelting and Refining Corporation, tax for 1953 ..... 28 28

Also about 834 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Trumbull street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Trumbull street; southeasterly by an estate of Boston Distributing Service, Inc.; southwesterly and northwesterly by other estates of said Chipman, tax for 1953..... 42 42

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of West Brookline street, numbered 103, between another estate of said Chipman and an estate of Boston Distributing Service, Inc., and supposed to contain 887 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 141 40

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of West Brookline street, numbered 105, between another estate of said Chipman and an estate of Eastern Smelting and Refining Corporation, and supposed to contain 887 feet, tax for 1953..... 141 40
Water and costs for 1952..... 23 50

WARD NINE.

Edith W. Clark and Gordon M. Broome—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Warwick street, numbered 135, between an estate of H. Allan Vaughan and an estate of Blanche W. Brooks, and supposed to contain 1,279 feet, tax for 1953..... 205 03

Alice Collymore—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Northampton street, numbered 186, between an estate of Samuel Brotherson and an estate of Alan J. Chartkoff, and supposed to contain 1,686 feet, tax for 1953 .....$247 45
Paid on account..... 246 45

Balance due..... 1 00

Frances Crowley—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of West Canton street, numbered 48, between an estate of Noah Brown and another and an estate of Solon W. Mansfield, and supposed to contain 900 feet, tax for 1953..... 120 19

Georgie A. Davis—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Camden street, numbered 57, between an estate of Leo Gordon and an estate of Arzulia Webb, and supposed to contain 1,617 feet, tax for 1953.....$212 10
Paid on account..... 210 00

Balance due..... 2 10

Margaret F. Davis; James A. McGonagle; Catherine V. McIntyre—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Lenox street, numbered 63, between an estate of Lucia Cassetta and an estate of Anna M. Milano, and supposed to contain 1,000 feet, tax for 1953.....$212 10
Paid on account..... 100 00

Balance due..... 112 10

Louis Davlin—About 1,381 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Northampton street, between two other estates of said Davlin, being lot 18, Fuller and Whitney Plan, dated March 19, 1872, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1098, page 6, tax for 1953..... 98 98

Also about 1,495 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Northampton street, being lot 19, Fuller and Whitney Plan, dated March 19, 1872, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1098, page 6, tax for 1953..... 106 05

Gladys M. Dean—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Massachusetts avenue, numbered 529, between an estate of Wilbur S. Riff and an estate of Edgar T. Edwards and another, and supposed to contain 3,582 feet, tax for 1953..... 565 60

Albert E. and Eva W. Dee—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of West Concord street, numbered 126, between an estate of Murray Oulton and another and an estate of Frederick J. Gillespie, and supposed to contain 1,919 feet, tax for 1953..$388 85
Paid on account..... 200 00

Balance due..... 188 85

Sherman Dickstein—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Cabot street, numbered 135, making the westerly corner of and numbered 22 Weston street, adjoining an estate of Arisaka A. DeSoto, and supposed to contain 3,905 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 198 00

William Doksir, Trustee—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Columbus avenue, numbered 853, between another estate of said Doksir, trustee, and an estate of Frances Chaletzky, and supposed to contain 947 feet, tax for 1953.....$205 03
Paid on account..... 72 50

Balance due..... 132 53

Catherine Donahue—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Columbus avenue, numbered 979, between an estate of Isadore Gottesman and an estate of Agnes St. Lawrence, and supposed to contain 921 feet, tax for 1953..... 14 14

James and Annie T. Dunn—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southerly side of Millmont street, numbered 15, extending through to and numbered 16 Dorr street, between an estate of Mary J. Wolochowicz and an estate of Kenneth A. Reed and another, and supposed to contain 9,790 feet, tax for 1953, 353 50

Electric Specialty and Supply Corp.—About 2,800 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hampshire street, bounded and described as follows: Southeasterly by Hampshire street; southwesterly by an estate of Samuel Hurwitz; northwesterly by two estates of Jacob Dubin, trustee, and said Electric Specialty and Supply Corporation; northeasterly by an estate of Joseph and Samuel Winer, tax for 1953 ..... 98 98

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Tremont street, numbered 1204, 1204A, 1204B, and 1204C, between an estate of Flash Realty Company and an estate of Robert Hootstein, and supposed to contain 3,500 feet, tax for 1953..... 650 44

Malachi Everett—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Shawmut avenue, numbered 485, between an estate of Oscar Long, mortgagee in possession, and an estate of Anthony J. Homsey, and supposed to contain 2,220 feet, tax for 1953.....$381 78
Paid on account..... 232 00

Balance due..... 149 78

Henry E. Francis (supposed present owner Lela B. Francis)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Hammond street, numbered 38, between an estate of Robert Greer and an estate of Clementine Reid, and supposed to contain 1,886 feet, tax for 1953, 367 64

Mabel B. Francis—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Vernon street, numbered 109, between an estate of John J. Schleppe and another and an estate of William W. Weeks, and supposed to contain 1,264 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 353 50

Alfred L. George—About 4,368 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Pembroke street, making the easterly corner of Pembroke court, bounded and described as follows: Southwesterly by Pembroke street; northwesterly by Pembroke court; southeasterly by an estate of George Landy and others, trustees; northeasterly by estates of Nathan K. Garhart and Lars A. Svenson, tax for 1953..... 226 24

Nell J. Green—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Shawmut avenue, numbered 681, between an estate of Wong Ting Gay and an estate of James B. Prescod, and supposed to contain 2,014 feet, water and costs for 1952 .....$41 00
Paid on account..... 30 00

Balance due..... 11 00

Hazel S. Greer—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Kendall street, numbered 78, between an estate of Mary Papouleas and an estate of James B. Prescod, and supposed to contain 1,490 feet, tax for 1953.....$141 40
Paid on account..... 110 00

Balance due..... 31 40

George R. Guscott—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Tremont street, numbered 986 and 988, between an estate of Fred Shapiro and another and an estate of Bessie M. McPherson, and supposed to contain 1,493 feet, tax for 1953..... 296 94
Water and costs for 1952....$84 70
Paid on account..... 40 00

Balance due..... 44 70

Joseph D. Gusenoff—About 1,274 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Sterling street, formerly numbered 32, between an estate of Edward T. Diggs and others, trustees, and an estate of Louise F. Armstrong, being lot E, A. C. Peters plan, dated January, 1928, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 48327, Book 237, page 127, tax for 1953..... 63 63

Sol Hambuger—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Shawmut avenue, numbered 506, between an estate of John S. R. Bourne and an estate of Floyd G. Pack and others, and supposed to contain 1,020 feet, tax for 1953..... 282 80

John H. and Katherine Handy—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Dilworth street, numbered 3, between an estate of Hilda N. McClean and others and an estate of Marguerite Rosa, and supposed to contain 1,564 feet, tax for 1953..... 339 36
Water and costs for 1952..... 11 50

James Heyward—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Kendall street, numbered 22, between an estate of Mary A. Jackson and an estate of John G. Kurkjian, and supposed to contain 1,326 feet, tax for 1953..... 134 33

Charles B. Hinton (supposed present owner Eva Cook)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of West Springfield street, numbered 106, between an estate of Leila L. Davis and another and an estate of Arthur M. Burke, and supposed to contain 1,326 feet, tax for 1953..... 106 05

Paige H. Holder—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Auburn street, numbered 22 and 22A, between another estate of said Holder and an estate of Joseph B. Reed, and supposed to contain 2,237 feet, tax for 1953..... 148 47
Water and costs for 1952..... 13 00

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Auburn street, numbered 24, between another estate of said Holder and an estate of Samuel Neustadt and another, and supposed to contain 2,600 feet, tax for 1953..... 162 61

Abraham Horowitz—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Northfield street, numbered 46, between an estate of Rees Irvine and an estate of Mary E. Armstrong, and supposed to contain 1,009 feet, tax for 1953..... 113 12
Water and costs for 1952..... 35 50

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Centre street, numbered 66 and 68, between an estate of Marilyn R. Miller and an estate of Alfred N. Brothers, and supposed to contain 6,440 feet, tax for 1953..... 565 60
Water and costs for 1952..... 126 30

Estelle E. Jackson—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Northampton street, numbered 147 and 147A, between an estate of John E. Collins and another and an estate of Estelle R. Jackson, and supposed to contain 810 feet, tax for 1953..... 233 31
Water and costs for 1952..... 13 00

Estelle R. Jackson—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Northampton street, numbered 149 and 149A, between an estate of Estelle E. Jackson and an estate of Albert E. Munroe, and supposed to contain 918 feet, tax for 1953.....$233 31
Paid on account..... 102 15

Balance due..... 131 16

Webster A. Jackson—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Kendall street, numbered 114, bewteen an estate of Silas F. Taylor and an estate of James L. Torrence and another, and supposed to contain 952 feet, tax for 1953..... 282 80

Bertha Jenkins—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of West Brookline street, numbered 95, between an estate of Thomas Curley and an estate of Preston Johnson and another, and supposed to contain 833 feet, tax for 1953..... 190 89
Water and costs for 1952..... 53 50

Ruby H. Johnson (supposed present owner James R. and Elizabeth Fisher)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Centre street, numbered 29 and 31, between an estate of City of Boston and an estate of Catherine Abbott, and supposed to contain 13,470 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 26 40

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Sara Ruth Johnson—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Massachusetts avenue, numbered 572, between an estate of Annie I. Heath and an estate of Theodore S. Williams and another, and supposed to contain 2,350 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 544 39
Water and costs for 1952 ..... 17 50

Ruth G. Jones (supposed present owner Alan J. Chartkoff)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Camden street, numbered 77, between an estate of Harvey Blanks and another and an estate of Cyril G. Herron and another, and supposed to contain 1,830 feet, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 57885, Book 285, page 85, tax for 1953 ..... $233 31
Paid on account 100 00
Balance due 133 31

Jacob Kaplan—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of King street, numbered 31 and 33, making the northerly corner of Conant place, adjoining an estate of Jennie McFayden, and supposed to contain 2,876 feet, tax for 1953.. 176 75
Water and costs for 1952 ..... 7 00

David T. F. Kirby—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of West Canton street, numbered 116, extending through to and numbered 43 Trumbull street, between an estate of Alice E. Donoghue and another and an estate of James D. Aylward and another, and supposed to contain 1,932 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 2 00

Irene Knowles—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Massachusetts avenue, numbered 533, between an estate of Edgar T. Edwards and another and an estate of Grace M. Ashton, and supposed to contain 2,711 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 494 90
Water and costs for 1952 ..... 49 00

Carnig Koresian—About 1,011 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Northfield street, being lot 39, shown on a plan filed in the office of Street Commissioner of the City of Boston in Plan Book 2, Plan 61, tax for 1953 ..... 56 56

Also about 1,010 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Northfield street, being lot A, James Adam plan, dated October, 1909, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 53874, Book 265, page 74, tax for 1953 ..... 56 56

Also about 1,010 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Northfield street, being lot 41, shown on a plan filed in the office of Street Commissioner of the City of Boston in Plan Book 2, Plan 61, tax for 1953 ..... 56 56

Also about 1,011 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Northfield street, being lot 37, shown on a plan filed in the office of Street Commissioner of the City of Boston in Plan Book 2, Plan 61, tax for 1953 ..... 56 56

Also about 1,010 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Northfield street, being lot 43, shown on a plan filed in the office of Street Commissioner of the City of Boston in Plan Book 2, Plan 61, tax for 1953 ..... 56 56

Also about 1,010 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Northfield street, being lot 42, shown on a plan filed in the office of Street Commissioner of the City of Boston in Plan Book 2, Plan 61, tax for 1953 ..... 56 56

Also about 1,011 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Northfield street, being lot 38, shown on a plan filed in the office of Street Commissioner of the City of Boston in Plan Book 2, Plan 61, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 53874, Book 265, page 74, tax for 1953 ..... 56 56

Bessie M. MacPherson (supposed present owner Abraham Irving Woolf, Trustee of Betty Realty Trust)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Lenox street, numbered 125, between an estate of Robert Woolf and an estate of Della Small, and supposed to contain 961 feet, tax for 1953.... 141 40

Sarah Matlin (supposed present owner Mary Barnett)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Westminster street, numbered 90, between another estate of said Matlin and an estate of Morris Gold, and supposed to contain 1,691 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 61 00

Paul M. and George D. McCarthy—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southerly side of Linden Park street, numbered 72, between another estate of said McCarthy and another and an estate of Linden Park Company, and supposed to contain 18,088 feet, tax for 1953 ..... $1,166 55
Paid on account 200 00
Balance due 966 55

Mary F. Monteiro (supposed present owner John N. Coor)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of West Springfield street, numbered 100, between an estate of Bertha McLaughlin and an estate of Adele Sarkis, and supposed to contain 978 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 247 45
Water and costs for 1952 ..... 32 50

Patrick Mulhern—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of St. Francis de Sales street, numbered 15 and 17, between an estate of Allen J. McRae and an estate of City of Boston, and supposed to contain 3,839 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 318 15

Walter I. and Joseph Nchalsingh—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Haskins street, numbered 51, between an estate of Luverne H. Barnette, Jr., and an estate of Kivork V. Ikmain, and supposed to contain 2,723 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 35 50

Louis Pacelot—Land, with buildings thereon, on the nortbwesterly side of Kent street, numbered 16, between an estate of George Washington and an estate of Thomas J. McCann and another, and supposed to contain 1,158 feet, tax for 1953, 106 05

Frances and Dominic Pascarelli; and Frank Zinfolino (supposed present owner Grace Zinfolino)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Cabot street, numbered 68, between an estate of Helen M. McGettrick and others and an estate of Vivian Milmore, and supposed to contain 1,505 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 205 03

Katherine Pohorecki—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Woodbury street, numbered 21, between two estates of City of Boston, and supposed to contain 600 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 70 70

Harold Proctor (supposed present owner Aaron Matlin)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northerly side of Roxbury street, numbered 157, making the northerly corner of Percy place, adjoining an estate of Boston Protective Department, and supposed to contain 3,755 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 131 90

Lena M. Range—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Kendall street, numbered 74, between an estate of James B. Prescod and an estate of City of Boston, and supposed to contain 1,483 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 141 40

Augusta A. Ransom—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Lenox street, numbered 83 and 85, between an estate of Zalig Blinder, trustee, and an estate of City of Boston, and supposed to contain 2,000 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 282 80
Water and costs for 1952 ..... 9 00

Ralph R. and Augusta A. Ransom—Land, with buildings thereon, on the easterly side of Sussex street, numbered 16, between an estate of James T. Whaley and another and an estate of Helen Francis, and supposed to contain 494 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 98 98

Ralph R. Ransom, Jr., and Horace T. Taylor—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Massachusetts avenue, numbered 455, between an estate of Harry Smith and an estate of John A. Whalen and another, and supposed to contain 1,890 feet, tax for 1953 ..... $544 39
Paid on account 69 97
Balance due 474 42

S. F. Realty, Inc.—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Shawmut avenue, numbered 554 and 554A, between two other estates of said S. F. Realty, Inc., and supposed to contain 900 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 83 50

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Shawmut avenue, numbered 550 and 552, making the southerly corner of and numbered 164 Northampton street, adjoining another estate of said S. F. Realty, Inc., and supposed to contain 900 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 112 75

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Northampton street, numbered 158, 160, and 162, making the southerly corner of and numbered 1, 2, and 3 Wentworth place, adjoining an estate of Millie C. Condon, and supposed to contain 3,525 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 60 00

Mary I. Seavey—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Pelham street, numbered 22, between an estate of Leslie Corey and another and an estate of Lorraine Berry, and supposed to contain 1,174 feet, tax for 1953, 304 01

Edna E. Shelton—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Camden street, numbered 116, between an estate of Henry Brown and another and an estate of Alice E. Brandon, and supposed to contain 1,011 feet, tax for 1953 ..... $134 33
Paid on account 80 33
Balance due 54 00

Isaac Sherman—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Hubert street, numbered 9, between an estate of Ida Marget, trustee, and an estate of Arthur Galer, and supposed to contain 1,480 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 134 33
Water and costs for 1952 ..... 25 00

Nora Simmonds (Life Tenant) and Mildred Holder—Land, with buildings thereon, on the soutbwesterly side of Wellington street, numbered 18, between an estate of Ola B. Gregory and an estate of Carrie O. Pinkney, and supposed to contain 1,440 feet, tax for 1953...$268 66
Paid on account 140 00
Balance due 128 66

Reginald N., Carroll K., and Ronald A. St. Germain—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Cedar street, numbered 2, making the westerly corner of Washington street, adjoining an estate of Harry Brooks and another, and supposed to contain 2,475 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 282 80
Water and costs for 1952 ..... 13 00

Julian D. Steele—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Columbus avenue, numbered 604, 606, and 608, making the southerly corner of and numbered 274 Northampton street, adjoining an estate of Julian D. Steele, trustee, and supposed to contain 2,579 feet, water and costs for 1952, 309 00

Rose L., Harry, Arthur, Edward, Lillian, Charles Steinberg, and Esther Pearlstein—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Haskins street, numbered 43 and 45, between an estate of Bishop Myrick and another and an estate of James P. Middleton and another, and supposed to contain 4,150 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 190 89

Anna Z. Sweet—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Hammond street, numbered 2, making the westerly corner of and numbered 663 and 665 Shawmut avenue, adjoining an estate of Isaac Popkin, trustee, and supposed to contain 2,767 feet, tax for 1953, 388 85

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Shawmut avenue, numbered 666 and 666A, making the easterly corner of Ball street, adjoining an estate of John H. Mulligan, and supposed to contain 1,739 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 282 80

WARD NINE.

Frank Taylor (reassessed from Frank Taylor *et al.*)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Benton street, numbered 21, between an estate of Charles C. Satchebell and an estate of Vivian Milmore, and supposed to contain 1,750 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 98 98

John Turcottc (supposed prcsent owner Amos C. and Edith L. Washington)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Rutland street, numbered 18, between an estate of Walter D. Nichols and another and an estate of Albert G. Kurko, trustee, and supposed to contain 1,080 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 197 96
Water and costs for 1952 ..... 31 00

John Turcotte—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Northampton street, numbered 214, between another estate of said Turcotte and an estate of Alan J. Chartkoff, and supposed to contain 1,933 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 11 50

Also land, with buildings thereon, on tbe southwesterly side of Northampton street, numbered 212, between an estate of Edward H. Lewis and another estate of said Turcotte, and supposed to contain 1,916 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 275 73
Water and costs for 1952 ..... 38 50

Leo A. Turcotte—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of West Newton street, numbered 84, between an estate of Ellen Bowen and an estate of Bessye L. Williams, and supposed to contain 1,890 feet, tax for 1953, 410 06

Jason J. Waldman (supposed present owner Adams and Co., Inc.)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Shawmut avenue, numbered 703, between an estate of Meyer Goldstein and another, trustees, and an estate of Women's Society of Christian Service of the New England Conference of the Methodist Church, Inc., and supposed to contain 1,470 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 282 80

William W. Weeks—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Vernon street, numbered 111 and 113, between an estate of Mabel B. Francis and an estate of Edward J. Morin and another, and supposed to contain 5,206 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 148 47

William R. Wheeler—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of West Dedham street, numbered 68 and 68A, between another estate of said Wheeler and an estate of Rentel & Frost, Inc., and supposed to contain 756 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 141 40

William R. Wheeler, Jr.—About 600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Fabin street, bounded and described as follows: Southwesterly hy Fabin street; northwesterly by another estate of said Wheeler, Jr.; northeasterly by an estate of William R. Wheeler; southeasterly by an estate of John Aites and another, tax for 1953 ..... 21 21

Also about 600 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Fabin street, bounded and described as follows: Southwesterly by Fabin street; southeasterly by another estate of said Wheeler, Jr.; northeasterly by an estate of William R. Wheeler; northwesterly by an estate of Rentel & Frost, Inc., tax for 1953 ..... 21 21

Women's Society of Christian Service of the New England Conference of the Methodist Church, Inc.—About 1,445 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Shawmut avenue, bounded and described as follows: Southeasterly by Shawmut avenue; southwesterly and northeasterly by two other estates of said Women's Society of Christian Service of the New England Conference of the Methodist Church, Inc.; northwesterly by an estate of Henry Vaz, tax for 1953, 148 47

Also about 1,341 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Shawmut avenue, bounded and described as follows: Southeasterly by Shawmut avenue; southwesterly by another estate of said Women's Society of Christian Service of the New England Conference of the Methodist Church, Inc.; northwesterly by an estate of Henry Vaz; northeasterly hy an estate of Jason J. Waldman, tax for 1953 ..... 190 89

Robert Woolf (supposed present owner Anna R. Woolf, Trustee of the Harold Irving Realty Trust)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Lenox street, numbered 123, between an estate of Bessie M. MacPherson and an estate of Mary E. Sullivan, and supposed to contain 961 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 176 75
Water and costs for 1952 ..... 20 50

Chester A. and Nelye N. Wych—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northerly side of Millmont street, numbered 12, between an estate of Charles D. Fields and another and an estate of Theodore F. Prodan and another, and supposed to contain 1,220 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 31 00

Rose Yanofsky; Eda Goldman; Elizabeth Weiner; and Harry and Israel Dores—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Vernon street, numbered 129 and 131, between an estate of Connie Brown, Jr., and an estate of St. John Baptist Church, and supposed to contain 2,121 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 226 24

Malvina Zeigler—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of West Springfield street, numbered 174, between an estate of Paige H. Holder and an estate of John Katopothkakis, trustee, and others, and supposed to contain 1,515 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 304 01

WARD TEN.

Bennington Realty Corp.—Land, witb buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Terrace street, numbered 41, 43, 45, and 47, bctween an estate of Phoebe Fine and an estate of Edmund C. Durgin, and supposed to contain 3,540 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... $29 50

Samuel and Lillian Bolski—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Lamartine street, numbered 79 and 81, making the northerly corner of Hoffman street, adjoining an estate of James H. Kempt, and supposed to contain 2,713 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 282 80

Edward A. and Mabel L. Cahill—About 4,140 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Calumet street, making the westerly corner of Oswald street, being lot 8, William O. Badger plan, dated November 17, 1892, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2098, page 513, tax for 1953 ..... 84 84

Archie Caraber—About 5,090 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Lawn street, being lot 60, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by another estate of said Caraber; northeasterly by Lawn street; easterly by another estate of said Caraber; southwesterly by an estate of Andrew Magee; westerly by an estate of Frank W. O'Hara, tax for 1953 ..... 21 21

Also about 5,080 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Lawn street, being lot 59, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly and easterly by other estates of said Caraber; northeasterly by Lawn street; southwesterly and westerly by two estates of Andrew Magee, tax for 1953 ..... 21 21

Also about 5,080 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Lawn street, being lot 58, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by another estate of said Caraber; northeasterly by Lawn street; easterly by an estate of Marino Bodi and another; southeasterly by an estate of Edward E. Pope and another; southwesterly by an estate of City of Boston; westerly by an estate of Andrew Magee, tax for 1953 ..... 21 21

Delia Darcy—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Fisher avenue, numbered 78, between two estates of City of Boston, and supposed to contain 2,375 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 289 87

Paul J. and Frances G. Florentine—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Whitney street, numbered 15, between an estate of Basil A. and Ellen M. Slavin and an estate of Sotier T. Terpatis and supposed to contain 2,299 feet, tax for 1953 ..... $197 96
Paid on account 127 26

Balance due 70 70

Margaret Harran—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Wait street, numbered 6, between another estate of said Harran and an estate of Michele Mangiacotti and another, and supposed to contain 1,900 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 388 85

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Wait street, numbered 4, between another estate of said Harran and an estate of Frank LaMalfa, and supposed to contain 2,157 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 91 91

William Hegarty—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Francis street, numbered 42, between an estate of Thomas J. Menton and another and an estate of Jeanette C. O'Brien and others, and supposed to contain 3,150 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 523 18

Jake Kaufman and Edward M. Anderson, Trustees of Anka Realty Trust (supposed present owner Edward M. Anderson and Jake Kaufman, Trustees of Manson Realty Trust)—Land, with buildings tbereon, on the southeasterly side of South Huntington avenue, numbered 46, making the southerly corner of Colburn street, adjoining another estate of said Kaufman and another, trustees, and supposed to contain 2,330 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 40 00

Also land, with buildings thereon, on tbe southeasterly side of South Huntington avenue, numbered 48, between two other estates of said Kaufman and another, trustees, and supposed to contain 2,335 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 65 50

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of South Huntington avenue, numbered 50, between two other estates of said Kaufman and another, trustees, and supposed to contain 2,335 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 68 50

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of South Huntington avenue, numbered 52, between two other estates of said Kaufman and another, trustees, and supposed to contain 2,335 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 83 50

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of South Huntington avenue, numbered 54, between two other estates of said Kaufman and another, trustees, and supposed to contain 2,335 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 49 00

Nicola Maffei—Land, with buildings thereon, lying in the rear from the northwesterly side of Bickford avenue, numbered 14, extending through to tbe southwesterly side of Wensley street, between estates of Mary Geren and Kenneth Reed and another and an estate of Canada Dry Ginger Ale, Inc., and supposed to contain 10,910 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 247 45
Water and costs for 1952 ..... 22 00

Annette Matlin—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of South Huntington avenue, numbered 40, making the easterly corner of Colburn street, adjoining an estate of Willie M. Rice and another, and supposed to contain 1,636 feet, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number, 55441, Book 273, page 41, water and costs for 1952 ..... 31 00

Anthony L. and Mary C. Mazzei—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Heath street, numbered 179, 179A, and 179B, between an estate of David J. Coleman and another and an estate of Nora Antaya, and supposed to contain 4,243 feet, tax for 1953, 565 60
Water and costs for 1952 ..... 19 00

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Catherine McBrien (supposed present owner John McBrien)—Lnnd, with buildings thereon, on the easterly side of Parkton road, numbered 11, between an estnte of David J. Carstairs and another and an estate of John D. Clifford and another, and supposed to contain 3,400 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 600 95

Mary C. Moriarty—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northerly side of Priesing street, numbered 6, between nn estate of John O'Hara and another and an estate of Timothy Hayes and another, and supposed to contnin 2,127 feet, water nnd costs for 1952 ..... 7 00

Cntherine M. O'Rourke—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of St. Alphonsus street, numbered 113 and 113 rear, between an estate of Agnes Mulvey and another and an estate of Anna A. Hogan, and supposed to contain 2,949 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 30 35

Julius H. Sirkin—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Lamartine street, numbered 83 and 85, making the westerly corner of Hoffman street, adjoining an estate of Walter Kostuk, and supposed to contain 2,276 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 424 20

Clydine E. Smith—About 3,710 feet of land on the easterly side of Zamora street, bounded and described ns follows: Westerly by Zamora street; northerly by an estate of Helen Post; southerly by an estate of Caesar D. and Marie Jones; ensterly by an estate of Robert J. Lawler, tax for 1953 ..... $91 91
Paid on nccount 70 00

Balance due 21 91

Walter F. Smith and Norman W. MacLeod—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of South Huntington avenue, numbered 100, making the junction of Henth street, adjoining an estate of Old Colony Filling Stations, Inc., and supposed to contain 4,027 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 318 15

Anna M. Sullivan—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Hillside street, numbered 97, between nn estate of Henry T. Beaulieu and another and an estate of Johanna Prendergast, and supposed to contain 3,200 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 22 00

Robert, Joshua M., Selma A., Oscar A., and Isadore Wasserman; Charlotte Libby; and Selma A. Moffie (reassessed from Armour Realty, Inc.) (supposed present owner George Kapetanakis, Trustee of Kappy Realty Trust)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the easterly side of Heath street, numbered 51 and 53, between another estate of said Wasserman and others and an estate of Maurice Colman and another, and supposed to contain 1,010 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 304 01
Water and costs for 1952 ..... 40 00
Also land, with buildings thereon, on the easterly side of Heath street, numbered 55, between another estate of said Wasserman and others and an estate of James F. Sullivan, and supposed to contain 1,790 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 282 80
Water and costs for 1952 ..... 37 00

WARD ELEVEN.

Elmer J. and Grace M. Bruce—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Kingsbury street, numbered 10, between an estate of Clarence H. Smith and another and an estate of Nehemiah J. Porter and another, and supposed to contain 2,174 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... $17 50

Nathaniel Campbell—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Bainbridge street, numbered 27, between another estate of said Campbell and an estate of Henry H. Newell, and supposed to contain 2,183 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 282 80
Water and costs for 1952 ..... 29 50

Sophia and Nicholas Cochis (supposed present owner Francis J. and Margaret M. McManus)—Land, witb buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Highland Park avenue, numbered 34, between an estate of Charles O. Rolfe, Jr., and another and another estate of said Cochis and anotber, and supposed to contain 2,872 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 212 10
Also land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Highland Park avenue, numbered 32, between two other estates of said Cochis, and supposed to contain 2,775 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 212 10

John R. and Kathryn C. Donoghoe—About 6,625 feet of land on the southeasterly side of St. Rose street, making the easterly corner of Arborway, being lot 31, Edmund K. Brown plan, dated April 13, 1903, recorded with Suffolk Deeds at end of Book 2892, tax for 1953.. 120 19

Arthur B. Frank (supposed present owner Julius H. Sirkin)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Boylston street, numbered 123 and 125, between an estate of New York, New Haven & Hnrtford Railroad Company nnd an estate of James A. Palmer, and supposed to contain 6,000 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 494 90
Water and costs for 1952 ..... 95 30

Louis J. and Winifred Horner—Land, with buildings thereon, on the easterly side of Codman park, numbered 32, between an estate of Agnes Mellon and an estate of Frank Micelotta, and supposed to contain 1,767 feet, tax for 1953 ..... $127 26
Paid on account 80 00

Balance due 47 26

J. A. Cafe, Inc.—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Wasbington street, numbered 3079 and 3081, between an estate of Joseph McGinnis and an estate of City of Boston, and supposed to contain 2,780 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 1,414 00

William and Elizabeth D. Kingston—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Cedar street, numbered 81, between an estate of Michael Scuilli and another and an estate of Annie E. Dunn, and supposed to contain 4,901 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 247 45

Leab G. Krichmar—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Cobden street, numbered 18, between an estate of Margaret Garrity and others and an estate of Julian H. Mosbey and another, and supposed to contain 4,589 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 282 80

Mary A. Kutz—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of School Street place, at end, numbered 4, adjoining an estate of William G. Kohl, and supposed to contain 2,741 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 275 73

Miles Muldoon (supposed present owner Helen Mulkern)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Columbus avenue, numbered 1551, making the southwesterly corner of Echo street, adjoining an estate of Anna S. Reiss and another, and supposed to contain 1,006 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 197 96

Lawrence K. and Jacob Palder—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Columbus avenue, numbered 1201, 1205, 1205A, and 1205B, between another estate of said Palder and another and an estate of Socony Vacuum Oil Company, Inc., and supposed to contain 17,749 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 91 00
Also land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Columbus avenue, numbered 1207 and 1209, between another estate of said Palder and another and nn estate of Thomas L. Sullivan and another, and supposed to contain 31,547 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 83 00

Fitz H. Payne (supposed present owner Catherine M. O'Rourke)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Cohden street, numbered 33, making the northerly corner of Rochdale street, adjoining another estate of said Payne, and supposed to contain 1,849 feet, tax for 1953 ..... $318 15
Paid on account 257 60

Balance due 60 55
Water and costs for 1952 ..... 14 50

William A. and Mary E. Queen—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Weld Hill street, numbered 28, between an estate of Frank E. Gillis and another and an estate of Angus M. MacLeod and another, and supposed to contain 3,500 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 16 00

Cecilia J. ond Rose C. Reilly (supposed present owner Harold M. Twombly)—About 8,128 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Brookside avenue, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by an estate of Harold M. Twombly; northerly hy an estate of Samuel DiCarlo and another; northeasterly by an estate of William O. B. Little and another; southeasterly by another estate of said Reilly and another and by Brookside avenue; southwesterly by an estate of Harold M. Twombly and another, tax for 1953 ..... 113 12

James T. Roche—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southerly side of Jamaica street, numbered 24, making the southwesterly corner of a passageway, adjoining an estate of Charles F. Fossa, and supposed to contain 2,550 feet, tax for 1953, 176 75

George M. Romanos, Jr., and Geraldine E. Romanos—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Fort avenue, numbered 59, between an estate of Mary P. Norris and an estate of Kimball Realty Corporation, and supposed to contain 1,606 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 56 50

Saint Johns Church Boston Highlands Rector, Warden and Vestrymen—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Linwood street, numbered 40, between an estate of George Georgenes and another and an estate of John Slawshy and another, and supposed to contain 5,997 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 98 98

Rosa A. Sampson—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Columbus avenue, numbered 1945 and 1949, between an estate of Isaac Popkin, trustee, and another estate of said Sampson, and supposed to contain 9,141 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 615 09

Sente Motor Sales, Inc. (supposed present owner Lillian Michaels)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Centre street, numbered 200, between estates of John Layka and George Vaccaro and estates of Eliot Motor Company, Inc., and Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, and supposed to contain 26,926 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 671 65

Ruth Smith—Lnnd, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Marcella street, numbered 147, mnking the southerly corner of Bachelder terrace, adjoining an estate of Alida K. Treman, and supposed to contain 1,848 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 29 50

Mattie Stevenson—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Washington street, numbered 2939 and 2941, between two estates of City of Boston, and supposed to contain 1,875 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 141 40

Delia Sullivan (supposed present owner George M. Romanos, Jr.)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Fort avenue, numbered 69, between an estate of Nicholas J. Vigneault and an estate of John S. Fitzgerald, and supposed to contain 1,615 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 240 38
Water and costs for 1952 ..... 2 00

Ellen M. Sullivan (reassessed) (supposed present owner James J. and Estella Gill)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the westerly side of Jamaica street, numbered 100, between an estate of Helen Donohue and an estate of Mary F. Hough, nnd supposed to contain 2,256 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 19 00

Daniel and Helen Toon—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Galena street, numbered 10, between an estate of Morizel Dixon and another and an estate of Samuel Brotherson, and supposed to contain 2,790 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 388 85

WARD ELEVEN.

Harold M. Twomhly—Ahout 637 feet of land lying in the rear from the northwesterly side of Brookside avenue, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by Stony Brook; northeasterly by an estate of Samuel DiCarlo and another; southeasterly by an estate of Cecelia J. Reilly and another; southwesterly by an estate of Harold M. Twombly and another, tax for 1953 ..... 14 14

Also ahout 2,877 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Amory street, hounded and described as 1ollows: Northwesterly by Amory street; northeasterly by an estate of Brooks Skinner Company; southeasterly hy Stony Brook; southwesterly hy an estate of Harold M. Twomhly and another, tax for 1953, 63 63

William E. Valcourt—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Bragdon street, numbered 71, making the northerly corner of and numhered 1865, 1867, and 1869 Columbus avenue, adjoining an estate of Howard S. Cosgrove, and supposed to contain 6,122 feet, heing lot A, Henry C. Mildram plan, dated Octoher 26, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3716, page 423, tax for 1953, 2,135 14
Water and costs for 1952..... 207 50

Jesse E. and June L. Wagner—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Elmore park, at end, numhered 2, adjoining an estate of Thomas M. Miller and another, and supposed to contain 3,052 feet, water and costs for 1952, 5 50

John A. and Carrie L. White—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Notre Dame street, numhered 31, between an estate of George H. Pearson and another and an estate of City of Boston, and supposed to contain 2,385 feet, tax for 1953..... 120 19
Water and costs for 1952..... 11 50

Mary N. Wiley—Land, with huildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Cedar street, numhered 28, making the westerly corner of Thornton street, adjoining an estate of David W. Miles and another, and supposed to contain 1,983 feet, tax for 1953..... 261 59
Water and costs for 1952..... 23 50

Bennie Williams—Land, with huildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Thornton street, numbered 112, between an estate of William Pender and another and an estate of Nicholas Carrazza and others, and supposed to contain 4,538 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 13 50

WARD TWELVE.

Anna Andrelos—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of St. James street, numhered 9 and 11, between an estate of George L. White and another and an estate of John M. Petrie and another, and supposed to contain 4,600 feet, tax for 1953..... $318 15
Water and costs for 1952..... 23 50

Ellis and Dorothy L. Bell—Land, with huildings thereon, on the easterly side of Fountain street, numhered 14, between an estate of Edward E. Stockhridge and another and an estate of Frank E. Colwell, and supposed to contain 1,325 feet, tax for 1953..... 197 96

A. Berkman Sons, Inc.—Land, with huildings thereon, on the westerly side of Humholdt park, at end, numbered 7 and 8, adjoining another estate of said A. Berkman Sons, Inc., and supposed to contain 1,692 feet, tax for 1953..... 247 45

Also land, with huildings thereon, on the easterly side of Humboldt park, at end, numhered 5 and 6, adjoining another estate of said A. Berkman Sons, Inc., and supposed to contain 1,519 feet, tax for 1953..... 162 61

Also land, with huildings thereon, on the easterly side of Humboldt park, numbered 3 and 4, hetween another estate of said A. Berkman Sons, Inc., and an estate of Ahraham Glass, and supposed to contain 1,666 feet, tax for 1953, 162 61

Also land, with huildings thereon, on the westerly side of Humboldt park, numhered 9 and 10, hetween another estate of said A. Berkman Sons, Inc., and an estate of Henry James, and supposed to contain 1,650 feet, tax for 1953..... 162 61

Charles C. Blake—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Bower street, numbered 122, hetween an estate of John F. Boyle and another and an estate of Harry Robinson, and supposed to contain 2,289 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 31 00

Thelma V. M. Bolling (supposed present owner Rita Loomis)—Land, with huildings thereon, on the easterly side of Tupelo street, numbered 12, making the southwesterly corner of and numbered 20-24 Quincy street, adjoining an estate of Sadie Hurwitch, and supposed to contain 5,034 feet, tax for 1953.....$565 60
Paid on account..... 177 90

Balance due..... 387 70

Peter Bombaci—Land, with huildings thereon, lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Maywood street, in the rear of and adjoining three estates fronting on and numbered 50, 54, and 58 Maywood street, hetween another estate of said Bomhaci and an estate of Gnido Fasoli and another, and supposed to contain 4,496 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 91 91

Philip Budzinski—Ahout 1,833 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Regent court, hounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of Christine MacPhee; easterly hy another estate of said Budzinski; southwesterly hy Regent court; westerly hy an estate of Annie B. Althin and another, tax for 1953..... 35 35

Alhert E. and Janet E. Burrell—Land, with huildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Harold street, numbered 131, hetween an estate of Stephen Jackson and an estate of John Wood and another, and supposed to contain 2,662 feet, water and costs for 1952.....$38 50
Paid on account..... 28 50

Balance due..... 10 00

Harry H. Byron (supposed present owner Edward O'Brien)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southerly side of Waumbeck street, numbered 34 and 36, between an estate of Ida Shore, trustee, and an estate of Arthur W. Harris and another, and supposed to contain 9,026 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 170 00

Also land, with huildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Waumbeck street, numhered 109 and 111, hetween an estate of David H. Siegel, trustee, and an estate of Columbia J. Alexander, and supposed to contain 5,732 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 306 75

Manuel S. and Grace Camillo—Land, with huildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Harold street, numhered 164, making the easterly corner of and numhered 93 Waumbeck street, adjoining another estate of Manuel S. Camillo and another, and supposed to contain 2,684 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 40 00

Edward Capaul—Land, with huildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Glenwood place, numbered 3, hetween two other estates of said Capaul, and supposed to contain 1,119 feet, tax for 1953..... 141 40

Celia Cohen—Land, with huildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Harold street, numhered 157 and 159, between another estate of said Cohen and an estate of Joel I. Ruhin, and supposed to contain 2,798 feet, tax for 1953..... 707 00
Water and costs for 1952..... 13 00

Also land, with huildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Harold street, numhered 151, 153, 155, 155A, 155B, making the westerly corner of Hollander street, adjoining another estate of said Cohen, and supposed to contain 2,861 feet, tax for 1953..... 848 40
Water and costs for 1952..... 2 00

Edward J. DePina (supposed present owner the Christian Training School Fellowship, Inc.)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Winthrop street, numbered 26, between an estate of Steve Kariotis and others and an estate of City of Boston, and supposed to contain 9,775 feet, tax for 1953.....$417 13
Paid on account..... 70 13

Balance due..... 347 00

Elaine S. Dickstein—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Cheney street, numbered 68, between an estate of James B. Gibbs and another and an estate of Barney Sheckman and another, and supposed to contain 8,889 feet, tax for 1953..... 1,661 45
Water and costs for 1952..... 247 10

Nancy Frisone—About 16,319 feet of land on the northerly side of Montrose street, extending through to Whiting street, hounded and described as follows: Northerly hy Whiting street, easterly by estates of Nancy Frisone and Julian C. Branker and another; southerly hy Montrose street; westerly by estates of Edith W. Smith and George R. McFarlane and another, tax for 1953 ..... 176 75

Clarence Grant—Land, with huildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Moreland street, numbered 33, between an estate of Arthur W. Harris, *et al.*, and an estate of Joseph D. Besse and another, and supposed to contain 2,725 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 35 50

Norman C. Guscott—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southerly side of Circuit street, numhered 4, hetween an estate of Robert W. Greer and an estate of Sidney A. Stutman, and supposed to contain 1,345 feet, tax for 1953..... 388 85
Water and costs for 1952..... 14 50

Solomon Hamburger and Norman J. Nichols—About 8,971 feet of land on the northerly side of Gaston street, hounded and described as follows: Southerly by Gaston street; westerly hy an estate of Atlantic Refining Company; northerly hy estates of Annie Barron and Wellington L. Gray; easterly by an estate of Annie Singer, tax for 1953 ..... 148 47

Mahel V. Harriot—Land, with huildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Savin street, numbered 58 and 60, between an estate of John J. Hart and an estate of Frederick Thomas and another, and supposed to contain 4,691 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 10 00

Brown L. and Sylvester B. Hohson (reassessed)—Land, with huildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Southwood street, numbered 23 and 25, making the northerly corner of and numbered 48 Edgewood street, adjoining an estate of Luigi Petrucci and another, and supposed to contain 2,857 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 46 00

James M. and Dorothy Hodges—Land, with huildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Moreland street, numbered 69, between an estate of Edward Axom and an estate of Atereths Israel, and supposed to contain 2,930 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 16 00

Henry James (supposed present owner Ruth Barnett)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southerly side of Bower street, numbered 50 and 52, making the southwesterly corner of Humboldt park, adjoining an estate of Ruggles Apartments, Inc., and supposed to contain 2,232 feet, tax for 1953..... 304 01

Aldean Johnson, Jr.—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Holhorn street, numbered 42, between an estate of William H. Hubbard and an estate of Ahraham Galer and another, and supposed to contain 5,400 feet, tax for 1953..... 707 00
Water and costs for 1952..... 34 00

Harry H. Kahn—Land, with huildings thereon, on the southerly side of Bower street, numbered 62 and 64, making the southeasterly corner of Spring terrace, adjoining an estate of Rhoda Cambet, and supposed to contain 1,680 feet, tax for 1953..... 282 80

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Thomas S. Lawrence (supposed present owner David Kaplan, Trustee of Mi-Mar Trust)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southerly side of Fountain square, at end, numbered 4, in the rear of and adjoining another estate of John R. Boyd and another, and supposed to contain 2,889 feet, being lot B, Bates and Chellman plan, dated April 23, 1931, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 5255, page 577, tax for 1953 ..... 77 77

Harry J. and Jennie B. Lockwood—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Cliff street, numbered 42, between another estate of said Lockwood and another and an estate of City of Boston, and supposed to contain 3,136 feet, tax for 1953..... 91 91
Water and costs for 1952..... 10 00

Edward C. Logan (supposed present owner Marsum Realty, Inc.)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Elbert street, numbered 18 and 20, between an estate of Harry Dores, trustee, and an estate of City of Boston, and supposed to contain 1,908 feet, tax for 1953.....$353 50
Paid on account..... 318 00

Balance due..... 35 50
Water and costs for 1952..... 73 75

John Lotozky—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Clifford street, numbered 21, between an estate of Mary E. Hockaday, trustee for others, and an estate of Herbert G. Simmons, Sr., trustee, and supposed to contain 7,515 feet, tax for 1953...$247 45
Paid on account..... 195 00

Balance due..... 52 45

Beatrice Matlin (supposed present owner Frank Williams)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southerly side of Carlisle street, at end, numbered 13 and 15, adjoining an estate of Edgar W. Johnson and another, and supposed to contain 6,890 feet, tax for 1953.... 530 25

Harold Matlin (supposed present owner Frances Goldstein)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Southwood street, numbered 13, between an estate of City of Boston and an estate of Home Realty and Finance Corporation, and supposed to contain 3,320 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 46 00

Harold Matlin (supposed present owner Harold Matlin *et al.*, Trustees)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Humboldt avenue, numbered 38 and 38A, making the southerly corner of Bower street, adjoining another estate of said Matlin, and supposed to contain 1,352 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 26 50

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Humboldt avenue, numbered 40 and 40A, between two other estates of said Matlin, and supposed to contain 1,198 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 23 50

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Humboldt avenue, numbered 44 and 44A, between two other estates of said Matlin, and supposed to contain 1,251 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 59 50

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Humboldt avenue, numbered 42 and 42A, between two other estates of said Matlin, and supposed to contain 641 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 40 00

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Humboldt avenue, numbered 46, 46A, and 46B, making the easterly corner of Humboldt terrace, adjoining another estate of said Matlin, and supposed to contain 1,617 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 20 50

Clarence H. Nyman—Land, with buildings thereon, on the westerly side of Fremont place, at end, numbered 3, adjoining an estate of Mary Carroll and another, and supposed to contain 1,258 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 2 00

Pasquale Pacino—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Copeland street, numbered 65, between an estate of Sidney Williams and an estate of Kenneth M. McAskill, and supposed to contain 3,974 feet, tax for 1953.... 289 87

Pasquale Pacino, Jr.—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Sherman street, numbered 31, between an estate of City of Boston and an estate of Joseph Pacino, and supposed to contain 1,951 feet, tax for 1953..... 183 82
Water and costs for 1952..... 14 50

Theresa Rheid—Land, with buildings thereon, on the westerly side of Warren street, numbered 241, between an estate of George H. Feingold and an estate of Sunrise to Midnight Store, Inc., and supposed to contain 1,608 feet, tax for 1953, 318 15
Water and costs for 1952..... 31 00

Virginia Robinson—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Lansing street, numbered 17, between an estate of Nedrick Dodd and another and an estate of Carl H. Benders, and supposed to contain 1,890 feet, tax for 1953..... 162 61

Rhoda J. Ryan—About 5,555 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Schuyler street, making the easterly corner of Maple street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly and easterly by an estate of Lucille E. Harris; southeasterly by an estate of Eli Forman and another; southwesterly by Schuyler street; and westerly by Maple street, tax for 1953..... 155 54

Charles F. and Marguerite A. Shearer—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Homestead street, numbered 26, between an estate of Louise Gaines and an estate of John Morris, and supposed to contain 7,500 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 29 50

Benjamin and Willena Shepard—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Howland street, numbered 43, between an estate of Homer B. Platt and another and an estate of Dennis H. Vaughn and another, and supposed to contain 7,845 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 41 50

David H. Siegel, Trustee of the Norman Court Real Estate Trust—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Waumbeck street, numbered 101 and 103, between another estate of said Siegel, trustee, and an estate of Joel Rubin, and supposed to contain 5,887 feet, tax for 1953...$954 45
Paid on account..... 889 85

Balance due..... 64 60

Edward E. and Nellie C. Stockbridge (supposed present owner Eftihis M. Sartzetis)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the easterly side of Fountain street, numbered 16, making the northeasterly corner of Fountain Hill, adjoining an estate of Ellis Bell and another, and supposed to contain 1,400 feet, tax for 1953..... 205 03

Earl G. Taylor—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Cliff place, numbered 1, making the westerly corner of Cliff street, adjoining another estate of said Taylor, and supposed to contain 1,683 feet, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 51711, Book 254, page 111, tax for 1953..... 98 98

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Cliff place, numbered 2, between two other estates of said Taylor, and supposed to contain 1,698 feet, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 51711, Book 254, page 111, tax for 1953..... 98 98

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Cliff place, numbered 3, between two other estates of said Taylor, and supposed to contain 1,567 feet, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 51711, Book 254, page 111, tax for 1953..... 98 98

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Cliff place, numbered 4, between another estate of said Taylor and an estate of Gladys E. Wills, and supposed to contain 1,631 feet, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 51711, Book 254, page 111, tax for 1953..... 98 98

Charles E. and Fannie E. Walden—Land, with buildings thereon, on the easterly side of Hazelwood street, numbered 2, making the southeasterly corner of Munroe street, adjoining an estate of Alfred P. Russell, Jr., and another, and supposed to contain 2,866 feet, tax for 1953..... 268 66
Water and costs for 1952..... 35 50

Max Weinstein—Land, with buildings thereon, on the westerly side of Blue Hill avenue, numbered 191, 193, 193A, and 195, between an estate of Edward P. Conley and another and an estate of Domenic Forte, and supposed to contain 5,622 feet, tax for 1953..... 353 50

Thomas M. and Emily White—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Weldon street, numbered 2 and 4, between an estate of Ethel O. Moten and an estate of Rayford E. Lewis and another, and supposed to contain 2,779 feet, water and costs for 1952, 25 00

Annie Williams—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Dana place, at end, numbered 19, adjoining an estate of Russell Williams, and supposed to contain 2,046 feet, tax for 1953.. 247 45

Sidney Williams—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Glenwood street, numbered 19, between another estate of said Williams and an estate of John B. Clark, and supposed to contain 2,135 feet, tax for 1953..... 282 80

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Cliff street, numbered 38, between an estate of City of Boston and an estate of Edwin C. Hitchens and another, and supposed to contain 3,992 feet, tax for 1953..... 120 19

Anna J. Wood, Conservator for Vincent and Anna Banuskevicius for Life of Anna Banuskevicius; Vincent Benas (Remainderman)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Warren street, numbered 384 to 392, inclusive, making the easterly corner of and numbered 2 Savin street, adjoining an estate of Clarence W. Guilford, and supposed to contain 9,300 feet, tax for 1953.....$2,403 80
Paid on account..... 275 00

Balance due..... 2,128 80

Young Israel of Greater Boston—About 13,651 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Seaver street, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by an estate of David and Jennie Katcoff; northeasterly by an estate of Williams W. Jones and another; southeasterly by Parkview street; southwesterly by Seaver street, tax for 1953..... 480 76

WARD THIRTEEN.

B and C Federal Laundries Company—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Bird street, numbered 115, 119, and 123, making the northerly corner of Alexander street, adjoining an estate of James E. Jackson, and supposed to contain 10,781 feet, tax for 1953..... $848 40

Barnet Berry—Land, with buildings thereon, on the easterly side of Howard avenue, numbered 168 and 170, between an estate of John R. Gomes and another estate of said Berry, and supposed to contain 4,955 feet, tax for 1953..... 848 40

John and Susie Catenacci—About 5,106 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Magnolia street, making the northerly corner of Magnolia square, adjoining an estate of John J. Feeney, being lot B, John H. Burroughs plan, dated August 4, 1921, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 4298, tax for 1953..... 70 70

Willie M. Chandler—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Howard avenue, numbered 212, between an estate of Betsey Abrams and an estate of Joseph Cohen and another, and supposed to contain 2,585 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 46 00

WARD THIRTEEN.

John and Mary M. Dinn—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Newport street, numbered 26, between an estate of Andrew S. Carten and another and an estate of Anthony Buinowski and another, and supposed to contain 2,681 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 133 30

Josephine I. Doherty—Land, with buildings thereon, on the easterly side of Dorchester avenue, numbered 930 and 932, between an estate of Patrick Vaughn and an estate of John J. Wieikus and others, and supposed to contain 3,670 feet, tax for 1953..... 459 55

Louise Gaines—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Woodcliff street, numbered 54, between an estate of Morris Keselman and another and another estate of said Gaines, and supposed to contain 1,364 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 8 50

Anthony and Lucy Gervasi (supposed present owner Joseph T. Gervasi)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the westerly side of Monadnock street, numbered 57 and 59, between an estate of Ida Shore, Trustee of Waumbeck Trust, and an estate of Joaquin F. Nobrega and another, and supposed to contain 4,575 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 65 00

Martin and Mary Hansberry—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Sudan street, numbered 11, between an estate of Oktavian Rozanski and another and an estate of James Ryan and another, and supposed to contain 2,368 feet, tax for 1953.....$459 55
Paid on account..... 419 55

Balance due..... 40 00

Edward A. and Agnes B. Hutchinson—Land, with buildings thereon, on the easterly side of Savin Hill avenue, numbered 257, making the southeasterly corner of Evandale terrace, adjoining an estate of Aimee M. Ricker, and supposed to contain 8,500 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 14 50

Barbara Kaufman—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northerly side of Woodcliff street, numbered 34, between an estate of Robert Gilchrist and another and an estate of Milledge W. Bowman, and supposed to contain 2,093 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 63 70

John M. Kendricken and Thomas H. Ray, Trustees for Paul H. Kendricken—About 1,360 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Folsom street, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by Folsom street; northeasterly by an estate of Benjamin Koffman; southeasterly by an estate of Francis E. Buckley and another; southwesterly by an estate of Frederick F. MacDonald, tax for 1953..... 21 21

Keystone Realty Corp. (supposed present owner Homecrafters Inc.)—About 6,609 feet of land on the southerly side of Dewey street, adjoining an estate of Mary J. Martin, being lot 19, H. M. Fletcher plan, dated October 25, 1952, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 6838, page 135, tax for 1953..... 49 49

Abraham and Gertrude Leaman—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southerly side of Wayland street, numbered 44, between an estate of Adolph E. Friedman and another and an estate of Vincent P. Pettitto and another, and supposed to contain 3,057 feet, tax for 1953.....$445 41
Paid on account..... 345 41

Balance due..... 100 00

Louis G. Loeb—About 5,000 feet of land on the northerly side of Wayland street, making the northeasterly side of Hartford street, bounded and described as follows: Southerly by Wayland street; westerly by Hartford street; northerly by an estate of Louis Pellecchia and another; easterly by an estate of Edmund P. Kulesco and another, tax for 1953..... 35 35

Dorothea M. Murphy—About 751 feet of land on the westerly side of Bakersfield street, bounded and described as follows; Easterly by Bakersfield street; northerly by an estate of Chester R. Lawrence; southerly by an estate of Stanley M. Angus; westerly by another estate of said Dorothea M. Murphy, tax for 1953..... 21 21

Mary A. O'Connell—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Sudan street, numbered 41, between an estate of Malcolm L. Budding and an estate of John J. McKeon and another, and supposed to contain 2,936 feet, tax for 1953.. 459 55
Water and costs for 1952..... 3 50

Julia Madden O'Grady and Mary Elizabeth O'Grady (supposed present owner David J. O'Grady)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Woodcliff street, numbered 46, between an estate of Morris Keselman and another and an estate of Ernesto and Maria Bortolotto, and supposed to contain 5,804 feet, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 37721, Book 184, page 121, tax for 1953 ..... 212 10

Herman Saxe—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Howard avenue, not numbered, between an estate of Addolorata Sferrazza and an estate of Louise Gaines, and supposed to contain 3,537 feet, tax for 1953..... 212 10

Ruth Saxe—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Howard avenue, numbered 185 and 185A, making the northerly corner of Wayland street, adjoining an estate of Charles Weinstein, and supposed to contain 3,157 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 46 00

Arthur Lopes Vincent and Mary Ann Vincent—About 2,169 feet of land on the northerly side of Dean street, bounded and described as follows: Southerly by Dean street; easterly by an estate of Arthur J. Lopes and another; northerly by two estates of William F. Weller and another and of Rosalie L. Grassa; westerly by an estate of Arthur L. Vincent and another, tax for 1953..... 42 42

WARD FOURTEEN.

Dorothy Bernstein and Lillian Score—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Astoria street, numbered 28, between an estate of Ida Safren and an estate of Goldie Kaster, and supposed to contain 5,060 feet, tax for 1953..... $636 30

Samuel and Nathan Bordenstein—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Erie street, numbered 148 and 150, between an estate of Samuel Shapiro and another, trustees, and an estate of Esther R. Cohen, and supposed to contain 1,464 feet, tax for 1953..... 106 05

Pauline F. Canton—Land, with buildings thereon, on the westerly side of Glenway street, numbered 169, between an estate of Sarah Luper and an estate of Sadie Rubin, and supposed to contain 5,150 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 13 00

Katherine H. Cassidy—About 7,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Woodrow avenue, extending through to the southerly side of Oakhurst street, adjoining an estate of John Richardson, being lot 45, H. T. Whitman plan, dated January 22, 1892, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2041, page 428, tax for 1953..... 106 05

Joseph Cohen—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Morton street, numbered 650, between an estate of Myer Kadiff and others and an estate of Murray Blake and another, and supposed to contain 3,070 feet, tax for 1953 .....$530 25
Paid on account..... 517 70

Balance due..... 12 55

Congregation Anshi Volin—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Harwood street, numbered 58, between another estate of said Congregation Anshi Volin and an estate of Annie Libman, and supposed to contain 4,242 feet, tax for 1953.....$395 92
Paid on account..... 131 98

Balance due..... 263 94

William T., Francis G., Joseph L., and Margaret E. Desmond; Lillian G. McInnis; and Alice M. Van Arsdale—About 856 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Stratton street, making the southerly corner of Lyford street, adjoining an estate of David Daniels and another, being lot 4, William Kelly plan, dated November 15, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3927, page 383, tax for 1953..... 7 07

Leon Dusovitz—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Wellington Hill street, numbered 139, making the southerly corner of Deering road, adjoining an estate of Max Pressman and another, and supposed to contain 5,592 feet, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 54084, Book 266, page 84, tax for 1953..... 459 55

Gertrude R. Ellis—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Magnolia street, numbered 255, between an estate of Hyman Persky and another and another estate of said Ellis, and supposed to contain 1,876 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 19 00

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Magnolia street, numbered 257, between another estate of said Ellis and an estate of Philip Kaminsky and another and supposed to contain 1,682 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 23 50

Rose Feldstein—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Michigan avenue, numbered 15, between an estate of Frances Sandman and another estate of said Feldstein, and supposed to contain 7,640 feet, tax for 1953..... 565 60

Also about 4,879 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Michigan avenue, adjoining another estate of said Feldstein, being lot B, S. L. Leftovith plan, dated October 23, 1920, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4315, page 108, tax for 1953.. 106 05

Minnie Finkelstein—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northerly side of Arbutus street, numbered 40, between an estate of Anne Levine and another and an estate of Jacob Kliman and another, and supposed to contain 2,652 feet, tax for 1953..... 544 39

Louise Gaines—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Glenway street, numbered 12, between an estate of Arelia Foppiano and another and an estate of Theresa Gaines, and supposed to contain 4,197 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 50 50

Louis Gilman (supposed present owner Ann Gilman)—About 26,114 feet of land lying on the southerly side of Harvard street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Harvard street; easterly by an estate of Anne Novick; southeasterly by an estate of Irene Beshansky; southerly by three estates of Rose Rosenfield, Harry Leven and another and Morris Rutstein and another; southwesterly by an estate of Congregation Chevia Chai Adom; westerly by an estate of Charles Lerner, tax for 1953..... 367 64

John P. Helfer—Land, with buildings thereon, on the westerly side of Standish street, numbered 7, between another estate of said John P. Helfer and an estate of Hilda Rosen, and supposed to contain 5,916 feet, tax for 1953..... 374 71
Water and costs for 1952..... 4 00

William H. and Hilda J. Hunter—Land, with buildings thereon, on the westerly side of Westcott street, numbered 19, between an estate of Mary F. Jefferson and an estate of William M. Macomber and another, and supposed to contain 4,523 feet, tax for 1953..... 247 45
Water and costs for 1952..... 16 00

Sophie James, Trustee for Sophie James and Bessie Novick—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Norwell street, numbered 45, between an estate of Samuel James and another and an estate of Gertrude Goldberg, and supposed to contain 1,172 feet, tax for 1953.....$212 10
Paid on account..... 90 00

Balance due..... 122 10

WARD FOURTEEN.

Esther and Tillie Kaplan—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Middleton street, numbered 21, between an estate of Harry S. Shapiro and another and an estate of Viola P. McGrath, and supposed to contain 2,444 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 296 94
Water and costs for 1952 ..... 17 50

Nathan Katz—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Devon street, numbered 134, between an estate of Mary A. O'Keefe and another and an estate of Lloyd T. Horton, and supposed to contain 3,700 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 16 00

Eli Kripke (supposed present owner Eli Kripke, Trustee of Franklin Realty Trust)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Intervale street, numbered 91 and 91A, between an estate of Anna Zacks and an estate of Major W. Green, Junior, and others, and supposed to contain 5,285 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 72 50

Beatrice E. Lande—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Normandy street, numbered 266 and 266A, between an estate of Carl L. Kurland and another and an estate of Dora Carron, and supposed to contain 5,214 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 29 50

David A. Levy, Trustee—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Wellington Hill street, numbered 25, making the northerly corner of Ormond street, adjoining an estate of Myer Silverman and another, and supposed to contain 5,854 feet, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 39293, Book 192, page 93, water and costs for 1952 ..... 11 50

Elliott and Esther Marenburg—About 1,965 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Devon street, adjoining another estate of said Marenburg and another, being lot E, D. W. Hyde plan, dated July 1, 1907, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 51745, Book 254, page 145, tax for 1953 ..... 70 70

Ida Miller—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southerly side of Brookview street, numbered 10, between an estate of Ernest P. Munroe and another and an estate of Baile Feingold, and supposed to contain 4,000 feet, tax for 1953 ..... $332 29
Paid on account 230 00

Balance due 102 29

Maamad Zichnai Talmidai Chachumin, Inc.—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Woodrow avenue, numbered 139 and 139A, between an estate of Philip Kirshner and an estate of Morris Rubin, and supposed to contain 3,703 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 55 00

William F. Scott, Jr., and Leona C. Scott—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Devon street, numbered 113A, between an estate of Robert C. Garnett and another and an estate of Mary Shultz, and supposed to contain 1,848 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 50 50

Bessie Shapiro—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Woodrow avenue, numbered 166, making the easterly corner of Willowwood street, adjoining an estate of Frank Zoifar, and supposed to contain 4,586 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 777 70

Dora Sirkin—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northerly side of Woodrow avenue, numbered 97, between an estate of Bessie E. Brass and an estate of Richard Smith and another, and supposed to contain 2,600 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 247 45

Alvin J. Slater and Joseph Sorota, Trustees of the Carley Trust—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Brunswick street, numbered 105, between two other estates of said Slater and another, trustees, and supposed to contain 2,589 feet, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 52657, Book 259, page 57, water and costs for 1952 ..... 77 50

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Brunswick street, numbered 107 and 109, between two other estates of said Slater and another, trustees, and supposed to contain 4,589 feet, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 52657, Book 259, page 57, water and costs for 1952 ..... 25 00

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Brunswick street, numbered 111 and 113, making the westerly corner of Normandy street, adjoining another estate of said Slater and another, trustees and supposed to contain 3,983 feet, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 52657, Book 259, page 57, water and costs for 1952 ..... 204 95

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Normandy street, numbered 61, between two other estates of said Slater and another, trustees, and supposed to contain 1,887 feet, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 52657, Book 259, page 57, water and costs for 1952 ..... 83 05

Helen Stillman—Land, with buildings thereon, on the westerly side of Glenway street, numbered 141, between an estate of Samuel Parlotsky and an estate of Annie Stulin and another, and supposed to contain 5,360 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 25 00

Raffaele Susi—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Wilrose street, numbered 49, between an estate of Augusta Tillman and an estate of Giovanni Guglielmi and another, and supposed to contain 6,825 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 155 54

Gloria L. Weeks (supposed present owner Ramona Barnett)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northerly side of Ellington street, at angle, numbered 78, between an estate of Milton H. Woolf and an estate of Henry Lesser, trustee, and supposed to contain 1,376 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 31 00

Lena Weinstein—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Jones avenue, numbered 50, between an estate of Brajna Rubin and an estate of Meyer R. Traiger and another, and supposed to contain 7,075 feet, tax for 1953 ..... $770 63
Paid on account 645 03

Balance due 125 60

WARD FIFTEEN.

Abbott Lumber and Building Supply Co., Inc.—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Freeport street, numbered 34, between an estate of Nathan W. Robinson and an estate of Hawthorne Realty Corporation, and supposed to contain 119,568 feet, tax for 1953 ..... $954 45

Margaret V. and Anna T. Broughton—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Geneva avenue, numbered 344, between an estate of Bertha E. Harvey and an estate of Ellen J. Kahler, and supposed to contain 2,787 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 13 00

Francis and Mary A. Christopher—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Leonard street, numbered 64, between an estate of Mary L. Ellis and an estate of Edward Holland and another, and supposed to contain 1,520 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 70 70

Clayton Realty Co.—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Coleman street, numbered 73, between an estate of James Bradford and an estate of Albert Broide, and supposed to contain 1,933 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 162 61
Water and costs for 1952 ..... 9 00
Also land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Coleman street, numbered 91, between an estate of Frances M. LaValle and an estate of City of Boston, and supposed to contain 1,933 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 127 26
Water and costs for 1952 ..... 23 50

Francis X. and Victoria T. Cronin—About 10,186 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Church street, bounded and described as follows: Southwesterly by Church street; northwesterly by another estate of said Cronin and another; northeasterly by an estate of Anthony Adomaitis and another and by estates of Gertrude E. Beswick; southeasterly by an estate of Gertrude McGuire, tax for 1953 ..... 106 05
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1953 ..... 13 23

Edward F. Dowd—Land, with buildings thereon, on the westerly side of Montello street, numbered 4, making the northwesterly corner of Arcadia street, adjoining an estate of John T. O'Neil and another, and supposed to contain 4,200 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 494 90
Water and costs for 1952 ..... 23 50

Hill Operating Company—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Bowdoin street, numbered 254A, 254B, 256, and 258, between an estate of Gertrude L. Nelson and another, trustees, and an estate of Annie Miller, and supposed to contain 8,633 feet, tax for 1953 ..... $2,121 00
Paid on account 1,471 00

Balance due 650 00

Daniel N. and Winifred Lynch—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northerly side of Leedsville street, numbered 5, between an estate of Thomas Finnegan and another and an estate of Thomas Scarlata and another, and supposed to contain 2,818 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 14 50

John C. O'Driscoll—About 9,807 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Columbia road, adjoining an estate of Paul R. Cyphert and another, being lot C, George L. Philpott plan, dated May 25, 1927, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 5115, page 148, tax for 1953 ..... 205 03

Benjamin O'Neil—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southerly side of Greenmount street, numbered 12 and 14, making the southeasterly corner of Greenmount place, adjoining an estate of Florinda Vegnani and another, and supposed to contain 2,734 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 190 89
Water and costs for 1952 ..... 56 50

Benjamin H. O'Neil and Benjamin O'Neil, Jr.—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southerly side of Savin Hill avenue, numbered 17, making the southwesterly corner of Deer street, adjoining an estate of Frieda E. Rockstrom and another, and supposed to contain 2,833 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 247 45
Water and costs for 1952 ..... 11 50

Sarena F. Seymour—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Ware street, numbered 12, making the northerly corner of Rill street, adjoining an estate of Margaret A. Arnatt, and supposed to contain 5,663 feet, tax for 1953 ..... $459 55
Paid on account 265 00

Balance due 194 55

Everett J. and Ruth M. Stappen—Land, with buildings thereon, on the easterly side of Linden court, numbered 1, between an estate of Edward J. Griffin and an estate of Bessie A. Medverd and another, and supposed to contain 2,730 feet, tax for 1953 ..... $91 91
Paid on account 42 15

Balance due 49 76

S. Ralph and Celia L. Tucker—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Coleman street, numbered 77, between an estate of Albert Broide and an estate of Laura White, and supposed to contain 1,933 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 48 00

Frank J. and Grace M. Wainwright—Land, with buildings thereon, on the westerly side of Clayton street, numbered 31, between an estate of Morris Fishman and another and an estate of Cecelia V. Mara, and supposed to contain 5,539 feet, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 48077, Book 240, page 177, water and costs for 1952 ..... $129 10
Paid on account 38 50

Balance due 90 60

WARDS FIFTEEN, SIXTEEN, AND SEVENTEEN.

Samuel M. Weene (supposed present owner James B. Rayfield)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the westerly side of Adams street, numbered 241, between an estate of Henry A. Dunican and others, trustees, and an estate of American Service Company, and supposed to contain 4,426 feet, tax for 1953..... 247 45

WARD SIXTEEN.

Robert R. and Mary K. Berardinelli—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northerly side of South Munroe terrace, numbered 49, between an estate of John B. Wenzler and an estate of Walter J. Weitz and another, and supposed to contain 1,672 feet, tax for 1953.....$360 57
Paid on account..... 350 37

Balance due..... $10 20

Eleanor M. Coakley—About 15,988 feet of land on the northerly side of Barnes street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Lillian B. Fink; northeasterly by an estate of Lillian B. Fink; easterly by an estate of Helen G. Hill and another estate of said Coakley; southerly by Barnes street; westerly by the location of the Metropolitan Transit Authority, tax for 1953..... 169 68

Daniel S. Dennehy—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Chickatawbut street, numbered 76, between an estate of Jean N. Prefontaine and another and an estate of Carmella Cannone, and supposed to contain 9,240 feet, tax for 1953..... 318 15
Water and costs for 1952..... 23 50

Frances L. Fermental, Trustee—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southerly side of Beaumont street, numbered 11, between an estate of William Williams and an estate of Emily Moor, and supposed to contain 7,485 feet, tax for 1953.....$424 20
Paid on account..... 282 80

Balance due..... 141 40

Mark and Nora Gilmartin—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northerly side of Marsh street, numbered 22, between an estate of Antonetta Damico and an estate of Margaret F. Harcourt, and supposed to contain 11,440 feet, tax for 1953.....$197 96
Paid on account..... 196 96

Balance due..... 1 00

Nora V. Hickey—About 4,651 feet of land on the westerly side of a proposed street, leading from the northerly side of Boutwell street, being lot 11, P. H. Mosher plan, dated March 3, 1921, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 4290, tax for 1953..... 7 07

Also about 4,593 feet of land on the westerly side of a proposed street, leading from the northerly side of Boutwell street, being lot 10, P. H. Mosher plan, dated March 3, 1921, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 4290, tax for 1953..... 7 07

Joseph Hurley—About 6,700 feet of land on the easterly side of McKone street, at angle, being lot 12, W. J. C. Semple plan, dated July, 1890, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1965, page 536, tax for 1953..... 35 35

Mary E. Keegan—Land, with buildings thereon, on the easterly side of Carruth street, numbered 10, making the northeasterly corner of Elmer road, adjoining an estate of Katherine F. Cauley, and supposed to contain 11,238 feet, tax for 1953 .....$600 95
Paid on account..... 540 00

Balance due..... 60 95

Louis and Isabelle M. Knowles (supposed present owner Patrick E. O'Hearn)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southerly side of Lincoln street, numbered 23, between an estate of Albert J. Newman and an estate of Ella L. Graham, and supposed to contain 4,721 feet, tax for 1953..... 176 75
Water and costs for 1952..... 5 50

Alexander and Sarah McDonald—Land, with buildings thereon, on the westerly side of Centre street, numbered 204, between an estate of Mansfield Austin and another and an estate of Thomas R. Smith and another, and supposed to contain 2,965 feet, tax for 1953..... 565 60

Mary A. McGrath—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Richview street, numbered 11, between an estate of Patrick J. Desmond and another and an estate of William A. Whelan and another, and supposed to contain 17,000 feet, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 37,257, Book 182, page 57, tax for 1953.... 530 25
Water and costs for 1952..... 32 50

Martha E. and Emma C. Odenweller—About 4,480 feet of land on the northerly side of Chelmsford street, being lot 78, George H. Sherman plan, dated June, 1913, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 7,774, Book 34, page 174, tax for 1953.....$63 63
Paid on account..... 50 00

Balance due..... 13 63

Elizabeth O'Hearn—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Ashmont street, numbered 301, making the easterly corner of Rundel park, adjoining an estate of Alice A. Cronin, and supposed to contain 10,711 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 17 50

Frank J. and Grace M. Wainwright—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Minot street, numbered 288, making the southerly corner of and numbered 1 Frederika street, adjoining an estate of Alexander MacDonald, and supposed to contain 18,434 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 25 00

Joseph H. White (reassessed from Robert P. White)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the easterly side of William T. Morrissey Boulevard, numbered 730, making the junction of Freeport street, adjoining another estate of said White, and supposed to contain 28,607 feet, being the lot shown on James G. Noonan plan, dated May, 1950, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 6609, page 550, tax for 1953 .....$1,979 60
Paid on account..... 989 80

Balance due..... 989 80

WARD SEVENTEEN.

William H. Barrett—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southerly side of Kenwood street, numbered 25 and 27, between an estate of Frances G. R. Brady and another and an estate of Carrie B. Smith and another, and supposed to contain 5,883 feet, tax for 1953..... $494 90
Water and costs for 1952..... 32 50

Anna M. Donahue—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southerly side of Norfolk street, numbered 118 and 118B, making the southwesterly corner of Peacevale road, adjoining an estate of Leone Georgetti and another, and supposed to contain 4,062 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 22 00

Henry E. Fabian—About 5,000 feet of land on the westerly side of Idaho street, adjoining an estate of Abbie L. Constable, being lot 31, Garbett and Wood plan, dated March 21, 1885, recorded with Suffolk Deeds at end of Book 1671, tax for 1953..... 35 35

Walter Bates Farr, Warren F., Eleanor and Mary C. Farr—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southerly side of Walton street, numbered 31, between an estate of Charles E. Cambria and another and an estate of Emma C. Rich, and supposed to contain 8,400 feet, tax for 1953..... 388 85

John F. Fitzgerald—About 29,426 feet of land on the southerly side of Welles avenue, making the southeasterly corner of Harley street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Welles avenue; easterly by two estates of Daniel G. O'Connor and Mary E. Mullen; southerly by an estate of Thomas E. Goode; westerly by Harley street, tax for 1953..... 424 20

Esther Kaplan (supposed present owner Joseph L. Goodman)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northerly side of Armandine street, numbered 15, between an estate of Margaret T. Hartson and an estate of James W. Crosby and another, and supposed to contain 8,746 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 11 50

Etta Kaplan—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Morton street, numbered 948, making the easterly corner of Selden street, adjoining an estate of Martin H. Brody, and supposed to contain 4,371 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 37 00

Rebecca Lynch Heirs (supposed present owner Walter Lynch)—About 6,595 feet of land lying in the rear from the northerly side of Norfolk street, bounded and described as follows: Westerly by an estate of Oscar E. LaTraverse; northwesterly, northerly, northeasterly, and easterly by an estate of Rebecca Lynch heirs; southeasterly and southerly by three estates of Margaret Makad, Carmine F. Palladino and another, and Paul W. Scanlon, tax for 1953..... 70 70

John E. and Josephine T. Maher (supposed present owner William G. and Anna M. McCarthy)—About 4,277 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Evans street, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by Evans street; northeasterly by two estates of Albert J. Skaparas and another and Irene Hughes; southeasterly by an estate of Jack Gopen; southwesterly by another estate of said Maher and another, tax for 1953.... 84 84

Mary M. McCarthy—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Nelson street, numbered 52, between an estate of Agnes B. Keeley and an estate of Ray Meyers, and supposed to contain 4,500 feet, tax for 1953..... 346 43
Water and costs for 1952..... 5 50

William H. and Helen M. O'Leary—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southerly side of Ashmont street, numbered 101, making the junction of Burt street, adjoining an estate of Kasper Hoel and another, and supposed to contain 3,839 feet, tax for 1953..... 318 15

Marguerite M. Reagan—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southerly side of Wheatland avenue, numbered 100, between an estate of John J. O'Brien and another and an estate of Bernard J. Polit, and supposed to contain 4,000 feet, tax for 1953..... 247 45

Frederick W. Ward—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northerly side of Melville avenue, numbered 110, between an estate of Claire M. Logan and an estate of Bertha E. Colpoys, and supposed to contain 10,750 feet, tax for 1953..... 509 04

Rupert Weeks (supposed present owner Edwin F. and Audrey V. Randolph)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the easterly side of Norwell street, numbered 212, between an estate of John E. Bigwood, Jr., and an estate of Arthur McCann and another, and supposed to contain 3,187 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 32 50

WARD EIGHTEEN.

Roger J. and Nella W. Abizaid—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Cedrus avenue, numbered 22, making the easterly corner of Washington street, adjoining an estate of Luigi Crusco and another, and supposed to contain 8,931 feet, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 52,099, Book 256, page 99, tax for 1953..... $388 85

Anna M. Barry—About 32,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cummins Highway, being lot H, Henry C. Mildram plan, dated October 1, 1942, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 6020, tax for 1953..... 42 42

WARD EIGHTEEN

Also about 1,602,100 feet of land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Cummins Highway, numbered 445, being lot G, on H. C Mildram plan, dated October 1, 1942, and recorded with Suffolk Deeds at end of Book 6020, except that portion thereof shown as lot F on C. B. Humphrey plan, dated April 8, 1931, and filed in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, with certificate number 28917, tax for 1953 ..... 1,272 60

Also about 1,602,136 feet of land lying at the southwesterly end of Pleasantview street, being lot F, C. B. Humphrey plan, dated April 8, 1931, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 38995, Book 190, page 195, tax for 1953 ..... 707 00

Also about 101,235 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Bradlee street, making the easterly corner of High Rock street, bounded and described as follows: Southwesterly by Bradlee street; northwesterly by High Rock street; northeasterly by another estate of said Barry; southeasterly by an estate of Lucy Degnan; this estate is also shown as lots 130 to 137, inclusive, and lots 142, 143, and 144, on G. L. Richardson plan, dated February, 1870, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Plan Book 5, Plan 196, tax for 1953 ..... 106 05

Also about 100,522 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Bradlee street, making the easterly corner of Crane street and the northerly corner of High Rock street, being lots 117 to 129, inclusive, G. L. Richardson plan, dated February, 1870, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Plan Book 5, Plan 196, tax for 1953 ..... 106 05

William J. and Anna M. Barry—About 39,404 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chase street, making the easterly corner of Columbia street, being lots 65 to 76, inclusive, G. L. Richardson plan, dated May 1, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 706, page 572, tax for 1953 ..... 56 56

Also about 55,506 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Chase street, extending through in part to Cummins Highway, being lots 45 to 62, inclusive, G. L. Richardson plan, dated May 1, 1893, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 706, page 572, tax for 1953 ..... 70 70

Also about 82,075 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Jalleison street, making the junction of Chase street and the westerly corner of Cummins Highway, being lot A, Henry C. Mildram plan, dated October 1, 1942, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 6020, tax for 1953 ..... 56 56

Also about 97,640 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Jalleison street, making the southerly corner of Chase street, being lot B, Henry C. Mildram plan, dated October 1, 1942, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 6020, tax for 1953 ..... 70 70

Also about 41,747 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Columbia street, and making the southerly corner of Newhurn street, being lot E, Henry C. Mildram plan, dated October 1, 1942, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 6020, tax for 1953, 35 35

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1953 ..... 62 33

Fred C. Bigelow—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Arlington street, numbered 148, between an estate of Richard J. Gleason and another and an estate of Antonio Rullo and another, and supposed to contain 14,110 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 318 15

Water and costs for 1952 ..... 25 00

Boston Council, Inc., Boy Scouts of America—About 65,340 feet of land on the easterly side of Stony Brook Reservation, bounded and described as follows: Westerly by Stony Brook Reservation; northerly by another estate of said Boston Council, Inc., Boy Scouts of America; easterly by an estate of George B. Leon; and southerly by an estate of John E. Lacey, tax for 1953 ..... 35 35

Also about 21,240 feet of land on the easterly side of Stony Brook Reservation, bounded and described as follows: Northerly and easterly by estates of City of Boston; southerly by another estate of said Boston Council, Inc., Boy Scouts of America; and westerly by Stony Brook Reservation, tax for 1953 ..... 7 07

Bradley Construction Co., Inc. (reassessed from Albert S. and Sylvia W. Bigelow)—About 18,452 feet of land lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Lochland road (formerly Reservoir street), being lot 9, H. M. Fletcher plan, dated October 6, 1951, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 6777, page 485, tax for 1953 ..... 106 05

Brenci and DeSantis Co., Inc. (supposed present owner Albert Serino, Sheriff's Title)—About 7,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Grandview street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of Frank O. Holmes and another; southeasterly by Grandview street; southwesterly by another estate of said Brenci and DeSantis Co., Inc.; and northwesterly by two estates of Rosa Munchback, tax for 1953 ..... 21 21

Also about 7,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Grandview street, at end, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by another estate of Brenci and De Santis Co., Inc.; southeasterly by Grandview street; southwesterly by an estate of Louis R. Brenci and another; and northwesterly by two estates of Rose Munchback, tax for 1953 ..... 21 21

James A. and Edith B. Burns—Land, with buildings thereon, on the easterly side of Deforest street, numbered 69, making the northeasterly corner of Hallron street, adjoining an estate of Helen W. Dooley, and supposed to contain 5,216 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 13 00

Vincent Cacciagrani—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of River street, numbered 1295 to 1301, inclusive, extending through to Providence street, at railroad location, adjoining an estate of Simons Company, and supposed to contain 14,207 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 2,828 00

Ernest Capulli—About 7,316 feet of land on the westerly side of Newburn street, bounded and described as follows: Easterly by Newhurn street; southerly by an estate of Anna M. Barry; westerly by an estate of Leo J. Coveney, trustee; northerly by an estate of Liberato Cappuli, tax for 1953 ..... 21 21

Rose A. Carriere—About 8,325 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Poplar street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by an estate of Bruno Jamiol and another; southeasterly by Poplar street; southwesterly by another estate of said Carriere; northwesterly by an estate of William J. Johnston and another; northerly by an estate of City of Boston, tax for 1953 ..... 42 42

Also about 25,180 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Poplar street, making the northerly corner of Whitford street, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by estates of Rose A. Carriere and William J. Johnston and another; northeasterly by another estate of said Carriere; southeasterly by Poplar street; southwesterly by Whitford street, tax for 1953 ..... 169 68

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Whitford street, numbered 134, between another estate of said Carriere and an estate of William J. Johnston and another, and supposed to contain 8,300 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 395 92

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1953 ..... 17 40

Edward L. and Emma E. Cataldo—About 9,550 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Hilburn street, being lot 207, G. L. Richardson plan, dated June, 1870, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Plan 182, also shown on assessors' plans, volume 10, page 182, tax for 1953, 63 63

Eugene J. Ciardi—About 3,200 feet of land on the easterly side of Annafran street, being lots 548 and 549, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1953 ..... 14 14

John E. and Alice M. Connor—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Danbury road, numbered 18, between an estate of Ruben Weinberg and another and an estate of William D. McIntire and another, and supposed to contain 3,459 feet, tax for 1953, 289 87

Ira D. Cook—About 6,907 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Goff street, being lot 783, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated November 6, 1925, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 4730, tax for 1953 ..... 14 14

John M. Corcoran and William F. Downes—About 5,000 feet of land on the westerly side of Belnel road, being lot 35, H. M. Fletcher plan, dated March 28, 1942, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 54546, Book 268, page 186, tax for 1953 ..... 35 35

Also about 5,000 feet of land on the westerly side of Belnel road, being lot 36, H. M. Fletcher plan, dated March 28, 1942, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 54586, Book 268, page 186, tax for 1953 ..... 35 35

Charlotte A. Coullihan—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Dedham street, numbered 12, between an estate of Walter A. Radziewicz and another and an estate of City of Boston, and supposed to contain 5,000 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 77 77

Water and costs for 1952 ..... 9 00

Cranmore Construction Co., Inc.—About 4,168 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Halsey road, being lot 1, Walter R. Luby plan, dated October 6, 1951, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 55902, Book 275, page 102, tax for 1953 ..... 14 14

Also about 5,922 feet of land on the westerly side of Halsey road, being lot 2, Walter R. Luby plan, dated October 6, 1951, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 55902, Book 275, page 102, tax for 1953 ..... 21 21

Cranmore Construction Co., Inc. (supposed present owner Paul B. and Florence M. O'Neil)—About 5,220 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Van Brunt street, being lot 48, Walter R. Luby plan, dated October 6, 1951, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 56750, Book 279, page 150, tax for 1953 ..... 7 07

Attilio Daddario—About 7,064 feet of land on the westerly side of Agnes avenue, being lot 22, Robert B. Bellamy plan, dated October, 1920, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 4227, tax for 1953, 28 28

May O. Davlin—Land, with buildings thereon, on the westerly side of Hyde Park avenue, numbered 803 and 805, between an estate of Mary O. Dulinsky and an estate of George N. Gagnon and another, and supposed to contain 4,203 feet, being lot C, M. E. Levy plan, dated January 31, 1928, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4976, page 157, water and costs for 1952, 119 30

Stella DeMatteo—About 3,059 feet of land lying in the rear from the northerly side of Cummins Highway, being lot B, H. A. Sherman plan, dated September 29, 1945, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 29487, Book 143, page 87, tax for 1953 ..... 21 21

Annie Denker (supposed present owner Edith D. Pease)—About 4,828 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Goff street, being lot 778, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated November 6, 1925, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 4730, tax for 1953 ..... 14 14

WARD EIGHTEEN.

John J. and Mary E. Dewan—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Wellsmere road, numbered 64 and 66, making the northerly corner of Wellsmere terrace, adjoining an estate of Alfred L. Collins and another, and supposed to contain 4,500 feet, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 47721, Book 234, page 121, tax for 1953 ..... 296 94

Alessandro and Giovannina DiCarlo—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Neponset avenue, numbered 33, between an estate of Carmen Spinella and another estate of said DiCarlo, and supposed to contain 4,900 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 10 00

John J. Ellis—About 1,350,360 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Austin street, making the easterly corner of Marston street, extending through to and making the southerly corner of Dale street, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by Austin street; northeasterly by Dale street; southeasterly by estates of New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad and Boston & Providence Railroad Corporation; southwesterly by Marston street and an estate of Boston & Providence Railroad Corporation, tax for 1953 ..... 1,435 21

Fairmount Realty Corp.—About 6,338 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Fairmount avenue, at Neponset River, making the southerly corner of Fairmount court, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Fairmount avenue; southeasterly by Neponset River; southwesterly by an estate of Leather Manufacturing Corporation; and northwesterly by Fairmount court, tax for 1953 ..... 148 47

Joseph F. and Joanne M. Finn—About 10,821 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Neponset avenue, being lot 26, Clarence C. Norris plan, dated November 2, 1936, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 44157, Book 216, page 157, tax for 1953 ..... 63 63

Also about 1,481 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Williams avenue, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Williams avenue; southeasterly by an estate of Gerald F. Finn and another; southwesterly by an estate of Joseph F. Finn and another; northwesterly by an estate of John Vance and another, tax for 1953, 7 07

Livia M. Foley—About 6,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Milton avenue, being lot 2, Clarence G. Norris plan, dated May, 1928, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 5005, page 11, tax for 1953 ..... 28 28

Also about 6,600 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Summit street, being lot 3, Clarence G. Norris plan, dated May, 1928, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 5005, page 11, tax for 1953 ..... 28 28

Marianna Fuoco (reassessed)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 6, making the southerly corner of and numbered 85 Neponset avenue, adjoining an estate of Werner B. and Gertrude Caro, and supposed to contain 6,882 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 63 80

John J. and Katherine F. Glinos—About 4,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Faraday street, being lot 4, G. L. Richardson plan, dated August 10, 1927, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4936, page 461, tax for 1953 ..... 21 21

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1953 ..... 31 68

Joseph F. Godbout—About 4,580 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ethel street, being lot 2, Henry A. Sherman plan, dated May 29, 1950, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 6622, page 166, tax for 1953, 14 14

Also about 4,734 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ethel street, being lot 3, Henry A. Sherman plan, dated May 29, 1950, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 6622, page 166, tax for 1953 ..... 14 14

Also about 5,035 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ethel street, being lot 4, Henry A. Sherman plan, dated May 29, 1950, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 6622, page 166, tax for 1953 ..... 21 21

Also about 4,999 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Ethel street, being lot 5, Henry A. Sherman plan, dated May 29, 1950, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 6622, page 166, tax for 1953 ..... 21 21

Jack Grusby (reassessed from Jack Crusby) (supposed present owner D. C. Loveys Company) (Sheriff's Title, 7-20-53)—About 2,668 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lorna road, being lot 6, H. A. Millhouse plan, dated January 26, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3795, tax for 1953, 21 21

Also about 2,678 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lorna road, being lot 7, H. A. Millhouse plan, dated January 26, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3795, tax for 1953 ..... 21 21

Also about 2,963 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lorna road, being lot 8, H. A. Millhouse plan, dated January 26, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3795, tax for 1953 ..... 21 21

Elizabeth E. Haverty and Gertrude E. McKenna—Land, with buildings thereon, on the easterly side of Hyde Park avenue, numbered 1148, making the junction of Harvard avenue, adjoining an estate of James E. Powers and another and supposed to contain 2,996 feet, water and costs for 1952.....$17 50
Paid on account..... 10 00

Balance due..... 7 50

Shen Pai Hua and Lily Kv Chao Hua—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Beacon street, formerly numbered 121A (now changed by street numbering department to 119 Beacon street), between an estate of George P. Nichols and another and an estate of Charles S. Donovan and another, and supposed to contain 8,000 feet, tax for 1953...$353 50
Paid on account..... 194 97

Balance due..... 158 53

Richard R. Huffman—About 1,600 feet of land on the northerly side of Walnut street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Theresa M. Dolan; easterly by an estate of Hyde Park Ice Company, Inc.; southerly by Walnut street; and westerly by an estate of Dennis E. O'Grady and another, tax for 1953 ..... 35 35

Ideal Family Laundry, Inc. (supposed present owner Egan's Laundry and Cleaners, Inc.)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the westerly side of Hyde Park avenue, numbered 899, between another estate of said Ideal Family Laundry, Inc., and an estate of Mary F. Egidio, and supposed to contain 9,120 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 629 23

Also about 5,370 feet of land on the westerly side of Hyde Park avenue, being the remainder of lot 58 after the taking for the widening of Hyde Park avenue, G. L. Richardson plan, dated May, 1869, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Plan Book 5, page 168, tax for 1953 ..... 21 21

Also about 1,170 feet of land on the westerly side of Hyde Park avenue, bounded and described as follows: Easterly by Hyde Park avenue; northerly by another estate of said Ideal Family Laundry, Inc. (numbered 899); southerly and westerly by other estates of Ideal Family Laundry, Inc., tax for 1953 ..... 7 07

Also about 9,500 feet of land on the easterly side of Providence street, being lot B, A. A. Minichiello plan, dated July 2, 1949, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 6600, page 472, tax for 1953 ..... 14 14

Mary Johnson—About 3,051 feet of land on the westerly side of Pleasantview street, being lots 757 and 758, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1953 ..... 14 14

William Johnson—Land, with buildings thereon, on the westerly side of Pleasantview street, numbered 121, making the northwesterly corner of Roanoke road, adjoining an estate of Mary Johnson, and supposed to contain 3,055 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 35 35

Philip J. and Evelyn A. Jordan—Land, with buildings thereon, on the westerly side of Hyde Park avenue, numbered 827, between an estate of Frank Fucco and another and an estate of Margaret M. Modin, and supposed to contain 5,019 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 44 50

Alex and Anna Kazurny—About 4,720 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Dedham street, being lot 16, G. L. Richardson plan, dated January 25, 1887, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 607, page 640, tax for 1953 ..... 21 21

Katherine Kilbourne—About 4,275 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delhi street, being lot 15, John H. Rice plan, dated April 2, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2195, page 334, tax for 1953, 21 21

Also about 4,275 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Delhi street, being lot 14, John H. Rice plan, dated April 2, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2195, page 334, tax for 1953 ..... 21 21

Eli Kripke—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Mattapan street, numbered 52 and 54, between an estate of Abraham Greenfield and an estate of Celia Lagoon, and supposed to contain 5,000 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 66 50

Leather Manufacturing Corporation—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Fairmount court, at end, numbered 1, adjoining another estate of said Leather Manufacturing Corporation, and supposed to contain 19,737 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 1,555 40

Anthony L. and Joan Lombardi—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southerly side of Canterbury street, numbered 840 and 844, making the junction of Mt. Calvary road, adjoining an estate of Caroline Renzi, and supposed to contain 4,524 feet, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1953 ..... 17 20

Albert J. MacDonald—About 3,694 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cummins Highway, making the southerly corner of Seminole street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Cummins Highway; northwesterly by Seminole street; southwesterly by an estate of Lawrence V. Hemstreet and another; southeasterly by an estate of Albert J. MacDonald and another, tax for 1953 ..... 49 49

Albert J. and Barbara MacDonald—About 3,231 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cummins Highway, being the remainder of lots 240 and 241, after the taking for highway purposes, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1953 ..... 42 42

Albert J., Barbara, Albert P., and John MacDonald—About 6,657 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cummins Highway, making the southerly corner of Chase street, bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Cummins Highway; southeasterly and southwesterly by an estate of William J. Barry and another; northwesterly by Chase street, tax for 1953 ..... 21 21

Carlo and Pasquale Mannetta; Angelina Sacco; and Mary Formosi (supposed present owner Angelina Carosella)—About 10,350 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Canaan street, being lots 44, 310, 405, 456, 617, John N. McClintock plan, dated April 25, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3274, tax for 1953 ..... 21 21

Charles A. and Muriel L. McCarthy—About 5,500 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Glendower road, being lot 191, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated July 9, 1924, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 4586, tax for 1953 ..... 14 14

Also about 5,978 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Glendower road, being lot 194, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated July 9, 1924, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 4586, tax for 1953 ..... 14 14

WARD EIGHTEEN.

Also about 4,050 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Glendower road, being lot 198, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated July 9, 1924, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 4586, tax for 1953..... 14 14

Margaret E. McGrath—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Pond street, numbered 22, between an estate of City of Boston and an estate of Alfred A Ilryniewicz, and supposed to contain 8,000 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 19 00

Bessie McLeod—About 6,250 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Huntington avenue, being lot 70, Division 7 of section 6 of the Real Estate Building Company's land in Hyde Park, Plan 196, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, tax for 1953, 14 14

Also about 6,250 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Huntington avenue, being lot 72, Division 7 of section 6 of the Real Estate Building Company's land in Hyde Park, Plan 196, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, tax for 1953..... 14 14

Also about 6,250 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Huntington avenue, being lot 71, Division 7 of section 6 of the Real Estate Building Company's land in Hyde Park, Plan 196, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, tax for 1953..... 14 14

Also about 6,250 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Huntington avenue, being lot 68, Division 7 of section 6 of the Real Estate Building Company's land in Hyde Park, Plan 196, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, tax for 1953..... 14 14

Also about 6,250 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Huntington avenue, being lot 67, Division 7 of section 6 of the Real Estate Building Company's land in Hyde Park, Plan 196, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, tax for 1953..... 14 14

Also about 6,250 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Huntington avenue, being lot 66, Division 7 of section 6 of the Real Estate Building Company's land in Hyde Park, Plan 196, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, tax for 1953..... 14 14

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Huntington avenue, numbered 260, between another estate of said McLeod and an estate of City of Boston, and supposed to contain 6,250 feet, tax for 1953..... 190 89

Robert A. McPherson—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Truman Highway, numbered 9, making the westerly corner of Fairmount avenue, adjoining an estate of S & H Realty Corporation, and supposed to contain 4,769 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 7 00

William and Mary Metcalfe—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Poplar street, numbered 390, making the southerly corner of Grew avenue, extending through to and making the junction of Maynard street, adjoining an estate of Ann H. DeRoma, and supposed to contain 161,417 feet, tax for 1953..... 233 31

Charles P. and Eleanora Mikalonis (supposed present owner D. William Atkins)—About 3,200 feet of land on the westerly side of Wood avenue, being lots 485 and 486, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1953. 14 14

Also about 3,200 feet of land on the westerly side of Wood avenue, being lots 487 and 488, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1953..... 14 14

Also about 1,600 feet of land on the westerly side of Wood avenue, being lot 489, F. T. Westcott plan, dated June, 1912, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3640, tax for 1953..... 7 07

Joseph and Concetta Mirabile—About 3,429 feet of land on the southerly side of West Milton street, being lot 2, E. Worthington plan, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 931, page 346, tax for 1953..... 21 21

Also about 3,745 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Milton street, being lot 6, E. Worthington plan, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 931, page 346, tax for 1953..... 14 14

Also about 3,761 feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Milton street, being lot 7, E. Worthington plan, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Book 931, page 346, tax for 1953..... 14 14

John J. and Teresa M. Neelon—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Austin street, numbered 21, between an estate of Gertrude S. Brown and an estate of Harry K. Kristianson and another, and supposed to contain 5,675 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 25 00

Arnold K. Nielson and James P. Nolan—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northerly side of Mt. Calvary road, numbered 73, making the northeasterly corner of Gilman street, adjoining another estate of said Nielsen and another, and supposed to contain 6,005 feet, tax for 1953..... 113 12

Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1953..... 62 94

Also about 1,708 feet of land on the easterly side of Gilman street, being lot 86, E. A. W. Hammatt plan, dated May 4, 1889, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1873, tax for 1953..... 14 14

John J. and Frances G. O'Brien—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Oak street, numbered 39, between two estates of Thomas Bracken, and supposed to contain 10,734 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 20 50

George Pilavios (supposed present owner Florinda F. DeRoma, Jr., and Virginia M. DeRoma)—About 6,070 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Navarre street, making the northerly corner of Curley street, being lot C, W. C. Bates plan, dated April 1, 1903, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3041, page 172, tax for 1953..... 21 21

Estella M. Pinal—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southerly side of Greenwood avenue, numbered 60, between an estate of Michael J. Corcoran and another and an estate of Ursula M. Bober, and supposed to contain 8,400 feet, tax for 1953.....$282 80

Paid on account..... 141 40

Balance due..... 141 40

Waldo C. and Alice S. Quinn—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Lewiston street, numbered 79, between an estate of Louis Fortinallis and an estate of George C. Cole, Jr., and supposed to contain 5,000 feet, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1953..... 37 20

Orrin E. Reynolds—About 4,945 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Oak Hill avenue, being lot 47, John H. Rice plan, dated April 2, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2195, page 334, tax for 1953, 21 21

Marie A. Richardson—About 5,322 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Goff street, being lot 766, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated November 6, 1925, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 4730, tax for 1953..... 14 14

Frank Savel—About 5,086 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Ridlon road, making the southerly corner of Cummins Highway, being lot 173, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1953..... 35 35

John Schmidt—Land, with buildings thereon, on the easterly side of Gilman street, not numbered, between an estate of Thomas Cleary and an estate of Paul A. Sullivan and another, and supposed to contain 4,064 feet, being lots 48A and 49, E. A. W. Hammatt plan, dated May 4, 1889, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1873, tax for 1953.....$134 33

Paid on account..... 100 00

Balance due..... 34 33

Security Homes, Inc. (supposed present owner Thomas F. and Kathleen M. Bohan; and Frank S. and Mildred F. Hominsky)—About 11,740 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Truman Highway, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by Cranmore road; northeasterly by an estate of Wibert L. Myntti and another; southeasterly by town of Milton line; and southwesterly hy Truman Highway; this estate is now shown as lots 76 and 77 on Walter R. Luby plan, dated December 7, 1953, and recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 6923, pages 527 and 530, tax for 1953 ..... 42 42

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1953..... 46 41

Security Homes, Inc.—About 14,833 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, making the easterly corner of Van Brunt street, bounded and described as follows: Northwesterly by Washington street; northeasterly by sundry estates of City of Boston; southeasterly by an estate of Cranmore Construction Company, Inc.; and southwesterly by Van Brunt street, tax for 1953..... 21 21

Security Homes, Inc. (Set Off to Alfred F. and Veronica M. Hamel) (supposed present owner Alfred F. and Veronica M. Hamel)—About 11,650 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Wakefield avenue, making the easterly corner of Truman Highway, being lot 15, W. R. Luby plan, dated December 7, 1953, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 6928, page 445, tax for 1953..... 28 28

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1953..... 27 20

Isaac Sherman—About 2,613 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lorna road, being lot 2, H. A. Millhouse plan, dated January 26, 1914, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3795, tax for 1953, 14 14

Benjamin and Rebecca Siegel—Land, with buildings thereon, on the westerly side of Babson street, numbered 113 and 115, between an estate of Lillian Lessoff and an estate of Augustine M. Dinand and another, and supposed to contain 5,294 feet, tax for 1953..... 84 84

Grace and Rita G. Sorrenti—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Hillside street (now called Hillis road), numbered 22 and 24, making the easterly corner of Ellis street, adjoining an estate of Carl A. Nelson and another, and supposed to contain 4,693 feet, tax for 1953.....$169 68

Paid on account..... 132 00

Balance due..... 37 68

Ascenzo and Nancy Stracqualursi (supposed present owner Louis and Etta Goodman)—About 4,819 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Frazer street, adjoining another estate of said Stracqualursi and another, being lot 16, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated March 11, 1926; this estate is now the easterly part of lot 35, Alfred J. Hogan plan, dated October 26, 1954, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 58453, Book 288, page 53, tax for 1953..... 28 28

John J. Sweeney—About 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Harmon street, being lot 95, J. A. Latham plan, dated April, 1894, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2191, tax for 1953..... 21 21

Clifton H. and Ruth M. Thomas—Land, with buildings thereon, lying in the rear from the northeasterly side of Neponset Valley Parkway, numbered 2363, between an estate of Mabel F. Ide and an estate of Mattio J. Trocchio and another, and supposed to contain 10,000 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 9 00

Robert R. and Mable A. Turner—About 6,500 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Neponset avenue, making the northerly corner of Loring street, being lot A, Walter P. Steele plan, dated September 28, 1935, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 5560, page 51, tax for 1953..... 56 56

Walter J. Volk—About 4,207 feet of land on the southerly side of Eskridge street, being lot 25, R. B. Bellamy plan, dated March, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3890, tax for 1953..... 14 14

Nathan Warnick—About 11,310 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Brockton street, being lot 142, G. L. Richardson plan, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1463, tax for 1953.....$28 28

Paid on account..... 21 87

Balance due..... 6 41

WARDS EIGHTEEN AND NINETEEN.

James E. Watson—About 4,000 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Alabama street, being lots 17 and 18, F. T. Westcott plan, dated September, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3576, tax for 1953 ..... 7 07

Louis D. Weinstein—About 5,228 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Almont street, being lot 1, S. L. Leftovith plan, dated September 30, 1925, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 50535, Book 248, page 135, tax for 1953 ..... 35 35

Lester, Mark R., and Ralph Werman; and Inez Levenson—About 9,050 feet of land on the westerly side of Huntington avenue, making the northwesterly corner of Jefferson street, bounded and described as follows: Easterly by Huntington avenue; southwesterly by Jefferson street; northerly by an estate of City of Boston; northeasterly and northwesterly by an estate of William H. Benson and another, tax for 1953 ..... 42 42

Also about 16,725 feet of land on the westerly side of Huntington avenue, making the southwesterly corner of Jefferson street, bounded and described as follows: Easterly by Huntington avenue; northeasterly by Jefferson street; westerly by estates of John J. Murphy and another and Margaret M. Christian; southeasterly by an estate of Louis G. Cariste and another, tax for 1953 ..... 35 35

Christine Wright (supposed present owner Charles Wright)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Alabama street, numbered 208, between two estates of City of Boston, and supposed to contain 12,000 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 35 35

WARD NINETEEN.

Anna M. Barry—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Burroughs street, numbered 54, between an estate of Children's Museum of Boston and an estate of Henry F. Norris and another, and supposed to contain 21,425 feet, tax for 1953 ..... $1,060 50

Parker E. Blood—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Cummins Highway, numbered 17, making the westerly corner of Sumner avenue, adjoining an estate of Timothy Sullivan and another (numbered 9 Cummins Highway), and supposed to contain 7,422 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 296 94

Patrick Byrne—About 4,200 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Johnswood road, being lot 29, Whitman and Howard plan, dated January 2, 1908, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 14101, Book 66, page 101, tax for 1953 ..... 21 21

Olympia H. Carbone (supposed present owner Katherine A. Rogers)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Archdale road, numbered 51, between an estate of Henry L. Squillante and another and an estate of Gertrude V. Haggerty, and supposed to contain 3,520 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 7 00

Emerson Rug Co. Inc. (supposed present owner James A. and Edith J. Eisenberg)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Green street, numbered 47 and 49, between an estate of Patrick Connors and another and an estate of Edward H. Hackett and another, and supposed to contain 8,887 feet, tax for 1953 ..... $2,121 00
Paid on account 1,376 13

Balance due 744 87

John Fitzgerald (supposed present owner Margaret M. George)—About 1,041 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, being lot C, Everett M. Brooks Co. plan, dated May 9, 1950, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 6746, page 282, tax for 1953 ..... 70 70

Edmund W. Giblin; John P. Gately; and John H. O'Neil, Jr.—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southerly side of Louder's Lane, numbered 6, between an estate of Nathan K. Concannon and another and another estate of said Giblin, and supposed to contain 6,952 feet, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 54612, Book 269, page 12, tax for 1953 ..... 106 05

Eva S. Goldberg—Land, with buildings thereon, on the westerly side of Chestnut avenue, numbered 255, between an estate of Kathryn A. Namaksy, trustee for others, and an estate of Paul J. Normile and another, and supposed to contain 6,270 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 44 50

Lillian Golburgh (supposed present owner Lillian L. Golburgh, Trustee of the Phylsha Trust Realty)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Newbern street, numbered 28 and 30, between an estate of Matthew A. Golburgh and an estate of David Kaplan, and supposed to contain 4,045 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 54 50

Matthew A. Golburgh (supposed present owner Lillian L. Golburgh, Trustee of the Phylsha Trust Realty)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Newbern street, numbered 24 and 26, between an estate of Lillian Golburgh and an estate of John J. McCarthy and another, and supposed to contain 4,712 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 139 90

Thomas Grieve and John J. Gallivan, Jr.—About 1,846 feet of land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Boylston street, now or formerly numbered 98 to 104, inclusive, being lot B, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated September 19, 1938, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 5746, page 459, tax for 1953 ..... 311 08

Also about 2,963 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Boylston street, making the easterly corner of Lamartine street, being lot C, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated September 19, 1938, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 5746, page 459, tax for 1953 ..... 70 70

Home Realty and Finance Corp. (supposed present owners Lawrence J. and Rita F. Searcy)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the westerly side of Everett street, numbered 49, at the junction of Call street, between an estate of Charles J. Baxter and another and an estate of Victor A. Cardarelli, Sr., and supposed to contain 2,900 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 261 59

Raymond G. Laird—About 3,603 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Rockview street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by another estate of said Laird; easterly by Rockview street; southerly by two estates of Thomas J. Lynch and another and Nina L. Richardson; and westerly by two estates of Jeanne E. Cassis and Andrew V. Nasson and another, tax for 1953 ..... 49 49

Also about 4,694 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Rockview street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Robert D. Jacobs and another; easterly by Rockview street; southerly by another estate of said Laird; westerly by an estate of Andrew V. Nasson and another, tax for 1953 ..... 63 63

George F. and Margaret Leahy—Land, with buildings thereon, on the easterly side of Hyde Park avenue, numbered 260, between an estate of William G. Perdis and another and another estate of said Leahy and another, and supposed to contain 4,000 feet, tax for 1953 ..... $494 90
Paid on account 344 90

Balance due 150 00

Marie A. Miley—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Perkins street, numbered 60, between an estate of Elizabeth K. Hraba and another and an estate of Clara Blouin, and supposed to contain 9,619 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 565 60

John J. and Sadie L. O'Connor—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of South street, numbered 595, between an estate of James F. Garrity and another and an estate of John B. Blotto and another, and supposed to contain 3,202 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 9 00

Daniel F. and Ruth A. Shaughnessy—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Wenham street, numbered 77, between an estate of Nicholas Gibran and another and an estate of Herbert L. Schlimper and another, and supposed to contain 3,600 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 19 00

Theresa M. Toomey—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Halifax street, numbered 8 and 10, between an estate of Amelia J. Spataro and an estate of Albert Wittenauer, and supposed to contain 6,780 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 707 00

Theresa M., Ethel M., Francis L., and James J. Toomey—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Lamartine street, numbered 161, 163, and 165, making the westerly corner of Paul Gore street, adjoining an estate of Russell E. Blank, and supposed to contain 6,372 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 494 90
Water and costs for 1952 ..... 117 60

Beatrice H. Tremaine—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Southbourne road, numbered 82, between an estate of Ellen R. Scott and an estate of Charles F. Dodge and another, and supposed to contain 2,710 feet; this land is shown as lot 25 C, C. B. Humphrey plan, dated October 14, 1913, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12122, Book 56, page 122, tax for 1953 ..... 226 24
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1953 ..... 9 11
Water and costs for 1952 ..... 9 00

Nicolina Vitale—About 8,289 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Pond street, being lot 31, George C. Hallisey plan, dated August 19, 1946, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 6267, page 398, tax for 1953, 84 84

Margaret Willis—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Harrison street, numbered 7, between an estate of Florence G. Walsh and another and an estate of Joseph F. Ahearn, and supposed to contain 5,000 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 226 24

Henry and Elsie A. Woelber—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Parley Vale, numbered 11, making the northerly corner of Parley avenue, adjoining an estate of Frank M. Ewer, and supposed to contain 11,600 feet, being the lot shown on Bates and Chellman plan, dated April 30, 1925, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4922, page 348, tax for 1953, 282 80

WARD TWENTY.

John P. and Mildred V. Appleton—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Belgrade avenue, numbered 103, between an estate of Leo A. Donlon and another and an estate of Warren L. Flagg and another, and supposed to contain 5,000 feet, tax for 1953 ..... $318 15
Paid on account 282 80

Balance due $35 35

Annie M. Bagley—About 3,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Westmoor road, being lot 243, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1953 ..... 7 07

Also about 3,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Westmoor road, being lot 244, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1953 ..... 7 07

Dennis Bagley—About 3,044 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Westmoor road, at end, being lot 246, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1953 ..... 7 07

Also about 3,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Westmoor road, being lot 245, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1953 ..... 7 07

WARD TWENTY.

Also about 5,338 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Fensmere road, being lot 248, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1953..... 7 07

Also about 3,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Fensmere road, being lot 249, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated Janunry, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1953.... 7 07

Also about 3,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Fensmere road, being lot 250, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1953..... 7 07

Also about 4,000 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Fensmere road, making the westerly corner of Deldorf street, being lot 251, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1953..... 7 07

Also about 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Westmoor road, making the northerly corner of Deldorf street, being lot 241, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1953..... 7 07

Also about 3,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Westmoor road, being lot 242, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated January, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3509, tax for 1953, 7 07

Frank A. Berg—About 5,970 feet of land on the easterly side of Morrison street, being lot 135, C. H. W. Wood plan, dated September 1, 1896, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2425, page 433, tax for 1953, 7 07

Alfred G., Louise E., and George A. Bleyle—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of South street, numbered 977, making the westerly corner of Bradfield nvenue, adjoining an estnte of Owen F. Donovan nnd another, nnd supposed to contain 6,090 feet, tax for 1953.....$600 95
Pnid on nccount..... 130 00

Balance due..... 470 95

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of South street, numbered 979, between another estate of said Bleyle nnd nnother and an estate of F. Ellsworth Winchester and nnother, and supposed to contain 5,320 feet, tax for 1953.....$551 46
Paid on nccount..... 130 00

Balance due..... 421 46

Boston Catholic Cemetery Association—About 5,130 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Corey street, being lot 65, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, nt end of Book 2817, tax for 1953.. 35 35

Also about 4,270 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Furbush road, being lot 66, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1953, 7 07

William and Kathleen E. Boyd—About 3,736 feet of land on the easterly side of Washington Heights avenue, being lot 14, Frederick P. Hall plan, dated January, 1912, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 10593, Book 48, page 193, tax for 1953..... 7 07

Thomas P. Buckley (supposed present owner Ivar R. Carlson)—About 7,696 feet of land on the southensterly side of Prospect street, making the southerly corner of Moreland street, being lot 29, T. B. Moses plan, dated July 13, 1870, shown on assessors' plnns, volume 10, page 97; also on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1953.. 7 07

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1953..... 20 40

Also about 9,100 feet of land on the southerly side of Moreland street, being lot 30, T. B. Moses plan, dated July 13, 1870, shown on nssessors' plans, volume 10, page 97; also on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1953..... 7 07

Robert and Elizabeth Callander—About 4,777 feet of land on the northeasterly side of New Haven street, being lot 39, Hodges and George plan, dated May, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 20389, Book 97, page 189, tax for 1953..... 7 07

Albert A. and Philomena Cipollone—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Cottage avenue, numbered 136, between an estate of George Heaton and an estate of Anna T. Rock, and supposed to contain 60,167 feet, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1953..... 87 90

Congregation Beth Israel—About 1,490 feet of land on the westerly side of Centre street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by an estate of Shnri Jerusalem Cheora Shilun Association; easterly by Centre street; southwesterly by the Dedham line (triangular lot), water and costs for 1952..... 108 10

Anna J. Cunningham—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Haydn street, numbered 22, between an estate of Bernard Tiedeken and another and an estate of Francesco Cirone and another, and supposed to contain 4,000 feet, tax for 1953...$353 50
Paid on account..... 300 00

Balance due..... 53 50

Edward A. Daley, Jr., Trustee of Puritan Real Estate Trust—About 4,590 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Avalon road, being lot 48, W. C. Bates plan, dated October 1, 1897, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2478, tax for 1953..... 42 42

Also land, with buildings thereon, on the northensterly side of Avalon road, numbered 23, between an estate of Arthur J. Kirley and another and another estate of said Daley, trustee, and supposed to contain 4,620 feet, tax for 1953..... 367 64

Charles B. Doyle—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Schirmer road, numbered 9, between an estate of Albert W. Doolittle and another and an estate of Margaret Callahan, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 18961, Book 90, page 161, and supposed to contain 5,250 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 34 00

Hedwig J. Ekman—About 1,560 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Dana road, making the westerly corner of Maple road, being lot 14, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 241, tax for 1953..... 7 07

Also about 1,380 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Dana road, being lot 15, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 241, tax for 1953..... 7 07

Joseph J. Falcone—About 500 feet of land lying in the rear from the northwesterly side of Maxfield street, bounded and described as follows: Southeasterly by an estate of Frank V. Falcone and another; southwesterly by an estate of Mary M. Crampton and another; northwesterly by an estate of Eugene E. Reilly and another; and northeasterly by an estate of Joseph J. Falcone, tax for 1953.... 7 07

Gladys Farrell—About 10,706 feet of land on the southwesterly side of La Grange street, being lot C, George C. Hallisey plan, dated November 19, 1949, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 6531, page 162, tax for 1953..... 70 70

Lawrence Fitzgerald and Leo Hamburger, Trustees Under the Will of William H. McKenna—About 5,835 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Centre street, being the remainder of lot 28 after the taking for the widening of Centre street, Gnrbett and Wood plan, dated May 1, 1888, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 1819, tax for 1953..... 84 84

Sarah E. Flaherty (supposed present owner Ruth Mitchell)—About 4,954 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Vogel street, being lot 3, Hodges and George plan, dated May, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 56694, Book 279, page 94, tax for 1953..... 7 07

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1953..... 11 15

Forty Niners Building Association—About 4,921 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Park street, being lot B, John H. Burroughs plan, dated January 12, 1945, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 6137, page 101, tax for 1953..... 106 05

Also about 5,278 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Park street, being lot A, John H. Burroughs plan, dated January 12, 1945, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 6137, page 101, tax for 1953. 113 12

Louise M. Frederick—About 6,788 feet of land on the northerly side of Sparrow street, being lot 19, T. A. Finneran plan, dated July 2, 1940, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 50662, Book 249, page 62, apportionment of sewer assessment for 1953..... 31 02

Sylvie Gallant—About 4,502 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Cottage road, being lots 42, 43, and 44, F. A. Joyce plan, dated August, 1911, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3570, page 241, tax for 1953..... 7 07

Homer W. and Sophia T. Guillemette—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Moville street, numbered 49, between an estate of Randolph C. Gooding and another and an estate of United States of America, and supposed to contain 10,865 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 2 50

Walter A. and Lilly C. Gustafson (supposed present owner Georgette M. Lowe)—About 1,980 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Eastwood Circuit, being lot 176A, Warren M. Mirick plan, dated March 9, 1951, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 56566, Book 278, page 166, tax for 1953..... 7 07

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1953..... 6 42

Kathryn S. and Anna G. Hennessey—About 10,464 feet of land on the southerly side of Gardner street, making the southwesterly corner of Baker street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly by Gardner street; easterly by Baker street; southerly by an estate of Francis J. Weckesser and another; and westerly by an estate of said Hennessey, tax for 1953 .....$84 84
Paid on account..... 49 49

Balance due..... 35 35

Homer School of Greek, Inc.—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Walworth street, numbered 138, making the southerly corner of Averton street, extending to and making the easterly corner of Roslindale avenue and extending to and making the northerly corner of Walworth street, being a triangular lot, and supposed to contain 17,407 feet, tax for 1953..... 190 89

Margaret J. Hughes—About 4,357 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Riverview street, being lot 14, Hodges and George plan, dated May, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 47825, Book 235, page 25, tax for 1953.... 14 14

Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1953..... 12 25

Alice Jacobson—About 3,038 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Alta Crest, being lot 68, Robert C. Hunter plan, dated September, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3945, tax for 1953, 14 14

Marie C. Lynch—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Perham street, numbered 100, between an estate of Florence E. Smith and another and an estate of Frederick T. Lynch and another, and supposed to contain 6,375 feet, tax for 1953..... 282 80

Water and costs for 1952..... 9 00

Virginia M. Mara—About 4,000 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Brahms street, being lot 155, J. Edwin Jones plan, dated September 5, 1891, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 2018, page 497, tax for 1953..... 42 42

WARDS TWENTY AND TWENTY-ONE.

Angie Mayo—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Colberg avenue, numbered 141, making the northerly corner of West Roxbury Parkway, adjoining an estate of John A. O'Keefe and another, and supposed to contain 9,920 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 600 95

Matthew E. McGrain—About 11,500 feet of land on tbe northwesterly side of Larkhill street, being lot 61, T. B. Moses plan, dated June 1, 1874, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1224, page 293, tax for 1953 ..... 77 77

Francis G. and Alice G. Mearn—About 5,107 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Lasell street, being lot 3, Nathaniel Smith plan, dated August, 1893, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2157, tax for 1953 ..... 7 07

Najeeb N. Meshaka, Trustee Under Deed—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 5330 and 5340, between another estate of said Meshaka, trustee, and the Dedham line, and supposed to contain 18,446 feet, tax for 1953....$261 59
Paid on account..... 212 10

Balance due..... 49 49

Also about 4,487 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Washington street, making the southerly corner of Meshaka street, being lot 10, E. Worthington plan, dated January 11, 1924, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4545, page 353, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1953 ..... 58 12

Also about 4,262 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Meshaka street, being lot 5A, E. Worthington plan, dated January 11, 1924, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4545, page 353, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1953 ..... 58 29

Also about 5,959 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Meshaka street, at end, being lot 7, E. Worthington plan, dated January 11, 1924, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4545, page 353, apportionment of street construction assessment for 1953 ..... 80 96

Arthur P. Murray—About 11,010 feet of land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Centre street, adjoining an estate of Alice C. Gerard, being all of lots 34 and 34A, and the northeasterly parts of lots 36 and 36A, Rowland H. Barnes and Henry F. Beal plan, dated August, 1928, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 5057, page 28, tax for 1953 ..... 91 91

Louise G. Murray—About 1,281 feet of land on the easterly side of High road, being lot 30, Hodges and George plan, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, tax for 1953 ..... 7 07

Also about 1,264 feet of land on the easterly side of High road, being lot 29, Hodges and George plan, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3540, tax for 1953, 7 07

Mitchell G. and Aleck G. Nashawaty—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Washington street, numbered 5180, 5186, 5190, and 5192, making the easterly corner of Grove street, adjoining an estate of George Shalhoub, and supposed to contain 27,057 feet, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 43779, Book 214, page 179, tax for 1953.... 1,060 50

Roland I. Neustadt (supposed present owner William C. and Ethel M. Hardy)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Prospect street, numbered 80 (now numbered 139 Laurie avenue), between another estate of said Neustadt and an estate of Thomas P. Buckley, and supposed to contain 5.521 feet, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court. certificate number 56895, Book 280, page 95, tax for 1953..... 296 94

Mildred G. and Henry J. Nilan—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northerly side of Gardner street, numbered 67, between an estate of Charlotte E. Coleman and an estate of John O'Leary and another, and supposed to contain 3,732 feet, tax for 1953..... 268 66
Water and costs for 1952..... 9 00

Patrick H. Norton—About 6,271 feet of land on the westerly side of Salman street, being lot 9, Block K. Hodges and George plan, dated May, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 35055, Book 171, page 55, tax for 1953, 7 07

John V. and Rosetta Oblachinsky—About 4,537 feet of land on the southerly side of Crosstown avenue, being lot 4, Block M, Hodges and George plan, dated May, 1910, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 54320, Book 267, page 120, tax for 1953 ..... 7 07

Agnes J. Petrocelli—Land, with buildings thereon, on the easterly side of West Roxbury Parkway, numbered 719, between an estate of Lawrence J. Cross and another and an estate of Joseph F. Marcantonio and another, and supposed to contain 7,533 feet, tax for 1953 .....$636 30
Paid on account..... 530 25

Balance due..... 106 05

Louis Polito—About 5,375 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Cottage avenue, being lot 13, J. Edwin Jones plan, dated September 1, 1887, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 1792, page 292, tax for 1953 ..... 7 07
Apportionment of sewer assessment for 1953 ..... 29 30

Leon R. Poock—About 4,500 feet of land on the northerly side of Weld street, being lot 95, Ernest W. Branch plan, dated June 10, 1924, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4619, page 558, tax for 1953..... 63 63

Lucia M. Saiving—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Martin street, numbered 33, between an estate of Ernest A. price and another and an estate of Louise Rotti and another, and supposed to contain 5,500 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 332 29
Water and costs for 1952..... 2 50

Cyrus J. and Bertha J. Shamon—Land, with buildings thereon, on the westerly side of Farquhar street, numbered 18, between an estate of Laurence Kalil and others and an estate of Robert T. Fowler, Jr., and supposed to contain 5,000 feet, tax for 1953..... 388 85

Oscar A. and Florence M. Thayer—Land, with buildings thereon, lying in the rear from the southwesterly side of Bellevue street, not numbered, between an estate of Otto T. Gustin and another and an estate of Gertrude M. Cutter, and supposed to contain 1,352 feet, tax for 1953 ..... 70 70

Ole and Thora Tveekrem—About 3,871 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Northdale road, being lot 3, Hodges and George plan, dated March, 1911, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 45849, Book 225, page 49, tax for 1953 ..... 7 07
Apportionment of street construction assessment for 1953..... 33 87

WARD TWENTY-ONE.

Allston Congregational Church—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Quint avenue, numbered 31, between an estate of Grace K. Woodfine and another estate of said Allston Congregational Church, and supposed to contain 6,000 feet, tax for 1953, $106 05

Fred Arata—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Strathmore road, numbered 148, between an estate of Beatrice Barone and an estate of Julia Arata, and supposed to contain 8,000 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 32 50

Brainerd Auto Park Co. (supposed present owner Joseph G. and Nathan Mazur)—About 2,820 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Redford street, bounded and described as follows: Southwesterly by Redford street; southeasterly by another estate of said Brainerd Auto Park, Inc.; northwesterly by estates of Ferne Apartments, Inc., and Harry Visvis; northeasterly by an estate of Albert Zippin, tax for 1953 ..... 70 70

Also about 3,014 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Redford street, adjoining an estate of Fries, Inc., being lot 22, C. H. W. Wood Company plan, dated September 30, 1908, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3315, tax for 1953 ..... 77 77

Also about 9,577 feet of land on the southeasterly side of Brainerd road, adjoining an estate of David A. Ramler, trustees, being lot A, S. L. Leftovith plan, dated December 22, 1917, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 57624, Book 284, page 24, tax for 1953.... 176 75

Ruth Cimerblatt (supposed present owner Louis S. Koufman and Harry B. McCracken)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 957 and 961, between an estate of Mutual Association, Inc., and an estate of Gustin Realty Corporation, and supposed to contain 20,000 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 9 00
Fire pipe for 1952..... 22 00

Beatrice S. Driscoll—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Kilsyth terrace, numbered 5 and 7, between an estate of Abraham D. Grossman and an estate of George Gara and another, and supposed to contain 5,338 feet, tax for 1953..... 494 90

George H. Mollahan—About 4,937 feet of land on the westerly side of Kilmarnock street, bounded and described as follows: Easterly by Kilmarnock street; southerly and westerly by an estate of the Parish of Holy Trinity Russian Orthodox Greek Catholic Church in Boston; northerly by an estate of Chernus Realty Company, Inc., tax for 1953..... 346 43

Lena Orlandella, Trustee of 1746 Commonwealth Avenue Realty Trust—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Commonwealth avenue, numbered 1746, between an estate of Ida Katz and an estate of Bessie Koffman, and supnosed to contain 6,522 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 207 50

Pond Realty Corporation—Land, with buildings thereon, on the nortbeasterly side of Colborne road, numbered 35 and 37, making the northerly corner of Euston road, adjoining an estate of Philip Kastel and another, and supposed to contain 17,742 feet, being lots 53, 54, and 55, Whitman and Howard plan, dated May, 1915, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 3944, page 121, tax for 1953 .....$2,969 40
Paid on account..... 1,615 75

Balance due..... 1,353 65

Mario Sannella—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Wallingford road, numbered 77, making the northerly corner of Priscilla road, adjoining an estate of Rose Bornstein, and supposed to contain 5,282 feet, tax for 1953..... 296 94

Grace K. Woodfine—Land, with buildings thereon, on the westerly side of Quint avenue, numbered 23, between an estate of Frieda Sloane and an estate of Allston Congregational Church, and supposed to contain 7,374 feet, tax for 1953 .....$537 32
Paid on account..... 491 00

Balance due..... 46 32

WARD TWENTY-TWO.

Dina and Lillian Bronstein and Jennie Ashworth—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southerly side of Lane park, numbered 41 and 43, between an estate of Bessie Holenport and an estate of Julia M. Barry, and supposed to contain 5,285 feet, tax for 1953..... $643 37

George C., and Louise M. Christie and Giuseppe Butera—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southwesterly side of Foster street, numbered 79, between an estate of Michael and Annie Linehan, and an estate of Francis G. Casey and another, and supposed to contain 3,690 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 11 50

WARD TWENTY-TWO.

Gilbert H. Crane—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Leo M. Birmingham Parkway, numbered 32, 34, 38, and 40, making the easterly corner of and numbered 2 Lothrop street, ndjoining an estate of Catherine M. McKenna, and supposed to contain 4,000 feet, water and costs for 1952 ..... 132 90

John J. Devine—About 11,791 feet of land, with buildings thereon, on the southerly side of Tremont street, bounded and described ns follows: Northerly by Tremont street; easterly by an estate of Ray C. Johnson; southerly by an estnte of Patrick J. Gurley and another; westerly by an estate of Mary L. Walsh, tax for 1953..... 134 33

Edwnrd J. nnd Eva E. Digesse—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Frnnklin street, numbered 147 nnd 149, making the southerly corner of nnd numbered 22 and 24 Weitz street, ndjoining an estate of Mary R. Volante, and supposed to centain 5,600 feet, water nnd costs for 1952..... 84 50

Frnncis X. and Bridget Doherty (supposed present owner Cnrmine Fnrese *et al.*)—About 15,142 feet of land on the northerly side of Fnneuil street, ndjoining an estnte of Alexnnder Pinntedosi, being lot A, George C. Hnllisey plan, dated October 20, 1951, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 6807, page 73, tax for 1953..... 106 05

Margaret Egan—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Egan Way, numbered 11, between an estnte of Mary Sullivnn and nn estate of Lucy E. Kelliher, and supposed to contain 11,460 feet, tax for 1953..... 268 66

Delin Erwin—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of North Harvnrd street, numbered 132, between an estate of Alfred D. Gilbert and another and an estate of William H. Jenkins and another, nnd supposed to contain 3,200 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 49 00

Sarah Gold—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Aldie street, numbered 30, between nn estate of Edna B. Strachan and another and an estate of Kathryn H. O'Connor, and supposed to contnin 7,650 feet, tax for 1953.....$600 95
Paid on account..... 29 50

Balance due..... 571 45

Hubert S. Greenland—Land, with buildings thereon, on the easterly side of Parsons street, numbered 181, between nn estate of Mary V. McDonald nnd another and an estate of Loretta A. Connors, and supposed to contnin 11,164 feet, tax for 1953..... 176 75

Thomas F. and Margaret R. Hahesy (supposed present owner Jerry Iandoli, Sr., and Celin Iandoli)—About 2,500 feet of land on the westerly side of Grant place, bounded and described ns follows: Easterly by Grant place; southerly by nn estate of Michael J. Mornn; northerly by an estnte of James E. Foster; westerly by an estate of Western Avenue Corporation, tnx for 1953..... 7 07

Edwnrd J. and Theresa Jelley (supposed present owner Brigham's Inc.)—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Everett street, numbered 53, between an estate of Brigham's Inc., and an estnte of City of Boston, and supposed to contain 1,794 feet, tax for 1953..... 197 96

Elias Jones—About 3,750 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Gerrish street, being lot 55, shown on assessors' plans, volume 11, page 92, also on file with Suffolk Deeds, tax for 1953..... 7 07

Also about 3,750 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Gerrish street, being lot 54, shown on assessors' plnns, volume 11, page 92, also on file with Suffolk Deeds, tnx for 1953..... 7 07

Leo Kelley—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Hano street, numbered 10 and 12, between two estntes of Leo A. Perrier and another, nnd supposed to contain 1,524 feet, wnter and costs for 1952..... 11 50

Edward C. Madden, Jr.—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southerly side of Hooker street, numbered 47, between an estate of Edward Carlin and another and an estate of Helen L. Connell, and supposed to contain 1,840 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 19 00

Thomas F. and Catherine M. Maloney—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Gardena street, numbered 36 and 38, making the northerly corner of Glencoe street, adjoining an estate of Peter F. Kean and others, and supposed to contain 3,267 feet, water and costs for 1952..... 19 00

Thomas P. and Mary U. Noone—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southerly side of Bellamy street, numbered 56 and 58, between an estate of John J. Murray and another and an estate of Gerard E. Daly and another, and supposed to contain 6,582 feet, water nnd costs for 1952..... 22 00

Edward A. and Ellen B. O'Brien—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northwesterly side of Glencoe street, numbered 17, between an estate of Bessie Lipsky and an estate of John J. Donahue nnd another, nnd supposed to contain 2,295 feet, water nnd costs for 1952..... 9 00

Leonard F. Olsen (supposed present owner Thomas F. Sheridan *et al.*)—About 1,200 feet of land lying in the rear from the easterly side of Brackett street, bounded and described as follows: Northerly and easterly by an estate of Thomas F. Sheridan and another; easterly by an estate of Frank W. Harding and another; southerly by an estnte of Patriek F. McGrath nnd another, and westerly by an estate of John J. Brickley and another, tax for 1953..... 14 14

Antonio Polcaro—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of Stndium place, numbered 20, making the northerly corner of Smith street, adjoining nn estate of Augusta Thompson, and supposed to contain 3,417 feet, tax for 1953..... 226 24

John and Ellen Purcell—About 5,853 feet of land on the southerly side of Bellamy street, being lot 104, John N. McClintock plnn, dated October, 1913, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 3798, tax for 1953..... 35 35

Sirinco and Annie Soricello—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of North Harvard street, numbered 176, between an estate of Marjorie T. Redgate nnd nn estnte of Mary L. Kelly, and supposed to contain 13,915 feet, tax for 1953.....$622 16
Paid on account..... 500 00

Balance due..... 122 16

J. L. Steeves, Inc.—Land, with buildings thereon, on the northeasterly side of North Beacon street, numbered 121, making the easterly corner of Hichborn street and extending through to Herrick street, adjoining an estnte of Americnn lee Company, and supposed to contnin 20,300 feet, tnx for 1953..... 933 24

Anna R. Woolf, Trustee of Gary Realty Trust—Land, with buildings thereon, on the westerly side of Montfern avenue, numbered 8, 10, 12, and 14, between nn estate of George S. Costopoulos and another and nn estate of Anthony DeSouzn, nnd supposed to contain 7,760 feet, water nnd costs for 1952..... 10 00

Phoebe J. Youngson—Land, with buildings thereon, on the southeasterly side of Franklin street, numbered 73, between an estate of Sylvia M. Dunn and an estate of Anthony Masabny, and supposed to contain 2,597 feet, registered in the Suffolk Registry District of Land Court, certificate number 12911, Book 60, page 111, water and costs for 1952..... 6 50

JAMES E. GILDEA,
Collector-Treasurer of the City of Boston.

WIDENING OF ALBANY STREET.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the widening and construction of Albany street, Boston Proper, on the northwesterly side, between Randolph street and Union Park street, bounded and described as follows:

The highway named Albany street is hereby widened on the northwesterly side, between Randolph street and Union Park street, and ordered constructed.

For the making of the aforesaid improvement an easement for street purposes is hereby taken in the following described land, exclusive of trees, shrubs or structures standing upon or affixed thereto:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Metropolitan Transit Authority, bounded:

Southerly by the northerly line of Albany street as it existed prior to this order, thirty-four and 34-100 feet; southeasterly by the northwesterly line of Albany street as it existed prior to this order, thirty-four and 34-100 feet; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Albany street as widened under this order, sixty-seven and 40-100 feet on a curve of 142.61 feet radius; containing ninety-one square feet, more or less.

Trees, shrubs or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforedescribed land, shall be removed therefrom within thirty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Said Albany street as hereby widened is bounded:

Southerly by the northerly line of Albany street as it existed prior to this order, thirty-four and 34-100 feet; southeasterly by the northwesterly line of Albany street as it existed prior to this order, thirty-four and 34-100 feet; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Albany street as hereby widened, sixty-seven and 40-100 feet on a curve of 142.61 feet radius.

No betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Voted, That this commission determines that the undermentioned persons sustain damages in their estate by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the widening and construction of Albany street, Boston Proper, on the northwesterly side, between Randolph street and Union Park street, under the order of this commission of July 20, 1955, in the amount hereinafter mentioned, and awards said amount therefor.

Metropolitan Transit Authority, 91 square feet, $1.

CONSULATES IN ARREARS ON TAXES.

New York City reports that 12 foreign countries are in arrears a total of $416,985 in real estate taxes on 27 properties, most of them bought within the last 15 years as consulates and headquarters for United Nations delegations.

Nearly all of the defaulting governments claim the right to city realty tax exemption under treaties and international doctrines, but the city has refused to waive its claims. Total assessed valuation is $5,324,000, with $720,000 exempt from tax. Finland, the Netherlands, and Israel have kept their real estate accounts paid up to date.

Registered Voters (Men and Women), City Election, November 3, 1953.

WARDS.	PRECINCTS.																					Totals.
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	
1	2,063	1,994	1,811	1,934	1,818	1,923	2,018	1,843	1,699	2,042	2,097	1,548	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	22,790
2	1,549	1,428	1,722	1,758	1,671	1,607	746	827	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11,308
3	1,611	1,652	1,625	1,649	1,412	1,618	1,368	1,490	1,510	1,185	1,437	1,489	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18,046
4	1,549	1,607	1,083	1,352	1,877	1,565	1,552	1,670	1,568	1,149	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14,972
5	1,763	1,094	1,664	1,256	1,787	2,007	2,280	1,648	1,650	1,273	1,231	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17,653
6	1,769	1,612	1,496	1,485	1,442	1,481	1,560	1,464	1,523	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13,832
7	1,590	1,725	1,677	1,671	1,645	1,844	1,747	1,569	1,609	1,739	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16,816
8	1,311	1,776	1,056	1,379	1,464	968	1,593	1,614	946	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12,107
9	1,358	1,649	1,508	1,794	956	1,089	1,075	521	1,293	964	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12,207
10	1,571	1,577	1,625	1,526	1,547	1,652	1,154	1,591	1,789	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14,032
11	809	728	741	712	828	940	1,143	971	957	887	1,136	847	709	1,121	691	789	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14,009
12	820	716	837	909	787	860	1,016	851	886	1,029	938	999	987	938	951	1,004	949	1,096	854	.....	.....	.....	17,427
13	778	857	1,069	979	1,060	906	793	923	682	748	771	686	926	888	948	1,027	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14,041
14	1,347	1,156	1,091	1,174	1,155	961	939	1,157	1,283	1,140	1,149	1,242	1,331	1,255	1,072	1,040	1,436	1,359	1,234	1,479	997	.....	24,997
15	1,043	976	983	897	856	902	889	900	955	951	938	1,012	818	799	959	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	13,878
16	947	1,195	931	878	1,020	1,005	929	930	826	873	939	971	1,077	893	929	967	887	896	918	819	.....	.....	18,830
17	807	806	736	938	835	780	941	1,043	986	812	1,035	1,067	1,037	983	1,142	960	856	807	927	1,050	.....	.....	18,578
18	1,916	1,164	1,352	930	1,105	1,269	996	1,244	1,692	1,027	1,505	1,343	941	940	1,149	1,087	2,020	1,164	1,113	1,247	1,162	.....	26,369
19	1,053	983	888	1,090	1,140	960	943	953	798	871	1,136	1,102	1,024	792	934	1,331	1,028	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17,026
20	978	908	813	912	948	1,588	819	906	971	1,182	937	981	1,004	1,121	1,228	1,494	1,439	991	1,192	1,390	1,055	907	23,794
21	1,548	1,223	1,203	963	931	1,220	1,390	1,436	987	737	2,447	1,449	1,360	1,565	1,358	1,054	1,007	1,441	.....	.....	.....	.....	23,319
22	826	940	890	869	1,074	945	906	911	1,451	1,265	1,065	981	990	1,049	980	1,184	1,507	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17,833
Grand Total																							383,864

Number of Persons Registered Who Voted, City Election, November 3, 1953.

WARDS.	PRECINCTS.																					Totals.
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	
1	870	840	790	768	702	826	676	690	662	957	849	840	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9,470
2	626	664	774	798	740	639	378	388	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,007
3	835	942	926	866	519	629	575	610	593	444	518	608	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8,065
4	562	544	377	376	729	618	594	561	513	376	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,250
5	669	443	756	452	923	803	896	667	613	440	434	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,096
6	763	751	759	572	697	671	708	722	908	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,551
7	970	784	733	825	813	918	838	687	798	763	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8,129
8	557	712	408	688	673	430	728	769	415	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,380
9	543	588	483	573	323	333	396	193	482	337	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,251
10	789	789	819	603	788	645	373	608	850	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,264
11	319	314	282	262	267	371	502	422	402	354	488	436	310	468	299	369	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,865
12	326	271	320	337	263	263	321	327	335	320	309	332	410	429	375	498	415	446	326	.....	.....	.....	6,623
13	370	433	513	410	498	418	383	424	388	455	412	370	505	502	490	626	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,197
14	602	490	529	598	503	457	418	629	705	664	565	579	651	657	480	585	790	739	526	779	490	.....	12,436
15	489	418	428	447	387	476	498	400	441	415	436	422	370	422	433	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,482
16	427	575	495	520	541	431	487	470	368	510	519	527	475	492	424	515	467	506	493	452	.....	.....	9,694
17	410	354	344	369	407	405	459	439	450	436	523	490	391	423	550	462	448	420	491	535	.....	.....	8,806
18	904	460	623	422	434	519	492	540	677	504	637	561	341	319	481	460	971	401	345	653	540	.....	11,287
19	439	511	521	442	530	359	428	555	406	357	603	534	553	394	450	636	649	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8,367
20	459	399	409	418	445	898	461	430	455	587	549	542	491	658	476	547	712	490	642	605	546	413	11,632
21	439	407	480	354	295	439	489	288	365	311	721	500	376	492	493	420	481	440	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,790
22	312	344	319	344	415	442	441	440	534	507	493	489	541	442	444	595	749	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,851
Grand Total																							169,493

Proportion of Persons Registered Who Voted, 44.15 Per Cent

STREET REPAIRS.

The Public Improvement Commission has voted as follows:

That this commission, having passed the order of notice relating to the public improvement, hereinafter described, and having caused a copy of said order to be published June 10, 11, 13, 14, 1955, in the Boston *Herald* and Boston *American*, two daily newspapers published in the City of Boston, and having given the public hearing, notice of which was given in said order, and being of the opinion that public necessity and convenience require, does hereby order that specific repairs be made in Albany street, Roxbury district, between Massachusetts avenue and Hampden street, consisting of the reduction in width of the existing sidewalks, the removal of three (3) existing traffic islands, and the installation of five (5) new traffic divisional islands, as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Southampton Street, Albany Street, Northampton Street, Roxbury, July 13, 1955, George G. Hyland, Commissioner of Public Works," and on file in the office of said department.

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That this commission, having passed the order of notice relating to the public improvement, hereinafter described, and having caused a copy of said order to be published May 6, 7, 9, 10, 1955, in the Boston *Globe* and Boston *Post*, two daily newspapers published in the City of Boston, and having given the public hearing, notice of which was given in said order, and being of the opinion that public necessity and convenience require, does hereby order that specific repairs be made in North street, Boston Proper district, consisting of the reduction in width of the southerly sidewalk, and the installation of a traffic divisional island at the intersection of Dock square, as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Dock Square, Boston Proper, June 20, 1955, George G. Hyland, Commissioner of Public Works," and on file in the office of said department.

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That this commission, having passed the order of notice relating to the public improvement, hereinafter described, and having caused a copy of said order to be published May 6, 7, 9, 10, 1955, in the Boston *Globe* and the Boston *Post*, two daily newspapers published in the City of Boston, and having given the public hearing, notice of which was given in said order, and being of the opinion that public necessity and convenience require, does hereby order that specific repairs be made in City square, Charlestown district, at the northeasterly corner of Park street, consisting of increasing the existing curb radius, as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, City Square, Charlestown, June 20, 1955, George G. Hyland, Commissioner of Public Works," and on file in the office of said department.

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AUGUST 9, 1955, ON THE PREMISES.

	Upset Price.	Deposit.
9.30 A.M. Vacant land, 172 Bowen Street, South Boston, 1,018 square feet	$150	$150
9.45 A.M. Vacant land, Columbia Avenue, easterly side, adjacent 11 Columbia Avenue, Dorchester, 8,600 square feet	600	500
10.00 A.M. Vacant land, Fox Point Road, rear from northerly side, rear of 235 Savin Hill Avenue), Dorchester, 7,800 square feet	300	300
10.15 A.M. Vacant land, Iola Street, Lot 16-A, adjacent 9 Iola Street, Dorchester, 2,022 square feet	200	200
10.30 A.M. Vacant land, Colorado Street, Lots 7 and 8, opposite 35 Colorado Street, Dorchester, 7,940 square feet	400	400
10.45 A.M. Vacant land, Pleasantview Street, Lots 690 and 691 and Lots 692 and 693, 100 feet from Cummins Highway, West Roxbury and Hyde Park, 6,400 square feet	400	400
11.00 A.M. Vacant land, 1 3-5 Newark Street, Roxbury, 3,519 square feet	350	350
11.15 A.M.-Clifton Street, northeasterly side and Clifton Street, corner Shirley Street and Lots 5, 6, 7, 8, Roxbury, 7,867 square feet	1,200	500
11.30 A.M.-Vacant land, Camden Place, southwesterly side (3 parcels), and Lots 20 and 21 and 15-16-18 Camden Place, Boston, 8,905 square feet	1,750	500

The Chairman reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

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(July 30.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

SEWERAGE WORKS.

Proposals for Sewerage Works in Corman Road, Dorchester, and in Lorna Road and Lena Terrace, Dorchester.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Corman road, etc. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Corman Road, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 10, 1955, with a certified check for NINE HUNDRED (900) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(July 30.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS TO EXHAUST SYSTEMS OF FUME HOODS IN THORNDIKE BUILDING, BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL.

The City of Boston, by the Board of Trustees, Hospital Department, and of the Boston City Hospital, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for alterations and additions to exhaust systems of fume hoods in Thorndike Building, Boston City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until two o'clock P.M., Wednesday, August 10, 1955, at the office of the Superintendent, Boston City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, and enclosed in an envelope, sealed, and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $100, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

Specifications may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of the Boston City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston, Mass., on and after Monday, August 1, 1955.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any and all bids if it be in the public interest so to do.

The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all bids in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, AND BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL,
RICHARD J. CONDON,
(July 30.) *President.*

published May 6, 7, 9, 10, 1955, in the Boston *Globe* and Boston *Post*, two daily newspapers published in the City of Boston, and having given the public hearing, notice of which was given in said order, and being of the opinion that public necessity and convenience require, does hereby order that specific repairs be made in Beacon street, Roxbury, consisting of the reduction in width of the existing sidewalk in the northerly side from Commonwealth avenue approximately 100 feet easterly, as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Commonwealth Avenue, Brookline Avenue, Beacon Street, Roxbury, July 13, 1955, George G. Hyland, Commissioner of Public Works," and on file in the office of said department.

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That in accordance with the provisions of chapter 117 of the Acts of 1947, permission is hereby granted to Stony Brook Village Corporation, 235 Turtle Pond Parkway, Hyde Park, to prepare for public travel, Perry court, Hyde Park district, from Dietz road approximately 178 feet easterly, provided that the construction of said Perry court shall be in accordance with the City of Boston plans and specifications for the construction of private ways for public travel as shown on a plan titled "Standard Construction Plan of Private Ways Open for Public Travel, October 28, 1954, George G. Hyland, Commissioner of Public Works," and in accordance with the lines and grade shown on a plan dated March 25, 1955, by Arnold E. Schaier, Civil Engineer, filed in the Survey Division of the Public Works Department, City of Boston.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway resurfacing, estimated to be thirty (30) days, parking of vehicles is prohibited in the following street, when and where official signs are in place, effective July 25, 1955:

Massachusetts Avenue, Boston Proper and Roxbury.
Both sides, from Columbus avenue to St. Stephen street.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of sidewalk construction, estimated to be thirty (30) days, parking of vehicles is prohibited in the following street, when and where official signs are in place, effective July 21, 1955:

Beacon Street, Boston Proper.
South side, from Berkeley street to Exeter street.

TUNNEL TRAFFIC IN MAY.

In the month of May, 1954, 1,031,226 vehicles used the Sumner Tunnel. This is the first time in the history of the tunnel that in excess of 1,000,000 vehicles used the facility in any one month.

In May of 1953, 979,920 vehicles went through the tunnel, or 51,306 less than May of this year.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

SEWERAGE WORKS.

Proposals for Sewerage Works in Back Street, Between Exeter Street and Embankment Road, City Proper.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Back street, etc. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Back Street, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of TUESDAY, AUGUST 9, 1955, with a certified check for FIFTEEN HUNDRED (1,500) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(July 30.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

BOSTON HOUSING AUTHORITY.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR INSTALLATION OF COUNTER TOPS, RIVER STREET.

The City of Boston, acting by and through the Boston Housing Authority, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 372 of the Acts of 1946, as amended, will receive sealed bids for the installation of counter tops in the kitchens of certain houses located in the River Street Development, Mattapan, Dorchester district, City of Boston, Mass., until one (1) o'clock P.M., Eastern Daylight Time, August 9, 1955, at the office of the Boston Housing Authority, Room 302, 230 Congress street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place all bids will be publicly opened and read aloud. Proposals must be made in quadruplicate, one (1) sealed proposal without bid security to be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Installation of Counter Tops in Kitchens of Certain Houses in the River Street Development."

A bid deposit in the form of cash or certified check on a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of five (5) per centum of the value of the proposed work shall be submitted with the proposal filed with the Boston Housing Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked. No bid shall be withdrawn for a period of thirty (30) days subsequent to the opening of bids without the consent of the city.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to carpenters, mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority, and each in the sum of 100 per centum of the contract price will be required of the successful general contractor.

The city reserves the right to reject any or all proposals and to waive any informalities either in bidding or in the proposals, and reserves the right to award the contract as it deems for its best interests.

CITY OF BOSTON, ACTING BY AND THROUGH THE BOSTON HOUSING AUTHORITY,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
(July 30.) *Chairman.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR REPAIRING BOILER AND INCINERATOR MASONRY IN THE VARIOUS SCHOOLS, BOSTON, MASS.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for repairing boiler and incinerator masonry in the various schools, Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Monday, August 8, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed and enclosed in an envelope, sealed, and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $1,000, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do, in accordance with sections 44A to 44E, inclusive of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

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REPORT OF WILLIAM F. CARR, MEMBER, SCHOOL COMMITTEE, ON ATTENDANCE AT CONVENTION OF MASSACHUSETTS ASSOCIATION OF SCHOOL COMMITTEES, IN SWAMPSCOTT, MAY 12, 13, AND 14, 1955.

The following is the report of William F. Carr, member, Boston School Committee, on his attendance at annual convention of Massachusetts Association of School Committees, at Swampscott, May 12-14, inclusive:

On Saturday, May 14, 1955, Dr. Marsden of the State Civil Defense agency discussed the schools and evacuation. He stressed the fact that more powerful weapons and the ability of the potential enemy to deliver such weapons to targets in the United States make the old idea of "shelter" an inadequate answer to adequate defense. Newer equipment in our hands will also allow an increasing period of warning before an attack becomes imminent. Consequently, evacuation which has been tested and found to work is best for our urban populations.

It has been apparent from the early consideration of evacuation planning

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PAVING OF CAMBRIDGE AND OTHER WARDS 3 AND 5 STREETS PLANNED BY COMMISSIONER HYLAND, WITH APPROVAL OF MAYOR HYNES—WORK ESTIMATED TO COST ABOUT $58,000—RUFO CONSTRUCTION COMPANY WINS CONTRACT.

Pavement work is planned by George G. Hyland, Public Works Commissioner, for Cambridge and adjacent streets in Wards 3 and 5. Bids have been submitted and the contract awarded, with the approval of Mayor Hynes, to Rufo Construction Company at $57,127.95. There were seven bidders for the job. The letter to Mayor Hynes, requesting approval of the contract, reads as follows:

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, August 1, 1955.

To the Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR:

Your approval is respectfully requested to the award of a contract for bituminous concrete pavement in Cambridge street, Wards 3 and 5; Charles street,

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VETERANS' BENEFITS COST MORE IN MAY, 1955, THAN FOR THE SAME MONTH IN PREVIOUS YEAR — COMMISSIONER VICTOR C. BYNOE MAKES REPORT TO MAYOR JOHN B. HYNES — COST REACHED $18,741.78 MORE — 1,638 CASES WERE AIDED WITH 3,150 INDIVIDUALS BENEFITED — 221 CASES CLOSED OUT.

Veterans' benefits for May of 1955 cost $18,741.78 more than for the same period in 1954, according to the monthly report of the commissioner, Victor C. Bynoe, in a report presented to Mayor John B. Hynes. There were 1,638 cases aided during the month of May, representing a total of 3,150 individuals.

There were 221 cases closed out because of obtaining employment, unemployment compensation, social security, etc. The complete report reads as follows:

BOSTON, July 25, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

SIR:

I have the honor to submit the report of the Veterans' Services Department for the month of May, 1955.

Very truly yours,

VICTOR C. BYNOE, *Commissioner.*

Expenditures for May, 1955.

	Civil War	Spanish War	Mexican War	World War I	World War II	Korean War	Totals
Regular Rolls	$190 40	$1,584 20	$347 00	$24,273 23	$51,206 37	$4,323 00	$81,924 20
Emergency	—	—	—	797 50	5,898 50	1,300 00	7,996 00
Bills	80	725 39	—	5,164 49	8,944 31	150 11	14,985 10
Burials	—	—	—	521 80	465 60	32 00	1,019 40
Hospital	—	—	—	9,827 00	18,645 00	2,391 00	30,863 00
Supplementary	—	—	—	1,081 69	3,598 29	182 00	4,861 98
Totals	$191 20	$2,309 59	$347 00	$41,665 71	$88,758 07	$8,378 11	$141,649 68

Relief Expenditures Comparison.

	May, 1955	April, 1955	May, 1954
Civil War	$190 40	$192 20	$197 20
Spanish	1,584 20	1,994 20	1,938 03
Mexican	347 00	371 00	287 00
World War I	24,273 23	26,887 48	22,771 83
World War II	51,206 37	62,535 03	44,272 88
Korean	4,323 00	4,992 00	2,196 20
Emergency	7,996 00	7,887 50	5,972 50
Burials	1,019 40	1,059 23	589 60
Bills	14,985 10	14,623 17	12,053 69
Hospital	30,863 00	35,014 00	26,790 00
Supplementary	4,861 98	4,905 36	5,836 97
Totals	$141,649 68	$160,461 17	$122,907 90

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"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean;
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, August 29, at 2 P.M.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries, or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the Complaints Division, Room 25, City Hall.

Information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways, the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments of streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped area for streets and the opening of private ways; the making of specific repairs in public streets; the naming of public streets, including the use of public ways for location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railways, coal holes, and vaults, may be secured from the Public Improvement Commission, Room 403, City Hall Annex.

To the Boston Traffic Commission, 112 Southampton street, for information relative to regulation of vehicular street traffic on all or any streets, ways, highways, roads, and parkways under the control of the City of Boston, the issuing of all permits in connection therewith.

To the Commissioner of Public Works, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting, and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of Sumner Tunnel, the maintenance of bridges and draw-bridges, and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

To the Health Department, Haymarket Square, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish, and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughterhouses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases, of public health nuisances.

To the Board of Park Commissioners, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth Avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park, and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts, also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview, and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

To the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

To the Department of School Buildings, 28 Norman street, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

To the Board of Examiners, Room 907, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal, or tearing down buildings.

To the Electrical Inspection Division of the Building Department, 1001 City Hall Annex, for all information relative to the erection of poles, building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division; also for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings of the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

To the Board of Zoning Adjustment, 43 City Hall, relative to changes in the boundary lines of zoning districts of the City of Boston as established by chapter 488 of the Acts of 1924, and amendments thereto.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending July 30, 1955.

Population as of July, 1950, Massachusetts State Census, 871,713; population estimated July, 1954, United States Census Bureau, 813,696; number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 120; nonresidents, 67; total, 187.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 12.11; nonresidents deducted, 7.25.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:

Last week, 15.25; corresponding week last year, 12.16.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 8; one year to four years, inclusive, 5; sixty years and over, 121. Total deaths: Male, 103; female, 84; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 151.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

Diseases.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended July 30, 1955.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended July 31, 1954.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior Poliomyelitis	105	5	—	—
Diphtheria	—	—	—	—
Encephalitis Lethargica	—	—	—	—
Influenza	—	—	—	—
Measles	4	—	48	—
Meningitis Epidemic	—	—	1	1
Pneumonia (lobar)	—	—	—	—
Scarlet Fever	1	—	2	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary)	—	—	44	3
Childhood Type Tuberculosis	—	—	—	—
Tuberculosis (other forms)	—	—	3	—
Typhoid Fever	—	—	1	—
Whooping Cough	6	—	14	—

*Residents and nonresidents included.

MONTHLY REPORT OF VETERANS' SERVICES SHOWS INCREASE OVER SAME PERIOD IN 1954.

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Total Cases Aided.

	May, 1955	April, 1955	May, 1954
Civil War	4	5	5
Spanish	52	55	62
Mexican	5	5	4
World War I	575	569	538
World War II	907	959	794
Korean	95	86	56
Totals	1,638	1,679	1,459

Expenditures for veterans' benefits for May, 1955, show an increase of $18,741.78 in comparison with expenditures for the corresponding period of 1954.

The 1,638 cases aided during the month of May, 1955, represent a total of 3,150 individuals benefited through the financial facilities of the Veterans' Services Department.

There were 221 cases closed during the month of May, 1955, because of obtaining employment, having been awarded unemployment compensation, receiving social security, and becoming ineligible to receive financial assistance for miscellaneous other reasons.

Classification of Cases Aided During May, 1955.

	Civil War	Spanish War	Mexican War	World War I	World War II	Korean War
Unemployable veterans	0	2	1	233	255	31
Employable veterans	0	0	0	55	196	37
Wives	0	0	0	2	10	3
Widows	3	50	4	259	45	0
Children	1	0	0	6	26	0
Mothers	0	0	0	18	332	22
Fathers	0	0	0	2	43	2
	4	52	5	575	907	95

ORIGINAL APPLICATIONS.

Brought forward	37
Made during May	123
Granted	93
Rejected	49
Referred to other cities and towns	8
Investigations not completed	10

REAPPLICATIONS.

Brought forward	220
Made during May	176
Granted	113
Rejected	51
Referred to other cities and towns	0
Investigations not completed	232

During the month of May, 1955, the department collected $508 which represents refunds by former beneficiaries who were found to have drawn aid under circumstances which warranted its return to the City of Boston.

Very truly yours,
VICTOR C. BYNOE, *Commissioner.*

MAYOR APPROVES PLAN FOR PAVING STREETS IN WARDS 3 AND 5.

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Ward 5; Grove street, Ward 5; Mt. Vernon street, Ward 5; Walnut street, Ward 5; and such additional locations, if any, in Wards 3 and 5, as may be designated by the Commissioner of Public Works, to the Rufo Construction Company, 1 Allen road, Brighton, the lowest bidder, at an estimated cost of $57,127.95.

The work to be done under this contract is to be completed December 31, 1955.

The following bids were received July 28, 1955, after advertising in the *City Record*, July 9, 1955:

Rufo Construction Company, $57,127.95; John J. Amara & Sons, $59,877.60; Charles Todesca, $62,100; Faletra Brothers, Inc., $64,534; S. J. Tomasello Corporation, $65,065; Baker & Co., Inc., $65,556; John McCourt Company, $66,145.25.

Respectfully,
GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

REPORT OF WILLIAM F. CARR, MEMBER OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE ON ATTENDANCE AT CONVENTION.

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that evacuation of school children would constitute a major problem in local organization for war emergency. The problem varies in different parts of Massachusetts. In evacuation zones the problem is to get sufficient vehicles to schools quickly enough to transport children to the communities to which their parents will be assigned. In neutral zones adjacent to evacuation zones the recommended policy is to get the children home as quickly as possible, following the Yellow Alert signal. In neutral zones not adjacent to evacuation zones the "go home" movement would follow normal procedures, but provisions must be made for such movement at any time during the school day. This may require some extra transportation arrangements.

Dr. Marsden stressed that the local civil defense director and local school authorities are responsible for planning the evacuation of schools. Because local conditions vary the state agency has not made definite regulations on this important matter.

In some communities it has been felt that high school students could join the general evacuation movement of the population. In many cases the older high school students are being made part of the local civil defense organization in such capacities as telephone operators, clerks, messengers, first-aid assistants, etc. This group has the merit of normally being within their own municipality, whereas, many adult civil defense volunteers work in other communities.

It has been stated as a policy decision that schools and hospitals have "first call" upon any large transportation units in any evacuation zone community. There are usually some automobiles at every school, and in many communities

parents living near to the school are prepared to drive to the school and assist in its evacuation. In addition, some communities have provided that municipal vehicles shall report to the schools. Provisions have also been made for business and industrial vehicles to do the same thing.

It was also pointed out that alternate civil defense responsibilities for all school personnel should be developed in the event that an alert came at a time when school was not in session.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM F. CARR,
Member, Boston School Committee.

RETIREMENT BOARD REPORT.

To the Auditor.

At meetings of the Retirement Board, held on July 15 and July 27, respectively, the retirement from active service of the following-named employees was approved to become effective at the close of business, July 31, 1955, under the provisions of chapter 658 of the Acts of 1945:

FINANCE COMMISSION.

Edward F. Mullen, former chairman.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

John F. Good, hoseman.
James J. Horgan, lieutenant.
John K. Hayes, engineer.
Joseph J. Falcone, hoseman.
Frank L. Loring, hoseman.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Mary K. O'Brien, nurse.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Gertrude C. Alsterlund, principal clerk.
Kathryn I. Crean, head nurse.
Harry Maxwell, house worker.
Frederick A. McKeon, kitchen worker.
Jennie B. Cauley, nurse.
Mary E. Tolan, head nurse.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

Margaret R. Doherty, laundry worker.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Matthew J. Gately, gardener-laborer.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

James L. Fay, patrolman.
Lawrence F. Frye, patrolman.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Lawrence Baranowski, laborer.

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT.

Mildred T. Barron, assistant.
Sylvia E. Donegan, head of department.
Gerald E. Murray, custodian.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.
COURT HOUSE.

Laura M. Dugan, cleaner.

Attest:

GEORGE E. WILLARD,
Assistant Executive Officer.

SEWERAGE WORKS IN WEST ROXBURY.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that sewerage works be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within thirty (30) days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly West Roxbury and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as New Haven street, bounded:

Northerly by an existing easement dated August 9, 1916, and by another portion of the private way known as New Haven street, ten feet; easterly by another portion of the private way known as New Haven street, two hundred seventeen and 90-100 feet; southerly by another portion of the private way known as New Haven street, ten feet; and westerly by an existing easement dated July 28, 1921, two hundred seventeen and 90-100 feet; containing two thousand one hundred seventy-nine square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: 230 linear feet of 30-inch diameter pipe surface drain at an estimated cost of $3,000.

No betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of an easement for sewerage purposes and the construction of sewerage works in New Haven street, West Roxbury district, under the order of the commission of July 27, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

Owners unknown (New Haven street), 2,179 square feet, nothing.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

PHYSICIAN (GENERAL), BOSTON VETERANS' SERVICES DEPARTMENT. SEPTEMBER 10, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, August 22, 1955.

Salary: $94 a week.

Vacancies: At present there is one vacancy for a male, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: To examine and treat war veterans referred by the Boston Veterans' Services Department; to submit reports of the results of physical examination, secure medical evidence from the Veterans' Administration when necessary, and advise the department on matters pertaining to medical problems in connection with the investigation of applicants for veterans' benefits; and to perform related work as required.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

Certification Requirement: Registration as a physician under the Massachusetts Board of Registration in Medicine.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following personnel changes:

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Egbert R. Murphy, 43 Bradwood street, Roslindale, fire captain, has been retired at $3,746.67 a year.

Frank J. Galvin, 25 Oakley street, Dorchester, fire fighter, has been retired at $2,773.37 a year.

Thomas B. Maguire, 37 Farmington road, West Roxbury, fire captain, has been retired at $3,746.67 a year.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.
Main Division.

For the week ending July 19:

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Esther Bandlow, 5 Reddy avenue, Hyde Park, 2 days; Priscilla Beckwith, 686 Massachusetts avenue, 6 days; Helen Connors, 83 Glen road, Jamaica Plain, 2 days; Ruby Childs, 270 Huntington avenue, 6 days; Gertrude Clark, 13 Rosa street, Hyde Park, Marcelyn Curry, 64 Rosseter street, Dorchester, 3 days; Jean Darraugh, 568 East Sixth street, South Boston, Yolander Evans, 126 Waverly street, Everett, 2 days; Anna Ferrara, 53 Blue Hill avenue, Milton, 6 days; Mildred Filaroska, 69 Park Drive, 5 days; Christine Finn, 23 Commonwealth avenue, 2 days; Mary Fraser, 99 Norway street, 5 days; Dolores Flanagan, 4 Buick street, Watertown, 1 day; Stelia Graham, 43 Mercier avenue, Dorchester, 4 days; Charlotte Kelleher, 48 Waverly street, Roxbury, 2 days; Veronica Lombard, 8 Doris street, Dorchester, 5 days; Anne Lynskey, 52 Telsa street, Medford, 3 days; Loretta Lynch, 270 Huntington avenue, 2 days; Rita McCallum, 162 Bowdoin street, Dorchester, 3 days; Claire McCue, 74 Robinwood road, Dedham, Catherine McGuinness, 14 Alsen road, Dorchester, 2 days; Blanche McDonough, 3 days; Marilyn McCuistion, 120 Dartmouth street, 2 days; Marguerite Mackesey, 79 First street, Medford, 3 days; Mary R. Mahan, 29 Kempton street, 6 days; Mary Murphy, 37 Hampden Circle, Wollaston, Audrey Mailhot, 30 Walton street, Dorchester, 3 days; Angelina Mullaney, 1235 Trapelo road, Waltham, 1 day; Patricia Marzilli, 39 Potomac street, West Roxbury, 3 days; Mary O'Heir, 2 days; Dora Picarsky, 31 Edison Green, Dorchester, 3 days; Ethel Rahaim, 665 Massachusetts avenue, 1 day; Romaine Riley, 171 Humboldt avenue, Roxbury, 3 days; Bernice Smith, 105 Walnut avenue, Roxbury, Mabel Smith, 87 Bartlett road, Winthrop, 2 days; Verna Snow, 75 Damon avenue, Melrose, 1 day; Helen Spillane, 499 Park street, Stoughton, 6 days; Margaret M. Sullivan, 28 Weymouth street, Holbrook, Florence Sullivan, 3 days; Takaka Salvi, 123 Harvard street, Cambridge, 1 day; Kathryn Welch, 49 East Springfield street, 5 days; Patricia Camirand, 49 Falmouth street, East Boston, Veronica McElligott, 34 Dickinson street, Somerville, 1 day.

The following weekly nurses have been appointed:

Permanent.—Marie Perez, 48 Garnet road, West Roxbury, floor nurse, $51 a week; Carolyn Rutherford, 17 Field street, Cambridge, floor nurse, $65.50 a week.

Temporary.—Patricia A. Ash, 1 Winchester street, Brookline, Nora Bennett,

589 California street, Newton, Helen Clifford, 59 Sagamore street, Dorchester, floor nurses, $60.50 a week; Yolanda E. Evans, 126 Waverly street, Everett, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour; Margaret Fullerton, 108 Westville street, Dorchester, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Eileen Garrity, 91 Charles street, East Weymouth, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour; Madeline Mahoney, 1 Fletcher street, Roslindale, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Veronica McElligott, 34 Dickinson street, Somerville, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour; Josephine Trippe, 80 Orleans street, East Boston, floor nurse, $60.50 a week.

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—Rever Pate, 54 Northfield street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $45.50 a week; Henry G. Matthews, 7 Woodrow Wilson court, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; William Betts, 5 Buswell street, Charles McAvay, 20 Maryland street, Dorchester, hospital kitchen workers, $43 a week; Donald B. Darling, 1832 Taylor street, Washington, D.C., senior assistant resident, Radiology, $162 a month; Andreas A. Marcotty, 159 Waterman street, Providence, Rhode Island, chief resident, Neurology, $202 a month, Cecilia Doherty, 57 Moreland street, Roxbury, clerk-typist, $50.50 a week; Mary A. Murphy, 29 Josephine street, Dorchester, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Marjorie Kearney, 26 Fairview street, Anne E. O'Neill, 4 Clarence terrace, Malden, floor nurses, $63 a week; Jane MacKenzie, 168 Newbury street, floor nurse, $65.50 a week.

Temporary.—Frederick W. Ramsay, 7 Howard street, Charlestown, James E. Brodbeck, 285 Dudley street, Roxbury, Priscilla A. Church, 11 Larkhill road, West Roxbury, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; Robert E. Cahalane, 124 Coleridge street, East Boston, hospital house worker, $43 a week; Richard Lewis, 8 Woodville park, hospital laundry worker, $43 a week; Robert J. Donoghue, 3 Bearse avenue, Dorchester, ambulance medical aid, $53 a week; Mary J. Bergeron, 180 Marlborough street, laboratory assistant, $45.50 a week; Margaret Canny, 415 Old Colony avenue, South Boston, Agnes Coppenrath, 131 Aanawan avenue, West Roxbury, clerk-typists, $35.50 a week.

The following doctor has been appointed:

Urbano Mendoza, resident, Pediatrics, $162 a month.

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For the week ending July 26:

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—Thomas J. McNicholas, 69 Freeport street, Dorchester, Joseph R. Garrity, 16 Fifield street, Dorchester, hospital medical workers, $50.50 a week; Gertrude C. Alsterlund, 36 Fairmount street, Dorchester, principal clerk, $80 a week; Mary Galloucis, 83 Callender street, Dorchester, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour; Agnes Campbell, 44 Lyndhurst street, Dorchester, head nurse, $70.50 a week; Mary O'Heir, 19 Revere street, Aline Finnerty, 9 John's court, floor nurses, $60.50 a week; Margaret Morrell, 274 Brookline avenue, floor nurse, $1.60 an hour.

Temporary.—Franklin A. Hanauer, 166 Seaver street, Roxbury, Mary A. Lafferty, 19 Cranmore road, Hyde Park, John

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING AUGUST 2.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
A. Garfield	32 Ash street	3	New appliances	$30
P. Gulesian	26 Austin street	18	New appliances	40
P. Gulesian	168 Austin street	18	New appliances	200
S. Pyror	48 Baldwin street	2	New appliances	250
F. Avery	22 Burr street	19	New appliances	50
W. Connell	15 and 17 Caddy road	18	New appliances	60
N. Deutsch	66 Chappie street	2	New appliances	175
N. Deutsch	149 Chelsea street	2	New appliances	75
B. Bishop	9 Delle avenue	10	New appliances	40
G. Gold	15 Derry road	18	New appliances	40
G. Gold	18 Derry road	18	New appliances	40
S. Sliman	40 Fairmount street	14	New appliances	35
.....	2 Fernboro road	14	New appliances	45
F. Odenweller	251 Gold street	7	New appliances	70
W. Connell	200 High street	2	New appliances	200
P. Gulesian	46 Highland street	18	New appliances	200
W. Hogan	65 Hillside avenue	10	New appliances	25
N. Deutsch	75 Horace street	1	New appliances	50
F. Farrar	159 Huntington avenue	4	New appliances	15
J. Thomas	742 Hyde Park avenue	18	New appliances	35
W. Connell	11 Iowa street	16	New appliances	200
F. Odenweller	106 L street	6	New appliances	75
Parenello	283 Main street	2	New appliances	75
S. Statley	16 Mather street	16	New appliances	10
N. Deutsch	269 Meridian street	1	New appliances	35
N. Deutsch	49 Monument square	2	New appliances	75
Mehagan	85 Peterborough street	5	New appliances	700
P. Gulesian	198 Sherwin street	18	New appliances	200
F. Avery	59 Walk Hill street	19	New appliances	5,000
G. Speirs	363 Washington street	22	New appliances	50
W. Hogan	3389 Washington street	11	New appliances	50
J. Vogel	164 West Springfield street	9	New appliances	18
P. Gulesian	15 Woodledge street	18	New appliances	125
W. Connell	17 Wollaston terrace	14	New appliances	90
D. Greenwood	1 Bond street	3	New appliances	50
A. Ardini	85 Canal street	3	New appliances	35
L. Luxton	378 Centre street	16	New appliances	30
.....	1999 Commonwealth avenue	22	New appliances	39
L. Luxton	53 Dix street	16	New appliances	75
N. Clark	39 Dunreath street	12	New appliances	300
N. Clark	564 East Third street	6	New appliances	30
N. Clark	644 East Third street	6	New appliances	400
S. Prayor	14 Franklin street	2	New appliances	30
S. Statley	45 Glide street	16	New appliances	25
W. Chase	34 Greenwich street	15	New appliances	30
F. Foster	62 Hamilton street	18	New appliances	65
N. Clark	31 Hammond street	9	New appliances	400
Passaccui	34 Hendry street	15	New appliances	25
N. Clark	19 Highland avenue	9	New appliances	25
Carrabello	96 Hudson street	3	New appliances	30
G. Gold	3 Johnston park	12	New appliances	40
F. Odenweller	52 O street	7	New appliances	216
M. Leiterstein	133 Peterborough street	5	New appliances	36
L. Luxton	7 Rockland street	12	New appliances	15
F. Odenweller	58 Telegraph street	7	New appliances	40
N. Clark	43 Waumbeck street	12	New appliances	30
N. Clark	273 West Fifth street	7	New appliances	50
G. Trethewey	77 Westover street	20	New appliances	75
G. Trethewey	35 Whitten street	16	New appliances	60
L. Luxton	12 Windsor street	9	New appliances	50
N. Clark	17 Wollaston terrace	14	New appliances	40
A. Omenio	94 Arlington street	18	New appliances	25
W. Long	120 Boylston street	5	New appliances	30
E. Hart	Causeway street	3	New appliances	40
W. Connell	1884 Centre street	20	New appliances	200
A. Mehagan	70 Charter street	3	New appliances	200
W. Chase	42 Corey street	20	New appliances	523
W. Chesman	144 Corey street	20	New appliances	400
L. Fishman	88 Dale street	18	New appliances	30
O. Weider	33 Edwin street	16	New appliances	30
H. Silman	49 Elm street	2	New appliances	40
H. Silman	72 Elm street	2	New appliances	50
O. Weider	96 Groveland street	17	New appliances	30
D. Greenwood	269 Heath street	19	New appliances	8
W. Reid	46 Hereford street	5	New appliances	150
R. Cook	152 Huntington avenue	4	New appliances	125
O. Weider	15 Jones avenue	14	New appliances	75
R. Simon	1 Kemble place	6	New appliances	22
W. Guild	8 Keswick street	21	New appliances	46
L. Visco	133 Neptune road	1	New appliances	45
G. Gould	22 Ottawa street	12	New appliances	15
A. Omenio	15 Sheafe street	2	New appliances	65
A. Omenio	32 Windermere road	13	New appliances	25
R. Simon	795 East Third street	6	New appliances	46
R. Simon	588 West Third street	6	New appliances	40
A. Milligan	76 Baker street	20	New appliances	100
N. Deutsch	797 Columbia road	7	New appliances	175
J. Vogel	214 Commonwealth avenue	5	New appliances	13
P. Gulesian	39 Como road	18	New appliances	400
P. Gulesian	43 Dana avenue	18	New appliances	200
D. Spiers	70 Dent street	20	New appliances	600
C. O'Connor	16 Essex street	2	New appliances	45
N. Deutsch	33 Everett street	1	New appliances	50
J. Fleming	103 Francis street	4	New appliances	75
A. Milligan	3 Gould street	20	New appliances	100
A. Milligan	7 Gould street	20	New appliances	100
N. Deutsch	12 Henry street	1	New appliances	75
P. Werner	77 Jamaica street	11	New appliances	100
F. Carr	25 Leverett street	3	New appliances	15
N. Deutsch	240 Leyden street	1	New appliances	185
F. Goldberg	248 Magnolia street	13	New appliances	150
P. Gioiosa	174 Maverick street	1	New appliances	75
W. Roche	75 North Beacon street	22	New appliances	100
B. Szathmary	Park Drive	21	New appliances	50

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING AUGUST 2 —Concluded.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
A. Granara.	56 Prince street	3	New appliances	$40
S. Landau.	12 Priscilla road.	21	New appliances	18
P. Gulesian	122 Readville street.	18	New appliances	200
A. Milligan.	81 Russett road.	20	New appliances	100
R. Ebba	254 Saratoga street	1	New appliances	25
J. Vogel	32 Sharon street.	8	New appliances	14
P. Gulesian	77 Sunnyside street.	18	New appliances	200
N. Deutsch	223 Trenton street.	1	New appliances	35
A. Kellem.	229 West Fifth street	6	New appliances	65
P. Gulesian	27 Wingate road	18	New appliances	200
J. Monahan	19 Antwerp street	22	New appliances	12
P. Russo.	77 Arlington street	18	New appliances	160
J. Monahan	9 Boulevard street.	21	New appliances	24
A. Gardella	285 Cabot street	9	New applinnces	20
S. Slavine.	249 Corey road.	21	New appliances	100
P. Gulesian	108 Dana avenue.	18	New appliances	200
S. Slavine.	321 Dartmouth street	5	New appliances	12
B. Zeiff	59 Dracut street.	16	New appliances	100
J. Bunesh.	285 E street	6	New appliances	35
J. Monahan	89 Easton street.	22	New appliances	12
J. Monahan	24 Everett street	22	New appliances	150
J. Monahan	89 Franklin street	22	New appliances	35
J. Bunesh.	172 H street	7	New appliances	43
A. Halsband.	85A Harrison avenue	3	New appliances	100
W. Foster.	96 Homes avenue.	15	New appliances	30
N. Clark.	27 Mallon road.	14	New appliances	300
J. Corcoran	210 Norfolk street	17	New appliances	175
J. Monahan	213 North Harvard street.	22	New appliances	30

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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W. Marcou, 135B West Canton street, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; Margaret M. Burge, 235 Eustis street, Roxbury, hospital house worker, $43 a week; John F. Ford, 8 Vinton street, South Boston, ambulance medical aid, $53 a week; Austin J. O'Malley, 93 Mt. Ida road, Dorchester, second-class engineer, $73 a week; Patrick H. Duffy, 38 Adams street, Roxbury, clerk, $43 a week; Veronica McElligott, 34 Dickinson street, Somerville, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour; Ruth Cox, 45 Draper street, South Medford, floor nurse, $1.70 an hour.

The following weekly nurses have been appointed:

Permanent.—Patricia McDonald, 8 Whittemore street, Arlington, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Elizabeth Barton, 52 Edson street, Dorchester, floor nurse, $45 a week.

Temporary.—Marguerite Mackesey, 79 First street, Medford, Mary C. Mahoney, 45 Alabama street, Mattapan, floor nurses, $60.50 a week.

The following doctors have been appointed:

Robert S. Hackett, Eugene M. Koval, interns, Oral Surgery, $92 a month; Raymond A. Weitzel, assistant resident, Pathology, $112 a month; Per Jacob Helliesen, senior assistant resident, Pediatrics, $132 a month; Galo A. Constante, Kuang Shim Kim, Cesar A. Remon, residents, Anesthesia, $162 a month; Charles W. Parton, resident, Surgical I, $162 a month; Albert S Norris, chief resident, Psychiatry, $202 a month.

Long Island Division.

The following changes have been made for the week ending July 20:

Terminations.—William A. Munroe, assistant chef, temporary; Marguerite C. Cochran, clerk-typist; Patrick C. Flaherty, carpenter's helper, emergency; Frank J. Sheehan, painter's helper, provisional; Thomas J. Reis, plumber's helper, emergency; Walter F. Cashman, attendant nurse; James N. Latford, attendant nurse, Vacation Supply; John E. Radigan, attendant nurse.

Leave of Absence.—George Robison, steamfitter's helper.

Appointments.

Health Department.

George Matheson, 9 Dent street, West Roxbury, media man, $45.50 a week.

Doris P. McKeon, 47 McLean street, public health nurse, $63 a week.

Penal Institutions Department.

House of Correction.

William J. Hayes, 15 Shannon street, Brighton, clerk, $43 a week.

Ignatius J. O'Connor, Jr., 165 Temple street, West Roxbury, correction officer, $63 a week.

Treasury Department.

Anne T. Kinsella, 16 Sackville street, Charlestown, clerk and typist, $53 a week.

Mary S. Ward, 226 Calumet street, Roxbury, clerk and typist, $53 a week.

Margaret R. Fitzwilliam, 96 Brooks street, Brighton, clerk and typist, $50.50 a week.

Welfare Department.

Central Office.

Adaline C. Kelly, 94 H street, South Boston, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Louis Arcadipane, 1 Unity street, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Madeline Doyle, 199 Summer street, Somerville, statistical machine operator (key punch), $45.50 a week.

Rose Swartz, 90 Brainerd road, Allston, statistical machine operator (key punch), $45.50 a week.

Margaret F. Patten, 119 Armandine street, Dorchester, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Marie J. Roach, 101 Maverick street, East Boston, clerk and typist, $50.50 a week.

Appointments or Reinstatements.

Administrative Services Department.

Personnel Division.

Geraldine M. Bryan, 86 Rowe street, Roslindale, clerk, $50.50 a week.

Printing Section.

Grace Y. Butler, 49 Edgerly road, monotype keyboard operator, $96.25 a week.

Ralph L. Lyden, 82 Bragdon street, Roxbury, monotype keyboard operator, $96.25 a week.

Purchasing Division.

Anthony P. Landolfi, 62 Auburn street, clerk-typist, $48 a week.

Hospital Department.

Main Division.

Wilhemina Burden, 97 Intervale street, Roxbury, dietitian, $76.50 a week.

Josephine Kerr, 15 Elm Hill park, Dorchester, laboratory assistant, $45.50 a week.

Sally Adler, 74 East Newton street, laboratory assistant, $45.50 a week.

Lucille Sherman, 622 Beacon street, electroencephalographic technician, $63 a week.

Florence Eichorn, 278 South street, Jamaica Plain, pharmacist, $68 a week.

Edward C. Foley, 696 Washington street, Brighton, clerk, $43 a week.

Frances DeLuca, 14 Kittredge street, Roslindale, laboratory assistant, $45.50 a week.

Winifred Norton, 78 Newburg street, Roslindale, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Charles J. Doherty, 62 Wyman street, Jamaica Plain, clerk, $43 a week.

Phyllis Scipione, 9 Copley street, Roxbury, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Eleanor Pelky, 32 Bataan court, Roxbury, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Mary Ahern, 11 Cliffmont street, Roslindale, clerk and typist, part time, $35.50 a week.

Rosamond Zusman, 24 Calder street, Dorchester, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Sybil Falk, 57 Favre street, Mattapan, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Mary Simmons, 11 Brandon avenue, Dorchester, telephone operator, $55.50 a week.

Catherine Griffin, 53 Russett road, West Roxbury, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Mary McDonald, 568 Centre street, Jamaica Plain, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

James Donahue, 249 River street, Mattapan, patient male nurse, part time, $1 an hour.

Leroy Johnson, 249 River street, Mattapan, patient male nurse, part time, $1 an hour.

Joseph Wernig, 1457 Columbus avenue, Roxbury, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

Jennie Provenzano, 599 and 601 East Fifth street, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Mary T. Desmond, 136 Bowdoin street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Barbara L. Flaherty, 4 Park place, Jamaica Plain, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Florence O'Brien, 8 Linden street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Frances Dooley, 17 Worcester square, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Anne T. McElroy, 277 Minot street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Frank Donahue, 249 River street, Mattapan, patient male nurse, part time, $1 an hour.

George Alley, 249 River street, Mattapan, patient male nurse, part time, $1 an hour.

Long Island Division.

Brian E. Concannon, 1675 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Robert H. Henck, 21 West Elm avenue, Wollaston, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Walter J. Baronowski, D.M.D., 294 Highland street, Roxbury, dentist, $18.43 a day.

Ralph D. Robertson, M.D., 107 Avenue Louis Pasteur, intern, $25 a week.

Charlotte M. Ayers, 109 Sonoma road, Squantum, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Dixianna L. Murray, 2 Racine court, Roxbury, licensed practical nurse, $55.50 a week.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Abraham H. Kahalas, 22 Hosmer street, Dorchester, legal assistant, $87 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Dennis J. Crowne, 285 Neponset avenue, Dorchester, steam fireman, $60.50 a week.

David J. Reardon, 73 Bird street, Dorchester, steam fireman, $60.50 a week.

John J. O'Toole, 8 Maryland street, Dorchester, grave digger, $53 a week.

Robert F. Doolin, 94 O'Callaghan Way, South Boston, grave digger, $53 a week.

Samuel F. Litto, 38 Charles street, Dorchester, grave digger, $53 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Bridge Division.

Walter H. Pomarole, 14 Albion street, Roxbury, electrician-operator, $68 a week.

Highway Division.

Frederick J. Barrett, 449 Dudley street, Roxbury, junior engineering aid (draftsman), $50.50 a week.

Sewer Division.

Daniel L. Manning, 9 Napier park, Dorchester, laborer, $50.50 a week.

Thomas J. MacNevin, 122 Dacia street, Roxbury, laborer, $53 a week.

James Feeney, 16 Cable street, Jamaica Plain, laborer, $50.50 a week.

Simon S. Shulman, 98 Myrtle street, laborer, $50.50 a week.

Francis B. Wohlgemuth, 37 Linden Park street, Roxbury, laborer, $53 a week.

Philip T. Todisco, 162 Saratoga street, East Boston, laborer, $50.50 a week.

Thomas F. Connolly, 63 Callender street, Dorchester, laborer, $55.50 a week.

Carmine J. Barbarisi, 17 New street, East Boston, laborer, $53 a week.

Changes in Status.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Edwin M. Finnegan, 49 Rosedale street, Dorchester, from fire captain at $102.68 a week to district fire chief at $122.61 a week.

Rizkallah Teebagy, 95 Dakota street, Dorchester, from fire lieutenant at $90.61 a week to fire captain at $102.68 a week.

John J. Costello, 16 Brighton street, Charlestown, from fire fighter at $74.71 a week to fire lieutenant at $86.59 a week.

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING AUGUST 2.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Cegile Gerardo	562 East Eighth street	7	Alterations, dwelling	$250
Joseph Weinbergh	33-39 Allerton street	8	Alterations, dwelling	700
Stanley David	328 West Third street	6	Alterations, dwelling	280
V. Andersoll	26 Pemberton square	3	Alterations, dwelling	200
Niles Inc	25 Park Drive	5	Alterations, dwelling	300
Niles Inc	27 Park Drive	5	Alterations, dwelling	300
Niles Inc	29 Park Drive	5	Alterations, dwelling	300
Niles Inc	31 Park Drive	5	Alterations, dwelling	300
Edward Kelly	88 Sheridan street	19	Alterations, dwelling	50
Edward Rogers	56 Halliday street	19	Alterations, dwelling	250
Berry Beasley	35 Quincy street	12	Alterations, dwelling	870
R. Byrns	1383 Commonwealth avenue	21	Alterations, dwelling	100
John McNeil	301 West Second street	6	Alterations, dwelling	890
Ethel Caufield	142 Dorchester avenue	7	Alterations, dwelling	990
Grazio Pepe	5 Gifford street	7	Alterations, dwelling	650
H. P. Kasper	7 Dalrymple street	11	Alterations, dwelling	2
Nellie Rovin	66 Day street	10	Alterations, dwelling	2
Thomas Folger	56 Village street	5	Alterations, dwelling	2
William and Marg. Berkeley	19 Ainsley street	16	Alterations, dwelling	2
John J. Hallahan	77 Horace street	1	Alterations, dwelling	2
Raymond P. Penniston	22 Hallet street	16	Alterations, dwelling	2
Philip Feinberg & Herbert Sklar.	11 Greenwood street	11	Alterations, dwelling	2
Ellen J. Daly	55 Calumet street	10	Alterations, dwelling	2
Homes Inc	26 Circuit street	12	Alterations, dwelling	2
Homes Inc	24 Circuit street	12	Alterations, dwelling	2
Jacob Kabilina	28 Clarkson street	15	Alterations, dwelling	2
William V. Rooney	6 and 8 Kingsley street	22	Alterations, dwelling	2
Austin J. Diggs	30 Laurel street	12	Alterations, dwelling	2
Austin J. Diggs	32 Laurel street	12	Alterations, dwelling	2
Joseph McGrath	39 Folsom street	13	Alterations, dwelling	2
Joseph McGrath	37 Folsom street	13	Alterations, dwelling	2
Denis Robichard	2 Lawrence street	5	Alterations, dwelling	2
John Peccione	40 Barry street	15	Alterations, dwelling	2
Clara Devine	64 Empire street	21	Alterations, dwelling	2
Clara Devine	66 Empire street	21	Alterations, dwelling	2
Clara Devine	68 Empire street	21	Alterations, dwelling	2
Clara Devine	70 Empire street	21	Alterations, dwelling	2
Cushing Manor Nursing Home.	20 Cushing avenue	13	Alterations, dwelling	2
Marjorie York	41 Long avenue	21	Alterations, dwelling	2
Josephine Coghlan	82 Camden street	9	Alterations, dwelling	2
Alice DePaulis	5 Doncaster street	18	Alterations, dwelling	2
Cecilia Hennessey	43 Everett street	19	Alterations, dwelling	2
Cecilia Hennessey	20 Ashley street	10	Alterations, dwelling	2
Cecilia Hennessey	172 Dorchester street	7	Alterations, dwelling	2
William Sledge	41 Copeland street	12	Alterations, dwelling	2
Joseph A. Varraso	428 East Fifth street	7	Alterations, dwelling	2
Joseph McElaney	87 and 89 Foster street	22	Alterations, dwelling	2
Kazys Adomavicius	909 East Broadway	6	Alterations, dwelling	2
Milton Chadwick	297 East Eagle street	1	Alterations, dwelling	2
Frances Grassa	21 George street	8	Alterations, dwelling	2
Frances Grassa	119 George street	8	Alterations, dwelling	2
Filomeno Visco	33 Faywood avenue	1	Alterations, dwelling	2
James and Mersina Moraites	27 Champney street	22	Alterations, dwelling	2
Daniel Calnan	652 Columbia road	7	Alterations, dwelling	2
Margaret Heaton	5 Kingsbury street	11	Alterations, dwelling	2
Mary A. Abraham	56 East Springfield street	8	Alterations, dwelling	2
Workers & Waterproof Union, Local 33.	14 Lambert avenue	9	Alterations, dwelling	2
Benjamin Donisi	361 West Third street	6	Alterations, dwelling	2
Walter F. Hayes	15 Cushing avenue	13	Alterations, dwelling	2
George Hasiuk	15 Germania street	11	Alterations, dwelling	2
Mary Ignoto	16 Hanover avenue	3	Alterations, dwelling	2
Esther O'Connor *et al*	3 and 5 Benson street	22	Alterations, dwelling	2
Thomas & Elizabeth Folger	54 Village street	5	Alterations, dwelling	2
William Roat	21 Myrtle street	19	Alterations, dwelling	2
James Keane	17 Morse street	14	Alterations, dwelling	2
Mr. and Mrs. B. Kluse	9 Maryland street	15	Alterations, dwelling	2
Teresa Mariellano	52-52½ Washington street	2	Alterations, dwelling	2
Ellen O'Meara	875 Adams street	16	Alterations, dwelling	2
James McLaughlin	413 River street	18	Alterations, dwelling	2
Domenic Salvucci	25½ Shepard street	22	Alterations, dwelling	2
Republic Construction Corp.	13 Centre court	16	Alterations, dwelling	2
Republic Construction Corp.	15 Centre court	16	Alterations, dwelling	2
John Terravecchio	133 Saratoga street	1	Alterations, dwelling	2
Ellen Daly	289 Centre street	16	Alterations, dwelling	2
Emily Farrell	47 Norton street	15	Alterations, dwelling	2
Umberto Agave	1127 Saratoga street	1	Alterations, dwelling	2
Andrew Quindley	124 Princeton street	1	Alterations, dwelling	2
Carmine and John Annese	367 Maverick street	1	Alterations, dwelling	2
Harry Wasser	520 Hyde Park avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	2
Stanley Wolochowicz	189 Norwell street	17	Alterations, dwelling	2
Ronald Spriggs	75 West Rutland square	4	Alterations, dwelling	2
Madeline Ruth Somes	144 Winthrop street	8	Alterations, dwelling	2
Peter Christie	450 Parker street	10	Alterations, dwelling	2
Peter Christie	452 and 454 Parker street	10	Alterations, dwelling	2
George Goodwin	28 Selden street	17	Alterations, dwelling	2
Harry and Mary Barone	47 and 49 Sturbridge street	17	Alterations, dwelling	2
Peter Patigian	3510 Washington street	11	Alterations, dwelling	2
Helen Bennett	12 Wyoming street	12	Alterations, dwelling	2
Paul Snow Public Adm.	30 Regent street	12	Alterations, dwelling	2
John Giangregorio	186 Webster street	1	Alterations, dwelling	2
Fred and Edwina Jacobsen	127 Ruskindale road	18	Alterations, dwelling	2
Mr. and Mrs. Kriedberg	41 Vassar street	14	Alterations, dwelling	2
John and Mary Michal	10 Sparhawk street	22	Alterations, dwelling	2
Nicola Guardabasco	184 Webster street	1	Alterations, dwelling	2
Robert and Phyllis Johnson	117 Walnut avenue	12	Alterations, dwelling	2
Evelyn Zuker	427 and 429 Main street	2	Alterations, dwelling	2
Helen Bennett	14 Wyoming street	12	Alterations, dwelling	2
Donato DePiano	75 White street	1	Alterations, dwelling	2
James Vocino *et al*	67 Webster street	1	Alterations, dwelling	2
Morris Epstein	46 Polk street	2	Alterations, dwelling	2

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING AUGUST 2.—Concluded.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost
Carlo Fronte	1 Mather street	16	Alterations, dwelling	$2
Jennie Dlugokecki	Rawson street	7	Alterations, dwelling	2
Cecilia Hennessey	51 Montebello road	11	Alterations, dwelling	2
Margaret Hayes	15 Shannon street	22	Alterations, dwelling	2
Guy & Theodora Currito	115 Magnolia street	13	Alterations, dwelling	2
Malcolm Banks	362 Massachusetts avenue	4	Alterations, dwelling	2
Joseph Brazauskas	177 West Seventh street	7	Alterations, dwelling	2
Anthony Salerno	131 Minden street	10	Alterations, dwelling	2
Ernest and Elizabeth Johnson	276 North Harvard street	22	Alterations, dwelling	2
Richard Grimmer	135 Minden street	10	Alterations, dwelling	2
Charles Rubino	Norfolk street	17	Alterations, dwelling	2
Mary Sullivan	16 Woodville street	8	Alterations, dwelling	2
Helen & Arthur Kerr	92-92A Banton street	16	Alterations, dwelling	2
Anita Young	10 Newsome park	19	Alterations, dwelling	2
John Hassett	45 Woodward street	7	Alterations, dwelling	2
John Hassett	47 Woodward street	7	Alterations, dwelling	2
Dom. and Frank Remachio	114 and 116 Prince street	3	Alterations, dwelling	2
Thomas Lawn	6 Ripley road	14	Alterations, dwelling	2
Ralph Morante	106 Orleans street	1	Alterations, dwelling	2
Lew Shee Lee and George Lee	873 and 875 Washington street	3	Alterations, dwelling	2
James E. Kerrigan	177 Savin Hill avenue	13	Alterations, dwelling	2
Mabel & Alexander Borrowman.	33 Boylston street	19	Alterations, dwelling	2
Joseph F. Platt	24 and 26 Riverdale street	22	Alterations, dwelling	2
Joseph F. Platt	28 and 30 Riverdale street	22	Alterations, dwelling	2
Francis and Marie Fabiano	1631 Tremont street	10	Alterations, dwelling	2
Francis and Marie Fabiano	1629 Tremont street	10	Alterations, dwelling	2
Francis and Marie Fabiano	1627 Tremont street	10	Alterations, dwelling	2
Jennie Lupo	19 Conway street	20	Alterations, dwelling	2
Bartholomew Favarolo	1 Venice street	1	Alterations, dwelling	2
Ellen E. Weydt	10 Bloomington street	16	Alterations, dwelling	750
Malcolm Lang	209 Bay State road	5	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Frank M. Evans and Clara E. Downes.	5 Keswick street	21	Alterations, dwelling	75

TAX ABATEMENT DECISIONS RENDERED BY THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS FOR THE WEEKS ENDING JULY 8-12-20.

LEGEND.

* Appellate Tax Board Settlement. ¶ Illegal assessment. ‖ Chapter 59–5.
† Appellate Tax Board Decision. § Duplicate assessment. = Chapter 58–8.
‡ Overvaluation Settlement by Board of Assessors.

Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Boylston Market Assoc	659 Washington st	3—1949	$18,460.00	$4,544.00	†
E. M. Loew's, Inc	659 Washington st	3—1950	20,475.00	5,010.00	†
Shoolman, Max, et al	210 Washington st	3—1950	42,425.00	8,505.00	†
Platt Contracting Co	Vacant lot, Canterbury st.	18—1950	1,077.30	667.26	†
E. M. Loew's, Inc	665 Washington st	3—1951	20,410.00	5,024.00	†
Shoolman, Max, et al	210 Washington st	3—1951	42,390.00	8,478.00	†
Platt Contracting Co	Vacant lot, Canterbury st.	18—1951	1,073.88	690.80	†
E. M. Loew's, Inc	659 Washington st	3—1952	21,710.00	5,344.00	†
Shoolman, Max, et al	210 Washington st	3—1952	45,090.00	9,018.00	†
Builders Realty Co	Vacant lot, Canterbury st.	18—1952	1,142.28	801.60	†
E. M. Loew's, Inc	659 Washington st	3—1953	22,977.50	5,656.00	†
Builders Realty Company	Vacant lot, Canterbury st.	18—1953	1,208.97	868.40	†
New England Trust Co	24 Milk st	3—1950	36,225.00	7,560.00	†
New England Trust Co	24 Milk st	3—1951	36,110.00	7,536.00	†
Marshall, S. G., Co	129 Columbia rd	14—1951	12,216.00	1,881.00	†
New England Trust Co	24 Milk st	3—1952	38,410.00	8,016.00	†
Marshall, S. G., Co	129 Columbia rd	14—1952	13,026.00	2,004.00	†
New England Trust Co	24 Milk st	3—1953	40,652.50	8,484.00	†
Marshall, S. G., Co	129 Columbia rd	14—1953	13,786.50	2,121.00	†
Hunneman, Carleton	5–5B Arlington st	5—1949	6,532.00	1,136.00	†
Hunneman, Carleton	5–5B Arlington st	5—1950	7,245.00	1,260.00	†
Miller, Dorothy F	192 Commonwealth av	5—1950	11,025.00	2,331.00	†
Benson, Martha H	192 Commonwealth av	5—1951	10,990.00	2,323.60	†
Hunneman, Carleton	5–5B Arlington st	5—1951	7,222.00	1,256.00	†
Slater, Albert M	28–30 Avery st	3—1952	4,342.00	1,002.00	†
Slater, Albert M	176½ Tremont st	3—1952	37,174.20	7,782.20	†
Slater, Albert M	Tremont st	3—1952	334.00	66.80	†
Slater, Albert M	Tremont st	3—1952	2,672.00	668.00	†
Benson, Martha H	192 Commonwealth av	5—1952	11,690.00	2,471.60	†
Hunneman, Carleton	5–5B Arlington st	5—1952	7,682.00	1,336.00	†
Slater, Albert M	28–30 Avery st	3—1953	1,595.50	1,060.50	†
Slater, Albert M	176½ Tremont st	3—1953	39,344.55	8,236.55	†
Slater, Albert M	Tremont st	3—1953	353.50	70.70	†
Slater, Albert M	Tremont st	3—1953	2,828.00	707.00	†
Hunneman, Carleton	5–5B Arlington st	5—1953	8,130.50	1,414.00	†
New England Co	192 Commonwealth av	5—1953	12,372.50	2,615.90	†

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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Hospital Department.

Main Division.

Margaret T. Burke, 20 Nottingham street, Dorchester, from floor duty nurse at $63 a week to head nurse at $65.50 a week.

Elizabeth P. Courtney, 27 Plumer street, Everett, from floor duty nurse at $60.50 a week to supervising nurse at $73 a week.

Alma R. Crowley, 1 Newcroft Circle, Mattapan, from floor duty nurse at $60.50 a week to nursing instructor at $70.50 a week.

Dennis Downey, 439 Shawmut avenue, from hospital medical worker at $50.50 a week to elevator operator at $50.50 a week.

Thomas D. Regan, 38 Pilsudski Way, South Boston, from hospital house worker at $50.50 a week to electrician's helper at $53 a week.

Annie Forward, 64 Stratford street, West Roxbury, from senior clerk and stenographer at $65.50 a week to principal clerk (temporary, six months) at $68 a week.

Catherine Ring, 15 St. Gregory street, Dorchester, from hospital medical worker at $50.50 a week to hospital house worker at $50.50 a week.

Mary K. Hernon, 19 Hallam street, Dorchester, from hospital medical worker at $50.50 a week to hospital house worker at $50.50 a week.

Florence I. Perot, 22 Willis street, Dorchester, from hospital medical worker at $50.50 a week to hospital house worker at $50.50 a week.

Jacob J. Boyajian, 332 Tremont street, from pharmacist at $80 a week to chief pharmacist (temporary, six months) at $83.50 a week.

Long Island Division.

Joseph W. Scally, 105 Fletcher street, Roslindale, from principal social work supervisor (temporary) at $94 a week to principal social work supervisor (permanent) at $94 a week.

George R. Egan, 672 La Grange street, West Roxbury, from principal hospital guard at $80 a week to head hospital guard (temporary) at $83.50 a week.

Public Works Department.

Bridge Division.

Lawrence O. Cunningham, 9 Mt. Pleasant avenue, Roxbury, from assistant drawtender at $63 a week to first assistant drawtender (temporary) at $65.50 a week.

Sanitary Division.

John J. Hannon, 28 Malta street, Dorchester, from laborer at $58 a week to motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week.

Francis W. Nolan, 32 Horadan Way, Roxbury, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week to heavy motor equipment operator and laborer at $63 a week.

Sewer Division.

William F. Hannigan, 17 Margin street, Hyde Park, from foreman of tide gate repairs and maintenance (temporary) at $90.50 a week to foreman of tide gate repairs and maintenance (permanent) at $90.50 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Ruby Davis, 168 Walnut avenue, Roxbury, from clerk and typist at $45.50 a week to statistical machine operator (key punch) (temporary transfer) at $48 a week.

Leo Larkin, 248 Fuller street, Dorchester, from social work supervisor at $87 a week to principal social work supervisor (temporary transfer) at $94 a week.

Promotions.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Francis A. Berrigan, 129 River street, Mattapan, from chief of bureau of housing and sanitation (temporary) at $98.75 a week to chief of bureau of housing and sanitation (permanent) at $98.75 a week.

Leaves of Absence.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Louise F. Moore, 237 Highland street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Mary J. McCarthy, 9 Wiltshire street, Winthrop, head nurse, $76.50 a week.

Robert Calderbank, 73 Hancock street, Dorchester, elevator operator, $50.50 a week.

Laura L. Boyd, 1 Dayton street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $48 a week.

Grace Linscott, 132 Intervale street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Louise Houlihan, 97 Pierce avenue, Dorchester, clerk and typist, $50.50 a week.

Kenneth Stuart, 2 Rochester street, hospital house worker, $53 a week.

Step-Rate Increases.

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Ann Cataldo, statistical machine operator, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Anna M. McArdle, senior statistical machine operator, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Harold R. Darling, assessment recorder, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

Harold T. Kenney, principal clerk, temporary, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

John K. Gavin, clerk, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

Henry Colle, parking meter maintenance man, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Leonard Pasciucco, cashier, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Louis E. Solari, junior building custodian, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Frank McGowan, environmental sanitation inspector, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Giacomo Bruno, assistant building maintenance supervisor, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Arthur Fennessey, electrician, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM PLUMBING FOR THE WEEK ENDING AUGUST 2.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
E. Ardini	85 Canal street	3	New fixtures	$200
S. Statley	138 Centre street	17	New fixtures	100
A. Platt	Columbus avenue	9	New fixtures	1,050
S. Litman	Dudley street	8	New fixtures	350
S. Litman	Fairmount street	17	New fixtures	300
F. Dwyer	Granite street	6	New fixtures	400
A. Mehagan	Peterborough street	5	New fixtures	600
C. Paty	Rhoda street	20	New fixtures	1,200
J. Houghton	Stillman street	3	New fixtures	200
J. Houghton	Sturbridge street	17	New fixtures	400
W. Hogan	Washington street	11	New fixtures	300
E. Ouellete	86 Safford street	18	New fixtures	950
E. Ouellete	88 Safford street	18	New fixtures	950
S. Shulman	12 Malcolm road	19	New fixtures	1,000
J. Sullivan	33 Percival street	15	New fixtures	200
D. Greenwood	22 Wenham street	19	New fixtures	200
S. Speers	126 Bryant road	20	New fixtures	300
D. Rinaldi	73 Carver street	5	New fixtures	300
	1704 Centre street	20	New fixtures	400
J. Vogel	403 Commonwealth avenue	5	New fixtures	700
D. Corey	286 Congress street	3	New fixtures	875
D. Elrich	74 Florida street	17	New fixtures	100
P. Gulesian	39 Gwinnett street	18	New fixtures	750
J. Thomas	46 Hereford street	5	New fixtures	900
J. Vogel	15 Hewlett street	18	New fixtures	150
D. Greenwood	68 McBride street	19	New fixtures	65
D. Greenwood	41 Mendelssohn street	20	New fixtures	450
D. Greenwood	48 Newburn street	19	New fixtures	700
S. Landau	509 Park Drive	21	New fixtures	1,200
G. Trethewey	117 Sycamore street	18	New fixtures	175
J. Vogel	129 Tyndale street	20	New fixtures	300
S. Kramer	1000 Washington street	3	New fixtures	500
A. Statley	45 Clyde street	16	New fixtures	55
G. Trethewey	12 Hastings street	20	New fixtures	200
G. Trethewey	23 Hemman street	18	New fixtures	300
G. Paty	235 Moss Hill road	19	New fixtures	1,000
S. Shulman	169 Norfolk avenue	8	New fixtures	3,600
E. Miller	50 Pinckney street	5	New fixtures	300
D. Gould	100 Risley road	20	New fixtures	1,400
W. Hogan	22 St. Margaret street	7	New fixtures	200
E. Plainman	31 Saxton street	13	New fixtures	550
G. Trethewey	99 Selwyn street	20	New fixtures	200
J. Pemallo	113 Smith street	10	New fixtures	220
G. Trethewey	130 Tyndale street	20	New fixtures	190
J. Phinny	518 Washington street	3	New fixtures	350
D. Ayles	69 Brimmer street	5	New fixtures	700
J. Joyce	1884 Centre street	20	New fixtures	400
A. Mehagan	70 Charter street	3	New fixtures	1,970
O. Weider	50 Clearwater Drive	17	New fixtures	1,000
A. Mehagan	140 Federal street	3	New fixtures	300
A. Mehagan	70 General William H. Devine Way.	7	New fixtures	2,000
F. McDonald	17 Gloucester street	5	New fixtures	426
A. Mehagan	818 Harrison avenue	3	New fixtures	7,500
L. Person	679 Massachusetts avenue	8	New fixtures	2,550
A. Millen	28 Ramsdell avenue	18	New fixtures	200
S. Lucedio	72 Whitten street	16	New fixtures	65
B. Gold	36 Woodland road	11	New fixtures	1,000
B. Gold	40 Woodland road	11	New fixtures	1,000
A. Milligan	19 Arborview road	19	New fixtures	1,000
A. Kellem	247 Beacon street	5	New fixtures	500
S. Landau	1383 Commonwealth avenue	21	New fixtures	200
A. Roberts	82 Devonshire street	3	New fixtures	600
A. Milligan	19 Freeman avenue	20	New fixtures	1,000
A. Milligan	10 Hemman street	18	New fixtures	1,000
E. Dorr	872 Huntington avenue	10	New fixtures	450
H. Abrams	107 Lorna road	18	New fixtures	2,200
J. Wilson	36 Sever street	2	New fixtures	100
A. Milligan	26 Stratford street	20	New fixtures	2,000
A. Roberts	110 Tremont street	3	New fixtures	800
D. Yorks	250 Allston street	21	New fixtures	400
F. Russo	69 Beryl street	20	New fixtures	165
P. Janis	226 Boylston street	5	New fixtures	100
D. Kilpatrick	70 Commercial street	3	New fixtures	100
G. Crawford	374 Commonwealth avenue	5	New fixtures	4,000
D. Yorks	6 Donna terrace	18	New fixtures	400
J. Corcoran	22 Myrtlebank avenue	16	New fixtures	100
W. Fafara	14 Alabama street	18	New fixtures	1,000
D. Naimo	27 Caldwell street	2	New fixtures	400
S. Franco	698 Huntington avenue	10	New fixtures	2,500
G. Trethewey	19 Lindall street	19	New fixtures	175
G. Trethewey	11 Moultrie street	17	New fixtures	595
H. Pose	75 North Beacon street	22	New fixtures	3,000
G. Trethewey	20 Sherwood street	19	New fixtures	1,500
H. Hinckley	23 Washington street	14	New fixtures	60

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Domenick Guerriero, motor equipment operator, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Sanitary Division.

Thomas H. McHugh, motor equipment operator and laborer, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

James J. Bellew, street-cleaning and waste collection inspector, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Philip P. Davidson, laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Egidio Gallucio, laborer, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Thomas J. Keeley, laborer, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

Chester Gilmore, elevator operator, from $50.50 to $55.50 a week.

Lillian Quinlan, telephone operator, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Grace Spellman, custodial worker, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

Frances M. Shaw, custodial worker, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Joan Buckley, clerk and typist, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Gertrude Callanan, clerk and typist, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Barbara Downey, clerk and typist, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Mabel Cavanagh, principal bookkeeper, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Marion Collins, principal clerk, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Kathleen O'Callaghan, principal clerk, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Lorraine Murphy, social worker, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Honora O'Neill, social worker, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Charles West, social worker, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Wayfarers' Lodge.

Derrill DeMarino, watchman, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

COURT HOUSE.

Sarah V. Nee, cleaner, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following request:

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

For the week ending July 19:

Working Foreman-Lineman and Cable Splicer John J. Delaney, Fire Alarm Division, 3 hours at $3 an hour.

VETERAN'S RETIREMENT.

The Mayor has approved the following veteran's application for retirement:

Harold Joseph Finan, 35 Mt. Vernon street, Charlestown, lieutenant, City Prison, Police Department.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award the contracts for work, materials, and supplies, in accordance with recommendations of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Purchasing Division.

Upon July 20 the Mayor approved a contract with lowest bidders for furnishing water works supplies to the Water Division of the Public Works Department. Approximate total amounts of awards were as follows:

Contract for: Welsbach Corporation, $2,355, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Order for: Mueller Company, $485, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids, opened June 28, were as follows:

Requisition No. 307.

Item 1. 500 ¾-Inch Curb Cocks for Copper Pipe, Minneapolis Pattern, Each.—Hays Manufacturing Company, $4.04, Hays, 5155; Mueller Company, $4.18; Welsbach Corporation, $3.49.*

Requisition No. 311.

Item 2. 500 ¾-Inch Copper-Iron Pipe (Female) Inside Thread Couplings, Each.—Hays Manufacturing Company, 66 cents, Hays, 5600; Mueller Company, 66 cents; Welsbach Corporation, 59 cents.*

Item 3. 500 ¾-Inch Copper-Iron Pipe (Male) Outside Thread Couplings, Each.—Hays Manufacturing Company, 68 cents, Hays, 5605; Mueller Company, 66 cents; Welsbach Corporation, 63 cents.*

Item 4. 500 ¾-Inch Copper (3-Part), Connection Couplings, Each.—Hays Manufacturing Company, 98 cents, Hays, 5615; Mueller Company, 97 cents*; Welsbach Corporation, $1.01.

Discount.—Hays Manufacturing Company, 2 per cent cash discount 10th of the following month, or net, 45 days from date of shipment; Mueller Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Welsbach Corporation, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—Hays Manufacturing Company, Item 1, 4 weeks, Items 2 and 4, stock, Item 3, 2 to 3 weeks; Mueller Company, all from stock; Welsbach Corporation, Item 1, 7 days, Items 2, 3, 4, 30 days.

Remarks.—Hays Manufacturing Company, the foregoing represents firm pricing, but applies to this transaction only, delivery promises are given in good faith, but are subject, of course, to prior sale.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon July 21 the Mayor approved a contract with Picker X-Ray Corporation for furnishing one Sisk urological and X-ray table to the Hospital Department, Long Island Hospital Division. Approximate total amount of contract was $1,485, net, 30 days.

Bids, opened July 8, were as follows:

Requisition No. 46.

One Sisk Urological and X-Ray Table, Catalogue No. A-31BE, Nos. 514-3115-900, or Equal, As Specified, Delivered Complete.—American Sterilizer Company, $2,388, Catalogue No. A-31BM quoted on, as this is a mechanically-operated table; General Electric Company, $1,699, Hugh H. Young standard base urological table; E. F. Mahady Company, $3,000, new model, Hugh Young table; Picker X-Ray Corporation, $1,485,* Liebel Flarsheim Young urological table with bucky diaphragm, ½ second standard speed (if 1/10 second high speed bucky is preferred, add $44); Westinghouse Electric Corporation, $1,710, Catalogue No. 1656, alt. 3, Hugh H. Young urological tilt table.

Discount.—American Sterilizer Company, net, cash; General Electric Company, net, cash, 30 days; E. F. Mahady Company, 2 per cent; Picker X-Ray Corporation, net, 30 days; Westinghouse Electric Corporation, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Make and Model.—American Sterilizer Company, Sisk table without electric drive for foot pump, Model A-31BM, with 1/10 second flat bucky.

Earliest Delivery Date.—American Sterilizer Company, September 1, 1955; General Electric Company, 30 days; E. F. Mahady Company, 30 to 60 days; Picker X-Ray Corporation, 30 days; Westinghouse Electric Corporation, approximately 45 days.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon July 21 the Mayor approved a contract with lowest bidders as indicated for furnishing air compressors to the Parks and Recreation Department. Approximate total amounts of contracts were as follows:

Hedge & Mattheis Company, $1,428.25, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; Moore-Norris Company, $1,384, less trade-in allowance on used unit, $200—$1,184, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids, opened June 14, were as follows:

Item 1. One Ingersoll-Rand Portable Air Compressor, Model 3 R 36, As Per Specifications, Delivered.—Crane Service and Equipment Corporation, $937.75, bidding one Model 35 air compressor, *see* letter attached, both bids at Purchasing Department; Hedge & Mattheis Company, $1,428.25,* add for wheelbarrow mounting, $60; Charles J. McCarty Company, Inc., $1,460; Moore-Norris Company, $1,025, Lindsey, Model S33, compressor, Gardner Denver paving breaker and hose; Equipment Company, $1,446, net, alternate, rebuilt and guaranteed, Model D-85, Ingersoll-Rand, sale price delivered in Boston, $900, net, 1, PB59, Ingersoll-Rand paving breaker (new), $250, net, 1, 50-foot length ¾-inch air hose coupled (new), $26, net.

Item 2. One Heavy-Duty Gosoline-Driven Air Compressor in Accordance With the Specifications.—Crane Service and Equipment Corporation, total cost, $2,012.50, less trade-in allowance, $201.25, total, $1,811.25, add: 1 Model B-35 paving breaker, $203.94, 1 1184-CC-12 x 50 50-foot ¾-inch hose with couplings, $25.96— $2,041.15, bidding on Model 75 air compressor as per letter attached; Hedge & Mattheis Company, total cost, $1,911, less trade-in allowance, $150, total, $1,761, bidding on Ingersoll-Rand Model 15TE-G, length 67 inches, width, 32 inches, weight, 1,625 pounds, compressors to be Ingersoll-Rand; Moore-Norris Company, $1,384,* less trade-in allowance, $200, total, $1,184; Equipment Company, $1,930, less trade-in allowance, $280, total, $1,650 (*see* letter attached).

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—Crane Service & Equipment Corporation, 15 days from receipt of order; Hedge & Mattheis Company, Item 1, 3 to 5 weeks, Item 2, 4 to 6 weeks; Charles J. McCarty Company, Inc., Item 1, June 17, 1955; Moore-Norris Company, Item 1, approximately 2 weeks, Item 2, 2 weeks to 1 month, depending on how soon we can get engine; Equipment Company, Item 1, 2 to 3 weeks, Item 2, 4 to 6 weeks.

Discount.—Crane Service & Equipment Corporation, net; Hedge & Mattheis Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Charles J. McCarty Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Moore-Norris Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Equipment Company, 30 days, net, no cash discount.

Remarks.—Crane Service & Equipment Corporation, both bids at Purchasing, bid not on regular proposal form.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon July 26 the Mayor approved a contract with Harris Refrigeration Company, Inc., for furnishing one refrigeration cabinet to the Boston City Hospital. Approximate total amount of contract was $1,985, net, 30 days. Bids, opened July 11, were as follows:

Refrigeration Cabinet.

One 6-Cubic Foot Low Temperature Cabinet to Maintain 125° F. (One Hundred and Twenty-Five Degrees Below Zero, Fohrenheit), Delivered Complete.—Appliance Engineering Corporation, $3,945; Harris Refrigeration Company, Inc., $1,985.*

Discount.—Appliance Engineering Corporation, 2 per cent, time of payment; Harris Refrigeration Company, Inc., net, 30 days.

Remarks.—Appliance Engineering Corporation, one refrigerated cabinet per attached specifications, refrigeration system to be supplied as cascade as specified using refrigerants F–22 and F–13, specifications delayed in mails will be furnished as soon as received from Penney Manufacturing Company, Union, New Jersey, who will manufacture this cabinet.

* Contract awarded.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Upon July 27 the Mayor approved a contract as indicated in the following letter:

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.
DEAR MR. MAYOR:

In response to an advertisement in the *City Record* of June 25, 1955, proposals for furnishing and delivering pupils' desks, biology tables and stools, to Girls' Latin School, were received and publicly opened and read aloud on July 6, 1955.

The attached schedule is a summary of the proposals received. Based on this schedule, I am awarding a contract, subject to your Honor's approval, for Item 4, 40 lunchroom tables, to O. P. Killam & Son, Marblehead, Mass., in the amount of $3,702.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES H. MOONEY,
Superintendent of Construction.

Bids were as follows:

Item 1. Pupils' Furniture, 630 Sets American Universal Lifting Type Furniture, No. 434 (or Equal).—Henry S. Wolkins Company, $14,603.40; S. M. Levin Company, no bid; R & M Wood Products, no bid; Gledhill Brothers, Inc., $15,844.50; Business Equipment Corporation, no bid; Twombley Associates, Inc., $14,868*; O. P. Killam & Son, $15,734.80.

Item 2. 18 Biology Students' Tables.—Henry S. Wolkins Company, no bid; S. M. Levin Company, $738*; R & M Wood Products, $1,008; Gledhill Brothers, Inc., no bid; Business Equipment Corporation, no bid; Twombley Associates, Inc., no bid; O. P. Killam & Son, $1,130.22.

Item 3. 36 24-Inch Stools.—Henry S. Wolkins Company, $245.52; S. M. Levin Company, $237.60; R & M Wood Products, $252; Gledhill Brothers, Inc., $252; Business Equipment Corporation, $233.64*; Twombley Associates, Inc., $244.08; O. P. Killam & Son, $6.75 each.

Item 4. 40 Luncheon Tables.—Henry S. Wolkins Company, no bid; S. M. Levin Company, $5,760; R & M Wood Products, $3,980; Gledhill Brothers, Inc., $5,104; Business Equipment Corporation, $5,188; Twombley Associates, Inc., no bid; O. P. Killam & Son, $3,702.*

* Contract awarded.

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Upon July 26 the Mayor approved a contract with contractors as indicated for furnishing and delivering pupils' desks, biology tables and stools, to Girls' Latin School. Bids, opened July 6, were as follows:

To Twombly Associates, Inc., 750 Main street, Winchester: Item 1, 630 sets pupils' furniture, total price, $14,868.

To S. M. Levin Company, Inc., 84 Washington street, Boston: Item 2, 18 biology students tables, total price, $738.

To Business Equipment Corporation, 153 Federal street, Boston: Item 3, 36 24-inch stools, total price, $233.64.

Item 4 consisting of 40 lunchroom tables will be awarded later.

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* Contract awarded.

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Upon July 24 the Mayor approved a contract with L. J. Banda for modernization of plumbing facilities at the Michelangelo School. Bids, opened July 21, were as follows:

L. J. Banda, $37,435; D. Antonellis, Inc., $37,658; Martin J. Kelly Company, Inc., $39,608; Rossano Construction Company, Inc., $42,225; P. J. Cantwell & Son, $43,233.

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Upon July 27 the Mayor approved a contract with Emerson Electrical Manufacturing Company for electrical work at the various schools. Bids, opened July 25, were as follows:

Emerson Electrical Manufacturing Company, $4,550; Ralph E. Dixon, $4,597; Kay Electric Company, $4,733.

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Upon July 27 the Mayor approved a contract with Richard Moore Company for roofing work at the Jamaica Plain High School. Bids, opened July 25, were as follows:

Richard Moore Company, $18,417; John J. Hourihan, $18,930; Cavanaugh & Earley, Inc., $22,410; Burgess & Blacher Company, $22,960

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Upon July 27 the Mayor approved a contract with Patrick Ross Company for sealing exterior masonry walls, to minimize their absorption and increase their repellency of water, at the Boston Latin School. Bids, opened July 25, were as follows:

Patrick Ross Company, $2,594; S & S Waterproofing Company, $2,800; Southshore Waterproofing Company, $2,800; D. Antonellis, Inc., $3,230.

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Upon July 27 the Mayor approved a contract with R & F Painting Company for interior and exterior painting, including fire escapes, at the Joshua Bates School. Bids, opened July 28, were as follows:

R & F Painting Company, $4,700; Kabot Painting Company, $4,840; John M. Kennedy & Co., Inc., $5,439.

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Upon July 27 the Mayor approved a contract with H. Piken & Co. for interior and exterior painting at the Roslindale High School. Bids, opened July 25, were as follows:

H. Piken & Co., $12,100; Kabot Painting Company, $13,500; R & F Painting Company, $13,988.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Upon June 26 the Mayor approved a contract with R. A. Buccella & Sons, Inc., for sewerage works in Canterbury street and Rocky Nook terrace, West Roxbury, at an estimated cost of $5,815, including concrete pipe. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed within 60 days after approval by the Mayor. The following bids were received July 20:

Including Clay Pipe.—R. A. Buccella & Sons, Inc., $5,975; Roslindale Contracting Company, $7,636; C. Russo, Inc., $8,905.

Including Concrete Pipe.—R. A. Buccella & Sons, Inc., $5,815; Roslindale Contracting Company, $7,341; C. Russo, Inc., $8,730.

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Upon August 1 the Mayor approved a contract with C. Russo, Inc., for sewerage works in Wilton street, Hyde Park, at an estimated cost of $1,435. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed within 14 days after approval by the Mayor. The following bids were received July 25:

C. Russo, Inc., $1,435; R. A. Buccella & Sons, Inc., $1,665; A. Vozzella & Son, $1,854.50; Joseph Capone & Son, $2,494.

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Upon August 1 the Mayor approved a contract with C. Russo, Inc., for sewerage works in Woodland road, Hyde Park, at an estimated cost of $5,414. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed within 30 days after approval by the Mayor. The proposal for the foregoing work was received July 20.

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Upon August 1 the Mayor approved a contract with Heggie Iron and Metal Company for moving wooden building from 388 Albany street to 624 Albany street and dismantling and disposal of a derrick and derrick machinery at 624 Albany street, at an estimated cost of $2,980. This work is to be commenced only upon receipt of an order covering this work by the Commissioner of Public Works, and shall be fully completed within two weeks from that date. The following bids were received July 21:

Heggie Iron and Metal Company, $2,980; Albany Contracting Company, $3,283.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

The School Committee has approved proposals for furnishing laboratory supplies and equipment for Boston public schools. Bids, opened Monday, May 2, were received from the following concerns:

General Biological Supply House, Inc. Central Scientific Company, Laboratory Materials Company, Atlantic X-Ray Corporation, Kenneth A. Dawson, Standard Scientific Supply Corporation, W. M. Welch Manufacturing Company.

Awards were made to the lowest responsible bidders, as follows:

Central Scientific Company, $1,761.60.

Laboratory Materials Company, $981.10.

Standard Scientific Supply Corporation, $1,173.20.

W. M. Welch Manufacturing Company, $1,486.61.

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The School Committee has approved proposals for furnishing transportation of films, motion picture equipment, science materials and school exhibits. Bid, opened Tuesday, June 28, was as follows:

P. A. Milan, Inc., $6,000.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

Upon varying dates as indicated the Mayor approved contracts with contractors, commercial houses, etc., for furnishing labor and supplies. Communications from heads of the departments interested were as follows:

Administrative Services Department.
Purchasing Division.

Boston, July 28, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

This office is in receipt of a requisition from the Boston City Hospital for one (1) gross Plavolex, 500 cc., with sterile injection set, Wyeth, No. 29A9. This material is manufactured only by Wyeth, Inc. A written quotation has been received from this company.

Inasmuch as this material can be purchased direct from the manufacturer, it is my opinion that no advantage would be gained by publicly advertising for prices. Authority is therefore requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to Wyeth, Inc., for the above material.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $1,036.80, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Respectfully yours,

Eugene K. Welsh,
Acting Purchasing Agent.

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Boston, July 28, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

This office is in receipt of a requisition from the Treasury Department, Collecting Division, for the immediate delivery of five (5) tellers' perforating machines. Informal requests for prices were solicited from several companies in this area. The only bid received was that of Dimond Union Stamp Works, Richard M. Lee, trustee.

Inasmuch as all local sources of supply have been contacted, it is my opinion that no advantage would be gained by publicly advertising for bids. Authority is therefore requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to Dimond Union Stamp Works, Richard M. Lee, trustee, for the immediate delivery of the above machines to the Treasury Department, Collecting Division.

Approximate total amount of the contract will be $1,250, net.

Respectfully yours,

Eugene K. Welsh,
Acting Purchasing Agent.

Department of School Buildings.

Boston, July 28, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

During some part of the week end of June 17 to 19, inclusive, vandals gained entrance to the Donald McKay School in the East Boston district. Before leaving the building they opened a high pressure fire standpipe line which resulted in the flooding of sixteen (16) classrooms, auditorium balcony, cafeteria, halls and corridors throughout the basement, first and second floors, causing a tremendous amount of water damage to the electrical system, wood floors, plastered ceilings and walls, tile floors, ranges, etc.

Services of at least ten men were immediately employed upon discovery of the flooding to literally shovel water from the floors. Squeegees and other implements were used to remove the water from the building. Regardless of the rapidity with which this work was performed, wooden floors were raised and warped causing considerable damage to the pupils' fixed furniture by wrenching the desk standards. Electrical conduits and fixtures were filled with water.

In order to dry out the building so as to determine the amount of work which would be necessary to reoccupy the building, salamanders were installed and room temperatures were raised in excess of 200 degrees. This temperature was maintained for many hours. Regardless of the drying out, floors had had such an opportunity to buckle and warp that they did not return to natural status and therefore will have to be replaced and some new flooring installed. In the case of the electrical system, water had been present in conduits, etc., for so long that deterioration of wire insulation took place.

As of July 19 an examination of the building indicated that sufficient moisture had been removed from the building to warrant preparation of the building for occupancy. To do this floors will be relaid and some new flooring installed, load tests of the structure will be made and the electrical system will be placed in operable condition all as defined in specifications.

As there is not sufficient time to advertise for this work and have the building ready for use on September 8, 1955, I procured estimates from three contractors, the lowest of which was from P. J. Cantwell & Son, 644 East Fourth street, South Boston.

P. J. Cantwell & Son has performed similar work for this department in a most efficient manner, therefore, I respectfully request that I be granted permission to enter into a contract, without advertising, with P. J. Cantwell & Son for the above-described work and for the reasons stated and at a cost not to exceed $13,000.

Respectfully yours,

James H. Mooney,
Superintendent of Construction.

Real Property Department.

Boston, July 25, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

The Payroll Division of the Auditing Department located in the basement of City Hall has been a problem in so far as the working conditions are concerned since they were moved to this location.

During the summer months the excessive humidity interferes with the efficient operation of the machines.

As a result of the above condition, I have had the Bay State York Company engineer an air-conditioning system which will help alleviate this condition. They propose to furnish two York air conditioners, Model 352-B, each complete with a three-horsepower 220-3-60-motor, for the sum of $1,950.

As time is of the essence and the Bay State York Company is a very reputable concern, I respectfully request permission to award this work to the Bay State York Company, 100 Brookline avenue, Boston, in the sum of $1,950, without the usual form of advertising. I believe the best interests of the city will be protected in this manner.

Very truly yours,

George P. Donovan,
Assistant Commissioner.

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Boston, July 25, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

The compressor motor assembly that provides cold water throughout the annex which has given this service for a period of more than 15 years has broken down.

I have obtained prices to repair same in the sum of $500, but have been unable to obtain any guarantee for any period of time with this repair work. As a result, I have had three reputable concerns make a survey and proposals to furnish and install a new five-horsepower water-cooled compressor and motor assembly, with storage tanks complete, with a five-year guarantee with the following results:

Harding & Cross, Inc., Second and Binney streets, Cambridge, $3,000.

Jarvis Engineering Company, 51 Ellery street, South Boston, $2,113.

Commercial Refrigeration Company, 74 Brookline avenue, Boston, $2,097.

The Commercial Refrigeration Company can provide immediate delivery and is a reputable concern.

I respectfully request permission to award this contract to the Commercial Refrigeration Company, in the sum of $2,097, without the usual form of advertising. I believe the best interests of the city will be protected in this manner.

Respectfully,

George P. Donovan,
Assistant Commissioner.

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Boston, July 25, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

The toilet facilities at the Roxbury Court are inadequate. Mr. Thomas Spring, presiding justice at this court, has long advocated additional facilities and has provided a space to install same.

As the result of Judge Spring's interest in this matter I have had three plumbing contractors submit proposals with the following results:

P. J. Riley Company, 295 Highland street, Roxbury, $2,400.

J. M. McCusker Company, 17 Chestnut avenue, Jamaica Plain, $2,680.

J. P. O'Hearn & Co., 9 Columbia place, Dorchester, $2,750.

This work will have to be done under conditions peculiar to courthouses. The new toilet facilities are adjacent to the courtroom and noise must be kept to a minimum. The contractors are reputable and familiar with working conditions in courthouses.

I respectfully ask permission to award this contract to the P. J. Riley Company, 295 Highland street, Roxbury, in the sum of $2,400, without the usual form of advertising. I believe the best interests of the city will be protected in this manner.

Respectfully yours,

GEORGE P. DONOVAN,
Assistant Commissioner.

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BOSTON, July 26, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The Real Property Board proposes to engage the services of Mr. Wallace B. Orpin of 1381 Commonwealth avenue, Brighton, as engineer in connection with the proposed construction of an open-air off-street parking facility at Uphams Corner, Dorchester.

The estimated cost of the proposed parking facility is approximately $23,000, and the engineer shall be paid a fee equal to 5 per cent of the full amount of the cost of the construction, not to exceed $1,150, this contract to include supervision of the work to be done.

In view of the nature of the professional services involved, no benefit would be gained by advertising for bids, and it is respectfully requested that permission be given to award the contract to Wallace B. Orpin, without public advertising.

Respectfully yours,

HERMAN CARP,
Commissioner.

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BOSTON, July 26, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The Real Property Board proposes to engage the services of William A. Fisher Company, Inc., 14 Court square, Boston, as engineers in connection with the proposed construction of an open-air off-street parking facility at Central square, East Boston.

The estimated cost of the proposed facility is approximately $20,000, and the engineers shall be paid a fee equal to 5 per cent of the full amount of the cost of the construction, not to exceed $1,000, this contract to include supervision of the work to be done.

In view of the nature of the professional services involved, no benefit would be gained by advertising for bids, and it is respectfully requested that permission be given to award the contract to William A. Fisher Company, Inc., without public advertising

Respectfully yours,

HERMAN CARP,
Commissioner.

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Works Department for the following construction work:

One hundred and ninety-three linear feet of 18-inch pipe surface drain in Child street, from Gordon avenue southerly, in the Hyde Park district, at an estimated cost of $3,800.

ADDITIONS TO CONTRACT.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

M. Solimando has been ordered to make the following additions to the contract for the new Girls' Latin School, Codman square:

Furnish and install 297 lights of glass in addition to those specified in the contract. The sizes and quality of the glass will be those specified by the engineer on the work. The cost will be $1,495.

Furnish labor and materials to do all cutting and patching of brickwork, carpentry, plumbing and cleaning to repair four rain leaders in the main building and one each over the fan and boiler rooms. This work will be done as directed by the supervisors of roofing, plumbing, and the engineer on the work. The cost of this work will be an addition to the contract for a sum of $590.

Furnish labor and materials to remove disintegrated concrete and to prepare the floor to receive a new slab to bring the level of the floor up to the abutting areas in the basement cafeteria annex. Install and finish the new slab as directed by the engineer on the work. The cost of this addition will be $990.

For the above additional work add the sum of $3,075, and the amount of $3,075 will be added therefor, making the account as follows: contract price, $172,842; total additions, $5,577.50; amount of contract, $178,419.50.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Charles Todesca has been directed to perform the following extra work under the contract for sheet asphalt pavement in Harrison avenue, Oak street, and Tyler street, dated October 26, 1954:

In Tyler street, deliver to District No. 8 paving yard 12 linear feet of new straight edgestone at $2.35 per linear foot. Estimated cost of extra work, $28.20.

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Charles Todesca has been directed to perform the following extra work under the contract for sheet asphalt pavement in Summer street and Washington street and artificial stone sidewalks in Washington street, dated October 21, 1954:

Furnish and lay approximately 630 tons of bituminous concrete wearing surface on Summer street, from Fort Point Channel to bridge over New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad at $7.75 per ton. Estimated cost of extra work, $4,832.50.

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Carriere Construction Company has been directed to perform the following extra work under the contract for bituminous concrete pavement in Allerton street, Ballin place, Cerina road, Dana place, Deaconess road, Joslin road, Peirson street, Pickering avenue, and Public Alley No. 1001, dated August 10, 1954:

In Allerton street, place concrete casings around existing fence supports for the sum of $79.

In Abby road, deliver 14.3 linear feet of straight edgestone to Brighton paving yard at $2.35 per linear foot and 62.5 linear feet of circular edgestone at $3.63 per linear foot.

In Dana place, deliver to Roxbury paving yard, 6.7 linear feet of circular edgestone at $4.06 per linear foot.

Estimated cost of extra work, $366.69.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Moore Construction Company, Inc., for sealing exterior masonry walls, to minimize their absorption and increase their repellency of water, at English High School, from July 15, 1955, to September 1, 1955. This extension was requested because of difficulty in getting proper mechanics to do the work.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Charles Todesca, 100 Roslindale avenue, Roslindale, for sheet asphalt pavement in Summer street and Washington street and artificial stone sidewalks in Washington street, from July 30, 1955, to September 15, 1955. This extension was requested because the contractor was ordered to do extra work.

TRANSFER OF APPROPRIATIONS.

The Mayor has approved the following requests for transfers of appropriations:

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

From 100, Permanent Employees, $6,100, to 349, Supplies and Materials (Not Otherwise Classified), $6,100.

FINANCE COMMISSION.

From 499, Current Charges and Obligations (Not Otherwise Classified), $350, to 297, Printing, Binding, Ruling, $350.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.
Long Island Division.

From 700, Structures and Improvements, $5,000, to 340, Household Supplies and Materials, $5,000.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
Sanitary Division.

From 100, Permanent Employees, $20,000, to 800, Land, $20,000.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 2,076.

In accordance with law, the following-named police officers are hereby retired from active duty in the Boston Police Department, effective on dates stated:

Chapter 658, Section 7, Acts of 1945, as Amended.

Patrolman James L. Fay, Division 16, July 31, 1955, 5.45 P.M.

Chapter 353, Acts of 1892, as Amended.

Patrolman Joseph J. Culpin, Division 18, July 29, 1955, 7.45 A.M.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,077.

The resignation of Patrolman Vincent T. Clifford, Division 10, having been presented while charges against him are

pending, it is hereby accepted, to take effect Monday, August 1, 1955, at 7.45 o'clock A.M., seven days' notice waived.

The Acting Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

SEWERAGE WORKS IN HYDE PARK.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that sewerage works be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within thirty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly Hyde Park and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Woodland road, bounded:

Southwesterly by another part of Woodland road, forty feet; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of said Woodland road, two hundred fifty-nine and 31-100 feet; northeasterly by another portion of said Woodland road, forty feet; and southeasterly by the southeasterly line of said Woodland road, two hundred fifty-nine and 31-100 feet, containing ten thousand three hundred seventy-two square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: 220 linear feet of 8-inch pipe sewer (sanitary) from a point 300 feet northeast of River street 220 feet northeasterly, at an estimated cost of $2,800.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the abutting parcels of land situated on both sides of Woodland road, as shown on a plan hereinbefore referred to and on file in the office of this department, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement herein ordered; each of said parcels in the amount hereinafter respectively set against it; said parcels and the supposed owners thereof being shown on the aforesaid plan.

Parcel.		Amount.
1.	Sabino Pasquale	$165 00
2.	Sabino Pasquale	165 00
3.	Sabino Pasquale	165 00
4.	Howard A. and Ernestine Gilmore	165 00
5.	Florence P. Strom	165 00
6.	Florence P. Strom	165 00
7.	William A. Strom	330 00
	Total	$1,320 00

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the taking of an easement for sewerage purposes and the construction of sewerage works in Woodland road, Hyde Park district, under the order of the commission of July 20, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

Owners unknown (Woodland road), 10,372 square feet, nothing.

STREET CONSTRUCTION IN HYDE PARK.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of Elliot street, Hyde Park district, as a public highway, from Wood avenue to Ayles road, with the name of Ellard road, or some other distinctive name, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named Ellard road is hereby laid out as a public highway, from Wood avenue to Ayles road, and ordered constructed.

Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees, shrubs or structures standing upon or affixed thereto in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

Northeasterly by Wood avenue, forty and 7-100 feet; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Ellard road as hereby laid out, two hundred nineteen and 11-100 feet; southwesterly by Lewiston street, forty and 8-100 feet; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Ellard road as hereby laid out, two hundred nineteen and 27-100 feet.

Northeasterly by Lewiston street, forty and 8-100 feet; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Ellard road as hereby laid out, two hundred and 42-100 feet; southwesterly by Ayles road, forty and 8-100 feet; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Ellard road as hereby laid out, two hundred and 42-100 feet.

Trees, shrubs or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforedescribed land, shall be removed therefrom within thirty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the abutting parcels of land situated on both sides of said Ellard road, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement herein ordered; each of said parcels in the amount hereinafter respectively set against it; said parcels and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan hereinbefore referred to, and on file in the office of this department.

Parcel.		Amount.
1.	James F. Satter	$159 63
2.	Joseph P. and Lottie R. Foley	159 12
3.	Anthony J. and Jennie Olivieri	148 38
4.	John C. and Helen F. Trainey	256 00
5.	Helen F. Tralney, Trustee for Dorothea F. Trainey	180 60
6.	Angelo and Nicolina Ragusa	160 65
7.	Jennie and Sylvia Olivieri	501 14
8.	Guy J. and Sylvia R. Olivieri	157 89
9.	Gregory G. and Genevieve DeMeo	146 88
10.	John B. and Mildred Finneran	140 37
	Total	$2,021 16

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the laying out and construction of Ellard road (formerly Elliot), Hyde Park district, from Wood avenue to Ayles road, as a public highway, under the order of the commission of July 20, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway resurfacing, estimated to be thirty (30) days, vehicles are excluded from the following streets, effective August 1, 1955:

Burney Street, Roxbury.
From Tremont street to Delle avenue.
Conant Street, Roxbury
From St. Alphonsus street to Huntington avenue.
Newmarket square, Roxbury and South Boston.
From Theodore A. Glynn Way to Southampton street.
Oscar Street, Roxbury.
From Terrace street to Parker street.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway resurfacing, estimated to be thirty (30) days, vehicles are excluded from the following street, effective July 29, 1955:

Kempton Street, Roxbury.
From Huntington avenue to Fenwood road.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, occasioned by construction of a portion of the John F. Fitzgerald Expressway, for a period estimated to be three (3) months, the following temporary traffic rules are effective July 28, 1955:

Vehicles are excluded from the following street:

Oliver Street, Boston Proper.
From High street to Purchase street.

Parking of vehicles is prohibited in the following streets:

High Street, Boston Proper.
Both sides, from Oliver street to Congress street.
Pearl Street, Boston Proper.
Both sides, from High street to Purchase street.

The one-way rule in the following street is reversed and it is one way in the direction indicated:

Pearl Street, Boston Proper.
From High street to Atlantic avenue.

IMPORTANCE OF FOOD-BORNE DISEASE.

The relationship of food to disease continues to be an important public health program. The United States Public Health Service reported 327 outbreaks of food-borne disease in the United States in 1948, which resulted in 9,962 cases and 17 deaths. As only one out of ten cases of food-borne disease is ever reported, the resulting situation is far more important than available statistics would indicate.

The United States Public Health Service reports that there occurred in the United States in 1948, 30 cases and 6 deaths resulting from botulism; 74 cases and 1 death resulting from chemical food poisoning; 120 cases of dysentery; 8,832 cases and 7 deaths resulting from food infection and gastroenteritis; 270 cases of scarlet fever.

—*Health Department Report.*

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, July 25, 1955.

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 2 P.M., President HURLEY in the chair. Absent, Councillor Foley.

The Reverend Edward J. Tangney, of St. Cecilia's Roman Catholic Church, Boston, was escorted to the rostrum.

INVOCATION BY REV. EDWARD J. TANGNEY.

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost. Amen.

Almighty and Eternal God, support us with all Thy holy authority so that we, Thy personal ambassadors, may come to Thy secret place to adore Thy holy name.

Give us wisdom and knowledge to work in Thy light; give us power to do Thy will, to do what is right and to recognize our holy duties by law, our duty to America, and our duty to our fellow men. Guide us by Thy spirit, guide us in our Council today in our deliberations for the greater honor and glory of Thy name and the peace and happiness of our citizens.

This we ask in the name of Thy divine son, Jesus Christ.

Our Father, Who art in Heaven, hallowed be Thy name; Thy kingdom come; Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. Amen.

The meeting was opened with the salute to the Flag.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR.

Subject to confirmation by the Council, the Mayor submitted the following appointment:

Constable, with authority to serve civil process upon filing of bond, for the term ending April 30, 1956: Edward A. Keefe, 20 Ely road, Dorchester.

Referred to the Committee on Confirmations.

VETO OF ORDER GRANTING COMPENSATORY TIME OFF TO CERTAIN POLICE OFFICERS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, July 20, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I return herewith disapproved, and without my signature, the order adopted by your Honorable Body on July 11, 1955, for the acceptance of chapter 223 of the Acts of 1955, entitled "An Act Granting Compensatory Time Off to Certain Police Officers in Attendance in Certain Criminal Cases."

In the opinion of the Police Commissioner the effect of the acceptance of this act would be to encourage and to place a premium on indiscriminate arrests for any real or suspected violation of law. Further, it is estimated that the operation of this act would add at least $250,000 a year to the expenses of the Police Department and would, in no sense, be an improvement in the administration of that department.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

The message and order were placed on file.

TRAFFIC CONDITIONS ON CLIFFORD STREET, ROXBURY.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, July 17, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Traffic Commissioner relative to your order of June 6, 1955, concerning the surveying of traffic conditions on Clifford street, Roxbury, with a view to having it made one way, from Blue Hill avenue to Warren street.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

Boston Traffic Commission,
July 11, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

With reference to Council order of June 6, 1955, requesting that a survey of traffic conditions in Clifford street, Roxbury, be made with a view to having it made one way, from Blue Hill avenue to Warren street, I wish to report that we have completed our survey.

A house to house interview was made on June 23 which showed that the majority of the residents are in favor of making the street one way. However, another grievance was brought out during the interview which may have some bearing on the request. There is a market located on the corner of Clifford street and Blue Hill avenue where the owner parks his own car and his delivery truck in Clifford street in the "No Parking" area, blocking the free movement of traffic at this intersection.

There were 21 families who could not be contacted during the interview and it is possible that all would be opposed to a one-way rule. Clifford street is the continuation of Dale street, which runs from Washington street to Warren street and Clifford street runs from Warren street to Blue Hill avenue. This is a very long block and would put the residents long distances out of their way to get to their homes.

Our engineer discussed conditions in this street with Police Captain Cloran of Division 9 and Captain Cloran viewed the area and noted that, as stated above, the owner of the market is wont to park his car and truck in the "No Parking" side of the street practically all day and promised to have this practice stopped.

The captain said that in his opinion if consideration were to be given to making Clifford street one way, the proper direction would be from Warren street to Blue Hill avenue. He said that Clifford street is part of the Dale street-Clifford street neighborhood crosstown route in the direction of Blue Hill avenue and that any diversion from it would create confusion and would have a serious impact on neighboring streets.

It is our opinion, therefore, that it would be better not to invoke a one-way rule in this street.

Respectfully yours,
WM. ARTHUR REILLY, Commissioner.

Placed on file.

PREPARATION BY PLANNING BOARD OF DATA RE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT OF THE CITY.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, July 25, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the chairman of the City Planning Board relative to your resolutions and orders of March 28, 1955, April 18, 1955, and May 9, 1955, concerning the preparation of studies, maps, and data for the solution to the economic development of this city.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

City Planning Board, July 12, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

In answer to your request for consideration of resolve of City Council dated May 8, 1955, I am replying as follows:

The Board has discussed at several meetings the contents of this resolve along with Council resolutions or orders of March 28 (2), April 18, and an additional one on May 9. The anxiety of the City Council for a mapped out solution of Boston's problems is fully appreciated and it is agreed that these problems have a profound economic complexity and, further, they are of such an acute nature as to generate dissatisfaction all along the line.

The specific studies mentioned are all underway, with the exception of the M.T.A. study, which it is believed can only be handled as an integrated transportation study on a metropolitan basis. We understand that necessary preliminaries for the initiation of this study at a state level are presently under consideration.

The Board is presently engaged in two major projects which are quite complex and time consuming, but are of fundamental importance in the economic and structural development of the city. While a determined effort is being made to bring these projects—the Rezoning study and the Central Area study to a conclusion, work on a third major project, Urban Renewal, had to be started. Nevertheless, it is planned to have a final report on Zoning and a progress report on the Central Area available by the end of the year.

The Board will shortly be drafting its work program and budget for next year and will take into consideration the referrals from the Council and will include any items that are not now in the program, which it feels are essential.

Very truly yours,
THOMAS F. MCDONOUGH, Chairman.

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NAMING OF UNDERPASS IN HONOR OF THOMAS J. MANNING.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, July 25, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Public Works relative to your order of July 11, 1955, concerning the naming of the new underpass from Archdale road to Hyde Park avenue, Jamaica Plain, in honor of the late Thomas J. Manning.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Public Works Department,
July 14, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.

Dear Mr. Flemming:

This is in reference to the following order that was passed in the City Council under date of July 11, 1955.

Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to name the new underpass from Archdale road to Hyde Park avenue, Jamaica Plain, in honor of the late Thomas J. Manning, through whose untiring efforts this underpass has become a reality, and that suitable signs designating same be erected.

I am very pleased to comply with the provisions of the above-referenced order and appropriate signs designating the underpass as the Thomas J. Manning Underpass will be erected at the site within the next week or ten days.

Very truly yours,
GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Placed on file.

APPROPRIATION FROM PARKMAN FUND INCOME.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, July 18, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I am in receipt of the attached communication from the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation requesting the appropriation of $53,000 from the income of the George F. Parkman Fund, to be expended under the direction of the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation, for the Maintenance and Improvement of the Common and Parks in Existence on January 12, 1887.

The 1955 budget estimates for the personal service requirements of the Park Department included an estimate of the total yearly income from the George F. Parkman Fund. The budget allowances made provision for the appropriation of this income as it accrued for the purpose of defraying the cost of work actually performed on the Common and Parks in Existence on January 12, 1887.

I submit herewith an order appropriating the sum of $53,000, the accrued income now available from the Parkman Fund, and respectfully recommend its immediate passage by your Honorable Body.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Parks and Recreation Department,
July 11, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Sir:

You are respectfully requested to ask the City Council to transfer from the income of the George F. Parkman Fund the sum of $53.000 which is now available, to be expended under the direction of the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation, as follows:

Common and Parks in Existence on January 12, 1887, Maintenance and Improvement of.....$53,000

When making up the budget estimates for the year 1955, a sum equal to the total yearly income of the George F. Parkman Fund was deducted from Item 100, Permanent Employ-

ees, with the understanding that this deduction was to be replaced by the total yearly income of said Parkman Fund for 1955, to be transferred as it accrued from time to time during the year to the regular maintenance appropriation of the Parks and Recreation Department.

Respectfully yours,
FRANK R. KELLEY, Commissioner.

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Ordered, That the sum of fifty-three thousand dollars ($53,000) be, and hereby is, appropriated from the income of the George F. Parkman Fund, to be expended under the direction of the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation, for the Maintenance and Improvement of the Common and Parks in Existence on January 12, 1887, as follows:

Common and Parks in Existence on January 12, 1887, Maintenance and Improvement of.....$53,000

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On motion of Councillor Hailer the order was referred to the Executive Committee.

PETITION FOR ANNUITY.

Petition of Madeline O'Brien, to be paid an annuity on account of the death of her husband, John W. O'Brien, late member of the Police Department.

Referred to the Committee on Claims.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committee named, viz.:

Claims.

John A. Allgaier, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Bridge and Highway Division, Public Works Department.

Alice Bastion, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Purchase and Federal streets.

Thomas W. Bellew, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect at 343 Geneva avenue.

Berger Brothers, Inc., for compensation for damage to property at 94 Essex street, Boston, caused by water seepage.

Abraham Bohn, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 310 Atlantic avenue.

Anthony and Christine Buonopane, for compensation for damage to property at 342 Hanover street, Boston, caused by defective sewer system.

Robert K. Carey and Leo F. Walsh, for compensation for injuries and damage to car by fire truck.

Mrs. Francis L. Carley, for compensation for damage to property at 71 Athol street, Allston, caused by backing up of sewnge.

John J. Driscoll, for compensation for damage to property at 48 Ayles road, Hyde Park, caused by ball thrown from Ross Field.

George Grandolfi, for compensation for injuries caused by nn alleged defect at Brooks and Princeton streets.

Helen Gurney, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 224 Tremont street.

Catherine Kramer, for compensation for glasses broken by patient nt City Hospital.

Millie Lampert, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 863 Blue Hill avenue.

Eugene M. Lavery, to be reimbursed 15 cents lost in parking meter.

William C. Lucey, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Public Works Depnrtment, Highway Division.

William M. McGourty, for compensntion for damage to property at 35 Bowdoin nvenue, during reconstruction of Bowdoin avenue.

Anna Maria Morteo, for compensation for injuries caused by an nlleged defect at 280 Hanover street.

Frank L. Mossman, for compensation for damage to car cnused by an alleged defect in Arborway.

William D. Munroe, for compensantion for damage to property at 829 East Third street, South Boston, caused by backing up of sewage.

National Screen Service Corporntion, for compensation for damage to property on Winchester street, cnused by water.

Marie O'Dea, for compensation for injuries caused hy an alleged defect nt 38 Juniper street, Roxbury.

Joseph T. Rea, for compensation for damage to property at 65 Athol atreet, Allston, caused by sewernge.

Joseph Rotondo, for compensation for injuries caused by motor vehicle of Police Department.

Tomasina G. Santoro, for compensation for damage to property at 57 Trenton street, East Boston, caused by falling tree.

Frank J. Scalli, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect at 213 Camden street.

Henry Smith, for compensation for injuries caused by motor vehicle of Police Department.

Salvatore Staulo, for compensation for damage to property at 55 Bowdoin avenue, Dorchester, during reconstruction of Bowdoin avenue.

Joseph Stern, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect at Mt. Vernon street.

Stuart, Ltd., for compensation for damage to property at 62 Stuart street, caused by leak in sewerage system.

Caroline Traynor, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Albany street.

William R. Turnbull, Jr., for compensation for damage to property at 44 Jamaica street, Jamaica Plain, caused by leaking water meter.

Rowland H. Valkenaar, for compensation for dnmage to car by police motorcycle.

Paul E. Vallen, for compensation for damage to car by falling tree.

Dr. Daniel Walden, for compensation for dnmage to car by truck of Fire Department.

APPLICATIONS FOR SHELLFISH PERMITS.

Applications for commercial use shellfish permits were received from the following:

John Bennett, 12 Water street, Dorchester, Ward 16; William E. Bennett, 12 Water street, Dorchester, Ward 16; John F. O'Neill, 392 Centre street, Dorchester, Ward 16; Robert J. Powers, 37 Thelma road, Dorchester, Ward 16; Albin Wrublewski, 32 Bellevue street, Dorchester, Ward 15.

Severally referred to the Committee on Licenses.

PETITIONS FOR INDEMNIFICATION.

Petition of Thomas J. Carroll, employee of the Boston Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses.

Petition of Richard J. Dunn, employee of the Boston Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses.

Petition of Joseph C. Fitzgerald, employee of the Boston Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses.

Petition of George H. King, employee of the Boston Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses.

Petition of Joseph P. McDonough, employee of the Boston Fire Depnrtment, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses.

Petition of Charles N. Vogel, employee of the Boston Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses.

Petition of Charles N. Vogel, employee of the Boston Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses.

Severally referred to the Committee on Claims.

APPROVAL OF STATE HOUSING BOARD.

Notice was received from the State Housing Board of approval of sale of 34 parcels of property under section 6, chnpter 372 of the Acts of 1946.

Placed on file.

NOTICES FROM DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES.

Notice was received from the Department of Public Utilities of hearing to be held July 26, 1955, at 10 A.M., on petition of the Metropolitan Transit Authority for license to operate motor vehicles on Dartmouth street, between Boylston street and Huntington avenue.

Notice wns received from the Department of Public Utilities of hearing to be held July 27, 1955, at 10 A.M., on petition of Rapid Transit, Inc., for license to operate motor vehicles on Bennington street, between Saratoga street and Ashley street.

Notice was received from the Department of Public Utilities of hearing to be held July 26, 1955, at 10 A.M., on petition of Metropolitan Transit Authority for license to operate motor vehicles on South Huntington avenue, between Barbara atreet and Huntington avenue.

Notice was received from the Department of Public Utilities of hearing to be held July 26, 1955, at 10 A.M., on petition of the Metropolitan Transit Authority for license to operate motor vehicles on Northern avenue, between D street and Atlantic avenue.

Severally placed on file.

NOTICE FROM STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

A communication was received from the State Department of Public Works transmitting copy of order of layout and taking of section of State highway (Southeast Expressway).

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT OF JOSEPH X. CONLEY AND ARTHUR E. HILTZ.

Notice was received from the Health Commissioner of appointment of Joseph X. Conley and Arthur E. Hiltz, as environmental sanitation inspectors, effective July 13, 1955.

Severally placed on file.

APPROVAL OF EMERGENCY FINANCE BOARD OF LOAN OF $3,500,000.

A communication was received from the Emergency Finance Board enclosing copy of vote passed by the Board approving loan of the City of Boston in accordance with the provisions of chapter 49, Acts of 1933, as amended, the proceeds of such loan to be used to meet the following appropriations:

School Committee	$3,279,448 97
Hospital Department	220,551 03
	$3,500,000 00

Placed on file.

NOTICE OF INTEREST IN CONTRACT.

Notice was received from Samuel J. Tomasello, member of the Board of Appeal, of interest in the contract for bituminous concrete pavement on Chiswick terrace, etc.

Placed on file.

TWO-WAY COMMUNICATIONS ON PUBLIC CARRIERS.

A communication was received from the Commandant, United States Coast Guard, acknowledging receipt of resolution dated June 27, 1955, concerning the grounding of the SS "Pilgrim Belle," and advising that the matter of requiring two-way communication facilities on certain public carriers does not come under the jurisdiction of the United States Coast Guard. The communication further advised that legislation is now pending in Congress requiring certain vessels to carry two-way radio.

Placed on file.

CELEBRATION OF BASTILLE DAY.

A communication was received from Francois Charles-Roux, Consul General of France at Boston, expressing the appreciation of himself and his compatriots for the resolution adopted by the City Council July 11, 1955, in connection with the celebration of Bastille Day.

Placed on file.

NOTICE FROM ANIMAL RESCUE LEAGUE.

A communication was received from the Animal Rescue League of Boston advising that the number of dogs taken by such league in the period from July 1, 1954, through June 30, 1955, was 6,672.

Placed on file.

CONVEYANCE OF LAND ON VICTORY ROAD, DORCHESTER, TO COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

Coun. McCORMACK called up, under unfinished business, No. 1 on the Calendar, viz.:

1. Order for conveyance of land on Victory road, Dorchester, to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts for armory purposes.

On July 11, 1955, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas, 8, nays, 1.

The order was given its second reading and passage, yeas, 8, nays, 0.

Yeas—Councillors Ahearn, Hailer, Hurley, Kerrigan, McCormack, McLaughlin, Piemonte, White—8.
Nays—0.

Coun. WHITE in the chair.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFIRMATIONS.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN, for the Committee on Confirmations, submitted the following:

Report on appointment by the Mayor (referred July 11) of Charles F. Williams as weigher of coal for term ending April 30, 1956—recommending that appointment be confirmed.

Report on appointment by the Mayor (referred July 11) of Walter F. Colbert as weigher of goods for term ending April 30, 1956—recommending that appointment be confirmed.

The reports were accepted, and the question came on confirmation. Committee, Councillors Hailer and McLaughlin. Whole number of ballots 8, yeas, 8, and the appointments were confirmed.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CLAIMS.

Coun. McCORMACK, for the Committee on Claims, submitted the following:

1. Report on petition of John McDonough (referred July 11) to be reimbursed as a result of an execution issued against him on account of acts as an employee of the Police Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That the sum of three hundred ninety-six dollars ($396) be allowed and paid to John McDonough in reimbursement for amount of execution issued against him on account of his acts as a member of the Police Department, said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

2. Report on petition of Alexander N. Morrison (referred July 11) to be reimbursed as a result of an execution issued against him on account of acts as a member of the Fire Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That the sum of three hundred dollars ($300) be allowed and paid to Alexander N. Morrison in reimbursement for amount of execution issued against him on account of his acts as a member of the Fire Department, said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

3. Report on petition of Jeremiah Wholey (referred July 11) to be reimbursed as a result of an execution issued against him on account of acts as an employee of the Water Division, Public Works Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That the sum of one hundred two dollars and eighty-eight cents ($102.88) be allowed and paid to Jeremiah Wholey in reimbursement for amount of execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Water Division, Public Works Department, said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

The reports were accepted, and the orders were severally passed.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCE.

Coun. HAILER, for the Committee on Appropriations and Finance, submitted the following:

1. Report on message of the Mayor and order (referred June 27) for appropriation of $100,000 for reconstruction and repair of parkways and roadways—recommending that same ought to pass.

The report was accepted, and the order was passed, yeas, 7, nays, 0.

Yeas—Councillors Ahearn, Hailer, Kerrigan, McCormack, McLaughlin, Piemonte, White—7.
Nays—0.

OVERTIME PAY FOR POLICE OFFICERS DURING RECENT DEER ISLAND REVOLT.

Coun. HAILER offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor, the Mayor, confer with Police Commissioner Sullivan and give all officers who worked overtime during the recent Deer Island revolt overtime pay.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

COMPLETION OF HYDE PARK AVENUE.

Coun. HAILER offered the following:

Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works (Boston) confer with the State Department of Public Works about speeding up the completion of Hyde Park avenue.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENTS TO CLERK OF COMMITTEES DEPARTMENT.

Coun. HURLEY submitted the following:

Ordered, That effective July 27, 1955, the following persons be, and they hereby are, appointed in the service of the Clerk of Committees Department to the positions set against their respective names until the fourth Wednesday of August, 1955, at the salaries in effect for them on July 26, 1955:

Francis R. Burke, temporary clerk.
Peter J. Cloherty, temporary clerk.
Nicholas DiMella, temporary stenographer-clerk.
Agnes G. Dinsmore, temporary clerk-receptionist.
Catherine E. Dunn, temporary stenographer-clerk.
Mary E. Flynn, temporary stenographer-clerk.
Catherine Monahan, temporary stenographer-clerk.
Paul G. O'Hara, temporary clerk.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

AID TO VICTIMS OF POLIO.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Resolved, That the Health Commissioner of the City of Boston be requested to contact the Superintendents of the Boston City Hospital, Massachusetts General Hospital, the Peter Bent Brigham Hospital, and St. Elizabeth's Hospital for the purpose of having the best available specialists on polio pool their efforts to afford any and all possible help to Boston families stricken with polio.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

CONGRATULATIONS TO WILLIAM HOWARD McCLENNAN AND JOHN R. HARRISON.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Resolved, That the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, on this 25th day of July, 1955, do hereby compliment and congratulate William Howard McClennan and John R. Harrison, president and vice-president, respectively, of the Boston Fire Fighters Union, Local 718, A. F. of L., for their constant attendance and interest in the deliberations of the meetings of the Boston City Council during the past year; and, be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the secretary of the Boston Fire Fighters Union, Local 718, A. F. of L., to the editors of the official organ of the "International Association of Firefighters," and the "Boston Fire Fighters Digest."

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

MAINTENANCE OF HISTORIC STATUES AND SITES.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Ordered, That the Boston Art Commission take immediate steps to bring those historic statues and sites within its jurisdiction to a condition that will reflect credit on the city and properly serve their purpose as landmarks of American history.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

OLD COLONY HOUSING DEVELOPMENT RENTALS.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Ordered, That the Boston Housing Authority provide the Boston City Council with the figures relative to rentals in Old Colony Housing Project.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

PROGRESS REPORT OF OFF-STREET PARKING AREAS.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Resolved, That his Honor, the Mayor of Boston, furnish the Boston City Council with a detailed progress report of the construction of off-street parking areas.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

ENDORSEMENT OF EDITORIAL IN "THE PILOT."

Coun. HURLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That the editorial "Who Is Welcome?" from the edition of July 23, 1955, of "The Pilot," be printed as part of the minutes of the City Council meeting of July 25, 1955, and that three hundred (300) extra copies be printed and sent by the City Clerk, when printed, to all of the members of the Massachusetts Delegation in Congress and to all the members of the Great and General Court of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

The editorial is as follows:

"Who Is Welcome?"

For the past decade this country has witnessed something of a housing construction race. What with the post-war marriage boom, the influx of refugees and immigrants and doubled-up family groups unable to find accommodations during wartime shortages; all this, coupled with structure deterioration and the lack of critical building materials, demanded immediate and large-scale housing developments. The urgency of the situation made necessary, as never before, public construction. Thus it was, and is, that both state and federal governments subsidized housing programs, the former mainly for veterans and the latter for "low income" families.

Despite the efforts that have been made up to the present however, the rate of construction still seems insufficient, nationally and locally. More than that, market studies have shown that private enterprise has not been making decent dwellings available to the lower-income and larger-family groups at prices they can afford to pay. Single-family housing construction has been adapted to the so-called "normal" family of four persons. It is hardly fair to ask what would become of this country if we had only such "normal" families?

In his encyclical on Christian Marriage, Pope Pius XI, speaking on the very subject of inadequate housing had this to say:

> "if families, particularly those in which there are many children have no suitable dwellings . . . it is patent to all to what an extent married people may lose heart, and how home life and the observance of God's commands are rendered difficult for them; indeed it is obvious how great a peril can arise to the public security and to the welfare and very life of civil society itself . . ."

In their statement of 1949, the American hierarchy speaking on the Christian family took exception to the thinking and practices in the "land of plenty" where parents are forced to live in poverty without an opportunity to own their own homes, while governmental aids are extended in so many other economic directions. It is scant comfort to mouth pious platitudes about the integrity of American family life when parents and their children find themselves confined to cramped quarters because there is "no room" in the tenement or the new development for them.

Yes, there is a shortage of houses, and there are those experts in the field who are not overly optimistic about the long-range possibilities for improvements. But quite apart from the construction problems of the private and public interests, there is unfortunately with the "status quo" housing situation the far more serious lack of charity (and justice too!) on the part of certain individuals. Perhaps in some instances the sudden change from tenant to landlord status was too much for them. The possession of house and property has caused them to take a dim view of children, even though their offspring might but recently have set out on their own after living a normal, active childhood in the family home—or even a rented apartment. For still other property owners, there might be the failure to remember that babies, not full grown men, come upon this mortal scene. Whatever be the reasons for refusal of rentals, and they must be legion, like the scriptural unclean spirits, they are not at all Christian if based on the general unacceptability of children in the house.

This is not to say that landlords do not have problems to face with their tenants. Many a heartache as well as financial reverses have been suffered by kind house owners at the hands of inconsiderate renters. Rather is this directed to those owners who make restrictions which are prejudicial to Christian family welfare. In a sense these type people might be called accomplices of the "crusaders against children." While vehemently denouncing the birth control advocates, these property owners express the same sentiments with that polite but nonetheless frightening phrase, "No children, please."

Could it be that some otherwise good Christians forgot how the Lord chided the disciples when they tried to keep the children away from him? "Let them be, do not keep them back from me; the kingdom of God belongs to such as these. Believe me, the man

who does not accept the kingdom of God like a little child will never enter into it." Evidently a sign on the door of heaven would read, "No adults, please."

Passed under suspension of the rules.

RECESS.

On motion of Councillor White the Council voted to take a recess at 3.15 P.M., subject to the call of the Chair. The members reassembled in the Council Chamber and were called to order by Senior Member White at 4.20 P.M.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. WHITE, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following:

1. Report on message of the Mayor and order (referred this date) for the appropriation of $53,000 from the income of the George F. Parkman Fund, to be expended under the direction of the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation—recommending that same ought to pass.

The report was accepted and the order was passed, yens 8, nays 0.

Yeas—Councillors Ahearn, Hailer, Hurley, Kerrigan, McCormack, McLaughlin, Piemonte, White—8.

Nays—0.

2. Report on message of the Mayor and order (referred June 27) accepting chapter 315 of the Acts of 1955, relative to the removal of vehicles parked or standing in violation of law on public ways in the downtown area of the City of Boston—recommending passage of the order.

The report was accepted and the order was passed.

3. Report on resolution (referred June 27) on approval of new management of Boston & Maine Railroad—recommending adoption of the resolution.

The report was accepted and the resolution was ndopted.

4. Report on resolution (referred January 17) favoring House Bill 954 and furtber defining the words "Legal Holiday"—recommending that no further action is necessary.

5. Report on order (referred June 13) with reference to reenlistment of members of the Boston Fire Department serving in a reserve component of the armed forces—recommending that no further action is necessary.

6. Report on order (refeired January 17) favoring House Bill 940, regulating hours of duty of members of the Boston Police Department—recommending no further action is necessary.

The reports were severally accepted.

7. Report on order (referred March 14) re change of compensation grade of egress and zoning inspectors—recommending that the order be placed on file.

The report was accepted and the order was placed on file.

8. Report on message of the Mayor (referred October 25, 1954) re pamphlet explaining incinerators and incineration—recommending that the message be placed on file.

The report was accepted and the message was placed on file.

9. Report on communication from Representative James C. Bayley (referred June 6) concerning baseball game between members of the General Court and the Boston City Council—recommending that the communication be placed on file.

The report was accepted and the communication was placed on file.

10. Report on communication from the Corporation Counsel (referred April 11) relative to drawing orders for change of grade of correction officer and jail officer under County Classification and Compensntion Plan—recommending that the communication be placed on file.

The report was accepted and the communication was placed on file.

11. Report on message of the Mayor (referred June 6) concerning change of grade of jail officers under County Classification and Compensation Plan—recommending that the message be placed on file.

The report was accepted and the message was placed on file.

12. Report on message of the Mayor (referred December 20, 1954) concerning status of plans for incinerators—recommending that the message be placed on file.

The report was accepted and the message was placed on file.

13. Report on message of the Mayor and order (referred June 6) authorizing the purchasing agent to have printed as a city document 5,000 copies of a descriptive pamphlet relating to Faneuil Hall—recommending passage of the said order and passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That the 5,000 copies of the pamphlet relating to Faneuil Hall contain locations of sites for off-street parking in the downtown areas and that the evening hours thnt the department stores are open be included in the pamphlet.

The report was accepted and the two orders were passed.

14. Report on resolution (referred March 28) for fireworks display in East Boston district on July 4—recommending adoption of the resolution with the following amendment; and be it further

Resolved, That sufficient funds be included in the annual budget each year for the purchase of fireworks for each district of the city each year—recommending adoption of the resolution as amended.

The report was accepted and the resolution as amended was adopted.

CAMPAIGN AGAINST LITTERBUGS.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Whereas, On Monday, May 2, 1955, the Boston City Council, at a regular meeting of its Honorable Body, did on motion of Councillor Piemonte pass the following order:

Whereas, The littering of streets is a detriment to any city; and

Whereas, In the City of Boston the correction of this problem involves more than one department; and

Whereas, The Public Works Commissioner has under his direction the collecting of refuse and garbage and the sweeping of streets; and

Whereas, The Health Department has within its power a division known as the Health and Sanitation Inspectors, whose duty it is to enforce health and sanitation in the City of Boston; and

Whereas, The Police Department is the general law-enforcing agency in the City of Boston; and

Whereas, The Park Department has the supervision of the picking up of litter in the parks and playgrounds of the City of Boston; and

Whereas, The Corporation Counsel of the City of Boston is the department charged with the drawing up of ordinances and passing on the legality and constitutionality of the same; and

Whereas, The Traffic Commission makes the rules nnd regulations relative to parking; now, therefore, he it

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor request that the Commissioner of Public Works, the Police Commissioner, the Park Commissioner, the Health Commissioner, the Traffic Commissioner, and the Corporation Counsel confer for the purpose of instituting a permanent campaign against litterbugs in the City of Boston, and to draw up and execute any plans or ordinances which they may deem necessary or expedient to carry out the same; and be it further

Resolved, That they consider the advisability of inviting the School Committee to assist them in distributing leaflets and circulars relative to said campaign to the homes through the school children.

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor request the Commissioner of Public Works, the Police Commissioner, the Health Commissioner, the Park Commissioner, and the Corporation Counsel to confer for the purpose of discussing a permanent campaign against litterbugs; and be it further

Ordered, Thnt said group invite the cooperation of the School Committee in distributing to the homes, by the school children, leaflets and circulars relative to said campaign.

And whereas, the litterbugs are still very much active in the streets, parks, and playgrounds of Boston, be it

Resolved, That his Honor, the Mayor, direct the department heads named in the aforesaid order adopted on May 2 to intensify and put into action their campaign against the litterbugs in Boston.

The resolution was adopted under auspension of the rules.

CONGRATULATIONS TO BOSTON RED SOX.

Coun. HAILER offered the following:

Resolved, That the Boston City Council, in meeting herein assembled, desires to express its congratulations and best wishes for the continued success of the Boston Red Sox whose team spirit and will to win has brought them and the City of Boston and New England the admiration and esteem of the whole country; be it further

Resolved, That the Council also desires to congratulate one of America's greatest sportsmen, Thomas A. Yawkey, the beloved and estecmed General Manager Joseph Cronin, and the Manager of the Year, Mike Higgins; be it further

Resolved, That bis Honor the Mayor in conjunction with the Boston City Council and Boston Red Sox Management sponsor a "Win the Pennant Day" during this present home stand; and be it further

Resolved, That copies be sent to the Boston Red Sox, Tom Yawkey, Joe Cronin, and Mike Higgins.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

Adjourned at 4.41 P.M., on motion of Councillor Piemonte, to meet on Monday, August 1, 1955, at 2 P.M.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

(Stenographic copy of such debate on file in office of City Clerk.)

WIDENING SOUTHAMPTON STREET.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the widening and construction of Southampton street, Roxbury district, at the easterly corner of Hampden street, bounded and described as follows:

The highway named Southampton street is hereby widened at the easterly corner of Hampden street and ordered constructed.

For the making of the aforesaid improvement an easement for street purposes is hereby taken in the following described land, exclusive of trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed thereto:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Boston Lead Manufacturing Company, bounded:

Westerly by the easterly line of Hampden street, eleven and 51-100 feet; northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Southampton street as it existed prior to this order, seven and 78-100 feet; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Southampton street as widened under this order, seventeen and 67-100 feet on a curve of twenty-three and 66-100 feet radius, containing fourteen square feet, more or less.

Trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforedescribed land, shall be removed therefrom within thirty days following a notice of the city s intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Said Southampton street as hereby widened is bounded:

Westerly by the easterly line of Hampden street, eleven and 51-100 feet; northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Southampton street as it existed prior to this order, seven and 78-100 feet; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Southampton street as hereby widened, seventeen and 67-100 feet on a curve of twenty-three and 66-100 feet radius.

No betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Voted, That this commission determines that the undermentioned person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement consisting of the widening and construction of Southampton street, Roxbury district, at the easterly corner of Hampden street, under the order of this commission of July 20, 1955, in the amount hereinafter set against it, and awards said amount therefor.

Boston Lead Manufacturing Company, 14 square feet, $1.

STATEMENT OF BUILDING OPERATIONS IN THE CITY OF BOSTON FOR THE MONTH ENDING JUNE 30, 1955.

(As compared with corresponding period in preceding years.)

	1955.		1954.		1953.		1952.		1951.	
	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.
Type I	6	$54,000	3	$184,000	2	$1,050,000	5	$1,220,500	48	$8,066,800
Type II	1	250,000	1	63,000	—	—	1	700,000	—	—
Type IV	18	588,650	8	176,000	14	135,700	13	283,400	20	1,347,600
Type V	6	16,100	1	12,000	4	7,500	1	300	4	29,000
Type VI	69	736,950	38	338,980	41	314,650	31	267,800	36	277,275
Total new construction	100	$1,645,700	51	$773,980	61	$1,507,900	51	$2,472,000	108	$9,720,675
Alterations, repairs, etc	571	927,502	637	725,828	534	796,670	532	473,832	577	448,918
Total structural construction	671	$2,573,202	688	$1,499,808	595	$2,304,570	583	$2,945,832	685	$10,169,593
Plumbing	347	$286,885	250	$255,250	277	$243,810	260	$125,065	190	$226,730
Gasfitting	574	75,385	541	79,017	435	60,604	529	62,590	353	42,363
Heaters, ovens, etc	33	24,580	25	24,880	12	18,600	11	17,200	11	39,930
Elevators, new freight	—	—	1	4,200	2	10,340	3	26,000	5	31,245
Elevators, new passenger	1	20,000	4	45,075	—	—	7	84,500	—	—
Elevators, alterations, freight	13	4,215	17	14,758	8	3,920	14	6,813	13	2,781
Elevators, alterations, passenger	19	609,180	27	8,716	15	7,220	15	11,512	25	5,564
Signs, projections, etc	28	6,010	35	25,215	34	16,245	45	15,412	42	16,668
Fire escapes, etc	42	8,175	108	22,035	74	15,530	45	8,132	53	9,875
Take-downs, wood	8	4,400	16	6,870	14	6,015	6	1,675	16	4,920
Take-downs, brick, etc	9	66,350	4	1,650	16	10,695	19	29,700	11	5,835
Sprinklers	13	41,875	13	48,365	24	73,765	7	25,687	4	28,875
Excavations	15	5,250	4	1,300	1	1,000	1	150	3	13,500
Use of premises	2	—	5	—	6	—	3	—	7	—
Total	1,104	$1,152,305	1,050	$537,331	918	$467,744	965	$414,436	729	$427,336
Grand total all work	1,775	$3,725,507	1,738	$2,037,139	1,513	$2,772,314	1,548	$3,360,268	1,304	$10,596,929
Department revenue		$13,920.03		$7,417.30		$9,583.25		$7,808.25		$5,484.00

The following is a statement showing the number, purpose and estimated cost of the erection of new buildings and the alterations, repairs, additions, etc., of existing buildings for which applications were filed with the Building Department of the City of Boston during the

MONTH ENDING JUNE 30, 1955.

Purpose.	New Buildings.		Alterations.		Total.	
	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.
Amusement and recreation places, theatres, halls, movies	5	$14,200	8	$4,600	13	$18,800
Churches, chapels, synagogues	1	45,000	5	22,565	6	67,565
Dwellings, small, 1-family	64	639,200	112	66,274	176	705,474
Dwellings, small, 2-family	—	—	115	57,998	115	57,998
Dwellings, small, 3-family	—	—	153	72,370	153	72,370
Dwellings, small, with stores	—	—	19	9,380	19	9,380
Dwellings, large, 4 or more families	1	50,000	30	73,266	31	123,266
Dwellings, large, with stores	—	—	5	3,052	5	3,052
Educational buildings, schools, colleges	1	24,000	6	55,300	7	79,300
Garage and repair shops	12	45,050	10	48,410	22	93,460
Hotel and club buildings	—	—	3	26,450	3	26,450
Institutional buildings, hospitals, asylums, clinics	1	250,000	—	—	1	250,000
Lodgings, dormitories, convents, homes	—	—	4	7,480	4	7,480
Manufacturing buildings, bakeries, laundries, workshops	1	300,000	12	83,050	13	383,050
Mercantile buildings, restaurants, stores, showrooms, service stations	7	115,000	64	166,787	71	281,787
Office and bank buildings	2	146,500	17	218,320	19	364,820
Storage buildings, warehouses, lumber sheds, silos	1	750	4	11,025	5	11,775
Miscellaneous	4	16,000	4	1,175	8	17,175
Total	100	$1,645,700	571	$927,502	671	$2,573,202

STATEMENT OF BUILDING OPERATIONS IN THE CITY OF BOSTON FOR THE SIX-MONTH PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 1955.

(As compared with preceding years.)

	1955.		1954.		1953.		1952.		1951.	
	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.
Type I	27	$5,563,100	17	$1,848,800	13	$3,336,500	52	$22,335,175	105	$24,690,440
Type II	6	972,000	6	1,059,000	3	192,000	5	1,450,000	1	200,000
Type IV	65	2,564,550	47	1,089,720	65	2,135,150	52	1,131,945	76	2,589,800
Type V	21	71,300	15	71,900	20	2,135,150	22	71,975	25	132,200
Type VI	383	3,743,270	240	2,233,510	207	1,714,430	185	1,414,360	206	5,101,031
Total new construction	505	$12,917,220	325	$6,302,960	308	$7,735,680	316	$26,403,755	413	$33,013,471
Alterations, repairs, etc.	2,811	6,865,251	3,085	5,415,106	2,117	5,748,623	2,868	4,001,653	3,035	4,335,970
Total structural construction	3,316	$19,782,171	3,110	$11,718,066	2,725	$13,181,303	3,181	$30,105,108	3,448	$37,349,111
Plumbing	1,112	$1,038,050	1,304	$1,076,515	1,476	$2,108,055	1,380	$1,427,172	1,334	$1,206,755
Gasfitting	3,198	336,117	2,872	345,001	2,735	388,307	2,170	436,281	2,165	291,002
Heaters, ovens, etc	162	161,483	144	203,345	114	401,826	72	75,350	242	329,170
Elevators, new freight	12	51,080	12	51,019	24	140,778	20	123,115	17	93,768
Elevators, new passenger	21	550,000	16	259,775	16	333,880	24	451,310	12	1,350,285
Elevators, alterations, freight	90	58,376	70	55,307	54	66,921	71	22,026	81	50,003
Elevators, alterations, passenger	141	931,754	138	103,689	93	91,659	143	87,650	171	250,913
Signs, projections, etc	231	101,885	218	129,535	221	91,998	318	106,200	240	78,866
Fire escapes	236	51,335	512	111,410	425	113,846	246	50,076	326	76,823
Take-downs, wood	78	15,040	49	23,830	56	25,866	38	22,278	102	30,117
Take-downs, brick, etc	49	227,495	16	60,575	35	42,416	136	353,672	31	17,735
Sprinklers	55	109,949	49	122,210	104	314,217	76	203,507	53	217,830
Excavations	51	64,670	20	25,450	8	12,000	18	41,250	9	16,750
Use of premises	27	—	33	—	26	—	11	—	32	—
Total	5,763	$3,727,253	5,483	$2,570,641	5,417	$4,131,799	5,023	$3,399,887	4,818	$2,891,767
Grand total all work	9,109	$23,509,721	8,893	$14,318,710	8,142	$17,619,102	8,207	$33,805,295	8,266	$40,241,208
Department revenue		$93,113.66		$11,831.30		$49,056.00		$11,216.75		$34,819.75

The following is a statement showing by number, purpose and estimated cost, the erection of new buildings and the alterations, additions, repairs, etc., of existing buildings for which applications were filed with the Building Department of the City of Boston during the

SIX-MONTH PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 1955.

PURPOSE.	NEW BUILDINGS.		ALTERATIONS.		TOTAL.	
	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.
Amusement and recreation places, halls, theatres, movies, etc.	7	$64,200	23	$31,302	30	$95,502
Churches, chapels, etc	3	470,000	15	161,440	18	631,440
Dwellings, small, 4-family	348	3,263,500	489	349,992	837	3,613,492
Dwellings, small, 2-family	20	276,000	551	274,449	571	550,449
Dwellings, small, 3-family	—	—	640	296,832	640	296,832
Dwellings, small, with stores	—	—	124	89,830	124	89,830
Dwellings, large, 4-family, or more	7	433,000	181	212,013	188	645,013
Dwellings, large, 4-family, with stores	—	—	32	12,277	32	12,277
Educational buildings, schools, colleges, etc	4	2,934,000	23	888,560	27	3,822,560
Garages and repair shops	26	292,350	52	99,730	78	392,080
Hotel and club buildings	—	—	19	93,500	19	93,500
Institutional buildings, hospitals, asylums, etc	4	1,512,000	24	1,455,300	28	2,967,300
Lodgings, dormitories, convents, homes, etc	3	877,000	48	159,005	51	1,036,005
Manufacturing buildings, bakeries, workshops, etc	2	305,800	76	296,148	78	601,948
Mercantile buildings, stores, salesrooms, service stations	50	1,893,100	354	991,381	404	2,884,481
Office and bank buildings	7	246,000	104	1,186,930	111	1,432,930
Public buildings, libraries, museums, etc	1	1,000	3	20,775	4	21,775
Storage buildings, warehouses, silos, etc	10	289,750	44	222,585	54	512,335
Miscellaneous	13	62,520	39	20,502	52	83,022
Total	505	$12,917,220	2,841	$6,865,251	3,346	$19,782,471

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PURPOSES, NUMBER AND ESTIMATED COST OF NEW BUILDINGS AND ALTERATIONS, ADDITIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., FOR WHICH APPLICATIONS HAVE BEEN FILED FOR MONTH ENDING JUNE 30, 1955.

Character.	Amusement, Recreation Places, Theaters, Movies, Halls.		Churches, Chapels, Synagogues.		Dwellings, 1-Family.		Dwellings, 2-Family.		Dwellings, 3-Family.		Dwellings, 1-2-3 Family, with Stores, etc.		Dwellings, Multi-Family.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type II	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type IV	4	$4,200	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type V	1	10,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type VI	....	.....	1	$45,000	64	$639,200	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	1	$50,000
Total new construction	5	$14,200	1	$45,000	64	$639,200	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	1	$50,000
Alterations, etc	8	4,600	5	22,565	112	66,274	115	$57,998	153	$72,370	19	$9,380	30	73,266
Total structural work	13	$18,800	6	$67,565	176	$705,474	115	$57,998	153	$72,370	19	$9,380	31	$123,266

Character.	Dwellings, Multi-Family, with Stores.		Educational Buildings, Schools, Colleges.		Garages and Repair Shops.		Hotel and Club Buildings.		Institutional Buildings, Hospitals, Asylums, Clinics.		Lodgings, Dormitories, Convents, Homes.		Lodging Houses with Stores.		Manufacturing Buildings, Bakeries, Laundries, Workshops.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I	....	.....	....	.....	1	$26,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type II	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	1	$250,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type IV	....	.....	1	$24,000	4	10,950	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	1	$300,000
Type V	....	.....	....	.....	5	6,100	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type VI	....	.....	....	.....	2	2,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Total new construction	....	.....	1	$24,000	12	$45,050	....	.....	1	$250,000	....	.....	....	.....	1	$300,000
Alterations, etc	5	$3,052	6	55,300	10	48,410	3	$26,450	....	.....	4	$7,480	....	.....	12	83,050
Total structural work	5	$3,052	7	$79,300	22	$93,460	3	$26,450	1	$250,000	4	$7,480	....	.....	13	$383,050

Character.	Mercantile Buildings, Restaurants, Stores, Showrooms, Service Stations.		Office and Bank Buildings.		Public Buildings, Libraries, Museums.		Stables, Kennels, Poultry Houses.		Storage Warehouses, Lumber Sheds, Silos, etc.		Miscellaneous.		Totals.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I	1	$12,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	4	$16,000	6	$54,000
Type II	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	1	250,000
Type IV	6	103,000	2	$146,500	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	18	588,650
Type V	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	6	16,100
Type VI	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	1	$750	....	.....	69	736,950
Total new construction	7	$115,000	2	$146,500	....	.....	....	.....	1	$750	4	$16,000	100	$1,645,700
Alterations, etc	64	166,787	17	218,320	....	.....	....	.....	4	11,025	4	1,175	571	927,502
Total structural work	71	$281,787	19	$364,820	....	.....	....	.....	5	$11,775	8	$17,175	671	$2,573,202

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PURPOSES, NUMBER AND ESTIMATED COST OF NEW BUILDINGS AND ALTERATIONS, ADDITIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., FOR WHICH APPLICATIONS HAVE BEEN FILED FOR SIX MONTHS ENDING JUNE 30, 1955.

CHARACTER.	AMUSEMENT, RECREATION PLACES, THEATERS, MOVIES, HALLS.		CHURCHES, CHAPELS, SYNAGOGUES.		DWELLINGS, 1-FAMILY.		DWELLINGS, 2-FAMILY.		DWELLINGS, 3-FAMILY.		DWELLINGS, 1-2-3-FAMILY, WITH STORES, ETC.		DWELLINGS, MULTI-FAMILY.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I	1	$15,000	1	$250,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Type II	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Type IV	5	36,200	1	175,000	1	$15,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	$345,000
Type V	1	10,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Type VI	...	...	1	15,000	347	3,218,500	20	$276,000	...	...	...	...	2	88,000
Total new construction	7	$61,200	3	$470,000	348	$3,263,500	20	$276,000	...	...	...	...	7	$433,000
Alterations, etc.	23	34,302	15	161,140	489	349,992	551	274,449	640	$296,832	124	$89,830	181	212,013
Total structural work	30	$95,502	18	$631,140	837	$3,613,492	571	$550,449	640	$296,832	124	$89,830	188	$645,013

CHARACTER.	DWELLINGS, MULTI-FAMILY, WITH STORES.		EDUCATIONAL BUILDINGS, SCHOOLS, COLLEGES.		GARAGES AND REPAIR SHOPS.		HOTEL AND CLUB BUILDINGS.		INSTITUTIONAL BUILDINGS, HOSPITALS, ASYLUMS, CLINICS.		LODGINGS, DORMITORIES, CONVENTS, HOMES.		LODGING HOUSES WITH STORES.		MANUFACTURING BUILDINGS, BAKERIES, LAUNDRIES, WORKSHOPS.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I	...	...	3	$2,910,000	2	$226,000	...	...	2	$1,217,000	1	$487,000	...	...	...	...
Type II	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	250,000	1	320,000	...	...	...	...
Type IV	...	...	1	24,000	11	51,450	...	...	1	15,000	1	70,000	...	...	2	$305,800
Type V	...	...	...	...	8	9,800	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Type VI	...	...	...	...	5	5,100	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total new construction	...	...	4	$2,934,000	26	$292,350	...	...	4	$1,512,000	3	$877,000	...	...	2	$305,800
Alterations, etc.	32	$12,277	23	888,560	52	99,730	19	$93,500	24	1,455,300	18	159,005	...	...	76	296,148
Total structural work	32	$12,277	27	$3,822,560	78	$392,080	19	$93,500	28	$2,967,300	51	$1,036,005	...	...	78	$601,948

CHARACTER	MERCANTILE BUILDINGS, RESTAURANTS, STORES, SHOWROOMS, SERVICE STATIONS.		OFFICE AND BANK BUILDINGS.		PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIBRARIES, MUSEUMS.		STABLES, KENNELS, POULTRY HOUSES.		STORAGE WAREHOUSES, LUMBER SHEDS, SILOS, ETC.		MISCELLANEOUS.		TOTALS.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I	7	$294,000	1	$12,000	...	...	...	...	3	$71,000	6	$51,100	27	$5,563,100
Type II	2	252,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	150,000	...	...	6	972,000
Type IV	31	1,310,100	4	172,000	...	...	...	...	2	45,000	...	...	65	2,561,550
Type V	8	21,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	23,000	5	10,500	24	74,300
Type VI	2	16,000	2	62,000	1	$1,000	...	...	1	750	2	920	383	3,743,270
Total new construction	50	$1,893,100	7	$246,000	1	$1,000	...	...	10	$289,750	13	$62,520	505	$12,917,220
Alterations, etc	354	991,381	104	1,186,930	3	20,775	...	...	44	222,585	39	20,502	2841	6,865,251
Total structural work	404	$2,884,481	111	$1,432,930	4	$21,775	...	...	54	$512,335	52	$83,022	3346	$19,782,471

The following is a statement showing the number of new buildings for purposes of habitation, together with the number of family accommodations provided thereby, for the erection of which applications were filed with the Building Department of the City of Boston during the

MONTH AND SIX MONTHS ENDING JUNE 30, 1955.

NUMBER OF FAMILY UNITS IN EACH BUILDING.	MONTH OF JUNE.				FIRST SIX MONTHS.			
	1955.		1954.		1955.		1954.	
	Buildings.	Families.	Buildings.	Families.	Buildings.	Families.	Buildings.	Families.
1	64	64	32	32	348	348	228	228
2	—	—	—	—	20	40	4	8
4	—	—	—	—	1	4	—	—
10	—	—	—	—	5	50	—	—
19	1	19	—	—	1	19	—	—
Total	65	83	32	32	375	461	232	236
Estimated cost	$689,200		$317,400		$3,972,500		$2,263,910	

SUMMARY OF HOUSING CONSTRUCTION TO DATE.

NUMBER OF	MONTH OF JUNE.	SIX MONTHS.
New habitations erected	65	375
Accommodations provided by new construction	83	461
Accommodations provided by altering and remodeling	35	188
Accommodations eliminated by altering and remodeling	0	14
Habitations taken down	8*	52*
Family accommodations eliminated by demolition	25*	142*
Net change in number of habitations	57 more	323 more
Net change in number of family accommodations	93 more	493 more

DEMOLITIONS.	NUMBER.		NUMBER.	
	Buildings.	Families.	Buildings.	Families.
*1-family	—	—	8	8
2-family	4	8	16	32
3-family	1	3	20	60
4-family	2	8	3	12
6-family	1	6	5	30
Total	8	25	52	142

The following is a statement showing BY WARDS the number and estimated cost of new buildings for purposes of habitation for the erection of which applications were filed with the Building Department of the City of Boston during the

SIX-MONTH PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 1955.

WARD.	1-FAMILY DWELLINGS.		2-FAMILY DWELLINGS.		4-FAMILY DWELLINGS.		10-FAMILY DWELLINGS		19-FAMILY DWELLINGS.		TOTAL FOR SIX MONTHS.	
	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.
1	7	$79,000	4	$44,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	11	$123,000
14	1	8,100	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	8,100
16	10	105,200	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	10	105,200
17	21	189,000	—	—	1	$38,000	—	—	—	—	22	227,000
18	187	1,645,500	5	72,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	192	1,717,500
19	27	292,500	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	27	292,500
20	86	854,000	1	20,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	87	874,000
21	4	33,200	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	$50,000	5	83,200
22	5	57,000	10	140,000	—	—	5	$345,000	—	—	20	542,000
	348	$3,263,500	20	$276,000	1	$38,000	5	$345,000	1	$50,000	375	$3,972,500

BUILDING OPERATIONS IN CITY OF BOSTON.

The following is a statement showing By WARDS the number and estimated cost of new buildings for purposes of habitation for the erection of which applications were filed with the Building Department of the City of Boston during the

MONTH ENDING JUNE 30, 1955.

WARD.	1-FAMILY DWELLINGS.		2-FAMILY DWELLINGS.		TOTAL FOR MONTH.	
	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.
1	1	$10,000	—	—	—	$10,000
16	2	20,000	—	—	2	20,000
17	9	84,000	—	—	9	84,000
18	30	288,500	—	—	30	288,500
19	3	42,000	—	—	3	42,000
20	13	142,500	—	—	13	142,500
21	4	33,200	1	$50,000	5	83,200
22	2	19,000	—	—	2	19,000
Total	64	$639,200	1	$50,000	65	$689,200

Building Operations in the City of Boston for the Month Ending JUNE 30, 1955.

MONTH OF JUNE.	1955.		1954.	
	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.
Type I	6	$54,000	3	$184,000
Type II	1	250,000	1	63,000
Type IV	18	588,650	8	176,000
Type V	6	16,100	1	12,000
Type VI	69	736,950	38	338,980
Total new construction	100	$1,645,700	51	$773,980
Alterations, repairs, etc.	571	927,502	637	725,828
Total Structural Construction	671	$2,573,202	688	$1,499,808
Increase or decrease	—17	1,073,394*		
	2%	72%*		
Installations, etc.	1,104	1,152,305	1,050	537,331
Grand total all work	1,775	$3,725,507	1,738	$2,037,139
Increase or decrease	38*	1,688,368*		
	2%*	82%*		

FIRST SIX MONTHS.

Type I	27	$5,563,100	17	$1,848,800
Type II	6	972,000	6	1,059,000
Type IV	65	2,564,550	47	1,089,720
Type V	24	74,300	15	71,900
Type VI	383	3,743,270	240	2,233,540
Total new construction	505	$12,917,220	325	$6,302,960
Alterations, repairs, etc.	2,841	6,865,251	3,085	5,445,106
Total structural construction	3,346	$19,782,471	3,410	$11,748,066
Increase or decrease	—64	8,034,405*		
	2%	70%*		
Installations, etc.	5,763	3,727,253	5,483	2,570,644
Grand total all work	9,109	$23,509,724	8,893	$14,318,710
Increase or decrease	216*	9,191,014*		
	2%*	70%*		

* Denotes increase — Denotes decrease

PRINCIPAL PROJECTS.

New, Manufacturing, 125 Guest street (Clarox Chemical)	$300,000
New, Clinic, 10 Chandler street (Animal Rescue League)	250,000
Alter, Offices, 210 Newbury street (P. Babson)	145,000
New, Offices, 214 Harvard avenue (A. Wattenberg)	118,500
New, Dwelling, 2012 Commonwealth avenue (Nardelli Const. Co.)	50,000

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 43.

I. RETIREMENTS.

The following retirement, in accordance with section 13 of chapter 521 of the Acts of 1922, is hereby announced, to become effective as of 8 A.M., August 1, 1955.

Fire Lieut. Charles H. McCarthy, Engine Company 31.

The following retirements, in accordance with section 7, chapter 658 of the Acts of 1945, are hereby announced, to become effective as of 8 A.M., August 1, 1955:

Fire Fighter (Engineer, Motor Squad) John K. Hayes, Maintenance Division.

Fire Fighter Joseph J. Falcone, Engine Company 4.

The following retirements, in accordance with chapter 347, Acts of 1892, as amended by chapter 237, Acts of 1939, are hereby announced, to become effective at 8 A.M., August 3, 1955:

Fire Capt. Thomas B. Maguire, Engine Company 47.

Fire Capt. Egbert R. Murphy, Engine Company 28.

Fire Fighter Frank J. Galvin, Engine Company 46.

Fire Captain Maguire was appointed to the Fire Department July 22, 1919. He was promoted to fire lieutenant July 9, 1937, and to fire captain September 26, 1945. Fire Captain Murphy was appointed to the department January 9, 1914. He was promoted to fire lieutenant March 8, 1928, and to fire captain July 9, 1937. Fire Lieutenant McCarthy was appointed to the department August 5, 1927, and was promoted to the grade of fire lieutenant October 17, 1945. Fire Fighter Galvin was appointed to the Fire Department June 7, 1918. Fire Fighter Hayes was appointed October 21, 1942, and Fire Fighter Falcone was appointed January 29, 1947.

All the foregoing-named members leave the department with the best wishes of their associates.

II. FIRE ALARM BOXES INSTALLED.

The following fire alarm boxes which were established in General Orders, No. 7, dated February 2, 1955, have been installed and connected into circuits indicated:

1216, North Margin and Endicott streets, Circuit 15.

1217, Washington Street North and Thacher street, Circuit 5.

1218, Endicott and Cross streets, Circuit 10.

1219, Hanover and Cross streets, Circuit 15.

Company commanders will add the above boxes to the circuit cards as indicated.

III. FIRE ALARM BOX ESTABLISHED.

In the near future the following fire alarm box will be installed:

12-1351, William Blackstone School, 33 Blossom street.

Company commanders will add Box 12-1351 to assignment card for Box 1351.

The circuit number for this box will be announced when the box is installed.

Due to the installation of this separate box in the William Blackstone School, the designation for Box 1351 as given on the assignment card will be corrected to read as follows:

1351, St. Joseph's Parochial School, 44 Blossom street.

IV. Fire Alarm Boxes Discontinued.

The following fire alarm boxes have been removed from service and discontinued permanently:

12-1334, Bowdoin Square Theatre, Bowdoin square, Circuit 4.

12-284, Richard Olney School, Hastings street, Circuit 65.

12-3724, Elihu Greenwood School, Metropolitan avenue and Lockwood street, Circuit 57.

6133, Boston & Albany Railroad yards, foot of Clyde street, Circuit 89.

Company commanders will delete Box 12-1334, Box 12-284, and Box 12-3724 from their respective assignment cards and also from the circuit cards indicated.

Company commanders will delete Box 6133 from circuit card 89 and return the assignment card for Box 6133 to Fire Headquarters.

V. Change in Designation of Assignment Card.

Due to the discontinuance of the Thomas Dwight School, the auxiliary system has been disconnected from Box 2362.

The designation on the assignment card for Box 2362 will be corrected by deleting the words "Aux. Thomas Dwight School" so that this assignment card will read as follows:

2362, Smith street, opposite Tobin court.

By order of Fire Commissioner Francis X. Cotter.

John V. Stapleton,
Chief of Department.

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

Harry L. Silva, 151 Columbia road, Dorchester, in the sum of $297, as compensation for damage to property owned by him at 326-328 Washington street, Dorchester, caused by a break in the water main, September 22, 1954.

Harold E. Gorham, 20 Montello street, Dorchester, to be reimbursed in the sum of $95, as a result of an accident which occurred on April 1, 1955, when a motor truck belonging to the Fire Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Lyle H. Lindberg.

William Harrington, 1187 Tremont street, Roxbury, to be reimbursed in the sum of $50, as a result of an accident which occurred on December 21, 1954, when a motor truck belonging to the Sanitary Division, Public Works Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Paul H. Geist.

Sophie Wolotsky, 21 Sonoma street, Roxbury, in the sum of $250, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk on Cheney street, near rear entrance to the Grove Hall post office, April 18, 1950.

Sydney S. Kaplan, 14 Page street, Dorchester, in the sum of $82.51, as compensation for damage to automobile caused by a hole in the highway on Commercial street, near Battery street, April 24, 1955.

Anna G. Leary, 83 Tonawanda street, Dorchester, in the sum of $491, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 241 Adams street, Dorchester.

Michael J. Moynihan, 86 Hunnewell avenue, Brighton, in the sum of $305, as compensation for damage to property caused by the backing up of a sewer which was found broken at the main, December 20, 1954.

James A. Johnson, 68 Willowwood street, Dorchester, in the sum of $365, as compensation for damage to property caused by the backing up of a sewer which was found broken at the Main, April 12, 1955.

Agnes Sweed, 261 Athens street, South Boston, in the sum of $485, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the dirt sidewalk between 261 and 279 Athens street, March 19, 1955.

John W. Walsh, 16 Brookfield street, Roslindale, in the sum of $80, as compensation for damage to property caused during the construction of Brookfield street by the Public Works Department, June, 1953.

James E. Wightman, 119 Clare avenue, Hyde Park, to be reimbursed in the sum of $283.30, as expense incurred in hiring a contractor to free a sewer stoppage which was later found broken at the main, March 8, 1955.

Ethel V. Hayes, 21 Bradwood street, Roslindale, in the sum of $85, as compensation for damage to automobile caused when it skidded on icy roadway opposite 17 Lorraine street, due to a water leak in the street, December 4, 1954.

Frank J. DeLuca, 13 Thatcher street, Boston, in the sum of $485, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk on Richmond street, corner of Fulton street, March 31, 1955.

Rose Riley, 25 Herbert street, Everett, in the sum of $285, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 107 Brook avenue, Roxbury, November 3, 1954.

Joseph P. Lyons, 49 Greaton road, West Roxbury, to be reimbursed in the sum of $485, as a result of an accident which occurred on May 26, 1948, when a motor vehicle belonging to the Highway Division, Public Works Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Carmelo Prestigiovanni.

Francis A. Murphy, 127 Standard street, Mattapan, to be reimbursed in the sum of $200, as a result of an accident which occurred on October 2, 1954, when a motor truck belonging to the Fire Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by John O'Brien.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

In-Service Training Supervisor, Boston Welfare Department, October 1, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, September 12, 1955.

This examination is open to residents of the state.

Salary: The minimum salary is $90.50 a week; the maximum salary is $113 a week.

Vacancies: At present there is one vacancy for a female, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: In cooperation with the administrative and supervisory staffs, to have responsibility for the over-all planning, development and execution of a program of training for the department; to be available for consultation on staff meeting programs; and to perform related work as required.

Examples of Duties: Interviewing candidates for initial social service employment, planning the orientation of appointees, supervising and guiding them during their probationary period, holding group discussions of their work experiences, and from time to time, submitting individual progress reports; in accordance with plans prescribed by the Board of Overseers, planning with and giving advice to employees who are interested in educational leave; teaching courses in social case work, and planning and directing seminars in social case work and related subjects, such as principles of supervision, for workers at various stages of experience; in accordance with plans approved by the Board of Overseers, cooperating with schools of social work in accepting their students for field work training, including students making special studies, and overseeing their work; organizing and directing a field training unit in the Social Service Division, and developing potential field work and group instructors from within the department.

The duties require an understanding of the laws and policies governing the public assistance program, as well as the ability to organize case work teaching material and to teach case work in a group setting.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants must have at least three years of full-time paid employment in a professional social case work capacity in a recognized public or private social agency and at least two years of experience in supervising beginning social case workers in a well-organized in-service training program in a public or private social case work agency or in supervising field work students in a graduate school of social work or in teaching case work courses in a graduate school of social work. *Substitution:* Successfully completed full-time study leading to a master's degree in a graduate school of social work may be substituted, year for year, for the required general case work experience but not for the two years of special supervisory or teaching experience.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

No. 128—596.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

Proposals for Furnishing 75 Fire Alarm Boxes for the Fire Department.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Wednesday, August 17, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Fire Alarm Boxes." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

John V. Moran,
(Aug. 6.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CIVIL DEFENSE KIT.

In Milwaukee residents have been notified by the city's civil defense administration to get together kits of nonperishable foods on which their families could live for a week in the open if need be. A 43-pound kit, costing $37, was used for demonstration purposes. In the kit, besides food, were a first-aid packet, water purification tablets, cooking utensils, and cans of canned heat. The entire unit packed in an aluminum laundry mail case doubles as a dishpan, wash basin, and infant bathtub.

Toledo City Journal.

CITY OF BOSTON.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.
LONG ISLAND HOSPITAL DIVISION.
BOSTON 69, MASS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR REPAIRS TO WHARF, LONG ISLAND HOSPITAL, BOSTON 69, MASS.

The City of Boston, by the Board of Trustees, Hospital Department, and of the Boston City Hospital, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for repairs to wharf, Long Island Hospital, Boston 69, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Tuesday, August 23, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, Long Island Hospital Division, at 25 Church street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, enclosed in an envelope, sealed, and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $350, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to he performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work hy the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26 a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

Specifications may be obtained at the office of the Awarding Authority, Long Island Hospital Division, at 25 Church street, Boston, Mass., on or after 9.30 A.M., Monday, August 8, 1955.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of one hundred (100) per cent of the contract price will he required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do. The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all bids in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT AND OF THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL,
RICHARD J. CONDON,
(Aug. 6.) *President.*

562.
No. 130—569.
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CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING OFFICE FURNITURE.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Wednesday, August 17, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Furniture." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Aug. 6.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

WATER PIPE TRESTLE REPAIRS.

Proposals for Water Pipe Trestle Repairs, Fort Point Channel Between Congress and Summer Street Bridges.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for repairing water pipe trestle, Fort Point Channel (between Congress and Summer Street Bridges). A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Repairing Water Pipe Trestle, Fort Point Channel, Between Congress and Summer Street Bridges," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, AUGUST 18, 1955, with a certified check for TWO HUNDRED FIFTY (250) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited hy bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Aug. 6.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

REPAIR HERSEY WATER METERS.

Proposals for Furnishing Labor and Material Necessary to Repair or Rebuild and Test Hersey Water Meters for the Public Works Department (Water Division).

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned hy a citizen or citizens of the United States, for furnishing labor and material necessary to repair or rebuild and test Hersey water meters for the Public Works Department (Water Division). A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed marked "Proposal for Furnishing Labor and Material Necessary to Repair or Rebuild and Test Hersey Water Meters for the Public Works Department (Water Division)," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 17, 1955, with a certified check for EIGHT HUNDRED ($800) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the hidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Aug. 6.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

No. 129—591.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING HOUSEHOLD EQUIPMENT (ONE DISHWASHER AND FIVE ELECTRIC TOASTERS) FOR THE LONG ISLAND HOSPITAL DIVISION.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Tuesday, August 16, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Household Equipment." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Aug. 6.) *Purchasing Agent.*

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CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

HIGHWAY RECONSTRUCTION WORK.

PROPOSALS FOR BITUMINOUS CONCRETE PAVEMENT IN

Albany Street, Ward 8, from Hampden Street to Eustis Street;

Bristol Street, Ward 3, from Harrison Avenue to Albany Street;

Harrison Avenue, Ward 8, from Stoughton Street to Massachusetts Avenue;

Wareham Street, Ward 8, from Harrison Avenue to Albany Street;

—and—

Such Additional Locations, If Any, in Wards 3 and 8, As May Be Designated by the Commissioner of Public Works.

The Commissioner of Puhlic Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for bituminous concrete pavement in Albany street, Ward 8, etc. A hond will he required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may he obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Bituminous Concrete Pavement in Albany Street, Ward 8, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, AUGUST 25, 1955, with a certified check for TWENTY-THREE HUNDRED (2,300) DOLLARS payahle to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then he puhlicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must he made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited hy hidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the hids. All proposals must he from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to he ahnormally high or low, or the hidder neglects to hid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to he paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and lahorers in the work to he performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined hy the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may he ohtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Puhlic Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide hy insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other henefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to he employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems hest.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Aug. 6.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

CHANGES IN TRAFFIC RULES AND REGULATIONS.

Voted, That the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective August 15, 1955:

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out the following:

Corona Street, Dorchester.
South side, from Bowdoin street to Geneva avenue, 24 hours.

Harrison Avenue, Boston Proper and Roxhury.
Southeast side, from Northampton street to Eustis street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.
Northwest side, from East Newton street to Warren street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Melrose Street, Boston Proper.
South side, from Broadway to a point fifty-four (54) feet west of Broadway, 24 hours.

Norfolk Avenue, Dorchester.
Northeast side, from East Cottage street to Franklin court, 24 hours.

Pearl Street, Boston Proper.
Northeast side, from Milk street to Franklin street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohihition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphahetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," the following:

Pearl Street.
Both sides, from Milk street to Franklin street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohihition of Parking), is amended hy inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the captions "Boston Proper," and "Brighton," the following:

Ashford Street.
North side, from Babcock street to Malvern street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphahetical arrangement under the captions "Boston Proper," and "Roxbury," the following:

Harrison Avenue.
Northwest side, from East Newton street to Northampton street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Northampton street to East Lenox street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from East Lenox street to Eustis street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.
Northwest side, from East Lenox street to Warren street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohihition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," the following:

Highgate Street.
East side, from Cambridge street to Farrington avenue, 24 hours.
West side, from Camhridge street to a point one hundred and twenty-five (125) fect south of Cambridge street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended hy inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," each of the following:

Brook Avenue.
Even-numbered side, from No. 495 Dudley street to No. 573 Dudley street, 24 hours.

Fuller Street.
North side, from Dorchester avenue to Clermont street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Norfolk Avenue.
Northeast side, from East Cottage street to a point one hundred and fifty (150) feet southeast of Franklin court, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended hy inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "East Boston," each of the following:

Lexington Street.
Northwest side, from Meridian street to Lexington square, 24 hours.

Orleans Street.
Southeast side, from Sumner street to a point forty (40) feet southwest of Sumner street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," each of the following:

Amory Avenue.
South side, from Amory street to the dead end, 24 hours.

Creighton Street.
East side, from Centre street to opposite the northerly street line of Bynner street, 24 hours.

Fairhury Street.
Both sides, from Blue Hill avenue to Rand street, 24 hours.

Farnham Street.
North side, from Hampden street to Reading street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Sterling Street.
Northeast side, from Washington street to Shawmut avenue, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended hy adding the following new subsection:

(6) No driver shall stop, stand or park any vehicle in the following municipal parking areas, during the hours indicated:
The area under the John F. Fitzgerald Expressway, hetween North street and Traverse street, 8 A.M. to 9.30 A.M.

Article IV, Section 6, Part 3 (Restrictions in Cent and Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by striking out the following:

Belgrade Avenue, West Roxhury.
North side, from South street to Rohert street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 6, Part 3 (Restrictions in Cent and Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "West Roxbury," each of the following:

Belgrade Avenue.
North side, from South street to a point two hundred and seventy (270) feet west of Rohert street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Robert Street.
Southwest side, from Belgrade avenue to a point one hundred (100) feet northwest of Belgrade avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by striking out the following:

Freeport Street, Dorchester.
From William T. Morrissey Boulevard at the point where it intersects Freeport street two hundred and twenty (220) feet north of the extension of Conley street to the extension of Conley street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," the following:

St. Thomas More Drive.
West roadway, from the Boston-Newton line to Chestnut Hill Driveway.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphahetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Tebroc Street.
From Levant street to Bowdoin street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "West Roxbury," the following:

Brook Farm Road.
From La Grange street to Baker street.

Article VI, Section 10 (Left Turns Prohibited), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," the following:

Congress Street.
Into Water street, easterly.

Article VI, Section 10 (Left Turns Prohibited), is amended hy inserting in its proper place in the alphahetical arrangement under the caption "Roxhury," the following:

Longwood Avenue.
Into Riverway, southerly, 3 P.M. to 7 P.M.

Article VI, Section 11 (Only Right Turn Movements Permitted), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Longwood Avenue.
Into Riverway, southerly, 3 P.M. to 7 P.M.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphahetical arrangement under the caption "Charlestown," the following:

Warren Street.
Northeast side, at Park street.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," each of the following:

Fuller Street.
At Capen street.

Milton Avenue.
At Fuller street.

Quincy Street.
At Clarkson street.

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CITY TO OBSERVE 325th ANNIVERSARY OF FOUNDING, SEPTEMBER 17, WITH SERIES OF ELABORATE PUBLIC EVENTS ENDING WITH POPS CONCERT AT HATCH SHELL AND FIREWORKS DISPLAY — "WASHINGTON AT DORCHESTER HEIGHTS" PAINTING UNVEILING ALSO TO BE ONE OF FEATURES.

Mayor John B. Hynes has announced that the city government will formally observe the 325th anniversary of the founding of Boston on its birthday, Saturday, September 17, with a series of public events that will culminate in the evening with a banner Pops concert and spectacular fireworks at the Hatch Shell, Charles River Esplanade.

One of the day's features will be the unveiling of the "Washington at Dorchester Heights" painting by Emanuel Leutze, recently presented to the city by the residents and school children of Boston, at some public building yet to be designated by the Boston Art Commission

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NEW SET OF CLOCK-CONTROLLED CARILLONS TO BE INSTALLED IN FANEUIL HALL AS FEATURE OF BOSTON'S OBSERVANCE OF SEPTEMBER 17th, HER 325th ANNIVERSARY.

A set of clock-controlled carillons, adjusted to chime out the time hourly as the famous historic "Cradle of Liberty" figuratively rocks with its messages of colonial and revolutionary days, will be installed in Faneuil Hall tower in commemoration of the 325th anniversary of the founding of Boston on Saturday, September 17.

The announcement was made by Mayor John B. Hynes while discussing his plans for the city's observance of its approaching birthday. Amplifiers, he said, will also be installed to transmit the music of the chimes throughout Adams square and the adjacent areas. Through the assistance of loud speakers, they will be heard three quarters of a mile or more away.

In addition to the sentimental aspect of equipping the nationally famous shrine with a musical memorial, the chimes will be of considerable value to

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POLICE LISTING WORK TO UNDERGO CHANGES SO AS TO SAVE LABOR, TIME, AND EXPENSE — PROPOSAL MADE BY ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT TO SIMPLIFY AND STANDARDIZE WORK DONE BY PRINTING DEPARTMENT AND FACILITATE OPERATIONS BY POLICE TO PREVENT DUPLICATIONS — OPERATION NOW COVERS MORE THAN SIX MONTHS OF EACH YEAR.

Proposal has been made by the Administrative Services Department to simplify and standardize police listing work done by the Printing Department so as to save both much time and money and yet have the operation performed with greater satisfaction to all involved. The proposal as presented to Mayor John B. Hynes reads as follows:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

August 1, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR:

The present method of preparing and printing the police and voting lists is cumbersome, expensive, and, in a sense, wasteful. The development and printing of the two lists involve roughly 3,200,000 separate acts or operations. In the current year the direct costs alone will total in the neighborhood of $220,000, and the entire cycle must be repeated each year, since it is impossible to salvage any portion of the work performed or records produced in the previous year.

In other municipalities throughout the country the problem has been met by the use of tabulating or addressograph equipment. By the use of punch cards or plates, permanent master files have been established, and each year these files have been brought up to date by eliminating the cards or plates of persons who have moved, died, etc., by correcting those cards or plates where a change in status of the person involved has occurred, and by including new cards or plates for new residents or voters. The maximum changes involved in establishing the files on a current basis have varied in various localities between 10 and 20 per cent. This means that where it is only necessary to process each year the "exceptions" in the master file, the annual effort involved may be reduced at least 80 per cent below that required when each year involves, as at present in Boston, a complete new setup.

Philadelphia and Providence are now using tabulating equipment, whereas Newark, Baltimore, San Francisco, and Miami are using addressograph equipment. In Massachusetts, installations of this character have been made in Cambridge, Newton, Leominster, and Watertown. Staff members of this department have visited Newark, Cambridge, and Leominster and have been greatly impressed with the efficiency of the operations observed. Officials in these cities have been high in their praise of the manner in which the equipment has functioned.

Plan Proposed.

After reviewing the experience of several of the cities previously mentioned, we suggest that consideration be given to the adoption of the following plan:

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"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean;
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.

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MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries, or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the Complaints Division, Room 25, City Hall.

Information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways, the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments of streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped area for streets and the opening of private ways; the making of specific repairs in public streets; the naming of public streets, including the use of public ways for location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railways, coal holes, and vaults, may be secured from the Public Improvement Commission, Room 403, City Hall Annex.

To the BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION, 112 Southampton street, for information relative to regulation of vehicular street traffic on all or any streets, ways, highways, roads, and parkways under the control of the City of Boston, the issuing of all permits in connection therewith.

To the COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting, and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of Sumner Tunnel, the maintenance of bridges and draw-bridges, and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

To the HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Haymarket Square, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish, and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughterhouses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases, of public health nuisances.

To the BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth Avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park, and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts, also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview, and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

To the SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

To the DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS, 28 Norman street, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

To the BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 907, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal, or tearing down buildings.

To the ELECTRICAL INSPECTION DIVISION OF THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT, 1001 City Hall Annex, for all information relative to the erection of poles, building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division; also for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings of the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

To the BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT, 43 City Hall, relative to changes in the boundary lines of zoning districts of the City of Boston as established by chapter 488 of the Acts of 1924, and amendments thereto.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending August 6, 1955.

Population as of July, 1950, Massachusetts State Census, 817,713; population estimated July, 1954, United States Census Bureau, 813,696; number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 149; nonresidents, 87; total, 236.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 14.80; nonresidents deducted, 9.42.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:

Last week, 12.11; corresponding week last year, 13.51.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 20; one year to four years, inclusive, 3; sixty years and over, 145. Total deaths: Male, 136; female, 100; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 191.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Aug. 6, 1955.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Aug. 7, 1954.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior Poliomyclitis	116	9	—	1
Diphtheria	—	—	—	—
Encephalitis Lethargica	—	—	—	—
Influenza	—	—	—	—
Measles	4	—	40	—
Meningitis Epidemic	—	—	—	—
Pneumonia (lobar)	—	1	—	—
Scarlet Fever	—	—	2	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary)	20	4	14	4
Childhood Type Tuberculosis	—	—	—	—
Tuberculosis (other forms)	—	1	1	—
Typhoid Fever	—	—	—	—
Whooping Cough	1	—	4	—

*Residents and nonresidents included.

POLICE LISTING WORK TO UNDERGO CHANGES — SAVING OF TIME AND EXPENSE.

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Install addressograph-multigraph equipment in the Printing Plant and start preparing addressograph plates for every name appearing on the police list for the current year. These plates will constitute a master file which will be located in an addressograph section to be established in the Printing Plant.

In suggesting that addressograph equipment be used, consideration was given to the fact that any reductions in cost secured by the new methods would affect adversely the income of the Printing Plant. Because of this fact it was decided that preference should be given to that type of equipment which could best be utilized in the Printing Plant not alone for the two lists directly involved but also for other types of allied work. On this basis it was agreed that an addressograph-multigraph installation would be more advantageous, since it could be installed and operated in the Printing Plant throughout the year.

In Massachusetts cities where the proposed system is actually in operation, shortly before the next annual listing is to start, the listing cards to be used by police officers are preprinted from the master file with all the information appearing on the plates. These preprinted cards are given to the officers as they start their visitations of all places of residence. While at any particular address, the officer verifies the information on the cards of those persons still residing at the address, makes notations on the cards of former residents of any change in status or location, and prepares new cards for those residents on which he has no preprinted card. Typewritten lists are then prepared from all cards on which changes have been recorded or which relate to new residents. These lists are then checked against the master file and appropriate changes and alterations made on the plates contained therein. When all exceptions and changes have been made, the master file reflects a current list of residents from which the printed list may be prepared.

According to the records of the Boston Election Department, 20,000 persons move annually to new addresses in the city and 40,000 persons "disappear" for one reason or another. The significance of these figures with relation to the proposed change is this—whereas, at present, police officers must annually fill out in their entirety 550,000 listing cards, under the proposed system a maximum of 60,000 cards would require attention beyond the verifications of the prelisted information. Eliminating almost 90 per cent of the present clerical burden borne by police officers should, it would seem, greatly expedite the completion of the annual listing operation. In addition, the typewritten lists reflecting these changes would contain only 60,000 names, whereas the lists now prepared by the Police Department include every name recorded by the police officers.

It was originally contemplated that the listing operations used in the Police Department for years could be revised to conform with the practice in other Massachusetts cities where the proposed system is in operation, thus simplifying procedures and securing substantial savings. Conferences with the Police Commissioner, however, raised questions as to whether the proposed system conforms with the provisions of the special laws relating to police listing in Boston and also whether it is desirable to furnish preprinted cards to police officers. Since it will take time to resolve these questions and possibly require amendments to the special laws, it has been decided to make no change, for this year at least, in the listing operations of the Police Department. Despite this decision, we believe it is feasible to apply the proposed system to the operations involved in the printing of the two lists and secure worthwhile savings and improvements in existing procedure. Briefly, the operations will proceed as follows:

Plan of Operation.

The typewritten list furnished by the Police Department to the Printing Plant will be checked against the plates in the master file. The plates of persons not found will be removed from the master file and placed in a suspense file. Subsequently, this file will be used to address the notices sent each year by the Election Department to "dropped persons," thus relieving the department of the great effort now involved in the manual preparation of such notices. New plates will be prepared for new residents as well as for changes in name, occupation, etc. Plates of those persons who moved will be associated, wherever possible, with "new residents" appearing at locations to which transfer in residence has taken place.

When every name appearing on the typewritten list has been checked and the appropriate changes and alterations made on the plates in the master file, they will be used in conjunction with the multigraph process to print the "List of Residents." Whereas, under the present system, the printing of this list requires the setting in type of 550,000 names, under the proposed system the preparation of the master files for the printing operation will involve the handling of approximately 60,000 names or plates.

In establishing the master addressograph file, tabs will be placed on all plates bearing the names of registered voters. When it comes time to print the voting lists, the addressograph machines can be adjusted so as to by-pass all plates not tabbed. In preparing for the printing of the voting lists, therefore, the only new operation will be the preparation of plates for those names which are added by the Election Department through supplementary registration.

At the present time, in preparing the current year's voting list, the Election Department checks every name on the police list against the voting list of the previous year. This work, which consumes about four months' time of the Election Department personnel, will be entirely eliminated under the proposed system. Also eliminated will be the necessity for the Printing Plant to set in type for the voting lists approximately 300,000 names.

The elimination of these two specific operations, together with reductions in and simplification of other phases of the present cumbersome system, will, it is estimated, produce savings in excess of $100,000.

To establish the proposed system will require the purchase of equipment costing in the neighborhood of $75,000. Funds for this purchase are available within the equipment loan. In addition, supplies costing approximately $8,000 will be needed, and in the initial stages of the installation clerical services involving an expenditure of $5,000 will be required. The final stages of the installation will be handled by the personnel of the Printing Plant, who will also operate the system when once established. It is interesting to note, we believe, that the initial cost will be completely extinguished by savings secured during the first year the system is in operation.

Simplification.

One very desirable result from the system previously described will be the simplification and standardization of work in the Printing Department. At the present time, the printing of the police and voting lists consumes approximately six months of the time of Printing Plant personnel. During this six months it is necessary to have a substantial force at work in the department, and when the work is completed very often there is not enough new work to keep the large staff busy. Under the new system, it should be possible to establish a work program in the plant which would be constant throughout the year and ensure a production schedule which would satisfy the needs of all departments using the Plant.

At the present time, during the six months when the Plant is engaged with the two lists, production of other work suffers, thus occasioning many complaints from departments concerning the service rendered. Much of the machinery at present in use in the Printing Plant is old and outmoded, thus limiting the character of work performed. The new equipment will give the Plant modern, high-speed machines for producing a wide variety of work.

With your approval, steps can be taken so as to place the system, as outlined, in operation at the beginning of 1956.

Respectfully submitted,
Charles J. Fox, *Chairman,*
John A. Sullivan,
John V. Moran,
James E. Gildea,
Joseph P. Lally.

Lawrence W. Costello,
Administrative Secretary.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of sewerage construction, estimated to be ten (10) days, the following temporary traffic rules are effective August 3, 1955:

The one-way rule in the following street is suspended and it is a two-way street:

Louder's Lane, West Roxbury.
From Mossbank Footway to Centre street.

Vehicles are excluded from the following street:

Louder's Lane, West Roxbury.
From Calvin road to Mossbank Footway.

NEW CARILLONS TO BE INSTALLED IN FANEUIL HALL.

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the entire market district. They will also help the time schedule of the many tourists who come from all sections of the country to make a pilgrimage to Faneuil Hall and view the colonial style shrine and to revive memories of the stout-hearted revolutionary heroes who rocked the building with their fiery demands for liberty and freedom from the tyranny of King George the Third.

The antiquated cast-iron bell in the Faneuil Hall tower, installed by the city in 1867 in commemoration of the end of the Civil War and the reestablishment of United States peace, is such a heavy, cumbersome affair that its only value is that of an antique.

It was cast in Philadelphia, weighs 5,860 pounds, is 5 feet high, has a 6-foot mouth, has no tongue and is rung only through manually striking it with a 25-pound hammer. Its over-all appearance is the same as that of the Liberty Bell at Independence Hall, Philadelphia. Under the Mayor's plan, it will remain undisturbed in the lofty belfry for future administrations to utilize as they will. Faneuil Hall, thanks to the patriotism of the people of Boston down through the years, has been remarkably well preserved.

With the installation of the chimes, Faneuil Hall will be more completely equipped musically than any building in the city. At the instigation of the Mayor, it was provided in 1951 with a beautiful colonial style spinet piano, donated by the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Boston; equipped in 1953 with a handsome Hammond electric organ, donated jointly by the Christmas Festival Committee and the public school children of Boston, and furnished in 1954 with a valuable set of wall chimes with organ attachment, donated by Harry J. Blake, well-known Boston wool merchant.

RETIREMENT BOARD REPORT.

August 1, 1955.

To the Auditor.

At meetings of the Boston Retirement Board, held on the following dates, July 13 and July 27, 1955, the retirement from active service of the following-named employees and members of the Boston Retirement System, under the provisions of chapter 521 of the Acts of 1922 (Boston Retirement Act), was approved to become effective at the close of business, July 31, 1955:

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Charles H. McCarthy, lieutenant.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Daniel P. Galvin, patrolman.

Attest:

W. J. DOYLE, *Chairman.*

TRANSFERS OF APPROPRIATIONS.

The Mayor has approved the following requests for transfers of appropriations:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Printing Section.

From 2, Contractual Services, $2,000, to 4, Current Charges and Obligations, $2,000.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

From 400, Current Charges and Obligations, $15, to 500, Equipment, $15.

Sewer Service.

From 269, Buildings and Structures (Not Otherwise Classified), $120, to 496, Rents, Taxes, Licenses, $120.

CITY OF BOSTON TO OBSERVE 325th ANNIVERSARY WITH SERIES OF ELABORATE EVENTS.

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Another feature will be a reproduction by members of various Boston youth organizations of John Winthrop and his band of Puritans crossing the Charles River on September 17, 1630, to formally found and settle historic Boston. It was at Charlestown that Winthrop and his hardy followers from Devonshire, England, dwelled prior to selecting Boston as their permanent abode.

One of the characters to be portrayed in the pageant will be William Blackstone, who landed in Boston from a passing ship some time before the coming of the Puritans, and who established his hermitage on the west side of Beacon Hill. It was Blackstone who welcomed them to the area and who later, after he had sold his interest in lands to the settlers for 30 pounds, moved down into what is now called Blackstone Valley, Rhode Island.

Efforts will also be made by those assisting in the observance of Boston's 325th birthday to pay homage to St. Botolph, the great Benedictine monk, from whose name the word Boston is derived. St. Botolphston and Botolphson are but two of the stages the name passed through before it finally became Boston.

St. Botolph settled in the Fens of Devonshire in the sixth century and made such a lasting impression on the natives whom he converted to Christianity that, even centuries after his death, their descendants built the tallest church in the British Isles to his memory. The crumbling tower of the church was rebuilt in 1930 on the occasion of the 300th anniversary of the founding of Boston, Massachusetts. The $75,000 spent on the repairs was raised by a committee of leading citizens as a gesture of good will from Boston of the new world to the Boston of the old.

The custom of observing significant dates in the history of Boston is nothing new. From time to time over the past three centuries it has been done, mainly through the efforts of old Boston, Massachusetts, families whose roots were in the County of Devonshire, of which Boston, England, is the largest and best-known city.

The last observance was the 1930 Tercentenary Celebration observed in the most elaborate manner in memory. A lengthy colorful float parade depicting various historic events in the annals of Boston, Massachusetts, in which the Mayor of Boston, England, participated, an official City of Boston dinner, the marking of a number of historic sites with official City of Boston emblems were only a few of the events that were staged in honor of the occasion.

The entire program this year will be conducted by the Mayor's official staff under his personal direction.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

IN-SERVICE TRAINING SUPERVISOR, BOSTON WELFARE DEPARTMENT, OCTOBER 1, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, September 12, 1955.

This examination is open to residents of the state.

Salary: The minimum salary is $90.50 a week; the maximum salary is $113 a week.

Vacancies: At present there is one vacancy for a female, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: In cooperation with the administrative and supervisory staffs, to have responsibility for the over-all planning, development and execution of a program of training for the department; to be available for consultation on staff meeting programs; and to perform related work as required.

Examples of Duties: Interviewing candidates for initial social service employment, planning the orientation of appointees, supervising and guiding them during their probationary period, holding group discussions of their work experiences, and from time to time, submitting individual progress reports; in accordance with plans prescribed by the Board of Overseers, planning with and giving advice to employees who are interested in educational leave; teaching courses in social case work, and planning and directing seminars in social case work and related subjects, such as principles of supervision, for workers at various stages of experience; in accordance with plans approved by the Board of Overseers, cooperating with schools of social work in accepting their students for field work training, including students making special studies, and overseeing their work; organizing and directing a field training unit in the Social Service Division, and developing potential field work and group instructors from within the department.

The duties require an understanding of the laws and policies governing the public assistance program, as well as the ability to organize case work teaching material and to teach case work in a group setting.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants must have at least three years of full-time paid employment in a professional social case work capacity in a recognized public or private social agency and at least two years of experience in supervising beginning social case workers in a well-organized in-service training program in a public or private social case work agency or in supervising field work students in a graduate school of social work or in teaching case work courses in a graduate school of social work. *Substitution:* Successfully completed full-time study leading to a master's degree in a graduate school of social work may be substituted, year for year, for the required general case work experience but not for the two years of special supervisory or teaching experience.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements. Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following personnel changes:

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

For the week ending July 26:

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Priscilla Beckwith, 686 Massachusetts avenue, 5 days; Claire Bilapka, 230 Commonwealth avenue, 1 day; Lillian Blackburn, 18 Park Vale avenue, Allston, 5 days; Joan Bresnahan, 70 Burbank street, 1 day; Helen Connors, 83 Glen road, Jamaica Plain, 3 days; Ruby Childs, 270 Huntington avenue, Roxbury, 4 days; Norma Dean, 696 Massachusetts avenue, 2 days; Jean Darrough, 568 East Sixth street, South Boston, 3 days; Yolanda Evans, 126 Waverly street, Everett, Anna Ferrara, 53 Blue Hill avenue, Milton, 4 days; Mildred Felaroska, 69 Park Drive, 7 days; Stella Graham, 43 Mercier avenue, Dorchester, 3 days; Helen Hagenberger, 207 Park Drive, 2 days; Mary Jones, 32 Concord square, 6 days; Ernestine Jones, Veronica Lombard, 8 Doris street, Dorchester, Anne Lynskey, 52 Telsa street, Medford, 1 day; Loretta Lynch, 270 Huntington avenue, 3 days; Claire McCue, 74 Robinwood road, Dedham, 2 days; Mary R. Mahan, 29 Kempton street, 7 days; Mary Murphy, 37 Hampden Circle, Wollaston, Audrey Mailhot, 30 Walton street, Dorchester, 4 days; Angelina Mullaney, 1235 Trapelo road, Waltham, 1 day; Mary O'Heir, 19 Revere street, 4 days; Mary Paylor, 67 Mystic avenue, Medford, 2 days; Dora Pecarsky, 31 Edison Green, 3 days; Alyce N. Powers, 94 Old Colony avenue, Wollaston, 2 days; Ethel Rahaim, 665 Massachusetts avenue, 7 days; Romaine Riley, 171 Humboldt avenue, Roxbury, 4 days; Bernice Smith, 105 Walnut avenue, Roxbury, 3 days; Verna Snow, 75 Damon avenue, Melrose, Helen Spillane, 499 Park street, Stoughton, 1 day; Anna Stankard, 79 Edwin road, Waltham, Margaret M. Sullivan, 28 Weymouth street, Holbrook, 2 days; Josephine Trippe, 80 Orleans street, East Boston, 7 days; Ila Ward, 79 Warren street, Roxbury, 2 days.

The following doctors have been appointed:

Douglas T. Ferraro, junior assistant resident, Pathology, Alvin C. McCuistion, junior assistant resident, Diabetic, $112 a month; Otto Renzulli, resident, Anesthesia, $162 a month.

South Division.

For the week ending July 26:

The following temporary employees have been appointed:

Nellie Blaisdell, 473 La Grange street, West Roxbury, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour; Martin Flaherty, 24 Topliff street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; Goldie Raymond, 76 Pinckney street, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

The following special nurses have been appointed at $18.75:

Veronica McElligott, 34 Dickinson street, Somerville, 7 days; Jean E. O'Connell, 1734A Commonwealth avenue, 4 days.

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING AUGUST 9.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Anita Charles	98 Appleton street	4	Alterations, dwelling	$400
John B. Bowen	40 Barnes avenue	1	Alterations, dwelling	850
Thurber Realty	319 Centre street	10	Alterations, dwelling	200
Thurber Realty	321–323 Centre street	10	Alterations, dwelling	250
Thurber Realty	325–327 Centre street	10	Alterations, dwelling	275
Thurber Realty	329 Centre street	10	Alterations, dwelling	200
B. Chappas	403–405 Centre street	19	Alterations, dwelling	550
John Gallagher	89 Clarkson street	15	Alterations, dwelling	1,900
J. Abbadessa	130 Conant street	10	Alterations, dwelling	950
M. F. Foley Co	3 Friend street	3	Alterations, dwelling	900
Joseph MacDougal	61 Halliday street	19	Alterations, dwelling	335
Mary Appt	3 Hartlawn street	20	Alterations, dwelling	250
William Allen	5 Haviland street	4	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
William Allen	7 Haviland street	4	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Guy Selvaggio	18 Mt. Ida road	15	Alterations, dwelling	450
John Framestozzo	15 Newton street	22	Alterations, dwelling	80
D. Spognardi	154 Poplar street	19	Alterations, dwelling	700
W. Gas & Light Co	1176 River street	18	Alterations, dwelling	900
Sabatino Taqueno	293 Sumner street	1	Alterations, dwelling	100
Mr. Jensen	828 Washington street	17	Alterations, dwelling	75
Mrs. Carlton	466 Warren street	12	Alterations, dwelling	900
John T. Browne	14 Beethoven street	11	Alterations, dwelling	850
Tileston Estate	108 West Broadway	6	Alterations, dwelling	350
Mary Connell	83 East Brookline street	8	Alterations, dwelling	100
John Neilon	85 East Brookline street	8	Alterations, dwelling	100
Simond Saw & Steel Co	1350 Columbia road	7	Alterations, dwelling	9,280
Suburban Homes	425 East Third street	6	Alterations, dwelling	50
Edward A. Allen	595 East Fourth street	6	Alterations, dwelling	990
Mary Lightbody	92 Eutaw street	1	Alterations, dwelling	250
George Syrian Orthodox Church.	6 James street	8	Alterations, dwelling	990
Hazel Shannon	37 Garnet road	20	Alterations, dwelling	300
John J. O'Brien	23 Lewiston street	18	Alterations, dwelling	304
Rose Segal	77 Salem street	3	Alterations, dwelling	500
Charles O. Ruddy	165 Temple street	20	Alterations, dwelling	450
Charles Bargout	83 Waltham street	3	Alterations, dwelling	125
Shaleck Jacob	85 Waltham street	3	Alterations, dwelling	125
Charlotte and Francis Fineberg.	37–41 Warren street	2	Alterations, dwelling	250
Helen A. O'Connell	9 Albion place	2	Alterations, dwelling	350
Trustees of Boston University	275 Babcock street	21	Alterations, dwelling	19,000
Attavio Cantalupo	544 Bennington street	1	Alterations, dwelling	400
Peter Zarodanis	69 Brookley road	11	Alterations, dwelling	275
Daniel Baker	112 Bynner street	10	Alterations, dwelling	390
Angelo Caggiano	166 Chelsea street	1	Alterations, dwelling	400
J. Melanson	8 Concord street	2	Alterations, dwelling	50
L. Yaffe	189 Friend street	3	Alterations, dwelling	115
Trustees of Boston University	20 Gaffney street	21	Alterations, dwelling	5,000
Homes, Inc.	11 Gordon street	19	Alterations, dwelling	435
Rozina Giove	37 Grove street	5	Alterations, dwelling	300
Dr. Berman	41 High street	2	Alterations, dwelling	600
Mary Gisa	93 Intervale street	14	Alterations, dwelling	450
A. Tropeano	186 Magnolia street	13	Alterations, dwelling	900
Helen Chiango	118 Marginal street	1	Alterations, dwelling	800
Tony Guerino	6 Noyes place	3	Alterations, dwelling	250
Edward J. King	74 Pcone street	2	Alterations, dwelling	40
Julius Kalman	1 Primus avenue	5	Alterations, dwelling	90
A. M. Bradley	84 State street	3	Alterations, dwelling	500
Jerome Moore	5 Tovar street	15	Alterations, dwelling	975
Wilfred McVeigh	100 Train street	16	Alterations, dwelling	100
Allen Rodday	81–83 Tyler street	3	Alterations, dwelling	175
E. Connor	386 West Fourth street	6	Alterations, dwelling	100
Estate of A. Waterman	46 Winthrop street	18	Alterations, dwelling	500
Estate of A. Waterman	44 Winthrop street	18	Alterations, dwelling	500
Estate of A. Waterman	42 Winthrop street	18	Alterations, dwelling	500
Joseph Dickson	34 Algonquin street	17	Alterations, dwelling	350
James & Charlotte Broderick	16 Athelwold street	17	Alterations, dwelling	1,500
Hyman Cohen	230 Blue Hill avenue	13	Alterations, dwelling	550
Hyman Cohen	238 Blue Hill avenue	13	Alterations, dwelling	300
Hyman Cohen	242 Blue Hill avenue	13	Alterations, dwelling	100
Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston.	517 Blue Hill avenue	12	Alterations, dwelling	100
Frank Palasek	319–321 Dorchester street	7	Alterations, dwelling	160
Mrs. M. Irvine	30 Holborn street	12	Alterations, dwelling	200
Walter Dimmock	66 King street	16	Alterations, dwelling	1,240
Frank Bosser	31 Moreland street	12	Alterations, dwelling	300
Merchants Realty Trust	59 Queensberry street	5	Alterations, dwelling	2,000
William Pease O'Brien	180A–180B Portland street	3	Alterations, dwelling	685
Jack Micciantuono	47 Roseclair street	7	Alterations, dwelling	1,500
M. LaPointe	42 Saleombe street	13	Alterations, dwelling	900
Athens Olympia	51 Stuart street	3	Alterations, dwelling	400
Ames Realty	83 Summer street	3	Alterations, dwelling	500
Francis Elwood	47 Thomas park	7	Alterations, dwelling	100
Jane Campbell	35 Walworth street	20	Alterations, dwelling	400
Ruth Gorfinkle	661 Washington street	17	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Mr. Grubiss	824 Washington street	17	Alterations, dwelling	200
Charles B. Dolan	1140 Washington street	17	Alterations, dwelling	950
W. Price	1205-1223 Washington street	3	Alterations, dwelling	550
Thomas and Eliz. Folger	52 Village street	5	Alterations, dwelling	2
Nellie Rovin	64½ Day street	10	Alterations, dwelling	2
Walter Jakstas	67 G street	7	Alterations, dwelling	2
William Lucas	17 Washburn street	7	Alterations, dwelling	2
Rosario Alongi	32 Pleasant street	2	Alterations, dwelling	2
Adeline Ranieri & Louise Ciampoli.	56 North Margin street	3	Alterations, dwelling	2
Rose Ghidella	61 George street	8	Alterations, dwelling	2
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Marion Flemming	64 School street	11	Alterations, dwelling	2
Palma Calapa	314 Wood avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	620
Earl Sheppard	108 Arlington street	18	Alterations, dwelling	291

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING AUGUST 9.—Concluded.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
A. F. Foley	36 Barnes avenue	1	Alterations, dwelling	$300
B. Babine	111 Barnes avenue	1	Alterations, dwelling	600
Henry Davis	66 Chestnut street	5	Alterations, dwelling	300
Boston Sausage Company	1 Commercial Wharf	3	Alterations, dwelling	850
David Weisberg	617 East Broadway	6	Alterations, dwelling	500
C. I. Brink, Inc.	21 Gold street	7	Alterations, dwelling	200
Josephine Pirone	227 Maverick street	1	Alterations, dwelling	900
Dirigo Sales Corporation	208 Milk street	3	Alterations, dwelling	300
John McLaughlin	21 Norway park	18	Alterations, dwelling	359
Dorothy White	817 River street	18	Alterations, dwelling	200
Robert Smith	18 Seattle street	22	Alterations, dwelling	50
Fifty Associates	42 Stuart street	3	Alterations, dwelling	150
International Manufacturing	2512 Washington street	12	Alterations, dwelling	300
George Joseph	1 West Canton street	9	Alterations, dwelling	150
C. I. Brink, Inc.	12 West Fifth street	7	Alterations, dwelling	200
C. I. Brink, Inc.	14 West Fifth street	7	Alterations, dwelling	200
C. I. Brink, Inc.	16 West Fifth street	7	Alterations, dwelling	200
Mary E. Prescott	4 Westminster street	11	Alterations, dwelling	104
United States Trust	40 Winter street	3	Alterations, dwelling	350
Michael Walsh	51 Barry street	15	Alterations, dwelling	1,400
Dorsar Enterprises	541 Boylston street	5	Alterations, dwelling	600
Otto J. Rieger	100 Central avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	690
William O. Kane	715 Cummins Highway	18	Alterations, dwelling	419
William J. Brown	591 East Fourth street	6	Alterations, dwelling	960
Marx Spitz	16 Hewins street	14	Alterations, dwelling	195
Miss Creedon	96 Homes avenue	15	Alterations, dwelling	500
Simon Wolf	301 Norfolk street	17	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Claire Connors	1 Philip street	16	Alterations, dwelling	990
Claire Connors	3 Philip street	16	Alterations, dwelling	990
Claire Connors	5 Philip street	16	Alterations, dwelling	990
Vincent Poriant	1817 River street	18	Alterations, dwelling	200
Angelo Todesca	98 Roslindale avenue	20	Alterations, dwelling	700

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM PLUMBING FOR THE WEEK ENDING AUGUST 9.

Plumber.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
I. Gerson	4 Allston street	17	Fixtures	$100
H. Goldberg	56 Coffey street	16	Fixtures	250
S. Fox	9 Corinth street	20	Fixtures	75
E. Clayton	22 Edison Green	7	Fixtures	400
S. Staretz	49 Meridian street	1	Fixtures	365
E. Parad	54 Austin street	18	Fixtures	100
D. Puopolo	483 Beacon street	5	Fixtures	75
M. Miller	137 Dover street	3	Fixtures	100
G. Trethewey	8 Florence street	19	Fixtures	175
E. Webber	88 Freeport street	15	Fixtures	800
P. Russo	29 Lawton street	18	Fixtures	850
E. Webber	14 Myrtlebank avenue	16	Fixtures	50
W. Connell	495 Neponset avenue	16	Fixtures	425
G. Surabian	25-29 Denby road	22	Fixtures	2,200
A. Milligan	137 Gallivan Boulevard	17	Fixtures	1,000
F. Shomes	47 Huntington avenue	4	Fixtures	150
L. Spears	32 Justin road	22	Fixtures	500
L. Jacobs	79 Newbury street	5	Fixtures	1,000
L. Spears	56 Portsmouth street	22	Fixtures	250
D. Yorks	1408 River street	18	Fixtures	400
H. Diekerson	60 State street	3	Fixtures	300
J. Houghton	43 Sturbridge street	17	Fixtures	400
J. Madden	49 Summit street	18	Fixtures	100
A. Isaac	10 Tyler street	3	Fixtures	100
J. Seufert	4 Arlington street	5	Fixtures	800
W. Colpitts	10 Homewood road	20	Fixtures	100
M. Wallen	244 Manchester street	17	Fixtures	800
S. Shulman	11 New Haven street	20	Fixtures	800
S. Clayman	66 Osceola street	18	Fixtures	825
S. Clayman	70 Osceola street	18	Fixtures	825
S. Shulman	116 Orange street	20	Fixtures	800
R. Snyder	165 Tremont street	3	Fixtures	5,500
R. Snyder	44 Winthrop street	2	Fixtures	900
B. Dunn	596 Atlantic avenue	3	Fixtures	250
T. Nolan	1500 Blue Hill avenue	18	Fixtures	8,000
J. Kurhan	135 Brown avenue	19	Fixtures	350
A. Cobb	784 Centre street	19	Fixtures	100
L. Blackney	81 Farquhar street	20	Fixtures	500
B. Porte	545 Freeport street	16	Fixtures	100
E. Dorr	138 Marginal street	1	Fixtures	250
L. Mahoney	50 Mt. Walley avenue	19	Fixtures	26,400
W. Gedick	31 Pond street	13	Fixtures	165
E. Saba	95 Safford street	18	Fixtures	900
J. Cotter	Thompson Island	1	Fixtures	2,000
J. Cotter	Thompson Island	1	Fixtures	1,350
B. Porte	19 West Cedar street	5	Fixtures	1,200
E. Mogel	191 West Selden street	18	Fixtures	500

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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Long Island Division.

The following changes have been made for the week ending July 27:

Terminations.—Marina Wentworth, attendant nurse; Robert J. Gaughan, James J. Mullen, hospital kitchen workers, emergency; Brian E. Concannon, hospital laborer, emergency; Francis J. Heanue, Merwyn Hassell, attendant nurses, Vacation Supply; Theresa M. Casey, Loretta M. Hebert, Anmarie A. Johnson, student practical nurses.

Change of Name.—Mary C. Bentley, attendant nurse, to Mary C. Bacon.

Cancellations.—Gerard V. Benelli, attendant nurse; Margaret C. Conlon, Lucy A. Lyon, licensed practical nurses.

Welfare Department.

The following employees have resigned:

Loretta Dixon, John Courtney, permanent social workers; Marie DiMarzio, Elizabeth Peltier, permanent senior clerks and typists.

The following employees have been transferred:

Hugh McNulty, permanent social worker; Athena Lynch, permanent statistical machine operator; Mary O'Rourke, permanent clerk and typist.

The following employees have retired:

Harriett Beardsley, Mary King, permanent social workers; Helen O'Connell, permanent cook.

Appointments.

Boston Retirement Board.

Edward L. Hanlon, 150 St. Botolph street, accounting machine operator, $43 a week.

Welfare Department.

Central Office.

Frances P. Murphy, 7 Fermoy Heights, Dorchester, clerk, $43 a week.

Katherine M. Butler, 24 Meredith street, West Roxbury, clerk, $43 a week.

Elizabeth A. Ellis, 50 Ottawa street, Roxbury, clerk, $45.50 a week.

Frederick Kirby, 130 Homes avenue, Dorchester, social worker, $68 a week.

Joseph Griswold, 103 Mountfort street, social worker, $65.50 a week.

Henry K. Sullivan, 3 Dalessio court, South Boston, social worker, $65.50 a week.

Vito Maniscalco, 275 Centre street, Jamaica Plain, social worker, $65.50 a week.

Joseph E. Hanglin, 263 Columbia road, Dorchester, social worker, $70.50 a week.

Rose Charick, 43 Orkney road, Brighton, social worker, $65.50 a week.

Appointments or Reinstatements.

Administrative Services Department.

Printing Section.

Josephine F. Fogg, 19 Terrace avenue, Newton Highlands, proofreader, $96.25 a week.

Frances E. Ennis, 33 Taft street, Lexington, proofreader, $96.25 a week.

Fire Department.

Rocco J. Cozza, 10 Comins terrace, Roxbury, fire apparatus repairman, $60.50 a week.

Ralph P. Selvitella, 284 Chelsea street, East Boston, fire apparatus repairman, $60.50 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Ann Marie Gallahue, 87 Tonawanda street, Dorchester, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Corrine Weller, 94 Queensberry street, senior X-ray technician, $58 a week.

Dr. Arthur J. Donovan, 46 Hickory Cliff road, Newton, assistant director, First Surgical Service, $6,000 a year.

Dr. John M. Hunter, 27 Forest street, Milton, director, Neurosurgical Service, $8,000 a year.

Dr. J. Engelbert Dunphy, 402 Linden street, Wellesley, director, Sears Surgical Laboratory, $6,000 a year.

John Cadigan, Jr., M.D., 58 Woodlawn street, Dedham, research fellow, $250 a month.

Wilfred Fuller Jones, Jr., M.D., Boston City Hospital, Thorndike Memorial Laboratory, research fellow, $250 a month.

Ernest W. Hancock, M.D., Thorndike Memorial Laboratory, Boston City Hospital, research fellow, $250 a month.

Roger Loyd Nichols, M.D., 346 Concord avenue, Belmont, research fellow, $250 a month.

Asher Marks, M.D., 24 Pierce road, Watertown, research fellow, $250 a month.

Elizabeth Delvental, 724 Parker street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $48 a week.

Katherine Tris, 86 Richfield street, Dorchester, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Edgar T. Pitts, 40 Sheridan street, Jamaica Plain, X-ray technician, $45.50 a week.

Arline Silver, 67 Washington street, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

Agnes F. Greer, 15 Favre street, Mattapan, intermittent relief telephone operator, $11.10 a shift.

Long Island Division.

Robert S. Byron, 6 Stone terrace, Dorchester, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Paul Mantos, 231 Cottage road, West Roxbury, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Daniel Griffin, 6 Gibson street, Dorchester, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Theresa S. Guillory, Squantum Gardens, North Quincy, graduate registered nurse, $60.50 a week.

Anthony F. Hanbury, 88 Calumet street, Roxbury, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

John McKeown, 2 Smith street, Roxbury, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

John Clasby, 289 Fuller street, Roxbury, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Bridge Division.

Nicholas Cantalupo, 70 Revere street, carpenter, $68 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Marjorie Fairhurst, 14 Ruthven street, Roxbury, clerk and typist, $50.50 a week.

Changes in Status.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Budget Division.

John T. Leonard, 63 Whitten street, Dorchester, from senior budget analyst (temporary) at $108.25 a week to senior budget analyst at $108.25 a week.

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING AUGUST 9.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
J. Monahan	9 Oakland street	22	New appliances	$22
O. McElearney	8 Pacific street	7	New appliances	20
J. Monahan	10 Perthshire road	22	New appliances	260
S. Slavine	36 Pinckney street	5	New appliances	25
J. Monahan	3 Platt road	22	New appliances	17
P. Gulesian	6 Ridlon road	18	New appliances	200
P. Gulesian	1420 River street	18	New appliances	300
J. Bunesh	3 Sexton court	7	New appliances	25
N. Clark	22 Sheldon street	19	New appliances	300
N. Clark	53 Stanwood street	14	New appliances	400
P. Russo	38 West Milton street	18	New appliances	35
J. Monahan	2 Westminster terrace	22	New appliances	12
J. Monahan	3 Westminster terrace	22	New appliances	12
H. Cutler	33 Wildwood street	14	New appliances	10
J. Bunesh	50 Woodward street	7	New appliances	45
D. Naimo	17 Caldwell street	2	New appliances	100
G. Trethewey	12 Claxton street	19	New appliances	60
D. Gould	73A Clifton street	8	New appliances	35
G. Trethewey	21 Conway street	20	New appliances	70
G. Trethewey	309 Cummins Highway	18	New appliances	65
D. O'Neill	208 Emerson street	6	New appliances	150
D. O'Neill	74 Francis street	10	New appliances	35
V. Taylor	33 Gloucester street	5	New appliances	400
D. O'Neill	902 Harrison avenue	8	New appliances	40
E. Dorr	872 Huntington avenue	10	New appliances	65
D. O'Neill	139 Moreland street	8	New appliances	40
P. Ferris	109 Mt. Pleasant avenue	8	New appliances	100
G. Trethewey	43 Neponset avenue	18	New appliances	295
E. O'Farrell	48 and 50 Riverdale street	22	New appliances	100
L. Luxton	10 Tebroc street	15	New appliances	40
G. Trethewey	90 Walworth street	20	New appliances	220
H. Hinckley	23 Washington street	14	New appliances	20
J. Vogel	110 West Canton street	9	New appliances	12
M. Vitala	169 A street	6	New appliances	100
S. Litman	421 Blue Hill avenue	12	New appliances	150
S. Litman	27 Bower street	12	New appliances	20
M. Loiterstein	56 Coffey street	16	New appliances	15
D. Greenwood	10 Goodrich road	19	New appliances	300
J. Wilson	143 High street	2	New appliances	100
A. Onessimo	7 Margaret street	3	New appliances	25
E. Pascucci	229 Marion street	1	New appliances	35
D. Puopolo	416 Marlborough street	5	New appliances	50
E. Pascucci	368A Meridian street	1	New appliances	25
M. Vitala	46 Midway street	6	New appliances	100
J. Tierney	20 Mt. Vernon street	20	New appliances	350
S. Connolly	2 Oakville avenue	12	New appliances	50
E. Pascucci	335 Paris street	1	New appliances	25
E. Pascucci	230 Saratoga street	1	New appliances	15
W. Hogan	55A Sedgwick street	19	New appliances	100
E. Pascucci	361 Sumner street	1	New appliances	40
A. Onessimo	105 Washington street	3	New appliances	25
M. Eskowitz	18 Wayland street	13	New appliances	75
E. Pascucci	9 Wordsworth street	1	New appliances	25
A. Gardella	6 Concord avenue	2	New appliances	20
D. Horgan	93 Dresser street	6	New appliances	100
D. Horgan	635 East Sixth street	6	New appliances	100
I. Gerson	107 Evans street	17	New appliances	100
G. Trethewey	8 Florence street	19	New appliances	175
W. Connell	88 Gladeside avenue	18	New appliances	25
G. Trethewey	78 Glendower road	18	New appliances	200
F. Smith	276 Hanover street	3	New appliances	50
A. Gardella	387 Hanover street	3	New appliances	12
N. Clark	46 Hobson street	22	New appliances	600
N. Clark	46 Hobson street	22	New appliances	600
D. Horgan	141 I street	6	New appliances	100
M. Sample	196 Lasell street	20	New appliances	35
N. Clark	38 Mansfield street	22	New appliances	15
N. Clark	12 Melbourne street	16	New appliances	300
W. Connell	11 Melville avenue	17	New appliances	35
G. Trethewey	11 Moultrie street	17	New appliances	300
D. Horgan	147 N street	6	New appliances	100
A. Gardella	218 North street	3	New appliances	50
N. Clark	9 Parsons street	22	New appliances	300
D. Horgan	77 Preble street	7	New appliances	100
A. Gardella	162 Prince street	3	New appliances	50
I. Gerson	15 Rosemary street	11	New appliances	100
D. Horgan	33 Story street	7	New appliances	100
W. Connell	43 Story street	7	New appliances	100
N. Clark	63 Summer street	18	New appliances	400
W. Connell	19 Thelma road	16	New appliances	30
S. Franco	32 Thetford avenue	17	New appliances	100
F. Avery	39 Ward street	7	New appliances	15
W. Connell	838 Washington street	17	New appliances	65
W. Connell	84 Willowwood street	14	New appliances	45
F. Avery	6 Wise street	10	New appliances	25
J. Wilson	10 Austin street	2	New appliances	100
P. Gulesian	108 Austin street	18	New appliances	400
R. Simon	62 Brookline avenue	5	New appliances	72
F. Last	3 Carson street	13	New appliances	100
K. Hering	25 Cranston street	19	New appliances	60
F. Last	19 Edison Green	7	New appliances	100
J. Tierney	60-70 Eliot street	5	New appliances	125
P. Gulesian	292 Fairmount avenue	18	New appliances	300
H. Beaulieu	823 Hyde Park avenue	18	New appliances	25
K. Hering	13 Kent street	9	New appliances	50
B. Gellis	9 Laconia street	3	New appliances	28
P. Gulesian	21 Lexington avenue	18	New appliances	200
J. Butler	413 Neponset avenue	16	New appliances	150
F. Carlson	750 Parker street	10	New appliances	75
D. Gould	58 Sherman street	12	New appliances	15
J. Houghton	43 Sturbridge street	17	New appliances	50

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John L. Glynn, 77 Hampstead road, Jamaica Plain, from senior budget analyst (temporary) at $103.50 a week to senior budget analyst at $103.50 a week.

BOSTON RETIREMENT BOARD.

Joseph J. Grifone, 434 Meridian street, East Boston, from senior accounting machine operator at $60.50 a week to senior account clerk (temporary, 6 months) at $60.50 a week.

Anne P. Grieve, 3 Pickering avenue, Roxbury, from senior accounting machine operator at $65.50 a week to principal clerk and stenographer (temporary, 3 months) at $68 a week.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Alfred J. Cataldo, 22 Mt. Hope street, Roslindale, from fire fighter at $74.71 a week to fire fighter (engineer, Motor Squad) at $78.54 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Helen C. Deering, 89 Chester street, Allston, from hospital medical worker at $48 a week to hospital house worker at $48 a week.

Charles Fiorino, 94 Chelsea street, East Boston, from hospital medical worker at $50.50 a week to senior hospital medical worker at $53 a week.

George H. McManus, 43 Paul Gore street, Jamaica Plain, from hospital medical worker at $50.50 a week to senior hospital medical worker at $53 a week.

Dorothy Mailhot, 33 Cedar street, Mattapan, from hospital medical worker at $50.50 a week to hospital house worker at $50.50 a week.

Frances Tower, 292 Belgrade avenue, Roslindale, from hospital medical worker at $50.50 a week to hospital house worker at $50.50 a week.

Long Island Division.

William F. McGowan, 18 Worcester square, from senior hospital kitchen worker (meat cutter) at $60.50 a week to prinpical hospital kitchen worker (meat cutter) at $63 a week.

William A. Munroe, 44 East Newton street, from senior hospital kitchen worker, cook (permanent), at $60.50 a week to assistant chef (temporary, 3 months) at $65.50 a week.

Thomas E. Murphy, 2 Parker Hill terrace, Roxbury, from hospital kitchen worker at $50.50 a week to senior hospital kitchen worker at $53 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Bridge-Tunnel Service.

Malcolm P. McLellan, 63 Sanford street, Dorchester, from senior electrical engineer at $117.75 a week to superintendent of tunnels (temporary) at $122.50 a week.

Lewis Fox, 264 Kelton street, Allston, from clerk and typist at $48 a week to senior clerk and typist (temporary) at $55.50 a week.

Water Division.

Miriam Greenfield, 81 Bernard street, Dorchester, from clerk and typist at $53 a week to senior account clerk (temporary) at $58 a week.

Arthur J. Rivers, 6 Buckman street, Roxbury, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week to senior engineering aid (temporary) at $63 a week.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING AUGUST 9.—Concluded.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
D. Greenwood	17 Wachusett street	19	New appliances	$40
P. Guiesman	19 Webster street	18	New appliances	200
J. Seufert	1 Arlington street	5	New appliances	100
J. Wilson	27 Auburn street	2	New appliances	100
S. Landau	120 Boylston street	5	New appliances	125
L. Marchaut	133 Brookline avenue	21	New appliances	350
J. Sullivan	1050 Dorchester avenue	13	New appliances	100
J. Sullivan	1165 Dorchester avenue	15	New appliances	100
J. Sullivan	1212 Dorchester avenue	15	New appliances	100
D. Cahill	655 East Fifth street	6	New appliances	100
F. Odenweller	713 East Fifth street	6	New appliances	28
F. Odenweller	431 East Seventh street	7	New appliances	135
F. Odenweller	32 F street	6	New appliances	12
D. Claney	18 Fayette street	5	New appliances	15
A. Granara	7 Lothrop street	3	New appliances	65
J. Seufert	91 Montclair avenue	20	New appliances	150
J. Sullivan	90 Mt. Vernon street	7	New appliances	100
J. Sullivan	59 Sagamore street	13	New appliances	100
C. Boates	76 Savin street	12	New appliances	40
E. Mogel	295 Beacon street	5	New appliances	12
L. Luxton	248 Bowdoin street	15	New appliances	25
J. Flynn	418 Bowdoin street	15	New appliances	100
E. Mogel	36 Braddock park	4	New appliances	12
C. Bevelander	65 Brentwood street	22	New appliances	100
C. Bevelander	177 Cambridge street	22	New appliances	100
L. Luxton	729 Centre street	19	New appliances	50
J. Flynn	89 Claybourne street	17	New appliances	135
T. Resnick	1292 Commonwealth avenue	21	New appliances	150
C. O'Connor	33 Cook street	2	New appliances	40
J. Flynn	3 Downey court	13	New appliances	60
C. Bevelander	60 Dustin street	22	New appliances	100
L. Blakney	81 Farquhar street	20	New appliances	500
L. Trehub	32 Fawndale road	19	New appliances	15
O. McElearney	2 Forest place	2	New appliances	50
J. Flynn	109 Hamilton street	15	New appliances	55
J. Flynn	25 Harmon street	18	New appliances	100
M. Eskowitz	46 Harwood street	14	New appliances	25
E. Mogel	129 Hudson street	3	New appliances	30
J. Flynn	8 Juliette street	15	New appliances	60
J. Tierney	54 Lewis Wharf	3	New appliances	55
E. Dorr	138 Marginal street	1	New appliances	100
S. Goldman	31 Massachusetts avenue	5	New appliances	100
L. Rubin	96 Nightingale street	14	New appliances	20
J. Flynn	355 Norfolk street	14	New appliances	15
C. O'Connor	2 Parker street	2	New appliances	70
A. Granara	5 Powers court	3	New appliances	12
J. Flynn	40 Richview street	16	New appliances	30
J. Flynn	34 Ridgewood street	15	New appliances	50
J. Flynn	565 River street	18	New appliances	50
N. Clark	Round Hill street	10	New appliances	400
J. Flynn	19 Rowell street	13	New appliances	77
E. Mogel	40 Rutland square	4	New appliances	20
E. Mogel	657A Shawmut avenue	9	New appliances	40
N. Clark	15 Walnut avenue	20	New appliances	400
C. Bevelander	25 Warren avenue	5	New appliances	75
J. Flynn	42 Westmoreland street	16	New appliances	12

Michael W. Maslanka, 5 Glines avenue, Jamaica Plain, from laborer at $58 a week to yardman at $60.50 a week.

James H Waugh, 487 Columbia road, Dorchester, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $65.50 a week to yardman at $68 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Mary R. Feeney, 18 Conway street, Roslindale, from social work supervisor at $87 a week to principal social work supervisor (temporary transfer) at $90.50 a week.

Margaret Jennings, 19 Alvin avenue, Milton, from social worker at $76.50 a week to social work supervisor (temporary) at $80 a week.

Dorothy Sacks, 438 Warren street, Roxbury, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior clerk and typist at $55.50 a week.

Alice M. Clark, 1381 Commonwealth avenue, Allston, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior clerk and typist at $55.50 a week.

Mary D. O'Leary, 1590 Centre street, Roslindale, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior clerk and typist at $55.50 a week.

Promotions.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

Salvatore H. Ippolito, 3069 Washington street, Roxbury, from motor equipment operator at $60.50 a week to parking meter collector (temporary, 6 months) at $63 a week.

Transfer.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Francis E. Gurrie, 11 Oakland street, Brighton, from Public Works Department (Highway-Lighting Service) as principal clerk at $80 a week to Public Works Department (Highway-Permit Office) as principal clerk at $80 a week.

Leave of Absence.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Abbie O'Sullivan, 9 Edison Green, Dorchester, hospital house worker, $50.50 a week.

Step-Rate Increases.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Patrick J. McDonough, elevator inspector, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Hospital Medical Workers.

	From	To
Albert C. Hill,	$43.00—	$45.50
Mary R. Ruby,	48.00—	50.50
Catherine Sheehan,	48.00—	50.50
Marie Thomas,	43.00—	45.50

	From	To
Rita Tyner,	$48.00—	$50.50
Helen E. Venditti,	48.00—	50.50
Angelo Attardo,	43.00—	45.50
Frank H. Black,	43.00—	45.50
John E. Delaney,	43.00—	45.50
Nunzio Constantino,	43.00—	45.50
Marie Abbott,	45.50—	48.00
Kathryn V. Ashworth,	48.00—	50.50
Irene M. Blute,	45.50—	48.00
Dorothy H. Bowes,	45.50—	48.00
Elizabeth J. Burke,	45.50—	48.00
Agnes Campbell,	43.00—	45.50
Helen O. Cole,	48.00—	50.50
Margaretta Davis,	48.00—	50.50
Mary A. F. Duffy,	48.00—	50.50
Constance A. Dunn,	48.00—	50.50
Germaine G. Gagnon,	43.00—	45.50
Nora T. Goodwin,	48.00—	50.50
Mary Hargeden,	45.50—	48.00
Evelyn Hawkesworth,	43.00—	45.50
Louise F. King,	48.00—	50.50
Helen D. Maroney,	45.50—	48.00
Lillian McManaman,	45.50—	48.00
Mabel L. Miller,	45.50—	48.00
Helen F. Norton,	48.00—	50.50
Hilda Nunnally,	45.50—	48.00
Blanche Rachalski,	45.50—	48.00
Mary A. Regan,	48.00—	50.50
Victor Barkowsky,	45.50—	48.00
Eva McLeod,	50.50—	53.00
Walter J. Granigan,	45.50—	48.00
John H. Logan,	45.50—	48.00

Hospital Kitchen Workers.

	From	To
Robert H. Allen,	$48.00—	$50.50
Christopher Dunn,	48.00—	50.50
Frank J. Gerraughty,	48.00—	50.50
Robert E. Hanf,	45.50—	48.00
Helen B. Corcoran,	50.50—	53.00

Thomas Lyons, assistant chef, from $83.50 to $87 a week.

Elevator Operators.

	From	To
John W. Blondeit,	$45.50—	$48.00
Joseph J. Curry,	45.50—	48.00
George E. Warren,	48.00—	50.50

Louis Leonardo, steamfitter's helper, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Ambulance Drivers.

	From	To
James Grieg,	$65.50—	$68.00
Richard T. King,	65.50—	68.00

Abraham Wolfe, supervisor, patient's valuables, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Hospital Guards.

	From	To
James E. O'Donnell,	$53.00—	$55.50
James M. Cullity,	53.00—	55.50
Frank Froio,	53.00—	55.50

Hospital House Workers.

	From	To
Charles Schmitt,	$48.00—	$50.50
William Taylor,	48.00—	50.50

Jeremiah F. Rohan, senior hospital house worker, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Joan Webster, laboratory technician, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Edith Wolfsberg, laboratory assistant, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Clerks and Typists.

	From	To
Marilyn Bromfield,	$48.00—	$50.50
Antoinette Cook,	45.50—	48.00
Barbara C. McCarthy,	48.00—	50.50
Mary McHugh, (part time),	40.50—	43.00
Joan M. O'Leary,	48.00—	50.50
Phyllis A. Walter,	45.50—	48.00
Helen Ney,	45.50—	48.00

Richard G. Brown, clerk, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Leo Lazo, senior clerk, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Alice K. Rahilly, senior accounting machine operator, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Helen Sauer, senior clerk and stenographer, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Joanna Murphy, principal medical stenographer, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Margaret B. Willis, senior clerk and typist, from $58 to $63 a week.

Hospital Laundry Workers.

	From	To
Lillian Burling,	$50.50—	$53.00
Jeremiah Collins,	43.00—	45.50
William H. Gould,	45.50—	48.00
Margaret Mullins,	48.00—	50.50

Harry Newman, senior hospital laundry worker, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Floor Nurses.

	From	To
Audrey R. Brady,	$60.50—	$63.00
Margaret Burke,	63.00—	65.50
Muriel Zellen,	60.50—	63.00
Bridget Kerrigan,	63.00—	65.50
Catherine McHowell,	65.50—	68.00

Rose Olson, floor nurse, part time, from $1.60 to $1.65 an hour.

Head Nurses.

	From	To
Yvette Mondou,	$68.00—	$70.50
Joan Morgan,	65.50—	68.00
Elizabeth Maguire,	76.50—	80.00

Long Island Division.

George R. Egan, head guard (temporary), from $83.50 to $87 a week.

Anne V. Murphy, clerk-typist, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Stephen L. Cosgrove, attendant nurse, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Joseph P. Coyne, hospital kitchen worker, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Margaret T. DiGirolamo, attendant nurse, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Leo T. Finneran, senior hospital kitchen worker, meatcutter, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Charles F. Grant, attendant nurse, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Charles A. Kohr, attendant nurse, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Ellen T. McCarron, attendant nurse, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Mary M. Nelson, attendant nurse, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Francis R. Moore, hospital laborer, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

Public Works Department.

Sanitary Division.

Martin J. Donahue, heavy motor equipment operator and laborer, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Sewer Division.

James J. Burke, sewer cleaner, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Frederic C. Hucksam, catch-basin cleaning machine operator, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Charles A. Hussey, sewer construction inspector, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Veterans' Services Department.

Lorraine P. Colombo, clerk-typist, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Winifred C. Harraway, paymaster, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Miriam R. L. Madden, paymaster, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following request:

Department of School Buildings.

For the week ending August 2:

Paul W. Mooney, 1 day at $3 an hour.

Fire Department.

The officers and fire fighters on duty during the three-alarm fire at the Tally-Ho Grille, 39-45 Stanhope street, Boston, on July 1, 1955.

Parks and Recreation Department.

For the week ending August 2:

Harry L. McGuire, tree maintenance foreman, 48 hours at $3 an hour.

William E. Collins, general foreman, park maintenance, 8 hours at $3 an hour.

John W. Hardiman, supervisor, recreation equipment, 32 hours at $3 an hour.

Thomas Roberto, golf course foreman, 32 hours at $3 an hour.

Dennis N. O'Leary, principal clerk, 40 hours at $3 an hour.

Patrick J. Burke, collector, 32 hours at $3 an hour.

Catherine M. Hughes, principal clerk-stenographer, 12 hours at $3 an hour.

John Freitas, foreman, 8 hours at $3 an hour.

Neil P. Canney, park maintenance foreman, 8 hours at $3 an hour.

Penal Institutions Department.

House of Correction.

F. Cloran, deputy master, 1⅜ days, $24.16; R. Flynn, hospital supervisor, 1 day, $16.70; J. Hoban, deputy master, 2½ days, $45.25; P. Joyce, officer's cook, 1¾ days, $28; W. Kelley, deputy master, 5 days, $94; F. Luciano, officer's cook, 2½ days, $40; J. McGann, head clerk, 3 days, $59.25; J. McGowan, assistant deputy, 1⅜ days, $22.96; E. Shepard, deputy master, 3 days, $56.40; R. Stewart, hospital supervisor, 1 day, $16.70; J. Sullivan, deputy master, 3 days, $66.28; S. Walters, deputy master, 4 days, $69.60; F. Tirrell, supervisor of industries, 1⅞ days, $35.25.

VETERANS' RETIREMENTS.

The Mayor has approved the following veterans' applications for retirement:

John L. McGrath, 63 Stratford street, West Roxbury, division engineer, Automotive Division, Public Works Department.

Walter W. Gruhn, 97 Lonsdale street, Dorchester, patrolman, Sixth Division, Police Department.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award the contracts for work, materials, and supplies, in accordance with recommendations of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

Administrative Services Department.

Purchasing Division.

Upon July 20 the Mayor approved a contract with Massachusetts Lumber Company for furnishing spruce lumber to the Bridge Service of the Public Works Department. Approximate total amount of contract was $1,125, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids, opened July 11, were as follows:

Lumber.

10,000 Feet Board Measure, 2 Inches x 8 Inches x 16 Feet, Rough Spruce, Per M

Board Feet.—Cobb Lumber Company, Inc., $117; General Builders Supply Company, $118.20; Massachusetts Lumber Company, $112.50.*

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—Cobb Lumber Company, Inc., immediate; General Builders Supply Company, 2 weeks; Massachusetts Lumber Company, 2 weeks.

Discount.—Cobb Lumber Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; General Builders Supply Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Massachusetts Lumber Company, 2 per cent, time of payment.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon July 20 the Mayor approved a contract with Greenlaw Motor Parts Company for furnishing automobile tire chains to the various city departments until March 31, 1956, inclusive. Total amount of contract was $12,500, less 2 per cent discount for payment within 10 days.

Bids opened July 11, were as follows:

Automobile Tire Chains, Repair Parts, and Accessories.

Approximate Amount of Contract at List Prices Will Be $25,000.

State One Net Discount from Standard or Jobbers' List on Chains (Not Including Federal Tax).—Automotive Distributors, Inc., 50-2-8½-8 per cent, from enclosed consumer price, exemption certificates must accompany orders to compensate for 8 per cent federal excise tax deduction given in our quotation; Greenlaw Motor Parts Company, 62½ per cent-8 per cent federal excise tax*; Lappen Auto Supply Company, 52 per cent; Standard Auto Gear Company, Inc., jobbers' net cost, less 8 per cent, as shown on enclosed price sheets, MA1915 through MA1935, inclusive; White Motor Company, discount from standard list, 50-2 per cent, additional 8 per cent, with tax exemption certificate, 2 per cent special discount in lieu of cash discount.

State One Net Discount from Standard or Jobbers' List on Miscellaneous Items (Not Including Federal Tax).—Automotive Distributors, Inc., 50-2-8½-8 per cent, from enclosed consumer prices, exemption certificates must accompany orders to compensate for 8 per cent federal excise tax deduction given in our quotation; Greenlaw Motor Parts Company, 50 per cent-8 per cent federal excise tax where applicable; Standard Auto Gear Company, Inc., jobbers' net cost, less 8 per cent federal tax where applicable, as shown on enclosed price sheets, MA1915 through MA1935, inclusive; White Motor Company, discount from Standard List, 40-5 per cent, 8 per cent with tax exemption certificates, 2 per cent special discount in lieu of cash.

Discount.—Automotive Distributors, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Greenlaw Motor Parts Company, 2 per cent, 10 days; Lappen Auto Supply Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Standard Auto Gear Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; White Motor Company, none.

Trade Name of Chains, Upon Which Bid is Based.—Automotive Distributors, Inc., McKay-Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania; Greenlaw Motor Parts Company, St. Pierre, St. Pierre Chain Corporation, Worcester; Lappen Auto Supply Company, Campbell Chain Company; Standard Auto Gear Company, Inc., American Chain and Cable Company, "Weed"; White Motor Company, Republic Steel Chain Division.

Remarks.—Automotive Distributors, Inc., *see* attached price lists; Greenlaw Motor Parts Company, *see* attached price lists, prices are firm for the contract period; Standard Auto Gear Company, Inc., tax exemption certificate must accompany orders.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon July 20 the Mayor approved a contract with the Truesdale Company for furnishing antifreeze to the various city departments, from September 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, inclusive. Approximate total amount of contract was $3,262.68, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids, opened July 11, were as follows:

Item 1. Approximately 85 Drums (54 Gallons Each) Antifreeze, As Specified, Per Gallon.—American Oil Company, 75 cents; Automotive Distributors, Inc., 89 cents; Philip A. Houghton, Inc., (*a*) 49.5 cents, (*b*) 37.5 cents; Shell Oil Company, 43.8 cents (truckload to one destination), 51.8 cents (less than truckload); Standard Auto Gear Company, Inc., 88 cents; Truesdale Company, 43.2 cents,* 34 cents, Star Brand, Type SC, methanol base.

Item 2. Approximately 900 Gallons Permanent Type Antifreeze, Prestone, Peak, or Equal, 1 Gallon Containers, Per Gallon.—American Oil Company, $1.72 (6 1-gallon cans to case); Automotive Distributors, Inc., $1.95 (truckload lot), $2.17 (6-gallon case lots); Philip A. Houghton, Inc., $1.68 (6 1-gallon cans to case); Shell Oil Company, $1.568 (6 1-gallon cans, one time truckload delivery), $1.648 (less than truckload); Standard Auto Gear Company, Inc., $1.94; Truesdale Company, $1.422*; White Motor Company, $1.61; Texas Company, $1.72 (6 1-gallon cans to case).

Brand Name of Product.—American Oil Company, 1, Amoco, super antifreeze, 2, Amo, antifreeze; Automotive Distributors, Inc., 1, Trek, National Carbon Manufacturing, 2, Prestone, National Carbon Manufacturing; Philip A. Houghton, Inc., 1, (*a*) Pah-Nol, pure methanol, (*b*) inhibited methanol, SC, 2, Pah-Nol, permanent type; Shell Oil Company, 1, Shell, antifreeze, super strength, 2, Shellzone; Standard Auto Gear Company, Inc., 1, Dupont, Zerone, 2, Dupont, Zerex; Truesdale Company, 1, Dover Brand, 2, Polar Brand; White Motor Company, White, permanent type antifreeze, Olin Matheson Chemical Company; Texas Company, Texaco, permanent type antifreeze.

Discount.—American Oil Company, 2 per cent, 30 days; Automotive Distributors, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Philip A. Houghton, Inc., 2 per cent, 10 days; Shell Oil Company, net, 10th proximo.; Standard Auto Gear Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Truesdale Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; White Motor Company, net; Texas Company, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Remarks.—American Oil Company, prices include containers, buyers to pay any tax applicable; Automotive Distributors, Inc., *see* letter attached to proposal; Philip A. Houghton, Inc., *see* letter, quotation includes drums, no extra charge, not returnable, prices quoted are maximum and not subject to increase during term of contract; Shell Oil Company, *see* letter, drum deposit charge of $6 for each 54-gallon drum delivered, deposit will be refunded upon return of drum in good condition within six months of date of invoice, for nonreturnable drums, add 5 cents per gallon to the returnable drum prices, prices quoted are firm for the period of the contract; Standard Auto Gear Company, Inc., *see* descriptive material attached to proposal, material is available at following locations: 531 Columbia road, Dorchester, 616 Commonwealth avenue, 2A Neptune road, East Boston; Texas Company, all prices quoted shall be maximum and not subject to increase, prices firm, no decrease, purchase to pay any applicable tax (*see* rider), taxes not included in prices shown in proposal force majeure clause, attached riders are part of bid; Truesdale Company, *see* memo attached to proposal relative to Star Brand, SC, antifreeze, methanol base, drums included.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon July 1 the Mayor approved a contract with bidders as indicated in the following letter:

Boston, July 1, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

Attached is tabulation of bids received on proposals for furnishing stationery supplies to the Printing Section, from July 1, 1955, to December 31, 1955, inclusive. These bids were publicly opened and read in this office on June 28, 1955.

Authority is requested to make awards to the bidders at the prices as indicated on the accompanying tabulation. Approximate total amounts of awards will be as follows:

Contract for: William R. McAdams, doing business as William R. McAdams Company, $2,329.16, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Orders for: Samuel Narcus, Inc., $741.41, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; Blake & Rebhan Company, $137.75, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; Milton Bradley Company, $36.78, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Respectfully yours,

Eugene K. Welsh,
Acting Purchasing Agent.

Bids were as follows:

Stationery Supplies.

Item 1. Rubber Bands, Pure Rubber, Quarter-Pound Boxes.

(*a*) *400 Boxes, No. 12, Per Dozen Boxes.*—Blake & Rebhan Company, $4.95; William R. McAdams Company, 33 cents per box; Milton Bradley Company, $5.88; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $3.89.*

(*b*) *24 Boxes, No. 16, Per Dozen Boxes.*—Blake & Rebhan Company, $4.95; William R. McAdams Company, 33 cents per box; Milton Bradley Company, $5.88; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $3.89.*

(*c*) *660 Boxes, No. 18, Per Dozen Boxes.*—Blake & Rebhan Company, $4.95; William R. McAdams Company, 33 cents per box; Milton Bradley Company, $5.88; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $3.89.*

(*d*) *132 Boxes, No. 32, Per Dozen Boxes.*—Blake & Rebhan Company, $4.95; William R. McAdams Company, 33 cents per box; Milton Bradley Company, $5.88; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $3.89.*

(*e*) *80 Boxes, No. 64, Per Dozen Boxes.*—Blake & Rebhan Company, $4.95; William R. McAdams Company, 33 cents per box; Milton Bradley Company, $5.88; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $3.89.*

Item 2. Rubber Bands, Pure Rubber, 1-Pound Boxes.

(a) *60 Boxes, Assorted, Per Pound.*—Blake & Rebhan Company, $1.43; William R. McAdams Company, $1.11*; Milton Bradley Company, $1.97; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $1.12.

(b) *36 Boxes, No. 19, Per Pound.*—Blake & Rebhan Company, $1.43; William R. McAdams Company, $1.11*; Milton Bradley Company, $1.97; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $1.12.

Item 3. Blotters, Green.

(a) *2,500, 19 x 24, Per M.*—Blake & Rebhan Company, $42.50; William R. McAdams Company, $40*; Milton Bradley Company, $55; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $40.

(b) *200, 24 x 38, Per M.*—Blake & Rebhan Company, $85; William R. McAdams Company, $80*; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $92.

Item 4. Clips, Gem, No. 1.

300 Cartons of 1,000, Per Carton.—Blake & Rebhan Company, 53 cents; William R. McAdams Company, 36 cents, No. 036, lacquer, 38 cents, No. 036, white*; Milton Bradley Company, 48 cents; Samuel Narcus, Inc., 38 cents, No. 036, white.

Item 5. Desk Pads.

300, 19 x 24, Stiff, Per Dozen.—Blake & Rebhan Company, $9; William R. McAdams Company, $7.80,* $6.60, *see* proposal; Milton Bradley Company, $10.80, No. 1; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $9.36.

Item 6. Erasers.

100 Dozen, E. Faber, No. 6587, Per Dozen.—Blake & Rebhan Company, $1.25; William R. McAdams Company, $1.14; Milton Bradley Company, $1.35; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $1.10.*

Item 7. Fasteners, Star.

24 Boxes, No. 3 (100's), Per Box.—William R. McAdams Company, 26 cents; Milton Bradley Company, 28 cents; Samuel Narcus, Inc., 25 cents.*

Item 8. Stenographers' Notebooks.

40 Dozen, Stiff, Cloth Bound, Per Dozen.—William R. McAdams Company, $1.33; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $1.90, No. 873.*

Item 9. Carter's Paste, Cieo.

40 Dozen, 4-Ounce Bottles, Per Dozen.—Blake & Rebhan Company, $3.66, No. 704; William R. McAdams Company, $2.89*; Milton Bradley Company, $4.39; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $2.90.

Item 10. Peneils.

(a) *6,000 Dozen, Cascade, No. 2, Per Gross.*—William R. McAdams Company, $2.25*; Milton Bradley Company, $3, Faber, No. 240; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $2.35, Samnar; Hub Pencil Company, $2.29.

(b) *504 Dozen, Red, Blaisdell, No. 561, Per Gross.*—Blake & Rebhan Company, $7.50; William R. McAdams Company, $6.50*; Milton Bradley Company, $7.56, Red Colorbrite; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $6.40; Hub Pencil Company, $6.23.

Item 11. Penholders.

(a) *10 Dozen, Dixon's, No. 3032R (Red and Black), Per Dozen.*—Blake & Rebhan Company, 75 cents; William R. McAdams Company, 75 cents*; Milton Bradley Company, 79 cents; Samuel Narcus, Inc., 80 cents.

(b) *40 Dozen, Cortex, No. 1010, Per Dozen.*—Blake & Rebhan Company, 94 cents, No. 1015; William R. McAdams Company, 90 cents*; Milton Bradley Company, 33 cents, Bradley, No. 1049; Samuel Narcus, Inc., 95 cents, No. 1015.

Item 12. Adding Maehine Rolls.

(a) *1,400 Rolls, 2¼ Inches, Per C.*—Blake & Rebhan Company, $10; William R. McAdams Company, $10.35; Milton Bradley Company, $13; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $9.25.*

(b) *500 Rolls, 3 7/16 Inches, Per C.*—Blake & Rebhan Company, $19.70; William R. McAdams Company, $16*; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $17.

Item 13. Rulers, Wescott, or Equal.

(a) *1 Gross, 12-Inch, Per Dozen.*—Blake & Rebhan Company, $1.17; William R. McAdams Company, $1.05; Milton Bradley Company, 91.5 cents*; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $1.10.

(b) *20 Dozen, 15-Inch, Per Dozen.*—Blake & Rebhan Company, $1.62; William R. McAdams Company, $1.33; Milton Bradley Company, $1.29*; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $1.50.

Item 14. Ink, Skrip.

75 Dozen, 2-Ounee Bottles, Bluc-Black, Per Dozen.—Blake & Rebhan Company, $1.05*; William R. McAdams Company, $1.30; Milton Bradley Company, $1.35, Carter's; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $1.30.

Item 15. Cellulose Tape.

100 Rolls, ¾ x 1,296, Per Roll.—Blake & Rebhan Company, 69 cents; William R. McAdams Company, 40 cents, Tuck brand*; Milton Bradley Company, 72 cents, Tuck brand; Samuel Narcus, Inc., 69 cents.

Item 16. Thumb Tacks, Oakville, or Equal.

(a) *200 Boxes, No. 1 (100's), Per Box.*—Blake & Rebhan Company, 11.5 cents*; William R. McAdams Company, 13 cents; Milton Bradley Company, 11⅜ cents; Samuel Narcus, Inc., 13 cents.

(b) *300 Boxes, No. 2 (100's), Per Box.*—Blake & Rebhan Company, 12 cents*; William R. McAdams Company, 14 cents; Milton Bradley Company, 12 7/16 cents; Samuel Narcus, Inc., 14 cents.

Item 17. Staples, Bostitch.

400 Boxes, SBS, No. 19¼, 5,000 to Box, Per Box.—Blake & Rebhan Company, 44 cents; William R. McAdams Company, 38 cents*; Milton Bradley Company, 52 cents, Standard; Samuel Narcus, Inc., 39 cents.

Discount.—Blake & Rebhan Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; William R. McAdams Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Milton Bradley Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Samuel Narcus, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Hub Pencil Company, 2 per cent, time of payment.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon July 20 the Mayor approved a contract with lowest bidders as indicated for furnishing kitchen equipment and wheel chairs to the various city departments. Approximate total amounts of contracts were as follows:

Charles P. Lauman Company, Inc., $6,807, less 2 per cent discount, tenth of following month; Colson Corporation, $5,329.50, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $3,425, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; Boston China and Equipment Company, $1,170, less 1 per cent discount, 15 days.

Bids, opened July 7, were as follows:

Kitchen Equipment and Wheel Chairs.

Penal Institutions Department.

Requisition No. 488.

Item 1. 2 Steam Pressure Cookers, Model No. K-5019, or Equal, As Specified, Each.—Boston China and Equipment Company, $794, Market Forge, 3M-TS; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $765, Market Forge, 3M-TS.*

Long Island Hospital.

Requisition No. 4.

Item 2. 1 Groen, Model KR-50, or Equal, S.J., S.S., Coffee Maker, As Specified.—Boston China and Equipment Company, $874, Groen KR-50; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $675, Groen KR-50.*

Requisition No. 12.

Item 3. 1 Bread Slicer, D.C., Golman, Model 400, or Equal, As Per Specifications, Each.—S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $600, Gellman Manufacturing Company, No. 400.*

Requisition No. 17.

Item 4. 6 Ideal, Model 3431, or Equal, Food Conveyors, 115 V, D.C., C.P.L., As Speeified, Each.—S. Blickman, Inc., $618, ALS-6271, outdoor, Blickman; Colson Corporation, $617, Idcal, No. 3431, with side shelf; Charles P. Lauman Company, Inc., $578, Ideal, No. 3431, as specified*; E. F. Mahady Company, $668.75, Blickman, 6271, outdoor model.

Requisition No. 19.

Item 5. 2 Ideal, or Equal, Tray Carriers, As Specified, Each.—S. Blickman, Inc., $615, PD-414, SS, Blickman; Colson Corporation, $582, Ideal, 5020-T; Charles P. Lauman Company, Inc., $582, as specified*; E. F. Mahady Company, $672.75, Blickman, PD 414, SS.

Requisition No. 20.

Item 6. 1 Ideal, Model C-2448, or Equal, Food Conveyor, As Specified.—Colson Corporation, $2,635.30, Ideal, C-2448; Charles P. Lauman Company, Inc., $2,175, as specified.*

Requisition No. 11.

Item 7. 24 Colson, or Equal, Wheel Chairs, As Specified, Each.—Colson Corporation, $57.10, Colson, 4434 x 3, with 10-inch disc wheels in rear*; Charles P. Lauman Company, Inc., $58, Gendron, No. 820B; T. J. Noonan Company, $63.50, Gendron, No. 820B.

Requisition No. 12.

Item 8. 12 Commode Wheel Chairs, Colson, or Equal, As Speeified, Each.—Colson Corporation, $69.80, same as No. 7, with commode seat*; Charles P. Lauman Company, Inc., $70, same as No. 7, with commode features; T. J. Noonan Company, $75.40, Gendron, No. 829B.

Sanatorium Division.

Requisition No. 605.

Item 9. 5 Ideal, or Equal, Food Conveyors, in Accordanee with Specifications, Each.— S. Blickman, Blickman, 6271; Colson Corporation, $624.30, as specified*; Charles P. Lauman Company, Inc., $638, as specified; E. F. Mahady Company, $704.06, Blickman, 6271, as specified.

Requisition No. 607.

Item 10. 2 Champion, or Equal, Electric Dishwashing Machines, As Speeified, Eaeh.—Boston China and Equipment Company, $585, Universal, HL*; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $600, Toledo, Model CM2O.

Requisition No. 608.

Item 11. 1 Groen, or Equal, Stainless Metal Jacketed Kettle, As Per Specifications.—Boston China and Equipment Company, $718, Groen, GPT; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $620, Groen, GPT.*

Discount.—S. Blickman, Inc., net, 30 days; Boston China and Equipment Company, 1 per cent, 15 days; Colson Corporation, 2 per cent, time of payment; Charles P. Lauman Company, Inc., 2 per cent, tenth of following month; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; E. F. Mahady Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; T. J. Noonan Company, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—S. Blickman, Inc., Item 9, 45 to 60 days or better, Items 4 and 5, 45 to 60 days or better; Boston China and Equipment Company, Items 1, 2, 10, and 11, 30 days; Colson Corporation, Item 6, 45 days, all other items, 30 days; Charles P. Lauman Company, Inc., all items, within approximately 30 days; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., Items 2 and 11, 3 weeks, Items 3 and 10, 4 weeks, Item 1, 3 to 4 weeks; E. F. Mahady Company, all items, 30 days; T. J. Noonan Company, all items, 15 to 25 days.

* Contract awarded.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

Upon August 3 the Mayor approved a contract with Dual Parking Meter Company for the purchase of 245 dual parking meters, Model "MA," manual-type meter, without posts or installation, at a cost of $43.29 per meter, less 5 per cent for payment within 30 days. The following bids were received:

Dual Parking Meter Company, $43.29, 5 per cent discount, 30 days, delivered 30 days after receipt of order.

J. W. Menhall Drilling Company, $43.50, 6 per cent discount, 30 days, delivered 60 days after receipt of order.

M. H. Rhodes, Inc., $43.80, 2 per cent discount, 30 days, delivered 30 days after receipt of order.

Karpark Corporation, $47.75, 2½ per cent discount, 30 days, delivered 30 days after receipt of order.

Michaels Art Bronze Company, $47.95, 5 per cent discount, 30 days, delivered 30 days after receipt of order.

J. W. Menhall Drilling Company, $49.50, 6 per cent discount, 30 days, delivered 60 days after receipt of order.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Upon July 11 the Mayor approved a contract as requested in the following letter:

BOSTON, July 1, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

In response to an advertisement in the *City Record* of May 28, 1955, bids, as per attached detail, for furniture for the new addition to the Curtis Guild School, East Boston, were received and publicly opened and read aloud on June 9, 1955.

Since there was only one bidder on Item 15 (stage equipment), that firm being Massachusetts Motion Picture Service, at $3,089 and an alternate bid of $3,051, I am, subject to your Honor's approval, awarding a contract to the Massachusetts Motion Picture Service, 35 Market street, Lynn, Mass., the only and responsible bidder on stage equipment, in the amount of three thousand fifty-one (3,051) dollars.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES H. MOONEY,
Superintendent of Construction.

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Upon July 11 the Mayor approved a contract as requested in the following letter:

BOSTON, July 1, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

In response to an advertisement in the *City Record* of June 11, 1955, bids, as per attached detail, for furniture for the new addition to the James J. Chittick School, Hyde Park, were received and publicly opened and read aloud on June 23, 1955.

Since there was only one bidder on Item 15 (stage equipment), that firm being Massachusetts Motion Picture Service, at $3,375 and an alternate bid of $3,157, I am, subject to your Honor's approval, awarding a contract to the Massachusetts Motion Picture Service, 35 Market street, Lynn, Mass., the only and responsible bidder on stage equipment, in the amount of three thousand four hundred fifty-seven (3,457) dollars.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES H. MOONEY,
Superintendent of Construction.

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Upon August 3 the Mayor approved a contract as requested in the following letter:

BOSTON, August 1, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

In answer to an advertisement in the *City Record* of July 23, 1955, the following list of bids was received and publicly opened and read aloud on August 1, 1955, for furnishing and installing manhole and handhole plates and fusible plugs on steam boilers in the various schools:

District 1.—Powers & Mehegan Company, $2,140*; Joseph F. Dwyer, $2,210; Joseph P. O'Hearn, $2,210; Marine Contractors Company, Inc., $2,470.

District 2.—Powers & Mehegan Company, $2,375; Joseph F. Dwyer, $2,335*; Joseph P. O'Hearn, $2,390; Marine Contractors Company, Inc., $2,808.

District 3.—Powers & Mehegan Company, $2,180; Joseph F. Dwyer, $2,195; Joseph P. O'Hearn, $2,140*†; Marine Contractors Company, Inc., $2,366.

Subject to your Honor's approval, I am awarding contracts as follows:

District 1, to Powers & Mehegan Company, 500 Broadway, South Boston, in the amount of two thousand one hundred and forty (2,140) dollars.

District 2, to Joseph F. Dwyer, 103 Park street, West Roxbury, in the amount of two thousand three hundred and thirty-five (2,335) dollars.

District 3, to Joseph P. O'Hearn, 9 Columbia place, Dorchester, in the amount of two thousand one hundred and thirty-five (2,135) dollars.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES H. MOONEY,
Superintendent of Construction.

* Low bidder.
† Bid as filed with the City Auditor, $2,135.

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Upon August 8 the Mayor approved a contract with Arthur H. Curtis Company for furnishing and installing new oil burners in the Hyde Park High School, Metropolitan and Central avenues, Hyde Park. Bids, opened August 4, were as follows:

Arthur H. Curtis Company, $29,958; Massachusetts Heating Corporation, $30,173; Selzer & Co., Inc., $30,850.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.
Sanatorium Division.

Upon August 3 the Mayor approved a contract with Ralph Chick for exterior painting of various buildings at the Sanatorium Division. Bids, opened June 22, were as follows:

Max Cahn, $19,100; John M. Kennedy & Co., $15,992; Nicholas Bello, $14,785; Kabot Painting Company, $13,813; Ralph Chick, $9,975.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Upon August 3 the Mayor approved a contract with William P. Capone Corporation for reconstruction of Park Drive, between Brookline avenue and Beacon street, Boston. Bids, opened Tuesday, July 19, were as follows:

William P. Capone Corporation, $23,219.50; John McCourt Company, $24,183; S. J. Tomasello Corporation, $24,978; Faletra Brothers, Inc., $29,178.75.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Upon July 21 the Mayor approved a contract with John McCourt Company for sheet asphalt pavement and installation of traffic divisional islands and sidewalk narrowing in Dock square, Ward 3; and installation of traffic divisional islands and sidewalk narrowing in Blue Hill avenue and Talbot avenue, Ward 14; and sidewalk narrowing in Albany street, Ward 3, near Randolph street; Boylston street, Ward 5, at Arlington street; Old Colony avenue and Columbia road, Ward 7; Washington street, Ward 11, from Morton street to Asticou road; and roadway widening in Brookline avenue, Ward 4, from Fenway to Park Drive, at an estimated cost of $71,400. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed December 31, 1955. The following bids were received June 23, 1955:

John McCourt Company, $71,400; Baker & Co., Inc., $76,787.40.

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Upon August 2 the Mayor approved a contract with C. Russo, Inc., for sewerage works in Joan road, Dodge road, Leighton road, Belnap road, and Perry court, Hyde Park, at an estimated cost of $46,609, including concrete pipe. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed within 120 days after approval by the Mayor. The following bids were received July 28:

Including Clay Pipe.—C. Russo, Inc., $18,718; DiMascio Brothers & Co., $18,952.50; Underground Construction Company, $18,967.60; Joseph Capone & Son, $19,993.50; R. A. Buccella & Sons, Inc., $54,676.25; Z & S Construction Company, Inc., $56,035.25; H. DiTullio & Sons, Inc., $59,801; E. Susi & Williams Corporation, $76,581.50.

Including Concrete Pipe.—C. Russo, Inc., $16,609; DiMascio Brothers & Co., $17,898; Underground Construction Company, $17,807.65; Joseph Capone & Son, $18,939; R. A. Buccella & Sons, Inc., $54,149; Z & S Construction Company, Inc., $55,508; H. DiTullio & Sons, Inc., $57,692; E. Susi & Williams Corporation, $75,737.90.

Upon August 3 the Mayor approved a contract with Martin J. Kelly Company, Inc., for redecking Redfield Street Bridge, Neponset, at an estimated cost of $18,480. The following bids were received July 28:

Martin J. Kelly Company, Inc., $18,480; J. A. Singarella Company, $19,420.

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Upon August 4 the Mayor approved a contract with Builders Iron Works for the reconstruction of Charlestown Bridge, over the Charles River (excluding draw-span), at an estimated cost of $931,965.50. The following bids were received Tuesday, July 26:

Builders Iron Works, $931,965.50; Coleman Brothers Corporation, $987,315; Carlson Construction Corporation, $1,031,836.75; Berke Moore Company, Inc., $1,036,697; Martin J. Kelly Company, Inc., $1,122,386.

Real Property Department.

Upon July 27 the Mayor approved a contract as requested in the following letter:

Boston, July 25, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

This department extended invitations to several reputable contractors to submit bids for roofing and metal work at the West Roxbury courthouse.

Bids were received from three roofing contractors with the following results:

H. A. Smith Company, 39 Rochester street, Boston, $4,524; John F. Shea Company, Inc., 41 Hollingsworth street, Mattapan, $4,610; B. Feneno Company, Inc., 218 Camden street, Roxbury, $4,722.

As time is an important factor in the above situation, and in my opinion nothing could be gained by publicly advertising, as the low bidder's estimate is a very fair one, I respectfully request that permission be granted to award a contract to the H. A. Smith Company, of 39 Rochester street, Boston, in the sum of four thousand five hundred and twenty-four (4,524) dollars.

Very truly yours,

George P. Donovan,
Assistant Commissioner.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

On varying dates as indicated the Mayor approved contracts with contractors, commercial houses, etc., for furnishing labor and supplies. Communications from heads of the departments interested were as follows:

Hospital Department.

Boston, July 22, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

Funds are available for various projects involving alterations and repairs to various water and sewer lines, signal systems, pumps, catch basins, and sewage ejectors in various buildings and at various locations at Boston City Hospital.

The trustees of the hospital have voted to request your Honor's permission to award a contract, without public advertising, to J. M. McCusker Associates, engineers, 17 Chestnut avenue, Jamaica Plain, for engineering services for this work. The approximate total amount of the contract will be $50,000.

Since this contract involves professional engineering services and the fees are standard it is obviously not in the best interests of the city to publicly advertise for proposals.

Respectfully yours,

Richard J. Condon,
President, Board of Trustees.

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Boston, July 22, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

It is proposed to make alterations to various operating rooms, laboratories, and patient areas in various buildings in various areas at Boston City Hospital. Funds for this purpose are available.

The trustees of the Hospital Department have voted to request your Honor's permission to award a contract, without public advertising, to the firm of Curtin & Riley, architects, 45 Newbury street, Boston, for architectural services for this work. The approximate total amount of the contract will be $215,000.

Since this contract involves professional architectural services and the fees are standard it is obviously not in the best interests of the city to publicly advertise for proposals.

Respectfully yours,

Richard J. Condon,
President, Board of Trustees.

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Boston, July 22, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

It is proposed to make various alterations and repairs in several areas of the Administration Building at Boston City Hospital, including the establishment of a central mailing room.

The trustees of the Hospital Department have voted to request your Honor's permission to award a contract to the firm of Anderson & Beckwith, architects, 11 Beacon street, Boston, without public advertising, for architectural services in connection with this work. The approximate total amount of the contract will be $20,000.

Since the contract involves professional architectural services and the fees are standard it is obviously not in the best interests of the city to publicly advertise for proposals.

Respectfully yours,

Richard J. Condon,
President, Board of Trustees.

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Boston, July 29, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

Extensive work is necessary at Long Island Hospital to modernize electric services, the sewage system, and the water supply system. Funds have been made available through the Extraordinary Repair Loan.

Engineering studies and coordinated programs are necessary for the conversion of existing electric services and facilities from direct to alternating current with an underground distribution system, for a complete system for collection, treatment, and disposal of all of the hospital sewage, and for necessary modifications and repairs to the present water supply system.

The trustees of the Hospital Department have voted to request your Honor's permission to dispense with public advertising and to award a contract to Jackson & Moreland, engineers, 600 Park Square Building, Boston, for engineering services in connection with this work. The approximate total amount of the contract will be $760,000.

Since this contract involves professional engineering services and the fees are standard it is obviously not in the best interests of the city to publicly advertise for proposals.

Respectfully yours,

Richard J. Condon,
President, Board of Trustees.

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Boston, July 29, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

The air-conditioning installation on the ninth floor of the Dowling Building at Boston City Hospital has failed completely. This unit, approximately twenty years old, supplies the operating room floors where most of the hospital's surgery is done. This failure during the heat of the summer presents a critical situation affecting the welfare of surgical patients and seriously inconveniencing the surgeons and operating floor personnel.

The unit has been inspected by representatives of Westinghouse Electric Corporation, the manufacturer, and of Cavanagh & Murphy, Inc., with which firm the hospital has a service contract for maintenance.

The unit's compressor must be removed and shipped to the factory for reoperation. A defective chiller must be removed. The reoperated compressor must be reinstalled. A new horizontal dry expansion chiller must be installed and new piping must be furnished and installed. The condenser and discharge system must be dehydrated. The system must be recharged. Piping and chiller must be covered.

The estimated cost of all work and material except compressor reoperation is $4,600. The cost of reoperation of the compressor by the factory on a time and material basis will not exceed $2,200.

The trustees, in view of the emergency nature of this breakdown, and in view of the existing service contract with a firm which is acceptable to the manufacturer of the unit have voted to request your Honor's permission to dispense with public advertising and to award a contract for repairing this unit to Cavanagh & Murphy, Inc., 65 Kilmarnock street, Boston, in an amount not to exceed $6,800.

Respectfully yours,

Richard J. Condon,
President, Board of Trustees.

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Boston, July 29, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

Funds have been made available for extensive alterations and repairs to the plant at Boston City Hospital. Among the projects upon which work is to be done is a utilities tunnel passing under Massachusetts avenue and connecting the main hospital tunnel system with that of the South Department. The hospital's present electric service and fa-

cilities are to be converted from direct to alternating current.

The electric service conversion will require engineering studies and a coordinated program. A study must be made of the source or sources of power supply, primary distribution system voltage, primary distribution system location and arrangement, metering, source or sources of direct current for special purposes, and means of assuring reliability of supply. Detailed plans and specifications will be required for the utilities tunnel.

The trustees of the Hospital Department have voted to request your Honor's permission to dispense with public advertising and to award a contract to Jackson & Moreland, engineers, 600 Park square, Boston, for engineering services in connection with these projects. The approximate total amount of the contract will be $650,000.

Since this contract involves professional engineering services and the fees are standard it is obviously not in the best interest of the city to publicly advertise for proposals.

Respectfully yours,

RICHARD J. CONDON,
President, Board of Trustees.

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BOSTON, July 29, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

On July 11, 1955, your Honor authorized the execution of a contract with General Electric X-Ray Corporation, 1256 Soldiers Field road, Brighton, Mass., for repairs to Paco developing machine in the Main X-Ray Department, Boston City Hospital, at a cost not to exceed $1,400.

It now appears, according to our best estimate, that the total cost of the services to be performed under the proposed contract will not exceed $1,850.

Therefore, your permission is respectfully requested that the proposed contract sum be increased in the amount of $450, making the total contract sum not to exceed $1,850.

Respectfully yours,

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT AND OF THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL,
RICHARD J. CONDON,
President.

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BOSTON, August 1, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The trustees of the Hospital Department on February 21, 1955, requested your Honor's approval of the selection of the firm of J. M. McCusker Associates to furnish certain engineering services in connection with the replacement of underground sewer lines beneath the basement of the Medical Building at Boston City Hospital. Approval was granted and the communication was published in the *City Record* of March 5, 1955.

In order to undertake this work it was necessary to relocate the hospital's biochemistry laboratory. This important patient service continues on a 24-hour basis in temporary and inadequate quarters.

The sewer lines replacement project was publicly advertised and a contract awarded to the Parkman Construction Company, the low bidder. Work continues under this contract.

When the sewer work is completed the biochemistry laboratory will return to its former location in the basement of the Medical Building. The laboratory will be modernized in both layout and equipment in order to increase its efficiency and improve the volume and caliber of services to patients.

It will be necessary to prepare plans and specifications for extensive changes in exhaust hoods and ducts, and for plumbing, heating, and other work associated with the installation of new laboratory equipment.

The trustees have voted to request your Honor's authorization to dispense with public advertising and to award a contract for additional engineering services in connection with this work to the firm of J. M. McCusker Associates, 170 Chestnut avenue, Jamaica Plain. The approximate total amount of the contract will be $60,000.

Since this contract involves professional engineering services and the fees are standard it is the opinion of the trustees that the interests of the city will best be served by awarding this contract to J. M. McCusker Associates and that nothing would be gained by publicly advertising for proposals for this work.

Respectfully yours,

RICHARD J. CONDON,
President, Board of Trustees.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Faletra Brothers, Inc., have been granted an extension of time until September 1, 1955, for the completion of the contract for constructing a play area at William Gary Walsh Playground, Dorchester.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with John McCourt Company, 28 Walcott street, Readville, for work on Southampton street, Boston, from July 1, 1955, to July 30, 1955. This is a "Chapter 90" project. This extension was requested because the State Department of Public Works voted to extend the time limit on the work.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Charles Todesca has been directed to perform the following extra work under the contract for sheet asphalt pavement in Summer street and Washington street and artificial stone sidewalks in Washington street, dated October 21, 1954:

In Washington street, return 15.7 linear feet of new straight edgestone, from Washington street to the District 5 paving yard, at $2.35 per linear foot. Estimated cost of extra work, $6.90.

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John McCourt Company has been directed to perform the following extra work under the contract for sheet asphalt pavement in Columbus avenue, Station street to Roxbury street, dated December 14, 1954:

In Columbus avenue, remove 60 cubic yards of material by hand excavation in sidewalk area, for relocation of edgestone, at $3 per cubic yard. Estimated cost of extra work, $180.

OMIT AND SUBSTITUTE WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

John McCourt Company has been directed to omit and substitute the following work under the contract for sheet asphalt pavement in Columbus avenue, Station street to Roxbury street, dated December 14, 1954:

In Columbus avenue, omit 16 linear feet of 15-inch drain at $4 per linear foot. Substitute 16 linear feet of 8-inch drain at $3 per linear foot. Estimated cost of omitted work, $64; estimated cost of substituted work, $48; estimated decrease in cost, $16.

AMENDMENTS TO ORIGINAL AWARDS OF DAMAGES.

The Public Improvement Commission has voted as follows:

That the amount of $200 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Cornelius and Catherine O'Driscoll for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of November 27, 1953, for the revision of grade of Gould street, West Roxbury.

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That the amount of $40 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to John J. and Ann M. Concannon for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of November 24, 1953, for the revision of grade of Gould street, West Roxbury.

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That the amount of $30 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Angelo and George P. Duclos for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of November 21, 1952, for the laying out and construction of Quarley road, West Roxbury.

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That the amount of $150 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Theodore J. and Ella F. Metzger for all damages sustained under the order of the Public Improvement Commission and Mayor of August 4, 1954, for the widening of Summit street, Hyde Park.

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That the amount of $35 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Austin B. and Helen J. Eldridge for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of July 17, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Deforest street, Hyde Park.

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That the amount of $163 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Gaetano F. Abbondanzio for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of November 16, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Abby road, Brighton.

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That the amount of $110 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Arthur H. and Janet R. Cooper for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of September 28, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Ledgewood road, West Roxbury.

That the amount of $110 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Sol and Shirley M. Kolack for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of September 28, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Ledgewood road, West Roxbury.

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That the amount of $45 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to George A. and Stella D. Geier for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of June 8, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Lochland road, Hyde Park.

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That the amount of $141 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Hyman and Anna Sokol for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of September 28, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Cricket Lane, West Roxbury.

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That the amount of $75 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Richard A. and Emily M. Champagne for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of September 28, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Cricket Lane, West Roxbury.

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That the amount of $225 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to George J. and Dora M. Graves for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of June 8, 1953, for the laying out and construction of MacDonald street, Hyde Park.

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered the following construction work:

One drop inlet and one catch basin converted to a manhole in Beacon street, at northwesterly corner of Ayr road, in the Brighton district, at an estimated cost of $350.

Six drop inlets and connections, convert six catch basins to manhole tops in Southampton street, between Massachusetts avenue and Albany street, in the Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of $3,000.

One drop inlet and change one catch basin to a manhole in Everett street, at the southerly approach to the Everett Street Bridge, in the Brighton district, at an estimated cost of $350.

Two drop inlets and change two catch basins to manhole tops in Dock square, in the Boston Proper district, at an estimated cost of $1,000.

Two drop inlets and change two catch basins to manhole tops in North street (on the southerly sidewalk), between Dock square and Merchants Row, in the Boston Proper district, at an estimated cost of $1,000.

One drop inlet and connection, convert one catch basin to manhole top in Southampton street, at the easterly corner of Hampden street, in the Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of $500.

One drop inlet and one catch basin converted to a manhole top in Albany street (on the northeasterly side), between Randolph street and Union Park street, in the Boston Proper district, at an estimated cost of $500.

One drop inlet and change one catch basin to a manhole top in Congress street, at the southwesterly corner of Dock square, in the Boston Proper district, at an estimated cost of $500.

One drop inlet and change one catch basin to a manhole top in Boylston street, at the northwesterly corner of Clarendon street, in the Boston Proper district, at an estimated cost of $500.

Five catch basins and connections in Emmonsdale road, between Howitt road and Martin street, in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of $2,500.

Two drop inlets and change two catch basins to manhole tops in Beacon street, between Commonwealth avenue and Raleigh street, in the Boston Proper district, at an estimated cost of $1,000.

One hundred and seventy-five linear feet of 15-inch pipe surface drain in Canterbury street, approximately 175 feet southerly from American Legion Highway, in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of $1,800.

Two drop inlets and connections, convert two catch basins to manhole tops in Albany street, between Massachusetts avenue and Hampden street, in the Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of $1,000.

Two catch basins and connections in Frazer street, between Wood avenue and Reddy avenue, in the Hyde Park district, at an estimated cost of $1,000.

Two catch basins and connections in Ellard road (formerly Elliot street), between Wood avenue and Ayles road, in the Hyde Park district, at an estimated cost of $1,000.

Two catch basins and connections in Lewiston street, between Edwardson street and Frazer street, in the Hyde Park district, at an estimated cost of $1,000.

Eight catch basins and connections in Ayles road, between Edwardson street and Safford street, in the Hyde Park district, at an estimated cost of $4,000.

Two catch basins and connections in Edwardson street, between Lewiston street and Ayles road, in the Hyde Park district, at an estimated cost of $1,000.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 2,078.

Lieut. Harold J. Finan, City Prison, honorably discharged veteran, having arrived at the age of fifty-eight years, having been in service of Boston Police Department for thirty-one years, and having requested retirement under provisions of section 58, chapter 32, General Laws (Ter. Edit.), as amended, it is hereby

Ordered, His Honor the Mayor having approved the same, Lieut. Harold J. Finan will be retired from active duty in the Police Department, effective Wednesday, August 3, 1955, at 7.45 o'clock A.M.

The Acting Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,079.

Patrolman Walter W. Gruhn, Division 6, honorably discharged veteran, having arrived at the age of sixty years, having been in service of Boston Police Department for twenty-eight years, and having requested retirement under provisions of section 57, chapter 32, General Laws (Ter. Edit.), as amended, it is hereby

Ordered, His Honor the Mayor having approved the same, Patrolman Walter W. Gruhn will be retired from active duty in the Police Department, effective as of Tuesday, August 2, 1955, at 5.45 o'clock P.M.

The Acting Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,080.

Acting under provisions of General Laws (Ter. Edit.), chapter 32, section 7, as amended (State-Boston Retirement System), the Boston Retirement Board has approved for retirement on account of accidental disability, the following-named police officer, effective at the close of business Wednesday, August 31, 1955.

In view of this operation of law, after August 31, 1955, the said police officer shall no longer be an active member of this department, and it is hereby ordered that the records be so amended.

Detective Thomas F. Allen, Detective Bureau (detailed to Division 9).

The Acting Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,081.

The Police Commissioner having heard the complaint of Capt. Francis J. Hennessey, Division 2, against Patrolman Joseph F. Rodden, Division 2, on Friday, August 5, 1955, at Police Headquarters, charging him with violation of the rules and regulations of the Boston Police Department, has made a finding of guilty.

Therefore, It is ordered that the said Patrolman Joseph F. Rodden be suspended for a period of six months, effective as of Wednesday, July 27, 1955, at 5.45 o'clock P.M.

The Acting Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 44.

I. RESIGNATION.

The following resignation is hereby announced, to take effect at 8 A.M., Thursday, August 11, 1955:

Fire Fighter on Probation John F. O'Faherty, Ladder Company 2.

II. CHANGE IN FIRE ALARM BOX NUMBER.

Effective at 12 noon, August 11, 1955, the number of the following fire alarm box will be changed as indicated:

Old No. 12-1661—new No. 12-1652, Franklin Square House, 11 East Newton street.

Company commanders will delete this box from assignment card for Box 1661 and add this box to assignment card for Box 1652. Box 12-1661 will be deleted from circuit card No. 77 and Box 12-1652 will be added to that circuit card.

III. HYDRANT SALT.

Company commanders will forward to Headquarters on or before Wednesday, August 17, 1955, the amount of hydrant

salt required for use during winter of 1955-56; also the amount now on hand.

IV. Commendations.

Fire Fighters John S. Allen and Frederick V. Ahern of Ladder Company 19 are hereby commended for responding to and working at fire, Box 731, two alarms, July 29, 1955, while off duty.

The following members are hereby commended for responding to and working at fire, Box 2552, August 1, 1955, while off duty:

Fire Lieut. George J. Roy, Headquarters.

Fire Lieut. Thomas F. Somma, Engine Company 28.

Fire Fighter John A. Foley, Engine Company 24.

Fire Fighter Anthony M. Montell, Ladder Company 3.

By order of Fire Commissioner Francis X. Cotter.

John V. Stapleton,
Chief of Department.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective August 15, 1955:

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out the following:

Corona Street, Dorchester.
South side, from Bowdoin street to Geneva avenue, 24 hours.

Harrison Avenue, Boston Proper and Roxbury.
Southeast side, from Northampton street to Eustis street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.
Northwest side, from East Newton street to Warren street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Melrose Street, Boston Proper.
South side, from Broadway to a point fifty-four (54) feet west of Broadway, 24 hours.

Norfolk Avenue, Dorchester.
Northeast side, from East Cottage street to Franklin court, 24 hours.

Pearl Street, Boston Proper.
Northeast side, from Milk street to Franklin street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," the following:

Pearl Street.
Both sides, from Milk street to Franklin street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the captions "Boston Proper," and "Brighton," the following:

Ashford Street.
North side, from Babcock street to Malvern street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the captions "Boston Proper," and "Roxbury," the following:

Harrison Avenue.
Northwest side, from East Newton street to Northampton street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Northampton street to East Lenox street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from East Lenox street to Eustis street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.
Northwest side, from East Lenox street to Warren street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," the following:

Highgate Street.
East side, from Cambridge street to Farrington avenue, 24 hours.
West side, from Cambridge street to a point one hundred and twenty-five (125) feet south of Cambridge street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," each of the following:

Brook Avenue.
Even-numbered side, from No. 195 Dudley street to No. 573 Dudley street, 24 hours.

Fuller Street.
North side, from Dorchester avenue to Clermont street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Norfolk Avenue.
Northeast side, from East Cottage street to a point one hundred and fifty (150) feet southeast of Franklin court, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "East Boston," each of the following:

Lexington Street.
Northwest side, from Meridian street to Lexington square, 24 hours.

Orleans Street.
Southeast side, from Sumner street, to a point forty (40) feet southwest of Sumner street 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," each of the following:

Amory Avenue.
South side, from Amory street to the dead end, 24 hours.

Creighton Street.
East side, from Centre street to opposite the northerly street line of Bynner street, 24 hours.

Fairbury Street.
Both sides, from Blue Hill avenue to Rand street, 24 hours.

Farnham Street.
North side, from Hampden street to Reading street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Sterling Street.
Northeast side, from Washington street to Shawmut avenue, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by adding the following new subsection:

(6) No driver shall stop, stand or park any vehicle in the following municipal parking areas during the hours indicated:

The area under the John F. Fitzgerald Expressway, between North street and Traverse street, 8 A.M. to 9.30 A.M.

Article IV, Section 6, Part 3 (Restrictions in Cent and Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by striking out the following:

Belgrade Avenue, West Roxbury.
North side, from South street to Robert street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 6, Part 3 (Restrictions in Cent and Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "West Roxbury," each of the following:

Belgrade Avenue.
North side, from South street to a point two hundred and seventy (270) feet west of Robert street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Robert Street.
Southwest side, from Belgrade avenue to a point one hundred (100) feet northwest of Belgrade avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by striking out the following:

Freeport Street, Dorchester.
From William T. Morrissey Boulevard at the point where it intersects Freeport street two hundred and twenty (220) feet north of the extension of Conley street to the extension of Conley street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," the following:

St. Thomas More Drive.
West roadway, from the Boston-Newton line to Chestnut Hill Driveway.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Tebroc Street.
From Levant street to Bowdoin street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "West Roxbury," the following:

Brook Farm Road.
From La Grange street to Baker street.

Article VI, Section 10 (Left Turns Prohibited), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," the following:

Congress Street.
Into Water street, easterly.

Article VI, Section 10 (Left Turns Prohibited), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Longwood Avenue.
Into Riverway, southerly, 3 P.M. to 7 P.M.

Article VI, Section 11 (Only Right Turn Movements Permitted), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Longwood Avenue.
Into Riverway, southerly, 3 P.M. to 7 P.M.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its

proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Charlestown," the following:

Warren Street.
Northeast side, at Park street.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," each of the following:

Fuller Street.
At Capen street.
Milton Avenue.
At Fuller street.
Quincy Street.
At Clarkson street.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway resurfacing, estimated to be thirty (30) days, the following temporary traffic rules are effective August 8, 1955:

Parking of vehicles is prohibited in the following street:

Park Drive, Boston Proper.
Both sides, from Beacon street to Brookline avenue, 24 hours.

The following street is one way in the direction indicated when official signs are in place:

Park Drive, Boston Proper.
From Beacon street to Brookline avenue.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS. (STATE SERVICE.)

NOTE.—Applicants are advised to file applications early. In event of a tie on the eligible list, the applicant who filed his application first will be given precedence.

CAPITOL POLICE OFFICER, OFFICE OF THE STATE SUPERINTENDENT OF BUILDINGS, SEPTEMBER 10, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, August 22, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $3,420 a year; the maximum salary is $4,140 a year.

Vacancies: From time to time.

Duties: In the Capitol Building or on the grounds, or wherever detailed for duty, to enforce good order and protect the property of the Commonwealth by any means that may be necessary; to be subject to the call of the State Superintendent of Buildings or the captain of the watch at all times for the protection of state property; and to perform related work as required.

Examples of Duties: On all property owned or occupied by the Commonwealth, excluding or ordering off all disorderly persons, vagrants, loafers, trespassers, or persons under the influence of liquor and if necessary bringing them before the State Supeintendent of Buildings or captain of the shift or removing them by force, arresting any person who shall damage, mutilate or destroy the trees, plans, shrubbery, turf, grassplots, benches, buildings or structures or commit any other offense and bringing the offender before the superintendent or captain, and taking in charge all animals not under leash or under the complete control of an accompanying person; policing the State House and grounds and guarding against theft, fire and water damage, reporting to the proper authorities all ground or other lights that are out of order or any breaks in water lines, steam lines, or electric connections, seeing that the building is opened and closed at the proper hours, keeping a record of persons entering or leaving the building outside of business hours, giving information to the public and to occupants of the building, and taking care of flags; directing traffic and regulating the parking of automobiles in the State House grounds.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants shall be not less than twenty-one nor over thirty-five years of age at the time of filing application. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application *unless* one has been filed with a previous application.

Any veteran who will have attained the age of twenty-one within six months of the date of any scheduled examination for police service shall not be deemed ineligible for examination and appointment because of established minimum age requirements to take such examination (Chapter 287, Acts of 1947.) Veterans who had not reached the maximum age limit at the time of entering military or naval service will not be disqualified by reason of age, within five years after the date of honorable discharge. (Chapter 179, Acts of 1950.)

Applicants must be not less than 5 feet 7 inches in height and must meet minimum weight requirements according to the following table, in which height is given in inches in bare feet and weight in pounds without clothing:

67 inches — 135 pounds
68 inches — 135 pounds
69 inches — 140 pounds
70 inches — 145 pounds
71 inches — 150 pounds
72 inches — 155 pounds
73 inches — 160 pounds
74 inches — 165 pounds
75 inches — 170 pounds
76 inches — 175 pounds

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 3; practical questions, including memory test, general information, and police manual questions, 7; total, 10.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination and qualifying strength test.

To become eligible, applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in the strength test, but the mark will not be included in the general average mark.

The practical questions, other than the memory test and general information questions, will be based upon information contained in the current edition of the Police Manual prepared by the Director of Civil Service, which may be obtained from the Public Document Division, Room 116, State House, Boston, at 25 cents a copy. It is necessary that applicants obtain a copy of this manual and study it carefully.

Applicants must not bring manuals to the examination room.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

PHYSICIAN (GENERAL), BOSTON VETERANS' SERVICES DEPARTMENT, SEPTEMBER 10, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, August 22, 1955.

Salary: $94 a week.

Vacancies: At present there is one vacancy for a male, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: To examine and treat war veterans referred by the Boston Veterans' Services Department; to submit reports of the results of physical examination, secure medical evidence from the Veterans' Administration when necessary, and advise the department on matters pertaining to medical problems in connection with the investigation of applicants for veterans' benefits; and to perform related work as required.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

Certification Requirement: Registration as a physician under the Massachusetts Board of Registration in Medicine.

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR ALTERATIONS AT THE EAST BOSTON HIGH SCHOOL, WHITE STREET, EAST BOSTON.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for alterations at the East Boston High School, White street, East Boston.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, August 22, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, enclosed in an envelope, sealed and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time state above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $250, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price, will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any and all bids if it be in the public interest so to do, in accordance with sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
(Aug. 13.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway resurfacing, estimated to be thirty (30) days, vehicles are excluded from the following streets, effective August 8, 1955:

Ballou Avenue, Dorchester.
From Mascot street to dead end.
Harwood Street, Dorchester.
From Willowwood street to Lucerne street.
Jones Avenue, Dorchester.
From Mascot street to Ballou avenue.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of water main repairs, estimated to be ten (10) days, vehicles are excluded from the following street, effective August 9, 1955:

Whittier Street, Roxbury.
From Columbus avenue to Tremont street.

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING AND INSTALLING ACOUSTIC TILE AT THE HORACE MANN SCHOOL, KEARSARGE AVENUE, ROXBURY.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for furnishing and installing acoustic tile at the Horace Mann School, Kearsarge avenue, Roxbury.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Monday, August 22, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, enclosed in an envelope, sealed and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $500, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price, will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do, in accordance with sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
(Aug. 13.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway resurfacing, estimated to be ten (10) days, parking of vehicles is prohibited in the following street, effective August 9, 1955:

Longwood Avenue, Roxbury.
Both sides, from Huntington avenue to Brookline avenue, 24 hours.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway resurfacing, estimated to be thirty (30) days, vehicles are excluded from the following street, effective August 8, 1955:

South Munroe Terrace, Dorchester.
From Neponset avenue to Train street.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway resurfacing, estimated to be thirty (30) days, vehicles are excluded from the following street, effective August 3, 1955:

St. William Street, Dorchester.
From Dorchester avenue to Auckland street.

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR ALTERATIONS AT THE BRIGHTON HIGH SCHOOL, WARREN STREET, BRIGHTON.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for alterations at the Brighton High School, Warren street, Brighton.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Monday, August 22, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, enclosed in an envelope, sealed and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $200, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price, will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do, in accordance with sections 44A to 44E, inclusive of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
(Aug. 13.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

No. 133—6-63-71.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING WEIGHTS AND MEASURES EQUIPMENT FOR THE WEIGHTS AND MEASURES DIVISION.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Friday, August 19, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Weights and Measures Equipment." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Aug. 13.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR ELECTRICAL WORK AT VARIOUS SCHOOLS, BOSTON, MASS.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for electrical work at various schools, Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Monday, August 22, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, enclosed in an envelope, sealed and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $500, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do, in accordance with sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
(Aug. 13.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

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No. 134—396.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING GENERAL CLOTHING (POPLIN COATS AND PANTS, CANVAS SLIPPERS) AND SHEETS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Monday, August 22, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Clothing and Sheets." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Aug. 13.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

BRIDGE REPAIRS.

Proposals for Redecking and Repairing the Reservation Road Bridge, Over Mother Brook, Hyde Park.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for redecking and repairing the Reservation Road Bridge, over Mother Brook, Hyde Park. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Redecking and Repairing the Reservation Road Bridge, Over Mother Brook, Hyde Park," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, AUGUST 25, 1955, with a certified check for NINE HUNDRED AND FIFTY (950) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex, on Thursday, August 25, 1955.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Aug. 13.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR REPAIRING AND RETUBING BOILERS IN VARIOUS SCHOOLS, BOSTON, MASS.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for repairing and retubing boilers in various schools, Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Tuesday, August 23, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals shall be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed and enclosed in an envelope, sealed, and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $1,000, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs, and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price, will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do, in accordance with sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
(Aug. 13.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

No. 132—583.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING PARKING METERS FOR THE REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Wednesday, August 24, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Parking Meters." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Aug. 13.) *Purchasing Agent.*

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JOSHUA H. JONES, *Editor.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

SIDEWALK CONSTRUCTION WORK.

PROPOSALS FOR ARTIFICIAL STONE SIDEWALKS IN

Bowdoin Street, Ward 3, from Cambridge Street to Derne Street;
Dakota Street, Wards 15 and 17, from Washington Street to Geneva Avenue;
Homes Avenue, Ward 15, from Topliff Street to Draper Street;
King Street, Ward 16, from Train Street to Adams Street;
Whitten Street, Ward 16, from Dorchester Avenue to Adams Street;
— and —
Such Additional Locations, If Any, in Wards 3, 15, 16, and 17, As May Be Designated by the Commissioner of Public Works.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for artificial stone sidewalks in Bowdoin street, Ward 3, etc. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Artificial Stone Sidewalks in Bowdoin Street, Ward 3, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 1955, with a certified check for TWELVE HUNDRED (1,200) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Aug. 13.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

CHANGES IN TRAFFIC RULES AND REGULATIONS.

Voted, That the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective August 15, 1955:

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out the following:

Corona Street, Dorchester.
South side, from Bowdoin street to Geneva avenue, 24 hours.
Harrison Avenue, Boston Proper and Roxbury.
Southeast side, from Northampton street to Eustis street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.
Northwest side, from East Newton street to Warren street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Melrose Street, Boston Proper.
South side, from Broadway to a point fifty-four (54) feet west of Broadway, 24 hours.
Norfolk Avenue, Dorchester.
Northeast side, from East Cottage street to Franklin court, 24 hours.
Pearl Street, Boston Proper.
Northeast side, from Milk street to Franklin street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," the following:

Pearl Street.
Both sides, from Milk street to Franklin street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the captions "Boston Proper," and "Brighton," the following:

Ashford Street.
North side, from Babcock street to Malvern street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the captions "Boston Proper," and "Roxbury," the following:

Harrison Avenue.
Northwest side, from East Newton street to Northampton street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Northampton street to East Lenox street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from East Lenox street to Eustis street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.
Northwest side, from East Lenox street to Warren street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," the following:

Highgate Street.
East side, from Cambridge street to Farrington avenue, 24 hours.
West side, from Cambridge street to a point one hundred and twenty-five (125) feet south of Cambridge street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," each of the following:

Brook Avenue.
Even-numbered side, from No. 495 Dudley street to No. 573 Dudley street, 24 hours.
Fuller Street.
North side, from Dorchester avenue to Clermont street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Norfolk Avenue.
Northeast side, from East Cottage street to a point one hundred and fifty (150) feet southeast of Franklin court, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "East Boston," each of the following:

Lexington Street.
Northwest side, from Meridian street to Lexington square, 24 hours.
Orleans Street.
Southeast side, from Sumner street to a point forty (40) feet southwest of Sumner street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," each of the following:

Amory Avenue.
South side, from Amory street to the dead end, 24 hours.
Creighton Street.
East side, from Centre street to opposite the northerly street line of Bynner street, 24 hours.
Fairbury Street.
Both sides, from Blue Hill avenue to Rand street, 24 hours.
Farnham Street.
North side, from Hampden street to Reading street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Sterling Street.
Northeast side, from Washington street to Shawmut avenue, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by adding the following new subsection:

(6) No driver shall stop, stand or park any vehicle in the following municipal parking areas, during the hours indicated:

The area under the John F. Fitzgerald Expressway, between North street and Traverse street, 8 A.M. to 9.30 A.M.

Article IV, Section 6, Part 3 (Restrictions in Cent and Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by striking out the following:

Belgrade Avenue, West Roxbury.
North side, from South street to Robert street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 6, Part 3 (Restrictions in Cent and Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "West Roxbury," each of the following:

Belgrade Avenue.
North side, from South street to a point two hundred and seventy (270) feet west of Robert street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Robert Street.
Southwest side, from Belgrade avenue to a point one hundred (100) feet northwest of Belgrade avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by striking out the following:

Freeport Street, Dorchester.
From William T. Morrissey Boulevard at the point where it intersects Freeport street two hundred and twenty (220) feet north of the extension of Conley street to the extension of Conley street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," the following:

St. Thomas More Drive.
West roadway, from the Boston-Newton line to Chestnut Hill Driveway.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Tebroc Street.
From Levant street to Bowdoin street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "West Roxbury," the following:

Brook Farm Road.
From La Grange street to Baker street.

Article VI, Section 10 (Left Turns Prohibited), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," the following:

Congress Street.
Into Water street, easterly.

Article VI, Section 10 (Left Turns Prohibited), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Longwood Avenue.
Into Riverway, southerly, 3 P.M. to 7 P.M.

Article VI, Section 11 (Only Right Turn Movements Permitted), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Longwood Avenue.
Into Riverway, southerly, 3 P.M. to 7 P.M.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Charlestown," the following:

Warren Street.
Northeast side, at Park street.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," each of the following:

Fuller Street.
At Capen street.
Milton Avenue.
At Fuller street.
Quincy Street.
At Clarkson street.

WM. ARTHUR REILLY,
Commissioner.

A true copy.
Attest:
WM. T. DOYLE, *Executive Secretary.*
(Aug. 6-13.)

READVERTISEMENT
of Item No. 4 on Proposal No. 103.

No. 131—6—63—71.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING LAUNDRY EQUIPMENT (ONE 54-INCH UNLOADING TYPE EXTRACTOR) FOR THE SANATORIUM DIVISION.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Wednesday, August 24, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Laundry Equipment." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Aug. 13.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR REPAIRS, MOVING AND INSTALLING STEEL LOCKERS AT GIRLS' LATIN SCHOOL, DORCHESTER.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for repairs, moving and installing steel lockers at Girls' Latin School, Dorchester.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Monday, August 22, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed and enclosed in an envelope, sealed, and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $250, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price, will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do, in accordance with sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
(Aug. 13.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

CITY OF BOSTON
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POLICE TO BE WORKING UNDER NEW COMPENSATION SCALE ON AND AFTER SEPTEMBER 7—COMMISSIONER SULLIVAN ISSUES NOTICE AFTER APPROVAL BY MAYOR HYNES—OLD SCHEDULE IN EFFECT SINCE MAY 20, 1953, ABOLISHED.

From the office of the Police Commissioner, after approval by Mayor Hynes, has come the new schedule of compensation, to become effective as of September 7, when the old rule under which the force was paid will have been abolished. The order for the changes, which have met with the approval of the Mayor, reads as follows:

City of Boston.
Police Department.
Compensation Plan
Amendment No. III.
August 1, 1955.

Rule 1 of the Police Department Compensation Plan, established by the Police Commissioner of the City of Boston with the approval of the Mayor of Boston on May 20, 1953, is hereby rescinded, and, subject to your Honor's approval, the following new Rule 1 shall become effective September 7, 1955.

(*Continued on page 992.*)

ADDITIONAL WORK IN THE AMOUNT OF $530,000 ESTIMATED TO BE NEEDED BEFORE BRIDGE AND DRAWSPAN AT CHARLESTOWN WILL BE COMPLETELY READY FOR TRAFFIC—ENGINEERS ORDERED TO TO MAKE STUDY AND RECOMMENDATIONS FOR IMPROVEMENTS.

Additional work is needed on the drawspan of the Charlestown Bridge. Engineers ordered to make a study of the added improvements have estimated that to make the bridge completely satisfactory for public use an additional $530,000 will have to be added to the contract in process of being awarded. The Mayor, at the request of the Public Works Commissioner, has approved the proposal to hire the engineering firm of Charles A. Maguire and Associates for making plans and drawings for the additional work. The letter requesting authorization of the work, approved by Mayor Hynes, reads as follows:

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NEW COMPENSATION PLANS FOR BOSTON'S FIRE FIGHTING FORCE AND FOR FIRE ALARM DIVISION GO INTO EFFECT ON SEPTEMBER 7—COMMISSIONER COTTER, WITH APPROVAL OF MAYOR JOHN B. HYNES, HAS MADE PUBLIC NEW SCALE OF PAY FOR ALL GRADES OF THE DEPARTMENT—AIDES TO VARIOUS EXECUTIVES ALSO GET BOOST IN PAY.

A new pay schedule for the fire fighting force of the city is to be put into effect on September 7, according to orders promulgated by Fire Commissioner Francis X. Cotter, with the approval of the Mayor. The pay schedules that have been in effect since May 20, 1953, have been rescinded. The compensation plan of the Fire Alarm Division also has been changed. The orders announcing the changes read as follows:

City of Boston.
Fire Department.
Fire Fighting Force Compensation Plan.
Amendment No. 5.
September 7, 1955.

Rule 1 of the Fire Fighting Force Compensation Plan, established by the Fire Commissioner with the approval of the Mayor of Boston on May 20, 1953, is hereby rescinded, and, subject to your Honor's approval, the following new Rule 1 shall become effective September 7, 1955:

Rule 1. Pay Schedule. Until otherwise provided, the pay schedule of the fire fighting force of the Fire Department of the City of Boston shall be as follows:

OFFICE	I	II	III	IV	V
Group A					
Fire Fighter	$3,690	$3,840	$4,050	$4,150	$4,310

(Including Arson Inspector, Oil-Burner Inspector, and Photographer)

A Fire Fighter holding any of the following offices shall receive, in addition to the salary to which he would otherwise be entitled under this plan, the sum respectively set against his office in the following table:

Apparatus Operator	$100
Assistant Cardox Engineer	200
Engineer (Motor Squad)	200
Engineer (High Pressure)	200
Second Marine Engineer	200
First Marine Engineer (Diesel)	300
First Marine Engineer (Steam)	400
Engineer in Charge (Cardox)	400
Assistant Engineer in Charge (High Pressure)	400
Engineer in Charge (Motor Squad)	400
Chief Marine Engineer	500
Building Custodian	500
Public Relations Officer	600
Engineer in Charge (High Pressure)	700

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"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean;
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.

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Advertising.

A rate of $4 per inch of 12 lines (set solid) has been established for such advertisements as under the law must be printed in the City Record. Advertising and other copy must be in hand by 5 P.M. Wednesday of each week to insure its publication in the Saturday issue.

MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, August 29, at 2 P.M.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries, or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the Complaints Division, Room 25, City Hall.

Information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways, the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments of streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped area for streets and the opening of private ways; the making of specific repairs in public streets; the naming of public streets, including the use of public ways for location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railways, coal holes, and vaults, may be secured from the Public Improvement Commission, Room 403, City Hall Annex.

TO THE BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION, 112 Southampton street, for information relative to regulation of vehicular street traffic on all or any streets, ways, highways, roads, and parkways under the control of the City of Boston, the issuing of all permits in connection therewith.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting, and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of Sumner Tunnel, the maintenance of bridges and draw-bridges, and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Haymarket Square, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish, and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughterhouses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases, of public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth Avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park, and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts, also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview, and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

TO THE DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS, 28 Norman street, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

TO THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 907, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal, or tearing down buildings.

TO THE ELECTRICAL INSPECTION DIVISION OF THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT, 1001 City Hall Annex, for all information relative to the erection of poles, building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division; also for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings of the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

TO THE BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT, 43 City Hall, relative to changes in the boundary lines of zoning districts of the City of Boston as established by chapter 488 of the Acts of 1924, and amendments thereto.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending August 13, 1955.

Population as of July, 1950, Massachusetts State Census, 817,713; population estimated July, 1954, United States Census Bureau, 813,696; number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 144; nonresidents, 72; total, 216.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 13.91; nonresidents deducted, 9.42.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:

Last week, 14.80; corresponding week last year, 13.06.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 15; one year to four years, inclusive, 6; sixty years and over, 143. Total deaths: Male, 136; female, 100; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 155.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Aug. 13, 1955.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Aug. 14, 1954.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior Poliomyelitis	268	9	4	—
Diphtheria	—	—	—	—
Encephalitis Lethargica	—	—	—	—
Influenza	—	—	—	—
Measles	1	—	39	—
Meningitis Epidemic	—	—	2	1
Pneumonia (lobar)	—	—	—	1
Scarlet Fever	1	—	6	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary)	20	4	21	1
Childhood Type Tuberculosis	—	—	—	—
Tuberculosis (other forms)	—	—	4	—
Typhoid Fever	—	—	—	—
Whooping Cough	—	—	11	—

*Residents and nonresidents included.

$530,000 ESTIMATED TO COMPLETE IMPROVEMENTS AT CHARLESTOWN BRIDGE.

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Public Works Department.
Boston, August 2, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

Under date of May 9 a contract was awarded to the engineering firm of Charles A. Maguire and Associates, providing, in part, for an investigation and study of the drawspan of the Charlestown Bridge.

The study has been satisfactorily completed, and a detailed report made to the department containing the findings and recommendations of the above-referenced engineers. They recommend that substantial repairs be made to the drawspan, fender pier, and drawtender's house, and that a new mechanical and electrical system for operating the drawbridge be installed. It is estimated that the cost of the latter-referenced work will total $530,000.

At the present time a contract in the amount of $931,965.50 is in the process of being awarded for the reconstruction of the approach spans of this bridge, and it is most essential to have the above-referenced improvements to the drawspan effected at an early date, in order to coordinate them with the work involved in the approach spans, and, of more importance, to insure the safe and proper functioning of the drawspan of this bridge, which is the most important one in the City of Boston.

In view of the circumstances, therefore, it is advisable at this time to award a contract for the preparation of preliminary sketches, design drawings, contract plans, and specifications for the repair of the drawspan structure and related improvements, including the design of a new mechanical and electrical system for operating the drawbridge. To publicly advertise for proposals for the furnishing of such professional services would tend to encourage the submitting of bids by those not qualified, and places a premium on incompetency, as those less qualified could very easily submit a low bid. In general, therefore, I feel that professional services of the type contemplated in the subject contract should be provided by negotiating with a competent firm of consulting engineers, with the understanding that the fee will be established in accordance with the manual prepared by the American Society of Civil Engineers.

I have followed this procedure in the subject case, and recommend that a contract be awarded to Charles A. Maguire and Associates for the rendering of the above-referenced professional services, including consultation and advice during the construction period. The latter-referenced firm is eminently qualified to render the services required, and is recognized as one of the leading firms of consulting engineers, particularly in the structural field.

I therefore respectfully request your authorization to dispense with advertising, and to award a contract to the engineering firm of Charles A. Maguire and Associates, 14 Court square, Boston, for the preparation of preliminary sketches, design drawings, contract plans, and specifications for the repair and re-

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NEW COMPENSATION PLANS FOR BOSTON'S FIRE FIGHTING FORCE AND FOR FIRE ALARM DIVISION.

(Continued from page 989.)

Office	I	II	III	IV	V
Group B					
Fire Lieutenant	$4,670	—	—	$4,880	$5,090
Instructor, Fire Fighting School	5,260	—	—	5,470	5,680
Chief Inspector	5,260	—	—	5,470	5,680
Assistant Engineer (Motor Apparatus)	5,300	—	—	5,510	5,770
Fire Captain	5,300	—	—	5,510	5,770
Drillmaster	5,700	—	—	5,910	6,170
Assistant to Deputy Fire Chief	5,800	—	—	6,010	6,270
District Fire Chief	6,290	—	—	6,550	6,810
Motor Apparatus Engineer	6,290	—	—	6,550	6,810
Supervisor of Fireboats	6,290	—	—	6,550	6,810
Group C					
Superintendent of Maintenance	$7,650	—	—	—	—
Deputy Fire Chief	7,650	—	—	—	—
Assistant Fire Chief (in charge of Fire Prevention Division)	8,650	—	—	—	—
Assistant Fire Chief (in charge of Fire Fighting Force)	8,650	—	—	—	—
Assistant Fire Chief (in charge of Personnel and Training)	8,650	—	—	—	—
Chief of Department	10,750	—	—	—	—

Each amount above stated shall be increased by $25 in the case of the holder of a department medal.

Aides shall receive, in the case of the Aides to the Chief and the Aides to the Fire Commissioner $400, and in the case of all other Aides $200, and Masters of Fireboats shall receive $500, in excess of the salaries to which they would otherwise be entitled under this plan.

Francis X. Cotter,
Fire Commissioner.

City of Boston.

Fire Department.

Fire Alarm Division Compensation Plan.

Amendment No. 2.

September 7, 1955.

Rule 1 of the Fire Alarm Division Compensation Plan, established by the Fire Commissioner with the approval of the Mayor of Boston on May 20, 1953, is hereby rescinded and, subject to your Honor's approval, the following new Rule 1 shall become effective September 7, 1955:

Rule 1. Pay Schedule. Until otherwise provided, the pay schedule of the Fire Alarm Division of the Boston Fire Department shall be as follows:

Office	I	II	III	IV	V
Group A					
Fire Alarm Operator	$3,690	$3,840	$4,050	$4,150	$4,310
Radio Repairman	3,690	3,840	4,050	4,150	4,310
Machinist	3,690	3,840	4,050	4,150	4,310
Cable Splicer	3,690	3,840	4,050	4,150	4,310
Lineman	3,690	3,840	4,050	4,150	4,310
Electrical Equipment Repairman	3,690	3,840	4,050	4,150	4,310
Motor Equipment Operator	3,690	3,840	4,050	4,150	4,310
Group B					
Senior Fire Alarm Operator	4,670	—	—	4,880	5,090
Radio Operator	4,670	—	—	4,880	5,090
Working Foreman Machinist	4,670	—	—	4,880	5,090
Working Foreman Lineman and Cable Splicer	4,670	—	—	4,880	5,090
Inside Wireman	4,670	—	—	4,880	5,090
Principal Fire Alarm Operator	5,300	—	—	5,510	5,770
Foreman of Inside Wiremen	5,300	—	—	5,510	5,770

Office	I	II	III	IV	V
Foreman of Linemen and Cable Splicers	$5,300	—	—	$5,510	$5,770
General Foreman of Fire Alarm Construction	5,700	—	—	5,910	6,170
Radio Supervisor	5,700	—	—	5,910	6,170
Assistant Superintendent, Fire Alarm Division	6,290	—	—	6,550	6,810
Assistant Superintendent, Fire Alarm Operations	6,290	—	—	6,550	6,810
Group C					
Superintendent of Fire Alarm	7,650	—	—	—	—

Francis X. Cotter,
Fire Commissioner.

CHARLESTOWN BRIDGE.

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habilitation of the fender system and drawhouse of the Charlestown Bridge, and the repair and rehabilitation of the drawspan of the bridge, including the design of a modern mechanical-electrical system for operating said drawspan, with the understanding that the fee will be computed on the basis of 6.3 per cent of the cost of construction, provided, however, that if any or all of the work designed is not constructed, the engineer will be paid a fee based on 5.7 per cent of the estimated cost of construction, and with the understanding that the total fee will not exceed $33,390.

Respectfully yours,

George G. Hyland,
Commissioner of Public Works.

MAYOR HYNES APPROVES COMMISSIONER OF POLICE SULLIVAN'S NEW COMPENSATION SCALE.

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Rule 1. Pay Schedule. Until otherwise provided, the pay schedule of the police force of the Boston Police Department shall be as follows:

Office	I	II	III	IV	V
Group A					
Patrolman	$3,690	$3,840	$4,050	$4,150	$4,310

A Patrolman (Supervisor of Stables) shall receive $200, and a Patrolman (Radio Operator) shall receive $300, in excess of the salary to which he would otherwise be entitled under this plan.

Office	I	II	III	IV	V
Group B					
Detective—					
Third Grade	$4,350	—	—	$4,450	$4,610
Second Grade	4,450	—	—	4,550	4,710
First Grade	4,550	—	—	4,650	4,810
Sergeant	4,670	—	—	4,880	5,090
Asst. Chief Radio Operator	4,970	—	—	5,180	5,390
Detective	4,970	—	—	5,180	5,390
Sergeant—					
Asst. Auto Equip. Supervisor	5,300	—	—	5,510	5,770
Lieutenant	5,300	—	—	5,510	5,770
Detective	5,600	—	—	5,810	6,070
Harbor Master	6,290	—	—	6,550	6,810
Automotive Equip. Supervisor	6,290	—	—	6,550	6,810
Captain	6,290	—	—	6,550	6,810
Chief Clerk	6,590	—	—	6,850	7,650
Group C					
Deputy Supt.	—	—	—	—	7,650

Each amount above stated shall be increased by $25 in the case of the holder of a departmental medal.

T. F. Sullivan,
Police Commissioner for the City of Boston.

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 46.

I. Promotions.

The following promotions are hereby announced, to become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, August 17, 1955:

Fire Lieut. Joseph L. Tehan, Ladder Company 15, to fire captain.

Fire Fighter John J. Swan, Engine Company 19, to fire lieutenant.

Fire Fighter Walter J. LaMontagne, Ladder Company 25, to fire lieutenant.

Fire Fighter Dennis J. Sullivan, Ladder Company 20, to fire lieutenant.

Fire Fighter James M. Finn, Ladder Company 10, to fire lieutenant.

II. Transfers.

The following transfers will become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, August 17, 1955:

Fire Capt. Joseph L. Tehan, from Ladder 15 to Ladder 22.

Fire Lieut. John J. Swan, from Engine 19 to Ladder 15.

Fire Lieut. Walter J. LaMontagne, from Engine 25 to Engine 39.

Fire Lieut. Dennis J. Sullivan, from Ladder 20 to Ladder 2.

Fire Lieut. James M. Finn, from Ladder 10 to Engine Squad 14.

Fire Fighter John F. Donovan, from Engine 37 to Engine 26.

Fire Fighter John G. Moriarty, from Tower 1 to Engine 37.

III. Assignments as Engineer, Motor Squad.

The following assignment, which became effective at 8 A.M., July 13, 1955, is hereby announced:

Fire Fighter Martin J. Carney, Maintenance Division, to engineer, Motor Squad.

The following assignment, which became effective at 8 A.M., August 10, 1955, is hereby announced:

Fire Fighter Alfred J. Cataldo, Maintenance Division, to engineer, Motor Squad.

IV. Return to Duty from Armed Forces.

The following-named fire fighter who was granted leave of absence July 21, 1951, in order to serve in the U. S. Air Force has been discharged from the Air Force and will return to duty in this department at 8 A.M., Wednesday, August 17, 1955:

Fire Fighter John G. Moriarty.

V. Resignation.

The following resignation, which became effective at 8 A.M., Friday, August 12, 1955, is hereby announced:

Fire Fighter Charles L. O'Reilly, Ladder Company 19.

VI. Change in Designation of Fire Alarm Boxes.

The designation of the following fire alarm boxes will be changed as given below:

1292, Atlantic avenue, opposite No. 476.

12-1281, Second Bank, State Street Trust Company, State and Congress streets.

4131, Front street, Boston and Maine Railroad Freight House 17, opposite Door 42.

Company commanders will change designation on assignment cards for the boxes given above.

By order of Fire Commissioner Francis X. Cotter.

John V. Stapleton,
Chief of Department.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 2,082.

The Police Commissioner having heard the complaint of Captain Michael T. Clougherty, Division 6, against Patrolman Joseph E. Morrissey, Division 6, on Monday, August 8, 1955, at Police Headquarters, charging him with violation of the rules and regulations of the Boston Police Department, has made a finding of guilty.

Therefore, It is ordered that the said Patrolman Joseph E. Morrissey be suspended for a period of six months, effective as of Tuesday, August 2, 1955, at 5.45 o'clock P.M.

The Acting Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

Thomas F. Sullivan,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,083.

A trial board, consisting of Captains Leo E. Hoban, Cornelius F. O'Brien, and Patrick J. O'Donnell, having heard by reference a complaint made by Edwin P. Murphy, Captain, commanding Division 18, against Patrolman James F. Brennan, Division 18, charging him with violation of the rules and regulations of the Police Department, has reported a finding of guilty, recommending punishment duty of 210 hours.

This recommendation is accepted and it is ordered that the said Patrolman James F. Brennan perform 210 hours' punishment duty.

The Acting Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

Thomas F. Sullivan,
Police Commissioner.

TRANSFERS OF APPROPRIATIONS.

The Mayor has approved the following request for transfer of appropriations:

Mayor's Office.

From 369, Office Supplies and Materials, $1,800, to 212, Telegraph Service, $500, 271, Automotive Equipment, $500, 282, Travel Expenses (Inside), $300, 292, Blueprinting, Photostating, Mimeographing, etc., $500.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following personnel changes:

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

For the week ending August 2:

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—Mary A. Marnell, 397 Dorchester street, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $45.50 a week; Lillian Harland, 1747 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, hospital kitchen worker, $55.50 a week; Gerard C. Brassard, 21 Nottingham street, Dorchester, plumber, $60.50 a week; John A. Volini, 696 Columbia road, Dorchester, electrician, $70.50 a week; Mary V. Dandrow, 29 East Cottage street, Dorchester, laboratory assistant, $53 a week; Bernardine O'Rourke, 22 Delle avenue, Roxbury, clerk-typist, $50.50 a week; Ruth J. Howser, 57 Vancouver street, nurse, anesthetist, $70.50 a week; Pauline Barbin, 154 Savin Hill avenue, Dorchester, Alma Cyr, 154 Savin Hill avenue, Dorchester, Thelma Meuller, 50 Lawrence street, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour; Lois Curley, 94 St. Rose street, Jamaica Plain, floor nurse, $63 a week; Katherine I. Crean, 710 Massachusetts avenue, head nurse, $76.50 a week; Joan Bresnahan, 70 Burbank street, floor nurse, $63 a week; Anna Wilkins, 39 East Brook place, Methuen, head nurse, $1.70 an hour; Nora O'Connor, 25 Murray avenue, East Milton, floor nurse, $1.70 an hour; Jane T. O'Neil, 27 Sumner street, Dorchester, floor nurse, $1.65 an hour.

Temporary.—John M. Sullivan, 205 Perham street, West Roxbury, Reuben G. Pharms, 2 Trotter court, Melvin Wartel, 28 Angell street, Dorchester, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; Robert M. Kean, 236 Parker Hill avenue, Roxbury, hospital house worker, $43 a week; Joan Healy, 38 Marshfield street, Roxbury, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week; William McDonough, 984 Washington street, Dorchester, Helena Grand-Maison, 7 Summer street, Charlestown, hospital laundry workers, $43 a week; John A. Innello, 23 Galena street, Roxbury, fireman, $65.50 a week; Joseph A. Mitchell, 39 South Munroe terrace, Dorchester, elevator operator, $43 a week; Ann C. Murray, 34 Wentworth street, Dorchester, telephone operator, $55.50 a week; Marion C. O'Leary, 20 Fossdale road, Dorchester, Nancy Breen, 22 Carruth street, Dorchester, Kathryn J. Galvin, 49 Monument avenue, Charlestown, medical social workers, $65.50 a week; Mary Quirk, 48 Samoset street, Dorchester, Margery Barbera, 24 Chambers street, Marie Maguire, 11 Frawley street, Roxbury, clerk-typists, $43 a week; Mark Huffman, 42 Worcester square, clerk, $43 a week; Barbara A. Lee, 230 M street, South Boston, Lois V. Powers, 48 Rosewood street, Mattapan, Ellen Chase, 97 Buchanan road, West Roxbury, clerk-typists, $43 a week; Catherine A. Powers, 129 West Eagle street, East Boston, Joan Keane, 1086 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, floor nurses, $60.50 a week.

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Esther Bandlow, 5 Reddy avenue, Hyde Park, 2 days; Lillian Blackburn, 18 Park Vale avenue, Allston, 7 days; B. Jean Bolton, Helen Connors, 83 Glen

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APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING AUGUST 16.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
W. Connell	24 Bellflower street	7	New appliances	$1,200
G. Trethewey	834 Centre street	19	New appliances	150
P. Gulesian	5 Clifford street	18	New appliances	200
G. Trethewey	34 Cornell street	18	New appliances	75
S. Litman	162 Devon street	14	New appliances	150
L. Luxton	53 Dix street	16	New appliances	50
D. Weinstein	71 Dover street	3	New appliances	50
D. O'Neill	460 East Sixth street	7	New appliances	100
G. Patey	25A Eliot street	19	New appliances	45
R. Ebba	109 Eutaw street	1	New appliances	100
A. Halsband	34 Harrison avenue	3	New appliances	100
P. Gulesian	1115 Hyde Park avenue	18	New appliances	200
P. Gulesian	1304 Hyde Park avenue	18	New appliances	75
G. Speers	32 Justin road	22	New appliances	100
D. O'Neill	55 Newcomb street	8	New appliances	40
V. Bordonaro	1 Parker place	10	New appliances	25
J. Fitzgerald	6 Parker Hill avenue	10	New appliances	150
J. Fitzgerald	8 Parker Hill avenue	10	New appliances	150
G. Speers	56 Portsmouth street	22	New appliances	500
R. Ebba	202 Princeton street	1	New appliances	20
D. O'Neill	26 Regis road	18	New appliances	20
P. Gulesian	28 Rosa street	18	New appliances	400
R. DiLorenzo	819 Saratoga street	1	New appliances	25
I. Shulman	242 S. Huntington avenue	10	New appliances	100
N. Clark	Baker street	20	New appliances	400
C. O'Connor	69 Baldwin street	2	New appliances	45
N. Clark	587 Beacon street	5	New appliances	300
N. Deutsch	989 Bennington street	1	New appliances	50
M. Eskowitz	274 Bowdoin street	15	New appliances	20
N. Clark	124 Brook avenue	13	New appliances	300
N. Deutsch	76 Brooks street	1	New appliances	50
E. Marenburg	51 Chardon street	3	New appliances	50
N. Deutsch	190 Cottage street	1	New appliances	30
M. Alexander	1159 Dorchester avenue	15	New appliances	150
G. Speers	81 Euston street	21	New appliances	25
N. Deutsch	116 Everett street	1	New appliances	40
S. Litman	8 Folsom street	13	New appliances	350
H. Hinckley	25 Holbrook street	19	New appliances	40
N. Clark	42 Howell street	7	New appliances	300
N. Clark	42 Howell street	7	New appliances	300
N. Clark	42 Howell street	7	New appliances	400
N. Deutsch	186 Maverick street	1	New appliances	30
J. Vangi	41A McLean street	3	New appliances	45
E. Miller	22 Medfield street	21	New appliances	55
H. Hinckley	29 Oriole street	20	New appliances	30
E. Miller	1080 Tremont street	9	New appliances	15
J. Vangi	46 Wall street	3	New appliances	55
J. Wirth	157 West Seventh street	6	New appliances	35
J. Vogel	2 Worcester square	8	New appliances	100
A. Kellem	140 Athens street	6	New appliances	100
T. Feeley	826 Beacon street	21	New appliances	525
E. Pascucci	2 Bennet place	1	New appliances	35
E. Pascucci	200 Byron street	1	New appliances	35
N. Clark	35 Cambridge street	2	New appliances	15
B. Carlin	64 Copeland street	12	New appliances	15
N. Clark	520 East Third street	6	New appliances	400
N. Clark	25 Estella street	14	New appliances	300
E. Pascucci	75 Everett street	1	New appliances	25
F. Odenweller	103 H street	7	New appliances	100
B. Szathmary	20–22 Hollander street	12	New appliances	100
N. Clark	60 Hopedale street	22	New appliances	400
E. Pascucci	26 Lamson street	1	New appliances	15
E. Pascucci	61 Leyden street	1	New appliances	25
C. Mehegan	380 Talbot avenue	17	New appliances	100
O. McElearney	1552 Tremont street	10	New appliances	225
N. Clark	50 Wellesley park	17	New appliances	400
N. Clark	261 West Newton street	4	New appliances	10
F. Odenweller	174 West Ninth street	7	New appliances	15
E. Pascucci	15 Wordsworth street	1	New appliances	25
F. Avery	4 Alfred street	19	New appliances	100
F. Avery	6 Alfred street	19	New appliances	100
S. Adams	28 Athelwold street	17	New appliances	225
S. Adams	10 Briarcliff terrace	18	New appliances	150
M. Zealla	10 Brimmer street	5	New appliances	100
F. Avery	6 Cerina road	19	New appliances	10
M. Langley	40 Clearwater Drive	17	New appliances	45
C. Sillari	451 Columbus avenue	4	New appliances	25
F. Avery	57 Day street	10	New appliances	20
S. Adams	31 Florida street	16	New appliances	225
S. Adams	35A Greenwich street	15	New appliances	80
H. Cutler	111 Harold street	12	New appliances	10
S. Litman	92 Harrishof street	12	New appliances	15
J. Kirwin	232 Lexington street	1	New appliances	20
S. Adams	6 Merlin street	17	New appliances	375
S. Adams	48 Mt Everett street	15	New appliances	225
C. McGregor	28 and 30 Newcastle street	22	New appliances	75
F. Avery	18 Perkins square	10	New appliances	10
F. Avery	9 Quarley road	19	New appliances	10
S. Adams	33 St. Brendan road	16	New appliances	275
F. Avery	96 Seaverns avenue	19	New appliances	10
S. Adams	27 Stonehurst street	15	New appliances	275
L. Marchant	83 Sumner street	3	New appliances	300
F. Avery	18 Weld avenue	20	New appliances	50
S. Adams	109 Welles avenue	17	New appliances	275
S. Adams	34 Westglow street	16	New appliances	190
S. Landau	49 Bennett street	22	New appliances	10
L. Luxton	70 Bragdon street	11	New appliances	25
I. Himelfarb	201 Broadway	3	New appliances	25
S. Landau	2021 Commonwealth avenue	22	New appliances	10
L. Luxton	48 Fuller street	17	New appliances	25
S. Chipman	679 Massachusetts avenue	8	New appliances	100
S. Landau	70 Mt. Vernon street	5	New appliances	400
S. Landau	8 Oak square	22	New appliances	25
E. Marenburg	283 Ruggles street	4	New appliances	150
S. Chipman	135 Thornton street	11	New appliances	15
J. Amico	81 Washington street	3	New appliances	200
J. Rooney	214 Westville street	15	New appliances	50

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING AUGUST 16.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Angelo Tedesco	100 Roslindale avenue	20	Alterations, dwelling	$800
Alice Burke	8 Townsend place	5	Alterations, dwelling	800
Alexander Wizneck	19 and 21 Woodward street	6	Alterations, dwelling	990
Home Realty Trust	101 Zeigler street	8	Alterations, dwelling	100
Joseph Palesk	3 Batchelder street	13	Alterations, dwelling	100
Joseph Palesk	1 Batchelder street	13	Alterations, dwelling	100
Joe Fitzpatrick	166 Beaver street	18	Alterations, dwelling	375
Abraham Snyder	1162 Blue Hill avenue	11	Alterations, dwelling	250
H. H. Davis	66 Chestnut street	3	Alterations, dwelling	300
Clinton Market	86 Clinton street	3	Alterations, dwelling	850
Dwyer & Manton	95 Cushing avenue	13	Alterations, dwelling	250
D. Ramo	105 Fulton street	3	Alterations, dwelling	60
Patrick McDonough	33 Gretter road	20	Alterations, dwelling	100
S. LaRosa	82 Eustis street	8	Alterations, dwelling	80
S. LaRosa	81 Eustis street	8	Alterations, dwelling	80
M. Nannes	137 Hancock street	15	Alterations, dwelling	125
M. Nannes	141 Hancock street	15	Alterations, dwelling	125
Ben Pekarski	5 Leeds street	7	Alterations, dwelling	200
Bernard F. Nolan	119 Minot street	16	Alterations, dwelling	425
Luigina Vincenti	292 North street	3	Alterations, dwelling	600
Hilda Hiller	12 Peverell street	13	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Leemitch Realty	50-60 Prentiss street	9	Alterations, dwelling	595
Joseph Petrolia	171 Princeton street	1	Alterations, dwelling	550
Charles Zakka	60 Royal street	22	Alterations, dwelling	300
Boston Five Savings Bank	20 School street	3	Alterations, dwelling	100
Albiani Lunch Company	10 Scollay square	3	Alterations, dwelling	700
N. Smyth	652 South street	19	Alterations, dwelling	900
Clarence Legere	82 Waldeck street	17	Alterations, dwelling	235
Marie C. Ginty	120 Walworth street	20	Alterations, dwelling	85
Peter and Pearl Maregni	70 Litchfield street	22	Alterations, dwelling	25,000
Gordon College	22 Evans street	4	Alterations, dwelling	30,000
Congress Street Associates	50 Congress street	3	Alterations, dwelling	6,000
International Equipment Co.	1281 Soldiers Field road	22	Dwelling	37,000
Anthony Oliveri	66 Lewiston street	18	Garage	700
Arthur Katzenburg	214 Harvard avenue	21	Office building	118,500
Robert M. Lee	44 Winthrop street	2	Alterations, dwelling	5,000
Massachusetts General Hosp.	88 Allen street	3	Alterations, dwelling	—
Gerald Flanagan	6 Appleton court	20	Dwelling	12,000
William McDonald	10 Appleton court	20	Dwelling	11,788
Nicholas Construction	8 Arborview road	19	Dwelling	8,000
Mary Izzo	115 Bartlett street	2	Alterations, dwelling	2
Abbie Ahearn	11 Belden street	7	Alterations, dwelling	2
John and Catherine Richard	9 Berwick street	20	Garage	1,000
Walter Marusa	54 Bushnell street	16	Alterations, dwelling	900
Joseph Sansone	43 Cambridge street	3	Alterations, dwelling	6,000
Mass. Wharf Coal Co.	280 Cambridge street	22	Alterations, dwelling	1,625
Melvin and Rose Prescott	521 Cambridge street	21	Alterations, dwelling	2,500
Socony Vacuum	626 Centre street	19	Alterations, Gas Station	2,000
Henry H. Davis	66 Chestnut street	5	Alterations, dwelling	1,800
Standard Grocery	395 Commercial street	3	Alterations, warehouse	9,000
Blanch M. O'Connell	319 Commonwealth avenue	5	Alterations, dwelling	2
National Realty Company	351 Commonwealth avenue	5	Alterations, dwelling	8,000
George Cummins	61 Cornell street	18	Garage	8,000
George Cummins	65 Cornell street	18	Garage	8,000
Armand Lallier	101 Dale street	18	Dwelling	10,000
Louise O'Leary	518 East Broadway	6	Alterations, dwelling	2,000
Patrick J. O'Donnell	29 Edgewater Drive	18	Alterations, dwelling	200
New England Telephone	185 Franklin street	3	Alterations, business offices	10,000
Oakfield Corporation	545 Freeport street	16	Super Market	132,000
Varnett Shillman	159 Gallivan Boulevard	17	Dwelling	10,000
Ernest Guy	20 Grassmere road	18	Dwelling	9,000
Keystone Manufacturing Co.	151 Hallet street	16	Alterations, manufacturing company	7,000
Keystone Manufacturing Co.	151 Hallet street	16	Manufacturing company	6,000
John J. Fitzgerald	18 Highland street	18	Dwelling	8,000
Thomas P. Ryan	47 Hillock street	20	Dwelling	11,000
Albert E. King	42 Juniper street	9	Alterations, dwelling	350
Mr. & Mrs. Lawrence Hogue	123 Howland street	12	Alterations, dwelling	485
State Street Corporation	25 and 27 Kilby street	3	Office, parking area	500
Max Mordis	172 L street	7	Alterations, dwelling	3,500
Henry Centola	76 Litchfield street	22	Dwelling	9,000
Henry Centola	78 Litchfield street	22	Dwelling	9,000
Henry Maregni	80 Litchfield street	22	Dwelling	9,000
Salvitorie Minesteri	7 and 9 Lodgehill road	18	Dwelling	20,000
Anthony Lombard	75 Loring street	18	Alterations, dwelling	2
Myrtle Thomas	24 Magnolia street	13	Alterations, dwelling	860
Mrs. Nicholas Mahtone	15 Margaret street	3	Alterations, dwelling	2
John Mee	7 Menlo street	22	Alterations, dwelling	1,600
Gabriel and Rita Gigante	41 Mill street	16	Alterations, dwelling	2
Anthony Kelson	139 Milton avenue	18	Dwelling	12,000
Pios Daughters of Saint Paul	50 Mt. Walley avenue	19	Dwelling	320,000
Boston College Intown	120-126 Newbury street	5	Alterations, college	40,000
Angelica Bossi	303 Norfolk avenue	7	Alterations, dwelling	2
Edward Flibotte	66 Osceola street	18	Dwelling	10,000
Edward Flibotte	70 Osceola street	18	Dwelling	10,000
Horace Payson	15 Payson avenue	15	Alterations, dwelling	50
Horace Payson	17 Payson avenue	15	Alterations, dwelling	50
John Hansen	131 Perham street	20	Dwelling	8,000
Violet Foraci	7 Prince street	19	Alterations, dwelling	2
Joseph Curaldi	25 Rawston road	18	Dwelling	8,000
Rose Nardone	1382 River street	18	Alterations, dwelling	200
Quita Foster	20 Riverview street	20	Dwelling	8,000
Quita Foster	24 Riverview street	20	Dwelling	8,000
Marie Newton and Evelyn Sidman	201 Ruskindale road	18	Dwelling	11,000
Rose DeStefano	115 Salem street	3	Alterations, dwelling	2
Stella Rossi	342 Saratoga street	1	Alterations, dwelling	2
Elsie McDonald	18 South Russell street	3	Alterations, dwelling	2

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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road, Jamaica Plain, Ruby Childs, 270 Huntington avenue, Roxbury, 1 day; Gertrude Clark, 13 Rosa street, Hyde Park, Iris Crowley, 168 Crowley-Rogers Way, South Boston, 2 days; Gertrude Clancy, 27 Spaulding street, Dorchester, 3 days; Norma Dean, 696 Massachusetts avenue, 1 day; Jean Darraugh, 568 East Sixth street, South Boston, 5 days; Mary Edwards, 428 Adams street, Dorchester, 1 day; Mildred Felaroska, 69 Park Drive, 5 days; Juanita Gearin, 2 days; Mary Jones, 32 Concord square, 6 days; Ernestine Jones, 1 day; Veronica Lombard, 8 Doris street, Dorchester, 2 days; Loretta Lynch, 270 Huntington avenue, 1 day; Claire McCue, 74 Robinwood road, Dedham, 2 days; Catherine McGuinness, 14 Alsen road, Dorchester, Anne McInnis, 853 East Third street, South Boston, Blanche McDonough, 1450 Centre street, Roslindale, 1 day; Mary R. Mahan, 29 Kempton street, 7 days; Mary Murphy, 37 Hampden Circle, Wollaston, Audrey Mailhot, 30 Walton street, Dorchester, Angelina Mullaney, 1235 Trapello road, Waltham, 2 days; Patricia Marzilli, 39 Potomac street, West Roxbury, 5 days; Helen Nauss, 46 West Newton street, Marion O'Boyle, 27 Magazine street, Roxbury, 4 days; Mary Paylor, 67 Mystic avenue, Medford, Dora Picarsky, 31 Edison Green, Dorchester, 2 days; Henrietta Price, 1 day; Ethel Rahaim, 665 Massachusetts avenue, 2 days; Romaine Riley, 171 Humboldt avenue, Roxbury, 1 day; Bernice Smith, 105 Walnut avenue, Roxbury, 2 days; Mabel Smith, 87 Bartlett road, Winthrop, 1 day; Verna Snow, 75 Damon avenue, Melrose, 2 days; Helen Spillane, 499 Park street, Stoughton, 4 days; Anna Stankard, 79 Edwin road, Waltham, 7 days; Margaret M. Sullivan, 28 Weymouth street, Holbrook, 5 days; Josephine Trippe, 80 Orleans street, East Boston, 7 days; Ila Ward, 79 Warren street, Roxbury, 1 day.

The following weekly nurses have been appointed:

Permanent.—Judith Keyser, 11 East Newton street, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Trinette Shaughnessey, 70 Gates street, South Boston, floor nurse, $49.50 a week; Harriet Martucci, 35 Leyden street, East Boston, floor nurse, $60.50 a week.

Temporary.—Mary E. King, 1 Judson road, Weymouth, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour.

South Division.

For the week ending August 2:

The following permanent employees have been appointed:

Eleanor M. MacDonald, 66 Austin street, Cambridge, Rose E. Saunders, 34 Nixon street, Dorchester, floor nurses, $60.50 a week.

The service of the following employee has been terminated:

Temporary.—James Gallo, 549 East Third street, South Boston, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Alice Driscoll, 309 Allston street, Brighton, 4 days; Veronica McElligott, 34 Dickinson street, Somerville, 7 days; Mary Trainor, 4 Davidson avenue, Dorchester, Marie Crowley, 18 Laite road, Wilmington, 1 day.

The following temporary employees have been appointed:

Mary M. Curley, 615 Main street, Wakefield, Alice M. Martin, 18 Kingsboro park, Jamaica Plain, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour; John E. Callahan, 15 Concord square, Robert J. Quinn, 1 Staniford street, Beth Michaud, 44 West Eagle street, East Boston, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; Francis R. Kramer, 1183 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week; Anna L. Seminatore, 43 Neptune street, Lynn, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour.

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For the week ending August 9:

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Esther Bandlow, 5 Reddy avenue, Hyde Park, 2 days; Lillian Blackburn, 18 Park Vale avenue, Allston, 5 days; Helen Connors, 83 Glen road, Jamaica Plain, 3 days; Ruby Childs, 270 Huntington avenue, Roxbury, 1 day; Gertrude Clark, 13 Rosa street, Hyde Park, 3 days; Mary E. Costello, 75 Montclair avenue, Roslindale, 2 days; Norma Dean, 696 Massachusetts avenue, 7 days; Jean Darraugh, 568 East Sixth street, South Boston, Mildred Filaroska, 69 Park Drive, Mary Fraser, 99 Norway street, 6 days; Stella Graham, 43 Mercier avenue, Dorchester, 5 days; Diana Guinta, 42 Topliff street, Dorchester, Juanita Gearin, Mary B. Healy, 163 East Cottage street, Dorchester, 2 days; Veronica Lombard, 8 Doris street, Dorchester, 4 days; Anne Lynskey, 52 Telsa street, Medford, 1 day; Loretta Lynch, 270 Huntington avenue, 7 days; Rita McCallum, 162 Bowdoin street, Dorchester, 1 day; Catherine McGuinness, 14 Alsen road, Dorchester, 7 days; Anne McInnis, 853 East Third street, South Boston, Blanche McDonough, 1450 Centre street, Roslindale, 2 days; Mary R. Mahan, 29 Kempton street, 5 days; Mary Murphy, 37 Hampden Circle, Wollaston, Audrey Mailhot, 30 Walton street, Dorchester, Patricia Marzilli, 29 Potomac street, West Roxbury, 6 days; Helen Nauss, 46 West Newton street, 1 day; Agnes O'Connor, 55 Iffley road, Jamaica Plain, 7 days; Marion O'Boyle, 27 Magazine street, Roxbury, 5 days; Romaine Riley, 171 Humboldt avenue, Roxbury, 1 day; Helen Spillane, 499 Park street, Stoughton, 5 days; Anna Stankard, 79 Edwin road, Waltham, 1 day; Margaret M. Sullivan, 28 Weymouth street, Holbrook, 7 days; Florence Sullivan, 1 day; Takaka Salvi, 123 Harvard street, Cambridge, 2 days; Josephine Trippe, 80 Orleans street, East Boston, 6 days; Ila Ward, 79 Warren street, Roxbury, 5 days; Eleanor Shalott, 43 East Springfield street, Verna Snow, 75 Damon avenue, Melrose, Mary Jones, 32 Concord square, 1 day.

The following weekly nurses have been appointed:

Permanent.—Alice McMinn, 69 Mt. Ida road, Dorchester, floor nurse, $73 a week; Carolyn McCormack, 75 Homer street, East Boston, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Jean Rico, 342 Ashmont street, Dorchester, floor nurse, $65.50 a week; Virginia Kelleher, 12 Aberdeen street, floor nurse, $63 a week; Beatrice Phillion, 13 Fiske avenue, Somerville, floor nurse, $68 a week.

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—Thomas F. Packard, 33 Sharon street, hospital house worker, $43

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PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING AUGUST 16.—Continued.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
James Martin	20 South Waverly street	22	Dwelling	$8,000
John O'Neil	2 Summer street	20	Dwelling	8,000
Edith Foster	52–56 Summer street	3	Retail sales	10,000
Frances Welch and George Davis.	58 and 60 Summer street	3	Alterations, store	3,000
Agnes McHugh	15 Surrey street	22	Dwelling	13,000
Muriel Neustadt	126 Taunton avenue	18	Dwelling	11,000
John O'Neil	4 Summer street	20	Dwelling	8,000
Theodore Carroll	48 Thomas park	7	Alterations, dwelling	2
Boston Edison Company	178 and 179 Tremont street.	3	Alterations, offices	5,500
Flax Realty	6 Viking street	18	Dwelling	8,000
Flax Realty	9 Viking street	18	Dwelling	8,000
A. Ehrenxeller Inc	329 Washington street	14	Alterations, engineering office	7,600
Gaetano Minesteri	265 and 267 West street	18	Dwelling	20,000
Ralph Mann, jr	19 West Cedar street	5	Alterations, dwelling	4,000
William McKenney	92 Westchester road	19	Dwelling	11,000
Frederick Beale	40 Winthrop street	18	Alterations, dwelling	30,000
Cote Motor	270 Talbot avenue	17	Auto repair	30,000
William Walsh Post	10 Dunbar avenue	17	Dwelling	32,000
J. F. Durant	59 Sherbook street	20	Dwelling	10,000
Brook Federal Loan	216 Brooks street	1	Alterations, dwelling	250
Joseph Classof	190 Bunker Hill street	2	Alterations, dwelling	205
Stop & Shop Inc	420 D street	6	Alterations, warehouse	350
Abraham Goldman	34 Columbia road	14	Alterations, dwelling	525
Michael Kelly	823 East Third street	6	Alterations, dwelling	100
Ida Cassalee	27 East Glenwood street	18	Take-down, vacant barn	100
Franklin Square Home	11 East Newton street	8	Alterations, dwelling	880
J. O. Sullivan	485 East Seventh street	7	Alterations, dwelling	850
William Rice	10 High street	3	Alterations, office	995
Margaret O'Connell	29 High street	2	Alterations, dwelling	295
Selwyn Cohen	95 High street	3	Alterations, sales	250
Selwyn Cohen	95 and 97 High street	3	Alterations, sales	250
Lavinia Cummings	19 Larchmont street	17	Alterations, dwelling	360
Gertrude Chambers	79 Lonsdale street	16	Alterations, dwelling	700
Christina White	62 Myrtlebank avenue;	16	Alterations, dwelling	500
John Porter	18 Neponset avenue	16	Alterations, dwelling	1,500
Mabel Ohrenberger	372 Neponset avenue	14	Alterations, dwelling	335
Joseph DiDio	296 Norfolk street	14	Alterations, dwelling	400
St. Leonard Church	31 Prince street	3	Alterations, church	975
A. Siggese	179 Princeton street	1	Alterations, dwelling	950
Luigi Abbruzzese	115 St. Andrew road	1	Alterations, dwelling	575
Richard Bushlow	40 Spencer street	17	Alterations, dwelling	150
Michael Pelosi	317 Summer street	1	Alterations, dwelling	200
Mary McCarthy	10 Taft street	13	Alterations, dwelling	200
Margaret O'Malley	12 Taft street	13	Alterations, dwelling	150
John Christerson	29 Templeton street	16	Alterations, dwelling	200
Beatrice Stark	1770 Washington street	8	Alterations, dwelling	425
A. J. Bidorinn	116 Westchester road	19	Alterations, dwelling	2
Harold Breare	50 Barry street	15	Alterations, dwelling	640
Vincent Statuti	11 Breed street	1	Alterations, dwelling	150
Robert Hanlon	26 Brook avenue	8	Alterations, dwelling	200
P. Petrovski	102 Buttonwood street	7	Alterations, dwelling	200
Charles Levine	55 Clarkson street	15	Alterations, dwelling	985
S. Zilen	2271 Dorchester avenue	17	Alterations, dwelling	475
Elizabeth DeBiase	44 Gates street	7	Alterations, dwelling	200
Robert Padducci	3 Gay street	9	Alterations, dwelling	175
Russian Orthodox Church	15 Howard avenue	13	Alterations, dwelling	300
Rockland Atlas Bank	25 Kilby street	3	Alterations, dwelling	450
Mabel Bates	100 Lawn street	10	Alterations, dwelling	500
Joseph Bruini	10 Mitchell street	7	Alterations, dwelling	850
Louis Maister	19 Nightingale street	14	Alterations, dwelling	400
John Triolo	91 Northampton street	8	Alterations, dwelling	700
P. Maloney	260 Parker Hill avenue	10	Alterations, dwelling	400
Laster Werman	1212 River street	18	Alterations, dwelling	375
Lowell Yancy	71 Savin street	12	Alterations, dwelling	300
State, Inc.	92 State street	3	Alterations, dwelling	300
Quincy & Company	84–90 Sudbury street	3	Alterations, dwelling	250
Quincy & Company	96–102 Sudbury street	3	Alterations, dwelling	250
Richard Mints	104–110 Sudbury street	3	Alterations, dwelling	250
Rice Building Trust	134–138 Summer street	3	Alterations, sign	950
William Mee	49 Train street	16	Alterations, dwelling	500
Beal Brothers Company	10 Tremont street	3	Alterations, dwelling	500
Harry Reis	307 Washington street	3	Alterations, sign	200
Stanley Steele	800 Washington street	3	Alterations, dwelling	650
Max Gopin	1357 Washington street	3	Alterations, dwelling	150
T. Leer	3 Winthrop street	2	Alterations, dwelling	300
T. Leer	5 Winthrop street	2	Alterations, dwelling	300
T. Leer	7 Winthrop street	2	Alterations, dwelling	300
T. Leer	9 Winthrop street	2	Alterations, dwelling	300
Charles Tanck	26 Woodley avenue	20	Alterations, dwelling	9,600
Eastern Gas & Fuel	140 Abattoir road	22	Hoist house	700
Edward Callahan	27 Adelaide street	19	Alterations, dwelling	500
Rolland Perkins	49 Alleyne street	20	Garage	862.32
Anthony Viafora	433 Beech street	18	Garage	825
William Murphy	199 and 201 Bigelow street	22	Dwelling	12,000
Carl Murdoch	7 Franklin street	18	Dwelling	9,000
Louis Freeman	185 Hackensack road	20	Dwelling	12,000
Samuel Freeman	189 Hackensack road	20	Dwelling	14,000
Mary Dionizio	143 L street	7	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Elena Caviani	729 LaGrange street	20	Alterations, dwelling	325
John Coleman	107 Lonsdale street	16	Alterations, dwelling	2
Mr. McGrath	17 Manthorne road	20	Alterations, dwelling	900
Mario Corsi	89 Maryknoll street	18	Dwelling	9,331
Paul Gardella	133 Mt. Vernon street	5	Alterations, dwelling	2
Daniel Madigan	63 Oakland street	22	Alterations, dwelling	350
Joseph Bergen	90 Richmond street	17	Alterations, dwelling	350
Joseph Fram	425 River street	18	Dwelling	9,000
H. Perry	585 Washington street	3	Alterations, restaurant	10,000
Paine Furniture Company	81 Arlington street	5	Alterations, dwelling	1,800
William Alexander	23 Braddock park	4	Alterations, dwelling	400
E. T. Ryan Iron Works	20 Braintree street	22	Alterations, offices	800
B. & W. Railway	4 Broadway	5	Sign, cafe	100
Bern Mann Company	25 Buick street	21	Alterations, office	900
William Mangano	12 Chesterton street	8	Alterations, dwelling	700
Thomas English	112–118 Emerson street	6	Sign, restaurant	900
J. Dunkells	33 Havelock street	14	Alterations, dwelling	1,900

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING AUGUST 16.—Concluded.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Joe Burke	12 I street	6	Alterations, dwelling	$450
Leroy Burris	62 Julian street	13	Alterations, dwelling	175
Leroy Burris	64 and 66 Julian street	13	Alterations, dwelling	175
Joseph Najin	96 Lawn street	10	Alterations, dwelling	600
James Sullivan	1082 Morton street	17	Alterations, dwelling	250
Nunzioto Rufo	29 Snow street	22	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Mildred Jones	1 Swift terrace	1	Alterations, dwelling	180
Frederick Trotter	8 Thorn street	17	Alterations, dwelling	600
Timothy Keating	178 Thornton street	9	Alterations, dwelling	402
Temple of Christ Church	101 Warwick street	9	Refreshment stand	200
Paul Nukas	62 Ashmont street	17	Alterations, dwelling	600
Boston Terminal Company	20 Atlantic avenue	3	Alterations, offices, chapel	250
A. Lane	118 Barnes avenue	1	Alterations, dwelling	950
Boston University	226 Bay State road	21	Alterations, dwelling, offices	275
Boston University	232 Bay State road	21	Alterations, dwelling	850
Boston University	236 Bay State road	21	Alterations, offices, classrooms	475
Vito Viola	325 Border street	1	Alterations, dwelling	325
Gorsam Realty	121 Brookline avenue	21	Excavate	500
J. Donahue	28 Bunker Hill street	2	Alterations, store	50
Concetta Ricciadi	287 Chelsea street	1	Alterations, dwelling	100
I. Avellino	62 Clare avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	600
Dave Finn	57 Commonwealth avenue	5	Alterations, dwelling	200
Dave Finn	176 Commonwealth avenue	5	Alterations, dwelling	100
Paul Bromley	208 Commonwealth avenue	5	Alterations, dwelling	600
Stop & Shop	377–401 D street	7	Alterations, store, office	8,000
Max Knopp	55 Dale street	12	Alterations, dwelling	650
Alfred Ellis	81 Fenwood street	10	Alterations, dwelling	650
John Malborosa	22 Fleet street	3	Alterations, dwelling, store	450
Loretta O'Brien	238 Fuller street	17	Alterations, dwelling	353
Philip Rosen	21 Geneva avenue	14	Alterations, dwelling	500
John Prayder	126 Keystone street	20	Alterations, dwelling	200
Ray Guiod	78 Kittredge street	18	Alterations, dwelling	975
Isaac Sagansky	101 Lawrence avenue	14	Alterations, dwelling	475
Harry Wyllie	58 Leonard street	16	Alterations, dwelling	100
Lewis Wharf Company	29–40 Lewis Wharf	3	Alterations, warehouse	450
Francis Mahoney	16 Manthorne road	20	Alterations, dwelling	300
G. Lombardo	32 Montmorenci avenue	1	Alterations, dwelling	100
Estate, Caroline Gove	153 Newbury street	5	Alterations, dwelling	255
T. Popkin	204 Northampton street	9	Alterations, dwelling	100
David Nevil	5 Rockway street	18	Alterations, dwelling	390
George Wissen	24 Sagamore street	13	Alterations, dwelling	287
George Call	28 Verdun street	16	Alterations, dwelling	437
Wilma Malone	97 Victory road	16	Alterations, dwelling	225
Charles Goldstein	209 Washington street	3	Alterations, store, office	950
Nickolas Sampson	11 Whitten street	16	Alterations, dwelling	500
Thomas Mulvey	10 Winchester terrace	19	Excavate	300

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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a week; Virginia Hobart, 64 Northampton street, hospital kitchen worker, $50.50 a week; Mary F. O'Neill, 73 Fletcher street, Roslindale, laboratory technician, $60.50 a week; Ruth Stevens, 1515 Veterans of Foreign Wars Parkway, West Roxbury, Helen Crandall, 28 Fairview avenue, Malden, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour; Dorothy Johnson, 70 Burbank street, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Alice Silva, 194 Beacon street, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour.

Temporary.—John H. Wallace, 928 Parker street, Jamaica Plain, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; Mary L. Sheehan, 232 La Grange street, West Roxbury, clerk-typist, $43 a week; Winifred Gibbons, 19 Barna road, Dorchester, clerk-typist, $35.50 a week; Margaret S. Fullerton, 108 Westville street, Dorchester, Josephine Trippe, 80 Orleans street, East Boston, floor nurses, $60.50 a week; Mary Ann Marnell, hospital medical worker, dropped in error, August 2.

Long Island Division.

The following changes have been made for the week ending August 3:

Terminations.—Margaret B. Lane, head nurse; Osamu J. Inashima, head pharmacist, emergency; John J. Murphy, attendant nurse.

Leave of Absence.—Catherine Regan, hospital kitchen worker.

Change of Name.—Grace E. Anderson, attendant nurse, to Grace E. Carroll.

Appointments.

Health Department.

William B. Markham, Jr., 32 Greenwich street, Roxbury, public health dentist, $80 a week.

Hospital Department.

Long Island Division.

Thomas E. Shea, 17 Adanac terrace, Dorchester, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Penal Institutions Department.

House of Correction.

Rev. E. Spencer Gilley, 269 Washington avenue, Chelsea, chaplain, $37.60 a week.

Robert W. Greatorex, Jr., 61 Lawrence street, Charlestown, correction officer, $63 a week.

Rev. James H. Joyce, Cardinal O'Connell Seminary, 350 South Huntington avenue, Jamaica Plain, resident chaplain, $58 a week.

Veterans' Services Department.

Rita F. O'Neil, 36 Alexander street, Dorchester, senior settlement clerk, $60.50 a week.

Welfare Department.

Central Office.

Winifred L. Hoyt, 33 Revere street, social worker, $65.50 a week.

Bessie A. Jupiter, 88 Exeter street, clerk, $43 a week.

Temporary Home.

Dollie Scully, 41 Chardon street, cook, $43 a week (with maintenance).

Appointments or Reinstatements.

Administrative Services Department.

Printing Section.

Frances Moloney, 5 Concord avenue, Cambridge, monotype keyboard operator, $96.25 a week.

Clinton E. West, 48 Oxford avenue, Belmont, monotype caster operator, $96.25 a week.

Raymond Rourke, 290 East Ninth street, South Boston, monotype caster operator, $96.25 a week.

Bert F. Huff, 47 Lynde street, monotype keyboard operator, $96.25 a week.

Francis Burns, 7 Wadsworth street, Allston, clerk, $43 a week.

Hospital Department.

Main Division.

Lois Powers, 48 Rosewood street, Mattapan, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Sheila P. Fennessey, 9 Whittemore street, West Roxbury, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Janet Doherty, 26 Telegraph street, South Boston, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Janet Meltzer, 25 Lawrence avenue, Roxbury, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Ann Connolly, 807 East Third street, South Boston, clerk and typist, part time, $35.50 a week.

Margaret Connolly, 302 Ward street, South Boston, clerk and typist, part time, $35.50 a week.

James F. May, 9 Moultrie street, Dorchester, plumber, $60.50 a week.

Madeline T. Roach, 243 Princeton street, medical social worker, $65.50 a week.

Catherine Powers, 129 West Eagle street, East Boston, supervising nurse, $80 a week.

Long Island Division.

William G. O'Neill, 19 Ellery street, South Boston, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Ann M. O'Donnell, 91 Dix street, Dorchester, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Parks and Recreation Department.

Cemetery Division.

Edward J. McDonald, 14 Day street, Jamaica Plain, grave digger, $53 a week.

John J. Flannery, Jr., 48 Carruth street, Dorchester, grave digger, $53 a week.

Jeremiah Lyons, 29 Parker street, Charlestown, third-class stationary engineer, $63 a week.

Gerald F. O'Leary, 577 East Eighth street, South Boston, lifeguard, $50.50 a week.

Public Works Department.

Water Division.

Mary Mahoney, 815 Centre street, Jamaica Plain, clerk and stenographer, $43 a week.

Welfare Department.

Central Office.

Maryland Maddox, 53 Humboldt avenue, Roxbury, social worker, $65.50 a week.

Promotions.

Boston Traffic Commission.

Thomas F. Melia, 87 Murdock street, Brighton, from working foreman, traf-

fic sign maintenance man at $70.50 a week to working foreman, spray painter, (temporary) at $73 a week.

James J. McGrail, 15 Buswell street, from traffic sign maintenance man at $63 a week to spray painter (temporary) at $65.50 a week.

Thomas H. McAleney, 7 Delano street, Dorchester, from working foreman, traffic sign maintenance man, at $70.50 a week to working foreman, spray painter (temporary), at $73 a week.

John J. Dillon, 429 Nahatan street, Norwood, from traffic sign maintenance man at $63 a week to spray painter (temporary) at $65.50 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Edward F. Byrne, 97 Union Park street, from head clerk at $83.50 a week to head administrative clerk (temporary) at $103.50 a week.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

House of Correction.

Andrew A. R. Puzzo, Deer Island, from correction officer at $76.50 a week to correction officer and receiver (temporary) at $80 a week.

John J. Sullivan, 11A Albion street, Roxbury, from correction officer and receiver at $80 a week to deputy master (temporary) at $83.50 a week.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

John H. Flanagan, 62 River street, Forest Hills, from second-class stationary engineer at $83.50 a week to chief power plant engineer at $90.50 a week.

VETERANS' SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Cornelius J. Connolly, 1597 Tremont street, Roxbury, from clerk and typist at $48 a week to senior clerk (temporary) at $55.50 a week.

Changes in Status.

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Nora M. Fahey, 10 Clifford street, Hyde Park, from senior clerk and typist at $65.50 a week to assessment recorder (temporary, 3 months) at $68 a week.

BOSTON RETIREMENT BOARD.

Joseph J. Grifone, 434 Meridian street, East Boston, from senior accounting machine operator at $58 a week to senior account clerk (temporary, 6 months) at $58 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Helen L. Sullivan, 19 Alberta street, West Roxbury, from head administrative clerk (temporary) at $103.50 a week to head clerk (temporary) at $83.50 a week.

Helen M. Bowen, 14 St. Martin street, Charlestown, from principal clerk and typist (temporary) at $76.50 a week to principal clerk and typist at $76.50 a week.

Norma F. MacDonald, 34 Wrentham street, Dorchester, from senior clerk and typist at $63 a week to principal statistical machine operator (temporary) at $65.50 a week.

Martha M. Goldrick, 22 McBride street, Jamaica Plain, from cashier (temporary) at $68 a week to cashier at $68 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Clinton A. Steadman, 24 Dracut street, Dorchester, from hospital house worker at $50.50 a week to plumber's helper at $53 a week.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM PLUMBING FOR THE WEEK ENDING AUGUST 16.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
W. Hogan	292 Beacon street	5	Fixtures	$500
M. Frank	531 Beacon street	5	Fixtures	500
H. Abrams	636 Beacon street	5	Fixtures	1,800
A. Casaletto	404 Bremen street	1	Fixtures	500
T. Cunningham	1764A Centre street	20	Fixtures	250
D. Weinstein	35 Eldon street	14	Fixtures	500
T. Matthews	206 Eustis street	8	Fixtures	1,100
W. Cooper	18 Mascot street	14	Fixtures	1,300
A. Burns	85 Savin street	12	Fixtures	100
S. Slavet	47 Shetland street	8	Fixtures	400
D. Weinstein	20 Theodora street	14	Fixtures	75
S. Robbins	1272 Tremont street	9	Fixtures	2,000
A. Milligan	630 V. F. W. Parkway	20	Fixtures	1,000
S. Slavet	159 Wilmington avenue	17	Fixtures	700
S. Litman	8 Folsom street	13	Fixtures	650
E. Miller	12 Henley street	2	Fixtures	75
H. Hinckley	25 Holbrook street	19	Fixtures	130
M. Wallen	236 Manchester street	17	Fixtures	950
M. Wallen	240 Manchester street	17	Fixtures	9
J. Vangi	41A McLean street	3	Fixtures	45
F. DeFilippi	94 Newfield street	20	Fixtures	950
H. Hinckley	29 Oriole street	20	Fixtures	175
G. Peterson	25 Robinson street	15	Fixtures	500
E. Rothenberg	59 Queensberry street	5	Fixtures	300
A. Burns	270 Talbot avenue	17	Fixtures	100
T. Feeley	826 Beacon street	21	Fixtures	2,000
A. Kellem	351 Commonwealth avenue	5	Fixtures	4,500
P. Riley	818 Harrison avenue	8	Fixtures	750
D. McDonald	26 Oakmere street	20	Fixtures	100
E. Carlson	75 Russett road	20	Fixtures	200
A. Milligan	11 Addington road	20	Fixtures	900
H. Beaulieu	9 Arcola street	10	Fixtures	250
J. Henderson	1153 Centre street	19	Fixtures	800
B. Gold	22 Derry road	18	Fixtures	750
W. Hogan	18 Francis street	10	Fixtures	300
A. Shulman	159 Gallivan Boulevard	17	Fixtures	800
E. Parad	139 Mt. Hope street	18	Fixtures	1,800
L. Marchant	83 Summer street	3	Fixtures	500
L. Marchant	83 Summer street	3	Fixtures	400
A. Milligan	31 Sunset Hill road	20	Fixtures	1,000
W. Collings	765 American Legion H'way.	18	Fixtures	200
A. Farley	336 Centre street	10	Fixtures	150
K. Boden	31 Charles street	5	Fixtures	750
J. Woodacre	40 Chickatawbut street	16	Fixtures	200
P. Russo	43 Chittick road	18	Fixtures	290
B. Porte	111 Commonwealth avenue	5	Fixtures	480
R. Fleigelman	347 Congress street	6	Fixtures	500
E. Phillips	41 Kimball street	15	Fixtures	200
S. Landau	8 Kneeland street	3	Fixtures	250
D. Greenwood	95 Russett road	20	Fixtures	600
W. Collings	19 Tappan street	20	Fixtures	200

Paul Peter D'Angelo, 977 Washington street, Dorchester, from hospital medical worker at $50.50 a week to ambulance and medical aid man (temporary, 6 months) at $53 a week.

Julia Collins, 7 Bloomington street, Dorchester, from clerk and typist at $52.95 a week to senior clerk and typist (temporary) at $55.50 a week.

Tyler W. Cobb, 20 Bataan court, Roxbury, from hospital house worker at $50.50 a week to steamfitter's helper at $53 a week.

Nora H. Ralph, 19 Vista street, Roslindale, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior clerk and typist (temporary) at $55.50 a week.

James F. Flaherty, 39 South Munroe terrace, Dorchester, from hospital medical worker at $48 a week to senior X-ray technician (temporary, 6 months) at $58 a week.

Edward H. Kass, M.D., Boston City Hospital. from assistant physician at $4,764 a year to assistant physician at $6,500 a year.

Norman J. Selverstone, M.D., Thorndoke Memorial Laboratory, from assistant physician at $3,764 a year to assistant physician at $5,000 a year.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Automotive Division.

Andrew C. Kane, 7 Monument square, Charlestown, from senior clerk and typist (temporary) at $55.50 a week to senior clerk and typist at $55.50 a week.

Bridge Division.

William W. Skelly, 78 West Cottage street, Dorchester, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week to motor equipment operator and laborer at $65.50 a week (while operating in motor pool).

Highway Division.

John P. Toohey, 157 Roxbury street, Roxbury, from laborer at $53 a week to motor equipment operator and laborer (temporary) at $55.50 a week.

Alfonse J. Raso, 71 Marion street, East Boston, from laborer at $58 a week to motor equipment operator and laborer (temporary) at $60.50 a week.

Leo J. Peterson, 131 Gardner street, West Roxbury, from laborer at $50.50 a week to motor equipment operator and laborer (temporary) at $53 a week.

John J. Carey, 189 Eustis street, from laborer at $50.50 a week to motor equipment operator and laborer (temporary) at $53 a week.

Transfers.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

Coleman F. Nee, Jr., 785 Huntington avenue, Roxbury, from House of Correction (State Prison) as correction officer at $70.11 a week to Penal Institutions Department (House of Correction) as correction officer at $68 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Joseph Briana, 601 East Fifth street, South Boston, from Public Works Department (Sanitary Division) as carpenter at $68 a week to Public Works Department (Water Division) as carpenter at $68 a week.

John Devlin, 23 Miami avenue, West Roxbury, from Public Works Department (Water Division) as carpenter at $70.50 a week to Public Works Department (Bridge Division) as carpenter at $70.50 a week.

Step-Rate Increases.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Mary E. Feeney, senior clerk-typist, from $274.05 to $284.93 a month.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Mary U. Connell, senior clerk and typist, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

William F. McOsker, clerk and typist, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Sanatorium Division.

James Thompson, senior clerk, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Marie Collins, relief telephone operator, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Francis Hart, principal storekeeper, from $87 to $90.50 a week.

Dr. Walter Collins, senior staff physician, from $98.75 to $103.50 a week.

John Kotyo, licensed attendant nurse, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Pauline Keenan, graduate nurse, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Mary Ann O'Toole, registered graduate nurse, part time, from $1.60 to $1.65 an hour.

Daniel Callaghan, hospital medical worker, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Helen Hanley, hospital medical worker, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

William Donnelly, hospital kitchen worker, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

Helen Stone, hospital laundry worker, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

House of Correction.

Dennis J. Corbett, correction officer, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

John A. Marenghi, correction officer, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Highway Division.

James Foran, highway construction inspector, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

John Fyfe, highway construction inspector, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

John McDonald, highway construction inspector, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Patrick Dillon, permanent intermittent highway construction inspector, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Paul Morgan, highway construction inspector, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Horace Doto, permanent intermittent highway construction inspector, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Robert Doherty, permanent intermittent highway construction inspector, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Joseph Merithew, permanent intermittent highway construction inspector, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Salvatore Cravotta, highway construction inspector, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Frank W. DeMarino, highway construction inspector, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

William J. Kennedy, highway construction inspector, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Joseph L. Hachey, encroachment investigator, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Water Division.

Timothy F. O'Leary, laborer, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

Armand R. Pellegrini, laborer, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

Carmine Salvucci, water service maintenanceman, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

John W. Savage, water service repairman, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Edmund W. Holmes, first assistant collector-treasurer, from $141.50 to $146.25 a week.

Henry J. Phinn, second assistant collector-treasurer, from $127.25 to $132 a week.

Patricia A. Cotter, senior statistical machine operator, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Peter H. Rogers, second assistant collector-treasurer, from $122.50 to $127.25 a week.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

SUPERIOR CRIMINAL COURT.

Mary Jane Rogers, clerk, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Civil Business.

Marguerite Rosa, clerk, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

BOSTON JUVENILE COURT.

Virginia M. Lordan, clerk, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

VETERANS' RETIREMENTS.

The Mayor has approved the following veterans' applications for retirement:

Albert Packard Kingman, Allen road, North Easton, hospital laborer, Long Island Hospital Division, Hospital Department.

Joseph H. Dashner, 84 Winthrop street, Roxbury, fire fighter, Engine Company 13, Fire Department.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award the contracts for work, materials, and supplies, in accordance with recommendations of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Purchasing Division.

Upon July 14 the Mayor approved a contract with Seagrave Corporation for furnishing to the Fire Department two tractor-drawn 100-foot steel aerial ladder trucks at the prices indicated on the accompanying tabulation. Approximate total amount of contract was $86,160, net.

Bids, opened July 14, were as follows:

Fire Apparatus.

Two Tractor-Drawn, 100-Foot, Steel Aerial Ladder Trucks, As Per Specifications and Drawing, Which Are Made a Part of the Proposal.

List Price, Each, Delivered.—American-LaFrance Corporation, $42,000; Peter Pirsch & Sons Company, No. 1, $39,546, No. 2, $41,611, No. 3, $38,846; Seagrave Corporation, $43,959.

Less Discount.—Peter Pirsch & Sons Company, Nos. 1, 2, 3, net; Seagrave Corporation, net.

Net Total Delivered Price (2 Trucks).—American-LaFrance Corporation, $84,000; Peter Pirsch & Sons Company, No. 1, $79,092, No. 2, $83,282, No. 3, $77,692; Seagrave Corporation, $86,160.*

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—American-LaFrance Corporation, 200 calender days; Peter Pirsch & Sons Company, 160 working days after receipt of contract on all three bids; Seagrave Corporation, 120 working days after approval of plans.

* Contract awarded.

Upon July 20 the Mayor approved a contract with E. L. LeBaron Foundry Company for furnishing cast-iron castings (service pipe stock) to the Water Division of the Public Works Department. Approximate total amount of contract was $6,670, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids, opened July 12, were as follows:

46,000 Pounds Cast-Iron Castings, Service Pipe Stock, Per Pound.—Mechanics Iron Foundry Company, 17 cents; E. L. LeBaron Foundry Company, 14.5 cents*; Pioneer Foundry & Manufacturing Company, Inc., 16.25 cents.

Discount.—Mechanics Iron Foundry Company, net; E. L. LeBaron Foundry Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Pioneer Foundry & Manufacturing Company, Inc., net, 30 days.

* Contract awarded.

Upon August 4 the Mayor approved a contract with Boston Mailing Corporation for binding 1955 voting lists for the Election Department. Approximate total amount of contract was $3,914.93, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids, opened July 26, were as follows:

Item 1. Bind 4,640 Copies of the Descriptive Voting List, As Per Specifications, Each.—Boston Mailing Corporation, 3 cents*; George Coleman Bookbindery Company, Inc., $28.50 per M.

Item 2. Bind 63,510 Copies of the Nondescriptive Voting List, As Per Specifications, Each.—Boston Mailing Corporation, 4.75 cents*; George Coleman Bookbindery Company, Inc., $60 per M.

Item 3. Bind 22 Ring Books, As Per Specifications, Each.—Boston Mailing Corporation, $15*; George Coleman Bookbindery Company, Inc., $15.50.

Item 4. Cut, Paste and Bind 22 Workman's Patent, As Per Specifications, Each.—Boston Mailing Corporation, $19.50*; George Coleman Bookbindery Company, Inc., $20.

Discount.—Boston Mailing Corporation, 2 per cent, time of payment; George Coleman Bookbindery Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment.

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—Boston Mailing Corporation, all items, as required by the City of Boston Printing Department; George Coleman Bookbindery Company, Inc., complete job in approximately 40 working days.

* Contract awarded.

Upon August 15 the Mayor approved a contract with Cobb Lumber Company, Inc., for furnishing spruce lumber to the Water Division of the Public Works Department. Approximate total amount of contract was $1,064, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids, opened August 1, were as follows:

Spruce Lumber.

Item 1. 3,000 Feet 2-Inch x 8-Inch x 16-Foot Spruce, Rough, Merchantable,

Eastern, Per M Board Feet.—Barney & Carey Company, $114.25; Cobb Lumber Company, Inc., $112*; General Builders Supply Company, $114.40; Massachusetts Lumber Company, $116.90.

Item 2. 3,000 Feet 2-Inch x 6-Inch x 16-Foot Spruce, Rough, Merchantable, Eastern, Per M Board Feet.—Barney & Carey Company, $114.25; Cobb Lumber Company, Inc., $112*; General Builders Supply Company, $114.40; Massachusetts Lumber Company, $116.90.

Item 3. 2,000 Feet 2-Inch x 3-Inch x 16-Foot Spruce, Rough, Merchantable, Eastern, Per M Board Feet.—Barney & Carey Company, $114.25; Cobb Lumber Company, Inc., $112*; General Builders Supply Company, $114.40; Massachusetts Lumber Company, $116.90.

Item 4. 1,500 Feet 1-Inch x 6-Inch x 16-Foot Spruce, Rough, Merchantable, Eastern, Per M Board Feet.—Barney & Carey Company, $114.25; Cobb Lumber Company, Inc., $112*; General Builders Supply Company, $114.40; Massachusetts Lumber Company, $116.90.

Discount.—Barney & Carey Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Cobb Lumber Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; General Builders Supply Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Massachusetts Lumber Company, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—Barney & Carey Company, upon receipt of order; Cobb Lumber Company, Inc., immediate; General Builders Supply Company, 10 days; Massachusetts Lumber Company, at once.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon August 15 the Mayor approved a contract with Boston China and Equipment Company for furnishing dishwashing machines to the Boston City Hospital. Approximate total amount of contract was $2,497.50, less ½ per cent for payment within 15 days.

Bids, opened July 28, were as follows:

Dishwashing Machines.

Five Hobart, Model SM5, or Equal, Dishwashers, Delivered Complete, Each.—Boston China and Equipment Company, $499.50*; Boston Showcase Company, $575; H. M. Faust Company, $584.40; Peters & Co., Inc., $606.87, alternate, $557; Thompson-Winchester Company, Inc., $568.

Make and Model Bid Upon.—Boston China and Equipment Company, Universal, Model B; Boston Showcase Company, Hobart, SM5, stainless steel, H. M. Faust Company, Hobart, SM5; Peters & Co., Inc., Hobart, SM5, alternate, Champion, T5; Thompson-Winchester Company, Inc., Hobart, SM5, stainless steel.

Earliest Delivery After Receipt of Order.—Boston China and Equipment Company, immediate, 30 days; Boston Showcase Company, six weeks; H. M. Faust Company, approximately six weeks after receipt of order; Peters & Co., Inc., six weeks from receipt of order; Thompson-Winchester Company, Inc., approximately four weeks.

Discount.—Boston China and Equipment Company, ½ per cent, 15 days; Boston Showcase Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; H. M. Faust Company, net, 30 days, no discount; Thompson-Winchester Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon August 15 the Mayor approved a contract with American Sterilizer Company for furnishing one operating table to the Boston City Hospital. Approximate total amount of contract was $2,044.75, net.

Bid, opened July 28, was as follows:

One Surgical Operating Table, Model 1080, or Equal, with Pump and Stainless Steel Base, to Include Anesthesia Screen, Shoulder Supports with Sponge Rubber Pads, Short and Long Lateral Supports on Body Elevator, Leather Wristlets and Brackets, Foot Extension, Stainless Steel Table Top 20 Inches Wide, Foam Rubber Table Pad, 2-Inch Conductive Cover, 1301 Adams Roger Arm Board with Sponge Rubber Pad, Clark Knee Crutch Socket to Take Mayo Stand, Delivered Complete.—American Sterilizer Company, $2,044.75, net, delivery date, 30 days.

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Upon August 15 the Mayor approved a contract with lowest bidders as indicated for furnishing general clothing to Penal Institutions Department, Deer Island. Samples of the various items were submitted to Deer Island. Approximate total amounts of awards were as follows:

Contract for Barnet Zelmyer, doing business as Zelmar Mills, $3,982.50, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Order for M. Hoffman & Co., Inc., $750, net.

Bids, opened July 7, were as follows:

General Clothing.

Requisition No. 608.

Item 1. 150 Dozen Crew Neck Heavy-Weight Winter Undershirts, As Specified, Per Dozen.—Hub Apparel, Inc., $12.75; Taylor, Symonds Company, $15; Zelmar Mills, $14.75.*

Item 2. 120 Dozen Winter-Weight Underdrawers, As Specified, Per Dozen.—Hub Apparel, Inc., $12.75; Taylor, Symonds Company, $15, elastic waist, $15.50, three-button front; Zelmar Mills, $14.75.*

Requisition No. 610.

Item 3. 200 Blue Denim Jackets, Blanket Lined, As Specified, Each.—M. Hoffman & Co., Inc., $4, Union Made in Boston, $3.75, alternate, Union Made in Boston; Taylor, Symonds Company, $4.

Discount.—M. Hoffman & Co., Inc., net; Hub Apparel, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Taylor, Symonds Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Zelmar Mills, 2 per cent, time of payment.

* Contract awarded.

BOSTON HOUSING AUTHORITY.

Upon August 16 the Mayor approved a contract with Bonded Contractors for asphalt shingle roofing and related work on wood frame houses at River street, Mattapan. These buildings have been sold to veterans and it is a requirement of the Veterans' Administration that this work be completed. Bids, opened August 1, were as follows:

Bonded Contractors, $2,410.15; Flynn Roofing and Sheet Metal Works, $2,914; F. C. Dolan & Sons, $3,450; Mann-Murphy Construction Company, $3,480; Paul Raboin & Sons, $3,991; Martin J. Kelly Co., Inc., $4,820.

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Upon August 16 the Mayor approved a contract with Martin J. Kelly Company, Inc., for installation of forty-three counter tops in kitchens of certain houses at the River Street Development, Mattapan. These buildings have been sold to veterans and it is a requirement of the Veterans' Administration that this work be completed. Martin J. Kelly Company, Inc., was the only bidder and his bid was as follows:

Type A, $80; Type B, $85; Type C, $90; Type D, $85; plywood, $4.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Upon August 11 the Mayor approved a contract with Patrick Ross Company for repairing boiler and incinerator masonry in various schools for Districts 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6 in the amount of $37,783. Bids, opened August 8, were as follows:

District 1.—Patrick Ross Company, $9,750; D. Antonellis, Inc., $10,521; J. F. Stack & Co., $11,202.

District 2.—Patrick Ross Company, $4,444; D. Antonellis, Inc., $7,690; J. F. Stack & Co., $7,155.

District 3.—Patrick Ross Company, $2,975; D. Antonellis, Inc., $6,282; J. F. Stack & Co., $5,960.

District 4.—Patrick Ross Company, $7,845; D. Antonellis, Inc., $14,870; J. F. Stack & Co, $15,076.

District 5.—Patrick Ross Company, $5,895; D. Antonellis, Inc., $8,765; J. F. Stack & Co., $8,974.

District 6.—Patrick Ross Company, $6,874; D. Antonellis, Inc., $9,808; J. F. Stack & Co., $9,533.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Upon August 11 the Mayor approved a contract with Rufo Construction Company for bituminous concrete pavement in Alwin street, Ward 18; Cheryl Lane, Ward 18; Stonehill road, Ward 18; and such additional locations, if any, in Ward 18, as may be designated by the Commissioner of Public Works, at an estimated cost of $47,663.88. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed December 31, 1955. The following bids were received August 4:

Rufo Construction Company, $47,663.88; S. J. Tomasello Corporation, $47,983; Faletra Brothers, Inc., $48,429; J. A. Susi & Sons, Inc., $49,199.80; P. V. Barone Corporation, $50,043.70; A. Singarella & Son, $56,144.

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Upon August 17 the Mayor approved a contract with Edward Vozzella for laying water pipes in Beacon street, Lawton street, and Stanbro street, Ward 18; David road, Ward 19; Brook Farm road and Washington street, Ward 20; Soldiers Field road, Ward 22; and such additional locations, if any, in Wards 18, 19, 20, and 22 as may be designated by the Commissioner of Public Works, at an estimated cost of $4,666.25. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed December 31, 1955. The following bids were received August 3:

Edward Vozzella, $4,666.25; John J. Appel, $5,817.50; R. A. Buccella & Sons, Inc., $6,143.75; Joseph Capone & Son, $7,335.

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Upon August 17 the Mayor approved a contract with Joseph Capone & Son for sewerage works in Corman road, Dorchester, and in Lorna road and Lena terrace, Dorchester, at an estimated cost of $14,384, including concrete pipe. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed within sixty days after the contract is signed by the Mayor. The following bids were received August 10:

Including Clay Pipe.—Joseph Capone & Son, Inc., $15,011; Z & S Construction Company, Inc., $16,311; R. A. Buccella & Sons, Inc., $15,342; Edward Vozzella, Inc., $18,164.50.

Including Concrete Pipe.—Joseph Capone & Son, Inc., $14,384; Z & S Con-

struction Company, Inc., $15,684; R. A. Buccella & Sons, Inc., $14,798.20; Edward Vozzella, Inc., $18,164.50.

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Upon August 17 the Mayor approved a contract with Underground Construction Company for sewerage works in Back street, City Proper, at an estimated cost of $39,400. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed within thirty days after the contract is signed by the Mayor. The following bids were received August 9:

Underground Construction, Inc., $39,400; Joseph Capone & Son, $41,975; John J. Botti, $52,250; R. A. Buccella & Sons, Inc., $77,480; P. DiMascio, Inc., $78,570.

Real Property Department.

Upon August 8 the Mayor approved a contract with Paul J. Rogan Company for renovating judges' quarters at the Charlestown Courthouse. Bids were received from three general contractors, with the following results:

Paul J. Rogan Company, $5,985; F. C. Dolan & Son, $4,175; S. J. Kingston, $4,275.

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Upon August 9 the Mayor approved a contract with Joseph P. O'Hearn Company for the removal of defective Taco heaters and tanks and to furnish and install two new heaters and tanks at the Hyde Park Municipal Building. Bids were received from four plumbing and heating contractors, with the following result:

Joseph P. O'Hearn Company, $4,665; P. J. Riley Company, $4,755; James M. McCusker Company, $4,785; Powers & Mchegan Company, $4,920.

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Upon August 17 the Mayor approved a contract with Powers & Mehegan Company for furnishing and installing two new oil burners at the West Roxbury Courthouse. Bids were received from four contractors to install the oil burners at the above building, with the following results:

Powers & Mchegan Company, $2,930; Joseph P. O'Hearn, $3,065; J. M. McCusker Company, $3,160; P. J. Riley Company, $3,189.

A good deal of the work to be performed on the above will have to be at irregular hours due to the Courts being in session and so as not to interfere with the business of same.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

Upon varying dates as indicated the Mayor approved contracts with contractors, commercial houses, and business establishments for furnishing labor, supplies, etc. Communications from heads of departments interested were as follows:

Administrative Services Department.
Purchasing Division.

Boston, August 9, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr Mayor:

The Printing Section of this division is desirous of renting six (6) tape perforators for the period from September 6, 1955, to December 31, 1955, from the Addressograph-Multigraph Corporation. Inasmuch as these perforators are obtainable only from this company, no advantage would be gained by publicly advertising for prices.

Authority is therefore requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to Addressograph-Multigraph Corporation for four months rental of six (6) tape perforators, Model No. 7780. Contract period will be from September 6, 1955, to December 31, 1955. This contract includes full maintenance of the machine by the Addressograph-Multigraph Corporation during the contract period.

Total amount of contract will be $1,918.32, net.

Respectfully yours,

John V. Moran,
Purchasing Agent.

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Boston, August 9, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

The Printing Section of this division is in need of addressograph machines and equipment as specified below. This equipment is obtainable only from the Addressograph-Multigraph Corporation. Prices have been submitted by this company.

Inasmuch as Addressograph-Multigraph Corporation is the manufacturer of the equipment required and since it will be purchased directly from this company, it is my opinion that no advantage would be gained by publicly advertising for prices. Authority is therefore requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to Addressograph-Multigraph Corporation for the following:

3 Class 2000 automatic addressograph machines at $7,387.50 each, $22,162.50.

2 Class 6781 automatic graphotypes at $6,279.10 each, $12,558.20.

1 Class 6381 manual graphotype, $1,468.90.

2 Class 100 proofing addressograph machines at $115.30 each, $230.60.

30 Style SB 133 cabinets, at $352.30 each, $10,566.90.

3 Model 1275 multilith machines at $4,337 each, $13,011.

600,000 Style P Pivoloktav frames, $19,350.

600,000 Style P plates, $5,340

600,000 cards in strip, $270.

2 card cutters, at $28 each, $56.

350,000 selector tabs, $770.

480 rolls tape for Model 7780 tape perforator at 65 cents each, $312.

Total amount of contract, $86,096.10, net, 30 days.

Respectfully yours,

John V. Moran,
Purchasing Agent.

Department of School Buildings.

Boston, August 11, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

On August 10, 1955, your Honor approved a contract with Gledhill Brothers, the low bidder, for items of furniture for installation in the new Curtis Guild School.

We now have determined that we would like to obtain in addition to the materials specified in the contract, certain additional pieces of furniture from this contractor, namely, Gledhill Brothers, 20 woodworking benches at a unit price of $81.75, totaling $1,635, which unit price is the same as that stated in the bidder's original proposal.

Therefore, as the Gledhill Brothers submitted the lowest price for benches it is not felt that advantage is to be gained by additional public advertising and your authorization is respectfully requested to dispense with the same and to amend the contract in the amount of $1,635 to cover the cost of the aforementioned furniture.

As amended, the new total contract sum will be four thousand six hundred and sixty-seven (4,667) dollars.

Respectfully yours,

James H. Mooney,
Superintendent of Construction.

Hospital Department.

Boston, August 5, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

The number of polio patients being received at Boston City Hospital requires that certain recently unused facilities in the South Department be rehabilitated. Some of this work has been done. More work is in progress.

There is urgent need for painting the entire floors of the building housing Wards PP and OO, including the stairhalls of these wards. The corridors of Wards AA and BB and certain ironwork also need painting.

The trustees of the Hospital Department voted today to request your Honor's authorization to dispense with public advertising and to award a contract to the painting firm of Albert D. Howlett Company, 110 Worcester square, Boston, to do this work at an estimated cost of $8,460.

This firm was the low bidder and received a contract for work done previously in the hospital's Children's Building. The work was performed promptly and in a very satisfactory manner.

The present work must be done promptly to prepare these areas for the proper continuing care of polio patients. We are assured that the contractor can do this urgently needed work immediately.

This request to award without advertising is made in view of the pressing needs of our present situation. The delay caused by the solicitation of bids through advertising would not be in the best interest of the care and welfare of these patients.

Respectfully yours,

Richard J. Condon,
President, Board of Trustees.

Real Property Department.

Boston, August 10, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

This department extended invitations to several reputable roofing contractors to submit bids for roofing work at the Dorchester Courthouse.

Bids were received from three roofing contractors to submit bids for roofing work at the building with the following result:

B. Feneno Company, 213 Camden street, Roxbury, $6,390; H. A. Smith & Co., 39 Rochester street, Boston, $6,436; John F. Shea & Co., 41 Hollingsworth street, Mattapan, $6,532.

A good deal of the work to be performed on the above will have to be at

irregular hours due to the court being in session and so as not to interfere with the business of same. In view of this fact, and in view that nothing could be gained by publicly advertising as the low bidders estimate is a very fair one, I respectfully request permission be granted to award a contract to the B. Feneno Company, 213 Camden street, Roxbury, in the sum of six thousand three hundred and ninety (6,390) dollars.

Respectfully yours,

George P. Donovan,
Assistant Commissioner.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

Public Works Department.

Park Construction Company has been directed to perform the following extra work under the contract for construction of office building and garage at Arborway and Forest Hills street, dated January 5, 1955:

Paint all masonry surfaces not covered in the contract.

Estimated cost of extra work, $567.

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Baker & Co., Inc., have been directed to perform the following extra work under the contract for bituminous concrete pavement in Bowdoin avenue, St. William street, and South Munroe terrace, dated June 29, 1955:

In Bowdoin avenue, furnish and construct seven concrete steps (3 feet long and 1 foot wide) where directed, including labor, material, and equipment, at $5 per linear foot.

Estimated cost of extra work, $105.

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John J. Amara & Sons have been directed to perform the following extra work under the contract for artificial stone, bituminous concrete sidewalks, edgestone and roadway repairs for hurricane damage in various locations in the city, dated May 31, 1955:

Set edgestone (furnished by the City of Boston) in the following districts for the sum of $1 per linear foot:

Paving District No. 6, 44 linear feet; Paving District No. 9, 12 linear feet; Paving District No. 12, 103 linear feet; total, 159 linear feet.

Estimated cost of extra work, $159.

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Works Department for the following construction work:

A 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer, 12-inch pipe surface drain (spur), and two catch basins and connections in Belnap road, between Leighton road and Eastmont road, in the Hyde Park district, at an estimated cost of $5,700.

Three drop inlets and connections and convert three catch basins to manhole tops in Dock square, in the Boston Proper district, at an estimated cost of $1,500.

A 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer, 10-inch pipe surface drain in Corman street, between 120 feet northeast of Cummins Highway and 240 feet northeasterly (to existing sewer), in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of $4,100.

A 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer, 12-inch pipe surface drain in Lorna road, between Lena terrace and 730 feet southwesterly, in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of $14,500.

To rebuild sewer and surface drain in Back street, between Exeter street and Embankment road, in the City Proper district, at an estimated cost of $45,000.

A 12-inch and 15-inch pipe surface drain, 18 catch basins and connections in Mt. Vernon street, between William Morrissey Boulevard and dead end, in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of $20,000.

A 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer, 12-inch pipe surface drain, and four catch basins and connections in Joan road, between Leighton road and Dodge road, in the Hyde Park district, at an estimated cost of $14,300.

A 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer, 12-inch pipe surface drain, and four catch basins and connections in Dodge road, between Leighton road and dead end, in the Hyde Park district, at an estimated cost of $9,200.

A 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer, 12-inch pipe surface drain, and seven catch basins and connections in Leighton road, between Eastmont street and Dietz road, in the Hyde Park district, at an estimated cost of $29,200.

A 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer, 12-inch pipe surface drain, and one catch basin and connection in Perry court, between Dietz road and dead end, in the Hyde Park district, at an estimated cost of $3,200.

A 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer, 10-inch pipe surface drain, and two catch basins and connections in Rocky Nook terrace, between Glen road and 260 feet northerly, in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of $4,800.

A 15-inch pipe surface drain in Canterbury street, between American Legion Highway and 260 feet northeasterly, in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of $2,100.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 2,084.

Acting under provisions of chapter 32, section 7, as amended (State-Boston Retirement System), the Boston Retirement Board has approved for retirement, on account of accidental disability, the following-named police officer, effective at the close of business Wednesday, August 31, 1955.

In view of this operation of law, after August 31, 1955, the said police officer shall no longer be an active member of this department, and it is hereby ordered that its records be so amended.

Patrolman Joseph W. Quinn, Traffic Division.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

Thomas F. Sullivan,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,085.

Sergt. John J. Donovan of Division 3 is commended and granted one week's additional vacation for outstanding police work performed on August 12, 1955.

In the early morning while Sergeant Donovan was riding alone on the division, he observed three men in the front seat of an automobile acting in a suspicious manner. As he approached to investigate, the car sped off without lights. The sergeant gave chase through several streets before finally forcing the car to the side of the road. At this point the operator jumped out and Sergeant Donovan, with drawn revolver, ordered all three not to make a move. Not being satisfied with their answers to his questions, he called for assistance and they were brought to the station.

A search of the automobile uncovered two fully loaded revolvers under the front seat and a large assortment of men's wearing apparel and merchandise, apparently stolen. In the rear seat, three more guns were found as well as boxes of ammunition and burglarious tools.

Sergeant Donovan recognized the similarity of the prisoners' descriptions with those of men wanted for an armed holdup and ransacking of a house in the Cape Cod area, and the armed holdup and slugging of a motel manager in Saugus. Subsequent investigation and interrogation linked these men with both crimes, and the firearms and merchandise stolen in breaks were identified by their rightful owners.

The commissioner is pleased to recognize the outstanding courage and devotion to duty shown by Sergeant Donovan in singlehandedly effecting the arrest of these dangerous criminals, and the thoroughness of his investigation which resulted in the solution of a number of crimes in other jurisdictions.

The commissioner is pleased to promote Sergeant Donovan to the rank of sergeant-detective, effective August 17, current.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

Thomas F. Sullivan,
Police Commissioner.

CLAIMS DISAPPROVED.

The following 161 claims have been disapproved by the Law Department:

Fire Department, 25 claims; Hospital Department, five claims; Parks and Recreation Department, 18 claims; Police Department, 12 claims; Public Works Department, 94 claims; Real Property Department, two claims; School Buildings Department, one claim; School Committee, two claims; Suffolk County, one claim; Veterans' Services Department, one claim.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of building demolitions, estimated to be thirty (30) days, vehicles are excluded from the following street, effective August 12, 1955:

Billerica Street, Boston Proper.
From Cotting street to the surface roadway of John F. Fitzgerald Expressway.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, for a trial period of sixty (60) days, the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective August 23, 1955:

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," the following:

Gloucester Street.
At Newbury street.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," the following:

Franklin Street.
At Appian Way.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "East Boston," the following:

Meridian Street.
At Condor street.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," each of the following:

Centre Street.
At Albert street.
At Lamartine street.
Hereford Street.
At Newbury street.
Louis Prang Street.
Northeast side, at Fenway opposite Evans Way.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "West Roxbury," the following:

Weld Street.
At Willow street.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, for a trial period of sixty (60) days, the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective August 23, 1955:

Article IV, Section 2 (Stopping, Standing and Parking Prohibited in Certain Places), is amended by striking out the following:

Lyford Street, Dorchester.
East side, from a point forty (40) feet north of Callender street to Callender street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out the following:

Lanark Road, Brighton.
Both sides, from Sutherland road to Kilsyth road, 24 hours.
Lyford Street, Dorchester.
East side, from a point forty (40) feet north of Callender street to Callender street, 24 hours.
Blue Hill Avenue, Roxbury.
East side, from Dudley street to Geneva avenue, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," the following:

Lancaster Street.
Southwest side, from Causeway street to Merrimac street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," the following:

Lanark Road.
Northeast side, from Sutherland road to Kilsyth road, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Charlestown," the following:

Lowney Way.
Both sides, from Mt. Vernon street to Bunker Hill street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," each of the following:

Boyden Street.
East side, from Callender street to Woodrow avenue, 24 hours.
Central Avenue.
Both sides, from River street to the Boston-Milton line, 24 hours.
Don Street.
West side, from Callender street to Woodrow avenue, 24 hours.
Lyford Street.
Both sides, from Stratton street to Callender street, 24 hours.
Magnolia Street.
East side, from Bird street to Intervale street, 24 hours.
Vinson Street.
South side, from Marlowe street to Geneva avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the captions "Dorchester," and "Roxbury," the following:

Stanwood Street.
Southwest side, from Blue Hill avenue to Columbia road, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "East Boston," the following:

Neptune Road.
Northeast roadway, southwest side, from Bennington street to Cleveland street, 24 hours.
Southwest roadway, northeast side, from Bennington street to Cleveland street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," each of the following:

Blue Hill Avenue.
East side, from Dudley street to a point on the prolongation of the northeast curb line of Warren street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.
East side, from a point on the prolongation of the northeast curb line of Warren street to a point one hundred and eighty-five (185) feet south of the prolongation of the northeast curb line of Warren street, 24 hours.
East side, from a point one hundred and eighty-five (185) feet south of the prolongation of the northeast curb line of Warren street to Geneva avenue, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.
Greenleaf Street.
North side, from a point forty (40) feet west of the prolongation of the easterly curb line of Leon street to a point forty (40) feet east of the prolongation of the easterly curb line of Leon street, 24 hours.
Pompeii Street.
Northwest side, from Massachusetts avenue to Allerton street, 24 hours.
Station Street.
North side, from a point one hundred and twenty-three (123) feet east of Parker street to Parker street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," each of the following:

Lancaster Street.
Northeast side, from Causeway street to Merrimac street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Merrimac Street.
South side, from Causeway street to Haymarket square, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 6, Part 3 (Restrictions in Cent and Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by striking out the following:

Blue Hill Avenue, Roxbury.
East side, from Dove street to Geneva avenue, 10 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 6, Part 3 (Restrictions in Cent and Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Blue Hill Avenue.
East side, from Dove street to a point on the prolongation of the northeast curb line of Warren street, 10 A.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from a point one hundred and eighty-five (185) feet south of the prolongation of the northeast curb line of Warren street to Geneva avenue, 10 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," the following:

Appian Way.
From Raymond street to Franklin street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," each of the following:

Hecla Street.
From Adams street to Dorchester avenue.
Lyon Street.
From Dorchester avenue to Adams street.

Article VI, Section 11 (Only Right Turn Movements Permitted), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," the following:

Linden Street.
Into Cambridge street, northeasterly.

IMPORTANCE OF FOOD-BORNE DISEASE.

The relationship of food to disease continues to be an important public health program. The United States Public Health Service reported 327 outbreaks of food-borne disease in the United States in 1948, which resulted in 9,962 cases and 17 deaths. As only one out of ten cases of food-borne disease is ever reported, the resulting situation is far more important than available statistics would indicate.

The United States Public Health Service reports that there occurred in the United States in 1948, 30 cases and 6 deaths resulting from botulism; 74 cases and 1 death resulting from chemical food poisoning; 120 cases of dysentery; 8,832 cases and 7 deaths resulting from food infection and gastroenteritis; 270 cases of scarlet fever.

—Health Department Report.

STATEMENT OF BUILDING OPERATIONS IN THE CITY OF BOSTON FOR THE MONTH ENDING JULY 31, 1955.

(As compared with corresponding period in preceding years.)

	1955.		1954.		1953.		1952.		1951.	
	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.
Type I	—	—	2	$312,000	5	$3,230,000	4	$610,000	5	$2,263,700
Type II	1	$65,000	1	52,000	—	—	2	94,000	—	—
Type IV	16	860,525	11	392,900	13	225,500	13	225,500	11	1,533,000
Type V	3	12,500	6	23,950	4	14,300	1	2,000	3	2,900
Type VI	125	1,186,700	72	750,400	22	174,950	48	396,600	24	186,100
Total new construction	145	$2,124,725	92	$1,531,250	44	$3,644,750	66	$2,636,500	43	$2,652,900
Alterations, repairs, etc	466	1,379,398	606	920,142	531	956,628	547	1,016,040	498	4,874,826
Total structural construction	611	$3,504,123	698	$2,451,392	575	$4,601,378	613	$3,652,540	541	$7,527,726
Plumbing	222	$163,972	220	$199,530	244	$183,535	245	$313,265	212	$268,576
Gasfitting	516	49,829	542	49,415	464	64,130	436	44,626	395	54,456
Heaters, ovens, etc	47	27,560	16	19,220	15	9,440	29	26,189	26	38,986
Elevators, new freight	3	4,150	3	24,800	7	33,365	2	3,000	3	65,000
Elevators, new passenger	1	5,000	—	—	41	525,800	1	6,000	8	272,000
Elevators, alterations, freight	11	6,825	10	2,335	16	5,933	7	4,871	9	10,141
Elevators, alterations, passenger	14	6,840	17	53,668	11	3,720	6	8,025	18	20,281
Signs, projections, etc	90	34,900	41	17,255	51	24,160	31	7,230	41	14,210
Fire escapes, etc	28	7,550	96	18,940	54	10,180	41	7,695	69	16,026
Take-downs, wood	10	6,430	15	6,570	2	4,000	12	6,400	53	17,939
Take-downs, brick, etc	8	16,890	4	2,550	12	9,455	5	9,500	54	25,620
Sprinklers	6	10,690	4	10,850	14	45,465	18	41,157	9	10,530
Excavations	7	1,900	2	300	—	—	2	2,500	—	—
Use of premises	2	—	5	—	3	—	2	—	3	—
Total	965	$342,536	975	$405,433	934	$919,183	837	$480,458	900	$813,756
Grand total all work	1,576	$3,846,659	1,673	$2,856,825	1,509	$5,520,561	1,451	$4,132,998	1,441	$8,341,482
Department revenue		$15,774.30		$11,746.00		$8,232.25		$9,823.25		$8,995.00

The following is a statement showing the number, purpose and estimated cost of the erection of new buildings and the alterations, repairs, additions, etc., of existing buildings for which applications were filed with the Building Department of the City of Boston during the

MONTH ENDING JULY 31, 1955.

Purpose.	New Buildings.		Alterations.		Total.	
	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.
Amusement and recreation places, theatres, halls, movies	—	—	4	$141,500	4	$141,500
Churches, chapels, synagogues	1	$65,000	4	9,450	5	74,450
Dwellings, small, 1-family	121	1,083,700	99	54,354	220	1,138,054
Dwellings, small, 2-family	4	68,000	104	60,068	108	128,068
Dwellings, small, 3-family	—	—	113	75,462	113	75,462
Dwellings, small, with stores	—	—	16	11,540	16	11,540
Dwellings, large, 4 or more families	—	—	19	8,469	19	8,469
Dwellings, large, with stores	—	—	1	2,000	1	2,000
Educational buildings, schools, colleges	2	570,000	7	53,385	9	623,385
Garage and repair shops	5	5,525	7	15,425	12	20,950
Hotel and club buildings	—	—	6	13,000	6	13,000
Institutional buildings, hospitals, asylums, clinics	—	—	2	598,000	2	598,000
Lodgings, dormitories, convents, homes	—	—	9	13,400	9	13,400
Manufacturing buildings, bakeries, laundries, workshops	1	40,000	14	109,600	15	149,600
Mercantile buildings, restaurants, stores, showrooms, service stations	4	161,000	40	123,670	44	284,670
Office and bank buildings	3	114,000	12	77,225	15	191,225
Storage buildings, warehouses, lumber sheds, silos	4	17,500	3	10,250	7	27,750
Miscellaneous	—	—	6	2,950	6	2,950
Total	145	$2,124,725	466	$1,379,398	611	$3,504,123

The following is a statement showing the number of new buildings for purposes of habitation, together with the number of family accommodations provided thereby, for the erection of which applications were filed with the Building Department of the City of Boston during the

MONTH AND SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JULY 31, 1955.

Number of Family Units in Each Building.	Month of July.				First Seven Months.			
	1955.		1954.		1955.		1954.	
	Buildings.	Families.	Buildings.	Families.	Buildings.	Families.	Buildings.	Families.
1	121	121	67	67	469	469	295	295
2	4	8	1	2	24	48	5	10
4	—	—	—	—	1	4	—	—
10	—	—	—	—	5	50	—	—
19	—	—	—	—	1	19	—	—
Total	125	129	68	69	500	590	300	305
Estimated cost	$1,151,700		$709,400		$5,124,200		$2,973,310	

SUMMARY OF HOUSING CONSTRUCTION TO DATE.

Number of	Month of July.	Seven Months.
New habitations erected	125	500
Accommodations provided by new construction	129	590
Accommodations provided by altering and remodeling	28	216
Accommodations eliminated by altering and remodeling	0	14
Habitations taken down	14*	66*
Family accommodations eliminated by demolition	43*	185*
Net change in number of habitations	111 more	434 more
Net change in number of family accommodations	114 more	607 more

Demolitions.	Number.		Number.	
	Buildings.	Families.	Buildings.	Families.
*1-family	—	—	8	8
2-family	6	12	22	44
3-family	1	3	21	63
4-family	7	28	10	40
6-family	—	—	5	30
Total	14	43	66	185

The following is a statement showing By Wards the number and estimated cost of new buildings for purposes of habitation for the erection of which applications were filed with the Building Department of the City of Boston during the

SEVEN-MONTH PERIOD ENDING JULY 31, 1955.

Ward.	1-Family Dwellings.		2-Family Dwellings.		4-Family Dwellings.		10-Family Dwellings		19-Family Dwellings.		Total for Seven Months.	
	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.
1	8	$99,700	4	$44,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	12	$143,700
14	1	8,100	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	8,100
16	11	114,200	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	11	114,200
17	22	204,000	1	15,000	1	$38,000	—	—	—	—	24	257,000
18	278	2,395,500	7	112,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	285	2,507,500
19	31	317,500	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	31	347,500
20	104	1,041,000	1	20,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	105	1,061,000
21	4	33,200	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	50,000	5	83,200
22	10	104,000	11	153,000	—	—	5	$345,000	—	—	26	602,000
	469	$4,347,200	24	$344,000	1	$38,000	5	$345,000	1	$50,000	500	$5,124,200

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PURPOSES, NUMBER AND ESTIMATED COST OF NEW BUILDINGS AND ALTERATIONS, ADDITIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., FOR WHICH APPLICATIONS HAVE BEEN FILED FOR MONTH ENDING JULY 31, 1955.

Character.	Amusement, Recreation Places, Theaters, Movies, Halls.		Churches, Chapels, Synagogues.		Dwellings, 1-Family.		Dwellings, 2-Family.		Dwellings, 3-Family.		Dwellings, 1-2-3 Family, with Stores, etc.		Dwellings, Multi-Family.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I														
Type II			1	$65,000										
Type IV					1	$15,000								
Type V														
Type VI					120	1,068,700	4	$68,000						
Total new construction			1	$65,000	121	$1,083,700	4	$68,000						
Alterations, etc.	4	$141,150	4	9,450	99	54,354	104	60,068	113	$75,462	16	$11,540	19	$8,469
Total structural work	4	$141,150	5	$74,450	220	$1,138,054	108	$128,068	113	$75,462	16	$11,540	19	$8,469

Character.	Dwellings, Multi-Family, with Stores.		Educational Buildings, Schools, Colleges.		Garages and Repair Shops.		Hotel and Club Buildings.		Institutional Buildings, Hospitals, Asylums, Clinics.		Lodgings, Dormitories, Convents, Homes.		Lodging Houses with Stores.		Manufacturing Buildings, Bakeries, Laundries, Workshops.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I																
Type II																
Type IV			2	$570,000	5	$5,525									1	$40,000
Type V																
Type VI																
Total new construction			2	$570,000	5	$5,525									1	$40,000
Alterations, etc.	1	$2,000	7	53,385	7	15,425	6	$13,000	2	$598,000	9	$13,400			14	109,600
Total structural work	1	$2,000	9	$623,385	12	$20,950	6	$13,000	2	$598,000	9	$13,400			15	$149,600

Character.	Mercantile Buildings, Restaurants, Stores, Showrooms, Service Stations.		Office and Bank Buildings.		Public Buildings, Libraries, Museums.		Stables, Kennels, Poultry Houses.		Storage Warehouses, Lumber Sheds, Silos, etc.		Miscellaneous.		Totals.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I														
Type II													1	$65,000
Type IV	4	$161,000	1	$63,500					2	$5,500			16	860,525
Type V			1	500					2	12,000			3	12,500
Type VI			1	50,000									125	1,186,700
Total new construction	4	$161,000	3	$114,000					4	$17,500			145	$2,124,725
Alterations, etc.	40	123,670	12	77,225					3	10,250	6	$2,950	466	1,379,398
Total structural work	44	$284,670	15	$191,225					7	$27,750	6	$2,950	611	$3,504,123

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PURPOSES, NUMBER AND ESTIMATED COST OF NEW BUILDINGS AND ALTERATIONS, ADDITIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., FOR WHICH APPLICATIONS HAVE BEEN FILED FOR SEVEN MONTHS ENDING JULY 31, 1955.

Character.	Amusement, Recreation Places, Theaters, Movies, Halls.		Churches, Chapels, Synagogues.		Dwellings, 1-Family.		Dwellings, 2-Family.		Dwellings, 3-Family.		Dwellings, 1-2-3-Family, with Stores, etc.		Dwellings, Multi-Family.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I.	1	$15,000	1	$250,000										
Type II			1	65,000										
Type IV	5	36,200	1	175,000	2	$30,000							5	$345,000
Type V	1	10,000												
Type VI			1	45,000	467	4,317,200	21	$311,000					2	88,000
Total new construction	7	$61,200	4	$535,000	469	$4,347,200	24	$341,000					7	$433,000
Alterations, etc.	27	175,452	19	170,590	588	404,346	655	331,517	753	$372,294	140	$101,370	200	220,482
Total structural work	34	$236,652	23	$705,590	1057	$4,751,546	679	$678,517	753	$372,291	140	$101,370	207	$653,482

Character.	Dwellings, Multi-Family, with Stores.		Educational Buildings, Schools, Colleges.		Garages and Repair Shops.		Hotel and Club Buildings.		Institutional Buildings, Hospitals, Asylums, Clinics.		Lodgings, Dormitories, Convents, Homes.		Lodging Houses with Stores.		Manufacturing Buildings, Bakeries, Laundries, Workshops.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I.			3	$2,910,000	2	$226,000			2	$1,247,000	1	$487,000				
Type II									1	250,000	1	320,000				
Type IV			3	594,000	16	56,975			1	15,000	1	70,000			3	$345,800
Type V					8	9,800										
Type VI					5	5,100										
Total new construction			6	$3,504,000	31	$297,875			4	$1,512,000	3	$877,000			3	$345,800
Alterations, etc.	33	$14,277	30	941,945	59	115,155	25	$106,500	26	2,053,300	57	172,405			90	405,718
Total structural work	33	$14,277	36	$4,445,945	90	$413,030	25	$106,500	30	$3,565,300	60	$1,049,405			93	$751,518

Character.	Mercantile Buildings, Restaurants, Stores, Showrooms, Service Stations.		Office and Bank Buildings.		Public Buildings, Libraries, Museums.		Stables, Kennels, Poultry Houses.		Storage Warehouses, Lumber Sheds, Silos, etc.		Miscellaneous.		Totals.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I.	7	$294,000	1	$12,000					3	$71,000	6	$51,100	27	$5,563,100
Tye II	2	252,000							2	150,000			7	1,037,000
Type IV	35	1,471,100	5	235,500					4	50,500			81	3,425,075
Type V	8	21,000	1	500					4	35,000	5	10,500	27	86,800
Type VI	2	16,000	3	112,000	1	$1,000			1	750	2	920	508	1,929,970
Total new construction	54	$2,054,100	10	$360,000	1	$1,000			14	$207,250	13	$62,520	650	$15,011,915
Alterations	391	1,115,051	116	1,264,155	3	20,775			47	232,835	45	23,452	3307	8,241,619
Total structural work	448	$3,169,151	126	$1,624,155	4	$21,775			61	$540,085	58	$85,972	3957	$23,286,594

BUILDING OPERATIONS IN CITY OF BOSTON.

The following is a statement showing By Wards the number and estimated cost of new buildings for purposes of habitation for the erection of which applications were filed with the Building Department of the City of Boston during the

MONTH ENDING JULY 31, 1955.

Ward.	1-Family Dwellings.		2-Family Dwellings.		Total for Month.	
	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.
1	1	$20,700	—	—	1	$20,700
16	1	9,000	—	—	1	9,000
17	1	15,000	1	$15,000	2	30,000
18	91	750,000	2	40,000	93	790,000
19	4	55,000	—	—	4	55,000
20	18	187,000	—	—	18	187,000
22	5	47,000	1	13,000	6	60,000
Total	121	$1,083,700	4	$68,000	125	$1,151,700

Building Operations in the City of Boston for the Month Ending JULY 31, 1955.

Month of July.	1955.		1954.	
	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.
Type I	—	—	2	$312,000
Type II	1	$65,000	1	52,000
Type IV	16	860,525	11	392,900
Type V	3	12,500	6	23,950
Type VI	125	1,186,700	72	750,400
Total new construction	145	$2,124,725	92	$1,531,250
Alterations, repairs, etc.	466	1,379,398	606	920,142
Total structural construction	611	$3,504,123	698	$2,451,392
Increase or decrease	—87	1,052,731*		
	—13%	43%*		
Installations, etc.	965	342,536	975	405,433
Grand total all work	1,576	$3,846,659	1,673	$2,856,825
Increase or decrease	—97	989,834*		
	—6%	34%*		

FIRST SEVEN MONTHS.

Type I	27	$5,563,100	19	$2,160,800
Type II	7	1,037,000	7	1,111,000
Type IV	81	3,425,075	58	1,482,620
Type V	27	86,800	21	95,850
Type VI	508	4,929,970	312	2,983,940
Total new construction	650	$15,041,945	417	$7,834,210
Alterations, repairs, etc.	3,307	8,244,649	3,691	6,365,248
Total structural construction	3,957	$23,286,594	4,108	$14,199,458
Increase or decrease	—151	8,087,136*		
	—3%	57%*		
Installations, etc.	6,728	4,069,789	6,458	2,976,077
Grand total all work	10,685	$27,356,383	10,566	$17,175,535
Increase or decrease	119*	10,180,848*		
	1%*	59%*		

* Denotes increase — Denotes decrease

PRINCIPAL PROJECTS.

New, School, 1669 Dorchester avenue (City of Boston)	$420,000
Alter, Hospital, 221 Longwood avenue (Lying-In Hospital)	498,000
New, School, 101 St. Theresa avenue (City of Boston)	150,000
Alter, Bathhouse, 241 Dover street (City of Boston)	140,000
New, Sales and Storage, 300 Babcock street (Pitts. Plate Glass)	115,000
Alter, Hospital, 170 Pilgrim road (Diabetes Foundation)	100,000
New, Chapel, 16 Deaconess road (N. E. Deaconess Hospital)	65,000
New, Mercantile, 358 Chestnut Hill avenue (James Condos)	63,000
Alter, Offices, 19 Milk street (Homeowner Federal)	63,000
Alter, School, 18 N. Bennet street (R. C. Archbishop Boston)	50,000
New, Bank, 40 Belgrade avenue (Roslindale Coop.)	50,000

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

In-Service Training Supervisor, Boston Welfare Department, October 1, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, September 12, 1955.

This examination is open to residents of the state.

Salary: The minimum salary is $90.50 a week; the maximum salary is $113 a week.

Vacancies: At present there is one vacancy for a female, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: In cooperation with the administrative and supervisory staffs, to have responsibility for the over-all planning, development and execution of a program of training for the department; to be available for consultation on staff meeting programs; and to perform related work as required.

Examples of Duties: Interviewing candidates for initial social service employment, planning the orientation of appointees, supervising and guiding them during their probationary period, holding group discussions of their work experiences, and from time to time, submitting individual progress reports; in accordance with plans prescribed by the Board of Overseers, planning with and giving advice to employees who are interested in educational leave; teaching courses in social case work, and planning and directing seminars in social case work and related subjects, such as principles of supervision, for workers at various stages of experience; in accordance with plans approved by the Board of Overseers, cooperating with schools of social work in accepting their students for field work training, including students making special studies, and overseeing their work; organizing and directing a field training unit in the Social Service Division, and developing potential field work and group instructors from within the department.

The duties require an understanding of the laws and policies governing the public assistance program, as well as the ability to organize case work teaching material and to teach case work in a group setting.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants must have at least three years of full-time paid employment in a professional social case work capacity in a recognized public or private social agency and at least two years of experience in supervising beginning social case workers in a well-organized in-service training program in a public or private social case work agency or in supervising field work students in a graduate school of social work or in teaching case work courses in a graduate school of social work. *Substitution:* Successfully completed full-time study leading to a master's degree in a graduate school of social work may be substituted, year for year, for the required general case work experience but not for the two years of special supervisory or teaching experience.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

Men and Women Residents, January 1, 1954, Including Supplementary List.

WARDS.	PRECINCTS.																					Totals.
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	
1	2,464	2,421	2,759	2,485	2,620	2,502	2,421	2,228	2,099	2,406	2,293	2,000	2,209	1,205									32,112
2	2,254	1,805	2,131	2,179	2,132	2,258	2,077																14,836
3	2,657	2,187	2,412	2,420	2,117	2,556	2,159	2,290	2,813	3,026	3,252	3,066											31,555
4	3,110	2,683	2,102	2,878	3,031	2,267	2,476	2,126	2,471	1,719													25,163
5	3,334	1,880	2,727	2,121	2,944	3,302	3,931	2,782	2,485	1,747	1,706												28,959
6	2,289	2,160	2,079	1,997	1,848	1,769	1,868	1,746	1,556														17,312
7	1,824	2,296	2,088	2,127	2,135	2,387	1,959	2,046	1,317	2,089													20,268
8	1,785	3,473	1,623	1,958	1,978	1,108	2,166	2,379	1,290														18,069
9	2,641	3,243	2,616	2,512	1,662	1,737	1,645	808	1,934	1,412													20,240
10	1,907	1,970	1,998	2,059	1,977	2,083	1,623	2,088	2,134														17,839
11	2,387	1,798	1,972	2,176	2,091	1,674	1,715	2,076	1,375	1,810													19,074
12	2,340	1,894	2,048	2,185	2,246	2,272	2,267	1,839	1,737	1,620	2,069	1,695											24,212
13	1,161	1,187	1,511	1,513	1,370	1,139	975	1,120	783	967	1,007	884	1,161	1,074	1,144	1,212							18,208
14	2,711	1,942	2,321	2,312	2,219	2,189	2,140	1,871	2,366	1,352	1,909	1,751	1,841	2,093	2,126	1,427							32,600
15	1,259	1,198	1,176	1,090	1,056	1,093	1,049	1,070	1,150	1,202	1,137	1,168	1,019	1,108	1,300								17,075
16	1,184	1,439	1,099	1,067	1,170	1,172	1,175	1,072	1,029	1,022	1,056	1,114	1,260	1,095	1,324	1,113	1,025	962	1,062	934			22,374
17	984	1,024	940	1,163	968	900	1,125	1,295	1,277	1,022	1,190	1,283	1,245	1,245	1,318	1,168	995	917	1,058	1,167			22,284
18	2,513	1,432	1,639	1,087	1,293	1,583	1,321	1,546	1,960	1,225	2,110	1,633	1,158	1,189	1,388	1,308	2,463	1,525	1,451	1,562	1,387		32,803
19	1,336	1,149	1,049	1,462	1,492	1,249	1,335	1,097	939	1,118	1,300	1,304	1,256	896	1,049	1,652	1,247						20,930
20	1,163	1,095	999	1,043	1,077	1,855	915	1,041	1,132	1,474	1,062	1,102	1,170	1,238	1,538	1,925	1,703	1,119	1,326	1,771	1,234	1,087	28,069
21	2,360	1,837	2,116	1,859	2,125	1,463	1,140	3,244	2,465	1,732	2,497	1,665	1,477	1,380	1,870	1,484							30,714
22	1,049	1,241	1,216	1,087	1,431	1,204	1,085	1,193	1,725	1,651	1,338	1,177	1,144	1,276	1,196	1,375	1,732						22,120
Grand Total																							516,807

Registered Voters (Men and Women), State Election, November 2, 1954.

WARDS.	PRECINCTS.																					Totals.
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	
1	1,685	1,603	1,825	1,545	1,682	1,732	1,647	1,610	1,505	1,763	1,816	1,717	1,657	822									22,699
2	1,491	1,407	1,672	1,689	1,636	1,606	1,524																11,025
3	1,582	1,657	1,610	1,667	1,342	1,516	1,264	1,371	1,481	1,088	1,344	1,427											17,349
4	1,507	1,559	1,050	1,262	1,762	1,538	1,461	1,589	1,607	1,078													14,416
5	1,709	1,091	1,602	1,169	1,763	1,938	2,157	1,560	1,553	1,171	1,161												16,874
6	1,626	1,553	1,414	1,379	1,389	1,161	1,480	1,395	1,493														13,181
7	1,543	1,698	1,597	1,586	1,580	1,775	1,723	1,526	1,572	1,619													16,249
8	1,249	1,622	927	1,332	1,391	934	1,479	1,536	901														11,374
9	1,268	1,521	1,357	1,660	1,075	978	1,012	501	1,188	914													11,474
10	1,574	1,513	1,562	1,484	1,481	1,584	1,103	1,515	1,741														13,557
11	1,480	1,336	1,264	1,556	1,508	1,249	1,303	1,617	1,067	1,483													13,893
12	1,449	1,157	1,338	1,470	1,302	1,466	1,607	1,264	1,309	1,150	1,690	1,392											16,594
13	739	811	1,052	938	1,012	891	781	904	670	729	761	692	951	874	920	1,007							13,738
14	1,757	1,397	1,791	1,792	1,728	1,563	1,695	1,118	1,829	1,061	1,531	1,359	1,490	1,686	1,750	1,089							24,936
15	1,000	948	953	823	825	892	890	876	910	918	948	960	807	765	926								13,501
16	938	1,036	918	871	1,004	966	933	895	798	881	938	978	965	893	923	940	906	878	925	825			18,411
17	808	769	731	903	801	745	920	1,016	969	821	1,013	1,058	992	961	1,151	942	847	805	895	1,029			18,176
18	2,222	1,145	1,315	924	1,110	1,289	1,015	1,262	1,667	996	1,672	1,343	918	929	1,160	1,087	2,103	1,136	1,117	1,253	1,158		26,851
19	1,023	955	888	1,035	1,097	935	916	966	781	880	1,100	1,101	1,019	750	890	1,339	1,055						16,733
20	993	891	839	881	923	1,613	806	879	960	1,205	922	979	1,034	1,118	1,243	1,497	1,486	977	1,196	1,393	1,043	883	23,764
21	1,392	1,134	1,551	1,197	1,480	1,078	856	2,331	1,746	1,435	1,996	1,313	1,215	1,007	1,410	1,149							22,290
22	761	942	876	839	1,042	918	900	895	1,427	1,234	1,052	958	999	1,042	982	1,152	1,487						17,506
Grand Total																							374,591

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS. (STATE SERVICE.)

NOTE.—Applicants are advised to file applications early. In event of a tie on the eligible list, the applicant who filed his application first will be given precedence.

CAPITOL POLICE OFFICER, OFFICE OF THE STATE SUPERINTENDENT OF BUILDINGS, SEPTEMBER 10, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, August 22, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $3,420 a year; the maximum salary is $4,140 a year.

Vacancies: From time to time.

Duties: In the Capitol Building or on the grounds, or wherever detailed for duty, to enforce good order and protect the property of the Commonwealth by any means that may be necessary; to be subject to the call of the State Superintendent of Buildings or the captain of the watch at all times for the protection of state property; and to perform related work as required.

Examples of Duties: On all property owned or occupied by the Commonwealth, excluding or ordering off all disorderly persons, vagrants, loafers, trespassers, or persons under the influence of liquor and if necessary bringing them before the State Supeintendent of Buildings or captain of the shift or removing them by force, arresting any person who shall damage, mutilate or destroy the trees, plans, shrubbery, turf, grassplots, benches, buildings or structures or commit any other offense and bringing the offender before the superintendent or captain, and taking in charge all animals not under leash or under the complete control of an accompanying person; policing the State House and grounds and guarding against theft, fire and water damage, reporting to the proper authorities all ground or other lights that are out of order or any breaks in water lines, steam lines, or electric connections, seeing that the building is opened and closed at the proper hours, keeping a record of persons entering or leaving the building outside of business hours, giving information to the public and to occupants of the building, and taking care of flags; directing traffic and regulating the parking of automobiles in the State House grounds.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants shall be not less than twenty-one nor over thirty-five years of age at the time of filing application. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application *unless* one has been filed with a previous application.

Any veteran who will have attained the age of twenty-one within six months of the date of any scheduled examination for police service shall not be deemed ineligible for examination and appointment because of established minimum age requirements to take such examination (Chapter 287, Acts of 1947.) Veterans who had not reached the maximum age limit at the time of entering military or naval service will not be disqualified by reason of age, within five years after the date of honorable discharge. (Chapter 179, Acts of 1950.)

Applicants must be not less than 5 feet 7 inches in height and must meet minimum weight requirements according to the following table, in which height is given in inches in bare feet and weight in pounds without clothing:

67 inches — 135 pounds
68 inches — 135 pounds
69 inches — 140 pounds
70 inches — 145 pounds
71 inches — 150 pounds
72 inches — 155 pounds
73 inches — 160 pounds
74 inches — 165 pounds
75 inches — 170 pounds
76 inches — 175 pounds

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 3; practical questions, including memory test, general information, and police manual questions, 7; total, 10.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination and qualifying strength test.

To become eligible, applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in the strength test, but the mark will not be included in the general average mark.

The practical questions, other than the memory test and general information questions, will be based upon information contained in the current edition of the Police Manual prepared by the Director of Civil Service, which may be obtained from the Public Document Division, Room 116, State House, Boston, at 25 cents a copy. It is necessary that applicants obtain a copy of this manual and study it carefully.

Applicants must not bring manuals to the examination room.

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR REPAIRING AND REPLACING OF PARTS OF FIRE ESCAPES AND THE INCIDENTAL WORK IN CONNECTION WITH SAME AT VARIOUS SCHOOLS.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for repairing and replacing of parts of fire escapes and the incidental work in connection with same at various schools.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Tuesday, Sept. 6, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, enclosed in an envelope, sealed and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $500, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price, will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do, in accordance with sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
(Aug. 20.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

No. 137—397.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING WATER WORKS SUPPLIES (CORPORATION COCKS AND COPPER COUPLINGS).

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Tuesday, August 30, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Water Works Supplies." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Aug. 20.) *Purchasing Agent.*

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING AND INSTALLING UNDERGROUND CONDUIT AND CONCRETE BASES FOR TRAFFIC SIGNAL POSTS IN THREE (3) INTERSECTIONS IN THE CITY OF BOSTON.

The Boston Traffic Commission, office 112 Southampton street, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for furnishing and installing underground conduit and concrete bases for traffic signal posts in three (3) intersections in the City of Boston. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commission in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at 112 Southampton street. Each proposal should he enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Furnishing and Installing Underground Conduit and Concrete Bases for Traffic Signal Posts in Three (3) Intersections in the City of Boston," and left at 112 Southampton street, before 12 M. on Thursday, September 1, 1955, with a certified check for five hundred (500) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to he deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. If the lump sum price of any item appears to the Commission to he abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Boston Traffic Commission. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract, and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to accept any proposal should he deem it to be for the best interest of the city so to do.

WM. ARTHUR REILLY,
(Aug. 20-27.) *Traffic Commissioner.*

TUNNEL TRAFFIC IN MAY.

In the month of May, 1954, 1,031,226 vehicles used the Sumner Tunnel. This is the first time in the history of the tunnel that in excess of 1,000,000 vehicles used the facility in any one month.

In May of 1953, 979,920 vehicles went through the tunnel, or 51,306 less than May of this year.

No. 135—297.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR BINDING 3,500 COPIES OF THE BUILDING CODE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Tuesday, August 30, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Binding Building Code." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Aug. 20.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

To Painting Contractors.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR PAINTING FIRE ESCAPES AT THE JOHN WINTHROP SCHOOL, BROOKFORD AND DACIA STREETS, ROXBURY, MASS.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for painting fire escapes at the John Winthrop School, Brookford and Dacia streets, Roxbury, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Monday, August 29, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals shall be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, and enclosed in a sealed envelope, plainly marked with the name of the bidder and the description of the work bid upon. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a certificate of deposit issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $100, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked. Bid bonds will not be accepted.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

A performance bond, issued by a surety company satisfactory to the Awarding Authority, in the full amount of the contract will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any and all bids if it be in the public interest so to do.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
(Aug. 20.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

591.
No. 136—598.
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CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING HOSPITAL EQUIPMENT FOR THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Wednesday, August 31, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Hospital Equipment." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Aug. 20.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR SEALING EXTERIOR MASONRY WALLS, TO MINIMIZE THEIR ABSORPTION AND INCREASE THEIR REPELLENCY OF WATER, AT THE GIRLS' HIGH SCHOOL, GREENVILLE STREET, ROXBURY, MASS.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for sealing exterior masonry walls, to minimize their absorption and increase their repellency of water, at the Girls' High School, Greenville street, Roxbury, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Monday, August 29, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, enclosed in an envelope, sealed and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $100, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears ia the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furaishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performaace of this contract.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price, will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do, in accordance with sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
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CERTIFICATE EXAMINATIONS.

CITY OF BOSTON.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Boston Public Schools: Examination of candidates for certificates of qualification to serve as teachers and nurses in the Public Schools of Boston will be held beginning Monday, August 29, 1955, in the Drill Hall of the Boston Latin School, Boston.

Married women with degrees are eligible to take these examinations if under fifty years of age.

Address all questions in regard to these examinations to the Board of Examiners, 15 Beacon street, Boston.

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CITY OF BOSTON.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT (SANATORIUM DIVISION).

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR BRICK WORK ON NO. 3 BOILER IN THE POWER HOUSE AT THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL, SANATORIUM DIVISION, 249 RIVER STREET, MATTAPAN 26, MASS.

The City of Boston, by the Board of Trustees, Hospital Department, and of the Boston City Hospital, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for brick work on No. 3 boiler in the Power House at the Sanatorium Division of the Boston City Hospital, 249 River street, Mattapan 26, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Wednesday, September 7, 1955, at the office of the Assistant Superintendent, Sanatorium Division, 249 River street, Mattapan 26, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the office of the Assistant Superintendent. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed and enclosed in an envelope, sealed, and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Assistant Superintendent, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $250, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the office of the Assistant Superintendent. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

Specifications may be obtained at the office of the Assistant Superintendent on or after 12 o'clock noon, Monday, August 22, 1955.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do.

The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all bids in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

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CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION WORK.

PROPOSALS FOR BITUMINOUS CONCRETE PAVEMENT IN

Ackley Place, Ward 11 (formerly Jackson Place), from Washington Street Approximately 225 Feet Northwesterly;

Alabama Street, Ward 18, from Almont Street to Currier Street;

Emmonsdale Road, Ward 20, from Howitt Road to Martin Street;

Hackensack Road, Ward 20, from Hackensack Circle to Payson Road;

Itasca Street, Ward 18, from Almont Street to Mattapan Street;

Savannah Avenue, Ward 18, from Almont Street to Monterey Avenue;

Walworth Street, Ward 20, from Belgrade Avenue to South Street;

Woodard Road, Ward 20, from Bellevue Street to Emmonsdale Road;

—and—

Such Additional Locations, If Any, in Wards 11, 18, and 20, As May Be Designated by the Commissioner of Public Works.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of, the United States, for bituminous concrete pavement in Ackley place, etc. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Bituminous Concrete Pavement in Ackley Place, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 1955, with a certified check for FOUR THOUSAND (4,000) DOLLARS, payable to and to become tbe property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mecbanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than tbe rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Aug. 20.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

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PUBLIC AUCTION
ON THE PREMISES
9 EAST STREET — BOSTON PROPER
TUESDAY — AUGUST 23rd — 11 A.M.

★ LOCATION — 3-story brick building at 9 East Street—corner lot—formerly Engine No. 7 Firehouse.
★ LAND AREA—1,893 sq. feet (more or less).
★ ASSESSED VALUE—$45,000.
★ MINIMUM PRICE—$10,000.
★ DEPOSIT—In cash or cashier's check at time and place of sale, $2,500; balance to be paid in 30 days. Any other terms to be announced at the sale. Attention is called to chapter 247 of Acts of 1955.

The Commissioner reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

JOHN J. McGRATH, Auctioneer. HERMAN CARP, Commissioner.

LA 3-5100, Ext. 236
(Aug. 20.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

REAL PROPERTY BOARD.
PROPERTY DIVISION.

PUBLIC AUCTION.
AUGUST 30, 1955, ON THE PREMISES.

	Upset Price.	Deposit.
9.30 A.M.– Vacant land, Swan Avenue, Lot 6, 50 feet from Leverett Street, East Boston, 5,076 square feet	$100	$100
9.45 A.M.– Vacant land, 4 Lincoln Place, Charlestown, 1,457 square feet	300	300
10.00 A.M.– Vacant land, 109 and 113–115 Main Street and 10 Pleasant Street, Charlestown, 3,880 square feet	1,500	500
10.20 A.M.– Vacant land, Taunton Avenue, Lots 307 and 308 and part of Lots 305, 306, 309, 310, opposite 112 Taunton Avenue, Hyde Park, 17,596 square feet.	450	450
10.35 A.M.– Vacant land, Savannah Avenue, Lots 261–262, adjacent 182 Savannah Avenue, Dorchester, 3,600 square feet	100	100
10.15 A.M.– Vacant land, Rosewood Street, Lot 33, adjacent 88 Rosewood Street, Dorchester, 4,000 square feet	200	200
11.00 A.M.– Vacant land, Washington Street, southeasterly side, adjacent 16 Washington Street, Hyde Park, 4,995 square feet	200	200
11.15 A.M.– Vacant land, Damrell Avenue, Lot 221-E, Farrington Street, Lot 220-D (corner Damrell Avenue), Stark Avenue, Lot 222 (easterly corner Damrell Avenue), and Stark Avenue, Lots 223, 224–225 and 226–227, Hyde Park, 41,003 square feet	500	500
11.30 A.M.– Vacant land, Weston Street, Lot 47, 30 feet from 27 Weston Street, Hyde Park, 3,000 square feet	100	100
11.45 A.M.– Vacant land, Edgemere Road, Lot 101, adjacent 8 Edgemere Road, West Roxbury, 2,100 square feet	100	100
11.55 A.M.– Vacant land, Stimson Street, Lots 13 and 14, adjacent 91 Stimson Street, West Roxbury, 6,720 square feet	200	200
12.15 P.M.– Vacant land, Leland Road, Lots 423, 424, 425, adjacent 92 Leland Road, West Roxbury, 25,158 square feet	700	500

The Chairman reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

For further information call LA 3–5100, line 236.

HERMAN CARP, *Chairman.* JOHN J. McGRATH, *Auctioneer.*
(Aug. 20.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

WIRE MESH FENCE.

Proposals for Wire Mesh Fencing at the Calf Pasture Pumping Station, Dorchester, Mass.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for wire mesh fencing at the Calf Pasture Pumping Station, etc. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Wire Mesh Fencing at the Calf Pasture Pumping Station, Dorchester," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 31, 1955, with a certified check for ONE HUNDRED (100) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the hidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Aug. 20.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

TO DEALERS IN METAL CUTTING MACHINES.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings of the City of Boston invites sealed proposals for furnishing and delivering metal working lathe for Hyde Park High School, Central and Metropolitan avenues, Hyde Park, Mass., of the type, number, and quality as per specifications, and giving bond of a surety company satisfactory to the Superintendent of Construction therefor, in the full amount of the contract. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Construction, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., signed by tbe bidder and left before 12 noon, Monday, August 29, 1955, at said office, with a certified check in the sum of five (5) per cent of the total bid, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. Tbe Superintendent of Construction reserves the right to reject any or all proposals.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
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CANDIDATES FOR ELECTION AS CERTIFIED BY ELECTION BOARD FILED, WITH FIVE SEEKING MAYORALTY BERTH, EIGHT FOR SCHOOL COMMITTEE PLACES, AND TWENTY-EIGHT FOR CITY COUNCIL SPOTS.

The Boston Election Commission has certified the nomination papers of five candidates for mayor, eight for the School Committee, and twenty-eight for the City Council.

The candidates have until 5 P.M., Tuesday, to file withdrawals or objections to the nomination papers of other candidates. Next Wednesday, at 5 P.M., is the last time for filing substitutions caused by withdrawals or ineligibility.

The following have been officially certified:

MAYOR.

Mayor John B. Hynes, 31 Druid street, Dorchester; James M. Curley, 350 Jamaicaway, Jamaica Plain; Chester A. Dolan, Jr., 20 Zamora street, Jamaica Plain; Senator John E Powers, 158 M street, South Boston, and William P. Intraversato, 12 Isabella street, South End.

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MAYOR HYNES NAMES EMERGENCY COMMITTEE TO AID RESIDENTS OF MATTAPAN-HYDE PARK-READVILLE SECTIONS OF BOSTON WHOSE HOMES HAVE BEEN FLOODED — HEALTH, PUBLIC WORKS, WELFARE, AND CIVIL DEFENSE DEPARTMENTS TO COOPERATE IN RESTORING CONDITIONS TO NORMALCY.

Mayor Hynes has announced the appointment of an emergency committee, under the auspices of the Civil Defense Department, to aid in whatever manner possible the residents of the Mattapan-Hyde Park-Readville sections of Boston whose homes have been flooded.

This committee will have its headquarters at the Hyde Park Municipal Building at Cleary square.

On the committee will be a representative of the Health Department, the Public Works Department, the Welfare Department, and the Civil Defense Department.

The committee will be primarily concerned with medical, food, sanitation,

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NO PUBLIC HEARING NEEDED FOR CONSTRUCTION OF GARAGE UNDER BOSTON COMMON, CORPORATION COUNSEL WILLIAM L. BAXTER RULES — BUT IF EXPLOSIVES AND INFLAMMABLE MATERIALS ARE TO BE KEPT FOR SALE AND DISPOSAL, COMPLIANCE WITH PROVISIONS OF BUILDING CODE PERTAINING TO SUCH MUST BE ADHERED TO.

The following is a copy of a communication as of August 18, which has come to the attention of the Mayor's Office:

MR. CHARLES A. CALLANAN,
Building Commissioner.

DEAR COMMISSIONER CALLANAN:

This is in reply to your letter of August 2, 1955, inquiring whether if the city enters into a contract and lease with a private corporation for the construction and operation of a garage for motor vehicles under Boston Common pursuant to St. 1946, c. 294, as amended, there must be full compliance with the provisions of the Boston Building Code (St. 1938, c. 479, as amended), the Boston zoning law (St. 1924, c. 488, as amended), the act requiring permits for the erection and maintenance of garages in Boston (St. 1913, c. 577 as amended), and the statute prohibiting the use of any structure for the keeping, storage, or sale of explosive and inflammable fluids and compounds without the land on which such structure is situated being licensed (G.L. [Ter. Ed.] c. 148, s. 13, as amended).

Without doubt, the general aim of all the legislation mentioned above is the promotion of the public welfare in a broad sense. Compare *Marchesi* v. *Selectmen of Winchester*, 312 Mass. 28, 31. The building code and the inflammables licensing statute are, however, so particularly concerned with the public safety that it is difficult to impute to the Legislature an intent to override their provisions by the passage of St. 1946, c. 294, as amended. On the other hand, *Burnham* v. *Mayor and Aldermen of Beverly*, 309 Mass. 388, 392–393, would seem to make it plain that St. 1946, c. 294, as amended, should not be so construed as to thwart its general aim and object, which is expressly declared to be the abatement of a parking nuisance by the construction and maintenance of a garage under Boston Common. See St. 1946, c. 294, s. 1. If the garage permit act were interpreted as being still applicable, the denial of a permit by the licensing authority would prevent the achievement of the aim of the Boston Common garage statute. Similarly, since the Common is in a district zoned for purposes other than garages, if the Boston zoning law were not construed as superseded by the Boston Common garage statute, the general aim and object of the Boston Common garage statute would be effectively thwarted. You will note that the provision in St. 1946, c. 294, s. 2, empowering the city to enter into a contract and lease with a private corporation for the construction and operation of a garage for motor vehicles under Boston Common begins with a phrase of sweeping import, namely: "Any general law or special law to the contrary notwithstanding." "The Legislature must be presumed to have meant what the words plainly say. . . ." *Condon* v. *Haitsma*, 325 Mass. 371, 373. See, also, *Clements* v. *Treasurer of Cambridge*, 324 Mass. 73, 74–75, and *Booker* v. *Woburn*, 325 Mass. 334, 336.

For the reasons set forth above, it is my opinion that, if the city enters into a contract and lease with a private corporation for the construction and operation of a garage for motor vehicles under Boston Common pursuant to St. 1946, c. 294, as amended, there must be full compliance with

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"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean;
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.

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A rate of $4 per inch of 12 lines (set solid) has been established for such advertisements as under the law must be printed in the City Record. Advertising and other copy must be in hand by 5 P.M. Wednesday of each week to insure its publication in the Saturday issue.

MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, August 29, at 2 P.M.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries, or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the Complaints Division, Room 25, City Hall.

Information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways, the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments of streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped area for streets and the opening of private ways; the making of specific repairs in public streets; the naming of public streets, including the use of public ways for location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railways, coal holes, and vaults, may be secured from the Public Improvement Commission, Room 403, City Hall Annex.

To the BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION, 112 Southampton street, for information relative to regulation of vehicular street traffic on all or any streets, ways, highways, roads, and parkways under the control of the City of Boston, the issuing of all permits in connection therewith.

To the COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting, and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of Sumner Tunnel, the maintenance of bridges and draw-bridges, and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

To the HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Haymarket Square, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish, and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughterhouses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases, of public health nuisances.

To the BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth Avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park, and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts, also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview, and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

To the SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

To the DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS, 28 Norman street, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

To the BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 907, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal, or tearing down buildings.

To the ELECTRICAL INSPECTION DIVISION OF THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT, 1001 City Hall Annex, for all information relative to the erection of poles, building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division; also for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings of the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

To the BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT, 43 City Hall, relative to changes in the boundary lines of zoning districts of the City of Boston as established by chapter 488 of the Acts of 1924, and amendments thereto.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending August 20, 1955.

Population as of July, 1950, Massachusetts State Census, 817,713; population estimated July, 1954, United States Census Bureau, 813,696; number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 123; nonresidents, 71; total, 194.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 12.68; nonresidents deducted, 8.07.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:

Last week, 13.91; corresponding week last year, 12.61.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 10; one year to four years, inclusive, 3; sixty years and over, 119. Total deaths: Male, 116; female, 78; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 152.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Aug. 20, 1955.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Aug. 21, 1954.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior Poliomyelitis	217	13	12	1
Diphtheria	—	—	—	—
Encephalitis Lethargica	—	—	—	—
Influenza	—	—	—	—
Measles	—	—	22	—
Meningitis Epidemic	—	—	1	—
Pneumonia (lobar)	—	—	—	—
Scarlet Fever	—	—	4	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary)	15	4	12	4
Childhood Type Tuberculosis	—	—	—	—
Tuberculosis (other forms)	—	—	—	1
Typhoid Fever	—	—	—	—
Whooping Cough	4	—	17	—

*Residents and nonresidents included.

CORPORATION COUNSEL WILLIAM L. BAXTER ANNOUNCES RULINGS ON BOSTON COMMON GARAGE.

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the provision of the Boston Building Code and, if explosive or inflammable fluids or compounds are to be kept, stored or sold, there must also be compliance with G.L. (Ter. Ed.) c. 148, s. 13, as amended; but the garage permit act (St. 1913, c. 577, as amended) and the zoning law (St. 1944, c. 488, as amended) may be disregarded.

If you have any further question, please do not hesitate to communicate with me again.

Yours very truly,

William L. Baxter,
Corporation Counsel.

SESSIONS FOR REGISTRATION FOR MEN AND WOMEN VOTERS, 1955.

WARD REGISTRATION PLACES.

AUGUST 24, 25, 26, 29 AND 30 FROM 6 P.M. TO 10 P.M.

Ward 1, Joseph H. Barnes School, Marion street.

Ward 2, Ward Room, Bunker Hill and Lexington streets.

Ward 3, John J. Williams School, Groton street.

Ward 4, Rice School, Appleton street.

Ward 5, Abraham Lincoln School, Arlington street, corner Melrose street.

Ward 6, George Frisbie Hoar School, West Fifth street.

Ward 7, Patrick F. Gavin School, Dorchester street, near West Seventh street.

Ward 8, Joshua Bates School, Harrison avenue.

Ward 9, South End House, 48 Rutland street.

Ward 10, Lowell School, Centre street, corner Mozart street.

Ward 11, Abby W. May School, Thornton street.

Ward 12, Boston Clerical School, Dunreath street.

Ward 13, Municipal Building, Columbia road, corner Bird street.

Ward 14, Christopher Gibson School, Ronald street.

Ward 15, Mather School, East street.

Ward 16, Mary Hemenway School, Adams street, corner King street.

Ward 17, Municipal Building, Washington street, corner Norfolk street.

Ward 18, K. of C. Building (Mattapan Council), 1581 Blue Hill avenue.

Ward 19, Curtis Hall, South street.

Ward 20, Longfellow School, South street, corner Hewlett street.

Ward 21, Washington Allston School, Cambridge street.

Ward 22, Thomas Gardner School, Athol and Brentwood streets.

AUGUST 31, SEPTEMBER 1, 2, 6 AND 7 FROM 6 P.M. TO 10 P.M.

Ward 1, Orient Heights, Branch Library, Bayswater street and Barnes avenue.

Ward 2, Bunker Hill School, Baldwin and Bunker Hill streets.

Ward 3, Winchell School, Blossom street, corner Parkman street.

Ward 3, Health Unit, North Margin street.

Ward 4, Y. M. C. A. Building, 316 Huntington avenue.

Ward 5, Prince School, Exeter street, corner Newbury street.

Ward 6, Choate Burnham School, East Third street, near I street.

Ward 7, William E. Russell School, Columbia road, near Dorchester avenue.

Ward 8, Municipal Building, Dudley street, corner Vine street.

Ward 9, Roxbury Court House, Roxbury street.

Ward 10, M. J. Tobin Municipal Building, 1481 Tremont street.

Ward 11, West Roxbury Court House, Morton street.

Ward 12, William Lloyd Garrison School, Brookledge street.

Ward 13, Edward Everett School, Pleasant street, near Savin Hill avenue.

Ward 13, Columbia Point School, 274 Mt. Vernon street (one night only, September 7th).

Ward 14, Pauline Agassiz Shaw School, corner Morton and Norfolk streets.

Ward 15, Benjamin Cushing School, Robinson street.

Ward 16, Ellen H. Richards School, Beaumont street.

Ward 17, Gilbert Stuart School, Richmond street.

Ward 18, Municipal Building, River street.

Ward 19, Municipal Building, Washington street and Cummins Highway.

Ward 20, West Roxbury Branch Library, 1961 Centre street.

Ward 21, Alexander Hamilton School, Strathmore road and Chestnut Hill avenue.

Ward 22, Old Town Hall, Ward Room, Washington street, near Market street.

David Lasker,
Gertrude A. Pfau,
Joseph Russo,
Perlie Dyar Chase,
Board of Election Commissioners.

Preliminary Election
Tuesday, September 27, 1955

City Election
Tuesday, November 8, 1955

CANDIDATES FOR ELECTION CERTIFIED BY ELECTION BOARD.

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School Committee.

Charles W. Capraro, 52 Cooper street, North End; William F. Carr, 390 K street, South Boston; George F. Hurley, 567 Weld street, West Roxbury; Joseph Lee, 43 South Russell street, West End; John P. McMorrow, 322 Adams street, Dorchester; Timothy J. McInerney, 21 Iroquois street, Roxbury; John P. Regan, 1 President road, West Roxbury, and John R. Hart, 79 Myrtle street, Beacon Hill.

City Council.

Francis X. Ahearn, 16 Gerald road; James S. Coffey, 451 Meridian street, East Boston; John Patrick Connolly, 16 Chamblet street, Dorchester; William J. Foley, Jr., 15 Thomas park, South Boston; Frank J. Guaragna, 59 Ainsworth street, Roslindale; Frederick C. Hailer, Jr., 84 Vermont street, West Roxbury; John E. Kerrigan, 213 West Eighth street, South Boston; Frederick C. Langone, 190 North street, North End, Theodore F. Lyons, 100 Ardale street, Roslindale; George A. Martin, 34 Hanson street, West End; Edward J. McCormack, Jr., 1110 Morton street, Dorchester; Patrick J. McCarthy, 15 Kearsarge avenue, Roxbury; Patrick F. McDonough, 91 Fuller street, Dorchester; Edward F. McLaughlin, Jr., 6 Calvin road, Jamaica Plain; Clement A. Norton, 1334 River street, Hyde Park; Gabriel Francis Piemonte, 20 Prince street, North End; Gerald R. Riley, 19 Melba Way, Hyde Park; Joseph T. Spectre, 257 Columbia road, Dorchester; Maurice H. Sullivan, 76 Antwerp street, Brighton; Peter A. V. Tardo, 5 Hill place, South Boston; Joseph C. White, 12 Ruskin street, West Roxbury; James E. White, 43 West Eagle street, East Boston; John Joseph Concannon, 1675 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester; Elliott F. Marenburg, 229 Columbia road, Dorchester; John F. Collins, 72 Dunster road, Jamaica Plain; Augustino Casaletto, 224 Princeton street, East Boston; Ernest G. Keliher, 17 Bartlett street, Roxbury, and James J. Hurley, 7 Cornelia court, Roxbury.

MAYOR NAMES EMERGENCY FLOOD COMMITTEE.

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and welfare needs, and will cooperate with the Red Cross if clothing, etc., is needed.

Any resident of this area, or any businessman in the area, who has a peculiar problem is advised to confer with the Emergency Flood Committee.

Police Commissioner Sullivan is taking extraordinary precautions and has a constant supervision over the area.

ORDER REVOKED.

The Public Improvement Commission has voted that permission granted to Stony Brook Village Corporation on April 30 1954, in accordance with the provisions of chapter 117 of the Acts of 1947 to prepare for public travel Perry court, Hyde Park district, leading easterly from Dietz road for a distance of approximately 178 feet, as shown on a plan by Arnold E. Schaier, dated March 22, 1954, be, and the same hereby is, revoked.

WHITE FUND TRUSTEES VOTE TO ERECT NEW SIX-STORY STORE AND OFFICE BUILDING ON BOYLSTON STREET, OPPOSITE NEW ENGLAND MUTUAL BUILDING — SUBSTANTIAL INCREASE IN INCOME TO FUND EXPECTED— TO COST $1,000,000.

The trustees of the George Robert White Fund at their meeting voted unanimously to erect a new six-story store and office building on the property now owned by the fund at 478-488 Boylston street, opposite the New England Mutual Building. The new building will be of first-class construction and will be completely air conditioned, the only completely modern office building erected in the city for many years.

The trustees are assured of complete occupancy of the entire building. It will provide the fund with a substantial increase in income as compared with the income from the old buildings now at this location. The services of Mr. Thomas McDonough have been secured as architect, and plans and specifications will be prepared for bids at an early date. The building should be finished, ready for occupancy by late spring or early summer of 1956. The cost, including the land, will approximate $1,000,000.

The existing buildings are better than 75 years old and this new project is intended to compensate for depreciation of some of its older buildings and to strengthen the principal account of the fund. This is the first time in the 25-year existence of the White Fund that new construction has been authorized and an effort made to restore the principal account to its former strength.

LIENS CANCELED.

The Public Improvement Commission has voted as follows:

Whereas, An order of the Board of Street Commissioners, approved by the Mayor June 26, 1953, recorded in the Registry of Deeds, July 16, 1953, Book 6883, page 167; said order providing for the laying out and construction of Mt. Vernon street, Dorchester district, from William T. Morrissey Boulevard (formerly Old Colony Parkway) to land of the City of Boston;

Whereas, Assessment liens were created on the following-named parcels of land, as follows:

Parcel.		Amount.
1.	Salada Tea Company, Inc.	$8,368 35
2.	Salada Tea Company, Inc.	$2,549 70

Voted, That said assessment liens be, and the same hereby are canceled.

Whereas, An order of the Public Improvement Commission approved by the Mayor March 14, 1955, recorded in the Registry of Deeds March 15, 1955, Book 7040, page 85; said order providing for the taking of an easement for sewerage purposes in Cutter road, West Roxbury district, between Baker street and Dow road;

Whereas, Assessment lien was created on the following-named parcel of land, as follows:

Parcel.		Amount.
3.	Halper Homes, Inc.	$216

Voted, That said assessment lien be, and the same hereby is canceled.

SEWER CONSTRUCTION IN WEST ROXBURY.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that 150 linear feet of 8-inch pipe sewer and 8-inch pipe surface drain, at an estimated cost of $2,760, be constructed in the south side of Washington street, West Roxbury, from existing sewer opposite High View avenue southwesterly 150 feet.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the undermentioned parcels of land situated on the southeasterly side of Washington street, as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 1455C, Sewerage Works, Washington Street, West Roxbury, July 22, 1955, George G. Hyland, Commissioner of Public Works," and on file in the office of this department, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city from the improvement herein ordered, in the amounts hereinafter mentioned.

Parcel.		Amount.
1.	Josephine George *et al*	$450
2.	Richard J. Tamer *et al*	450
	Total	$900

SEWER CONSTRUCTION IN DORCHESTER.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that 230 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer and 230 linear feet of 12-inch pipe surface drain, at an estimated cost of $3,420, be constructed in Corman road, Dorchester, from a point one hundred twenty-five feet northeast of Cummins Highway, two hundred thirty feet northeasterly.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the undermentioned parcels of land situated on the northwesterly and northeasterly sides of Corman road, Dorchester district, as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 1455-A, Sewerage Works, Corman Road, Dorchester, June 16, 1955, George G. Hyland, Commissioner of Public Works," and on file in the office of this department, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement herein ordered, in the amounts hereinafter mentioned.

Parcel.		Amount.
1.	Joseph Corman	$230 00
2.	Joseph Corman	230 00
3.	Joseph Corman	230 00
4.	M. Lillian Cook	Nothing
15.	David Shaw	Nothing
16.	David Shaw	$230 00
17.	David Shaw	230 00
18.	David Shaw	230 00
	Total	$1,380 00

COMMONWEALTH AVENUE REPAIRS ORDERED.

The Public Improvement Commission has voted that this commission, having passed the order of notice relating to the public improvement, hereinafter described, and having caused a copy of said order to be published May 27, 28, 31, and June 1, 1955, in the Boston *Globe* and Boston *Post*, two daily newspapers published in the City of Boston, and having given the public hearing, notice of which was given in said order, and being of the opinion that public necessity and convenience require, does hereby order that specific repairs be made in Commonwealth avenue, Brighton district, between Harvard avenue and Thorndike street, consisting of the construction of two crossovers in the southerly divisional island, as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Commonwealth Avenue, Brighton, August 3, 1955, George G. Hyland, Commissioner of Public Works," and on file in the office of said department.

PERMIT FOR PLACING DUCT.

The Public Improvement Commission has voted that permission be granted to the New England Deaconess Hospital, 16 Deaconess road, Boston, to place and maintain a subsurface (4 feet x 9 feet) reinforced concrete air-conditioning exhaust duct, approximately 13 feet from the existing curb line on the turn in Autumn street, substantially as shown on a plan marked "Deaconess Hospital, July 8, 1955," and filed in the office of the Commissioner of Public Works.

The Commissioner of Public Works is hereby authorized to issue permits for opening and occupying the street for placing and maintaining said duct, under the conditions set forth in the city ordinances, and such other terms and conditions as the said commissioner may deem proper.

The work of locating said duct to be subject to the approval of said Public Works Commissioner, and the street above referred to is to be kept open for both pedestrian and vehicular traffic during the laying and construction of said duct.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

Elevator Inspector, Boston Building Department, October 1, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, September 12, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $68 a week; the maximum salary is $83.50 a week.

Vacancies: At present there is one vacancy for a male, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: To make inspections of elevators, escalators and hoists to ascertain conformity with the provisions of the Elevator and Escalator Regulations of the Commonwealth; to examine elevators and premises after accidents and submit reports of the examinations; and to perform related work as required.

A thorough knowledge of the laws, rules and regulations pertaining to the erection, installation, and maintenance of elevators and escalators is required.

Copies of Forms ELV-1 and ELV-2 (Elevator and Escalator Regulations) may be obtained from the State Department of Public Safety, 1010 Commonwealth avenue, Boston.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants who have not reached their twenty-fifth birthday on the date of examination will not be eligible to apply. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application *unless* one has been filed with a previous application.

Applicants must have at least three years of full-time paid experience as a licensed elevator mechanic.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

Certification Requirement: Possession of an Elevator Mechanic's License issued by the Massachusetts Department of Public Safety.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following personnel changes:

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Approval has been given for the continued emergency appointment for a period of 30 days from August 17, 1955, of Patricia M. Ellis, 101 Bellevue street, Dorchester, as clerk-typist at $43 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

The resignation of Margaret G. Keady, public health nurse, has been approved.

The retirement of Lillian F. Barrett, public health nurse, has been approved.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

South Division.

For the week ending August 9:

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Marie Crowley, 18 Laite road, Wilmington, 6 days; Alice Driscoll, 309 Allston street, Brighton, 3 days; Veronica McElligott, 34 Dickinson street, Somerville, 7 days; Jean E. O'Connell, 1734A Commonwealth avenue, 2 days; Jacquelyn Riley, 56 Maxwell street, Dorchester, 5 days.

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Temporary.—M. Eleanor Hansen, 70 Laurelwood road, Holden, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour; Aline H. Lessard, 1097 Beacon street, Brookline, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; Margaret M. Fitzgerald, 237 L street, South Boston, hospital house worker, $55.50 a week.

The following temporary employees have been appointed:

Alice F. Behymer, 14 Perkins square, Jamaica Plain, M. Eleanor Hansen, 70 Laurelwood road, Holden, Anne Heaney, 570 Marrett road, Lexington, Florence J. Mess, 141 North street, Somerville, Nancy Murray, 76 Commonwealth avenue, Anita M. Sims, 3 Abbotsford street, Dorchester, Lois K. Townsend, 10 Moultrie street, Dorchester, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour; Joseph A. Bogni, 5 Wayland street, Dorchester, Alfred Frazier, 124 Malden street, Virginia Irwin, 2 Woodrow Wilson court, Roxbury, Joseph E. Lee, 4 Mercer street, South Boston, Aline H. Lessard, 1097 Beacon street, Brookline, Jean McKinley, 7 Dalkeith street, Dorchester, Philip J. Micciche, 221 Chelsea street, East Boston, Dorothy Newsome, 941 Albany street, Roxbury, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; George J. Conners, 423 Shawmut avenue, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

The following permanent employees have been appointed:

Helen Humphrey, 54 Mountain avenue, Malden, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Isabel C. Markey, 745 Massachusetts avenue, floor nurse, $58 a week with room.

Main Division.

For the week ending August 16:

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Esther Bandlow, 5 Reddy avenue, Hyde Park, Lillian Blackburn, 18 Park Vale avenue, Allston, 7 days; Ruby Childs, 270 Huntington avenue, Roxbury, 6 days; Dorothy Currie, 283 Chestnut avenue, Jamaica Plain, 2 days; Grace Candiano, 4 days; Norma Dean, 696 Massachusetts avenue, 6 days; Han-

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING AUGUST 23.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Joseph Goldstein	9 Barnes avenue	1	Alterations, store	$100
Diega Ciarfella	122 Bayswater street	1	Alterations, dwelling	1,300
F. Dallesandro	848 Beacon street	21	Alterations, rooming house	75
J. Moynihan	108 Bourne street	19	Alterations, dwelling	100
M. Eilberg	51 Brackett street	22	Alterations, dwelling	90
Sarkis Antonian	1138 Columbus avenue	9	Alterations, store	100
A. Taszynski	16 Crescent avenue	13	Alterations, dwelling	100
Burke Distributing Corp.	1188 Dorchester avenue	15	Alterations, warehouse	350
Elizabeth Daston	111 East Newton street	8	Alterations, tavern	100
A. Isenberg	17 Hanover street	3	Alterations, store	950
Lewis Wharf Company	14–40 Lewis Wharf	3	Alterations, warehouse	2,000
Amory Elliot	114 Milk street	3	Alterations, office	365
Imperial Realty Company	28 Scollay square	3	Alterations, store, office	200
Madeline Trippe	171 Summer street	3	Alterations, store, office	200
Ray Coughlin	49 Thomas park	7	Alterations, dwelling	95
James Mullen	50 Thomas park	7	Alterations, dwelling	95
Mrs. Patrick Cooke	192 Tudor street	6	Alterations, dwelling	500
Regent Restaurant	648 Warren street	12	Alterations, store, office	640
C. E. Osgood	744 Washington street	3	Alterations, store	150
Max Berson	22 Wentworth street	17	Alterations, dwelling	185
Kali Kablara	26 West Broadway	6	Alterations, dwelling, store	385
George Joseph	29 West Canton street	9	Alterations, dwelling	200
George Joseph	31 West Canton street	9	Alterations, dwelling	200
Mrs. James Owen	20 Williams street	9	Alterations, dwelling	190
Franklin Motor Mart	879 and 881 Blue Hill avenue	14	Alterations, garage, lub	5,000
Animal Rescue League	10 Chandler street	5	Animal clinic, offices, hall	398,620
Louis Drago	19 Cliffmont street	19	Garage	600
Rocco Panciocco	10 Donna terrace	18	Dwelling	10,000
Joseph Janczunski	32 Laurel avenue	20	Dwelling	9,000
Ann and Samuel Smith	46 Magnolia street	13	Alterations, rest home	2
Kalil Solomon	1-11 Noanet street	3	Tie cribbing, embankment	3,000
Temple Hatikvah	573 Norfolk street	18	Alterations, school	2
Andrew Adreani	82 Orient avenue	1	Dwelling	10,000
Quita Foster	12 Riverview street	20	Dwelling	8,000
Quita Foster	16 Riverview street	20	Dwelling	8,000
James Simboli	2761 Washington street	11	Alterations, dwelling	2
Charles Kenney	27 Wedgemere road	20	Dwelling	10,000
Mrs. Offenbach	9 Woodville street	8	Alterations, dwelling	2
Berhard Chase	7 Appleton court	20	Alterations, dwelling	450
Joseph Artesani	2A Arden street	22	Alterations, dwelling	400
Charles Higbee	98 Beacon street	18	Alterations, dwelling	160
Boston University	146 Beacon street	5	Alterations, dwelling	200
J. Binda	119 Bolton street	6	Alterations, dwelling	100
J. Binda	121 Bolton street	6	Alterations, dwelling	100
W. Kalen	66 Bowdoin avenue	14	Alterations, rest home	200
Joseph Dale	1232 Dorchester avenue	15	Alterations, dwelling	200
Columbian National Life Insurance.	91 Franklin street	3	Alterations, store, office	170
William Mahoney	90 G street	7	Alterations, dwelling	94
Lawrence Sullivan	93 G street	7	Alterations, dwelling	180
Madeline Hayes	1157 Hyde Park avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	150
Eli Ames	10 Kingston street	3	Alterations, store, office	875
G. DelRusso	58 Lubec street	1	Alterations, dwelling	100
City of Boston	20 Mahler road	19	Alterations, school	20,000
J. E. Smith	9 Parker street	2	Alterations, dwelling	350
John Toomey	68 Pierce avenue	16	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Anthony Soave	37–39 Royal street	22	Alterations, dwelling	200
George Stukas	453 West Broadway	6	Alterations, dwelling, store	2,000
Sheraton Building, Inc	470 Atlantic avenue	3	Alterations, offices	500
Leona Lyons	411 Beacon street	5	Alterations, dwelling	500
Byrne Brothers	1381 Commonwealth avenue	21	Alterations, dwelling, store	4,000
Francis Hickey	345 Ashmont street	16	Alterations, dwelling	900
George Robert White Fund	190 Boylston street	5	Alterations, vacant	900
A. Arone	108 Bremen street	1	Alterations, dwelling	200
John Downey	55 Crockett avenue	16	Alterations, dwelling	800
Thomas Conlon	318 Cummins Highway	18	Alterations, dwelling	330
Udell Smith	505 Cummins Highway	18	Alterations, dwelling	250
Max Rubin	1566 Dorchester avenue	16	Alterations, store, apartment	100
Agnes Turner	921 East Fourth street	6	Alterations, dwelling	530
Anthony Dudas	718 and 720 East Seventh street.	6	Alterations, dwelling	870
Gertrude Valentine	16 Hopkins street	17	Alterations, dwelling	334
Angelina Fontenarosa	1424 Hyde Park avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	440
Duncan MacKillop	68 Martin street	20	Alterations, dwelling	320
Joel Mendelbaum	705 Tremont street	9	Alterations, dwelling, store	150
Charlotte Yanow	9–11 Weldon street	12	Alterations, dwelling	231
Jane Burns	220 and 222 Westville street	15	Alterations, dwelling	960
Danker & Donohue	158 Brighton avenue	22	Alterations, store, offices	175
Mrs. Sacks	2 Browning avenue	14	Alterations, dwelling	248
David Pitnof	1401 Dorchester avenue	15	Alterations, vacant	200
Boston University	20 Gaffney street	21	Grandstand	6,000
Mary Hurney	15 Groom street	17	Alterations, dwelling	180
Wiggins Terminal	365 Medford street	2	Temporary locker	900
Buchine Family Trust	213 Park street	16	Excavate	100
Santospirito Brothers	544 River street	18	Alterations, store	900
Francis Cotter	43 Royal street	22	Alterations, dwelling	200
Janis Condon	68 School street	2	Alterations, dwelling	300
Baldwin Estate	343 Washington street	22	Alterations, store, office	175
Sofie Grasso	33 White street	1	Alterations, dwelling	100
T. J. Edwards	121 Appleton court	20	Alterations, storage	1,500
Ralph Richards	25 Williams street	9	Alterations, dwelling	3,000
Maurice Gordon	1637 Commonwealth avenue	21	Alterations, dwelling	500
Maurice Gordon	1641 Commonwealth avenue	21	Alterations, dwelling	500
Edestine Saleeky	20 Herrick street	22	Auto body shop	10,000
Gerald Scally	54 Pleasant street	13	Alterations, funeral parlor	900

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Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Roch Cossete	15 Wellsmere terrace	18	Dwelling	$10,000
Albert Bidoriui	116 Westchester road	19	Dwelling	13,380
Home Owners Federal	21 Milk street	3	Alterations, office	750
Edward Spellman	159–165 N street	7	Alterations, dwelling, store	1,500
Philip Nardella	54 John Eliot square	9	Alterations, restaurant	800
Pericles Voritas	383 Columbus avenue	4	Alterations, dwelling, store	980
J. L. Sullivan Candy Co	1987 Dorchester avenue	17	Alterations, store, warehouse	70
Gerald Whitham	144–160 Charles street	3	Alterations, garage	75
Temple Cleaners	1972 Centre street	20	Alterations, store	100
Peter Kanavos	1970 Centre street	20	Alterations, post office	100
Forest Hill Factory Outlet	3485 Washington street	20	Alterations, factory outlet	100
Century Building Trust	12 Boylston street	3	Alterations, store, office	200
Stedfast Rubber Company	49 and 51 Edgewater Drive	18	Alterations, dwelling	900
144 Bowdoin Street, Inc	144 Bowdoin street	5	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Mary Hendrix	794 Saratoga street	1	Alterations, dwelling	375
John Monrow	119 Perkins street	10	Alterations, dwelling	400
Dorothy Azar	61 Dwight street	3	Alterations, dwelling	510
Mildred Nader	172 Fairmount avenue	18	Alterations, rest home	450
James Cotter	477 Tremont street	3	Alterations, restaurant	300
Concord Realty	1643–1645 Washington street	8	Alterations, dwelling, store	300
Trustees of Boston University	640 Commonwealth avenue	21	Alterations, storage, offices	30,000
H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc	412 Main street	2	Alterations, truck storage	2,000
Boston Edison Company	1–5 Southwood street	12	Inspection house	1,200
Shapiro Realty, Inc	740 Washington street	3	Alterations, store	30,000
Henry Carne	1050A Blue Hill avenue	14	Alterations, store	235
El Pancho	6 Charlesgate West	5	Alterations, sales and service	900
Concetta Ricciardi	287 Chelsea street	1	Alterations, dwelling	125
Napoleon Chisholm	530 and 532 Columbus ave	4	Alterations, funeral home	300
Frederick Koelsch	8 Dixfield street	6	Alterations, dwelling	180
Joseph Connolly	710 East Seventh street	7	Alterations, dwelling	990
Whittemore Company	35 Harrison street	19	Alterations, storage shed	300
Frank O. Matson	4 Hefferan street	22	Alterations, dwelling	100
Leong Shee	15 Hudson street	3	Alterations, dwelling, store	200
Joseph Skloff	31 Kerwin street	14	Alterations, dwelling	300
George Calidonia	140 Minot street	16	Alterations, dwelling	500
John Riley	384 Neponset avenue	16	Alterations, dwelling, store	250
Judith Perry	108 Parker Hill avenue	10	Alterations, dwelling	950
William McLean	21 Sackville street	2	Alterations, dwelling	740
Mr. Kerostism	55 South street	19	Alterations, dwelling, restaurant	60
Bernie Roey	53 South Huntington avenue	10	Alterations, dwelling	350
Thomas Boyle	105 Stuart street	5	Alterations, store, shop	1,000
I. Clarfield	11 Sutton street	14	Alterations, dwelling	200
Leo Michaels	33 Warren avenue	9	Alterations, dwelling	1,650

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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nah Donahue, 270 Huntington avenue, Roxbury, 3 days; Jean Darraugh, 568 East Sixth street, South Boston, Mildred Filaroska, 69 Park Drive, 7 days; Mary Fraser, 99 Norway street, 4 days; Diana Guinta, 42 Topliff street, Dorchester, Mary B. Healy, 163 East Cottage street, Dorchester, 2 days; Anne Lynskey, 52 Telsa street, Medford, 7 days; Loretta Lynch, 270 Huntington avenue, 5 days; Catherine McGuinness, 14 Alsen road, Dorchester, 1 day; Blanche McDonough, 1450 Centre street, Roslindale, 2 days; Mary R. Mahan, 29 Kempton street, 7 days; Mary Murphy, 37 Hampden Circle, Wollaston, 2 days; Audrey Mailhot, 30 Walton street, Dorchester, 4 days; Angelina Mullaney, 1235 Trapello road, Waltham, 2 days; Patricia Marzilli, 39 Potomac street, West Roxbury, 3 days; Agnes O'Connor, 270 Huntington avenue, 5 days; Mae Owens, 259 Chestnut avenue, Jamaica Plain, 2 days; Mary Paylor, 67 Mystic avenue, Medford, 1 day; Eleanor Skalott, 43 East Springfield street, 7 days; Bernice Smith, 105 Walnut avenue, Roxbury, 1 day; Helen Spillane, 499 Park street, Stoughton, 7 days; Margaret M. Sullivan, 28 Weymouth street, Holbrook, 5 days; Takako Salvi, 123 Harvard street, Cambridge, 1 day; Josephine Trippe, 80 Orleans street, East Boston, 7 days; Ila Ward, 79 Warren street, Roxbury, 4 days.

The following weekly nurses have been appointed:

Permanent.—Carolyn McCormick, 75 Homer street, East Boston, floor nurse, $18 a week.

Temporary.—Margery Pierce, 106 Gainsborough street, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Mary McBrearty, 7 Frawley street, Patricia Konkle, 354 Westgate West, Cambridge, Ann Conley, 105 H street, South Boston, Esther Toronto, 121 Green street, Jamaica Plain, Mary E. Brennan, 18 Mall street, Salem, Marie Chaisson, 126 Montgomery street, North Cambridge, Claire Concannon, 900 Massachusetts avenue, Cambridge, Patricia Delaney, 740 Bennington street, East Boston, Mary Hanlon, 95 Maverick street, Chelsea, Ruth Pilgrim, 322 St. Paul street, Brookline, Claire Silck, 32 Marshall street, Winthrop, Nancy Warwick, 322 St. Paul street, Brookline, Una V. Wetherby, 438 Mt. Vernon street, Dedham, Anne (Madden) Wells, 185 Park street, West Roxbury, Edith Donaghue, 67 Greaton road, West Roxbury, C. Lorraine Regan, 119 Monticello avenue, Dorchester, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour; Lois Curley, 94 St. Rose street, Jamaica Plain, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Doris H. Campbell, 194 Harvey street, Cambridge, floor nurse, $45 a week.

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—Antoinette L. Casey, 97 Horadan Way, Roxbury, Thomas F. Joyce, Jr., 232 O'Callaghan Way, South Boston, Elaine Fitzpatrick, 2 Bataan court, Roxbury, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; Ann Duffy, 403 Neponset avenue, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $45.50 a week; Paul H. Altrocchi, Avenue Louis Pasteur, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; Arlene S. Ritchie, 42 Lexington street, East Boston, hospital medical worker, $45.50 a week; Dorothy F. Farrar, 51 Vale street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; Guisseppe Verna, 97 Hunneman street, Roxbury, hospital kitchen worker, $53 a week; Henry Sullivan, 3 Dalessio court, South Boston, ambulance medical aid, $60.50 a week; James F. May, Jr., 9 Moultrie street, Dorchester, plumber, $60.50 a week; Virginia L. Soule, 49 South Huntington avenue, Jamaica Plain, clerk-typist, $43 a week; Florence A. Bursey, 710 Massachusetts avenue, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Margaret Mitchell, 11 Cornell street, Roslindale, floor nurse, $68 a week; Patricia M. Burns, 12 Jerome street, Dorchester, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour.

Temporary.—Lillian M. McKinney, 271 Cabot street, Roxbury, Susan A. Brown, 115 Pembroke street, Gladys L. Anderson, 191 Park Drive, Josephine Bill, 11 Andrews street, Ann M. Conole, 16 Raven street, Dorchester, Margaret Kain, 19 Starr Lane, Jamaica Plain, Sheidon M. Kolodny, 42 Gaston street, Roxbury, Agnes J. Rose, 871 East Fourth street, South Boston, Elizabeth R. McColgan, 180 Columbia road, Dorchester, Winifred P. Ryan, 1 Bainbridge street, Roxbury, John J. Donovan, 33 Seymour street, Roslindale, Frank M. Fleming, 31 Bowdoin street, Catherine E. Hoffman, 18 Hamlet street, Dorchester, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; Virginia Barry, 200 Beech street, Roslindale, hospital house worker, $43 a week; Ann M. Judge, 35 Ainsworth street, Roslindale, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week; Leo H. Payette, 86 Appleton street, elevator operator, $43 a week; Walter M. MacKay, 69 Woodford street, Dorchester, ambulance medical aid, $53 a week; Barbara C. Twombly, 16 Ashford street, Allston; Frances Pinell, 65 Davison street, Hyde Park, Patricia McNally, 74 Hillsdale street, Dorchester, Mary M. Rourke, 62 Wyman street, Jamaica Plain, clerk-typists, $43 a week; Ann Regan Kinch, 166 Russell street, Everett, Armentry Jones, 232 Broadway, Cambridge, floor nurses, $1.70 an hour; Jerril G. Walsh, 209 Norfolk street, Dorchester, Madeleine Demers, 49 Mountfort street, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour; Nora Bennett, 589 California street, Newton, Madeline A. Mahoney, 1 Fletcher street, Roslindale, floor nurses, $60.50 a week; Dr. Pen Jeng Lin, China, senior assistant resident, $132 a month.

South Division.

For the week ending August 16:

The following permanent employees have been appointed:

Dorothy Kitfield, 5 Haskell street, Beverly Farms, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Helen Nasis, 745 Massachusetts avenue, floor nurse, $58 a week with room; Rose A. Pariseau, 149 Broad street, Lynn, floor nurse, $60.50 a week.

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Marie Crowley, 18 Laite road, Wilmington, 7 days; Alice Driscoll, 309 Allston street, Brighton, 3 days; Veronica McElligott, 34 Dickinson street, Somerville, 7 days; Jean E. O'Connell, 1734A Commonwealth avenue, 3 days; Jacquelyn Riley, 56 Maxwell street, Dorchester, 5 days.

The following temporary employees have been appointed:

Joan M. Donahue, 41 Pearl street, Dorchester, Edith Hall, 50 Evergreen avenue, Auburndale, Rose Holland, 401 Broadway, Cambridge, Helen Joyce, 439 Trapelo road, Belmont, Harriet Kandler, 74 Fenwood road, Mary Leahy, 11 War-

wick road, West Newton, Claire A. MacLeod, 379 Washington street, Islington, Mary Rowe, Bedford road, Concord, Ann Sheridan, 41 Pearl street, Dorchester, Margaret Sherman, 14 Ridge road, Lexington, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour; Veronica M. Beauregard, Westminster, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Joan Donahue, Beverly, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour; Charlotte E. Vinson, 669 Tremont street, Margaret Washington, 13 Woodrow Wilson court, Roxbury, hospital medical workers, $43 a week.

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—Dorothy Kitfield, 5 Haskell street, Beverly Farms, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Isabel C. Markey, 745 Massachusetts avenue, floor nurse, $58 a week with room.

Temporary.—Florence J. Mess, 141 North street, Somerville, Anita M. Sims, 3 Abbotsford street, Somerville, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour; Alfred Clark, 765 Washington street, Dorchester, clerk, $43 a week; Robert Quinn, 1 Staniford street, Charlotte Vinson, 669 Tremont street, hospital medical workers, $43 a week.

Long Island Division.

The following changes have been made in the personnel for the week ending August 17:

Terminations.—Donald A. Regan, Paul Sullivan, hospital house workers, emergency; Albert A. Mastrangelo, hospital kitchen worker; Margaret R. Doherty, hospital laundry worker; Robert S. Byron, John J. Clasby, John F. Donahue, Edward French, Joseph L. Kennedy, Jr., Joseph J. Lyons, John W. McKeown, Hugh J. McLaughlin, attendant nurses, Vacation Supply; Arthur V. Grace, hospital house worker.

Cancellation.—William G. O'Neill, attendant nurse.

VETERANS' SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

The request of Margaret Foley for extension of sick leave for her sister, Miriam R. L. Madden, be extended, because Miss Madden is at present hospitalized with a severe case of nerves, has been approved.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

MUNICIPAL COURT, SOUTH BOSTON DISTRICT.

Permission has been given to increase the salary of M. Regina Gibbons, probation officer, from $3,400 to $3,600 a year.

Appointments.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Anne Marie Grafton, 259 West Third street, South Boston, clerk and stenographer, $43 a week.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

House of Correction.

Thomas E. Conroy, 11 Ellison avenue, Dorchester, correction officer, $63 a week.

Ralph P. Dowling, 250 West Fifth street, South Boston, correction officer, $63 a week.

Henry E. Hickey, 1 Joyce-Hayes Way, South Boston, correction officer, $63 a week.

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING AUGUST 23.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
W. Broderick	15 Albright street	20	New appliances	$100
M. Caputo	165 Athens street	6	New appliances	60
D. Gould	9 Bainbridge street	11	New appliances	40
B. Weiner	96 Bellevue street	15	New appliances	100
L. Ciriello	19 Breed street	1	New appliances	10
S. Connolly	91 Burrell street	8	New appliances	50
W. Broderick	51 Carrolton road	20	New appliances	100
A. Stahly	348 Centre street	16	New appliances	70
J. Esterhill	66 Clarkson street	15	New appliances	75
J. Murphy	1575 Columbus avenue	11	New appliances	50
A. Granara	80 Commercial street	3	New appliances	13
M. Caputo	217 D street	6	New appliances	75
M. Riceman	14 Dewey street	13	New appliances	45
A. Stahly	72 Dix street	16	New appliances	10
L. Luxton	1757 Dorchester avenue	16	New appliances	25
J. Powers	220 E street	6	New appliances	100
M. Caputo	773 East Broadway	6	New appliances	15
M. Caputo	605 East Fourth street	6	New appliances	75
M. Caputo	189 F street	6	New appliances	15
P. Gulesian	36 Faraday street	18	New appliances	300
C. Gioiosa	24 Frankfort street	1	New appliances	20
D. Krieger	6 Greenheys street	14	New appliances	100
D. Mastrangelo	288 Hanover street	3	New appliances	20
J. Principato	440 Hanover street	3	New appliances	15
A. Granara	21 Henchman street	3	New appliances	10
P. Gulesian	1033 Hyde Park avenue	18	New appliances	300
S. Connolly	19 Kenilworth street	9	New appliances	50
M. Eskowitz	42 Lawrence avenue	14	New appliances	10
M. Wallen	236 Manchester street	17	New appliances	75
M. Wallen	240 Manchester street	17	New appliances	75
M. Wallen	244 Manchester street	17	New appliances	75
J. Liftman	69 Marine road	7	New appliances	125
H. Sellon	9 Neal court	2	New appliances	35
A. Stahly	21 Old Morton street	17	New appliances	75
D. O'Neill	26 Regis road	18	New appliances	25
D. Krieger	19 Ridgewood street	15	New appliances	100
P. Gulesian	18 Ridlon road	18	New appliances	200
D. O'Neill	94 Sherwood street	19	New appliances	20
W. Broderick	102 Sprague street	18	New appliances	40
J. Liftman	51 Thomas park	7	New appliances	15
D. O'Neill	16 Warwick street	9	New appliances	150
S. Connolly	2679 Washington street	9	New appliances	75
M. Caputo	162 West Third street	6	New appliances	20
W. Awad	110 Brainerd road	21	New appliances	100
W. Awad	92 Brooks street	22	New appliances	100
M. Loiterstein	19 Burgess street	8	New appliances	30
N. Clark	41 Buswell street	21	New appliances	400
H. Geddis	217 Commonwealth avenue	5	New appliances	150
W. Awad	1706 Commonwealth avenue	21	New appliances	100
H. Geddis	281 Dartmouth street	5	New appliances	12
O. Weider	1863 Dorchester avenue	16	New appliances	100
L. McConkey	318 Dudley street	8	New appliances	40
H. Geddis	8 Fairfield street	5	New appliances	15
P. Kennedy	22 Follen street	4	New appliances	100
O. Weider	8 Glenrose road	16	New appliances	100
D. Greenwood	40 Hampstead road	11	New appliances	15
N. Clark	47 Iroquois street	10	New appliances	300
O. Weider	11 Lenoxdale avenue	16	New appliances	100
N. Clark	19 Montfern avenue	22	New appliances	400
N. Clark	101 Mt. Pleasant avenue	8	New appliances	400
J. Butler	413 Neponset avenue	16	New appliances	75
P. Kennedy	138 Newbury street	5	New appliances	100
O. Weider	83 Oakton avenue	16	New appliances	100
N. Clark	25 Potomac street	20	New appliances	300
H. Geddis	66 Revere street	5	New appliances	15
P. Kennedy	258 Shawmut avenue	3	New appliances	100
P. Kennedy	18A Tyler street	3	New appliances	100
N. Clark	120 Union Park street	3	New appliances	400
J. Vogel	555 Washington street	22	New appliances	8
F. Odenweller	320 West Broadway	6	New appliances	42
F. Carr	47 Allen street	3	New appliances	10
H. Hinckley	30 Archdale street	19	New appliances	30
P. Sparco	16 Ashland street	3	New appliances	100
F. Carr	25 Auburn street	3	New appliances	25
D. Cahill	29 Beach street	16	New appliances	350
N. Deutsch	544 Bennington street	1	New appliances	50
L. Rubin	929 Blue Hill avenue	14	New appliances	45
S. Franco	35 Cambridge street	2	New appliances	10
N. Deutsch	310 Chelsea street	1	New appliances	60
N. Deutsch	354 Chelsea street	1	New appliances	30
M. Yorks	25 Decatur street	1	New appliances	10
W. Wiseman	45 Dewey street	13	New appliances	150
L. Rubin	17 Edson street	17	New appliances	30
F. O'Boy	450 Harrison avenue	3	New appliances	50
H. Slavet	38 Hemenway street	4	New appliances	50
H. Barron	27 Lambert street	9	New appliances	100
N. Deutsch	25 Lawrence street	2	New appliances	125
G. Trethewey	1 Lindall street	19	New appliances	400
W. Hogan	61 Marcella street	11	New appliances	100
G. Trethewey	38 Mendelssohn street	20	New appliances	175
P. Sparco	650 Metropolitan avenue	18	New appliances	150
N. Deutsch	238 Princeton street	1	New appliances	90
D. O'Neill	60 Prospect street	18	New appliances	25
W. Hogan	142 Rosseter street	14	New appliances	50
M. Yorks	458 Saratoga street	1	New appliances	10
J. Reis	98 Seaverns avenue	19	New appliances	60
G. Trethewey	1008 South street	20	New appliances	150
G. Trethewey	142 Sycamore street	19	New appliances	300
G. Trethewey	4073 Washington street	19	New appliances	25
G. Trethewey	11 Whitford street	18	New appliances	400
G. Vallati	9 Ashmont park	16	New appliances	15
G. Vallati	99 Bloomfield street	17	New appliances	400

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Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
G. Vallati	117 Bowdoin street	15	New appliances	$500
R. Strum	40 Bradfield avenue	20	New appliances	200
R. Strum	481 Brookline avenue	10	New appliances	90
I. Gerson	12 Cawfield street	7	New appliances	100
I. Gerson	31 Clayton street	15	New appliances	100
H. McMahon	66 Garfield avenue	18	New appliances	100
M. Woods	28 Hollander street	12	New appliances	100
H. McMahon	965 Hyde Park avenue	18	New appliances	100
H. Sellon	423 Main street	2	New appliances	100
H. McMahon	17 Mason street	18	New appliances	100
R. DiLorenzo	427 Meridian street	1	New appliances	45
H. McMahon	19 Mt. Pleasant street	18	New appliances	100
R. Strum	47 Nazing street	12	New appliances	5
H. McMahon	116 Readville street	18	New appliances	100
H. McMahon	1150 River street	18	New appliances	300
D. Krieger	149 Rowe street	19	New appliances	100
M. Woods	59 Ruggles street	9	New appliances	100
H. McMahon	16 Thatcher street	18	New appliances	40
G. Vallati	47 Tophff street	15	New appliances	200
E. Dorr	55 Tower street	11	New appliances	100
M. Woods	84 Tower street	11	New appliances	700
H. McMahon	73 Whitcomb avenue	19	New appliances	100
H. McMahon	75 Whitcomb avenue	19	New appliances	100
I. Springer	682 Blue Hill avenue	14	New appliances	25
K. Hering	369A Centre street	10	New appliances	50
T. Okerholm	140 Chelsea street	1	New appliances	20
P. Russo	141 Child street	18	New appliances	160
K. Hering	34 Creighton street	10	New appliances	425
O. Weider	58 Downer avenue	13	New appliances	100
A. Granara	20 Fleet street	3	New appliances	30

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM PLUMBING FOR THE WEEK ENDING AUGUST 23.

Plumber.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
L. Ciriello	619 Bennington street	1	Fixtures	$2,000
A. Stahly	348 Centre street	16	Fixtures	70
S. Landau	490 Commonwealth avenue	5	Fixtures	250
H. Ribeck	528 Commonwealth avenue	5	Fixtures	100
W. Baker	476 Gallivan Boulevard	16	Fixtures	100
P. Connell	20 Grassmere road	18	Fixtures	100
H. Ribeck	6 Greenheys street	14	Fixtures	100
J. Woods	106 Groveland street	18	Fixtures	700
M. Stahly	6 Homes avenue	15	Fixtures	550
F. Shomes	416 Marlborough street	5	Fixtures	250
F. Shomes	208 and 210 Milk street	3	Fixtures	950
A. Stahly	21 Old Morton street	17	Fixtures	75
L. Ciriello	331 Sumner street	1	Fixtures	150
A. Lebovitz	3 Walley street	1	Fixtures	300
D. Yorks	258 Allston street	21	Fixtures	400
E. Saba	35 Ayles road	18	Fixtures	900
H. Goldburg	19 Burgess street	8	Fixtures	150
D. Yorks	15 Dania street	18	Fixtures	400
S. Kramer	619 East Broadway	6	Fixtures	450
O. Weider	71 Maryknoll street	18	Fixtures	800
E. Dorr	523 Norfolk street	14	Fixtures	900
P. Connell	11 Pelton street	20	Fixtures	100
P. Connell	51 Potomac street	20	Fixtures	100
G. Robbins	8 Townsend place	5	Fixtures	200
D. Atkins	722 V.F.W. Parkway	20	Fixtures	100
G. Vogel	555 Washington street	22	Fixtures	20
P. Connell	113 Willow street	20	Fixtures	100
D. Yorks	59 Winslow street	20	Fixtures	400
H. Hinckley	30 Archdale road	19	Fixtures	175
H. Eichel	23 Ashmont street	17	Fixtures	400
E. Parad	95 Cushing avenue	13	Fixtures	350
W. Wiseman	45 Dewey street	13	Fixtures	400
H. Heath	604 East Fifth street	6	Fixtures	2,000
J. Lynch	9 Holmfield avenue	18	Fixtures	1,200
G. Ross	221 Longwood avenue	4	Fixtures	46,000
G. Trethewey	38 Mendelssohn street	20	Fixtures	175
H. Barron	618 Parker street	9	Fixtures	750
P. Sandberg	1041 South street	20	Fixtures	100
G. Patey	15 Surrey street	22	Fixtures	1,500
G. Vallati	99 Bloomfield street	17	Fixtures	200
R. Strum	40 Bradfield avenue	20	Fixtures	800
P. Russo	481 Brookline avenue	10	Fixtures	960
K. Boden	65 Hackensack road	20	Fixtures	200
E. Healy	104 Mt. Pleasant avenue	8	Fixtures	175
E. Dorr	55 Tower street	11	Fixtures	50
J. O'Neil	261 West street	18	Fixtures	650
J. O'Neil	263 West street	18	Fixtures	650
H. McMahon	73 Whitcomb avenue	19	Fixtures	1,200
H. McMahon	75 Whitcomb avenue	19	Fixtures	1,200
L. Speers	217 Chestnut Hill avenue	22	Fixtures	400
D. Carey	286 Congress street	3	Fixtures	100
T. Foley	2049 Dorchester avenue	17	Fixtures	50
A. Grogan	171 Emerson street	6	Fixtures	200
H. Barron	115 Fairmount street	17	Fixtures	600
E. Clayton	38 Hawthorne street	11	Fixtures	400
D. Carey	195 Manchester street	17	Fixtures	100
E. Clayton	360A Massachusetts avenue	4	Fixtures	35
H. Barron	96 Nightingale street	14	Fixtures	150
K. Hering	171 Warren street	12	Fixtures	1,100
O. Weider	81 Wenham street	19	Fixtures	50

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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Raymond G. Wallace, 23 Gavin Way, South Boston, correction officer, $63 a week.

Charles F. Verno, 3 Grayson street, Dorchester, correction officer, $63 a week.

Paul J. Madison, 403 East Fifth street, South Boston, correction officer, $63 a week.

Brosci DiBiccari, 149 Trenton street, East Boston, correction officer, $63 a week.

Welfare Department.

Central Office.

Edith A. Jackson, 255 Harold street, Roxbury, clerk and typist, $45.50 a week.

Appointments or Reinstatements.

Fire Department.

John G. Moriarty, 14 Furnival road, Jamaica Plain, fire fighter, $76.63 a week.

Hospital Department.

Main Division.

Mercedes Shruhan, 13 Wigglesworth street, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Nellie Blaisdell, 473 La Grange street, West Roxbury, floor nurse, $65.50 a week.

Helen O'Connor, 235 Park Drive, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Mary McGrady, 114 Larraday street, Hyde Park, telephone operator, $55.50 a week.

Rosalie Berinato, 140 Stanwood street, Dorchester, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Anne M. Belair, 97 Horadan Way, South Boston, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

John Fielding, 849 Union street, Rockland, principal X-ray technician, $63 a week.

Harold DeMarco, 314 West Fourth street, South Boston, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

Ralph W. Kent, 119 West Selden street, Mattapan, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

John J. Kearns, 29 Armstrong street, Jamaica Plain, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Thomas F. McNulty, 40 Rockvale Circle, Jamaica Plain, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

John J. Shea, 1113 Washington street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Long Island Division.

Elizabeth Travers, 38 Duncan street, Dorchester, hospital laundry worker, $43 a week.

Paul Sullivan, 149 Pleasant street, Dorchester, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Joseph L. Kennedy, Jr., 1275 Brook road, Milton, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Edward French, 27 Cook street, Charlestown, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

George E. Morrissey, 100 Park street, Dorchester, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Donald A. Regan, 760 Canterbury street, Roslindale, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Charles F. Mason, 212 River street, Mattapan, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

William T. Lynch, 27 Mayhew street, Dorchester, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Hugh J. McLaughlin, 10 Hill street, Charlestown, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Bridge-Tunnel Division.

Alfred R. Power, 52 Maple street, West Roxbury, tollman-guard, $63 a week.

Water Division.

Edward Murray, 71 St. Rose street, Jamaica Plain, laborer, $58 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Margaret G. Cowley, 81 Merrymount road, Quincy, social worker, $65.50 a week.

Changes in Status.

AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

John F. Fitzpatrick, 72 Winthrop street, Charlestown, from assistant city auditor (temporary) at $122.50 a week to assistant city auditor at $122.50 a week.

Thomas M. Lannon, 15 Carmel street, Roxbury, from deputy city auditor (temporary) at $146.25 a week to deputy city auditor at $146.25 a week.

John Flanagan, Jr., 857 Saratoga street, East Boston, from supervisor of statistical machines (temporary) at $87 a week to supervisor of statistical machines at $87 a week.

William M. Nagle, 102 Hancock street, Dorchester, from clerk at $48 a week to senior account clerk (temporary, 6 months) at $55.50 a week.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

James M. Finn, 125 Corey street, West Roxbury, from fire fighter at $74.71 a week to fire lieutenant at $86.59 a week.

John J. Swan, 130 Fuller street, Dorchester, from fire fighter at $76.63 a week to fire lieutenant at $90.61 a week.

Dennis J. Sullivan, 22 St. Gregory street, Dorchester, from fire fighter at $74.71 a week to fire lieutenant at $86.59 a week.

Joseph L. Tehan, 7 Langley road, Brighton, from fire lieutenant at $90.61 a week to fire captain at $102.68 a week.

Walter J. LaMontagne, 8 Emmet street, South Boston, from fire fighter at $74.71 a week to fire lieutenant at $86.59 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Lauretta Eldridge, 105 School street, Jamaica Plain, from laboratory assistant at $53 a week to laboratory technician (temporary, 6 months) at $58 a week.

Louise Houlihan, 97 Pierce avenue, Dorchester, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior clerk and typist (temporary, 6 months) at $55.50 a week.

Joseph P. Croke, 904 Harrison avenue, from hospital house worker at $50.50 a week to gardener's helper at $53 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Highway Division.

Lawrence A. West, 80 Brookway road, Roslindale, from laborer at $53 a week to motor equipment operator and laborer (temporary) at $55.50 a week.

George W. Ryan, 103 Brook avenue, Dorchester, from laborer at $55.50 a week to motor equipment operator and laborer (temporary) at $58 a week.

Ralph Monaco, 343 Border street, East Boston, from laborer at $50.50 a week to motor equipment operator and laborer (temporary) at $53 a week.

Edward J. Corbett, 230 Westville Street Extension, Dorchester, from laborer at $53 a week to motor equipment operator and laborer (temporary) at $55.50 a week.

Survey Division.

John J. Ryan, 129 Wrentham street, Dorchester, from senior designing engineer (temporary) at $113 a week to senior designing engineer at $113 a week.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

John T. Powers, 33 Spaulding street, Dorchester, from senior account clerk at $63 a week to deputy collector at $73 a week.

Joseph M. Porter, 701 Bennington street, East Boston, from deputy collector (temporary) at $83.50 a week to deputy collector at $83.50 a week.

Winfred E. Nixon, 12 Florida street, Dorchester, from deputy collector at $90.50 a week to teller at $90.50 a week.

Carl Stefani, 35 North Munroe terrace, Dorchester, from senior clerk at $65.50 a week to deputy collector at $76.50 a week.

Thomas J. McMackin, 22 Puritan avenue, Dorchester, from senior clerk and typist at $65.50 a week to deputy collector (temporary) at $75.08 a week.

Promotions.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Frank P. Henry, 15 Elmira street, Brighton, from senior environmental sanitation inspector (temporary) at $87 a week to senior environmental sanitation inspector (permanent) at $87 a week.

Daniel G. Milano, 137 Endicott street, from environmental sanitation inspector at $76.50 a week to senior environmental sanitation inspector at $80 a week.

Transfers.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Long Island Division.

Catherine T. Sears, 31 Elmdale street, Dorchester, from Hospital Department as hospital medical worker at $43 a week to Long Island Hospital Division as hospital house worker at $43 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

David P. Harrington, 23 O'Connell road, Dorchester, from Public Works Department (Sanitary Division) as senior account clerk at $63 a week to Public Works Department (Highway-Lighting Division) as principal clerk (temporary) at $65.50 a week.

Derrill DeMarino, 14 New Heath street, Roxbury, from Welfare Department as watchman at $53 a week to Public Works Department (Automotive Division) as laborer-watchman at $53 a week.

VETERANS' SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Marie H. Mahon, 11 Payson avenue, Dorchester, from Welfare Department as social worker at $73 a week to Veterans' Services Department as social worker at $73 a week.

Leaves of Absence.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Joseph L. Owens, 3110 Washington street, Jamaica Plain, senior clerk-typist, $63 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Mary T. Kenney, 128 G street, South Boston, senior clerk and typist, $63 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Kathleen Glynn, 27 Parkman street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $50.50 a week.

George Doyle, 226 Hemenway street, hospital house worker, $50.50 a week.

Eleanor Mulledy, 306 Summit avenue, Brighton, hospital kitchen worker, $53 a week.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Joan E. Croake, 731 Washington street, Dorchester, senior statistical machine operator, $63 a week.

Step-Rate Increases.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Arthur E. Burke, senior clerk, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

William F. Gildea, senior egress inspector, from $80 to $83.50 a week.

Edmund J. Morgan, chief building inspector, from $103.50 to $108.75 a week.

CITY PLANNING BOARD.

Archie V. Paskell, junior planner, from $80 to $87 a week.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Bridget T. MacNeill, senior clerk and stenographer, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

William V. Corbett, fire fighter, from $74.71 to $76.63 a week.

William H. Chisholm, fire fighter, from $74.71 to $76.63 a week.

Matthew Nihill, fire fighter, from $74.71 to $76.63 a week.

Peter A. Umile, fire fighter, from $74.71 to $76.63 a week.

Charles J. Connolly, fire fighter, from $74.71 to $76.63 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Virginia L. Soule, clerk and typist, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Margaret T. Burke, head nurse, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Long Island Division.

William A. Munroe, senior hospital kitchen worker, cook, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

William J. Hetherman, senior clerk-typist, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following requests:

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

For the week ending August 1:

Leonard Van Gemert, traffic signal repair foreman, 6 hours.

John Montgomery, traffic sign maintenance foreman, 40 hours.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

For the week ending August 16:

Paul W. Mooney, 12 hours at $3 an hour.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

For the week ending August 8:

John Kiely, second-class stationary engineer, 24 hours at $3 an hour.

Joseph Burke, second-class stationary engineer, 16 hours at $3 an hour.

Reginald Dunn, senior assistant chef, 16 hours at $2.35 an hour.

Cornelius Cooper, assistant chef, 16 hours at $2.26 an hour.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Cemetery Division.

Edwin W. Banks, foreman, Evergreen Cemetery, 8 hours at $2 an hour.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Sewer Division.

Myles McDonough, pumping station engineer, 8 hours at $3 an hour.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

John J. Donovan, 8 hours.
Brainerd Hughes, 8 hours.

VETERANS' RETIREMENTS.

The Mayor has approved the following veterans' applications for retirement:

Arthur Brownell, also known as Arthur D. Brownell, 10 Tesla street, Mattapan, fire fighter, Engine Company 48, Fire Department.

Valentine Keeley, 53 Rockne street, Dorchester, steam fireman, Buildings Division, Real Property Department.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award the contracts for work, materials, and supplies, in accordance with recommendations of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Purchasing Division.

Upon August 15 the Mayor approved a contract with Peters & Company, Inc., for furnishing utility tables to the Boston City Hospital. Approximate total amount of contract was $1,196.56, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids, opened July 21, were as follows:

Utility Tables.

51 Stainless Steel Utility Tables, As Per Specifications, Each.—American Hospital Supply Corporation, $32.79, tops are stainless steel, balance Silverlux enamel-finished mild steel; American Sterilizer Company, $63.65; Colson Corporation, $43; E. F. Mahady Company, $62.90; Market Forge Company, $44; McCarthy Brothers, $63.02; T. J. Noonan Company, $64.80, Wilson, all stainless steel, No. 3127AS, $31.60, Brooklyn, BR 2372, with rail; Peters & Co., Inc., $23.462*; Thomas W. Reed Company, $59.50.

Earliest Delivery Date after Receipt of Order.—American Hospital Supply Corporation, 45 days; American Sterilizer Company, 30 days; Colson Corporation, 45 to 60 days after receipt of order; E. F. Mahady Company, 30 days; Market Forge Company, 60 days; McCarthy Brothers, 30 to 40 days from receipt of order; T. J. Noonan Company, 15 to 30 days; Peters & Co., Inc., 30 to 45 days; Thomas W. Reed Company, 30 to 45 days for shipment.

Discount.—American Hospital Supply Corporation, 2 per cent, time of payment; American Sterilizer Company, net cash; Colson Corporation, 2 per cent, time of payment; E. F. Mahady Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Market Forge Company, net, 30 days; McCarthy Brothers, net; T. J. Noonan Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Peters & Co., Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Thomas W. Reed Company, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Make and Model Bid Upon.—American Hospital Supply Corporation, 2717-B; American Sterilizer Company, all stainless steel tables, manufactured by S. Blickman, Inc., exactly as per specifications, AHSC No. 27471B; Colson Corporation, quoting on utility table, per Colson sketch 7769 attached, except to be 16 inches wide x 20 inches long instead of 17 ⅞ inches x 29 ⅞ inches, overall height 32 inches, equipped with stainless steel top instead of carbon steel with linoleum covering and binding, both ends and one long side opposite drawer to be equipped with guard rail, equipped with four 1-2270-31 casters, in event order is placed will furnish revised drawings for approval before proceeding with fabrication; E. F. Mahady Company, Blickman, built to equal American Hospital No. 27471B; Market Forge Company, Market Forge Company, No. V-6532-L, *see* attached drawing; McCarthy Brothers, *see* photo attached, equal to specifications; T. J. Noonan Company, with stainless steel top, Brooklyn No. BR 2372, all stainless, Wilson, 3127AS; Peters & Co., Inc., Lakeside, Model No. 311, equal to American Hospital Supply Corporation, Catalogue No. 2747-B; Thomas W. Reed Company, Wilson, Model 1156-S, all stainless steel construction.

* Contract awarded.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

The School Committee has approved proposals for furnishing kitchen equipment for Boston public school kitchens and cafeterias. Bids, opened Friday, June 3, were received from the following concerns:

Admiral Equipment Company, Aluminum Goods Manufacturing Company, Boston China and Equipment Company, Cuticcut Company, Devine Foods, Inc., S. M. Levin Company, Inc., Jones, McDuffee & Stratton Corporation, Thompson Winchester Company, Inc.

Awards were made to the lowest responsible bidders, as follows:

S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $1,406.58.

Jones, McDuffee & Stratton Corporation, $1,103.69.

Thompson Winchester Company, Inc., $2,774.71.

Admiral Equipment Company, $2,117.68.

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The School Committee has approved proposals for furnishing scissors and shears for Boston public schools. Bids, opened Wednesday, June 22, were received from the following concerns:

H. Bowker & Co., Durbrow & Hearne, Inc., Gledhill Brothers, Inc., J. L. Hammett Company, Henkel-Clauss Company, O. P. Killiam & Son, Mainco Trading Company, Star Sales and Distributing Company, United Cutlery and Hardware Products Company, Henry S. Wolkins Company.

Awards were made to the lowest responsible bidders, as follows:

J. L. Hammett Company, $1,570.17.

United Cutlery and Hardware Products Company, $1,259.15.

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The School Committee has approved proposals for furnishing paper napkins, paper cups, etc., for Boston public schools. Bids, opened Thursday, June 23, were received from the following concerns:

H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., Ginsburg Brothers, Inc., Herz Manufacturing Corporation, Newark Parafine and Parchment Paper Company, Paper Fabricating Company, Sanita Paper Products Company, Stone & Forsyth Company, Stone Straw Corporation, Sugarman Brothers, Inc., Waltham Paper Products, Inc.

Awards were made to the lowest responsible bidders, as follows:

H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., $1,258.20.

Ginsburg Brothers, Inc., $1,131.

Stone Straw Corporation, $3,916.80.

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The School Committee has approved proposals for furnishing groceries for Boston public school cafeterias. Bids, opened Thursday, June 30, were received from the following concerns:

New England Importation Company, Inc., Monarch Finer Foods, Division of Consolidated Grocers, Inc., H. J. Heinz Company.

Awards were made to the lowest responsible bidders, as follows:

New England Importation Company, Inc., $3,691.86.

Monarch Finer Foods, Division of Consolidated Grocers, Inc., $8,562.91.

H. J. Heinz Company, $1,972.02.

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The School Committee has approved proposals for furnishing phonographs for Boston public schools. Bids, opened Thursday, July 7, were received from the following concerns:

H. B. Motion Picture Service, Charles W. Homeyer Company, Inc.

Award was made to the lowest responsible bidder, as follows:

Charles W. Homeyer Company, Inc., $1,581.28.

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The School Committee has approved proposals for cleansing, sterilizing, and reconditioning baseball and track equipment for Boston public schools. Bids, opened Wednesday, July 20, were received from the following concerns:

Arrow System, Division of Mulvey Company, Inc., Ivory System, Mercury System, Sportcraft Company.

Award was made to the lowest responsible bidder, as follows:

Ivory System, $3,788.10.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Upon August 18 the Mayor approved a contract with S. J. Tomasello Corporation for bituminous concrete pavement and sewerage works in Mt. Vernon street, Ward 13, at an estimated cost of $11,790. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed December 31, 1955. The following bids were received August 11:

S. J. Tomasello Corporation, $11,790; Baker & Co., Inc., $13,352.50.

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Upon August 18 the Mayor approved a contract with Baker & Co., Inc., for bituminous concrete pavement in Dorchester avenue, Ward 15; Dorchester avenue, Ward 3; Melcher street, Ward 6; Mt. Washington avenue, Ward 3; and such additional locations, if any, in Wards 3, 6, and 15, as may be designated by the Commissioner of Public Works, at an estimated cost of $103,716. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed December 31, 1955. The following bids were received July 21:

Baker & Co., Inc., $103,716; John McCourt Company, $105,305.50; Charles Todesca, $117,810; Faletra Brothers, Inc., $123,228.

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Upon August 19 the Mayor approved a contract with Kane & Diaferio Construction Company for construction of addition to Public Works Department garage, Highland street, Roxbury, at an estimated cost of $19,300. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed December 31, 1955. The following bids were received August 4:

Kane & Diaferio Construction Company, $19,300; Schwamb Construction Corporation, $19,350; J. L. J. Construction Corporation, $23,626; Vicari & Salvo, $24,853.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

Department of School Buildings.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Joseph P. O'Hearn for additions and alterations to heating and ventilating systems at the John Winthrop School, from September 1, 1955, to November 30, 1955. This extension was requested due to delays in delivery of motors and pumps.

Public Works Department.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Susi & DeSantis Company, Inc., dated June 13, 1955, for the building of sewerage works in David road and outlet in Mossbank Footway to Louder's Lane, West Roxbury, from August 12, 1955, to September 12, 1955. This extension was requested because the contractor was delayed due to inability to secure materials to complete the work caused by the recent truck strike.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with J. D'Amico, Inc., 49 Ellison avenue, Dorchester, for bituminous concrete pavement in Ansonia road, Cricket Lane, Highfield road, Ledgewood road, and Searle road, from July 31, 1955, to September 30, 1955. This extension was requested because the contractor was unable to complete the work due to adjustment to be made between the City of Boston and owner of private property.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with J. J. Bonavire, Inc., 209 Washington street, Boston, for construction of new garage, Public Works Department yard, City of Boston, 315 Western avenue, Brighton, from July 15, 1955, to August 15, 1955. This extension was requested because the contractor was delayed by the truck drivers' strike and the glaziers' strike.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with John McCourt Company, 28 Wolcott street, Readville, for work on Southampton street, from July 30, 1955, to August 31, 1955. This is a Chapter 90 project. This extension was requested because the State Department of Public Works voted to extend the time limit on the work.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Joseph Capone & Son, dated June 21, 1955, for the building of sewerage works in Ackley place, West Roxbury, and outlet in private land and Brookside Avenue Playground, from July 21, 1955, to August 31, 1955, a period of 41 days. This extension was requested because the contractor was unable to complete the work in the specified time.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Defina & Sons, 14 Liberty street, Waltham, for reinforced concrete retaining wall and chain link fence in Westglow street, from August 1, 1955, to September 1, 1955. This extension was requested because the contractor encountered a large amount of work that had to be done by hand.

OMIT AND SUBSTITUTE WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

Public Works Department.

S. J. Tomasello Corporation has been directed to omit and substitute the following work under the contract for bituminous concrete pavement in Burr street, Carolina avenue, Cheshire street, Dane street, Hawthorne street, Heathcote street, Perkins street, and Sedgwick street, dated July 13, 1955:

In Hawthorne street, omit the removal of three trees over 24 inches in diameter, including stumps, etc., at $140 per tree.

In Hawthorne street, substitute the removal of three trees over 24 inches in diameter and cutting stumps of same down to 4 inches below sidewalk grade at $140 per tree.

Estimated cost of omitted work, $420; estimated cost of substituted work, $420.

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J. A. Singarella Company has been directed to make the following omission and substitution in the contract for redecking and repairing the Summer Street Bridges, over A street, B street, and C street, dated April 27, 1955:

Omit: 11,000 pounds of structural steel, under Item 10, at 23 cents per pound, $2,530.

Substitute: Furnish, fabricate, and erect, complete in place, a new steel stairway at the Summer Street Bridge, over A street (exclusive of new treads to be installed under Item 12), including removal of old stairway and stair railing, at agreed price of $2,500.

Estimated decrease in cost to city, $30.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

Public Works Department.

S. J. Tomasello Corporation has been directed to perform the following extra work under the contract for bituminous concrete pavement in Bickford avenue, Bickford street, Bromley street, Burney street, Conant street, Frawley street, Kempton street, Longwood avenue, Mission street, Oscar street, Parkton road, and Stockwell street, dated June 6, 1955:

In Bickford street, in existing backfilled trenches over lighting conduits to excavate earth to a depth of 6 inches, remove pavement for a distance of 6 inches on each side, and place a 6-inch concrete mat flush with existing pavement. A 6-inch shoulder shall be provided around the perimeter of all openings to insure a bearing of the mat on undisturbed soil. This work is to be done by use of a compressor and hand labor. There is approximately 100.8 square yards of this work and the price to be paid is $4.50 per square yard. Estimated cost of extra work, $453.60.

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Park Construction Company has been directed to perform the following extra work under the contract for construction of office building and garage at Arborway and Forest Hills street, Ward 11, Boston, dated January 5, 1955:

Furnish and install one Tekheim electric gas pump, $45, with manual attachment, including all necessary wiring, piping, base, etc., for the sum of $928.30. Estimated cost of extra work, $928.30.

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S. J. Tomasello Corporation has been directed to perform the following extra work under the contract for bituminous concrete pavement in Bickford avenue, Bickford street, Bromley street, Burney street, Conant street, Frawley street, Kempton street, Longwood avenue, Mission street, Oscar street, Parkton road, and Stockwell street, dated June 6, 1955:

In Burney street, in existing backfilled trenches over lighting conduits excavate earth to a depth of 6 inches, remove pavement for a distance of 6 inches on each side, and place a 6-inch concrete mat flush with existing pavement. A 6-inch shoulder shall be provided around the perimeter of all openings to insure a bearing of the mat on undisturbed soil. High early strength Portland cement shall be used in the concrete for the mat. This work is to be done by use of a compressor and hand labor. There is approximately 19.5 square yards of this work and the price to be paid is $5 per square yard. Estimated cost of extra work, $97.50.

ADDITIONS TO CONTRACT.

Department of School Buildings.

Washington Contracting Company, Inc., has been allowed to make the following addition to the contract for the P. J. Kennedy and Emerson School:

Pave additional area of approximately 1,250 square yards at Prescott Street side, with black top. For this additional work, not called for in contract, add the sum of $927, and the amount of $927 will be added therefor, making the account as follows: contract price, $5,685; total additions, $927; amount of contract, $6,612.

CHANGES IN CONTRACT.

Department of School Buildings.

Joseph Rugo, Inc., has been ordered to make the following change in the contract for the Curtis Guild School:

In Rooms 106, 107, 108, and 109, use structural tile base in lieu of ceramic base. The floors in these rooms to be Sparta ceramics, Design 330, 2⅛-inches x 2⅛-inches, Sparta red dry press cushion edge, 7½ per cent abrasive, $120.

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Joseph Rugo, Inc., has been ordered to make the following change in the contract for the James J. Chittick School:

Eliminate end caps for sills, $146.

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Joseph Rugo, Inc., has been ordered to make the following change in the contract for the James J. Chittick School:

Furnish and install Ackerman & Mann safety belt anchors, Type 2SS2, in all new windows on the first and second floors for the sum of $412.73.

AMENDMENTS TO ORIGINAL AWARD OF DAMAGES.

The Public Improvement Commission has voted as follows:

That the amount of $300 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Edward W. and Alma M. Peak for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of March 25, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Ansonia road, West Roxbury.

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That the amount of $375 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Robert and Charlotte Miller for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of September 28, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Cricket Lane, West Roxbury.

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That the amount of $370 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Joseph and Gertrude E. Chiampa for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of March 25, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Mendell Way, West Roxbury.

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That the amount of $90 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Gerald G. and Bernice Rothstein for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of August 26, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Ledgedale road, West Roxbury.

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That the amount of $95 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to James E. O'Neil for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of September 10, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Corey terrace, West Roxbury.

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That the amount of $210 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Earl L. and Marie A. Richardson for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of June 22, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Bateman street, Hyde Park.

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That the amount of $75 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Edward W. and Florence B. Thomson for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of March 25, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Hemlock road, West Roxbury.

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That the amount of $75 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Bernt and Judith W. Benson for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of March 25, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Hemlock road, West Roxbury.

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That the amount of $532.80 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Mary A. Welch and Loretta J. Delaney for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of November 21, 1952, for the laying out and construction of Wyvern street, West Roxbury.

TRANSFERS OF APPROPRIATIONS.

The Mayor has approved the following requests for transfers of appropriations:

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

From Group VII, Structures and Improvements, Sub Code 701, Installations, Alterations and Repairs, $30,000, to Group V, Equipment, $30,000.

LICENSING BOARD.

From 360, Office Supplies, $40.50, to 591, Electrical Equipment, $40.50.

From 360, Office Supplies, $40, to 593, Library Books, $40.

From 360, Office Supplies, $125, to 590, Miscellaneous Equipment, $125.

From 360, Office Supplies, $300, to 560, Office Equipment, $300.

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 47.

I. RETIREMENTS.

The following retirements, in accordance with section 57, chapter 32, General Laws, as amended, are hereby announced, to become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, August 24, 1955:

Fire Fighter Joseph H. Dashner, Engine Company 13.

Fire Fighter Arthur D. Brownell, Engine Company 48.

The following retirements, in accordance with section 7, chapter 658 of the Acts of 1945, as amended, are hereby announced, to become effective at 8 A.M., Thursday, September 1, 1955:

Fire Fighter Olaf T. Svensen, Engine Company 17.

Fire Fighter Cleveland W. DeRoche, Ladder Company 17.

The following retirement, in accordance with section 6, chapter 32, General Laws, as amended, is hereby announced, to become effective at 8 A.M., Thursday, September 1, 1955:

Fire Fighter David F. Heelen, Engine Company 4.

Fire Fighter Dashner was appointed to the department April 16, 1926; Fire Fighter Brownell was appointed February 8, 1929; Fire Fighter Svensen was appointed September 1, 1943; Fire Fighter DeRoche was appointed October 31, 1945; Fire Fighter Heelen was appointed September 2, 1942.

All the foregoing-named members leave the department with the best wishes of their associates.

II. ODD CHANGE HARVEST.

Commencing Wednesday, August 24, 1955, Fire Fighter George J. McCabe of Engine Company 33 will call at the various districts, branches, divisions, and headquarters of this department and distribute to the officers in charge "Odd Change Harvest" containers.

This is in connection with the fund-raising campaign of the Catholic Guild for the Blind. District fire chiefs are requested to pass these containers among the companies in their respective districts.

Returns may be forwarded to Mr. John J. Walsh at the Headquarters Division, Monday through Friday, from 9 A.M. to 12 o'clock noon. The last date for making returns will be September 16, 1955.

By order of Fire Commissioner FRANCIS X. COTTER.

JOHN V. STAPLETON,
Chief of Department.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 2,086.

Patrolman John B. Harrington of Division 17 is commended and granted two days' extra vacation for meritorious police work performed on May 27, 1955.

While on his way home after completing a first half tour of duty, Patrolman Harrington observed two men carrying cardboard cartons from a variety store to a parked automobile. As the officer approached, the two men fled leaving a third man seated behind the wheel. With his service revolver drawn, Patrolman Harrington ordered the man from the car. He identified himself as the owner and operator of the car but denied acquaintance with the men who had fled. In the rear seat of the car was several hundred dollars worth of merchandise and a steel pinch bar which had been used to jimmy the door of the variety store.

Patrolman Harrington arrested the owner of the automobile as a suspicious person and he was arraigned in court for breaking and entering in the nighttime, larceny, and possession of burglar tools. Upon further questioning he admitted knowing the identity of the two men who had fled and warrants were obtained for their arrest.

The commissioner is pleased to recognize the alertness and devotion to duty shown by Patrolman Harrington as his prompt action undoubtedly prevented further breaks by this gang.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,087.

The resignation of Patrolman Joseph P. Ryan of Division 16 having been presented, it is hereby accepted, to take effect on Wednesday, August 24, 1955, at 7.45 o'clock A.M.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

John P. Costello, 17 Henshaw street, Brighton, in the sum of $265, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a rise in the sidewalk in front of 669 Cambridge street, Allston, March 3, 1955.

Sumner Elden, 206 Quincy Shore Drive, Quincy, in the sum of $485, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a piece of metal pipe which extended four inches above the sidewalk on the Hudson Street side of the building at 75 Kneeland street, December 27, 1954.

Starr Book Company, 103 Washington street, Boston, in the sum of $185, as compensation for damage to property in basement of above premises caused by water from a defective catch basin, March 22, 1955.

Elaine DiFronzo, 26 Sheafe street, Boston, a minor, by Enrico DiFronzo, father, in the sum of $465, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a broken piece of curbstone in front of 29 Sheafe street, January 7, 1955.

CITY OF BOSTON AND COUNTY OF SUFFOLK.

STATISTICAL FACTS FOR THE YEAR 1954

Date of incorporation	February 23, 1822
Date of adoption of City Charter (amended January 7, 1925)	1909
Form of Government	Mayor and City Council
Area (square miles)	47.81
Population — Federal Census (August 1, 1950)	801,444
Number of employees as of February 1, 1954	22,806
Boston Housing Authority:	
Federal Program (7,920 apartments housing 7,920 families)	
Number of apartments in veterans' permanent 1- and 2-family homes housing 1,306 families	
State-Aided Developments (containing 3,177 apartments housing 3,177 families)	
Building Department:	
Permits issued	17,515
Estimated cost	$35,771,706
Cemeteries: Number 19—Area (acres)	161.71
Election Department:	
Registered voters	383,864
Number of ballots cast last general election	169,493
Percentage of registered voters voting	44.15
Fire Department:	
Number of stations	51
Number of fireboats	2
Alarms responded to	15,150
Health Department: Health Units	10
Hospitals (Including Boston Sanatorium):	
City Hospital:	
Number of buildings	57
Bed capacity	2,460
Patients, daily average:	
Wards	1,798
Out-patient	891
Long Island Hospital:	
Number of buildings	27
Population	952
Library Department:	
Number of libraries	37
Number of employees (full time)	640
Number of volumes	2,011,358
Circulation	3,162,338
Markets, number of	2
Municipal buildings, number of	27
Park Department: Parks, number of acres	2,240.29
Area of playgrounds and play areas (acres)	807.12
Number of playgrounds and play areas	121
Number of municipal golf links	2
Number of municipal beaches	3
Public grounds and squares (acres)	57.41
Swimming pools (indoor) 2, (outdoor) 2	4
Number of recreation centers and indoor bathhouses	15
Police Department:	
Number of stations and headquarters	18
Arrests	93,294
Public Works Department:	
Bridges, number of	101
Miles of accepted streets and alleys	731
Sewers: Miles of sewers	1,302.75
Catch basins	23,972
Average number of gallons pumped daily at main pumping station	112,980,821
Sumner Traffic Tunnel: Length (feet)	5,654
Two-lane drive: Vehicles passing through — 1953	10,835,674
Water Service:	
Number of meters in service	95,653
Per capita daily average consumption (gallons)	139
Miles of mains: Ordinary	999,136
High pressure	18.72
Rapid Transit: Miles of subways and tunnels	16.81
Schools:	
Number of school buildings	224
Number of teachers	3,655
Average membership	94,774
Average daily attendance:	
Elementary and junior high schools	54,546
High schools	16,201
Kindergartens	8,151
Special schools	1,800

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

IN-SERVICE TRAINING SUPERVISOR, BOSTON WELFARE DEPARTMENT, OCTOBER 1, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, September 12, 1955.

This examination is open to residents of the state.

Salary: The minimum salary is $90.50 a week; the maximum salary is $113 a week.

Vacancies: At present there is one vacancy for a female, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: In cooperation with the administrative and supervisory staffs, to have responsibility for the over-all planning, development and execution of a program of training for the department; to be available for consultation on staff meeting programs; and to perform related work as required.

Examples of Duties: Interviewing candidates for initial social service employment, planning the orientation of appointees, supervising and guiding them during their probationary period, holding group discussions of their work experiences, and from time to time, submitting individual progress reports; in accordance with plans prescribed by the Board of Overseers, planning with and giving advice to employees who are interested in educational leave; teaching courses in social case work, and planning and directing seminars in social case work and related subjects, such as principles of supervision, for workers at various stages of experience; in accordance with plans approved by the Board of Overseers, cooperating with schools of social work in accepting their students for field work training, including students making special studies, and overseeing their work; organizing and directing a field training unit in the Social Service Division, and developing potential field work and group instructors from within the department.

The duties require an understanding of the laws and policies governing the public assistance program, as well as the ability to organize case work teaching material and to teach case work in a group setting.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants must have at least three years of full-time paid employment in a professional social case work capacity in a recognized public or private social agency and at least two years of experience in supervising beginning social case workers in a well-organized in-service training program in a public or private social case work agency or in supervising field work students in a graduate school of social work or in teaching case work courses in a graduate school of social work. *Substitution:* Successfully completed full-time study leading to a master's degree in a graduate school of social work may be substituted, year for year, for the required general case work experience but not for the two years of special supervisory or teaching experience.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements. Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

PROCEEDINGS OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

May 16, 1955.

A regular meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, at 4:50 P. M., the Chairman presiding.

Present: Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward.

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APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The reading of the minutes of the meetings of Apr. 25, 27, and May 2, 1955, was omitted, the Committee approving them as printed.

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APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS

The Chairman stated the question was on approving the appointments of teachers as reported by the Superintendent at the meeting of May 2, 1955, and laid over.

On roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION FOR GENERAL SCHOOL PURPOSES

The following communication was presented:

CITY OF BOSTON

In City Council

ORDERED: That the respective sums of money specified in the schedules hereinafter set out be, and hereby are, appropriated for school purposes in addition to appropriations previously voted by the School Committee; said sums to be raised by taxation on the polls and estates in the City of Boston; and that all orders heretofore or hereafter passed by the City Council relating to appropriations, taxes, and the interest thereon, apply to the appropriations and taxes herein provided for.

Administration	$ 143,792.82
Instruction	2,320,792.26
Auxiliary Services	123,339.13
Operations of Plant	566,751.15
Fixed Charges	124,773.61
	$3,279,448.97

In City Council May 2, 1955. Passed—yeas nine.

Approved by the Mayor May 3, 1955.

Attest:

(Signed) W. J. Malloy
City Clerk.

The foregoing order was originated by the Mayor and was submitted to the City Council on April 25, 1955.

Attest:

(Signed) W. J. Malloy
City Clerk.

Placed on file.

In connection with the foregoing, the Business Manager submitted the following statement:

SUMMARY OF APPROPRIATIONS FOR GENERAL SCHOOL PURPOSES

In accordance with the provisions of Chapter 224 of the Acts of 1936 as amended by Chapter 117 of the Acts of 1949, the amount of $3,279,448.97 was appropriated for General School Purposes by the City Council on the recommendation of His Honor the Mayor. The following is a summary of the appropriations for General School Purposes for 1955:

For General School Purposes:	Appropriations Made By School Committee	Appropriations of City Council	Total Appropriations
Administration	$ 819,000.00	$ 143,792.82	$ 962,792.82
Instruction	18,332,166.04	2,320,792.26	20,652,958.30
Auxiliary Services	683,970.22	123,339.13	807,309.35
Operation of Plant	2,507,890.79	566,751.15	3,074,641.94
Fixed Charges	456,980.14	124,773.61	581,753.75
Pensions to Teacher (non-contributory)	(1)	—	—
	$22,799,007.19	$3,279,448.97	$26,078,456.16

(1) No appropriation from tax levy. These pensions are paid from income received from the Commonwealth, unexpended balance of last year, and accrued interest of Permanent School Pension Fund.

Placed on file.

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The Business Manager submitted the following:

SUMMARY SHOWING TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS, TOTAL CREDITS, AND TOTAL AMOUNT TO BE RAISED BY TAXATION

In view of the action by the City Council on the recommendation of His Honor the Mayor passing additional appropriations for General School Purposes, the following summary shows the total appropriations, the total credits and the total amount to be raised by taxation for All School Purposes for the calendar year 1955:

	Appropriations	Credits	Amount to be Raised by Taxation
School Committee—General School Purposes	$26,078,456.16	$ 1,599,007.19	
Department of School Buildings—Alterations and repair of school buildings	2,059,305.80		
Estimated amount to be received by the City under General Laws, Chapter 70		1,762,083.00	
	$28,137,761.96	$ 3,361,090.19	$24,776,671.77
Department of School Buildings—Land and buildings for schools	134,775.00		134,775.00
Totals	$28,272,536.96	$ 3,361,090.19	$24,911,446.77

N. B. The total credits are made up of unexpended balances, the estimated income for the current year, and the estimated amount to be received by the City under General Laws, Chapter 70.

Respectfully submitted
(Signed) Henry J. Smith
Business Manager

Placed on file.

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IN MEMORIAM

The Superintendent regretfully reported the death of Irving T. Howe, supervisor of attendance, Department of Attendance, on May 6, 1955.

Placed on file.

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The School Committee requested that a letter of condolence, to be signed by the Secretary, be sent to the bereaved family.

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RESIGNATIONS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of May 16, 1955, reporting the resignations of the following-named teachers, to take effect on the dates stated:

South Boston High School—Mary L. Tebeau, assistant, Mar. 31, 1955.

Department of Home Economics — Grace A. McDermott, teacher of cookery, junior high, Mar. 31, 1955.

Accepted.

RETIREMENTS ON PENSION

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of May 16, 1955, reporting the retirement from active service of the following-named members of the State-Boston Retirement System, to take effect on the dates indicated, as certified by the Boston Retirement Board:

Jeremiah E. Burke High School for Girls—Joseph L. Butler, senior building custodian, Apr. 1, 1955.

Mary E. Curley Junior High School—Herbert J. Kine, senior building custodian, Apr. 30, 1955.

Thomas Dwight School—William P. Cleary, senior building custodian, Apr. 30, 1955.

Placed on file.

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The Superintendent reported the retirement from active service of the following-named veteran who has been retired under the provisions of Chapter 32 of the General Laws, as amended:

Samuel Adams District—Leo V. Motley, submaster, May 17, 1955, $3767.40 per annum.

Placed on file.

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APPOINTMENTS

The following nominations by the Superintendent, certified by him as being in accordance with the rules and regulations, to take effect on the dates stated were presented

(FROM THE ELIGIBLE LIST)

Patrick T. Campbell Junior High School—Daniel E. Kearns, teacher, junior high (third year salary—$3780 — anniversary date June 1), June 20, 1955.

Department of School Hygiene —Louise Sharko Holthaus, school nurse (fourth year salary—$3744 —anniversary date June 1), June 1, 1955.

On roll call the rules were suspended and the appointments approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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LIST OF TEACHERS APPROVED FOR TEMPORARY SERVICE

The Superintendent submitted under the provisions of Section 265, paragraph 3 of the regulations, the following list of teachers approved by him from which assignments may be made for temporary service:

Marilyn Driscoll Dybes, Margaret Foley Healy, Walter B. Rogers, Charles W. Sullivan, Jr.

On roll call the list of teachers was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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DEPARTMENT OF ADULT EDUCATIONAL AND RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of May 16, 1955, reporting, subject to the approval of the School Committee, the appointment of the following-named person for service in the evening schools for the term 1954-1955:

Roxbury Evening School—Charles B. Kenney, assistant, Mar. 24, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of May 16, 1955, reporting, subject to the approval of the School Committee, that he has made the following transfers of teachers, to take effect on the dates stated:

Mary K. Hickey, assistant, South Boston Evening Commercial High School, to the same position in the Roslindale Evening Commercial High School, Apr. 5, 1955.

James N. Adams, assistant, South Boston Evening Commercial High School, to the same position in the Roslindale Evening School, Apr. 5, 1955.

Martin J. Davin, assistant, Roxbury Evening Commercial High School, to the same position in the Boston Central Evening High School, Apr. 26, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the transfers were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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PLAYGROUNDS

(Spring Season—1955)
(To take effect Apr. 25, 1955)

Supervisors — M. Doris Armstrong, Marie R. Cunningham, Frederick J. Gillis, Jr., Rosetta M. McNamara, Winifred C. Prendergast, George P. Ryan.

On roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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Teachers—Elizabeth J. Anderson, Ann M. Andreas, Elvira Vecchione Artick, Ellen M. Ahern, Virginia A. Barry, Catherine A. Baxter, Michael J. Berrigan, Catherine R. Berry, Joseph C. Bettinelli, Katherine Bradford, Edith M. Brown, John P. Bryant, Kathleen R. Callahan, Olga E. Callender, John L. Carroll, Rosemary A. Casey, Norma Centracchio, Howard L. Churchill, Joan P. Collins, Barbara F. Connolly, Frances E. Corcoran, Ethel J. Courtney, Lorraine M. Cowan, Jeanne Creamer, Joan Donoghue Crecdon, James A. Cronin, Rita H. Crowley, Patricia R. Devine, Elizabeth A. Devlin, Mary T. Devlin, Beth A. Dignan, Janet M. DiPesa, Margaret A. Dolan, Dorothy Downey, Cecile B. Durham, Eleanora T. Duross, Virginia M. Duseau, Katherine R. Fanning, Kathleen V. Fitzpatrick, Mary F. Flynn, Mary F. Gallagher, Charles J Garvey, Samuel Goldfarb, Robert J. Gravallese, Marie T. Greene, Theresa T. Gross, Ruth J. Harrell, Kathleen L. Hayes, Marie T. Hayes, Carolyn H. Henderson, Margaret A. Holzman, Kathleen C. Hynes, Roselmine M. Indrisano, Florence A. Jennings, Era Kanes, Jane I. Keating, Marie F. Kehoe, Rosemary A. Keiran, Thomas B. Lavin, Thelma L. Lawrence, Nicholas J. Lembo, Barbara J. Lynch, Christine M. Lyons, Frances Lyons, Maureen L. Mahoney, Philip A. Marino, Philip Matthews, Jenny Mellett, Theresa L. Molloy, Marie A. Morello, Fredcrick J. Mullane, George A. Murphy, Janet F. Murphy, Katherine M. Murphy, Marilyn C. Murphy, Maureen E. Murphy, Robert L. Murray, Elizabeth A. McA'Nulty, Mary A. McCabe, Jeanne S. McCarthy, John W. McCue, William F. McLaughlin, Shirley L. McLean, Beverly A. Nee, Honora M. O'Connor, James H. O'Malley, Ann Driscoll Oteri, Rita A. Palermo, Rosemarie A. Pascucci, Hazelle D. Pitters, Carol M. Punch, Maryjo A. Quigley, Barbara F. Richmond, Edward C. Roche, Nancy J. Roumacher, Robert P. Sheridan, Gerard J. Swanson, Rhoda Henderson Thomas, M. Gregory Toupouzis, Stephen Triantafel, Josephine G. Trocchio, Ernestine Tuitt, Adele M. Twomey, Archie J. Walsh, Anita M. Ward, Michael C. Warsowick, Annc Wells Westbrooks, Ada M. Whelton, Norma F. White.

On roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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TEMPORARY SCHOOL NURSE

Department of School Hygiene —Edith B. Sheehan, May 10, 1955.

On roll call the appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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APPRENTICESHIP AND JOURNEYMAN CLASSES

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of May 16, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee and in accordance with the order passed at the meeting of Oct. 6, 1941 (p. 195), he has appointed the following-named person to the Apprenticeship and Journeyman Classes for Various Trades, to take effect on the date stated:

Clerical Assistant — Catherine G. D'Arcy, Apr. 30, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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LEAVES OF ABSENCE

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of May 16, 1955, recommending that leave of absence, without pay, be granted the following-named teacher for the term specified:

Henry L. Higginson District—Mary M. Verona, teacher, elementary, Sept. 1, 1955 to Aug. 31, 1956.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the leave of absence without pay was granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent under date of May 16, 1955, recommending that leave of absence without loss of pay be granted Rocco J. Sammartano, trade instructor, Boston Trade High School, from

May 31 to June 3, 1955, inclusive, in order that he may attend as a delegate the 11th Annual Seaboard Apprenticeship Conference to be held at Concord, Kiamesha Lake, New York.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the leave of absence without loss of pay was granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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ASSIGNMENTS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of May 16, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has assigned the following-named teachers, as indicated, without change of rank or salary, to take effect on the dates indicated and to continue for the school year ending Aug. 31, 1955, unless earlier terminated by the Superintendent with the approval of the School Committee:

Roxbury Memorial High School (Boys)—Daniel F. O'Connell, head of department, to the Dorchester High School, June 1, 1955.

Agassiz District—Jennie M. Russo, assistant, special class, to the Dillaway District, May 16, 1955.

Sherwin District—John H. Hegarty, assistant, special class, to the William Howard Taft Junior High School, May 16, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the assignments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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DESIGNATIONS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of May 16, 1955, reporting that he has made the following designations of teachers, to serve in the positions indicated, until such time as they shall be filled otherwise, in accordance with the rules and regulations, but not beyond Aug. 31, 1955.

Blackinton-John Cheverus District—Francis W. Hochmuth, shop instructor, Department of Industrial Arts, as acting submaster (vice Frederick L. Sweeney, absent on leave), May 2, 1955.

Michelangelo - Eliot - Hancock District — Elizabeth V. Drea, teacher, junior high, as acting vice principal (vice Mary F. Sharkey, absent on leave), Apr. 14, 1955.

Placed on file.

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REPORT ON MARRIED TEACHERS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of May 16, 1955, reporting that in accordance with the provisions of Section 283 of the regulations the following-named female teachers have reported that they were married on the dates indicated:

Jeremiah E. Burke High School for Girls—Irene A. Yurenas, assistant, married Nov. 14, 1954, new name Irene A. Mickunas.

Hyde-Everett District—Marie I. Cooke, teacher, elementary, married Apr. 21, 1955, new name Marie I. Myers.

James A. Garfield District—Jeanne M. McGovern, teacher, elementary, married Apr. 16, 1955, new name Jeanne M. Curtis.

Placed on file.

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PLAYGROUND SEASON (1955)

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the playground season for 1955 is hereby established as follows:

Spring Season—April 25 through June 10. Summer Season—July 5 through August 26.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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DEMOLITION OF SCHOOL

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the William Cullen Bryant School, Kenilworth Street, Roxbury, be demolished and the site retained.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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SALARY ORDERS

Mr. Ward offered the following:

ORDERED, That the salary of temporary cafeteria attendants be established at the rate of one dollar ($1.00) per hour, to take effect May 16, 1955.

On roll call the order was passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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Mr. Ward offered the following:

ORDERED, That the salary of temporary stenographers, clerk-typists, clerks, and messengers in the Administrative Offices and Supply Room, and secretaries in the schools, be established at the rate of nine dollars and fifty cents ($9.50) a day, to take effect May 16, 1955.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

SCHOOLBOY PARADE TO BE HELD ANNUALLY ON MAY 1

Mr. Ward offered the following:

On May 1, 1955, Pope Pius XII proclaimed that May one should be "a day of rejoicing for the concrete and progressive triumphs of dignified labor." In this manner, May one would be a psychological stimulation among the Christian people of the world for social peace. Dissension, deadly hatred, and bloody violence would give way to peace, love, and law. The honest workman has projected a dignified personality before God, and has raised the state of manual labor to one of honor and respect. Among the zealous and honest workmen of America, Communism has raised its poisonous fangs to sting the workman and destroy his ideas of justice and law that are so necessary to our democratic way of life. It is the moral order established by God that will destroy the discordant and ugly sirens that secretly endeavor to lure the laborer to pits of debasement.

Lacking a solid foundation America becomes defenseless against such a foe, a foe who bores quietly from within with empty slogans, and false words that confuse and bewilder the ordinary man until he gropes along in a state of amazement. These breeders of malice skillfully conceal the truth. Against this hidden manipulation of secretly formed groups of terror, American education must meet this challenge by action. It is only a fool who in his intellectual snobishness believes that "all is safe" when the enemy is at our gates. Too long have we waited for the fatal blow to strike. We must prepare, not tomorrow, but now! In order to put our ideas into action I submit to the members of the School Committee the following order:

ORDERED, That, beginning in 1956, the Annual Schoolboy Parade be held on May 1 of each year when such date falls on a school day; provided, however, that when May 1 falls on a Saturday or Sunday, the Annual Schoolboy Parade be held on the following Monday.

On roll call, the foregoing statement and order was ordered spread in full on the record of this meeting, by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee and Musco—4.

NAYS—0.

PRESENT—Mr. Ward—1.

Finally, the foregoing order of Mr. Ward pertaining to the date of the Annual Schoolboy Parade was laid over.

LIST OF AUTHORIZED TEXT BOOKS

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the following-named books are hereby authorized for use as text books as indicated:

Chapman, P. W. Successful Farming Turner E* Smith and Company. c1948. Grade IX*. Net $2.29 f.o.b. Atlanta Ga.

Kibbe, C. V. Standard Textbook of Cosmetology. Milady Publishing Company. c1954. Grade XI*. Net $3.00 f.o.b. N. Y.

War Department, Washington, D. C. Junior R. O. T. C. Manual. Harrisburg Military Service Publishing Co. Grade X*. Net $3.20 f.o.b. Harrisburg.

White, J. rev. by Sellers. The Farmer's Handbook. University of Oklahoma Press. c1952. Grade XI*. Net $3.96 f.o.b. Oklahoma.

*Not more than 45 copies to be purchased for a school or district.

Laid over.

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APPOINTMENT OF ASSISTANTS, ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICES

A communication was received from the Secretary, under date of May 16, 1955, reporting, subject to the approval of the School Committee and the approval of the Division of Civil Service, the appointment of Mary V. Benson as Assistant, Office of the Secretary, for one day, May 16, 1955, in order to effect her transfer to the Massachusetts Department of Education on May 17, 1955. Mrs. Benson, then Mary V. Murray, resigned her position as Assistant, Office of the Superintendent, June 30, 1916.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the salary of Mary V. Benson, Assistant, Office of the Secretary, is hereby established at the rate of forty-eight dollars and eighteen cents ($48.18) a week, for one day, May 16, 1955.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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A communication was received from the Secretary, under date of May 16, 1955, reporting, subject to the approval of the School Committee, and with the approval of the Division of Civil Service and the consent of the head of the department concerned, the appointment of Margaret M. Peatridge as Assistant Office of the Superintendent, by transfer from the Division of Employment Security, Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to take effect May 11, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the salary of Margaret M. Peatridge, Assistant, Office of the Superintendent, is hereby established at the rate of forty-eight dollars and eighteen cents ($48.18) a week, to take effect May 11, 1955, and to continue until otherwise ordered.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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APPOINTMENT OF CLERK AND MESSENGER, OFFICE OF BUSINESS MANAGER

A communication was received from the Secretary, under date of May 16, 1955, reporting that the Division of Civil Service has certified the names of persons eligible for appointment to fill one position as permanent male Clerk and Messenger in the Office of the Business Manager.

Placed on file.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That William M. McCready, who stands at the head of the list certified by the Division of Civil Service as eligible to fill the position as Clerk and Messenger in the Office of the Business Manager, is hereby appointed to the position, to take effect June 1, 1955.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the salary of William M. McCready, Clerk and Messenger, Office of the Business Manager, is hereby established at the rate of forty-eight dollars and eighteen cents ($48.18) a week, to take effect June 1, 1955, and to continue until otherwise ordered.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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APPOINTMENT OF ARMORER

A communication was received from the Secretary, under date of May 16, 1955, reporting that the Division of Civil Service has certified the follow-named persons as eligible to fill one position as permanent male Armorer in the Department of Physical Education:

Frederick N. Cronin
William J. McCluskey, Jr.
Walter F. Barrett, Jr.

Placed on file.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That Frederick N. Cronin, the first person on the list certified by the Division of Civil Service, is hereby appointed to the position of Armorer, Department of Physical Education, to take effect May 17, 1955.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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ATTENDANCE AT CONVENTION

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of May 16, 1955, submitting, in accordance with the provisions of Section 3, of Chapter 274 of the Acts of 1914, report of Elizabeth H. Gilligan, Director, Department of Fine Arts, on her attendance at the National Art Education Association Conference, held in Cleveland, Ohio, Apr. 11 to 15, 1955, inclusive.

Placed on file.

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RESIGNATION OF CUSTODIAN

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of May 16, 1955, reporting the resignation, to take effect May 17, 1955, of Edward J. Merrigan, junior building custodian, Theodore Roosevelt Junior High School.

Accepted.

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APPOINTMENTS OF CUSTODIANS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of May 16, 1955, recommending, subject to the approval of the School Committee, and in accordance with the certification of the Division of Civil Service, that the following-named persons, who stand at the head of the promotional list, be appointed senior building custodians, to take effect May 18, 1955:

Bruce C. MacMaster
George A. Walsh
Sheldon H. Carty
Romeo W. Godin, Jr.
John P. Cahill

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of May 16, 1955, recommending subject to the approval of the School Committee, and in accordance with the certification of the Division of Civil Service, that the following-named junior building custodians, who stand at the head of the promotional list, be appointed permanent intermittent

senior building custodians, to take effect May 18, 1955:

Joseph L. Francis
James J. O'Hara
Daniel P. McCarthy
Francis J. McIntosh
William P. Kelly
James P. Monahan
John F. Foley

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Museo, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of May 16, 1955, recommending subject to the approval of the School Committee, and in accordance with the certification of the Division of Civil Service, the appointment of the following-named persons who stand at the head of the list and who have been approved by the Medical Director, Workmen's Compensation Service, City of Boston, as junior building custodians to take effect May 18, 1955:

Vincent P. Reed
Edward P Muehlberger
Joseph T. Bergin
James A. Russell
George D. Kelly
Richard F. Shaughnessy
William T. Hogan
Michael J. Connell
Joseph F. O'Neil

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Museo, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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TRANSFER OF CUSTODIANS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of May 16, 1955, recommending that subject to the approval of the School Committee, the following-named Senior Building Custodians who, by seniority and merit, stand at the head of their respective lists, be transferred to the schools indicated, to take effect Apr. 27, 1955:

Arthur Armstrong, from Aaron Davis School to John D. Philbrick School

Thomas F. Barry, from Oliver Wendell Holmes Junior High School to Grover Cleveland Junior High School

John J. Callahan, unassigned to Margaret Fuller School

Francis J. Cheney, from John Greenleaf Whittier School to Champlain School

Willard E. Crowell, from Harriet Baldwin School to David L. Barrett School

James J. Cuneo, Jr., from Oak Square School to James J. Storrow School

John J. Cunningham, from Audubon School to Hemenway School

John J. Dooley, from English High School to Mary E. Curley Junior High School

Thomas F. Duff, from Gilbert Stuart School to Dudley School

Harold J. Field, from Mary Hemenway School to Thomas N. Hart School

John J. Foley, from William E. Endicott School to Wyman School

Thomas F. Healey, unassigned to George Frisbie Hoar School

Leo R. Howe, from the Winchell School to the Harvard School

Martin D. Mullen, from Benedict Fenwick School to Henry Abrahams School

Chester L. Musgrave, from Boston Technical High School to Jeremiah E. Burke High School.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the transfers were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Museo, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of May 16, 1955, recommending, subject to the approval of the School Committee, the transfer of James F. Connolly, junior building custodian, from the Patrick T. Campbell Junior High School to the Administration Building Annex, to take effect May 18, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the transfer was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Museo, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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LEAVE OF ABSENCE TO CUSTODIAN

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of May 16, 1955, recommending that Robert E. Sullivan, junior building custodian, Jeremiah E. Burke High School for Girls, be granted leave of absence, without pay, for a period of three months, beginning May 11, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the leave of absence without pay was granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Museo, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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RESOLUTIONS

The following preamble and resolutions were offered by Mr. Ward:

WHEREAS, Louis F. Museo on May 16, 1945 brought into reality a need of long standing by the founding of the only nationally famous travel business school in New England, specializing in training of students for key positions in business and air transportation, and

WHEREAS, His patience and wisdom foresaw that the demand for trained personnel in our present air age would have a phenomenal growth, and

WHEREAS, His belief in our American Democracy and heritage prepares the student of today as the leader of tomorrow in an Air Age whose growth is as boundless as the stars, and

WHEREAS, His early attempts and pioneering spirit envisioned and founded a unique institution in the educational field of aviation so that its graduates are worthy, cultured, and qualified, and

WHEREAS, His kindness, his boundless energy, his facility to visualize the need of the morrow, his philosophy of education that develops a sense of right, duty, and honor, and

WHEREAS, His Alma Mater, Boston College, in 1952 selected him as the man of the year, and his election for six continuous years as President of the Massachusetts Council of Private Schools, stamp him as an outstanding citizen, and

WHEREAS, The Honorable John B. Hynes, Mayor of the City of Boston, presented to him on May 16, 1955 a plaque which cited him as a capable leader in the field of education, and

WHEREAS, His judgment of self is one of sincerity, his judgment of others one of charity; his determination to suspend decision until both sides have been heard are qualities that endear him to us, and

WHEREAS, His thoughtfulness of others, his loyalty to a cause, and his true gentleness are founded upon a sense of justice which is native to him; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the Boston School Committee by formal action hereby records that these characteristics are found in its fellow member, Louis F. Museo, and it is the hope of this Committee that success may follow his endeavors in the field of education, and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Secretary send a copy of these resolutions to the family of School Committeeman Louis F. Museo.

On roll call the preamble and resolutions were adopted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4.

NAYS—0.

PRESENT—Mr. Museo—1.

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The following preamble and resolutions were offered by Miss Fitzgerald:

WHEREAS, Michael E. Hennessy, the Boston Globe's brilliant reporter, political writer, and analyst, and beloved friend of plain, ordinary people of America, has been taken in death, and

WHEREAS, He was a great reporter "who never wrote a mean line" in all his writings and malice was ne'er set down to blight his page, and

WHEREAS, He was a simple, humorous, modest, and home loving man whose happiest hours were spent with his newspaper friends and his family, and

WHEREAS, He was honored by presidents, educators, associates, statesmen, and clergy for his accurate reporting, his kindliness, his knowledge of Boston's social and political background, his political editorship for sixty years on one of Boston's outstanding newspapers, and

WHEREAS, His loss to the people of Boston, Massachusetts, and the nation will be an irreplaceable one, whose brilliant reportorial ability will be a monument in the field of political journalism for others to follow, whose standards of fairness and wisdom place him among the "worthy ones" of newspaper row, be it therefore

RESOLVED, That the School Committee place upon its records these writings of sincere regret at the death of the late Michael E. Hennessy, who has won a crown of glory for a job well done; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That the School Committee in meeting assembled extends its deep sympathy to the family of Michael E. Hennessy and directs that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the owner of the Boston Globe and to the family of the late Michael E. Hennessy.

On roll call the preamble and resolutions were adopted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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The following preamble and resolutions were offered by Mr. Ward:

WHEREAS, James Morgan, famous editorial writer and political analyst of the Boston Daily Globe, has written his last by-line in this life, and

WHEREAS, He labored among the high and lowly with a courtesy that stamped him as a Lord Chesterfield of his day in journalism, grateful for the opinion of the taxi-driver as well as the views of statesmen, and

WHEREAS, He wrote for seventy-five years with such learning and such wise comments concerning justice in human affairs, that his writings became admired and loved by thousands of New Englanders, and

WHEREAS, He traveled the world over, blessed by his Maker with a photographic memory by which he retained in his mind a storehouse of facts about every city, or town, or country that he visited, and

WHEREAS, He left his unmistakable mark in the column so familiarly known to many as "Uncle Dudley" in which his occasional contributions of friendly counseling and kindly thoughts aided the general public in such matters, and

WHEREAS, He wrote many lines of golden thoughts, one of the best which will remain forever in our memories as an inspiration is, — "We are not responsible for the binding of our book of life, but we are for the contents," be it therefore

RESOLVED, That the School Committee place upon its records an expression of loss at the departure from this life of the late James Morgan. Therefore, be it further

RESOLVED, That the School Committee of the City of Boston in meeting assembled extends its sympathy to owners of the Boston Globe, to his fellow workers, to his friends and relatives, and closes with the memory, "that to know him was to love him."

On roll call the preamble and resolutions were adopted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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The Committee adjourned.

Attest:

AGNES E. REYNOLDS,
Secretary.

June 3, 1955.

A special meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, at 6:40 P. M., the Chairman presiding.

Present: Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward.

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APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The reading of the minutes of the meeting of May 16, 1955, was omitted, the Committee approving them as printed.

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SALARY OF SUPERINTENDENT OF CONSTRUCTION

The following communication was presented:

City of Boston
Department of School Buildings
26 Norman Street
May 20, 1955.

To The Members of the Boston School Committee:—

Chapter 351 of the Acts of 1929 as amended by Chapter 90 of the Acts of 1955 reads in part as follows:—

"His salary shall be established by said Board of Commissioners with the approval of the School Committee."

Consistent with the provisions of Chapter 351 of the Acts of 1929 as amended by Chapter 90 of the Acts of 1955, the Board of Commissioners of School Buildings at a regularly called meeting which was held on Thursday, May 19, 1955, established the salary of James H. Mooney, Superintendent of Construction, at Thirteen Thousand Five Hundred (13,500.00) dollars per annum, effective June 1, 1955 and hereby requests the approval of the School Committee of such established salary.

Very truly yours,
Board of Commissioners
of School Buildings,
(Signed) Joseph F. O'Connell, Jr.
Chairman.

Placed on file.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That this Committee hereby approves the establishment by the Board of Commissioners of School Buildings of the salary of the Superintendent of Construction at the rate of thirteen thousand five hundred dollars ($13,500) per annum, to take effect June 1, 1955, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 351 of the Acts of 1929 as amended by Chapter 90 of the Acts of 1955.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0

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RESOLUTIONS

The following preamble and resolutions were offered:

WHEREAS, The Most Reverend Richard J. Cushing, Archbishop of Boston, has ministered to God's people for thirty-four years, and

WHEREAS, His every thought and deed have hungered for relief to those whose lives have been forgotten by family and friends in a whirlpool of enjoyment, and

WHEREAS, His scholarly presentations of good counsel and ecclesiastical truths have soothed the aching hearts of thousands in this age of worry and turmoil, and

WHEREAS, His organizational power, his charity to all, and his faith that truth and justice will prevail, and

WHEREAS, His love and paternal anxiety, to the aged, to the sick, to the poor, to the weary wanderer, and to God's forgotten children, and

WHEREAS, His love to all mankind shines triumphantly through the mist where disappointment, sorrow, and suffering have raised their ugly heads to mock and to discourage him, and

WHEREAS, His dynamic applications of the use of modern science through the media of T. V. and Radio have brought solace and peace to thousands of people, and

WHEREAS, His life has been dedicated to the thought that to live another day for prayer, for love of and charity toward all men are eternal truths as everlasting as God's eternal justice and wisdom; be it therefore

RESOLVED, That the School Committee of the City of Boston extends to the Most Reverend Richard J. Cushing, Archbishop of Boston, its earnest and heartiest wishes to a great man who has served God for thirty-four tireless years, and hopes that his

future days will be crowned by success and heart's-ease, and be it further

RESOLVED, That these resolutions be placed upon its records and a copy sent by the Secretary to the Most Reverend Richard J. Cushing, Archbishop of Boston.

On roll call the preamble and resolutions were adopted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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At the suggestion of the Chairman, the members and officers of the Committee and those present in the School Committee Chamber stood in silence for one minute in honor of Archbishop Cushing's 34th anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood.

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IN MEMORIAM

The Superintendent regretfully reported the death on June 1, 1955, of Bernard J. Kilroy, submaster, James J. Chittick District.

Placed on file.

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RESOLUTIONS

The following preamble and resolutions were offered by Mr. Ward:

WHEREAS, Bernard J. Kilroy, Submaster of the James J. Chittick School in Mattapan, and assistant football coach at Boston Technical High School, has closed his eyes in long last sleep, and

WHEREAS, the School Committee genuinely recognizes the outstanding achievement of Mr. Kilroy in the classroom, on the athletic field, and in civic affairs, and

WHEREAS, His life at the High School of Commerce, at Mercerburg Academy, at St. John's Preparatory School, and at Boston College prepared him for that deserving recognition known as "All-American Center," and

WHEREAS, His courage, his kindness, his alertness, and his desire "to win" within the rules are truly great qualities possessed by him, and

WHEREAS, His loss to education and athletics will be felt by administrators, coaches, teachers, pupils, friends, and family, and

WHEREAS, His name, "Bernie" J. Kilroy, and his life have endeared him as a faithful, courteous and efficient teacher to his associates who held him in the highest esteem, be it therefore

RESOLVED, That The School Committee of the City of Boston enter upon the records a heartfelt expression of sorrow at the death of Bernard J. Kilroy, whose life beyond may be crowned with the thought,—"That whatever God chooses for us is better than that which we ourselves could choose;" therefore, be it further

RESOLVED, That The School Committee of the City of Boston in meeting assembled extends its sincere sympathy to the family of Mr. Kilroy and directs a copy of these resolutions be sent to his wife, Louise, and his children as an expression of the great loss that has come to them.

On roll call the preamble and resolutions were adopted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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The Superintendent regretfully reported the death of the following-named teacher who had been retired on pension:

High School of Practical Arts—Clara S. Gay, May 29, 1955.

Placed on file.

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The Superintendent regretfully reported the death on April. 7, 1955, of Thomas J. McDonough, senior building custodian, who had been retired on pension under the provisions of the Veteran's Retirement Act.

Placed on file.

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The School Committee requested that a letter of condolence, to be signed by the Secretary, be sent to the bereaved families.

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RETIREMENTS ON PENSION

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 3, 1955, reporting the retirement from active service of the following-named members of the State-Boston Retirement System, to take effect on the dates indicated, as certified by the Boston Retirement Board:

Girls' Latin School—Mary M. Conroy, head of department, June 15, 1955.

South Boston High School—Mary L. Tebeau, assistant, Mar. 31, 1955 (effective under provisions of Sec. 10).

Hart-Gaston-Perry District — Mary Rose Kirby, assistant, special class, May 31, 1955.

Department of Home Economies—Grace A. McDermott, teacher of cookery, junior high, Mar. 31, 1955 (effective under provisions of Sec. 10).

Department of School Lunches—Mary L. Phillips, Mary J. Tobin, cafeteria attendants, May 31, 1955.

Placed on file.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 3, 1955, reporting the retirement from active service of the following-named veterans who have been retired under the provisions of Chapter 32 of the General Laws, as amended:

English High School—Barnet Rudman, master, $3650.40 per annum, June 30, 1955.

Department of School Hygiene—Helen P. Nickerson, school medical aid, May 24, 1955, $1683.27 per annum.

Placed on file.

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APPOINTMENTS

The following nominations by the Superintendent, certified by him as being in accordance with the rules and regulations, to take effect on the dates stated, were presented:

(FROM THE ELIGIBLE LIST)

Bureau of Child Accounting—Division of Juvenile Adjustment—Albert J. Courtney, teacher of juvenile adjustment (fourth year salary - $3936 - anniversary date Sept. 1), Sept. 1, 1955.

Department of Music—Paul L. Paradise, Instructor of bands and orchestral instruments (third year salary - $3792 - anniversary date June 1), June 20, 1955.

On roll call the rules were suspended and the appointments approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Museo, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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(BY PROMOTION)

Girls' Latin School—Helen E. Mannix, head of department (from assistant,) June 16, 1955.

On roll call the rules were suspended and the appointment approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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DEPARTMENT OF ADULT EDUCATIONAL AND RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES

(Evening Schools)

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 3, 1955, recommending, subject to the approval of the School Committee, the appointment of the following-named person for service in the evening schools for the term 1954-55:

Boston Central Evening High School—George S. Hennessy, assistant, May 19, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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PLAY TEACHERS

High Schools)

(To take effect May 3, 1955)

Boston Technical High School—Thomas H. Wall.

Boston Trade High School—Walter D. Fitzgerald, John C. Tragakis.

On roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.
NAYS—0.

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LEAVES OF ABSENCE

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 3, 1955, recommending that leave of absence under a suspension of the regulations, and subject to the approval of the School Committee, be granted the following-named teachers for the terms specified:

Girls' High School—Edna S. Cann, assistant, Feb. 1 to Aug. 31, 1956, for rest; Grace A. Robbins, assistant, Feb. 1 to Aug. 31, 1956, for rest.

Longfellow District — Mildred K. Herlihy, teacher, elementary, Sept. 1 to Dec. 31, 1955, for rest.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the regulations were suspended and the leaves of absence granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.
NAYS—0.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 3. 1955, recommending that leave of absence for study, and travel, or for rest, be granted each of the following named teachers for the terms specified:

Dorchester High School—Linda F. Burr, assistant, from Sept. 1, 1955 to Aug. 31, 1956, for study and travel; Miriam R. Driscoll, assistant, physical education, high school, from Sept. 1, 1955 to Aug. 31, 1956, for rest.

Hyde Park High School—Marion H. Kidder, assistant, from Sept. 1, 1955 to Aug. 31, 1956, for rest.

Jefferson District — Mary E. Cotter, vice principal, from Sept. 1, 1955 to Aug. 31, 1956, for rest.

Julia Ward Howe District—Charles B. Cohn, teacher, elementary, from Sept. 1, 1955 to Aug. 31, 1956, for study and travel.

Washington Irving Junior High School—Eunice M. Wilson, teacher, junior high, Sept. 1, 1955 to Aug. 31, 1956, for study.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the leaves of absence for study, study and travel, or for rest were granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.
NAYS—0.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 3, 1955, recommending that leave of absence without pay be granted the following-named teachers for the terms specified:

Bennett District—Claire M. Fraser, teacher, elementary, Apr. 15, 1955 to Jan. 16, 1956, inclusive.

Francis Parkman District—Joan K. Dooley, teacher, elementary, May 31, 1955, to May 30, 1956, inclusive.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the leaves of absence without pay were granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.
NAYS—0.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 3, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has discontinued the leave of absence for maternity granted the following-named teacher at the meeting of Oct. 4, 1954, to take effect on the dates stated:

Elihu Greenwood District—Enid J. Rocha, teacher, elementary, Apr. 24, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the discontinuance of leave of absence was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.
NAYS—0.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 3, 1955, recommending that leave of absence without pay for maternity be granted the following-named teachers, to take effect on the dates indicated and to continue until terminated by the Superintendent with the approval of the School Committee; provided that such leave shall be for a period of at least three months after the date of birth and provided further that no such leave shall in any event exceed eighteen months:

Agassiz District—Natalie M. Floyd, teacher, elementary, May 2, 1955.

Dwight District—Jewell C. Vanderhoop, teacher, elementary, May 23, 1955.

Mather District — Mary E. Brady, teacher, elementary, Oct. 18, 1954.

Sherwin District—Rhoda H. Thomas, assistant, special class, May 23, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the leaves of absence without pay were granted by the following vote;

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Musco and Ward—4.
NAYS—Mr. Lee—1.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 3, 1955, recommending that leave of absence, without pay, be granted the following-named teachers for the term specified:

John Marshall District—Audrey A. Tacker, teacher, elementary, Sept. 1, 1955 to Aug. 31, 1956.

Longfellow District—Gertrude M. Cohen, teacher, elementary, Sept. 1, 1955 to Aug. 31, 1956.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the leaves of absence without pay were granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr. Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Musco and Ward—4.
NAYS—Mr. Lee—1.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That Matilda E. Cogan, assistant, high school, physical education, Department of Physical Education, is hereby granted leave of absence without loss of pay for the period June 16 to 23, 1955, inclusive, in order to take a course at the University of Colorado.

On roll call the regulations were suspended and the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Musco, and Ward—4.
NAYS—Mr. Lee—1.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That Grace F. Johnson, assistant, high school, physical education, Department of Physical Education, is hereby granted leave of absence without loss of pay for the period June 16 to 23, 1955, inclusive, in order to take a course at the University of Colorado.

On roll call the regulations were suspended and the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Musco, and Ward—4.
NAYS—Mr. Lee—1.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That leave of absence without pay is hereby granted the following-named teacher for the term specified:

Boston Technical High School—Simeon J. Domas, junior master, Sept. 1, 1955, to Aug. 31, 1956.

On roll call the regulations were suspended and the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.
NAYS—0.

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Chairman: I would like to have included in the record of the meeting the conference notes of this date commending Mr. Domas and his work. I think it is important for the people to know the reason for the extension of his leave of absence.

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The following is the extract from the Conference Notes of this date referred to by the Chairman:

Superintendent: Now Mr. Domas' case is an unusual one. You know I have stood on two years' leave of absence, as far as my recommendations are concerned. However, Mr. Domas is doing a special piece of work, he is doing it for the Massachusetts School Buildings Assistance Commission, and whatever the wishes of the Committee are are certainly all right with me.

Chairman: I would like to add this much to the record. I know this to be true from personal discussions with John Marshall, who is the head of the School Buildings Assistance Commission. He states that the connection of Mr. Domas with the Boston school system is a very great public relations advantage for us. In other words, the fact that he is connected with the Boston schools and goes out as a consultant to other states and to other cities and towns in Massachusetts makes good public relations for our schools. Although it is an unusual request to have it continue for so long, I do think that we should go along with it.

Mr. Musco: Madam Chairman, I had an occasion to observe this man in action at the Massachusetts Association of School Committees convention just last month. I did not know he was a Boston teacher but I was very much impressed with his delivery. I was more happy when I learned that he was a Boston teacher. He did a fine job.

Mr. Carr: Madam Chairman, may I add that at present, I believe, the director or one of those in one of the important positions up there is out because of illness, and Mr. Domas has taken over his place. He is filling a position of great responsibility. I think it would be a public service on the part of this Committee to allow him to stay.

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NEW ENGLAND VACATIONLAND

Mr. Musco: Madam Chairman, inasmuch as we are reaching the end of the school year—and I have attended some of the seminars at some of these colleges in the vicinity—and also because of the Boston Chamber of Commerce and the Department of Commerce in Massachusetts and also the New England Council doing quite a lot of promotion work in relation to our own state regarding its vacationland possibilities, I would like, with your approval, to insert the following into the record so that our children, our staff of school personnel, and the public in general will be cognizant of and can take advantage of the fine territorial vacationland that we have in this area.

With that in view I would like to read this article which appeared in a p. m. paper recently:

"In any business, success is not a question of what you have to sell but of how well you sell it. The old theory that the world will beat a path to your door if you make a good mousetrap is only half a theory at best. The more important half lies in the fact that you have to get out and promote the mousetrap until even the mice get interested.

"Here in Massachusetts we have a good product to sell: Massachusetts as Vacationland. For too many years we left the product gathering moss in the shed. Then we discovered that the rest of the nation was interested in buying. Happily we have been doing a fairly good selling job in recent years, though not the full job that could be done. We'll learn that, though, as time goes on and the profits grow bigger.

"One example of our progress in that line is the "Visit Massachusetts" booklet published and distributed by the Massachusetts Department of Commerce. It makes a good sales pitch for our vacationland product. Its colorful pictures, its make-up, its descriptive phrases, all form an attractive combination that should make any traveler eager to stop here for relaxation regardless of the season.

"Another related example has just been produced at Boston University. That's the announcement of a new travel-study program called "A Course on Wheels." It's based on a 12-day, 700-mile trip through a five-state area of New England with accompanying lectures. Those taking part will get the full treatment from Boston's shrines to bean suppers, from the Mohawk Trail to the old Mystic fishing village, from Provincetown artists to Salem witches.

"Efforts like these two show the sort of imaginative approach that is needed to sell the vacationland product and to line up repeat sales. Whether the direct objective is to spread culture and knowledge through study participation or to make the cash registers ring, the result is good for the state. It arouses interest and brings visitors. Any boost for Massachusetts helps us all."

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CANOEWAY

Mr. Lee: Madam Chairman, I would like to pursue Mr. Musco's ideas a little further, and a little more concretely in one particular, and this might call for a letter from the Committee to one of our state officials.

As one of the most attractive parts of this gateway to New England recreation, which the City of Boston is, our Charles River Basin stands prominently; and within the last five years some $200,000 was spent to still further improve that—to build a little canoeway or canal along the shore of the new Storrow Memorial Drive; and yet that new waterway has been blocked by floating obstructions since then.

As you know, our crews are now rowing on the river, and it would be nice variation of their daily routine if they could row through that canal. I think it would be helpful if we could direct Miss Reynolds to send a letter to Mr. Greenough, Chairman of the Metropolitan District Commission, saying we would look with favor on the opening of the canoeway to navigation. It would be nice for people coming from our Back Bay hotels on the way to the recreational paradise of the North and South Shores and of Maine and New Hampshire to be able to stroll down at sunset time and see boats going through that little canoeway instead of having it blocked up.

I would hope the Committee might direct Miss Reynolds to send that letter.

Mr. Ward: I would second that. I think this is a very good thing. The MDC should recognize elected bodies like this body here when they find something they feel is good for the welfare of the child. We are closer to the picture than they are, and we can act in an advisory capacity and tell them what we think.

I think it would be an excellent idea if we instructed the Secretary to write a letter to the MDC, if the Committee wants it, following Mr. Lee's suggestion.

Mr. Lee: Just say we look with favor on the opening of the canoeway to navigation. That is all I want to say.

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REPORT ON MARRIED TEACHERS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 3, 1955, reporting that, in accordance with the provisions of Section 283 of the regulations, the following-named female teachers have reported that they were married on the dates indicated:

Bigelow District—Evelyn R. Learner, teacher, elementary, married Feb. 14, 1955, new name Evelyn R. Clayman.

Norcross District—R. Eleanor McGowan, vice principal, married May 7, 1955, new name R. Eleanor Cushing.

Washington Allston District—Ann E. Cahill, assistant, special class, married Apr. 30, 1955, new name Ann E. O'Hearn.

Department of Home Economics—Margaret M. Mullen, teacher of sewing, elementary, married Apr. 23, 1955, new name Margaret M Mahoney

Placed on file.

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COMPENSATION TO SCHOOL PHYSICIANS FOR EXTRA SERVICES

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That there be allowed and paid to the following-named school physicians in the Department of School Hygiene, compensation at the rate of fifteen dollars ($15) per session for extra services at the Science Fair in the Boston Latin School on the dates indicated:

Dr. Solomon H. Rubin, supervising school physician, Apr. 1 and 2, 1955, one session each day.

Dr. Charles Silverstein, school physician, Apr. 1, 1955, one session.

Dr. Harry Levine, school physician, Apr. 2, 1955, one session.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.
NAYS—0.

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OVERTIME COMPENSATION

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That due to the emergency clerical work involved in connection with the payment of the June and July checks for teachers on or before the closing day of school in June, the Business Manager is hereby authorized to pay additional compensation to the clerks employed thereon for overtime service on a time and one-half basis, not exceeding five evenings for each clerk during the period June 6 to 10, 1955, inclusive.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.
NAYS—0.

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PRINTING OF COURSE OF STUDY

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the accompanying Curriculum Guide in World History for Senior High Schools is hereby adopted and that twelve hundred (1200) copies be printed as School Document No. 4, 1955.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.
NAYS—0.

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SAMUEL GROSS DAVIS FUND

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the Business Manager is hereby authorized to draw from the City Treasury the sum of four thousand three hundred eighty dollars ($4,380), from the income of the Samuel Gross Davis Fund, and that the Business Manager is further authorized to place this sum in the special bank account to the credit of "Henry J. Smith, Business Manager" for the purpose of making disbursements, through principals of schools, to pupils in the public schools selected to be the recipients of the benefactions provided in the will of Samuel Gross Davis.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.
NAYS—0.

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DELIVERY OF TEXT BOOKS

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the order passed at the meeting of Mar. 18, 1952 (see p. 57), authorizing the delivery of all textbooks to the individual schools instead of to the Supply Room, is hereby terminated forthwith, and that in the future all textbooks be delivered to the Supply Room.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.
NAYS—0.

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APPOINTMENT OF SUPERVISOR OF ATTENDANCE

A communication was received from the secretary, under date of June 3, 1955, reporting that the Division of Civil Service has certified the following-named persons as eligible to fill one position as permanent male Supervisor of Attendance:

Charles M. Parlon.
Joseph L. Hayes.
Thomas M. Finncran.

Placed on file.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That Charles M. Parlon, the first person on the list certified by the Division of Civil Service, is hereby appointed to the position of supervisor of attendance, Department of Attendance, to take effect June 13, 1955.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.
NAYS—0.

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ELIGIBLE LIST

A communication was received from the Board of Superintendents, under date of June 3, 1955, reporting an amendment of School Document No. 6, 1954, Candidates Eligible for Permanent Appointment as Teachers, as follows:

Page 17. Elementary School—Supplementary List Reentrants—819. Marie Maggiore Miskinis—June 30, 1958. Name removed.

This action is taken in view of the fact that Mrs. Miskinis remarried prior to the date of certification and is ineligible for appointment under the provisions of Section 274, paragraph 1 of the regulations.

Placed on file.

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ATTENDANCE AT CONVENTIONS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 3, 1955, submitting in accordance with the provisions of Section 3 of Chapter 274 of the Acts of 1914, his report of attendance at the Meeting of Superintendents in Cities with population over 200,000, held in Washington, D. C., Apr. 19 to 23, 1955, inclusive.

Placed on file.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 3, 1955, submitting, in accordance with the provisions of Section 3 of Chapter 274 of the Acts of 1914, report of Mary K. Fitzgerald, Chairman, School Committee of the City of Boston, on her attendance at the Convention of the Massachusetts Association of School Committees, held in Swampscott, May 12, 13, and 14, 1955.

Placed on file.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 3, 1955, submitting, in accordance with the provisions of Section 3 of Chapter 274 of the Acts of 1914, report of Louis F. Musco, member, School Committee of the City of Boston, on his attendance at the Convention of the Massachusetts Association of School Committees, held in Swampscott, May 12, 13, and 14, 1955.

Placed on file.

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EXPENDITURES TO MAY 1, 1955

A communication was received from the Business Manager, under date of June 3, 1955, submitting, pending the adoption of the maintenance budget, a statement showing the expenditures for the maintenance of the public schools for the current month, the expenditures for the first four drafts of the current fiscal year, the expenditures for the first four drafts of the fiscal year 1954 and the increases and decreases in the several items.

Placed on file.

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WITHDRAWAL OF APPOINTMENT OF CUSTODIAN

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 3, 1955, reporting that subject to the approval of the School Committee and at the request of the party concerned, he has withdrawn the appointment of Richard P. Shaughnessy, junior building custodian, as approved at the meeting of May 16, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the withdrawal of appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.
NAYS—0.

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LEAVES OF ABSENCE TO CUSTODIANS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 3, 1955, recommending that the following-named junior building custodians, be granted leave of absence without loss of pay, to participate in the Annual State Convention of the Department of Massachusetts Amvets, to be held at Holyoke, Massachusetts, from June 16 to June 19 1955:

Joseph L. Francis, Anthony M. Famigletti, Anthony Ranieri, William F. Mastrolia, Victorio A. Impemba.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the leaves of absence without loss of pay were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Museo, and Ward—5.
NAYS—0.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 3, 1955, recommending that leave of absence, without pay, for service in the Office of the Mayor, be granted to Robert F. Curtis, junior building custodian, for the period from May 25, 1955, to May 22, 1956.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the leave of absence without pay was granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Museo, and Ward—5.
NAYS—0.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 3, 1955, recommending that George B. Heckman, junior building custodian, Supply Room, be granted leave of absence, without pay, for personal venture, for three months beginning June 27, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the leave of absence without pay was granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Museo, and Ward—5.
NAYS—0.

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TRANSFER OF CUSTODIANS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 3, 1955, recommending that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, the following-named senior building custodians who, by seniority and merit, stand at the head of their respective lists, be transferred to the schools indicated, effective Sept. 15, 1954:

George W. Brennan, from Brighton High School to Boston Latin School.

Ira M. Jacobs, from Boston Latin School to Roxbury Memorial High School.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the transfers were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Museo, and Ward—5.
NAYS—0.

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UNFINISHED BUSINESS

The order laid over at the meeting of May 16, 1955, making changes in the List of Authorized Text Books, was taken up.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Museo, and Ward—5.
NAYS—0.

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TRANSPORTATION OF PUPILS, GIRLS' LATIN SCHOOL

It was agreed that the following extract from the Conference Notes of this date be printed in the record of the meeting:

Chairman: Before we go on with the regular agenda, I think there is an item that all members are very much concerned about and interested in, and I know you will be anxious to have an early report on it.

Mr. Superintendent, in recent weeks there has been concern expressed by residents of various parts of the city who have girls who will be attending Girls' Latin School in the fall. I believe you have been making a study of that situation and arrangements for such transportation.

Would you be ready with a report at this time that you could give the members?

Superintendent: Yes, Madam Chairman. We don't have a formal report here to give you a copy of, but we do have a very fine report which I am sure Mr. Daley will be willing to give to you verbally.

Would you care to do that now, Mr. Daley, telling the School Committee what you did in keeping with their wishes and what the most recent outcome of what you did is as of this afternoon.

Mr. Daley: Yes, sir.

Miss Fitzgerald and Members of the Committee, following directions given to me early in the current school year by the School Committee, and by the Superintendent, I have held several conferences with representatives of the M. T. A. Indeed, my discussions with M. T. A. officials go back to the previous school year.

Chairman: In other words, 1954?

Mr. Daley: Yes, Miss Fitzgerald.

Chairman: In 1954 and 1955?

Mr. Daley: 1954 and 1955. We have been studying constantly the overall picture of expediting transportation from all sections of the city to the Girls' Latin School, which will be located in the Codman Square school building as of September, 1955.

The particular areas of concern were Roslindale, West Roxbury, and Brighton.

Our study and examination of transportation facilities culminated in meetings with Mr. Richard Sullivan, General Superintendent of Transportation and Mr. John J. Callahan, Supervisor, South Surface Lines for the MTA.

Today I received by phone call this information—Mr. Dana and the trustees of the MTA have approved two-way bus service from the West Roxbury and Roslindale areas, and return service to Brighton.

The West Roxbury busses will depart from Spring and Centre Streets at 8.15 A. M., and they will operate via Centre Street, Belgrade Avenue, Corinth Street, Washington Street, Cummins Highway, American Legion Highway, Blue Hill Avenue, Talbot Avenue, to Codman Square. The A. M. operation from Washington and Corinth Streets will be express to Codman Square.

The question of two-way bus service from Brighton to Codman Square was considered at great length. Mr. Sullivan and Mr. Callahan pointed out that street car service and rapid transit transportation from Brighton to Codman Square during the morning hours would allow youngsters to arrive at this destination, Codman Square, more rapidly than the bus service.

In view of this, for the Brighton youngsters, when the traffic is not so heavy in the afternoon, a bus will be available at 2:40 which will operate directly from Codman Square to Brighton. Mr. Callahan also told me by phone that a letter of confirmation is in the mail. This letter approves the two-way bus service from Roslindale and West Roxbury and the one-way afternoon bus service for Brighton.

Chairman: Mr. Daley, isn't this a remarkable kind of cooperation from the MTA?

Mr. Daley: Yes, it is. The MTA has been most cooperative.

Chairman: And isn't it based on the good relationships that we have with them?

Mr. Daley: Yes. We have during the last several years revised the time schedules of our high schools so that there would not be heavy traffic at focal points during the morning hours.

Girls' Latin School will be dismissed at 2:30. Dorchester High School, in the Peacevale Road area, will be dismissed at 2:15; and moving down, the Jeremiah E. Burke High School is dismissed at 2:30. The Roxbury Memorial Girls, at 2:15; and the Roxbury Memorial, Boys, at 2 o'clock. Boston Latin School is dismissed at 2 o'clock; English High School at 2:30. The MTA is very grateful for the cooperation of the head masters in revising their time schedules to avoid congestion at dismissal time.

Chairman: And they were willing to give us this unusual amount of service as far as transportation is concerned because of their past experience with us?

Mr. Daley: Yes.

Mr. Ward: I think we have been kind to the MTA in the past in the requests they have made to us, and I think this is reciproeating in a sense. We have been changing our schedules.

Chairman: I would like to request the approval of the members of the School Committee to have the remarks of Mr. Daley

printed in the public meeting if that meets with your approval.

Mr. Musco: Yes, I endorse that heartily.

Chairman: That will be official.

Mr. Musco: I would like to suggest, too, that the Superintendent's office put a copy of that particular plan on the desk of each one of the members, please.

Mr. Daley: I had it in tentative form today, Madam Chairman and Mr. Musco, but I am awaiting the official letter from Mr. Dana.

Mr. Ward: Madam Chairman, all of these pupils will be advised of this if they live in those areas?

Mr. Daley: Yes. By the way, Mr. Louis McCoy, Head Master of the Girls' Latin School, participated in two of the conferences and is pleased with the arrangements.

Chairman: So all the girls going to the school in September will know how to get there?

Mr. Daley: We plan to inform the girls from all over the city, Madam Chairman.

Chairman: I certainly think you should be commended for the work you have done, Mr. Daley.

Mr. Lee: I wasn't sure I heard you correctly about mornings from Brighton. Mornings from Brighton they would not have a bus but would go—

Mr. Daley: Surface transportatiton in the morning would be slower from the Brighton area to Dorchester than rapid transit is.

Mr. Lee: Just to refresh myself at least on the whole situation, what was the reason we didn't let those who live in Brighton go to the old school? I mean there are plenty of rooms for a portion of the school in the old building, and those who wanted to go to Dorchester could go to Dorchester. Was it because it left too few members to organize a school? Was that it?

Mr. Daley: Yes, I would say so. That is one of the reasons.

Mr. Lee: There are still some reasons we could have had.

Mr. Ward: You would need two head masters, too.

Mr. Daley: Commissioner Desmond has notified the Superintendent—and I believe I was at the conference with him and with Mr. McCoy—that the State Department intends to move in the day the school closes in order to renovate the building for use by the State Teachers' College.

Chairman: Are there any further questions?

Mr. Ward: No.

Mr. Lee: How much of a demand have you heard that those Latin School boys who would like to go to school in Dorchester and go to a coed school be let into this new building?

Mr. Daley: I haven't had any requests.

Mr. Lee: But you have had requests from the girls that it be made coed, have you not?

Mr. Daley: I may have had one or two girls who were hopeful that it might be coed, Mr. Lee.

Mr. Lee: I believe that was the nub of this whole problem, Mr. Daley!

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RESOLUTION ON DEATH OF JAMES MORGAN

It was agreed that the following extract from the Conference Notes of this date be printed in the record of the meeting:

Mr Ward: Madam Chairman, at the meeting on May 16, 1955, at my request, the Committee adopted a preamble and resolutions on the death of James Morgan, who was with the Boston Globe for many years.

I now want to read a memorandum and letter on this matter and ask permission to have them both inserted in the record of the meeting.

This is a memorandum from Agnes E. Reynolds, Secretary:

"Mr. Winship, Managing Editor, Boston Globe, called to say that Mrs. Morgan, the widow of James Morgan, was especially pleased with the resolution which was recently adopted by the School Committee.

"He asked that the person who wrote this resolution, Mr. Francis J. O'Connor, also be so informed.

"Mrs. Morgan will include the resolution in a Memory Book which she is having prepared."

The letter to Miss Reynolds says:

"Dear Miss Reynolds:

"None of the hundreds of letters I have received has touched me more deeply than the tribute of the Boston School Committee.

"Bless every member of it for saying what I would most like to hear about Mr. Morgan. Such rare, discriminating insight into a man's real character is seldom seen or expressed. You so sweetly touched on the inner spirit that made him a little different from other men.

"I always have felt he possessed a rare combination of soul and mind. In your tribute you sensed that quality and I am grateful beyond words to you all.

"Very sincerely,

"Helen Morgan (Mrs. James")

I ask that this be inserted in the public record.

Chairman: I am sure that we would all be glad to have that done.

Mr. Ward: We owe a little debt of gratitude to Mr. O'Connor, who composed the preamble and resolutions.

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MUSIC ENCOURAGEMENT AND PROMOTION

It was agreed that the following extract from the Conference Notes of this date be printed in the record of the meeting:

Mr. Musco: Madam Chairman, under Chapter 137 of the Massachusetts laws, enacted on Mar. 5, 1953, the subject of music was included in that particular chapter, and it was my feeling as I went about the various high schools and junior high schools and the fourth, fifth and sixth grades in the elementary level that we should try to encourage and promote music within the school system, both vocal music and instrumental. I believe I asked the Superintendent at one time a few weeks back in relation to that particular promotion and encouragement of music. I believe he may have a report ready.

Superintendent: Madam Chairman, Mr. Ohrenberger has been discussing the problem of music encouragement and expansion with Mr. Tierney and perhaps other members of the Music Department. Now I don't know whether you care to make a verbal report at this time, Mr. Ohrenberger.

Mr. Ohrenberger: Mr. Tierney asked for an expansion in his department of an assistant serving immediately under him, and he made other recommendations which we will consult concerning the termination of certain titles with the present office-holders.

In other words, for example, he wanted to expand the teaching of instruments in the junior high schools and even in the lower grades if possible, and also the teaching of vocal music.

I have not had the opportunity to discuss it as yet with the Superintendent, but I have had conferences with Mr. Tierney and other members of the Department. I think there is a provision in the budget for additional funds for the purchasing of instruments to implement this phase of the music program.

Chairman: And that is the status of it at the present moment?

Mr. Ohrenberger: Yes.

Superintendent: Pursuing it further, and following Mr. Musco's original thought, will we be able to make for this School Committee sometime within a month or so a real formal report with recommendations on possible expansion?

Mr. Ohrenberger: Yes, Mr. Superintendent. I would say it would be ready by the next meeting if you want it.

Mr. Musco: Madam Chairman, may I ask, too, that the minutes of this particular meeting be inserted in the public record so that the teachers and the staff and also the parents may be advised of the entire Committee's interest in the promotion and encouragement of music?

Chairman: You mean the discussion on Item 12—this present discussion of Item 12?

Mr. Musco: Yes.

Chairman: Is there any objection to that?

Mr. Ward: I think Mr. Musco's idea is a splendid idea, and I wish we could find some means or methods to encourage it.

Chairman: I think Mr. Ohrenberger will have that at the next meeting.

Mr. Ward: I think one of the most important ways to encourage it is the motion made by Mr. Musco to put it on the public record to let people read it and let them see it. It's a very strange thing. It's strange how few people know what we have to offer in the Boston Public Schools.

Chairman: That's right.

Mr. Ward: That is the strange thing. If they read it, they know it and they know what we are trying to do.

Chairman: That is right.

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RECESS

The Committee recessed at 7:10 P. M., and the five members reassembled at 8:05 P. M.

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MILK CONTROL

Mr. Lee: I would like to alert the Committee to the situation regarding milk inasmuch as we have a milk-giving program in our schools.

I have given attention to this matter over the last fifteen years without much success. I find that in the last week or so a gentleman named Mr. Foster Furcolo has brought up the same matter, and his voice has carried much further than mine. On the front pages of more than one Boston newspaper—I just hold one in front of me—he has pointed out that the State Milk Control Board compels producers to sell milk at a higher price than some of them otherwise would, and the citizens of the state are compelled, if they buy milk at all, to buy it at a policedly high price.

I also hold in my hand a copy of Collier's Magazine for April 29th which features a heading: "Milk, 12 cents," and runs a large article on the different prices of milk in different states, pointing out it varies from 12 cents a quart in some states to more than double that in other states.

Now Mr. Furcolo didn't mention one very strange aspect of this situation. At least it wasn't published in the papers. If you buy milk for your family, it's classified as "fluid milk,' and the State Milk Control law compels you to pay a high price for it; whereas if you are a manufacturer of cheese or candy or casein glue or other by-products which use milk, then what you buy is called "surplus milk" and sells at a great deal lower price. So, people who are using milk in unessential ways can buy it very cheaply under Massachusetts law, whereas the housewife must buy it for a high amount.

And when this dealer, whom Mr. Furcolo was concerned with in the western part of the state, and who has been in business with his family, or his family has been in business, since 1814, I believe, tried to sell milk for fewer dollars, he was hauled into court and fined and told not to.

The law says you must not sell milk at less than cost. The gentleman replied that he certainly was not selling milk at less than cost. He was in business to prosper; but nevertheless he had to pay a high fine and desist from his present practice. In other words, the Massachusetts law compels milk dealers to gouge the public.

I bring that up for two reasons —partly, because we should take note of these militaristic trends where the government by force of courts and judges and police prevents citizens from supplying each other on their own pleasant terms and compels them to supply each other on disagreeable terms; and, in the second place, after all, we do buy a certain amount of milk in the schools. We buy it because we are concerned with the high price that mothers must pay for milk. Therefore, if we could use our strength to call public attention to this most ungracious law and help, as Mr. Furcolo is trying to do, to let the milk flow to the dollar in greater quantities, we would be relieving the very difficulty which we have our school milk program to offset. It would be enabling families, as they should, to buy milk without these policedly high state compulsory prices.

On the particular point of our Federally supplied milk, that is really getting off the subject somewhat, because that is where the Federal government comes in again, bidding up the price of milk, making it hard for the housewife to buy it, then taxing the housewife and buying the same milk she wasn't allowed to buy directly, and then giving back in driblets to her children in school the milk it forced her to buy through taxes.

So, now, for a dollar and a half you only get a dollar's worth of milk, and the whole thing is one of obvious obstruction to the supplying of human needs in a happy way between both suppliers and consumers.

I realize that this Committee is not the legislature, and cannot repeal that totalitarian law that is gouging the public. But I did want to help bring it to attention; and, in particular, I would like to ask that Mr. Gillis, who, I think, is in charge of our milk-buying program, take note of the present situation, as I have tried to bring it out. Possibly a way will develop in which this Committee can help in doing away with an obnoxious state law which at pistol point compels dealers to sell their milk to the housewife at a very high amount and lets them dump their milk at often only 50% of that amount to manufacturers and industry.

Chairman: Thank you very much, Mr. Lee, for calling that to our attention.

EDUCATORS' AIR-LIFT

Chairman: I would like to commend Committee member Musco who has arranged for an educational flight for members of our faculties and staffs throughout the city and for School Committee members in order to promote air education and the efficiency of air travel.

Mr. Musco: Madam Chairman, up to this date we have forty complete flights of forty passengers each for a total of 1600 school personnel.

Chairman: They are going to have the experience of flying?

Mr. Musco: They will fly next Saturday between the hours of 8 o'clock in the morning and 7 o'clock at night, and we hope that this "Educators' Air-Lift" will be the greatest mass flight of educational people in this part of the country. It has been very successful so far.

Mr. Lee: Could you tell us just what it is seeking to accomplish, Mr. Musco?

Mr. Musco: Well, actually it is to bring into the air those people who haven't flown as yet, and we have found from our responses that about 70% of the school personnel in the City of Boston who have returned reservation cards—and they total just 1600—have not been in the air, it acquaints them with the thrill of flying, a geography lesson, and an educators' flight over the whole area of Cape Cod and return.

The Committee adjourned.

Attest:

AGNES E. REYNOLDS,
Secretary

June 13, 1955.

A special meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, at 3:35 P. M., the Chairman presiding.

Present: Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward.

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AMENDMENTS OF MINUTES

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the minutes of the meeting of Mar. 28, 1955 are hereby amended as follows:

On page 121 by inserting immediately after Scott, Foresman and Co., under "Health Education" the following—"cpt. 1954."

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

TRANSFER OF APPROPRIATIONS

The following communication was received:

City of Boston
Department of School Buildings
26 Norman Street
June 9, 1955.

Miss Agnes E. Reynolds,
Secretary, Boston School Com.,
15 Beacon Street
Boston, Massachusetts.

Dear Miss Reynolds:—

Under date of June 7, 1955 you forwarded to the Board of Commissioners of School Buildings the following proposed transfer order:

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ORDERED, That of the amounts appropriated by the School Committee on April 4, 1955, to meet the estimated cost of "alteration and repair of school buildings and for furniture, fixtures, and means of escape in case of fire, and for fire protection of existing buildings, and for improving existing school yards," for the fiscal year 1955, the following sum is hereby transferred:—

FROM

Item C—Alterations, Furniture and Equipment for Special Educational Needs $50,000.00

TO

Item E—General Alterations and Repairs $50,000.00

At a meeting of the Board of Commissioners of School Buildings held this date and at which all members of the Board were present and voting, it was voted to report favorably on the above transfer order, all as provided by Section 7 of Chapter 351 of the Acts of 1929.

Very truly yours,
Board of Commissioners
of School Buildings,
(Signed) Jos. F. O'Connell, Jr.
Chairman.

Placed on file.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That of the amounts appropriated by the School Committee on April 4, 1955 (see p. 128), to meet the estimated cost of "alteration and repair of school buildings and for furniture, fixtures, and means of escape in case of fire, and for fire protection of existing buildings, and for improving existing school yards," for the fiscal year 1955, the following sum is hereby transferred:

FROM

Item C—Alterations, Furniture and Equipment for Special Educational Needs $50,000.00

TO

Item E—General Alterations and Repairs $50,000.00

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

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Dear Miss Reynolds:—

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ORDERED, That of the amounts appropriated at the meeting of December 15, 1952 (see p. 381), the following sum is hereby transferred to the 1953 item of school accommodations as listed below:—

FROM

Item 3, 1952—William E. Russell District, Dorchester: Land for elementary school building
$25,000.00

TO

Item 3, 1953—Lewis District, Roxbury: Development of side yard for play space, Roxbury Memorial High School (Girls)
$25,000.00

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$25,000.00

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

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IN MEMORIAM

The Superintendent regretfully reported the death of Michael D'Amelio, master, Boston Latin School, on Dec. 12, 1954.

Placed on file.

The School Committee requested that a letter of condolence, to be signed by the Secretary, be sent to the bereaved family.

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RESIGNATIONS

The Superintendent reported the resignations of the following-named teachers, to take effect on the dates stated:

Beethoven District—Sally A. Doherty, teacher, elementary, May 31, 1955.

William E. Endicott District—Ann S. Morris, assistant, special class, May 31, 1955.

Accepted.

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RETIREMENTS ON PENSION

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 13, 1955, reporting the retirement from active service of the following-named veterans who have been retired under the provisions of Chapter 32 of the General Laws, as amended:

Boston Latin School—Eugene H. Lord, master, June 30, 1955, $3580.20 per annum.

Boston Trade High School—Lawrence I. Harris, senior instructor, June 30, 1955, $3845.40 per annum; Charles M. McKenzie, division head, June 30, 1955, $4313.40 per annum.

Dorchester High School—Patrick J. Donovan, master, June 30, 1955, $3650.40 per annum.

Hyde Park High School—James H Mullins, June 30, 1955, $3650.40 per annum.

Placed on file.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the following-named persons are hereby retired on pension in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 468 of the Acts of 1951, the date of retirement and rate of pension to be as hereinafter specified:

Elihu Greenwood District—Della S. Scott, teacher, elementary, June 30, 1955, $1320 per annum.

Prince District—Alice G. Kelley, teacher, junior high, June 30, 1955, $1320 per annum.

Thomas Gardner District — Flora E. Ellis, teacher, kindergarten, June 30, 1955, $1320 per annum.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

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LIST OF TEACHERS APPROVED FOR TEMPORARY SERVICE

The Superintendent submitted, under the provisions of Section 265, paragraph 3 of the regulations, the following list of teachers approved by him from which assignments may be made for temporary service:

Richard W. McLaughlin, Joanne M. Roland.

On roll call the list of teachers was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

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LEAVES OF ABSENCE

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 13, 1955, recommending that leave of absence under a suspension of the regulations, and subject to the approval of the School Committee, be granted the following-named teacher for the term specified:

Girls' High School—Mary A. Connolly, assistant, Sept. 1, 1955 to Aug. 31, 1956, for study.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the regulations were suspended and the leave of absence for study was granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

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DESIGNATIONS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 13, 1955, reporting that he has made the following designations of teachers, to serve in the positions indicated, until such time as they shall be filled otherwise, in accordance with the rules and regulations, but not beyond Aug. 31, 1955:

Brighton High School—Gertrude M. Greene, assistant, as acting head of department (vice John B. Fitzgerald, absent on leave), Apr. 25, 1955.

Washington Allston District—Anna V. Curran, vice principal, as acting principal, Dec. 3, 1954.

Placed on file.

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REPORT ON MARRIED TEACHER

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 13, 1955, reporting that in accordance with the provisions of Section 283 of the regulations, the following-named female teacher has reported that she was married on the date indicated:

Longfellow District—June Lee, teacher, elementary, married May 14, 1955, new name June O'Connor.

Placed on file.

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ELIGIBLE LIST

A communication was received from the Board of Superintendents under date of June 13, 1955, transmitting a list of successful candidates of August, 1954, for the certificates of qualification indicated, as reported by the Board of Examiners.

These names do not constitute separate eligible lists, but should be inserted in School Document No. 6, 1954 Candidates Eligible for Permanent Appointment as Teachers—at the places indicated by the respective ratings.

1955

IV. HIGH SCHOOL CERTIFICATE

CHEMISTRY

Rating	Name	Certificate Expires
778	**Ralph H. Berkowitz	June 30, 1958

COMMERCIAL BRANCHES OFFICE PRACTICE

895	Alice Smith Reilly	June 30, 1958

PHONOGRAPHY AND TYPEWRITING

860	Helen Sullivan Rowell	June 30, 1958
804	Alice N. Driscoll	June 30, 1958
799	Catherine Flaherty Boyle	June 30, 1958

EDUCATIONAL MEASUREMENT

798	Elizabeth L. Maggioni	June 30, 1958

ENGLISH

Men

848	*William J. Wiles	June 30, 1958
854	**John J. Gearin	June 30, 1958

Women

856	Ann R. Howe	June 30, 1958

FRENCH

839	Mary F. Sullivan	June 30, 1958
819	Katharine Sullivan Hosie	Dec. 31, 1957

GERMAN

832	**George D. Scipione	June 30, 1958

HEALTH EDUCATION

854	**Catherine E. Hayes	June 30, 1958

HISTORY

Rating	Name	Certificate Expires

Men

840	**James J. Kenneally	June 30, 1958

Women

822	Catherine Crowley Norton	Dec. 31, 1954

MATHEMATICS

936	*Edwin D. Barlow	June 30, 1958
782	*Walter J. Casey	June 30, 1958
909	**Cornelius J. Scanlon	June 30, 1958
805	**Michael Crowley	June 30, 1958
797	**Robert F. Collins	June 30, 1958
795	**Roger T. Connor	June 30, 1958
810	William V. Durante	June 30, 1958

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

876	**Edward C. Lambert	June 30, 1958

SPANISH

808	**Paul J. Cameron	June 30, 1958

VOCATIONAL GUIDANCE

808	*William P. Gilligan	June 30, 1958
840	**Walter L. Curran	June 30, 1958
797	George E. Port	June 30, 1958

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JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL CERTIFICATE

BOOKKEEPING

Rating	Name	Certificate Expires
817	*Earnest B. Ashford	June 30, 1958
786	**Raymond L. Shaw	June 30, 1958
781	**Charles B. Lawrence	June 30, 1958

CLOTHING

875	Janice M. McBride	June 30, 1958
857	Christine M. Lyons	June 30, 1958
823	Lucy Walters Thorpe	June 30, 1958

DRAWING

Men

839	Leo C. Kelleher	June 30, 1958

Women

893	Celestine Johnston Dorch	June 30, 1958
813	Barbara P. Holthaus	June 30, 1958
800	Joan W. Capitell	June 30, 1958

ENGLISH

Men

931	**Robert J. Bond	June 30, 1958
887	**Howard E. McClure	June 30, 1958
859	**Arthur Depolan	June 30, 1958
851	**Gerald T. Peters	June 30, 1958
838	**John J. Gearin	June 30, 1958
828	**Stanley Rimmer	June 30, 1958

Women

881	Mary Woleyko Powers	June 30, 1958
851	Agnes McNulty Carty	Dec. 31, 1955

FRENCH

Men

797	**Herbert F. McCarthy	June 30, 1958

Women

885	Katharine Sullivan Hosie	Dec. 31, 1957
851	Ruth A. McCarthy	June 30, 1958
850	Mary F. Sullivan	June 30, 1958

GEOGRAPHY

Men

813	*Howard H. Spence	June 30, 1958
817	**Joseph P. Fotos	June 30, 1958
780	**James P. Kelley	June 30, 1958
779	**John P. Craven	June 30, 1958

Women

886	M. Louise Holland Dooley	June 30, 1958

HISTORY

Men

815	**Archie J. Walsh	June 30, 1958
790	**Paul A. Lovett	June 30, 1958
785	**James J. Kenneally	June 30, 1958
784	**Frank J. Toland	June 30, 1958

Women

791	Mary Conaty Ketlak	June 30, 1958

LATIN

Rating	Name	Certificate Expires
827	**James J. Zanor	June 30, 1958

MATHEMATICS

Men

781	**John E. Fisher	June 30, 1958
780	**Robert P. Collins	June 30, 1958

Women

825	Mary Barrett Bailey	Dec. 31, 1955
817	Dorothy R. Zaia	June 30, 1958
790	Justina McLaughlin Dinn	June 30, 1958

MUSIC

Men

834	**William T. Horan	June 30, 1958
802	**Ernest W. Simms	June 30, 1958

Women

805	Elizabeth Carter Teixeira	June 30, 1958
773	Paula M. Harrington	June 30, 1958

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

793	Helen O'Dea Cummings	June 30, 1958

SCIENCE

Men

834	**Victor A. McInnis	June 30, 1958
796	**Henry F. Mulloy	June 30, 1958
784	**Robert W. Mulloy	June 30, 1958
803	Nicholas J. Lembo	June 30, 1958

Women

812	Ethel Bickoff Menitoff	June 30, 1958

SPECIAL CERTIFICATES VALID IN DAY ELEMENTARY AND DAY JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOLS

INDUSTRIAL ARTS SHOP INSTRUCTOR

Rating	Name	Certificate Expires
818	*Michael J. Abruzzese	June 30, 1958
817	*Alfred F. Carpenito	June 30, 1958
885	**Howard L. Churchill	June 30, 1958
871	**Daniel F. Marcelonis	June 30, 1958
863	**John M. Gray	June 30, 1958
860	**Domenic Paolini	June 30, 1958
842	**John E. Kelley	June 30, 1958

CLOTHING

885	Mary Conlon Donlon	June 30, 1958
820	Jeannine Hastings Lyons	June 30, 1958
813	Marie J. Regan	June 30, 1958
798	Anne M. Fraher	June 30, 1958

CLOTHING—SUPPLEMENTARY LIST

Re-Entrant

837	Clara Hogan Rooney	Dec. 31, 1955

SUPERVISOR IN FINE ARTS CERTIFICATE

915	Mary G. Laughlin	June 30, 1958

Placed on file.

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APPOINTMENT OF MOTOR EQUIPMENT OPERATOR AND LABORER

A communication was received from the Secretary under date of June 13, 1955, reporting, subject to the approval of the School Committee, and with the approval of the Division of Civil Service

and the consent of the head of the department concerned, the appointment of Francis J. Kane to the position of motor equipment operator and laborer, Supply Room, by transfer from the Sanitary Division, Public Works Department, City of Boston, to take effect June 22, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the salary of Francis J. Kane, motor equipment operator and laborer, Supply Room, is hereby established at the rate of sixty dollars and fifty cents ($60.50) a week, to take effect June 22, 1955, and to continue until otherwise ordered.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

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SALARY, SUPERVISOR OF ATTENDANCE

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the salary of Charles M. Parlon, supervisor of attendance, Department of Attendance, is hereby established at the rate of four thousand two hundred twenty-four dollars ($4224) per annum, to take effect June 13, 1955, and to continue until otherwise ordered.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

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REPORTS ON ATTENDANCE AT CONVENTIONS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 13, 1955, submitting, in accordance with the provisions of Section 3 of Chapter 274 of the Acts of 1914, report of William F. Carr, member, School Committee of the City of Boston, on his attendance at the Convention of the Massachusetts Association of School Committees, held in Swampscott, May 12, 13, and 14, 1955.

Placed on file.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 13, 1955, submitting, in accordance with the provisions of Section 3 of Chapter 274 of the Acts of 1914, report of Dr. Frederick J. Gillis, assistant superintendent, on his attendance at the fifty-second annual Convention of the National Catholic Education Association, held at Atlantic City, N. J., Apr. 11 to 15, 1955, inclusive.

Placed on file.

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LEAVE OF ABSENCE TO CUSTODIANS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 13, 1955, recommending subject to the approval of the School Committee, that all custodians whose service can be dispensed with, be granted leave of absence without loss of pay, on Monday, June 27, 1955, to attend the Annual Outing of the Custodians' Association.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the leave of absence without loss of pay was granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

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TRANSFERS OF CUSTODIANS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 13, 1955, recommending, subject to the approval of the School Committee, that the following-named Senior Building Custodians who, by seniority and merit, stand at the head of their respective lists, be transferred to the schools indicated, to take effect June 15, 1955:

Philip J. Canavan, from Florence Nightingale School to Benedict Fenwick School.

Peter E. Carleton, from Edwin P. Seaver School to Mary Hemenway School.

John J. Foley, from Wyman School to William E. Endicott School.

John B. Houlihan, from John Winthrop School to Gilbert Stuart School.

James A. Kelley, from Albert Palmer School to Harriet A. Baldwin School.

Harold W. Knight, unassigned to Charles C. Perkins School.

John F. X. Lally, from Mozart School to Oliver Wendell Holmes School.

Thomas A. Magee, from William Bacon School to Winchell School.

Edward F. McCann, unassigned to Aaron Davis School.

John J. McCarthy, unassigned to John Greenleaf Whittier School.

Angus W. Morrison, from William H. Kent School to Oak Square School.

Albert O'Brien, from Clarence R. Edwards Junior High School to English High School.

William P. O'Brien, from Thomas A. Edison Junior High School to William Barton Rogers Junior High School.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the transfers were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss, Fitzgerald, Mssrs. Lee and Ward—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

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The Committee adjourned.

Attest:

AGNES E. REYNOLDS,
Secretary.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

SENIOR ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING AID (DRAFTSMAN), BOSTON DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS, SEPTEMBER 24, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Tuesday, September 6, 1955.

Salary: $68.29 a week.

Vacancies: At present there is one vacancy for a male, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: Under the supervision of the electrical engineer in charge, to review requisitions submitted for the installation or alteration of clock, bell, program, telephone, and electric lighting systems in school buildings in order to determine the requirements and costs of proposed work; to assist in the drafting of working drawings and the writing of specifications for the systems from designs prepared by engineers; and to perform related work as required.

The following are required: Ability to draft drawings and assist in the preparation of specifications for the installation or alteration of electrical systems in schools, and knowledge of quantities and costs of materials required for the work; knowledge of the requirements of general electrical lighting and clock, bell, program, telephone, fire alarm systems for school buildings; knowledge of proper installation and maintenance of the systems.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants must have at least four years of full-time paid experience in electrical engineering drafting. *Substitution:* The required experience may be met by successfully completed years of electrical engineering training: (*a*) in a recognized university or engineering school granting the bachelor's degree, on the basis of one school year for one year of experience; or (*b*) in a recognized technical school not granting the bachelor's degree, on the basis of one school year for one-half year of experience; or (*c*) in an equivalent combination of (*a*) and (*b*).

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; **total, 5.**

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

CIVIL DEFENSE KIT.

In Milwaukee residents have been notified by the city's civil defense administration to get together kits of nonperishable foods on which their families could live for a week in the open if need be. A 43-pound kit, costing $37, was used for demonstration purposes. In the kit, besides food, were a first-aid packet, water purification tablets, cooking utensils, and cans of canned heat. The entire unit packed in an aluminum laundry mail case doubles as a dishpan, wash basin, and infant bathtub.

Toledo City Journal.

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

John A. Whelpey, 58 Edson street, Dorchester, in the sum of $325, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a defective curbing between 54 and 58 Edson street, March 9, 1955.

Dora Woolf, 143 Columbia road, Dorchester, in the sum of $150, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 40 Geneva avenue, April 13, 1955.

William Stafford, 280 Cornell street, Roslindale, in the sum of $230, as compensation for damage to property caused by a change in grade during the reconstruction of Cornell street by the Public Works Department in 1954.

Allen B. Thompson, 35 Creighton street, Cambridge, in the sum of $65, as compensation for damage to automobile caused by a hole in the highway on Columbus avenue, opposite Walpole street, December 18, 1954.

Alfred S. Levine, 24 Cross Hill road, Newton Center, in the sum of $395, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a defect in the highway opposite 144 Mt. Vernon street, Boston, March 7, 1955.

Mary T. Minahan, 157 Theodore Parker road, West Roxbury, in the sum of $285, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a raised portion of the sidewalk in front of 36 Ansonia road, February 4, 1955.

Ethel Kruger, 27 Washington street, Dorchester, in the sum of $490, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 251 Normandy street, March 6, 1955.

Caroline Kosseske, 81 Brown street, Methuen, in the sum of $300, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 939 Boylston street, February 15, 1955.

Morris Kempner, 3 Strong place, Boston, in the sum of $295, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a sunken portion of the sidewalk in front of 83 Phillips street, February 18, 1955.

Gertrude Gartland, 23 Monmouth street, East Boston, in the sum of $371, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a raised portion of the concrete sidewalk on Marion street, near corner of Trenton street, October 8, 1954.

Daniel Cronin, 19 Myrtle street, Boston, in the sum of $65, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 21A Myrtle street, December 21, 1954.

Ruth E. Chase, 91 Hill street, Malden, in the sum of $310, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 121 and 123 Commonwealth avenue, March 16, 1950.

Mary O'Keefe, 162 West Seventh street, South Boston, in the sum of $485, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 170 West Seventh street, November 27, 1954.

Albert Templeton, 3A River street, Mattapan, to be reimbursed in the sum of $40, as a result of an accident which occurred on March 20, 1955, when a motor truck belonging to the Fire Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Charles George.

Gerald Wall, 21 Ballard street, Dorchester, to be reimbursed in the sum of $74.50, as a result of an accident which occurred on December 9, 1954, when a motor vehicle belonging to the Hospital Department, Long Island Division, collided with an automobile owned by Dr. Harold B. Reines.

Wallace A. Siteman, 311 Liberty street, Rockland, to be reimbursed in the sum of $57, as a result of an accident which occurred on February 15, 1955, when a jeep plow belonging to the Parks and Recreation Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Robert L. Baker.

John E. Kitchen, 166 Bonham road, Dedham, to be reimbursed in the sum of $284.76, as a result of an accident which occurred on January 6, 1955, when a motor truck belonging to the Highway Division, Public Works Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Norman Diamond.

Richard S. Judge, 11 Bloomfield street, Dorchester, to be reimbursed in the sum of $56, as a result of an accident which occurred on February 19, 1955, when a motor truck belonging to the Sanitary Division, Public Works Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Connie Cerundolo.

William J. Clegg, 370 Baker street, West Roxbury, to be reimbursed in the sum of $68.82, as a result of an accident which occurred on February 13, 1953, when a motor truck belonging to the Water Division, Public Works Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Arthur L. Lehr, Jr.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway resurfacing, estimated to be thirty (30) days, vehicles are excluded from the following streets, effective August 15, 1955:

Burr Street, West Roxbury.
From Boylston street to Spring Park avenue.

Farquhar Street, West Roxbury.
From South street to Centre street.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway construction, estimated to be three (3) months, parking of vehicles is prohibited in the following street, when and where official signs are in place, effective August 16, 1955:

Hyde Park Avenue, Hyde Park and West Roxbury.
Both sides, from Metropolitan avenue to Walk Hill street.

No. 144—320.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING GROCERIES AND CANNED GOODS FOR CITY DEPARTMENTS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Monday, September 12, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $200, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Groceries, etc." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Aug. 27.) *Purchasing Agent.*

No. 138—320.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING SHORTENING AND OIL.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Wednesday, September 7, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Shortening and Oil." The successful bidder must furnish a faitbful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract witb a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the rigbt to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of tbe city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Aug. 27.) *Purchasing Agent.*

No. 140—320.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING FLOUR FOR CITY DEPARTMENTS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Wednesday, September 7, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Flour." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the rigbt to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Aug. 27.) *Purchasing Agent.*

No. 142—399.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR PURCHASING HAY, GRAIN, AND STRAW.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Thursday, September 8, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Hay, Grain, and Straw." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Aug. 27.) *Purchasing Agent.*

THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING AND INSTALLING RUBBER FACE GUARDS ON NEW AND USED FOOTBALL HELMETS FOR BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing and installing rubber face guards on new and used football helmets for the Boston public schools. Proposal forms are obtainable at the office of the Business Manager of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, tenth floor. Envelopes containing proposals must be sealed and plainly marked "Proposal for Furnishing and Installing Rubber Face Guards on New and Used Football Helmets." One copy, signed by the bidder, and accompanied by a certified check, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount of one hundred dollars ($100), must be left at the office of the Business Manager on or before 12 o'clock noon on Tuesday, September 6, 1955. Copies filed with the Business Manager will be publicly opened and read at 12 o'clock noon of the day stated. The other copy, also signed by the bidder, must be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., previous to the time named for opening of bids. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to accept the bid which it deems best for the interests of the city. Successful bidder will be required to furnish a suitable bond or deposit of money or other security in the amount of not less than 50 per cent of the amount of the contract.

LEO J. BURKE,
Business Manager of the School Committee.
(Aug. 27.)

No. 145—320.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING MILK AND CREAM FOR CITY DEPARTMENTS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Wednesday, September 7, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $200, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Milk and Cream." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Aug. 27.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR POLICE EQUIPMENT.

The Police Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing this department with the following police equipment: automobile tire cbains; antifreeze. The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at the office of the Property Clerk, 154 Berkeley street, Boston, and deposit with his bid at the office of the Police Commissioner, a properly certified check in the amount of $100, payable to and to become the property of the Police Commissioner of the City of Boston, if the proposal is not carried out. Proposals will be publicly opened and read on Friday, September 9, 1955, at 12 o'clock noon, at the office of the Police Commissioner, 154 Berkeley street, Boston, Mass. The Police Commissioner reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as be deems for the best interests of the Police Department of the City of Boston. Surety bond will be required from the successful bidder in an amount equivalent to 50 per cent of the estimated amount of the contract.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
(Aug. 27.) *Police Commissioner.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR PAINTING FIRE ALARM BOXES AND POSTS.

Tbe Fire Commissioner of tbe City of Boston, hereinafter designated as Commissioncr, 115 Southampton street, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations and other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to tbe extent of at least over one half tbereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for painting fire alarm boxes and posts of the Fire Alarm Division of the Boston Fire Department. A bond of an approved surety company doing business in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, in the full amount of the contract, will be required to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at tbe office of the Commissioner, 115 Southampton street. Each proposal must be signed by the bidder, placed in an envelope, sealed, and marked "Proposal for Painting Fire Alarm Boxes and Posts," and left at the office of the Commissioner, 115 Southampton street, before 12 o'clock noon of September 6, 1955, accompanied by a certified check for three hundred (300) dollars, payable to the City of Boston, and to become and be the property of said city, if the successful bidder should fail to carry out said proposal. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened for reading. Proposals must be made in duplicate, and the sealed duplicate, without check, must be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law, so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required prior to the award of a contract. The contract is made subject to appropriation to meet payments thereunder. The Commissioner reserves the right to reject any and all proposals and to award the contract as hc deems best.

FRANCIS X. COTTER,
(Aug. 27.) *Fire Commissioner.*

No. 146—320.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING TEA AND COFFEE.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and rcad Friday, September 9, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing hids to be sealed and niarkcd "Proposal for Tea and Coffee." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Aug. 27.) *Purchasing Agent.*

No. 141—346.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING SOAP FOR CITY DEPARTMENTS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At tbis room tbe bids will be opened and read Thursday, September 8, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100. payable to and to become tbe propcrty of the City of Boston if tbe proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without cbeck, must be left with tbe Auditor prior to tbe time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Soap." The successful bidder must furnisb a faithful performance bond for one balf the total estimated amount of the contract witb a surety company autborized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purcbasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as be deems for tbe best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Aug. 27.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT. LONG ISLAND HOSPITAL DIVISION. BOSTON 69, MASS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR BOILER REPAIRS, LONG ISLAND HOSPITAL, BOSTON 69, MASS.

The City of Boston, by the Board of Trustees, Hospital Department, and of the Boston City Hospital, hereinafter referred to as tbe Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for boiler repairs, Long Island Hospital, Boston 69, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Thursday, September 15, 1955, at thc office of the Awarding Authority, Long Island Hospital Division, at 25 Church street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal sball be properly filled out, signed, enclosed in an envelope, sealed, and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $350, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed witb the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope. properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after tbe actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

Specifications may be obtained at the office of the Awarding Authority, Long Island Hospital Division, at 25 Church street, Boston, Mass., on or after 9.30 A.M., Monday, August 29, 1955.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of one hundred (100) per cent of the contract price will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do. The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all bids in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT AND OF THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL,
RICHARD J. CONDON,
(Aug. 27.) *President.*

No. 147—346.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING LAUNDRY SUPPLIES FOR CITY DEPARTMENTS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Thursday, September 8, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become tbe property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Laundry Supplies." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of tbe city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Aug. 27.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

HIGHWAY AND SIDEWALK RECONSTRUCTION WORK.

PROPOSALS FOR BITUMINOUS CONCRETE PAVEMENT IN

Bancroft Street, Ward 11, from Columbus Avenue to West Walnut Park;

Boynton Street, Ward 11, from South Street to Call Street;

Hall Street, Ward 11, from South Street to Call Street;

Jamaica Street, Ward 11, from South Street Approximately 800 Feet Westerly and Southerly;

Marmion Street, Ward 11, from Cornwall Street to Germania Street;

Minton Street, Ward 11, from Brookside Avenue to Amory Street;

Montebello Road, Ward 11, from Brookside Avenue to Washington Street;

— and —

ARTIFICIAL STONE SIDEWALKS IN

Centre Street, Ward 10 (North Side). from Albert Street to Bickford Street;

Heath Street, Ward 10 (South Side), from Albert Street to Bickford Street;

— and —

Such Additional Locations, If Any, in Wards 10 and 11, As May Be Designated by the Commissioner of Public Works.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legnl associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for bituminous concrete pavement in Bancroft street, Wnrd 11, etc. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals mny be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, senled, marked "Proposal for Bituminous Concrete Pavement in Bancroft Street, Wnrd 11, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 1955, with a certified check for SIXTEEN HUNDRED (1,600) DOLLARS, paynble to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after nceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened nnd read in the Henring Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposnls must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it mny lead to the rejection of the proposal contnining such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechnnics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor nnd Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor nt the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performnnce of this contract, the Contractor shnll provide by insurance for the payment of compensntion nnd the furnishing of other benefits under chnpter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Aug. 27.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING AND INSTALLING UNDERGROUND CONDUIT AND CONCRETE BASES FOR TRAFFIC SIGNAL POSTS IN THREE (3) INTERSECTIONS IN THE CITY OF BOSTON.

The Boston Trnffic Commission, office 112 Southampton street, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for furnishing and installing underground conduit and concrete bases for traffic signal posts in three (3) intersections in the City of Boston. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commission in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at 112 Southampton street. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Furnishing and Installing Underground Conduit and Concrete Bases for Traffic Signal Posts in Three (3) Intersections in the City of Boston," and left at 112 Southampton street, before 12 M. on Thursday, September 1, 1955, with a certified check for five hundred (500) dollars, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened and read.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. If the lump sum price of any item appears to the Commission to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of snid schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Boston Traffic Commission. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation nnd the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract, nnd shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposnls or to nccept any proposal should he deem it to be for the best interest of the city so to do.

WM. ARTHUR REILLY,
(Aug. 20-27.) *Traffic Commissioner.*

No. 139–320.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING ICE-CREAM MIX FOR CITY DEPARTMENTS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Wednesdny, September 7, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Ice-Cream Mix." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Aug. 27.) *Purchasing Agent.*

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JOSHUA H. JONES, *Editor.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

REPAIRS TO BOSTON VENTILATION BUILDING, SUMNER TUNNEL.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for repairs to Boston Ventilation Building, Sumner Tunnel. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Repairs to Boston Ventilation Building, Sumner Tunnel," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 1955, with a certified check for FIVE HUNDRED SEVENTY-FIVE (575) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal contnining such price. The rate per hour of the wnges to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Aug. 27.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

STATE-BOSTON, CHAPTER 90, HIGHWAY RECONSTRUCTION.

Sealed proposals for HIGHWAY WORK on Terminal street (Charlestown), will be received at Room 427, 100 Nashua street, Boston, Mass., until 2 P.M. of Wednesday, September 7, 1955, then to be publicly opened and read. Plans and proposal forms: $5, amount returnable only to bidders. Proposal guaranty: $3,600. Minimum wage and dump truck rates are set. Full information at above address; plans on display at district offices of State Department of Public Works. Right reserved to reject any or all proposals.

JOHN B. HYNES,
(Aug. 27.) *Mayor of Boston.*

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PLANS PROPOSED FOR COUNTRY-WIDE PUBLICITY POINTING TO ADVANTAGES, BUSINESS, INDUSTRIAL AND OTHERS, OF BOSTON — MAYOR HYNES SENDS NOTICE TO CITY COUNCIL OF OBTAINING SERVICES OF LARGEST PUBLIC RELATIONS FIRM IN WORLD TO SERVE AS PLANS BOARD IN "BOOM BOSTON" EFFORT — ASKS $5,000 TO CARRY ON WORK OF SPREADING INFORMATION.

The following communication has gone forward from the Mayor's Office:

To the City Council.

GENTLEMEN:

On several occasions in recent months, your Honorable Body has adopted orders suggesting that steps be taken to publicize throughout the country the

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MAYOR HYNES ANNOUNCES $10,000 GIFT FROM FORMER GOVERNOR ALVAN T. FULLER FOR RED CROSS FLOOD RELIEF USE — ALSO GETS CONTRIBUTION FROM MILITARY ORDER OF LADY BUGS, AUXILIARY OF VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS, IN BOSTON FOR CONVENTION.

Mayor Hynes announced on August 30 that he had received a check in the amount of $10,000 from former Governor Alvan T. Fuller for the American Red Cross. The Mayor extended to former Governor Fuller his personal appreciation for his generous contribution for flood relief and he is forwarding the check to Mr. Thomas Motley, Local Director of the American Red Cross.

The Mayor was in receipt of another check for $372.10 for American Red Cross flood relief presented to him by Miss Anne Perry, Chief of Staff of the Military Order of Lady Bugs, an auxiliary of the Veterans of Foreign Wars. The check represented collections made by the Lady Bugs from members of the Veterans of Foreign Wars who are in Boston. The Mayor extended his gratitude to the Military Order of Lady Bugs through Miss Perry and informed Miss Perry that the check would be forwarded to the American Red Cross.

RULES FOR PAYMENTS OF FLOOD DAMAGES WORKED OUT BY AUDITING DEPARTMENT AFTER APPROVAL BY MAYOR JOHN B. HYNES — INSTRUCTIONS AS TO PROCEDURE ISSUED TO HEADS OF ALL DEPARTMENTS — TO BE CHARGED TO SPECIAL APPROPRIATION FOR "FLOOD EMERGENCY," PROVIDED FOR PURPOSE.

With the approval of Mayor John B. Hynes a set of instructions as to manner and methods of payment to citizens due to the recent flood emergency. These expenditures have been incurred on account of repair of damages caused by the flood. Instructions as to procedure have been issued to heads of all departments. All expenditures are to be charged to a special appropriation. The instructions read as follows:

AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

August 24, 1955.

To: Department Heads.

Subject: Flood Emergency Expenditures.

The following procedure will be adopted in connection with expenditures and liabilities to be incurred on account of the repair of damages caused by the flood.

All expenditures will be charged to the special appropriation: FLOOD EMERGENCY — 3 52-61.

PAYROLLS. — Payrolls for regular service will be chargeable to this account, provided that the employees are performing duties directly connected with flood emergency work and provided, further, that these duties are not the same as duties the employees would ordinarily be required to perform. The payroll charge will be made partly to the regular department appropriation and partly to the special appropriation. Indicate in the remarks column of the preliminary payroll which employees are to be charged to the special appropriation. Please submit separate payroll requisitions for each respective charge and type the words "Flood Emergency" in capital letters at the top of the requisition for the charge to be made to the special appropriation.

Payrolls for overtime service will be chargeable to the special account, provided that the employees are performing duties directly connected with flood emergency work regardless of whether or not the duties are the same as duties that the employees would ordinarily be required to perform. When the emergency overtime work has ended, submit for the approval of the Director of Administrative Services a writing indicating thereon the names, titles, number of hours worked, rate per hour, and total compensation to be paid. Rules and regulations included in the Executive Order of the Mayor pertaining to overtime service will apply. Payment of payrolls for overtime emergency work will be made by means of a special payroll. Please type the words "Flood Emergency" in capital letters at the top of the payroll requisition.

SERVICE ORDERS. — The following statement will be required on all service orders to be charged to the special appropriation, "Flood Emergency":

"I hereby certify that the work proposed to be done under this Service Order is for the repair of damages caused by the flood on August 18-19, 1955."

Signed.....

Department Head or Authorized Official.

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"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean;
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.

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Advertising.

A rate of $4 per inch of 12 lines (set solid) has been established for such advertisements as under the law must be printed in the City Record. Advertising and other copy must be in hand by 5 P.M. Wednesday of each week to insure its publication in the Saturday issue.

MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, September 12, at 2 P.M.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries, or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the Complaints Division, Room 25, City Hall.

Information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways, the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments of streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped area for streets and the opening of private ways; the making of specific repairs in public streets; the naming of public streets, including the use of public ways for location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railways, coal holes, and vaults, may be secured from the Public Improvement Commission, Room 403, City Hall Annex.

To the BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION, 112 Southampton street, for information relative to regulation of vehicular street traffic on all or any streets, ways, highways, roads, and parkways under the control of the City of Boston, the issuing of all permits in connection therewith.

To the COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting, and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of Sumner Tunnel, the maintenance of bridges and draw-bridges, and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

To the HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Haymarket Square, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish, and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughterhouses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases, of public health nuisances.

To the BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth Avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park, and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts, also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview, and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

To the SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

To the DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS, 28 Norman street, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

To the BOARD OF EXAMINERS, ROOM 907, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal, or tearing down buildings.

To the ELECTRICAL INSPECTION DIVISION OF THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT, 1001 City Hall Annex, for all information relative to the erection of poles, building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division; also for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings of the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

To the BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT, 43 City Hall, relative to changes in the boundary lines of zoning districts of the City of Boston as established by chapter 488 of the Acts of 1924, and amendments thereto.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending August 27, 1955.

Population as of July, 1950, Massachusetts State Census, 817,713; population estimated July, 1954, United States Census Bureau, 813,696; number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 161; nonresidents, 79; total, 240.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 15.25; nonresidents deducted, 10.31.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:

Last week, 12.68; corresponding week last year, 12.61.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 10; one year to four years, inclusive, 9; sixty years and over, 153. Total deaths: Male, 134; female, 106; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 175.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Aug. 27, 1955.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Aug. 28, 1954.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior Poliomyelitis	150	7	7	1
Diphtheria	—	—	—	—
Encephalitis Lethargica	—	—	1	—
Influenza	—	—	—	—
Measles	2	—	25	—
Meningitis Epidemic	—	—	—	—
Pneumonia (lobar)	—	1	—	—
Scarlet Fever	—	—	3	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary)	20	2	17	3
Childhood Type Tuberculosis	—	—	—	—
Tuberculosis (other forms)	—	1	2	1
Typhoid Fever	—	—	—	—
Whooping Cough	—	—	14	—

*Residents and nonresidents included.

MAYOR HYNES APPROVES PLAN OF AUDITING DEPARTMENT REGARDING PAYMENTS TO CITIZENS FOR FLOOD DAMAGE.

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The requirement of the Executive Order of the Mayor that three bids be obtained when the estimated cost of proposed work might be more than three hundred dollars but less than one thousand dollars will be waived. The above certification will be accepted in lieu of a letter of explanation. Please type the words, "Flood Emergency," in capital letters at the top of all service orders concerning emergency flood work.

Purchase Orders

The usual procedure for the requisitioning and purchase of supplies, materials, and equipment to be used in connection with flood emergency work will be followed in every respect. The following statement will be required on all requisitions transmitted to the Purchasing Agent for the purchase of such supplies, materials, and equipment:

"I hereby certify that the supplies, materials, or equipment requisitioned hereon are necessary and will be used in connection with the repair of damages caused by the floods of August 18-19, 1955."

Signed:

Department Head or Authorized Official.

Contracts

All statutory requirements regarding the execution of contracts when the estimated cost of work to be performed or supplies, materials, or equipment to be furnished amounts to or exceeds one thousand dollars must be complied with in every respect.

Certificate Required by Commonwealth

In order to obtain reimbursement from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, the following certification must be on every payroll requisition, service order invoice, purchase order invoice, and special draft to be charged to the special account — FLOOD EMERGENCY — and must be signed by the department head or majority of boards in charge of departments:

"I hereby certify under the penalties of perjury that the work indicated has been performed or that the goods, materials, or supplies have been used for the purpose stated and for no other purpose."

Damage to Buildings

Prepare a list in triplicate of all municipally-owned structures or buildings which have been damaged by the flood with a completely detailed description of the damage and an approximate estimate of the cost of repairs and indicate whether the repair is to be temporary or permanent. A survey of the damage to each building or structure reported will be made by building inspectors of the Department of Public Safety of the Commonwealth.

Estimated Departmental Costs

Transmit the triplicate list of damage to buildings referred to above and an itemized estimate of other costs, for payrolls, and purchases of supplies, materials, and equipment, to the City Auditor, *as soon as possible, but not later than ten o'clock a.m., Thursday, September 1, 1955.*

Your cooperation with the above regulations will be greatly appreciated.

JOSEPH P. LALLY,
City Auditor.

MAYOR ASKS APPROVAL OF CITY COUNCIL FOR PLAN TO "BOOM BOSTON."

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business, industrial, and other advantages of Boston. I am pleased to advise you that tentative arrangements have been worked out to accomplish the objectives set forth in the several orders.

The proposal under consideration provides that Public Relations Management Corporation, 380 Madison avenue, New York, the largest public relations firm in the world, with 25 offices in the United States and Canada, will select a group of five of its agency principals, representing different geographical areas, to serve as a Plans Board. This group will meet not oftener than bimonthly, or less than quarterly, with the Mayor and department heads to

(*a*) Advise on public relations problems.

(*b*) Create promotion projects aimed at attracting favorable publicity and good will for Boston.

(*c*) Plan news and feature material for release to newspapers and periodicals throughout the country.

(*d*) Coordinate existing publicity activities.

(*e*) Develop ideas for "selling" Boston to businessmen and visitors.

(*f*) Exploit every opportunity to tell the city's good points and to correct misconceptions.

The Board members will receive no compensation but will be reimbursed for actual expenses incurred in attending meetings.

Mr. Paul A. Newsome, who is president of Newsome & Co., Inc., with offices in the Statler Building, is affiliated with Public Relations Management Corporation and has agreed to serve as chairman of the proposed Plans Board. Colonel Paul H. Hines, industrial counselor in this office, will act in a liaison capacity between the Board and the City.

It is anticipated that the expenses of Board members in attending meetings, together with charges for postage, mimeographing, telephone service, and other administrative expenses, will not exceed $5,000 on an annual basis.

I submit herewith an order providing for the transfer from the Reserve Fund of this amount, and I respectfully recommend adoption of the order by your Honorable Body.

Respectfully submitted,

J. B. HYNES,
Mayor.

CONGRESS STREET BRIDGE CLOSING.

Public Works Commissioner George G. Hyland has announced that Congress Street Bridge, over Fort Point Channel, has been closed to vessel traffic, from eight o'clock, Tuesday, August 30, to four o'clock, Thursday afternoon, September 1, 1955.

This closing was necessary, the commissioner stated, so as to allow repairs and adjustments to be made on the bridge.

During this period there was no interference with pedestrians or vehicles crossing the bridge, Mr. Hyland added.

FURTHER STUDY OF PORT AUTHORITY BILL PROPOSED AFTER CONFERENCE OF MAYOR WITH GOVERNOR AND STATE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS.

On August 25, in company with Corporation Counsel William L. Baxter, Mayor Hynes discussed with Governor Herter and Commissioner of Public Works, John Volpe, the pending bill for the establishment of a Port Authority, which would take over the facilities of the Port Commission, the Sumner Tunnel, the Airport, and the Mystic River Bridge.

The following statement on the Port Authority bill has been issued by Mayor Hynes:

In the opinion of Corporation Counsel Baxter, in which I concur, there is need for some further consideration with respect to some features of the pending bill which affect the City of Boston now and in the future. These matters will be further discussed by legal representatives of the state and city with a view to possible changes in the proposed legislation.

In my opinion, the objectives and over-all purpose of the proposed Authority bill are good, and I am hopeful that the proposed bill can be so worded as to fully protect all of the vested rights in the City of Boston.

TRANSFERS OF APPROPRIATIONS.

The Mayor has approved the following requests for transfers of appropriations:

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Cemetery Division.

From 813, Development of Fairview and Evergreen Cemeteries, $1,000, to 300, Supplies and Materials, $1,000.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Automotive Division.

From 100, Permanent Employees, $12,000, to 270, Automotive Repairs, $12,000.

Paving Division.

From 100, Permanent Employees, $4,000, to 290, Miscellaneous Contractual Services, $4,000.

Sanitary Division.

From 100, Permanent Employees, $14,000, to 262, Electrical, $7,000, 269, Repairs to Buildings and Structures (Not Otherwise Classified), $5,000, 391, Building Supplies and Materials, $2,000.

Sewer Division.

From 269, Buildings and Structures (Not Otherwise Classified), $1,500, to 391, Building Supplies and Materials, $200, 397, Public Works Supplies and Materials, $1,200, 399, Miscellaneous Supplies (Not Otherwise Classified), $100.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

From 260, Contractual Services, $300, to 360, Supplies and Materials, $300.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 2,089.

The Police Commissioner having heard the complaint of Capt. Edward L. Kelley, Division 4, against Patrolman Joseph J. Callahan, Division 4, on June 21, 1955, at Police Headquarters, charging him with violation of the rules and regulations of the Police Department, has made a finding of guilty.

Therefore, The said Joseph J. Callahan is ordered dismissed from the Police Department, effective as of Monday, March 7, 1955, at 5.45 o'clock P.M.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,090.

The resignation of Patrolman John G. Monteiro of Division 10 having been presented, it is hereby accepted, to take effect as of Tuesday, August 30, 1955, at 7.45 o'clock A.M., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,091.

The resignation of Patrolman William P. Peri of Division 9 having been presented, it is hereby accepted, to take effect Monday, August 29, 1955, at 7.45 o'clock A.M., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,092.

The Department of Civil Service and Registration will hold an examination for promotion to the grade of lieutenant, in the Boston Police Department, according to the following notice received at this office.

This examination will be held on Saturday, November 5, 1955, and is open to the persons in the Boston Police Department, who have been employed in the grade of permanent sergeant, after certification, for at least one year prior to the date of examination.

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION FOR PROMOTION TO POLICE LIEUTENANT, BOSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT, NOVEMBER 5, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $5,150 a year; the maximum salary is $5,620 a year.

Vacancies: From time to time.

Eligibility: This examination is open to the permanent sergeants and sergeant-detectives in the Boston Police Department, who have been employed in this grade, after certification, for at least one year prior to the date of examination.

Duties: The regular duties of a police lieutenant.

Subjects and Weights: Experience, 3; report, 2; practical questions, 10; total 15.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Applications: Application blanks may be obtained from the office of Col. Thomas F. Sullivan, Police Commissioner, 154 Berkeley street, Boston. When completed, applications should be sent to the Division of Civil Service, Room 148, State House, Boston. Applications must be placed on file not later than Monday, October 17, 1955.

Military Absentees: Under the provisions of chapter 708 of the Acts of 1941, as amended, persons unable to compete in a competitive promotional examination because of absence in military or naval service may be given a qualifying promotional examination if request in writing is made within six months after the termination of such service.

Applicants will be notified of the time and place of examination.

THOMAS J. GREEHAN,
Director of Civil Service.

This poster issued on August 30, 1955.

It will be noted particularly that applications, when completed, are to be returned to the Division of Civil Service not later than Monday, October 17, 1955.

Commanding officers will promulgate this order not only by reading it at roll call, but by posting a copy thereof in a conspicuous and accessible place in each station house, where it may be easily read, and it shall remain posted until after the date of examination.

Commanding officers will secure a fresh copy from the superintendent's office if the posted copy becomes mutilated or destroyed.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,093.

The Department of Civil Service and Registration will hold an examination for promotion to the grade of sergeant, in the Boston Police Department, according to the following notice received at this office.

This examination will be held on Saturday, December 3, 1955, and is open to the persons in the Boston Police Department, who have been employed as permanent patrolmen, after certification, for at least three years prior to the date of examination.

MASSACHUSETTS CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION FOR PROMOTION TO POLICE SERGEANT, BOSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT, DECEMBER 3, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $4,520 a year; the maximum salary is $4,940 a year.

Vacancies: From time to time, for males. (If requisitions calling for females are received in the future, a separate examination will be held at a later date for such positions.)

Eligibility: This examination is open to the permanent patrolmen in the Boston Police Department, who have been employed in this grade, after certification, for at least three years prior to the date of examination.

Duties: The regular duties of a police sergeant.

Subjects and Weights: Experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Applications: Application blanks may be obtained from the office of Col. Thomas F. Sullivan, Police Commissioner, 154 Berkeley street, Boston. When completed, applications should be sent to the Division of Civil Service, Room 148, State House, Boston. Applications must be placed on file not later than Monday, November 14, 1955.

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The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,094.

The resignation of Patrolman Lawrence L. Cameron of Division 13 having been presented, it is hereby accepted, to take effect Wednesday, August 31, 1955, at 7.45 o'clock A.M., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of exercises as Boston University Field by the Veterans of Foreign Wars Convention, parking of vehicles is prohibited in the following street on Sunday, August 28, 1955, and on Wednesday, August 31, 1955:

Gaffney Street, Boston Proper.
From Commonwealth avenue to the Boston & Albany Railroad.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway resurfacing, estimated to be five (5) days, the following street is one way in the direction indicated, when official signs are in place, effective August 25, 1955:

Longwood Avenue, Roxbury.
From Brookline avenue to Huntington avenue.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following personnel changes:

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Approval has been given for a 30-day emergency appointment for Evelyn Van Ounsen, 178½ M street, South Boston, as custodial worker at $43 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

The resignation of Dr. Walter F. West, public health dentist, has been approved.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

For the week ending August 23:

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Esther Bandlow, 5 Reddy avenue, Hyde Park, 3 days; Priscilla Beckwith, 686 Massachusetts avenue, 4 days; Lillian Blackburn, 18 Park Vale avenue, Allston, Ruby Childs, 270 Huntington avenue, Roxbury, 2 days; Dorothy Currie, 283 Chestnut avenue, Jamaica Plain, 3 days; Grace Candiano, 2 days; Norma Dean, 696 Massachusetts avenue, 3 days; Jean Darrough, 568 East Sixth street, South Boston, Mary Edwards, 428 Adams street, Dorchester, Mildred Filoraska, 69 Park Drive, 2 days; Mary Fraser, 99 Norway street, 6 days; Ethel Glennon, 57 Hollis avenue, Quincy, 3 days; Diana Guinta, 42 Topliff street, Dorchester, 2 days; Anne Lynskey, 52 Telsa street, Medford, 3 days; Loretta Lynch, 270 Huntington avenue, 6 days; Mary R. Mahan, 29 Kempton street, 7 days; Audrey Mailhot, 30 Walton street, Dorchester, 2 days; Patricia Marzilli, 39 Potomac street, West Roxbury, 1 day; Agnes O'Connor, 270 Huntington avenue, 5 days; Mary Paylor, 67 Mystic avenue, Medford, 1 day; Dora Picarsky, 31 Edison Green, Dorchester, Alyce N. Powers, 67 Prospect avenue, Wollaston, 2 days; Ethel Rahaim, 665 Massachusetts avenue, 6 days; Mabel Smith, 87 Bartlett road, Winthrop, Helen Spillane, 499 Park street, Stoughton, Anna Stankard, 79 Edwin road, Waltham, 4 days; Claire Shea, 136 Savin Hill avenue, Dorchester, 1 day; Florence Sullivan, 3 days; Takaka Salvi, 123 Harvard street, Cambridge, 2 days; Josephine Trippe, 80 Orleans street, East Boston, 1 day; Ila Ward, 79 Warren street, Roxbury, 3 days.

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—Daisey S. Gulley, 55 Robey street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; Frank Masucci, 3 Wiggin street, hospital house worker, $50.50 a week; Benedict J. Fiasconaro, 709 East Seventh street, South Boston, Patrick J. McMahon, 75 Circuit street, Roxbury, John U. Zappt, 27 Flagg street, Roxbury, hospital kitchen workers, $43 a week; Mary I. Barry, 3 Remington street, Dorchester, floor nurse, $70.50 a week; Alice G. McMinn, 69 Mt. Ida road, Dorchester, head nurse, $73 a week; Olga Ulchak, 19 Bradford street, floor nurse, $1.70 an hour.

Temporary.—Stanley A. Beberman, 7 Arbutus street, Dorchester, Rose M. Boudreau, 15½ Union street, Charlestown, John W. Heizer, 290 Marlborough street, Catherine M. Hurley, 14 Irwin street, Roxbury, William L. Little, 100 Farrar avenue, Hyde Park, Louise E.

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING AUGUST 30.

GAS FITTER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
P. Russo	36 Lexington avenue	18	New appliances	$160
O. Weider	112 Pleasant street	15	New appliances	100
O. Weider	7 Southview street	13	New appliances	100
E. Clayton	235 Talbot avenue	17	New appliances	400
J. Vogel	27 Union park	3	New appliances	10
I. Gerson	838 Washington street	17	New appliances	100
O. Weider	81 Wenham street	19	New appliances	100
M. Caputo	138 West Fourth street	6	New appliances	70
M. Caputo	113 West Seventh street	6	New appliances	45
G. Trethewey	201 Bellevue street	20	New appliances	150
J. Stella	164 Bennington street	1	New appliances	100
J. Stella	193 Chelsea street	1	New appliances	12
M. Eskowitz	40 Geneva avenue	14	New appliances	50
J. Houghton	91 Geneva avenue	14	New appliances	50
G. Trethewey	50 Halliday street	19	New appliances	250
E. Secatore	249 Maverick street	1	New appliances	100
E. Dorr	19 Murray Hill road	19	New appliances	20
E. Secatore	56 Neptune road	1	New appliances	20
H. Geddis	106 Northampton street	8	New appliances	25
E. Secatore	313 Saratoga street	1	New appliances	20
J. Vogel	22 South Walter street	20	New appliances	25
J. Houghton	45 Sturbridge street	17	New appliances	150
J. Liftman	112 West Second street	6	New appliances	15
J. Liftman	45 Woodward street	7	New appliances	125
N. Clark	16 Adelaide street	19	New appliances	400
P. Murtha	3 Aspinwall road	17	New appliances	45
P. Gulesian	196 Austin street	18	New appliances	300
S. Adams	78 Berry street	15	New appliances	425
J. McLaughlin	472 Beech street	18	New appliances	25
P. Gulesian	51 Beacon street	18	New appliances	200
N. Clark	67 Cedar street	17	New appliances	400
S. Adams	40 Church street	15	New appliances	275
P. Gulesian	191 Dana avenue	18	New appliances	200
P. Murtha	60 Edson street	17	New appliances	250
S. Adams	81 Ellington street	14	New appliances	195
S. Adams	8 Elm Lawn	16	New appliances	190
F. Avery	6 Everett street	19	New appliances	10
P. Murtha	21 Glade avenue	11	New appliances	300
A. Granara	387 Hanover street	3	New appliances	10
F. Alberts	98 Hooker street	22	New appliances	100
M. Eskowitz	1087 Hyde Park avenue	18	New appliances	20
G. Speers	32 Justin road	22	New appliances	50
S. Adams	8 Lenoxdale avenue	16	New appliances	425
P. Murtha	1 Lorenzo street	16	New appliances	150
S. Fox	7 Menlo street	22	New appliances	250
P. Murtha	88 Millet street	17	New appliances	12
S. Adams	55 Moseley street	13	New appliances	225
E. Slein	154 Moss Hill road	19	New appliances	50
P. Murtha	48 Mountain avenue	14	New appliances	215
J. Fopiano	39 North Bennet street	3	New appliances	100
A. Granara	30 Parmenter street	3	New appliances	20
F. Avery	135 Paul Gore street	19	New appliances	25
S. Adams	56 Percival street	15	New appliances	185
D. Puopolo	44 Phillips street	5	New appliances	25
D. Palmariello	126 Prince street	3	New appliances	35
W. Crawford	67 Radcliffe street	14	New appliances	15
P. Gulesian	1398 River street	18	New appliances	800
E. Slein	1817 River street	18	New appliances	150
M. Eskowitz	12 Rosebery road	18	New appliances	10
N. Clark	64 School street	11	New appliances	400
S. Adams	16 Silloway street	16	New appliances	250
D. Palmariello	3 Stillman street	3	New appliances	35
F. Avery	75 Tower street	11	New appliances	75
W. Long	29 Vineland street	22	New appliances	210
P. Murtha	697 Washington street	17	New appliances	85
E. Ross	420 Western avenue	22	New appliances	200
N. Clark	57 Woodbine street	12	New appliances	400
J. Flynn	22-24 Annabel street	7	New appliances	185
J. Flynn	3 Bluefield terrace	18	New appliances	25
F. Rull	12 Brewster street	7	New appliances	75
W. DiLorenzo	131 Brooks street	1	New appliances	100
W. Connell	260 Clarendon street	5	New appliances	10
J. Flynn	656 Columbia road	7	New appliances	80
W. Connell	20 Dix street	16	New appliances	30
J. Flynn	867 Dorchester avenue	7	New appliances	60
J. Flynn	726A Dudley street	7	New appliances	25
J. Flynn	264 East Cottage street	13	New appliances	55
F. Rull	428 East Fifth street	7	New appliances	25
R. Simon	832 East Fifth street	6	New appliances	85
F. Rull	587 East Fourth street	7	New appliances	65
F. Hull	628 East Second street	6	New appliances	100
J. Flynn	18 Elton street	13	New appliances	25
W. Connell	16 Elwyn road	17	New appliances	175
W. Connell	40 Garner road	16	New appliances	550
W. Connell	10 Gaylord street	17	New appliances	85
J. Flynn	30 Gleason street	14	New appliances	35
F. Rull	177 H street	7	New appliances	80
J. Flynn	136 Hamilton street	15	New appliances	125
B. Weiner	219 Harrison avenue	3	New appliances	100
G. Trethewey	8 Harrison street	19	New appliances	350
G. Trethewey	33 Hillcrest street	20	New appliances	270
J. Flynn	21 Humphreys street	7	New appliances	60
J. Flynn	49 Monadnock street	13	New appliances	80
J. Flynn	4 Myrtlebank avenue	16	New appliances	27
I. Shulman	29 Park Vale avenue	21	New appliances	100
T. Matthews	78 Pleasant street	13	New appliances	100
J. Burke	155 River street	18	New appliances	100
J. Flynn	70 Romsey street	13	New appliances	55
H. Lyons	154 Ruskindale road	18	New appliances	150
V. Bordonaro	176 Salem street	3	New appliances	40
J. Flynn	7 Saxton street	13	New appliances	25

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING AUGUST 30.—Concluded.

GAS FITTER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
F. Rull	280 State street	3	New appliances	$80
W. Connell	47 Story street	7	New appliances	15
J. Flynn	151 Sydney street	13	New appliances	75
J. Flynn	41 Upham avenue	13	New appliances	60
J. Flynn	50 Wilrose street	15	New appliances	32
K. Hering	10 Wise street	10	New appliances	45
L. Marchant	8 Archdale road	19	New appliances	25
D. Horgan	260 Bolton street	6	New appliances	100
A. Onessimo	43 Charter street	3	New appliances	175
E. Baker	51 Cotton street	20	New appliances	100
R. Ebba	222 East Eagle street	1	New appliances	100
C. Lee	643 East Fifth street	6	New appliances	50
D. Horgan	701 East Sixth street	6	New appliances	100
D. Horgan	28 Emerson street	6	New appliances	100
D. Greenwood	7 Glade avenue	11	New appliances	180
S. Goldman	95 Gordon street	21	New appliances	100
R. Ebba	157 Havre street	1	New appliances	100
J. Rooney	1072 Hyde Park avenue	19	New appliances	100
W. Awad	98 Lake street	22	New appliances	100
W. Awad	195 Lake street	22	New appliances	100
D. Horgan	16 Leeds street	7	New appliances	100
W. Awad	40 Litchfield street	22	New appliances	100
W. Awad	40 Litchfield street	22	New appliances	100
W. Awad	40 Litchfield street	22	New appliances	100
D. Gould	1 Oakville avenue	12	New appliances	40
R. Ebba	254 Saratoga street	1	New appliances	100
I. Cohen	9 Stafford street	8	New appliances	100
M. Eskowitz	73 Warren street	12	New appliances	10
W. Awad	4354 Washington street	18	New appliances	100
D. Horgan	188 West Seventh street	6	New appliances	100

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM PLUMBING FOR THE WEEK ENDING AUGUST 30.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
W. Fafara	170 Almont street	18	Fixtures	$900
J. Vogel	212 Ashmont street	16	Fixtures	350
G. Trethewey	201 Bellevue street	20	Fixtures	150
O. Semple	54 Brimmer street	5	Fixtures	100
W. Osenton	101 Chestnut street	5	Fixtures	400
J. Vogel	47 Custer street	19	Fixtures	250
G. Trethewey	50 Halliday street	19	Fixtures	250
J. McTomney	108 Huntington avenue	4	Fixtures	200
S. Lucido	111 LaGrange street	20	Fixtures	65
E. Dorr	19 Murray Hill road	19	Fixtures	250
H. Geddis	106 Northampton street	8	Fixtures	100
A. Hapenney	419 Pond street	19	Fixtures	100
J. Vogel	22 South Walter street	20	Fixtures	150
J. Houghton	45 Sturbridge street	17	Fixtures	800
A. Hapenney	21 Sunset Hill road	20	Fixtures	250
J. Vogel	10 Sycamore street	18	Fixtures	160
A. Milligan	11 Addington road	20	Fixtures	1,000
A. Milligan	11 Arborview road	19	Fixtures	1,000
G. Vallati	10 Ashmont street	17	Fixtures	400
P. Murtha	3 Aspinwall road	17	Fixtures	250
T. Matthews	43 Cambridge street	3	Fixtures	100
R. Snyder	Commonwealth avenue	21	Fixtures	5,000
P. Sandborg	78 Dent street	20	Fixtures	200
S. Fox	7 Menlo street	22	Fixtures	850
E. Slein	151 Moss Hill road	19	Fixtures	350
E. Slein	1817 River street	18	Fixtures	600
D. Weinberg	24 Riverview street	20	Fixtures	700
W. Long	29 Vineland street	22	Fixtures	210
R. Snyder	572 Washington street	3	Fixtures	5,300
W. Connell	260 Clarendon street	5	Fixtures	220
K. Hering	34 Creighton street	10	Fixtures	400
N. Prives	543 East Sixth street	7	Fixtures	300
W. Connell	16 Elwyn road	17	Fixtures	600
M. Woods	256 Hancock street	15	Fixtures	100
G. Trethewey	8 Harrison street	19	Fixtures	175
G. Trethewey	33 Hillcrest street	20	Fixtures	270
W. Connell	145 Neponset avenue	16	Fixtures	200
A. Granara	7 Park street	2	Fixtures	75
J. Mellyn	157 Perham street	20	Fixtures	600
S. Staretz	29 Warrenton street	3	Fixtures	500
A. Kaunfer	350 West street	18	Fixtures	750
C. Freeman	395 Western avenue	22	Fixtures	1,100
J. McKinnon	25 Wyvern avenue	19	Fixtures	700
L. Marchant	8 Archdale road	19	Fixtures	25
F. Odenweller	11 Hillcrest street	20	Fixtures	750
R. Libby	65 Itasca street	18	Fixtures	1,200
H. Beaulieu	56 Mozart street	10	Fixtures	40
M. Miller	1415 Washington street	3	Fixtures	40
S. Kellem	9 Helena road	16	Fixtures	100
J. Woodacre	107 Poplar street	18	Fixtures	200
F. Boles	59 Temple place	3	Fixtures	100
L. Luxton	31 Whitridge street	16	Fixtures	1,400

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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McKeever, 17 Kensington road, Jamaica Plain, Joseph M. Mulkerrin, 14 Riverdale street, Allston, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; Warren F. Dole, 774 Walford Way, Charlestown, John J. Sullivan, 127 McGreevey Way, Roxbury, hospital house workers, $43 a week; Judith T. Chisholm, 70 Grayfield avenue, West Roxbury, James Maloney, 41 Lee street, Jamaica Plain, Nancy E. McAvoy, 91 St. Rose street, Jamaica Plain, Elaine A. Sullivan, 124 King street, Dorchester, hospital kitchen workers, $43 a week; Frank E. DeMarchi, 35 Leyden street, East Boston, X-ray technician, $45.50 a week; Norma A. Feinberg, 10 Mildred avenue, Mattapan, Ann M. McLaughlin, 15 Baker place, West Roxbury, Lois V. Powers, 48 Rosewood street, Mattapan, Barbara A. Reidy, 72 Surrey street, Brighton, clerk-typists, $43 a week; Jane McNamara, 266 Neponset avenue, Dorchester, social worker, $65.50 a week; Desmond M. Cavanaugh, 329 Freeport street, Dorchester, ambulance medical aid, $53 a week; Donald F. Davidson, 178 Huntington avenue, fireman first-class, $65.50 a week; Marguerite Mackesey, 79 First street, Medford, floor nurse, $60.50 a week.

Long Island Division.

The following changes have been made in the personnel for the week ending August 24:

Terminations.—John W. McKeown, Marie E. Palmieri, Ann M. O'Donnell, attendant nurses, Vacation Supply; Merwyn Hassell, attendant nurse, permanent; Albert P. Kingman, hospital laborer; William L. Tierney, hospital house worker, emergency.

Cancellation.—Catherine T. Sears, transfer from hospital medical worker to hospital house worker.

Appointments.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Health Division.

David I. Meline, 2089 Centre street, West Roxbury, public health physician, part time, $65 a week.

John T. Bowers, Jr., 987 South street, Roslindale, public health physician, part time, $65 a week.

Claire McNamara, 287 North Harvard street, Allston, public health educator, $70.50 a week.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

George R. Hurley, 7 Darius court, South Boston, assistant real estate custodian, $58 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Mary R. Phipps, 75 Mapleton street, Brighton, clerk, $43 a week.

Anthony J. Salerno, 131 Minden street, Jamaica Plain, junior building custodian, $53 a week.

Patricia A. Pini, 119 Marlborough street, social worker, $65.50 a week.

Freida C. Wheeler, 125 Ruthven street, Roxbury, social worker, $65.50 a week.

Dolores O'Keefe, 52 Langdon street, Roxbury, social worker, $65.50 a week.

Eunice Branker, 22A Montrose street, Roxbury, social worker, $65.50 a week.

Joseph J. Murphy, 106 Rossmore road, Jamaica Plain, junior building custodian, $53 a week.

Appointments or Reinstatements.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Printing Section.

Robert C. Harvey, 332 Commonwealth avenue, monotype keyboard operator, $96.25 a week.

William Frawley, 41 Faneuil street, Brighton, compositor (apprentice), $67.37 a week.

CIVIL DEFENSE.

Anne Degnan, 26 Catherine street, Roslindale, clerk-stenographer, $43 a week.

CITY PLANNING BOARD.

Robert G. Davidson, 61 Madison avenue, Newtonville, principal planner (temporary), $113 a week.

Sydnor F. Hodges, 42 Mt. Vernon street, principal planner (temporary), $113 a week.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Arthur J. Howard, 59 Sycamore street, Roslindale, fire fighter, $67.82 a week.

Acacio J. Gazo, 844 East Broadway, South Boston, fire fighter, $67.82 a week.

John G. Monteiro, 8 Hollander street, Roxbury, fire fighter, $67.82 a week.

Leo J. Souza, 68 Jamaica street, Jamaica Plain, fire fighter, $67.82 a week.

Robert P. Sullivan, 9 Harvard park, Dorchester, fire fighter, $67.82 a week.

Frank J. Marcella, 112 School street, Jamaica Plain, fire fighter, $67.82 a week.

Joseph A. Dantona, 144 Saratoga street, East Boston, fire fighter, $67.82 a week.

John J. Handren, 93 Lamartine street, Jamaica Plain, fire fighter, $67.82 a week.

Arthur M. Turk, 185 Bowdoin street, Dorchester, fire fighter, $67.82 a week.

James R. Munzert, 9 Fairland street, Roxbury, fire fighter, $67.82 a week.

Paul J. Lambrecht, 4 Lorette street, West Roxbury, fire fighter, $67.82 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

John A. Gillis, 217 Eustis street, Roxbury, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

William J. Noonan, 1 Worcester square, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

Robert Higgins, 31 Patterson Way, South Boston, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

Albert Burke, 233 West Newton street, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

James Broderick, 295 Washington street, Dorchester, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

John Bissonette, 77 Harvard street, Dorchester, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

Donald F. Babin, 302 Chelsea street, East Boston, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

Michael J. Connelly, 7 Patterson Way, South Boston, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

Thomas F. Kane, 25 Walford Way, Charlestown, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

Donald Webster, 846 East Fifth street, South Boston, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

Thomas Setting, 42 Hecla street, Dorchester, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING AUGUST 30.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
RoslindaleCo-OperativeBank	40 Belgrade avenue	20	Bank	$51,800
John Kent	115 and 117 Capen street	17	Dwelling	15,000
A. M. Sonnabend	200 Commonwealth avenue.	5	Alterations, hotel	4,500
M & F Plastering Co	15 Driftwood road	19	Dwelling	20,000
Alfred Rogantino	52 Harvard street	17	Dwelling	15,000
Guido Carrara	24 Livermore street	18	Alterations, dwelling	300
Gaetano Ghellis	4 North Hudson street	3	Alterations, dwelling	750
Sevenel Inc	1 Violet street	18	Dwelling	8,000
Sevenel Inc	4 Violet street	18	Dwelling	8,000
Sevenel Inc	5 Violet street	18	Dwelling	8,000
Sevenel Inc	8 Violet street	18	Dwelling	8,000
Sevenel Inc	12 Violet street	18	Dwelling	8,000
Sevenel Inc	16 Violet street	18	Dwelling	8 000
Jordan Marsh Co	474–480 Washington street	3	Alterations, store	1,500
Jordan Marsh Co	484 and 486 Washington street.	3	Alterations, store	1,500
John Clark	86 Baldwin street	2	Alterations, dwelling	500
Benedict Marcello	597 Bennington street	1	Alterations, dwelling	200
Little Building Trust	80 Boylston street	5	Alterations, store, office	500
Nickolas Singelski	453 West Broadway	6	Alterations, dwelling, store	700
Margaret Kopp	98 Caledonian avenue	20	Alterations, dwelling	238
Mary Tracousis	7 Dunboy street	22	Alterations, dwelling	150
Mary Tracousis	11 Dunboy street	22	Alterations, dwelling	150
Phineas Martin	78 Ellington street	14	Alterations, dwelling	375
Christine Dombroski	172 Faneuil street	22	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Lucille Williams	20 Fenno street	12	Alterations, dwelling	500
Michael Dunford	319 Geneva avenue	15	Alterations, dwelling	785
Owen Gallagher	12 Greenmount street	13	Alterations, dwelling	60
Owen Gallagher	14 Greenmount street	13	Alterations, dwelling	60
James Sharkey	100 Hackensack road	20	Alterations, excavate	150
Anna Sauer	35 Knoll street	20	Alterations, dwelling	180
Solomon Lewis	32 Linwood street	11	Alterations, dwelling	50
Boston College High	160 William T. Morrissey Boulevard.	13	Excavate, dwelling	7,500
Julia Arcella	341 and 343 Norfolk avenue	8	Alterations, dwelling	300
Louis Siegel	383 Norfolk street	14	Alterations, dwelling	275
Bertha Brown	17 Robey street	8	Alterations, dwelling	350
A. Weschie	36 Temple street	3	Alterations, dwelling	375
F. Cline	1813 Washington street	9	Alterations, store	800
Irving Elkin	7 Westmore road	14	Alterations, dwelling	500
Claes Johanson	153 Woodrow avenue	14	Alterations, dwelling	185
Father McCarthy	155 Corey street	20	Alterations, dwelling	300
Michael Moschella	1050 Bennington street	1	Alterations, dwelling	1,200
First National Bank	52 Temple place	3	Alterations, bank	325
Philip Greenwood	304 West Third street	6	Alterations, dwelling	100
Louis Waterman	636 West Park street	14	Alterations, dwelling	684
A. Houston	8 Eldora street	10	Alterations, dwelling	950
General Land Co	43–47 Hanover street	3	Alterations, store	2,000
General Land Co	49 Hanover street	3	Alterations, store	1,000
St. Botolph Holding Co	202 West Newton street	4	Alterations, school	5,000
Paul W. Mooney	78 Oriole street	20	Alterations, dwelling	150
Edward Kakas & Sons, Inc.	93 Newbury street	5	Alterations, store, office	450
E. A. Meyer	19 Acacia road	20	Alterations, dwelling	450
Isadore Paul	15 Boyden street	14	Alterations, dwelling	250
B. Goodman	345 Charles street	5	Alterations, dwelling	75
Niles Inc	1157 Commonwealth avenue	21	Alterations, dwelling	175
Workingmen's Coop Bank	73 Cornhill	3	Alterations, hank	950
Allston Methodist Church	24 Highgate street	21	Alterations, dwelling	870
Niles Inc	10 Jamaicaway	10	Alterations, dwelling	500
The Slate Company	15 Lansing street	12	Alterations, dwelling	600
Michigan Furniture Company	17 Lyman street	3	Alterations, warehouse	50
Michael Di Salvo	221 Marion street	1	Alterations, dwelling	400
Michael Di Salvo	221 Marion street	1	Alterations, dwelling	600
Eli Showstack	43 Nightingale street	14	Alterations, dwelling	200
Merchants Realty Trust	59–75 Queensberry street	5	Alterations, garage	150
Joseph Gatzulis	8 Silloway street	16	Alterations, dwelling	400
Mary McGloin	19 Spalding street	11	Alterations, dwelling	550
Jake Davis	44 Starr Lane	19	Alterations, barn	175
Joe & Nemo	83 Summer street	3	Alterations, store, office	2,200
First Realty Company	22 and 24 Tremont street	3	Alterations, store, office	500
Stephania Pietraski	278 West Fifth street	7	Alterations, dwelling	100
Max Plofock	6 Windermere road	13	Alterations, hospital	200
Letitia Hunter	25 Worcester street	9	Alterations, dwelling	200
Rita Zagarella	484 Brookline avenue	10	Alterations, dwelling	1 000
Flax Realty	10 Caryll street	17	Dwelling	10,000
Flax Realty	11 Caryll street	17	Dwelling	10,000
Mary Cummings	294 D street	6	Alterations, dwelling	2
Harlen Realty Corporation	18 and 20 Glenville avenue.	21	Alterations, dwelling	900
Gladys Lambert	27 Lambert street	9	Alterations, dwelling	50
.....	22 Moon street	3	.....	
Jennie Tello	27 and 29 Fleet street	3	Alterations, dwelling, store	2,500
Flax Realty	976 Morton street	17	Dwelling	80,000
Flax Realty	978 Morton street	17	Dwelling	70,000
Houghton Mifflin Company	2 Park street	3	Alterations, store, office	3,500
Flannery Lexenberg	29 Phillips street	5	Alterations, dwelling	2
H. Harris & Co	150 Rutherford avenue	2	Locker	1,200
Raymond Bernard	1239–1243 Veterans of Foreign Wars Parkway.	20	Alterations, sales, office	2,000
Joseph D'Angelo	40 Westford street	22	Dwelling	9,000
Wanda Woczcowalski	124 Adams street	15	Alterations, dwelling	990
Edward Doyle	65 Bowdoin avenue	15	Alterations, dwelling	2,000
Catherine Douglas	14 Cedar park	11	Alterations, dwelling	233
F. E. Anderson	17 Circuit street	12	Alterations, dwelling, store	450
Henry Curtin	70 Clifford street	18	Alterations, dwelling	427
John Dulski	678 Columbia road	7	Alterations, dwelling	322
Hugh Sharkey	128 Cross street	3	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Amanda Mulligan	50 Gates street	7	Alterations, dwelling	48
Oscar Smith	20 Grove street	5	Alterations, dwelling	500
Lenora Lanzilli	242 Leyden street	1	Alterations, dwelling	1,600
Harry Chaplik	16 Lincoln park	6	Alterations, dwelling	150
Dr. Pilka	40 Mills street	16	Alterations, conv. home	700

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING AUGUST 30.—Concluded.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Nancy Isenberg	29 Phillips street	5	Alterations, dwelling	$1,000
Mary Collins	31 Regent street	12	Alterations, dwelling	690
G. Ellis	19 Rushmore street	22	Alterations, dwelling	75
Christ's Church	193 Salem street	3	Alterations, church	225
Clara Burns	1120 Saratoga street	1	Alterations, dwelling	7,000
Maria Gentilucci	42 Shannon street	22	Alterations, dwelling	460
Gerald Realty	153 Shawmut avenue	5	Alterations, dwelling	200
B. Picardi	350 Sumner street	1	Alterations, dwelling	600
Eleanor Brigham	37 Thetford avenue	17	Alterations, dwelling	560
First Realty	20-24 Tremont street	3	Alterations, store, offices	900
Mitchel Flaherty	113 Tudor street	6	Alterations, dwelling	200
Meyer Jacobs	19 Wales street	14	Alterations, dwelling	290
Grace Mayor	46 Waumbeck street	12	Alterations, dwelling	598
Edward Kearne	47 West Walnut park	11	Alterations, dwelling	500
A. Bodowski	17 Worthington street	10	Alterations, dwelling	400

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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Paul W. Roach, 42 Augustus avenue, Roslindale, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

Cornelius O. Thornborn, 5 Upham avenue, Dorchester, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

Edward T. O'Neil, 8 Draper street, Dorchester, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

Arthur L. Warnock, 619 Tremont street, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

George T. Stanton, 6 Gore street, Roxbury, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

Thomas L. Quilty, 1 Regent Circle, Jamaica Plain, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

Robert L. Kelsey, 198 Walnut avenue, Roxbury, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

Robert L. Mayhew, 7 Patterson Way, South Boston, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

James J. Turley, 9 McDonough Way, South Boston, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

Hans A. Berntsen, 287 Hanover street, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

Mary F. Bibbey, 69 Lenoxdale avenue, Dorchester, telephone operator, $55.50 a week.

Dr. Frank Mills, 10 Fidelis Way, Brighton, senior executive assistant, $87 a week.

Gertrude E. Boyle, 116 Brooks street, Brighton, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Clare Donohue, 142 Laurie avenue, West Roxbury, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Donald F. Davidson, 178 Huntington avenue, first-class steam fireman, $65.50 a week.

Thomas Morton, 97 King street, Dorchester, ambulance and medical aide man, $53 a week.

Millicent Carpenter, 43 Rutland square, floor nurse, $65.50 a week.

Robert E. Higgins, 31 Patterson Way, South Boston, hospital house worker, $48 a week.

Marjorie L. Smith, 27 Franklin road, physical therapist, $1.50 an hour.

Jane Lally, 2 Fairfield street, physical therapist, $1.50 an hour.

Caroline Hathaway, Franklin Square House, physical therapist, $1.50 an hour.

Janet Richardson, 52 Irving street, physical therapist, $58 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

Sophoclis Legelis, 46 Sawyer avenue, Dorchester, senior hospital kitchen worker, $53 a week.

Hubert Butler, 40 Francis street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Long Island Division.

Peter L. McHugh, 12 Sheridan street, Woburn, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

John F. Hannon, 23 Topliff street, Dorchester, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

Robert Lee Lynch, 97 Willow street, Wollaston, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

James J. Mullen, 33 Fulda street, Roxbury, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

William D. Sullivan, 9 Walk Hill street, Jamaica Plain, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Louis M. Bromley, 10 Whitridge street, Dorchester, legal assistant, $87 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Bridge-Tunnel Division.

James V. Duffy, 192 Milton street, Dorchester, electrician-operator, $68 a week.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Collecting Division.

Gloria R. Freancy, 14 Monponsett street, Mattapan, statistical machine operator, $45.50 a week.

Changes in Status.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Printing Section.

Carmen Gentile, 9 Noyes place, from compositor (apprentice) at $77 a week to compositor at $96.25 a week.

Frederick L. Masucci, 47 Joy street, from compositor (apprentice) at $77 a week to compositor at $96.25 a week.

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Rita M. Conley, 1368 Commonwealth avenue, from chief of Tabulating Division (temporary) at $87 a week to chief of Tabulating Division (permanent) at $87 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Costas D. Verros, 270 Huntington avenue, from public health dentist at $91 a week to director of dental services (temporary) at $122.50 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Catherine O'Brien, 645 Beacon street, from floor nurse at $65.50 a week to head nurse at $70.50 a week.

Matilda Rossi, 41 East Concord street, from senior clerk and typist at $65.50 a week to principal clerk (temporary, 6 months) at $68 a week.

Katherine E. Gibney, 89 Union Park street, from laboratory technician, temporary, at $63 a week to laboratory technician, permanent, at $63 a week.

Julia Collins, 7 Bloomington street, Dorchester, from senior clerk and typist, temporary, at $55.50 a week to senior clerk and typist, permanent, at $55.50 a week.

Frances V. Sena, 691 Bennington street, East Boston, from clerk and typist at $54.86 a week to senior clerk and typist at $58 a week.

Carolyn A. Russell, 40 Waumbeck street, Roxbury, from physical therapist at $68 a week to senior physical therapist, temporary, at $70.50 a week.

Mary A. Lane, 51 Wheatland avenue, Dorchester, from senior clerk and stenographer at $65.50 a week to principal clerk, temporary, at $68 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Cemetery Division.

Charles E. Fortune, 71 Jamaica street, Jamaica Plain, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week to heavy motor equipment operator and laborer at $63 a week.

Augustine V. Delia, 18 Westville street, Dorchester, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week to heavy motor equipment operator and laborer at $63 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Bridge Division.

Charles I. Carter, 1 Bickford avenue, Roxbury, from assistant drawtender at $63 a week to first assistant drawtender (temporary) at $65.50 a week.

Highway Division.

John J. McManus, 70 Francis street, Roxbury, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to principal clerk and stenographer (temporary) at $68 a week.

John T. Gorman, 1017 Canterbury street, Roslindale, from principal account clerk (temporary) at $68 a week to principal account clerk at $68 a week.

Sewer Division.

Patrick J. Joyce, 76 West Broadway, South Boston, from laborer at $58 a week to sewer cleaner at $60.50 a week.

John Herlihy, 16 Hill Top street, Dorchester, from third-class stationary engineer at $72.17 a week to pumping station engineer at $73 a week.

Peter A. Merrigan, 5 Longfellow street, Dorchester, from third-class stationary engineer at $73 a week to pumping station engineer at $76.50 a week.

Survey Division.

Roland A. Hull, 98 West Main street, Georgetown, from junior civil engineer at $90.50 a week to assistant civil engineer (temporary) at $94 a week.

neer (temporary) at $94 a week.

Robert F. Mehegan, 38 Fenway, from senior clerk and typist at $60.50 a week to principal clerk and typist (temporary) at $68.00 a week.

Water Division.

William G. Reardon, 18 Elmwood street, Roxbury, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior account clerk (temporary) at $55.50 a week.

Joseph M. Finneran, 36 Howe street, Dorchester, from clerk and typist at

$50.50 a week to senior clerk and typist (temporary) at $55.50 a week.

Joseph H. McCauley, 98 Hancock street, Dorchester, from yardman at $68 a week to yardmaster (temporary) at $70.50 a week.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Marion E. MacAdam, 43 Belmont street, Charlestown, from principal account clerk (temporary) at $68 a week to principal account clerk (permanent) at $68 a week.

Thomas H. Harris, 6 Winthrop street, Roxbury, from clerk-typist at $50.50 a week to senior account clerk (temporary, 6 months) at $55.50 a week.

Margaret L. Bowen, 26 Gates street, South Boston, from clerk-typist at $50.50 a week to senior clerk-typist (temporary, 6 months) at $55.50 a week.

Thomas J. McMackin, 22 Puritan avenue, Dorchester, from senior clerk and typist at $65.50 a week to deputy collector (temporary) at $76.50 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Arline Venable, 23 Catawba street, Roxbury, from senior bookkeeper at $58 a week to principal bookkeeper (temporary transfer) at $65.50 a week.

Promotions.

BOSTON RETIREMENT BOARD.

Anne P. Grieve, 3 Pickering avenue, Roxbury, from senior accounting machine operator at $65.50 a week to principal clerk and stenographer at $68 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Sanatorium Division.

Frederick Bennett, 148 Lamartine street, Jamaica Plain, from hospital house worker at $50.50 a week to senior hospital house worker at $53 a week.

Beatrice Lennon, 4003 Washington street, Roslindale, from medical social worker at $73 a week to medical social work supervisor (temporary), at $76.50 a week.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

Buildings Division.

William J. Durkin, 14 Stafford street, Roxbury, from junior building custodian at $63 a week to senior building custodian at $68 a week.

Transfers.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Erwin Hainline, 17 Iroquois street, Roxbury, from Parks and Recreation Department (Cemetery Division) as heavy motor equipment operator at $68 a week to Parks and Recreation Department as heavy motor equipment operator at $68 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Delmar H. Pendleton, 25 Whitby terrace, Dorchester, from Penal Institutions Department as correction officer at $76.50 a week to Public Works Department (Bridge-Tunnel Division) as toll-man-guard at $76.50 a week.

Leo B. Rose, 62 Beechland street, Roslindale, from Parks and Recreation Department (Cemetery Division) as grave digger at $60.50 a week to Public Works Department (Sanitary Division) as laborer at $58 a week.

Giro R. Parrelli, 15 Boardman street, East Boston, from Public Works Department (Bridge Division) as motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week to Public Works Department (Sanitary Division) as motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week.

James M. Flynn, 17 Bow street, Hyde Park, from Public Works Department (Sewer Division) as senior account clerk at $58 a week to Public Works Department (Highway Division) as senior account clerk at $58 a week.

Leaves of Absence.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Daurice R. Farrell, 314 Cummins Highway, Roslindale, public health nurse, $70.50 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Angelina Waters, 207 Park Drive, hospital medical worker, $50.50 a week.

Bridget Foley, 60 Symphony road, hospital medical worker, $50.50 a week.

Thomas E. Coleman, 625 South street, Roslindale, hospital medical worker, $50.50 a week.

Elizabeth J. McCormack, 18 Burney street Roxbury, hospital kitchen worker, $50.50 a week.

Genevieve R. Bunker, 26 Josephine street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $50.50 a week.

Ruth Horrigan, 72 Westland avenue, floor nurse, $65.50 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

Elizabeth Henriksen, 41 Maple street, Milton, licensed attendant nurse, $65.50 a week.

Lawrence Delaney, 671 Massachusetts avenue, hospital kitchen worker, $48 a week.

Ethel Fitzpatrick, 39 Belton street, Dorchester, registered graduate nurse, part time, $1.70 an hour.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Marie B. Reardon, 130 Tyndale street, Roslindale, principal legal stenographer, $76.50 a week.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

House of Correction.

Delmar H. Pendleton, 25 Whitby terrace, Dorchester, correction officer, $76.50 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Mary T. Breslin, 19 Monument avenue, Charlestown, social worker, $73 a week.

Hyman J. Harris, 16 Rose Garden Circle, Brighton, social work supervisor, $68.29 a week.

Janet Katz, 1902 Beacon street, Brookline, social worker, $73 a week.

Brendan Harrington, 23 O'Connell road, Dorchester, clerk, $43 a week.

Adolph Marcus, 62 Brunswick street, social worker, $70.50 a week.

Step-Rate Increases.

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Claire F. O'Rourke, statistical machine operator, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Nora M. Fahey, assessment recorder (temporary), from $68 to $70.50 a week.

June O'Callaghan, principal clerk-stenographer, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

David P. Berrigan, clerk-typist, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

James F. Fennelly, principal account examiner, from $87 to $90.50 a week.

Joseph A. Pilato, senior bookkeeper, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Long Island Division.

William Kearney, guard, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Henry L. Rodden, guard, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Eleanor M. Duffy, therapist, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Michael J. Duran, senior clerk-typist, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Violet M. Frazier, head nurse, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Alice M. McCarthy, clerk-typist, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Helen C. McFarland, head nurse, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Edward M. Milward, general storekeeper, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

James A. Cooper, senior hospital laundry worker, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Flora C. Daw, attendant nurse, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

John R. Donelan, senior hospital kitchen worker, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Joseph P. Flaherty, hospital house worker, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Joseph G. Geary, hospital kitchen worker, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Philip A. Jurgenson, senior attendant nurse, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

William A. Kenney, senior hospital laundry worker, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Russell J. Lindenfelzer, attendant nurse, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Florence J. McGillivray, hospital kitchen worker, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

William W. Morgan, hospital kitchen worker, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Edward P. Wood, senior hospital medical worker, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Automotive Division.

Martin Connolly, laborer-watchman, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Coleman J. Earner, heavy motor equipment operator, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Bertram R. Girard, motor equipment repairman, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Arthur L. Pumphret, dispatcher, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Louis F. Schlicht, laborer-watchman, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Bridge Division.

Edward K. Cotter, first assistant drawtender, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

John F. Fife, assistant drawtender, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Sanitary Division.

Robert J. Ashworth, laborer, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

Timothy J. Bracken, motor equipment operator and laborer, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Charles M. Brooks, heavy motor equipment operator and laborer, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Michael J. Buckley, laborer, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

John M. Doherty, laborer, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

Edward F. Igoe, heavy motor equipment operator and laborer, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Anthony R. Iula, heavy motor equipment operator and laborer, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Ernest Madeiros, laborer, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

Francis X. Murphy, motor equipment operator and laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Ernest Staiti, heavy motor equipment operator and laborer, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

John H. Verry, heavy motor equipment operator and laborer, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

John J. Hayes, laborer, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Sewer Division.

Carmine Barbarisi, laborer, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

Albert D. Ritchie, photostat operator, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Sumner Tunnel.

Warren J. Madden, electrician-operator, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Nicholas R. Aliberti, gardener, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

James J. Burke, gardener, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Clifford S. Deardorff, maintenance mechanic painter, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

James P. Kelleher, gardener, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Patrick Kelley, gardener, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Richard T. Kelly, laborer, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

John H. Krauss, laborer, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Patrick J. Lee, laborer, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Francis P. McDonald, laborer, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

John H. McGann, laborer, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

John J. McNeil, laborer, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Domenic Pucci, laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Bernard P. Ureneck, laborer, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

Vincenzo Ternullo, junior building custodian, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following request:

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Sanatorium Division.

For the week ending August 16:

The following employees have been granted an additional day's pay for working July 4:

Evelyn Kravitz, dietitian; Luke McCarthy, engineer; Patrick Murtagh, chief engineer; Katherine Burke, head nurse; Eleanor Caulfield, registered graduate nurse; Alice DeRoehn, night supervisor of nurses; Mary Flynn, head nurse; Anne Gilson, head nurse, physician; Clara Greene, Rose Humiston, Sadie Linn, Mazie McIntyre, Katherine Morris, Gertrude O'Connell, Johanne Reidy, head nurses; Mary Rogers, registered graduate nurse; Mary Spinale, night supervisor of nurses; Anna Sullivan, Cecelia Sullivan, Mary Tolan, head nurses.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award the contracts for work, materials, and supplies, in accordance with recommendations of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Purchasing Division.

Upon April 1 the Mayor approved contracts with bidders as indicated for furnishing laboratory and surgical supplies to the various city departments, from April 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, inclusive. Rejected items will be purchased in the open market at a later date. Approximate total amounts of awards were as follows:

Contracts for T. J. Noonan Company, $31,934.45, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; Item 43, net; A. S. Aloe Company, $16,657.40, less 2 per cent discount, 30 days, except Items 41, 44, and 60, which are net; Thomas W. Reed Company, $16,422.80, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; C. H. Goldthwaite Company, $10,561.40, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; E. F. Mahady Company, $2,572.68, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Orders for American Hospital Supply Corporation, $577.20, less 2 per cent discount, 30 days; Howe & French, Inc., $383.56, net, 30 days; American Cork Company, Inc., $200, less 2 per cent discount, 30 days; Metropolitan Supply Company, $78.25, net.

Bids, opened February 24, were as follows:

Laboratory and Surgical Supplies.

Item 1. 600 Boxes Applicators, 6-Inch, Wood, 72 Dozen to Box, Per Box.—American Hospital Supply, 46 cents, No. 37420; C. H. Goldthwaite Company, 44 cents*; E. F. Mahady Company, 50 cents; Metropolitan Supply Company, 55 cents; T. J. Noonan Company, 50 cents; T. W. Reed Company, 45 cents.

Item 2. 75,000 Applicators, 6-Inch, Wood, Cotton Tipped, Per M.—American Hospital Supply, 85 cents, No. 37409; C. H. Goldthwaite Company, $1.05; E. F. Mahady Company, $1.15; Metropolitan Supply Company, 88 cents*; T. J. Noonan Company, 99 cents; T. W. Reed Company, $1.20.

Item 3. 8 Boxes Applicators, 12-Inch, Wood, 500 to Box, Per Box.—American Hospital Supply, $1.15, No. 37421*; C. H. Goldthwaite Company, $1.24; E. F. Mahady Company, $1.50; Metropolitan Supply Company, $2.10; T. J. Noonan Company, $1.50; T. W. Reed Company, $1.25.

Item 4. 5 Dozen DeVilbiss Atomizers, No. 15, 2-Ounce, Per Dozen.—A. S. Aloe Company, $15.19, Aloe, C-3851; American Hospital Supply, $24; C. H. Goldthwaite Company, $16*; E. F. Mahady Company, $16.80; T. J. Noonan Company, $16; T. W. Reed Company, $16.50.

Item 5. 160 Gross Bard Parker Blades, or Equal, Assorted Sizes, Per Gross.—A. S. Aloe Company, $12.60, Aloe, B-1037-1038; American Hospital Supply, $12.60, No. 26463; C. H. Goldthwaite Company, $12.60*; Howe & French, Inc., $12.75, 29-990, Justrite; E. F. Mahady Company, $12.60, Bard Parker; Metropolitan Supply Company, $18; T. J. Noonan Company, $12.60; T. W. Reed Company, $12.60.

Item 6. 8,600 Gillette Blue Razor Blades, Per C.—A. S. Aloe Company, $3.79, Aloe, B-1019; American Hospital Supply, $4, No. 37281; E. F. Mahady Company, 60 cents, Durex; T. J. Noonan Company, $4.38; T. W. Reed Company, $4.*

Item 7. 21 Dozen Hot Water Bottles, Rubber, No. 30, Davol, No. 253, or Equal, 90-Ounce or 3-Quart (2-Quart not Acceptable), Per Dozen.—American Hospital Supply, $20.10, seamless, S.R. No. 30; C. H. Goldthwaite Company, $19.20; E. F. Mahady Company, $19, S.R. No. 30; Metropolitan Supply Company, $25, Goodrich Rubber, No. 36, 90-ounce; McKesson & Robbins, $18.40, Goodrich, No. 36; T. J. Noonan Company, $18.48; T. W. Reed Company, $18.*

Item 8. 400 Dozen Nursing Bottles, 4-Ounce, Per Dozen.—American Hospital Supply, 46 cents, No. 28546; E. F. Mahady Company, 48 cents, Armstrong, M-4*; Metropolitan Supply Company, 59 cents; T. W. Reed Company, 55 cents.

Item 9. 300 Dozen Nursing Bottles, 8-Ounce, Per Dozen.—American Hospital Supply, 52 cents, No. 28548; E. F. Mahady Company, 50 cents*; Metropolitan Supply Company, 65 cents; T. W. Reed Company, 60 cents.

Item 10. 5 Gross Bottles, Boston Round, with Screw Caps, Flint Rx, Owens, or Equal, Assorted Sizes, Per Gross.—American Hospital Supply, $4.81, No. 19671; Howe & French, Inc., $3.26, H. & F., 5-680, with 5-766 caps*; McKesson & Robbins, $4.10; T. W. Reed Company, $4.50.

Item 11. 4 Gross Bottles, 2-Ounce, Per Gross.—American Hospital Supply, $5.52, No. 19672; Howe & French, Inc., $4.36, H. & F., 5-680, with 5-766 caps*, McKesson & Robbins, $5.05; T. W. Reed Company, $4.90.

Item 12. 24 Gross Bottles, 4-Ounce, Per Gross.—American Hospital Supply, $6.90, No. 19674; Howe & French, Inc., $5.38, H. & F., 5-680, with 5-766 caps*; McKesson & Robbins, $6.60; T. W. Reed Company, $6.

Item 13. 22 Gross Bottles, 8-Ounce, Per Gross.—American Hospital Supply, $9.52, No. 19676; Howe & French, Inc., $6.47, H. & F., 5-680, with 5-766 caps*; McKesson & Robbins, $8.80; T. W. Reed Company, $7.

Item 14. 6 Gross Bottles, Per Gross.—American Hospital Supply, $19.52, No. 19679; Howe & French, Inc., $13.06, H. & F., 5-680, with 5-766 caps*; McKesson & Robbins, $17.80; T. W. Reed Company, $13.15.

Item 15. 24 Dozen Bottles, 5-Pint, with Metal Caps.—Bids rejected.

Item 16. 6 Dozen Bottles, 5-Pint, Amber, Per Dozen.—T. W. Reed Company, $45.*

Item 17. 200 Dozen Bottles, Grape Juice, 8-Ounce, Clear, Specimen, Per Dozen.—T. W. Reed Company, $9.*

Item 18. 72 Bottles, Kelley, 1,000 cc.—Bids rejected.

Item 19. 5 Gross White Slide Boxes, No. 128, Per Gross.—A. S. Aloe Company, $2.75*; Howe & French, Inc., $3.85; E. F. Mahady Company, $3.40, Rowell; Metropolitan Supply Company, $4.30; T. W. Reed Company, $3.25.

Item 20. 8 Dozen Bronchoscope Bulbs, Each.—E. F. Mahady Company, $30; T. J. Noonan Company, $1*; T. W. Reed Company, $1.65.

Item 21. 6 Dozen Resectoscope Bulbs, No. 581, Acmi, Each—A. S. Aloe Company, $1.65; American Hospital Supply, $19.80 per dozen; C. H. Goldthwaite Company, $1.65, E. F. Mahady Company, $19.80 per dozen; T. J. Noonan Company, $1.65; T. W. Reed Company, $1.65.*

Item 22. 250,000 Large Safe Bottle Caps.—Bids rejected.

Item 23. 250,000 Large Safe Bottle Acmi Foley, 5 cc., Per Dozen.—A. S. Aloe Company, $23.88, Aloe, AC2327; American Hospital Supply, $25.65, No. 34410, Bard, No. 120; C. H. Goldthwaite Company, $22.50; E. F. Mahady Company, $23.90; T. J. Noonan Company, $22.15*; T. W. Reed Company, $22.57.

Item 24. 20 Dozen Catheters, Bard or Acmi, 30 cc., Per Dozen.—A. S. Aloe Company, $26.40, AC2501; American Hospital Supply, $28.35, No. 34426, Bard, No. 123; C. H. Goldthwaite Company, $24.75; E. F. Mahady Company, $26.40; T. J. Noonan Company, $24.65*; T. W. Reed Company, $24.95.

Item 25. 140 Dozen Catheters, Davol, Fr., Sizes 8 to 22, Per Dozen.—A. S. Aloe Company, $3.19, Aloe, R–597, R–600; American Hospital Supply, $3.93, No. 1408–22; C. H. Goldthwaite Company, $2.95; E. F. Mahady Company, $3.40; McKesson & Robbins, $3.33, B. F. Goodrich; T. J. Noonan Company, $2.18*; T. W. Reed Company, $3.90.

Item 26. 10 Dozen Catheters, Davol, Fr., Sizes 24 to 30, Per Dozen.—A. S. Aloe Company, $3.67, Aloe, R–603; American Hospital Supply, $4.31, No. 1424–30; C. H. Goldthwaite Company, $3.25*; E. F. Mahady Company, $4.15; McKesson & Robbins, $3.80, B. F. Goodrich; T. J. Noonan Company, $3.66; T. W. Reed Company, $3.90.

Item 27. 24 Catheters, Ureteral, Graduated, Olive Tip, Nylon Woven Bard, No. 365, or Equal, Each.—A. S. Aloe Company, $3.15, Aloe, R–966; American Hospital Supply, $3.37, No. 34466; C. H. Goldthwaite Company, $3.25*; E. F. Mahady Company, $37.75 per dozen; T. J. Noonan Company, $3.37; T. W. Reed Company, $3.50.

Item 28. 24 Catheters, Ureteral, Graduated, Whistle Tip, Woven, X-Ray Bard, No. 361, or Equal, Each.—A. S. Aloe Company, $3.15, R–962; American Hospital Supply, $3.37, No. 34464; C. H. Goldthwaite Company, $3.25*; E. F. Mahady Company, $37.75 per dozen; T. J. Noonan Company, $3.37; T. W. Reed Company, $3.50.

Item 29. 4,000 Clips, Michel, 14 mm., Per C.—A. S. Aloe Company, 21 cents, Aloe, B–1864; American Hospital Supply, $2.62, No. 41311; C. H. Goldthwaite Company, 30 cents; E. F. Mahady Company, 30 cents; Metropolitan Supply Company, $3; T. J. Noonan Company, 26 cents*; T. W. Reed Company, $3.30.

Item 30. 6,000 Clips, Michel, 18 mm., Per M.—A. S. Aloe Company, $2.79, Aloe, B–1863; American Hospital Supply, $3.37, No. 41313; C. H. Goldthwaite Company, $3.50; E. F. Mahady Company, $3.88; Metropolitan Supply Company, $3.50; T. J. Noonan Company, $2.90*; T. W. Reed Company, $4.

Item 31. Corks, As Specified, $200, Price List To Be Submitted, Discount from List.—A. S. Aloe Company, 33⅓ per cent, pages 305 and 306 attached, terms net; American Cork Company, Inc., price list attached, prices net*; American Hospital Supply, 25 per cent from list, subject to change (*see* proposal).

Item 32. 126,002 Coverglasses, Micro, Gold Seal or Red Label, 22 x 22 mm., 22 x 40 mm., 22 x 50 mm., Per Dozen.—A. S. Aloe Company, $1.33; American Hospital Supply, $1.19, SP No. 66501; Howe & French, Inc., $2.50; E. F. Mahady Company, $1.47*; Metropolitan Supply Company, $2.40; T. J. Noonan Company, $1.20, same as supplied before; T. W. Reed Company, $1.60; Standard Scientific Supply, $1.454.

Item 33. 40 Gross Finger Cots, Large, S. R. 540, 3 Dozen to Box, Per Gross.—A. S. Aloe Company, 59 cents, Aloe, R 7; American Hospital Supply, $4.37; C. H. Goldthwaite Company, $4.25; E. F. Mahady Company, $4; T. J. Noonan Company, $3.70*; T. W. Reed Company, $4.50.

Item 34. 1,000 Packages Tongue Depressors, Junior, 500 to Package, Per Package.—American Hospital Supply, 90 cents, No. 37441; C. H. Goldthwaite Company, 90 cents; E. F. Mahady Company, 90 cents; Metropolitan Supply Company, 85 cents; T. J. Noonan Company, 90 cents; T. W. Reed Company, 72 cents.*

Item 35. 30 Gross Eye Droppers, Regular, Per Gross.—Howe & French, Inc., $2.65, E. F. Mahady Company, $2.70*; Metropolitan Supply Company, $3.15; T. J. Noonan Company, $2.80; T. W. Reed Company, $2.75.

Item 36. 15 Gross Medicine Droppers, Black, Per Gross.—A. S. Aloe Company, $2.34, Aloe, G–4225*; C. H. Goldthwaite Company, $2.75; Howe & French, Inc., $2.65; E. F. Mahady Company, $2.70; Metropolitan Supply Company, $2.45; T. J. Noonan Company, $3.30; T. W. Reed Company, $2.75.

Item 37. 5 Gross Medicine Droppers, Red, Per Gross.—Howe & French, Inc., $2.65; Metropolitan Supply Company, $2.45*; T. J. Noonan Company, $3.30; T. W. Reed Company, $5.50.

Item 38. Enamelware, White, Aseptic-on, or Equal, Approximate Total $4,500, Bidder Must Submit Price List and Quote Maximum Discount from Said List.—American Hospital Supply, Vollrath, 40 per cent discount; Metropolitan Supply Company, Asepticon, 40 per cent discount, subject to price change; T. J. Noonan Company, Asepticon, 53 per cent discount*; T. W. Reed Company, Jones, 53 per cent discount.

Item 39. Fenwal Items as Listed in Macalaster Bicknell Catalogue, Approximately $13,000 To Be Expended, Bidder Must Submit Price List and Show Quantity Discounts as Requested.—Bids rejected.

Item 40. 67 Gross Medicine Glasses, Per Gross.—American Hospital Supply, $5.68; Howe & French, Inc., $7.55; E. F. Mahady Company, $4.44*; Metropolitan Supply Company, $5.68; T. J. Noonan Company, $5.75; T. W. Reed Company, $5.65.

Item 41. Glassware, Corning Items as Listed in Corning Catalogue, Price List LP–34, Approximately $5,000 To Be Spent During Contract Period, Discount from List Prices.—A. S. Aloe Company, *see* attached catalogue for price list and schedules, terms, net*; American Hospital Supply, *see* price list; Howe & French, Inc., printed prices prevail; E. F. Mahady Company, package, 1 to 19, 10 per cent; package, 20 to 49, 10 and 5 per cent; package, 50 to 99, 10 and 10 per cent; Metropolitan Supply Company, list prices, no cash discount; T. J. Noonan Company, net prices; Standard Scientific Supply, *see* price list.

Item 42. Glassware, Glasco Items as Listed in Glasco Products Catalogue, G. P.–18, Approximately $5,000 To Be Spent During Contract Period, Discount from Price List, G.P.–53.—A. S. Aloe Company, 33⅓ per cent each, 45 per cent per dozen, 50 per cent per gross (pages 183 through 226 catalogue price list; American Hospital Supply, 25 per cent each, 25 per cent per dozen, 30 per cent per gross (discount from list); Howe & French, Inc., 33⅓ per cent each, 33⅓ per cent per dozen, 33⅓ per cent per gross; E. F. Mahady Company, 33⅓ per cent each, glass, 45 per cent per dozen, glass, 50 per cent per gross, (vitax glass, net); Metropolitan Supply Company, 35 per cent each, 35 per cent per dozen, 35 per cent per gross (vitax glass, net); T. J. Noonan Company, 25 per cent each, 25 per cent per dozen, 25 per cent per gross.

Item 43. Glassware, Kimball Items as Listed in Glasco Products Catalogue, GP–18, Approximately $10,000 at Net Prices Will Be Expended on These Items During the Contract Period. Show Discount from Price List, SD–53A.—A. S. Aloe Company, *see* attached catalogue prices and schedules, terms, net; American Hospital Supply, less than case lots, net (*see* price list); Howe & French, Inc., printed prices prevail; E. F. Mahady Company, less than case lots, net, no discount, 1 to 4 cases, 10 per cent, 5 to 9 cases, 10 and 5 per cent, 10 to 24 cases, 10 and 10 per cent, 25 cases and over, 10 and 15 per cent; Metropolitan Supply Company, net list price, no cash discount on all items; T. J. Noonan Company, as per schedule on enclosed catalogue on all items*; Standard Scientific Supply, less than case lots, net, 1 to 4 cases, 10 per cent, 5 to 9 cases, 15 per cent, 10 to 24 cases, 20 per cent, 25 cases and over, 23 per cent.

Item 44. Glassware, Vitax Items As Listed in Glasco Products Catalogue, GP–18, Approximately $1,000 at Net Prices Will Be Expended on These Items During the Contract Period. Show Discount from Price List, GP–53A.—A. S. Aloe Company, *see* attached catalogue prices and schedules, terms, net, pages 172 through 182, no discount, all prices as per units designated on price list*; American Hospital Supply, *see* price list, net; Howe & French, Inc., printed prices prevail; E. F. Mahady Company, 33⅓ per cent each, regular glass, 45 per cent per dozen, regular glass, 50 per cent per gross, regular glass (vitax glass, net, on all items); Metropolitan Supply Company, list prices, no cash discount.

Item 45. 20 Dozen Gloves, Post Mortem, Lastex, SR–757, Heavy Type, Assorted Sizes, Per Dozen Pairs.—A. S. Aloe Company, $7.15; American Hospital Supply, $5.93; C. H. Goldthwaite Company, $5.25*; E. F. Mahady Company, $7.15; T. J. Noonan Company, $7.15; T. W. Reed Company, $5.75.

Item 46. 180 Gross Rubber Gloves, Surgeons, Seamless, SR 829, Assorted Sizes, Per Gross.—A. S. Aloe Company, $62.40; Corey Rubber Company, $31.80, Cory sensitex; American Hospital Supply, $60, No. 33520; C. H. Goldthwaite Company, $62.40; E. F. Mahady Company, $62.40; McKesson & Robbins, $49.34, Goodrich, 5032; T. J. Noonan Company, $62.40*; T. W. Reed Company, $62.40.

Item 47. 65 Gross Rubber Gloves, Surgeons, SR 825, Brown, Latex, or Equal, Per Gross.—A. S. Aloe Company, $62.40; Corey Rubber Company, $31.80, Cory sensitex; American Hospital Supply, $57.75, No. 33514; C. H. Goldthwaite Company, $62.40,* alternate, $60, No. 823; E. F. Mahady Company, $60, No. 823, unbanded (Kolormarked), $62.40, alternate; Metropolitan Supply Company, $60, Goodrich Anode latex; McKesson & Robbins, $49.34, Goodrich, 5032; T. J. Noonan Company, $62.40, alternate, $60, No. 823; T. W. Reed Company, $62.40.

Item 48. 27 Dozen Handles, Knife Blade, Bard Parker, Sizes 3, 4, 7, Per Dozen.—A. S. Aloe Company, sizes 3 and 4, $19.75, size 7, $25.20, Aloe, 13–1036–1033–1035; American Hospital

Supply, sizes 3 and 4, $28.20, size 7, $36; C. H. Goldthwaite Company, sizes 3 and 4, $19.74, size 7, $25.20*; Howe & French, Inc., $13.50, No. 29 980, Justrite; E. F. Mahady Company, sizes 3 and 4, $19.74, size 7, $25.20; Metropolitan Supply Company, sizes 3 and 4, $2.35, size 7, $3, 30 per cent discount with contract; T. J. Noonan Company, sizes 3 and 4, $19.74, size 7, $25.20; T. W. Reed Company, 30 per cent discount on all Bard Parker items.

Item 49. Chart Hooks, Per Gross.—T. W. Reed Company, $18.*

Item 50. 15 Dozen Jars, First Quality, Subject to Approval, Vitax, with Chrome Covers, 3 x 3.—Bids rejected.

Item 51. 2 Dozen Jars, First Quality, Subject to Approval, Vitax, with Chrome Covers, 4 x 4.—Bids rejected.

Item 52. 3 Dozen Jars, First Quality, Subject to Approval, Vitax, with Chrome Covers, 5 x 5.—Bids rejected.

Item 53. 13 Dozen Jars, First Quality, Subject to Approval, Vitax, with Chrome Covers, 6 x 6.—Bids rejected.

Item 54. 20 Dozen Plaster Knives, Murphy Curved, Per Dozen.—A. S. Aloe Company, $3.45*; American Hospital Supply, $7.50, K-S-No. 735; C. H. Goldthwaite Company, $5.04; E. F. Mahady Company, $4.25; Metropolitan Supply Company, $6; T. J. Noonan Company, $4.50; Randall Faichney, $21.60 per dozen Auditor's copy, no price submitted on Purchasing proposal; T. W. Reed Company, $4.80.

Item 55. 20 Dozen Manometer Sections, Spinal Fluid, Fremont-Smith (0–500), Per Dozen.—E. F. Mahady Company, $21.60, Nos. 1 and 3 (0–250 mm.), No. 2 (250–500 mm.); T. J. Noonan Company, $24; Randall Faichney, $21.60, no bid on Auditor's copy; T. W. Reed Company, $21.60.*

Item 56. 20 Dozen Thermometer Mugs, Glass, 3¾ Inches High, 2 Inches Wide at Top, 2½-Inch Base, Per Dozen.—A. S. Aloe Company, $4.79, Aloe, G–4282*; Metropolitan Supply Company, $6; T. W. Reed Company, $5.75.

Item 57. Surgical Needles, Approximately $3,000 Will Be Spent for Surgical Needles, Anchor Brand. Bidder is Requested to Submit Standard Price List for Same and Quote Herewith Maximum Discount to City from Listed Prices. If Price List is Subject to Change Bidder Must So State Here.—A. S. Aloe Company, net (*see* price list); American Hospital Supply, net (*see* price list); C. H. Goldthwaite Company, net (*see* price list)*; E. F. Mahady Company, net; T. J. Noonan Company, net (*see* price list); T. W. Reed Company, Anchor, net, Berbecker, 25 per cent, Vim, 40 per cent, Haslam, 40 per cent.

Item 58. 35,000 Nipples, Davol, No. 151, Per C.—A. S. Aloe Company, $4.59, Aloe, R–528*; American Hospital Supply, $7 per gross, 25-gross lots; T. J. Noonan Company, $5; T. W. Reed Company, $7 per gross.

Item 59. Paper, Eaton & Dikeman (List To Be Submitted) Approximately $600 at Net Prices Will Be Expended on These Items.—Bids rejected.

Item 60. Paper, Whatman (List To Be Submitted), Approximately $900 at Net Prices Will Be Expended on These Items, Discount.—A. S. Aloe Company, 10 per cent from list, terms, net; American Hospital Supply, 10 per cent, price subject to change; E. F. Mahady Company, $500, one order, 10 per cent, others, net; Metropolitan Supply Company, net prices, no discount from list; T. J. Noonan Company, as per schedule; T. W. Reed Company, net prices, from list; Standard Scientific Supply, 10 per cent for orders of $500 or more, list value.

Item 61. 7 Dozen Air Rings, Davol Rubber, 16-Inch Size, No. 456, Per Dozen.—A. S. Aloe Company, $40.75; American Hospital Supply, $42.75, No. 3485C; C. H. Goldthwaite Company, $39; E. F. Mahady Company, $42, S.R. No. 488; T. J. Noonan Company, $35.60*; T. W. Reed Company, $3.70.

Item 62. 270 Gross Microscopic Slides, 3 x 1-Inch, A.H.T.7030B, Per Gross.—A.S. Aloe Company, $1.36, net, L–58940; American Hospital Supply, $1.35, No. 66516–"S.P." high quality, noncover, 1-inch x 3-inch thickness, 1.10 to 1.30 mm; Howe & French, Inc., $1.44; E. F. Mahady Company, $1.15; T. J. Noonan Company, $1.00, Noonan Saf-T-Grip*; Standard Scientific Supply, $1.57.

Item 63. 400 Gross Microscopic Slides, 3 x1-Inch, A.H.T.7030, Per Gross.—A. S. Aloe Company, $1.36, net, L–58940; American Hospital Supply, $1.35, No. 66516*; Howe & French, Inc., $1.59, No. 60-490; E. F. Mahady Company, $1.55; T. J. Noonan Company, $1.40; T. W. Reed Company, $1.40; Standard Scientific Supply, $1.87.

Item 64. 1,000 Spheres or Balls, Lucite, Internally Sterilized for Operations, 1¼ Inch.—T. J. Noonan Company, 40 cents each*; T. W. Reed Company, 60 cents each.

Item 65. 200 Spheres or Balls, Lucite, Internally Sterilized for Operations, 1¼-Inch.—T. J. Noonan Company, 40 cents each*; T. W. Reed Company, 60 cents each.

Item 66. 50 Gross Orange Sticks, Wood, with Hoof Ends, 25 Sticks to Bundle, Per Gross.—A. S. Aloe Company, 69 cents, Aloe, S–3366; American Hospital Supply, 56 cents, No. 37450*; E. F. Mahady Company, 95 cents, 144 sticks to bundle; Metropolitan Supply Company, 70 cents; T. J. Noonan Company, 85 cents; T. W. Reed Company, 25 cents per bundle.

Item 67. 22 Dozen Stopcocks, Ayer, 3-Way, Per Dozen.—A. S. Aloe Company, $23.75, S/C–1*; American Hospital Supply, $35.20, No. L/S2; E. F. Mahady Company, $28.80; Metropolitan Supply Company, $27.84; T. J. Noonan Company, $24.80; Randall Faichney, $28.80; T. W. Reed Company, $28.80.

Item 68. 50 Dozen Surgeons' Silk, Deknatel, or Equal, Assorted, Discount from List, If Price List is Subject to Change, Bidder Must So State Here.—A. S. Aloe Company, discounts as per price schedules submitted; American Hospital Supply, 3-gross price discount from list, price subject to change; C. H. Goldthwaite Company, as per price list enclosed, less 10 per cent; E. F. Mahady Company, 10 per cent, dozen lots, Deknatel; Metropolitan Supply Company, 10 per cent discount from list, subject to price change; T. J. Noonan Company, 10 per cent discount, 1 dozen or more; T. W. Reed Company, 10 per cent discount from Deknatel list.*

Item 69. Sutures, Assorted Sizes, Davis & Geek and Ethicon, Bidder is Requested to Submit Price List, and Quote Herewith Maximum Discount to City from Manufacturing List, Approximately 400 Gross, Discount from List, If Price List is Subject to Change, Bidder Must So State Here.—A. S. Aloe Company, as per price list; American Hospital Supply, as per price list, 3-gross lot, price subject to change; C. H. Goldthwaite Company, Davis & Geek price in last two columns of September 1952, price list enclosed, Ethicon price in last two columns of page 4 of price list enclosed, No. S219, December 1, 1954; E. F. Mahady Company, 3-gross price, any quantity; T. J. Noonan Company, 3-gross price, as per list; T. W. Reed Company, use D. & G. price list of 1952, 3-gross column, 3-gross price discount; use Ethicon list, page 4, 3-gross price.*

Item 70. 60 Gross Clinical Mouth Thermometers, Per Gross.—A. S. Aloe Company, $48.25, Aloe, A150½*; American Hospital Supply, $60, No. 48650; C. H. Goldthwaite Company, $52.80; Howe & French, Inc., $60; E. F. Mahady Company, $57.50; Metropolitan Supply Company, $53, Puritex; T. J. Noonan Company, $56; Randall Faichney, $54; T. W. Reed Company, $55.

Item 71. 16 Gross Clinical Rectal Thermometers, Per Gross.—A. S. Aloe Company, $48.25, Aloe, A152½*; American Hospital Supply, $60, No. 48670; C. H. Goldthwaite Company, $52.80; Howe & French, Inc., $60; E. F. Mahady Company, $57.50; Metropolitan Supply Company, $53; T. J. Noonan Company, $56; Randall Faichney, $54; T. W. Reed Company, $55.

Item 72. 5 Dozen Duodenal Tubes, Harris No. 14, Per Dozen.—American Hospital Supply, $100.50, Bittner, No. 516; Howe & French, Inc., $107, Bittner, No. 516; Metropolitan Supply Company, $96; T. J. Noonan Company, $110; T. W. Reed Company, $94.80.*

Item 73. 32 Dozen Duodenal Tubes, Levine, No. 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, Per Dozen.—A. S. Aloe Company, $6.05, Aloe, R–359*; American Hospital Supply, $9.11, No. 31270; Howe & French, Inc., $8.15, Bittner, No. 500; Metropolitan Supply Company, $8; McKesson & Robbins, $7.76; T. J. Noonan Company, $7.75; T. W. Reed Company, $7.

Item 74. 60 Gross Glass Drinking Tubes, Per Gross.—A. S. Aloe Company, $1.31, Aloe, G–4198; American Hospital Supply, $1.26, No. 12220; Howe & French, Inc., $1.80; E. F. Mahady Company, $3.08; Metropolitan Supply Company, $1.40; T. J. Noonan Company, $1.92; T. W. Reed Company, $1.10.*

Item 75. 30 Dozen Rectal Tubes, Davol, Nos. 14 to 28, FR., Per Dozen.—American Hospital Supply Company, $5.75; C. H. Goldthwaite Company, $4.25*; E. F. Mahady Company, $4.50; McKesson & Robbins, $4.46, Goodrich, No. 715; T. J. Noonan Company, $5.20; T. W. Reed Company, $4.50 (bulk pack); A. S. Aloe Company, $4.29.

Item 76. 10 Dozen Rectal Tubes, Davol, Nos. 30 to 32, FR., Per Dozen.—American Hospital Supply Company, $6.12, No. 707–8; C. H. Goldthwaite Company, $4.40*; E. F. Mahady Company, $4.80; McKesson & Robbins, $4.73, Goodrich; T. J. Noonan Company, $5.60; T. W. Reed Company, $5.20 (bulk pack); A. S. Aloe Company, $4.59.

Item 77. Tubing, Davol, Pure Gum, Assorted, Discount from Standard List, Copy of List To Be Submitted with Proposal, Approximately $700 Will Be Expended on This Item, If Price List is Subject to Change, Bidder Must So State Here.—American Hospital Supply, 10 per cent from wholesale prices (subject to change); T. J. Noonan Company, 20 per cent, from Davol list*; A. S. Aloe Company, 18 per cent discount from wholesale price list attached, pages 11 and 12.

Item 78. 20 Gross Bone Wax, Luken's, Any Price or Discount Herein Set Forth Shall Be Subject to the Provisions of Discount Clause, Per Gross.—American Hospital Supply, $33.60; E. F. Mahady Company, $33.60; Metropolitan Supply

Company, $37.92; T. J. Noonan Company, $33.60; T. W. Reed Company, $33.60*; A. S. Aloe Company, $33.60.

Discount.—A. S. Aloe Company, 2 per cent, 30 days, except net items, f.o.b. delivered; American Cork Company, Inc., 2 per cent, 30 days, f.o.b. destination (city limits); American Hospital Supply, terms of sale will be 2 per cent, 30 days, except Whatman, Kimble, Vitax, Pyrex, and Baxter items which are net 30 days; Corey Rubber Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; C. H. Goldthwaite Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Joseph C. Hahmann, 2 per cent, time of payment; Howe & French, Inc., 30 days, net, no cash discount; E. F. Mahady Company, 2 per cent, time of payment, Vitax items, net; Metropolitan Supply Company, 2 per cent, 10 days; McKesson & Robbins, 2 per cent, time of payment; T. J. Noonan Company, Items 18, 41, 43, 44, net, all others, 2 per cent, time of payment; Randall Faichney, 2 per cent, time of payment; Thomas W. Reed Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Standard Scientific Supply, net, 30 days.

Remarks.—American Hospital Supply, Items 31 and 60, no price list inserted on Auditor's copy; Corey Rubber Company, late bid; Joseph C. Hahmann, no check on Auditor's or Purchasing copies; E. F. Mahady Company, represents list, 30 per cent and contigent on 100-gross, Bard Parker, contract being signed by City of Boston; Metropolitan Supply Company, only items subject to increase in prices are the fair traded items, on others, will use own judgment, have no control over fair traded goods; Standard Scientific Supply, refer to quotation on No. 1294, all catalogues sent under separate cover, delivery as requested.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon August 24 the Mayor approved a contract with S. M. Levin Company, Inc., for furnishing household equipment (dishwasher and four electric toasters) to Long Island Division of the Hospital Department. Approximate total amount of contract was $3,264, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

There was but one bid, opened August 16, as follows:

Household Equipment.

Requisition No. 15.

Item 1. 1 Hobart XM4, or Equal, Dishwasher, As Specified, 115-Volt, D.C.—S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $1,825, Hobart XM4,* alternate, $1,725, Toledo, Model C2A-1.

Requisition No. 18.

Item 2. 4 CT-2 Savory, or Equal, Toasters, As Specified, 115-Volt, D.C., Each.—S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $280, Savory, CT-2.*

Item 3. 1 CT-4 Savory, or Equal, Toaster, 115-Volt, D.C.—S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $319, Savory, CT-4.*

Discount.—S. M. Levin Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment.

Best Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—S. M. Levin Company, Inc., 3 to 4 weeks on all items.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon August 24 the Mayor approved a contract with Grainger-Rush Company for furnishing cables to the Boston Traffic Commission. Approximate total amount of contract was as follows:

Cables, $16,539, plus reels, 1,042—$17,581. Discount on cables is one half of 1 per cent, no discount on reels. All reels are returnable for full credit if returned in good condition within one year.

Bids, opened August 4, were as follows:

Requisition No. 29. No. 12 Neoprene Jacketed Cable, As Specified.

Item 1. 1,000 Feet (1 Reel), 5-Conductor, Per Foot.—General Electric Supply Company, 46 cents; Grainger-Rush Company, 42 cents*; Simplex Wire & Cable Company, 46 cents; United States Rubber Company, $472 per M feet; Westinghouse Electric Supply Company, 46 cents.

Item 2. 3,000 Feet (3 Reels,) 8-Conductor, Per Foot.—General Electric Supply Company, 66.5 cents; Grainger-Rush Company, 59.8 cents*; Simplex Wire & Cable Company, 65.5 cents; United States Rubber Company, $673 per M feet; Westinghouse Electric Supply Company, 65.5 cents.

Item 3. 6,000 Feet (12 500-Foot Reels), 13-Conductor, Per Foot.—General Electric Supply Company, 96.7 cents; Grainger-Rush Company, 88.3 cents*; Simplex Wire & Cable Company, 96.7 cents; United States Rubber Company, $996 per M feet; Westinghouse Electric Supply Company, 96.7 cents.

Item 4. 3,000 Feet (6 Reels), 17-Conductor, Per Foot.—General Electric Supply Company, $1.233; Grainger-Rush Company, $1.127*; Simplex Wire & Cable Company, $1.233; United States Rubber Company, $1,271 per M feet; Westinghouse Electric Supply Company, $1.233.

Requisition No. 30. Lead-Covered Cable, As Per Specifications.

Item 5. 1,000 Feet No. 2 (1 Reel), 7-Conductor, Per Foot.—General Electric Supply Company, $2.113; Grainger-Rush Company, $2.07*; Simplex Wire & Cable Company, $.2113; United States Rubber Company, $2.503 per M feet; Westinghouse Electric Supply Company, $2.113.

Item 6. 4,000 Feet (8 500-Foot Reels), 15-Conductor, Per Foot.—General Electric Supply Company, $1; Grainger-Rush Company, 89.4 cents*; Simplex Wire & Cable Company, $1; United States Rubber Company, $1,230 per M feet; Westinghouse Electric Supply Company, $1.

Discount.—General Electric Supply Company, ½ per cent, 10th proximo; Grainger-Rush Company, one half of 1 per cent on cable only, reels are net; Simplex Wire & Cable Company, invoices dated 1st to 15th, one half of 1 per cent cash discount if paid on or before the 25th, net, 15th of following month, invoices dated 16th to last day of month, one half of 1 per cent cash discount if paid on the 10th of the following month, net, last day of following month; United States Rubber Company, invoices dated 1st to 15th, ½ per cent, 25th, net, 15th proximo, invoices 16th to 31st, ½ per cent, 10th proximo, net, end of proximo month; Westinghouse Electric Supply Company, one half of 1 per cent.

Extra Charge for Reels, If Any.—General Electric Supply Company, Items 1, 2, 3, and 4, reel charges, $25 each, refunded if reels are returned within one year, Items 5 and 6, $80 and $44 each, respectively, returnable; Grainger-Rush Company, Items 1 and 3, $24 each, refunded if reels returned within 12 months in good condition, Items 2 and 4, $30 each, Items 5 and 6, $60 and $50 each, respectively; Simplex Wire & Cable Company, Items 1, 2, 3 and 4, $25 each reel, Item 5, $80 each reel, Item 6, $44 each reel, credit allowed for reels returned to the point of origin freight collect within 12 months from date of shipment from factory; United States Rubber Company, Item 1, $25 each, Items 2, 3, 4, and 6, $36 each, Item 5, $80, returnable rail freight collect to Bristol, R. I., plant for credit; Westinghouse Electric Supply Company, Items 1, 2, 3, and 4, $25 each, Item 5, $80, Item 6, $44, to be refunded when reels are returned.

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—General Electric Supply Company, 7 weeks, all items; Grainger-Rush Company, 7 weeks, all items; Simplex Wire & Cable Company, 7 weeks, all items; United States Rubber Company, 10 to 12 weeks, all items, tentative, a more definite delivery date will be given upon receipt of order, based upon date received, delivery based upon availability of copper; Westinghouse Electric Supply Company, 7 weeks, on all items.

Remarks.—General Electric Supply Company, no firm price, material to be filled at company's price in effect at time of shipment; Grainger-Rush Company, prices are firm; Simplex Wire & Cable Company, *see* proposal, and attached Form 620, both sides of which apply; United States Rubber Company, prices firm, *see* forms attached to proposal; Westinghouse Electric Supply Company, prices in effect at time of delivery f.o.b. Southampton street, Boston, with reference to color coding, we take exeption to the amber color and would furnish yellow or orange in accordance with the standard color chart of the IPCEA specifications.

* Contract awarded.

BOSTON HOUSING AUTHORITY.

Upon August 24 the Mayor approved a contract with Kabot Painting Company for exterior painting of 14 wood frame houses at Favre street, Mattapan. Bids, opened August 1, were as follows:

Kabot Painting Company, $3,850; Ralph Chick Painting Company, $9,100.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Upon August 24 the Mayor approved a contract with Martin J. Kelly Company, Inc., for new retail sales room at East Boston High School. Bids, opened August 22, were as follows:

Martin J. Kelly Company, Inc., $4,740; John F. Hynes, Inc., $4,850; L. J. Banda, $6,466.

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Upon August 24 the Mayor approved a contract with John F. Hynes, Inc., for new guidance office at Brighton High School. Bids, opened August 22, were as follows:

John F. Hynes, Inc., $3,250; Martin J. Kelly Company, Inc., $3,730; L. J. Banda, $6,282.

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Upon August 24 the Mayor approved a contract with Supply Service Company for repairs, moving, and installing steel lockers at Girls' Latin School. Bids, opened August 22, were as follows:

Supply Service Company, $3,145; Courtney Hardware Company, $3,489.

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Upon August 24 the Mayor approved a contract with J. J. Finn Electrical Service for electrical work in various schools. Bids, opened August 22, were as follows:

J. J. Finn Electrical Service, $3,422; Kay Electric Company, $3,625; Dorgan Electrical Company, Inc., $3,940; Ralph E. Dixon, $4,012.

Upon August 24 the Mayor approved a contract with Johns-Manville Sales Corporation for furnishing and installing acoustical tile at the Horace Mann School. Bids, opened August 24, were as follows:

Johns-Manville Sales Corporation, $3,489.

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Upon August 24 the Mayor approved a contract with Daniel Russell Boiler Works, Inc., for repairing and retubing boilers in various schools. Bid, opened August 23, was as follows:

Daniel Russell Boiler Works, Inc., $21,473.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Upon August 24 the Mayor approved a contract with James E. McCusker Company for alterations and additions to exhaust systems of fume hoods, Thorndike Building, Boston City Hospital. Bid, opened on Wednesday, August 10, was as follows:

James E. McCusker Company, $1,260.

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Upon August 29 the Mayor approved a contract with Kay Electric Company for electrical changeover in the G Building at the Sanatorium Division. Bids, opened July 27, were as follows:

Warren H. Bennett, Inc., $4,290; Aetna Electric Company, $3,908; Kay Electric Company, $3,600.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Upon August 24 the Mayor approved a contract with C. A. Foley for repairing water pipe trestle Fort Point Channel, between Congress and Summer Street Bridges, at an estimated cost of $4,779.98. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed within two months from date of order to commence work. The following bids were received August 18:

C. A. Foley, $4,779.98; Rev-Lyn Contracting Company, $4,850; C. Ray Norris & Son, $6,500; James B. Rendle Company, $6,680; Albany Contracting Company, $7,026; Martin J. Kelly Company, Inc., $9,630.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

Upon varying dates as indicated the Mayor approved contracts with commercial houses, contractors, etc., for furnishing labor, supplies, etc. Communications from heads of the departments interested were as follows:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.
Purchasing Division.

BOSTON, August 1, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

Bids on proposals for furnishing "Instant Coffee" to the Boston City Hospital from August 1 to September 30, 1955, inclusive, were publicly opened and read in this office on July 29, 1955.

Subsequent to the public opening of bids, Standard Brands, Inc., one of the bidders, advised us that they were in a position to supply us with our requirements at a price substantially lower than the lowest bidder in the public bid.

Inasmuch as this offer represents a minimum saving of 37 cents per pound over the lowest bidder on the publicly opened bids, it appears to be in the best interests of the city to reject all bids on the public bid and award a contract, without public advertisement, to Standard Brands, Inc., for "Instant Coffee" at a price of 58.75 cents per 4-ounce unit.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $4,993.75, net.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, August 5, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The Hospital Department will need many items of hospital equipment and supplies to cope with the predicted, probably epidemic, increase in polio cases. Amounts and types of equipment and supplies cannot be estimated but will be needed for immediate emergency delivery as soon as determined.

In order to be prepared for any emergency that may arise, it is requested that permission be granted me to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award contracts, without public advertisement, when and if necessary to the following companies for any hospital equipment and supplies needed during the polio emergency. All purchases will be based on competitive bidding but preference will be given to companies offering immediate delivery wherever the lowest bidder cannot offer immediate delivery. It is estimated that the approximate amounts of contracts will be as follows:

American Sterilizer Company, $10,000, net; E. F. Mahady Company, $2,000; Thomas W. Reed Company, $6,000; Atlantex Corporation, $2,000, net; T. J. Noonan Company, $2,000; J. H. Emerson Company, $2,000, net; W. J. Fitzgerald Corporation, $2,000.

E. F. Mahady Company, Thomas W. Reed Company, and T. J. Noonan Company are offering a 2 per cent discount, time of payment; also W. J. Fitzgerald Corporation.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, August 11, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The Printing Section of this division is in immediate need of various sizes of paper blocks, ruled and plain. Owing to the urgency for these paper blocks, informal requests for prices were solicited from several companies. Five bids were received, the lowest being that of William R. McAdams, doing business as William R. McAdams Company.

Inasmuch as time is of the essence, authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to William R. McAdams, doing business as William R. McAdams Company, for 4,100 dozen paper blocks, various sizes, to be delivered immediately to the Printing Section of the Purchasing Division of the Administrative Services Department.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $2,336, less 2 per cent discount for payment within 10 days.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

CIVIL DEFENSE.

BOSTON, August 19, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MAYOR HYNES:

I am hereby requesting permission to award a contract, without advertising, in an amount not to exceed $8,000 to the R. G. Mearn Company, 363 Albany street, Boston, for the purchase of 11 portable pumps of varying capacities, a sufficient quantity of hard suction and discharge hose with couplings for each of the above, and other civil defense pumping equipment necessary for emergency use.

This equipment will supplement civil defense rescue equipment already in use.

It is my belief that no great advantage will be gained by advertising and the needless delay that would result is not in the interest of public safety.

I hope that this request will meet with your approval.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH L. MALONE,
Director.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, August 19, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

It is proposed to enlarge, alter, and surface various areas at Boston City Hospital to make increased parking space available. The estimated cost of the proposed work is $20,000.

The trustees of the Hospital Department have voted to request your Honor's authorization to engage the services of Wallace B. Orpin of 1382 Commonwealth avenue, Brighton, as engineer for the proposed work. The engineer shall be paid a fee of 5 per cent of the full amount of the cost of the work, not to exceed $1,000, this contract to include supervision of the work to be done.

Since this contract involves professional engineering services, no benefit would be gained by advertising for bids. It is respectfully requested that permission be given to award the contract to Wallace B. Orpin, without public advertising.

Respectfully yours,

RICHARD J. CONDON,
President, Board of Trustees.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, August 16, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR:

After receiving publicly advertised proposals for removal of dead or diseased elm trees in the City of Boston, Mass., on July 19, 1954, a contract was awarded with your Honor's approval to the low bidder, Fred Ralston & Co., Inc., 22 Linden street, Allston, Mass., in the estimated amount of $137,088.

Under this contract, which is now about completed, we removed about 1,900 dead or diseased elm trees. However, recent surveys show that in spite of all our efforts, the ravages of the Dutch elm disease still continue and we find it necessary to proceed immediately to remove about 700 trees which have recently become infested and are very dangerous.

The Ralston Company has expressed a willingness to negotiate a contract with this department for the removal of these additional dead or diseased trees at the same unit price and under similar specifications as in its previous low bid contract.

We believe the unit price bid under the previous publicly advertised contract was fair and reasonable and our experience has shown that the Ralston Company has the proper type of organization and equipment to do the work with safety and expediency. It is therefore our opinion that nothing could be gained by publicly advertising for bids and that it would be in the best interests of the city to award this company the contract at the same unit price as previously bid.

In view of all this, I respectfully request your approval to award a contract, without publicly advertising for bids, to Fred Ralston & Co., Inc., 22 Linden street, Allston, Mass., for removal of dead or diseased elm trees in the City of Boston, at the unit price of $72 per tree. The estimated number of trees to be removed being 694, the total sum of the contract shall not exceed $50,000, same to be charged to the special appropriation, "Eradication of Dutch Elm Disease" (6-61-43).

Respectfully yours,

FRANK R. KELLEY,
Commissioner.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, August 19, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

I respectfully request your approval to dispense with publicly advertising for bids and to enter into a contract with Mr. Joseph F. Page, 20 Pemberton square, Boston, Mass., providing for the furnishing of engineering services in connection with the proposed construction of a 300-foot addition to the reinforced concrete sea wall, near the men's prison building, on Deer Island, Boston Harbor, Mass.

The construction of such an addition to the sea wall has become a practical necessity in order to prevent future, periodic, direct and forceful assaults of the ocean's waters upon the aforementioned building and nearby roads which would cause serious and irreparable damage.

The cost of constructing the said addition to the sea wall is estimated to be no more than $30,000. The engineer will be paid the customary fee of 6 per cent of the total cost of construction.

In view of the professional nature of the services involved, and also in view of the fact that Mr. Page was the engineer in charge of construction of the first and second sections of this sea wall and has full knowledge of the requirements for this project, it is felt that nothing would be gained by publicly advertising for proposals for this work.

Very truly yours,

EDWARD L. FRIEL,
Penal Institutions Commissioner.

ADDITIONS TO AND DEDUCTIONS FROM CONTRACTS.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Joseph Rugo, Inc., has been ordered to remove and replace water pipes so as to accommodate the installation of the new boiler in the J. J. Chittick School, for the sum of $154, and the amount of $154 will be added therefor, making the account as follows: contract price, $307,307; total additions, $1,097.12; amount of contract, $308,404.12.

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John W. Egan Company has been ordered to make the following deduction from the contract for the Brighton High School:

Omit the painting of Room 210 other than the painting of the ceiling for the sum of $68, and the amount of $68 will be deducted therefor, making the account as follows: contract price, $20,608; total deductions, $68; amount of contract, $20,540.

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M. Solimando has been ordered to make the following changes in the contract for the Roxbury Memorial High School for Girls:

Item 1. Under Section 6, Playground Equipment. The two coaster slides shall be supplied with stainless steel bedways as opposed to galvanized steel bedways, for the sum of $92.

Item 2. The drinking fountain shown on plan in picnic area shall be relocated in driveway just outside of entrance to tennis and skating area. It is understood that there is no change in contract price to the City of Boston.

Item 3. Install 3-inch min. D. D. copper-bearing galvanized steel corner and line posts to extend 15 feet above grade of yard at locations where fence and conduit posts coincide and install all electrical work as shown. It is understood that there is no change in contract price to the City of Boston.

Total addition, $92, and the amount of $92 will be added therefor, making the account as follows: contract price, $90,624; total additions, $92; amount of contract, $50,714.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Park Construction Company has been directed to perform the following extra work under the contract for construction of office building and garage at Arborway and Forest Hills street, Ward 11, Boston, dated January 5, 1955:

Furnish and install ¾-inch galvanized mesh screening over glass in seven doors at Forest Hills yard for the sum of $219.

Furnish and install wire mesh cages over six exterior spotlights for the sum of $31.35.

Estimated cost of extra work, $250.35.

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Builders Iron Works have been directed to perform the following extra work under the contract for redecking the drawspans of the Congress Street Bridge, over Fort Point Channel, and the Chelsea Street Bridge, over Chelsea River, with steel mesh pavement, dated March 14, 1955:

Furnish and install, as directed, approximately 60 tons of counterweight units for the Congress Street Bridge, as follows:

1. Approximately 46 tons of concrete block units at $75 per ton, in place, $3,600.

2. Approximately 12 tons of pig iron units at $50 per ton, in place, $1,080.

Estimated cost of extra work, $4,680.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Approval has been given for an extension of time from July 25, 1955, to September 30, 1955, on the contract of John R. Lentine for electrical work in various buildings, Boston City Hospital. This extension was requested because, due to the truck drivers' strike, delivery of materials necessary for the completion of the contract was delayed, therefore, the contractor was unable to complete his work on time.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Dorchester Plate and Window Glass Company have been granted an extension of time until September 15, 1955, for the completion of the contract for repairing and painting greenhouses, Franklin Park, West Roxbury.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Baker & Co., Inc., 3475 Washington street, Jamaica Plain, for bituminous concrete pavement in Neponset avenue, from Adams street to Neponset Traffic Circle, from August 15, 1955, to September 30, 1955. This extension was requested because the State Department of Public Works voted to extend the time limit on the work.

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 48.

I. FIRE CAPTAIN NEIL C. PENNY.

It is with deep regret that the Fire Commissioner announces the death, on August 22, 1955, of Fire Captain Neil C. Penny of Engine Company 51. Fire Captain Penny was appointed to the department May 26, 1943. He was promoted to fire lieutenant March 17, 1948, and to fire captain January 27, 1954.

The funeral was held from the McNamara Funeral Home, 460 Washington street, Brighton, on Thursday. August 25, 1955, at 8 A.M.. followed by a Solemn Requiem High Mass in St. Columbkille's Church, Market street, Brighton, at 9 A.M.

The chief of department made the customary detail to act as funeral escort and members of Engine Company 51 were excused from duty in order to attend the services.

II. ASSIGNMENTS OF FIRE FIGHTERS.

The following assignments of fire fighters on probation are hereby announced, to become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday August 31, 1955:

Arthur J. Howard, to Engine Company 5.

Acacio J. Gazo, to Engine Company 41.

John G. Monteiro, to Ladder Company 10.

Leo J. Souza, to Ladder Company 26.

Robert P. Sullivan, to Engine Company 9.

Frank J. Marcella, to Engine Company 36.

Joseph A. Dantona, to Engine Company 27.
John J. Handren, to Engine Company 40.
Arthur M. Turk, to Engine Company 29.
James R. Munzert, to Engine Company 42.
Paul J. Lambrecht, to Ladder Company 15.

III. TRANSFERS.

The following transfers will become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, August 31, 1955:

Fire Fighters.

William J. Barry, from Engine 52 to Engine 18.
John F. Downey, from Engine 26 to Ladder 7.
Francis J. Spacco, from Engine 27 to Engine 17.
William A. Cunningham, from Engine 40 to Engine 28.
John E. Driscoll, from Ladder 30 to Engine Squad 14.
Vincent M. Liotta, from Ladder 3 to Ladder 2.
James F. Riley, from Engine 33 to Engine 3.
Robert F. Newell, from Engine 29 to Engine 19.
James J. Merrick, from Engine 5 to Engine 27.
James W. Parks, from Engine Squad 11 to Engine 4.
Francis T. McManus, from Ladder 15 to Ladder 16.
Joseph T. Sheehan, from Engine 17 to Ladder 7.
Robert D. Nolan, from Ladder 16 to Engine 43.
Thomas E. Driscoll, from Engine Squad 53 to Engine 30.
Gerald F. Roche, from Engine 30 to Engine Squad 53.
Albert J. Ferretti, from Engine 27 to Engine 51.
Frederick W. McClennan, from Ladder 7 to Engine 17.
Robert J. Powers, from Engine 9 to Engine 40.
James F. Mahoney, from Ladder 10 to Ladder 30.
William R. Burke, from Engine 3 to Ladder 3.
Vincent Dimino, from Engine 41 to Engine 33.
Albert L. Marley, from Engine 40 to Engine 5.
John J. McCarthy, from Engine 5 to Ladder 21.
Daniel P. Laffan, from Ladder 7 to Engine 17.

IV. G.A.C. ASSIGNMENT.

Company commanders shall add the following signal number to the running cards of the General Alarm Corporation in this department:

Signal 475, Stop & Shop, Inc., 420 D street. (Sprinkler.) Apparatus to respond: Engine 1, Ladder 18. District Chief 6. Nearest box is 7145.

V. COMMENDATION.

Fire Lieutenant Walter Steadman of Engine Company 46 is hereby commended for responding to and working at fire, Box 3425, two alarms, August 23, 1955, while off duty.

By order of Fire Commissioner FRANCIS X. COTTER.

JOHN V. STAPLETON,
Chief of Department.

CITY OF BOSTON AND COUNTY OF SUFFOLK.

STATISTICAL FACTS FOR THE YEAR 1954

Date of incorporation	February 23, 1822
Date of adoption of City Charter (amended January 7, 1925)	1909
Form of Government	Mayor and City Council
Area (square miles)	47.81
Population — Federal Census (August 1, 1950)	801,444
Number of employees as of February 1, 1954	22,806
Boston Housing Authority:	
Federal Program (7,920 apartments housing 7,920 families)	
Number of apartments in veterans' permanent 1- and 2-family homes housing 1,306 families	
State-Aided Developments (containing 3,177 apartments housing 3,177 families)	
Building Department:	
Permits issued	17,515
Estimated cost	$35,771,706
Cemeteries: Number 19—Area (acres)	161.71
Election Department:	
Registered voters	383,864
Number of ballots cast last general election	169,493
Percentage of registered voters voting	44.15
Fire Department:	
Number of stations	51
Number of fireboats	2
Alarms responded to	15,150
Health Department: Health Units	10
Hospitals (Including Boston Sanatorium):	
City Hospital:	
Number of buildings	57
Bed capacity	2,460
Patients, daily average:	
Wards	1,798
Out-patient	891
Long Island Hospital:	
Number of buildings	27
Population	952
Library Department:	
Number of libraries	37
Number of employees (full time)	640
Number of volumes	2,011,358
Circulation	3,162,338
Markets, number of	2
Municipal buildings, number of	27
Park Department: Parks, number of acres	2,240.29
Area of playgrounds and play areas (acres)	807.12
Number of playgrounds and play areas	121
Number of municipal golf links	2
Number of municipal beaches	3
Public grounds and squares (acres)	57.41
Swimming pools (indoor) 2, (outdoor) 2	4
Number of recreation centers and indoor bathhouses	15
Police Department:	
Number of stations and headquarters	18
Arrests	93,294
Public Works Department:	
Bridges, number of	101
Miles of accepted streets and alleys	731
Sewers: Miles of sewers	1,302.75
Catch basins	23,972
Average number of gallons pumped daily at main pumping station	112,980,821
Sumner Traffic Tunnel: Length (feet)	5,654
Two-lane drive: Vehicles passing through — 1953	10,835,674
Water Service:	
Number of meters in service	95,653
Per capita daily average consumption (gallons)	139
Miles of mains: Ordinary	999,136
High pressure	18.72
Rapid Transit: Miles of subways and tunnels	16.81
Schools:	
Number of school buildings	224
Number of teachers	3,655
Average membership	94,774
Average daily attendance:	
Elementary and junior high schools	54,546
High schools	16,201
Kindergartens	8,151
Special schools	1,800

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, August 1, 1955.

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 2 P.M., President HURLEY in the chair, and all the members present.

The Reverend Thomas A. Brennan, S.J., of St. Mary's Roman Catholic Church, Boston, was escorted to the rostrum.

INVOCATION BY REV. THOMAS A. BRENNAN.

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost. Amen.

Direct, we beseech Thee, O Lord, all our thoughts, words, actions, and deliberations of this Council session that every good work that begins through Thee may by Thy gracious assistance be happily concluded. Through Christ, our Lord.

Eternal God, on this occasion, we recommend to Thee the departed souls of our relatives, friends, and benefactors, especially the former members of our Council Chamber who with the passage of time have gone to the bosom of God to reap the harvest of their labors in life.

During these days of calamity and fear when our nation, our churches, and our homes are a prey to subversive forces, we pledge ourselves to rally under God's standard—a standard echoed by angelic voices—Glory to God in the highest and on earth peace to men of good will.

May the peace and harmony of today's session be but the harbinger of that lasting peace and celestial harmony that we wish to attain in our own lives and by our good example foster in the lives of all those with whom we come into contact. Through Christ, our Lord. Amen.

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost. Amen.

The meeting was opened with the salute to the Flag.

JURORS DRAWN.

The following jurors were drawn in the manner prescribed by law, Councillor Ahearn presiding at the box, in the absence of the Mayor, viz.:

Two grand jurors, Superior Criminal Court, to appear September 6:

George D. Kenney, Ward 16; Lawrence D. Doherty, Ward 18.

Seventy-five traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, to appear September 12:

Edgardo Adami, Ward 1; John Biancardi, Ward 1; Stephen Fagone, Ward 1; John A. Hamilton, Ward 1; Martin Kay, Ward 1; Gloria Lanier, Ward 1; Julius J. Lupo, Ward 1; Edward J. McKenna, Ward 1; Mark Molloy, Ward 1; Frederick A. Johnson, Ward 2; Margaret O'Brien, Ward 2; Frank A. Cassino, Ward 3; William A. Perry, Ward 3; Donald E. Sberry, Ward 4; L. Reginald A. Kibbe, Ward 5; Raymond W. Leighton, Ward 5; Guarry D. MacKinnon, Ward 5; Robert Reusch, Ward 5; Peter P. Cappellano, Ward 6; John F. Curtin, Ward 6; William H. Skinner, Ward 6; Francis A. Smith, Ward 6; Frank J. Riley, Ward 7; Kenneth A. Sprague, Ward 7; Gilbert A. Carpeno, Ward 8; James Neville, Ward 8.

Walter Byrne, Ward 9; Margaret M. Flynn, Ward 10; Josephine Kerressey, Ward 10; Richard Langner, Ward 10; Francis P. McGovern, Ward 10; Arthur O'Leary, Ward 11; Myrtle Walters, Ward 11; Max Levine, Ward 12; Eugene L. Delaney, Ward 13; John F. Delaney, Ward 13; Morris Freedman, Ward 14; Rose Greenberg, Ward 14; Morris Kaplan, Ward 14; Nathan Morris, Ward 14; Michael Son, Ward 14; Ernest J. Taylor, Jr., Ward 14; Jacob Tishler, Ward 14; George Mitz, Ward 15, Joseph M. Nader, Ward 15; Francis P. Flynn, Ward 16; Frank H. Landry, Jr., Ward 16; Nestor Francis Muldoon, Ward 16; William L. Riley, Ward 16; Catherine F. Stevenson, Ward 16; George W. White, Ward 16; William J. McCarthy, Ward 17; Josephine A. Murphy, Ward 17; Isadore I. Shulman, Ward 17; Anthony J. Sorrenti, Ward 17.

Robert E. Hopkins, Ward 18; Henry T. Jekowski, Ward 18; George Corey, Ward 19; Arthur M. Parker, Ward 19; John X. Regan, Ward 19; John C. Sullivan, Ward 19; Charles I. Clough, Ward 20; C. John Hedges, Ward 20; Edward T. Phillips, Ward 20; Mildred G. Rautenberg, Ward 20; Everett C. Sanborn, Ward 20; Jeannette B. Dion, Ward 21; Rosalie C. Dolan, Ward 21; Harry R. Meiggs, Ward 21; Samuel Novakoff, Ward 21; Ludlow J. Berkeley, Ward 22; Charles S. Gazarian, Ward 22; Louis J. Lombard, Ward 22; John F. McDonald, Ward 22; Vincent E. Messina, Ward 22.

Seventy-one traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, to appear September 12:

John J. DeStefano, Ward 1; Robert Plunder, Ward 1; Bridget Rinaldi, Ward 1; Salvatore Rubino, Ward 1; Franklin H. Shelton, Ward 1; Benjamin Stella, Ward 1; John L. Velardo, Ward 1; Albert A. Millard, Ward 2; James M. Stafford, Ward 2; Anthony C. Gentile, Ward 3; Joseph F. Kalil, Ward 3; Edward Malagodi, Ward 3; Randolph Samms, Ward 3; Eugene Vetrino, Ward 3; Thomas J. Mulcahy, Jr., Ward 4; Martin C. Westover, Ward 4; James W. Bush, Jr., Ward 5; Eileen M. Casey, Ward 5; Edward J. Frazier, Ward 5; Thomas Temple Pond, Ward 5; Henry A. Zablocki, Ward 6; Daniel J. Coll, Ward 7; John W. Wattendorf, Ward 7; Alfred N. DiPillo, Ward 8; John Timothy Horrigan, Ward 8; Joseph Panico, Ward 9; John Adams, Ward 10; John F. Cotter, Ward 10; T. Edward Fitzgerald, Ward 10; Robert W. Harrison, Ward 10; Edward J. Bourdeau, Ward 11; James J. Lucas, Ward 11; Robert J. deBourcier, Ward 12; John Colombo, Ward 13; Blanche Dillis, Ward 13; John H. Hinds, Ward 13; Ronald B. Jeffries, Ward 13.

Hyman Breen, Ward 14; William Bressler, Ward 14; William Gerber, Ward 14; Philip Levy, Ward 14; Francis R. MacSwain, Ward 14; Max S. Noodel, Ward 14; Felix F. Simon, Ward 14; Arnold P. Charles, Ward 15; Agnes C. McDonough, Ward 15; Philip W. Burleigh, Ward 16; Raymond H. Coolidge, Ward 16; Helen Driscoll, Ward 17; John C. Gillis, Ward 17; Harry Goldberg, Ward 17; Roland Kadlec, Ward 17; James H. O'Halloran, Ward 17; Mahoney H. Scott, Ward 17; Winifred V. Fallon, Ward 18; Catherine G. Harris, Ward 18; James J. Ollive, Ward 18; Lillian K. Sternberg, Ward 18; Josephine Joyce DeLuca, Ward 20; Albert L. Farley, Ward 20; John G. Rosen, Ward 20; Frederick J. Seely, Jr., Ward 20; Irving Richard Shrager, Ward 21; Richard E. Slowe, Ward 21; Marjorie Textor, Ward 21; Herman D. Weingart, Ward 21; Samuel Weinstein, Ward 21; Joseph J. Carceo, Ward 22; Katherine M. Keogh, Ward 22; Horace N. Ricker, Ward 22.

OLD COLONY HOUSING DEVELOPMENT RENTALS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, August 1, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the chairman of the Boston Housing Authority relative to your order of July 25, 1955, concerning the rentals in Old Colony Housing project.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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Boston Housing Authority,
July 29, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Subject: City Council Order of July 25, 1955, on Rentals at the Development at Old Colony, Mass.-19051.

Dear Mayor Hynes:

In reply to your letter of July 28, 1955, on the above subject order be advised that the information requested in that order was forwarded to the chairman of the Executive Committee of the Council, Mr. Joseph White, on June 29, 1955. A copy of that communication is enclosed.

On the same day the Authority forwarded the information to Councillor White a copy of that communication was sent to you for your information.

Respectfully,
JAMES J. MAHAR, Chairman.

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June 29, 1955.

Joseph White,
Chairman, Executive Committee.

Subject: Various Estimates of Possible Average Rentals in Relocation Housing.

Dear Councillor White:

In compliance with the request of the several councillors at the meeting on Monday, June 27, 1955, a schedule is enclosed showing various rent possibilities.

This schedule has been reduced to figures on the apartment level instead of treating with a whole development as it is felt this method is more easily understood.

As pointed out in a previous letter to the Council through his Honor the Mayor, any

ESTIMATED RELOCATION HOUSING MONTHLY RENT POSSIBILITIES.

Payment in Place of Taxes Included in Rent.*	Cost Per Apartment and Interest Rate.	Period of Amortization and Average Gross Rental.†				
		20 Years.	25 Years.	30 Years.	35 Years.	40 Years.
$14 58	$2,500					
	2%	$59 40	$57 33	$55 96	$54 99	$54 29
	2½%	$60 02	$57 97	$56 61	$55 66	$54 96
	3	$60 66	$58 62	$57 29	$56 36	$55 67
$17 50	$3,000					
	2%	$64 87	$62 39	$60 74	$59 58	$58 72
	2½%	$65 62	$63 15	$61 52	$60 38	$59 54
	3	$66 42	$63 94	$62 34	$61 22	$60 40
$20 42	$3,500					
	2%	$70 34	$67 44	$65 52	$64 17	$63 16
	2½%	$71 21	$68 33	$66 44	$65 10	$64 12
	3	$72 10	$69 25	$67 38	$66 07	$65 12
$23 33	$4,000					
	2%	$75 80	$72 48	$70 29	$68 74	$67 60
	2½%	$76 79	$73 50	$71 34	$69 81	$68 69
	3	$77 82	$74 55	$72 42	$70 92	$69 83
$26 25	$4,500					
	2%	$81 26	$77 54	$75 07	$73 33	$72 04
	2½%	$82 39	$78 68	$76 25	$74 53	$73 27
	3	$83 54	$79 87	$77 46	$75 78	$74 55

* This amount is included in rent.

† Rent includes all utilities.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

estimates are made up of numerous variables all of which can affect rents. Among these variables are:

1. The cost or purchase price of the development;
2. The term of bond amortization;
3. The interest rate of bonds or notes;
4. The payment to the city in place of taxes; and
5. Operating costs.

The present maximum rents being charged at the development at Old Colony are as follows:

Number Bedrooms.	Number Rooms.	Maximum Rent.
1	3—3½	$48.
2	4—4½	$54.
3	5½	$60.
4	6½	$66.

The present average rent at this development is $54.34 a month.

The average rent that would be collected under the new Public Housing Administration schedule would approximate $65.22 a month.

Ten copies of this letter are enclosed so that each member of the City Council may have a copy of it.

The Authority appreciates the kind cooperation of the Council in discussing these problems of mutual interest.

Very truly yours,
JAMES J. MAHAR, Chairman.

APPOINTMENTS BY THE MAYOR.

Subject to confirmation by the Council, the Mayor submitted the following appointments:

Measurers of Grain, for the term ending April 30, 1956: William O'Brien, 37 Prescott street, East Boston; Thomas L. Forrest, 32 Fremont street, Winthrop.

Weigher of Goods, for the term ending April 30, 1956: Joseph Perry, 73 Telegraph street, South Boston.

Severally referred to the Committee on Confirmations.

TO EXTEND FENCE AT MURPHY PLAYGROUND.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, August 1, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation relative to your order of July 11, 1955, concerning the extension of the fence in the left field of Murphy Playground, Jamaica Plain.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Parks and Recreation Department,
July 25, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.
Dear Sir:

I desire to acknowledge your memorandum, with enclosure, City Council order of Councillors Hurley and Kerrigan that the Park Commissioner be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to extend the fence in the left field of the Murphy Playground in Jamaica Plain.

The Chief Engineer of this department reports to me that after examining the height of this fence he deems it not practical to extend it.

Very truly yours,
FRANK R. KELLEY, Commissioner.

Placed on file.

SURVEY OF SEAWARD FENCE AT CASTLE ISLAND.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, August 1, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation relative to your order of July 11, 1955, concerning the surveying of the seaward fence at Castle Island, with a view to making the fence more secure.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Parks and Recreation Department,
July 20, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.
Dear Sir:

I have your memorandum of July 13, 1955, with enclosure, City Council order of Councillors Foley, Kerrigan, and McCormack, that the Park Department, through his Honor the Mayor, be requested to make a survey of the seaward fence at Castle Island with a view to making the fence more secure in order to prevent small children from falling into the harbor.

There is approximately 2,400 linear feet of fence at this location. The type of fence to be erected is chain link which costs $2 a foot, the total cost of which would be $4,800. I regret that we have no money in the budget to take care of this work.

Very truly yours,
FRANK R. KELLEY, Commissioner.

Placed on file.

REMOVAL OF OBSTRUCTION AT MAVERICK SQUARE.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, August 1, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the General Manager of the Metropolitan Transit Authority relative to your order of June 6, 1955, concerning the removal of the so-called "hump" over the old East Boston Tunnel entrance at Maverick square.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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Metropolitan Transit Authority,
July 20, 1955.

Mr. Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.
Dear Sir:

In connection with your communication of June 10, Mr. Downey reports as follows:

"The tunnel was built under specific authority contained in St. 1897, chapter 500, section 17.

"The commission did not have to make a taking for the incline in the park, but did on February 18, 1905, vote to make use of so much of the public street as was necessary to provide an adequate approach to the East Boston Tunnel. (B. T. C. Records, page 3205).

"Apparently the portion of the park in the square not included in the incline or approach remained in the control of the Boston Park Department. It is listed among the public grounds, squares, etc., under the Park Department, in the Municipal Register for 1951, page 69, containing 4,396 square feet. This agrees with the Atlas of 1922.

"It seems clear that the Metropolitan Transit Authority, as successor to all the powers and privileges of the Transit Commission, under the provisions of St. 1947, chapter 544, section 8A (h), is not required to remove this 'hump,' so called, in accordance with the order of the Boston City Council, referred to you June 10, 1955, for the following reasons:

"Mr. Myott reports, as of June 30, 1955, that this opening now affords natural ventilation to the tunnel and that if the hump was removed and the surface paved it would be necessary to construct a ventilating chamber with a power fan to take its place. The 'hump,' therefore, presently serves a useful and necessary purpose. The estimated cost of this work is about $100,000."

Very truly yours,
EDWARD DANA,
General Manager.

Coun. AHEARN in the chair.

The foregoing message was placed on file.

INQUIRY OF CONDITIONS AT BARRY'S LEDGE.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, July 26, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

A recent order adopted by your Honorable Body requested the appointment of a Board of Inquiry to investigate the chronically disturbing situation at Barry's Ledge, off Cummins Highway. Such a Board was appointed by me and has made a survey of the situation. The report of the Board is forwarded herewith. It would appear, from the report, that this matter is being given every possible attention to eliminate the bothersome condition at this location.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Fire Department, July 21, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.
Re: Report of Board of Inquiry on Situation at Barry's Ledge, Roslindale.
Sir:

1. There has been no permit for dumping at Barry's Ledge, 453 Cummins Highway, since 1943. Recent inspections by the Health Department have shown no visible dumping being done there.
2. The drilling and blasting at Barry's Ledge is being conducted under a valid outstanding permit which carries a bond, and at no time has the Fire Department been informed by the Insurance company of any violation of the terms of the permit. The Fire Department has had an inspection made and finds the blasting operations being conducted under the proper manner.
3. The Fire Prevention Division has contacted all persons suspected to dump there and warned them against the practice.
4. Fires have ceased.
5. The district chief visits the location on his tour of duty. The health inspector and supervisor are making daily inspections. There does not appear to be violations of any matter within the jurisdiction of the Building Commissioner.
6. Police at Station 18 have been asked to keep area under constant surveillance.
7. Recommendations had been made to Mr. Charles Barry
   (a) to post no trespassing signs.
   (b) to cover with clean fill the present area as soon as possible.
   (c) to fence the area in question on the Cummins Highway side.
   (d) to prevent any further dumping.

Mr. Barry has complied with (a), (b), (d), and will comply with (c).

The Police Commissioner was not present at the meeting; he is not permitted to be a member of city boards.

Very truly yours,
FRANCIS X. COTTER, Chairman,
JOHN H. CAULEY,
THOMAS L. FLYNN,
WILLIAM D. QUIGLEY.

Placed on file.

THE NEXT MEETING.

On motion of Councillor Hailer the Council voted that when it adjourn it be to meet on Monday, August 29, 1955, at 2 P.M.

APPROVAL OF BOND.

The constable's bond of Domenic Fagone, having been duly approved by the Collector-Treasurer, was received and approved.

AMENDMENT TO COUNTY CLASSIFICATION AND COMPENSATION PLANS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Adminstrative Services Department,
August 1, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

In order to comply with the decision of his Honor, the Mayor, to increase the compensation of the officer personnel at the Deer Island House of Correction and the Suffolk County Jail so as to coincide with the proposed increase for the uniformed forces of the Police and Fire Departments to be effective September 7, 1955, there is forwarded herewith an order amending the County Classification and Compensation Plans which will accomplish the desired results.

These increases in compensation for the officer personnel at the House of Correction and Jail places the maximum salaries on approximately the same level as the officers at the State Prison and complies generally with the recommendations of a recent survey of conditions at both of these institutions.

Your favorable consideration of the accompanying order is hereby recommended.

Respectfully,
JOHN A. SULLIVAN,
Supervisor of Personnel.

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Ordered, That Schedule B of the Classification and Compensation Plans for the Officers and Employees of Suffolk County, adopted by order passed by the City Council on November 24, 1952, and approved by the Mayor on November 25, 1952, be, and the same hereby is, amended, to be effective September 7, 1955, as follows:

Strike out after the words "Compensation Grade" under the caption "Correction Officer" the figure "16" and insert in place thereof the figure "17."

Strike out after the words "Compensation Grade" under the captions "Correction Officer and Assistant Steward," "Correction Officer and Baker," "Correction Officer and Carpenter," "Correction Officer and Clothing Cutter," "Correction Officer and Cook," "Correction Officer and Electrician," "Correction Officer and Assistant Herdsman," "Correction Officer and Motor Equipment Repairman," "Correction Officer and Painter," "Correction Officer and Poultryman," "Correction Officer and Shoemaker," the figure "17" and insert in place thereof the figure "18."

Strike out after the words "Compensation Grade" under the captions "Correction Officer and Herdsman," "Correction Officer and Receiver," the figure "18" and insert in place thereof the figure "19."

Strike out after the words "Compensation Grade" under the caption "Correction Officer and Steward" the figure "19" and insert in place thereof the figure "20."

Strike out after the words "Compensation Grade" under the caption "Assistant Deputy Master" the figure "20" and insert in place thereof the figure "21."

Strike out after the words "Compensation Grade" under the caption "Deputy Master" the figure "22" and insert in place thereof the figure "23."

Strike out after the words "Compensation Grade" under the caption "Master" the figure "28" and insert in place thereof the figure "29."

Strike out after the words "Compensation Grade" under the caption "Assistant Matron" the figure "10" and insert in place thereof the figure "11."

Strike out after the words "Compensation Grade" under the caption "Assistant Chief Matron" the figure "13" and insert in place thereof the figure "14."

Strike out after the words "Compensation Grade" under the caption "Jail Officer" the figure "16" and insert in place thereof the figure "17."

Strike out after the words "Compensation Grade" under the captions "Jail Officer and Electrician," "Jail Officer and Mechanic," "Jail Officer and Assistant Steward," "Jail Officer and Storekeeper," "Jail Officer and Receiver," "Jail Officer and Photographer," "Jail Officer and Clerk," the figure "17" and insert in place thereof the figure "18."

Strike out after the words "Compensation Grade" under the caption "Chief Matron" the figure "16" and insert in place thereof the figure "17."

Strike out after the words "Compensation Grade" under the caption "Assistant Chief Officer and Steward" the figure "20" and insert in place thereof the figure "21."

Strike out after the words "Compensation Grade" under the caption "Assistant Chief Officer" the figure "20" and insert in place thereof the figure "21."

Strike out after the words "Compensation Grade" under the caption "Chief Officer" the figure "23" and insert in place thereof the figure "24."

Strike out after the words "Compensation Grade" under the caption "Assistant Deputy Jailer" the figure "23" and insert in place thereof the figure "24."

Strike out after the words "Compensation Grade" under the caption "Deputy Jailer" the figure "28" and insert in place thereof the figure "29."

Referred to the Executive Committee.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committee named, viz.:

Claims.

Anna T. Dinand, for compensation for damage to property at 59 Bowdoin avenue, Dorchester, caused during construction of street and sidewalks.

Virginia Faretra, for compensation for damage to property at 1 Davis court, East Boston, caused during installation of water meter.

Mary B. Fitzgerald, for compensation for damage to property at 61 Bowdoin avenue, Dorchester, resulting from repairs made on Bowdoin avenue, Dorchester.

Ellen Hutchinson, for compensation for damage to property at 76 Gardner street, Allston, caused by backing up of sewage.

Mary Larson, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect on Penryth street, Roxbury.

Robert S. MacLeod, for compensation for damage to property at 10 Church street, Dorchester, caused by an underground water leak.

Record-American-Advertiser, for compensation for damage to car by city car.

William M. Schneider, for compensation for damage to property at 24 Winslow street, Hyde Park, caused by backing up of sewage.

Leah Wein, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 154 Seaver street, Dorchester.

Charles E. Wirtz, for compensation for damage to property at 41 and 43 Bowdoin avenue, Dorchester, caused during construction of sidewalks.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCE.

Coun. HAILER, for the Committee on Appropriations and Finance, submitted the following:

Report on communication from the Emergency Finance Board (referred June 6) authorizing the incurring of indebtedness of $3,000,000 for extraordinary repairs to Hospital and Library Buildings—recommending same be placed on file.

The report was accepted, and the communication was placed on file.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CLAIMS.

Coun. McCORMACK, for the Committee on Claims, submitted the following:

1. Report on petition of Charles N. Vogel (referred July 25) for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury sustained by him while in the performance of his duty as a member of the Fire Department —recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 100 of chapter 41 of the General Laws, upon petition of Charles N. Vogel, a member of the Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury received through no fault of his own while in the performance of his duty on September 18, 1954, there be allowed and paid, as recommended by the Fire Commissioner and approved by the Corporation Counsel, to the following amount stated:

Boston Firemen's Relief Fund, $77.75

said amount to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

2. Report on petition of Charles N. Vogel (referred July 25) for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury sustained by him while in the performance of his duty as a member of the Fire Department— recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 100 of chapter 41 of the General Laws, upon petition of Charles N. Vogel, a member of the Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury received through no fault of his own while in the performance of his duty on September 18, 1954, there be allowed and paid, as recommended by the Fire Commissioner and approved by the Corporation Counsel, to the following the amounts stated:

Boston Firemen's Relief Fund	$73 14
Paul I. O'Brien, M.D.	95 00
Alfred W. Branca, M.D.	10 00
Total	$178 14

said amount to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

3. Report on petition of Joseph P. McDonough (referred July 25) for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury sustained by him while in the performance of his duty as a member of the Fire Department —recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 100 of chapter 41 of the General Laws, upon petition of Joseph P. McDonough, a member of the Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury received through no fault of his own while in the performance of his duty on March 14, 1955, there be allowed and paid, as recommended by the Fire Commissioner and approved by the Corporation Counsel, to the following the amounts stated:

Joseph H. Beck, D.M.D.	$237
Walter C. Guralnick, M.D.	10
Total	$247

said amount to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

4. Report on petition of George H. King (referred July 25) for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury sustained by him while in the performance of his duty as a member of the Fire Department —recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 100 of chapter 41 of the General Laws, upon petition of George H. King, a member of the Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury received through no fault of his own while in the performance of his duty on July 6, 1954, there be allowed and paid, as recommended by the Fire Commissioner and approved by the Corporation Counsel, to the following the amounts stated:

George H. King (petitioner)	$16 25
Ronald A. Mertens, M.D.	100 00
Massachusetts Osteopathic Hospital	35 00
Total	$151 25

said amount to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

5. Report on petition of Joseph C. Fitzgerald (referred July 25) for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury sustained by him while in the performance of his duty as a member of the Fire Department —recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 100 of chapter 41 of the General Laws, upon petition of Joseph C. Fitzgerald, a member of the Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury received through no fault of his own while in the performance of his duty on June 14, 1954, there be allowed and paid, as recommended by the Fire Commissioner and approved by the Corporation Counsel, to the following the amounts stated:

Sancta Maria Hospital	$206 69
William F. Cotting, M.D.	185 00
Christopher L. Landry, M.D.	25 00
John P. Murphy, M.D.	63 00
Joseph F. Dorsey, M.D.	40 00
Arthur L. Watkins, M.D.	20 00
Audubon Hospital	15 00
Samuel Stone & Co.	22 50
Total	$577 19

said amount to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

6. Report on petition of Richard J. Dunn (referred July 25) for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury sustained by him while in the performance of his duty as a member of the Fire Department —recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 100 of chapter 41 of the General Laws, upon petition of Richard J. Dunn, a member of the Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury received through no fault of his own while in the performance of his duty on May 21, 1954, there be allowed and paid, as recommended by the Fire Commissioner and approved by the Corporation Counsel, to the following the amount stated:

Richard J. Dunn (petitioner)	$126

said amount to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

7. Report on petition of Thomas J. Carroll (referred July 25) for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury sustained by him while in the performance of his duty as a member of the Fire Department —recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 100 of chapter 41 of the General Laws, upon petition of Thomas J. Carroll, a member of the Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury received through no fault of his own while in the performance of his duty on May 29, 1955, there be allowed and paid, as recommended by the Fire Commissioner and approved by the Corporation Counsel, to the following the amount stated:

S. C. Henriques, D.M.D.	$40

said amount to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

The reports were accepted, and the orders were severally passed.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON LICENSES.

Coun. HAILER, for the Committee on Licenses, submitted the following:

1. Report on application (referred July 11) of Thomas J. McCann for commercial use shellfish permit—recommending that permit be granted.

The report was accepted, and the permit was granted under the usual conditions.

2. Report on petition of S. A. Woods Machine Company Rifle and Pistol Club, Inc. (referred June 27), for license to operate a gun club at 27 Damrell street, South Boston—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That in accordance with section 17 of chapter 136 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.) and section 23 of chapter 40 of the Revised Ordinances of 1947, a license be granted to the S. A. Woods Rifle and Pistol Club, Inc., for a gun club on the ground floor of the premises at 27 Damrell street, South Boston, to be used from Mondays through Fridays, from 12 noon to 11.30 P.M., by members of the club and by members of competing teams of any licensed rifle club in the Massachusetts Small Bore Rifle League.

The report was accepted, and the license was granted in accordance with the foregoing order.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC HOUSING.

Coun. AHEARN, for the Committee on Public Housing, submitted the following:

1. Report on order (referred February 14) to consider refinancing of bonds under chapter 372 of Acts of 1946—recommending that the order be placed on file.

The report was accepted, and the order was placed on file.

2. Report on resolution (referred February 7) to reject rent increases on housing under chapter 372 of Acts of 1946—recommending that the resolution be placed on file.

The report was accepted, and the resolution was placed on file.

3. Report on notice from State Board of Housing (referred January 10) approving sale of 17 parcels of property under section 6 of chapter 372 of Acts of 1946—recommending that the notice be placed on file.

The report was accepted, and the notice was placed on file.

HELP TO POLIO VICTIMS.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Resolved, That the Health Commissioner of the City of Boston be requested to contact the superintendents of the Boston City Hospital, Massachusetts General Hospital, the Peter Bent Brigham Hospital, the St. Elizabeth's Hospital and the Beth Israel Hospital for the purpose of having the best available specialists on polio pool their efforts to afford any and all possible help to Boston families stricken with polio.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

COMPENSATION GRADE OF SERGEANTS AT SUMNER TUNNEL.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be requested to take immediate steps to amend the Classification and Compensation Plan for sergeants at the Sumner Tunnel, from Grade 18 to Grade 22.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

STATUS OF PROPOSED FIRE CODE.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor furnish the Boston City Council with the status of the proposed Fire Code.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

RECESS.

On motion of Councillor White, the Council voted to take a recess at 3.10 P.M., subject to the call of the Chair. The members reassembled in the Council Chamber and were called to order by President HURLEY at 3.55 P.M.

TEMPORARY APPOINTMENTS, CLERK OF COMMITTEES DEPARTMENT.

Coun. HURLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That effective August 24, 1955, the following persons be, and they hereby are, appointed in the service of the Clerk of Committees Department to the positions set against their respective names until the fourth Wednesday of September, 1955, at the salaries in effect for them on August 23, 1955:

Francis R. Burke, temporary clerk.

Peter J. Cloherty, temporary clerk.

Nicholas DiMella, temporary stenographer-clerk.

Agnes G. Dinsmore, temporary clerk-receptionist.

Catherine E. Dunn, temporary stenographer-clerk.

Mary E. Flynn, temporary stenographer-clerk.

Catherine Monahan, temporary stenographer-clerk.

Paul G. O'Hara, temporary clerk.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

SALE OF LAND TO CONGREGATION ADATH ISRAEL, OF BOSTON.

Coun. HURLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That chapter 228 of the Acts of 1954, entitled "An Act Authorizing the City of Boston to Sell a Certain Parcel of Land to Congregation Adath Israel of Boston" be, and hereby is, accepted.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

TRANSFER OF APPROPRIATION.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, August 1, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

As you are aware, the 1955 tax rate was declared this year, July 25, nearly six calendar weeks beyond the normal date for such action. This has delayed the work of preparing the tax bills, which constitute the chief revenue producing instruments of the city. In order to avoid unnecessary borrowing, I believe immediate action should be taken to expedite the preparation and mailing of the tax bills. I therefore submit herewith an order providing for the transfer of $10,000 from the reserve fund to the personal services appropriation of the Assessing Department. The amount involved will be used to compensate regular employees who will work beyond regular working hours in order to offset the delay in the processing of the tax bills which has been occasioned by the late declaration of the tax rate.

I respectfully recommend adoption of the accompanying order by your Honorable Body.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

Ordered, That in accordance with the provisions of section 3B of chapter 486 of the Acts of 1909, as amended by chapter 604 of the Acts of 1941, the City Auditor be, and hereby is, authorized to transfer:

From the appropriation for Reserve Fund, $10,000, to the appropriation for Assessing Department, 1, Personal Services, $10,000.

The rules were suspended and the order was passed, yeas 8, nays 0:

Yeas—Councillors Ahearn, Foley, Hailer, Hurley, Kerrigan, McCormack, Piemonte, White—8.

Nays—0.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORT.

Coun. WHITE, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following:

1. Report on message of the Mayor and order (referred July 11) for appropriation of $70,000 for off-street parking facilities in the Uphams Corner district—recommending that same ought to pass.

The report was accepted and the order was given its first reading and passage, yeas 8, nays 0:

Yeas—Councillors Ahearn, Foley, Hailer, Hurley, Kerrigan, McCormack, Piemonte, White—8.

Nays—0.

The order was assigned for 14 days for final action.

2. Report on message of the Mayor (referred June 13) concerning rentals in the Old Colony Housing development—recommending that same be placed on file.

The report was accepted, and the message was placed on file.

3. Report on message of the Mayor and order (referred June 6) to amend Rule 9 of the County Compensation and Classification Plans to grant credit for prior service in cities of Chelsea, Revere, and the town of Winthrop—recommending that the order ought to pass.

The report was accepted, and the order was passed.

4. Report on notice from Department of Public Utilities (referred July 11) of a public hearing to be held on changes in rates and services of the Metropolitan Transit Authority—recommending that the notice be placed on file and recommending passage of the following order:

Ordered, That the Corporation Counsel be requested to appear before the Department of Public Utilities and strenuously oppose any increase in MTA fares which would prevent people from coming into Boston.

The report was accepted, the notice was placed on file, and the order was passed.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFIRMATIONS.

Coun. KERRIGAN, for the Committee on Confirmations, submitted the following:

Report on appointment by the Mayor (referred July 25) of Edward A. Keefe to be constable with authority to serve civil process upon filing of bond for term ending April 30, 1956—recommending that appointment be confirmed.

The report was accepted, and the question came on confirmation. Committee, Councillors Ahearn and White. Whole number of ballots 8, yeas 8, and the appointment was confirmed.

STUDY OF TRAFFIC CONDITIONS AT CONGREVE, WALTER, AND SOUTH STREETS.

Coun. HAILER offered the following:

Ordered, That the Traffic Commission be notified through his Honor the Mayor to make a study of the traffic conditions at the intersection of Congreve street, Walter street, and South street, in Roslindale, in order to alleviate the traffic conditions in that section.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

PLAYGROUND FACILITIES AT CLIFFORD AND STANBRO STREETS.

Coun. HAILER offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be requested and the Park Commissioner study the possibility of converting city-owned land at the corner of Clifford street and Stanbro street, in Hyde Park, into playground facilities for local residents.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

CONGRATULATIONS TO PRESIDENT HURLEY.

Coun. AHEARN, for All the Councillors, offered the following:

Whereas, Our esteemed and beloved President of our City Council, William F. Hurley, will celebrate a milestone in his career, namely, his 60th birthday on Wednesday, August 3, 1955; and

Whereas, He has determined not to be a candidate for reelection although it is obvious to everyone his reelection would be assured because of his distinguished career and the high esteem in which he is held by the people of Boston; and

Whereas, During his years in office, the longest continuous service in elective office in the history of the City of Boston, he has befriended countless thousands; therefore be it

Resolved, That his colleagues in the Boston City Council extend to President Hurley their felicitations on his birthday and wish him good health, good luck, and Godspeed in his future years.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

President HURLEY thanked the City Council for their good wishes, and wished them success in their reelection to the City Council.

CRITICISM OF NORTH CAROLINA OFFICIALS ON LITTLE LEAGUE STAND.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Whereas, It is a basic tenet of sportsmanship that an athlete's ability is judged, not by the color of his skin, the site of his birth, or the place of his worship, but on his agility, coordination and prowess; and

Whereas, The "Little League" movement has been highly effective in the promotion of this objective in the youth of our nation in inculcating in them at an early age the true spirit of sportsmanship and democracy; and

Whereas, This movement has recently been used to violate these basic premises by the State of North Carolina, in refusing to allow teams to compete in an elimination tournament because there was a difference in the color of the skin of the participants; and

Whereas, This move to flame the embers of hatred and bigotry has been endorsed by the leaders in the "Little League" in refusing to recognize the rightful champions of the State of North Carolina; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, express its disgust in the North Carolina officials who have taught these youngsters to hate, and the Council's disappointment with the "Little League" officials for not taking appropriate steps to rectify this odious situation.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

Adjourned at 4.09 P.M., on motion of Councillor Kerrigan, to meet on Monday, August 29, 1955, at 2 P.M.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

(Stenographic copy of such debate on file in office of City Clerk.)

PROCEEDINGS OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

June 21, 1955.

A special meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, at 5:23 P. M., the Chairman presiding.

Present: Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco.

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APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The reading of the minutes of the meeting of June 3, and June 13, 1955 was omitted, the Committee approving them as printed.

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TUITION OF NON-RESIDENT PUPILS

A communication was received from Walter J. Markham, Director, Division of Vocational Education, Massachusetts Department of Education, under date of June 13, 1955, reporting that a tuition rate of $.63 per hour of service is approved and effective Sept. 1, 1954, for non-resident pupils attending the Boston Continuation School, under authority of Section 24, Chapter 71, General Laws.

Placed on file.

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TRANSPORTATION OF PHYSICALLY HANDICAPPED CHILDREN TO PLAYGROUND

The following communication was presented:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor
City Hall

June 9, 1955

Miss Agnes E. Reynolds
Secretary
The School Committee
15 Beacon Street
Boston, Massachusetts

My dear Miss Reynolds:

In accordance with the request contained in your communication of June 6, 1955, I am sending you herewith check for $750 to defray the cost of transportation of physically handicapped children during the summer months. If this amount is not sufficient, kindly get in touch with me later when we will have additional funds. In the meantime, I am happy to send along the enclosed check.

Respectfully,
(Signed) J. B. Hynes
Mayor

Placed on file.

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EDUCATIONAL TELEVISION

Mr. Musco: Some time ago I mentioned to the Superintendent the potentiality of educational television, both in school and out of school, for children and adults, and since that time, since our convention in St. Louis, I have had a chance to talk to the Director of the television station, and we feel that educational television for the children and for adults is just around the corner.

We want the administration to do some thinking about it and probably get ready for it within the next few months or few years. Therefore, I would like to submit this the accompanying statement to the Superintendent, to the press and for the public record so that we can start working on it and be ready for it.

Chairman: Mr. Musco, you have served, have you, on a committee for educational television?

Mr. Musco: Yes. I brought the question before the Massachusetts Association of School Committees on May 12, 13, and 14, and they feel this way at WGBH —that the schools should request a study and that their Director would be very happy to consult with the administration.

Chairman: On any program that might tell of the services of the Boston Public Schools?

Mr. Musco: That's right. They feel that the schools should initiate the request, so I would like at least to initiate this request with the Superintendent through the Director so that we may be ready for it some time in the fall.

Chairman: Then you are asking the School Committee to make a resolution, are you Mr. Musco, that the Superintendent arrange with Mr. Joseph A. Hennessey, Director of Visual and Radio Education, is it?

Mr. Musco: Both Mr. Hennessey and Mr. Haley to discuss it with Edward Sherborn, who is the Director of the station.

Chairman: WGBH?

Mr. Musco: Not so much a resolution—

Chairman: Arrange for a program and for program materials for them, is that right?

Mr. Musco: Yes.

Chairman: There is no objection to that.

Superintendent: I will be glad to.

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The following is Mr. Musco's statement pertaining to Educational Television:

Two years ago Educational Television was but a vision of building a completely new system of telecasting. It was an insight on two levels: one for those who like to walk among familiar workaday things; and another for those who prefer "the wide horizon's grander view."

I. At the pedestrian level, Educational TV simply promised that the wonderful new medium of video would be used more effectively, and more widely, to do a number of useful things. It promised, for example, to bring better teaching into the community's schoolrooms; to bring constructive after-school TV programs to children; to bring more and better cultural programs to those who want them; to bring high school and college courses into the homes for adults; to bring increased know-how to workers and professionals and housewives and craftsmen and business people. And to bring all these things on a continuing schedule at hours when most people are free to tune in their television sets. Such was the pedestrian view of the vision projected by Educational Television.

II. The soaring view of Educational Television cast all this in much bigger terms. It was Educational Television as a great national asset which could:

Open up a great national school available for all to attend—the school of your own living room.

Invigorate the whole democratic process at community, state and national levels.

Increase the real income of workers and professionals and thus raise the prosperity of communities and the whole nation.

Liberate millions of people from the bondage of ignorance and set free their talents for fuller expression.

This vision, at both levels, turns out to be a progressive and forward looking step. A new and positive force has been brought into the lives of those millions who today live within range of Educational TV stations. It is a force that can be made available to all.

So from the viewpoints of formal education, personal safety, economic progress, a healthy society, and national security—from all viewpoints—the need for more information and facts, for more knowledge and understanding, and for more skills is a vivid one.

The urgent case for a better-informed citizenry could be built up indefinitely.

Now is the time for the Boston Public Schools to look ahead into the future and prepare for the use of "in-school Educational Television" for its future citizens. It can project us into unexplored areas of thought and action.

The establishment of Channel 2 WGBH-TV in this area prompts us to study and investigate the advantages of this media of education.

Thus the need for the communication of facts and ideas to

millions of people; and the demand by millions of people for more facts and ideas are both demonstrable.

So, here is where this movement of public school Educational Television comes into our living and learning, and we must accept it.

May I follow-up my initial request to the Superintendent of some weeks ago by asking the administration to confer with the directors of Educational Television, Channel 2, WGBH-TV of 84 Massachusetts Avenue, Cambridge, Mass., to conduct a study of the possibilities of instituting facilities, accommodations, and new equipment in one of our approved school construction projects with a view to future Educational Television programs in the Boston public school system.

Placed on file.

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PUBLIC SERVICE AWARD TO BOSTON HOME AND SCHOOL ASSOCIATION

The Chairman presented the following communication:

June 20, 1955

Miss Mary K. Fitzgerald,
Chairman
Boston School Committee
15 Beacon Street
Boston, Massachusetts

Dear Miss Fitzgerald:

You will be pleased, I am sure, to know that the Boston Home and School Association has been signally nationally honored by McCALLS magazine for our play program for mentally retarded children, established through the efforts of members of our Special Education Chapter.

The accompanying magazine article appeared in the June issue of McCALLS. Congresswoman Edith Nourse Rogers made the presentation of the Certificate of Merit and the check for $100 on Sunday, June 12, 1955 at the official opening of the Pleasure Island playground at Castle Island, South Boston.

The framed citation has been presented to me to be hung in my office, Room 24.

Very truly yours,
(Signed) GRACE F. MATTAIR
Special Manager

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The following is the magazine article referred to in the foregoing letter:

Club Notes from all over—
by Christine Sadler

Play program for retarded children wins McCall's monthly club award

McCall's public-service award of $100 goes this month to parents and teachers of the Boston, Massachusetts, Home and School Association, who started a summer recreation program for mentally retarded children and proved that such youngsters often respond wonderfully to a natural atmosphere in which they can play and learn.

Led by Miss Helen Freeman, who teaches exceptional children in Boston Schools, the group received the city's permission to use grounds of historic Castle Island for a "Pleasure Island." Approximately 150 children, aged 7 to 16, came there last summer -and will come again this year—to play, swim and learn according to their energies and talents.

Free transportation is provided by the local transit company. Parents help prepare hot lunches and serve free milk. Normal youngsters are encouraged to accompany their brothers or sisters.

In the winter, recreation and instruction are provided for these same children at Curtis Hall Recreation Center.

"The reward in this work is watching the unfolding of personalities which hitherto have been stifled because no one dared give them a real chance to enjoy life," said Mrs. Edward Reardon, a mother member of the association.

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McCall's
Certificate of Merit
June, 1955
Home and School Association
Boston, Massachusetts
is cited by McCall's Magazine
for the work done
by its Special Education Chapter
to provide year-round
educational and recreational
opportunities
for mentally-retarded children
(Signed) Otto L. Wiese
Editor and Publisher, McCall's

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Chairman: I think it is very significant that Boston has been singled out for this citation from McCall's Magazine. There was an article in the magazine which told just exactly what is done at Pleasure Island. Approximately 150 children between the ages of seven and sixteen came there last summer for the first time, I believe it was, and will come again this year for the 1955 season to play, swim, and learn according to their energies and talents.

Parents help prepare hot lunches and serve free milk. Normal youngsters are encouraged to accompany their brothers and sisters. In the winter, recreation and instruction are provided for these same children at the Curtis Hall Recreation Center.

I think it is a unique effort on the part of the City of Boston to take care of children who heretofore have not received such consideration.

Would you care to make any comment at this time, Dr. Gillis?

Dr. Gillis: We are all delighted with the national recognition of our Home and School Association. Mrs. Edith Nourse Rogers came on from Washington and, with Mr. Carr, presented the check for $100. Then she turned around and gave $10 of her own money.

BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS RETIREMENT FUND

The following communication was presented:

March 9, 1955

Dr. Dennis C. Haley
Superintendent of Public Schools
15 Beacon Street
Boston 8, Massachusetts

Dear Dr. Haley:

At the regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Boston Public School Teachers' Retirement Fund held on March 8, 1955, the Secretary was ordered to send to you the notarized results of the ballots voted upon by the teachers in the service of the City of Boston in January 1955, with the request that these be reported to the School Committee at its next meeting.

The increase in assessments approved by the vote of the teachers on Item No. 1 of the ballot will be effective upon the passage of the bill by the legislature and the other proposals voted upon at this time will be taken care of as soon as possible.

Very truly yours,
(Signed)
Josephine M. Howe
Secretary

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The results of the ballots sent to the teachers in the service of the City of Boston in January 1955, are as follows:

	Yes	No	Blanks	Total
No. 1	1789	580	89	2458
No. 2	425	1549	484	2458
No. 3	801	1517	140	2458
No. 4	2067	305	86	2458
No. 5	1757	630	71	2458
No. 6	1145	1253	60	2458

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IN MEMORIAM

The Superintendent regretfully reported the death of Edward J. Muldoon, assistant superintendent emeritus, who had been retired under the provisions of the State-Boston Retirement System, on June 14, 1955.

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The following preamble and resolutions were offered:

WHEREAS, Edward J. Muldoon, Assistant Superintendent Emeritus, passed from this life on June 14, 1955, and

WHEREAS, He was principal of the Bigelow School, South Boston, and of the Elihu Greenwood School, Hyde Park, and

WHEREAS, He served as Assistant Superintendent of the Boston Public Schools from 1930-1948 with honor and distinction, and,

WHEREAS, He was well-known for his educational courses at The Teachers College of the City of Boston, Hyannis Teachers College, and University Extension Courses, at which many teachers and educators advanced in knowledge and at whose heart-strings there will come a gentle tug of remembrance, and

WHEREAS, He was past Grand Knight of Pere Marquette Council, K. of C., an active member of the St. Vincent de Paul Society, of the Holy Name Society of St. Thomas Aquinas Church, Jamaica Plain, and

WHEREAS, He was an outstanding educator in whom there was a sense of humor, a gift of kindness, and a potent foresight for the needs of education, and

WHEREAS, He was for many years a weekly contributor to the Little Sisters of the Poor in Roxbury, from whose doors prayers of deep devotion and love will rise to greet and bless him, and

WHEREAS, After his graduation from Harvard (A.B.) in 1903, and Boston College (M.Ed.), he devoted forty-five years of his life to the field of education, as a teacher, and able administrator, be it therefore

RESOLVED, That the School Committee enter upon its records an expression of sorrow at the departure from this life of Edward J. Muldoon, Assistant Superintendent Emeritus, of whom it may be said,—"well have you labored in your Master's vineyard. Rest in peace!", and be it further

RESOLVED, That the School Committee of the City of Boston in meeting assembled extends its deep sympathy to his wife and daughters and directs that a copy of these resolutions be sent to his family.

On roll call the preamble and resolutions were adopted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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The Superintendent regretfully reported the death of the following-named teacher who had been retired on pension under the provisions of the State-Boston Retirement System:

Edward Everett District—Mary A. L. Timony, June 12, 1955.

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The Superintendent regretfully reported the death on June 13, 1955, of Agnes C. White, janitress-matron, who had been retired on pension under the provisions of the Boston Retirement System.

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The School Committee requested that a letter of condolence to be signed by the Secretary be sent to the bereaved families.

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RETIREMENTS ON PENSION

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 21, 1955, reporting the retirement from active service of the following-named members of the State-Boston Retirement System, to take effect June 30, 1955, as certified by the Boston Retirement Board:

Boston Technical High School—Arthur R. Racine, master.

Boston Trade High School—Chester B. Hammond, division head.

Brighton High School—Agnes McCloskey, Jane R. Woods, assistants.

Charlestown High School—George G. Rose, cooperative instructor.

Dorchester High School—Irene P. Zahn, assistant.

East Boston High School—Mary L. Barlow, guidance counselor; Alice M. Boughtwood, assistant.

English High School—Hollis D. Hatch, master.

Girls' High School—Elizabeth B. Nichols, assistant.

Girls' Latin School—Katherine M. Schubarth, assistant.

Jamaica Plain High School—Frances R. Campion, Rosanna M. Dowd, assistants.

Roxbury Memorial High School—Girls—Caroline H. McCarthy, assistant.

Agassiz District—Gertrude P. Shea, teacher, elementary.

Christopher Gibson District—Mary H. Healey, principal.

Dearborn District—Anna M. Devin, Elizabeth B. Faden, Alice M. Gardetto, teachers, elementary.

Dudley District—Mary C. Gourley, teacher, elementary.

Edmund P. Tileston District—Mary E. Jenkins, teacher, elementary.

Edward Everett District—Margaret R. Dwyer, teacher, elementary.

Ellis Mendell District—Katherine E. Hurley, teacher, elementary.

Grover Cleveland Junior High School—Margaret M. O'Connell, teacher, junior high.

Hart-Gaston-Perry District—Emma A. Sellew, teacher, elementary; Lillian A. Smith, teacher, kindergarten.

Harvard District—Mary Dooley Regan, teacher, elementary.

Henry L. Higginson District—Elizabeth B. Elcock, teacher, kindergarten.

Horace Mann School for the Deaf—Victoria C. Jesseman, assistant.

Jefferson District—Margaret E. Tobin, teacher, elementary.

John A. Andrew District—Ella H. Hyde, teacher, elementary.

Julia Ward Howe District—Marguerite R. Riley, assistant, conservation of eyesight classes.

Lewis Junior High School—Elizabeth H. Mahar, teacher, junior high.

Patrick F. Gavin Junior High School—Mary E. Jabo, teacher, junior high.

Prince District—Marguerite V. Murphy, teacher, elementary.

Roger Wolcott District—Helen T. Campbell, teacher, elementary; May Kapples, teacher, elementary.

Solomon Lewenberg Junior High School—Elizabeth P. Brennan, teacher, junior high.

Theodore Lyman District—E. Cecilia Bowen, teacher, elementary.

Thomas A. Edison Junior High School—Anna E. Dixon, teacher, junior high.

Thomas Gardner District—Mary L. Murphy, teacher, elementary.

Washington Allston District—Helen P. Kelly, teacher, elementary.

William E. Endicott District—Elizabeth M. Cleary, teacher, elementary; Mary A. Ford, teacher, elementary.

William Howard Taft Junior High School—Lillian A. McCall, vice principal.

Woodrow Wilson Junior High School—Helen H. Goulter, teacher, junior high.

Board of Examiners—Charlotte Rafter, examiner.

Department of Fine Arts—Marjorie Loring, supervisor.

Department of Industrial Arts—George C. McKeen, shop instructor.

Department of Kindergartens—Pauline F. Smith, director.

Department of Music—Alice K. Gorman, instructor of bands and orchestral instruments.

Department of School Hygiene—Theresa V. Kelley, school nurse.

Department of Vocational Guidance—Curtis Peckham, vocational instructor.

Instruction of Physically Handicapped Children—Doris P. Kennard, teacher, permanent substitute.

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HONORARY TITLES

The folowing was offered:

ORDERED, That in consideration of their many years of devoted and efficient service in the Boston Public Schools, the following-named persons who are retiring, be granted the honorary titles indicated to take effect July 1, 1955:

Department of Kindergartens—Pauline F. Smith, director emerita.

Christopher Gibson District—Mary H. Healey, principal emerita.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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TEMPORARY TEACHERS

Department of Industrial Arts—Thomas M. Adams, Paul H. Sales, Henry J. Zopatti, shop instructors, June 7, 1955; Paul W. Sullivan, John V. Vozella, shop instructors, June 8, 1955; Paul V. Cashman, shop instructor, June 9, 1955.

On roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4

NAYS—0

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1

(TEMPORARY ASSISTANT LIBRARIAN)

Girls' Latin School—
Angela M. Cadigan
Sept. 8, 1955

On roll call the appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS — Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Museo—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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DESIGNATIONS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 21, 1955, reporting that he has made the following designations of teachers, to serve in the positions indicated until such time as they shall be filled otherwise, in accordance with the regulations, but not beyond Aug. 31, 1955:

Elihu Greenwood District — James A. Donovan, submaster, as acting principal (vice John A. Murphy, absent on leave), May 25, 1955; Helen J. McCarthy, teacher, elementary, as acting vice principal, May 25, 1955.

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CERTIFICATION OF AMOUNT PAID FOR PENSIONS

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the Chairman of this Committee is hereby authorized in its behalf and in accordance with the provisions of Section 16 of Chapter 32 of the General Laws to certify to the Teachers' Retirement Board, under oath, the amount of pensions paid by the City of Boston, for the year ending July 1, 1955, to teachers and members of the supervising staff who have been retired since July 1, 1914, on whose account the City of Boston is entitled to reimbursement.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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AMENDMENT OF REGULATIONS

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the regulations be amended as follows:

Section 411. Add the following as new paragraph 3:

3. Vacation Procedure—Boys between the ages of twelve to sixteen who have not made application, in advance through the principal of the school attended, for a minor's license, will call in person at the office of the supervisor of licensed minors, 45 Myrtle Street, Boston, on Mondays to Fridays, inclusive, between 9:00 A.M. and 12:00 M., during the summer vacation period to procure a lawful badge.

On roll call the rules were suspended and the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4

NAYS—0

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1

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STATISTICAL MACHINE OPERATORS

A communication was received from the Secretary, under date of June 21, 1955, reporting that the Division of Civil Service has certified the following-named persons as eligible to fill one position as permanent female Statistical Machine Operator, Office of the Business Manager:

Josephine M. Ponde
Iora J. Crannell
Virginia E. MacDonald

Placed on file.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That Josephine M. Ponde, number one on the list certified by the Division of Civil Service, is hereby appointed to the position of Statistical Machine Operator, Office of the Business Manager, to take effect July 1, 1955.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the salary of Josephine M. Ponde, Statistical Machine Operator, Office of the Business Manager, is hereby established at the rate of forty-eight dollars and eighteen cents ($48.18) a week, to take effect July 1, 1955, and to continue until otherwise ordered.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4

NAYS—0

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1

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A communication was received from the Secretary, under date of June 21, 1955, reporting, subject to the approval of the School Committee, and with the approval of the Divisioin of Civil Service and the consent of the head of the department concerned, the appointment of Athena K. Lynch to the position of Statistical Machine Operator, Office of the Business Manager, by transfer from the Welfare Department, City of Boston, to take effect June 29, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4

NAYS—0

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the salary of Athena K. Lynch, Statistical Machine Operator, Office of the Business Manager, is hereby established at the rate of fifty-three dollars ($53) a week, to take effect June 29, 1955, and to continue until otherwise ordered.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Museo—4

NAYS—0

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1

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APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES

A communication was received from the Business Manager, under date of June 21, 1955, submitting a statement showing the appropriations, the expenditures and the balanees for general school purposes and special items for the first five drafts of the current fiseal year, the expenditures for the first five drafts of the fiseal year 1954, and the increases and decreases in the several items.

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RESIGNATION OF CUSTODIAN

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 21, 1955, reporting the resignation, to take effect June 20, 1955, of Joseph F. O'Donnell, junior building custodian, Martin School.

Aceepted.

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The Committee adjourned.

Attest:

AGNES E. REYNOLDS,
Secretary.

June 27, 1955

A speeial meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, at 9.04 P. M., the Chairman presiding.

Present Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward.

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AMENDMENT OF MINUTES

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the minutes of the meeting of May 16, 1955, are hereby amended as follows.

Under-Appointments-From the Eligible List-Patriek T. Campbell Junior High School—Daniel E. Kearns, teacher, junior high (third year salary-$3780-anniversary date June 1)-June 20, 1955-should read "June 23, 1955".

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4

NAYS—0

ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1

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RETIREMENT ON PENSION

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under

date of June 27, 1955, reporting the retirement from active service on account of superannuation, in conformity with the provisions of Section 9 of Chapter 521 of the Acts of 1921 (Boston Retirement Act), of Roscoe G. Frame, submaster, Dudley District, to take effect June 30, 1955.

Placed on file.

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RESIGNATIONS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 27, 1955, reporting the resignation of the following-named teachers, to take effect on the dates stated:

Henry L. Higginson District—Marie E. Galeota, teacher, elementary, June 30, 1955.

Conservation of Eyesight Classes—Vivian Milmore, assistant, June 30, 1955.

Accepted.

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APPOINTMENTS

The following nominations by the Superintendent, certified by him to be in accordance with the rules and regulations, to take effect on the dates stated, were presented:

(FROM THE ELIGIBLE LIST)

Boston Latin School—Edwin D. Barlow, junior master (twelfth year salary-$5088-anniversary date Sept. 1), Sept. 1, 1955; Walter J. Casey, junior master (fourth year salary-$3936-anniversary date Sept. 1), Sept. 1, 1955; Norton A. Levy, junior master (fifth year salary-$4080-anniversary date Sept. 1), Sept. 1, 1955.

Girls' Latin School—Cornelius J. Scanlon, junior master, (from teacher, junior high, Patrick F. Gavin Junior High School), Sept. 1, 1955.

Boston Technical High School—Roger T. Connor, junior master (fifth year salary-$4080-anniversary date Sept. 1), Sept. 1, 1955; William V. Durante, junior master (third year salary-$3792-anniversary date Sept. 1,), Sept. 1,1955.

Dorchester High School—Anna T. Cussen, assistant (twelfth year salary-$5088-anniversary date Sept. 1), Sept. 1, 1955.

English High School—Ralph H. Berkowitz, junior master (minimum salary-$3504-anniversary date Sept. 1), Sept. 1, 1955; Robert P. Collins, junior master (fourth year salary-$3936-anniversary date Sept. 1), Sept. 1, 1955; John W. Kelley, junior master (from teacher, junior high, James P. Timilty Junior High School), Sept. 1, 1955. John H. O'Neil, junior master (third year salary-$3792-anniversary date Sept. 1), Sept. 1, 1955.

Jamaica Plain High School—Ann R. Howe, assistant (fourth year salary-$3936-anniversary date Sept. 1), Sept. 1, 1955.

Jeremiah E. Burke High School for Girls—Catherine Crowley Norton, assistant (iminimum salary-$3504-anniversary date Sept. 1), Sept. 1, 1955. Alice Smith Reilly, assistant (third year salary-$3792-anniversary date Sept. 1), Sept. 1, 1955.

Roxbury Memorial High School (Boys)—Paul J. Cameron, junior master (third year salary-$3792-anniversary date Sept. 1) Sept. 1, 1955; Michael Crowley, junior master (from teacher, junior high, Patrick F. Gavin Junior High School), Sept. 1, 1955.

South Boston High School—Robert F. Murphy, junior master (from teacher, junior high, Patrick T. Campbell Junior High School), Sept. 1, 1955.

Blackington-John Cheverus District—Ethel Partridge Folsom, teacher, elementary (minimum salary-$3492-anniversary date Sept. 1), Sept. 1, 1955. Raymond L. Shaw, teacher, junior high (fourth year salary-$3924--anniversary date Sept. 1), Sept. 1, 1955.

Clarence R. Edwards Junior High School—James J. Zanor, teacher, junior high (fourth year salary-$3924-anniversary date Sept. 1), Sept. 1, 1955.

Dillaway District—Catherine Crane Leonard, teacher, elementary (second year salary-$3636-anniversary date Sept. 1), Sept. 1, 1955.

Dudley District—Arthur L. Ruskin, teacher, elementary (third year salary-$3780-anniversary date Sept. 1), Sept. 1, 1955.

Emily A. Fifield-Gilbert Stuart District—Hildegarde E. Fickeisen, teacher, kindergarten (minimum salary-$3492-anniversary date Sept. 1), Sept 1, 1955.

Grover Cleveland Junior High School—John E. Fisher, teacher, junior high (third year salary-$3780-anniversary date Sept. 1), Sept. 1, 1955; Gerald T. Peters, teacher, junior high (third year salary-$3780-anniversary date Sept. 1), Sept. 1, 1955; Howard H. Spence, teacher, junior high (from teacher, elementary, Sherwin District), Sept. 1, 1955.

Hart-Gaston Perry District—Marie V. O'Reilly, teacher kindergarten (minimum salary-$3492-anniversary date Sept. 1), Sept. 1, 1955.

Henry L. Higginson District—Ann L. McCarthy, teacher, elementary (fourth year salary-$3924-anniversary date Sept. 1), Sept. 1, 1955.

Hyde-Everett District—Eileen Sheehan Hanley, teacher, elementary (third year salary-$3780-anniversary date Sept. 1), Sept. 1, 1955.

John Marshall District—Margaret Flaherty Egan, teacher elementary (fourth year salary-$3924-anniversary date Sept. 1), Sept. 1, 1955; Dorothy McCormack Rudsit, teacher elementary (eighth year salary-$4500-anniversary date Sept. 1), Sept. 1, 1955.

John Winthrop District—Helen R. Humpage, teacher, kindergarten (fourth year salary-$3924-anniversary date Sept. 1), Sept. 1, 1955.

Lewis Junior High School—Stanley Rimmer, teacher junior high (fourth year salary-$3924-anniversary date Sept. 1), Sept. 1, 1955.

Mary E. Curley Junior High School—Howard E. McClure, teacher, junior high (fourth year salary-$3924-anniversary date Sept. 1), Sept. 1, 1955.

Patrick F. Gavin Junior High School—Mary Waleyko Powers, teacher, junior high (second year salary-$3636-anniversary date Sept. 1), Sept. 1, 1955. Mary Conaty Ketlak, teacher junior high (fifth year salary-$4068-anniverscary date Sept. 1), Sept. 1, 1955.

Patrick T. Campbell Junior High School—Paul A. Lovett, teacher, junior high (third year salary-$3780-anniversary date Sept. 1), Sept. 1, 1955.

Prince District — Anne E. Fisher, teacher, elementary (fourth year salary-$3924-anniversary date Sept. 1), Sept. 1, 1955; Katherine Sullivan Hosie, teacher, junior high (minimum salary-$3492-anniversary date Sept. 1), Sept. 1, 1955.

Sherwin District—Joseph P. Fotos, teacher, junior high (third year salary-$3780-anniversary date Sept. 1), Sept. 1, 1955.

Solomon Lewenberg Junior High School—Robert J. Bond, teacher, junior high (from teacher, elementary, Roger Wolcott District), Sept. 1, 1955. John J. Gearin, teacher junior high (third year salary-$3780-anniversary date Sept. 1), Sept. 1, 1955.

Theodore Lyman District—Myrtis Andrews Freeman, teacher, kindergarten (seventh year salary-$4356-anniversary date Sept. 1), Sept. 1 1955.

Thomas A. Edison Junior High School—Arthur Depoian, teacher, junior high (fourth year salary-$3924-anniversary date Sept. 1), Sept. 1, 1955.

Warren District—Helen Harrington Duffy, teacher, kindergarten (second year salary-$3636-anniversary date Sept. 1), Sept. 1, 1955.

Washington Irving Junior High School—Charles B. Lawrence, teacher, junior high (fifth year salary-$4068-anniversary date Sept. 1), Sept. 1 1955.

William Barton Rogers Junior High School—Mary Barrett Bailey, teacher, junior high (seventh year salary-$4356-anniversary date Sept. 1), Sept. 1, 1955. M. Louise Holland Dooley, teacher, junior high (fifth year salary-$4068-anniversary date Sept. 1), Sept 1, 1955.

William Blackstone Junior High School—Earnest B. Ashford, teacher, junior high (third year salary-$3780-anniversary date Sept. 1), Sept. 1, 1955.

William E. Russell District—Archie J. Walsh, teacher, junior

high (third year salary-$3780-anniversary date Sept. 1), Sept. 1, 1955.

William Howard Taft Junior High School—Ethel Bickoff Menitoff, teacher, junior high (second year salary-$3636-anniversary date Sept 1), Sept. 1, 1955.

William Lloyd Garrison District—Margaret M. Dennison, teacher, elementary (fourth year-salary-$3924-anniversary date date Sept. 1), Sept. 1, 1955.

Department of Fine Arts—Mary G. Laughlin, supervisor in fine arts (from teacher, junior high, Solomon Lewenberg Junior High School), Sept. 1, 1955.

Department of Physical Education—Patricia V. McPherson, assistant, high school, physical education (from teacher, junior high, physical education), Sept. 1, 1955.

On roll call the rules were suspended and the appointments approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee and Ward—4

NAYS—0

ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1

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(BY PROMOTION)

Examiner

Board of Examiners—Mary I Colwell, examiner (from principal, James A. Garfield District), Sept. 1, 1955.

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Principals

Christopher Gibson District—Margaret M. Hosman (principal from vice principal, Edward Everett District), Sept. 1, 1955.

James A. Garfield District—Florence M. Hawkins, principal (from elementary supervisor), Sept. 1, 1955.

On roll call the rules were suspended and the appointments approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee and Ward—4

NAYS—0

ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1

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Directors

Business Education—John M. Canty, director (from head of department, South Boston High School), Sept. 1, 1955.

Department of Vocational Guidance—Maurice J. Downey, director (from head of department, Boston Latin School), Sept. 1, 1955.

On roll call the rules were suspended and the appointments approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee and Ward—4

NAYS—0

ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1

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Supervisors of Physical Education

Department of Physical Education—Virginia M. Arnold, Marie R. Cunningham, Rosetta M. McNamara, Eleanor S. Thomas, supervisors of physical education, elementary schools (from assistants), high school, physical education, Sept. 1, 1955.

On roll call the rules were suspended and the appointments approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4

NAYS—0

ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1

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By Promotion

Boston Latin School—Peter H. Kozodoy, head of department (from master), Sept. 1, 1955.

Brighton High School—Thomas M. Dowell, coordinator (from cooperative instructor), Sept. 1, 1955.

Dudley District—Thomas B. McAuliffe, submaster (from teacher, junior high, Washington Irving Junior High School), Sept. 1, 1955.

James J. Chittick District—Paul H. Donovan, submaster (from teacher, junior high, Patrick F. Gavin Junior High School), Sept. 1, 1955.

Edward Everett District — M. Grace Farley, vice principal (from teacher, elementary, Samuel Adams District), Sept. 1, 1955.

Oliver Wendell Holmes Junior High School—Marguerite L. Hill, vice principal (from teacher, junior high, Patrick F. Gavin Junior High School), Sept. 1, 1955.

On roll call the rulees were suspended and the appointments approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4

NAYS—0

ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1

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(ADVANCEMENT WITHIN THE SERVICE)

Department of Physical Education—Edward E. Kelleher, junior master, military science (from instructor, military science), Sept. 1, 1955.

On roll call the rules were suspended and the appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

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(CHANGE IN RANK)

Dorchester High School — Thomas J. O'Leary, junior master (from senior instructor, Boston Trade High School, Sept. 1, 1955; Florence Magner, assistant (from senior assistant, Trade High School for Girls), Sept. 1, 1955.

Visual and Radio Education — Arthur P. Murray, junior master (from senior instructor, Boston Trade High School), Sept. 1, 1955.

On roll call the rules were suspended and the appointments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

DEPARTMENT OF ADULT EDUCATIONAL AND RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES

(Summer Review Schools)
Term—1955

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 27, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has appointed the following-named persons in the summer review schools for the term 1955:

Dorchester Summer Review High School—Thomas F. Mahan, first assistant; William B. Bergen, John S. Bowes, James F. Burns, Matthew P. Butler, Everett J. Conway, John S. Donoghue, Edward C. Dullea, Julius G. Finn, Roland N. Fontaine, Charles W. Gleason, Ralph C. Good, Harold Goorvich, Julian Goulston, Fred Holmes, Charles Kaner, Charles W. Kaufman, John J. Landrigan, Andrew R. McCormick, Warren J. Moran, Gertrude A. Morrissey, Richard W. Newman, Walter V. O'Brien, Frank A. Repetto, Francis E. Reynolds, Charles L. Sakey, Frank E. Sullivan, George H. Sullivan, Eleanora J. Vogel, assistants, June 27, 1955, Richard E. Burton, Edna S. Cann, Irene A. Mickunas, assistants, June 27, 1955.

Fenway Summer Review High School

James H. Holland, first assistant; Frank L. Alciere, Sidney Bluhm, John J. Buckley, James A. Caffrey, Victor J. Campbell, Elizabeth Chase, Mark T. Crehan, Elizabeth D. Curran, Robert F. Denvir, John F. Dobbyn, Arthur V. Donnellan, Mary C. Harrington, Joseph W. Hopkinson, John F. Keane, Ruth F. Kennedy, Edward B. Leach, Arthur F. Leary, Bernard A. McCabe, Charles L. McCarthy, Eugene L. McLaughlin Joseph L. McNamara, Maurice F. Murphy, Cyril J. Neville, Thomas J. O'Leary, Eugene J. Plociennik, Ralph F. V. Quinn, Kenneth G. Richards, John J. Santosuosso, Charles W. Sheehan, John F. Sheehan, Leo E. Tarutz, John A. Tyrell, John H. Ward, assistants, June 27, 1955.

Grover Cleveland Summer Review Junior High School—John T. Daley, Ralph DiMattia, Genevieve C. Dixon, Thomas G. Dolan, Bernard E. Edelstein, M. Geraldine Gillis, Martin J. Greeley, William J. Hart, A. Louis Karp, Herbert Malick, William V. McCarthy, Patrick J. McDonough, Elizabeth J. McKenna, Mary M. McLaughlin, Paul J. Murphy, Francis P. O'Brien, John T. Peyton, Loran T. Sanford, John W. Whelan, Ruth A. Houlton, assistants, June 27, 1955.

James P. Timility Summer Review Junior High School—Paul M. Burke, assistant in charge; Margaret L. Bowe, Francis X. Browne, John D. Callahan, Charles J. Cirame, J. Stanley Curran, James J. Doherty, Joseph J. Dwyer, Martin J. Feeney, John R. Ferry, Catherine M.

Hart, William F. Hennessey, John A. Joyce, Miles G. Lee, John K. Lennon, Leanore E. Lewis, George L. O'Connell, James J. O'Connor, Francis A. Romeo, Harold E. Sanford, Gladys S. Wood, Mary St. J. McNally, assistants, June 27, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 27, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has appointed the following-named persons in the summer review schools for the term 1955:

Dorchester Summer Review High School—Joseph F. Callahan, William A. Hartigan, Francis P. Hennessey, John J. Kelly, John J. McGrath, William E. O'Connor, Albert L. Taylor, assistants, June 27, 1955.

Fenway Summer Review High School—Robert F. Buck, Francis L. Ford, Mark F. Russo, Albert J. Van Steenbergen, assistants, June 27, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the regulations were suspended and the appointments approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 27, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has appointed the following-named clerical assistants in the summer review schools for the term 1955: (To take effect June 27, 1955)

Dorchester Summer Review High School—Eleanor L. Broughal.

Fenway Summer Review High School—Helen P. Cooney.

Grover Cleveland Summer Review Junior High School—Mary N. McMorrow.

James P. Timility Summer Review Junior High School — Dorothy M. Giblin.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4
NAYS—0
ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1

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LEAVES OF ABSENCE

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 27, 1955, recommending, subject to the approval of the School Committee and under a suspension of the regulations, that leaves of absence without pay be granted the following-named teachers for the terms specified:

Patrick F. Gavin Junior High School—Elizabeth J. Moynahan, teacher, junior high, Jan. 1 to March 15, 1955.

Patrick T. Campbell Junior High School—Sabino W. Caputo, teacher, junior high, Sept. 1, 1955 to Aug. 31, 1956.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the regulations were suspended and the leaves of absence without pay were granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4
NAYS—0
ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 27, 1955, recommending that leave of absence under a suspension of the regulations, and subject to the approval of the School Committee, be granted the following-named teacher for the term specified:

Hyde Park High School—Agnes M. Gallivan, head of department, Sept. 1, 1955 to Jan. 31, 1956, for rest.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the regulations were suspended and the leave of absence granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 27, 1955, recommending that leave of absence for study or for rest, be granted each of the following-named teachers for the term specified:

Dorchester High School—Joseph T. Evans, master, Sept. 1, 1955 to Aug. 31, 1956, for rest.

Woodrow Wilson Junior High School—Mona G. Burke, teacher, junior high, physical education, Sept. 1, 1955 to Aug. 31, 1956, for study.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the leaves of absence for study, or for rest, were granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 27, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has discontinued the leave of absence for military service granted William F. Glennon, teacher, junior high, Joseph H. Barnes Junior High School, at the meeting of Oct. 5, 1953, (see p. 542), said discontinuance to take effect Nov. 14, 1954.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the discontinuance of leave of absence was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 27, 1955, reporting that, in accordance with the provisions of Section 283A, paragraph 1, of the Regulations, leave of absence without pay granted at the meeting of Feb. 7, 1955 (see p. 68), to Mildred L. Ambuhl, teacher of cookery, junior high, Patrick F. Gavin Junior High School, from Sept. 1, 1954, to Aug. 31, 1955, has been terminated to take effect June 2, 1955; and recommending that leave of absence without pay for maternity be granted, to take effect June 3, 1955, and to continue until terminated by the Superintendent with the approval of the School Committee, provided that such leave shall be for a period of at least three months after the date of birth and, provided further, that no such leave shall in any event exceed eighteen months.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the leave of absence was granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 27, 1955, recommending that leave of absence without pay for maternity be granted the following-named teachers, to take effect on the dates indicated and to continue until terminated by the Superintendent with the approval of the School Committee; provided that such leave shall be for a period of at least three months after the date of birth and provided further that no such leave shall in any event exceed eighteen months:

Mather District — Marie F. Wholley, teacher, elementary, June 7, 1955.

Department of Home Economics—Ann K. Whelan, teacher of cookery, junior high, June 13, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the leaves of absence without pay were granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 27, 1955, recommending that leave of absence without

pay, be granted the following-named teachers for the terms specified:

Dearborn District—Janis D. Guild, teacher, permanent substitute, Sept. 1, 1955 to Aug. 31, 1956.

Hart-Gaston-Perry District — Alice M. McGrath, teacher, elementary, Sept. 1, 1955 to Aug. 31, 1956.

Longfellow District—Marie T. Lee, teacher, elementary, Sept. 1, 1955 to Aug. 31, 1956.

Mather District — Marie F. Wholley, teacher, elementary, Oct. 31, 1954 to June 6, 1955.

Rice Franklin District—Phyllis M. MacNeil, teacher, elementary, Sept. 1, 1955 to Aug. 31, 1956; Dorothea E. Meloy, teacher, kindergarten, Feb. 17 to June 23, 1955.

Robert Treat Paine District—Dorothy M. O'Keefe, teacher, elementary, Sept. 1, 1955 to Aug. 31, 1956.

Roger Wolcott District—Helen A. Murray, teacher, elementary, Sept. 1, 1955 to Aug. 31, 1956.

Thomas Gardner District — Henry R. Keenan, submaster, Sept. 1, 1955 to Aug. 31, 1956.

Department of Home Economics—Ivy G. Beckles, teacher of sewing, elementary, Sept. 1, 1955 to Aug. 31, 1956; Ann K. Whelan, teacher of cookery, junior high, Sept. 13, 1954 to June 12, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the leaves of absence without pay were granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

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TRANSFERS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 27, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has made the following transfers of teachers to take effect Sept. 1, 1955:

Josephine J. Barra, teacher, elementary, Mather District, to the same position in the Martin District.

Helen L. Barry, assistant, Dorchester High School, to the same position in the Girls' Latin School.

John E. Bobula, master, High School of Commerce, to the same position in the Girls' High School.

Mary C. Butler, vice principal, Oliver Wendell Holmes Junior High School, to the same position in the Mary E. Curley Junior High School.

Mary L. Cummings, teacher, elementary, Bigelow District, to the same position in the Mather District..

Margaret Donigan Doherty, teacher, elementary, Roger Wolcott District, to the same position in the Thomas Gardner District.

William T. Cameron, master, High School of Commerce, to the same position in the South Boston High School.

John A. Dewire, teacher, elementary, Abraham Lincoln - Quincy District, to the same position in the Edward Everett District.

William F. Fleming, master, Boston Technical High School to the same position in the Brighton High School.

Dorothy Gouzoule, teacher, elementary, Dwight District, to the same position in the Martin District.

Natalie E. Lambert, teacher, elementary, Wendell Phillips District, to the same position in the Thomas Gardner District.

George B. Lynch, teacher, elementary, Michelangelo-Eliot-Hancock District, to the same position in the John A. Andrew District.

Janet L. Manning, assistant, special class, Oliver Wendell Holmes Junior High School, to the same position in the William E. Endicott District.

George F. McCarthy, master, High School of Commerce, to the same position in the Charlestown High School.

Kathleen T. Murphy, teacher, kindergarten, Mary Hemenway District, to the same position in the James J. Chittick District.

Anna T. McDonough, teacher, elementary, Dillaway District, to the same position in the James A. Garfield District.

John R. Mullen, teacher, junior high, Abraham Lincoln-Quincy District, to the same position in the Patrick T. Campbell Junior High School.

Laurence A. O'Brien, teacher, elementary, Emily A. Fifield-Gilbert Stuart District, to the same position in the Lowell District.

James J. O'Connor, teacher, junior high, Grover Cleveland Junior High School, to the same position in the Woodrow Wilson Junior High School.

William Ogrean, master, High School of Commerce, to the same position in the Jeremiah E. Burke High School for Girls.

Joseph N. O'Leary, guidance counselor, High School of Commerce, to the same position in the Boston Latin School.

Charles P. O'Neill, teacher, elementary, John Marshall District, to the same position in the Emily A. Fifield—Gilbert Stuart District.

David H. Reardon, teacher, junior high, Abraham Lincoln-Quincy District, to the same position in the William Howard Taft Junior High School.

Clarina A. Russo, teacher, elementary, Dearborn District to the same position in the Martin District.

Alfred B. Sullivan, master, High School of Commerce, to the same position in the Boston Latin School.

Marguerite Hollins Symonds, teacher, kindergarten, Dwight District, to the same position in the Henry L. Higginson District.

Louis E. Tobasky, teacher, elementary, Patrick F. Lyndon District, to the same position in the Roger Wolcott District.

Timothy M. Tully, head of department, High School of Commerce, to the same position in the Boston Latin School.

Lea Wolff, assistant, Roxbury Memorial High School (Girls) to the same position in the Girls' Latin School.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the transfers were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

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ASSIGNMENTS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 27, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has assigned the following - named teachers, as indicated, without change of rank or salary, to take effect Sept. 1, 1955, and to continue for the school year ending Aug. 31, 1956, unless earlier terminated by the Superintendent, with the approval of the School Committee:

Boston Latin School — Francis E Galline, master, to Instruction of Physically Handicapped Children; John J. Lynch, master, to Department of Practice and Training.

Boston Trade High School—Philip F. Mackey, senior assistant, to Boston Technical High School.

Dorchester High School—Alice M. Croke, assistant, to Girls' High School; Allan A. Sandberg, master, to Instruction of Physically Handicapped Children; Naomi R. Sylvestre, assistant, to Charlestown High School.

Girls' High School—Ruth E. Giblin, assistant, to Conservation of Eyesight Classes; Edith Campbell, assistant, to Girls' Latin School.

Jeremiah E. Burke High School for Girls—Alice Smith Reilly, assistant, to Conservation of Eyesight Classes.

Roxbury Memorial High School (Boys)—Francis J. O'Connor, master, to School Committee, for revision of Rules and Regulations; George M. Zimon, junior master, to Instruction of Physically Handicapped Children; Daniel F. O'Connell, head of department, to Dorchester High School.

South Boston High School—Mary C. Grandfield, assistant, to Instruction of Physically Handicapped Children.

Trade High School for Girls—Julia A. Barrett, senior assistant, to Jamaica Plain High School; Clara H. Franke, senior assistant, to Day School for Immigrants; Mary M. Giblin, head of department, to Department of Home Economics; Mary G. Gallagher,

trade assistant, to Brighton High School; Catherine M. Keegan, senior assistant, to Department of Home Economics; Elsie R. Gilbert, senior assistant, to Day School for Immigrants; Alma E. Leo, senior assistant, to Department of Home Economics; Kathleen M. Murphy, industrial instructor, to Department of Home Economics.

Bennett District—Mary E. D. Devereaux, vice principal, to the James A. Garfield District.

Christopher Gibson District—Catherine M. Hartnett, teacher, elementary, to Remedial Reading, Roxbury Memorial High School (Boys).

Clarence R. Edwards Junior High School—Yvonne N. Husbands, teacher, junior high, to Hyde-Everett District; James J. Zanor, teacher, junior high, to Boston Latin School.

Dudley District—Elsie R. Worgold, teacher, kindergarten, to elementary grade, same district.

Jefferson District — John B. Morris, teacher, elementary, to Boston Technical High School.

John A. Andrew District—John P. McEleney, submaster, to Instruction of Physically Handicapped Children.

Joseph H. Barnes Junior High School—Mary Crehan, teacher, junior high, physical education, to Horace Mann School for the Deaf; Ethel M. Cunningham, teacher, junior high, to John Winthrop District; Teresa Kelly Connor, teacher of cookery, junior high, to M. Gertrude Godvin School.

Lewis Junior High School — Catherine R. Smith, teacher, junior high, to Department of Practice and Training.

M. Gertrude Godvin School — Helen C. Godvin, teacher, junior high, to Department of Home Economics.

Mary E. Curley Junior High School—Marion R. Shea, teacher, junior high, to Conservation of Eyesight Classes; John S. Patten, teacher, junior high, physical education, to Boston Latin School.

Patrick F. Gavin Junior High School—Helen M. P. McCormack, teacher, junior high, to Conservation of Eyesight Classes; Bernard B. Pheeny, teacher, junior high, to Boston Latin School; Elizabeth J. Moynahan, teacher, junior high, to Patrick T. Campbell Junior High School.

Patrick T. Campbell Junior High School—Maurice Zeserson, teacher, junior high, to Department of Practice and Training.

Prince District—Irene M. Bennett, teacher, junior high, to Horace Mann School for the Deaf.

Rice-Franklin District—Francis G. Power, teacher, elementary to Charlestown High School.

Sherwin District—Mildred L. Houlihan, vice principal, special class, to William Blackstone Junior High School; Elizabeth J. King, assistant, special class, to follow-up work with mentally defective children; Harold E. Keay, submaster, special class, Sherwin District to submaster, Sherwin District; Arline D. A'Hearn, teacher, elementary to M. Gertrude Godvin School.

Solomon Lewenberg Junior High School—Rita A. Donovan, teacher of cookery, junior high, to Department of Home Economics.

Thomas Gardner District—Margaret M. Murnane, teacher, elementary, to Department of Practice and Training.

Washington Allston District—Virginia A. Kenny, teacher, elementary, to Horace Mann School for the Deaf.

William E. Russell District—Mary W. O'Maley, teacher, elementary, to the Department of Practice and Training.

William Lloyd Garrison District—Catherine E. Donovan, teacher, elementary to the Department of Practice and Training.

Department of Educational Investigation and Measurement—Elizabeth M. Laurie, research assistant, to the Division of Juvenile Adjustment; Louise E. McLaughlin, research assistant, to the Department of Vocational Guidance.

Department of Home Economics—Virginia M. Crehan, teacher of sewing, elementary, to the Jeremiah E. Burke High School for Girls.

Department of Industrial Arts —Frank P. Reichert, shop instructor, to Roslindale High School; William L. Hartnett, Americo B. Ventura, Joseph F. Walker, shop foremen, to Parkman School; Robert W. Bushlow, shop instructor, to Hyde Park High School.

Division of Juvenile Adjustment—William P. Gilligan, teacher of juvenile adjustment, to Jamaica Plain High School.

Instruction of Physically Handicapped Children—Mary H. Stroup, supervisor, to Day School for Immigrants, one-fifth time.

Department of Physical Education—Clare L. Ennice, assistant, high school, physical education, to the Jeremiah E. Burke High School for Girls; Josephine A. Cogan, assistant, high school, physical education, to Roxbury Memorial High School (Girls); Grace F. Johnson, assistant, high school, physical education, to Brighton High School.

Department of School Hygiene —Ruth A. Chapdelaine, school nurse, to assist Dr. James J. Regan, Ophthalmologist.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the assignments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 27, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has assigned the following-named person to serve as acting coordinator for the summer season of 1955:

Jamaica Plain High School—Thomas P. Dooley, Head of Department, Men.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the assignment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 27, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has assigned the following-named teachers for supervision of agricultural projects during the summer season of 1955:

Dennis M. Crowley, Edward J. Donaghy, John W. McGuckian, and Henry G. Wendler.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the assignments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 27, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has assigned the following-named teacher to serve as acting coordinator July 1, 1955 through Aug. 31, 1955, unless earlier terminated by the Superintendent, with the approval of the School Committee.

Brighton High School—Thomas M. Dowell, Co-operative Instructor.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the assignment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

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DESIGNATIONS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 27, 1955, reporting that he has made the following designations of teachers to serve in the positions indicated until such time as they shall be filled otherwise, in accordance with the rules and regulations, but not beyond Aug. 31, 1955:

Chapman District—Abigail H. Riordan, teacher, elementary, as acting vice principal (vice Mary B. Gleason, absent on leave), June 9, 1955.

Warren District—John J. Healey, teacher, elementary, as acting submaster (vice William F. Minihan, absent on leave), June 3, 1955.

Placed on file.

REPORT ON MARRIED TEACHER

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 27, 1955, reporting that in accordance with the provisions of Section 283 of the regulations, the following-named female teacher has reported that she was married on the date indicated:

Lowell District—Dorothea H. Clark, assistant, special class, married June 25, 1955, new name Dorothea H. McLaughlin.

Placed on file.

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VISUAL AND RADIO EDUCATION

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the following ranks are hereby established, to take effect Sept. 1, 1955:

Visual and Radio Education Master.

Junior Master.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

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SUMMER SERVICE SCHOOL PHYSICIANS AND SCHOOL NURSES

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the following school physicians be assigned to duty in the Fenway Summer Review High School, Dorchester Summer Review High School, Grover Cleveland Summer Review Junior High School, and the James P. Timilty Summer Review Junior High School, for the period June 27 to Aug. 12, 1955, inclusive, compensation to be at the established rate for temporary school physicians, namely, 10 dollars ($10) per day of service, and that no more than two physicians be employed on any day of the summer session:

Doctors Charles Korb, Albert Levine, Harry B. Levine, Joseph Laserson, Hyman Saphirstein, Benjamin Spelfogel, Warren N. Tilton, Maurice Fisher, and Basil E. Barton.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the Director of School Hygiene is hereby authorized to assign for intermittent temporary service in the Certificating Office during the periods July 5 to 22, inclusive, Aug. 8 to 23, inclusive, and Sept. 1 to 7, 1955, inclusive, the following-named school physicians:

Doctors Charles Silverstein, Kermit C. Rosen, and Irving L. Kushner (vice Dr. Carl F. Maraldi, absent on vacation), compensation to be at the rate established for temporary school physicians, namely ten dollars ($10) per day of service, and that no more than one physician be employed on any day.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the following-named school nurses be assigned to duty in the Fenway Summer Review High School, Dorchester Summer Review High School, Grover Cleveland Junior High Summer Review School, and James P. Timilty Junior High Summer Review School, for the period June 27 to Aug. 12, 1955, inclusive, compensation to be at the rate established, namely, eight dollars ($8.00) per session, no more than two nurses to be employed on any day of the summer session:

Mary Boyle, Helena Maloney, Nellie Blaisdell, and Janet Fitzgerald.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the Director of School Hygiene is hereby authorized to assign for intermittent temporary service in the Certificating Office, during the periods July 5 through July 22, Aug. 12 through Aug. 23, and Aug. 24 through Sept. 2, 1955, the following-named school nurses, compensation to be at the rate established for temporary school nurses, namely six dollars and fifty cents ($6.50) per session, and that only one nurse is to serve at a time:

Helen Machini, Mary King, and Janet Fitzgerald.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

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COURSES OF STUDY

The following was offered:

ORDERED That A Gunde for the Organization of Clothing Classes, Department of Home Economics, is hereby adopted, and that eight hundred (800) copies be printed as a school document.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the accompanying Course of Study in Home Economics — Elementary Clothing, Grades IV, V, and VI, is hereby adopted, and that eight hundred (800) copies be printed as a school document.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the accompanying Course of Study in Home Economics—Child Care, Grades IV, V and VI, is hereby adopted, and that eight hundred (800) copies be printed as a school document.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the Thomas Dwight School, Smith Street, Roxbury, be demolished and the site retained.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs .Lee, and Ward—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the Elihu Greenwood School, Metropolitan Avenue, Hyde Park, be demolished and the site retained.

On rall call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

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ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 27, 1955, submitting the 72nd annual report of the Superintendent of Schools.

The report covers the school year ending Aug. 31, 1954.

Placed on file.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That this Committee hereby adopts as its Annual Report for the year 1954, the Annual Report of the Superintendent.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

Chairman: I would like to ask this question, Mr. Superintendent, and perhaps you can enlighten the Committee as to the method of distributing this Annual Report. I have heard this school system undersold in many places in the Commonwealth. I would like to see that this Report gets to other cities and towns in the Commonwealth—to Superintendents of Schools elsewhere, and within the City, to those people who are editors, opinion-molders like editors of papers and so forth. Do you have such a plan?

Superintendent: Yes, I do, Madam Chairman. I will send them to editors, to the Chamber of Commerce, and to the libraries. I have picked out a large number of doctors, dentists, barbers and I am sending these to those particular spots.

In other words, I have selected two or three thousand spots where people come together and have a chance to sit down and read.

Chairman: I would just like to commend the Superintendent for the pictorial presentation which is excellent.

Mr. Ward: I agree with you. I want to go back just a few years. At that time the Superintendent's Annual Report was a booklet, just a small printed booklet. In my lifetime I never have met one person out of a thousand who ever picked it up and read it. This Annual Report really has something lively in it.

Chairman: May I, for the members, commend the Superintendent for presenting it in this form, and hope that he will distribute it as he has reported.

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BOUNDARY LINES

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the boundary lines of school districts are hereby amended to read as follows:

OLIVER WENDELL HOLMES JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL FOR BOYS AND GIRLS

Beginning at the junction of Blue Hill avenue and Ellington street; thence by the rear of the northeasterly side of Ellington street to and including 82 Ellington street, a straight line to and including 54 Fowler street, a straight line to Harlem street, the rear of the northerly side of Harlem street, Harlem street extended to the Midland Division of the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., the railroad, the rear of the easterly side of Washington street, a straight line from the junction of Washington and Vassar streets to Bullard street, the rear of the northerly side of Bullard street, the center of Bowdoin street, the rear of the westerly side of Greenbrier street, a straight line to Hooper street, the rear of the westerly side of Hooper street, Hooper street extended, the rears of the northerly side of Lyndhurst street, the easterly side of Washington street, the northerly side of Aspinwall road, the easterly side of Whitfield street, and the northerly side of Wheatland avenue, the Midland Division of the N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R. to a point opposite Callender street extended, Callender street extended, the rears of the northerly side of Callender street, the easterly side of Lyford street, the centers of Stratton street, and Blue Hill avenue to the point of beginning.

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ROBERT TREAT PAINE DISTRICT FOR BOYS AND GIRLS

Beginning at the corner of American Legion Highway and Blue Hill avenue; thence by the centers of Blue Hill avenue, Morton and Wellington Hill streets, the rears of the southerly side of Deering road, the westerly side of Harvard street, the centers of Morton street and American Legion Highway to the point of beginning.

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ROGER WOLCOTT DISTRICT FOR BOYS AND GIRLS

Beginning at the corner of Blue Hill and Talbot avenues, thence by the rears of the southerly side of Talbot avenue, the westerly side of Westview street, the southerly side of Tonset street, the westerly side of Bernard street, the Midland Division of the N.Y. N.H. & H. R. R. to a point opposite Capen street extended, Capen street extended, the rears of the westerly side of Capen street, the northerly side of Evans street, the westerly side of Nelson street, the southerly side of Selden street, the easterly side of Milton avenue, the northerly side of Fuller street, the center of Washington street, the rears of the southerly side of Gallivan boulevard, the easterly side of Pleasant Hill avenue, a straight line to Manchester street, the rear of the northerly side of Manchester street, a straight line to a point opposite Wooddale avenue, the center of Wooddale avenue to Delhi street, a straight line to the corner of Fessenden and Norfolk streets, the center of Fessenden street, the rears of the northeasterly sides of Wellington Hill and Ormond streets, the centers of Wellington Hill and Morton streets and Blue Hill avenue to the point of beginning.

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SOLOMON LEWENBERG JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL FOR BOYS AND GIRLS

Beginning at the Neponset River at the former boundary line between Hyde Park and Boston; thence by said line, the rear of the northwesterly side of Harvard street, the centers of Morton street, American Legion highway, Blue Hill avenue and Stratton street, the rears of the easterly side of Lyford street, the northerly side of Callender street, Callender street extended to the Midland Division of the N. Y., N. H. & H. R.R., the railroad to Capen street extended, the rear of the easterly side of Capen street, Capen street extended, the centers of Gallivan boulevard and Morton street, the rears of the southeasterly side of Owen street, the northeasterly side of Tiverton road and the southeasterly side of Glenhill road, a straight line to Gladeside avenue, a straight line in a southeasterly direction to the Neponset River to a point opposite Cedar street extended, thence by the Neponset River to the point of beginning.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward —4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Museo—1.

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LEAVE OF ABSENCE TO CUSTODIAN

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of June 27, 1955, recommending that leave of absence, without pay, for military service be granted George D. Kelly, junior building custodian, unassigned, to take effect on May 18, 1955, and to continue until otherwise ordered.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the leave of absence without pay was granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward —4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Museo—1.

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RESOLUTION

Mr. Ward offered the following resolution:

RESOLVED, That The School Committee of the City of Boston in meeting assembled expresses its deep sympathy in the sudden passing on June 27, 1955, of Harry Agganis, a sterling athlete and star first baseman of the Boston Red Sox, whose death is a great loss to the sports world; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Secretary be instructed to send a copy of this Resolution to his family.

On roll call the resolution was adopted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward —4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Museo—1.

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SINGLE SALARY SCHEDULE

A statement from Mr. Lee, condensing proposals made by him in discussion of the Budget last

spring—printed at the request of Mr. Lee with the consent of the Committee:

The "Single Salary Schedule" is neither single, a salary, nor a schedule.

It is not single. It is twenty-two dissimilar amounts of money, paid each year to different classroom teachers—quite aside from still other amounts paid to teachers with administrative duties.

It is not a salary. It is a collection of various salaries.

It is not a schedule. It is twelve different schedules.

You can no more call it a "Single Salary Schedule"—merely because it treats teachers in lower schools and teachers in higher schools alike—than you can say that a perambulator is the same thing as a locomotive because neither of them can climb trees.

Not only does the "Single Salary Schedule" call for one schedule of pay for those with a bachelor's degree of education, and another schedule of pay for those with a master's degree of education, but it affords still another schedule for the individual who starts steady teaching with a bachelor's degree and then gains a master's degree after his first year, and another schedule still for him who starts with a bachelor's degree and gains a master's degree after two years, and another schedule yet for the teacher who starts with a bachelor's degree and gains a master's degree after three years, and so forth.

Those teaching in our school system may experience any one of these twelve different schedules—if we are to follow a proposal made by the "Teachers' Alliance" in a plea to the School Committee entitled "Petition . . . for the completion of the $5500-$5900 Single Salary Schedule . . ." submitted on January 25, 1955.

The different teacher salaries embodied in this proposal by the Alliance are set forth in the following column.

$14 a day.
$16.67 a day (long-term "temporaries" at $3,000 a year).
$19.47 a day (when bachelors first appointed to steady work).
$20.70 a day.
$21.68 a day (when masters first appointed to steady work).
$21.93 a day.
$22.91 a day.
$23.17 a day.
$24.14 a day.
$24.40 a day.
$25.38 a day.
$25.63 a day.
$26.61 a day.
$26.87 a day.
$27.84 a day.
$28.10 a day.
$29.08 a day.
$29.33 a day.
$30.31 a day.
$30.60 a day (tops for bachelors).
$31.54 a day.
$32.80 a day (tops for masters).

It is clear, then, that the proposal before us is not for a single salary. Nor is it for a single salary schedule, or "single salary experience," to be shared by all alike in their teaching lives. It can, however, be descriptively, if obliquely, termed a "Wolladoo Salary Schedule."

For this "Single Salary Schedule"—or more properly "Wolladoo Salary Schedule"—does not care, in its many distinctions of salary, toward what subject of instruction the teacher is heading, nor toward what pupils, in high school or low school. But this salary schedule, in the various salaries accorded by it, wants to be perfectly sure where the teacher has been, when last a pupil himself. An instructor teaching first grade spelling, for instance—under this "Wolladoo Salary Schedule" that looks not where the teacher is going—would receive no more nor less than an instructor of 12th grade algebra. But the schedule does look backward to see whether either of these instructors had a master's or a bachelor's degree when he was a pupil, and pays them diverse amounts accordingly. In short, under the proposal placed before us by the Alliance, one teacher's pay is not to be differentiated from another's by virtue of degrees of teaching, but only by virtue of teaching degrees.

(It will be recalled that the Wolladoo bird flies backward because he does not care where he's going but wants to be perfectly sure where he's been).

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A Specialized World Ahead of Us

However, this is a specialized world. If citizens outside the school system persist in coming forward with many dollars to engage machinists and engineers to make American products, and if, then, our industrial courses, our trade courses, and our shop courses are left with few mechanical teachers—which is on the brink of happening today—one could hardly blame the School Committee for going out into the byways with an offer to men with mechanical ability larger than its offer to teachers with only academic abilities.

Surely, it takes more ability and preparation in a person to become a machine-tool designer than to become a lawyer or professor.

Indeed, it is pressing the free world into an unsubstantiated and impractical uniformity to expect that teachers of kindergarten, teachers of industrial courses, and teachers of Latin, all with their diverse backgrounds, will come forward in just the right numbers to meet our different numerical requirements for these dissimilar subjects—if we offer only the exact same number of dollars to each.

Where we need three times as many English teachers as bookkeeping teachers, why assume that the same payment will entreat just the right numbers of each into those different-sized fields?

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Feminine Teachers Unregimentable

Women teachers inject a special and unconformable factor into the multiple series of salaries called a "Single Salary Schedule" as well as into any biographically ascending salary series.

Most women get married in their 20's. The average marrying age for women today in the United States is twenty years and four months. Women teachers are not peculiar.

If the average woman teacher, then, gets married at least in her 20's, after four or five years of teaching, how can it be said that she has enjoyed the same salary experience as a man whose career is not interrupted by marriage?

Under the proposed "Single Salary Schedule," or under any other salary schedule arranged on yearly increments, it is almost impossible to equate the woman's salary experience with the man's.

Even if the lady teacher, marrying in her fifth year of teaching, comes back to teach after fifteen years—when her youngest child can go to school with her—she still does not share quite the same salary experience as the man: and certainly half of our teachers will not come back to teach when their family grows up.

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High School Salaries Already Reduced Under "Single Salary" Trend

In the respected efforts of the Alliance, so far, to leave some teachers with higher salaries than others, but not because one teaches in high school and another in lower school, it is noteworthy that those in our lower schools are today receiving a salary five per cent greater in buying power than twenty years ago—while those in our upper schools are receiving today a salary twenty-five per cent lower in buying power than twenty years ago.

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Recommendations

With these various circumstances in mind, it is my suggestion that those entering our teaching ranks in the lower schools come in upon an initial salary two or three rungs higher than the present minimun, but that their maximum salary in our lower schools be set no higher than at present. The lower schools, in short, would have a shorter range of salary increments than now. Such a higher starting salary for those entering our lower schools would turn the finest young women in our region toward teaching in our elementary schools. That the maximum salary attainable in our lower schols would be no

higher than now would hardly be a discouraging factor for young women who expect to get married long before they reach their maximums anyway.

On the other hand, maximum salaries in our upper schools, higher than those in our lower schools, would be a very favorable factor in turning young men toward teaching in our higher schools—since a high maximum is very much of a factor in the uninterrupted teaching careers of men.

The net result of such a salary establishment on our part would be to attract young women into our lower schools where they ought to be, and to attract young men into our upper schools, where they ought to be.

And salaries received in the young ladies' short career in lower schools before marriage, would be more nearly equal to the average salary received by men in their long career in the upper schools.

Should a young lady decide ahead of time never to give her hand in marriage, the door is still open for her to teach in our higher schools with their greater maximum. Or, if such a one still prefers to enter the elementary schools, she would partway make up, in her early high minimum, what she loses in her ultimate lower maximum.

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"Temporaries"

It goes without saying, in this, that teachers classed as "temporary" in either our lower or higher schools should receive more than their present $14 a day. Perhaps they should receive only 3 increments less than the minimum salary received by those appointed for life. That would mean $17 a day for "temporaries".

It is irrational to pay the 213 women over fifty years of age—many of whom have either bachelor's or master's degrees—now teaching in our schools year after year, only the present $14 a day, when other teachers of the same age are today receiving at least $27.40 and often $31.20—about twice as much.

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MA and AB Degrees Foist Needless Salary Rift.

It is also apparent that I would recommend no differences of salary between holders of bachelor of art's degrees and master of art's degrees.

As already stated, it is when shop teachers withdraw into industrial occupations outside of our schools that we rush forward with dollars to bring them back—in a greater offer than to other teachers, never mind who has a master's degree and who hasn't.

Or, again, if kindergarten teachers jumped into matrimony with particular rapidity, we wouldn't just close up our kindergartens. We would press a higher offer of dollars upon those who teach our kindergartens, irrespective of their holding a bachelor of art's or a master of art's degree.

If we want to make distinctions of salary between one teacher of arithmetic and another teacher of arithmetic working side by side with the same pupil ages, we can give more dollars to the good teacher and less to the bad, rather than more to the one whose background is supposed to make him good and less to the one whose background is supposed to leave him less good.

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Junior High Schools

In the foregoing, references to high schools or upper schools are meant to include junior high schools. This, then, would and does imply the receiving of larger salaries by junior high school teachers every year, until they reach the present 1955 maximum of high school teachers.

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The Committee adjourned.

Attest:

AGNES E. REYNOLDS
Secretary

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience during the period of roadway resurfacing, estimated to be thirty (30) days, vehicles are excluded from the following street, when and where official signs are in place, effective August 25, 1955:

Woodcliff Street, Roxbury.
From Blue Hill avenue to Dacia street.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway resurfacing, estimated to be fifteen (15) days, the following street is one way in the direction indicated, when and where official signs are in place, effective August 29, 1955:

Neponset Avenue, Dorchester.
From Neponset Circle to Adams street.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of repairs to the Congress Street Bridge, vehicles are excluded from the following street, from 8 A.M. to 4 P.M. on August 30, August 31, and September 1, 1955:

Congress Street, Boston Proper and South Boston.
From Dorchester avenue to Sleeper street.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

TYPEWRITER INSPECTOR AND TECHNICIAN, BOSTON PURCHASING DIVISION, PRINTING SECTION, ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, OCTOBER 29, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, October 10, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $63 a week; the maximum salary is $76.50 a week.

Vacancies: At present there are two vacancies for males, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: Under general supervision, to inspect typewriters in order to determine whether the condition of each machine warrants exchange, rebuilding, or minor repairs and to overhaul, service, rebuild or make minor repairs, as indicated; and to perform related work as required.

At present there are standard and electric Remington, standard, manual elite and portable Royal, standard and portable L. C. Smith, standard and portable Underwood, standard and electric Burroughs, standard and electric IBM, and standard Smith-Corona typewriters in use in the various departments of the City of Boston.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

ASSISTANT ELECTROCARDIOGRAPH TECHNICIAN, BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL AND SANATORIUM-HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, SEPTEMBER 24, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Tuesday, September 6, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $58 a week; the maximum salary is $70.50 a week.

Vacancies: At present there are two vacancies at Boston City Hospital for females, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: Under supervision to take and develop electrocardiograms; and to perform related work as required.

Examples of Duties: Taking tracings with standard and precordial leads on both photographic and direct writing machines; measuring and interpreting common electrocardiograph abnormalities; developing, stamping, and cutting electrocardiograph films; making minor repairs and adjustments to equipment; preparing simple reports of results of tests and entering them on records.

Subject and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

No. 152—701.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING STRUCTURAL TILE FOR THE PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Wednesday, September 14, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Structural Tile." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Sept. 3.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CONSULATES IN ARREARS ON TAXES.

New York City reports that 12 foreign countries are in arrears a total of $116,985 in real estate taxes on 27 properties, most of them bought within the last 15 years as consulates and headquarters for United Nations delegations.

Nearly all of the defaulting governments claim the right to city realty tax exemption under treaties and international doctrines, but the city has refused to waive its claims. Total assessed valuation is $5,324,000, with $720,000 exempt from tax. Finland, the Netherlands, and Israel have kept their real estate accounts paid up to date.

CITY OF BOSTON.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT (SANATORIUM DIVISION).

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR ALTERATIONS AND RENEWALS OF THE NURSES' CALL SYSTEM AND WALL RECEPTACLES IN THE "B" BUILDING AT THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL, SANATORIUM DIVISION, 249 RIVER STREET, MATTAPAN 26, MASS.

The City of Boston, by the Board of Trustees, Hospital Department, and of the Boston City Hospital, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for alterations and renewals of the nurses' call system and wall receptacles in the "B" Building at the Sanatorium Division of the Boston City Hospital, 249 River street, Mattapan 26, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Tuesday, September 20, 1955, at the office of the Assistant Superintendent, Sanatorium Division, 249 River street, Mattapan 26, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the office of the Assistant Superintendent. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed and enclosed in an envelope, sealed and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Assistant Superintendent, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $250, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the office of the Assistant Superintendent. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

Specifications may be obtained at the office of the Assistant Superintendent on or after 12 o'clock noon, Tuesday, September 6, 1955.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do.

The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all bids in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, AND OF THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL,
RICHARD J. CONDON,
President.
(Sept. 3.)

No. 148—397.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING COPPER TUBING FOR PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, WATER DIVISION.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Tuesday, September 13, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Copper Tubing." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.
(Sept. 3.)

No. 150—397.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING 500 ¾-INCH CURB COCKS FOR COPPER PIPE FOR THE WATER DIVISION.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Monday, September 12, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Curb Cocks." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.
(Sept. 3.)

No. 143—D.E.L.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING NINETEEN SAND SPREADERS AND ONE CRANE TO THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Thursday, September 15, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $200, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Sand Spreaders and Crane." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.
(Sept. 3.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

REAL PROPERTY BOARD.
PROPERTY DIVISION.

PUBLIC AUCTION.
SEPTEMBER 13, 1955, ON THE PREMISES.

	Upset Price.	Deposit.
9.30 A.M.—Vacant land, 83-83A and 85 Norfolk Avenue, adjacent 79 Norfolk Avenue, Roxbury, 3,956 square feet	$600	$500
9.45 A.M.—Vacant land, Mattapan Street, Lots 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, about 100 feet northerly from Mulvey Street, Dorchester, 19,864 square feet	750	500
10.00 A.M.—Vacant land, Brockton Street, Lot 1, and Cummins Highway, Lots 2 and 3, adjacent 6 Brockton Street, Dorchester, 17,512 square feet	1,000	500
10.15 A.M.—Vacant land, Rosewood Street, Lot 33, adjacent 88 Rosewood Street, Dorchester, 4,000 square feet	200	200
10.30 A.M.—Vacant land, Bradlee Street, Lot 3, and Safford Street, Lots 1 and 2, northwesterly corner Safford Street, Hyde Park, 13,250 square feet	300	300
10.45 A.M.—Vacant land, Dedham Street, Lot Y, adjacent 52 Dedham Street, Hyde Park, 3,150 square feet	100	100
10.50 A.M.—Vacant land, Dedham Street, northeasterly side, adjacent 12 Dedham Street, Hyde Park, 14,900 square feet	400	400
11.00 A.M.—Vacant land, Eliot Avenue, Lots 143, 144, 145, about 150 feet from River Street, Hyde Park, 17,460 squsre feet	300	300
11.15 A.M.—Vacant land, Grove Street, Lots 5, 6, 7, adjacent 175 Grove Street, West Roxbury, 8,273 square feet	300	300
11.30 A.M.—Vacant land, Riverview Street, Lots 17, 18, opposite 29 Riverview Street, West Roxbury, 10,551 square feet	400	400
11.45 A.M.—Vacant land, Veterans of Foreign Wars Parkway, Lot 16, northerly corner Amesbury Street, West Roxbury, 3,462 square feet	100	100
12.00 Noon—Vacant land, Meyer Street, Lot 57, opposite 31 Meyer Street, West Roxbury, 8,016 square feet	250	250

The Chairman reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

For further information call LA 3-5100, line 236.

HERMAN CARP, *Chairman.* JOHN J. McGRATH, *Auctioneer.*
(Sept. 3.)

No. 151—595.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING SNOWPLOW PARTS FOR CITY DEPARTMENTS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Wednesday, September 14, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Snowplow Parts." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.
(Sept. 3.)

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JOSHUA H. JONES, *Editor.*

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

SIDEWALK CONSTRUCTION WORK.

PROPOSALS FOR ARTIFICIAL STONE SIDEWALKS IN

Brahms Street, Ward 20, from Washington Street to Nikisch Avenue;
Knoll Street, Ward 20, from Walter Street to Centre Street;
Pelton Street, Ward 20, from West Roxbury Parkway to Park Street;
Roslindale Avenue, Ward 20, from Durnell Avenue to Averton Street;
South Street, Ward 20 (South Side), from 848 to 862 South Street;
Yorktown Street, Ward 20, from Potomac Street to La Grange Street;

— and —

Such Additional Locations, If Any, in Ward 20, As May Be Designated by the Commissioner of Public Works.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for artificial stone sidewalks in Brahms street, Ward 20, etc. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Artificial Stone Sidewalks in Brahms Street, Ward 20, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 1955, with a certified check for ELEVEN HUNDRED (1,100) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hali Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Sept. 3.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT (SANATORIUM DIVISION).

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR RESURFACING OF MAIN ROOF OF "B" BUILDING AND PASSAGEWAY ROOFS BETWEEN "A" AND "B" BUILDING, AT THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL, SANATORIUM DIVISION, 249 RIVER STREET, MATTAPAN 26, MASS.

The City of Boston, by the Board of Trustees, Hospital Department, and of the Boston City Hospital, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for resurfacing of main roof of "B" Building and passageway roofs between "A" and "B" Building, at the Sanatorium Division of the Boston City Hospital, 249 River street, Mattapan 26, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Wednesday, September 21, 1955, at the office of the Assistant Superintendent, Sanatorium Division, 249 River street, Mattapan 26, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the office of the Assistant Superintendent. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed and enclosed in an envelope, sealed, and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Assistant Superintendent, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $300, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the office of the Assistant Superintendent. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

Specifications may be obtained at the office of the Assistant Superintendent on or after 9 A.M., Tuesday, September 6, 1955.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do.

The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all bids in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

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RICHARD J. CONDON,
(Sept. 3.) *President.*

STATE-BOSTON, CHAPTER 90, HIGHWAY RECONSTRUCTION.

Sealed proposals for HIGHWAY WORK on Dorchester street (South Boston), will be received at Room 427, 100 Nashua street, Boston, Mass., until 2 P.M. of Tuesday, September 13, 1955, then to be publicly opened and read. Plans and proposal forms: $5, amount returnable only to bidders. Proposal guaranty: $4,000. Minimum wage and dump truck rates are set. Full information at above address; plans on display at district offices of State Department of Public Works. Right reserved to reject any or all proposals.

JOHN B. HYNES,
(Sept. 3.) *Mayor of Boston.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR REPAIRING AND PAINTING PARK BENCHES, BOSTON COMMON, BOSTON, MASS.

The Commissioner of Parks and Recreation of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, invites proposals for repairing and painting park benches, Boston Common, Boston, Mass. Forms of proposals must be obtained at the Engineer's office of the Parks and Recreation Department, 33 Beacon street. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed and marked "Proposal for Repairing and Painting Park Benches, Boston Common, Boston, Mass.," and left before 2 o'clock P.M. on Tuesday, September 13, 1955, at the office of the Parks and Recreation Department, with a certified check for $800, payable to and to be the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, and will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of 100 per cent of the estimated contract price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the Engineer's office of the Parks and Recreation Department. The successful bidder will be required to provide for public liability and property damage insurance and for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulations will be required prior to the award of said contract. The Commissioner reserves the right to reject any or all proposals.

FRANK R. KELLEY,
(Sept. 3.) *Commissioner.*

No. 153—392.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING FIRE ALARM CABLE FOR THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Friday, September 16, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Cable." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Sept. 3.) *Purchasing Agent.*

No. 149—397.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING ROCK SALT.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Friday, September 16, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Rock Salt." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

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Plans are under way for the transfer of the Printing Section of the Public Library to the City Printing Department. This is a move in the interest of economy aimed at effecting huge savings in man power, costs, and labor, according to the proposal of the Administrative Services Department. The letter to Mayor John B. Hynes announcing the plans and seeking his approval reads as follows:

CITY OF BOSTON,
ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES
DEPARTMENT,
August 15, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR:

Through the installation of addressograph-multilith equipment in the City

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MAYOR HYNES APPOINTS 60 LEADING CITIZENS TO SPONSOR PROGRAM OF PUBLIC EVENTS FEATURING 325TH ANNIVERSARY OF FOUNDING OF BOSTON ON SEPTEMBER 17.

Mayor John B. Hynes has announced the appointment of 60 citizens to serve as the sponsoring committee for the program of public events being arranged to observe the 325th anniversary of the Founding of Boston, on Saturday, September 17. The date also marks the anniversary of the adoption of the United States Constitution, the Founding of the Massachusetts Bay Colony, and the creation of the Massachusetts General Court.

Heading the committee is Harry J. Blake, well-known Boston wool merchant and civic leader. Other distinguished leaders on the committee are: Archbishop Richard J. Cushing; Bishop Norman B. Nash; Rabbi Joseph S. Shubow; Donald J. Hurley, president of the Boston Chamber of Commerce; Col. Harold P. MacLeod, commanding officer of the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company; Thomas C. Healey, president, Boston Central Labor Union; J. William

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VETERANS' SERVICES BENEFITS INCREASED $6,247.06 IN JULY OF THIS YEAR OVER THOSE OF THE SAME MONTH IN 1954, THE REPORT OF COMMISSIONER BYNOE SHOWS—1,592 CASES WERE AIDED, REPRESENTING A TOTAL OF 3,124 INDIVIDUALS —THERE WERE 147 CASES CLOSED.

Veterans' Services benefits increased $6,247.06 for July of this year over those of the same month in 1954. This is shown by the monthly statement submitted to Mayor John B. Hynes by Commissioner of Veterans' Services Victor C. Bynoe. There were 1,592 cases aided, representing a total of 3,124 individuals. There were 147 cases closed. The report to Mayor Hynes reads as follows:

BOSTON, August 23, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

SIR:

I have the honor to submit the report of the Veterans' Services Department for the month of July, 1955.

Very truly yours,

VICTOR C. BYNOE, *Commissioner.*

Expenditures for July, 1955.

	Civil War	Spanish War	Mexican War	World War I	World War II	Korean War	Totals
Regular Rolls	$212 20	$1,727 15	$298 00	$22,902 73	$46,996 20	$4,666 65	$76,802 93
Emergency	—	82 00	—	773 00	6,861 10	1,888 00	9,604 10
Bills	14 00	836 41	—	4,722 48	8,139 11	442 10	14,154 10
Burials	—	—	—	1,702 00	1,220 72	37 00	2,959 72
Hospital	240 00	2,245 00	—	10,253 00	8,655 00	3,390 00	24,783 00
Supplementary	—	—	—	764 76	3,254 31	1,032 30	5,051 37
Totals	$466 20	$4,890 56	$298 00	$41,117 97	$75,126 44	$11,456 05	$133,355 22

Relief Expenditures Comparison.

	July, 1955	June, 1955	July, 1954
Civil War	$212 20	$212 20	$197 20
Spanish	1,727 15	1,678 37	1,846 68
Mexican	298 00	347 00	347 00
World War I	22,902 73	24,154 23	21,446 58
World War II	46,996 20	51,032 03	42,823 45
Korean	4,666 65	4,957 50	2,517 00
Emergency	9,604 10	7,484 30	7,341 65
Burials	2,959 72	932 90	687 00
Bills	14,154 10	14,171 75	6,936 70
Hospital	24,783 00	17,159 00	36,067 00
Supplementary	5,051 37	3,314 98	6,897 90
Totals	$133,355 22	$125,444 26	$127,108 16

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"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean;
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.

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Advertising.

A rate of $4 per inch of 12 lines (set solid) has been established for such advertisements as under the law must be printed in the City Record. Advertising and other copy must be in hand by 5 P.M. Wednesday of each week to insure its publication in the Saturday issue.

MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, September 12, at 2 P.M.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries, or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the Complaints Division, Room 25, City Hall.

Information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways, the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments of streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped area for streets and the opening of private ways; the making of specific repairs in public streets; the naming of public streets, including the use of public ways for location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railways, coal holes, and vaults, may be secured from the Public Improvement Commission, Room 403, City Hall Annex.

To the BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION, 112 Southampton street, for information relative to regulation of vehicular street traffic on all or any streets, ways, highways, roads, and parkways under the control of the City of Boston, the issuing of all permits in connection therewith.

To the COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting, and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catchbasins, the operation of Sumner Tunnel, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges, and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

To the HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Haymarket Square, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish, and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughterhouses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases, of public health nuisances.

To the BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth Avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park, and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts, also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview, and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

To the SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

To the DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS, 28 Norman street, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

To the BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 907, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal, or tearing down buildings.

To the ELECTRICAL INSPECTION DIVISION OF THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT, 1001 City Hall Annex, for all information relative to the erection of poles, building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division; also for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings of the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

To the BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT, 43 City Hall, relative to changes in the boundary lines of zoning districts of the City of Boston as established by chapter 488 of the Acts of 1924, and amendments thereto.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending September 3, 1955.

Population as of July, 1950, Massachusetts State Census, 817,713; population estimated July, 1954, United States Census Bureau, 813,696; number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 111; nonresidents, 69; total, 180.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 15.25; nonresidents deducted, 10.31.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:

Last week, 15.25; corresponding week last year, 12.16.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 10; one year to four years, inclusive, 1; sixty years and over, 108. Total deaths: Male, 114; female, 66; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 149.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Sept. 3, 1955.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Sept. 4, 1954.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior Poliomyelitis	144	9	5	1
Diphtheria	—	—	2	—
Encephalitis Lethargica	—	—	—	—
Influenza	1	—	—	—
Measles	1	—	20	—
Meningitis Epidemic	—	—	—	—
Pneumonia (lobar)	—	—	—	2
Scarlet Fever	—	—	5	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary)	7	4	14	2
Childhood Type Tuberculosis	—	—	—	—
Tuberculosis (other forms)	—	—	1	—
Typhoid Fever	—	—	—	—
Whooping Cough	4	—	10	—

*Residents and nonresidents included.

MONTHLY REPORT OF VETERANS' SERVICES SHOWS INCREASE OVER SAME PERIOD IN 1954.

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Total Cases Aided.

	July, 1955	June, 1955	July, 1954
Civil War	5	5	5
Spanish	59	56	59
Mexican	5	5	5
World War I	533	573	534
World War II	880	884	823
Korean	110	103	61
Totals	1,592	1,626	1,487

Expenditures for veterans' benefits for July, 1955, show an increase of $6,247.06 in comparison with expenditures for the corresponding period of 1954.

The 1,592 cases aided during the month of July, 1955, represent a total of 3,124 individuals benefited through the financial facilities of the Veterans' Services Department.

There were 147 cases closed during the month of July, 1955, because of obtaining employment, having been awarded unemployment compensation, receiving social security, and becoming ineligible to receive financial assistance for miscellaneous other reasons.

Classification of Cases Aided During July, 1955.

	Civil War	Spanish War	Mexican War	World War I	World War II	Korean War
Unemployable veterans	0	2	1	209	265	37
Employable veterans	0	0	0	34	196	42
Wives	0	0	0	2	5	2
Widows	3	57	4	264	42	0
Children	2	0	0	6	19	1
Mothers	0	0	0	16	328	25
Fathers	0	0	0	2	25	3
	5	59	5	533	880	110

ORIGINAL APPLICATIONS.

Brought forward	76
Made during July	135
Granted	82
Rejected	31
Referred to other cities and towns	11
Investigations not completed	87

REAPPLICATIONS.

Brought forward	168
Made during July	90
Granted	160
Rejected	25
Referred to other cities and towns	5
Investigations not completed	68

During the month of July, 1955, the department collected $45.00 which represents refunds by former beneficiaries who were found to have drawn aid under circumstances which warranted its return to the City of Boston.

Very truly yours,
VICTOR C. BYNOE, *Commissioner.*

LIBRARY PRINTING SECTION TRANSFERRAL TO CITY PRINTING PLANT.

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Printing Plant, which will result in substantial reductions in the amount of time previously consumed in the printing of police and voting lists, this Board is of the opinion that the establishment of a new work program at the City Printing Plant to utilize efficiently the time saved in this one operation alone should include plans at the present time for the abandonment of the Printing Section at the Boston Public Library, and transfer of its operations to the City Printing Plant.

This proposed consolidation has been contemplated since August of last year after a survey was conducted by an expert on municipal printing operations whose findings were checked by employees of the Administrative Services Department, but definite action has been deferred until such time as the City Printing Plant's electrical power has been converted from direct to alternate current, and this is being accomplished at the present time. This conversion is mandatory because of the fact that all up to date, modern printing equipment requires AC current, including the addressograph-multilith equipment now being installed.

At the beginning of 1954, the present staff in the Printing Section of the Library Department consisted of five employees, and due to the retirement of three employees during the latter part of 1954, which vacancies were never filled because of the contemplated consolidation, only two members of the staff, one linotype operator and one cylinder pressman, remain, and it is proposed to transfer these two employees to the Printing Plant upon consolidation. It will be unnecessary to fill the positions caused by retirements in the event the consolidation is effected, as the Printing Plant has an ample supply of skilled help.

The operating costs of the Printing Section at the Library increased over 58 per cent in the 10 year period from 1945 through 1954; its present equipment is outmoded and worn out except for one press with an AC motor which can be transferred to the City Printing Plant; all other machine equipment has an average age of 35 years and its turn-in value is estimated in the vicinity of $1,000; lighting is poor; costs for paper stock are extremely high because of small lot purchases. To place this section in first-class condition would cost in the neighborhood of $100,000, requiring the purchase of three new typesetter machines, two new presses, new lighting equipment, and the acquisition of at least two additional employees.

To accomplish the consolidation proposed, it would require the transfer of two employees plus usable equipment which has an estimated value of $25,000. All other equipment would be turned in toward the planned purchase out of the Equipment Loan of a new Mergenthaler linotype machine to be installed in the Printing Plant. This purchase was proposed in connection with the over-all equipment replacement program of the Printing Plant, but nevertheless it will serve to handle not only the printing requirements of the Library Department but other departments as well.

From the standpoint of good administration and good business, I am summarizing herewith several reasons why the

Board believes this proposed consolidation should be effected at the earliest possible date:

1. It will eliminate a division whose work is a duplication of work now being performed by another division.

2. It will make unnecessary the filling of three positions at a savings of $14,625 annually.

3. It will centralize printing operations in an area consigned to such work.

4. It will decrease the costs of paper and other materials required through volume purchases.

5. It will relieve the Public Library of all accounting, record keeping, maintenance, personnel problems, purchasing, and other functions which attend the operation of a printing plant.

6. It will obviate the necessity of purchasing new equipment and renovating the Printing Section of the Library at a cost of approximately $100,000.

7. It will place at the disposal of the Public Library a shop staffed by a larger group of skilled and versatile craftsmen which is capable of producing many times the volume now possible in the Public Library Plant, even if it were fully staffed.

8. It will make available additional space for the Library to possibly expand its bindery operations which section at the present time is inadequate and poorly lighted.

Excessive costs at the City Printing Plant are due, without question, to non-productive time in the book composing and cylinder press rooms in the printing of police and voting lists.

The ideal and permanent solution would be to secure sufficient additional volume to increase the production hour percentage of the entire plant. We believe the consolidation of the Boston Public Library Printing Plant is a major step in this direction, since the character of the work is within the skill range of the City Printing Plant's personnel. As the volume of productive work rises, production costs will decrease, thereby making it possible for the Printing Plant to offer more attractive prices to city and county departments utilizing its services.

With your approval, the Board will suggest to the Library Trustees that steps be taken at an early date to abandon the Printing Section of the Boston Public Library and transfer its operations to the City Printing Plant as recommended.

Sincerely yours,

CHARLES J. FOX, *Chairman*,
JOHN A. SULLIVAN,
JOHN V. MORAN,
JAMES E. GILDEA,
JOSEPH P. LALLY.

LAWRENCE W. COSTELLO,
Administrative Secretary.

MAYOR APPOINTS COMMITTEE TO SPONSOR ANNIVERSARY OF FOUNDING OF CITY.

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Belanger, president, CIO Council; Brig. Gen. Vincent C. Breen; Henry J. Brides, president, State Federation of Labor.

All of the veterans' organizations as well as women's groups are also represented on the committee as are the schools by Superintendent of Schools, Dennis C. Haley; Supervisor of Parochial Schools, Rt. Rev. Timothy F. O'Leary; Retail Trade Board; Armed Forces, Senators Leverett Saltonstall and John F. Kennedy; Congressmen John W. McCormack, Laurence Curtis and Thomas P. O'Neill, Jr.

The celebrations will be the most elaborate held here in years. Some of the highlights already being arranged are: Unveiling of "Washington at Dorchester Heights," painting by Emanuel Leutze, presented recently to the city by public-spirited citizens; dedication of clock-controlled chimes at Faneuil Hall; late afternoon Retreat Parade on Boston Common; and a program of music at the Hatch Memorial Shell in the evening, followed by an hour's display of fireworks from barges in the near-by Charles River Basin.

Following is a list of the names of the committee:

Harry J. Blake, Chairman; Robert B. Choate, Davis Taylor, Thomas J. Carty, Godfrey L. Cabot, John Fox, Harold G. Kern, Erwin D. Canham, Alexander Brin, Henry L. Shattuck, J. Reed Morss, Robert Cutler, Lloyd D. Brace.

Daniel Bloomfield, W. S. Hathaway, Harvey J. Struthers, Wilmer C. Swartley, William F. Hurley, Mary K. Fitzgerald, Dennis C. Haley, Rt. Rev. Timothy F. O'Leary, Thomas G. Dignan, Stephen E. McCloskey, Col. Harold P. MacLeod.

Henry J. Brides, Albert Schlossberg, Allen Davidson, Harry W. Besse, Mrs. Norman Pierce, J. E. Harrell, Earl H. Eacker, Walter E. Borden, Rear Admiral John A. Snackenberg, Col. Walter C. Heinel, Col. Ralph M. King, Maj. Gen. Raymond C. Maude.

Rear Admiral Roy L. Raney, Most Rev. Richard J. Cushing, Edward L. Bigelow, Rev. Robert G. Metters, Richard P. Chapman, Alan R. Morse, Norman Knight, William B. McGrath, Anthony Florentine, Robert T. Rhodes, Gen. Vincent C. Breen, Gabriel Olga, John P. Swift.

Leo F. Caisse, J. William Belanger, Joseph Salerno, Thomas C. Healey, Judge David B. Williams, Kenneth J. Kelley, Donald J. Hurley, Roy E. Connor, Rt. Rev. Norman B. Nash, Very Rev. Charles H. Buck, Jr., Mrs. Frank Ludwick.

Rabbi Joseph S. Shubow, Charles J. Giacobbe, George A. McDonald, Lloyd B. Carswell, Hon. James M. Curley, Rabbi Israel J. Kazis, Mrs. William Arthur Reilly, Roy W. Reimer, Maj. Gen. William H. Harrison, Jr., Howard C. Nason, John Englert, Herbert S. Evans, Congressman Laurence Curtis, Congressman John W. McCormack.

Congressman Thomas P. O'Neill, Jr., Senator Leverett Saltonstall, Senator John F. Kennedy, Herbert J. Taber, Dr. James J. Regan.

RETIREMENT BOARD REPORT.

To the Auditor.

At meetings of the Boston Retirement Board, held on the following dates, August 3 and August 15, 1955, the retirement from active service of the following-named employees under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 32, as amended, was approved to become effective at the close of business, August 31, 1955, except where otherwise indicated:

AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

Henry J. Creutz, senior accountant.

BOSTON HOUSING AUTHORITY.

Francis E. Kelleher, maintenance man.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Cleveland W. DeRoche, ladderman
David L. Hoelen, hoseman.
Olof T. Svenson, firefighter.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Lillian T. Barrett, nurse.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Catherine Fitzmaurice, house cleaner (effective December 7, 1954).
Margaret M. Fitzgerald, cleaner.
Margaret C. Lawless, medical librarian (effective July 26, 1955).
Catherine E. Pender, nurse.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Alice B. Kelley, matron.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Thomas F. Allen, detective.
Joseph W. Quinn, patrolman.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Michael J. Collins, tollman guard.

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT.

Josephine McCarthy, assistant.
Arthur H. Nelson, instructor.
John D. Shore, master.
Josephine Wentworth, assistant.

VETERANS' SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Mary E. Fontaine, registrar.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

COURT HOUSE.

John J. Ryan, elevatorman.

Attest:

PAUL L. CARTY.
Executive Officer.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following request:

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

For the week ending August 3:
Thomas H. Conlin, 34½ hours at $3 an hour; Daniel J. Fitzgerald, Joseph B. Smith, John J. E. Adams, 16 hours each at $3 an hour.

FIRE DEPRTMENT.

General Foreman of Fire Department Maintenance James W. Marley, 30 hours at $3 an hour.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Harry L. McGuire, tree maintenance foreman, 8 hours at $3 an hour; William E. Collins, general foreman, park maintenance, 14 hours at $3 an hour; Harry Damigella, junior civil engineer, 48 hours at $2 an hour; Daniel A. Cocuzzo, junior civil engineer, 12 hours at $2.09 an hour; Thomas Roberto, golf course foreman, 30 hours at $3 an hour; Patrick J. Burke, collector, 30 hours at $3 an hour; Dennis N. O'Leary, principal clerk, 30 hours at $3 an hour; John W. Hardiman, supervisor, recreation equipment, 13 hours at $3 an hour.

Cemetery Division.

Edwin W. Banks, foreman, Evergreen Cemetery, 41 hours at $2 an hour.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following personnel changes:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

The reinstatement of George F. Cronin, 73 Birchwood street, West Roxbury, as permanent assistant assessor (part time) at $306.68 a month, has been approved.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

For the week ending August 23:

The following weekly nurses have been appointed:

Permanent.—Elizabeth Glynn, 79 Belmont street, Everett, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour; Armentry Jones, 232 Broadway, Cambridge, floor nurse, $1.70 an hour.

Temporary.—Frances Knight, 2062 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, floor nurse, $1.70 an hour; Emma Foster, 7 Roberts street, Somerville, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour; Helen Sheehan, Turnpike street, Canton, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Marguerite McLaughlin, 55 Medford street, Malden, E. Maud Pickering, 12 Emmet street, South Boston, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour.

The following doctors have been appointed:

Pasquale A. Penta, senior assistant resident, Surgical III, $132 a month; Howard Levitin, resident, Diabetic, $162 a month; Donald Wexler, chief resident, Psychiatry, $202 a month.

South Division.

The following permanent employees have been appointed:

Albert L. Burke, 233 West Newton street, hospital house worker, $43 a week; Eileen T. Donahue, 26 Spring Garden street, Dorchester, floor nurse, $60.50 a week.

The following temporary employees have been appointed:

Mary J. Brennan, 51 Clinton street, Newton, Stephanie Coffey, 231 Washington street, Arlington, Jane F. O'Donnell, 936 East Broadway, South Boston, Mary T. Shaughnessy, 111 Overland road, Waltham, floor nurses, $1 an hour; Anne Davis, McLean Hospital, Waverly, Robert Robertson, McLean Hospital, Waverly, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour; Rita E. Bradley, 202 Hampden street, Roxbury, Ann J. Kittredge, 85 Tower street, Jamaica Plain, Pelagia Smallcomb, 46 L street, South Boston, hospital medical workers, $43 a week.

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Marie Crowley, 18 Laite road, Wilmington, 5 days; Alice Driscoll, 309 Allston street, Brighton, 3 days; Veronica McElligott, 34 Dickinson street, Somerville, 7 days; Margaret Nolan, 14 Dix street, Dorchester, 2 days; Jean E. O'Connell, 1734A Commonwealth avenue, 4 days.

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Temporary.—Anne Heaney, 570 Marrett road, Lexington, Helen Joyce, 439 Trapelo road, Belmont, Claire A. MacLeod, 379 Washington street, Islington, Nancy Murray, 76 Commonwealth avenue, Mary Rowe, Bedford road, Concord, Anna Seminatore, 43 Neptune

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 6.

GAS FITTER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
J. Sullivan	169 A street	6	New appliances	$100
C. McGregor	459 Beacon street	5	New appliances	25
P. Gulesian	31 Cleveland street	18	New appliances	200
J. Thoms	16 Colchester street	18	New appliances	25
J. Amico	236 Congress street	3	New appliances	55
A. Onessimo	554 Dorchester avenue	7	New appliances	50
R. Simon	873 East Fourth street	6	New appliances	36
J. Vogel	1 Exeter street	5	New appliances	20
J. Vogel	5 Fairfield street	5	New appliances	18
H. Hinckley	17 High street	15	New appliances	75
P. Gulesian	1840 Hyde Park avenue	18	New appliances	500
J. Amico	193 Lexington street	1	New appliances	30
E. Pascucci	182 Leyden street	1	New appliances	8
E. Pascucci	10 McKay place	1	New appliances	25
J. Vogel	159 Newbury street	5	New appliances	50
E. Duggan	267 Newbury street	5	New appliances	20
P. Gulesian	1527 River street	18	New appliances	300
E. Ardini	115 Salem street	3	New appliances	100
J. Pirozzi	1A Staniford place	3	New appliances	15
E. Ardini	39 Stillman street	3	New appliances	12
E. Pascucci	317 Sumner street	1	New appliances	15
E. Ardini	25 Tileston street	3	New appliances	80
F. Odenweller	80 West Third street	6	New appliances	50
E. Pascucci	75 White street	1	New appliances	15
E. Ardini	9 Worcester square	8	New appliances	175
P. Kennedy	105 Beacon street	5	New appliances	100
H. Sellon	202 Bunker Hill street	2	New appliances	35
J. Esterhill	43A Carruth street	16	New appliances	200
P. Kennedy	34 Cedar Lane Way	5	New appliances	100
G. Vallati	17 Cheverus road	18	New appliances	200
E. Dorr	32 Colberg avenue	20	New appliances	25
D. O'Neill	1481 Columbus avenue	11	New appliances	60
P. Kennedy	57 Corning street	5	New appliances	100
P. Kennedy	71 Dover street	3	New appliances	100
B. Clancy	48 Fayette street	5	New appliances	150
R. Murray	332 Hanover street	3	New appliances	100
P. Kennedy	77 Hudson street	3	New appliances	100
P. Kennedy	7 Johnny court	3	New appliances	100
D. O'Neill	3 Kemble place	6	New appliances	10
R. Strum	5 Lamartine place	19	New appliances	150
R. Murray	22 Moon street	3	New appliances	185
E. Dorr	Murray Hill road	19	New appliances	20
W. Kocen	11 Nottingham street	14	New appliances	500
J. Holland	125 Parker Hill avenue	10	New appliances	150
D. O'Neill	97 Robey street	8	New appliances	75
E. Dorr	32 Rockview street	19	New appliances	10
P. Kennedy	75 Shawmut avenue	5	New appliances	100
P. Kennedy	301 Shawmut avenue	5	New appliances	100
E. Dorr	55 Tower street	11	New appliances	15
P. Kennedy	128 Union Park street	3	New appliances	100
P. Kennedy	128 Union Park street	3	New appliances	100
I. Gerson	8 Ballou avenue	14	New appliances	100
F. Carlson	70 Cabot street	9	New appliances	50
A. Stahly	1845 Dorchester avenue	16	New appliances	10
P. Gulesian	28 Farrar avenue	18	New appliances	300
R. Strum	5 Lamartine place	19	New appliances	600
V. Bernotas	8 Mitchell street	7	New appliances	100
A. Stahly	33 Moultrie street	17	New appliances	8
P. Gulesian	92 Radcliffe road	18	New appliances	300
T. Matthews	54 Ridgewood street	15	New appliances	100
L. Luxton	16 Speedwell street	15	New appliances	65
W. Foster	194 Sydney street	13	New appliances	125
A. Stahly	17 Taft street	13	New appliances	65
S. Fox	59 Temple place	3	New appliances	150
A. Granara	21 Tileston street	3	New appliances	30
O. Morlock	3306 Washington street	11	New appliances	10
P. Janis	3512 Washington street	11	New appliances	70
A. Granara	8 Wiget street	3	New appliances	12
J. Egan	96 Windsor street	9	New appliances	40
G. Trethewey	75 Bateman street	18	New appliances	75
N. Clark	43 Bayard street	22	New appliances	15
E. O'Farrell	65 Chestnut Hill avenue	21	New appliances	100
G. Trethewey	27 Cotton street	20	New appliances	275
S. Kramer	619 East Broadway	6	New appliances	55
D. Rull	558 East Fifth street	6	New appliances	75
W. DiLorenzo	46 Everett street	1	New appliances	20
N. Clark	117 Gladstone street, rear	1	New appliances	15
N. Clark	238 Maple street	20	New appliances	300
F. Rull	172½ N street	7	New appliances	65
E. Mogel	14 Noanet street	3	New appliances	18
E. Mogel	11 Oxford place	3	New appliances	18
N. Clark	100 Paul Gore street	19	New appliances	400
B. Weiner	46 Peterboro street	5	New appliances	25
L. Blakney	98 Roslindale avenue	20	New appliances	300
E. Mogel	38 St. Botolph street	4	New appliances	16
J. Egan	651 Shawmut avenue	9	New appliances	30
N. Clark	34 Swallow street	6	New appliances	400
E. Mogel	107 Union Park street	8	New appliances	85
N. Clark	26 Wakullah street	12	New appliances	400
E. Mogel	244 West Newton street	4	New appliances	16

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 6.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Fred Ferris	280 Broadway	3	Alterations, garage	$2,860
Edward Anderson	Gardner place	20	Alterations, garage	975
James Bjornston	28 Gould street	20	Dwelling	8,000
Lying-in Hospital	221 Longwood avenue	4	Alterations, hospital	498,000
Louis Pisinda	148 North Beacon street	22	Storage	11,000
Ralph Pace	19 Archdale road	19	Alterations, dwelling	737
Joseph Donovan	166 Bellevue street	20	Alterations, dwelling	400
N. Golia	236 Bennington street	1	Alterations, dwelling	150
E. F. Moran	664 Bennington street	1	Alterations, dwelling	500
Alexander Farrow	20 Blanche street	16	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
St. Mark's Church	71 Columbia road	14	Alterations, church	900
Walter Ahern	860 East Fourth street	6	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Thomas Nolan	860 East Fourth street	6	Alterations, dwelling	80
Isadore McVinney	126 Highland street	18	Alterations, garage	75
Wilfred Toughy	125 Linden Park street	10	Alterations, dwelling	195
Mary Bigosian	337 Meridian street	1	Alterations, dwelling, store	50
Joseph Sapienza	395 Norfolk street	17	Alterations, dwelling, store	177
William Kahn	6 Parkwood terrace	10	Alterations, dwelling	190
Frank Chimi	17 Peverell street	13	Alterations, dwelling	400
Marion Foster	93 Stoughton street	13	Alterations, dwelling, store	100
Albert Steffens	1210 Veterans of Foreign Wars Parkway	20	Alterations, sales	875
Kali Kaolara	26 West Broadway	6	Alterations, dwelling, store	500
Thomas Walsh	59 Westminster street	11	Alterations, dwelling	90
Lilly Construction Company	110 Western avenue	22	Excavate	100
Thomas Manning	11 Whiteoak road	20	Alterations, dwelling	500
Abraham Cohen	9 Willowwood street	14	Alterations, dwelling	400
Harry Levine	103 Wilmington avenue	17	Alterations, dwelling	285
Arthur McKeagus	20 Beethoven street	11	Alterations, dwelling	390
Robert Cubell	26 Chandler street	5	Alterations, hotel	200
William Huppeler	15 Conry Crescent	19	Alterations, wading pool	100
Melvin Leary	47 Donnybrook road	22	Alterations, dwelling	900
Robert Johnson	16 Fairmount avenue	17	Alterations, dwelling	100
General Building Trust	75 Federal street	3	Alterations, bank	500
General Building Trust	75 Federal street	3	Alterations, bank	25,000
DeMatteo Construction Co.	Rear 260 Gardner street	20	Take-down	1,000
Mae Rubin	14 Gibson street	16	Alterations, dwelling	80
O. G. Ross	72 Huntington avenue	4	Alterations, dwelling, store	75
Mrs. Smith	9 Miami avenue	20	Alterations, dwelling	300
Antonio DeFianza	255 Princeton street	1	Alterations, dwelling	200
Estate of William Lipisky	77 Salem street	3	Alterations, dwelling, store	500
Christopher Forrest	175 Sycamore street	19	Alterations, dwelling	180
Fred Spetrini	58 Sydney street	13	Alterations, dwelling	200
Herbert Cole	204 Temple street	20	Alterations, dwelling	240
Lee Graham	34 Tremont street	2	Alterations, dwelling	300
Hammond Stationery Company	1293 Tremont street	9	Alterations, store	1,000
Mathew Karalsyk	23 Woodward street	7	Alterations, dwelling	990
John Curley	28 Woodward street	7	Alterations, dwelling	890
P. DeSimone	19 Wordsworth street	1	Alterations, dwelling	100
Boylston Cong. Church	187 Amory street	11	Alterations, church	750
Hearthston Insurance Company	395 Commonwealth avenue	5	Alterations, offices	900
W. E. Williams	32 Concord street	2	Alterations, dwelling	340
Theresa Jones	9 Culbert street	18	Alterations, dwelling	450
C. Daley	218 Hancock street	18	Alterations, dwelling	135
Harold Burnialtis	20 Huntington avenue	4	Alterations, dwelling, stores	545
William Razeto	56 Hyde Park avenue	19	Alterations, dwelling	325
Frank Gargiuld	14 Kennebec street	18	Alterations, dwelling	400
William Graham	23 Lane park	22	Alterations, dwelling	650
Camillo Salerno	87 London street	1	Alterations, dwelling	330
Rocco DeRose	106 Marion street	1	Alterations, dwelling	577
Andrew Garrity	899 Massachusetts avenue	8	Excavate, diner	100
Saul Casler	929 and 931 Massachusetts avenue	8	Alterations, storage	289
Mary Manley	33 Percival street	15	Alterations, dwelling	990
Percy Dodd	579 Poplar street	18	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
John J. O'Mara	7 Rockingham road	18	Alterations, dwelling	172
Mary Cusato	68 Robert street	20	Alterations, dwelling	800
William Hart	16 St. Andrew road	1	Alterations, dwelling	750
Joe Licci	115 Salem street	3	Alterations, dwelling, cafe	350
Alfred DiPesio	1 Seymour street	19	Alterations, dwelling	980
Sophie Goldblatt	65 Southern avenue	17	Alterations, dwelling	225
Jacob Holzman	89 Willowwood street	14	Alterations, dwelling	1,850
John Doherty	22 Arcola street	10	Alterations, dwelling	960
John McDermott	36 Arlington street	22	Alterations, dwelling	800
Edmund Toomey	28 Atkins street	22	Alterations, dwelling	800
Katherine Griswold	8 Bickford avenue	10	Alterations, dwelling	175
Mr. Babin	Boxford terrace	20	Alterations, dwelling	600
R. Cushing	615 Cambridge street	22	Alterations, school	1,000
Georgea Guild	63 Chestnut street	5	Alterations, dwelling, store	920
John Downey	60 G street	6	Alterations, dwelling	500
Jack Tanenholtz	122 Englewood avenue	21	Alterations, dwelling	265
John McLaughlin	33 Fairmount street	17	Alterations, dwelling	450
Samuel Litman	103 Howard avenue	13	Alterations, dwelling	500
Mary Kelley	63 Richfield street	15	Alterations, dwelling	675
Charles Capobianco	209 Salem street	3	Alterations, dwelling	600
Parkman Realty	77 Summer street	3	Alterations, store, offices	975
Sodys F. Cline	1797-1803 Washington street	9	Alterations, store	975
Lauro Tesorero	85 Westglow street	16	Alterations, dwelling	515
Mr. Horsack	1583 Blue Hill avenue	18	Alterations, store	980
John Reilly	244 Brighton avenue	21	Alterations, dwelling	120
Yankee Network	21 Brookline avenue	5	Alterations, studio, office	900
Maurice Gordon	15-17 Dilworth street	9	Alterations, dwelling	900
Elizabeth Scott	25 Elene street	18	Alterations, dwelling	125
Property Management Corp.	75 Federal street	3	Alterations, offices	600
Columbian National, Inc.	89-93 Franklin street	3	Alterations, offices	5,000
Marion Realty Company	120 Lincoln street	3	Alterations, office store	800
Francis Avola	54 Marion street	1	Alterations, dwelling	950
Stephen Connolly	39 Myrtlebank avenue	16	Alterations, dwelling	432
John Harrington	10 Orchard street	19	Alterations, dwelling	210
Estate of Mrs. Harrison	27 Saley street	2	Alterations, dwelling	50
State Properti s	15-17 State street	3	Alterations, office, store	1,000
Camille Chiani	318 Sumner street	1	Alterations, dwelling, store	250
St. Mary's Church	28 Thacher street	3	Alterations, church	1,000

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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street, Lynn, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour; Alfred Frazier, 124 Malden street, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; Helena Grand-Maison, 7 Summer street, Charlestown, hospital laundry worker, $43 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

The following resignations have been approved:

Paul M. Donovan, John Emerson, Lawrence Roche, hospital medical workers, provisional; Clarence H. Sears, hospital medical worker; Frank O'Hara, hospital kitchen worker, provisional; Arthur J. Morrow, hospital house worker, provisional.

Long Island Division.

The following changes have been made for the week ending August 31:

Terminations.—Wilbert S. Aranow, intern, temporary; Joseph F. Budvits, hospital house worker, emergency; John J. Donovan, Jr., painter's helper, emergency; Redmond J. Loftus, Elizabeth M. Travers, hospital laundry workers; Dorothy H. Joyce, student practical nurse.

Cancellations.—John F. Hannon, Peter L. McHugh, hospital kitchen workers,

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Appointments or Reinstatements.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Printing Section.

Frederick L. Masucci, 47 Joy street, compositor apprentice, $77 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Bernard J. Frim, 4 Vinal street, Brighton, public health dentist, $80 a week.

Joseph M. Dailey, 52 Lyndhurst street, Dorchester, public health dentist, $80 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

William A. Sullivan, 1 Tobin court, Roxbury, electrician, $65.50 a week.

William F. O'Keefe, 256 Bennington street, East Boston, hospital laundry worker, $43 a week.

Kenneth W. Taber, 52 Greenwich street, Dorchester, hospital laundry worker, $43 a week.

Charles A. Coleman, 17 Round Hill street, Jamaica Plain, hospital laundry worker, $43 a week.

Robert L. Kelsey, 198 Walnut avenue, Roxbury, hospital laundry worker, $43 a week.

Anne M. Belair, 97 Horadan Way, Roxbury, clerk and typist, $48 a week.

Maureen D. McGah, 8 Albion place, Charlestown, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Nathan Glover, M.D., 200 Harrison avenue, assistant anesthetist, $12,000 a year.

Mildred L. Moore, 68 Annunciation road, Roxbury, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

Wilbur Jones, 15 North Russell street, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Mary Ann Falvey, 1626 Columbia road, South Boston, medical social worker, $65.50 a week.

Frank R. Thompson, 596 Adams street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Long Island Division.

Dorothy H. Joyce, Long Island Hospital, licensed practical nurse, $53 a week.

Arlene Blackwell, 3 Emerson street, East Weymouth, laboratory technician, $58 a week.

Claire F. Rowen, 485 Commonwealth avenue, laboratory technician, $58 a week.

Alfred Zannini, 64 Conant road, Quincy, X-Ray technician, $45.50 a week.

Leo F. Sweeney, 16 Cordis street, Charlestown, senior Long Island hospital guard, $73 a week.

Archie Ellis, 25 North Anderson street, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

Sadie Hurley, 27 Ingleside street, Roxbury, hospital laundry worker, $43 a week.

Changes in Status.

AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

Timothy F. Coffey, 15 Burrwood road, West Roxbury, from principal accountant (temporary) at $103.50 a week to principal accountant at $103.50 a week.

John J. Hartin, Jr., 180 O'Callaghan Way, South Boston, from senior accountant (temporary) at $90.50 a week to senior accountant at $90.50 a week.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

John W. Travers, 11 Lauriat street, Dorchester, from parking meter maintenance man at $65.50 a week to parking meter repairman at $68 a week.

Terrence D. O'Connor, 15 Burnside avenue, West Roxbury, from parking meter maintenance man at $65.50 a week to parking meter repairman at $68 a week.

Henry C. Clark, Jr., 221 Cabot street, Roxbury, from traffic sign maintenance man at $63 a week to parking meter maintenance man at $65.50 a week.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Albert V. Dimino, 149 Warren street, Roxbury, from fire fighter at $77.58 a week to fire lieutenant at $89.46 a week.

John C. T. Hawe, 5 Corona street, Dorchester, from fire lieutenant at $93.48 a week to fire captain at $105.55 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Jacob J. Boyajian, 332 Tremont street, from pharmacist at $80 a week to head pharmacist (temporary, six months) at $83.50 a week.

Evelyn J. Russell, 57 Dix street, Dorchester, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior clerk and typist at $55.50 a week.

William Riordan, 47 Brook avenue, Roxbury, from hospital house worker at $53 a week to senior hospital house worker at $55.50 a week.

Long Island Division.

Bernard J. Bannon, 15 Weston place, Roxbury, from hospital kitchen worker at $45.50 a week to hospital house worker at $45.50 a week.

Edward Wood, 115 Peterborough street, from senior hospital medical worker at $60.50 a week to principal hospital medical worker at $63 a week.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM PLUMBING FOR THE WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 6.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
P. Russo	1119 Adams street	17	Fixtures	$190
E. Dorr	32 Colberg avenue	20	Fixtures	250
B. Gold	9 David road	19	Fixtures	1,000
E. Dorr	19 Murray Hill road	19	Fixtures	200
W. Kocen	11 Nottingham street	14	Fixtures	975
T. Young	20 Popes Hill street	16	Fixtures	200
E. Dorr	32 Rockview street	19	Fixtures	200
T. Matthews	26 Rosemont street	16	Fixtures	100
E. Dorr	55 Tower street	11	Fixtures	145
T. Matthews	149 Charles street	5	Fixtures	100
A. Kellem	17 Imrie road	21	Fixtures	1,500
R. Strum	5 Lamartine place	19	Fixtures	150
L. Miller	49 Melcher street	6	Fixtures	100
A. Stahly	17 Taft street	13	Fixtures	65
I. Gerson	148 West street	18	Fixtures	100
L. Mahoney	657 Atlantic avenue	3	Fixtures	8,000
S. Lucido	77 Hilburn street	18	Fixtures	65
E. Farrell	46 Magnolia street	13	Fixtures	100
J. Curran	14 Maxfield street	20	Fixtures	100
B. Mullen	Neponset Circle	16	Fixtures	100
S. Slavet	25 Nevada street	17	Fixtures	800
S. Slavet	29 Nevada street	17	Fixtures	800
D. Gould	25 Woodbine street	12	Fixtures	500
L. Mahoney	25 Williams street	11	Fixtures	900

Promotions.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Purchasing Division.

Michael A. DeSimone, 137 Whitford street, Roslindale, from legal assistant at $87 a week to senior legal assistant (temporary) at $94 a week.

Step-Rate Increases.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

George Fleming, maintenance man, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

William Rooney, traffic sign maintenance man, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Marion Keenan, clerk and typist, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

William Bugey, assistant anesthetist, from $10,500 to $12,000 a year.

Arthur E. Ogden, assistant anesthetist, from $11,000 to $12,000 a year.

Harry R. Frobberg, assistant anesthetist, from $10,500 to $12,000 a year.

Sanatorium Division.

Mary Flynn, head nurse, from $83.50 to $87 a week.

Mary Murphy, licensed attendant nurse, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

James Elwell, hospital house worker, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Charles Kennedy, hospital medical worker, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Agnes Fitzgerald, hospital laundry worker, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Annie Gormley, senior hospital laundry worker, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Peter Gallace, senior hospital kitchen worker, cook, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Arthur Powell, senior hospital kitchen worker, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

VETERANS' SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Paul L. Fay, veterans' services investigator, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

John M. Foley, veterans' services supervisor, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

George L. Glennon, veterans' services investigator, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Samuel J. Kogos, veterans' services supervisor, from $80 to $83.50 a week.

Edmund J. O'Connor, veterans' services investigator, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Joseph B. Walsh, veterans' services investigator, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Anne Colleran, clerk and typist, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Agnes Hayes, clerk and typist, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Isabel Johnson, clerk and typist, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Mary O'Brien, clerk and typist, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Joseph Connolly, senior bookkeeper, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Marion Sheehan, senior bookkeeper, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Broncy Stapulonis, senior bookkeeper, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Roy Townsend, senior bookkeeper, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Arlene Venable, senior bookkeeper, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Mary Wilson, senior bookkeeper, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Margaret T. Slaney, senior clerk-typist, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Anne Hanley, social worker, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Anthony Mirabello, social worker, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

VETERANS' RETIREMENTS.

The Mayor has approved the following veterans' applications for retirement:

Arthur Lundgren, also known as Arthur W. Lundgren, 2717 Washington street, Roxbury, fire lieutenant, Ladder Company 10, Fire Department.

Domenico Gizzi, 115 Salem street, maintenance mechanic mason, Parks and Recreation Department.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award the contracts for work, materials, and supplies, in accordance with recommendations of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Purchasing Division.

Upon August 24 the Mayor approved a contract with lowest bidders as requested in the following letter:

BOSTON, August 18,1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

Attached is tabulation of bids received on proposals for furnishing hospital equipment to the Boston City Hospital. These bids were publicly opened and read in this office on August 4, 1955.

Authority is requested to award contracts for the items checked on the accompanying sheets to the lowest bidders meeting specifications at the prices as indicated. No bids were received on Item 10; this item was purchased, without public advertisement, on the basis of your permission of award on August 5, 1955, for the polio emergency.

Approximate total amounts of contracts will be as follows:

Thomas W. Reed Company, $3,898.80; American Sterilizer Company, $2,070; T. J. Noonan Company, $1,477.44.

Discount for all companies is 2 per cent, time of payment.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

Bids, opened August 4, were as follows:

Hospital Equipment.

Requisition No. 6599.

Item 1. Half Gross B. D. Tonsil Syringes, Luer Lock, 5 cc., Per Dozen.—C. H. Goldthwaite Company, $43.56; Macalaster Bicknell Parenteral Corporation, $43.56; E. F. Mahady Company, $43.56, B. D., 5YLC; T. J. Noonan Company, $43.56*; Thomas W. Reed Company, $72.60.

Item 2. 2 Gross B. D. Tonsil Syringes, Luer Lock, 10 cc., Per Dozen.—C. H. Goldthwaite Company, $47.52; Macalaster Bicknell Parenteral Corporation, $47.52; E. F. Mahady Company, $47.52, B.D., 10LYC; T. J. Noonan Company, $47.52*; Thomas W. Reed Company, $79.20.

Requisition No. 6600.

Item 3. 2 Gross Dakins Syringes, 4-Ounce, Per Dozen.—E. F. Mahady Company, $231.55 per gross, "Asepto," B.D., 2084; T. J. Noonan Company, $14.40; Thomas W. Reed Company, $19.50.*

Requisition No. 8393.

Item 4. 12 Dozen Hemostat-Rochester Pean's Forceps, Curved, 6¼-Inch, Catalogue No. 150-110 S.S., Per Dozen.—C. H. Goldthwaite Company, $72, Sklar, 150-110, alternate, $63, Haslam B544R; E. F. Mahady Company, $72, Sklar, $43.20, Haslam, *see* attached; T. J. Noonan Company, $43.20, Haslam, B543R; Thomas W. Reed Company, $43.20.*

Item 5. 12 Dozen, Scissors, Suture, Blunt and Sharp, 5½-Inch, Curved, Catalogue No. 140-20, Per Dozen.—C. H. Goldthwaite Company, $59.40, Sklar, 140-20, alternate, $67.56, Haslam B852R; E. F. Mahady Company, $59.40, alternate, $67.50; T. J. Noonan Company, $37.80, Haslam, B825R; Thomas W. Reed Company, $67.50, Haslam, B852R.*

Item 6. 18 Dozen Forceps, Tissue, 1 x 2 th., 5½-Inch, Catalogue No. 160-30 S. S., Per Dozen.—C. H. Goldthwaite Company, $21.60, Sklar, 160-30, alternate, $43.20, Haslam, B645R, alternate, $15.36, Haslam, B645RS; E. F. Mahady Company, $21.60, alternate, $19.80; T. J. Noonan Company, $15.30, Haslam, B645RS; Thomas W. Reed Company, $13.20.*

Item 7. 16 Dozen Dressing Forceps, 5½-Inch, Catalogue No. 160-05 S. S., Per Dozen.—C. H. Goldthwaite Company, $19.80, Sklar, 160-05, alternate, $37.80, Haslam, B630R, alternate, $11.76, Haslam, B630RS; E. F. Mahady Company, $19.80, alternate, $18; T. J. Noonan Company, $11.70, Haslam, B630RS; Thomas W. Reed Company, $37.80.*

Item 8. 1½ Dozen Forceps, Allis Tissue, 6-Inch, 4 x 5 th., Catalogue No. 220-75 S.S., Per Dozen.—C. H. Goldthwaite Company, $75.60, Sklar, 220-75, alternate, $51, Haslam, B581R; E. F. Mahady Company, $75.60, alternate, $50.40; T. J. Noonan Company, $50.40, Haslam, B581R*; Thomas W. Reed Company, $50.40.

Requisition No. 8407.

Item 9. 10 Stainless Steel Sponge Racks, Kellogg, Model No. 7875, Per Dozen.—American Sterilizer Company, $117*; Macalaster Bicknell Parenteral Corporation, $192; E. F. Mahady Company, $150; T. J. Noonan Company, $178.20, Wilson, No. 12378, 20 x 36, 63-inch; Thomas W. Reed Company, $149.50.

Requisition No. 8458.

Item 10. 2 Sterilizers, Small, Rectangular, Bulk, 24 x 36 x 60, As Per Specifications.—No bids.

Item 11. 5 Monel Mesh Trays, As Per Specifications (Installed), Each.—American Sterilizer Company, $120.*

Discount.—American Sterilizer Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; C. H. Goldthwaite Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Macalaster Bicknell Parenteral Corporation, 2 per cent, time of payment; E. F. Mahady Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; T. J. Noonan Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Thomas W. Reed Company, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Remarks.—E. F. Mahady Company, Sklar, delivery, 30 days, available as import only, *see* letter attached.

* Contract awarded.

Upon August 24 the Mayor approved a contract with contractors as requested in the following letter:

BOSTON, August 17, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

Attached is tabulation of bids received on proposals for furnishing office and hospital furniture to the various city departments. These bids were publicly opened and read in this office on June 29, 1955.

Authority is requested to make awards for the items checked on the accompanying tabulation to the lowest bidders meeting specifications at the prices as indicated. Items 4, 8, 13, and 22 have been rejected. Item 4 will be purchased from the Massachusetts Prison Commission; no acceptable bids were received on Items 8 and 13. These items will be purchased at a later date in the open market where available at a suitable price. Item 22 was needed for immediate delivery owing to the polio emergency and therefore was purchased, without advertising, where available, on the basis of your permission of award approved August 5, 1955.

Approximate total amounts of awards will be as follows:

Contracts for John J. McCarthy, doing business as McCarthy Brothers, $8,114.01, net; E. F. Mahady Company, $3,725.50, 2 per cent, time of payment; Boston Desk Company, Inc., $2,884.35, 2 per cent, time of payment; Henry D. Swartz, doing business as Swartz Manufacturing Company, $2,710.68, 2 per cent, time of payment; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $1,724.82, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Orders for Business Equipment Corporation, $687.45, net; Charles P. Lauman Company, Inc., $289.10, 2 per cent, tenth proximo; T. J. Noonan Company, $31, net.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

Bids, opened June 29, were as follows:

Office and Hospital Furniture.

Requisition No. 37.

Item No. 1. 12 Gray Metal Desks, 60 Inches x 34 Inches, Steel Age, No. 1560, or Equal, Each.—Boston Desk Company, Inc., $95.90*; Business Equipment Corporation, $101.60, Steel case, No. 16021, 60 x 30; Carroll Stevens Corporation, $99.90; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $101.80, alternate, $93.80, 60 x 30, desks, island base; E. F. Mahady Company, $110, ASE, 6629.

Item 2. 15 Gray Metal Swivel Arm Chairs, R-1, Green Upholstery, Royal, No. 123 N, or Equal, Each.—Boston Desk Company, Inc., $40.70; Business Equipment Corporation, $39.97*; Carroll Stevens Corporation, $41.80; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $44.28; E. F. Mahady Company, $50, ASE, 830.

Requisition No. 13.

Item 3. 1 Microfilm Filing Cabinet, 9-Drawer, Without Lock, Gray Color.—Boston Desk Company, Inc., $119*; Carroll Stevens Corporation, $129.36; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $121.30.

Requisition No. 1074.

Item 4. 200 No. 1778 1¼, or Equal, Rodded and Saw-Braced Smoking Room Chairs, Each.†

Requisition No. 1.

Item 5. No. 2 Card Files, 12 Drawers Each, for 5 x 8-Inch Cards (With Sanitary Legs), to Interchange with Present Files, Each.—Boston Desk Company, Inc., $247; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $140.*

Item 6. 6 No. V-22 Cromer Steel Stenographers' Posture Chairs, Each.—Boston Desk Company, Inc., $25.70, Business Equipment Corporation, $28, Steelcase, No. C70, alternate, $19.90, Steelcase, No. C61; Carroll Stevens Corporation, $20.95; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $20.37.*

Item 7. 6 No. 1230N Steel Swivel Revolving Arm Chairs, Each.—Boston Desk Company, Inc., $40.70*; Business Equipment Corporation, $39.97; Carroll Stevens Corporation, $41.80; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $44.28.

Item 8. 4 Document File Cases to Contain a Total of 252 Drawers, 5 Inches x 11 Inches x 16 Inches, As Per Specifications.—Bids rejected.

Item 9. 5 Letter Size Filing Cabinets, 5 Drawers Each, Without Locks, No. 8451, Steel Age, or Equal, Each.—Boston Desk Company, Inc., $70.90*; Business Equipment Corporation, $57.80,

Hillside, 711; Carroll Stevens Corporation, $72.52; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $74.32.

Item 10. 4 Card Files, 8 Drawers Each, for 4 x 6-Inch Cards, As Per Specifications, Each.—Boston Desk Company, Inc., $72.60; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $280, total price (to have one sanitary leg base and finishing top).*

Item 11. 4 Steel, 5-Drawer, Letter Size Files, As Per Specifications, Each.—Boston Desk Company, Inc., $80.65*; Business Equipment Corporation, $65.30, Hillside, 711-L; Carroll Stevens Corporation, $81.80; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $83.

Item 12. 1 Steel Card File Containing 8 Drawers for 4 x 6-Inch Cards, No. 8A41-BF, Steel Age, or Equal.—Boston Desk Company, Inc., $125.85*; Business Equipment Corporation, $114, Hillside, 706; Carroll Stevens Corporation, $138; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $127.

Item 13. 4 Document File Cases to Contain a Total of 184 Drawers, 5 Inches x 11 Inches x 18 Inches, to Match and Interchange With Present Files.—Bids rejected.

Item 14. 2 Steel, 4-Drawer, Letter Files with Locks, No. 8A41-L, Steel Age, or Equal, Each.—Boston Desk Company, Inc., $67.10*; Business Equipment Corporation, $54.70, Hillside, 701; Carroll Stevens Corporation, $69.44; S. M. Levin Company, $72.25.

Item 15. 12 Wooden Straight Back Chairs, No. 403, Jasper, or Equal, Each.—Boston Desk Company, Inc., $10.90; Business Equipment Corporation, $10.47, Allen, 548-0; Carroll Stevens Corporation, $12.95; S. M. Levin Company, $12.20.*

Requisition No. 104.

Item 16. 2 Office Chairs, No. 429-5, or Equal, Each.—Boston Desk Company, Inc., $15.90*; Business Equipment Corporation, $18.68; S. M. Levin Company, $18.60.

Item 17. 6 Chairs, No. 1908-0, or Equal, Each.—Boston Desk Company, Inc., $6*; Business Equipment Corporation, $8.49; S. M. Levin Company, $10.20.

Requisition No. 105.

Item 18. 2 1230 N. Royal, or Equal, Executive Swivel Chairs, Foam Rubber Seats, Each.—Boston Desk Company, Inc., $40.70*; Business Equipment Corporation, $39.97; Carroll Stevens Corporation, $45.80; S. M. Levin Company, $44.28; E. F. Mahady Company, $50.

Requisition No. 7840.

Item 19. 4 Gray Steel Tables with Corralcum Top and Center Drawers—(a), 260-Inch x 32-Inch, Steel Age, No. 3960, or Equal, Each, (b), 2 45-Inch x 32-Inch, Steel Age, No. 3945, or Equal, Each.—Boston Desk Company, Inc., (a), $68.20, (b), $61.90; Business Equipment Corporation, (a), $57.90, Hillside, T60, (b), $52.90, Hillside, T45; S. M. Levin Company, (a), $73, (b), $65; E. F. Mahady Company, (a), $65, ASE, 6260,* (b), $60, ASE, 6235.*

Requisition No. 7856.

Item 20. 16 Catsch Beds, Bed Ends, Model No. H-800-2, Deckert Springer, or Equal, As Per Specifications, Each.—E. F. Mahady Company, $115.25, solid color; McCarthy Brothers, bidding on Sleeprite new "rite-hite" beds, $107, solid colors, $111, grain finish.*

Item 21. 16 Pairs Safety Sides for Catsch Beds (Sliding Crib Type), No. H-45, or Equal, Per Pair—E. F. Mahady Company, $42.75; McCarthy Brothers, bidding on Sleeprite safety sides to match above beds, $37.13*; T. J. Noonan Company, $25, Hard, No. 1503, brown.

Item 22. 2 Binocular Microscopes, Spencer, Model 15, A.H.T., Catalogue No. 65518, or Equal.—Bids rejected.

Item 23. 2 Micro Lamps, Improved, Spencer, No. 381, A.H.T., Catalogue No. 6972-A, or Equal, Each.—E. F. Mahady Company, $17; T. J. Noonan Company, $17.*

Requisition No. 7860.

Item 24. (a), 8 Chart Carriers, Catalogue 7125ss Blickman Catalogue, or Equal, Each, With (b), 240 Chart Holders, Catalogue 7140aa, or Equal, Each.—American Sterilizer Company, (a) $282.85; (b) $1.65; E. F. Mahady Company, (a) $183*; (b) $1.60*; T. J. Noonan Company, (a) $318, Brooklyn, BR4282; (b) $1.90, BR3291.

Requisition No. 549.

Item 25. 2 Tray Trucks, Colson, No. 10-6341, or Equal, As Per Specifications, Each.—American Sterilizer Company, $332.75; Colson Corporation, $167.25; Charles P. Lauman Company, Inc., $144.55*; E. F. Mahady Company, $332; McCarthy Brothers, $176.97, bidding on tray trucks manufactured by Jarvis & Jarvis; T. J. Noonan Company, $225, Shampaine, No. 32971.

Requisition No. 553.

Item 26. 30 Lockers, Berger Type, or Equal, to Match Present Lockers, As Per Specifications, Each.—Boston Desk Company, Inc., $20; S. M. Levin Company, $15.80.*

Requisition No. 611.

Item 27. 3 Letter Size Filing Cabinets, Gray or Green, As Per Specifications, Each.—Boston Desk Company, Inc., $57.10*; Business Equipment Corporation, $71, alternate, $54.70, Hillside, 701-L; Carroll Stevens Corporation, $58.95; S. M. Levin Company, $72.25.

Item 28. 1 Filing Cabinet, Document, As Per Specifications, Each.—Boston Desk Company, Inc., $81.90*; Business Equipment Corporation, $83.64, letter size, $97, legal size; S. M. Levin Company, $102.75.

Requisition No. 894.

Item 29. 10 Bedroom Chairs, No. 1690-5, As Per Specifications, Each.—Boston Desk Company, Inc., $15; Business Equipment Corporation, $8.79*; S. M. Levin Company, $10; McCarthy Brothers, $11.32.

Item 30. 28 Windsor Chairs, No. 1778-14, Oak, As Per Specifications, Each.—Boston Desk Company, Inc., $17.42; Business Equipment Corporation, $16.99; Gledhill Brothers, Inc., $17.50; S. M. Levin Company, $13.15*; McCarthy Brothers, $16.85, if wanted with rods and brace add $1.10 each.

Requisition No. 895.

Item 31. 44 Pairs Bedside Rails, White Enamel, As Per Specifications, Per Pair.—E. F. Mahady Company, $24.10, Simmons, II-99, Aluminum; McCarthy Brothers, $20.97*; T. J. Noonan Company, $25.80, Hard, No. 1504, brown.

Requisition No. 896.

Item 32. 94 Metal Bedside Chairs, As Per Specifications, Each.—Business Equipment Corporation, $9.70, Royal Dollar, No. H609; E. F. Mahady Company, $10.50*; McCarthy Brothers, $16.93.

Requisition No. 899.

Item 33. 53 Bedside Tables, As Per Specifications, Each.—E. F. Mahady Company, $38.35, Blickman, 7019N; McCarthy Brothers, No. 1, 33.25,* No. 2, $26.59; T. J. Noonan Company, $35.80, Shampaine, S2144, with stainless steel top, chrome towel bar.

Requisition No. 900.

Item 34. No. 84 Foam Rubber Mattresses, 76 Inches x 36 Inches x 4 Inches, As Per Specifications, Each.—M. L. Alpert Company, Inc., $35.90; E. F. Mahady Company, $40; McCarthy Brothers, $35.53, Goodyear airfoam mattresses; Roxbury Mattress Corporation, $33; Swartz Manufacturing Company, $32.27.*

Requisition No. 901.

Item 35. 100 White Enamel Headrest Beds, As Per Specifications, Each.—E. F. Mahady Company, $43.50, Simmons, H690, See H 50; McCarthy Brothers, $30.59, beds with 3-inch casters, 2 casters on each bed to have brakes*; T. J. Noonan Company, $32.75, Hard, No. 1402FLH.

Requisition No. 917.

Item 36. 61 Bedside Chairs, Brooklyn, 7676, White, Each.—Business Equipment Corporation, $9.79, No. H600, *see* proposal; E. F. Mahady Company, $10.50*; McCarthy Brothers, $16.93.

Make and Model Bid Upon.

M. L. Alpert Company, Inc., Item 34, Alpert's industrial firestone rubber; American Sterilizer Company, Item 24, Blickman; Boston Desk Company, Inc., as specified on proposal; Business Equipment Corporation, Item 1, Steelcase, No. 16021, Item 2, Royal, No. 1230N, Item 4, S. Bent, No. 1778-14, added, Item 6, Steelcase, No. C-70, alternate, Steelcase, No. C-61, Item 9, Hillside, No. 711, Item 11, Hillside, No. 711-C, Item 12, Hillside, No. 705, Item 14, Hillside, No. 701-L, Item 15, Allen No. 588-0, Item 16, Allen, No. 550-5, Item 17, Allen, No. 540-0, Item 18, Royal, No. 1230N, Item 19, (a), Hillside, No. T60, (b), Hillside, No. T45, Item 27, Steelcase, No. 1805-L, Item 28, (a), Steelcase, No. 1805 4-C, (b), Steelcase, No. 1807 4-M, No. 32, Royal, No. H600, No. 36, Royal, No. 609.

Carroll Stevens Corporation, Item 1, Security, No. 48F-60, Item 2, Royal, No. 1230N, Item 3, Security, No. 18069, Item 6, ASE, No. 711, Item 7, Royal, No. 1230N, Item 9, Security, No. 7751, Item 11, Security, No. 7701BB, Item 12, Security, No. 77516, Item 14, Security, No. 17701L, Item 15, Jasper, No. 403, Item 18, Royal, No. 1230N foam, Item 27, Security, No. 77011; Colson Corporation, Item 25, Colson, No. 6341, truck as specified; Gledhill Brothers, Item 4, S. Bent & Brothers, No. 1778-14X, Item 30, S. Bent & Brothers, No. 1778-14X; Charles P. Lauman Company, Inc., Item 25, our specification, comparable to Colson, No. 10-6341, Type No. 10-6341 with bumpers and push handles, S. M. Levin Company, Items 1, 2, 4, 6, 7, 9, 11, 12, 14, 15, 18, 19, 20, 26, 29, and 30, as specified, Item 3, Steelage, No. 8A414, Item 5, Watson, No. 825B, Item 8, Watson, No. 827-B, Item 13, Watson, special equipment, Item 16, Allen, No. 54815, Item 17, Allen, No. 587-0, Item 27, Steelage, No. 8A41-H, Item 28, Steelage, No. 8A43-L-4B.

E. F. Mahady Company, Item 1, ASE, No. 6329, Item 2, ASE, No. 830, Item 18, ASE, No. 830, Item 19, ASE, No. 6260 and ASE, No. 6235, Item 20, Simmons, No. 11880-2-L-171, Item 21, Simmons, No. II-45, Item 22, Spencer, Model No. 15-MLH, Item 23, Spencer,

No. 361, Item 24, Blickman, No. 712588, Item 25, No. FS1588, Item 31, Simmons, No. II-99, Item 32, Brooklyn, No. 7976, Item 33, Blickman, No. 7019RN, Item 34, Dunlop, Item 35, Simmons, No. H600-8CC, No. H50, Item 36, Brooklyn, No. 7976; T. J. Noonan, Item 21, hard, No. 1503, Items 22 and 23, as specified, Item 24, Brooklyn, No. 4282, Item 25, Shampaine, No. 82971, Item 31, hard, No. 1504, Item 32, Brooklyn, No. 7976, Item 35, hard, No. 1402FLH, Item 36, Brooklyn, No. 7976; Roxbury Mattress Corporation, Item 31, Armstrong rubber, No. 3, firm; Swartz Manufacturing Company, Item 31, Dunlop foam rubber.

Discount.—M. L. Alpert Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; American Sterilizer Company, net, cash, 2 per cent, 30 days; Boston Desk Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Business Equipment Corporation, net; Carroll Stevens Corporation, 2 per cent, time of payment; Colson Corporation, 2 per cent, time of payment; Gledhill Brothers, Inc., net, 30 days; Charles P. Lauman Company, Inc., 2 per cent, 10th proximo; S. M. Levin Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; E. F. Mahady Company, Items 22 and 23, net, 30 days, Items 20, 21, 31, and 35, 2 per cent, 10th proximo, net, 60 days, all others, 2 per cent, time of payment; McCarthy Brothers, net; T. J. Noonan Company, 2 per cent, except Items 22 and 23, which are net; Roxbury Mattress Corporation, 2 per cent, time of payment; Swartz Manufacturing Company, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—M. L. Alpert Company, Inc., Item 31, 2 weeks, sooner if necessary; American Sterilizer Company, Item 24, 30 days; Boston Desk Company, Inc., immediate delivery on all; Business Equipment Corporation, Items 1, 4, 27, and 28, 30 days, Items 2, 15, 16, 17, 18, 32, and 36, 20 days, Items 9, 11, 12, 14, and 19, 12 days, Item 6, at once; Carroll Stevens Corporation, Items 1, 6, 14, and 27, immediate, Items 2, 7, and 18, 30 days, Item 3, 14 days, Items 9, 11, and 12, 10 days, Item 15, 15 days; Colson Corporation, Item 25, 20 days after receipt of order; Gledhill Brothers, Inc., Items 4 and 30, approximately 30 days; Charles P. Lauman Company, Inc., Item 25, within approximately 30 days; S. M. Levin Company, Items 8 and 13, 90 days, all other items within 30 days; E. F. Mahady Company, Items 1, 2, 18, 19, 24, 25, 32, 33, and 36, 30 days, Items 20, 21, 31, and 35, 60 days, Items 22 and 23, at once, Item 34, 10 days; T. J. Noonan Company, Items 21 and 31, 15 to 30 days, Item 22, 7 to 15 days, Item 23, at once, Item 24, 30 to 60 days, Item 25, 40 to 60 days, Items 32 and 36, 10 to 25 days, Item 35, 15 to 35 days; Roxbury Mattress Corporation, Item 31, approximately 20 days; Swartz Manufacturing Company, Item 34, 2 to 3 weeks.

* Contract awarded.

† Purchased from Massachusetts Prison Commission.

Upon August 29 the Mayor approved contracts for furnishing dictating and transcribing equipment to Boston City Hospital and Long Island Hospital. Approximate total amounts of contracts were as follows:

Atwell Company, $2,815, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; Dictation System, Inc., $1,800, less 1 per cent discount, 20 days, net, 30 days.

Bids, opened July 13, were as follows:

Dictating and Transcribing Equipment.

Requisition No. 45. Long Island Hospital.

Item 1. 1 Master Gray Audograph or Equal, As Per Specifications.—Dictaphone Corporation, $446, AC-DC operation, no converter necessary; Dictation System, Inc., $379.50; Atwell Company, $343.*

Requisition No. 7850. Boston City Hospital.

Item 2. 1 Audograph, or Equal, Dictating Machine with Transcriber, Complete.—Dictaphone Corporation, $399; Dictation System, Inc., $337, one unit, $600, two units, complete*; Atwell Company, $599.

Item 3. 3 Audograph, or Equal, Dictating Machines, Each.—Dictaphone Corporation, $315; Dictation System, Inc., $310; Atwell Company, $312.*

Item 4. 3 Audograph, or Equal, Transcribing Machines, Each.—Dictaphone Corporation, $315; Dictation System, Inc., $290; Atwell Company, $294.*

Requisition No. 7851.

Item 5. 1 Electronic Recording Audograph, or Equal, with Automatic Volume Control.—Dictaphone Corporation, $315; Atwell Company, $274.*

Item 6. 1 Hand Microphone with Inbuilt Start-Stop Control (Master with Hand).—Dictaphone Corporation, microphone included with Item 5; Atwell Company, $31.*

Requisition No. 7858.

Item 7. 1 Electronic Recording Audograph, or Equal.—Dictaphone Corporation, $315; Dictation System, Inc., $310*; Atwell Company, $305.

Item 8. 1 Electronic Transcribing Audograph, or Equal, As Per Specifications.—Dictaphone Corporation, $315, plus $48 for 2 stands, $363; Dictation System, Inc., $290*; Atwell Company, $324.

Item 9. 1 Model V Audograph, or Equal, As Per Specifications.—Dictaphone Corporation, $380; Dictation System, Inc., $310*; Atwell Company, $339.

Item 10. 1 Model V Audograph, or Equal, As Per Specifications.—Dictaphone Corporation, $340; Dictation System, Inc., $290*; Atwell Company, $305.

Requisition No. 8210.

Item 11. 1 Model No. 5 Audograph, or Equal, As Per Specifications.—Dictaphone Corporation, $315; Dictation System, Inc., $368.62; Atwell Company, $349.*

Make and Model Bid Upon.—Dictaphone Corporation, all items, Dictaphone Timemaster; Dictation System, Inc., all items, Soundscriber Tycoon; Atwell Company, Items 1 through 8, inclusive, Audograph, Model 4, Items 9 through 11, inclusive, Audograph, Model V.

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—Dictaphone Corporation, all items, 1 week; Dictation System, Inc., all items, same day; Atwell Company, all items, within 7 days.

Discount.—Dictaphone Corporation, net, 30 days; Dictation System, Inc., 1 per cent, 20 days net, 30 days; Atwell Company, 2 per cent, time of payment.

* Contract awarded.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Upon August 29 the Mayor approved contracts for furnishing, installing, and delivering miscellaneous furniture, steel lockers, metal wardrobes, and metal storealls for various schools to 26 Norman street, Boston. Bids, opened July 20, were as follows:

To Twombly Associates, Inc.: Item 9, 36 pupils' chairs at $7.19 each, $258.84; Item 17, 122 various size rectangular tables at $27.73 each, $3,383.06; Item 18, 70 sets various size chairs and desks, $1,457.98, 490 various size chairs, $3,145; total, $8,244.88, 1 per cent discount, 10 days, 30 days, net.

To McCarthy Brothers: Item 1, 15 couches at $43.95 each, $659.25; 15 pads at $17.75 each, $266.25; 15 plastic covers at $3.95 each, $59.25; Item 10, 10 sets chrome furniture at $189.06 set, $1,890.60; total, $2,875.35.

To American Seating Company: Item 4, 35 fixed tablet arm chairs at $16.55 each, $579.25; Item 7, 14, size A, Universal desks at $31.73 each, $444.22; 14, size B, Universal desks at $31.13 each, $440.02; 14, size C, Universal desks at $31.13 each, $435.82; total, $1,899.31.

To S. M. Levin Company, Inc.: Item 2, 20 Windsor chairs at $13 each, $260; Item 3, 10 folding screens at $11.50 each, $115; Item 8, 36 typewriter tables at $37.90 each, $1,364.40; Item 11, 150, 18-inch visitors' chairs at $6.19 each, $928.50; 24, 16-inch visitors' chairs at $5.89 each, $141.36; Item 13, 24 sewing tables at $12.50 each, $300; Item 14, 5 lockers at $19.90 each, $99.50; Item 15, 10 storage cabinets at $41.63 each, $416.30; Item 16, 5 wardrobe cabinets at $40.14 each, $200.70; Item 21, 22 round tables at $14 each, $308; Item 23, 10 Steel Age 4-drawer letter files at $67.90 each, $670.90; Item 24, 2 Steel Age card files at $138 each, $276; Item 25, 12 white Steelux instrument cabinets at $148 each, $1,776; Item 12, principal's suite, complete, at $738.12, $738.12; total, $7,594.78.

To Gledhill Brothers, Inc.: Item 6, 2 portable blackboards at $39 each, $78; Item 22, 4 semicircular tables at $25.25 each, $101; total, $179.

To Carroll Stevens Corporation: Item 5, 10 teachers' swivel chairs at $14.48 each, $144.80; Item 19, 2 teachers' desks at $62.17 each, $124.34; Item 20, 2 teachers' tables at $39.96 each, $79.92; total, $349.06.

Furniture.

Item 1. Couches and Pads and Plastic Covers.—McCarthy Brothers, 15 couches, $43.95 each,* 15 pads, $17.75 each,* 15 plastic covers, $3.95 each.*

Item 2. 20 Windsor Chairs.—S. M. Levin Company, $13 each*; Gledhill Brothers, $17.35 each, alternate, $18.50 each; McCarthy Brothers, $13.65 each.

Item 3. 10 Folding Screens.—S. M. Levin Company, $11.50 each*; McCarthy Brothers, $13.95 each.

Item 4. 35 Fixed Tablet Arm Chairs.—Carroll Stevens Company, $10.13 each; American Seating, $16.55 each.*

Item 5. 10 Teachers' Swivel Chairs.—S. M. Levin Company, $15.25 each; Gledhill Brothers, $16.65 each; Carroll Stevens Company, $14.48 each*; McCarthy Brothers, $17.40 each.

Item 6. 2 Portable Blackboards.—Gledhill Brothers, $39 each.*

Item 7. Universal Desks.—Gledhill Brothers, 14, size A, $25.15 each, 14, size B, $24.65 each, 14, size C, $24.05 each; American Seating, 14, size A, $31.73 each,* 14, size B, $31.43 each,* 14, size C, $31.13 each.*

Item 8. 36 Typewriter Desks.—S. M. Levin Company, $37.90 each*; Gledhill Brothers, $39.50 each.

Item 9. 36 Pupils' Chairs.—Gledhill Brothers, $8 each; Twombly Associates, $7.19 each.*

Item 10. Chrome Furniture.—S. M. Levin Company, $203.16 each set; Gledhill Brothers, $98 each set; McCarthy Brothers, $189.06 each set.*

Item 11. Visitors' Chairs.—S. M. Levin Company, 150, 18-inch, $8.70 each, alternate, $6.19 each, 24, 16-inch, $8.70 each, alternate, $5.89 each*; Gledhill Brothers, 150, 18-inch, $10.20 each, 24, 16-inch, $10.50 each; Carroll Stevens Company, 150, 18-inch, $8.64 each; 24, 16-inch, $8.54 each.

Item 12. Principal's Suite, Complete.—S. M. Levin Company, $738.12, alternate, $651.37; Carroll Stevens Company, $539.31.

Item 13. 24 Sewing Tables.—S. M. Levin Company, $12.50 each*; Gledhill Brothers, $13 each.

Item 14. 5 Lockers.—S. M. Levin Company, $19.90 each*; O. P. Killam, $24.40 each.

Item 15. 10 Storage Cabinets.—S. M. Levin Company, $41.63 each*; Gledhill Brothers, $56 each; Carroll Stevens Corporation, $43.76 each.

Item 16. 5 Wardrobe Cabinets.—S. M. Levin Company, $40.14 each*; Gledhill Brothers, $52.50 each; Carroll Stevens Company, $41.08 each.

Item 17. Rectangular Tables.—Gledhill Brothers, 78, 20 inches high, $27.80 each, 22, 21 inches high, $27.80 each, 22, 22 inches high, $27.80 each; Twombly Associates, 78, 20 inches high, $27.73 each,* 22, 21 inches high, $27.73 each,* 22, 22 inches high, $27.73 each.*

Item 18. Chairs and Desks.—Gledhill Brothers, 11, 12-inch chairs and 22-inch desks, $21.90 set, alternate, $19.20 set, 14, 13-inch chairs and 23-inch desks, $21.90 set, alternate, $19.20 set, 28, 14-inch chairs and 25-inch desks, $22.40 set, alternate, $19.70 set, 10, 15-inch chairs and 26-inch desks, $22.40 set, alternate, $19.70 set, 7, 16-inch chairs and 27½-inch desks, $22.80 set, alternate, $20.10 set—70 sets, total, $1,558.30, alternate, $1,369.30; 84 separate chairs, 11 inches high, $7.18 each, 240 separate chairs, 12 inches high, $7.18 each, 56 separate chairs, 13 inches high, $7.18 each, 70 separate chairs, 14 inches high, $7.18 each, 10 separate chairs, 15 inches high, $7.18 each, 30 separate chairs, 16 inches high, $7.18 each—490 separate chairs, total, $3,518.20; Twombly Associates, 11, 12-inch chairs and 22-inch desks, $20.53 set,* 14, 13-inch chairs and 23-inch desks, $20.53 set,* 28, 14-inch chairs and 25-inch desks, $20.91 set,* 10, 15-inch chairs and 26-inch desks, $20.91 set,* 7, 16 inch chairs and 27½ inch desks, $21.45 set*—70 sets, total, $1,457.98; 84 separate chairs, 11 inches high, $6.30 each,* 240 separate chairs, 12 inches high, $6.30 each,* 56 separate chairs, 13 inches high, $6.30 each,* 70 separate chairs, 14 inches high, $6.68 each,* 10 separate chairs, 15 inches high, $6.68 each,* 30 separate chairs, 16 inches high, $6.68 each,* 30 separate chairs, 16 inches high, $7.22 each*—490 separate chairs, total, $3,145.

Item 19. 2 Teachers' Desks.—S. M. Levin Company, $85 each; Gledhill Brothers, $76 each; Carroll Stevens Company, $62.17 each.*

Item 20. 2 Teachers' Tables.—S. M. Levin Company, $48 each; Gledhill Brothers, $45 each; Carroll Stevens Company, $39.96 each.*

Item 21. 22 Round Tables.—S. M. Levin Company, $14 each*; Gledhill Brothers, $14.50 each.

Item 22. 4 Semicircular Tables.—Gledhill Brothers, $25.25 each.*

Item 23. 10 4-Drawer Letter Files, Steel Age.—S. M. Levin Company, $67.90 each*; Carroll Stevens Company, $58.91 each.

Item 24. 2 Card Files, Steel Age.—S. M. Levin Company, $138 each*; Carroll Stevens Company, $138.64 each.

Item 25. 12 White Steelux Instrument Cabinets.—S. M. Levin Company, $148 each.*

* Contract awarded.

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Upon August 31 the Mayor approved a contract with South Shore Waterproofing Company for sealing exterior masonry walls, to minimize their absorption and increase their repellency of water at Girls' High School. Bids, opened August 25, were as follows:

South Shore Waterproofing Company, $1,374; F. DiCenzo & Sons, Inc., $2,140; Patrick Ross Company, $2,195; Moore Construction Company, Inc., $3,660.

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Upon August 31 the Mayor approved a contract with Packard Machine Company for metal working lathe for Hyde Park High School. Bids, opened August 29, were as follows:

Packard Machine Company, one south bend, quick change gear precision lathe, $1,556; with extra equipment, one chip pan, $56; one thread dial, $20.75; one 9-inch lathe jaw independent, lathe chuck, $98; total delivered price, $1,730.75.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Upon August 24 the Mayor approved a contract with Hersey Manufacturing Company for furnishing labor and material necessary to repair or rebuild and test Hersey water meters for the Public Works Department (Water Division) at an estimated cost of $17,512.

The work to be done under this contract is to be completed by December 31, 1955.

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Upon August 31 the Mayor approved a contract with Martin J. Kelly Company, Inc., for redecking and repairing Reservation Road Bridge, over Mother Brook, at an estimated cost of $15,795. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed within two months from date of order to commence work. The following bids were received August 13:

Martin J. Kelly Company, Inc., $15,795; J. A. Singarella Company, $17,002.50; A. Orlando, Inc., $17,188.50; R. A. Buccella & Sons, Inc., $17,880; Albany Contracting Company, $19,590; Builders Iron Works, $24,672.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

The School Committee has approved proposals for furnishing sewing supplies and equipment for Boston public schools. Bids, opened Friday, July 15, were received from the following concerns:

Industrial Garment Company, Taylor-Symonds Company, Windsor Button Shop, W. Warren Thread Works, Inc., Koplow Trimming Company, Farley Harvey Company, J. G. Bowden, Inc., Elisen & Company, Durbrow & Hearne, Inc., Gledhill Brothers, Inc., American Thread Company, Inc., Colonial Needle Company, Newark Dressmakers Supply Company, Singer Sewing Machine Company, M. J. Borofsky & Sons, Inc., Coats & Clark's Sales Corporation, Economy Bias Binding Company, Inc., Paragon Mills, Inc.

Awards were made to the lowest responsible bidders, as follows:

Farley Harvey Company, $1,540.83.

W. Warren Thread Works, Inc., $2,326.20.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

Upon varying dates as indicated the Mayor approved contracts with contractors, commercial houses, etc., for furnishing supplies, labor, and materials. Communications from the various departments were as follows:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.
Purchasing Division.

BOSTON, August 23, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The Fire Department has submitted a requisition to this office for one (1) government surplus federal 10-ton wrecker as per specifications. This wrecker is obtainable only from Bertha Karas, doing business as Karas Truck Sales.

Inasmuch as this company is the only source of supply, it is my opinion that no advantage would be gained by publicly advertising for bids. Authority is therefore requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to Bertha Karas, doing business as Karas Truck Sales for the above equipment.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $3,750 net.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, August 24, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

In accordance with the provisions of the letter approved by your Honor on January 24, 1955, authority is requested to award a contract, without public advertisement, to the following company for furnishing perishable foods to the various city departments from August 24, 1955, to March 31, 1956: Genoa Fisheries, Inc., doing business as Boston Bonnie Fisheries, 295 Northern avenue, Boston, Mass.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, August 25, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office is in receipt of a requisition from the Treasury Division of the Treasury Department for 300 metal file drawers to be delivered immediately.

Boston Desk Company, Inc., has quoted a price on the above equipment and can make immediate delivery. Inasmuch as time is of the essence, authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to Boston Desk Company, Inc. It is my opinion that, in this way, the best interests of the city will be served.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $1,750, net.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

BOSTON, August 25, 1955.
HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.
DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office is in request of a requisition from the Fire Department for twenty (20) S 200 SOS nozzles to be delivered immediately.

Informal requests for prices were solicited from five companies. American-LaFrance Foamite Corporation was one of four tie bidders that responded.

Inasmuch as time is of the essence, authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to American-LaFrance Foamite Corporation. It is my opinion that, in this way, the best interest of the city will be served.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $1,048, less 2 per cent discount, for payment within 30 days.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, August 25, 1955.
HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.
DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office is in receipt of a requisition from the Fire Department for 1,000 gas mask canisters to be delivered immediately.

American-LaFrance Foamite Corporation has supplied these canisters in the past and on previous publicly advertised bids for identical equipment this company has been one of several tie low bidders. This company has quoted a price on the above equipment and is in a position to make immediate delivery.

Authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to American-LaFrance Foamite Corporation. It is my opinion that, in this way, the best interests of the city will be served.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $6,800, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

CIVIL DEFENSE.

BOSTON, August 29, 1955.
HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.
DEAR MAYOR HYNES:

I am hereby requesting permission to award a contract, without advertising, in an amount not to exceed $3,500 to the R. G. Mearn Company, 363 Albany street, Boston, for the purchase of six portable pumps, a sufficient quantity of hard suction and discharge hose with couplings for each of the above, and other civil defense pumping equipment necessary for emergency use.

This equipment will supplement Civil Defense rescue equipment already in use.

It is my belief that no great advantage will be gained by advertising and the needless delay that would result is not in the interest of public safety.

I hope that this request will meet with your approval.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH L. MALONE,
Director.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, September 1, 1955.
HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.
DEAR SIR:

The lease for the refreshment privilege in the Refectory Building in Franklin Park, now held by John P. Burke of 22 Myrtle street, Jamaica Plain, expires on September 30, 1955.

This concession has been held by the Burke family since 1928, a period of 27 years. It was first granted to William J. Burke and was held by him until his decease in 1939, and since then by his son, John P. Burke. The business has always been conducted in a manner satisfactory to the officials of this department and the rental has always been paid promptly when due.

I believe nothing would be gained by publicly advertising for bids on this concession and I therefore respectfully request your permission to award a new lease to John P. Burke, 22 Myrtle street, Jamaica Plain, for the refreshment privilege in the Refectory Building, Franklin Park, for a period of five years from October 1, 1955, to September 30, 1960, at an annual rental of $5,000.

Respectfully yours,

FRANK R. KELLEY,
Commissioner.

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BOSTON, September 1, 1955.
HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.
DEAR SIR:

Since 1949 this department has rented space in the golf building at Franklin Park to Mr. John P. Burke, 22 Myrtle street, Jamaica Plain, for a tonic vending machine. Mr. Burke is now paying an annual rental of $100 for the space allotted him.

This refreshment service is greatly appreciated by golfers at the Franklin Park course and has always been conducted satisfactorily by Mr. Burke, who also conducts the refreshment dispensing business in the Refectory Building.

I believe nothing would be gained by publicly advertising for bids on this small concession and I therefore respectfully request your permission to award another lease to Mr. John P. Burke, 22 Myrtle street, Jamaica Plain, for space in the Golf Building at Franklin Park for a tonic vending machine, for a period of five years from October 1, 1955, to September 30, 1960, at an annual rental of $100.

Respectfully yours,

FRANK R. KELLEY,
Commissioner.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, August 2, 1955.
HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.
DEAR MR. MAYOR:

Recently, work was started on a contract in the amount of $15,000 for repairing the highway bridge which spans the right-of-way of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, and is located on Massachusetts avenue, South End, between St. Botolph street and Columbus avenue.

When the granite block surface was removed and the concrete deck exposed, the latter was found to contain badly disintegrated concrete, due, in our opinion, to frozen concrete placed at the time that the bridge was constructed in 1926. Investigations disclosed that the concrete was placed in January of the above-referenced year during cold weather, and this disclosure seems to confirm our opinion that the concrete was frozen when poured or that the concrete was seriously weakened by an additive that was introduced to prevent freezing. In any event, when the above-referenced condition of the concrete deck was found, we decided to effect whatever temporary repairs were necessary and to cancel the remainder of the contract, as the condition of the bridge did not justify spending a large amount on repair work at this time, particularly in view of the fact that the plate girders of the bridge, as explained below, present a definite hazard to the safety of motorists, and the entire bridge should be replaced in the next three or four years.

Massachusetts avenue, at the site of the bridge, is divided into three distinct roadway areas, separated by two plate girders that loom ominously 4 to 5 feet above the roadway surface. Such a condition is basically dangerous, as it provides an extreme hazard for the safe passage of motor vehicles on this highly-congested and relatively high-speed highway. Generally speaking, all such bridges in the city should be removed and replaced with continuous beam spans, if possible, so as to eliminate all girders that extend above the roadway surfaces. The latter condition has been the cause of many fatal accidents in this city over the years.

A preliminary study has determined that it will be feasible to eliminate the existing girder structure and replace it with a continuous beam span, at a cost of approximately $200,000. I feel therefore that no further steps should be taken to effect major repairs to the existing hazardous structure, as the money would be better spent for a new structure. In order to provide for the removal of the present bridge and its replacement with a new modern structure before the end of the current construction season, immediate steps should be taken to award a contract to a competent firm of consulting engineers for the preparation of the necessary plans and specifications.

I have therefore negotiated with the newly-organized engineering firm of William A. Fisher Company, Inc., and said firm has agreed to undertake the work involved in the preparation of plans, specifications, and related services for the construction of a new highway bridge at the above-referenced location, at a fee based on 6.31 per cent of the construction cost, in accordance with the schedule of fees provided in the manual of the American Society of Civil Engineers. While the above-referenced firm is new in the consulting engineering field, I am familiar with the qualifications and background of its officials and key personnel, and I am confident that said firm can render the required services in an efficient and satisfactory manner, in keeping with the high standard of services rendered by consulting engineers that have been engaged by this department over a period of years. There obviously is no advantage in publicly advertising for proposals for professional services of the kind to be included in the subject contract, as it is my unqualified opinion that this type of contract should

not, in the best interests of the public, be awarded on the basis of publicly advertised proposals.

I respectfully request, therefore, your authority to dispense with advertising, and to award a contract to the engineering firm of William A. Fisher Company, Inc., 14 Court square, for the furnishing of design drawings, contract plans, specifications, and related services for the construction of the above-referenced highway bridge which is located on Massachusetts avenue, between St. Botolph street and Columbus avenue, with the understanding that the fee will be computed on the basis of 6.31 per cent of the cost of construction, provided that if any or all of the work designed is not constructed, the engineer shall be paid a fee based on 5.81 per cent of that part of the work designed and not constructed, and with the further understanding that the total fee will not exceed $12,620.

Respectfully yours,

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

CHANGE IN CONTRACT.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

M. Solimando has been ordered to make the following changes in the contract for the Girls' Latin School:

Additions.

Rooms 55 and 57, in the Annex, are shown as storage rooms on present plans, but are to be made into classrooms.

Install 21 No. 7050P Gill classroom fixtures in place of the 15 DER Wheeler fixtures that are shown on plans. Two Simplex classroom clocks are to be added with a feeder of 3/12-inch conduit to be run back to the low-tension panel in basement corridor. Install additional outlets for the extra number of fixtures. Also, a feed for an additional pump in the Fan Room is to be run back to a location of the oil tank. Install a 30-ampere switch at the location of the new pump motor and pump connected to same.

Total cost of this additional work will be $525, less a credit of $55 for the fixtures which were originally specified for Rooms 55 and 57. Addition, $470, 10 per cent general contractor, $47; total addition, $517.

Deduction.

For omitting preparation of floor and installation of asphalt tile in Room 44 of Main Building, deduct, $200.

Total addition, $517; total deduction, $200; net addition to be added to contract, $317, and the amount of $317 will be added therefor, making the account as follows: contract price, $172,842; total additions, $5,894; amount of contract, $178,736.50.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with John M. Kennedy Company, Inc., for interior and exterior painting, including fire escapes, at the Chapman School, from August 30, 1955, to September 30, 1955. This extension was requested because of excessive heat and rainy weather which prevented finishing of outside painting.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with M. Solimando for general modernization work at the Girls' Latin School, from September 2, 1955, to September 30, 1955. This extension was requested because of additional work added to original contract and the steel strike.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Faneuil Construction Company for interior and exterior painting, including fire escapes, at the Peter Faneuil School, from September 2, 1955 to October 30, 1955. This extension was requested because of labor conditions.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with D. Antonellis, Inc., for modernization of plumbing facilities at the Bigelow School, from September 2, 1955, to October 30, 1955. This extension was requested because of delay in obtaining necessary marble to complete plumbing work.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with C. Russo, Inc., for sewerage works in Wilton street, Hyde Park, from August 22, 1955, to September 16, 1955. This extension was requested because the floods caused by the recent rains halted the work.

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 50.

I. PROMOTIONS.

The following promotions are hereby announced, effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, September 7, 1955.

Fire Lieut. John C. T. Hawe, Ladder Company 21, to fire captain.

Fire Fighter Albert V. Dimino, Engine Company 33, to fire lieutenant.

II. TRANSFERS.

The following transfers, effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, September 21, 1955, are hereby announced:

Fire Capt. John C. T. Hawe, from Ladder Company 21 to Engine Company 56.

Fire Lieut. Albert V. Dimino, from Engine Company 33 to Ladder Company 7.

III. RESIGNATION.

The following resignation is hereby announced, effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, September 7, 1955:

Lineman Carl P. DeVasto, Fire Alarm Division.

IV. CHANGE IN RULES AND REGULATIONS, BOSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Rule 146 is hereby rescinded, effective at 8 A.M., Friday, September 9, 1955.

At the same time and date, the following shall become effective:

"Rule 146: Chauffeurs shall be guided by the following table of pressures in maintaining proper tire inflation, subject in each case to age and load:

Pneumatic Tire Size	Inflation Pressure
40 x 8	90 – 100
38 x 7	80 – 90
10.00 x 20	70 – 80
9.00 x 20	70 – 80
8.25 x 20	65 – 75
7.00 x 15	40 – 45
6.00 x 16	28 – 30
6.70 x 15	28 – 30

V. RETIREMENT.

The following retirement, in accordance with section 57, chapter 32, General Laws, as amended, is hereby announced to become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, September 14, 1955:

Fire Lieut. Arthur W. Lundgren, Ladder Company 10.

Fire Lieutenant Lundgren was appointed to the department December 23, 1929, and promoted to the grade of lieutenant February 2, 1944.

Fire Lieutenant Lundgren leaves the department with the best wishes of his associates.

By order of Fire Commissioner FRANCIS X. COTTER.

JOHN V. STAPLETON,
Chief of Department.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION.

NOTE.—Applicants are advised to file applications early. In event of a tie on the eligible list, the applicant who filed his application first will be given precedence.

ELEVATOR INSPECTOR, BOSTON BUILDING DEPARTMENT, OCTOBER 1, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, September 12, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $68 a week; the maximum salary is $83.50 a week.

Vacancies: At present there is one vacancy for a male, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: To make inspections of elevators, escalators and hoists to ascertain conformity with the provisions of the Elevator and Escalator Regulations of the Commonwealth; to examine elevators and premises after accidents and submit reports of the examinations; and to perform related work as required.

A thorough knowledge of the laws, rules and regulations pertaining to the erection, installation, and maintenance of elevators and escalators is required.

Copies of Forms ELV-1 and ELV-2 (Elevator and Escalator Regulations) may be obtained from the State Department of Public Safety, 1010 Commonwealth avenue, Boston.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants who have not reached their twenty-fifth birthday on the date of examination will not be eligible to apply. A certificate of date of birth must be filed with the application *unless* one has been filed with a previous application.

Applicants must have at least three years of full-time paid experience as a licensed elevator mechanic.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

Certification Requirement: Possession of an Elevator Mechanic's License issued by the Massachusetts Department of Public Safety.

TUNNEL TRAFFIC IN MAY.

In the month of May, 1954, 1,031,226 vehicles used the Sumner Tunnel. This is the first time in the history of the tunnel that in excess of 1,000,000 vehicles used the facility in any one month.

In May of 1953, 979,920 vehicles went through the tunnel, or 51,306 less than May of this year.

CITY OF BOSTON AND COUNTY OF SUFFOLK.

STATISTICAL FACTS FOR THE YEAR 1954

Date of incorporation	February 23, 1822
Date of adoption of City Charter (amended January 7, 1925)	1909
Form of Government	Mayor and City Council
Area (square miles)	47.81
Population — Federal Census (August 1, 1950)	801,444
Number of employees as of February 1, 1951	22,806
Boston Housing Authority:	
Federal Program (7,920 apartments housing 7,920 families)	
Number of apartments in veterans' permanent 1- and 2-family homes housing 1,306 families	
State-Aided Developments (containing 3,177 apartments housing 3,177 families)	
Building Department:	
Permits issued	17,515
Estimated cost	$35,771,706
Cemeteries: Number 19—Area (acres)	161 71
Election Department:	
Registered voters	383,861
Number of ballots cast last general election	169,493
Percentage of registered voters voting	44 15
Fire Department:	
Number of stations	51
Number of fireboats	2
Alarms responded to	15,150
Health Department: Health Units	10
Hospitals (Including Boston Sanatorium):	
City Hospital:	
Number of buildings	57
Bed capacity	2,460
Patients, daily average:	
Wards	1,798
Out-patient	891
Long Island Hospital.	
Number of buildings	27
Population	952
Library Department:	
Number of libraries	37
Number of employees (full time)	640
Number of volumes	2,011,358
Circulation	3,162,338
Markets, number of	2
Municipal buildings, number of	27
Park Department: Parks, number of acres	2,240 29
Area of playgrounds and play areas (acres)	807.12
Number of playgrounds and play areas	121
Number of municipal golf links	2
Number of municipal beaches	3
Public grounds and squares (acres)	57.41
Swimming pools (indoor) 2, (outdoor) 2	4
Number of recreation centers and indoor bathhouses	15
Police Department:	
Number of stations and headquarters	18
Arrests	93,294
Public Works Department:	
Bridges, number of	101
Miles of accepted streets and alleys	731
Sewers: Miles of sewers	1,302.75
Catch basins	23,972
Average number of gallons pumped daily at main pumping station	112,980,821
Sumner Traffic Tunnel: Length (feet)	5,654
Two-lane drive: Vehicles passing through — 1953	10,835,674
Water Service:	
Number of meters in service	95,653
Per capita daily average consumption (gallons)	139
Miles of mains: Ordinary	999,136
High pressure	18.72
Rapid Transit: Miles of subways and tunnels	16.81
Schools:	
Number of school buildings	224
Number of teachers	3,655
Average membership	94,774
Average daily attendance:	
Elementary and junior high schools	54,546
High schools	16,201
Kindergartens	8,151
Special schools	1,800

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 2,995.

Patrolmen John J. Carroza and Joseph A. Vellante of Division 10 are commended and each is granted two days' additional vacation for meritorious police work performed on July 7, 1955.

While on their way home after completing a tour of duty, these officers observed an automobile containing four men, two of whom answered the descriptions given out on the teletype earlier that evening as wanted for an assault and robbery in a liquor store. The officers pursued this car to a point where they forced it to the curb and, with drawn revolvers, placed all four suspects under arrest.

The victim of the holdup made positive identification of two of the men as those who had assaulted and robbed him and also identified liquor found in the car as having come from the stock in his store. All four men, including the owner of the car used in the holdup, are being held in substantial bail for the Grand Jury.

The commissioner is pleased to recognize the alertness and courage of Patrolmen Carrozza and Vellante in effecting these important arrests while off duty.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway resurfacing, estimated to be thirty (30) days, vehicles are excluded from the following street, effective September 2, 1955:

Colby Road, West Roxbury.
From Centre street to Weld street.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, occasioned by roadway resurfacing, vehicles are excluded from the following street, one roadway at a time, when and where official signs are in place, on Sundays only beginning September 11, 1955, and continuing on successive Sundays for a period estimated to be five (5) weeks:

Huntington Avenue, Roxbury.
From Massachusetts avenue to Ruggles street.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of repairs to the Congress Street Bridge, vehicles are excluded from the following street from 8 A.M. to 4 P.M. on Wednesday, September 7, 1955:

Congress Street, Boston Proper and South Boston.
From Dorchester avenue to Sleeper street.

POLICE PENSIONS AND BENEFITS.

On December 1, 1952, there were 709 persons on the pension roll. During the year 25 died, 68 were added, leaving 752 on roll to date, 676 pensioners and 76 annuitants. Payments on account of pensions and annuities during the past year amounted to $1,377,183.62, and it is estimated that $1,717,827.71 will be required for pensions and annuities in 1954.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

PSYCHIATRIC SOCIAL WORKER, BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, OCTOBER 22, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, October 3, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $65.50 a week; the maximum salary is $80 a week.

Vacancies: At present there is one vacancy to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: Under the direction of the psychiatrist and/or the neuropsychiatric social case work supervisor, to give psychiatric social case work service to children and adults with personality problems, emotional disturbances or psychosomatic illnesses to enable them to make the best possible social adjustment, including the gathering of psychosocial data through interviews with the patient, and others as necessary, the evaluating of the situation, and the follow-up of plans indicated through the use of resources within the patient himself and his social situation and through the use of community agencies working jointly with the physicians in reinforcing medical and psychiatric care by social readjustment; to interpret the patient, his condition, and the hospital to the patient's family and others concerned; to write social records; to record monthly statistics; and to perform related work as required.

Examples of Duties: Obtaining psychosocial data for the understanding of and for the psychiatric and social treatment of the patient; arranging for personal, family, school or vocational adjustments with psychiatric recommendations, for convalescence or institutional care as indicated, for foster home care for children, and for the use of specialized community resources for the study and treatment of emotionally disturbed children and adults.

The following are required: Knowledge of the methods and principles of social treatment of the sick and of psychiatric social work; knowledge of individual and community health problems; knowledge of medical and psychiatric care facilities and social service resources; ability to deal with people; ability in written and oral expression.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants must have at least two years of satisfactory full-time paid experience in the practice of supervised psychiatric social case work in an agency maintaining acceptable standards. *Substitution:* Successful completion of full-time training, preferably including the psychiatric social sequence, in a recognized graduate school of social work, may be substituted, year for year, for the required experience.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements. Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

TYPEWRITER INSPECTOR AND TECHNICIAN, BOSTON PURCHASING DIVISION, PRINTING SECTION, ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, OCTOBER 29, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, October 10, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $63 a week; the maximum salary is $76.50 a week.

Vacancies: At present there are two vacancies for males, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: Under general supervision, to inspect typewriters in order to determine whether the condition of each machine warrants exchange, rebuilding, or minor repairs and to overhaul, service, rebuild or make minor repairs, as indicated; and to perform related work as required.

At present there are standard and electric Remington, standard, manual elite and portable Royal, standard and portable L. C. Smith, standard and portable Underwood, standard and electric Burroughs, standard and electric IBM, and standard Smith-Corona typewriters in use in the various departments of the City of Boston.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT
CITY OF BOSTON

Deposit in cash or certified check required at the time and place of sale, balance of sale price, if any, together with the payment in lieu of taxes prescribed by law to be paid in 30 days. The Chairman reserves the right to reject any and all bids. All sales subject to confirmation by the Committee on Foreclosed Real Estate. Successful bidders will be required to pay recording fees and for State excise stamps on deeds. Attention is called to Chapter 247 of Acts of 1955.

PUBLIC AUCTION
HYDE PARK — VACANT LAND
TO BE SOLD AT
ROOM 809, CITY HALL ANNEX

THURSDAY — SEPTEMBER 15th — 11 A.M.

★ AREA—1,260,441 square feet (more or less) located at Baker Street, Dedham Parkway and West Roxbury Line (8 Parcels)

★ Assessed Value—$3,700.

★ Minimum Price—$3,700.

Deposit—$1,000—cash or certified check.

Commissioner reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

JOHN J. McGRATH, *Auctioneer.*

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CITY OF BOSTON.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT (SANATORIUM DIVISION).

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR FABRICATION AND INSTALLATION OF FURNISHINGS; AND THE DELIVERY AND INSTALLATION OF EQUIPMENT, FOR THE NURSES' AND EMPLOYEES' CAFETERIAS AT THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL, SANATORIUM DIVISION, 249 RIVER STREET, MATTAPAN 26, MASS.

The City of Boston, by the Board of Trustees, Hospital Department, and of the Boston City Hospital, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for fabrication and installation of furnishings; and the delivery and installation of equipment, for the nurses' and employees' cafeterias at the Sanatorium Division of the Boston City Hospital, 249 River street, Mattapan 26, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Wednesday, September 28, 1955, at the office of the Assistant Superintendent, Sanatorium Division, 249 River street, Mattapan 26, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the office of the Assistant Superintendent. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed and enclosed in an envelope, sealed and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Assistant Superintendent, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $600, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the office of the Assistant Superintendent. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of the contract.

Specifications may be obtained at the office of the Assistant Superintendent on or after 12 o'clock noon, Tuesday, September 13, 1955.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do.

The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all bids in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, AND OF THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL,

RICHARD J. CONDON, *President.*

(Sept. 10.)

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The following instructions have been issued to all heads of departments:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT,
BOSTON, September 15, 1955.

To Department Heads.

Your attention is directed to circular letter issued by this department under date of July 20, 1955, regarding the establishment of a Central Mailing Unit which is now in operation. Under paragraph 5, Item F, reference is made to the use of certified mail rather than registered mail, wherever possible or permissible. At the time of writing, there was some question as to the legality of utilizing certified mail in lieu of registered mail when the statutes or ordinances specified registered mail.

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MAYOR HYNES ISSUES APPEAL TO CITIZENS, IN BEHALF OF BOSTON SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA, TO HELP SHARE IN EDINBURGH FESTIVAL IN AUGUST, 1956.

Mayor Hynes, as a matter of civic pride, has made the first announcement that the Boston Symphony Orchestra and its music director, Charles Munch, have accepted an invitation to appear at Europe's famous Edinburgh Festival during the last week of August, 1956. This will be the first visit of the orchestra to Scotland, which was not included in its European tour of 1952. The tour, the Mayor pointed out, won high tributes from the critics in England, France, Holland, and Germany.

Present plans also call for return engagements in London and Paris following the orchestra's five concerts in Edinburgh, which will be the climatic week of the festival. The Mayor said he joined with officials of the Boston orchestra in the hope that its European engagements may be extended in the following weeks.

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MAYOR JOHN B. HYNES GIVES ACCOUNTING OF THE MANAGEMENT OF BOSTON'S AFFAIRS IN BROADCAST BY TELEVISION — EXPRESSES THANKS TO CITIZENS FOR SUPPORT IN EFFORT TO LIVE UP TO RESPONSIBILITIES OF LEADERSHIP ENTRUSTED TO HIM IN THE ACCOMPLISHMENTS AND ACHIEVEMENTS OF HIS ADMINISTRATION — FACED ALL PROBLEMS CONFRONTING HIM WITH COURAGE, BELIEVING HE HAD GOODWILL OF ALL — ASKS THAT GOODWILL BE CONTINUED.

Following are the remarks of his Honor the Mayor, John B. Hynes, broadcast over WBZ-TV on Monday, September 12:

Good Evening, Ladies and Gentlemen.

In this telecast, and in the others I shall make between now and election day early in November, I shall give an accounting, as complete as time will permit, of my stewardship as the Mayor of Boston.

Before I proceed, may I express my gratitude to all those citizens who supported and voted for me on the two previous occasions I have been a candidate for mayor, and may I also, at this time, extend my appreciation to all those who have been helpful to me, and to the City of Boston, during my years of service as mayor.

And, in that vein, may I mention the encouragement I feel in the knowledge that the friends who aided me six years ago and four years ago are again supporting me in my present contest for re-election.

Looking back over the period of my service as Chief Executive of Boston, I have come to the conclusion that no mayor, no matter who or what he may be, no matter how intelligent or capable he may be, no matter how informed or experienced he may be, can hope to accomplish much unless he has behind him the confidence of the people whom he serves. And it follows, as night follows day, that no mayor can expect to have the inspiration and the weight of public confidence as his strong allies unless by his own acts he earns and justifies that confidence.

Confidence of All People.

If a mayor is a self-seeker, a demagogue, a political opportunist, or one who favors one element in the community over another — that mayor will not, and cannot, have the confidence of the whole public. And he will not, and he cannot, be a good mayor for our city and all the people of our city.

The day I was first inaugurated Mayor of Boston, I declared that our city did not belong to any one man, to any one group, to any select few. I stated that it belonged to all the people, and that I intended to be mayor of all the people. And to be mayor of all the people of Boston, regardless of political considerations, and regardless of my own future prospects, has been my aim, my purpose, my objective, and my policy during each day, each month, and each year of my service.

If it is the judgment of the voters of Boston that I should be re-elected and returned to office, I shall continue to serve, to the best of my ability, all of the people of our city.

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"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean;
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, September 19, at 2 P.M.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries, or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the Complaints Division, Room 25, City Hall.

Information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways, the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments of streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped area for streets and the opening of private ways; the making of specific repairs in public streets; the naming of public streets, including the use of public ways for location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railways, coal holes, and vaults, may be secured from the Public Improvement Commission, Room 403, City Hall Annex.

TO THE BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION, 112 Southampton street, for information relative to regulation of vehicular street traffic on all or any streets, ways, highways, roads, and parkways under the control of the City of Boston, the issuing of all permits in connection therewith.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting, and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of Sumner Tunnel, the maintenance of bridges and draw-bridges, and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Haymarket Square, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish, and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughterhouses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases, of public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth Avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park, and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts, also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview, and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

TO THE DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS, 28 Norman street, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

TO THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, ROOM 907, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal, or tearing down buildings.

TO THE ELECTRICAL INSPECTION DIVISION OF THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT, 1001 City Hall Annex, for all information relative to the erection of poles, building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division; also for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings of the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

TO THE BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT, 43 City Hall, relative to changes in the boundary lines of zoning districts of the City of Boston as established by chapter 488 of the Acts of 1924, and amendments thereto.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending September 10, 1955.

Population as of July, 1950, Massachusetts State Census, 817,713; population estimated July, 1955, United States Census Bureau, 813,696; number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 136; nonresidents, 63; total, 199.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 12.56; nonresidents deducted, 8.64.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:

Last week, 11.66; corresponding week last year, 12.31.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 13; one year to four years, inclusive, 1; sixty years and over, 110. Total deaths: Male, 104; female, 95; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 155.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Sept. 10, 1955.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Sept. 11, 1954.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior Poliomyelitis	162	3	10	—
Diphtheria	—	—	—	—
Encephalitis Lethargica	—	—	—	—
Influenza	—	—	—	—
Measles	—	—	16	—
Meningitis Epidemic	—	—	2	1
Pneumonia (lobar)	—	1	—	2
Scarlet Fever	—	—	1	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary)	15	2	22	1
Childhood Type Tuberculosis	—	—	—	—
Tuberculosis (other forms)	2	—	4	—
Typhoid Fever	—	—	—	—
Whooping Cough	1	—	19	1

*Residents and nonresidents included.

MAYOR HYNES GIVES ACCOUNTING OF HIS ADMINISTRATION IN TV BROADCAST.

(*Continued from page 1097.*)

It would be the statement of a supreme egotist were I to say that the future of Boston would be dark and forbidding unless I were re-elected. I make no such claim. I do submit, however, that no other candidate for mayor in the present contest has a greater love for our city than I; no candidate has a more intimate knowledge of Boston's current problems than I; no candidate for mayor has greater concern for the future of our city than I; nor a better conception of what should, what can, and what must be done, if Boston is to improve, and hold its place as one of the leading cities of our country.

Despite the bombastic assertions and gloomy prediction of those whose political aspirations becloud their thinking, Boston is not a pathetic, infirm, bedraggled, ghost city. On the contrary, it is a live, vibrant, substantial, wholesome city—yes, a proud old city—whose future, if we wish to make it so, if we are willing to share a little bit in the responsibility for making it so, can far outdo and excel its past.

The average citizen cannot, I acknowledge, become deeply involved in the long-range or short-range problems of the city government. You must depend on your elected officials to assume that responsibility. But, every citizen can, and does, share in the present and future prospects of our city by the choice made of the officials who are elected to manage the affairs of the city government. It is, therefore, of the utmost importance for every citizen to vote on preliminary election day, September 27, and at the final election on November 8. It is by your vote that the right kind of officials are elected.

Boston Has Many Problems.

The City of Boston has many problems, some of them deep-rooted, and of long duration. They are not insurmountable. They are not the kind of problems that should be entrusted for solution to individuals who seek as through a glass darkly, or whose consuming political ambitions preclude any rational estimation of Boston's future place in our form of democratic government.

It is my hope that my service as mayor, the achievements and the accomplishments of my administration, and the tone and atmosphere of that administration, are adequate proof that I have not shied away from the responsibilities of office, and that I have done everything within my power to guard the substance of our city, while, at the same time, doing what should be done to make Boston a better city. No large city in America is, today, without its problems of major consequence. I don't know of any of these cities which is ready to put up the white flag of surrender. Certainly, we are not going to do it, for whatever our problems may be, we shall fight them. We shall not run away from them. We shall never admit they cannot be solved.

Even as I speak to you tonight, there is a new spirit abroad in our city. On every side, representatives of capital, of labor, of business, of the professions, of the clergy, are joining hands in a cooperative effort to meet, head on, the problems which changing times have brought to our old city of Boston, and to our entire Boston community. The best example of that new spirit can be found in the seminars held at Boston College for the past year, and to be continued this year—seminars which focus a wealth of study, and survey, and research, and knowledge on those very problems which have such an influence on the future of this great metropolitan center we call the City of Boston. I am tremendously encouraged by this new spirit. Channeled in the right direction, this new spirit can mean a better community for all of us.

In other telecasts, it will be my purpose to discuss the progress made by my administration during my tenure of office, and to also discuss those matters of importance which affect the lives and the well-being of our city and its people.

In the time remaining tonight, I would like to present what I believe to be the fundamental purposes of government.

As I view it, a city has no justification for its existence unless it is far more than a concentrated mass of inert structures. A city, including Boston, meets its challenge when it recognizes that it is people, men and women and children of flesh and blood, who make up that city—who are the heart and the soul of that city, who are the reasons for the city's existence. The basic concern of any city must be to promote the general welfare of all its people, not merely those who are self-sufficient, but those who are old, helpless, sick, or friendless,—to aid them when they need aid, to administer to them when they need care, to provide for them when the candle of life burns low. To me, this is a primary concept of government—a concept my administration has never lost sight of, and will not, in the future. I doubt that ever, in the history of our city has so much been done, for so many people, the old, the young, the handicapped, as has been done during my terms of office.

Whatever we have done has been with that concept in mind, for in my judgment no accomplishment is worthy of mention, unless by it, and through it, humanity, the people is served in some beneficial way.

Better Days and Greater Things.

In closing this talk, may I say it is my honest belief that Boston is on the verge of better days and greater things. There will be trying days ahead. Of that I am sure, for the costs of government in all its phases, have out-paced, for the time being at least, the income of the city. For this reason, every proposal for major expenditure must be carefully analyzed and justified before it is made. For this reason, too, every economy which can be accomplished without harmful effects should be made.

On two occasions, the voters of Boston entrusted to me the job of directing the affairs of our city. At no time have I betrayed that trust. I will not in the future. It has been my policy to meet each situation as it arises without fear of the political consequences which might be expected to follow from the decisions which must be made. It has been my policy to conduct the affairs of our city in a nondramatic, nonpolitical, business-like way. I hope I have lived up to your expectations.

If you re-elect me, I shall continue these same policies. Whatever I can do to improve our city, to bring more happiness into the lives of our citizens, I shall do. Whatever I can do to promote the general prosperity of our people, I shall do. Whatever I can do to make Boston a better place to live in, I shall do.

It has been a great honor to be your mayor. If you feel that I have met the test, I most respectfully ask you to make your feelings known by voting for me on preliminary election day, September 27. In return for that vote, I pledge my every effort in behalf of the City of Boston, and all of its people.

Thank you for listening to me. I hope you will tune in your sets to subsequent telecasts I shall make.

Good night, all.

MAYOR EXTENDS NEW YEAR GREETINGS TO CITIZENS OF JEWISH FAITH.

To all my fellow citizens of the Jewish Faith, I extend both official and personal best wishes at the beginning of the Jewish New Year.

May each day in the year to come be bright and soul-satisfying.

May the Lord of ALL be your constant guide.

CERTIFIED MAIL MAY NOW BE USED BY CITY DEPARTMENTS.

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Since the issuance of the circular letter to which I made reference, chapter 683 of the Acts of 1955, entitled "An Act Defining Registered Mail to Include Certified Mail in Certain Cases," has become effective, providing for the use of certified mail in each case where a previous statute requires the use of registered mail when used with reference to the sending of notice or of any article having no intrinsic value.

In all cases in the future where items of value are not involved and where existing statutes stipulate the use of registered mail, you are now authorized, under the provisions of the new act, to utilize certified mail, thereby realizing a saving of 25 cents on each such parcel. Since the Post Office destroys records relative to the delivery of certified mail six months after delivery, you should instruct your personnel to request a return receipt every time certified mail is utilized.

A saving of 25 cents on each parcel of mail which required mailing in "registered" form in the past should indicate substantial savings in the future and your full cooperation in complying with the instructions contained herein is respectfully requested.

Very truly yours,

CHARLES J. FOX,
Director.

MAYOR APPEALS FOR CONTRIBUTIONS FOR BOSTON SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA.

(*Continued from page 1097.*)

The Mayor also called attention to the fact that transportation costs for the Symphony Orchestra will be quite heavy and that an additional $20,000 is necessary to make certain that the full orchestra will represent Boston at the festival. Contributions for this purpose may be sent to Mr. Richard C. Paine, treasurer, Symphony Hall, Boston, Mass.

LAND-TAKING FOR SEWERAGE WORKS.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that sewerage works in Lorna road and Lena terrace, Dorchester, be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within thirty (30) days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Lena terrace, bounded:

Northwesterly by the southeasterly line of West Selden street, twenty-five and 00-100 feet; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Lena terrace, two hundred forty-two and 16-100 feet; southeasterly by the northwesterly line of Lorna road, forty and 00-100 feet; southwesterly by the southwesterly line of Lena terrace, one hundred thirty-six and 00-100 feet; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Lena terrace, fifteen and 00-100 feet; southwesterly again by the southwesterly line of Lena terrace, one hundred five and 84-100 feet, containing eight thousand ninety-two square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being the private way known as Lorna road, bounded:

Northeasterly by the southwesterly line of the public way known as Lorna road, fifty and 00-100 feet; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Lorna road by two measurements, six hundred eighty-six and 89-100 feet and seventeen and 33-100 feet on a curve of twenty-five and 00-100 feet radius; southwesterly by the southwesterly line of Lorna road, one hundred eighty-one and 12-100 feet on a curve of forty and 00-100 feet radius; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Lorna road by two measurements, seventeen and 33-100 feet on a curve of twenty-five and 00-100 feet radius and six hundred eighty-six and 89-100 feet, containing thirty-nine thousand six hundred ten square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: In Lorna road, 720 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sewer and 12-inch surface drain at an estimated cost of $10,800; in Lena terrace, 310 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sewer and 12-inch surface drain at an estimated cost of $1,650.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the abutting parcels of land situated on both sides of Lorna road will receive benefit or advantage beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement herein ordered; each of said parcels in the amount hereinafter respectively set against it, said parcels and the supposed owners thereof being shown on the plan hereinbefore referred to.

Parcel.		Amount.
1.	Bratt Construction Company	$309
2.	Bratt Construction Company	309
3.	Bratt Construction Company	309
4.	Bratt Construction Company	309
5.	Bratt Construction Company	309
6.	Bratt Construction Company	309
7.	Bratt Construction Company	309
8.	Bratt Construction Company	309
9.	Bratt Construction Company	309
10.	Bratt Construction Company	309
11.	Bratt Construction Company	309
12.	Bratt Construction Company	309
13.	Bratt Construction Company	309
14.	Bratt Construction Company	309
15.	Bratt Construction Company	309
16.	Bratt Construction Company	309
17.	Bratt Construction Company	309
18.	Bratt Construction Company	309
19.	Bratt Construction Company	309
20.	Bratt Construction Company	309
Total		$6,180

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of easements for sewerage purposes and the construction of sewerage works in Lena terrace and Lorna road, Dorchester district, under the order of this commission of September 7, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

Owners unknown (Lena terrace), 8,092 square feet, nothing.

Owners unknown (Lorna road), 39,610 square feet, nothing.

SEWERAGE WORKS IN CHARLESTOWN.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that sewerage works be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within thirty (30) days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly Charlestown and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to the Boston & Maine Railroad, bounded:

Northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Terminal street, nine and 37-100 feet; westerly by other land of the Boston & Maine Railroad, eighty-nine and 20-100 feet, more or less; southerly by the South Channel of the Mystic River, eight and 01-100 feet; easterly again by other land of the Boston & Maine Railroad, ninety-three and 62-100 feet, more or less, containing seven hundred thirty-one square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to the Boston & Maine Railroad, bounded:

Northerly by the southerly line of Terminal street, eight and 06-100 feet; westerly by other land of the Boston & Maine Railroad, one hundred thirty and 48-100 feet, more or less; southerly by the South Channel of the Mystic River, eight feet; easterly again by land of the Boston & Maine Railroad, one hundred twenty-nine and 48-100 feet, containing one thousand forty square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to the Boston & Maine Railroad, bounded:

Northeasterly by the southwesterly line of Terminal street, eight and 73-100 feet on a curve of two hundred eighty-two and 20-100 feet radius; easterly by other land of the Boston & Maine Railroad, ninety-four and 87-100 feet, more or less, southerly by the South Channel of the Mystic River, eight feet, and easterly, ninety-one and 39-100 feet, more or less, containing seven hundred forty-five square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: 113 linear feet of 10-inch pipe surface drain at a cost of $1,356; 103 linear feet of 12-inch pipe surface drain at a cost of $1,442; 147 linear feet of 15-inch pipe surface drain at a cost of $2,352; total estimated cost is five thousand one hundred and fifty dollars ($5,150).

No betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of easements for sewerage purposes and the construction of sewerage works in Terminal street, Charlestown district, under the order of the commission of August 11, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

Boston & Maine Railroad, 731 square feet, nothing.

Boston & Maine Railroad, 1,010 square feet, nothing.

Boston & Maine Railroad, 715 square feet, nothing.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of Jewish Memorial Day visits to cemeteries, the following traffic rules are effective on Sunday, September 11, 1955:

The following streets are one way in the direction indicated:

Baker Street, West Roxbury.
From Veterans of Foreign Wars Parkway to the Boston-Newton line.

Birchwood Street, West Roxbury.
From Grove street to Washington street.

Grove Street, West Roxbury.
From Washington street to Birchwood street.

Rockland Street, West Roxbury.
From Dedham line to Washington street.

Stimson Street, West Roxbury.
From Grove street to Washington street.

Parking of vehicles is prohibited in the following streets:

Baker Street, West Roxbury.
Both sides, from Newton line to four hundred (400) feet southeast of Newton line.

Centre Street, West Roxbury.
Both sides, from Stimson street to the Dedham line.

Grove Street, West Roxbury.
Both sides, from Washington street to the Dedham line.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following personnel changes:

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

For the week ending August 30:

The following weekly nurses have been appointed:

Permanent.—Frances Knight, 2062 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, floor nurse, $63 a week; Eileen (Riley) Donahue, 26 Spring Garden street, Dorchester, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Pauline LeBel, 15 Royce road, floor nurse, $45 a week; Dolores Alleyne, 64 Crawford street, Roxbury, Irene Picarsky, 31 Edison Green, Dorchester, floor nurses, $60.50 a week.

Temporary.—Ruth Pilgrim, 322 St. Paul street, Brookline, Marjorie Coleman, 41 Fairbanks street, Brighton, Ann (Monahan) Savage, 11 Alfred road, Arlington, Joyce A. Saunders, 19 Aberdeen street, Margaret LeBlanc, 1 Orient avenue, East Boston, Florence Sullivan, 17 Fair Oaks street, North Cambridge, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour.

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—Elizabeth F. Selden, 160 Harold street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $48 a week; Violet Schurr, 1063 Belmont street, Watertown, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Nancy Ann Jackson, 11 East Newton street, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour.

Temporary.—William Aylward, 2 Lorene road, Jamaica Plain, Jason Fox, 152 Callender street, Dorchester, Frances A. Murphy, 40 Weld Hill street, Jamaica Plain, Walter Lee Faggett, 91 Munroe street, Roxbury, Dorothy R. Luciano, 16 Fermoy Heights avenue, Dorchester, Patrick John Tague, 421 Old Colony avenue, South Boston, Henry G. Levinson, 33 Brainerd road, Allston, Lawrence G. Mulcahy, 73 Hamilton street, Hyde Park, Thomas F. Settino, 42 Hecla street, Dorchester, Donald E. Webster, 846 East Fifth street, South Boston, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; Christine Craddock, 81 Montebello road, Jamaica Plain, hospital house worker, $43 a week; Harvey J. Beth, 42 Estrella street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; Mary M. Simmons, 11 Branton street, Dorchester, telephone operator, $55.50 a week; Nancy E. Warwick, 322 St. Paul street, Brookline, Claire M. Silck, 32 Marshall street, Winthrop, Ruth L. Pilgrim, 322 St. Paul street, Brookline, Mary Hanlon, 95 Maverick street, Chelsea, Patricia Delaney, 740 Bennington street, East Boston, Mary E. Brennan, 18 Mall street, Salem, Edith McK. Donaghue, 67 Greaton road, West Roxbury, Florence Sullivan, 17 Fair Oaks street, Cambridge, Yolanda Evans, 126 Waverly street, Everett, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour.

South Division.

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Marie Crowley, 18 Laite road, Wilmington, 7 days; Theresa Frazier, 1644 Turnpike road, Stoughton, 3 days; Veronica McElligott, 34 Dickinson street, Somerville, 7 days; Margaret Nolan, 14 Dix street, Dorchester, 5 days.

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 13.

GAS FITTER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
L. Luxton	41 Armandine street	17	New appliances	$60
M. Zeolla	596 Atlantic avenue	3	New appliances	100
A. Gardella	21 Battery street	3	New appliances	18
J. McLaughlin	9 Bourne street	19	New appliances	25
S. Kramer	453 Broadway	6	New appliances	100
D. Spiers	49 Brook Farm road	20	New appliances	1,400
R. Ebba	54 Brooks street	1	New appliances	100
S. Staretz	18 Common street	3	New appliances	200
N. Deutsch	15 Cottage street	1	New appliances	140
R. Ebba	192 Cottage street	1	New appliances	100
E. Pascucci	10 Drake place	1	New appliances	25
T. O'Brien	668 East Broadway	6	New appliances	100
N. Deutsch	69 Faywood avenue	1	New appliances	30
C. O'Connor	5 Frothingham avenue	2	New appliances	55
A. Gardella	477 Hanover street	3	New appliances	12
H. Cutler	89 Harrishof street	12	New appliances	20
C. Chiaramonte	220 Havre street	1	New appliances	100
A. Gardella	4 Henchman street	3	New appliances	65
N. Deutsch	16 Henry street	1	New appliances	30
A. Gardella	23 Irving street	5	New appliances	35
D. Greenwood	37 Knoll street	20	New appliances	15
E. Pascucci	305 Lexington street	1	New appliances	15
N. Deutsch	239 Leyden street	1	New appliances	30
E. Pascucci	41 Maverick square	1	New appliances	25
S. Kramer	237 Minot street	16	New appliances	75
A. Gardella	250 North street	3	New appliances	50
D. Greenwood	55 Orchardhill road	11	New appliances	25
A. Onessimo	16 Park street	2	New appliances	100
B. Szathmary	78 Portland street	3	New appliances	50
J. Sussenberger	247 Princeton street	1	New appliances	100
E. Pascucci	1063 Saratoga street	1	New appliances	25
P. Sparco	631 Walk Hill street	18	New appliances	100
S. Chipman	736 Washington street	17	New appliances	10
E. Pascucci	9 Wordsworth street	1	New appliances	25
J. Madden	65 Allen street	3	New appliances	75
S. Landau	4 Ashford court	21	New appliances	15
F. Avery	40 Brookdale street	19	New appliances	12
R. Holmes	61 Cass street	20	New appliances	100
F. Avery	266 Centre street	10	New appliances	25
F. Avery	306 Centre street	10	New appliances	25
F. Avery	629 Centre street	19	New appliances	20
F. Avery	790 Centre street	19	New appliances	20
A. Granara	220–230 Commercial street	3	New appliances	100
S. Landau	1868 Commonwealth avenue	21	New appliances	20
F. Odenweller	126 D street	6	New appliances	60
F. Farrar	8 Dalton street	4	New appliances	15
F. Avery	26 Danforth street	19	New appliances	10
W. Fishman	29 Dania street	18	New appliances	100
W. Fishman	33 Dania street	18	New appliances	100
W. Fishman	36 Dania street	18	New appliances	100
D. O'Neill	8 Darling street	10	New appliances	10
F. Avery	10 Day street	10	New appliances	25
C. Bevelander	176 Dorchester street	7	New appliances	100
C. Mehegan	591 East Seventh street	7	New appliances	600
W. Connell	71 Gladeside avenue	18	New appliances	25
W. Connell	110 Greenbrier street	17	New appliances	85
A. Stahly	31 Hendry street	15	New appliances	70
F. Farrar	187 Huntington avenue	4	New appliances	15
F. Avery	160 Hyde Park avenue	19	New appliances	50
F. Avery	332 Jamaicaway	19	New appliances	10
W. Fishman	2 Jamestown terrace	18	New appliances	100
W. Fishman	5 Jamestown terrace	18	New appliances	100
W. Fishman	6 Jamestown terrace	18	New appliances	100
W. Connell	39 King street	16	New appliances	30
F. Avery	740 La Grange street	20	New appliances	15
D. O'Neill	9 Larkhill road	20	New appliances	20
W. Connell	249 Manchester street	18	New appliances	20
R. DiLorenzo	174 Maverick street	1	New appliances	8
W. Connell	39 Meadowbank avenue	18	New appliances	25
F. Avery	20 Moss Hill road	19	New appliances	25
E. Murphy	3 Mt. Vernon street	7	New appliances	100
F. Avery	43 Mozart street	10	New appliances	20
W. Connell	85 Neponset avenue	16	New appliances	75
D. O'Neill	166 Norfolk avenue	8	New appliances	25
A. Granara	374 North street	3	New appliances	30
A. Onessimo	87 North Margin street	3	New appliances	50
W. Connell	31 North Munroe terrace	16	New appliances	20
W. Connell	39 Norwell street	14	New appliances	800
F. Avery	78 Orchard street	19	New appliances	25
A. Granara	7 Park street	2	New appliances	125
S. Landau	509 Park Drive	21	New appliances	50
F. Avery	47 Prince street	19	New appliances	20
F. Odenweller	61 Ridgeview avenue	18	New appliances	25
F. Avery	39 Round Hill street	10	New appliances	25
F. Avery	70 School street	11	New appliances	20
D. O'Neill	8 Sheffield road	20	New appliances	25
D. O'Neill	5 Sunset street	10	New appliances	85
F. Avery	115 Temple street	20	New appliances	10
F. Avery	67 Tower street	11	New appliances	25
A. Nickinello	226 Washington street	22	New appliances	50
R. McCall	72 and 74 Waverly street	22	New appliances	50
R. McCall	76 and 78 Waverly street	22	New appliances	50
C. Bevelander	300 Western avenue	22	New appliances	100
F. Avery	40 Woodlawn street	11	New appliances	10
A. Farley	28 Batchelder street	8	New appliances	15
H. Geddis	472 Beacon street	5	New appliances	15
A. Farley	102 Blue Hill avenue	8	New appliances	10

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 13.—Concluded.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
L. Luxton	38 Boston street	7	New appliances	$35
A. Farley	113 Bower street	12	New appliances	15
A. Farley	49 Brook avenue	8	New appliances	15
A. Farley	183 Centre street	11	New appliances	20
K. Hering	Rear 270½ Centre street	10	New appliances	50
A. Farley	63 Clifford street	12	New appliances	15
A. Farley	36 Cobden street	11	New appliances	30
K. Hering	19 Dauforth street	19	New appliances	380
M. Caputo	543 East Sixth street	7	New appliances	20
H. Geddis	36 Edgerly road	1	New appliances	225
A. Farley	300 Eustis street	8	New appliances	20
R. DiLorenzo	91 Everett street	1	New appliances	10
M. Caputo	281 Gold street	7	New appliances	170
A. Farley	24 Fenwick street	9	New appliances	20
H. Geddis	31 Gloucester street	5	New appliances	12
R. Weider	9 Holmfield street	18	New appliances	75
I. Himelfarb	213A Humboldt avenue	12	New appliances	35
H. Geddis	331 Huntington avenue	4	New appliances	10
A. Farley	9 Ingleside street	13	New appliances	20
C. Gioiosa	185 Maverick street	1	New appliances	25
H. Hinckley	34 Newbern street	19	New appliances	165
A. Farley	733 Parker street	10	New appliances	35
A. Farley	120 Regent street	12	New appliances	10
I. Himelfarb	198 Shawmut avenue	3	New appliances	40
A. Farley	63 Stanwood street	14	New appliances	50
A. Farley	50 Vale street	11	New appliances	35
L. Luxton	7 Ware street	15	New appliances	25
L. Visco	55 West Eagle street	1	New appliances	100
M. Caputo	149 West Sixth street	6	New appliances	40
A. Farley	21 Whiting street	12	New appliances	20
K. Hering	10 Whittemore terrace	15	New appliances	100
A. Farley	10 Woodville park	8	New appliances	25
P. Gulesian	63 Arlington street	18	New appliances	20
N. Clark	15 Burrill place	7	New appliances	400
P. Janis	44 Cedar street	11	New appliances	50
P. Gulesian	142 Central avenue	18	New appliances	200
F. Avery	334 Centre street	10	New appliances	25
J. Murphy	68 Charles street	15	New appliances	25
A. Granara	25 Charter street	3	New appliances	40
N. Clark	2187 Dorchester avenue	17	New appliances	100
P. Farrell	727 Dudley street	13	New appliances	75
W. Foster	85 East Brookline street	8	New appilances	200
N. Clark	558 East Fifth street	6	New appliances	400
N. Clark	62 Eutaw street	1	New appliances	15
N. Clark	53 Fayston street	14	New appliances	400
B. Zieff	27 Garrison street	4	New appliances	450
S. Sawtelle	21 Glade avenue	11	New appliances	195
S. Pryor	142 High street	2	New appliances	50
N. Clark	829 Hyde Park avenue	18	New appliances	400
N. Clark	131 Lasell street	20	New appliances	300
P. Gulesian	693 Metropolitan avenue	18	New appliances	200
J. Kurlian	Mt. Washington street	6	New appliances	50
A. Granara	33 North square	3	New appliances	25
S. Sawtelle	33 Percival street	15	New appliances	100
N. Clark	103 Robey street	8	New appliances	400
S. Kramer	17 South Russell street	3	New appliances	100
N. Clark	39 Sullivan street	2	New appliances	15
N. Clark	15 Tennis road	18	New appliances	300
P. Gulesian	3 Traeton avenue	18	New appliances	400
W. Foster	10 Tyler street	3	New appliances	200
P. Farrell	575 Washington street	17	New appliances	75
P. Gulesian	142 West street	18	New appliances	200
L. Viseo	56 West Eagle street	1	New appliances	100
B. Weiner	101 West Canton street	9	New appliances	15
B. Weiner	108 West Canton street	9	New appliances	100
M. Loiterstein	65 Whiting street	12	New appliances	60
F. Rull	580 East Broadway	6	New appliances	100
B. Szathmary	37 Garden street	5	New appliances	500
B. Szathmary	41 Garden street	5	New appliances	500
D. Krieger	120 Howard avenue	13	New appliances	65
C. Kay	42 Howell street	7	New appliances	400
F. Rull	172 Marine road	7	New appliances	120
D. Carey	241 St. Botolph street	4	New appliances	45
A. Granara	53 Spring street	3	New appliances	25
D. Slavet	25 Story street	7	New papliances	75
D. Carey	51 West Cedar street	5	New appliances	30
D. Krieger	68 Wildwood street	14	New appliances	100
A. Milligan	10 Amesbury street	20	New appliances	100
I. Himelfarb	608 Atlantic avenue	3	New appliances	100
L. Rubin	4 Ballou avenue	14	New appliances	40
C. Bevelander	135 Bay State road	5	New appliances	100
M. Loiterstein	1208C Blue Hill avenue	14	New appliances	35
D. O'Neill	23 Burard street	20	New appliances	25
H. Geddis	55 Burbank street	4	New appliances	10
D. O'Neill	12 Carmel street	10	New appliances	10
J. Rinaldi	73 Carver street	5	New appliances	200
D. O'Neill	26 Centre street	9	New appliances	50
B. Szathmary	61 Chestnut street	5	New appliances	100
P. Russo	43 Chittick road	18	New appliances	30
H. Geddis	393 Commonwealth avenue	5	New applisnces	50
D. O'Neill	793 East Fourth street	6	New appliances	10
D. O'Neill	615 East Second street	6	New appliances	10
M. Woods	2 Elm street	16	New appliances	100
E. Murphy	26 Greenbrier street	15	New appliances	45
G. Kinsman	894 Harrison avenue	8	New appliances	35
P. Russo	6 Hopkins place	18	New appliances	70
E. Pascucci	182 Leyden street	1	New appliances	15
D. Henderson	144 Lincoln street	22	New appliances	75

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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The following temporary employees have been appointed:

Margaret Barr, 690 Massachusetts avenue, John Bertuccio, 174 Maverick street, East Boston, Lawrence Manning, 25 Appleton street, James J. Murray, 115 Memorial Drive, Cambridge, Anthony Pacitta, 264 Havre street, East Boston, Jesse Randolph, 86 Harrishof street, Roxbury, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; Patricia Phipps, 25 Elder terrace, Arlington, floor nurse, $1 an hour.

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—Mary O'Brien, 42 Blue Hill avenue, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $48 a week.

Temporary.—Joseph Bogni, 5 Wayland street, Dorchester, Virginia Irwin, 2 Woodrow Wilson court, Roxbury, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; Francis Kramer, 1183 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week; Veronica Beauregard, R.F.D. No. 1, Westminster, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Jane F. O'Donnell, 936 East Broadway, South Boston, floor nurse, $1 an hour.

Appointments.

Boston Traffic Commission.

John E. Joyce, 226 Bowen street, South Boston, parking meter collector, $58 a week.

Donald W. McGuire, 8 St. Gregory street, Dorchester, parking meter collector, $58 a week.

Walter N. Stewart, 1950 Beacon street, Brighton, traffic sign maintenance man, $55.50 a week.

Election Department.

William V. Wallace, 14 Prospect avenue, Roslindale, assistant registrar of voters, $68 a week.

Penal Institutions Department.

House of Correction.

Leo J. Esinhart, Jr., 35 Leroy street, Dorchester, correction officer, $65.50 a week.

Charles A. DiCicco, 365 Sumner street, East Boston, correction officer, $65.50 a week.

John W. Perry, 48 Bow street, Hyde Park, correction officer, $65.50 a week.

Walter S. Goguen, 753 Saratoga street, East Boston, correction officer, $65.50 a week.

Charles J. Cotter, 11 Leslie street, Dorchester, correction officer, $65.50 a week.

Alfred C. Antonelli, 935 Albany street, Roxbury, correction officer, $65.50 a week.

George T. Leonard, 20 Wales street, correction officer, $65.50 a week.

Robert J. Dowling, 3 Hayes Block, Charlestown, correction officer, $65.50 a week.

Welfare Department.

Central Office.

Weston E. McArthur, 180 Ruggles street, social worker, $65.50 a week.

Anthony Colarossi, 116 Falcon street, East Boston, social worker, $65.50 a week.

Salvatore Freddura, 350 Hanover street, social worker, $65.50 a week.

Anne S. Gerber, 64 Parkman street, Brookline, in-service training supervisor, $90.50 a week.

William L. McDonald, 8 Beale street, Dorchester, watchman, $50.50 a week.

Appointments or Reinstatements.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Printing Section.

Nora C. Coleman, 18 Mather street, Dorchester, clerk-typist, $43 a week.

Joseph Herlihy, 1 O'Reilly Way, Charlestown, cylinder pressman, $93.86 a week.

Solomon Baker, 15 Dumas street, Dorchester, job pressman, $89.23 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Costas D. Verros, 270 Huntington avenue, public health dentist, $94 a week.

Teresa DiGenio, 636 Saratoga street, East Boston, junior bacteriologist, $63 a week.

Millicent L. Carpenter, 43 Rutland street, public health nurse, $63 a week.

Maureen E. Tobin, 368 Gallivan Boulevard, Dorchester, public health nurse, $63 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Dorothy Newsome, 941 Albany street, hospital medical worker, $48 a week.

Estelle Kantos, 103 Hemenway street, physical therapist, $58 a week.

Carol Madden, 73 Child street, Jamaica Plain, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

Elizabeth Henriksen, 41 Maple street, Milton, licensed attendant nurse, $65.50 a week.

Long Island Division.

Dora Richards, 68 Grampian Way, Dorchester, attendant nurse, $45.50 a week.

LICENSING BOARD.

Charles L. Malley, 77 Ardale street, Roslindale, principal account clerk, $65.50 a week.

William Hannafin, 824 Parker street, Roxbury, clerk-typist, $43 a week.

Thomas J. DeCourcy, 23 Parkton road, Jamaica Plain, principal clerk and typist, $65.50 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Mary A. DeCoster, 49 Regent street, Roxbury, recreation instructor, specialist, mentally retarded children, $11.60 a day.

Helen F. Freeman, 18 Treadway road, Dorchester, recreation instructor, specialist, mentally retarded children, $11.60 a day.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Bridge-Tunnel Division.

Richard W. Casey, 165 Kelton street, Brighton, tollman-guard, $63 a week.

Water Division.

Maria Cardinale, 161 Trenton street, East Boston, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Helen V. Gurney, 649 East Seventh street, South Boston, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Joan F. Tobin, 80 Spencer street, Dorchester, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 13.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Quincy Market	180 Atlantic avenue	3	Alterations, vacant	$800
Andrew Johnson	42 Brookdale street	19	Alterations, dwelling	251
First National Bank	11 Burroughs street	19	Alterations, storage	700
Patrick McCabe	99 Bushnell street	16	Alterations, dwelling	346
Elsa Veidelis	326 Centre street	10	Alterations, dwelling	500
Friend Brothers	773 Centre street	19	Alterations, store	500
Robert Kates	1904 Centre street	20	Alterations, store	200
Margaret Diggins	58 Clarendon street	4	Alterations, dwelling, store	350
Mrs. Foley	474 Columbus avenue	4	Alterations, dwelling, store	750
Ralph Dragone	21 Como road	18	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Greta Cluff	182 Cottage road	20	Alterations, tool shed	40
Richard Cushing	70-90 Cushing avenue	13	Alterations, hospital	200
John Piazza	1489-1491 Dorchester av	16	Alterations, store	475
Thomas McAdams	150 Falcon street	1	Alterations, dwelling	295
Leon Sharmat	63 Highland street	9	Alterations, dwelling	400
Charles Atwater	46 Massasoit street	18	Alterations, dwelling	500
John E. Shea	2 Mellen street	17	Alterations, dwelling	312
John Dixon	161 Metropolitan avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	350
Portia Law School	45 Mt. Vernon street	5	Alterations, school	400
Portia Law School	47 Mt. Vernon street	5	Alterations, school	400
Rachel Cossete	51 Paine street	18	Alterations, dwelling	200
John Holland	340 Park street	17	Alterations, dwelling	700
John Squillace	6 Rockingham road	18	Alterations, dwelling	450
Miss Leen	116 Warren street	2	Alterations, dwelling	165
John Barry	5009 Washington street	20	Alterations, dwelling	300
A. W. Perry, Inc	577 Washington street	3	Alterations, restaurant, office	250
Mary Wesely	34 West Walnut Park	11	Alterations, dwelling	120
Florence Donabedian	66 West Walnut Park	11	Alterations, dwelling	750
Katherine Gallagher	402 Ashmont street	16	Alterations, dwelling	300
James M. Salah	99 Belle avenue	20	Excavate	200
Pasquala DeAmico	624 Bennington street	1	Alterations, dwelling	200
Nora V. Hickey	55 Boutwell street	16	Alterations, dwelling	800
Boulder Budgin	54 Brimmer street	5	Alterations, dwelling	400
Edwin H. Dreist	9 Chisholm road	18	Alterations, dwelling	415
Irving Jones	27 Cobden street	9	Alterations, dwelling	100
Emerson College	373 Commonwealth avenue	5	Alterations, dormitories	250
John Helfern	1314 Commonwealth avenue	21	Alterations, stores	400
First National Bank	5 Doone street	3	Alterations, office, storage	825
Nelson G. Wright	9 Dracut street	16	Alterations, dwelling	233
Mary Preston	63 Falcon street	1	Alterations, dwelling	100
Michael Allenskrupski	36 Fulton street	18	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Antonio LaPorta	13 Glenwood street	12	Alterations, dwelling	318
Antonio LaPorta	15 Glenwood street	12	Alterations, dwelling	319
Victoria Green	55 Hollander street	12	Alterations, dwelling	300
Josephine Sementa	1 Jasper place	3	Alterations, dwelling	950
Josephine Sementa	2 Jasper place	3	Alterations, dwelling	700
Annie Abramson	10-20 Kilby street	3	Alterations, offices	825
Edmund Kulesza	2 Linden court	15	Alterations, dwelling	600
Solomon Lewis	32 Linwood street	11	Alterations, dwelling	50
Mr. E. F. Burckhart	26 Lyndhurst street	17	Alterations, dwelling	150
Mrs. Luisa Bendoni	12 Massasoit street	18	Alterations, dwelling	215
Edward Forrest	114 Moore street	1	Alterations, dwelling	150
Mrs. Henry Hornblower	89 Mt. Vernon street	5	Alterations, dwelling	700
Arnold Canner	30 Newbury street	5	Alterations, offices, store	125
Thomas A. Clifford	381 Park street	20	Alterations, dwelling	515
George H. Ford	385 Park street	20	Alterations, dwelling	669
Vincent O'Reilly	77 Pierce avenue	16	Alterations, dwelling	460
John Maguire	18 Pratt street	21	Alterations, dwelling	500
Sheridan Corporation	138-148 St. James avenue	4	Alterations, hotel	800
Mildred Groppi	19 Scaview avenue	1	Alterations, dwelling	500
Max Klubock	6 Windermere road	13	Alterations, hospital	150
Stephen Coutier	455 Adams street	15	Alterations, dwelling	700
City of Boston	150 Appleton street	4	Alterations, school	1,500
Barbara Cuddyer	14 Atlantic avenue	7	Alterations, dwelling	150
Francis J. Mitchell	303 Bellevue street	20	Alterations, dwelling	500
City of Boston	24 Blossom street	3	Alterations, school	1,500
Waldorf System, Inc	288 Boylston street	5	Alterations, store, offices	875
Waldorf System, Inc	288 Boylston street	5	Alterations, store, offices	825
Sal Darcogmi	356 Chelsea street	1	Alterations, dwelling	250
Emellio Iantosca	191 and 193 Cornell street	20	Alterations, dwelling	460
City of Boston	200 D street	6	Alterations, school	1,500
Eleanor Cole	24 Dakota street	13	Alterations, dwelling	325
Joseph Labla	rear 105 Dakota street	17	Alterations, dwelling	300
City of Boston	24 Dale street	12	Alterations, school	1,500
City of Boston	380 Dorchester street	7	Alterations, school	1,500
Frank Palasch	602 Dorchester avenue	7	Alterations, dwelling	570
Frank Palasch	604 Dorchester avenue	7	Alterations, dwelling	625
Goldie Kellem	141 Dover street	5	Alterations, dwelling, store	500
John Harold	58 Downer avenue	13	Alterations, dwelling	960
City of Boston	491 East Fifth street	6	Alterations, school	1,500
Joseph Cullnane	603 East Fourth street	6	Alterations, dwelling	250
Lillian Rider	651 East Sixth street	6	Alterations, dwelling	860
Mrs. Smith	33 Elm street	1	Alterations, dwelling	215
Alexander Krewko	7 Eugenia Road	20	Alterations, dwelling	600
John McKenna	21 Garth road	20	Alterations, dwelling	650
City of Boston	87 Hammond street	9	Alterations, school	1,500
Celestina Myrick	41 Haskins street	9	Alterations, dwelling	300
Josephine Packowski	35 Howell street	16	Alterations, dwelling	375
B. Purkaiski	5 Leeds street	7	Alterations, dwelling	300
Pauline Berger	240 Market street	22	Alterations, dwelling, stores	40
T. J. Conway	7 Mt Vernon street	2	Alterations, dwelling	100
James Allen	92 Pierce avenue	16	Alterations, dwelling	785
Waldorf System, Inc	197 Providence street	5	Alterations, store, offices	875
John Murray	29 Spaulding street	16	Alterations, dwelling	345
Robert McCusker	26 Vesta road	14	Alterations, dwelling	875
Miss M. Augusta	14 Victory road	16	Alterations, dwelling	300
City of Boston	71 Waltham street	3	Alterations, school	1,500
City of Boston	115 West Springfield street	9	Alterations, school	1,500
Mary Mahoulas	55 West Walnut Park	11	Alterations, dwelling	860
City of Boston	70 Windsor street	9	Alterations, school	1,500
Homer Building Trust	45 Winter street	3	Alterations, store, offices	1,000

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 13—Concluded.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Walter B. Collins	18 Austin street	2	Alterations, parking lot	$50
C. Cassitina	595 Bennington street	1	Alterations, dwelling	700
A. Cody	647 Bennington street	1	Alterations, dwelling	975
First National Bank	226 Bowdoin street	15	Alterations, stores	40
Beal Brothers	40 Central street	3	Alterations, offices	850
Reardon Sales Company, Inc.	301 Columbia road	15	Alterations, stores	850
P. J. Doherty	17 Concord street	2	Alterations, dwelling	90
Bernard Visnicki	682-686 Cummins Highway	18	Alterations, excavate	150
William J. Mallen	156 Dorchester street	6	Alterations, dwelling	850
Joseph Sidonio	247 Emerson street	6	Alterations, dwelling	900
D. Gusenoff	143 Leverett street	3	Alterations, dwelling	75
Oswald Fraser	55 and 57 Moreland street	12	Alterations, dwelling	985
Minot, Deblois, Madison	86 Mt. Vernon street	5	Alterations, dwelling	200
Sandy's	209 Tremont street	5	Alterations, store	900
W. L. Noonan	25 Wachusett street	19	Alterations, dwelling	200
The Stag Tavern	3171 Washington street	11	Alterations, stores, dwelling	200
Tolman Manufacturing	19 West Third street	6	Alterations, manufacturing	300

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM PLUMBING FOR THE WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 13.

Plumber.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
M. Kahn	40 Belgrade avenue	20	Fixtures	$2,000
L. Stevens	13 Ingleside street	13	Fixtures	400
D. Greenwood	37 Knoll street	20	Fixtures	200
D. Greenwood	55 Orchard Hill road	11	Fixtures	225
J. Hannigan	2 Rock road	18	Fixtures	25
S. Shulman	2 Summer street	20	Fixtures	800
S. Shulman	4 Summer street	20	Fixtures	800
W. Connell	75 Federal street	3	Fixtures	500
W. Connell	23 Kerwin street	14	Fixtures	550
F. Odenweller	62 Montclair avenue	20	Fixtures	1,250
W. Abbott	130 Summer street	3	Fixtures	500
J. McKinnon	78 Bellevue street	20	Fixtures	1,000
J. McKinnon	2407 Centre street	20	Fixtures	800
J. McKinnon	70 Glenellen road	20	Fixtures	900
D. Puopolo	20 Huntington avenue	4	Fixtures	250
M. Wallen	89 Maryknoll street	18	Fixtures	850
W. McKenna	156 Stuart street	5	Fixtures	1,200
D. Karger	41 Tileston street	18	Fixtures	1,100
K. Hering	10 Whittemore terrace	15	Fixtures	450
F. McMillen	81 Garrison street	4	Fixtures	500
S. Litman	27 Howland street	12	Fixtures	200
M. Monks	210-214 Newbury street	5	Fixtures	5,000
E. Doughty	415 Newbury street	5	Fixtures	350
D. Sullivan	270 Talbot avenue	17	Fixtures	25
J. Woodaere	250 Bunker Hill street	2	Fixtures	175
B. Szathmary	41 Garden street	5	Fixtures	100
E. Ferri	193 London street	1	Fixtures	475
C. Smith	90 Moss Hill road	19	Fixtures	1,000
W. Dacey	95 Oakmere street	20	Fixtures	100
A. Kaunfer	201 Ruskindale road	18	Fixtures	650
A. Kaunfer	126 Taunton avenue	18	Fixtures	650
F. Losordo	1 Violet street	18	Fixtures	300
F. Losordo	4 Violet street	18	Fixtures	300
F. Losordo	5 Violet street	18	Fixtures	300
F. Losordo	8 Violet street	18	Fixtures	300
F. Losordo	12 Violet street	18	Fixtures	300
F. Losordo	16 Violet street	18	Fixtures	300
F. Losordo	150 West Selden street	18	Fixtures	300
F. Losordo	152 West Selden street	18	Fixtures	300
H. Ribeck	68 Wildwood street	11	Fixtures	250
A. Zinn	51 Caledonian avenue	20	Fixtures	100
B. Szathmary	61 Chestnut street	5	Fixtures	600
L. Abber	63 Hackensack road	20	Fixtures	900
A. Milligan	6 Hemman street	18	Fixtures	1,000
D. Henderson	144 Lincoln street	22	Fixtures	800
A. Milligan	211 Manthorne road	20	Fixtures	800
P. Russo	49 St. Joseph street	11	Fixtures	190
A. Hapenney	582 South street	19	Fixtures	200
H. Geddis	21 Walter street	20	Fixtures	225

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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Treasury Department.

John J. Goodfellow, 140 Brook street, Brighton, deputy collector, $90.50 a week.

Changes in Status.

Building Department.

Edward P. Lang, 14 Falcon street, East Boston, from head of Mechanical Inspections Division (temporary transfer) at $122.50 a week to head of Mechanical Inspections Division at $122.50 a week.

William J. McCarron, 24 Olmstead street, Jamaica Plain, from chief elevator inspector (temporary transfer) at $98.75 a week to chief elevator inspector at $98.75 a week.

Dennis J. Keohane, 111 Perham street, West Roxbury, from head of Construction and Safety Inspections (temporary transfer) at $122.50 a week to head of Construction and Safety Inspections at $122.50 a week.

Fire Department.

Patrick E. Collins, 34 Claymoss road, Brighton, from deputy fire chief at $146.55 a week to assistant fire chief in charge of Fire Fighting Force (temporary, six months), at $165.71 a week.

Edward N. Montgomery, 26 Annavoy street, East Boston, from deputy fire chief at $146.55 a week to assistant fire chief in charge of Fire Prevention Division (temporary, six months) at $165.71 a week.

Health Department.

Leonard L. Pasciucco, 5 Fernald terrace, Dorchester, from cashier at $70.50 a week to head clerk (temporary) at $73 a week.

Hospital Department.

Main Division.

Lauretta C. Eldridge, 105 School street, Jamaica Plain, from laboratory assistant at $53 a week to laboratory technician (permanent) at $58 a week.

Alice McMinn, 69 Mt. Ida road, Dorchester, from head nurse at $73 a week to nurse anesthetist at $73 a week.

Parks and Recreation Department.

Raymond J. Boyd, 54 Bloomfield street, Dorchester, from laborer at $58 a week to junior engineering aid at $58 a week.

John J. Butler, 389 Dudley street, Roxbury, from laundry and bath supervisor at $87 a week to superintendent of baths (temporary) at $98.75 a week.

Penal Institutions Department.

House of Correction.

Thomas S. McCabe, 20 Orient avenue, East Boston, from correction officer at $73 a week to correction officer and assistant steward (temporary transfer) at $76.50 a week.

Treasury Department.

Thomas J. McMackin, 22 Puritan avenue, Dorchester, from deputy collector (temporary) at $76.50 a week to deputy collector at $76.50 a week.

Joseph McGaffigan, 53 Tufts street, Charlestown, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior clerk (temporary, 6 months) at $55.50 a week.

Max Balkan, 86 Kingsdale street, Dorchester, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior account clerk (temporary, 6 months) at $55.50 a week.

Welfare Department.

Central Office.

Harold Burwood, 211 Hancock street, Dorchester, from principal clerk at $80 a week to supervisor of supplies (temporary transfer) at $98.95 a week.

Promotions.

Boston Traffic Commission.

Marie M. Sellers, 49 Berkeley street, from clerk and typist at $48 a week to senior clerk and stenographer at $55.50 a week.

Hospital Department.

Sanatorium Division.

Joseph A. Gagne, 54 Maxwell street, Dorchester, from hospital medical worker at $50.50 a week to watchman at $53 a week.

Helen A. Hynes, 67 Idaho street, Dorchester, from part time registered graduate nurse at $1.70 an hour to full time registered graduate nurse at $76.50 a week.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

House of Correction.

Stephen J. Walters, 64 Undine avenue, Winthrop, from correction officer and painter at $83.50 a week to deputy master (temporary transfer) at $90.50 a week.

Transfers.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Sanatorium Division.

Winifred Halloran, 30 Sturbridge street, Mattapan, from Boston City Hospital as hospital laundry worker at $43 a week to Sanatorium Division as hospital laundry worker at $43 a week.

Leaves of Absence.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

Emory J. Davis, Jr., 8 Cordis street, Charlestown, parking meter clock repairman, $65.50 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Leo E. Diamond, 20 Bellevue road, Wakefield, head clerk, $90.50 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Lena Murphy, 90 Heath street, Jamaica Plain, hospital medical worker, $50.50 a week.

Mary Schofield, 453 Old Colony avenue, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $53 a week.

Step-Rate Increases.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

John V. Stapleton, chief of department, from $203.07 to $205.94 a week.

Patrick E. Collins, temporary assistant fire chief in charge of Fire Fighting Force, from $162.84 to $165.71 a week.

Leo C. Driscoll, temporary assistant fire chief in charge of Personnel and Training, from $162.84 to $165.71 a week.

Edward N. Montgomery, temporary assistant fire chief in charge of Fire Prevention Division, from $162.84 to $165.71 a week.

John E. Clougherty, deputy fire chief, from $143.68 to $146.55 a week.

Patrick E. Collins, deputy fire chief (now temporary assistant fire chief in charge of Fire Fighting Force), from $143.68 to $146.55 a week.

John J. Crehan, deputy fire chief (Medal), from $144.16 to $147.03 a week.

William A. Donovan, deputy fire chief, from $143.68 to $146.55 a week.

Leo C. Driscoll, deputy fire chief (now temporary assistant fire chief in charge of Personnel and Training), from $143.68 to $146.55 a week.

Edward J. Gaughan, deputy fire chief, from $143.68 to $146.55 a week.

John F. Howard, deputy fire chief, from $143.68 to $146.55 a week.

Joseph F. Kilduff, deputy fire chief (Medal), from $144.16 to $147.03 a week.

Edward N. Montgomery, deputy fire chief (now temporary assistant fire chief in charge of Fire Prevention Division), from $143.68 to $146.55 a week.

John F. Pettit, deputy fire chief, from $143.68 to $146.55 a week.

John J. Ryan, deputy fire chief, from $143.68 to $146.55 a week.

William A. Terrenzi, deputy fire chief, from $143.68 to $146.55 a week.

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TAX ABATEMENT DECISIONS RENDERED BY THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS FOR THE WEEK ENDING JULY 22.

LEGEND.

* Appellate Tax Board Settlement. ¶ Illegal assessment. || Chapter 59-5.
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‡ Overvaluation Settlement by Board of Assessors. x Chapter 231.

Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
American Ice Co	370 East Eagle st	1—1950	$3,465.00	$315.00	*
City Products Corp., et al	28 Minot st	3—1950	18,900.00	7,245.00	*
Boston Garden Corp	238 St. Botolph st	4—1950	25,200.00	8,820.00	†
Schlesinger, Esther, et al	51-55 Adams st	8—1950	1,764.00	252.00	*
Duggan, Thomas G	118-126 Humboldt av	12—1950	4,410.00	630.00	*
Cohen, Goldie	396 Norfolk st	14—1950	567.00	37.80	*
Goldberg, Shirley E	42 Fabyan st	14—1950	756.00	63.00	*
Weiner, Bertha, et al	7 Middleton st	14—1950	422.10	44.10	*
Copley, Alexander H	Vacant lot, Redfield st	16—1950	100.80	37.80	*
Keystone Corp	135 Whitfield st	17—1950	365.40	31.50	*
Keystone Corp	147 Whitfield st	17—1950	422.10	31.50	*
Keystone Corp	51 West Tremlett st	17—1950	567.00	63.00	*
American Ice Co	370 East Eagle st	1—1951	3,454.00	314.00	*
Amory, Roger, et al	11-17 Kingston st	3—1951	7,850.00	2,826.00	†
Amory, Roger, et al	65-69 Summer st	3—1951	25,120.00	8,164.00	†
City Products Corp., et al	28 Minot st	3—1951	18,840.00	7,222.00	*
Rice, Harry L., et al	153-157 Federal st	3—1951	12,560.00	1,256.00	†
Boston Garden Corp	238 St. Botolph st	4—1951	25,120.00	8,792.00	†
Schlesinger, Esther, et al	51-53 Adams st	8—1951	1,758.40	251.20	*
Duggan, Thomas G	118 Humboldt av	12—1951	4,396.00	628.00	*
Cohen, Goldie	396 Norfolk st	14—1951	565.20	37.68	*
Corpie Co., The	7-15 Callender st	14—1951	1,312.52	496.12	*
Goldberg, Shirley E	42 Fabyan st	14—1951	533.80	62.80	*
Smith, Samuel, et al	157 Callender st	14—1951	879.20	94.20	*
Weiner, Bertha, et al	7 Middleton st	14—1951	420.76	43.96	*
Keystone Corp	147 Whitfield st	17—1951	433.32	43.96	*
Eagle Square Realty Co	370 East Eagle st	1—1952	3,674.00	334.00	*
Amory, Roger, et al	11-17 Kingston st	3—1952	8,350.00	3,005.00	†
Amory, Roger, et al	65-69 Summer st	3—1952	26,720.00	8,684.00	†
Arch St. Realty, Inc	40-42 La Grange st	3—1952	621.24	73.48	*
Arch St. Realty, Inc	Vacant lot, 44 La Grange st.	3—1952	607.88	73.48	*
Arch St. Realty, Inc	48-50 La Grange st	3—1952	594.52	73.48	*
Arch St. Realty, Inc	Vacant lot, 52 La Grange st.	3—1952	2,070.80	133.60	*
Arch St. Realty, Inc	41-47 Stuart st	3—1952	7,014.00	414.16	*
Arnold, Emil J	156-158 Summer st	3—1952	668.00	66.80	*
Caplan, Abraham	29 Purchase st	3—1952	1,402.80	901.80	*
Donnelly, Mary J., Trustee	10 Corning st	3—1952	133.60	46.76	*
Elm Realty Corp., et al	108 Washington st	3—1952	5,010.00	1,002.00	*
Fifty Associates	99-101 Washington st	3—1952	3,607.20	668.00	*
Fifty Associates	103-105 Washington st	3—1952	4,141.60	868.40	*
Fifty Associates	107 Washington st	3—1952	4,342.00	534.40	*
Fifty Associates	111-117 Washington st	3—1952	8,684.00	66.80	*
Fifty Associates	119-123 Washington st	3—1952	5,344.00	1,536.40	*
Fifty Associates	125-127 Washington st	3—1952	4,676.00	1,336.00	*
Marmer, Max C., et al	102 Friend st	3—1952	1,803.60	334.00	*
Marmer, Max C., et al	103 Friend st	3—1952	1,536.40	334.00	*
National Shawmut Bank	31-37 Parmenter st	3—1952	2,672.00	668.00	*
Rice, Harry L., et al	153-157 Federal st	3—1952	13,360.00	1,336.00	†
Weiner, Pauline	49 Spring st	3—1952	300.60	33.40	*
Boston Garden Arena	238 St. Botolph st	4—1952	26,720.00	9,352.00	†
Barnard, H. F., et al	41-43 Church st	5—1952	467.60	66.80	*
Lalime & Partridge	1255 Boylston st	5—1952	6,012.00	334.00	*
Mass. Univ. Fund	116 Newbury st	5—1952	4,008.00	200.40	*
Sandler, Dorothy	37 Garden st	5—1952	1,002.00	167.00	*
Wheeler, A., et al., Trustees	134 Chestnut st	5—1952	1,569.80	100.20	*
Spina, Joseph R	455 C st	6—1952	1,202.40	200.40	*
Universal Motors	120 West Broadway	6—1952	434.20	33.40	*
West First Processing	321 West First st	6—1952	534.40	33.40	*
Gilbert, Maurice	27-29 Blue Hill av	8—1952	380.76	66.80	*
Goldman, Beatrice	988 Harrison av	8—1952	200.40	120.24	*
Schlesinger, Esther, et al	304 Dudley st	8—1952	1,870.40	267.20	*
Harlen Realty Corp., et al	8 Lamont st	9—1952	434.20	133.60	*
Norton, William	8 Lourdes av	11—1952	554.44	33.40	*
Schmitz, Henry, et al	46 Atherton st	11—1952	480.00	60.12	*
Duggan, Thomas G	118 Humboldt av	12—1952	4,676.00	668.00	*
Gusenoff, Joseph D	2452 Washington st	12—1952	3,340.00	400.80	*
Harris, Annabelle	161 Homestead st	12—1952	133.60	33.40	*
Harris, Annabelle	167 Homestead st	12—1952	1,202.40	133.60	*
McEvoy, Joseph F., et al	84 Regent st	12—1952	868.40	133.60	*
Albert, Mildred L	15 Everett av	13—1952	434.20	53.44	*
Terzie, Aznive	102 Savin Hill av	13—1952	1,202.40	200.40	*
Terzie, Aznive	112 Savin Hill av	13—1952	1,937.20	267.20	*
Cohen, Goldie	396 Norfolk st	14—1952	601.20	40.08	*
Golburgh, Harry M	750 Blue Hill av	14—1952	2,538.40	334.00	*
Hicks, Mary F., et al	165-177 Washington st	14—1952	1,623.24	220.44	*
MacNeil Bros. Co	3 Lynnfield ter	14—1952	501.00	100.20	*
Park View Realty, et al	2-4 Brenton st	14—1952	968.60	33.40	*
Park View Realty	3 Harvard av	14—1952	467.60	33.40	*
Sacks, Sidney	848A Blue Hill av	14—1952	1,536.40	200.40	*
Segal, Oscar	90 Stanwood st	14—1952	701.40	33.40	*
Smith, Samuel, et al	157 Callender st	14—1952	935.20	100.20	*
Verrochi, Joseph	Magnolia st	14—1952	534.40	66.80	*
Weiner, Bertha, et al	7 Middleton st	14—1952	447.76	46.76	*
Yanoff, Fanny	97 Lucerne st	14—1952	935.20	66.80	*
Yanoff, Fanny, et al	86-88 Lawrence av	14—1952	1,038.80	133.60	*
Yanoff, Ida	1218 Blue Hill av	14—1952	1,803.60	200.40	*
Cities Service Oil	728 Gallivan Blvd	16—1952	1,082.16	200.40	*
MacNeil Bros. Co	5 Northam pk	16—1952	280.56	80.16	*
Weinstein, Solomon	1759 Dorchester av	16—1952	1,135.60	200.40	*
Gusenoff, Joseph D	725 Hyde Park av	18—1952	480.96	46.76	*
Rubin, Maurice, et al	258 Bennington st	1—1952	467.60	33.40	*
Amory, Roger, et al	65-69 Summer st	3—1953	28,280.00	9,191.00	†
Amory, Roger, et al	11-17 Kingston st	3—1953	8,837.50	3,181.50	†
Arch St. Realty, Inc	40-42 La Grange st	3—1953	657.51	77.77	*
Arch St. Realty, Inc	44-46 La Grange st	3—1953	643.37	77.77	*
Arch St. Realty, Inc	48-50 La Grange st	3—1953	629.23	77.77	*

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Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Arch St. Realty, Inc	Vacant lot, 52 La Grange st.	3—1953	$2,191.70	$111.40	*
Arch St. Realty, Inc	41-47 Stuart st	3—1953	7,423.50	438.31	*
Caplan, Abraham, et al	29-33 Purchase st	3—1953	798.91	268.66	*
Capone, Jennaro	156-158 Summer st	3—1953	707.00	70.70	*
Donnelly, Mary J., Trustee	10 Corning st	3—1953	111.10	49.49	*
Elm Realty Corp., et al	108 Washington st	3—1953	5,302.50	1,060.50	*
Fifty Associates	25 Elm st	3—1953	3,817.80	707.00	*
Fifty Associates	103-105 Washington st	3—1953	1,383.10	919.10	*
Fifty Associates	107 Washington st	3—1953	1,595.50	565.60	*
Fifty Associates	111-117 Washington st	3—1953	9,191.00	70.70	*
Fifty Associates	119-123 Washington st	3—1953	5,656.00	1,626.10	*
Fifty Associates	125-127 Washington st	3—1953	4,949.00	1,414.00	*
Harlen Realty Corp	6 Cobb st	3—1953	282.80	70.70	*
Harlen Realty Corp	8 Cobb st	3—1953	282.80	70.70	*
Harlen Realty Corp	10 Cobb st	3—1953	282.80	70.70	*
Harlen Realty Corp	12 Cobb st	3—1953	282.80	70.70	*
Holldge Realty Co	141 Tremont st	3—1953	38,885.00	12,372.50	*
Mark Ann Realty Co	80 Kingston st	3—1953	8,837.50	1,767.50	*
Marmer, Max C., et al	108 Friend st	3—1953	1,411.00	141.10	*
Marmer, Max C., et al	102 Friend st	3—1953	1,696.80	141.10	*
National Shawmut Bank	31-37 Parmenter st	3—1953	2,828.00	707.00	*
Paco Co., The	156 Tremont st	3—1953	33,924.86	11,125.86	*
Rice, Harry L., et al	153-163 Federal st	3—1953	11,110.00	1,111.00	†
Strathmore Bldg	15 Chardon st	3—1953	7,070.00	1,767.50	*
U-Dryvit Auto Rental	1230 Washington st	3—1953	13,786.50	1,060.50	*
Weiner, Pauline	49 Spring st	3—1953	318.15	35.35	*
Alnor Realty Corp	37 Garden st	5—1953	1,060.50	176.75	*
Barnard, Helen F	41-43 Church st	5—1953	494.90	70.70	*
Henderson, James H	116-116A Newbury st	5—1953	1,242.00	212.10	*
Quincy, John	11-15 Park Drive	5—1953	15,260.50	1,111.00	*
Slater, Carl E., et al	491 Commonwealth av	5—1953	3,181.50	353.50	*
Slater, Olive S., et al	134 Chestnut st	5—1953	1,661.45	106.05	*
White, Israel	345-349 Tremont st	5—1953	989.80	176.75	*
Kozol, Louis, et al	127 L st	6—1953	1,060.50	70.70	*
Kozol, Louis, et al	389 West Broadway	6—1953	883.75	35.35	*
Gilbert, Maurice	27-29 Blue Hill av	8—1953	402.99	70.70	*
Goldman, Beatrice	988 Harrison av	8—1953	242.10	127.26	*
McEvoy, John W	52-54 Blue Hill av	8—1953	494.70	70.70	*
McEvoy, John W	60-62 Blue Hill av	8—1953	657.54	70.70	*
Schlesinger, Esther, et al	304 Dudley st	8—1953	1,979.60	282.20	*
Harlen Realty Corp., et al	8 Lamont st	9—1953	459.55	141.40	*
Carlin, Katherine F	1508-1518 Tremont st	10—1953	2,121.00	530.25	*
Norton, William J	6 Lourdes av	11—1953	586.81	35.35	*
Schmidt, Henry J	46 Atherton st	11—1953	509.61	63.63	*
Biswanger, Louis R	58 Holworthy st	12—1953	1,414.00	176.75	*
Biswanger, Louis R	60 Holworthy st	12—1953	1,414.00	176.75	*
Gusenoff, Joseph D	150-150A Warren st	12—1953	1,696.80	353.50	*
Gusenoff, Joseph D	2452 Washington st	12—1953	3,535.00	424.20	*
Guys Super Serv. GG	118 Humboldt av	12—1953	4,949.00	707.00	*
Harris, Annabelle	161 Homestead st	12—1953	133.60	35.35	*
Harris, Annabelle	167 Homestead st	12—1953	1,272.60	141.40	*
McEvoy, Joseph F., et al	84 Regent st	12—1953	919.10	141.40	*
Singer, Mary L., Trustee	119-127 Dudley st	12—1953	12,372.50	2,121.00	*
Terzic, Aznive	102 Savin Hill av	13—1953	1,272.60	212.10	*
Terzic, Aznive	112 Savin Hill av	13—1953	2,050.30	282.80	*
Biswanger, Louis R	16 Strathcona rd	14—1953	2,615.90	353.50	*
Cohen, Goldie	396 Norfolk st	14—1953	636.30	42.42	*
Goldberg, Shirley E	42 Fabyan st	14—1953	848.40	70.70	*
Golburgh, Harry M., et al	4-6 Esmond st	14—1953	2,686.60	353.50	*
MacNeil Bros. Co	3 Lynnville ter	14—1953	530.25	106.05	*
Park View Realty	3 Harvard av	14—1953	494.90	35.35	*
Rappaport, Max	137 Geneva av	14—1953	742.35	70.70	*
Sneks, Sidney	818A Blue Hill av	14—1953	1,626.10	212.10	*
Silverman, Abraham	120 Olney st	14—1953	989.80	70.70	*
Smith, Samuel, et al	157 Callender st	14—1953	989.80	106.05	*
Verrochi, Joseph	Magnolia st	14—1953	565.60	70.70	*
Weiner, Bertha, et al	7 Middleton st	14—1953	473.69	49.49	*
Yanoff, Fanny	97 Lucerne st	14—1953	989.80	70.70	*
Yanoff, Samuel, et al	86 Lawrence av	14—1953	1,131.20	141.40	*
Yanoff, Ida	1218 Blue Hill av	14—1953	1,908.90	212.10	*
Robinson, Winthrop	1431 Dorchester av	15—1953	4,595.50	1,060.50	*
Kilbashian, Hagop	Vacant lot, 5 Train st	16—1953	42.42	21.21	*
Kilbashian, Hagop	113-117 King st	16—1953	530.25	106.05	*
MacNeil Bros. Co	11-16 Northam pk	16—1953	353.50	70.70	*
MacNeil Bros. Co	10-12 Northam pk	16—1953	353.50	70.70	*
MacNeil Bros. Co	6-8 Northam pk	16—1953	353.50	70.70	*
MacNeil Bros. Co	5 Northam pk	16—1953	296.91	84.81	*
Weinstein, Solomon	1759 Dorchester av	16—1953	1,201.90	212.10	*
Driscoll, Timothy J	16 Bowditch rd	19—1953	530.25	35.35	*
Noonan, Thomas J., et al	108 South Huntington av	19—1953	3,888.50	707.00	*
Park View Realty, et al	2-6 Brenton st	19—1953	1,025.15	35.35	*
Bellevue Knitting	311 Belgrade av	20—1953	2,121.00	353.50	*
Oakes, Owen F	317 Belgrade av	20—1953	2,474.50	212.10	*
Jasper, Morris, et al., Heirs	512A Park Drive	21—1953	6,009.50	1,201.90	*
O'Connor, Patrick	1301 Commonwealth av	21—1953	2,828.00	353.50	*
Keefe, Michael, et al	396 Market st	22—1953	968.59	176.75	*
Conigliaro, S	9 Crestway rd	1—1954	383.90	69.80	*
Sherzi, Helen, Trustee	50 Prescott st	1—1954	314.10	31.90	*
Woodside Realty Corp	V. L. Bayswater st., SW	1—1954	132.62	62.82	*
Bunker Hill Council	44 High st	2—1954	1,047.00	349.00	*
Sevinor, Ida	215 Bunker Hill st	2—1954	732.90	101.70	*
Allen Brothers	17-19 Cornhill	3—1954	2,094.00	558.40	*
Arch St. Realty, Inc	40 La Grange st	3—1954	649.14	76.78	*
Arch St. Realty, Inc	44-46 La Grange st	3—1954	635.18	76.78	*
Arch St. Realty, Inc	48-50 La Grange st	3—1954	621.22	76.78	*
Arch St. Realty, Inc	Vacant lot, 52 La Grange st.	3—1954	2,163.80	139.60	*
Arch St. Realty, Inc	41-47 Stuart st	3—1954	7,329.00	432.76	*
Brandegee, J., et al	68-72 Summer st	3—1954	20,940.00	4,886.00	*
Brandegee, Mary B	10 Temple Pl	3—1954	108,190.00	11,866.00	*
Brandegee, M. B., et al	145 Tremont st	3—1951	25,930.70	3,245.70	*

STEP-RATE INCREASES.

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District Fire Chiefs.

	From	To
John J. Ainsworth,	$127.59—	$130.46
Richard A. Ash,	127.59—	130.46
Michael J. Aylward,	127.59—	130.46
Carl S. Bowers,	127.59—	130.46
John J. Breen,	122.61—	125.48
Frederick P. Clauss,	122.61—	125.48
William B. Coughlan,	127.59—	130.46
William F. Dewan,	127.59—	130.46
Joseph L. Dolan,	122.61—	125.48
Albert F. Donahue,	127.59—	130.46
Edwin M Finnegan,	122.61—	125.48
James J. Flanagan,	127.59—	130.46
Michael G. Foley,	127.59—	130.46
Daniel G. Ford,	122.61—	125.48
Edward J. Galvin,	127.59—	130.46
William D. Hart,	127.59—	130.46
Daniel P. Hegarty,	127.59—	130.46
John H. Hoar,	127.59—	130.46
William T. Hogan,	127.59—	130.46
William C. Jeffers,	127.59—	130.46
Frederick F. Keenan,	127.59—	130.46
Gerald F. Keenan,	127.59—	130.46
Richard J. Lane,	127.59—	130.46
Edward T. Lynch,	127.59—	130.46
Henry J. McCue,	127.59—	130.46
Andrew J. McElaney,	122.61—	125.48
James F. McFadden,	127.59—	130.46
Edward J. McNulty,	122.61—	125.48
John C. J. Merrill,	127.59—	130.46
John A. Morrissey,	127.59—	130.46
Harry W. Murphy,	127.59—	130.46
John J. O'Brien,	127.59—	130.46
John J. O'Mara,	122.61—	125.48
John A. O'Neill,	127.59—	130.46
John F. Sampson,	127.59—	130.46
Henry W. Shafer,	127.59—	130.46
Edmund J. Sheehan,	127.59—	130.46
Charles D. Travis,	127.59—	130.46
Peter A. Thompson,	122.61—	125.48
Amoreno R. Vitiello,	122.61—	125.48
Robert M. Walsh,	127.59—	130.46
Henry M. Wheeler,	127.59—	130.46
John H. White,	127.59—	130.46
Roger T. White,	127.59—	130.46

John A. Martin, district fire chief (Superintendent of Maintenance), from $143.68 to $146.55 a week.

Fire Captains.

Thomas J Clark, fire captain (assistant to deputy chief, Medal), from $117.72 to $120.59 a week.

Cornelius F. Finnegan, fire captain (drillmaster), from $110.34 to $113.21 a week.

Emilio F. Marino, fire captain (Medal), from $103.16 to $106.03 a week.

	From	To
Michael R. Allen,	$107.66—	$110.53
Carl A. V. Anderson,	107.66—	110.53
Kenneth C. Arnold,	107.66—	110.53
Frank A. Bergdoll,	102.68—	105.55
Vincent A. Bolger,	102.68—	105.55
Alonzo P. Brooks,	107.66—	110.53
John P. Brooks,	107.66—	110.53
James G. Buchanan,	107.66—	110.53
John P. Buckley,	107.66—	110.53
Joseph M. Cady,	102.68—	105.55
Edward D. Campbell,	102.68—	105.55
John J. Coakley,	107.66—	110.53
Patrick J. Coffey,	102.68—	105.55
John J. Collins, Jr.,	102.68—	105.55
George A. Comfrey,	102.68—	105.55
Francis M. Connell,	102.68—	105.55
Angelo Corolla,	102.68—	105.55
Walter W. Corwin,	107.66—	110.53
Gerald L. Cremin,	107.66—	110.53
John T. J. Cronin,	107.66—	110.53
Henry H. Dionne,	107.66—	110.53
Howard M. Dolbeare,	107.66—	110.53
John J. Donahue,	102.68—	105.55

	From	To
James L. Donovan,	$107.66—	$110.53
William D. Donovan,	102.68—	105.55
Richard P. Duffley,	102.68—	105.55
Michael J. Egan,	107.66—	110.53
Francis X. Finnegan,	102.68—	105.55
Peter F. Finneran,	102.68—	105.55
John J. F. Fitzgerald,	107.66—	110.53
Charles J. Fleming,	102.68—	105.55
Walter W. Fleming,	107.66—	110.53
Philip J. Flynn,	107.66—	110.53
Raymond W. Frazel,	107.66—	110.53
Clarence X. Frost,	102.68—	105.55
James J. Gallivan,	102.68—	105.55
Michael L. Galvin,	102.68—	105.55
John R. Greene,	98.66—	101.53
Patrick F. Hagerty,	107.66—	110.53
James J. Hartnett,	102.68—	105.55
Irving L. Johnson,	107.66—	110.53
Timothy J. Keefe,	107.66—	110.53
Henry L. Kelley,	107.66—	110.53
William J. Kelly,	107.66—	110.53
William T. Kennealey,	102.68—	105.55
Robert E. Kenneally,	102.68—	105.55
William L. Kilduff,	102.68—	105.55
Max Kneller,	102.68—	105.55
Raymond B. LaCasse,	107.66—	110.53
Richard J. Lane, Jr.,	102.68—	105.55
William R. Lovett,	102.68—	105.55
Thomas P. Maguire,	102.68—	105.55
Walter A. Maraghy,	102.68—	105.55
John J. Martin,	107.66—	110.53
Vincent J. Miller,	102.68—	105.55
Thomas J. Mulhern,	107.66—	110.53
Arthur C. Mullen,	102.68—	105.55
Luke D. Mullen, Jr.,	102.68—	105.55
James J. Murphy,	98.66—	101.53
Lawrence J. McAdams,	107.66—	110.53
Daniel L. McCarthy,	102.68—	105.55
John J. McCarthy,	102.68—	105.55
Leo C. McCarthy,	102.68—	105.55
Joseph P. McDonough,	102.68—	105.55
George H. Paul,	98.66—	101.53
Walter F. Peters,	102.68—	105.55
William H. Pineo,	102.68—	105.55
Ralph H. Reis,	102.68—	105.55
Charles G. Robertson,	102.68—	105.55
Hugh A. Shute,	107.66—	110.53
Edward F. Sullivan,	102.68—	105.55
John J. Sullivan,	102.68—	105.55
Richard E. Sullivan,	102.68—	105.55
Walter L. Sullivan,	107.66—	110.53
Henry C. Sybertz,	107.66—	110.53
Riskallah Teebagy,	102.68—	105.55
George Thompson,	102.68—	105.55
Joseph L. Tehan,	102.68—	105.55
George F. Todd,	107.66—	110.53
Russell S. Tracey,	102.68—	105.55
David F. Watkins,	107.66—	110.53
Fred T. Willett,	107.66—	110.53
James C. Wilson,	102.68—	105.55
Leo A. Wisentaner,	102.68—	105.55

Fire Lieutenants.

Gerard E. McGowan, fire lieutenant (chief inspector), from $101.91 to $104.78 a week.

William D. Kelly, fire lieutenant (master), from $100.19 to $103.06 a week.

	From	To
Edward J. Abbott,	$94.64—	$97.51
William P. Ahern,	90.61—	93.48
Joseph F. Amrhein,	90.61—	93.48
Joseph P. Anderson,	90.61—	93.48
Francis A. Arnao,	90.61—	93.48
Charles S. Bailey,	90.61—	93.48
Casimer Baltusis,	90.61—	93.48
Thomas W. Barrett, Jr.,	90.61—	93.48
William H. Ball,	95.12—	97.99
Robert P. Beltramini,	90.61—	93.48
Thomas J. Berninger,	90.61—	93.48
Thomas F. Bohan,	86.59—	89.46
John A. Bonanno,	90.61—	93.48
Francis J. Bonner,	94.64—	97.51

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* Appellate Tax Board Settlement. ¶ Illegal assessment. ‖ Chapter 59–5.
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‡ Overvaluation Settlement by Board of Assessors. x Chapter 231.

Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Brewer, Fannie, et al	144 Tremont st	3—1954	$25,916.74	$3,231.74	*
Clark Realty Co	577 Washington st	3—1954	20,940.00	5,235.00	*
Donnelly, Mary J., Trustee	10 Corning st	3—1954	139.60	48.86	*
Elm Realty Corp., et al	108 Washington st	3—1954	5,235.00	1,047.00	*
New England Trust Co., et al	110 Milk st	3—1954	139,600.00	6,980.00	*
Fifty Associates	99–101 Washington st	3—1954	3,769.20	1,256.40	*
Fifty Associates	103–105 Washington st	3—1954	4,327.60	1,116.80	*
Fifty Associates	107 Washington st	3—1954	4,537.00	1,256.40	*
Fifty Associates	111–117 Washington st	3—1954	9,074.00	1,465.80	*
Fifty Associates	119–123 Washington st	3—1954	5,584.00	2,303.40	*
Fifty Associates	125–127 Washington st	3—1954	4,886.00	2,094.00	*
Gilfix, Judith	89–93 Wendell st	3—1954	3,266.64	698.00	*
Harlen Realty Corp	6 Cobb st	3—1954	279.20	69.80	*
Harlen Realty Corp	8 Cobb st	3—1954	279.20	69.80	*
Harlen Realty Corp	10 Cobb st	3—1954	279.20	69.80	*
Harlen Realty Corp	12 Cobb st	3—1954	279.20	69.80	*
Hill, Arthur D., et al	18–20 Temple pl	3—1954	26,175.00	2,792.00	*
Hollidge Realty Co	141 Tremont st	3—1954	38,390.00	12,215.00	*
Jack, Frederick L	22–24 Temple pl	3—1954	27,920.00	3,001.40	*
Kenny, N. W., et al., Trustees	153 Federal st	3—1954	13,960.00	1,396.00	*
Loews, E. M., Inc	659–667 Washington st	3—1954	22,685.00	5,584.00	*
Mark Ann Realty Co	80 Kingston st	3—1954	8,725.00	1,745.00	*
Mass. Inst. of Tech	64–70 Franklin st	3—1954	13,262.00	1,396.00	*
Mavrogiannis, T. A	61–63 Portland st	3—1954	1,745.00	349.00	*
National Shawmut Bank	31–37 Parmenter st	3—1954	2,792.00	698.00	*
Paco Co., The	156 Tremont st	3—1954	33,490.04	13,946.04	*
Rice, Joseph J	160A Tremont st	3—1954	18,343.44	4,383.44	*
Robrish, Sylvia S	127–133 Broad st	3—1954	2,443.00	558.40	*
Robrish, Sylvia S	188 High st	3—1954	453.70	139.60	*
Robrish, Sylvia S	83–87 Wendell st	3—1954	698.00	139.60	*
Rosengard, Julius E., et al	33 Broad st	3—1954	22,685.00	3,839.00	*
Rubinoff, Max, et al	35 Central st	3—1954	837.60	139.60	*
Rubinoff, Max, et al	54–56 Kilby st	3—1954	3,280.60	942.30	*
Rubinoff, Max, et al	108–114 Water st	3—1954	6,631.00	1,430.90	*
Rubinoff, Max, et al	120–130 Water st	3—1954	3,978.60	977.20	*
Stearns, Foster, et al	12–16 Temple pl	3—1954	34,900.00	3,629.60	*
Strathmore Bldg	15 Chardon st	3—1954	6,980.00	1,745.00	*
200 Washington, Inc	209 Washington st	3—1954	34,900.00	8,725.00	*
291 Washington, Inc	2–8½ School st	3—1954	23,732.00	2,094.00	*
291 Washington, Inc	10–14 School st	3—1954	8,376.00	2,094.00	*
291 Washington, Inc	295–311 Washington st	3—1954	47,115.00	5,235.00	*
U-Dryvit Auto Rental	1230 Washington st	3—1954	13,611.00	1,047.00	*
Weiner, Pauline	49 Spring st	3—1954	314.10	34.90	*
Kramer, George	454 Brookline av	4—1954	2,792.00	698.00	*
Lee, Richard, et al., Trustees	1112 Boylston st	4—1954	3,141.00	349.00	*
Walker, William, et al	163 West Brookline st	4—1954	418.80	69.80	*
Albert, Mildred L	9 Willow st	5—1954	3,839.00	349.00	*
Flanagan, Catherine	139 Beacon st	5—1954	907.40	139.60	*
Hallee, Armand P	33 Fayette st	5—1954	628.20	69.80	*
Hallee, Armand P	35 Fayette st	5—1954	628.20	69.80	*
Hallee, Armand P	37 Fayette st	5—1954	628.20	69.80	*
Hallee, Armand P	39 Fayette st	5—1954	628.20	69.80	*
Harlen Realty Corp	333 Tremont st	5—1954	767.80	139.60	*
Henderson, James H	116–116A Newbury st	5—1954	4,188.00	209.40	*
Krauss, Elizabeth	115 Beacon st	5—1954	1,047.00	209.40	*
Krauss, Elizabeth	131 Beacon st	5—1954	1,047.00	209.40	*
138 West 48th Theatre	98–106 Boylston st	5—1954	83,760.00	24,430.00	*
Quincy, John	11–15 Park Drive	5—1954	15,007.00	1,396.00	*
Slater, Carl E., et al	491 Commonwealth av	5—1954	3,141.00	349.00	*
Tye, Sumner H., et al	15–15A Revere st	5—1954	1,535.60	279.20	*
Wheeler, Alexander, Trustee	134 Chestnut st	5—1954	1,640.30	104.70	*
White, Israel	345–349 Tremont st	5—1954	977.20	174.50	*
Boston Wharf Co	5–9 Stillings st	6—1954	8,585.40	1,605.40	*
Boston Wharf Co	374–382 Congress st	6—1954	9,213.60	1,884.60	*
George, Simon A., et al	307 C st	6—1954	2,303.40	349.00	*
Paino, John	631 East Broadway	6—1954	2,443.00	349.00	*
Province Realty et al	144 F st	6—1954	2,980.46	698.00	*
United National Co-operative Co	360 C st	6—1954	9,213.60	2,582.60	*
Abbasciano, Michael	360 Dudley st	8—1954	314.10	69.80	*
Abbasciano, Michael	362 Dudley st	8—1954	349.00	69.80	*
Casler, Saul	Allerton st., NW	8—1954	488.60	139.60	*
Crosstown Syndicate	375 Broadway	8—1954	15,705.00	3,490.00	*
Gilbert, Maurice, et al	27–29 Blue Hill av	8—1954	397.86	69.80	*
Goldman, Beatrice, et al	988 Harrison av	8—1954	209.40	125.64	*
Lonergan, Bertha M	57 Forest st	8—1954	188.46	69.80	*
Lonergan, Bertha M	59 Forest st	8—1954	188.46	69.80	*
McEvoy, John W	52 Blue Hill av	8—1954	488.60	69.80	*
McEvoy, John W	60–62 Blue Hill av	8—1954	649.14	69.80	*
N. Y. N. H. & Hartfrd Railroad	V.L., Massachusetts av	8—1954	52,070.80	52,070.80	*
Paul, Marion	45 Wareham st	8—1954	1,047.00	209.40	*
Schlesinger, Esther, et al	51–53 Adams st	8—1954	1,954.40	279.20	*
Darman Realty Co. et al	29 Simmons st	9—1954	9,772.00	2,792.00	*
Harlen Realty Corp. et al	8 Lamont st	9—1954	453.70	139.60	*
Talianis, Tonla	631 Massachusetts av	9—1954	3,141.00	349.00	*
Wornum, Rufus	Arnold st., SWs	9—1954	118.66	13.96	*
Carlin, Katherine	1508–1514 Tremont st	10—1954	1,675.20	523.50	*
Cannata, Joseph V	38 Boynton st	11—1954	767.80	139.60	*
Greene, John P., et al	78 Woodlawn st	11—1954	523.50	69.80	*
Lerner, Charles	3088 Washington st	11—1954	1,081.90	174.50	*
Lerner, Charles	3092 Washington st	11—1954	1,116.80	209.40	*
Weiner, Benny	2 Hyde Park av	11—1954	3,490.00	349.00	*
Biswanger, Louis R	58 Holworthy st	12—1954	1,396.00	174.50	*
Biswanger, Louis R	60 Holworthy st	12—1954	1,396.00	174.50	*
Cheney Street Garage	4–18 Cheney st	12—1954	5,933.00	698.00	*
Gusenoff, Joseph D	150–150A Warren st	12—1954	1,675.20	349.00	*
Gusenoff, Joseph D	2452 Washington st	12—1954	3,490.00	418.80	*
Guys Service Garage	118 Humboldt av	12—1954	4,886.00	698.00	*
Harris, Annabelle	161 Homestead st	12—1954	139.60	34.90	*
Harris, Annabelle	167 Homestead st	12—1954	1,256.40	139.60	*
McEvoy, Joseph F., et al	84 Regent st	12—1954	907.40	139.60	*

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Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Sevinor, Ida	471 Blue Hill av	12—1954	$3,350.40	$349.00	*
Sevinor, Ida	77-83 Maple st	12—1954	30,091.40	349.00	*
Singer, Mary L., Trustee	119-127 Dudley st	12—1954	12,215.00	2,094.00	*
Singer, Mary L., Trustee	131-135A Dudley st	12—1954	1,675.20	279.20	*
Sweet, Abraham	18 Seaver st	12—1954	1,881.60	279.20	*
Albert, Mildred L	63-71 Stoughton st	13—1954	914.38	209.40	*
Albert, Mildred L	1-7 Everett av	13—1954	1,116.80	55.84	*
Albert, Mildred L	9 Everett av	13—1954	314.10	55.84	*
Albert, Mildred L	11 Everett av	13—1954	314.10	55.84	*
Albert, Mildred L	11A Everett av	13—1954	663.10	104.70	*
Albert, Mildred L	15 Everett av	13—1954	453.70	55.84	*
Grimes, Martha	1 Stoughton pl	13—1954	279.20	55.84	*
Terzie, Azmie	102 Savin Hill av	13—1954	1,256.40	209.40	*
Terzie, Azmie	112 Savin Hill av	13—1954	2,024.20	279.20	*
Tutunjian, N., et al	917 Dorchester av	13—1954	628.20	139.60	*
Biswanger, Louis R	16 Stratheona rd	14—1954	2,582.60	349.00	*
Cohen, Goldie	396 Norfolk st	14—1954	628.20	41.88	*
Colburgh, Harry M., et al	4-6 Esmond st	14—1954	2,652.40	349.00	*
Kelley, Albert J	31 Hannon st	14—1954	1,116.80	209.40	*
Kristal, Lieba	33 Hazleton st	14—1954	418.80	69.80	*
Park View Realty, et al	2-4 Brenton st	14—1954	1,012.10	34.90	*
Park View Realty	3 Harvard av	14—1954	488.60	31.90	*
Rosenberg, Hyman	301 Washington st	14—1954	2,094.00	837.60	*
Silverman, Abraham	120 Olney st	14—1954	977.20	69.80	*
Smith, Samuel, et al	157 Callender st	14—1954	977.20	104.70	*
Vengrow, Miriam	476 Blue Hill av	14—1954	2,268.50	453.70	*
Verroehi, Joseph	Magnolia st	14—1954	558.40	69.80	*
Weiner, Bertha, et al	7 Middleton st	14—1954	467.66	48.86	*
Yanoff, Fanny	97 Lucerne st	14—1954	977.20	69.80	*
Yanoff, Fanny, et al	86-88 Lawrence av	14—1954	1,116.80	139.60	*
Yanoff, Ida	1218 Blue Hill av	14—1954	1,884.60	209.40	*
Robinson, Winthrop	1431 Dorchester av	15—1954	4,537.00	1,047.00	*
Kilbashian, Hagop	Vacant lot, 5 Train st	16—1954	41.88	20.94	*
Kilbashian, Hagop	113-117 King st	16—1954	523.50	104.70	*
MacNeil Bros. Co	5 Northam pk	16—1954	296.94	83.76	*
MacNeil Bros. Co	6-8 Northam pk	16—1954	353.50	69.80	*
MacNeil Bros. Co	10-12 Northam pk	16—1954	353.50	69.80	*
MacNeil Bros. Co	14-16 Northam pk	16—1954	353.50	69.80	*
Ruby, Celia	6-8 Beale st	16—1954	1,047.00	209.40	*
Weinstein, Solomon	1759 Dorchester av	16—1954	1,186.60	209.40	*
Dwyer, Maria	111 Fuller st	17—1954	523.50	34.90	*
Silverman, Abraham	20-22 Dyer st	17—1954	977.20	69.80	*
Noonan, Thomas J	408 South Huntington av	19—1954	3,839.00	698.00	*
Talianis, Tonla, et al	Vacant lot, Orehard st	19—1954	41.88	13.96	*
Talianis, Torila	47 Orehard st	19—1954	718.94	69.80	*
Bourassa, Aliee, et al	Laurie av	20—1954	13.96	6.98	*
Cotter, Mary C., et al	200 Mt. Vernon st	20—1954	376.92	97.72	*
Klein, Edward	15 Ledgewood rd	20—1954	523.50	34.90	*
Tobin, John E., et al	Vacant lot, Laurie av	20—1954	13.96	6.98	*
Blass, Lillian	1292 Commonwealth av	21—1954	1,605.40	100.00	*
Franks, Abraham A	Vacant lot, Peterboro st	21—1954	1,284.32	349.00	*
Franks, Abraham A., et al	1387 Boylston st	21—1954	18,497.00	5,584.00	*
Gaviani, Frank	776-778 Beacon st	21—1954	2,443.00	698.00	*
Jasper, Morris, et al., Heirs	512½ Park Drive	21—1954	5,933.00	1,047.00	*
Lenk, Allen, et al., Trustees	Vacant lot, Cummington st	21—1954	1,012.10	41.88	*
Lenk, Allen, et al., Trustees	Vacant lot, Cummington st.	21—1954	223.36	41.88	*
Lenk, Allen, et al., Trustees	Vacant lot, Cummington st.	21—1954	132.62	41.88	*
Lenk Realty Corp	36 Cummington st	21—1954	6,282.00	1,047.00	*
Lenk, Allen, et al., Trustees	48-52 Cummington st	21—1954	4,537.00	698.00	*
Makarczyk, Ceeylia	1418 Commonwealth av	21—1954	1,396.00	209.40	*
Miller, Bessie	9 Park Vale av	21—1954	2,094.00	349.00	*
Miller, Bessie	47 Park Vale av	21—1954	2,373.20	349.00	*
O'Connor, Patriek	1301 Commonwealth av	21—1954	2,792.00	349.00	*
Helman, Simon J., et al	777-781 Beacon st	21—1954	4,886.00	1,396.00	*
Rubin, David	1243 Commonwealth av	21—1954	2,792.00	418.80	*
Wolf, Myer	23 Ransom rd	21—1954	767.80	69.80	*
Woodside Realty Co	317 Summit av	21—1954	2,303.40	139.60	*
Woodside Realty Co	9 Colborne rd	21—1954	2,652.40	279.20	*
Woodside Realty Co	313 Summit av	21—1954	2,443.00	209.40	*
Metropolitan Driving Club	15 McDonald av	22—1954	1,019.08	460.68	*
Richmond, Shirley	14-16 Radnor rd	22—1954	837.60	104.70	*
Sturniolo, Joseph	80 Oakland st	22—1954	977.20	139.60	*
Keefe, Michael, et al	396 Market st	22—1954	956.26	174.50	*
Tomasello, Joseph C.	733 Washington st	22—1954	977.20	209.40	*
PERSONAL PROPERTY.					
Winer, Max	52 Chauncy st	3—1954	$279.20	$279.20	¶
Blumenthal, F., et al	1 Raleigh st	5—1954	69.80	34.90	*
Tutunjian, M., et al	917 Dorchester av	13—1954	349.00	55.84	*

STEP-RATE INCREASES.

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	From	To
Charles F. Briscoe,	$90.61	$93.48
Francis X. Brown,	90.61	93.48
John M. Burke,	91.09	93.96
Herbert J. Cahill,	94.64	97.51
Patrick Callaghan,	90.61	93.48
Thomas F. Callahan, Jr.	90.61	93.48
Michael J. Camerlengo,	90.61	93.48
John L. Campbell,	86.59	89.46
Martin J. Cammata,	90.61	93.48
John J. Canniff,	94.64	97.51
Andrew J. Canning,	90.61	93.48
Sumner M. Card,	86.59	89.46
William G. Carpenter,	90.61	93.48
Stanley W. Card,	86.59	89.46
Patrick H. Carr,	94.64	97.51
John F. Cass, Jr.,	90.61	93.48
Francis P. Chapman,	90.61	93.48
Dante C. Ciampa,	90.61	93.48
Jeremiah J. Cody,	90.61	93.48
Jerome P. Coffey,	94.64	97.51
Walter F. Coleman,	90.61	93.48
Andrew F. Collins,	90.61	93.48
Daniel P. Collins,	90.61	93.48
Emmett F. Collins,	86.59	89.46
Robert W. Collins,	$90.61	$93.48
William P. Connell,	86.59	89.46
Charles Connors,	94.64	97.51
Michael J. Corrao,	90.61	93.48
John J. Costello,	86.59	89.46
James L. Crawford,	91.09	93.96
Robert J. Crawford,	90.61	93.48
John F. Creedon,	90.61	93.48
John J. Crowley,	90.61	93.48
Francis J. Cummings,	86.59	89.46
James A. Dailey,	90.61	93.48
Joseph F Daley,	90.61	93.48
James A. Dalton,	90.61	93.48
Archibald J. Devlin,	90.61	93.48
George J. Devlin,	90.61	93.48
Philip F. Devlin,	90.61	93.48
William H. Doherty,	86.59	89.46
Dennis J. Donovan,	90.61	93.48
Thomas J. Donovan,	94.64	97.51
John A. Dovi,	90.61	93.48
George T. Dowd,	90.61	93.48
Arthur I. Downing,	90.61	93.48
Matthew F. Espinola,	90.61	93.48
Edmund D. Farrell,	94.64	97.51
Raymond E. Favret,	90.61	93.48
Thomas F. Feeney,	90.61	93.48
John E. Fencer,	94.64	97.51
James M. Finn,	86.59	89.46
Peter P. Finnegan,	94.64	97.51
William J. Fisher,	90.61	93.48
Francis R. Fitzgerald,	90.61	93.48
Gerald A. Fleming,	90.61	93.48
Charles M. Flynn,	94.64	97.51
Robert A. Foley,	90.61	93.48
Frederick J. Ford,	90.61	93.48
Christopher S. Fraser,	90.61	93.48
Charles F. Frieberg,	90.61	93.48
John Frongillo,	90.61	93.48
Paul W. Frost,	90.61	93.48
Walter A. Gavin,	94.64	97.51
William D. Gavin,	90.61	93.48
Biaggi Germano,	90.61	93.48
John J. Glynn,	94.64	97.51
David Goldman,	94.64	97.51
George E. Graney,	90.61	93.48
Charles F. Griffin,	86.59	89.46
William F. Griffin,	86.59	89.46
Ernest J. Grim,	90.61	93.48
Edmund J. Hagerty,	90.61	93.48
George R. Haines,	86.59	89.46
Warren A. Hardy, Jr.,	90.61	93.48
David F. Harrison,	94.64	97.51
John R. Harrison,	86.59	89.46
John C. T. Hawe,	90.61	93.48
William O. Hawkins,	95.12	97.99
Eugene W. Hayes,	90.61	93.48
John A. Hayes,	90.61	93.48
Thomas J. Hession,	90.61	93.48
Joseph P. Hession,	90.61	93.48
Athelston Y. Hipson,	94.64	97.51
John B. Hoar,	90.61	93.48
Henry J. Hogan,	94.64	97.51
Thomas D. Hogan,	90.61	93.48
Philip I. Howlett,	90.61	93.48
Edward J. Hurley,	90.61	93.48
James J. Hurley,	90.61	93.48
Paul F. Hynes,	86.59	89.46
Charles J. Jones, Jr.,	90.61	93.48
John C. Kabachus,	90.61	93.48
Joseph W. Karnela,	90.61	93.48
Walter T. Kelley,	94.64	97.51
Richard A. Kemp,	86.59	89.46
Francis M. Kennedy,	90.61	93.48
James D. Kennedy,	86.59	89.46
John C. Kilroy,	86.59	89.46
Willard V. King,	90.61	93.48
Walter J. LaMontagne,	86.59	89.46
Anthony J. Langone,	90.61	93.48
Michael A. Langone,	90.61	93.48
Michael A. Laurano,	90.61	93.48
Francis A. Lee,	90.61	93.48
Thaddeus T. Lewis,	90.61	93.48
Arthur W. Lundgren,	94.64	97.51
Archibald A. MacDonald,	90.61	93.48
Anthony P. Mahoney,	90.61	93.48
John J. Mahoney,	94.64	97.51

	From	To
Joseph F. Manning,	$86.59—	$89.46
John J. Markham,	90.61—	93.48
Charles E. Maus,	90.61—	93.48
Gerard S. Melia,	90.61—	93.48
George W. Meuse, Jr.,	86.59—	89.46
James A. Moran,	90.61—	93.48
Lawrence T. Morgan,	94.64—	97.51
John J. Moriarty,	90.61—	93.48
Francis J. Mulhern,	90.61—	93.48
Richard B. Mullen,	90.61—	93.48
Mark W. Murphy,	86.59—	89.46
Vincent P. McBrine,	90.61—	93.48
John J. McCabe,	90.61—	93.48
John J. McCorkle,	90.61—	93.48
Richard P. McCormick,	90.61—	93.48
John J. McDevitt,	90.61—	93.48
Leo J. McElaney,	86.59—	89.46
William M. McGourty,	90.61—	93.48
Charles K. McGowan,	90.61—	93.48
Thomas J. McGrath,	91.09—	93.96
Donald E. McKenna,	86.59—	89.46
John J. McKenna,	90.61—	93.48
John E. McLane,	90.61—	93.48
Francis L. McLaughlin,	90.61—	93.48
William A. McLaughlin,	90.61—	93.48
James F. McMahon,	94.64—	97.51
Stephen F. McMahon,	86.59—	89.46
Francis J. McNamara,	94.64—	97.51
John F. McNamara,	94.64—	97.51
John J. McNamara,	90.61—	93.48
James A. McNeil,	90.61—	93.48
Paul B. McNiff,	86.59—	89.46
Bernard McTernan, Jr.,	90.61—	93.48
John E. Napier,	94.64—	97.51
Edwin C. Neimann,	86.59—	89.46
John F. Noonan, Jr.,	86.59—	89.46
John J. Norton,	90.61—	93.48
Francis X. O'Brien,	90.61—	93.48
Philip A. O'Farrell,	90.61—	93.48
John P. O'Malley,	90.61—	93.48
Edward W. Owens,	90.61—	93.48
Peter F. Palmieri,	90.61—	93.48
John A. Pepe,	90.61—	93.48
James W. Pierce,	90.61—	93.48
William A. Pierce,	90.61—	93.48
Michael F. Power,	90.61—	93.48
Henry W. E. Powers,	94.64—	97.51
William E. Powers,	90.61—	93.48
Francis W. Quigley,	86.59—	89.46
George E. Randall,	90.61—	93.48
John C. Reardon,	91.09—	93.96
Robert E. J. Regan,	90.61—	93.48
Nicholas Repetto,	90.61—	93.48
William J. Reynolds,	90.61—	93.48
Stephen J. Riley,	90.61—	93.48
Winthrop S. Robbins,	90.61—	93.48
James F. Rolfe,	90.61—	93.48
George L. Rooney,	90.61—	93.48
John A. Rose,	90.61—	93.48
George J. Roy,	90.61—	93.48
Joseph Ruggiero,	90.61—	93.48
Harry R. Ryerson,	94.64—	97.51
Albert Sacco,	90.61—	93.48
Frank P. Sacco,	90.61—	93.48
George M. Sacco,	90.61—	93.48
Frederick B. Seitz,	94.64—	97.51
Edward W. Sharkey,	90.61—	93.48
Frank A. Sikora,	90.61—	93.48
Arnold L. Snell,	90.61—	93.48
Thomas F. Somma,	90.61—	93.48
Gerald F. Stamm,	90.61—	93.48
Walter Steadman,	90.61—	93.48
Edwin G. Steidinger,	90.61—	93.48
Alfred Sudhalter,	90.61—	93.48
Dennis J. Sullivan,	86.59—	89.46
John J. Sullivan,	90.61—	93.48
John J. Swan,	90.61—	93.48
Howard J. Sylvester,	86.59—	89.46
Frederick J. Timmins,	94.64—	97.51
Michael Tuberosa,	90.61—	93.48
Thomas Uniacke, Jr.,	90.61—	93.48
Herbert B. Varley,	90.61—	93.48
Vincent D. Vitalo,	90.61—	93.48
John J. Walsh,	90.61—	93.48
Peter H. Walsh,	90.61—	93.48
James E. Welch,	$90.61—	$93.48
Frederick W. White,	90.61—	93.48
Joseph F. White,	87.07—	89.94
Edmund L. Wipperman,	90.61—	93.48

Fire Alarm Division.

Albert L. O'Banion, superintendent of Fire Alarm, from $143.68 to $146.55 a week.

Edward J. Laughlin, assistant superintendent of Fire Alarm Operators, from $127.59 to $130.46 a week.

Earl Lyons, assistant superintendent, Fire Alarm Division, from $127.59 to $130.46 a week.

Joseph E. Donovan, general foreman, Fire Alarm construction, from $115.33 to $118.20 a week.

Nathan Schats, radio supervisor, from $110.15 to $113.02 a week.

Principal Fire Alarm Supervisors.

	From	To
Jeremiah Ailinger,	$107.66—	$110.53
Henry M. Lyons,	107.66—	110.53
John M. McCarthy,	107.66—	110.53
Francis G. Tapp,	107.66—	110.53

Senior Fire Alarm Operators.

	From	To
John J. Connell,	$94.64—	$97.51
William H. Griffin,	94.64—	97.51
William H. Sullivan,	94.64—	97.51
John H. Chinetti,	90.61—	93.48
Charles F. Connors,	90.61—	93.48
John P. Lane,	90.61—	93.48
Frank E. Leahan,	90.61—	93.48
John P. Manning,	90.61—	93.48
Edward C. O'Nehir,	90.61—	93.48
Thomas N. Osborne,	90.61—	93.48
Robert L. Sullivan,	90.61—	93.48
William J. Bates	90.61—	93.48
James N. Fix,	86.59—	89.46
Walter Butkiewicz,	86.59—	89.46

John L. McFadden, senior fire alarm operator, temporary, from $90.61 to $93.48 a week.

Fire Alarm Operators.

	From	To
Frank A. Mizer,	$76.63—	$79.50
Edward W. O'Connell,	74.71—	77.58
Edmund T. Burke,	74.71—	77.58
John J. Leahy,	74.71—	77.58
John M. Murphy,	74.71—	77.58
Edward T. Tracey,	74.71—	77.58
Henry H. Wheeler, Jr.,	74.71—	77.58

Charles A. O'Dowd, fire alarm operator, temporary, from $67.82 to $70.69 a week.

Frederick Harris, foreman of linemen and cable splicers, from $107.66 to $110.53 a week.

Alexander Campbell, foreman of linemen and cable splicers, from $102.68 to $105.55 a week.

Daniel J. O'Brien, foreman of inside wiremen, from $102.68 to $105.55 a week.

Working Foremen Linemen and Cable Splicers.

	From	To
Bartholomew J. McDermott,	$94.64—	$97.51
Timothy J. Cadigan,	94.64—	97.51
John J. Delaney,	94.64—	97.51
Charles T. Donovan,	94.64—	97.51
Herbert F. Kearns,	94.64—	97.51
James R. Lowell,	86.59—	89.46

Inside Wiremen.

	From	To
John E. Downey,	$94.64—	$97.51
John Grana,	86.59—	89.46
Thomas J. Dolan,	86.59—	89.46
Eugene J. Flynn,	86.59—	89.46
John M. Sweeney,	86.59—	89.46
James F. O'Connell,	86.59—	89.46

William L. Pinero, working foreman machinist, from $86.59 to $89.46 a week.

Linemen.

	From	To
Walter J. Murray,	$76.63—	$79.50
George A. McGowan,	76.63—	79.50
John T. Corcoran,	74.71—	77.58
Paul D. Hackett,	74.71—	77.58
Charles E. McCarthy,	74.71—	77.58
John J. Moynihan,	74.71—	77.58
Carl DeVasto,	70.69—	73.56

Cable Splicers.

	From	To
Arthur W. Wagner,	$74.71—	$77.58
John F. Flynn,	74.71—	77.58
Frederick G. Duffy,	74.71—	77.58

Stephen A. Lydon, electrical equipment repairman, from $83.52 to $86.89 a week.

Joseph W. Flavin, electrical equipment repairman, from $80.46 to $83.33 a week.

Robert E. Harrington, motor equipment operator, from $76.63 to $79.50 a week.

Francis L. Clegg, machinist, from $74.71 to $77.58 a week.

William J. Zuzevich, machinist, from $70.69 to $73.56 a week.

Radio Repairmen.

	From	To
Anthony D'Ambrosio,	$74.71—	$77.58
Clarence A. Moore,	74.71—	77.58
Francis C. Keane,	67.82—	70.69

John L. McFadden, fire alarm operator (now temporary senior fire alarm operator), from $76.63 to $79.50 a week.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following requests:

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

General Foreman of Fire Department Maintenance James W. Marley, 12 hours at $3 an hour.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Cornelius E. O'Leary, senior personnel officer, 6 hours at $3 an hour; John F. Flaherty, associate civil engineer, 49 hours at $3 an hour.

Sumner Tunnel.

William Kelly, electrician-operator, 8 hours.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

John Flanagan, chief power plant engineer, 16 hours at $2.175 an hour; Hector Campbell, building maintenance supervisor, 32 hours at $2.087 an hour.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award the contracts for work, materials, and supplies, in accordance with recommendations of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Purchasing Division.

Upon September 6 the Mayor approved a contract with United States Hoffman Machinery Corporation for furnishing laundry equipment to the Sanatorium Division. Approximate total amount of contract was $10,942, less trade-in allowance of $325 on one used 48-inch extractor and one used 30-inch extractor, less discount of $212 34, making a net total of $10,404 66.

Bids, opened August 24, were as follows:

Laundry Equipment.

Requisition No. 604.

One 54-Inch Unloading Type Extractor, Including One Set of Inner Containers, Tram Rail and Hoist, Furnished, Delivered and Installed, As Per Specifications.—American Laundry Machinery Company, $9,481; Troy Laundry Machinery Division, Inc., $9,670; United States Hoffman Machinery Corporation, $8,940.*

Two Sets of Inner Containers for Item 1.—American Laundry Machinery Company, $886 each; Troy Laundry Machinery Division, $2,401, total; United States Hoffman Machinery Corporation, $1,001 each.*

Less Turn-in Allowance.—American Laundry Machinery Company, 48-inch extractor, $300, 30-inch extractor, $60, total trade-in, $360; Troy Laundry Machinery Division, Inc., 48-inch extractor, $300, 30-inch extractor, $60, total trade-in, $360; United States Hoffman Machinery Corporation, 48-inch extractor, $250,* 30-inch extractor, $75,* total trade-in, $325.*

Discount.—American Laundry Machinery Company, $217.86 (2 per cent); Troy Laundry Machinery Division, American Machine and Metals Inc., net, 30 days; United States Hoffman Machinery Corporation, $212.34.

Net Total Cost.—American Laundry Machinery Company, $10,675.14; Troy Laundry Machinery Division, $11,414; United States Hoffman Machinery Corporation, $10,404.66.

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—American Laundry Machinery Company, 30 days; Troy Laundry Machinery Division, American Machine and Metals, Inc., 45 days; United States Hoffman Machinery Corporation, 60 days.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon September 12 the Mayor approved a contract with lowest bidders as indicated for furnishing general clothing and sheets to Long Island Hospital and Boston City Hospital. Approximate total amounts of contracts were as follows:

Barnet Zelmyer, doing business as Zelmar Mills, $4,137, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; Bay State Novelty Company, $1,081.50, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids, opened August 22, were as follows:

Clothing and Sheets.

Requisition No. 1065.

Item 1. 108 Dozen Unbleached Sheets, 72 Inches x 108 Inches, Type 140, Per Dozen.—Sherman Mills, Inc., $22; Taylor, Symonds Company, $22; Zelmar Mills, $22.75.*

Requisition No. 8494.

Item 2. 50 Dozen Coats, Operating Room, Jade Green Poplin, As Per Specifications, Per Dozen.—Sherman Mills, Inc., (a), $21.45, (b), $21.45, (c), $21.45 (linene); Taylor, Symonds Company, (a), $19, (b), $19, (c), $19 (sanforized linene suiting); Zelmar Mills, (a), $21,* (b) $21,* (c), $21.*

Item 3. 35 Dozen Pants, Operating Room, Jade Green Poplin, As Per Specifications, Per Dozen.—Sherman Mills, Inc., (a), $17.25, (b), $17.25, (c), $17.25, (d), $17.25 (linene); Taylor, Symonds Company, (a), $16.75, (b), $16.75, (c), $16.75, (d), $16.75 (sanforized linene suiting); Zelmar Mills, (a), $18,* (b), $18,* (c), $18,* (d), $18.*

Requisition No. 8575.

Item 4. 3,200 Pairs Slippers, Sani-Duck, All Canvas, Per Pair.—Bay State Novelty Company, (a), 34½ cents (1,500),* (b), 31½ cents (1,200),* (c), 30 cents (300),* (d), 30 cents (200);* Sherman Mills, Inc., (a), 41 cents (1,500), (b), 41 cents (1,200), (c), 39 cents (300), (d), 39 cents (200); Taylor, Symonds Company, (a) 17½ cents (1,500), (b), 47½ cents (1,200), (c) 47½ cents (300), (d), 47½ cents (200); Zelmar Mills, (a), 41 cents (1,500), (b), 41 cents (1,200), (c), 37 cents (300), (d), 37 cents (200).

Discount.—Bay State Novelty Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Sherman Mills, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Taylor, Symonds Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Zelmar Mills, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—Bay State Novelty Company, 21 days; Sherman Mills, Inc., Item 1, January, all other items, at once; Taylor, Symonds Company, Item 1, January or sooner if can, Items 2 and 3, 20 days, Item 4, 2 to 3 weeks; Zelmar Mills, Item 1, 30 days, Items 2 and 3, immediate, Item 4, one half in 30 days, one half in 60 days.

* Contract awarded.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Upon September 8 the Mayor approved a contract with Industrial Welding Company for repairing and replacing of parts of fire escapes and incidental work in connection with same at various schools. Bids, opened September 6, were as follows:

Industrial Welding Company, $12,902.75; Ri-Co Iron and Metal Works, Inc., $13,221.42.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Upon September 7 the Mayor approved a contract with Baker & Co., Inc., for bituminous concrete pavement in Albany street, Ward 8; Bristol street, Ward 3; Harrison avenue, Ward 8; Wareham street, Ward 8, and such additional locations, if any, in Wards 3 and 8, as may be designated by the Commissioner of Public Works, at an estimated cost of $44,761.50. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed December 31, 1955. The following bids were received August 25:

Baker & Co., Inc., $41,761.50; Charles Todesca, $45,050; Faletra Brothers, Inc., $45,688; S. J. Tomasello Corporation, $47,545.25.

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Upon September 7 the Mayor approved a contract with Cyclone Fence Department, American Steel and Wire Division, United States Steel Corporation, for the erection of wire mesh fencing at the Calf Pasture Pumping Station, Mt. Vernon street, Dorchester, at an estimated cost of $1,728. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed within 30 days after approval by the Mayor. The following bids were received August 31:

Cyclone Fence Department, American Steel and Wire Division, United States Steel Corporation, $1,728; Boston Chain Link Fence Company, $1,874; Colorado Fuel and Iron Corporation, $1,968; P. J. Dinn & Co., $2,195; Anchor Post Products, Inc., $2,477.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

Upon varying dates as indicated the Mayor approved contracts with commercial houses, contractors, etc., for furnishing labor and supplies. Communications from heads of the departments interested were as follows:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.
Purchasing Division.

BOSTON, August 19, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

In view of the emergency existing at the present time due to flood conditions, it is requested that authority be granted me under the provisions of paragraph 2, section 13, chapter 639 of the Acts of 1950, as most recently amended by chapter 491 of the Acts of 1953, to dispense with the usual contractual formalities ordinarily attendant to purchases by the city of various supplies and equipment.

It is my opinion that the best interests of the city and its citizens will be served in this matter.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, September 8, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

In accordance with the provisions of the letter approved by your Honor on January 24, 1955, authority is requested to award a contract, without public advertisement, to the following-named company for furnishing perishable foods to the various city departments from September 15, 1955, to March 31, 1956: Leo Young, Inc., 34 B & M Produce Market, Charlestown, Mass.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, September 8, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

On August 5, 1955, your Honor approved a letter to award contracts, without public advertisement, to various companies for anticipated needs for emergency deliveries of hospital equipment for polio cases.

Inasmuch as the polio period has continued longer than was expected and since the number of polio cases has far exceeded the original estimate, it is now requested that the amounts of the awards to the following companies be changed to read as indicated below:

Thomas W. Reed Company, $10,000, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; Atlantex Corporation, $6,500, net; J. H. Emerson Company, $6,500, net; T. J. Noonan Company, $1,000, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

The amounts of the awards to all other companies listed in the original letter dated August 5, 1955, remain the same.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

BOSTON, August 31, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

SUBJECT: Boston Trade High School Flood Damage (Emergency Work).

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

Prior to the time the flood waters from the torrential rains of Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, August 18 to 20, reached maximum height, through the cooperation of the City of Boston Fire Department and the Department of Civil Defense, the work of pumping water from the rooms below yard grade was started, however, the pumps were not adequate to control the flood water and the build-up continued to the extent that it was necessary to augment the pumping operations by the use of pumps owned and operated by a private contractor. The firm of Donato Antonellis, 15 Sparhawk street, Brighton, were employed to do the pumping and cleaning and disinfecting work necessary, as they were familiar with this type of work having performed identical work during the hurricane of the previous year.

Emergency action had to be taken and will be continued until the flooded rooms are suitable again for occupancy.

The nature of the work precluded the possibility of obtaining public bid proposals for work involved, consequently, I request your authorization to dispense with public advertising and continue the services of Donato Antonellis Company to completion in accordance with a written contract which will be negotiated by this department in the sum of not to exceed $14,000.

The work will be done under the direction of engineers and supervisors from this department and an accurate record of time, labor, and materials involved kept, and certified to by the department employees.

The work of disinfecting is being done in accordance with directions of the City of Boston Health Department and the Sanitary Engineer representing the School Committee and will be adjudged completed by those authorities before occupancy is permitted.

It is to be noted that the amount set forth in the foregoing represents the best estimates that the department can make of the probable costs of the electrical work needed to be done in the above school and that it is entirely conceivable that as the work progresses it may become apparent that the actual cost of the repairs will be in excess of the amount stated in the contract. Therefore, if this circumstance should occur I would request from your Honor in writing authorization to increase the particular contract amounts as may become necessary.

Very truly yours,

JAMES H. MOONEY,
Superintendent of Construction.

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BOSTON, August 31, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

SUBJECT: Boston Trade High School Flood Damage (Emergency Work).

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

Flood water from the torrential rains of Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, August 18 to 20, plus the backing up of sewage through sanitary and storm water drain inlets has created havoc with the electric generating plant, electrical systems, high pressure boilers, electric machines, motors, shop equipment, wood floors, etc. Damage from water is more severe and greater in extent than that caused by the hurricane of September 11, 1954, as the high-water mark of the flood was approximately twenty-seven inches higher than the year previous.

To correct the damage as expeditiously as possible and without the delay which would be unavoidable if public advertising took place, I respectfully request your authorization to dispense with public advertising for proposals and to engage the services of the following electrical contractors, by written contract, to perform the work necessary to make the systems and machinery operative in accordance with this department's specifications, in amounts set forth as follows:

Dorgan Electrical Company, Boston Trade High School, not to exceed $30,000.

Electric Maintenance Company, Boston Trade High School, not to exceed $12,500.

It is to be noted that the amounts set forth in each instance in the foregoing represents the best estimates that the department can make of the probable cost of the electrical work needed to be done in the above school and that it is entirely conceivable that as the work progresses it may become apparent that the actual cost of the repairs will be in excess of the amount stated in the contract. Therefore, if this circumstance should occur I would request from your Honor in writing authorization to increase the particular contract amounts as may become necessary.

Very truly yours,

JAMES H. MOONEY,
Superintendent of Construction.

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BOSTON, September 1, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

SUBJECT: Thomas A. Edison School Flood Damage (Emergency Work).

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

Flood water from the torrential rains of Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, August 18 to 20, plus the backing up of sewage through sanitary and storm water drain inlets has created havoc with the electrical system, oil burner motors, sump ejector motors, boiler return pumps and control and switchboard appurtenances for the operation of the motors to the extent that it was immediately necessary to employ Ralph Dixon, electrician, to perform emergency work to protect the personnel working in the building and to make the systems again operable.

The nature of the work did not permit solicitations of public proposals, consequently, Mr. Dixon was ordered to perform the necessary work and I respectfully request your authorization to dispense with public advertising proposals and engage and continue the services of Ralph Dixon, electrical contractor, in an amount not to exceed $6.000.

The work will be done in conjunction with the specifications of this department and under the direction of this department's engineers who will be obliged to keep account of all labor and materials expended and certify to their correctness.

It is to be noted that the amount set forth in the foregoing represents the best estimates that the department can make of the probable costs of the electrical work needed to be done in the above school and that it is entirely conceivable that as the work progresses it may become apparent that the actual cost of the repairs will be in excess of the amount stated in the contract. Therefore, if this circumstance should occur I would request from your Honor in writing authorization to increase the particular contract amounts as may become necessary.

Very truly yours,

JAMES H. MOONEY,
Superintendent of Construction.

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BOSTON, September 1, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

SUBJECT: Thomas A. Edison School Flood Damage (Emergency Work).

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

Flood water from the torrential rains of Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, August 18 to 20, plus the backing up of sewage through sanitary and storm water drain inlets entirely submerged floors of rooms below yard grade causing considerable damage and unsanitary conditions.

Through the cooperation of the City of Boston Fire Department and Civil Defense Department, the rise in water was kept fairly in control, however, the pumps operated by those departments had to be augmented by the use of pumps owned and operated by a private contractor. Further, a cave-in in the yard required the immediate placement of brick fill and stone rubble to fill the cave-in area of approximately 60 feet in length and 20 feet in width and depth undetermined as bottom cannot be reached with poles in excess of 12 feet.

The nature of the work was such that solicitation of public proposals could not be made and the firm of Donato Antonellis, 15 Sparhawk street, Brighton, was employed to perform the work necessary to make the building operable and the rooms occupiable. Consequently, I ask your authorization to dispense with public advertising for proposals and to engage the services of Donato Antonellis, by written contract, to perform the work of pumping, filling, yard servicing, removal of wood flooring in gymnasium, steam cleaning, and disinfecting of flooded portions of the building not to exceed $9,000.

It is to be noted that the amount set forth in the foregoing represents the best estimates that the department can make of the probable costs of the electrical work needed to be done in the above school and that it is entirely conceivable that as the work progresses it may become apparent that the actual cost of the repairs will be in excess of the amount stated in the contract. Therefore, if this circumstance should occur I would request from your Honor in writing authorization to increase the particular contract amounts as may become necessary.

Very truly yours,

JAMES H. MOONEY.
Superintendent of Construction.

ELECTION DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, September 2, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR:

The Board of Election Commissioners respectfully requests that permission be given them to award the contract for printing the Preliminary Municipal Election Ballots to the firm of Wright & Potter Printing Company of 32 Derne street, Boston, without advertising for bids, at the following prices:

For 45,893 official paper ballots (46 precincts), including specimen ballots (10 for each precinct), boxed in open-window cartons, $1,697.50.

For 24,400 "Challenged" ballots (100 for each of the 244 voting machine precincts), printed "Challenged Ballot" in red ink across filing, $352.70.

For voting machine cards and Specimen Ballots for 244 precincts (3 cards each for 718 Shoup and 700 Automatic Voting Machines), with 10 Specimen Ballots for each precinct, $5,087.50.

1,000 white strips (no printing) for Shoup Machines, $72.50.

2,000 white strips (no printing) for Automatic Machines, $69.75.

Total, $7,279.95.

The ballots for the Preliminary Election will contain 290 precinct changes and 22 ward changes in the makeup. Great care will be required on the part of the printer, as the time for printing such ballots and ballot labels and making a delivery to this office is very limited.

The Wright & Potter Printing Company is the only printing concern especially equipped to do this work, having printed the State and City of Boston ballots for a long period of years. For this reason, and to safeguard the voters of the city as far as possible against error, this request is made.

Respectfully yours,

BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS,
DAVID LASKER,
Chairman.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, September 2, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This will supplement my communication of July 29, 1955, approved by your Honor on August 4, 1955, relative to modernization of electric, sewage, and water supply systems at Long Island Hospital.

The cost of the engineering studies and the development of a coordinated program looking toward the accomplishment of the aforementioned projects according to our best available estimates is not now expected to be in excess of $15,000. Accordingly, and in view of the highly technical nature of the services to be rendered, it is proposed to dispense with publicly soliciting proposals and to enter into a contract with Jackson & Moreland, engineers, 600 Park Square Building, Boston, Mass., covering these services written at a cost not to exceed $15,000.

At a later date, it is proposed to enter into a contract or contracts with the same firm providing for preparation of plans and specifications for and the furnishing of supervision in connection with the actual construction contract or contracts.

Respectfully yours,

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, AND THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL,
by RICHARD J. CONDON,
President.

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BOSTON, September 2, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

For your information and under the authority given to the Hospital Department by your Honor on August 4, 1955, it is the purpose of the trustees to enter into a contract with Jackson & Moreland, engineers, 600 Park Square Building, Boston, Mass., to conduct engineering studies and develop a coordinated program for conversion of the hospital's present electric service and facilities from direct to alternating current.

At the present writing, it is our expectation that the total cost of the subject engineering services will not exceed $20,000. Your authority, therefore, is requested to omit the customary advertising and to award the proposed contract to the Jackson & Moreland firm at a cost not to exceed $20,000.

In the light of the highly special nature of the services to be forthcoming under the proposed contract, it is not considered that a public solicitation of proposals would be of avail to the city.

Respectfully yours,

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, AND THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL,
by RICHARD J. CONDON,
President.

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

BOSTON, August 29, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

In connection with the other events to be held relating to the public celebration of the 325th anniversary of the founding of Boston, it is proposed to present a spectacular display of fireworks from barges located on the Charles River in the vicinity of the Hatch Shell.

Authority is hereby requested therefore to dispense with public advertising and award a contract to Pearl Fireworks Company of Centredale, Rhode Island, to conduct the fireworks display at a total cost not to exceed $5,000.

This firm has conclusively demonstrated by its performance earlier this year and in prior years as well that it is able to execute these fireworks displays in a safe and artistic manner. Trained pyrotechnicians are in the employ of this firm, and they are under the direct supervision of the manager.

Since the nature of the skilled services involved and the quality of the materials essential for proper and safe fireworks displays are such as would be extremely difficult, if not impossible to obtain through public bidding, it is considered that no advantage would be gained by publicly inviting bids in the *City Record*.

Respectfully,
JOHN D. BROWN,
Director of Public Celebrations.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, August 30, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR:

During the recent floods we lost a rustic wooden footbridge that spanned Muddy River in the Back Bay Fens, opposite the Art Museum.

This structure should be immediately replaced, as a condition now exists which not only causes inconvenience, but could result in serious accidents.

With that thought in mind, we have asked F. C. Dolan & Sons who have done similar work satisfactorily for this department, to visit the site and submit a price to construct a similar structure in the same location, as the abutments were not seriously damaged.

They have submitted a lump sum price of $1,500 to replace the superstructure and repair the stone masonry abutments, which we feel is fair and reasonable.

As a grave emergency now exists, we feel we should start the work as soon as possible and that the best interests of the city would be served by accepting this offer to replace the structure at the price submitted.

In view of this, I respectfully request your permission to dispense with publicly advertising and award a contract to F. C. Dolan & Sons, 18 Aldworth street, Jamaica Plain, Mass., to reconstruct wooden footbridge over Muddy River, Back Bay Fens, for the lump sum price of $1,500, same to be charged to "Flood Emergency" 352-61.

Respectfully yours,

FRANK R. KELLEY,
Commissioner of Parks and Recreation.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with John W. Egan Company for interior and exterior painting at the Brighton High School, from August 31, 1955, to October 15, 1955. This extension was requested because of difficulty in securing necessary labor to complete work on time.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with L. J. Banda for modernization of plumbing at the Michelangelo School, from September 7, 1955, to December 31, 1955. This extension was requested because of delay in obtaining necessary plumbing material and marble to complete work.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with O. P. Killam & Son for furnishing and delivering lunchroom tables to Girls' Latin School, from September 2, 1955, to October 30, 1955. This extension was requested because of a delay in receiving materials from mill on account of flood conditions.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with D. Federico Company, 19 Osceola street, Mattapan, for laying and relaying water pipes in East Eagle street, Ward 1; Falcon street, Ward 1; White street, Ward 1; Mt. Vernon street, Ward 13, and such additional locations, if any, in Wards 1 and 13, as may be designated by the Commissioner of Public Works, to September 30, 1955. This extension was requested because the recent heavy rains retarded the progress of the work.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Park Construction Company, Inc., 40 Court street, Boston, for construction of office building and garage, Arborway and Forest Hills street, Ward 11, Boston, from July 29, 1955, to September 6, 1955. This extension was requested because the contractor was authorized to do extra work which he is unable to complete before September 6, 1955.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with J. J. Bonavire, Inc., 209 Washington street, Boston, for construction of new garage, Public Works Department yard, City of Boston, 315 Western avenue, Brighton, Mass., from August 15, 1955, to September 15, 1955. This extension was requested because the contractor was delayed by inclement weather.

AMENDMENT TO ORIGINAL AWARD OF DAMAGES.

The Public Improvement Commission has voted as follows:

That the amount of $110 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Charles E. and Mary L. McCarthy for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of November 24, 1953, for the revision of grade of Gould street, West Roxbury.

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That the amount of $110 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Joseph F. and Gertrude M. Creedon for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of March 25, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Ansonia road, West Roxbury.

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That the amount of $300 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to John F. and Marie J. Winterson for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of November 21, 1952, for the laying out and construction of Pitsmoor road, West Roxbury.

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That the amount of $41 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Shirley Cohen for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of August 8, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Hartlawn road.

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That the amount of $75 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to George A. and Mildred R. Cabral for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of June 11, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Hallron street, Hyde Park.

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That the amount of $25 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to James E. and Dorothy M. Furlong for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of June 11, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Hallron street, Hyde Park.

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That the amount of $125 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Raymond A. and Ruby A. Farrell for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of June 11, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Hallron street, Hyde Park.

OMIT AND SUBSTITUTE WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

J. A. Susi & Sons, Inc., have been directed to omit and substitute the following work under the contract for bituminous concrete pavement in Pond street, dated July 13, 1955:

Omit 160 tons of bituminous concrete wearing surface at $8 per ton in Pond street.

Substitute 180 tons of sheet asphalt. Thickness of sheet asphalt to average 1½ inches. Price to be paid, $9 per ton.

Estimated cost of omitted work, $1,280; estimated cost of substituted work, $1,620; estimated increase in cost, $340.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Baker & Co., Inc., have been directed to perform the following extra work under the contract for bituminous concrete pavement in Bowdoin avenue, St. William street, and South Munroe terrace, dated June 29, 1955:

In Bowdoin avenue, construct two special drop inlets with chute connection to existing catch basins at $50 each. Estimated cost of extra work, $100.

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Works Department for the following construction work:

One thousand two hundred and seventy-one linear feet of 18-inch pipe sewer and 1,271 linear feet of 12-inch pipe surface drain in Back street, Boston Proper, between Berkeley street and Fairfield street, in the Boston Proper district, at an estimated cost of $52,000.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 2,096.

The resignation of Patrolman Joseph E. Rooney of Division 15 having been presented, it is hereby accepted, to take effect Wednesday, September 14, 1955, at 7.45 o'clock A.M.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,097.

A trial board, consisting of Captains Francis J. Hennessy, Leo E. Hoban, and John J. Cunniffe, having heard by reference a complaint made by Charles J. Deignan, captain, commanding Division 4, against Patrolman Walter E. Moore, Division 4, charging him with violation of the rules and regulations of the Police Department, has reported a finding of guilty, recommending punishment duty of 420 hours.

This recommendation is accepted, and it is ordered that the said Patrolman Walter E. Moore perform 420 hours' punishment duty.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,098.

Patrolman Joseph W. Roy of Division 3 is commended and granted two days' additional vacation for meritorious police work performed on Monday, September 5, 1955.

While on duty and in uniform in Boston Common and while near the heavily traveled intersection at Boylston and Tremont streets, this officer observed a man whom, from photograph and teletype item issued on the previous day, he recognized as being John J. Martin, escapee from State Prison, Charlestown, where he was serving an eight- to ten-year term for armed robbery.

With drawn revolver, Patrolman Roy cautiously approached Martin, confronted him with a statement as to his identity and warned him not to move or he would shoot to kill. Martin submitted to arrest, was taken to Station 3 where he was positively identified by Acting Warden Vance of State Prison, delivered to the warden and accompanying guards, and returned to the prison.

The commissioner is pleased to recognize the keen observation of Patrolman Roy and the manner in which he effected the arrest of this man who, had he not been apprehended, would doubtless have continued his long and active criminal career.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,099.

The Police Commissioner having heard the complaint of Lieut. James R. McLaughlin, in charge of Division 10, against Patrolman Samuel C. Pasquale, Division 10, on June 23, 1955, at Police Headquarters, charging him with violation of the rules and regulations of the Police Department, has made a finding of guilty.

Therefore, The said Samuel C. Pasquale is ordered dismissed from the Police Department, effective as of Friday, May 6, 1955, at 5.45 o'clock P.M.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,100.

A trial board, consisting of Captains Francis J. Murphy, George F. Snell, and Dennis F. Dalton, having heard by reference a complaint made by Captain Cornelius F. O'Brien, commanding Division 14, against Patrolman Robert M. Corbett, Division 14, charging him with violation of the rules and regulations of the Police Department, has reported a finding of guilty, recommending punishment duty of 315 hours.

This recommendation is accepted, and it is ordered that the said Patrolman Robert M. Corbett perform 315 hours' punishment duty.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,101.

Leave of absence, without loss of pay, is hereby granted to employees of the department who are of the Jewish faith for the observance of Rosh Hashonah starting at sundown on September 16, 1955, and continuing to sundown on September 18, 1955.

The same leave is also granted starting at sundown on September 25, 1955, and continuing to sundown on September 26, 1955, for the observance of Yom Kippur.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,102.

The following promotions and assignments are hereby ordered, to take effect Wednesday, September 14, 1955, at 7.45 o'clock A.M.:

To the Grade of Lieutenant.

Sergt. Richard J. Stapleton, from Division 1 to Division 3.

Sergt. Arthur C. Cadegan, Jr., from Division 8 to Division 8.

To the Grade of Sergeant.

Robert E. Short, from Division 2 to Division 19.

Oscar T. Dubois, from Division 13 to Division 1.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,103.

The following transfer is hereby ordered, to take effect on Thursday, September 15, 1955, at 7.45 o'clock A.M.:

Lieut. Harold G. Mitten, from Division 8 to City Prison.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,104.

The resignation of Patrolman Anthony Athanasia of Division 3 having been presented, it is hereby accepted, to take effect on Wednesday, September 14, 1955, at 4 o'clock P.M., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

CONSTRUCTION OF EATONIA STREET, BRIGHTON.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of Eatonia street, Brighton district, as a public highway, from North Harvard street to West Sorrento street, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named Eatonia street is hereby laid out from West Sorrento street, approximately 180 feet southwesterly, and ordered constructed.

For the making of the aforesaid improvement an easement for street purposes is hereby taken in the following-described land, exclusive of trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed thereto:

A parcel of land supposed to belong to William J. and Mary L. Murray, bounded:

Northeasterly by the southwesterly line of West Sorrento street, ten and 74-100 feet; northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Eatonia street, as it existed prior to this order, ten and 74-100 feet; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Eatonia street as hereby laid out, sixteen and 42-100 feet on a curve of ten and 00-100 feet, containing approximately twenty-five square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land supposed to belong to New England Tree Expert Associates, Inc., bounded:

Northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Eatonia street as it existed prior to this order, forty-one and 40-100 feet; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Eatonia street as hereby laid out, forty-six and 59-100 feet on a curve of twenty-eight and 00-100 feet radius, containing approximately two hundred sixty-two square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land supposed to belong to J. H. McNamara, Inc., bounded:

Southeasterly by the northwesterly line of Eatonia street as it existed prior to this order, thirty-six and 71-100 feet; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Eatonia street as hereby laid out, forty and 04-100 feet on a curve of twenty-eight and 00-100 feet radius, containing approximately one hundred seventy-two square feet, more or less.

Said Eatonia street as hereby laid out is bounded:

Northeasterly by the southwesterly line of West Sorrento street, fifty and 81-100 feet; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Eatonia street as hereby laid out by two measurements, one hundred twenty-three and 45-100 feet and forty and 04-100 feet on a curve of twenty-eight and 00-100 feet radius; southwesterly by the southwesterly line of Eatonia street as hereby laid out, forty-four and 65-100 feet on a curve of twenty-eight and 00-100 feet radius, and southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Eatonia street as hereby laid out, three measurements, forty-six and 59-100 feet on a curve of twenty-eight and 00-100 feet radius, one hundred seven and 52-100 feet, and sixteen and 42-100 feet on a curve of ten and 00-100 feet radius.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the abutting parcels of land situated on both sides of Eatonia street, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement herein ordered; each of said parcels in the amount hereinafter respectively set against it; said parcels and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Eatonia Street, Brighton, July 26, 1955, George G. Hyland, Commissioner of Public Works," and on file in the office of this commission.

Parcel.		Amount.
1.	J. H. McNamara, Inc.	$363 63
2.	Frank V. and Veronica Goscinak,	403 90
3.	Anna F. and Rita C. Fitzgerald,	354 90
4.	Frederick H. G. and Kathleen M. Russell	347 70
5.	William J. and Mary L. Murray,	289 84
6.	Frank J. and Jane Masullo	377 00
7.	Michael S. and Anne T. Maloof,	369 20
8.	New England Tree Expert Associates, Inc.	313 65
	Total	$2,819 82

Voted, That this commission determines that the undermentioned persons sustain damages in their estates by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the laying out and construction of Eatonia street, Brighton district, from West Sorrento street, approximately 180 feet southwesterly, under the order of this commission of August 11, 1955, in the amounts hereinafter respectively set against them, and awards said amounts therefor.

William J. and Mary L. Murray, 25 square feet, $1.

New England Tree Experts, Inc., 262 square feet, $1.

J. H. McNamara, Inc., 172 square feet, $1.

STREET CONSTRUCTION IN BRIGHTON DISTRICT.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of West Sorrento street, Brighton district, as a public highway, from Hopedale street to Eatonia street, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named West Sorrento street is hereby laid out as a public highway, from Hopedale street to Eatonia street, and ordered constructed.

Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees, shrubs or structures standing upon or affixed thereto in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

Southeasterly by Hopedale street, seventy and 00-100 feet; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of West Sorrento street as hereby laid out by two measurements, twenty-three and 56-100 feet on a curve of fifteen feet radius and two hundred fifteen and 09-100 feet; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of West Sorrento street as hereby laid out, forty and 10-100 feet; southwesterly by the southwesterly line of West Sorrento street as hereby laid out, by two measurements, two hundred twelve and 24-100 feet and twenty-three and 56-100 feet on a curve of fifteen feet radius.

Trees, shrubs or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforedescribed land, shall be removed therefrom within thirty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purposes of constructing said improvement.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the abutting parcels of land situated on both sides of said West Sorrento street, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement herein ordered; each of said parcels in the amount hereinafter respectively set against it; said parcels and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan hereinbefore referred to, and on file in the office of this department.

Parcel.		Amount.
1.	Ralph T. and Leona M. Stauff	$225 30
2.	Ralph T. and Leona M. Stauff	165 90
3.	William E. and Cecile E. Bowers,	840 00
4.	William J. and Mary L. Murray,	217 38
5.	Elizabeth D. Lindholm, Isabelle F. Quinn, A. Louise Carmichael	197 04
	Total	$1,645 62

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the laying out and construction of West Sorrento street (formerly Sorrento street), Brighton district, from Hopedale street to Eatonia street, as a public highway, under the order of the commission of August 11, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, August 29, 1955.

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 2 P.M., President HURLEY in the chair. Absent, Councillor Ahearn.

Rabbi Meyer J. Strassfeld, Congregation Agudath Israel, Dorchester, was escorted to the rostrum.

INVOCATION BY RABBI MEYER J. STRASSFELD.

Now let us pray. Almighty God, Father of all flesh, at the opening of tbe deliberations of our City Council, we pray to Thee and beseech Thy aid and guidance. Show us the path upon which we must tread. Grant us the vision to reach decisions wbich will be of benefit to all the people of our city. Enable us to arrive at a just and equitable solution to the many problems confronting our city government.

At tbe same time, we pray that Thou bless, protect and help the Mayor of our city, the members of the City Council, and all the duly elected and appointed officials of our city government. Grant to them, O Lord, strength, power and help to lead us in the path of righteousness and justice according to the dictates of Thy will for the benefit of all the inhabitants of our beloved country regardless of race, color, or creed.

We thank Thee, Almigbty God, for the bountiful blessings wbicb Thou hast bestowed upon our beloved country. We thank Tbee for Thy kindness in saving our city from the devastations we recently experienced, and we pray spread Thy healing power of solace upon those that were burt in this devastation, and continue, O Lord, to protect us against the destructive forces of nature as well as against our enemies, both from within and without.

Permit our country to continue to serve as a beacon of light to all humanity so that this clarion call of liberty, justice, and religious freedom will pierce various curtains which are separating brother from brother, and nation from nation.

Bless us and all mankind with brotherly love and eternal peace. Amen.

The meeting was opened with the salute to the Flag.

WELCOME TO GROUP FROM NORTHEASTERN UNIVERSITY.

President HURLEY, on behalf of the Council, welcomed Professor Raymond Robinson and a group of students from Northeastern University who were present at the meeting. The President gave a brief explanation of the Council rules and procedure.

APPOINTMENTS BY THE MAYOR.

Subject to confirmation by the Council, the Mayor submitted the following appointments:

Constable with authority to serve civil process upon filing of bond for the term ending April 30, 1956: James Jackson, 89 Munroe street, Roxbury.

Weigher of Coal for the term ending April 30, 1956: Peter Patalano, 375 Hillcrest road, Needham.

Severally referred to the Committee on Confirmations.

COMPLETION OF HYDE PARK AVENUE.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, August 4, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Public Works relative to your order of July 25, 1955, concerning the speeding up of the completion of Hyde Park avenue.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Public Works Department,
August 4, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.

Dear Mr. Flemming:

This is in reference to the following order that was passed in the City Council under date of July 25:

"Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works of Boston confer with the State Department of Public Works about speeding up the completion of Hyde Park avenue."

Bids for the above-referenced project were opened on Tuesday, July 26, and a low bid in the amount of $267,180 was submitted by Dooley Brothers, Inc. As of this date, the contract has been awarded, and we expect work to start on next Monday, August 8.

You may be assured that every reasonable effort will he made to complete the entire project before the end of the current construction season.

Respectfully yours,
GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Placed on file.

AID TO VICTIMS OF POLIO.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, August 18, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Health Commissioner relative to your order of July 25, 1955, concerning the contacting of the superintendents of various hospitals in the city for the purpose of having the best available specialists on poliomyelitis pool their efforts to afford any and all possible help to Boston families stricken with polio.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Health Department, August 8, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.

Dear Sir:

This will acknowledge your communication of July 28, 1955, pertaining to a resolve of the Boston City Council that the Health Commissioner of the City of Boston be requested to contact the superintendents of various hospitals in the city for the purpose of having the best available specialists on poliomyelitis pool their efforts to afford any and all possible help to Boston families stricken with tbe disease.

Relative to this resolve of the Boston City Council, it may be stated that since the start of the increase in the number of cases of poliomyelitis reported to the Boston Health Department, the Health Commissioner of the City of Boston has daily been in communication with the superintendents and/or medical officers of the Boston City Hospital, the Haynes Memorial Hospital, which is a branch of the Massachusetts Memorial Hospital, the Children's Medical Center, the Carney Hospital, the United States Veterans Hospital in Jamaica Plain, and many of the other hospitals in Boston for the purpose of determining the proper procedure for care of cases of infantile paralysis.

The Health Commissioner of the City of Boston participated with the Mayor of the City of Boston in a joint conference witb the superintendents of many hospitals and other recognized specialists in poliomyelitis on Wednesday, August 3, for the purpose of determining the most desirable procedures relative to the present outbreak of poliomyelitis. As a result of this conference tbere is a general agreement as to the procedures to be followed, and I am confident that insofar as the treatment is concerned—both at the various hospitals caring for a number of poliomyelitis cases as well as those caring for a limited number of such cases—the best recognized course of treatment is available; and all have knowledge of the facilities and help available both by the Massachusetts Division of the National Foundation of Infantile Paralysis and the Suffolk County Chapter of March of Dimes.

The Health Department has had the benefit of consultation with outstanding specialists in poliomyelitis, including recent recipients of the Nobel Award for work on poliomyelitis, as well as the medical advisor to President Eisenhower and to the United States Department of Healtb, Education and Welfare; also clinicians, neurologists, and epidemiologists from the Harvard Medical School, Tufts Medical Scbool, and Boston University School of Medicine.

Yours very truly,
JOHN H. CAULEY, M.D.,
Health Commissioner.

Placed on file.

CAMPAIGN AGAINST LITTERBUGS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, August 1, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Public Works in reply to your order of May 2, 1955, concerning the enforcement of regulations to keep the streets and parks clean.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Public Works Department,
July 29, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

This is in reference to the following order tbat was passed in the City Council under date of July 25:

"Whereas, On Monday, May 2, 1955, the Boston City Council at a regular meeting of its Honorable Body did on motion of Councillor Piemonte pass the following order:

'Whereas, The littering of streets is a detriment to any city; and

'Whereas, In the City of Boston the correction of this problem involves more than one department; and

'Whereas, The Public Works Commissioner has under his direction the collecting of refuse and garbage and the sweeping of streets; and

'Whereas, The Health Department has within its power a division known as the Health and Sanitation Inspectors, whose duty it is to enforce health and sanitation in the City of Boston; and

'Whereas, The Police Department is the general law-enforcing agency in tbe City of Boston; and

'Whereas, The Park Department has the supervision of the picking up of litter in the parks and playgrounds of the City of Boston; and

'Whereas, The Corporation Counsel of the City of Boston is the department charged with the drawing up of ordinances and passing on the legality and constitutionality of the same; and

'Whereas, The Traffic Commission makes the rules and regulations relative to parking; now, therefore be it

'Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor request that the Commissioner of Public Works, the Police Commissioner, the Park Department, the Healtb Commissioner, the Traffic Commissioner, and the Corporation Counsel confer for the purpose of instituting a permanent campaign against litterbugs in the City of Boston, and to draw up and execute any plans or ordinances which they may deem necessary or expedient to carry out the same; and be it further

'Resolved, That they consider the advisability of inviting the School Committee to assist them in distributing leaflets and circulars relative to said campaign to the homes through the school children; and be it

'Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor request the Commissioner of Public Works, the Police Commissioner, the Health Commissioner, the Park Commissioner, and the Corporation Counsel to confer for the purpose of discussing a permanent campaign against litterbugs; and be it further

'Ordered, That said group invite the cooperation of the School Committee in distributing to tbe homes, by the school children, leaflets and circulars relative to said campaign; and

'Whereas, The litterbugs are still very much active in the streets, parks and playgrounds of Boston; and be it

'Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor direct the department heads named in the aforesaid order adopted on May 2 to intensify and put into action their campaign against the litterbugs in Boston.' "

"In City Council July 25, 1955. Adopted."

With reference to the above order, I submit below a self-explanatory copy of invitation of May 31 that I sent to the department heads affected:

"May 31, 1955.

I enclose for your information and attention, copy of order that was passed in the City Council under date of May 2, concerning matters affecting the institution of a permanent campaign to insure the cleanliness of the city's streets, alleys, backyards, etc.

At the suggestion of the Mayor, I am calling a meeting of all interested parties in tbis office on next Friday, June 3, at 4 P.M., in order to discuss the provisions of the order and all related matters.

I invite you to be present at this meeting, but if you are unable to attend, I suggest that

you designate a department employee or official to represent you.

Very truly yours,
GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Enc.
J. H. CAULEY, M.D.,
Health Commissioner.
W. L. BAXTER,
Corporation Counsel.
T. F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.
W. A. REILLY,
Traffic Commissioner.
F. R. KELLEY,
Parks and Recreation
Commissioner.
Copy to Councillor Piemonte."

In addition to the invitation extended to department heads, I also invited Councillor Piemonte to our meeting, in order to obtain the benefit of any advice or suggestions that he might have to offer in connection with the general subject of clean streets, clean backyards, etc.

The meeting was held as scheduled, and the subject of Mr. Piemonte's order and related matters were thoroughly discussed by the representatives of each department present at the meeting. All persons in attendance pledged the wholehearted cooperation of their departments and facilities in providing for a clean city. The only department not represented was the Health Department, and I might say at this time that the latter-referenced department is working continuously on problems of sanitation, and I do not feel that they need any urging to assist in keeping our streets and backyards clean.

At the present time, the Public Works Department is doing everything within reason to keep our streets in a clean condition. Recently, I provided, by allocation, the sum of $10,000 in the appropriate budgetary item to purchase 500 additional waste paper containers, to be placed on the sidewalks in the downtown areas, in an effort to lessen the littering of the streets. A contract for 100 of these boxes has already been awarded, and it is our intention to award further contracts for the additional 400 boxes as soon as possible.

In addition, within the past three weeks, we inaugurated the new street cleaning program in the downtown streets by assigning a mechanical street cleaning machine to the area in the daytime hours, from 11 A.M. to 4 P.M. Heretofore, we have never used sweepers during the daytime hours in the downtown streets, because of the large volume of vehicular and pedestrian traffic. However, I felt that a street cleaning machine—if operated carefully—would not constitute a hazard to traffic or create a bottleneck. This operation has proved successful to date, and it is most beneficial in that we are able to remove a great deal of litter that accumulates between the time that the streets are cleaned in the early morning hours and midday. The use of the mechanical street cleaning machine is much more efficient than the long-established system of manual pushcart patrols, although the latter-referenced system is needed, as many areas are inaccessible to the cumbersome street cleaning machines.

We are well aware of the importance of clean streets, and, as stated hereinbefore, I feel that we are doing everything within reason to prevent the undue littering of them.

Respectfully yours,
GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Placed on file.

TRANSFER OF APPROPRIATION TO ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, August 29, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I submit herewith an order providing for the transfer of $26,748 from the Reserve Fund to the Printing Section, Purchasing Division, Administrative Services Department. Of this amount, $10,000 is required to meet union scale increases which will become effective throughout the printing trade next month; and $4,000 will cover compensation for overtime services rendered by regular employees. In order to expedite the printing of voting lists for the September primary. In connection with the setting up of the new system for printing the police and voting lists, $6,000 is required for the compensation of temporary clerical employees, and $6,748 is required for supplies and materials.

I respectfully recommend adoption of the accompanying order by your Honorable Body.

Respectfully submitted,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

Ordered, That in accordance with the provisions of section 3B of chapter 486 of the Acts of 1909, as amended by chapter 604 of the Acts of 1941, the City Auditor be, and hereby is, authorized to transfer:

From the appropriation for Reserve Fund, $26,748, to the appropriation for Administrative Services Department, Purchasing Division, Printing Section, 1, Personal Services, $20,000, 3, Supplies and Materials, $6,748.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

TRANSFER OF APPROPRIATION TO JAIL AND HOUSE OF CORRECTION.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, August 23, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

Acting under Rule 7 of the County Classification and Compensation Plans, the Supervisor of Personnel on August 1 submitted to your Honorable Body revised schedules of compensation for officer personnel at the Charles Street Jail and the House of Correction. Adoption of these changes will make available for the various classes involved increased compensation comparable to that previously provided for members of the uniformed force in the Police Department.

To facilitate your consideration of the proposed changes, I submit herewith the accompanying transfer order. Approval of this order will serve to meet the legal objections raised in an opinion dated February 23, 1955, since it provides (1) an appropriation sufficient (2) to cover all classes of officer personnel involved.

I suggest that adoption of this transfer order be made a condition precedent to any action on the compensation revisions.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

Ordered, That in accordance with the provisions of section 3B of chapter 486 of the Acts of 1909, as amended by chapter 604 of the Acts of 1941, the City Auditor be, and hereby is, authorized to transfer:

From the appropriation for Reserve Fund, $8,295.85, to the appropriation for Jail, 1, Personal Services, $3,365.65, House of Correction, 1, Personal Services, $4,930.20.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

TRANSFER OF LAND IN WEST ROXBURY TO PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, August 29, 1955.

To the Honorable City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication received from George G. Hyland, Commissioner of Public Works, requesting that a parcel of land on the northeasterly side of Moreland street, West Roxbury, adjacent to the District Paving Yard, and acquired by the city through the foreclosing of a tax title, be transferred from the custody of the Real Property Department to the Public Works Department.

I submit herewith a form of order whereby this land may be transferred to the custody of the Commissioner of Public Works and recommend adoption of the same by your Honorable Body.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Public Works Department,
August 26, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.
Dear Mr. Mayor:

At the present time, the department has a local district paving yard located on Moreland street, West Roxbury.

I was informed some time ago that the lot adjacent to the paving yard had been foreclosed and was in the possession of the Real Property Board. I therefore contacted Commissioner Carp and requested the transfer of the latter-referenced property to this department to provide for the expansion of the present paving yard located on Moreland street and which incidentally serves the entire West Roxbury area. The members of the Board unanimously approved the transfer of the area, which contains 10,790 square feet, to this department for use as an addition to the local paving yard.

The necessary orders for submission to the City Council have been prepared concerning this matter, and I respectfully request that they be forwarded to the City Council, for its approval.

Respectfully yours,
GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Whereas, The City of Boston by a decree of the Land Court dated March 16, 1955, foreclosed a right of redemption under a tax deed recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 4597, page 541, on about ten thousand seven hundred ninety (10,790) square feet of land on the northeasterly side of Moreland street, adjoining an estate now or formerly of City of Boston, being lot 5, shown on the assessors' plans, volume 10, page 97, on file with Suffolk Deeds; and

Whereas, The Commissioner of Public Works desires to use said parcel of land as an addition to the present paving yard; and

Whereas, The Real Property Board has voted that said parcel of land be transferred to the Public Works Department; now, therefore, it is hereby

Ordered, That the above-described parcel of land be, and the same hereby is, transferred from the care, custody, control and management of the Commissioner of Real Property to the care, custody, control and management of the Commissioner of Public Works.

Referred to the Committee on Public Lands.

TRANSFER OF APPROPRIATION TO PUBLIC CELEBRATIONS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, August 29, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

Saturday, September 17, is the 325th anniversary of the founding of Boston. In view of the fact it has been customary to take cognizance of our founding day, especially at the end of each 25-year period, I have organized a committee to assist in the celebration of the anniversary this year.

At the present time it is contemplated to take note of the 325th anniversary by a tableau depicting the settlement of Boston; by the unveiling of the painting, "Washington at Dorchester Heights," recently purchased by the City of Boston; by the installation of musical chimes at Faneuil Hall; by a banner Pops concert and fireworks at the Hatch Shell, and by other public events appropriate to the occasion.

In order to conduct these ceremonies the Public Celebrations account of the city should be augmented to the extent of $10,000.

Herewith I submit an order transferring that sum of money from the Reserve Fund and I most respectfully request adoption of the order by your Honorable Body.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

Ordered, That in accordance with the provisions of section 3B of chapter 486 of the Acts of 1909, as amended by chapter 604 of the Acts of 1941, the City Auditor be, and hereby is, authorized to transfer:

From the appropriation for Reserve Fund, $10,000, to the appropriation for Public Celebrations, $10,000.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

TRANSFER OF APPROPRIATION TO MAYOR, OFFICE EXPENSES.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, August 22, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

On several occasions in recent months, your Honorable Body has adopted orders suggesting that steps be taken to publicize throughout the country the business, industrial, and other advantages of Boston. I am pleased to advise you that tentative arrangements have been worked out to accomplish the objectives set forth in the several orders.

The proposal under consideration provides that Public Relations Management Corporation, 380 Madison avenue, New York, the largest public relations firm in the world, with twenty-five offices in the United States and Canada, will select a group of five of its agency principals, representing different geographical areas, to serve as a Plans Board. This group will meet not oftener than bimonthly, or less than quarterly, with the Mayor and department heads to

a. Advise on public relations problems.

b. Create promotional projects aimed at attracting favorable publicity and good will for Boston.

c. Plan news and feature material for release to newspapers and periodicals throughout the country.

d. Coordinate existing publicity activities.

e. Develop ideas for "selling" Boston to businessmen and visitors.

f. Exploit every opportunity to tell the city's good points and to correct misconceptions.

The Board members will receive no compensation but will be reimbursed for actual expenses incurred in attending meetings.

Mr. Paul A. Newsomc, who is president of Newsome & Co., Inc., with offices in the Statler Building, and affiliated with Public Relations Management Corporation, has agreed to serve as chairman of the proposed Plans Board. Col. Paul H. Hines, industrial counselor in this office, will act in a liaison capacity between the Board and the City.

It is anticipated that the expenses of Board members in attending meetings, together with charges for postage, mimeographing, telephone service, and other administrative expenses, will not exceed $5,000 on an annual basis.

I submit herewith an order providing for the transfer from the reserve fund of this amount, and I respectfully recommend adoption of the order by your Honorable Body.

Respectfully submitted,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

Ordered, That in accordance with the provisions of section 3B of chapter 486 of the Acts of 1909, as amended by chapter 604 of the Acts of 1941, the City Auditor be, and hereby is, authorized to transfer:

From the appropriation for Reserve Fund, $5,000, to the appropriation for Mayor, Office Expenses. 2, Contractual Services, $4,500, 3, Supplies and Materials, $500.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committee named, viz.:

Claims.

Eli J. Ames Realty Corporation, for compensation for damage to property at 208 Essex street, caused by defective sewer pipes.

Kenneth C. Ball, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect at Warren and Copeland streets.

John C. Barrett, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Public Works Department, Sanitary Division.

Violet Benvissuto, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 106 Brook street, East Boston.

Paul Brigandi, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect at Waltham street and Shawmut avenue.

A. John Capone, for compensation for damage to property at 4456 Washington street, Roslindale, caused by leak in water pipe.

Donald R. Carey, for compensation for damage to car by city truck.

Lena Cloutier, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Lincoln street.

Commercial Wharf Company, for compensation for damage to property at 7, 8, 9, and 10 Commercial Wharf, caused by broken water main.

Martin F. Conley, for reimbursement as result of execution issued against him on account of his acts as employee of Sanitary Division, Public Works Department.

Richard P. Cummings, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Sewer Division, Public Works Department.

Joseph J. Cunningham, for compensation for damage to property at 68 Van Winkle street, Dorchester, caused by backing up of sewage.

Concettta M. DeMinico, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in St. James avenue.

Francis J. Dunleavy, to be reimbursed as result of execution issued against him on account of his acts as employee of Police Department.

Eastern Refractories Company, Inc., for compensation for damage to truck by city truck.

Catherine J. Edge, for compensation for damage to property at 20 Rosseter street, Dorchester, caused by falling tree.

Albert L. Farley, for compensation for damage to property at 35 Linnet street, West Roxbury, caused by lowering of grade of street.

Joseph Flaherty, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Gold and A streets, South Boston.

Florence Flanagan, for compensation for injuries caused by negligence of Fire Department employees.

Richard, Margaret M., Lila, and Linda George, for compensation for injuries and damage to property caused by city truck.

Leo Gertner, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect in Randolph street.

Nathan Gilman, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in L Street Bathhouse.

Jacob Goodman, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect in Homestead street, Roxbury.

George Green, for compensation for damage to property on Brookline avenue, opposite Jerscy street.

Thomas J. Heanue, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Fire Department.

James W. Hounsell, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Fire Department.

Rolla C. Kelley, for compensation for damage to property at 32 Landseer street, West Roxbury, caused during installation of sanitary drain.

Francis L. Kelly, Jr., to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Public Works Department, Bridge and Highway Division.

Edward A. King, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Norfolk street, Dorchester.

Alfred Kishkis, for compensation for damage to car by city truck.

Eva Lapan, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Nantasket Beach House.

Dorothy M. Leonard, for compensation for damage to property at 62 Bowdoin avenue, Dorchester, during repaving of sidewalks.

Jennie Levine, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect at 74-78 Rutland street.

Pearl Levine, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Blue Hill and Lawrence avenues.

Nicholas R. Longo, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 54 Prince street.

Charles A. Lydon, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Public Works Department, Motor Pool Division.

John F. Maher, Jr., to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Fire Department.

Lucy Malizia, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in North Harvard street.

Sarah Marcus, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 240 Tremont street.

Anthony Marino, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 75 Charter street.

W. F. Martin Company, Inc., for compensation for damage to property at 1141 Columbus avenue, caused by broken water main.

William F. McDonough, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 57 Court street.

Arnold E. McGee, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Public Works Department, Sanitary Division.

James F. McManus, Jr., for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Spring street, West Roxbury.

John Nawojczyk, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Municipal Building, Dudley and Vine streets, Roxbury.

James W. O'Brien, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect at 221 Bunker Hill street.

John W. O'Connell, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Newland street.

Martin R. O'Toole, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Fire Department.

Eleanor Paolini, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 229 Quincy street.

Simon Pearl, Inc., for compensation for damage to property at 215 Essex street, Boston, caused by defective sewer pipes.

Donald Phelps, Jr., for compensation for injuries caused by negligence of employees of Fire Department.

Leo Piatkowski, for compensation for damage to property at 110 Kenrick street, Brighton, caused by street water drainage.

Sidney A. Potter, for compensation for damage to property at 391 Adams street, Dorchester, caused by falling limb of tree.

Salvatore Pulcini, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect at 916 Hyde Park avenue.

Helen M. and Jeremiah J. Reardon, for compensation for damage to property at 209 Poplar street, Roslindale, during sidewalk construction.

Catherine Russo, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 151-155 Tremont street.

Victor J. Salvi, for compensation for damage to property at 21 Rossmore road, Jamaica Plain, caused by overflow of sewer.

Edward and Anita Simms, for compensation for damage to car by fire apparatus.

Ernestina Struzziero, for compensation for damage to steps at 24 Neptune road, East Boston, due to faulty sidewalk.

John H. Sullivan, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Washington street and De Soto road.

Irene Yates, for compensation for damage to car by falling tree, in front of 27 East Springfield street.

Isaac Zabarsky, for compensation for damage to property at 22 Irving street, caused by negligence of water department.

COMMENDATIONS TO MANAGEMENT AND STAFF OF WBZ AND WBZ—TV.

On motion of President HURLEY the rules were suspended on the order of business to allow the introduction of tbe following order by Councillor Hurley and all the members of the Council:

Whereas, The torrential rainfall and devastating floods of recent date brought despair, heartache, and tremendous personal losses to countless people in Massachusetts, New England, and other nearby states, and as far away as Pennsylvania; and

Whereas, Immediate aid, relief, and assistance were required by the unfortunate victims of this tragedy; and

Whereas, A drive was immediately started for funds for the American Red Cross to assist the disaster victims; and

Whereas, Our beloved Archbishop displayed his usual charity, devotion, love, and understanding, and leadership by contributing the purse presented to him on the occasion of his sixtieth birthday, and in so doing dramatically emphasized and publicized the tremendous need for immediate assistance; and

Whereas, Radio Station WBZ and Television Station WBZ—TV took up the challenge and began a drive that started in the early morning and continued throughout the entire day, evening and night, including an auction sale telecast and broadcast throughout the night; and

Whereas, The staff and management of WBZ and WBZ—TV contributed their time, efforts, and facilities in a generous and warmhearted manner in this labor of love, raising the approximate sum of $7,500, and again dramatically pointing out and publicizing the great need of the disaster victims and exemplifying the great virtue of Charity; be it

Resolved, That the members of the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, extend their congratulations to WBZ and WBZ—TV for their fine contribution in the best tradition of public service by these two great mediums; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation to WBZ and WBZ—TV.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

PERMIT FOR CHILDREN.

The following petition was received from children under fifteen years of age to appear at places of public amusement:

Central Council of Irish County Clubs, Inc., O'Connell Hall, August 7, 1955.

Permit granted under usual conditions.

PETITION FOR ANNUITY.

Petition of Margaret M. Faherty to be paid annuity on account of death of her husband, John J. Faherty, late member of Police Department.

Referred to the Committee on Claims.

APPLICATONS FOR SHELLFISH PERMITS.

Applications for commercial use shellfish permits were received from the following:

Robert P. Montesano, 63 White street, East Boston, Ward 1; Vincent F. Bradley, 50 Princeton street, East Boston, Ward 1; Vincent P. Chamberlain, 323 Border street, East Boston, Ward 1; Anthony J. Ferragamo, 23 Leyden street, East Boston, Ward 1; William W. Fullerton, 54 Chelsea street, East Boston, Ward 1; Forrest T. Griffin, 804 East Fifth street, South Boston, Ward 6; Rupert Y. Hodgkins, Jr., 2 Bennet place, East Boston, Ward 1; George M. Hurd, 417 Chelsea street, East Boston, Ward 1; John J. Kerrigan, 27 Lawley street, Dorchester, Ward 16; Daniel S. Kinnally, 21 Vallar road, East Boston, Ward 1; Roy Kneeland, 7 Thomas park, South Boston, Ward 7; Herbert E. Lawson, 196 Minot street, Dorchester, Ward 16; Robert J. Mahoney, 13 Lawley street,

Dorchester, Ward 16; Charles A. Maslauskas, 538 East Fourth street, South Boston, Ward 7; William A. McDonald, 23 Leyden street, East Boston, Ward 1; George C. Phillips, 305 East Eagle street, East Boston, Ward 1; Thomas Scott, 12 Pine street, Hyde Park, Ward 18; William L. Snow, 49 West Eagle street, East Boston, Ward 1; Vincent P. Chamberlain, 323 Border street, East Boston, Ward 1.

Severally referred to the Committee on Licenses.

PETITION FOR RETIREMENT.

The petition of Percy C. McFarlane, Chief Court Officer, Municipal Court of Boston, Criminal Division, for retirement as a veteran, was received.

Referred to the Committee on Claims.

NOTICE FROM DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES.

Notice was received from the Department of Public Utilities of hearing to be held September 15, 1955, at 10 A.M., on petition of Metropolitan Transit Authority for approval of modification of changes in rates of fare and charges for services.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

NOTICES FROM STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

A communication was received from the State Department of Public Works transmitting copy of order of layout and taking of section of state highway (John F. Fitzgerald Expressway).

A communication was received from the State Department of Public Works transmitting copy of order of layout and taking of altered location of section of state highway (William T. Morrissey Boulevard).

Severally placed on file.

APPROVAL OF STATE HOUSING BOARD.

Notice was received from the State Housing Board of approval of sale of eighteen parcels of property under section 6 of chapter 372 of the Acts of 1946.

Notice was received from the State Housing Board of approval of sale of six parcels of property under section 6 of chapter 372 of the Acts of 1946.

Severally placed on file.

REPORT ON PREPARATION AND PRINTING OF POLICE AND VOTING LISTS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Administrative Services Department,
August 5, 1955.

Walter J. Malloy,
City Clerk.

Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of section 2 of chapter 3A of the Revised City Ordinances, I submit herewith copies of a report sent to the Mayor on the subject of the preparation and printing of the police and voting lists.

Very truly yours,
L. W. COSTELLO,
Administrative Secretary.

Administrative Services Department,
August 1, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Sir:

The present method of preparing and printing the police and votings lists is cumbersome, expensive and, in a sense, wasteful. The development and printing of the two lists involve roughly 3,200,000 separate acts or operations. In the current year the direct costs alone will total in the neighborhood of $220,000, and the entire cycle must be repeated each year, since it is impossible to salvage any portion of the work performed or records produced in the previous year.

In other municipalities throughout the country the problem has been met by the use of tabulating or addressograph equipment. By the use of punch cards or plates, permanent master files have been established, and each year these files have been brought up to date by eliminating the cards or plates of persons who have moved, died, etc., by correcting those cards or plates where a change in status of the person involved has occurred, and by including new cards or plates for new residents or voters. The maximum changes involved in establishing the files on a current basis have varied in various localities between 10 and 20 per cent. This means that where it is only necessary to process each year the "exceptions" in the master file, the annual effort involved may be reduced at least 80 per cent below that required when each year involves, as at present in Boston, a complete new set-up.

Philadelphia and Providence are now using tabulating equipment; whereas Newark, Baltimore, San Francisco, and Miami are using addressograph equipment. In Massachusetts, installations of this character have been made in Cambridge, Newton, Leominster, and Watertown. Staff members of this department have visited Newark, Cambridge, and Leominster and have been greatly impressed with the efficiency of the operations observed. Officials in these cities have been high in their praise of the manner in which the equipment has functioned.

After reviewing the experience of several of the cities previously mentioned, we suggest that consideration be given to the adoption of the following plan:

Install addressograph-multigraph equipment in the Printing Plant and start preparing addressograph plates for every name appearing on the police list for the current year. These plates will constitute a master file which will be located in an addressograph section to be established in the Printing Plant.

In suggesting that addressograph equipment be used, consideration was given to the fact that any reductions in cost secured by the new methods would affect adversely the income of the Printing Plant. Because of this fact it was decided that preference should be given to that type of equipment which could best be utilized in the Printing Plant not alone for the two lists directly involved but also for other types of allied work. On this basis it was agreed that an addressograph-multigraph installation would be more advantageous, since it could be installed and operated in the Printing Plant throughout the year.

In Massachusetts cities where the proposed system is actually in operation, shortly before the next annual listing is to start, the listing cards to be used by police officers are preprinted from the master file with all the information appearing on the plates. These preprinted cards are given to the officers as they start their visitations of all places of residence. While at any particular address, the officer verifies the information on the cards of those persons still residing at the address, makes notations on the cards of former residents of any change in status or location, and prepares new cards for those residents on which he has no preprinted card. Typewritten lists are then prepared from all cards on which changes have been recorded or which relate to new residents. These lists are then checked against the master file and appropriate changes and alterations made on the plates contained therein. When all exceptions and changes have been made, the master file reflects a current list of residents from which the printed list may be prepared.

According to the records of the Boston Election Department, 20,000 persons move annually to new addresses in the city and 40,000 persons "disappear" for one reason or another. The significance of these figures with relation to the proposed change is this—whereas at present police officers must annually fill out in their entirety 550,000 listing cards, under the proposed system a maximum of 60,000 cards would require attention beyond the verifications of the prelisted information. Eliminating almost 90 per cent of the present clerical burden borne by police officers should, it would seem, greatly expedite the completion of the annual listing operation. In addition, the typewritten lists reflecting these changes would contain only 60,000 names, whereas the lists now prepared by the Police Department include every name recorded by the police officers.

It was originally contemplated that the listing operations used in the Police Department for years could be revised to conform with the practice in other Massachusetts cities where the proposed system is in operation, thus simplifying procedures and securing substantial savings. Conferences with the Police Commissioner, however, raised questions as to whether the proposed system conforms with the provisions of the special laws relating to police listing in Boston and also whether it is desirable to furnish preprinted cards to police officers. Since it will take time to resolve these questions and possibly require amendments to the special laws, it has been decided to make no change, for this year at least, in the listing operations of the Police Department. Despite this decision, we believe it is feasible to apply the proposed system to the operations involved in the printing of the two lists and secure worthwhile savings and improvements in existing procedure. Briefly the operations will proceed as follows:

The typewritten list furnished by the Police Department to the Printing Plant will be checked against the plates in the master file. The plates of persons not found will be removed from the master file and placed in a suspense file. Subsequently, this file will be used to address the notices sent each year by the Election Department to "dropped persons," thus relieving the department of the great effort now involved in the manual preparation of such notices. New plates will be prepared for new residents as well as for changes in name, occupation, etc. Plates of those persons who moved will be associated, wherever possible, with "new residents" appearing at locations to which transfer in residence has taken place.

When every name appearing on the typewritten list has been checked and the appropriate changes and alterations made on the plates in the master file, they will be used in conjunction with the multigraph process to print the "List of Residents." Whereas, under the present system, the printing of this list requires the setting in type of 550,000 names, under the proposed system the preparation of the master files for the printing operation will involve the handling of approximately 60,000 names or plates.

In establishing the master addressograph file, tabs will be placed on all plates bearing the names of registered voters. When it comes time to print the voting lists, the addressograph machines can be adjusted so as to bypass all plates not tabbed. In preparing for the printing of the voting lists, therefore, the only new operation will be the preparation of plates for those names which are added by the Election Department through supplementary registration.

At the present time in preparing the current year's voting list, the Election Department checks every name on the police list against the voting list of the previous year. This work, which consumes about four months' time of the Election Department personnel, will be entirely eliminated under the proposed system. Also eliminated will be the necessity for the Printing Plant to set in type for the voting lists approximately 300,000 names.

The elimination of these two specific operations, together with reductions in and simplification of other phases of the present cumbersome system, will, it is estimated, produce savings in excess of $100,000.

To establish the proposed system will require the purchase of equipment costing in the neighborhood of $75,000. Funds for this purchase are available within the equipment loan. In addition, supplies costing approximately $8,000 will be needed, and in the initial stages of the installation clerical services involving an expenditure of $5,000 will be required. The final stages of the installation will be handled by the personnel of the Printing Plant who will also operate the system when once established. It is interesting to note, we believe, that the initial cost will be completely extinguished by savings secured during the first year the system is in operation.

One very desirable result from the system previously described will be the simplification and standardization of work in the Printing Department. At the present time, the printing of the police and voting lists consumes approximately six months of the time of Printing Plant personnel. During this six months it is necessary to have a substantial force at work in the department, and when the work is completed very often there is not enough new work to keep the large staff busy. Under the new system, it should be possible to establish a work program in the Plant which would be constant throughout the year and ensure a production schedule which would satisfy the needs of all departments using the Plant.

At the present time during the six months when the Plant is engaged with the two lists production of other work suffers, thus occasioning many complaints from departments concerning the service rendered. Much of the machinery at present in use in the Printing Plant is old and outmoded, thus limiting the character of work performed. The new equipment will give the Plant modern, high-speed machines for producing a wide variety of work.

With your approval, steps can be taken so as to place the system, as outlined, in operation at the beginning of 1956.

Respectfully submitted,
CHARLES J. FOX, Chairman,
JOHN A. SULLIVAN,
JOHN V. MORAN,
JAMES E. GILDEA,
JOSEPH P. LALLY.

LAWRENCE W. COSTELLO,
Administrative Secretary.

Placed on file.

REPORT OF BOSTON FIREMEN'S RELIEF FUND.

The annual report of the Treasurer of the Boston Firemen's Relief Fund, September 1, 1953, to August 31, 1954, was received and placed on file.

325TH ANNIVERSARY OF BOSTON.

A resolution adopted by the House of Representatives. Commonwealth of Massachusetts, in recognition of the 325th anniversary of the founding of Boston, was received.

Placed on file.

APPROVAL OF CONSTABLE'S BOND.

The constable's bond of Edward A. Keefe, having been duly approved by the Collector-Treasurer, was received and approved.

NOTICE OF INTEREST IN CONTRACT.

Notice was received from Samuel J. Tomasello, member of the Board of Appeal, of his interest in the contract awarded his firm for bituminous concrete pavement and sewerage works in Mt. Vernon street.

Placed on file.

RECESS.

On motion of Councillor McCormack, the Council voted to take a recess at 3.34 P.M., subject to the call of the Chair. The members reassembled in the Council Chamber and were called to order by President HURLEY at 4.38 P.M.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. WHITE, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following:

1. Report on message of the Mayor and order (referred today) for transfer of appropriation of $8,295.85 from the Reserve Fund, to Jail, Personal Services, $3,365.65, and House of Correction, Personal Services, $4,930.20—recommending that same ought to pass.
2. Report on message of the Mayor and order (referred today) for transfer of appropriation of $26,748 from the Reserve Fund, to Administrative Services Department, Purchasing Division, Printing Section—recommending that same ought to pass.
3. Report on message of the Mayor and order (referred today) for transfer of appropriation of $10,000 from the Reserve Fund, to Public Celebrations—recommending that same ought to pass.
4. Report on message of the Mayor and order (referred today) for transfer of appropriation of $5,000 from Reserve Fund, to Mayor, Office Expenses—recommending that same ought to pass.

The reports were accepted, and the orders were severally passed, yeas 8, nays 0:

Yeas—Councillors Foley, Hailer, Hurley, Kerrigan, McCormack, McLaughlin, Piemonte, White—8.

Nays—0.

5. Report on communication and order from the Supervisor of Personnel (referred August 1) for changes in County Classification and Compensation Plan, changing grades of certain correction and jail officers—recommending that same ought to pass.
6. Report on message of the Mayor and order (referred June 27) for acceptance of chapter 438 of Acts of 1955, providing for acquisition by Commonwealth of land on Neptune road, East Boston—recommending that same ought to pass.

The reports were accepted and the orders were severally passed.

7. Report on message of the Mayor (referred June 13) concerning the appointment of the Mayor's Citizens Fiscal Survey Committee—recommending that the message be placed on file.

The report was accepted and the message was placed on file.

8. Report on notice (referred today) from the State Department of Public Utilities of hearing on petition of Metropolitan Transit Authority for approval of modification of changes on rates of fare and charges for services—recommending that the notice be placed on file.

The report was accepted and the notice was placed on file.

9. Report on communication from the Corporation Counsel (referred February 28) re overriding Mayor's veto of change in grade of Correction and Jail Officers—recommending that the communication be placed on file.

The report was accepted and the communication was placed on file.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFIRMATIONS.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN, for the Committee on Confirmations, submitted the following:

1. Report on appointments by the Mayor (referred August 1) of William O'Brien and Thomas L. Forrest as Measurers of Grain, for the term ending April 30, 1956—recommending that appointments be confirmed.
2. Report on appointment by the Mayor (referred August 1) of Joseph Perry as Weigher of Goods for term ending April 30, 1956—recommending that appointment be confirmed.

The reports were accepted, and the question came on confirmation. Committee, Councillors Foley and Piemonte. Whole number of ballots, 8, yeas 8, and the appointments were confirmed.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON LICENSES.

Coun. HAILER, for the Committee on Licenses, submitted the following:

1. Report on application (referred April 18) for commercial use shellfish permit for William A. McDonald—recommending that permit be granted.
2. Report on applications (referred May 23) for commercial use shellfish permits for George H. Fairbanks and Richard A. Bishop—recommending that permits be granted.
3. Report on application (referred June 13) for commercial use shellfish permit for Robert R. McDermott—recommending that permit be granted.
4. Report on applications (referred June 27) for commercial use shellfish permits for Thomas J. Capobianco, George Elms, Rupert Y. Hodgkins, Sr., Vincent R. DiBenedetto—recommending that permits be granted.
5. Report on application (referred July 11) for commercial use shellfish permit for William F. Gannon—recommending that permit be granted.
6. Report on applications (referred July 25) for commercial use shellfish permits for William E. Bennett, Albin Wrublewski, Robert J. Powers, John F. O'Neill, John Bennett—recommending that permits be granted
7. Report on application (referred today) for commercial use shellfish permit of Vincent P. Chamberlain—recommending that permit be granted.

The reports were accepted, and the licenses were severally granted under the usual conditions.

OFF-STREET PARKING AREA IN UPHAMS CORNER.

Coun. McCORMACK called up under unfinished business, No. 1 on the Calendar, viz.:

1. Order for appropriation of $70,000 from "Parking Meter Fees" for acquiring and constructing off-street parking area in the Uphams Corner district.

On August 1, 1955, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 8, nays 0.

The order was given its second reading and passage, yeas 8, nays 0:

Yeas—Councillors Foley, Hailer, Hurley, Kerrigan, McCormack, McLaughlin, Piemonte, White—8.

Nays—0.

THE NEXT MEETING.

On motion of Councillor Kerrigan, the Council voted that when it adjourn it be to meet on Monday, September 12, 1955, at 2 P.M.

COMMENDATIONS TO MANAGEMENT AND ALL PERSONNEL OF BOSTON RED SOX.

Coun. HURLEY, for all the members of the Council, offered the following:

Whereas, The Boston Red Sox have electrified the entire New England area by their hard fighting and determination and their will to win; and

Whereas, The interest they have generated has brought untold thousands upon thousands of dollars in business to the City of Boston to the benefit of the merchants and businessmen of the city; and

Whereas, They have made a spectacular climb to within three and one-half games of the top, making the fight an interesting and close one rather than the runaway it was predicted to be in late spring; and

Whereas, The Red Sox give every indication of continuing their surge and bringing the pennant to Boston; be it therefore

Resolved, That in appreciation for the great good this team has done for the City of Boston, its businessmen and merchants, and for the countless hours of recreation it has afforded the young and old and for the inspirational lessons it has taught everyone, the Boston City Council, on behalf of the people of Boston, extends to Mr. Thomas Yawkey, General Manager Joe Cronin, Manager Mike Higgins, the players, coaching staff, and all personnel associated with the operation of the team, their congratulations and good wishes for continued success, and an expression of gratitude for their efforts and accomplishments in helping the City of Boston; and be it further

Resolved, That the City Clerk prepare a copy of this resolution for presentation to the Boston Red Sox.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

PRELIMINARY CITY ELECTION, SEPTEMBER 27, 1955.

Coun. HURLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That meetings of the citizens of this city qualified to vote for city officers be held at the several polling places designated for the purpose by the Board of Election Commissioners on Tuesday, September 27, 1955, for a preliminary election, to give in their votes for not more than one candidate for the office of Mayor, not more than nine candidates for the office of City Councillor and not more than five candidates for the office of School Committeeman.

The polls at said meetings shall be opened at eight o'clock A.M. and closed at eight o'clock P.M.

Ordered, That the City Clerk be hereby directed to give notice of said meetings according to law.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO COUNTY CLASSIFICATION AND COMPENSATION PLANS.

Coun. HURLEY offered the following:

That the order amending the County Classification and Compensation Plans as submitted by Mr. John A. Sullivan, Supervisor of Personnel, to the Council on August 1, 1955, and referred to the Executive Committee, be further amended as follows:

Strike out after the words "Compensation Grade" under the caption Clerk the figure 8 and insert in place thereof the figure 9.

Strike out after the words "Compensation Grade" under the caption Stenographer the figure 8 and insert in place thereof the figure 9.

Strike out after the words "Compensation Grade" under the caption Motor Vehicle Operator the figure 12 and insert in place thereof the figure 13.

Strike out after the words "Compensation Grade" under the caption Senior Clerks the figure 13 and insert in place thereof the figure 14.

Strike out after the words "Compensation Grade" under the caption Steam Fireman the figure 15 and insert in place thereof the figure 16.

Strike out after the words "Compensation Grade" under the caption Engineer Third Class—Plant the figure 16 and insert in place thereof the figure 17.

Strike out after the words "Compensation Grade" under the caption Principal Clerk the figure 17 and insert in place thereof the figure 18.

Strike out after the words "Compensation Grade" under the caption Hospital Supervisor the figure 20 and insert in place thereof the figure 21.

Strike out after the words "Compensation Grade" under the caption Chief Power Plant Engineer the figure 20 and insert in place thereof the figure 21.

Strike out after the words "Compensation Grade" under the caption Industries Supervisor the figure 22 and insert in place thereof the figure 23.

Strike out after the words "Compensation Grade" under the caption Head Clerk the figure 22 and insert in place thereof the figure 23.

Referred to the Supervisor of Personnel for report.

INCREASING PENSIONS PAYABLE UNDER PERMANENT SCHOOL PENSION FUND.

Coun. WHITE offered the following:

Ordered, That Chapter 594 of the Acts of 1955 entitled "An Act Increasing Pensions Payable Under the Permanent School Pension Fund in the City of Boston and Equalizing Pensions Paid Thereunder" be, and the same hereby is, accepted.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

SICK LEAVE FOR CERTAIN POLICE OFFICERS.

Coun. KERRIGAN offered the following:

Ordered, That chapter 437 of the Acts of 1955 entitled "An Act Relative to Sick Leave for Certain Police Officers of the City of Boston" be, and hereby is, accepted.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

CAMPAIGN AGAINST LITTERBUGS.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor request the Public Works Commissioner, the Commissioner of Public Health, the Traffic Commissioner, the Park Commissioner, the Police Commissioner, and the Corporation Counsel of the City of Boston to confer for the purpose of coordinating the efforts of the various departments of our city in a permanent campaign to exterminate the litterbugs and to propose any suggested amendment or additions to the city ordinances that they in their opinion may feel helpful in solving this problem.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

DETAILED LIST OF TAX EXEMPT PROPERTY.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Ordered, That the Board of Assessors be, and is hereby, requested to prepare a detailed list of the tax exempt property carried on the books of the Board of Assessors as of January 1, 1955; and that said list show the street and number, location, use and the assessed valuation of each property, and that this list be classified according to the type of tax exemption, such as hospital, educational, religious, city, county, or federal; and that a copy of said list be furnished the Boston City Council.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

EXTENSION OF FURTHER RELIEF TO CERTAIN FLOOD DAMAGE VICTIMS.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN offered the following:

Whereas, Home owners and businessmen in certain areas of Boston have been the victims of the ravages of the recent flood and suffered serious losses; and

Whereas, All sections of our Commonwealth, where this disaster struck and great loss of life and property has resulted, are being extended federal, state, county, and city assistance in many forms; and

Whereas, The sympathy and assistance of people in all sections of the United States is being offered to the flood victims of the New England states, therefore be it

Resolved, That the members of the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, request his Honor the Mayor to consider the advisability of extending further relief to home owners and businessmen, who are faced with major flood-damage losses and repairs, by the abatement of taxes and thereby lend the helping hand of all people of the City of Boston to those unfortunate victims of the ravages of this unprecedented flood in our city.

Coun. PIEMONTE moved to amend the foregoing resolution by adding the following words: "and be it further, Resolved, To this end his Honor the Mayor avail himself or the City of Boston, to the fullest extent possible of reimbursement as provided for by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts."

The amendment was carried.

The resolution, as amended, was adopted under suspension of the rules.

FEDERAL INSURANCE AGAINST TROPICAL STORMS.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN offered the following:

Whereas, The flood-damage to homes and business in Massachusetts will amount to many millions of dollars, practically none of which is covered by any type of insurance; and

Whereas, Massachusetts and the New England States are now, apparently, in the path of tropical storms against which there is very little which can be done in the way of foresighted protective programs; and

Whereas, Insurance policies, as presently written, do not cover homes and business property against the ravages of storms such as recently suffered by so many in our Commonwealth; therefore be it

Resolved, That the members of the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, desire to petition the Massachusetts Delegation in the Congress of the United States, urging that they coordinate their efforts in the establishment of some form of federal insurance which will protect those who suffer loss to home or business, as the result of hurricane, flood, or tropical storms heretofore unusual to our New England climate; and, be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded promptly to all members of the Massachusetts Delegation in Congress and the Senate of the United States.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

INVESTIGATION OF CAUSES OF FLOODED LAND IN HYDE PARK DISTRICT.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor direct the Public Works Commissioner to investigate the recent flooding of lands and homes in the Hyde Park district to determine whether the cause or partial cause of the floodings in Boston was the location, design, or operation of the dams in the area down river from the flooded area in Boston.

That a report of the finds of the said Public Works Commissioner be forwarded to the City Council when prepared.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

PUBLIC HEARING ON TRASH AND GARBAGE COLLECTION IN WEST ROXBURY DISTRICT.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be requested to direct the Public Works Commissioner to hold an open public advertised hearing for citizens and taxpayers in the West Roxbury district on the subject of adequate collection of trash and rubbish in the West Roxbury district.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

Later in the session Councillor Foley moved reconsideration of the passage of the foregoing order. Reconsideration prevailed.

On motion of Councillor Foley the order was amended by striking out the word "rubbish" and inserting the word "garbage."

The order, as amended, was then passed under suspension of the rules.

OPPOSITION TO VARIANCE IN ZONING OF LOT, SOUTH BOSTON.

Coun. FOLEY, McCORMACK, and KERRIGAN offered the following:

Ordered, The Boston City Council places itself on record as being unalterably opposed to the petition now pending before the Board of Zoning Appeal for a variance in the zoning of a lot bounded by First and Second streets and Farragut road in South Boston.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

RETROACTIVE PAY IN CERTAIN CASES UNDER THE COUNTY CLASSIFICATION AND COMPENSATION PLAN.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That the County Compensation Plan be, and hereby is, amended as follows:

"That an independent contingent fund be established within the County Service for the payment of retroactive sums to those categories of county employees to whom an adjustment in wages is temporarily denied because of administrative reasons not directly bearing on the question of the merit and justification of the wage increase."

Referred to the Supervisor of Personnel for report.

CONTINGENT FUND FOR PAYMENT OF RETROACTIVE WAGES UNDER THE CLASSIFICATION AND COMPENSATION PLAN FOR CITY EMPLOYEES.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That the administration of the Municipal Compensation Plan be administered so that each category of employees to whom an adjustment in wages is granted be paid retroactive wages from the date of their appeal to the Compensation Review Board.

That a contingent fund be set aside each year to pay such retroactive wages as each appeal is determined by the Compensation Review Board.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

CONGRATULATIONS TO ACADIANS OF MEMRAMCOCK VALLEY.

Coun. AHEARN offered the following:

Whereas, Massachusetts Acadians are joined in the public thanksgiving commemorating the survival and deliverance of the Acadian people beginning with the 1755 Deportation from Grand Pre, which commemoration began in August, 1954, and will end in August, 1955, with religious rites and various celebrations; and

Whereas, The story of Acadie is one of the finest pages in history, immortalized by Henry Wadsworth Longfellow, the famous poet of Acadie; and

Whereas, It is meet and proper that greetings be sent from Boston to Memramcock, New Brunswick, Canada, which is the site of the largest regular Acadian parish—the first set up on the return from exile—extending to the people of the Memramcock Valley congratulations for the success of Acadie, since so many Acadians were exiled in 1755 and unloaded in Boston whence they left as a group of 1,100 in 1766 in order to establish new homes in the Memramcock region of Acadie; and

Whereas, There are several thousand Acadians in Boston who recently have been in convention in public celebration and have been greeted by both state and church; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, extend its congratulations to the people of the Memramcock Valley and join with them in profound thanksgiving on the occasion of the commemoration of the survival and deliverance of the Acadian people and extends to them every best wish for the success of Acadie, which has been pyramiding since 1855.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

APPROPRIATION FOR STUDY OF ECONOMIC PROBLEMS IN BOSTON.

Coun. HAILER offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor, the Mayor, be requested to appropriate $15,000 for a study of the economic problems of the City of Boston—this money to be used by the Boston College seminar who would conduct the study.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

FUNDS FOR EIGHTH ANNUAL NATIONAL CONVENTION OF FEDERAL EMPLOYEES VETERANS ASSOCIATION.

Coun. HAILER offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be requested to confer with the City Greeter for the purpose of granting funds for the Eighth Annual National Convention of the Federal Employees Veterans Association to be held in Boston in September.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

COMPLETION OF CUMMINS HIGHWAY, FROM CALVARY CEMETERY TO MATTAPAN SQUARE.

Coun. HAILER offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be requested to have the Public Works Commissioner confer with the State Public Works Commissioner relative to setting a date for the completion of Cummins Highway, from Calvary Cemetery to Mattapan square.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

Adjourned at 5.28 P.M., on motion of Councillor McCormack, to meet on Monday, September 12, 1955, at 2 P.M.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

(Stenographic copy of such debate on file in office of City Clerk.)

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

Joseph P. Lyons, 49 Greaton road, West Roxbury, to be reimbursed in the sum of $399, as a result of an accident which occurred on May 26, 1948, when a motor vehicle belonging to the Highway Division, Public Works Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Carmelo Prestigiovanni, causing personal injuries to Joseph Sidarowicz, a passenger.

Marion Donald, 119 X street, South Boston, in the sum of $350, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 813 East Fourth street, April 4, 1955.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway resurfacing, estimated to be thirty (30) days, vehicles are excluded from the following streets, when and where official signs are in place, effective September 8, 1955:

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR ALTERATIONS AT THE GIRLS' HIGH SCHOOL, 35 GREENVILLE STREET, ROXBURY, MASS.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for alterations at the Girls' High School, 35 Greenville street, Roxbury, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Monday, September 26, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, enclosed in an envelope, sealed and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $300, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price, will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do, in accordance with sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
(Sept. 17.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

Cerdan Avenue, West Roxbury.
From Weld street to Peak Hill road.

Corey Street, West Roxbury.
From Weld street to Veterans of Foreign Wars Parkway.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of street reconstruction, estimated to be thirty (30) days, parking of vehicles is prohibited in the following street, effective September 7, 1955:

Cambridge Street, Boston Proper.
Both sides, from Blossom street to Charles street.

CITY OF BOSTON.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR WATERPROOFING AND PAVING OF TUNNELS, BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL, 818 HARRISON AVENUE, BOSTON, MASS.

The City of Boston, by the Board of Trustees, Hospital Department, and of the Boston City Hospital, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for waterproofing and paving of tunnels, Boston City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until two o'clock P.M., Wednesday, September 28, 1955, at the office of the Superintendent, Boston City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, and enclosed in an envelope, sealed, and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $500, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of the contract.

Specifications and plans may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of the Boston City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston, Mass., on and after Monday, September 19, 1955.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any and all bids if it be in the public interest so to do.

The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all bids in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, AND OF THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL,
RICHARD J. CONNON,
(Sept. 17.) *President.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR POLICE EQUIPMENT.

The Police Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for furnishing and delivering the following equipment: Hackney carriage badges and medallions; special police badges. The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at the office of the Property Clerk, 154 Berkeley street, Boston, and deposit with his bid at the office of the Police Commissioner, a properly certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the Police Commissioner for the City of Boston, if the proposal is not carried out. Proposals will be publicly opened and read on Friday, September 30, 1955, at 12 o'clock noon, at the office of the Police Commissioner, 154 Berkeley street, Boston, Mass. The Police Commissioner reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the Police Department of the City of Boston. Surety bonds will be required from the successful bidder in an amount equivalent to 50 per cent of the estimated contract amount.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
(Sept. 17.) *Police Commissioner.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR NEW KINDERGARTEN AT THE BUNKER HILL SCHOOL, BALDWIN STREET, CORNER BUNKER HILL STREET, CHARLESTOWN, MASS.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for new kindergarten at the Bunker Hill School, Baldwin street, corner Bunker Hill street, Charlestown, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Monday, September 26, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, enclosed in an envelope, sealed and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $200, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price, will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do, in accordance with sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
(Sept. 17.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

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JOSHUA H. JONES, *Editor.*

STATE-BOSTON, CHAPTER 90, HIGHWAY RECONSTRUCTION.

Sealed proposals for HIGHWAY WORK on Huntington avenue (Boston), will be received at Room 427, 100 Nashua street, Boston, Mass., until 2 P.M. of Tuesday, September 27, 1955, then to be publicly opened and read. Plans and proposal forms: $5, amount returnable only to bidders. Proposal guarnnty: $2,500. Minimum wage and dump truck rates are set. Full information at nbove address; plans on display at district offices of State Department of Public Works. Right reserved to reject any or all proposals.

JOHN B. HYNES,
(Sept. 17.) *Mayor of Boston.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

SEWERAGE WORKS.

Proposals for Sewerage Works in Business Street and Barry Street, Hyde Park.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Business street, etc. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Business Street, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 1955, with a certified check for ELEVEN HUNDRED (1,100) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lend to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule mny he obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Sept. 17.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

To GENERAL CONTRACTORS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR CONSTRUCTION OF LAUNDRY ADDITION AND ALTERATIONS TO BATHHOUSE, 241-245-249 DOVER STREET, BOSTON, MASS.

The Commissioner of Parks and Recreation of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for construction of laundry addition and alterations to bathhouse, 241-245-249 Dover street, Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 2 o'clock P.M. Tuesday, October 4, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, 33 Beacon street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, enclosed in an envelope, sealed and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $8,000, shall be suhmitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to he paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

Subbidders bidding on the work of subcontractors shall use the proposal form prepared by and obtainable from the Awarding Authority.

All subbidders' proposals filed with the Awarding Authority shall be submitted in sealed envelopes, plainly marked with the title of the work; division of the work for which bid is submitted; subcontractor's name; and subcontractor's business address. All such bids shall be in the possession of the Awarding Authority and delivered or mailed to the general contractor no later than 12 o'clock noon, Friday, September 30, 1955.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the nmount as specified in the following for the subbid item of work as listed below shall be submitted by each subbidder with the copy of his proposal filed with the Awarding Authority:

Structural Steel and Miscellaneous and Ornamental Iron	$400
Roofing and Flashing	300
Painting	200
Plumbing	2,000
Heating and Ventilating	2,500
Electrical	400

The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, plainly marked "Bid Deposit."

Specifications and plans may be obtained at the office of the Awarding Authority on or after Monday, September 19, 1955.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price, will be required of the successful general contractor.

A deposit of a certified check in the sum of $100, payable to the City of Boston, will be required in order to procure a complete set of plans and specifications. This deposit shall be returned providing that all plans and specifications are returned in satisfactory condition within ten days after opening of bids.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do. The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all subbids on any item or items in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

FRANK R. KELLEY,
Commissioner of Parks and Recreation.
(Sept. 17-24.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR CARD CATALOG CASES.

The Trustees of the Public Library of the City of Boston, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invite sealed proposals for supplying card catalog cases.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Wednesday, September 28, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals shall be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Business Office, Boston Public Library, Copley square, Boston, Mass. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed and enclosed in a sealed envelope, plainly marked with the name of the bidder and the description of the work bid upon. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority designated above and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of the proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a certificate of deposit issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of two hundred dollars ($200), shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The hid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked. Bid bonds will not be accepted.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

Specifications may be obtained on and after Monday, September 19, 1955, at the Business Office, Boston Public Library, Copley square, Boston, Mass.

A performance bond, issued by a surety company satisfactory to the Awarding Authority, in the full amount of the contract, will be required of the successful bidder.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, and to award the contract as it deems for the best interests of the city.

THE TRUSTEES OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY OF THE CITY OF BOSTON,
by JOHN J. CONNOLLY,
Assistant to the Director, and Chief
(Sept. 17.) *Executive Officer.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

To DEALERS IN DUPLICATING MACHINES (STANDARD OFFSET PROCESS).

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings of the City of Boston invites sealed proposals for furnishing and delivering duplicator (standard offset process) for Boston Trade High School, 550 Parker street, Boston, Mass., of the type, number, and quality as per specifications, and giving bonds of a surety company, satisfactory to the Superintendent of Construction therefor, in the full amount of the contract. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Construction, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., signed by the bidder and left before 12 noon, Monday, September 26, 1955, at said office, with a certified check in the sum of five (5) per cent of the total bid, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Superintendent of Construction reserves the right to reject any or all proposals.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
Superintendent of Construction.
(Sept. 17.)

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CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING GENERAL CLOTHING AND DRY GOODS FOR THE CITY DEPARTMENTS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Tuesday, September 27, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Clothing and Dry Goods." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Sept. 17.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.
BUILDINGS DIVISION.

SPECIFICATIONS FOR ROOFING REPAIRS AND SHEET METAL WORK AT THE HYDE PARK MUNICIPAL BUILDING, CORNER OF RIVER AND CENTRAL STREETS, HYDE PARK, MASS.

The Assistant Commissioner of Real Property of the City of Boston, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for roofing repairs and sheet metal work at the Hyde Park Municipal Building.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Tuesday, September 27, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, Room 808, City Hall Annex, at which time and place they will be opened and read aloud.

Proposals shall be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority, Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out. signed and inclosed in a sealed envelope plainly marked with the name of the bidder and the description of the work bid upon. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A hid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a certificate of deposit issued by, a responsihle bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $700, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope properly marked. Bid bonds will not be accepted.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, Ceneral Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required prior to the award of a contract.

Specifications may be obtained on and after Tuesday, September 20, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority.

A performance bond, issued by a surety company satisfactory to the Awarding Authority, in the full amount of the contract, will be required of the successful general contractor.

A charge of 50 cents will be made for specifications.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to reject any and all bids if it be in the public interest so to do.

GEORGE P. DONOVAN,
Assistant Commissioner of Real Property
(Sept. 17.) *Department.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.
BUILDINGS DIVISION.

SPECIFICATIONS FOR ROOFING REPAIRS AND SHEET METAL WORK AT THE J. J. WILLIAMS BUILDING, CORNER SHAWMUT AVENUE AND WEST BROOKLINE STREET, BOSTON, MASS.

The Assistant Commissioner of Real Property of the City of Boston, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for roofing repairs and sheet metal work at the J. J. Williams Building.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Tuesday, September 27, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, Room 808, City Hall Annex, at which time and place they will be opened and read aloud.

Proposals shall be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed and inclosed in a sealed envelope plainly marked with the name of the bidder and the description of the work bid upon. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a certificate of deposit issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $700, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope properly marked. Bid bonds will not be accepted.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required prior to the award of a contract.

Specifications may be obtained on and after Tuesday, September 20, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority.

A performance bond, issued by a surety company satisfactory to the Awarding Authority, in the full amount of the contract, will be required of the successful general contractor.

A charge of 50 cents will be made for specifications.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to reject any and all bids if it be in the public interest so to do.

GEORGE P. DONOVAN,
Assistant Commissioner of Real Property
(Sept. 17.) *Department.*

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PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING OFFICE FURNITURE.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Wednesday, September 28, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Furniture." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Sept. 17.) *Purchasing Agent.*

No. 154—346.

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PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING PAPER PRODUCTS FOR CITY DEPARTMENTS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Monday, September 26, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Paper Products." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
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SPECIFICATIONS FOR ROOFING REPAIRS AND SHEET METAL WORK AT THE SOUTH BOSTON MUNICIPAL BUILDING, BROADWAY, SOUTH BOSTON, MASS.

The Assistant Commissioner of Real Property of the City of Boston, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for roofing repairs and sheet metal work at the South Boston Municipal Building.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Tuesday, September 27, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, Room 808, City Hall Annex, at which time and place they will be opened and read aloud.

Proposals shall be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed and inclosed in a sealed envelope plainly marked with the name of the bidder and the description of the work bid upon. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a certificate of deposit issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $500, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope properly marked. Bid bonds will not be accepted.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

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BOSTON MARKS 325TH BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARY BY ALL-DAY FETE, BEGINNING WITH UNVEILING OF FAMOUS "WASHINGTON" PAINTING AT PUBLIC LIBRARY—ALSO DEDICATION OF 25-BELL ELECTRIC CARILLON IN FANEUIL HALL.

With Mayor John B. Hynes taking the leading part, Boston, on Saturday, September 17, observed the 325th anniversary of her founding with exercises from noon, with the unveiling of the historic painting "Washington at Dorchester Heights," to the huge display of fireworks on the Charles River Basin, near the Hatch Shell on the Esplanade.

Following the unveiling of the painting in a noon ceremony at the Boston Public Library came the dedication of the chimes.

Then followed a parade to Boston Common. There the Mayor presented official city flags to the Boston Battalion of the 101st Infantry; the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company and the Holy Name Church band of West Roxbury, CYO champions.

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800-CAR AUTOMATIC PARKING STRUCTURE TO BE ERECTED IN DOWNTOWN BOSTON, IN HAYWARD PLACE—24,000 SQUARE FEET OF LAND TAKEN BY REAL PROPERTY BOARD FOR PURPOSE—MAYOR HYNES MAKES ANNOUNCEMENT—PLANS FOR UNIT IN RETAIL DISTRICT GET UNDER WAY—ANOTHER FACILITY BEING PREPARED FOR UPHAMS CORNER SECTION.

Mayor Hynes has announced that the Real Property Board at its meeting voted a final taking in Hayward place, in downtown Boston, of approximately 24,000 square feet for land for an 800-car automatic parking structure. The Mayor also announced the Real Property Board engaged the services of William Nelson Jacobs Association, Inc., of Stuart street, Boston, to prepare plans and specifications for this much-needed parking unit in the heart of the Boston retail district. The construction of the Hay-

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GRATITUDE FOR HERITAGE BEQUEATHED US BY THE FOUNDING FATHERS DEVOUTLY EXPRESSED BY DR. DENNIS C. HALEY AT CEREMONIES COMMEMORATING 325TH ANNIVERSARY OF ESTABLISHMENT OF COLONY NOW BECOME MOTHER CITY OF AMERICA—CEREMONIES HELD AT HATCH SHELL, ON THE ESPLANADE, AS CLIMAX OF DAY-LONG CELEBRATION ON SATURDAY, WITH MAYOR HYNES OFFICIATING AS PRESIDING OFFICER.

The following is the address delivered by Dr. Dennis C. Haley at the ceremonies in observance of the 325th anniversary of the founding of Boston, September 17, at the Hatch Memorial Shell:

From time to time in the vibrant life of our great city, it has been the custom to honor in appropriate ceremonies the staunch and God-fearing men and women who established here in a wilderness the colony which became Boston, the Mother City of America, and who established the basic pattern for a national way of life that has brought forth the most powerful and the most productive society of free men the world has yet known.

The deeds of these founding fathers have long since been perpetuated in song and story. Their lives have become living legends of faith and strength and courage. Their ideals and aspirations have moved countless men and women of later generations to heroic and creative careers of great consequence to our community, our nation, and the world.

Three hundred and twenty-five years ago today, that sturdy and resolute band debarked on the Boston shore not far from this famous place of assembly where we are gathered together this evening. It is most fitting, therefore, that on this September anniversary evening we recall with reverence and deep gratitude the heritage they left us; that we dwell especially on their nobility of thought and tenacity of purpose which have ever been, and God willing, ever shall be the inspiration of our people.

Bronze Memorial Dedicated.

In 1930 the Tercentenary of the Founding of Boston was observed in a year-long series of special commemorative events. A feature of that celebration was the dedication on September 17 of a bronze memorial appropriately placed on the Beacon street border of the Common, opposite Spruce street, the approximate site of the homestead of the first lone white settler, Reverend William Blaxton (or Blackstone). This impressive memorial that you see as you walk up Beacon street, from Charles, depicts the arrival of the first Massachusetts Bay colonists led by John Winthrop shown grasping the welcoming hand of the solitary settler who was the sole forerunner of a new society destined to bring an era of hope and freedom for all mankind.

Both of these men, William Blaxton and John Winthrop, were products of great English universities in an age of unrest and controversy. Both were by nature tolerant and religious. Both had left comfortable homes and rich opportunities in England primarily to seek in a primitive land the peace of soul and spiritual satisfaction that England did not offer them.

Reverend Blaxton, a graduate of Emmanuel College, and an ordained minister, had come originally to Weymouth in 1623 with a group eager to establish Episcopacy in the new world. When this group abandoned their project and returned to England, Blaxton removed his possessions to Boston, then called Shawmut, and established his homestead in 1625, his only neighbors being friendly Indians.

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"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean;
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, October 3, at 2 P.M.

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Complaints, inquiries, or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the Complaints Division, Room 25, City Hall.

Information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuanee of highways, the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments of streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped area for streets and the opening of private ways; the making of specific repairs in public streets; the naming of public streets, including the use of public ways for location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railways, coal holes, and vaults, may be secured from the Public Improvement Commission, Room 403, City Hall Annex.

To the BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION, 112 Southampton street, for information relative to regulation of vehicular street traffic on all or any streets, ways, highways, roads, and parkways under the control of the City of Boston, the issuing of all permits in connection therewith.

To the COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting, and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catchbasins, the operation of Sumner Tunnel, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges, and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

To the HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Haymarket Square, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish, and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughterhouses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases, of public health nuisances.

To the BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth Avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park, and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts, also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview, and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

To the SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

To the DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS, 28 Norman street, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

To the BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 907, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal, or tearing down buildings.

To the ELECTRICAL INSPECTION DIVISION OF THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT, 1001 City Hall Annex, for all information relative to the erection of poles, building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division; also for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings of the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

To the BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT, 43 City Hall, relative to changes in the boundary lines of zoning districts of the City of Boston as established by chapter 488 of the Acts of 1924, and amendments thereto.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending September 17, 1955.

Population as of July, 1950, Massachusetts State Census, 817,713; population estimated July, 1955, United States Census Bureau, 813,696; number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 134; nonresidents, 54; total, 188.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 12.11; nonresidents deducted, 8.52.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:

Last week, 12.56; corresponding week last year, 13.51.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 15; one year to four years, inclusive, 0; sixty years and over, 109; Total deaths: Male, 123; female, 65; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 150.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Sept. 17, 1955.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Sept. 18, 1954.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior Poliomyelitis	150	8	9	1
Diphtheria	—	—	—	—
Encephalitis Lethargica	—	—	—	—
Influenza	—	—	—	—
Measles	—	—	17	—
Meningitis Epidemic	—	—	2	—
Pneumonia (lobar)	—	—	—	1
Scarlet Fever	1	—	4	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary)	1	3	10	1
Childhood Type Tuberculosis	—	—	—	—
Tuberculosis (other forms)	1	—	—	—
Typhoid Fever	—	—	—	—
Whooping Cough	4	—	17	—

*Residents and nonresidents included.

MAYOR HYNES PRESENTS SECOND OF SERIES OF REPORTS ON HIS STEWARDSHIP AS MAYOR OF BOSTON IN PAST SIX YEARS—THANKS CITIZENS FOR CONFIDENCE PLACED IN HIM THAT ENCOURAGES HIM TO WISH TO CARRY ON.

Following are the remarks of his Honor the Mayor, John B. Hynes, over WNAC-TV, on September 15:

As a candidate, once again, for Mayor of Boston, I am presenting through a series of telecasts, a report of my service as mayor.

This is the second in the series. Others will be made prior to the Preliminary Election, September 27, now less than two weeks away.

By this series of telecasts I hope to bring to the voters of Boston a clear, concise, and informative report of the condition of the Boston city government, with special emphasis on my own administration as mayor.

Last Monday night, I discussed, quite generally to be sure, the desirability—even necessity—for public confidence in the administration at City Hall. I offered the observation that without the confidence of the public behind him—and by the public I mean every element in our population—no mayor can hope to accomplish much, if anything, worthwhile. Indeed, I think it must be obvious that any mayor, or any aspirant for that position, who lacks within himself a sincere desire to serve the public well, rather than to serve himself well—such a mayor cannot be a good chief executive of our city. When the general public has confidence in a city administration no mountain is too high to climb; no river is too broad to cross; no problem is too difficult of solution.

After six years in office, during which time the efforts and the acts of my administration have been under the glaring searchlight of public opinion, I am happy to state the confidence in my administration has increased, rather than diminished.

Purposes of City Government.

Last Monday night, I also defined my conception of the objectives and the purposes of a city government. I will not, tonight, repeat that definition. Merely let me say, that I believe the fundamental purpose of government, and this applies especially to city or town government, is to bring benefit, in some way, of some kind, to humanity. Unless the people are served, and served well, with uncommon regard for those in the community who need help, temporarily or permanently, that government is not performing its primary task, and has lost sight of the reason for its existence. I am proud to say that my administration has not forgotten its primary obligations to the people—to all the people. In fact, I believe that our city has never before done so much for so many people needing help and assistance.

Tonight, let me run through with you, some of the activities and accomplishments of my administration. If time permitted, many of these accomplishments I will refer to, could be in themselves, the subject matter of a full 15-minute telecast.

The outstanding achievement of my administration is the contribution we have made to the reawakening of civic pride and the creation of a new spirit of enthusiasm which will be for the eventual good of all the people of Boston. I venture the belief that even my opponents will grant, albeit reluctantly, that my administration has been responsible, in no small measure, for the healthier attitude we find in our city today.

We have adopted almost all of the recommendations of the $150,000 survey of our city government made under the auspices of the Boston Finance Commission some few years ago, thus improving municipal operations.

We have reorganized the city government for more direct, more efficient, and more economical service to the public by the reduction in number of city departments from 37 to 23.

We have strengthened the credit standing of our city which — a few years ago — was in a sickly state, to say the least. Today, the securities of our city are in demand. The Boston investment houses which, not too long ago, looked the other way when Boston was floating a bond issue, now compete with other investment houses for our bonds. Our city is in good financial repute throughout the country.

We have established a compensation-classification plan for city employees, a fair and a just plan. No longer must city employees rely on political friendships or depend on their luck in picking the right candidate for mayor, in order to receive a promotion or an increase in pay to which they are entitled.

Economies and Improvements

We have accomplished in many departments various economies which have not, in any case, interfered with good public service, the most noteworthy of which is the significant saving in the annual expenditures for refuse collection and disposal.

We have improved, in numerous ways, the physical plant of our city by the construction and reconstruction of more streets and the replacement of more gas lamps with modern electric lights than in any like period in the city's history; we have made long-deferred major repairs to bridges, hospital buildings, and other properties of the city. We have built new fire stations, new library buildings, a new gymnasium in Roxbury, a new swimming pool in the North End, new playgrounds, and new small-tot play spaces in congested areas. We have improved the park and playground system of our city to the point where our Parks and Recreation Department is, today, the most active, most rounded, most complete department of its kind in our country. The ordinary and extraordinary activities of our Parks and Recreation Department are a most interesting chapter of what our city is doing for our people in all age brackets. I hope to have the chance, before this campaign is over, to tell you that story.

We have provided the funds for our School Department to build 10 new school buildings in various sections of the city, thus permitting that department to meet the problem of changing times and shifting populations. We shall provide even further funds for this essential purpose.

We have established in 15 districts of our city, neighborhood rehabilitation committees which are attempting, in cooperation with city departments, to stem the growth of blight and decay in our old city. Already the work of these committees, and the improvements made through their efforts are noticeable in two of the older sections of the city.

We have constructed two large parking facilities in downtown Boston, and we are beginning a program for the construction of about six more of these parking facilities in the business area of our city, thus preserving property values in the downtown section, and relieving traffic congestion on city streets.

We are engaged in a program for the construction of open-air parking facilities in many of the local shopping centers in our city. In operation at the present time are parking areas in Roslindale, Roxbury, Brighton, the North End, and under planning for early construction are similar areas in Uphams Corner and Fields Corner in Dorchester, Mattapan square, East Boston, and, in fact, almost every section of the city.

We have begun to redevelop the city in those sections which have become old and run down, and which are not attractive for rebuilding by private capital. Twenty-four acres of land in the South End will shortly be cleared and rebuilt. Within the next few years, we shall redevelop other areas which lend themselves to rebuilding and redevelopment on a large scale.

Many Accomplishments.

We successfully met the acute shortage of housing by the construction of more public housing per capita, than any other large city in the United States.

We have cooperated with the state government, and the Metropolitan District Commission, in the major improvements to our highways which will make Boston easy to enter, and easy to leave, and also make Boston a more desirable place in which to shop. New roads like the Central Artery will, I am confident, make Boston more accessible and will, I am also confident, encourage new business enterprises to settle in our city.

We have many other accomplishments of note, and equally as forward-looking as those I have just mentioned which I shall refer to on another occasion. We have under consideration, and in the planning stage, still other improvements in operating procedures, and in the physical plant of our city.

To carry out our plans, and to continue our program, the retention in office of the present administration would seem to be desirable. At the present time, I am discussing with three different groups, three different development projects in Boston, each of which calls for the investment by private capital of many millions of dollars with the consequent creation of new employment opportunities.

These investors, ladies and gentlemen, will not come to Boston if the city administration is antagonistic to business; if the city administration is headed by an individual who thinks, and talks, and acts like a political demagogue; or if the city administration lacks the confidence of the public.

Business is the lifeblood of any large city. The more business we have, the happier community we will have, and the more prosperity and security we will

have for the white collar worker, the mechanic, the seamstress, the laborer—everyone in our city.

My administration has been dedicated to the service of all the people. If I am re-elected, we shall continue that type of administration. We have shown, I believe, that efficiency and progress, spurred on by the right motives, can go hand in hand, for the good of all.

If, after sober reflection, you believe my administration has met with your expectations, I will be most pleased and grateful if you will express your approval by voting for me when you go to the polls. I will do my job as I think you, my fellow citizens, want it done.

BOSTON MARKS 325TH BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARY.

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Mayor Hynes placed a wreath on the Founders Monument, on the Beacon street side of the Common. The monument was erected in 1930 on the site of the home of William Blaxton, Boston's first settler.

Shortly after the more than 1,000 young bandsmen and their drum majors paraded off the Common, a concert followed at the Hatch Memorial Shell on the Esplanade.

The Air Force Band from Mitchell Field, Garden City, N. Y., vied with a 60-piece Boston concert orchestra under the direction of John Kiley; Porter Heaps, organist, also performed.

Harry C. Blake was chairman of the day's program.

The fireworks display, one of Boston's most brilliant, soared from Navy barges anchored in the Charles.

PARKING STRUCTURE FOR HAYWARD PLACE.

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ward place facility will commence next spring and probably be completed by Christmas.

The Mayor also announced that the Real Property Board voted to take approximately 24,000 square feet of land at Belden and Wendover streets, in the Uphams Corner section of Boston, for the construction of a 75-car, open-air, metered, parking facility. The Mayor announced that plans and specifications for this facility should be completed within 30 days.

ADDRESS OF DENNIS C. HALEY AT OBSERVANCE OF BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARY.

John Winthrop, a graduate of Trinity College, an attorney, and a man of affairs in the Mother Country, was of strong Puritan convictions. Although not a clergyman, it had been his desire and ambition to plant the gospel in New England. Thus it was that he became a member of the company created under the charter of March 4, 1629, granted to the Governor and the Company of Massachusetts Bay in New England and was one of the signers of the articles of agreement on August 29, 1629. Later it was agreed that the government be settled in New England, and John Winthrop was elected governor for one year.

WELCOMED BY BLAXTON.

After harrowing months of preparation, John Winthrop and more than 900 followers sailed for the new land on April 8, 1630, in eleven ships, reaching Salem Harbor on June 12. Although some of the settlers dispersed into localities which later became Medford, Roxbury, Lynn, Watertown, and Dorchester, Governor Winthrop selected Charlestown as the site of his colony, but soon sought a more suitable location. Blaxton extended an invitation to settle near him; and Governor Winthrop, impressed by the excellent water supply and other features, readily accepted. On September 17, 1630, he and his followers were warmly received by Blaxton.

For Blaxton that meeting was to mean the beginning of the end of his peaceful existence and his removal to Rhode Island a few years later to escape the encroaching tide of human affairs. For Winthrop it was the culmination of his dearest hope and the beginning of a great career to be guided always by the goal he had set while on his ship the "Arbella" when he wrote:

> "For we must consider that we shall be as a city upon a hill. The eyes of all people are upon us so that if we shall deal falsely with our God in this work we have undertaken, we shall be made a story and a by-word through the world."

Those who came with Winthrop to build a good and godly society were men of substance and position, experienced in worldly affairs, independent of mind and means, determined, pious, ambitious, and resolute. With all these exemplary qualities and with a spirit of independence and determination the Massachusetts Bay Colonists under John Winthrop undertook the work of establishing a new society. This society was so conceived that under the influence of growing waves of new settlers who brought philosophies and religious beliefs from many lands, it evolved into the constitutional type of representative government which is the strength and pride of our state and nation.

The largest body of educated men in a European colony, these men and women recognized the interdependence of learning and their new found liberty, and as a result they soon gave expression to their desire to perpetuate that culture which had produced them. So within five years they established a public school, followed two years later by a substantial appropriation for a "schoole or colledge" at New Towne, presently renamed Cambridge. Thus out of their determination "to advance learning and perpetuate it to posterity" came the Boston Public Latin School and Harvard College, the foundations of our American educational system.

FAITH IN GOD.

The faith in God, the love of liberty, and the spirit of independence which animated the founding fathers have so inspired the generations that have followed that Boston has since been a national arsenal of leadership and achievement. Down through the years in times of stress and crisis the fires of patriotic fervor have been fed by such valiant and courageous figures as Paul Revere, Samuel Adams, John Adams, Benjamin Franklin, Cotton Mather, John Hancock, Bishop Cheverus, and Robert Treat Paine.

Our schools and colleges, our business and industrial enterprises have sent forth to the farthest corners of our land men and women who have helped to build a nation in the godly and independent spirit of the founding fathers. In the halls of congress, the temples of justice, the courts of law, in institutions of learning, in the pulpit, and in all industries, businesses, and professions our people have kept faith with the founders by contributing substantially to the growth and strength of our city, state, and nation.

Here at home we have preserved our ancient institutions and historic shrines dear to the hearts of all Americans. Yet we have continued to build upon our heritage and thus ever taking renewed vigor from the example of our predecessors have contributed unceasingly to the welfare of our people.

MANY "FIRSTS" IN BOSTON.

Here in Boston was first established representative government and free public education. Here was founded the first high school in America, the first public evening schools, the first free school for the deaf, the first municipal public library, the first municipal system of public parks, the first system of medical examination of public school children, the first rapid transit system, the first juvenile court, the first medical research center. All about us stand monuments to these great achievements and others too numerous to mention to demonstrate that generations past, yes, and our present generation, striving in the spirit of the founding fathers, have justly earned for Boston such cherished titles as "The Athens of America," "The Cradle of Liberty," and "The Hub of the Universe."

Today is truly a most significant occasion. Not only does it mark the founding of our great, beloved city, but it is also the 175th anniversary of the effective date of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, September 17, 1780, and the anniversary of the signing of the Federal Constitution, seven years later.

Thus as we reflect this evening upon the work of our honored founding fathers, the effective inspiration they have given to succeeding generations, and as we look upon our thriving, beloved city, a great metropolitan center, growing greater year by year in strength and influence under leadership of integrity, we realize—to paraphrase the motto on our city seal—that God has indeed been with us as He was with our fathers.

It is with reverent gratitude to God, therefore, for His beneficence to the founding fathers and to all who have been inspired by their sterling qualities to lives of achievement in this land of freedom that we close our remarks secure in the knowledge that so long as we continue to live in His Holy Light so long shall we prosper and advance. With such faith directing and strengthening our individual and civic efforts we look with hope to the future as we review with thankfulness the past, for—in the words of Edwin Markham's "Ode to Boston"—we are confident that whatever challenge the future brings

> " . . . your strong men will rise to meet the call,
> God standing in them, terrible and tall,
> And so we praise, O city by the sea,
> All you have been and all that you will be."

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees:

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

For the week ending September 6:

The following weekly nurses have been appointed:

Permanent.—Anne Ames, 31 Coolidge road, Allston, Theresa Butera, 61 Logan Way, South Boston, Kathleen Carroll, 6 Oscar street, Roxbury, Maria Giardiello, 122 Prince street, Carol Haley, 72 Mercer street, South Boston, Pansy Hazelwood, 23 Summit road, Brookline, Margaret Hodges, 409 Warren street, Roxbury, Mary Holbrow, 305 Harvard street, Dorchester, Beverly Hughes, 4 Vogel terrace, Brookline, Joan Jackvony, 30 Walton street, Dorchester, Anne Mahoney, Cambridge street, Burlington, Katherine McEwan, 224 West Fifth street, South Boston, M. Patricia McWhirter, 80 Emerson road, Milton, Catherine Moore, 76 Spring Park avenue, Jamaica Plain, Beverly Pattison, 64 Burbank street, Dorothy Ryan, 297 Dudley street, Grace Ryan, 3 Rowell street, Dorchester, Barbara Stanley, 18 Ashmont park, Dorchester, Janet Sullivan, 112 Elm street, Charlestown, Maryan Surman, 88 Johnson street, Lynn, Claire Toomey, 64 Perkins street, Charlestown, Grace Warren, 47 Leonard road, Melrose, Helen Watkins, 21 East Lenox street, Roxbury, Mary White, 16 Gibbons street, Somerville, Jane Woods, 41 Undine road, Brighton, floor nurses, $60.50 a week.

Temporary.—Maureen Concannon, 1675 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, Dorothy Currie, 283 Chestnut avenue, Jamaica Plain, Annette O'Malley, 49 Dorchester street, South Boston, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour; Mary Lee, 456 Medford street, Somerville, Olga Owen, 32 Rose Circle, Peabody, Anne Stevenson, 1 Stockton street, Dorchester, Rita Tsinzo, 21 Wabeno street, Dorchester, floor nurses, $68 a week; Jean Rico, 342 Ashmont street, Dorchester, floor nurse, $51 a week; Pauline LeBel, 15 Royce road, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour.

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Esther Bandlow, 5 Reddy avenue, Hyde Park, 3 days; Priscilla Beckwith, 696 Massachusetts avenue, 7 days; Claire Bilapka, 230 Commonwealth avenue, 5 days; Martha Costello, 17 Henshaw street, Brighton, 3 days; Sophie Cotter, 173 Vine Rock street, Dedham, 7 days; Iris Crowley, 168 Crowley-Rogers Way, South Boston, 1 day; Dorothy Currie, 283 Chestnut avenue, Jamaica Plain, 2 days; Grace Candiano, 7 days; Jean Darraugh, 568 East Sixth street, South Boston, Mary Edwards, 428 Adams street, Dorchester, 1 day; Patricia Delaney, 740 Bennington street, East Boston, 2 days; Mary Fraser, 99 Norway street, 3 days; Diana Guinta, 42 Topliff street, Dorchester, Evelyn Gould, 2 days; Lorraine Dibble, 1189 Bennington street, East Boston, 3 days; Veronica Lombard, 8 Doris street, Dorchester, 5 days; Anne Lynskey, 52 Telsa street, Medford, 4 days; Loretta Lynch, 270 Huntington avenue, 6 days; Rita McCallum, 162 Bowdoin street, Dorchester, 2 days; Claire McCue, 74 Robinwood

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 20.

GAS FITTER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
H. Geddis	24 Massachusetts avenue	5	New appliances	$12
E. Pascucci	257 Meridian street	1	New appliances	25
S. Italiano	285 Meridian street	1	New appliances	50
E. Pascucci	98 Moore street	1	New appliances	25
E. Pascucci	218 Paris street	1	New appliances	25
A. Milligan	75 Potomac street	20	New appliances	100
D. Greenwood	11 Rector road	18	New appliances	75
E. Pascucci	20 Saratoga street	1	New appliances	25
A. Milligan	590 South street	19	New appliances	100
A. Milligan	594 South street	19	New appliances	600
H. Geddis	21 Walter street	20	New appliances	10
L. Rubinovitch	186 Washington street	3	New appliances	25
E. Matthews	1770 Washington street	8	New appliances	100
M. Loiterstein	2065 Washington street	9	New appliances	15
D. Greenwood	56 Wenham street	19	New appliances	100
E. Pascucci	9A Wordsworth street	1	New appliances	25
F. Carr	33 Anderson street	5	New appliances	400
J. Hickey	95 Babson street	18	New appliances	750
S. Slavet	16 Barton street	3	New appliances	40
J. Flynn	6 Blackwell street	16	New appliances	80
M. Eskowitz	1076 Blue Hill avenue	14	New appliances	10
W. Howdy	32 Bradford street	3	New appliances	35
J. Flynn	214 Centre street	16	New appliances	12
D. Gould	73A Clifton street	8	New appliances	45
F. Venuti	130 Conant street	10	New appliances	60
R. Simon	597 East Seventh street	7	New appliances	155
F. Carr	145 Endicott street	3	New appliances	10
J. Flynn	54 Erie street	14	New appliances	60
B. Weiner	18 Glenville avenue	21	New appliances	35
J. Flynn	34 Greenbrier street	17	New appliances	25
J. Flynn	158 Harvard street	14	New appliances	25
A. Hird	23 Hendry street	15	New appliances	500
J. Flynn	12 Hewins street	14	New appliances	25
P. Gulesian	943 Hyde Park avenue	18	New appliances	800
P. Gulesian	21 Imbaro road	18	New appliances	150
J. Flynn	1 Lorenzo street	16	New appliances	25
F. Carr	126 Myrtle street	5	New appliances	10
P. Gulesian	11 Oakwood street	18	New appliances	300
J. Flynn	552 Park street	17	New appliances	25
J. Mellyn	157 Perham street	20	New appliances	300
J. Flynn	35 Robinson street	15	New appliances	25
D. Gould	1 St. James terrace	12	New appliances	45
A. Onessimo	158 Salem street	3	New appliances	50
A. Hird	336 Savin Hill avenue	13	New appliances	300
J. Flynn	37 Templeton street	16	New appliances	20
D. Gould	6 and 8 Thornton street	9	New appliances	45
J. Flynn	19 Torrey street	17	New appliances	80
W. MacQuoid	33 Wade street	21	New appliances	200
S. Slavet	387 Washington street	3	New appliances	100
J. Flynn	131 Wrentham street	16	New appliances	65
N. Clark	47 Adams street	8	New appliances	400
W. Connell	29 Ashmont street	17	New appliances	40
M. Pass	1161 Boylston street	5	New appliances	110
N. Clark	20 Brighton street	2	New appliances	15
W. Connell	19 Bushnell street	16	New appliances	20
S. Connolly	126 Camden street	9	New appliances	20
S. Connolly	81 Centre street	17	New appliances	50
E. Mogel	176 Commonwealth avenue	5	New appliances	14
S. Campbell	1264 Commonwealth avenue	21	New appliances	70
N. Clark	275 Dudley street	8	New appliances	400
S. Connolly	303 Dudley street	8	New appliances	50
S. Connolly	55 Dwight street	3	New appliances	20
E. Mogel	614 East Third street	6	New appliances	40
H. Cutler	74 Elm Hill avenue	12	New appliances	15
E. Mogel	31 Fairfield street	5	New appliances	40
J. Crane	400 Fenway	4	New appliances	125
S. Connolly	98 George street	8	New appliances	30
S. Connolly	27 Hammond street	9	New appliances	15
W. Connell	42 Harvard street	17	New appliances	30
F. Carlson	16 Haverford street	11	New appliances	75
O. McElearney	125 Highland street	11	New appliances	75
A. Stahly	15 Holiday street	15	New appliances	20
V. Bordonaro	50 Hull street	3	New appliances	35
D. Weinstein	953 Hyde Park avenue	18	New appliances	25
O. Weider	15 Maryknoll street	18	New appliances	150
E. Mogel	28 Montgomery street	4	New appliances	12
N. Clark	30 Morris street	1	New appliances	15
A. Onessimo	76 Norfolk street	17	New appliances	100
M. Eskowitz	471 Norfolk street	14	New appliances	10
A. Granara	227 North street	3	New appliances	30
A. Stahly	39 Oakley street	15	New appliances	40
O. Weider	30 O'Connell road	17	New appliances	100
S. Connolly	15 Parker Hill avenue	10	New appliances	25
S. Connolly	19A Perrin street	12	New appliances	50
S. Connolly	169 Quincy street	13	New appliances	50
N. Clark	20 Rockville street	12	New appliances	100
E. Mogel	57 Rutland square	4	New appliances	10
A. Stahly	26 St. Marks road	16	New appliances	50
E. Mogel	248 Shawmut avenue	3	New appliances	40
E. Mogel	298 Shawmut avenue	3	New appliances	40
E. Mogel	546 Shawmut avenue	9	New appliances	100
S. Connolly	6 Thornton street	9	New appliances	50
N. Clark	117 Townsend street	12	New appliances	400
N. Clark	61 Walk Hill street	19	New appliances	300
J. Vogel	215 West Springfield street	4	New appliances	15
N. Clark	44 Woodlawn street	11	New appliances	400
D. Greenwood	11 Aldworth street	19	New appliances	150
L. Ciriello	86 Barnes avenue	1	New appliances	235
L. Ciriello	619 Bennington street	1	New appliances	175
S. Shuman	674 Centre street	19	New appliances	125

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Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
A. DiPietro	76 Chelsea street	1	New appliances	$40
D. Greenwood	9 Cornwall street	11	New appliances	65
F. Odenweller	47 Dorchester street	6	New appliances	100
D. Horgan	151 Dorchester street	7	New appliances	100
D. Horgan	489A East Broadway	6	New appliances	100
D. Horgan	711 East Fifth street	6	New appliances	100
D. Horgan	497 East Fourth street	7	New appliances	100
D. Horgan	586 East Second street	6	New appliances	100
N. Deutsch	111 Everett street	1	New appliances	30
I. Cohen	29 Field street	4	New appliances	100
P. Kennedy	4 Glover place	15	New appliances	100
W. Long	10 Hartley terrace	21	New appliances	65
W. Hogan	235 Heath street	10	New appliances	100
F. Avery	66 Hereford street	5	New appliances	100
D. Horgan	102 I street	6	New appliances	100
D. Horgan	186 L street	7	New appliances	100
N. Deutsch	300 Maverick street	1	New appliances	125
D. Horgan	9 Mohawk street	7	New appliances	100
N. Deutsch	27 Monmouth street	1	New appliances	75
W. Mead	385 Mt. Vernon street	13	New appliances	100
N. Deutsch	133 Orleans street	1	New appliances	60
D. Horgan	9 Pacific street	7	New appliances	100
W. Crawford	571 Park street	17	New appliances	40
S. Slavet	62 Phillips street	5	New appliances	400
B. Szathmary	15 Reetor road	18	New appliances	100
L. Ciriello	331 Sumner street	1	New appliances	250
N. Deutsch	499 Sumner street	1	New appliances	35
D. Greenwood	73 Weld Hill street	19	New appliances	200
E. Slein	71 West Milton street	18	New appliances	100
D. Horgan	216 West Ninth street	7	New appliances	100
D. Horgan	88 West Third street	6	New appliances	100
F. Odenweller	107 Westville street	15	New appliances	210
P. Ferris	25 Williams street	11	New appliances	500
D. O'Neill	58 Adams street	8	New appliances	35
A. Hird	675 Adams street	16	New appliances	100
J. Flynn	14 Althea street	16	New appliances	15
M. Eskowitz	27 Baird street	14	New appliances	10
J. Reid	250 Belgrade avenue	20	New appliances	70
I. Silverstein	26 Bothwell road	22	New appliances	100
I. Himelfarb	259 Brookline avenue	4	New appliances	100
B. Szathmary	38 Cabot street	9	New appliances	100
E. Ardini	71 Cass street	20	New appliances	100
G. Vallati	25 Codman Hill avenue	17	New appliances	250
C. Mehegan	722 East Fourth street	6	New appliances	75
J. Flynn	39 Edison Green	7	New appliances	70
S. Litman	5 Elbert street	12	New appliances	65
J. Flynn	370 Geneva avenue	15	New appliances	55
J. McGee	226 Highland street	11	New appliances	100
I. Silverstein	491 Huntington avenue	4	New appliances	100
B. Weiner	236 Kelton street	21	New appliances	100
J. Flynn	55 Millet street	17	New appliances	55
J. Flynn	270 Minot street	16	New appliances	25
J. Bunesh	4 Pacific street	7	New appliances	128
L. Fama	100 Prince street	3	New appliances	45
J. Flynn	11 Richfield street	15	New appliances	100
J. Flynn	84 Romsey street	13	New appliances	73
J. Flynn	35 Shepton street	16	New appliances	18
D. O'Neill	6 Shetland street	8	New appliances	25
D. O'Neill	16 Shetland street	8	New appliances	12
J. Flynn	6 Tebroc street	15	New appliances	25
J. Flynn	61 Telegraph street	7	New appliances	22
J. Flynn	62 Templeton street	16	New appliances	30
G. Vallati	42 Train street	16	New appliances	15
J. Flynn	3155 Washington street	11	New appliances	40
J. Reid	10 Whitten street	16	New appliances	25
J. Reid	117 Williams street	11	New appliances	60
I. Silverstein	15 Woodrow avenue	17	New appliances	100
D. Puopolo	151 Boylston street	5	New appliances	25
S. Sawtelle	11 Burley street	18	New appliances	250
E. Pascucci	141 Chelsea street	1	New appliances	25
E. Pascucci	279 Chelsea street	1	New appliances	30
D. Gould	31 Clarkwood street	11	New appliances	25
E. Pascucci	172 Cowper street	1	New appliances	30
L. Luxton	1635 Dorchester avenue	16	New appliances	35
J. McGee	102 East Brookline street	8	New appliances	50
B. Weiner	102 Gainsborough street	4	New appliances	40
E. Pascucci	166 Gove street	1	New appliances	100
G. Trethewey	22 Halliday street	19	New appliances	300
L. Luxton	21 Levant street	15	New appliances	35
E. Pascucci	26 Maverick street	1	New appliances	10
E. Pascucci	364 Meridian street	1	New appliances	10
P. Janis	109 Norfolk avenue	8	New appliances	40
G. Trethewey	11 Pomfret street	20	New appliances	300
H. Hinckley	69 South Huntington avenue	10	New appliances	60
G. Trethewey	139 Stimson street	20	New appliances	395
E. Pascucci	312 Sumner street	1	New appliances	25
G. Trethewey	142 Sycamore street	19	New appliances	650
G. Trethewey	86 Walworth street	20	New appliances	225
H. Hinckley	23 Washington street	14	New appliances	15
J. Vogel	88 West Cedar street	5	New appliances	15
C. Hutchinson	24 Zeller street	20	New appliances	325

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road, Dedham, 3 days; Marguerite Mackesey, 79 First street, Medford, 2 days; Mary R. Mahan, 29 Kempton street, Anna Murphy, 115 Peterborough street, 7 days; Audrey Mailhot, 30 Walton street, Dorchester, 6 days; Ann Minihan, 1 day; Agnes O'Connor, 270 Huntington avenue, 7 days; Mae Owens, 259 Chestnut avenue, Jamaica Plain, Estelle Paris, 167 Fayerweather street, Cambridge, Alyce Powers, 67 Prospect avenue, Wollaston, 2 days; Ethel Rahaim, 665 Massachusetts avenue, 3 days; Romaine Riley, 171 Humboldt avenue, Roxbury, 4 days; Bernice Smith, 105 Walnut avenue, Roxbury, 2 days; Mabel Smith, 87 Bartlett road, Winthrop, 3 days; Helen Spillane, 499 Park street, Stoughton, 7 days; Madeline Sullivan, 126 Marlborough street, 6 days; Margaret M. Sullivan, 28 Weymouth street, Holbrook, 4 days; Florence Sullivan, 1 day; Takaka Salvi, 123 Harvard street, Cambridge, 2 days; Josephine Trippe, 80 Orleans street, East Boston, 6 days; Josephine Tyman, 39 Burnham street, Somerville, 1 day; Ila Ward, 79 Warren street, Roxbury, 7 days.

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—Carl Goforth, 32 Regent street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; Josephine B. Womack, 179 Shawmut avenue, hospital medical worker, $50.50 a week; William F. O'Keefe, 256 Bennington street, East Boston, hospital laundry worker, $43 a week; Catherine G. Fitzmaurice, 42 Pearl street, Charlestown, hospital house worker, $55.50 a week; Stephen A. Puleo, 62 Bald Eagle road, Weymouth, ambulance medical aid, $60.50 a week; Frank J. Marcella, 112 School street, Jamaica Plain, hospital guard, $58 a week; John T. O'Brien, 11 Estrella street, Jamaica Plain, elevator operator, $50.50 a week; Mary L. Huber, 14 Ticknor street, South Boston, elevator operator, $53 a week; Arturo D. Iazzetti, 4 Cross street, Watertown, senior X-ray technician, $65.50 a week; Constance Matarese, 16 Summer street, senior X-ray technician, $68 a week; Beverly Anderson, 443 Mystic street, Arlington, head nurse, $76.50 a week; Mary Pizziferri, 33 Justin road, Brighton, floor nurse, $1.65 an hour; Blanche V. Forguites, 73 Central Drive, Stoughton, floor nurse, $1.60 an hour; Rosemary McConnell, 4 Landseer terrace, West Roxbury, floor nurse, $68 a week.

Temporary.—Thomas A. McQueeney, 292 Belgrade avenue, Martin J. Dunn, 10 Fayette street, South Boston, Frank L. Yates, 96 Harrishof street, Roxbury, Herbert J. Kaufman, 53 Charlotte street, Dorchester, Sheila C. Meara, 129 Perham street, West Roxbury, Janet E. Raineri, 440 Hanover street, Mary L. Flynn, 120 Buttonwood street, Dorchester, Irene M. Murphy, 49 Elmwood street, Roxbury, Mildred Schmidt, 24 Montpelier road, Dorchester, Thomas P. Fuce, Jr., 104 Train street, Dorchester, Joseph T. Lyons, 49 Greaton road, West Roxbury, Robert L. Caulfield, 43 Sharon street, Robert Reveliotis, 12 Metcalf street, Jamaica Plain, Elaine Krauss, 19 Revere street, Ernest L. Sullivan, 41 Bogandale road, West Roxbury, Bernice M. Cody, 30 Hyde Park avenue, Jamaica Plain, Margery Staffeld, 26 Mt. Vernon street, Ida R. Buccini, 6 Julian street, Roxbury, Stanley Rosenbloom, 72 Clark-

wood street, Mattapan, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; Francis J. Foley, 87 Oakton avenue, Dorchester, Frederick C. Buttner, 10 Taft street, Dorchester, Robert E. Dunn, 42 Auckland street, Dorchester, hospital house workers, $43 a week; William McGlynn, 114 Mt. Pleasant avenue, Gerald Giles, 12 Willard street, John Kilroy, 16 Dartmouth place, hospital laundry workers, $43 a week; Albert J. Mulrean, 564 East Seventh street, South Boston, elevator operator, $43 a week; Isabel M. Creagh, Cuba, chief resident, anesthetist, $202 a month; Janet Richardson, 52 Irving street, Waltham, physiotherapist, $58 a week; Ruth F. Goldberg, 67 Goodale road, Mattapan, Ann M. Gallahue, 87 Tonawanda street, Dorchester, Maryjane Arena, 91 Faywood avenue, East Boston, Mary L. Marchand, 15 Mallon road, Dorchester, Rosalie Berinato, 140 Stanwood street, Dorchester, clerk-typists, $43 a week; Mary McBrearty, 7 Frawley street, Marie Chaisson, 126 Montgomery street, North Cambridge, Claire Concannon, 900 Massachusetts avenue, Cambridge, Esther Toronto, 121 Green street, Jamaica Plain, Patricia B. Konkle, 354 Westgate West, Cambridge, Audrey Mailhot, 19 Everett avenue, Dorchester, Una V. Wetherty, 438 Mt. Vernon street, Dedham, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour.

South Division.

The following temporary employees have been appointed:

Margaret Francis, 9 Lennoco road, Jamaica Plain, floor nurse, $1 an hour; Alice McDonald, 42 Coleman street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—Sophie E. Barry, 131 Hampden street, Roxbury, William L. Burke, 1734A Commonwealth avenue, hospital medical workers, $50.50 a week; Jean E. Burke, 1734A Commonwealth avenue, floor nurse, $63 a week; Helen Humphrey, 54 Mountain avenue, Malden, floor nurse, $60.50 a week.

Temporary.—Margaret Barr, 690 Massachusetts avenue, James J. Murray, 115 Memorial Drive, Cambridge, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; Mary J. Brennan, 51 Clinton street, Newton, Stephanie Coffey, 231 Washington street, Arlington, Mary T. Shaughnessy, 111 Overland road, Waltham, floor nurses, $1 an hour.

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Marie Crowley, 18 Laite road, Wilmington, 7 days; Theresa Frazier, 1644 Turnpike road, Stoughton, 2 days; Eleanor Gallagher, 441 Albemarle road, Newtonville, 6 days; Veronica McElligott, 34 Dickinson street, Somerville, 7 days; Margaret Nolan, 14 Dix street, Dorchester, 6 days; Jean O'Connell, 1734A Commonwealth avenue, 1 day.

The following permanent employees have been appointed:

Sandra Korn, 745 Massachusetts avenue, Doris Levesque, 745 Massachusetts avenue, Elizabeth Stickney, 745 Massachusetts avenue, floor nurses, $58 a week with room.

Long Island Division.

The following changes have been made for the week ending September 7:

Terminations.—Catherine T. Sears, hospital house worker, emergency; Rich-

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 20.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Patrick Leary	32 Taylor street	16	Alterations, dwelling	$700
El Morocco	243 Tremont street	3	Alterations, cafe	500
John Brennan	31 Turner street	22	Alterations, dwelling	275
Oliver Nolan	20 Union street	3	Alterations, stores	1,000
A. W. Peevey, Inc.	577 Washington street	3	Alterations, offices, restaurant	250
Towfick Shire	703 Washington street	17	Alterations, dwelling	550
Morris Davidow	242 Weld street	20	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Dr. Bernard A. Jaffe	21 Winthrop street	8	Alterations, dwelling	1,275
Francis Chase	39 Allston street	2	Alterations, dwelling	465
Joseph Avelino	728 American Legion H'way	18	Alterations, greenhouse	300
Richard Catrone	84 Annafran street	18	Erect, dwelling	11,000
Arthur Duncan	3 Arlington street	3	Alterations, dwelling, office	2,000
Hilton Hotel	70-80 Arlington street	5	Alterations, hotel, office	90,000
Sam Melman	57-59 Austin street	2	Erect, repair shop	3,000
McNally Strickland	34½ Beacon street	5	Alterations, dwelling	12,000
John Connolly	6 Billings street	20	Erect, dwelling	9,000
John Connolly	10 Billings street	20	Erect, dwelling	9,000
144 Bowdoin Street, Inc.	144 Bowdoin street	8	Alterations, dwelling, bank	30,000
Boston Edison Company	39 Boylston street	3	Alterations, offices	25,000
Lillian Rubin	288-290 Boylston street	5	Alterations, restaurant	20,000
Boston Edison Company	365 Bremen street	1	Erect, substation	21,000
Socony Mobil Oil Company	235-241 Brighton avenue	21	Alterations, gas station	5,000
White Tower	16 Brookline avenue	5	Alterations, restaurant	2,000
Waverly Heating Supply Company.	279 Bunker Hill street	2	Alterations, warehouse	None
Francis Kent	105 Capen street	17	Alterations, dwelling	$2
Francis Kent	109 Capen street	17	Alterations, dwelling	2
Henry & Berniee Cabit	36 Carlson Circle	20	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Pauline Manfra	1509 Centre street	20	Erect, dwelling	12,500
Pauline Manfra	1515 Centre street	20	Erect, dwelling	12,500
Mr. and Mrs. DeLuca	15 Charles street	5	Alterations, dwelling, store	850
City of Boston	624 Albany street	8	Alterations, garage	800
Lester Peabody	299 Atlantic avenue	3	Alterations, storage	250
Massachusetts Clinic	240 Beacon street	5	Alterations, vacant	250
Allied Appliance	111 Berkeley street	5	Alterations, warehouse	300
William O'Keefe	95 Calumet street	10	Alterations, dwelling	90
Eton's	155 Causeway street	3	Alterations, store	500
A. Kaplan	674 Centre street	19	Alterations, store	700
Cardick Realty	371 Commonwealth ave.	5	Alterations, offices	875
Doe Realty Company	41 Court street	3	Alterations, store	1,800
S. Yarosh	218 Cummins Highway	19	Alterations, dwelling	500
Leo Ghilardi	10 Cushing avenue	13	Alterations, dwelling	100
Grace Spillane	55 Forbes street	19	Alterations, dwelling	1,442
Lewis Ceurvels	2 Glover court	6	Alterations, dwelling	335
Celestina Myriek	41 Haskins street	9	Alterations, dwelling	300
Edith Gildeau	56 Hollander street	12	Alterations, dwelling	670
Joseph Dobbratz	64 Kenrick street	22	Alterations, dwelling	275
Eugene Berubi	41 Linden street	21	Alterations, dwelling	50
Joseph Seifer	124 Lucerne street	14	Alterations, dwelling	1,700
Archbishop Cushing	11 Mayhew street	7	Alterations, school	856
Boston Wharf Company	49 Melcher street	6	Alterations, manufacturing	650
Catherine Wiliezkiewicz	66 Middle street	6	Alterations, dwelling	875
Catherine Wiliezkiewicz	68 Middle street	6	Alterations, dwelling	875
Angelina Caprio	36 Northampton street	8	Alterations, dwelling, store	500
Strati Hareyiany	11 Nottingham street	14	Alterations, dwelling	150
N. E. Baptist Hospital	91 Parker Hill avenue	10	Alterations, hospital	1,000
Isabel Murphy	97 Perkins street	10	Alterations, dwelling	360
Joseph Charlin	79 Perthshire road	22	Alterations, dwelling	300
Jane Campbell	71 Richmere road	18	Alterations, dwelling	200
Archie Anthony	56 Robinwood avenue	19	Alterations, dwelling	600
Mary Lubin	37 Romsey street	13	Alterations, dwelling	250
Henry Crookles	21 and 23 Round Hill street	10	Alterations, dwelling	750
Longwood Hospital, Inc.	125 South Huntington ave.	10	Alterations, hospital	2,500
Earle Mathews	17 Warren place	12	Alterations, dwelling	400
Alois Liell	91 West Seventh street	6	Alterations, dwelling	850
Edward Leslie	69 and 69½ Wyman street	10	Alterations, dwelling	670
Peerless Market	205 Adams street	15	Alterations, dwelling	500
John Martin	9 Allston street	17	Alterations, dwelling	100
Mary Waldman	374A Blue Hill avenue	14	Alterations, dwelling, store	175
Nathan Berman	105 Brighton avenue	21	Alterations, store	175
Transplastie Fabricating	34 Cambria street	5	Alterations, manufacturing, storage	500
J. C. Norman	28 Creston street	12	Alterations, dwelling	175
Harold Vaughn	27 Dickens street	15	Alterations, dwelling	375
First National Bank	605 Dorchester avenue	7	Alterations, store	175
Lazar Brothers	481 East Broadway	6	Alterations, dwelling, store	175
Lazar Brothers	483 East Broadway	6	Alterations, dwelling, store	175
Lazar Brothers	485 East Broadway	6	Alterations, dwelling, store	175
Ruth Finklestein	15 Elm street	12	Alterations, garage	200
Lilly L. Benson	80 Fenway	4	Alterations, dwelling	200
Mr. Pressman	94 G street	6	Alterations, dwelling	225
Hyman Cohen	15 Harold street	12	Alterations, store	175
Harry Karafotis	435 La Grange street	20	Alterations, excavate	200
J. McKinnon	339 Marlborough street	5	Alterations, dwelling	110
L. Warshauer	341 Marlborough street	5	Alterations, dwelling	110
Samuel Rosenthal	22 Merrill street	14	Alterations, dwelling	450
Samuel Rosenthal	24 Merrill street	14	Alterations, dwelling	450
Helen McCarvill	62 Murdock street	22	Alterations, dwelling	300
Frank Sjowstack	52 Phillips street	5	Alterations, dwelling	150
M. Albanese	314 Princeton street	1	Alterations, dwelling	150
Henry Holdstock	20 Rich street	18	Alterations, dwelling	170
H. Shule	17 Rockwell street	17	Alterations, dwelling	60
Michael Luongo	57 Saratoga street	1	Alterations, dwelling	900
J. C. Magee	492 Tremont street	5	Alterations, store	175
A. Crowley	27 Upland avenue	16	Alterations, dwelling	200
Shapiro Realty	740 Washington street	3	Alterations, store	2,500
Morris Berg	2224 Washington street	8	Alterations, stores	100
Effie Harvey	76 Willowwood street	14	Alterations, dwelling	95
Margaret Henihan	25 Bardwell street	19	Alterations, dwelling	1,850

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Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
M. Weydt	10 Bloomington street	16	Alterations, dwelling	$250
Dr. Paul Bruning	158 Bowdoin street	15	Alterations, dwelling	400
Joseph F. Ciccio	1550 Centre street	20	Alterations, dwelling	550
F. Collins	25 Chappie street	2	Alterations, dwelling	300
J. Iapicca	20 Chelsea street	2	Alterations, dwelling, store	100
M. Cardinelli	62 Chelsea street	1	Alterations, dwelling	100
M. Seaberg	66 Chappie street	2	Alterations, dwelling, store	40
C. D. Maestro	61 Chelsea street	2	Alterations, dwelling	100
Ralph Montanari	79 Etna street	22	Alterations, dwelling	900
M. J. Hession	62 Fairmount street	17	Alterations, dwelling	600
George T. McLaughlin	120 Fulton street	3	Alterations, construction	600
S. Zuker	39 Green street	2	Alterations, dwelling	250
Peter Zecchi	12 Harrow street	7	Alterations, dwelling	100
L. H. Daly	11 Humphreys street	7	Alterations, cleaning	200
Theodore Morelli	492 Huntington avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	150
J. J. Hayes	23 Lindall street	19	Alterations, dwelling	400
D. Crowley	126 Marginal street	1	Alterations, dwelling	250
D. Crowley	128 Marginal street	1	Alterations, dwelling	250
Theresa Zeuli	125 Maverick street	1	Alterations, dwelling	150
L. Abrahamson	488 Medford street	2	Alterations, dwelling	40
Dr. William R. Morrison	279-281 Meridian street	1	Alterations, dwelling, store	300
Beacon Chambers	19 Myrtle street	5	Alterations, dwelling	200
Walter A. Helms	3 Newhall place	16	Alterations, dwelling	850
Elliot Jolliemore	206 Norwell street	17	Alterations, dwelling	900
Annie Upham	16 Oakridge street	17	Alterations, dwelling	175
Michael Feeney	67 Old Harbor street	7	Alterations, dwelling	300
M. Valinsky	149 Ormond street	14	Alterations, dwelling	350
Mrs. C. Murphy	20 Pinehurst street	20	Alterations, dwelling	70
Miss L. F. Smith	33 Pleasant street	2	Alterations, dwelling	230
Josephine Rogers	257 Pond street	19	Alterations, dwelling	700
Corrine Buttons	58 Port Norfolk street	16	Alterations, dwelling	500
John A. Fitzgerald	33 Presentation road	22	Alterations, dwelling	125
L. Abbate	145 Princeton street	1	Alterations, dwelling	60
L. Abbate	147 Princeton street	1	Alterations, dwelling	60
Philip Peters	13 Stockton street	17	Alterations, dwelling	296
Alice Lowell	58 Chestnut street	3	Alterations, dwelling	1,500
Samuel Coultee	385 Columbus avenue	4	Alterations, store	100
Samuel Coultee	387 Columbus avenue	4	Alterations, store	400
Fares Deban	1863 Commonwealth avenue	21	Alterations, dwelling	750
Nardelli Construction Co	2012-16 Commonwealth av	21	Erect, apartment house	122,000
Mr. and Mrs. Albani	51 Como road	18	Erect, dwelling	10,908
Frank D. Manuel	85 Como road	18	Erect, dwelling	9,000
Frank D. Manuel	87 Como road	18	Erect, dwelling	9,000
Frank D. Manuel	89 Como road	18	Erect, dwelling	9,000
Frank D. Manuel	91 Como road	18	Erect, dwelling	9,000
Frank D. Manuel	93 Como road	18	Erect, dwelling	9,000
N. E. Deaconess Hospital	16 Deaconess road	1	Erect, chapel	65,000
Sidney Rosenfield	21 Doone avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	300
Bolesław Podbielski	605 and 607 Dorchester av	7	Alterations, dwelling, store	500
Bolesław Podbielski	609 and 611 Dorchester av	7	Alterations, dwelling, store	500
Swallow Trust Company	1391-1400 Dorchester av	15	Alterations, dwelling, store	1,000
John Neelon	85 East Brookline street	8	Alterations, dwelling	1,650
Estate of Israel Grossman	70 East Canton street	8	Alterations, dwelling	2
Eldon Schofield	18 Edgemere road	20	Erect, dwelling	9,000
Aaron Fingerman	27 Glenhill road	18	Alterations, dwelling	300
Leo Pessin	31 Glenhill road	18	Alterations, dwelling	300
Temple Beth Hillel	11 Glenhill road	18	Erect, dwelling	10,000
Ida Cassale	27 Glenwood avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling, store	2,000
Cass Pancioco	116 Glenwood avenue	18	Erect, dwelling	9,000
Charles Seaverns	11 Goodway road	19	Erect, garage	685
Keystone Manufacturing Co.	151 Hallet street	16	Alterations, manufacturing	15,000
City of Boston	282 Highland street	11	Alterations, storage	19,000
South Boston Iron & Metal	15 Humboldt place	7	Erect, warehouse	8,000
Peter Bent Brigham Hospital	721 Huntington avenue	10	Alterations, hospital	150,000
Samuel McCoy et al	91 Hutchings street	12	Alterations, dwelling	2
Richard Keating	1853 Hyde Park avenue	18	Erect, dwelling	8,000
Boston American League	21 Jersey street	5	Erect, temporary bleacher	6,000
W. J. McDonald	13 and 15 Lansdowne street	5	Alterations, manufacturing	2,500
Herbert Madden	90 Lawrence street	2	Alterations, warehouse	3,000
Mary Behan	16 Magdala street	16	Erect, dwelling	9,000
Andrew Garrity	899 Massachusetts avenue	8	Alterations, diner	6,000
Homeowners Federal Savings	19 and 21 Milk street	3	Alterations, bank	63,000
Louis Jonigian	8 Mt. Vernon street	7	Erect, garage	1,252
Arnold Rigby	79 Newbury street	5	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Oscar T. Dubois	24 Norris road	18	Erect, dwelling	9,000
Lucy McDonald	211 North Beacon street	22	Alterations, service station	200
A. Fournier	7 Norton street	18	Erect, dwelling	9,000
A. Fournier	11 Norton street	18	Erect, dwelling	8,000
Cole Hersee	20 Old Colony avenue	6	Alterations, manufacturing	7,500
Warren Institute for Savings	3 Park street	3	Alterations, bank	11,000
Herbert Madden Company	20 Phipps street	2	Alterations, garage	2
New England Hospital	195 Pilgrim road	1	Alterations, hospital	2
Thomas McGreevey	51 Redlands road	20	Erect, dwelling	9,000
Thomas McGreevey	59 Redlands road	20	Erect, dwelling	9,000
Thomas McGreevey	71 Redlands road	20	Erect, dwelling	9,000
Thomas McGreevey	83 Redlands road	20	Erect, dwelling	9,000
Vincent Priante	1817 River street	18	Alterations, dwelling	2
Noel Rochambeau	21 Ruskindale road	18	Alterations, dwelling	500
Walter Power	25 Russett road	20	Erect, dwelling	9,000
M. Hamme	81 St. Botolph street	4	Alterations, dwelling	1,200
Vincent Guglielzza	315 Sumner street	1	Alterations, dwelling, store	2
M & S Realty	855 Summer street	6	Use Premises, parking	None
John B. Frasca	31 Wapping street	2	Alterations, store	$450
John Frasca	31 Wapping street	2	Alterations, store	950
Marjorie Branca	322 Warren street	12	Alterations, dwelling	2
Thomas Geraghty	315 West street	18	Erect, dwelling	10,000
James P. Viscardo	25 West Milton street	18	Erect, dwelling	9,000
Charles Gimile	331 West Third street	6	Alterations, dwelling	2
Lilly Construction Company	110 Western avenue	22	Alterations, offices	6,000
Alicia and John Rahall	285 Western avenue	22	Erect, garage	1,500
Joseph D'Angelo	11 Westford street	22	Erect, dwelling	9,000
Alee Pankewyez	58 Weybosset street	18	Erect, garage	1,500
William Goslin	780 Wm. T. Morrissey Blvd.	16	Alterations, restaurant	10,000
Dave Goldway	86 Woodhaven street	18	Alterations, dwelling	250

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ard A. Block, hospital kitchen worker, emergency; Katherine Schwede, hospital laundry worker, permanent; Dorothea E. Waelder, intern, Vacation Supply; Alice M. Kane, graduate registered nurse; Daniel J. Donovan, attendant nurse, permanent; Anthony F. Hanbury, Paul Mantos, attendant nurses, Vacation Supply; John Whitney, attendant nurse, permanent.

Leave of Absence.—Angela M. K. Capelotti, head nurse.

Cancellation.—Archie Ellis, hospital kitchen worker, emergency.

Welfare Department.

The following employees have resigned:

Elliot Marks, permanent social worker; Claire Aspessi, permanent clerk and typist; Margaret Donahue, permanent principal clerk; Catherine MacKenzie, Mario Stracqualursi, permanent social workers; Joanne Simon, permanent senior statistical machine operator; Frank Greene, permanent junior building custodian; Bessie Jupieter, temporary clerk; Margaret Feeney, permanent social worker; Adaline Kelly, temporary clerk and typist; Albert Courtney, Paul T. McDonough, permanent social workers.

The following employee has been retired: Eugenia Leonard, permanent assistant rest room matron.

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Marion Fox, provisional temporary social worker; Ruth McElaney, permanent social worker.

The following employees have been transferred:

Derrill DeMarino, permanent watchman; Marie Mahon, permanent social worker.

Appointments or Reinstatements.

Fire Department.

Francis J. Wallace, 38 St. Margaret street, Dorchester, storekeeper, $55.50 a week.

Joseph F. Garrity, 228 Geneva avenue, Dorchester, senior storekeeper, $65.50 a week.

Health Department.

Ann L. Anderson, 17 Bellevue street, Dorchester, dental hygienist, $65.50 a week.

Frederick W. Hanson, Jr., 1115 Adams street, Dorchester, public health dentist, $80 a week.

Hospital Department.

Main Division.

Hugh Duffy, 721 East Third street, South Boston, clerk, $43 a week.

Bernadine O'Rourke, 47 Delle avenue, Roxbury, clerk and typist, $50.50 a week.

Margaret E. Torley, 44 Boylston street, Jamaica Plain, hospital house worker, $45.50 a week.

Mary M. Quinn, 230 Parsons street, Brighton, social worker, $65.50 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

James L. Hickey, 116 Norfolk street, Dorchester, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

Joseph F. Killion, 9 Woodrow avenue, Dorchester, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

John Fielding, 849 Union street, Rockland, principal X-ray technician, $63 a week.

Margaret Mulvaney, 20 Burke street, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Louise Desmond, 19 Sturbridge street, Mattapan, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Alfred O. Sammer, 23 Paul Gore street, principal hospital kitchen worker, $68 a week.

Veronica Trites, 15 Raven street, Dorchester, hospital laundry worker, $50.50 a week.

Warren Greenberg, 249 River street, Mattapan, patient choreman, $1 an hour.

Mary P. Sharkey, 249 River street, Mattapan, head housekeeper, $83.50 a week.

Dr. Robert Giordano, 249 River street, Mattapan, resident physician, $162 a month.

Long Island Division.

Eleanor J. Bennert, Long Island Hospital, head nurse, $70.50 a week.

Philip J. Ward, 11 Cabot street, East Milton, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Bridge Division.

Thomas J. Kearney, 18 Howes street, Dorchester, bridge construction inspector, $65.50 a week.

James J. Coghlin, 1551 Centre street, Roslindale, electrician operator, $68 a week.

Highway Division.

John F. MacDonald, 61 Sullivan street, Charlestown, laborer, $58 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Mary J. McLellan, 20 Laban Pratt road, Dorchester, social worker, $73 a week.

Frederick A. Sullivan, 93 Pearl street, Charlestown, social worker, $68 a week.

Anthony C. Colarossi, 116 Falcon street, East Boston, social worker, $68 a week.

Claire L. Sullivan, 33 Farmington road, West Roxbury, clerk, $43 a week.

Mildred L. Moore, 68 Annunciation road, Roxbury, clerk and typist, $50.50 a week.

Wayfarers' Lodge.

William McDonald, 8 Beale street, Dorchester, watchman, $53 a week.

Changes in Status.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Printing Section.

Mary A. Driscoll, 41 Condor street, East Boston, from clerk and typist at $48 a week to senior clerk and typist (temporary) at $55.50 a week.

AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

William J. Harkins, 188 Bayswater street, East Boston, from senior clerk and stenographer at $67.12 a week to principal clerk (temporary, 6 months) at $70.50 a week.

Harold T. Kenney, 1350 Commonwealth avenue, Brighton, from senior account clerk at $63 a week to principal account examiner (temporary, 6 months) at $73 a week.

John B. Callahan, 468 Sumner street, East Boston, from principal account examiner at $90.50 a week to senior accountant (temporary, 6 months) at $94 a week.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM PLUMBING FOR THE WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 20.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
A. Gott	288 Boylston street	5	Fixtures	$3,100
F. Venuti	130 Conant street	10	Fixtures	1,500
F. Carlson	16 Copenger street	10	Fixtures	135
J. Phinney	90 Cushing avenue	13	Fixtures	2,500
G. Leben	18 Highland street	18	Fixtures	900
J. Lenox	18 Mather street	16	Fixtures	65
D. Weinberg	20 Riverview street	20	Fixtures	700
W. Emery	148 Beacon street	5	Fixtures	800
S. Landau	464 Commonwealth avenue	5	Fixtures	1,500
S. Campbell	1264 Commonwealth avenue	21	Fixtures	300
C. Bevelander	31 Gardner street	21	Fixtures	290
A. Kaunfer	121 Greenfield street	18	Fixtures	800
W. Lee	34 Hemlock road	20	Fixtures	850
A. Stahly	15 Holiday street	15	Fixtures	180
R. Libby	64 Lasell street	20	Fixtures	900
P. Ahern	234 Lexington street	1	Fixtures	750
O. Weider	45 Maryknoll street	18	Fixtures	100
A. Stahly	26 St. Marks road	16	Fixtures	50
W. Emery	126 Warren street	21	Fixtures	300
P. Russo	1140 Washington street	17	Fixtures	320
S. Fox	5207 Washington street	20	Fixtures	450
D. Greenwood	11 Aldworth street	19	Fixtures	150
Haffer	180 Atlantic avenue	3	Fixtures	1,800
W. Hogan	711 Boylston street	5	Fixtures	100
O. Mizaras	1396 Dorchester avenue	15	Fixtures	1,000
B. Claney	54 Fayette street	5	Fixtures	550
W. Long	10 Hartley terrace	21	Fixtures	65
W. Hogan	349 Marlborough street	5	Fixtures	500
R. Murray	22 Moon street	3	Fixtures	500
J. Houghton	24 Nottinghill road	21	Fixtures	250
S. Slavet	62 Phillips street	5	Fixtures	1,200
F. Cronin	50 Providence street	5	Fixtures	4,000
J. O'Neil	10 Ransom road	18	Fixtures	900
C. Boden	488 Tremont street	5	Fixtures	100
D. Greenwood	73 Weld Hill street	19	Fixtures	200
J. Sullivan	11 Windermere road	13	Fixtures	500
S. Gogos	72 and 74 Allston street	21	Fixtures	395
W. Lee	2525 Centre street	20	Fixtures	1,500
D. Kilday	37 Dale street	18	Fixtures	1,600
S. Litman	40 Fairmount street	17	Fixtures	200
J. McCabe	3 Grant road	14	Fixtures	50
S. Gogos	21 Holman street	22	Fixtures	230
J. Woodacre	12 March avenue	20	Fixtures	250
F. Odenweller	19 Marlborough street	5	Fixtures	535
A. Niekinello	R 909 Massachusetts avenue	8	Fixtures	1,200
G. Patey	1969 Baker street	20	Fixtures	350
L. Pike	1501 Dorchester avenue	16	Fixtures	400
A. Niekinello	226 Harvard avenue	21	Fixtures	1,800
W. Berkeley	18 Herriek street	22	Fixtures	200
W. Berkeley	75 Lonsdale street	16	Fixtures	700
P. Connell	22 Rutledge street	20	Fixtures	2,330
H. Barron	81 St. Botolph street	4	Fixtures	1,500
W. Fafara	114 St. Joseph street	11	Fixtures	900
G. Trethewey	15 Stellman road	19	Fixtures	250

Edward DeSimone, 12 Estrella street, Jamaica Plain, from senior statistical machine operator at $60.50 a week to principal statistical machine operator at $65.50 a week.

John K. Gavin, 18 Egleston street, Jamaica Plain, from clerk at $50.50 a week to senior account clerk (temporary) at $55.50 a week.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Joseph M. Quinn, 31 Topliff street, Dorchester, from fire fighter at $79.50 a week to fire fighter (aid to deputy fire chief) at $83.33 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Mary Beavie, 49 Saxton street, Dorchester, from clerk and stenographer at $50.50 a week to principal clerk and stenographer (temporary) at $65.50 a week.

William J. Fallon, 19 Myrtle street, from principal clerk and typist at $60 a week to head clerk (temporary, 6 months) at $83.50 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Mary J. Donovan Bullock, 34 Standard street, Mattapan, from senior clerk (temporary) at $50.50 a week to senior clerk at $55.50 a week.

Jennie O'Meara, 936 East Fourth street, South Boston, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior clerk and typist (temporary, 6 months) at $55.50 a week.

Rita B. McLaughlin, 108 Neponset avenue, Roslindale, from clerk and typist at $53 a week to senior clerk and typist (temporary, 6 months) at $58 a week.

Agnes Wells, 45 Delle avenue, Roxbury, from hospital medical worker at $45.50 a week to hospital kitchen worker at $45.50 a week.

Audrey M. Harrington, 30 Woodlawn street, Jamaica Plain, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior clerk and stenographer (temporary, 6 months) at $55.50 a week.

Long Island Division.

Theresa I. Forrest, 132 Hemenway street, from head nurse at $76.50 a week to supervisor of nurses at $80 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Angelo Capobianco, 44 Haynes street, East Boston, from park maintenance man at $60.50 a week to maintenance mechanic-steamfitter at $63 a week.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Jeanne M. Sullivan, 14 Greaton road, West Roxbury, from clerk and typist at

$50.50 a week to senior clerk at $55.50 a week.

House of Correction.

Arthur W. Doty, 954 Shirley street, Winthrop, from correction officer at $73 a week to correction officer and cook at $76.50 a week.

John R. Hoban, 11A Levant street, Dorchester, from assistant deputy master at $90.50 a week to deputy master (temporary) at $94 a week.

George F. O'Halloran, 139 Revere street, Winthrop, from correction officer and cook at $83.50 a week to assistant deputy master (temporary) at $87 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Automotive Division.

James T. Dowd, 122 McGreevey Way, Roxbury, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $58 a week to mobile guard (temporary) at $58 a week.

Bridge-Tunnel Division.

Malcolm F. McLellan, 63 Sanford street, Dorchester, from senior electrical engineer at $117.75 a week to superintendent of tunnels (temporary) at $122.50 a week.

Lawrence O. Cunningham, 9 Mt. Pleasant avenue, Roxbury, from assistant drawtender at $63 a week to first assistant drawtender (temporary) at $65.50 a week.

Highway Division.

Katherine M. Shackelton, 88 Bailey street, Dorchester, from clerk at $58.70 a week to senior clerk and typist (temporary) at $60.50 a week.

Survey Division.

Joyce E. Campbell, 67 Cabot street, Roxbury, from clerk and stenographer at $50.50 a week to senior clerk and stenographer (temporary) at $58 a week.

Water Division.

Irene Kassler, 34 Hartwell street, Roxbury, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior clerk and stenographer (temporary) at $55.50 a week.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

John W. Barry, 107 Montclair avenue, Roslindale, from head clerk at $98.75 a week to head administrative clerk (temporary) at $103.50 a week.

Transfer of Employee.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Terrance F. Brown, 6 Dana avenue, Hyde Park, from Public Works Department (Highway Division) as laborer at $50.50 a week to Public Works Department (Automotive Division) as mobile guard at $53 a week.

Leaves of Absence.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Personnel Division.

Thomas G. J. Shannon, 231 Willow street, West Roxbury, head clerk and personnel officer, $87 a week.

AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

Frederick J. Arata, 31 Standard street, Mattapan, senior account clerk, $58 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Grace Hickey, 161 Kelton street, Allston, hospital medical worker, $50.50 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

James P. McLaughlin, 1156 Commonwealth avenue, Allston, hospital kitchen worker, $50.50 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Automotive Division.

Walter L. Farrell, 6 Victor street, Roxbury, garage attendant, $60.50 a week.

Bridge-Tunnel Division.

John J. McCarthy, 57 Birchwood street, West Roxbury, tollman-guard, $65.50 a week.

Water Division.

Wilbur B. Lewis, 2 Sterling square, South Boston, laborer, $58 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Harriette Wharton, 285 Walnut avenue, Roxbury, social worker, $73 a week.

Eileen McNulty, 46 Sydney street, Dorchester, social worker, $73 a week.

Bernice Rosenbaum, 8 Crawford street, Roxbury, social work supervisor, $83.50 a week.

Step-Rate Increases.

AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

Thomas P. Mahoney, principal clerk, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Joseph F. White, fire lieutenant, Medal, from $89.94 to $93.96 a week.

Joseph F. Manning, fire lieutenant, from $89.46 to $93.48 a week.

Mark W. Murphy, fire lieutenant, from $89.46 to $93.48 a week.

Michele A. DePesa, fire fighter, from $77.58 to $79.50 a week.

Paul J. DeRosa, fire fighter, from $77.58 to $79.50 a week.

Herbert T. White, fire fighter, from $77.58 to $79.50 a week.

Aloysius A. Ryalls, fire fighter, second-class engineer, from $78.54 to $81.41 a week.

Joseph G. Wirth, plumber, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Antone M. Almeida, fire apparatus repairman, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Joseph Monaco, fire apparatus repairman, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Richard M. Mackey, garage attendant, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

Robert P. Seeley, senior electrical engineering draftsman, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Francis X. O'Brien, senior clerk and typist, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Hospital Medical Workers.

	From	To
Lawrence E. Brooks,	$43.00—	$45.50
Edward J. Burke,	43.00—	45.50
William H. Heap,	43.00—	45.50
Ellis Hall,	43.00—	45.50
Joseph T. Keating,	43.00—	45.50
John MacCannell,	48.00—	50.50
Kenneth A. Reed,	43.00—	45.50
Stephen J. Wiersbinski,	43.00—	45.50
Vincenza Assenza,	48.00—	50.50
Veronica Cusick,	$48.00—	$50.50
Phyllis Fucillo,	48.00—	50.50
Bridget Hill,	43.00—	45.50
Hazel M. Holden,	45.50—	48.00
Mary E. McInnis,	48.00—	50.50
Lula Royce,	48.00—	50.50
Josephine Wallingford,	48.00—	50.50
Willie Webster,	45.50—	48.00
Mary C. Coyle,	48.00—	50.50

Clerk-Typists.

	From	To
Joan Doherty,	$48.00—	$50.50
Eileen K. Flaherty,	43.00—	45.50
Mary M. Hayes,	48.00—	50.50
Lena Massari,	43.00—	45.50

Hospital House Workers.

	From	To
James E. Lydon,	$48.00—	$50.50
Robert Carey,	45.50—	48.00
William E. Corrigan,	48.00—	50.50
Daniel J. Linehan,	48.00—	50.50
John J. King,	48.00—	50.50

William Hoff, second-class stationary engineer, from $87 to $90.50 a week.

Antonio Neri, carpenter, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Alfred Gaston, elevator operator, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Mildred W. Barnes, research laboratory technician, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Leonore M. DeCarli, laboratory technician, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Nancy Harrington, senior X-ray technician, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Catherine T. Janick, laboratory technician, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Angella Yadeno, laboratory technician, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Josephine Diemer, hospital laundry worker, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

John T. Duffy, hospital kitchen worker, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Floor Nurses.

	From	To
Belle Buccigross,	$65.50—	$68.00
Veronica Flaherty,	60.50—	63.00
Imelda M. Phelan,	63.00—	65.50
Mary K. Sadler,	65.50—	68.00
Phyllis T. Surette,	60.50—	63.00

Janet T. Collins, floor nurse, part time, from $1.50 to $1.60 an hour.

Oscar Emond, floor nurse, part time, from $1.65 to $1.70 an hour.

Margaret T. Greene, floor nurse, part time, from $1.60 to $1.65 an hour.

Mary T. O'Malley, floor nurse, part time, from $1.65 to $1.70 an hour.

Frederick P. Hogan, hospital kitchen worker, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

John E. O'Rourke, clerk-messenger, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Teresa St. John, medical social work supervisor (temporary), from $83.50 to $87 a week.

Francis J. Sullivan, head social work supervisor (temporary), from $98.75 to $103.50 a week.

Thelma Tarlow, medical social worker, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

House of Correction.

Edwin M. Malone, master, House of Correction, from $113 to $117.75 a week.

John J. Sullivan, deputy master, from $87 to $90.50 a week.

Frederick W. Yirrell, institutions industries supervisor, from $94 to $98.75 a week.

Andrew R. Pazzo, correction officer and receiver, from $83.50 to $87 a week.

Herman W. Benson, correction officer, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Francis W. White, correction officer, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Edwin M. Malone, master, from $108.25 to $113 a week.

Edwin M. Malone, assistant deputy master (temporary leave of absence), from $87 to $90.50 a week.

Francis M. Cloran, deputy master, from $98.75 to $103.50 a week.

John R. Hoban, deputy master (temporary transfer), from $90.50 to $94 a week.

John R. Hoban, assistant deputy master (temporary transfer to deputy master), from $87 to $90.50 a week.

William P. Kelley, deputy master, from $94 to $98.75 a week.

Edgar L. Shepard, deputy master, from $94 to $98.75 a week.

John J. Sullivan, deputy master (temporary transfer), from $83.50 to $87 a week.

John J. Sullivan, correction officer and receiver (temporary transfer to deputy master), from $80 to $83.50 a week.

Stephen J. Walters, deputy master (temporary transfer), from $87 to $90.50 a week.

Stephen J. Walters, correction officer and painter (temporary transfer to deputy master), from $80 to $83.50 a week.

John M. McGowan, assistant deputy master (temporary transfer), from $83.50 to $87 a week.

John M. McGowan, correction officer (temporary transfer to assistant deputy master), from $76.50 to $80 a week.

George F. O'Halloran, assistant deputy master (temporary transfer), from $83.50 to $87 a week.

George F. O'Halloran, correction officer and cook (temporary transfer to assistant deputy master), from $80 to $83.50 a week.

Correction Officers.

	From	To
William E. Belanger,	$63.00—	$65.50
Herman W. Benson,	63.00—	65.50
James L. Bruno,	70.50—	73.00
Archibald B. Cameron,	73.00—	76.50
Joseph E. Carey,	76.50—	80.00
Fred W. Chalmers, Jr.,	70.50—	73.00
Roy J. Christmas,	70.50—	73.00
Dennis J. Corbett,	65.50—	68.00
Timothy Coughlin,	73.00—	76.50
Charles S. Crane,	70.50—	73.00
Edward J. Crowley,	76.50—	80.00
Richard F. Daley,	70.50—	73.00
John B. Dee,	70.50—	73.00
William F. Dennehy,	70.50—	73.00
Joseph DiNubile,	65.50—	68.00
Arthur W. Doty,	70.50—	73.00
John B. Dowling,	65.50—	68.00
John M. Finan,	76.50—	80.00
Thomas J. Finn,	70.50—	73.00
James L. Foley,	76.50—	80.00
John A. Frawley,	70.50—	73.00
George A. Gannon, Jr.,	70.50—	73.00
John R. Gannon,	70.50—	73.00
James F. Garvey,	76.50—	80.00
James P. Griffin,	70.50—	73.00
Santo M. Gulizia,	70.50—	73.00
Roy J. Hoffman,	70.50—	73.00
Robert J. Holloman,	70.50—	73.00
Francis X. Ledford,	70.50—	73.00
Edward J. Leikauskas,	70.50—	73.00
John Lenane,	70.50—	73.00
William L. Lind,	70.50—	73.00
Francis J. Mahoney, Jr.,	70.50—	73.00
John A. Marenghi,	65.50—	68.00
William J. Mahood,	73.00—	76.50
Thomas McGuinness,	70.50—	73.00
Everett P. Merlin,	65.50—	68.00
Joseph J. Mikenas, Jr.,	63.00—	65.50
Charles L. Moore,	$76.50—	$80.00
Richard A. Mullaly,	70.50—	73.00
Charles J. Murphy,	70.50—	73.00
Frederick J. Murphy,	76.50—	80.00
William C. Murphy,	70.50—	73.00
Liberato Nastari,	70.50—	73.00
Coleman J. Nee,	76.50—	80.00
John E. Nelson,	70.50—	73.00
Frederick D. O'Connor,	65.50—	68.00
Joseph T. O'Connor,	70.50—	73.00
Patrick A. O'Donnell,	70.50—	73.00
Patrick H. O'Donnell,	76.50—	80.00
John P. Palaima,	70.50—	73.00
Leo Pitts,	73.00—	76.50
Edward J. Potter,	70.50—	73.00
Frederick Riley,	70.50—	73.00
Arthur G. Rooney,	70.50—	73.00
Milton F. Schomberg,	70.50—	73.00
Frank J. Sclafani,	70.50—	73.00
Harry Sidman,	70.50—	73.00
Edward T. Sneyd,	70.50—	73.00
George J. Stevens,	70.50—	73.00
Walter J. Tigges, Jr.,	70.50—	73.00
Robert J. Walsh,	70.50—	73.00
Francis W. White,	68.00—	70.50

Warren Bancroft, correction officer and herdsman, from $80 to $83.50 a week.

Joseph A. Bonito, correction officer and shoemaking instructor (temporary transfer), from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Joseph A. Bonito, correction officer (temporary transfer to correction officer and shoemaking instructor), from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Edward J. Cahill, Jr., correction officer and herdsman, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Leonard J. Candelora, correction officer and assistant herdsman (temporary transfer), from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Leonard J. Candelora, correction officer (temporary transfer to correction officer and assistant herdsman), from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Arthur M. Cardarelli, correction officer (leave of absence), from $70.50 to $73 a week.

James B. Connolly, correction officer (baker and cook), from $80 to $83.50 a week.

Thomas E. Conroy, correction officer (permanent-intermittent), from $63 to $65.50 a week.

John J. Corbett, correction officer and clothing cutter, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Thomas J. Delaney, correction officer and clothing cutter, from $80 to $83.50 a week.

Bresci DiBiccari, correction officer (permanent-intermittent), from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Ralph P. Dowling, correction officer (permanent-intermittent), from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Bartholomew Flynn, correction officer and poultryman, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Edward F. Frederick, correction officer and painter (temporary transfer), from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Edward F. Frederick, correction officer (temporary transfer to correction officer and painter), from $70.50 to $73 a week.

John J. Gallivan, correction officer and electrician, from $80 to $83.50 a week.

Henry E. Hickey, correction officer (permanent-intermittent), from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Peter J. Joyce, correction officer and baker (temporary transfer), from $80 to $83.50 a week.

Peter J. Joyce, correction officer (temporary transfer to correction officer and baker), from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Frank J. Luciano, correction officer and cook, from $80 to $83.50 a week.

Paul J. Madison, correction officer (permanent-intermittent), from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Thomas S. McCabe, correction officer and assistant steward (temporary transfer), from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Thomas S. McCabe, correction officer (temporary transfer to correction officer and assistant steward), from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Thomas Nee, correction officer and carpenter, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Thomas Nee, correction officer (temporary transfer to correction officer and carpenter), from $70.50 to $73 a week.

William A. Ott, correction officer and steward, from $87 to $90.50 a week.

James Parziale, correction officer and cook, from $80 to $83.50 a week.

Mario J. Pegurri, correction officer and carpenter, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Delmar H. Pendleton, correction officer (leave of absence), from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Andrew A. R. Puzzo, correction officer and receiver (temporary transfer), from $80 to $83.50 a week.

Andrew A. R. Puzzo, correction officer (temporary transfer to correction officer and receiver), from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Francis P. Ross, correction officer and motor equipment repairman, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Charles F. Verno, correction officer (permanent-intermittent), from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Raymond G. Wallace, correction officer (permanent-intermittent), from $63 to $65.50 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Highway Division.

William Cadigan, head clerk, from $87 to $90.50 a week.

Phillip O'Connor, highway construction inspector, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Joseph Rahall, Jr., highway construction inspector, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Michael Keane, highway construction inspector, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Thomas Murray, highway construction inspector, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Albert Menz, highway construction inspector, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

John J. McManus, principal clerk and stenographer (temporary), from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Dennis Geoghegan, paver, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Paul C. Kelly, paver, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Katherine Shackleton, senior clerk-typist (temporary), from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Edward Rull, laborer, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

James T. Kelly, highway construction inspector, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Water Division.

Irene Kassler, senior clerk and stenographer (temporary), from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Joseph M. McCauley, yardmaster (temporary), from $70.50 to $73 a week.

James F. Sawaya, laborer, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

Albert F. Donnelly, assistant real estate custodian, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Peter A. V. Tardo, assistant real estate custodian, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Loretta M. Ivers, clerk and typist, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

COURT HOUSE.

Mildred O'Connor, cleaner, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

SUPERIOR CRIMINAL COURT.

Dorothy A. Campbell, clerk, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

William McKenney, Jr., head clerk, from $80 to $83.50 a week.

Albert J. Powers, principal clerk, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Fay E. Constantino, clerk, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

MUNICIPAL COURT, ROXBURY DISTRICT.

Elizabeth Keenan, switchboard operator, from $104.40 to $109.84 semi-monthly.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following requests:

ELECTION DEPARTMENT.

H. Frederick Elliot, voting machine custodian, 17¼ hours; Raymond Fraser, assistant registrar of voters, 9½ hours; William U. Kane, assistant registrar of voters, 20½ hours; Generoso Musto, assistant registrar of voters, 22¼ hours; William H. O'Brien, voting machine custodian, 27¼ hours; John J. Reilly, voting machine custodian, 20¾ hours; Lawrence Sullivan, senior assistant registrar of voters, 22¼ hours; William L. Barry, senior assistant registrar of voters, 22 hours; Enrico Camerlengo, Timothy Cronin, assistant registrars of voters, 10 hours each; William Cummings, principal registrar of voters, 12 hours; John A. Doyle, assistant registrar of voters, 10 hours; John A. Fein, assistant registrar of voters, 15 hours; Raymond Fraser, assistant registrar of voters, 4½ hours; A. Josephine Haid, senior assistant registrar of voters, William U. Kane, assistant registrar of voters, 15 hours each; Edward P. Kennedy, head clerk, 16 hours; John L. Ledwick, assistant registrar of voters, 15 hours; Guy E. Leone, assistant executive secretary, 5 hours; Peter J. Lynch, head assistant registrar of voters, 16 hours; Robert Macritchie, principal assistant registrar of voters, 11 hours; Robert Marden, Herbert Meyer, senior assistant registrars of voters, 17 hours each; William Murphy, assistant registrar of voters, 10 hours; George Nichols, senior assistant registrar of voters, 10 hours; Kathleen O'Malley, assistant registrar of voters, 15 hours; Lawrence Sullivan, senior assistant registrar of voters, 5 hours; William Walsh, assistant registrar of voters, 20 hours; Alexander White, Leo Willett, assistant registrars of voters, 15 hours each; Margaret Lang, executive secretary, 2 hours.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Sanatorium Division.

Patrick Murtagh, chief engineer, 48 hours, $104.40; Luke McCarthy, engineer, 52 hours, $108.55.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

House of Correction.

J. B. Connolly, officer baker, 7⅝ days; R. Flynn, hospital supervisor, 4½ days; J. Gallivan, officer electrician, 4 days; W. Kelley, deputy, 4 days; F. Luciano, officer cook, 1⅛ days; P. McMullan, head clerk, 4½ days; G. O'Halloran, deputy master, 1½ days; E. Shepard, deputy master, 2⅝ days; J. Sullivan, deputy master, 6¾ days; P. Wall, principal clerk, 2¾ days; S. Walters, deputy master, 3 days.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

Michael T. Gainey, chief traffic signal inspector, 8 hours.

John Montgomery, sign traffic maintenance foreman, 12 hours.

Leonard Van Gemert, traffic signal repair foreman, 16 hours.

VETERAN'S RETIREMENT.

The Mayor has approved the following veteran's application for retirement:

Percy Coleman McFarlane, 12 Waldo road, Milton, chief court officer for criminal business, Municipal Court of Boston.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award the contracts for work, materials, and supplies, in accordance with recommendations of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Sanatorium Division.

Upon September 13, the Mayor approved a contract with New England Boiler Setting Company for repairing the brick work on the number three boiler in the Power House of the Sanatorium Division. Bids, opened September 7, were as follows:

New England Boiler Setting Company, $3,768; Clarence A. Westhaver, Inc., $4,244.40; Marine Contractors Company, Inc., $4,770; C. R. Bonnemort Company, $5,190; MacFarlane Company, $5,890; John M. Cashman, $7,200; Seltzer & Co., Inc., $9,450.

Long Island Division.

Upon September 13, the Mayor approved a contract with Albany Contracting Company for repairs to wharf, Long Island Hospital. Bids, opened Tuesday, August 23, were as follows:

Albany Contracting Company, $10,327; John M. Cashman, $11,800; C. Ray Norris & Son, $11,950; Martin J. Kelly Company, $13,160; James B. Rendle Company, $14,950.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Upon September 13, the Mayor approved a contract with Charles Todesca for artificial stone sidewalks in Bowdoin street, Ward 3; Dakota street, Wards 15 and 17; Homes avenue, Ward 15; King street, Ward 16; Whitten street, Ward 16; and such additional locations, if any, in Wards 3, 15, 16, and 17, as may be designated by the Commissioner of Public Works, at an estimated cost of $21,260. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed December 31, 1955. The following bids were received September 1:

Charles Todesca, $21,260; Joseph Amara & Son, $21,302.20; John J. Amara & Sons, $22,010.30; Faletra Brothers, Inc., $25,137.

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Upon September 13, the Mayor approved a contract with P. V. Barone Corporation for bituminous concrete pavement in Ackley place, Ward 11; Alabama street, Ward 18; Emmonsdale road, Ward 20; Hackensack road, Ward 20; Itasca street, Ward 18; Savannah avenue, Ward 18; Walworth street, Ward 20; Woodard road, Ward 20, and such additional locations, if any, in Wards 11, 18, and 20 as may be designated by the Commissioner of Public Works, at an estimated cost of $81,062.90. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed December 31, 1955. The following bids were received September 8:

P. V. Barone Corporation, $81,062.90; Faletra Brothers, Inc., $84,845.90; Rufo Construction Company, $89,691.

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Upon September 15, the Mayor approved a contract with S. & S. Waterproofing Company for repairs to Boston Ventilation Building, Sumner Tunnel, at an estimated cost of $10,853.25. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed within three months from date of order to commence work. The following bids were received September 8:

S. & S. Waterproofing Company, Inc., $10,853.25; Rossano Construction Company, Inc., $10,973.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

The School Committee has approved proposals for furnishing shop supplies and equipment for Boston public schools. Bids, opened Monday, May 16, were received from the following concerns:

Max Abelman, Abrasive Products, Inc., Absolute Woodfinishing Products Company, Allied Electrical Supply Company, Inc., American Type Founders, Inc., Barker-Chadsey Company, Milton Bradley Company, Carter, Rice Corporation, Century Paper Company, Inc., W. E. Clark Company, Inc., Cooper Electric Supply Company, Inc., Craftint Manufacturing Company, Cramer Electronics, Inc., Diemont Levy Company, Gem Electric Supply Company, Herrick Company, Kaufman Industrial Hardware Company, O. P. Killiam & Son, The Leonard Greene-Shaw Company, Levy Hardware Company, Inc., Lewis Roberts, Inc., Littlefield Greene Company, Inc., John Lucas & Co., A. W. Mayer Company, Monroe Company of Boston, Nicholson & Co., Packard Paint and Varnish Company, Ralph Pill Electrical Supply Company, Brown Hardware (Rome Brothers), Standard Auto Gear Company, Inc., Standard Plumbing Supply Company, Samuel Stephens & Wickersham Quoin Company, Albert K. Sheldon Company, Inc., Snap-On-Tools, Corporation, Walworth Company, Ward Steel Company, Warrenton Hardware Company, Welders Supply Company, Acme Type Metal Company, Automotive Distributors, Inc., Stahleker Steel Corporation.

Awards were made to the lowest responsible bidders, as follows:

Abrasive Products, Inc., $1,314.68.

Allied Electrical Supply Company, Inc., $961.46.

American Type Founders, Inc., $2,036.49.

Carter, Rice Corporation, $1,661.92.

Century Paper Company, Inc., $869.19.

W. E. Clark Company, Inc., $1,419.66.

Cooper Electric Supply Co., Inc., $2,200.62.

Cramer Electronics, Inc., $1,652.39.

Diemont Levy Company, $1,178.37.

Gem Electric Supply Company, $1,618.77.

Herrick Company, $7,047.67.

O. P. Killiam & Son, $3,298.73.

Littlefield Greene Company, Inc., $5,525.06.

A. W. Mayer Company, $1,224.19.

Ralph Pill Electrical Supply Company, $3,107.44.
A. K. Sheldon Company, $1,612.98.
Samuel Stephens & Wickersham Quoin Company, $989.99.
Ward Steel Company, $1,627.31.
Warrenton Hardware Company, $12,-925.95.
Welders Supply Company, $2,761.38.

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The School Committee has approved proposals for cleaning glass in windows, doors, and transoms on the outside of Boston public schools. Bids, opened Thursday, August 4, were received from the following concerns:
Veterans' Window Cleaning Company, Kenmore Cleaning Company, Globe Cleaning Company, Careful Cleaning Company, Boston Window and Floor Cleaning Company, Bay View Window Cleaning Company, Bay State Cleaning Company, Aetna Window Cleaning Company.

Awards were made to the lowest responsible bidders, as follows:
Aetna Window Cleaning Company, $9,523.37.
Boston Window and Floor Cleaning Company, $5,011.24.
Globe Cleaning Company, $2,100.76.
Veterans' Window Cleaning Company, $5,245.94.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

Upon varying dates as indicated the Mayor approved contracts with contractors, business firms, and organizations for furnishing labor, supplies, etc. Communications from heads of the departments interested were as follows:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.
Purchasing Division.

BOSTON, September 9, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office is in receipt of a requisition for radiation handling and protection equipment, manufactured by Mitchell Radiation Products, Norristown, Pennsylvania.

Atlantex Corporation who is the exclusive franchise distributor for products manufactured by Mitchell Radiation Products has submitted a written quotation on the above equipment. Owing to the fact that Atlantex Corporation is the exclusive distributor, authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to this company. It is my opinion that, in this way, the best interests of the city will be served.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $1,238.50, net.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

BOSTON, September 12, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This department has experienced considerable difficulty with our heating plant and after consultation with several heating engineers it was decided that the draft of the burners was too low and that this condition could be corrected by installing a draft inducer or by extending the chimney 20 feet in height.

The engineers estimated that the cost of installing the draft inducer would be twice as much as the extension of the chimney and that while the draft inducer would be preferable the extension would be satisfactory.

Inasmuch as the heating system will soon be in operation it was decided to get informal bids to expedite the extension. The following bids were received:

National Waterproofing Company, $1,135; Seltzer & Co., Inc., $1,490; D. Antonellis, Inc., $1,750; J. F. Stack & Co., $1,830; Martin J. Kelly Company, Inc., $2,397; P. J. Cantwell & Son, $2,678.

At the meeting of the Boston Traffic Commission on September 8, 1955, it was voted to request your permission to award a contract, without advertising, to the National Waterproofing Company, the low bidder.

Respectfully submitted,

WM. ARTHUR REILLY,
Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

BOSTON, September 15, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

Through the office of Dr. Dennis Haley, Superintendent of Public Schools, I have received a requisition dated August 31, 1955, for the replacement of 399 panes of glass of various sizes. Since the date of that requisition, I know that many more panes of glass need replacement.

For many years, this department has had broken glass replaced on the basis of unit costs. The last schedule of unit prices was established in 1947.

As this type of work will not permit of advertising, I respectfully request your Honor's permission to waive the provision for advertising and award a contract, without advertising, to the Dorchester Plate Glass Company, 270 Adams street, Dorchester, in an amount not to exceed $2,000. When work is completed, the prices will be billed on the basis of the glass replacement schedule which was established in 1947 and is now in force.

Very truly yours,

JAMES H. MOONEY,
Superintendent of Construction.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, August 22, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The heavy rainfall of August 18 and 19, 1955, caused considerable damage to the buildings at Long Island Hospital. Because there is extreme danger to the health of the patients and employees, it is necessary to repair this damage immediately.

We respectfully request permission to award a contract to M. Solimando, 584 Columbia road, Dorchester, for removing the collapsed masonry wall of the tunnel under Wards H, I, and J, and to erect a new wall approximately 10 feet high and 55 feet long, in the amount of $2,470.22, without advertising, as an emergency measure.

Respectfully yours,

RICHARD J. CONDON,
President, Board of Trustees.

BOSTON, September 9, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

YOUR HONOR:

Your permission is respectfully requested to dispense with public advertising and to award a contract to the Boston Edison Company in an amount not to exceed $5,949 for service work required between the property line and our electric vault to permit electric service to be supplied from underground.

This work is necessary because the Boston Edison Company is changing their wiring on River street from an overhead to an underground service. In accordance with their system, our wiring from the street to the vault must go undergound, too.

In view of the professional nature of the services involved, it is felt that nothing would be gained by publicly advertising for proposals for this work.

Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD J. CONDON,
President, Board of Trustees.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, September 9, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The Real Property Board proposes to engage the services of John Guarino, A.I.A., 2 Lexington street, East Boston, Mass., as architect, in connection with the proposed construction of an open-air, off-street parking facility at Cleary square, Hyde Park.

The estimated cost of the proposed facility is approximately $40,000, and the architect shall be paid a fee equal to 5 per cent of the full amount of the cost of the construction, not to exceed $2,000; this contract to include supervision of the work to be done.

In view of the nature of the professional services involved, no benefit would be gained by advertising for bids, and it is respectfully requested that permission be given to award the contract to John Guarino, A.I.A., without public advertising.

Respectfully submitted,

HERMAN CARP,
Commissioner.

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BOSTON, September 13, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This is supplemental to our letter of July 26, 1955, in which we requested permission to engage the services of William A. Fisher Company, Inc., 14 Court square, Boston, as engineers, in connection with the proposed construction of an open-air, off-street parking facility at Central square, East Boston.

In going over our computation, we find that our estimate of costs was in error, so that I request leave to change paragraph 2 of the above-mentioned letter to read:

"The estimated cost of the proposed facility is approximately $30,000, and the engineers shall be paid a fee equal to 5 per cent of the full amount of the cost of construction, not to exceed $1,500; this contract to include supervision of the work to be done."

In view of the nature of the professional services involved, no benefit would be gained by advertising for bids, and it is respectfully requested that permission be

given to award the contract to William A. Fisher Company, Inc., without public advertising.

Respectfully submitted,

HERMAN CARP,
Commissioner.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

MUNICIPAL COURT.

For Criminal Business.

BOSTON, September 12, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR:

In accordance with the provisions of chapter 216, of the Acts of 1950, and chapter 182, of the Acts of 1951, I respectfully request permission to award a contract for registration index books to Henry Rosnosky of 16 Lincoln street, Boston, without advertising, for the calendar year 1956.

Mr. Rosnosky has furnished these types of books in the past and is familiar with the requirements of this court.

These books will consist of two sets of sixteen volumes each—Parking Registration Index Books — one set for uptown violations and one set for downtown violations, at $988 per set or a total of $1,976.

Respectfully yours,

DANIEL J. LYNCH,
Clerk of Court.

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BOSTON, September 12, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR:

In accordance with the provisions of chapter 216, of the Acts of 1950, and chapter 182, of the Acts of 1951, I respectfully request permission to award a contract for traffic violation slips to Henry Rosnosky of 16 Lincoln street, Boston, without advertising, for the calendar year 1956, and the balance of this year.

Mr. Rosnosky has furnished these violation slips to the court over a long period of years and expects to be able to deliver them on quick notice when slips are needed.

I am estimating at the present time that there will be needed 130,000 for the balance of this year and 500,000 for next year, or a total of 630,000.

These slips are to cost $9.82 per thousand sets, including one time carbons, three slips to a set, or a total of $6,186.60. This represents an increase in price over the previous order due to an error in the bid made on the 1955 contract.

Respectfully yours,

DANIEL J. LYNCH,
Clerk of Court.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Rufo Construction Company, Inc., has been directed to perform the following extra work under the contract for bituminous concrete pavement in Guest street and Hemman street, dated November 12, 1954:

From Hemman street deliver to West Roxbury Paving Yard 25 linear feet of new straight edgestone at $2.35 per linear foot and 4.5 linear feet of new circular edgestone at $3.68 per linear foot. Estimated cost of extra work, $75.31.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Sanatorium Division.

It is agreed that the words "120 calendar days" appearing in the contract for performing alterations and renewals to certain toilets and steam systems in various buildings at the Sanatorium Division of the Boston City Hospital, between the City of Boston and Parkman Construction Company, Inc., dated December 31, 1954, as subsequently amended, be stricken out and the words "September 30, 1955," be substituted in their place.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Faletra Brothers, Inc., has been granted an extension of time until October 15, 1955, for the completion of the contract for constructing a play area at William Gary Walsh Playground, Dorchester.

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Dorchester Plate and Window Glass Company have been granted an extension of time until October 1, 1955, for the completion of the contract for repairing and painting greenhouses, Franklin Park, West Roxbury.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Builders Iron Works, 24 Dane street, Somerville, for redecking the drawspans of the Congress Street Bridge, over Fort Point Channel, and the Chelsea Street Bridge, over Chelsea River, with steel mesh pavement, from September 14, 1955, to December 14, 1955. This extension was requested because delivery of material had been delayed.

CHANGE IN CONTRACT.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

M. Solimando has been ordered to make the following changes in the contract for the Girls' Latin School:

Carpentry: Construct a cabinet around pipes and main valve of sprinkler system in the cafeteria. This work to be framed with a 2-inch x 3-inch framing and covered with ¼-inch plywood. Provide an access panel and paint in two-coat work to match the area where it is located. Construct a large cabinet closet around the scrub surface sink in the basement opposite the cafeteria. This closet to be framed with 2-inch x 4-inch framing and covered with ¼-inch plywood on both sides. Provide a door, door frame, and all necessary hardware. Door to be 1⅜ inches thick and the entire closet to be painted in two-coat work to match the area in which it is located.

Total carpentry addition, $225.

Paving, Grading, etc.: Do necessary excavation, remove small tree and stump and install a 4-inch cast-iron pipe with cleanout on present conductor pipe to surface drain leading to street on Centre Street side of the building and backfill same. Grade three areas adjacent to entrance on Lithgow street. Pave these areas and surface seal to prevent water from seeping into passageway to annex. Approximately 100 yards of grading, asphalt paving, and surface seal is necessary. Clean out and caulk the crack between the building and service entrance at Centre street.

Total paving, grading addition, $454.

Painting: Paint 15 windows complete in the interior of the auditorium, six ceiling panels and vents, four sections of walls, a balcony section, rear stage wall, music room ceiling, baseboard in front of stage, entrance doors. All in auditorium. Gymnasium floor to be scraped and refinished where bleachers were removed, and walls where bleachers were removed to be painted. Walls and rooms where gas lines were removed are to be painted. Plywood of two cafeterias to be painted. Clean and lacquer elevator cab. Strip, grain, and varnish telephone booth. Also spray elevator well. Also ceiling of anteroom, off assembly hall. Clean and paint 763 lockers.

Painting addition, $1,747, 10 per cent, general contractor, $174.70, total painting addition, $1,921.70.

Plumbing: Remove 3-inch waste line on floor and 3-inch galvanized vent and hangers on ceiling and cap up same. Connect up automatic gas hot water storage tank for temporary hot water and running up cold water to Room 29. Install four tank linings, flush valve, new 1¼-inch flushpipe in back of pipe space, and reset and install third water closet, right-hand side from window. Clean out lavatory waste and rehang hot and cold water pipe under lavatory. Clean out sink waste in basement across from cafeteria. Install new 3-inch vent pipe through roof, new roof flange, run new joints in attic, and brace and hang vent in attic so roofer can make roof tight. Install 1½-inch x 1½-inch chrome tailpiece on waste of roll rim sink. Replace 2-inch closet spud. Rehang one high tank and install new eight-gallon lining. Install new spud washer in metal leg water closet, new flush pipe, tank valve, and ballcock. Clean out ten 4-inch outside conductors, three 4-inch inside conductors. Repair leak on cold water riser in wall between basement and first floor of new shower room. Reset loose short hopper, clean out flushing rims of two urinals. Rehang 12 high toilet tanks and cold water manifold and install one new eight-gallon lining. Five linings leaking, so take four tanks from other toilet rooms and use them. Test gas fit for leaks and disconnect loose gas pipe and gas brackets in building and plug up old openings. Clear out stoppage in sink waste. Gas work. Cover conductor over basement ceiling. Install new sump pit and sump pump in boiler room.

Plumbing addition, $2,770.39, 10 per cent, general contractor, $277.04—$3,047.44, cutting and patching for plumbing, $180.50, total plumbing addition, $3,227.94.

Carpentry addition, $225, paving, grading addition, $454, painting addition, $1,921.70, plumbing addition, $3,227.94, total cost of additional work, $5,828.64, and the amount of $5,828.64 will be added therefor, making the account as follows: contract price, $172,842; total additions, $11,723.14; amount of contract, $184,565.14.

TRANSFER OF APPROPRIATIONS.

The Mayor has approved the following request for transfer of appropriation:

EAST BOSTON DISTRICT COURT.

From Group 3, Supplies and Materials, $150, to Group 5, Library Books, $150.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, September 12, 1955.

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 2 P.M., President HURLEY in the chair, and all the members present.

The Reverend John B. Kinneen of St. Agnes Roman Catholic Church, Arlington, was escorted to the rostrum.

INVOCATION BY REV. JOHN B. KINNEEN.

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost. Amen.

Pour forth, we beseech Thee, O Lord, Thy blessings upon the members of this City Council. Grant them the grace to recognize and ever be conscious of the dignity and the responsibility of the office which they have assumed. Duly elected representatives in government, they are the repositories of the people's trust in wielding the divine natural right of self-determination and legislative administration which Thou, O God, hast given to men. This right, this power to formulate legislation binding in conscience before Thy tribunal, which Thou hast given to men, and men have delegated to their office and to them for a time and with circumscription, has not been forfeited either by Thee or by Thy people. These, for whom we pray, participating in a divine prerogative, are Thy representatives in authority. They are likewise servants of the people, a badge of honor and a mark of distinction for Thy Son was in this world not to be ministered unto, but to minister unto others.

Therefore do we implore Thee for them the grace of humble consciousness of the dignity and the duty of their office, and the grace to fulfill it well. Grant them wisdom, knowledge, and understanding; inspire them with deep sentiments of integrity and righteousness; dominate their judgments with justice and discernment. May every deliberation and act of theirs be undertaken by Thy holy inspiration, carried on by Thy gracious assistance, and be consummated with Thy benign benediction; this we pray through Jesus Christ, Thy Son, our Lord. Amen.

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost. Amen.

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The meeting was opened with the salute to the Flag.

JURORS DRAWN.

The following jurors were drawn in the manner prescribed by law, Councillor Foley presiding at the box in the absence of the Mayor, viz.:

Fifty-two traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, to appear October 3, 1955:

Vincenza Giullo, Ward 1; John F. Barrett, Ward 2; Walter Blackmore, Ward 2; Edward C. Durant, Ward 2; Ralph H. Wheeler, Ward 2; John F. Barrett, Ward 3; Andrew Tandillo, Ward 3; Antonio Turino, Ward 3; Harold Faulkener, Ward 4; Michael Griffin, Ward 5; Clarence M. Luther, Ward 5; James F. Costello, Ward 6; Paul J. Dee, Ward 7; C. Paul Forbes, Ward 10; William R. Crosby, Ward 11; Thomas J. Murley, Ward 11; Leon I. Campbell, Ward 12; Harry Freedman, Ward 12; Freda Horne, Ward 12; Frank F. Lowe, Ward 12; Samuel Warsofsky, Ward 12; Caroline Q. Woodsworth, Ward 12; John F. Brennan, Ward 13; Frank V. Sullivan, Jr., Ward 13; John A. VanEysden, Ward 13; William Barenberg, Ward 14; William F. Richards, Ward 14; Michael J. Crowley, Ward 15; Marie Dares, Ward 15; James F. Walsh, Ward 15; William Bauer, Ward 16; Benedict F. Mason, Ward 16; Ella L. Seedale, Ward 16; Samuel Cores, Ward 17; Hugo P. D'Anibrosio, Ward 17; Robert P. Martin, Ward 17; Charles P. Putnam, Ward 17; Arthur E. Berg, Ward 18; Raymond R. MacWilliams, Ward 18; Francis J. Moore, Ward 18; William J. Rupp, Ward 18; Arthur F. Collins, Ward 19; William A. Dowd, Jr., Ward 19; Joseph Koch, Ward 19; William E. Barrett, Ward 20; Mary J. Gunning, Ward 20; Joseph Pittorino, Ward 20; Joseph Shamma, Ward 20; John F. MacKay, Ward 21; James C. Mullins, Ward 21; James J. Carey, Ward 22; James L. Murphy, Ward 22.

Ninety-nine traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, to appear October 3, 1955:

Josephine E. Anzalone, Ward 1; Peter R. Giglio, Ward 1; Patrick J. Inglese, Ward 1; Joseph A. Nazzaro, Ward 1; Victor L. Rota, Ward 1; Charles Salimbene, Ward 1; Gaston Sousa, Ward 1; Nicholas Zeoli, Ward 1; Warren D. Boisvert, Ward 2; Katherine L. Furlong, Ward 2; George W. Kelly, Ward 2; Arthur T. Copello, Ward 3; Anthony Pagliuca, Ward 3; Clarence Bazinet, Ward 4; Curtis Chambers, Ward 4; Murray J. Stalker, Jr., Ward 4; Christopher J. Barrett, Ward 5; William E. Brown, Ward 5; Mario S. Casassa, Ward 5; Berniee E. Chase, Ward 5; Fletcher Eaton, Ward 5; Madeline V. Eldridge, Ward 5; Frank J. Barton, Ward 6; Nicholas J. Boulakis, Ward 9; Joseph Chase, Ward 9; William J. Driscoll, Ward 9; Patrick E. Foran, Ward 9; John H. Holland, Ward 9; John F. Carroll, Ward 10; Louis V. Cassidy, Ward 10; George E. Cross, Ward 10; Bernard J. Farrell, Ward 10; John G. Ferrin, Ward 10; Roland A. Guitard, Ward 10; Clarence V. Lynch, Ward 10; Bessie Samiotes, Ward 10.

Conrad M. Erieksen, Ward 11; Joseph Scareella, Ward 11; Mary C. Shea, Ward 11; James J. Sweeney, Ward 11; Nils A. Trulson, Ward 11; Henry Anderson, Ward 12; Edward L. Baldwin, Ward 12; Lewis R. Young, Jr., Ward 12; Joseph C. Fogarty, Ward 13; Charles J. Gaffney, Ward 13; Edward W. Kenney, Ward 13; Harold T. Marehant, Ward 13; Gertrude M. Mueller, Ward 13; Francis O. Oakland, Ward 13; Earl Romanski, Ward 13; Robert E. Tully, Ward 13; Esther Blume, Ward 14; Robert E. Burus, Ward 14; Samuel Gordon, Ward 14; Florence S. Kaplan, Ward 14; Edward F. Keddie, Ward 14; James M. Lane, Ward 14; Michael Miller, Ward 14; David Reinstein, Ward 14; Harold J. Rosen, Ward 14; Sidney Temple, Ward 14; Sidney S. Zacks, Ward 14.

Earl R. Barr, Ward 15; Oswald Leonard Osmond, Ward 15; Paul R. Carlson, Ward 16; Robert M. Conley, Ward 16; Arthur A. Donnelly, Ward 16; Michael J. Hayes, Ward 16; Stephen O'Toole, Ward 16; John B. Powers, Ward 16; Clayton H. Roberts, Ward 16; Lawrenee C. Rocheleau, Ward 16; Lewis W. Colter, Ward 17; Beatrice C. Kaufman, Ward 17; Walter B. Minton, Ward 17; Charles J. Pabst, Jr., Ward 17; William A. Salter, Ward 17; Robert F. Gildea, Ward 18; Thomas F. Molway, Ward 18; Eleanor V. Stone, Ward 18; Frederick M. Donaldson, Ward 19; Frederiek D. Gareeau, Ward 19; Thomas Joseph Gibbons, Ward 19; Daniel P. Hourihan, Ward 19; Clarenee E. MacMaster, Ward 19; Patriek J. Murphy, Ward 19; Andrew V. Nasson, Ward 19; Joseph F. Waggett, Ward 19; Catherine M. Wheelock, Ward 19; Kenneth C. Browne, Ward 20; Joseph I. Mulligan, Ward 20; Edward L. Fallon, Ward 21; Frederick F. Murphy, Ward 21; Martin Tishler, Ward 21; Thomas J. Conroy, Ward 22; Frank E. Hawkes, Jr., Ward 22; John W. Roberts, Ward 22; Carmella Vena, Ward 22.

TRANSFER OF PROPERTIES IN SOUTH BOSTON FROM REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT TO SCHOOL DEPARTMENT.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, September 12, 1955.

To the Honorable City Council.

Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith a copy of vote of the School Committee dated February 7, 1955, requesting the transfer of certain tax title properties located on Silver and West Fourth streets, South Boston, which are adjacent or in proximity to the Bigelow School.

The School Department wishes to aequire these lots for the purpose of enlarging the schoolyard of the Bigelow School, and I therefore recommend the adoption of the accompanying order by your Honorable Body.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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School Committee, February 9, 1955.

To the Mayor and the City Council.

I am sending you herewith attested copy of an order passed at the meeting of the School Committee on Monday, February 7, 1955, pertaining to the transfer of certain land on Silver and West Fourth streets, South Boston, from the Commissioner of Real Property to the School Committee.

Very truly yours,
AGNES E. REYNOLDS, Secretary.

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Ordered, That the Mayor and City Council be requested to transfer from the care, custody, control, and management of the Commissioner of Real Property to the care, custody, control, and management of the School Department approximately eleven thousand nine hundred eighteen (11,918) square feet of land, known as Lots 193, 195, and 199 Silver street, and 331–338 West Fourth street, South Boston, for school purposes, and that the secretary be directed to communicate the contents of this order to the Mayor and City Council.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

Yeas — Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, and Mr. Lee — 3.

Nays — 0.

Absent — Mr. Musco and Mr. Ward — 2.

A true copy.

Attest:

AGNES E. REYNOLDS, Secretary.

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Whereas, By a decree of the Land Court, Suffolk Registry District, dated May 24, 1949, the City of Boston foreclosed a right of redemption under a tax deed recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 5545, page 3, on about eight hundred thirty-one (831) square feet of land on the southwesterly side of Silver street and numbered 193 in the numbering of said Silver street; and

Whereas, By a decree of the Land Court, Suffolk Registry District, dated September 16, 1937, the City of Boston foreclosed a right of redemption under a tax deed recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 5292, page 376, on about eight hundred sixty-one (861) square feet of land on the southwesterly side of Silver street and numbered 195 in the numbering of said Silver street; and

Whereas, By a decree of the Land Court, Suffolk Registry District, dated January 4, 1937, the City of Boston foreclosed a right of redemption under a tax deed recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 5439, page 327, on about one thousand five hundred sixty-six (1,566) square feet of land on the southwesterly side of Silver street and numbered 199 in the numbering of said Silver street; and

Whereas, By a decree of the Land Court, Suffolk Registry District, dated May 7, 1946, the City of Boston foreclosed a right of redemption under a tax deed recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 5865, page 446, on about eight thousand five hundred sixty-eight (8,568) square feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Fourth street and numbered 334–338 in the numbering of said West Fourth street, extending through to Silver street; and

Whereas, The School Committee desires to acquire the above-described pareels of land for school purposes; now, therefore, it is hereby

Ordered, That the above-described pareels of tax title property be, and the same hereby are, transferred from the care, eustody, control, and management of the Commissioner of Real Property to the care, custody, control, and management of the School Committee for school purposes.

Referred to the Committee on Public Lands.

TRANSFER OF CERTAIN PROPERTIES IN DORCHESTER AND EAST BOSTON FROM SCHOOL DEPARTMENT TO PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, September 12, 1955.

To the Honorable City Council.

Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication received from Agnes E. Reynolds, seeretary of the School Committee, together with copies of votes of the School Committee recommending transfer of certain school lands no longer required for school purposes to the Parks and Reereation Departnent.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
School Committee, September 12, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes, Mayor, and Members of the City Council.

Gentlemen:

At the direction of the School Committee, I enclose copies of orders of the School Committee of the City of Boston passed August 5, 1954, and September 6, 1955, recommending the transfer of the former sites of the Quincy Street School, the Commodore Barry School, and the Robert Swan School to the Parks and Recreation Department of the City of Boston.

Respeetfully submitted,
AGNES E. REYNOLDS, Seeretary.

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Ordered, That the Quiney Street School, corner of Stanley street, Dorehester, land and building, containing approximately 16,413 square feet, is no longer required for school purposes, and that the School Committee of the City of Boston, under General Laws, chapter 40, section 15A, and the powers eontained therein, recommends that this land be transferred to the Parks and Reereation Department, City of Boston.

Passed.

A true copy.

Attest:

ELIZABETH T. DORGAN,
Secretary pro tempore.

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Ordered, That the pareel of land situated on the northeasterly side of Sumner street, at the corner of Lamson street, East Boston (former site of Commodore Barry School), eontaining approximately 21,000 square feet, is no longer required for school purposes, and that the School Committee of the City of Boston, under General Laws, chapter 40, section 15A, and the powers eontained therein, recommends that this land be transferred to the Parks and Reereation Department, City of Boston.

The order passed, Mr. Ward dissenting.

A true eopy.

Attest:

ELIZABETH T. DORGAN,
Secretary pro tempore.

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Ordered, That the parcel of land situated on Thetford avenue and Evans street, Dorehester (former site of Robert Swan School), eontaining approximately 29,879 square feet, is no longer required for school purposes and that the School Committee of the City of Boston, under General Laws, chapter 40, seetion 15A, and the powers eontained therein, recommends that this land be transferred to the Parks and Recreation Department, City of Boston.

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

Yeas—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee and Musco—4.

Nays—0.

Absent—Mr. Ward—1.

A true copy.

Attest:

AGNES E. REYNOLDS, Secretary.

Whereas, The City of Boston is the owner in fee of approximately sixteen thousand four hundred thirteen (16,413) square feet of land situated on the northerly side of Quincy street, corner of Stanley street, Dorchester district of the City of Boston, the Quincy Street School, and

Whereas, The School Committee of the City of Boston has determined that said parcel of land is no longer required for school purposes; now, therefore, it is hereby

Ordered, That the above-described parcel of land be, and the same hereby is, transferred from the care, custody, control, and management of the School Committee to the care, custody, control, and management of the Parks and Recreation Department.

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Whereas, The City of Boston is the owner in fee of approximately twenty-one thousand (21,000) square feet of land situated on the northeasterly side of Sumner street at the corner of Lamson street, East Boston district of the City of Boston (former site of Commodore Barry School); and

Whereas, The School Committee of the City of Boston has determined that said parcel of land is no longer required for school purposes; now, therefore, it is hereby

Ordered, That the above-described parcel of land be, and the same hereby is, transferred from the care, custody, control, and management of the School Committee to the care, custody, control, and management of the Parks and Recreation Department.

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Whereas, The City of Boston is the owner in fee of approximately twenty-eight thousand eight hundred seventy-nine (28,879) square feet of land situated at the westerly corner of Thetford avenue and Evans street, Dorchester district of the City of Boston (former site of the Robert Swan School); and

Whereas, The School Committee of the City of Boston has determined that said parcel of land is no longer required for school purposes; now, therefore, it is hereby

Ordered, That the above-described parcel of land be, and the same hereby is, transferred from the care, custody, control, and management of the School Committee to the care, custody, control, and management of the Parks and Recreation Department.

Severally referred to the Committee on Public Lands.

TRANSFER OF APPROPRIATION TO MUNICIPAL COURT, ROXBURY, AND PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, September 12, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I submit herewith an order providing for the transfer from the Reserve Fund of the sum of $302.20 to the Municipal Court, Roxbury District, and the Penal Institutions Department, Central Office.

The purpose of this transfer is to provide funds necessary to cover amendments to the County Compensation Plan, which have been submitted to your Honorable Body for consideration.

In the event of favorable action being taken on these amendments, the transfers involved in the accompanying order will be necessary to meet the additional expense involved in the amendments for the balance of the current year.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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Ordered, That in accordance with the provisions of section 3B of chapter 486 of the Acts of 1909, as amended by chapter 604 of the Acts of 1941, the City Auditor be, and hereby is, authorized to transfer:

From the appropriation for Reserve Fund, $302.20, to the appropriation for Municipal Court, Roxbury District, Personal Services, $186, Penal Institutions Department, Central Office, Personal Services, $116.20.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

AMENDMENT TO COUNTY COMPENSATION AND CLASSIFICATION PLANS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, September 12, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

The attached proposal by the Supervisor of Personnel to amend the Compensation and Classification Plans for the Officers and Employees of Suffolk County by revising the compensation grade for the classification of clerk of the Roxbury District Court is hereby approved and transmitted for consideration and adoption by your Honorable Body.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Administrative Services Department,
September 12, 1955.

To the Mayor and City Council.

Gentlemen:

In accordance with the provisions of chapter 334 of the Acts of 1955 the compensation of the justices of the five full-time District Courts of Springfield, Worcester, Malden, Cambridge, and Roxbury was established at $12,000. Under present statutory provisions the salary of the clerk of each of these courts, with the exception of Roxbury, is 75 per cent of the justice's salary, or $9,000. The salary of the clerk of the Roxbury Court, however, is regulated by the Classification and Compensation Plans for the Officers and Employees of Suffolk County. Under the present compensation grade assigned to this position the salary of the clerk is approximately three compensation grades less than the comparable salary of the clerks of the other four full-time courts. It would appear, therefore, that an adjustment in the compensation grade of the clerk of the Roxbury Court would be justifiable.

Under the provisions of Rule 7, Amendment of the Compensation Plan, of the rules for administering the County Classification and Compensation Plans, there is forwarded herewith an order increasing the compensation grade of the position of the clerk of the Roxbury Court from Grade 34 to Grade 37.

Your favorable consideration of this order is recommended.

Respectfully,
JOHN A. SULLIVAN,
Supervisor of Personnel.

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Ordered, That Schedule B of the Classification and Compensation Plans for the Officers and Employees of Suffolk County, adopted by order passed by the City Council on November 24, 1952, and approved by the Mayor on November 25, 1952, be, and the same hereby is, amended as follows:

Strike out after the words "Compensation Grade" under the caption "Clerk of Court, Municipal Court, Roxbury District" the figure "34" and insert in place thereof the figure "37."

Referred to the Executive Committee.

SALARIES OF MATRONS AT HOUSE OF DETENTION FOR WOMEN.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Police Department, September 6, 1955.

Mr. Walter J. Malloy,
City Clerk, Mayor's Office.

Dear Sir:

In accordance with provisions of chapter 147, section 19, General Laws (Ter. Edit.), concurrent approval is requested of the Honorable City Council in establishment of weekly basic salaries paid to certain employees of the House of Detention of this department, listed as follows, effective September 7, 1955:

Chief matron ($69.25*), $72.12.†
Assistant chief matron ($65.41*), $68.28.†
Assistant matrons ($63.49*), $66.36.†

* Present weekly basic rate.
† New weekly basic rate.

Very truly yours,
T. F. SULLIVAN, Police Commissioner.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

AMENDMENT TO COUNTY CLASSIFICATION AND COMPENSATION PLANS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Administrative Services Department,
September 9, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

With reference to the order passed by your Honorable Body on August 29, 1955, increasing the compensation grades of certain classifications at the Suffolk County Jail and the House of Correction a change in the compensation grade for the classification of commitment and transfer officer was, through an oversight, not included.

I am, therefore, forwarding herewith an order amending the Classification and Compensation Plans for the Officers and Employees of Suffolk County which increases the grade of the classification of commitment and transfer officer from 19 to 20.

Your favorable consideration of this order is recommended.

Respectfully,
JOHN A. SULLIVAN,
Supervisor of Personnel.

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Ordered, That Schedule B of the Classification and Compensation Plans for the Officers and Employees of Suffolk County, adopted by order passed by the City Council on November 24, 1952, and approved by the Mayor on November 25, 1952, be, and the same hereby is, amended, to be effective September 7, 1955, as follows:

Strike out after the words "Compensation Grade" under the caption "Commitment and Transfer Officer" the figure "19" and insert in place thereof the figure "20."

Referred to the Executive Committee.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committee named, viz.:

Claims.

Eileen Alberino, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 61 Poplar street.

Maria Ansaldi, for compensation for injuries caused by Police Department vehicle.

Nicholas Ansaldi, for compensation for injuries caused by Police Department vehicle.

Harry L. Baker, for compensation for damage to car by city truck.

Rita Barker, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 65-69 Franklin street.

Anna C. Bova, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 10 Leverett street.

A. Ciulla, for compensation for damage to property at 281 North street, caused by backing up of sewage.

Peter F. Coleman, for compensation for damage to property at 102 La Grange street, West Roxbury, caused by backing up of sewage.

Edward Herman, for compensation for damage to property at 148 Lake street, Brighton, caused by overflow of Chandler's Pond.

Frances LaCamera, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 24 Dix street, Dorchester.

Margaret E. McClafferty, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Trenton street, Charlestown.

Henry B. McKay, for compensation for injuries and damage to car caused by Police Department vehicle.

Mt. Bowdoin Fuel Company, for compensation for damage to truck caused by an alleged defect in Havelock street, Dorchester.

Gennaro Nonni, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Public Works Department, Sewer Division.

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Louise Powers, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 11 Hamilton Way.

Barry Schwartz, for compensation for injuries caused by broken windowpane at Boston Latin School.

Helen Y. Thomas, for compensation for damage to car by fire apparatus.

PETITION FOR ANNUITY.

Petition of Brenda L. Penny to be paid annuity on account of death of her husband, Neil C. Penny, late member of the Fire Department.

Referred to the Committee on Claims.

APPLICATIONS FOR SHELLFISH PERMITS.

Applications for commercial use shellfish permits were received from the following:

Benjamin C. Bailey, 6 Denvir street, Dorchester, Ward 16.

Charles N. Dabritz, 17 Newport street, Dorchester, Ward 13.

Frank J. Sidorowicz, 17 Newport street, Dorchester, Ward 13.

Herbert Bennett, 12 Water street, Dorchester, Ward 16.

Frank D'Amico, 182 Falcon street, East Boston, Ward 1.

James V. D'Amico, 293 Lexington street, East Boston, Ward 1.

Leonard W. D'Amico, 74 North Margin street, Boston, Ward 3.

Salvatore L. D'Amico, 293 Lexington street, East Boston, Ward 1.

Edward W. Elms, 214 Havre street, East Boston, Ward 1.

George Elms, 214 Havre street, East Boston, Ward 1.

George H. Fairbanks, 538 East Broadway, South Boston, Ward 7.

John P. Fowler, 186 I street, South Boston, Ward 7.

Daniel C. French, 89 Lawley street, Dorchester, Ward 16.

David F. Fullerton, 2 West Eagle street, East Boston, Ward 1.

James H. Grant, 69 Saratoga street, East Boston, Ward 1.

Richard E. Hodgkins, 2 Bennet place, East Boston, Ward 1.

Rupert Y. Hodgkins, Sr., 2 Bennet place, East Boston, Ward 1.

Michael Iacoviello, 366 Meridian street, East Boston, Ward 1.

Thomas L. Kearney, 47 Lawley street, Dorchester, Ward 16.

Richard V. Kirby, 7 Greenmount street, Dorchester, Ward 15.
Robert E. Kneeland, 538 East Broadway, South Boston, Ward 7.
Bronick Kwasnica, 179 H street, South Boston, Ward 6.
Henry A. Larson, 23 Maverick street, East Boston, Ward 1.
Thomas W. Lewis, 67 Mapes street, Dorchester, Ward 16.
Harold T. Matthews, 306 Meridian street, East Boston, Ward 1.
Daniel J. Mulkern, 255 Border street, East Boston, Ward 1.
Daniel J. Mulkern, Jr., 255 Border street, East Boston, Ward 1.
Henry F. O'Neill, 15 Wordsworth street, East Boston, Ward 1.
Vincent A. Perella, Jr., 2 West Eagle street, East Boston, Ward 1.
Joseph Riley, 298 Neponset avenue, Dorchester, Ward 16.
William H. Riley, 16 Port Norfolk street, Dorchester, Ward 16.
Maurice X. Roche, 136 Coleridge street, East Boston, Ward 1.
Hilary Scott, 37 Charles street, East Boston, Ward 1.
William A. Scott, 385 Meridian street, East Boston, Ward 1.
Timothy J. Sullivan, 38 Park street, Dorchester, Ward 16.
William E. Vuilleumier, 9 Southwick street, Dorchester, Ward 16.
Joseph F. Wardell, 69 Cottage street, East Boston, Ward 1.

Severally referred to the Committee on Licenses.

HEARINGS BEFORE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES.

Notice was received from the Department of Public Utilities of hearing to be held September 14, 1955, at 10 A.M., on petition of Metropolitan Transit Authority to operate trackless trolley over William T. Morrissey Boulevard and Holbrook avenue, Dorchester.

Notice was received from the Department of Public Utilities of hearing to be held on September 27, 1955, at 10 A.M., on investigation by the department as to the propriety of rates and charges of Boston Consolidated Gas Company.

Severally placed on file.

REPORT OF ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT ON TRANSFER OF PRINTING SECTION AT PUBLIC LIBRARY TO CITY PRINTING PLANT.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Administrative Services Department,
September 6, 1955.

Walter J. Malloy,
City Clerk, Mayor's Office.

Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of section 2 of chapter 3A of the Revised City Ordinances, I submit herewith copies of a report sent to the Mayor on the subject of the abandonment of the Printing Section at the Boston Public Library and transfer of its operations to the City Printing Plant.

Very truly yours,
CHARLES J. FOX, Director.

City of Boston,
Administrative Services Department,
August 15, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Sir:

Through the installation of addressograph-multilith equipment in the City Printing Plant, which will result in substantial reductions in the amount of time previously consumed in the printing of police and voting lists, this Board is of the opinion that the establishment of a new work program at the City Printing Plant to utilize efficiently the time saved in this one operation alone should include plans at the present time for the abandonment of the Printing Section at the Boston Public Library and transfer of its operations to the City Printing Plant.

This proposed consolidation has been contemplated since August of last year, after a survey was conducted by an expert on municipal printing operations whose findings were checked by employees of the Administrative Services Department, but definite action has been deferred until such time as the City Printing Plant's electrical power has been converted from direct to alternate current, and this is being accomplished at the present time. This conversion is mandatory because of the fact that all up-to-date, modern printing equipment requires AC current, including the addressograph-multilith equipment now being installed.

At the beginning of 1954, the present staff in the Printing Section of the Library Department consisted of five employees, and due to the retirement of three employees during the latter part of 1954, which vacancies were never filled because of the contemplated consolidation, only two members of the staff, one linotype operator and one cylinder pressman, remain, and it is proposed to transfer these two employees to the Printing Plant upon consolidation. It will be unnecessary to fill the positions caused by retirements in the event the consolidation is effected, as the Printing Plant has an ample supply of skilled help.

The operating costs of the Printing Section at the Library increased over 58 per cent in the ten-year period from 1945 through 1954; its present equipment is outmoded and worn out, except for one press with an AC motor which can be transferred to the City Printing Plant; all other machine equipment has an average age of 35 years, and its turn-in value is estimated in the vicinity of $1,000; lighting is poor; costs for paper stock are extremely high because of small-lot purchases. To place this section in first-class condition would cost in the neighborhood of $100,000, requiring the purchase of three new typesetter machines, two new presses, new lighting equipment, and the acquisition of at least two additional employees.

To accomplish the consolidation proposed, it would require the transfer of two employees, plus usable equipment which has an estimated value of $25,000. All other equipment would be turned in toward the planned purchase out of the Equipment Loan of a new Mergenthaler linotype machine to be installed in the Printing Plant. This purchase was proposed in connection with the over-all equipment replacement program of the Printing Plant, but nevertheless it will serve to handle not only the printing requirements of the Library Department but other departments as well.

From the standpoint of good administration and good business, I am summarizing herewith several reasons why the Board believes this proposed consolidation should be effected at the earliest possible date:

1. It will eliminate a division whose work is a duplication of work now being performed by another division.
2. It will make unnecessary the filling of three positions at a savings of $14,625 annually.
3. It will centralize printing operations in an area consigned to such work.
4. It will decrease the costs of paper and other materials required through volume purchases.
5. It will relieve the Public Library of all accounting, record keeping, maintenance, personnel problems, purchasing, and other functions which attend the operation of a printing plant.
6. It will obviate the necessity of purchasing new equipment and renovating the Printing Section of the Library at a cost of approximately $100,000.
7. It will place at the disposal of the Public Library a shop staffed by a larger group of skilled and versatile craftsmen, which is capable of producing many times the volume now possible in the Public Library Plant, even if it were fully staffed.
8. It will make available additional space for the Library to possibly expand its bindery operations, which section at the present time is inadequate and poorly lighted.

Excessive costs at the City Printing Plant are due, without question, to nonproductive time in the book composing and cylinder press room in the printing of police and voting lists.

The ideal and permanent solution would be to secure sufficient additional volume to increase the production hour percentage of the entire plant. We believe consolidation of the Boston Public Library Printing Plant is a major step in this direction, since the character of the work is within the skill range of the City Printing Plant's personnel. As the volume of productive work rises, production costs will decrease, thereby making it possible for the Printing Plant to offer more attractive prices to city and county departments utilizing its services.

With your approval, the Board will suggest to the Library Trustees that steps be taken at an early date to abandon the Printing Section of the Boston Public Library and transfer its operations to the City Printing Plant as recommended.

Sincerely yours,
CHARLES J. FOX, Chairman,
JOHN A. SULLIVAN,
JOHN V. MORAN,
JAMES E. GILDEA,
JOSEPH P. LALLY.

LAWRENCE W. COSTELLO,
Administrative Secretary.

Placed on file.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CLAIMS.

Coun. McCORMACK, for the Committee on Claims, submitted the following:

1. Report on petition of James H. Mullane (referred July 11) to be reimbursed as a result of executions issued against him on account of his acts as a member of the Fire Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That the sum of nineteen hundred and sixty-nine dollars ($1,969) be allowed and paid to James H. Mullane in reimbursement for amount of execution issued against him on account of his acts as a member of the Fire Department, said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

2. Report on petition of Percy C. McFarlane, (referred August 29) chief court officer of the Municipal Court of Boston, Criminal Division, for retirement as a veteran — recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Whereas, Percy Coleman McFarlane, employed in the service of the County of Suffolk as chief court officer for criminal business in the Municipal Court of the City of Boston, has made application to be retired under the provisions of section 58 of chapter 32 of the General Laws, as amended; and

Whereas, The said Percy Coleman McFarlane has submitted to the City Council satisfactory evidence that he is a veteran as defined in section 56 of chapter 32 of the General Laws, and that he has been in the service of the county for a total period of thirty years in the aggregate;

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 58 of chapter 32 of the General Laws, as amended, Percy Coleman McFarlane, employed in the County of Suffolk as chief court officer for criminal business in the Municipal Court of the City of Boston, be, and hereby is, retired by the Mayor and City Council, acting as county commissioners, at an annual pension of three thousand seven hundred and thirty-nine dollars and thirteen cents ($3,739.13), being 65 per cent of his highest regular rate of compensation.

The reports were accepted, and the orders were severally passed.

RESCISSION OF ORDER OF AUGUST 29, 1955, CALLING A PRELIMINARY ELECTION ON SEPTEMBER 27, 1955.

Coun. HURLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That the order passed by the City Council on August 29, 1955, calling a preliminary election for Tuesday, September 27, 1955, be, and hereby is, rescinded.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

PRELIMINARY CITY ELECTION, SEPTEMBER 27, 1955.

Coun. HURLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That meetings of the citizens of this city qualified to vote for city officers be held at the several polling places designated for the purpose by the Board of Election Commissioners on Tuesday, September 27, 1955, for a preliminary election, to give in their votes for not more than one candidate for the office of Mayor, and not more than nine candidates for the office of City Councillor.

The polls at said meetings shall be opened at 8 o'clock A.M. and closed at 8 o'clock P.M.

Ordered, That the City Clerk be hereby directed to give notice of said meetings according to law.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

INCREASING PENSIONS TO CERTAIN FORMER PUBLIC EMPLOYEES.

Coun. AHEARN offered the following:

Ordered, That chapter 670 of the Acts of 1955, entitled "An Act Relative to Increasing the Amounts of Pensions, Retirement Allowances, and Annuities Payable to Certain Former Public Employees," be, and hereby is, accepted by the City Council of Boston, acting in behalf of the city and the County of Suffolk.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

PROHIBITION OF SHELLFISH DIGGING IN CERTAIN AREAS.

Coun. AHEARN offered the following:

Whereas, It appears that substantial quantities of shellfish, especially clams, in a certain area in the Old Harbor section of South Boston are of such a size that it is desirable to allow more time for growth to a marketable size; and

Whereas, It appears to be economically sound and to the advantage of the shell fishermen of Boston that the area be closed; now, therefore be it

Ordered, That the digging or taking of shellfish of any kind from the waters and flats of the Old Harbor section of South Boston coumonly known as BH–4, situated between the southerly extremity of said area BH–4 and the westerly bulkhead at the L Street Bathhouse, be prohibited until December 20, 1955.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

SURVEY OF CLEVELAND CIRCLE AREA FOR PROPOSED OFF-STREET PARKING FACILITIES.

Coun. AHEARN offered the following:

Whereas, The Cleveland Circle area is located on the outskirts of the City of Boston, close to several neighboring shopping areas in Brookline and Newton; and

Whereas, Business establishments in the Cleveland Circle district have lost trade to nearby competitive shopping areas which have adequate and better parking facilities; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor is hereby requested to direct the Commissioner of the Real Property Board to make a survey of the Cleveland Circle area with a view to selecting a site for erecting off-street parking facilities.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

SURVEY OF TRAFFIC CONDITIONS AT FAIRMOUNT AND OGDEN STREETS.

Coun. AHEARN offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor is hereby requested to direct the Boston Traffic Commission to make a survey of the traffic conditions at Fairmount and Ogden streets, Dorchester, with a view to constructing a traffic island due to the dangerous intersection and the difficulties of pedestrians in crossing.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

SIDEWALK ON CHISWICK TERRACE, WARD 22.

Coun. AHEARN offered the following:

Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works make a sidewalk along Chiswick terrace (both sides), from 85 feet northeast of Embassy road to Chiswick road, Ward 22, in front of the estates bordering thereon; said sidewalk to be from 3 to 10 inches above the gutter adjoining, to be from 5 to 12 feet in width, and to be built of artificial stone, with granite edgestones.

Under the provisions of chapter 252 of the Acts of 1951.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

SIDEWALK ON EMBASSY ROAD, WARD 22.

Coun. AHEARN offered the following:

Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works make a sidewalk along Embassy road (both sides), from Chestnut Hill avenue to Chiswick terrace, Ward 22, in front of the estates bordering thereon; said sidewalk to be from 3 to 10 inches above the gutter adjoining, to be from 5 to 12 feet in width, and to be built of artificial stone, with granite edgestones.

Under the provisions of chapter 252 of the Acts of 1951.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

NAMING OF SQUARE IN HONOR OF RAYMOND A. L. SAQUET.

Coun. WHITE offered the following:

Ordered, That the Committee to Memorialize Veterans be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to name the square at the intersection of Hanson and Tremont streets in honor of Corp. Raymond A. L. Saquet, who lost his life while serving his country in France on September 1, 1944.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

COMMEMORATION OF 200TH ANNIVERSARY OF BIRTH OF JOHN MARSHALL.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Whereas, September 24, 1955, is the two hundredth anniversary of the birth of John Marshall, fourth Chief Justice of the United States, whose long and distinguished term of office was marked by precedent-setting decisions which have been important factors in developing and maintaining the liberties of the people of the United States; and

Whereas, A wider public knowledge and appreciation of the work and achievements of the great Chief Justice is highly desirable today in order to strengthen the moral, social, and political structure of our nation and to help in the preservation and protection of the lives, liberties, and prosperity of all our people; and

Whereas, The Congress of the United States, by joint resolution, has designated the month of September, 1955, as John Marshall Bicentennial Month, and Dwight D. Eisenhower, President of the United States, has issued a proclamation calling upon the people of the United States to observe that month by paying tribute to the achievements and memory of John Marshall; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That John B. Hynes, Mayor of the City of Boston, organize a committee with membership consisting of representatives of the Boston Bar Association, church, civic, and veterans organizations to observe the month of September, 1955, as John Marshall Bicentennial Month, with appropriate activities and ceremonies commemorative of the inspiring role of John Marshall in our national life.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

NEW YEAR GREETINGS TO JEWISH COMMUNITY.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Whereas, The Holy Days of Rosh Hashonah and Yom Kippur reiterate the dedication of members of the Jewish faith to the great principles of liberty, justice, and freedom of conscience embodied in the Torah, and fundamental to our democratic system of government; and

Whereas, The Jewish community of Boston has by its devotion to philanthropy, learning, and social reform contributed greatly to the development of the City of Boston and the nation; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, extends sincere wishes to the Jewish community of Boston for a happy and prosperous new year, 5716.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

RECESS.

On motion of Councillor Kerrigan, the Council voted to take a recess at 2.55 P.M., subject to the call of the Chair. The members reassembled in the Council Chamber and were called to order by Senior Member White at 4.34 P.M.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. WHITE, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following:

1. Report on order (referred today) prohibiting the digging of shellfish in certain areas until December 20, 1955 — recommending passage of the order in the following new draft:

Whereas, It appears that substantial quantities of shellfish, especially clams, in a certain area in the Old Harbor section of South Boston are of such a size that it is desirable to allow more time for growth to a marketable size; now, therefore, be it

Ordered, That every commercial use shellfish permit hereafter granted to expire on January 15, 1956, shall be upon the conditions set forth in section 22A of chapter 40 of Revised Ordinances of 1947, as amended, and upon the further condition that the holder thereof shall at no time before December 20, 1955, take any shellfish from so much of the area designated Purification Area B11-4 by the State Department of Public Health as lies westerly and southerly of the westerly bulkhead of the L Street Bathhouse.

The report of the committee was accepted, and the order in the new draft was passed.

2. Report on order (referred August 1) to change the grade of sergeants at the Sumner Tunnel from Grade 18 to Grade 22 — recommending that the order ought to pass.

3. Report on communication of the Police Commissioner (referred today) increasing weekly basic salaries of matrons in the House of Detention —recommending passage of the following order:

Ordered, That in concurrence with the Police Commissioner the salaries of matrons at the House of Detention for Women be established as follows:

Chief matron at $72.12 a week, to take effect as of September 7, 1955.

Assistant chief matron at $68.28 a week, to take effect as of September 7, 1955.

Assistant matrons at $66.36 a week, to take effect as of September 7, 1955.

The reports were accepted, and the orders were severally passed.

4. Report on message of the Mayor and order (referred today) for transfer of $302.20 from Reserve Fund to Municipal Court, Roxbury District, $186, and to Penal Institutions Department, Central Office, Personal Services, $116.20 — recommending that the order ought to pass.

The report was accepted, and the order was passed, yeas 8, nays 0:

Yeas — Councillors Ahearn, Foley, Hailer, Kerrigan, McCormack, McLaughlin, Piemonte, White — 8.

Nays — 0.

5. Report on message of the Mayor and order (referred today) for amendment to County Classification and Compensation Plan, changing the compensation grade of clerk of court, Municipal Court, Roxbury District, from 31 to 37 — recommending that the order ought to pass.

6. Report on communication from the Supervisor of Personnel and order (referred today) for amendment to County Classification and Compensation Plan, changing the compensation grade of commitment and transfer officers from Grade 19 to Grade 20—recommending that the order ought to pass.

The reports were accepted, and the orders were severally passed.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFIRMATIONS.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN, for the Committee on Confirmations, submitted the following:

1. Report on appointment by the Mayor (referred August 29) of James Jackson as constable with authority to serve civil process upon filing of bond for the term ending April 30, 1956—recommending that appointment be confirmed.

2. Report on appointment by the Mayor (referred August 29) of Peter Patalano as weigher of coal for the term ending April 30, 1956—recommending that appointment be confirmed.

The reports were accepted, and the question came on confirmation. Committee, Councillors Piemonte and Kerrigan. Whole number of ballots 8, yeas 8, and the appointments were confirmed.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON LICENSES.

Coun. HAILER, for the Committee on Licenses, submitted the following:

1. Report on applications (referred August 29) for commercial use shellfish permits for Vincent F. Bradley, Vincent P. Chamberlain, William W. Fullerton, Forrest T. Griffin, Rupert H. Hodgkins, Jr., George M. Hurd, John J. Kerrigan, Daniel S. Kinnally, Roy Kneeland, Herbert E. Lawson, Robert J. Mahoney, Charles A. Maslauskas, George C. Phillips, Thomas Scott, William L. Snow —recommending that permits be granted.

2. Report on applications (referred September 12) for commercial use shellfish permits for Herbert Bennett, Frank D'Amico, James V. D'Amico, Leonard W. D'Amico, Salvatore L. D'Amico, Edward W. Elms, George Elms, George H. Fairbanks, John P. Fowler, Daniel C. French, David F. Fullerton, James H. Grant, Richard E. Hodgkins, Rupert Y. Hodgkins, Sr., Michael Iacoviello, Thomas L. Kearney, Richard V. Kirby, Robert E. Kneeland, Broniek Kwasnica, Henry A. Larson, Thomas W. Lewis, Harold T. Matthews, Daniel J. Mulkern, Daniel J. Mulkern, Jr., Henry F. O'Neill, Vincent A. Perella, Jr., Joseph Riley, William H. Riley, Maurice X. Roche, Hilary Scott, William A. Scott, Timothy J. Sullivan, William E. Vuilleumier, Joseph F. Wardell—recommending that permits be granted.

The reports were accepted, and the licenses were severally granted under the usual conditions.

FORMER STATE SENATOR MICHAEL LO PRESTI AND MRS. THELMA McCRARY VISITORS TO CITY COUNCIL.

On motion of Councillor Ahearn, Former State Senator Michael LoPresti and Mrs. Thelma McCrary, former sheriff of Marion County, Illinois, were invited to sit at the President's podium, after which Senior Member White made a brief speech of welcome.

CORPORATION COUNSEL TO APPEAR BEFORE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE AT NEXT MEETING.

Coun. HAILER offered the following:

Ordered, That the Corporation Counsel be requested to appear before the Executive Committee of the Boston City Council at its next meeting for the purpose of discussing chapter 228 of the Acts of 1954.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

NAMING OF SQUARE IN HONOR OF JOHN (PAT) MALLOY.

Coun. HAILER offered the following:

Ordered, That the Committee to Memorialize Veterans be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to name the intersection of Oakman and Walnut streets in the Ward 16 section of Dorchester in honor of the memory of Sergt. John (Pat) Malloy, U.S.A., who lost his life in the service of our country in Germany on March 3, 1945.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

CONGRATULATIONS TO DIOCESAN AND NEW ENGLAND BASEBALL AND SOFTBALL CHAMPIONS.

Coun. HAILER offered the following:

Whereas, The recent Diocesan and New England Championship Baseball and Softball Exhibitions brought forth three winning teams from Boston, namely, Baseball, Intermediate, St. Thomas's, Jamaica Plain, Baseball, Juniors, Holy Name, West Roxbury, and Softball, Intermediate, St. Gregory's, Dorchester; and

Whereas, These teams competed against all diocesan-sponsored teams in New England; and

Whereas, In winning the titles of Diocesan and New England Champions they have brought esteem to the youth and all the people of Boston; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, extend to the members of these honor-winning teams our congratulations and heartfelt good wishes for their continued success.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

FUTURE DISTRIBUTION OF SALK VACCINE.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN offered the following:

Whereas, The Salk vaccine has proven itself in the recent polio outbreak, according to eminent doctors and the statistics recently obtained by the Associated Press; and

Whereas, For their peace of mind, the citizens of Boston are entitled to know what plans have been made for the distribution of this vaccine; therefore be it

Resolved, That the members of the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, request his Honor the Mayor to direct the Health Commissioner of the City of Boston to advise the City Council as to what system for the future distribution of the Salk vaccine in Boston has been set up by the various governmental agencies concerned; and be it further

Resolved, That this information, when available, be publicized in such a way that it will be brought to the attention of every family in our city.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

CONGRATULATIONS TO DISTRICT 5, MASSACHUSETTS STATE NURSES ASSOCIATION.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN offered the following:

Whereas, During the recent terrible polio epidemic there was a tremendous shortage of nurses; and

Whereas, The services of nurses were essential to proper care and treatment of those persons who were stricken; and

Whereas, Without their services the rate of recovery would not have been as high as it now is; and

Whereas, The members of District 5, Massachusetts State Nurses Association—particularly some two hundred nurses who returned to the service for the specific purpose of easing the shortage—performed service of incalculable value; and

Whereas, This service was in keeping with the highest traditions of the nursing profession; therefore be it

Resolved, That the members of the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, extend their heartiest congratulations and sincere thanks to the association and its members; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Executive Secretary of the Massachusetts State Nurses Association.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

APPEARANCE OF DEPARTMENT HEADS BEFORE COMPENSATION REVIEW BOARD.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That it is the sense of the Boston City Council that in the processing of appeals before the Compensation Review Board an employee or employees in fairness and equity should have the right of confrontation by his or their department head, that the said department head should be obliged to state his recommendations openly and should submit to questioning concerning his recommendations by the employee or employees.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

RECOGNITION OF FEDERAL EMPLOYEES VETERANS ASSOCIATION AT BOSTON NAVAL SHIPYARD.

Coun. McCORMACK and HAILER offered the following:

Resolved, That the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, go on record as opposing the arbitrary actions of the Commandant of the Boston Naval Shipyard in withdrawing recognition of the Federal Employees Veterans Association, which has fought so diligently to obtain federal work for agencies in the Boston area; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be sent to the Commandant of the Boston Naval Shipyard, the Commandant of the First Naval District, and Charles S. Thomas, Secretary of the Navy.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

Adjourned at 5 P.M., on motion of Councillor Ahearn, to meet on Monday, September 19, 1955, at 2 P.M.

AMENDMENT TO ORIGINAL AWARD OF DAMAGES.

The Public Improvement Commission has voted as follows:

That the amount of $141 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Sheldon and Roberta Camiel for all damages sustained under the order of the Public Improvement Commission and Mayor of June 3, 1955, for the laying out and construction of Cricket Lane, West Roxbury district.

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That the amount of $175 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Morris S. and Frances R. Saris for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of June 3, 1955, for the laying out and construction of Cricket Lane, West Roxbury district.

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That the amount of $150 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Frederick J. Jr., and Catherine M. Darch for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of June 11, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Hallron street, Hyde Park district.

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That the amount of $90 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Mary Williams for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of July 15, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Pickering avenue, Roxbury district.

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That the amount of $75 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Thomas W. Jr., and Elizabeth W. Sale for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of March 27, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Oakmere street, West Roxbury district.

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That the amount of $80 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Myer R. Rubin for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of September 28, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Ledgedale road, West Roxbury district.

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That the amount of $580 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Henry N. and Gladys Hansjon for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of June 8, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Lochland road, Hyde Park district.

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That the amount of $50 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Wilbur C. and Electa Woolfrey for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of July 17, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Deforest street, Hyde Park district.

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That the amount of $35 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Jacob and Pauline Datz for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of August 26, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Alward road, West Roxbury district.

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That the amount of $100 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Michael J. and Mary A. Toto for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of August 20, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Alvarado avenue, Hyde Park district.

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That the amount of $75 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Michael F. and Mary R. Blase for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of August 20, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Alvarado avenue, Hyde Park district.

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That the amount of $45 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Gerald L. and Mary S. Ball for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of June 11, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Hallron street, Hyde Park district.

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That the amount of $400 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Maurice N. and Mona Noon for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of September 28, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Cricket Lane, West Roxbury district.

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That the amount of $75 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Milo C. and Mary E. Curtis for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of July 17, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Deforest street, Hyde Park district.

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That the amount of $90 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Carmela Loconte for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of Septemeber 9, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Danny road, Hyde Park district.

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That the amount of $100 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to James and Ethel C. Horner for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of June 11, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Hallron street, Hyde Park district.

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That the amount of $110 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Harry and Ida Doxer for all damages sustained under the order of the Public Improvement Commission and Mayor of June 3, 1955, for the laying out and construction of Cricket Lane, West Roxbury district.

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That the amount of $50 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Joseph Barone for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of September 9, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Danny road, Hyde Park district.

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That the amount of $300 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to John Dellroom for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of September 9, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Danny road, Hyde Park, from Nelson street to Stark avenue.

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That the amount of $50 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Henry T. and Loretta M. Doherty for all damages sustained under the order of the Public Improvement Commission and Mayor of June 3, 1955, for the laying out and construction of Cricket Lane, West Roxbury district.

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That the amount of $50 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Genevieve W. Griffin for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of March 25, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Ansonia road, West Roxbury district.

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That the amount of $140 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to John and Margaret Evelly for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of September 10, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Corey terrace, West Roxbury district.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

CITY OF BOSTON.

OFFICE OF THE COLLECTOR-TREASURER.

NOTICE OF TAX TAKING.

SEPTEMBER 23, 1955.

TO THE OWNERS OF THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED PARCELS OF REAL ESTATE SITUATE IN THE CITY OF BOSTON WITHIN THE COUNTY OF SUFFOLK AND THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS, AND TO ALL OTHER PERSONS CONCERNED:

You are hereby notified that it is my intention to take for the City of Boston on Tuesday, the eleventh day of October, 1955, at 9.30 o'clock A.M., under General Laws, chap. 60, sec. 53, as amended, the following described parcels of real estate for non-payment, after demand, of the taxes thereon hereinafter respectively specified, with incidental expenses, cost and interest, unless the same shall have been previously discharged.

WARD SIX.

Salvatore Grassa (supposed present owner Abraham Mackler)—Land, with buildings thereon, if any, on the southeasterly side of B street, now or formerly numbered 137, making the southerly corner of Bolton street, adjoining an estate of Salvatore A. and Frances Bonasoro (numbered 135 B street), and supposed to contain 850 feet, tax for 1954 ..... $41 88

Mary Shipelis—About 1,430 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Bowen street (formerly numbered 153), bounded and described as follows: Northeasterly by Bowen street; northwesterly by another estate of said Shipelis (numbered 149); southeasterly hy an estate of Mary Oberdinkas; southwesterly by an estate of Boris Petrone, tax for 1954 ..... 27 92

WARD TWENTY.

Joseph P. Lynch—About 3,832 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Caspar street, being lot 177, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1953 ..... $7 07

Also about 3,832 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Caspar street, being lot 178, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1953, 7 07

Also about 3,832 feet of land on the southwesterly side of Caspar street, being lot 179, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1953, 7 07

Also about 3,747 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Brook Farm road, being lot 180, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1953 ..... 14 11

Also about 4,340 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Brook Farm road, being lot 181, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1953 ..... 14 14

Also about 3,179 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Brook Farm road, being lot 182, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1953 ..... 14 14

Also about 3,185 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Brook Farm road, being lot 183, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1953 ..... 14 14

Also about 3,380 feet of land on the northwesterly side of Brook Farm road, making the northerly corner of Newfield street, being lot 184, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1953 ..... $7 07

Also about 4,984 feet of land on the northeasterly side of Newfield street, being lot 185, White and Wetherbee plan, dated February, 1902, recorded with Suffolk Deeds, at end of Book 2817, tax for 1953, 7 07

JAMES E. GILDEA,
Collector-Treasurer of the City of Boston.

CONSTRUCTION OF BRUSH HILL TERRACE, HYDE PARK.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made consisting of the laying out and construction of Brush Hill terrace, Hyde Park district, as a public highway, from Dana avenue, approximately 400 feet northeasterly, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named Brush Hill terrace is hereby laid out, from Dana avenue to Neponset avenue, and ordered constructed.

For the making of the aforesaid improvement, an easement for street purposes is hereby taken in the following described land, exclusive of trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed thereto:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Gladys Epstein, bounded:

Southwesterly by the northeasterly line of Dana avenue, fifteen and 00-100 feet; southeasterly by the northwesterly line of Brush Hill terrace as it existed prior to this order, fifteen and 00-100 feet; northerly by the northerly line of Brush Hill terrace as hereby laid out, twenty-three and 56-100 feet on a curve of fifteen and 00-100 feet radius, containing forty-eight square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Joseph V. and Gwendoline Mae Falcone, bounded:

Southeasterly by the northwesterly line of Brush Hill terrace as it existed prior to this order, fourteen and 98-100 feet; westerly by the westerly line of Brush Hill terrace as hereby laid out, twenty-three and 54-100 feet on a curve of fifteen and 00-100 feet radius; northeasterly by the southwesterly line of Neponset avenue as it existed prior to this order, fourteen and 98-100 feet, containing forty-eight square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Ruth A. Wolfe, bounded:

Northeasterly by the southwesterly line of Brush Hill terrace as it existed prior to this order, five and 00-100 feet; northerly by the southerly line of Brush Hill terrace as it existed prior to this order, fifteen and 72-100 feet on a curve of ten and 00-100 feet radius; northeasterly by the southwesterly line of Brush Hill terrace as it existed prior to this order, five and 00-100 feet, and southerly by the southerly line of Brush Hill terrace as hereby laid out, twenty-three and 58-100 feet on a curve of fifteen and 00-100 feet radius, containing twenty-seven square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Thomas J. and Margaret L. O'Brien, bounded:

Southwesterly by the northeasterly line of Dana avenue, fifteen and 00-100 feet; northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Brush Hill terrace as it existed prior to this order, fifteen and 00-100 feet; easterly by the easterly line of Brush Hill terrace as hereby laid out, twenty-three and 56-100 feet on a curve of fifteen and 00-100 feet radius, containing forty-eight square feet more or less.

Said Brush Hill terrace as hereby laid out is bounded:

Southwesterly by the northeasterly line of Dana avenue, seventy and 00-100 feet; northerly by the northerly line of Brush Hill terrace as hereby laid out, twenty-three and 56-100 feet on a curve of fifteen and 00-100 feet radius; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Brush Hill terrace, as hereby laid out, three hundred fifty-eight and 76-100 feet; westerly by the westerly line of Brush Hill terrace as hereby laid out, twenty-three and 54-100 feet on a curve of fifteen and 00-100 feet radius; again northwesterly by Neponset avenue, forty and 00-100 feet; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Brush Hill terrace, as hereby laid out, seventy and 00-100 feet; southeasterly by another portion of Brush Hill terrace, forty and 00-100 feet; southerly by the southerly line of Brush Hill terrace as hereby laid out, twenty-three and 58-100 feet on a curve of fifteen and 00-100 feet radius; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Brush Hill terrace as hereby laid out, three hundred fifty-eight and 65-100 feet; easterly by the easterly line of Brush Hill terrace, as hereby laid out, twenty-three and 56-100 feet on a curve of fifteen and 00-100 feet radius.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the abutting parcels of land situated on both sides of Brush Hill terrace, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement herein ordered; each of said parcels in the amount hereinafter respectively set against it; said parcels and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Brush Hill Terrace, Hyde Park, June 20, 1955, George G. Hyland, Commissioner of Public Works," and on file in the office of this commission.

Parcel.		Amount.
1.	Gladys Epstein	$898 36
2.	Mary B. Hart	540 00
3.	David and Helen Tintle	531 60
4.	James and Irene C. MacCune	535 76
5.	Joseph V. and Gwendoline Mae Falcone	540 00
6.	Ruth A. Wolfe	656 16
7.	Melvin and Dorothy Wolfe	516 00
8.	Etta Wolfe	516 00
9.	Thomas J. and Antoinette L. Scarlata	504 00
10.	Thomas J. and Margaret L. O'Brien	483 50
	Total	$5,721 38

Voted, That this commission determines that the undermentioned persons sustain damages in their estates by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the laying out and construction of Brush Hill terrace, Hyde Park district, from Dana avenue to Neponset avenue, under the order of this commission of September 7, 1955, in the amounts hereinafter respectively set against them, and awards said amounts therefor.

Gladys Epstein, 48 square feet, $1.

Joseph V. and Gwendoline Mae Falcone, 48 square feet, $1.

Ruth A. Wolfe, 27 square feet, $1.

Thomas J. and Margaret L. O'Brien, 48 square feet, $1.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 2,105.

The rules and regulations of the Police Department are hereby amended as follows, effective as of Monday, September 12, 1955, at 7.45 o'clock A.M.:

Rule 36—Pay and Allowances.

On page 53, strike out the second sentence of section 4 and insert in place thereof the following sentence: Sick leave not used in the year in which it accrues may be accumulated for use in a subsequent year.

On page 55, section 19, strike out the second sentence of paragraph 7 and insert in place thereof the following sentence: Sick leave not used in the year in which it accrues may be accumulated for use in a subsequent year.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,106.

The Superintendent of Police is hereby directed to make the following details in connection with the Preliminary Election on Tuesday, September 27, 1955.

1. The necessary number of patrolmen from the several police divisions to attend the several polling places in this city on Preliminary Election Day, to preserve order and protect voters in the full exercise of their rights.

2. Three patrolmen for duty in the office of the Board of Election Commissioners, 111 City Hall Annex, on arrival of ballots for the Preliminary Election at 10 A.M., Monday, September 26, 1955, such details to continue until all ballots cast at the Election have been received.

3. One patrolman for duty in parking area surrounding City Hall Annex from 4 P.M., Monday, September 26, 1955, to properly place "No Parking" signs and to keep the entire area clear for the following morning, so that 24 trucks coming to the Election Commissioners' office for ballots at early hours will be able to park without interference or delay.

4. One superior officer for duty at City Hall Annex, to supervise the police detail for motor trucks from 5 A.M., Tuesday, September 27, 1955, until relieved.

One patrolman from 4 P.M., on the same date, until relieved, for duty at the same place, to keep clear the approaches to the office of the Board of Election Commissioners for motor vehicles returning from the polling places with ballot boxes, etc.

5. One sergeant for duty at basement vault of Board of Election Commissioners from 8 P.M. on Tuesday, September 27, 1955, until such time as all returns from the 290 precincts are in.

6. Twenty-four sergeants, one to a motor vehicle, to report at the office of the Board of Election Commissioners in ample time to be prepared to leave that office for their respective destinations, according to the following schedule, in such vehicle with ballot boxes, ballots, etc., and deliver such ballot boxes, ballots, etc., to the police officer detailed in each precinct.

SCHEDULE FOR HOURS OF DEPARTURE OF SERGEANTS SO DETAILED FROM OFFICE OF BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS ON MORNING OF SEPTEMBER 27, 1955,

(One motor vehicle for each of the 22 wards, excepting Ward 18, Hyde Park, and Ward 20, West Roxbury, for which two trucks, each have been engaged.)

Wards 1, 5, 6, and 7, 6.15 A.M.
Wards 2 and 3, 6.45 A.M.
Ward 4, 6.30 A.M.
Wards 8, 9, and 10, 6 A.M.
Wards 11 to 17, inclusive, and 21 and 22, 5.45 A.M.
Wards 18, 19, and 20, 5.30 A.M.

7. For proper coordination in the delivery of ballot boxes, ballots, etc., by the sergeants, as herein set forth, to the police officers detailed at the various precincts, it is of the utmost importance that such sergeants leave City Hall Annex on time as per schedule.

8. One patrolman to report at each of the 290 precincts, as hereinafter set forth, on Tuesday, September 27, 1955, to receive ballot boxes, ballots, etc., from the sergeants detailed on motor trucks. Regardless of the use of voting machines in most precincts, a ballot box will be delivered to each one as usual, and it is essential that officer be there to receive it.

Attention is called to the necessity of having officers, so detailed, to report at their posts on time, so that there will be no delay in the opening of any polling place.

One patrolman shall be assigned outside each polling place, to report at 6 P.M. and remain until close of the polls at 8 P.M. Officers assigned to duty outside the polls are to enforce the law which prohibits the distribution of campaign literature within 150 feet of the entrance to a polling place.

SCHEDULE OF THE HOUR FOR OFFICER TO REPORT IN EACH OF THE PRECINCTS TO RECEIVE BALLOT BOXES, BALLOTS, ETC., FROM THE SERGEANT DETAILED ON MOTOR TRUCK.

Wards 1, 2, 3, and 4, all precincts, 6.45 A.M.
Ward 5, all precincts, 6.30 A.M.
Wards 6 and 7, all precincts, 6.45 A.M.
Wards 8, 9, and 10, all precincts, 6.30 A.M.
Ward 11, all precincts, 6.30 A.M.
Ward 12, all precincts, 6.30 A.M.
Ward 13, Precincts 1 to 5, inclusive, 6.30 A.M.
Ward 13, Precincts 6, 7, and 8, 6.15 A.M.
Ward 13, Precincts 9, 10, and 11, 6.30 A.M.
Ward 14, Precincts 1 to 5, inclusive, 6 A.M.
Ward 14, Precincts 6, 7, and 11, 6.15 A.M.
Ward 14, Precincts 8 to 10, inclusive, and Precincts 12 to 16, inclusive, 6.30 A.M.
Ward 15, Precincts 1 to 4, inclusive, and Precincts 13 and 14, 6 A.M.
Ward 15, Precincts 5 to 8, inclusive, 6.15 A.M.
Ward 15, Precincts 9 to 12, inclusive, 6.30 A.M.
Ward 15, Precinct 15, 6.45 A.M.
Ward 16, Precincts 1, 2, and 5, 6.15 A.M.
Ward 16, Precincts 6 to 12, inclusive, 6.30 A.M.
Ward 16, Precincts 3 and 4, 7 A.M.
Ward 17, Precincts 1 to 6, inclusive, 6 A.M.
Ward 17, Precincts 7 to 9, inclusive, 6.15 A.M.
Ward 17, Precinct 10; Precincts 12 to 15, inclusive, and Precinct 19, 6.30 A.M.
Ward 17, Precinct 11; Precincts 16 to 18, inclusive, and Precinct 20, 6.45 A.M.
Ward 18, Precincts 7 to 11, inclusive, and Precinct 14, 6 A.M.
Ward 18, Precincts 4 to 6, inclusive, and Precincts 12, 15, 17, 19, 20, and 21, 6.15 A.M.
Ward 18, Precincts 1 to 3, inclusive, and Precincts 13, 16, and 18, 6.30 A.M.
Ward 19, Precincts 1 to 4, inclusive, 6 A.M.
Ward 19, Precincts 5 to 9, inclusive, and Precinct 17, 6.15 A.M.
Ward 19, Precincts 10 to 12, inclusive, and Precinct 15, 6.30 A.M.
Ward 19, Precincts 13, 14, and 16, 7 A.M.
Ward 20, Precincts 1 to 5, inclusive, and Precinct 22, 6 A.M.
Ward 20, Precincts 6 to 10, inclusive, and Precinct 15, 6.15 A.M.
Ward 20, Precincts 13 and 16 and Precincts 18, 19, 20, and 21, 6.30 A.M.
Ward 20, Precincts 11, 12, and 14 and Precinct 17, 6.45 A.M.
Ward 21, Precincts 1 to 5, inclusive, 6 A.M.
Ward 21, Precincts 6 to 10, inclusive, 6.15 A.M.
Ward 21, Precincts 11 to 16, inclusive, 6.30 A.M.
Ward 22, Precincts 1 to 5, inclusive, 6.15 A.M.
Ward 22, Precincts 6 to 9, inclusive, and Precinct 17, 6.30 A.M.
Ward 22, Precincts 10 to 12, inclusive, and Precincts 15 and 16, 6.40 A.M.
Ward 22, Precincts 13 and 14, 7 A.M.

9. The detail of patrolmen at the various precincts will continue until the ballots are counted and the results declared. The officers are then to bring the ballots and returns to the Election Commissioners' office.

10. Cards with the ward and precinct number and location of voting booth printed thereon will be forwarded to the several police divisions, on which the Division Commander will write the name, the division number and the number of the officer detailed at the time stated on the morning of September 27, 1955, at the voting booth of each respective precinct on his division. This card, to be given to the officer so detailed at the voting booth, will be retained in his possession until delivery by him to an employee of the Board of Election Commissioners, who will arrive accompanying a sergeant on motor vehicle from the Election Commissioners' office on the morning of September 27, 1955, with the ballot boxes, ballots, etc., as hereinbefore stated.

This card, when returned by such employee to the office of the Election Commissioners will be its receipt that the ballot boxes, ballots, etc., have arrived at their proper destination.

11. On receipt by the patrolman from the sergeant, detailed on motor vehicle, as herein provided, of registering ballot box, ballots, voting lists and such other documents as may have been received from the Election Commissioners, the patrolman detailed at polling place will deliver same to the warden or clerk of the precinct, allowing no person to take or handle them before such delivery, and hand the key of the registering ballot box to the warden. On delivery of the ballots to the warden, the patrolman will take from him a receipt for the same, which receipt will be returned to the Election Commissioners.

12. After the warden has opened the box and allowed the election officers and the public to see that it is empty, the box is to be again locked and the key given to the patrolman who is to retain it until after the polls have closed except that, if the ballot box clogs, the key to the box should be turned over to the warden so that he may open the box to press the ballots down. If this is not done there is a danger that some of the ballots may become mutilated. (After the warden has pressed the ballots down, he will relock the box and return the key to the patrolman.)

13. The patrolman will obtain from the warden copies of poster, which will be sent to the latter, in relation to smoking and the use of liquor in polling places, and post same in conspicuous places where they may be easily read.

14. The warden will deliver to the patrolman detailed at the polling place for his use at that place a copy of the descriptive voting list, which must be returned to the warden at the close of polls.

15. When the polls are opened, the patrolman will mark in the place indicated on tag attached to the key the figures which the register shows before any ballots are cast.

16. At 8 o'clock P.M., Tuesday, September 27, 1955, when the polls close, one sergeant will report in each of the 22 wards (excepting Ward 18, Hyde Park, and Ward 20, West Roxbury, for which wards two sergeants and two motor trucks, each, are provided), to meet motor vehicle at last point of morning distribution; thence to proceed to each of the several precincts in his respective ward, and receive registering ballot box (which must be locked) and key thereof, voting lists envelope, signed by the warden and other election officers, receipts for ballots, unused ballot box, sealed and certified (containing unused and spoiled ballots), stamps for marking spoiled ballots and check lists, and carry them to the Election Commissioners' Office and deliver same to some member of the Board of Election Commissioners.

17. When the polls are closed, the patrolman will mark on the same tag the figures which the register shows after all ballots have been cast. He will then hand the key to the warden, who will open the box and take out all the ballots to be sorted and counted. The warden will then cause the voting lists, including the list used by the police officer, to be sealed in an envelope and the envelope certified by the signatures of the warden and other election officers and the same returned to the Election Commissioners. The patrolman will not allow this envelope to be put into the ballot box. The sergeant who will report on motor vehicle will retain this envelope until delivery at the office of the Election Commissioners. The unused and spoiled ballots are then to be put into the box for unused ballots and the box sealed and certified, to be delivered to the office of the Board of Election Commissioners.

18. When returning from polls, all motor vehicles must drive to the easterly side of City Hall Annex, Court square, where ballot boxes will be conveyed by chute to the basement.

19. It is important that the patrolman sees that the voting lists envelope is signed by the warden, clerk and all the inspectors. The patrolman will also see that the special book for signatures of voters is returned in the registering ballot box.

20. In case a patrolman is detailed to relieve another after the close of the polls the commanding officer will see that he is properly instructed as to the duty of bringing official return, the box of ballots cast, and the press return to the Election Commissioners' office as soon as they are delivered to him by the election officers.

21. When the ballots have all been counted, the ballots thus counted, the tally sheets and nothing else, shall be placed by the warden in the leatheroid box sent for that purpose, which must be sealed and signed by all the election officers. The patrolman will particularly see that this box is properly sealed and that all the election officers have signed their names to the certificate on the box. The patrolman will then bring the box, official return, record book and press return to the City Hall Annex, Court square, and deliver same to the Election Commissioners.

The patrolman is directed not to allow the official return, press return or record book to be placed in the leatheroid box with ballots cast, but are to be returned by the officer to the Board of Election Commissioners.

22. While the polls remain open, an officer of rank will visit the polling place in each division at stated intervals, to be designated by the captain, and in case of any disturbance will report the fact to the commanding officer of the station house without delay. If additional men are needed beyond the number available in that division the officer in charge will communicate immediately with headquarters.

He shall remind the officer and the warden on duty at the polls, that the official return, press return and record book are not to be placed in the leatheroid box, but shall be safely delivered to the Election Commissioners with the leatheroid box.

23. Attention is called to the fact that the polls at the Preliminary Election on Tuesday, September 27, 1955, shall open at 8 o'clock A.M., and close at 8 o'clock P.M.

24. Commanding officers of divisions will see that the officers detailed for duty on Preliminary Election Day are furnished with a copy of circular issued by the Board of Election Commissioners entitled: "Instructions to Police Officers on Preliminary Election Day."

25. Voting machines will be used in the following precincts:

Ward 1, all precincts.
Ward 2, all precincts.
Ward 3, all precincts.
Ward 4, all precincts.
Ward 5, all precincts.
Ward 6, all precincts.
Ward 7, all precincts.
Ward 8, all precincts.
Ward 9, all precincts.
Ward 10, all precincts.
Ward 11, all precincts.
Ward 12, all precincts.
Ward 13, all precincts.
Ward 14, all precincts.
Ward 15, Precincts 3, 9, 10, 12, and 13.
Ward 16, all precincts.
Ward 17, Precincts 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 11, 14, 15, 17, 18, and 20.
Ward 18, Precincts 1, 2, 5, 6, 9, 11, 12, 13, 14, 17, 18, 19, and 20.
Ward 19, Precincts 3, 5, 6, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 15, 16, and 17.
Ward 20, Precincts 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, 12, 13, 14, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, and 21.
Ward 21, all precincts.
Ward 22, Precincts 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 10, 14, and 16.

Officers assigned to duty in these precincts should be apprised of the procedure to be followed. When the warden has set up the machines for voting and the polls are declared open, he will give keys of each machine in the precinct to the police officer. The police officer will have custody of these keys until the close of the polls. Since the law requires that a ballot box be furnished for challenged ballots, the officer will also have custody of this ballot box key during the polling hours. At the close of the polls, the officer will return all keys to warden. On SHOUP machines keys No. 2 and No. 3 will be automatically locked into the voting machine; Key No. 4 will be given to the police officer to return to City Hall. On automatic machines keys No. 2 and No. 3 will be given to the police officer to return to City Hall. All keys to be returned to City Hall shall be enclosed in a sealed envelope signed by all election officers. Since the procedure is most important, the officer will check the envelopes—one for each machine—to be certain that they are in proper order. These envelopes are not to be placed in the leatheroid box but are to be taken in hand by the police officer and delivered to the clerk at the check-in desk in the Election Department. If any challenged ballots are cast in the precincts where machines are used, the police officer will have the ballots to return, but in any event he will return to City Hall Annex the box sent to the polling place for ballots cast, in addition to the envelopes containing the keys.

IMPORTANT NOTES.

A. Officers shall strictly enforce the law pertaining to smoking. Smoking is prohibited within the confines of the polling places, during the entire day, while the polls are open, as well as after they are closed.

As polling places and their approaches and exits are, in many instances, in buildings used for places of religious worship, to say nothing of the danger to valuable property from careless persons, the importance of these instructions is apparent.

B. During the hours from 6 o'clock P.M. to 8 o'clock P.M., there has been a large increase in the number of persons who congregate outside the polling places. This makes it disagreeable to voters who are entering and leaving the polling places. Officers shall exert every effort to relieve this congestion.

Officers are reminded that it is the privilege of the voters to watch the count of the votes cast. It is understood that no disturbance or crowding is to be permitted and that the voters are to remain outside the rails.

C. Officers shall handle ballot boxes with great care.

D. At the close of the polls all persons waiting to vote, including any who might be in line at the entrance to the polling place, are to be placed in line by the warden and given cards bearing their names. The police officer is to stand at the end of this line to be certain that no additional persons are permitted to join it. All voters in the line are to be permitted to cast their ballots, whether by paper ballots or by machine.

E. In accordance with Chapter 266 of the Acts of 1955 "stickers" shall not be posted, circulated or distributed in the polling place, in the building where the polling place is located, on the walls thereof, on the premises on which the building stands, on the sidewalk adjoining the premises where such election is being held, or within 150 feet of the entrance to such polling place. This statute was published for the information of the department in Superintendent's Order dated June 27, 1955.

F. Corrected books showing the locations of the polling places will be sent to each division. You will note that in many instances precincts have been combined in one building, but the number of precincts is 290. This total includes 46 paper ballot precincts and 244 voting machine precincts.

G. Commanding officers shall direct all officers detailed at the polling places in the various precincts to report promptly, according to schedule.

H. Officers shall be informed that in many instances there are two precincts located in the same building, as follows:

PRECINCTS LOCATED IN SAME BUILDING.

Ward 3, Precinct 5, Mayhew School, Chambers and Poplar streets.

Ward 3, Precinct 6, Mayhew School, Chambers and Poplar streets.

Ward 4, Precinct 1, Rice School, Appleton street.

Ward 4, Precinct 4, Rice School, Appleton street.

Ward 5, Precinct 10, Martin Milmore School, Kilmarnock street.

Ward 5, Precinct 11, Martin Milmore School, Peterborough street.

Ward 6, Precinct 4, Choate Burnham School, East Third street.

Ward 6, Precinct 5, Choate Burnham School, East Third street.

Ward 8, Precinct 8, Ralph Waldo Emerson School, Shirley street, near Dudley street.

Ward 8, Precinct 9, Ralph Waldo Emerson School, Shirley street, near Dudley street.

Ward 10, Precinct 7, Wyman School, Wyman street.

Ward 10, Precinct 9, Wyman School, Wyman street.

Ward 12, Precinct 7, Roxbury Memorial High School, Warren Street and Townsend Street entrances.

Ward 12, Precinct 10, Roxbury Memorial High School, Warren Street and Townsend Street entrances.

Ward 12, Precinct 11, William Lloyd Garrison School, Brookledge street.

Ward 12, Precinct 12, William Lloyd Garrison School, Brookledge street.

Ward 13, Precinct 6, Edward Everett School, Pleasant street, near Savin Hill avenue.

Ward 13, Precinct 9, Edward Everett School, Pleasant street, near Savin Hill avenue.

Ward 14, Precinct 5, Sarah Greenwood School, Glenway street.

Ward 14, Precinct 8, Sarah Greenwood School, Glenway street.

Ward 14, Precinct 12, William Bradford School, Willowwood street.

Ward 14, Precinct 13, William Bradford School, Willowwood street.

Ward 15, Precinct 1, Ronan Memorial Hall, 280 Bowdoin street.

Ward 15, Precinct 5, Ronan Memorial Hall, 280 Bowdoin street.

Ward 15, Precinct 3, Mather School, Parish street.

Ward 15, Precinct 13, Mather School, Parish street.

Ward 15, Precinct 8, John Marshall School, Westville street.

Ward 15, Precinct 9, John Marshall School, Westville street.

Ward 16, Precinct 4, Mary Hemenway School, Adams street, corner King street.

Ward 16, Precinct 6, Mary Hemenway School, Adams street, corner King street.

Ward 16, Precinct 8, Ellen H. Richards School, Beaumont street.

Ward 16, Precinct 9, Ellen H. Richards School, Beaumont street.

Ward 17, Precinct 7, John Greenleaf Whittier School, Southern avenue and Millet street.

Ward 17, Precinct 8, John Greenleaf Whittier School, Southern avenue and Millet street.

Ward 17, Precinct 13, Frank V. Thompson School, Maxwell and Nelson streets.

Ward 17, Precinct 14, Frank V. Thompson School, Maxwell and Nelson streets.

Ward 17, Precinct 18, Woodrow Wilson School, Hurlcroft avenue and Alicia road.

Ward 17, Precinct 20, Woodrow Wilson School, Hurlcroft avenue and Alicia road.

Ward 18, Precinct 1, Edmund P. Tilesston School, Babson street, near Fremont street.

Ward 18, Precinct 2, Edmund P. Tilesston School, Babson street, near Fremont street.

Ward 18, Precinct 5, James J. Chittick School, Radcliffe and Ruskindale roads.

Ward 18, Precinct 6, James J. Chittick School, Radcliffe and Ruskindale roads.

Ward 19, Precinct 10, Francis Parkman School, Patten street, near Hyde Park avenue.

Ward 19, Precinct 11, Francis Parkman School, Patten street, near Hyde Park avenue.

Ward 20, Precinct 1, Longfellow School, South street, corner Hewlett street.

Ward 20, Precinct 5, Longfellow School, South street, corner Hewlett street.

Ward 20, Precinct 2, Irving W. Adams Post, A.L., 119 Belgrade avenue.

Ward 20, Precinct 3, Irving W. Adams Post, A.L., 119 Belgrade avenue.

Ward 20, Precinct 8, Mozart School, Eastbourne and Beech streets.

Ward 20, Precinct 9, Mozart School, Eastbourne and Beech streets.

Ward 20, Precinct 12, Robert Gould Shaw School, Mt. Vernon street.

Ward 20, Precinct 13, Robert Gould Shaw School, Mt. Vernon street.

Ward 20, Precinct 19, Patrick F. Lyndon School, Russett road, near Weld street.

Ward 20, Precinct 20, Patrick F. Lyndon School, Russett road, near Weld street.

Ward 21, Precinct 5, Frederick A. Whitney School, Islington street.

Ward 21, Precinct 6, Frederick A. Whitney School, Islington street.

Ward 21, Precinct 10, Commonwealth Housing Project, 9 Fidelis Way, Basement.

Ward 21, Precinct 11, Commonwealth Housing Project, 18 Fidelis Way, Basement.

Ward 21, Precinct 13, Temple B'nai Moshe, 1845 Commonwealth avenue.

Ward 21, Precinct 15, Temple B'nai Moshe, 1845 Commonwealth avenue.

Ward 21, Precinct 14, Alexander Hamilton School, Strathmore road and Chestnut Hill avenue.

Ward 21, Precinct 16, Alexander Hamilton School, Strathmore road and Chestnut Hill avenue.

Ward 22, Precinct 1, David L. Barrett School, Kingsley street, near North Harvard street.

Ward 22, Precinct 2, David L. Barrett School, Kingsley street, near North Harvard street.

Ward 22, Precinct 3, Thomas Gardner School, Athol street.

Ward 22, Precinct 4, Thomas Gardner School, Athol street.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 51.

I. PROMOTION.

The following promotion, which will become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, September 21, 1955, is hereby announced:

Fire Fighter James A. Donovan, Jr., Ladder Company 3, to fire lieutenant.

II. TRANSFER.

The following transfer will become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, September 21, 1955:

Fire Lieut. James A. Donovan, from Ladder Company 3 to Ladder Company 23.

III. RESIGNATION.

The following resignation, which became effective at 8 A.M., Friday, September 16, 1955, is hereby announced:

Fire Fighter John J. Cunningham, Ladder Company 6.

IV. RETIREMENT.

The following retirement in accordance with chapter 347, Acts of 1892, as amended by chapter 237, Acts of 1939, is hereby announced, to become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, September 21, 1955:

Fire Capt. John T. J. Cronin, Ladder Company 18.

Fire Captain Cronin was appointed to the Fire Department October 18, 1912. He was promoted to the grade of fire lieutenant on May 31, 1929, and to fire captain on October 16, 1940. He leaves the department with the best wishes of his associates.

V. CHANGE IN DESIGNATION OF FIRE ALARM BOX.

The designation for fire alarm Box 12-3266 as given on assignment card reads "Old Mather School, Parish street."

The designation of this fire alarm box will be changed to read:

12-3266, Edward Southworth and Mather Schools, Parish street.

Company commanders will change the designation for fire alarm Box 12-3266 to read as given above.

VI. EXAMINATION FOR PROMOTION TO FIRE CAPTAIN.

Notice has been received from the Department of Civil Service that an examination for promotion to fire captain in the Boston Fire Department will be held on December 3, 1955.

The examination is open to permanent fire lieutenants in the Boston Fire Department who have been employed in this grade, after certification, for at least one year prior to date of examination.

The duties are the regular duties of a fire captain, and the subjects and weights of the examination are as follows: Experience, 3; report, 2; practical questions, 10; total, 15.

Applicant must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Application blanks may be obtained at the office of the Fire Commissioner, 115 Southampton street, Boston. When completed, applications should be sent to the Division of Civil Service, Room 148 State House, Boston. Applications must be placed on file not later than Monday, November 14, 1955.

Under the provisions of chapter 708 of the Acts of 1941, as amended, persons unable to compete in a competitive promotional examination, because of absence in military or naval service may be given a qualifying promotional examination if request in writing is made within six months after the termination of such service.

Applicants will be notified at a later date of the time and place of examination.

Civil Service posters concerning this examination are being issued with this General Order, and one copy is to be posted in a conspicuous place in each Fire Department building.

VII. COMMENDATION.

Fire Fighter on Probation Walter P. Sullivan of Ladder Company 9 is hereby commended for responding to and working at fire, Box 4164, two alarms, September 16, 1955, while off duty.

VIII. DISCONTINUANCE OF BOSTON AUTOMATIC SIGNALS.

Notice has been received from the Boston Automatic Fire Alarm Company that the following signal numbers have been discontinued:

78, 167 and 169 Summer street.

79, 171 and 173 Summer street.

172, 175-183 Summer street.

439, 80 Central street, State Street Bank.

523, 25 Essex street.

628, First National Bank premises, 50 State street, first floor.

629, First National Bank premises, 50 State street, basement.

663, 262-280 Dover street.

671, Mystic Docks, boiler house, right of Pier 48.

1351, 262-280 Dover street.

Company commanders shall delete the above signal numbers from the running cards of the Boston Automatic Company.

By order of Fire Commissioner FRANCIS X. COTTER.

EDWARD N. MONTGOMERY,
Acting Chief of Department.

SEWERAGE WORKS IN WEST ROXBURY.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that sewerage works be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within thirty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston, formerly West Roxbury, and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being the private way known as Rocky Nook terrace, bounded:

Southwesterly by Glen road, thirty and 00-100 feet; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Rocky Nook terrace, one hundred seventeen and 03-100 feet; westerly by the westerly line of Rocky Nook terrace, one hundred forty-two and 54-100 feet; northerly by the northerly line of Rocky Nook terrace, thirty and 00-100 feet; easterly by the easterly line of said Rocky Nook terrace, one hundred forty-seven and 33-100 feet; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of said Rocky Nook terrace, one hundred twenty-two and 40-100 feet, containing seven thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: 240 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sewer and 240 linear feet of 10-inch pipe surface drain and one catch basin at an estimated cost of $4,800.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the abutting parcels of land situated on both sides of Rocky Nook terrace, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement herein ordered, each of said parcels in the amount hereinafter respectively set against it, said parcels and the supposed owners thereof being shown on the plan hereinafter referred to and on file in the office of said department.

Parcel.		Amount.
1.	Thomas H. and Mary E. Carr	$240
2.	Arthur and Valentina Catarius	240
3.	Settimo and Diva Cestoni	240
4.	Thomas M. Corcoran	240
5.	Victoria V. McPherson	240
6.	Mildred Goldman, Amy O. Phillips, and Bess Bernstein	240
	Total	$1,440

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of an easement for sewerage purposes and the construction of sewerage works in Rocky Nook terrace, West Roxbury district, under the order of the commission of September 14, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

Owners unknown (Rocky Nook terrace), 7,939 square feet, nothing.

CONSTRUCTION OF NEW BEDFORD STREET.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of New Bedford street, Hyde Park district, as a public highway, from Beacon street, approximately 550 feet southeasterly, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named New Bedford street is hereby laid out from Beacon street, approximately 550 feet southeasterly, and ordered constructed.

Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees, shrubs or structures standing upon or affixed thereto in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

Northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Beacon street, forty and 00-100 feet; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of New Bedford street as hereby laid out, five hundred fifty and 00-100 feet; southeasterly by another portion of New Bedford street, forty and 00-100 feet; southwesterly by the southwesterly line of New Bedford street as hereby laid out, five hundred forty-nine and 86-100 feet.

Trees, shrubs or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforesaid described land, shall be removed therefrom within thirty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purposes of constructing said improvement.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the abutting parcels of land situated on both sides of said New Bedford street, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement herein ordered; each of said parcels in the amount hereinafter respectively set against it; said parcels and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan hereinbefore referred to, and on file in the office of this department.

Parcel.		Amount.
1.	Irving B. and Mary J. Pickering	$370 00
2.	William M. and Charlotte S. Edmonstone	640 00
3.	Mabel L. Leonard	640 00
4.	John J. and Virginia E. Madden	640 00
5.	Christopher F. and Marguerite L. Hughes	400 00
6.	Gerard J. and Helen V. Edwards	400 00
7.	Mark A. Laurie	678 43
8.	Rose S. Laurie	620 00
9.	Mark A. Laurie	649 00
10.	Robert F. and Doris M. Lockhart	537 25
11.	Neil and Jane W. Barberie	535 20
12.	Frederick R. Ellis	367 76
	Total	$6,487 64

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the laying out and construction of New Bedford street, Hyde Park district, from Beacon street, approximately 550 feet southeasterly, as a public highway, under the order of the commission of September 7, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway resurfacing, vehicles are excluded from the following streets, on Sunday, September 25, 1955:

Bedford Street, Boston Proper.
From Lincoln street to Columbia street.

Columbia Street, Boston Proper.
From Bedford street to Essex street.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of water main repairs in West Cedar street, estimated to be four (4) days, the following traffic regulations are effective September 15, 1955:

Vehicles are excluded from the following street:

West Cedar Street, Boston Proper.
From Pinckney street to Mt. Vernon street.

Parking of vehicles is prohibited in the following street:

Pinckney Street, Boston Proper.
North side, from West Cedar street to Charles street.

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of has ordered that a public improvement be the following claims:

Benjamin Levine, trustee, Harrison Realty Trust, 231 Harrison avenue, Boston, in the sum of $495, as compensation for damage to property caused by water from a leak in a hydrant, July 12, 1950.

Reuben Gotz, doing business as United Machine and Electrical Works, 228 Harrison avenue, Boston, in the sum of $485, as compensation for damage to property caused by water from a leak in a hydrant, July 12, 1950.

Patsy Albano, 230 Harrison avenue, Boston, in the sum of $485, as compensation for damage to property caused by a leak in a hydrant, July 12, 1950.

George Grandolfi, 93 Orleans street, East Boston, in the sum of $420, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 140 Princeton street, April 1, 1955.

Millie Lampert, 37 Fowler street, Dorchester, in the sum of $345, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 863 Blue Hill avenue, May 18, 1955.

AMENDMENTS TO ORIGINAL AWARDS OF DAMAGES.

The Public Improvement Commission has voted as follows:

That the amount of $40 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Melvin H. and Paula M. Ligums for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of September 28, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Cricket Lane, West Roxbury district.

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That the amount of $100 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Louis and Jeannette S. Jacobs for all damages sustained under the order of the Public Improvement Commission and Mayor of June 3, 1955, for the laying out and construction of Cricket Lane, West Roxbury district.

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That the amount of $170.75 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Joseph M. and Elizabeth M. Pulnik for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of August 8, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Hartlawn road, West Roxbury district.

STREET CONSTRUCTION IN ROXBURY.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of Louise park, Roxbury district, as a public highway, from Copeland street approximately 203 feet southeasterly, with the name of Copeland park or some other distinctive name, bounded and deseribed as follows:

A highway named Langford park is hereby laid out as a public highway, from Copeland street approximately 203 feet southeasterly and ordered constructed.

Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees, shrubs or structures standing upon or affixed thereto in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

Northwesterly by Copeland street, thirty-seven and 00-100 feet; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Langford park as hereby laid out, two hundred two and 90-100 feet; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Langford park as hereby laid out, thirty-seven and 00-100 feet; southwesterly by the southwesterly line of Langford park as hereby laid out, two hundred two and 56-100 feet.

Trees, shrubs or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforedescribed land, shall be removed therefrom within thirty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the abutting parcels of land situated on both sides of said Langford park, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement herein ordered, each of said parcels in the amount hereinafter respectively set against it, said parcels and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan hereinbefore referred to, and on file in the office of this department.

Parcel.		Amount.
1.	Robert C. and Rachel Mitchell....	$129 30
2.	Mary E. Sharpe.....	335 04
3.	Willie J. and Nettie M. Lee.....	326 16
4.	Robert L. and Essie Randolph....	321 60
5.	Marion B. Stanton.....	307 08
6.	Herbert and Bessie Marable.....	313 32
7.	Delphy Orrin Isaacs, Trustee of Regina Trust.....	303 60
8.	Curtis L. and Elinor R. Mitchell.	293 88
9.	Bobbie Cummings.....	318 84
10.	Willis G. and Elnourice Hargrove	144 48
	Total	$2,793 30

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the laying out and construction of Langford park (formerly Louise park), Roxbury district, from Copeland street approximately 203 feet southeasterly, as a public highway, under the order of the commission of August 11, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

CHELSEA STREET BRIDGE CLOSED.

The Chelsea Street Bridge, connecting Chelsea with East Boston, was closed to waterborne traffic from 8 A.M., Friday, September 23, to 4 P.M., Saturday, September 24, 1955, in order that necessary repairs can be made to the structure.

On Sunday, September 25, it will be closed to all vehicular and pedestrian traffic from 6 A.M. to 6 P.M., for the same reasons.

TRANSFER OF APPROPRIATIONS.

The Mayor has approved the following transfer of appropriation:

CITY COUNCIL.

From 290, Contractual Services, $200, to 569, Office Furniture, $50, 599, Miscellaneous Equipment, $150.

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

From 499, Miscellaneous Current Charges and Obligations, $300, to 599, Other Equipment, $300.

STREET LAYING-OUT IN WEST ROXBURY.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of Pomona avenue, West Roxbury district, as a public highway, from Sanborn avenue to Chesbrough road, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named Pomona avenue is hereby laid out from Sanborn avenue to Chesborough road, and ordered constructed.

Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees, shrubs or structures standing upon or affixed thereto, in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

Northeasterly by Sanborn avenue, forty and 00-100 feet; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Pomona avenue as hereby laid out, two hundred twenty and 00-100 feet; southwesterly by Chesbrough road, forty and 00-100 feet; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Pomona avenue as hereby laid out, two hundred twenty and 00-100 feet.

Trees, shrubs or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforedescribed land shall be removed therefrom within thirty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the abutting parcels of land situated on both sides of Pomona avenue, as laid out under this order, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement herein ordered, each of said parcels in the amount hereinafter respectively set against it, said parcels and the supposed owners thereof being shown on the plan hereinbefore referred to and on file in the office of this department.

Parcel.		Amount.
1.	Frazer N. and A. Grace MacKinnon.	$388 80
2.	William D. and Mary E. Godsoe...	388 80
3.	Wedad H. Dahood.....	380 00
4.	John B. and Mary G. Gralton.....	380 00
	Total.....	$1,53760

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the laying out and construction of Pomona avenue, West Roxbury district, as a highway, between Sanborn avenue and Chesbrough road, under the order of the commission of September 14, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of raising of manhole castings by the Boston Edison Company, vehicles are excluded from the following street, when official signs are in place, on Tuesday, September 13, 1955:

Huntington Avenue, Roxbury.

Southeast roadway, from the southwest entrance to the Charles H. Innes Memorial Underpass to Massachusetts avenue.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway reconstruction, estimated to be thirty (30) days, vehicles are excluded from the following streets, effective September 13, 1955:

Davern Avenue, Dorchester.
From Columbia road to Virginia street.

Floyd Street, Dorchester.
From Blue Hill avenue to Lucerne street.

Stratton Street, Dorchester.
From Blue Hill avenue to Lyford street.

Templeton Street, Dorchester.
From Dorchester avenue to Florida street.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway resurfacing, estimated to be thirty (30) days, vehicles are excluded from the following streets, when and where official signs are in place, effective September 1, 1955:

Ardale Street, West Roxbury.
From Centre street to Walter street.

Banton street, Dorchester.
From Dorchester avenue to dead end.

Garfield Avenue, Hyde Park.
From Needham road to dead end.

Peverell Street, Roxbury.
From Salcombe street to Sawyer avenue.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR DEVELOPMENT OF BURIAL AREAS AT MOUNT HOPE CEMETERY, WEST ROXBURY, MASS.

The Commissioner of Parks and Recreation of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, invites proposals for development of burial areas at Mount Hope Cemetery, West Roxbury, Mass. Forms of proposals must be obtained at the Engineer's office of the Parks and Recreation Department, 33 Beacon street. Each proposal should be signed by the bidder and inclosed in an envelope, sealed and marked "Proposal for Development of Burial Areas at Mount Hope Cemetery, West Roxbury, Mass.," and left before 2 o'clock P.M. on Tuesday, October 4, 1955, at the office of the Parks and Recreation Department, with a certified check for $800, payable to and to be the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, and will then and there be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening bids. A bond will be required for doing the work in the sum of 100 per cent of the estimated contract price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the Engineer's office of the Parks and Recreation Department. The successful bidder will be required to provide for public liability and property damage insurance and for the payment of compensatinn and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulations will be required prior to the award of said contract. The Commissioner reserves the right to reject any or all proposals.

FRANK R. KELLEY,
(Sept. 24.) *Commissioner.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

BOSTON HOUSING AUTHORITY.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR PAINTING 66 WOOD FRAME HOUSES.

The City of Boston, acting by and through the Boston Housing Authority, Room 303, 230 Congress street, Boston, in accordance with the provisions of chapter 372 of the Massachusetts Acts of 1946, as amended, invites proposals for painting of sixty-six (66) wood frame houses.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth, and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority, and each in the sum of 100 per centum of the contract price, will be required of the general contractor. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 303, 230 Congress street, Boston. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Painting Sixty-Six (66) Wood Frame Houses," and left at Room 303, 230 Congress street, Boston, Mass., before 12 noon, Eastern Daylight Time, on Wednesday, October 5, 1955, at which time and place the proposals will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Bid security in the sum of 5 per cent of the amount of the proposal in the form of cash or certified check shall accompany each proposal.

Proposals must be made in quadruplicate, one (1) sealed proposal without bid security to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time made for opening the bids.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Boston Housing Authority. The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensatinn and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law, so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required prior to the award of said contract.

The city reserves the right to reject any or all proposals and to waive any informalities either in the bidding or in the proposals, and reserves the right to award the contract or contracts as it deems for its best interests.

No bid may be withdrawn for a period of thirty (30) days subsequent to the opening of bids without the consent of the city.

CITY OF BOSTON, ACTING BY AND THROUGH THE BOSTON HOUSING AUTHORITY,
JAMES J. MAHAR,
(Sept. 24.) *Chairman.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

SEWERAGE WORKS.

Proposals for Rebuilding of Sewerage Works in Private Land, Between Mt. Hope Street and Canterbury Street (Talbot Avenue High Level Sewer), West Roxbury.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for rebuilding of sewerage works in private land, West Roxbury. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Rebuilding of Sewerage Works in Private Land, West Roxbury," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, OCTOBER 6, 1955, with a certified check for FOUR HUNDRED (400) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by hidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Sept. 24.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

CLEANING VENTILATION SYSTEM.

Proposals for Cleaning the Exhaust Duct and Exhaust Fan Rooms at the Sumner Tunnel.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for cleaning the exhaust duct and exhaust fan rooms at the Sumner Tunnel. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Cleaning the Exhaust Duct and Exhaust Fan Rooms at the Sumner Tunnel," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, OCTOBER 6, 1955, with a certified check for ONE HUNDRED (100) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Sept. 24.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

To General Contractors.

Invitation for Proposals for Construction of Laundry Addition and Alterations to Bathhouse, 241-245-249 Dover Street, Boston, Mass.

The Commissioner of Parks and Recreation of the City of Boston, 33 Beacon street, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for construction of laundry addition and alterations to bathhouse, 241-245-249 Dover street, Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 2 o'clock P.M. Tuesday, October 4, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, 33 Beacon street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, enclosed in an envelope, sealed and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $8,000, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

Subbidders bidding on the work of subcontractors shall use the proposal form prepared by and obtainable from the Awarding Authority.

All subbidders' proposals filed with the Awarding Authority shall be submitted in sealed envelopes, plainly marked with the title of the work; division of the work for which bid is submitted; subcontractor's name; and subcontractor's business address. All such bids shall be in the possession of the Awarding Authority and delivered or mailed to the general contractor no later than 12 o'clock noon, Friday, September 30, 1955.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount as specified in the following for the subbid item of work as listed below shall be submitted by each subbidder with the copy of his proposal filed with the Awarding Authority:

Structural Steel and Miscellaneous and Ornamental Iron	$400
Roofing and Flashing	300
Painting	200
Plumbing	2,000
Heating and Ventilating	2,500
Electrical	400

The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, plainly marked "Bid Deposit."

Specifications and plans may be obtained at the office of the Awarding Authority on or after Monday, September 19, 1955.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price, will be required of the successful general contractor.

A deposit of a certified check in the sum of $100, payable to the City of Boston, will be required in order to procure a complete set of plans and specifications. This deposit shall be returned providing that all plans and specifications are returned in satisfactory condition within ten days after opening of bids.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do. The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all subbids on any item or items in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

FRANK R. KELLEY,
Commissioner of Parks and Recreation.
(Sept. 17-24.)

No. 161—569.
594.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

Proposals for Furnishing Furniture for the Nurses' Home, Boston City Hospital.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Tuesday, October 4, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Furniture." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Sept. 24.) *Purchasing Agent.*

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

To Painting Contractors.

Invitation for Proposals for Interior Painting at the South Boston High School, Thomas Park and G Street, South Boston, Mass.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for interior painting at the South Boston High School, Thomas park and G street, South Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Monday, October 3, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals shall be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, and enclosed in a sealed envelope, plainly marked with the name of the bidder and the description of the work bid upon. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a certificate of deposit issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $300, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked. Bid bonds will not be accepted.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

A performance bond, issued by a surety company satisfactory to the Awarding Authority, in the full amount of the contract will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any and all bids if it be in the public interest so to do.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
(Sept. 24.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

No. 158—594.
598.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

Proposals for Furnishing One Microtome Refrigerating Unit and Three Resuscitators-Inhalators-Aspirators.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Wednesday, October 5, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Refrigerating Unit and Resuscitators." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Sept. 24.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

WATER WORKS.

Proposals for Relaying Water Pipes in Perkins Street, Ward 2, and in Such Additional Locations, If Any, in Ward 2, As May Be Designated by the Commissioner of Public Works.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over **one half** thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for relaying water pipes in Perkins street, Ward 2, etc. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Relaying Water Pipes in Perkins Street, Ward 2, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 5, 1955, with a certified check for FOUR HUNDRED (400) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

(Sept. 24.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*
GEORGE G. HYLAND,

READVERTISEMENT OF ITEM NO. 24 ON PROPOSAL NO. 119.

No. 159—500.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING ONE (1) AMBULANCE FOR THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Wednesday, October 5, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Ambulance." The successful bidder must furnish a faitbful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. Tbe Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as be deems for tbe best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Sept. 24.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.
BUILDINGS DIVISION.

SPECIFICATIONS FOR ROOFING REPAIRS AND SHEET METAL WORK AT THE CURTIS HALL MUNICIPAL BUILDING, 20 SOUTH STREET, JAMAICA PLAIN, MASS.

The Assistant Commissioner of Real Property of tbe City of Boston, hereinafter referred to as tbe Awarding Autbority, invites sealed proposals for roofing repairs and sheet metal work at the Curtis Hall Municipal Building.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Monday, October 3, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, Room 808, City Hall Annex, at which time and place they will be opened and read aloud.

Proposals shall be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed and inclosed in a sealed envelope plainly marked with the name of the bidder and the description of the work bid upon. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at tbe office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a certificate of deposit issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $1,000, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Autbority. The bid deposit sball be in a separnte envelope, properly marked. Bid bonds will not be accepted.

No bidder may withdraw his bid witbin tbirty days after the actual opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for tbis work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide hy insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to he employed under the contract, nnd sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required prior to the award of a contract.

Specifications and plans may be obtained on and after Monday, September 26, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority.

A performanee bond, issued by a surety company satisfactory to the Awarding Authority, In the full amount of the contract, will be required of the successful general contractor.

A charge of $1 will be made for specifications and plans.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to reject any and all bids If it be in the public interest so to do.

GEORGE P. DONOVAN,
Assistant Commissioner of Real Property
(Sept. 24.) *Department.*

No. 157—350.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING SURGICAL DRESSINGS FOR CITY DEPARTMENTS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Friday, September 30, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Surgical Dressings." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Sept. 24.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

DEMOLITION OF FENDER SYSTEM.

Proposals for Demolition Work and Repairs to Fender System and Water-Pipe Trestle, Dover Street Bridge, Over Fort Point Channel.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of tbe United States, for demolition work and repairs to fender system and water-pipe trestle, Dover Street Bridge, over Fort Point Channel. A bond will be required for doing tbe work of a surety company approved by tbe Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Demolition Work and Repairs to Fender System and Water-Pipe Trestle, Dover Street Bridge, Over Fort Point Channel," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, OCTOBER 6, 1955, with a certified check for FIVE HUNDRED (500) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not he less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurnnce for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Sept. 24.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

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JOSHUA H. JONES, *Editor.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

TO BUILDING WRECKING CONTRACTORS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR RAZING OF THE DWIGHT SCHOOL, SMITH STREET, ROXBURY, MASS.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for razing of the Dwight School, Smith street, Roxbury, Mass.

Proposals will he received until 12 o'clock noon, Wednesday, October 5, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals shall be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed and enclosed in a sealed envelope, plainly marked with the name of the bidder and the description of the work bid upon. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a certificate of deposit issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $200, shall he submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall he in a separate envelope, properly marked. Bid bonds will not be accepted.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

A performance bond, issued by a surety company satisfactory to the Awarding Authority, in the full amount of the contract will he required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any and all bids if it be in the public interest so to do.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
(Sept. 24.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

No. 160—595.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING TWO (2) SNOW-FIGHTERS WITH SANDER BODIES FOR THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Tuesday, October 4, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $200, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Snowfighters." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Sept. 24.) *Purchasing Agent.*

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BASEBALL SEASON FOR PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT REQUIRED 124 UMPIRES AT COST OF $6,858, REPORT MADE ON 1955 SEASON JUST ENDED — APPROXIMATELY 1,600 GAMES WERE PLAYED IN SENIOR CIRCUIT.

The following is the report on baseball activities of the Parks and Recreation Department for 1955 season:

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.
BOSTON, September 23, 1955.
CHARLES J. FOX, *Director*,
Administrative Services Department.
DEAR SIR:

Your approval is requested for the temporary employment of the 124 baseball umpires listed on attached sheets who officiated during the 1955 Parks and Recreation Department baseball season from May 17 through September 1, 1955.

They are to be paid for the number of games and rate per game listed opposite their respective names, charged to 110, budget item, total amount $6,858.

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NEW ENGLAND DEACONESS HOSPITAL GETS PERMIT FOR BUILDING TUNNELS UNDER PILGRIM ROAD AND PART OF JOSLIN STREET FOR GREATER FACILITY IN REACHING HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

The Public Improvement Commission has granted to the New England Deaconess Hospital the right to place and maintain reinforced tunnels under Pilgrim road and Joslin street for the convenience of the public and the hospital authorities. The votes granting the permission read as follows:

Voted, That permission be granted to the New England Deaconess Hospital, 16 Deaconess road, Boston, to place and maintain a reinforced tunnel under the full width of Pilgrim road, over-all length of tunnel to be approximately 85 feet from the New Hospital Teaching Clinic Building at 170 Pilgrim road to the Deaconess Hospital Building on Pilgrim road. The tunnel will have an inside dimension of 8 feet wide by 8 feet high with walls and floor 1 foot 2 inches thick, and roof 1 foot thick—the roof of the tunnel will be approximately 10 feet below the surface of the existing street, all substantially as shown on a plan marked "Diabetes Foundation, Hospital Teaching Clinic, 15 Joslin Street, Boston, Mass.," and filed in the office of this commission.

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PREPARATIONS FOR 1956 BUDGET ESTIMATES ARE UNDER WAY AND INSTRUCTIONS BEING DISTRIBUTED TO DEPARTMENTS FOR STUDY BY ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT UNDER CHARLES J. FOX, DIRECTOR — ANALYSTS HAVE BEEN MADE AVAILABLE TO ALL WHO FEEL NEED FOR HELP IN ARRIVING AT FIGURES.

Instructions for preparation of the 1956 budget estimates have been prepared and distributed to all the city departments by the Administrative Services Department, Charles J. Fox, Director. For the purpose of aiding and facilitating the work of estimating, analysts have been made available for consultation and expert aid for all departments.

The notices and instructions sent out read as follows:

Instructions for Preparing 1956 Budget Estimates.

The accompanying estimate forms are to be used in submitting the 1956 budget requirements of city and county departments and units. All entries or statements on these forms must be typewritten. Each sheet used is to be numbered consecutively in the upper right-hand corner. Four sets of forms are to be prepared and one set retained for departmental files. Three sets are to be submitted to the Administrative Services Department on or before November 1, 1955. The forms in each set should be arranged according to numerical order and bound with the staples and stiff paper covers provided.

To assist budget officers in the preparation of estimates, the following explanations are offered on each particular form:

Cover Sheet.

Type name of budget unit on vacant line. This same name should be typed in upper right-hand corner of each sheet.

Letter of Transmittal.

The object of this form is to obtain on the original or first copy the signature of the official who has jurisdiction over the department or unit submitting the forms. Facsimile signatures or typewritten names on the other copies will suffice. In signing this form, the signatory official indicates that he has inspected the request and has knowledge thereof and gives his approval to the requests made by the officer designated to prepare the budget estimates. The name of the department or unit budget officer is to be typed in the lower left-hand corner of the form together with the total number of sheets making up the bound set.

Scope of Activities.

The statement submitted on this form should provide a brief but nevertheless adequate description of the work and services to be performed within the budget estimates set forth in the accompanying sheets. Reference should be made to the statement appearing at the head of the 1955 printed budget of your unit. Statistics appearing in last year's statement should be carefully checked and amended so as to reflect changes which have occurred in the past year.

At the bottom of this form, indicate the various divisions or programs under which the work of your unit will be performed. The numbers and titles of programs listed should conform with those agreed upon with the budget analyst assigned to your unit.

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"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean;
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.

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A rate of $4 per inch of 12 lines (set solid) has been established for such advertisements as under the law must be printed in the City Record. Advertising and other copy must be in hand by 5 P.M. Wednesday of each week to insure its publication in the Saturday issue.

MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, October 3, at 2 P.M.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries, or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the Complaints Division, Room 25, City Hall.

Information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways, the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments of streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped area for streets and the opening of private ways; the making of specific repairs in public streets; the naming of public streets, including the use of public ways for location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railways, coal holes, and vaults, may be secured from the Public Improvement Commission, Room 403, City Hall Annex.

To the BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION, 112 Southampton street, for information relative to regulation of vehicular street traffic on all or any streets, ways, highways, roads, and parkways under the control of the City of Boston, the issuing of all permits in connection therewith.

To the COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting, and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of Sumner Tunnel, the maintenance of bridges and draw-bridges, and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

To the HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Haymarket Square, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish, and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughterhouses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases, of public health nuisances.

To the BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth Avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park, and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts, also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview, and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

To the SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

To the DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS, 28 Norman street, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

To the BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 907, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal, or tearing down buildings.

To the ELECTRICAL INSPECTION DIVISION OF THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT, 1001 City Hall Annex, for all information relative to the erection of poles, building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division; also for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings of the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

To the BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT, 43 City Hall, relative to changes in the boundary lines of zoning districts of the City of Boston as established by chapter 488 of the Acts of 1924, and amendments thereto.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending September 24, 1955.

Population as of July, 1950, Massachusetts State Census, 817,713; population estimated July, 1955, United States Census Bureau, 813,696; number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 152; nonresidents, 73; total, 225.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 14.35; nonresidents deducted, 9.87.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:

Last week, 12.11; corresponding week last year, 14.86.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 12; one year to four years, inclusive, 3; sixty years and over, 161; Total deaths: Male, 131; female, 94; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 171.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Sept. 24, 1955.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Sept. 25, 1954.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior Poliomyelitis	81	5	10	1
Diphtheria	2	—	—	—
Encephalitis Lethargica	—	—	—	—
Influenza	—	—	—	—
Measles	—	—	23	—
Meningitis Epidemic	—	—	—	—
Pneumonia (lobar)	—	—	—	1
Scarlet Fever	1	—	3	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary)	8	2	37	8
Childhood Type Tuberculosis	—	—	—	—
Tuberculosis (other forms)	1	—	1	—
Typhoid Fever	—	—	—	—
Whooping Cough	—	—	5	—

*Residents and nonresidents included.

PREPARATIONS FOR 1956 BUDGET ESTIMATES NOW UNDER WAY.

(*Continued from page 1153.*)

Group Summary.

This form is to be used to recapitulate by the main expenditure groups the amounts detailed on Form 4. Show the information requested in Columns 2, 3, 4, and 5. In Column 4, the appropriation for 1955 should include any supplementary appropriations made during the year. Total all columns. Do not make any entry in Column 6.

Classes Summary.

This form is to be used to recapitulate by expenditure classes the amounts detailed on Forms 6 and 7. Show the information requested in Columns 1, 3, 4, 5, and 6. In Column 1, place opposite each class title the number of the sheet on which the detail or information relating to the amount entered in Column 6 may be found. If this detail is spread over more than one sheet, enter the number of the first sheet on which the detail appears. The appropriation for 1955 in Column 5 should include any supplementary appropriations made during the year. Do not make any entry in Column 7. The group totals in Column 6 should be entered in Column 5 of Form 3.

Classes by Programs.

This form is to be used to distribute by programs the appropriations requested on Form 4 for the various budget classes. Beginning January 1, 1956, departmental expenditures will be coded by program numbers, and the City Auditor will maintain program expenditure records. It is extremely desirable, therefore, that the program distribution of class appropriations indicated on this form be carefully made.

In Columns 2 to 8, distribute the amounts appearing in Column 6 of Form 4 under the appropriate programs listed on Form 2. The program numbers appearing at the head of these columns should conform with those shown on Form 2. Enter in Column 9 the total of the program distribution for each class. This amount should agree with that shown in Column 6 of Form 4.

Personal Services — Permanent Employees.

The detailed instructions appearing on the reverse side of this form should be followed. The grand total of Column 10 should be entered against Class 100 in Column 6 of Form 4. Tables showing annual cost of weekly salaries and cost of increments may be secured at this office.

Class Supporting Detail.

This form is to be used to support the estimates listed for each class of expenditure on Form 4, with the exception of Class 100. Each class and subclass on this form must be explained in complete detail, setting forth clearly how the figure stated in the department estimate has been determined. No limitations are imposed as to quantity or character of material submitted in support of expenditure class requests. *Estimates supported by full and detailed explanations will naturally receive more favorable consideration than those inadequately described.* Statistics indicating the relation of class and subclass expenditures to departmental work programs should be shown wherever possible.

The title of each class should be shown in the center of the form and the titles of subclasses, if any, listed on the left-hand margin.

For example:

Temporary Employees.

Estimate . . . . . $.....

(Indicate the number, title, grade, and weekly compensation of all seasonal employees. Explain the reason or need for their employment. Do not include employees engaged for temporary periods to fill permanent vacancies. Such employment should be charged against Class 100.

Communications.

Telegraph service . . . $.....
(explanation)
Telephone service . . . .
(explanation)
Communications not otherwise .....
classified (explanation)

Total Communications . $.....

Repairs and Maintenance of Buildings and Structures

Estimate . . . . . $.....

(Detail the specific items of repair which are considered necessary and essential. Show the estimated cost of each item and explain why the proposed expenditure is necessary.)

Cents are to be omitted in all financial statements. All estimates should be stated in the nearest whole dollars required to be appropriated. The total of each class is to be entered in Column 6 of Form 4. The explanations set forth on this form should be continuous. Do not use separate sheets for individual classes.

This form may be used in submitting estimates for Special Appropriations. Indicate the title of the special account in the center of the page, and then describe the type, character, and extent of the expenditures entering into the special estimate.

Estimated Income.

This form is to be prepared by all departments and units receiving income from sources other than taxes. In Column 1, the various *major* sources of revenue should be segregated and listed by titles. Each column should reflect a grand total on the bottom line of the form.

Conclusion.

The budget analysts of the Administrative Services Department will be available for consultation with departments and units throughout the preparation of budget estimates. All agencies are encouraged to raise questions during the preparation period rather than wait until time for submission of the forms has arrived.

Please keep in mind that, under the Revised Ordinances of the City, estimate forms are to be submitted not later than November 1.

Amendments or revisions in departmental estimates subsequent to their submission must be made by letter addressed in triplicate to the Director.

Charles J. Fox,
Director of Administrative Services.

PERMIT APPROVED FOR TUNNELS AT DEACONESS HOSPITAL.

(*Continued from page 1153.*)

The Commissioner of Public Works is hereby authorized to issue permits for opening and occupying the street for placing and maintaining said tunnel, under the conditions set forth in the City Ordinances, and such other terms and conditions as the said commissioner may deem proper.

The work of locating said tunnel to be subject to the approval of said Public Works Commissioner, and the street above referred to is to be kept open for both pedestrian and vehicular traffic during the laying and construction of said tunnel.

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Voted, That permission be granted to the New England Deaconess Hospital, 16 Deaconess road, Boston, to place and maintain a reinforced tunnel under a part of Joslin street, over-all length of tunnel to be approximately 85 feet from the New Hospital Teaching Clinic Building at 170 Pilgrim road to the Deaconess Hospital Building on Pilgrim road. The tunnel will have an inside dimension of 8 feet wide by 8 feet high with walls and floor 1 foot 2 inches thick, and roof 1 foot thick—the roof of the tunnel will be approximately 10 feet below the surface of the existing street, all substantially as shown on a plan marked "Diabetes Foundation, Hospital Teaching Clinic, 15 Joslin Street, Boston, Mass.," and filed in the office of this commission.

The Commissioner of Public Works is hereby authorized to issue permits for opening and occupying the street for placing and maintaining said tunnel, under the conditions set forth in the City Ordinances, and such other terms and conditions as the said commissioner may deem proper.

The work of locating said tunnel to be subject to the approval of said Public Works Commissioner, and the streets above referred to are to be kept open for both pedestrian and vehicular traffic during the laying and construction of said tunnel.

RECREATION DEPARTMENT REPORTS ON SEASON'S ACTIVITIES.

(*Continued from page 1153.*)

BASEBALL UMPIRES.

Raymond Albanese, 291 Lexington street, East Boston, 31 games at $5.
Theodore C. Anthony, 26 Enfield street, Jamaica Plain, 5 games at $5.
William Baptista, 211 Maverick street, East Boston, 16 games at $5.
Charles Barrasso, 50 Homes avenue, Dorchester, 10 games at $5.
Walter Bell, 30 Brackett street, Brighton, 31 games at $5.
Joseph Bellofatto, 11 Snow Hill street, Boston, 11 games at $5.
Joseph Benson, 106 Richmond street, Dorchester, 2 games at $5.
George Bent, 95 Montclair avenue, Roslindale, 3 games at $5.
Salvatore Buccacio, 50 Dighton street, Brighton, 73 games at $5.
Thomas J. Burke, 2061 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, 2 games at $5.
Wallace A. Buntin, Jr., 214 Metropolitan avenue, Hyde Park, 16 games at $5.
Warren Burr, 27 Dix street, Dorchester, 21 games at $5.
David Campbell, 10 Buckley avenue, Jamaica Plain, 2 games at $5.
Joseph Candella, 61 Faneuil street, Brighton, 19 games at $5.
Richard Canino, 35 Lorette street, West Roxbury, 23 games at $5.
George Catarius, 20 Fulda street, Roxbury, 1 game at $5.
John Carney, 101 Hooker street, Allston, 21 games at $5.
William F. Carney, 101 Hooker street, Allston, 11 games at $5.
Bernard Clancy, 3 Leslie Park, Roxbury, 1 game at $5.
Dennis Clifford, 52 Hillsdale street, Dorchester, 2 games at $5.
William Conroy, 80 Draper street, Dorchester, 1 game at $5.
John P. Croke, 45 Milwood street, Dorchester, 1 game at $5.
Joseph Cusack, 99 Hooker street, Allston, 25 games at $5.
Robert P. Cusack, 99 Hooker street, Allston, 8 games at $5.
Joseph Cunningham, 2211 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, 28 games at $5.
Joseph Davenport, 201 Garfield avenue, Hyde Park, 2 games at $5.
C. DeAngelis, 41 Corey street, Charlestown, 5 games at $5.
Edward Delaney, 2777B Washington street, Roxbury, 1 game at $5.
Warren Devenuti, 290 Ruggles street, Roxbury, 1 game at $5.
William Dever, 35 Brookvale street, Dorchester, 7 games at $5.
Dominic DiCesare, 1510 Hyde Park avenue, Hyde Park, 2 games at $5.
Albert J. Drotter, 17 Hamilton street, Readville, 7 games at $5.
James Duncan, 47 Maple street, Hyde Park, 20 games at $8.
Fred E. Dunlop, 36 Brackett street, Brighton, 28 games at $5.
Joseph Dwyer, 6 Medway street, Dorchester, 1 game at $5.
Cy Epstein, 654 Walk Hill street, Mattapan, 1 game at $5.
Ralph Fiore, 20 Arlington street, Somerville, 4 games at $5.
Tony Geraci, 66 Lubec street, East Boston, 11 games at $5.
James Green, 130 Humboldt avenue, Roxbury, 15 games at $5.
William R. Guest, 641 Adams street, Dorchester, 2 games at $5.
Edward Hart, 1831 Hyde Park avenue, Readville, 39 games at $5.
Robert Hart, 102 Summer street, Somerville, 15 games at $5.
Harry Hewes, 47 Bynner street, Jamaica Plain, 3 games at $5.
George Higgins, 211 Bowdoin street, Dorchester, 2 games at $5.
Harry Holt, 25 Bloomington street, Dorchester, 29 games at $5.
Robert Horne, 52 Dobson street, Brighton, 1 game at $5.
Thomas Johnson, 159 Ruggles street, Roxbury, 5 games at $5.
Harold Kallenburg, 30 Iffley road, Jamaica Plain, 3 games at $5.
William Kearns, 8 Prospect street, Charlestown, 2 games at $5.
Raymond Kelliher, 98 Bennett street, Brighton, 1 game at $5.
Jan Kozlowski, 111 Hamilton street, Dorchester, 21 games at $8.
Jan Kozlowski, 111 Hamilton street, Dorchester, 1 game at $5.
Robert Kurkjian, 28 Greenwood street, Dorchester, 27 games at $5.
Phillip LaFannee, 75 Faneuil street, Brighton, 1 games at $5.
Anthony Langone, 39 Mattakeset street, Mattapan, 12 games at $5.
David Landry, 108 Sawyer avenue, Dorchester, 1 game at $5.
John Lane, 56 Ellison avenue, Dorchester, 1 game at $5.
John Leonard, 50 Train street, Dorchester, 25 games at $5.
Andrew N. Livolsi, 103 Porter street, East Boston, 2 games at $5.
Joseph W. Lyons, 4 Draper street, Dorchester, 5 games at $5.
John Maceazek, 950 Maple street, Milton, 1 game at $5.
Joseph Manuke, 3 Summer street, Somerville, 4 games, at $5.
Joseph Manuke, 3 Summer street, Somerville, 12 games at $8.
Frank Marinella, 61 Allen street, Boston, 1 game at $5.
Eugene Melville, 332 Bunker Hill street, Charlestown, 21 games at $5.
John Messina, 161 Saratoga street, East Boston, 13 games at $8.
John F. Miller, 285 Centre street, Jamaica Plain, 8 games at $5.
Walter Mortimer, 10 Tufts street, Charlestown, 2 games at $5.
Lawrence Mulcahy, 73 Hamilton street, Readville, 2 games at $5.
Hugh Mullen, 11 Pleasant Hill avenue, Dorchester, 3 games at $5.
Russell H. Murray, 21 Russell street, Charlestown, 1 game at $5.
George Najarian, 20 Duncklee street, Brighton, 1 game at $5.
Ralph McCaffrey, 11 Polk street, Charlestown, 1 game at $5.
Eugene McCarthy, 12 Greenville street, Roxbury, 12 games at $5.
Joseph E. McDonald, 823 Hyde Park avenue, Hyde Park, 7 games at $5.
Robert McMann, 37 Ramsey street, Dorchester, 6 games at $5.
Robert McShane, 2777B Washington street, Roxbury, 1 game at $5.
Frank O'Connor, 91 Montebello road, Jamaica Plain, 10 games at $5.
John O'Grady, 240 North Harvard street, Brighton, 2 games at $5.
Richard O'Neil, 2091 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, 3 games at $5.
John O'Shaugnessy, 69 Doris Drive, North Weymouth, 21 games at $8.
Joseph Owens, 3110 Washington street, Roxbury, 3 games at $5.
Norman Plausky, 21 Wachusett street, Jamaica Plain, 1 game at $5.
Walter Plausky, 19 Wellington street, Arlington, 14 games at $5.
William F. Plausky, 47 Lorne street, Dorchester 1 game at $5.
Anthony J. Piraino, Jr., 10 Tufts street, Charlestown, 2 games at $5.
Frank Porter, 9 Belvoir road, Dorchester, 5 games at $5.
John J. Reynolds, 2209 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, 1 game at $5.
Robert Rios, 65 Ferrin street, Charlestown, 5 games at $5.
Daniel Roberts, 30 North Market street, Boston, 5 games at $5.
Daniel Roberts, 30 North Market street, Boston, 29 games at $8.
Raymond Robinson, 21 Greenville street, Roxbury, 3 games at $5.
Edward Roubian, 75 Ryder avenue, Melrose, 34 games at $8.
Edward Roubian, 75 Ryder avenue, Melrose, 5 games at $5.
Lewis Sayer, 4 Irving street, Cambridge, 1 games at $5.
John Shea, 61 Tremont street, Brighton, 26 games at $5.
Robert Sherer, 2 Bailey street, Dorchester, 12 games at $5.
Henry Smith, 290 Ruggles street, Roxbury, 10 games at $5.
Thomas H. Stevens, 108 Readville street, Readville, 3 games, at $5.
Daniel Sullivan, 21 Hubbardston road, Dorchester, 6 game at $5.
Donald Sullivan, 93 Pearl street, Charlestown, 5 games at $5.
Dominic Taglieri, 80 Dale road, Weymouth, 27 games at $5.
Charles Tallon, 41 Linden terrace, Lynn, 30 games at $5.
H. Towle, 50 Annunciation road, Roxbury, 1 game at $5.
John Trahon, 32 Webster street, Brookline, 6 games at $5.
Hugh White, 57 Sanford street, Mattapan, 1 game at $5.
Adam Mroz, 1362 Columbus avenue, Roxbury, 22 games at $5.
Howard Cusler, 81 Ames street, Dorchester, 3 games at $5.
Anthony F. Cuozzo, 288 Summit avenue Brighton, 17 games at $5.
Bill Ford, 4 Bayard street, Brighton, 19 games at $5.
Harry Lemovitz, 37 Erie street, Dorchester, 7 games at $5.
Howard Manuke, 125 Farragut road, South Boston, 17 games at $5.
George Metz, 133 Brookline avenue, Boston, 9 games at $5.
Malcolm McLean, 28 Edesa Way, South Boston, 10 games at $5
Tony Pacleco, 86 Concord avenue, Somerville, 11 games at $5.
Robert C. Peterson, 9 Plainfield street, Jamaica Plain, 17 games at $5.
Norman C. Plausky, 21 Wachusett street, Jamaica Plain, 20 games at $5.
Walter Plausky, 19 Wellington street, Arlington, 11 games at $5.
William Plausky, 47 Lorne street, Dorchester, 19 games at $5.
Robert J. Sherer, 2 Bailey street, Dorchester 3 games at $5.
Charlie Tallon, 41 Linden terrace, Lynn, 1 game at $5.
John Trahan, 32 Webster street Brookline, 1 game at $5.
John R. Curran, 163 West Seventh street South Boston, 1 game at $1.
Ellen Granahan, 101 Billings road, Quincy, 1 game at $1.
Daniel Hurley, 191 Rutherford avenue, Charlestown, 6 games at $1.
Walter Hutchins, Jr., 43 Lonsdale street Dorchester, 2 games at $1.
Evelyn Kirrane, 258 Clyde street, Brookline 4 games at $1.
Mary Pratt, 1128 Quincy Shore Boulevard, Quincy, 3 games at $1.

Respectfully yours,

FRANK R. KELLEY,
Commissioner.

"NATIONAL BUSINESS WOMEN'S WEEK."

Upon September 26 the Mayor issued the following declaration:

To the Citizens of Boston.

By virtue of my office, I hereby declare the week of September 25 to October 1 as "National Business Women's Week." I urge the citizens of our city to cooperate with the Boston Business and Professional Women's Club in their plans to observe this week.

The theme for "National Business Women's Week" will be *Aim High.*

This slogan was chosen with the following points in mind:

First, to call attention to opportunities for growth and advancement for all American women in their chosen professions and businesses.

Second, to emphasize to the individual woman the need for top flight personal standards of achievement in her field, and to create incentive for better performance on the job in the task at hand.

In line with the theme of the "National Business Women's Week" let us all aim higher. The democratic world is in need of constructive contributions from all citizens.

TRANSFERS OF APPROPRIATIONS.

The Mayor has approved the following requests for transfers of appropriations:

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.
Long Island Division.

From 590, Other Equipment, $248, to 490, Other Current Charges and Obligations, $248.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.
Central Office.

From 300, Supplies and Materials, $2, to 400, Current Charges and Obligations, $2.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

From 295, Board and Care of Persons, $65,000, to 461, Aid to Dependent Children Relief, $65,000.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

JAIL.

From 320, Food Supplies, $250, to 590, Miscellaneous Equipment, $250.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees:

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

John T. J. Cronin, 104 Rowe street, Roslindale, fire captain, has been retired at $3,846.67 a year.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

For the week ending September 13:

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Priscilla Beckwith, 686 Massachusetts avenue, 3 days; Claire Bilapka, 230 Commonwealth avenue, 7 days; Gertrude Clark, 13 Rosa street, Hyde Park, 3 days; Sophie Cotter, 173 Vine Rock street, Dedham, 7 days; Patricia Camirand, 41 Falmouth street, 2 days; Grace Candiano, 4 days; Norma Dean, 696 Massachusetts avenue, 3 days; Hannah Donahue, 270 Huntington avenue, 7 days; Patricia Doucette, 352 Athens street, South Boston, 3 days; Jean Darraugh, 568 East Sixth street, South Boston, 2 days; Mary Edwards, 428 Adams street, Dorchester, Yolander Evans, 126 Waverly street, Everett, 1 day; Mary Fraser, 99 Norway street, 6 days; Stella Graham, 43 Mercier avenue, Dorchester, Diana Guinta, 42 Topliff street, Dorchester, Juanita Gearin, 29 West Tremlett street, Dorchester, 2 days; Mary B. Healy, 163 East Cottage street, Dorchester, Anna Kinch, 126 Russell street, Everett, 5 days; Rose Keegan, 2 days; Madelyn Dobbyn, 1 day; Veronica Lombard, 8 Doris street, Dorchester, 4 days; Anne Lynskey, 52 Telsa street, Medford, 2 days; Loretta Lynch, 270 Huntington avenue, 6 days; Rita McCallum, 162 Bowdoin street, Dorchester, 3 days; Claire McCae, 74 Robinwood road, Dedham, 2 days; Catherine McGuinness, 14 Alsen road, Dorchester, 7 days; Anne McInnis, 853 East Third street, South Boston, 1 day; Anna Murphy, 115 Peterborough street, 6 days; Mary Murphy, 37 Hamden Circle, Wollaston, Audrey Mailhot, 30 Walton street, Dorchester, 5 days; Angelina Mullaney, 1235 Trapelo road, Waltham, 1 day; Agnes O'Connor, 270 Huntington avenue, 3 days; Dora Picarsky, 31 Edison Green, Dorchester, 6 days; Romaine Riley, 171 Humboldt avenue, Roxbury, 3 days; Madeline Sullivan, 126 Marlborough street, 4 days; Margaret M. Sullivan, 28 Weymouth street, Holbrook, 7 days; Josephine Trippe, 80 Orleans street, East Boston, Josephine Tyman, 39 Burnham street, Somerville, 4 days; Ila Ward, 79 Warren street, Roxbury, 7 days; Mae Owens, 259 Chestnut avenue, Jamaica Plain, Mabel Smith, 87 Bartlett road, Winthrop, Iris Crowley, 168 Crowley-Rogers Way, South Boston, 1 day.

South Division.

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Marie Crowley, 18 Laite road, Wilmington, 3 days; Alice Driscoll, 309 Allston street, Brighton, 5 days; Veronica McElligott, 34 Dickinson street, Somerville, 4 days; Margaret Nolan, 14 Dix street, Dorchester, 6 days.

The following permanent employee has been appointed:

Mary M. Paylor, 67 Mystic avenue, Medford, floor nurse, $60.50 a week.

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 27.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
F. Carr	1 Acorn street	5	New appliances	$12
A. Prensky	640 American Legion Highway.	18	New appliances	100
F. Carr	3 Ashland street	3	New appliances	24
W. Fishman	5 Baker street	20	New appliances	100
H. Geddis	868 Beacon street	21	New appliances	40
F. Carr	18 Charles River square	5	New appliances	100
M. Alexander	1161 Dorchester avenue	15	New appliances	100
T. Lake	8 Elwyn road	17	New appliances	500
F. Carr	1A Garden Street court	3	New appliances	50
F. Carr	22 Hancock street	3	New appliances	17
F. Smith	28 Josephine street	15	New appliances	75
S. Pryor	19 Lawrence street	2	New appliances	75
J. Tierney	74 Lyndhurst street	17	New appliances	120
H. Geddis	16 Marmion street	11	New appliances	175
F. Carr	27 North Anderson street	3	New appliances	28
F. Carr	35 North Margin street	3	New appliances	50
F. Carr	85 North Margin street	3	New appliances	28
R. Strum	19 Peterborough street	5	New appliances	12
W. Foster	21 Pine street	18	New appliances	100
S. Kramer	89 Quincy street	13	New appliances	36
D. Kilday	54 Rossmore road	11	New appliances	50
J. Tierney	989 South street	20	New appliances	90
R. Strum	23 Wabon street	12	New appliances	12
H. Geddis	96 Waltham street	3	New appliances	300
E. Ardini	35 Winthrop street	2	New appliances	100
W. Awad	70 Allston street	21	New appliances	100
J. Wilson	98 Bartlett street	2	New appliances	100
L. Luxton	19 Claybourne street	17	New appliances	35
O. McElearney	301 Columbia road	14	New appliances	200
P. Kennedy	38 Dover street	5	New appliances	100
P. Kennedy	61 East Brookline street	8	New appliances	100
P. Kennedy	55 E. Springfield street	8	New appliances	100
P. Kennedy	5 Fairfield street	5	New appliances	100
D. Cahill	39 Glendower road	18	New appliances	450
A. DiLorenzo	22 Glenmont road	22	New appliances	100
W. Foster	52 Glenwood avenue	18	New appliances	25
L. Rubin	53 Harvard street	3	New appliances	35
H. Latorella	30 London street	1	New appliances	100
D. Tringali	69 Montebello road	11	New appliances	200
M. Ciullo	49 Neptune road	1	New appliances	50
W. Awad	8 Niles street	22	New appliances	100
M. Katz	300 North street	3	New appliances	75
P. Kennedy	460 Park Drive	21	New appliances	100
P. Kennedy	10 Pembroke street	9	New appliances	100
W. Awad	8 Platt road	22	New appliances	100
J. Wilson	49 Pleasant street	2	New appliances	100
J. Wilson	57 Rutherford avenue	2	New appliances	100
J. Wilson	105 Rutherford avenue	2	New appliances	100
P. Kennedy	272A Shawmut avenue	3	New appliances	100
A. DiLorenzo	277 Shawmut avenue	3	New appliances	100
C. Boates	134 and 136 Summer street.	3	New appliances	40
P. Sparco	7 Trenton street	1	New appliances	100
J. Kurhan	22 Wakullah street	12	New appliances	25
A. DiLorenzo	85 Waltham street	3	New appliances	100
A. DiLorenzo	691 Washington street	3	New appliances	100
O. McElearney	701 Washington street	17	New appliances	75
D. Cahill	145 Welles avenue	16	New appliances	200
P. Kennedy	156 West Canton street	4	New appliances	100
W. Awad	279 Western avenue	22	New appliances	100
W. Awad	41 Westford street	22	New appliances	100
W. Foster	West Roxbury Parkway	20	New appliances	500
J. Wilson	100 White street	1	New appliances	100
J. Wilson	36 Winthrop street	2	New appliances	100
J. Wilson	58 Winthrop street	2	New appliances	100
L. Luxton	10 Ainsley street	16	New appliances	95
W. Emery	148 Beacon street	5	New appliances	800
O. McElearney	4 Bellows place	2	New appliances	50
S. Landau	43 Breck avenue	22	New appliances	12
F. Rull	12 Brewster street	7	New appliances	85
J. McElhinney	38 Cherokee street	10	New appliances	100
N. Clark	236 Delhi street	18	New appliances	400
N. Clark	113 Dresser street	6	New appliances	400
N. Clark	3 Dunford street	11	New appliances	400
F. Rull	657 East Broadway	6	New appliances	20
S. Chipman	857 East First street	6	New appliances	100
B. Szathmary	14 Forest street	8	New appliances	75
L. Luxton	15 Galena street	11	New appliances	30
I. Gerson	525 Gallivan Boulevard	16	New appliances	50
I. Gerson	45 Gibson street	16	New appliances	25
N. Clark	30 Harold street	12	New appliances	400
N. Clark	50 Harvard avenue	18	New appliances	400
S. Landau	28 Highgate street	21	New appliances	40
H. Cutler	112 Humboldt avenue	12	New appliances	10
S. Chipman	113 Humboldt avenue	12	New appliances	25
J. Vogel	108 Huntington avenue	4	New appliances	15
O. McElearney	235 London street	1	New appliances	50
I. Silverstein	7 Lorraine terrace	21	New appliances	100
O. McElearney	137 Meridian street	1	New appliances	50
M. Yorks	46 Midway street	6	New appliances	75
S. Landau	11 Moraine street	19	New appliances	175
S. Landau	92 Murdock street	22	New appliances	50
V. Bordonaro	341 North street	3	New appliances	40
N. Clark	708 Parker street	10	New appliances	400
N. Clark	122 Paul Gore street	19	New appliances	400
N. Clark	89 Quincy street	13	New appliances	400
S. Landau	55 Riverview road	22	New appliances	30
H. Sellon	50 Soley street	2	New appliances	100
S. Landau	28 Tremont street	22	New appliances	20
B. Weiner	51 Wall street	3	New appliances	100

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 27.—Concluded.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
J. McLaughlin	6 Ashley street	10	New appliances	$50
N. Deutsch	108 Bennington street	1	New appliances	35
G. Trethewey	27 Bradeen street	19	New appliances	220
W. Crawford	51 Colorado street	18	New appliances	25
G. Trethewey	37 Congreve street	20	New appliances	181
J. Vogel	49 Englewood avenue	21	New appliances	200
J. Bunesh	923 Harrison avenue	8	New appliances	75
N. Deutsch	79 Princeton street	1	New appliances	30
N. Deutsch	86 Putnam street	1	New appliances	30
W. Crawford	75 Rosewood street	18	New appliances	25
W. Crawford	85 Savin street	12	New appliances	100
N. Deutsch	124 Trenton street	1	New appliances	50
A. Figler	12 Wellington street	9	New appliances	75
J. Williams	160 Westminster street	18	New appliances	100
G. Trethewey	26 Winton street	18	New appliances	260
N. Deutsch	19 Wordsworth street	1	New appliances	30
N. Riceman	851 Albany street	8	New appliances	55
F. Carlson	23 Anita terrace	11	New appliances	50
J. Vogel	455 Beech street	18	New applinces	175
A. Onessimo	29 Blue Hill avenue	8	New appliances	15
M. Caputo	98 Bolton street	6	New appliances	20
G. Speers	23 Bothwell road	22	New appliances	400
N. Deutsch	24 Chelsea street	1	New appliances	30
J. McCusker	1595 Commonwealth avenue	21	New appliances	70
J. Vogel	49 Congreve street	20	New appliances	25
J. Vogel	1 Crandall street	18	New appliances	200
B. Gold	3 David road	19	New appliances	40
J. McCusker	57 Day street	10	New appliances	38
F. Odenweller	492 East Broadway	6	New appliances	100
M. Caputo	538 East Fourth street	6	New appliances	35
E. Slein	48 East Glenwood avenue	18	New appliances	100
J. Vogel	39 Grew Hill road	18	New appliances	25

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM PLUMBING FOR THE WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 27.

Plumber.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
H. Geddis	868 Beacon street	21	Fixtures	$40
C. Bevelander	72 Empire street	22	Fixtures	100
B. Tack	266 Hebron street	18	Fixtures	800
G. Litwack	28 Josephine street	15	Fixtures	300
C. Bevelander	62 Stockton street	17	Fixtures	100
H. Geddis	96 Waltham street	3	Fixtures	55
S. Kramer	1000 Washington street	3	Fixtures	1,600
A. Grogan	205 Weld street	20	Fixtures	400
J. Woodacre	41 Calumet street	10	Fixtures	200
W. Duston	34 and 36 Eatonia street	22	Fixtures	250
S. Shulman	47 Hillock street	20	Fixtures	1,000
J. Woodacre	31 Kenberma road	17	Fixtures	200
B. Bishop	289 Norwell street	17	Fixtures	650
L. Ruotolo	198 Park street	20	Fixtures	50
A. DiLorenzo	7 Pine street	3	Fixtures	100
S. Landau	155 Addison street	1	Fixtures	1,500
L. Speers	53 Beechcroft street	22	Fixtures	200
L. Speers	21 Bothwell road	22	Fixtures	275
A. Grogan	146 Chestnut avenue	19	Fixtures	400
L. Speers	65 Chestnut Hill avenue	21	Fixtures	250
A. Grogan	12 Haveford street	11	Fixtures	300
M. Lappin	295 Longwood avenue	4	Fixtures	34,000
W. Newman	27 Sanborn avenue	20	Fixtures	125
J. Flynn	55 Stoughton street	13	Fixtures	300
S. Fox	470 Stuart street	4	Fixtures	100
W. Berkeley	475 Tremont street	5	Fixtures	900
G. Trethewey	37 Congreve street	20	Fixtures	184
O. McElearney	819 East Sixth street	6	Fixtures	700
G. Vogel	49 Englewood avenue	21	Fixtures	1,000
D Atkins	10 Freeman avenue	20	Fixtures	100
J. Bunesh	923 Harrison avenue	8	Fixtures	358
S. Clayman	81 Hawthorne street	19	Fixtures	1,050
D. Atkins	35 Hazelmere road	20	Fixtures	100
E. Stevens	62 Hunnewell road	22	Fixtures	80
G. Trethewey	26 Winton street	18	Fixtures	260
W. McKenna	73 Beacon street	5	Fixtures	3,000
D. Weinberg	36 Brookford street	13	Fixtures	185
J. Vogel	49 Congreve street	20	Fixtures	140
J. Vogel	1 Crandall street	18	Fixtures	130
E. Slein	48 East Glenwood avenue	18	Fixtures	1,000
A. Milligan	141 Gallivan Boulevard	17	Fixtures	1,000
J. Vogel	39 Grew Hill road	18	Fixtures	160
W. McKenna	125 Guest street	22	Fixtures	18,000
F. DeFilippi	900 Huntington avenue	10	Fixtures	500
R. Carr	44 Phillips street	5	Fixtures	400
J. Vogel	118 Redlands road	20	Fixtures	150
R. LaCentra	1320 Soldiers Field road	22	Fixtures	1,200
W. Abbott	120 Summer street	3	Fixtures	275
F. Dwyer	1 West Milton street	18	Fixtures	700
F. Dwyer	5 West Milton street	18	Fixtures	700

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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The following temporary employees have been appointed:

Elaine Chisholm, 849 Parkway, Revere, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour; George H. Cooke, 17 Monmouth street, East Boston, Barbara Flaherty, 4 Park place, Jamaica Plain, Rose A. Murray, 212 Westfield street, Dorchester, hospital medical workers, $43 a week.

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Temporary.—Florence A. Eichorn, 278 South street, Jamaica Plain, pharmacist, $68 a week; Patricia Phipps, 25 Elder terrace, Arlington, floor nurse, $1 an hour; Beth Michaud, 44 West Eagle street, East Boston, Margaret Washington, 13 Woodrow Wilson court, Roxbury, hospital medical workers, $43 a week.

Long Island Division.

The following changes have been made for the week ending September 13:

Terminations.—Frank M. Harvey, hospital kitchen worker, emergency; Emanuel S. Hellman, intern, Vacation Supply; Helen P. Hogan, supervisor of nurses, permanent; Theresa S. Guillory, graduate registered nurse, permanent; Marjorie V. Studivan, graduate practical nurse, permanent; William J. Foley, Bernard J. Frim, Robert H. Henck, Charles F. Mason, Donald A. Regan, Thomas E. Shea, Paul Sullivan, William G. Tobin, attendant nurses, permanent; John J. Clasby, John F. Donahue, Joseph L. Kennedy, Jr., Joseph J. Lyons, Jr., Richard Mulhall, John W. McKeown, attendant nurses, Vacation Supply.

The following changes have been made for the week ending September 21:

Terminations.—Mary F. Connolly, senior clerk and stenographer; Jane E. Monahan, clerk and stenographer, provisional; Jean Marini, clerk-typist, provisional; Carol A. Costa, attendant nurse; James F. Boyle, William T. Lynch, Ann M. O'Donnell, attendant nurses, Vacation Supply; Joseph M. Dailey, dentist, provisional; Edward Davis, steward, provisional; Sophie A. Haran, head nurse; Arthur W. MacBain, Fred. F. Tomlinson, attendant nurses.

Sanatorium Division.

The following resignations have been approved:

Patrick Healey, third-class stationary engineer; Margaret Drever-Seater, registered graduate nurse; Mary Ann O'Toole, registered graduate nurse, part time; Esther Pender, attendant nurse; Mildred Ward, registered graduate nurse; Barbara Flaherty, hospital medical worker; John J. Shea, hospital medical worker, provisional.

Welfare Department.

The following employees have changed their names by marriage:

Dorothy Connolly, clerk and typist to Dorothy Collins.

Elaine Fogel, social worker, to Elaine Gilmore.

Marie C. Kearney, clerk and typist, to Marie C. Millette.

Sally K. Gallagher, clerk and typist, to Sarah K. Quinlan.

Nancy Carr, clerk and typist, to Nancy Mullen.

COUNTY OF SUFFOLK.

MUNICIPAL COURT, ROXBURY DISTRICT.

The salary of James H. Norton, a probation officer, has been established at $4,400 a year.

Appointments.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Purchasing Division.

Marie V. Keohane, 56 Landseer street, West Roxbury, clerk and stenographer, $43 a week.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

House of Correction.

William F. Murphy, 4 Haviland street, correction officer, $65.50 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Elaine Fogel Gilmore, 34 Vinson street, Dorchester, social worker, $65.50 a week.

Weston E. McArthur, 18 Fernboro street, Roxbury, social worker, $68 a week.

Mary A. Roache, 276 Hanover street, telephone operator, $55.50 a week.

Appointments or Reinstatements.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

William P. Radziewicz, 38 Boston street, South Boston, fire fighter, $77.58 a week.

Emily A. Randall, 72 Gardner street, Allston, clerk and typist, $48 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Leo E. Diamond, 20 Bellevue road, Wakefield, head clerk, $90.50 a week.

Leonard L. Pasciucco, 5 Fernald terrace, Dorchester, cashier, $70.50 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Ruth C. Harding, 29 Blue Hill avenue, Roxbury, hospital kitchen worker, $48 a week.

Vera McDonough, 1 Trull street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Violette Mulready, 20 East Brookline street, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Donald Steele, 3243 Washington street, first-class steam fireman, $65.50 a week.

Claire Mulligan, 127 Montclair avenue, Roslindale, laboratory assistant, $45.50 a week.

Estelle Kantos, 103 Hemenway street, physical therapist, $58 a week.

Louise Brooks, 308 Commonwealth avenue, physical therapist, $58 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

Winifred Wall, 21 Bullard street, Dorchester, part-time registered graduate nurse, $1.70 an hour.

Mary Floyd, 249 Shore Drive, Winthrop, licensed attendant nurse, $58 a week.

Claire Bowles, 34 Gladeside street, Mattapan, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Long Island Division.

Frank M. Harvey, 328 Centre street, Dorchester, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

Archie Ellis, 25 North Anderson street, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 27.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
James Pino	9 Barbara street	19	Alterations, dwelling	$2
Trustee of Boston University	531 Beacon street	5	Alterations, dwelling	2
Harry Hammacher	844 Beacon street	21	Alterations, dwelling	2
Reporg Corporation	25 Buick street	21	Alterations, warehouse	2
Blanche Brooks	150–152 Cabot street	9	Alterations, dwelling	2
Evelyn Zuker	48 Chelsea street	2	Alterations, dwelling	2
Guy Forvero	91 Claybourne street	17	Alterations, dwelling	2
Undulis Kaps	47 Custer street	19	Alterations, dwelling	2
Robert Reed	48 Dracut street	16	Alterations, dwelling	2
Edward O'Brien	731 East Fifth street	6	Alterations, dwelling	2
James Miles	50 Edgewood street	12	Alterations, dwelling	2
Paul Lorecchio	298 Fuller street	17	Alterations, dwelling	2
Robert Lindblad	21 Gibson street	16	Alterations, dwelling	2
Antonio Wesolowski	24–26 Gordon avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	2
Bronislava Grazer	346 K street	7	Alterations, dwelling	2
John Sullivan	202 L street	7	Alterations, dwelling	2
Simon McKinnon	272 Lamartine street	19	Alterations, dwelling	2
Antonio Ferri	41 Livermore street	18	Alterations, dwelling	250
Santo Salemi	73 Lubec street	1	Alterations, dwelling	2
James McDonough	45 Lyon street	15	Alterations, dwelling	2
Mary Reiser	389–391 Main street	2	Alterations, dwelling, store	2
Samuel Neudstadt	106 Montabello road	11	Alterations, dwelling	500
Angelo Cefalo	11 Parkman street	3	Alterations, dwelling, store	2
Paul Walker	53 Rutland square	4	Alterations, dwelling	135
Paul Walker	55 Rutland square	4	Alterations, dwelling	2
Helena Drennan	36 St. Margaret street	7	Alterations, dwelling	2
Domenic Caruso	64 School street	11	Alterations, dwelling	2
Rose Baird	20 Taft Hill terrace	20	Alterations, dwelling	400
Arthur Kane	7 Vinton street	7	Alterations, dwelling	1,400
Patience J. O'Connell	12 Walter street	18	Alterations, dwelling	2
Albert Stackpole	838 Washington street	17	Alterations, dwelling	2
Beatrice Hoberman	2679 Washington street	9	Alterations, dwelling	2
General Alloys	405 West First street	6	Alterations, office	450
Thomas Sullivan	76 Wyman street	10	Alterations, dwelling	2
John Bennotti	19 Bay State road	5	Alterations, offices	890
Brandiger Estate	230 Clarendon street	5	Alterations, store, office	100
Berger Realty, Incorporated	273–275 Congress street	3	Alterations, manufacturing, office	100
Clorox Chemical Company	125 Guest street	22	Alterations, excavation	600
Howard Golden	174 Lamartine street	19	Alterations, warehouse	150
Marion Lukaw	128 M street	6	Alterations, dwelling	200
Catherine O'Brien	27 Parker street	2	Alterations, dwelling	140
First Church in Roxbury	160 Roxbury street	9	Alterations, church	16,000
John Pavides	21 Thomas Park	7	Alterations, dwelling	175
Damil Saari	11 Trenton street	1	Alterations, dwelling	125
Damil Saari	15 Trenton street	1	Alterations, dwelling	125
Daniel Dean	152 West Third street	6	Alterations, dwelling	175
Lincoln Construction Co	564 Adams street	16	Erecting, dwelling	15,000
Boston Housing Authority	10 Albert street	10	Erecting, boiler room	200,000
H. P. Hood	20 Anson street	11	Alterations, distributing station	3,000
Ellen Hart	1500 Blue Hill avenue	18	Erecting, retaining wall	3,200
Thomas McCusker	1454 Centre street	20	Erecting, garage	1,355
James McDonough	2403 Centre street	20	Erecting, dwelling	9,000
Mutual Service Construction	2626 Centre street	20	Erecting, dwelling	9,000
Mutual Service Construction	2630 Centre street	20	Erecting, dwelling	9,000
Mutual Service Construction	2634 Centre street	20	Erecting, dwelling	9,000
Mutual Service Construction	2638 Centre street	20	Erecting, dwelling	9,000
Harvard Club of Boston	374 Commonwealth avenue	5	Alterations, club	3,000
Second Bank State Bank	8 Congress street	3	Alterations, bank	3,000
Archbishop Cushing	190 Cummins Highway	19	Alterations, schoolhouse	30,000
Myrtie A. Shedd	421 River street	18	Alterations, dwelling	2
H. P. Hood	56 Roland street	2	Alterations, manufacturing, office	5,000
Joseph Gottlieb	122 Seaver street	12	Alterations, use premises	None
Joseph Gottlieb	122 Seaver street	12	Alterations, gas station	None
Soldiers Field Food, Inc.	Soldiers Field	22	Erecting, restaurant	$375,000
Lawrence Caparella	676–680 Truman Highway	18	Alterations, stores	2
Eastern Racing Association	111 Waldemar avenue	1	Alterations, grandstand	7,000
George Vlahos	59 Walnut street	20	Alterations, dwelling	2
Rockland Atlas Bank	1335 Washington street	3	Alterations, bank	16,000
Mabel Etts	39 Addington street	20	Alterations, dwelling	900
C. Gerald Murdy	12 Allenwood street	20	Alterations, dwelling	490
Anthony Bernabei	54 Barnes avenue	1	Alterations, dwelling	250
Ena Spinney	67 Bartlett street	9	Alterations, dwelling	300
George Robert White Fund	190 Boylston street	5	Alterations, store, offices	600
John E. McEvoy	29 Brookdale street	19	Alterations, dwelling	500
St. James Church	50 Cedar street	11	Alterations, church	350
Margaret M. O'Connor	199 Chestnut avenue	19	Alterations, garage	25
61 Trust	61 Chestnut street	5	Alterations, dwelling	150
W. Palter	316 A-B Dudley street	8	Alterations, dwelling, stores	860
Bron Simon	722 East Eighth street	7	Alterations, dwelling	1,500
John and Eileen Doherty	15 Edgemont street	20	Alterations, dwelling	25
Bradford Amirault	25 Glide street	16	Alterations, dwelling	528
Antonio Mangelli	5 Grove street	3	Alterations, dwelling, store	775
Harold T. Hicks	85 Harvard street	14	Alterations, dwelling	892
John Blagdon	160 Lasell street	20	Alterations, dwelling	395
Nathan Pearlman	283 Main street	2	Alterations, store	125
Samuel M. Sidman	11 Mallard street	17	Alterations, dwelling	135
Helen Wormsly	46 Munroe street	12	Alterations, dwelling	500
Charles Robinson	191 Neponset avenue	16	Alterations, dwelling	830
A. Serenci	22 Neptune road	1	Alterations, dwelling	985
I. Rosenberg	65 Nightingale street	14	Alterations, dwelling	375
Sam Slavet	62 Phillips street	3	Alterations, dwelling	292
Charles Crowell	52 Samoset street	16	Alterations, dwelling	250
J. Incrovato	520 Saratoga street	1	Alterations, dwelling	890
J. Impemba	608 Saratoga street	1	Alterations, dwelling	785
Mr. Fishman	119 Savin Hill avenue	13	Alterations, store	100
Fifty Associates	42 Stuart street	3	Alterations, restaurant	900
George D. Haimonis	343 Tremont street	4	Alterations, cafe	875

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 27.—Concluded.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
John Quinn	3 Walnut Street court	16	Alterations, dwelling	$435
Cleveland Brown	47 Waumbeck street	12	Alterations, dwelling	579
Herbert Goodwin	31 Willis street	7	Alterations, dwelling	987
Margaret Esler	378 Adams street	16	Alterations, dwelling	200
Louis Charney	155 Addison street	1	Alterations, storage	900
Commonwealth of Mass	9-13 Albany street	3	Alterations	3,000
Commonwealth of Mass	17 Albany street	3	Alterations	1,500
Commonwealth of Mass	21 Albany street	3	Alterations	1,500
Commonwealth of Mass	23-29 Albany street	3	Alterations	3,500
Jones De Berry	37 Albion street	5	Alterations, dwelling	500
Adas Israel	28 Arlington street	18	Alterations, Synagogue	100
Commonwealth of Mass	74-76 Beech street	3	Alterations	1,600
Jane Delletier	59 Beluel street	18	Alterations, dwelling	600
Nick Strombolis	261 Bennington street	1	Alterations, dwelling, store	250
S. Showstack	219 Callender street	11	Alterations, dwelling	400
Nathaniel Williams	520 Columbus avenue	4	Alterations, dwelling, store	75
Robert Tillinghuist	280 Commonwealth avenue	5	Alterations, dwelling	40
Carmello Amine	139 Cottage street	1	Alterations, dwelling	250
Henry Powers	18-20 Dorset street	7	Alterations, dwelling	400
Robert McColgan	22-24 Dorset street	7	Alterations, dwelling	400
DiNatale	6 Ericsson street	16	Alterations, dwelling	90
Francis Leary	25 Hillside street	10	Alterations, dwelling	900
Commonwealth of Mass	139 Kingston street	3	Alterations	1,500
Commonwealth of Mass	142-144 Kingston street	3	Alterations	1,800
Commonwealth of Mass	143 Kingston street	3	Alterations	1,500
Commonwealth of Mass	145 Kingston street	3	Alterations	2,500
Commonwealth of Mass	157 Kingston street	3	Alterations	1,500
Milland Bolden	224 Lamartine street	19	Alterations, dwelling	830
Commonwealth of Mass	36 Lincoln street	3	Alterations	1,800
Commonwealth of Mass	42-40 Lincoln street	3	Alterations	1,800
Commonwealth of Mass	44-46 Lincoln street	3	Alterations	2,200
Commonwealth of Mass	48-52 Lincoln street	3	Alterations	2,000
Commonwealth of Mass	93-63 Lincoln street	3	Alterations	3,000
Commonwealth of Mass	117-125 Lincoln street	3	Alterations	200
John Antoniewicz	48-50 Mt. Vernon street	7	Alterations, dwelling	985
Ernestine Struzzieri	24 Neptune road	1	Alterations, dwelling	100
Shawmut Bank	231 Northampton street	6	Alterations, bank	90
Helen Wiclelin	718 Oakdale street	19	Alterations, dwelling	500
Nick Strombolis	81 Prescott street	1	Alterations, dwelling, store	200
Archbishop Cushing	336 Saratoga street	1	Alterations, church	1,000
Commonwealth of Mass	16-26 South street	3	Alterations	1,800
Commonwealth of Mass	31 and 33 South street	3	Alterations	2,500
Commonwealth of Mass	25 and 27 South street	3	Alterations	2,000
Commonwealth of Mass	37 and 39 South street	3	Alterations	1,800
Commonwealth of Mass	67-71 South street	3	Alterations	3,000
Joseph Oliveira	33 Stanley street	15	Alterations, dwelling	425
Frank Jacobs	38 Tower street	11	Alterations, dwelling	950
Bernard Kesselman	38 Wayne street	12	Alterations, dwelling	550
Ben Ginsberg	202 West First street	6	Alterations, manufacturing	300
Caroline Levees	90 Weatland avenue	4	Alterations, dwelling, store	90
Frank Amato	26 White street	1	Alterations, dwelling	400
Paine Furniture	81 Arlington street	5	Alterations, store	500
Ralph Matarazzo	71 Bowdoin avenue	14	Alterations, dwelling	750
Curtis Booker	90 Bower street	12	Alterations, dwelling	275
Pericles V. Voutas	383 Columbus avenue	4	Alterations, dwelling, cafe	100
Thomas Kelley	128 Conant street	10	Alterations, dwelling	1,300
Louise Keenan Devlin	71 Dwinell street	20	Alterations, dwelling	75
Nicholas Blundo	137 Falcon street	1	Alterations, dwelling	400
Elgina J. Judge	21 Farmington road	20	Alterations, dwelling	270
United Realty Company	19 and 21 Field street	4	Alterations, dwelling	650
United Realty Company	19A Field street	4	Alterations, dwelling	500
John Stratford	41 Glide street	16	Alterations, dwelling	320
John Ellis	195 and 197 High street	3	Alterations, office	720
Mrs. Frank Nurse	114 Howland street	12	Alterations, dwelling	600
Mary Kearney	17 Lawley street	16	Alterations, dwelling	100
Milton Silverman	20 Lenoxdale avenue	16	Alterations, dwelling	275
United Realty Company	26 and 28 Leon street	4	Alterations, dwelling	700
Carmelo Nicolesi	319 Maverick street	1	Alterations, dwelling	175
Morris M. Cohen	368 Norfolk street	14	Alterations, dwelling, store	2,500
Angela Grandolfi	93 Orleans street	1	Alterations, dwelling, store	450
Edward Belson	11 Robin street	20	Alterations, dwelling	360
Annie MacKendnot	221 West Fifth street	6	Alterations, dwelling	1,410
Ace Dairy Foods, Inc.	155 Addison street	1	Alterations, dairy	7,500
Ace Dairy Foods, Inc.	113 Addison street	1	Alterations, storage	500
Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co.	300-316 Babcock street	21	Alterations, warehouse	500
Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co.	300-316 Babcock street	21	Storage	115,000
Grace Russo	499 Beech street	18	Alterations, storage	—
Thomas Proctor	73 Beacon street	5	Alterations, dwelling	17,000
Robert Markson	350 Beacon street	5	Alterations, dwelling	2
Massachusetts Indemnity Co.	654 Beacon street	5	Alterations, offices	16,000
Lawrence Stanford	19 Beryl street	20	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
June Waldman	187 Blue Hill avenue	12	Alterations, dwelling, store	2,000
Gerald Leary	112 Bolton street	6	Alterations, dwelling	180
Thomas Cataldo	75 Brook Farm road	20	Dwelling	9,000
Peter Kovipoulos	67 and 69 Brookley road	11	Alterations, dwelling	300
Agnes Moruzzi	371 Cambridge street	21	Gas station	14,000
Falcione Brothers	75 Christopher street	16	Alterations, storage	7,200
Franklin Fund, Incorporated	1 Circuit square	12	Alterations, dwelling	2
Franklin Fund, Incorporated	2 Circuit square	12	Alterations, dwelling	2
Franklin Fund, Incorporated	3 Circuit square	12	Alterations, dwelling	2
Franklin Fund, Incorporated	40 Circuit street	12	Alterations, dwelling	2
J. L. Brandegee *et al*	232 Clarendon street	5	Alterations, stores, office	2
William Small	55 Colchester street	18	Alterations, dwelling	800
Martha Mickelovitch	200 Columbus avenue	5	Lubritorium	20,000
Thomas Toohill	3 Cufflin street	22	Alterations, dwelling	3,000
Flax Realty	29 Dana street	18	Dwelling	10,000
H. J. Ellis, Jr.	49 Englewood avenue	21	Alterations, dwelling	2,000
Ralph Puopolo	142 Everett street	1	Alterations, dwelling	2
Fremont Brothers, Inc.	54 Gainsboro street	1	Alterations, dwelling, store	2
Gertrude McManaman	267 and 269 Gallivan Boulevard	17	Alterations, dwelling	2
Dorchester Development Co.	273 Gallivan Boulevard	16	Dwelling	10,000
Henry J. Cavanaugh	10 Goff street	18	Dwelling	7,000
Joseph Belcastro	11 Gould street	20	Dwelling	9,000
Curry Realty Company	560 Harrison avenue	8	Alterations, manufacturing	4,000
Huntington Realty Trust	900 Huntington avenue	10	Alterations, dwelling, store	700
Charles Malta	650 LaGrange street	20	Dwelling	9,000

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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Parks and Recreation Department.

Mary F. Sullivan, 1185 Boylston street, matron, $50.50 a week.

Welfare Department.

Central Office.

Mary E. Connolly, 17 Twomey court, South Boston, clerk and typist, $48 a week.

Ruth B. Gould, 52 Greylock road, Newton, social worker, $65.50 a week.

Promotions.

Boston Traffic Commission.

James E. Daley, 677 Dudley street, Roxbury, from traffic signal supervisor at $94 a week to traffic signal supervisor at $98.75 a week.

Henry T. Barry, 88 Norton street, Dorchester, from clerk and typist at $48 a week to senior clerk (temporary) at $55.50 a week.

John J. Jason, 67 Hillside street, Roxbury, from traffic sign supervisor at $90.50 a week to traffic sign supervisor at $98.75 a week.

Marco Termine, 32 Parmenter street, from traffic sign maintenance man at $58 a week to parking meter collector (temporary) at $60.50 a week.

Joseph A. Crowley, 9 Bird street, Dorchester, from senior clerk at $68.29 a week to senior traffic investigator at $77.87 a week.

Henry L. Cadwell, 94 Forest Hills street, Jamaica Plain, from senior clerk at $75.96 a week to senior traffic investigator at $76.50 a week.

Changes in Status.

Assessing Department.

John B. Buckley, 54 Calumet street, Roxbury, from principal clerk at $80 a week to title examiner (temporary, 6 months) at $83.50 a week.

Building Department.

Arthur E. Burke, 88 Draper street, Dorchester, from senior clerk at $65.50 a week to cashier (temporary transfer) at $68 a week.

Fire Department.

James A. Donovan, Jr., 320 Adams street, Dorchester, from fire fighter at $77.58 a week to fire lieutenant at $89.46 a week.

Leo C. Driscoll, 58 Whitten street, Dorchester, from deputy fire chief at $146.55 a week to assistant fire chief in charge of personnel and training (temporary, 6 months) at $165.71 a week.

Health Department.

Katherine D. Fitzgerald, 31 Harbor View street, Dorchester, from public health educator at $83.50 a week to director of public health education at $90.50 a week.

Public Works Department.

Automotive Division.

James H. Stewart, 35 West Eagle street, East Boston, from automotive engineer at $108.25 a week to division engineer (temporary) at $151 a week.

John F. Murphy, 726 East Eighth street, South Boston, from senior clerk and typist (temporary) at $58 a week to senior clerk and typist at $58 a week.

Bridge Division.

John V. Sullivan, 86 Charles street, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior account clerk (temporary) at $55.50 a week.

Highway Division.

William D. Walsh, 31 Larchmont street, Dorchester, from junior engineering aid at $58 a week to senior engineering aid (temporary) at $65.50 a week.

Sanitary Division.

Arnold E. McGee, 364 Harrison avenue, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week to heavy motor equipment operator and laborer at $65.50 a week.

Sewer Division.

Clifford L. Kennedy, 27 Ansonia road, West Roxbury, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week to sewer cleaner (temporary) at $63 a week.

Survey Division.

Michael J. Corrao, 8 Moon street, from head clerk at $90.50 a week to assistant executive secretary (temporary) at $103.50 a week.

Tunnel Division.

Walter J. Tigges, 25 Thurston street, East Boston, from working foreman machine maintenance repairman at $76.50 a week to maintenance mechanic foreman (temporary) at $80 a week.

Water Division.

Thomas J. Burke, 100 Granite avenue, Dorchester, from working foreman laborer at $60.50 a week to water service maintenance man at $63 a week.

Arthur J. Austin, 487 Dudley street, Roxbury, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week to water service maintenance man at $63 a week.

Michael F. Prendergast, 8 Adams street, Dorchester, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week to water service maintenance man at $63 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Mary E. Duffy, 62 Bellevue street, Dorchester, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior clerk and typist at $55.50 a week.

Helen Gallagher, 32 Wall street, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior clerk and typist at $55.50 a week.

Cynthia A. Collins, 24 Mercier avenue, Dorchester, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior clerk and typist at $55.50 a week.

Transfers.

AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

William J. Coughlin, Jr., 619 Adams street, Dorchester, from Public Works Department (Automotive Division) as principal account clerk at $76.50 a week to Auditing Department as principal account clerk at $76.50 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Long Island Division.

Joseph G. Spinale, 38 Staniford street, from Hospital Department (Main Division) as hospital laundry worker at $48 a week to Hospital Department (Long Island Division) as hospital kitchen worker at $48 a week.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Mary A. Campbell, 1471 Centre street, Roslindale, from School Committee as secretary, day elementary and junior high schools at $3,376 a year to Law Department as senior clerk and stenographer at $60.50 a week.

Leaves of Absence.

ELECTION DEPARTMENT.

Philip Kosky, 20 Kerwin street, Dorchester, assistant registrar of voters, $80 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Catherine McCarthy, 87 Hamilton street, Dorchester, elevator operator, $53 a week.

Step-Rate Increases.

AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

John Flanagan, Jr., supervisor of statistical machines, from $87 to $90.50 a week.

Arthur A. McGill, principal account examiner, from $87 to $90.50 a week.

Constance Perruzzi, senior statistical machine operator, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Thomas F. O'Brien, head clerk, from $90.50 to $94 a week.

Charles J. Donnelly, interior electrical inspector, from $83.50 to $87 a week.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

John T. Aleks, fire fighter, from $77.58 to $79.50 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Francis W. Gens, director, Section of Environmental Sanitation, from $117.75 to $122.50 a week.

Francis A. Berrigan, chief, Bureau of Housing and Sanitation, from $98.75 to $103.50 a week.

Joseph Sweet (formerly Savisky), media man, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

William D. Byard, assistant public health chemist, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Long Island Division.

Thomas J. Moran, guard, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Henry C. Gaunt, clerk-typist, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

John W. Healy, senior clerk-typist, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Wilson I. Hedley, senior clerk-typist, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Mary L. Muldoon, senior clerk-typist, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Johanna O'Donnell, head nurse, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Lydia J. Sullivan, telephone operator, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Mary C. Bacon, attendant nurse, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Alice M. Bostwick, attendant nurse, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Henry F. Bryson, attendant nurse, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Arthur M. Driscoll, hospital laundry worker, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Daniel J. Duffy, attendant nurse, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

James J. Farren, attendant nurse, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Winifred Fitzpatrick, hospital house worker, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

William E. Hughes, hospital house worker, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Margaret V. Morgan, attendant nurse, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Francis J. Roche, hospital laundry worker, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Alice D. Reddy, hospital kitchen worker, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Anna M. Shields, attendant nurse, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Mary A. Sullivan, graduate practical nurse, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

Elgina T. Whitcomb, attendant nurse, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Cemetery Division.

Francis E. Harkins, grave digger, from $55.50 to $60.50 a week.

Attilio Orlando, grave digger, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Thomas Prendergast, grave digger, from $53 to $60.50 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Sanitary Division.

James F. Kane, street cleaning and waste collection inspector, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Joseph V. Crimi, street cleaning and waste collection inspector, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Vincent Imprescia, laborer, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

John F. Lynch, laborer, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Domenico Vasile, laborer, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Bertrand F. P. Pratt, blacksmith's helper, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Civil Business.

Grace E. Brown, principal clerk, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Gertrude Cotter, principal clerk, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Thomas P. O'Connor, principal clerk, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

John P. Connolly, principal clerk, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Mary V. Rourke, senior clerk, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

J. Alice Coughlin, senior clerk, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Alice L. Donovan, senior clerk, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Christine M. Hansen, clerk, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Eleanor R. Barbanti, clerk, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Jean P. Reilly, clerk, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following requests:

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

For pumping flood waters, caused by the heavy rains of August 18 and 19, from hospitals, public buildings, business establishments, and homes, on August 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 27, 29, 30, and 31:

Fire Captains.

Walter F. Peters, 14 hours, $29.96.

Walter A. Maraghy, 14 hours, $29.96.

Fire Lieutenants.

Robert E. Regan, 11 hours, $20.79.

Frederick J. Timmins, 14 hours, $27.58.

Biaggi Germano, 10 hours, $18.90.

Joseph P. Hession, 10 hours, $18.90.

William M. McGourty, 14 hours, $26.46.

Vincent P. McBrine, 20 hours, $37.80.

Edward J. Hurley, 14 hours, $26.46.

John A. Dovi, 14 hours, $26.46.
John P. O'Malley, 10 hours, $18.90.
Matthew F. Espinola, 10 hours, $18.90.
George L. Rooney, 10 hours, $18.90.

Firefighters.

Paul F. Lombard, 10 hours, $15.60.
Walter J. Doyle, 14 hours, $22.40.
Casimir E. Ekler, 10 hours, $15.60.
Alonzo P. Brooks, 14 hours, $21.84.
William A. Tassinari, 14 hours, $21.84.
Leonard A. D'Amico, 10 hours, $15.60.
Franklin E. Lawrence, 10 hours, $16.
Bernard McEachern, 14 hours, $21.84.
John S. Kane, 10 hours, $15.60.
Paul W. Keefe, 14 hours, $22.40.
Joseph E. Hughes, Jr., 14 hours, $21.84.
John C. McLaughlin, 14 hours, $22.40.
Frank R. Altimar, 14 hours, $21.84.
John T. Maher, 14 hours, $21.84.
Thomas W. Nee, 14 hours, $21.84.
Wilfred R. Powell, 14 hours, $21.84.
William J. Walsh, 10 hours, $15.60.
Edward E. Hall, 10 hours, $16.60.
Frank J. Lang, 14 hours, $21.84.
Michele A. DePesa, 10 hours, $15.60.
Walter E. Vitt, 10 hours, $15.60.
Fred L. Finn, 10 hours, $16.
John J. Hurley, Jr., 10 hours, $15.60.
Robert H. Lundquist, 10 hours, $15.60.
Paul V. Manning, 10 hours, $15.60.
John J. Power, 7 hours, $11.62.
Robert K. Waggett, 14 hours, $21.84.
James J. Loftus, 12 hours, $18.72.
Bernard J. Kennedy, 14 hours, $21.84.
Timothy J. Kerins, 14 hours, $21.84.
Joseph J. McNeil, 10 hours, $15.60.
George J. Mullen, 15 hours, $24.
John J. McKenna, 10 hours, $15.60.
Joseph Muscato, 14 hours, $21.84.
Thomas R. Clancy, 6 hours, $9.36.
Carleton W. Mayer, 16 hours, $25.60.
John P. Ward, 6 hours, $9.36.
Francis J. Spacco, 10 hours, $15.60.
Frederick Coffey, 14 hours, $21.84.
Charles G. Ducles, 14 hours, $21.84.
Lawrence J. Hunter, 14 hours, $21.84.
Joseph A. Middleton, 10 hours, $15.60.
John J. Reardon, 14 hours, $22.40.
Stephen S. Sangas, 10 hours, $16.
John F. Denehy, 16 hours, $25.60.
Edmund F. Doherty, 10 hours, $15.60.
James Mahoney, 14 hours, $22.40.
John Doldt, 10 hours, $15.60.
James M. Goodfellow, 10 hours, $16.
Frank E. Utley, 14 hours, $22.40
Kristos A. Apostol, 10 hours, $15.60.
Thomas F. Kilday, 14 hours, $21.84.
John J. McInnis, 10 hours, $14.70.
Francis W. Veino, 10 hours, $15.60.
Frank J. Eckler, 5½ hours, $8.80.
Charles L. Stokinger, 16 hours, $23.52.
William H. Woods, 5½ hours, $8.58.
Frank F. Bucelwicz, 10 hours, $16.
John J. Considine, 10 hours, $15.60.
James J. Devancy, 14 hours, $22.40.
John P. Fallon, 14 hours, $19.74.
Lawrence F. Ford, 14 hours, $21.84.
George T. Searles, 14 hours, $21.84.
Martin J. Brennan, 10 hours, $15.60.
Stephen J. Gabrick, 10 hours, $15.60.
Philip R. Loring, Jr., 24 hours, $37.44.
Joseph J. Otto, 14 hours, $22.40.
Frank A. Qualls, 20½ hours, $32.80.
Joseph G. Brennan, 14 hours, $21.84.
Donald R. Gummerson, 14 hours, $21.84.
John M. Hanley, 10 hours, $16.
John F. Regan, 10 hours, $15.60.
Daniel A. Collins, 11 hours, $17.60.
Felix F. Cosgrove, 14 hours, $21.84.
Joseph A. Ferrari, 10 hours, $15.60.
Everett J. Hassell, 10 hours, $16.60.
Thomas F. Lane, 14 hours, $21.84.
Henry D. Sacco, 14 hours, $22.40.
Francis P. Tierney, 14 hours, $21.84.
Archibald A. MacInnis, 10 hours, $16.
Edward J. Paris, 10 hours, $15.60.
Melvin F. Upton, 14 hours, $21.84.
Richard J. Harrington, 10 hours, $15.60.
Andrew M. Kelly, 10 hours, $15.60.
Anthony Cataldo, 10 hours, $15.60.
John E. Kelley, 24 hours, $37.44.
Leslie W. Magoon, 10 hours, $15.60.
William D. McHugh, 10 hours, $14.70.
Leo F. Mooney, 26 hours, $40.56.
Robert D. Healy, 14 hours, $21.84.
Robert C. Hooley, 14 hours, $21.84.
Dominic J. Kolonovich, 14 hours, $21.84.
Robert E. Small, 10 hours, $15.60.
John F. McCarthy, 10 hours, $15.60.
Edward J. Higgins, 10 hours, $16.
William H. Irvine, 14 hours, $21.84.
Bernard J. Judge, 10 hours, $16.60.
Gerald E. Murphy, 10 hours, $15.60.
Matthew Nihill, 10 hours, $15.60.
John M. Osmun, 14 hours, $21.84.
Theodore M. Brown, 10 hours, $15.60.
Timothy J. Sullivan, 10 hours, $15.60.
William J. Carey, Jr., 10 hours, $15.60.
William J. Lammers, 14 hours, $21.84.
John L. Glynn, 20 hours, $32.
Paul R. Cardoza, 14 hours, $21.84.
Paul V. Doherty, 10 hours, $15.60.
Paul J. Hastings, 14 hours, $21.84.
Frank P. Meroski, 10 hours, $15.60.
John J. Glennon, Jr., 14 hours, $21.84.
Michael Liotta, 15 hours, $24.
Louis J. Civitarese, 14 hours, $22.54.
John J. McSweeney, 14 hours, $21.84.
Albert J. Munichello, 10 hours, $16.
Stanley F. Czarnowski, 10 hours, $15.60.
Frederick J. Grenier, 14 hours, $21.84.
Phillip P. O'Donnell, 10 hours, $15.60.
Francis J. Stevens, 14 hours, $21.84.
Peter J. Altomare, 10 hours, $15.60.
Frederick J. Barrett, 28 hours, $43.68.
Morley J. Carter, 10 hours, $15.60.
Frank W. Goyette, 14 hours, $22.40.
William F. Kelleher, 10 hours, $15.60.
Robert W. Nelson, 10 hours, $15.60.
Gaspare G. Panciocco, 14 hours, $21.84.
Kenneth E. Liddell, 10 hours, $16.
Harold E. Boyd, 34 hours, $59.16.
Martin J. Carney, 28 hours, $47.04.
Alfred J. Cataldo, 48 hours, $78.72.
Michael A. Connolly, 38 hours, $66.88.
John J. Doucette, 38 hours, $62.32.
David I. Driscoll, 38 hours, $81.32.
William J. Grady, 52 hours, $87.36.
Raymon S. Jewell, 34 hours, $59.84.
John J. Madden, 34 hours, $59.84.
William S. McCarthy, 52 hours, $85.28.
James F. McGonagle, 59 hours, $102.66.
Francis G. Mearn, 38 hours, $62.32.
Francis P. O'Neil, 38 hours, $62.32.
Robert C. Pineo, 42 hours, $73.92.
Edward B. Rooney, Jr., 34 hours, $55.76.
Charles E. Seaboyer, 42 hours, $68.88.
John J. Sennett, Jr., 14 hours, $23.52.
John G. Shea, 66 hours, $110.88.
Roger E. Shea, 42 hours, $68.88.
John J. Walsh, 20 hours, $32.80.
Joseph F. Kilduff, deputy fire chief, maintenance, 14 hours, $42.
Antone M. Almeida, fire apparatus repairman, 28 hours, $57.50.
Harry C. Lambrecht, working foreman, fire apparatus repairman, 15 hours, $35.39.
Richard M. Mackey, garage attendant, 19 hours, $32.49.
James W. Marley, general foreman of fire department maintenance, 52 hours, $84.10.
Harold G. Washington, fire apparatus repairman, 15 hours, $31.45.
Patrick Connell, blacksmith, 8 hours, $21.12.
Willam J. Forster, Jr., heavy motor equipment operator, 22½ hours, $50.58.
Anthony White, fire apparatus repairman, 3 hours, $7.92.
Head Clerk Rosemary L. Griffin, 16 hours at $3 an hour plus one day's pay at $18.80.
Head Clerk John F. O'Neil, 8 hours at $3 an hour plus one day's pay at $18.80.

Department of School Buildings.

For emergency work at the Trade School caused by flood damage at $3 an hour.

Ralph J. Goslin, 12 hours; Jeremiah F. Shea, 26 hours; John J. Murphy, 31 hours; Thomas F. Donnelly, 54 hours; William N. Moran, 12 hours.

Welfare Department.

For emergency work caused by flood damage:

Anne Hanley, Helen Mooney, social workers, 5 hours each; John O'Gorman, social worker, 6 hours; Austin O'Malley, social work supervisor, 15 hours; John Rowlinson, social worker, 5 hours; Lillian Zilg, social work supervisor, 5 hours.

VETERANS' RETIREMENTS.

The Mayor has approved the following veterans' applications for retirement:

Joseph Pettigrossi (alias Guiseppi Pettigrossi) (alias Carmine Maria Giuseppe Pettigrosso), 3 Howard avenue, Dorchester, hospital house worker, Main Division, Hospital Department.

Daniel J. Galvin, 47 Mendum street, Roslindale, cooperative instructor, Brighton High School.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award the contracts for work, materials, and supplies, in accordance with recommendations of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

Administrative Services Department.

Purchasing Division.

Upon September 22 the Mayor approved a contract with lowest bidders for furnishing flour to the various city departments from October 1, 1955, to December 31, 1955, inclusive. Approximate total amounts of awards were as follows:

Contract for Thurman Company, $8,906, net.

Order for American Flour Company, $872.85, net.

Bids, opened September 7, were as follows:

Flour.

Item 1. Approximately 1,525 Bags Bread Flour, 100-Pound Bags, New Cotton Bags, Per Bag.—American Flour Company, $6.29; Radio Foods Corporation, $6.45; Thurman Company, $5.84.*

Item 2. Approximately 165 Bags Pastry Flour, 100-Pound Bags, New Cotton Bags, Per Bag.—American Flour Company, $5.29*; Radio Foods Corporation, $5.40; Thurman Company, $5.37.

Mill Brands of Flour.—American Flour Company, American Special (bread), Boston Light (pastry); Radio Foods Corporation, Merlin, manufacturers, International Milling Company (bread), Softwhite, manufacturers, G.L.F. Coop. Flour Exchange, Inc. (pastry); Thurman Company, Contender (bread), Genesee (pastry).

Discount.—American Flour Company, net; Radio Foods Corporation, net, delivered; Thurman Company, net.

* Contract awarded.

Upon September 22 the Mayor approved a contract with low bidders as indicated for furnishing hay, grain and straw to the various city departments from October 1, 1955, to December 31, 1955, inclusive. Approximate total amounts of awards were as follows:

Contract for Thomas F. Culkeen, $12,014.05, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Orders for John J. White Company, $187.56, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids, opened September 8, were as follows:

Hay, Grain and Straw.

Item 1. 30 Tons of Dairy Ration, 16 Per Cent (Flory, Yellow Tag or Wirthmore Record), Per Ton.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $69.70*; John J. White Company, $71.30.

Item 2. 50 Tons U. S. No. 1 Timothy Hay, Per Ton.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $35.35*; John J. White Company, $39.

Item 3. 10 Tons U. S. No. 2 Timothy Hay, Per Ton.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $34.35*; John J. White Company, $38.

Item 4. 30 Tons U. S. No. 1 Clover Mixed Hay, Approximately 40 Per Cent Clover, Per Ton.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $35.35*; John J. White Company, $43.

Item 5. 10 Tons U. S. No. 2 Clover Mixed Hay, Per Ton.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $34.35*; John J. White Company, $42.

Item 6. 80 Tons U. S. No. 1 Alfalfa Hay, Per Ton.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $51.40*; John J. White Company, $53.40.

Item 7. 10 Tons U. S. No. 2 Alfalfa Hay, Per Ton.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $50.40*; John J. White Company, $52.40.

Item 8. 3 Tons Oat Straw, Per Ton.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $27*; John J. White Company, $34.50.

Item 9. 6 Tons Crimped Oats, Per Ton.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $62.50*; John J. White Company, $66.75.

Item 10. 1,000 Pounds Whole Oats, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $3.05*; John J. White Company, $3.10.

Item 11. 800 Pounds Baying Pellets, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $3.85*; John J. White Company, $4.75.

Item 12. 2,000 Pounds Whole Corn, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $3.35*; John J. White Company, $3.55.

Item 13. 6,000 Pounds Sheep and Goat Ration, Wirthmore, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $3.95.*

Item 14. 2,600 Pounds Cracked Corn, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $3.35*; John J. White Company, $3.60.

Item 15. 2,600 Pounds Pigeon Feed (Philadelphia), Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $6.95*; John J. White Company, $7.40.

Item 16. 500 Pounds Wheat, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $3.90*; John J. White Company, $4.50.

Item 17. 800 Pounds Sunflower Seed, Large Size, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $13.75*; John J. White Company, $17.

Item 18. 2,000 Pounds Bran, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $3.10*; John J. White Company, $3.35.

Item 19. 400 Pounds Mockingbird Food, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $28; John J. White Company, $27.90.*

Item 20. 3,000 Pounds Scratch Feed, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $3.60*; John J. White Company, $4.

Item 21. 1,000 Pounds Rabbit Pellets, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $4.60*; John J. White Company, $5.65.

Item 22. 1,800 Pounds Sheep Food, Omolene, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $4.55; John J. White Company, $4.22.*

Item 23. 2,000 Pounds Rat Chow, Purina, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $9*; John J. White Company, $9.25.

Item 24. 100 Pounds Hemp Seed, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $18.25*; John J. White Company, $18.50.

Item 25. 400 Pounds Canary Seed, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $16.90*; John J. White Company, $17.50.

Item 26. 1,000 Pounds Hog Feed, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $3.30*; John J. White Company, $3.85.

Item 27. 100 Pounds Linseed Meal' Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen' $4.60*; John J. White Company, $4.75.

Item 28. 1,000 Pounds Laying Mash, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $3.75*; John J. White Company, $4.65.

Item 29. 200 Pounds Millet (Extra Fine), Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $8.25*; John J. White Company, $8.50.

Discount.—Thomas F. Culkeen, 2 per cent, time of payment; John J. White Company, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Brand of Feeds Upon Which Bid Is Based.—Thomas F. Culkeen, Wirthmore, or equal; John J. White Company, Ralston Purina Company.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon September 22 the Mayor approved a contract with Mueller Company, for furnishing curb cocks to the Water Division of the Public Works Department. Approximate total amount of contract was $1,795, less 2 per cent discount, 15th proximo, net, 30 days, f.o.b. Decatur, Illinois, full freight allowed.

Bids, opened September 17, were as follows:

Requisition No. 397A.

500 ¾-Inch Curb Cocks for Copper Pipe, as Specified, Each.—Mueller Company, $3.59* Hays Manufacturing Company, $3.90 (Hays, No. 5155); Welsbach Corporation, $4.19.

Earliest Delivery Date.—Mueller Company, from stock (immediate); Hays Manufacturing Company, 300 pieces, 3 weeks, balance 8 weeks; Welsbach Corporation, 30 days.

Discount.—Mueller Company, 2 per cent, 15th proximo, net, 30 days; Hays Manufacturing Company, net; Welsbach Corporation, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Remarks.—Mueller Company, f.o.b. Decatur, Illinois, full freight allowed; Hays Manufacturing Company, *see* proposals.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon September 22 the Mayor approved a contract with George A. Hamlin, doing business as George A. Hamlin Company for furnishing copper tubing to the Water Division of the Public Works Department. Approximate total amount of contract was $3,140, less one half of 1 per cent discount for payment within 10 days.

Bids, opened September 13, were as follows:

Copper Tubing.

Requisition No. 389.

Item 1. 50 20-Foot Lengths, 1-Inch, Copper Tubing, Type K, As Specified, Per Foot.—George A. Hamlin Company, 62 cents*; Monroe Company of Boston, 63.29 cents.

Item 2. 50 20-Foot Lengths, 1½-Inch, Copper Tubing, Type K, As Specified, Per Foot.—George A. Hamlin Company, $1.02*; Monroe Company of Boston, $1.026.

Item 3. 50 20-Foot Lengths, 2-Inch, Copper Tubing, Type K, As Specified, Per Foot.—George A. Hamlin Company, $1.50*; Monroe Company of Boston, $1.5229.

Trade Name of Product Upon Which Bid is Based.—George A. Hamlin Company, United Wire Corporation; Monroe Company of Boston, Lewin-Mathes, Bridgeport Brass or Revere Copper and Brass.

Discount.—George A. Hamlin Company, one half of 1 per cent, 10 days; Monroe Company of Boston, one half of 1 per cent.

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—George A. Hamlin Company, Item 1, October, Item 2, October, Item 3, November; Monroe Company of Boston, Item 1, part at once, balance 45 days, Item 2, part at once, balance 45 days, Item 3, part at once, balance, 45 days.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon September 22 the Mayor approved a contract with George Coleman Bookbindery Company, Inc., for the binding of the Building Code for the Building Division of the Building Department. Approximate total amount of contract was $3,025, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bid, opened August 30, was as follows:

Item 1. 500 Copies Building Code, Sewed Book, Bound with Black, Slivar Grain Imitation Leather, As per Specifications, Each.—George Coleman Bookbindery Company, Inc., 74 cents (imitation gold), 77 cents (real gold leaf).

Item 2. 3,000 Copies Building Code, Loose-Leaf Style, Bound with Black, Lavant Grain Imitation Leather, As Per Specifications, Each.—George Coleman Bookbindery Company, Inc., 85 cents (imitation gold), 88 cents (real gold leaf).

Discount.—2 per cent, time of payment.

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—Item 1, 2 weeks, Item 2, partial delivery 2 to 3 weeks.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon September 22 the Mayor approved contracts with lowest bidders for furnishing laundry supplies to the various city departments from October 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, inclusive. Approximate total amounts of contracts will be as follows:

William G. Fitzsimmons, Inc., $2,285.74, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; Howe & French, Inc., $1,599.22, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids, opened September 8, were as follows:

Item 1. 15 Drums Sodium Acid Fluoride Technical Grade 375-Pound Drums, Per Pound.—William G. Fitzsimmons, Inc., 22 cents, 400 pounds, special Erusto salts; Howe & French, Inc., 19¾ cents*; Purity Chemical Company, Inc., $21 per hundredweight.

Item 2. 2 Kegs Sodium Acid Fluoride, Technical Grade, 125-Pound Drums, Per Pound.—William G. Fitzsimmons, Inc., 23 cents, 100 pounds, special Erusto salts; Howe & French, Inc., 22¾ cents*; Purity Chemical Company, Inc. ,$22 per hundredweight.

Item 3. 10 Drums H.T.H., 100-Pound Drums, Per Pound.—William G. Fitzsimmons, Inc., 28 cents*; Howe & French, Inc., $32.50 per hundredweight; Purity Chemical Company, Inc., $28.50 per

hundredweight; Chemical Corporation, 32.5 cents.

Item 4. 10 Bags Calgon, 100-Pound Bags, Per Pound.—William G. Fitzsimmons, Inc., 18¼ cents.*

Item 5. 12 Barrels Starch, Wheatex, or Equal, in 275-300-Pound Barrels, Per Pound.—William G. Fitzsimmons, Inc., 13½ cents, 280 pounds, Wheatex.*

Item 6. 50 Bags Soda Ash, Light, 58 Per Cent, 100-Pound Bags, Per Pound.—Howe & French, Inc., $3.30 per hundredweight*; Purity Chemical Company, Inc., $3.10 per hundredweight; Chemical Corporation, 3.4 cents.

Item 7. 12 Drums Caustic Soda, Flake, 76 Per Cent, 400-Pound Drums, Per Pound.—Howe & French, Inc., $5.55 per hundredweight*; Purity Chemical Company, Inc., $5.95 per hundredweight; Chemical Corporation, 62 cents.

Item 8. 35 Dozen Nylon Nets, 24-Inch x 36-Inch, 2 x 2 Ply, 260 Denier, Pioneer, or Equal, Per Dozen.—William G. Fitzsimmons, Inc., $16.35,* Pioneer.

Item 9. 10 Dozen Cotton Nets, 30-Inch x 40-Inch, Leno Type, 12-Pound Basis, Per Dozen.—William G. Fitzsimmons, Inc., $17.25.*

Item 10. Ironer Aprons, Clipper Laced, No. 3 Duck, Each.—William G. Fitzsimmons, Inc., $51.45 (a); $42.53 (b); $36.52 (c); $41.65 (d); $70.20 (e); $60.83 (f); $31.31 (g); $50.23 (h); $54.92 (i).

Discount.—William G. Fitzsimmons, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Howe & French, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Purity Chemical Company, Inc., 1 per cent, 30 days; Chemical Corporation, net, 30 days.

Remarks.—Purity Chemical Company, Inc., prices subject to change after January 1, 1956.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon September 23 the Mayor approved a contract with the Gamewell Company for furnishing fire alarm boxes to the Fire Alarm Shop of the Fire Department. Delivery of the fire alarm boxes is to begin within thirty days and to be completed within fifty days after receipt of order with code numbers. Approximate total amount of contract will be $10,875.00, net, thirty days.

Bids, opened August 17, were as follows:

Requisition No. 132.

Item 1. 75 Fire Alarm Boxes, Gamewell, Catalog No. 7000, or Equal, As Specified, Each.—The Gamewell Company, $145*; Alexander Santilli, doing business as Alloy Castings, $70.

Discount.—The Gamewell Company, net, 30 days; Alexander Santilli, doing business as Alloy Castings, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Earliest Delivery Date.—The Gamewell Company, shipment can be begun within thirty days and completed within fifty days after receipt of order with code numbers; Alexander Santilli, doing business as Alloy Castings, four weeks.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon September 23 the Mayor approved a contract as requested in the following letter:

Boston, September 19, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

Attached is tabulation of bids received on proposals for furnishing ice cream mix to the various city departments from October 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, inclusive. These bids were publicly opened and read in this office on September 7, 1955.

The bid of the lower bidder, H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., filed in the Purchasing Division also included the copy of the bid which should have been filed at the Auditor's office. All bids have been rejected.

It is now requested that authority be granted me to dispense with further adtising and award a contract, without public advertisement, to H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., at the prices quoted by this company on September 7, 1955.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $14,576, net.

Respectfully yours,

John V. Moran,
Purchasing Agent.

Bids were as follows:

Ice Cream Mix.

Item 1. 8,800 Gallons Ice Cream Mix, 12 Per Cent Fat, Per Gallon.—H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., $1.38*; Whiting Milk Company, $1.44.

Item 2. 1,600 Gallons Ice Cream Mix, 14 Per Cent Fat, Per Gallon.—H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., $1.52*; Whiting Milk Company, $1.60.

Discount.—H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., net, no discount; Whiting Milk Company, net.

Remarks.—H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., both copies at purchasing, no bid at Auditor's.

* Contract awarded.

Boston Traffic Commission.

Upon September 13 the Mayor approved a contract with John J. Botti for furnishing and installing underground conduit and concrete bases for traffic signal posts in three intersections in the City of Boston at an estimated cost of $4,987.50. The work to be done under the contract should be completed within two months after notification by the commission to start the work. The following bids were received September 1: John J. Botti, $4,987.50; James A. Freaney, Inc., $7,430; R. A. Buccella & Sons, Inc., $8,280.

Fire Department.

Upon September 23 the Mayor approved a contract as requested in the following letter:

Boston, September 21, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Sir:

On Tuesday, September 6, 1955, proposals were received and opened at the office of the Fire Commissioner, at 12 o'clock noon, for painting fire alarm boxes, test posts, cable boxes, etc., of the Fire Department, in accordance with an advertisement in the *City Record* of August 27, 1955. The following eligible proposals were received in response to the advertisement:

Bennington Contracting Company, $4,115.75; Albany Contracting Company, $4,670.54; Carl Hyman, $4,976.20; David Lakstein, $5,111; Joseph Amara & Son, $5,200; Kabot Painting Company, Inc., $6,485.

Bids were based on fire alarm boxes, test posts, cable boxes, etc., as follows:

Fire alarm boxes, post type, approximately 138.

Fire alarm boxes, post type with electric or gas light, approximately 869.

Fire alarm boxes on poles, approximately 445.

Fire alarm boxes on buildings, approximately 79.

Test posts, approximately 80.

Cable boxes, post type, approximately 30.

Traffic sirens, approximately 47.

Subject to your Honor's approval, the contract for painting fire alarm boxes, test posts, cable boxes, etc., will be awarded to the lowest bidder, Bennington Contracting Company, 89 Bennington street, East Boston, Mass., for the sum of $4,115.75, based on the following unit prices:

Fire alarm boxes, post type, $2.63 each.

Fire alarm boxes, post type, with electric or gas light, $2.84 each.

Fire alarm boxes, post type, on poles, $1.95 each.

Fire alarm boxes, post type, on buildings, $1.65 each.

Test posts, $1.98 each.

Cable boxes, post type, $1.85 each.

Traffic sirens, $1.55 each.

Respectfully yours,

Francis X. Cotter,
Fire Commissioner.

Painting Fire Alarm Boxes, Posts, Etc.

Post Type Boxes.—Bennington Contracting Company, $2.63; Albany Contracting Company, $3.43; Carl Hyman, $3.40; David Wakstein, $3; Joseph Amara & Son, $2; Kabot Painting Company, Inc., $3.50.

Post Type Boxes With Light.—Bennington Contracting Company, $2.84; Albany Contracting Company, $3.30; Carl Hyman, $3.40; David Wakstein, $3.25; Joseph Amara & Son, $5; Kabot Painting Company, Inc., $4.

Boxes on Poles.—Bennington Contracting Company, $1.95; Albany Contracting Company, $1.50; Carl Hyman, $2.25; David Wakstein, $2.75; Joseph Amara & Son, $2; Kabot Painting Company, Inc., $4.

Boxes on Buildings.—Bennington Contracting Company, $1.65; Albany Contracting Company, $3; Carl Hyman, $1.85; David Wakstein, $2.50; Joseph Amara & Son, $2; Kabot Painting Company, Inc., $3.

Test Posts.—Bennington Contracting Company, $1.98; Albany Contracting Company, $2; Carl Hyman, $3.35; David Wakstein, $3.25; Joseph Amara & Son, $3; Kabot Painting Company, Inc., $2.

Cable Posts.—Bennington Contracting Company, $1.85; Albany Contracting Company, $4; Carl Hyman, $3; David Wakstein, $3.25; Joseph Amara & Son, $5; Kabot Painting Company, Inc., $4.

Traffic Sirens.—Bennington Contracting Company, $1.55; Albany Contracting Company, $3; Carl Hyman, $1; David Wakstein, $2; Joseph Amara & Son, $3; Kabot Painting Company, Inc., $3.

Total Bid.—Bennington Contracting Company, $4,115.75; Albany Contracting Company, $4,670.54; Carl Hyman; $4,976.20; David Wakstein, $5,111, Joseph Amara & Son, $5,200; Kabot Painting Company, Inc., $6,485.

Parks and Recreation Department.

Upon September 15 the Mayor approved a contract with F. C. Dolan & Sons, Inc., the only bidder, for repairing and painting park benches, Boston Common, at an estimated cost of $9,650.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Upon September 23 the Mayor approved a contract with Baker & Co., Inc., for bituminous concrete pavement in Bancroft street, Boynton street, Hall street, Jamaica street, Marmion street, Minton street, and Montebello road, Ward 11, and artificial stone sidewalks in Centre street and Heath street, Ward 10, and such additional locations, if any, in Wards 10 and 11 as may be designated by the Commissioner of Public Works, at an estimated cost of $31,802. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed December 31, 1955. The following bids were received September 15:

Baker & Co., Inc., $31,802; Charles Todesca, $31,986.75; S. J. Tomasello Corporation, $32,327.75.

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Upon September 27 the Mayor approved a contract with Charles Todesca for artificial stone sidewalks in Brahms street, Knoll street, Pelton street, Roslindale avenue, South street, Yorktown street, Ward 20, and such additional locations, if any, in Ward 20, as may be designated by the Commissioner of Public Works, at an estimated cost of $19,812. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed December 31, 1955. The following bids were received September 22:

Charles Todesca, $19,812; John J. Amara & Sons, $21,629.25.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

Upon varying dates as indicated the Mayor approved contracts with commercial houses, contractors, etc., for furnishing labor, supplies, etc. Communications from heads of departments interested were as follows:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.
Purchasing Division.

BOSTON, September 15, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

In accordance with the provisions of the letter approved by your Honor on January 24, 1955, authority is requested to award a contract, without public advertisement, to the following-named company for furnishing perishable foods to the various city departments from September 15, 1955, to March 31, 1956: Coral Sea Fisheries, Inc., 17 Fish Pier, Boston, Mass.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, September 16, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

On June 29, 1955, bids for office and hospital furniture were publicly opened and read in this office. On August 24, 1955, your Honor approved a letter of award for items on that bid and because no acceptable bids were received on Items 8 and 13 permission was granted to purchase where available in the open market.

An acceptable bid has now been received from the manufacturer, the Art Metal Construction Company, 472 Atlantic avenue, Boston, Mass., for three (3) sections of document files for the Probate Court at $1,053 and four (4) sections of document files for the Criminal Court at $1,391.

Inasmuch as no acceptable bid was received when these items were publicly advertised and inasmuch as these items can now be purchased direct from the manufacturer, it is requested that permission be granted me to dispense with advertising and award a contract, without advertising, to the Art Metal Construction Company for seven (7) sections of document files, as per specifications, to be included in the contract.

Total amount of contract will be $2,444, net.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, September 22, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR:

Your approval is respectfully requested for the City of Boston to enter into a contract with the Animal Rescue League of Boston, for one year from October 1, 1955, under the following agreement:

The Animal Rescue League of Boston agrees, for the term of one year beginning October 1, 1955, to board for the necessary period of quarantine, all dogs which during said year may be quarantined at said Animal Rescue League by the City of Boston or by said corporation at the direction of the City of Boston; and the Animal Rescue League further agrees for the said term of one year from October 1, 1955, to perform the work necessary for complete rabies control in the City of Boston, such as the Health Department of said city may designate, for the sum of eight thousand dollars ($8,000).

The Animal Rescue League has been performing this work since 1941 to the entire satisfaction of the Boston Health Department and the contract for the year just ending was approved on an identical basis. Inasmuch as this organization is the only one in Boston equipped to perform this service, your authorization to dispense with advertising is also requested.

Yours respectfully,

JOHN H. CAULEY, M.D.,
Health Commissioner.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, September 16, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The Real Property Board proposes to engage the services of William Nelson Jacobs Associates, Inc., 316 Stuart street, Boston, Mass., as architects-engineers, in connection with the proposed construction of an off-street parking facility at Hayward place, Harrison Avenue Extension and Norfolk place, Boston.

The estimated cost of the proposed facility is approximately $1,250,000, and the architects-engineers shall be paid a standard fee equal to the sum of 5.83 per cent of the full amount of the cost of said construction, which fee would include supervision.

In view of the nature of the professional services involved, no benefit would be gained by advertising for bids, and it is respectfully requested that permission be given to award the contract to William Nelson Jacobs Associates, Inc., without public advertising.

Because of the death of William Nelson Jacobs, the architectural-engineering work on the Hayward place, Harrison Avenue Extension, and Norfolk place off-street parking facility temporarily stopped.

Respectfully submitted,

HERMAN CARP,
Commissioner.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.
COURT HOUSE.

BOSTON, September 19, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MAYOR HYNES:

The Court House Commission requests your permission to award a contract, without advertising, to D. Antonellis, Inc., for relining one boiler with interlocking brick on a uni-suspended steel frame at a price of $2,520. This work was ordered by the boiler inspector and must be done before the heating season begins.

Due to the intense heat the lining, which has been in service for a number of years, has cracked and is in danger of falling off, leaving the steel frame which would be badly warped by the heat. Further operation of this boiler is prohibited until the relining has been done and, in addition, added operation of the unit in its present condition might well necessitate the installation of a new steel frame at a substantial expenditure of several thousand dollars.

The commission feels that nothing will be gained by advertising since D. Antonellis, Inc., is an expert in this specialized work, having done the boiler work for the School Department for many years. In addition, this firm relined one of our boilers last year and did so in a highly satisfactory manner.

Very truly yours,

COURT HOUSE COMMISSION,
by ARNO I. DREW,
Chairman.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Approval has been given for the extension of the time of completion of the contract, approved August 24, 1955, with Patrick Ross Company, for repairing boiler and incinerator masonry in various schools, from September 15, 1955, to December 31, 1955. This extension was requested because of delay in obtaining casting, etc., from foundry.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

J. W. Praught Company has been granted an extension of time until November 1, 1955, for the completion of the contract for furnishing and installing pumps at L Street Bathhouse, South Boston.

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Mayor has approved the request of the Public Works Department for the following construction work:

That two catch basins and connections to existing pipe surface drain, to dismantle an existing catch basin, be constructed in Marion court (formerly Eutaw place), from Marion street 165 feet southwesterly, in the East Boston district, at an estimated cost of $900.

That ten catch basins and connections be constructed in Laurie avenue, between Gould street and Baker street, in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of $6,000.

CHANGE IN CONTRACT.

P. J. Cantwell & Son have been ordered to make the following changes in the contract for the Henry Abrahams School:

Masonry: Omit taking down and rebuilding the exterior wall. Take down the brick facing and relay same in the manner and at the specified locations as directed by the superintendent. Rebuild the brick work at the eight corners, filling in all recessed panels at these corners with face brick and install new limestone capping at the top of all corners. Omit taking down the stone work on the front entrance, reset same in line with new work.

Carpentry: Substitute Redwood in lieu of Ponderosa pine. Install new staff beads and mullion strips on all windows of the entire first floors, also replace any defective wood in sash or casings throughout the building.

Roofing: Omit the removal of several sections of copper cap flashing on the exterior walls as directed.

Light Iron Work: Weld as directed a ⅜-inch steel plate on all lintels over windows on the entire first floor so as to support the new soldier course of brick.

Paving: Install a new section of asphalt paving about 12 feet wide and 45 feet long across the area leading to the front entrance steps. This would include the section of the paving at the left side of these steps at the ash lift.

Masonry omissions, $1,484, roofing omissions, $450, total deductions, $1,934.

Carpentry additions, $790, light iron additions, $420, masonry additions, $470, paving additions, $210, total additions, $1,890.

Net deductions, $44, and the amount of $44 will be deducted therefor, making the account as follows: contract price, $24,342; total deductions, $44; amount of contract, $24,298.

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D. Antonellis, Inc., has been ordered to make the following changes in the contract for the Bigelow School:

Construct wooden cribbing and partitions to conceal piping and to support fixtures at the locations of new plumbing fixtures on all floors. The cribbing shall be constructed of 2-inch x 4-inch fir, studs, sole and cap, and secured to the masonry walls, and faced with ¼-inch thick plywood and ¾-inch thick pine cap. All woodwork shall be stained to match existing work at the building. For this additional work, not called for in contract, add the sum of $882, and the amount of $882 will be added therefor, making the account as follows: contract price, $29,170; total additions, $882; amount of contract, $30,052.

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 52.

I. Assignment as Aide to Deputy Fire Chief.

The following assignment, which became effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, September 21, 1955, is hereby announced:

Fire Fighter Joseph M. Quinn, Ladder 23, to fire fighter (aide to deputy fire chief).

II. Change in Assignment.

At his own request, the following change in assignment will become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, September 28, 1955:

Fire Fighter (Second Engineer) Edward T. Scanlan, Engine 31, to fire fighter.

III. Retirement.

The following retirement, in accordance with section 13, chapter 521, Acts of 1922, is hereby announced, to become effective at 8 A.M., Saturday, October 1, 1955:

Fire Fighter Charles N. Vogel, Ladder Company 20.

Fire Fighter Vogel was appointed to the department September 1, 1943, and he leaves the department with the best wishes of his associates.

IV. Transfers.

The following transfers, effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, September 28, 1955, are hereby announced:

Fire Fighter Aide to Deputy Fire Chief Joseph M. Quinn, from Ladder 23 to Headquarters.

Fire Fighter Edward T. Scanlan, from Engine 31 to Ladder 23.

V. Discontinuance of General Alarm Corporation.

The service obligations of the G. A. C. will be discontinued at 8 A.M., Friday, September 30, 1955. At the same time and date, the American District Telegraph Company will take over the service obligations of the General Alarm Corporation.

Effective at 8 A.M., September 30, 1955, the transmission of the prefix signal 5-5-5 for G. A. C. will be discontinued and all G. A. C. boxes will be transmitted using the prefix signal 3-3-3 for A. D. T.

In order to eliminate duplicate fire alarm box numbers now being used by both A. D. T. and G. A. C., the boxes under the G. A. C. will be changed as follows:

(1) A prefix number 35 will be added to all 2 digit numbers from 12 through 99, thereby changing them to 4 digit numbers, 3512 through 3599.

(2) A prefix number 3 will be added to all 3 digit numbers from 112 through 475, thereby changing them to 4 digit numbers, 3112 through 3475.

Example: G. A. C. Box 91 now transmitted 5-5-5—91, after 8 A.M., September 30, this box will be transmitted 3-3-3—3591.

Example: G. A. C. Box 358 now transmitted 5-5-5—358, after 8 A.M., September 30, this box will be transmitted 3-3-3—3358.

Company commanders shall correct G. A. C. books as directed above.

By order of Fire Commissioner Francis X. Cotter.

John V. Stapleton,
Chief of Department.

SEWERAGE WORKS IN DORCHESTER.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that sewerage works be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings, or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings, or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within thirty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly Dorchester and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being the private way known as Violet street, bounded:

Southwesterly by the northeasterly line of Crossman street, forty-one and 00-100 feet; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Violet street, two hundred seventy and 89-100 feet; northeasterly by the southwesterly line of French street, forty and 00-100 feet; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Violet street, two hundred eighty and 04-100 feet; containing eleven thousand nineteen square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: 275 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sewer, including 254 linear feet of pipe surface drain and 1 catch basin, at an estimated cost of $3,600.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the abutting parcels of land situated on both sides of Violet street will receive benefit or advantage beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement herein ordered; each of said parcels in the amount hereinafter respectively set against it; said parcels and the supposed owners thereof being shown on the plan hereinbefore referred to.

Parcel.		Amount.
1.	Sevenel, Inc.	$206 25
2.	Sevenel, Inc.	206 25
3.	Sevenel, Inc.	206 25
4.	Sevenel, Inc.	206 25
5.	Sevenel, Inc.	206 25
6.	Sevenel, Inc.	206 25
7.	Henry F. and Abbot L. Hatch	206 25
8.	Hyman Shapiro and Hyman Schatz	206 25
	Total	$1,650 00

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of an easement for sewerage purposes and the construction of sewerage works in Violet street, Dorchester district, under the order of this commission of September 21, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

Owners unknown (Violet street), 11,019 square feet, nothing.

CHANGES IN SOCIAL SECURITY LAW.

Changes in the Social Security Act now make Old Age and Survivors Insurance benefits available to all municipal employees, except firemen and policemen. The procedure varies, however, for those who are eligible for membership in existing retirement systems and those who are not.

The most important point to remember is that the municipality must take the initiative to secure OASI coverage for its employees and must act through the state government. Proper enabling legislation and contractual clauses in state documents are "musts." They secure coverage as part of the state's contract with the Bureau of Old Age and Survivors Insurance, U. S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare.

—American Municipal Association

STATEMENT OF BUILDING OPERATIONS IN THE CITY OF BOSTON FOR THE MONTH ENDING AUGUST 31, 1955.

(As compared with corresponding period in preceding years.)

	1955.		1954.		1953.		1952.		1951.	
	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.
Type I	5	$2,384,500	3	$154,750	3	$908,000	6	$2,171,500	15	$2,446,750
Type II	1	622,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	79,500
Type IV	11	267,400	6	167,000	9	174,300	6	83,300	11	105,100
Type V	3	3,200	6	150,430	6	34,095	6	17,500	6	7,000
Type VI	55	542,085	131	1,181,150	51	401,500	58	510,585	152	3,114,100
Total new construction	75	$3,819,185	146	$1,653,330	69	$1,517,895	76	$2,782,485	187	$5,752,450
Alterations, repairs, etc	509	894,550	604	713,486	511	581,458	508	2,003,983	558	696,802
Total structural construction	584	$4,713,735	750	$2,366,816	580	$2,099,353	584	$4,786,468	745	$6,449,252
Plumbing	233	$225,340	258	$498,960	274	$269,505	235	$126,255	271	$469,135
Gasfitting	581	70,365	539	57,430	494	54,528	465	57,533	395	56,572
Heaters, ovens, etc	41	24,345	37	34,080	13	16,700	9	11,290	26	44,635
Elevators, new freight	3	4,000	2	3,450	1	1,925	5	35,840	1	2,500
Elevators, new passenger	1	10,000	3	36,980	27	454,200	4	37,655	3	53,000
Elevators, alterations, freight	6	1,075	11	11,760	—	—	14	7,569	8	1,003
Elevators, alterations, passenger	19	22,815	12	4,575	—	—	32	17,729	18	2,007
Signs, projections, etc	48	20,370	28	14,440	34	14,081	48	15,543	32	12,598
Fire escapes, etc	24	7,930	45	9,445	97	17,075	60	15,940	50	11,745
Take-downs, wood	12	3,550	8	2,635	6	3,950	7	3,300	20	9,000
Take-downs, brick, etc	8	34,200	1	275	13	9,720	22	64,585	33	36,240
Sprinklers	11	19,200	15	49,475	13	44,125	15	59,700	6	72,600
Excavations	9	9,150	4	6,000	2	1,100	3	1,850	3	1,300
Use of premises	3	—	9	—	7	—	4	—	4	—
Total	999	$452,340	972	$729,505	981	$886,909	923	$454,789	870	$772,435
Grand total all work	1,583	$5,166,075	1,722	$3,096,321	1,561	$2,986,262	1,507	$5,241,257	1,615	$7,221,687
Department revenue		$19,157.84		$10,471.37		$7,865.00		$8,749.50		$5,299.25

The following is a statement showing the number, purpose and estimated cost of the erection of new buildings and the alterations, repairs, additions, etc., of existing buildings for which applications were filed with the Building Department of the City of Boston during the

MONTH ENDING AUGUST 31, 1955.

Purpose.	New Buildings.		Alterations.		Total.	
	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.
Amusement and recreation places, theatres, halls, movies	1	$6,000	3	$13,100	4	$19,100
Churches, chapels, synagogues	1	1,000,000	5	3,150	6	1,003,150
Dwellings, small, 1-family	50	484,400	99	42,477	149	526,877
Dwellings, small, 2-family	4	57,000	103	50,787	107	107,787
Dwellings, small, 3-family	—	—	107	46,623	107	46,623
Dwellings, small, with stores	—	—	21	14,455	21	14,455
Dwellings, large, 4 or more families	—	—	31	48,028	31	48,028
Dwellings, large, with stores	—	—	9	17,225	9	17,225
Educational buildings, schools, colleges	2	1,935,000	2	22,000	4	1,957,000
Garage and repair shops	5	24,085	7	41,925	12	66,010
Hotel and club buildings	—	—	2	1,800	2	1,800
Institutional buildings, hospitals, asylums, clinics	—	—	4	182,700	4	182,700
Lodgings, dormitories, convents, homes	—	—	11	7,505	11	7,505
Manufacturing buildings, bakeries, laundries, workshops	—	—	7	22,100	7	22,100
Mercantile buildings, restaurants, stores, showrooms, service stations	10	222,200	65	243,450	75	465,650
Office and bank buildings	1	45,000	11	59,875	12	104,875
Public building	—	—	1	10,000	1	10,000
Storage buildings, warehouses, lumber sheds, silos	1	45,500	12	60,525	13	106,025
Miscellaneous	—	—	9	6,825	9	6,825
Total	75	$3,819,185	509	$894,550	584	$4,713,735

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PURPOSES, NUMBER AND ESTIMATED COST OF NEW BUILDINGS AND ALTERATIONS, ADDITIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., FOR WHICH APPLICATIONS HAVE BEEN FILED FOR EIGHT MONTHS ENDING AUGUST 31, 1955.

Character.	Amusement, Recreation Places, Theaters, Movies, Halls.		Churches, Chapels, Synagogues.		Dwellings, 1-Family.		Dwellings, 2-Family.		Dwellings, 3-Family.		Dwellings, 1-2-3-Family, with Stores, etc.		Dwellings, Multi-Family.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I	2	$21,000	2	$1,250,000										
Type II			1	65,000										
Type IV	5	36,200	1	175,000	2	$30,000							5	$345,000
Type V	1	10,000												
Type VI			1	45,000	517	4,801,600	28	$401,000					2	88,000
Total new construction	8	$67,200	5	$1,535,000	519	$4,831,600	28	$401,000					7	$433,000
Alterations, etc.	30	188,552	24	173,740	687	446,823	758	385,304	860	$418,917	161	$115,825	231	268,510
Total structural work	38	$255,752	29	$1,708,740	1206	$5,278,423	786	$786,304	860	$418,917	161	$115,825	238	$701,510

Character.	Dwellings, Multi-Family, with Stores.		Educational Buildings, Schools, Colleges.		Garages and Repair Shops.		Hotel and Club Buildings.		Institutional Buildings, Hospitals, Asylums, Clinics.		Lodgings, Dormitories, Convents, Homes.		Lodging Houses with Stores.		Manufacturing Buildings, Bakeries, Laundries, Workshops.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I			4	$4,223,000	3	$246,000			2	$1,247,000	1	$487,000				
Type II			1	622,000					1	250,000	1	320,000				
Type IV			3	594,000	17	58,375			1	15,000	1	70,000			3	$345,800
Type V					10	11,800										
Type VI					6	5,785										
Total new construction			8	$5,439,000	36	$321,960			4	$1,512,000	3	$877,000			3	$345,800
Alterations, etc.	42	$31,502	32	963,945	66	157,080	27	$108,300	30	2,236,000	68	179,910			97	427,848
Total structural work	42	$31,502	40	$6,402,945	102	$479,040	27	$108,300	34	$3,748,000	71	$1,056,910			100	$773,648

Character.	Mercantile Buildings, Restaurants, Stores, Showrooms, Service Stations.		Office and Bank Buildings.		Public Buildings, Libraries, Museums.		Stables, Kennels, Poultry Houses.		Storage Warehouses, Lumber Sheds, Silos, etc.		Miscellaneous.		Totals.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I	7	$294,000	1	$12,000					4	$116,500	6	$51,100	32	$7,947,600
Type II	2	252,000							2	150,000			8	1,659,000
Type IV	44	1,692,100	6	280,500					4	50,500			92	3,692,475
Type V	9	22,200	1	500					4	35,000	5	10,500	30	90,000
Type VI	2	16,000	3	112,000	1	$1,000			1	750	2	920	563	5,472,055
Total new construction	61	$2,276,300	11	$405,000	1	$1,000			15	$352,750	13	$62,520	725	$18,861,130
Alterations, etc.	459	1,358,501	127	1,324,030	4	30,775			59	293,360	54	30,277	3816	9,139,199
Total structural work	523	$3,634,801	138	$1,729,030	5	$31,775			74	$646,110	67	$92,797	4541	$28,000,329

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PURPOSES, NUMBER AND ESTIMATED COST OF NEW BUILDINGS AND ALTERATIONS, ADDITIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., FOR WHICH APPLICATIONS HAVE BEEN FILED FOR MONTH ENDING AUGUST 31, 1955.

Character.	Amusement, Recreation Places, Theaters, Movies, Halls.		Churches, Chapels, Synagogues.		Dwellings, 1-Family.		Dwellings, 2-Family.		Dwellings, 3-Family.		Dwellings, 1-2-3 Family, with Stores, etc.		Dwellings, Multi-Family.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I	1	$6,000	1	$1,000,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type II	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type IV	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type V	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type VI	....	.....	....	.....	50	$484,400	4	$57,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Total new construction	1	$6,000	1	$1,000,000	50	$484,400	4	$57,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Alterations, etc	3	13,100	5	3,150	99	42,477	103	50,787	107	$46,623	21	$14,455	31	$48,028
Total structural work	4	$19,100	6	$1,003,150	149	$526,877	107	$107,787	107	$46,623	21	$14,455	31	$48,028

Character.	Dwellings, Multi-Family, with Stores.		Educational Buildings, Schools, Colleges.		Garages and Repair Shops.		Hotel and Club Buildings.		Institutional Buildings, Hospitals, Asylums, Clinics.		Lodgings, Dormitories, Convents, Homes.		Lodging Houses with Stores;		Manufacturing Buildings, Bakeries, Laundries, Workshops.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I	....	.....	1	$1,313,000	1	$20,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type II	....	.....	1	622,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type IV	....	.....	....	.....	1	1,400	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type V	....	.....	....	.....	2	2,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type VI	....	.....	....	.....	1	685	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Total new construction	....	.....	2	$1,935,000	5	$24,085	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Alterations, etc	9	$17,225	2	22,000	7	41,925	2	$1,800	4	$182,700	11	$7,505	....	.....	7	$22,100
Total structural work	9	$17,225	4	$1,957,000	12	$66,010	2	$1,800	4	$182,700	11	$7,505	....	.....	7	$22,100

Character.	Mercantile Buildings, Restaurants, Stores, Showrooms, Service Stations.		Office and Bank Buildings.		Public Buildings, Libraries, Museums.		Stables, Kennels, Poultry Houses.		Storage Warehouses, Lumber Sheds, Silos, etc.		Miscellaneous.		Totals.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	1	$45,500	....	.....	5	$2,384,500
Type II	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	1	622,000
Type IV	9	$221,000	1	$45,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	11	267,400
Type V	1	1,200	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	3	3,200
Type VI	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	55	542,085
Total new construction	10	$222,200	1	$45,000	....	.....	....	.....	1	$45,500	....	.....	75	$3,819,185
Alterations, etc	65	243,450	11	59,875	1	$10,000	....	.....	12	60,525	9	$6,825	509	894,550
Total structural work	75	$465,650	12	$104,875	1	$10,000	....	.....	13	$106,025	9	$6,825	584	$4,713,735

The following is a statement showing the number of new buildings for purposes of habitation, together with the number of family accommodations provided thereby, for the erection of which applications were filed with the Building Department of the City of Boston during the

MONTH AND EIGHT MONTHS ENDING AUGUST 31, 1955.

Number of Family Units in Each Building.	Month of August.				First Eight Months.			
	1955.		1954.		1955.		1954.	
	Buildings.	Families.	Buildings.	Families.	Buildings.	Families.	Buildings.	Families.
1	50	50	130	130	519	519	425	425
2	4	8	—	—	28	56	5	10
4	—	—	—	—	1	4	—	—
10	—	—	—	—	5	50	—	—
19	—	—	—	—	1	19	—	—
Total	54	58	130	130	554	648	430	435
Estimated cost	$541,400		$1,178,150		$5,665,600		$4,151,460	

SUMMARY OF HOUSING CONSTRUCTION TO DATE.

Number of	Month of August.	Eight Months.
New habitations erected	54	554
Accommodations provided by new construction	58	648
Accommodations provided by altering and remodeling	21	237
Accommodations eliminated by altering and remodeling	2	16
Habitations taken down	7*	73*
Family accommodations eliminated by demolition	18*	203*
Net change in number of habitations	47 more	481 more
Net change in number of family accommodations	59 more	666 more

Demolitions.	Number.		Number.	
	Buildings.	Families.	Buildings.	Families.
*1-family	—	—	8	8
2-family	5	10	27	54
3-family	—	—	21	63
4-family	2	8	12	48
6-family	—	—	5	30
Total	7	18	73	203

The following is a statement showing By Wards the number and estimated cost of new buildings for purposes of habitation for the erection of which applications were filed with the Building Department of the City of Boston during the

EIGHT-MONTH PERIOD ENDING AUGUST 31, 1955.

Ward.	1-Family Dwellings.		2-Family Dwellings.		4-Family Dwellings.		10-Family Dwellings		19-Family Dwellings.		Total for Eight Months.	
	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.
1	8	$99,700	4	$44,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	12	$143,700
14	1	8,100	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	8,100
16	16	164,200	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	16	164,200
17	24	221,400	1	15,000	1	$38,000	—	—	—	—	26	277,400
18	296	2,562,500	9	144,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	305	2,706,500
19	34	397,500	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	34	397,500
20	124	1,220,000	3	45,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	127	1,265,000
21	4	33,200	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	$50,000	5	83,200
22	12	122,000	11	153,000	—	—	5	$345,000	—	—	28	620,000
	519	$4,831,600	28	$401,000	1	$38,000	5	$345,000	1	$50,000	554	$5,665,600

BUILDING OPERATIONS IN CITY OF BOSTON.

The following is a statement showing By Wards the number and estimated cost of new buildings for purposes of habitation for the erection of which applications were filed with the Building Department of the City of Boston during the

MONTH ENDING AUGUST 31, 1955.

Ward.	1-Family Dwellings.		2-Family Dwellings.		Total for Month.	
	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.
16	5	$50,000	—	—	5	$50,000
17	2	20,400	—	—	2	20,400
18	18	167,000	2	$32,000	20	199,000
19	3	50,000	—	—	3	50,000
20	20	179,000	2	25,000	22	204,000
22	2	18,000	—	—	2	18,000
Total	50	$484,400	4	$57,000	54	$541,400

Building Operations in the City of Boston for the Month Ending AUGUST 31, 1955.

Month of August.	1955.		1954.	
	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.
Type I	5	$2,284,500	3	$154,750
Type II	1	622,000	—	—
Type IV	11	267,400	6	167,000
Type V	3	3,200	6	150,430
Type VI	55	542,085	131	1,181,150
Total new construction	75	$3,819,185	146	$1,653,330
Alterations, repairs, etc	509	894,550	604	713,486
Total structural construction	584	$4,713,735	750	$2,366,816
Increase or decrease	—166	2,346,919*		
	—22%	99%*		
Installations, etc	999	452,340	972	729,505
Grand total all work	1,583	$5,166,075	1,722	$3,096,321
Increase or decrease	—139	2,069,754*		
	—8%	66%*		

FIRST EIGHT MONTHS.

Type I	32	$7,947,600	22	$2,315,550
Type II	8	1,659,000	7	1,111,000
Type IV	92	3,692,475	64	1,649,620
Type V	30	90,000	27	246,280
Type VI	563	5,472,055	443	4,165,090
Total new construction	725	$18,861,130	563	$9,487,540
Alterations, repairs, etc	3,816	9,139,199	4,295	7,078,734
Total structural construction	4,541	$28,000,329	4,858	$16,566,274
Increase or decrease	—317	11,434,055*		
	—6%	69%*		
Installations, etc	7,727	4,522,129	7,430	3,705,582
Grand total all work	12,268	$32,522,458	12,288	$20,271,856
Increase or decrease	—20	12,250,602*		
	0%	60%*		

* Denotes increase — Denotes decrease

PRINCIPAL PROJECTS.

New, School, 40 Smith street (City of Boston) $1,313,000
New, Rectory, faculty residence (Boston College High School) 1,000,000
New, School, 612 Metropolitan avenue (City of Boston) 622,000
Alter, Hospital, 721 Huntington avenue (Peter Bent Brigham) 150,000
New, Mercantile, 26 Anawan avenue (R. Holland) 78,000

CONSTRUCTION OF EUTAW PLACE.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of Eutaw place, East Boston, as a public highway, from Marion street approximately 165 feet southwesterly, with the name of Marion court or some other distinctive name, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named Marion court is hereby laid out, from Marion street approximately 165 feet southwesterly, and ordered constructed.

Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed thereto in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

Northeasterly by the southwesterly line of Marion street, twenty-six and 00-100 feet; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Marion court, as hereby laid out, one hundred sixty-four and 50-100 feet; southwesterly by the southwesterly line of Marion court, as hereby laid out, twenty-six and 00-100 feet; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Marion court, as hereby laid out, one hundred sixty-four and 54-100 feet.

Trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforedescribed land shall be removed therefrom within thirty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purposes of constructing said improvement.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the abutting parcels of land, situated on both sides of said Marion court, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement herein ordered; each of said parcels in the amount hereinafter respectively set against it; said parcels and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan hereinbefore referred to, and on file in the office of this department.

Parcel.		Amount.
1.	Anna Lewis	$61 20
2.	James E. Crouse	104 10
3.	Anna Lewis	93 25
4.	Joseph and Angela M. Fabino	127 80
5.	Alphonse and Irene M. Poirier	125 00
6.	Giovanni and Lucia Stella	110 60
7.	Giovanni and Giuseppina Mattina	86 90
8.	Margaret A. and George T. Perry and Frederick J. Murphy	190 80
9.	Elmer A. and Grace M. King	134 30
10.	Anna Lewis	113 10
11.	Pasquale and Elizabeth G. Cerrato	145 30
12.	Angelina Maggio and Felix Marchese	169 60
13.	Ralph and Catherine F. DeRota,	122 55
14.	Ralph and Catherine F. DeRota,	109 60
	Total	$1,694 10

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULING.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of sewerage repairs, vehicles are excluded from the following street, on Thursday, September 15, 1955:

Edgerly Road, Roxbury.
From Haviland street to Stoneholm street.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, September 19, 1955.

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 2 P.M., President HURLEY in the chair. Absent, Councillor Piemonte.

The Reverend Lawrence J. Cronin of St. John the Evangelist Roman Catholic Church, North Cambridge, was escorted to the rostrum.

INVOCATION BY REV. LAWRENCE J. CRONIN.

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost. Amen.

Prayer for our civil authorities.

We pray Thee, O God of might, wisdom, and justice, through Whom authority is rightly administered, laws are enacted, and judgment decreed, assist, with the Holy Spirit of counsel and fortitude, this Council.

We pray for his Honor, the Mayor of this city, and for the members of this assembly, and other officers who are appointed to guard our political welfare, that they may be enabled, by Thy powerful protection, to discharge the duties of their respective stations with honesty and ability.

We recommend likewise to Thy unbounded mercy all our brethren and fellow citizens throughout the United States that they may be blessed in the knowledge and sanctified in the observance of Thy most holy law; that they may be preserved in union and in that peace which the world cannot give; and, after enjoying the blessings of this life, be admitted to those which are eternal.

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost. Amen.

The meeting was opened with the salute to the Flag.

APPOINTMENT OF WILFRED J. DOYLE.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, September 19, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

Subject to confirmation by your Honorable Body I hereby reappoint Wilfred J. Doyle of 81 Wellington Hill street, Dorchester, to be a member of the Boston Retirement Board for the term ending September 30, 1958.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

Referred to the Committee on Confirmations.

MAINTENANCE OF HISTORIC STATUES AND SITES.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, September 19, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Chairman of the Boston Art Commission concerning your order of July 25, 1955, relative to bringing those historic statues and sites within its jurisdiction to a condition that will reflect credit on the city and properly serve their purpose as landmarks of American History.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Art Commission, September 14, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to the following order of the City Council:

"Ordered, That the Boston Art Commission take immediate steps to bring those historic statues and sites within its jurisdiction to a condition that will reflect credit on the city and properly serve their purpose as landmarks of American History."

The Art Commission will attempt, as it has in the past, to comply with this order in so far as it can do so within the limitations placed upon it by its appropriation of $1,500.

In many years a very considerable portion of the appropriation has been expended in repairing various types of damage caused by vandalism.

Respectfully,
HOWARD T. CLINCH, Chairman.

Placed on file.

STUDY OF TRAFFIC CONDITIONS AT CONGREVE, WALWORTH, AND SOUTH STREETS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, September 19, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Traffic Commissioner relative to your order of August 1, 1955, concerning the making of a survey of the traffic conditions at the intersection of Congreve street, Walworth street, and South street in Roslindale.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

—

Boston Traffic Commission,
September 12, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

With reference to City Council order of August 1, 1955, requesting the Traffic Commission to make a study of conditions at Congreve street, South street, and Walworth street, West Roxbury, I wish to submit the following report:

A traffic count at this intersection made on August 18 and August 19, 1955, shows very little traffic using Congreve street and a negligible amount of cross traffic from Walworth street to Congreve street. This volume of cross movement is so small that it would not constitute a warrant for the installation of "Stop-and-Go" traffic signals.

There is a signal very close to this intersection, namely, at the corner of Robert street and South street.

Our accident records show two motor vehicle accidents involving personal injuries occurring at this intersection during the past four years. There are existing warning signs in the approaches to the intersection. In our opinion conditions at this location do not indicate any additional traffic control.

Sincerely yours,
WM. ARTHUR REILLY, Commissioner.

Placed on file.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committee named, viz.:

Claims.

Beacon Hardware and Supply, Inc., for compensation for damage to property at 218 Cambridge street, Boston, caused by bursting water pipe.

Georgina F. Beckvold, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 18 Becket street, Dorchester.

John F. Billotte, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Public Works Department, Sanitary Service.

Martin F. Conley, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Public Works Department, Sanitary Service.

Barbara T. Cunniff, for compensation for damage to car caused by truck of Parks and Recreation Department.

Mrs. Joseph Foglia, for compensation for damage to property at 23 Rosemont street, Hyde Park, caused by blasting for sewerage.

Dora Godes, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 1299 Blue Hill avenue.

Harry J. Lionett, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Post Office square and Water street.

Thomas F. Mangan, for compensation for damage to property and personal injuries caused by an alleged defect at 190 Fisher avenue, Roxbury.

Celia Rosengard, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Kneeland street and Harrison avenue.

United Packing Company (Saul Lafstein) for compensation for damage to truck by fireman.

Frederick Adams, for compensation for damage to property at 65 Appleton street, Boston, caused by overflow of sewage.

APPLICATIONS FOR SHELLFISH PERMITS.

Applications for commercial use shellfish permits were received from the following:

Warren C. French, Jr., 10 Port Norfolk street, Dorchester, Ward 16.

William Fullerton, 54 Chelsea street, East Boston, Ward 1.

Barry M. Grant, 53 St. Stephen street, Boston, Ward 4.

Joseph Kearney, 15 Oakman street, Dorchester, Ward 16.

Dorrance Lincoln, 5 Hallett-Davis street, Dorchester, Ward 16.

Severally referred to the Committee on Licenses.

PETITIONS FOR INDEMNIFICATION.

Petition of Fred W. Cavanagh, employee of Boston Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses.

Petition of James J. Horgan, employee of Boston Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses.

Petition of Charles F. Kilday, employee of Boston Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses.

Petition of George H. King, employee of Boston Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses.

Petition of Harold A. Mitchell, employee of Boston Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses.

Petition of Charles Nassif, employee of Boston Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses.

Petition of Alwin J. Thibeault, employee of Boston Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses.

Petition of Francis W. Veino, employee of Boston Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses.

Severally referred to the Committee on Claims.

APPROVAL OF STATE HOUSING BOARD.

Notice was received from the State Housing Board of approval of sale of seven parcels of property under section 6 of chapter 372 of the Acts of 1946.

Placed on file.

ASSIGNMENT OF JUDGE.

Communication from the Supreme Judicial Court on reassignment of John C. Leggat of Lowell of Administrative Committee of the Probate Courts, and redesignation of John C. Leggat of Lowell as chairman of the Administrative Committee.

Placed on file.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CLAIMS.

Coun. McCORMACK, for the Committee on Claims, submitted the following:

1. Report on petition of Francis J. Dunleavy (referred August 29) to be reimbursed as a result of an execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Police Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That the sum of six hundred twenty-three dollars and eighty-two cents ($623.82) be allowed and paid to Francis J. Dunleavy in reimbursement for amount of execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Police Department, said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims, and Reimbursements.

2. Report on petition of Martin F. Conley (referred August 29) to be reimbursed as a result of an execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Sanitary Division, Public Works Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That the sum of four hundred seventy-one dollars and fifteen cents ($471.15) be allowed and paid to Martin F. Conley in reimbursement for amount of execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Sanitary Division, Public Works Department, said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

3. Report on petition of Harold A. Mitchell (referred today) for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury sustained by him while in the performance of his duty as a member of the Fire Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 100 of chapter 41 of the General Laws, upon petition of Harold A. Mitchell, a member of the Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury received through no fault of his own while in the performance of his duty on August 18, 1954, there be allowed and paid, as recommended by the Fire Commissioner and approved by the Corporation Counsel, to the following the amounts stated:

Harold A. Mitchell (petitioner)	$13 50
Carney Hospital	250 68
Massachusetts General Hospital	30 00
Robert G. Vanee, M.D.	20 00
William R. MacAusland, Jr., M.D.	20 00
Albert B. Ferguson, M.D.	20 00
Harold G. Lee, M.D.	35 00
Homer L. Brayton, M.D.	75 00
James C. Walker, M.D.	15 00
Total	$479 18

said amount to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

4. Report on petition of Alwin J. Thibeault (referred today) for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury sustained by him while in the performance of his duty as a member of the Fire Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 100 of chapter 41 of the General Laws, upon petition of Alwin J. Thibeault, a member of the Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury received through no fault of his own while in the performance of his duty on April 7, 1955, there be allowed and paid, as recommended by the Fire Commissioner and approved by the Corporation Counsel, to the following the amounts stated:

Carney Hospital	$175 10
Paul I. O'Brien, M.D.	10 00
Total	$185 10

said amount to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

5. Report on petition of Charles F. Kilday (referred today) for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury sustained by him while in the performance of his duty as a member of the Fire Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 100 of chapter 41 of the General Laws, upon petition of Charles F. Kilday, a member of the Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury received through no fault of his own while in the performance of his duty on October 10, 1954, there be allowed and paid, as recommended by the Fire Commissioner and approved by the Corporation Counsel, to the following the amount stated:

Charles F. Kilday (petitioner)	$633 95
George B. Smithy, M.D.	200 00
Martin H. Spellman, M.D.	15 00
Total	$848 95

said amount to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

The reports were accepted, and the orders were severally passed.

TEMPORARY APPOINTMENTS, CLERK OF COMMITTEES DEPARTMENT.

Coun. HURLEY offered the following:
Ordered, That effective September 21, 1955, the following persons be, and they hereby are, appointed in the service of the Clerk of Committees Department to the positions set against their respective names until the fourth Wednesday of October, 1955, at the salaries in effect for them on September 20, 1955:

Francis R. Burke, temporary clerk.
Peter J. Cloberty, temporary clerk.
Nicholas DiMella, temporary stenographer-clerk.
Agnes G. Dinsmore, temporary clerk-receptionist.
Catherine E. Dunn, temporary stenographer-clerk.
Mary E. Flynn, temporary stenographer-clerk.
Catherine Monahan, temporary stenographer-clerk.
Paul G. O'Hara, temporary clerk.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

GROUP INSURANCE FOR EMPLOYEES OF SUFFOLK COUNTY.

Coun. FOLEY and McCORMACK offered the following:
Ordered, That chapter 32B of the General Laws as enacted by chapter 760 of the Acts of 1955 entitled "An Act Providing for Contributory Group Life, Accident, Hospitalization, Medical, and Surgical Insurance for Persons in the Service of a County, City, Town, or District and their Dependents" be, and hereby is, accepted by Suffolk County.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

GROUP INSURANCE FOR EMPLOYEES OF CITY OF BOSTON.

Coun. McCORMACK and FOLEY offered the following:
Ordered, That chapter 32B of the General Laws as enacted by chapter 760 of the Acts of 1955 entitled "An Act Providing for Contributory Group Life, Accident, Hospitalization, Medical, and Surgical Insurance for Persons in the Service of a County, City, Town or District and their Dependents" be, and hereby is, accepted by the City of Boston.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

HEARING ON GROUP INSURANCE FOR CITY AND COUNTY EMPLOYEES.

Coun. FOLEY and McCORMACK offered the following:
Ordered, That both the order of the Board of County Commissioners accepting chapter 32B of the General Laws for Suffolk County, and the order of the City Council accepting the said chapter 32B in behalf of the City of Boston, be referred to the Executive Committee of the Council for hearing, deliberation, and report to the Council on or about the date the act becomes effective.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

SIDEWALK ON LARCH STREET, WARD 22.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN offered the following:
Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works make a sidewalk along Larch street (both sides), from Kenrick street to South Crescent Circuit, Ward 22, in front of the estates bordering thereon; said sidewalk to be from 3 to 10 inches above the gutter adjoining, to be from 5 to 12 feet in width, and to be built of artificial stone, with granite edgestones, under the provisions of chapter 252 of the Acts of 1951.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

INVESTIGATION OF TRAFFIC CONDITIONS AT RIVER AND LINWOOD STREETS, HYDE PARK.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN offered the following:
Ordered, That the Traffic Commissioner be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to promptly have an investigation made of the dangerous traffic conditions at River street and Linwood street in Hyde Park, also, Dana avenue and Hyde Park avenue, at which locations there have been many serious accidents, only last week the death of a young child; and be it further
Ordered, That protective measures be initiated promptly which will provide signal lights at these locations, or other modern control devices installed for the protection of the pedestrian traffic.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

FUNDS TO PROVIDE TREATMENT FOR POLIO PATIENTS IN CITY HOSPITAL.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:
Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor consult with the Superintendent of the Boston City Hospital to ascertain the need, if any, of adjusting the material and personnel budgets of the Hospital Department to provide funds to provide adequate treatment for polio patients; and if as a result of this reappraisal it is determined that funds are needed, that his Honor the Mayor submit an order to the Council forthwith for an emergency appropriation.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

ESTABLISHMENT OF RECREATION CENTER AT QUINCY STREET SCHOOL SITE.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:
Ordered, That the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to establish a recreation center and play area on the site of the Quincy Street School, at the corner of Stanley street, Dorchester, which property has been or will soon be transferred to the Department of Parks and Recreation by the School Department.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

THE NEXT MEETING

On motion of Councillor Ahearn, the Council voted that when it adjourn, it be to meet on Monday, October 3, 1955, at 2 P.M.

NAMING OF SQUARE IN HONOR OF JOSEPH P. AND JOHN A. KELLY.

Coun. KERRIGAN offered the following:
Ordered, That the Committee to Memorialize Veterans be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to name the square at the junction of Whittier street and Cabot street the Sergt. Joseph P. and Corp. John A. Kelly Square in honor of these two brothers who gave their lives in the service of their country during World War II.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

ELECTRIC LIGHTS ON EDWIN STREET, DORCHESTER.

Coun. KERRIGAN offered the following:
Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to replace the antiquated gas lamps on Edwin street, Dorchester, with modern electric lights.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

RECESS.

On motion of Councillor White, the Council voted to take a recess at 2.58 P.M., subject to the call of the Chair. The members reassembled in the Council Chamber and were called to order by Senior Member Kerrigan at 3.22 P.M.

Coun. McCORMACK in the chair.

POSTPONEMENT OF DECISION BY BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT ON PROPOSED TRUCK TERMINAL.

Coun. FOLEY, McCORMACK, and KERRIGAN offered the following:
Ordered, That final decision on the petition now pending before the Board of Zoning Adjustment covering a proposed truck terminal at First street and Farragut road in South Boston be indefinitely delayed pending development of plans for a National Guard Armory for the site in question.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

Adjourned at 3.44 P.M., on motion of Councillor Foley, to meet on Monday, October 3, 1955, at 2 P.M.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

(Stenographic copy of such debate on file in office of City Clerk.)

PROCEEDINGS OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Aug. 8, 1955

A special meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, at 6:35 P. M., the Chairman presiding.

Present: Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald and Mr. Lee.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The reading of the minutes of the meetings of June 21 and June 27, 1955, was omitted, the Committee approving them as printed.

VOLUNTARY SERVICE OF SCHOOL NURSES

Chairman: I think this might be an item of interest to the press and to the other members of the Committee. Dr. Gillis has just brought a report to me in which he states that as of a week ago Miss Marion C. Sullivan, who is the Supervising Nurse in the School Department, was asked as a public service to canvass our school nurse group in the city to use them as a relief force for nurses in the hospitals so that nurses in the hospitals will be released for work on polio cases.

From the City of Boston school nursing staff, on a completely voluntary basis, we obtained thirteen nurses who are willing to go into the hospitals and do other types of nursing in order to release nurses for work on the polio cases.

Superintendent: In other words, Madam Chairman, our nurses are not handling polio cases because Dr. Spellman felt that would be unwise.

Chairman: They are releasing other specially trained nurses for polio cases.

Superintendent: They are releasing other nurses so that they can handle polio cases, and they are doing it voluntarily.

Mr. Carr: Thirteen of them?

Superintendent: Yes.

ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION BY CITY COUNCIL

The following communication was presented:

City of Boston
In City Council

ORDERED: That under the provisions of section 2, chapter 49, of the Acts of 1933, as most recently amended by chapter 262, of the Acts of 1955, the Collector-Treasurer be authorized to secure the approval of the Emergency Finance Board to an issuance of $3,500,000.00 in bonds or certificates of indebtedness of the city, said bonds or certificates of indebtedness to be sold at their face value to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and the proceeds to be used for ordinary maintenance expenses as set forth in the following table:

School Committee

Administration	$ 143,792.82
Instruction	2,320,792.26
Auxiliary Services	123,339.13
Operation of Plant	566,751.15
Fixed Charges	124,773.61
	$3,279,448.97

Hospital Department

Plant and Structural Repairs	220,551.03
	$3,500,000.00

In City Council June 27, 1955. Read once and passed—yeas six, nays none.

In City Council July 11, 1955. Read a second time and again passed—yeas seven, nays none.

Approved by the Mayor July 11, 1955.

Attest:

(Signed) W. J. Malloy
City Clerk

Placed on file.

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TRANSFER OF CUDWORTH SCHOOL

The following communication was presented:

City of Boston
In City Council

WHEREAS, the City of Boston is the owner in fee of approximately twenty-five thousand (25,000) square feet of land, together with the building thereon (the Cudworth School), situated on the northeasterly side of Gove Street between Havre and Paris Streets in the East Boston District of the City of Boston, presently held by said City for school purposes; and

WHEREAS, the School Committee of the City of Boston has determined that said land and buildings are no longer required for school purposes; and

WHEREAS, the Real Property Board desires to use said land for off-street parking purposes; now, therefore, it is hereby

ORDERED: That the above-described land and building be, and the same hereby are, transferred from the care, custody, control and management of the School Department to the care, custody, control and management of the Real Property Board for off-street parking purposes.

In City Council June 27, 1955. Passed—Yeas eight, nays none.

Approved by the Mayor June 28, 1955

Attest:

(Signed) W. J. Malloy
City Clerk

Placed on file.

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INCREASE IN AMOUNTS RETAINED FOR TEACHERS RETIREMENT FUND

The following communication was presented:

City of Boston
In City Council

ORDERED: That Chapter 396 of the Acts of 1955, entitled "An Act Relative to the Effective Date for Increasing the Amounts Retained for the Teachers' Retirement Fund in the City of Boston from the Salaries of Members" be, and hereby is, accepted.

In City Council June 27, 1955 Passed..

Approved by the Mayor June 28, 1955.

Attest:

(Signed) W. J. Malloy
City Clerk

Placed on file.

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INCREASE IN ANNUAL APPROPRIATION FOR TRAVELING EXPENSES

The following communication was presented:

City of Boston
In City Council

ORDERED: That Chapter 236 of the Acts of 1955 entitled "An Act Authorizing the School Committee of the City of Boston to Increase the Annual Appropriation to Defray Certain Traveling and Other Neeessary Expenses" be, and hereby is, accepted.

In City Council June 27, 1955. Passed.

Approved by the Mayor June 28, 1955.

Attest:

(Signed) W. J. Malloy
City Clerk

Placed on file.

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RETIREMENT OF MR. MUSCO FROM SCHOOL COMMITTEE SERVICE

In accordance with request of Mr. Musco, the following statement is printed in full:

It never occurred to me that my decision in not filing signatures for nomination papers to the Boston School Committee would create such a furor among so many people who wished to know of my intentions of re-election.

The present term with my colleagues has been a very revealing, interesting, exciting, educational, and progressive one. It was a challenge to remold and foster worthwhile policies and programs for the adults and children of Boston. The School Department's efforts and list of accomplishments have been recognized throughout the city, state, and nation by school people and officials everywhere. Our public relations were good and will be getting better each year!

I am confident that my re-election could be assured and that the honor of the chairmanship during the next term could be mine. It was a pleasure to serve the citizens in this all-important post of the Boston School Department.

There have been many outstanding public-spirited citizens on our School Committees, and there always will be others to follow.

For me, at this point, the time has come when I must decide upon a momentous question; that is, to continue on in this work or to sacrifice public service ambitions for the best interests of my loved ones at home.

Today, my family's health and welfare are my prime concern. Because of Mrs. Musco's recent hospitalization and operation, my political activities are to be curtailed.

It is my reluctant conclusion that I must temporarily interrupt my public service on the School Committee for this next term to relieve the pressure at home.

I wish to return again in 1957, the Lord willing.

My interests shall still be as active in public school affairs with the Massachusetts Council for Public Schools in Boston and I hope with the members of the School Committee, the school administrators, and the personnel under Supt. Dennis C. Haley.

Naturally, my everyday functions in the private school field and Business Administration will bring together the best methods and most modern programs of education and competitive business for "Better Schools" in Boston and Massachusetts.

I want to express my sincere appreciation to the citizens of Boston and my legions of friends who have assisted me in my school programs and problems, and to reassure them of my future interests in the young citizens of tomorrow.

The present School Committee proceedings of 1954 and 1955 have been argumentive, but orderly, and for the most part harmonious and constructive.

We have advanced progressive ideas and suggestions, but we were deliberate, cautious and firm in our convictions; we have had outstanding results as a legislative body in school building programs and general school purposes; we have had good public relations with our constituents, assenting and dissenting when it was necessary to do so; we have

tried to be fair, reasonable, impartial, and just in the many school petitions; by our opinions and research we have directed the school administration into the hands of professional educators to execute school policy and law; we have taken good advantage of the many services offered by the fine agencies, press, radio, organizations and individuals; we solicited and were advised and counselled in pertinent information to carry out our sworn duties as the custodians of the city school funds. If we did commit any errors, they were mistakes in honest judgment on misinformation.

We can proudly point to a long list of good deeds and progress during our school committee term. Our interests were for the sole concern of the school children, its personnel and the system.

We always strived for the very best in our efforts for the Boston Public Schools.

(Signed) Louis F. Musco
Member

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In connection with the foregoing statement and in accordance with request of Mr. Musco, the following is printed in full:

FUTURE RECOMMENDATIONS BY LOUIS F. MUSCO

I. OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS

Superintendent of School Buildings should be administratively subordinate to the Superintendent of Schools by amendment of existing legislation to transfer duties to School Committee.

Analysis of lighting, sanitary, plumbing and painting conditions in school buildings to correct poor existing situations.

Small permanent maintenance crews should do minor repairs and the majority of small alterations: by painters, masons, carpenters, electricians, plumbers, roofers, furniture finishers, glazers, etc.

Designing of major alterations should be sub-let to private school engineers and architects.

To organize a formal training program to give custodians the needed skills of maintenance work.

Minor repairs and maintenance should definitely be part of custodians' work on inside and outside of school buildings.

The Jacobs' Survey will determine manpower requirements; simplified salary and classification plan; recommendations for improvements in this department.

No excessive "bumping" of junior custodians from school to school unnecessarily. Week-end coverage for protection of property.

Repair requisitions to be signed as "completed for payment to contractor" by Building Inspector, Administrator, and custodian.

Hold parents legally responsible for damages caused to school property by the acts of their children.

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II. PURCHASE AND MANAGEMENT OF SUPPLIES

Office of Business Manager to strive for quality and value; also thinking of time utilization and specifications for all divisions and departments. A year round job for a Purchasing Agent and Manager of Supplies.

Record control of physical inventories, materials, equipment and fixtures. Use punch card installation for efficiency and accuracy throughout the system.

All deliveries effected to responsible persons in school buildings and to all divisions designated for a check on bill of lading.

Discard to needed agencies all out-moded educational supplies, textbooks, and materials to prepare for up-to-date adaptability upon advice of teachers in the classroom.

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III. FINANCIAL ADMINISTRATION

Preparation of Budget in September through December period by standard classification and procedure through objective and impartial decisions.

Fiscal year to run from January 1st through December 31st of same year.

To simplify and mechanize school system of accounting for tighter control of budget.

Detailed report of financial operations most recent past, present and future expenditures and appropriations.

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IV. ADMINISTRATIVE ORGANIZATION AND MANAGEMENT

Relocate Administrative Offices to modern buildings for a more efficient and better coordinated organization of functions and staff.

Prepare for the additional influx of more students during the next ten years in our public schools.

Promote and seek more citizen and group participation to stimulate interest in their children's future education by our expanding democracy.

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V. PLANNING, CONSTRUCTION AND UTILIZATION OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS

Board of Commissioners of School Buildings be dissolved and its statutory powers transferred to the School Committee for direct control of school buildings appropriations.

Regular annual appropriations needed for replacements of outmoded buildings.

Two new high schools to be constructed:

1. Boston Technical High School.
2. Girls Latin School.

A Modern Junior College of Business to replace Boston Clerical School and High School of Commerce programs.

Modern education, sanitation, and safety standards be applied to all future new construction and alterations of existing buildings.

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VI. FOOD SERVICE IN THE SCHOOLS

Director of School Lunches to prepare and serve food in the Robert Gould Shaw and Washington Irving Junior High Schools.

Nutrition program for Type A Federally subsidized lunches in the Lewis and Donald McKay Junior High Schools.

More adequate equipment for dishwashing, preservation, storage, and food preparation.

Citizens Advisory Committee to guide the food service program development in all schools.

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VII. ELEMENTARY EDUCATION

Comprehensive program of testing children should also emphasize the deficiencies and delinquencies as well as aptitude, interests, and achievements to be used as findings for guidance.

More discipline and authoritative action on the part of the majority of classroom teachers and administrators with the backing of the School Committee.

Use of more aptitude tests so boys and girls can bend their programs toward their own natural abilities and talents.

Expansion of conversational modern languages in the lower grades.

Increased development in vocal and instrumental music.

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VIII. SPECIAL EDUCATION

Establish a remedial reading class in every elementary school district as provided in the 1955 budget.

Juvenile Adjustment Clinic to discover and correct the personal problems among children and youth.

Strict enforcement by principals and headmasters for offenders who disregard law, authority and respect.

Closer liaison with the Court and Agencies.

Smaller classes for maladjusted pupils and slow learners in school.

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IX. THE EDUCATION OF YOUTH IN BOSTON

Every child is salvagable and must finish school to diminish "withdrawals" and "drop outs" caused by dissatisfaction, etc.

Civic education to develop respect and authority for person, law, property, and for God.

Reorganization of school personnel for better utilization of services, responsibilities, ability, time and efforts.

Educational Tours and on the spot field trips to Boston's Historic, Economical and Cultural sites.

Educational TV in the classroom and at home to supplement outside educational materials with careful censorship.

No youngster is expendable for each has its place in life and its own special talents are to be cultivated into a worthy objective and a job with a purpose.

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X. JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOLS

To better prepare youth of Grade IX to qualify for existing tests to enter Grade X work of city high schools.

Core subjects should be the basis of this division of training without too many "enrichments."

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XI. DAY HIGH AND LATIN SCHOOLS

Retirement of teachers by their disability in service should be liberalized.

Younger teachers to be encouraged into joining our ranks.

Development of qualified teachers to handle classes on this level of training. Lack of inducements to teach math, science, chemistry, physics, languages, etc., the more advanced and harder subjects are avoided by teacher applicants.

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XII. VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

More concentrated Guidance program to better counsel and advise intermediate students with parents' understanding and cooperation as a necessity.

Career and Vocational Days are worthwhile programs for the students' information, faculty experiences, and outside agencies.

All teachers should be conducted through experiences in business, commercial, professions, banking, arts, sciences, etc., as a compulsory "Teachers Day" holiday.

Opportunity School offering young people much needed short unit courses of instruction with skills and objectives.

Citizen Advisory Committee to re-appraise Boston Trade School into an outstanding institution.

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XIII. HEALTH EDUCATION, PHYSICAL EDUCATION AND RECREATION

Children to be separately and carefully examined by a physician duly qualified; and results recorded on Cumulative Record Cards for future consultation.

Health Education program under expert and competent specialists.

Safety Supervisor is a must in this mechanical and defense era.

Recommend a lunch hour of one clock hour (60 minutes).

Recreation in day and evening divisions for young and old while in and out of school.

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XIV. GUIDANCE

More expanded program in 1956 to acquaint teachers with scientific, industrial, commercial, etc. progress and opportunities.

Extension of our Programs of Educational Guidance and Vocational Guidance.

Attendance officers to be given more direct responsibilities in dealing with problem children by increasing home visits and reports to the students' teachers.

Encourage more students to enter higher learning, technical skills, trades, professions, teaching, and vocational training by aid, scholarships, etc.

Create more part-time jobs for youngsters.

To better educate the public in skills and academics so that in order to "Earn more they must Learn more."

To carry this attitude to the school children, too.

Closer coordination with the School Committee members, teachers, administration officers, and the Boston Home and School Association's Executive Committee, districts and schools.

A continual good public relations program for advancement of the school system and promote greater prestige.

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XV. PERSONNEL ADMINISTRATION

The Personnel Office should include on its staff a business executive or non-academic person.

Beginning teachers should receive better remuneration in 1956 to allow them a good start in an important profession by fuller orientation.

The restoration of human dignity and public respect as well as proper tools to do the job are a major part of the good teacher's needs.

Basic schedule of unified policy for regular personnel in the light of fiscal limitations for uplift of morale and to reactivate the spirit of competition.

Employ fewer substitutes so that higher salaries can be used to achieve a substantial increase and observable upgrading in teaching work. Salary adjustments and rectifications are an ever-present personnel problem.

Salaries for non-academic personnel under fewer titles with higher rates of pay in terms of a more comprehensive plan.

Recognized personnel policy to assure all of advancement, opportunity, promotion, and job security by development of their latent talents.

Chairman: I would like to say as Chairman—and I know the other members would agree—that I feel that Mr. Musco has made a very fine contribution to the public schools of Boston and that we sincerely regret his decision not to be a candidate this fall for re-election.

Mr. Lee: Madam Chairman, could it also be stated publicly that the Committee voted to ask the Superintendent to study Mr. Musco's recommendations, particularly with reference to buildings—which are very fine—and with reference to those recommendations which go beyond what the schools are now doing.

Superintendent: I will be very glad to.

Chairman: I think that will be very good, Mr. Lee.

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IN MEMORIAM

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Aug. 8, 1955, regretfully reporting the death on Aug. 2, 1955, of Albert L. Shaughnessy, principal, Clarence R. Edwards Junior High School.

Placed on file.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Aug. 8, 1955, regretfully reporting the death on Aug. 1, 1955, of Margaret J. Lee, assistant, offices of the Superintendent and Secretary, who had been retired on pension under the provisions of the Boston Retirement System.

Placed on file.

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The School Committee requested that a letter of condolence, to be signed by the Secretary, be sent to the bereaved families.

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RETIREMENTS ON PENSION

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Aug. 8, 1955, reporting the retirement from active service of the following-named members of the State-Boston Retirement System, to take effect on the dates indicated, as certified by the Boston Retirement Board:

Charlestown High School — Sylvia E. Donegan, head of department, July 31, 1955.

Dudley District - - Mildred T. Barron, teacher, elementary, July 31, 1955.

Roxbury Memorial High School — Gerald E. Murray, junior building custodian, July 31, 1955.

Conservation of Eyesight Classes—Vivian G. Milmore, assistant, June 30, 1955.

Placed on file.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Aug. 8, 1955, reporting the retirement from active service of the following-named veteran who has been retired under the provisions of Chapter 32 of the General Laws, as amended:

Roxbury Memorial High School (Boys) — Fred Holmes, master, June 30, 1955, $3650.40 per annum.
Placed on file.

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HONORARY TITLE

The following was offered:
ORDERED, That in consideration of her many years of devoted and efficient service in the Boston Public Schools, the following-named person who is retiring, be granted the honorary title indicated, to take effect July 1, 1955:
Board of Examiners—Charlotte Rafter, examiner emerita.
On roll call the order passed by the following vote:
YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald and Mr. Lee—3.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Messrs. Musco and Ward—2.

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RESIGNATIONS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Aug. 8, 1955, reporting the resignations of the following named teachers, to take effect on the dates stated:
Agassiz District — Agnes M. Cunnally, teacher, elementary, June 30, 1955.
Clarence R. Edwards Junior teacher, junior high, June 30, 1955
Edmund P. Tileston District—Joyce McGill, teacher, elementary, Aug. 31, 1955.
Sherwin District—Arline D. A'Hearn, teacher, elementary, June 30, 1955.
Department of School Hygiene—Mary Theodorou, school nurse, Aug. 31, 1955.
Accepted.

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WITHDRAWAL OF APPOINTMENT

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Aug. 8, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, and at the approved at the meeting of June request of the teacher concerned, he has withdrawn the appoint- High School—William J. Wiles, ment of Norton A. Levy, junior master (fifth year salary-$4080-anniversary date Sept. 1), Sept 1, 1955, which was presented and 27, 1955.
The communication was placed on file and on roll call the withdrawal of appointment was approved by the following vote:
YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald and Mr. Lee—3.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Messrs. Musco and Ward—2.

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APPOINTMENTS

The following nominations by the Superintendent, certified by him as being in accordance with the rules and regulations, to take effect on the dates stated, were presented:

(FROM THE ELIGIBLE LIST)

Longfellow District — Jean E. Carr, teacher, elementary (third year salary, anniversary date Sept. 1), Sept. 1, 1955.

Department of School Hygiene—Justine S. Balutis, school nurse (third year salary, anniversary date Sept. 1), Sept. 1, 1955. Hannah J. Moore, school nurse (second year salary, anniversary date Sept. 1), Sept. 1 1955. Alice M. Noonan, school nurse (third year salary, anniversary date Sept. 1), Sept. 1, 1955. Mary Duane Shea, school nurse (second year salary, anniversary date Sept. 1), Sept. 1, 1955. Mary K. Toomey) school nurse (minimum salary, anniversary date Sept. 1), Sept. 1, 1955.

On roll call the rules were suspended and the appointments approved by the following vote:
YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald and Mr. Lee—3
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Messrs. Musco and Ward—2.

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(BY PROMOTION)

East Boston High School — Elizabeth D. Curran, guidance counselor (from assistant, Girls' High School), Sept. 1, 1955.
On roll call the rules were suspended and the appointment approved by the following vote:
YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald and Mr. Lee—3.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Messrs. Musco and Ward—2.

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(CHANGE IN RANK)

Girls' High School—Dorothy T. Donnellan, assistant (from senior assistant, Trade High School for Girls), Sept. 1, 1955.
On roll call the rules were suspended and the appointment approved by the following vote:
YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald and Mr. Lee—3.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Messrs. Musco and Ward—2.

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DEPARTMENT OF ADULT EDUCATIONAL AND RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES

(Summer Review Schools)

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Aug. 8, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has appointed the following-named persons in the summer review schools for the term 1955:
Dorchester Summer Review High School—Jeremiah J. Botelho, assistant, June 27, 1955; Charles K. Avery, assistant, July 25, 1955.
Fenway Summer Review High School—Francis E. O'Brien, assistant, June 27, 1955; John A. O'Brien, Jacob A. Santamaria, assistants, June 29, 1955.
The communication was placed on file and on roll call the rules were suspended and the appointments approved by the following vote:
YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald and Mr. Lee—3.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Messrs. Musco and Ward—2.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Aug. 8, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has appointed the following-named persons in the summer review schools for the term 1955:
Grover Cleveland Summer Review Junior High School—Frank H. Clark, Mark J. Mulkern, assistants, June 30, 1955.
James P. Timilty Summer Review Junior High School—Douglas G. Foster, assistant, June 28, 1955; John R. Golner, assistant, July 25, 1955.
The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote:
YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald and Mr. Lee—3.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Messrs. Musco and Ward—2.

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TEACHER COACHES

Football

(To take effect Sept. 1, 1955)
Boston Latin School—Walter W. McCarthy.
Boston Technical High School—John B. Morris.
Boston Trade High School—Henry J. Tilton.
Brighton High School—William J. Murphy.
Charlestown High School — Francis G. Power.
Dorchester High School—William J. Pendergast.
East Boston High School — James A. Ronayne.
English High School—William J. Stewart.
Hyde Park High School—John M. Kilroy.
Jamaica Plain High School — William J. Bond.
Roslindale High School—James C. Murphy.
Roxbury Memorial High School (Boys)—Thomas E. Moran.
South Boston High School — Joseph A. Crowley.
On roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote:
YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald and Mr. Lee—3.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Messrs. Musco and Ward—2.

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ASSISTANT TEACHER COACHES

Football

(To take effect Sept. 1, 1955)
Boston Latin School—Charles S. FitzGerald.
Boston Latin School — Frederick J. Gumbs.
Boston Technical High School—Victor J. Campbell.

Boston Technical High School — John W. Lyons.

Boston Trade High School — George P. Ryan.

Boston Trade High School — Howard W. Lloyd.

Brighton High School — Thomas J. Carty.

Charlestown High School — Jeffrey J. Keating.

Dorchester High School — Jerome C. Buckley.

East Boston High School — Edward J. Grant.

English High School — Frederick J. Gillis, Jr.

English High School — Patrick J. King.

Hyde Park High School — John J. Buckley.

Jamaica Plain High School — Edward J. Murphy.

Roslindale High School — Walter D. Fitzgerald.

Roxbury Memorial High School (Boys) — John F. Keane.

Roxbury Memorial High School (Boys) — Henry J. Chiarini.

South Boston High School — Joseph F. Callahan.

On roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS — Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald and Mr. Lee — 3.

NAYS — 0.

ABSENT — Messrs. Museo and Ward — 2.

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PLAYGROUNDS

Summer Season — 1955

(To take effect July 5, 1955)

Supervisors — John W. Brennan, Jerome C. Buckley, Mona Grant Burke, Catherine T. Burns, Henry J. Chiarini, Mary Crehan, Walter D. Fitzgerald, Barbara B. Johnson, Helen M. Keyes, Gandolfa Lima, Walter W. McCarthy, Virgina M. Murphy, Charles F. O'Hara, Esther T. O'Sullivan, J. Stephen Patten, William J. Stewart, Jr.

On roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS — Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald and Mr. Lee — 3.

NAYS — 0.

ABSENT — Messrs. Museo and Ward — 2.

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Teachers — Irene W. Ailinger, Pauline Assad, Sheila J. Barry, Catherine A. Baxter, Mary L. Benson, Catherine R. Berry, M. Roberta Bodfish, Judith M. Bonner, Valerie L. Boudreau, Robert F. Bowen, Elizabeth A. Burke, Sumner M. Brenner, Penelope R. Burke, Patricia A. Cahill, Kathleen R. Callahan, Adeline C. Cannamela, Charles T. Caputo, Elissa Capuzzo, Marguerite Capuzzo, Donald A. Carbone, Ruth A. Carr, Thomas P. Carrigan, Joan M. Carroll, Rosemary A. Casey, Suzanne H. Casey, Walter J. Casey, Nancy M. Cella, Earl F. Chisholm, Phyllis E. Colley, Jane E. Collins, Mary E. Connell, Mildred J. Connelly, Marilyn A. Connolly, Mildred A. Corcoran, Patricia A. Corcoran, Maureen P. Corrigan, Marjorie A. Cotter, Margaret A. Covell, Mary T. Cowhig, Jeanne M. Creamer, Rosemary D. Cusick, Jeanette I. Delello, C. Marie DelloRusso, Dolores A. Devereaux, Ettore A. DiDonato, Mary L. Doucette, Dorothy Downey, Ann E. Downs, Mary A. Dungan, Cecile B. Durham, Nancy M. Early, Lois J. Efron, Marion E. Evans, Jean M. Fallon, Katherine R. Fanning, Maureen C. Fenlon, Kathleen V. Fitzpatrick, Mary F. Flynn, Anne M. Fraher, Robert E. Francis, Gertrude Freedman, Mary F. Gallagher, Joseph J. Gaziano, James F. Gibbons, Mary F. Gill, Patricia J. Glavin, John E. Goan, Rita C. Golden, Mary E. Grant, Evelyn D. Greenidge, John A. Grillo, Paul J. Hagerty, William R. Hanrahan, Kathleen L. Hayes, Carolyn H. Henderson, Barbara A. Hogan, Leo G. Holmes, Margaret A. Holzman, Ruth E. Horgan, Patricia M. Horrigan, Claire C. Horton, Marilyn T. Hughes, Nancy C. Hughes, Vincent J. Hughes, Henry C. Hynds, Marie C. Hyland, Richard M. Jason, Joan L. Johnson, Gloria Katz, Paul B. Kearney, Jane I. Keating, Marie F. Kehoe, Marjorie A. Kehoe, Margaret A. Kelley, Beverly M. Kerrigan, Mary A. King, Ruth Kravitsky, Gail Lancaster, Walter M. Lang, Ann T. Lannon, Russell A. Larigley, Thomas B. Lavin, Nicholas J. Lembo, Rita M. Lennon, Louise L. Linteris, Ursula M. Looney, William L. Lorenz, Joseph P. Loughnane, Nancy R. Lourie, Patricia E. Lynch, Frances T. Lyons, Kathleen M. Lyons, Patricia J. Maginnis, Joan F. Maguire, Elaine A. Maher, Michael R. Maher, Francis G. Mahoney, Mary J. Mahoney, Ann F. Maloney, Francis J. Manning, Elizabeth A. McA'Nulty, Ann L. McCarthy, Nancy E. McCarthy, Robert E. Mc Carthy, Ann E. McCloskey, John W. McCue, Paul M. McDermott, Claire T. McDonald, June I. McDonough, Clare V. McGaffigan, Margaret D. McGah, Patricia I. McKenney, Shirley L. McLean, Mary A. McManus, Catherine R. McNamara, Ellen V. McPartland, Myrtle V. Mealey, Ann M. Melanphy, Geraldine P. Miraldi, Theresa L. Molloy, Marguerite F. X. Moloney, Maureen G. Moloney, Ann Carol Moran, Marie A. Morello, Joan M. Morgan, Claire M. Morrissey, Harriet B. Morrison, Frederick J. Mullane, Maureen E. Murphy, Rosemarie Murphy, Ellen T. O'Brien, Mary L. O'Brien, Mary V. O'Brien, Regina P. O'Brien, Cynthia J. O'Bryant, John D. O'Bryant, Paula M. O'Neil, Ann Driscoll Oteri, Rita A. Palermo, Julia B. Palmieri, Joanne M. Papahagis, Rosemarie A. Pascucci, Mary Pigott, Hazelle D. Pitters, Marika J. Psomiades, Maryjo A. Quigley, Diane Rabinowitz, Mary O. Racine, Nancy E. Randolph, Rita M. Regan, Desiree M. Reynolds, Anna M. Ricciardelli, Edward A. Roberts, Lelia M. Robertson, Marjorie F. Rogers, Janice A. Rothwell, Beverly G. Roye, Estelle R. Rubin, Muriel A. Sadagusky, Ruth A. Schindler, Bolic F. Schultz, Marilyn A. Scipione, Mary Jeanne Serrecchia, Nadine B. Shanler, Kathleen P. Shea, C. Marie Shedd, Nancy L. Sheehan, William L. Smith, Dorothy Sollito, Gloria A. Spriano, Constance M. Stevens, Carolyn M. St. Pierre, Alice P. Sullivan, Anne E. Sullivan, Anne M. Sullivan, Lorraine E. Sullivan, Joan M. Sutherland, Virginia C. Sweeney, Walter L. Sweeney, Anthony E. Tamoosh, Josephine A. Tangney, Louis J. Taris, Daniel F. Tarpey, M. Gregory Toupouzis, Ernestine O'Brien Tuitt, Margaret S. Tully, Armand J. Veneziano, Adeline V. Vitiello, Ernest Vozella, Archie J. Walsh, Catherine A. Walsh, June A. Ward, Anita T. Weinberger, Anne Wells Westbrooks, Barbara M. Wicher, Jean M. Wilcox, Marie J. Zizza.

On roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote.

YEAS — Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald and Mr. Lee — 3.

NAYS — 0.

ABSENT — Messrs. Museo and Ward — 2.

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LEAVES OF ABSENCE

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Aug. 8, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has discontinued the leave of absence for military service granted the following-named teacher, to take effect on the date indicated:

Mary Hemenway District — Paul A. Kennedy, teacher, elementary, Aug. 31, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the leave of absence was discontinued by the following vote:

YEAS — Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald and Mr. Lee — 3.

NAYS — 0.

ABSENT — Messrs. Museo and Ward — 2.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Aug. 8, 1955, recommending that leave of absence without pay, be granted the following-named teachers for the terms specified:

Chapman District — Mary C. Rogers, teacher, elementary, Sept. 1, 1955 to Aug. 31, 1956; Doris A. Trainor, teacher, elementary, Sept. 1, 1955 to Aug. 31, 1956.

Hart-Gaston-Perry District — Mildred T. Silk, teacher, elementary, Sept. 1, 1955 to Aug. 31, 1956

Julia Ward Howe District — Clara L. Case, teacher, elementary, Sept. 1, 1955 to Aug. 31, 1956.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the leaves of absence without pay were granted by the following vote:

YEAS — Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald and Mr. Lee — 3.

NAYS — 0.

ABSENT — Messrs. Museo and Ward — 2.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Aug. 8, 1955, recommending that leave of absence without pay for maternity be granted the following-named teachers, to take effect on the dates indicated and to continue until terminated by the Superintendent with the approval of the School Committee, provided that such leave shall be for a period of at least three months after the date of birth and provided further that no such leave shall in any event exceed eighteen months:

Hyde-Everett District — Marie C. Myers, teacher, elementary, July 5, 1955.

John Marshall District—Mary F. Cooney, teacher, elementary, July 16, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the leaves of absence without pay were granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald and Mr. Lee—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Messrs. Musco and Ward—2.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Aug. 8, 1955, recommending that leave of absence for study, study and travel, or for rest, be granted the following named teachers for the terms specified:

Charles Sumner District — Helen L. Clausmeyer, teacher, elementary, Sept. 1, 1955, to Aug. 31, 1956, for rest.

Elementary Supervisors--Genevieve J. Farley, elementary supervisor, Sept. 1, 1955, to Aug. 31, 1956, for study.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the leaves of absence for study, or for rest, were granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald and Mr. Lee—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Messrs. Musco and Ward—2.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Aug. 8, 1955, recommending that leave of absence without pay under a suspension of the regulations and subject to the approval of the School Committee be granted the following-named teacher for the term specified:

Dillaway District — Margaret R. McKay, teacher, elementary, Sept. 1, 1955, to Aug. 31, 1956.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the regulations were suspended and the leave of absence granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald and Mr. Lee—3

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Messrs. Musco and Ward—2.

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TRANSFERS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Aug. 8, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has rescinded the transfer of John R. Mullen, teacher, junior high, Abraham Lincoln-Quincy District, to the Patrick T. Campbell Junior High School, to take effect Sept. 1, 1955, which was presented and approved at the meeting of June 27, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the transfer was rescinded by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald and Mr. Lee—3

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Messrs. Musco and Ward—2.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Aug. 8, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has made the following transfers of teachers, to take effect Sept. 1, 1955:

E. Marie Dooley, assistant, special class, Wendell Phillips District, to the same position in the Hugh O'Brien District.

John R. Mullen, teacher, junior high, Abraham Lincoln-Quincy District, to the same position in the Patrick F. Gavin Junior High School.

Gerald M. O'Meara, teacher, junior high, Clarence R. Edwards Junior High School, to the same position in the Grover Cleveland Junior High School.

Ann W. Westbrooks, assistant, special class, William Howard Taft Junior High School, to the same position in the Sherwin District.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the transfers were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald and Mr. Lee—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Messrs. Musco and Ward—2.

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ASSIGNMENTS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Aug. 8, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has assigned the following-named teachers, as indicated, without change of rank or salary, to take effect Sept. 1, 1955, and to continue for the school year ending Aug. 31, 1956, unless earlier terminated by the Superintendent, with the approval of the School Committee:

Girls' High School—John E. Bobula, master, to the English High School.

Patrick F. Gavin Junior High School—Elizabeth J. Moynahan, teacher, junior high, to the Dwight District.

Rice-Franklin District—Muriel Page, teacher, junior high, to Blackinton-John Cheverus District (two-fifths time) and Francis Parkman District (one-fifth time).

Department of Home Economics—Mary A. Scanlan, teacher of cookery, junior high, to Special Classes.

Department of Industrial Arts —George E. Willard, Jr., shop instructor to Special Classes.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the assignments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald and Mr. Lee—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Messrs. Musco and Ward—2.

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REPORT ON MARRIED TEACHERS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Aug. 8, 1955, reporting that in accordance with the provisions of Section 283 of the regulations, the following-named female teachers have reported that they were married on the dates indicated:

Emily A. Fifield-Gilbert Stuart District—Alice L. Murphy, teacher, elementary, married July 4, 1955, new name Alice L. Adams.

Harvard District—E. Patricia Hannon, teacher, elementary, married July 2, 1955, new name E. Patricia Gustus.

Hugh O'Brien District—Dorothea Louise Keegan, teacher, elementary, married July 16, 1955, new name Dorothea Louise Connolly.

Julia Ward Howe District — Clare Lillian Grandolfi, teacher, elementary, married July 3, 1955, new name Clara Lillian Case.

Robert Treat Paine District — Mary E. Callahan, teacher, elementary, married July 2, 1955, new name Mary E. Cahill.

Washington Irving Junior High School—M. Elizabeth Haverty, teacher, junior high, married June 25, 1955, new name M. Elizabeth Doherty.

William Blackstone Junior High School — Mary Frances Buckley, teacher, junior high, married July 2, 1955, new name Mary Frances Glennon.

Roxbury Memorial High School (Girls) - - Frances E. Rowlinson, assistant, married July 16, 1955, new name Frances E. Stanley.

Placed on file.

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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATIONAL AND RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES

(Evening Schools)
Term 1955-56

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That evening schools are hereby established for the term 1955-56 as follows:

High Schools

Boston Central Evening High School, in the English High Schoolhouse.

Brighton Evening Commercial High School, in the Brighton High Schoolhouse.

Dorchester Evening Commercial High School, in the Jeremiah E. Burke High School for Girls Schoolhouse.

East Boston Evening Commercial High School, in the Joseph H. Barnes Schoolhouse.

Roslindale Evening Commercial High School, in the Roslindale High Schoolhouse.

Roxbury Evening Commercial High School, in the Boston Clerical Schoolhouse.

South Boston Evening Commercial High School, in the South Boston High Schoolhouse.

Elementary Schools

Brighton Evening School, in the Brighton High School Schoolhouse.

Codman Square Evening School in the Girls' Latin Schoolhouse.

Dorchester Evening School, in the Jeremiah E. Burke High School for Girls Schoolhouse.

East Boston Evening School, in the Joseph H. Barnes Schoolhouse.

Fields Corner Evening School, in the Grover Cleveland Schoolhouse.

Roslindale Evening School, in the Roslindale High Schoolhouse.

Roxbury Evening School, in the Boston Clerical Schoolhouse.

South Boston Evening School, in the South Boston High Schoolhouse.

South End Evening School, in the Abraham Lincoln Schoolhouse.

West End Evening School, in the William Blackstone Schoolhouse.

On roll call the order passed by the following votte:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald and Mr. Lee—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Messrs. Musco and Ward—2.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the Patrick T. Campbell Evening School is hereby renamed the Codman Square Evening School and moved to the Girls' Latin School Building, beginning with the term 1955-56.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald and Mr. Lee—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Messrs. Musco and Ward—2.

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ATTENDANTS, HORACE MANN SHOOL FOR THE DEAF

The following four orders were offered:

ORDERED, That subject to the approval of the Division of Civil Service, the re-employment of Mary E. Anthony as attendant at the Horace Mann School for the Deaf, for the purpose of receiving visitors and accompanying pupils to and from school is hereby authorized, compensation for said service to be at the rate of seven dollars ($7) for each day of actual service, to take effect Sept. 8, 1955, and to continue for the school year ending Aug. 31, 1956.

ORDERED, That subject to the approval of the Division of Civil Service, the re-employment of Ellen Fitzgerald for the purpose of accompanying pupils to and from school and for services as lunch attendant in the Horace Mann School for the Deaf is hereby authorized, compensation for such service to be at the rate of seven dollars ($7) for each day of actual service, to take effect Sept. 8, 1955, and to continue for the school year ending Aug. 31, 1956.

ORDERED, That subject to the approval of the Division of Civil Service, the re-employment of Mildred Amerena, Catherine Donovan, Florence Hayes, Hannah Hickey, and Marguerite Murphy, attendents at the Horace Mann School for the Deaf, for the purpose of accompanying pupils to and from school, is hereby authorized, compensation to be at the rate of four dollars and fifty cents ($4.50) for each day of actual service, to take effect Sept. 8, 1955, and to continue for the school year ending Aug. 31, 1956.

ORDERED, That the Superintendent is hereby authorized to employ such emergency substitute attendants in the Horace Mann School for the Deaf as may from time to time be needed, compensation for such service to be at the rate regularly established for the position.

On roll call, the four orders passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald and Mr. Lee—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Messrs. Musco and Ward—2.

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PRINTING OF INFORMATIONAL BOOKLET

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the printing of two hundred and fifty thousand (250,000) copies of an Informational Booklet pertaining to the Evening Schools and School Centers, Department of Adult Educational and Recreational Activities, is hereby authorized.

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald and Mr. Lee—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Messrs. Musco and Ward—2.

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SALARY OF ARMORER

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That Frederick N. Cronin, armorer, Department of Physical Education, is hereby placed on the second year of the salary of the rank, namely, thirty-five hundred sixty-four dollars ($3,564) per annum, to take effect May 17, 1955, and that he shall be advanced upon successive anniversaries of said date until the maximum of the rank is reached.

On roll call the rules were suspended and the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald and Mr. Lee—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Messrs. Musco and Ward—2.

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ESTABLISHMENT OF RANKS

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the ranks in the Department of Home Economics are hereby changed as follows:

From Teachers of cookery, junior high; Teachers of sewing, junior high; Teachers of sewing, elementary

To Teachers of foods, junior high; Teachers of clothing, junior high; Teachers of clothing, elementary.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald and Mr. Lee—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Messrs. Musco and Ward—2.

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RESIGNATION

A communication was received from the Secretary, under date of Aug. 8, 1955, reporting the resignation of Clare P. Doyle, assistant, assigned to the Department of Physical Education, to take effect Aug. 19, 1955.

Placed on file and the resignation accepted, to take effect on the date stated.

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TUITION RATES

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the rates of tuition for non-resident pupils in the Boston Public Schools, exclusive of State-aided schools and classes and exclusive also of children residing on Federal areas within the territorial limits of the City of Boston, are hereby established as follows for the school year 1955-56:

Latin and Day High Schools, per year	$420.00
Junior High Schools, per year	350.00
Elementary Schools, per year	260.00
Kindergartens, per year	150.00
Boston Clerical School, per year	450.00
Summer Review High Schools, per term	30.00
Summer Review Junior High Schools, per term	20.00
Evening High Schools, per term	55.00
Evening Elementary Schools, per term	55.00
Speech Improvement Classes, per hour of instruction	.20
Day School for Immigrants, per hour of instruction	.35
Lip Reading Classes, per hour of instruction	3.35
Conservation of Eyesight Classes, per hour of instruction	.60
Instruction of Physically Handicapped Children, per hour of instruction	5.08

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald and Mr. Lee—3

NAYS—0

ABSENT—Messrs. Musco and Ward—2

APPOINTMENT OF MOTOR EQUIPMENT OPERATOR AND LABORER

A communication was received from the Secretary, under date of Aug. 8, 1955, reporting, subject to the approval of the School Committee, and with the approval of the Division of Civil Service and the consent of the head of the department concerned, the appointment of Martin T. Rush to the position of motor equipment operator and laborer, Supply Room, by transfer from the Highway Division, Public Works Department, City of Boston, to take effect July 6, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald and Mr. Lee—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Messrs. Musco and Ward—2.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the salary of Martin T. Rush, motor equipment operator and laborer, Supply Room, is hereby established at the rate of fifty-five dollars and fifty cents ($55.50) a week, to take effect July 6, 1955, and to continue until otherwise ordered.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald and Mr. Lee—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Messrs. Musco and Ward—2.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the salary of Martin T. Rush, motor equipment operator and laborer, Supply Room, is hereby established at the rate of seventy-four dollars and eighteen cents ($74.18) per week, to take effect Aug. 10, 1955, and to continue until otherwise ordered.

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald and Mr. Lee—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Messrs. Musco and Ward—2.

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SALARY OF FRANCIS J. KANE

The following was offered:

ORDERED That the salary of Francis J. Kane, motor equipment operator and laborer, Supply Room, is hereby established at the rate of seventy-four dollars and eighteen cents ($74.18) per week, to take effect Aug. 10, 1955, and to continue until otherwise ordered.

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald and Mr. Lee—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Messrs. Musco and Ward—2.

REPORT ON AUDIT OF BOOKS AND ACOUNTS

A communication was received from O'Brien, Fitzgerald & Cullen, under date of July 21, 1955, submitting their interim report of the School Committee of the City of Boston as of June 30, 1955.

Placed on file.

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APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES TO JULY 1, 1955

A communication was received from th Business Manager, under date of Aug. 8, 1955, submitting a statement showing the appropriations, the expenditures and the balances for general school purposes and special items for the first six drafts of the current fiscal year, the expenditures for the first six drafts of the fiscal year 1954, and the increases and decreases in the several items.

Placed on file.

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RESIGNATION OF CUSTODIAN

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Aug. 8, 1955, reporting the resignation, to take effect July 12, 1955, of Robert E. Sullivan, junior building custodian, Jeremiah E. Burke High School.

The communication was placed on file and the resignation accepted, to take effect on the date stated.

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APPOINTMENT OF CUSTODIANS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Aug. 8, 1955, recommending, subject to the approval of the School Committee, and in accordance with the certification of the Division of Civil Service, the appointment of the following-named persons who stand at the head of the list and who have been approved by the Medical Director, Workmen's Compensation Service, City of Boston, as junior building custodians, to take effect July 13, 1955:

Daniel P. Boyle, Edward F. Fitzgerald Jr., John J. McClellan, Jr., Robert F. Flavin.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald and Mr. Lee—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Messrs. Musco and Ward—2.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Aug. 8, 1955, recommending, subject to the approval of the School Committe, and in accordance with the certification of the Division of Civil Service, the appointment of Paul R. Tudor the first candidate on the Civil Service list who is willing to accept the position as military substitute junior building custodian, to take effect July 13, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald and Mr. Lee—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Messrs. Musco and Ward—2.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Aug. 8, 1955, recommending, subject to the approval of the School Committee, the following-named senior building custodians who, by seniority and merit, stand at the head of their respective lists, be transferred to the schools indicated, to take effect July 13, 1955:

John Connolly, from Woodrow Wilson Junior High School to Roslindale High School.

Guy C. Lizio, from Roslindale High School to Girls' Latin School.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the transfers were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald and Mr. Lee—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Messrs. Musco and Ward—2.

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The Committee adjourned.

Attest:

AGNES E. REYNOLDS
Secretary

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Mayor has approved the following orders of the Public Improvement Commission:

That one catch basin and connection be constructed in Eatonia street, from West Sorrento street approximately 200 feet southwesterly, in the Brighton district, at an estimated cost of $500.

That two catch basins and connections be constructed in West Sorrento street, between Hopedale street and North Harvard street, in the Brighton district, at an estimated cost of $1,000.

That 660 linear feet of 12-inch pipe surface drain be constructed in Mt. Vernon street, between Old Colony avenue and the Pumping Station, in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of $5,200.

That one manhole at end of existing sewer be constructed in Langford park (formerly Louise park), from Copeland street approximately 203 feet southeasterly, in the Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of $500.

That one catch basin and 100 linear feet of 10-inch pipe surface drain be constructed in Old Colony avenue, between Mt. Vernon street and Columbia road, in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of $1,000.

That one drop inlet connection, and one catch basin converted to manhole top be constructed in Summer street, at the southeast corner of Melcher street, in the South Boston district, at an estimated cost of $500.

STREET LOCATION IN DORCHESTER.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the widening, relocation, and construction of Old Colony avenue, Dorchester district, between Mt. Vernon street and Columbia road, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named Old Colony avenue is hereby widened and relocated from a point approximately 475 feet north of Mt. Vernon street, northerly approximately 564 feet, and ordered constructed.

For the making of the aforesaid improvement an easement for street purposes is hereby taken in the following described land, exclusive of trees, shrubs or structures standing upon or affixed thereto:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to the City of Boston, bounded:

Easterly by the westerly line of Columbia road, sixty and 20-100 feet on a curve of 2,216.58 feet radius; southerly by the southerly line of Old Colony avenue as hereby widened and relocated by two measurements, fifty-seven and 54-100 feet on a curve of thirty-two and 12-100 feet and fifteen and 25-100 feet on a curve of thirteen and 34-100 feet radius; westerly by the easterly line of Old Colony avenue as it existed prior to this order fifty-two and 26-100 feet; northerly by the northerly line of Old Colony avenue as hereby widened and relocated, forty and 50-100 feet on a curve of seventy-three and 10-100 feet radius, containing one thousand nine hundred and fifty-four square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to the City of Boston, bounded:

Easterly by the westerly line of Columbia road, twenty and 00-100 feet on a curve of 2,216.58 feet radius; southerly by the southerly line of Old Colony avenue as hereby widened and relocated, six and 14-100 feet on a curve of two and 09-100 feet radius; westerly by the easterly line of Old Colony avenue as it existed prior to this order, twenty and 00-100 feet, containing thirty-five square feet, more or less.

Trees, shrubs or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforedescribed land, shall be removed therefrom within thirty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Said Old Colony avenue as hereby widened and relocated is bounded:

Easterly by the westerly line of Columbia road, sixty and 20-100 feet on a curve of 2,216.58 feet radius; southerly by the southerly line of Old Colony avenue as hereby widened and relocated by two measurements, fifty-seven and 54-100 feet on a curve of thirty-two and 12-100 feet radius and fifteen and 25-100 feet on a curve of thirteen and 34-100 feet radius; southerly again by Old Colony avenue, eighty and 00-100 feet; westerly by the westerly line of Old Colony avenue as hereby widened by two measurements, one hundred and thirty-one and 00-100 feet and four hundred thirty-two and 86-100 feet; northerly by Old Colony avenue, eighty and 00-100 feet; easterly by Columbia road by two measurements, three hundred four and 03-100 feet and twenty and 00-100 feet on a curve of 2,216 and 58-100 feet radius; southerly by the southerly line of Old Colony avenue as hereby widened and relocated, six and 14-100 feet on a curve of two and 09-100 feet radius; easterly by the easterly line of Old Colony avenue as hereby widened and relocated by two measurements, one hundred four and 34-100 feet and seventy-four and 26-100 feet; northerly by the northerly line of Old Colony avenue as hereby widened and relocated, forty and 50-100 feet on a curve of seventy-three and 10-100 feet radius.

No betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Voted, that this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the widening, relocation, and construction of Old Colony avenue, Dorchester district, under the order of the commission of August 11, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

City of Boston, 1,954 square feet, nothing.

City of Boston, 35 square feet, nothing.

EXTENSION OF LAURIE AVENUE, WEST ROXBURY.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of an extension of Laurie avenue, West Roxbury district, as a public highway, from Gould street to Baker street, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named Laurie avenue is hereby laid out from Gould street to Baker street, and ordered constructed.

For the making of the aforesaid improvement an easement for street purposes is hereby taken in the following described land, exclusive of trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed thereto:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to John T. O'Brien and John T. O'Brien, Jr., bounded:

Southeasterly by the northwesterly line of Laurie avenue as it existed prior to this order, five and 79-100 feet; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Laurie avenue as hereby laid out, five and 79-100 feet on a curve of three hundred and 00-100 feet radius; northeasterly by land hereinafter described as taken from Earle F. Cook, Jr., *et al.*, 06-100 feet, containing 20-100 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Earle F., Jr., and Velma K. Cook, bounded:

Southwesterly by land hereinbefore described as taken from John T. O'Brien *et al.*, 06-100 feet; southeasterly by the northwesterly line of Laurie avenue as it existed prior to this order, fifty and 00-100 feet; northeasterly by land hereinafter described as taken from Charles D. Hallahan *et al.*, five and 14-100 feet; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Laurie avenue as hereby laid out, forty-nine and 49-100 feet on a curve of three hundred and 00-100 feet radius, containing one hundred twenty-nine square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Charles D. and Rita M. Hallahan, bounded:

Southwesterly by land hereinbefore described as taken from Earle F. Cook, Jr., *et al.*, five and 14-100 feet; southeasterly by the northwesterly line of Laurie avenue as it existed prior to this order by two measurements, five and 40-100 feet and fifty-six and 26-100 feet; northeasterly by land hereinafter described as taken from George Vlahos *et al.*, 04-100 feet; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Laurie avenue as hereby laid out, sixty and 52-100 feet, containing two hundred sixteen square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to George and Dorothy W. Vlahos, bounded:

Southwesterly by land hereinbefore described as taken from Charles D. Hallahan *et al.*, 04-100 feet; southeasterly by the northwesterly line of Laurie avenue as it existed prior to this order, four and 93-100 feet; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Laurie avenue as hereby laid out, four and 93-100 feet on a curve of three hundred and 00-100 feet radius, containing 01-100 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to George and Dorothy W. Vlahos, bounded:

Southeasterly by the northwesterly line of Laurie avenue as it existed prior to this order, fifteen and 76-100 feet; southwesterly by the southwesterly line of Laurie avenue as hereby laid out, twenty-two and 91-100 feet on a curve of thirteen and 00-100 feet radius; northeasterly by the southwesterly line of Walnut street, fifteen and 76-100 feet, containing fifty-six square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to John B. and Frances Amato, bounded:

Southeasterly by the northwesterly line of Laurie avenue as it existed prior to this order, ten and 71-100 feet; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Laurie avenue as hereby laid out, seventeen and 93-100 feet on a curve of thirteen and 00-100 feet radius; southwesterly by the northeasterly line of Walnut street, ten and 71-100 feet, containing twenty-three and 00-100 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Harold and Esther Gordon, bounded:

Southeasterly by the northwesterly line of Laurie avenue as it existed prior to this order, fifteen and 76-100 feet; southwesterly by the southwesterly line of Laurie avenue as hereby laid out, twenty-two and 91-100 feet on a curve of thirteen and 00-100 feet radius; northeasterly by the southwesterly line of Walnut street, fifteen and 76-100 feet, containing fifty-six square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to the City of Boston, bounded:

Southeasterly by the northwesterly line of Laurie avenue as it existed prior to this order, ten and 71-100 feet; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Laurie avenue as hereby laid out, seventeen and 93-100 feet on a curve of thirteen and 00-100 feet radius; southwesterly by the northeasterly line of Moreland street, ten and 71-100 feet, containing twenty-three square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Hope Clark, bounded:

Southeasterly by the northwesterly line of Laurie avenue as it existed prior to this order, thirteen and 39-100 feet; southwesterly by the southwesterly line of Laurie avenue as hereby laid out, twenty-two and 32-100 feet on a curve of sixteen and 07-100 feet radius; northeasterly by the southwesterly line of Baker street, thirteen and 39-100 feet, containing thirty-six square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Anthony F. and Antonetta A. Lepardo, bounded:

Northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Laurie avenue as it existed prior to this order, seventeen and 01-100 feet; southeasterly by the southeasterly line

of Laurie avenue as hereby laid out, twenty-four and 84-100 feet on a curve of fourteen and 17-100 feet radius; northeasterly by the southwesterly line of Baker street, seventeen and 01-100 feet, containing sixty-five square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Ralph J. and Mary R. DeVirgilio, bounded:

Northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Laurie avenue as it existed prior to this order, one and 79-100 feet; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Laurie avenue as hereby laid out, one and 79-100 feet on a curve of three hundred and 00-100 feet radius; southwesterly by land hereinafter described as taken from William C. Hardy *et al.*, containing 01-100 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to William C. and Ethel M. Hardy, bounded:

Northwesterly by land hereinbefore described as taken from Ralph J. DeVirgilio *et al.*, 01-100 feet; northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Laurie avenue as it existed prior to this order, forty-nine and 25-100 feet; southwesterly by land hereinafter described as taken from Roland I. Newstadt, four and 31-100 feet; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Laurie avenue as hereby laid out, forty-eight and 75-100 feet on a curve of three hundred and 00-100 feet radius, containing seventy-six square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Roland I. Newstadt, bounded:

Northeasterly by land hereinbefore described as taken from William C. Hardy *et al.*, four and 31-100 feet; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Laurie avenue as it existed prior to this order, three and 00-100 feet; southwesterly by land hereinafter described as taken from Walter F. and Sophie Reska, three and 82-100 feet; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Laurie avenue as hereby laid out, two and 96-100 feet on a curve of three hundred and 00-100 feet radius, containing twelve square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Walter F. and Sophie Reska, bounded:

Northeasterly by land hereinbefore described as taken from William C. Hardy *et al.*, three and 82-100 feet; northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Laurie avenue as it existed prior to this order, forty-eight and 04-100 feet; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Laurie avenue as hereby laid out, forty-seven and 62-100 feet on a curve of three hundred and 00-100 feet, containing seventy-one square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Sarah J. Allen, bounded:

Northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Laurie avenue as it existed prior to this order, fifteen and 76-100 feet; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Laurie avenue as hereby laid out, twenty-two and 91-100 feet on a curve of thirteen and 00-100 feet radius; southwesterly by the northeasterly line of Moreland street, fifteen and 76-100 feet, containing fifty-six square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Ivar R. Carlson, bounded:

Northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Laurie avenue as it existed prior to this order, ten and 71-100 feet; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Laurie avenue as hereby laid out, seventeen and 93-100 feet on a curve of thirteen and 00-100 feet radius; northeasterly by the southwesterly line of Moreland street, ten and 71-100 feet, containing twenty-three square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to William and Mary Fiorito, bounded:

Northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Laurie avenue as it existed prior to this order, fifteen and 76-100 feet; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Laurie avenue as hereby laid out, twenty-two and 91-100 feet on a curve of thirteen and 00-100 feet radius; southwesterly by the northeasterly line of Walnut street, fifteen and 76-100 feet, containing fifty-six square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Francis P. Mullen, bounded:

Northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Laurie avenue as it existed prior to this order, ten and 71-100 feet; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Laurie avenue as hereby laid out, seventeen and 93-100 feet on a curve of thirteen and 00-100 feet radius; northeasterly by the southwesterly line of Walnut street, ten and 71-100 feet, containing twenty-three square feet, more or less.

Said Laurie avenue as hereby laid out is bounded:

Southwesterly by the northeasterly line of Gould street, forty-three and 27-100 feet; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Laurie avenue as hereby laid out by three measurements, ninety-four and 21-100 feet; one hundred twenty and 73-100 feet on a curve of three hundred and 00-100 feet radius, and thirty-two and 31-100 feet; southwesterly by the southwesterly line of Laurie avenue as hereby laid out, twenty-two and 91-100 feet on a curve of thirteen and 00-100 feet radius; northwesterly by Walnut street, forty-two and 00-100 feet; again northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Laurie avenue as hereby laid out by two measurements, seventeen and 93-100 feet on a curve of thirteen and 00-100 feet radius and two hundred thirty-eight and 37-100 feet; southwesterly by the southwesterly line of Laurie avenue as hereby laid out, twenty-two and 91-100 feet on a curve of thirteen and 00-100 feet radius; northwesterly by Moreland street, forty-two and 00-100 feet; again northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Laurie avenue as hereby laid out by four measurements, seventeen and 93-100 feet on a curve of thirteen and 00-100 feet radius, one hundred eighty-four and 30-100 feet, one hundred fourteen and 60-100 feet on a curve of three hundred forty and 00-100 feet radius, and two hundred fifteen and 36-100 feet; southwesterly by the southwesterly line of Laurie avenue as hereby laid out, twenty-two and 32-100 feet on a curve of sixteen and 07-100 feet radius; northeasterly by the southwesterly line of Baker street, seventy-one and 07-100 feet; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Laurie avenue as hereby laid out by four measurements, twenty-four and 84-100 feet on a curve of fourteen and 17-100 feet radius, two hundred four and 38-100 feet, one hundred one and 12-100 feet on a curve of three hundred and 00-100 feet radius, and one hundred seventy-one and 50-100 feet; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Laurie avenue as hereby laid out, twenty-two and 91-100 feet on a curve of thirteen and 00-100 feet radius; southeasterly by Moreland street, forty-two and 00-100 feet; again southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Laurie avenue as hereby laid out by two measurements, seventeen and 93-100 feet on a curve of thirteen and 00-100 feet radius and two hundred thirty-eight and 37-100 feet; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Laurie avenue as hereby laid out, twenty-two and 91-100 feet on a curve of thirteen and 00-100 feet; southeasterly by Walnut street, forty-two and 00-100 feet; again southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Laurie avenue as hereby laid out by four measurements, seventeen and 93-100 feet on a curve of thirteen and 00-100 feet; forty-five and 12-100 feet, one hundred thirty-six and 83-100 feet on a curve of three hundred forty and 00-100 feet radius, and seventy-seven and 71-100 feet.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the abutting parcels of land situated on both sides of Laurie avenue, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement herein ordered, each of said parcels in the amount hereinafter respectively set against it, said parcels and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Laurie Avenue, West Roxbury, July 26, 1955, George G. Hyland, Commissioner of Public Works," and on file in the office of this commission.

Parcel.		Amount.
1.	Michael and Agnes M. Tuohy	$213 00
2.	John T. and John T., Jr., O'Brien	448 00
3.	Earle F. and Velma K. Cook	452 00
4.	Charles D. and Rita M. Hallahan	452 00
5.	George and Dorothy W. Vlahos,	210 83
6.	John B. and Frances Amato	252 80
7.	George J. and Lena A. Zagame,	528 48
8.	John J. and Joan A. McManus,	464 00
9.	William P. and Imelda T. MacDonald	464 00
10.	Harold and Esther Gordon	496 24
11.	City of Boston	780 00
12.	Leocadia Ross	600 00
13.	Henry and Mary Hutchings	640 00
14.	James T. Donohue, Jr.	455 84
15.	James T. Donohue, Jr.	473 20
16.	James T. Donohue, Jr.	473 20
17.	William F. and Helen Haverty,	473 20
18.	Hope Clark	235 92
19.	Anthony F. and Antonetta A. Lepardo	263 25
20.	Edgar A. D'Entremont	412 00
21.	Ralph J. and Mary R. DeVirgilio	400 00
22.	William C. and Ethel M. Hardy,	390 00
23.	Walter F. and Sophie Reska	468 16
24.	Julien B. J. Landry	474 80
25.	Roland Newstadt	450 80
26.	Sarah J. Allen	638 00
27.	Ivar R. Carlson	590 35
28.	Harry and Jennie Schirago	591 50
29.	Harry and Jennie Schirago	591 50
30.	William and Mary Fiorito	590 00
31.	Francis P. Mullen	595 00
32.	Francis P. Mullen	597 50
33.	Clifford Z. Christopher, Trustee, West Roxbury Oaks	278 20
34.	Maurice T. Harrington	129 60
	Total	$15,573 37

Voted, That this commission determines that the undermentioned persons sustain damages in their estates by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the laying out and construction of Laurie avenue, West Roxbury district, from Baker street to Gould street, under the order of this commission of August 11, 1955, in the amounts hereinafter respectively set against them; and awards said amounts therefor.

John T. and John T., Jr., O'Brien, 20-100 square feet, nothing.

Earle F. and Velma K. Cook, 129 square feet, $1.

Charles D. and Rita M. Hallahan, 216 square feet, $1.

George and Dorothy W. Vlahos, 1-100 square feet, nothing.

George and Dorothy W. Vlahos, 56 square feet, $1.

John B. and Frances Amato, 23 square feet, $1.

Harold and Esther Gordon, 56 square feet, $1.

City of Boston, 23 square feet, nothing.

Hope Clark, 36 square feet, $1.

Anthony F. and Antonetta A. Lepardo, 65 square feet, $1.

Ralph J. and Mary R. DeVirgilio, 01-100 square feet, nothing.

William C. and Ethel M. Hardy, 76 square feet, $1.

Roland I. Newstadt, 12 square feet, $1.

Walter F. and Sophie Reska, 71 square feet, $1.

Sarah J. Allen, 56 square feet, $1.

Ivar R. Carlson, 23 square feet, $1.

William and Mary Fiorito, 56 square feet, $1.

Francis P. Mullen, 23 square feet, $1.

SEWERAGE WORKS IN HYDE PARK.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that sewerage works be constructed as follows:

The right and easement is taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings, or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings, or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within thirty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are in that part of Boston formerly Hyde Park, and are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being the private way known as Joan road, bounded:

Easterly by Leighton road, eighty-five and 22-100 feet; southerly by the southerly line of Joan road, by three measurements, thirty-four and 40-100 feet on a curve of twenty and 02-100 feet radius, one hundred forty-nine and 19-100 feet, and seventy and 14-100 feet on a curve of forty and 00-100 feet radius; easterly and southeasterly by the easterly and southeasterly lines of Joan road, by four measurements, one hundred eighty-three and 60-100 feet, eighty-nine and 52-100 feet on a curve of two hundred forty and 00-100 feet radius, one hundred eighty-one and 51-100 feet, and sixty-six and 88-100 feet on a curve of thirty-five and 00-100 feet radius; southerly by Dodge road, ninety-three and 53-100 feet; northwesterly and westerly by the northwesterly and westerly lines of Joan road, by four measurements, eighteen and 82-100 feet on a curve of one hundred seventeen and 43-100 feet radius, two hundred twenty-six and 96-100 feet, seventy-four and 60-100 feet on a curve of two hundred forty and 00-100 feet radius, and one hundred eighty-three and 60-100 feet; and northwesterly and northerly by the northwesterly and northerly lines of Joan road, by three measurements, one hundred forty and 27-100 feet on a curve of eighty and 00-100 feet radius, one hundred fifty-six and 86-100 feet, and thirty-five and 56-100 feet on a curve of twenty-five and 00-100 feet radius; containing thirty-two thousand one hundred sixty-one square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being the private way known as Dodge road, bounded:

Southeasterly by Leighton road, one hundred nineteen and 90-100 feet; southerly by the southerly line of Dodge road, by three measurements, forty-four and 24-100 feet on a curve of twenty and 00-100 feet radius, one hundred fifty-two and 67-100 feet, and forty-six and 11-100 feet on a curve of sixty and 00-100 feet radius; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Dodge road, by two measurements, one hundred thirty-one and 41-100 feet and forty-one and 89-100 feet on a curve of forty and 00-100 feet radius; southerly by the southerly line of Dodge road, one hundred sixty-seven and 55-100 feet on a curve of forty and 00-100 feet radius; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Dodge road, by two measurements, two hundred and 69-100 feet and thirty-five and 47-100 feet on a curve of one hundred seventeen and 43-100 feet radius; and northerly by the northerly line of Dodge road, by two measurements, two hundred forty and 45-100 feet and fifty-five and 76-100 feet on a curve of sixty and 00-100 feet radius; containing twenty-three thousand four hundred fifty square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being part of the private way known as Leighton road, bounded:

Northeasterly by Dietz road, forty and 00-100 feet; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Leighton road, by five measurements, twenty-three and 68-100 feet, ninety-eight and 83-100 feet on a curve of two hundred twenty-five feet radius, eighty-two and 61-100 feet on a curve of one hundred eighty-five and 00-100 feet radius, two hundred six and 98-100 feet, and one hundred twelve and 85-100 feet on a curve of seventy-five and 00-100 feet radius; southwesterly by the southwesterly line of Leighton road, by two measurements, ninety-nine and 00-100 feet and ninety-four and 02-100 feet on a curve of one hundred five and 00-100 feet radius; westerly by the westerly line of Leighton road, four hundred sixty and 26-100 feet; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Leighton road, by two measurements, eighty-six and 60-100 feet on a curve of seventy-five and 00-100 feet radius and one hundred forty-five and 13-100 feet; northeasterly by another part of Leighton road, forty and 00-100 feet; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Leighton road, by two measurements, one hundred forty-five and 13-100 feet and forty and 41-100 feet on a curve of thirty-five and 00-100 feet radius; easterly by the easterly line of Leighton road, four hundred sixty and 26-100 feet; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Leighton road, by two measurements, fifty-eight and 20-100 feet on a curve of sixty-five and 00-100 feet radius and ninety-nine and 00-100 feet; and northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Leighton road, by five measurements, fifty-two and 66-100 feet on a curve of thirty-five and 00-100 feet radius, two hundred six and 98-100 feet, one hundred and 47-100 feet on a curve of two hundred twenty-five and 00-100 feet radius, eighty-one and 26-100 feet on a curve of one hundred eighty-five and 00-100 feet radius, and twenty-three and 68-100 feet; containing fifty-three thousand five hundred sixty square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being the private way known as Belnap road, bounded:

Northeasterly by Eastmont road, one hundred four and 45-100 feet; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Belnap road, by three measurements, fifty-three and 15-100 feet on a curve of forty and 00-100 feet radius, three hundred seventy and 55-100 feet, and fifty-two and 05-100 feet on a curve of forty-five and 00-100 feet radius; westerly by Leighton road, one hundred three and 70-100 feet; and northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Belnap road, by three measurements, thirty-nine and 70-100 feet on a curve of twenty and 00-100 feet radius, three hundred forty-one and 23-100 feet, and forty-five and 32-100 feet on a curve of twenty-five and 00-100 feet radius; containing seventeen thousand four hundred eighty-nine square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, owners unknown, being the private way known as Perry court, bounded:

Westerly by Dietz road, one hundred five and 00-100 feet; northerly by the northerly line of Dietz road, by three measurements, fifty-two and 80-100 feet on a curve of twenty-five and 00-100 feet radius, twenty-one and 18-100 feet, and forty-one and 88-100 feet on a curve of forty and 00-100 feet radius; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Perry court, one hunderd sixty-seven and 55-100 feet on a curve of forty and 00-100 feet radius; southerly by the southerly line of Perry court, by two measurements, one hundred forty-four and 55-100 feet and twenty-five and 74-100 feet on a curve of twenty-five and 00-100 feet radius; containing ten thousand two hundred forty-three square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: In Joan road—approximately 770 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sewer, including 305 linear feet of 12-inch pipe surface drain and four catch basins and connections, at an estimated cost of $12,000; in Dodge road—approximately 500 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sewer, including 430 linear feet of 12-inch pipe surface drain and four catch basins and connections, at an estimated cost of $8,600; in Leighton road—approximately 1,170 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sewer, including 675 linear feet of 12-inch pipe surface drain and seven catch basins and connections, at an estimated cost of $18,500; in Belnap road—approximately 325 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sewer, including 60 linear feet of 12-inch pipe surface drain and two catch basins and connections, at an estimated cost of $5,200; in Perry court—approximately 175 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sewer, including 165 linear feet of 12-inch pipe surface drain and one catch basin and connection, at an estimated cost of $2,700.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvements.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the abutting parcels of land situated on both sides of Joan road, excluding those at the corner of Leighton road; the abutting parcels of land situated on both sides of Dodge road, from Leighton road southwesterly, excluding the parcels at the corner of said Leighton road; the abutting parcels of land situated on both sides of Leighton road, between Eastmont road and Dietz road, excluding the parcels at the corners of said Eastmont road and Dietz road; the abutting parcels of land situated on both sides of Belnap road, excluding the parcels at the corner of Eastmont road; and the abutting parcels of land situated on both sides of Perry court, excluding the parcels on the corners of Dietz road, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvements herein ordered; each of said parcels in the amount hereinafter set against it; the owner of all said parcels being the Turtle Pond Sales Corporation; said parcels and the owner thereof being shown on the plan hereinbefore referred to and on file in the office of this commission.

Parcel.		Amount.
1.	Turtle Pond Sales Corporation,	$240 43
2.	Turtle Pond Sales Corporation,	240 43
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71.	Turtle Pond Sales Corporation,	$210 00
72.	Turtle Pond Sales Corporation,	210 00
73.	Turtle Pond Sales Corporation,	210 00
74.	Turtle Pond Sales Corporation,	210 00
75.	Turtle Pond Sales Corporation,	210 00
Total		$17,639 67

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of an easement for sewerage purposes and the construction of sewerage works in Joan road, Dodge road, Leighton road, Belnap road, and Perry court, Hyde Park district, under the order of the commission of September 21, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

Owners unknown (Joan road), 32,161 square feet, nothing.

Owners unknown (Dodge road), 23,450 square feet, nothing.

Owners unknown (Leighton road), 53,560 square feet, nothing.

Owners unknown (Belnap road), 17,489 square feet, nothing.

Owners unknown (Perry court), 10,243 square feet, nothing.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

SEWERAGE WORKS.

Proposals for Sewerage Works in Guest Street and Outlet in Private Land, Brighton.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Guest street, etc. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Guest Street, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, OCTOBER 13, 1955, with a certified check for TWELVE HUNDRED (1,200) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Oct. 1.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

IMPORTANCE OF FOOD-BORNE DISEASE.

The relationship of food to disease continues to be an important public health program. The United States Public Health Service reported 327 outbreaks of food-borne disease in the United States in 1948, which resulted in 9,962 cases and 17 deaths. As only one out of ten cases of food-borne disease is ever reported, the resulting situation is far more important than available statistics would indicate.

The United States Public Health Service reports that there occurred in the United States in 1948, 30 cases and 6 deaths resulting from botulism; 74 cases and 1 death resulting from chemical food poisoning; 120 cases of dysentery; 8,832 cases and 7 deaths resulting from food infection and gastroenteritis; 270 cases of scarlet fever.

—Health Department Report.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

SIDEWALK NARROWING AND ROADWAY WORK.

Proposals for Sidewalk Narrowing and Bituminous Concrete Pavement in Mildred Avenue, Ward 18, from Babson Street to Norfolk Street Playground.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sidewalk narrowing, etc., in Mildred avenue, Ward 18, etc. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sidewalk Narrowing, etc., in Mildred Avenue, Ward 18, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, OCTOBER 20, 1955, with a certified check for SIX HUNDRED (600) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Oct. 1.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CONSULATES IN ARREARS ON TAXES.

New York City reports that 12 foreign countries are in arrears a total of $416,985 in real estate taxes on 27 properties, most of them bought within the last 15 years as consulates and headquarters for United Nations delegations.

Nearly all of the defaulting governments claim the right to city realty tax exemption under treaties and international doctrines, but the city has refused to waive its claims. Total assessed valuation is $5,321,000, with $720,000 exempt from tax. Finland, the Netherlands, and Israel have kept their real estate accounts paid up to date.

POLICE PENSIONS AND BENEFITS.

On December 1, 1952, there were 709 persons on the pension roll. During the year 25 died, 68 were added, leaving 752 on roll to date, 676 pensioners and 76 annuitants. Payments on account of pensions and annuities during the past year amounted to $1,377,183.62, and it is estimated that $1,717,827.71 will be required for pensions and annuities in 1954.

CITY OF BOSTON.

BOSTON HOUSING AUTHORITY.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR INSTALLATION OF COUNTER TOPS.

The City of Boston, acting by and through the Boston Housing Authority, pursuant to the provisions of chapter 372 of the Acts of 1946, as amended, will receive sealed bids for the installation of counter tops in the kitchens of certain houses in several housing developments located in various districts in the City of Boston, Mass., until one (1) o'clock P.M., Eastern Daylight Time, October 17, 1955, at the office of the Boston Housing Authority, Room 302, 230 Congress street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place all bids will be publicly opened and read aloud. Proposals must be made in quadruplicate, one (1) sealed proposal without bid security to be deposited with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Installation of Counter Tops in Kitchens of Certain Houses in Several Housing Devlopments Located in Certain Districts in the City of Boston."

A bid deposit in the form of cash or certified check on a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of eight hundred fifty (850) dollars, shall be submitted with the proposal filed with the Boston Housing Authority. The bid deposit shall he in a separate envelope, properly marked. No bid shall be withdrawn for a period of thirty (30) days subsequent to the opening of bids without the consent of the city.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to carpenters, mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority, and each in the sum of 100 per centum of the contract price will be required of the successful general contractor.

The city reserves the right to reject any or all proposals and to waive any informalities either in bidding or in the proposals, and reserves the right to award one or more contracts as it deems for its best interests.

CITY OF BOSTON, ACTING BY AND THROUGH THE BOSTON HOUSING AUTHORITY,

JAMES J. MAHAR,
(Oct. 1.) *Chairman.*

In a move to combat juvenile crime, Mayor Wagner of New York City asked Corporation Counsel A. P. Burke to seek the aid of the courts in ridding the bookstores and newsstands of comic books which teach disrespect for law and order and incite crime. The state supreme court, it was indicated, will be asked to grant injunctions against publication, distribution, or sale of several magazines in this category. Police Commissioner F. H. Adams laid the blame for recent "terrible juvenile crimes" on the influence of this type of magazine. Many, he said, are published secretly, and sold "under the counter."

—Toledo City Journal.

CITY OF BOSTON.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING AND INSTALLING TWO RECTANGULAR STEAM OPERATED AUTOCLAVES, ROOM 209, MALLORY BUILDING, BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL.

The City of Boston, by the Board of Trustees, Hospital Department, and of the Boston City Hospital, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for furnishing and installing two (2) rectangular steam operated autoclaves, Room 209, Mallory Building, Boston City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until two o'clock P.M., Wednesday, October 26, 1955, at the office of the Superintendent, Boston City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, and enclosed in an envelope, sealed, and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall he filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $550, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate of wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of the contract.

Specifications may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of the Boston City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston, Mass., on and after Monday, September 30, 1955.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any and all bids if it be in the public interest so to do.

The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all bids in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, AND OF THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL,

RICHARD J. CONDON,
(Oct. 1.) *President.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

BOSTON HOUSING AUTHORITY.

INVITATIONS FOR PROPOSALS FOR PAINTING 46 WOOD FRAME HOUSES.

The City of Boston, acting by and through the Boston Housing Authority, Room 303, 230 Congress street, Boston, in accordance with the provisions of chapter 372 of the Massachusetts Acts of 1946, as amended, invites proposals for painting of forty-six (46) wood frame houses.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth, and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority, and each in the sum of 100 per centum of the contract price, will be required of the general contractor. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 303, 230 Congress street, Boston. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Painting Forty-six (46) Wood Frame Houses," and left at Room 303, 230 Congress street, Boston, Mass., before 12 noon, Eastern Daylight Time, on Tuesday, October 11, 1955, at which time and place the proposals will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Bid security in the sum of 5 per cent of the amount of the proposal in the form of cash or certified check shall accompany each proposal.

Proposals must be made in quadruplicate, one (1) sealed proposal without bid security to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time made for opening the bids.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Boston Housing Authority. The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law, so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required prior to the award of said contract.

The city reserves the right to reject any or all proposals and to waive any informalities either in the bidding or in the proposals, and reserves the right to award the contract or contracts as it deems for its best interests.

No bid may be withdrawn for a period of thirty (30) days subsequent to the opening of bids without the consent of the city.

CITY OF BOSTON, ACTING BY AND THROUGH THE BOSTON HOUSING AUTHORITY,

JAMES J. MAHAR,
(Oct. 1.) *Chairman.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT COMMISSION.

IN PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT COMMISSION,
CITY OF BOSTON, SEPTEMBER 28, 1955.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Commission is of the opinion that public necessity requires the taking of land in the Roxbury district, for Public Works Department purposes, as follows:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, bounded and described as follows: Southerly by South Bay avenue; westerly by land of the City of Boston; northerly and easterly by other land of said New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, containing approximately 30,711 square feet; substantially as shown on a plan on file in the office of this Commission, that it intends to pass an order to make said taking, and that it appoints 10 o'clock A.M. of Thursday, October 13, 1955, and the office of this Commission, 401 City Hall Annex, as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

GEORGE G. ILYLAND, *Chairman*,
HERMAN CARP,
WM. ARTHUR REILLY,
Public Improvement Commission.

A true copy of an order passed by said Commission on said day.

Attest:

MICHAEL J. CORRAO,
(Oct. 1.) *Secretary.*

NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS.

If your subscription date has ended and you are still receiving the *City Record*, whether notified or not, send your renewal ($5.00 for year), to Editor, *City Record*, Room 40, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Subscription from date of order.

JOSHUA H. JONES, *Editor.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

SPECIAL NOTICE TO WRECKING CONTRACTORS.

Contractors are hereby notified that the wording of advertisement of September 24 for proposals for razing of the Dwight School, Smith street, Roxbury, should read: "Proposals for Razing of the Thomas Dwight School, Smith Street, Roxbury." All of the terms and the conditions contained in the notice of September 24, 1955, shall apply to this notice.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
(Oct. 1.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

CONCRETE FILLED STEEL COLUMNS.

Proposals for Furnishing and Erecting Concrete Filled Steel Columns in Washington Street Pedestrian Islands, Wards 3, 8, and 9, From Waltham Street to Massachusetts Avenue.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for furnishing and erecting concrete filled steel columns in Washington street, etc. A bond will he required for doing the work of a surety company approved hy the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Furnishing and Erecting Concrete Filled Steel Columns in Washington Street, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, OCTOBER 20, 1955, with a certified check for ONE HUNDRED (100) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per honr of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed nnder this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Oct. 1.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

CLEANING SURFACE DRAINAGE.

Proposals for Cleaning the Surface Drainage System of the Sumner Tunnel.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for cleaning the surface drainage system of the Sumner Tunnel. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Cleaning the Surface Drainage System of the Sumner Tunnel," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, OCTOBER 13, 1955, with a certified check for ONE HUNDRED (100) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The nndersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Oct. 1.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

BRIDGE RESURFACING.

Proposals for Resurfacing the Drawspan of the Dover Street Bridge Over Fort Point Channel.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for resurfacing the drawspan of the Dover Street Bridge over Fort Point Channel. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Resurfacing the Drawspan of the Dover Street Bridge Over Fort Point Channel," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, OCTOBER 13, 1955, with a certified check for SIX HUNDRED (600) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then he publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Oct. 1.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

SEWERAGE WORKS.

Proposals for Sewerage Works in Violet Street, Dorchester.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned hy a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Violet street, etc. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should he enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Violet Street, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of FRIDAY, OCTOBER 14, 1955, with a certified check for TWO HUNDRED (200) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, ths sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may he obtained without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insnrance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Oct. 1.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

SEALED PROPOSALS FOR $3,000,000 CITY OF BOSTON GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS.

COUPON SERIAL BONDS.

BONDS EXEMPT FROM TAXATION IN MASSACHUSETTS AND FROM THE PRESENT FEDERAL INCOME TAX.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.
OFFICE OF THE COLLECTOR-TREASURER.

CITY HALL,
BOSTON, MASS., SEPTEMBER 29, 1955.

In pursuance of the authority given by orders of the City Council of Boston and Acts of Massachusetts, the undersigned will receive proposals until 12 o'clock M., Eastern Daylight Saving Time, Tuesday, October 18, 1955, for the purchase of all but no part of the following-described coupon serial bonds.

Coupon Serial Bonds.

Bidder to name rate of interest in multiples of ¼ of one per cent; no bid to be less than par and accrued interest and a different rate of interest may be bid for all but no part of each purpose loan to be issued.

DEPARTMENTAL EQUIPMENT LOAN, $1,000,000.

Order of City Council of Boston of April 12, 1955, effective May 3, 1955. Payable $200,000 annually, October 1, 1956 to October 1, 1960, inclusive.

CITY OF BOSTON, EXTRAORDINARY REPAIRS LOAN, ACT OF 1955, $300,000.

Order of City Council of Boston of June 28, 1955. Payable $30,000 annually, October 1, 1956 to October 1, 1965, inclusive.

CONSTRUCTION OF BUILDINGS, ACQUISITION OF LAND, ETC., $200,000.

Order of City Council of Boston of May 19, 1953, effective June 9, 1953. Payable $10,000 annually, October 1, 1956 to October 1, 1975, inclusive.

CONSTRUCTION OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS, ACQUISITION OF LAND, ETC., $500,000.

Order of City Council of Boston of May 19, 1953, effective June 9, 1953. Payable $25,000 annually, October 1, 1956 to October 1, 1975, inclusive.

BRIDGES, CONSTRUCTION OF, $500,000.

Order of City Council of Boston of June 15, 1954, effective July 6, 1954. Payable $25,000 annually, October 1, 1956 to October 1, 1975, inclusive.

SEWERAGE LOAN, $500,000.

Order of City Council of Boston of April 5, 1955, effective April 26, 1955. Payable $25,000 annually, October 1, 1956 to October 1, 1975, inclusive.

All loans will be issued in Coupon Bond Certificates of $1,000 each, and will be paid on the dates specified for each loan, all with interest payable semiannually on the first days of April and October in each year, at the office of the Collector-Treasurer, Boston.

In comparing bids, preference will be given to the bidder whose bid provides for the lowest net interest cost to the city. (Total interest for the duration of the loan from October 1, 1955, less the amount of premium bid.)

The bonds will be dated October 1, 1955, and will be ready for delivery on or about November 18, 1955. Delivery of the bonds will be made either in Boston or in New York City at the option of the purchaser. Interest will begin October 1, 1955, and will cease on the dates on which the bonds are payable.

These bonds are exempt from taxation in Massachusetts and from the present Federal Income Tax.

Proposals must be sealed and addressed to James E. Gildea, Collector-Treasurer, Boston 8, Mass., endorsed "Proposals for Loans." Each proposal must be accompanied either by a cashier's check or by a certified check in the amount of $30,000, drawn on a Boston or New York City National Bank or Trust Company, the check made payable to the City of Boston, James E. Gildea, Collector-Treasurer. The check of any bidder to whom an award is made will be retained as part payment for the loans awarded. All other checks will be returned.

Accrued interest from October 1, 1955, to date of delivery is to be paid by the purchaser.

All proposals will be opened in the office of the Collector-Treasurer, Tuesday, October 18, 1955, at 12 o'clock M., Eastern Daylight Saving Time. The Collector-Treasurer reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to accept such bid or bids as may seem to him to be the most advantageous to the city.

JAMES E. GILDEA,
(Oct 1.) *Collector-Treasurer.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

REAL PROPERTY BOARD.
PROPERTY DIVISION.

PUBLIC AUCTION.
OCTOBER 11, 1955, ON THE PREMISES.

	Upset Price.	Deposit.
9.30 A.M.–Vacant land, 3 and 5 Burke's Court, East Boston, 1,737 square feet	$100	$100
9.40 A.M.–Vacant land, 80 Everett Street, East Boston, 2,250 square feet	350	350
9.55 A.M.–Vacant land, 9 and 10 Mystic Place, northerly corner of a passageway, Charlestown, 1,553 square feet	200	200
10.05 A.M.–Vacant land, 28 Frothingham Avenue, Charlestown, 1,127 square feet	300	300
10.20 A.M.–Vacant land, 5 Bay State Place, South Boston, 820 square feet	100	100
10.30 A.M.–2½-story frame, vacant, 134 Athens Street, South Boston, 1,113 square feet	500	500
10.45 A.M.–Vacant land, Hebron Street, Lots 184–185, adjacent to 261 Hebron Street, Hyde Park, 3,600 square feet	200	200
10.55 A.M.–Vacant land, Raleigh Road, Lots 18 and 19, at end of street, Hyde Park, 10,000 square feet	500	500
11.10 A.M.–Vacant land, Hollingsworth Street, Lots 110, 111, 112, 113, 114 and 115, adjacent to 97 Hollingsworth Street, Dorchester, 23,671 square feet	1,000	500
11.25 A.M.–Vacant land, 34 Easton Avenue, Hyde Park, 2,901 square feet	100	100
11.40 A.M.–Vacant land, Thompson Street, northwesterly side, adjacent to 23 Thompson Street, Hyde Park, 6,450 square feet	300	300
11.55 A.M.–Vacant land, Heron Street, Lots 109 and 111, 150 feet from 39 Heron Street, West Roxbury, 15,866 square feet	400	400

The Chairman reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

For further information call LA 3-5100, line 236.

HERMAN CARP, *Chairman.* JOHN J. McGRATH, *Auctioneer.*
(Oct. 1.)

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR ERECTION AND COMPLETION OF A BRANCH LIBRARY BUILDING AT EAST BROADWAY, SOUTH BOSTON, MASS.

The Trustees of the Public Library of the City of Boston, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invite sealed proposals for the erection and completion of a branch library building at East Broadway, South Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Tuesday, October 25, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals shall be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed and enclosed in a sealed envelope, plainly marked with the name of the bidder and the description of the work bid upon. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of eleven thousand dollars ($11,000), shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

Plans and specifications may be obtained on and after 12 o'clock noon, Tuesday, October 4, 1955, at the Business Office, Boston Public Library, Copley square, Boston, Mass. All plans and specifications must be returned in good condition to said office at the time of filing bids. A deposit of fifty dollars ($50) in cash will be required for each set of plans and specifications taken out for estimating, said deposit to be refunded on the return of the plans and specifications in good condition within thirty days after the opening of proposals.

Subbidders bidding on the work of subcontractors shall use the proposal form prepared by and obtainable from the Awarding Authority.

All subbidders' proposals filed with the Awarding Authority shall be submitted in sealed envelopes, plainly marked with the title of the work; division of the work for which bid is submitted; subcontractor's name; and subcontractor's business address. All such bids shall be in the possession of the Awarding Authority and delivered or mailed to the general contractor no later than 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, October 20, 1955.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount as specified in the following for the subbid item of work as listed below shall be submitted by each subbidder with the copy of his proposal filed with the Awarding Authority:

Membrane Flashing, Dampproofing and Caulking	$100
Roofing and Sheet Metal	$200
Structural Steel	$750
Miscellaneous Metal	$150
Metal Windows and Screens	$100
Metal Furring, Lathing and Plastering	$150
Interior Stone	$100
Ceramic Tile	$100
Resilient Floor and Counter Covering	$200
Paint, Painting and Finishing	$150
Glass and Glazing	$150
Plumbing	$500
Heating, Ventilating and Air Conditioning	$1,600
Electrical Work	$900
Radiant Heated Acoustical Ceiling	$850

The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, plainly marked "Bid Deposit."

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price, will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do. The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all subbids on any item or items in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

THE TRUSTEES OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY OF THE CITY OF BOSTON,
by MILTON E. LORD,
(Oct. 1.) *Director.*

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ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING GENERAL CLOTHING AND DRY GOODS FOR THE HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Monday, October 10, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Clothing and Dry Goods." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Oct. 1.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON
ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT
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OFFICIAL CHRONICLE OF BOSTON MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS.

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WEST ROXBURY DISTRICT TO GET 635 LINEAR FEET OF 10-INCH PIPE SEWER—TO BE CONSTRUCTED IN LA GRANGE STREET AT COST OF $8,500 SOUTH OF NEWFIELD STREET NEAR FURBUSH ROAD—$3,809.96 DAMAGES AWARDED TO ABUTTERS—MAYOR HYNES APPROVES.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that approximately 635 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sewers be constructed in La Grange street in the West Roxbury district at a cost of $8,500. The sewer work will extend from approximately 250 feet south of Newfield street to Furbush road. The order and the damages awarded read as follows:

IN PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

September 28, 1955.

Ordered, That approximately 635 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sewer, at an estimated cost of $8,500, be constructed in La Grange street, West Roxbury district, from approximately 250 feet south of Newfield street to Furbush road.

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REPAIRS ORDERED IN MERIDIAN STREET, EAST BOSTON, AND SUMMER STREET, SOUTH BOSTON—INCREASING CURB RADIUS AND INSTALLATION OF TRAFFIC ISLAND ORDERED FOR PUBLIC CONVENIENCE.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered repairs to be made in Summer street, South Boston, and Meridian street, East Boston. The East Boston work is to consist of the installation of a traffic divisional island at the intersection of Marion street and Meridian street. The improvements in South Boston will be at Summer street and Melcher street and will consist of increasing the curb radius. The votes as made public in each instance read as follows:

PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT COMMISSION,

August 11, 1955.

Voted, That this commission, having passed the order of notice relating to the public improvement hereinafter described, and having caused a copy of said order to be published June 10, 11, 13, and 14 in the Boston *Herald* and Boston *American*, two daily newspapers published in the

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UP-TO-DATE BRANCH LIBRARY TO BE ERECTED IN EAST BROADWAY SECTION, SOUTH BOSTON, AT COST OF $200,000—BIDS BEING CALLED FOR BY TRUSTEES, TO BE OPENED OCTOBER 25—TO HOLD 15,000 LIVE VOLUMES, PLUS 3,000 STORED OR REFERENCE BOOKS—ON SITE OF OLD LINCOLN SCHOOL.

When completed, the East Broadway section of South Boston will have one of the most up-to-date branch libraries in the entire Boston system. This is some of the information furnished by the architects, Shepley, Bulfinch, Richardson, and Abbott, 1 Court street. Bids for the erection of the library have been called for and will be received until Tuesday noon, October 25, by the Awarding Authority, the Trustees of the Library.

The structure when completed will cost in the vicinity of $20,000 and be on a plot of land 140 feet wide and 175 feet deep. It is being erected on the site of the old Lincoln School, and will be a one-story affair with everything on the first floor and no basement. Even the engine room and heating facility will be aboveground.

The structure is built to house about 15,000 live volumes and about 3,000 stored or reference books. Its exterior will be of red brick, with a marble band separating the brick from the roof, which will be of tile and gravel on steel decking. This will be supported by a main span supported by a long span of steel bar.

The building faces due south with the front all glass, recessed under the roof into reading rooms. The north outlook is also all glass and looks out onto a garden area. There will be an all-purpose room capable of seating comfortably about 150 persons with overflow possible from the reading rooms.

The accommodations are for fifty children, forty-five young adults, or forty grown-ups. Arrangements have been provided for a parking space for the staff at the rear of the building. This space will not be available to the public. There will be at all times a staff of from four to ten persons, according to the time of day when the library will be most used.

Another feature of this library will be provisions or facilities for listening to music by means of earphones. With each bid submitted there is a stipulation that surety bond, in the form of a treasurer's or cashier's check, in the amount of $11,000 shall be submitted. Plans and specifications are now ready at the business office of the Library in Copley square. To secure these a deposit of $50 will be required, which will be refunded on return of the plans.

"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean;
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.

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IN ADVANCE.

STREET AGENCIES.

Old South News Stand, Old South entrance to subway. Also News Stand, first floor, City Hall Annex.

Advertising.

A rate of $4 per inch of 12 lines (set solid) has been established for such advertisements as under the law must be printed in the City Record. Advertising and other copy must be in hand by 5 P.M. Wednesday of each week to insure its publication in the Saturday issue.

MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, October 10, at 2 P.M.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries, or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the Complaints Division, Room 25, City Hall.

Information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways, the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments of streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped area for streets and the opening of private ways; the making of specific repairs in public streets; the naming of public streets, including the use of public ways for location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railways, coal holes, and vaults, may be secured from the Public Improvement Commission, Room 403, City Hall Annex.

To the BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION, 112 Southampton street, for information relative to regulation of vehicular street traffic on all or any streets, ways, highways, roads, and parkways under the control of the City of Boston, the issuing of all permits in connection therewith.

To the COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting, and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of Sumner Tunnel, the maintenance of bridges and draw-bridges, and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

To the HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Haymarket Square, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish, and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughterhouses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases, of public health nuisances.

To the BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth Avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park, and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts, also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview, and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

To the SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

To the DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS, 28 Norman street, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

To the BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 907, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal, or tearing down buildings.

To the ELECTRICAL INSPECTION DIVISION OF THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT, 1001 City Hall Annex, for all information relative to the erection of poles, building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division; also for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings of the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

To the BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT, 43 City Hall, relative to changes in the boundary lines of zoning districts of the City of Boston as established by chapter 488 of the Acts of 1924, and amendments thereto.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending October 1, 1955.

Population as of July, 1950, Massachusetts State Census, 817,713; population estimated July, 1955, United States Census Bureau, 813,696; number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 147; nonresidents, 67; total, 214.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 13.91; nonresidents deducted, 9.42.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:

Last week, 14.35; corresponding week last year, 15.31.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 15; one year to four years, inclusive, 1; sixty years and over, 136; Total deaths: Male, 108; female, 106; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 157.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Oct. 1, 1955.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Oct. 2, 1954.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior Poliomyelitis	87	7	10	—
Diphtheria	—	—	—	—
Encephalitis Lethargica	—	—	—	—
Influenza	—	—	—	—
Measles	1	—	45	—
Meningitis Epidemic	—	—	—	—
Pneumonia (lobar)	—	—	—	1
Scarlet Fever	1	—	1	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary)	20	1	25	3
Childhood Type Tuberculosis	—	—	—	—
Tuberculosis (other forms)	1	—	—	—
Typhoid Fever	—	—	—	—
Whooping Cough	2	—	13	—

*Residents and nonresidents included.

NEW SEWERAGE WORK IN WEST ROXBURY.

(Continued from page 1189.)

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the undermentioned parcels of land situated on the easterly side of La Grange street, as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 1466, Sewerage Works, La Grange street, West Roxbury, September 28, 1955, George G. Hyland, Commissioner of Public Works," and on file in the office of this department, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement herein ordered, in the amounts hereinafter respectively set against them:

Parcel.		Amount.
1.	James L. Anderer	$272 14
2.	James L. Anderer	272 14
3.	James L. Anderer	272 14
4.	James L. Anderer	272 14
5.	James L. Anderer	272 14
6.	James L. Anderer	272 14
7.	James L. Anderer	272 14
8.	James L. Anderer	272 14
9.	James L. Anderer	272 14
10.	James L. Anderer	272 14
11.	James L. Anderer	272 14
12.	Charles A. Drennan	272 14
13.	Charles A. Drennan	272 14
14.	Charles A. Drennan	272 14
		$3,809 96

STREET REPAIRS IN EAST AND SOUTH BOSTON.

(Continued on page 1189.)

City of Boston, and having given the public hearing, notice of which was given in said order, and being of the opinion that public necessity and convenience require, does hereby order that specific repairs be made in Summer street, South Boston district, at the southeasterly corner of Melcher street, consisting of increasing the existing curb radius, as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Summer Street, South Boston, August 10, 1955, George C. Hyland, Comissioner of Public Works," and on file in the office of said department.

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September 14, 1955.

Voted, That this commission, having passed the order of notice relating to the public improvement hereinafter described, and having caused a copy of said order to be published July 22, 23, 25, and 26, 1955, in the Boston *Globe* and Boston *Post*, two daily newspapers published in the City of Boston, and having given the public hearing, notice of which was given in said order, and being of the opinion that public necessity and convenience require, does hereby order that specific repairs be made in Meridian street, East Boston district, at the intersection of Marion street, consisting of the installation of a traffic divisional island, as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Meridian Street, East Boston, September 13, 1955, George G. Hyland, Commissioner of Public Works," and on file in the office of said department.

RETIREMENT BOARD REPORT.

September 30, 1955.

To the Auditor.

At a meeting of the Retirement Board, held on September 22, 1955, the retirement from active service of the following named employee was approved to become effective at the close of business, September 30, 1955, under the provisions of chapter 521 of the Acts of 1922 (Boston Retirement Act).

Fire Department.

Charles N. Vogel, firefighter.

Attest:

Wilfred J. Doyle,
Chairman.

September 30, 1955.

To the Auditor.

At meetings of the Retirement Board, held on September 15, 22, and 29, respectively, the retirement from active service of the following named employees was approved, to become effective at the close of business, September 30, 1955, under the provisions of chapter 658:

Boston Housing Authority.

Edward F. Shannon, electrician.

Boston Traffic Commission.

Florence M. Hurter, stenographer.

Finance Commission.

Robert E. Cunniff, executive secretary.

Fire Department.

Robert V. Hurley, firefighter.

Health Department.

Loretta M. Reardon, nurse.

Hospital Department.

Margaret A. O'Donnell, houseworker.
Mary T. Sharkey, head housekeeper.
George R. Towle, ambulance driver.

Library Department.

Katherine C. McGrath, housekeeper.

Parks and Recreation Department.

Robert F. Barrett, bath attendant.

Police Department.

Joseph Slade, patrolman.
James L. Bowe, patrolman.

Public Works Department.

James J. Marcy, laborer.

School Department.

Manuel L. Travers, custodian.
William Sennott, custodian.
Mary F. Sharkey, vice principal.
Louise H. Best, school nurse.
Charles E. Foley, submaster.

Welfare Department.

Mary E. Robertson, social work supervisor.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

Supreme Judicial Court.

Annie Murray, principal clerk.

Attest:

Paul J. Carty,
Executive Officer.

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

Mary F. Styles, 125 Tyndale street, Roslindale, in the sum of $234, as compensation for damage to property caused by the backing up of a sewer, March 1, 1955.

Virginia Faretra, 1 Davis court, East Boston, to be reimbursed in the sum of $20, for expense incurred in hiring a plumber to repair a leak in a pipe adjacent to the water meter which was caused by the faulty installation of a new meter by employees of the Water Division, May 25, 1955.

Blaine Elmer, 192A Washington street, Boston, in the sum of $490, as compensation for damage to property caused by a leak in the water main, July 25, 1950.

John A. Allgaier, 16 Dalrymple street, Jamaica Plain, to be reimbursed in the sum of $225, as a result of an accident which occurred on September 24, 1951, when a motor truck belonging to the Bridge and Highway Division, Public Works Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Fred Grundy.

Charles A. Lydon, 5 Sumner road, Dorchester, to be reimbursed in the sum of $335, as a result of an accident which occurred on July 27, 1954, when a motor vehicle of the Motor Pool Division, Public Works Department, which he was operating struck Stephen V. Lester, a minor, causing personal injuries.

Martin R. O'Toole, 4 Navillus terrace, Dorchester, to be reimbursed in the sum of $485, as a result of an accident which occurred on January 28, 1954, when a motor truck belonging to the Fire Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Arthur Oransky.

Lena Cloutier, 18 Clark street, Sharon, in the sum of $465, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk on Lincoln street, near intersection of Essex street, February 25, 1950.

Louis J. Cook, 242 Blue Hill avenue, Roxbury, in the sum of $34.15, as compensation for damage to automobile caused by a hole in the highway opposite 2 Woodcliff street, Roxbury, March 11, 1955.

Harvey Leavitt, 71 Billings street, West Roxbury, in the sum of $70.50, as compensation for damage to property caused during the construction of Billings street by the Public Works Department.

Mary Meglia, 213 Hanover street, in the sum of $315, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 36 and 38 Salem street, November 21, 1950.

Kathryn Moriarty, 14 Owencroft road, Dorchester, in the sum of $385, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk on Avery street, at Avery place, November 21, 1954.

Mary Poto, 103 Orleans street, East Boston, in the sum of $365, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk on Chardon street, opposite the Nandy parking lot, December 10, 1953.

Salvatore Staulo, 55 Bowdoin avenue, Dorchester, in the sum of $226.50, as compensation for damage to property during the construction of Bowdoin avenue by the Public Works Department.

John F. Maher, Jr., 1526 Tremont street, Roxbury, to be reimbursed in the sum of $150, as a result of an accident which occurred on April 18, 1955, when a motor truck belonging to the Fire Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Violet T. Fitzgerald.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULING.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of sewer repairs, estimated to be two (2) days, vehicles are excluded from the following street, effective September 29, 1955:

Gardner Street, West Roxbury.

From Baker street to Heldun street.

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 53.

Fire Prevention Week.

Fire Prevention Week will be observed in the City of Boston from October 9 to October 15, 1955, inclusive. Mayor John B. Hynes has issued the following statement in connection with the observance of this week:

"The individual citizen will be an important auxiliary to the fire fighters if he practices fire prevention in his home to replace the forgetfulness and carelessness that has made the home a continual source of fire. Correction of his habits in relation to the disposal of cigarettes and matches, the proper care and use of his stove and furnace, and, above all, attention to the electrical devices to make sure his cords, plugs, switches, and fuses are in good operating condition—by practicing these principles the individual citizen will prevent fires, save lives and property, both his own and that of his neighbor.

"Fire Prevention Week is to reawaken the citizen to his responsibility in relation to these principles."

An organized campaign to emphasize the importance of fire prevention is being undertaken by the Boston Fire Department, by means of a series of activities concentrated into the Fire Prevention Week period.

Fire stations shall be open to the public between the hours of 12 noon and 8 P.M. for inspection of the premises and for the conveyance of information concerning the Fire Department functions and fire prevention matters. When citizens come to a station during Fire Prevention Week, the man on house patrol shall summon the commanding officer, who should be available and ready to either show the visitors around the quarters and to answer questions regarding the department, or to have a suitable person assigned to this duty.

Children under twelve years of age should not be allowed in the fire stations unless accompanied by adults.

Canvas signs giving notice that Fire Prevention Week is in progress should be displayed from fire stations. Most stations have these signs in their possession from exhibitions of previous years, and it is the responsibility of company officers to see to it that these signs are kept in good condition from year to year. Signs should be displayed from Sunday to Saturday.

District fire chiefs are required to take an active interest in the fire prevention program in the following manner:

(a.) By arranging special visits to plants and large industrial premises in their districts during the week and holding a special fire drill during Fire Prevention Week, particularly where there are now fire brigades already existing. Notices of the date of the fire drill held and the rating of the drill as either "fair," "poor," or "good" should be forwarded to the Fire Prevention Division so that a summary may be made of the number and location of industrial fire drills conducted in the City of Boston during Fire Prevention Week on each day of the week.

(b.) All public and private schools within each district should be visited by a district fire chief or such officer as may be detailed by the district fire chief to assist in this work. School fire drills are to be held, and permission should be obtained for the presentation of a five-minute talk on the subject of fire and fire prevention at an assembly of the pupils. Such talks should not be read from any manuscript or printed pamphlet, but should be delivered directly by the district fire chief or by some uniformed member of the Fire Department capable of presenting such a talk effectively and promptly.

(c.) Home inspection blanks should be provided to various school principals or headmasters for distribution and collection by the teacher-fire councillor of the building. Collection of the filled-out home inspection blanks from teacher-councillors by the Fire Department is an important feature of the use of these forms and should not be neglected. A list of the schools from which such forms have been collected should be forwarded to the Fire Prevention Division on or before November 3.

(d.) Officers assigned by the district fire chief to deliver addresses in schools likewise should be assigned to attend Rotary Clubs, Kiwanis, Board of Trade, and other neighborhood and local organization functions, including women's club meetings in the district held during the week, or, if no meeting is scheduled during the week, to attend any meeting held during the month of October. Chief officers should know the various representative social organizations in the community and should keep a list of them for reference at such times when fire prevention messages of importance to the community are to be conveyed to such organizations quickly.

Throughout the week all fire fighters are to pay special attention to the observance of fire hazards and to the duty of observing and locating fire hazards along the route followed by them in their coming to and going from daily work. Dilapidated buildings, rubbish accumulations, and other hazards should be reported to the Fire Prevention Division. The public expects uniform members of the Fire Department to know something about fire prevention work and to have an interest in this subject, since they are public employees engaged in this field. Fire fighters, therefore, during Fire Prevention Week, should have this subject uppermost in their minds and they should not pass by any fire hazard at any time without making a note of it for reference to the Fire Prevention Division. In short, every uniform man in the Fire Department is a fire prevention inspector at all times.

An extensive program of radio and television broadcasts, news releases, store window displays, a parade, and public exhibitions has been arranged for Fire Prevention Week, notice of which will appear through the usual channels.

By order of Fire Commissioner Francis X. Cotter.

John V. Stapleton,
Chief of Department.

Special Order No. 74.

From: The Chief of Department.

To: Deputy Fire Chiefs, Divisions 1, 2.

Subject: Fire Prevention Week.

Following is a schedule of activities arranged for Fire Prevention Week, October 9-15:

Sunday, October 9.

2.15 P.M. Parade of apparatus and Fire Department members. Route: Bowdoin square to Cambridge street, Scollay square, Tremont to Boylston to Charles streets, to Boston Common, where parade will terminate.

3.00 P.M. Public exhibition of drilling by the Boston Fire Department Drill Team on the Ball Field, Boston Common.

Monday, October 10.

12.00 noon. Copley square, Boston, exhibition drilling by the Fire Department Drill Team.

12.15 P.M. Fire Prevention Exercises at Boston Naval Shipyard, Charlestown. Parade of Shipyard fire apparatus and Boston fire apparatus, Engine 36 pump, Ladder 9, Chief of District 2, Steam Fire Engine "Abe Lincoln," Water Tower 2.

Tuesday, October 11.

12.00 noon. Water display by Fireboats Engines 31 and 47 off the Boston Naval Shipyard, Charlestown.

12.00 noon. LaFayette Mall, Boston Common, opposite West street, exhibition drilling by the Fire Department Drill Team.

Thursday, October 13.

12.15 P.M. Boston Naval Shipyard, Charlestown, exhibition drilling by the Fire Department Drill Team.

Friday, October 14.

12.00 noon. Washington and Summer streets, Boston, exhibition drilling by the Fire Department Drill Team.

Musical selections will be furnished by the Fire Department Band at the several drill exhibitions. Band members and Drill Team members shall report one half hour before the scheduled drills. Members on apparatus shall be attired in regulation uniform. The public address system (Sound Jeep) shall be present at the exhibition drills.

Window Displays.

The Fire Prevention Division, with the cooperation of Boston department stores, has arranged appropriate fire prevention exhibits for public display.

Fire Prevention Week Proclamations.

Copies of "A Proclamation, 1955" by His Excellency, Christian A. Herter, Governor of the Commonwealth, designating Fire Prevention Week, October 9-15, are being distributed to the department with this order. A copy shall be placed on each fire station, visible to the public.

By order of Fire Commissioner Francis X. Cotter.

John V. Stapleton,
Chief of Department.

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

Catherine Russo, 28 Howell street, Dorchester, in the sum of $485, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a broken curbing between 151 and 155 Tremont street, April 19, 1955.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following personnel changes:

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Appointment of nurses for the week ending September 13:

The following weekly floor nurses have been appointed:

Permanent.—Cynthia J. Allen, 49 East Concord street, Mary J. Brennan, 51 Clinton street, Newton, Dorothy Ching, 37 Browning road, Somerville, Ann Costello, 9 Hillcroft road, Jamaica Plain, Elizabeth Croak, 35 Barry street, Dorchester, Patricia Dailey, 109 Radcliffe street, Dorchester, Catherine M. Davey, 71A Farquhar street, Roslindale, Catherine A. Davis, 48 Elm Hill avenue, Roxbury, Margaret E. Davis, 269 K street, South Boston, Helen DeLeskey, 130 Brainerd road, Allston, Claire Galvin, 47 Mendum street, Roslindale, Priscilla Gray, 4 Oak street, Needham, Florence Green, 26 Speedwell street, Dorchester, Mary Hourigan, 63 Richview street, Dorchester, Shirley Junior, 738 Montello street, Brockton, Erin A. Nicholson, 27 Whitten street, Dorchester, Lucille F. Perrault, 30 Walton street, Dorchester, Lois Quinn, 12 Monadnock street, Dorchester, Maxine McFarland, 64 Burbank street, $60.50 a week; Carol J. Anderson, Audrey Tingle, 710 Massachusetts avenue, $58 a week; Dolores Alleyne, 64 Crawford street, Roxbury, Henrietta MacDonald, 3 Metcalf court, Jamaica Plain, Patricia McDonald, 8 Whittemore street, Arlington, Irene Picarsky, 31 Edison Green, Dorchester, $1.50 an hour; Olga Owen, 32 Rose Circle, Peabody, $1.70 an hour; Lorraine Williams, 52 Brookdale street, Roslindale, $1.60 an hour.

Temporary.—Patricia Gibbons, 501 Beacon street, Virginia MacCalmon, 50 Morse street, Watertown, Audrey Mailhot, 33 Cedar street, Mattapan, Elizabeth May, 23 Rosedale street, Dorchester, Hannah Moore, 554 Green street, Cambridge, Nancy Olbrys, 919 Greendale avenue, Needham, $1.50 an hour.

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For the week ending September 20:

The following weekly floor nurses have been appointed:

Permanent.—Anne Barry, 5 Brahms street, Mary L. Callahan, 132 Beacon street, Geraldine Callahan, 18 Cameron street, Dorchester, Ruth E. Connelly, 16 Harrow street, Dorchester, Louise McDevitt, 42 Worcester square, Dolores Paladino, 132 Beacon street, Sally Walsh, 28 Essex street, Andover, Constance Whittier, 407 Marlborough street, Grace Flaherty, 19 Tieknor street, South Boston, $65.50 a week; Irene Bolendz, 11 Franklin street, Hyde Park, $1.70 an hour; Margaret Crowson, 45 Garrison road, Brookline, $1.60 an hour; Helen Malvarez, 23 Hendry street, Dorchester, $51 a week; Antoinette Pascucci, 176 Paris street, East Boston, head nurse, $70.50 a week.

Temporary.—Florence Bursey, Franklin Square House, Janet Galt, 28 Deckard street, Roxbury, Joyce Baer, 132 Beacon street, $1.50 an hour.

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—Mary Anne Murphy, 34 Dickens street, Dorchester, Leona M. Dostie, 53 Clapp street, Dorchester, hospital medical workers, $50.50 a week; Edward L. Cuddy, 119 Norfolk avenue,

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 4.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Charles Matts	656 La Grange street	20	Dwelling	$9,000
Arthur Ryley	2 Meadowview road	18	Dwelling	9,200
Thomas McLaughlin	14 Norton street	15	Alterations, dwelling	2
Daniel O'Connell	31 Orchard street	19	Alterations, dwelling	2
Angela Marciello	3 Prescott street	1	Alterations, dwelling	200
Thomas McGreevey	75 Redlands road	20	Dwelling	9,000
Jerome J. Ciaccia	71 Safford street	18	Dwelling	12,000
Francis C. Welch	58 and 60 Summer street	3	Alterations, store	
Fred Spetrini	58 Sydney street	13	Alterations, dwelling	2
Fifty Associates	37–43 Temple place	3	Alterations, store	10,000
Luigi Rosetta	88 Trenton street	1	Alterations, dwelling	2,100
James A. Freaney	1 West street	18	Storage	3,000
Trustees of Boston Real Estate Trust.	25–31 West street	3	Alterations, store	35,000
Katherine Olafson	91 Whitcomb avenue	19	Dwelling	9,900
C. A. Homan	48 Aldie street	22	Alterations, dwelling	300
A. Kenny	78 Alexander street	13	Alterations, dwelling	300
Bowdoin Square Garage	91 Cambridge street	3	Alterations, garage	875
Robert T. Fowler & Sons	66 Dunster road	19	Alterations, dwelling	250
James Milligan	85 Dunster road	19	Alterations, dwelling	90
Kasper Muduriant	507 East Broadway	6	Alterations, dwelling	1,100
John Murray	57A Fairmount street	17	Alterations, dwelling	100
A. Hickey	75 Green street	2	Alterations, dwelling	75
J. Houghton	77 Green street	2	Alterations, dwelling	75
Bertha M. Lane	71 Greenwood avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	450
Exchange Realty	36 Hanover street	3	Alterations, store	500
Josephine Lamoniea	90 Havre street	18	Alterations, dwelling	350
Josephine Van Aken	10 Mansur street	10	Alterations, dwelling	300
Lloyd Warshauer	341 Marlborough street	5	Alterations, dwelling	200
L. G. Clark	440 Marlborough street	5	Alterations, dwelling	500
John Chandler	29 and 30 North street	3	Alterations, restaurant	625
Earle Morrison	289 Norwell street	17	Alterations, dwelling	300
Bernard and Ida Parker	37 Ridgemont street	21	Alterations, dwelling	950
Drake Bakeries, Inc	85 Savin street	12	Alterations, bakery	100
Boston Housing Authority	30 Seneca street	3	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Boston Housing Authority	31 Seneca street	3	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Boston Housing Authority	34 Seneca street	3	Alterations, dwelling	2,000
Boston Housing Authority	36 Seneca street	3	Alterations, dwelling	2,000
William J. Kirby	15 Sunmit street	18	Alterations, dwelling	440
William A. Roddy	72 Tyler street	3	Alterations, dwelling, storage	800
Henry J. Connolly	215 West Ninth street	7	Alterations, dwelling	475
Louise Lahey	26 Bentley street	22	Alterations, dwelling	800
Joseph Walker Trust	120 Boylston street	5	Alterations, store, office	525
Commercial Wharf Assoc	22 Commercial wharf	3	Alterations, storage	325
Warwick B. Freeman	56 Cottage road	20	Alterations, dwelling	245
Sheraton Plaza Hotel	205 Dartmouth street	4	Alterations, hotel	750
Henry Kee	37 Dover street	3	Alterations, dwelling	385
William O'Toole	553 Gallivan Boulevard	17	Alterations, dwelling	60
David Watson	103 Glenwood street	18	Alterations, dwelling	400
Johnny Walker, Inc	67 Hanover street	3	Alterations, store, storage	200
Jean M. Stewart	50 Mellen street	17	Alterations, dwelling	379
Donald MacFarland	192 Neponset avenue	16	Alterations, dwelling	1,850
Elna Sherman	14 Park Lane	11	Alterations, dwelling	200
Leo Shanahan	288 Princeton street	1	Alterations, dwelling	950
Dedham Institute of Savings	1205 River street	18	Alterations, store, office	90
Elizabeth Terzie	112–116 Savin Hill avenue	13	Alterations, store	1,000
Gus Vaitis	435 Shawmut avenue	9	Alterations, dwelling	500
Americo Gavallozo	13 and 14 South Market st	3	Alterations, food packing	500
J. Saipi	470 Sumner street	1	Alterations, dwelling	375
Peter Gluntz	33 Tremont street	3	Alterations, stores, office	800
Lewis Levenson	60 Tremont street	2	Alterations, dwelling	800
Tremont Temple	88 Tremont street	3	Alterations, church, store	850
Bertha Vogel	140 Washington street	21	Alterations, dwelling	2,000
Carmen Mario	85 White street	1	Alterations, dwelling	800
First Massachusetts Corp	209–219 Adams street	15	Alterations, foundations	400
George Collard	17 Adamson street	21	Alterations, dwelling	250
American Beef Company	108 Blackstone street	3	Alterations, warehouse, store	350
Beth Israel Hospital	330 Brookline avenue	4	Alterations, hospital	1,500
John Michie, sr	100 Chesbrough road	20	Alterations, dwelling	175
Nicholas Panagos	537 Columbia road	13	Alterations, restaurant	175
Anthony Rise	256 Commercial street	3	Alterations, restaurant, office	600
Irving Woolf	80 Ellington street	14	Alterations, dwelling	100
Irving Woolf	82 Ellington street	14	Alterations, dwelling	100
William Fitzpatrick	73 Fenwood road	10	Alterations, dwelling	320
Salvatore Nasta	211 Gladstone street	1	Alterations, dwelling	150
George R. Williams	13 Hall street	19	Alterations, dwelling	300
H. O'Donnell	16 Lexington street	2	Alterations, dwelling	380
New England Provision	960 Massachusetts avenue	8	Alterations, packing plant	220
Simon Greenfield	304 Medford street	2	Alterations, junk shop	300
Warren Institution, Savings	3 Park street	5	Alterations, bank	900
Dr. Lesser	16 Spring street	3	Alterations, dwelling	175
Joseph Burke	47 Spring street	20	Alterations, dwelling	375
Lewis Osten	18 and 20 Sudbury street	3	Alterations, store, factory	975
William Bagley	1336 Tremont street	9	Alterations, store	300
Charles Kelly	81 Windsor street	9	Alterations, dwelling	170
James Maloney	6 Amesbury street	20	Dwelling	9,000
Sevenel Incorporated	216 Austin street	18	Dwelling	7,000
Sevenel Incorporated	220 Austin street	18	Dwelling	7,000
Sevenel Incorporated	224 Austin street	18	Dwelling	7,000
Sevenel Incorporated	228 Austin street	18	Dwelling	7,000
The Whittier Company	982 and 984 Columbus av	9	Alterations, dwelling	2
Visnicio's Service Station	682–696 Cummins Highway	18	Alterations, gas station	7,000
Milhender Distributors	297 Dorchester avenue	6	Alterations, offices	12,000
Jack Tannenholtz	122 Englewood avenue	21	Alterations, dwelling	2
Sadie Meer	50 Garden street	5	Alterations, dwelling	45
General Building Trust	75 Federal street	3	Alterations, bank, offices	20
Emile LeBlanc	3 Nautilus terrace	16	Dwelling	9,000
Mohawk Rubber Sales	190 Old Colony avenue	7	Alterations, storage	7,000
Abbie Cawley	54 Rossmore road	11	Alterations, dwelling	2
Sevenel Incorporated	138 Sherrin street	18	Dwelling	7,000

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 4.—Concluded.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Sevenel Incorporated	112 Sherrin street	18	Dwelling	$7,000
Sevenel Incorporated	116 Sherrin street	18	Dwelling	7,000
Sevenel Incorporated	166 Sherrin street	18	Dwelling	7,000
Sevenel Incorporated	170 Sherrin street	18	Dwelling	7,000
Edmund J. Puleo	171 Sherrin street	18	Dwelling	8,000
P. Joseph Barry	1 Sparrow street	20	Dwelling	10,500
Harutun Kelian	23 and 25 Union street	11	Alterations, dwelling	300
Frances Stone	29 Winston street	14	Alterations, dwelling	2
Rose Burke	39 Atherton street	11	Alterations, dwelling	520
Ann Gurman	566 Blue Hill avenue	14	Alterations, dwelling	300
John Saltonstall	575 Boylston street	5	Alterations, offices	950
A. Puckett	100 Bremen street	1	Alterations, dwelling	980
Mary Lascinto	7 Cameron street	15	Alterations, dwelling	400
Herbert H. Dirksmeir	90 Claybourne street	17	Alterations, dwelling	75
Joseph Lamonica	217 D street	6	Alterations, dwelling, store	65
Max Gunner	63 Dartmouth street	1	Alterations, store	65
John Lombard	575 East Broadway	6	Alterations, dwelling	70
John McDonald	17 Edwin street	16	Alterations, dwelling	550
Joseph Mooney	51 Edwin street	16	Alterations, dwelling	525
Rocco Panciocco	15 Garfield avenue	18	Dwelling	9,000
M. Lewis	51 Greenwood street	14	Alterations, dwelling	185
Mary A. McManus	6 Harold park	12	Alterations, dwelling	150
E. Freeman	23 Hollingsworth street	18	Alterations, dwelling	185
Francis C. Mahoney	16 Manthorne road	20	Alterations, dwelling	270
Louise Clark	110 Marlboro street	5	Alterations, dwelling	125
Daniel Ahearn	49 Martin street	20	Alterations, dwelling	300
Carl Holm	275 Newbury street	5	Alterations, offices	900
Andrew Barrs	51 Park Drive	5	Alterations, dwelling	650
M. Biagi	143 and 145 Richmond street	3	Alterations, stores	850
Bridie Moran	19 Round Hill street	10	Alterations, dwelling	275
Edward Walsh	167 School street	11	Alterations, dwelling	500
Florence Canty	7 Shelby street	1	Alterations, club	75
Daniel Buffo	290 Summit avenue	21	Alterations, dwelling	50
Salvatore Castango	3 Tolman street	16	Alterations, dwelling	600
Socony Vacuum Oil Co.	1142 Tremont street	9	Alterations, store	350
Socony Vacuum Oil Co.	1141 Tremont street	9	Alterations, store	350
J. J. Doyle	Wallace park	19	Alterations, dwelling	520
George Cohen	28 Warren street	8	Alterations, stores	65
St. John Baptist Church	410 West Broadway	6	Alterations, church	421
Anthony Massaro	11 and 16 Barnes avenue	1	Alterations, dwelling	650
Sarah Seligman	45 Bernard street	14	Alterations, dwelling	250
Rose Puopolo	142 Everett street	1	Alterations, dwelling	300
J. La Rochelle	63 Gates street	7	Alterations, dwelling	700
T. A. Joyce	22 Hemman street	18	Alterations, dwelling	110
Harry Cosman	52 Hopedale street	22	Alterations, dwelling	500
Adolph Zewlt	149 Lexington street	1	Alterations, dwelling	650
James Cerello	4 Metropolitan terrace	18	Alterations, dwelling	410
Albert Wallen	43 Moultrie street	16	Alterations, dwelling	640
Ruth Gaines	75 Silver street	6	Alterations, dwelling, store	945
Phillips Estate	126 Sumner street	3	Alterations, stores	975
Irvin Kaplan	336 Sumner street	1	Alterations, dwelling, store	300
Sol Feldman	Westmore road	14	Alterations, dwelling	95
Massachusetts Eye & Ear Infirmary	243 Charles street	3	Alterations, hospital	30,000
Socony Mobil	326 Adams street	16	Gas station	6,000
John B. Wenzler	909 Albany street	8	Alterations, dwelling	2
John B. Wenzler	911 Albany street	8	Alterations, dwelling	2
John B. Wenzler	913 Albany street	8	Alterations, dwelling	2
John B. Wenzler	915 Albany street	8	Alterations, dwelling	2
Richard Grahum	195 Brunswick street	14	Alterations, dwelling	2
Mary Lownie	84 Calumet street	10	Alterations, dwelling	2
E. Forest Hallet	1058 Canterbury street	18	Alterations, garage	650
Henry Longval	2330 Centre street	20	Dwelling	9,000
Arlington Street Church	1 Charles River square	5	Alterations, dwelling	3,500
Brandegee Trust	232 Clarendon street	5	Alterations, stores, offices	145
Brandegee Trust	230 Clarendon street	5	Alterations, stores, offices	145
Harold Vaughn	27 Dickens street	15	Alterations, dwelling	365
Margaret Hennessey	232 Dudley street	8	Alterations, dwelling	2
Wonder Bakery	65 East Cottage street	7	Bakery	1,500
John Wise	509 East Sixth street	7	Alterations, dwelling	2
Hounans Settlement House	119 and 121 Farragut road	7	Alterations, store	950
Michael Langone	103 Farrar avenue	18	Dwelling	10,000
Stone & Webster	49 Federal street	3	Alterations, offices	6,500
Joseph Wall	5 and 7 Gaston street	12	Alterations, manufacturing	2
Adolph Zeuli	149 Lexington street	1	Alterations, dwelling	2
Judge Baker Guidance Center	295 Longwood avenue	4	Dwelling, clinic	750,000
Louis Vitale	271 Meridian street	1	Alterations, dwelling, tavern	250
Antinari Tassinari	2 Neptune road	1	Alterations, dwelling, store	4,000
George Hamblen	32 Orange street	20	Dwelling	9,000
Thomas McGreevey	48 Redlands road	20	Dwelling	9,000
Thomas McGreevey	56 Redlands road	20	Dwelling	9,000
Thomas McGreevey	60 Redlands road	20	Dwelling	9,000
Thomas McGreevey	64 Redlands road	20	Dwelling	9,000
Thomas McGreevey	68 Redlands road	20	Dwelling	9,000
Thomas McGreevey	72 Redlands road	20	Dwelling	9,000
Thomas McGreevey	76 Redlands road	20	Dwelling	9,000
Thomas McGreevey	80 Redlands road	20	Dwelling	9,000
Estate of Catherine Byrne	83 Sycamore street	19	Alterations, dwelling	2
Moy Shee	10 Tyler street	3	Alterations, restaurant	5,000
Socony Mobil Oil Company	631 Washington street	22	Gas station	16,000
Richard Sanzi	827 Washington street	3	Alterations, office, store	8,000
Socony Mobil Oil Company	288 Washington street	22	Gas station	12,000
Gaetana Gamarda	1154 Washington street	17	Alterations, dwelling, store	2
A. Vitagliano	3885 Washington street	19	Car wash	19,000
Joseph Arnold	221 Weld street	20	Dwelling	10,000

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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Roxbury, Henry Muollo, 2 Grady court, East Boston, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; Thomas E. Burke, 37 Bowdoin street, hospital kitchen worker, $50.50 a week; Charles A. Coleman, 17 Round Hill street, Jamaica Plain, hospital laundry worker, $43 a week; Dorothy P. Andrews, 1148 Commonwealth avenue, Allston, head nurse, $73 a week; Trinette Shaughnessy, 70 Gates street, South Boston, floor nurse, $49.50 a week; Elsie Belli, 18 Prospect street, Maynard, Eileen MacIntosh, 710 Massachusetts avenue, floor nurses, $68 a week; Carol L. Duffy, 78 Metropolitan avenue, Roslindale, floor nurse, $45 a week; Barbara McLean, 710 Massachusetts avenue, floor nurse, $58 a week.

Temporary.—John J. Coveney, Jr., 530 Massachusetts avenue, George F. Miller, 560 East Fifth street, South Boston, Nicholas J. Greco, 4051 Washington street, Roslindale, Daniel F. Sullivan, 25 Dustin street, Brighton, George E. Gallagher, 27 Pleasant Hill avenue, Dorchester, William F. Cahalane, 124 Coleridge street, East Boston, Francis J. O'Neill, 73 Fletcher street, Roslindale, Julia A. Scipione, 157 River street, Mattapan, Joan R. McCarthy, 15 Claybourn street, Dorchester, Marilyn Adams, 319 East Eighth street, South Boston, Nora Gannon, 9 Woodrow avenue, Dorchester, Mary F. Fennessy, 9 Whittemore street, West Roxbury, John L. Albanese, 3 Morris street, East Boston, Joan Hoar, 92 Lasell street, West Roxbury, Edward S. Kondi, 34 Arborway, Jamaica Plain, William E. Wessels, 3 Exeter street, William M. Plansky, 725 East Third street, South Boston, Joseph F. Mulhern, 11 Brandon avenue, Dorchester, Roy John Carter, Jr., 7 Irwin avenue, Roxbury, Edward V. Davey, 71A Farquhar street, Barbara Ann Dooley, 39 Webber street, Roxbury, Bruno T. Graziano, 276 Sumner street, East Boston, Anthony P. Talieri, 361 Sumner street, East Boston, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; John Killoran, 450 Shawmut avenue, Thomas J. Cunningham, 24 Gardenside street, Roslindale, James Daly, 22 Chase street, Dorchester, Edward S. Fitzwilliams, Jr., 96 Brooks street, Brighton, James W. Melloni, 14 Temple street, hospital house workers, $43 a week; Martha J. Gillis, 270 Poplar street, Roslindale, Edward L. Riley, 15 Howe street, Dorchester, Edward Aho, 38 Bircheroft road, Mattapan, Mary C. Morley, 10 Jamaicaway, Jamaica Plain, Richard B. Roche, Jr., 78 Hunnewell avenue, Brighton, hospital kitchen workers, $43 a week; Carol Levison, 45 Columbia road, Dorchester, Richard P. Juskewitz, 8 Claxton street, Roslindale, Marvin Colbert, 66 Clifford street, Roxbury, hospital laundry workers, $43 a week; Geraldine D'Amico, 49 Snow Hill street, laboratory assistant, $35.50 a week; Virginia R. Farrell, 51 Cohasset street, Roslindale, Paul J. Ziegler, 40 Dale street, Roxbury, Sally S. Adler, 74 East Newton street, laboratory assistants, $45.50 a week; Lucille Sherman, 322 Beacon street, electrocardiograph technician, $63 a week; Barbara C. Rubin, 369 Columbus avenue, physio therapist, $58 a week; George M. Ryan, Box 211, Bay Springs, Mississippi, senior assistant resident, $132 a month; Phyllis M. Scipone, 9 Copley street, Roxbury, Janet Doherty, 26 Telegraph street, South Boston, Joan C. Wolk, 43 Woodhaven street, Mattapan, Helen M. O'Connor, 235 Park Drive, Katherine Tris, 59

Richfield street, Dorchester, Gertrude E. Boyle, 116 Brooks street, Brighton, clerk-typists, $43 a week; Margaret Connolly, 302 West Third street, South Boston, Ann Connolly, 807 East Third street, South Boston, clerk-typists, $35.50 a week; C. Lorraine Regan, 119 Monticello avenue, Dorchester, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour; Marie Stanley, 473 La Grange street, West Roxbury, floor nurse, $60.50 a week.

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Claire Bilapka, 230 Commonwealth avenue, 7 days; Marie Clark, 555 North avenue, Wakefield, 2 days; Carrie Coleman, 360 Thacker street, Milton, 1 day; Sophie Cotter, 173 Vine Rock street, Dedham, 5 days; Adele Daly, 30 Aspinwall avenue, North Weymouth, 1 day; Norma Dean, 696 Massachusetts avenue, 3 days; Hannah Donahue, 270 Huntington avenue, Stella Graham, 43 Mercier avenue, 7 days; Helen Hagenberger, 207 Park Drive, Carol Duffy, 2 days; Veronica Lombard, 8 Doris street, Dorchester, 5 days; Loretta Lynch, 270 Huntington avenue, 7 days; Rita McCallum, 162 Bowdoin street, Dorchester, Claire McCue, 74 Robinson road, Dedham, 1 day; Catherine McGuinness, 14 Alsen road, Dorchester, 5 days; Anna Murphy, 115 Peterborough street, 7 days; Audrey Mailhot, 30 Walton street, Dorchester, 4 days; Angelina Mullaney, 1235 Trapelo road, Waltham, 1 day; Mae Owens, 259 Chestnut avenue, Jamaica Plain, 4 days; Estelle Paris, 167 Fayerweather street, Cambridge, 1 day; Dora Picarsky, 31 Edison Green, Dorchester, 7 days; Bernice Smith, 105 Walnut avenue, Roxbury, adjustment; Mabel Smith, 87 Bartlett road, Winthrop, 2 days; Madeline Sullivan, 126 Marlborough street, Margaret M. Sullivan, 28 Weymouth street, Holbrook, 7 days; Takaka Salvi, 123 Harvard street, Cambridge, 1 day; Josephine Tyman, 39 Burnham street, Somerville, 7 days; Ila Ward, 79 Warren street, Roxbury, 2 days.

The following doctors have received temporary appointments on the House Staff:

Warren G. Young, intern, Oral Surgery, $92 a month.

Jaime I. Cohen, senior assistant resident, V and VI Medical Services, $132 a month.

Bennet J. Riley, senior assistant resident, Ophthalmology, $132 a month.

Andreas A. Morin Callegari, resident, Anesthesia, $162 a month.

Frits Mijer, resident, Pediatrics, $162 a month.

Kirkor Sekercan, resident, Anesthesia, $162 a month.

South Division.

The following floor nurses have been appointed:

Permanent.—Lillia Barry, 745 Massachusetts avenue, $58 a week; Stephanie Coffey, 231 Washington street, Arlington, Mary T. Shaughnessy, 111 Overland road, Waltham, $60.50 a week.

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Theresa Frazier, 1644 Turnpike street, Stoughton, 2 days; Veronica McElligott, 34 Dickinson street, Somerville, 7 days; Margaret Nolan, 14 Dix street, Dorchester, 5 days.

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Temporary.—Hugh C. Duffy, 721 East Third street, South Boston, Joyce Russo,

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 4.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
M. Caputo	131 Homes avenue	15	New appliances	$60
V. Bordonaro	50 Hull street	3	New appliances	40
M. Eskowitz	32 Jones avenue	14	New appliances	10
J. Butler	57 Lawley street	16	New appliances	30
E. Ferri	193 London street	1	New appliances	55
N. Deutsch	11 Marion street	1	New appliances	50
H. Hinekley	110 McBride street	11	New appliances	110
J. Vogel	169 Metropolitan avenue	18	New appliances	170
J. Butler	47 Milwood street	16	New appliances	75
H. Cutler	77 Munroe street	12	New appliances	80
M. Caputo	215 N street	7	New appliances	248
L. Luxton	8 Norton street	15	New appliances	35
J. Vogel	118 Redlands road	20	New appliances	25
N. Duetsch	31 Sackville street	2	New appliances	225
D. Gould	136 Seaver street	12	New appliances	20
N. Deutsch	34 Shelby street	1	New appliances	60
M. Caputo	48 Thomas Park	7	New appliances	30
N. Deutsch	3 Thurston street	1	New appliances	150
J. McGee	662 Tremont street	9	New appliances	120
D. Horgan	313 West Fourth street	6	New appliances	100
P. Gulesian	77 Arlington street	18	New appliances	200
C. Bevelander	63 Atlantic avenue	3	New appliances	100
P. Gulesian	4 Beacon street	18	New appliances	800
R. Simon	11 Bellflower street	7	New appliances	24
D. Greenwood	73 Birch street	20	New appliances	40
E. Hart	91 Burrell street	8	New appliances	100
I. Horvitz	13 Centre street	16	New appliances	100
P. Gulesian	35 Charles street	18	New appliances	75
E. Pascucci	166 Chelsea street	1	New appliances	25
P. Gulesian	14 Child street	18	New appliances	200
P. Gulesian	47 Clifford street	18	New appliances	200
A. Stahly	374 Columbia road	15	New appliances	60
A. Onessimo	17 Fleet street	3	New appliances	15
A. Onessimo	5 Forest place	2	New appliances	15
T. Matthews	73 Freeport street	15	New appliances	100
E. Hart	30 Gleason street	14	New appliances	100
E. Hart	225 Harrison avenue	3	New appliances	100
D. Greenwood	49 Holbrook street	19	New appliances	900
E. Hart	251 Huntington avenue	4	New appliances	100
E. Pascucci	95 London street	1	New appliances	15
E. Pascucci	231 London street	1	New appliances	25
T. Matthews	41 Lyndhurst street	17	New appliances	100
H. Sellon	25 Monument square	2	New appliances	100
E. Hart	20 Moss Hill road	19	New appliances	100
A. Stahly	27 Moultrie street	17	New appliances	60
E. Pascucci	5 Mystic street	2	New appliances	25
E. Pascucci	277 Paris street	1	New appliances	25
H. Dickerson	25 Queensberry street	5	New appliances	25
P. Gulesian	1523 River street	18	New appliances	200
A. Granara	115 Salem street	3	New appliances	25
E. Pascucci	823 Saratoga street	1	New appliances	45
A. Stahly	69 Sawyer avenue	13	New appliances	10
J. Tierney	17 Sharon street	8	New appliances	50
J. Wirth	170 West Sixth street	6	New appliances	15
G. Vallati	117 Bowdoin street	15	New appliances	1,000
L. McConkey	104 Brook avenue	13	New appliances	100
R. Ebba	1790 Centre street	20	New appliances	400
D. Cahill	77 Davison street	18	New appliances	750
A. Figler	279 Dudley street	8	New appliances	40
M. Loiterstein	33 Dunlap street	17	New appliances	50
S. Landau	536 East Seventh street	7	New appliances	125
F. Farrar	30 Falmouth street	4	New appliances	75
G. Trethewey	11 Fawndale road	19	New appliances	69
M. Loiterstein	39 Howell street	7	New appliances	100
G. Trethewey	346 Hyde Park avenue	19	New appliances	225
C. Lee	47 Maywood street	12	New appliances	25
N. Clark	39 Millstone road	18	New appliances	100
C. Lee	30 Moreland street	12	New appliances	60
C. Lee	30 Moreland street	12	New appliances	60
C. Lee	67 Munroe street	12	New appliances	25
C. Lee	396 Northampton street	9	New appliances	12
C. Lee	396 Northampton street	9	New appliances	12
C. Lee	296 Northampton street	9	New appliances	12
C. Lee	39 Old Harbor street	7	New appliances	25
P. Bishop	141 Pleasant street	13	New appliances	150
S. Litman	212 Quincy street	13	New appliances	65
C. Lee	86 Regent street	12	New appliances	85
N. Clark	60 Rockview street	19	New appliances	40
P. Bishop	23 Rowena street	16	New appliances	60
C. Lee	300 Seaver street	12	New appliances	12
C. Lee	6 Stafford street	8	New appliances	50
L. Blakney	2 Tarleton road	20	New appliances	350
N. Clark	98 Temple street	20	New appliances	400
I. Gerson	1047 Tremont street	9	New appliances	100
N. Clark	8 Virgil road	20	New appliances	100
C. Lee	1917 Washington street	9	New appliances	25
N. Clark	155 Webster street	1	New appliances	15
N. Clark	106 Wellington Hill street	14	New appliances	200
N. Clark	67 West Eagle street	1	New appliances	15
J. Esterhill	140 West Eighth street	6	New appliances	25
C. Lee	37 Woodbine street	12	New appliances	20
C. Lee	8 Yeoman street	8	New appliances	100
B. Clancy	15 I street	6	New appliances	45
R. Ebba	188 Marginal street	1	New appliances	20
R. DiLorenzo	341 Meridian street	1	New appliances	15
S. Landau	41 Pilgrim road	4	New appliances	50
J. Esterhill	28 Pond street	13	New appliances	75
R. Ebba	148 Putnam street	1	New appliances	20
S. Landau	154 Riverway	4	New appliances	25
S. Landau	162 Riverway	4	New appliances	50
S. Landau	164 Riverway	4	New appliances	25
B. Gold	95 Safford street	18	New appliances	100

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Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
J. Vangi	3 South Margin street	3	New appliances	$25
J. Esterhill	54 Sumner street	13	New appliances	60
M. Loiterstein	1 Sunny court	10	New appliances	30
D. Krieger	11 Ward street	7	New appliances	100
J. Williams	3131 Washington street	11	New appliances	350
F. Pryor	33 Winthrop street	2	New appliances	15
N. Clark	377 Adams street	16	New appliances	100
N. Clark	37 Austin street	2	New appliances	400
H. McMahon	333 Baker street	20	New appliances	450
P. Bishop	42 Brent street	17	New appliances	100
C. Lee	300 Bunker Hill street	2	New appliances	100
P. Bishop	68 Carruth street	16	New appliances	100
W. Chase	115 Cedar street	11	New appliances	50
P. Bishop	229 Centre street	16	New appliances	100
W. DiLorenzo	308 Chelsea street	1	New appliances	25
C. Lee	61 Circuit street	12	New appliances	25
N. Clark	34 Colberg avenue	20	New appliances	400
N. Clark	38 Colberg avenue	20	New appliances	400
C. Lee	1621 Columbia road	7	New appliances	12
C. Lee	609 Columbus avenue	9	New appliances	12
C. Lee	610 Columbus avenue	9	New appliances	12
C. Lee	9 Commonwealth avenue	5	New appliances	12
C. Lee	26 Darling street	10	New appliances	12
C. Lee	18 Devon street	12	New appliances	12
N. Clark	27½ Dickens street	15	New appliances	100
P. Bishop	440 Dudley street	8	New applinces	50
O. Weider	239 E street	6	New appliances	30
P. Bishop	623 East Second street	6	New appliances	100
D. Horgan	498 East Sixth street	6	New appliances	100
C. Lee	723 East Third street	6	New appliances	12
A. Granara	6 Garden Court street	3	New appliances	45
A. Granara	10 Garden Court street	3	New appliances	40
C. Lee	2 Guild Row	9	New appliances	60
C. Lee	47 Hammond street	9	New appliances	45
C. Lee	76 Hammond street	9	New appliances	100
C. Lee	909 Harrison avenue	8	New appliances	12
C. Lee	86 Hastings street	20	New appliances	25
C. Lee	28 Highland street	9	New appliances	25
N. Clark	875 Huntington avenue	10	New appliances	100
S. Litinan	1 Kensington street	11	New appliances	55
N. Clark	6 Kerna road	20	New appliances	100
C. Lee	151 L Street	7	New appliances	25
N. Clark	193 L street	7	New appliances	400
N. Clark	39 Lane Park	22	New appliances	100
W. Long	70 Larch street	22	New appliances	400
C. Lee	12 Linden Park street	9	New appliances	25
C. Lee	35 Marcella street	11	New appliances	25
E. Mogel	82 Albion street	5	New appliances	28
E. Mogel	48 Beacon street	5	New appliances	35
J. Wirth	6 Dixfield street	7	New appliances	75
E. Kelly	74 Durnell avenue	20	New appliances	10
E. Healy	81 Fuller street	17	New appliances	35
S. Sawtelle	179 Hebron street	18	New appliances	550
G. Donohue	33 Hill Top street	16	New appliances	10
W. Chessman	679 La Grange street	20	New appliances	25
B. Weiner	208 Milk street	3	New appliances	80
P. Murtha	15 Millet street	17	New appliances	125
E. Mogel	14 Minot street	3	New appliances	30
J. Phinney	129 Perham street	20	New appliances	125
R. Pizzano	148 Putnam street	1	New appliances	25
W. Foster	949 River street	18	New appliances	130
T. Resnick	234 Saratoga street	1	New appliances	50
P. Kennedy	27 Sharon street	8	New appliances	100
E. Mogel	239 Shawmut avenue	3	New appliances	40
E. Mogel	238 Shawmut avenue	3	New appliances	40
B. Weiner	123 Sutherland road	21	New appliances	40
G. Donohue	154 Trenton street	1	New appliances	65
G. Speers	617 Washington street	22	New appliances	20
E. Mogel	34 Worcester square	8	New appliances	50
A. Milligan	49 Wycliff avenue	20	New appliances	175
W. Connell	381 Adams street	16	New appliances	1,500
J. Tierney	445 Adams street	16	New appliances	95
W. Connell	21 Annabel street	7	New appliances	25
J. Vogel	49 Ardale street	20	New appliances	100
S. Connolly	3 Batchelder street	8	New appliances	50
J. Fleming	81 Bay State road	5	New appliances	685
C. Sillari	283 Causeway street	3	New appliances	400
S. Connolly	1980 Centre street	20	New appliances	400
E. Pascucci	276 Chelsea street	1	New appliances	25
E. Pascucci	306 Chelsea street	1	New appliances	15
W. Connell	54 Codman Hill avenue	17	New appliances	30
J. Vogel	30 Colberg avenue	20	New appliances	100
V. Gustina	34 Collins street	18	New appliances	250
A. Onessimo	33 Courtland road	14	New appliances	30
S. Connolly	8 Cunard street	9	New appliances	200
E. Pascucci	40 Decatur street	1	New appliances	25
E. Pascucci	216 East Eagle street	1	New appliances	15
E. Pascucci	206 Everett street	1	New appliances	15
J. Powers	75 F street	7	New appliances	600
O. Weider	68 Florida street	16	New appliances	100
S. Connolly	29 Fort avenue	11	New appliances	150
W. Connell	72 G street	7	New appliances	100
H. Cutler	131 Harrishoff street	12	New appliances	25
D. Gould	146 Hillside street	10	New appliances	20
W. Connell	70 Houghton street	16	New appliances	50
J. McNulty	43 Irving street	5	New appliances	30
S. Connolly	110 Lawn street	10	New appliances	25
S. Connolly	22 Marcella street	11	New appliances	50
S. Connolly	2 Merton place	11	New appliances	50
P. Gulesian	609 Metropolitan avenue	18	New appliances	300
P. Gulesian	709 Metropolitan avenue	18	New appliances	300
O. Weider	28 Mildred avenue	18	New appliances	100
W. Connell	122 Minot street	16	New appliances	50
P. Sparco	36 Mt. Vernon street	2	New appliances	100
W. Connell	147 Neponset avenue	16	New appliances	100
L. Rubin	252 Norfolk street	17	New appliances	30
W. Connell	218 Norwell street	17	New appliances	100

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

(*Continued from page 1195.*)

10 Hopkins road, Jamaica Plain, clerks, $43 a week; Harriet Kandler, 74 Fenwood road, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour.

The following temporary employees have been appointed:

Edna Brown, 531A Columbus avenue, Margaret O'Brien, 2997 Washington street, Aryannah Hall, 108 Kendall street, Roxbury, Beth Michaud, 44 West Eagle street, East Boston, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; Marie DiNatale, 158 Salem street, Jane O'Donnell, 936 East Broadway, South Boston, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour.

The following changes have been made.

Millicent Carpenter, 43 Rutland square, from floor nurse at $65.50 a week to floor nurse at $1.50 an hour; Margaret Francis, 9 Lennoco road, Jamaica Plain, from floor nurse at $1 an hour to floor nurse at $60.50 a week.

Welfare Department.

The following employees have resigned:

Margaret Patten, Edward Lynch, Freida Wheeler, Eunice Branker, permanent clerks and typists; Dolores O'Keefe, permanent senior clerk and typist; Constance Conway, Margaret McCarthy, Norma J. Lally, Patricia McArdle, Florence Hector, Patricia A. Reardon, temporary clerks and typists; Mary L. Cloherty, Mary C. Dolan, temporary social workers; Francis X. Moran, permanent social worker; Marion Fox, provisional social worker.

Step-Rate Increases.

Fire Department.

Fire Fighters.

	From	To
Albert Abramoski,	$74.71—	$77.58
Anthony Acevich,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph F. Adams,	74.71—	77.58
Albert J. Adomaitis,	76.63—	79.50
John H. Agnew,	79.69—	82.56
Paul J. Agnew,	74.71—	77.58
Frederick V. Ahern,	74.71—	77.58
John C. Ahern,	67.82—	70.69
William F. Ahern,	74.71—	77.58
Martin E. Ahlstrom (Apparatus Operator),	81.60—	84.47
Gaetano A. Albanese,	74.71—	77.58
William P. Albanese,	76.63—	79.50
John T. Aleks,	74.71—	77.58
Charles R. Alexander,	74.71—	77.58
John S. Allen,	76.63—	79.50
Walter F. Almeida,	74.71—	77.58
Sebastian Alongi,	74.71—	77.58
Frank R. Altimar,	74.71—	77.58
Peter J. Altomare,	74.71—	77.58
William P. Amrhein,	74.71—	77.58
Robert N. Anderson,	76.63—	79.50
William H. Anderson,	79.69—	82.56
Kristo A. Apostol,	74.71—	77.58
Paul P. Arathuzik,	74.71—	77.58
Harry N. Arnao,	76.63—	79.50
Peter V. Arnao,	74.71—	77.58
Edward J. Arsenault,	76.63—	79.50
Sarkis A. Arzoomanian,	76.63—	79.50
William C. Aspessi,	74.71—	77.58
Arthur T. Austin,	74.71—	77.58
Walter G. Austin,	74.71—	77.58
William W. Austin (Medal),	77.11—	79.98
George L. Aylward,	74.71—	77.58
William J. Aylward,	79.69—	82.56
Joseph G. Babb,	76.63—	79.50
Edward F. Bachofner,	74.71—	77.58
George F. Bacigalupo,	74.71—	77.58
Louis M. Bacigalupo,	74.71—	77.58
Oscar Backer,	74.71—	77.58

	From	To
Charles E. Bagley,	$74.71—	$77.58
Daniel J. Bagley,	74.71—	77.58
Rocco J. Baglio,	74.71—	77.58
Francis H. Baker,	74.71—	77.58
Charles F. Baldner,	74.71—	77.58
Richard M. Baldwin,	74.71—	77.58
Frank P. Barresi,	70.69—	73.56
Frederick J. Barrett,	74.71—	77.58
John C. Barrett, Jr.,	74.71—	77.58
Aloysius P. Barron,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph E. Barron,	74.71—	77.58
Robert J. Barron,	74.71—	77.58
Francis X. Barry,	74.71—	77.58
James J. Barry,	74.71—	77.58
William J. Barry,	76.63—	79.50
Raymond F. Bastian,	74.71—	77.58
Henry E. Bateman,	74.71—	77.58
Charles C. Bazylinski,	74.71—	77.58
Russell C. Bean,	74.71—	77.58
Edward C. Becker,	74.71—	77.58
William A. Bell,	74.71—	77.58
Francis J. Belmore,	74.71—	77.58
Michael J. Benkis,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph L. Benson,	74.71—	77.58
Henry E. Bernasconi,	74.71—	77.58
Richard G. Berninger,	74.71—	77.58
Ralph E. Berry,	76.63—	79.50
Vito J. Bertolino,	76.63—	79.50
William E. Bills,	79.69—	82.56
Walter Bithoney,	74.71—	77.58
Carl O. Blaumquist,	79.69—	82.56
Robert E. Bluthardt,	74.71—	77.58
John J. Bogue,	76.63—	79.50
Stephen E. Bogue,	74.71—	77.58
Frederick J. Boodro,	79.69—	82.56
John F. Booth,	76.63—	79.50
Arthur F. Bopp,	76.63—	79.50
Ralph A. Borden,	76.63—	79.50
Biagio B. Bordonaro,	76.63—	79.50
Michael A. Bordonaro,	74.71—	77.58
Paul J. Bouche,	74.71—	77.58
Leo G. Bowen,	74.71—	77.58
Robert F. Bowen,	74.71—	77.58
Nathaniel H. Bowering (First Engineer),	87.36—	90.23
Carl F. Bowers,	76.63—	79.50
Robert E. Bowie,	74.71—	77.58
Harold E. Boyd (Engineer),	83.52—	86.39
Joseph P. Boyd,	74.71—	77.58
Robert J. Boyd,	74.71—	77.58
Peter J. Bradley,	79.69—	82.56
Andrew J. Brady,	76.63—	79.50
Frederick J. Brady,	74.71—	77.58
Robert G. Brady,	74.71—	77.58
Lester W. Brasher,	79.69—	82.56
Frederick C. Brauner,	76.63—	79.50
John F. Brennan,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph O. Brennan,	74.71—	77.58
Martin J. Brennan,	74.71—	77.58
Ralph C. Brogna,	74.71—	77.58
Alfred J. Bromowski,	74.71—	77.58
Alonzo P. Brooks, Jr.,	74.71—	77.58
Norman E. Brophy,	76.63—	79.50
Charles H. Brown,	74.71—	77.58
Herbert M. Brown,	76.63—	79.50
Theodore M. Brown,	74.71—	77.58
William C. Brown,	74.71—	77.58
Harry Brundige, Jr.,	74.71—	77.58
Robert W. Brundige,	74.71—	77.58
Harry E. Bryant (Medal),	80.17—	83.04
Frank F. Buccelwicz,	76.63—	79.50
Charles M. Buchanan,	74.71—	77.58
Paul W. Buchanan,	74.71—	77.58
Bernard P. Buckley,	74.71—	77.58
Frank G. Buckley,	76.63—	79.50
Timothy S. Buckley,	79.69—	82.56
Walter J. Buckley,	74.71—	77.58
Arthur W. Bunker,	74.71—	77.58
Charles C. Bunker,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph S. Burgess,	76.63—	79.50
Albion E. Burke,	74.71—	77.58
John J. Burke (Aide to Dep. Fire Chief),	83.52—	86.39

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 4.—Concluded.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
S. Connolly	20 Oakland street	11	New applianees	$50
T. Matthews	24 Peacevale road	17	New applianees	100
A. Onessimo	49 Peacevale road	17	New applianees	6
A. Onessimo	50 Peacevale road	17	New applianees	6
A. Onessimo	50 Peacevale road	17	New applianees	6
A. Onessimo	54 Peacevale road	17	New applianees	6
A. Onessimo	54 Peacevale road	17	New applianees	6
A. Onessimo	58 Peacevale road	17	New applianees	6
O. Weider	23 Rexford street	18	New applianees	100
A. Onessimo	112 Salem street	3	New applianees	125
E. Paseuecci	650 Saratoga street	1	New applianees	25
W. Connell	2 Stoughton Street place	13	New applianees	200
O. Weider	78 Sudan street	13	New applianees	100
P. Gulesian	6 Summer street	18	New applianees	300
P. Gulesian	22 Summer street	18	New appliances	150
P. Russo	9 Thateher street	18	New appliances	45
W. Connell	96 Train street	16	New applianees	25
G. Schultz	60 Tremont street	2	New applianees	100
S. Campbell	252 Tremont street	3	New applianees	100
J. Crespi	1210 V. F. W. Parkway	20	New applianees	100
S. Connolly	182 Walnut avenue	12	New applianees	50
E. Pascuecci	188 Webster street	1	New applianees	25
J. Vogel	87 Wellington Hill street	14	New applianees	100
W. Connell	28 Wentworth street	17	New applianees	30
F. Farrar	268 West Newton street	4	New appliances	75
O. Weider	10 Weyanoke street	16	New applianees	100
A. Onessimo	29 Whitman street	17	New applianees	12
P. Russo	8 Woodglen road	18	New appliances	45

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM PLUMBING FOR THE WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 4.

Plumber.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
A. Stahly	374 Columbia road	15	Fixtures	$60
P. Sandborg	28 Gould street	20	Fixtures	850
T. Matthews	34 Lindsey street	17	Fixtures	100
H. Hinckley	1003 Massachusetts avenue	8	Fixtures	900
A. Stahly	27 Moultrie street	17	Fixtures	60
I. Carlin	147 Ashmont street	17	Fixtures	300
B. Zeiff	176 Blue Hill avenue	13	Fixtures	600
O. McElearney	43 Charter street	3	Fixtures	1,000
E. Parad	1381 Commonwealth avenue	21	Fixtures	2,300
A. Milligan	18 Edgemere road	20	Fixtures	1,000
J. Long	75 Hastings street	20	Fixtures	350
E. Parad	1626 Hyde Park avenue	18	Fixtures	2,300
S. Shulman	106 Keystone street	20	Fixtures	1,000
C. Riley	33 North Bennet street	3	Fixtures	12,000
G. Patey	25 Rawston road	18	Fixtures	1,200
G. Vallati	11 Stoekton street	17	Fixtures	400
A. Milligan	33 Sunset Hill road	20	Fixtures	1,000
A. Milligan	35 Sunset Hill road	20	Fixtures	1,000
A. Milligan	37 Sunset Hill road	20	Fixtures	1,000
E. Parad	41 Vernon street	18	Fixtures	1,800
F. Dwyer	9 West Milton street	18	Fixtures	700
F. Dwyer	13 West Milton street	18	Fixtures	700
F. Dwyer	17 West Milton street	18	Fixtures	700
K. Boden	10 Winchester terrace	19	Fixtures	1,000
E. Mogel	123 Commonwealth avenue	5	Fixtures	850
B. Porte	202 Commonwealth avenue	5	Fixtures	965
N. Prives	1 Exeter street	5	Fixtures	130
N. Prives	5 Gloueester street	5	Fixtures	300
A. Kaunfer	50 Mariposa street	18	Fixtures	700
A. Kaunfer	50 Ruskindale road	18	Fixtures	600
D. Yorks	27 Wedgemere road	20	Fixtures	500
A. Colangelo	44 Westford street	22	Fixtures	1,000
P. Russo	104 Child street	18	Fixtures	250
J. Rinaldi	60 Garfield avenue	18	Fixtures	700
P. Adamo	82 Orient avenue	1	Fixtures	1,800
H. Caras	1010 Tremont street	9	Fixtures	600
K. Boden	134 Almont street	18	Fixtures	1,200
A. Mazzone	46 Baldwin street	2	Fixtures	550
H. Caras	170 Blue Hill avenue	13	Fixtures	100
J. Vogel	151 Hallet street	16	Fixtures	600
K. Boden	42 Itasea street	18	Fixtures	1,200
S. Shulman	134 Perham street	20	Fixtures	900
J. Vogel	102 Sheridan street	19	Fixtures	200
W. Hogan	42 Turner street	22	Fixtures	200
W. Berkeley	1643 Washington street	9	Fixtures	250

	From	To
John J. Burke,	$74.71—	$77.58
Thomas H. Burke (Aide to Chief),	87.36—	90.23
Thomas J. Burke,	74.71—	77.58
William F. Burke,	74.71—	77.58
William R. Burke,	74.71—	77.58
Charles A. Burns, Jr.,	74.71—	77.58
Daniel J. Burns, Jr.,	74.71—	77.58
Robert N. Burrill,	74.71—	77.58
James J. Burton,	79.69—	82.56
John E. Burwell,	74.71—	77.58
Frederick F. Bury (Eng., Motor Squad),	78.54—	81.41
George E. Butler,	74.71—	77.58
Stanley J. Bykowski,	74.71—	77.58
Fred J. Byrne,	79.69—	82.56
Frederick J. Byrne,	74.71—	77.58
Henry J. Byrnes,	79.69—	82.56
Robert E. Byrne,	74.71—	77.58
Francis A. Cady,	74.71—	77.58
Gerald F. Cahill,	74.71—	77.58
William J. Cahill,	74.71—	77.58
Anthony G. Calello,	74.71—	77.58
Thomas J. Callaghan,	70.69—	73.56
William Callaghan (Eng., High Pressure),	80.46—	83.33
Francis E. Callahan,	74.71—	77.58
James G. Callahan,	76.63—	79.50
Joseph J. Callahan,	76.63—	79.50
Thomas F. Callahan (Aide to Dep. Fire Chief),	83.52—	86.39
Walter J. Cameron,	74.71—	77.58
Bertram L. Camick,	76.63—	79.50
Carmen A. Campanero,	67.82—	70.69
Harvey Campbell,	74.71—	77.58
John E. Campbell,	74.71—	77.58
John L. Campbell,	74.71—	77.58
Robert P. Campbell,	74.71—	77.58
William G. Campbell,	76.63—	79.50
Thomas R. Canavan, Jr.,	74.71—	77.58
Warren J. Caples,	74.71—	77.58
James V. Capeless,	74.71—	77.58
Paul R. Cardoza,	74.71—	77.58
George J. Carey,	74.71—	77.58
John E. Carey,	79.69—	82.56
Wells C. Carey,	74.71—	77.58
William J. Carey,	74.71—	77.58
William J. Carey, Jr.,	74.71—	77.58
William R. Carey,	74.71—	77.58
Harold A. Carle, Jr.,	74.71—	77.58
Thomas W. Carleton,	74.71—	77.58
Carl F. Carlson,	74.71—	77.58
John W. Carlson, Jr.,	74.71—	77.58
Martin J. Carney (Eng., Motor Squad),	80.46—	83.33
Thomas E. Carney,	76.63—	79.50
Benjamin H. Carpenter,	74.71—	77.58
Thomas J. Carroll,	74.71—	77.58
Morley J. Carter,	74.71—	77.58
Paul W. Carter,	76.63—	79.50
Edward J. Casey,	74.71—	77.58
John D. Casey,	74.71—	77.58
John F. Casey,	74.71—	77.58
John J. Casey,	74.71—	77.58
John T. Cashman,	74.71—	77.58
Peter J. Cassis,	74.71—	77.58
Salvatore J. Castronova,	74.71—	77.58
Alfred J. Cataldo (Eng., Motor Squad),	78.54—	81.41
Anthony Cataldo,	74.71—	77.58
Fred W. Cavanagh,	76.63—	79.50
Joseph F. Cavanagh,	76.63—	79.50
Joseph T. Cavanagh,	74.71—	77.58
Stephen Cedorchuk,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph J. Censullo,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph A. Centola,	74.71—	77.58
Arthur L. Ceurvels,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph W. Ceurvels,	76.63—	79.50
Robert M. Ceurvels,	74.71—	77.58
Hazen A. Chalmers,	74.71—	77.58
Francis J. Chapin,	74.71—	77.58
Anthony Charttinitz,	74.71—	77.58
William H. Chisholm,	76.63—	79.50
Louis Christina,	74.71—	77.58
Anthony C. Ciampa,	74.71—	77.58
Ralph A. Cipullo,	74.71—	77.58
Don Civitarese (Eng., Motor Squad),	78.54—	81.41
Edward L. Civitarese,	74.71—	77.58
Louis J. Civitarese (Medal),	77.11—	79.98
Paul J. Claney,	74.71—	77.58
Thomas R. Clancy,	74.71—	77.58
Edwin I. Clarke (Eng., High Pressure),	83.52—	86.39
Robert B. Clarke,	76.63—	79.50
Joseph M. Clasby,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph P. Cleary,	74.71—	77.58
Robert F. Clements,	74.71—	77.58
Thomas J. Cloonan,	74.71—	77.58
James J. Coakley,	74.71—	77.58
William I. Coakley,	74.71—	77.58
Edward A. Codair (Aide to Deputy Fire Chief-Medal),	80.94—	83.81
Frederick L. Coffey,	74.71—	77.58
Louis Cohen (Arson Inspector),	79.69—	82.56
Joseph Colella,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph F. Coleman,	74.71—	77.58
John F. Collier,	74.71—	77.58
Daniel A. Collins,	76.63—	79.50
Edward J. Collins,	74.71—	77.58
Frederick J. Collins,	74.71—	77.58
George V. Collins,	74.71—	77.58
James L. Collins,	74.71—	77.58
Vincent T. Collins,	74.71—	77.58
Robert E. Compston,	74.71—	77.58
Richard F. Concannon,	74.71—	77.58
Paul F. Condon,	74.71—	77.58
Edward P. Conley,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph E. Conley,	74.71—	77.58
Leo E. Conley,	74.71—	77.58
Michael L. Conley (Eng., High Pressure),	83.52—	86.39
Peter J. Connelly (Asst. to Eng. in Charge, High Pressure),	87.36—	90.23
John A. Connerty (Aide to Dep. Fire Chief),	83.52—	86.39
Charles J. Connolly,	76.63—	79.50
Edward P. Connoly (Aide to Dep. Fire Chief),	78.54—	81.41
John F. Connolly,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph P. Connolly,	74.71—	77.58
Michael A. Connolly (Engineer in Charge),	84.20—	87.16
Michael J. Connolly,	74.71—	77.58
Thomas E. Connolly (Aide to Asst. Fire Chief),	78.54—	81.41
William E. Connolly,	74.71—	77.58
William V. Connolly,	74.71—	77.58
Paul C. Connors,	74.71—	77.58
Thomas F. Connors (Master),	84.29—	87.16
John J. Considine,	74.71—	77.58
James H. Conway,	79.69—	82.56
James J. Conway,	76.63—	79.50
John J. Conway, Jr.,	74.71—	77.58
Charles F. Cook,	74.71—	77.58
Paul F. Cook,	74.71—	77.58
Robert A. Cook,	74.71—	77.58
Francis B. Cooley,	74.71—	77.58
James F. Cooley,	74.71—	77.58
Alfred W. Copithorn,	74.71—	77.58
James J. Corbett,	76.63—	79.50
Joseph L. Corbett,	70.69—	73.56
William V. Corbett,	76.63—	79.50
John H. Corcoran,	79.69—	82.56
John J. Corcoran (Apparatus Operator),	81.60—	84.47
Peter L. Corcoran,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph H. Corliss,	74.71—	77.58
John R. Cornish,	74.71—	77.58
James F. Corrigan,	74.71—	77.58
Michael J. Corrigan,	76.63—	79.50
Francis H. Corwin,	76.63—	79.50
Walter W. Corwin, Jr.,	74.71—	77.58
Felix F. Cosgrove,	74.71—	77.58
William E. Cosgrove,	74.71—	77.58
Anthony G. Costa (Photographer),	$76.63—	$79.50
Charles L. Costello,	74.71—	77.58
Francis A. Costello,	76.63—	79.50
James G. Costello,	74.71—	77.58
Paul J. Costello (Aide to Commissioner),	84.29—	87.16
George A. Coughlin,	74.71—	77.58
Owen J. Coyne,	76.63—	79.50
Thomas J. Coyne,	74.71—	77.58
Samuel J. Craddock,	74.71—	77.58
Paul D. Craven,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph M. Crawford,	67.82—	70.69
John J. Creedon,	74.71—	77.58
Leon G. Crispo,	74.71—	77.58
Charles A. Cronin,	74.71—	77.58
Frank J. Cronin,	74.71—	77.58
James H. Cross	76.63—	79.50
Joseph F. Crossen,	74.71—	77.58
John F. Crowley,	76.63—	79.50
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Warren J. Cudmore	74.71—	77.58
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John P. Culhane,	74.71—	77.58
John P. Culhane,	74.71—	77.58
Robert J. Culhane,	74.71—	77.58
Arthur J. Cullinane,	74.71—	77.58
Robert G. Cullinane,	74.71—	77.58
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Maurice W. Cunniff,	74.71—	77.58
Robert A. Cunniff,	74.71—	77.58
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Joseph C. Doherty,	76.63—	79.50
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Paul V. Doherty,	74.71—	77.58
Walter G. Doherty,	74.71—	77.58
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Arthur S. Dolber,	74.71—	77.58
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John J. Donovan,	67.82—	70.69
John V. Donovan,	74.71—	77.58
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Robert E. Donovan,	74.71—	77.58
Thomas H. Donovan,	76.63—	79.50
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Walter H. Dowgiallo,	76.63—	79.50
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Francis P. Dowling,	74.71—	77.58
James J. Downey,	74.71—	77.58
John F. Downey,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph A. Downey,	74.71—	77.58
Maurice A. Downey,	76.63—	79.50
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John F. Doyle,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph C. Doyle,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph P. Doyle,	79.69—	$2.56
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Hugh F. J. Duffy,	70.69—	73.56
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John W. Duggan,	74.71—	77.58
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John B. Dunbar,	76.63—	79.50
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John J. Dundon,	74.71—	77.58
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Edward P. Dwyer,	76.63—	79.50
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Harry G. Eastwood,	74.71—	77.58
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Casimer E. Eckler,	74.71—	77.58
Frank J. Eckler,	76.63—	79.50
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Roger W. Eggers,	74.71—	77.58
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Robert E. Emerson,	74.71—	77.58
Daniel R. Emery,	74.71—	77.58
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Harold J. Ennis,	76.63—	79.50
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Simon F. Eskot,	76.63—	79.50
Eugene W. Estey,	76.63—	79.50
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Francis P. Farrell,	74.71—	77.58
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Canice J. Fennelly,	76.63—	79.50
William C. Fennelly,	76.63—	79.50
James J. Fennessey,	74.71—	77.58
Francis B. Fermano,	74.71—	77.58
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Philip P. Ferren,	74.71—	77.58
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James L. Finch,	76.63—	79.50
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Paul L. Finn,	74.71—	77.58
Gerard F. Finnegan,	74.71—	77.58
Robert T. Finnell,	74.71—	77.58
Daniel G. Finnerty, Jr.,	74.71—	77.58
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Edward J. Flynn,	74.71—	77.58
James J. Flynn,	74.71—	77.58
John E. Flynn,	74.71—	77.58
John J. Flynn,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph G. Flynn,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph I. Flynn,	74.71—	77.58
Thomas J. Flynn,	76.63—	79.50
Thomas P. Flynn,	74.71—	77.58
William P. Flynn,	74.71—	77.58
Edward J. Fogarty (Arson Inspector),	76.63—	79.50
Harry F. Fogarty,	74.71—	77.58
Edwin H. Foley,	76.63—	79.50
James M. Foley,	74.71—	77.58
John A. Foley,	74.71—	77.58
John J. Foley,	76.63—	79.50
Malcolm E. Foley,	74.71—	77.58
Richard C. Foley,	74.71—	77.58
Robert P. Foley,	74.71—	77.58
Thomas F. Foley,	74.71—	77.58
William E. Foley,	74.71—	77.58
William H. Foley,	74.71—	77.58
James D. Ford,	76.63—	79.50
James E. Ford,	74.71—	77.58
Lawrence F. Ford,	74.71—	77.58
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Frank N. Forte,	74.71—	77.58
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William H. Foscaldo,	74.71—	77.58
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Stephen L. Gaffney,	74.71—	77.58
Francis L. Galizio,	74.71—	77.58
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Francis W. Gallagher,	74.71—	77.58
James D. Gallagher,	74.71—	77.58
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William F. Galvin,	74.71—	77.58
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Ralph H. George,	74.71—	77.58
John J. Geswell,	67.82—	70.69
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James A. Gray,	74.71—	77.58
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Frederick J. Grenier, Jr.,	74.71—	77.58
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Edward E. Hall,	79.69—	$2.56
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Alfred F. Hamel, Jr.,	74.71—	77.58
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John J. Hanley,	79.69—	$2.56
John J. Hanley (Arson Inspector),	79.69—	$2.56
John M. Hanley,	76.63—	79.50
Patrick Hanley,	79.69—	$2.56
Thomas J. Hanley,	74.71—	77.58
Paul C. Hannigan,	76.63—	79.50
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Thomas J. Henry,	74.71—	77.58
Earl H. Henson,	74.71—	77.58
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Thomas J. Higgins, Jr.,	74.71—	77.58
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James L. Hoban (Aide to Dep. Fire Chief),	$0.46—	$3.33
Robert P. Hobin,	74.71—	77.58
Thomas J. Hobin,	74.71—	77.58
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Harry S. Huether,	76.63—	79.50
Joseph E. Hughes,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph L. Hughes (Eng., Motor Squad),	$3.52—	$6.39
Thomas F. Hughes,	76.63—	79.50
William A. Hughes (Eng., High Pressure),	$3.52—	$6.39
William A. Hulbig,	74.71—	77.58
Duncan Hunter, Jr. (Second Engineer),	$3.52—	$6.39
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Charles J. Hurley,	74.71—	77.58
Daniel J. Hurley,	74.71—	77.58
Francis J. Hurley,	76.63—	79.50
John J. Hurley,	$1.60—	$4.47
John J. Hurley,	79.69—	$2.56
John J. Hurley, Jr.,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph A. Hurley (Oil Burner Inspector),	76.63—	79.50
Robert V. Hurley,	74.71—	77.58
William H. Hurley,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph L. Hurrie,	74.71—	77.58
Richard F. Hutchinson,	74.71—	77.58
Michael Imbriano,	76.63—	79.50
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Ricco T. Intonti,	74.71—	77.58
William H. Irvine,	74.71—	77.58
Alphonse J. Jackmauh,	74.71—	77.58
Arthur L. Jackson, Jr.,	74.71—	77.58
Frank C. Jacobs,	74.71—	77.58
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Richard P. Jakabauska,	74.71—	77.58
John E. Jameson,	74.71—	77.58
John J. Jennings,	74.71—	77.58
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Gilbert W. Jones (Arson Insp., Medal),	$0.17—	$3.04
Willard E. Jones,	74.71—	77.58
Garode R. Joyce,	79.69—	$2.56
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Peter W. Judge,	67.82—	70.69
Walter Kabachus,	74.71—	77.58
Alexander L. Kaczorek,	76.63—	79.50
Anthony W. Kane,	76.63—	79.50
Francis A. Kane,	74.71—	77.58
Henry V. Kane,	74.71—	77.58
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William J. Kane,	74.71—	77.58
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John J. Kearney,	79.69—	$2.56
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John P. Keaveney,	74.71—	77.58
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Paul W. Keefe,	76.63—	79.50
William F. Keefe,	74.71—	77.58
Thomas F. Keeley,	74.71—	77.58
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Francis J. Kelley,	74.71—	77.58
John E. Kelley,	74.71—	77.58
Lawrence P. Kelley,	74.71—	77.58
Thomas J. Kelley,	74.71—	77.58
Walter E. Kelley,	79.69—	$2.56
William J. Kelley,	74.71—	77.58
Andrew M. Kelly,	74.71—	77.58
Edward V. Kelly,	74.71—	77.58
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Joseph F. Kenneally,	74.71—	77.58
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William J. Kenneally,	74.71—	77.58
Bernard J. Kennedy,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph E. Kennedy,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph P. Kennedy,	74.71—	77.58
Richard W. Kennedy,	76.63—	79.50
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Thomas F. Lane,	74.71—	77.58
William J. Lane,	74.71—	77.58
William L. Lane,	79.69—	82.56
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Leo H. Lang,	74.71—	77.58
Alfred E. Langdon,	74.71—	77.58
Lloyd V. Langill (Aide to Dep. Fire Chief),	80.46—	83.33
Roy B. Langill,	76.63—	79.50
Thomas F. Larkin, Jr.,	76.63—	79.50
Robert L. LaRose,	74.71—	77.58
Pasquale LaSelva,	74.71—	77.58
Robert J. Laubenstein,	74.71—	77.58
Anthony F. Laurano,	74.71—	77.58
Thomas E. LaVerne,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph W. H. Lavin,	79.69—	82.56
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Dennis F. Leahy,	74.71—	77.58
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Arthur J. Leary,	74.71—	77.58
Hollis J. Leary,	76.63—	79.50
George F. LeBlanc,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph E. LeBlanc,	74.71—	77.58
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George E. Leighton,	74.71—	77.58
Thomas B. Lennon, Jr.,	74.71—	77.58
Edward F. Leonard,	79.69—	82.56
Nicholas F. Lepore,	67.82—	70.69
James E. Lewis,	76.63—	79.50
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Thomas F. Leydon,	74.71—	77.58
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William B. Linnane,	74.71—	77.58
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Michael Liotta,	76.63—	79.50
Vincent M. Liotta,	74.71—	77.58
James J. Loftus,	74.71—	77.58
Arthur J. Logan,	74.71—	77.58
George J. Lohnes,	74.71—	77.58
Martin A. Lombard,	79.69—	82.56
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John M. Loughman,	74.71—	77.58
William E. Loughnane,	70.69—	73.56
Edward V. Lowney,	$74.71—	$77.58
Wilbur W. Luacaw,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph A. Lucas,	76.63—	79.50
Robert H. Lundquist,	74.71—	77.58
John R. Luongo,	74.71—	77.58
Bernard M. Lydon,	74.71—	77.58
Daniel J. Lydon,	74.71—	77.58
John J. Lydon,	76.63—	79.50
Thomas S. Lydon,	74.71—	77.58
John E. Lydstone (Asst. Cardox Engineer),	78.54—	81.41
Edward M. Lynch (Aide to Chief),	87.36—	90.23
Hugh F. Lynch,	74.71—	77.58
Paul H. Lynch,	74.71—	77.58
Richard W. Lynch,	67.82—	70.69
Warren T. Lynch,	74.71—	77.58
William G. Lynch,	76.63—	79.50
George L. Lyons, Jr.,	74.71—	77.58
Patrick J. Lyons,	79.69—	82.56
James MacCune,	74.71—	77.58
Bernard C. MacDonald (Engineer in Charge),	84.29—	87.16
Charles C. MacDonald,	74.71—	77.58
Edward J. MacDonald,	74.71—	77.58
Grant J. MacDonald,	74.71—	77.58
John A. MacDonald,	74.71—	77.58
John E. MacDonald,	74.71—	77.58
Reid B. MacDonald,	74.71—	77.58
Robert B. MacDonald,	74.71—	77.58
Lawrence D. MacDougall,	76.63—	79.50
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Archibald A. MacInness,	76.63—	79.50
Warren R MacInness,	76.63—	79.50
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Nilus J. Mackey,	74.71—	77.58
Robert F. Mackey,	74.71—	77.58
Hugh E. MacKinnon,	74.71—	77.58
John A. MacKinnon,	76.63—	79.50
Murdock J. MacRae,	74.71—	77.58
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John J. Madden (Eng. in Charge, Motor Squad),	84.29—	87.16
Norman L. Maddock,	74.71—	77.58
John J. Maffei,	74.71—	77.58
Nicholas S. Maffei,	74.71—	77.58
Harold M. Magee,	76.63—	79.50
Pompio J. Magistri (Aide to Dep. Fire Chief),	80.46—	83.33
Leslie W. Magoon,	74.71—	77.58
Walter E. Magoon,	74.71—	77.58
James G. Maguire,	74.71—	77.58
John M. Maguire,	76.63—	79.50
Thomas J. Maguire,	74.71—	77.58
Alfred E. Maher,	76.63—	79.50
Francis X. Maher,	74.71—	77.58
Francis X. Maher,	74.71—	77.58
John F. Maher, Jr.,	76.63—	79.50
John T. Maher,	74.71—	77.58
Edwin C. Mahoney,	74.71—	77.58
Harold J. Mahoney,	74.71—	77.58
James F. Mahoney,	79.69—	82.56
James F. Mahoney, Jr.,	74.71—	77.58
James H. Mahoney,	76.63—	79.50
John J. Mahoney, Jr.,	74.71—	77.58
LeRoy J. Mahoney,	74.71—	77.58
Albert G. Malcolm, Jr.,	76.63—	79.50
George J. Malett,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph W. Mallinson,	76.63—	79.50
William T. Malone,	74.71—	77.58
Edward H. Maloney,	74.71—	77.58
George J. Maloney,	76.63—	79.50
Joseph W. Mandeville,	74.71—	77.58
Charles L. Mann, Jr.,	74.71—	77.58
John R. Manning,	74.71—	77.58
John T. Manning,	76.63—	79.50
Paul V. Manning,	74.71—	77.58
William D. Manning,	74.71—	77.58
Webster J. Mansour,	76.63—	79.50
William J. Mantville,	74.71—	77.58
Albert L. Marley,	74.71—	77.58
William E. Marotta,	76.63—	79.50
Arthur R. Marr,	74.71—	77.58
Donald C. Marr,	76.63—	79.50
Frank J. Marr (Arson Inspector),	$79.69—	$82.56
William Marranzini,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph M. Martin,	67.82—	70.69
Charles Martindale,	76.63—	79.50
Anthony Masiello,	74.71—	77.58
Henry W. Massie,	74.71—	77.58
Robert J. Matthews,	74.71—	77.58
Harold T. Matulaitis,	76.63—	79.50
Carleton W. Mayer,	76.63—	79.50
Norman L. Mayer,	74.71—	77.58
Frank L. Mayo,	79.69—	82.56
Nelson J. Mayo,	74.71—	77.58
Nicholas Mazza,	74.71—	77.58
John L. Mazzeo,	74.71—	77.58
Francis G. Mearn (Eng., Motor Squad),	78.54—	81.41
Thomas F. Meehan,	79.69—	82.56
Edward J. Meleedy,	76.63—	79.50
John E. Mello,	79.69—	82.56
Joseph L. Mello,	76.63—	79.50
George L. Mellor,	76.63—	79.50
Frank Meloski,	74.71—	77.58
Domenic Memmolo,	74.71—	77.58
Anthony R. Menno,	76.63—	79.50
Frank P. Meroski,	74.71—	77.58
James J. Merrick,	74.71—	77.58
Lorenzo D. Merrill,	76.63—	79.50
Robert C. Merritt,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph A. Middleton,	74.71—	77.58
Zdzislaw Mierzykowski,	74.71—	77.58
John J. Mikulski,	74.71—	77.58
Myles F. Milch,	74.71—	77.58
Edwin I. Milchunes,	74.71—	77.58
Benjamin H. Miles,	74.71—	77.58
Henry J. Miller,	74.71—	77.58
William C. Millerick,	76.63—	79.50
Daniel V. Milligan,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph L. Mirabella,	74.71—	77.58
Peter Miscovitch,	74.71—	77.58
John F. Missett,	74.71—	77.58
Harold A. Mitchell,	76.63—	79.50
William T. Mitchell,	74.71—	77.58
John L. Moffitt,	74.71—	77.58
Alfred R. Mogan,	76.63—	79.50
Lester W. Monarch, Jr.,	74.71—	77.58
Anthony M. Montell,	74.71—	77.58
Leo F. Mooney,	74.71—	77.58
Francis R. Montello,	76.63—	79.50
William E. Moore,	74.71—	77.58
Hubert F. Moran,	74.71—	77.58
John T. Moran,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph B. Moran,	74.71—	77.58
Peter F. Moran,	76.63—	79.50
Thomas B. Moran,	74.71—	77.58
Luca F. Morano, Jr.,	74.71—	77.58
Raymond B. Morehouse,	74.71—	77.58
George E. Morey,	74.71—	77.58
John V. Morgan,	76.63—	79.50
Joseph V. Morgan,	74.71—	77.58
John G. Moriarty,	76.63—	79.50
Leo E. Morin (First Engineer),	87.36—	90.23
Joseph F. Morris,	74.71—	77.58
James J. Morrison,	74.71—	77.58
John M. Morrissey,	74.71—	77.58
Richard H. Morrissey,	74.71—	77.58
Raymond P. Morse,	74.71—	77.58
Alvah G. Moseley,	74.71—	77.58
Daniel W. Moynihan,	74.71—	77.58
Francis J. Muldoon (Aide to Chaplain),	78.54—	81.41
James H. Mullane,	76.63—	79.50
Patrick F. Mullane,	79.69—	82.56
Donald R. Mullen,	74.71—	77.58
George J. Mullen,	76.63—	79.50
John J. Mullen,	74.71—	77.58
John R. Mullen,	74.71—	77.58
Martin H. Mullen,	74.71—	77.58
Ralph L. Mullen,	76.63—	79.50
William J. Mullen,	76.63—	79.50
John G. Mullins,	74.71—	77.58
Albert J. Munichiello,	76.63—	79.50
Frank J. Murano,	67.82—	70.69
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George E. Murphy,	74.71—	77.58
Gerald E. Murphy,	74.71—	77.58
Gerard D. Murphy,	76.63—	79.50
James F. Murphy,	74.71—	77.58
John C. Murphy,	76.63—	79.50
John J. Murphy,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph H. Murphy (Second Engineer),	80.16—	83.33
Joseph W. Murphy,	76.63—	79.50
Paul J. Murphy,	74.71—	77.58
Philip J. Murphy,	76.63—	79.50
Richard F. Murphy,	74.71—	77.58
Robert F. Murphy,	74.71—	77.58
William T. Murphy, Jr.,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph L. Murray,	74.71—	77.58
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Joseph P. Murray,	74.71—	77.58
Paul T. Murray,	74.71—	77.58
William G. Murray,	76.63—	79.50
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Leo M. Myott,	74.71—	77.58
Lawrence J. McAdams (First Engineer),	80.16—	83.33
Francis T. McAlpine,	67.82—	70.69
Hugh J. McArdle,	79.69—	82.56
Francis P. McCabe,	76.63—	79.50
George J. McCabe,	74.71—	77.58
John P. McCabe,	74.71—	77.58
George F. McCafferty,	67.82—	70.69
Charles E. McCarthy,	74.71—	77.58
Charles J. McCarthy,	76.63—	79.50
Cornelius A. McCarthy,	76.63—	79.50
Edward F. McCarthy,	70.69—	73.56
Francis J. McCarthy,	74.71—	77.58
Francis P. McCarthy (Second Engineer),	80.16—	83.33
James P. McCarthy,	79.69—	82.56
Jeremiah A. McCarthy,	79.69—	82.56
John F. McCarthy,	74.71—	77.58
John J. McCarthy,	76.63—	79.50
John J. McCarthy,	74.71—	77.58
John J. McCarthy,	74.71—	77.58
Michael E. McCarthy,	74.71—	77.58
Paul V. McCarthy,	74.71—	77.58
William S. McCarthy (Eng., Motor Squad),	78.54—	81.41
Joseph H. McCauley, Jr.,	74.71—	77.58
Frederick W. McClennan,	74.71—	77.58
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George McCloskey,	74.71—	77.58
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Henry F. McCormick,	76.63—	79.50
John J. McCrackin (Apparatus Operator),	81.60—	84.47
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Francis X. McDonnell,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph F. McDonnell (Master),	84.29—	87.16
Charles F. McDonough,	74.71—	77.58
Francis H. McDonough,	74.71—	77.58
James F. McDonough,	74.71—	77.58
John J. McDonough,	74.71—	77.58
Raymond M. McDonough,	74.71—	77.58
Stephen J. McDonough,	74.71—	77.58
Daniel L. McDougall,	74.71—	77.58
Bernard McEachern,	74.71—	77.58
Gerald J. McEachern,	74.71—	77.58
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James F. McEleney,	74.71—	77.58
Edward J. McGah,	76.63—	79.50
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Francis C. McGerity,	74.71—	77.58
Robert D. McGilveary,	74.71—	77.58
George V. McGilvery,	$74.71—	$77.58
Richard J. McGinn,	70.69—	73.56
John J. McGinnis,	70.69—	73.56
William F. McGoldrick,	76.63—	79.50
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Terence J. McGonagle,	74.71—	77.58
Francis A. McGowan,	74.71—	77.58
George E. McGowan,	74.71—	77.58
Paul J. McGowan,	74.71—	77.58
Timothy J. McGowan,	67.82—	70.69
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James L. McGrath,	74.71—	77.58
James L. McGrath,	74.71—	77.58
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William J. McGrath,	74.71—	77.58
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John F. McGuire,	74.71—	77.58
John G. McGuire,	74.71—	77.58
John J. McHugh, Jr.,	74.71—	77.58
William D. McHugh,	70.69—	73.56
Daniel T. McInness (Aide to Dep. Fire Chief),	78.54—	81.41
John T. McInness,	74.71—	77.58
Frank C. McKenna,	79.69—	82.56
John J. McKenna,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph D. McKeown,	76.63—	79.50
James J. McKernan,	74.71—	77.58
David J. McKinnon,	74.71—	77.58
Albert R. McLaughlin,	76.63—	79.50
Alfred M. McLaughlin,	74.71—	77.58
Francis X. McLaughlin,	74.71—	77.58
James F. McLaughlin,	76.63—	79.50
John C. McLaughlin,	76.63—	79.50
John J. McLaughlin,	74.71—	77.58
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John P. McLaughlin,	76.63—	79.50
John P. McLaughlin,	74.71—	77.58
Louis M. McLaughlin,	74.71—	77.58
Paul D. McLaughlin,	74.71—	77.58
Allan G. McLean (Master),	84.29—	87.16
Edward F. McLeod,	74.71—	77.58
Bernard D. McMahon,	74.71—	77.58
James F. McMahon,	74.71—	77.58
William J. McMahon (Second Engineer),	78.54—	81.41
Francis T. McManus,	74.71—	77.58
Edmund F. McMillan,	67.82—	70.69
Charles P. McNally,	74.71—	77.58
John T. McNamara,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph B. McNamara,	74.71—	77.58
William V. McNamara (First Engineer),	82.38—	85.25
Joseph J. McNeil,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph P. T. McNeil,	76.63—	79.50
William F. McNulty,	76.63—	79.50
James G. McPherson (Oil Burner Inspector),	74.71—	77.58
Joseph L. McPherson,	74.71—	77.58
John J. McSweeney,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph L. Nania,	70.69—	73.56
Charles M. Nassif,	76.63—	79.50
William F. Nasta,	74.71—	77.58
Michael J. Nee,	74.71—	77.58
Thomas W. Nee,	74.71—	77.58
John E. Nelson,	74.71—	77.58
Robert W. Nelson,	74.71—	77.58
Julius G. Nemes,	74.71—	77.58
Donald G. Newell,	74.71—	77.58
Robert F. Newell,	74.71—	77.58
William F. Newman,	74.71—	77.58
Harry I. F. Nichol,	74.71—	77.58
Michael J. Nichol,	74.71—	77.58
Matthew Nihill,	76.63—	79.50
Edward B. Nolan,	79.69—	82.56
Paul V. Nolan,	74.71—	77.58
Robert D. Nolan,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph F. Noonan (Aide to Dep. Fire Chief),	78.54—	81.41
George N. Norris,	74.71—	77.58
Edward J. Norton,	74.71—	77.58
Andrew E. O'Brien,	74.71—	77.58
Charles F. O'Brien,	74.71—	77.58
Charles H. O'Brien,	79.69—	82.56
Daniel J. O'Brien, Jr.,	$74.71—	$77.58
Hugh F. O'Brien,	74.71—	77.58
James F. O'Brien,	74.71—	77.58
John F. O'Brien,	74.71—	77.58
John J. O'Brien,	76.63—	79.50
Joseph T. O'Brien,	74.71—	77.58
Martin J. O'Brien,	74.71—	77.58
Paul J. O'Brien,	74.71—	77.58
Richard T. O'Brien,	74.71—	77.58
Timothy M. O'Brien,	74.71—	77.58
William J. O'Brien,	67.82—	70.69
Raymond F. Ochs,	74.71—	77.58
Thomas P. O'Connell,	74.71—	77.58
Bernard L. O'Connor,	74.71—	77.58
John B. O'Connor,	74.71—	77.58
William A. O'Connor,	76.63—	79.50
William E. O'Connor,	74.71—	77.58
Eugene E. O'Donnell (Master),	84.29—	87.16
George J. O'Donnell,	74.71—	77.58
John J. O'Donnell,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph R. O'Donnell,	79.69—	82.56
Joseph V. O'Donnell, Jr.,	74.71—	77.58
Michael J. O'Donnell,	74.71—	77.58
Philip P. O'Donnell,	74.71—	77.58
Thomas F. O'Gara,	74.71—	77.58
Edward J. O'Gorman,	79.69—	82.56
James J. O'Gorman,	74.71—	77.58
John T. O'Halloran,	74.71—	77.58
John O'Hanlon (Second Engineer),	78.54—	81.41
Walter E. O'Hearn,	74.71—	77.58
John R. O'Kane,	74.71—	77.58
Arthur L. O'Keefe,	74.71—	77.58
Francis G. O'Keefe,	74.71—	77.58
John F. O'Keefe,	76.63—	79.50
Thomas P. O'Keefe,	74.71—	77.58
Robert D. O'Lalor,	74.71—	77.58
Frank P. Oldakowski,	74.71—	77.58
James A. O'Leary,	79.69—	82.56
Thomas J. O'Loughlin,	74.71—	77.58
John P. O'Malley,	74.71—	77.58
Edward J. O'Mara,	74.71—	77.58
Eugene F. O'Neil (Apparatus Operator),	81.60—	84.47
Francis P. O'Neil (Eng., Motor Squad),	78.54—	81.41
Joseph A. O'Neil,	76.63—	79.50
Joseph G. O'Neil,	76.63—	79.50
Thomas H. O'Neil,	74.71—	77.58
James J. O'Neill,	74.71—	77.58
John H. O'Neill,	74.71—	77.58
Robert D. O'Neill,	74.71—	77.58
Timothy J. O'Reilly,	76.63—	79.50
Bernard A. O'Rourke,	74.71—	77.58
Mathew J. Oskinis (Eng. in Charge, High Pressure),	93.10—	95.97
John M. Osmun,	74.71—	77.58
Steven H. Ostis,	74.71—	77.58
Edward J. O'Toole,	74.71—	77.58
Martin R. O'Toole,	74.71—	77.58
Patrick F. O'Toole,	74.71—	77.58
Thomas M. O'Toole,	67.82—	70.69
Joseph J. Otto,	76.63—	79.50
Chester D. Ovesen,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph F. O'Rourke,	74.71—	77.58
Raymond P. Owens,	74.71—	77.58
James J. Pagliuca,	76.63—	79.50
Alec J. Panasuk,	74.71—	77.58
Gaspare G. Panciocco,	74.71—	77.58
Richard E. Pare,	82.56—	85.25
Charles J. Parenteau,	74.71—	77.58
Edward J. Paris,	74.71—	77.58
Walter E Paris, Jr,	74.71—	77.58
James W. Parks,	74.71—	77.58
Daniel J. Parma,	74.71—	77.58
Vincent J. Pascucci,	74.71—	77.58
Louis G. Paulino,	74.71—	77.58
Ernest M. Pecoraro,	74.71—	77.58
Anthony J. Peluso,	76.63—	79.50
Louis A. Pepper,	76.63—	79.50
Richard J. Pero,	74.71—	77.58
William E. Pero,	74.71—	77.58
Gennaro J. Petrillo,	74.71—	77.58

	From	To
Roy H. Phelan,	$76.63—	$79.50
Lloyd C. Phillips (Medal),	75.19—	78.06
Michael J. Piantedosi,	74.71—	77.58
Martin E. Pierce,	76.63—	79.50
Melzor T. Pietroski,	70.69—	73.56
John P. Pinchieri,	74.71—	77.58
Robert O. Pineo (Eng. in Charge, Motor Squad),	84.29—	87.16
Joseph F. Pishkin,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph L. Pisterino,	67.82—	70.69
Nelson J. Pitman,	74.71—	77.58
William F. Ploof,	74.71—	77.58
Frederick A. Poggie,	74.71—	77.58
Paul E. Porter,	74.71—	77.58
Albert N. Potter (Aide to Dep. Fire Chief),	83.52—	86.39
Wilfred R. Powell,	74.71—	77.58
John J. Power,	79.69—	82.56
Joseph L. Powers,	74.71—	77.58
Martin J. Powers,	74.71—	77.58
Robert J. Powers,	74.71—	77.58
William P. Powers,	67.82—	70.69
James T. Prendergast,	74.71—	77.58
Bernard F. Pritchard,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph A. Pucci,	76.63—	79.50
Frank A. Qualls,	76.63—	79.50
Cornelius P. Quinlan,	74.71—	77.58
Edward T. Quinlan,	74.71—	77.58
Richard J. Quinlan,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph M. Quinn,	76.63—	79.50
Thomas A. Radcliffe,	74.71—	77.58
William P. Radziewicz,	74.71—	77.58
Edward C. Radzik,	74.71—	77.58
Harold L. Ralston,	74.71—	77.58
Robert E. Randall,	76.63—	79.50
John D. Rattigan,	74.71—	77.58
George W. Ray, Jr.,	67.82—	70.69
Arthur J. Reardon,	79.69—	82.56
Francis G. Reardon,	74.71—	77.58
James F. Reardon,	74.71—	77.58
John J. Reardon,	76.63—	79.50
Joseph A. Reardon,	67.82—	70.69
Joseph J. Reardon,	74.71—	77.58
Paul B. Reardon,	76.63—	79.50
Thomas C. Reardon,	74.71—	77.58
William J. Reardon,	76.63—	79.50
William L. Reardon,	76.63—	79.50
John C. Reed,	74.71—	77.58
James D. Regan,	74.71—	77.58
James R. Regan,	74.71—	77.58
John F. Regan,	79.69—	82.56
John F. Regan,	74.71—	77.58
John F. Reilly,	74.71—	77.58
Arnold N. Reis,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph A. Ricci,	74.71—	77.58
Wilbert F. Rice,	74.71—	77.58
George E. Richards,	74.71—	77.58
James F. Riley,	74.71—	77.58
James F. Riley,	79.69—	82.56
Thomas C. Riley,	74.71—	77.58
Thomas J. Riley (Building Custodian),	89.27—	92.14
Joseph S. Ring,	79.69—	82.56
Edward B. Rist,	74.71—	77.58
David F. Ritchie,	74.71—	77.58
James M. Rizzo, (Second Engineer),	78.54—	81.41
Patrick J. Roache,	74.71—	77.58
William F. Roache,	74.71—	77.58
Arthur I. Roake,	79.69—	82.56
George A. Robbins, Jr.,	74.71—	77.58
John A. Robertson,	74.71—	77.58
John F. Robinson, Jr.,	74.71—	77.58
Gerald F. Roche,	74.71—	77.58
Anthony J. Rock,	74.71—	77.58
Edward T. Rock,	74.71—	77.58
John W. P. Rogers,	74.71—	77.58
Benjamin S. Roman,	74.71—	77.58
Edward D. Rooney, Jr. (Eng., Motor Squad),	78.54—	81.41
Joseph M. Roper (Eng., Motor Squad),	80.46—	83.33
Joseph F. Rorke, Jr.,	74.71—	77.58
Henry Rose,	74.71—	77.58
Herbert J. Rose,	74.71—	77.58
John J. Roust,	74.71—	77.58
George V. Rull,	67.82—	70.69
Leo F. Rusk,	74.71—	77.58
George C. Russell,	74.71—	77.58
Charles L. Ryan,	74.71—	77.58
George H. Ryan,	74.71—	77.58
James M. Ryan,	74.71—	77.58
Leo A. Ryan,	74.71—	77.58
Arthur C. Ryley,	74.71—	77.58
Henry D. Sacco,	76.63—	79.50
Henry E. Sacco,	76.63—	79.50
Richard P. Salerno,	74.71—	77.58
Ralph F. Sangas,	74.71—	77.58
Stephen S. Sangas,	76.63—	79.50
George W. Sangster, Jr.,	74.71—	77.58
Edward T. Saniuk,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph P. Saniuk,	74.71—	77.58
Biagio F. Sannizzaro,	74.71—	77.58
Frank M. Sanserverino,	74.71—	77.58
Renzo R. Santangelo,	74.71—	77.58
Michael C. Santoianni,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph M. Santoro,	74.71—	77.58
Albert F. Sargent,	74.71—	77.58
Clifford L. Sargent,	74.71—	77.58
Paul L. Saulnier,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph T. Savage (Eng., High Pressure),	83.52—	86.39
Robert E. Savage,	74.71—	77.58
William R. Savickas,	74.71—	77.58
Edward T. Scanlan (Second Engineer)	78.54—	81.41
Carl E. Schadhauser,	74.71—	77.58
Frank P. Schadhauser, Jr.,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph Schein (Apparatus Operator),	81.60—	84.47
Walter F. Schmidt,	76.63—	79.50
Henry J. Schneider,	74.71—	77.58
William F. Schneider,	74.71—	77.58
John J. Schofield,	74.71—	77.58
John F. Scott,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph F. Scott,	76.63—	79.50
Charles E. Seaboyer (Eng., Motor Squad),	78.54—	81.41
George T. Searles,	74.71—	77.58
Alfred R. Sears,	74.71—	77.58
Alfred R. Sears,	74.71—	77.58
John J. Sennett (Aide to Superintendent),	80.46—	83.33
Leo R. Sennett,	76.63—	79.50
Albert A. Serino,	74.71—	77.58
Anthony J. Serra,	74.71—	77.58
Henry J. Servent,	74.71—	77.58
James H. Sexton,	74.71—	77.58
Roland P. Sferrazza,	74.71—	77.58
John F. Shannon,	74.71—	77.58
Edmund J. Sharp, Jr.,	74.71—	77.58
Robert J. Shaughnessey,	74.71—	77.58
Harry C. Shea, Jr.,	74.71—	77.58
James P. Shea (Arson Inspector),	79.69—	82.56
James T. Shea,	74.71—	77.58
John G. Shea (Eng., Motor Squad),	80.46—	83.33
John H. Shea,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph A. Shea,	79.69—	82.56
Roger E. Shea (Eng., Motor Squad),	78.54—	81.41
John J. Sheedy,	67.82—	70.69
David F. Sheehan, Jr.,	76.63—	79.50
John D. Sheehan,	74.71—	77.58
James A. Sheehan,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph T. Sheehan,	76.63—	79.50
Michael E. Sheehan,	79.69—	82.56
Thomas Sheehan,	76.63—	79.50
Henry J. Sheridan, Jr.,	74.71—	77.58
Peter J. Sherlock, Jr.,	74.71—	77.58
Aidan J. Shields,	74.71—	77.58
David Shubert,	74.71—	77.58
Mitchell J. Sikora,	74.71—	77.58
Edward M. Simpson,	76.63—	79.50
Thomas Slattery,	67.82—	70.69
Thomas G. Slymen,	67.82—	70.69
Frank T. Small,	74.71—	77.58
Robert E. Small,	74.71—	77.58
Andrew V. Smith,	74.71—	77.58
Ernest C. Smith,	74.71—	77.58
Francis M. Smith,	76.63—	79.50
Fred I. Smith,	74.71—	77.58
George P. Smith,	74.71—	77.58
Wilbert L. Smith,	74.71—	77.58
Philip L. Smith,	74.71—	77.58
Robert W. Smith,	76.63—	79.50
Walter G. Smith,	74.71—	77.58
Walter J. Smith,	74.71—	77.58
Matthew R. Souza,	76.63—	79.50
Francis J. Spacco,	74.71—	77.58
Arthur P. Spacone,	74.71—	77.58
William W. Sparrow,	76.63—	79.50
Gerard D. Spear,	76.63—	79.50
Albert G. Spitz,	74.71—	77.58
William J. Spitz,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph P Spolidaro,	76.63—	79.50
William R. Sprague, Jr.,	74.71—	77.58
Philip E. Spruill,	74.71—	77.58
Camilo C. Squillante,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph C. Stanewick,	74.71—	77.58
Roy J. Stanley,	74.71—	77.58
George E. Stanton,	74.71—	77.58
Leo D. Stapleton,	74.71—	77.58
Walter E. Stearns,	74.71—	77.58
Frank B. Steele,	74.71—	77.58
Frederick H. Stetson,	74.71—	77.58
Charles C. Stevens,	74.71—	77.58
Francis J. Stevens,	74.71—	77.58
George J. Stewart,	74.71—	77.58
Walter J. Stewart,	76.63—	79.50
William E. Stewart,	79.69—	82.56
Richard F. Stirling,	74.71—	77.58
Ralph S. Stockbridge,	76.63—	79.50
Charles L. Stokinger,	70.69—	73.56
Walter L. Stoll,	76.63—	79.50
Frank J. Storey,	74.71—	77.58
William A. Stowe,	76.63—	79.50
Henry J. Strachan,	74.71—	77.58
Rodney W. Stratton,	74.71—	77.58
Bernard J. Sullivan,	74.71—	77.58
Daniel A. Sullivan,	74.71—	77.58
Daniel G. Sullivan,	74.71—	77.58
Edward J. Sullivan,	74.71—	77.58
Edward L. Sullivan,	76.63—	79.50
Francis C. Sullivan,	76.63—	79.50
Francis P. Sullivan,	74.71—	77.58
Frank A. Sullivan,	74.71—	77.58
John C. Sullivan,	74.71—	77.58
John J. Sullivan,	74.71—	77.58
John M. Sullivan,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph W. Sullivan,	76.63—	79.50
Thomas G. Sullivan,	76.63—	79.50
Timothy F. Sullivan,	74.71—	77.58
Walter A. Sullivan (Aide to Chief),	84.29—	87.16
Walter P. Sullivan,	67.82—	70.69
William G. Sullivan,	74.71—	77.58
James M. Sutton,	74.71—	77.58
Julius C. Sutton,	74.71—	77.58
Calvin W. Sweeney,	70.69—	73.56
Edward J. Sweeney,	74.71—	77.58
Hugo C. Sweeney,	74.71—	77.58
Robert H. Sweeney,	67.82—	70.69
William F. Sweeney,	79.69—	82.56
William J. Sweeney, Jr.,	74.71—	77.58
William A. Tassinari,	74.71—	77.58
William R. Tehan,	74.71—	77.58
Albert Templeton,	74.71—	77.58
Alwin J. Thibeault,	76.63—	79.50
Frederick W. Thomas,	74.71—	77.58
Ernest C. Thompson,	74.71—	77.58
Francis X. Thompson,	76.63—	79.50
George E. Thompson,	74.71—	77.58
John G. Thompson,	67.82—	70.69
John V. Thompson,	74.71—	77.58
Leo R. Thompson,	76.63—	79.50
Richard R. Thompson,	74.71—	77.58
Paul N. Thoreson,	74.71—	77.58
Joseph P. Thornton,	74.71—	77.58
Walter F. Thurston,	76.63—	79.50
Francis P. Tierney,	74.71—	77.58
William F. Timmins,	74.71—	77.58

	From	To
Alfred P. Toner (Apparatus Operator),	$81.60	$84.47
Donald F. Toomey,	74.71	77.58
Louis S. Toscano,	74.71	77.58
William F. Tracy (Eng. High Pressure),	83.52	86.30
Leo P. Trainor,	74.71	77.58
John J. Trementozzi,	67.82	70.69
John J. Tretter,	76.63	79.50
Gordon A. Trezzi,	74.71	77.58
William H. Tripp,	67.82	70.69
John Trischittz,	76.63	79.50
Francis J. Troy,	74.71	77.58
Jeremiah P. Twomey,	74.71	77.58
Peter A. Umile,	76.63	79.50
Edward T. Upton,	74.71	77.58
Melvin F. Upton,	74.71	77.58
Frank E. Utley,	76.63	79.50
John P. Vahey,	74.71	77.58
John P. Vaughan,	74.71	77.58
Frank M. Vecchry,	74.71	77.58
Victor C. Vecchio,	74.71	77.58
Francis W. Veino,	74.71	77.58
Guy J. Vicini,	76.63	79.50
Dominic R. Vitale,	76.63	79.50
Walter C. Vitt,	74.71	77.58
Charles N. Vogel,	76.63	79.50
Joseph F. Vogel,	74.71	77.58
Nicholas Vogel, Jr.,	79.69	82.56
Reginald E. Vyse,	79.69	82.56
George M. Wade,	74.71	77.58
Robert K. Waggett,	74.71	77.58
John J. Waldron,	74.71	77.58
Thomas H. Waldron,	74.71	77.58
George V. Walker,	74.71	77.58
Chester I. Wall (First Engineer),	80.46	83.33
James Wall (Mot. App. Engineer),	127.59	130.46
Coleman F. Wallace,	74.71	77.58
James Wallace,	74.71	77.58
John P. Wallace,	74.71	77.58
Frederick F. Walsh,	74.71	77.58
Frederick J. Walsh,	74.71	77.58
James F. Walsh,	67.82	70.69
James M. Walsh,	74.71	77.58
James P. Walsh,	76.63	79.50
John J. Walsh (Eng., Motor Squad),	78.54	81.41
Richard A. Walsh,	74.71	77.58
Richard F. Walsh,	74.71	77.58
Robert W. Walsh,	76.63	79.50
Thomas J. Walsh,	74.71	77.58
Thomas V. Walsh (Master),	84.29	87.16
Timothy J. Walsh (Aide to Dep. Fire Chief),	78.54	81.41
William E. Walsh,	74.71	77.58
William J. Walsh, Jr.,	74.71	77.58
Francis J. Walton,	76.63	79.50
Gerard F. Walton (Second Engineer),	78.54	81.41
Paul D. Walton,	74.71	77.58
John P. Ward,	74.71	77.58
Daniel N. Watson,	74.71	77.58
George F. Weadick,	74.71	77.58
George W. Welch,	74.71	77.58
John Weremey,	79.69	82.56
Lawrence W. Westholm,	74.71	77.58
Thomas Whalen,	70.69	73.56
Walter F. Whelan,	74.71	77.58
Herbert F. White,	74.71	77.58
John F. White,	74.71	77.58
John F. White,	74.71	77.58
Lawrence T. White,	74.71	77.58
Ralph E. White,	74.71	77.58
Woodrow F. White,	74.71	77.58
William J. Wiegand, Jr.,	76.63	79.50
Francis A. Williams, Jr.,	74.71	77.58
Frank E. Williams, Jr.,	74.71	77.58
John C. Williams,	76.63	79.50
Joseph R. Williams,	74.71	77.58
Michael F. Williams,	74.71	77.58
Charles Wilson,	76.63	79.50
Edward J. Wilson,	74.71	77.58
William J. Winn,	79.69	82.56
Gerard G. Wood,	$74.71	$77.58
Horace E. Wood,	79.69	82.56
Bernard F. Woods,	67.82	70.69
Joseph B. Woods,	74.71	77.58
William H. Woods,	74.71	77.58
Arthur J. Wright (Aide to Chief),	87.36	90.23
Edward E. Wright,	74.71	77.58
William F. Wright,	74.71	77.58
Harold J. Yandle,	74.71	77.58
William L. Young, Jr.,	74.71	77.58
Arthur W. Zahn,	74.71	77.58
Joseph A. Dantona,	67.82	70.69
Acacio J. Gazo,	67.82	70.69
Arthur J. Howard,	67.82	70.69
John J. Handren,	67.82	70.69
Paul J. Lambrecht,	67.82	70.69
Frank J. Marcella,	67.82	70.69
John G. Monteiro,	67.82	70.69
James E. Munzert,	67.82	70.69
Leo J. Souza,	67.82	70.69
Robert P. Sullivan,	67.82	70.69
Arthur M. Turk,	67.82	70.69

VETERANS' RETIREMENTS.

The Mayor has approved the following veterans' applications for retirements:

Michael Kaczka, 101 Lawrence avenue, Dorchester, laborer, Public Works Department.

Harry Dobkin (also known as Aaron Dobkin), 16 Sonoma street, Roxbury, laborer-watchman, Public Works Department.

William H. Meanix, 44 Halifax street, Jamaica Plain, master, English High School.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award the contracts for work, materials, and supplies, in accordance with recommendations of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Purchasing Division.

Upon August 16 the Mayor approved a contract with U. S. Hoffman Machinery Corporation and the American Laundry Machinery Company for furnishing laundry equipment to the various city departments. The contract for Items 1 and 2 has been awarded to the U. S. Hoffman Machinery Corporation, the lowest acceptable bidder, at the prices indicated on the accompanying tabulation. The bid of the American Laundry Machinery Company, who was the lowest acceptable bidder on Item 3, was irregular owing to the fact that both copies of their bid were filed late. Authority has been given to reject all bids on this item and award a contract without public advertisement, to the American Laundry Machinery Company. All bids received on Item 4 have been rejected. Approximate total amounts of contracts will be as follows:

U. S. Hoffman Machinery Corporation, $9,720, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; American Laundry Machinery Company, $30,660, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids, were opened June 29, as follows:

Requisition No. 21.

Item 1. 1 Only, Sager, Model A, or Equal, Spreader for 120-Inch Hoffman Mangle.—American Laundry Machinery Company, $3,395; Troy Laundry Machinery Division, American Machine and Metals, Inc., $3,420; U. S. Hoffman Machinery Corporation, $3,165.*

Requisition No. 32.

Item 2. 1 Only, 72-Inch Purkett, or Equal Predrying Conditioning Tumbler, with Loader Truck and Hoist, 115V, D.C.—American Laundry Machinery Company, $6,555; Henrici Laundry Machinery Company, $6,395†; Troy Laundry Machinery Division, American Machine and Metals, Inc., $6,576; U. S. Hoffman Machinery Corporation, $6,555.*

Requisition No. 7847.

Item 3. 3 Only, 42-Inch x 84-Inch American, or Equal, Two-Compartment Unloading Washwheels, as Per Specifications.—Bids rejected.

Requisition No. 604.

1 Only, 54-Inch Unloading Type Extractor, Including One Set of Inner Containers, Jib Crane, and Hoist, and Cost of Complete Installation, in Accordance with the Specifications.—Bids rejected.

Make and Model Bid Upon.—American Laundry Machinery Company, Item 1, Sager Spreader Model "A," Item 2, Purkett 72-Inch Predrying Conditioning Tumbler; Henrici Laundry Machinery Company, Item 2, 72-Inch Purkett; Troy Laundry Machinery, Item 1, Model "A" Sager Spreader, Item 2, Purkett Shake-out Tumbler; U. S. Hoffman Machinery Corporation, Item 1, Sager "A", Item 2, Purkett 72-Inch Predrying Conditioning Tumbler.

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order:—American Laundry Machinery Company, Items 1 and 2, 30 days; Henrici Laundry Machinery Company, Item 2 approximately 60 days; Troy Laundry Machinery, Items 1 and 2, 60 days; U. S. Hoffman Machinery Corporation, 35 to 45 days.

Discount.—American Laundry Machinery Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Troy Laundry Machinery, net, 30 days; U. S. Hoffman Machinery Corporation, 2 per cent, time of payment; Henrici Laundry Machinery Company, net, 30 days.

Remarks.—American Laundry Machinery Company, bid received late at both Purchasing and Auditor, if awarded entire contract, $46,561; Troy Laundry Machinery, *see* letter attached.

* Contract awarded.

† Our bid entered with the condition that the Institution will remove the large metal window now at the Starch Cooker in order that we may deliver the machine assembled. It is also understood that after we complete the delivery, the city will replace the window. Cost of removal and replacement of window to be absorbed by the city.

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Upon September 23 the Mayor approved a contract with lowest bidders as indicated for furnishing soap to the various city departments from October 1, 1955, to December 31, 1955, inclusive. No satisfactory prices were received on Items 1, 5, and 7. All bids on these items were rejected and they will be purchased at a later date when and where available. Approximate total amounts of contracts were as follows:

Swift & Co., $1,341.96, net; Acme Soap Company, $1,028.50, less 1 per cent discount, 10 days.

Bids, opened September 8, were as follows:

Soap.

Item 1. 150 Barrels Soap Powder, 200-Pound Barrels, Per Pound.—Bids rejected.

Item 2. 100 Cases Soap Powder, 15/18 Per Cent Soap, Per Pound.—Swift & Co., $2.38 per case.*

Item 3. 110 Bags Soap Chips, 110 Pounds, Per Pound.—Acme Soap Com-

pany, 8½ cents*; Colgate-Palmolive Company, 9.27 cents; Swift & Co., 9.46 cents.

Item 4. 110 Cases Laundry Soap, 120/8-Ounce, Per Pound.—Colgate-Palmolive Company, 7.83 cents, $4.70 per case; Swift & Co., $4.49 per case.*

Item 5. 220 Cases White Floating Soap, Unwrapped, 200/3-ounce.—Bids rejected.

Item 6. 25 Cases White Floating Soap, 1,000/½-Ounce, Unwrapped, Per Pound.—Colgate-Palmolive Company, $10.04 per case; Swift & Co., 24.84 cents, wire cut, (exemption certificate required to cover coco oil, subject to acceptance by September 19, 1955).

Item 7. 330 Gallons Antiseptic, 55 Gallons, As Per Specifications.—Bids rejected.

Item 8. 495 Gallons Liquid Hand Soap, As Per Specifications, Per Gallon.—Swift & Co., 78 cents (36 per cent), Anhydrous.

Discount.—Acme Soap Company, 1 per cent, 10 days; Colgate-Palmolive Company, net cash; Swift & Co., net, no discount.

Remarks.—Acme Soap Company, no check at Purchasing, check at Auditor's; Colgate-Palmolive Company, both copies at Purchasing Division, price quoted on white floating soap does not include 19 cents per case federal oil processing tax, such federal tax will be added to quoted price at time of invoicing unless exemption certificate is furnished with the order and it is established to the satisfaction of the Director of Internal Revenue that stated articles are purchased for use in the exercise of essential governmental functions, by state or political subdivisions thereof.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon September 23 the Mayor approved a contract with low bidders for furnishing snowplow parts to the Sanitary Division of the Public Works Department. Approximate total amounts of awards were as follows:

Contract for E. W. Systrom, doing business as E. W. Systrom Company, $2,183.20, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Orders for Walsh Holyoke Division, Continental Copper & Steel Industries, Inc., $930, net, 30 days; Charles H. Wood, doing business as Charles N. Wood Company, $354.70, net; Anderson Engineering Company, $338, net.

Bids, opened September 14, were as follows:

Snowplow Parts.

Requisitions No. 238 and No. 240.

Item 1. 12 8-Inch Caster Wheels, Each.—Anderson Engineering Company, $19; E. W. Systrom Company, $15; Walsh Holyoke Division, Continental Copper & Steel Industries, Inc., $13.45.*

Item 2. 24 Axle Pins for 8-Inch Caster Wheels, Each.—Anderson Engineering Company, $1.40; E. W. Systrom Company, $2; Walsh Holyoke Division, Continental Copper & Steel Industries, Inc., 90 cents.*

Item 3. 24 "U"s, As Per Sample, Each.—Anderson Engineering Company, $3.35; E. W. Systrom Company, $3; Walsh Holyoke Division, Continental Copper & Steel Industries, Inc., $2.75.*

Item 4. 12 Semicircles, As Per Sample, Each.—Anderson Engineering Company, $252; E. W. Systrom Company, $154*; Walsh Holyoke Division, Continental Copper & Steel Industries, Inc., $217.

Item 5. 12 Heavy-Duty Axle Assemblies, As Per Sample, Each.—Anderson Engineering Company, $40; E. W. Systrom Company, $35; Walsh Holyoke Division, Continental Copper & Steel Industries, Inc., $25.75.*

Item 6. 6 4-Foot Push Frames, As Per Sample, Each.—Anderson Engineering Company, $90; E. W. Systrom Company, $65; Walsh Holyoke Division, Continental Copper & Steel Industries, Inc., $62*.

Requisition No. 239.

Item 7. 6 No. V-4659 Caster Wheel Assemblies, Each.—Anderson Engineering Company, $22; E. W. Systrom Company, $19.*

Item 8. 24 12-Foot Hydraulic Hoses with ¼-Inch Male Fittings on Each End, Each.—Anderson Engineering Company, $9; E. W. Systrom Company, $11; Charles N. Wood Company, $6.90.*

Item 9. 24 9-Foot Hydraulic Hoses with ¼-Inch Male Fittings on Each End, Each.—Anderson Engineering Company, $8.50; E. W. Systrom Company, $8; Charles N. Wood Company, $5.35.*

Item 10. 24 Adjusting Handles, Each.—Anderson Engineering Company, $2.40; E. W. Systrom Company, $1.50.*

Item 11. 100 ½-Inch Plow Blade Bolts, Each.—Anderson Engineering Company, 8 cents*; E. W. Systrom Company, 12 cents.

Item 12. 6 Rebound Trip Springs Assemblies, Each.—Anderson Engineering Company, $28*; E. W. Systrom Company, $35.

Item 13. 4 Caster Wheel Assemblies, Each.—Anderson Engineering Company, $18*; E. W. Systrom Company, $19.

Item 14. 2 Hydraulic Rams, Each.—Anderson Engineering Company, $26.60; E. W. Systrom Company, $18.*

Item 15. 2 Hydraulic Pumps, Each.—Anderson Engineering Company, $51; E. W. Systrom Company, $26.*

Item 16. 2 Hydraulic Rams, Each.—Anderson Engineering Company, $34.50; E. W. Systrom Company, $18.*

Item 17. 2 Hydraulic Pumps, Each.—Anderson Engineering Company, $51; E. W. Systrom Company, $27.*

Item 18. 10 9-Foot Hydraulic Hoses with Fittings, Each.—Anderson Engineering Company, $8.50; E. W. Systrom Company, $8; Charles N. Wood Company, $5.35.*

Item 19. 24 Hydraulic Couplings with Swivels, Each.—Anderson Engineering Company, 65 cents; E. W. Systrom Company, 75 cents; Charles N. Wood Company, 30 cents.*

Item 20. 100 ⅝-Inch Plow Blade Bolts, Each.—Anderson Engineering Company, 14 cents*; E. W. Systrom Company, 20 cents.

Item 21. 24 Missing Links, ⅜-Inch, Each.—Anderson Engineering Company, 32 cents; E. W. Systrom Company, 30 cents.*

Item 22. 4 Caster Wheel Assemblies (Less Bolts), Each.—Anderson Engineering Company, $19*; E. W. Systrom Company, $40.

Discount.—Anderson Engineering Company, less lot price discount of 20 per cent; E. W. Systrom Company, 2 per cent; Walsh Holyoke Division, Continental Copper & Steel Industries, Inc., net, 30 days; Charles N. Wood Company, no cash discount.

Best Guaranteed Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—Anderson Engineering Company, all items promptly from stock; E. W. Systrom Company, in stock; Walsh Holyoke Division, Continental Copper & Steel Industries, Inc., Items 1, 4, and 6, 30 days, other items, from stock; Charles N. Wood Company, 10 days.

Remarks.—Anderson Engineering Company, total price, $5,768.08, less lot price discount of 20 per cent, $1,153.62, net lot price, $4,614.46; Charles N. Wood Company, prices are f.o.b., Watertown stock, on Item 19, we quote on No.961, ¼-inch swivel female x ¼-inch male adapter union for end of 9-foot hydraulic hose.

* Contract awarded.

Department of School Buildings.

Upon September 29 the Mayor approved a contract with Rossano Construction Company, Inc., for alterations at the Girl's High School.

Bids, opened September 26, were as follows:

Rossano Construction Company, Inc., $3,757; John F. Hynes, Inc., $3,783; M. Solimando, $4,639; Schwamb Construction Corporation, $4,676; Federal Contracting Company, Inc., $4,985; L. J. Banda, $5,291; D. Antonellio, Inc., $5,434; Martin T. Casby, $6,200.

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Upon September 29 the Mayor approved a contract with Rossano Construction Company, Inc., for new kindergarten at the Bunker Hill School.

Bids opened September 26, were as follows:

Rossano Construction Company, Inc., $2,969; Federal Contracting Company, Inc., $3,398; John F. Hynes, Inc., $3,780; Martin T. Casby, $4,476; Schwamb Construction Corporation, $4,890; M. Solimando, $5,224; D. Antonellis, Inc., $5,490

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Upon October 4, the Mayor approved a contract with R. Tweed & Son for interior painting at the South Boston High School. Bids, opened October 4, were as follows:

R. Tweed & Son, $4,223; R & F Painting Company, $4,300; Kabot Painting Company, Inc., $4,760; Joseph G. Gazzola, Inc., $4,782; H. Piken & Co., $4,990; Max Cahn, $5,100; Nicholas Bello, $5,180; D. M. McCartin Company, $5,333; John H. Kennedy & Co., Inc., $6,432.

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Upon October 4 the Mayor approved a contract with Addressograph-Multigraph Corporation for furnishing and delivering a duplicator machine (standard offset process) to the Boston Trade High School. Bid, opened September 26, as follows:

Addressograph - Multigraph Corporation, $2,479.90.

Hospital Department.

Sanatorium Division.

Upon October 4 the Mayor approved a contract with Thompson-Winchester Company, Inc., for fabrication and installation of furnishings and the delivery and installation of equipment for the nurses' and employees' eafeterias at the Sanatorium Division. Bids, opened September 28, as follows:

The McDonald Company, $12,887; Thompson-Winchester Company, Inc., $9,149.50.

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Upon October 4 the Mayor approved a contract with John F. Shea Company, Inc., for resurfacing the main roof of "B" Building and passageway roofs between "A" and "B" Buildings at the Sanatorium Division. Bids opened September 21, were as follows:

Burgess & Blaeher Company, $5,725; John F. Shea Company, Inc., $4,717.

Real Property Department.

Upon October 4 the Mayor approved a contract with Burgess & Blacher for roofing and metal work at the Hyde Park Municipal Building, Hyde Park. Bids, opened September 27, were as follows:

Werner Construction Company, $1,195; Burgess & Blacher, $1,335; J. F. Shea Company, $4,919; John J. Hourihan, $7,173.

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Upon October 4 the Mayor approved a contract with J. F. Shea Company for roofing and metal work at the South Boston Municipal Building, South Boston. Bids, opened September 27, were as follows:

J. F. Shea Company, $2,512; H. A. Smith Company, $2,841; Burgess & Blacher, $3,050; Werner Construction Company, $3,495; John J. Hourihan, $3,686.

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Upon October 4 the Mayor approved a contract with Burgess & Blacher for roofing and metal work at the J. J. Williams Municipal Building, Shawmut avenue, Boston. Bids, opened September 27, were as follows:

Burgess & Blacher, $5,125; J. F. Shea Company, $5,173; John J. Hourihan, $6,337; Werner Construction Company, $6,595.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

Upon varying dates as indicated the Mayor approved contracts with commercial houses, contractors, and business organizations for furnishing labor, supplies, etc. Communications from heads of the departments interested were as follows:

Administrative Services Department.
Purchasing Division.

Boston, September 6, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

On July 27, 1955, bids for automotive equipment were publicly opened and read in this office.

On September 13, 1955, your Honor approved a letter of award for items on that bid with the exception of Items 25 and 31, which were to be awarded at a later date.

Authority is now requested to award a contract to the R. G. Hearn Company, Inc., 363 Albany street, Boston, Mass., for Item 31, calling for three rotary type air compressors, skid mounted, as per specifications. The R. G. Hearn Company, Inc., is the lowest acceptable bidder at a total delivered price of $8,820, after deducting $75 for three used units.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $8,820, less discount of $29.65 each unit.

Respectfully yours,

John V. Moran,
Purchasing Agent.

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Boston, September 23, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

On August 24, 1955, your Honor approved a letter to award contracts to several companies for office and hospital furniture, on which bids were publicly opened and read in this office on June 29, 1955. Item 4 on this bid was not awarded at that time inasmuch as it was expected that this item would be purchased from Massachusetts Prison Commission. However, it has now been determined that Item 4 calling for 200 No. 1778-14 smoking room chairs, will not be purchased from this source.

It is now requested that permission be granted me to award a contract for this Item 4 to S. M. Levin Company, the lowest bidder on the publicly opened bid for office and hospital furniture on June 29, 1955.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $3,460, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Respectfully yours,

John V. Moran,
Purchasing Agent.

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Boston, September 26, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

This office is in receipt of several requisitions for rugs for Long Island Hospital Division. A representative from Long Island Hospital visited several companies to make selections. The rugs offered by the company of William E. Tully, doing business as William E. Tully & Son, were most satisfactory and best suited for use by Long Island Hospital Division.

Inasmuch as these rugs must be individually selected and inasmuch as this type of merchandise cannot be properly purchased by publicly advertising for prices, authority is requested to dispense with public advertisement and award a contract, without public advertisement, to William E. Tully, doing business as William E. Tully & Son, for seven rugs, 9 feet by 12 feet, at $131 each, and forty-five rugs, 27 inches by 54 inches, at $6.50 each, all as per specifications to be included in the contract and as selected by Long Island Hospital Division.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $1,230.50, net.

Respectfully yours,

John V. Moran,
Purchasing Agent.

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Boston, September 28, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

This office is in receipt of a requisition No. 8458, from the Boston City Hospital for two sterilizers and another requisition, No. 46, from Long Island Hospital Division for one Sisk urological table, as manufactured by American Sterilizer Company.

Inasmuch as the above equipment is manufactured and sold direct by the American Sterilizer Company only, it is my opinion that no advantage would be gained by publicly advertising for bids.

Authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to American Sterilizer Company for two rectangular sterilizers at $5,515 each and one Sisk urological table at $2,388 for Long Island Hospital Division, as per specifications to be included in the contract.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $13,418, net.

Respectfully yours,

John V. Moran,
Purchasing Agent.

Boston, September 29, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

This office is in receipt of requisitions from the Fire Department for the immediate delivery of parts for Gamewell fire alarm equipment to the Fire Alarm Shop. Inasmuch as these parts are manufactured by the Gamewell Company and are only obtainable from this company, it is my opinion that no advantage could be gained by publicly advertising for prices.

Authority is therefore requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to Gamewell Company for the following: Twenty only No. 6210 fire alarm tappers, M-1008-2, at $37.50 each; four only No. 5502 Gamewell fire alarm rectifiers, at $118 each.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $1,222, net.

Respectfully yours,

John V. Moran,
Purchasing Agent.

Department of School Buildings.

Boston, September 28, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

Due to the receipt of an unprecedented number of requisitions for trucking school building furniture and furnishings from building to building since April 1 of this year, as compared to previous years, I find that the amount of monies contracted for with Rodgers Motor Lines of Boston, Inc., 57 Wachusetts street, Jamaica Plain, for the trucking work is not sufficient to pay for the unanticipated increase in the volume of such work.

The increase in the volume of trucking work has been occasioned by the closing and the change in status of a number of school buildings, principally the establishment of Girls' Latin School in the building formerly occupied and recognized as Dorchester High for Girls and the establishment of a storage warehouse in the building formerly known as Girls' High School on West Newton street, all this involving changes in furniture to satisfy newly established conditions. Hence the following request:

That the advertised contract for trucking, negotiated by this department with Rodgers Motor Lines of Boston, Inc., for the period beginning April 1, 1955, and ending March 31, 1956, "in an amount not to exceed $30,000," predicated on our normal expenditures for this kind of work, be amended to read "in an amount not to exceed $40,000."

I would like to point out that this contractor performs its services in a highly satisfactory manner and that the existing rates which are to continue in effect are fair.

The additional amount of $10,000 necessary is available in the 1955 budget of this department.

Your consideration and approval is requested.

Respectfully yours,

James H. Mooney,
Superintendent of Construction.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Approval has been given for the extension of the time of completion of the contract approved September 7, 1955, with J. J. Finn Electrical Service for electrical work at various schools from September 30, 1955, to November 30, 1955. This extension was requested because of delay in receiving fixtures from manufacturer.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

William P. Capone Corporation has been granted an extension of time until October 15, 1955, for the completion of the contract for reconstruction of Park Drive, between Brookline avenue and Beacon street, Boston.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Approval has been given for the extension of the time of completion of the contract approved May 31, 1955, with McCulloch Manufacturing Company, 200 Old Colony avenue, South Boston, for furnishing labor to assemble about 25 12-inch gate valves and 100 8-inch gate valves to December 31, 1955. This extension was requested because some of the required castings were not available when needed.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 2,107.

The following-named persons are hereby appointed permanent patrolmen in this department and are assigned as follows, effective Thursday, September 29, 1955, at 12 o'clock noon:

Division 4.—William A. Henderson, Edward F. Hunter, Edward J. Ivanoski, Charles A. Gordon, Edward J. Walsh.

Division 9.—Otis F. Chandler, Lewis G. McConkey, Joseph J. Mikenas, Jr., Robert F. Moakley, Robert J. O'Leary.

Division 10.—John M. Crowley, Robert F. Daly, Frank H. Norton, Robert F. Ryan.

Division 11.—Francis I. Ellard, Robert T. Keenan, Newman R. Stone.

Division 14.—James F. Piraino, Richard A. Pond.

Division 16.—Robert W. Kelly, Thomas E. Lennon, Joseph H. Lundbohm, William A. McLean, Jr., James R. McSherry, John Psomos.

Division 19.—Santo V. Imprescia, John T. McLean.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,108.

The following communication received from his Honor the Mayor is published for the information of the department:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor,
City Hall, September 22, 1955.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN, *Commissioner*,
Boston Police Department, Police Headquarters, 154 Berkeley Street, Boston, Mass.

DEAR COMMISSIONER:

My compliments to the Police Department for the competent and efficient manner in which they carried out their assignments during all of the events connected with the 325th Anniversary celebrations on Saturday.

Both the officers and the patrolmen conducted themselves with such a smoothness and dignity that I couldn't but feel proud of them.

The manner in which they directed the public at the Library, Faneuil Hall, and at the parade and Common exercises was most impressive. I congratulate all concerned.

Sincerely,
J. B. HYNES, *Mayor.*

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,109.

The following transfers are hereby ordered to take effect on Friday, September 30, 1955, at 7.45 o'clock A.M.:

Lieut. Edmund F. Enos, from Division 4 to Traffic Division.

Patrolman Paul R. McLean, from Division 1 to Superintendent's Office.

Patrolman Walter E. Moore, from Division 4 to Division 19.

Patrolman Felice A. Pagliuca, from Division 16 to City Prison.

Patrolman Charles J. Shea, from Division 16 to City Prison.

Patrolman Harold B. O'Brien, from Traffic Division to Division 13.

Patrolman Alton L. McKenney, from City Prison to Division 16.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,110.

Acting under provisions of chapter 32, section 7, as amended (State-Boston Retirement System), the Boston Retirement Board has approved for retirement, on account of accidental disability, the following-named police officers, effective at the close of business on dates stated.

In view of this operation of law, after dates stated, the said police officers shall no longer be active members of this department, and it is hereby ordered that its records be so amended.

Patrolman Joseph Slade, Division 9, effective February 14, 1955.

Patrolman James L. Bowe, Division 16, effective September 30, 1955.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,111.

The Annual Ball of the Boston Police Relief Association will be held in the Boston Garden, Monday evening, December 5, 1955.

The proceeds of the ball, as members of the department know, are added to the funds of the association and are used for the payment of sick and death benefits to members of the association and their families, which funds, at the present time, are insufficient to meet the demands made upon the association.

It is the desire of the Commissioner, the Superintendent and the Board of Directors of the association that all members of the force interest themselves and make a special effort to dispose of the tickets for the ball, and thereby make it such a success that the finances of the association will be put on a sound basis, so that the good work accomplished by the association in assisting its members in time of sickness or death since it was organized in 1871 may be continued.

The tickets for the ball will be distributed to each station by the treasurer, Lieut. Harrington B. Wyand, Division 2, who will receive a receipt therefor. Captains of divisions will distribute the tickets to their officers and keep a correct list of the number of tickets given to each man. Each officer will make a daily return to his captain of the number of tickets he has sold, together with the name and address of the purchaser, and will return the money received to his captain.

All officers will be held strictly responsible for tickets allotted to them.

Captains will collect each day all money received by officers in the sale of tickets. This money will be converted into a check, made payable to Harrington B. Wyand, treasurer, B.P.R.A., and forwarded to the Superintendent by morning mail the following day. A correct list containing the ticket numbers, together with the names and addresses of purchasers of tickets, shall be kept on file at the various divisions. In this way it is expected that a complete canvass of the city will be made, and a substantial increase in the sale of tickets will be accomplished.

All tickets that remain unsold on December 6, 1955, will be collected by the captain of each division and returned to Lieutenant Wyand, who will furnish a receipt therefor.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,112.

Sergt. William A. Crane and Detectives Francis B. Johnson and Harold P. Davis of the Bureau of Criminal Investigation and Sergeant-Detective Leo W. Gannon of Division 19 are commended, and each is granted two days' additional vacation for outstanding police work.

As a result of a brutal murder of a liquor store proprietor in the Dorchester district, these officers were immediately assigned to investigate in an attempt to round up the guilty persons.

Acting upon only meagre information and descriptions, they succeeded in apprehending three youths who finally admitted, after tireless questioning, their guilt of this crime.

The Commissioner is pleased to recognize the outstanding police work performed by these officers who gave unstintingly of their time and efforts in solving this murder.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

AMENDMENTS TO ORIGINAL AWARDS OF DAMAGES.

The Public Improvement Commission has voted as follows:

That the amount of $550 be and the same hereby is awarded to William H. Cutler for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of June 8, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Lochland road, Hyde Park district.

That the amount of $40 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Lillian C. and Paul E. Clayton for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of March 25, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Ansonia road, West Roxbury district.

That the amount of $475 be, and the same is, hereby awarded to Maurice and Evelyn Davidson for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of September 28, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Ledgewood road and Cricket Lane, West Roxbury district.

That the amount of $290 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Edward I. and Dorothy M. Klein for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of September 28, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Ledgewood road, West Roxbury district.

That the amount of $650 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Myron L. and Marilyn A. Segal for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of September 28, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Cricket Lane, West Roxbury district.

That the amount of $160 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Howard and Harriet Michelson for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of September 28, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Ledgewood road, West Roxbury district.

That the amount of $450 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to James and Elizabeth Rich for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of September 28, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Cricket Lane, West Roxbury district.

That the amount of $30 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Jeanne M. Belot for all damages sustained under the order of Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of May 8, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Dana place, Roxbury district.

That the amount of $340 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Matilda Silverman for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of September 28, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Cricket Lane, West Roxbury district.

That the amount of $35 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Esther B. Roche for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of August 8, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Hartlawn road, West Roxbury district.

That the amount of $61 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Kenneth A. Gould for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor for the laying out and construction of Billings street, West Roxbury district.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, for a trial period of sixty (60) days, the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective October 4, 1955:

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton" the following:

Oak Square Avenue.
West side, from a point fifty (50) feet north of Washington street to Washington street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Charlestown" the following:

Dorrance Street.
East side, from Main street to Arlington avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury" each of the following:

Walpole Street.
Southwest side, from Columbus avenue to Tremont street, 24 hours.

West Walnut Park.
Southwest side, from Amory street to Columbus avenue, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "West Roxbury" the following:

Maple Street.
Southwest side, from Centre street to Graham terrace, 24 hours.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by striking out the following:

Dorrance Street, Charlestown.
From Main street to Arlington avenue.

Malden Street, Boston Proper.
From Albany street to Wareham street.

Marvin Street, Roxbury.
From Washington street to Shawmut avenue.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton" each of the following:

Mt. Hood Road.
From Egremont road to Corey road.

Oak Square Avenue.
From Faneuil street to Washington street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester" the following:

St. Margaret Street.
From Roseclair street to Boston street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury" the following:

Carlow Street.
From Chadwick street to Albany street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "West Roxbury" the following:

Amherst Street.
From Penfield street to Belgrade avenue.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, for a trial period of sixty (60) days, the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective September 15, 1955:

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by striking out the following:

Merchants Row, Boston Proper.
West side, from North street to North Market street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 7 (Angle Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester" the following:

Peabody Square.
North side, northerly arm, from Dorchester avenue to Talbot avenue.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by striking out the following:

Old Morton Street, Dorchester.
From River street to Morton street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester" the following:

Old Morton Street.
From Morton street to River street.

Article VI, Section 10 (Left Turns Prohibited), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper" the following:

Congress Street.
Into Dock square, easterly.

Article VI, Section 11 (Only Right Turn Movements Permitted), is amended by striking out the following:

Congress Street, Boston Proper.
Into Dock square, easterly.

Elm Street, Boston Proper.
Into Dock square, southerly.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway resurfacing, estimated to be thirty (30) days, parking of vehicles is prohibited in the following street, effective September 26, 1955:

Dorchester Avenue, Dorchester.
Both sides, from Hancock street to Adams street.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of sewer repairs, estimated to be two (2) days, vehicles are excluded from the following street, effective September 22, 1955:

Gardner Street, West Roxbury.
From Baker street to Heldun street.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of repairs to the Chelsea Street Bridge, vehicles are excluded from the following street on Sunday, September 25, 1955, from 6 A.M. to 6 P.M.:

Chelsea Street, East Boston.
From Curtis street to the Boston-Chelsea line.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway resurfacing, estimated to be thirty (30) days, vehicles are excluded from the following street, effective October 3, 1955:

Pope's Hill Street, Dorchester.
From Neponset avenue to Freeport street.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway resurfacing, estimated to be thirty (30) days, vehicles are excluded from the following streets, effective September 29, 1955:

Chiswick Terrace, Brighton.
From Chiswick road to Embassy road.
Embassy Road, Brighton.
From Chestnut Hill avenue to Chiswick terrace.
Maple Street, West Roxbury.
From Weld street to dead end.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of bridge construction, estimated to be thirty (30) days, vehicles are excluded from the following street, effective September 29, 1955:

Reservation Road, Hyde Park.
From Hyde Park avenue to Business street.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway resurfacing, estimated to be thirty (30) days, vehicles are excluded from the following streets, when and where official signs are in place, effective October 4, 1955:

Grove Street, Boston Proper.
From Revere street to Cambridge street.
Linden Street, Brighton.
From Commonwealth avenue to Cambridge street.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, for a trial period of sixty (60) days, the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective September 15, 1955:

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester" the following:

Sanford Street.
At Old Morton street.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, for a trial period of sixty (60) days, the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective October 4, 1955:

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Hyde Park" the following:

Hyde Park Avenue.
At West street.

CITY OF BOSTON.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR EXTERIOR PAINTING OF EAST BOSTON RELIEF STATION, 15 PORTER STREET, EAST BOSTON, MASS.

The City of Boston, by the Board of Trustees, Hospital Department, and of the Boston City Hospital, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for exterior painting of East Boston Relief Station, 15 Porter street, East Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until two o'clock P.M., Wednesday, October 19, 1955, at the office of the Superintendent, Boston City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, and enclosed in an envelope, sealed and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $100, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate of wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of the contract.

Specifications may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of the Boston City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston, Mass., on and after Monday, October 10, 1955.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price, will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any and all bids if it be in the public interest so to do.

The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all bids in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, AND OF THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL,
RICHARD J. CONDON,
(Oct. 8.) *President.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.
PROPERTY DIVISION.

REPAIRS TO FORMER HOUGHTON & DUTTON BUILDING.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR REPAIRS TO FORMER HOUGHTON & DUTTON BUILDING, 55 TREMONT STREET, BOSTON, MASS.

The Commissioner of Real Property of the City of Boston, Room 809 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for repairs to former Houghton & Dutton Building, 55 Tremont street, Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 11 A.M., Monday, October 24, 1955, at Room 809, City Hall Annex, Boston, Mass., and they will be publicly opened and read aloud immediately thereafter in the Hearing Room, Room 401, City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed and enclosed in an envelope sealed and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of fourteen hundred (1,400) dollars, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

Subbidders bidding on the work of subcontractors shall use the proposal form prepared by and obtainable from the Awarding Authority.

All subbidders' proposals filed with the Awarding Authority shall be submitted in sealed envelopes, plainly marked with the title of the work, division of the work for which bid is submitted, subcontractor's name and subcontractor's business address. All such bids shall be in the possession of the Awarding Authority and delivered or mailed to the general contractor no later than 11 A.M., Thursday, October 20, 1955.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount as specified in the following for the various subbid items of work as listed below, shall be submitted by each subbidder with the copy of his proposal filed with the Awarding Authority:

Plumbing	$100
Waterproofing	100
Painting	500
Lathing and plastering	100
Roofing and flashing	100

The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, plainly marked "Bid Deposit."

Specifications and plans may be obtained on and after 11 A.M., Monday, October 10, 1955, at Room 809, City Hall Annex. There will be a charge of five (5) dollars for each set of plans and specifications taken out.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price, will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do. The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all subbids on any item or items in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

HERMAN CARP,
(Oct. 8.) *Commissioner of Real Property.*

CONSULATES IN ARREARS ON TAXES.

New York City reports that 12 foreign countries are in arrears a total of $116,985 in real estate taxes on 27 properties, most of them bought within the last 15 years as consulates and headquarters for United Nations delegations.

Nearly all of the defaulting governments claim the right to city realty tax exemption under treaties and international doctrines, but the city has refused to waive its claims. Total assessed valuation is $5,324,000, with $720,000 exempt from tax. Finland, the Netherlands, and Israel have kept their real estate accounts paid up to date.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

WATER WORKS.

Proposals for Laying Water Pipes in Belnap Road, Dodge Road, Joan Road, Leighton Road, Perry Court, Ward 18, and Bellevue Hill, Ward 20,

—and—

Such Additional Locations, If Any, in Wards 18 and 20, As May Be Designated by the Commissioner of Public Works.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for laying water pipes in Belnap road, Ward 18, etc. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Laying Water Pipes in Belnap Road, Ward 18, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 19, 1955, with a certified check for EIGHT HUNDRED (800) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Oct. 8.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR POINTING OF EAST BOSTON RELIEF STATION, 15 PORTER STREET, EAST BOSTON, MASS.

The City of Boston, by the Board of Trustees, Hospital Department, and of the Boston City Hospital, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for pointing of East Boston Relief Station, 15 Porter street, East Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until two o'clock P.M., Wednesday, October 19, 1955, at the office of the Superintendent, Boston City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, and enclosed in an envelope, sealed, and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $100, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate of wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of the contract.

Specifications may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of the Boston City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston, Mass., on and after Monday, October 10, 1955.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price, will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any and all bids if it be in the public interest so to do.

The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all bids in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, AND OF THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL,
RICHARD J. CONDON,
(Oct. 8.) *President.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF GAS FITTERS.

ROOM 901, CITY HALL ANNEX.

NOTICE OF EXAMINATION FOR GAS FITTING LICENSES.

An examination of applicants for Master's or Journeyman's Gas Fitting License will be held on October 14, 1955, at 1.30 P.M., in Room 902, City Hall Annex.

City of Boston Gas Fitting Regulations recently established consistent with the provisions of chapter 479, Acts of 1938, as amended, are obtainable in pamphlet form at the office of the Building Commissioner. Price 50 cents.

CHARLES A. CALLANAN,
Building Commissioner.
JOHN H. CAULEY, M.D.,
(Oct. 8.) *Health Commissioner.*

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JOSHUA H. JONES, *Editor.*

No. 164—395.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING 325 SERVICE PACKAGES FOR HOFFMAN RADIATOR TRAPS FOR THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Tuesday, October 18, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Radiator Trap Parts." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Oct. 8.) *Purchasing Agent.*

READVERTISEMENT OF Item No. 1 on Proposal No. 149.

No. 165—397.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING ROCK SALT.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Monday, October 17, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Rock Salt." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Oct. 8.) *Purchasing Agent.*

No. 166—500.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING AUTOMOTIVE VEHICLES (ONE CHASSIS AND CAB WITH STEEL PLATFORM BODY AND CRANE MOUNTED AND ONE FOUR-WHEEL-DRIVE JEEP WITH SNOWPLOW).

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Wednesday, October 19, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $300, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Automotive Vehicles." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authoried to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Oct. 8.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

MASONRY REPAIRS.

Proposals for Repairs to the Masonry Piers and Abutments of the Dover Street and Summer Street Bridges over Fort Point Channel.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the Uniter States, for repairs to the masonry piers and abutments of the Dover Street and Summer Street Bridges over Fort Point Channel. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Repairs to the Masonry Piers and Abutments of the Dover Street and Summer Street Bridges Over Fort Point Channel," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, OCTOBER 20, 1955, with a certified check for FIVE HUNDRED (500) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Oct. 8.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

No. 163—369.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING CALENDARS AND DIARIES.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Tuesday, October 18, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Calendars and Diaries." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Oct. 8.) *Purchasing Agent.*

THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS AND MUSIC STANDS FOR BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing musical instruments and music stands for the Boston public schools. Proposal forms are obtainable at the office of the Business Manager of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, tenth floor. Envelopes containing proposals must be sealed and plainly marked "Proposal for Musical Instruments and Music Stands." The bids must be in duplicate. One copy, signed by the bidder and accompanied by a certified check, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount of one hundred dollars ($100), must be left at the office of the Business Manager on or before 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, October 20, 1955. Copies filed with the Business Manager will be puhlicly opened and read at 12 o'clock noon of the day stated. The other copy, also signed by the bidder, must be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., previous to the time named for the opening of bids. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to accept the bid or bids which it deems best for the interest of the city. The successful bidders will be required to furnish a suitable bond or deposit of money or other security in the amount of not less than 50 per cent of the amount of the contract.

LEO J. BURKE,
Business Manager of the School Committee.
(Oct. 8.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

TO FURNITURE DEALERS.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings of the City of Boston invites sealed proposals for furnishing and delivering furniture, of the type, number, and quality as per specifications, to Administration Building, 15 Beacon street, Boston, Mass., and giving bond of a surety company satisfactory to the Superintendent of Construction therefor, in the full amount of the contract. Only proposals obtained at the office of the Superintendent of Construction, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., signed by the bidder and left before 12 noon, Thursday, October 20, 1955, at said office, with a certified check for 5 per cent of the total hid, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The proposal shall be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be submitted as indicated above, the other to be deposited with the City Auditor, City Hall, previous to the time named for opening proposals. The Superintendent of Construction reserves the right to reject any or all proposals if it be in the public interest so to do.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
(Oct. 8.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

LISTING BOARD.

PROPOSALS FOR SUPPLYING THE CARDS AND PAPER IN CONNECTION WITH THE POLICE LISTING OF RESIDENTS TWENTY YEARS OF AGE OR OVER FOR THE YEAR 1956.

The Listing Board of the City of Boston invites proposals for supplying the cards and paper in connection with the police listing of residents twenty years of age or over for the year 1956. The bidder must use the form of the proposal to be obtained at the office of the Police Commissioner, 154 Berkeley street, Boston, and deposit with his bid a properly certified check for $500, payable to and to become the property of the Listing Board of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. Proposals will be publicly opened and read on Wednesday, October 19, 1955, at 12 noon, at the office of the Police Commissioner, 154 Berkeley street, Boston. The Listing Board reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as it deems for the best interest of the Listing Board of the City of Boston. Surety bond will he required from the successful bidder in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the estimated contract amount.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN, *Chairman,*
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(Oct. 8-15.) *Listing Board.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR FIELD HOUSE.

The Police Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for the construction of field house, shooting shelter, and mound, and all incidental work, furnishing all materials for same, at a location designated on plan and specifications to be obtained with the form of proposal at the office of the Property Clerk, 154 Berkeley street, Boston. The bidder must use this form of proposal and deposit with his hid at the office of the Police Commissioner a properly certified check for $1,000, payable to and to become the property of the Police Commissioner for the City of Boston, if the proposal is not carried out. Proposals will be publicly opened and read on Friday, October 21, 1955, at 12 o'clock noon, at the office of the Police Commissioner, 154 Berkeley street, Boston, Mass. The Police Commissioner reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the Police Department of the City of Boston. Surety bond will be required from the successful bidder in an amount equivalent to 50 per cent of the estimated contract amount.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
(Oct. 8-15.) *Police Commissioner.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR REMOVAL AND STORAGE OF MOTOR VEHICLES.

The Police Department of the City of Boston invites proposals for the removal and storage of motor vehicles in downtown area, City of Boston, under provisions of chapter 369, Acts of 1954, as amended by chapter 315, Acts of 1955. The bidder must use the form of proposal to be obtained at the office of the Property Clerk, Room 105, 154 Berkeley street, Boston, and deposit with his bid, at the office of the Police Commissioner, a properly certified check for $500, payable to and to become the property of the Police Commissioner for the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. Proposals will be publicly opened and read on Friday, October 21, 1955, at 12 o'clock noon, at the office of the Police Commissioner, 154 Berkeley street, Boston, Mass. The Police Commissioner reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the Police Department of the City of Boston. Surety bond will be required of the successful bidder in an amount of $5,000.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
(Oct. 8-15.) *Police Commissioner.*

THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING PIANOS (CONSOLE AND MIDGET) FOR THE BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing pianos for the Boston public schools. Proposal forms are obtainable at the office of the Business Manager of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, tenth floor. Envelopes containing proposals must be sealed and plainly marked "Proposal for Pianos." The bids must be in duplicate. One copy, signed by the bidder and accompanied by a certified check, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount of two hundred dollars ($200), must be left at the office of the Business Manager on or before 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday, October 19, 1955. Copies filed with the Business Manager will be publicly opened and read at 12 o'clock noon of the day stated. The other copy, also signed by the hidder, must be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., previous to the time named for the opening of bids. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to accept the bid or bids which it deems best for the interests of the city. The successful bidders will be required to furnish a suitable bond or deposit of money or other security in the amount of not less than 50 per cent of the amount of the contract.

LEO J. BURKE,
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(Oct. 8.)

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DR. DAVID S. SHERMAN, CHIEF RESIDENT PHYSICIAN AND EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT AT BOSTON SANATORIUM, NAMED SUPERINTENDENT AND MEDICAL DIRECTOR IN PLACE VACATED BY DEATH OF DR. MARY MOORE BEATTY.

Dr. David S. Sherman, chief resident physician and executive assistant at Boston Sanatorium, has been designated by the Trustees of Boston City Hospital, with the approval of his Honor the Mayor, as superintendent and medical director at Boston Sanatorium. This appointment is made to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Dr. Mary Moore Beatty on September 4, 1955. Dr. Sherman will receive $10,000 a year and will occupy the superintendent's house at the Sanatorium.

Dr. Sherman was born on December 12, 1910, at Attleboro, Mass., where he attended local schools and the Attleboro High School. He graduated from Colby College, receiving the degree of Bachelor of Science in 1933. He graduated from Boston University School of Medicine with a degree of M.D. in 1937. He served for nine months as resident physician at the Boston Sanatorium, following which

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NEW PUBLIC HIGHWAY TO BE CONSTRUCTED IN DORCHESTER TO BE NAMED TANGLEWOOD ROAD — PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT COMMISSION MAKES ANNOUNCEMENT.

The Public Improvement Commission has voted to lay out and construct Churchill place in Dorchester as a public highway, from Washington street approximately 200 feet westerly, and to name it Tanglewood road. Notice to that effect has been issued, and the work will begin immediately. Notice of the intention reads as follows:

IN PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, JULY 6, 1955.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this commission is of the opinion that in said city a public improvement should be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of Churchill place, Dorchester district, as a public highway, from Washington street approximately 200 feet westerly, with the name of Tanglewood road or some other distinctive name, substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this commission; that it intends

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NATIONAL, CITY, AND STATE OFFICIALS SHARE IN EXERCISES DEDICATING THE NEW SPIRE AT OLD NORTH CHURCH AND BANQUET THAT FOLLOWED — ALL EXPRESS THANKS FOR CONTRIBUTIONS WHICH MADE RESTORATION POSSIBLE AFTER DESTRUCTION BY HURRICANE IN AUGUST OF LAST YEAR.

Mayor John B. Hynes, Governor Herter, Bishop Norman B. Nash, William Phillips, former ambassador and president of the Lantern League, Vicar Charles Russell Peck, and other dignitaries representing the city, state, and nation joined in ceremonies dedicating the restored steeple at the Old North Church and the banquet which followed in the evening on October 12. The steeple, which fell during the hurricane of August 31 of last year, was restored and rebuilt in accordance with the original architectural specifications.

More than 350 leaders of city, state, and nation filled the white box pews in the candle-lit vaulted interior in an hour's dedicatory service. They gave thanks in the patrician structure for the restoration of the historic steeple of the city's oldest church structure, which dates back to 1723.

The service of thanksgiving for this third of the spires where the "frightened but courageous sexton" showed the two lanterns of American liberty was also shared by former Ambassador William Phillips, president of the Lantern League.

These exercises were followed by a state dinner at the Algonquin Club where Gen. Carlos Izaguirre Valladares, Honduran ambassador to the United States, symbolized the Honduran merchants whose logwood trade built the first spire in 1740, and Assistant Secretary of State Henry F. Holland told of Honduran contributions to American hurricane victims today.

The memory of silversmith Paul Revere lived again in the presentation to Ambassador Izaguirre Valladares of a sterling silver tray from the Lantern League, trustees of the shrine, and in the presence of John Revere Chaplin, Boston investment banker and great grandson of the courier of 1775.

"Those gentlemen from Honduras did something else besides build a beautiful steeple," the Latin envoy declared of the eighteenth-century logwood (source of colonial dye) deals. "They became pioneers of a connection between Boston and my country which will endure forever."

"It is the spire loved as a landmark, a finger pointing upward towards God, and a symbol of American liberty," the Right Reverend Norman B. Nash, Episcopal Bishop of Massachusetts, declared.

Henry F. Holland, State Department official, brought the connection up to date in an address at the gathering at the Algonquin Club after the exercises.

"Julio Lozane, chief of state of the Republic of Honduras, has just presented the American ambassador with $25,000 to aid hurricane victims in the United States," he told the *Herald*. "This represents the aggregate of hundreds of thousands of small contributions from the Honduran people."

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"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean;
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, October 17, at 2 P.M.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries, or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the Complaints Division, Room 25, City Hall.

Information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways, the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments of streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped area for streets and the opening of private ways; the making of specific repairs in public streets; the naming of public streets, including the use of public ways for location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railways, coal holes, and vaults, may be secured from the Public Improvement Commission, Room 403, City Hall Annex.

To the BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION, 112 Southampton street, for information relative to regulation of vehicular street traffic on all or any streets, ways, highways, roads, and parkways under the control of the City of Boston, the issuing of all permits in connection therewith.

To the COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting, and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catchbasins, the operation of Sumner Tunnel, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges, and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

To the HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Haymarket Square, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish, and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughterhouses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases, of public health nuisances.

To the BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth Avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park, and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts, also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview, and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

To the SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

To the DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS, 28 Norman street, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

To the BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 907, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal, or tearing down buildings.

To the ELECTRICAL INSPECTION DIVISION OF THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT, 1001 City Hall Annex, for all information relative to the erection of poles, building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division; also for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings of the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

To the BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT, 43 City Hall, relative to changes in the boundary lines of zoning districts of the City of Boston as established by chapter 488 of the Acts of 1924, and amendments thereto.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending October 8, 1955.

Population as of July, 1950, Massachusetts State Census, 817,713; population estimated July, 1955, United States Census Bureau, 813,696; number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 158; nonresidents, 84; total, 242.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 15.70; nonresidents deducted, 10.32.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:

Last week, 13.91; corresponding week last year, 13.96.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 18; one year to four years, inclusive, 3; sixty years and over, 141; Total deaths: Male, 140; female, 102; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 186.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Oct. 8, 1955.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Oct. 9, 1954.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior Poliomyelitis	46	5	5	1
Diphtheria	1	—	—	—
Encephalitis Lethargica	—	—	—	—
Influenza	—	—	—	—
Measles	2	—	55	—
Meningitis Epidemic	1	—	—	—
Pneumonia (lobar)	—	1	—	1
Scarlet Fever	3	—	3	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary)	9	4	14	2
Childhood Type Tuberculosis	—	—	—	—
Tuberculosis (other forms)	—	1	—	—
Typhoid Fever	—	—	1	—
Whooping Cough	4	—	6	—

*Residents and nonresidents included.

NEW HIGHWAY FOR DORCHESTER DISTRICT.

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to pass an order for making said improvement; and that it appoints 10 o'clock A.M. of July 20, 1955, and the office of this commission as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said commission on said day.

Attest:

MICHAEL J. CORRAO, *Secretary.*

IN PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, OCTOBER 5, 1955.

Ordered, That this commission, having passed the order of notice relating to the public improvement hereinafter described, and having caused a copy of said order to be published July 8 and 9, 1955, and July 11 and 12, 1955, in the Boston *American* and the Boston *Herald,* two daily newspapers published in the City of Boston, and having given the public hearing, notice of which was given in said order, and being of the opinion that public convenience so requires, does hereby order the making in said city of the public improvement shown on a plan, marked "City of Boston, Tanglewood Road, Dorchester, September 26, 1955, George G. Hyland, Commissioner of Public Works," deposited in the office of the Survey Division, Public Works Department, of said city, and named, bounded, and described as follows:

The highway named Tanglewood road is hereby laid out, from Washington street approximately 200 feet westerly, and ordered constructed.

Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed thereto, in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

Northeasterly by the southwesterly line of Washington street, twenty-two and 00/100 feet; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Tanglewood road as hereby laid out, one hundred eighty-five and 73/100 feet; southwesterly by the southwesterly line of Tanglewood road as hereby laid out, twenty-two and 00/100 feet; and northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Tanglewood road as hereby laid out, one hundred eighty-five and 54/100 feet.

Trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforedescribed land shall be removed therefrom within thirty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the abutting parcels of land situated on both sides of Tanglewood road will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement herein ordered; each of said parcels in the amount hereinafter respectively set against it; said parcels and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Tanglewood Road, Dorchester, September 26, 1955, George G. Hyland, Commissioner of Public Works," and on file in the office of this department.

Parcel.		Amount.
1.	Trustees of Trust of the Washington Methodist Episcopal Church	$201 26
2.	Clarence D. and Anne Swett	444 30
3.	Francis J. and Alice Herosy	672 93
4.	Mary E. Donnelly *et al*	288 00
5.	William J. Perry	468 59
		$2,075 08

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in their estate by the making of the public improvement consisting of the laying out and construction of Tanglewood road (formerly Churchill place), Dorchester district, as a public highway, from Washington street approximately 200 feet westerly, under the order of this commission of October 5, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

SUPERINTENDENT NAMED FOR BOSTON SANATORIUM.

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he served as intern on the Fifth Medical Service at Boston City Hospital for eighteen months, after which he served as resident physician on the same service for two years.

In January, 1942, Dr. Sherman returned to the Boston Sanatorium as resident surgeon, receiving promotions at various times until April 26, 1950, when he was named chief resident physician and executive assistant, in which position he served until Dr. Beatty's death, at which time he was designated acting superintendent.

He has been an instructor in medicine at the Boston University School of Medicine since 1942. He is a diplomate of the National Board of Medical Examiners. He is a junior visiting physician on the Fifth and Sixth Medical Services at the Boston City Hospital. He is a member of the Massachusetts Trudeau Society and served as secretary from 1950 to 1955.

He has been a fellow of the American College of Chest Surgeons since 1945. He has been a member of the American Trudeau Society since 1945 and has been a member of the Society's National Advisory Board since 1953. He is a fellow of the Massachusetts Medical Society and the American Medical Association.

Dr. Sherman has been associated with the Boston Health Department's Tuberculosis Association program during the past six years. He was a draft board physician during the war. He is a lecturer on tuberculosis at the Boston City Hospital School of Nursing. He has been physician to Boys' Clubs in Roxbury and in South Boston since 1949.

NEW SPIRE DEDICATED AT THE OLD NORTH CHURCH.

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At the hushed, exalted church service at twilight, Governor Herter for his committee, consisting of Mayor Hynes and Paul F. Clark, and former Ambassador William Phillips for the Lantern League gave thanks for the more than $150,000 collected from every state in the union, the provinces of Canada, and foreign countries.

Assisting in the service were the Reverend Charles Russell Peck, vicar of Old North Church, and the Harvard University Choir, directed by Professor G. Wallace Woodworth, choirmaster.

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

The Mayor has approved, on recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, the following construction work:

A 24-inch pipe surface drain in Barry street and Business street, between River street and 120 feet south of Elm place, in the Hyde Park district, at an estimated cost of $20,000.

AMENDMENTS TO ORIGINAL AWARDS OF DAMAGES.

The Public Improvement Commission has voted as follows:

That the amount of $1,400 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Kathleen M. Dolan for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of July 20, 1953, for the widening and relocation of Dorchester avenue, Dorchester district.

That the amount of $450 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Robert L. and Esther L. Dunn for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of June 22, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Bateman street, Hyde Park district.

That the amount of $275 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to William and Alba C. Abbondanzio for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of November 16, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Abby road, Brighton district.

That the amount of $350 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Thomas H. and Ann H. McHale for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of March 27, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Oakmere street, West Roxbury district.

That the amount of $175 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Louis and Rose L. Shapiro for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of September 28, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Ledgewood road, West Roxbury.

That the amount of $138.44 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Martin M. and Matilda Levin for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of September 28, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Cricket Lane, West Roxbury.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of emergency gas main repairs, estimated to be five (5) days, parking of vehicles is prohibited in the following street, when and where official signs are in place, effective October 10, 1955:

Hemenway Street, Roxbury.
Both sides, from Boylston street to Norway street.

MILK INSPECTION.

The people of Boston are drinking a high quality milk that is good as well as safe. Results of bacteriological examinations of samples taken of milk—pasteurized, the poorest quality of milk sold in Boston, contained an average of less than 5,000 colonies of bacteria in one cubic centimeter. This average is more than twice as good as that prescribed for Grade A milk by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and more than five times as good as the requirements of the United States Public Health Service Code. Grade A milk sold in Boston averaged about 1,000 colonies of bacteria in one cubic centimeter.

—*Health Department Report.*

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 11.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
James Maloney	406 West Second street	6	Alterations, dwelling	$2
Steven Brennick	3 Whitman street	17	Alterations, dwelling, chapel	1,000
John Botti	8 Wolcott court	18	Alterations, storage	2
John Botti	Rear 8 Wolcott court	18	Alterations, storage	2
Ciraeco Mottola	125 Wordsworth street	1	Alterations, dwelling	2
James Lewis	19 Wyoming street	12	Garage	800
Annie Berg	35 Aldie street	22	Alterations, dwelling	200
Annie Berg	37 Aldie street	22	Alterations, dwelling	200
Anna Mahoney	75 Auckland street	15	Alterations, dwelling	300
T. J. Diab	49 Beacon street	5	Alterations, dwelling	500
Morris Rudnick	62 Brookline avenue	5	Alterations, bar and grille	175
Walter Delaney	2173 Dorchester avenue	16	Alterations, dwelling	75
Harry August	190 Fairmount street	17	Alterations, dwelling	350
Stella Thomson	343 Grove street	20	Alterations, dwelling	450
Edmund Hoffstadt	152 Kelton street	22	Alterations, dwelling	600
Nicholas Tora	9 Lowell street	3	Alterations, dwelling, stores	100
Mary Loschi	115 Neptune road	1	Alterations, dwelling	600
Israel Sneirnon	481 Norfolk street	14	Alterations, dwelling	400
Basil Spadoni	5 Reynolds road	18	Alterations, dwelling	450
Dana Realty	1225 River street	18	Alterations, stores	420
J. Alabaso	771 Truman Highway	18	Alterations, dwelling	500
William Moore	80 Walnut park	11	Alterations, dwelling	500
Bradley Nursing Home	495 Walnut avenue	11	Alterations, nursing home	200
Berniee Bulkowski	1 Ward court	6	Alterations, dwelling	790
Siegel Hardware Co	1651 Washington street	9	Alterations, store, manufacturing	400
Mrs. F. Sullivan	455 West Broadway	6	Alterations, dwelling, store	1,000
A. DeMarco	112 Bremen street	1	Alterations, dwelling	250
Giuseppe Perrone	3 Carter street	2	Alterations, dwelling	200
Albert Deraney	74 Franklin street	22	Alterations, dwelling	400
Evelyn Smith	18 Goodway road	19	Alterations, dwelling	450
City of Boston	818 Harrison avenue	8	Alterations, hospital	170
P. Gangemi	880 Hyde Park avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	500
John Marks	1058 Hyde Park avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	400
Henry Donaldson	44 Princeton street	1	Alterations, dwelling	550
Vistor Alexander	296 Princeton street	1	Alterations, dwelling	200
Thomas Maloney	1060 River street	18	Alterations, dwelling	350
A. Pucchorella	322 Saratoga street	1	Alterations, dwelling	900
Sturtevant Mill Co	11 Sturtevant street	16	Alterations, manufacturing	6,000
Lucy Hunter	119 Warwick street	9	Alterations, dwelling	950
John Deegan	95 Williams avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	700
Thomas F. Breen, Jr	40 Alleghany street	10	Alterations, dwelling	500
H. Goodman	271 Beacon street	5	Alterations, dwelling	300
R. Rochelle	273 Beacon street	5	Alterations, dwelling	100
Agnes Burns	36 Bellamy street	22	Alterations, dwelling	100
Richard Kirby	912 Bennington street	1	Alterations, excavate	1,000
Paul J. Sullivan	376 Bowdoin street	15	Alterations, dwelling	200
B. Newman	221 Bunker Hill street	2	Alterations, store	150
Warren Stevens	228 Cambridge street	3	Alterations, dwelling, store	480
Philip Marato	868 Canterbury street	18	Alterations, dwelling	515
Louise Leevi	2261 Dorchester avenue	17	Alterations, dwelling	750
Ann Pollack	47 Esmond street	14	Alterations, dwelling	900
Hagot Kilbashion	115 King street	16	Alterations, store	75
Simon Greenfield	304 Medford street	2	Alterations, junk shop	425
Mae Freaney	14 Monponset street	18	Alterations, dwelling	485
Mrs. Suliano	72 Munroe street	12	Alterations, dwelling	500
Mrs. DeStefano	190 North street	3	Alterations, dwelling, store	450
Emilio Tedesci	75 Orient avenue	1	Alterations, dwelling	375
Anthony J. Son	50 Osceola street	18	Alterations, dwelling	415
Mecislaw Machon	57 Pleasant street	13	Alterations, dwelling	221
Allen L. Curtis	325 Pond street	19	Alterations, dwelling	373
A. Rotondo	125 Princeton street	1	Alterations, dwelling	980
Roxbury Corporation	159 Roxbury street	9	Alterations, nursing home	950
Mrs. H. Luongo	113 Salem street	3	Alterations, dwelling	50
D & L Realty, Inc	48–66 Terrace street	10	Alterations, dwelling	200
James Dempsey	101 Tonawanda street	17	Alterations, dwelling	175
Jacob Kerke-Boon	29 Tucker street	14	Alterations, dwelling	1,500
A. Bernazzani	149 Walworth street	20	Alterations, dwelling	320
Verna McDonald	28 Welles avenue	17	Alterations, dwelling	470
Verna McDonald	28 Welles avenue	17	Alterations, dwelling	470
Albert Hart	137 West Selden street	18	Alterations, dwelling	450
Charles Pazarce	32 Woodlawn street	11	Alterations, dwelling	240
Katherine Maloney	96 Ardale street	20	Alterations, dwelling	150
John Podesta	62 Batchelder street	8	Alterations, bakery	90
D. Weisberg	534 Blue Hill avenue	14	Alterations, dwelling	800
Antona Jori	225 Bowdoin street	15	Alterations, dwelling, tavern	175
Tennis Racquet Club	939 Boylston street	5	Alterations, club	300
General Heat & Appliance	1265 Boylston street	5	Alterations, store	980
Sarah Smith	118 Bunker Hill street	2	Alterations, store, dwelling	175
Mr. Annos	88 Castle street	5	Alterations, dwelling, store	100
Ruby Mosley	402 Columbus avenue	4	Alterations, dwelling	200
Meredith & Grew	19 Congress street	3	Alterations, offices	500
Karas & Karas	455 Dorchester avenue	7	Alterations, warehouse, office	800
Michael Barr	7 Everett street	16	Alterations, dwelling	1,500
Anna Trehan	170 and 172 Falcon street	1	Alterations, dwelling	100
R. Sneider	222 Friend street	3	Alterations, store	500
William Flaherty	549 Gallivan Boulevard	16	Alterations, dwelling	90
Gordon Trezzi	15 Hancock street	13	Alterations, dwelling	95
Italian American Club	1431 Hyde Park avenue	18	Alterations, club	100
Home for Aged	431 Jamaicaway	19	Alterations, greenhouse	150
T. O. Realty Company	170 Kelton street	21	Alterations	750
Ralph Scarpa	303 Lexington street	1	Alterations, dwelling	250
William Gouser	30 Mendelssohn street	20	Alterations, dwelling	200
General Electric Supply	145 North Beacon street	22	Alterations, warehouse, office	950
Max R. Kargmis	7 Pemberton square	3	Alterations, store, offices	250
Dr. Roberts	540 Shawmut avenue	9	Alterations, dwelling	90
Franke Reynolds	7 South Huntington avenue	10	Alterations, bar, tavern	175
Mrs. George Thom	18 Sylvester road	16	Alterations, dwelling	400
Patrick Kennedy	555 Talbot avenue	17	Alterations, restaurant, cafe	175
Cornelius Doherty	5 Trenton street	1	Alterations, dwelling	960
Nellie Yaresb	3 Valentine street	11	Alterations, dwelling	65

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following personnel changes:

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.
Main Division.

For the week ending September 27:

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Esther Bandlow, 5 Reddy avenue, Hyde Park; Priscilla Beckwith, 686 Massachusetts avenue, 3 days; Claire Bilapka, 230 Commonwealth avenue, 4 days; Rita Busher, 238 Norfolk street, Wollaston; Ruby Childs, 270 Huntington avenue, 1 day; Carie Coleman, 360 Thacker street, Milton, 2 days; Sophie Cotter, 173 Vine Rock street, Dedham, 7 days; Adele Daly, 30 Aspinwall avenue, North Weymouth, 2 days; Norma Dean, 696 Massachusetts avenue, 1 day; Hannah Donahue, 270 Huntington avenue, 7 days; Eva Durgin, 13 Hardwick road, Quincy, 1 day; Ethel Glennon, 57 Hollis avenue, Quincy, 2 days; Stella Graham, 43 Mercier street, Dorchester, 5 days; Diana Guinta, 42 Topliff street, Dorchester, 2 days; Mary B. Healy, 163 East Cottage street, Dorchester, 4 days; Anna Kinch, 126 Russell street, Everett, 1 day; Carol Duffy, 78 Metropolitan avenue, Roslindale, Veronica Lombard, 8 Davis street, Dorchester, 5 days; Rita McCallum, 162 Bowdoin street, Dorchester, 2 days; Catherine McGuinnes, 14 Olsen road, Dorchester, 7 days; Anne McInnis, 853 East Third street, South Boston, 5 days; Clare MacDonald, 3 days; Marguerite Mackesey, 79 First street, Medford, 2 days; Anna Murphy, 115 Peterborough street, 6 days; Mary Murphy, 37 Hamden Circle, Wollaston, 1 day; Phyllis Nigro, 271 Dartmouth street, 5 days; Mary Paylor, 67 Mystic avenue, Medford; Dora Picarsky, 31 Edison Green, Dorchester, 2 days; Alvee N. Powers, 67 Prospect avenue, Wollaston, 3 days; Joan Piseitello, 1 day; Bernice Smith, 105 Walnut avenue, Roxbury, 2 days; Mabel Smith, 87 Bartlett road, Winthrop, 5 days; Bernice Stanley, 22 Sandra road, East Walpole, 1 day; Madeline Sullivan, 126 Marlborough street; Margaret M. Sullivan, 28 Weymouth street, Holbrook, 7 days; Florence Sullivan, Josephine Trippe, 80 Orleans street, East Boston, 2 days; Josephine Tyman, 39 Burnham street, 7 days; Ila Ward, 79 Warren street, Roxbury, 2 days; Kathryn Welch, 49 East Springfield street, 7 days.

The following weekly floor nurses have been appointed:

Permanent.—Doris Shruhan, 595 East Fifth street, South Boston, $1.50 an hour; Mary Lynch, 56 Donnybrook road, Brighton, $60.50 a week.

Temporary.—Alice Norman, 8 Mount Vernon street, Dorchester, Louise Anderson, 6 Burton avenue, Roxbury, James Carmody, Acorn street, Millis, Mary J. Young, Wandemere avenue, Randolph, Johnetta Bonner, Franklin Square House, Lorraine Baker, 17 Highgate street, Allston, $1.50 an hour.

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—Loretta P. Duffy, 29 Linden Park street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; Amelia T. Chapin, 544 East Seventh street, South Boston, hospital kitchen worker, $53 a week; Winifred Halloran, 30 Sturbridge street, Mattapan, hospital laundry

worker, $43 a week; Joseph G. Spinale, 38 Staniford street, hospital laundry worker, $48 a week; Agnes D. McNeil, 44 Humphries street, floor nurse, $68.

Temporary.—Theodore A. Tromovitch, 8 Worcester square, Robert Alexander, 292 Princeton street, East Boston, Gerald Carino, 531 Bennington street, East Boston, William J. Hurley, Jr., 12 Fisher avenue, Roxbury, Edward Joseph, 63 Cheney street, Roxbury, James J. McLaughlin, 5 Toledo terrace, Dorchester, Helen C. Needleman, 33 Montpelier road, Dorchester, Hyleath Norman, 28 Creston street, Roxbury, Theresa M. Rogerson, 11 Haverford street, Jamaica Plain, George Lyons, 80 Adams street, Dorchester, Mary Flaherty, 113 Pleasant street, Dorchester, Eugene McDonald, 417 East Third street, South Boston, Edward Sweeney, 66 Baxter street, South Boston, Herbert Turney, 124 Savin Hill avenue, Dorchester, Edward J. Fay, 37 Vaughan avenue, Dorchester, Edward F. MacLeod, 858 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, Margaret K. Concannon, 1677 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; Robert B. Lento, 39 Hayden street, Roslindale, Julia A. Clifford, 60 Bickford street, Jamaica Plain, Vincent J. McDonough, 127 Carolina avenue, Jamaica Plain, William Slade, 19 Beechland street, Roslindale, Timothy O'Leary, 47 Tuttle street, Dorchester, James Norton, 78 Newburg street, Roslindale, Louis Modestino, 175 Milton street, Dorchester, hospital house workers, $43 a week; Barbara A. Sances, 111 Dalessio court, South Boston, Jeanne M. Lee, 230 M street, South Boston, Paul L. Sullivan, 535 Weld street, West Roxbury, Carol A. Byrne, 32 Howe street, Dorchester, Francis Leavey, 80 Allston street, Allston, Richard P. DiGianfelice, 146 Eustis street, Roxbury, Gardner L. Carney, 25 Eliot street, Jamaica Plain, Penelope Claffey, 443 Old Colony avenue, South Boston, James F. McDonough, 1450 Centre street, Roslindale, hospital kitchen workers, $43 a week; Anna Peterson, 59 Templeton street, Dorchester, Howard Hashem, 342 Harrison avenue, hospital laundry workers, $43 a week; Thomas J. Lavin, 436 Ashmont street, Dorchester, elevator operator, $43 a week; Mary R. McGrady, 114 Faraday street, Hyde Park, telephone operator, $55.50 a week; Patricia M. Brosnan, 36 Cheshire street, Jamaica Plain, laboratory assistant, $45.50 a week; John C. Dalco, 19 Nelson street, Dorchester, laboratory assistant, $43 a week; Estelle C. Kantos, 103 Hemenway street, physiotherapist, $58 a week; Alice M. White, 29 Varick road, West Roxbury, Helen Jastrab, 409 Marlborough street, Nancy Sullivan, 40 Upham avenue, Dorchester, Clare T. Donohoe, 142 Laurie avenue, West Roxbury, clerk-typists, $43 a week; Maureen F. Gurrie, 11 Oakland street, Brighton, clerk-typist, $35.50 a week; Edward P. Foley, 696 Washington street, Brighton, clerk, $43 a week; Helen J. Clifford, 59 Sagamore street, Dorchester, Helen Sheehan, Turnpike road, Canton, floor nurses, $60.50 a week.

South Division.

For the week ending September 27:

The following employees have been appointed:

Permanent.—Ann M. Early, 160 Washington street, Brighton, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Ann M. Langone, 17 Lowell street, Rosanna McGinn, 520 East Fifth street, South Boston, hospital medical workers, $43 a week.

Temporary.—Marie Kelleher, 12 Tappan street, Melrose, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour. *(Continued on page 1218.)*

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 11.—Concluded.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
International Cafe, Inc	315 West Broadway	7	Alterations, restaurant, bar	$175
Arthur Phiefield	1 Ashland street	16	Alterations, dwelling	150
City of Boston	68 Baldwin street	2	Alterations, school	1,290
City of Boston	40 Belvidere street	4	Alterations, school	1,290
A. Puopolo	215 Bennington street	1	Alterations, dwelling	70
P. Zevolo	217 Bennington street	1	Alterations, dwelling	70
Bruno Calistro	221 Bennington street	1	Alterations, dwelling	800
J. Antonelli	259 Bennington street	1	Alterations, dwelling	300
Lalime & Partridge	1255 Boylston street	5	Alterations, automobile, sales	990
Braman Dow Company	239 Causeway street	3	Alterations, warehouse	900
Dominic Susi	43 Charter street	3	Alterations, dwelling, store	300
Marie Schulberth	85 Chestnut avenue	10	Alterations, dwelling	1,800
City of Boston	20 Devens street	2	Alterations, school	1,290
Nora Heirs	163 Dorchester street	6	Alterations, dwelling	876
City of Boston	470 Dudley street	8	Alterations, school	1,290
Lewis Nephew	459 East Eighth street	7	Alterations, dwelling	300
City of Boston	109 Elm street	2	Alterations, school	1,290
Herbert Elwell	21 Gay Head street	10	Alterations, dwelling	170
Gillette Safety Razor Co	85–91 Gillette park	6	Alterations, warehouse	900
George Walsh	53 Lyall street	20	Alterations, garage	50
Dr. Bresnahan	19 Monument avenue	2	Alterations, dwelling	200
Hodgson Nursing Home	95 Moreland street	12	Alterations, nursing home	700
Katherine Marceau	44 Mt. Vernon street	2	Alterations, dwelling	100
Commonwealth of Mass	417 and 419 Neponset avenue	16	Alterations, dwelling	600
Commonwealth of Mass	433 Neponset avenue	16	Alterations, gas station	450
J. Katz	204 Norwell street	17	Alterations, dwelling	500
Mary McCarthy	23 Oak street	2	Alterations, dwelling	100
Paul Johnson	46 Pinehurst street	20	Alterations, dwelling	190
Commonwealth of Mass	14 Redfield street	16	Alterations, dwelling	800
Commonwealth of Mass	18 Redfield street	16	Alterations, dwelling	800
Commonwealth of Mass	22 Redfield street	16	Alterations, dwelling	700
Myer Dana	1248 River street	18	Alterations, stores	950
Jack Miceaunturio	47 Roseclair street	7	Alterations, dwelling	870
Andrew Kaleilka	59 Rossmore road	11	Alterations, dwelling	825
Alyce Coleman	17 Round Hill street	10	Alterations, dwelling	240
City of Boston	885 South street	20	Alterations, school	1,290
City of Boston	29 Summer street	2	Alterations, school	1,290
George Davis	50 Summer street	3	Alterations, store	1,300
Virginia Carlton	232 Townsend street	12	Alterations, dwelling	900
Commonwealth of Mass	22 Walnut street	16	Alterations, store	700
Commonwealth of Mass	22 Walnut street	16	Alterations, store	1,800
City of Boston	20 Warren street	21	Alterations, school	1,290
A. W. Perry	575 Washington street	3	Alterations, restaurant	850
City of Boston	172 West Broadway	6	Alterations, school	1,290
City of Boston	350 West Fourth street	6	Alterations, school	1,290
Walter Smileneicz	86 and 88 West Walnut park	11	Alterations, dwelling	343
Commonwealth of Mass	1015 Wm. Morrissey Blvd.	16	Alterations, dwelling	700
Rose Roumbakis	Worcester square	8	Alterations, dwelling	115
Sarah Conboy	110 Wrentham street	16	Alterations, dwelling	195
Arthur Beldekos	440 Ashmont street	16	Alterations, dwelling	390
R. Colleran	58 Carruth street	16	Alterations, dwelling	825
Ed Doherty	39 Chelsea street	2	Alterations, cafe	100
Anthony Massa	20 Durant street	20	Alterations, dwelling	370
Mae Dolan	120 Hyde Park avenue	19	Alterations, dwelling	335
Stephen Sears	602 Massachusetts avenue	9	Alterations, dwelling, store	425
Samuel Noodel	69 Millet street	17	Alterations, dwelling	750
City of Boston	318 and 319 North street	1	Alterations, offices	6,000
Patrick Joyce	250 Park street	16	Alterations, dwelling	700
Josephine Roman	9 Stanley street	15	Alterations, dwelling	540
Massachusetts Building Trust	60 State street	3	Alterations, offices	900
Arthur Hardy	620 Warren street	12	Alterations, dwelling	975
Joseph McGuiness	3077 Washington street	11	Alterations, dwelling, store	50
Joseph Yelmokas	177 Westville street	15	Alterations, dwelling	200
David Webb	1173 Adams street	17	Alterations, dwelling	125
Mr. Shulman	26 Bonad road	20	Alterations, dwelling	300
Myles McDonough	17 Bruce street	16	Alterations, dwelling	327
Hohn Dehont	24 Buttonwood street	13	Alterations, dwelling	300
F. Weinstein	49 Charles street	5	Alterations, dwelling, store, office	150
Williams Ducey	129 Charles street	3	Alterations, dwelling	375
Walter W. Steiner	82 and 84 Colborne street	21	Alterations, dwelling	75
P. A. Pereira	22 Concord street	2	Alterations, dwelling	680
Mr. Mogan	341 East Eagle street	1	Alterations, dwelling	350
Adolph C. Holmberg	586 Freeport street	16	Alterations, dwelling	875
Benedict Kiatewiez	53 Howell street	7	Alterations, dwelling	400
Raymond G. Gaumont	890 Hyde Park avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	300
Mary Swartz	19 Lucerne street	14	Alterations, dwelling	500
Mary Landry	52 Melrose street	5	Alterations, dwelling	875
Robert Whalen	34 Norton street	18	Alterations, dwelling	750
Mr. Farrell	185 Park street	20	Alterations, dwelling	700
J. Host	33 Revere street	3	Alterations, dwelling	350
S. Stennes	55 Revere street	3	Alterations, dwelling	175
Thomas F. Sullivan	58 Rosewood street	18	Alterations, garage	168
Ellerton Williams	58 Sanford street	1	Alterations, dwelling	880
Mary Zisemki	47 Savin Hill avenue	13	Alterations, dwelling	340
Harrison Hosiery Company	1360 Soldiers Field road	22	Alterations, manufacturing	150
Ernest Proctor	6 Stafford street	14	Alterations, dwelling	650
Joseph Ahearn	48 Tower street	11	Alterations, dwelling	900

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 11.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
P. Janis	22 Aldworth street	19	New appliances	$15
S. Adams	43 Alpha road	17	New appliances	275
T. Matthews	53 Beaumont street	16	New appliances	100
W. Connell	14 Burgoyne street	16	New appliances	20
S. Adams	87 Burt street	17	New appliances	250
T. Matthews	43 Cambridge street	3	New appliances	100
S. Adams	16 Corona street	15	New appliances	225
H. McMahon	10 Donna terrace	18	New appliances	300
N. Clark	111 Falcon street	1	New appliances	15
H. McMahon	3 Franklin street	18	New appliances	300
H. McMahon	39 Garfield avenue	18	New appliances	100
T. Matthews	8 Halborn street	18	New appliances	100
H. McMahon	57 Highland street	18	New appliances	60
S. Adams	42 Homes avenue	15	New appliances	225
H. McMahon	852 Hyde Park avenue	18	New appliances	100
H. McMahon	27 Imbsro road	18	New appliances	40
A. Mehegan	20 Kearsarge avenue	12	New appliances	450
M. Miller	120 Kingston street	3	New appliances	60
N. Clark	48 Linden road	20	New appliances	400
S. Adams	55 Lyndhurst street	17	New appliances	325
H. McMahon	3 Madison street	18	New appliances	100
S. Adams	101 Maxwell street	17	New appliances	235
A. Stahly	21 Mellen street	17	New appliances	10
T. Matthews	30 Moultrie street	17	New appliances	100
A. Stahly	288 Neponset avenue	16	New appliances	35
W. Connell	6 North Munroe terrace	16	New appliances	38
N. Clark	267 Paris street	1	New appliances	15
S. Adams	10 Parkman street	16	New appliances	275
S. Adams	47 Richmere road	18	New appliances	115
N. Clark	273 Roslindale avenue	20	New appliances	100
A. Onessimo	17 Spaulding street	16	New appliances	50
E. Secatore	510 Sumner street	1	New appliances	50
S. Adams	16 Taft street	13	New appliances	100
A. Onessimo	452 Tremont street	5	New appliances	12
S. Adams	33 Valley road	17	New appliances	225
A. Onessimo	33 Whitman street	17	New appliances	6
F. Ricciardello	130 Wrentham street	16	New appliances	150
K. Hering	7 Bynner street	10	New appliances	15
C. Bevelander	530 Cambridge street	21	New appliances	100
S. Connolly	623 Columbus avenue	9	New appliances	50
D. Gould	58 Edgewood street	12	New appliances	15
J. Principato	43 Fleet street	3	New appliances	30
P. Murtha	9 Fuller street	17	New appliances	37
H. Hinckley	44 Hollander street	12	New appliances	35
P. Murtha	23 Howes street	13	New appliances	165
J. Principato	38 Lewis street	3	New appliances	35
A. Onessimo	17 Leyland street	8	New appliances	100
S. Connolly	374 Massachusetts avenue	4	New appliances	75
S. Connolly	52 Ottawa street	12	New appliances	25
A. Granara	84 Prince street	3	New appliances	35
S. Connolly	4 Rochdale street	11	New appliances	50
C. Bevelander	583 Washington street	22	New appliances	100
P. Murtha	26 Wentworth street	17	New appliances	25
D. Horgan	14 Acadia street	6	New appliances	100
W. Fafara	14 Alabama street	18	New appliances	900
O. McElearney	730 Bennington street	1	New appliances	50
J. Vogel	655 Boylston street	5	New appliances	100
F. Avery	43 Boynton street	11	New appliances	25
H. Lyons	54 Boynton street	11	New appliances	25
D. O'Neill	10 Carmel street	10	New appliances	40
O. McElearney	378 Centre street	19	New appliances	50
F. Avery	526 Centre street	19	New appliances	25
S. Landau	56 Chestnut Hill avenue	22	New appliances	75
D. Horgan	91 Clarkson street	15	New appliances	100
F. Carr	27 Cleveland place	3	New appliances	25
J. Vogel	380 Columbus avenue	4	New appliances	12
F. Avery	1955 Columbus avenue	11	New appliances	25
I Silverstein	371 Commonwealth avenue	5	New appliances	100
D. Horgan	112 D street	6	New appliances	100
D. Horgan	114 D street	6	New appliances	100
F. Avery	60 Dix street	16	New appliances	300
S. Landau	43 Dustin street	21	New appliances	20
D. Horgan	378 East Eighth street	7	New appliances	100
D. Horgan	861 East First street	6	New appliances	100
N. Clark	493 East Fourth street	7	New appliances	400
D. Horgan	659 East Seventh street	6	New appliances	100
D. Horgan	507 East Third street	6	New appliances	100
F. Carr	172 Endicott street	3	New appliances	28
F. Avery	7 Germania street	11	New appliances	25
T. O'Brien	7 Halborn street	18	New appliances	100
F. Avery	210 Heath street	10	New appliances	25
D. O'Neill	157 Howard avenue	13	New appliances	45
J. Crane	360 Huntington avenue	4	New appliances	160
J. Vogel	152 Kittredge street	18	New appliances	150
D. Horgan	155 L street	7	New appliances	100
F. Avery	282 Lamartine street	19	New appliances	25
F. Carr	34 Leverett street	3	New appliances	28
F. Avery	16 Marmion street	11	New appliances	25
M. Wallen	89 Maryknoll street	18	New appliances	700
O. McElearney	514 Medford street	2	New appliances	50
F. Avery	44 Newfield street	20	New appliances	25
D. O'Neill	2 North square	3	New appliances	40
F. Carr	309 North street	3	New appliances	25
D. Palmariello	74 North Margin street	3	New appliances	65
F. Carr	38 North Russell street	3	New appliances	35
F. Carr	49 North Russell street	3	New appliances	35
S. Landau	46 Nottinghill road	21	New appliances	15
J. Nolan	32 Parkton road	10	New appliances	185
F. Avery	1 Pine Grove terrace	10	New appliances	25
F. Avery	4 Pine Grove terrace	10	New appliances	25
D. O'Neill	12 Pompeii street	8	New appliances	25
F. Carr	104 Poplar street	3	New appliances	25

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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The following changes have been made:

Sandra Korn, 1734A Commonwealth avenue, floor nurse, from $58 with room to $1.50 an hour and no room; Doris E. Levesque, Elizabeth A. Stickney, 73 Carver street, floor nurses, from $58 a week with room to $60.50 a week and no room; Nellie Blaisdell, 473 La Grange street, West Roxbury, floor nurse, from $65.50 a week to $1.50 an hour.

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—Violet D. Quagliozzi, 22 Fern street, Brockton, floor nurse, $65.50 a week; Rose E. Saunders, 34 Nixon street, Dorchester, floor nurse, $60.50 a week.

Temporary.—Gerald Cahill, 121 Old Harbor street, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; Joan Donahue, Beverly Hospital, Beverly, Joan M. Donahue, 41 Pearl street, Dorchester, Marie J. Kelleher, 12 Tappan street, Melrose, Ann Sheridan, 41 Pearl street, Dorchester, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour.

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Alice Driscoll, 309 Allston street, Brighton, 3 days; Veronica McElligott, 34 Dickinson street, Somerville, Margaret Nolan, 14 Dix street, Dorchester, 6 days.

Sanatorium Division.

Approval has been given to the following resignations at the Sanatorium Division:

Margaret Miles, medical social worker, temporary; Mary P. Sharkey, head housekeeper; Joseph Unites, patient male nurse, part time, Harold DeMarco, hospital kitchen worker; Walter Simpson, Margaret Mulvaney, hospital medical workers.

Long Island Division.

The following changes have been made in the personnel for the week ending September 28:

Terminations.—Ralph D. Robertson, intern, temporary.

Appointments or Reinstatements.

Administrative Services Department.

Printing Section.

William Frawley, 41 Faneuil street, Brighton, compositor apprentice, $78.40 a week.

Carmen Gentile, 24 Stillman street, compositor apprentice, $98 a week.

Frederick L. Masucci, 47 Joy street, compositor apprentice, $98 a week.

Assessing Department.

Dorothea Sgroi, 183 Leyden street, East Boston, statistical machine operator, $45.50 a week.

Boston Traffic Commission.

Frank Shimone, 14 Horace street, East Boston, parking meter maintenance man, $58 a week.

City Planning Board.

John M. Bailey, Jr., 61 Kirkland street, Cambridge, junior planner, $76.50 a week.

Fire Department.

Frank J. Gemellaro, 10 Harris street, fire fighter, $70.69 a week.

Robert J. Leonard, 15 Quincefield street, Dorchester, fire fighter, $70.69 a week.

William D. Shea, 20 Claybourne street, Dorchester, fire fighter, $70.69 a week.

Henry V. Jundzil, 10 Ridgemont street, Allston, fire fighter, $70.69 a week.

George J. Holland, 60 Glencoe street, Brighton, fire fighter, $70.69 a week.

Edward L. Fitzpatrick, 49 Lexington street, East Boston, fire fighter, $70.69 a week.

Robert E. Laing, 121 St. Rose street, Jamaica Plain, fire fighter, $70.69 a week.

John P. Tynan, 16 Stellman road, Roslindale, fire fighter, $70.69 a week.

Martin J. McDonough, 3 Sudan street, Dorchester, fire fighter, $70.69 a week.

Robert R. Donovan, 45 Fairbanks street, Brighton, fire fighter, $70.69 a week.

Joseph Boylan, 3 Nira avenue, Jamaica Plain, fire fighter, $70.69 a week.

John T. Corcoran, 139 Cedar street, Roxbury, fire fighter, $70.69 a week.

Alan W. Robinson, 104 East Newton street, fire fighter, $70.69 a week.

Stanley A. France, 154 H street, South Boston, fire fighter, $70.69 a week.

James F. Roy, 6 Haverford street, Jamaica Plain, fire fighter, $70.69 a week.

Health Department.

Health Division.

Frederick L. Sexton, 60 Sagamore street, Dorchester, environmental sanitation inspector, $65.50 a week.

Hospital Department.

Main Division.

Carol Madden, 73 Child street, Jamaica Plain, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Helen P. Leonard, 215 Pearl street, Cambridge, head nurse, $65.50 a week.

Jane Kenneally, 609 East Sixth street, South Boston, clerk and stenographer, $43 a week.

Margaret J. Andrews, 109 Joyce-Hayes Way, South Boston, hospital kitchen worker, $50.50 a week.

Mary V. Yalmokas, 6 Viking street, South Boston, hospital kitchen worker, $48 a week.

Margaret J. Clark, 221 Cabot street, Roxbury, hospital kitchen worker, $45.50 a week.

Gertrude MacIntyre Lynskey, 6 Ballou street, Dorchester, hospital kitchen worker, $48 a week.

Mary J. Coyle, 88 Woodruff Way, Mattapan, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

Nancy I. McDonald, 467 Dudley street, Roxbury, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

Delia McEnery, 21 Shandon road, Dorchester, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

Mary C. Harkin, 145 Marcella street, Roxbury, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

William B. Kelley, 6 Derne street, social worker, $65.50 a week.

Gladys Buckley, 2161 Washington street, hospital medical worker, $45.50 a week.

Mary R. Reardon, 1513 Washington street, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Madge Comeau, 101 Sydney street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Theresa C. Sweeney, 65 Westville street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Thelma S. Lawrence, 18 Ditmus court, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

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APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 11.—Concluded.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
L. Rubinovitch	81 Prince street	3	New appliances	$120
A. Halsband	1399 River street	18	New appliances	100
D. Horgan	22 Rogers street	7	New appliances	100
F. Avery	103 Roslindale avenue	20	New appliances	25
N. Clark	275 Roslindale avenue	20	New appliances	100
N. Clark	7 Roxana street	18	New appliances	400
P. Kennedy	99 St. Rose street	11	New appliances	100
F. Carr	29 Salutation street	3	New appliances	40
H. Hinckley	79 South street	11	New appliances	100
O. McElcarney	33 South Huntington avenue	10	New appliances	50
F. Carr	13 South Russell street	3	New appliances	60
D. O'Neill	21 Southwood street	12	New appliances	35
F. Carr	54 Spring street	3	New appliances	50
D. O'Neill	2 Stockwell street	10	New appliances	10
F. Carr	91 West Cedar street	5	New appliances	20
T. O'Brion	167 West Seventh street	6	New appliances	100
N. Clark	80 White street	1	New appliances	15
D. O'Neill	65 Whitney street	10	New appliances	35
D. O'Neill	16 Woodward avenue	8	New appliances	28
N. Clark	21 Wyman street	10	New appliances	100
S. Pryor	36 Austin street	2	New appliances	60
D. Greenwood	31 Averton street	20	New appliances	25
S. Adams	28 Bellevue street	15	New appliances	275
S. Shuman	206 Bigelow street	22	New appliances	150
S. Adams	78 Carruth street	16	New appliances	245
S. Shuman	1342 Columbus avenue	11	New appliances	20
A. Granara	196 Commercial street	3	New appliances	50
P. Portnoy	508 Commonwealth avenue	5	New appliances	25
D. Gould	1414 Commonwealth avenue	21	New appliances	10
C. Gioiosa	103 Cottage street	1	New appliances	225
B. Gold	19 Derry road	18	New appliances	100
B. Gold	23 Derry road	18	New appliances	100
S. Sawtelle	50 Fellows street	8	New appliances	50
P. Portnoy	24 Fountain street	12	New appliances	25
S. Adams	19 Glenrose street	16	New appliances	87
S. Adams	67 Goodale road	14	New appliances	375
S. Adams	195 Hamilton street	15	New appliances	245
S. Adams	196A Hamilton street	15	New appliances	245
G. Trethewey	3 Haslet street	20	New appliances	400
S. Sawtelle	57 Hollander street	12	New appliances	45
J. Egan	94 Hudson street	3	New appliances	150
A. Figler	6 Kensington street	12	New appliances	75
P. Portnoy	81 Kilmarnock street	21	New appliances	25
G. Trethewey	292 Kittredge street	18	New appliances	280
G. Trethewey	156 La Grange street	20	New appliances	400
C. Lang	18 Larkhill road	20	New appliances	10
S. Adams	9 Malta street	18	New appliances	195
J. Vangi	5 Milton street	3	New appliances	18
C. Kay	37 Mt. Vernon street	7	New appliances	600
S. Adams	9 Oakman street	16	New appliances	495
D. Greenwood	47 Prince street	19	New appliances	25
M. Loiterstein	113 Quincy street	13	New appliances	50
L. Luxton	77 Ridgewood street	15	New appliances	45
B. Gold	75 Safford street	18	New appliances	100
S. Pryor	85 School street	2	New appliances	50
S. Landau	45 South Waverly street	1	New appliances	25
S. Adams	2A Thane street	17	New appliances	80
S. Adams	15 Treadway road	13	New appliances	85
S. Shuman	100 Warrenton street	5	New appliances	300
A. Puricelli	38 Wayburn road	19	New appliances	100
S. Adams	20 Westcott street	14	New appliances	220
B. Gold	150 Westminster street	18	New appliances	100
B. Gold	170 Westminster street	18	New appliances	100
C. Lang	243 West Roxbury Parkway	20	New appliances	10
S. Adams	988 Wm. T. Morrissey Blvd.	16	New appliances	225
C. Green	61 Williams street	9	New appliances	25
N. Deutsch	21 Ashley street	1	New appliances	35
W. Connell	4 Avander court	18	New appliances	65
N. Deutsch	148 Bremen street	1	New appliances	40
A. Casaletto	163 Chelsea street	1	New appliances	100
A. Casaletto	209 Chelsea street	1	New appliances	100
R. DiLorenzo	155 Cottage street	1	New appliances	10
P. Gulesian	35 Davison street	18	New appliances	200
E. Mogel	109 East Canton street	8	New appliances	30
F. Ricciardello	20 East Cottage street	8	New appliances	100
C. Lee	593 East Fifth street	6	New appliances	25
R. Simon	697 East Sixth street	6	New appliances	250
C. Lee	2 Eliot terrace	9	New appliances	20
E. Mogel	34 Emerald street	5	New appliances	37
J. Amico	23 Eutaw street	1	New appliances	20
E. Mogel	40 Hale street	3	New appliances	95
C. Lee	36 Hammond street	9	New appliances	25
W. Cooper	76 Hampden street	1	New appliances	65
C. Lee	88 Harrishof street	12	New appliances	25
C. Lee	917 Harrison avenue	8	New appliances	40
J. Wilson	5 Jakckson street	2	New appliances	100
W. Connell	41 Kenberma road	17	New appliances	45
F. Ricciardello	149 Lexington street	1	New appliances	50
N. Deutsch	37 Marion street	1	New appliances	30
P. Gulesian	31 Massasoit street	18	New appliances	200
N. Deutsch	268 Maverick street	1	New appliances	125
N. Deutsch	77 Meridian street	1	New appliances	30
R. Simon	50 Middle street	7	New appliances	20
A. Casaletto	69 Morris street	1	New appliances	100
E. Mogel	63 Myrtle street	5	New appliances	38
W. Connell	536 Park street	17	New appliances	400

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM PLUMBING FOR THE WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 11.

Plumber.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
W. Joyce	11 Agawam street	16	Fixtures	$175
L. Pike	19 Bay State road	5	Fixtures	575
I. Gerson	121 Blake street	18	Fixtures	50
W. Cooper	69 Hackensack road	20	Fixtures	1,600
A. Figler	6 Kensington street	12	Fixtures	350
R. Wambolt	2 Louisburg square	5	Fixtures	100
A. Stahly	288 Neponset avenue	16	Fixtures	35
W. Kushmerek	58 Peacevale road	17	Fixtures	150
R. Frazier	839 Summer street	6	Fixtures	750
W. Joyce	3131 Washington street	11	Fixtures	100
E. Bailey	14 Beacon street	3	Fixtures	1,500
J. Woodacre	96 Bynner street	10	Fixtures	200
J. Gaudet	317 Cambridge street	22	Fixtures	1,000
R. Wambolt	10 Chandler street	5	Fixtures	27,000
H. McMahon	61 Cornell street	18	Fixtures	800
H. McMahon	65 Cornell street	18	Fixtures	800
H. McMahon	10 Donna terrace	18	Fixtures	800
H. McMahon	3 Franklin street	18	Fixtures	100
G. Crawford	193 Marlborough street	5	Fixtures	3,000
H. McMahon	49 Myopia street	18	Fixtures	800
J. Palumbo	42 Pleasant street	13	Fixtures	100
K. Hering	305 Pond street	19	Fixtures	100
H. McMahon	25 West Milton street	18	Fixtures	800
J. Vogel	655 Boylston street	5	Fixtures	125
S. Lucido	147 Cedar street	11	Fixtures	65
A. Hind	173 Savin Hill avenue	13	Fixtures	975
H. Hinckley	79 South street	11	Fixtures	55
D. Ayles	116 South street	3	Fixtures	250
F. Dwyer	3 West Milton street	18	Fixtures	700
F. Dwyer	7 West Milton street	18	Fixtures	700
D. Segal	485 Cambridge street	22	Fixtures	350
S. Kramer	200 Camden street	9	Fixtures	100
S. Landau	161 Devonshire street	3	Fixtures	600
G. Trethewey	3 Haslet street	20	Fixtures	200
G. Trethewey	292 Kittredge street	18	Fixtures	280
C. Lang	18 Larkhill road	20	Fixtures	23
A. Grogan	299 Main street	2	Fixtures	300
J. Leon	102 Oakmere street	20	Fixtures	100
D. Greenwood	47 Prince street	19	Fixtures	200
D. Weinberg	16 Riverview street	20	Fixtures	700
S. Shuman	165 Tremont street	3	Fixtures	1,200
C. Lang	243 West Roxbury Parkway	20	Fixtures	33
J. Kerrigan	101 Babson street	18	Fixtures	475
H. Geddis	8 Chester place	20	Fixtures	360
L. Speers	217 Chestnut Hill avenue	22	Fixtures	1,500
J. Devlin	303 Congress street	3	Fixtures	150
S. Clayman	74 Hawthorne street	19	Fixtures	1,150

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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Dorothy E. Gordon, 98 West Canton street, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Marjorie K. O'Connor, 85 Tower street, Jamaica Plain, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Louise McKeever, 17 Kensington street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Barbara J. Thomas, 130 Stanwood street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Mae E. Ellis, 774 Shawmut avenue, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Leo D. Gibbons, 62 Edson street, Dorchester, guard, $53 a week.

Charles F. Crowley, 910 Harrison avenue, guard, $53 a week.

George W. Nelson, 45 Beechland street, Roslindale, guard, $53 a week.

Chester W. French, 120 Stratton street, Dorchester, guard, $53 a week.

Frank T. Venable, 50 Catawba street, guard, $53 a week.

Phyllis Skobeleff, 8 Howell street, Dorchester, laboratory assistant, $45.50 a week.

Bertha Guisti, 2775 Washington street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $45.50 a week.

Agnes Richards Chiano, 5 Shandon road, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $50.50 a week.

Emma G. Doran, 56 Savin Hill avenue, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Louise Owirka, 150 H street, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Dorothy Luciano, 108 Magnolia street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Eleanor Hobart, 66 Eustis street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Mary Manifacc, 103 Highland street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Mary E. O'Connell, 24 Montpelier road, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Priscilla Mayne, 325 West Third street, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Phyllis Dwyer, 699 East Sixth street, South Boston, laboratory technician, $58 a week.

Ann M. Langone, 17 Lowell street, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Pelgia Smallcomb, 46 L street, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Rose M. Butts, 23 Leroy street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Joan M. Fogarty, 11 Trimount place, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Rosanna McGinn, 520 East Fifth street, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Ida M. Mazzetti, 96 East Cottage street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Margaret M. Foley, 179 West Third street, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Antrynette Hobbs Seymour, 85 West Brookline street, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Eloise C. Gary, 14 East Brookline street, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Maybelle A. Regan, 46 Danube street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Carrie W. Miller, 53 Linden Park street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Helen F. Hennessey, 37 O'Callaghan Way, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Helen T. Dresser, 65 P street, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Mary H. Bell, 684 East Second street, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Alice Manning, 16 Beckler avenue, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Mary Roche, 15 Shepard street, Brighton, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Margaret A. Melly, 45 Chelmsford street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Agnes L. Biagiotti, 29 Dorset street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Ollie M. Knox, 610 Columbus avenue, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Mary E. Fondanova, 116 Eustis street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Ethel M. Corbin, 7 Milford street, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Maria E. Crockett, 722 Shawmut avenue, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Margaret Ramsay Galvin, 290 Talbot avenue, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Dorothy Krauss, 22 Lakeville road, Jamaica Plain, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Priscilla Mayne, 325 West Third street, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Nora Megna, 89 Shirley street, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Dorothy C. Royals, 42 Catawba street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Catherine Whooley, 580 Commonwealth avenue, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Lena E. Lowry, 176 Monticello avenue, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Isabelle C. Peters, 97 Regent street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Dorothy E. Stewart, 23 Sackville street, Charlestown, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Shirley Gash, 5 Cazenove street, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Thelma V. Regan, 14 Melbourne street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Grace V. Currie, 299 Adams street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Margaret M. Boyle, 1413 Washington street, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Nora Conley, 40 Washburn street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Kathleen B. Lord, 28 Bexley road, Roslindale, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Nunzia Minichiello, 212 Chelsea street,

East Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Anna J. Boardman, 156 West Canton street, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Mary L. Logue, 1 Mt. Vernon street, Charlestown, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Catherine DeFazio, 21 Tileston street, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Donna Galiano, 20 Montpelier road, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

Alfred Melchin, 651 East Broadway, South Boston, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

James Burgo, 23 East Springfield street, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Guy Messina, 20 Minot street, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Joseph Russo, 8 Sumner terrace, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Long Island Division.

Adolph J. Patinskas, 46 Spring street, Brockton, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Helen Miller, 26 East Springfield street, attendant nurse, $45.50 a week.

Agnes I. Gilmartin, 21 McKone street, Neponset, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

Sarah King, 37 Woodward avenue, Roxbury, hospital laundry worker, $43 a week.

Lois Unstead, 190 Hillside street, Roxbury, graduate practical nurse, $53 a week.

Anmarie Polleck, 449 Crescent avenue, Chelsea, graduate practical nurse, $53 a week.

Margaret C. Curran, 37 Burgoyne street, Dorchester, graduate practical nurse, $53 a week.

Catherine M. McLellan, 3544½ Washington street, Jamaica Plain, graduate practical nurse, $53 a week.

Marie L. Joseph, 18 Blanchard street, Roxbury, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Florence A. Gomez, 19 Fairfield street, Braintree, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Jane M. O'Meara, 382 Commonwealth avenue, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Richard Mulhall, 21 Oakley street, Dorchester, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Sewer Division.

James A. D'Agostino, 29 Pitts street, steam fireman, $60.50 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Philomena Fico, 136 Bowdoin street, Dorchester, clerk and typist, $48 a week.

Salvatore V. Freddura, 350 Hanover street, social worker, $73 a week.

Ellen C. Doyle, 25 Walbridge street, Allston, social worker, $76.50 a week.

Jeanette Rapacki, 182 Chelsea street, East Boston, statistical machine operator, $45.50 a week.

Virginia M. Shea, 41 Owencroft road, Dorchester, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Helen M. Linstead, 272 Park street, West Roxbury, clerk and typist, $45.50 a week.

Winifred L. Hoyt, 33 Revere street, social worker, $65.50 a week.

Elaine M. Gilmore, 34 Vinson street, Dorchester, social worker, $65.50 a week.

Freida Wheeler, 125 Ruthven street, Roxbury, social worker, $65.50 a week.

Promotions.

BOSTON RETIREMENT BOARD.

Harold B. Sacks, 14 Cleaves street, Roxbury, from senior pension examiner, temporary, at $68 a week to senior pension examiner, permanent, at $68 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Sanatorium Division.

James P. Slattery, 454 Massachusetts avenue, from hospital kitchen worker at $50.50 a week to senior hospital kitchen worker, temporary, at $53 a week.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

Buildings Division.

Thomas F. Norton, 90 Heath street, Jamaica Plain, from junior building custodian at $60.50 a week to steam fireman, temporary, at $63 a week.

VETERANS' SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Catherine B. O'Neil, 27 Park Drive, from clerk and stenographer at $50.50 a week to senior clerk and stenographer at $55.50 a week.

Transfers.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Health Division.

John E. O'Rourke, 25 St. Peter street, Jamaica Plain, from Hospital Department as clerk and messenger at $50.50 a week to Health Department, Health Division, as clerk and typist at $50.50 a week.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

Buildings Division.

John H. Downes, 947 Adams street, Dorchester, from State Public Health Department as watchman at $49.42 a week to Real Property Department, Buildings Division, as watchman at $53 a week.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Collecting Division.

Anthony J. D'Arcangelo, 70 Vallar road, East Boston, from Public Works Department as senior clerk and typist at $58 a week to Treasury Department, Collecting Division, as senior clerk and typist at $58 a week.

Leaves of Absence.

CITY PLANNING BOARD.

Gladys P. Lyons, 16 Chester street, Arlington, principal planner, temporary, at $108.25 a week.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Terence J. McGonagle, 57 Austin street, Hyde Park, fire fighter, $77.58 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

George Doyle, 266 Hemenway street, hospital house worker, $50.50 a week.

Mary Tierney, 115 Zeigler street, Roxbury, senior hospital house worker, $60.50 a week.

Francis J. Curley, 29 East Springfield street, hospital house worker, $50.50 a week.

Julia Davis, 31 Warren avenue, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $50.50 a week.

Mary I. Barry, 3 Remington street, Dorchester, floor nurse, $70.50 a week.

Janet Thackerey, 305 Massachusetts avenue, head nurse, $73 a week.

Kathryn R. Sacchetti, 457 Gallivan Boulevard, Dorchester, head nurse, $73 a week.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Pauline M. Connolly, 73 Moseley street, Dorchester, junior clerk and stenographer, $50.50 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Water Division.

Edward N. Wallace, 64 Fuller street, Dorchester, water meter reader, $68 a week.

Step-Rate Increases.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Purchasing Division.

Michael DeSimone, senior legal assistant, temporary, from $94 to $98.75 a week.

Dorothy Penta, senior clerk and typist, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Susan H. Pucillo, senior clerk and typist, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Helen R. Roth, senior clerk and typist, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

Murad Adjemian, traffic signal repairman, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Joseph Milliard, traffic sign maintenance man, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Mary E. Hourihan, clerk and typist, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Elaine V. Barker, clerk and typist, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

James W. Marley, general foreman Fire Department maintenance, from $90.50 to $94 a week.

John G. LeBlanc, welder, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Thomas J. O'Donnell, fire apparatus repairman, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Health Division.

John T. Ryder, environmental sanitation inspector, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Sanatorium Division.

Eula Carey, hospital medical worker, from $50.82 to $53 a week.

Cecelia Byrne, telephone operator, part time, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Patrick Murtagh, chief power plant engineer, from $87 to $90.50 a week.

Vivian Brooks, licensed attendant nurse from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Elwood Burrows, licensed attendant nurse, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Leo LaFond, licensed attendant nurse, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Evelyn MacKay, licensed attendant nurse, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Elizabeth Molloy, registered graduate nurse, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Kathleen Norton, registered graduate nurse, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Edith Longa, hospital medical worker, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Paul Lombardi, hospital medical worker, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

William MacArthur, senior hospital kitchen worker, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

Louis Miller, senior hospital kitchen worker, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

LICENSING BOARD.

Paul J. Savage, head administrative clerk, from $103.50 to $108.25 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Robert A. Bushey, laborer, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Patrick S. Earner, laborer, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

William F. Kilroy, laborer, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Peter J. Lehane, blacksmith, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Charles E. McCluskey, Jr., recreation instructor, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

John L. Sullivan, laborer, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Mary A. McCormick, matron, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

Cemetery Division.

Andrew A. Ginnochio, grave digger, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

James E. Baxter, commitment and transfer officer, from $87 to $90.50 a week.

Dennis P. Glynn, commitment and transfer officer, from $83.50 to $87 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Automotive Division.

Joseph O'Donnell, storekeeper, temporary, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Highway Division.

Francis Culhane, highway construction inspector, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

William D. Walsh, senior engineering aid, temporary, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

John J. Carey, laborer, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

John J. Carey, motor equipment operator and laborer, temporary, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

Sumner Tunnel.

Peter Joyce, tollman guard, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Adams Kasper, tollman guard, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Survey Division.

Saverio A. DeFronzo, clerk and typist, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Collecting Division.

John W. Barry, head administrative clerk, from $103.50 to $108.25 a week.

VETERANS' SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Thomas J. Sheehan, deputy commissioner of veterans' benefits and services, from $108.25 to $113 a week.

Edmund W. Collins, senior clerk, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Clerks and Typists.

	From	To
Emma Coran,	$43.00—	$45.50
May E. Diggs,	43.00—	45.50
Antionette Giglio,	48.00—	50.50
Eleanor Grimes,	50.50—	53.00
Robert Hannan,	43.00—	45.50
Joan Hurley,	43.00—	45.50
Florence Jones,	43.00—	45.50
Mary J. Kelly,	48.00—	50.50
Lorraine Lyons,	48.00—	50.50
Marie O'Sullivan,	48.00—	50.50
Carmella Pistone,	48.00—	50.50
Joan Redman,	48.00—	50.50
Mildred Ross,	43.00—	45.50
Athena Saravelas,	48.00—	50.50
Barbara Twigg,	48.00—	50.50

Junior Building Custodians.

	From	To
Walter Taylor,	$58.00—	$60.50
Robert Martin,	55.50—	58.00

Senior Clerks and Typists.

	From	To
Mary R. Barrett,	$60.50—	$63.00
Mildred Brennan,	60.50—	63.00
Pauline Calderone,	60.50—	63.00
Elizabeth Condon,	60.50—	63.00
Sally Davis,	60.50—	63.00
Mary Duross,	58.00—	60.50
Mary Healey,	63.00—	65.50
Rita Hegerich,	60.50—	63.00
Jane Kiernan,	60.50—	63.00
Grace Lane,	60.50—	63.00
Mary Lucas,	60.50—	63.00
Mary McEachern,	60.50—	63.00
Georgiana Murphy,	63.00—	65.50
Estelle Power,	65.50—	68.00
Paul Salamone,	60.50—	63.00
Agnes Stapleton,	60.50—	63.00
Mary F. White,	60.50—	63.00

Social Workers.

	From	To
Lelia Robertson,	$65.50—	$68.00
Ruth Weldon,	70.50—	73.00

Social Work Supervisors.

	From	To
Joel Greenwald,	$83.50—	$87.00
Ruth Griffin,	83.50—	87.00
Frances Sullivan,	80.00—	83.50
John Twombly,	80.00—	83.50

Telephone Operators.

	From	To
Helen Dalton,	$60.50—	$63.00
Helen Shea,	60.50—	63.00

Gloria Taylor, senior bookkeeper, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Mary Sweeney, assistant matron, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

Michael McGonagle, jail officer, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

SUPERIOR CRIMINAL COURT.

Lena A. Velice, senior clerk, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Rita L. Bannister, clerk, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following requests:

ELECTION DEPARTMENT.

For the month ending September 30:

William L. Barry, senior assistant registrar of voters, 14 hours.

Mary Corbett, assistant registrar of voters, 4 hours.

Timothy Cronin, assistant registrar of voters, 12 hours.

William Cummings, principal assistant registrar of voters, 10 hours.

John A. Doyle, assistant registrar of voters, 15 hours.

Frederick Elliot, voting machine custodian, 76¼ hours and 2 days.

Andrew Fein, assistant registrar of voters, 15½ hours.

John Flavin, senior assistant registrar of voters, 6½ hours.

Raymond Frazer, assistant registrar of voters, 46¼ hours and 2 days.

A. Josephine Haid, senior assistant registrar of voters, 10 hours.

William Kane, assistant registrar of voters, 78¾ hours and 2 days.

Edward Kennedy, head clerk, 24 hours.

Margaret Lang, executive secretary, 6½ hours.

John Ledwick, assistant registrar of voters, 16 hours.

Guy E. Leone, assistant executive secretary, 49½ hours and 2 days.

Peter Lynch, head assistant registrar of voters, 10 hours.

Robert MacRitchie, principal assistant registrar of voters, 11½ hours.

Robert Marden, senior assistant registrar of voters, 11 hours.

John McLaughlin, senior assistant registrar of voters, 12 hours.

Herbert Meyer, senior assistant registrar of voters, 18½ hours.

William Murphy, assistant registrar of voters, 4 hours.

Walter Murray, assistant registrar of voters, 8 hours.

Generoso Musto, assistant registrar of voters, 72¾ hours and 2 days.

George Nichols, senior assistant registrar of voters, 13 hours.

William O'Brien, voting machine custodian, 78¾ hours and 2 days.

Kathleen O'Malley, assistant registrar of voters, 4 hours.

John Reilly, chief voting machine custodian, 71¼ hours and 2 days.

Ralph Richards, assistant registrar of voters, 11 hours.

Lawrence Sullivan, senior assistant registrar of voters, 69¾ hours and 2 days.

William Walsh, assistant registrar of voters, 25 hours.

Alexander White, assistant registrar of voters, 10½ hours.

Leo Willett, assistant registrar of voters, 9 hours.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

For the week ending October 3:

Walter Shaughnessey, park maintenance foreman, 6 hours at $2.09 an hour.

Dennis N. O'Leary, principal clerk, 12 hours at $2 an hour.

Thomas Roberto, golf course foreman, 40 hours at $2 an hour.

Patrick J. Burke, collector, 40 hours at $2.26 an hour.

Neil P. Canney, park maintenance foreman, 40 hours at $2.18 an hour.

Alfred Repucci, superintendent, stadium custodian, 20 hours at $2.08 an hour.

John W. Hardiman, superintendent, recreation equipment, 16 hours at $2.08 an hour.

William Collins, general foreman, park maintenance, 24 hours at $2.35 an hour.

Harry L. McGuire, tree maintenance foreman, 32 hours at $2 an hour.

Cemetery Division.

Edwin W. Banks, cemetery foreman, Evergreen Cemetery, 8 hours at $2 an hour.

VETERAN'S RETIREMENT.

The Mayor has approved the following veteran's application for retirement:

John J. Glynn, 761 American Legion Highway, Roslindale, lieutenant, Fire Department.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award the contracts for work, materials, and supplies, in accordance with recommendations of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Purchasing Division.

Upon September 29 the Mayor approved a contract with lowest bidders as indicated for furnishing milk and cream to the various city departments from October 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956. Approximate total amounts of contracts will be as follows:

Whiting Milk Company: Hospital Department—Boston City Hospital, $83,494, Sanatorium Division, $27,200.82—$110,-694.82.

United Farmers of New England, Inc.: Hospital Department—Long Island Hospital Division, $28,060.10

H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc.: Parks and Recreation Department— Franklin Park Zoo, $870, Suffolk County Jail, $472.60—$1,342.60.

All prices are net plus charge for containers as indicated on the accompanying tabulation.

Bids, opened September 1, were as follows:

Boston City Hospital.

Item 1. 41,000 Cans Homogenized Milk, 8-Quart Cans, Per Can.—Martin S. Cosgrove & Sons, Inc., $1.52; Deerfoot Farms, Division of General Ice Cream Corporation, $1.45; Herlihy Brothers, Inc., $1.497; H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., $1.45; United Farmers of New England, Inc., $1.80; Whiting Milk Company, $1.44.*

Item 2. 280,000 Cartons Homogenized Milk, 8-Ounce Cartons, Per Carton.—Martin S. Cosgrove & Sons, Inc., 6 cents; Deerfoot Farms, Division of General Ice Cream Corporation, 5.65 cents; Herlihy Brothers, Inc., 5.9 cents; H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., 5.75 cents; United Farmers of New England, Inc., 6.75 cents; Whiting Milk Company, 5.7 cents.*

Item 3. 6,500 Quarts Grade A Milk, Glass, Per Quart.—Martin S. Cosgrove & Sons, Inc., 22 cents; Deerfoot Farms, Division of General Ice Cream Corporation, 20 cents; Herlihy Brothers, Inc., 20 cents; H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., 20.3 cents; United Farmers of New England, Inc., 26 cents; Whiting Milk Company, 18 cents.*

Item 4. 2,300 Cans Light Cream, 8-Quart Cans, Per Can.—Martin S. Cosgrove & Sons, Inc., $3.51; Deerfoot Farms, Division of General Ice Cream Corporation, $4.25; Herlihy Brothers, Inc., $3.50; H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., $3.83; United Farmers of New England, Inc., $4.77; Whiting Milk Company, $3.12.*

Item 5. 370 Quarts Light Cream, Glass, Per Quart.—Martin S. Cosgrove & Sons, Inc., 57 cents; Deerfoot Farms, Division of General Ice Cream Corporation, 50 cents; Herlihy Brothers, Inc., 58 cents; H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., 52 cents; United Farmers of New England, Inc., 72 cents; Whiting Milk Company, 40 cents.*

Totals for Boston City Hospital.—Martin S. Cosgrove, Inc., $88,833.90; Deerfoot Farms, $86,530; Herlihy Brothers, Inc., $87,461.60; H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., $85,870.90; United Farmers of New England, Inc., $105,627.40; Whiting Milk Company, $83,494.

Long Island Hospital.

Item 6. 18,000 Cans Homogenized Milk, 8-Quart Cans, Per Can.—Martin S. Cosgrove & Sons, Inc., $1.485; Herlihy Brothers, Inc., $1.497; Deerfoot Farms, $1.45; H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., $1.39; United Farmers of New England, Inc., $1.35*; Whiting Milk Company, $1.43.

Item 7. 400 Quarts Homogenized Milk, Paper, Per Quart.—Martin S. Cosgrove & Sons, Inc., 19 cents; Herlihy Brothers, Inc., 19.5 cents; Deerfoot Farms, 18.5 cents; H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., 19.5 cents; United Farmers of New England, Inc., 19.4 cents*; Whiting Milk Company, 18 cents.

Item 8. 700 Cans Light Cream, 8-Quart Cans, Per Can.—Martin S. Cosgrove & Sons, Inc., $3.46; Herlihy Brothers, Inc., $3.50; Deerfoot Farms, $4.25; H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., $3.90; United Farmers of New England, Inc., $3.90*; Whiting Milk Company, $3.12.

Item 9. 3,000 Pints Light Cream, Paper, Per Pint.—Martin S. Cosgrove & Sons, Inc., 30 cents; Herlihy Brothers, Inc., 29.5 cents; Deerfoot Farms, 25 cents; H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., 26 cents; United Farmers of New England, Inc., 28 cents*; Whiting Milk Company, 21 cents.

Item 10. 250 Pints Heavy Cream, Paper, Per Pint.—Martin S. Cosgrove & Sons, Inc., 41 cents; Herlihy Brothers, Inc., 47.5 cents; Deerfoot Farms, 40 cents; H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., 47 cents; United Farmers of New England, Inc., 45 cents*; Whiting Milk Company, 36 cents.

Totals for Long Island Hospital.—Martin S. Cosgrove & Sons, Inc., $30,-230.50; Herlihy Brothers, Inc., $30,-477.75; Deerfoot Farms, $29,999; H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., $28,725.50; United Farmers of New England, Inc., $28,-060.10*; Whiting Milk Company, $28,716.

Mattapan Sanatorium.

Item 11. 18,000 Cans Homogenized Milk, 8-Quart Cans, Per Can.—Martin S. Cosgrove & Sons, Inc., $1.52; Herlihy Brothers, Inc., $1.497; Deerfoot Farms, $1.45; H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., $1.45; United Farmers of New England, Inc., $1.80; Whiting Milk Company, $1.41.*

Item 12. 650 Quarts Homogenized Milk, Glass, Per Quart.—Martin S. Cosgrove & Sons, Inc., 19 cents; Herlihy Brothers, Inc., 18.5 cents; Deerfoot Farms, 17.75 cents; H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., 19 cents; United Farmers of New England, Inc., 23 cents; Whiting Milk Company, 17 cents.*

Item 13. 13,000 Cartons Homogenized Milk, 8-Ounce Cartons, Per Carton.—Martin S. Cosgrove & Sons, Inc., 6 cents; Herlihy Brothers, Inc., 5.9 cents; Deerfoot Farms, 5.65 cents; H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., 5.8 cents; United Farmers of New England, Inc., 6.75 cents; Whiting Milk Company, 5.5 cents.*

Item 14. 1,600 Quarts Light Cream, Glass, Per Quart.—Martin S. Cosgrove & Sons, Inc., 57 cents; Herlihy Brothers, Inc., 57 cents; Deerfoot Farms, 50 cents; H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., 51 cents; United Farmers of New England, Inc., 72 cents; Whiting Milk Company, 38 cents.*

Item 15. 350 Pints Light Cream, Glass, Per Pint.—Martin S. Cosgrove & Sons, Inc., 29 cents; Herlihy Brothers, Inc., 29 cents; Deerfoot Farms, 24 cents; H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., 25 cents; United Farmers of New England, Inc., 36 cents; Whiting Milk Company, 20 cents.*

Item 16. 24 Quarts Skim Milk, Glass, Per Quart.—Martin S. Cosgrove & Sons, Inc., 20 cents; Herlihy Brothers, Inc., 19 cents; Deerfoot Farms, 17.75 cents; H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., 17 cents; United Farmers of New England, Inc., 25 cents; Whiting Milk Company, 18 cents.*

Item 17. 260 Quarts Heavy Cream, Glass, Per Quart.—Martin S. Cosgrove & Sons, Inc., 78 cents; Herlihy Brothers, Inc., 92 cents; Deerfoot Farms, 80 cents; H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., 90 cents; United Farmers of New England, Inc., $1.12; Whiting Milk Company, 65 cents.*

Item 18. 800 Jars Heavy Cream, 8-Ounce, Glass, Per Jar.—Martin S. Cosgrove & Sons, Inc., 22 cents; Herlihy Brothers, Inc., 25 cents; Deerfoot Farms, 21 cents; H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., 24 cents; United Farmers of New England, Inc., 29 cents; Whiting Milk Company, 18 cents.*

Totals for Mattapan Sanatorium.—Martin S. Cosgrove & Sons, Inc., $29,660.60; Herlihy Brothers, Inc., $29,-290.51; Deerfoot Farms, $28,214.14; H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., $28,311.08; United Farmers of New England, Inc., $35,-234.20; Whiting Milk Company, $27,-200.82.*

Franklin Park Zoo.

Item 19. 600 Cans Homogenized Milk, 8-Quart Cans, Per Can.—Martin S. Cosgrove & Sons, Inc., $1.65; Herlihy Brothers, Inc., $1.55; Deerfoot Farms, $1.45; H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., $1.45*; United Farmers of New England, Inc., $1.80; Whiting Milk Company, $1.63.

Totals for Franklin Park Zoo.—Martin S. Cosgrove & Sons, Inc., $990; Herlihy Brothers, Inc., $930; Deerfoot Farms, $870; H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., $870*; United Farmers of New England, Inc., $1.080; Whiting Milk Company, $978.

Suffolk County Jail.

Item 20. 340 Cans Homogenized Milk, 8-Quart Cans, Per Can.—Martin S. Cosgrove & Sons, Inc., $1.65; Herlihy Brothers, Inc., $1.55; Deerfoot Farms, $1.45; H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., $1.39*; United Farmers of New England, Inc., $1.80; Whiting Milk Company, $1.63.

Totals for Suffolk County Jail.—Martin S. Cosgrove & Sons, Inc., $561; Herlihy Brothers, Inc., $527; Deerfoot Farms, $493; H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., $472.60*; United Farmers of New England, Inc., $612; Whiting Milk Company, $554.20.

Charge on Containers.

8-Ounce Bottles, Each.—Martin S. Cosgrove & Sons, Inc., 5 cents; Herlihy Brothers, Inc., 5 cents.

1-Pint Bottles, Each.—Martin S. Cosgrove & Sons, Inc., 5 cents; Herlihy Brothers, Inc., 5 cents.

1-Quart Bottles, Each.—Martin S. Cosgrove & Sons, Inc., 5 cents; Herlihy Brothers, Inc., 5 cents.

8-Quart Cans, Each.—Martin S. Cosgrove & Sons, Inc., $4; Herlihy Brothers, Inc., $3; H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., $3.50; United Farmers of New England, Inc., $4.50; Whiting Milk Company, $3.

Discount.—Martin S. Cosgrove & Sons, Inc., no discount; Herlihy Brothers, Inc., net; Deerfoot Farms, 2 per cent, time of payment; H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., no discount; United Farmers of New England, Inc., no discount; Whiting Milk Company, net.

Remarks.—Herlihy Brothers, Inc., discount 2 per cent, time of payment at Auditor's; Deerfoot Farms, Items 1, 4, 6, 8, 11, 19, and 20, no 8-quart cans available, equivalent quantities offered in half-gallon packages.

* Contract awarded.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Upon October 6 the Mayor approved a contract with R. A. Buccella & Sons, Inc., for sewerage works in Business street and Barry street, Hyde Park, at an estimated cost of $18,976. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed December 31, 1955. The following bids were received September 29:

R. A. Buccella & Sons, Inc., $18,976; Z. & S. Construction Company, Inc., $19,379.50; Edward Vozzella, $22,090.20; C. Russo, Inc., $27,071; H. DiTullio & Sons, Inc., $27,128; E. Susi & Williams Corporation, $35,245.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

The School Committee has approved proposals for furnishing and installing rubber face guards on new and used football helmets for Boston public schools. Bids were opened on Tuesday, September 6, from the following concerns:

Arrow System, Division of Mulvey, Company, Inc.; Ivory System, Inc.

Award was made to the lowest responsible bidder as follows:

Ivory System, Inc., $1,496.23.

The School Committee has approved proposals for furnishing basketball, track, and hockey equipment for Boston public schools. Bids were opened on Wednesday, July 27, from the following concerns:

Max Goodman & Sons; Horace Partridge Company, Division of Wilson Sporting Goods Company; James W. Brine Company; Collegiate House, Inc.; W. H. Brine Company; "Bucky" Warren, Inc.; Huber Sports Equipment, Inc.; Track and Field Equipment Supply Company.

Awards were made to the lowest responsible bidders as follows:

"Bucky" Warren, Inc., $2,110.52; James W. Brine Company, Inc., $5,894.15; Collegiate House, Inc., $1,079.35; W. H. Brine Company, $919.58; Horace Partridge Athletic Goods, Division of Wilson Sporting Goods Company, $5,444.16.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

Upon varying dates as indicated the Mayor approved contracts with commercial houses, contractors, and business organizations for furnishing labor, supplies, etc. Communications from heads of the departments interested were as follows:

ELECTION DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, October 3, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR:

The Board of Election Commissioners respectfully requests that permission be given them to award the contract for printing ballot labels for voting machines and paper ballots for the coming city election to the firm of Wright & Potter Printing Company, 32 Derne street, Boston, without advertising for bids, at the following prices:

50,000 official paper ballots (46 precincts), including specimen ballots (10 for each precinct), boxed in open window cartons, $1,475.05.*

24,400 "challenged ballots" (100 for each of the 244 voting machine precincts), printed "Challenged Ballot" in red ink across filing, boxed in open window cartons, $348.75.

*In the event that additional ballots are necessary in excess of 50,000, ballots will be supplied at the rate of $8.90 per M.

Voting machine cards and specimen ballots for 244 precincts (3 cards each for 718 Shoup and 700 automatic voting machines), with 10 specimen ballots for each precinct, $5,087.50.

20,000 absent voters' ballots (290 precincts), $770.95.

20,000 war ballots (290 precincts), $770.95.

Total, $8,453.20.

The ballots for the coming city election will contain 290 precinct changes and 22 ward changes in the make-up. Great care will be required on the part of the printer, as the time for printing such ballots and ballot labels and making a delivery to this office is very limited.

The Wright & Potter Printing Company is the only printing concern especially equipped to do this work, having printed the state and City of Boston ballots for a long period of years. For this reason, and to safeguard the voters of the city as far as possible against error, this request is made.

Respectfully yours,

BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS,
DAVID LASKER, *Chairman.*

ADDITIONS TO CONTRACT.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Faneuil Construction Company has been ordered to make the following addition to the contract for the Peter Faneuil School:

Refinish six ceilings on top floor and stairway ceilings on top floor. Repaint two classrooms on top floor. Damage was caused by torrential rains.

For this additional work the sum of $650 will be added to the contract, making the account as follows: contract price, $6,485; total additions, $650; amount of contract, $7,135.

H. Piken Company has been ordered to make the following addition to the contract for the Roslindale High School:

Upon the completion of the washing of the unpainted walls of the auditorium, speckle all cracks in the walls that are large enough to receive fill without cutting, apply one coat of sealer and flat paint, and, when all is thoroughly dried, apply a second coat of flat enamel of a color selected by the Superintendent.

For this additional work the sum of $1,300 will be added to the contract, making the account as follows: contract price, $12,100; total additions, $1,300; amount of contract, $13,400.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Dooley Brothers, Inc., has been directed to perform the following extra work under the contract dated October 21, 1954, for bituminous concrete pavement in A street, from Dorchester avenue to Congress street:

At 19A A street remove slate cover on areaway in sidewalk, brick up opening in foundation wall and backfill with gravel, including all incidental work.

Estimated cost of extra work, $100.

S. J. Tomasello Corporation has been directed to perform the following extra work under the contract dated June 20, 1955, for bituminous concrete pavement in Ardale street, Bellaire road, Cerdan avenue, Colby road, Corey street, Farquhar street, Maple street, and Pinehurst street:

In existing backfilled trenches over lighting conduits excavate earth to a depth of 6 inches, remove pavement for a distance of 6 inches on each side, and place a 6-inch concrete mat flush with existing pavement. A 6-inch shoulder shall be provided around the perimeter of all openings to insure a bearing on undisturbed soil for the concrete mat. High early strength Portland cement shall be used in the concrete mat, and the work is to be done by compressor and hand labor. Price to be paid for each square yard of concrete furnished and laid, the sum of $5. Ardale street, approximately 42.8 square yards; Farquhar street, approximately 51.6 square yards; Maple street, approximately 7.2 square yards—total, 101.6 square yards at $5.

Estimated cost of extra work, $508.

OMIT AND SUBSTITUTE WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Charles Todesca has been directed to omit and substitute the following work under the contract dated August 1, 1955, for bituminous concrete pavement in Balfour street, Davern avenue, Everton street, Humes road, Juliette street, Mt. Ida road, Peacevale road, Peverell street, Templeton street, Torrey street, Wilmington avenue, and Woodcliff street:

In Humes road, omit the furnishing and laying of approximately 35 tons of bituminous concrete base for sidewalks at $11 per ton and the furnishing and laying of approximately 35 tons of bituminous concrete wearing surface for sidewalks at $11 per ton; substitute the furnishing and laying of approximately 4,500 square feet of artificial stone sidewalks at 38 cents per square foot.

Estimated cost of substituted work, $1,710; estimated cost of omitted work, $770; estimated increase in cost, $940.

TRANSFERS OF APPROPRIATIONS.

The Mayor has approved the following requests for transfers of appropriations:

FINANCE COMMISSION.

From 499, Current Charges and Obligations (Not Otherwise Classified), $75, to 593, Library, $75.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Paving Service.

From Paving Service, 100, Permanent Employees, $20,000, to Automotive Division, 300, Automotive Supplies and Materials, $20,000.

Sumner Tunnel.

From 100, Permanent Employees, $4,000, to 390, Other Supplies and Materials, $4,000.

Water Division.

From 397, Public Works, Supplies and Materials, $34,000, to 595, Public Works Equipment, $34,000.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Approval has been given for the extension of the time of completion of the contract with John N. Kennedy Company, Inc., for interior and exterior painting, including fire escapes, at the Chapman

School from September 10, 1955, to November 1, 1955. This extension was requested due to leak in roof over auditorium ceiling and lack of skilled help.

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Approval has been given for the extension of the time of completion of the contract approved August 4, 1955, with R & F Painting Company for interior and exterior painting at the Joshua Bates School from September 30, 1955, to October 31, 1955. This extension was requested because of difficulty in obtaining skilled help.

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Approval has been given for the extension of the time of completion of the contract approved August 8, 1955, with H. Piken Company for interior and exterior painting at the Roslindale High School from September 30, 1955, to November 15, 1955. This extension was requested because the work was delayed on account of school being in session and additional work.

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Approval has been given for the extension of the time of completion of the contract with City Building Wrecking Company for razing of W. C. Bryant School building, from September 8, 1955, to October 31, 1955. This extension was requested because, due to work on hand prior to this contract, work has been delayed on razing of this building.

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Approval has been given for the extension of the time of completion of the contract approved August 4, 1955, with Warner W. Walsh for interior and exterior painting at the East Boston High School from September 30, 1955, to November 15, 1955. This extension was requested because work was delayed on account of school being in session.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Approval has been given for the extension of the time of completion of the contract, approved August 16, 1955, with Arthur H. Curtis Company for furnishing and installing new oil burners in the Hyde Park High School from September 15, 1955, to December 15, 1955. This extension was requested because of delay in receiving materials from their source because of recent flood conditions.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

William P. Herlihy has been granted an extension of time until November 1, 1955, for the completion of the contract for constructing a new play area at Franklin Field, Dorchester.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Approval has been given for the extension of the time of completion of the contract dated April 1, 1955, with Defina & Sons, 14 Liberty street, Waltham, for reinforced concrete retaining wall and chain link fence in Westglow street from September 1, 1955, to October 15, 1955. This extension was requested because the contractor was delayed by the recent flood rain.

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Approval has been given for the extention of the time of completion of the contract dated July 1, 1955, with Baker & Co., Inc., 3475 Washington street, Jamaica Plain, for bituminous concrete pavement in Neponset avenue, from Adams street to Neponset traffic circle, from September 30, 1955, to October 22, 1955. This extension was requested because the State Department of Public Works voted to extend the time limit on the work.

CITY OF BOSTON AND COUNTY OF SUFFOLK.

STATISTICAL FACTS FOR THE YEAR 1954

Date of incorporation	February 23, 1822
Date of adoption of City Charter (amended January 7, 1925)	1909
Form of Government	Mayor and City Council
Area (square miles)	47.81
Population — Federal Census (August 1, 1950)	801,444
Number of employees as of February 1, 1954	22,806
Boston Housing Authority:	
Federal Program (7,920 apartments housing 7,920 families)	
Number of apartments in veterans' permanent 1- and 2-family homes housing 1,306 families	
State-Aided Developments (containing 3,177 apartments housing 3,177 families)	
Building Department:	
Permits issued	17,515
Estimated cost	$35,771,706
Cemeteries: Number 19—Area (acres)	161.71
Election Department:	
Registered voters	383,864
Number of ballots cast last general election	169,493
Percentage of registered voters voting	44.15
Fire Department:	
Number of stations	51
Number of fireboats	2
Alarms responded to	15,150
Health Department: Health Units	10
Hospitals (Including Boston Sanatorium):	
City Hospital:	
Number of buildings	57
Bed capacity	2,460
Patients, daily average:	
Wards	1,798
Out-patient	891
Long Island Hospital:	
Number of buildings	27
Population	952
Library Department:	
Number of libraries	37
Number of employees (full time)	640
Number of volumes	2,011,358
Circulation	3,162,338
Markets, number of	2
Municipal buildings, number of	27
Park Department: Parks, number of acres	2,240.29
Area of playgrounds and play areas (acres)	807.12
Number of playgrounds and play areas	121
Number of municipal golf links	2
Number of municipal beaches	3
Public grounds and squares (acres)	57.41
Swimming pools (indoor) 2, (outdoor) 2	4
Number of recreation centers and indoor bathhouses	15
Police Department:	
Number of stations and headquarters	18
Arrests	93,294
Public Works Department:	
Bridges, number of	101
Miles of accepted streets and alleys	731
Sewers: Miles of sewers	1,302.75
Catch basins	23,972
Average number of gallons pumped daily at main pumping station	112,980,821
Sumner Traffic Tunnel: Length (feet)	5,654
Two-lane drive: Vehicles passing through — 1953	10,835,674
Water Service:	
Number of meters in service	95,653
Per capita daily average consumption (gallons)	139
Miles of mains: Ordinary	999,136
High pressure	18.72
Rapid Transit: Miles of subways and tunnels	16.81
Schools:	
Number of school buildings	224
Number of teachers	3,655
Average membership	94,774
Average daily attendance:	
Elementary and junior high schools	54,546
High schools	16,201
Kindergartens	8,151
Special schools	1,800

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, October 3, 1955.

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 2 P.M., Senior Member KERRIGAN in the chair. Absent Councillors Hurley and White.

The Reverend Joseph F. Donovan of St. Ambrose Catholic Church, Dorchester, was escorted to the rostrum.

Coun. AHEARN in the chair.

INVOCATION BY REV. JOSEPH F. DONOVAN.

We pray Thee, O God of might, wisdom, and justice, through whom authority is rightly administered, laws are enacted, and judgments decreed, assist with Thy holy spirit of counsel and fortitude these men, that their administration may be conducted in righteousness and be eminently useful to Thy people over whom they preside, by encouraging due respect for virtue and religion, by a faithful execution of laws in justice and mercy, and by restraining vice and immorality.

Let the light of Thy divine wisdom direct their deliberations and shine forth in all their proceedings so that they may tend to the preservation of peace, the promotion of happiness, the increase of industry and sobriety, and may perpetuate to us the blessings of equal liberty under God. Amen.

At the request of Chairman AHEARN, a prayer was offered for the speedy recovery to good health of the President of the United States.

The meeting was opened with the salute to the Flag.

On motion of Councillor Piemonte, State Representative Michael A. Porrazzo was escorted to the rostrum.

JURORS DRAWN.

The following jurors were drawn in the manner prescribed by law, Councillor Hailer presiding at the box in the absence of the Mayor, viz.:

Fifty additional traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, to appear October 13, 1955:

John Buonopane, Ward 1; Harold K. Emmons, Ward 1; Julian Lambert, Ward 1; Michael Merino, Ward 3; Winifred Lawton, Jr., Ward 5; Thomas V. Callanan, Ward 6; Thomas F. Healey, Jr., Ward 6; Joseph Shehadi, Ward 6; Benjamin F. Hood, Ward 9; Carl R. Delvental, Ward 10; Herman Richardson, Ward 10; Martin D. Glynn, Ward 11; Roy P. James, Ward 11; Robert B. Maekie, Ward 11; Placido Frank Amante, Ward 12; John Bersin, Ward 12; Jackson W. Campbell, Ward 12; Morgan C. Christy, Ward 12; Israel Dobkin, Ward 12; Samuel Friedlander, Ward 12; Elizabeth Jackson, Ward 12; Richard W. Kilson, Ward 12; John D. Leary, Ward 13; Patriek J. O'Brien, Ward 13.

Saul Bearse, Ward 14; Jaek Cogan, Ward 14; Walter F. Crowe, Ward 14; Samuel Sadof, Ward 14; Lawrence F. Barry, Ward 15; Joseph F. Flaherty, Ward 15; James F. Nee, Ward 15; Frederick Reardon, Ward 15; Paul J. McCusty, Ward 16; Charles K. Morse, Ward 16; Horace E. Ryley, Ward 16; Joseph F. Strobel, Ward 16; John W. Halpin, Ward 17; Mildred R. Hodges, Ward 17; Frederick J. Diettrieh, Ward 18; Gerald Lane, Ward 18; Margaret E. McLaughlin, Ward 18; Roy R. Olson, Ward 18; Henry C. Scott, Ward 18; Charles H. Sullivan, Ward 19; Richard Nassif, Ward 20; James M. Fay, Ward 21; Roland A. Girouard, Ward 21; Pauline Carney, Ward 22; Joseph T. Dargin, Ward 22; Percy Delaney, Ward 22.

Ninety additional traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, to appear October 24, 1955:

John F. Callahan, Ward 1; Cosmo Cardinale, Ward 1; Frank J. Cogliano, Ward 1; Michael Ferullo, Ward 1; Vincent Forgione, Ward 1; Vincent J. George, Ward 1; Bernard B. Morse, Ward 1; Robert E. Parkinson, Ward 1; Mary L. Penta, Ward 1; Edward A. Vieira, Ward 1; Edna F. Greeley, Ward 2; Oscar Liedtke, Ward 2; James P. Mahoney, Ward 2; John F. Sullivan, Ward 2; Louis V. McDonald, Ward 3; Domenic P. Vaiani, Ward 3; Stanley P. Davee, Ward 4; Charles E. Fuller, Ward 4; George B. Randall, Ward 4; Philip J. Arsenault, Ward 5; Helen W. Atwood, Ward 5; Mahlon T. Cowles, Ward 5; Laura Hill, Ward 5; Anna L. Nihill, Ward 5.

Alfred G. Lewando, Ward 6; Anthony C. Petrone, Ward 6; Daniel Flaherty, Jr., Ward 7; Edward F. McLaughlin, Ward 8; Norman R. Paille, Ward 8; Oliver Morrow, Ward 9; Edith E. Smith, Ward 9; William R. Alexander, Ward 10; Catherine A. Buckley, Ward 10; Charles Gibbons, Ward 10; Donald W. Graves, Ward 11; Joseph V. Gregory, Ward 11; James C. Ross, Ward 11; James W. Dawson, Ward 12; Theodore J. Johnson, Ward 12; Roderick C. MacDonald, Ward 12; Hyman Riman, Ward 12; Ira L. Ripley, Ward 12; Harry L. Rote, Ward 12; Arthur L. Russell, Ward 12; Morris Swartz, Ward 12; Louis Wolfe, Ward 12; Daniel Ambrosoli, Ward 13; Joseph A. Berg, Ward 13; George F. Chung, Ward 13; Hugh F. Coll, Ward 13; Frances R. Lentini, Ward 13; Arthur H. Swan, Ward 13.

Morris Aronson, Ward 14; Leo D. Corben, Ward 14; Bernard Friedstein, Ward 14; Albert I. Ginsberg, Ward 14; Francis J. O'Leary, Ward 14; Paul Sherman, Ward 14; Abraham P. Weinberg, Ward 14; Phyllis M. Katzke, Ward 15; Robert F. Fitzgerald, Ward 16; Mary E. Hanlon, Ward 16; Thomas Healy, Ward 16; John F. Williams, Ward 16; Gregory T. Desmond, Ward 17; Joseph Fischer, Ward 17; James M. Glynn, Ward 17; Lawrence W. Hargadon, Ward 17; Harold L. Hicks, Ward 17; Amy Moulton, Ward 17.

Joseph Berube, Ward 18; Joseph L. Corrigan, Ward 18; Blais J. DiSanto, Ward 18; Frederick R. McGowan, Ward 18; Gertrude M. Wade, Ward 18; Carl L. Mark, Ward 19; James J. McGowan, Ward 19; William R. Daly, Ward 20; John J. Donovan, Ward 20; Lillian F. MacLean, Ward 20; William M. Roberts, Ward 20; James E. Thompson, Ward 20; Lydia M. Cambell, Ward 21; Raymond M. Hogan, Ward 21; Douglas J. Bernard, Ward 22; Anthony Cedrone, Ward 22; Jerome J. Doherty, Ward 22; Philip J. Giordano, Ward 22; Thomas J. Larkin, Ward 22; Joseph P. Maguire, Ward 22.

APPOINTMENTS BY THE MAYOR.

Subject to confirmation by the Council, the Mayor submitted the following appointments:

Constable with authority to serve civil process upon filing of bond for the term ending April 30, 1956: Allen E. Silver, 1451 Blue Hill avenue, Mattapan.

Weighers of Coal for the term ending April 30, 1956: Myron Wilensky, 40 Mattapan street, Mattapan; Eva Beggelman, 153 Paris street, East Boston.

Severally referred to the Committee on Confirmations.

CONTINGENT FUND FOR PAYMENT OF RETROACTIVE WAGES UNDER THE CLASSIFICATION AND COMPENSATION PLAN FOR CITY EMPLOYEES.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, September 28, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Supervisor of Personnel relative to your order of August 29, 1955, concerning a setting up of a contingent fund for retroactive wages covering appeals by employees to the Compensation Review Board.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Administrative Services Department,
September 26, 1955.

Mr. Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.

Dear Sir:

This is in relation to the order passed by the City Council on August 29, 1955, which reads as follows:

"Ordered, That the administration of the Municipal Compensation Plan be administered so that each category of employees to whom an adjustment in wages is granted be paid retroactive wages from the date of their appeal to the Compensation Review Board.

"That a contingent fund be set aside each year to pay such retroactive wages as each appeal is determined by the Compensation Review Board."

I recommend against the adoption of the proposed order for the reason that there is no occasion for the contingent fund recommended inasmuch as wage increases granted by the Compensation Review Board are to their express terms and take effect only after the date of the approval of such wage increases by the Mayor. Substantial constitutional questions would arise were any other procedure adopted.

Respectfully,
JOHN A. SULLIVAN,
Supervisor of Personnel.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

CHANGE OF GRADE IN CLASSIFICATION AND COMPENSATION PLAN FOR SERGEANTS AT SUMNER TUNNEL.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, September 28, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Supervisor of Personnel, concerning your order of September 12, 1955, relative to steps being taken to amend the Classification and Compensation Plan for sergeants at the Sumner Tunnel from Grade 18 to Grade 22.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Administrative Services Department,
September 26, 1955.

Mr. Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.

Dear Sir:

In relation to the attached order passed by the City Council on September 12, 1955, "that his Honor the Mayor be requested to take immediate steps to amend the Classification and Compensation Plan for sergeants at the Sumner Tunnel from Grade 18 to Grade 22," I would suggest that the employees involved take advantage of Rule 14 of the Rules for Administering the Compensation Plan for city employees. This rule reads as follows:

"Any employee aggrieved by the grade allocation of his or her position in the salary schedule, or in the application of these rules to his or her case, may request consideration of the facts by the Compensation Review Board. This Board shall consist of three members to be appointed by the Mayor. From time to time the Board may recommend to the Mayor changes in individual grade allocations and amendments or revisions in the rules of the plan."

Respectfully,
JOHN A. SULLIVAN,
Supervisor of Personnel.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

Coun. PIEMONTE moved that the City Clerk be instructed to request the Director of Administrative Services to furnish each of the affected personnel a copy of the foregoing letter at the earliest possible convenience.

The motion was carried.

ESTABLISHMENT OF RECREATION CENTER AT QUINCY STREET SCHOOL SITE.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, September 28, 1955.

To the City Record.

Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation relative to your order of September 19, 1955, concerning the establishing of a recreation center and play area on the site of the Quincy Street School.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Parks and Recreation Department,
September 26, 1955.

Mr. Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.

Dear Sir:

This will acknowledge memo from your office with attached order from Councillor McCormack requesting that the Parks and Recreation Department establish a recreation center and play area on the site of the former Quincy Street School, at the corner of Stanley street, Dorchester.

At this writing this property is in the custody of the School Department. It is contemplated that in the near future it will be transferred to the Parks and Recreation Department.

We will endeavor to arrange for funds in the 1956 budget for the development of this particular area.

Very truly yours,
FRANK R. KELLEY, Commissioner.

Placed on file.

SALE OF PIGS BY PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, September 22, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Penal Institutions Commissioner relative to the approval of your Honorable Body for the public sale of one hundred pigs at the House of Correction, Deer Island, that are surplus.

Respectfully
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Penal Institutions Department,
September 21, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Sir:

This department has a surplus of one hundred pigs at the House of Correction, Deer Island, which we would like to sell. These pigs weigh about one hundred pounds each, a total of ten thousand pounds.

At the present market price the City of Boston should receive approximately $1,500 from this sale. If approved, it is our intention to advertise this sale in the "City Record" and sell to the highest bidder, with a representative of the Sealer of Weights and Measures Department to supervise the weighing

Authority by the City Council and your Honor's approval of this public sale is respectfully requested.

Very truly yours,
Edward L. Friel,
Penal Institutions Commissioner.

Ordered, That the Penal Institutions Commissioner is hereby authorized to sell to the highest bidder one hundred surplus pigs at the House of Correction, Deer Island.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

PETITIONS REFERRED

The following petitions were received and referred to the committees named, viz.:

Claims.

Francis X. and Lena Ashman and Louis Faigelson, for compensation for damage to property and personal injuries by city car.

Joanne Ballard, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 139 and 141 Salem street.

Margaret B. Bean, for compensation for damage to property at 583 Poplar street, Roslindale, caused during installation of sidewalks.

Bishop and Trustees of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Massachusetts, for compensation for damage to property on Bayswater and Collins streets, East Boston, by flooding.

Robert E. Bradley, for compensation for damage to property at 5 Rosemont street, Hyde Park, caused by blasting for sewerage.

Robert N. Burrill, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Fire Department.

James Carty, for compensation for damage to property at 132 Summit street, Hyde Park, during building of Summit street.

Howard Cohen, for compensation for damage to car by fire apparatus.

Thomas Costello, for compensation for damage to property at 3 Rosemont street, Hyde Park, caused during blasting for sewer.

Annie M. Davis, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Shawmut avenue.

Paul J. DeRosa, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Fire Department.

Concetta C. DiCara, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 1512 Dorchester avenue.

Mildred Dillon, for compensation for damage to property at 53 Pond Circle, Jamaica Plain, caused by change of grade of Billings Lane.

Helen Donahue, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Lincoln and Essex streets.

Josephine Doran, for compensation for damage to clothing caused by paint on post at Washington and Winter streets.

Robert J. Elliott, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect in North Beacon street.

Robert F. Fitzgibbon, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Paving Division, Public Works Department.

John A. Foley, to be reimbursed as result of execution issued against him on account of his acts as employee of Fire Department.

John A. Foley, to be reimbursed as result of execution issued against him on account of his acts as employee of Fire Department.

General Exchange Insurance Corporation, for compensation for damage to car of Enid Nelson by city car.

Mrs. Martin I. Glazer, for compensation for damage to property at 27 Briarcliff terrace, Mattapan, during reshingling of house of Boston Housing Authority.

Joseph S. Grande, for compensation for damage to car by city car.

Ethel Helman, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 77 Lanark road, Brighton.

Margaret C. Hogan, for compensation for collapse of water boiler at 116 Train street, Dorchester, caused by water being shut off.

Mae Holmes, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Providence street,

Mary H. Horgan, for compensation for damage to property at 11 Rosemont street, Hyde Park, during blasting for sewer.

Charles Horrigan, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Water Division, Public Works Department.

Verena Klempa, for compensation for injuries to son by jeep of Boston Traffic Commission.

Anne Kramer, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Baird street, Dorchester.

Alfred H. Lord, sr., for compensation for damage to car by fire apparatus.

Parker C. MacKinnon, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Public Works Department, Sanitary Service.

Charles A. Maxwell, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Worcester square.

Ethel Messier, for compensation for damages occurring as result of accident at Washington street and Massachusetts avenue.

Stanley Morris, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Hyde Park avenue.

Frances M. and Mary F. Robertson, for compensation for damage to property at 9 Rosemont street, Hyde Park, during blasting for sewer.

Thomas A. Scanlon, for compensation for damage to property at 576 Poplar street, Roslindale, during sidewalk construction.

Mary Shea, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 9 Anson street, Jamaica Plain.

Sisters of Saint Joseph, damage to property at Mt. St. Joseph Academy, Brighton, caused by backing up of sewage.

William E. Webster, to be reinbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Parks and Recreation Department.

Charles J. Williams, for compensation for damage to property at 547 Poplar street, Roslindale, during sidewalk installation.

Frederick Williams, for compensation for damage to car by street sweeper.

Frederick J. Williams, for compensation for damage to property at 81 Perham street, West Roxbury, caused during removal of tree.

Licenses.

Petition to operate bowling alleys on the Lord's day, viz.:

Alford's Arlington Square Alleys, Leo J. Alford, 392 Tremont street.

Arborway Bowlaway, Salvatore Cacciola, 1 Boynton street, Jamaica Plain.

Blue Hill Bowlaway, Samuel Epstein, 6 Livingstone street, Dorchester.

Bond Bowling & Billiards, Inc., Edward H. Margolis, 615 Washington street.

Botta Corporation, Antonio Botta, 107 Cambridge street.

Boylston Bowladrome, Inc., Morris Vigoda, 1260 Boylston street.

Broadway Recreation, Joseph W. Rubbicco, 448 West Broadway, South Boston.

Caledonia Bowling Alleys, George E. Thomas, 1505 Veterans of Foreign Wars Parkway, West Roxbury.

Central Park Lanes, Angelo Vozzella, 10 Saratoga street, East Boston.

Codman Square Bowlaway, George H. Kevorkian, 649 Washington street, Dorchester.

Columbia Billiard Company, Nicholas Cameles, 558 Columbia road, Dorchester.

Commonwealth Recreation, Joseph Grant, 1105 Commonwealth avenue, Brighton.

Julius Covitz, 1231 Hyde Park avenue, Hyde Park.

Eagle Bowling Alleys, Joseph Grant, 2355 Washington street, Roxbury.

Egleston Bowlaway, Arthur Iorio, 3186 Washington street, Jamaica Plain.

Grove Hall Recreation Center, Maurice C. Smith, 464-468 Blue Hill avenue, Dorchester.

Hibernian Bowling Alleys, Mortimer J. Cronin, 184 Dudley street, Roxbury.

Huntington 55 Alleys, Inc., Edward H. Margolis, 253A Huntington avenue.

Hyde Square Bowlaway, Angelo Iorio, 403 Centre street, Jamaica Plain.

Jamaica Bowlaway, Arthur Iorio, 702A Centre street, Jamaica Plain.

Kenmore Bowladrome, Inc., Morris Vigoda, 82 Lansdowne street.

King Pin Alleys, Amos E. Cowan, 200 Huntington avenue.

Marie Kittrell, 216 Hanover street.

Lucky Strike Bowladrome of Boston, Inc., Joseph Bonigli, 289 Adams street, Dorchester.

Mattapan Bowladrome, Samuel Orren, 1348 Blue Hill avenue, Mattapan.

Maverick Garden Bowladrome, Winthrop Beach Bowlaway, Inc., 2 Maverick square, East Boston.

Mount Pleasant Bowling and Billiards, John F. McLaughlin, 590 Dudley street, Dorchester.

North Station Bowling Alleys, Joseph A. Bruno, 222½ Friend street.

Roseland of Massachusetts, Inc., Charles Shribman, 13 Burbank street.

Dominick Rubbicco, 4264 Washington street, Roslindale.

Scollay Alleys, Samuel Selett, 48 Scollay square.

Talbot Bowladrome, Sumner Ross, 56 Talbot avenue, Dorchester.

Webster Bowling Alleys, Louis J. Pumphrey, 3 Taber street, Roxbury.

West Roxbury Bowling Center, Stanford W Dennison, 119 Park street, West Roxbury.

West Roxbury Liederkranz, Mrs. Lee M. Jekowski, 46 Rockland street, West Roxbury.

APPLICATION FOR SHELLFISH PERMIT.

Application for commercial use shellfish permit was received from Frederick A. Muise, 367 Border street, East Boston, Ward 1.

Referred to the Committee on Licenses.

BOND OF INDEMNITY.

A communication was received from the Metropolitan District Commission transmitting bond of indemnity of Walsh Company, Inc., for constructing Bellevue Reservoir drain in Boston.

The bond was filed with the City Auditor, and the communication was placed on file.

NOTICE OF HEARING BEFORE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES.

Notice was received from the Department of Public Utilities of postponed hearing on rates and charges of the Boston Consolidated Gas Company to be held November 1, 1955, at 10 A.M.

Placed on file.

NOTICES FROM STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

A communication was received from the State Department of Public Works transmitting copy of order of layout and taking of altered location of section of state highway (John F. Fitzgerald Expressway).

A communication was received from the State Department of Public Works transmitting copy of order of layout and taking of altered location of section of state highway (John F. Fitzgerald Expressway).

Severally placed on file.

ABSENCE OF MAYOR.

Notice was received from the Mayor of his absence from the city from September 29 to October 3, 1955, inclusive.

Placed on file.

RETROACTIVE PAY IN CERTAIN CASES UNDER THE COUNTY CLASSIFICATION AND COMPENSATION PLAN.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Administrative Services Department,
September 26, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

This is in relation to the order introduced in your Honorable Body on August 29, 1955, and referred on said date by your Honorable Body to me, and which would amend the County Compensation Plan so as to include a provision "that an independent contingent fund be established within the county service for the payment of retroactive sums to those categories of county employees to whom an adjustment in wages is temporarily denied because of administrative reasons not directly bearing on the question of the merit and justification of the wage increase."

I recommend against the adoption of the proposed order for the reason that a contingent fund like that suggested cannot be established by an amendment to a compensation plan but only by an order suitably initiated and appropriating funds for the purpose specified. That is to say the only kind of an order which can establish a fund for the payment of retroactive wages is an appropriation order initiated and passed in the usual manner of such orders.

Respectfully,
John A. Sullivan,
Supervisor of Personnel.

The report of the Supervisor of Personnel and the order were referred to the Executive Committee.

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO COUNTY CLASSIFICATION AND COMPENSATION PLAN.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Administrative Services Department,
September 26, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

This is in relation to the order introduced in your Honorable Body on August 29, 1955, and referred on said date by your Honorable Body to me in accordance with G. L. (ter. ed.) c. 35, s. 56, in that it would amend an order submitted by me to your Honorable Body on August 1, 1955, amending Schedule B of the Compensation and Classification Plans for the Officers and Employees of Suffolk County.

Unlike the classifications involved in my recommendations which are limited to the Jail and the House of Correction, the classifications which would be affected by the above-mentioned proposed order are, with minor exceptions, general classifications applying to all county officers and not simply the Jail and the House of Correction. In making this statement I take it that "clerk and stenographer," "motor equipment operator," and "institution industries supervisor" were respectively intended where "stenographer," "motor vehicle operator," and "industries supervisor" were used, and that the order will be corrected accordingly before further action is taken upon it.

Adoption of the above revised order as so amended thus means that all holders of all classifications named therein would be entitled to the proposed increases irrespective of what county department in which they served. In my opinion such a change as proposed would warrant city employees similarly classified in expecting similar

increases, for, as now established, the County Compensation Plan and the City Compensation Plan are closely correlated.

We are now surveying all positions in the County Plan other than the officer personnel at the Jail and the House of Correction, and I am of the opinion that no further changes should be made until the result of this survey is known, which should be in the near future.

Accordingly I urgently recommend that your Honorable Body NOT adopt the order referred to me by your Honorable Body on August 29, 1955.

Respectfully,
JOHN A. SULLIVAN,
Supervisor of Personnel.

The report of the Supervisor of Personnel and the order were referred to the Executive Committee.

NOTICE OF INTEREST IN CONTRACT.

Notice was received from Mary W. Cauley, Director, Department of Home Economics, School Department, of interest in sale of textbook authorized for use for Grade VII by the School Committee.

Placed on file.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CLAIMS.

Coun. McCORMACK, for the Committee on Claims, submitted the following:

1. Report on petition of Fred W. Cavanagh (referred September 19) for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury sustained by him while in the performance of his duty as a member of the Fire Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 100 of chapter 41 of the General Laws, upon petition of Fred W. Cavanagh, a member of the Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury received through no fault of his own while in the performance of his duty on December 31, 1952, there be allowed and paid, as recommended by the Fire Commissioner and approved by the Corporation Counsel, to the following the amounts stated:

Fred W. Cavanagh (petitioner)	$30 25
James Joseph Regan, M.D.	100 00
Total	$130 25

said amount to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

2. Report on petition of Charles Nassif (referred September 19) for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury sustained by him while in the performance of his duty as a member of the Fire Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 100 of chapter 41 of the General Laws, upon petition of Charles Nassif, a member of the Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury received through no fault of his own while in the performance of his duty on July 15, 1955, there be allowed and paid, as recommended by the Fire Commissioner and approved by the Corporation Counsel, to the following the amounts stated:

Charles Nassif (petitioner)	$6 45
Jules H. Shaw, M.D.	55 00
Total	$61 45

said amount to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

3. Report on petition of Francis W. Veino (referred September 19) for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury sustained by him while in the performance of his duty as a member of the Fire Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 100 of chapter 41 of the General Laws, upon petition of Francis W. Veino, a member of the Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury received through no fault of his own while in the performance of his duty on January 23, 1953, there be allowed and paid, as recommended by the Fire Commissioner and approved by the Corporation Counsel, to the following the amounts stated:

Donald D. Matson, M.D.	$15 00
Merrill C. Sosman, M.D.	30 00
Total	$45 00

said amount to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

4. Report on petition of James J. Horgan (referred September 19) for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury sustained by him while in the performance of his duty as a member of the Fire Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 100 of chapter 41 of the General Laws, upon petition of James J. Horgan, a member of the Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury received through no fault of his own while in the performance of his duty on January 8, 1955, there be allowed and paid, as recommended by the Fire Commissioner and approved by the Corporation Counsel, to the following the amount stated:

Karl D. Kasparian, M.D.	$100 00

said amount to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

5. Report on petition of George H. King (referred September 19) for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury sustained by him while in the performance of his duty as a member of the Fire Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 100 of chapter 41 of the General Laws, upon petition of George H. King, a member of the Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury received through no fault of his own while in the performance of his duty on July 6, 1954, there be allowed and paid, as recommended by the Fire Commissioner and approved by the Corporation Counsel, to the following the amount stated:

Ronald A. Mertens, M.D.	$15 00

said amount to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

The reports were accepted, and the orders were severally passed.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON LICENSES.

Coun. HAILER, for the Committee on Licenses, submitted the following:

1. Report on applications (referred August 29) for commercial use shellfish permits for William A. McDonald and Anthony J. Ferragamo—recommending that permits be granted.

2. Report on application (referred September 12) for commercial use shellfish permit for Frank J. Sidorowicz—recommending that permit be granted.

3. Report on applications (referred September 19) for commercial use shellfish permits for Barry M. Grant, Warren C. French, Jr., William Fullerton, Joseph Kearney, Dorrance Lincoln—recommending that permits be granted.

The reports were accepted, and the licenses were severally granted under the usual conditions.

EMERGENCY SESSION OF LEGISLATURE ON AUTO INSURANCE RATES.

Coun. AHEARN offered the following:

Whereas, The present method of determining automobile insurance rates in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts has now been demonstrated by actual practice to be both unfair and unsound; and

Whereas, The recent announcement of the institution of additional surcharges based on an assessment of points greatly magnifies the injustices of our compulsory insurance system; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Council of Boston in meeting assembled hereby goes on record as being strongly opposed to the present method of insurance rate determination and surcharges based on the assessment of points; and be it further

Resolved, That his Excellency the Governor is hereby respectfully petitioned by the City Council of Boston to summon an emergency session of the Great and General Court to review the whole matter of insurance rates with a view to the introduction and passage of legislation to give relief from the present inequitable system, which is manifestly unfair and grossly unjust.

Coun. HAILER in the chair.

Coun. PIEMONTE in the chair.

On motion of Councillor McLaughlin, the foregoing resolution was referred to the Executive Committee.

ELECTION IN FIRE DEPARTMENT TO DETERMINE BARGAINING UNIT.

Coun. AHEARN offered the following:

Whereas, It is fitting and proper that workers should be allowed to organize themselves into unions for the protection of their rights and for the fostering of better working conditions; and

Whereas, In private industry the method of determining a proper bargaining unit is by a duly authorized election; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor is hereby requested to direct the Fire Commissioner to plan, conduct, and direct an election within 30 days from passage of this resolve among the members of the Boston Fire Department for the purpose of determining a bargaining unit in the Fire Department which shall represent employees of the Boston Fire Department and be the official spokesman of said employees in the matter of all grievances concerning wages, hours of labor, and conditions of employment.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

TEMPORARY APPOINTMENT, CLERK OF COMMITTEES DEPARTMENT.

COUN. AHEARN offered the following:

Ordered, That effective October 5, 1955, Frances Winn be, and she hereby is, appointed in the service of the Clerk of Committees Department to the position of temporary stenographer-clerk until the fourth Wednesday of October, 1955, at a salary of $72.66 per week, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mary E. Flynn.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

LEGISLATION FAVORING REPEAL OF COMPULSORY AUTOMOBILE INSURANCE.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Whereas, The newly announced compulsory automobile rates give reiterated evidence of the inequities and injustices of the Massachusetts compulsory automobile insurance, especially as it reflects on Boston automobile owners; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel of the City of Boston be, and is hereby, requested to file legislation repealing the present system of compulsory auto insurance; and be it further

Resolved, That the Legislative Counsel for the City of Boston be instructed to favor legislation to repeal the present discriminatory and confiscatory system of compulsory automobile insurance.

On motion of Councillor McLaughlin, the resolution was referred to the Executive Committee.

STUDY BY CITY PLANNING DEPARTMENT OF MTA PROBLEMS

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Whereas, The present fare increase on the MTA system is a strong blow to the economy of downtown Boston; and

Whereas, Daniel Bloomfield, executive secretary of the Boston Retail Trade Board, has taken the position that Boston economy is better served by the operation of the MTA system at a deficit with a lower fare schedule than by continual raising of the fare; and

Whereas, So long as Boston's boundaries are confined to the present narrow geographical area, it will be found that on occasions its economic interests will be in conflict with those of Greater Boston; and

Whereas, The Boston City Council on April 18, 1955, requested a survey by the Planning Department of the effects on the economy of political Boston as distinguished from metropolitan Boston; and

Whereas, Because of the historical concentration of valuable commercial property in downtown Boston, Boston is far more dependent on a concentrated area than any other city in the United States; be it therefore

Resolved, That the Boston City Council restates its firmly held belief that a survey of the economic relationship of the MTA system and the downtown business area in Boston is urgently needed; that such a survey would be quite a different and distinct study from a general study of the metropolitan mass transportation problem; and be it further

Resolved, That such a study will, in the very nature of things, be made only by the Boston City Planning Board and Department and by no other agency; and be it further

Resolved, That until such a study is realistically made it will be difficult if not impossible to develop firm policy for political Boston concerning the MTA system.

Coun. AHEARN in the chair.

The foregoing resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

INVITATION TO WILLIAM BIRD OF GREATER BOSTON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE TO ADDRESS COUNCIL.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Whereas, The Boston City Council has always encouraged individual citizens and civic organizations to take an active interest in the affairs of our city government; and

Whereas, The Greater Boston Chamber of Commerce is one of the largest and oldest civic organizations and the recognized voice of business in this community; and

Whereas, The new managing director of the Greater Boston Chamber of Commerce, William Bird, has vigorously reaffirmed his organization's positive interest in the affairs of this city; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, that the Boston City Council invite Mr. Bird to address this body in regular session, with a view to informing the City Council of the plans proposed by the Chamber of Commerce to help solve the major problems of Boston, and at the same time to receive from the members of this body the same pledge of support that we offer all civic groups that take a genuine interest in the improvement of the City of Boston.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

Later in the session Coun. FOLEY moved reconsideration of the foregoing vote. The motion to reconsider was carried.

On further motion of Councillor Foley, the resolution was referred to the Executive Committee.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFIRMATIONS.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN, for the Committee on Confirmations, submitted the following:

Report on appointment by the Mayor (referred September 19) of Wilfred J. Doyle to be a member of the Boston Retirement Board for term ending September 30, 1958—recommending that appointment be confirmed.

The report was accepted, and the appointment was confirmed, yeas 7, nays 0:

Yeas—Councillors Ahearn, Foley, Hailer, Kerrigan, McCormack, McLaughlin, Piemonte—7.

Nays—0.

CONGRATULATIONS TO DANIEL BLOOMFIELD.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Resolved, That the Boston City Council extends its congratulations to Daniel Bloomfield for his bold leadership in working for sound and realistic policies concerning intricate yet major aspects of Boston's economy and particularly for his striking and novel, yet sound, recommendations concerning the MTA fare increase.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

SURVEY OF TRAFFIC CONDITIONS ON DRAPER STREET.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Ordered, That the Boston Traffic Commission, through his Honor the Mayor, be requested to have a survey made of the traffic conditions on Draper street, Dorchester, with a view to making that street one way from Bowdoin street to Homes avenue; and be it further

Ordered, That the Traffic Commission also consider the possibility of permitting the parking of cars on both sides of the street.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

EXPRESSION OF APPRECIATION TO AMALGAMATED CLOTHING WORKERS, CIO, AND JOSEPH SALERNO.

Coun. McCormack offered the following:

Whereas, The Amalgamated Clothing Workers, CIO, has long been a leader of organized labor and is a prime example of enlightened unionism; and

Whereas, The Amalgamated Clothing Workers, CIO, has purchased $25,000 worth of flood-damaged jackets from manufacturers whose plants were ravaged by the disasterous floods of this summer; and

Whereas, The Amalgamated Clothing Workers, CIO, has cleaned and sanitized these jackets and is distributing them to needy children through established welfare agencies; and

Whereas, This purchase exemplifies the excellent relationship existing between the union and the manufacturers and the social consciousness of the union; be it

Resolved, That the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, express gratitude and appreciation on behalf of the City of Boston to the Amalgamated Clothing Workers, CIO, and to Joseph Salerno, New England director of the Union, for this humane and generous act.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

INVITATION TO PENAL INSTITUTIONS COMMISSIONER TO ATTEND MEETING OF COMMITTEE ON INSPECTION OF PRISONS.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Ordered, That the Commissioner of Penal Institutions be invited to attend a meeting of the Committee on Inspection of Prisons on Wednesday, October 5, 1955, at 10.30 A.M.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

RECESS.

On motion of Councillor Kerrigan, the Council voted to take a recess at 4.43 P.M., subject to the call of the Chair. The members reassembled in the Council Chamber and were called to order by Chairman AHEARN at 5.09 P.M.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. AHEARN, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following:

1. Report on message of the Mayor and order (referred today) for sale of one hundred surplus pigs by Penal Institutions Department—recommending that same ought to pass.

The report was accepted, and the order was passed.

2. Report on resolution (referred today) petitioning his Excellency the Governor to summon an emergency session of the Legislature to review the automobile insurance rates—recommending that same ought to pass.

3. Report on resolution (referred today) that Legislative Counsel favor legislation repealing the present system of compulsory automobile insurance—recommending that same ought to pass.

The reports were accepted, and the resolutions were severally adopted.

4. Report on resolution (referred today) extending an invitation to Mr. William Bird of the Greater Boston Chamber of Commerce to address the Boston City Council—submitting a partial report recommending passage of the following order:

In continuation of the established policy of this City Council of cooperation with the civic organizations of Boston; be it

Ordered, That the Boston City Council cordially extends an invitation to Mr. William Bird, newly appointed managing director of the Greater Boston Chamber of Commerce, to attend the Executive Committee session of the Boston City Council on Monday, October 10, 1955, at 3 P.M., or at such other time as may be designated by the chairman of the Executive Committee, with a view to informing the City Council of the plans proposed by the Chamber of Commerce to help solve the major problems of Boston.

The report was accepted, and the order was passed.

CITATIONS TO EMPLOYEES OF HOSPITALS IN BOSTON, BOSTON HEALTH DEPARTMENT, AND NATIONAL FOUNDATION FOR INFANTILE PARALYSIS.

Coun. HAILER offered the following:

Resolved, That the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, publicly commend the employees of all hospitals in Boston for their self-sacrifice and devotion to duty in caring for the victims of polio who have come under their care; and be it further

Resolved, That the employees of the South Building in the Boston City Hospital be given our wholehearted appreciation for their work in caring for polio patients; and be it further

Resolved, That the City of Boston Health Department and the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis be also cited for their untiring efforts in behalf of the patients and their families.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

REPORT ON PLAY AREA IN VICINITY OF HALLIDAY STREET.

Coun. HAILER offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be requested to confer with Commissioner Carp of the Real Property Department and with Commissioner Kelley of the Parks and Recreation Department relative to the possible transfer of 119,652 square feet of city-owned land on Halliday street (Ward 19, Precinct 12) from the Real Property Department to the Parks and Recreation Department for the purpose of providing a play area for the children in that vicinity; and be it further

Ordered, That a report of such a conference be submitted to the City Council.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

HANDICAPPED DRIVERS TO PARK BETWEEN 8 AND 9.30 A.M.

Coun. HAILER offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor request the Corporation Counsel to draw up legislation to be filed in the General Court amending chapter 458 of the Acts of 1955 to include for the benefit of "handicapped" drivers the right to park in Boston between 8 and 9.30 A.M.

The order was passed under suspension of the rules.

RESTORE BUS SERVICE FOR PUPILS AT GIRLS' LATIN SCHOOL.

Coun. HAILER offered the following:

Ordered, That through his Honor the Mayor and the members of the School Committee the trustees of the Metropolitan Transit Authority be requested to restore bus service to the Girls' Latin School pupils from the West Roxbury-Roslindale area.

The order was passed under suspension of the rules.

Adjourned at 5.20 P.M., on motion of Councillor McCormack, to meet on Monday, October 10, 1955, at 2 P.M.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

(Stenographic copy of such debate on file in office of City Clerk.)

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 2,113.

The following-named officer having requested retirement under provisions of the Statutes of 1892, chapter 353, as amended, for the reason that he is incapacitated, it is hereby

Ordered, His Honor the Mayor having approved the same, that he be retired from active service in the Police Department, effective Friday, October 7, 1955, at 7.45 o'clock A.M.

Patrolman Daniel F. Caselden, Superintendent's office, 33 years of service.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,114.

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Ordered, His Honor the Mayor having approved the same, that he be retired from active service in the Police Department, effective Monday, October 10, 1955, at 7.45 o'clock A.M.

Sergt.-Detective Joseph T. Maguire, Bureau of Criminal Investigation, 35 years of service.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

In a move to combat juvenile crime, Mayor Wagner of New York City asked Corporation Counsel A. P. Burke to seek the aid of the courts in ridding the bookstores and newsstands of comic books which teach disrespect for law and order and incite crime. The state supreme court, it was indicated, will be asked to grant injunctions against publication, distribution, or sale of several magazines in this category. Police Commissioner F. H. Adams laid the blame for recent "terrible juvenile crimes" on the influence of this type of magazine. Many, he said, are published secretly, and sold "under the counter."

—Toledo City Journal.

POLICE PENSIONS AND BENEFITS.

On December 1, 1952, there were 709 persons on the pension roll. During the year 25 died, 68 were added, leaving 752 on roll to date, 676 pensioners and 76 annuitants. Payments on account of pensions and annuities during the past year amounted to $1,377,183.62, and it is estimated that $1,717,827.71 will be required for pensions and annuities in 1954.

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 54.

I. Promotions.

The following promotions, which will become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, October 5, 1955, are hereby announced:

Fire Lieut. Robert J. Crawford, Engine Company 39, to fire captain.

Fire Fighter William E. Hackett, Engine Squad 14, to fire lieutenant.

II. Retirements.

The following retirement, in accordance with section 7, chapter 658, of the Acts of 1945, as amended, which became effective at 8 A.M., October 1, 1955, is hereby announced:

Fire Fighter Robert V. Hurley, Engine Company 42.

The following retirements, in accordance with chapter 317, Acts of 1892, as amended by chapter 237, Acts of 1939, are hereby announced, to become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, October 5, 1955:

Fire Fighter George F. Frazier, Fire Prevention Division.

Fire Fighter William H. Guenthner, Headquarters.

Fire Fighter Frazier was appointed to the department September 3, 1909; Fire Fighter Guenthner was appointed June 14, 1918; Fire Fighter Hurley was appointed February 18, 1948.

All the foregoing named members leave the department with the best wishes of their associates.

III. Transfers.

The following transfers, which will become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, October 5, 1955, are hereby announced:

Fire Capt. Joseph L. Tehan, from Ladder Company 22 to Engine Company 51.

Fire Capt. Robert J. Crawford, from Engine Company 39 to Ladder Company 22.

Fire Lieut. Francis W. Quigley, from Engine Company 27 to Engine Company 50.

Fire Lieut. William E. Hackett, from Engine Squad 14 to Engine Company 27.

IV. Commendation.

Fire Fighter Thomas F. Goodwin of Engine Company 27 is hereby commended for responding to and working at fire, Box 4171, on September 26, 1955, while off duty.

By order of Fire Commissioner Francis X. Cotter.

John V. Stapleton,
Chief of Department.

General Order No. 55.

I. Fire Prevention Parade.

The annual Fire Prevention Parade will be held Sunday afternoon, October 9, 1955, in downtown Boston. All members of the department off duty Sunday, fire fighters and members of the branch divisions, are requested to participate and assemble in Bowdoin square, Boston, at 1.30 P.M. It is earnestly requested that every off-duty member who can possibly do so volunteer to parade with us and assist the department with its fire prevention program.

One member shall be detailed from each engine company, engine squad, and ladder company, except the companies that will participate in the parade. There shall be a company officer from each district in this contingent. District fire chiefs shall arrange for the detailing of company officers.

ROSTER OF PARADE.

Detail of Police.
Honorary Chief Marshal.
Mayor John B. Hynes.
Honorary Chief of Staff.
Fire Commissioner Francis X. Cotter.
Chief Marshal.
Chief of Department John V. Stapleton.
Chiefs of Staff.
Edward N. Montgomery.
Patrick E. Collins.
Leo C. Driscoll.
Assistant Fire Chiefs.
Staff.
Chief Officers.
Boston Fire Department Band and Color Guard.
Members of the Boston Fire Department.
Holy Name C.Y.O. Band.
Fire Fighting Apparatus.
Special Service Unit.
Ladder 18.
Water Tower 2.
Rescue Company.
Engine 9 Pump.
Engine 41 Pump.
Reserve Ladder 32.
Engine 25 Pump.
Lighting Plant 2.
Boston Civil Defense Units.
Holy Trinity C.Y.O. Drum and Bugle Corps.
Fire Fighters.
Fire Alarm Truck.
Department Wrecker
Engine 48 Pump
Steam Fire Engine "Abe Lincoln."

In addition to the driver, there shall be a member on each piece of apparatus. Ladder 18 shall have all members on duty on the apparatus. Regulation uniform shall be worn. All radio-equipped units shall maintain contact with the Fire Alarm Office.

The following-named cities and towns will be represented in the parade with fire apparatus, fire fighters, and Civil Defense Units.

Arlington, Belmont, Boston Naval Shipyard, Bedford-Hanscom Air Force Base, Crash Truck, Brookline.

Boston Protective Department, Cambridge, Chelsea, Dedham.

St. Kevin's Drum and Bugle Corps, Fire Fighters, Everett, Harding Fire Department, Lexington, Malden, Milton, Newton, Quincy, Randolph, Revere, Somerville.

Church of the Most Precious Blood Drum and Bugle Corps, Fire Fighters, Waltham, Westwood, Winthrop.

American Red Cross Disaster Unit, American District Telegraph Company, Boston Automatic Fire Alarm Company, Boston Fire and Police Notification, Salvation Army.

Boston Edison Company, Boston Consolidated Gas Company, New England Telephone and Telegraph Company.

Detail of Police.

The parade will be reviewed by the marshals, chiefs of staff, and staff on Charles street, before entering Boston Common.

Twenty paces will be maintained between marching units and mobile units. Regulation uniform with white gloves shall be worn.

Dismissal Point.—The Boston fire apparatus will continue along Charles street and return to quarters. The marching units will proceed into Boston Common.

Route of Parade.—The parade will start at 2.15 P.M., from Bowdoin square, to Cambridge street, Scollay square, Tremont street, Boylston street, Charles street, to Boston Common.

The formation of marching personnel will be under the direction of Assistant Fire Chiefs E. N. Montgomery and P. E. Collins. The formation of apparatus and mobile units will be under the direction of Assistant Fire Chief L. C. Driscoll and Engineer of Motor Apparatus J. Wall.

The public address system (sound jeep) will be in position on the Common at 2.30 P.M., Sunday. Band and Color Guard members will be excused from duty with their assigned companies from 8 A.M., Sunday, October 9, to 8 A.M. Saturday, October 15.

At the conclusion of the parade, which will terminate on Boston Common, adjacent to the Charles Street entrance, a public exhibition of drilling by the Boston Fire Department Drill Team will be held.

By order of Fire Commissioner Francis X. Cotter.

John V. Stapleton,
Chief of Department.

General Order No. 56.

I. Robert W. Walsh.

It is with deep regret that the Fire Commissioner announces the death, on October 6, 1955, of Fire Fighter Robert W. Walsh of Engine Company 21. Fire Fighter Walsh was appointed to the department on November 25, 1942.

The funeral was held from the Bernard Kelly & Son Funeral Home, 8 Church street, Dorchester, on Saturday, October 8, 1955, at 9.30 A.M., followed by a Requiem High Mass at St. Peter's Church, Bowdoin street, Dorchester, at 10.30 A.M.

The Chief of Department made the customary detail to act as funeral escort, and members of Engine Company 21 were excused from duty in order to attend the services.

II. Edwin I. Clarke.

It is with deep regret that the Fire Commissioner announces the death, on October 6, 1955, of Fire Fighter (Engineer, High Pressure) Edwin I. Clarke of the High Pressure Service. Engineer Clarke was appointed to the Fire Department May 11, 1931.

The funeral was held from the P. J. Mahoney Funeral Parlor, 644 Dudley street, Roxbury, where services were held at 10 A.M., Monday, October 10, 1955.

The Chief of Department made the customary detail to act as funeral escort, and members of the High Pressure Service attended the services.

III. Retirement.

The following retirement, in accordance with section 58, chapter 32, General Laws, as amended, is hereby announced, to become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, October 12, 1955:

Fire Lieut. John J. Glynn, Engine Squad 53.

Fire Lieutenant Glynn was appointed to the department January 30, 1925, and promoted to the grade of fire lieutenant August 19, 1942.

He leaves the department with the best wishes of his associates.

IV. Fire Alarm Boxes Installed.

The following fire alarm box which was established in General Order No. 43, dated August 1, 1955, has been installed and connected into circuit 10.

12-1351, William Blackstone School, 33 Blossom street.

Company commanders will add Box 12-1351 to Circuit Card 10.

The following fire alarm boxes which were established in General Order No. 37, dated June 20, 1955, have been installed and connected into the circuits indicated:

12-3154, John Winthrop School, 35 Brookford street, Circuit 67.

12-3285, John Marshall School, 35 Westville street, Circuit 86.

12-3564, Edmund P. Tileston School, 106 Babson street, Circuit 41.

Company commanders will add above boxes to circuit cards indicated.

With the installation of Fire Alarm Box 12-3154, the designation for Box 3154 will be corrected by deleting the words "Auxiliary, John Winthrop School." The designation will read as follows:

3154, Brookford street, opposite Dromey.

With the installation of Fire Alarm Box 12-3285, the designation on assignment card for Box 3285 will be corrected by deleting the words "Auxiliary, John Marshall School." The designation will read as follows:

3285, Westville street and Kingman road.

With the installation of Fire Alarm Box 12-3564, the designation for Box 3564 will be corrected by deleting the words "Auxiliary, Edmund P. Tileston School." The designation will read as follows:

3564, Babson and Fremont streets.

Company commanders will make the above corrections on assignment cards for Fire Alarm Boxes 3154, 3285, and 3564, as indicated.

By order of Fire Commissioner Francis X. Cotter.

John V. Stapleton,
Chief of Department.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

Note.—Applicants are advised to file applications early. In event of a tie on the eligible list, the applicant who filed his application first will be given precedence.

First-Class Stationary Engineer, Second-Class Stationary Engineer, Third-Class Stationary Engineer, First-Class Fireman, Second-Class Fireman, Oiler, November 5, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, October 17, 1955.

A separate application must be filed for each examination.

These examinations are held to establish eligible lists for the service of the state, and for all cities and such towns as are classified under civil service.

Salaries: Inquiry should be made at local departments for the salaries paid in the various cities and towns. In the state service, the salaries are as follows:

First-class power plant engineer, minimum $3,960; maximum $5,040.

Second-class power plant engineer, minimum $3,660; maximum $4,380.

Third-class power plant engineer, minimum $3,300; maximum $4,020.

Steam firemen (first-class or second-class). minimum $3,000; maximum $3,720.

Oilers, minimum $3,000; maximum $3,720.

Vacancies: From time to time.

Duties.

First-Class Engineer: To have charge of and operate any steam plant.

Second-Class Engineer: To have charge of and operate a boiler or boilers, and to have charge of and operate engines, no one of which shall exceed 150 horsepower, or to operate a first-class plant under the engineer in direct charge thereof.

Third-Class Engineer: To have charge of and operate a boiler or boilers not exceeding in the aggregate 150 horsepower, and an engine or engines not exceeding 50 horsepower each, or to operate a second-class plant under the engineer in direct charge thereof.

Applicants for engineer should have a thorough knowledge of the operation and maintenance of the various types of boilers, stationary engines and turbines, and auxiliary machinery, and all equipment which comes within the scope of their particular license or licenses.

First-Class Fireman: To have charge of and operate any boiler or boilers where the safety valve or valves are set to blow at a pressure not exceeding twenty-five pounds to the square inch, or to operate high pressure boilers or a third-class plant under the supervision of a properly licensed person.

Second-Class Fireman: To operate any boiler or boilers under the engineer or fireman in direct charge thereof.

Applicants for fireman should have a thorough knowledge of the operation and maintenance of boilers and pumps, and heating systems.

Oiler: Under immediate supervision, to keep steam engines properly lubricated and cleaned while in operation; and to perform related work as required.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 4; practical questions, 1; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 60 per cent in practical questions and at least 70 per cent in training and experience.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

Certification Requirement: Possession of the class of license for which application was made or a license of a higher class.

Oilers are not required to possess a license.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

Junior Clerk.

Junior Clerk and Typist.

(Open to Males and Females.)

For State, and Cities and Towns Outside of Boston and Vicinity, November 19, 1955.

For State, Boston, and Cities and Towns in the Vicinity of Boston, December 10, 1955.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, October 31, 1955.

On November 19, 1955, the examination will be held in various centrally located cities outside of Boston and vicinity. On December 10, 1955, the examination will be held in Boston and persons who reside in Boston or within commuting distance will be notified for examination on this day. All persons must appear for examination at the place and time designated in the notice mailed to each applicant by the Division of Civil Service.

Persons qualifying in the examination may have their names placed on the State List, as well as on the list for the city or town in which they have domicile.

Salary: For the state service, the minimum salary is $2,280 a year and the maximum salary is $2,880 a year. In the cities and towns, the salaries vary.

Vacancies: From time to time.

Duties: Under immediate supervision, to perform routine office work of ordinary difficulty and responsibility calling for care and accuracy in detail and for individual judgment in the application of a standardized routine and compliance with definite instructions or regulations, or to operate a typewriter in connection with such duties; and to perform related work as required.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants who have not reached their sixteenth birthday on the date of examination will not be eligible to apply.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 1; clerical tests (spelling, arithmetic, following written directions, filing, and word knowledge), 4; total, 5.

(*a*) In addition, applicants for junior clerk and typist will be required to certify that they can operate a typewriter at the rate of at least 35 words a minute and that they have had at least one month's actual experience as a typist for which they have received compensation. However, at any time subsequent to the establishment of the eligible list, such applicants may be required to qualify in a practical test in typewriting, in order to remain on the eligible list for junior clerk and typist.

(*b*) Applicants who pass in the written test, but cannot meet the typewriting qualifications by certifying as set forth in (*a*) above, may submit a request in writing to be given a practical test in typewriting, and must qualify in this test in order to become eligible for junior clerk and typist.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

In order to qualify in a practical test in typewriting, a mark of at least 70 per cent must be obtained.

CHANGES IN SOCIAL SECURITY LAW.

Changes in the Social Security Act now make Old Age and Survivors Insurance benefits available to all municipal employees, except firemen and policemen. The procedure varies, however, for those who are eligible for membership in existing retirement systems and those who are not.

The most important point to remember is that the municipality must take the initiative to secure OASI coverage for its employees and must act through the state government. Proper enabling legislation and contractual clauses in state documents are "musts." They secure coverage as part of the state's contract with the Bureau of Old Age and Survivors Insurance, U. S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare.

—*American Municipal Association*

Chicago is planning the installation of radio-controlled traffic lights, described as the first of their kind in the world.

In the beginning thirteen intersections will be radio-controlled, with the antenna on top of the Board of Trade Building south of the Loop business area. Traffic lights will be set to favor the prevailing flow of traffic at particular times of day. Neon signs will indicate to the driver how the signals are set. Cable control at 450 intersections would cost about $3,375,000, or several times the cost of the proposed radio control, City Traffic Engineer Leslie Sorenson explains. The cost of the initial radio installations will be $40,000.

—*Toledo City Journal.*

VEHICULAR TRAFFIC THROUGH SUMNER TUNNEL IN 1953 BREAKS ALL RECORDS—TOTAL OF 10,835,670 VEHICLES USED TUBES—1,251,698 MORE THAN PREVIOUSLY.

Vehicular traffic through the Sumner Tunnel for the year 1953 was 13 per cent higher than in the year 1952. This was revealed in figures made public from the office of Public Works Commissioner George G. Hyland this week.

According to the Commissioner a total of 10,835,670 vehicles used the tunnel in 1953, to break the previous record of 9,583,972 vehicles established in 1952. The increase in 1953 over 1952 totals 1,251,698 vehicles.

No. 169—396.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING BLUE SERGE UNIFORM TROUSERS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Wednesday, October 26, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Uniform Trousers." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.
(Oct. 15.)

NUMBER OF OFFICIALS AND EMPLOYEES OF CITY DEPARTMENTS AS REORGANIZED UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF CHAPTER 8, ORDINANCES OF 1953, AND CHAPTER 2, ORDINANCES OF 1954, AND COUNTY OF SUFFOLK.

	Feb. 1, 1955.
Mayor's Office	15
Civic Improvement Committee	1
Civil Defense Activities	14
Conventions and Entertainment of Distinguished Guests	2
Bond Allotment Plan	14
Public Celebrations Department	6
City Council	9
City Council Officers and Employees	17
Administrative Services Department:	
Director's Office	4
Personnel and Budget Division	16
Purchasing Division	29
Printing Section	108
Art Commission	1
Complaints Division	3
Assessing Department	144
Auditing Department	66
Boston Rent Board	28
Boston Retirement Board	31
Boston Traffic Commission	126
Building Department	128
Board of Appeal	9
Board of Examiners	4
City Clerk Department	17
City Planning Board	20
City Record, Publication of	2
Election Department	48
Finance Commission	8
Fire Department	2,217
Health Department:	
Health Division	326
Registry Division	34
Weights and Measures Division	18
Hospital Department:	
Hospital Division	3,247
Sanatorium Division	536
Long Island Hospital Division	489
Law Department	67
Workmen's Compensation Service	8
Library Department	919
Licensing Board	17
Parks and Recreation Department	707
Cemetery Division	71
Police Department	3,049
Public Works Department:	
Central Office	11
Automotive Division	136
Bridge Service	187
Lighting Service	5
Paving Service	366
Sanitary Service	614
Sewer Service	196
Survey Division	43
Water Service	379
Sumner Traffic Tunnel	106
Real Property Department:	
Real Property Division	13
Buildings Division	234
Market Division	7
School Buildings Department	72
School Department	5,707
Treasury Department:	
Collecting Division	69
Treasury Division	35
Veterans' Services Department	78
Veterans' Graves Registration	1
Welfare Department	720
	21,554
County of Suffolk	1,130
	22,684

THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING INTERFOLDED PAPER TOWELS FOR BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing interfolded paper towels for the Boston public schools. Proposal forms are obtainable at the office of the Business Manager of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, tenth floor. Envelopes containing proposals must be sealed and plainly marked "Proposal for Interfolded Paper Towels." The bids must be in duplicate. One copy, signed by the bidder and accompanied by a certified check, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount of two hundred dollars ($200), must be left at the office of the Business Manager on or before 12 o'clock noon on Tuesday, October 25, 1955. Copies filed with the Business Manager will be publicly opened and read at 12 o'clock noon of the day stated. The other copy, also signed by the bidder, must be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., previous to the time named for opening bids. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to accept the bid which it deems best for the interests of the city. The successful bidder will be required to furnish a suitable bond or deposit of money or other security in the amount of not less than 50 per cent of the amount of the contract.

LEO J. BURKE,
Business Manager of the School Committee.
(Oct. 15.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

REAL PROPERTY BOARD.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR LEASING OF PUBLIC PARKING FACILITY AT ST. JAMES AVENUE, CLARENDON, PROVIDENCE, AND BERKELEY STREETS.

The Real Property Board of the City of Boston, hereinafter called the Board, hereby invites proposals for leasing for the term of forty (40) years, beginning December 1, 1955, and ending November 30, 1995, at an annual rental of not less than forty-five thousand dollars ($45,000), the public parking facility at St. James avenue, Clarendon, Providence, and Berkeley streets, Boston, upon the covenants, agreements, and conditions contained in the form of lease which, with the plans and specifications therein referred to and the form of proposal, may be had daily (except Saturdays, Sundays, and holidays) between 9 A.M. and 5 P.M., at the office of the Board, Room 809, City Hall Annex, Court street, Boston. Copies of the plans and specifications may be taken out upon deposit of one hundred dollars ($100) for each set, refundable only to persons returning the same in good condition within ten days (Saturdays, Sundays, and holidays excluded) after the opening of bids.

Proposals shall be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained as aforesaid. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, enclosed in an envelope, sealed, and marked "Proposal for Leasing of Public Parking Facility at St. James Avenue, Clarendon, Providence, and Berkeley Streets, Boston." One copy of the proposal, accompanied by a bid deposit of ten thousand dollars ($10,000), made under the terms stated in the form of proposal, in the form of cash or a certified check on, or bank check payable to, the City of Boston, shall be filed with the Board at its said office on or before 11 A.M., November 22, 1955, at which time and place all proposals will be publicly opened and read. The other copy of the proposal shall be filed by the bidder at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, School street, Boston, prior to the opening of bids.

No proposal shall be withdrawn after the day and hour hereinbefore set for the opening of proposals.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all proposals.

HERMAN CARP,
WILLIAM F. KEESLER,
DAVID L. CURRIER,
THOMAS F. McDONOUGH,
GEORGE P. DONOVAN,
Real Property Board of the City of Boston.
(Oct. 15.)

WOOING FRINGE LOT PARKING PATRONS NOT EASY.

Enticing motoring commuters into fringe parking lots can be a difficult courtship. Recent experience in Washington, Baltimore, Cleveland, and St. Louis indicates that success cannot be achieved unless there is provided an attractive parking-transit fee, frequent bus service between the lot and central business district, and easy approaches to the lot. St. Louis offers a 5 to 7½ minute bus service, no parking fee, and a special 35-cent round-trip fare. Patronage of the 600-car lot is increasing, but a profitable operation has not yet been achieved. However, a survey of 500 of the lot's patrons showed 72 per cent rate the service as "excellent." Three out of four said they arrived closer to their downtown destinations than when they drove in. Private lots in downtown Cleveland are now getting short-term parkers—which produces more revenue for the operator than all-day parkers. In Baltimore the consensus is that fringe parking now "does not work".

Another necessity for cities planning fringe parking lots is the provision of convenient shelters to protect patrons from inclement weather. — *American Municipal Association Report.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR OUTSIDE PAINTING OF VOSE HOUSE, BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL.

The City of Boston, by the Board of Trustees, Hospital Department, and of the Boston City Hospital, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for outside painting of Vose House, Boston City Hospital, Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until two o'clock P.M., Wednesday, October 26, 1955, at the office of the Superintendent, Boston City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, and enclosed in an envelope, sealed and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $400, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate of wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of the contract.

Specifications may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of the Boston City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston, Mass., on and after Monday, October 17, 1955.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price, will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any and all bids if it be in the public interest so to do.

The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all bids in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, AND OF THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL,

RICHARD J. CONDON, *President.*

(Oct. 15.)

READVERTISEMENT.

CITY OF BOSTON.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR WATERPROOFING AND PAVING OF TUNNELS, BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL, 818 HARRISON AVENUE, BOSTON, MASS.

The City of Boston, by the Board of Trustees, Hospital Department, and of the Boston City Hospital, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for waterproofing and paving of tunnels, Boston City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until two o'clock P.M., Wednesday, October 26, 1955, at the office of the Superintendent, Boston City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, and enclosed in an envelope, sealed, and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $500, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of the contract.

Specifications and plans may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of the Boston City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston, Mass., on and after Monday, October 17, 1955.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any and all bids if it be in the public interest so to do.

The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all bids in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, AND OF THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL,

RICHARD J. CONDON, *President.*

(Oct. 15.)

MUNICIPAL BOND PROPOSALS.

State and municipal bond proposals reported during June as approved by 239 municipalities in 31 states and Alaska totaled $173,811,935, as compared with $113,704,950 for June, 1953, the Bond Buyer reports . . . Jones Beach Parkway Authority in New York has been ordered to show cause why the 10-cent toll on the portion of the Southern State Parkway now completed should not be discontinued. Basis of the suit, it is said, is a claim that all of the highway must be completed before any tolls can be collected.

CITY OF BOSTON.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR OUTSIDE PAINTING OF DROWN HOUSE, BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL.

The City of Boston, by the Board of Trustees, Hospital Department, and of the Boston City Hospital, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for outside painting of Drown House, Boston City Hospital, Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until two o'clock P.M., Wednesday, October 26, 1955, at the office of the Superintendent, Boston City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, and enclosed in an envelope, sealed, and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $300, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate of wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of the contract.

Specifications may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of the Boston City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston, Mass., on and after Monday, October 17, 1955.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price, will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any and all bids if it be in the public interest so to do.

The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all bids in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, AND OF THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL,

RICHARD J. CONDON, *President.*

(Oct. 15.)

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

CHANGES IN TRAFFIC RULES AND REGULATIONS.

Voted, That the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective October 24, 1955:

Article IV, Section 2 (Stopping, Standing, and Parking Prohibited in Certain Places), is amended by striking out the following:

Lyford Street, Dorchester.
East side, from a point forty (40) feet north of Callender street to Callender street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out the following:

Brook Avenue, Dorchester.
North side, from a point one hundred (100) feet west of 573 Dudley street to 573 Dudley street, 24 hours.
Lanark Road, Brighton.
Both sides, from Sutherland road to Kilsyth road, 24 hours.
Lyford Street, Dorchester.
East side, from a point forty (40) feet north of Callender street to Callender street, 24 hours.
Blue Hill Avenue, Roxbury.
East side, from Dudley street to Geneva avenue, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," the following:

Lancaster Street.
Southwest side, from Causeway street to Merrimac street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," the following:

Lanark Road.
Northeast side, from Sutherland road to Kilsyth road, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Charlestown," the following:

Lowney Way.
Both sides, from Mt. Vernon street to Bunker Hill street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," each of the following:

Boyden Street.
East side, from Callender street to Woodrow avenue, 24 hours.
Central Avenue.
Both sides, from River street to the Boston-Milton line, 24 hours.
Don Street.
West side, from Callender street to Woodrow avenue, 24 hours.
Lyford Street.
Both sides, from Stratton street to Callender street, 24 hours.
Magnolia Street.
East side, from Bird street to Intervale street, 24 hours.
Vinson Street.
South side, from Marlowe street to Geneva avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the captions "Dorchester," and "Roxbury," the following:

Stanwood Street.
Southwest side, from Blue Hill avenue to Columbia road, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "East Boston," the following:

Neptune Road.
Northeast roadway, southwest side, from Bennington street to Cleveland street, 24 hours.
Southwest roadway, northeast side, from Bennington street to Cleveland street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," each of the following:

Blue Hill Avenue.
East side, from Dudley street to a point on the prolongation of the northeast curb line of Warren street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.
East side, from a point on the prolongation of the northeast curb line of Warren street to a point one hundred and eighty-five (185) feet south of the prolongation of the northbeast curb line of Warren street, 24 hours.
East side, from a point one hundred and eighty-five (185) feet south of the prolongation of the northeast curb line of Warren street to Geneva avenue, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.
Greenleaf Street.
North side, from a point forty (40) feet west of the prolongation of the easterly curb line of Leon street to a point forty (40) feet east of the prolongation of the easterly curb line of Leon street, 24 hours.
Pompeii Street.
Northwest side, from Massachusetts avenue to Allerton street, 24 hours.
Station Street.
North side, from a point one hundred and twenty-three (123) feet east of Parker street to Parker street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," each of the following:

Lancaster Street.
Northeast side, from Causeway street to Merrimac street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Merrimac Street.
South side, from Causeway street to Haymarket square, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 6, Part 3 (Restrictions in Cent and Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by striking out the following:

Blue Hill Avenue, Roxbury.
East side, from Dove street to Geneva avenue, 10 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 6, Part 3 (Restrictions in Cent and Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Blue Hill Avenue.
East side, from Dove street to a point on the prolongation of the northeast curb line of Warren street, 10 A.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from a point one hundred and eighty-five (185) feet south of the prolongation of the northeast curb line of Warren street to Geneva avenue, 10 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," the following:

Appian Way.
From Raymond street to Franklin street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," each of the following:

Hecla Street.
From Adams street to Dorchester avenue.
Lyon Street.
From Dorchester avenue to Adams street.

Article VI, Section 11 (Only Right Turn Movements Permitted), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," the following:

Linden Street.
Into Cambridge street, northeasterly.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," the following:

Gloucester Street.
At Newbury street.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," the following:

Franklin Street.
At Appian Way.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "East Boston," the following:

Meridian Street.
At Condor street.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," each of the following:

Centre Street.
At Albert street.
At Lamartine street.
Hereford Street.
At Newbury street.
Louis Prang Street.
Northeast side, at Fenway opposite Evans Way.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "West Roxbury," the following:

Weld Street.
At Willow street.

WM. ARTHUR REILLY,
Commissioner.

A true copy.
Attest:
WM. T. DOYLE, *Executive Secretary.*
(Oct. 15-22.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Invitation for Proposals for Furnishing and Erecting Incineration Equipment for the South Bay Incinerator.

The work to be done consists of fabricating, furnishing, erecting, and testing, in a building to be constructed under another contract, six (or, under alternate proposals, five or four) 150-ton per day incinerator units, including waste heat boilers, fly ash arrestor systems, and certain appurtenances, all complete and ready to operate.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for furnishing and erecting incineration equipment for the South Bay Incinerator.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner, each in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Contract documents, including forms of proposal, contract agreement and bonds and specifications, may be examined at the office of Metcalf and Eddy, Engineers, 1300 Statler Building, Boston, and may be examined and obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Furnishing and Erecting Incineration Equipment for the South Bay Incinerator," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 1955, with a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, in the sum of FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS ($50,000), payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex, Boston.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor, Room 11, City Hall, Boston, previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *A deposit of one hundred dollars ($100) will be required on each set of contract documents taken out.* Such deposits will be refunded upon the return of said documents in good condition within 30 days after the date of the opening of the bids. A bidder may submit proposals for more than one type of furnace on the same proposal form. A bidder submitting a proposal on one or more of four types of furnace (designated in the proposal as alternates A, B, C, and D) must submit bids for furnishing alternatively a total of six or a total of five or a total of four complete 150-ton per day units. Proposals omitting a price for any alternate under the type of furnace being bid upon will be considered incomplete and will be subject to rejection. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs, and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is contained in the form of contract referred to herein. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insuranee for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract.

The Commissioner of Public Works reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.
(Oct. 15-22.)

CONSULATES IN ARREARS ON TAXES.

New York City reports that 12 foreign countries are in arrears a total of $416,985 in real estate taxes on 27 properties, most of them bought within the last 15 years as consulates and headquarters for United Nations delegations.

Nearly all of the defaulting governments claim the right to city realty tax exemption under treaties and international doctrines, but the city has refused to waive its claims. Total assessed valuation is $5,324,000, with $720,000 exempt from tax. Finland, the Netherlands, and Israel have kept their real estate accounts paid up to date.

CITY OF BOSTON.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR INSTALLATION OF A.C. ELECTRICAL SERVICE, THREE BASEMENT LABORATORIES, PAVILION BUILDING, BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL.

The City of Boston, by the Board of Trustees, Hospital Department, and of the Boston City Hospital, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for installation of A. C. electrical service, three basement laboratories of Pavilion Building, Boston City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until two o'clock P.M., Wednesday, October 26, 1955, at the office of the Superintendent, Boston City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, and enclosed in an envelope, sealed and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $100, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate of wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs, and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of the contract.

Specifications may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of the Boston City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston, Mass., on and after Monday, October 17, 1955.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price, will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any and all bids if it be in the public interest so to do.

The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all bids in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, AND OF THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL,
RICHARD J. CONDON,
(Oct. 15.) *President.*

No. 170—595.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING NINE (9) BUCKET LOADERS FOR THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Tuesday, November 1, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $500, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Bucket Loaders." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Oct. 15.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

TO STAGE EQUIPMENT CONTRACTORS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR REPAIRS AND FLAMEPROOFING OF STAGE AND WINDOW DRAPES, CURTAINS, ETC., IN VARIOUS SCHOOLS.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for repairs and flameproofing of stage and window drapes, curtains, etc., in various schools.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Wednesday, October 26, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals shall be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, and enclosed in a sealed envelope, plainly marked with the name of the bidder and the description of the work bid upon. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a certificate of deposit issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $250, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked. Bid bonds will not be accepted.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

A performance bond, issued by a surety company satisfactory to the Awarding Authority, in the full amount of the contract will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any and all bids if it be in the public interest so to do.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
(Oct. 15.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

OVERSEERS OF THE PUBLIC WELFARE.

PROPOSALS FOR ALTERATIONS AND RENOVATIONS TO EXTERIOR WORK AT THE WELFARE BUILDING, 43 HAWKINS STREET, BOSTON, MASS.

The Overseers of the Public Welfare of the City of Boston invite proposals for alterations and renovations to exterior work at the Welfare Building, 43 Hawkins street, Boston, Mass., according to specifications which may be obtained from the office of the Board, first floor, 43 Hawkins street, Boston. Bidders must use the form of proposal to be obtained at this office, and the successful bidder must furnish a bond for one half of the total amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as a surety for the faithful performance of the contract. Bids, with a certified check for two hundred and fifty dollars ($250), payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, must be left at the office of the Board, first floor, 43 Hawkins street, before 12 noon, October 26, 1955, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be left with the City Auditor prior to the time named for the opening of the bids. The Board of Overseers of the Public Welfare reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids. All contracts made subject to appropriation to meet the payments thereunder.

JOSEPH K. COLLINS,
(Oct. 15-22.) *Chairman.*

No. 168—391.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING LUMBER (SPRUCE AND PINE).

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Monday, October 24, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Lumber." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Oct. 15.) *Purchasing Agent.*

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

SALE OF PIGS AT THE HOUSE OF CORRECTION, DEER ISLAND, BOSTON, MASS.

Sealed bids for the sale of one hundred (100) surplus pigs, weight about one hundred (100) pounds each, will be received by the Penal Institutions Commissioner, Room 803, City Hall Annex, Boston, Mass., up until 10 A.M., October 24, 1955, and shall immediately thereafter be publicly opened and read aloud.

Said pigs were raised at Deer Island and may be seen there any day, except Sundays and holidays, between 8 A.M. and 4 P.M.

The conditions of sale of pigs will be as follows:

1. Bids are to be made on a basis of price per pound for the entire lot.
2. Weighing of pigs to be by a representative of the Sealer of Weights and Measures Department, City of Boston.
3. The delivery of the pigs will be made at the piggery at Deer Island.
4. Any attendant charges in connection with the sale are to be assumed by the successful bidder.
5. Terms of sale, f.o.b. Deer Island: The sum of two hundred and fifty dollars ($250), cash or certified check, made payable to the City of Boston, to be deposited by the successful bidder on acceptance of bid, and the balance, either cash or certified check, made payable to the City of Boston, to be paid on delivery of pigs after being weighed.
6. The successful bidder will provide suitable transportation for the pigs from Deer Island and shall remove the pigs from Deer Island not later than 4 P.M., October 28, 1955.
7. The Commissioner reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids.

EDWARD L. FRIEL,
Penal Institutions Commissioner.
(Oct. 15.)

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JOSHUA H. JONES, *Editor.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR THE INSTALLATION OF NEW HAND RAILS AT THE CENTRAL LIBRARY BUILDING, BOSTON PUBLIC LIBRARY, COPLEY SQUARE, BOSTON.

The Trustees of the Public Library of the City of Boston, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invite sealed proposals for the installation of new hand rails at the Central Library Building, Boston Public Library, Copley square, Boston.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Monday, October 24, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals shall be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed and enclosed in a sealed envelope, plainly marked with the name of the bidder and the description of the work bid upon. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of one hundred dollars ($100), shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

Plans and specifications may be obtained on and after 12 o'clock noon, Monday, October 17, 1955, at the Business Office, Boston Public Library, Copley square, Boston, Mass. All plans and specifications must be returned in good condition to said office at the time of filing bids. A deposit of ten dollars ($10) in cash will be required for each set of plans and specifications taken out for estimating, said deposit to be refunded on the return of the plans and specifications in good condition within thirty days after the opening of proposals.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price, will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do. The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all subbids on any item or items in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

THE TRUSTEES OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY OF THE CITY OF BOSTON,
by MILTON E. LORD,
(Oct. 15.) *Director.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

REAL PROPERTY BOARD.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR ERECTING AND COMPLETING AN OFF-STREET PARKING STRUCTURE ON ST. JAMES AVENUE, BOSTON, MASS.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

The Real Property Board, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for erecting and completing an off-street parking structure on St. James avenue, Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 11 o'clock A.M., Tuesday, November 22, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, eighth floor, Room 809, City Hall, 26 School street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, enclosed in an envelope, sealed, and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $50,000, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

Subbidders bidding on the work of subcontractors shall use the proposal form prepared by and obtainable from the Awarding Authority.

All subbidders' proposals filed with the Awarding Authority shall be submitted in sealed envelopes, plainly marked with the title of the work, division of the work for which bid is submitted, subcontractor's name and subcontractor's business address. All such bids shall be in the possession of the Awarding Authority and delivered or mailed to the general contractor no later than 12 o'clock noon, Thursday, November 17, 1955.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount as specified in the following for the various subbid items of work as listed below, shall be submitted by each subbidder with the copy of his proposal filed with the Awarding Authority:

Waterproofing and caulking	$2,400
Miscellaneous metal and light iron	600
Roofing and sheet metal	600
Metal windows	600
Glass and glazing	300
Asphalt tile	300
Finish painting	150
Plumbing	1,250
Heating and ventilating	2,500
Electrical work	2,500

The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, plainly marked "Bid Deposit."

Plans and specifications and other contract documents may be obtained at the office of the Awarding Authority on and after Monday, October 17, 1955, upon deposit of a certified check for $100, payable to the City of Boston. The full amount of the deposit will be refunded to each actual bidder upon return of all documents in good condition within fifteen days after opening of bids.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price, will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do. The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all subbids on any item or items in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

REAL PROPERTY BOARD,
HERMAN CARP,
(Oct. 15.) *Chairman.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

REMOVAL OF EXISTING DOORS AND INSTALLATION OF NEW OVERHEAD DOORS IN VARIOUS FIREHOUSES.

The Fire Commissioner of the City of Boston, 115 Southampton street, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for removal of existing doors and installation of new overhead doors in the following firehouses: Engines 2, 9, 12, 17, 39, 40, 49, 52, and Ladders 12 and 26. A bond of an approved surety company doing business in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, in the full amount of the contract, will be required to assure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Fire Commissioner, 115 Southampton street. Each proposal must be signed by the bidder, placed in an envelope, sealed, and marked "Proposal for Removal of Existing Doors and Installation of New Overhead Doors in Various Firehouses," and left at the office of the Fire Commissioner, 115 Southampton street, before 12 o'clock noon of Monday, October 24, 1955, accompanied by a certified check for four hundred (400) dollars, payable to the City of Boston and to be the property of said city as liquidated damages suffered by said city if, after acceptance of his proposal, the bidder shall fail to carry out said proposal. The proposals shall then and there be publicly opened for reading. Proposals must be made in duplicate, and the sealed duplicate, without check, must be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time for opening the proposals. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs, and laborers shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, schedule of which appears in the specifications. The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.), to all persons to be employed under this contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing will be required prior to the award of said contract. Plans and specifications may be obtained at the office of the Fire Commissioner, 115 Southampton street, Boston. The Fire Commissioner reserves the right to reject any and all proposals and to award the contract as he deems best.

FRANCIS X. COTTER,
(Oct. 15.) *Fire Commissioner.*

No. 167—595.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING WATER METERS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Tuesday, October 25, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Water Meters." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Oct. 15.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON
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CALLS FOR $10,000,000 EXPENDITURE FOR OFF-STREET PARKING FACILITIES — MAYOR HYNES ASKS CITY COUNCIL TO AUTHORIZE EXPENDITURE OUTSIDE DEBT LIMIT TO PROVIDE TEN LOCALITIES AS RECOMMENDED BY PLANNING AND REAL PROPERTY BOARDS — ALL SITES IN DOWNTOWN BUSINESS DISTRICTS.

On October 17 Mayor Hynes submitted to the City Council his recommendations for provision for ten off-street parking facilities. The order authorizes the expenditure of $10,000,000 outside the debt limit for the purpose of taking care of the immediate needs of the parking situation. The recommendations are made following recommendations of the City Planning Board. The measure, as submitted, together with an accompanying letter from the Chairman of the Real Property Board, reads as follows:

To the City Council.
GENTLEMEN:
I transmit herewith order for acceptance of chapter 450 of the Acts of 1955,

(Continued on page 1239.)

CITY COUNCIL ASKS MAYOR HYNES TO ISSUE PROCLAMATION CALLING FOR OBSERVANCE OF WEEK OF OCTOBER 30 AS "CATHOLIC YOUTH ORGANIZATION WEEK"— ALSO INVITES ALL INTERESTED TO ATTEND COUNCIL MEETING.

The City Council has adopted a resolution asking Mayor Hynes to proclaim the week of October 30 as "Catholic Youth Organization Week" and to ask the membership and spiritual directors of the C.Y.O. to attend the Council meeting on Monday, October 31, on which day the visitors are invited to visit the various departments of the city government and to learn of the government's operations. The resolution was presented by Councillor Hurley. It reads as follows:

Whereas, The Catholic Youth Organization in the City of Boston will observe "National Catholic Youth Organization Week" from October 30 to November 6; and

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AUGUST VETERANS' BENEFITS SHOW DECREASE FROM THOSE OF SAME MONTH IN 1954 OF $1,697.09 — MONTHLY REPORT SUBMITTED TO MAYOR JOHN B. HYNES, BY VETERANS' SERVICES COMMISSIONER, VICTOR C. BYNOE, ALSO SHOWS 1,527 CASES AIDED AND 162 DROPPED AS NO LONGER NEEDING AID.

Veterans' benefits for the month of August of this year show a decrease of $1,697.09 for the month of August from those of the same month of 1954. This is shown in the monthly report of the Commissioner of Veterans' Services, Victor C. Bynoe, as submitted to Mayor John B. Hynes.

There were 1,527 cases aided, representing a total of 2,877 individuals. Also there were, in the same period, 162 cases closed, due to recipients of aid obtaining employment, or having been awarded unemployment compensation, or social security, or having become ineligible for other reasons.

The complete report as filed reads as follows:

BOSTON, October 14, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

SIR:

I have the honor to submit the report of the Veterans' Services Department for the month of August, 1955.

Very truly yours,

VICTOR C. BYNOE, *Commissioner.*

Expenditures for August, 1955.

	Civil War	Spanish War	Mexican War	World War I	World War II	Korean War	Totals
Regular	$212 20	$1,795 25	$298 00	$22,623 73	$45,399 74	$3,989 50	$74,318 42
Emergency	—	5 00	—	781 10	7,427 90	1,351 00	9,565 00
Bills	—	1,744 99	—	3,080 39	6,902 42	253 50	11,981 30
Burials	—	150 00	—	616 37	214 00	39 00	1,019 37
Hospital	—	—	—	4,665 00	13,505 00	1,005 00	19,175 00
Supplementary	—	—	—	456 65	4,126 61	775 00	5,358 26
	$212 20	$3,695 24	$298 00	$32,223 24	$77,575 67	$7,413 00	$121,417 35

Relief Expenditures Comparison.

	Aug., 1955	July, 1955	Aug., 1954
Civil War	$212 20	$212 20	$197 20
Spanish	1,795 25	1,727 15	1,750 77
Mexican	298 00	298 00	347 00
World War I	22,623 73	22,902 73	21,661 03
World War II	45,399 74	46,996 20	46,235 25
Korean	3,989 50	4,666 65	3,144 00
Emergency	9,565 00	9,604 10	8,809 50
Burials	1,019 37	2,959 72	—
Bills	11,981 30	14,154 10	13,439 35
Hospital	19,175 00	24,783 00	18,691 00
Supplementary	5,358 26	5,051 37	8,839 34
	$121,417 35	$133,355 22	$123,114 44

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"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the shipteeming plain of the ocean;
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy eons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, October 24, at 2 P.M.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries, or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the Complaints Division, Room 25, City Hall.

Information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways, the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments of streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped area for streets and the opening of private ways; the making of specific repairs in public streets; the naming of public streets, including the use of public ways for location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railways, coal holes, and vaults, may be secured from the Public Improvement Commission, Room 403, City Hall Annex.

To the BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION, 112 Southampton street, for information relative to regulation of vehicular street traffic on all or any streets, ways, highways, roads, and parkways under the control of the City of Boston, the issuing of all permits in connection therewith.

To the COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting, and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catchbasins, the operation of Sumner Tunnel, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges, and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

To the HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Haymarket Square, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish, and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughterhouses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases, of public health nuisances.

To the BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth Avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park, and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts, also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview, and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

To the SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

To the DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS, 28 Norman street, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

To the BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 907, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal, or tearing down buildings.

To the ELECTRICAL INSPECTION DIVISION OF THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT, 1001 City Hall Annex, for all information relative to the erection of poles, building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division; also for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings of the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

To the BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT, 43 City Hall, relative to changes in the boundary lines of zoning districts of the City of Boston as established by chapter 488 of the Acts of 1924, and amendments thereto.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending October 15, 1955.

Population as of July, 1950, Massachusetts State Census, 817,713; population estimated July, 1955, United States Census Bureau, 813,696; number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 161; nonresidents, 65; total, 226.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 14.35; nonresidents deducted, 10,31.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:

Last week, 15.70; corresponding week last year, 14.41.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 15; one year to four years, inclusive, 3; sixty years and over, 141, Total deaths: Male, 130; female, 96; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 167.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Oct. 15, 1955.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Oct. 16, 1954.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior Poliomyelitis	42	3	6	1
Diphtheria	—	—	2	—
Encephalitis Lethargica	—	—	—	—
Influenza	—	—	—	—
Measles	2	—	43	—
Meningitis Epidemic	1	—	—	1
Pneumonia (lobar)	—	—	—	—
Scarlet Fever	4	—	2	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary)	16	2	9	4
Childhood Type Tuberculosis	—	—	—	—
Tuberculosis (other forms)	—	—	2	1
Typhoid Fever	—	—	—	—
Whooping Cough	—	—	11	—

*Residents and nonresidents included.

MONTHLY REPORT OF VETERANS' SERVICES SHOWS DECREASE FROM SAME PERIOD IN 1954.

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Total Cases Aided.

	Aug., 1955	July, 1955	Aug., 1954
Civil War	5	5	5
Spanish	57	59	63
Mexican	4	5	5
World War I	527	533	548
World War II	845	880	872
Korean	89	110	67
	1,527	1,592	1,560

Expenditures for veterans' benefits for August, 1955, show a decrease of $1,697.09 in comparison with expenditures for the corresponding period of 1954.

The 1,527 cases aided during the month of August, 1955, represent a total of 2,877 individuals benefited through the financial facilities of the Veterans' Services Department.

There were 162 cases closed during the month of August, 1955, because of obtaining employment, having been awarded unemployment compensation, receiving social security, and becoming ineligible to receive financial assistance for miscellaneous other reasons.

Classification of Cases Aided During August, 1955.

	Civil War	Spanish War	Mexican War	World War I	World War II	Korean War
Unemployable veterans	0	1	1	210	253	38
Employable veterans	0	0	0	38	140	18
Wives	0	0	0	4	11	3
Widows	3	56	3	250	36	1
Children	2	0	0	4	15	2
Mothers	0	0	0	16	350	24
Fathers	0	0	0	5	40	3
	5	57	4	527	845	89

ORIGINAL APPLICATIONS.

Brought forward	87
Made during August	107
Granted	69
Rejected	38
Referred to other cities and towns	9
Investigations not completed	78

REAPPLICATIONS.

Brought forward	68
Made during August	177
Granted	141
Rejected	21
Referred to other cities and towns	2
Investigations not completed	81

During the month of August, 1955, the department collected $1,170.50 which represents refunds by former beneficiaries who were found to have drawn aid under circumstances which warranted its return to the City of Boston.

Very truly yours,
VICTOR C. BYNOE, *Commissioner.*

MAYOR HYNES ASKS COUNCIL TO AUTHORIZE OFF-STREET PARKING LOAN.

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which authorizes the expenditure outside the debt limit of $10,000,000 for off-street parking facilities. I also transmit communication from the Chairman of the Real Property Board relative to this matter.

It will be noted that the ten locations mentioned in the accompanying letter have been recommended by the City Planning Board after an origin and destination study. In the event that no private investors are interested in constructing the facilities in question, the amount authorized would permit the city to build approximately five parking facilities in the downtown area. No decision has been made up to the present time as to the order of priority of the areas recommended for parking facilities.

It is apparent, however, that any of the areas mentioned are suitable for parking facilities which will be more necessary than ever when the new Central Artery is completed. Subsequently, when the loan order itself is submitted to the City Council, more information will be available to your Body concerning the program of priority of parking sites. In the meantime, it is essential that the legislative act permitting the borrowing of $10,000,000 be given approval so that final planning may be made for the construction of parking facilities.

I therefore respectfully request that the accompanying order be approved by your Honorable Body.

Respectfully,
JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor.

Following is letter to the Mayor from Herman Carp, Commissioner of Real Property:

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

After a study based on origin and destination counts and based on the number of people requiring parking facilities, ten (10) high-priority sites were recommended by the City Planning Board for parking facilities to the Real Property Board. Those sites are as follows:

1. Scollay Square area.
2. Court Square area.
3. Fort Hill Square area.
4. Province Street area.
5. Bedford and Kingston Streets area.
6. Washington, Hollis, and Dillaway Streets area.
7. Tremont Street area.
8. Areh Street area.
9. Atlantic Avenue area.
10. North Station area.

(The above locations are not placed in order of their importance. Each one is a high-priority area.)

For the purpose of making immediate plans for the construction of parking facilities in at least five of the above high-priority locations, the sum of $10,000,000 would be needed, provided no private investors exhibited an interest in bidding for 40-year leases in some of the locations.

Therefore, in order that additional steps may be taken in the furtherance of our parking program, it is essential that the loan of $10,000,000 provided for

by the provisions of chapter 450 of the Acts of 1955 be authorized at the earliest possible date.

I have been directed by the Real Property Board to request that such an order be submitted to the City Council

Respectfully submitted,

HERMAN CARP,

Commissioner of Real Property, Chairman, Real Property Board.

"CREDIT UNION DAY" DECLARATION.

Whereas, The credit union movement is now in its second century of service; and

Whereas, Credit unions provide a means whereby people may pool their savings, and mutually assist each other to fill their needs for useful credit at a low cost; and

Whereas, Credit unions combat usury, encourage thrift and regular saving; and

Whereas, These credit unions not only promote the economic security of their members, but also strengthen democracy, encourage individual responsibility and the practice of true brotherhood and thus benefit our entire Commonwealth; and

Whereas, These benefits have been recognized by the laws of our Commonwealth of Massachusetts under which credit unions are chartered; and

Whereas, The third Thursday of each October is internationally observed as "Credit Union Day," in recognition of the outstanding service being rendered to the people of Boston by their credit unions; therefore

I do hereby declare Thursday, October 20, 1955, as "Credit Union Day," to be observed in Boston, and urge our people to give fitting recognition at this time to the many benefits brought to them through credit unions; and on this occasion

I extend to the leaders and members of the 160 credit unions of Boston my greetings, congratulations, and sincere wishes for continued success in serving their fellowmen.

J. B. HYNES,
Mayor.

"TONY DeMARCO DAY" DECLARATION.

Whereas, Because of his outstanding display of sportsmanship which is an example to the youth of the city; and

Whereas, By winning the welterweight championship of the world; and

Whereas, In losing the title he displayed the finest traditions of sportsmanship and has proved beyond question that he is a true champion; and

Whereas, Boston and its citizens are honored to claim Tony DeMarco, a true son of Italo-American parentage, as its outstanding contribution to the nation's world of sports; now, therefore,

I, John B. Hynes, Mayor of the City of Boston, do hereby declare Monday, October 17, 1955, as "Tony DeMarco Day" in the City of Boston, and do urge all citizens to take due note of, attend, or otherwise cooperate in making "Tony DeMarco Day" one that will be long remembered by all who know him as her favorite son.

JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor.

MAYOR REQUESTED TO PROCLAIM A "CATHOLIC YOUTH ORGANIZATION WEEK."

(Continued from page 1237.)

Whereas, This observance will cover every possible activity, including the spiritual, cultural, social, and athletic, with a holy hour, daily communion crusade, panel discussions, dances, and numerous athletic events, including the award of the "Bill Mullen" trophy, in memory of the late beloved Director of Recreation of the Boston Park Department, to the outstanding C.Y.O. product of the year in the Boston area; and

Whereas, The activities of the good priests and laymen assisting them, under the spiritual guidance of our beloved Archbishop Cushing, have assisted the city in maintaining a low ratio of juvenile delinquency through their labors; be it therefore

Resolved, That the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, formally requests his Honor the Mayor to proclaim the week of October 30, 1955, as "Catholic Youth Organization Week," and invites the membership and spiritual directors of the C.Y.O. to attend the City Council meeting of Monday, October 31, and to visit the various departments of the city government during said week; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to Most Reverend Richard J. Cushing, D.D.; the National Director of the C.Y.O., Rt. Rev. Joseph E. Schieder; and Very Rev. John P. Carroll, Archdiocesan Director; and to Rev. Joseph Kierce, Boston Deanery Director; and to the Very Rev. Francis J. Lally, editor of *The Pilot.*

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Mayor has approved the following order of the Public Improvement Commission:

That a 4-foot 3-inch diameter concrete and brick sewer be constructed in private land, between Mt. Hope street and Canterbury street in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of $8,000.

Three catch basins and connections in existing easement in Eastmont road, ordered December 14, 1954, between Leighton road and Dietz road, in the Hyde Park district, at an estimated cost of $1,500.

Five hundred linear feet of 12-inch pipe surface drain and one catch basin in Itasca street, between Almont street and Mattapan street, in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of $5,000.

Twelve catch basins and connections, 12 bulkheads, 12 catch basins dismantled and filled in, and 300 linear feet of minor drain in Bunker Hill street, at various locations, in the Charlestown district, at an estimated cost of $6,300.

One catch basin and connection in Columbus avenue, between 295 and 297 Columbus avenue, in the Boston Proper district, at an estimated cost of $1,000.

Seven catch basins and connections in existing easement in Leighton road, ordered September 26, 1955, between Alwin street and Eastmont road, in the Hyde Park district, at an estimated cost of $3,500.

ADDITIONS TO CONTRACT.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Warner W. Walsh has been ordered to make the following additions to the contract for the East Boston High School:

Girls' toilet rooms, first, second, and third floors, clean all slate partitions and apply one coat of paint to same.

Check booths (2) at entrance to Assembly Hall, paint complete.

For the above additional work not called for in contract add the sum of $200, and the amount of $200 will be added therefor, making the account as follows: contract price, $11,317; total additions, $200; amount of contract, $11,517.

AMENDMENT TO ORIGINAL AWARD OF DAMAGES.

That the amount of $50 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Cornelius J. and Mildred O. Burke for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of July 17, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Deforest street, Hyde Park district.

That the amount of $50 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Marion T. and Thomas G. Flynn for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of March 25, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Hemlock road, West Roxbury district.

That the amount of $1,000 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Mary J. Aptt for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of August 8, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Hartlawn road, West Roxbury district.

That the amount of $693.50 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Theodore W. and Anna T. Williamson for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of August 8, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Hartlawn road, West Roxbury district.

That the amount of $80 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to William J. and Charlotte S. Sulinski for all damages sustained under the order of the Public Improvement Commission and Mayor of August 4, 1954, for the widening and construction of Summit street, Hyde Park district.

That the amount of $100 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Richard F. and Mary J. Gleason for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of September 10, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Corey terrace, West Roxbury district.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, for a trial period of sixty (60) days, the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective October 18, 1955:

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester" the following:

Florida Street,
At Templeton street.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following personnel changes:

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

For the week ending October 4:

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Claire Bilapka, 230 Commonwealth avenue, 6 days; Lillian Blackburn, 18 Park Vale avenue, Allston, 1 day; Rita Buscher, 238 Norfolk street, Wollaston, 4 days; Ruby Childs, 270 Huntington avenue, 2 days; Sophie Cotter, 173 Vine Rock street, Dedham, 7 days; Adele Daly, 30 Aspinwall avenue, North Weymouth, Norma Dean, 696 Massachusetts avenue, 1 day; Hannah Donahue, 270 Huntington avenue, Eva Durgin, 13 Hardwick road, Quincy, 7 days; Christine Finn, 23 Commonwealth avenue, Stella Graham, 46 Mercier avenue, Dorchester, Dorothy Hudson, Maynard, Carol Duffy, 78 Metropolitan avenue, Roslindale, Rita McCallum, 162 Bowdoin street, Dorchester, 1 day; Catherine McGuiness, 14 Alsen road, Dorchester, 6 days; Claire MacDonald, Anna Murphy, 115 Peterborough street, 7 days; Helen Nauss, 46 West Newton street, Phyllis Nigro, 271 Dartmouth street, 3 days; Mabel Smith, 87 Bartlett road, Winthrop, Bernice Stanley, 22 Sandra road, East Walpole, Madeline Sullivan, 126 Marlborough street, 6 days; Margaret M. Sullivan, 28 Weymouth street, Holbrook, 7 days; Josephine Trippe, 80 Orleans street, East Boston, Josephine Tyman, 39 Burnham street, 5 days; Kathryn Welch, 49 East Springfield street, 9 days.

Appointments or Reinstatements.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Printing Section.

Joseph Herlihy, 1 O'Reilly Way, Charlestown, cylinder pressman, $93.86 a week.

Solomon Baker, 15 Dumas street, Dorchester, job pressman, $89.23 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Joseph M. Glennon, 1021 River street, Hyde Park, plumber, $60.50 a week.

Concetta DeStefano, 91 Jamaica street, Jamaica Plain, hospital medical worker, $45.50 a week.

Arzella Johnson, 53 Quincy street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Phyllis Peterson, 345 Meridian street, East Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Loretta M. Jones, 625 Shawmut avenue, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Catherine F. Kneeland, 7 Worcester square, hospital medical worker, $48 a week.

Ann Alexander, 233 Faneuil street, Brighton, electroencephalographic technician, $63 a week.

Mary C. Dacey, 51 Chilton road, West Roxbury, laboratory technician, $58 a week.

Dr. Ivan S. Ravin, 371 Commonwealth avenue, physician, $272 a month.

Sada Greaves, 745 Massachusetts avenue, floor nurse, $65.50 a week.

Catherine Geoghan, 37 Pelton street, West Roxbury, laboratory assistant, $45.50 a week.

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 18.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
E. Mogel	36 Prince street	3	New appliances	$55
R. Holmes	14 Quinn Way	20	New appliances	600
P. Gulesian	108 Readville street	18	New appliances	300
J. Wilson	28 Sever street	2	New appliances	100
J. Wilson	36 Sever street	2	New appliances	100
W. Kocen	494 Shawmut avenue	9	New appliances	75
W. Connell	23 South Munroe terrace	16	New appliances	25
D. Tringali	289 Sumner street	1	New appliances	70
W. Connell	19 Thelma road	16	New appliances	10
M. Vogel	122 Union Park street	3	New appliances	25
W. Connell	17 Wainwright street	16	New appliances	65
C. Boates	373 Washington street	3	New appliances	20
D. Tringali	263 Webster street	1	New appliances	45
F. Carey	709 West Roxbury Parkway	20	New appliances	100
W. Connell	27 Westglow street	16	New appliances	11
A. Onessimo	29 Whitman street	17	New appliances	10
J. Wilson	58 Winthrop street	2	New appliances	100
P. Gulesian	230 Wood avenue	18	New appliances	300
W. Awad	32 Academy Hill road	22	New appliances	100
W. Fafara	170 Almont street	18	New appliances	50
W. Awad	36 Antwerp street	22	New appliances	100
M. Slishman	471 Beech street	18	New appliances	75
H. Beaulieu	186 Boylston street	11	New appliances	25
W. Awad	20 Coolidge road	22	New appliances	100
W. Awad	38 Fordham road	21	New appliances	100
F. Caselctto	377 Frankfort street	1	New appliances	30
B. Weiner	87 Hammond terrace	9	New appliances	18
M. Eskowitz	79 Intervale street	14	New appliances	20
A. Milligan	35 Kenneth street	20	New appliances	100
W. Awad	15 Melton street	21	New appliances	100
W. Awad	8 South street	21	New appleances	100
O. McElearney	540 Tremont street	3	New appliances	75
M. Eskowitz	134 Walnut avenue	12	New appliances	10
S. Kramer	189 Atlantic avenue	3	New appliances	75
S. Pryor	54 Baldwin street	2	New appliances	20
N. Clark	875 Beacon street	21	New appliances	100
E. Pascucci	177 Bennington street	1	New appliances	15
A. Casaletto	258 Bennington street	1	New appliances	100
M. Colper	693 Bennington street	1	New appliances	100
N. Clark	46 Blenford road	21	New appliances	400
A. Onessimo	26 Boston street	7	New appliances	100
F. Avery	29 Boynton street	11	New appliances	60
N. Clark	6 Bremen terrace	11	New appliances	100
P. Gulesian	11 Business street	18	New appliances	150
H. Sellon	265 C street	6	New appliances	80
P. Gulesian	30 Cleveland street	18	New appliances	300
V. Bordonaro	466½ Commercial street	3	New appliances	30
D. Krieger	1688 Commonwealth avenue	21	New appliances	250
J. McKenna	74 Compton street	5	New appliances	75
J. Vogel	26 Congreve street	20	New appliances	75
H. Kroner	557 Dudley street	13	New appliances	10
J. Vogel	105 Durnell avenue	20	New appliances	150
D. Gould	90 East Canton street	8	New appliances	35
H. Sellon	766 East Fifth street	6	New appliances	100
M. Yorks	62 Everett street	1	New appliances	50
W. Crawford	237 Fairmount avenue	18	New appliances	10
P. Janis	39 Gaston street	12	New appliances	25
P. Janis	40 Gaston street	12	New appliances	25
J. McDonald	60 Glenmont road	22	New appliances	125
G. Trethewey	71 Greaton road	20	New appliances	420
E. Pascucci	48 Haynes street	1	New appliances	40
S. Wolf	850 Huntington avenue	10	New appliances	100
E. Pascucci	14 Marion street	1	New appliances	35
J. Vogel	45 Martin street	20	New appliances	400
E. Pascucci	183 Maverick street	1	New appliances	15
E. Pascucci	273 Maverick street	1	New appliances	25
G. Trethewey	41 Mendelssohn street	20	New appliances	70
G. Trethewey	Metropolitan avenue	18	New appliances	400
J. McKenna	8 Middlesex street	5	New appliances	150
D. Gould	50 Moreland street	12	New appliances	30
H. Hinckley	486 Norfolk street	18	New appliances	75
N. Clark	368 Park street	17	New appliances	400
N. Clark	223 Park Drive	21	New appliances	100
W. Hogan	154 Parker Hill avenue	10	New appliances	200
E. Pascucci	227 Princeton street	1	New appliances	25
N. Clark	8 Ridgewood street	15	New appliances	100
P. Gulesian	2 Rock road	18	New appliances	200
N. Clark	196 Salem street	3	New appliances	400
E. Pascucci	489 Sumner street	1	New appliances	10
W. Crawford	59 Templeton street	16	New appliances	35
N. Clark	1 Trenton street	2	New appliances	400
A. Halsband	14A Tyler street	3	New appliances	100
B. Capone	83 Van Winkle street	16	New appliances	100
J. McDonald	350 West Fourth street	6	New appliances	225
D. Gould	11 Westminster street	9	New appliances	35
R. Strum	15 Weyanoke street	16	New appliances	30
P. Gulesian	20 Williams avenue	18	New appliances	150
F. Avery	65 Woodlawn street	11	New appliances	50
E. Hart	11 Arborview road	19	New appliances	100
H. Kroner	702 Beacon street	5	New appliances	70
N. Deutsch	108 Bennington street	1	New appliances	75
L. Berg	53 Brackett street	22	New appliances	40
A. Kellem	108 Castle street	5	New appliances	80
E. Hart	1980 Centre street	20	New appliances	100
N. Deutsch	10 Cheever court	1	New appliances	30
W. Connell	34 Chipman street	17	New appliances	90
J. Renaldi	75 Clayton street	15	New appliances	150
A. Granara	24 Cooper street	3	New appliances	15

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 18.—Concluded.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
N. Deutsch	57 Cottage street	1	New appliances	$30
E. Hart	1 David road	19	New appliances	100
A. Kellem	850 Dorchester avenue	7	New appliances	95
J. Long	1068 Dorchester avenue	13	New appliances	450
W. Connell	589-91 East Broadway	6	New appliances	875
A. Granarn	25 Fleet street	3	New appliances	20
A. Granara	245-47 Hanover street	3	New appliances	100
E. Hart	225 Harrison avenue	3	New appliances	100
G. Speers	56 Hobsen street	22	New appliances	75
N. Deutsch	15 Leyden street	1	New appliances	30
N. Deutsch	80 Leyden street	1	New appliances	25
J. Amico	62 Liverpool street	1	New appliances	25
M. Vitale	49 Melcher street	6	New appliances	100
E. Hart	20 Oakland street	11	New appliances	100
G. Vallati	265 Park street	16	New appliances	200
J. Amico	10 Ping On street	3	New appliances	40
A. Figler	72 Rutland street	9	New appliances	35
E. Hart	73 Whitcomb avenue	19	New appliances	100
E. Hart	75 Whitcomb avenue	19	New appliances	100
S. Franco	141 Winthrop street	8	New appliances	40
N. Clark	349 Adams street	16	New appliances	400
I. Cohen	24A Allen street	3	New appliances	60
D. Greenwood	31 Averton street	20	New appliances	25
P. Gulesian	5 Beacon street	18	New appliances	800
R. McCall	5 Cambridge terrnce	21	New appliances	80
J. Estherhill	17 Chase street	13	New appliances	125
N. Clark	164 Cottage street	1	New appliances	15
P. Gulesian	121 Dana avenue	18	New appliances	200
N. Clark	17 Fuller street	17	New appliances	400
P. Gulesian	33 Ginfield avenue	18	New appliances	200
H. Slavet	200 High street	3	New appliances	75
N. Clark	33 Howell street	7	New appliances	400
N. Clark	868 Huntington avenue	10	New appliances	300
F. Deltufo	143 East Cottage street	7	New appliances	100
M. Eskowitz	103 Evans street	17	New appliances	50
P. Gulesian	10 Faraday street	18	New appliances	400
G. Trethewey	182 Florence street	19	New appliances	200

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM PLUMBING FOR THE WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 18.

Plumber.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
M. Maguire	55 Antwerp street	22	Fixtures	$5,800
A. Milligan	10 Billings street	20	Fixtures	1,000
A. Milligan	11 Gould street	20	Fixtures	1,000
T. Matthews	41 Lyndhurst street	17	Fixtures	100
T. Matthews	24 Peacevale road	17	Fixtures	100
A. Milligan	300 Spring street	20	Fixtures	1,000
A. Milligan	304 Spring street	20	Fixtures	1,000
I. Horvitz	39 Bower street	12	Fixtures	100
H. Ribeck	1688 Commonwealth avenue	21	Fixtures	300
D. Yorks	104 Dale street	18	Fixtures	500
D. Yorks	62 Everett street	1	Fixtures	500
G. Trethewey	172 Florence street	19	Fixtures	200
G. Trethewey	71 Greaton road	20	Fixtures	250
A. Kudish	19 Holman street	22	Fixtures	700
G. Trethewey	57 Metropolitan avenue	18	Fixtures	200
H. Hinekley	485 Norfolk street	18	Fixtures	500
E. Dorr	15 Rexhame street	20	Fixtures	100
S. Lucido	20 Seymour street	19	Fixtures	65
M. Cherkofsky	117 Everett street	1	Fixtures	500
J. Rooney	237 Fairmount avenue	18	Fixtures	300
C. Robbins	62 Frankfort street	1	Fixtures	1,800
G. Vallati	265 Park street	16	Fixtures	100
W. Collings	158 Roslindale avenue	20	Fixtures	150
P. Sandborg	89 Dent street	20	Fixtures	300
A. Giglio	6 Epping street	17	Fixtures	1,000
B. Tack	8 Frazer street	16	Fixtures	1,000
J. O'Leary	211 Gardner street	20	Fixtures	20
J. Seufert	14 Magdala street	16	Fixtures	900
S. Shulman	82 Oakmere street	20	Fixtures	900
S. Lucido	7 Rock road	18	Fixtures	65
F. Gibson	120 Ruskindale road	18	Fixtures	565
S. Gogos	16 Shawmut street	5	Fixtures	150
D. Karger	10 Tileston street	18	Fixtures	1,000
S. Gogos	281 West Fifth street	7	Fixtures	300

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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Changes in Status.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Personnel Division.

Theresa C. Hogan, 105 Farragut road, South Boston, from senior clerk and typist at $65.50 a week to principal clerk and typist (temporary) at $68 a week.

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Anne M. Randall, 9 Saratoga street, East Boston, from statistical machine operator at $55.50 a week to senior statistical machine operator at $65.50 a week

Sarah J. Duffy, 42 Sudan street, Dorchester, from statistical machine operator at $53 a week to senior statistical machine operator at $63 a week.

Isabelle A. Coleman, 225A Walnut avenue, Roxbury, from statistical machine operator at $53 a week to senior statistical machine operator at $63 a week.

Ersilia Manning, 739 Bennington street, East Boston, from senior statistical machine operator (permanent) at $65.50 a week to principal statistical machine operator (temporary, 3 months) at $70.50 a week.

William A. Bothwell, 10 Stratford street, West Roxbury, from assessment reeorder at $73 a week to principal clerk at $80 a week.

AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

Dominie Tonueci, 52 Langdon street, Roxbury, from principal clerk at $76.50 a week to principal account examiner (temporary, 6 months) at $80 a week.

Warren M. Firestein, 46 Waverly street, Roxbury, from principal clerk at $70.50 a week to principal account examiner (temporary, 6 months) at $76.50 a week.

Paul R. Thorson, 86 Dimock street, Roxbury, from clerk at $48 a week to senior account clerk (temporary, 6 months) at $55.50 a week.

Charles V. O'Brien, 337 Bunker Hill street, Charlestown, from head administrative clerk (temporary) at $113 a week to head administrative clerk at $113 a week.

Paul H. Keating, 95 Webster street, Arlington, from assistant principal accountant (temporary) at $108.25 a week to assistant principal accountant at $108.25 a week.

Joseph A. Re, 582 South street, Roslindale, from senior account clerk at $63 a week to principal clerk (temporary, 6 months) at $65.50 a week.

Frank C. Fitzgerald, 126 Blue Hill avenue, from clerk at $48 a week to senior account clerk (temporary, 6 months) at $55.50 a week.

BOSTON RETIREMENT BOARD.

Charles R. Curran, 5 Vinson street, Dorchester, from senior account clerk (temporary) at $63 a week to senior account clerk (permanent) at $63 a week.

Albert W. Driscoll, 3 Oakhurst street, Dorchester, from senior account clerk (temporary) at $63 a week to senior account clerk (permanent) at $63 a week.

James P. Kelly, Jr., 175 Fuller street, Dorchester, from senior account clerk (temporary) at $63 a week to senior account clerk (permanent) at $63 a week.

City Planning Board.

Gladys P. Lyons, 76 Chester street, Arlington, from senior planner (permanent) at $90.50 a week to principal planner (temporary) at $108.25 a week.

Fire Department.

William E. Hackett, 467 Columbia road, Dorchester, from fire fighter at $77.58 a week to fire lieutenant at $89.46 a week.

Robert J. Crawford, 5 Vinton street, South Boston, from fire lieutenant at $93.48 a week to fire captain at $105.55 a week.

Frank A. Mizer, 1 Forest place, Roxbury, from fire alarm operator at $79.50 a week to senior fire alarm operator (temporary) at $93.48 a week.

John L. McFadden, 47 Norton street, Dorchester, from senior fire alarm operator (temporary) at $93.48 a week to senior fire alarm operator at $93.48 a week.

Hospital Department.

Main Division.

Nora H. Ralph, 19 Vista street, Roslindale, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior clerk and typist at $55.50 a week.

Carol A. O'Brien, 68 Child street, Hyde Park, from laboratory technician at $58 a week to senior bacteriologist (temporary, 6 months) at $68 a week.,

Ann Marie Tierney, 1171 Boylston street, from floor nurse at $60.50 a week to head nurse at $65.50 a week.

Antoinette S. Pascucci, 176 Paris street, East Boston, from head nurse at $76.50 a week to floor nurse at $70.50 a week.

Eileen Donahue, 4 Emmons place, Cambridge, from floor nurse at $60.50 a week to supervising nurse at $73 a week.

Grace V. Flaherty, 19 Ticknor street, South Boston, from floor nurse at $65.50 a week to head nurse at $68 a week.

Agnes McNeil, 44 Humphreys street, Dorchester, from floor nurse at $68 a week to floor nurse at $73 a week.

John C. Galvin, 363 Sumner street, East Boston, from hospital medical worker (permanent) at $50.50 a week to ambulance and medical aid man (temporary, 6 months) at $53 a week.

Angelo A. Attardo, 558 East Sixth street, South Boston, from hospital medical worker at $45.50 a week to elevator operator at $45.50 a week.

Michael Lawrence, 12 Douglas street, from hospital house worker at $55.50 a week to senior hospital house worker at $58 a week.

James Flaherty, 43 Bowditch road, Jamaica Plain, from hospital medical worker (permanent) at $48 a week to X-ray technician (temporary) at $50.50 a week.

Bettina L. Jones, 74 Revere street, from laboratory assistant at $53 a week to laboratory technician at $60.50 a week.

Parks and Recreation Department.

Joseph M. O'Brien, 94 Sanborn avenue, West Roxbury, from laborer at $53 a week to yardman at $55.50 a week.

James F. Connolly, 97 Howard avenue, Dorchester, from grave digger at $60.50 a week to motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week.

Francis E. Harkins, 78 Brookley road, Jamaica Plain, from grave digger at $55.50 a week to motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week.

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 18.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Ida Dunkless	10 Baird street	14	Alterations, dwelling	$1,875
Patsy Ciano	105 Bennington street	1	Alterations, dwelling	400
Frances Willoughby	39 Clifford street	12	Alterations, dwelling	400
Herbert Steinberg	220 Columbia road	14	Alterations, cleansers	90
Herman Love	52 Copeland street	12	Alterations, dwelling	850
Carmine Palladino	18 Dacia street	14	Alterations, dwelling	380
John Piazza	1491 Dorchester avenue	16	Alterations, cleansers	90
Stone & Webster	49 Federal street	3	Alterations, offices	1,000
Joseph Butt	66 Gladstone street	1	Alterations, dwelling	200
Boston Edison	1165 Massachusetts avenue	7	Alterations, recreation hall	3,000
Thomas Flanagan	64 Nahant avenue	16	Alterations, dwelling	800
Rees Irvine	20 Northfield street	9	Alterations, dwelling	925
John Lopez	22 Northfield street	9	Alterations, dwelling	925
Thomas O'Brien	24 Northfield street	9	Alterations, dwelling	925
George Tack	29 Ocean street	17	Alterations, dwelling	250
Nichols Realty	108 Portland street	3	Alterations, offices	50
Jennie Gordon	47 Sullivan street	2	Alterations, dwelling	450
Jennie Gordon	51 Sullivan street	2	Alterations, dwelling	450
Boston Edison	178 and 179 Tremont street	3	Alterations, offices	1,000
Holmes Realty Trust	1 Washington street	3	Alterations, stores, offices	250
Edward Armington	373 Washington street	3	Alterations, stores, offices	250
Leotis Preston	67 Whiting street	12	Alterations, dwelling	305
William Dunphy	247 Willow street	20	Alterations, dwelling	45
James Ribera	4144 Washington street	19	Alterations, diner	200
Joseph Puccia	37 Ferry street	3	Alterations, storage	350
Dorchester Am. Lith. Club	1810–1816 Dorchester av	16	Alterations, stores, dwelling	250
Wadia Shalhav	10 DeSoto road	20	Alterations, dwelling	1,800
Associated Laundries	21 Clapp street	7	Alterations, laundry, garage	875
Salvatore Borbeno	1221 Tremont street	9	Alterations, dwelling, store	500
B. Camerlango	45 Clayton street	15	Alterations, dwelling	2,000
Lucille Moutafian	103 Shawmut avenue	3	Alterations, dwelling, store	575
Joe & Nemo	1 Boylston street	3	Alterations, stores, offices	650
Archie Moutafian	101 Shawmut avenue	3	Alterations, dwelling, store	750
Joseph Graham	83 Lonsdale street	16	Alterations, dwelling	500
W. Murphy	1149 Tremont street	9	Alterations, store	175
Florence Macleod	554 Park street	17	Alterations, dwelling	450
Alta Flagg	30 Elm street	2	Alterations, dwelling	700
Joseph DeMambro	1095 Commonwealth avenue	21	Alterations, store	200
George Potter	22 Ardale street	20	Alterations, dwelling	75
Vito Signorski	44 Brook avenue	8	Alterations, dwelling	480
Supreme Wine Company	340 C street	6	Alterations, storage	600
M. P. Levin	172 Federal street	3	Alterations, offices	925
Helen Regan	311 Geneva avenue	15	Alterations, lunchroom	100
R. Phillips	58 Harvard street	2	Alterations, dwelling	85
R. Phillips	60 Harvard street	2	Alterations, dwelling	85
Francis Fabiano	698 Huntington avenue	10	Alterations, dwelling	700
Peter Bent Brigham	721 Huntington avenue	10	Alterations, temporary locker	100
M. Huss	69 Monadnock street	13	Alterations, dwelling	125
Hyman Glazer	619 Morton street	14	Alterations, dwelling	400
Timothy Murphy	251 Park street	15	Alterations, dwelling	300
Arthur Davidson	26 Playstead road	13	Alterations, dwelling	200
Vincent Calarese	22 Pleasantview street	18	Alterations, excavation	100
Frederick Gillespie	422 Sumner street	1	Alterations, dwelling	250
A. M. Slater	98 Tremont street	3	Alterations, offices, store	500
Lillian Wasserman	653 Washington street	17	Alterations, store	15
James Beal	44 Wendover street	7	Alterations, dwelling	429
J. Salman	14 Bird street	15	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Annie Woolf	85 Brighton avenue	21	Alterations, dwelling	475
Broad Exchange	88 Broad street	3	Alterations, offices	500
Mary Loughry	101½ Calumet street	10	Alterations, dwelling	800
John Donahue	161 Chestnut avenue	19	Alterations, dwelling	340
James Goralwick	1256 Columbus avenue	11	Alterations, boiler room	1,400
Helen Mulkern	1551 Columbus avenue	11	Alterations, dwelling, store	835
Standard Grocery	377 Commercial street	3	Alterations, warehouse	2,500
Standard Grocery	379 Commercial street	3	Alterations, storage	1,000
C. E. Fay	1186 Commonwealth avenue	21	Alterations, garage	900
Bond Electronics	42–68 Cornhill	3	Alterations, offices, store	80
M. DeSteffano	186 Cottage street	1	Alterations, dwelling	100
M. DeSteffano	188 Cottage street	1	Alterations, dwelling	100
Sebastina Ciani	194 Cottage street	1	Alterations, dwelling	100
Joseph M. O'Connor	3 Dell avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	700
Berkowich Brothers	114 Dover street	3	Alterations, store	350
Mrs. E. Foster	190 Green street	11	Alterations, dwelling	70
Catherine Sullivan	11 Herbertson road	19	Alterations, dwelling	710
J. Cerretti	20 Humphrey street	7	Alterations, dwelling	200
Dr. Robert Lasker	1200 Hyde Park avenue	18	Alterations, excavation	None
Frank Sagan	12 Knoll street	20	Alterations, dwelling	$455
Mary Frederick	3 Larchmont street	17	Alterations, dwelling	150
St. Peter's Episcopal Church	105 Paul Gore street	19	Alterations, office	500
Marvin Smith	10 Sunderland street	12	Alterations, dwelling	400
El Morocco	239–243 Tremont street	3	Alterations, cafe, store	75
Ellen O'Malley	143 West Seventh street	6	Alteratoins, dwelling	500
Denise Verjabodiau	109–111 Wrentham street	16	Alterations, dwelling	250
Eugene C. McNelley	52 Baldwin street	2	Alterations, dwelling	500
Browne Associates	855 Beacon street	21	Alterations, dwelling, offices	2
Joseph Corman	4 Corman road	18	Dwelling	10,000
Joseph Corman	6 Corman road	18	Dwelling	10,000
Antonia LaFauci	46–50 Cross street	3	Stores	28,270
Shanahan Equipment	15–17 Electric avenue	22	Storage	11,000
Arthur F. Carber	23 Cresthill road	22	Dwelling	9,000
Boston Molasses	920 East First street	6	Alterations, offices	15,000
United Realty	125–135 Forsyth street	4	Alterations, storage, manufacturing	8,000
Clorox Chemical Company	125 Guest street	22	Storage, manufacturing	377,000
James Sharkey	100 Hackensack street	20	Dwelling	10,000
City of Boston	818 Harrison avenue	8	Alterations, hospital	23,000
John J. Fitzgerald	22 Highland street	18	Dwelling	8,000
John J. Fitzgerald	26 Highland street	18	Dwelling	8,000
Samuel McCoy *et al*	257 Humboldt avenue	12	Alterations, dwelling	2
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PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 18.—Concluded.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Maria Chillemi	897 Canterbury street	18	Alterations, dwelling	$320
Boston & Maine Railroad	150 Causeway street	3	Alterations, offices, store	900
James Kelliher	67 Charlemont street	16	Alterations, dwelling	580
John Riley	73 Clare avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	250
John Garrett	462 Columbia road	15	Alterations, dwelling	300
John Connolly	33 Edwin street	16	Alterations, dwelling	300
Thomas Downes	103 Evans street	17	Alterations, dwelling	250
Mary Braden	114 F street	6	Alterations, dwelling	280
Martha Wolk	361 Harvard street	14	Alterations, dwelling	400
Sears Roebuck	1253 Hyde Park avenue	18	Alterations, store	800
Norbett Vachon	37 McBride street	11	Alterations, dwelling	105
Mrs. Johnson	73 Sachem street	10	Alterations, dwelling	400
Pearl Johnson	462 Shawmut avenue	9	Alterations, dwelling	525
Rose Sullivan	9 Southview street	13	Alterations, dwelling	624
Bertram Williams	17 and 19 Spaulding street	16	Alterations, dwelling	400
William Zoll	111 Stratton street	14	Alterations, dwelling	500
Angil Cosindas	111 Weld street	20	Alterations, dwelling	100
Angil Cosindas	115 Weld street	20	Alterations, dwelling	100
Brook Realty	104 Kingston street	3	Alterations, storage	4,500
Lloyd Warshauer	341 Marlborough street	5	Alterations, dwelling, office	1,500
Edward Marion	357 Marlborough street	5	Alterations, dwelling	2
F. Secartore	49–55 Maverick square	1	Store	51,000
Mr. Boston Distillery	1006–1018 Massachusetts avenue.	8	Alterations, bottling, storage	2,000
Charles Murray	181–183 Medford street	2	Garage	25,958
Ted Pearlmutter	904 Morton street	17	Alterations, garage	3,000
Herman Sibitt	8 Old road	14	Alterations, repair shop	5,000
Arthur Carver	190 Parsons street	22	Dwelling	9,000
Best Homes Realty	132 Perham street	20	Dwelling	8,000
City of Boston	249 River street	18	Alterations, sanatorium	40,000
Arnold Amirault	75 Robin street	20	Dwelling	12,000
Everett Palladino	165 Sherrin street	18	Dwelling	10,000
Fifty Associates	42 Stuart street	3	Alterations, restaurant	1,000
Harold Hourihan	326 Turtle Pond Parkway	18	Dwelling	8,000
Anthony Sammartino	101 Washington street	21	Alterations, dwelling	1,200
Ruth Elliot	88–92 West Fourth street	6	Erecting garage, addition	10,500
Weston Construction Co.	3 West Milton street	18	Dwelling	9,000
Weston Construction Co.	5 West Milton street	18	Dwelling	9,000
Weston Construction Co.	9 West Milton street	18	Dwelling	9,000
Weston Construction Co.	15 West Milton street	18	Dwelling	9,000
Weston Construction Co.	17 West Milton street	18	Dwelling	9,000
Weston Construction Co.	21 West Milton street	18	Dwelling	9,000
Thomas Mulvey	10 Winchester street	19	Dwelling	10,000
James McCluskey	45 Alban street	17	Alterations, dwelling	75
William Sullivan	65 Bartlett street	2	Alterations, dwelling	400
Little Building Trust	80 Boylston street	5	Alterations, stores, office	2,000
Phineas Matlin	124 Cabot street	9	Alterations, dwelling	600
Phineas Matlin	126 Cabot street	9	Alterations, dwelling	600
Phineas Matlin	128 Cabot street	9	Alterations, dwelling	600
Alfred Clement	225 Cambridge street	22	Alterations, store	175
Socony Vacuum Oil	460 Cambridge street	21	Alterations, gas station	600
Michael Murphy	137 West Canton street	4	Alterations, dwelling	150
Emma Mally	139 West Canton street	4	Alterations, dwelling	150
Charles Shapiro	25 Causeway street	3	Alterations, store, office	175
B. Shalit	658 Centre street	16	Alterations, store	175
Simond Saw Company	1350 Columbia road	7	Alterations, manufacturing	950
Armour Company	775 Columbus avenue	9	Alterations, meat house	875
Morris Brook	48 Compton street	5	Alterations, dwelling, store	95
William Burgess	99 Dix street	16	Alterations, dwelling	150
Leonards Department Store	1497 Dorchester avenue	15	Alterations, stores	90
James Showstack	443 Dudley street	8	Alterations, dwelling	100
Unity Real Estate	267 Dudley street	8	Alterations, store, office	700
Mary Clark	55 East Concord street	8	Alterations, dwelling	100
Old Harbor Super	331 East Fifth street	7	Alterations, dwelling, store	95
Jack's Market	512 East Eighth street	7	Alterations, dwelling, store	95
Elizabeth Daston	111 East Newton street	8	Alterations, tavern	175
Charles Riley	13 Fayette street	5	Alterations, dwelling	750
Harry Cohen	40 Gleason street	11	Alterations, dwelling	475
Self Service Shoe Outlet	21 Guild Row	9	Alterations, stores	100
Exchange Realty	36 Hanover street	3	Alterations, stores	350
William Allen	9 Haviland street	4	Alterations, dwelling	2,500
William Allen	11 Haviland street	4	Alterations, dwelling	2,500
Gabriel Proccia	23 Highgate street	21	Alterations, dwelling	2,000
Savage Garage	215 Humboldt avenue	12	Alterations, garage	50
Louis Tulesian	53 Jeffries street	1	Alterations, dwelling	600
Fernandes Estate	69–81 Kilmarnock street	21	Alterations, restaurant	500
United Supply Company	37 Norfolk street	8	Alterations, store, warehouse	100
Angelina Caprio	36 Northampton street	8	Alterations, dwelling, store	175
Antonio Valante	7 Prescott street	1	Alterations, dwelling	360
Harry Perry	115 Quincy street	14	Alterations, dwelling	90

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Public Works Department.

Automotive Division.

James T. Dowd, 122 McGreevey Way, Roxbury, from mobile guard (temporary) at $58 a week to mobile guard at $58 a week.

Bridge Division.

John V. Sullivan, 86 Charles street, from senior account clerk (temporary) at $55.50 a week to senior account clerk at $55.50 a week.

Highway Division.

Joseph F. D'Alelio, 22 Hull street, from encroachment investigator at $70.50 a week to senior encroachment investigator (temporary) at $73 a week.

Ralph B. Whitehouse, 15 Cawfield street, Dorchester, from electrician at $65.50 a week to electrician-operator (temporary) at $68 a week.

Robert J. Doherty, 27 West Cottage street, Dorchester, from highway construction inspector (permanent intermittent) at $68 a week to highway construction inspector at $68 a week.

William J. Gleavy, 26 Greenwich street, Dorchester, from working foreman paver at $73 a week to highway construction inspector (temporary) at $76.50 a week.

Chester J. Wojcik, 2 Jeffries street, East Boston, from laborer at $53 a week to motor equipment operator and laborer (temporary) at $55.50 a week.

Edward C. Donovan, 336 Geneva avenue, Dorchester, from chief encroachment investigator (temporary) at $80 a week to chief encroachment investigator at $80 a week.

Sanitary Division.

James F. Henehan, 48 Capen street, Dorchester, from district foreman, street cleaning and waste collection, at $83.50 a week to district supervisor, street cleaning and waste collection (temporary), at $87 a week.

Sewer Division.

Thomas H. Byron, 6 Stone terrace, Dorchester, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $58 a week to catch-basin machine operator at $60.50 a week.

Anthony Cerullo, 851 Saratoga street, East Boston, from laborer at $58 a week to motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week.

Survey Division.

Charles D. Sullivan, 31 St. Rose street, Jamaica Plain, from principal clerk and stenographer (temporary) at $70.50 a week to principal clerk and stenographer at $70.50 a week.

Roland A. Hull, 98 West Main street, Georgetown, from assistant civil engineer (temporary) at $94 a week to assistant civil engineer at $94 a week.

Frank S. Lane, 491 Huntington avenue, Roxbury, from senior engineering aid at $68 a week to junior civil engineer (temporary) at $73 a week.

Water Division.

Irene Kassler, 34 Hartwell street, Roxbury, from senior clerk and stenographer (temporary) at $58 a week to senior clerk and stenographer at $58 a week.

John P. Mitchell, 29 Seaverns avenue, Jamaica Plain, from laborer at $58 a week to working foreman laborer at $60.50 a week.

Arthur F. McDonald, 3 Fenton street, Dorchester, from laborer at $53 a week to yardman (temporary) at $55.50 a week.

Real Property Department.

William B. DuMoulin, 63 Chickatawbut street, Dorchester, from working foreman plumber at $76.50 a week to building construction and repair inspector (temporary) at $80 a week.

Treasury Department.

Maureen E. Gilmore (nee Dwyer), 5 Westcott street, Dorchester, from statistical machine operator at $53 a week to senior statistical machine operator (temporary) at $55.50 a week.

William J. Hetherman, 35 Fidelis Way, Brighton, from senior clerk and typist at $60.50 a week to principal clerk (temporary) at $65.50 a week.

Welfare Department.

Central Office.

Douglas Shaw, from statistical machine operator at $53 a week to senior statistical machine operator (temporary transfer) at $55.50 a week.

Samuel Brown, 10 Gaston street, Roxbury, from principal social work supervisor at $94 a week to head social work supervisor (temporary transfer) at $98.75 a week.

Leave of Absence

Hospital Department.
Main Division.

John Cassell, 275 Gold street, South Boston, elevator operator, $53 a week.

Step-Rate Increases.

Fire Department.

Richard A. Kemp, fire lieutenant, from $89.46 to $93.48 a week.

Timothy J. Walsh, fire fighter (aide to deputy chief), from $81.41 to $83.33 a week.

Fire Fighters.

	From	To
John O. Doldt,	$77.58—	$79.50
Joseph P. Feeney,	77.58—	79.50
Robert P. Foley,	77.58—	79.50
Joseph P. Murray,	77.58—	79.50
Louis M. Bacigalupo,	77.58—	79.50
John J. Geagan,	77.58—	79.50
Gerald J. McEachern,	77.58—	79.50
Charles H. Dunbar,	77.58—	79.50
John F. Gilbrook, Jr.,	77.58—	79.50
William F. Keefe,	77.58—	79.50
Robert J. Laubenstein,	77.58—	79.50
George L. Lyons, Jr.,	77.58—	79.50
James F. McEleney,	77.58—	79.50
Robert W. Nelson,	77.58—	79.50
John H. Shea,	77.58—	79.50
Fred I. Smith,	77.58—	79.50
Raymond F. Bastian,	77.58—	79.50
Thomas J. Carroll,	77.58—	79.50
George W. Daly,	77.58—	79.50
Joseph G. Flynn,	77.58—	79.50
John W. Heise,	77.58—	79.50
Kenneth J. Jennings,	77.58—	79.50
Paul M. Kilduff,	77.58—	79.50
Walter R. Magoon,	77.58—	79.50
Paul V. Manning,	77.58—	79.50
Robert D. McGilveary,	77.58—	79.50
Martin H. Mullen,	77.58—	79.50
Michael J. Nichol,	77.58—	79.50
Thomas P. O'Keefe,	77.58—	79.50
Frederick H. Stetson,	77.58—	79.50

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

Court House Commission.

Francis J. Cooney, elevator operator, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Francis X. Cronin, watchman, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

John W. Lorden, elevator operator, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Thomas Morgan, elevator operator, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Municipal Court, City of Boston.

Mary A. Gorman, clerk, from $52.95 to $53 a week.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following requests:

Boston Traffic Commission.

Michael T. Gainey, chief traffic signal inspector, 8 hours at $2.37 an hour; James Pender, traffic signal inspector, 8 hours at $2.28 an hour; Charles H. King, senior traffic investigator, 26 hours at $2.28 an hour.

Hospital Department.
Sanatorium Division.

Approval has been given to grant overtime to the following-named employees who earn over $77 a week:

Rachael Scheehl, dietitian; Luke McCarthy, engineer; Patrick Murtagh, chief power plant engineer; Katherine Burke, head nurse; Eleanor Caulfield, registered graduate nurse; Alice DeRoehn, night supervisor of nurses; Mary Flynn, head nurse; Anne Gilson, head house physician; Clara Greene, Rose Humiston, Sadie Lynn, Mazie McIntyre, Katherine Morris, Gertrude O'Connell, Johanne Reidy, head nurses; Mary Rogers, registered graduate nurse; Mary Spinale, night supervisor of nurses; Anna Sullivan, Cecelia Sullivan, head nurses.

Penal Institutions Department.

T. Delaney, correction officer, clothing cutter, 7½ hours, $15; B. Flynn, correction officer, poultryman, 7½ hours, $15; R. Flynn, hospital supervisor, 7½ days, $125.25; J. Gallivan, electrician, 23 hours, $46.98; J. Hoban, electrician, 1 day, $18.10; P. Joyce, officers' cook, 1 day, $16; W. Kelley, deputy master, 31½ hours, $143.57; F. Luciano, officers' cook, 15 hours, $31.31; J. McGann, head clerk, 2½ days, $49.38; J. McGowan, assistant deputy master, 1 day, $16.70; P. McMullen, head clerk, 39 hours, $96.28; C. Nee, correction officer, 22½ hours, $45; P. H. O'Donnell, correction officer, 15 hours, $30; G. O'Halloran, assistant deputy master, 6 days, $103.35; J. Parziale, officers' cook, 1 day, $16; D. Pendleton, correction officer, 7½ hours, $15; J. Sullivan, deputy master, 2¾ days, $46.45; P. Wall, principal clerk, 3 days, $48; S. Walters, assistant deputy master, 1 day, $17.40; Y. Yirrell, industrial supervisor, ½ day, $9.40; R. Stewart, hospital supervisor, 1 day, $16.70.

VETERANS' RETIREMENTS.

The Mayor has approved the following veterans' applications for retirement:

Edmund Currie, 28 Batchelder street, Roxbury, carpenter, Sanitary Division, Public Works Department.

Frederick J. Bailey, M.D., 62 Arborway, Jamaica Plain, chief, Bureau of Communicable Diseases, Health Department.

William Edward Stewart, 1437 Centre street, West Roxbury, fire fighter, Engine Company 45, Fire Department.

Patrick J. McGuigan, 31 Massachusetts avenue, cashier, Bridge Division, Public Works Department.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award the contracts for work, materials, and supplies, in accordance with recommendations of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

Administrative Services Department.
Purchosing Division.

Upon September 25 the Mayor approved a contract with low bidders as indicated for furnishing tea and coffee to the various city departments from October 1, 1955, to December 31, 1955, inclusive. Approximate total amounts of contracts were as follows:

Edmands Coffee Company, $11,785.70, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; Standard Brands, Inc., $6,462.50, net, 30 days; Stanley W. Ferguson, Inc., $2,223.82, net, 15 days.

Bids, opened September 9, were as follows:

Tea and Coffee.

Item 1. 800 Pounds Black Ceylon or India Tea, or Blend of, Leaf, Medium Grade, in Approximately 100-Pound Chests, Per Pound.—Stanley W. Ferguson, Inc., 67.86 cents.*

Item 2. 400 Pounds Black Ceylon or India Tea, or Blend of, Leaf, Medium Grade, in 1-Pound Packages, Per Pound.—Stanley W. Ferguson, Inc., 69.36 cents.*

Item 3. 170 Cases Tea Bags, with Tags, Blend of Ceylon or India Tea, Full Medium Grade Cup Quality, Packed 10/100's, 150 Tea Bags, Per Case.—Stanley W. Ferguson, Inc., $6.95*; LaTouraine Coffee Company, $9.75, 175 tea bags to pound, 5⅝ pounds per case; Standard Brands, Inc., $12.50; Tetley Tea Company, Inc., $8.16.

Item 4. 75 Cases Tea Bags, Stringless, Blend of Ceylon or India Tea, Full Medium Grade Cup Quality, Per Case.—Stanley W. Ferguson, Inc., $2.96, 50/1-ounce*; LaTouraine Coffee Company, $3.90, 48/1-ounce; Standard Brands Inc., $3.50, 48/1-ounce; Tetley Tea Company, Inc., $7.10, 96/1-ounce.*

Item 5. 19,000 Packages Ground Coffee, As Per Specificotions, Per Package.—Edmands Coffee Company, 62.03 cents*; Stanley W. Ferguson, Inc., 63.93 cents; Holiday Coffee Corporation, 57 cents; LaTouraine Coffee Company, 64½ cents.

Item 6. 11,000 Packages Instant Coffee, As Per Specifications, Per Package.—American Home Foods, Inc., 66 cents, 4-ounce jar, G. Washington's pure soluble coffee; Stanley W. Ferguson, Inc., 85.5 cents, 4-ounce jar (12 jars to case); Holiday Coffee Corporation, 68 cents, 4-ounce jar; General Foods Corporation, 82.77 cents, 24/4½-ounce packages to case, Instant Maxwell House Coffee; LaTouraine Coffee Company, 15.8 cents, 40-gram (1.4-ounce) (*see* Remarks); Standard Brands, Inc., 58.75 cents, 4-ounce jar, Chase & Sanborn Instant Coffee, 29.375 cents, 2-ounce jar, Chase & Sanborn Instant Coffee, (*see* Remarks).

Discount.—American Home Foods, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Edmands Coffee Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Stanley W. Ferguson, Inc., net, 15 days; Holiday Coffee Corporation, net, cash; General Foods Corporation, net, 30 days; LaTouraine Coffee Company, 2 per cent, 10 days, end of month; Standard Brands, Inc., net, 30 days; Tetley Tea Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment.

Remarks.—LaTouraine Coffee Company reserves the right to increase price in event of market advances by that amount which the green coffees specified in the standard specifications have advanced in cost as quoted in the Journal of Commerce between date of bid and date of actual delivery; quoting on a 40-gram (1.4-ounce) package of LaTouraine Instant Coffee which is designed for use with one gallon of water; this size of package will prove to be more economical and more convenient for hospital dietitians; Standard Brands Inc., Item 5, bidding on the same coffee that is presently being used at the City Hospital, the price is identical to that being charged now; the only change in our bid is that it may be necessary to supply some 2-ounce jars when our supply of 4-ounce jars is depleted, however, every effort will be made to fill the entire bid with 4-ounce jars if we receive same.

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* Contract awarded.

Upon October 6 the Mayor approved a contract with Charles H. Wood, doing business as Charles N. Wood Company, for furnishing and delivering snowfighters to the Public Works Department. Approximate total amount of contract was as follows:

Item 1. $20,100, less trade-in allowance on one used unit, $2,500—$17,900.

Item 2. $26,100, less trade-in allowance on two used units at $2,300 each, $1,600—$21,800—$39,700, net.

Bids, opened October 4, were as follows:

Requisition G-661, Public Works Department, Snow Removal.

Item 1. One New, Latest Model, Oshkosh Four-Wheel Drive Truck, Model H-825, or Equal, As Per Specifications.

List Price.—Field Machinery Company, $22,169; Charles N. Wood Company, $21,337.*

Less Taxes.—Charles N. Wood Company, $937.

Less Trade-in Allowance.—Field Machinery Company, $750; Charles N. Wood Company, $2,500.

Less 2 Per Cent Discount Time of Payment, As Per Discount Clause.—Field Machinery Company, $434.38; Charles N. Wood Company, no discount.

Net Total Delivered Price.—Field Machinery Company, $21,284.62; Charles N. Wood Company, $17,900.

Make and Model of Chassis.—Field Machinery Company, Oshkosh, W-825; Charles N. Wood Company, Walter, AGB, specification SF-41, revised.

Make and Model of Sanding Unit.—Field Machinery Company, Baughman, ASK-4; Charles N. Wood Company, Baughman, or equal to specifications.

Delivery.—Field Machinery Company, 4 to 5 weeks; Charles N. Wood Company, 35 days.

Requisition G-660, Public Works Department, Snow Removal.

Item 2. One New, Latest Model, Walter Snowfighter, or Equal, Complete with Plows and Sanding Equipment, in Accordance with Specifications.

List Price.—Field Machinery Company, $26,437; Charles N. Wood Company, $27,451.*

Less Taxes.—Charles N. Wood Company, $1,051.

Less Trade-in Allowance.—Field Machinery Company, $2,000; Charles N. Wood Company, $1,600.

Less 2 Per Cent Discount Time of Payment, As Per Discount Clause.—Field Machinery Company, $188.71; Charles N. Wood Company, no cash discount.

Net Total Delivered Price.—Field Machinery Company, $23,948.26; Charles N. Wood Company, $21,800.

Make and Model of Chassis.—Field Machinery Company, Oshkosh, W-2211; Charles N. Wood Company, Walter, AGRL, Specification SF-38, to city specifications (*see* proposal).

Make and Model of Sanding Unit.—Field Machinery Company, Baughman, ASK-4; Charles N. Wood Company, Humphrey, Model 7Y2APL, to city specifications (*see* proposal).

Delivery.—Field Machinery Company, 4 to 5 weeks; Charles N. Wood Company, 15 days.

* Contract awarded.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Upon October 6 the Mayor approved a contract with City Building Wrecking Company for razing the Thomas Dwight School on Smith street, Roxbury. Bids, opened October 5, were as follows:

City Building Wrecking Company, $2,971; Mystic Building Wrecking Company, Inc., $3,265; Domino Building Wrecking Company, $3,400; Hub Building Wrecking Company, Inc., $4,250; American Building Wrecking Company, Inc., $4,285; Central Building Wrecking Company, Inc., $4,479; New York Building Wrecking Company, Inc., $4,825; E. Polcari & Son, $4,950.

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

Upon October 14 the Mayor approved a contract with Remington Rand Division of the Sperry Rand Corporation for supplying card catalog cases. Bids, opened Wednesday, September 28, were as follows:

Library Efficiency Corporation, a division of Bro-Dart Industries, $1,332.26; Remington Rand Division of Sperry Rand Corporation, $1,838.60; John E. Sjostrom Company, $1,886.75.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Upon October 17 the Mayor approved a contract with D. F. Frangioso & Co., for development of burial areas at Mt. Hope Cemetery, West Roxbury. Bids, opened Tuesday, October 4, were as follows:

D. F. Frangioso & Co., $10,424; Sylvester A. Ray, $11,549.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Upon October 11 the Mayor approved a contract with John J. Appel for relaying water pipes in Perkins street, Ward 2, and such additional locations, if any, in Ward 2, as may be designated by the Commissioner of Public Works, at an estimated cost of $6,689. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed December 31, 1955. The following bids were received October 5:

John J. Appel, $6,689; R. A. Buccella & Sons, Inc., $7,074; E. Susi & Williams Corporation, $8,706; H. DiTullio & Sons, Inc., $10,205; Edward Vozzella, $11,493.50.

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Upon October 14 the Mayor approved a contract with R. A. Buccella & Sons, Inc., for rebuilding of sewerage works in private land (Talbot avenue high level sewer), West Roxbury, at an estimated cost of $9,100. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed December 6, 1955. The following bids were received October 6:

R. A. Buccella & Sons, Inc., $9,100; C. Russo, Inc., $15,570.

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Upon October 17 the Mayor approved a contract with George M. Bryne for demolition work and repairs to fender system and water pipe trestle, Dover Street Bridge, over Fort Point Channel, at an estimated cost of $9,540. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed within one month from the date of order to commence work. The following bids were received October 6:

George M. Bryne, $9,540; James B. Rendle Company, $11,160; Rev-Lyn Contracting Company, $12,425; Crandal Engineering Company, $14,660; Corey Steeplejacks, Inc., $16,585; McKie Lighter Company, $16,890; Riley Company, $17,804; Charles L. Hazelton & Son, Inc., $19,155; C. Ray Norris & Son, $19,500; Matthew J. Hughes, $20,310.66.

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Upon October 18 the Mayor approved a contract with James A. Freaney, Inc., for cleaning the surface drainage system of the Sumner Tunnel at an estimated cost of $2,160. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed within eight weeks from date of order to commence work. The following bids were received October 13:

James A. Freaney, Inc., $2,160; Albany Contracting Company, $2,473; Bennington Contracting Company, $2,665.

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Upon October 18 the Mayor approved a contract with Martin J. Kelly Company, Inc., for resurfacing the drawspan of the Dover Street Bridge at an estimated cost of $11,534. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed within six weeks from the date of order to commence work. The following bids were received October 13:

Martin J. Kelly Company, Inc., $11,534; Rev-Lyn Contracting Company, $11,760; Rossano Construction Company, Inc., $13,760; J. A. Singarella Company, $13,887; Matthew J. Hughes, $15,386.38.

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Upon October 18 the Mayor approved a contract with Bennington Contracting Company for cleaning exhaust duct and exhaust fan room at the Sumner Tunnel at an estimated cost of $1,280. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed within four weeks from date of order to commence work. The following bids were received October 6:

Bennington Contracting Company, $1,280; Fireproofing Corporation of America, $1,550; Matthew J. Hughes, $1,590; James A. Freaney, Inc., $1,995.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

Upon October 11 the Mayor approved a contract with Burgess & Blacher for roofing and metal work at Curtis Hall Municipal Building, 20 South street, Jamaica Plain. Bids, opened Monday, October 3, were as follows:

Burgess & Blacher, $8,575; J. F. Shea Company, $8,945; Werner Construction Company, $10,995.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

Upon varying dates as requested by the various departments the Mayor has approved contracts, without advertising, with various contractors for labor, supplies, etc. Communications from heads of departments interested were as follows:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.
Purchasing Division.

BOSTON, October 5, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office is in receipt of requisitions from the Printing Section for linotype equipment and monotype equipment as per specifications. Mergenthaler Linotype Company, the manufacturer of linotype equipment, and Lanston Monotype Corporation, the manufacturer of monotype equipment, have submitted informal written quotations.

Inasmuch as the above equipment will be purchased direct from the manufacturers, authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award contracts, without public advertisement, to Mergenthaler Linotype Company for linotype equipment and to Lanston Monotype Corporation for the monotype equipment. It is my opinion that, in this way, the best interests of the city will be served.

Approximate total amounts of contracts will be as follows:

Mergenthaler Linotype Company, $38,-635.97, f.o.b. Printing Section.

This price includes erection of machines but does not include water, gas, or electrical connections. Discount is 1 per cent for payment within 30 days after erection of each machine.

Lanston Monotype Corporation, $15,-453.18, net.

Prices quoted do not include electrical or plumbing connections.

Respectfully yours,

EUGENE K. WELSH,
Acting Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, October 5, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office is in receipt of a requisition from the Boston City Hospital for two Isolette infant incubators, complete with enclosed cabinet stand; two weighing scales, and two Vapojettes humidifier attachments, Serial Nos. 2374, 2378. These items are manufactured by Air Shields, Inc., Hatboro, Pennsylvania. A written quotation has been received from this company.

Inasmuch as Air Shields, Inc., is the manufacturer of the above equipment and since the prices submitted by this company are acceptable, authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to Air Shields, Inc., for two Isolette infant incubators, complete with enclosed cabinet stand, at $695 each; two weighing scales at $35 each, and two Vapojettes humidifier attachments, Nos. 2374, 2378, at $47.50 each, plus shipping charge of $16.23.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $1,571.23, net, 30 days.

Respectfully yours,

EUGENE K. WELSH,
Acting Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, October 5, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office is in receipt of a requisition from the Boston City Hospital for 2,000 30 cc. vials Demerol hydrochloride, 50 mg. each cc. This item is a narcotic and is obtainable direct from the manufacturer, Winthrop Stearns, Inc. An informal written quotation has been received from this company.

Inasmuch as the above item can be obtained direct from the manufacturer, authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to Winthrop Stearns, Inc. It is my opinion that, in this way, the best interests of the city will be served.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $2,520, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Respectfully yours,

EUGENE K. WELSH,
Acting Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, October 5, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office is in receipt of a requisition from the Fire Department for Nife-type nickel cadmium fire alarm storage batteries to be delivered immediately to the Fire Alarm Division. These batteries are necessary for the proper operation of the fire alarm system and are obtainable from Signal Systems Engineering Company. This company has submitted an informal written quotation.

Inasmuch as these batteries are urgently needed and since the prices submitted by Signal Systems Engineering Company, Inc., the only source of supply, authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to this company for the immediate delivery of 1,000 Nife-type, TA1–.10 nickel cadmium, 10-ampere hour, fire alarm storage batteries at $4.33 each, and 150 Nife-type, TA1–.5 nickel cadmium, 15-ampere hour, fire alarm storage batteries at $5.76 each. It is my opinion that, in this way, the best interests of the city will be served.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $5,194, less 2 per cent discount for payment within 10 days.

Respectfully yours,

EUGENE K. WELSH,
Acting Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, October 5, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office is in receipt of a requisition from the Treasury Division of the Treasury Department for 190 drawers of Berger 491–R4 (check files) to be delivered immediately.

Boston Desk Company, Inc., has submitted an informal written quotation on the above equipment and can make immediate delivery. Inasmuch as time is of the essence, authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to Boston Desk Company, Inc. It is my opinion that, in this way, the best interests of the city will be served.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $1,083, less 2 per cent discount for payment within 10 days.

Respectfully yours,

EUGENE K. WELSH,
Acting Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, October 6, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office is in receipt of a requisition from the Hospital Department, Boston City Hospital Division, for 600 rolls, 100-foot bromide paper, Sanborn, part No. 3A–1. The Sanborn Company of Cambridge, Mass., is the only distributor of this type of paper and has supplied the city under contract for several years. A written quotation of $2.34 per roll f.o.b. Boston City Hospital, less 1 per cent discount, for payment within 15 days, net, 30 days, has been received from this company.

Inasmuch as the Sanborn Company is the only distributor, has previously supplied the paper to the Boston City Hospital and offers an acceptable price, it is my opinion that no advantage could be gained by publicly advertising for prices.

Authority is therefore requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to the Sanborn Company for bromide paper, as per specifications, to be delivered in two lots during October 15, 1955, and March 31, 1956.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $1,404, less 1 per cent discount for payment within 15 days, net, 30 days.

Respectfully yours,

EUGENE K. WELSH,
Acting Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, October 10, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office is in receipt of requisitions from the Water Division of the Public Works Department for various Hersey water meter parts. These parts are manufactured by and obtainable only from Hersey Manufacturing Company. Written quotations have been submitted by this company.

Inasmuch as Hersey Manufacturing Company is the only source of supply, authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to this company, for furnishing Hersey water meter parts to the Water Division of the Public Works Department. It is my opinion that, in this way, the best interests of the city will be served. Individual items and prices will be included in the contract.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $17,164.95, net, 30 days.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, October 10, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The Printing Section of this division has requested immediate delivery of a new 1956 Ford, F–100, panel delivery truck. Prices were solicited from several Ford dealers. Three bids were received and the lowest bid was that of Bowers Motor Sales, Inc., at $2,380, less a trade-in allowance of $185 on 1946 Ford truck.

Inasmuch as prompt delivery of this truck is most essential, authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to Bowers Motor Sales, Inc., for one Ford half-ton panel truck, F–100, 8-cylinder, equipped with 650 x 16 tires, front and rear, 650 x 16 spare tire and tube, passenger seat, built-up springs, magic air heater, underseal and directional lights. It is my opinion that, in this way, the best interests of the city will be served.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $2,195, net.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, October 11, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office is in receipt of several requisitions from the Boston City Hospital Division of the Hospital Department for various items of hospital equipment. Since the items requested cannot be purchased direct from the manufacturers, informal requests for prices were solicited from four local distributors. Because prices are fair traded, all those received were equal.

Inasmuch as time is of the essence, authority is requested to dispense with

publicly advertising for prices and award contracts, without public advertisement, to the following companies for the immediate delivery of the hospital equipment requested:

T. J. Noonan Company, $2,038; Thomas W. Reed Company, $1,945.20; E. F. Mahady Company, $1,035; W. J. Fitzgerald Corporation, $1,420.

Discount for all companies is 2 per cent for payment within 10 days. Individual items with complete specifications will be included in each contract.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, October 6, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

On Saturday, October 1, 1955, the rear wall of the building numbered 56, 58, and 60 Cabot street, Ward 9, fell into the rear yard. The buildings were unoccupied at the time. With the assistance of the Police Department, this department secured the area against trespass. It was determined by further examination that while there was no immediate likelihood of further collapse, the buildings were beyond repair. We proceeded to solicit bids in the usual manner for razing the structures.

Prices were secured from the three following companies:

Central Building Wrecking Company, $4,770; American Building Wrecking Company, $4,425; City Building Wrecking Company, $3,216.

The property is owned by one Arlene A. Holmes, care of Clarence Remy, 1 Wellington street, Roxbury. The owner professes to be unable to undertake the required work. It becomes incumbent upon the city, therefore, in view of the excessive danger, to proceed without delay in razing these three buildings as provided by chapter 479, Acts of 1938, as amended, section 116d.

The City Building Wrecking Company, lowest bidders, have given satisfactory service in similar cases. They are licensed and insured wreckers. In view of these special circumstances, therefore, I ask your Honor's approval to dispense with the pertinent provisions of the City Charter and to award the contract to the City Building Wrecking Company without advertising and without further solicitation of bids.

Very truly yours,

CHARLES A. CALLANAN,
Building Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

BOSTON, October 10, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office is in receipt of a requisition from the School Committee to install one fixed basketball backstop and one swing-up backstop, with glass backboards, at the Boston Latin School.

I have contacted Dick Morey, Inc., manufacturers of this equipment, which company has installed these backstops and glass backboards in the Boston Garden and various college gyms throughout the country and they have quoted a price of $1,475 to deliver and install to the Boston Latin School, as per specifications, one fixed backstop and one swing-up backstop and two Pittsburg Plate Glass Herculite "Norimodel" backboards with match goals.

As this installation is specialized equipment, and as time is of the essence, it is my opinion that no advantage would be gained by public advertising for bids. Authority is therefore requested to dispense with public advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertising, to Dick Morey, Inc., 628 Washington street, Abington, Mass., in the amount of $1,475, for the above equipment.

Very truly yours,

JAMES H. MOONEY,
Superintendent of Construction.

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, October 11, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The trustees of the Public Library respectfully request the approval of your Honor for the award of a contract, without public advertising, to the Gerstenslager Company, Wooster, Ohio, for supplying two transit-type bookmobiles, built to specifications, provided by the library.

The building of bookmobile bodies is a highly specialized operation which very few automotive body manufacturing companies are able and willing to undertake. The trustees sought to secure the interest of local automotive body manufacturing firms. They also ascertained what has been the experience of other large cities in the procurement of bookmobiles.

In the belief that the interests of the city would be best served thereby, the trustees then invited three companies which were considered to be qualified, and which were the only three companies which could be found to be interested, to submit bids for the furnishing of two identical bookmobile bodies. The bids were as follows:

Gerstenslager Company, Wooster, Ohio, $19,370; Thomas F. Moroney Company, Inc., 433 Boston Turnpike, Shrewsbury, Mass., $21,656; W. F. Lacey & Sons Company, 50 Mystic avenue, Medford, Mass., $28,890.

The chassis which the trustees have specified, like the bookmobile bodies, is of special make, specifically designed for bookmobile purposes by the Available Truck Company of Chicago. The Gerstenslager Company has indicated that the prices of the two bookmobiles chassis will be in an amount not in excess of $14,000 for the two units. It has been ascertained that no saving would be possible if the city were to order the chassis directly.

The total cost of the two bookmobiles (body and chassis) will be not in excess of $33,370.

The trustees have therefore taken the following action to award the contract:

"*Voted*, That there be awarded to the Gerstenslager Company, Wooster, Ohio, a contract for supplying two bookmobiles built to specifications, provided by the library, in an amount not to exceed thirty-three thousand three hundred and seventy dollars ($33,370)."

Since it is not possible to submit the procurement of these bookmobiles successfully to publicly advertised bidding, there is respectfully requested the permission of your Honor to enter into the contract without publicly advertising for bids.

Respectfully,

MILTON E. LORD, *Director.*

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, September 1, 1955.

JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The Commissioner of Real Property proposes to engage the services of William A. Fisher Company, Inc., 14 Court square, Boston, Mass., as engineer, in connection with the proposed repairs to former Houghton & Dutton Building, 55 Tremont street, Boston, Mass.

The estimated cost of the proposed repairs is approximately $28,000, and the engineer shall be paid a standard fee equal to the sum of 10 per cent of the full amount of the cost of said repairs (and not to exceed $2,800), which fee would include supervision.

In view of the nature of the professional services involved, no benefit would be gained by advertising for bids, and it is respectfully requested that permission be given to award the contract to William A. Fisher Company, Inc., without public advertising.

Respectfully submitted,

HERMAN CARP,
Commissioner.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Pacella Brothers Corporation has been directed to perform the following extra work under the contract for sewerage works in Stony Brook, section 16, Hyde Park, dated August 31, 1955:

Furnish labor and materials to lower 12-inch water pipe in West street and to move 12-inch water pipe in Austin street to a distance that will allow the laying of an 18-inch pipe surface drain in Austin street, Hyde Park, at the proper grade. The cast-iron pipe is to be furnished by the city.

Agreed price, $500.

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Dooley Brothers, Inc., has been directed to perform the following extra work under the contract for bituminous concrete pavement in Newmarket square (East road), Newmarket square (North road), Newmarket square (South road), Service place, and Theodore Glynn Way, dated October 26, 1954:

In existing backfilled trenches over lighting conduits, excavate earth to a depth of 6 inches, remove pavement for a distance of 6 inches on each side and place a 6-inch concrete mat flush with existing pavement. A 6-inch shoulder shall be provided around the perimeter of all openings to insure a bearing on undisturbed soil for the concrete mat. High early strength Portland cement shall be used in the concrete mat and the work is to be done by compressor and hand labor. Price to be paid, the sum of $5 per square yard for concrete furnished and laid.

Newmarket square (East road), approximately 87.8 square yards; Newmarket square (North road), approximately 74.3 square yards, and Newmarket square (South road), approximately 80.9 square yards; total, 243 square yards.

Estimated cost of extra work, $1,215.

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S. J. Tomasello Corporation has been directed to perform the following extra work under the contract for bituminous concrete pavement in Ardale street, Bellaire road, Cerdan avenue, Colby road,

Corey street, Farquhar street, Maple street, and Pinehurst street, dated June 20, 1955:

In Pinehurst street, in existing backfilled trenches over lighting conduits excavate earth to a depth of 6 inches, remove pavement for a distance of 6 inches on each side and place a 6-inch concrete mat flush with existing pavement. Approximately 60 square yards of concrete furnished and laid at $4.50 per square yard. This work is to be done by compressor and hand labor.

In Bellaire road, remove approximately three cubic yards of rock at $8 per cubic yard.

Estimated cost of extra work, $294.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

Department of School Buildings.

Approval has been given for the extension of the time of completion of the contract with Joseph Rugo, Inc., for the construction of an addition to the James J. Chittick School, Hyde Park, from October 15, 1955, to December 15, 1955. This extension was requested because of an iron workers' strike, which occurred in July, and materials are not being delivered on schedule.

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Approval has been given for the extension of the time of completion of the contract with Joseph Rugo, Inc., for the construction of an addition to the Curtis Guild School, East Boston, from September 1, 1955, to December 2, 1955. This extension was requested because unforeseen difficulties in excavation prevailed; an iron workers' strike occurred during July, 1955, and deliveries of materials were late.

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Approval has been given for the extension of the time of completion of the contract dated June 13, 1955, with P. V. Barone Corporation, 70 Glencoe street, Brighton, for bituminous concrete pavement in Arvale road, Auriga Street Extension, etc., from October 1, 1955, to December 31, 1955. This extension was requested because the recent flood rains delayed the work of the public utilities companies, thereby delaying the work of the P. V. Barone Corporation.

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 57.

I. Promotions.

The following promotions, which will become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, October 19, 1955, are hereby announced:

Deputy Fire Chief William A. Terrenzi to assistant fire chief.

Deputy Fire Chief John E. Clougherty to assistant fire chief.

Temporary Assistant Fire Chief Leo C. Driscoll to assistant fire chief.

Temporary Assistant Fire Chief Patrick E. Collins to assistant fire chief.

Temporary Assistant Fire Chief Edward N. Montgomery to assistant fire chief.

Herewith are the assignments for the five assistant fire chiefs:

William A. Terrenzi, Division 1 (commanding).

John E. Clougherty, Division 2 (commanding).

Leo C. Driscoll, Headquarters (training).

Patrick E. Collins, Headquarters (fire fighting).

Edward N. Montgomery, Fire Prevention Division.

Duties of Assistant Fire Chief Assigned to Fire Fighting Division.

He shall be the commanding officer of the division to which he is assigned. He shall supervise and coordinate the work of the deputy fire chiefs assigned to command the various work groups. He shall see that the fire fighting activities of the division conform to the training policies of the department. He shall be responsible for the assignment of fire companies on "in-service" inspections, and from time to time personally supervise the companies in his command while so engaged, and he shall advise the Fire Prevention Division on the progress of each company.

He shall prepare for staff consideration recommendations and suggestions of improvement on methods and equipment; advise of any special or unusual fire problems existing in his division; prepare detailed written individual operational plans covering all key or target hazards in his division, following modern fire administration techniques and shall familiarize his command with these plans when adopted. He shall attend the staff meetings when recommendations from the assistant fire chief of a Fire Fighting Division are considered and at such other times as may be necessary.

He shall review all fire reports made in his division. He shall be responsible for the assignment cards in his division. He shall be especially alert for the maintenance of morale, discipline, and the enforcement of the rules and regulations of the Boston Fire Department.

II. Retirement.

The following retirement, in accordance with the provisions of chapter 32, section 57, General Laws, as amended, effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, October 19, 1955, is hereby announced:

Fire Fighter William E. Stewart, Engine Company 45.

Fire Fighter Stewart was appointed to the department May 28, 1927. He leaves the department with the best wishes of his associates.

III. Assignments.

The following assignments of fire fighters on probation, which will become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, October 19, 1955, are hereby announced:

Frank J. Gemellaro to Engine Company 27.

Robert J. Leonard to Ladder Company 3.

William D. Shea to Ladder Company 24.

Henry V. Jundzil to Ladder Company 11.

George J. Holland to Ladder Company 11.

Edward L. Fitzpatrick to Ladder Company 21.

Robert E. Laing to Engine Company 22.

John P. Tynan to Engine Company 30.

Martin J. McDonough to Engine Company 33.

Robert R. Donovan to Engine Squad 34.

Joseph Boylan to Engine Company 4.

John T. Corcoran to Engine Company 37.

Alan W. Robinson to Ladder Company 26.

Stanley A. France to Ladder Company 18.

James F. Roy to Engine Company 31.

IV. Transfers.

The following transfers will become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, October 19, 1955:

Deputy Fire Chief John F. Pettit, from Headquarters to Division 1.

Fire Lieut. Donald E. McKenna, from Engine 4 to Ladder 10.

Fire Lieut. Dennis J. Sullivan, from Ladder 2 to Engine 4.

Fire Fighters.

Kristo A. Apostol, from Engine 37 to Engine 13.

Robert J. Barron, from Engine 55 to Ladder 6.

John B. Dunbar, from Ladder 11 to Engine 32.

Joseph G. Flynn, from Engine 32 to Engine 50.

Sigmund A. Gurski, from Ladder 21 to Ladder 20.

Walter J. Kearney, from Engine 33 to Ladder 23.

Albert L. Marley, from Engine 5 to Engine 40.

John J. McCarthy, from Engine 30 to Engine 3.

James J. O'Neill, from Rescue Company to Ladder 24.

Edward J. Wilson, from Engine 50 to Engine 32.

Edward J. Sullivan, from Engine 43 to Ladder 20.

Paul W. Buchanan, from Ladder 12 to Ladder 16.

John P. Vaughan, from Ladder 24 to Ladder 12.

Thomas P. O'Keefe, from Engine 43 to Ladder 20.

Harry F. Fogarty, from Ladder 9 to Engine 43.

Harry F. Nichol, from Ladder 12 to Ladder 25.

John T. Manning, from Engine Squad 14 to Ladder 12.

James D. Gallagher, from Engine Squad 34 to Engine Squad 14.

Robert M. Hardiman, from Ladder 24 to Engine 42.

John W. Heise, from Ladder 11 to Engine 55.

John F. Hasson, from Engine 7 to Ladder 17.

Lawrence J. Hall, Jr., from Ladder 17 to Engine 7.

James W. Parks, from Engine 4 to Rescue Company.

Paul F. Gearin, from Engine 17 to Ladder 23.

These fire fighters on probation will start department drill school Thursday, October 20, reporting to their assigned companies Saturday nights; off duty, Sundays.

By order of Fire Commissioner Francis X. Cotter.

John V. Stapleton,
Chief of Department.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 2,116.

The resignation of Patrolman John B. Clemens, Division 4, having been presented, it is hereby accepted, to take effect Monday, October 24, 1955, at 7.45 o'clock A.M.

The Acting Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

Thomas F. Sullivan,
Police Commissioner.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective October 24, 1955:

Article IV, Section 2 (Stopping, Standing, and Parking Prohibited in Certain Places), is amended by striking out the following:

Lyford Street, Dorchester.
East side, from a point forty (40) feet north of Callender street to Callender street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out the following:

Brook Avenue, Dorchester.
North side, from a point one hundred (100) feet west of 573 Dudley street to 573 Dudley street, 24 hours.
Lanark Road, Brighton.
Both sides, from Sutherland road to Kilsyth road, 24 hours.
Lyford Street, Dorchester.
East side, from a point forty (40) feet north of Callender street to Callender street, 24 hours.
Blue Hill Avenue, Roxbury.
East side, from Dudley street to Geneva avenue, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," the following:

Lancaster Street.
Southwest side, from Causeway street to Merrimac street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," the following:

Lanark Road.
Northeast side, from Sutherland road to Kilsyth road, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Charlestown," the following:

Lowney Way.
Both sides, from Mt. Vernon street to Bunker Hill street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," each of the following:

Boyden Street.
East side, from Callender street to Woodrow avenue, 24 hours.
Central Avenue.
Both sides, from River street to the Boston-Milton line, 24 hours.
Don Street.
West side, from Callender street to Woodrow avenue, 24 hours.
Lyford Street.
Both sides, from Stratton street to Callender street, 24 hours.
Magnolia Street.
East side, from Bird street to Intervale street, 24 hours.
Vinson Street.
South side, from Marlowe street to Geneva avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the captions "Dorchester," and "Roxbury," the following:

Stanwood Street.
Southwest side, from Blue Hill avenue to Columbia road, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "East Boston," the following:

Neptune Road.
Northeast roadway, southwest side, from Bennington street to Cleveland street, 24 hours.
Southwest roadway, northeast side, from Bennington street to Cleveland street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," each of the following:

Blue Hill Avenue.
East side, from Dudley street to a point on the prolongation of the northeast curb line of Warren street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.
East side, from a point on the prolongation of the northeast curb line of Warren street to a point one hundred and eighty-five (185) feet south of the prolongation of the northeast curb line of Warren street, 24 hours.
East side, from a point one hundred and eighty-five (185) feet south of the prolongation of the northeast curb line of Warren street to Geneva avenue, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.
Greenleaf Street.
North side, from a point forty (40) feet west of the prolongation of the easterly curb line of Leon street to a point forty (40) feet east of the prolongation of the easterly curb line of Leon street, 24 hours.
Pompeii Street.
Northwest side, from Massachusetts avenue to Allerton street, 24 hours.
Station Street.
North side, from a point one hundred and twenty-three (123) feet east of Parker street to Parker street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," each of the following:

Lancaster Street.
Northeast side, from Causeway street to Merrimac street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Merrimac Street.
South side, from Causeway street to Haymarket square, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 6, Part 3 (Restrictions in Cent and Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by striking out the following:

Blue Hill Avenue, Roxbury.
East side, from Dove street to Geneva avenue, 10 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 6, Part 3 (Restrictions in Cent and Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Blue Hill Avenue.
East side, from Dove street to a point on the prolongation of the northeast curb line of Warren street, 10 A.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from a point one hundred and eighty-five (185) feet south of the prolongation of the northeast curb line of Warren street to Geneva avenue, 10 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," the following:

Appian Way.
From Raymond street to Franklin street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," each of the following:

Hecla Street.
From Adams street to Dorchester avenue.
Lyon Street.
From Dorchester avenue to Adams street.

Article VI, Section 11 (Only Right Turn Movements Permitted), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," the following:

Linden Street.
Into Cambridge street, northeasterly.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," the following:

Gloucester Street.
At Newbury street.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," the following:

Franklin Street.
At Appian Way.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "East Boston," the following:

Meridian Street.
At Condor street.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," each of the following:

Centre Street.
At Albert street.
At Lamartine street.
Hereford Street.
At Newbury street.
Louis Prang Street.
Northeast side, at Fenway opposite Evans Way.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "West Roxbury," the following:

Weld Street.
At Willow street.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, for a trial period of sixty (60) days, the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective September 26, 1955:

Article VII, Section 2 (Heavy Commercial Vehicles Excluded), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Woodhaven Street.
From Blue Hill avenue to Cummins Highway.

STATEMENT OF BUILDING OPERATIONS IN THE CITY OF BOSTON FOR THE MONTH ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1955.

(As compared with corresponding period in preceding years.)

	1955.		1954.		1953.		1952.		1951.	
	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.
Type I	1	$1,500	3	$951,450	2	$171,000	3	$1,520,000	3	$1,235,500
Type II	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Type IV	6	249,550	6	58,000	11	139,600	20	509,100	15	276,430
Type V	6	15,450	1	7,000	8	29,450	3	6,000	4	19,000
Type VI	71	636,785	53	470,200	37	267,750	20	174,985	34	246,650
Total new construction	84	$903,285	63	$1,486,650	58	$607,800	46	$2,210,085	56	$1,777,580
Alterations, repairs, etc	532	1,065,772	585	485,338	492	650,439	563	1,003,214	517	649,933
Total structural construction	616	$1,969,057	648	$1,971,988	550	$1,258,239	609	$3,213,299	573	$2,427,514
Plumbing	199	$279,017	208	$125,510	204	$166,217	212	$251,920	235	$509,703
Gasfitting	711	73,554	540	58,380	335	63,919	522	66,794	358	46,357
Heaters, ovens, etc	51	67,132	36	36,585	16	16,484	33	35,065	14	11,400
Elevators, new freight	1	2,500	—	—	5	85,480	6	57,000	1	23,000
Elevators, new passenger	4	71,720	—	—	18	4,310	—	—	8	8,382
Elevators, alterations, freight	9	4,770	3	450	31	48,160	10	1,535	—	—
Elevators, alterations, passenger	22	108,466	11	8,005	2	5,100	29	76,892	27	16,766
Signs, projections, etc	41	16,570	31	11,625	30	14,965	51	29,450	40	25,690
Fire escapes	42	22,490	70	14,000	50	8,535	39	10,320	39	8,625
Take-downs, wood	7	4,550	6	1,525	12	4,940	10	7,900	11	5,175
Take-downs, brick, etc	29	48,320	15	20,075	5	2,795	1	5,000	35	58,500
Sprinklers	3	9,000	7	7,125	22	65,895	12	51,690	4	5,900
Excavations	5	2,300	1	100	2	190	8	1,900	7	5,500
Use of premises	3	—	3	—	7	—	9	—	3	—
Total	1,127	$710,389	931	$283,380	939	$486,990	942	$595,466	782	$724,998
Grand total all work	1,743	$2,679,446	1,579	$2,255,368	1,489	$1,745,229	1,551	$3,808,765	1,355	$3,152,511
Department revenue		$16,323 89		$8,361 00		$6,115 50		$6,434 25		$6,087 50

The following is a statement showing the number, purpose and estimated cost of the erection of new buildings and the alterations, repairs, additions, etc., of existing buildings for which applications were filed with the Building Department of the City of Boston during the

MONTH ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1955.

Purpose.	New Buildings.		Alterations.		Total.	
	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.
Amusement and recreation places, theatres, halls, movies	—	—	—	—	—	—
Churches, chapels, synagogues	—	—	6	$18,352	6	$18,352
Dwellings, small, 1-family	69	$635,100	111	72,080	180	707,180
Dwellings, small, 2-family	—	—	126	63,454	126	63,454
Dwellings, small, 3-family	—	—	115	55,042	115	55,042
Dwellings, small, with stores	—	—	24	10,847	24	10,847
Dwellings, large, 4-families or more	—	—	11	4,150	11	4,150
Dwellings, large, with stores	—	—	5	1,740	5	1,740
Educational buildings, schools, colleges, academies, etc.	—	—	5	2,900	5	2,900
Garage and repair shops	4	3,285	8	14,325	12	17,610
Hotel and club buildings	—	—	4	103,050	4	103,050
Institutional buildings, hospitals, clinics, asylums, etc	—	—	11	162,022	11	162,022
Lodgings, dormitories, homes, convents, etc	—	—	8	5,680	8	5,680
Manufacturing buildings, bakeries, laundries, workshops	—	—	14	301,545	14	301,545
Mercantile buildings, stores, salesrooms, service stations	6	51,250	59	174,005	65	225,255
Office and bank buildings	—	—	12	57,640	12	57,640
Public buildings	1	200,000	1	4,000	2	204,000
Storage buildings, warehouses, lumber sheds, etc	2	13,000	4	11,340	6	24,340
Miscellaneous	2	650	8	3,600	10	4,250
Total	84	$903,285	532	$1,065,772	616	$1,969,057

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PURPOSES, NUMBER AND ESTIMATED COST OF NEW BUILDINGS AND ALTERATIONS, ADDITIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., FOR WHICH APPLICATIONS HAVE BEEN FILED FOR NINE MONTHS ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1955.

Character.	Amusement, Recreation Places, Theaters, Movies, Halls.		Churches, Chapels, Synagogues.		Dwellings, 1-Family.		Dwellings, 2-Family.		Dwellings, 3-Family.		Dwellings, 1-2-3-Family, with Stores, etc.		Dwellings, Multi-Family.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I	2	$21,000	2	$1,250,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type II	....	.....	1	65,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type IV	5	36,200	1	175,000	2	$30,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	5	$345,000
Type V	1	10,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type VI	....	.....	1	45,000	586	5,436,700	28	$101,000	....	.....	....	.....	2	88,000
Total new construction	8	$67,200	5	$1,535,000	588	$5,466,700	28	$101,000	....	.....	....	.....	7	$433,000
Alterations, etc	30	188,552	30	192,092	798	518,903	884	418,758	975	$473,959	185	$126,672	242	272,660
Total structural work	38	$255,752	35	$1,727,092	1386	$5,985,603	912	$849,758	975	$473,959	185	$126,672	249	$705,660

Character.	Dwellings, Multi-Family, with Stores.		Educational Buildings, Schools, Colleges.		Garages and Repair Shops.		Hotel and Club Buildings.		Institutional Buildings, Hospitals, Asylums, Clinics.		Lodgings, Dormitories, Convents, Homes.		Lodging Houses with Stores.		Manufacturing Buildings, Bakeries, Laundries, Workshops.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I	....	.....	4	$1,223,000	3	$246,000	....	.....	2	$1,247,000	1	$187,000	....	.....	....	.....
Type II	....	.....	1	622,000	....	.....	....	.....	1	250,000	1	320,000	....	.....	....	.....
Type IV	....	.....	3	594,000	17	58,375	....	.....	1	15,000	1	70,000	....	.....	3	$315,800
Type V	....	.....	....	.....	12	13,400	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type VI	....	.....	....	.....	8	7,470	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Total new construction	....	.....	8	$5,439,000	40	$325,245	....	.....	4	$1,512,000	3	$877,000	....	.....	3	$315,800
Alterations, etc	47	$33,242	37	966,845	74	171,405	31	$211,350	41	2,398,022	76	185,590	....	.....	111	729,393
Total structural work	47	$33,242	45	$6,405,845	114	$496,650	31	$211,350	45	$3,910,022	79	$1,062,590	....	.....	114	$1,075,193

Character.	Mercantile Buildings, Restaurants, Stores, Showrooms, Service Stations.		Office and Bank Buildings.		Public Buildings, Libraries, Museums.		Stables, Kennels, Poultry Houses.		Storage Warehouses, Lumber Sheds, Silos, etc.		Miscellaneous.		Totals.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I	8	$295,500	1	$12,000	....	.....	....	.....	4	$116,500	6	$51,100	33	$7,949,100
Type II	2	252,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	2	150,000	....	.....	8	1,659,000
Type IV	48	1,741,350	6	280,500	1	$200,000	....	.....	4	50,500	1	300	98	3,942,025
Type V	10	22,700	1	500	....	.....	....	.....	6	48,000	6	10,850	36	105,450
Type VI	2	16,000	3	112,000	1	1,000	....	.....	1	750	2	920	634	6,108,840
Total new construction	70	$2,327,550	11	$405,000	2	$201,000	....	.....	17	$335,750	15	$63,170	809	$19,764,415
Alterations, etc	518	1,532,506	139	1,381,670	5	34,775	....	.....	63	304,700	62	33,877	4348	10,204,971
Total structural work	588	$3,860,056	150	$1,786,670	7	$235,775	....	.....	80	$670,450	77	$97,047	5157	$29,969,386

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PURPOSES, NUMBER AND ESTIMATED COST OF NEW BUILDINGS AND ALTERATIONS, ADDITIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., FOR WHICH APPLICATIONS HAVE BEEN FILED FOR MONTH ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1955.

Character.	Amusement, Recreation Places, Theaters, Movies, Halls.		Churches, Chapels, Synagogues.		Dwellings, 1-Family.		Dwellings, 2-Family.		Dwellings, 3-Family.		Dwellings, 1-2-3 Family, with Stores, etc.		Dwellings, Multi-Family.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I														
Type II														
Type IV														
Type V														
Type VI					69	$635,100								
Total new construction					69	$635,100								
Alterations, etc			6	$18,352	111	72,080	126	$63,454	115	$55,042	24	$10,847	11	$4,150
Total structural work			6	$18,352	180	$707,180	126	$63,454	115	$55,042	24	$10,847	11	$4,150

Character.	Dwellings, Multi-Family, with Stores.		Educational Buildings, Schools, Colleges.		Garages and Repair Shops.		Hotel and Club Buildings.		Institutional Buildings, Hospitals, Asylums, Clinics.		Lodgings, Dormitories, Convents, Homes.		Lodging Houses with Stores.		Manufacturing Buildings, Bakeries, Laundries, Workshops.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I																
Type II																
Type IV																
Type V					2	$1,600										
Type VI					2	1,685										
Total new construction					4	$3,285										
Alterations, etc	5	$1,740	5	$2,900	8	14,325	4	$103,050	11	$162,022	8	$5,680			14	$301,545
Total structural work	5	$1,740	5	$2,900	12	$17,610	4	$103,050	11	$162,022	8	$5,680			14	$301,545

Character.	Mercantile Buildings, Restaurants, Stores, Showrooms, Service Stations.		Office and Bank Buildings.		Public Buildings, Libraries, Museums.		Stables, Kennels, Poultry Houses.		Storage Warehouses, Lumber Sheds, Silos, etc.		Miscellaneous.		Totals.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I	1	$1,500											1	$1,500
Type II														
Type IV	4	49,250			1	$200,000					1	$300	6	249,550
Type V	1	500							2	$13,000	1	350	6	15,450
Type VI													71	636,785
Total new construction	6	$51,250			1	$200,000			2	$13,000	2	$650	84	$903,285
Alterations, etc	59	174,005	12	$57,640	1	4,000			4	11,340	8	3,600	532	1,065,772
Total structural work	65	$225,255	12	$57,640	2	$204,000			6	$24,340	10	$4,250	616	$1,969,057

The following is a statement showing the number of new buildings for purposes of habitation, together with the number of family accommodations provided thereby, for the erection of which applications were filed with the Building Department of the City of Boston during the

MONTH AND NINE MONTHS ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1955.

Number of Family Units in Each Building.	Month of September.				First Nine Months.			
	1955.		1954.		1955.		1954.	
	Buildings.	Families.	Buildings.	Families.	Buildings.	Families.	Buildings.	Families.
1	69	69	52	52	588	588	477	477
2	—	—	1	2	28	56	6	12
4	—	—	—	—	1	4	—	—
10	—	—	—	—	5	50	—	—
19	—	—	—	—	1	19	—	—
Total	69	69	53	54	623	717	483	489
Estimated cost	$635,100		$470,200		$6,300,700		$4,621,660	

SUMMARY OF HOUSING CONSTRUCTION TO DATE.

Number of	Month of September.	Nine Months.
New habitations erected	69	623
Accommodations provided by new construction	69	717
Accommodations provided by altering and remodeling	17	254
Accommodations eliminated by altering and remodeling	3	19
Habitations taken down	10*	83*
Family accommodations eliminated by demolition	32*	235*
Net change in number of habitations	59 more	540 more
Net change in number of family accommodations	51 more	717 more

Demolitions.	Number.		Number.	
	Buildings.	Families.	Buildings.	Families.
*1-family	—	—	8	8
2-family	2	4	29	58
3-family	6	18	27	81
4-family	—	—	12	48
5-family	2	10	2	10
6-family	—	—	5	30
Total	10	32	83	235

The following is a statement showing By Wards the number and estimated cost of new buildings for purposes of habitation for the erection of which applications were filed with the Building Department of the City of Boston during the

NINE-MONTH PERIOD ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1955.

Ward.	1-Family Dwellings.		2-Family Dwellings.		4-Family Dwellings.		10-Family Dwellings		19-Family Dwellings.		Total for Nine Months.	
	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.
1	9	$113,700	4	$44,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	13	$157,700
14	1	8,100	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	8,100
16	17	174,200	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	17	174,200
17	25	234,400	1	15,000	1	$38,000	—	—	—	—	27	287,400
18	333	2,914,700	9	144,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	342	3,058,700
19	34	397,500	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	34	397,500
20	150	1,439,900	3	45,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	153	1,484,900
21	4	33,200	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	$50,000	5	83,200
22	15	151,000	11	153,000	—	—	5	$345,000	—	—	31	649,000
	588	$5,166,700	28	$401,000	1	$38,000	5	$345,000	1	$50,000	623	$6,300,700

BUILDING OPERATIONS IN CITY OF BOSTON.

The following is a statement showing By Wards the number and estimated cost of new buildings for purposes of habitation for the erection of which applications were filed with the Building Department of the City of Boston during the

MONTH ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 1955.

Ward.	1-Family Dwellings.		Total for Month.	
	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.
1	1	$14,000	1	$14,000
16	1	10,000	1	10,000
17	1	10,000	1	10,000
18	37	352,200	37	352,200
20	26	219,900	26	219,900
22	3	29,000	3	29,000
Total	69	$635,100	69	$635,100

Building Operations in the City of Boston for the Month Ending SEPTEMBER 30, 1955.

Month of September.	1955.		1954.	
	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.
Type I	1	$1,500	3	$951,450
Type II	—	—	—	—
Type IV	6	249,550	6	58,000
Type V	3	15,450	1	7,000
Type VI	71	636,785	53	470,200
Total new construction	84	$903,285	63	$1,486,650
Alterations, repairs, etc	532	1,065,772	585	485,338
Total structural construction	616	$1,969,057	648	$1,971,988
Increase or decrease	—32	—2,931		
	—5%	—0%		
Installations, etc	1,127	710,389	931	283,380
Grand total all work	1,743	$2,679,446	1,579	$2,255,368
Increase or decrease	164*	424,078*		
	10%*	18%*		

FIRST NINE MONTHS.

Type I	33	$7,949,100	25	$3,267,000
Type II	8	1,659,000	7	1,111,000
Type IV	98	3,942,025	70	1,707,620
Type V	36	105,450	28	253,280
Type VI	634	6,108,840	496	4,635,290
Total new construction	809	$19,764,415	626	$10,974,190
Alterations, repairs, etc	4,348	10,204,971	4,880	7,564,072
Total structural construction	5,157	$29,969,386	5,506	$18,538,262
Increase or decrease	—349	11,431,124*		
	—6%	61%*		
Installations, etc	8,854	5,232,518	8,361	3,988,962
Grand total all work	14,011	$35,201,904	13,867	$22,527,224
Increase or decrease	—141	12,674,680*		
	—1%	56%*		

* Denotes increase — Denotes decrease

PRINCIPAL PROJECTS

New, library, 642 E. Broadway (City)	$200,000
Alterations, manufacturing, 600 Chelsea street (U. S. Gypsum)	185,000
Alterations, hotel, 70 Arlington street (Hotel Statler)	90,000
Alterations, laundry, 1208 Dorchester avenue (National Laundry)	83,000
Alterations, hospital, 275 Charles street (Massachusetts General)	75,000
Alterations, hospital, 818 Harrison avenue (City Hospital)	60,000

AMENDMENTS TO ORIGINAL AWARDS OF DAMAGES.

The Public Improvement Commission has voted as follows:

That the amount of $200 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Walter J. and Anna B. Snow for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of August 20, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Alvarado avenue, Hyde Park district.

That the amount of $613 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Francis T. and Catherine Donovan for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of June 15, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Cerina road, West Roxbury district.

That the amount of $613 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Francis T. and Catherine Donovan for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of June 15, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Cerina road, West Roxbury district.

That the amount of $50 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Edward P. Laramie for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of August 20, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Alvarado avenue, Hyde Park district.

That the amount of $95 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Mary L. and Joseph G. Stanton for all damages sustained under the order of the Public Improvement Commission and Mayor of August 4, 1954, for the widening and construction of Summit street, Hyde Park district.

That the amount of $295 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Marion E. Hamilton for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of September 28, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Cricket Lane, West Roxbury district.

That the amount of $55 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Joseph and Dena M. Weisberg for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of August 26, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Ledgedale road, West Roxbury district.

That the amount of $50 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to John J. and Mary T. Guiney for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of June 11, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Hallron street, Hyde Park district.

That the amount of $200 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Orrin P. and Leah S. Rosenberg for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of September 28, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Cricket Lane, West Roxbury district.

That the amount of $75 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Patrick J. and Barbara J. Connolly for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of September 15, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Chesterfield street, Hyde Park district.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, October 10, 1955.

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 2 P.M., President HURLEY in the chair, and all the members present.

The Reverend Francis L. Gallagher, St. Francis de Sales Roman Catholic Church, Roxbury, was escorted to the rostrum.

INVOCATION BY REV. FRANCIS L. GALLAGHER.

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost. Amen.

O Gracious Father above, look down upon us. Thy children, today, and smile upon us. We humbly acknowledge our blindness, and we pray that Thou will open our eyes to Thy truths and to Thy commands.

"There are none so blind as those who will not see," and we implore Thee to temper our passions, and to guide our wills that we may ever be receptive to Thy higher will. Let it be with us that Thy will, not ours, be done.

We realize that of ourselves we are nothing, and that everything of value comes from Thy bounty. Grant us Thy Grace then, O Lord, that our highest resolves may be ever to follow in Thy footsteps, which lead through the green pastures to the still waters.

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost. Amen.

The meeting was opened with the salute to the Flag.

JURORS DRAWN.

The following jurors were drawn in the manner prescribed by law, Councillor Kerrigan presiding at the box in the absence of the Mayor, viz.:

Fifty-eight traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, to appear November 7, 1955:

Patriek Buonotempo, Ward 1; Carl Cone, Ward 1; John B. DeLuca, Ward 1; Frank J. Cerbone, Ward 2; Daniel H. Harrington, Jr., Ward 2; Joseph F. Hayes, Ward 2; John F. O'Brien, Ward 2; Robert H. Pollock, Ward 2; Antonette A. DiDonato, Ward 3; Joseph D. Incardone, Ward 3; Carlo Orlandi, Ward 3; Abraham Fink, Ward 5; Samuel Klein, Ward 5; Edward J. Moran, Ward 5; John T. Pels, Ward 6; Christy H. Sutton, Jr., Ward 7; William F. Collins, Ward 9; Israel L. King, Ward 9; Welton Price, Ward 9; Emory Sylvester, Ward 9; Michael N. Bravos, Ward 10; Thomas F. Connerty, Ward 11; John M. Gentry, Ward 12; Sam House, Ward 12; Esline C. M. Knight, Ward 12; Linwood A. Hodgdon, Ward 13; Samuel Weisbaum, Ward 13; Bernard Brown, Ward 14; Harry Diamond, Ward 14; Samuel Ber Kittner, Ward 14; Carl M. Shulman, Ward 14; Ethel A. Sienkiewicz, Ward 14; George A. Burke, Ward 15; David Boyd Connor, Ward 15; Walter H. Howard, Ward 15; Lyman Zimmerman, Ward 15; Philip Baron, Ward 16; John Zanco, Ward 16; William V. Foley, Jr., Ward 17; Cornelius F. O'Donoghue, Ward 17; Stephen V. Connolly, Ward 18; Roy A. Miller, Ward 18; Dorothy A. Muller, Ward 18; Robert L. Newman, Ward 18; J. Raymond O'Donnell, Ward 18; Oscar L. Parker, Ward 18; Earle A. Pataillot, Ward 18; Jeremiah E. McNally, Ward 19; Frank Bursey, Ward 20; Peter G. Cox, Ward 20; Charles Nagel, Ward 20; Stephen P. Reardon, Ward 20; Irene V. Ziedelis, Ward 20; Louis J. Carchia, Ward 21; Gino P. Giusti, Ward 21; Joseph L. Cooper, Ward 22; Apostol Johan, Ward 22; Richard A. Patterson, Ward 22.

One hundred fifty-six traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, to appear November 7, 1955:

Claire M. Crowley, Ward 1; William F. Geggis, Ward 1; Joseph Impresciа, Ward 1; Edward L. Penta, Ward 1; John Pignat, Ward 1; Ralph G. Sordillo, Ward 1; William Vecchio, Ward 1; Dominic Vetrano, Ward 1; Thomas E. Brassil, Jr., Ward 2; Arthur Cameron, Ward 2; Frank W. Kelly, Ward 2; Albert Pires, Ward 2; Daniel J. Sullivan, Jr., Ward 2; Joseph Assad, Ward 3; Albert F. Haddad, Ward 3; Ralph Lanciano, Ward 3; John Madden, Ward 3; Joseph V. Sealafani, Ward 3; Thomas Hynes, Ward 4; James W. O'Toolo, Ward 4; Malcolm Winslow, Ward 4; Leonard G. Dinsmore, Ward 5; Norman L. Hateh, Ward 5; Paul S. Julian, Ward 5; Arthur J. Kelly, Ward 5; LeRoy E. LaChance, Ward 5; Joseph E. McCormick, Ward 5; Eugene F. McDonough, Ward 5; Albert H. Richards, Ward 5; Thomas D. Rogers, Ward 5; Herbert L. Snyder, Ward 5; Christo Vekos, Ward 5; John F. Waters, Jr., Ward 5; Paul J. Ferrara, Ward 6; Walter L. Hayes, Ward 6; Grace E. Pike, Ward 6; Charles E. Furey, Ward 7; William H. Malloy, Ward 7; Mary E. Rogers, Ward 7; John Higgins, Ward 8; Felix J. Nocera, Ward 8; Timothy J. Sullivan, Ward 8; C. W. Guy Verge, Ward 8; Harold E. Crosby, Ward 9; Walter H. Harris, Ward 9; Eugene Russell, Ward 9; John L. Day, Ward 10; Erminio DeSimone, Ward 10; Mary C. Hickey, Ward 10; Michael McCarthy, Ward 10; Edward L. Murphy, Ward 10; Herbert E. Peters, Ward 10; Martinis B. Vermeer, Ward 10; James Hamrock, Ward 11; William Jacobson, Ward 11; Francis J. Kelly, Ward 11; William J. Parker, Ward 11; Harriet E. White, Ward 11; Abraham Berman, Ward 12; Israel Boyar, Ward 12; Richard J. Erlichman, Ward 12; Simon Fahey, Ward 12; Harry C. Keets, Ward 12; Harry H. Levine, Ward 12; Cornelius J. Moynihan, Ward 12; Elsie A. Rivers, Ward 12; Robert L. Smith, Ward 12; Edward P. Callahan, Ward 13; Lawton A. Frost, Ward 13; Thomas F. Gibbons, Ward 13; George V. Hurley, Ward 13; Thomas F. Maguire, Ward 13; George A. Molloy, Ward 13; Philip P. Tomlinson, Ward 13; Harry Gelb, Ward 14; Hyman Gordon, Ward 14; Percy L. Greene, Ward 14; Ralph Katz, Ward 14; Edwin P. Markowski, Ward 14; Israel Portnoy, Ward 14; George H. Reid, Ward 14; Bernard Root, Ward 14; Max Schneider, Ward 14; Max Shore, Ward 14; Earl F. Smith, Ward 14; Hyman Smith, Ward 14; Rachel Spillberg, Ward 14; Irving Turok, Ward 14; Nathan Weinstock, Ward 14; Henry C. Baker, Ward 15; Peter D. Cash, Ward 15; D. Lawrence Finn, Ward 15; Joseph E. Guerriero, Ward 15; Joseph M. Hickey, Ward 15; Daniel J. Stefaney, Ward 15; Lawrence E. Crockett, Ward 16; Thomas Richard Drey, Jr., Ward 16; Leonard Gackstalter, Ward 16; John F. Herlihy, Ward 16; William J. Loughran, Ward 16; William David Slack, Ward 16; John F. Bishop, Jr., Ward 17; Myer Ehrlich, Ward 17; John Hubert McLaughlin, Ward 17; James T. Mulligan, Ward 17; Ralph Munroe, Ward 17; Daniel Schlessinger, Ward 17; Felix E. Thibault, Ward 17; Leo F. Thomas, Ward 17; John Watson, Jr., Ward 17; Robert W. Williams, Ward 17; John P. Benenato, Ward 18; Aldo Bertoni, Ward 18; Grace E. Dray, Ward 18; William Thomas Green, Ward 18; Matthew E. Hennessey, Jr., Ward 18; Peter P. Kostecki, Ward 18; Philip J. Laroche, Ward 18; Mark J. McCann, Jr., Ward 18; Elsine M. Oberacker, Ward 18; Irving B. Pickering, Ward 18; Francis L. Sherman, Ward 18; Ella J. Stevens, Ward 18; Nathan Tabasky, Ward 18; Fred H. Webster, Ward 18; David P. Dakers, Ward 19; Laurence M. Farrell, Ward 19; Arthur H. Ferguson, Ward 19; John P. Green, Ward 19; Henry F. Hale, Ward 19; John J. Hufnagle, Ward 19; Joseph T. Keefe, Ward 19; Thomas E. Rice, Ward 19; Henry P. Blakeslee, Ward 20; James F. Dalton, Ward 20; Laurence B. Dolliver, Ward 20; John F. Killion, Jr., Ward 20; Edmund A. Kirby, Ward 20; Fraser N. MacKinnon, Ward 20; Walter Poblenz, Ward 20; Katherine A. Sullivan, Ward 20; Charles L. Tutterman, Ward 20; Lillian B. Byers, Ward 21; Richard J. Coner, Ward 21; Fred Knopf, Ward 21; Douglas A. Mackenzie, Ward 21; James A. MacKinnon, Ward 21; Anna West, Ward 21; John W. Boylen, Ward 22; Richard A. Hedinger, Ward 22; James B. Kane, Ward 22; William F. Martinez, Ward 22; Robert A. Sears, Ward 22; Roland F. Shea, Ward 22; John F. Sullivan, Ward 22; Michael E. Tomacelli, Ward 22.

APPOINTMENTS BY THE MAYOR.

Subject to confirmation by the Council, the Mayor submitted the following appointments:

Constable with authority to serve civil process upon filing of bond for the term ending April 30, 1956: George E. Bolanes, 95 Robinwood avenue, West Roxbury.

Weigher of Beef for the term ending April 30, 1956: Richard L. Fowle, 1380 Great Plain Avenue, Needham.

Severally referred to the Committee on Confirmations.

ELECTRIC LIGHTS ON EDWIN STREET, DORCHESTER.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, October 10, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Public Works concerning your order of September 19, 1955, relative to replacing the gas lamps on Edwin street, Dorchester, with modern electric lights.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Public Works Department,
September 29, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.

Dear Mr. Flemming:

This is in reference to the following order that was passed in the City Council under date of September 19:

"Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to replace the antiquated gas lamps on Edwin street, Dorchester, with modern electric lights."

At the present time we are in the midst of a program which provides for the replacement of all street gas lamps with modern electric street lights.

You may be assured, therefore, that Edwin street will be included in the list of streets in which this needed improvement will be made.

Respectfully yours,
GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Placed on file.

LEGISLATION FOR GROUP ACCIDENT AND HEALTH INSURANCE.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, October 3, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith a communication from the Corporation Counsel which relates to an order passed by your Honorable Body on February 7, 1955.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Law Department, September 27, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

The order passed by the City Council on February 7, 1955, favoring enactment of legislation to enable municipalities to appropriate money for group life insurance for permanent employees, prompts me to call to the attention of the City Council, through you, chapter 760 of the Acts of 1955, entitled "An Act Providing for Contributory Group Life, Accident, Hospitalization, Medical, and Surgical Insurance for Persons in the Service of a County, City, Town, or District and Their Dependents."

Respectfully,
WILLIAM L. BAXTER,
Corporation Counsel.

Placed on file.

SALE OF LAND AND BUILDINGS IN JAMAICA PLAIN.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, October 10, 1955.

To the Honorable City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from George G. Hyland, Commissioner of Public Works, recommending the sale of the public works yard at South street and Child street, Jamaica Plain, to the Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston. This land was formerly used by the city as a district yard of the Public Works Department and has been replaced by the new yard located at the Arborway, and is, therefore, serving no public interest.

The land is located opposite St. Thomas's Church, and it is the intention of the church authorities to construct a parking area on the land.

I submit herewith a form of order whereby the City of Boston may sell the land at Child street and South street to the Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston for the sum of $15,000, and recommend the adoption of said order.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Public Works Department,
October 10, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes, Mayor of Boston, and the Honorable City Council.
Gentlemen:

At the present time the Public Works Department has under its jurisdiction a parcel of land containing 43,037 feet and located at the intersection of Child street and South street, Jamaica Plain, as shown on accompanying plan numbered K-504.

The land is used as a local district yard by the various divisions of this department. It is to be abandoned as such, however, within the next two or three weeks, as a headquarters for the Jamaica Plain district is to be located in our new district yard on Forest Hills street. A new office building, garage, and related facilities have recently been completed at the latter-referenced site, and it is ready for occupancy. Therefore, the present district headquarters at Child and South streets will be available for disposal.

For many years the pastor of St. Thomas's Church, which is located on the westerly side of South street opposite the district yard, has been very anxious to acquire the yard upon its abandonment by the department. The church authorities desire to use the yard area for the free parking of vehicles used by parishioners, and also, at some time in the future, for the site of an addition to the present parochial school.

Recently I completed negotiations with the pastor concerning this matter, and we agreed on a purchase price of $15,000 for the above-refereneed area. Some time ago I had an appraisal of the yard and buildings made by the firm of John C. Kiley & Son, and the land was appraised at a value of $17,200. I feel that this amount represents a fair purchase price, but I am making an allowance of $2,200 for the removal, by the church authorities, of the existing dilapidated wooden structures that are located in the yard and which are detrimental to the church property and residential property in the vicinity. I have determined, therefore, that the amount of $15,000 represents a fair price for the area, taking into consideration the use to which said area is to be put.

I therefore respectfully recommend that the City Council take favorable action on the enclosed order, which was prepared by the Law Depart-

ment, and which, in substance, transfers title of the land to the Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston, at an agreed price of $15,000.

Respectfully yours,
GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Whereas, The City of Boston is the owner in fee of approximately forty-three thousand thirty-seven (43,037) square feet of land located at the corner of Child street and South street, Jamaica Plain, and presently held by said city for Public Works Department purposes; and

Whereas, The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston has determined that said land is no longer required for public purposes; now, therefore, it is hereby

Ordered, That the Mayor of the City of Boston be, and he hereby is, authorized to sell at private sale for a minimum price of fifteen thousand dollars ($15,000) to the Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston, a corporation sole under the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, the land, together with the buildings thereon, hereinafter described, and, further, that the Mayor of the City of Boston be, and he hereby is, authorized to execute and deliver in the name of the City of Boston an instrument in writing satisfactory in form to the Corporation Counsel conveying to the Roman Catholic Archbishop all of the City of Boston's right, title, and interest in and to a certain parcel of land, together with the buildings thereon, situated at Child street and South street, Jamaica Plain, bounded and described as follows:

Westerly by South street, one hundred seventy-nine and 74/100 (179.74) feet; northwesterly by the intersection of South street and Child street, fourteen and 20/100 (14.20) feet; northerly by Child street, two hundred forty-nine and 91/100 (249.91) feet; easterly by land of Margaret F. Riley, one hundred seventy-six and 37/100 (176.37) feet; southerly by the northerly end of a right of way, land of Harry Yerishewitz et al., land of James Lovett, and land of Lillian M. Noonan, two dimensions, one hundred seven and 76/100 (107.76) feet, and one hundred eight and 28/100 (108.28) feet; containing forty-three thousand thirty-seven (43,037) square feet of land, more or less.

The above-described parcel of land, together with the location and dimensions thereof, is shown on a plan marked, "City of Boston, Child Street—South Street, West Roxbury, June 11, 1954, James W. Haley, Chief Engineer, Survey Division, Public Works Department."

On motion of Councillor McLaughlin, the rules were suspended, and the order was given its first reading and passage, yeas 9. The order was referred to the Committee on Public Lands.

FEES FOR CERTIFICATES ISSUED BY THE SECRETARY OF THE BEACON HILL ARCHITECTURAL COMMISSION.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, October 10, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

Under the provisions of chapter 616 of the Acts of 1955, recently enacted, the Historic Beacon Hill District in the City of Boston was created and the Beacon Hill Architectural Commission was established in the Building Department of the city.

Further provisions of this act require the issuance by the secretary of this commission of certain classes of certificates after application has been made for construction, reconstruction, alteration, or demolition of any structure in the district. The statute makes reference to three types of certificates, namely, certificate of non-applicability of the statute; certificate of appropriateness; certificate of the expiration of the prescribed period after notice of demolition.

Although the members of the commission are to serve without compensation, they are to be reimbursed, however, for expenses necessarily incurred in the performance of their duties; the secretary of the commission is to receive compensation; and the serving of notices and the conducting of hearings are also prerequisites to a certificate of appropriateness.

Regarding the above classes of certificates, it appears logical that fees should be adopted to cover at least part of the expense involved in the administration of this commission, but in the case of the certificate of nonapplicability of the statute and in the absence of experience under the statute, no reason can be advanced why a fee should be charged for such a certificate, since it would seem that an individual should not be subject to a fee if he is not subject to licensing. However, the other two classes of certificates are in the nature of licenses requiring deliberation by the commission sitting in meeting, and a fee, in my opinion, is not only warranted but necessary. The establishment of the following fees under chapter 222 of the Acts of 1949 appear to be fair and just—for a certificate of appropriateness, $35; for a certificate of the expiration of the prescribed period after notice of demolition, $25— and, accordingly, I recommend to your Honorable Body early adoption of the ordinance transmitted herewith.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

City of Boston.

In the Year Nineteen Hundred and Fifty-five.

An Ordinance Concerning the Fees for Certificates Issued by the Secretary of the Beacon Hill Architectural Commission.

Be it ordained by the City Council of Boston, as follows:

Section 22 of chapter 41 of the Revised Ordinances of 1947, as most recently amended by chapter 5 of the Ordinances of 1953, is hereby further amended by adding after clause 33 the following new clauses:

34. The fee for the issuance of a certificate of appropriateness by the secretary of the Beacon Hill Architectural Commission under section 7 of chapter 616 of the Acts of 1955 shall be thirty-five dollars.

35. The fee for the issuance by the secretary of the Beacon Hill Architectural Commission of a certificate under section 8 of chapter 616 of the Acts of 1955 relative to the expiration of the period specified in said section 8 shall be twenty-five dollars.

Referred to the Committee on Ordinances.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committees named, viz.:

Claims.

Alan Realty Trust, for compensation for damage to property at 1171 Tremont street, caused by break in water main.

Ida Baizman, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 405 West Broadway, South Boston.

Isadore Baker, for compensation for damage to car by police officer.

Joseph Capelotti, for compensation for damage to car by fire apparatus.

Frank DeRienzo, for compensation for damage to property at 471 Meridian street, East Boston, caused by defective sewerage system.

Michael F. Finneran, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 30 Ansonia road, West Roxbury.

John Geary, for compensation for injuries caused by defect at entrance to voting booth, Mary E. Lyons School.

General Exchange Insurance Corporation, for compensation for damage to car of Harriet Ohrt by police car.

Jerome F. Kennedy, for compensation for damage to property at 31 Bellaire road, Roslindale, caused during street and sidewalk construction.

Arleen and Ruth Levitt, for compensation for injuries and damage to property caused by City Hospital ambulance.

Mary A. MacDonald, for compensation for loss of false teeth at City Hospital.

Massachusetts Leather Products Company, for compensation for damage to car caused by oil and gravel thrown by passing automobiles on Arch street.

Frank Messina, for compensation for damage to property at 49 Embassy road, Brighton, caused during street construction.

National Grange Mutual Liability Company, for compensation for damage to car of Garrison Farm by city truck.

Morris Posner, for compensation for damage to property at 3 Pond street, Hyde Park, during street construction.

Charles E. Rull, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Parks and Recreation Department.

Mrs. Henry Schiller, for compensation for damage to property at 116 Park street, Dorchester, caused by fallen tree.

Robert B. Shaw, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Hancock street, Dorchester.

Bruce A. Stevens, for refund on Sumner Tunnel tickets.

Arthur J. West, Sr., for compensation for damages.

Licenses.

Petitions to operate bowling alleys on the Lord's day, viz.:

Olindy's South Station Alleys, Inc., Albert H. Slate, treasurer, basement, South Station, Atlantic avenue.

Orient Bowlaway, Henry Baldassaro, 981 Bennington street, East Boston.

PETITION FOR ANNUITY.

Petition of Hilda E. Boutilier to be paid annuity on account of death of her husband, Napcen Boutilier, late member of the Fire Department.

Referred to the Committee on Claims.

ASSIGNMENT OF JUDGES.

Notice was received from assistant clerk of the Supreme Judicial Court of assignment of Arthur L. Eno of Lowell and Lawrence G. Brooks of Medford as judges of the Appellate Division for the Northern District, and the designation of Charles F. Gadsby as presiding judge for the Northern District.

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT OF FREDERICK L. SEXTON.

Notice was received from the Health Department of the appointment of Frederick L. Sexton, 60 Sagamore street, Dorchester, as environmental sanitation inspector.

Placed on file.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC LANDS.

Coun. HAILER, for the Committee on Public Lands, submitted the following:

1. Report on message of the Mayor and order (referred August 29) for transfer of land on Morceland street, West Roxbury, from Real Property Board to Public Works Department — that same ought to pass.

2. Report on message of the Mayor and order (referred September 12) for transfer of land on Silver and West Fourth streets, South Boston, from Commissioner of Real Property to School Committee — that same ought to pass.

3. Report on message of the Mayor and three orders (referred September 12) for transfer of land on Thetford avenue and Evans street, Dorchester, (former site of Robert Swan School), for transfer of land on corner of Sumner street and Lamson street, East Boston (former site of Commodore Barry School), for transfer of land and building at the corner of Stanley street, Dorchester (Quincy Street School), from School Committee to Parks and Recreation Department — that same ought to pass.

The reports were accepted, and the orders were severally passed, yeas 9.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFIRMATIONS.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN, for the Committee on Confirmations, submitted the following:

1. Report on appointment by the Mayor (referred October 3) of Allen E. Silver as constable with authority to serve civil process upon filing of bond for the term ending April 30, 1956 — recommending that appointment be confirmed.

2. Report on appointments by the Mayor (referred October 3) of Myron Wilensky and Eva Beggelman as weighers of coal for the term ending April 30, 1956 — recommending that appointments be confirmed.

The reports were accepted, and the question came on confirmation. Committee, Councillors Foley and White. Whole number of ballots 8, yeas 8, and the appointments were confirmed.

REQUEST FOR COMPREHENSIVE FIRE CODE.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Whereas, The lack of a comprehensive Fire Code in Boston has, for a long time, been scored by private and public reports; and

Whereas, The Boston City Council on March 3, 1952, August 17, 1953, October 26, 1953, May 24, 1954, August 1, 1955, and on diverse other dates approved orders aimed at instituting an adequate Fire Code for the City of Boston; and

Whereas, Fire prevention work in Boston is seriously handicapped because of lack of a Fire Code; and

Whereas, The week of October 9 — 16 has been designated as National Fire Prevention Week; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled on this tenth day of October, 1955, does hereby reaffirm its interest in providing adequate fire prevention for the City of Boston and does call upon the proper agencies to correct this deficiency and to give Boston a comprehensive Fire Code.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

PARKING OF AUTOMOBILES BY HANDICAPPED PERSONS.

Coun. HAILER offered the following:

Ordered, That the Police and Traffic Commissioners be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to promptly confer on the matter of issuing special permits, or otherwise granting immunity from penalty for parking violations to nonveterans who hold a "seal" for handicapped persons issued by the Registry of Motor Vehicles, in order that those handicapped persons be permitted to park their cars in restricted areas without penalty, thereby granting them the same privileges allowed to disabled veterans who have "V" registration plates.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

RECESS.

On motion of Councillor Piemonte, the Council voted to take a recess at 3.01 P.M., subject to the call of the Chair. The members reassembled in the Council Chamber and were called to order by Senior Member WHITE at 4.58 P.M.

CITY ELECTION, NOVEMBER 8.

Coun. HURLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That meetings of the citizens of this city qualified to vote for city officers be held at the several polling places designated for the purpose by the Board of Election Commissioners on Tuesday, the eighth day of November, 1955, to give in their votes for not more than one candidate for the office of Mayor, not more than nine candidates for the office of City Councillor, and not more than five candidates for the office of School Committeeman.

The polls at said meeting shall be opened at eight o'clock A.M. and closed at eight o'clock P.M.

Ordered, That the City Clerk be hereby directed to give notice of said meetings according to law.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

TAX RATES OF VARIOUS CITIES AND TOWNS IN METROPOLITAN BOSTON.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Ordered, That the Director of Administrative Services prepare a schedule showing the tax rates of the various cities and towns in metropolitan Boston for the past several years and the proportionate increase or decrease of the tax rate.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

DEATH OF MOTHER MARY JOSEPH.

Coun. WHITE offered the folluwing:

Resolved, That the City Council of the City of Boston hereby expresses its deep regret and sincere sorrow at the death of Mother Mary Joseph, founder of the Maryknoll Sisters, and the former Mary Joseph Rogers of Boston. Honored by many institutions in her long years of service, she was the recipient of many honorary degrees in the field of education. Her passing is a great loss to multitudes of friends the world over whose lives were enriched as a result of this friendship. May the membership of the Boston City Council add its voice to theirs and say "Requiescat in pace."

The resolution was adopted by a unanimous rising vote, and a minute of silence was observed by the Council.

NAMING OF STREET IN HONOR OF JEAN SIBELIUS.

Coun. AHEARN, KERRIGAN, and WHITE offered the following:

Ordered, That the Public Improvement Commission of the City of Boston be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to consider the advisability of naming a Boston street in honor of Jean Sibelius, the noted Finnish composer, who will celebrate his ninetieth birthday on next December 8, 1955. This is an action being considered by many cities and towns throughout the entire country and throughout the whole world, honoring a man whose compositions have lifted him to a position wherein he is considered today one of the greatest of all composers of the present generation.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION ADOPTED BY BOSTON ARCHDIOCESAN UNION OF HOLY NAME SOCIETIES AGAINST OBJECTIONABLE LITERATURE.

Coun. AHEARN offered the following:

Whereas, Delegates of the Boston Archdiocesan Union of Holy Name Societies introduced a resolution on objectional literature at the National Convention of the Holy Name Societies, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, held September 29 through October 2, 1955, which resolution is as follows:

"Whereas, During recent years considerable thought has been given by many civic and religious groups within our nation, as well as millions of individual citizens, to the menace of immoral, obscene, and sadistic literature being circulated widely throughout the nation; and

"Whereas, In the opinion of right-thinking people, well-organized and immediate action must be taken to prevent the mental and moral virus from destroying the minds and morals particularly of our youth; and

"Whereas, It is generally agreed that, pending adoption of effective and constitutional legislation, one of the most potent remedies is the force of public opinion brought to bear on the comic book, periodical and pocket-size book industry and their retail outlets; be it therefore

"Resolved, That the Holy Name Society throughout the United States, in cooperation with those agencies at work in this field, notably the National Organization for Decent Literature, will, publicly and privately, through every legitimate means, and through its thousands of member-societies, do everything within its power to remove the above-mentioned menace; and be it further

"Resolved, That this society, through its officer personnel, its speakers' bureaus, and its literature committees, will strive to make every American conscious of the necessity of working together to end this menace; and be it further

"Resolved, That this society regards all who consciously and voluntarily promote this evil, especially authors, publishers, and distributors, as being enemies of the spiritual and moral welfare of the nation; and be it finally

"Resolved, That this society offers its heartfelt praise to those thousands of retail store owners who have conscientiously refused to be a party to this pronution of evil and to those people within the industry, publishers and distributors, who are working so zealously to improve their own industry."

Whereas, This City Council has already passed a resolution against objectionable literature which coincides in substance with the resolution of the Boston Archdiocesan Union of Holy Name Societies; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Boston City Council in meeting assembled hereby approves and heartily endorses the spirit and substance of the archdiocesan resolution and commends the archdiocesan delegates for introducing this resolution; and be it further

Resolved, That the City Council of Boston respectfully petitions all religious, social, veteran, and other civic groups to pass similar resolutions if they have not already done so, in order that, as the archdiocesan resolution so aptly states, "the force of public opinion" be brought to bear on the evil of indecent literature being promulgated in our society and causing the destruction of the moral fibre of our civilization.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

RECREATION FACILITIES FOR PLAYING OF IRISH GAMES.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Ordered, That the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation be directed to make a study of the recreational facilities in the City of Boston to determine a suitable location for the playing of the Irish games of football and hurling.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

GREETINGS TO POLISH AMERICANS AND POLISH NATIONALS.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Whereas, Casimer Pulaski came to America to fight for American freedom, landing in Marblehead, Mass. on July 23, 1777; and

Whereas, General Washington, commander-in-chief of American forces, recommended to Congress a commission for Pulaski, and the latter, unwilling to remain idle, joined the American Army as a volunteer, and signalized himself at the Battle of Brandywine; and

Whereas, Pulaski organized the first American cavalry, supported the cavalry out of his own funds, became its first commander, and won for himself the title of "Father of American Cavalry"; and

Whereas, Pulaski, through his bravery and disregard for personal safety, helped to save the City of Savannah, Georgia, where on the field of battle he was mortally wounded; and

Whereas, Pulaski gave his energy, money, and life to American freedom and has become the symbol of devotion to liberty for all persons in America and Europe; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City of Boston, through the City Council and his Honor the Mayor, extends its greetings to Polish Americans and Polish nationals throughout the world and joins with them in the prayer that the freedom which we Americans enjoy, and for which Casimir Pulaski sacrificed so much, may once again return to his native Poland.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

ANNOUNCEMENT OF PUBLIC HEARING OF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

Coun. WHITE announced that on Thursday, October 13, 1955, at 11 o'clock A.M., the Executive Committee would hold a public hearing in the Council Chamber to consider two orders of Councillors Foley and McCormack for the acceptance of chapter 760 of the Acts of 1955, providing for group life, accident, hospitalization, medical, and surgical insurance for city and county employees.

Adjourned at 5:10 P.M., on motion of Councillor Kerrigan, to meet on Monday, October 17, 1955, at 2 P.M.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

(Stenographic copy of such debate on file in office of City Clerk.)

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

William J. Lynch, 2 Ashmont park, Dorchester, in the sum of $435, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a raised portion of the sidewalk on Clarendon street, near the corner of Stuart street, June 14, 1955.

George A. Howland, Jr., 83 Annafran street, Roslindale, in the sum of $250, as compensation for personal injuries caused when he stepped off a streetcar into a hole in the street on Cummins Highway, at the corner of River street, Mattapan, February 8, 1952.

James W. Hounsell, 276 Spring street, West Roxbury, to be reimbursed in the sum of $174.40, as a result of an accident which occurred on April 30, 1955, when a motor truck belonging to the Fire Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc.

Richard P. Cummings, 679 Parker street, Roxbury, to be reimbursed in the sum of $405, as a result of an accident which occurred on November 24, 1954, when a motor vehicle belonging to the Sewer Division, Public Works Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Mrs. Rose Febbi, damaging same and causing personal injuries to Rocco Febbi, the operator.

Dr. Max Bennett, 176 County street, Attleboro, in the sum of $350, as compensation for personal injuries and damage to clothing caused by a hole in the sidewalk in Dock square, March 24, 1954.

Thomas W. Bellew, 6 Levant street, Dorchester, in the sum of $60.33, as compensation for damage to automobile caused by a hole in the highway in front of 343 Geneva avenue, Dorchester.

Frank J. Scalli, 413 Main street, Everett, in the sum of $92.97, as compensation for damage to automobile caused by a loose sewer manhole cover in the highway opposite 213 Camden street, April 11, 1955.

Anna M. Russo, 719 East Third street, South Boston, in the sum of $335, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a raised portion of the sidewalk in front of 738 East Broadway, South Boston, April 18, 1955.

Anna Maria Morteo, 304 Hanover street, Boston, in the sum of $280, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 280 Hanover street, May 2, 1955.

Maurice E. White, 24 Westland avenue, Boston, in the sum of $115, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk at the driveway entrance to the National Shawmut Bank on Westland avenue, February 9, 1955.

Paul Brigandi, 72 Summer street, Stoneham, in the sum of $20.20, as compensation for damage to automobile caused by a hole in the highway at the intersection of Waltham street and Shawmut avenue, March 8, 1955.

Dominic Pucci, 184 Paris street, East Boston, to be reimbursed in the sum of $375, as a result of an accident which occurred on October 14, 1954, when Lewis Cutler, 2½-year-old son of Manuel Cutler, fell into a pile of leaves and twigs which Mr. Pucci, an employee of the Parks and Recreation Department,

was burning on Rogers park, Brighton, suffering serious injuries.

John C. Barrett, 5 Philbrick street, Roslindale, to be reimbursed in the sum of $59.50, as a result of an accident which occurred on June 21, 1955, when a motor truck belonging to the Sanitary Division, Public Works Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Helen G. Stepasiuk.

Arnold E. McGee, 289 East Ninth street, South Boston, to be reimbursed in the sum of $60, as a result of an accident which occurred on March 5, 1955, when a motor vehicle belonging to the Sanitary Division, Public Works Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Mary M. DeAngelo.

Thomas J. Heanue, 314 Savin Hill avenue, Dorchester, to be reimbursed in the sum of $86, as a result of an accident which occurred on March 17, 1955, when a motor truck belonging to the Fire Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by the Whittredge Portable Buildings Company.

Patrick G. Bertulli, 47 Beachview road, East Boston, in the sum of $135, as compensation for damage to property stored in cellar of above premises caused by the backing up of a sewer, June 10, 1954.

Caroline Traynor, 252 Dudley street, Roxbury, in the sum of $395, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk on Albany street, near corner of Webber street, February 14, 1955.

William M. McGourty, 35 Bowdoin avenue, Dorchester, in the sum of $150, as compensation for damage to property caused during the construction of Bowdoin avenue by the Public Works Department.

James F. McManus, Jr., 4110 Washington street, Roslindale, in the sum of $490, as compensation for personal injuries and damage to property caused when his automobile struck a hole in the highway on Spring street, West Roxbury, causing him to lose control of his car which struck an MTA pole as a result of which he received personal injuries, June 18, 1952.

Edward A. King, 1 Judson road, Weymouth, in the sum of $470, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk on Norfolk street, opposite the Roger Wolcott School, June 17, 1955.

Jacob Goodman, 167 Homestead street, Roxbury, in the sum of $29.50, as compensation for damage to automobile caused by a hole in the highway opposite 151-157 Homestead street, December 19, 1954.

Joseph Flaherty, 27 West Fifth street, South Boston, in the sum of $485, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk on Gold street, near A street, South Boston, January 18, 1955.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of street reconstruction, estimated to be sixty (60) days, parking of vehicles is prohibited in the following street, when and where official signs are in place, effective October 13, 1955:

Dorchester Street, South Boston.
Both sides, from Dorchester avenue to Perkins square.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway resurfacing, estimated to be thirty (30) days, vehicles are excluded from the following street, effective October 13, 1955:

Torrey Street, Dorchester.
From Washington street to Wentworth street.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, for a trial period of sixty (60) days, the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective October 18, 1955:

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out the following:

Berkeley Street, Boston Proper.
Southwest side, from Warren avenue to Boylston street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Washington Street, Roxbury.
Northwest side, from Columbus avenue to West Walnut park, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper" each of the following:

Berkeley Street.
Southwest side, from Warren avenue to the bridge over the Boston & Albany Railroad, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from the bridge over the Boston & Albany Railroad to Columbus avenue, 24 hours.
Southwest side, from Columbus avenue to Boylston street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Kneeland Street.
North side, from Albany street to Atlantic avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton" the following:

Holman Street.
East side, from Coolidge road to Hooker street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury" each of the following:

Cedric Street.
Southwest side, from Magazine street to Langdon street, 24 hours.
Fort Avenue.
East side, from the property line between No. 65 and No. 57 Fort avenue to Centre street, 24 hours.
Shepherd Avenue.
Both sides, from Huntington avenue to the dead end, 24 hours.
Washington Street.
Northwest side, from Columbus avenue to Bray street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by striking out the following:

Berkeley Street, Boston Proper.
Both sides, from Warren avenue to Columbus avenue, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper" the following:

Berkeley Street.
Northeast side, from a point forty-five (45) feet west of Tremont street to Columbus avenue, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Southwest side, from Warren avenue to the bridge over the Boston & Albany Railroad, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by striking out the following:

Dorchester avenue, Boston Proper and South Boston.
From Summer street to Gillette park, 4 P.M. to 7 P.M.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper" and under the caption "South Boston" the following:

Dorchester Avenue.
From Summer street to Gillette park, 4 P.M. to 9 P.M.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "South Boston" the following:

Gates Street.
From Telegraph street to Dorchester street.

STATEMENT REQUIRED BY THE ACT OF AUGUST 24, 1912, AS AMENDED BY THE ACTS OF MARCH 3, 1933, AND JULY 2, 1946 (Title 39, United States Code, Section 233), SHOWING THE OWNERSHIP, MANAGEMENT, AND CIRCULATION OF CITY RECORD, PUBLISHED WEEKLY AT BOSTON, MASS., FOR OCTOBER 1, 1955.

1. The names and addresses of the publisher, editor, managing editor, and business managers are:

Publisher, CITY OF BOSTON.
Editor, JOSHUA H. JONES, 35 City Hall, Boston.
Managing Editor, JOSHUA H. JONES, 35 City Hall, Boston.
Business Manager, JOSHUA H. JONES, 35 City Hall, Boston.

2. The owner is: (If owned by a corporation, its name and address must be stated and also immediately thereunder the names and addresses of stockholders owning or holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of stock. If not owned by a corporation, the names and addresses of the individual owners must be given. If owned by a partnership or other unincorporated firm, its name and address, as well as that of each individual member, must be given.)

CITY OF BOSTON.
JOHN B. HYNES, *Mayor.*
WILLIAM F. HURLEY, *President of City Council.*
WALTER J. MALLOY, *City Clerk.*

3. The known bondholders, mortgagees, and other security holders owning or holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities are: (If there are none, so state.)

None.

4. Paragraphs 2 and 3 include, in cases where the stockholder or security holder appears upon the books of the company as trustee or in any other fiduciary relation, the name of the person or corporation for whom such trustee is acting; also the statements in the two paragraphs show the affiant's full knowledge and belief as to the circumstances and conditions under which stockholders and security holders who do not appear upon the books of the company as trustees, hold stock and securities in a capacity other than that of a *bona fide* owner.

5. The average number of copies of each issue of this publication sold or distributed, through the mails or otherwise, to paid subscribers during the 12 months preceding the date shown above was: 1,015. (This information is required from daily, weekly, semiweekly, and triweekly newspapers only.)

JOSHUA H. JONES, *Business Manager.*

Sworn to and subscribed before me this fourteenth day of October, 1955.

[SEAL.] GEORGE R. KENNEY, *Notary Public.*

(My commission expires August 4, 1961.)

(Oct. 22.)

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

WATER METER READER, BOSTON PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, JANUARY 14, 1956.

Last date for filing applications, Tuesday, December 27, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $60.50 a week; the maximum salary is $73 a week.

Vacancies: At present there is one vacancy for a male, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: Under general supervision, to read and inspect water meters; and to perform related work as required.

Examples of Duties: Checking the size, type and serial number of water meters with the data on meter cards; reading the meters and recording the readings on the meter cards; comparing the water consumption of the current quarter with the record of the previous quarter; when water consumption is unusually low, testing meters to ascertain if they are registering properly; attempting to determine the cause of unusually high water consumption rates by questioning occupants of premises and making inspections in order to determine possible leaks; examining meters and installations in order to determine irregular connections, tampering with meters, or defects; making records of findings on meter cards; posting dates of inspections on meter cards, and preparing daily reports and repair orders.

The duties require good physical condition, with the ability to climb up and down many stairs each day, and to walk long distances each day in all kinds of weather.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 5; report, 1; practical questions, 4; total, 10.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

The practical questions will be based largely upon information contained in the Water Meter Readers' Manual, prepared by the Director of Civil Service. This manual may be obtained from the Public Document Division, Room 116, State House, Boston, at 10 cents a copy.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ELECTRICAL WORK.

Proposals for Electrical Work at 624 Albany Street, Boston.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for electrical work at 624 Albany street, Boston. A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Commissioner, and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price, will be required of the successful contractor. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Electrical Work at 624 Albany Street, Boston," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 1955, with a certified check for TWO HUNDRED (200) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Oct. 22.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING AND INSTALLING NEW FLOOR COVERING AT THE MATTAPAN BRANCH OF THE BOSTON PUBLIC LIBRARY.

The Trustees of the Public Library of the City of Boston, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invite sealed proposals for furnishing and installing new floor covering at the Mattapan Branch of the Boston Public Library, 10 Hazleton street, Mattapan, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Tuesday, November 1, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals shall be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed and enclosed in a sealed envelope, plainly marked with the name of the bidder and the description of the work bid upon. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall he filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars ($150), shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

Specifications may be obtained on and after 12 o'clock noon, Tuesday, October 25, 1955, at the Business Office, Boston Public Library, Copley square, Boston, Mass.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price, will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, and to accept or reject any portion or portions of bids, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

THE TRUSTEES OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY OF THE CITY OF BOSTON,
by MILTON E. LORD,
(Oct. 22.) *Director.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR EXTERIOR PAINTING OF BURNHAM BUILDING, BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL.

The City of Boston, by the Board of Trustees, Hospital Department, and of the Boston City Hospital, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for exterior painting of Burnham Building, Boston City Hospital.

Proposals will be received until two o'clock P.M., Wednesday, November 2, 1955, at the office of the Superintendent, Boston City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, and enclosed in an envelope, sealed, and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $200, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate of wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of the contract.

Specifications may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of the Boston City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston, Mass., on and after Monday, October 24, 1955.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price, will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any and all bids if it be in the public interest so to do.

The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all bids in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, AND OF THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL,
RICHARD J. CONDON,
(Oct. 22.) *President.*

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.
BUILDINGS DIVISION.

ALTERATIONS TO FANEUIL HALL.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR ALTERATIONS TO FANEUIL HALL, FANEUIL SQUARE, BOSTON, MASS.

The Assistant Commissioner of Real Property of the City of Boston, Room 808 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for alterations to Faneuil Hall, Faneuil square, Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 11 A.M., Monday, November 14, 1955, at Room 808, City Hall Annex, Boston, Mass., and they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed and enclosed in an envelope, sealed and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of one thousand (1,000) dollars, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

Subbidders bidding on the work of subcontractors shall use the proposal form prepared by and obtainable from the Awarding Authority.

All subbidders' proposals filed with the Awarding Authority shall be submitted in sealed envelopes, plainly marked with the title of the work, division of the work for which bid is submitted, subcontractor's name and subcontractor's business address. All such bids shall be in the possession of the Awarding Authority and delivered or mailed to the general contractor no later than 11 A.M., Thursday, November 10, 1955.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount as specified in the following for the various subbid items of work as listed below, shall be submitted by each subbidder with the copy of his proposal filed with the Awarding Authority:

Miscellaneous steel and iron	$200
Painting	150
Lathing and plastering	100

The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, plainly marked "Bid Deposit."

Specifications and plans may be obtained on and after 11 A.M., Monday, October 24, 1955, at Room 808, City Hall Annex. There will be a charge of two (2) dollars for each set of plans and specifications taken out.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price, will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do. The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all subbids on any item or items in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

GEORGE P. DONOVAN,
Assistant Commissioner of Real Property.

(Oct. 22.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR INSTALLING NEW DISHWASHING ROOM AT THE BOSTON LATIN SCHOOL, 78 AVENUE LOUIS PASTEUR, BOSTON, MASS.

The City of Boston, acting by the Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for installing new dishwashing room at the Boston Latin School, 78 Avenue Louis Pasteur, Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Thursday, November 3, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, enclosed in an envelope, sealed and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $500, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

Subbidders bidding on the work of subcontractors shall use the proposal form prepared by and obtainable from the Awarding Authority.

All subbidders' proposals filed with the Awarding Authority shall be submitted in sealed envelopes, plainly marked with the title of the work; division of the work for which bid is submitted; subcontractor's name; and subcontractor's business address. All such bids shall be in the possession of the Awarding Authority and delivered or mailed to the general contractor no later than Monday, October 31, 1955.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount as specified in the following for the subbid item of work as listed below, shall be submitted by each subbidder with the copy of his proposal filed with the Awarding Authority:

Plumbing	$250
Dishwasher and equipment	200
Electric	100
Heating	100

The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, plainly marked "Bid Deposit."

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price, will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do. The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all subbids on any item or items in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
(Oct. 22.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

CORNER CUTBACKS, SIDEWALK NARROWING, AND TRAFFIC ISLANDS.

PROPOSALS FOR CORNER CUTBACKS AT

Austin Street and Main Street, Ward 2;

Clarendon Street and Boylston Street, Ward 5;

Hill Top Street and Crockett Avenue, Ward 16;

Stuart Street and Broadway, Ward 5;

Warren Street and Zeigler Street, Ward 9;

—and—

CORNER CUTBACKS, SIDEWALK NARROWING, AND INSTALLATION OF TRAFFIC ISLANDS IN

Commonwealth Avenue, Brookline Avenue, and Beacon Street, Ward 5;

—and—

In Such Additional Locations, If Any, in Wards 2, 5, 9, and 16, As May Be Designated by the Commissioner of Public Works.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for corner cutbacks at Austin street, etc. A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Commissioner, and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price, will be required of the successful contractor. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Corner Cutbacks at Austin Street, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 9, 1955, with a certified check for FOUR HUNDRED (400) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Oct. 22.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 2,115.

In accordance with law, the following-named officers are hereby retired from active duty in the Boston Police Department on account of accidental disability, effective on dates stated:

State-Boston Retirement System, chapter 32, section 7, as amended: Patrolman Walter F. McGovern, Traffic Division, February 9, 1955.

Boston Retirement System, chapter 521, Acts of 1922, section 13, as amended: Patrolman Charles F. Kerrigan, Division 18, October 31, 1955.

The Acting Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

CITY OF BOSTON.

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR THE INSTALLATION OF A NEW ROOF AT THE WEST ROXBURY BRANCH OF THE BOSTON PUBLIC LIBRARY.

The Trustees of the Public Library of the City of Boston, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invite sealed proposals for the installation of a new roof at the West Roxbury Branch of the Boston Public Library, 1961 Centre street, West Roxbury, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Wednesday, November 2, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals shall be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed and enclosed in a sealed envelope, plainly marked with the name of the bidder and the description of the work bid upon. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars ($150), shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid depesit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

Specifications may be obtained on and after 12 o'clock noon, Tuesday, October 25, 1955, at the Business Office, Boston Public Library, Copley square, Boston, Mass.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price, will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, and to accept or reject any portion or portions of bids, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

THE TRUSTEES OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY OF THE CITY OF BOSTON,
By MILTON E. LORD,
Director.
(Oct. 22.)

No. 171—591,
594—599.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING KITCHEN EQUIPMENT (FOOD CONVEYORS, GAS COOKING UNITS, ETC.) FOR THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Wednesday, November 2, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder muat leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Kitchen Equipment." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.
(Oct. 22.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR REMODELING CHEMISTRY ROOM AT THE BOSTON TRADE HIGH SCHOOL, 550 PARKER STREET, ROXBURY, MASS.

The City of Boston, acting by the Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for remodeling chemistry room at the Boston Trade High School, 550 Parker street, Roxbury, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Tuesday, November 1, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, enclosed in an envelope, sealed and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $100, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price, will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do, in accordance with sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
Superintendent of Construction.
(Oct. 22.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

REAL PROPERTY BOARD.
PROPERTY DIVISION.

PUBLIC AUCTION.
OCTOBER 25, 1955, ON THE PREMISES.

	Upset Price.	Deposit.
9.30 A.M. Vacant land, Colburn Street, Lots 51 to 61, inclusive, rear of 862 and 872 Colburn Street, Roxbury, 59,641 square feet	$1,000	$500
9.40 A.M. Vacant land, Colburn Street, Lots 65 to 72, inclusive, rear of 878 and 900 Colburn Street, Roxbury, 32,801 square feet	1,300	500
9.55 A.M. Vacant land, 72 Call Street, southerly corner Williams Street, West Roxbury, 2,652 square feet	300	300
10.10 A.M. Vacant land, Starbird Avenue, Lots 6 and 7, opposite end of Byrd Avenue (private way from 81 Neponset Avenue), West Roxbury, 10,000 square feet	400	100
10.25 A.M. Vacant land, Hazleton Street, Lots B and C, adjacent 156 Hazleton Street, Dorchester, 7,956 square feet	600	500
10.40 A.M.—Vacant land, Itasca Street, Lots 17 and 18, 50 feet from 37 Itasca Street, Dorchester, 8,115 square feet	200	200
10.55 A.M. Vacant land, Royal Road, Lot 12, adjacent 11 Royal Road, Hyde Park, 4,188 square feet	100	100
11.10 A.M.—Vacant land, Sefton Street, Lots 124 and 125, opposite 54 Sefton Street, Hyde Park, 1,200 square feet	100	100
11.25 A.M.—Vacant land, 26 Easton Avenue, Hyde Park, 2,760 square feet	150	150
11.40 A.M.—Vacant land, Dana Avenue, Lot 127, adjacent 168 Dana Avenue, Hyde Park, 9,800 square feet	350	350
12.00 NOON—Vacant land, Upland Street, Lot 1, westerly corner Riverview Street, West Roxbury, 5,453 square feet	200	200
12.25 P.M.—Vacant land, Riverview Road, Lot 99, adjacent 70 Riverview Road, Brighton, 5,024 square feet	200	200

The Chairman reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

For further information call LA 3-5100, line 236.

HERMAN CARP, *Chairman.*
JOHN J. McGRATH, *Auctioneer.*
(Oct. 22.)

THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING 16 MM. SOUND MOTION PICTURE PROJECTORS AND SCREENS AND TAPE RECORDERS FOR THE BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing and delivering 16 mm. sound motion picture projectors and screens and tape recorders for the Boston public schools. Proposal forms are obtainable at the office of the Business Manager of the School Committee, tenth fleor, 15 Beacon street. Envelopes containing proposals must be sealed and plainly marked "Proposal for 16 MM. Sound Motion Picture Projectors and Screens and Tape Recorders." The bid must be in duplicate. One copy, signed by the bidder, and accompanied by a certified check, in the amount of two hundred dollars ($200), payable to the City of Boston, must be left at the office of the Business Manager on or before Wednesday, November 2, 1955, at 12 noon. Copies filed with the Business Manager will be publicly opened and read at 12 o'clock noon of the day stated. The other copy, also signed by the bidder, must be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., previous to the time named for the opening of the bids. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids, and to accept such bid or part of bid as it deems best for the interests of the city. The successful bidder will be required to furnish a suitable bond or deposit of money or other security in the amount of not less than 50 per cent of the amount of the contract.

LEO J. BURKE,
Business Manager of the School Committee.
(Oct. 22.)

No. 173—596.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING RADIO EQUIPMENT (20 MOBILE TWO-WAY RADIO TRANSMITTER-RECEIVER UNITS) FOR THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Tuesday, November 1, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Radio Equipment." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Oct. 22.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

SEWERAGE WORKS.

Proposals for Minor Sewerage Works in Brighton, Charlestown, City Proper, and West Roxbury.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for minor sewerage works in Brighton, etc. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may he obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should he enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Minor Sewerage Works in Brighton, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 1955, with a certified check for FOUR HUNDRED (400) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to he deposited by hidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from hidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the hidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to he performed under the contract shall not he less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Oct. 22.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

SEWERAGE WORKS.

Proposals for Sewerage Works in Washington Street, West Roxbury, and Minor Sewerage Works in Pelton Street.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Washington street, West Roxbury, etc. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Washington Street, West Roxbury, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 1955, with a certified check for TWO HUNDRED (200) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then he publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to he deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the hids. All proposals must be from hidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the hidder neglects to hid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the contractor shall provide hy insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Oct. 22.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

No. 172—597.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING ROPE LIFE NETS FOR BOSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Tuesday, November 1, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Life Nets." The successful hidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all hids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Oct. 22.) *Purchasing Agent.*

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JOSHUA H. JONES, *Editor.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR PAINTING INTERIOR AND EXTERIOR OF FIRE ALARM HEADQUARTERS BUILDING.

The Fire Commissioner of the City of Boston, 115 Southampton street, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for painting the interior and exterior of the Fire Alarm Headquarters Building, 59 Fenway, Boston, Mass. The bond of an approved surety company doing business in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, in the full amount of the contract, will be required to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Fire Commissioner, 115 Southampton street. Each proposal must be signed by the hidder, placed in an envelope, sealed and marked "Proposal for Painting Interior and Exterior of Fire Alarm Headquarters Building," and left at the office of the Fire Commissioner, 115 Southampton street, before twelve o'clock noon on Monday, October 31, 1955, accompanied by a certified check for three hundred (300) dollars, payable to the City of Boston, and to be the property of said city as liquidated damages suffered by said city if, after acceptance of his proposal, the hidder shall fail to carry out said proposal. The proposals will then and there be publicly opened for reading. Proposals must he made in duplicate, and the sealed duplicate, without check, must be deposited by the hidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the proposals. The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (Ter. Ed.) to all persons to be employed under this contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing will be required prior to the award of said contract. Specifications may be obtained at the office of the Fire Commissioner, 115 Southampton street. The Fire Commissioner reserves the right to reject any and all proposals and to award the contract as he deems hest.

FRANCIS X. COTTER,
(Oct. 22.) *Fire Commissioner.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

OVERSEERS OF THE PUBLIC WELFARE.

PROPOSALS FOR ALTERATIONS AND RENOVATIONS TO EXTERIOR WORK AT THE WELFARE BUILDING, 43 HAWKINS STREET, BOSTON, MASS.

The Overseers of the Public Welfare of the City of Boston invite proposals for alterations and renovations to exterior work at the Welfare Building, 43 Hawkins street, Boston, Mass., according to specifications which may be obtained from the office of the Board, first floor, 43 Hawkins street, Boston. Bidders must use the form of proposal to be obtained at this office, and the successful bidder must furnish a bond for one half of the total amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as a surety for the faithful performance of the contract. Bids, with a certified check for two hundred and fifty dollars ($250), payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, must be left at the office of the Board, first floor, 43 Hawkins street, before 12 noon, October 26, 1955, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be left with the City Auditor prior to the time named for the opening of the bids. The Board of Overseers of the Public Welfare reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids. All contracts made subject to appropriation to meet the payments thereunder.

JOSEPH K. COLLINS,
(Oct. 15-22.) *Chairman.*

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

CHANGES IN TRAFFIC RULES AND REGULATIONS.

Voted, That the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective October 24, 1955:

Article IV, Section 2 (Stopping, Standing, and Parking Prohibited in Certain Places), is amended by striking out the following:

Lyford Street, Dorchester.
East side, from a point forty (40) feet north of Callender street to Callender street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out the following:

Brook Avenue, Dorchester.
North side, from a point one hundred (100) feet west of 573 Dudley street to 573 Dudley street, 24 hours.
Lanark Road, Brighton.
Both sides, from Sutherland road to Kilsyth road, 24 hours.
Lyford Street, Dorchester.
East side, from a point forty (40) feet north of Callender street to Callender street, 24 hours.
Blue Hill Avenue, Roxbury.
East side, from Dudley street to Geneva avenue, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," the following:

Lancaster Street.
Southwest side, from Causeway street to Merrimac street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alpbabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," the following:

Lanark Road.
Northeast side, from Sutherland road to Kilsyth road, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Charlestown," the following:

Lowney Way.
Both sides, from Mt. Vernon street to Bunker Hill street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in tbe alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," each of the following:

Boyden Street.
East side, from Callender street to Woodrow avenue, 24 hours.
Central Avenue.
Both sides, from River street to the Boston-Milton line, 24 hours.
Don Street.
West side, from Callender street to Woodrow avenue, 24 hours.
Lyford Street.
Both sides, from Stratton street to Callender street, 24 hours.
Magnolia Street.
East side, from Bird street to Intervale street, 24 hours.
Vinson Street.
South side, from Marlowe street to Geneva avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the captions "Dorchester," and "Roxbury," the following:

Stanwood Street.
Southwest side, from Blue Hill avenue to Columbia road, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in tbe alphabetical arrangement under the caption "East Boston," the following:

Neptune Road.
Northeast roadway, southwest side, from Bennington street to Cleveland street, 24 hours.
Southwest roadway, northeast side, from Bennington street to Cleveland street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," each of the following:

Blue Hill Avenue.
East side, from Dudley street to a point on the prolongation of the northeast curb line of Warren street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.
East side, from a point on the prolongation of the northeast curb line of Warren street to a point one hundred and eighty-five (185) feet south of the prolongation of the northeast curb line of Warren street, 24 hours.
East side, from a point one hundred and eighty-five (185) feet south of tbe prolongation of the northeast curb line of Warren street to Geneva avenue, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.
Greenleaf Street.
North side, from a point forty (40) feet west of the prolongation of the easterly curb line of Leon street to a point forty (40) feet east of tbe prolongation of the easterly curb line of Leon street, 24 hours.
Pompeii Street.
Northwest side, from Massachusetts avenue to Allerton street, 24 hours.
Station Street.
North side, from a point one hundred and twenty-three (123) feet east of Parker street to Parker street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," each of the following:

Lancaster Street.
Northeast side, from Causeway street to Merrimac street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Merrimac Street.
South side, from Causeway street to Haymarket square, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 6, Part 3 (Restrictions in Cent and Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by striking out the following:

Blue Hill Avenue, Roxbury.
East side, from Dove street to Geneva avenue, 10 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 6, Part 3 (Restrictions in Cent and Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Blue Hill Avenue.
East side, from Dove street to a point on the prolongation of the northeast curb line of Warren street, 10 A.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from a point one hundred and eighty-five (185) feet south of the prolongation of the northeast curb line of Warren street to Geneva avenue, 10 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," the following:

Appian Way.
From Raymond street to Franklin street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," each of the following:

Hecla Street.
From Adams street to Dorchester avenue.
Lyon Street.
From Dorchester avenue to Adams street.

Article VI, Section 11 (Only Right Turn Movements Permitted), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," the following:

Linden Street.
Into Cambridge street, northeasterly.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," the following:

Gloucester Street.
At Newbury street.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," the following:

Franklin Street.
At Appian Way.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "East Boston," the following:

Meridian Street.
At Condor street.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," each of the following:

Centre Street.
At Albert street.
At Lamartine street.
Hereford Street.
At Newbury street.
Louis Prang Street.
Northeast side, at Fenway opposite Evans Way.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "West Roxbury," the following:

Weld Street.
At Willow street.

WM. ARTHUR REILLY,
Commissioner.

A true copy.
Attest:
WM. T. DOYLE, *Executive Secretary.*
(Oct. 15-22.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Invitation for Proposals for Furnishing and Erecting Incineration Equipment for the South Bay Incinerator.

The work to be done consists of fabricating, furnishing, erecting, and testing, in a building to be constructed under another contract, six (or, under alternate proposals, five or four) 150-ton per day incinerator units, including waste heat boilers, fly ash arrestor systems, and certain appurtenances, all complete and ready to operate.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for furnishing and erecting incineration equipment for the South Bay Incinerator.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner, each in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Contract documents, including forms of proposal, contract agreement and bonds and specifications, may be examined at the office of Metcalf and Eddy, Engineers, 1300 Statler Building, Boston, and may be examined and obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Furnishing and Erecting Incineration Equipment for the South Bay Incinerator," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 1955, with a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, in the sum of FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS ($50,000), payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex, Boston.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor, Room 11, City Hall, Boston, previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *A deposit of one hundred dollars ($100) will be required on each set of contract documents taken out.* Such deposits will he refunded upon the return of said documents in good condition within 30 days after the date of the opening of the bids. A bidder may submit proposals for more than one type of furnace on the same proposal form. A bidder submitting a proposal on one or more of four types of furnace (designated in the proposal as alternates A, B, C, and D) must submit bids for furnishing alternatively a total of six or a total of five or a total of four complete 150-ton per day units. Proposals omitting a price for any alternate under the type of furnace being bid upon will be considered incomplete and will be subject to rejection. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs, and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is contained in the form of contract referred to herein. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract.

The Commissioner of Public Works reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.
(Oct. 15-22.)

CITY OF BOSTON
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MAYOR HYNES AND GROUP OF PUBLIC-SPIRITED CITIZENS MAKE PLANS TO ENTERTAIN MORE THAN 120,000 OF CITY'S YOUTH ON HALLOWEEN — MAKES FOR SAFE AND SANE, YET ENJOYABLE, EVENT FOR NIGHT OF GHOSTS AND GOBLINS.

Mayor Hynes has devised and is putting into operation a program for Halloween that will provide for innocent amusement and enjoyment of all the youth of the city. It is anticipated that more than 100,000 young people will share in the fun and festivities. A conference was held in the office of the Mayor on Thursday to perfect the plans. A number of public-spirited citizens took part in the conference and perfected the plans.

Among those attending were: Msgr. John Carrol, Director of C.Y.O.; Msgr. Timothy O'Leary, Parochial Schools; Drs. Dennis Haley and Fred Gillis, of the Boston Public Schools; Commissioner Frank R. Kelley, Parks and Recreation; Fred Taylor, Chairman, Greater Boston Council for Youth; Henry Leen, Chairman, Mayor's Civic Improvement Committee; W. Duncan Russell, United Community Services; Police Commissioner Sullivan and Superintendent Edward Fallon; Fire

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MAYOR HYNES PRESENTED PLAQUE BY DISABLED AMERICAN VETERANS FOR SERVICES TO HEROES IN WARS—PRESENTED FOR DISTINGUISHED AND OUTSTANDING SERVICES AND MERITORIOUS CONDUCT IN SPONSORING PROGRAMS BENEFICIAL TO HEALTH AND HAPPINESS.

Mayor Hynes has been signally honored by the Disabled American War Veterans with a plaque extolling his services in the interest of the veterans. The plaque, which was presented on Wednesday, reads as follows:

For distinguished service: To Mayor John B. Hynes, City of Boston, for exceptional and meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding service for the Disabled American Veterans.

Special sponsored recreation programs for ambulatory patients away from hospitals.

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$10,000,000 HAVE BEEN SAVED THE CITY OVER PAST FIVE AND A HALF YEARS BY THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT — SHOWN BY FIGURES PRESENTED TO MAYOR JOHN B. HYNES — COMPILED BY DIVISION HEADS AT REQUEST OF PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT COMMISSIONER GEORGE G. HYLAND — PUBLIC GREATLY BENEFITED BY IMPROVEMENTS AND GREATER EFFICIENCY.

According to figures compiled by the Public Works Department, under the direction of Public Works Commissioner George G. Hyland, the department has effected in the past five years a saving of more than $10,000,000. These savings have come about through major improvements put into effect by the various divisions.

The department has been reorganized to a high degree of efficiency with results greatly beneficial to the public. All of this has been done under the administration of Mayor John B. Hynes and under his orders. This has been done by a reduction in personnel, by not filling unessential jobs made vacant by retirement, resignations or deaths, by eliminating nonessential services, increase in the use of mechanical equipment, and by insistence on the part of Commissioner Hyland that each contractor performing services gives a dollar's worth of service for each dollar paid him.

The following is a list of the major accomplishments of the department as prepared for the commissioner by heads of divisions under his control and direction. These accomplishments have been submitted to Mayor John B. Hynes for approval in each instance of operation:

1. Reforms in Highway Division construction procedures concerning checks on work, materials, and manner of payment for highway contract work, including the establishment of a Finals Section to double check and approve all payments made to contractors.

2. Development of a Master Highway Plan to provide for a systematic schedule for the reconstruction of the city's streets.

3. Improving the street lighting by replacing gas lamps with electric lights and modernizing the electric lighting system.

4. Obtaining bona fide competitive bidding on refuse collection contracts and, for the first time in the city's history, competitive bidding on the refuse disposal contract.

5. Expanded program for the construction of conduits to cover open brooks that constituted a hazard to children. This lessened flooding and mosquito nuisances and made possible the reclamation of adjacent land for building purposes in several sections of the city.

6. Establishment of the Automotive Division in February, 1950, to provide more efficiency in the acquisition and maintenance of the departmental vehicles and equipment.

7. Establishment of a Mobile Patrol Service to replace staff of 112 watchmen and provide better protection to departmental facilities.

8. Establishment of a Motor Pool and a two-way short wave radio to utilize the passenger cars more efficiently.

9. Increased use of mechanical equipment in order to reduce labor costs and provide improved operations for such functions as street cleaning, sewer cleaning, and snow removal.

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"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the shipteeming plain of the ocean;
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, October 31, at 2 P.M.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries, or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the Complaints Division, Room 25, City Hall.

Information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways, the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments of streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped area for streets and the opening of private ways; the making of specific repairs in public streets; the naming of public streets, including the use of public ways for location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railways, coal holes, and vaults, may be secured from the Public Improvement Commission, Room 403, City Hall Annex.

To the BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION, 112 Southampton street, for information relative to regulation of vehicular street traffic on all or any streets, ways, highways, roads, and parkways under the control of the City of Boston, the issuing of all permits in connection therewith.

To the COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting, and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catchbasins, the operation of Sumner Tunnel, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges, and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

To the HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Haymarket Square, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish, and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughterhouses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases, of public health nuisances.

To the BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth Avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park, and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts, also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview, and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

To the SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

To the DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS, 28 Norman street, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

To the BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 907, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal, or tearing down buildings.

To the ELECTRICAL INSPECTION DIVISION OF THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT, 1001 City Hall Annex, for all information relative to the erection of poles, building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division; also for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings of the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

To the BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT, 43 City Hall, relative to changes in the boundary lines of zoning districts of the City of Boston as established by chapter 488 of the Acts of 1924, and amendments thereto.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending October 22, 1955.

Population as of July, 1950, Massachusetts State Census, 817,713; population estimated July, 1955, United States Census Bureau, 813,696; number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 160; nonresidents, 69; total, 229.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 14.86; nonresidents deducted, 10.32.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:

Last week, 14.35; corresponding week last year, 12.61.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 15; one year to four years, inclusive, 1; sixty years and over, 179. Total deaths: Male, 126; female, 103; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 173.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Oct. 22, 1955.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Oct. 23, 1954.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior Poliomyelitis	62	1	4	—
Diphtheria	—	—	—	—
Encephalitis Lethargica	—	—	—	—
Influenza	—	—	—	—
Measles	—	—	69	—
Meningitis Epidemic	1	—	—	—
Pneumonia (lobar)	—	1	—	1
Scarlet Fever	8	—	5	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary)	—	2	22	2
Childhood Type Tuberculosis	—	—	—	—
Tuberculosis (other forms)	—	—	2	—
Typhoid Fever	—	—	—	—
Whooping Cough	3	—	10	—

*Residents and nonresidents included.

MAYOR HYNES PLANS FOR HALLOWEEN ENTERTAINMENT FOR CHILDREN.

(Continued from page 1265.)

Commissioner Francis Cotter, Fire Chief W. Montgomery, and Director of Recreation, Pat Ryan.

Boston's Halloween plans have been copied by many other large cities as an outstanding example of cooperation by all organizations concerned.

The foundation of this success is, of course, the "Mayor John B. Hynes Halloween Program" of safety suggestions, planned home parties, and a list of many popular songs.

In addition to these home parties, the city, through the Boston Parks and Recreation Department, sponsors over 150 public parties and teen-age dances. In cooperation with the United Community Services and the Catholic Youth Organizations it was estimated in 1954 that over 120,000 youngsters took part in this program.

The cooperation of city departments has been responsible for this success. The Police Department assigns officers to each party to oversee the safety. The Fire Department has men throughout each section of the city to help youngsters keep Halloween safe. The School Department, through their safety classes, distribute the programs and make the youngsters aware of a safe Halloween. The Parks and Recreation Department serves as the coordinator of the planning and publicity.

Suggested program for Halloween parties at home is as follows:

1. Greeting and welcome to all.

2. Community Singing—(Song Sheets) Numbers 1–6.

3. Game—"Pennies in Flour" (2 boys and girl). Equipment—3 pans with ½-inch layer of flour. Three pennies buried in each pan.

(Race to find 3 pennies with mouth. Hands tied behind back. Entrants must promise to take flour home and make good biscuits with it.)

4. Game — "Musical Chairs" (for girls). Equipment—6 chairs and pianist.

5. Game—"Biting Apples on String" (2 girls and boy). Equipment—3 apples hanging down, each on a separate string tied to its stem and fastened to a nail in the doorway, or any overhead support. A coin is first inserted in each apple.

(Participants race to eat through to coin—hands tied behind back.)

6. Game—"Put Peas in Pan" (2 boys and girl). Equipment—3 empty pie plates, 3 spoons, 3 soup plates full of flour with a dozen peas buried in flour.

(Race to find peas with spoon and move them over into empty pan.)

7. Game — "Shake Hands While Blindfolded" (1 or more couples, simultaneously or successively). Equipment—2 or more blindfolds.

(Girl without blindfold stands still with hands extended. Blindfolded boy with left hand behind back—starting at a distance—tries to shake her hand with his right hand. Girl must answer him when spoken to. Spectators must guard against blindfolded boy making any misstep which would cause bodily injury.)

8. Game—"Bite the Marshmallow on String" (girl—boy). Equipment—4 or more feet of white string, 7 marshmallows. (2 people hold string horizontal at the height of a person's head. 7 marshmallows dangle down from it on short strings at intervals of 6 inches. Boy starts eating marshmallows from one end; girl from other, racing toward central marshmallow. Can't use hands.)

9. Game — "Chew Crackers and Whistle" (2 boys and girl). Equipment—dry, flaky crackers.

10. Awarding of Prizes for Costumes.
   1. For most grotesque of boys.
   2. For most grotesque of girls.
   3. For boy best dressed as girl.
   4. For girl best dressed as boy.
   5. Most appropriate of girls.
   6. Most appropriate of boys.

11. Finale—Patriotic Songs—Numbers 7–10 on Song Sheet.

12. It is suggested that the above program be interspersed with acts of local talent.

13. Distribution of refreshments as youngsters leave the hall.

CORRECTION

Through inadvertence a story was made public in the issue of the *City Record* of October 22 to the effect that Mayor Hynes had asked the City Council to authorize the expenditure of $10,000,000 for off-street parking facilities outside the debt limit. The order was not presented but was withdrawn before any action was taken.

THE EDITOR.

MAYOR HYNES ACTS TO AID IN GROUP INSURANCE PLANS — ORDERS INFORMATION TO INSURANCE COMPANIES TO FACILITATE WORK.

The following communication has gone forward from the office of the Mayor:

CHARLES J. FOX, *Director*,
Administrative Services Department.

DEAR SIR:

My attention has been directed to chapter 750 of the Acts of 1955 which authorizes municipalities to provide a group insurance plan for employees and their dependents.

I am advised that in order to secure an estimate of the cost involved in such a plan, it will be necessary to secure certain information required by the insurance companies, so that they may submit proposals for the various types of coverage.

The information falls into three classes:

1. Distribution of group membership by years of birth.
2. Distribution by sex.
3. Marital status, that is to say distribution by single persons and married persons.

Since the provisions of the act do not become effective until December 10, I suggest that you proceed to assemble the information of the type previously outlined.

Respectfully,

J. B. HYNES, *Mayor*.

MAYOR HYNES PRESENTED PLAQUE BY D.A.V.

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Exclusive use periods at municipal gymnasiums and swimming pools for special groups of amputees, disabled veterans, etc.

Liberal and humane welfare and aid program for needy veterans.

Sponsored program of gifts, baskets, and letters during Korean War to veterans and their families.

Signed by,

EUGENE F. REILLY,
National Service Officer,
Disabled American Veterans.
For
MAJ. GEN. MELVIN J. MAAS,
National Commander,
Disabled American Veterans.

TRANSFERS OF APPROPRIATIONS.

The Mayor has approved the following requests for transfers of appropriations:

COMMITTEE ON LICENSES.

From 213, Telephone Service, $10.02, to 594, Carpet Sweeper, $10.02.

From 213, Telephone Service, $25, to 593, Library Books, $25.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.
House of Correction.

From Item 7, Structures and Improvements, $28,740, to Item 2, Contractual Services, $28,740.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

From Item 490, Current Charges and Obligations, $5, to Item 590, Equipment, $5.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT REPORT SHOWS A BIG SAVINGS.

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10. Reduced personnel from 2,465 on January 1, 1950, to 2,033 as of this date. This reduction of 432 represents an annual reduction in payroll cost of approximately $1,380,000 based on the present annual average wage of $3,200 per employee and was accomplished without discharging any employees but simply by not filling any expiring nonessential jobs.

11. Elimination of the East Boston Ferry on December 31, 1952, at an annual savings of approximately $300,000.

12. Sale of garbage at the Victory Road Station at a net savings to the city of $117,000 over the past five years.

13. Required the use of all-enclosed bodies on refuse trucks in sixteen out of the seventeen collection districts of the city.

14. Cooperated with the various state agencies in order to obtain the maximum benefits available to the city by:

(*a*) Taking advantage of the Chapter 90 State-Aid Highway Construction Program; over $1,907,405 contributed to the city from the State Highway Fund over the past five years.

(*b*) Providing for the M.D.C. to dispose of sewage from the Boston Main Drainage System at their new plant at Deer Island, thus saving the city the necessity of constructing a $10,000,000 sewage treatment plant at the Calf Pasture.

(*c*) Getting the state to assume one half the cost of the $4,660,000 Andrew

P. McArdle Bridge built to replace the old Meridian Street Bridge.

(*d*) Coordination with the State Department of Public Works in the selection of the route for the Central Artery.

15. Constructed the following new yard facilities in order to replace some outmoded yard buildings built 60 to 100 years ago and also to provide storage space for the increased quantity of mechanical equipment:

(*a*) William T. Morrissey Memorial Building, an office building at the new yard located at the Arborway and Forest Hills street, West Roxbury, along with a garage to house 15 vehicles. This yard replaces the old Child Street Yard, opposite St. Thomas's Church on South street.

(*b*) Garage at the Moreland Street Yard, West Roxbury.

(*c*) Garage at the Western Avenue Yard, Brighton.

(*d*) Office building at Second street, South Boston, to house Sanitary Division, Mobile Patrol Headquarters, and Motor Pool, including a two-way short-wave radio station.

16. Since taking over duties of the former Board of Street Commissioners in 1954, have instituted the following improvements:

(*a*) Established a schedule of fees for the storage or sale of merchandise in a public way. Formerly the fee was at the discretion of the board, was not uniform, and was unfair to many licensees.

(*b*) Established a schedule of regulations concerning projecting signs in order to control increasing sign sizes to the detriment of some neighborhoods.

SAVINGS RESULTING FROM IMPROVEMENTS IN OPERATIONS IN THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT SINCE JANUARY 1, 1950.

OPERATION.	Annual Savings.	5½-Year Total.
Mobile Patrol replacing watchmen	$120,000	$660,000
State contribution to cost of McArdle Bridge		2,460,000
Elimination of East Boston Ferry, December 31, 1952	300,000	750,000
Sale of ferries and appurtenances		37,200
Reduction in operating hours, Broadway and Dover Street Bridges, March 19, 1954	50,000	62,500
Closing of Warren Bridge, November 26, 1951	48,000	28,000
Chapter 90 highway contributions by state		1,432,400
Refuse collection contracts		541,640
Refuse disposal contract		350,760
Sale of garbage		115,000
Reduction in personnel, January 1, 1950, to June 1, 1955		3,865,500
Total savings over 5½-year period		$10,303,000

EXTENSION OF CONTRACT.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Faletra Brothers, Inc., have been granted an extension of time until November 30, 1955, for the completion of the contract for constructing a play area at William Gary Walsh Playground, Dorchester.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 2,117.

The Police Commissioner having heard the complaint of Lieut. Frank E. Shaw, Division 14, against Detective James F. Condon, Jr., Division 14, on Thursday, October 20, 1955, at Police Headquarters, charging him with violation of the rules and regulations of the Boston Police Department, has made a finding of guilty.

Therefore, it is ordered that the said Detective James F. Condon, Jr., be suspended for a period of three months, effective as of Friday, July 29, 1955, at 5.15 o'clock P.M.

The Acting Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,118.

The resignation of Patrolman Lyman T. Tingier of Division 10 having been presented, it is hereby accepted, to take effect on Sunday, October 30, 1955, at 7.15 o'clock A.M.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

OMIT AND SUBSTITUTE WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

J. A. Susi & Sons, Inc., have been directed to omit and substitute the following work under the contract for sheet asphalt pavement in Poplar street and West street, dated June 21, 1955:

In Poplar street, omit 700 tons of macadam base at $3 per ton, and 5,000 gallons of CA asphalt at 15 cents per gallon.

In West street, omit 100 tons of macadam base at $3 per ton, and 600 gallons of CA asphalt at 15 cents per gallon.

In Poplar street, substitute approximately 135 cubic yards of Class B concrete for a concrete base, between existing roadway and new edgestone, at $17 per cubic yard.

In West street, substitute approximately 25 cubic yards of Class B concrete for a concrete base, between existing roadway and new edgestone, at $17 per cubic yard.

Estimated cost of omitted work, $3,240; estimated cost of substituted work, $2,720; estimated decrease in cost, $520.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULING.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway resurfacing, estimated to be thirty (30) days, vehicles are excluded from the following street, when and where official signs are in place, effective October 14, 1955:

Elmira Street, Brighton.
From Glencoe street to Murdock street.

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

Alan L. Locke, 24 Wilcock street, Dorchester, in the sum of $195, as compensation for personal injuries caused when the automobile owned by his father, which he was operating, struck a hole in the highway opposite 43 and 44 Wilcock street, May 9, 1955.

Elizabeth Sisson, 1426 Commonwealth avenue, Brighton, in the sum of $475, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 678 Beacon street, June 12, 1955.

Dominic Bramante, 165 Gladstone street, East Boston, in the sum of $78.59, as compensation for damage to automobile caused by a bent traffic post which protruded onto the highway opposite 245 A street, South Boston, February 14, 1955.

Robert F. Fitzgibbon, 27 Elmhurst street, Dorchester, to be reimbursed in the sum of $49.75 as a result of an accident which occurred on March 4, 1955, when a motor truck belonging to the Paving Division, Public Works Department, which he was operating, skidded into a pole pulling electric and telephone wires from a house owned by Alfred Scoff at 146 Kittredge street, Roslindale.

Arthur L. Locke, 24 Wilcock street, Dorchester, in the sum of $97.89, as compensation for damage to automobile caused by a hole in the highway opposite 43 and 44 Wilcock street, May 9, 1955.

Margaret E. McClafferty, 8 Trenton street, Charlestown, in the sum of $150, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 6 Trenton street, Charlestown, June 11, 1955.

Augusta Saifer, 75 Central avenue, Allerton, in the sum of $480, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a raised portion of the sidewalk in front of 240 Tremont street, Boston, May 2, 1955.

Violet Benvissuto, 95 Princeton street, East Boston, in the sum of $485, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 106 Brooks street, East Boston, July 8, 1955.

M. Lillian Gately, 12 Ely road, Dorchester, in the sum of $100, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 28 Ely road, January 19, 1955.

Helen C. Gomez, 196 Sydney street, Dorchester, in the sum of $475, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk on East Concord street, near the Massachusetts Memorial Hospital, April 12, 1955.

George Green, 24 St. Mary's street, Boston, in the sum of $61.20, as compensation for damage to automobile caused by a hole in the highway on Brookline avenue, opposite Jersey street, May 21, 1955.

Joseph Viviani, 472 Commercial street, Boston, in the sum of $360, as compensation for damage to property stored in basement of above premises caused by the backing up of a sewer in February, 1955.

Robert J. Wilson, 50 Colchester street, Readville, to be reimbursed in the sum of $67, as a result of an accident which occurred on January 7, 1955, when a motor vehicle belonging to the Police Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Thomas W. Stewart.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following personnel changes:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Approval has been given for the reappointment of George F. Cronin, 73 Birchwood street, West Roxbury, as temporary deputy assessor for a period of six months at $127.25 a week.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Approval has been given for a 30-day emergency appointment of Evelyn Van Ounsen as senior custodial worker at $50.50 a week.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

George F. Frazier, 21 Burwell road, West Roxbury, fire fighter, has been retired at $2,873.33 a year.

William H. Guenthner, 26 Salina road, Dorchester, fire fighter, has been retired at $2,873.33 a year.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

For the week ending October 4:

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—Myrtle P. Anderson, 17 Ruthven street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $50.50 a week; Joseph Pettigrossi, 3 Howard avenue, Dorchester, Joseph E. Brown, 575 Shawmut avenue, hospital house workers, $50.50 a week; George R. Towle, 41 Hemlock road, West Roxbury, ambulance driver, $70.50 a week; William J. Hoar, 16 Auriga street, Dorchester, hospital guard, $53 a week; May White, 24 Westland avenue, floor nurse, $76.50 a week; Dorothy M. Hudson, Great road, Maynard, Mary Lamond, 58 Horan Way, Jamaica Plain, floor nurses, $1.70 an hour; Rose M. Olson, 67 Hall street, Randolph, Margaret T. Greene, 1046 Adams street, Dorchester, floor nurses, $1.65 an hour.

Temporary.—Margaret B. Cawley, 1 Hillside avenue, Forest Hills, Fannie M. DeRosa, 67 Fayston street, Roxbury, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; Mary E. Higgins, 44 Faunce road, Mattapan, Alice Wheeler, 81 Centre street, Roxbury, Mary DiFranco, 112 Blue Hill avenue, Roxbury, Blanche Galbato, 2 Kemp street, South Boston, Margaret A. Lloyd, 29 Revere street, hospital kitchen workers, $43 a week; Robert Misiewicz, 78 Orchard street, Jamaica Plain, ambulance medical aid, $53 a week; Hugh F. McCarthy, 180 Hamilton street, Dorchester, laboratory technician, $58 a week; John Hunter, 27 Forest street, Milton, director, Neurology Service, $666.67 a month; Arthur J. Donovan, 46 Hickory Cliff road, Newton, assistant director, I Surgical, $500 a month; John E. Dunphy, 38 Bradford road, Wellesley Hills, director, Sears Surgical Laboratory, $500 a month; Patricia M. Harrigan, 6 Beaufort road, Jamaica Plain, Eileen Garrity, 91 Charles street, East Weymouth, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour.

The following weekly nurses have been appointed:

Permanent.—Helena Gallagher, 19 Farquhar street, Roslindale, floor nurse, $48 a week; Jean Darragh, 568 East Sixth street, South Boston, floor nurse, $63 a week; Genevieve Joy, 19 Vinson

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 25.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
D. Greenwood	11 Jess street	11	New appliances	$40
P. Janis	20 Louder's Lane	17	New appliances	15
N. Deutsch	65 Marion street	1	New appliances	65
N. Deutsch	280 Maverick street	1	New appliances	30
N. Deutsch	225 Paris street	1	New appliances	30
N. Deutsch	90 Pearl street	2	New appliances	30
A. Stahly	56 Pleasant Hill avenue	17	New appliances	10
L. Pike	82 Queensberry street	5	New appliances	470
P. Gulesian	84 Readville street	18	New appliances	200
N. Clark	325 Savin Hill avenue	13	New appliances	400
R. McCall	1 Sinclair road	22	New appliances	50
N. Deutsch	475 Sumner street	1	New appliances	30
P. Gulesian	67 Sunnyside street	18	New appliances	400
A. Stahly	472 Talbot avenue	16	New appliances	11
R. Murray	9A Vineland street	22	New appliances	85
H. Hinckley	103 Walter street	20	New appliances	25
D. Greenwood	73 Weld Hill street	19	New appliances	150
J. Monahan	7 Atlantic street	20	New appliances	225
W. Connell	26 Bailey street	17	New appliances	50
D. O'Neill	56 Delle avenue	10	New appliances	25
D. O'Neill	24 Dilworth street	9	New appliances	35
D. O'Neill	13 Dorset street	7	New appliances	45
I. Horvitz	31 Dracut street	16	New appliances	100
D. O'Neill	846 East Fourth street	6	New appliances	40
A. Mehegan	287 Emerson street	6	New appliances	150
C. Bevelander	8 Eulita terrace	22	New appliances	100
D. O'Neill	2 Gifford place	7	New appliances	40
L. Fama	14 Greenleaf street	4	New appliances	600
C. Boates	9 Hancock street	2	New appliances	30
A. Eigler	720 Harrison avenue	8	New appliances	25
C. O'Connor	38 High street	2	New appliances	10
W. Genson	2 Kittredge street	18	New appliances	70
J. Amico	22 Lowell street	3	New appliances	25
P. Sparco	295 North street	3	New appliances	100
S. Clayman	28 Nottingham street	14	New appliances	185
C. Bevelander	115 Perkins street	10	New appliances	100
T. Matthews	311 Quincy street	15	New appliances	100
S. Kramer	1 Quincy terrace	12	New appliances	40
D. O'Neill	101 St. Alphonsus street	10	New appliances	40
S. Kramer	113 Savin Hill avenue	13	New appliances	65
G. Patey	15 Surrey street	22	New appliances	50
W. Connell	81 Thetford avenue	17	New appliances	50
M. Eskowitz	293 Warren street	12	New appliances	10
W. Connell	761 Washington street	17	New appliances	50
O. Morlock	2392 Washington street	9	New appliances	50
W. Connell	76 Woodbole avenue	18	New appliances	15
O. Morlock	62 Wyman street	10	New appliances	100
O Weider	655 Adams street	16	New appliances	100
L. Luxton	10 Ainsley street	16	New appliances	45
R. McCall	34 Amory street	11	New appliances	100
M. Zeolla	661 Atlantic avenue	3	New appliances	50
O. Weider	414 Ashmont street	16	New appliances	100
H. Haffer	270 Baker street	20	New appliances	75
J. McCusker	Bartlett square	11	New appliances	125
J. Ricciardelli	96 Bennington street	1	New appliances	20
I. Springer	52 Billerica street	3	New appliances	45
J. Flynn	243 Boston street	7	New appliances	85
A. Onessimo	17 Cawfield street	7	New appliances	60
F. Carr	52 Chauncy street	3	New appliances	200
O. Weider	50 Clearwater Drive	17	New appliances	100
P. Gulesian	36 Dedham street	18	New appliances	400
R. Simon	647 East Second street	6	New appliances	31
N. Clark	624 East Third street	6	New appliances	100
O. Weider	19 Edwin street	16	New appliances	100
P. Gulesian	93 Faraday street	18	New appliances	200
J. Flynn	26 Fifield street	15	New appliances	40
J. Crespi	180 Friend street	3	New appliances	100
O. Weider	218 Fuller street	17	New appliances	100
E. Ardini	20 Gilmer street	14	New appliances	175
A. Granara	253 Hanover street	3	New appliances	15
G. Trethewey	78 Hewlett street	20	New appliances	180
D. Krieger	173 Howard avenue	13	New appliances	100
G. Trethewey	33 Mendum street	20	New appliances	150
O. Weider	25 Mount Everett street	15	New appliances	100
N. Clark	341 Norfolk street	14	New appliances	100
A. Granara	214 North street	3	New appliances	10
M. Loiterstein	1 Oakdale terrace	19	New appliances	20
S. Clayman	70 Osceola street	18	New appliances	60
G. Speers	235 Park Drive	21	New appliances	75
N. Clark	113 Poplar street	18	New appliances	400
G. Trethewey	143 Poplar street	18	New appliances	255
N. Clark	83 Regis road	18	New appliances	100
P. Gulesian	26 Ridlon road	18	New appliances	600
F. Smith	81 St. Botolph street	4	New appliances	150
O. Weider	18 St Marks road	16	New appliances	100
B. Bishop	2 Shepherd avenue	10	New appliances	150
J. Flynn	44 Stanley street	15	New appliances	25
J. Flynn	320 Talbot avenue	17	New appliances	22
O. Weider	12 Treadway road	13	New appliances	100
D. Krieger	177 Tremont street	3	New appliances	100
N. Clark	422 Tremont street	5	New appliances	100
N. Clark	17 Van Winkle street	16	New appliances	400
N. Clark	77 Wayland street	13	New appliances	400
G. Trethewey	684 West Roxbury Parkway	20	New appliances	900
J. Flynn	53 Whitney street	10	New appliances	25
L. Luxton	27 Woodlawn street	11	New appliances	800
O. Weider	42 Wrentham street	16	New appliances	100

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 25.—Concluded.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
B. Szathmary	28–30 Avery street	3	New appliances	$50
R. Ebba	149 Bennington street	1	New appliances	20
M. Shishman	621 Blue Hill avenue	11	New appliances	125
E. Pascucci	158 Bremen street	1	New appliances	25
R. Ebba	6 Brooks street	1	New appliances	100
J. McHatton	147 Brooks street	1	New appliances	100
S. Franco	87 Burrell street	8	New appliances	10
E. Mogel	70 Compton street	5	New appliances	85
E. Pascucci	90 Cottage street	1	New appliances	25
E. Mogel	89 East Canton street	9	New appliances	30
J. Wirth	308 East Eighth street	7	New appliances	250
E. Pascucci	258 Everett street	1	New appliances	25
R. Ebba	61 Frankfort street	1	New appliances	25
E. Mogel	18 Garden street	5	New appliances	150
E. Pascucci	142 Gove street	1	New appliances	25
S. Chipman	16 Greenwich park	4	New appliances	15
E. Pascucci	142 Lexington street	1	New appliances	25
R. Ebba	138 Meridian street	1	New appliances	30
E. Pascucci	31 Monmouth street	1	New appliances	25
R. Simon	9 Newport street	13	New appliances	50
A. Puricelli	317 Norfolk avenue	7	New appliances	100
S. Chipman	30 Norwell street	11	New appliances	10
E. Pascucci	320 Princeton street	1	New appliances	25
G. Trethewey	16 Stellman road	19	New appliances	190
R. Ebba	363 Sumner street	1	New appliances	25
B. Szathmary	11 Sussex street	9	New appliances	100
E. Mogel	973A Tremont street	9	New appliances	17
R. Ebba	233 Trenton street	1	New appliances	25
H. Stober	543 Washington street	22	New appliances	100
G. Trethewey	1374 Washington street	18	New appliances	285
F. Avery	11 Ashley street	10	New appliances	55
D. Greenwood	75½ Birch street	20	New appliances	300
F. Avery	4 Bradford Circle	20	New appliances	12
F. Avery	526 Centre street	19	New appliances	25
D. Evans	89 Dent street	11	New appliances	100
J. Rinella	291 East Eagle street	1	New appliances	135
F. Avery	Rear 30 Forbes street	10	New appliances	25
F. Avery	83 Forest Hills street	11	New appliances	25
E. Dorr	35 Gray street	5	New appliances	60
J. Tierney	268 Itasca street	18	New appliances	125
D. Greenwood	35 Jamaica street	11	New appliances	350
F. Avery	16 Keane road	20	New appliances	15
S. Kramer	14 Knowlton street	7	New appliances	50
F. Avery	304 Lamartine street	19	New appliances	25
D. Greenwood	15 Lee Hill road	19	New appliances	25
F. Avery	17 Myrtle street	19	New appliances	50
L. Visco	50 Neptune road	1	New appliances	100
F. Avery	11 Orchard street	19	New appliances	20
F. Avery	11 Paul Gore street	19	New appliances	30
H. Slavet	663 River street	18	New appliances	250
F. Avery	26 Rossmore road	11	New appliances	25
F. Avery	61 St. Theresa avenue	20	New appliances	15
F. Avery	7 School street	11	New appliances	30
B. Clancy	118 Shawmut avenue	3	New appliances	28
F. Avery	40 Stedman street	11	New appliances	50
F. Avery	99 Wachusett street	19	New appliances	25
S. Litman	115 Walnut avenue	12	New appliances	55
F. Avery	3320 Washington street	11	New appliances	25
F. Avery	3322 Washington street	11	New appliances	25
J. McTomney	5160 Washington street	20	New appliances	200
F. Avery	63 Wenham street	19	New appliances	25
F. Avery	10 Woodlawn street	11	New appliances	60
G. Deutsch	1 Arden street	1	New appliances	100
I. Gerson	481 Ashmont street	16	New appliances	25
S. Pryor	13 Bartlett street	2	New appliances	20
S. Pryor	115 Bartlett street	2	New appliances	20
E. Pascucci	109 Bennington street	1	New appliances	25
E. Pascucci	26 Breman street	1	New appliances	40
N. Deutsch	236 Bunker Hill street	2	New appliances	35
H. Sellon	391 Bunker Hill street	2	New appliances	100
N. Deutsch	339 Chelsea street	1	New appliances	30
W. Connell	30 Chickatawbut street	16	New appliances	60
E. Pascucci	157 Cottage street	1	New appliances	25
E. Pascucci	156 Falcon street	1	New appliances	7
W. Hogan	11 Fernwood road	20	New appliances	50
J. Freedman	60 H street	6	New appliances	40
H. Sellon	96 High street	2	New appliances	100
E. Pascucci	56 Homer street	1	New appliances	25
H. Hinckley	16 John A. Andrew street	19	New appliances	25
J. Yangi	38 Leverett street	3	New appliances	28
N. Deutsch	212 Lexington street	1	New appliances	30
O. Weider	10 Mansur street	10	New appliances	150
I. Gerson	177 Norwell street	17	New appliances	10
F. Tramor	193 Pilgrim road	4	New appliances	50
D. Spiers	20 Pope's Hill street	16	New appliances	100
R. Holmes	25 Riverdale street	22	New appliances	75
W. Hogan	7 Sachem street	10	New appliances	100
W. Fafara	211 St. Joseph street	11	New appliances	35
I. Gerson	56 Saxton street	13	New appliances	50
W. Connell	9 Sellon street	17	New appliances	215
W. Hogan	1157 Tremont street	10	New appliances	100
W. Connell	32 Victory road	16	New appliances	250
J. Egan	139 Wellington Hill street	14	New appliances	25
E. Pascucci	25 White street	1	New appliances	25
E. Pascucci	55 Worcester street	1	New appliances	25

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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street, Dorchester, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Carolyn Rutherford, 17 Field street, Cambridge, floor nurse, $1.40 an hour; Maryanne Dalton, 710 Massachusetts avenue, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Nora O'Connor, 25 Murray avenue, East Milton, floor nurse, $1.70 an hour; Constance Tanguay, Undine road, Brighton, Mary Monaghan, 12 Atkinson street, Lynn, floor nurses, $60.50 a week.

Temporary.—Patricia Burns, 12 Jerome street, Dorchester, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour; William F. Mullen, 373 Talbot avenue, Dorchester, ambulance medical aid, $53 a week; Eleanor McDonald, 66 Austin street, Cambridge, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour; Margaret Fullerton, 108 Westville street, Dorchester, floor nurse, $60.50 a week.

The following doctors have been appointed:

Arturo (Valdez) Garcia, junior assistant resident, Dermatology, $112 a month; Tsuyoshi Yamashita, resident, Ophthalmology, $162 a month; Yash Pal Kapur, chief resident, Aural, $202 a month; Allan A. Chastanet, senior assistant resident, Radiology, $132 a month.

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For the week ending October 11:

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Viola Bergstrom, 122 Church street, Wilmington, 1 day; Priscilla Beckwith, 686 Massachusetts avenue, 3 days; Claire Bilapka, 230 Commonwealth avenue, Lillian Blackburn, 18 Park Vale avenue, Allston, 7 days; Rita Buscher, 238 Norfolk street, Wollaston, 1 day; Sophie Cotter, 173 Vine Rock street, Dedham, 5 days; Adele Daly, 30 Aspinwall avenue, North Weymouth, 4 days; Norma Dean, 696 Massachusetts avenue, 5 days; Hannah Donahue, 270 Huntington avenue, 1 day; Patricia Doucette, 352 Athens street, South Boston, 2 days; Eva Durgin, 13 Hardwick road, Quincy, 7 days; Yolander Evans, 126 Waverly street, Everett, 1 day; Lucille Furega, 14 Kilsyth road, Medfield, Ethel Goff, 40 Rockwell street, Dorchester, Virginia Hamilton, 827 River street, Mattapan, 2 days; Dorothy Hudson, Great road, Maynard, 5 days; Joan Linehan, 775 Parker street, Roxbury, Catherine McGuinness, 14 Alsen road, Dorchester, 2 days; Claire MacDonald, Anna Murphy, 115 Peterborough street, 5 days; Mary Murphy, 37 Hampden Circle, Wollaston, 1 day; Helen Nauss, 46 West Newton street, Phyllis Nigro, 271 Dartmouth street, 6 days; Dora Picarsky, 31 Edison Green, Dorchester, 3 days; Alyce Powers, 67 Prospect avenue, Wollaston, Mary Pursley, 38 Van Brunt street, Hyde Park, Joan Piscitello, 19 Allen court, Medford, 2 days; Vivian Plerock, Romaine Riley, 171 Humboldt avenue, Roxbury, 3 days; Eleanor Shalott, 43 East Springfield street, 1 day; Margaret M. Sullivan, 28 Weymouth street, Holbrook, Josephine Tyman, 39 Burnham street, Somerville, 7 days; Audrey Trask, 6 days; Ila Ward, 79 Warren street, Roxbury, Kathryn Welch, 49 East Springfield street, 3 days; Frances Harris, 103 Townsend street, Roxbury, Rita McCallum, 162 Bowdoin street, Dorchester, Mary R. Mahan, 29 Kempton street, 1 day.

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—Bessie A. Jupiter, 88 Exeter street, hospital medical worker, $50.50 a week; Dorothy E. Johnson, 30 Linwood street, Roxbury, Catherine D. DeFazio, 21 Tileston street, Grace V. Currie, 299 Adams street, Dorchester, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; Anne E. Harrington, 50 Gould street, hospital medical worker, $48 a week; Dorothy E. Gordon, 98 West Canton street, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; Thelma Segarra-Obial, 183 Temple street, West Roxbury, electrical technician, $70.50 a week; Henrietta MacDonald, 3 Metcalf court, Jamaica Plain, Elizabeth Barton, 52 Edson street, Dorchester, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour; Barbara Hennessey, Lakeview road, Foxboro, floor nurse, $63 a week; William Woods, 9 Milford street, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

Temporary.—E. F. Denis Murphy, 818 Harrison avenue, Alfred Legelis, 464 Huntington avenue, Barbara Ann Hayes, 241 La Grange street, West Roxbury, Robert Steven Ochs, 170 Brookway road, Roslindale, Joseph P. Murphy, 61 Pierce avenue, Dorchester, Robert Francis Davis, 477 Dudley street, Roxbury, Walter F. Donlan, 28 Orange street, Roslindale, Leonard J. Gross, 9 Jones avenue, Dorchester, Paul Condon, 17 Howe street, Dorchester, Ralph L. Jacobsen, 364 Dorchester street, South Boston, Myrtle McNabb, 101 Brook avenue, Dorchester, Isabella L. Duffley, 31 Stellman road, Roslindale, Evelyn Powers, 279 Dudley street, Roxbury, Josephine Kostka, 275 West Third street, South Boston, Kathleen Hosty, 10 Bird street, Dorchester, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; Charles J. Brennan, 169 Heath street, Jamaica Plain, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week; Lillian C. Guerriero, 3 Coleman street, Dorchester, hospital laundry worker, $43 a week; Philip R. Sullivan, 8 Newsome park, Jamaica Plain, ambulance medical aid, $53 a week; John J. Murray, 12 Elko street, Brighton, elevator operator, $43 a week; Walter B. Heidke, 46 Chestnut avenue, Jamaica Plain, X-ray technician, $45.50 a week; Patrick J. Lynam, Florida, senior assistant resident, ophthalmic, $132 a month; Dr. Alesia M. Amodia, Cuba, chief resident, anesthesia, $162 a month, Alfredo Monsivais, 16 Harvard street, Reading, senior assistant resident, V and VI Medical, $132 a month; Arlene B. Silver, 67 Washington street, Dorchester, clerk-typist, $43 a week; Margaret S. Fullerton, 108 Westville street, Dorchester, floor nurse, $60.50 a week.

The following weekly nurses have been appointed:

Permanent.—Cecile Dion, 710 Massachusetts avenue, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Claire Shea, 136 Savin Hill avenue, Dorchester, floor nurse, $1.65 an hour; Maureen Concannon, 1675 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, floor nurse, $45 a week; Frances Rogers, 49 Summer street, Hyde Park, floor nurse, $1.70 an hour; Norma Newbury, 710 Massachusetts avenue, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Helen P. Leonard, 215 Pearl street, Cambridge, head nurse, $65.50 a week; Adelina Mucciarone, 11 East Newton street, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Marie Shoneck, 710 Massachusetts avenue, floor nurse, $58 a week; Evelyn (Miller) Landry, 46 Airport road, North Quincy,

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 25.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
William Showstack	37 South Russell street	3	Alterations, dwelling	$225
Trembos, Inc.	98 Tremont street	3	Alterations, restaurant	350
Michael DeBluth	387 Washington street	3	Alterations, office, store	300
Mrs. Gorzecki	3146 Washington street	11	Alterations, dwelling	750
Rev. Arthur Harris	32 Waumbeck street	12	Alterations, dwelling	208
Joseph Imprano	271 Webster street	1	Alterations, dwelling	175
Joseph Stanton	232 Weld street	20	Alterations, dwelling	482
Arlene Holmes	56 Cabot street	9	Alterations, dwelling	1,072
Arlene Holmes	58 Cabot street	9	Alterations, dwelling	1,072
Arlene Holmes	60 Cabot street	9	Alterations, dwelling	1,072
John Ciampa	59–63 Cambridge street	3	Alterations, dwelling, tavern	2,000
Bowdoin Amusement	65–71 Cambridge street	3	Alterations, vacant lot	2,000
James Condos	350 Chestnut Hill avenue	21	Alterations, temporary locker	100
James Condos	350 Chestnut Hill avenue	21	Alterations, excavate	200
Rudolph Merrigotti	83 Como road	18	Alterations, dwelling	900
Isadorius Miliunas	227 D street	6	Alterations, dwelling, store	600
Charles Leone	23 Ellington street	14	Alterations, dwelling	500
Salvatore Forgione	106 Frankfort street	1	Alterations, dwelling	50
Anell Amoroso	67 Leyden street	1	Alterations, dwelling	350
C. Purvaas	117 Massachusetts avenue	5	Alterations, dwelling, cafe	80
Preston Jones	3 Montana street	12	Alterations, dwelling	990
Rose Goldstein	745 Morton street	14	Alterations, dwelling	300
M. Dolan	29 Neponset avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	500
Thomas Lynch	52 Park street	2	Alterations, dwelling	900
William Austin	11 Plain street	16	Alterations, dwelling	950
Bigelow Realty, Inc	32–34 Riverdale street	22	Alterations, dwelling	100
Bigelow Realty, Inc	35–38 Riverdale street	22	Alterations, dwelling	100
Bigelow Realty, Inc	40–42 Riverdale street	22	Alterations, dwelling	100
Bigelow Realty, Inc	44–46 Riverdale street	22	Alterations, dwelling	100
City of Boston	40–44 Smith street	10	Alterations, school	2,974
Inge Schwartz	1340 Soldiers Field road	22	Alterations, temporary locker	100
Inge Schwartz	1340 Soldiers Field road	22	Alterations, excavate	200
Greenwood Memorial	380 Washington street	17	Alterations, church	500
Norma Realty Trust	2066 Washington street	9	Alterations, dwelling	50
John Jakstas	257 West Fifth street	6	Alterations, dwelling, store	300
Warren Harvey	149 Wrentham street	16	Alterations, dwelling	400
L. N. Berger	409 Belgrade avenue	20	Alterations, dwelling	100
Mrs. Gunn	1052 Bennington street	1	Alterations, dwelling	350
Dennis O'Connor	17 Buttonwood street	13	Alterations, dwelling	325
Mary Doughry	101 Calumet street	10	Alterations, dwelling	840
Boston Consolidated Gas	63 Cambridge street	22	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Boston Consolidated Gas	65 Cambridge street	22	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Boston Consolidated Gas	67 Cambridge street	22	Alterations, dwelling	400
Berkley Realty	154 Canal street	3	Alterations, warehouse	250
Lincoln Filling Station	902–905 Columbus avenue	11	Alterations, dwelling	900
Lincoln Filling Station	908–916 Columbus avenue	11	Alterations, dwelling	950
Thorwald Sundle	51 Cotton street	20	Alterations, dwelling	346
James Joyce	993 Dorchester avenue	13	Alterations, dwelling	710
Lincoln Filling Station	1–2 Drew place	11	Alterations, dwelling	800
Lincoln Filling Station	3–4 Drew place	11	Alterations, dwelling	800
Paul Critikos	7 Frost avenue	16	Alterations, dwelling	800
Wesley Sullivan	52 Keystone street	20	Alterations, dwelling	350
Stanley White	9 Lindall street	19	Alterations, dwelling	340
Boston Edison Company	1165 Massachusetts avenue	7	Alterations, temporary locker	300
Boston Edison Company	1165 Massachusetts avenue	7	Alterations, offices	965
Boston Edison Company	1165 Massachusetts avenue	7	Alterations, dining room	600
Charles Olsen	745 River street	18	Alterations, dwelling	519
Norman Boucher	1090 River street	18	Alterations, dwelling	510
Lincoln Filling Station	205–209 Ruggles street	11	Alterations, dwelling	950
Alice Sheedy	59 Russell street	2	Alterations, dwelling	192
A. Santoro	859 Saratoga street	1	Alterations, dwelling	925
Ralph Santangelo	839 Saratoga street	1	Alterations, dwelling	700
Anthony Abate	871 South street	20	Alterations, dwelling	1,900
Mary Jensen	42 South Fairview street	20	Alterations, dwelling	345
William O'Hara	10 Sunnyside street	10	Alterations, dwelling	650
C. Joseph Anglin	140 Theodore Parker road	20	Alterations, dwelling	500
William McCarthy	20 Ventura street	17	Alterations, dwelling	100
Gene Williams	341 Vermont street	20	Alterations, dwelling	325
Harry Robbins	525 Washington street	22	Alterations, stores	500
Nathaniel Alford	836–838 Washington street	3	Alterations, store	450
Lincoln Filling Station	14–16 Weston place	11	Alterations, dwelling	800
Lincoln Filling Station	17–18 Weston place	11	Alterations, dwelling	800
James Palmer	129 Boylston street	5	Alterations, dwelling	50
James Palmer	131 Boylston street	5	Alterations, dwelling	50
Sylvester Viola	12 Castlegate street	14	Alterations, dwelling	250
Belnap Corp	52 Custer street	19	Alterations, dwelling	50
Stop & Shop	377–401 D street	7	Alterations, warehouse, office	900
Kathleen Joseph	71 East Brookline street	8	Alterations, dwelling	200
Elizabeth Zinan	73 East Brookline street	8	Alterations, dwelling	100
Archibald MacDonald	710 East Sixth street	6	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Joseph Mulkern	633 East Seventh street	6	Alterations, dwelling	950
Carrlium Fabrics	81 Essex street	3	Alterations, offices	800
Henry Sterling	156 Freeport street	16	Alterations, dwelling	100
David Edesess	119–125 Green street	19	Alterations, dwelling	100
Rose Giust	Rear 13 Grove street	3	Alterations, shed	300
C. W. Whittier	15 Kingston street	3	Alterations, manufacturing, store	250
Maurice Glassman	19 Kingston street	3	Alterations, manufacturing, store	250
Lawrence Arsenault	17 Pond street	18	Alterations, dwelling	9
Bruno Maffie	12 St. Gregory street	17	Alterations, dwelling	400
John Scanlon	843 South street	20	Alterations, dwelling	50
John Connolly	1184 Tremont street	9	Alterations, dwelling, cafe	100
Paramount Upholstering	1218–20 Washington street	3	Alterations, upholstery	350
Ida Goodman	49 Wentworth street	17	Alterations, dwelling	95
Alvina Colka	103 West Dedham street	9	Alterations, dwelling	240
Edwin Kelley	175 West Eighth street	7	Alterations, dwelling	690

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 25.—Concluded.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Endoe Realty Trust	32 Allerton street	8	Alterations, garage	$1,000
L. Gardner Hopkins	71 Boylston street	19	Alterations, dwelling	900
Virginia Trocano	192 Bremen street	1	Alterations, dwelling	2
Georgiana Arcello	350 Cambridge street	5	Alterations, service station	200
Esther Peterson	21-23 Catherine street	19	Alterations, dwelling	2
Lucy Gilmore	70 Commonwealth avenue	5	Alterations, dwelling	3,000
J. F. Durant	100 Dale street	18	Erect, dwelling	12,000
Francis Scanlon	16 Ely road	16	Alterations, dwelling	325
Forsyth Dental Infirmary	140 Fenway	4	Alterations, dental infirmary	150
David Kaplan	19 Hackensack road	20	Dwelling	18,000
Benjamin Wyman	73 Hackensack road	20	Dwelling	14,400
Maxwell Reardon	11 Heron street	20	Dwelling	10,000
Gerald Muzzola	11 Hillburn street	18	Dwelling	9,000
Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston.	56 Lubec street	1	Garage	600
Louise Clark	410 Marlborough street	5	Alterations, dwelling	20
M. A. Waters	2 Menlo street	22	Alterations, garage	500
William Campbell	92 Metropolitan avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	2
Joseph Sicuso	205 Orient avenue	1	Dwelling	13,500
Sylvia Sherman	250 Savannah street	18	Dwelling	10,000
Raymund Nahigian	Soldiers Field road	22	Alterations, manufacturing, offices	3,000
First Colony Corporation	5 Sudan street	13	Alterations, dwelling	2
Ardis Corbin	91 West street	18	Alterations, dwelling	2
Ardis Corbin	93 West street	18	Alterations, dwelling	2
Salvio Pasquale	10 Woodland road	18	Dwelling	8,000
Joe Berenberg	31-39 Allerton street	8	Alterations, manufacturing	2,500
John Bevilacqua	19 Bobolink street	20	Dwelling	10,000
John Bevilacqua	23 Bobolink street	20	Dwelling	10,000
John Bevilacqua	27 Bobolink street	20	Dwelling	10,000
Flax Realty	11 Caryll street	17	Dwelling	10,000
Mass. General Hospital	275 Charles street	3	Alterations, hospital	75,000
Franklin Fund, Inc.	28 Circuit street	12	Alterations, dwelling	2
Franklin Fund, Inc.	30 Circuit street	12	Alterations, dwelling	2
Maria Miceli	56 Cornell street	18	Dwelling	9,000
Rocco Staffieri	21 Essex street	3	Alterations, cafe	900
Frank Pastore	213 Gladstone street	1	Dwelling	11,000
Ralph Germano	8 Hemlock street	20	Dwelling	9,000
Dr. O'Leary	100 Melville avenue	17	Alterations, dwelling, office	775
George Walsh	53 Lyall street	20	Garage	750
George Huff	69 Monadnock street	13	Alterations, dwelling	2
Silva Realty Trust	358 Walnut avenue	12	Alterations, dwelling	2
Silva Realty Trust	360 Walnut avenue	12	Alterations, dwelling	2
Ashmont Realty Trust	149 Welles avenue	16	Dwelling	10,000
Ashmont Realty Trust	151 Welles avenue	16	Dwelling	10,000
Ashmont Realty Trust	153 Welles avenue	16	Dwelling	10,000
Ashmont Realty Trust	155 Welles avenue	16	Dwelling	10,000
Ashmont Realty Trust	159 Welles avenue	16	Dwelling	10,000
Frank Morse	415 Western avenue	22	Warehouse	45,500
City of Boston	85 Williams avenue	18	Alterations, school	3,500
Motor Mart Garage	4-16 Columbus avenue	5	Alterations, garage	100
Bernard McNamara	1119 Columbus avenue	9	Alterations, tavern	300
Automotive Enterprises	52 Eustis street	8	Alterations, garage	1,000
William Bryant	21 Everett street	22	Alterations, dwelling	528
Nora Fahey	36 G street	6	Alterations, dwelling	500
Samuel Agostino	21 Kimball street	15	Alterations, garage	100
Joseph Farrell	51 Leedsville street	15	Alterations, dwelling	2,000
Leighton York	41 Long avenue	21	Alterations, dwelling	561
Roy Imlah	202 Main street	2	Alterations, dwelling, store	300
Margaret Lovett	32 Mansfield street	22	Alterations, dwelling	750
Joseph Vicari	236 Marlborough street	5	Alterations, offices	800
Lyman Whiting	238 Marlborough street	5	Alterations, dwelling	800
Delia Thomas	14 Newport street	13	Alterations, dwelling	300
Jennie Beshikos	167 Washington street	17	Alterations, dwelling	250
Joseph Meldon	1538A Blue Hill avenue	18	Alterations, tavern	1,800
Boston University	688 Boylston street	1	Alterations, school	5,000
Dr. Charles Callahan	793 Centre street	19	Alterations, dwelling, office	2
Allston Realty	Corey road	21	Gas station	18,000
R. C. Archbishop	18-20 Monson street	17	Alterations, dwelling	2,900
Constantine Tingus	63 Mossdale road	19	Dwelling	20,000
Wither Arcelli	311 Norfolk avenue	7	Alterations, dwelling	2
Fred McDevitt	44 South Fairview street	20	Alterations, dwelling	2
Fred McDevitt	46 South Fairview street	20	Alterations, dwelling	2

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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floor nurse, $1.65 an hour; Mary J. McCarthy, 9 Wiltshire street, Winthrop, floor nurse, $1.70 an hour; Dorothy M. Lena, 98 Green street, Melrose Highlands, chief nurse, anesthetist, $80 a week; Margaret Leary, 59 Bourne street, Jamaica Plain, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Lorraine Williams, 52 Brookdale street, Roslindale, floor nurse, $63.50 a week; Mary Lee, 456 Medford street, Somerville, floor nurse, $1.70 an hour.

Temporary.—Nancy Sader, 55 Commonwealth avenue, Rose Joyce, 232 O'Callaghan Way, South Boston, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour; Helen Sheehan, Turnpike street, Canton, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Rosemary Cosgrove, 709 Centre street, Jamaica Plain, Marilyn Browne, 17 Highgate street, Allston, Beatrice Campbell, 41 Clark avenue, Walpole, Mary Tashjian, 875 East street, Walpole, Mary Johnson Williams, 199 Faywood avenue, East Boston, Nancy Hare, 56 Thornton road, Chestnut Hill, Priscilla (Anderson) Horsman, 98 Dean street, Norwood, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour; Janet E. Hampton, 188 Durnell avenue, Roslindale, staff nurse, $60.50 a week.

South Division.

The following permanent employee has been appointed:

Lois Stork, 745 Massachusetts avenue, floor nurse, $58 a week, with room.

The following temporary employee has been appointed:

Arthur J. Curley, 613 Parker street, Roxbury, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Veronica McElligott, 34 Dickinson street, Somerville, 4 days; Margaret Nolan, 14 Dix street, Dorchester, 6 days.

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—Lillia Barry, 745 Massachusetts avenue, floor nurse, $58 a week, with room; Florence A. White, 49 East Springfield street, hospital medical worker, $50.50 a week.

Temporary.—Alice F. Behymer, 14 Perkins square, Jamaica Plain, Rose Holland, 401 Broadway, Cambridge, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour; Anthony Pacitta, 264 Havre street, East Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Veronica McElligott, 34 Dickinson street, Somerville, 3 days; Margaret Nolan, 14 Dix street, Dorchester, 6 days.

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Temporary.—Elaine Chisholm, 849 Parkway, Dorchester, Ann Davis, McLean Hospital, Waverley, Mary Leahy, 11 Warwick road, West Newton, Robert Robertson, McLean Hospital, Waverley, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour; Barbara Flaherty, 4 Park place, Jamaica Plain, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Long Island Division.

The following changes have been made for the week ending October 4:

Terminations.—Charles J. Leonard, Jr., attendant nurse, permanent; Thomas J. Reis, plumber's helper, emergency.

The following changes have been made in the personnel for the week ending October 11:

Terminations.—Mary C. Bacon, Thomas E. Lennon, attendant nurses; Carol I. Fama, graduate practical nurse; Mary L. Pitts, licensed practical nurse; Grace G. Noel, hospital house worker, emergency; Robert L. Fitzmaurice, plumber's helper, provisional.

Treasury Department.

Approval has been given for an extension of one month leave of absence, with pay, to Roy E. Capelle, senior account clerk in the Collecting Division.

Appointments.

Assessing Department.

David F. Whitley, 96 Brunswick street, Dorchester, senior engineering aid (draftsman), $68 a week.

Auditing Department.

James F. Walsh, 2 Pleasant street, Dorchester, clerk, $43 a week.

Hospital Department.

Long Island Division.

Stephen M. O'Connell, 45 East Lenox street, Roxbury, second-class stationary engineer, $83.50 a week.

Robert C. Hennessey, 6 State road, Revere, second-class stationary engineer, $73 a week.

Penal Institutions Department.

House of Correction.

Frederick J. Gorman, 15 Woodfield street, Dorchester, correction officer, $65.50 a week.

Welfare Department.

Central Office.

John E. Sullivan, Jr., 307 Park street, West Roxbury, social worker, $65.50 a week.

Appointments or Reinstatements.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

William F. Duncanson, 2787 Washington street, Roxbury, clerk, $43 a week.

Robert Blair, 7 Woodbourne road, Jamaica Plain, senior hospital kitchen worker, $60.50 a week.

Patricia Brewton, 13 Gloucester street, dietitian, $76.50 a week.

Elizabeth Lundmark, 36 River street, laboratory technician, $58 a week.

Dr. John M. Hunter, 27 Forest street, Milton, director, Neurosurgical Service, $8,000 a year.

Dr. J. Engelbert Dunphy, 402 Linden street, director, Sears Surgical Laboratory, $6,000 a year.

Dr. Arthur J. Donovan, 46 Hichory Cliff road, assistant director, First Surgical Service, $6,000 a year.

Sanatorium Division.

Stephen Golden, 14 Dennis street, Roxbury, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

Nora Norton, 20 South Munroe terrace, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $50.50 a week.

Katherine E. Gray, 104 Pierce street, Hyde Park, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Marion Campbell, 1 Joyce-Hayes Way, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Long Island Division.

Lorraine M. Bernard, 963 Washington street, Dedham, student practical nurse, $16.51 a week.

Helen Bradbury, 39 Congreve street, Roslindale, student practical nurse, $16.51 a week.

Rosemary L. Clark, 2 Sutherland road, Brighton, student practical nurse, $16.51 a week.

Janice K. Davidson, 109½ Adams street, Waltham, student practical nurse, $16.51 a week.

Marjorie E. Jones, West Topsham, Vermont, student practical nurse, $16.51 a week.

Mary T. King, 886½ Harrison avenue, student practical nurse, $16.51 a week.

Gloria E. Lezer, Corinth, Vermont, student practical nurse, $16.51 a week.

Beatrix F. Manning, 9942 Crescent street, Waltham, student practical nurse, $16.51 a week.

Nora P. Rohan, 35 Meacham street, Somerville, student practical nurse, $16.51 a week.

Florence L. Thayer, Beaver Dam road, Middleboro, student practical nurse, $16.51 a week.

Shirley A. Venanzi, 24 Bussey place, East Dedham, student practical nurse, $16.51 a week.

Mary F. Sullivan, 425 North Franklin street, Holbrook, student practical nurse, $16.51 a week.

Alberta E. Bergeron, 32 Howard street, Haverhill, student practical nurse, $16.51 a week.

Charles L. Hanley, New American House, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

John W. McKeown, 2 Smith street, Roxbury, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

Margaret J. Willey, 514 Commercial street, East Braintree, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

William H. McDonald, Jr., 25 Charlemont street, Dorchester, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Mary J. Gill, 25 Lonsdale street, Dorchester, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Nora Gannon, 9 Woodrow avenue, Dorchester, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Julia L. Barry, 32 Bradford street, hospital laundry worker, $43 a week.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Charles A. O'Dowd, 26 Burton street, Brighton, fire alarm operator, $70.69 a week.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Marie B. Reardon, 130 Tyndale street, Roslindale, principal legal stenographer, $76.50 a week.

Changes in Status.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Personnel Division.

William J. McNeill, 4 Sparhawk street, Brighton, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior clerk and typist (temporary) at $58 a week.

Complaints Division.

Frank P. McDonough, 81 Jamaica street, Jamaica Plain, from senior personnel officer at $117.75 a week to assistant supervisor of personnel (temporary) at $127.25 a week.

Winifred R. McDonough, 12 Commonwealth avenue, from principal clerk and stenographer at $80 a week to head clerk (temporary) at $83.50 a week.

Robert J. Jones, 366 Meridian street, East Boston, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior clerk and typist (temporary) at $55.50 a week.

Samuel R. Goodwin, 14 Buswell street, from senior clerk at $65.50 a week to supervisor of complaints (temporary) at $90.50 a week.

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Harold R. Darling, 53 Oriole street, West Roxbury, from senior clerk at $65.50 a week to assessment recorder (temporary, 3 months) at $70.50 a week.

Catherine H. Crawford, 27 Washington street, Charlestown, from senior clerk-typist at $65.50 a week to assessment recorder (temporary, 3 months) at $68 a week.

AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

James E. McManus, 1289 Massachusetts avenue, Dorchester, from principal clerk at $65.50 a week to principal account examiner (temporary, 6 months) at $73 a week.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

Ernest G. Cardillo, 729 American Legion Highway, Roslindale, from parking meter maintenance man at $65.50 a week to traffic investigator (temporary, 6 months) at $63 a week.

Joseph F. Milliard, 18 Brandon avenue, Dorchester, from traffic sign maintenance man at $63 a week to parking meter collector (temporary, 6 months) at $65.50 a week.

William M. Mooney, 69 Walden street, Jamaica Plain, from traffic sign maintenance man at $63 a week to park-

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM PLUMBING FOR THE WEEK ENDING OCTOBER 25.

Plumber.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
J. Bunesh	1583 Blue Hill avenue	18	Fixtures	$1,432
A. Naseck	10 Boxford terrace	20	Fixtures	300
A. Kaunfer	85 Como road	18	Fixtures	700
A. Kaunfer	87 Como road	18	Fixtures	700
A. Kaunfer	89 Como road	18	Fixtures	700
A. Kaunfer	91 Como road	18	Fixtures	700
A. Kaunfer	93 Como road	18	Fixtures	700
D. Gould	58 Edgewood street	12	Fixtures	35
A. Figler	720 Harrison avenue	8	Fixtures	50
F. Martin	94 Hudson street	3	Fixtures	650
M. Pass	84 Lincoln street	22	Fixtures	800
C. Boates	110 Milk street	3	Fixtures	350
O. Weider	656 Adams street	16	Fixtures	100
R. Fliegelman	115-117 Capen street	17	Fixtures	2,650
G. Zeolla	661 Atlantic avenue	3	Fixtures	1,500
R. Carr	52 Chauney street	3	Fixtures	200
R. Fleigelman	351 Congress street	6	Fixtures	400
S. Whiteombe	73 Hawley street	3	Fixtures	4,000
G. Trethewey	78 Hewlett street	20	Fixtures	180
O. Weider	185 Manchester street	17	Fixtures	100
O. Weider	189 Manchester street	17	Fixtures	100
M. Yorks	5 Morris street	1	Fixtures	800
G. Trethewey	143 Poplar street	18	Fixtures	255
O. Weider	18 St. Marks road	16	Fixtures	100
J. McCusker	45 Townsend street	11	Fixtures	2,800
H. Ribeek	177 Tremont street	3	Fixtures	100
G. Trethewey	684 West Roxbury Parkway	20	Fixtures	250
B. Bishop	63 Whitney street	10	Fixtures	250
A. Platt	672-674 Centre street	19	Fixtures	700
D. Sullivan	27 Damrell street	7	Fixtures	100
J. Leon	28 DeSoto road	20	Fixtures	100
M. Woods	2 Elm street	2	Fixtures	100
G. Trethewey	16 Stellman road	19	Fixtures	190
C. Boates	136 Sumner street	3	Fixtures	300
R. Norwood	53 Sydney street	13	Fixtures	400
N. Prives	30 Thetford avenue	17	Fixtures	250
G. Trethewey	4374 Washington street	18	Fixtures	285
J. Flynn	3 Whitman street	17	Fixtures	100
F. McMillen	480½ Columbus avenue	4	Fixtures	300
W. Collings	76 Olney street	15	Fixtures	150
F. Ross	174 West Third street	6	Fixtures	100
R. Murray	48 Brooksdale road	22	Fixtures	100
J. Vangi	68 Leverett street	3	Fixtures	25
W. Hogan	110 Newbury street	5	Fixtures	100
G. Robbins	9 Rockwood street	19	Fixtures	100
F. Sullivan	1202 Veterans of Foreign Wars Parkway	20	Fixtures	650
S. Litman	115 Walnut avenue	12	Fixtures	300
T. Kelley	West Roxbury Parkway	20	Fixtures	500

ing meter maintenance man (temporary, 6 months) at $65.50 a week.

William J. Bready, 21 Speedwell street, Dorchester, from parking meter collector at $65.50 a week to principal account clerk (temporary, 6 months) at $68 a week.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Joseph A. Walling, 20 St. Albans road, Roxbury, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior clerk and typist (temporary) at $55.50 a week.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Edward N. Montgomery, 26 Annavoy street, East Boston, from assistant fire chief (in charge of Fire Prevention Division) (temporary) at $165.71 a week to assistant fire chief (in charge of Fire Prevention Division) at $165.71 a week.

Leo C. Driscoll, 58 Whitten street, Dorchester, from assistant fire chief (in charge of Personnel and Training) (temporary) at $165.71 a week to assistant fire chief (in charge of Personnel and Training) at $165.71 a week.

William A. Terrenzi, 26 Brookvale street, Dorchester, from deputy fire chief at $146.55 a week to assistant fire chief (in charge of Fire Fighting Force) at $165.71 a week.

John E. Clougherty, 94 Washington street, Charlestown, from deputy fire chief at $146.55 a week to assistant fire chief (in charge of Fire Fighting Force) at $165.71 a week.

Patrick E. Collins, 34 Claymoss road, Brighton, from assistant fire chief (in charge of Firefighting Force) at $165.71 a week to assistant fire chief (in charge of Firefighting Force) at $165.71 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Reginald F. Dunn, 27 Clare avenue, Roslindale, from assistant chef at $90.50 a week to senior assistant chef at $94 a week.

Richard K. Boyle, 221 Dudley street, Roxbury, from assistant chef at $90.50 a week to senior assistant chef at $94 a week.

Angelo A. Attardo, 558 East Sixth street, South Boston, from hospital medical worker at $45.50 a week to elevator operator at $45.50 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Bridge-Tunnel Division.

Stanley L. McQuiggan, 4 Lamartine place, Jamaica Plain, from tollman-guard (permanent intermittent) at $65.50 a week to tollman-guard at $65.50 a week.

William H. O'Brien, Jr., 15 Logan Way, South Boston, from tollman-guard (permanent intermittent) at $65.50 a week to tollman-guard at $65.50 a week.

Highway Division.

Patrick J. Dillon, 433 Columbus avenue, from highway construction inspector (permanent intermittent) at $76.50 a week to highway construction inspector at $76.50 a week.

Sanitary Division.

Arthur H. Connor, 155 Garfield avenue, Hyde Park, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $58 a week to heavy motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week.

Survey Division.

Philip A. Moynahan, 16 Wallingford road, Brighton, from junior engineer aid at $58 a week to senior engineer aid (temporary) at $63 a week.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Bernice V. Sage, 25 Perrin street, Roxbury, from statistical machine operator (temporary) at $45.50 a week to statistical machine operator at $45.50 a week.

Promotions.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

Ernest W. Roulston, 23 Summer street, West Roxbury, from clerk and typist at $55.25 a week to senior clerk and typist (temporary) at $58 a week.

Transfers.

AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

James P. Kelly, Jr., 175 Fuller street, Dorchester, from Boston Retirement Board as senior account clerk at $63 a week to Auditing Department as senior account clerk at $63 a week.

Francis X. O'Brien, 7 Cherokee street, Roxbury, from Health Department (Registry Division) as senior clerk and typist at $63 a week to Auditing Department as senior clerk and typist at $63 a week.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

Edward J. Flynn, 5 Emrose terrace, Dorchester, from Hospital Department as male nurse at $68 a week to Penal Institutions Department (House of Correction) as hospital supervisor at $73 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Michael J. DeMaggio, 42 Spring street, from Metropolitan District Commission as laborer at $57.47 a week to Public Works Department (Water Division) as laborer at $53 a week.

Michael P. Kelley, 925 Parker street, Roxbury, from Public Works Department (Sanitary Division) as laborer at $58 a week to Public Works Department (Water Division) as laborer at $58 a week.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Collecting Division.

Joseph S. Cataldo, 41 Condor street, East Boston, from Library Department as clerk and messenger at $53 a week to Treasury Department (Collecting Division) as clerk and typist at $48 a week.

Leaves of Absence.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

John E. Downey, 141 Brooks street, Brighton, inside wireman, $97.51 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Health Division.

Marie Gately, 19 Pines road, Revere, Director of Public Health Education, $103.50 a week.

Helen B. Ring, 69 Stanton road, Brookline, stenographer, $54.86 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Mary McChesney, 47 Semont road, Dorchester, hospital laundry worker, $55.50 a week.

Louise Walsh, 37 Worcester square, hospital kitchen worker, $50.50 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

Hazelle Ferguson, 41 Curve street, West Newton, assistant superintendent and instructor of nurses, $94 a week.

Katherine Morris, 115 Welles avenue, Dorchester, head nurse, $87 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Sanitary Division.

David P. Harrington, 23 O'Connell road, Dorchester, senior account clerk, $63 a week.

Step-Rate Increases.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Complaints Division.

Robert J. Jones, senior clerk and typist (temporary), from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Samuel R. Goodwin, supervisor of complaints (temporary), from $90.50 to $94 a week.

Winifred R. McDonough, head clerk (temporary), from $83.50 to $87 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Floor Nurses.

	From	To
Barbara Hennessy,	$63.00	$65.50
Frances Knight,	63.00	65.50
Helen Kulesza,	60.00	63.00
Gertrude I. Macauley,	65.50	68.00
Nancy McCann,	60.50	63.00
Deborah McClure,	65.50	68.00
Joan Murphy,	63.00	65.50
Rita M. Roche,	60.50	63.00
Jane Stoelzel,	63.00	65.50
Lorraine Taylor,	60.50	63.00
Ann M. Tierney,	60.50	63.00
Barbara Wilkins,	60.50	63.00
Carolyn Rutherford,	65.50	68.00

Head Nurses.

Margaret Manning,	$73.00	$76.50
Vera Sedach,	73.00	76.50
Marion E. Wray,	68.00	70.50

Floor Nurses, Part Time.

Helen Giroux,	$1.60	$1.65
Dolores Alleyne,	1.50	1.60
Florence Ness,	1.50	1.60
Irene Picarsky,	1.50	1.60
Dorothy Waters,	1.65	1.70
Pauline LeBel,	1.50	1.60

Hospital House Workers.

William T. Rowe,	$43.00	$45.50
Francis Clark,	43.00	45.50
Prisco DiPietro,	43.00	45.50
William Kedian,	45.50	48.00
Alfred Mason, Jr.,	48.00	50.50
Theodore Thomas,	43.00	45.50

Floor Nurses.

Virginia Agrella,	$63.00	$65.50
Audrey Coleman,	60.50	63.00
Lois Curley,	63.00	65.50
Eleanor Dougan,	60.50	63.00
Patricia Driscoll,	60.50	63.00
Anna Harrington,	60.50	63.00
Joan Hartigan,	63.00	65.50
Patricia Keefe,	63.00	65.50

Hospital Medical Workers.

William F. Rowell,	$43.00	$45.50
Thomas D. Walsh,	45.50	48.00
Marie Agostina,	45.50	48.00
Edith Cabral,	48.00	50.50
Anna Carey,	48.00	50.50
Helen Couturier,	50.50	53.00
Anna M. Coyle,	48.00	50.50
Barbara M. Davey,	50.50	53.00
Helen R. Foley,	48.00	50.50
Alice Gimilaro,	45.50	48.00
Edith Roberts,	48.00	50.50

	From	To
Josephine Scholfield,	$45.50	$48.00
Mary A. Staunton,	48.00	50.50
Catherine McFarlane,	45.50	48.00
Mary Concannon,	48.00	50.50
Hilda Behnke,	48.00	50.50
Louise F. Moore,	43.00	45.50
Mary J. Manifaee,	43.00	45.50
Vera McDonough,	43.00	45.50
Priscilla Mayne,	43.00	45.50
Mary E. O'Connell	43.00	45.50

Dorothy Smith, housemother, from $60.50 to $63.00 a week.

Jeremiah F. Rohan, senior hospital house worker, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Bettina Jones, laboratory technician (temporary), from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Vivian T. LaGassey, senior X-ray technician, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Anna R. Ribbey, hospital laundry worker, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Catherine Donnelly, hospital laundry worker, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

Mary McDermott, hospital kitchen worker, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

Roseann Schomer, medical social worker, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Charlotte Carlz, supervisor of nurses, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Eleanor Kearney, supervisor of nurses, from $87 to $90.50 a week.

Alice Cotter, clerk and typist, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Edward A. Doherty, clerk, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

John Kilday, senior clerk, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Joyce A. Reardon, clerk and typist, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

John Curley, hospital mechanical repairman, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Richard Bishop, first class steam fireman, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Cleopatra Anton, head nurse, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Ann DeLorey, head nurse, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Bernice Kleinlein, floor nurse, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Julia Kulessa, head nurse, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Elizabeth O'Donnell, floor nurse, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Eileen C. Browne Rull, floor nurse, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Elizabeth Flynn, senior clerk and typist, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Barbara Lenehan, clerk and typist, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Long Island Division.

Eileen M. Foley, hospital house worker, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

House of Correction.

William E. Belanger, correction officer, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

John R. Hoban, deputy master (temporary), from $94 to $98.75 a week.

George F. O'Halloran, assistant deputy master, from $87 to $90.50 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Bridge Division.

Owen McGrail, assistant drawtender, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Edward E. Roach, first assistant drawtender, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Highway Division.

Patrick J. Sullivan, motor equipment operator and laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Sanitary Division.

Edward J. Fitzgerald, district foreman, street cleaning and waste collector, from $83.50 to $87 a week.

Frederick Blesedell, laborer, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

Charles M. Khoshabjian, laborer, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

Michael J. DeMarco, laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

John J. O'Brien, laborer, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

Gregory J. Connolly, telephone operator, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Sewer Division.

Reginald Sherry, yardmaster, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Thomas J. MacNevin, laborer, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

Joseph W. Harkins, sewer construction inspector, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Sumner Tunnel.

Ernest DeForge, tollman guard, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Edwin McDonough, tollman guard, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Francis X. Chaisson, tollman guard, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Leon Jackson, tollman guard, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

VETERANS' SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Joseph G. McDonald, social worker, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Water Division.

Michael F. DeNapoli, water service repairman, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Roger W. Dennehey, water service maintenance man, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Alfred A. Osterman, water service inspector, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Carmine Salvucci, water service maintenance man, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

MUNICIPAL COURT OF BOSTON.

Francis J. Burke, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Jessie J. Flanagan, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Catherine M. Cavanaugh, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Ethel M. Costello, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

MUNICIPAL COURT, ROXBURY DISTRICT.

John F. Aspell, clerk of court, from $318 to $349.09 semimonthly.

MUNICIPAL COURT, DORCHESTER DISTRICT.

James D. Ryan, court officer, from $147.90 to $153.34 semimonthly.

EAST BOSTON DISTRICT COURT.

William H. Barker, clerk, from $287.10 to $297.43 semimonthly.

WEST ROXBURY COURT.

Frank J. Garrity, senior probation officer, from $4,600 to $4,800 a year.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following requests:

BOSTON RETIREMENT BOARD.

Jerry R. Colella, senior pension examiner, 30 hours at $3 an hour; Marice C. Crowley, principal account clerk, six hours at $3 an hour; M. Stephen McCrann, disability pension analyst, 16 hours at $3 an hour; Daniel F. Moynihan, principal pension examiner, 9 hours at $3 an hour.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

Charles H. King, senior traffic investigator, 39 hours.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Ralph J. Goslin, 8 hours at $3 an hour.

VETERANS' RETIREMENTS.

The Mayor has approved the following veterans' applications for retirement:

James D. Carroll, 120 Brookway road, Roslindale, gardener, Parks and Recreation Department.

Wilbur S. West, 122 Bowdoin street, environmental sanitation inspector (food), Health Department.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award the contracts for work, materials, and supplies, in accordance with recommendations of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Purchasing Division.

Upon October 7 the Mayor approved a contract with Waldo Brothers Company for furnishing structural tile to the Parks and Recreation Department. Approximate total amount of contract was $1,887.20, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bid, opened September 14, was as follows:

Requisition No. 882.

Structural Tile.

Item 1. 7,000 Clear Ivory Structural Tile, 1¾ Inches x 11¾ Inches x 5 1/16 Inches, Soap, Select Quality, Natco Corporation Catalogue No. 6TCA, Natco, or Equal, Each.—Waldo Brothers Company, 21.56 cents, Natco, No. 6PCA.*

Item 2. 600 Clear Ivory Structural Tile, 1¾ Inches x 11¾ Inches x 5 1/16 Inches, Bullnose, Select Quality, Natco Corporation Catalogue No. 6T4A, Natco or Equal, Each.—Waldo Brothers Company, 37.8 cents, Natco, No. 6T4A.*

Item 3. 400 Clear Ivory Structural Tile, 3¾ Inches x 11¾ Inches x 5 1/16 Inches, Bullnose, Select Quality, Natco Corporation Catalogue No. 6T4B, Natco, or Equal, Each.—Waldo Brothers Company, 37.8 cents, Natco, No. 6T4B.*

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—Waldo Brothers Company, 2 weeks.

Discount.—Waldo Brothers Company, 2 per cent, time of payment.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon October 10 the Mayor approved a contract as requested in the following letter:

BOSTON, September 22, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

Attached is tabulation of bids received on proposals for furnishing rock salt to the various city departments, from October 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, inclusive. These bids were publicly opened and read in this office on September 16, 1955.

No acceptable bids were received on Item 1; this item will be readvertised at a later date inasmuch as all bids received will be rejected. Authority is requested to award a contract for Item 2 to Thomas

F. Culkeen, the lowest responsive bidder, at the price indicated on the accompanying tabulation.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $6,875, net.

Respectfully yours,

EUGENE K. WELSH,
Acting Purchasing Agent.

Bids were as follows:

Rock Salt.

Item 1. Approximately 6,000 Tons Rock Salt, To Be Delivered as Requested.—Bids rejected.

Item 2. Approximately 5,500 Bags Rock Salt, 100-Pound Multi-wall Paper Bags, Per Bag.—Atlantic Salt Company, $1.31; Thomas F. Culkeen, $1.25*; Eastern Salt Company, $1.31; Chemical Corporation, $1.19, f.o.b. Boston warehouse, in 5-ton lots or more (*see* alternate under Remarks).

Discount.—Atlantic Salt Company, net, 30 days, no discount; Thomas F. Culkeen, net; Eastern Minerals, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Eastern Salt Company, net, 30 days, from date of invoice, no discount; Chemical Corporation, net, 30 days.

Remarks.— Atlantic Salt Company, prices quoted will remain firm during the winter season, which is generally agreed as ending March 31, 1956, if bid is accepted within 30 days after opening date, the rock salt we propose to furnish is produced within the limits of the United States of America and by American labor; Thomas F. Culkeen, the rock salt we furnish is produced within the limits of the United States of America and by American labor; Eastern Minerals, Inc., bid late at Auditor's office; Eastern Salt Company, this price is based on delivery of 100 bags to one address, for smaller quantities delivered, we quote: 40 bags to one address, $1.36; 20 bags to one address, $1.45 (no deliveries less than 20 bags), this quotation will remain firm through the period ending March 31, 1956, if accepted and acknowledged by letter, purchase order, or contract within 30 days following bid opening date, attention is invited to the fact that the rock salt furnished is produced in the United States of America by American labor; Chemical Corporation, alternate Item 2, LCL deliveries: *A*, 100-pound paper bags f.o.b. Boston warehouse, 5 tons or over, $1.19 per hundredweight; *B*, LCL delivered schedule (100-pound paper bags): 1–19 bags, $1.57 per hundredweight; 1-ton lots, $1.45 per hundredweight; 2-ton lots, $1.36 per hundredweight; 5-ton lots and up, $1.31 per hundredweight; all prices quoted will be firm for the duration of the contract ending March 31, 1956, subject to notification of acceptance or rejection of quotation within 30 days; the purchaser will benefit from any decrease in price.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon October 10 the Mayor approved a contract as requested in the following letter:

BOSTON, October 5, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

Attached is tabulation of bids received on proposals for furnishing sand spreaders and crane to the Public Works Department. These bids were publicly opened and read in this office on September 15, 1955.

Authority is requested to award Item 1 and Item 2 to G. A. Sandberg, doing business as Sandberg Equipment Company, the lowest bidder, at the prices indicated on the accompanying tabulation. Item 3 will be awarded at a later date.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $26,075, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Respectfully yours,

EUGENE K. WELSH,
Acting Purchasing Agent.

Bids were as follows:

Requisition No. G-499.

Item 1. Sixteen New, Latest Model, Sand Spreaders, As Per Specifications, Baughman, Model ASK 4 SC, 8 Feet Long.

List Price.—Clark-Wilcox Company, $34,128; Perkins-Milton Company, Inc., $27,872; Sandberg Equipment Company, $26,000.*

Less Trade-in Allowance.—Clark-Wilcox Company, $6,928; Perkins-Milton Company, Inc., $800; Sandberg Equipment Company, $4,800.

Total Delivered Price.—Clark-Wilcox Company, $27,200; Perkins-Milton Company, Inc., $27,972; Sandberg Equipment Company, $21,200.

Less 2 Per Cent Discount.—Sandberg Equipment Company, $424.

Net Total Delivered Price.—Clark-Wilcox Company, $27,200; Perkins-Milton Company, Inc., *see* proposal; Sandberg Equipment Company, $20,776.

Make and Model Bid Upon.—Clark-Wilcox Company, Torrey, 4½ yards, Nobscot Model; Perkins-Milton Company, Inc., Highway, Model F, *see* proposal; Sandberg Equipment Company, Baughman, Model ASK-4.

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—Clark-Wilcox Company, 8 weeks; Perkins-Milton Company, Inc., *see* proposal; Sandberg Equipment Company, 30 to 40 days from factory after receipt of order.

Requisition No. G-499.

Item 2. Three New, Latest Model, Sand Spreaders, 10 Feet Long, As Per Specifications, Baughman.

List Price.—Clark-Wilcox Company, $6,600; Perkins-Milton Company, Inc., $5,226; Sandberg Equipment Company, $5,475.*

Less Trade-in Allowance.—Clark-Wilcox Company, $900; Perkins-Milton Company, Inc., $100; Sandberg Equipment Company, $600.*

Total Delivered Price.—Clark-Wilcox Company, $5,700; Perkins-Milton Company, Inc., $5,126; Sandberg Equipment Company, $4,875.*

Less 2 Per Cent Discount.—Perkins-Milton Company, Inc., *see* proposal; Sandberg Equipment Company, $97.50.

Net Total Delivered Price.—Clark-Wilcox Company, $5,709; Perkins-Milton Company, Inc., *see* proposal; Sandberg Equipment Company, $4,777.50.

Make and Model Bid Upon.—Clark-Wilcox Company, Torrey, 5½ yards, Nobscot Model; Perkins-Milton Company, Inc., Highway, Model F, *see* proposal; Sandberg Equipment Company, Baughman, Model ASK-4.

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—Clark-Wilcox Company, 8 weeks; Perkins-Milton Company, Inc., *see* proposal; Sandberg Equipment Company, 40 to 30 days from factory after receipt of order.

Requisition No. G-501.

Item 3. One New, Latest Model, Self-Propelled, Rubber-Mounted Crane, As Per Specifications, Unit Model 357, or Equal.

List Price.—Builders' Equipment and Supplies Company, $21,060; Powered Equipment Corporation, $21,415; Sandberg Equipment Company, $17,138*; L. A. Whitney Company, Inc., $16,525.

Less Trade-in Allowance.—Builders' Equipment and Supplies Company, $2,000; Powered Equipment Corporation, $3,415; Sandberg Equipment Company, $1,800; L. A. Whitney Company, Inc., $2,000.

Total Delivered Price.—Builders' Equipment and Supplies Company, $19,060; Powered Equipment Corporation, $18,000; Sandberg Equipment Company, $15,338; L. A. Whitney Company, Inc., $14,525.

Less 2 Per Cent Discount.—Builders' Equipment and Supplies Company, $381.20; Powered Equipment Corporation, $360; Sandberg Equipment Company, $306.76; L. A. Whitney Company, Inc., net, 30 days.

Net Total Delivered Price.—Builders' Equipment and Supplies Company, $18,678.80; Powered Equipment Corporation, $17,610; Sandberg Equipment Company, $15,031.24; L. A. Whitney Company, Inc., $14,525.

Make and Model Bid Upon.—Builders' Equipment and Supplies Company, Model 20; Powered Equipment Corporation, Lorain, SP110; Sandberg Equipment Company, Unit Model 357; L. A. Whitney Company, Inc., Orton Model 3E, Torque Control.

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—Builders' Equipment and Supplies Company, 2 weeks after receipt of order subject to prior sale; Powered Equipment Corporation, 2 to 3 weeks after receipt of order; Sandberg Equipment Company, 1 week from factory after receipt of order; L. A. Whitney Company, Inc., 2 to 4 months, subject to our ability to secure material.

Remarks.—Builders' Equipment and Supplies Company, *see* letter and catalogue attached to proposal; Clark-Wilcox Company, no cash discount will be allowed on this bid; Perkins-Milton Company, Inc., quotations are subject to acceptance within 21 days from date of quotations, thereafter, prices are subject to change without notice, *see* proposal and catalogues attached to bid; Sandberg Equipment Company, *see* letter and catalogue attached to proposal; on Item 3, price subject to change after September 29, 1955; L. A. Whitney Company, Inc., *see* attached proposal for additions and supplementals.

* Contract awarded.

BOSTON HOUSING AUTHORITY.

Upon October 19 the Mayor approved a contract with Kabot Painting Company for exterior painting work in the Hyde Park, Roslindale, and Readville district of Boston. Bid, opened Wednesday, October 5, was as follows: Kabot Painting Company, $17,622.

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Upon October 21 the Mayor approved a contract with Construction Coatings of New Bedford for exterior painting work of 46 wood frame houses. Bids, opened Tuesday, October 11, were as follows:

Construction Coatings of New Bedford, $10,000; Kabot Painting Company, $11,010.

Upon October 24 the Mayor approved a contract with Frank B. Curry Company for installation of counter tops in 272 kitchens. Bids, opened Monday, October 17, were as follows:

Frank B. Curry Company.—Type A, $88.73; Type B, $93.85; Type C, $94.72; Type D, $90.85; plywood, $72.

Martin J. Kelly Company.—Type A, $96; Type B, $100; Type C, $108; Type D, $108; plywood, $520.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Long Island Division.

Upon October 24, the Mayor approved a contract with C-W Boiler Works for repairs to boilers, Long Island Hospital. Bids, opened Thursday, September 15, were as follows:

C-W Boiler Works, $1,620; Hodge Boiler Works, $1,840; Daniel Russell Boiler Works, $1,985.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Upon October 19 the Mayor approved a contract with the DiMascio Brothers & Co. for sewerage works in Guest street and outlet in private land, Brighton, at an estimated cost of $21,488.50. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed January 28, 1956. The following bids were received October 13:

DiMascio Brothers & Co., $21,488.50; Edward Vozzella, $26,560; Z & S Construction Company, Inc., $24,884; N. Bevilacqua & Son, $29,460; P. DiMascio, Inc., $29,540; R. A. Buccella & Sons, Inc., $30,149; Joseph Capone & Son, $31,970; H. DiTullio & Sons, Inc., $33,395; Roslindale Contracting Company, $36,681; C. Russo, Inc., $48,670.

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Upon October 21 the Mayor approved a contract with Z. & S. Construction Company, Inc., for sewerage works in Violet street, Dorchester, at an estimated cost of $3,936. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed December 31, 1955. The following bids were received October 14:

Z. & S. Construction Company, Inc., $3,936; N. Bevilacqua & Son, $4,537.40; G. & F. Construction Company, $4,649.02; E. Susi & Williams Corporation, $5,119.50; Edward Vozzella, $5,189.50; Joseph Capone & Son, $5,403; C. Russo, Inc., $8,152.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

Upon varying dates as indicated the Mayor approved contracts with contractors for labor, furnishing supplies, etc. Communications from heads of the departments interested were as follows:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Purchasing Division.

BOSTON, October 14, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This department is in receipt of an emergency requisition from the Boston City Hospital for one Model 16, CO2, IR analyzer with microcatheter cell and one special patch cord for Sanborn Recorder for use in treatment of polio patients. This unit is available only from the Liston-Becker Plant, Beckman Division, Beckman Instruments, Inc., Springdale, Connecticut.

It is respectfully requested that permission be granted to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without advertisement, to the Liston-Becker Plant, Beckman Division, Beckman Instruments, Inc., Springdale, Connecticut.

The total amount of contract will be $1,120, net, 30 days, f.o.b. Stamford, Connecticut.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, October 14, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This department is in receipt of a requisition from the Boston City Hospital for one electromygraph, Model No. 201AB, console with chronaximeter for use in treatment of polio patients. The unit requested is manufactured only by the Meditron Company, Pasadena, California.

It is respectfully requested that permission be granted to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without advertisement, to the Meditron Company for immediate delivery of this item.

The total amount of contract will be $1,450, less 2 per cent for payment in 10 days.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, October 17, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

On October 10, 1955, your Honor approved a letter to award a contract to G. A. Sandberg, doing business as Sandberg Equipment Company, for Items 1 and 2 of a publicly opened bid of September 15, 1955. Item 3 was to be awarded at a later date after a thorough check on specifications for same.

Permission is now requested to award a contract on Item 3, one self-propelled crane, to the lowest bidder meeting specifications, G. A. Sandberg, doing business as Sandberg Equipment Company.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $17,138; less trade-in allowance on one (1) used crane, $1,800—$15,338; less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, October 17, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office is in receipt of a requisition from the Boston City Hospital Division of the Hospital Department for the immediate delivery of radium and radium handling equipment. Radium Chemical Company, Inc., the sole supplier for this equipment, has submitted an informal written quotation.

Authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to Radium Chemical Company, Inc. It is my opinion that in this way the best interests of the city will be served.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $1,104.25, net.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, October 17, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office is in receipt of a requisition from the Water Division of the Public Works Department for twenty (20) Smith tapping sleeves, various sizes. The A. P. Smith Manufacturing Company of East Orange, New Jersey, manufacturer of these sleeves, has submitted an informal written quotation.

Authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to the A. P. Smith Manufacturing Company for twenty (20) Smith tapping sleeves, various sizes. It is my opinion that, in this way, the best interests of the city will be served.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $1,145.70, less one half of one per cent discount for payment within 10 days, 30 days, net.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, October 17, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office is in receipt of a requisition from the Sumner Tunnel of the Public Works Department for two (2) Taller & Cooper four contract treadles. Taller & Cooper, Inc., the manufacturer of these treadles, has submitted a written quotation.

Inasmuch as Taller & Cooper, Inc., is the manufacturer of this particular equipment and is the sole supplier, authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to this company. It is my opinion that, in this way, the best interests of the city will be served.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $1,500, net.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

BOSTON, October 19, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The School Committee has requested the installation of a special class in cooking at the Hugh O'Brien School. Due to the necessity of having this class in operation immediately, I sent out invitation bids to five reputable plumbing concerns and am in receipt of the following proposals:

Gerald J. Vallati, $1,140; H. J. Lyons, $1,168; D. J. Rull, $1,179; J. P. O'Hearn, $1,235; J. M. McCusker Company, $1,275.

That the plumbing work may be started forthwith in order to have this class in operation as soon as possible, your Honor's permission is requested to

dispense with public advertising and on the basis of the above bids, award a contract, without advertising, to Gerald J. Vallati Company, 1654 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, Mass., for plumbing work at the above school, in the amount not to exceed eleven hundred forty (1,140) dollars.

Respectfully yours,

EDWARD M. O'FLAHERTY,
Superintendent of Construction

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, October 17, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.
DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The Trustees of the Public Library respectfully request the approval of your Honor for the award of a contract, without public advertising, to Paul E. Dutelle & Co., Inc., 153 Pearl street, Newton, for certain roof repairs at the West End Branch Library.

Due to the fact that the extent of the work needed to be done cannot be known until repairs are in progress it is not possible to write specifications for the work. The metal cornice is secured to an original wood cornice. In making repairs to the metal cornice it will be necessary also to determine the condition of the old wood cornice underneath and, where needed, to replace rotted wood blocking.

For this work the trustees have selected Paul E. Dutelle & Co., Inc., who, in addition to being roofers, have the facilities to fabricate the new cornice work in their own sheet metal shop.

The trustees have therefore taken the following action to award the contract:

"*Voted*, That there be entered into, without public advertising, with Paul E. Dutelle & Co., Inc., 153 Pearl street, Newton, Mass., a contract for certain roof repairs at the West End Branch Library, in an amount not to exceed three thousand dollars ($3,000)."

Inasmuch as the total cost for the roof repairs will exceed one thousand dollars ($1,000), there is respectfully requested permission of your Honor to enter into this contract, without publicly advertising for bids.

Respectfully,

THE TRUSTEES OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY OF THE CITY OF BOSTON,

by MILTON E. LORD,
Director.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, October 19, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.
DEAR SIR:

During past years, as an off-season project, we have been generally able to clean the catch basins on our parkways with our own help. This year we are using every available man cleaning up and repairing damage caused by the recent floods. This will have to continue for some time, thereby forcing us to have the catch-basin cleaning done by contract.

In order to have this work started as soon as possible, we have asked William J. Banfield, 50 Terminal street, Charlestown, a contractor who has the necessary equipment and experience to do this type of work, to submit prices. He has offered to clean the catch basins at a price of two dollars and twenty cents ($2.20) a cubic yard of material removed, which includes the cost of all labor, equipment, and the furnishing of dumps. This is the same price that the Public Works Department is paying the low bidder on their last publicly advertised contract for this type of work.

We feel this price to be fair and reasonable, that nothing would be gained by publicly advertising, and that it would be in the best interests of the city to negotiate a contract on this basis.

In view of all this, I respectfully request that I be given permission to award a contract, without publicly advertising, to William J. Banfield, 50 Terminal street, Charlestown, Mass., for cleaning catch basins in any park roadways in the City of Boston at the unit price quoted above. The total cost, which is not to exceed six thousand (6,000) dollars, to be charged to "Parks and Recreation Department, Budget Item 299."

Respectfully yours,

FRANK R. KELLEY,
Commissioner.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

J. A. Susi & Sons, Inc., have been directed to perform the following extra work under the contract for sheet asphalt pavement in Poplar street and West street, dated June 21, 1955:

In Poplar street, construct concrete retaining wall at new line of Poplar street, from Hautevale street approximately 100 feet southwesterly. Approximately 18 cubic yards of concrete are required and the price to be paid is $35 per cubic yard. This price is to include all necessary excavation and forms and all incidental work. Relocate existing chain link fence from existing wall to new concrete wall. Provide new posts, use existing rails and fabric. There is approximately 100 feet of fence to be relocated and the price to be paid is $2 per foot.

Estimated cost of extra work, $830.

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J. D'Amico, Inc., has been directed to perform the following extra work under the contract for bituminous concrete pavement in Bowditch road, extended approximately 250 feet westerly, dated June 29, 1955:

Remodel one catch basin at $50. Remove one 30-inch stump at $50. Deliver 5 linear feet of new circular edgestone to Child Street paving yard at $3.35 per linear foot. Nineteen cubic yards of hand excavation at $5 per cubic yard. Regrade 80 square yards of sidewalk at 20 cents per square yard. Reset 88 linear feet of edgestone at $1 per linear foot.

Estimated cost of extra work, $315.75.

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J. D'Amico, Inc., has been directed to perform the following extra work under the contract for bituminous concrete pavement in Ansonia road, Bowditch road, Cricket Lane, Highfield road, Ledgewood road, and Searle road, dated October 5, 1954:

In Cricket Lane, Ledgewood road southeasterly, northeasterly, and northwesterly approximately 800 feet, remove two stumps, with an average diameter of 18 inches, at $25 each, and remove four stumps, with an average diameter of 12 inches, at $15 each.

Estimated cost of extra work, $110.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Emerson Electrical Manufacturing Company for electrical work at various schools, from September 30, 1955, to November 30, 1955. This extension was requested because of delay in obtaining fixtures.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Richard Moore Company for roofing work at Jamaica Plain High School, from October 15, 1955, to December 31, 1955. This extension was requested because of delay in receiving copper materials.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Industrial Welding Company for repairing and replacing of parts of fire escapes and the incidental work in connection with same at various schools, from October 1, 1955, to November 15, 1955. This extension was requested because deliveries of steel stock necessary for this work were delayed because of shortage.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with M. Solimando for the construction of a playground, etc., at the Roxbury Memorial High School for Girls (Lewis District), from October 1, 1955, to November 1, 1955. This extension was requested because an encountered ledge had to be drilled and removed rather than blasted.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with J. D'Amico, Inc., 49 Ellison avenue, Dorchester, for bituminous concrete pavement in Ansonia road, Cricket Lane, Highfield road, Ledgewood road, and Searle road, from September 30, 1955, to December 31, 1955. This extension was requested because the contractor was delayed by inclement weather.

CHANGE IN CONTRACT.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

J. A. Singarella Company has been directed to make the following omission and substitution in the contract for redecking and repairing the Summer Street Bridge over A street, B street, and C street, dated April 27, 1955:

Under Item 10, omit 5,000 pounds of structural steel at 23 cents per pound, $1,150.

Remove approximately 400 square yards of bituminous concrete sidewalks from the upstream sidewalk of the Summer Street Bridge, at agreed price of $1 per square yard, $400; replace preceding material with approximately 75 tons of bituminous concrete, to be furnished and placed as directed, under Item 22, at $10 per ton, $750—$1,150.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, October 17, 1955.

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 2 P.M., President HURLEY in the chair, and all the members present.

The Reverend William D. Keenan, of St. Thomas Aquinas Roman Catholic Church, Jamaica Plain, was escorted to the rostrum.

INVOCATION
BY REV. WILLIAM D. KEENAN.

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost. Amen.

Direct, O Lord, all our actions by Thy holy inspiration and by Thy gracious assistance that every prayer and work of ours may always begin with Thee and by Thee be happily ended. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost. Amen.

The meeting was opened with the salute to the Flag.

APPOINTMENTS BY THE MAYOR.

Subject to confirmation by the Council, the Mayor submitted the following appointments:

Weighers of Coal for the term ending April 30, 1956: Jean Williamson, 110 Murdock street, Brighton; Edward Novick, 350 Seaver street, Dorchester; Gloria Rizzatto, 91 West Cottage street, Dorchester.

Severally referred to the Committee on Confirmations.

SURVEY OF TRAFFIC CONDITIONS ON DRAPER STREET, DORCHESTER.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, October 13, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Traffic Commissioner concerning your order of October 3, 1955, relative to a survey being made of the traffic conditions on Draper street, Dorchester, with a view to making that street one way from Bowdoin street to Homes avenue, and the possibility of permitting the parking of cars on both sides of the street.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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Boston Traffic Commission,
October 11, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.
Dear Mr. Mayor:

With reference to Council order dated October 3, 1955, requesting that a survey be made of traffic conditions in Draper street, Dorchester, with a view to making it one way from Bowdoin street to Homes avenue, I wish to report that we have found from experience that it is best to have an expression of opinion from the residents of the street before enactment of such a regulation.

In the past we have acted upon the request of individuals only to find that a majority of the residents of the street object to the change and for that reason have adopted the policy of acting chiefly in response to petitions.

It is doubtful that we would look with favor on permitting the parking of cars on both sides of this street. However, if the residents wish the street to be made one way, I feel that the board would be inclined to conform to their request.

Respectfully yours,
WM. ARTHUR REILLY, Commissioner.

Placed on file.

ELECTION IN FIRE DEPARTMENT TO DETERMINE BARGAINING UNIT.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, October 13, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Fire Commissioner relative to your resolution of October 3, 1955, concerning an election within 30 days of the resolution for the purpose of determining a bargaining unit in the Boston Fire Department.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Fire Department, October 10, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.
Sir:

I have given consideration to the resolution adopted in City Council on October 3, 1955, where it is desired that an election within 30 days of the resolution be held for the purpose of determining a bargaining unit in the Boston Fire Department.

It would be inadvisable to hold any election on such a weighty matter inasmuch as there are a great number of men on vacation at all times during the limited period mentioned in the order. It would be a grave trespass upon the rights of any firefighter to hold an election at this time when he is necessarily absent because of the vacation schedule over which he has no control.

Very truly yours,
FRANCIS X. COTTER,
Fire Commissioner.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

PLAYGROUND FACILITIES AT CLIFFORD AND STANBRO STREETS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, October 13, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation concerning your order of August 1, 1955, relative to converting city-owned land at the corner of Clifford street and Stanbro street, Hyde Park, into playground facilities for local residents.

Respectfully
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston
Parks and Recreation Department,
October 10, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.
Dear Sir:

This will acknowledge attached memo from Mayor's office with attached City Council order requesting that the Park Commissioner study the possibility of converting city-owned land at the corner of Clifford street and Stanbro street in Hyde Park into playground facilities for local residents.

A report received from the chief engineer today indicates that this particular piece of property recently changed hands and is now under the control of the Metropolitan District Commission of the Commonwealth. This request should be taken up with that department.

Very truly yours,
FRANK R. KELLEY, Commissioner.

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OPPOSITION TO VARIANCE IN ZONING OF LOT, SOUTH BOSTON.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, October 17, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Chairman of the Board of Appeal relative to your order of August 29, 1955, concerning variance in the zoning of lot bounded by East First and East Second streets and Farragut road in South Boston.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Building Department, September 16, 1955.

To: Hon. John B. Hynes, Mayor.
From: Merton P. Ellis, Chairman, Board of Appeal.
Subject: Councillor Foley, McCormack, and Kerrigan's order of August 29, 1955, attached.

Consideration and report requested from office of the Mayor.

This communication was sent to Board of Zoning Adjustment Chairman, dated September 1, 1955.

Case is before Building Department, Board of Appeal, as 925 East First street Ward 6. (Albany Garage Corporation, appellant.

Case still under consideration by the Board of Appeal, Building Department.

MERTON P. ELLIS, Chairman.

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SURVEY OF TRAFFIC CONDITIONS AT FAIRMOUNT AND OGDEN STREETS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, October 17, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Traffic Commissioner relative to your order of September 12, 1955, concerning traffic conditions at Fairmount and Ogden streets, Dorchester, with a view to constructing a traffic island.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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Boston Traffic Commission,
October 14, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.
Dear Mr. Mayor:

With reference to a City Council order of September 12 requesting a survey of traffic conditions at Fairmount and Ogden streets, Dorchester with a view to constructing a traffic island, I submit the following preliminary report.

The roadway width across Fairmount and Ogden street is 70 feet and a plan is being prepared for a traffic island at this location which will be submitted to the Public Improvement Commission.

This island should improve traffic conditions in the area and facilitate the pedestrian crossing.

As a further means of relieving traffic conditions at this intersection it is believed that Ogden street might be made one way from Wilmington avenue to Washington street.

Some time ago we had a request that Wilmington avenue be made one way from Nevada street to Ogden street, but no further petition was received from the residents so that action was not taken in response to that request.

We are now undertaking a survey of the residents of Ogden street to determine whether or not the residents would accept the making of this street one way from Wilmington avenue to Washington street, and if there is not substantial opposition this regulation will be enacted and provide some immediate relief.

The installation of a traffic island at this time of year might not be accomplished so quickly but in due course of time both activities will be completed.

Respectfully yours
WM. ARTHUR REILLY, Commissioner.

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FUTURE DISTRIBUTION OF SALK VACCINE.

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor, October 17, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Health Commissioner relative to your resolution of September 12, 1955, concerning future distribution of Salk vaccine in Boston.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor

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City of Boston,
Health Department, October 11, 1955.

To: Mr. Harold B. Flemming, Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.
From: John H. Cauley, M.D., Commissioner, Health Department.
Subject: Councillor McLaughlin's order of September 12, 1955.
Dear Sir:

I have had your communication of September 16, together with Councillor McLaughlin's order of September 12, pertaining to Salk vaccine distribution. There has been a delay in acknowledging this resolve of the Boston City Council by reason of the fact that the State Department of Public Health has met several times with committees on the recent outbreak of polio in Massachusetts and, likewise, a particular committee relative to the administration of polio vaccine.

The Commonwealth Advisory Committee on Polio Vaccine recently voted to delay the administration of polio vaccine, with their approval, until such time that further study has been made, and a determination in the effectiveness and the safety of the vaccine.

There has been voted by the Federal Government a grant which will be distributed to the State Department of Public Health as a sum of money in the near future to purchase vaccine and, likewise, the Commonwealth of Massachusetts has earmarked funds for additional vaccine which may be distributed to the local departments of health. The precise manner in which the City of Boston shall receive this vaccine has not been announced by the State Department of Health and, at the present time, the State Department of Public Health is delaying further recommendations until the Polio Technical Committee meets again.

From meagre information which I have at hand, which is entirely verbal, it is my understanding that the matter of the use and distribution of vaccine will be discussed at a meeting of the Technical Polio Vaccine Advisory Committee. It is my understanding that this meeting shall be in the relatively near future, but the exact date has not yet been determined.

Respectfully,
JOHN H. CAULEY, M.D.,
Health Commissioner.

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REPORT ON PLAY AREA IN VICINITY OF HALLIDAY STREET.

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor, October 13, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation concerning your order of October 3, 1955, relative to transferring of a parcel of city-owned land on Halliday street from the Real Property Department to the Parks and Recreation Department for the purpose of providing a play area for the children in that vicinity.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Parks and Recreation Department,
October 11, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.

Dear Sir:

I have your memorandum of October 5, with enclosure, City Councillor Hailer's order requesting the possibility of transferring 112,652 square feet of city-owned land on Halliday street, Ward 19, Precinct 12, from the Real Property Department to the Parks and Recreation Department for the purpose of providing a play area for the children in that vicinity.

I have instructed the chief engineer of this department to make a survey of the area to ascertain whether or not it would be suitable for a play area.

Very truly yours,
Frank R. Kelley, Commissioner.

Placed on file.

APPROPRIATION FOR OFF-STREET PARKING AT CENTRAL SQUARE, EAST BOSTON.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, October 17, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

At the request of the Real Property Board, I submit herewith an order providing for the appropriation of $30,000 from parking meter receipts to permit the construction of an off-street parking facility at Central square in East Boston.

The location involved is the site of the abandoned Cudworth School which has been transferred by the School Committee to the Real Property Department for off-street parking purposes. The lot is bounded by Gove, Paris, and Huyre streets, contains approximately 25,000 square feet, and will provide parking facilities for approximately seventy cars.

The construction of this facility should serve to reduce the parking problem now present in this busy area.

I respectfully recommend adoption of the accompanying order.

Respectfully,
J. B. Hynes, Mayor.

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 22B of chapter 40 of the General Laws as established by chapter 776 of the Acts of 1949 the sum of thirty thousand dollars ($30,000) be, and hereby is, appropriated from the special account "Parking Meter Fees," to be expended by the Real Property Department, for constructing or reconstructing and resurfacing off-street parking facilities at Central square, East Boston.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Finance.

CITY OF BOSTON — GRACE N. AZNIVE ART SCHOLARSHIP FUND.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, October 11, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

On April 3, 1952, the Boston School Department lost by death the faithful services of Miss Grace N. Aznive, who for over thirty years had given most generously of her time, energy, and devotion as an art teacher at the High School of Practical Arts and the Roslindale High School. As a memorial to her, her brothers, Albert M. Aznive of Boston, Mass., and Leon L. Aznive of Stoneham, Mass., and her nephew, Robert D. Shooshan of Manchester, Conn., have presented to the City of Boston the sum of five thousand dollars to establish the Grace N. Aznive Art Scholarship Fund.

I have this day filed with the City Clerk the written instrument signed by Messrs. Albert M. Aznive, Leon L. Aznive, and Robert D. Shooshan which formally gives the money to the city and sets forth in detail the terms and conditions of the gift. This writing makes it plain that it is the intent of the donors that the fund shall be held as a permanent fund with the income thereof used to award each year such number of Grace N. Aznive Art Scholarships of $100 each as the income will permit; that such scholarship or scholarships will be available for use only for advanced study of art during a subsequent semester in the year in which they are awarded; and that every student in every public high school in Boston who is taking a course in art at such high school and is in the class to graduate from such high school in the particular year will be eligible to compete for such scholarship or scholarships. Provision is also made by the writing for a board of managers to handle the investment of the fund and an award committee to select the awardees.

Transmitted herewith for your early adoption is an order accepting this most gracious, public-spirited gift.

Respectfully,
J. B. Hynes, Mayor.

Ordered, That the sum of five thousand dollars given, assigned, and transferred to the City of Boston by Messrs. Albert M. Aznive, Leon L. Aznive, and Robert D. Shooshan by the written instrument dated August 4, 1955, and filed with the City Clerk on October 11, 1955, which sum, by action of Messrs. Albert M. Aznive, Leon L. Aznive, and Robert D. Shooshan, is now on deposit in the Boston Five Cents Savings Bank to the credit of the City of Boston — Grace N. Aznive Art Scholarship Fund (Account No. 1322762), be, and the same hereby is, accepted with gratitude upon the trust set forth in said instrument; and further

Ordered, That the sum of twenty-five dollars also given, assigned, and transferred to the City of Boston by said instrument, which sum is also now on deposit with the Boston Five Cents Savings Bank as aforesaid, be, and the same hereby is, accepted with gratitude for the purpose stated in said instrument.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

OIL PAINTING OF "GEORGE WASHINGTON AT DORCHESTER HEIGHTS."

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, October 17, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

When my message of July 11, 1955, relative to the acquisition by the City of Boston of the oil painting by Emanuel Leutze of George Washington at Dorchester Heights was submitted to your Honorable Body, it was anticipated that the committee which had been receiving the donations of public-spirited persons for the purpose of enabling such acquisition would pay over to the city the gross amount collected and that the city, in turn, would purchase the painting and fund any balance for the care and preservation of the painting. That committee, however, itself purchased the painting in the name of the city and now tenders the bill of sale together with the surplus money which is to be funded for the care and preservation of the painting.

To keep the official records strictly accurate, I am transmitting herewith, and recommend your early adoption of, two orders, the first of which will rescind the order of July 11, 1955, and the second of which will authorize and empower the acceptance of the bill of sale as well as provide for the acceptance and funding of the surplus moneys.

Respectfully,
J. B. Hynes, Mayor.

Ordered, That the order passed by the City Council on July 11, 1955, and approved by the Mayor on July 12, 1955, relative to the acceptance and use of sums received by the Washington at Dorchester Heights Committee be, and the same hereby is, rescinded.

Ordered (1), That the Mayor be, and he hereby is, authorized and empowered to accept in the name and behalf of the City of Boston the bill of sale whereby Vose Galleries of Boston, Inc., in consideration of seventy-five hundred dollars ($7,500) paid by J. Reed Morss, treasurer, George Washington Portrait Fund, grants, sells, transfers, and delivers to the City of Boston the oil painting by Emanuel Leutze of George Washington at Dorchester Heights;

(2) That the Collector-Treasurer be, and he hereby is, authorized and empowered to accept in the name and behalf of the City of Boston from the Washington at Dorchester Heights Committee such sums as have been or may be received by said committee in excess of the amount required to purchase, transport, and insure the oil painting by Emanuel Leutze of George Washington at Dorchester Heights; and

(3) That all sums so accepted from the Washington at Dorchester Heights Committee be funded as the Washington at Dorchester Heights Fund, with all income therefrom to be added to the principal and with so much of the principal as may from time to time be necessary to be used for the care and preservation of the oil painting by Emanuel Leutze of George Washington at Dorchester Heights.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

APPROPRIATION FROM PARKMAN FUND INCOME.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, October 17, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I am in receipt of the attached communication from the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation, requesting the appropriation of $35,000 from the income of the George F. Parkman Fund, to be expended under the direction of the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation, for the Maintenance and Improvement of the Common and Parks in Existence on January 12, 1887.

The 1955 budget estimates for the personal service requirements of the Parks and Recreation Department included an estimate of the total yearly income from the George F. Parkman Fund. The budget allowances made provision for the appropriation of this income as it accrued for the purpose of defraying the cost of work actually performed on the Common and Parks in Existence on January 12, 1887.

I submit herewith an order appropriating the sum of $35,000, the accrued income now available from the Parkman Fund, and respectfully recommend its immediate passage by your Honorable Body.

Respectfully,
J. B. Hynes, Mayor.

City of Boston
Parks and Recreation Department,
October 11, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Sir:

You are respectfully asked to request the City Council to transfer from the income of the George F. Parkman Fund the sum of $35,000 which is now available, to be expended under the direction of the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation as follows:

Common and Parks in Existence on January 12, 1887, Maintenance and Improvement of $35,000

When making up the budget estimates for the year 1955, a sum equal to the total yearly income of the George F. Parkman Fund was deducted from Item 100, Permanent Employees, with the understanding that this deduction was to be replaced by the total yearly income of said Parkman Fund for 1955, to be transferred as it accrued, from time to time during the year, to the regular maintenance appropriation of the Parks and Recreation Department.

Frank R. Kelley, Commissioner.

Ordered, That the sum of thirty-five thousand dollars ($35,000) be, and hereby is, appropriated from the income of the George F. Parkman Fund, to be expended under the direction of the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation, for the Maintenance and Improvement of the Common and Parks in Existence on January 12 1887, as follows:

Common and Parks in Existence on January 12, 1887, Maintenance and Improvement of $35,000

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Finance.

TRANSFER OF APPROPRIATIONS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, October 17 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I submit herewith two orders providing for the transfer of $55,697 57 from the Reserve Fund to two county departments. The departments and amounts involved are as follows:

House of Correction	$52,000 00
Municipal Court, Roxbury District	3,697 57
Total	$55,697 57

In the past two years there has been a substantial increase in the number of persons sentenced to the House of Correction. The average count for 1953 was 546; for 1954, 612; and for the first nine months of this year, 670. This constant upward trend in the number of inmates has necessitated greater expenditures for food, clothing, medicines, cleaning supplies, and tools and implements. In addition, the institution has had its share of prison unrest, which culminated in a serious disturbance on October 1. During this uprising, material damage was done to the heating system and the windows and sashes of the east wing of the Hill Prison. In addition, a bread mixer in the bakery was ruined. It is estimated that the cost of repairing the resulting damage will approximate $40,000. It is proposed to utilize in this connection an appropriation of $30,000 originally made for sea wall repairs against which no encumbrances have yet been made. The balance of the damage costs together with the increased population requirements make up the additional appropriation set forth in the following schedule:

Personal Services, $14,000, additional correction officers and increased overtime payments.

Contractual Services, $10,400, repairs to prison buildings and increased lighting requirements.

Supplies and Materials, $25,000, increased requirements for food, medicines, clothing, cleaning, and miscellaneous supplies.

Equipment, $2,600, replacement of bread mixer.

In the Roxbury Court it has been necessary to provide additional funds to meet payroll increases to probation officers resulting from the enactment of chapter 735 of the Acts of 1955. In addition, because of a substantial increase in criminal cases as well as parking violations, the expenditures of the court for postage, forms, and other stationery have far exceeded ordinary requirements.

I respectfully recommend adoption of the accompanying orders.

Respectfully,
J. B. Hynes, Mayor.

Ordered, That in accordance with the provisions of section 3B of chapter 486 of the Acts of 1909, as amended by chapter 601 of the Acts of 1941, the City Auditor be, and hereby is, authorized to transfer:

From the appropriation for Reserve Fund, $52,000, to the appropriation for Penal Institutions Department, House of Correction, 1, Personal Services, $14,000, 2, Contractual Services, $10,400, 3, Supplies and Materials, $25,000, 5, Equipment, $2,600.

Ordered, That in accordance with the provisions of section 3B of chapter 486 of the Acts of 1909, as amended by chapter 604 of the Acts of 1941, the City Auditor be, and hereby is, authorized to transfer:

From the appropriation for Reserve Fund, $3,697.57, to the appropriation for Municipal Court, Roxbury District, 1, Permanent Employees, $1,197.57, 3, Supplies and Materials, $2,500.

Severally referred to the Executive Committee.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committees named, viz.:

Claims.

Mrs. Henry A. Boone, for compensation for damage to property at 17 Park street, Hyde Park, during installation of water meter.

Paul Brueckner, for compensation for damage to property at 346 La Grange street, West Roxbury, caused by overflow of sewer.

John L. Campbell, for compensation for damage to car by city truck.

Mary Caterius, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 268 Brookline avenue.

Anna V. Daley, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Quincy Market.

Jeanette J. Disbrow, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 1870 and 1872 Dorchester avenue.

William C. Dukes, for compensation for damage to car by street sweeper.

Elizabeth's Beauty Center (Elizabeth Sahag), for compensation for damage to property at 588 Hyde Park avenue, caused by water being shut off.

Bertha L. Evans, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 355 Boylston street.

Tina Lamonica, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Main street, Charlestown.

Annie Maniscalco, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in North street, Boston.

Joseph V. Manning, to be reimbursed as result of execution issued against him on account of his acts as employee of Police Department.

Edward J. McCracken, to be reimbursed as result of execution issued against him on account of his acts as employee of Park Department.

Joseph P. McSweeney, for compensation for damage to car by fire apparatus.

Lucia Napolitano, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Cross street.

Alice B. Pratt, for compensation for damage to car by city car.

Timothy F. Regan, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 972 Commonwealth avenue.

Murray Tanzer, for compensation for injuries and damage to property caused by truck of Public Works Department.

Evelyn Tringale, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 10 Sheafe street.

Herbert W. Ward, for compensation for damage to property at 12 Rosemont street, Hyde Park, during blasting for sewer.

Licenses.

Petitions to operate bowling alleys on the Lord's day, viz.:

Columbia Recreation, Joseph Rubbicco, 707A Columbia road, Dorchester.

PETITIONS FOR INDEMNIFICATION.

Petition of John P. Henry, employee of Boston Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses.

Petition of Francis J. Kelley, employee of Boston Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses.

Petition of Raymond B. LaCasse, employee of Boston Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses.

Petition of Frank J. Storey, employee of Boston Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses.

Petition of Charles N. Vogel, employee of Boston Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses.

Petition of Charles N. Vogel, employee of Boston Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses.

Severally referred to the Committee on Claims.

APPROVAL OF STATE HOUSING BOARD.

Notice was received from the State Housing Board of approval of sale of four parcels of property under section 6 of chapter 372 of the Acts of 1946.

Placed on file.

NOTICE FROM STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

A communication was received from the State Department of Public Works transmitting copy of order of layout and taking of altered location of section of state highway (John F. Fitzgerald Expressway).

Placed on file.

APPROVAL OF CONSTABLES' BONDS.

The constables' bonds of James Jackson, Allen E. Silver, and Frank Zuccaro, having been duly approved by the Collector-Treasurer, were received and approved.

RESTORATION OF SICK LEAVE PRIVILEGES TO MAINTENANCE PERSONNEL OF BOSTON HOUSING AUTHORITY.

Coun. AHEARN offered the following:

Whereas, Good employer-employee practices today recognize the validity of the principle of so-called "sick leave," whereby employees are allowed a certain number of days' absence due to sickness without loss of wages; and

Whereas, In the Boston Housing Authority salaried employees now enjoy the sick leave privilege and formerly the same privilege was enjoyed by the hourly wage employees in the Maintenance Department, which latter privilege was withdrawn; now therefore be it

Resolved, That the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, hereby requests the members of the Boston Housing Authority to restore to the maintenance personnel of the Boston Housing Authority the sick leave privilege.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

SPECIAL SESSION OF LEGISLATURE ON AUTOMOBILE INSURANCE.

Coun. AHEARN offered the following:

Whereas, This City Council has already gone on record as being strongly opposed to the present method of insurance rate determination and surcharges made on the basis of an assessment of points; and

Whereas, This City Council has requested His Excellency the Governor to call a special session of the Great and General Court to review the whole problem of automobile insurance rates, but no special session has been called; and

Whereas, Members of the Great and General Court themselves are now circulating a petition calling for a special session in this matter; now therefore be it

Resolved, That the City Council of Boston, in meeting assembled, hereby respectfully petitions the Speaker of the House and the President of the Senate to record the Boston City Council in favor of a special session of the Legislature; and be it further

Resolved, That Representatives and Senators representing the City of Boston are hereby respectfully and urgently requested to sign a petition for the summoning of a special session of the Legislature to revise Massachusetts laws on automobile insurance.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

RECESS.

On motion of Councillor Kerrigan, the Council voted to take a recess at 2.40 P.M., subject to the call of the Chair. The members reassembled in the Council Chamber and were called to order by President HURLEY at 3.53 P.M.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. WHITE, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following:

1. Report on message of the Mayor (referred today) relative to holding an election in 30 days to determine bargaining unit in Boston Fire Department—recommending that the message be placed on file.

The report was accepted, and the message was placed on file.

2. Report on message of the Mayor and two orders (referred today) rescinding an order passed by the City Council on July 11, 1955, relative to acceptance and use of sums received by Washington at Dorchester Heights Committee, for purchase of painting, and order authorizing Mayor to accept in the name and behalf of the City of Boston the bill of sale of the oil painting by Emanuel Leutze of George Washington at Dorchester Heights—recommending that the two orders ought to pass.

The report was accepted, and the two orders were passed.

3. Report on message of the Mayor and order (referred today) accepting sum of $5,000 for scholarship fund set up by Messrs. Albert M. Aznive, Leon L. Aznive, and Robert D. Shooshan in honor of Grace N. Aznive, to be known as City of Boston—Grace N. Aznive Art Scholarship Fund—recommending that same ought to pass.

The report was accepted, and the order was passed.

4. Report on message of the Mayor and order (referred today) for transfer of $3,697.57 from Reserve Fund to Municipal Court, Roxbury District—recommending that same ought to pass.

The report was accepted, and the order was passed, yeas 9.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON LICENSES.

Coun. HAILER, for the Committee on Licenses, submitted the following:

1. Report on petitions (referred October 3) for license to operate bowling alleys on the Lord's day, viz.:

Arborway Bowlaway, Salvatore Cacciola, 1 Boynton street, Jamaica Plain; Bond Bowling & Billiards, Inc., Edward H. Margolis, 615 Washington street; Botta Corporation, Antonio Botta, 107 Cambridge street; Boylston Bowladrome, Inc., Morris Vigoda, 1260 Boylston street; Broadway Recreation, Joseph W. Rubbicco, 448 West Broadway, South Boston; Caledonia Bowling Alleys, George E. Thomas, 1505 Veterans of Foreign Wars Parkway, West Roxbury; Central Park Lanes, Angelo Vozzella, 10 Saratoga street, East Boston; Columbia Billiard Company, Nicholas Cameles, 558 Columbia road, Dorchester; Commonwealth Recreation, Joseph Grant, 1105 Commonwealth avenue, Brighton; Julius Covitz, 1231 Hyde Park avenue, Hyde Park; Eagle Bowling Alleys, Joseph Grant, 2355 Washington street, Roxbury; Egleston Bowlaway, Arthur Iorio, 3186 Washington street, Jamaica Plain; Grove Hall Recreation Center, Maurice C. Smith, 464–468 Blue Hill avenue, Dorchester; Huntington 55 Alleys, Inc., Edward H. Margolis, 253A Huntington avenue; Hyde Square Bowlaway, Angelo Iorio, 403 Centre street, Jamaica Plain; Jamaica Bowlaway, Arthur Iorio, 702A Centre street, Jamaica Plain; Kenmore Bowladrome, Inc., Morris Vigoda, 82 Lansdowne street; Lucky Strike Bowladrome of Boston, Inc., Joseph Bonigli, 289 Adams street, Dorchester; Mattapan Bowladrome, Samuel Orren, 1348 Blue Hill avenue, Mattapan; Maverick Garden Bowladrome, Winthrop Beach Bowlaway, Inc., 2 Maverick square, East Boston; North Station Bowling Alleys, Joseph A. Bruno, 222½ Friend street; Roseland of Massachusetts, Inc., Charles Shribman, 13 Burbank street; Dominick Rubbicco, 1264 Washington street, Roslindale; Scollay Alleys, Samuel Sclett, 48 Scollay square; Talbot Bowladrome, Sumner Ross, 56 Talbot avenue, Dorchester; Webster Bowling Alleys, Louis J. Pumphrey, 3 Taber street, Roxbury; West Roxbury Bowling Center, Stanford W. Dennison, 119 Park street, West Roxbury; West Roxbury Liederkranz, Mrs. Lee M. Jekowski, 46 Rockland street, West Roxbury—recommending that licenses be granted.

2. Report on petition (referred October 10) of Olindys South Station Alleys, Inc., Albert H. Slate, Basement, South Station, Atlantic Avenue, to operate bowling alleys on the Lord's day—recommending that license be granted.

The reports were accepted, and the licenses were severally granted under the usual conditions.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFIRMATIONS.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN, for the Committee on Confirmations, submitted the following:

1. Report on appointment by the Mayor (referred October 10) of George E. Bolanes as constable with authority to serve civil process upon filing of bond, for term ending April 30, 1956 — recommending that appointment be confirmed.

2. Report on appointment by the Mayor (referred October 10) of Richard L. Fowle as weigher of beef, for term ending April 30, 1956 — recommending that appointment be confirmed.

The report was accepted, and the question came on confirmation. Committee, Councillors McCormack and McLaughlin. Whole number of ballots 8, yeas 8, and the appointments were confirmed.

SYMPATHY AND CONDOLENCES TO FLOOD VICTIMS.

Coun. HURLEY, for all the Councillors, offered the following:

Whereas, The New England States area has again been severely damaged with a disastrous toll of 39 lives lost and countless millions of dollars in properties; and

Whereas, The western section of Massachusetts along with our neighboring state of Connecticut bore the brunt of the storm that caused thousands to be evacuated from their homes; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, on behalf of all the people of Boston extends its heartfelt sympathy and condolences to those who have suffered so much and in particular those who have lost their dear ones.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

RESOLUTION EXPRESSING GRATITUDE TO DONORS OF CITY OF BOSTON — GRACE N. AZNIVE SCHOLARSHIP FUND.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Whereas, Under date of October 11, 1955, his Honor John B. Hynes, Mayor of Boston, sent the

following communication to the Boston City Council. "On April 3, 1952, the Boston School Department lost by death the faithful services of Miss Grace N. Aznive, who for over thirty years had given most generously of her time, energy, and devotion as an art teacher at the High School of Practical Arts and the Roslindale High School. As a memorial to her, her brothers Albert M. Aznive of Boston, Mass., and Leon L. Aznive of Stoneham, Mass., and her nephew, Robert D. Shooshan of Manchester, Conn., have presented to the City of Boston the sum of five thousand dollars to establish the Grace N. Aznive Art Scholarship Fund.

"I have this day filed with the City Clerk the written instrument signed by Messrs. Albert M. Aznive, Leon L. Aznive, and Robert D. Shooshan which formally gives the money to the city and sets forth in detail the terms and conditions of the gift. This writing makes it plain that it is the intent of the donors that the fund shall be held as a permanent fund with the income thereof used to award each year such number of Grace N. Aznive Art Scholarships of $100 each as the income will permit; that such scholarship or scholarships will be available for use only for advanced study of art during a subsequent semester in the year in which they are awarded; and that every student in every public high school in Boston who is taking a course in art at such high school and is in the class to graduate from such high school in the particular year will be eligible to compete for such scholarship or scholarships. Provision is also made by the writing for a Board of Managers to handle the investment of the fund and an Award Committee to select the awardees.

"Transmitted herewith for your early adoption is an order accepting this most gracious, public-spirited gift."

accompanied by the following order:

Ordered, That the sum of five thousand dollars given, assigned, and transferred to the City of Boston by Messrs. Albert M. Aznive, Leon L. Aznive, and Robert D. Shooshan by the written instrument dated August 4, 1955, and filed with the City Clerk on October 11, 1955, which sum, by action of Messrs. Albert M. Aznive, Leon L. Aznive, and Robert D. Shooshan is now on deposit in the Boston Five Cents Savings Bank to the credit of the City of Boston - Grace N. Aznive Art Scholarship Fund (Account No. 1322762), be, and the same hereby is, accepted with gratitude upon the trust set forth in said instrument; and further

Ordered, That the sum of twenty-five dollars also given, assigned, and transferred to the City of Boston by said instrument, which sum is also now on deposit with the Boston Five Cents Savings Bank as aforesaid, be, and the same hereby is, accepted with gratitude for the purpose stated in said instrument; and

Whereas, This Honorable Body unanimously accepted with gratitude this kind and noble act; and

Whereas, Such kindness and thoughtfulness reflects the fine group of men and women who make up the teaching staff of the Boston public schools, and in further appreciation of this bequest and in order to give its intent as full effect as possible; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the headmaster of each public school in our system with the request that it be read in each class assembly to the end that each pupil in the Boston public school system might know of the devotion of the late Miss Grace N. Aznive to her profession and the Boston public school system and its pupils; and further, that a copy of the resolution be forwarded to her brothers Albert M. Aznive of Boston, Leon L. Aznive of Stoneham, and her nephew Robert D. Shooshan of Manchester, Conn.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

AMENDMENT OF ORDINANCE RE CONTRACTS FOR RESTORATION OF PAVING SURFACES.

On motion of Councillor Foley, the ordinance to amend chapter 27, section 9, subsection 1 of the Revised Ordinances of 1947, re paving and paving contracts, referred to the Committee on Ordinances March 28, was recalled from the Committee on Ordinances.

On further motion of Councillor Foley the ordinance was referred to the Executive Committee.

Coun. PIEMONTE moved that a hearing be scheduled for Monday, October 24, 1955, at 10 A.M., at which time every councillor be invited to attend, every contractor who has received patch paving in the last five years, and every representative of the utility companies.

Coun. McCORMACK moved to amend Councillor Piemonte's motion by substituting 3.30 P.M. for 10 A.M. The motion to amend was lost.

The foregoing motion of Councillor Piemonte was lost.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CLAIMS.

Coun. McCORMACK, for the Committee on Claims, submitted the following:

Report on petition of Edward J. McCracken (referred today) to be reimbursed as a result of an execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Parks and Recreation Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That the sum of one thousand five hundred seventy-five dollars and ninety-five cents ($1,575.95) be allowed and paid to Edward J. McCracken in reimbursement for amount of execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Parks and Recreation Department, said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

The report was accepted, and the order was passed.

PROCLAMATION OF WEEK OF OCTOBER 30, 1955, AS CATHOLIC YOUTH ORGANIZATION WEEK.

Coun. HURLEY offered the following:

Whereas, The Catholic Youth Organization in the City of Boston will observe "National Catholic Youth Organization Week," from October 30 to November 6; and

Whereas, This observance will cover every possible activity, including the spiritual, cultural, social, and athletic, with a holy hour, daily communion crusade, panel discussions, dances, and numerous athletic events, including the award of the "Bill Mullen" trophy, in memory of the late beloved director of recreation of the Boston Park Department to the outstanding C.Y.O. product of the year in the Boston area; and

Whereas, The activities of the good priests and laymen assisting them, under the spiritual guidance of our beloved Archbishop Cushing, have assisted the city in maintaining a low ratio of juvenile delinquency through their labors; be it therefore

Resolved, That the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, formally requests his Honor the Mayor to proclaim the week of October 30, 1955, as "Catholic Youth Organization Week," and invites the membership and spiritual directors of the C.Y.O. to attend the City Council meeting of Monday, October 31, and to visit the various departments of the city government during said week; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to Most Rev. Richard J. Cushing, D.D.; the National Director of the C.Y.O., Rt. Rev. Joseph E. Schieder; and Very Rev. John P. Carroll, Archdiocesan Director; and to Rev. Joseph Kieree, Boston Deanery Director; and to the Very Rev. Francis J. Lally, editor of "The Pilot."

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

ELECTION IN FIRE DEPARTMENT TO DETERMINE BARGAINING UNIT.

Coun. AHEARN, for all the Councillors, offered the following:

Whereas, His Honor the Mayor has forwarded to the City Council the response of the Fire Commissioner to our order of October 3 calling for an election in the Boston Fire Department for the purpose of determining a bargaining unit; and

Whereas, The reason given for not holding said election is absences due to vacations; and

Whereas, A check on the number of absences due to vacations reveals that less than 1 per cent of the firemen are on vacation and the number is being reduced weekly; and

Whereas, The chances are that a good proportion of those absent on vacation will be available to vote; now therefore be it

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor reconsider the question of the holding of an election and direct the Fire Commissioner to hold an election among the Fire Department personnel for the purposes of determining a bargaining unit as originally requested in the City Council order of October 3, 1955.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

ADEQUATE LIGHTING FACILITIES ON EASTMAN, ELDER, EAST COTTAGE, AND HUMPHREYS STREETS.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works take immediate steps to provide adequate electric lighting facilities in the Eastman street, Elder street, East Cottage street, and Humphreys street sections of Dorchester.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

NATIONAL GUARD ARMORY AT CITY POINT.

Coun. FOLEY, McCORMACK, and KERRIGAN offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be requested to contact directly Major General Harrison, Adjutant General of the Massachusetts National Guard, to determine whether the National Guard desires to locate a National Guard armory at City Point, in South Boston, near the aquarium site.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

MASSACHUSETTS JUNIOR BUGLE CORPS ASSOCIATION.

Coun. HALLER offered the following:

Whereas, Eight member units of the Massachusetts Junior Bugle Corps Association who participated in the championship finals on October 2 at Chelsea Memorial Stadium were from the City of Boston; and

Whereas, Two of the four new champions are from the City of Boston, namely, the Daurice Vigilantes of Hyde Park, the Class "B" marching and manouvering champions; and St. Anthony's of Allston, the drill team champions; be it therefore

Resolved, That the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, extend its heartfelt congratulations to the youth of Boston who participated in the championship finals and particularly to the members of the Daurice Vigilantes and St. Anthony's drill team of Allston, thereby expressing the appreciation of the City of Boston for the honor and prestige which their victory brought to our city.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

Adjourned, at 5.05 P.M., on motion of Councillor Kerrigan, to meet on Monday, October 24, 1955, at 2 P.M.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

(Stenographic copy of such debate on file in office of City Clerk.)

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway resurfacing, estimated to be thirty (30) days, parking of vehicles is prohibited in the following street, effective October 19, 1955:

Huntington Avenue, Roxbury.
Both sides, from Tremont street to Brookline line.

Voted: That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway resurfacing in Huntington avenue, estimated to be thirty (30) days, the following temporary traffic rules are effective October 19, 1955:

Parking of vehicles is prohibited in the following street, when and where official signs are in place:

Fenwood Road, Roxbury.
Both sides, from Huntington avenue to Brookline avenue.

The following streets are one way in the direction indicated, when and where official signs are in place:

Fenwood Road, Roxbury.
From Huntington avenue to Brookline avenue.

Huntington Avenue, Roxbury.
From South Huntington avenue to Hanlon square.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway resurfacing, estimated to be thirty (30) days, vehicles are excluded from the following streets, effective October 20, 1955:

Alwin Street, Hyde Park.
From Turtle Pond Parkway to Dedham Parkway.

Cheryl Lane, Hyde Park.
From Stonehill road to dead end.

Colebrook Street, South Boston.
From H street to dead end.

Stonehill Road, Hyde Park.
From Alwin street to Alwin street.

PROCEEDINGS OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Aug. 23, 1955

A special meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, at 12:15 P. M., the Chairman presiding.

Present: Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco and Ward.

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DEATH OF BUSINESS MANAGER

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Aug. 23, 1955, regretfully reporting the death of Henry J. Smith, Business Manager, on August 11, 1955.

Placed on file.

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HENRY J. SMITH

Mr. Lee offered the following:

We are grateful for the life and work of Henry Smith in administering for many years the funds of the City's schools.

Whom all could trust, whom none could reproach, whose strength was purity of purpose, upon whom a critic could lay no charge save forthright firmness, him we honor on this occasion of loss, with these brief words.

As Business Manager of the Boston Public Schools for nearly a decade, Henry Smith distributed the financial gratitude of the City to the School System's nearly 5000 employees—in a total of one quarter of a billion dollars —without blemish.

It is fitting for us to believe that the abiding qualities—shunning expediency—with which he served the City, his family, and a larger circle of warm friends than it is the lot of most men to enjoy, are to abide with him now and ever more.

On roll call, the foregoing was adopted and ordered spread upon the records by the following vote, a copy to be sent to Mr. Smith's family:

YEAS — Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Museo and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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ELECTION OF BUSINESS MANAGER

The Superintendent presented the following nomination:

Because of the provisions of Chapter 497 of the Acts of 1946, as amended, it has been my responsibility, as Superintendent for the past seven years, to nominate to the School Committee for election eight persons to serve as members of the Board of Superintendents and Officers of the School Committee.

All eight persons were chosen from the personnel of the school system. All were career persons who had previously risen to high ranking positions by competition and merit. This procedure not only recognized outstanding persons in the school system but also provided further opportunities for those in lower ranks to be promoted to higher positions.

Today it is my responsibility to nominate a person who by statute will serve as a member of the Board of Superintendents with the title, Business Manager. Because of the success of my long-established policy in connection with previous nominations, I plan to follow the same pattern.

Therefore, under the provisions of Chapter 497 of the Acts of 1946, I respectfully present the nomination of Leo J. Burke as Business Manager to take effect Aug. 24, 1955.

Mr. Burke entered the service in the Office of the Business Manager on Nov. 18, 1936. In succeeding years he moved up through the different groups in this office. During this period he showed great ambition by preparing himself further through intensive study and hard work in part-time education. As a result he earned a Bachelor's Degree, cum laude, from Boston University, where he majored in the field of Accounting and later a Master's Degree from Boston University, majoring in the field of Business Management. This was in addition to serving his country in military service for four years, being honorably discharged with the rank of Captain.

In 1952, he successfully headed a competitive list established by Civil Service examination for the position of Assistant Business Manager. As a result of this examination he was unanimously elected Assistant Business Manager by the School Committee on June 6, 1952. During the period since this date he has filled this position as well as that of Acting Business Manager on several occasions efficiently and cooperatively.

In my opinion, he has proven his ability both as Assistant Business Manager and as Acting Business Manager. I have confidence that as Business Manager he has the ability to properly administer this important area of our school system.

On roll call, the election of Leo J. Burke as Business Manager was approved by the following vote:

YEAS — Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Museo and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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The Chair thereupon declared Leo J. Burke unanimously elected Business Manager, to take effect Aug. 24, 1955.

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APPOINTMENT OF ASSISTANT BUSINESS MANAGER

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That William J. Gorman, Chief Clerk, Office of the Business Manager, is hereby appointed Assistant Business Manager, subject to the approval of the Division of Civil Service, to take effect Aug. 24, 1955.

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS — Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Museo and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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IN MEMORIAM

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Aug. 23, 1955, reporting the death of the following-named teacher who had been retired on pension:

Longfellow District—Annie M. Driscoll, assistant, July 27, 1955.

Placed on file.

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The School Committee requested that a letter of condolence, to be signed by the Secretary, be sent to the family of the bereaved.

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RETIREMENTS ON PENSION

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Aug. 23, 1955, reporting the retirement from active service of the following-named members of the State-Boston Retirement System, to take effect Aug. 31, 1955, as certified by the Boston Retirement Board:

Dorchester High School—Josephine Wentworth, assistant.

East Boston High School — Arthus R. Nelson, cooperative instructor.

English High School—John D. Shore, master.

Department of Educational Investigation and Measurement — Josephine McCarthy, research assistant.

Placed on file.

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WITHDRAWAL OF APPOINTMENTS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Aug. 23, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee and at the request of the nurses concerned, he has withdrawn the following appointments from the eligible list, as reported and approved at the meeting of Aug. 8, 1955:

Department of School Hygiene —Alice M. Noonan, school nurse, (third year salary—anniversary date, Sept. 1), Sept. 1, 1955; Mary K. Twomey, school nurse, (minimum salary—anniversary date, Sept. 1), Sept. 1, 1955.

The communication was placed on file, and on roll call the withdrawal of appointments was approved by the following vote:

YEAS — Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Museo and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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LEAVES OF ABSENCE

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Aug. 23, 1955, recommending that the leave of absence for

rest granted at the meeting of Feb. 14, 1955 (see p. 76) to Dorothea E. Coleman, teacher, elementary, Minot District, for the period Dec. 1, 1954, to Apr. 30, 1955, be extended for the further period May 1 to Aug. 31, 1955, inclusive.

The communication was placed on file, and on roll call the extension of leave of absence was approved by the following vote:

YEAS — Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Aug. 23, 1955, recommending that leave of absence for rest be granted the following-named teacher for the term specified:

English High School—James L. Higgins, master, Sept. 1, 1955 to Aug. 31, 1956, for rest.

The communication was placed on file, and on roll call the leave of absence was granted by the following vote:

YEAS — Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Aug. 23, 1955, recommending that leave of absence without pay be granted the following-named teachers for the terms specified:

Hugh O'Brien District—Dorothy L. Connolly, teacher, elementary, Sept. 1, 1955 to Aug. 31, 1956.

Hyde Everett District—Ellen A. Benway, teacher, junior high, Sept. 1, 1955 to Aug. 31, 1956.

The communication was placed on file, and on roll call the leaves of absence were granted by the following vote:

YEAS — Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Aug. 23, 1955, recommending that leave of absence without pay for maternity be granted the following-named teachers to take effect on the dates indicated and to continue until terminated by the Superintendent with the approval of the School Committee, provided that such leave shall be for a period of at least three months after the date of birth and provided further that no such leave shall in any event exceed eighteen months.

Francis Parkman District — Adelaide M. Carroll, teacher, elementary, Aug. 1, 1955.

Hart-Gaston-Perry District — Jeanne S. McCarthy, teacher, elementary, Aug. 16, 1955.

The communication was placed on file, and on roll call the leaves of absence were granted by the following vote:

YEAS — Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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REPORT ON MARRIED TEACHERS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Aug. 23, 1955, reporting that, in accordance with the provisions of Section 283 of the regulations, the following-named female teachers have reported that they were married on the dates indicated:

Ellis Mendell District—Barbara J. Lynch, teacher, kindergarten, married July 2, 1955, new name Barbara J. Williamson.

Joseph H. Barnes Junior High School—Dorothy Weiner, teacher, junior high, married Aug. 7, 1955, new name Dorothy Smilg.

Theodore Lyman District — Frances L. Treanor, teacher, elementary, married July 23, 1955, new name Frances L. Dineen.

Roxbury Memorial High School (Girls)—Frances E. Rowlinson, assistant, married July 16, 1955, new name Frances E. Stanley.

Placed on file.

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BIRTHDAY CONGRATULATIONS TO ARCHBISHOP RICHARD J. CUSHING

The following was offered by the Chairman:

The School Committee of the City of Boston, in joint meeting assembled on August 23, 1955, wishes to extend to His Excellency, Richard J. Cushing, Archbishop of Boston, its best wishes and congratulations on his sixtieth birthday, August 24, 1955. The members of the School Committee hope that his future life may be as rich in friendship, charity, and devotion to the people as his brilliant and loving works of yesteryear.

On roll call, the above was adopted by the following vote and ordered transmitted to His Excellency, Archbishop Cushing:

YEAS — Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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LIST OF AUTHORIZED TEXT BOOKS

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the revised edition of the following-named textbook is hereby authorized for use as indicated to take the place of the old edition:

Cauley, M. W. The Science and Art of Homemaking. American Book Company. c1955. Grade VII. net $1.44. f. o. b. Carlstadt, N. J.

Laid over.

APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES TO AUG. 1, 1955

A communication was received from the Acting Business Manager submitting a statement showing the appropriations, the expenditures and the balances for general school purposes and special items for the first seven drafts of the current fiscal year, the expenditures for the first seven drafts of the fiscal year 1954, and the increases and decreases in the several items.

Placed on file.

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APPOINTMENT OF CUSTODIANS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Aug. 23, 1955, recommending, subject to the approval of the School Committee, the appointment of the following-named persons, the first five on the list certified by the Division of Civil Service who are willing to accept, who have been approved by the Medical Director, Workmen's Compensation Service, City of Boston, as junior building custodians, to take effect Aug. 31, 1955:

Joseph J. Murphy, James F. Kane, John H. Watts, Joseph P. Gilligan, Joseph F. Creedon.

The communication was placed on file, and on roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS — Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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The Committee adjourned.

Attest:

AGNES E. REYNOLDS
Secretary

WOOING FRINGE LOT PARKING PATRONS NOT EASY.

Enticing motoring commuters into fringe parking lots can be a difficult courtship. Recent experience in Washington, Baltimore, Cleveland, and St. Louis indicates that success cannot be achieved unless there is provided an attractive parking-transit fee, frequent bus service between the lot and central business district, and easy approaches to the lot. St. Louis offers a 5 to 7½ minute bus service, no parking fee, and a special 35-cent round-trip fare. Patronage of the 600-car lot is increasing, but a profitable operation has not yet been achieved. However, a survey of 500 of the lot's patrons showed 72 per cent rate the service as "excellent." Three out of four said they arrived closer to their downtown destinations than when they drove in. Private lots in downtown Cleveland are now getting short-term parkers—which produces more revenue for the operator than all-day parkers. In Baltimore the consensus is that fringe parking now "does not work".

Another necessity for cities planning fringe parking lots is the provision of convenient shelters to protect patrons from inclement weather. — *American Municipal Association Report.*

CITY OF BOSTON AND COUNTY OF SUFFOLK.

STATISTICAL FACTS FOR THE YEAR 1954

Date of incorporation	February 23, 1822
Date of adoption of City Charter (amended January 7, 1925)	1909
Form of Government	Mayor and City Council
Area (square miles)	47.81
Population — Federal Census (August 1, 1950)	801,444
Number of employees as of February 1, 1954	22,806
Boston Housing Authority:	
Federal Program (7,920 apartments housing 7,920 families)	
Number of apartments in veterans' permanent 1- and 2-family homes housing 1,306 families	
State-Aided Developments (containing 3,177 apartments housing 3,177 families)	
Building Department:	
Permits issued	17,515
Estimated cost	$35,771,706
Cemeteries: Number 19—Area (acres)	161.71
Election Department:	
Registered voters	383,864
Number of ballots cast last general election	169,493
Percentage of registered voters voting	44.15
Fire Department:	
Number of stations	51
Number of fireboats	2
Alarms responded to	15,150
Health Department: Health Units	10
Hospitals (Including Boston Sanatorium):	
City Hospital:	
Number of buildings	57
Bed capacity	2,460
Patients, daily average:	
Wards	1,798
Out-patient	891
Long Island Hospital:	
Number of buildings	27
Population	952
Library Department:	
Number of libraries	37
Number of employees (full time)	640
Number of volumes	2,011,358
Circulation	3,162,338
Markets, number of	2
Municipal buildings, number of	27
Park Department: Parks, number of acres	2,240.29
Area of playgrounds and play areas (acres)	807.12
Number of playgrounds and play areas	121
Number of municipal golf links	2
Number of municipal beaches	3
Public grounds and squares (acres)	57.41
Swimming pools (indoor) 2, (outdoor) 2	4
Number of recreation centers and indoor bathhouses	15
Police Department:	
Number of stations and headquarters	18
Arrests	93,294
Public Works Department:	
Bridges, number of	101
Miles of accepted streets and alleys	731
Sewers: Miles of sewers	1,302.75
Catch basins	23,972
Average number of gallons pumped daily at main pumping station	112,980,821
Sumner Traffic Tunnel: Length (feet)	5,654
Two-lane drive: Vehicles passing through — 1953	10,835,674
Water Service:	
Number of meters in service	95,653
Per capita daily average consumption (gallons)	139
Miles of mains: Ordinary	999,136
High pressure	18.72
Rapid Transit: Miles of subways and tunnels	16.81
Schools:	
Number of school buildings	224
Number of teachers	3,655
Average membership	94,774
Average daily attendance:	
Elementary and junior high schools	54,546
High schools	16,201
Kindergartens	8,151
Special schools	1,800

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 58.

I. Promotion.

The following promotion is hereby announced, to become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, October 26, 1955:

Fire Fighter Donald F. Toomey, Ladder Company 20, to fire lieutenant.

II. Retirements.

The following retirements, in accordance with section 7, chapter 32, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), as amended, are hereby announced, to become effective at 8 A.M., Tuesday, November 1, 1955:

Fire Capt. Raymond B. LaCasse, Ladder Company 11.

Fire Fighter Francis H. Baker, Ladder Company 4.

Fire Fighter Oil Burner Inspector Joseph A. Hurley, Fire Prevention Division.

The following retirement, in accordance with the provisions of section 13, chapter 521, Acts of 1922, is hereby announced, to become effective at 8 A.M., Tuesday, November 1, 1955:

Fire Fighter Alwin J. Thibeault, Engine Company 12.

Fire Captain LaCasse was appointed to the department February 1, 1924. He was promoted to lieutenant January 6, 1939, and to captain October 6, 1945. Fire Fighter Hurley was appointed to the department December 10, 1937; Fire Fighter Thibeault was appointed November 17, 1943, and Fire Fighter Baker was appointed January 29, 1947.

All the foregoing-named members leave the department with the best wishes of their associates.

III. Transfer.

The following transfer will become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, October 26, 1955:

Fire Lieut. Donald F. Toomey, from Ladder Company 20 to Ladder Company 21.

IV. Index to General Orders.

The Index to General Orders for the year 1954 is being issued to the department today.

V. Change in Time.

Under the Daylight Saving Law, time will be retarded one hour at 2 A.M., Sunday, October 30, 1955. At that time clocks in all department houses will be set back one hour.

All tower clocks without striking mechanisms will be set back at 6.30 A.M. All tower clocks with striking mechanisms will be stopped at 6.30 A.M. for one hour and then started. Only men who are regularly assigned to wind clocks should be detailed to change tower clocks.

VI. 1956 United Red Feather Campaign.

His Honor, Mayor John B. Hynes, through the city employees Group Chairman, has made an appeal to all city employees to participate in the 1956 Red Feather Campaign of the United Community Services of Metropolitan Boston in order that funds can be raised to aid the many worthy member agencies, such as hospitals, health services, social agencies, and other organizations conducted for the common welfare.

The following schedule of donations is suggested to members:

Privates, $2; lieutenants, $4; captains, $5; district fire chiefs, $7; deputy fire chiefs, $8.

Civilian employees in the department receiving salaries equal to the foregoing rates are asked to give according to the schedule. It is understood that this is a voluntary effort, but the attainment of a total donation of at least $5,000 will reflect credit upon the members of the department.

Pledge cards are being distributed to the department today. Company commanders and heads of branch divisions are requested to personally interview each member of their commands, including employees on injured leave, and ask them to make a contribution. All pledge cards are to be made out and returned to Headquarters on or before November 18, 1955. However, completed cards with initial donations should be sent to Headquarters as soon as possible before the foregoing date. Company commanders are requested not to hold a number of completed cards while awaiting the receipt of one or two others. Company commanders shall fill in the stub of the pledge card as requested and return the stub to the member donating money or pledging contribution.

Also issued with this order is a solicitor's daily report envelope together with sheets of carbon paper. Company commanders are requested to fill out the front of these report envelopes, in triplicate, and pull the two white copies out over the flap of the envelope before the envelope is sealed. Carbon sheets should be used so that all three copies can be made simultaneously. List the names of members, the total amount subscribed by each member, and amount paid at the time of the pledge. Cash donations and pledge cards should be placed in the report envelope, the envelope sealed as directed above, and forwarded to Headquarters as soon as possible. It is desired that company commanders return to Headquarters as many pledges as possible on or before 11 A.M., Monday, November 7, 1955.

Company commanders are requested not to detach any of the white lists from the envelopes. It is important that the two white listing sheets be pulled out over the flap of the manila envelope before the envelope is sealed. Envelopes containing pledge cards and currency will be received at Headquarters by Principal Clerk and Stenographer Ursula E. Nurse on or before November 18, 1955. Delivery of envelopes can be made on any weekday except Saturday, and must be made between the hours of 9 and 11 A.M.

No deductions will be made on department payrolls in connection with this campaign as the pledge cards appear to indicate.

VII. Fire Alarm Boxes Renumbered.

Effective at 12 o'clock noon, Wednesday, November 2, 1955, the following fire alarm boxes will be renumbered.

Old number 7232, new number 7227, circuit number 63, West Ninth & E streets.

Old number 7411, new number 7236, circuit number 33, Dorchester and Vinton streets (auxiliary), John Boyle O'Reilly School.

Old number 12-7411, new number 12-7236, circuit number 74, John A. Andrews School, Dorchester and Rogers streets.

Company commanders will make above corrections on assignment cards and circuit cards.

By order of Fire Commissioner Francis X. Cottem.

John V. Stapleton,
Chief of Department.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

Tollman-Guard, Bridge Division, (Tunnel Service), Boston Public Works Department, January 7, 1956.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, December 19, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $63 a week; the maximum salary is $76.50 a week.

Vacancies: At present there are two vacancies for males, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: Under supervision, to patrol the Sumner Tunnel and adjacent grounds; to collect fares at tunnel entrances; and to perform related work as required.

Examples of Duties: Collecting and accounting for tolls from vehicles using the Sumner Tunnel; operating the fare register and making change; patrolling the tunnel and adjacent plazas; directing traffic; operating tunnel traffic signals; assisting in extinguishing fires in cars within the tunnel; calling for towing services when necessary; maintaining simple records and preparing reports; issuing summonses for traffic violations.

Copies of the City of Boston Sumner Tunnel Rules and Regulations may be obtained at the office of the Boston Public Works Department, Room 505, City Hall Annex, Boston, or at the Administration Building of the Sumner Tunnel.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

CITY OF BOSTON.

LISTING BOARD.

Proposals for Performance of Clerical Work in Connection with the Listing of Residents Twenty Years of Age or Over for the Year 1956.

The Listing Board of the City of Boston invites proposals for the performance of the clerical work in connection with the listing of residents of Boston, beginning January 1, 1956. The bidder must use the form of the proposal to be obtained at the office of the Police Commissioner, 154 Berkeley street, Boston, and deposit with his bid, at the office of the Police Commissioner, a properly certified check for $1,000, payable to and to become the property of the Listing Board of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. Proposals will be publicly opened and read on Thursday, November 10, 1955, at 12 noon, at the office of the Police Commissioner, 154 Berkeley street, Boston. The Listing Board reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award the contract as it deems for the best interest of the Listing Board of the City of Boston. Surety bond will be required from the successful bidder in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the estimated contract amount.

Thomas F. Sullivan, *Chairman,*
Gertrude A. Pfau, *Secretary,*
(Oct. 29-Nov. 5.) *Listing Board.*

CITIES GENERALLY DO NOT CONTROL PRIVATE PARKING RATES.

Review of numerous ordinances and other materials by AMA for a member league shows that cities do not generally exercise any control over rates charged for parking. Supply and demand seems to furnish the regulation needed. Generally, however, applications for a parking lot or garage license require that rates charged be set forth in the application, that rates be posted conspicuously at the entrance to the lot, and that rates cannot be changed without official written notice to the municipality.

—American Municipal Association Report.

CITY OF BOSTON.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Invitation for Installation of Acoustical Ceilings, Children's Building, Boston City Hospital.

The City of Boston, by the Board of Trustees, Hospital Department, and of the Boston City Hospital, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for installation of acoustical ceilings in Children's Building, Boston City Hospital, Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until two o'clock P.M., Wednesday, November 9, 1955, at the office of the Superintendent, Boston City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, and enclosed in an envelope, sealed, and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $300, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate of wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for the work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of the contract.

Specifications may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of the Boston City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston, Mass., on and after Monday, October 31, 1955.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price, will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any and all bids if it be in the public interest so to do.

The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all bids in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

Board of Trustees, Hospital Department, and of the Boston City Hospital,
Richard J. Condon,
(Oct. 29.) *President.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT (SANATORIUM DIVISION).

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR MISCELLANEOUS STEEL WORK ON VARIOUS BUILDINGS AT THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL, SANATORIUM DIVISION, 249 RIVER STREET, MATTAPAN, MASS.

The City of Boston, by the Board of Trustees, Hospital Department, and of the Boston City Hospital, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for miscellaneous steel work on various buildings at the Sanatorium Division of the Boston City Hospital, 249 River street, Mattapan, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Tuesday, November 15, 1955, at the office of the Superintendent of the Sanatorium Division, 249 River street, Mattapan, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained at the office of the Superintendent of the Sanatorium Division, 249 River street, Mattapan, Mass. Each copy of the proposal shall be plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

Specifications may be obtained after 12 o'clock noon on Tuesday, November 1, 1955, at the office of the Superintendent of the Sanatorium Division, 249 River street, Mattapan, Mass.

A bid deposit in the form of cash of a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $225, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed at the office of the Superintendent, Sanatorium Division, 249 River street, Mattapan, Mass. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under the contract.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price will be required of the successful bidder, and each bond of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities, and to reject any or all bids, if it be in the public interest so to do.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, AND OF THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL,
RICHARD J. CONDON,
(Oct. 29.) *President.*

No. 176—395.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING BRUSHES FOR THE CITY DEPARTMENTS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Monday, November 7, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Brushes." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Oct. 29.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ERECT CHAIN LINK FENCE.

Proposals to Furnish and Erect Chain Link Fence on

Broadway, Ward 3 (Southerly Side), from Harrison Avenue to Bridge over Railroad; Cricket Lane, Ward 20, at Rear of No. 365 Corey Street; Ellingwood Street, Ward 10 (Westerly Side), from No. 30 to Dead End; Highland Street, Ward 11, at No. 160 (Public Works Department Garage); Southampton Street, Ward 7, at Approaches to Bridge over Old Colony Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad;

—and—

Furnish and Erect Chain Link Gate at

Albany Street, Ward 8, at No. 636 (Public Works Department Paving Yard); Forest Hills Street, Ward 11, at Morton Street (William T. Morrissey Memorial Building) Public Works Department Yard;

—and—

Such Additional Locations, If Any, in Wards 3, 7, 8, 10, 11, and 20, As May Be Designated by the Commissioner of Public Works.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, to furnish and erect chain link fence on Broadway, Ward 3, etc. A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Commissioner and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price will be required of the successful contractor. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal to Furnish and Erect Chain Link Fence on Broadway, Ward 3, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 1955, with a certified check for ONE HUNDRED (100) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE C. HYLAND,
(Oct. 29.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT (SANATORIUM DIVISION).

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR ASPHALT TILE REPAIRS IN VARIOUS BUILDINGS AT THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL, SANATORIUM DIVISION, 249 RIVER STREET, MATTAPAN, MASS.

The City of Boston, by the Board of Trustees, Hospital Department, and of the Boston City Hospital, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for asphalt tile repairs in various buildings at the Sanatorium Division of the Boston City Hospital, 249 River street, Mattapan, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Wednesday, November 16, 1955, at the office of the Superintendent of the Sanatorium Division, 249 River street, Mattapan, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the office of the Superintendent of the Sanatorium Division, 249 River street, Mattapan, Mass. Each copy of the proposal shall be plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

Specifications may be obtained after 12 o'clock noon on Tuesday, November 1, 1955, at the office of the Superintendent of the Sanatorium Division, 249 River street, Mattapan, Mass.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $200, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed at the office of the Superintendent, Sanatorium Division, 249 River street, Mattapan, Mass. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed sball not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a scbedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under the contract.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price will be required of the successful bidder, and each bond of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities, and to reject any or all bids, if it be in the public interest so to do.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, AND OF THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL,
RICHARD J. CONDON,
(Oct. 29.) *President.*

PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT COMMISSION.

IN PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT COMMISSION, CITY OF BOSTON, OCTOBER 26, 1955.

Ordered, That due notice be given that this Commission is of the opinion that public necessity requires the taking of a parcel of land, for school purposes, situated on Montmorenci avenue, East Boston district, supposed to belong to Dorothea Pastore, containing approximately 4,060 square feet more or less; substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this Commission, that it intends to pass an order for making said taking, and that it appoints 10 o'clock A.M. of Thursday, November 10, 1955, and the office of this Commission, 401 City Hall Annex, as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

GEORGE C. HYLAND, *Chairman*,
HERMAN CARP,
WM. ARTHUR REILLY,
Public Improvement Commission.

A true copy of an order passed by said Commission on said day.

Attest:
MICHAEL J. CORRAO,
(Oct. 29.) *Secretary.*

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JOSHUA H. JONES, *Editor.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

REAL PROPERTY BOARD.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR CONSTRUCTION OF AN OPEN-AIR SUBURBAN OFF-STREET PARKING FACILITY, ON THE NORTHERLY SIDE OF RIVER STREET, BETWEEN BLUE HILL AVENUE AND FREMONT STREET, DORCHESTER DISTRICT, BOSTON, MASS.

The City of Boston, acting by the Real Property Board, hereinafter called the Board, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for construction of an open-air off-street parking facility on the northerly side of River street, between Blue Hill avenue and Fremont street, Dorchester district, Boston, Mass. A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Board, and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price, will be required of the successful contractor. Forms of proposals, and the form of contract together with the plans and specifications therein referred to, may be had daily (except Saturdays, Sundays, and holidays), between 9 A.M. and 5 P.M., at the office of the Board, Room 809, City Hall Annex, Court street, Boston. Copies of the plans and specifications may be taken out upon deposit of twenty-five dollars ($25) for each set, refundable only to persons returning the same in good condition within ten days (Saturdays, Sundays, and holidays excluded) after the opening of bids.

Proposals shall be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained as aforesaid. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, enclosed in an envelope, sealed and marked "Proposal for Construction of an Open-Air Off-Street Parking Facility on the Northerly Side of River Street, Between Blue Hill Avenue and Fremont Street, Dorchester District, Boston, Mass." One copy of the proposal, accompanied by a bid deposit in the form of a cashier's check on, or a certified check on, a responsible bank or trust company, in the sum of one thousand dollars ($1,000), payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out, shall be filed with the Board at its said office on or before Monday, November 14, 1955, at 11 A.M., at which time and place all proposals will be publicly opened and read. The other copy of the proposal shall be filed by the bidder at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, School street, Boston, prior to the opening of the bids.

No proposal shall be withdrawn after the day and hour hereinbefore set for the opening of the proposals.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Real Property Board.

Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all proposals and to award the contract as the Board deems for the best interests of the city.

CITY OF BOSTON, REAL PROPERTY BOARD,
HERMAN CARP, *Chairman*,
WILLIAM F. KEESLER,
DAVID L. CURRIER,
THOMAS F. MCDONOUGH,
GEORGE P. DONOVAN.

(Oct. 29.)

READVERTISEMENT
of Item No. 1 on Proposal No. 166.

No. 174—600.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING AUTOMOTIVE VEHICLE (ONE CHASSIS AND CAB WITH STEEL PLATFORM BODY AND CRANE MOUNTED).

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Monday, November 7, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Automotive Vehicle." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contracts he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Oct. 29.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING AND INSTALLING NEW FUEL OIL STORAGE TANK IN THE WILLIAM LLOYD GARRISON SCHOOL, HUTCHINGS STREET, NEAR ELM HILL AVENUE, ROXBURY DISTRICT, BOSTON, MASS.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for furnishing and installing new fuel oil storage tank in the William Lloyd Garrison School, Hutchings street, near Elm Hill avenue, Roxbury District, Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Tuesday, November 8, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, enclosed in an envelope, sealed and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $250, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price, will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do, in accordance with sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
(Oct. 29.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR INTERIOR PAINTING OF CHILDREN'S BUILDING, BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL.

The City of Boston, by the Board of Trustees, Hospital Department, and of the Boston City Hospital, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for interior painting of Children's Building, Boston City Hospital, Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until two o'clock P.M., Wednesday, November 9, 1955, at the office of the Superintendent, Boston City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, and enclosed in an envelope, sealed and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $800, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate of wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for the work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of the contract.

Specifications may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of the Boston City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston, Mass., on and after Monday, October 31, 1955.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price, will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any and all bids if it be in the public interest so to do.

The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all bids in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, AND OF THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL,
RICHARD J. CONDON,
(Oct. 29.) *President.*

No. 175—598.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING X-RAY EQUIPMENT FOR THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Wednesday, November 9, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for X-Ray Equipment." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Oct. 29.) *Purchasing Agent.*

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NEW STREET BEING CONSTRUCTED IN WEST ROXBURY DISTRICT FOR CONVENIENCE OF RESIDENTS OF THAT DISTRICT —NEW HIGHWAY FROM SCHOOL STREET TO BE CALLED GRANADA PARK —WORK TO BE UNDERTAKEN SOON—$4,749.61 IN LAND TAKINGS.

The Public Improvement Commission has voted for the laying out and construction of Byron court, in the West Roxbury district, for the convenience of the residents of that locality. The new public highway is to be called Granada park, and will extend from School street, approximately 438 feet southwesterly. The order reads as follows:

That a public improvement be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of Byron court, West Roxbury district, as a public highway, from School street, approximately 438 feet southwesterly, with the name of Granada park or some other distinctive name, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named Granada park is hereby laid out, from School street, approximately 438 feet southwesterly, and ordered constructed.

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REPAIRS TO SEVERAL STREETS IN VARIOUS SECTIONS OF THE CITY VOTED BY PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT COMMISSION — ALL SUCH REPAIRS ARE DEEMED URGENT BY THE COMMISSION AFTER PUBLIC HEARINGS.

The Public Improvement Commission has voted several improvements in various parts of the city consisting of repairs to streets, after having placed notices of proposals in the daily papers, and held hearings on the same. Among these are the following, all of which public necessity and convenience require:

On Mildred avenue, Dorchester district, consisting of the reduction in width of the southeasterly sidewalk, as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Mildred Avenue, Dorchester, October 5, 1955."

Specific repairs in Morton street, West Roxbury district, at the intersection of Forest Hills Circle, consisting of the relocation of the southerly curb, as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Morton Street, West Roxbury, October 13, 1955."

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MUST BE PREPARED TO OVERMATCH THOSE ENEMIES WHOSE AMBITIONS AND PURPOSES ARE TO DESTROY US—MAYOR JOHN B. HYNES OFFICIATES AT COMMISSIONING OF NAVY'S FIRST GUIDED MISSILE SHIP—IN ADDRESS AT PHILADELPHIA ANNOUNCES TO ALL WORLD THAT WE ARE A PEACEFUL PEOPLE WHO WANT PEACE IN WORLD BUT WILL NOT BE ENSLAVED — URGES NOT ONLY PROTECTION BUT GREATER SPEED AND FEROCITY IN RETALIATION—THUS WE ACHIEVE A PEACEFUL WORLD.

Mayor John B. Hynes delivered the chief address at the commissioning of the U.S.S. *Boston*, the first guided missile ship to be commissioned by the Navy. The exercises took place at the Navy Yard in Philadelphia on November 1, before a large audience featured by the presence of leading high officials of all the military services. In his address Mayor Hynes spoke as follows:

Today, as we commission our nation's first guided missile ship, we begin the writing of a new page in the history of our country, a new chapter in the long and bright saga of the United States Navy.

Undoubtedly, naval historians will record this eventful occasion as the dawn of a new era in the chronicles of the sea.

The boundless heavens, the timeless mountains, the ageless seas have never witnessed a period of civilization which has moved as rapidly as this period in which we live.

Within a few short years the fertile mind and the ingenuity of man have brought forth weapons of destruction so intricate, so complex, so awful in their capacity to destroy, that they are almost beyond human comprehension.

Means of Defense Devised.

We take comfort, however, in the knowledge that, as amazing and frightening as these modern weapons of destruction might be, the fertile mind and the ingenuity of man are equally adept in the contriving of means of defense against every means of offense, whatever they may be.

Our nation and our people are dedicated to peaceful pursuits. We do not covet the possessions of other nations. We do not live in jealous contemplation of the resources of the world which are beyond our borders.

We are a peaceful people. We want a peaceful world, and yet we must realize that there are forces in this world, powerful forces, having no regard for human life or the laws of God or man, which will be content only when they can conquer the whole world, and make of man an enslaved creature no higher than the unthinking animals in the fields.

Against those forces who, at this very hour, are capable of moving with lightning-like speed and ferocity, we must be prepared not alone to protect ourselves, but to retaliate with equal or greater speed and ferocity.

We must, in short, as we pray for the best, be fully prepared for the worst. For this reason, and no other, we man and equip our warships, such as the U.S.S. *Boston*, with modern weapons of war.

No Other Way Left.

In no better way, in this period of civilization, can we help to achieve a peaceful world.

In strength we can be safe. In weakness we can be lost. How fatalistic, how tragic to the world, would be a weak and unprepared United States of America.

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"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean;
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.

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STREET AGENCIES.

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Advertising.

A rate of $4 per inch of 12 lines (set solid) has been established for such advertisements as under the law must be printed in the City Record. Advertising and other copy must be in hand by 5 P.M. Wednesday of each week to insure its publication in the Saturday issue.

MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, November 14, at 2 P.M.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries, or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the Complaints Division, Room 25, City Hall.

Information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways, the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments of streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped area for streets and the opening of private ways; the making of specific repairs in public streets; the naming of public streets, including the use of public ways for location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railways, coal holes, and vaults, may be secured from the Public Improvement Commission, Room 403, City Hall Annex.

TO THE BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION, 112 Southampton street, for information relative to regulation of vehicular street traffic on all or any streets, ways, highways, roads, and parkways under the control of the City of Boston, the issuing of all permits in connection therewith.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting, and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of Sumner Tunnel, the maintenance of bridges and draw-bridges, and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Haymarket Square, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish, and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughterhouses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases, of public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth Avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park, and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts, also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview, and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

TO THE DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS, 28 Norman street, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

TO THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, ROOM 907, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal, or tearing down buildings.

TO THE ELECTRICAL INSPECTION DIVISION OF THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT, 1001 City Hall Annex, for all information relative to the erection of poles, building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division; also for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings of the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

TO THE BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT, 43 City Hall, relative to changes in the boundary lines of zoning districts of the City of Boston as established by chapter 488 of the Acts of 1924, and amendments thereto.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending October 29, 1955.

Population as of July, 1950, Massachusetts State Census, 817,713; population estimated July, 1955, United States Census Bureau, 813,696; number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 150; nonresidents, 52; total, 202.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 13.01; nonresidents deducted, 9.42.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:

Last week, 14.86; corresponding week last year, 15.31.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 10; one year to four years, inclusive, —; sixty years and over, 162. Total deaths: Male, 110; female, 92; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 151.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Oct. 29, 1955.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Oct. 30, 1954.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior Poliomyclitis	47	3	6	—
Diphtheria	1	—	—	—
Encephalitis Lethargica	—	—	—	—
Influenza	—	—	—	—
Measles	3	—	63	—
Meningitis Epidemic	—	—	—	—
Pneumonia (lobar)	—	1	—	—
Scarlet Fever	2	—	8	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary)	22	2	22	5
Childhood Type Tuberculosis	—	—	—	—
Tuberculosis (other forms)	2	—	4	—
Typhoid Fever	—	—	—	—
Whooping Cough	1	—	25	—

*Residents and nonresidents included.

MAYOR HYNES' ADDRESS AT COMMISSIONING OF U.S.S. BOSTON.

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Today our country is the great citadel of freedom.

Almighty God has showered upon our land and our people countless and bountiful blessings. We are, in all truth, in this ominous period in the life of the world, the one hope, the one strong force, which can preserve the world from self-destruction, the one strong force which can save the world from idolatry and slavery.

To us, to the United States, the freedom-loving peoples of the world look up with beseeching eyes. To us Almighty God looks down with eyes of expectancy.

No better evidence of our response can be found than in this mighty ship of peace we recommission here today. Never will its guns bark in unrighteous anger. Never will its missiles pierce the skies in unprovoked attack. Never will it churn the seas in search of innocent victims. It is a mighty ship — mighty in the cause of peace.

Boston Always Inspires.

Whatever its missions may be in the future, may the noble name of noble old Boston always inspire its officers and men, as the men of old Boston were inspired, when the freedoms and liberties we enjoy hung in the balance.

Boston, the old seaport city of Boston, the mother city of our country, is proud that this great ship, first commissioned in our own home waters before it took to the seas to compile a glorious record in the second world war, is to bear the name wherever it may go of the birthplace of our republic.

Long before the bison and the buffalo ceased to roam on the wide open plains, Boston was the chief port of the United States Navy. For over two hundred and fifty years the Navy Yard at Boston has been part of the heart and soul of our city, and from that yard have sailed many of our gallant sons, never, never to return.

The people of Boston, all of us, have the smell of the sea in our nostrils, and have a strong, enduring, filial affection for the United States Navy, its ships, its officers, and its men. It will always be thus.

Boston Is Proud Today.

Boston is a proud old city. It is proud of its history. It is prouder today in the knowledge that the first guided missile ship of the United States Navy will bear its proud name.

In behalf of all the people of Boston, I extend to the captain of the U. S. S. *Boston*, himself a native of our city, and to all its officers and its men, this simple little wish, paraphrasing the motto of our city:

"May God be with you always, in tranquility or in tempest, as He was with our fathers."

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULING.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of sidewalk reconstruction, estimated to be thirty (30) days, parking of vehicles is prohibited in the following street, effective October 26, 1955:

Bowdoin Street, Boston Proper.

Both sides, from Cambridge street to Derne street.

STREET CONSTRUCTION ORDERED FOR WEST ROXBURY.

(*Continued from page 1289.*)

For the making of the aforesaid improvement an easement for street purposes is hereby taken in the following-described land, exclusive of trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed thereto.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Antonio and Angelina DiFronzo, bounded:

Northeasterly by the southwesterly line of School street, four and 12–100 feet; northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Granada park as it existed prior to this order, one hundred eight and 50–100 feet; southwesterly by land hereinafter described as taken from Guiseppe and Asunta DiFronzo, four and 00–100 feet; and southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Granada park as laid out under this order, one hundred seven and 49–100 feet, containing four hundred thirty-two square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Guiseppe and Asunta DiFronzo, bounded:

Northeasterly by land hereinbefore described as taken from Antonio and Angelina DiFronzo, four and 00–100 feet; northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Granada park as it existed prior to this order, thirty-seven and 00–100 feet; southwesterly by land hereinafter described as taken from Charles J. and Mary L. Cannata, four and 00–100 feet; and southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Granada park as laid out under this order, thirty-seven and 00–100 feet, containing one hundred forty-eight square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Charles J. and Mary L. Cannata, bounded:

Northeasterly by land hereinbefore described as taken from Guiseppe and Asunta DiFronzo, four and 00–100 feet; northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Granada park as it existed prior to this order, thirty-three and 00–100 feet; southwesterly by land hereinafter described as taken from Nellie A. and Joanna Buckley, four and 00–100 feet; and southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Granada park as laid out under this order, thirty-three and 00–100 feet, containing one hundred thirty-two square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Nellie A. and Joanna Buckley, bounded:

Northeasterly by land hereinbefore described as taken from Charles J. and Mary L. Cannata, four and 00–100 feet; northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Granada park as it existed prior to this order, thirty and 00–100 feet; southwesterly by land hereinafter described as taken from William J. and James H. Sproul, four and 00–100 feet; and southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Granada park as laid out under this order, thirty and 00–100 feet, containing one hundred twenty square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to William J. and James H. Sproul, bounded:

Northeasterly by land hereinbefore described as taken from Nellie A. and Joanna Buckley, four and 00–100 feet; northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Granada park as it existed prior to this order, thirty and 00–100 feet; southwesterly by land hereinafter described as taken from Antonio G. and Phyllis Giannetti, four and 00–100 feet; and southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Granada park as laid out under this order, thirty and 00–100 feet, containing one hundred twenty square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Antonio G. and Phyllis Giannetti, bounded:

Northeasterly by land hereinbefore described as taken from William J. and James H. Sproul, four and 00–100 feet; northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Granada park as it existed prior to this order, thirty and 00–100 feet; southwesterly by land hereinafter described as taken from Teresa and Caferina Manfredi, four and 00–100 feet; and southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Granada park as laid out under this order, thirty and 00–100 feet, containing one hundred twenty square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Teresa and Caferina Manfredi, bounded:

Northeasterly by land hereinbefore described as taken from Antonio G. and Phyllis Giannetti, four and 00–100 feet; northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Granada park as it existed prior to this order, forty-seven and 00–100 feet; southwesterly by land hereinafter described as taken from Antonio DiCarlo, four and 00–100 feet; and southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Granada park as laid out under this order, forty-seven and 00–100 feet, containing one hundred eighty-eight square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Antonio DiCarlo, bounded:

Northeasterly by land hereinbefore described as taken from Teresa and Caferina Manfredi, four and 00–100 feet; northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Granada park as it existed prior to this order, one hundred sixteen and 20–100 feet; southwesterly by land supposed to belong to Thomas M. (Jr.) and Andrew J. Igoe, four and 00–100 feet; and southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Granada park as laid out under this order, one hundred sixteen and 20–100 feet, containing four hundred sixty-four square feet, more or less.

Trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforedescribed land, shall be removed therefrom within thirty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Said Granada park as hereby laid out is bounded:

Northeasterly by the southwesterly line of School street, twenty-four and 74–100 feet; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Granada park as hereby laid out, four hundred thirty-seven and 36–100 feet; southwesterly by the southwesterly line of Granada park as hereby laid out, by two measurements, thirteen and 11–100 feet and ten and 89–100 feet; and southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Granada park as hereby laid out, four hundred thirty-one and 15–100 feet.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvements.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the abutting parcels of land situated on both sides of Granada park will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement herein ordered; each of said parcels in the amount hereinafter respectively set against it; said parcels and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Granada Park, West

Roxbury, October 19, 1955, George G. Hyland, Commissioner of Public Works," and on file in the office of this commission.

Parcel.		Amount
1.	Antonio and Angelina DiFronzo	$153 81
2.	Guiseppe and Asunta DiFronzo	281 16
3.	Charles J. and Mary L. Cannata	229 41
4.	Nellie A. and Joanna Buckley	230 40
5.	William J. and James H. Sproul	230 40
6.	Antonio G. and Phyllis Giannetti	230 40
7.	Teresa and Caferina Manfredi	345 60
8.	Antonio DiCarlo	649 53
9.	Antonio DiCarlo	588 27
10.	Salvatore Balliro	377 60
11.	Frederick F. Dubuque	392 80
12.	Alfred S. Busa	406 45
13.	Charles F. Busa	204 80
14.	Joseph R. and Anna M. Cannata	274 00
15.	Sarkis and Vartouhy Kayikjian	144 00
	Total	$4,741 69

Voted, That this commission determines that the undermentioned persons sustain damages in their estates by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the laying out and construction of Granada park (formerly Byron court), West Roxbury district, from School street, approximately 438 feet southwesterly, under the order of this commission of October 19, 1955, in the amounts hereinafter respectively set against them; and awards said amounts therefor.

	Amount
Antonio and Angelina DiFronzo, 432 square feet	$1
Guiseppe and Asunta DiFronzo, 148 square feet	1
Charles J. and Mary L. Cannata, 132 square feet	1
Nellie A. and Joanna Buckley, 120 square feet	1
William J. and James H. Sproul, 120 square feet	1
Antonio G. and Phyllis Giannetti, 120 square feet	1
Teresa and Caferina Manfredi, 188 square feet	1
Antonio DiCarlo, 464 square feet	1

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

Rose L. Avery, 494 Norfolk street, Mattapan, in the sum of $435, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 52 Clarkwood street, Dorchester, November 4, 1954.

Salvatore Puleini, 61 Oak street, Hyde Park, in the sum of $66.95, as compensation for damage to automobile caused by an exeavation in the roadway of Hyde Park avenue, opposite No. 916, Deeember 19, 1953.

Asa K. Moody, 39 Gould street, West Roxbury, in the sum of $150, as compensation for damage to property caused by a change in grade during the reconstruction of Gould street by the Public Works Department.

Dorothy M. Leonard, 62 Bowdoin avenue, Dorchester, in the sum of $175, as compensation for damage to property caused by a change in grade during the reconstruction of Bowdoin avenue by the Public Works Department.

Robert N. Burrill, 240 North Beacon street, Brighton, to be reimbursed in the sum of $45, as a result of an accident which occurred on June 15, 1954, when a motor vehicle belonging to the Fire Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Frank Cohen.

Tomasina G. Santoro, 57 Trenton street, East Boston, in the sum of $100, as compensation for damage to property caused by a dead limb which fell from the tree located on the sidewalk at the corner of Trenton and Marion streets and which struck her house, June 13, 1954.

Gennaro Nonni, 129 Leyden street, East Boston, to be reimbursed in the sum of $150, as a result of an accident which occurred on May 2, 1955, when a motor truck belonging to the Sewer Division, Public Works Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Francis Grasso, causing damage to the automobile and personal injuries to Mr. Grasso.

PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT COMMISSION APPROVES STREET REPAIRS.

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Specifie repairs in Harrison avenue, Boston Proper district, between Beaeh street and Kneeland street, consisting of the reduetion in width of the westerly sidewalk, as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Harrison Avenue, Boston Proper, Oetober 13, 1955."

Specific repairs in West Broadway, South Boston district, at the northeasterly eorner of Dorchester street, consisting of the reduction in width of the sidewalk and at the southwesterly corner of Dorehester street, eonsisting of inereasing the eurb radii, as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, West Broadway, South Boston, October 13, 1955."

Specific repairs in Chelsea street, Charlestown distriet, at the southwesterly, northwesterly, and southeasterly corners of Joiner street, consisting of increasing the eurb radii, as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Chelsea Street, Joiner Street, Charlestown, July 13, 1955."

Specifie repairs in Massaehusetts avenue, Roxbury district, at both corners of Magazine street, consisting of inereasing the curb radii, as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Massaehusetts Avenue, Roxbury, Oetober 13, 1955."

RETIREMENT BOARD REPORTS.

To the Auditor.

At meetings of the Retirement Board, held on the following dates, October 11, 14, 21, and 28, respectively, the retirement from active service of the following-named employees was approved to become effective at the close of business, October 31, 1955, under the provisions of ehapter 658:

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Francis H. Baker, ladderman.
Raymond S. LaCasso, captain.
Joseph A. Hurley, inspector.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

James Mahoney, cook.
Michael F. Coughlin, kitchen worker.
Anna R. Croke, secretary.
Bertha Holton, elevator operator.
Leona M. Dostie, medieal worker.
Margaret McCart, medical worker.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Elizabeth I. Welch, matron.
Annie M. Kelly, pianist.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Franklin J. Sherman, patrolman.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

James J. Barry, laborer.
Thomas E. Burke, foreman.

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT.

Julia V. Guiney, vice principal.
Stella M. Ives, assistant.
Anna M. Doyle, assistant.
Elizabeth Chase, guidance counselor.
Mary J. McMahon, assistant.
Marion I. Sherman, assistant.
Leroy K. Houghton, principal.
John J. McSweeney, instructor.
Frank F. Hayes, custodian.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Agnes M. May, senior clerk.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

SUPERIOR COURT.

William H. Kirkland, court officer.

MUNICIPAL COURT.

Eleanor F. Collins, principal clerk.

Attest:

PAUL L. CARTY,
Executive Officer.

To the Auditor.

At meetings of the Retirement Board, held on the following dates, October 11, 21, and 28, respectively, the retirement from active service of the following-named members of the Boston Retirement System was approved to become effective at the close of business, October 31, 1955, under the provisions of chapter 521 of the Acts of 1922:

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Albert H. McLaughlin, hoseman.
Alwin J. Thibeault, fire fighter.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Charles F. Kerrigan, patrolman.

Attest:

W. J. DOYLE, *Chairman.*

TRANSFERS OF APPROPRIATIONS.

The Mayor has approved the following requests for transfers of appropriations:

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Health Division.

From 100, Permanent Employees, $2,000, to 330, Heating Supplies and Materials, $2,000.

From 100, Permanent Employees, $3,000, to 350, Medical, Dental and Hospital Supplies, $3,000.

From 100, Permanent Employees, $2,000, to 360, Office Supplies and Materials, $2,000.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

From 369, Supplies and Materials (Not Otherwise Classified), $4, to 490, Other Current Charges and Obligations, $4.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

SUPERIOR CIVIL COURT.

Clerk's Office.

From Code 2-296, Contractual Services, $500, to Code 2-593, Library Books, $500.

POLICE PENSIONS AND BENEFITS.

On Deeember 1, 1952, there were 709 persons on the pension roll. During the year 25 died, 68 were added, leaving 752 on roll to date, 676 pensioners and 76 annuitants. Payments on aceount of pensions and annuities during the past year amounted to $1,377,183.62, and it is estimated that $1,717,827.71 will be required for pensions and annuities in 1954.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following personnel changes:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Approval has been given for the reinstatement of George F. Cronin, 73 Birchwood street, West Roxbury, as permanent deputy assessor at $127.25 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Mary C. Novicki, clerk and stenographer, has resigned.

The resignation of Bernice K. Lichtenstein, public health nurse, has been approved.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

For the week ending October 18:

The following weekly nurses have been appointed:

Permanent.—Ann Devine, 1 Merrill avenue, Quincy, floor nurse, $60.50 a week.

Temporary.—Euanna McInnis, 49 Sargent street, Dorchester, Winifred Martindale, 16 Callender street, Cambridge, John Donovan, 94 Queensberry street, Anne Marie Zendzian, 440 Newbury street, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour; Helen Clifford, 59 Sagamore street, Dorchester, staff nurse, $1.50 an hour.

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Viola Bergstrom, 122 Church street, Wilmington, 2 days; Claire Bilapka, 230 Commonwealth avenue, 1 day; Lillian Blackburn, 18 Park Vale avenue, Allston, 7 days; Rita Buscher, 238 Norfolk street, Wollaston, 3 days; Sophie Cotter, 173 Vine Rock street, Dedham, 5 days; Iris Crowley, 168 Crowley-Rogers Way, South Boston, 3 days; Adele Daley, 73 Stanton street, Dorchester, 7 days; Norma Dean, 696 Massachusetts avenue, 5 days; Patricia Doucette, 352 Athens street, South Boston, Eva Durgin, 13 Hardwick road, Quincy, 7 days; Anna Ferrara, 53 Blue Hill avenue, Milton, 5 days; Lucille Furega, 14 Kilsyth road, Medfield, 2 days; Ethel Goff, 40 Rockwell street, Dorchester, 7 days; Virginia Hamilton, 827 River street, Mattapan, 3 days; Frances Harris, 103 Townsend street, Roxbury, 7 days; Dorothy Hudson, Great road, Maynard, 1 day; Joan Keane, 1086 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, 3 days; Elizabeth Barton, 1 day; Carol Duffy, 78 Metropolitan avenue, Roslindale, 2 days; Loretta Lynch, 270 Huntington avenue, 3 days; Claire MacDonald, Mary R. Mahan, 29 Kempton street, 7 days; Mary Murphy, 37 Hampden Circle, Wollaston, 2 days; Angelina Mullaney, 1235 Trapelo road, Waltham, 4 days; Phyllis Negri, 271 Dartmouth street, 6 days; Mae Owens, 259 Chestnut avenue, Jamaica Plain, 1 day; Dora Picarsky, 31 Edison Green, Dorchester, 6 days; Alyce Powers, 67 Prospect avenue, Wollaston, 2 days; Joan Piscitello, 19 Allen street, Medford, 3 days; Vivian Plerock, 2 days; Romaine Riley, 171 Humboldt avenue, Roxbury, 5 days; Louella Roach, Madeline Sullivan, 126 Marlborough street, 2 days; Margaret M. Sullivan, 28 Weymouth street, Holbrook, 7 days; Takaka Salvi, 123 Harvard street, Cambridge, 2 days; Josephine Trippe, 80 Orleans street, East Boston, 3 days; Josephine Tyman, 39 Burnham street, Somerville, Audrey Trask, 7 days; Ila Ward, 79

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 1.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
George DeAngelo	600 American Legion Hgwy.	18	Alterations, dwelling	$450
Hom Lite	273 Cambridge street	22	Alterations, cleanser	7,000
Kane Chevrolet	700 Gallivan Boulevard	16	Alterations, auto. storage	None
Kahn Transportation Co	1626 Hyde Park avenue	18	Alterations, garage, offices	$1,000
Sidrich Realty	102–104 Main street	2	Alterations, dwelling, store	1,000
Sidrich Realty	104½–106 Main street	2	Alterations, dwelling, store	800
I. Tepper & Sons	57 Messinger street	18	Dwelling	9,000
John Basil	44 Moss Hill road	19	Dwelling	1,700
Harry Butta	151 Mt. Vernon street	13	Storehouse	2,000
David Fox	155–157 Meridian street	1	Alterations, dwelling, store	1,000
Warren Stevens	259 Newbury street	5	Alterations, dwelling	800
I. Tepper & Son	101 Orlando street	18	Dwelling	9,000
I. Tepper & Son	121 Orlando street	18	Dwelling	9,000
Alfred Fiorine	43 Rosecliff street	18	Dwelling	9,000
Walter Fleming	17 Sanborn avenue	17	Alterations, dwelling	650
L. D. Phillips	126 Summer street	3	Alterations, storage, office	4,200
J. Wesherbelle	39 Tenean street	16	Alterations, machine shop	300
James Salah	1605 Veterans of Foreign Wars Parkway.	20	Alterations, storage	None
Emilio Baratta	99–103 West Cedar street	5	Alterations, restaurant, office.	$100
Hollingsworth Estate	610 Atlantic avenue	3	Alterations, manufacturing, office	950
Pilgrim Badger Label Co	278 Babcock street	21	Alterations, printing	400
Peter Weiss	57 Bennett street	22	Alterations, dwelling	500
Rose Weinberger	1039 Blue Hill avenue	14	Alterations, dwelling	350
Colonial Toys	1591 Blue Hill avenue	18	Alterations, store	60
Myer Eilberg	51 Brackett street	22	Alterations, dwelling	100
Myer Eilberg	55 Brackett street	22	Alterations, dwelling	50
Walter Smith	120 Child street	11	Alterations, dwelling	255
Stanley Sveda	312 Columbus avenue	4	Alterations, dwelling	200
Max Bern	321 Columbus avenue	4	Alterations, garage	200
Estate of Sol Retenberg	1666 Commonwealth avenue	21	Alterations, dwelling	800
First National Bank	22 Court street	3	Alterations, office	22
Patten Restaurant	37 Court street	3	Alterations, restaurant	355
Frank McNilley	51 Dix street	16	Alterations, dwelling	175
Peter Agnanos	1510 Dorchester avenue	16	Alterations, store, office	80
Annie Chalpin	616 Dudley street	13	Alterations, dwelling	200
E. Galvin	96–98 Elmer street	16	Alterations, dwelling	300
Forest Hill Cemetery	Forest Hills avenue	19	Alterations, chapel, office	2,000
Anthony Supraino	48 G street	7	Alterations, dwelling	1,200
Mr. Wallace	8 Groton street	3	Alterations, dwelling	100
Self-Service Shoe Outlet	21 Guild street	9	Alterations, store	100
Peter Nobile	239–243 Hanover street	3	Alterations, dwelling, store	875
Anna Hurley	9 Hardwick street	22	Alterations, dwelling	150
Boston American League	24 Jersey street	5	Alterations, office	980
Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston.	5–37 Lake street	22	Alterations, chapel, office	1,000
A. Viga	188 Lexington street	1	Alterations, dwelling	500
E. Jones	6 Linwood street	9	Alterations, dwelling	250
Ben Abramson	516 Main street	2	Alterations, store	300
Ben Abramson	518 Main street	2	Alterations, store	100
Ben Abramson	520 Main street	2	Alterations, store, dwelling	100
A. Anzalone	194 Main street	1	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Albert Phillips	39 McBride street	11	Alterations, dwelling	105
Michael Sarni	44 Mill street	16	Alterations, dwelling	300
Mrs. Catron	55 Moreland street	12	Alterations, dwelling	125
Mrs. Catron	57 Moreland street	12	Alterations, dwelling	125
J. Smith	109 Mystic street	5	Alterations, dwelling	3,975
Catherine Gemato	49 North Russell street	3	Alterations, dwelling	100
Guilio Croynale	51 North Russell street	3	Alterations, dwelling	100
John Belanger	27–29 Orchardfield street	15	Alterations, dwelling	200
Cosmo Cotts	59 Perkins street	10	Alterations, dwelling	675
Louis Bentley	21 Savin street	12	Alterations, dwelling	440
Thomas Doherty	851 South street	20	Alterations, dwelling	80
Vivian Anderson	11–15 Spaulding street	15	Alterations, dwelling	625
All Jay Realty Corporation	150–152 State street	3	Alterations, school	585
Quincy & Co	96 Sudbury street	3	Alterations, restaurant, equipment	1,000
W. T. Roberts	108 Sudbury street	3	Alterations, hotel supplies	1,200
E. Branca	271–273 Talbot avenue	17	Alterations, store, dwelling	75
L. Vahey	43 Thomas park	7	Alterations, dwelling	100
Mr. Carroll	44 Thomas park	7	Alterations, dwelling	100
Joseph Cucinotta	475 Tremont street	4	Alterations, bar and grill	175
W. A. Rodday	79 Tyler street	3	Alterations, dwelling	500
Kalinauskas	4 Upland avenue	16	Alterations, dwelling	460
J. Wurzell	67 Walworth street	20	Alterations, dwelling	200
Joseph Bagnara	67 Washington street	3	Alterations, stores, office	100
Radio Shack, Inc	167 Washington street	3	Alterations, store, office	500
Radio Shack, Inc	173 Washington street	3	Alterations, store, office	500
State Street Trust	212 Washington street	3	Alterations, store, offices	100
Court Street House Realty	505 Washington street	17	Alterations, stores, offices	180
Mary Walsh	512 Washington street	20	Alterations, dwelling	150
A. W. Perry	575 Washington street	3	Alterations, offices, restaurant	950
A. W. Perry	585 Washington street	3	Alterations, stores, offices	750
Paul Medici	1643 Washington street	9	Alterations, dwelling, offices	175
Dudley Realty	2224 Washington street	8	Alterations, store	400
Tom Kirby	2605 Washington street	11	Alterations, store	175
First National Bank	4258 Washington street	18	Alterations, store, office	60
Mary Peipiora	5 West Cottage street	8	Alterations, dwelling	400
B. Friedman	227 West Fifth street	6	Alterations, dwelling	50
B. Friedman	229 West Fifth street	6	Alterations, dwelling	50
R. Socrates *et al*	385 West Fourth street	6	Alterations, dwelling	100
J. Audrins	397 West Fourth street	6	Alterations, dwelling	312
John Pavides	423 West Second street	6	Alterations, dwelling	100
Milton Gaber	138 West Selden street	18	Alterations, dwelling	350
Kemo Nosella	10 Winter street	15	Alterations, dwelling	250
Conrad Company	25 Winter street	3	Alterations, store	275
Joseph Iona	295–297 Wood avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	250
Pomesco Simone	92–98 A street	6	Alterations, dwelling, stores	600
H. M. Faust Company	6 Alden street	3	Alterations, store warehouse.	800
Miller & Hollis	549 Albany street	8	Alterations, store, manufacturing	350

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 1.—Concluded.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Margaret Keenan	1329 Blue Hill avenue	14	Alterations, dwelling	$945
Mrs. Bevilacqua	117 Centre street	11	Alterations, dwelling	500
Joan Walsh	114 Fairmount street	17	Alterations, dwelling	192
Robert Norbert	32 Fairview street	20	Alterations, dwelling	583
Dennis Hanlon	12 Greenmount street	15	Alterations, dwelling	100
Dennis Hanlon	14 Greenmount street	15	Alterations, dwelling	100
Estate of Simon Katz	86 Harrison avenue	3	Alterations, dwelling, store	250
J. Feldstein	52-54 Kneeland street	3	Alterations, store, office	250
J. Feldstein	32 Newburn street	3	Alterations, dwelling	50
George Ellis	30 Newburn street	9	Alterations, dwelling	50
Nicholas Lanncy	95 Prescott street	1	Alterations, dwelling	650
Harry Jackson	207 Quincy street	13	Alterations, dwelling	500
David Krupnick	335 Seaver street	14	Alterations, dwelling	50
Theresa Ciccone *et al*	3 Schreple place	6	Alterations, dwelling	100
Theresa Ciccone *et al*	4 Schreple place	6	Alterations, dwelling	100
Irma Covington	43 Warwick street	9	Alterations, dwelling	100
Josephine Grimes	216 West Ninth street	7	Alterations, dwelling	900
Raymond DiRosa	33 Woodworth street	1	Alterations, dwelling	400
A. W. Perry	13 Avery street	3	Alterations, store, office	450
Brunswick Auto Supply	140 Bowdoin street	15	Alterations, storage	380
Wm. Schleehauf	107 Chestnut avenue	10	Alterations, dwelling	95
Silvano Capidolupo	10 Dalton street	5	Alterations, dwelling	100
R. Belton	583 East Eighth street	7	Alterations, dwelling	475
Andrew Viglas	233 Freeport street	16	Alterations, dwelling	500
So Hoo Sing	95 Hudson street	3	Alterations, dwelling	250
Samuel Taylor	307 Huntington avenue	1	Alterations, hotel, store	200
James Mazzulla	64 Overlook road	20	Alterations, retaining wall	300
Florence Leary	321 Quincy street	15	Alterations, dwelling	982
Thomas Hoag	210 Savin Hill avenue	13	Alterations, garage	25
Mystic Avenue Realty	47 Stanhope street	5	Alterations, restaurant	500
Max Schriver	671 Walkhill street	18	Alterations, dwelling	150
A. W. Perry	575 Washington street	3	Alterations, stores, office	500
A. W. Perry	575 Washington street	3	Alterations, stores, offices	850
Mitchell Mastrowaty	5180 Washington street	20	Alterations, launderette	300
Edward Bell	120 West Broadway	6	Alterations, storage	295
Nat Kaufman	295-297 Beacon street	5	Alterations, dwelling	500
Joseph Linda	195 Bellevue street	20	Garage	1,252
Richard Kirby	917 Bennington street	1	Garage	12,600
James Kyne	58 Brookley road	11	Garage	685
Waverly Heating Co	279 Bunker Hill street	2	Alterations, warehouse	2
Allston Post V.F.W.	406 Cambridge street	21	Alterations, recreation hall	32,000
Jack Saranger	300 A-B-C Centre street	10	Alterations, store	12,000
Maurice Shapiro	91 Charles street	5	Alterations, dwelling, store	100
Massachusetts Trust	40 Chestnut street	5	Alterations, dwelling	2,100
Congress Street Associates	50 Congress street	3	Alterations, offices, stores	4,400
Dr. Walter E. Mechado	90 Corey street	20	Alterations, dwelling	300
William Saint *et al*	233 Cummins Highway	19	Garage	826
General Building Trust	75 Federal street	3	Alterations, bank, offices	10,000
Associated Jewish Philanthropics.	70 Franklin street	3	Alterations, offices, store	4,000
David Wong	79 Harrison avenue	3	Alterations, restaurant	1,000
Fernandes Trust	69-81 Kilmarnock street	21	Alterations, restaurant, store	5,000
Joseph Dinallo	27 Freeman avenue	20	Dwelling	11,000
Morris Saitz	43 Hollywood road	20	Alterations, dwelling	275
Samuel Agostino	21 Kimball street	15	Alterations, garage	1,700
Judith Realty Trust	81 Lincoln street	22	Warehouse, office	30,000
Shell Oil Company	1190 Massachusetts avenue	7	Alterations, gas station	11,000
William Parlon	40 New Haven street	20	Garage	1,000
Theodore Walker	46 Potomac street	20	Dwelling	8,000
Quita Foster	4 Riverview street	20	Dwelling	8,000
Quita Foster	8 Riverview street	20	Dwelling	8,000
Jules Cossette	189 Ruskindale road	18	Dwelling	8,000
Olimpia Puricelli	43A Sprague street	18	Garage	900
Joseph Catano	9 Varick road	20	Alterations, dwelling	1,300
Sandy's Stores, Inc.	1208 V.F.W. Parkway	20	Alterations, store	2,000
Arch Street Realty	847 Washington street	3	Parking lot	500
Samuel Bullock	39 Waumbeck street	12	Alterations, dwelling	300
Stefani Caporale	46 Waverly street	22	Garage	1,000
Angil Cosindas	111 Weld street	20	Dwelling	9,000
Angil Cosindas	115 Weld street	20	Dwelling	9,000
Irad Marple	19 Arden street	22	Alterations, dwelling	500
E. Griffin	33 Bloomfield street	17	Alterations, dwelling	150
Helen McCarthy	149 Boston street	7	Alterations, dwelling	290
Insurance Exchange	40 Broad street	3	Alterations, offices, store	450
J. Schmedge	49 Burbank street	4	Alterations, dwelling	850
Margaret Slattery	233-237 Cabot street	9	Alterations, dwelling	850
Margaret Campbell	11 Chapman street	2	Alterations, dwelling	300
Florence Donovan	54 Chilton road	20	Alterations, dwelling	400
A. Gorchy	214 Cummins Highway	19	Alterations, dwelling	425
Peter Agnanos	1510 Dorchester avenue	16	Alterations, stores, offices	75
Jay Cleansers	2265 Dorchester avenue	17	Alterations, store	75
John Maloney	115 Elmer road	16	Alterations, dwelling	475
Edward Kenney	123 Elmer road	16	Alterations, dwelling	290
Gertrude Foley	9 Fairfax street	16	Alterations, dwelling	525
Hyman Gordon	8 Goodale road	14	Alterations, dwelling	400
Ellen McTighe	34 Homes avenue	15	Alterations, dwelling	250
Mrs. Jacobowski	5 Howes street	13	Alterations, dwelling	275
James O'Malley	14 Leroy street	15	Alterations, dwelling	325
James Conroy	29 M street	6	Alterations, dwelling	350
John Mahoney	34 Mead street	2	Alterations, dwelling	895
Thomas McLaughlin	14 Norton street	15	Alterations, dwelling	95
Ann Heap	120 Park street	16	Alterations, barn	250
Mrs. Szczesuil	17 Pond street	7	Alterations, dwelling	350
Louis Shulman	4 Thane street	17	Alterations, dwelling	600
Margaret Salterry	130 Vernon street	9	Alterations, dwelling	800
Family Society	32 Vinson street	16	Alterations, family welfare	400
Milton Kaye Realty	301 Washington street	14	Alterations, warehouse	650
Morris Berg	2224 Washington street	8	Alterations, store	1,000
Mr. Thornton	181 West Eighth street	6	Alterations, dwelling	450
Max Levine	239 West Selden street	18	Alterations, dwelling	560
Mary Cody	78 Willow street	7	Alterations, dwelling	200
Ethel Kawner	Rear 74 Woolson street	14	Alterations, metal garage	90

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Warren street, Roxbury, Kathryn Welch, 49 East Springfield street, Carrie Coleman, 360 Thacher street, Milton, Mary Pursley, 39 Van Brunt street, Hyde Park, 1 day.

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—James M. Broderick, 295 Washington street, Dorchester, John F. Bissonette, 77 Harvard street, Dorchester, hospital house workers, $43 a week; Elizabeth Reilly, 117 South street, Waltham, nurse, anesthetist, $76.50 a week; Grace Warren, 47 Leonard road, Melrose, floor nurse, $60.50 a week.

Temporary.—Edward Wallace, 37 Rockford street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; Mary C. Hamilton, 36 Wrentham street, Dorchester, hospital house worker, $43 a week; Helen J. Clifford, 59 Sagamore street, Dorchester, Marjorie C. Coleman, 1307 Commonwealth avenue, Allston, Margaret LeBlanc, 1 Orient avenue, East Boston, Dorothy J. Currie, 283 Chestnut avenue, Jamaica Plain, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour; Thelma A. Lee, 381 Meridian street, East Boston, floor nurse, $60.50 a week.

South Division.

For the week ending October 11:

The following temporary employee has been appointed:

Patricia Phipps, 25 Elder terrace, Arlington, floor nurse, $60.50 a week.

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For the week ending October 18:

The following temporary employees have been appointed:

Carol O'Hara, 101 Taylor street, Wollaston, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour; Arthur J. Curley, 613 Parker street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Rita E. Bradley, 202 Hampden street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; Daniel F. McDonough, 425 West Second street, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $43.99 a week; Beth Michaud, 44 West Eagle street, East Boston, Rose A. Murray, 212 Westville street, Dorchester, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; Caroline Hathaway, Franklin Square House, Jane Lally, 2 Fairfield street, Salem, Marjorie L. Smith, 27 Franklin road, Winchester, physical therapists, $1.50 an hour.

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Veronica McElligott, 34 Dickinson street, Somerville, 1 day; Margaret Nolan, 14 Dix street, Dorchester, 4 days.

Sanatorium Division.

The following resignations have been approved:

Michael Reilly, third-class stationary engineer; Charles W. Munroe, hospital medical worker; David R. Alverde, hospital house worker; Margaret O'Donnell, senior hospital house worker.

Long Island Division.

The following changes have been made for the week ending October 19:

Terminations.—Margaret Curran, Martha Haraska, Helene J. Josephson, Catherine M. MacLellan, Lois M. Umstead, student practical nurses; Rosemary L.

Clark, attendant nurse; Helen D. Miller, hospital laundry worker, provisional.

Cancellation.—Florence A. Gomez, attendant nurse.

Change of Name.—Veronica M. Harrington, now Veronica M. Malone, licensed practical nurse.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Approval has been given for a leave of absence, with salary, beyond sick leave credit, for Agnes May, permanent principal clerk.

Appointments.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Health Division.

Philip Dolnick, 145 Pinckney street, public health dentist, part time, $50 a week.

Frederick W. Hanson, Jr., 1115 Adams street, Dorchester, public health dentist, $83.50 a week.

Joseph M. Dailey, 52 Lyndhurst street, Dorchester, public health dentist, $83.50 a week.

John J. Murphy, 438 Washington street, Brighton, public health physician, part time, $65 a week.

Mary V. Clark, 79 Revere street, public health nurse, $63 a week.

Marion J. McInnes, 8 Oriole street, West Roxbury, public health nurse, $63 a week.

Ann Brooks, 384 Commonwealth avenue, public health nurse, $63 a week.

David Zax, 533 Washington street, Dorchester, public health dentist, $80 a week.

William B. Markham, Jr., 32 Greenwich street, Roxbury, public health dentist, $80 a week.

Genevieve Jacobsen, 143 Tremont street, Brighton, public health nurse, $63 a week.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

House of Correction.

Thomas E. Conroy, 11 Ellison avenue, Dorchester, correction officer, $65.50 a week.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

Buildings Division.

John P. Cox, 168 Crowley-Rogers Way, South Boston, junior building custodian, $53 a week.

Appointments or Reinstatements.

CITY PLANNING BOARD.

Robert Ewing, 7 Alexander avenue, Belmont, senior planner, $90.50 a week.

CIVIL DEFENSE.

Daniel H. Carson, 7 Mellen street, Cambridge, junior planning assistant, $2 an hour.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

William Duncanson, 2787 Washington street, Roxbury, clerk, $43 a week.

Patricia Brewton, 13 Gloucester street, dietitian, $76.50 a week.

Andrew J. Madden, 230 Amory street, guard, $53 a week.

Kenneth V. Keohane, 16 Hillock street, Roslindale, guard, $53 a week.

Francis P. Boyle, 516 East Third street, South Boston, guard, $53 a week.

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 1.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
D. Gould	45 Alexander street	13	New appliances	$11
J. McLaughlin	10 Ansonia road	20	New appliances	15
A. Russo	116 Austin street	18	New appliances	150
D. O'Neill	1 Batchelder street	8	New appliances	25
S. Stephens	512 Beacon street	5	New appliances	40
N. Deutsch	1008 Bennington street	1	New appliances	30
J. McLaughlin	35 Bourne street	19	New appliances	15
A. Russo	39 Charles street	18	New appliances	150
D. O'Neill	40 Charlotte street	14	New appliances	10
A. Russo	5 Clifford street	18	New appliances	150
N. Deutsch	188 Cottage street	1	New appliances	30
F. Rull	470 Dudley street	8	New appliances	150
C. Mehegan	90 Dwinell street	20	New appliances	400
F. Rull	643 East Fifth street	6	New appliances	25
F. Rull	809 East Fourth street	6	New appliances	100
F. Rull	712 East Sixth street	6	New appliances	75
N. Deutsch	116 Everett street	1	New appliances	75
W. Foster	28 Gould street	20	New appliances	600
A. Granara	19 Hampden street	8	New appliances	100
H. Hinckley	198 Highland street	11	New appliances	75
M. Zeolla	364 Hyde Park avenue	19	New appliances	150
A. Russo	1671 Hyde Park avenue	18	New appliances	100
W. Connell	11 Iowa street	15	New appliances	35
D. O'Neill	10 Kempton street	10	New appliances	25
N. Deutsch	71 Lubec street	1	New appliances	30
B. Zeiff	5A Mapleton street	22	New appliances	20
D. O'Neill	18 Madison street	9	New appliances	25
N. Deutsch	67 Maverick square	1	New appliances	30
D. O'Neill	14 Mitchell street	7	New appliances	50
W. Connell	9 Perthshire road	22	New appliances	160
H. Latorella	46 Prince street	3	New appliances	50
G. Drews	23 Readville street	18	New appliances	100
A. Russo	1459 River street	18	New appliances	400
A. Russo	1583 River street	18	New appliances	100
A. Russo	1585 River street	18	New appliances	100
A. Russo	10 Rockway street	18	New appliances	800
S. Fox	15 St. Albans road	10	New appliances	75
A. Russo	215 South street	11	New appliances	150
D. O'Neill	87 Sumner street	7	New appliances	25
D. O'Neill	965 Tremont street	9	New appliances	5
A. Russo	241 West street	18	New appliances	100
F. Carey	436 Baker street	20	New appliances	100
W. Awad	29 Bayard street	22	New appliances	100
W. Awad	105 Bennett street	22	New appliances	100
C. Lee	133 Blue Hill avenue	12	New appliances	30
C. Lee	25 Brookford street	13	New appliances	25
C. Lang	28 Chesbrough road	20	New appliances	100
C. Lang	103 Church street	20	New appliances	12
C. Lee	1 Clifton place	9	New appliances	25
C. Lee	4 Corning street	3	New appliances	25
W. Awad	10 Cufflin street	22	New appliances	100
P. Janis	149 Deforest street	18	New appliances	12
C. Lee	803 East Fifth street	6	New appliances	25
C. Lee	9 Estey street	10	New appliances	25
P. Janis	13 Fountain street	12	New appliances	25
A. Granara	1 Garden Court street	3	New appliances	12
W. Connell	178 Greenfield road	18	New appliances	35
C. Lee	879 Harrison avenue	8	New appliances	25
W. Connell	19 High street	15	New appliances	400
W. Awad	136 Kenrick street	22	New appliances	100
H. Dickerson	65 Kilmarnock street	21	New appliances	100
C. Lee	50 Lambert avenue	9	New appliances	40
C. Lee	12 Linden Park street	9	New appliances	35
W. Connell	68 Milton street	16	New appliances	175
C. Kay	11A Mt. Vernon street	7	New appliances	175
C. Lee	27 Mt. Vernon street	7	New appliances	25
P. Janis	339 Norfolk avenue	7	New appliances	28
W. Awad	28 Perthshire road	22	New appliances	100
W. Connell	28 Playstead road	13	New appliances	300
W. Awad	25 Portsmouth street	22	New appliances	100
W. Connell	6 Redfield street	16	New appliances	50
W. Awad	18 Riverdale street	22	New appliances	100
S. Clayman	477 Washington street	17	New appliances	95
F. Carey	4284 Washington street	18	New appliances	100
F. Carey	26 Wayburn road	19	New appliances	100
C. Lang	372 Weld street	20	New appliances	19
R. Simon	432 West Fourth street	6	New appliances	65
P. Janis	12 Weston place	9	New appliances	15
P. Gulesian	8 Allen street	18	New appliances	75
T. Matthews	3 Ashmont street	17	New appliances	100
N. Clark	10 Atkins street	22	New appliances	400
S. Sawtelle	112 Beaumont street	16	New appliances	500
J. Monahan	71 Bennett street	22	New appliances	200
N. Clark	9 Benton street	9	New appliances	400
P. Bishop	119 Blue Hill avenue	12	New appliances	100
R. DiLorenzo	321 Border street	1	New appliances	15
R. DiLorenzo	266 Bremen street	1	New appliances	15
R. DiLorenzo	78 Chelsea street	1	New appliances	15
N. Clark	789 Columbia road	7	New appliances	400
R. DiLorenzo	160 Cottage street	1	New appliances	15
R. DiLorenzo	181 Cottage street	1	New appliances	15
P. Bishop	26 Cummington street	21	New appliances	80
B. Gold	7 David road	19	New appliances	100
N. Clark	8 Eldora street	10	New appliances	400
J. Monahan	8 Electric avenue	22	New appliances	100
R. DiLorenzo	42 Eutaw street	1	New appliances	15
J. Monahan	427 Faneuil street	22	New appliances	500
B. Clancy	54 Fayette street	5	New appliances	100
J. Monahan	8 Fern street	22	New appliances	500
R. DiLorenzo	72 Frankfort street	1	New appliances	15
P. Gulesian	91 Glenwood avenue	18	New appliances	200
J. Monahan	96 Goodenough street	22	New appliances	250

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Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
J. Amico	46 Green street	3	New appliances	$35
S. Adams	28 Harbor View street	13	New appliances	225
R. DiLorenzo	30 Haynes street	1	New appliances	15
R. DiLorenzo	10 Henry street	1	New appliances	15
P. Bishop	42 Hilladale street	16	New appliances	20
J. Monahan	38 Hooker street	22	New appliances	15
P. Gulesian	919 Hyde Park avenue	18	New appliances	75
P. Gulesian	1019 Hyde Park avenue	18	New appliances	75
N. Clark	30 Ipswich street	5	New appliances	100
F. Rull	389 K street	7	New appliances	20
J. Monahan	190 Kelton street	21	New appliances	20
S. Adams	55 King street	16	New appliances	190
S. Adams	72 Kingsdale street	14	New appliances	70
G. Trethewey	156 La Grange street	20	New appliances	395
J. Williams	109 Lamartine street	10	New appliances	230
J. Monahan	39 Lane park	22	New appliances	15
J. Monahan	5 Leicester street	22	New appliances	120
S. Adams	19 Lenoxdale avenue	15	New appliances	210
P. Gulesian	11 Lexington avenue	18	New appliances	400
F. Carey	11 Maplewood street	20	New appliances	400
F. DelTufo	31 Melville avenue	17	New appliances	550
R. DiLorenzo	314 Meridian street	1	New appliances	15
S. Adams	179 Milton street	16	New appliances	285
N. Clark	127 Montelair avenue	20	New appliances	400
N. Clark	22 Norwell street	14	New appliances	400
R. DiLorenzo	138 Paris street	1	New appliances	15
J. Monahan	25 Pomeroy street	21	New appliances	114
J. Amico	169 Prince street	3	New appliances	25
R. DiLorenzo	268 Princeton street	1	New appliances	15
E. Sceatore	86 Putnam street	1	New appliances	20
S. Adams	313 Quincy street	15	New appliances	325
P. Gulesian	1489 River street	18	New appliances	200
S. Adams	14 South Munroe terrace	16	New appliances	30
G. Trethewey	41 Sycamore street	19	New appliances	150
P. Gulesian	40 Thompson street	18	New appliances	75
S. Adams	30 Thornley street	13	New appliances	325
S. Adams	90 Topliff street	15	New appliances	245
F. Ricciardello	62 Trenton street	1	New appliances	40
S. Adams	31 Wales street	14	New appliances	85
N. Clark	126 Warren street	21	New appliances	100
J. Ferullo	462 Washington street	22	New appliances	400
R. DiLorenzo	76 Webster street	1	New appliances	15
R. DiLorenzo	141 Webster street	1	New appliances	15
N. Clark	43 West Newton street	9	New appliances	100
S. Tardanico	61 Alicia road	17	New appliances	100
W. Long	25 Allston street	21	New appliances	35
W. Connell	288 Boylston street	5	New appliances	15
S. Landau	705 Cambridge street	22	New appliances	30
A. Granara	245 Chelsea street	1	New appliances	12
H. Sellon	28 Elm street	2	New appliances	68
F. Smith	44 Evans street	17	New appliances	50
B. Shillman	159 Gallivan Boulevard	17	New appliances	55
L. Rubin	20 Grove street	5	New appliances	200
B. Bishop	135 Hillside street	10	New appliances	50
S. Landau	497 Huntington avenue	4	New appliances	50
D. Greenwood	56 Keystone street	20	New appliances	30
A. Figler	30 Marcella street	11	New appliances	40
D. Greenwood	149 Metropolitan avenue	18	New appliances	150
R. DiLorenzo	41 Montmorenci avenue	1	New appliances	25
H. Sellon	25 Monument square	2	New appliances	100
A. Granara	69 North Margin street	3	New appliances	10
S. Litman	121 O street	6	New appliances	75
F. Carey	71 Oakmere street	20	New appliances	500
R. DiLorenzo	7 Orient avenue	1	New appliances	35
J. Puorro	34 Rexhame street	20	New appliances	800
H. Sellon	861 River street	18	New appliances	100
A. Onessimo	5 Spring Street court	3	New appliances	15
A. Onessimo	21 Unity court	3	New appliances	25
H. Slavet	7 Wainwright street	17	New appliances	250
H. Cutler	2772 Washington street	11	New appliances	100
P. Spareo	177 Webster street	1	New appliances	100
S. Landau	11 Woodford street	13	New appliances	55
A. Farley	18 Batchelder street	8	New appliances	15
E. Pascucci	261 Border street	1	New appliances	25
A. Farley	121 Brook avenue	13	New appliances	45
A. Farley	2 Brown street	8	New appliances	30
A. Farley	98 Burrell street	8	New appliances	25
M. Woods	453 Cambridge street	22	New appliances	100
E. Pascucci	200 Chelsea street	1	New appliances	25
A. Farley	620 Columbus avenue	9	New appliances	10
A. Farley	776 Columbus avenue	9	New appliances	15
A. Farley	1038 Columbus avenue	9	New appliances	25
L. Fama	500 Commercial street	3	New appliances	370
E. Pascucci	4 Coppersmith Way	1	New appliances	25
A. Farley	39 Cunard street	9	New appliances	15
A. Farley	31 Dacia street	13	New appliances	15
A. Farley	47 Dale street	12	New appliances	10
A. Farley	131 Dale street	9	New appliances	15
A. Farley	21 Dewey street	13	New appliances	25
A. Farley	1880 Dorchester avenue	16	New appliances	20
A. Farley	5 Dracut street	16	New appliances	50
J. Liftman	652 East Broadway	6	New appliances	50
F. Avery	9 Elwell road	19	New appliances	150
P. Russo	77 Fairmount avenue	18	New appliances	260
M. Eskowitz	5 Fairmount street	17	New appliances	10
A. Farley	18 Fayston street	13	New appliances	25
A. Farley	39 Field street	4	New appliances	25
W. Connell	343 Gallivan boulevard	16	New appliances	25
A. Farley	21 Gayland street	13	New appliances	50
F. Avery	3 Grew Hill road	18	New appliances	100
A. Farley	11 Hackensack circle	20	New appliances	10
A. Farley	21 Harold street	12	New appliances	20
I. Himelfarb	34 Harrison avenue	3	New appliances	40
A. Farley	39 Hartford street	13	New appliances	50
A. Farley	112 Hutchings street	12	New appliances	45
P. Russo	1499 Hyde Park avenue	18	New appliances	65
A. Farley	19 Kenilworth street	9	New appliances	10
A. Farley	4 Kingsbury street	11	New appliances	20

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Anne Scanlon, 158 Hillside street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Gladys Russo, 9 Shirley street, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Ruth M. Brown, 17 Walpole street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Catherine Davis, 66 Fayston street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

James J. Teehan, 98 O'Callaghan Way, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Martin Flaherty, 24 Topliff street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Norman E. Mahoney, 3 Westcott street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Joseph E. Lee, 4 Mercer street, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Robert Azorowicz, 848 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Frank L. Johnson, 17 Glen street, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Nicholas J. White, 19 Tobin court, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Michael DiGiovanni, 492 Commercial street, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Heid Alum, 267 Centre street, Jamaica Plain, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Francis P. McAvoy, 45 Delle avenue, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Thomas F. Brooks, 46 Glen road, Jamaica Plain, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

David E. Gabriele, 30 Mall street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

James A. Thomas, 142 Dorchester street, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Thomas J. Lyons, 19 O street, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Philip J. Micciche, 229 Chelsea street, East Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Theodore C. Munafo, 51 Mora street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

John E. Thornton, 6 Carmel street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Martin J. Geraghty, 11 Seaverns avenue, Jamaica Plain, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Robert M. Abrams, 80 East Concord street, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Richard Maxwell, 9 Linden Park street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Robert G. Power, 34 Heath street, Jamaica Plain, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Stephen A. Goode, 10 Kelley street, Brighton, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Clifton J. Chase, 13 Linden Park street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Patrick J. Curran, 364 West Broadway, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Thomas B. Skinner, 311 West Third street, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Philip J. Dineen, 17 Playstead road, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Enrico H. Lamberti, 26 Tilton street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Nicholas P. Repucci, 195 Lexington street, East Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Edward L. Morrison, 52 Bower street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Dante M. Cioffi, 206 Everett street, East Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Otilio S. Santiago, 79 Hunneman street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Richard J. Armstead, 2 Elm street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Frederick R. Jackson, 130 Draper street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Paul H. Burnett, 64 Chelsea street, East Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Alvin J. Medley, 5 Auburn street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Antoinette L. Greene, 11 East Newton street, laboratory assistant, part time, $35.50 a week.

Bernice Lyford, 49 Ocean street, physical therapist, $1.50 an hour.

Joseph L. Kriteman, 53 Boylston street, physical therapist, $1.50 an hour.

Lois M. Cassens, 12 Moreland street, Roxbury, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Ann Alexander, 233 Faneuil street, Brighton, electroencephalographic technician, $63 a week.

Henry P. McArdle, 131 Hampden street, Roxbury, clerk, $43 a week.

Rita Ruth Hicks, 745 Massachusetts avenue, floor nurse, $63 a week, plus room.

Sanatorium Division.

Margaret Donovan, 77 Mora street, Dorchester, telephone operator, $55.50 a week or $11.10 a shift.

John Kenney, 35 Wigglesworth street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Hugh McGuire, 9 Worcester square, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Thomas McManus, 41 Darling street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Long Island Division.

Sadie Hurley, 27 Ingleside street, Roxbury, hospital laundry worker, $43 a week.

Marie Rose Keegan, 119 Hampden street, Roxbury, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Charles E. Englert, 664 West Roxbury Parkway, West Roxbury, senior law clerk and investigator, $68 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Sanitary Division.

William J. Simpson, 74 Washington street, Charlestown, laborer, $60.50 a week.

Sewer Division.

James A. D'Agostino, 29 Pitts street, steam fireman, $60.50 a week.

Sumner Tunnel.

John W. Kennedy, 22 Hendry street, Dorchester, laborer, $53 a week.

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GAS FITTER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
J. Rinello	61 Leyden street	1	New appliances	$80
E. Pasecuci	56 Liverpool street	1	New appliances	25
E. Pasecuci	231 London street	1	New appliances	25
W. Connell	117 Marlborough street	5	New appliances	150
S. Sawtelle	117 Milk street	3	New appliances	20
S. Connolly	84 Mount Pleasant avenue	8	New appliances	25
A. Farley	70 Munroe street	12	New appliances	100
S. Connolly	15 Partridge street	20	New appliances	25
A. Farley	49 Pershing road	19	New appliances	50
E. Seeatore	39 St. Edward road	1	New appliances	50
A. Farley	69 St. James street	12	New appliances	15
L. Guttel	901 Saratoga street	1	New appliances	80
A. Farley	1 Savin street	12	New appliances	30
H. Hinekley	64 South Huntington avenue	10	New appliances	70
B. Carlin	9 South Margin street	3	New appliances	15
S. Connolly	16 Thorndike street	8	New appliances	50
S. Connolly	1187 Tremont street	9	New appliances	28
A. Farley	69 Walden street	10	New appliances	15
A. Farley	322 Warren street	12	New appliances	75
W. Nye	855 Washington street	3	New appliances	100
H. Kurhan	2188 Washington street	8	New appliances	45
S. Connolly	61 Wayland street	13	New appliances	25
E. Pasecuci	60 Webster street	1	New appliances	10
E. Pasecuci	76 Webster street	1	New appliances	75
L. Guttel	53 West Eagle street	1	New appliances	75
A. Farley	81 West Cottage street	8	New appliances	15
A. Farley	11 Westminster street	9	New appliances	15
S. Connolly	24 Westminster street	11	New appliances	50

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM PLUMBING FOR THE WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 1.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
J. Murphy	10 Ansonia road	20	Fixtures	$150
A. Russo	116 Austin street	18	Fixtures	150
B. Gold	74 Ayles road	18	Fixtures	100
J. Henderson	81 Bateman street	18	Fixtures	400
B. Zieff	176 Blue Hill avenue	13	Fixtures	500
J. Murphy	35 Bourne street	19	Fixtures	175
A. Russo	39 Charles street	18	Fixtures	150
A. Russo	5 Clifford street	18	Fixtures	150
B. Gold	27 Derry road	18	Fixtures	100
L. Mahoney	1253 Hyde Park avenue	18	Fixtures	800
D. Richards	198 Pilgrim road	4	Fixtures	100
A. Russo	10 Rockway street	18	Fixtures	150
B. Gold	86 Safford street	18	Fixtures	100
B. Gold	131 Safford street	18	Fixtures	100
A. Russo	215 South street	11	Fixtures	150
A. Russo	6 Stanbro street	18	Fixtures	850
J. Woodaere	54 Bradwood street	20	Fixtures	175
C. Lang	28 Chesbrough road	20	Fixtures	100
D. Weinberg	524 River street	18	Fixtures	600
S. Lucido	17 Temple street	17	Fixtures	65
P. Bishop	119 Blue Hill avenue	12	Fixtures	1,200
G. Litwach	55 Centre street	17	Fixtures	100
G. Trethewey	156 La Grange street	20	Fixtures	200
J. Cotter	111 Orient avenue	1	Fixtures	8,500
A. Milligan	165 Sherrin street	18	Fixtures	1,000
J. Ferullo	462 Washington street	22	Fixtures	450
L. Miller	20–24 Pittsburgh street	6	Fixtures	100
W. Kushmerek	33 Courtland road	14	Fixtures	450
P. Russo	77 Fairmount avenue	18	Fixtures	90
S. Landau	113 Harvard avenue	21	Fixtures	200
W. Hogan	861 River street	18	Fixtures	200
J. Stella	844 Saratoga street	1	Fixtures	1,200
J. Stella	846 Saratoga street	1	Fixtures	1,200
J. Stella	848 Saratoga street	1	Fixtures	1,200
H. Laramee	1 Sparrow street	20	Fixtures	800
R. Libby	2330 Centre street	20	Fixtures	900
J. Weinberg	546 Dudley street	8	Fixtures	250
F. Sullivan	136 Harrison avenue	3	Fixtures	100
A. Granara	21 and 22 Lewis Wharf	3	Fixtures	200

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Collecting Division.

Bernice V. Sage, 25 Perrin street, Roxbury, statistical machine operator, $48 a week.

Transfer of Employee.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Collecting Division.

John J. Kelley, 107 Centre street, Roxbury, from Building Department as clerk and messenger at $50.50 a week to Treasury Department (Collecting Division) as clerk and typist at $50.50 a week.

Leave of Absence.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Sanatorium Division.

Ethel Toland, 88 Florida street, Dorchester, hospital kitchen worker, $50.50 a week.

Step-Rate Increases.

AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

Dominic V. Tonucci, principal account examiner (temporary), from $80 to $83.50 a week.

Joseph A. Re, principal clerk (temporary), from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Frank C. Fitzgerald, senior account clerk (temporary), from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Warren M. Firestein, principal account examiner (temporary), from $76.50 to $80 a week.

John F. Smith, senior accountant, from $94 to $98.75 a week.

Edwin J. Sullivan, principal accountant, from $108.25 to $113 a week.

John J. Kirby, senior accountant, from $94 to $98.75 a week.

Edward M. Herlihy, senior accountant, from $94 to $98.75 a week.

William J. Keane, principal accountant, from $108.25 to $113 a week.

Paul R. Thorson, senior account clerk, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

CITY PLANNING BOARD.

Frank J. Boutell, senior civil engineer draftsman, from $80 to $83.50 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Angus J. Glora, ambulance driver, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Eileen H. Bender, matron, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

John A. Carroll, third-class stationary engineer, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Fergus C. F. Casey, laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

David E. Gately, recreation instructor, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Robert B. McDonough, tree maintenance inspector, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Daniel J. McLean, laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Charles G. Norton, tree maintenance inspector, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Leo F. Russell, bath custodian, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

William J. McGrath, grave digger, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Michael Twomey, grave digger, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Automotive Division.

Andrew C. Kane, senior clerk and typist, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Highway Division.

William J. Shannon, 126 Barnes avenue, East Boston, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Walter E. Lydon, laborer, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

Sumner Tunnel.

Walter J. Tigges, maintenance mechanic, from $80 to $83.50 a week.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following requests:

BOSTON RETIREMENT BOARD.

Jerry R. Colella, senior pension examiner, 27 hours at $3 an hour; Marie C. Crowley, principal account clerk, 3 hours at $3 an hour; M. Stephen McCrann, disability pension analyst, 8½ hours at $3 an hour.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Joseph Todisco, supervisor of statistical machines, 6 hours at $3 an hour.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award the contracts for work, materials, and supplies, in accordance with recommendations of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Purchasing Division.

Upon September 23 the Mayor approved a contract with lowest bidders as indicated for furnishing hospital equipment to the Boston City Hospital to be delivered as requested. No bids were received on Item 1; this item will be purchased when and where available. Approximate total amounts of awards were as follows:

Contracts for American Sterilizer Company, $7,335; Atlantex Corporation, $1,950; E. F. Mahady Company, $1,032; Thomas W. Reed Company, $1,018.80.

Orders for T. J. Noonan Company, $230.32; Westinghouse Electric Corporation, $57.38; Picker X-Ray Corporation, $15.

Prices quoted by American Sterilizer Company are net and those of Westinghouse Electric Corporation are net, 30 days; all other companies are offering a discount of 2 per cent, time of payment.

Bids, opened August 31, were as follows:

Hospital Equipment.

Requisition No. 8507.

Item 1. 12 Soiled Linen Trucks, As Per Specifications.—No bids.

Requisition No. 8515.

Item 2. 24 I. V. Poles Irrigating Stands, Mahady, Catalog E-1450, or Equal, As Per Specifications, Each.—American Sterilizer Company, $13.95; Atlantex Corporation, $47; E. F. Mahady Company, $43*; T. J. Noonan Company, $58; Thomas W. Reed Company, $15.30.

Item 3. 8 Dressing Carriages with Attachments, Mahady, Catalog E-1895-E-1897, or Equal, As Per Specifications, Each.—American Sterilizer Company, $151.25; Atlantex Corporation, $146; E. F. Mahady Company, $149; T. J. Noonan Company, $172; Colson Corporation, $127.70; Thomas W. Reed Company, $127.35.*

Requisition No. 8623.

Item 4. 1 Hydrocollotor Machine, Complete with 6 Packs Capacity, Model S.S., As Per Specifications.—E. F. Mahady Company, $304.55; T. J. Noonan Company, $230.32.*

Requisition No. 8641.

Item 5. 1 Horizontal Radiographic Table with Bucky Diaphragms, As Per Specifications.—Atlantex Corporation, $1,050*; General Electric Company, $1,270; Keleket X-Ray Corporation, $1,218.74; Westinghouse Electric Corporation, $1,105.

Requisition No. 8642.

Item 6. 1 Heavy-Duty Floor Stand Film Corner Cutter, As Per Specifications.— Atlantex Corporation, $67.50; General Electric Company, $60.75; Picker X-Ray Corporation, $60.75; Westinghouse Electric Corporation, $57.38.*

Item 7. 1 Spot Scanography Unit, As Per Specifications.—Picker X-Ray Corporation, $15.*

Requisition No. 8712.

Item 8. 30 Randolph Model Combination Bassinet and Dressing-Utensil Tables, As Per Specifications, Each.—American Sterilizer Company, $214.50*; E. F. Mahady Company, $255; T. J. Noonan Company, $163; Thomas W. Reed Company, $307.50.

Discount.—American Sterilizer Company, net, delivered; Atlantex Corporation, 2 per cent, time of payment; General Electric Company, net cash, 30 days; Keleket X-Ray Corporation, net, E. F. Mahady Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; T. J. Noonan Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Picker X-Ray Corporation, 2 per cent, time of payment; Colson Corporation, 2 per cent, 10 days, net, 30 days; Thomas W. Reed Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Westinghouse Electric Corporation, net, 30 days.

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—American Sterilizer Company, Items 2 and 3, 30 days, Item 8, 30 to 45 days; Atlantex Corporation, all items, 30 days; General Electric Company, 30 days; Keleket X-Ray Corporation, 30 days; E. F. Mahady Company, 30 days; T. J. Noonan Company, Item 2, 5 to 12 days, Item 3, 10 to 20 days, Item 4, at once, Item 8, 30 to 60 days; Picker X-Ray Corporation, Item 6, 1 day, Item 7, 2 to 3 weeks, Colson Corporation, 30 to 45 days after receipt of order; Thomas W. Reed Company, Item 2, approximately 21 to 30 days, Item 3, approximately 30 days, Item 8, 60 to 90 days; Westinghouse Electric Corporation, Item 5, 16 days, Item 6, 30 days.

Make and Model Bid Upon.—American Sterilizer Company, Item 2, Blickman, Item 3, Blickman, Item 8, American Sterilizer; Atlantex Corporation, Item 2, Brooklyn Hospital Equipment, BR-4530, Item 3, Brooklyn Hospital Equipment, BR-4441, Item 5, North American, Item 6, Lasco, Serial No. 971, Model 50; General Electric Company, Item 5, G. E., BO510B-C3010N, Item 6, Lasco, Serial No. 974; Keleket X-Ray Corporation, Item 5, Keleket, Model A; E. F. Mahady Company, Item 2, Blickman Phoenix, Item 3, Blickman-Dawson, Item 4, Model M2, Item 8, Blickman Bergman; T. J. Noonan Company, Item 2, Shampaine, E1450, Item 3, Shampaine, E1895-E1897, Item 4, Model SS, Item 8, Wilson, 12458; Picker X-Ray Corporation Item 6, Picker, DR-8001A, Item 7, Picker, MA-90840; Colson Corporation, Item 3, no literature on model specified and our quotation based on furnishing Colson 6380 per page attached; Thomas W. Reed Company, Item 2, Brooklyn, 4530, Item 3, E1895-E1897, Item 8, Babycette, 68-8; Westinghouse Electric Corporation, Item 5, (W)-1641-1, 6113, 981766, Item 6, Lasco, Model 50.

Remarks.—American Sterilizer Company, see drawing and specifications attached; Atlantex Corporation, see specifications attached; General Electric Company, on Item 5, the products are in exact accordance with specifications, see letter; Keleket X-Ray Corporation, see letter and specifications attached; T. J. Noonan Company, see specifications attached; Colson Corporation, see specifications attached; Thomas W. Reed Company, see specifications attached; Westinghouse Electric Corporation, see specifications attached.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon October 19 the Mayor approved a contract with lowest bidders as indicated for furnishing general clothing and dry goods to the various city departments.

Authority is requested to make awards for the items checked on the accompanying tabulation to the lowest bidders meeting specifications at the prices as indicated. All bids received on Item 5

are being rejected; this item will be purchased from the State Department of Correction. Awards on Items 8 and 12 are being withheld until a complete comparison of samples submitted can be made.

Approximate total amounts of awards were as follows:

Contracts for Sparrow Chisholm Company, $2,405.75, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; M. Hoffman & Co., Inc., $1,620, net; Community Workshops, Inc., $1,339.70, net, 10 days.

Orders for Sherman Mills, Inc., $410, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; Barnet Zelmyer, doing business as Zelmar Mills, $247.50, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids were as follows:

Clothing and Dry Goods.

Requisition No. 9168.

Item 1. 50 Dozen Undervests, Infants, No. 2, As Per Specifications, Per Dozen.—Taylor, Symonds Company, $4.50; Sherman Mills, Inc., $4.10*; Zelmar Mills, (*a*) $4.10, (*b*) $4.50.

Item 2. 50 Dozen Undervests, Infants, No. 3, As Per Specifications, Per Dozen.—Taylor, Symonds Company, $4.50; Sherman Mills, Inc., $4.10*; Zelmar Mills, (*a*) $4.10, (*b*) $4.50.

Requisition No. 9169.

Item 3. 30 Dozen Nurses' Scrub Gowns, As Per Sizes and Specifications, Per Dozen.—Angelica Uniform Company, Inc., $23.40, available in double sizes, 30 and 32, 34 and 36, 38 and 40, 42 and 44, 46 and 48, Angelica, Style No. X820-TH, sanforized; Community Workshops, Inc., $22.45*; Jennings Linen Company, Inc., $24.30; Taylor, Symonds Company, $26.90; Sherman Mills, Inc., $21.50, linine, $2.85, sanforized; Zelmar Mills, $23.90.

Requisition No. 9170.

Item 4. 50 Dozen Spreads, 81 Inches x 108 Inches, White Cordette, No Substitute, Per Dozen.—Jennings Linen Company, Inc., $38.40; Taylor, Symonds Company, $39.75; Sherman Mills, Inc., $39.84; Sparrow Chisholm Company, $38.64.*

Item 5. 100 Dozen Face Cloths, White Terry Cloth.—Bids rejected.†

Requisition No. 9172.

Item 6. 20 Dozen Coats, Operating Room, Short Sleeves, As Per Specifications, Per Dozen.—Angelica Uniform Company, Inc., $19.80, Angelica, Style No. X611–TH, sanforized; Community Workshops, Inc., $17.35*; Jennings Linen Company, Inc., $18.50; Taylor, Symonds Company, $20.50; Sherman Mills, Inc., $21.50; Zelmar Mills, $21.

Item 7. 20 Dozen Pants, Operating Room, White Pepperill, As Per Specifications, Per Dozen.—Angelica Uniform Company, Inc., $16.80, Angelica, Style No. X625–TH; Community Workshops, Inc., $15.96*; Jennings Linen Company, Inc., $16.55; Taylor, Symonds Company, $18.25; Sherman Mills, Inc., $21.50; Zelmar Mills, $19.

Requisition No. 1222.

Item 8. 45 Dozen Men's Khaki Shirts, As Per Specifications and Sizes.—Bids to be withheld.

Requisition No. 1223.

Item 9. 60 Dozen Men's Khaki Pants, As Per Specifications and Sizes, Per Dozen.—Angelica Uniform Company, Inc., $27, up to size 46, $29.70, size 50 (*see* Remarks); M. Hoffman & Co., Inc., $31.50, union made, Boston, $27, alternate; Merchants Cash Corporation, $28; Taylor, Symonds Company, $27, sizes 30 to 42, 8.2-ounce army twill, $29.50, sizes 44 to 50; Zelmar Mills, $28.50.

Requisition No. 863.

Item 10. 25 Dozen White Mattress Pads, 36 Inches x 76 Inches, Per Dozen.—Jennings Linen Company, Inc., $20.90; Taylor, Symonds Company, $20.75; Sherman Mills, Inc., $19.95; Sparrow Chisholm Company, $18.95*; Zelmar Mills, $22.50.

Requisition No. 837.

Item 11. 50 Dozen Broadcloth Shorts, White, As Per Sizes on Specifications, Per Dozen.—Merchants Cash Corporation, $5.50; Taylor, Symonds Company, $5.55; Zelmar Mills, $4.95.*

Item 12. 50 Dozen Athletic Undershirts, As Per Sizes on Specifications.—Bids to be withheld.

Discount.—Angelica Uniform Company, Inc., net, 10 days, end of month; Community Workshops, Inc., net, 10 days; M. Hoffman & Co., Inc., net; Jennings Linen Company, Inc., net, 10 days; Merchants Cash Corporation, no discount; Taylor, Symonds Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Sherman Mills, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Sparrow Chisholm Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Zelmar Mills, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—Angelica Uniform Company, Inc., Items 3, 6, and 7, 7 to 8 weeks, Item 8, 10 to 14 days, Item 9, 6 weeks; Community Workshops, Inc., subject to mill conditions; M. Hoffman & Co., Inc., at once; Jennings Linen Company, Inc., Item 10, 3 weeks, all other items, 2 weeks; Merchants Cash Corporation, 21 days; Taylor, Symonds Company, Items 1, 2, 8, and 9, December, all other items, at once; Sherman Mills, Inc., at once; Sparrow Chisholm Company, Item 4, 30 days, Item 5, at once, Item 10, 15 days; Zelmar Mills, Items 1, 2, 11, and 12, 2 weeks, all other items, 30 days.

Remarks.—Angelica Uniform Company, Inc., Angelica, Style No. 955, JS, made of sanforized tan, $2.85, herringbone twill, swatch attached; Angelica, Style No. 550-BT, made of 8-ounce sanforized shrunk tan herringbone twill, with two deep inverted bar-tacked side pockets and two roomy bar-tacked hip patch pockets, swatch attached.

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* Contract awarded.

† To be purchased from State Department of Correction.

Upon October 19 the Mayor approved a contract with lowest bidders as indicated, for furnishing office furniture to the various city departments. Approximate total amounts of awards were as follows:

S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $1,347.05, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; Boston Desk Company, Inc., $1,088.40, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; Business Equipment Corporation, $191.80, net.

Formal contracts will be executed for S. M. Levin Company, Inc., and Boston Desk Company, Inc.

Bids, opened September 28, were as follows:

Office Furniture.

Requisition No. 8772.

Boston City Hospital, for Executive Office.

Item 1. 1 52-Inch Double Pedestal Executive Desk, Gray Metal.—Boston Desk Company, Inc., $106; Business Equipment Corporation, $102.40; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $106.25*; Y & E Sales Corp., $107.04.

Item 2. 1 Chair to Match Item No. 1, Executive Posture Swivel Type.—Boston Desk Company, Inc., $55; Business Equipment Corporation, $55; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $44.90*; Y & E Sales Corp., $65.

Item 3. 1 45-Inch Single Pedestal Flat Top Gray Metal Desk, Pedestal on Right.—Boston Desk Company, Inc., $88; Business Equipment Corporation, $82.80*; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $93.25; Y & E Sales Corp., $89.92.

Item 4. 1 Chair to Match Item No. 3 (Typist Desk), Gray Metal.—Boston Desk Company, Inc., $20; Business Equipment Corporation, $22*; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $33.75; Y & E Sales Corp., $24.50.

Requisition No. 8786.

For Central Supply.

Item 5. 1 Cole's, or Equal, Posture Arm Chair, in Accordance with Specifications.—Boston Desk Company, Inc., $55; Business Equipment Corporation, $41*; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $58.80.

Requisition No. 9087.

Medical X-Ray.

Item 6. 1 Cabinet and Bookshelves, Furnished Complete, in Accordance with Specifications.—Boston Desk Company, Inc., $79; Business Equipment Corporation, $264; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $54.*

Requisition No. 9124.

Maternity.

Item 7. 5 Gray Metal Wardrobe Cabinets, As Specified, Each.—Boston Desk Company, Inc., $34.90 ($174.50 lot)*; Business Equipment Corporation, $37 ($185 lot); S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $39.75 ($198.75 lot); Y & E Sales Corporation, $52.75 ($263.75 lot).

Requisition No. 9238.

Peabody.

Item 8. 1 52-Inch Double Pedestal Typist Desk, Pedestal on Right, Per Specifications.—Boston Desk Company, Inc., $129*; Business Equipment Corporation, $131.35; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $129.20; Y & E Sales Corporation, $131.36.

Requisition No. 216.

Welfare Department.

Item 9. 5 52-Inch Typist Desks, Gray Metal, Steel Age, or Equal, As Per Specifications, Each.—Boston Desk Company, Inc., $129*; Business Equipment Corporation, $131; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $129.20; Y & E Sales Corporation, $131.36.

Item 10. 1 42-Inch Table, Gray Metal.—Boston Desk Company, Inc., $49; Business Equipment Corporation, $46*; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $49.40.

Requisition No. 217.

Item 11. 5 Posture Chairs, Gray Metal, Cramer, or Equal, Each.—Boston Desk Company, Inc., $20*; Business Equipment Corporation, $21.20; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $29.37; Y & E Sales Corporation, $24.50.

Requisition No. 1291.

Boston Fire Department.

Item 12. 3 Typist Desks, Gray, 60 x 32 x 29, As Per Specifications, Each.—Boston Desk Company, Inc., $133; Business Equipment Corporation, $129.90; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $132.30*; Y & E Sales Corporation, $135.20.

Requisition No. 58.

Parks and Recreation Department.

Item 13. 1 Metal Counter Furnished in Accordance with Specifications, De-

livered and Installed Complete.—Boston Desk Company, Inc., $800; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $745.*

Requisition No. 375.

Public Works Department (Water).

Item 14. 1 Desk Chair, Swivel, with Arms.—Boston Desk Company, Inc., $39.90*; Business Equipment Corporation, $41; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $44.90; Y & E Sales Corporation, $51.75.

Discount.— Boston Desk Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Business Equipment Corporation, net; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Y & E Sales Corporation, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Time of Delivery.—Boston Desk Company, Inc., all items available for immediate delivery; Business Equipment Corporation, all items delivered 30 days or sooner.

Remarks.

Boston Desk Company, Inc.: Items 1, No. 3552, Steel Age, or equal, 52 x 32; 2, No. 1250N, Royal; 3, No. 3545R, Steel Age, or equal, 45 x 32; 4, No. 422, Cramer; 7, No. 102, Supreme, or equal, 36 x 18 x 72; 8, No. 3852R, Steel Age, or equal; 9, No. 3852R, Steel Age, or equal; 10, No. G-142, Haskell, or equal; 11, No. E22BB, yew green upholstery; 12, Steel Age, or equal (*see* proposal), No. 3860; 13, *see* proposal, Steel Age, or equal; 14, No. 1230N, Royal.

Business Equipment Corporation: Items, 1, No. 3552, Steel Age, 52 x 32 or 55 x 30, MD P 55; 2, No. 1250N, Royal; 3, No. 3545R, Steel Age, 45 x 30, MD P 45; 4, No. 422, Cramer or Steelcase, C-31; 5, No. 1250N, Royal; 6, No. 7818SDL; 7, No. 102, Supreme, or equal, 36 x 18 x 72; 8, No. 3852R, Steel Age, 52 x 32, or Steelcase, No. 15035; 9, No. 3852R, Steel Age, 52 x 32, or Steelcase, No. 15035; 10, No. G-142, Haskell, or equal, 42 x 30; 11, No. C-31, Steelcase; 12, No. 3860, Steel Age, 60 x 30, or No. MST60; 14, No. 1230N, Royal.

S. M. Levin Company, Inc.: Items 1, No. 3552, 52 x 32, Steel Age; 2, No. 1230N, Royal; 3, No. 3545, 45 x 32, Steel Age; 4, No. 422, Cramer; 5, No. 2550, Cole; 6, No. 5150, Supreme; 7, No. 5102, Supreme; 8, No. 3852R, 52 x 32, Steel Age; 9, No. 3852R, 52 x 32, Steel Age; 10, No. G-142, Haskell; 11, No. E-22BB, Cramer; 12, No. 3860, 60 x 32, Steel Age; 13, Steel Age as specified; 14, No. 1230N, Royal.

Y & E Sales Corporation: Items 1, Y & E, 7550-31; 2, Y & E, 67; 3, Y & E, 7450.01; 4, Y & E, 22; 7, Y & E, 102; 8, Y & E, 7550.35; 9, Y & E, 7550.35; 11, Y & E, 22; 12, Y & E, 7600-43; 14, Y & E, 1800B.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon October 19 the Mayor approved a contract with contractors as requested in the following letter:

BOSTON, October 17, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

Attached is tabulation of bids received on proposals for furnishing a refrigerating unit to the Boston City Hospital and resuscitators to the Fire Department. These bids were publicly opened and read in this office on October 5, 1955.

American Hospital Supply Corporation, the only bidder on Item 1, filed both copies of their bid at this office. Inasmuch as the price is less than $1,000, no contract will be necessary and this purchase will be made on the basis of a written quotation. Authority is requested to award Item 2 to E. F. Mahady Company, the lowest bidder meeting specifications, at the prices checked on the accompanying tabulation.

Approximate total amounts of awards will be as follows:

Contract for E. F. Mahady Company, $1,552.80, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Order for American Hospital Supply Corporation, $525, net.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

Bids were as follows:

Requisition No. 9204, Boston City Hospital.

Item 1. 1 Techni-Freeze, Desk Model, No. 67026B, or Equal, Refrigerating Unit for Use with Freezing Microtome, As Per Specifications.—American Hospital Supply Corporation, $525, net, desk model, immediate delivery, f.o.b. destination (no bid at Auditor's office).

Requisition No. 1318, Boston Fire Department.

Item 2. 3 ICR Standard Portable, Fox Model E & J, Resuscitators, Inhalators, Aspirators, Equipped with Dual Micros, Also Including Oxygen Cylinders, Each.—American Hospital Supply Corporation, $540, both copies at Purchasing Department, less 2 per cent discount (3), $32.40, net total cost, $1,587.60, delivery, 2 to 3 weeks; Thane MacInnes, doing business as E & J Company of New England, $540 (one micro for each unit), less trade-in (3), $120, less 2 per cent discount (3), $30, net total cost, $1,470, delivery, immediate; E. F. Mahady Company, $567.60, less trade-in (3), $150, less 2 per cent discount (3), $31.06, net total cost, $1,521.74,* delivery, immediate; alternate bid, Emerson dual portable, $517, less trade-in (3), $150, less 2 per cent discount (3), $28.02, net total cost, $1,372.98, delivery, immediate; Justin A. McCarthy Company, $580, less trade-in (3), $75, less 2 per cent discount (3), $33.30, net total cost, $1,631.70, delivery, 14 days after receipt of order.

Remarks.—Justin A. McCarthy Company, price includes two oxygen cylinders at $20 each, for each unit, the type of oxygen cylinders furnished will be the modern lightweight type, all the cylinders will be new, will not furnish used or secondhand cylinders.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon October 26 the Mayor approved a contract with Superior Funeral Coach Sales, Inc., for furnishing one ambulance to the Boston City Hospital. Approximate total amount of contract was $6,210, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids, opened October 5, were as follows:

Requisition No. 7862.

One New 1955 or 1956 Ambulance, Pontiac, or Equal, Eight Cylinders, Furnished and Delivered, Ready for Operation, As Per Specifications.

List Price.—Arrow Pontiac, Inc., $6,774.70; Superior Funeral Coach Sales, Inc., $6,929, as specified*; alternate, $7,324, 1956 Model.

Less Taxes.—Arrow Pontiac, Inc., $150; Superior Funeral Coach Sales, Inc., $329, alternate, $364.

Less Trade-in Allowance.—Arrow Pontiac, Inc., $924.70; Superior Funeral Coach Sales, Inc., $750, alternate, $750.

Total Delivered Price.—Arrow Pontiac, Inc., $5,700; Superior Funeral Coach Sales, Inc., $5,850, alternate, $6,210.

Less 2 Per Cent Discount.—Superior Funeral Coach Sales, Inc., $117, alternate, $124.20.

Net Total Delivered Price.—Arrow Pontiac, Inc., $5,700; Superior Funeral Coach Sales, Inc., $5,733, alternate, $6,085.80.

Make and Model.—Arrow Pontiac, Inc., 1956 Pontiac Minute Man, National Body Manufacturing Company; Superior Funeral Coach Sales, Inc., 1955 Pontiac Chassis, 1955 Superior Body, 1955 Model 2556, alternate, 1956 Pontiac, Superior Ambulance.

Delivery.—Arrow Pontiac, Inc., 90 to 120 days; Superior Funeral Coach Sales, Inc., 30 to 40 days after receipt of order, alternate, 90 days.

Remarks.—Arrow Pontiac, Inc., furnished with heavy-duty hydromatic at net total price of $5,900; Superior Funeral Coach Sales, Inc., 2 per cent discount allowed at time of delivery per proposal.

* Contract awarded.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Upon October 28 the Mayor approved a contract with Massachusetts Motion Picture Service, Inc., for repairs and flameproofing of stage and window drapes, curtains, etc., in various schools. Bids, opened October 26, were as follows:

Massachusetts Motion Picture Service, Inc., $3,490; Gorham Fire Equipment Company, $3,590.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Upon October 21 the Mayor approved a contract as requested in the following letter:

BOSTON, October 20, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR:

You are respectfully notified that advertised proposals were publicly opened and read at the office of the Parks and Recreation Department, on Tuesday, October 4, 1955, at 2 o'clock P.M., for construction of laundry addition and alterations to bathhouse, 241-245-249 Dover street, Boston, Mass., as follows:

Keystone Construction Company, $189,000; M. S. Kelliher Company, $195,447; DeStefano Construction Company, $195,500; John Rugo, $196,900; J. A. Singarella Company, $198,470; Schwamb Construction Corporation, $202,800; Rossano Construction Company, Inc., $207,812; M. Solimando, $211,987.

Your approval is requested for the award of the contract to the lowest bidder, Keystone Construction Company, 148 State street, Boston, Mass., for the sum of $189,000, to be charged to the following four appropriations:

Construction of Buildings and Original Equipment and Furnishings Thereof (Revenue), 1-33-71.

Laundry, Utility Building, Construction of, 702.

Construction of Buildings and Original Equipment and Furnishing Thereof (Park Department), Non-revenue, 6-61-41.

Laundry, Utility Building, Construction of, 6-61-41.

Respectfully yours,

FRANK R. KELLEY,
Commissioner.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

Upon October 26 the Mayor approved a contract with Max Garelick, Inc., for the sale of 100 pigs. The following bids were received:

Max Garelick, Inc., 12.665 cents per pound; Stanley Roketenetz, Inc., 12.10 cents per pound; Casella Brothers, 11 cents per pound.

Max Garelick, Inc., is the high bidder by a margin of .565 cent per pound.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Upon October 26 the Mayor approved a contract with Ivar Carlson for concrete-filled steel columns in Washington Street pedestrian islands, Wards 3, 8, and 9, Waltham street to Massachusetts avenue, at an estimated cost of $1,611. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed December 31, 1955. The following bids were received October 20:

Ivar Carlson, $1,611; C. A. Foley, $1,730; Martin J. Kelly Company, Inc., $1,986; S. J. Tomasello Corporation, $3,650.

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Upon October 26 the Mayor approved a contract with G & F Construction Company for laying water pipes in Belnap road, Dodge road, Joan road, Leighton road, Perry court, Ward 18; Bellevue Hill, Ward 20, and such additional locations, if any, as may be designated by the Commissioner of Public Works, at an estimated cost of $8,732.50. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed March 31, 1956. The following bids were received October 19:

G & F Construction Company, $8,732.50; C. Russo, Inc., $9,985; E. Susi & Williams Corporation, $12,356; DiMascio Brothers & Co., $15,340; R. A. Buccella & Sons, Inc., $15,474.50; Frank Frederick Construction Company, Inc., $15,890; Z & S Construction Company, Inc., $16,850; Edward Vozzella, $18,122.50; H. DiTullio & Sons, Inc., $19,180.

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Upon October 26 the Mayor approved a contract with South Shore Waterproofing Company for repairs to the masonry piers and abutments of the Dover Street and Summer Street Bridges, over Fort Point Channel, at an estimated cost of $4,560. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed within two months from date of order to commence work. The following bids were received October 20:

South Shore Waterproofing Company, $4,560; Matthews J. Hughes, $6,120; C. A. Foley, $6,540; Martin J. Kelly Company, Inc., $8,640; John M. Cashman, $8,820.

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Upon October 26 the Mayor approved a contract with Joseph Amara & Son for sidewalk narrowing and roadway work in Mildred avenue, Ward 18, at an estimated cost of $10,547.50. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed December 31, 1955. The following bids were received October 20:

Joseph Amara & Son, $10,547.50; Edward Vozzella, $10,815.30; Charles Todesca, $11,865.50; S. J. Tomasello Corporation, $11,960; J. A. Susi & Sons, Inc., $12,310; John J. Amara & Sons, $12,710; P. V. Barone Corporation, $14,140.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

Upon October 28 the Mayor approved a contract with Parkman Construction Company, Inc., for repairs to be done immediately at the Houghton & Dutton Building, in accordance with the provisions of the new lease entered into recently with the General Services Administration of the United States of America; which lease became effective on October 15, 1955. The following bids were submitted for said repairs:

Parkman Construction Company, Inc., $27,272; Rossano Construction Company, Inc., $30,000; Schwamb Construction Corporation, $33,912; M. Solimando, $35,884; Patrick Ross Company, $41,990.

Since practically all the work is outside, it is essential that the contract be executed immediately, so that the work may be completed before the bad weather sets in.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

Upon varying dates as indicated the Mayor approved contracts with commercial houses, supply houses, and contractors for furnishing labor and supplies. Communications from heads of departments read as follows:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.
Purchasing Division.

BOSTON, October 6, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The Parks and Recreation Department has submitted a requisition for the immediate delivery of 2,000 cubic yards of high-grade nursery loam. Representatives of this department have inspected many sources of loam and have found that the type of loam desired is available at Blueview Nursery. This company has submitted an informal written quotation of $2.50 per cubic yard. The Commissioner of Parks and Recreation Department is of the opinion, and I agree, that this is an excellent opportunity to obtain high-grade loam. Copy of letter received from the commissioner is attached.

In the past, the Purchasing Division has encountered many difficulties in obtaining suitable loam as a result of publicly advertised bids. On February 3, 1955, bids on loam were received from six bidders; none of the bids were acceptable and hence all bids were rejected and readvertised. On April 1, 1955, bids were again opened and five bids were received. Of these five bids, only two companies bid on acceptable loam. The award went to the fourth lowest bidder who was the low bidder meeting specifications. In view of the foregoing facts, it is my opinion that no advantage would be gained by publicly advertising for bids on loam at this time.

Authority is therefore requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to Blueview Nursery for 2,000 cubic yards of high-grade nursery loam at $2.50 per cubic yard, net.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $5,000, net.

Respectfully yours,

EUGENE K. WELSH,
Acting Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, October 13, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

On April 1, 1955, your Honor approved a letter to award a contract for laboratory and surgical supplies to Thomas W. Reed Company and on the same date approved a letter to award contracts for needles and syringes to T. J. Noonan Company and Randall-Fairchney Corporation. All contracts were to expire March 31, 1956. Due to the establishing of the central supply room at the Boston City Hospital and other circumstances which could not be foreseen at the time estimates were made, the total amount of money stated in the contracts has been expended.

This office is now in receipt of many requisitions for needles, syringes, laboratory and surgical supplies which cannot be purchased on the present contracts. Inasmuch as these items are needed immediately and other items on the present contracts will be needed between now and March 31, 1956, and since the original contracts for the period stated were executed as a result of publicly advertised bids, it is my opinion that no advantage could be gained by publicly advertising for prices at this time.

It is therefore requested that authority be granted me to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award contracts, without public advertisement, to the following companies for the equipment as indicated below and for the period from October 15, 1955, to March 31, 1956, inclusive:

Syringes, T. J. Noonan Company, $10,000.

Syringes and Needles, Randall-Faichney Corporation, $10,000.

Laboratory and Surgical Supplies, Thomas W. Reed Company, $8,000.

Discount for all companies is 2 per cent, time of payment. Items and price will be those of the original publicly opened bid. The above amounts are for quantities estimated to be used between October 15, 1955, and March 31, 1956.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, October 21, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

In accordance with the letter approved by your Honor on January 24, 1955, authority is requested to award a contract, without public advertisement, to the following-named company for furnishing perishable foods, etc., to the various city departments from October 24, 1955, to March 31, 1956, inclusive:

Cafferty Ham Works, Inc., 221 Bridge street, Cambridge, Mass.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, October 25, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The Parks and Recreation Department has submitted a requisition for 65,000 3-ounce ice cream cups with spoons to be delivered at various points throughout the City of Boston on October 31, 1955.

Informal requests for prices were solicited from several companies; two bids were received. Inasmuch as time is of the essence, authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to Shawmut Dairy, Inc., the lower bidder. It is my opinion that, in this way, the best interests of the city will be served.

Approximate total amount of contract for 65,000 3-ounce ice cream cups with

spoons at 53 cents per dozen will be $2,870.48, less 1 per cent discount, time of payment.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, October 26, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR:

I respectfully request your permission to renew the agreement with the American Coin Lock Company, of Pawtucket, Rhode Island, for the operation of convenience stations on Boston Common for another one-year period beginning November 1, 1955, and ending October 31, 1956, subject to termination of any licensed rights and privileges contained in the agreement that may be required by construction of a garage under Boston Common.

The company furnishes and pays for eight attendants to maintain the convenience stations on the Common, at Park street, West street, and Flagstaff Hill, and furnishes all supplies and equipment for the cleaning and servicing of the stations.

The city pays for this service the sum of $4,500 per year, and in addition the company retains the receipts of the coin locks.

If the Parks and Recreation Department were to operate these stations, the salaries alone for eight attendants would be approximately $22,000 and the department would have the additional expense of furnishing all supplies and cleaning materials.

As this company is one of the largest in the country furnishing this type of service, serving many large cities and railroad and bus terminals throughout the country, we feel that nothing would be gained by advertising for bids and that the best interests of the city will be served by renewing the agreement at the rate of $4,500 for one year.

The yearly payment of $4,500 is chargeable to Parks and Recreation Department Budget Item 299.

Respectfully yours,

FRANK R. KELLEY,
Commissioner.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, October 25, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR:

The riot on October 1, 1955, at the House of Correction, Deer Island, caused severe damage to the heating equipment of the Hill Prison. It will be necessary to install new heating pipes and other parts of the equipment at the Hill Prison and in addition to this work, steps will be taken in both the Hill Prison and the New Prison to make the new installations of pipe more secure from damage in the future. Work on these replacements will have to be started at once in order to make the building habitable and protect it from further damage by the elements.

In view of the emergency nature of the work and to avoid further delay, permission is requested to award, without advertising, a contract to Fred Williams, Inc., 47 Ellery street, South Boston, Mass., in the amount of approximately $13,800, on a cost-plus basis. Mr. Williams is a very reliable contractor and has done work, in a very satisfactory manner, for this department before.

Very truly yours,

EDWARD L. FRIEL,
Penal Institutions Commissioner.

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BOSTON, October 25, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR:

The riot on October 1, 1955, at the House of Correction, Deer Island, caused severe damage to the Hill Prison. It will be necessary to install new windows and window sashes immediately in addition to repairing damage to the building itself. Work on these repairs will have to be started at once in order to make the building habitable and protect it from further damage by the elements.

In view of the emergency nature of the work and to avoid further delay in starting repairs, permission is requested to award, without advertising, a contract to M. Solimando, 584 Columbia road, Dorchester, Mass., in the amount of approximately $25,000, on a cost-plus basis. Mr. Solimando has done work for this department previously and we have found him to be very reliable and his work very satisfactory.

Very truly yours,

EDWARD L. FRIEL,
Penal Institutions Commissioner.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with J. A. Singarella Company, 15 Bay street, Boston, for redecking and repairing the Summer Street Bridge, over A street, B street, and C street, from November 23, 1955, to May 31, 1956. This extension was requested because, due to delay in the work caused by steel workers' strike and material shortages, the final work under this contract, consisting of redecking one half of the Summer Street Bridge, over B street, has been projected into the winter season, which is inadvisable.

CHANGE IN CONTRACT.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

L. J. Banda has been ordered to make the following changes in the contract for the Michelangelo School:

Due to inability of contractor to obtain stall urinals in time for school opening, contractor shall substitute wall hung urinals, install floor drains, and all necessary waste and vent piping. No change in contract price.

Omit marble work as called for on walls of boys' toilet room. Furnish and install this new marble on brick walls of new shower room, furnish and install all additional marble to complete this work. Addition, $156.02.

Furnish and install additional marble for wall hung urinals made necessary by the deletion of floor urinals as originally called for in contract. Addition, $420.41.

Addition for marble work, $576.43, 10 per cent general contractor, $57.64, total addition, $634.07.

Furnish and install all necessary labor and materials for boxing in four sinks in cooking room, one bubbler and lavatory in basement, and slop sink, first floor, and for three bubblers and lavatories in corridors, all sides to be of plywood with pine tops, cribbing to be 2 inches by 4 inches. Addition, $233.

For the above additional work add to the contract the sum of $867.07, and the amount of $867.07 will be added making the account as follows: Contract price, $37,435; total additions, $867.07; amount of contract, $38,302.07.

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 59.

I. RETIREMENT.

The following retirement in accordance with section 13, chapter 521, Acts of 1922, is hereby announced, to become effective at 8 A.M., Tuesday, November 1, 1955:

Fire Fighter Albert R. McLaughlin, Fire Prevention Division.

Fire Fighter McLaughlin was appointed to the Fire Department on September 23, 1942, and he leaves the department with the best wishes of his associates.

II. RESIGNATION.

The following resignation which will become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, November 2, 1955, is hereby announced:

Fire Fighter Edward J. Sullivan, Ladder Company 20.

III. CHANGE IN DESIGNATION OF FIRE ALARM BOX.

Fire Alarm Box 12-3615 is now given on the Assignment Card as Helen F. Burgess School.

The designation for this fire alarm box will be changed to read as follows:

12-3615, Thomas F. Leen School, 65 Bailey street.

Company commanders will make the above change in designation on assignment card for the above box.

By order of Fire Commissioner FRANCIS X. COTTER.

JOHN V. STAPLETON,
Chief of Department.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, occasioned by a football game at Boston University Field, parking of vehicles is prohibited in the following street on Saturday, November 12, 1955:

Gaffney Street, Boston Proper.
Both sides, from Commonwealth avenue to the Boston & Albany Railroad.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway resurfacing, estimated to be thirty (30) days, vehicles are excluded from the following streets, effective October 31, 1955:

Floyd Street, Dorchester.
From Blue Hill avenue to Lucerne street.

Hawthorne Street, West Roxbury.
From Florence street to Sycamore street.

Heathcote Street, West Roxbury.
From Poplar street to Hawthorne street.

Park Street, West Roxbury.
From Centre street to Robin street.

Westminster Street, Hyde Park.
From Providence street to Hyde Park avenue.
From Metropolitan avenue to Huntington avenue.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, October 24, 1955.

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 2 P.M., President HURLEY in the chair, and all the members present.

The Reverend Roderick Anthony Crispo, of St. Leonard of Port Maurice Roman Catholic Church, Boston, was escorted to the rostrum.

INVOCATION BY REV. RODERICK ANTHONY CRISPO.

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost. Amen.

Almighty and Omnipotent God, we humbly beseech You to enlighten and guide us. We pray that whatever we undertake and decide be in conformity with Thy Divine Providence. Preserve and inflame us with the precious virtues of civil leadership, such as civic knowledge, moral integrity, and a persevering willingness to accept and fulfill our duties. May we have knowledge of the political and social principles, both remote and proximate, in dealing with the laws of civil society and relations with fellowmen. May we have moral integrity, or the practice of those virtues whereby we may consistently direct our official activities by the unchangeable principles of right and wrong. May we have the willingness to accept our office not only as regards its rights and privileges but also its duties and obligations.

Under such guidance, dear God, we firmly believe that the welfare of our people will be most securely maintained, and that the prosperity of our city and our land, both material and spiritual, will be most effectively guaranteed.

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost. Amen.

The meeting was opened with the salute to the Flag.

APPOINTMENTS BY THE MAYOR.

Subject to confirmation by the Council, the Mayor submitted the following appointments:

Constables with authority to serve civil process upon filing of bond for the term ending April 30, 1956: David Kaplan, 93 Montebello road, West Roxbury; George Demetrios Lambrenos, 928 Parker street, Jamaica Plain.

Severally referred to the Committee on Confirmations.

PARKING OF AUTOMOBILES BY HANDICAPPED PERSONS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, October 24, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Police Commissioner relative to your order of October 10, 1955, concerning special permits for automobile parking by handicapped persons.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Police Department, October 19, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.
Dear Mr. Mayor:

Returned herewith is City Council order dated October 10, 1955, reading as follows:

"That the Police and Traffic Commissioners be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to promptly confer on the matter of issuing special permits, or otherwise granting immunity from penalty for parking violations to nonveterans who hold a 'Seal' for handicapped persons issued by the Registry of Motor Vehicles in order that these handicapped persons be permitted to park their cars in restricted areas without penalty, thereby granting them the same privileges allowed to disabled veterans who have 'V' registration plates."

Chapter 458 of the Acts of 1955, which is now in effect, gives the same exemption from parking prohibitions to disabled persons who qualify thereunder as that enjoyed by amputee veterans to whom "V" plates are issued. This exemption is granted by authority of the enactment itself and needs no further regulation of the Traffic Commission.

In accordance with standing practice of this department, the context of chapter 458 has been brought to the attention of all officers in this department by the issuance of superintendent's order dated September 26, 1955, copy of which is enclosed.

Respectfully yours,
T. F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

(Annexed hereto is the copy of the superintendent's order referred to in the foregoing communication.)

Placed on file.

NAMING OF STREET IN HONOR OF JEAN SIBELIUS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, October 24, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Public Works relative to your order of October 10, 1955, concerning the naming of a Boston street in honor of Jean Sibelius.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Public Works Department,
October 19, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.
Dear Mr. Flemming:

This is in reference to the following order that was passed in the City Council under date of October 10:

"Ordered, That the Public Improvement Commission of the City of Boston be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to consider the advisability of naming a Boston street in honor of Jean Sibelius, the noted Finnish composer, who will celebrate his ninetieth birthday on next December 8, 1955. This is an action being considered by many cities and towns throughout the entire country and the whole world, honoring a man whose compositions have lifted him to a position wherein he is considered today one of the greatest of all composers of the present generation."

You may be assured that every reasonable effort will be made to comply with the provisions of the above order, and I hope that in the not too distant future we will be able to select a street to name in honor of Jean Sibelius.

The matter will be referred to the attention of the other two members of the Public Improvement Commission.

Respectfully yours,
GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Placed on file.

RECREATION FACILITIES FOR PLAYING OF IRISH GAMES.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, October 24, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation concerning your order of October 10, 1955, relative to determining a suitable location for the playing of the Irish games of football and hurling.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Parks and Recreation Department,
October 17, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming.
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.
Dear Sir:

I desire to acknowledge your memorandum of October 14, 1955, with attached City Council order of Councillor McCormack that the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation be directed, through his Honor the Mayor, to make a study of the recreational facilities in the City of Boston to determine a suitable location for the playing of the Irish games of football and hurling.

This matter will be given our immediate attention.

Very truly yours,
FRANK R. KELLEY, Commissioner.

Placed on file.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committees named, viz.:

Claims.

Louise Carini, for compensation for injuries caused by defective street, rear of 419 Boylston street.

Micaela Fontes, for compensation for damage to property at 19 Laconia street, caused by break in water main.

Patrick J. Geary, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Police Department.

Samuel Goldstein, for compensation for damage to car by fire apparatus.

Chester R. Greil, for compensation for damage to car by fire apparatus.

Edward F. Havlin, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Dorchester avenue.

Marie C. Ingraham, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Banton street, Dorchester.

Niagara Fire Insurance Company, for compensation for damage to car of Devina M. Jumpre during repaving of Dorchester avenue.

Lillian Rabinovitz, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 26 Poplar street.

Francis J. Ridge, for compensation for damage to car by police motorcycle.

Samuel Savage, for compensation for damage to taxi by city truck.

Goldie Stone, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Washington street.

Violet Realty Inc., for compensation for damage to property at 298 and 300 Meridian street, East Boston, caused during pursuit of criminals by police officers.

Licenses.

Petition to operate bowling alleys on the Lord's day, viz.:

Fenway Alleys, Inc., Joffre Gotreau, 136 Massachusetts avenue.

PETITION FOR ANNUITY.

Petition of Eleanor F. Olsen to be paid annuity on account of death of her husband, Frederick R. Olsen, late member of Police Department.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CLAIMS.

Coun. McCORMACK, for the Committee on Claims, submitted the following:

1. Report on petition of Francis J. Kelley (referred October 17) for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury sustained by him while in the performance of his duty as a member of the Fire Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 100 of chapter 41 of the General Laws, upon petition of Francis J. Kelley, a member of the Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury received through no fault of his own, while in the performance of his duty on May 2, 1955, there be allowed and paid, as recommended by the Fire Commissioner and approved by the Corporation Counsel, to the following the amounts stated:

The Carney Hospital	$243
Paul I. O'Brien, M.D.	78
Thomas P. R. Hinchey, M.D.	25
Peter F. Rogerson	16
Total	$362

said amount to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

2. Report on petition of Frank J. Storey (referred October 17) for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury received by him while in the performance of his duty as a member of the Fire Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 100 of chapter 41 of the General Laws, upon petition of Frank J. Storey, a member of the Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury received through no fault of his own, while in the performance of his duty on April 1, 1955, there be allowed and paid, as recommended by the Fire Commissioner and approved by the Corporation Counsel, to the following the amounts stated:

Boston Firemen's Relief Fund	$67
Paul I. O'Brien, M.D.	40
Total	$107

said amount to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

3. Report on petition of Raymond B. LaCasse (referred October 17) for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury sustained by him while in the performance of his duty as a member of the Fire Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 100 of chapter 41 of the General Laws, upon petition of Raymond B. LaCasse, a member of the Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury received through no fault of his own, while in the performance of his duty on February 20, 1955, there be allowed and paid, as recommended by the Fire Commissioner and approved by the Corporation Counsel, to the following the amounts stated:

Boston Firemen's Relief Fund	$12 50
John P. Rattigan, M.D.	60 00
Total	$72 50

said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

4. Report on petition of Charles N. Vogel (referred October 17) for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury sustained by him while in the performance of his duty as a member of the Fire Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 100 of chapter 41 of the General Laws, upon petition of Charles N. Vogel, a member of the Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital,

surgical, medical, and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury received through no fault of his own, while in the performance of his duty on September 18, 1954, there be allowed and paid, as recommended by the Fire Commissioner and approved by the Corporation Counsel, to the following the amounts stated:

Boston Firemen's Relief Fund	$81 31
Paul I. O'Brien, M.D.	117 00
Total	$198 31

said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

5. Report on petition of Charles N. Vogel (referred October 17) for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses incurred as n result of an injury sustained by him while in the performance of his duty as a member of the Fire Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 100 of chapter 41 of the General Laws, upon petition of Charles N. Vogel, a member of the Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury received through no fault of his own, while in the performance of his duty on September 18, 1954, there be allowed and paid, ns recommended by the Fire Commissioner and approved by the Corporation, to the following the amount stated:

Boston Firemen's Relief Fund.....$67 68

said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

6. Report on petition of John P. Henry (referred October 17) for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury sustained by him while in the performance of his duty as a member of the Fire Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That the provisions of section 100 of chapter 41 of the General Laws, upon petition of John P. Henry, a member of the Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury received through no fault of his own, while in the performance of his duty on February 5, 1953, there be allowed and paid, as recommended by the Fire Commissioner and approved by the Corporation Counsel, to the following the amounts stated:

Stewart Armstrong, M.D.	$110
Paul I. O'Brien, M.D.	15
Total	$125

said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims, and Reimbursements.

7. Report on petition of Joseph V. Manning (referred October 17) to be reimbursed as a result of an execution issued against him on account of his acts as a member of the Police Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That the sum of sixty-six dollars nnd seventy-five cents ($66.75) be allowed and paid to Joseph V. Manning in reimbursement for amount of execution issued against him on account of his acts as a member of the Police Department, said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

The reports were accepted, and the orders were severally passed.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFIRMATIONS.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN, for the Committee on Confirmations, submitted the following:

Report on appointments by the Maynr (referred October 17) of Jean Williamson, Edward Novick, and Gloria Rizzatto, as Weighers of Coal for the term ending April 30, 1956—recommending that appointments be confirmed.

The report was accepted, and the question came on confirmation. Committee, Councillors Ahearn and Piemonte. Whole number of ballots 7, yeas 7, and the appointments were confirmed.

TRAFFIC LIGHTS AT SEAVER STREET AND HUMBOLDT AVENUE.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Ordered, That the Boston Traffic Commission be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to install traffic lights at the corner of Seaver street and Humboldt avenue in Roxbury.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

PLAYGROUND FACILITIES AT ISLAND SECTION OF HYDE PARK.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be requested to direct the Park Commissioner to provide land and playground facilities on a suitable site in the Island section of Hyde Park for the use of small children as a play area.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

ACCEPTANCE OF MARGO ROAD, BRIGHTON.

Coun. AHEARN offered the following:

Ordered, That the Public Improvement Commission be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to accept and lay out Margo road, Brighton, as a public highway.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

TRAFFIC LIGHTS AT HUMBOLDT AVENUE AND TOWNSEND STREET.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Ordered, That the Traffic Commissioner be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to give immediate consideration to the installation of traffic lights at the intersection of Humboldt avenue and Townsend street in the Roxbury district.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

GREETINGS TO ROME, ITALY, AND CITY COUNCIL OF ROME.

Coun. AHEARN offered the following:

Whereas, A "Salute to Rome" will be observed in Boston between November 27 and December 3; and

Whereas, The purpose of the "Salute to Rome" is to express the admiration we in Boston have for the ancient and eternal city on the approach of the tenth anniversary of the Italian Republic; and

Whereas, We, the people of Boston recognize the great debt we owe to Italy and in particular to the City of Rome, for the great religious, cultural, scientific, educational, and other great gifts which Rome has given the world; now therefore be it

Resolved, That the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, hereby salutes Rome, the Eternal City, and conveys our greetings, best wishes, and felicitations to his Honor the Mayor of Rome, Salvatore Rebecchini, and we look forward with great anticipation and pleasure to the occasion of his visit to the City of Boston; and be it further

Resolved, That the City Council of Boston hereby also extends greetings and best wishes to the City Council of Rome and to each and every one of its members and expresses the wish that the Italian Republic will enjoy many years of peace and prosperity; and be it further

Resolved, That copies of this resolution be sent to his Honor the Mayor of Rome, to the City Council of Rome and to the Honorable Giovanni Formichella, Italian Consul General, in Boston.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

CONGRATULATIONS TO PHILIP KRAMER.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Whereas, Saturday, October 29, 1955, marks the thirtieth year that Philip Kramer has served the International Ladies Garment Workers Union and the labor movement; and

Whereas, Thirty years ago the term "sweat shop" had its birth in the garment industry, as a result of a chaotic industry, periodic employment under hazardous and inhuman working conditions; thirty years ago the men and women in the trade worked fifty to sixty hours a week for twenty to twenty-five dollars, and Phil Kramer served frequently as a union official without compensation, because the I.L.G.W.U. was without funds; and

Whereas, During the past thirty years, largely through the guidance of Phil Kramer in this same trade, it is now possible for the top men in the craft to make $10,000, the workers have a health fund, a retirement program, vacation benefits, paid holidays, a supplementary employment fund, and a diagnostic health center which has already saved over two hundred and fifty lives; and

Whereas, Phil Kramer, as an International Vice President and Member of the General Executive Board, has established an engineering department to improve the efficiency in the garment trade, and has been in the forefront in industrial research and education; and

Whereas, As a true labor leader, Phil Kramer has selflessly and tirelessly contributed his time, energy, and talent to many worth-while community activities; as a citizen, he has served in the armed forces of our country, and as an individual has never been found wanting when it was within his power to extend a helping hand to one in need; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, go on record as congratulating Philip Kramer, International Vice President of the I.L.G.W.U., for his thirty years of service to the labor movement, during which he transformed the garment industry in Boston from the "sweat shop" trade to one of the most enlightened and progressive industries in the nation; and the City Council further commends him for his outstanding record of public service; and be it further

Resolved, That the Boston City Council wishes continued good health to Phil Kramer, and continued advancement to the industry he so well serves, and to which he has devoted his entire adult life.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

ESTABLISHMENT OF PUBLIC RELATIONS OFFICE.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be requested to establish a public relations office within the official structure of the City of Boston for the purpose of publicizing the activities of the Mayor, other officials, and departmental activities;

That the public relations officer to head the said public relations office be selected from a list of three names suggested by a committee composed of the editors of the Boston daily newspapers;

That the said public relations officer be given the right to select his own staff.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON LICENSES.

Coun. HAILER, for the Committee on Licenses, submitted the following:

1. Report on petitions (referred October 3) for license to operate bowling alleys on the Lord's day, viz.:

Alford's Arlington Square Alleys, Leo J. Alford, 392 Tremont street; Blue Hill Bowlaway, Samuel Epstein, 6 Livingstone street, Dorchester; Codman Square Bowlaway, George H. Kevorkian, 649 Washington street, Dorchester; Hibernian Bowling Alleys, Mortimer J. Cronin, 184 Dudley street, Roxbury; King Pin Alleys, Amos E. Cowan, 200 Huntington avenue; Mrs. Marie Kittrell, 216 Hanover street; Mt. Pleasant Bowling and Billiards, John F. McLaughlin, 590 Dudley street, Dorchester—recommending that licenses be granted.

2. Report on petition (referred October 10) of Orient Bowlaway, Henry Baldassaro, 981 Bennington street, East Boston, to operate bowling alleys on the Lord's day—recommending that license be granted.

3. Report on petition (referred October 17) of Columbia Recreation, Joseph Rubbicco, 707A Columbia road, Dorchester, to operate bowling alleys on the Lord's day—recommending that license be granted.

4. Report on application (referred October 3) for commercial use shellfish permit for Frederick A. Muise—recommending that permit be granted.

The reports were accepted, and the licenses and permit were severally granted under the usual conditions.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC LANDS.

Coun. HAILER, for the Committee on Public Lands, submitted the following:

Report on message of Mayor and order (referred October 10) for sale of land on Child and South streets, Jamaica Plain, to the Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston—that same ought to pass.

On October 10, 1955, the foregoing order was read once and passed, yeas 9.

The report was accepted, and the order was given its second reading and passage, yeas 9.

RECESS.

On motion of Councillor Kerrigan, the Council voted to take a recess at 2.49 P.M., subject to the call of the Chair. The members reassembled in the Council Chamber and were called to order by President HURLEY at 2.56 P.M.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCE.

Coun. HAILER, for the Committee on Appropriations and Finance, submitted the following:

Report on message of the Mayor and order (referred October 17) for appropriation of $35,000 from income of the George F. Parkman Fund, to be expended under the direction of the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation—recommending that same ought to pass.

The report was accepted, and the order was passed, yeas 9.

SUGGESTIONS FOR IMPROVING TOURIST TRADE.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor request the Greater Boston Chamber of Commerce to consider the wisdom of the following suggestions for improving the tourist trade in Boston:

1. Construction of a modern adequate convention hall;

2. Reservation of off-street garage parking facilities for use for night storage of automobiles of hotel guests in Boston;

3. Construction of yacht marinas for transients in Boston Harbor and the Charles River Basin;

4. Extension of beach bathing facilities from Malibu Beach to the tip of Long Island;

5. Improvement of short-range air transportation in New England during vacation period;

That the Chamber of Commerce be requested to state those agencies of government or business which should properly construct the needed facilities to properly serve the tourist trade in Boston.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

Adjourned, at 3.26 P.M., on motion of Councillor Kerrigan, to meet on Monday, October 31, 1955, at 2 P.M.

STREET CONSTRUCTION IN WEST ROXBURY.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of Sparrow street, West Roxbury district, as a public highway, from Maplewood street to Searle road, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named Sparrow street is hereby laid out from Maplewood street to Searle road, and ordered constructed.

For the making of the aforesaid improvement an easement for street purposes is hereby taken in the following described land, exclusive of trees, shrubs or structures standing upon or affixed thereto:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Thomas J. Salemi, bounded:

Southwesterly by the northeasterly line of Sparrow street as it existed prior to this order, twelve and 40-100 feet; northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Spinney street as it existed prior to this order, twelve and 40-100 feet; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Sparrow street as hereby laid out, nineteen and 81-100 feet on a curve radius of thirteen and 00-100 feet, containing thirty-three square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Luigi Polito, bounded:

Northeasterly by the southwesterly line of Sparrow street as it existed prior to this order, twenty-five and 87-100 feet; northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Maplewood street, twenty-five and 87-100 feet; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Sparrow street as hereby laid out under this order, twenty-eight and 74-100 feet on a curve radius of thirteen and 00-100 feet, containing one hundred forty-nine square feet, more or less.

Trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforedescribed land, shall be removed therefrom within thirty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Said Sparrow street as hereby laid out is bounded:

Southeasterly by the northwesterly line of Searle road, forty and 00-100 feet; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Sparrow street as hereby laid out by two measurements, two hundred and thirty-eight and 46-100 feet and nineteen and 81-100 feet on a curve radius of thirteen and 00-100 feet; again northeasterly by Spinney street, thirty-six and 21-100 feet; again northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Sparrow street as hereby laid out by four measurements, twenty-two and 27-100 feet on a curve radius of thirteen and 76-100 feet, seventy-five and 06-100 feet, eighty-five and 27-100 feet on a curve radius of one hundred sixty and 00-100 feet, two hundred fifty-three and 77-100; southwesterly by the northeasterly line of St. Theresa avenue, forty-four and 28-100 feet; again southwesterly by the northeasterly line of Maplewood street, forty-nine and 55-100 feet; again southwesterly by the southwesterly line of Sparrow street as hereby laid out by four measurements, twenty-eight and 74-100 feet, one hundred seventy-four and 78-100 feet, sixty-three and 96-100 feet on a curve radius of one hundred twenty and 00-100 feet, and three hundred seventy-six and 58-100 feet.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the abutting parcels of land situated on both sides of Sparrow street, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement herein ordered; each of said parcels in the amount hereinafter respectively set against it; said parcels and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Sparrow Street, West Roxbury, October 19, 1955, George G. Hyland, Commissioner of Public Works," and on file in the office of this commission.

Parcel.		Amount.
1.	Louis and Frances M. Polito	$244 52
2.	Thomas J. Salemi	645 00
3.	Abraham and Rose Trugman	417 50
4.	Albert J. and Kate Kuchinsky	587 50
5.	Edward Barnett, trustee	635 00
6.	Gloria and Irene Krisner	442 50
7.	Martin J. and Emily M. Hennessey	475 70
8.	Luigi Polito	468 00
9.	Charles E. and Gertrude M. Sands	937 80
10.	Helen M. Flagg	710 00
11.	George Heaton	622 50
12.	Perley A. and Mary I. Keach	431 73
	Total	$6,617 75

Voted, That this commission determines that the undermentioned persons sustain damages in their estates by the making of the public improvement consisting of the widening and relocation of Poplar street, West Roxbury district, under an order of this commission of October 19, 1955, in the amounts hereinafter respectively set against them, and awards said amounts therefor.

John A., Frederic G., and Berthold U. Uriot, and Lanchen Dolle, 694 square feet, $1.

Theresa Costa, Trustee, 591 square feet, $1.

Mitheas Gouliermakis and Helen A. Gouliermakis, 648 square feet, $1.

Walter F. and Johanna F. McDonnell, 2 square feet, $1.

Russell C. and Mary G. DeDoming, 51 square feet, $1.

Charles A., Jr., and Helene G. Perelli, 20 square feet, $1.

EXTENSION OF NEW ENGLAND AVENUE AS A HIGHWAY.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered a public improvement be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of an extension of New England avenue (formerly Bernard street), Dorchester district, as a public highway, from Southern avenue to Norfolk street, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named New England avenue is hereby laid out from Southern avenue to Norfolk street, and ordered constructed.

For the making of the aforesaid improvement an easement for street purposes is hereby taken in the following described land, exclusive of trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed thereto:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to the Boston Edison Company, bounded:

Westerly by the easterly line of New England avenue as it existed prior to this order, one hundred one and 62-100 feet; northerly by Southern avenue, twenty-seven and 19-100 feet; easterly by the easterly line of New England avenue as laid out under this order, by three measurements, twenty-five and 38-100 feet on a curve of twenty and 00-100 feet radius, seventy-eight and 97-100 feet on a curve of three hundred forty-one and 48-100 feet, and nine and 90-100 feet; and southerly by other land hereinafter described as taken from Boston Edison Company, 15-100 feet, containing four hundred forty square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to the Boston Edison Company, bounded:

Westerly by the easterly line of New England avenue as it existed prior to this order, one hundred seventeen and 21-100 feet; northerly by other land hereinbefore described as taken from Boston Edison Company, 15-100 feet; easterly by the easterly line of New England avenue as laid out under this order, one hundred seventeen and 21-100 feet; and southerly by land hereinafter described as taken from Edward J. Nierman, 33-100 feet, containing twenty-eight square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Edward J. Nierman, bounded:

Westerly by the easterly line of New England avenue as it existed prior to this order, one hundred sixty-eight and 12-100 feet; northerly by land hereinbefore described as taken from Boston Edison Company, 33-100 feet; easterly by the easterly line of New England avenue as laid out under this order, one hundred sixty-eight and 12-100 feet; and southerly by land hereinafter described as taken from Louis C. Block *et al.*, 60-100 feet, containing seventy-nine square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Louis C. Block *et al.*, bounded:

Westerly by the easterly line of New England avenue as it existed prior to this order, by two measurements, sixty-four and 45-100 feet and twenty-four and 26-100 feet on a curve of fifteen and 23-100 feet radius; easterly by the easterly line of New England avenue as laid out under this order, by two measurements, twenty-four and 26-100 feet on a curve of fifteen and 23-100 feet radius and sixty-four and 45-100 feet; and northerly by land hereinbefore described as taken from Edward J. Nierman, 60-100 feet, containing fifty-three square feet, more or less.

Trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforedescribed land shall be removed therefrom within thirty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Said New England avenue as hereby laid out is bounded:

Northerly by the southerly line of Southern avenue, fifty-nine and 29-100 feet; easterly by the easterly line of New England avenue as hereby laid out, by four measurements, twenty-five and 38-100 feet on a curve of twenty and 00-100 feet radius, seventy-eight and 97-100 feet on a curve of three hundred forty-one and 48-100 feet radius, three hundred fifty-nine and 68-100 feet, and twenty-four and 26-100 feet on a curve of fifteen and 23-100 feet; southerly by Norfolk street, by two measurements, twenty-five and 38-100 feet and fifteen and 64-100 feet; and westerly by the westerly line of New England avenue as hereby laid out, four hundred fifty-nine and 61-100 feet.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the abutting parcels of land situated on both sides of said New England avenue will receive benefit or advantage beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement herein ordered; each of said parcels in the amount hereinafter respectively set against it; said parcels and the supposed owners thereof being shown on the plan hereinbefore referred to and on file in the office of this department.

Parcel.		Amount.
1.	Frank and Mary LoGrasso	$191 76
2.	Louis Barron and Jacob Adelman	1,710 60
3.	Boston Edison Company	565 44
4.	Boston Edison Company	729 00
5.	Edward J. Nierman	963 80
6.	Louis C. Block *et al*	166 24
Total		$4,326 24

Voted, That this commission determines that the undermentioned persons sustain damages in their estates by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the laying out and construction of New England avenue, Dorchester district, from Southern avenue to Norfolk street, under the order of this commission of October 5, 1955, in the amounts hereinafter respectively set against them, and awards said amounts therefor.

Boston Edison Company, 440 square feet, $1.

Boston Edison Company, 28 square feet, $1.

Edward J. Nierman, 79 square feet, $1.

Louis C. Block *et al.*, 53 square feet, $1.

STREET CONSTRUCTION IN DORCHESTER.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of Johnson place, Dorchester district, as a public highway, from River street approximately 257 feet northerly, with the name of Wichita terrace, or some other distinctive name, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named Wichita terrace is hereby laid out from River street approximately 257 feet northerly and ordered constructed.

Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees, shrubs or structures, standing upon or affixed thereto, in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

Southerly by the northerly line of River street, twenty-two and 05-100 feet; westerly by the westerly line of Wichita terrace as hereby laid out, two hundred fifty-six and 87-100 feet; northerly by the northerly line of Wichita terrace is hereby laid out, twenty-two and 02-100 feet; and easterly by the easterly line of Wichita terrace as hereby laid out, two hundred fifty-seven and 42-100 feet.

Trees, shrubs or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforedescribed land shall be removed therefrom within thirty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the abutting parcels of land situated on both sides of said Wichita terrace, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement therein ordered; each of said parcels in the amount hereinafter respectively set against it; said parcels and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan hereinbefore referred to, and on file in the office of this department.

Parcel.		Amount.
1.	Charles H. and Martha A. Bevis,	$278 22
2.	George A. and Leontine M. Courchesne	334 68
3.	Thomas F. and Veronica Ryan	498 00
4.	Francis J. and Alice Herosy	....
5.	Walter G. (Jr.) and Hazel M. Crawford	162 48
6.	Beatrice L. Simpkins	356 00
7.	Charles S. and Joyce A. Deveau,	263 76
8.	Walter R. and Christina F. Grey,	250 92
9.	Bernard C. and Helen L. McMullen	390 00
Total		$2,514 06

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in their estate by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the laying out and construction of Wichita terrace (formerly Johnson place), Dorchester district, as a public highway, from River street approximately 257 feet northerly, under the order of this commission of October 5, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

WIDENING AND CONSTRUCTION OF MT. HOPE STREET.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the widening and construction of Mt. Hope street, West Roxbury district, at the southerly corner of Hyde Park avenue, bounded and described as follows:

The highway named Mt. Hope street is hereby widened at the southerly corner of Hyde Park avenue, and ordered constructed.

For the making of the aforesaid improvement an easement for street purposes is hereby taken in the following described land, exclusive of trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed thereto:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Christos and Garefalia Coutsibos, bounded:

Westerly by the easterly line of Hyde Park avenue as it existed prior to this order, twenty-four and 10-100 feet; northeasterly by the southwesterly line of Mt. Hope street as it existed prior to this order, twenty-four and 10-100 feet; and southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Mt. Hope street as widened under this order, twenty-six and 27-100 feet on a curve of eleven and 76-100 feet radius, containing one hundred twenty-seven square feet, more or less.

Trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforedescribed land, shall be removed therefrom within thirty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Said Mt. Hope street as hereby widened is bounded:

Westerly by the easterly line of Hyde Park avenue as it existed prior to this order, twenty-four and 10-100 feet; northeasterly by the southwesterly line of Mt. Hope street as it existed prior to this order, twenty-four and 10-100 feet; and southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Mt. Hope street as hereby widened, twenty-six and 27-100 feet on a curve of eleven and 76-100 feet radius.

No betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Voted, That this commission determines that the undermentioned persons sustain damages in their estate by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the widening and construction of Mt. Hope street, West Roxbury district, at the southerly corner of Hyde Park avenue, under the order of this commission of October 26, 1955, in the amount hereinafter mentioned, and awards said amount therefor.

Christos and Garefalia Coutsibos, 127 square feet, $1.

SEWERAGE WORKS IN CHARLESTOWN.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that the right and easement be taken to lay and maintain sewerage works in the following described lands, exclusive of any interest in trees, buildings or other structures standing thereon, reserving to the owners thereof the right to use the lands for any purpose except such as may injure or obstruct said works, and except for placing or maintaining any structure on said lands not authorized in writing by the Mayor of said city; trees, buildings or other structures standing upon or affixed to the land in which an easement is hereby taken are to be removed therefrom within thirty (30) days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said taking for the purpose of constructing said sewerage works. Said lands are bounded as follows:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Boston & Maine Railroad, bounded:

Northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Terminal street, eight and 06-100 feet; northwesterly by other land of the Boston & Maine Railroad, one hundred forty-three and 87-100 feet; southwesterly by the south channel of the Mystic River, eight and 00-100 feet; southeasterly by other land of said Boston & Maine Railroad, one hundred forty-two and 87-100 feet, containing one thousand one hundred forty-seven square feet, more or less.

The sewerage works to be constructed are as follows: 161 linear feet of 15-inch pipe surface drain at an estimated cost of $2,576.

No betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

In Public Improvement Commission,
City of Boston, October 26, 1955.

Whereas, An order of the Public Improvement Commission approved by the Mayor on August 11, 1955, and recorded in Suffolk Registry of Deeds on September 9, 1955, providing for the construction of sewerage works, including the construction of 147 linear feet of 15-inch pipe surface drain at an estimated cost of $2,352 in private land, between Terminal street and the South Channel Mystic River, Charlestown district; and

Whereas, The construction of that part of said sewerage works is no longer required; it is hereby

Ordered, That said part of said order be revoked.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 2,119.

The Superintendent of Police is hereby directed to make the following details in connection with the City Election on Tuesday, November 8, 1955.

1. The necessary number of patrolmen from the several police divisions to attend the several polling places in this city on City Election Day, to preserve order and protect voters in the full exercise of their rights.

2. Three patrolmen for duty in the office of the Board of Election Commissioners, 111 City Hall Annex, on arrival of ballots for the City Election at 10 A.M., Monday, November 7, 1955, such details to continue until all ballots cast at the Election have been received.

3. One patrolman for duty in parking area surrounding City Hall Annex from 4 P.M., Monday, November 7, 1955, to properly place "No Parking" signs and to keep the entire area clear for the following morning, so that 24 trucks coming to the Election Commissioners' office for ballots at early hours will be able to park without interference or delay.

4. One superior officer for duty at City Hall Annex, to supervise the police detail for motor trucks from 5 A.M., Tuesday, November 8, 1955, until relieved.

One patrolman from 4 P.M., on the same date, until relieved, for duty at the same place, to keep clear the approaches to the office of the Board of Election Commissioners for motor vehicles returning from the polling places with ballot boxes, etc.

5. One sergeant for duty at basement vault of Board of Election Commissioners from 8 P.M. on Tuesday, November 8, 1955, until such time as all returns from the 290 precincts are in.

6. Twenty-four sergeants, one to a motor vehicle, to report at the office of the Board of Election Commissioners in ample time to be prepared to leave that office for their respective destinations, according to the following schedule, in such vehicle with ballot boxes, ballots, etc., and deliver such ballot boxes, ballots, etc., to the police officer detailed in each precinct.

SCHEDULE FOR HOURS OF DEPARTURE OF SERGEANTS SO DETAILED FROM OFFICE OF BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS ON MORNING OF NOVEMBER 8, 1955.

(One motor vehicle for each of the 22 wards, excepting Ward 18, Hyde Park, and Ward 20, West Roxbury, for which two trucks each have been engaged.)

Wards 1, 5, 6, and 7, 6.15 A.M.
Wards 2 and 3, 6.45 A.M.
Ward 4, 6.30 A.M.
Wards 8, 9, and 10, 6 A.M.
Wards 11 to 17, inclusive, and 21 and 22, 5.45 A.M.
Wards 18, 19, and 20, 5.30 A.M.

7. For proper coordination in the delivery of ballot boxes, ballots, etc., by the sergeants, as herein set forth, to the police officers detailed at the various precincts, it is of the utmost importance that such sergeants leave City Hall Annex on time as per schedule.

8. One patrolman to report at each of the 290 precincts, as hereinafter set forth, on Tuesday, November 8, 1955, to receive ballot boxes, ballots, etc., from the sergeants detailed on motor trucks. Regardless of the use of voting machines in most precincts, a ballot box will be delivered to each one as usual, and it is essential that officer be there to receive it.

Attention is called to the necessity of having officers, so detailed, to report at their posts on time, so that there will be no delay in the opening of any polling place.

One patrolman shall be assigned outside each polling place, to report at 6 P.M. and remain until close of the polls at 8 P.M. Officers assigned to duty outside the polls are to enforce the law which prohibits the distribution of campaign literature within 150 feet of the entrance to a polling place.

SCHEDULE OF THE HOUR FOR OFFICER TO REPORT IN EACH OF THE PRECINCTS TO RECEIVE BALLOT BOXES, BALLOTS, ETC., FROM THE SERGEANT DETAILED ON MOTOR TRUCK.

Wards 1, 2, 3, and 4, all precincts, 6.45 A.M.
Ward 5, all precincts, 6.30 A.M.
Wards 6 and 7, all precincts, 6.45 A.M.
Wards 8, 9, and 10, all precincts, 6.30 A.M.
Ward 11, all precincts, 6.30 A.M.
Ward 12, all precincts, 6.30 A.M.
Ward 13, Precincts 1 to 5, inclusive, 6.30 A.M.
Ward 13, Precincts 6, 7, and 8, 6.15 A.M.
Ward 13, Precincts 9, 10, and 11, 6.30 A.M.
Ward 14, Precincts 1 to 5, inclusive, 6 A.M.
Ward 14, Precincts 6, 7, and 11, 6.15 A.M.
Ward 14, Precincts 8 to 10, inclusive, and Precincts 12 to 16, inclusive, 6.30 A.M.
Ward 15, Precincts 1 to 4, inclusive, and Precincts 13 and 14, 6 A.M.
Ward 15, Precincts 5 to 8, inclusive, 6.15 A.M.
Ward 15, Precincts 9 to 12, inclusive, 6.30 A.M.
Ward 15, Precinct 15, 6.45 A.M.
Ward 16, Precincts 1, 2, and 5, 6.15 A.M.
Ward 16, Precincts 6 to 12, inclusive, 6.30 A.M.
Ward 16, Precincts 3 and 4, 7 A.M.
Ward 17, Precincts 1 to 6, inclusive, 6 A.M.
Ward 17, Precincts 7 to 9, inclusive, 6.15 A.M.
Ward 17, Precinct 10; Precincts 12 to 15, inclusive, and Precinct 19, 6.30 A.M.
Ward 17, Precinct 11; Precincts 16 to 18, inclusive, and Precinct 20, 6.45 A.M.
Ward 18, Precincts 7 to 11, inclusive, and Precinct 14, 6 A.M.
Ward 18, Precincts 4 to 6, inclusive, and Precincts 12, 15, 17, 19, 20, and 21, 6.15 A.M.
Ward 18, Precincts 1 to 3, inclusive, and Precincts 13, 16, and 18, 6.30 A.M.
Ward 19, Precincts 1 to 4, inclusive, 6 A.M.
Ward 19, Precincts 5 to 9, inclusive, and Precinct 17, 6.15 A.M.
Ward 19, Precincts 10 to 12, inclusive, and Precinct 15, 6.30 A.M.
Ward 19, Precincts 13, 14, and 16, 7 A.M.
Ward 20, Precincts 1 to 5, inclusive, and Precinct 22, 6 A.M.
Ward 20, Precincts 6 to 10, inclusive, and Precinct 15, 6.15 A.M.
Ward 20, Precincts 13 and 16 and Precincts 18, 19, 20, and 21, 6.30 A.M.
Ward 20, Precincts 11, 12, and 14 and Precinct 17, 6.45 A.M.
Ward 21, Precincts 1 to 5, inclusive, 6 A.M.
Ward 21, Precincts 6 to 10, inclusive, 6.15 A.M.
Ward 21, Precincts 11 to 16, inclusive, 6.30 A.M.
Ward 22, Precincts 1 to 5, inclusive, 6.15 A.M.
Ward 22, Precincts 6 to 9, inclusive, and Precinct 17, 6.30 A.M.
Ward 22, Precincts 10 to 12, inclusive, and Precincts 15 and 16, 6.40 A.M.
Ward 22, Precincts 13 and 14, 7 A.M.

9. The detail of patrolmen at the various precincts will continue until the ballots are counted and the results declared. The officers are then to bring the ballots and returns to the Election Commissioners' office.

10. Cards with the ward and precinct number and location of voting booth printed thereon will be forwarded to the several police divisions, on which the Division Commander will write the name, the division number and the number of the officer detailed at the time stated on the morning of November 8, 1955, at the voting booth of each respective precinct on his division. This card to be given to the officer so detailed at the voting booth, will be retained in his possession until delivery by him to an employee of the Board of Election Commissioners, who will arrive accompanying a sergeant on motor vehicle from the Election Commissioners' office on the morning of November 8, 1955, with the ballot boxes, ballots, etc., as hereinbefore stated.

This card, when returned by such employee to the office of the Election Commissioners will be its receipt that the ballot boxes, ballots, etc., have arrived at their proper destination.

11. On receipt by the patrolman from the sergeant, detailed on motor vehicle, as herein provided, of registering ballot box, ballots, voting lists and such other documents as may have been received from the Election Commissioners, the patrolman detailed at polling place will deliver same to the warden or clerk of the precinct, allowing no person to take or handle them before such delivery, and hand the key of the registering ballot box to the warden. On delivery of the ballots to the warden, the patrolman will take from him a receipt for the same, which receipt will be returned to the Election Commissioners.

12. After the warden has opened the box and allowed the election officers and the public to see that it is empty, the box is to be again locked and the key given to the patrolman who is to retain it until after the polls have closed except that, if the ballot box clogs, the key to the box should be turned over to the warden so that he may open the box to press the ballots down. If this is not done there is a danger that some of the ballots may become mutilated. (After the warden has pressed the ballots down, he will relock the box and return the key to the patrolman.)

13. The patrolman will obtain from the warden copies of poster, which will be sent to the latter, in relation to smoking and the use of liquor in polling places, and post same in conspicuous places where they may be easily read.

14. The warden will deliver to the patrolman detailed at the polling place for his use at that place a copy of the descriptive voting list, which must be returned to the warden at the close of polls.

15. When the polls are opened, the patrolman will mark in the place indicated on tag attached to the key the figures which the register shows before any ballots are cast.

16. At 8 o'clock P.M., Tuesday, November 8, 1955, when the polls close, one sergeant will report in each of the 22 wards (excepting Ward 18, Hyde Park, and Ward 20, West Roxbury, for which wards two sergeants and two motor trucks, each, are provided), to meet motor vehicle at last point of morning distribution; thence to proceed to each of the several precincts in his respective ward, and receive registering ballot box (which must be locked) and key thereof, voting lists envelope, signed by the warden and other election officers, receipts for ballots, unused ballot box, sealed and certified (containing unused and spoiled ballots), stamps for marking spoiled ballots and check lists, and carry them to the Election Commissioners' Office and deliver same to some member of the Board of Election Commissioners.

17. When the polls are closed, the patrolman will mark on the same tag the figures which the register shows after all ballots have been cast. He will then hand the key to the warden, who will open the box and take out all the ballots to be sorted and counted. The warden will then cause the voting lists, includ-

ing the list used by the police officer, to be sealed in an envelope and the envelope certified by the signatures of the warden and other election officers and the same returned to the Election Commissioners. The patrolman will not allow this envelope to be put into the ballot box. The sergeant who will report on motor vehicle will retain this envelope until delivery at the office of the Election Commissioners. The unused and spoiled ballots are then to be put into the box for unused ballots and the box sealed and certified, to be delivered to the office of the Board of Election Commissioners.

18. When returning from polls, all motor vehicles must drive to the easterly side of City Hall Annex, Court square, where ballot boxes will be conveyed by chute to the basement.

19. It is important that the patrolman sees that the voting lists envelope is signed by the warden, clerk and all the inspectors. The patrolman will also see that the special book for signatures of voters is returned in the registering ballot box.

20. In case a patrolman is detailed to relieve another after the close of the polls the commanding officer will see that he is properly instructed as to the duty of bringing official return, the box of ballots cast, and the press return to the Election Commissioners' office as soon as they are delivered to him by the election officers.

21. When the ballots have all been counted, the ballots thus counted, the tally sheets and nothing else, shall be placed by the warden in the leatheroid box sent for that purpose, which must be sealed and signed by all the election officers. The patrolman will particularly see that this box is properly sealed and that all the election officers have signed their names to the certificate on the box. The patrolman will then bring the box, official return, record book and press return to the City Hall Annex, Court square, and deliver same to the Election Commissioners.

The patrolman is directed not to allow the official return, press return or record book to be placed in the leatheroid box with ballots cast, but are to be returned by the officer to the Board of Election Commissioners.

22. While the polls remain open, an officer of rank will visit the polling place in each division at stated intervals, to be designated by the captain, and in case of any disturbance will report the fact to the commanding officer of the station house without delay. If additional men are needed beyond the number available in that division the officer in charge will communicate immediately with headquarters.

He shall remind the officer and the warden on duty at the polls, that the official return, press return and record book are not to be placed in the leatheroid box, but shall be safely delivered to the Election Commissioners with the leatheroid box.

23. Attention is called to the fact that the polls at the City Election on Tuesday, November 8, 1955, shall open at 8 o'clock A.M., and close at 8 o'clock P.M.

24. Commanding officers of divisions will see that the officers detailed for duty on City Election Day are furnished with a copy of circular issued by the Board of Election Commissioners entitled: "Instructions to Police Officers on City Election Day."

25. Voting machines will be used in the following precincts:

Ward 1, all precincts.
Ward 2, all precincts.
Ward 3, all precincts.
Ward 4, all precincts.
Ward 5, all precincts.
Ward 6, all precincts.
Ward 7, all precincts.
Ward 8, all precincts.
Ward 9, all precincts.
Ward 10, all precincts.
Ward 11, all precincts.
Ward 12, all precincts.
Ward 13, all precincts.
Ward 14, all precincts.
Ward 15, Precincts 3, 9, 10, 12, and 13.
Ward 16, all precincts.
Ward 17, Precincts 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 11, 14, 15, 17, 18, and 20.
Ward 18, Precincts 1, 2, 5, 6, 9, 11, 12, 13, 14, 17, 18, 19, and 20.
Ward 19, Precincts 3, 5, 6, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 15, 16, and 17.
Ward 20, Precincts 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, 12, 13, 14, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, and 21.
Ward 21, all precincts.
Ward 22, Precincts 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 10, 14, and 16.

Officers assigned to duty in these precincts should be apprised of the procedure to be followed. When the warden has set up the machines for voting and the polls are declared open, he will give keys of each machine in the precinct to the police officer. The police officer will have custody of these keys until the close of the polls. Since the law requires that a ballot box be furnished for challenged ballots, the officer will also have custody of this ballot box key during the polling hours. At the close of the polls, the officer will return all keys to warden. On SHOUP machines keys No. 2 and No. 3 will be automatically locked into the voting machines; Key No. 4 will be given to the police officer to return to City Hall. On automatic machines keys No. 2 and No. 3 will be given to the police officer to return to City Hall. All keys to be returned to City Hall shall be enclosed in a sealed envelope signed by all election officers. Since the procedure is most important, the officer will check the envelopes—one for each machine—to be certain that they are in proper order. These envelopes are not to be placed in the leatheroid box but are to be taken in hand by the police officer and delivered to the clerk at the check-in desk in the Election Department. If any challenged ballots are cast in the precincts where machines are used, the police officer will have the ballots to return, but in any event he will return to City Hall Annex the box sent to the polling place for ballots cast, in addition to the envelopes containing the keys.

Important Notes.

A. Officers shall strictly enforce the law pertaining to smoking. Smoking is prohibited within the confines of the polling places, during the entire day, while the polls are open, as well as after they are closed.

As polling places and their approaches and exits are, in many instances, in buildings used for places of religious worship, to say nothing of the danger to valuable property from careless persons, the importance of these instructions is apparent.

B. During the hours from 6 o'clock P.M. to 8 o'clock P.M., there has been a large increase in the number of persons who congregate outside the polling places. This makes it disagreeable to voters who are entering and leaving the polling places. Officers shall exert every effort to relieve this congestion.

Officers are reminded that it is the privilege of the voters to watch the count of the votes cast. It is understood that no disturbance or crowding is to be permitted and that the voters are to remain outside the rails.

C. Officers shall handle ballot boxes with great care.

D. At the close of the polls all persons waiting to vote, including any who might be in line at the entrance to the polling place, are to be placed in line by the warden and given cards bearing their names. The police officer is to stand at the end of this line to be certain that no additional persons are permitted to join it. All voters in the line are to be permitted to cast their ballots, whether by paper ballots or by machine.

E. In accordance with Chapter 266 of the Acts of 1955 "stickers" shall not be posted, circulated or distributed in the polling place, in the building where the polling place is located, on the walls thereof, on the premises on which the building stands, on the sidewalk adjoining the premises where such election is being held, or within 150 feet of the entrance to such polling place. This statute was published for the information of the department in Superintendent's Order dated June 27, 1955.

F. Corrected books showing the locations of the polling places will be sent to each division. You will note that in many instances precincts have been combined in one building, but the number of precincts is 290. This total includes 46 paper ballot precincts and 244 voting machine precincts.

G. Commanding officers shall direct all officers detailed at the polling places in the various precincts to report promptly, according to schedule.

H. Officers shall be informed that in many instances there are two precincts located in the same building, as follows:

Precincts Located in Same Building.

Ward 3, Precinct 5, Mayhew School, Chambers and Poplar streets.

Ward 3, Precinct 6, Mayhew School, Chambers and Poplar streets.

Ward 4, Precinct 1, Rice School, Appleton street.

Ward 4, Precinct 4, Rice School, Appleton street.

Ward 5, Precinct 10, Martin Milmore School, Kilmarnock street.

Ward 5, Precinct 11, Martin Milmore School, Peterborough street.

Ward 6, Precinct 4, Choate Burnham School, East Third street.

Ward 6, Precinct 5, Choate Burnham School, East Third street.

Ward 8, Precinct 8, Ralph Waldo Emerson School, Shirley street, near Dudley street.

Ward 8, Precinct 9, Ralph Waldo Emerson School, Shirley street, near Dudley street.

Ward 10, Precinct 7, Wyman School, Wyman street.

Ward 10, Precinct 9, Wyman School, Wyman street.

Ward 12, Precinct 7, Roxbury Memorial High School, Warren Street and Townsend Street entrances.

Ward 12, Precinct 10, Roxbury Memorial High School, Warren Street and Townsend Street entrances.

Ward 12, Precinct 11, William Lloyd Garrison School, Brookledge street.

Ward 12, Precinct 12, William Lloyd Garrison School, Brookledge street.

Ward 13, Precinct 6, Edward Everett School, Pleasant street, near Savin Hill avenue.

Ward 13, Precinct 9, Edward Everett School, Pleasant street, near Savin Hill avenue.

Ward 14, Precinct 5, Sarah Greenwood School, Glenway street.

Ward 14, Precinct 8, Sarah Greenwood School, Glenway street.

Ward 14, Precinct 12, William Bradford School, Willowwood street.

Ward 14, Precinct 13, William Bradford School, Willowwood street.

Ward 15, Precinct 1, Ronan Memorial Hall, 280 Bowdoin street.

Ward 15, Precinct 5, Ronan Memorial Hall, 280 Bowdoin street.

Ward 15, Precinct 3, Mather School, Parish street.

Ward 15, Precinct 13, Mather School, Parish street.

Ward 15, Precinct 8, John Marshall School, Westville street.

Ward 15, Precinct 9, John Marshall School, Westville street.

Ward 16, Precinct 4, Mary Hemenway School, Adams street, corner King street.

Ward 16, Precinct 6, Mary Hemenway School, Adams street, corner King street.

Ward 16, Precinct 8, Ellen H. Richards School, Beaumont street.

Ward 16, Precinct 9, Ellen H. Richards School, Beaumont street.

Ward 17, Precinct 7, John Greenleaf Whittier School, Southern avenue and Millet street.

Ward 17, Precinct 8, John Greenleaf Whittier School, Southern avenue and Millet street.

Ward 17, Precinct 13, Frank V. Thompson School, Maxwell and Nelson streets.

Ward 17, Precinct 14, Frank V. Thompson School, Maxwell and Nelson streets.

Ward 17, Precinct 18, Woodrow Wilson School, Hurlcroft avenue and Alicia road.

Ward 17, Precinct 20, Woodrow Wilson School, Hurlcroft avenue and Alicia road.

Ward 18, Precinct 1, Edmund P. Tilestón School, Babson street, near Fremont street.

Ward 18, Precinct 2, Edmund P. Tilestón School, Babson street, near Fremont street.

Ward 18, Precinct 5, James J. Chittick School, Radcliffe and Ruskindale roads.

Ward 18, Precinct 6, James J. Chittick School, Radcliffe and Ruskindale roads.

Ward 19, Precinct 10, Francis Parkman School, Patten street, near Hyde Park avenue.

Ward 19, Precinct 11, Francis Parkman School, Patten street, near Hyde Park avenue.

Ward 20, Precinct 1, Longfellow School, South street, corner Hewlett street.

Ward 20, Precinct 5, Longfellow School, South street, corner Hewlett street.

Ward 20, Precinct 2, Irving W. Adams Post, A.L., 119 Belgrade avenue.

Ward 20, Precinct 3, Irving W. Adams Post, A.L., 119 Belgrade avenue.

Ward 20, Precinct 8, Mozart School, Eastbourne and Beech streets.

Ward 20, Precinct 9, Mozart School, Eastbourne and Beech streets.

Ward 20, Precinct 12, Robert Gould Shaw School, Mt. Vernon street.

Ward 20, Precinct 13, Robert Gould Shaw School, Mt. Vernon street.

Ward 20, Precinct 19, Patrick F. Lyndon School, Russett road, near Weld street.

Ward 20, Precinct 20, Patrick F. Lyndon School, Russett road, near Weld street.

Ward 21, Precinct 5, Frederick A. Whitney School, Islington street.

Ward 21, Precinct 6, Frederick A. Whitney School, Islington street.

Ward 21, Precinct 10, Commonwealth Housing Project, 9 Fidelis Way, Basement.

Ward 21, Precinct 11, Commonwealth Housing Project, 18 Fidelis Way, Basement.

Ward 21, Precinct 13, Temple B'nai Moshe, 1845 Commonwealth avenue.

Ward 21, Precinct 15, Temple B'nai Moshe, 1845 Commonwealth avenue.

Ward 21, Precinct 14, Alexander Hamilton School, Strathmore road and Chestnut Hill avenue.

Ward 21, Precinct 16, Alexander Hamilton School, Strathmore road and Chestnut Hill avenue.

Ward 22, Precinct 1, David L. Barrett School, Kingsley street, near North Harvard street.

Ward 22, Precinct 2, David L. Barrett School, Kingsley street, near North Harvard street.

Ward 22, Precinct 3, Thomas Gardner School, Athol street.

Ward 22, Precinct 4, Thomas Gardner School, Athol street.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,120.

The following transfer is hereby ordered, to take effect Thursday, November 3, 1955, at 5.45 o'clock P.M.:

Patrolman Edmond T. Flynn, from Division 4 to Division 17.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

WIDENING WEST ROXBURY STREET.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered a public improvement be made, consisting of the widening and construction of Hall street, West Roxbury district, at the northerly corner of Call street, bounded and described as follows:

The highway named Hall street is hereby widened at the northerly corner of Call street, and ordered constructed.

For the making of the aforesaid improvement an easement for street purposes is hereby taken in the following described land, exclusive of trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed thereto:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to the City of Boston, bounded:

Southerly by the northerly line of Hall street as it existed prior to this order, by three measurements, fifteen and 61-100 feet on a curve of fifteen and 00-100 feet radius, sixteen and 75-100 feet on a curve of fifteen and 00-100 feet radius, and fifteen and 61-100 feet on a curve of fifteen and 00-100 feet radius; and northerly by the northerly line of Hall street as widened under this order, forty-four and 66-100 feet on a curve of forty and 00-100 feet radius, containing ninety-one square feet, more or less.

Trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforedescribed land, shall be removed therefrom within thirty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Said Hall street as hereby widened is bounded:

Southerly by the northerly line of Hall street as it existed prior to this order, by three measurements, fifteen and 61-100 feet on a curve of fifteen and 00-100 feet radius, sixteen and 75-100 feet on a curve of fifteen and 00-100 feet radius, and fifteen and 61-100 feet on a curve of fifteen and 00-100 feet radius; and northerly by the northerly line of Hall street as hereby widened, forty-four and 66-100 feet on a curve of forty and 00-100 feet radius.

No betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the widening and construction of Hall street, West Roxbury district, at the northerly corner of Call street, under the order of this commission of October 13, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

City of Boston, 91 square feet, nothing.

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

Modern Italian Bakery Company, Inc., 275 North street, Boston, in the sum of $385, as compensation for damage to merchandise stored in cellar of above premises caused by the backing up of a sewer on May 18, 1955.

Paul J. DeRosa, 12 Pond street, Hyde Park, to be reimbursed in the sum of $31, as a result of an accident which occurred on January 10, 1955, when motor apparatus belonging to the Fire Department, which he was operating, struck a parked car owned by John J. Bonner.

Isabel M. Fitzmaurice, 43 Royal avenue, Cambridge, in the sum of $295, as compensation for personal injuries caused by slipping and falling on iron cover on the sidewalk in front of 210 Washington street, Boston, April 26, 1955.

Philip Engel, 80 Strathmore road, Brighton, in the sum of $485, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 18-22 Sutherland road, May 6, 1955.

Registered Voters (Men), State Election, November 2, 1954.

Wards.	Precincts.																					Totals.
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	
1	865	857	978	78	868	952	816	818	778	893	910	830	841	462									11,636
2	783	597	798	7	7	798	735																5,262
3	848	914	827	875	730	801	583	785	967	676	754	878											9,641
4	838	693	560	652	785	558	593	665	641	321													6,276
5	879	549	619	494	641	630	768	622	581	384	411												6,581
6	811	772	700	693	683	704	749	670	727														6,479
7	743	802	805	761	790	896	734	752	709	786													7,778
8	481	752	442	593	627	442	690	782	449														5,211
9	713	791	621	649	443	360	467	236	560	404													5,241
10	629	626	694	600	692	719	520	565	796														5,871
11	687	623	618	760	723	641	631	801	495	685													6,637
12	691	528	638	690	569	698	736	606	645	559	801	670											7,831
13	347	360	506	478	487	401	375	413	299	316	380	338	461	401	452	497							6,511
14	880	693	879	817	845	773	842	717	890	536	776	705	753	849	875	555							12,385
15	468	426	468	373	398	427	416	401	442	419	472	482	397	378	449								6,446
16	466	525	431	364	433	450	425	407	356	390	414	448	471	423	445	443	444	417	421	368			8,543
17	360	346	310	426	355	313	378	492	460	334	417	503	469	457	529	438	388	354	420	477			8,256
18	1,097	578	680	442	529	620	501	624	816	469	785	641	432	450	546	509	1,050	550	544	632	558		13,053
19	474	437	386	473	440	465	428	410	332	391	512	495	487	340	405	641	460						7,576
20	459	431	388	396	408	734	366	408	462	555	388	431	475	505	610	739	715	421	527	647	471	439	10,978
21	569	458	600	556	616	414	314	964	753	660	830	589	533	389	535	419							9,256
22	379	454	434	390	528	423	367	414	663	552	482	443	448	496	467	627	705						8,302
Grand Total																							175,756

Registered Voters (Women), State Election, November 2, 1954.

Wards.	Precincts.																					Totals.
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	
1	820	746	817	757	814	800	831	792	727	870	936	887	816	420									11,063
2	708	810	871	904	870	808	789																5,763
3	731	713	783	792	642	712	681	586	511	412	590	549											7,708
4	669	866	490	610	977	980	871	924	996	757													8,140
5	830	512	983	675	1,122	1,308	1,389	938	969	787	750												10,293
6	815	781	714	686	697	757	761	725	766														6,702
7	800	896	792	825	790	879	989	771	863	863													8,471
8	765	870	185	739	767	492	789	801	452														6,163
9	555	730	736	1,011	632	618	515	265	628	510													6,230
10	945	887	868	884	789	835	583	950	945														7,686
11	793	713	646	796	785	635	672	846	572	798													7,256
12	758	629	700	780	733	768	871	658	664	591	889	722											8,763
13	392	454	546	460	525	490	409	491	371	413	381	351	490	470	468	510							7,224
14	877	704	912	975	889	790	853	701	939	525	755	654	737	837	875	534							12,551
15	532	522	485	450	427	465	471	475	498	499	476	478	410	387	477								7,055
16	472	511	487	507	571	510	508	488	412	491	524	530	491	468	478	497	462	461	504	457			9,868
17	448	423	391	477	446	432	512	524	509	487	596	555	523	504	622	504	459	451	475	552			9,920
18	1,125	567	665	482	581	669	511	638	851	527	887	702	486	479	614	578	1,053	586	573	621	600		13,798
19	549	548	502	562	657	470	488	556	449	489	588	609	532	410	485	698	595						9,157
20	534	460	451	485	515	879	440	471	498	650	534	548	559	613	633	758	771	556	669	746	572	414	12,786
21	823	676	951	641	864	634	542	1,370	993	775	1,166	724	682	648	875	730							13,034
22	382	488	442	449	514	495	533	451	764	682	570	515	551	546	515	525	782						9,204
Grand Total																							198,835

AMENDMENT TO ORIGINAL AWARD OF DAMAGES.

The Public Improvement Commission has voted as follows:

That the amount of $255 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Arthur L. and Pearl G. Krasnow for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of September 28, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Cricket Lane, West Roxbury district.

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That the amount of $30 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Mary A. Card for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of June 26, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Chesnut square, West Roxbury district.

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That the amount of $550 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Anna Rosenberg for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of September 28, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Cricket Lane, West Roxbury district.

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That the amount of $215 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Joseph F. and Robert M. Strain for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of March 25, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Hemlock road, West Roxbury district.

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That the amount of $100 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Salvatore J. and Frances J. Aversa for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of March 25, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Ansonia road, West Roxbury district.

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered the following construction work:

One hundred and seventy-five linear feet of 22-inch concrete pipe to be rebuilt on the Faneuil Valley Brook Conduit, between Lake street and Chandler's Pond, in the Brighton district, at an estimated cost of $4,200.

One hundred seventy linear feet of 10-inch pipe sewer and 125 linear feet of 12-inch pipe surface drain in Duncklee street, from Harriet street 170 feet northerly, in the Brighton district, at an estimated cost of $2,500.

Two drop inlets and convert two catch basins to manhole tops in Northampton street, between Albany street and 125 feet northwesterly, in the Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of $1,000.

No. 177—397.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING COPPER TUBING FOR PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, WATER DIVISION.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Tuesday, November 15, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Copper Tubing." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Nov. 5.) *Purchasing Agent.*

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JOSHUA H. JONES, *Editor.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR IMPROVEMENT TO PLUMBING WORK IN HOUSE OFFICERS' BUILDING, BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL.

The City of Boston, by the Board of Trustees, Hospital Department, and of the Boston City Hospital, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for improvement to plumbing work in House Officers' Building, Boston City Hospital, Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 2 o'clock P.M., Wednesday, November 16, 1955, at the office of the Superintendent, Boston City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, and enclosed in an envelope, sealed, and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $100, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, plainly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate of wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for the work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of the contract.

Specifications may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of the Boston City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston, Mass., on and after Monday, November 7, 1955.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price, will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any and all bids if it be in the public interest so to do.

The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all bids in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, AND OF THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL,
RICHARD J. CONDON,
(Nov. 5.) *President.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

HEATING EQUIPMENT.

Proposals for Furnishing and Installing Heating Equipment at 650 Albany Street, Public Works Department, Sanitary Division.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for furnishing and installing heating equipment at 650 Albany street, etc. A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Commissioner and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price, will be required of the successful contractor. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Furnishing and Installing Heating Equipment at 650 Albany Street, etc.." and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 1955, with a certified check for FIVE HUNDRED (500) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Nov. 5.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

No. 180—595.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THREE (3) SNOWPLOWS FOR THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Wednesday, November 16, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Snowplows." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Nov. 5.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR ERECTING AND COMPLETING AN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL IN THE ELIHU GREENWOOD DISTRICT, ELIHU GREENWOOD SITE, HYDE PARK, MASS.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

The City of Boston, acting by the Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for erecting and completing an elementary school in the Elihu Greenwood District, Elihu Greenwood site, 612 Metropolitan avenue, Hyde Park, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Tuesday, November 29, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority on or after Wednesday, November 9, 1955. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, inclosed in an envelope, sealed, and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy, which is part of the book of specifications, shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy, which is to be removed from the book of specifications, shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $35,000, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs, and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

Subbidders bidding on the work of subcontractors shall use the proposal form prepared by and obtainable from the Awarding Authority.

All subbidders' proposals filed with the Awarding Authority shall be submitted in sealed envelopes plainly marked with the title of the work, division of the work for which bid is submitted, subcontractor's name, and subcontractor's business address. All such bids shall be in the possession of the Awarding Authority and delivered or mailed to the general contractor no later than 12 o'clock noon, Tuesday, November 22, 1955.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount as specified in the following for the various subbid items of work as listed below, shall be submitted by each subbidder with the copy of his proposal filed with the Awarding Authority:

Waterproofing, Dampproofing, and Caulking	$300
Miscellaneous Ornamental Iron Stairs	800
Metal Sash	800
Roofing and Sheet Metal	600
Roof Toplights	300
Lathing and Plastering	600
Marble and Terrazzo	900
Acoustical Tile and Mechanical Application	800
Resilient Flooring	300
Glass and Glazing	300
Hardware	500
Painting	500
Plumbing	2,000
Sprinklers	100
Heating and Ventilating	4,000
Electrical	2,000

The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, plainly marked "Bid Deposit."

Plans and specifications and other contract documents may be obtained at the office of the Awarding Authority upon deposit of a certified check for $100, payable to the City of Boston. The full amount of the deposit will be refunded to each actual bidder upon return of all documents in good condition within fifteen days after the opening of bids.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority, and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price, will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do. The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all subbids on any item or items in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

CITY OF BOSTON,
JAMES H. MOONEY,
(Nov. 5.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR EXTERIOR PAINTING OF LINDA RICHARDS HOUSE, BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL.

The City of Boston, by the Board of Trustees, Hospital Department, and of the Boston City Hospital, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for exterior painting of Linda Richards House, Boston City Hospital, Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until two o'clock P.M., Wednesday, November 16, 1955, at the office of the Superintendent, Boston City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, and enclosed in an envelope, sealed and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $100, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, plainly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate of wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for the work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of the contract.

Specifications may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of the Boston City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston, Mass., on and after Monday, November 7, 1955.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price, will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any and all bids if it be in the public interest so to do.

The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all bids in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, AND OF THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL,
RICHARD J. CONDON,
(Nov. 5.) *President.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

SEWERAGE WORKS.

Proposals for Sewerage Works in Faneuil Valley Brook in Private Land, Brighton, and Duncklee Street, Brighton.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Faneuil Valley Brook, etc. A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Commissioner, and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price, will be required of the successful contractor. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Faneuil Valley Brook, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 1955, with a certified check for FOUR HUNDRED (400) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Nov. 5.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

No. 179—598.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING SYRINGE AND NEEDLE TRAYS AND MANIFOLDS FOR THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Wednesday, November 16, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Trays and Manifolds." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Nov. 5.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

SEWERAGE WORKS.

Proposals for Sewerage Works in Island Street, from Massachusetts Avenue to Gerard Street, Roxbury.

The Commissioner of Puhlic Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Island street, etc. A performance hond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Commissioner, and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price, will he required of the successful contractor. Forms of proposals may he ohtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Island Street, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 1955, with a certified check for ONE HUNDRED (100) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then he puhlicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to he deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the hids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to he abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined hy the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may he ohtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other henefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to he employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Nov. 5.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

392.
No. 178—396.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING FIRE HATS AND GAS MASK CANISTERS FOR THE BOSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the hids will be opened and read Tuesday, Novemher 15, 1955, at 12 M. The hidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payahle to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Fire Hats and Canisters." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all hids, or any part of a hid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Nov. 5.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR IMPROVEMENTS TO THE LECTURE HALL AT THE CENTRAL LIBRARY BUILDING, BOSTON PUBLIC LIBRARY, COPLEY SQUARE, BOSTON, MASS.

The Trustees of the Public Library of the City of Boston, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invite sealed proposals for improvements to the lecture hall at the Central Library Building, Boston Public Library, Copley square, Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Thursday, Novemher 17, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals shall be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed and enclosed in a sealed envelope, plainly marked with the name of the bidder and the description of the work hid upon. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of five hundred dollars ($500), shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful hidder will be required to provide hy insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

Plans and specifications may he obtained on and after 12 o'clock noon, Monday, November 7, 1955, at the Business Office, Boston Public Library, Copley square, Boston, Mass. All plans and specifications must be returned in good condition to said office at the time of filing bids. A deposit of five dollars ($5) in cash will he required for each set of plans and specifications taken out for estimating, said deposit to be refunded on the return of the plans and specifications in good condition within thirty days after the opening of proposals.

Subbidders bidding on the work of subcontractors shall use the proposal form prepared by and obtainable from the Awarding Authority.

All subbidders' proposals filed with the Awarding Authority shall be submitted in sealed envelopes, plainly marked with the title of the work; division of the work for which bid is submitted; subcontractor's name; and subcontractor's husiness address. All such bids shall be in the possession of the Awarding Authority and delivered or mailed to the general contractor no later than 12 o'clock noon, Monday, November 14, 1955.

A hid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued hy, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount as specified in the following for the subhid item of work as listed helow shall be submitted by each subbidder with the copy of his proposal filed with the Awarding Authority:

Electric Work	$125
Vinyl Plastic Floor Tile	100

The bid shall be in a separate envelope, plainly marked "Bid Deposit."

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price, will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do. The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all subbids on any item or items in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

THE TRUSTEES OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY OF THE CITY OF BOSTON,
by MILTON E. LORD,
(Nov. 5.) *Director.*

INVITATION FOR BIDS.

GEORGE ROBERT WHITE FUND TRUSTEES.

DEMOLITION OF BUILDINGS AND STRUCTURES AT 478-488 BOYLSTON STREET, BOSTON, MASS.

The George Robert White Fund Trustees will receive sealed bids for demolition of buildings and structures located at 478-488 Boylston street, City of Boston, Massachusetts, until eleven (11) o'clock A.M., Eastern Standard Time, November 18, 1955, at the office of the George Robert White Fund Trustees, Room 36, City Hall, Boston, Mass., at which time and place all bids will be publicly opened and read aloud.

The successful hidder will he required to furnish a performance and payment bond, as set forth in the specification.

Attention is called to the fact that not less than the minimum wage rates as set forth in a schedule contained in the specification must be paid on this project. A copy of such schedule may be obtained without cost upon application therefor at the office of the George Robert White Fund Trustees. Attention is also called to the requirements relating to Workmen's Compensation and conditions of employment.

Contract documents are on file at the office of the George Robert White Fund Trustees, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Copies of the documents may be obtained by depositing $10, in the form of a certified check, with the George Robert White Fund Trustees for each set of documents so obtained. The amount of the deposit will be refunded to each person who returns all the documents in good condition within ten (10) days after opening of bids.

The George Robert White Fund Trustees reserve the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any informalities in bidding, if it be in the public interest so to do.

Bid security in the amount of $2,000 in the form of cash, certified check on, or certificate of deposit issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the George Robert White Fund Trustees.

No bid shall be withdrawn for a period of thirty (30) days subsequent to the approval by the George Robert White Fund Trustees. Duplicate bids to be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., hefore time stated for opening of proposals.

GEORGE ROBERT WHITE FUND TRUSTEES,
by JAMES J. MCCARTHY,
(Nov. 5.) *Manager.*

THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING GYMNASIUM MATS FOR THE BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing gymnasium mats for the Boston public schools. Proposal forms are obtainable at the office of the Business Manager of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, tenth floor. Envelopes containing proposals must be sealed and plainly marked "Proposal for Furnishing Gymnasium Mats for the Boston Public Schools." The bid must be in duplicate. One copy, signed by the bidder, and accompanied by a certified check, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount of one hundred dollars ($100), must be left at the office of the Business Manager on or before Wednesday, November 16, 1955, at 12 noon. Copies filed with the Business Manager will be publicly opened and read at 12 o'clock noon of the day stated. The other copy, also signed by the bidder, must be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., previous to the time named for opening of bids. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to accept such bid or part of bid as it deems best for the interests of the city. The successful bidder will be required to furnish a suitable bond or deposit of money or other security in the amount of not less than 50 per cent of the amount of the contract.

LEO J. BURKE,
Business Manager of the School Committee.
(Nov. 5.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

CHANGES IN TRAFFIC RULES AND REGULATIONS.

It is ordered, That the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective November 15, 1955:

Article I, Section 4 (Definitions), is amended by striking out the following:

AUTHORIZED EMERGENCY VEHICLES. Boston Traffic Commission, Park, Police, Fire, Protective Department and United States mail vehicles, repair and emergency vehicles of municipal, state and public service corporations, and ambulances.

Any vehicle being used by the Mayor of Boston.

Article I, Section 4 (Definitions), is amended by adding the following:

AUTHORIZED EMERGENCY VEHICLES. Boston Traffic Commission, Park, Police, Fire, Protective Department and United States mail vehicles, eleven (11) vehicles being used by Special Delivery Messengers of the United States Post Office for the delivery of United States mail and bearing suitable identification cards signed by the Postmaster of the Boston Postal District, repair and emergency vehicles of municipal, state and public service corporations, and ambulances.

Any vehicle being used by the Mayor of Boston.

Article IV, Section 2 (Stopping, Standing and Parking Prohibited in Certain Places), is amended by striking out the following:

Scollay Square, Boston Proper.

Southwest side, from a point on the prolongation of the southeast curb line of Brattle street to a point twenty-two (22) feet southeast of the prolongation of the southeast building line of Hanover street, 24 hours.

Winter Street, Boston Proper.

Northeast side, from Washington street to a point thirty-five (35) feet northwest of Washington street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking from the end of the preamble "for not more than one (1) hour continuously while actually loading or unloading materials," and inserting in place thereof "temporarily during the actual loading or unloading of materials," so that it will read as follows:

"(2) No driver shall stop, stand or park any vehicle in the following streets or parts thereof, during the hours indicated, provided that this regulation shall not apply to passenger vehicles stopped temporarily during the actual receiving or discharging of passengers nor to commercial vehicles stopped temporarily during the actual loading or unloading of materials."

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out from under the caption "Boston Proper," each of the following:

Albany Street.
Both sides, from Beach street to Broadway, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Alden Street.
Both sides, from Cambridge street to Sudbury street, 24 hours.

Allston Street.
North side, from Bowdoin street to Somerset street, 24 hours.
South side, from a point one hundred and twenty (120) feet west of Somerset street to Somerset street, 24 hours.

Arch Street.
East side, from Milk street to Franklin street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from the alley at 88 Arch street to a point one hundred and sixty (160) feet southwest of the alley at 88 Arch street, 24 hours.
Northwest side, from Bussey place to Summer street, 24 hours.

Ash Street.
Both sides, from Oak street to Bennet street, 24 hours.

Ashburton Place.
North side, from Somerset street to Bowdoin street, 24 hours.

Atlantic Avenue.
East side, from Commercial street to a point one hundred (100) feet northeast of Summer street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from Summer street to a point one hundred (100) feet northeast of Summer street, 24 hours.
West side, from Commercial street to Summer street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Summer street to a point twenty (20) feet south of the southerly entrance to South Station, 24 hours.

Avery Street.
North side, from Tremont street to Washington street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Avon Street.
Northeast side, from Washington street to Chauncy street, 24 hours.
Southwest side, from Washington street to Chauncy street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Batterymarch Street, Short Arm.
South side, from Batterymarch street to Broad street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Beach Street.
Both sides, from Atlantic avenue to Lincoln street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Lincoln street to Washington street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Beacon Street.
North side, from Tremont street to Somerset street, 24 hours.
South side, from Tremont street to Tremont place, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
North side, from Somerset street to Bowdoin street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Tremont place to Charles street, 24 hours.

Bedford Street.
South side, from Lincoln street to Kingston street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Kingston street to Washington street, 24 hours.
North side, from a point ninety-seven (97) feet east of Chauncy street to Chauncy street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
North side, from Chauncy street to Harrison avenue, 24 hours.

Bennet Street.
North side, from Washington street to Harrison avenue, 24 hours.
South side, from Washington street to Harrison avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Beverly Street.
Southwest side, from a point two hundred and twenty-five (225) feet northwest of Causeway street to a point three hundred and fifty (350) feet northwest of Causeway street, 24 hours.

Bosworth Street.
North side, from Tremont street to Chapman place, 24 hours.
South side, from Tremont street to Chapman place, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Bowker Street.
Southwest side, from a point one hundred and thirteen (113) feet southeast of Chardon street, thirty (30) feet southeasterly, 24 hours.

Boylston Street.
Both sides, from Washington street to Tremont street, 24 hours.
North side, from Tremont street to Charles street, 24 hours.
South side, from Tremont street to Park square, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Brattle Square.
Both sides, from Brattle street to Elm street, 24 hours.

Brattle Street.
North side, from Adams square to Scollay square, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Broad Street.
North side, from Wharf street to Atlantic avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Milk street to High street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Broadway.
Both sides, from Eliot street to Stuart street, 24 hours.
West side, from Eliot street to Park square, 24 hours.
West side, from Stuart street to Shawmut street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from Stuart street to Tremont street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Shawmut street to Tremont street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Tremont street to Dorchester avenue, 24 hours.

Bromfield Street.
Both sides, from Washington street to Tremont street, 24 hours.

Bulfinch Place.
South side, from Bulfinch street to Bowdoin street, 24 hours.

Bulfinch Street.
Both sides, from Cambridge street to Bulfinch place, 24 hours.
East side, from Bulfinch place to Allston street, 24 hours.

Cambridge Street.
South side, from Howard street to a point eighty (80) feet west of Howard street, 24 hours.
South side, from a point eighty (80) feet west of Howard street to West Cedar street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.

Canal Street.
Northeast side, from Haymarket square to a point one hundred and eighty-two (182) feet northwest of Haymarket square, 24 hours.

Carver Street.
Both sides, from Boylston street to Stuart street, 24 hours.
East side, from Stuart street to Broadway, 24 hours.

Causeway Street.
Northwest side, from Washington Street North to Beverly street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Northwest side, from Beverly street to Nashua street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from Washington Street North to Canal street, 24 hours.

Central Street.
North side, from Atlantic avenue to India street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
North side, from easterly arm of McKinley square to westerly arm of McKinley square, 24 hours.
South side, from Broad street to Kilby street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Chapman Place.
Both sides, from Bosworth street to School street, 24 hours.

Chardon Court.
All sides, from Chardon street to dead end, 24 hours.

Chardon Street.
West side, from Bowdoin square to Hawkins street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Bowdoin square to Bowker street, 24 hours.
Both sides, from Bowker street to Merrimac street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Chatham Row.
Both sides, from Chatham street to State street, 24 hours.

Chatham Street.
Both sides, from Merchants Row to Commercial street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Chauncy Street.
Northwest side, from Summer street to Avon street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from Summer street to Bedford street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from Bedford street to Essex street, 24 hours.
Northwest side, from Bedford street to Essex street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Clinton Street.
North side, from Merchants Row to Blackstone street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
North side, from Commercial street to Atlantic avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Merchants Row to Atlantic avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Columbia Street.
Both sides, from Bedford street to Essex street, 24 hours.

Commerce Street.
Both sides, from Commercial street to Atlantic avenue, 24 hours.

Commercial Street.
Both sides, from Atlantic avenue to State street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Common Street.
South side, from Washington street to Tremont street, 24 hours.
North side, from Wyman place to a point thirty (30) feet west of Wyman place, 24 hours.

Congress Street.
Both sides, from Dock square to Water street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Milk street to Atlantic avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Atlantic avenue to Dorchester avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from Atlantic avenue to Nelson court, 24 hours.
Northeast side, from Nelson court to Dorchester avenue, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Corn Court.
Both sides, from Faneuil Hall square to a point one hundred (100) feet southeast of Faneuil Hall square, 24 hours.

Cornhill.
North side, from Scollay square to Adams square, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Court Square.
Both sides, southerly arm, from westerly arm to easterly arm, 24 hours.

Court Street.
South side, from Washington street to Tremont street, 24 hours.
North side, from Washington street to Cornhill, 7 A.M. to 5.30 P.M.

Curve Street.
Both sides, from Albany street to Broadway, 24 hours.

Custom House Street.
East side, from Broad street to India street, street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Devonshire Street.
East side, from Adams square to State street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from State street to Water street, 24 hours.
West side, from Water street to Milk street, 24 hours.
East side, from Franklin street to Summer street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Franklin street to Otis street, 24 hours.
West side, from a point one hundred and sixty-four (164) feet south of Winthrop square to Winthrop square, 24 hours.

Dillaway Street.
Both sides, from Hollis street to Dove street, 24 hours.

Doane Street.
Both sides, from Kilby street to Broad street, 24 hours.

Dorchester Avenue.
West side, from Congress street to Summer street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Summer street to a point two hundred and five (205) feet south of Summer street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.
East side, from a point two hundred and five (205) feet south of Summer street to a point one thousand one hundred and thirty (1,130) feet south of Summer street, 24 hours.
East side, from a point one thousand seven hundred and fifteen (1,715) feet south of Summer street to Dorchester Avenue Bridge over Fort Point Channel, 24 hours.
West side, from a point two hundred and five (205) feet south of Summer street to a point eight hundred (800) feet south of Summer street, 24 hours.

Dove Street.
Both sides, from Washington street to Tremont street, 24 hours.

East Street.
Both sides, from South street to Atlantic avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Edinboro' Street.
East side, from Essex street to Beach street, 24 hours.
West side, from Essex street to Beach street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Eliot Street.
North side, from Stuart street to Columbus avenue, 24 hours.
South side, from Stuart street to Columbus avenue, 24 hours.
Elm Street.
Both sides, from Hanover street to Doek square, 24 hours.
Endicott Street.
East side, from Cross street to Hanover street, 24 hours.
Essex Place.
Both sides, from Essex street to Tufts street, 24 hours.
Essex street.
South side, from Washington street to Harrison avenue, 24 hours.
North side, from Harrison avenue to Lincoln street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Lincoln street to Atlantic avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Exchange Place.
South side, from Kilby street to Congress street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Exeter Place.
Both sides, from Chauney street to Harrison avenue, 24 hours.
Faneuil Hall Square.
On the sides adjacent to the Faneuil Hall Market, 12 P.M. to 7 A.M.
Federal Street.
West side, from Milk street to High street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from High street to Summer street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Franklin Street.
South side, from Washington street to Hawley street, 24 hours.
Both sides, from Devonshire street to Congress street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from Congress street to Pearl street, 24 hours.
East side, from Broad street to India street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Broad street to India street, 24 hours.
Friend Street.
Northeast side, from Causeway street to Washington street, 24 hours.
Southwest side, from Causeway street to Washington street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Hanover street to Union street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Gridley Street.
Both sides, from High street to Purchase street, 24 hours.
Hanover Street.
South side, from Blaekstone street to Union street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
North side, from Blackstone street to Union street, 24 hours.
Northwest side, from a point forty (40) feet northeast of Scollay square to Scollay square, 24 hours.
Harrison Avenue.
Northwest side, from Bedford street to Hayward place, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Hayward place to a point sixty-three (63) feet south of Hayward place, 24 hours.
West side, from a point sixty-three (63) feet south of Hayward place to Essex street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Beaeh street to Kneeland street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Kneeland street to Broadway, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Kneeland street to Harvard street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Harvard street to Bennet street, 24 hours.
West side, from Bennet street to Oak street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Oak street to Broadway, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Hartford Street.
Both sides, from Wendell street to High street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from High street to Purchase street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Harvard Street.
North side, from Albany street to Washington street, 24 hours.
South side, from Harrison avenue to Washington street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Haverhill Street.
Southwest side, from Causeway street to a point eighty-five (85) feet southeast of Causeway street, 24 hours.
Northeast side, from Causeway street to Washington Street North, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Hawkins Street.
Northeast side, from Chardon street to Sudbury street, 24 hours.
Southwest side, from Chardon street to Sudbury street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Hawley Street.
East side, from Milk street to Franklin street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Franklin street to Summer street, 24 hours.
Hayward Place.
North side, from Washington street to Harrison avenue, 24 hours.
South side, from Washington street to Harrison avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
High Street.
Southeast side, from Broad street to Summer street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
North side, from Federal street to Summer street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
High Street Plaee.
Both sides, from High street to Matthews street, 24 hours.
Hollis Street.
North side, from Tremont street to Washington street, 24 hours.
Howard Street.
North side, from Bulfineh street to Scollay square, 24 hours.
South side, from Bulfinch street to Scollay square, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Hudson Street.
West side, from Curve street to Beach street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Oak street to Harvard street, 24 hours.
East side, from Harvard street to Kneeland street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
India Square.
East side, from India street to Broad street, 24 hours.
India Street.
Southwest side, from Milk street to India square, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from India square to Atlantic avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Kilby Street.
East side, from Water street to State street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Kingston Street.
East side, from Summer street to Beach street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Summer street to Bedford street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Bedford street to Essex street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Knapp Street.
Both sides, from Beach street to Kneeland street, 24 hours.
Both sides, easterly arm, from Knapp street to Harrison avenue, 24 hours.
Kneeland Street.
South side, from Washington street to Atlantic avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
La Grange Street.
Both sides, from Washington street to Tremont street, 24 hours.
Leather Square.
Both sides, 24 hours.
Lineoln Street.
East side, from Summer street to Essex street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Summer street to Kneeland street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Market Street.
Both sides, from Canal street to Portland street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Marshall Street.
Both sides, from Union street to Hanover street, 24 hours.
Mason Street.
Both sides, from Mason street to Tremont street, 24 hours.
Both sides, from Avery street to West street, 24 hours.
Matthews Street.
Both sides, from Congress street to Federal street, 24 hours.
McKinley Square.
East side, westerly arm, from Central street to State street, 24 hours.
West side, easterly arm, from Central street to State street, 24 hours.
Medford Street.
Both sides, from Causeway street to Washington Street North, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Merchants Row.
East side, from Clinton street to North Market street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from North Market street to South Market street, 12 P.M. to 7 A.M.
Both sides, from South Market street to State street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Merrimac Street.
North side, from Haymarket square to Causeway street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Milk Street.
North side, from Washington street to Devonshire street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Washington street to Hawley street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
North side, from Post Office square to India street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Federal street to Pearl street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Pearl street to a point one hundred (100) feet east of Pearl street, 24 hours.
South side, from Broad street to India street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Nassau Street.
Both sides, from Ash street to Harrison avenue, 24 hours.
North Street.
North side, from Blaekstone street to Union street, 24 hours.
South side, from Merchants Row to Dock square, 24 hours.
North Market Street.
North side, from Merchants Row to Commercial street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northern Avenue.
Northeast side, from Atlantic avenue to the Northern Avenue Bridge, 24 hours.
Oak Street.
North side, from Albany street to Harrison avenue, 24 hours.
North side, from Ash street to Washington street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Harrison avenue to Washington street, 24 hours.
Oliver Street.
Both sides, from Milk street to High street, 24 hours.
Both sides, from High street to Atlantic avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Otis Street.
Northwest side, from Devonshire street to Summer street, 24 hours.
Southeast side, from Winthrop square to Summer street, 24 hours.
Oxford Street.
East side, from Beach street to Essex street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Beaeh street to Essex street, 24 hours.
Park Street.
West side, from Tremont street to Beacon street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Tremont street to a point sixty (60) feet north of Tremont street, 24 hours.
Pearl Street.
Both sides, from Milk street to Franklin street, 24 hours.
Both sides, from High street to Atlantic avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Pemberton Square.
North side, westerly arm, from Pemberton Square proper to Somerset street, 24 hours.
South side, easterly arm, from Scollay square to Pemberton Square proper, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Pine Street.
Both sides, from Washington street to Harrison avenue, 24 hours.
Portland Street.
Northeast side, from Hanover street to Merrimae street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Merrimae street to Traverse street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Traverse street to Causeway street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Post Office Square.
West side, from Milk street to Water street, 24 hours.
Provinee Court.
Both sides, from Provinee street to Ordway place, 24 hours.
Province Street.
East side, from Bromfield street to School street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Purchase Street.
Both sides, from Summer street to Broad street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Quaker Lane.
Both sides, 24 hours.
Riehmond Street.
South side, from Atlantic avenue to North street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
School Street.
North side, from Tremont street to Washington street, 24 hours.
South side, from Tremont street to Washington street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Scollay Square.
Southwest side, from Pemberton square to a point on the prolongation of the southeast curb line of Brattle street, 24 hours.
Southwest side, from a point on the prolongation of the southeast curb line of Brattle street to a point twenty-two (22) feet southeast of the prolongation of the southeast building line of Hanover street. *See* Artiele IV, section 2.
Southwest side, from a point twenty-two (22) feet southeast of the prolongation of the southeast building line of Hanover street to Howard street, 24 hours.
Sears Street.
East side, from Milk street to India street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Milk street to India street, 24 hours.
Somerset Street.
East side, from Pemberton square to opposite the northerly street line of Ashburton place, 24 hours.
West side, from Beacon street to Howard street, 24 hours.
South Street.
East side, from Summer street to Kneeland street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Kneeland street southerly to the Boston & Albany Railroad property, 24 hours.
South Market Street.
Both sides, from Atlantic avenue to Commercial street, 24 hours.
South side, from Commercial street to Merchants Row, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
State Street.
North side, northerly arm, from Washington street to Devonshire street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, northerly arm, from Washington street to Devonshire street, 24 hours.

North side, southerly arm, from Washington street to Devonshire street, 24 hours.
South side, southerly arm, from Washington street to Devonshire street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Devonshire street to Congress street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
North side, from Congress street to opposite Kilby street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Congress street to McKinley square, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from easterly arm of McKinley square to westerly arm of McKinley square, 24 hours.
North side, from Chatham Row to Commercial street, 24 hours.
Both sides, from McKinley square to Atlantic avenue, adjacent to the curb, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Stuart Street.
North side, from Washington street to Broadway, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Washington street to Tremont street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Tremont street to Warrenton street, 24 hours.
South side, from Warrenton street to Church street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Sudbury Street.
West side, from Cambridge street to Bowker street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Bowker street to Haymarket square, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Bowker street to Haymarket square, 24 hours.

Summer Street.
Northeast side, from Washington street to Hawley street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Washington street to Chauncy street, 24 hours.
Southwest side, from South street to Atlantic avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from Purchase street to Atlantic avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from Atlantic avenue to Hathaway street, 24 hours.
Southwest side, from Atlantic avenue to Dorchester avenue, 24 hours.

Tamworth Street.
Both sides, from Boylston street to La Grange street, 24 hours.

Temple Place.
North side, from Tremont street to Washington street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Traverse Street.
Southeast side, from Merrimac street to Canal street, 24 hours.

Tremont Street.
East side, from Hollis street to Scollay square, 24 hours.
West side, from Stuart street to a point two hundred (200) feet north of Boylston street, 24 hours.
West side, from opposite Temple place to Scollay square, 24 hours.

Tufts Street.
Both sides, from Kingston street to South street, 24 hours.

Tyler Street.
Both sides, from Curve street to Kneeland street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Kneeland street to Beach street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Union Street.
Both sides, from North street to Haymarket square, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Utica Street.
Both sides, from Kneeland street to the Boston & Albany Railroad property, 24 hours.

Warrenton Street.
East side, from Stuart street to Washington street, 24 hours.
West side, from Tremont street to a point one hundred and sixty (160) feet north of Tremont street, 24 hours.

Washington Street.
West side, from Broadway to Court street, 24 hours.
East side, from Broadway to Harvard street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Harvard street to Kneeland street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Kneeland street to State street, 24 hours.
East side, from State street to Adams square, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Court street to Adams square, 24 hours.
East side, from Adams square to Haymarket square, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Washington Street North.
Southwest side, from Haymarket square to Haverhill street, 24 hours.
Both sides, from Keany square to City square, 24 hours.

Water Street.
North side, from Washington street to Devonshire street, 24 hours.
South side, from Washington street to Devonshire street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
North side, from Congress street to Broad street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Well Street.
Both sides, from Custom House street to Wharf street, 24 hours.

Wendell Street.
Northwest side, from Hartford street to Broad street, 24 hours.
Southeast side, from Hartford street to Broad street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

West Street.
Southwest side, from Washington street to Tremont street, 24 hours.
Northeast side, from Washington street to a point one hundred and twenty-six (126) feet northwest of Washington street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Wharf Street.
West side, from Broad street to India street, 24 hours.
East side, from Broad street to India street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Whitmore Street.
Both sides, from Kneeland street to Harvard street, 24 hours.

Winter Street.
Northeast side, from Washington street to a point thirty-five (35) feet northwest of Washington street. *See* Article IV, section 2.
Northeast side, from a point thirty-five (35) feet northwest of Washington street to Tremont street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Washington street to Tremont street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out from under the caption "Charlestown," the following:

Washington Street North.
Both sides, from Keany square to City square, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2, (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out from under the caption "South Boston," the following:

Broadway.
Both sides, from Tremont street to Dorchester avenue, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," each of the following:

Beacon Street.
South side, from opposite the easterly street line of Bowdoin street to Charles street, 24 hours.

Broadway.
Both sides, from the northwesterly line of Fort Point Channel to Dorchester avenue, 24 hours.

Cambridge Street.
South side, from Bowdoin street to West Cedar street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.

Commercial Street.
Northwest side, from Atlantic avenue to Clinton street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Eliot Street.
Both sides, from Broadway to Columbus avenue, 24 hours.

Richmond Street.
Southwest side, from Commercial street to North street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Stuart Street.
South side, from Broadway to Church street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Washington Street North.
Both sides, from the southerly line of the Charles River to City square, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Charlestown," the following:

Washington Street North.
Both sides, from the southerly line of the Charles River to City square, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "South Boston," the following:

Broadway.
Both sides, from the northwesterly line of Fort Point Channel to Dorchester avenue, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out the following subsection:

(5) No driver shall stop, stand or park any vehicle in any street in the section of Downtown Boston hereinafter described and bounded, during the hours from 8 A.M. to 9.30 A.M. on any day, provided that this regulation shall not apply to passenger vehicles stopped temporarily during the actual receiving or discharging of passengers nor to commercial vehicles stopped for not more than one (1) hour continuously while actually loading or unloading materials.

The provision of the preceding section shall not apply to any vehicle bearing a "V" registration plate, issued by the Registrar of Motor Vehicles under the provisions of section 2 of chapter 90 of the General Laws, nor to eleven (11) vehicles being used by Special Delivery Messengers of the United States Post Office for the delivery of United States mail and bearing suitable identification cards signed by the Postmaster of the Boston Postal District, except in streets in the section of Downtown Boston, hereinafter described and bounded, where parking of vehicles is otherwise prohibited under the provisions of Article IV, Section 3, Part 2, of these Traffic Rules and Regulations.

That part of the City of Boston bounded by the water front starting at an imaginary line drawn through the center of Staniford street that meets the Charles River near the North Station, and following the water front to the Charlestown Bridge, turning right thereon and running along and including both sides of Washington Street North to Haymarket square and crossing Haymarket square, including both sides thereof, to Blackstone street, thence down Blackstone street on both sides to Commercial street, turning left on Commercial street and following the center line of Commercial street to Boston Harbor, thence along the water front to the Broadway Bridge, thence turning on Broadway and continuing through Park square to Charles street, including both sides of said ways to Beacon street, thence turning on said Beacon street and proceeding up Beacon street on the Common side to Bowdoin street, thence turning on Bowdoin street and proceeding down Bowdoin street on the easterly side thereof to Cambridge street, thence crossing Cambridge street to Bowdoin square, thence down Chardon street to Merrimac street, turning left on Merrimac street, including both sides thereof, to Staniford street, thence turning and proceeding down the center of Staniford street and continuing in an imaginary line to the Charles River at the North Station to the point of beginning.

Article IV, Section 14 (Loading Zones), is amended by striking from the end "for not more than one (1) hour continuously while actually engaged in loading or unloading materials" and inserting in place thereof "temporarily during the actual loading or unloading of materials," so that it will read as follows:

"No driver shall stop, stand or park any vehicle in any loading zone, provided that this regulation shall not apply to passenger vehicles stopped temporarily during the actual receiving or discharging of passengers nor to commercial vehicles stopped temporarily during the actual loading or unloading of materials."

WM. ARTHUR REILLY,
Commissioner.

A true copy.
Attest:
W. T. DOYLE, *Executive Secretary.*
(Nov. 5-12.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

CHANGES IN TRAFFIC RULES AND REGULATIONS.

Voted, That the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective November 15, 1955:

The following new article is added:

ARTICLE IV A.

STOPPING, STANDING AND PARKING IN THE DOWNTOWN AREA OF BOSTON, AS DEFINED IN SECTION TWENTY A OF CHAPTER NINETY OF THE GENERAL LAWS.

Section 1. Boundaries of Downtown Area.

The Downtown Area of Boston as defined in section twenty A of chapter ninety of the General Laws is the following:

That part of the City of Boston bounded by the water front starting at an imaginary line drawn through the center of Staniford street that meets the Charles River near the North Station, and following the water front to the Charlestown Bridge, turning right thereon and running along and including both sides of Washington Street North to Haymarket square and crossing Haymarket square, including both sides thereof, to Blackstone street, thence down Blackstone street on both sides to Commercial street, turning left on Commercial street and following the center line of Commercial street to Boston Harbor, thence along the water front to the Broadway Bridge, thence turning on Broadway and continuing through Park square to Charles street, including both sides of said ways to Beacon street, thence turning on said Beacon street and proceeding up Beacon street on the Common side to Bowdoin street, thence turning on Bowdoin street and proceeding down Bowdoin street on the easterly side thereof to Cambridge street, thence crossing Cambridge street to Bowdoin square, thence down Chardon street to Merrimac street, turning left on Merrimac street, including both sides thereof, to Staniford street, thence turning and proceeding down the center of Staniford street and continuing in an imaginary line to the Charles River at the North Station to the point of beginning.

Section 2. General Prohibitions.

No driver shall stop, stand or park a vehicle in any of the following places, except when necessary to avoid conflict with other traffic, or with pedestrians, or in compliance with the direction of a police officer or traffic sign or signal:

(1) Within an intersection, except in those areas where the installation and erection of parking meters have been approved by the Department of Public Works, Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
(2) Upon any sidewalk.
(3) Upon any crosswalk.
(4) Upon any street or highway within twenty (20) feet of an intersecting way, except alleys.
(5) Within twenty (20) feet of the driveway entrance to any fire station and on the side of a street opposite the driveway entrance to any fire station within seventy-five (75) feet of opposite said driveway entrance, provided official signs are erected and maintained.
(6) Upon a street or highway within ten (10) feet of a fire hydrant.

(7) In front of a private driveway.
(8) On a bridge or viaduct provided signs are erected notifying of such regulation and restriction.
(9) Upon any roadway unless both wheels on the side of the vehicle adjacent to the curb are within one (1) foot of the curb or edge of the roadway and headed in the direction of traffic, except where angle parking is permitted or commercial vehicles are permitted to back to the curb or edge of the roadway or where vehicles are permitted to park in the center of the roadway.
(10) Upon any roadway where the parking of a vehicle will not leave a clear and unobstructed lane at least ten (10) feet wide for passing traffic.
(11) On the roadway side of any vehicle stopped or parked at the curb or edge of a roadway.
(12) Upon any roadway in such a manner as to obstruct the movement of any streetcar.
(13) At any place where official traffic signs have been placed or erected prohibiting stopping, standing or parking.
(14) In any Public Hackney Carriage Stand which has been officially established by the Boston Police Department.

Section 3. Stopping, Standing and Parking Prohibited in Certain Places.

No driver shall stop, stand, or park a vehicle, except when necessary to avoid conflict with other traffic or with pedestrians, or in compliance with the direction of a police officer or traffic sign or signal, in the following streets or parts thereof, during the hours indicated:

Scollay Square.
Southwest side, from a point on the prolongation of the southeast curb line of Brattle street to a point twenty-two (22) feet southeast of the prolongation of the southeast building line of Hanover street, 24 hours.

Winter Street.
Northeast side, from Washington street to a point thirty-five (35) feet northwest of Washington street, 24 hours.

Section 4. Parking Prohibitions and Restrictions in Certain Places.

(1) No driver shall stop, stand, or park any vehicle at any curb adjacent to the reservation side of a parkway, the entrances of a school, church, theater, hotel, hospital, railroad station, railway station, public building or any place of public assemblage, provided that this regulation shall not apply to the service entrances to any such building. The foregoing prohibition shall not apply to passenger vehicles stopped temporarily during the actual receiving or discharging of passengers.
(2) No driver shall stop, stand, or park any vehicle in the following streets or parts thereof, during the hours indicated, provided that this regulation shall not apply to passenger vehicles stopped temporarily during the actual receiving or discharging of passengers nor to commercial vehicles stopped temporarily during the actual loading or unloading of materials:

Albany Street.
Both sides, from Beach street to Broadway, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Alden Street.
Both sides, from Cambridge street to Sudbury street, 24 hours.

Allston Street.
North side, from Bowdoin street to Somerset street, 24 hours.
South side, from a point one hundred and twenty (120) feet west of Somerset street to Somerset street, 24 hours.

Arch Street.
East side, from Milk street to Franklin street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from the alley at 88 Arch street to a point one hundred and sixty (160) feet southwest of the alley at 88 Arch street, 24 hours.
Northwest side, from Bussey place to Summer street, 24 hours.

Ash Street.
Both sides, from Oak street to Bennet street, 24 hours.

Ashhurton Place.
North side, from Somerset street to Bowdoin street, 24 hours.

Atlantic Avenue.
East side, from Commercial street to a point one hundred (100) feet northeast of Summer street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from Summer street to a point one hundred (100) feet northeast of Summer street, 24 hours.
West side, from Commercial street to Summer street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Summer street to a point twenty (20) feet south of the southerly entrance to South Station, 24 hours.

Avery Street.
North side, from Tremont street to Washington street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Avon Street.
Northeast side, from Washington street to Chauncy street, 24 hours.
Southwest side, from Washington street to Chauncy street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Batterymarch Street, Short Arm.
South side, from Batterymarch street to Broad street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Beach Street.
Both sides, from Atlantic avenue to Lincoln street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Lincoln street to Washington street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Beacon Street.
North side, from Tremont street to Somerset street, 24 hours.
South side, from Tremont street to Tremont place, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
North side, from Somerset street to Bowdoin street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Tremont place to opposite the easterly street line of Bowdoin street, 24 hours.

Bedford Street.
South side, from Lincoln street to Kingston street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Kingston street to Washington street, 24 hours.
North side, from a point ninety-seven (97) feet east of Chauncy street to Chauncy street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
North side, from Chauncy street to Harrison avenue, 24 hours.

Bennet Street.
North side, from Washington street to Harrison avenue, 24 hours.
South side, from Washington street to Harrison avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Beverly Street.
Southwest side, from a point two hundred and twenty-five (225) feet northwest of Causeway street to a point three hundred and fifty (350) feet northwest of Causeway street, 24 hours.

Bosworth Street.
North side, from Tremont street to Chapman place, 24 hours.
South side, from Tremont street to Chapman place, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Bowker Street.
Southwest side, from a point one hundred and thirteen (113) feet southeast of Chardon street, thirty (30) feet southeasterly, 24 hours.

Boylston Street.
Both sides, from Washington street to Tremont street, 24 hours.
North side, from Tremont street to Charles street, 24 hours.
South side, from Tremont street to Park square, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Brattle Square.
Both sides, from Brattle street to Elm street, 24 hours.

Brattle Street.
North side, from Adams square to Scollay square, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Broad Street.
North side, from Wharf street to Atlantic avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Milk street to High street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Broadway.
Northeast side, from Stuart street to Tremont street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Shawmut street to Tremont street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Eliot street to Stuart street, 24 hours.
West side, from Eliot street to Park square, 24 hours.
West side, from Stuart street to Shawmut street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Tremont street to the northwesterly line of Fort Point Channel, 24 hours.

Bromfield Street.
Both sides, from Washington street to Tremont street, 24 hours.

Bulfinch Place.
South side, from Bulfinch street to Bowdoin street, 24 hours.

Bulfinch Street.
Both sides, from Cambridge street to Bulfinch place, 24 hours.
East side, from Bulfinch place to Allston street, 24 hours.

Cambridge Street.
South side, from Howard street to a point eighty (80) feet west of Howard street, 24 hours.
South side, from a point eighty (80) feet west of Howard street to Bowdoin street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.

Canal Street.
Northeast side, from Haymarket square to a point one hundred and eighty-two (182) feet northwest of Haymarket square, 24 hours.

Carver Street.
Both sides, from Boylston street to Stuart street, 24 hours.
East side, from Stuart street to Broadway, 24 hours.

Causeway Street.
Northwest side, from Washington Street North to Beverly street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Northwest side, from Beverly street to Nashua street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from Washington Street North to Canal street, 24 hours.

Central Street.
North side, from Atlantic avenue to India street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
North side, from easterly arm of McKinley square to westerly arm of McKinley square, 24 hours.
South side, from Broad street to Kilby street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Chapman Place.
Both sides, from Bosworth street to School street, 24 hours.

Chardon Court.
All sides, from Chardon street to dead end, 24 hours.

Chardon Street.
West side, from Bowdoin square to Hawkins street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Bowdoin square to Bowker street, 24 hours.
Both sides, from Bowker street to Merrimac street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Chatham Row.
Both sides, from Chatham street to State street, 24 hours.

Chatham Street.
Both sides, from Merchants Row to Commercial street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Chauncy Street.
Northwest side, from Summer street to Avon street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from Summer street to Bedford street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from Bedford street to Essex street, 24 hours.
Northwest side, from Bedford street to Essex street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Clinton Street.
North side, from Merchants Row to Blackstone street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
North side, from Commercial street to Atlantic avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Merchants Row to Atlantic avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Columbia Street.
Both sides, from Bedford street to Essex street, 24 hours.

Commerce Street.
Both sides, from Commercial street to Atlantic avenue, 24 hours.

Commercial Street.
Southeast side, from Atlantic avenue to Clinton street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Clinton street to State street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Common Street.
South side, from Washington street to Tremont street, 24 hours.
North side, from Wyman place to a point thirty (30) feet west of Wyman place, 24 hours.

Congress Street.
Both sides, from Dock square to Water street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Milk street to Atlantic avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Atlantic avenue to Dorchester avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from Atlantic avenue to Nelson court, 24 hours.
Northeast side, from Nelson court to Dorchester avenue, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Corn Court.
Both sides, from Faneuil Hall square to a point one hundred (100) feet southeast of Faneuil Hall square, 24 hours.

Cornhill.
North side, from Scollay square to Adams square, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Court Square.
Both sides, southerly arm, from westerly arm to easterly arm, 24 hours.

Court Street.
South side, from Washington street to Tremont street, 24 hours.
North side, from Washington street to Cornhill, 7 A.M. to 5.30 P.M.

Curve Street.
Both sides, from Albany street to Broadway, 24 hours.

Custom House Street.
East side from Broad street to India street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Devonshire Street.
East side, from Adams square to State street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from State street to Water street, 24 hours.
West side, from Water street to Milk street, 24 hours.
East side, from Franklin street to Summer street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Franklin street to Otis street, 24 hours.
West side, from a point one hundred and sixty-four (164) feet south of Winthrop square to Winthrop square, 24 hours.

Dillaway Street.
Both sides, from Hollis street to Dore street, 24 hours.

Doane Street.
Both sides, from Kilby street to Broad street, 24 hours.

Dorchester Avenue.
West side, from Congress street to Summer street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Summer street to a point two hundred and five (205) feet south of Summer street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.
East side, from a point two hundred and five (205) feet south of Summer street to a point one thousand one hundred and thirty (1,130) feet south of Summer street, 24 hours.
East side, from a point one thousand seven hundred and fifteen (1,715) feet south of Summer street to Dorchester Avenue Bridge over Fort Point Channel, 24 hours.
West side, from a point two hundred and five (205) feet south of Summer street, to a point eight hundred (800) feet south of Summer street, 24 hours.

Dore Street.
Both sides, from Washington street to Tremont street, 24 hours.
East Street.
Both sides, from South street to Atlantic avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Edinboro' Street.
East side, from Essex street to Beach street, 24 hours.
West side, from Essex street to Beach street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Eliot Street.
Both sides, from Stuart street to Broadway, 24 hours.
Elm Street.
Both sides, from Hanover street to Dock square, 24 hours.
Essex Place.
Both sides, from Essex street to Tufts street, 24 hours.
Essex Street.
South side, from Washington street to Harrison avenue, 24 hours.
North side, from Harrison avenue to Lincoln street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Lincoln street to Atlantic avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Exchange Place.
South side, from Kilby street to Congress street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Exeter Place.
Both sides, from Chauncy street to Harrison avenue, 24 hours.
Faneuil Hall Square.
On the sides adjacent to the Faneuil Hall Market, 12 P.M. to 7 A.M.
Federal Street.
West side, from Milk street to High street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from High street to Summer street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Franklin Street.
South side, from Washington street to Hawley street, 24 hours.
Both sides, from Devonshire street to Congress street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from Congress street to Pearl street, 24 hours.
East side, from Broad street to India street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Broad street to India street, 24 hours.
Friend Street.
Northeast side, from Causeway street to Washington street, 24 hours.
Southwest side, from Causeway street to Washington street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Hanover street to Union street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Gridley Street.
Both sides, from High street to Purchase street, 24 hours.
Hanover Street.
South side, from Blackstone street to Union street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
North side, from Blackstone street to Union street, 24 hours.
Northwest side, from a point forty (40) feet northeast of Scollay square to Scollay square, 24 hours.
Harrison Avenue.
Northwest side, from Bedford street to Hayward place, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Hayward place to a point sixty-three (63) feet south of Hayward place, 24 hours.
West side, from a point sixty-three (63) feet south of Hayward place to Essex street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Beach street to Kneeland street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Kneeland street to Broadway, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Kneeland street to Harvard street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Harvard street to Bennet street, 24 hours.
West side, from Bennet street to Oak street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Oak street to Broadway, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Hartford Street.
Both sides, from Wendell street to High street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from High street to Purchase street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Harvard Street.
North side, from Albany street to Washington street, 24 hours.
South side, from Harrison avenue to Washington street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Haverhill Street.
Southwest side, from Causeway street to a point eighty-five (85) feet southeast of Causeway street, 24 hours.
Northeast side, from Causeway street to Washington Street North, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Hawkins Street.
Northeast side, from Chardon street to Sudbury street, 24 hours.
Southwest side, from Chardon street to Sudbury street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Hawley Street.
East side, from Milk street to Franklin street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Franklin street to Summer street, 24 hours.
Hayward Place.
North side, from Washington street to Harrison avenue, 24 hours.
South side, from Washington street to Harrison avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
High Street.
Southeast side, from Broad street to Summer street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
North side, from Federal street to Summer street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
High Street Place.
Both sides, from High street to Matthews street, 24 hours.
Hollis Street.
North side, from Tremont street to Washington street, 24 hours.
Howard Street.
North side, from Bulfinch street to Scollay square, 24 hours.
South side, from Bulfinch street to Scollay square, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Hudson Street.
West side, from Curve street to Beach street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Oak street to Harvard street, 24 hours.
East side, from Harvard street to Kneeland street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
India Square.
East side, from India street to Broad street, 24 hours.
India Street.
Southwest side, from Milk street to India square, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from India square to Atlantic avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Kilby Street.
East side, from Water street to State street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Kingston Street.
East side, from Summer street to Beach street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Summer street to Bedford street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Bedford street to Essex street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Knapp Street.
Both sides, from Beach street to Kneeland street, 24 hours.
Both sides, easterly arm, from Knapp street to Harrison avenue, 24 hours.
Kneeland Street.
South side, from Washington street to Atlantic avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
La Grange Street.
Both sides, from Washington street to Tremont street, 24 hours.
Leather Square.
Both sides, 24 hours.
Lincoln Street.
East side, from Summer street to Essex street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Summer street to Kneeland street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Market Street.
Both sides, from Canal street to Portland street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Marshall Street.
Both sides, from Union street to Hanover street, 24 hours.
Mason Street.
Both sides, from Mason street to Tremont street, 24 hours.
Both sides, from Avery street to West street, 24 hours.
Matthews Street.
Both sides, from Congress street to Federal street, 24 hours.
McKinley Square.
East side, westerly arm, from Central street to State street, 24 hours.
West side, easterly arm, from Central street to State street, 24 hours.
Medford Street.
Both sides, from Causeway street to Washington Street North, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Merchants Row.
East side, from Clinton street to North Market street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from North Market street to South Market street, 12 P.M. to 7 A.M.
Both sides, from South Market street to State street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Merrimac Street.
North side, from Haymarket square to Causeway street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Milk Street.
North side, from Washington street to Devonshire street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Washington street to Hawley street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
North side, from Post Office square to India street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Federal street to Pearl street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Pearl street to a point one hundred (100) feet east of Pearl street, 24 hours.
South side, from Broad street to India street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Nassau Street.
Both sides, from Ash street to Harrison avenue, 24 hours.
North Street.
North side, from Blackstone street to Union street, 24 hours.
South side, from Merchants Row to Dock square, 24 hours.
North Market Street.
North side, from Merchants Row to Commercial street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northern Avenue.
Northeast side, from Atlantic avenue to the Northern Avenue Bridge, 24 hours.
Oak Street.
North side, from Albany street to Harrison avenue, 24 hours.
North side, from Ash street to Washington street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Harrison avenue to Washington street, 24 hours.
Oliver Street.
Both sides, from Milk street to High street, 24 hours.
Both sides, from High street to Atlantic avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Otis Street.
Northwest side, from Devonshire street to Summer street, 24 hours.
Southeast side, from Winthrop square to Summer street, 24 hours.
Oxford Street.
East side, from Beach street to Essex street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Beach street to Essex street, 24 hours.
Park Street.
West side, from Tremont street to Beacon street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Tremont street to a point sixty (60) feet north of Tremont street, 24 hours.
Pearl Street.
Both sides, from Milk street to Franklin street, 24 hours.
Both sides, from High street to Atlantic avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Pemberton Square.
North side, westerly arm, from Pemberton square proper to Somerset street, 24 hours.
South side, easterly arm, from Scollay square to Pemberton square proper, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Pine Street.
Both sides, from Washington street to Harrison avenue, 24 hours.
Portland Street.
Northeast side, from Hanover street to Merrimac street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Merrimac street to Traverse street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Traverse street to Causeway street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Post Office Square.
West side, from Milk street to Water street, 24 hours.
Province Court.
Both sides, from Province street to Ordway place, 24 hours.
Province Street.
East side, from Bromfield street to School street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Purchase Street.
Both sides, from Summer street to Broad street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Quaker Lane.
Both sides, 24 hours.
Richmond Street.
South side, from Atlantic avenue to Commercial street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
School Street.
North side, from Tremont street to Washington street, 24 hours.
South side, from Tremont street to Washington street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Scollay Square.
Southwest side, from Pemberton square to a point on the prolongation of the southeast curb line of Brattle street, 24 hours.
Southwest side, from a point on the prolongation of the southeast curb line of Brattle street to a point twenty-two (22) feet southeast of the prolongation of the southeast building line of Hanover street. *See* Article IVA, section 2.
Southwest side, from a point twenty-two (22) feet southeast of the prolongation of the southeast building line of Hanover street to Howard street, 24 hours.
Sears Street.
East side, from Milk street to India street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Milk street to India street, 24 hours.
Somerset Street.
East side, from Pemberton square to opposite the northerly street line of Ashburton place, 24 hours.
West side, from Beacon street to Howard street, 24 hours.
South Street.
East side, from Summer street to Kneeland street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Kneeland street southerly to the Boston & Albany Railroad property, 24 hours.
South Market Street.
Both sides, from Atlantic avenue to Commercial street, 24 hours.
South side, from Commercial street to Merchants Row, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
State Street.
North side, northerly arm, from Washington street to Devonshire street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, northerly arm, from Washington street to Devonshire street, 24 hours.
North side, southerly arm, from Washington street to Devonshire street, 24 hours.
South side, southerly arm, from Washington street to Devonshire street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Both sides, from Devonshire street to Congress street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
North side, from Congress street to opposite Kilby street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Congress street to McKinley square, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from easterly arm of McKinley square to westerly arm of McKinley square, 24 hours.
North side, from Chatham Row to Commercial street, 24 hours.
Both sides, from McKinley square to Atlantic avenue, adjacent to the curb, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Stuart Street.
North side, from Washington street to Broadway, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Washington street to Tremont street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Tremont street to Warrenton street, 24 hours.
South side, from Warrenton street to Broadway, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Sudbury Street.
West side, from Cambridge street to Bowker street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Bowker street to Haymarket square, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Bowker street to Haymarket square, 24 hours.

Sumner Street.
Northeast side, from Washington street to Hawley street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Washington street to Chauncy street, 24 hours.
Southwest side, from South street to Atlantic avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from Purchase street to Atlantic avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from Atlantic avenue to Hathaway street, 24 hours.
Southwest side, from Atlantic avenue to Dorchester avenue, 24 hours.

Tamworth Street.
Both sides, from Boylston street to La Grange street, 24 hours.

Temple Place.
North side, from Tremont street to Washington street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Traverse Street.
Southeast side, from Merrimac street to Canal street, 24 hours.

Tremont Street.
East side, from Hollis street to Scollay square, 24 hours.
West side, from Stuart street to a point two hundred (200) feet north of Boylston street, 24 hours.
West side, from opposite Temple place to Scollay square, 24 hours.

Tufts Street.
Both sides, from Kingston street to South street, 24 hours.

Tyler Street.
Both sides, from Curve street to Kneeland street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Kneeland street to Beach street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Union Street.
Both sides, from North street to Haymarket square, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Utica Street.
Both sides, from Kneeland street to the Boston & Albany Railroad property, 24 hours.

Warrenton Street.
East side, from Stuart street to Washington street, 24 hours.
West side, from Tremont street to a point one hundred and sixty (160) feet north of Tremont street, 24 hours.

Washington Street.
West side, from Broadway to Court street, 24 hours.
East side, from Broadway to Harvard street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Harvard street to Kneeland street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Kneeland street to State street, 24 hours.
East side, from State street to Adams square, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Court street to Adams square, 24 hours.
East side, from Adams square to Haymarket square, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Washington Street North.
Southwest side, from Haymarket square to Haverhill street, 24 hours.
Both sides, from Keany square to the southerly line of the Charles River, 24 hours.

Water Street.
North side, from Washington street to Devonshire street, 24 hours.
South side, from Washington street to Devonshire street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
North side, from Congress street to Broad street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Well Street.
Both sides, from Custom House street to Wharf street, 24 hours.

Wendell Street.
Northwest side, from Hartford street to Broad street, 24 hours.
Southeast side, from Hartford street to Broad street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

West Street.
Southwest side, from Washington street to Tremont street, 24 hours.
Northeast side, from Washington street to a point one hundred and twenty-six (126) feet northwest of Washington street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Wharf Street.
West side, from Broad street to India street, 24 hours.
East side, from Broad street to India street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Whitmore Street.
Both sides, from Kneeland street to Harvard street, 24 hours.

Winter Street.
Northeast side, from Washington street to a point thirty-five (35) feet northwest of Washington street. *See* Article IVA, section 2.
Northeast side, from a point thirty-five (35) feet northwest of Washington street to Tremont street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Washington street to Tremont street, 24 hours.

(3) No driver shall stop, stand, or park any vehicle in any street in the section of Downtown Boston hereinafter described and bounded, during the hours from 8 A.M. to 9.30 A.M. on any day, provided that this regulation shall not apply to passenger vehicles stopped temporarily during the actual receiving or discharging of passengers nor to commercial vehicles stopped temporarily during the actual loading or unloading of materials.

The provisions of the preceding section shall not apply to any vehicle bearing a "V" registration plate, issued by the Registrar of Motor Vehicles under the provisions of section 2 of chapter 90 of the General Laws, except in streets in the section of Downtown Boston, hereinafter described and bounded, where parking of vehicles is otherwise prohibited under the provisions of Article IVA, section 4, part 2, of these Traffic Rules and Regulations.

That part of the City of Boston bounded by the water front starting at an imaginary line drawn through the center of Staniford street that meets the Charles River near the North Station, and following the water front to the Charlestown Bridge, turning right thereon and running along and including both sides of Washington Street North to Haymarket square and crossing Haymarket square, including both sides thereof, to Blackstone street, thence down Blackstone street on both sides to Commercial street, turning left on Commercial street and following the center line of Commercial street to Boston Harbor, thence along the water front to the Broadway Bridge, thence turning on Broadway and continuing through Park square to Charles street, including both sides of said ways to Beacon street, thence turning on said Beacon street and proceeding up Beacon street on the Common side to Bowdoin street, thence turning on Bowdoin street and proceeding down Bowdoin street on the easterly side thereof to Cambridge street, thence crossing Cambridge street to Bowdoin square, thence down Chardon street to Merrimac street, turning left on Merrimac street, including both sides thereof, to Staniford street, thence turning and proceeding down the center of Staniford street and continuing in an imaginary line to the Charles River at the North Station to the point of beginning.

Section 5. Bus and Trackless Trolley Stops.

No driver shall stop, stand, or park any vehicle other than a bus or trackless trolley in any officially approved bus or trackless trolley stop.

Section 6. Safety Zones.

No driver shall stop, stand, or park a vehicle between an established safety zone and the adjacent curb, or within twenty (20) feet of a point on the curb immediately opposite the end of a safety zone.

Section 7. Loading Zones.

No driver shall stop, stand, or park any vehicle in any loading zone, provided that this regulation shall not apply to passenger vehicles stopped temporarily during the actual receiving or discharging of passengers nor to commercial vehicles stopped temporarily during the actual loading or unloading of materials.

Section 8.

Whoever violates any of the provisions of this article of the traffic rules and regulations shall be liable to charge for the removal and storage of the vehicle as well as subject to punishment by fine.

WM. ARTHUR REILLY,
Commissioner.

A true copy.
Attest:
W. T. DOYLE, *Executive Secretary.*
(Nov. 5–12.)

EMPLOYEES' CREDIT UNION.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING.

BOSTON, MASS., October 30, 1955.

The forty-first annual meeting of the City of Boston Employees' Credit Union will be held Tuesday, November 15, 1955, at 4 P.M., in City Council Chamber, City Hall, Boston.

JOHN J. CONNELLY,
(Nov. 5-12.) *Clerk.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

CHANGES IN TRAFFIC RULES AND REGULATIONS.

Voted, That the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective November 15, 1955:

Article X is amended by adding the following new section:

Section 2. Removal of Vehicles Parked or Standing in Violation of Law on Public Ways in the Downtown Area.

The police commissioner of the city, or such sergeants or officers of higher rank in the police department of the city as he may from time to time designate, is hereby authorized, to remove to some convenient place, through the agency of a person or persons in the employ of the police department of the city or by an independent contractor selected on the basis of competitive bids invited by advertisement in the *City Record*, as said police commissioner shall from time to time determine, any vehicle, except a vehicle owned by the commonwealth or a political division thereof or by the United States or an instrumentality thereof or registered by a member of a foreign diplomatic corps or by a foreign consular officer who is not a citizen of the United States and bearing a distinctive number plate or otherwise conspicuously marked as so owned or registered, and except also a vehicle owned by a disabled veteran and bearing a distinctive number plate authorized by section two of chapter ninety of the General Laws, parked or standing on any part of any street, way, highway, road or parkway under the control of the city in the downtown area of the city, as defined in section twenty A of chapter ninety of the General Laws, in violation of Article IV A of these rules and regulations; and liability for the reasonable cost of such removal, and of the storage charges, if any, resulting therefrom, is hereby imposed upon the owner of such vehicle; provided, however, that the liability so imposed for removal shall not exceed eight dollars, and that the liability so imposed for storage shall not exceed the schedule of maximum rates contained in the then latest lease of an off-street parking facility under chapter four hundred and seventy-four of the acts of nineteen hundred and forty-six, as amended.

WM. ARTHUR REILLY,
A true copy. *Commissioner.*
Attest:
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PUBLIC AUCTION.

NOVEMBER 15, 1955, ON THE PREMISES.

	Upset Price.	Deposit.
9.30 A.M.–Vacant land, 110 Castle Street, Boston, 1,386 square feet	$700	$500
9.40 A.M.–Vacant land, Albion Street, westerly side, and formerly 21 and 25 Albion Street, Boston, 3,408 square feet	500	500
10.00 A.M.–3 story frame, vacant, 265 West Second Street, South Boston, 1,200 square feet	250	250
10.20 A.M.–Vacant land, 3409 Washington Street, West Roxbury, 22,315 square feet	1,200	500
10.35 A.M.–Vacant land, Partridge Street, Lots 48 and 49, 100 feet from Sparrow Street, West Roxbury, 11,797 square feet	200	200
10.45 A.M.–Vacant land, Partridge Street, Lot 7, easterly corner of Cottage Avenue, West Roxbury, 19,417 square feet	200	200
11.00 A.M.–Vacant land, Washington Street, Lot A–11, adjacent 5087 Washington Street, West Roxbury, 4,770 square feet	300	300
11.15 A.M.–Vacant land, Moreland Street, Lots 32 and 34, rear of 23 Belle Avenue, West Roxbury, 18,200 square feet	200	200
11.25 A.M.–Vacant land, Walnut Street, Lot A, adjacent 50 Walnut Street, West Roxbury, 11,500 square feet	200	200
11.40 A.M.–Vacant land, La Grange Street, Lot C–4, adjacent 515 La Grange Street, West Roxbury, 7,132 square feet	300	300
11.55 A.M.–Vacant land, Brook Farm Road, Lot 152, opposite 66 Brook Farm Road, West Roxbury, 2,938 square feet	100	100

The Chairman reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

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PUBLIC HIGHWAY ORDERED CONSTRUCTED IN HYDE PARK DISTRICT TO BE KNOWN AS STONEHILL TERRACE — PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT COMMISSION VOTES, WITH APPROVAL OF THE MAYOR, FOR OPERATION TO PROVIDE CONVENIENCE FOR RESIDENTS OF DISTRICT — NO DAMAGES AWARDED.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of Stonehill terrace (formerly an unnamed private way), Hyde Park district, as a public highway, from Stonehill road approximately 140 feet southeasterly, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named Stonehill terrace is hereby laid out from Stonehill road approximately 140 feet easterly and ordered constructed.

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WIDENING AND RELOCATION OF WEST STREET IN HYDE PARK ORDERED BY PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT COMMISSION — CONSTRUCTION TO EXTEND FROM WEST ROXBURY BOUNDARY LINE TO LODGEHILL ROAD — NO BETTERMENTS ARE ASSESSED AND NO DAMAGES SUSTAINED.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the widening and relocation of West street, Hyde Park district, from the West Roxbury boundary line to Lodgehill road, bounded and described as follows:

The highway named West street is hereby widened and relocated, from the West Roxbury boundary line to Lodgehill road, with no construction.

For the making of the aforesaid improvement an easement for street purposes is hereby taken in the following-described land, exclusive of trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed thereto:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to owners unknown, bounded:

Southeasterly by another portion of West street, five and 00-100 feet; northeasterly by the southwesterly line of West street as it existed prior to this

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NEW ELEMENTARY SCHOOL BUILDING TO BE ERECTED IN THE ELIHU GREENWOOD DISTRICT OF HYDE PARK — STRUCTURE TO HAVE TWELVE ROOMS ON TWO FLOORS AND WILL COST APPROXIMATELY $625,000 — APPOINTMENTS TO BE AS FINE AS THOSE OF ANY SCHOOL IN CITY — JOHN M. GRAY COMPANY ARE THE ARCHITECTS.

The School Buildings Department is planning to erect a new structure in the Elihu Greenwood District, on the Elihu Greenwood site, in Hyde Park. Bids are being called for and construction will begin immediately after the contracts have been awarded. Bids are to be received until November 29, according to present plans.

The new building will be erected on Metropolitan avenue, and will replace the old wooden structure that was erected in 1887. In the new building there will be twelve classrooms, two kindergarten rooms, one cooking room, and one manual training room.

It will be an all-purpose school, modern in every accommodation and similar to the Fairmount School, on Fairmount street, Elihu Greenwood District. The architect for the building is the John M. Gray Company, 169 High street. Bids will be on the market for competition on or about March 29, according to announcement from the School Buildings Department. Construction will begin immediately after the contract has been awarded.

It will be two stories high and the area will be of such size as to furnish ample space and excellent surroundings for the pupils who will use the building and yard. There will be no obstacles to interfere with the most pleasant surroundings, and it will be as delightful in appointments as any school structure in the City of Boston. It is estimated that a year will be required for the completion of the building so that it may be turned over to the school authorities for use. The building, when completed, will have cost approximately $625,000.

"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the shipteeming plain of the ocean;
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, November 14, at 2 P.M.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries, or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the Complaints Division, Room 25, City Hall.

Information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways, the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments of streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped area for streets and the opening of private ways; the making of specific repairs in public streets; the naming of public streets, including the use of public ways for location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railways, coal holes, and vaults, may be secured from the Public Improvement Commission, Room 403, City Hall Annex.

To the Boston Traffic Commission, 112 Southampton street, for information relative to regulation of vehicular street traffic on all or any streets, ways, highways, roads, and parkways under the control of the City of Boston, the issuing of all permits in connection therewith.

To the Commissioner of Public Works, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting, and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catchbasins, the operation of Sumner Tunnel, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges, and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

To the Health Department, Haymarket Square, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish, and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughterhouses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases, of public health nuisances.

To the Board of Park Commissioners, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth Avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park, and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts, also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview, and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

To the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

To the Department of School Buildings, 28 Norman street, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

To the Board of Examiners, Room 907, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal, or tearing down buildings.

To the Electrical Inspection Division of the Building Department, 1001 City Hall Annex, for all information relative to the erection of poles, building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division; also for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings of the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

To the Board of Zoning Adjustment, 43 City Hall, relative to changes in the boundary lines of zoning districts of the City of Boston as established by chapter 488 of the Acts of 1924, and amendments thereto.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending November 5, 1955.

Population as of July, 1950, Massachusetts State Census, 817,713; population estimated July, 1955, United States Census Bureau, 813,696; number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 139; nonresidents, 66; total, 205.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 13.01; nonresidents deducted, 8.97.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:

Last week, 13.01; corresponding week last year, 13.96.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 8; one year to four years, inclusive, 2; sixty years and over, 142. Total deaths: Male, 126; female, 79; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 159.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

Diseases.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Nov. 5, 1955.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Nov. 6, 1954.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior Poliomyelitis	31	1	1	—
Diphtheria	—	—	—	—
Encephalitis Lethargica	—	—	—	—
Influenza	—	—	—	—
Measles	2	—	60	—
Meningitis Epidemic	1	1	—	—
Pneumonia (lobar)	—	1	—	—
Scarlet Fever	1	—	9	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary)	9	4	17	2
Childhood Type Tuberculosis	—	—	—	—
Tuberculosis (other forms)	—	—	1	—
Typhoid Fever	—	—	—	—
Whooping Cough	3	—	25	—

*Residents and nonresidents included.

NEW HIGHWAY FOR HYDE PARK DISTRICT.

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Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed thereto, in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

Southwesterly by the northeasterly line of Stonehill road, twenty-nine and 89-100 feet; northerly by the northerly line of Stonehill terrace as hereby laid out, one hundred thirty-nine and 25-100 feet; easterly by the easterly line of Stonehill terrace as hereby laid out, twenty and 00-100 feet; and southerly by the southerly line of Stonehill terrace as hereby laid out, one hundred seventeen and 06-100 feet.

Trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforedescribed land shall be removed therefrom within thirty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the abutting parcels of land situated on both sides of Stonehill terrace, excluding the parcels at the corners of Stonehill road, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement herein ordered; each of said parcels in the amount hereinafter respectively set against it; said parcels and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Stonehill Terrace, Hyde Park, September 23, 1955, George G. Hyland, Commissioner of Public Works," and on file in the office of this department.

Parcel.	Amount.
1. Harry H. and Charlotte Weiner	Nothing
2. Clarence A. (Jr.) and Pauline M. Gleason	$440 16
3. Turtle Pond Sales Corporation	78 80
4. Albert and Barbara E. Sulinski	575 20
5. Joseph W. and Kathleen G. Rooney	Nothing
Total	$1,094 16

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the laying out and construction of Stonehill terrace, Hyde Park district, as a public highway, from Stonehill road approximately 140 feet easterly, under the order of this commission of October 5, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

WIDENING OF WEST STREET IN HYDE PARK.

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order, eighteen hundred and 00-100 feet; northwesterly by the former boundary line between Hyde Park and West Roxbury, five and 00-100 feet; southwesterly by the southwesterly line of West street as widened and relocated under this order, by four measurements, three hundred seventy-one and 82-100 feet, three hundred seventy-one and 80-100 feet, six hundred seventy-six and 70-100 feet, four hundred five and 02-100 feet, containing seven thousand five hundred square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, belonging to owners unknown, bounded:

Southeasterly by another portion of said West street, three and 00-100 feet; southwesterly by the northeasterly line of West street as it existed prior to this order, four hundred three and 00-100 feet; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of West street as widened and relocated under this order, forty-six and 61-100 feet; again northeasterly by Deforest street, sixty and 00-100 feet; again northeasterly by the northeasterly line of West street as widened and relocated under this order, two hundred fifty-two and 75-100 feet; again northeasterly by Lodgehill road, forty-two and 62-100 feet, containing one thousand five hundred square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, belonging to owners unknown, bounded:

Southwesterly by the northeasterly line of West street as it existed prior to this order, one thousand four hundred and 00-100 feet; northwesterly by the former boundary line between Hyde Park and West Roxbury, three and 00-100 feet; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of West street as widened and relocated under this order, by three measurements, three hundred seventy-seven and 84-100 feet, three hundred sixty-six and 75-100 feet, six hundred seventy and 98-100 feet, containing six thousand square feet, more or less.

Trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforedescribed land, shall be removed therefrom within thirty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Said West street as hereby widened and relocated is bounded:

Southeasterly by another portion of West street, fifty and 00-100 feet; southwesterly by the southwesterly line of West street, by four measurements, four hundred five and 02-100 feet, six hundred seventy-six and 70-100 feet, three hundred seventy-one and 80-100 feet, three hundred seventy-one and 82-100 feet; northwesterly by the former boundary line between Hyde Park and West Roxbury, fifty and 77-100 feet; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of West street, by four measurements, three hundred seventy-seven and 84-100 feet, three hundred sixty-six and 75-100 feet, six hundred seventy and 98-100 feet, forty-six and 61-100 feet; again northeasterly by Deforest street, sixty and 00-100 feet; again northeasterly by the northeasterly line of West street, two hundred fifty-two and 75-100 feet; again northeasterly by Lodgehill road, forty-two and 62-100 feet.

No betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Voted, That this commission determines that the undermentioned persons sustain no damages in their estate by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the widening and relocation (without construction) of West street, Hyde Park district, from the West Roxbury boundary line to Lodgehill road, under an order of this commission of October 19, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

Owners unknown, 7,500 square feet, nothing.

Owners unknown, 1,500 square feet, nothing.

Owners unknown, 6,000 square feet, nothing.

TRANSFERS OF APPROPRIATIONS.

The Mayor has approved the following requests for transfers of appropriations:

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Long Island Division.

From 100, Permanent Employees, $19,500, to 340, Household Supplies and Materials, $2,500, 330, Heating Supplies, and Materials, $17,000.

LICENSING BOARD.

From 213, Telephone Service, $91.50, to 594, Couch, $91.50.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Paving Division.

From Sidewalks, Construction and Reconstruction of—Paving Service (03-12-712), $6, 500, to 290, Miscellaneous Contractual Services, $6,500.

Sanitary Division.

From 250, Removal and Disposal of Garbage and Waste, $150, to 490, Miscellaneous Current Charges and Obligations, $150.

Sewer Division.

From 269, Buildings and Structures (Not Otherwise Classified), $1,400, to 346, Laundry, Cleaning and Custodial Supplies and Materials, $200, 369, Supplies and Materials (Not Otherwise Classified), $200, 391, Building Supplies and Materials, 300, 397, Public Works Supplies and Materials, $700.

From 269, Buildings and Structures (Not Otherwise Classified), $15, to 497, Dues and Subscriptions, $15.

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered the following construction work:

Five catch basins and connections in Sparrow street, between Maplewood street and Searle road, in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of $2,500.

One drop inlet and one catch basin converted to manhole in Massachusetts avenue, at Magazine street, in the Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of $500.

One drop inlet and one catch basin converted to manhole in Hall street at northerly corner of Call street, in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of $350.

One catch basin and connection in Granada park (formerly Byron court), from School street approximately 438 feet southwesterly, in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of $400.

Ten drop inlets and ten catch basins converted to manhole tops in West street, between West Roxbury boundary line and Lodgehill road, in the Hyde Park district, at an estimated cost of $1,800.

AMENDMENT TO ORIGINAL AWARD OF DAMAGES.

The Public Improvement Commission has voted as follows:

That the amount of $95 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Daniel J. and Mary F. Fitzgerald for all damages sustained under the order of the Public Improvement Commission and Mayor of August 4, 1954, for the widening and construction of Summit street, Hyde Park district.

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That the amount of $80 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Milton L. and Pearl L. Slishman for all damages sustained under the order of the Public Improvement Commission and Mayor of August 4, 1954, for the widening and construction of Summit street, Hyde Park district.

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That the amount of $114 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to William T. and Mary E. McHugh for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of November 16, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Abby road, Brighton district.

That the amount of $525 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Joseph S. and Agnes B. Cragin for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of May 4, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Searle road, West Roxbury district.

That the amount of $1,100 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Joseph F. and Victoria A. Colby for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of May 4, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Searle road, West Roxbury district.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 2,121.

By authority conferred upon the Police Commissioner by law, the following-named patrolman is hereby dismissed from the Police Department, effective Tuesday, November 1, 1955, at 5.45 o'clock P.M.:

Patrolman John Psomos, Division 16.

Written notice of dismissal with reason therefor, has been given in hand to the said Patrolman John Psomos.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,122.

Acting under provisions of chapter 32, section 7, as amended (State-Boston Retirement System), the Boston Retirement Board has approved for retirement on account of accidental disability the following-named police officer, effective at the close of business Monday, October 31, 1955.

In view of this operation of law, after October 31, 1955, the said police officer shall no longer be an active member of this department, and it is hereby ordered that its records be so amended.

Patrolman, Franklin J. Sherman, Division 4.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,123.

The Police Commissioner having heard the complaint of Francis W. Russell, captain, against Patrolman Thomas H. Scott of Division 10, on Friday, November 4, 1955, at Police Headquarters, charging him with violation of the rules and regulations of the Police Department, has made a finding of guilty.

Therefore, the said Patrolman Thomas H. Scott is ordered suspended for a period of eight months, effective as of Monday, March 28, 1955, at 5.45 o'clock P.M.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,124.

In accordance with law, the following-named police officers are hereby retired from active duty in the Boston Police Department on account of accidental disability, effective at the close of business Wednesday, November 30, 1955:

State-Boston Retirement System, Chapter 32, Section 7, as amended.

Patrolman John Campbell, Division 4.

Boston Retirement System, Chapter 521, Section 13, Acts of 1922, as amended.

Patrolman John J. Sheehan, Division 4.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,125.

The resignation of Patrolman John J. O'Brien of Division 9 having been presented, while charges against him are pending, it is hereby ordered to take effect as of Friday, November 4, 1955, at 7.45 o'clock A.M., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,126.

The resignation of Sergt. Edward J. Leary of Division 15 having been presented, it is hereby accepted, to take effect Tuesday, November 15, 1955, at 7.45 o'clock A.M.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

VETERANS' RETIREMENTS.

The Mayor has approved the following veterans' applications for retirement:

William J. Dawley, 1119 Saratoga street, East Boston, water service inspector, Water Division, Public Works Department.

John J. Dolan, 91 Westland avenue, accountant, Collecting Division, Treasury Department.

William F. O'Driscoll, 50 Waverly street, Roxbury, highway construction Inspector, Highway Division, Public Works Department.

Abraham Rosen, 43 Leamington road, Brighton, compositor, Printing Section, Administrative Services Department.

1954 STATISTICS OF THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF GAS FITTERS.

Examinations conducted	3
Applicants examined—Master	21
Journeyman	43
Applicants passed and certified —Master	11
Journeyman	21

1954 STATISTICS OF THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS.

The Board of Examiners was created by city ordinance in 1913 and re-established under legislative act in 1938. It acts upon applications of persons desiring to be licensed in Boston as construction superintendents, approving or rejecting said applications under certain rules and regulations adopted as procedure by the Board. The members are appointed by the Mayor and consist of an architect or engineer, a contractor or mechanic, and a lawyer.

The following list is that of applications acted upon in 1954:

New licenses and reissues—approved, 493; rejected, 149.

Renewals—approved, 1,947.

Suspended—2.

1954 STATISTICS OF THE BOARD OF APPEAL.

The Board of Appeal, established in accordance with section 117 of chapter 479, Acts of 1938, as amended, in its functioning, may vary the provisions of the Acts referred to in specific cases which appear to them not to have been contemplated by this Act, although covered by it, or in cases where manifest injustice is done, provided that the decision of the Board in such a case shall have the assent of four members under Building Law and shall be unanimous under Zoning Law and shall not conflict with the spirit of any provision of the Act.

The following is a statistical summary of the work of this department for the year 1954.

In *re* Building Law—chapter 479, Acts of 1938, as amended:		
Appeals received		97
Appeals withdrawn	1	
Appeals pending	5	
Appeals sustained	16	
Appeals sustained with priviso	63	
Appeals dismissed	17	
Total		*102
In *re* Zoning Law—chapter 488, Acts of 1924, as amended:		
Appeals received		175
Appeals withdrawn	10	
Appeals pending	23	
Appeals sustained	33	
Appeals sustained with priviso	84	
Appeals dismissed	36	
Total		†186

* Includes decisions on 5 cases pending from 1953.

† Includes decisions on 11 cases pending from 1953.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION.

TOLLMAN-GUARD, BRIDGE DIVISION, (TUNNEL SERVICE), BOSTON PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, JANUARY 7, 1956.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, December 19, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $63 a week; the maximum salary is $76.50 a week.

Vacancies: At present there are two vacancies for males, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: Under supervision, to patrol the Sumner Tunnel and adjacent grounds; to collect fares at tunnel entrances; and to perform related work as required.

Examples of Duties: Collecting and accounting for tolls from vehicles using the Sumner Tunnel; operating the fare register and making change; patrolling the tunnel and adjacent plazas; directing traffic; operating tunnel traffic signals; assisting in extinguishing fires in cars within the tunnel; calling for towing services when necessary; maintaining simple records and preparing reports; issuing summonses for traffic violations.

Copies of the City of Boston Sumner Tunnel Rules and Regulations may be obtained at the office of the Boston Public Works Department, Room 505, City Hall Annex, Boston, or at the Administration Building of the Sumner Tunnel.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following personnel changes:

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.
Main Division.

For the week ending October 25:

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Viola Bergstrom, 122 Church street, Wilmington, 3 days; Claire Bilapka, 230 Commonwealth avenue, 2 days; Lillian Blackburn, 18 Park Vale street, Allston, 1 day; Rita Buscher, 238 Norfolk street, Wollaston, 4 days; Ruby Childs, 270 Huntington avenue, Roxbury, 3 days; Sophie Cotter, 173 Vine Rock street, Dedham, 6 days; Adele Daly, 30 Aspinwall avenue, North Weymouth, 4 days; Norma Dean, 696 Massachusetts avenue, 7 days; Patricia Doucette, 352 Athens street, South Boston, 6 days; Eva Durgin, 13 Hardwick road, Quincy, Eleanor Duffley, 35 Edwin street, Dorchester, 1 day; Anna Ferrara, 53 Blue Hill avenue, Milton, 7 days; Ethel Goff, 40 Rockwell street, Dorchester, 3 days; Diana Guinta, 42 Topliff street, Dorchester, 2 days; Virginia Hamilton, 827 River street, Mattapan, Frances Harris, 103 Townsend street, Roxbury, 3 days; Mary B. Healy, 163 East Cottage street, Dorchester, 4 days; Elizabeth Barton, 5 days; Veronica Lombard, 8 Doris street, Dorchester, 2 days; Loretta Lynch, 270 Huntington avenue, 6 days; Claire MacDonald, 5 days; Mary R. Mahan, 29 Kempton street, 4 days; Carmella Messina, 102 Highland road, Somerville, 2 days; Anna Murphy, 115 Peterborough street, 1 day; Mary Murphy, 37 Hampden Circle, Wollaston, 6 days; Audrey Mailhot, 30 Walton street, Dorchester, 2 days; Angelina Mullaney, 1235 Trapello road, Waltham, 1 day; Phyllis Nigri, 271 Dartmouth street, 6 days; Dora Picarsky, 31 Edison Green, Dorchester, 2 days; Grace Powers, 16 Spaulding street, Dorchester, 5 days; Joan Piscitello, 19 Allen court, Medford, Vivian Plevock, 1 day; Romaine Riley, 171 Humboldt avenue, Roxbury, 7 days; Louella Rouch, 2 days; Madeline Sullivan, 126 Marlborough street, 1 day; Margaret M. Sullivan, 28 Weymouth street, Holbrook, 7 days; Takaka Salvi, 123 Harvard street, Cambridge, Margaret Sutton, Josephine Trippe, 80 Orleans street, East Boston, 2 days; Josephine Tyman, 39 Burnham street, Somerville, 3 days; Audrey Trask, 7 days.

The following weekly nurses have been appointed:

Permanent.—Grace Warren, 47 Leonard street, Melrose, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour; Eileen Leeburn, 132 Beacon street, Catherine Cutter, 42 Worcester square, floor nurses, $60.50 a week; Olga Ulchak, 19 Bradford street, floor nurse, $1.70 an hour; Olga Owen, 29 Rose Circle, Peabody, floor nurse, $68 a week; Lorraine Williams, 52 Brookdale street, Roslindale, floor nurse, $1.60 an hour; Virginia Crowley, 44 Pilsudski Way, South Boston, floor nurse, $1.70 an hour.

Temporary.—Rita MacCallum, 162 Bowdoin street, Dorchester, staff nurse, $1.50 an hour; Helen Clifford, 59 Sagamore street, Dorchester, Satenig Hovagimian, Franklin Square House, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour; Mae Owen, 259 Chestnut street, Jamaica Plain, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Dorothy Feldman, 35 Theodore street, Dorchester, Cathleen M. Sullivan,

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 8.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
W. Fishman	248 Allston street	21	Appliances	$100
W. Fishman	250 Allston street	21	Appliances	100
W. Fishman	254 Allston street	21	Appliances	100
W. Fishman	258 Allston street	21	Appliances	100
M. Eskowitz	2 Buttonwood street	13	Appliances	100
L. Luxton	378 Centre street	16	Appliances	25
W. Nye	821 Cummins Highway	18	Appliances	100
W. Fishman	6 Donwood terrace	18	Appliances	100
E. Farrell	70 Dustin street	22	Appliances	100
C. Fay	916 East Fourth street	6	Appliances	60
D. Gould	199 Hampden street	8	Appliances	25
J. McHatton	211 Hanover street	3	Appliances	250
P. Winick	207 Harold street	12	Appliances	100
W. Hogan	791 Huntington avenue	10	Appliances	100
W. Hogan	797 Huntington avenue	10	Appliances	100
A. Gardella	2 Langdon place	3	Appliances	45
A. Gardella	7 Langdon place	3	Appliances	50
L. Visco	175 London street	1	Appliances	100
J. Pirozzi	5 Milton street	3	Appliances	6
A. Gardella	3 North square	3	Appliances	15
A. Gardella	282 North street	3	Appliances	80
W. Hogan	14 Parker Hill avenue	10	Appliances	50
W. Fishman	1408 River street	18	Appliances	100
A. Gardella	166 Salem street	3	Appliances	80
H. Sellon	3 Seminary street	2	Appliances	100
E. Miller	1080 Tremont street	9	Appliances	15
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E. Rothenberg	149 Warren street	12	Appliances	10
J. Thoms	48 Williams avenue	18	Appliances	25
R. Grove	19 Adams street	18	Appliances	80
C. Lee	17 Ball street	9	Appliances	12
P. Gulesian	120 Belnel road	18	Appliances	300
A. Granara	1 Blackstone street	3	Appliances	20
W. Fishman	783 Blue Hill avenue	14	Appliances	100
C. Lee	25 Brookford street	13	Appliances	25
T. Matthews	43 Cambridge street	3	Appliances	100
D. Greenwood	28 Cedarwood road	19	Appliances	150
H. Latorella	18 Chelsea street	2	Appliances	25
C. Lee	1 Clifton place	8	Appliances	25
W. Connell	774 Columbia road	7	Appliances	600
A. Onessimo	496 Commercial street	3	Appliances	35
C. Lee	4 Corning street	3	Appliances	25
P. Gulesian	51 Cranmore road	18	Appliances	200
D. Greenwood	17 Cranston street	19	Appliances	250
T. Matthews	16 Dawson street	16	Appliances	100
W. Connell	103 Dix street	16	Appliances	300
C. Lee	803 East Fifth street	6	Appliances	25
C. Lee	9 Estey street	10	Appliances	25
C. Gioiosa	52 Eutaw street	1	Appliances	35
A. Granara	88 Ferrin street	2	Appliances	25
D. Greenwood	36 Gartland street	11	Appliances	100
E. Brown	65 Itasca street	18	Appliances	250
C. Lee	50 Lambert avenue	9	Appliances	50
P. Gulesian	9 Lexington avenue	18	Appliances	200
J. Riciardelli	21 Moon street	3	Appliances	20
P. Gulesian	3 New Bedford street	18	Appliances	300
T. Matthews	542 Park street	17	Appliances	100
D. O'Neill	41 Parker Hill avenue	10	Appliances	50
W. Connell	10 Redfield street	16	Appliances	45
S. Fox	5 Rock terrace	15	Appliances	200
F. Carlson	277 Roxbury street	9	Appliances	25
C. Lee	68 Savin street	12	Appliances	30
P. Janis	61 Stanwood street	14	Appliances	60
C. Lee	229 West Fifth street	6	Appliances	25
C. Lee	446 West Second street	6	Appliances	25
W. Connell	80 Woodruff Way	18	Appliances	15
M. Caputo	70 A street	6	Appliances	50
F. Avery	26 Adelaide street	19	Appliances	25
D. Evans	176 Albany street	3	Appliances	100
M. Caputo	162 Athens street	6	Appliances	75
F. Avery	629 Centre street	19	Appliances	15
F. Avery	8 Child street	11	Appliances	10
M. Caputo	15 Clarkson street	15	Appliances	70
A. Granara	232 Commercial street	3	Appliances	200
M. Caputo	1 Cottage street	7	Appliances	45
M. Caputo	667 East Seventh street	7	Appliances	60
O. McElearney	172 Green street	11	Appliances	2,600
D. Spiers	8 Greenough avenue	19	Appliances	150
S. Shulman	47 Hillock street	20	Appliances	300
C. McGregor	19 Holman street	22	Appliances	150
N. Clark	19 Holman street	22	Appliances	100
F. Avery	132 Hyde Park avenue	19	Appliances	25
S. Leggett	1070 Hyde Park avenue	18	Appliances	85
J. McKenna	164 Kelton street	21	Appliances	50
S. Leggett	47 Lexington avenue	18	Appliances	85
J. Seffert	16 Magdala street	16	Appliances	100
J. Vogel	546 Massachusetts avenue	9	Appliances	20
I. Gerson	37 Moseley street	13	Appliances	100
N. Clark	23 Newcastle road	22	Appliances	400
S. Leggett	1374 River street	18	Appliances	85
N. Clark	31 Robey street	8	Appliances	400
N. Clark	57 Rockland street	12	Appliances	400
N. Clark	2 Roslyn place	19	Appliances	100
R. DiLorenzo	656 Saratoga street	1	Appliances	50
F. Avery	39 Sedgwick street	19	Appliances	25
N. Clark	16 Seminary street	2	Appliances	15
H. Hinckley	85 Spencer street	17	Appliances	100
F. Avery	19 Tileston street	18	Appliances	20
A. Granara	25 Tileston street	3	Appliances	20
S. Kramer	1000 Washington street	3	Appliances	100
N. Clark	4416 Washington street	18	Appliances	400
M. Caputo	227 West Ninth street	7	Appliances	60
M. Caputo	87 West Seventh street	6	Appliances	160
R. Simon	147 West Seventh street	6	Appliances	32

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 8.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
A. & J. Auto	55 Brighton avenue	21	Alterations, temporary locker	None
Rose Rutven	27 Baird street	14	Alterations, dwelling	$175
Frank Dehean	9 Blaine street	22	Alterations, dwelling	150
Gertrude Plattner	2085 Centre street	20	Alterations, dwelling, store	1,100
W. G. Anderson	298 Chelsea street	1	Alterations, dwelling	1,100
L. & S. Properties	1493 Dorchester avenue	16	Alterations, store	60
John Barnes	36 Ellison street	17	Alterations, dwelling	290
John McLaughlin	36 Fairmount street	17	Alterations, dwelling	300
Mary Foley	164 Minot street	16	Alterations, dwelling	900
Maurice Dneis	23 Moreland street	12	Alterations, dwelling	325
Alexander Ciccone	5 Mohawk street	7	Alterations, dwelling	1,900
Harry Carbone	17 Oak street	2	Alterations, dwelling	215
Michael Hassell	4 Pickering place	6	Alterations, dwelling	755
Ann Conley	26 Rosemont street	16	Alterations, dwelling	450
S. Penta	714 Saratoga street	1	Alterations, dwelling, store	650
Stella Lipman	49 Savin Hill avenue	15	Alterations, dwelling	485
C. V. Miller, Inc	48–50 Strathmore road	21	Alterations, dwelling	300
Patrick Doherty	27 Sydney street	13	Alterations, dwelling	750
Anna Annesi	77 Torrey street	17	Alterations, dwelling	300
Baird Realty	155–159 Washington street	3	Alterations, store, office	760
Jordan Marsh	450 Washington street	3	Alterations, store	1,600
R. H. White Corporation	518 Washington street	3	Alterations, store	750
Walton Trust	1083 Washington street	3	Alterations, store, office	990
F. L. Burns	39 Waterman road	19	Alterations, dwelling	340
Michoul Bille	218 West Ninth street	7	Alterations, dwelling	500
Elizabeth Crowley	15 Zeller street	20	Alterations, dwelling	515
Michael Maloof	58 Antwerp street	22	Alterations, dwelling	800
Michael Forino	3 Beckler avenue	6	Alterations, dwelling	75
Morgan Malloy	1124 Bennington street	1	Alterations, dwelling	510
John Hancock Insurance	200 Berkeley street	5	Alterations, offices	500
Hotel Touraine	62 Boylston street	3	Alterations, hotel	750
Goldstein & Freedman	314 Blue Hill avenue	14	Alterations, store	100
Grace McLellan	20 Burroughs street	19	Alterations, dwelling	950
Thomas Murphy	59 Calumet street	10	Alterations, dwelling	1,600
Michael Lydon	12 Carson street	13	Alterations, dwelling	450
Joseph Doyle	38 Centre street	16	Alterations, club	600
J. E. Burke	103 Clayton street	16	Alterations, machine shop	2,000
Charles Campo	62 Congreve street	20	Alterations, dwelling	400
Doe Realty Company	39–51 Court street	3	Alterations, restaurant	150
John Corcoran	30 Cushing avenue	13	Alterations, dwelling	13
Alice O'Shaughnessey	137 Dorchester avenue	7	Alterations, dwelling, store	2,500
Levitan, Inc	725–727 East Broadway	6	Alterations, dwelling, stores	900
Levitan, Inc	729–731 East Broadway	6	Alterations, dwelling, stores	900
Walworth Company	798 East First street	6	Alterations, offices	100
Motor Mart Garage	64 Eliot street	5	Alterations, garage	500
Weld Building Trust	176 Federal street	3	Alterations, stores, office	200
Harry McLeod	21–23 Fenton place	15	Alterations, dwelling	375
Frederick Croteau	44 Fenwood road	10	Alterations, dwelling	1,160
Daniel Gangemi	85 Foster street	22	Alterations, dwelling	150
Edward Gold	94 Geneva avenue	14	Alterations, dwelling	900
William Doran	246 Gold street	7	Alterations, dwelling	619
Exchange Realty	36 Hanover street	3	Alterations, store, restaurant	250
A. Urbaschek	19 Hautevale street	18	Alterations, dwelling	490
Bello Irving	98 High street	2	Alterations, dwelling	393
George Devlin	18 Hinckley street	13	Alterations, dwelling	200
Patrick Mulrooney	31 Houghton street	16	Alterations, dwelling	395
Edith Keizer	132 Humboldt avenue	12	Alterations, dwelling, store	600
Inter City Apartments	644 Huntington avenue	10	Alterations, dwelling, store	250
Selma Cash	176 Hyde Park avenue	19	Alterations, dwelling	185
Selma Cash	178 Hyde Park avenue	19	Alterations, dwelling	185
Henry Buff	325–327 Lamartine street	19	Alterations, dwelling	100
Sidney Kataman	24 Lime street	5	Alterations, dwelling	90
Morgan King	10 Linwood street	18	Alterations, dwelling	425
James Donovan	45 Meadowview road	18	Alterations, dwelling	500
Harold Magidon	81 Moraine street	19	Alterations, dwelling	895
Mary McCarthy	23 Oak street	2	Alterations, dwelling	200
G. Brown	676 Parker street	10	Alterations, stores	400
Cecilia O'Meara	219 Perham street	20	Alterations, dwelling	200
Mary McLean Blakely	25 Pomeroy street	21	Alterations, dwelling	1,250
Marnie Jones	35 Ramsdell avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	200
Thomas Nedder	13 Readville street	18	Alterations, dwelling	500
Brown Realty	1212 River street	18	Alterations, stores	280
George Fennell	40 Rosemont street	16	Alterations, dwelling	300
Thomas Ford	28 Saranac street	16	Alterations, dwelling	165
Rita Shear	1 Short Street place	2	Alterations, dwelling	550
Mass. Building Trust	60 State street	3	Alterations, offices	300
Harry Phillips	126 Summer street	3	Alterations, store	500
Everett Vierra	32 Tower street	11	Alterations, dwelling	950
James Connelly	1182–1184 Tremont street	9	Alterations, dwelling, store	500
Gerry's Furniture Store	740 Washington street	3	Alterations, furniture store	750
W. Wiseberger	1000 Washington street	3	Alterations, offices, manufacturing	500
John Connors	397A West Broadway	6	Alterations, store, bowling alley	630
G. Miekhatarium	105 West Eighth street	7	Alterations, dwelling	100
G. Miekhatarium	107 West Eighth street	7	Alterations, dwelling	100
Phillip Gulesian	102 West street	18	Alterations, dwelling	560
City of Boston	407 West Second street	6	Alterations, dwelling	1,280
Carl Mayer	59 Winslow street	20	Alterations, dwelling	100
Daniel Carroll	8 Allston street	2	Alterations, dwelling	595
Charles Leon	379 Beacon street	5	Alterations, dwelling	400
A. Torchetti	50 Beaver street	18	Alterations, dwelling	475
Beacon Paint Works	76 Brookley street	11	Alterations, paint shop	2,000
Robert Nahigian	259 Bunker Hill street	2	Alterations, dwelling, store	175
Joseph Sansone	43 Cambridge street	3	Alterations, store	150
First National Bank	403 Centre street	19	Alterations, store	45

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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170 Gardner street, West Roxbury, Joan Piscitello, 8 Taylor street, Medford, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour.

The following doctors have been appointed:

Ali Mahmut Kenter, junior assistant resident, Aural, $112 a month; Alfredo Aucar, senior assistant resident, Aural, $132 a month; Charles Granger Chapman, chief resident, Anesthesia, $202 a month.

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—Margaret Lambert, 617 Harrison avenue, hospital medical worker, $53 a week; Esther Edge, 31 Grove street, Mary Louise Logue, 1 Mt. Vernon street, Charlestown, Henry Muollo, 2 Grady court, East Boston, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; Wilhelmina Burden, 97 Intervale street, Roxbury, dietitian, $76.50 a week; Edward A. Doherty, 659 Hyde Park avenue, Hyde Park, clerk, $43 a week; Anna R. Croke, 188 Minot street, Dorchester, secretary, $90.50 a week; Mary E. Connolly, 17 Twomey court, South Boston, clerk-typist, $48 a week; Evan Beresford Morris, 36 Moreland street, Roxbury, ambulance medical aid, $53 a week; Barbara Williamson, 325 Millbury avenue, Millbury, head nurse, $73 a week; Theresa Frazier, 1644 Turnpike street, Stoughton, floor nurse, $68 a week; Edward Flynn, 12 Leyden street, Medford, male nurse, $68 a week.

Temporary.—Augustus D. McMahon, Argoyne Hotel, Bulfinch street, Carlo Mariano, 83 Sunnyside street, Hyde Park, Patrick Holland, 11 Topliff street, Dorchester, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; Anna Francis, 246 O'Callaghan Way, South Boston, clerk-typist, $43 a week; Francis Cleggett, 125 Tremont street, first-class fireman, $65.50 a week; Helen J. Clifford, 59 Sagamore street, Dorchester, Virginia MacCalmon, 50 Morse street, Watertown, Dorothy Feldman, 35 Theodore street, Dorchester, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour.

South Division.

For the week ending October 25:

The following temporary employee has been appointed:

Mary J. Antonelli, 23 Monsignor Reynolds Way, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Temporary.—Mary M. Curley, 615 Main street, Wakefield, Edith Hall, 50 Evergreen avenue, Auburndale, Alice M. Martin, 18 Kingsborough Park, Jamaica Plain, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour.

Permanent.—John E. O'Rourke, 25 St. Peter Street, Jamaica Plain, clerk-messenger, $50.50 a week.

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Veronica McElligott, 34 Dickinson street, Somerville, 7 days; Margaret Nolan, 14 Dix street, Dorchester, 5 days.

Sanatorium Division.

Approval has been given for the following resignations:

Charles L. Thayer, M.D., resident physician; Marion F. Campbell, John F. Connolly, Frank R. Thompson, hospital medical workers; Alfred Melchin, hospital kitchen worker.

Long Island Division.

The following changes have been made in the personnel for week ending October 25:

Terminations.—George E. Morrissey, attendant nurse; Barbara A. O'Leary, student praetical nurse; Sadie Hurley, hospital laundry worker, emergeney; Hazel L. Walsh, graduate registered nurse.

Leave of Absence.—Eleanor Kennedy, occupational therapist.

Change of Name.—Donald Cook, attendant nurse; Donn S. Littlefield, attendant nurse.

Cancellations.—Mary J. Gill, Charles L. Hanley, attendant nurses.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

The following employee has been transferred:

Christina Cassidy, permanent clerk and typist.

The following employee has retired:

Mary E. Robertson, permanent social work supervisor.

The following employees have resigned:

Alan J. Ward, permanent clerk; Frederick Slaney, Patricia Finnegan, permanent social workers; Florence Jones, Mary Shonk, permanent elerks and typists; Elizabeth Teixiera, permanent social worker; Nancy Allen, Virginia Shea, temporary clerks and typists; Bernice Smith, permanent clerk and typist; Leo Marshall, permanent soeial worker.

Appointments.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Health Division.

Bernard J. Frim, 4 Vinal street, Brighton, publie health dentist, $80 a week.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

House of Correction.

Ralph P. Dowling, 250 West Fifth street, South Boston, correetion offieer, $65.50 a week.

Thomas V. Campagna, M.D., 194 Bay State road, physieian, $87.47 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Nora C. Coleman, 18 Mather street, Dorehester, elerk, $43 a week.

Adeline F. Maloney, 40 Rill street, Dorchester, elerk, $43 a week.

Claire L. Sullivan, 33 Farmington road, West Roxbury, clerk, $43 a week.

Rosalyn Winitzer, 6 Balsam street, Dorehester, elerk, $50.50 a week.

Louis Areadipane, 1 Unity street, elerk and typist, $43 a week.

Esther M. Emerson, 114 Bower street, Roxbury, elerk, $43 a week.

Renee L. Risman, 8 Drummond street, Dorehester, clerk, $43 a week.

Joan P. DeMare, 15 Middlesex street, clerk, $43 a week.

Frances R. Schwartz, 145 Chiswick road, Brighton, elerk, $50.50 a week.

Vineent G. Cardinale, 61 Gladstone street, East Boston, soeial worker, $73 a week.

Madeline Doyle, 199 Summer street, Somerville, statistical maehine operator (key puneh), $45.50 a week.

Rose Swartz, 90 Brainerd road, Allston, statistical maehine operator (key puneh), $45.50 a week.

Dollie Seully, 11 Mace plaee, Lynn, cook, $43 a week.

Appointments or Reinstatements.

CIVIL DEFENSE.

Patricia Elizabeth Broyer, 51 Auburn street, elerk-typist, $1 an hour.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 8.—Concluded.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
John Valente	128 Child street	18	Alterations, dwelling	$300
Henry's Market Basket	212 Columbia road	11	Alterations, market	175
Drake's Welding	1260 Columbus avenue	11	Alterations, welding shop	500
Mannie Mendum	55 Dover street	3	Alterations, dwelling	470
Mary Nivvon	3 Drayton avenue	14	Alterations, dwelling	450
Barney Ginsburg	68 East Canton street	8	Alterations, junk shop	875
Francis Campbell	41 Green street	2	Alterations, dwelling	250
Francis Gildea	198 Hampden street	8	Alterations, dwelling, bar	175
Romano Perini	2 Hardwick street	22	Alterations, dwelling	350
David Wong	79 Harrison avenue	3	Alterations, dwelling, store	40
M. J. McDonough	31 Moscley street	13	Alterations, dwelling	250
Marjorie Cowan	14 Mystic street	2	Alterations, dwelling	800
George Frazer	108 Northampton street	8	Alterations, dwelling, store	175
Minot, DeBlois, Maddison	37 Temple street	3	Alterations, store	1,200
G. W. Pope	311 Washington street	14	Alterations, store	175

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM PLUMBING FOR THE WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 8.

Plumber.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
A. Mchegan	306 Albany street	8	Fixtures	$150
S. Whitcombe	11 Chauncy street	3	Fixtures	1,100
C. Kay	98 Clare avenue	18	Fixtures	1,600
C. Kay	102 Clare avenue	18	Fixtures	1,600
S. Lucido	10 Duval street	22	Fixtures	65
G. Patey	189 Hackensack road	20	Fixtures	1,500
J. Woodacre	15 Hall street	11	Fixtures	175
J. McHatton	211 Hanover street	3	Fixtures	225
E. Miller	12 Henley street	2	Fixtures	220
A. Russo	1853 Hyde Park avenue	18	Fixtures	800
L. Visco	175 London street	1	Fixtures	100
A. Hind	22 Nelson street	17	Fixtures	600
S. Lucido	44 Atkins street	22	Fixtures	65
T. Matthews	330 Brookline avenue	4	Fixtures	100
D. Greenwood	17 Cranston street	19	Fixtures	250
B. Zieff	35 Elton street	13	Fixtures	350
L. Speers	160 Foster street	22	Fixtures	400
A. Grogan	36 Goldsmith street	19	Fixtures	450
J. Woods	185 Lake street	22	Fixtures	1,500
W. Berkeley	90 Lyndhurst street	17	Fixtures	4,000
T. Matthews	59 Melville avenue	17	Fixtures	100
T. Matthews	81 Moultrie street	17	Fixtures	100
L. Speers	20 Ridgemont street	21	Fixtures	200
T. Matthews	20 Rosseter street	14	Fixtures	100
J. Barile	140 Theodore Parker road	20	Fixtures	100
D. Segal	35 Bennington street	1	Fixtures	900
E. Miller	277 Bunker Hill street	2	Fixtures	200
H. Eichel	5 Carmen street	14	Fixtures	250
W. Schrottman	1132 Tremont street	9	Fixtures	500
H. Stevens	560 Washington street	3	Fixtures	600
S. Lucido	46 Westmoreland street	16	Fixtures	65

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Dr. Roger Connor, Boston City Hospital, exeeutive assistant, $70.50 a week.

Rita Carpenito, 27 Tafthill terraee, Roslindale, laboratory assistant, part time, $35.50 a week.

Edward T. O'Neil, 8 Draper street, Dorchester, hospital kitehen worker, $43 a week.

Elizabeth Lundmark, 36 River street, laboratory technician, $58 a week.

Eugene Greaves, 77 Waltham street, hospital medieal worker, $50.50 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

Ethel G. Fitzpatriek, 39 Belton street, Dorchester, registered graduate nurse, part time, $1.70 an hour.

William J. Mills, 19 Corregidor court, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Marie Layden, 80 Glendale street, Dorehester, registered graduate nurse, $65.50 a week.

Long Island Division.

Mary Currie, 11 Bigelow street, Brighton, hospital laundry worker, $43 a week.

Edward Gill, 685 Massaehusetts avenue, hospital kitehen worker, $43 a week.

Elizabeth Travers, 38 Dunean street, Dorehester, hospital laundry worker, $43 a week.

Anmarie Polleek, 449 Crescent avenue, Chelsea, lieensed praetieal nurse, $53 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Sewer Division.

John J. Shea, 643 Tremont street, motor equipment operator and laborer, $65.50 a week.

Changes in Status.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Personnel Division.

William J. MeNeill, 4 Sparhawk street, Brighton, from elerk and typist, at $50.50 a week to principal clerk and typist (temporary) at $65.50 a week.

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Catherine H. Crawford, 27 Washington street, Charlestown, from assessment reeorder (temporary) at $68 a week to assessment reeorder (permanent) at $68 a week.

Nora M. Fahey, 10 Clifford street, Hyde Park, from assessment recorder (temporary) at $70.50 a week to assessment recorder (permanent) at $70.50 a week.

Harold R. Darling, 53 Oriole street, West Roxbury, from assessment recorder (temporary) at $70.50 a week to assessment recorder (permanent) at $70.50 a week.

AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

Frederick L. Marshall, 75 Crane street, Dedham, from senior accounting machine operator at $63 a week to principal clerk (temporary, 6 months) at $65.50 a week.

Cosimo J. Vacca, 34 Dennis street, Roxbury, from clerk at $50.50 a week to senior account clerk (temporary, 6 months) at $55.50 a week.

Irving Siegfriedt, 18 Melvin avenue, Brighton, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior account clerk (temporary, 6 months) at $55.50 a week.

Jeanne M. Connor, 91 Garnet road, West Roxbury, from statistical machine operator at $53 a week to senior statistical machine operator (temporary, 6 months) at $55.50 a week.

Eleanor Coyle, 63 Radcliffe street, Dorchester, from statistical machine operator at $50.50 a week to senior statistical machine operator (temporary, 6 months) at $55.50 a week.

BOSTON RETIREMENT BOARD.

Sheila M. Burke, 2024 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, from clerk and typist at $43 a week to senior account clerk (temporary) at $55.50 a week.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

Leonard M. VanGemert, Jr., 108 Washington street, North Easton, from assistant traffic signal supervisor (temporary) at $87 a week to assistant traffic signal supervisor (permanent) at $87 a week.

CITY PLANNING BOARD.

Raphaela DiPietro, 1533 River street, Hyde Park, from senior clerk and typist at $65.50 a week to principal clerk and typist (temporary, 6 months) at $68 a week.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Donald F. Toomey, 70 Topliff street, Dorchester, from fire fighter at $77.58 a week to fire lieutenant at $89.46 a week.

John P. Mahoney, 33 Russell street, Charlestown, from motor equipment repairman at $68 a week to lineman at $70.69 a week.

Daniel B. Shea, 24 Auburn street, Charlestown, from fire apparatus repairman at $70.50 a week to lineman at $70.69 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Margaret M. Barry, 88 Norton street, Dorchester, from first assistant city registrar (temporary) at $117.75 a week to first assistant city registrar (permanent) at $117.75 a week.

Louis Tobin, 183 Harvard street, Dorchester, from deposition clerk (temporary) at $80 a week to deposition clerk (permanent) at $80 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Catherine Curry, 928 Parker street, Roxbury, from clerk and typist (part time) at $43 a week to clerk and typist (full time) at $50.50 a week.

Ann C. Venuti, 47 Temple street, North Abington, from floor nurse at $68 a week to head nurse at $70.50 a week.

Isabella Valcour, 56 Yale street, Winchester, from floor nurse at $63 a week to nurse anesthetist (temporary, 6 months) at $65.50 a week.

Abraham Wolf, 47 Floyd street, from supervisor of patients' valuables, (temporary) at $76.50 a week to supervisor of patients' valuables (temporary) at $76.50 a week.

Nora F. Kennedy, 29 Leyland street, Dorchester, from hospital laundry worker at $48 a week to hospital house worker at $48 a week.

Dorothy M. Lena, 98 Green street, Melrose Highlands, from nurse anesthetist at $70.50 a week to chief nurse anesthetist (temporary, 6 months), at $80 a week.

Long Island Division.

Eleanor M. Duffy, 215 Newbury street, from occupational therapist (permanent) at $60.50 a week to senior occupational therapist (temporary) at $63 a week.

George R. Egan, 672 La Grange street, West Roxbury, from principal Long Island Hospital guard (permanent) at $80 a week to head Long Island Hospital guard (permanent) at $87 a week.

William A. Munroe, 44 East Newton street, from senior hospital kitchen worker, cook (permanent) at $60.50 a week to assistant chef (temporary, 3 months) at $65.50 a week.

Joan L. Connors, 14 Prescott street, Roxbury, from clerk-typist at $50.50 a week to senior clerk and stenographer (temporary) at $55.50 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

William F. Breen, 112 Brookside avenue, Jamaica Plain, from bath attendant and laborer at $58 a week to bath custodian (temporary) at $63 a week.

George T. Connell, 124 Beaver street, Hyde Park, from recreational supervisor at $87 a week to deputy director of recreation (temporary) at $103.50 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Highway Division.

Edward H. Dolan, 24 Sherwood street, Roslindale, from heavy motor equipment operator and laborer at $68 a week to road roller operator at $70.50 a week.

Frank J. Gavaghan, 141 Lexington street, East Boston, from working foreman motor equipment operator at $68 a week to working foreman paver at $70.50 a week.

John J. Sances, 164 Monticello avenue, Dorchester, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior clerk and typist (temporary) at $55.50 a week.

William F. McDonald, 29 Billings street, West Roxbury, from paver at $63 a week to heavy motor equipment operator and laborer at $63 a week.

Sanitary Division.

Arthur D. Doherty, 12 St. Martin street, Charlestown, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $65.50 a week to working foreman laborer at $65.50 a week.

Francis C. White, 35 Wyman street, Jamaica Plain, from district supervisor, street cleaning and waste collection at $94 a week to superintendent waste collection (temporary) at $98.75 a week.

Sewer Division.

John Herlihy, 16 Hill Top street, Dorchester, from third-class stationary engineer at $72.17 a week to pumping station engineer at $76.50 a week.

Peter A. Merrigan, 5 Longfellow street, Dorchester, from third-class stationary engineer at $73 a week to pumping station engineer at $80 a week.

Water Division.

Joseph L. Regan, 73 Durnell avenue, Roslindale, from water installation inspector (temporary) at $83.50 a week, to water installation inspector at $83.50 a week.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

Buildings Division.

James B. Kennedy, 421 Quincy street, Dorchester, from building construction and repair inspector at $76.50 a week to senior building construction and repair inspector (temporary) at $80 a week.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Collecting Division.

John W. Barry, 107 Montclair avenue, Roslindale, from head clerk at $98.75 a week to head administrative clerk (temporary) at $108.25 a week.

Joseph S. Cataldo, 41 Condor street, East Boston, from clerk at $48 a week to senior clerk (temporary) at $55.50 a week.

Jeanne F. Curry, 12 Wait street, Roxbury, from statistical machine operator at $53 a week to senior statistical machine operator (temporary) at $55.50 a week.

Thomas F. Leonard, 75 Central avenue, Hyde Park, from senior accountant at $103.50 a week to principal accountant (temporary) at $108.25 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

A. Teresa Duffy Negus, 42 Sudan street, Dorchester, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to statistical machine operator (key punch) (temporary) at $53 a week.

Wilhelmina Givens, 152 Humboldt avenue, Roxbury, from clerk and typist at $48 a week to statistical machine operator (key punch) (temporary) at $50.50 a week.

Anna C. Murphy, 110 West Street, Hyde Park, from clerk and typist at $48 a week to senior clerk and stenographer (temporary) at $55.50 a week.

Marie Scanlan, 137 Church street, West Roxbury, from medical social work supervisor at $76.50 a week to principal medical social work supervisor (temporary transfer) at $87 a week.

Doris Burke, 1395 Commonwealth avenue, Brighton, from social work supervisor at $83.50 a week to principal social work supervisor (temporary transfer) at $90.50 a week.

Transfer.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Samuel W. Magrath, Jr., 267 Centre street, Jamaica Plain, from Library Department as clerk at $53 a week to Public Works Department (Water Division) as clerk at $50.50 a week.

Leaves of Absence.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Helen O'Donnell, 9 Bowdoin avenue, Dorchester, elevator operator, $50.50 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

John E. Powers, 158 M street, South Boston, supervisor of supplies, $85.54 a week.

Step-Rate Increases.

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Richard McDonough, clerk-typist, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Catherine Crawford, assessment recorder, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Sarah Yalenesian, statistical machine operator, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

Robert Wanders, principal account clerk, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Timothy J. O'Connor, chief traffic engineer, from $146.25 to $151 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Health Division.

Mary E. Welsh, principal public health nurse, from $87 to $90.50 a week.

Mary V. Shand, public health nurse, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Edmund Carp, public health dentist, from $83.50 to $87 a week.

Marilyn Cotter, dental hygienist, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Jane Pray, dental hygienist, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Marks Mitchell, public health dentist, from $87 to $90.50 a week.

David Zax, public health dentist, from $80 to $83.50 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Corine Ahearn, floor nurse, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Florence Allen, head nurse, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Helen Anderson, head nurse, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Bertha Becker, nurse, anesthesia, from $65.50 to $70.50 a week.

Emily Daly, floor nurse, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Grace Drevinsky, floor nurse, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Gladys Gallupe, supervisor of nurses, from $83.50 to $87 a week.

Ruth Johnson, floor nurse, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Rosemary Pink, floor nurse, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Anna Sedote, floor nurse, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Elinor Sullivan, floor nurse, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Helena Matarese, floor nurse, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Floor Nurses, Part Time.

	From	To
Goldie Buchanan,	$1.60	$1.65
Patricia Burns,	$1.50	1.60
Catherine O'Neil,	1.60	1.65
Ann Conley,	1.50	1.60

Hospital Medical Workers.

	From	To
Dorothy Luciano,	$43.00	$45.50
Mary Berry,	48.00	50.50
Mary A. Boyle,	48.00	50.50
Julia Coleman,	48.00	50.50
Anna J. Doherty,	48.00	50.50
Mary A. Donnelly,	50.50	53.00
Anna M. Fleming,	45.50	48.00
Mary Fondanova,	43.00	45.50
Joan Fogarty,	43.00	45.50
Margaret R. Galvin	43.00	45.50
Margaret M. Jones,	48.00	50.50
Ethel Lynch,	43.00	45.50
Mary MacMillan,	50.50	53.00
Mary A. Marnell,	45.50	48.00
Anne J. Mellyn,	48.00	50.50
Louise M. Ruby,	45.50	48.00
Helen F. White,	48.00	50.50
Grace Linscott,	43.00	45.50
Phyllis Peterson,	43.00	45.50
Walter Burke,	45.50	48.00
Thomas Moore,	45.50	48.00

Hospital House Workers.

	From	To
John O'Connell,	$43.00	$45.50
Gerald Callahan,	48.00	50.50
John Hann,	48.00	50.50
James J. Harrington,	48.00	50.50
Howard McClarty,	48.00	50.50
Sylvester O'Brien,	48.00	50.50

Hospital Laundry Workers.

	From	To
Eva Breault,	$48.00	$50.50
Irene Mosewich,	43.00	45.50
Catherine V. Powers,	43.00	45.50

George F. Lyons, principal hospital medical worker, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Patrick Pergola, prineipal hospital medical worker, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Rufus Morton, carpenter, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Edward S. Desmond, senior clerk, temporary, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Mary Bullock, senior clerk, temporary, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Elaine Rosenbloom, clerk and typist, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Frances M. Roster, clerk and typist, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

John M. Sheehan, hospital finance officer, from $103.50 to $108.25 a week.

Kathleen Byrnes, clerk and typist, from $48.00 to 50.50 a week.

Rosa L. Williams, hospital medical worker, from $45.50 to $48.50 a week.

Walter Molter, chief power plant engineer, from $113 to $117.75 a week.

John J. Cassell, senior clerk, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Albert Berberian, physical therapist, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Charles Hart, elevator operator, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Charles W. North, hospital house worker, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

Madelyn Harte, research laboratory technician, from $63 to 65.50 a week.

Nora Megna, hospital medical worker, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Claire McColgan, hospital medical worker, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Ruth Harding, hospital kitchen worker, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

William Anderson, hospital kitchen worker, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Catherine Bustin, telephone operator, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Mary Bradley, dietitian, from $83.50 to $87 a week.

Carl Gullen, hospital kitchen worker, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Geno Porter, hospital kitchen worker, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Long Island Division.

Helena J. Riley, registered graduate nurse, from $60.50 to $70.50 a week.

Arlene C. Abernathy, attendant nurse, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Margaret N. Bare, attendant nurse, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Emily A. Cavicchi, attendant nurse, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Rose E. Gravelle, senior hospital house worker, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

James R. Harris, senior hospital laundryworker, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

Vera V. Hart, attendant nurse, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Paul E. McKettrick, attendant nurse, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Hugh J. McLaughlin, attendant nurse, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Helen A. McNicholas, senior hospital house worker, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

Helen D. Miller, attendant nurse, from $43 to $50.50 a week.

Frances C. Parker, attendant nurse, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Lois A. Reinhalter, attendant nurse, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Gertrude C. Snow, attendant nurse, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Joseph G. Spinale, hospital kitchen worker, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Theresa Colomey, clerk and typist, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Patricia Donovan, clerk and typist, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Anita Goodman, clerk and typist, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Edna Guiney, clerk and typist, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Edith Jackson, clerk and typist, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Dorothy J. Loeke, clerk and typist, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Catherine McBarron, clerk and typist, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Catherine McGaugh, clerk and typist, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Mary A. Penta, clerk and typist, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Kathleen Rorie, clerk and typist, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Gulli Horadon, principal clerk, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Doris L. Burke, principal social work supervisor, from $90.50 to $94 a week.

Broncy Stapulonis, senior bookkeeper, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Maude Kelly, senior clerk, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Charlotte Ulrich, senior clerk, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Josephine Cooney, senior clerk and typist, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Harriet Schreier, senior clerk and typist, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Anthony Colarossi, social worker, from $68 to $70.70 a week.

Mary N. Martin, social worker, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Evelyn Collins, social work supervisor, from $83.50 to $87 a week.

Christine Allen, telephone operator, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Mildred Reddington, telephone operator, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Temporary Home.

Ellen Broderick, head matron, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Bernice Penny, matron, from $40.50 to $43 a week.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Lawrence J. McNamara, jail officer, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Robert Morgan, jail officer, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Daniel F. McGillicuddy, deputy jailer, from $113 to $117.75 a week.

Frederick Randall, jail officer, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following requests:

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

For the month of October:

Harry Damigella, junior civil engineer, 6 hours at $2 an hour; Harry L. McGuire, tree maintenance foreman, 48 hours at $2 an hour; William E. Collins, general foreman, park maintenance, 16 hours at $2.35 an hour; Alfred Repucci, superintendent stadium custodians, 72 hours at $2.08 an hour; Neil P. Canney, park maintenance foreman, 6 hours at $2.18 an hour; John Keane, foreman greenhouse, 12 hours at $2.08 an hour.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award the contracts for work, materials, and supplies, in accordance with recommendations of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Purchasing Division.

Upon October 3 the Mayor approved contracts with lowest bidders as indicated for furnishing paper products to the various city departments from October 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, inclusive. Approximate total amounts of awards were as follows:

Contracts for Andrews Paper Company, $10,199.08, less 1 per cent discount for payment in 10 days; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $6,898.87, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., $5,829.59, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Orders for Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $895.50, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; Massachusetts Envelope Company, $550, less 1 per cent discount for payment in 10 days; Burnitol Manufacturing Company, $447.50, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids, opened September 28, were as follows:

Paper Products.

Boston City Hospital.

Item 1. 24,000 Paper Bags, 6-Pound, Kraft, Automatic, Per M.—Andrews Paper Company, $2.82; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., $2.78; Stone & Forsyth Company, $2.93, stocked; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $2.75*; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $3.24.

Item 2. 48,000 Paper Bags, 12-Pound, Kraft, Automatic, Per M.—Andrews Paper Company, $4.09*; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., $4.37; Stone & Forsyth Company, $4.60, stocked; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $4.35; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $5.10.

Item 3. 50,000 Paper Bags, 20-Pound, Kraft, Automatic, Per M.—Andrews Paper Company, $5.99; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., $5.56; Stone & Forsyth Company, $5.85, stocked; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $5.54*; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $6.49.

Item 4. 2,000 Paper Bags, Quarter Barrel, Per M.—Andrews Paper Company, $17.08; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., $16.25*; Stone & Forsyth Company, $17.53, stocked; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $16.55; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $22.

Item 5. 20,000 Containers, Half-Pint, Sealright, or Equal, Per M.—Andrews Paper Company, $25.05; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., $22.20; Massachusetts Envelope Company, $22.40; Stone & Forsyth Company, $22.40; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $21.25*; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $23.50.

Item 6. 1,000 Containers, 1-Quart, Sealright, or Equal, Per C.—Andrews Paper Company, $4.14; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., $3.78; Massachusetts Envelope Company, $37 per M; Stone & Forsyth Company, $37 per M; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $3.59*; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $3.75.

Item 7. 1,000 Containers, 1-Gallon, Sealright, or Equal, Per C.—Andrews Paper Company, $14.05; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., $14.90; Massachusetts Envelope Company, $125.70 per M; Stone & Forsyth Company, $125.70 per M; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $12.10*; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $13.15.

Item 8. 1,000 Containers, 1-Pint, Sealright, or Equal, Per C.—Andrews Paper Company, $3; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., $2.95; Massachusetts Envelope Company, $26.90 per M; Stone & Forsyth Company, $26.90 per M; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $2.53*; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $2.80.

Item 9. 200,000 Soufflé Cups, No. 55, Per M.—Andrews Paper Company, $2.77; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., $2.85; Stone & Forsyth Company, $2.90; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $2.70*; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $2.89.

Item 10. 100,000 No. 39 Soufflé Cups, Per M.—Andrews Paper Company, $1.14; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., $1.19; Stone & Forsyth Company, $1.19; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $1.12*; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $1.18.

Item 11. 75,000 No. 45 Soufflé Cups, Per M.—Andrews Paper Company, $1.31; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., $1.37; Stone & Forsyth Company, $1.37; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $1.29*; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $1.38.

Item 12. 8,000 Hot Coffee Cups, 8-Ounce, Dixie, No. 2108, or Equal (No Lid), Per M.—Andrews Paper Company, $13.60; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., $12.50; Stone & Forsyth Company, $10.80*; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $10.95, Nyman cups; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $11.50.

Item 13. 1,000 1-Pint Oyster Pails, Per C.—Andrews Paper Company, $1.95; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., $15.50; Stone & Forsyth Company, $1.58, stocked; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $1.40*; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $1.80.

Item 14. 1,500,000 Junior Dispenser Paper Napkins, Bleached, Per M.—Andrews Paper Company, 55 cents; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., 53 cents; Stone & Forsyth Company, 52 cents, Sugarman Brothers, Inc., 51.9 cents*; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., 62 cents.

Item 15. 1,500,000 Embossed Paper Napkins, Bleached, 13 x 13½, Per M.—Andrews Paper Company, 88 cents; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., 83 cents*; Stone & Forsyth Company, 92 cents, per sample; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., 84.9 cents; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., 92 cents.

Item 16. 40,000 Tray Napkins, 15 x 20, Mil-Pako, or Equal, Per M.—Andrews Paper Company, $1.81*; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., $2.10; Stone & Forsyth Company, $2.13; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $2.045; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $1.85.

Item 17. 100,000 Paper Plates, Deep Fluted, Stock 211, Per M.—Andrews Paper Company, $3.33; Stone & Forsyth Company, $2.75, per sample; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $2.79*; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $2.84.

Item 18. 15,200 Sheets, Kraft Wrapping Paper, 30 x 40, 70-Pound Basis, Per Pound.—Andrews Paper Company, 10¾ cents; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., 10¾ cents; Stone & Forsyth Company, 10.5 cents*; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., 11 cents, approximately 3,000 pounds.

Item 19. 5,760 Sheets White Drug Bond Paper, 24 x 36, 35-Pound Basis, Per Pound.—Andrews Paper Company, 22¼ cents; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., 14¾ cents*; Stone & Forsyth Company, 17 cents; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., 15.8 cents; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., 17 cents, approximately 420 pounds.

Item 20. 20 Rolls Lightweight Wrapping Paper, 20-Inch, for Laundry, Per Pound.—Andrews Paper Company, 12 cents; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., 11 cents; Stone & Forsyth Company, 11.5 cents; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., 9.4 cents, 40-pound basis*; Waltham Paper Products, Inc.; 12½ cents, approximately 700 pounds.

Item 21. 240 Reams White Wax Tissue Paper, 18 x 12, Per Pound.—Andrews Paper Company, 77 cents per ream; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., 69 cents per ream; Stone & Forsyth Company, 71 cents per ream; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., 68.9 cents per ream*; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., 72 cents per ream.

Item 22. 576 Balls, Half-Pound, No. 27, Cable Twine, Per Ball.—Andrews Paper Company, 74 cents per pound; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., 40 cents per pound*; Stone & Forsyth Company, 44 cents per pound; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., 40 cents per pound.

Item 23. 1,152 Balls, Half-Pound, White Cotton Twine, 24-Ply, Per Ball.—Andrews Paper Company, 74 cents per pound; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., 32 cents*; Stone & Forsyth Company, 36½ cents; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., 33.2 cents; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., 32½ cents.

Item 24. 600 Balls, Half-Pound, Empress Twine, No. 18, Per Ball.—Andrews Paper Company, 55½ cents per pound; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., 24 cents*; Stone & Forsyth Company, 30 cents; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., 25.8 cents; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., 26½ cents.

Item 25. 1,200 Cases Paper Towels, Multifold, Nibroc, No. 5010, Per Case.—Andrews Paper Company, *see* schedule below; Massachusetts Envelope Company, $3.85; Stone & Forsyth Company, *see* schedule below; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $4.25, quoting on No. 261, Fort Howard Selford.

Item 26. 90 Cases Oval Paper, 8-Ounce, Per Case.—Andrews Paper Company, $6.88; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., $6.75*; Stone & Forsyth Company, $6.79; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $6.89; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $7.

Item 27. 100 Cases Double Fold Toilet Paper, 4½ x 5⅝, Per Case.—Andrews Paper Company, $11; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., $10.25; Stone & Forsyth Company, $9.75; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $9.48*; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $10.75.

Item 28. 6,000 1-Gallon Linerless Bulk Ice Cream Boxes, to Have Automatic Bottom, Per C.—Andrews Paper Company, $95.26 per M*; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., $10; Stone & Forsyth Company, $10.03, not stocked; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $10.95.

Item 29. 72,000 Chip Board Boxes, Gray, 9½ x 6 x 3, Per M.—Andrews Paper Company, $11.50; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $10.15, brown*; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $10.90.

Item 30. 60 Cases Oval Paper, 8-Ounce, Per Case.—Andrews Paper Company, $6.88; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., $6.75*; Stone & Forsyth Company, $6.79; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $6.89; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $7.75.

Item 31. 90 Cases Singlefold Toilet Paper, Per Case.—Andrews Paper Company, $10.75; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., $9.25; Stone & Forsyth Company, $8.60; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $8.49*; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $9.50.

Item 32. 90 Double Cases Singlefold Paper Towels, Nibroc, No. 5021, Per Case.—Andrews Paper Company, *see* Brown Company schedule of suggested resale prices to consumers, effective August 1, 1955*; Massachusetts Envelope Company, $5.40; Stone & Forsyth Company, *see* Brown Company schedule of suggested resale prices to consumers, effective August 1, 1955; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $5.70, 28-pound wet strength, best qual-

ity, meets government specifications; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $8.25, quoting on certified towels.

Item 33. 40 Cases Roll Toilet Tissue, Bleached, 4½ x 4½, 1,000 Single Sheets to Roll, First Quality, Per Case.—Andrews Paper Company, $8.75; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., $6.75*; Stone & Forsyth Company, $9.85; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $9.39, 1-ply, facial, 1,000 single sheets; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $8.75.

Item 34. 40 Cases Roll Paper Towels, 11 x 13½ (24 to Case), Per Case.—Andrews Paper Company, $6.50; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., $5.80; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $5.25*; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $5.50.

Item 35. 300 Pounds Kraft Wrapping Paper, 32 x 48, 70-Pound Basis, Per Pound.—Andrews Paper Company, 13¼ cents; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., 11 cents; Stone & Forsyth Company, 12.5 cents; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., 11 cents, quoting on 40 x 48, 70-pound basis.

Item 36. 200 Pounds White Wrapping Paper, 24 x 36, First Quality, Per Pound.—Andrews Paper Company, 22¼ cents; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., 14¾ cents*; Stone & Forsyth Company, 17 cents; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., 15.8 cents; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., 16 cents.

Item 37. 300 Pounds White Wax Paper, 12 x 18, Type 2340, or Equal, Per Pound.—Andrews Paper Company, 26 cents; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., 69 cents; Stone & Forsyth Company, $18.46 per hundredweight*; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., 26 cents.

Item 38. 400 Balls, Half-Pound, 16-Ply, White Twine, Per Pound.—Andrews Paper Company, 74 cents; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., 32 cents*; Stone & Forsyth Company, 69 cents; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., 66.4 cents; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., 65 cents.

Item 39. 50,000 Sputum Cups, Aseptic, Per M.—Burnitol Manufacturing Company, $8.95.*

Item 40. 80 Cases Oval Paper, 8-Ounce, Less than 5 Case Lots, Per Case.—Andrews Paper Company, $8.50; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., $6.95*; Stone & Forsyth Company, $7.49; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $7.23; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $8.25.

Item 41. 50 Cases Oval Paper, 8-Ounce, 5- to 25-Case Lots, Per Case.—Andrews Paper Company, $8; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., $6.75*; Stone & Forsyth Company, $7.24; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $7.05; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $7.95.

Item 42. 200 Cases Singlefold Paper Towels, Per Case.—Andrews Paper Company, *see* Schedule for No. 5021, Nibroc, or less, 75 cents per case from Schedule No. 5021, double case item for No. 21SF; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., $3.05; Massachusetts Envelope Company, $2.75*; Stone & Forsyth Company, $3.35; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $2.89; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $3.15.

Item 43. 30 Cases Roll Toilet Tissue, Bleached, 4½ x 4½ (1,000 Sheets to Roll), First Quality, Less Than 5 Case Lots, Per Case.—Andrews Paper Company, $9.75; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., $6.95*; Stone & Forsyth Company, $10.50; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $9.39, 1-ply, facial quality, 1,000 sheets; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $8.75.

Item 44. 105 Cases Oval Paper, 8-Ounce, Per Case.—Andrews Paper Company, $6.88; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., $6.75*; Stone & Forsyth Company, $6.79; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $6.89; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $7.75.

Item 45. 80 Cases Paper Napkins, 13 x 13½, Bleached, Embossed (10,000), Per Case.—Andrews Paper Company, $8.80; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., $8.30; Stone & Forsyth Company, 92 cents per M; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $8.49; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $8.10.*

Item 46. 90 Cases Paper Towels, Multifold, Nibroc, No. 5010, Per Case.—Andrews Paper Company, *see* Brown Company schedule of suggested resale prices to consumers, effective August 1, 1955*; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., $3.05; Massachusetts Envelope Company, $3.85; Stone & Forsyth Company, *see* Brown Company schedule of suggested resale prices to consumers, effective August 1, 1955; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $3.89, 9½ x 10½, Rocket, as furnished before; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $4.25, quoting on Manu.

Item 47. 300 Pounds White Drug Bond Paper, 34 x 36, 35-Pound Basis, Per Pound.—Andrews Paper Company, 22¼ cents; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., 14½ cents*; Stone & Forsyth Company, 17 cents; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., 16 cents; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., 17 cents.

Item 48. 300 Pounds Kraft Wrapping Paper, 30-Inch, Per Pound.—Andrews Paper Company, 12¾ cents; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., 11 cents; Stone & Forsyth Company, 12 cents; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., 9.4 cents, 40-pound basis*; Waltham Paper Products Company, 11 cents.

Item 49. 10 Cases Wax Paper Cups, 4-Ounce, With Lids (2,500 to Case), Per Pound.—Andrews Paper Company, $9.38 per M; Stone & Forsyth Company, 10.32 per M; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., 17.60 per case, 2,000 to case*; Waltham Paper Products Company, $9 per M, 2,000 to case.

Item 50. 60 Cases Doublefold Toilet Paper, 4½ x 5⅝, Per Case.—Andrews Paper Company, $11.00; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., $10.25; Stone & Forsyth Company, $9.75; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $9.48*; Waltham Paper Products Company, $10.75.

Item 51. 75 Cases Multifold Paper Towels, Per Case.—Andrews Paper Company, *see* Brown Company schedule of suggested resale prices to consumers, effective August 1, 1955; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., $3.95; Massachusetts Envelope Company, $2.35; Stone & Forsyth Company, $4.24; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $3.89, 9½ x 10½, Rocket, as furnished before; Waltham Paper Products Company, $3.30*.

Item 52. 40 Cases Paper Napkins, Bleached, Embossed, 13 x 13½, Per Case.—Andrews Paper Company, $8.80; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., $8.30*; Stone & Forsyth Company, 92 cents per M, as sample; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $8.49; Waltham Paper Products Company, $9.20.

Item 53. 40 Rolls Kraft Wrapping Paper, 24-Inch, 30-Pound Basis, Per Pound.—Andrews Paper Company, 12½ cents; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., 10¾ cents*; Stone & Forsyth Company, 11.5 cents; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., 10.75 cents; Waltham Paper Products Company, 12 cents, approximately 1,500 pounds.

Item 54. 40 Rolls Heavy Wax Paper, 24-Inch, for Wrapping Meat, Per Pound.—Andrews Paper Company, 15½ cents; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., 19¾ cents; Stone & Forsyth Company, $14.95 per hundredweight; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., 11.75 cents*; Waltham Paper Products Company, 17 cents, approximately 2,300 pounds.

Item 55. 40,000 Glasseine Sandwich Bags, 6 x 6½, Per M.—Andrews Paper Company, $2.10; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., $1.95; Stone & Forsyth Company, $2.07, 6¾ x 6¾, dry wax, not stocked; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $1.75, dry wax*; Waltham Paper Products Company, $1.95.

Item 56. 10,000 Paper Bags, 5-Pound, Kraft, Automatic, Per M.—Andrews Paper Company, $3.59; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., $2.58; Stone & Forsyth Company, $2.72, stocked; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $2.57*; Waltham Paper Products Company, $3.

Item 57. 10,000 Paper Bags, 10-Pound, Kraft, Automatic, Per M.—Andrews Paper Company, $3.80; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., $3.57; Stone & Forsyth Company, $3.76, stocked; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $3.55*; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $4.15.

Item 58. 20,000 Paper Bags, 20-Pound, Kraft, Automatic, Per M.—Andrews Paper Company, $5.99; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., $5.56; Stone & Forsyth Company, $5.85, stocked; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., $5.54*; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., $6.49.

Discount.—Andrews Paper Company, 1 per cent, 10 days; Burnitol Manufacturing Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; H. J. Dowd Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Massachusetts Envelope Company, 1 per cent, 10 days; Stone & Forsyth Company, 2 per cent, time of payment, except Items 25, 32, and 46, 1 per cent, 10 days; Sugarman Brothers, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Waltham Paper Products, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment.

Remarks.—Andrews Paper Company, *see* Brown Company schedule of suggested resale prices to consumers, effective August 1, 1955, attached; Massachusetts Envelope Company, Items 25, 32, and 46, specify Nibroc, on these items as well as Items 42 and 51, will not furnish Nibroc but an equal substitute made by Wheeler Paper Company, Albany, New York, attached are samples of each of these items; Stone & Forsyth Company, *see* schedule attached to proposal, bags only, prices of stock bags subject to possible increase at time of delivery only if delivery is required after January 1, 1956, prices of bags not stocked are subject to possible increases at time of delivery not to exceed 15 per cent, also applies on stock boxes and pails.

Andrews Paper Company, Item 25, Schedule.
3,750 Towels to Case.

Grade 2220, 1 case, $9.60; 2 to 4 cases, $8.96; 5 to 9 cases, $8.32; 10 to 24 cases, $8; 25 to 49 cases, $7.84; 50 to 99 cases, $7.68; 100 to 249 cases, $7.52; 250 to 499 cases, $7.36; 550 cases to carload, $7.04; carload, 24,000 pounds minimum, $6.72.

Grade 2020, 1 case, $6.77; 2 to 4 cases, $6.31; 5 to 9 cases, $5.86; 10 to 24 cases, $5.64; 25 to 49 cases, $5.52; 50 to 99 cases, $5.41; 100 to 249 cases, $5.30; 250 to 499 cases, $5.19; 550 cases to carload, $4.96; carload, 24,000 pounds minimum, $4.75.

Grade 5010, 1 case, $6.47; 2 to 4 cases, $6.26; 5 to 9 cases, $5.63; 10 to 24 cases, $5.41; 25 to 49 cases, $5.29; 50 to 99 cases, $5.18; 100 to 249 cases, $5.08; 250 to 499 cases, $4.86; 550 cases to carload, $4.65; carload, 24,000 pounds minimum, $4.45.

Grade 5020, 1 case, $5.74; 2 to 4 cases, $5.55; 5 to 9 cases, $4.99; 10 to 24 cases, $4.80; 25 to 49 cases, $4.69; 50 to 99 cases, $4.59; 100 to 249 cases, $4.50; 250 to 499 cases, $4.31; 550 cases to carload, $4.13; carload, 24,000 pounds minimum, $3.95.

Grade 5021, 1 case, $5.89; 2 to 4 cases, $5.70; 5 to 9 cases, $5.12; 10 to 24 cases, $4.93; 25 to 49 cases, $4.81; 50 to 99 cases, $4.72; 100 to 249 cases, $4.62; 250 to 499 cases, $4.43; 550 cases to carload, $4.24; 24,000 pounds, minimum, $4.05.

Stone & Forsyth Company, Item 25, Schedule.
3,750 Towels to Case.

Grade 5010, 1 case, $6.47; 2 to 4 cases, $6.26; 5 to 9 cases, $5.63; 10 to 24 cases, $5.41; 25 to 49 cases, $5.29; 50 to 99 cases, $5.18; 100 to 249 cases, $5.08; 250 to 499 cases, $4.86; 550 cases to carload, $4.65; carload, 24,000 pounds minimum, $4.45; weight per case, 33.6 pounds.

7,500 Towels to Case.

Grade 5021, 1 case, $11.25; 2 to 4 cases, $10.11; 5 to 9 cases, $9.73; 10 to 24 cases, $9.50; 25 to 49 cases, $9.31; 50 to 124 cases, $8.74; 125 to 249 cases, $8.74; 250 cases to carload, $8.36; carload, 24,000 pounds minimum, $8; weight per case, 60.5 pounds.

* Contract awarded.

Upon October 5 the Mayor approved a contract with lowest bidders as indicated for furnishing office furniture to the various city departments. Approximate total amounts of awards were as follows:

Contracts for S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $3,948.10, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; Business Equipment Corporation, $1,342.37, net.

Orders for Y & E Sales Corporation, $895.60, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; Remington Rand, Division of Sperry Rand Corporation, $93.08, net; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, $62.35, net, 30 days.

Bids, opened August 17, were as follows:

Office Furniture.

Requisition No. 128.

Item 1. 4 6-Drawer Steel Desks, 60 Inches x 32 Inches, No. 3560, Gray, Steel Age, or Equal, Each.—Business Equipment Corporation, $96; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, $110.24; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $109.25*; Remington Rand, $145.14, No. 12260; Y & E Sales Corporation, $104.10, No. 7600-31.

Item 2. 4 3-Drawer Steel Typewriter Desks, 60 Inches x 32 Inches, No. 3860, Gray, Steel Age, or Equal, Each.—Business Equipment Corporation, $118; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, $134.57; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $132.20*; Remington Rand, $177.23, No. 12360; Y & E Sales Corporation, $126.75.

Item 3. 4 Office Chairs, Swivel, Royal, No. 1230N, or Equal, Gray, Each.—Business Equipment Corporation, $41*; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, $50.40; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $42.90; Remington Rand, $54.40, No. 1800B; Y & E Sales Corporation, $44.80.

Item 4. 8 Ordinary Chairs, Royal, No. 913N, or Equal, Gray, Each.—Business Equipment Corporation, $16.40; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, $14.64; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $16.35*; Remington Rand, $30.20, No. 1820B; Y & E Sales Corporation, $24.75.

Item 5. 4 Double Wardrobes, Steel, No. S102, or Equal, 18 Inches x 36 Inches x 72 Inches, Gray, Each.—Business Equipment Corporation, $32.49*; Carrol-Stevens Corporation, $41.20; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $39.75; Remington Rand, $57.20, No. 7301W; Y & E Sales Corporation, $40.

Item 6. 30 Steel Lockers, 12 Inches x 18 Inches x 72 Inches, Gray, Each.—Business Equipment Corporation, $14.20,* section of three, $15.60, singles; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, $18.94; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $21.80; Remington Rand, $23, A. Wilson.

Item 7. 4 4-Drawer Steel Files, Gray, No. 8A41, Steel Age, or Equal, Each.—Business Equipment Corporation, $52.70; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, $52.20; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $62.55; Remington Rand, $64.60, No. 140145; Y & E Sales Corporation, $62.28.*

Requisition No. 8624.

Item 8. 1 Stenographer's Desk, Steel Age, No. 3860L, or Equal, Gray.—Business Equipment Corporation, $119; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, $134.57; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $132.20*; Remington Rand, $177.20, No. 12360; Y & E Sales Corporation, $126.75.

Item 9. 1 Stenographer's Chair, Cramer, U22, or Equal, Gray.—Business Equipment Corporation, $21.90; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, $24; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $33.75*; Remington Rand, $25.90, No. 26; Y & E Sales Corporation, $24.85.

Item 10. 1 Office Desk, Steel Age, No. 3560, or Equal, 3-Drawer, Gray.—Business Equipment Corporation, $96; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, $110.24; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $109.25*; Remington Rand, $145.50, No. 12260; Y & E Sales Corporation, $104.10.

Item 11. 1 Desk Chair, Royal, No. 1230N, or Equal, Gray.—Business Equipment Corporation, $41*; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, $50.40; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $42.90; Remington Rand, $54.40, No. 1800B; Y & E Sales Corporation, $44.80.

Requisition No. 8625.

Item 12. 2 Single Pedestal Desks, 42 Inches x 30 Inches, Plain Birch, Each.—Business Equipment Corporation, $52.90*; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, $54; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $60.

Item 13. 2 Chairs to Match Item No. 12, No. U22, Cramer Posture, or Equal, Each.—Business Equipment Corporation, $21.90; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, $24; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $33.75*; Remington Rand, $25.90, No. 26; Y & E Sales Corporation, $24.85.

Item 14. 3 Swivel Chairs with Posture Back, Without Arms, Department of Correction, Catalogue No. 429-5, Each.—Business Equipment Corporation, $19.40*; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, $23.25; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $22.50; Y & E Sales Corporation, $41.50.

Requisition No. 8626.

Item 15. 2 Office Posture Chairs, Cramer, Catalogue No. U22, or Equal, Each.—Business Equipment Corporation, $21.90; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, $24; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $33.75*; Remington Rand, $25.90, No. 26; Y & E Sales Corporation, $24.85.

Requisition No. 8627.

Item 16. 1 Typist's Desk, Gray Metal, 60 x 30, Remington Rand, No. 2925R, or Equal.—Business Equipment Corporation, $119; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, $134.75; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $128.20; Remington Rand, $156.40,* changed to No. 12360, same desk; Y & E Sales Corporation, $126.75.

Item 17. 1 Posture Chair, Remington Rand, No. 9219, or Equal.—Business Equipment Corporation, $21.90; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, $24; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $33.75; Remington Rand, $16.54, 9219, as specified; Y & E Sales Corporation, $30.35.*

Requisition No. 8628.

Item 18. 2 Secretarial Desks, As Per Specifications, Each.—Business Equipment Corporation, $135; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, $127; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $129.20*; Y & E Sales Corporation, $123.15.

Item 19. 2 Secretarial Posture Chairs, As Per Specifications, Each.—Business Equipment Corporation, $21.90; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, $24; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $33.75*; Remington Rand, $25.90, No. 26; Y & E Sales Corporation, $24.85.

Requisition No. 8629.

Item 20. 1 Steel Desk, As Per Specifications.—Business Equipment Corporation, $93.40; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, $99.75; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $106.25*; Y & E Sales Corporation, $123.15.

Item 21. 1 Chair to Match Item 20, Royal, No. 1230N, or Equal.—Business Equipment Corporation, $41*; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, $50.40; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $42.90; Remington Rand, $54.40, No. 1800B; Y & E Sales Corporation, $44.80.

Requisition No. 8631.

Item 22. 1 Desk, Wooden, Oak or Birch, As Per Specifications.—Business Equipment Corporation, $74.47*; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, $79.25; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $85.

Item 23. 1 Desk, Single Pedestal, Oak or Birch, As Per Specifications.—Business Equipment Corporation, $74.47*; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, $54; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $60.

Item 24. 2 Typist's Chairs, Oak or Birch, Department of Correction, Catalogue No. 400, or Equal, Each.—Business Equipment Corporation, $20.40; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, $18.25*; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $22.50.

Requisition No. 8633.

Item 25. 1 Desk, 60 x 30, Double Pedestal, As Per Specifications.—Business Equipment Corporation, $94; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, $110.24; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $106.25; Remington Rand, $128.07, No. 12260; Y & E Sales Corporation, $104.10.*

Item 26. 1 Desk, 45 x 30, Single Pedestal, As Per Specifications.—Business Equipment Corporation, $77; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, $93.65; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $93.25; Remington Rand, $105.57, No. 12245R; Y & E Sales Corporation, $84.30.*

Requisition No. 8634.

Item 27. 2 Desks, Double Pedestal, As Per Specifications, Each.—Business Equipment Corporation, $94; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, $110.24; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $106.25; Remington Rand, $128.07, No. 12260, same desk; Y & E Sales Corporation, $104.10.*

Requisition No. 8634.

Item 28. 2 Swivel Arm Chairs, Gray Metal, As Per Specifications, Each.—Business Equipment Corporation, $41*; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, $64.66; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $44.80; Remington Rand, $54.80, No. E15RA; Y & E Sales Corporation, $44.80.

Item 29. 1 Gray Steel Typewriter Desk, As Per Specifications.—Business Equipment Corporation, $135; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, $99.75; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $129.20*; Y & E Sales Corporation, $123.15.

Item 30. 3 Cramer, No. U-22, or Equal, Posture Chairs, As Per Specifications, Each.—Business Equipment Corporation, $21.90; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, $24; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $33.75*; Remington Rand, $22.87, No. 26, Y & E Sales Corporation, $24.85.

Requisition No. 8635.

Item 31. 10 52-Inch x 32-Inch Double Gray Steel Desks, As Per Specifications, Each.—Business Equipment Corporation, $91.47; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, $104.90; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $106.25*; Y & E Sales Corporation, $100.35.

Item 32. 10 Cramer Posture Chairs, Model No. U-22, or Equal, As Per Specifications, Each.—Business Equipment Corporation, $21.90; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, $24; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $33.75*; Remington Rand, $124.50, No. 12255; Y & E Sales Corporation, $24.85.

Requisition No. 8636.

Item 33. 2 Stenographer's Chairs, Cramer Chair Company, No. U-22, or Equal, Each.—Business Equipment

Corporation, $21.90; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, $24; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $33.75*; Remington Rand, $22.87, No. 26; Y & E Sales Corporation, $24.85.

Item 34. 1 High Posture Chair, 28-Inch, Adjustable, Gray, Cramer, 4E 22X, or Equal.—Business Equipment Corporation, $23.40; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, $24; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $42*; Remington Rand, $34.65, No. E32 B-28; Y & E Sales Corporation, $27.25.

Item 35. 2 Cushioner Posture Chairs with Casters, As Per Specifications, Each.—Business Equipment Corporation, $21.90; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, $24; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $33.75; Remington Rand, $46.54, as specified*; Y & E Sales Corporation, $30.35.

Requisition No. 8637.

Item 36. 1 52-Inch Gray Metal Stenographer's Desk, No. 3825L, Steel Age, or Equal.—Business Equipment Corporation, $135; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, $127; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $129.20*; Y & E Sales Corporation, $123.15.

Item 37. 1 Gray Typist's Posture Chair, to Match Item 36, No. U22, Cramer, or Equal.—Business Equipment Corporation, $21.90; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, $24; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $33.75*; Remington Rand, $22.87, No. 26; Y & E Sales Corporation, $24.85.

Item 38. 1 Adjustable Desk Lamp, Gray, Luxo, No. 1001, or Equal.—Business Equipment Corporation, $16.46*; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, $12.75; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $25.

Requisition No. 8638.

Item 39. 1 4-Drawer Filing Cabinet, Gray, No. 8841, Steel Age, or Equal.—Business Equipment Corporation, $51; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, $52.20; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $62.55; Remington Rand, $64.60, No. 14014.5; Y & E Sales Corporation, $62.28.*

Requisition No. 8639.

Item 40. 1 Metal Arm Chair, Cosco, Series No. 20, Model 20 LA, or Equal.—Business Equipment Corporation, $18.90*; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, $50.40; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $25.90; Y & E Sales Corporation, $33.75.

Item 41. 1 Gray Metal Table, 36 Inches Wide, 18 Inches Deep, 30 Inches High, Linoleum Top, Haskell, or Equal.—Business Equipment Corporation, $31, 36 x 24 x 30; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, $25.85*; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $40.

Item 42. 1 Single Gray Metal Wardrobe with Hat Shelf, No. 112, Supreme or Equal.—Business Equipment Corporation, $29.29*; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, $32.62; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $38; Remington Rand, $53.20, No. 7303W; Y & E Sales Corporation, $35.

Item 43. 1 Gray Metal Waste Basket, No. 2900, or Equal.—Business Equipment Corporation, $1.49*; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, $1.75; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $3.25; Remington Rand, $4.72, No. 221; Y & E Sales Corporation, $3.20.

Requisition No. 8658.

Item 44. 1 Steel Age, or Equal, Desk, Gray, Executive, 52-Inch, No. 3552, 3 Card, 1 Card, 1 Letter.—Business Equipment Corporation, $94; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, $104.25; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $106.25*; Remington Rand, $141.10, No. 12255; Y & E Sales Corporation, $100.35.

Item 45. 2 Executive Posture Chairs, Swivel Type, Gray Steel with Dark Green Upholstery, Royal, No. 1230N, or Equal, Each.—Business Equipment Corporation, $41*; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, $50.40; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $42.90; Remington Rand, $108.80, No. 1800B; Y & E Sales Corporation, $44.80.

Item 46. 1 Side Chair, Cosco, or Equal, Model 20LA, Armchair, Gray Steel with Green Upholstery.—Business Equipment Corporation, $18.90*; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, $14.64; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $25.90; Y & E Sales Corporation, $33.75.

Item 47. 1 Harter Gray Baked Enamel Posture Typewriter Chair, No. E15R, Green Upholstery (Tolax), or Equal.—Business Equipment Corporation, $21.90; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, $24; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $33.75; Remington Rand, $34.65, No. E15R; Y & E Sales Corporation, $30.50.*

Discount.—Business Equipment Corporation, net; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, net, 30 days; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Remington Rand, prices quoted are net delivered; Y & E Sales Corporation, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—Business Equipment Corporation, Items 12, 23, and 41, 20 days, Items 31 and 32, 14 days, all other items immediately; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, Item 10, 11 days, Items 41, 42, 43, and 44, 15 days, Items 3, 6, 11, 14, 21, 24, 40, and 45, 30 days, all other items, 10 days, all all items marked 10-day delivery in our stock and could be delivered faster if necessary; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., prompt to 30 days on all items; Remington Rand, all items within 3 to 4 weeks; Y & E Sales Corporation, all items, 30 days.

State Make and Model Upon Which Bid is Based.

Item 1. Business Equipment Corporation, Hillside, No. DP60; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, Security, No. TDSF60; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., as specified; Remington Rand, Remington Rand; Y & E Sales Corporation, Yawman & Erbe, No. 7600-31-642.

Item 2. Business Equipment Corporation, Hillside, No. ST60; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, Security, No. TDTPL60; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., as specified; Remington Rand, Remington Rand; Y & E Sales Corporation, Yawman & Erbe, No. 7600-364.

Item 3.—Business Equipment Corporation, Royal, No. 1230N; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, Sturgis, No. 1200; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., as specified; Remington Rand, Remington Rand; Y & E Sales Corporation, Harter, No. 1800-B, Tolex.

Item 4.—Business Equipment Corporation, Royal, No. 913N; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, Sturgis, No. 1278; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., as specified; Remington Rand, Remington Rand; Y & E Sales Corporation, Harter, No. 1820-B, Tolex.

Item 5.—Business Equipment Corporation, Supreme, No. 102; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, Berger, No. 8020; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., as specified; Remington Rand, Remington Rand; Y & E Sales Corporation, Supreme No. 102.

Item 6.—Business Equipment Corporation, Andrew Wilson, No. IV; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, Berger, No. 1218; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., as specified; Remington Rand, Remington Rand.

Item 7.—Business Equipment Corporation, Hillside, No. 701; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, Carroll-Stevens, Grade A; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., as specified; Remington Rand, Remington Rand; Y & E Sales Corporation, Yawman & Erbe, No. 2404.

Item 8.—Business Equipment Corporation, Hillside, No. ST60L; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, Security, No. TDTPL60; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., as specified; Remington Rand, Remington Rand; Y & E Sales Corporation, Yawman & Erbe, No. 7600-43.

Item 9.—Business Equipment Corporation, Steelcase, No. C-21; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, ASE, No. 711; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., as specified; Remington Rand, Remington Rand; Y & E Sales Corporation, Harter, No. 221, Tolex.

Item 10.—Business Equipment Corporation, Hillside, No. DP60; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, Security No. TDSF-60; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., as specified; Remington Rand, Remington Rand; Y & E Sales Corporation, Yawman & Erbe, No. 7600-31.

Item 11.—Business Equipment Corporation, Royal, No. 1230; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, Sturgis, No. 1200; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., as specified; Y & E Sales Corporation, Harter, No. 1800B, Tolex; Remington Rand, Remington Rand.

Item 12.—Business Equipment Corporation, Indiana, No. 335; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, Jasper, No. 4230; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., as specified; Remington Rand, Remington Rand.

Item 13.—Business Equipment Corporation, Steelcase, No. C-36; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, ASE, No. 711, S. M. Levin Company, Inc., as specified; Y & E Sales Corporation, Harter, No. 22L, Tolex, 642; Remington Rand, Remington Rand.

Item 14.—Business Equipment Corporation, Allen, No. 54815; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, Jasper, No. 44, S. M. Levin Company, Inc., as specified; Y & E Sales Corporation, Harter, No. 63, Tolex, 642; Remington Rand, Remington Rand.

Item 15.—Business Equipment Corporation, Steelcase, No. C1-31; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, ASE, 711; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., as specified; Y & E Sales Corporation, Harter, No. 22L, Tolex, 642; Remington Rand, Remington Rand.

Item 16.—Business Equipment Corporation, Hillside No. 160R; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, Security, No. TDPTR; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., Steel Age, No. 5560; Remington Rand, Remington Rand; Y & E Sales Corporation, Yawman & Erbe, No. 7600-34.

Item 17.—Business Equipment Corporation, Steelcase, No. C-31; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, ASE, No. 711; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., Cramer, No. U22; Remington Rand, Remington Rand; Y & E Sales Corporation, Harter, No. 24, Tolex.

Item 18.—Business Equipment Corporation, Steelcase, No. 15035; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, Security, No. TDTFR55; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., as specified; Remington Rand, Remington Rand; Y & E Sales Corporation, Yawman & Erbe, No. 7550-35.

Item 19.—Business Equipment Corporation, Steelcase, No. C-31; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, ASE, No. 711; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., as specified; Remington Rand, Remington Rand; Y & E Sales Corporation, Harter, No. 22L, Tolex.

Item 20.—Business Equipment Corporation, Hillside, No. DP55; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, Security, No. TDEFR55; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., as specified; Remington Rand, Remington Rand; Y & E Sales Corporation, Yawman & Erbe, No. 7550-53.

Item 21.—Business Equipment Corporation, Royal, No. 1230N; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, Sturgis, No. 1200; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., as specified; Remington Rand, Remington Rand; Y & E Sales Corporation, Harter, No. 1800B, Tolex.

Item 22.—Business Equipment Corporation, Hanes, No. 761F; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, Jasper, No. LF60; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., as specified; Remington Rand, Remington Rand.

Item 23.—Business Equipment Corporation, Indiana, No. 335; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, Jasper, No. 4230; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., as specified; Remington Rand, Remington Rand.

Item 24.—Business Equipment Corporation, Allen, No. 528/5; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, Jasper, No. 45; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., as specified; Remington Rand, Remington Rand.

Item 25.—Business Equipment Corporation, Hillside, No. DP60; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, Security, No. TDSF60; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., Steel Age, No. 5560; Remington Rand, Remington Rand; Y & E Sales Corporation, Yawman & Erbe, No. 7600-31.

Item 26.—Business Equipment Corporation, Hillside, No. SP42R; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, Security, No. TDSFR46; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., Steel Age, No. 5545R; Y & E Sales Corporation, Yawman & Erbe, No. 7450-01; Remington Rand, Remington Rand.

Item 27.—Business Equipment Corporation, Hillside, No. DP60; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, Security, No. TDSF60; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., Steel Age, No. 5560; Y & E Sales Corporation, Yawman & Erbe, No. 7600-31; Remington Rand, Remington Rand.

Item 28.—Business Equipment Corporation, Payne, No. 1230N; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, Security, No. 101; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., as specified; Y & E Sales Corporation, Harter, No. 1800B, Tolex; Remington Rand, Remington Rand.

Item 29.—Business Equipment Corporation, Steelcase, No. 15035; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, Security, No. TDEFR; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., as specified; Y & E Sales Corporation, Yawman & Erbe, No. 7550-35; Remington Rand, Remington Rand.

Item 30.—Business Equipment Corporation, Steelcase, No. C-31; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, ASE, No. 711; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., as specified; Y & E Sales Corporation, Harter, No. 22L, Tolex; Remington Rand, Remington Rand.

Item 31.—Business Equipment Corporation, Hillside, No. DP-55; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, Security, No. TDSF55; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., as specified; Remington Rand, Remington Rand; Y & E Sales Corporation, Yawman & Erbe, No. 7550-31.

Item 32.—Business Equipment Corporation, Steelcase, No. C-31; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, ASE, No. 711; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., as specified; Remington Rand, Remington Rand; Y & E Sales Corporation, Harter, No. 22L, Tolex.

Item 33.—Business Equipment Corporation, Steelcase, No. C-31; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, ASE, No. 711; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., as specified; Remington Rand, Remington Rand; Y & E Sales Corporation, Harter, No. 22L, Tolex.

Item 34.—Business Equipment Corporation, Royal, No. 66ST; Carroll-Stevens Corporation ASE No. 711; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., as specified; Remington Rand, Remington Rand; Y & E Sales Corporation, Harter, No. 22-28, Tolex.

Item 35.—Business Equipment Corporation, Steelcase, No. C-31; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, ASE, No. 711; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., Cramer, No. U22; Remington Rand, Remington Rand; Y & E Sales Corporation, Harter, No. 24, Tolex.

Item 36.—Business Equipment Corporation, Steelcase, No. 15035; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, Security, No. TDTFL55; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., as specified; Remington Rand, Remington Rand; Y & E Sales Corporation, Yawman & Erbe, No. 7550-53.

Item 37.—Business Equipment Corporation, Steelcase, No. C-31; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, ASE, No. 711; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., as specified; Remington Rand, Remington Rand; Y & E Sales Corporation, Harter, No. 22L, Tolex.

Item 38.—Business Equipment Corporation, Luxor (1001) L. A.; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, Flexo, No. 4411; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., as specified; Remington Rand, Remington Rand.

Item 39.—Business Equipment Corporation, Hillside, No. 701; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, Carroll Stevens, Grade A; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., as specified; Remington Rand, Remington Rand; Y & E Sales Corporation, Yawman & Erbe, No. 2404.

Item 40.—Business Equipment Corporation, Casco, No. 20LA; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, Sturgis, No. 1200; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., Royal, Metal, No. 911-N; Remington Rand, Remington Rand; Y & E Sales Corporation, Harter, No. 1810B, Tolex.

Item 41.—Business Equipment Corporation, Haskell, No. MG3600; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, Haskell, No. GG301; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., as specified; Remington Rand, Remington Rand.

Item 42.—Business Equipment Corporation, Supreme, No. J112; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, Berger, No. 8011; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., as specified; Remington Rand, Remington Rand; Y & E Sales Corporation, Supreme, No. 112.

Item 43.—Business Equipment Corporation, Erie, No. 4; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, Dan-Dee; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., as specified; Remington Rand, Remington Rand; Y & E Sales Corporation, Yawman & Erbe, No. 2001.

Item 44.—Business Equipment Corporation, Hillside, No. DP55; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, Security, No. TDSF55; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., as specified; Remington Rand, Remington Rand; Y & E Sales Corporation, Yawman & Erbe, No. 7550-31.

Item 45.—Business Equipment Corporation, Royal, No. 123ON; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, Sturgis, No. 1200; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., as specified; Remington Rand, Remington Rand; Y & E Sales Corporation, Harter, No. 1800B, Tolex.

Item 46.—Business Equipment Corporation, Casco, No. 20LA; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, Sturgis, No. 1278; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., No. 911, N, Royal, Metal; Remington Rand, Remington Rand; Y & E Sales Corporation, Harter, No. 1810B, Tolcex.

Item 47.—Business Equipment Corporation, Steelcase, No. C-31; Carroll-Stevens Corporation, ASE, No. 711; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., Cramer, No. U22; Remington Rand, Remington Rand; Y & E Sales Corporation, Harter, No. E-15R, Tolex.

* Contract awarded.

Upon October 26 the Mayor approved contracts with lowest bidders as indicated for furnishing fire alarm cable to the Fire Department for the Fire Alarm Shop. Approximate total amounts of contracts were as follows:

J. J. Leahy, Inc.: Item 3, cable, $5,060, Item 5, cable, $9,735—$14,795, less 1 per cent discount, 10th proximo. Eight reels at $25 each, $200, four reels at $30 each, $120—$320, net. Total, $15,115. Reel prices to be refunded when reels are returned.

George H. Wahn Company: Item 4, cable, $7,600, Item 6, cable, $4,965—$12,565, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment. Ten reels, $120, five reels, $100—$220 net. Total, $12,785. Reel prices to be refunded when reels are returned.

Simplex Wire & Cable Company: Item 1, cable, $2,780, Item 2, cable, $3,720—$6,500. Eight reels at $25 each, $200, eight reels at $25 each, $200—$400 net. Total, $6,900. Reels returnable in good condition for credit within 12 months, freight collect. (*See* discount clause.)

Bids, opened September 16, were as follows:

Fire Alarm Cable.

Requisition No. 173.

No. 14 AWG Copper Solid Polyethylene Insulated Polyethylene-Polyvinyl-Chloride Jackets, Fire Alarm Cable, 600 VWP, As Per Specifications, No. FA-392-5508.

Item 1. 20,000 Feet, 4-Conductor, per M Feet.—Anaconda Wire & Cable Company, $178; Ansonia Wire & Cable Company, $174; General Electric Supply Company, $147; Grainger-Rush Company, $141; Graybar Electric Company, Inc., $142.90; M. J. Leahy, Inc., $157; Okonite Company, $182; Phelps Dodge Copper Products Corporation, $199; Simplex Wire & Cable Company, $139*; United States Rubber Company, $161; George H. Wahn Company, $174; Westinghouse Electric Supply Company, $142.

Item 2. 20,000 Feet, 7-Conductor, Per M Feet.—Anaconda Wire & Cable Company, $220; Ansonia Wire & Cable Company, $208; General Electric Supply Company, $202; Grainger-Rush Company, $203; Graybar Electric Company, Inc., $204.85; M. J. Leahy, Inc., $205; Okonite Company, $224; Phelps Dodge Copper Products Corporation, $257; Simplex Wire & Cable Company, $186*; United States Rubber Company, $211; George H. Wahn Company, $208; Westinghouse Electric Supply Company, $204.

Item 3. 20,000 Feet, 10-Conductor, Per M Feet.—Anaconda Wire & Cable Company, $276; Ansonia Wire & Cable Company, $265; General Electric Supply Company, $278; Grainger-Rush Company, $257; Graybar Electric Company, Inc., $258.90; M. J. Leahy, Inc., $253*; Okonite Company, $311; Phelps Dodge Copper Products Corporation, $331; Simplex Wire & Cable Company, $253; United States Rubber Company, $280; George H. Wahn Company, $265; Westinghouse Electric Supply Company, $258.

Item 4. 20,000 Feet, 19-Conductor, Per M Feet.—Anaconda Wire & Cable Company, $392; General Electric Supply Company, $427; Grainger-Rush Company, $377; Graybar Electric Company, Inc., $378.80; M. J. Leahy, Inc., $409; Okonite Company, $454; Phelps Dodge Copper Products Corporation, $481; Simplex Wire & Cable Company, $375; United States Rubber Company, $418; George H. Wahn Company, $380*; Westinghouse Electric Supply Company, $378.

Item 5. 15,000 Feet, 37-Conductor, Per M Feet.—Anaconda Wire & Cable Company, $718; Ansonia Wire & Cable Company, $657; General Electric Supply Company, $698; Grainger-Rush Company, $717; Graybar Electric Company, Inc., $719.90; M. J. Leahy, Inc., $649*; Okonite Company, $797; Phelps Dodge Copper Products Corporation, $853; Simplex Wire & Cable Company, $663; United States Rubber Company, $737; George H. Wahn Company, $657; Westinghouse Electric Supply Company, $718.

Item 6. 5,000 Feet, 61-Conductor, Per M Feet.—Anaconda Wire & Cable Company, $1,288; General Electric Supply Company, $1,175; Grainger-Rush Company, $1,079; Graybar Electric Company, Inc., $1,082.80; Okonite Company, $1,200; Phelps Dodge Copper Products Corporation, $1,342; Simplex Wire & Cable Company, $1,075; United States Rubber Company, $1,208; George H. Wahn Company, $993*; Westinghouse Electric Supply Company, $1,080.

Reel Charges. (Price Per Reel.)

Anaconda Wire & Cable Company.—Item 1, 8 reels, 36 inches, $25 each, net; Item 2, 8 reels, 36 inches, $25 each, net; Item 3, 8 reels, 42 inches, $36 each, net; Item 4, 8 reels, 48 inches, $44 each, net; Item 5, 15 reels, 42 inches, $36 each, net; Item 6, 5 reels, 48 inches, $44 each, net. *See* Clause C of proposal.

Ansonia Wire & Cable Company.—Item 1, $7 each; Item 2, $8 each; Item 3, $12 each; Item 4, $12 each; Item 5, $20 each; Item 6, $20 each. Reels returnable for full credit if returned in good condition within 365 days from date of shipment.

General Electric Supply Company.—Item 1, $15 each; Item 2, $15 each; Item 3, $25 each; Item 4, $25 each; Item 5, $35 each; Item 6, $45 each.

Grainger-Rush Company.—Item 1, $15 each, 10 reels; Item 2, $24 each, 10 reels; Item 3, $24 each, 10 reels; Item 4, $30 each, 10 reels, Item 5, $30 each, 15 reels; Item 6, $40 each, 5 reels. Reel prices to be refunded if reels are returned to the factory within 12 months if in good condition, freight collect.

Graybar Electric Company, Inc.—Item 1, $15 each, 10 reels, 36 inches; Item 2, $24 each, 10 reels, 40 inches; Item 3, $24 each, 10 reels, 40 inches; Item 4, $30 each, 10 reels, 42 inches; Item 5, $30 each, 15 reels, 42 inches; Item 6, $40 each, 5 reels, 48 inches. Reel prices net.

M. J. Leahy, Inc.—Item 1, $8 each; Item 2, $12 each; Item 3, $25 each; Item 4, $12 each; Item 5, $30 each.

Okonite Company.—Item 1, $12 each, 10 reels, 36-inch; Item 2, $12 each, 10 reels, 36-inch; Item 3, $25 each, 10 reels, 48-inch; Item 4, $25 each, 10 reels, 48-inch; Item 5, $25 each, 15 reels, 48-inch; Item 6, $32 each, 5 reels, 54-inch. Reel prices net, 30 days; reels must be returned to point of origin within 12 months from date of shipment from the factory, freight collect, for credit allowanee; must be in good condition; any neeessary repairs will be deducted from credit allowed.

Phelps Dodge Copper Products Corporation.—Reels are included in Price of Cable. If such reels are returned to the point of origin in good condition, freight collect, within twelve months from date of shipment from factory, credit will be allowed for the amount originally paid as follows: Item 1, 20 reels at $15 each; Item 2, 20 reels at $15 each; Item 3, 20 reels at $25 each; Item 4, 20 reels at $36 each; Item 5, 15 reels at $44 each; Item 6, 5 reels at $60. Any necessary repairs to be deducted from credit allowance.

Simplex Wire & Cable Company.—Item 1, $25 each, 8 reels, 36-inch; Item 2, $25 each, 8 reels, 36-inch; Item 3, $44 each, 8 reels, 48-inch; Item 4, $44 each, 8 reels, 48-inch; Item 5, $44 each, 10 reels, 48-inch; Item 6, $44 each, 5 reels, 48-inch. Reel prices net, 30 days; returnable for full credit if returned in good condition within 12 months; any necessary repairs to be deducted from credit allowance.

United States Rubber Company.—Item 1, $25 each, net; Item 2, $25 each, net; Item 3, $36 each, net; Item 4, $44 each, net; Item 5, $44 each, net; Item 6, $70 each, net. Extra and returnable rail freight collect to Bristol, R. I., plant for credit.

George H. Wahn Company.—Item 1, $7 each; Item 2, $8 each; Item 3, $12 each; Item 4, $12 each; Item 5, $20 each; Item 6, $20 each. Reel prices to be refunded when reels are returned.

Westinghouse Electric Supply Company.—Item 1, $150 each; Item 2, $240 each; Item 3, $240 each; Item 4, $300 each; Item 5, $450 each; Item 6, $200 each. Reel prices net.

Discount.—Anaconda Wire & Cable Company, one half of 1 per cent, 10 days from date of invoice, net, 30 days from date of invoice; Ansonia Wire & Cable Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; General Electric Supply Company, one half of 1 per cent; Grainger-Rush Company, one half of 1 per cent, 10 days; Graybar Electric Company, Inc., one half of 1 per cent, 10 days, net, 30 days; Michael J. Leahy, Inc., 1 per cent, 10th proximo; The Okonite Company, one half of 1 per cent eash discount (*see* attached letter); Phelps Dodge Copper Products Corporation, one half of 1 per cent, 10 days, net, 30 days; Simplex Wire & Cable Company, one half of 1 per cent, invoices dated 1st to 15th if paid before or on 25th, net, 15th of following month, one half of 1 per cent, invoices dated 16th to last day of month, if paid on the 10th of following month, net, last day of following month; United States Rubber Company, invoices dated 1st to 15th, ½ per cent, net, 25th, invoices 16th to 31st, ½ per cent, 10th proximo, net, end of proximo month; George H. Wahn Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Westinghouse Electric Supply Company, one half of 1 per cent, 10 days, net, 30 days.

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—Anaconda Wire & Cable Company, shipment can be effected 8 to 10 weeks after receipt of order at Hastings-on-Hudson-New York Mill; Ansonia Wire & Cable Company, 90 days after receipt of order; General Electric Supply Company, start in 10 weeks at rate of 20,000 per week; Grainger-Rush Company, 90 days; Graybar Electric Company, Inc., 90 days (*see* rider attached to proposal); Michael J. Leahy, Inc., 20 weeks; The Okonite Company, 14 weeks, all items; Phelps Dodge Copper Products Corporation, 12 to 14 weeks (*see* letter attached to proposal); Simplex Wire & Cable Company, 9 to 11 weeks; United States Rubber Company, 10 to 12 weeks, depending on availability of copper, delivery is tentative, a more definite delivery date pending date of receipt of order; George H. Wahn Company, 90 days; Westinghouse Electric Supply Company, 90 days, all items.

Remarks.

Anaconda Wire & Cable Company. Items 1, 2, 3, and 4, bidding 4/C AWG solid, 20 mils, polyethylene insulation, color coded (all conductors black, except one blue conductor in core and in each layer), conduetor eabled round with suitable fillers where necessary, binder tape, .047-inch black (hi-molecular weight) polyethylene belt 3-mil copper-shielding tape, .063-inch black Densheath jacket. Items 5 and 6, same as Item 1, excepting .063-inch Poly belt, and .078-inch Densheath outer jacket on Item 5 and .094-inch Densheath outer jacket on Item 6. (Densheath vinyl-resin type jacket. A moisture and oil-resisting thermoplastic jacket.) Per specifications FA-392-5508, except paragraph 9.4:7, we can agree to value of 60 per cent rather than 75 per cent. This would be in accordance with ASTM 1047. (*See* rider attached to proposal.)

Grainger-Rush Company. Prices are firm.

Graybar Electric Company, Inc. Prices are firm. Bidding per specifications. Collyer Insulated Wire Company product.

Okonite Company. Prices are firm on basis of 30-day acceptance. Bidding on Hazalene, eabled and Hazakrome belt. (*See* letter attached.)

Phelps Dodge Copper Products Corporation. Prices are firm f.o.b. 115 Southampton street, Boston, including cost of returnable reels and return freight on the empty eable reels. Proposal subject to acceptance within 30 days of opening of bid. (*See* supplementary sheet attached to proposal.)

Simplex Wire & Cable Company. Prices firm for acceptance within 30 days after opening date of bid. (*See* rider attaehed to proposal.)

United States Rubber Company. Firm price prevails, no exceptions to specifications, f.o.b. Boston, 300 number and over. (*See* rider attached to proposal.)

George H. Wahn Company. Bidding product of Ansonia Wire & Cable Company, Ansonia, Conn.

Westinghouse Electric Supply Company. Prices are firm.

* Contract awarded.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Upon October 31 the Mayor approved a contract with Central Building Wrecking Company for removing the structure at 2780–2786 Washington street, Ward 12 (sometimes described as 2780–2784 Washington street). Bids were as follows:

Amerieau Building Wrecking Company, $3,470; M. J. Reardon, $2,900; Hub Building Wrecking Company, $2,500; City Building Wreeking Company, $2,295; Mystic Building Wreeking Company, $1,800; Central Building Wrecking Company $1,495.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Upon November 4 the Mayor approved a contract with D. Antonellis, Inc., for installing new dishwashing room at the Boston Latin School, 78 Avenue Louis Pasteur, Boston. Bids, opened November 3, were as follows:

D. Antonellis, Inc., $9,197; Rossano Construetion Company, Inc., $9,681; Parkman Construetion Company, Inc., $9,932; L. J. Banda, $9,983; Sehwamb Construction Corporation, $10,068; Martin J. Kelly Company, Inc., $10,681.

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Upon November 3 the Mayor approved a contract with Martin J. Kelly Company, Inc., for remodeling chemistry room at the Boston Trade High School, 550 Parker street, Roxbury. Bids, opened October 22, were as follows:

Martin J. Kelly Company, Inc., $1,920; Rossano Construction Company, Inc., $2,211; Sehwamb Construction Corporation, $2,280; Parkman Construction Company, Inc., $2,364; L. J. Banda, $3,131.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Upon November 4 the Mayor approved a contract with Joseph G. Gazzola for painting outside of Brown House, Boston City Hospital. Bids, opened Wednesday, October 26, were as follows:

John M. Kennedy & Company, Inc., $5,264; William A. Ferguson, $3,791.88; Beacon Painting and Decorating Company, $3,366; Joseph and Nicholas Bello, $2,130; Cahn Company, $1,900; Joseph G. Gazzola, $1,885; Ralph Chick Painting Company, $1,215.

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Upon November 4 the Mayor approved a contract with the Cahn Company for outside painting Vose House, Boston City Hospital. Bids, opened Wednesday, October 26, were as follows:

William A. Ferguson, $7,165.16; R. & F. Painting Company, Inc., $6,550; Joseph and Nicholas Bello, $6,170; John M. Kennedy & Co., Inc., $6,144; Joseph G. Gazzola, $5,685; Beacon Painting and Decorating Company, $5,298; Cahn Company, $1,100.

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Upon November 4 the Mayor approved a contract with Aetna Electric Company for installation of A.C. electrical service for three basement laboratories, Pavilion Building, Boston City Hospital. Bids, opened Wednesday, October 26, were as follows:

Emerson Electrical Manufacturing Company, $3,596; J. J. Finn Electrical Service, $3,040; Suffolk Electric Company, $2,731; John R. Lentine, $2,474; Aetna Electric Company, $2,392.

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Upon November 4 the Mayor approved a contract with Joseph P. Sullivan for exterior painting of East Boston Relief Station, Boston City Hospital. Bids, opened Wednesday, October 19, were as follows:

John M. Kennedy & Co., Inc., $1,989; R. Tweed & Son, $1,973; Cahn Painting Company, $1,900; N. Gigliello Company, $1,860; Beacon Painting & Decorating Company, $1,846; R. & F. Painting Company, Inc., $1,732; Joseph & Nicholas Bello, $1,692; Ralph Chick Painting Company, $1,385; Joseph P. Sullivan, $1,210.

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Upon November 4 the Mayor approved a contract with S. & S. Waterproofing Company, Inc., for pointing at East Boston Relief Station, Boston City Hospital. Bids, opened Wednesday, October 19, were as follows:

Martin J. Kelly Company, Inc., $8,750; Vicari & Salvo, $3,245; South Shore Waterproofing Company, $2,774; S. & S. Waterproofing Company, Inc., $2,600; F. DiCenzo & Sons, Inc., $1,740.

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Upon November 4 the Mayor approved a contract with Powers & Mehegan Company for furnishing and installing two rectangular steam-operated autoclaves in Room 209, Mallory Building, Boston City Hospital. Bids, opened Wednesday, October 26, were as follows:

Joseph P. O'Hearn, $12,635; Robert A. LaCentra Company, $10,800; J. W. Praught Company, $10,474; P. J. Riley & Co., $9,981; Powers & Mehegan Company, $9,860.

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Upon November 4 the Mayor approved a contract with Vicaro & Salvo for waterproofing and paving of tunnel roofs, Boston City Hospital. Bids, opened Wednesday, October 26, were as follows:

Rosanno Construction Company, Inc., $23,923; Burgess & Blacher Company, $19,790; Waterproofing Company, $16,300; Vicari & Salvo, $14,115.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with J. D'Amico, 49 Ellison avenue, Dorchester, for bituminous concrete pavement in Bowditch road, Ward 19, extended approximately 250 feet westerly, from September 1, 1955, to December 31, 1955. This extension was requested because the contractor was delayed by inclement weather.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with J. A. Susi & Sons, Inc., 103 Providence street, Hyde Park, for sheet asphalt pavement in Poplar street and West street, from November 1, 1955, to December 1, 1955. This extension was requested because the contractor was delayed by inclement weather.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Underground Construction, Inc., for rebuilding of sewerage works in Back street, between Exeter street and Embankment road, City Proper, from September 30, 1955, to November 29, 1955. This extension was requested because the contractor was delayed due to recent flood conditions and tides.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Baker & Co., Inc., 3475 Washington street, Jamaica Plain, for bituminous concrete pavement in Austin street, Fairmount avenue, Glenwood avenue, etc., from November 1, 1955, to December 31, 1955. This extension was requested because Baker & Co., Inc., were unable to start work on Austin street due to delay in completing sewer work.

OMIT AND SUBSTITUTE WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

John McCourt Company has been directed to omit and substitute the following work under the contract for sheet asphalt pavement and installation of traffic divisional islands and sidewalk narrowing in Dock square, etc., dated August 10, 1955:

In Blue Hill avenue and Talbot avenue omit approximately 360 linear feet of straight edgestone at $1.50 per linear foot; approximately 56 square yards of existing base removed at $1 per square yard; approximately 25 tons of bank gravel at $2.50 per ton and approximately 800 square feet of artificial stone sidewalks at 50 cents per square foot.

In Blue Hill avenue and Talbot avenue substitute approximately 23 cubic yards of high early strength concrete, complete in place, according to plan, including reinforcing steel, drilling pavement, and all incidental work, at $42 per cubic yard.

Estimated cost of omitted work, $2,138.50; estimated cost of substituted work, $966; estimated decrease in cost, $1,172.50.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

S. J. Tomasello Corporation has been directed to perform the following extra work under the contract for bituminous concrete pavement in Chiswick terrace, Dustin street, Embassy road, Harvard avenue, etc., dated July 25, 1955:

From Embassy road deliver to Brighton Paving Yard 15.9 linear feet of new circular edgestone (10" radius) at $3.66 per linear foot and 25.2 linear feet of new straight edgestone at $2.37 per linear foot.

Estimated cost of extra work, $117.91.

Dooley Brothers, Inc., have been directed to perform the following extra work under the contract for bituminous concrete pavement in Newmarket square (East road), Newmarket square (north road), Newmarket square (South road), Service place, and Theodore A. Glynn Way, dated October 26, 1951:

Furnish and install at each hydrant for guards four lally columns, 5½ inches in diameter and 7 feet long, including painting with two coats of red lead paint. Price to be paid, for each guard, the sum of $20. These guards are to be installed at the following locations: Newmarket square (East road), eight; Newmarket square (North road), eight; Newmarket square (South road), four. Total, 20.

Estimated cost of extra work, $400.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

M. Solimando has been ordered to perform the following extra work under the contract for the Girls' Latin School:

Repair self-closing basin cock on first floor; clear stoppage in bubbler and slop sink in cafeteria basement; replace missing bubbler heads on first floor and adjust five bubbler heads; install two seats in girls' toilet room on second floor; remove toilet and seat from basement and install in girls' toilet room on second floor, $87.65; remove 12 condemned hose lines and install new hose, $121; install hanger clamp on outside conductor, $16.80; install paper holders, soap dispensers and towel boxes, $580.19; remove gas water heater, $14.12; total, $1,123.06.

Install five duplex receptacles in the Lunch Room Annex, provide necessary wiring to install them on a separate circuit, three in metal moulding and two in steeltube; install one outside light at side door on Centre street, complete with weatherproof floodlight and wiring, $180; total, $1,303.06; general contractor's 10 per cent, $130.31; grand total, $1,433.37, and the amount of $1,433.37 will be added therefor, making the account as follows: contract price, $172,812; total additions, $13,156.51; amount of contract, $185,998.51.

CHANGES IN CONTRACT.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

D. Antonellis, Inc., has been ordered to make the following changes in the contract for the Bigelow School:

Furnish and install one new 20-inch x 18-inch vitrified china lavatory in the master's office, $325.

Repair vent on top floor; connect cold water supply to gymnasium sink; remove gas plate and lavatory from master's office, $97.23.

Plumbing addition, $422.23; bond, $4.22; 10 per cent profit, $42.22; total additions, $468.67, and the amount of $468.67 will be added therefor, making the account as follows: contract price, $29,170; total additions, $1,350.67; amount of contract, $30,520.67.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

AMBULANCE AND MEDICAL AID MAN, CITY HOSPITAL, BOSTON HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, JANUARY 21, 1956.

Last date for filing applications, Tuesday, January 3, 1956.

Salary: The minimum salary is $53 a week; the maximum salary is $65.50 a week.

Vacancies: At present there are five vacancies for males, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: Under supervision, to assist the doctors and nurses in the application and removal of plaster casts and in the giving of emergency treatments to patients on the accident floor and in the ambulance; and to perform related work as required.

Examples of Duties: Listing the valuables and property of patients brought into the hospital by ambulance; taking admission histories from the patients or from their relatives; undressing patients, placing them in position for examination, draping them, or otherwise preparing them for physical examination; scrubbing with sapomollis wounds caused by accidents; irrigating wounds with a saline solution; sterilizing and laying out instruments for doctors; assisting nurses assigned to operating rooms by operating autoclaves and performing other routine operating room tasks as directed by a doctor or nurse; administering oxygen to patients; washing, drying, and packaging rubber gloves used by surgeons when operating; assisting doctors in giving first aid at fires, accidents, etc.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants must have at least one year of full time paid employment as an ambulance and medical aid man in a recognized hospital, or at least one year of service in the armed forces of the United States under a rating of pharmacist mate or corps man.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

MUNICIPAL BOND PROPOSALS.

State and municipal bond proposals reported during June as approved by 239 municipalities in 31 states and Alaska totaled $173,811,935, as compared with $113,704,950 for June, 1953, the Bond Buyer reports . . . Jones Beach Parkway Authority in New York has been ordered to show cause why the 10-cent toll on the portion of the Southern State Parkway now completed should not be discontinued. Basis of the suit, it is said, is a claim that all of the highway must be completed before any tolls can be collected.

CONSULATES IN ARREARS ON TAXES.

New York City reports that 12 foreign countries are in arrears a total of $416,985 in real estate taxes on 27 properties, most of them bought within the last 15 years as consulates and headquarters for United Nations delegations.

Nearly all of the defaulting governments claim the right to city realty tax exemption under treaties and international doctrines, but the city has refused to waive its claims. Total assessed valuation is $5,324,000, with $720,000 exempt from tax. Finland, the Netherlands, and Israel have kept their real estate accounts paid up to date.

SUPPLEMENTARY ADVERTISEMENT.

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

ALL BIDDERS SUBMITTING PROPOSALS FOR ERECTING AND COMPLETING AN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL IN THE ELIHU GREENWOOD DISTRICT, ELIHU GREENWOOD SITE, HYDE PARK, MASS.

NOTICE TO ALL BIDDERS.

The City of Boston, acting by the Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereby notifies all bidders submitting proposals for erecting and completing an elementary school in the Elihu Greenwood District, Elihu Greenwood site, 612 Metropolitan avenue, Hyde Park, Mass., as follows:

(1) General contractors' proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Tuesday, December 6, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

(2) Subbidders' proposals shall be in the possession of the Awarding Autbority and delivered or mailed to the general contractor no later tban 12 o'clock noon, Tuesday, November 29, 1955.

The invitation for proposals for erecting and completing an elementary school in tbe Elihu Greenwood District, Elihu Greenwood site, Hyde Park, Mass., which was published in the *City Record* on November 5, 1955, remains otherwise unchanged.

CITY OF BOSTON,
JAMES H. MOONEY,
(Nov. 12.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

LISTING BOARD.

PROPOSALS FOR PERFORMANCE OF CLERICAL WORK IN CONNECTION WITH THE LISTING OF RESIDENTS TWENTY YEARS OF AGE OR OVER FOR THE YEAR 1956.

The Listing Board of the City of Boston invites proposals for the performance of the clerical work in connection with the listing of residents of Boston, beginning January 1, 1956. The bidder must use the form of the proposal to be obtained at tbe office of the Police Commissioner, 154 Berkeley street, Boston, and deposit with his bid, at the office of the Police Commissioner, a properly certified check for $1,000, payable to and to become the property of the Listing Board of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. Proposals will be publicly opened and read on Thursday, November 10, 1955, at 12 noon, at the office of the Police Commissioner, 154 Berkeley street, Boston. The Listing Board reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part of a proposal, and to award tbe contract as it deems for the best interest of the Listing Board of the City of Boston. Surety bond will be required from the successful bidder in an amount equivalent to 25 per cent of the estimated contract amount.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN, *Chairman,*
GERTRUDE A. PFAU, *Secretary,*
(Oct. 29-Nov. 5.) *Listing Board.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

REAL PROPERTY BOARD—PROPERTY DIVISION.

PUBLIC AUCTION POSTPONED.

ALL SALES FOR AUCTION ON NOVEMBER 15, 1955 POSTPONED UNTIL NOVEMBER 22, 1955 AT SAME PLACE AND SAME TIME AS PREVIOUSLY ADVERTISED.

HERMAN CARP,
Chairman.

TUNNEL TRAFFIC IN MAY.

In the month of May, 1954, 1,031,226 vehicles used the Sumner Tunnel. This is the first time in the history of the tunnel that in excess of 1,000,000 vehicles used the facility in any one month.

In May of 1953, 979,920 vehicles went through the tunnel, or 51,306 less than May of this year.

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JOSHUA H. JONES, *Editor.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT (SANATORIUM DIVISION).

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR INTERIOR PAINTING IN VARIOUS BUILDINGS AT THE SANATORIUM DIVISION OF THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL, 249 RIVER STREET, MATTAPAN, MASS.

The City of Boston, by the Board of Trustees, Hospital Department, and of the Boston City Hospital, hereinafter referred to as tbe Awarding Autbority, invites sealed proposals for interior painting in various buildings at the Sanatorium Division of the Boston City Hospital, 249 River street, Mattapan, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Wednesday, November 30, 1955, at the office of the Superintendent of the Sanatorium Division, 249 River street, Mattapan, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained at the office of the Superintendent of the Sanatorium Division, 249 River street, Mattapan, Mass. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, and enclosed in an envelope, sealed, and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

Specifications may be obtained after 12 o'clock noon on Monday, November 14, 1955, at the office of the Superintendent of the Sanatorium Division, 249 River street, Mattapan, Mass.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of fourteen hundred (1,400) dollars, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed at the office of the Superintendent, Sanatorium Division, 249 River street, Mattapan, Mass. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, cbauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnisbing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under the contract.

A performance bond in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price will be required of the successful bidder, of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do.

No bidder may witbdraw his bid witbin thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, AND OF THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL,
(Nov. 12.) RICHARD J. CONDON, *President.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

CHANGES IN TRAFFIC RULES AND REGULATIONS.

Voted, That the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective November 15, 1955:

Article I, Section 1 (Definitions), is amended by striking out the following:

AUTHORIZED EMERGENCY VEHICLES. Boston Traffic Commission, Park, Police, Fire, Protective Department and United States mail vehicles, repair and emergency vehicles of municipal, state and public service corporations, and ambulances.

Any vehicle being used by the Mayor of Boston.

Article I, Section 1 (Definitions), is amended by adding the following:

AUTHORIZED EMERGENCY VEHICLES. Boston Traffic Commission, Park, Police, Fire, Protective Department and United States mail vehicles, eleven (11) vehicles being used by Special Delivery Messengers of the United States Post Office for the delivery of United States mail and bearing suitable identification cards signed by the Postmaster of the Boston Postal District, repair and emergency vehicles of municipal, state and public service corporations, and ambulances.

Any vehicle being used by the Mayor of Boston.

Article IV, Section 2 (Stopping, Standing and Parking Prohibited in Certain Places), is amended by striking out the following:

Scollay Square, Boston Proper.
Southwest side, from a point on the prolongation of the southeast curb line of Brattle street to a point twenty-two (22) feet southeast of the prolongation of the southeast building line of Hanover street, 24 hours.

Winter Street, Boston Proper.
Northeast side, from Washington street to a point thirty-five (35) feet northwest of Washington street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking from the end of the preamble "for not more than one (1) hour continuously while actually loading or unloading materials," and inserting in place thereof "temporarily during the actual loading or unloading of materials," so that it will read as follows:

"(2) No driver shall stop, stand or park any vehicle in the following streets or parts thereof, during the hours indicated, provided that this regulation shall not apply to passenger vehicles stopped temporarily during the actual receiving or discharging of passengers nor to commercial vehicles stopped temporarily during the actual loading or unloading of materials."

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out from under the caption "Boston Proper," each of the following:

Albany Street.
Both sides, from Beach street to Broadway, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Alden Street.
Both sides, from Cambridge street to Sudbury street, 24 hours.

Allston Street.
North side, from Bowdoin street to Somerset street, 24 hours.
South side, from a point one hundred and twenty (120) feet west of Somerset street to Somerset street, 24 hours.

Arch Street.
East side, from Milk street to Franklin street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from the alley at 88 Arch street to a point one hundred and sixty (160) feet southwest of the alley at 88 Arch street, 24 hours.
Northwest side, from Bussey place to Summer street, 24 hours.

Ash Street.
Both sides, from Oak street to Bennet street, 24 hours.

Ashburton Place.
North side, from Somerset street to Bowdoin street, 24 hours.

Atlantic Avenue.
East side, from Commercial street to a point one hundred (100) feet northeast of Summer street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from Summer street to a point one hundred (100) feet northeast of Summer street, 24 hours.
West side, from Commercial street to Summer street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Summer street to a point twenty (20) feet south of the southerly entrance to South Station, 24 hours.

Avery Street.
North side, from Tremont street to Washington street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Avon Street.
Northeast side, from Washington street to Chauncy street, 24 hours.
Southwest side, from Washington street to Chauncy street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Batterymarch Street, Short Arm.
South side, from Batterymarch street to Broad street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Beach Street.
Both sides, from Atlantic avenue to Lincoln street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Lincoln street to Washington street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Beacon Street.
North side, from Tremont street to Somerset street, 24 hours.
South side, from Tremont street to Tremont place, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
North side, from Somerset street to Bowdoin street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Tremont place to Charles street, 24 hours.

Bedford Street.
South side, from Lincoln street to Kingston street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Kingston street to Washington street, 24 hours.
North side, from a point ninety-seven (97) feet east of Chauncy street to Chauncy street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
North side, from Chauncy street to Harrison avenue, 24 hours.

Bennet Street.
North side, from Washington street to Harrison avenue, 24 hours.
South side, from Washington street to Harrison avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Beverly Street.
Southwest side, from a point two hundred and twenty-five (225) feet northwest of Causeway street to a point three hundred and fifty (350) feet northwest of Causeway street, 24 hours.

Bosworth Street.
North side, from Tremont street to Chapman place, 24 hours.
South side, from Tremont street to Chapman place, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Bowker Street.
Southwest side, from a point one hundred and thirteen (113) feet southeast of Chardon street, thirty (30) feet southeasterly, 24 hours.

Boylston Street.
Both sides, from Washington street to Tremont street, 24 hours.
North side, from Tremont street to Charles street, 24 hours.
South side, from Tremont street to Park square, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Brattle Square.
Both sides, from Brattle street to Elm street, 24 hours.

Brattle Street.
North side, from Adams square to Scollay square, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Broad Street.
North side, from Wharf street to Atlantic avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Milk street to High street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Broadway.
Both sides, from Eliot street to Stuart street, 24 hours.
West side, from Eliot street to Park square, 24 hours.
West side, from Stuart street to Shawmut street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from Stuart street to Tremont street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Shawmut street to Tremont street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Tremont street to Dorchester avenue, 24 hours.

Bromfield Street.
Both sides, from Washington street to Tremont street, 24 hours.

Bulfinch Place.
South side, from Bulfinch street to Bowdoin street, 24 hours.

Bulfinch Street.
Both sides, from Cambridge street to Bulfinch place, 24 hours.
East side, from Bulfinch place to Allston street, 24 hours.

Cambridge Street.
South side, from Howard street to a point eighty (80) feet west of Howard street, 24 hours.
South side, from a point eighty (80) feet west of Howard street to West Cedar street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.

Canal Street.
Northeast side, from Haymarket square to a point one hundred and eighty-two (182) feet northwest of Haymarket square, 24 hours.

Carver Street.
Both sides, from Boylston street to Stuart street, 24 hours.
East side, from Stuart street to Broadway, 24 hours.

Causeway Street.
Northwest side, from Washington Street North to Beverly street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Northwest side, from Beverly street to Nashua street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from Washington Street North to Canal street, 24 hours.

Central Street.
North side, from Atlantic avenue to India street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
North side, from easterly arm of McKinley square to westerly arm of McKinley square, 24 hours.
South side, from Broad street to Kilby street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Chapman Place.
Both sides, from Bosworth street to School street, 24 hours.

Chardon Court.
All sides, from Chardon street to dead end, 24 hours.

Chardon Street.
West side, from Bowdoin square to Hawkins street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Bowdoin square to Bowker street, 24 hours.
Both sides, from Bowker street to Merrimac street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Chatham Row.
Both sides, from Chatham street to State street, 24 hours.

Chatham Street.
Both sides, from Merchants Row to Commercial street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Chauncy Street.
Northwest side, from Summer street to Avon street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from Summer street to Bedford street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from Bedford street to Essex street, 24 hours.
Northwest side, from Bedford street to Essex street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Clinton Street.
North side, from Merchants Row to Blackstone street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
North side, from Commercial street to Atlantic avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Merchants Row to Atlantic avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Columbia Street.
Both sides, from Bedford street to Essex street, 24 hours.

Commerce Street.
Both sides, from Commercial street to Atlantic avenue, 24 hours.

Commercial Street.
Both sides, from Atlantic avenue to State street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Common Street.
South side, from Washington street to Tremont street, 24 hours.
North side, from Wyman place to a point thirty (30) feet west of Wyman place, 24 hours.

Congress Street.
Both sides, from Dock square to Water street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Milk street to Atlantic avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Atlantic avenue to Dorchester avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from Atlantic avenue to Nelson court, 24 hours.
Northeast side, from Nelson court to Dorchester avenue, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Corn Court.
Both sides, from Faneuil Hall square to a point one hundred (100) feet southeast of Faneuil Hall square, 24 hours.

Cornhill.
North side, from Scollay square to Adams square, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Court Square.
Both sides, southerly arm, from westerly arm to easterly arm, 24 hours.

Court Street.
South side, from Washington street to Tremont street, 24 hours.
North side, from Washington street to Cornhill, 7 A.M. to 5.30 P.M.

Curve Street.
Both sides, from Albany street to Broadway, 24 hours.

Custom House Street.
East side, from Broad street to India street, street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Devonshire Street.
East side, from Adams square to State street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from State street to Water street, 24 hours.
West side, from Water street to Milk street, 24 hours.
East side, from Franklin street to Summer street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Franklin street to Otis street, 24 hours.
West side, from a point one hundred and sixty-four (164) feet south of Winthrop square to Winthrop square, 24 hours.

Dillaway Street.
Both sides, from Hollis street to Dore street, 24 hours.

Doane Street.
Both sides, from Kilby street to Broad street, 24 hours.

Dorchester Avenue.
West side, from Congress street to Summer street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Summer street to a point two hundred and five (205) feet south of Summer street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.
East side, from a point two hundred and five (205) feet south of Summer street to a point one thousand one hundred and thirty (1,130) feet south of Summer street, 24 hours.
East side, from a point one thousand seven hundred and fifteen (1,715) feet south of Summer street to Dorchester Avenue Bridge over Fort Point Channel, 24 hours.
West side, from a point two hundred and five (205) feet south of Summer street to a point eight hundred (800) feet south of Summer street, 24 hours.

Dore Street.
Both sides, from Washington street to Tremont street, 24 hours.

East Street.
Both sides, from South street to Atlantic avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Edinboro' Street.
East side, from Essex street to Beach street, 24 hours.
West side, from Essex street to Beach street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Eliot Street.
North side, from Stuart street to Columbus avenue, 24 hours.
South side, from Stuart street to Columbus avenue, 24 hours.
Elm Street.
Both sides, from Hanover street to Dock square, 24 hours.
Endicott Street.
East side, from Cross street to Hanover street, 24 hours.
Essex Place.
Both sides, from Essex street to Tufts street, 24 hours.
Essex street.
South side, from Washington street to Harrison avenue, 24 hours.
North side, from Harrison avenue to Lincoln street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Lincoln street to Atlantic avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Exchange Place.
South side, from Kilby street to Congress street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Exeter Place.
Both sides, from Chauncy street to Harrison avenue, 24 hours.
Faneuil Hall Square.
On the sides adjacent to the Faneuil Hall Market, 12 P.M. to 7 A.M.
Federal Street.
West side, from Milk street to High street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from High street to Summer street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Franklin Street.
South side, from Washington street to Hawley street, 24 hours.
Both sides, from Devonshire street to Congress street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from Congress street to Pearl street, 24 hours.
East side, from Broad street to India street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Broad street to India street, 24 hours.
Friend Street.
Northeast side, from Causeway street to Washington street, 24 hours.
Southwest side, from Causeway street to Washington street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Hanover street to Union street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Gridley Street.
Both sides, from High street to Purchase street, 24 hours.
Hanover Street.
South side, from Blackstone street to Union street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
North side, from Blackstone street to Union street, 24 hours.
Northwest side, from a point forty (40) feet northeast of Scollay square to Scollay square, 24 hours.
Harrison Avenue.
Northwest side, from Bedford street to Hayward place, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Hayward place to a point sixty-three (63) feet south of Hayward place, 24 hours.
West side, from a point sixty-three (63) feet south of Hayward place to Essex street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Beach street to Kneeland street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Kneeland street to Broadway, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Kneeland street to Harvard street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Harvard street to Bennet street, 24 hours.
West side, from Bennet street to Oak street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Oak street to Broadway, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Hartford Street.
Both sides, from Wendell street to High street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from High street to Purchase street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Harvard Street.
North side, from Albany street to Washington street, 24 hours.
South side, from Harrison avenue to Washington street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Haverhill Street.
Southwest side, from Causeway street to a point eighty-five (85) feet southeast of Causeway street, 24 hours.
Northeast side, from Causeway street to Washington Street North, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Hawkins Street.
Northeast side, from Chardon street to Sudbury street, 24 hours.
Southwest side, from Chardon street to Sudbury street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Hawley Street.
East side, from Milk street to Franklin street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Franklin street to Summer street, 24 hours.
Hayward Place.
North side, from Washington street to Harrison avenue, 24 hours.
South side, from Washington street to Harrison avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
High Street.
Southeast side, from Broad street to Summer street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
North side, from Federal street to Summer street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
High Street Place.
Both sides, from High street to Matthews street, 24 hours.
Hollis Street.
North side, from Tremont street to Washington street, 24 hours.
Howard Street.
North side, from Bulfinch street to Scollay square, 24 hours.
South side, from Bulfinch street to Scollay square, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Hudson Street.
West side, from Curve street to Beach street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Oak street to Harvard street, 24 hours.
East side, from Harvard street to Kneeland street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
India Square.
East side, from India street to Broad street, 24 hours.
India Street.
Southwest side, from Milk street to India square, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from India square to Atlantic avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Kilby Street.
East side, from Water street to State street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Kingston Street.
East side, from Summer street to Beach street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Summer street to Bedford street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Bedford street to Essex street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Knapp Street.
Both sides, from Beach street to Kneeland street, 24 hours.
Both sides, easterly arm, from Knapp street to Harrison avenue, 24 hours.
Kneeland Street.
South side, from Washington street to Atlantic avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
La Grange Street.
Both sides, from Washington street to Tremont street, 24 hours.
Leather Square.
Both sides, 24 hours.
Lincoln Street.
East side, from Summer street to Essex street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Summer street to Kneeland street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Market Street.
Both sides, from Canal street to Portland street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Marshall Street.
Both sides, from Union street to Hanover street, 24 hours.
Mason Street.
Both sides, from Mason street to Tremont street, 24 hours.
Both sides, from Avery street to West street, 24 hours.
Matthews Street.
Both sides, from Congress street to Federal street, 24 hours.
McKinley Square.
East side, westerly arm, from Central street to State street, 24 hours.
West side, easterly arm, from Central street to State street, 24 hours.
Medford Street.
Both sides, from Causeway street to Washington Street North, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Merchants Row.
East side, from Clinton street to North Market street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from North Market street to South Market street, 12 P.M. to 7 A.M.
Both sides, from South Market street to State street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Merrimac Street.
North side, from Haymarket square to Causeway street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Milk Street.
North side, from Washington street to Devonshire street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Washington street to Hawley street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
North side, from Post Office square to India street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Federal street to Pearl street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Pearl street to a point one hundred (100) feet east of Pearl street, 24 hours.
South side, from Broad street to India street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Nassau Street.
Both sides, from Ash street to Harrison avenue, 24 hours.
North Street.
North side, from Blackstone street to Union street, 24 hours.
South side, from Merchants Row to Dock square, 24 hours.
North Market Street.
North side, from Merchants Row to Commercial street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northern Avenue.
Northeast side, from Atlantic avenue to the Northern Avenue Bridge, 24 hours.
Oak Street.
North side, from Albany street to Harrison avenue, 24 hours.
North side, from Ash street to Washington street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Harrison avenue to Washington street, 24 hours.
Oliver Street.
Both sides, from Milk street to High street, 24 hours.
Both sides, from High street to Atlantic avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Otis Street.
Northwest side, from Devonshire street to Summer street, 24 hours.
Southeast side, from Winthrop square to Summer street, 24 hours.
Oxford Street.
East side, from Beach street to Essex street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Beach street to Essex street, 24 hours.
Park Street.
West side, from Tremont street to Beacon street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Tremont street to a point sixty (60) feet north of Tremont street, 24 hours.
Pearl Street.
Both sides, from Milk street to Franklin street, 24 hours.
Both sides, from High street to Atlantic avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Pemberton Square.
North side, westerly arm, from Pemberton Square proper to Somerset street, 24 hours.
South side, easterly arm, from Scollay square to Pemberton Square proper, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Pine Street.
Both sides, from Washington street to Harrison avenue, 24 hours.
Portland Street.
Northeast side, from Hanover street to Merrimac street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Merrimac street to Traverse street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Traverse street to Causeway street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Post Office Square.
West side, from Milk street to Water street, 24 hours.
Province Court.
Both sides, from Province street to Ordway place, 24 hours.
Province Street.
East side, from Bromfield street to School street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Purchase Street.
Both sides, from Summer street to Broad street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Quaker Lane.
Both sides, 24 hours.
Richmond Street.
South side, from Atlantic avenue to North street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
School Street.
North side, from Tremont street to Washington street, 24 hours.
South side, from Tremont street to Washington street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Scollay Square.
Southwest side, from Pemberton square to a point on the prolongation of the southeast curb line of Brattle street, 24 hours.
Southwest side, from a point on the prolongation of the southeast curb line of Brattle street to a point twenty-two (22) feet southeast of the prolongation of the southeast building line of Hanover street. *See* Article IV, section 2.
Southwest side, from a point twenty-two (22) feet southeast of the prolongation of the southeast building line of Hanover street to Howard street, 24 hours.
Sears Street.
East side, from Milk street to India street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Milk street to India street, 24 hours.
Somerset Street.
East side, from Pemberton square to opposite the northerly street line of Ashburton place, 24 hours.
West side, from Beacon street to Howard street, 24 hours.
South Street.
East side, from Summer street to Kneeland street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Kneeland street southerly to the Boston & Albany Railroad property, 24 hours.
South Market Street.
Both sides, from Atlantic avenue to Commercial street, 24 hours.
South side, from Commercial street to Merchants Row, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
State Street.
North side, northerly arm, from Washington street to Devonshire street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, northerly arm, from Washington street to Devonshire street, 24 hours.

North side, southerly arm, from Washington street to Devonshire street, 24 hours.
South side, southerly arm, from Washington street to Devonshire street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Devonshire street to Congress street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
North side, from Congress street to opposite Kilby street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Congress street to McKinley square, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from easterly arm of McKinley square to westerly arm of McKinley square, 24 hours.
North side, from Chatham Row to Commercial street, 24 hours.
Both sides, from McKinley square to Atlantic avenue, adjacent to the curb, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Stuart Street.
North side, from Washington street to Broadway, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Washington street to Tremont street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Tremont street to Warrenton street, 24 hours.
South side, from Warrenton street to Church street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Sudbury Street.
West side, from Cambridge street to Bowker street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Bowker street to Haymarket square, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Bowker street to Haymarket square, 24 hours.

Summer Street.
Northeast side, from Washington street to Hawley street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Washington street to Chauncy street, 24 hours.
Southwest side, from South street to Atlantic avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from Purchase street to Atlantic avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from Atlantic avenue to Hathaway street, 24 hours.
Southwest side, from Atlantic avenue to Dorchester avenue, 24 hours.

Tamworth Street.
Both sides, from Boylston street to La Grange street, 24 hours.

Temple Place.
North side, from Tremont street to Washington street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Traverse Street.
Southeast side, from Merrimac street to Canal street, 24 hours.

Tremont Street.
East side, from Hollis street to Scollay square, 24 hours.
West side, from Stuart street to a point two hundred (200) feet north of Boylston street, 24 hours.
West side, from opposite Temple place to Scollay square, 24 hours.

Tufts Street.
Both sides, from Kingston street to South street, 24 hours.

Tyler Street.
Both sides, from Curve street to Kneeland street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Kneeland street to Beach street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Union Street.
Both sides, from North street to Haymarket square, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Utica Street.
Both sides, from Kneeland street to the Boston & Albany Railroad property, 24 hours.

Warrenton Street.
East side, from Stuart street to Washington street, 24 hours.
West side, from Tremont street to a point one hundred and sixty (160) feet north of Tremont street, 24 hours.

Washington Street.
West side, from Broadway to Court street, 24 hours.
East side, from Broadway to Harvard street, 1 P.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Harvard street to Kneeland street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Kneeland street to State street, 24 hours.
East side, from State street to Adams square, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Court street to Adams square, 24 hours.
East side, from Adams square to Haymarket square, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Washington Street North.
Southwest side, from Haymarket square to Haverhill street, 24 hours.
Both sides, from Keany square to City square, 24 hours.

Water Street.
North side, from Washington street to Devonshire street, 24 hours.
South side, from Washington street to Devonshire street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
North side, from Congress street to Broad street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Well Street.
Both sides, from Custom House street to Wharf street, 24 hours.

Wendell Street.
Northwest side, from Hartford street to Broad street, 24 hours.
Southeast side, from Hartford street to Broad street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

West Street.
Southwest side, from Washington street to Tremont street, 24 hours.
Northeast side, from Washington street to a point one hundred and twenty-six (126) feet northwest of Washington street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Wharf Street.
West side, from Broad street to India street, 24 hours.
East side, from Broad street to India street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Whitmore Street.
Both sides, from Kneeland street to Harvard street, 24 hours.

Winter Street.
Northeast side, from Washington street to a point thirty-five (35) feet northwest of Washington street. *See* Article IV, section 2.
Northeast side, from a point thirty-five (35) feet northwest of Washington street to Tremont street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Washington street to Tremont street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out from under the caption "Charlestown," the following:

Washington Street North.
Both sides, from Keany square to City square, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2, (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out from under the caption "South Boston," the following:

Broadway.
Both sides, from Tremont street to Dorchester avenue, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," each of the following:

Beacon Street.
South side, from opposite the easterly street line of Bowdoin street to Charles street, 24 hours.

Broadway.
Both sides, from the northwesterly line of Fort Point Channel to Dorchester avenue, 24 hours.

Cambridge Street.
South side, from Bowdoin street to West Cedar street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.

Commercial Street.
Northwest side, from Atlantic avenue to Clinton street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Eliot Street.
Both sides, from Broadway to Columbus avenue, 24 hours.

Richmond Street.
Southwest side, from Commercial street to North street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Stuart Street.
South side, from Broadway to Church street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Washington Street North.
Both sides, from the southerly line of the Charles River to City square, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Charlestown," the following:

Washington Street North.
Both sides, from the southerly line of the Charles River to City square, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "South Boston," the following:

Broadway.
Both sides, from the northwesterly line of Fort Point Channel to Dorchester avenue, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out the followiug subsection:

(5) No driver shall stop, stand or park any vehicle in any street in the section of Downtown Boston hereinafter described and bounded, during the hours from 8 A.M. to 9.30 A.M. on any day, provided that this regulation shall not apply to passenger vehicles stopped temporarily during the actual receiving or discharging of passengers nor to commercial vehicles stopped for not more than one (1) hour continuously while actually loading or unloading materials.

The provision of the preceding section shall not apply to any vehicle bearing a "V" registration plate, issued by the Registrar of Motor Vehicles under the provisions of section 2 of chapter 90 of the General Laws, nor to eleven (11) vehicles being used by Special Delivery Messengers of the United States Post Office for the delivery of United States mail and bearing suitable identification cards signed by the Postmaster of the Boston Postal District, except in streets in the section of Downtown Boston, hereinafter described and bounded, where parking of vehicles is otherwise prohibited under the provisions of Article IV, Section 3, Part 2, of these Traffic Rules and Regulations.

That part of the City of Boston bounded by the water front starting at an imaginary line drawn through the center of Staniford street that meets the Charles River near the North Station, and following the water front to the Charlestown Bridge, turning right thereon and running along and including both sides of Washington Street North to Haymarket square and crossing Haymarket square, including both sides thereof, to Blackstone street, thence down Blackstone street on both sides to Commercial street, turning left on Commercial street and following the center line of Commercial street to Boston Harbor, thence along the water front to the Broadway Bridge, thence turning on Broadway and continuing through Park square to Charles street, including both sides of said ways to Beacon street, thence turning on said Beacon street and proceeding up Beacon street on the Common side to Bowdoin street, thence turning on Bowdoin street and proceeding down Bowdoin street on the easterly side thereof to Cambridge street, thence crossing Cambridge street to Bowdoin square, thence down Chardon street to Merrimac street, turning left on Merrimac street, including both sides thereof, to Staniford street, thence turning and proceeding down the center of Staniford street and continuing in an imaginary line to the Charles River at the North Station to the point of beginning.

Article IV, Section 14 (Loading Zones), is amended by striking from the end "for not more than one (1) hour continuously while actually engaged in loading or unloading materials" and inserting in place thereof "temporarily during the actual loading or unloading of materials," so that it will read as follows:

"No driver shall stop, stand or park any vehicle in any loading zone, provided that this regulation shall not apply to passenger vehicles stopped temporarily during the actual receiving or discharging of passengers nor to commercial vehicles stopped temporarily during the actual loading or unloading of materials."

WM. ARTHUR REILLY,
Commissioner.

A true copy.
Attest:
W. T. DOYLE, *Executive Secretary.*
(Nov. 5-12.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

CHANGES IN TRAFFIC RULES AND REGULATIONS.

Voted, That the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective November 15, 1955:

The following new article is added:

ARTICLE IV A.

STOPPING, STANDING AND PARKING IN THE DOWNTOWN AREA OF BOSTON, AS DEFINED IN SECTION TWENTY A OF CHAPTER NINETY OF THE GENERAL LAWS.

Section 1. Boundaries of Downtown Area.

The Downtown Area of Boston as defined in section twenty A of chapter ninety of the General Laws is the following:

That part of the City of Boston bounded by the water front starting at an imaginary line drawn through the center of Staniford street that meets the Charles River near the North Station, and following the water front to the Charlestown Bridge, turning right thereon and running along and including both sides of Washington Street North to Haymarket square and crossing Haymarket square, including both sides thereof, to Blackstone street, thence down Blackstone street on both sides to Commercial street, turning left on Commercial street and following the center line of Commercial street to Boston Harbor, thence along the water front to the Broadway Bridge, thence turning on Broadway and continuing through Park square to Charles street, including both sides of said ways to Beacon street, thence turning on said Beacon street and proceeding up Beacon street on the Common side to Bowdoin street, thence turning on Bowdoin street and proceeding down Bowdoin street on the easterly side thereof to Cambridge street, thence crossing Cambridge street to Bowdoin square, thence down Chardon street to Merrimac street, turning left on Merrimac street, including both sides thereof, to Staniford street, thence turning and proceeding down the center of Staniford street and continuing in an imaginary line to the Charles River at the North Station to the point of beginning.

Section 2. General Prohibitions.

No driver shall stop, stand or park a vehicle in any of the following places, except when necessary to avoid conflict with other traffic, or with pedestrians, or in compliance with the direction of a police officer or traffic sign or signal:

(1) Within an intersection, except in those areas where the installation and erection of parking meters have been approved by the Department of Public Works, Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
(2) Upon any sidewalk.
(3) Upon any crosswalk.
(4) Upon any street or highway within twenty (20) feet of an intersecting way, except alleys.
(5) Within twenty (20) feet of the driveway entrance to any fire station and on the side of a street opposite the driveway entrance to any fire station within seventy-five (75) feet of opposite said driveway entrance, provided official signs are erected and maintained.
(6) Upon a street or highway within ten (10) feet of a fire hydrant.

(7) In front of a private driveway.
(8) On a bridge or viaduct provided signs are erected notifying of such regulation and restriction.
(9) Upon any roadway unless both wheels on the side of the vehicle adjacent to the curb are within one (1) foot of the curb or edge of the roadway and headed in the direction of traffic, except where angle parking is permitted or commercial vehicles are permitted to back to the curb or edge of the roadway or where vehicles are permitted to park in the center of the roadway.
(10) Upon any roadway where the parking of a vehicle will not leave a clear and unobstructed lane at least ten (10) feet wide for passing traffic.
(11) On the roadway side of any vehicle stopped or parked at the curb or edge of a roadway.
(12) Upon any roadway in such a manner as to obstruct the movement of any streetcar.
(13) At any place where official traffic signs have been placed or erected prohibiting stopping, standing or parking.
(14) In any Public Hackney Carriage Stand which has been officially established by the Boston Police Department.

Section 3. Stopping, Standing and Parking Prohibited in Certain Places.

No driver shall stop, stand, or park a vehicle, except when necessary to avoid conflict with other traffic or with pedestrians, or in compliance with the direction of a police officer or traffic sign or signal, in the following streets or parts thereof, during the hours indicated:

Scollay Square.
Southwest side, from a point on the prolongation of the southeast curb line of Brattle street to a point twenty-two (22) feet southeast of the prolongation of the southeast building line of Hanover street, 24 hours.

Winter Street.
Northeast side, from Washington street to a point thirty-five (35) feet northwest of Washington street, 24 hours.

Section 4. Parking Prohibitions and Restrictions in Certain Places.

(1) No driver shall stop, stand, or park any vehicle at any curb adjacent to the reservation side of a parkway, the entrances of a school, church, theater, hotel, hospital, railroad station, railway station, public building or any place of public assemblage, provided that this regulation shall not apply to the service entrances to any such building. The foregoing prohibition shall not apply to passenger vehicles stopped temporarily during the actual receiving or discharging of passengers.
(2) No driver shall stop, stand, or park any vehicle in the following streets or parts thereof, during the hours indicated, provided that this regulation shall not apply to passenger vehicles stopped temporarily during the actual receiving or discharging of passengers nor to commercial vehicles stopped temporarily during the actual loading or unloading of materials:

Albany Street.
Both sides, from Beach street to Broadway, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Alden Street.
Both sides, from Cambridge street to Sudbury street, 24 hours.

Allston Street.
North side, from Bowdoin street to Somerset street, 24 hours.
South side, from a point one hundred and twenty (120) feet west of Somerset street to Somerset street, 24 hours.

Arch Street.
East side, from Milk street to Franklin street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from the alley at 88 Arch street to a point one hundred and sixty (160) feet southwest of the alley at 88 Arch street, 24 hours.
Northwest side, from Bussey place to Summer street, 24 hours.

Ash Street.
Both sides, from Oak street to Bennet street, 24 hours.

Ashburton Place.
North side, from Somerset street to Bowdoin street, 24 hours.

Atlantic Avenue.
East side, from Commercial street to a point one hundred (100) feet northeast of Summer street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from Summer street to a point one hundred (100) feet northeast of Summer street, 24 hours.
West side, from Commercial street to Summer street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Summer street to a point twenty (20) feet south of the southerly entrance to South Station, 24 hours.

Avery Street.
North side, from Tremont street to Washington street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Avon Street.
Northeast side, from Washington street to Chauncy street, 24 hours.
Southwest side, from Washington street to Chauncy street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Batterymarch Street, Short Arm.
South side, from Batterymarch street to Broad street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Beach Street.
Both sides, from Atlantic avenue to Lincoln street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Lincoln street to Washington street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Beacon Street.
North side, from Tremont street to Somerset street, 24 hours.
South side, from Tremont street to Tremont place, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
North side, from Somerset street to Bowdoin street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Tremont place to opposite the easterly street line of Bowdoin street, 24 hours.

Bedford Street.
South side, from Lincoln street to Kingston street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Kingston street to Washington street, 24 hours.
North side, from a point ninety-seven (97) feet east of Chauncy street to Chauncy street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
North side, from Chauncy street to Harrison avenue, 24 hours.

Bennet Street.
North side, from Washington street to Harrison avenue, 24 hours.
South side, from Washington street to Harrison avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Beverly Street.
Southwest side, from a point two hundred and twenty-five (225) feet northwest of Causeway street to a point three hundred and fifty (350) feet northwest of Causeway street, 24 hours.

Bosworth Street.
North side, from Tremont street to Chapman place, 24 hours.
South side, from Tremont street to Chapman place, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Bowker Street.
Southwest side, from a point one hundred and thirteen (113) feet southeast of Chardon street, thirty (30) feet southeasterly, 24 hours.

Boylston Street.
Both sides, from Washington street to Tremont street, 24 hours.
North side, from Tremont street to Charles street, 24 hours.
South side, from Tremont street to Park square, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Brattle Square.
Both sides, from Brattle street to Elm street, 24 hours.

Brattle Street.
North side, from Adams square to Scollay square, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Broad Street.
North side, from Wharf street to Atlantic avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Milk street to High street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Broadway.
Northeast side, from Stuart street to Tremont street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Shawmut street to Tremont street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Eliot street to Stuart street, 24 hours.
West side, from Eliot street to Park square, 24 hours.
West side, from Stuart street to Shawmut street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Tremont street to the northwesterly line of Fort Point Channel, 24 hours.

Bromfield Street.
Both sides, from Washington street to Tremont street, 24 hours.

Bulfinch Place.
South side, from Bulfinch street to Bowdoin street, 24 hours.

Bulfinch Street.
Both sides, from Cambridge street to Bulfinch place, 24 hours.
East side, from Bulfinch place to Allston street, 24 hours.

Cambridge Street.
South side, from Howard street to a point eighty (80) feet west of Howard street, 24 hours.
South side, from a point eighty (80) feet west of Howard street to Bowdoin street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.

Canal Street.
Northeast side, from Haymarket square to a point one hundred and eighty-two (182) feet northwest of Haymarket square, 24 hours.

Carver Street.
Both sides, from Boylston street to Stuart street, 24 hours.
East side, from Stuart street to Broadway, 24 hours.

Causeway Street.
Northwest side, from Washington Street North to Beverly street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Northwest side, from Beverly street to Nashua street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from Washington Street North to Canal street, 24 hours.

Central Street.
North side, from Atlantic avenue to India street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
North side, from easterly arm of McKinley square to westerly arm of McKinley square, 24 hours.
South side, from Broad street to Kilby street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Chapman Place.
Both sides, from Bosworth street to School street, 24 hours.

Chardon Court.
All sides, from Chardon street to dead end, 24 hours.

Chardon Street.
West side, from Bowdoin square to Hawkins street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Bowdoin square to Bowker street, 24 hours.
Both sides, from Bowker street to Merrimac street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Chatham Row.
Both sides, from Chatham street to State street, 24 hours.

Chatham Street.
Both sides, from Merchants Row to Commercial street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Chauncy Street.
Northwest side, from Summer street to Avon street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from Summer street to Bedford street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from Bedford street to Essex street, 24 hours.
Northwest side, from Bedford street to Essex street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Clinton Street.
North side, from Merchants Row to Blackstone street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
North side, from Commercial street to Atlantic avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Merchants Row to Atlantic avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Columbia Street.
Both sides, from Bedford street to Essex street, 24 hours.

Commerce Street.
Both sides, from Commercial street to Atlantic avenue, 24 hours.

Commercial Street.
Southeast side, from Atlantic avenue to Clinton street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Clinton street to State street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Common Street.
South side, from Washington street to Tremont street, 24 hours.
North side, from Wyman place to a point thirty (30) feet west of Wyman place, 24 hours.

Congress Street.
Both sides, from Dock square to Water street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Milk street to Atlantic avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Atlantic avenue to Dorchester avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from Atlantic avenue to Nelson court, 24 hours.
Northeast side, from Nelson court to Dorchester avenue, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Corn Court.
Both sides, from Faneuil Hall square to a point one hundred (100) feet southeast of Faneuil Hall square, 24 hours.

Cornhill.
North side, from Scollay square to Adams square, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Court Square.
Both sides, southerly arm, from westerly arm to easterly arm, 24 hours.

Court Street.
South side, from Washington street to Tremont street, 24 hours.
North side, from Washington street to Cornhill, 7 A.M. to 5.30 P.M.

Curve Street.
Both sides, from Albany street to Broadway, 24 hours.

Custom House Street.
East side from Broad street to India street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Devonshire Street.
East side, from Adams square to State street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from State street to Water street, 24 hours.
West side, from Water street to Milk street, 24 hours.
East side, from Franklin street to Summer street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Franklin street to Otis street, 24 hours.
West side, from a point one hundred and sixty-four (164) feet south of Winthrop square to Winthrop square, 24 hours.

Dillaway Street.
Both sides, from Hollis street to Dore street, 24 hours.

Doane Street.
Both sides, from Kilby street to Broad street, 24 hours.

Dorchester Avenue.
West side, from Congress street to Summer street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Summer street to a point two hundred and five (205) feet south of Summer street, 8 A.M. to 10 A.M.
East side, from a point two hundred and five (205) feet south of Summer street to a point one thousand one hundred and thirty (1,130) feet south of Summer street, 24 hours.
East side, from a point one thousand seven hundred and fifteen (1,715) feet south of Summer street to Dorchester Avenue Bridge over Fort Point Channel, 24 hours.
West side, from a point two hundred and five (205) feet south of Summer street, to a point eight hundred (800) feet south of Summer street, 24 hours.

Dore Street.
Both sides, from Washington street to Tremont street, 24 hours.
East Street.
Both sides, from South street to Atlantic avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Edinboro' Street.
East side, from Essex street to Beach street, 24 hours.
West side, from Essex street to Beach street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Eliot Street.
Both sides, from Stuart street to Broadway, 24 hours.
Elm Street.
Both sides, from Hanover street to Dock square, 24 hours.
Essex Place.
Both sides, from Essex street to Tufts street, 24 hours.
Essex Street.
South side, from Washington street to Harrison avenue, 24 hours.
North side, from Harrison avenue to Lincoln street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Lincoln street to Atlantic avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Exchange Place.
South side, from Kilby street to Congress street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Exeter Place.
Both sides, from Chauncy street to Harrison avenue, 24 hours.
Faneuil Hall Square.
On the sides adjacent to the Faneuil Hall Market, 12 P.M. to 7 A.M.
Federal Street.
West side, from Milk street to High street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from High street to Summer street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Franklin Street.
South side, from Washington street to Hawley street, 24 hours.
Both sides, from Devonshire street to Congress street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southeast side, from Congress street to Pearl street, 24 hours.
East side, from Broad street to India street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Broad street to India street, 24 hours.
Friend Street.
Northeast side, from Causeway street to Washington street, 24 hours.
Southwest side, from Causeway street to Washington street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Hanover street to Union street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Gridley Street.
Both sides, from High street to Purchase street, 24 hours.
Hanover Street.
South side, from Blackstone street to Union street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
North side, from Blackstone street to Union street, 24 hours.
Northwest side, from a point forty (40) feet northeast of Scollay square to Scollay square, 24 hours.
Harrison Avenue.
Northwest side, from Bedford street to Hayward place, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Hayward place to a point sixty-three (63) feet south of Hayward place, 24 hours.
West side, from a point sixty-three (63) feet south of Hayward place to Essex street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Beach street to Kneeland street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Kneeland street to Broadway, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Kneeland street to Harvard street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Harvard street to Bennet street, 24 hours.
West side, from Bennet street to Oak street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Oak street to Broadway, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Hartford Street.
Both sides, from Wendell street to High street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from High street to Purchase street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Harvard Street.
North side, from Albany street to Washington street, 24 hours.
South side, from Harrison avenue to Washington street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Haverhill Street.
Southwest side, from Causeway street to a point eighty-five (85) feet southeast of Causeway street, 24 hours.
Northeast side, from Causeway street to Washington Street North, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Hawkins Street.
Northeast side, from Chardon street to Sudbury street, 24 hours.
Southwest side, from Chardon street to Sudbury street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Hawley Street.
East side, from Milk street to Franklin street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Franklin street to Summer street, 24 hours.
Hayward Place.
North side, from Washington street to Harrison avenue, 24 hours.
South side, from Washington street to Harrison avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
High Street.
Southeast side, from Broad street to Summer street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
North side, from Federal street to Summer street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
High Street Place.
Both sides, from High street to Matthews street, 24 hours.
Hollis Street.
North side, from Tremont street to Washington street, 24 hours.
Howard Street.
North side, from Bulfinch street to Scollay square, 24 hours.
South side, from Bulfinch street to Scollay square, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Hudson Street.
West side, from Curve street to Beach street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Oak street to Harvard street, 24 hours.
East side, from Harvard street to Kneeland street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
India Square.
East side, from India street to Broad street, 24 hours.
India Street.
Southwest side, from Milk street to India square, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from India square to Atlantic avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Kilby Street.
East side, from Water street to State street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Kingston Street.
East side, from Summer street to Beach street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Summer street to Bedford street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Bedford street to Essex street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Knapp Street.
Both sides, from Beach street to Kneeland street, 24 hours.
Both sides, easterly arm, from Knapp street to Harrison avenue, 24 hours.
Kneeland Street.
South side, from Washington street to Atlantic avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
La Grange Street.
Both sides, from Washington street to Tremont street, 24 hours.
Leather Square.
Both sides, 24 hours.
Lincoln Street.
East side, from Summer street to Essex street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Summer street to Kneeland street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Market Street.
Both sides, from Canal street to Portland street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Marshall Street.
Both sides, from Union street to Hanover street, 24 hours.
Mason Street.
Both sides, from Mason street to Tremont street, 24 hours.
Both sides, from Avery street to West street, 24 hours.
Matthews Street.
Both sides, from Congress street to Federal street, 24 hours.
McKinley Square.
East side, westerly arm, from Central street to State street, 24 hours.
West side, easterly arm, from Central street to State street, 24 hours.
Medford Street.
Both sides, from Causeway street to Washington Street North, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Merchants Row.
East side, from Clinton street to North Market street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from North Market street to South Market street, 12 P.M. to 7 A.M.
Both sides, from South Market street to State street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Merrimac Street.
North side, from Haymarket square to Causeway street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Milk Street.
North side, from Washington street to Devonshire street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Washington street to Hawley street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
North side, from Post Office square to India street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Federal street to Pearl street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Pearl street to a point one hundred (100) feet east of Pearl street, 24 hours.
South side, from Broad street to India street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Nassau Street.
Both sides, from Ash street to Harrison avenue, 24 hours.
North Street.
North side, from Blackstone street to Union street, 24 hours.
South side, from Merchants Row to Dock square, 24 hours.
North Market Street.
North side, from Merchants Row to Commercial street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northern Avenue.
Northeast side, from Atlantic avenue to the Northern Avenue Bridge, 24 hours.
Oak Street.
North side, from Albany street to Harrison avenue, 24 hours.
North side, from Ash street to Washington street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Harrison avenue to Washington street, 24 hours.
Oliver Street.
Both sides, from Milk street to High street, 24 hours.
Both sides, from High street to Atlantic avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Otis Street.
Northwest side, from Devonshire street to Sumner street, 24 hours.
Southeast side, from Winthrop square to Summer street, 24 hours.
Oxford Street.
East side, from Beach street to Essex street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Beach street to Essex street, 24 hours.
Park Street.
West side, from Tremont street to Beacon street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Tremont street to a point sixty (60) feet north of Tremont street, 24 hours.
Pearl Street.
Both sides, from Milk street to Franklin street, 24 hours.
Both sides, from High street to Atlantic avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Pemberton Square.
North side, westerly arm, from Pemberton square proper to Somerset street, 24 hours.
South side, easterly arm, from Scollay square to Pemberton square proper, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Pine Street.
Both sides, from Washington street to Harrison avenue, 24 hours.
Portland Street.
Northeast side, from Hanover street to Merrimac street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Merrimac street to Traverse street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Traverse street to Causeway street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Post Office Square.
West side, from Milk street to Water street, 24 hours.
Province Court.
Both sides, from Province street to Ordway place, 24 hours.
Province Street.
East side, from Bromfield street to School street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Purchase Street.
Both sides, from Summer street to Broad street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Quaker Lane.
Both sides, 24 hours.
Richmond Street.
South side, from Atlantic avenue to Commercial street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
School Street.
North side, from Tremont street to Washington street, 24 hours.
South side, from Tremont street to Washington street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Scollay Square.
Southwest side, from Pemberton square to a point on the prolongation of the southeast curb line of Brattle street, 24 hours.
Southwest side, from a point on the prolongation of the southeast curb line of Brattle street to a point twenty-two (22) feet southeast of the prolongation of the southeast building line of Hanover street. *See* Article IVA, section 2.
Southwest side, from a point twenty-two (22) feet southeast of the prolongation of the southeast building line of Hanover street to Howard street, 24 hours.
Sears Street.
East side, from Milk street to India street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Milk street to India street, 24 hours.
Somerset Street.
East side, from Pemberton square to opposite the northerly street line of Ashburton place, 24 hours.
West side, from Beacon street to Howard street, 24 hours.
South Street.
East side, from Summer street to Kneeland street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Kneeland street southerly to the Boston & Albany Railroad property, 24 hours.
South Market Street.
Both sides, from Atlantic avenue to Commercial street, 24 hours.
South side, from Commercial street to Merchants Row, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
State Street.
North side, northerly arm, from Washington street to Devonshire street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, northerly arm, from Washington street to Devonshire street, 24 hours.
North side, southerly arm, from Washington street to Devonshire street, 24 hours.
South side, southerly arm, from Washington street to Devonshire street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Both sides, from Devonshire street to Congress street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
North side, from Congress street to opposite Kilby street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Congress street to McKinley square, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from easterly arm of McKinley square to westerly arm of McKinley square, 24 hours.
North side, from Chatham Row to Commercial street, 24 hours.
Both sides, from McKinley square to Atlantic avenue, adjacent to the curb, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Stuart Street.
North side, from Washington street to Broadway, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Washington street to Tremont street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
South side, from Tremont street to Warrenton street, 24 hours.
South side, from Warrenton street to Broadway, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Sudbury Street.
West side, from Cambridge street to Bowker street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Bowker street to Haymarket square, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Bowker street to Haymarket square, 24 hours.

Summer Street.
Northeast side, from Washington street to Hawley street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Washington street to Chauncy street, 24 hours.
Southwest side, from South street to Atlantic avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from Purchase street to Atlantic avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Northeast side, from Atlantic avenue to Hathaway street, 24 hours.
Southwest side, from Atlantic avenue to Dorchester avenue, 24 hours.

Tamworth Street.
Both sides, from Boylston street to La Grange street, 24 hours.

Temple Place.
North side, from Tremont street to Washington street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Traverse Street.
Southeast side, from Merrimac street to Canal street, 24 hours.

Tremont Street.
East side, from Hollis street to Scollay square, 24 hours.
West side, from Stuart street to a point two hundred (200) feet north of Boylston street, 24 hours.
West side, from opposite Temple place to Scollay square, 24 hours.

Tufts Street.
Both sides, from Kingston street to South street, 24 hours.

Tyler Street.
Both sides, from Curve street to Kneeland street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Kneeland street to Beach street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Union Street.
Both sides, from North street to Haymarket square, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Utica Street.
Both sides, from Kneeland street to the Boston & Albany Railroad property, 24 hours.

Warrenton Street.
East side, from Stuart street to Washington street, 24 hours.
West side, from Tremont street to a point one hundred and sixty (160) feet north of Tremont street, 24 hours.

Washington Street.
West side, from Broadway to Court street, 24 hours.
East side, from Broadway to Harvard street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Harvard street to Kneeland street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Kneeland street to State street, 24 hours.
East side, from State street to Adams square, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
West side, from Court street to Adams square, 24 hours.
East side, from Adams square to Haymarket square, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Washington Street North.
Southwest side, from Haymarket square to Haverhill street, 24 hours.
Both sides, from Keany square to the southerly line of the Charles River, 24 hours.

Water Street.
North side, from Washington street to Devonshire street, 24 hours.
South side, from Washington street to Devonshire street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
North side, from Congress street to Broad street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Well Street.
Both sides, from Custom House street to Wharf street, 24 hours.

Wendell Street.
Northwest side, from Hartford street to Broad street, 24 hours.
Southeast side, from Hartford street to Broad street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

West Street.
Southwest side, from Washington street to Tremont street, 24 hours.
Northeast side, from Washington street to a point one hundred and twenty-six (126) feet northwest of Washington street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Wharf Street.
West side, from Broad street to India street, 24 hours.
East side, from Broad street to India street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Whitmore Street.
Both sides, from Kneeland street to Harvard street, 24 hours.

Winter Street.
Northeast side, from Washington street to a point thirty-five (35) feet northwest of Washington street. *See* Article IVA, section 2.
Northeast side, from a point thirty-five (35) feet northwest of Washington street to Tremont street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from Washington street to Tremont street, 24 hours.

(3) No driver shall stop, stand ,or park any vehicle in any street in the section of Downtown Boston hereinafter described and bounded, during the hours from 8 A.M. to 9.30 A.M. on any day, provided that this regulation shall not apply to passenger vehicles stopped temporarily during the actual receiving or discharging of passengers nor to commercial vehicles stopped temporarily during the actual loading or unloading of materials.

The provisions of the preceding section shall not apply to any vehicle bearing a "V" registration plate, issued by the Registrar of Motor Vehicles under the provisions of section 2 of chapter 90 of the General Laws, except in streets in the section of Downtown Boston, hereinafter described and bounded, where parking of vehicles is otherwise prohibited under the provisions of Article IVA, section 4, part 2, of these Traffic Rules and Regulations.

That part of the City of Boston bounded by the water front starting at an imaginary line drawn through the center of Staniford street that meets the Charles River near the North Station, and following the water front to the Charlestown Bridge, turning right thereon and running along and including both sides of Washington Street North to Haymarket square and crossing Haymarket square, including both sides thereof, to Blackstone street, thence down Blackstone street on both sides to Commercial street, turning left on Commercial street and following the center line of Commercial street to Boston Harbor, thence along the water front to the Broadway Bridge, thence turning on Broadway and continuing through Park square to Charles street, including both sides of said ways to Beacon street, thence turning on said Beacon street and proceeding up Beacon street on the Common side to Bowdoin street, thence turning on Bowdoin street and proceeding down Bowdoin street on the easterly side thereof to Cambridge street, thence crossing Cambridge street to Bowdoin square, thence down Chardon street to Merrimac street, turning left on Merrimac street, including both sides thereof, to Staniford street, thence turning and proceeding down the center of Staniford street and continuing in an imaginary line to the Charles River at the North Station to the point of beginning.

Section 5. Bus and Trackless Trolley Stops.

No driver shall stop, stand, or park any vehicle other than a bus or trackless trolley in any officially approved bus or trackless trolley stop.

Section 6. Safety Zones.

No driver shall stop, stand, or park a vehicle between an established safety zone and the adjacent curb, or within twenty (20) feet of a point on the curb immediately opposite the end of a safety zone.

Section 7. Loading Zones.

No driver shall stop, stand, or park any vehicle in any loading zone, provided that this regulation shall not apply to passenger vehicles stopped temporarily during the actual receiving or discharging of passengers uor to commercial vehicles stopped temporarily during the actual loading or unloading of materials.

Section 8.

Whoever violates any of the provisions of this article of the traffic rules and regulations shall be liable to charge for the removal and storage of the vehicle as well as subject to punishmeut by fine.

WM. ARTHUR REILLY,
Commissioner.

A true copy.
Attest:
W. T. DOYLE, *Executive Secretary.*
(Nov. 5–12.)

EMPLOYEES' CREDIT UNION.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING.

BOSTON, MASS., October 30, 1955.

The forty-first annual meeting of the City of Boston Employees' Credit Union will be held Tuesday, November 15, 1955, at 4 P.M., in City Council Chamber, City Hall, Boston.

JOHN J. CONNELLY,
(Nov. 5-12.) *Clerk.*

No. 181—391.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING LUMBER (SPRUCE AND OAK).

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Friday, November 18, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to he sealed and marked "Proposal for Lumber." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Nov. 12.) *Purchasing Agent.*

THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING MILK, CREAM, AND ICE CREAM FOR BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing and delivering at certain school buildings, in accordance with orders, milk, cream, and ice cream for use in the Boston public schools. Proposal forms are obtainable at the office of the Business Manager of the School Committee, tenth floor, 15 Beacon street. Envelopes containing proposals must be sealed and plainly marked "Proposal for Furnishing Milk, Cream, and Ice Cream." The bid must be in duplicate. One copy, signed by the bidder, and accompanied by a certified check for five hundred dollars ($500), payable to the City of Boston, must be left at the office of the Business Manager on or before 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday, November 23, 1955. Copies filed with the Business Manager will be publicly opened and read at 12 o'clock noon of the day stated. The other copy, also signed by the bidder, must be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., previous to the time named for the opening of bids. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to accept such bid or part of bid as may be deemed best for the interests of the city. The successful bidder will be required to furnish a suitable bond or deposit of money or other security in the amount of not less than 50 per cent of the amount of the contract.

LEO J. BURKE,
Business Manager of the School Committee.
(Nov. 12.)

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING ARMORED CAR SERVICE FOR BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOL CAFETERIAS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing armored car service for the Boston public school cafeterias. Proposal forms are obtainable at the office of the Business Manager of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, tenth floor. Envelopes containing proposals must be sealed and plainly marked "Proposal for Furnishing Armored Car Service for Boston Public School Cafeterias." The bid must be in duplicate. One copy, signed by the bidder, and accompanied by a certified check, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount of one hundred dollars ($100), must be left at the office of the Business Manager on or before 12 o'clock noon on Tuesday, November 22, 1955. Copies filed with the Business Manager will be publicly opened and read at 12 o'clock noon of the day stated. The other copy, also signed by the bidder, must be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., previous to the time named for opening bids. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to accept the bid which it deems best for the interests of the city. The successful bidder will be required to furnish a suitable bond or deposit of money or other security in the amount of not less than 50 per cent of the estimated amount of the contract.

LEO J. BURKE,
Business Manager of the School Committee.
(Nov. 12.)

THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING TOWELS AND APRONS ON RENTAL FOR THE BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing and delivering at certain Boston public schools and offices, towels and aprons on rental. Proposal forms are obtainable at the office of the Business Manager of the School Committee, tenth floor, 15 Beacon street. Envelopes containing proposals must be sealed and plainly marked "Proposal for Furnishing Towels and Aprons on Rental for Boston Public Schools and Offices." The bid must be in duplicate. One copy, signed by the bidder, and accompanied by a certified check for one hundred dollars ($100), payable to the City of Boston, must be left at the office of the Business Manager on or before 12 o'clock noon on Monday, November 21, 1955. Copies filed with the Business Manager will be publicly opened and read at 12 o'clock noon of the day stated. The other copy, also signed by the bidder, must be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., previous to the time named for opening bids. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to accept such bid or part of bid as may be deemed best for the interests of the city. The successful bidder will be required to furnish a suitable bond or deposit of money or other security in the amount of not less than 50 per cent of the amount of the contract.

LEO J. BURKE,
Business Manager of the School Committee.
(Nov. 12.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

CHANGES IN TRAFFIC RULES AND REGULATIONS.

Voted, That the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective November 15, 1955:

Article X is amended by adding the following new section:

Section 2. Removal of Vehicles Parked or Standing in Violation of Law on Public Ways in the Downtown Area.

The police commissioner of the city, or such sergeants or officers of higher rank in the police department of the city as he may from time to time designate, is hereby authorized, to remove to some convenient place, through the agency of a person or persons in the employ of the police department of the city or by an independent contractor selected on the basis of competitive bids invited by advertisement in the *City Record*, as said police commissioner shall from time to time determine, any vehicle, except a vehicle owned by the commonwealth or a political division thereof or by the United States or an instrumentality thereof or registered by a member of a foreign diplomatic corps or by a foreign consular officer who is not a citizen of the United States and bearing a distinctive number plate or otherwise conspicuously marked as so owned or registered, and except also a vehicle owned by a disabled veteran and bearing a distinctive number plate authorized by section two of chapter ninety of the General Laws, parked or standing on any part of any street, way, highway, road or parkway under the control of the city in the downtown area of the city, as defined in section twenty A of chapter ninety of the General Laws, in violation of Article IV A of these rules and regulations; and liability for the reasonable cost of such removal, and of the storage charges, if any, resulting therefrom, is hereby imposed upon the owner of such vehicle; provided, however, that the liability so imposed for removal shall not exceed eight dollars, and that the liability so imposed for storage shall not exceed the schedule of maximum rates contained in the then latest lease of an off-street parking facility under chapter four hundred and seventy-four of the acts of nineteen hundred and forty-six, as amended.

WM. ARTHUR REILLY,
Commissioner.

A true copy.
Attest:
W. T. DOYLE, *Executive Secretary.*
(Nov. 5-12.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

TO GENERAL CONTRACTORS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR MISCELLANEOUS WORK, INCLUDING SEALING OF EXTERIOR WALLS, ROOFING, CARPENTRY, PAINTING, ETC., AT THE PHINEAS BATES SCHOOL, BEACH STREET, ROSLINDALE, MASS.

The Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for miscellaneous work, including sealing of exterior walls, roofing, carpentry, painting, etc., at the Phineas Bates School, Beach street, Roslindale, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Wednesday, November 23, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, enclosed in an envelope, sealed and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $1,000, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereon.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

Subbidders bidding on the work of subcontractors shall use the proposal form prepared by and obtainable from the Awarding Authority.

All subbidders' proposals filed with the Awarding Authority shall be submitted in sealed envelopes, plainly marked with the title of the work; division of the work for which bid is submitted; subcontractor's name; and subcontractor's business address. All such bids shall be in the possession of the Awarding Authority and delivered or mailed to the general contractor no later than 12 o'clock noon on Monday, November 21, 1955.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount as specified in the following for the subbid item of work as listed below shall be submitted by each subbidder with the copy of his proposal filed with the Awarding Authority:

Roofing	$350
Painting	$300

The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, plainly marked "Bid Deposit."

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do. The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all subbids on any item or items in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

JAMES H. MOONEY,
(Nov. 12.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

HEATING EQUIPMENT.

Invitation for Proposals for Furnishing and Installing Heating Equipment at 650 Albany Street, Public Works Department, Sanitary Division, Boston, Mass.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for furnishing and installing heating equipment at 650 Albany street, Public Works Department, Sanitary Division, Boston, Mass. Proposals will be received until 2 P.M., Tuesday, November 29, 1955, at Room 506, City Hall Annex, Boston, Mass., and they will be publicly opened and read aloud immediately thereafter in the Hearing Room, Room 401, City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed and enclosed in an envelope, sealed, and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of one thousand (1,000) dollars shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

Subbidders bidding on the work of subcontractors shall use the proposal form prepared by and obtainable from the Awarding Authority.

All subbidders' proposals filed with the Awarding Authority shall be submitted in sealed envelopes plainly marked with the title of the work; division of the work for which bid is submitted; subcontractor's name; and subcontractor's business address. All such bids shall be in the possession of the Awarding Authority and delivered or mailed to the general contractor no later than 2 P.M., Friday, November 25, 1955.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount as specified in the following for the various subbid items of work as listed, shall be submitted by each subbidder with the copy of his proposal filed with the Awarding Authority: heating, ($700). The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, plainly marked, "Bid Deposit."

Specifications and plans may be obtained on and after 11 A.M., Wednesday, November 16, 1955, at Room 506, City Hall Annex. There will be a charge of two (2) dollars not refundable, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority, and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do. The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all subbids on any item or items in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Nov. 12.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

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CHARLESTOWN RESIDENTS MAKE GREAT PROGRESS IN IMPROVING RUN-DOWN AREAS OF DISTRICT UNDER THE "WORKABLE PROGRAM" FOR BOSTON — MANY RESIDENTIAL AND OTHER PROPERTY FACILITIES GIVING DISTRICT NEW FACE.

Mayor John B. Hynes has received approval from Administrator Albert Cole, of the Housing and Home Finance Agency, of the "Workable Program" for Boston.

The Housing Act of 1954 requires each city to develop a "Workable Program," which must be approved by the administrator, before federal financial assistance will be made available.

Commissioner James W. Follin of the Urban Renewal Administration pledged an additional $10,000,000 to Boston for urban renewal when he attended the demolition ceremonies, September 23, 1955, for the first redevelopment project in Boston—the New York Streets Project.

Mayor Hynes explained that the local share of urban renewal project costs could be mostly provided by credits for

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BOSTON TO MAKE ELABORATE PLANS FOR COMMEMORATING TENTH ANNIVERSARY OF ESTABLISHMENT OF ITALIAN REPUBLIC — LEADING CITIZENS TO AID MAYOR HYNES IN CELEBRATING EVENT — HIGH ITALIAN OFFICIALS TO BE PRESENT.

"The Boston Salute to Rome commemorating the tenth anniversary of the establishment of the Italian Republic, to be held during the period of November 27 to December 3, will be one of the most interesting and elaborate affairs of its nature held here in years, if ever," said Mark Bortman, chairman of the Boston Committee, in his report, following his return from the Eternal City where he went last week to work out preliminary arrangements. Mayor Salvatore Rebecchini of Rome will be the guest of Mayor Hynes during his visit here that week.

Cooperating with the Mayor in the organization and promotion of the event will be the Boston City Council, Chamber of Commerce, Boston College, Harvard University, and the Massachu-

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CHARLESTOWN DIVISION OF THE BOSTON NEIGHBORHOOD REHABILITATION ORGANIZATION MAKES TOUR OF DISTRICT — MANY IMPROVEMENTS IN REAL ESTATE AND RESIDENT CONDITIONS HAVE BEEN EFFECTED — 4,952 HOUSES INCLUDED IN STUDY — FEDERAL HOME AND FINANCE AGENCY INTERESTED AND INDICATES WILLINGNESS TO AID — TO BE MODEL FOR OTHER DISTRICTS.

Not contented with obtaining information second-hand about the condition of real estate throughout its district, the Charlestown Committee of the Boston Neighborhood Rehabilitation and Conservation Program toured the district with a view toward inspecting the properties on every street in the entire area.

The committee, headed by Gilbert Hood, treasurer of the H. P. Hood Company, Charlestown, has met monthly since the Rehabilitation and Conservation Movement was launched by Mayor John B. Hynes. It is comprised of more than a score of the leading clergymen, business and professional men of Charlestown.

As a result of the committee's activities several hundred houses have been repaired or repainted or both; a number of streets have been resurfaced; traffic hazards eliminated; trees planted in various sections throughout the district; a playground established at the Charlestown Housing Project; numerous gas lights replaced with modern electric lights; the renovated Sullivan Square Playground converted into a more practical recreational center; abandoned houses razed; the efficiency of garbage and refuse collections increased; numerous catch basins cleaned out and, through its educational program, the sanitary and cleanliness standards of the entire district improved.

This is the second time since the committee was organized that the group has surveyed the entire Charlestown area. The first study was made by individual members of the committee each making a house-to-house study of an 18th part of the district. As a result, the committee was able to obtain a comprehensive picture of the entire residential sections, and the owners of blighted properties were urged to cooperate in protecting their investments and stabilizing property values in their neighborhoods.

At the request of the committee the Boston Health Department also made an exterior study of every one of the 4,952 houses in the famous old district. The reports of the inspectors were also used in stimulating owner cooperation with the Rehabilitation and Conservation Program.

The committee also played a most important part in the rezoning study made by the Boston Planning Board.

Inspection started at the Charlestown Savings Bank, Thompson square. The group was conveyed through the district in a Navy bus, provided by Capt. Robert B. Fulton. It is the hope of Mayor Hynes that

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"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the shipteeming plain of the ocean;
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light a'l serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, November 28, at 2 P.M.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries, or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the Complaints Division, Room 25, City Hall.

Information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways, the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments of streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped area for streets and the opening of private ways; the making of specific repairs in public streets; the naming of public streets, including the use of public ways for location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railways, coal holes, and vaults, may be secured from the Public Improvement Commission, Room 403, City Hall Annex.

To the BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION, 112 Southampton street, for information relative to regulation of vehicular street traffic on all or any streets, ways, highways, roads, and parkways under the control of the City of Boston, the issuing of all permits in connection therewith.

To the COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting, and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catchbasins, the operation of Sumner Tunnel, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges, and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

To the HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Haymarket Square, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish, and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughterhouses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases, of public health nuisances.

To the BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth Avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park, and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts, also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview, and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

To the SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

To the DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS, 28 Norman street, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

To the BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 907, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal, or tearing down buildings.

To the ELECTRICAL INSPECTION DIVISION OF THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT, 1001 City Hall Annex, for all information relative to the erection of poles, building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division; also for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings of the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

To the BOARD O ZONING ADJUSTMENT, 43 City Hall, relative to changes in the boundary lines of zoning districts of the City of Boston as established by chapter 488 of the Acts of 1924, and amendments thereto.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending November 12, 1955.

Population as of July, 1950, Massachusetts State Census, 817,713; population estimated July, 1955, United States Census Bureau, 813,696; number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 150; nonresidents, 67; total, 217.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 13.91; nonresidents deducted, 9.42.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:

Last week, 13.01; corresponding week last year, 14.86.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 14: one year to four years, inclusive, 3; sixty years and over, 143. Total deaths: Male, 121; female, 96; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 152.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Nov. 12, 1955.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Nov. 13, 1954.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior Poliomyelitis	31	2	2	—
Diphtheria	—	—	1	1
Encephalitis Lethargica	—	—	—	—
Influenza	—	—	—	—
Measles	2	—	77	1
Meningitis Epidemic	1	—	—	—
Pneumonia (lobar)	—	—	—	—
Scarlet Fever	6	—	2	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary)	25	2	10	5
Childhood Type Tuberculosis	—	—	—	—
Tuberculosis (other forms)	—	—	4	1
Typhoid Fever	—	—	—	—
Whooping Cough	—	—	23	—

*Residents and nonresidents included.

BOSTON NEIGHBORHOOD REHABILITATION ORGANIZATION MAKES TOUR OF CHARLESTOWN.

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all of the 15 district committees cooperating with him will find it practical during the coming year to make similar tours of their respective districts.

It is the belief of the Mayor that by 1960 blight will have been checked throughout the city.

The Mayor also has high hopes that the Federal Urban Renewal Program, which is being set up to help old cities like Boston check blight and to renew run-down areas, will also be a valuable boon to Boston. In an effort to be certified as a city eligible for financial aid under the URP, the City Planning Board has already submitted to the proper federal agency the required so-called "Workable Boston Program."

The Charlestown Committee is composed of Gilbert H. Hood, Jr., chairman; George P. Nason, Rev. Francis G. Shea, Louis H. Zeramby, Rev. Anthony J. Flaherty, Rear Admiral Philip W. Snyder, Roland F. Adams, Wallace C. Baxter, Arthur T. Burger, John Burke, Rev. Wolcott Cutler, Hon. Thomas A. Flaherty, Hon. John F. Gilmore, Rev. Thomas W. Kidd, Francis X. McArdle, Hon. James J. Mellen, William G. O'Hare, Rev. Conrad J. Quirbach, Rev. I. I. Sears, Daniel D. Sokol, Ronald Winde, Rev. John J. Fogarty, Rev. Robert H. Bartlett, Claude Machen, William E. Williams, Rev. Allen C. Campbell, Paul Cloues, John Coyne, Daniel J. Foley.

RUN-DOWN AREAS IN CHARLESTOWN TO BE IMPROVED.

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schools, streets, parks, playgrounds, and other site improvements which the city has planned for and budgeted for under the Capital Improvement Program for the next five years.

Since all site improvements such as streets, sewer systems, street lighting, etc., and all supporting facilities such as parks, schools, playgrounds, etc., are eligible as project costs if necessary to support and serve renewal projects, this presents an unusual opportunity for the city to obtain site improvements and supporting facilities at one-third cost in renewal project areas.

This new federal legislation makes it possible to dovetail our expenditures for capital improvements with urban renewal activities in order to receive three dollars' worth of improvements for each local dollar expended. To this end, Mayor Hynes will confer with the City Planning Board, Housing Authority, School Department, and Public Works Department to select urban renewal project areas where capital expenditures can be utilized to the best advantage. After these areas are selected, applications will be made to the Urban Renewal Administration for two or probably three new urban renewal projects. An important benefit is that of making F.H.A. mortgage insurance available to home owners in these districts.

The "Workable Program" contains background information showing what requirements have been met in compliance with the objectives of the Federal 1954 housing legislation and steps that are being taken to further the elimination and prevention of slums and blight.

The seven elements of the "Workable Program" are treated in a 36-page report, accompanied by some 30 pounds of supporting documentation, which was prepared by the City Planning Board in cooperation with the Urban Redevelopment Division of the Housing Authority, the Law Department, and other departments concerned, and under the direction of an Advisory Committee set up by the Mayor and consisting of the following members:

Thomas F. McDonough, Chairman, City Planning Board.

James J. Mahar, Chairman, Boston Housing Authority.

William L. Baxter, Corporation Counsel, Law Department.

Charles A. Callanan, Commissioner, Building Department.

Dr. John A. Cauley, Commissioner, Health Department.

Paul Hines, Coordinator of Rehabilitation and Conservation.

Current activities under the F.H.H.F.A. programs consist of the 24-acre clearance of the New York Streets area, now underway, and the West End Redevelopment Project, which is in the final planning stage.

PLANS FOR COMMEMORATING ANNIVERSARY OF ITALIAN REPUBLIC.

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setts Institute of Technology. Numerous local Italian and other organizations will also participate in the program.

Features of interest that will be presented during the week will be the production of "Tosca" by the San Carlo Company at the Boston Opera House, city and state luncheons and dinners to Mayor Rebecchini, Italian fashion shows, Italian literary seminars and art displays, and a special concert by the Boston Symphony Orchestra featuring a new concerto by the famous Italian composer Petrassi, who will come to Boston for the occasion.

Italian Minister of Public Instruction Paolo Rossi, prominently mentioned as the next Italian president, will arrive in Boston as part of Boston's "Salute to Italy" celebration.

His arrival will coincide with the visit here of Mayor Salvatore Rebecchini of Rome and Italian composer Goffredo Petrassi who, at the invitation of the Boston Symphony Orchestra, has prepared a special concerto to celebrate the seventy-fifth anniversary of the founding of the orchestra.

The minister will be accompanied by former Ambassador to Italy, William Phillips.

During the week-long Italian celebration 70 paintings by Italian contemporary artists will be flown here from Rome and exhibited at the Old South Meeting House.

Chairman of the program is Mark Bortman, Boston businessman; Dr. Giovanni Formichella, Italian consul general; Boston banker, Ralph Lowell; Commissioner of Public Works John A. Volpe, and City Councillor Gabriel Piemonte.

TRANSFER OF APPROPRIATIONS.

The Mayor has approved the following requests for transfers of appropriations:

BOSTON RETIREMENT BOARD.

From 1-01-91-200, Contractual Services, $5, to 1-01-91, Equipment, $5.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

From 299, Contractual Services (Not Otherwise Classified), $12,900, to 597, Fire-fighting Equipment, $12,900.

LICENSING BOARD.

From 213, Telephone Service, $16.90, to 569, Typewriter Table, $16.90.

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

From 100, Payroll (Personnel Services), $250, to 281, Travel (Outside the State), $250.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

From 701, Rehabilitation, Franklin Park Zoo, $3,000, 813, Park and Playground Improvements, Etc., Revenue, $2,000, to 2, Contractual Services, $5,000.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Bridge Service.

From 560, Office Furniture and Equipment, $75, to 490, Current Charges and Obligations, $75.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

JAIL.

From 320, Food Supplies, $360, to 590, Miscellaneous Equipment, $360.

MUNICIPAL COURT, BRIGHTON DISTRICT.

From 349, Household Supplies and Materials, $225, to 560, Office Furniture, $225.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Sanitary Division.

From 250, Removal and Disposal of Garbage and Waste, $165, to 590, Miscellaneous Equipment, $165.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway resurfacing, estimated to be thirty (30) days, vehicles are excluded from the following street, effective November 3, 1955:

Sedgwick Street, West Roxbury.
From South street to John A. Andrew street.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway resurfacing, estimated to be thirty (30) days, vehicles are excluded from the following streets, effective November 14, 1955:

Carolina Avenue, West Roxbury.
From South street to Verona street.

Dane Street, West Roxbury.
From Eliot street to Holbrook street.

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 69.

I. John A. Gust.

It is with deep regret that the Fire Commissioner announces the death, on November 7, 1955, of Fire Fighter John A. Gust of Ladder Company 3. Fire Fighter Gust was appointed to the department November 25, 1942.

The funeral was held from the Keefe Funeral Home, Spring and Centre streets, West Roxbury, at 8.15 A.M., Friday, November 11, 1955, followed by a Solemn Requiem High Mass in St. Theresa's Church at 9 A.M.

The chief of department made the customary detail to act as a funeral escort, and the members of Ladder Company 3 were excused from duty in order to attend the services.

II. Promotions.

The following promotions, which will become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, November 16, 1955, are hereby announced:

Fire Lieut. John J. McDevitt, Engine Company 36, to fire captain.

Fire Fighter Paul J. O'Brien, Ladder Company 7, to fire lieutenant.

III. Assignment of Fire Fighters.

The following assignments of fire fighters on probation are hereby announced, to become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, November 16, 1955:

John J. Force, to Engine Company 52.

Kenneth C. Bruynell, to Engine Company 43.

Bartolomeo J. DeBenedetto, to Engine Company 36.

John F. Ryan, Jr., to Ladder Company 15.

Arthur E. Ruggere, to Engine Company 41.

Frank Gambardello, to Engine Company 33.

William J. Foley, to Engine Company 33.

Anthony J. Orlando, to Engine Company 45.

Daniel T. Gallagher, to Engine Company 42.

Walter J Conley, to Engine Company 47.

Thomas Danilchuk, to Engine Company 56.

Edward W. Greene, to Engine Company 27.

Walter J. McEvoy, to Engine Company 8.

Frank J. Piazza, to Engine Company 12.

Eugene F. Tierney, to Ladder Company 30.

These fire fighters on probation will start department drill school Thursday, November 17, reporting to their assigned companies Saturday nights, off duty Sundays.

IV. Fire Alarm Boxes Established.

In the near future the following boxes will be installed:

2452, Perkins street, opposite Pond View avenue.

2639 Cummins Highway and Rowe street.

2829, Weld street and Manthorne road.

294, Washington street, opposite La Grange street.

2978, Washington street and Kershaw road.

298, Washington and Grove streets.

Assignment cards for these boxes will be distributed at a later date. Apparatus assignment for Box 2452 will be the same as for Box 2453. Assignment of apparatus for Box 2639 will be the same as Box 2638. Assignment of apparatus for Box 2829 will be the same as Box 2828. Assignment of apparatus for Box 294 will be the same as Box 2941. Assignment of apparatus for Boxes 2978 and 298 will be the same as Box 2979.

Circuit numbers for these boxes will be announced when they are installed.

In the near future the following fire alarm box will be installed:

13-7236, John Boyle O'Reilly School, 327 Dorchester street.

This box will be connected into circuit No. 1. Company commanders will add Box 13-7236 to assignment card for Box 7236 and circuit card No. 1.

Due to the installation of this separate box in the John Boyle O'Reilly School, the designation for Box 7236 as given on the assignment card will be corrected by deleting the words "Aux., J. B. O'Reilly School," so that the designation for this box will read as follows:

7236, Dorchester and Vinton streets.

V. Change in Designation of Fire Alarm Boxes.

The name of the Massachusetts Women's Hospital has been changed to Parker Hill Medical Center.

The designation on assignment card for Box 13-2373 will be changed to read:

13-2373, Parker Hill Medical Center, 53 Parker Hill avenue.

Company commanders will make the above change on assignment card for Box 13-2373.

Box 12-3356, Dorchester High School for Girls, will be changed to read:

12-3356, Girls' Latin School, Codman square.

Company commanders will change the designation on assignment card for the box given above.

Fire Alarm Box 7336 has been removed from the MTA abandoned carhouse and installed as a post type at the corner of East Second and P streets. The designation of this box will be changed to read:

7336, East Second and P streets.

Company commanders will make the above change in designation on assignment card for Box 7336.

VI. Change in Designation of Assignment Card.

Due to the discontinuance of the Elbridge Smith School, the auxiliary system has been disconnected from Box 3411.

The designation on the assignment card for Box 3411 will be corrected by deleting the words "Aux., Elbridge Smith School," so that this assignment card will read as follows:

3411, Dorchester avenue and Centre street.

VII. Renewal of Dump Permits for 1956.

Permits issued by the Health Commissioner for dumping of ashes and house refuse expire December 31, 1955.

District fire chiefs are requested to forward to Headquarters on or before November 21, 1955, reports of any objections they may have to the renewal of any dumping permits in their respective districts.

District fire chiefs shall determine, if, in their opinion, adequate fire fighting facilities, water lines, hydrants, etc., are present. If adequate fire fighting facilities are not present, state so, and submit recommendations in your report. Every effort should be made to reduce departmental response to dump fires.

VIII. Transfers.

The following transfers will become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, November 16, 1955:

Fire Capt. John J. McDevitt, from Engine 36 to Engine 30.

Fire Lieut. Paul J. O'Brien, from Ladder 7 to Engine 36.

Fire Fighter Frank P. Barresi, from Engine 27 to Engine 43.

Fire Fighter Robert J. Boyd, from Engine 11 to Ladder 20.

Fire Fighter Robert M. Hardiman, from Engine 42 to Ladder 24.

Fire Fighter Robert J. Hamilton, from Ladder 15 to Ladder 16.

Fire Fighter Edward F. Mutrie, from Engine 17 to Engine 51.

By order of Fire Commissioner Francis X. Cotter.

John V. Stapleton,
Chief of Department.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 2,127.

The following promotions and assignments are hereby ordered, to take effect Wednesday, November 9, 1955, at 7.15 o'clock A.M.:

To the Grade of Sergeant.

Patrolman Joseph P. Hanley, from Division 8 to Division 10.

Patrolman Charles A. Deary, from Bureau of Operations to Division 15.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

Thomas F. Sullivan,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,128.

The following-named police officers of this department, attached to Division 8 (Harbor Police), are hereby appointed assistant harbor masters:

Patrolman Walter W. Benson.

Patrolman John J. Leary.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

Thomas F. Sullivan,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,129.

In accordance with the provisions of article 10, section 2, of the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston, adopted in compliance with chapter 369 of the Acts of 1954, as amended by chapter 315 of the Acts of 1955, all officers of rank assigned to the Traffic Division and Police Divisions 1, 2, 3, 4, and 16, are hereby designated as having the authority to order the removal of illegally parked motor vehicles in the downtown area of the city.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

Thomas F. Sullivan,
Police Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Approval has been given for an extension of employment for the following-named temporary assistant assessors for a period of three months:

John J. McColgan, Maurice F. Joyce, Francis X. Cuddy, Bernard F. Shadrawy, $263.18 a month.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

The Mayor has approved the permanent appointment of the following employees:

Walter J. Kelley, principal accountant, $108.25 a week.

John T. Stone, principal heating and ventilating engineer, $122.50 a week.

Appointments or Reinstatements.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

John J. Force, 468 Columbia road, Dorchester, fire fighter, $70.69 a week.

Kenneth C. Bruynell, 155 L street, South Boston, fire fighter, $70.69 a week.

Bartolomeo J. DiBenedetto, 20 Unity court, fire fighter, $70.69 a week.

John F. Ryan, Jr., 20 Forbes street, Jamaica Plain, fire fighter, $70.69 a week.

Arthur E. Ruggere, 30 Richfield street, Dorchester, fire fighter, $70.69 a week.

Frank Gambardello, 695 East Eighth street, South Boston, fire fighter, $70.69 a week.

William J. Foley, 79 East Canton street, fire fighter, $70.69 a week.

Anthony J. Orlando, 33 Woodward avenue, Roxbury, fire fighter, $70.69 a week.

Daniel T. Gallagher, 155 Centre street, Roxbury, fire fighter, $70.69 a week.

Walter J. Conley, 37 Peacevale road, Dorchester, fire fighter, $70.69 a week.

Thomas Danilchuk, 275 Border street, East Boston, fire fighter, $70.69 a week.

Edward W. Greene, 45 Soley street, Charlestown, fire fighter, $70.69 a week.

Walter J. McEvoy, 41 Richfield street, Dorchester, fire fighter, $70.69 a week.

Frank J. Piazza, 51 Granger street, Dorchester, fire fighter, $70.69 a week.

Eugene F. Tierney, 7 Faraday street, Hyde Park, fire fighter, $70.69 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Health Division.

Frederick J. Watson, 54 Annunciation road, Roxbury, environmental sanitation inspector, $73 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

John F. Lynch, 34 Mamelon Circle, Mattapan, hospital medical worker, $50.50 a week.

Marilyn Gray, 42 Oak street, Needham, nurse anesthetist, $70.50 a week.

George Stanton, 6 Gore street, Roxbury, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

Robert Mayhew, 7 Patterson Way, South Boston, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

Arthur Warnock, 619 Tremont street, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

Cornelius Thorburn, 5 Upham avenue, Dorchester, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 15.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
W. Connell	150 Adams street	15	Appliances	820
E. Pascucci	343 Border street	1	Appliances	15
W. Long	571 Cambridge street	21	Appliances	180
W. Broderick	60 Charme avenue	18	Appliances	100
C. McGregor	19 Commonwealth avenue	5	Appliances	50
W. Connell	226 Cornell street	20	Appliances	145
M. Yorks	49 Cottage street	1	Appliances	5
P. Lembo	3 Cunard street	9	Appliances	50
W. Connell	20 Dyer street	17	Appliances	10
L. Ciriello	315 East Eagle street	1	Appliances	25
H. Hinckley	195 East Lenox street	8	Appliances	100
E. O'Farrell	28 Etna street	22	Appliances	100
G. Trethewey	106 Fletcher street	20	Appliances	185
W. Pickeles	57 Fruit street	3	Appliances	100
W. Foster	35 Fulton street	18	Appliances	300
P. Russo	103 Glenwood avenue	18	Appliances	85
I. Himelfarb	53 Hanover street	3	Appliances	15
A. Onessimo	445 Hanover street	3	Appliances	50
S. Kramer	72 Harold street	12	Appliances	28
I. Himelfarb	22–24 Harrison avenue	3	Appliances	20
H. Geddis	84 Huntington avenue	4	Appliances	12
H. Geddis	30 Ipswich street	5	Appliances	12
M. Eskowitz	46 Johnston road	14	Appliances	25
W. Connell	171 King street	16	Appliances	800
H. Geddis	272 Marlborough street	5	Appliances	15
E. Pascucci	273 Maverick street	1	Appliances	25
E. Pascucci	381 Maverick street	1	Appliances	15
E. Pascucci	90 Morris street	1	Appliances	50
W. Connell	296 Neponset avenue	16	Appliances	60
E. Pascucci	83 Orleans street	1	Appliances	25
E. Pascucci	232 Saratoga street	1	Appliances	10
J. Murphy	107 Shawmut avenue	5	Appliances	100
F. Carey	181 Stratford street	20	Appliances	600
G. Trethewey	16 Symmes street	20	Appliances	140
W. Connell	65 Thetford avenue	17	Appliances	60
E. O'Farrell	39 Trapelo street	22	Appliances	200
E. Pascucci	83 Webster street	1	Appliances	15
W. Connell	18 West Tremlett street	17	Appliances	100
E. Clayton	118 Whitfield street	17	Appliances	20
C. Romano	140 Adams street	15	Appliances	800
C. Romano	677 Adams street	16	Appliances	500
C. Romano	909 Albany street	8	Appliances	50
P. Gulesian	11 Albemarle street	18	Appliances	200
J. Vogel	23 Allen street	19	Appliances	100
J. Vogel	420 Baker street	20	Appliances	150
C. Romano	16 Becket street	16	Appliances	200
C. Romano	80 Bernard street	14	Appliances	200
C. Romano	91 Bloomfield street	17	Appliances	200
C. Romano	590 Blue Hill avenue	14	Appliances	200
C. Romano	1514 Blue Hill avenue	18	Appliances	300
P. Janis	18 Byron court	11	Appliances	15
S. Landau	226 Causeway street	3	Appliances	150
C. Romano	37 Cedar Grove street	16	Appliances	200
J. McCusker	2659 Centre street	20	Appliances	100
F. Carey	42 Chesbrough road	20	Appliances	400
C. Romano	87 Claybourne street	17	Appliances	250
C. Romano	45 Clayton street	15	Appliances	300
C. Lang	93 Clement avenue	20	Appliances	100
S. Litman	558 Columbus avenue	4	Appliances	25
J. McKenna	400 Commonwealth avenue	5	Appliances	150
S. Landau	468 Commonwealth avenue	5	Appliances	10
S. Landau	1125 Commonwealth ave.	21	Appliances	10
I. Shulman	2031 Commonwealth ave.	22	Appliances	100
J. Vogel	19 Cornauba street	19	Appliances	250
S. Landau	14 Cufflin street	22	Appliances	30
C. Romano	93 Dakota street	17	Appliances	300
C. Romano	110 Dakota street	15	Appliances	250
C. Romano	782 East Sixth street	6	Appliances	800
G. Sanders	96 Fenway	4	Appliances	100
C. Romano	317 Freeport street	16	Appliances	150
P. Janis	3 French terrace	10	Appliances	20
C. Romano	160 Geneva avenue	14	Appliances	150
C. Lang	18A Gould street	20	Appliances	100
C. Romano	76 Granger street	15	Appliances	150
C. Romano	45 Grayson street	16	Appliances	200
C. Romano	95 Hancock street	15	Appliances	300
C. Romano	106 Hancock street	13	Appliances	225
C. Romano	29 Hendry street	15	Appliances	250
C. Romano	180 Homes avenue	15	Appliances	250
D. Krieger	133 Howard avenue	13	Appliances	100
P. Gulesian	1083 Hyde Park avenue	18	Appliances	150
P. Ferris	27 Isabella street	5	Appliances	75
C. Romano	23 Josephine street	15	Appliances	25
J. Vogel	104 Landseer street	20	Appliances	75
N. Deutsch	155 Leyden street	1	Appliances	65
C. Romano	36 Lindsey street	17	Appliances	300
P. Janis	14 Marcella street	11	Appliances	30
D. Krieger	1 Marlborough street	5	Appliances	100
I. Shulman	220 Marlborough street	5	Appliances	100
C. Romano	35 Mather street	17	Appliances	300
N. Deutsch	193 Maverick street	1	Appliances	30
N. Deutsch	398 Maverick street	1	Appliances	135
N. Deutsch	460 Medford street	2	Appliances	30
C. Romano	141 Millet street	17	Appliances	500
C. Romano	24 Mt. Everett street	15	Appliances	150
C. Romano	145 Neponset avenue	16	Appliances	250
S. Kellem	42 Newcastle road	22	Appliances	100
C. Romano	25 North Munroe terrace	16	Appliances	500
W. Roche	151 Northern avenue	6	Appliances	300
C. Romano	28 Norton street	15	Appliances	100
W. Chessman	30 Oakmere street	20	Appliances	50

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 15.— Concluded.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
J. Vogel	182 Park street	20	Appliances	$150
W. Roche	91 Parker Hill avenue	10	Appliances	400
C. Romano	7 Peverell street	13	Appliances	250
G. Trethewey	539 Poplar street	18	Appliances	140
G. Trethewey	619 Poplar street	18	Appliances	300
N. Deutsch	109 Putnam street	1	Appliances	85
P. Gulesian	20 Reddy avenue	18	Appliances	200
C. Romano	77 Salem street	3	Appliances	250
E. Ferri	1088 Saratoga street	1	Appliances	20
C. Romano	610 Shawmut avenue	9	Appliances	250
C. Romano	28 Sumner street	7	Appliances	250
C. Romano	34 Tonawanda street	17	Appliances	250
C. Romano	11 Vassar street	11	Appliances	250
C. Romano	63 Waldeck street	17	Appliances	150
P. Werner	61 Walden street	10	Appliances	100
C. Romano	695 Walk Hill street	18	Appliances	300
S. Landau	600 Washington street	22	Appliances	250
P. Lembo	2811 Washington street	11	Appliances	20
G. Trethewey	203 Weld street	20	Appliances	150
S. Landau	86 West Cedar street	5	Appliances	10
D. Evans	136 Western avenue	22	Appliances	100
P. Janis	12 Westminster street	9	Appliances	25
P. Gulesian	11 Woodglen road	18	Appliances	200
M. Langley	74 Atherton street	11	Appliances	10
O. McElearney	202 Bunker Hill street	2	Appliances	70
H. Cornelissen	42 Clarence street	8	Appliances	50
C. Bevelander	23 Cufflin street	22	Appliances	100
F. Rull	578 East Broadway	6	Appliances	75
F. Rull	353 East Eighth street	7	Appliances	20
H. Slavet	30 Hanover street	3	Appliances	100
A. Halsband	34 Harrison avenue	3	Appliances	100
W. Esposito	63 Homer street	1	Appliances	135
C. Gioiosa	227 Maverick street	1	Appliances	200
D. Greenwood	36 Newburg street	20	Appliances	79
S. Clayman	66 Oscecola street	18	Appliances	60
D. O'Neill	87 P street	6	Appliances	175
D. O'Neill	832 Parker street	10	Appliances	10
D. Greenwood	12 Pinehurst street	20	Appliances	75
S. Umano	138 St. James avenue	4	Appliances	100
E. Dorr	8 Sheldon street	19	Appliances	20
B. Zieff	585 Washington street	3	Appliances	500
D. O'Neill	2976 Washington street	11	Appliances	20
A. Milligan	11 Atlantis street	20	Appliances	100
J. Wilson	10 Austin street	2	Appliances	100
H. McMahon	49 Austin street	18	Appliances	150
A. Granara	24 Battery street	3	Appliances	40
H. Cutler	7 Bower street	12	Appliances	40
I. Gerson	43 Bower street	12	Appliances	100
O. Weider	17 Bushnell street	16	Appliances	25
H. McMahon	112 Central avenue	18	Appliances	100
H. McMahon	27 Como road	18	Appliances	100
J. Esterhill	790 Dorchester avenue	7	Appliances	50
O. Weider	Rear 2173 Dorchester avenue	17	Appliances	100
H. Cutler	289 Dudley street	8	Appliances	20
F. Rull	765 East Fourth street	6	Appliances	30
O. Weider	861 East Sixth street	6	Appliances	100
G. Patey	41 Elm street	19	Appliances	25
J. Wilson	11 Essex street	2	Appliances	100
O. Weider	584-586 Gallivan Boulevard	16	Appliances	100
H. McMahon	19 Garfield avenue	18	Appliances	100
O. Weider	30 Gibson street	16	Appliances	100
J. Wilson	63 Green street	2	Appliances	100
O. Weider	19 Groom street	7	Appliances	100
J. Wilson	59 High street	2	Appliances	100
O. Weider	11 Humphreys place	7	Appliances	100
O. Weider	66 L street	6	Appliances	100
O. Weider	66B L street	6	Appliances	100
O. Weider	22 Levant street	15	Appliances	45
J. Wilson	5 Lyndeboro' street	2	Appliances	100
J. Wilson	305 Main street	2	Appliances	100
H. McMahon	2 Meadowview road	18	Appliances	100
I. Rull	325 Medford street	2	Appliances	100
O. Weider	11 Melvinside terrace	15	Appliances	100
H. McMahon	22 Metropolitan avenue	18	Appliances	100
O. Weider	45 Milwood street	16	Appliances	100
J. Wilson	12 Monument street	2	Appliances	100
F. Avery	379 Mt. Vernon street	13	Appliances	50
H. McMahon	23 Neponset avenue	18	Appliances	50
O. Weider	39 Oakley street	15	Appliances	35
J. Wilson	16A Park street	2	Appliances	100
H. McMahon	52 Pierce street	18	Appliances	100
H. McMahon	23 Pond street	18	Appliances	100
O. Weider	18 St. Marks road	16	Appliances	100
W. Howdy	280 Shawmut avenue	3	Appliances	100
A. Milligan	26 Stratford street	20	Appliances	100
A. Milligan	291 Stratford street	20	Appliances	100
J. Wilson	2 Trenton street	2	Appliances	100
J. Wilson	17 Wall street	2	Appliances	100
L. Luxton	517 Washington street	17	Appliances	75
O. Weider	916 Washington street	17	Appliances	100
H. McMahon	25 West Milton street	18	Appliances	100
H. McMahon	105 West Milton street	18	Appliances	100
O. Weider	51 West Trenlett street	17	Appliances	100
H. McMahon	231 Wood avenue	18	Appliances	100

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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Anthony J. Arpino, 6 Noble court, East Boston, hospital medical worker, $50.50 a week.

Alfred Frazier, 124 Malden street, ambulance and medical aid man, $53 a week.

James Hanley, 6 Spaulding street, Dorchester, clerk, $43 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

Claire Boles, 34 Gladeside avenue, Mattapan, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

George S. Dunn, 3 Monadnock street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Elizabeth Leary, 83 Sanford street, Mattapan, hospital kitchen worker, $50.50 a week.

Irene Sonia, 80 Glendale street, Dorchester, licensed attendant nurse, $58 a week.

Long Island Division.

Gail M. Shea, 15 Cushing avenue, Dorchester, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Catherine Lynch, 12 Lorenzo street, Dorchester, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Frank Tirella, 91 Prince street, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Ethel Brennan, 73 Brighton avenue, Allston, graduate registered nurse, $60.50 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Barbara A. Thomas, 21 Yarmouth street, clerk and typist, $18 a week.

Changes in Status.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Walter J. Dooley, 251 O'Callaghan Way, South Boston, from senior X-ray technician at $68 a week to principal X-ray technician at $70.50 a week.

Marguerite Farrell, 14 Creighton street, Jamaica Plain, from senior X-ray technician at $68 a week to principal X-ray technician at $70.50 a week.

Rose Abberton, 9 Rexhame street, Roslindale, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior clerk and typist at $55.50 a week.

Alice B. Carrara, 9 Fowle street, Roslindale, from hospital house worker at $50.50 a week to hospital kitchen worker at $50.50 a week.

Long Island Division.

William F. McGowan, 18 Worcester square, from senior hospital kitchen worker at $60.50 a week to principal hospital kitchen worker at $63 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Automotive Division.

Joseph O'Donnell, 26 Beechland street, Roslindale, from laborer at $58 a week to storekeeper, temporary, at $63 a week.

Highway Division.

Silvio Saccone, 8 Hurlcroft avenue, Dorchester, from street lighting inspector, temporary, at $70.50 a week to street lighting inspector at $70.50 a week.

Sanitary Division.

John F. Healey, 1 Hartford street, Dorchester, from street-cleaning and waste-collection inspector at $76.50 a week to district foreman, street cleaning and waste collection, temporary, at $80 a week.

Survey Division.

Saverio A. DeFronzo, 406 Sumner street, East Boston, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior clerk and typist, temporary, at $55.50 a week.

Promotions.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Sanatorium Division.

Claire Peatfield, 69 Prospect street, Hyde Park, from permanent clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior clerk and stenographer, temporary, at $55.50 a week.

Margaret McDonald, 249 River street, Mattapan, from hospital house worker at $55.50 a week to senior hospital house worker at $58 a week.

Helen Newhall, 249 River street, Mattapan, from registered graduate nurse at $76.50 a week to head nurse (temporary) at $80 a week.

Ethel Landrigan, 249 River street, Mattapan, from registered graduate nurse at $76.50 a week to head nurse (temporary) at $80 a week.

Mary I. Rogers, 2 Greenwood square, Hyde Park, from registered graduate nurse at $80 a week to head nurse (temporary) at $83.50 a week.

Henry P. Dooley, 9 Mercier avenue, Dorchester, from hospital kitchen worker at $50.50 a week to senior hospital house worker (temporary) at $53 a week.

Gertrude O'Connell, 67 Hollywood road, West Roxbury, from head nurse at $87 a week to night supervisor of nurses (temporary) at $90.50 a week.

Mary Spinale, 249 River street, Mattapan, from night supervisor of nurses at $98.75 a week to assistant superintendent and instructor of nurses at $98.75 a week.

Transfers.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

Lorraine C. Moser, 244 Cummins Highway, Roslindale, from Massachusetts Department of Correction as telephone operator at $2,580 a year to Boston Traffic Commission as telephone operator at $60.50 a week.

VETERANS' SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Barbara A. Thomas, 21 Yarmouth street, from Welfare Department as clerk-typist at $48 a week to Veterans' Services Department as clerk-typist at $48 a week.

Leaves of Absence.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Joseph L. Owens, 3110 Washington street, Jamaica Plain, senior clerk-typist, $63 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Mary McChesney, 47 Semont road, Dorchester, hospital laundry worker, $55.50 a week.

Long Island Division.

Angela M. K. Capelotti, 21 Goddard road, Brockton, head nurse.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Highway Division.

William E. Doherty, 4 Dunmore street, Roxbury, laborer, $60.50 a week.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 15.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Annie Glennon	28 Arlington street	22	Alterations, dwelling	$1,200
John Gioganis	374 Cambridge street	21	Alterations, restaurant	50
Somerset Hotel	400 Commonwealth avenue	5	Alterations, hotel	800
Sylvia Robush	211 Congress street	3	Alterations, offices	650
Christ Church	1 Dix street	16	Alterations, church	125
Festus King	422 East Seventh street	7	Alterations, dwelling	250
U Drive It	496–498 Harrison avenue	3	Alterations, storage	1,200
Lewis Wharf Company	19 Lewis Wharf	3	Alterations, storage	525
Thomas Murray	172 London street	1	Alterations, dwelling	100
Louis Lein	115 M street	7	Alterations, store	450
Marie Taft	68 Montmorenci street	1	Alterations, dwelling	150
Domenic Marinucci	200 Quincy street	13	Alterations, dwelling	200
Agnes Donahue	788 Saratoga street	1	Alterations, dwelling	675
Lee Ging	238 Shawmut avenue	3	Alterations, store	125
Mary Condon	23 Sudan street	13	Alterations, dwelling	300
Philip Dergensky	241–251 Talbot avenue	17	Alterations, stores	600
John Purcell	8 Thetford avenue	17	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Mrs. Currier	10 Wellesley park	17	Alterations, dwelling	200
Helen Strousky	136 West Seventh street	6	Alterations, dwelling	100
Anna Hartigan	26 Adams street	2	Alterations, dwelling	350
Anthony Tamulari	11 Boardman street	1	Alterations, dwelling	950
Quinzani Bakery Company	20–22 La Grange street	3	Alterations, bakery	200
George Stamoulis	33 Ashfield street	20	Alterations, dwelling	425
E. E. Slayter	18 Pinedale road	18	Alterations, shed	750
Dr. Harry Taylor	5 Holborn terrace	12	Alterations, dwelling	150
Edward McCarthy	252 Chestnut avenue	19	Alterations, dwelling	175
Annie Sharka	407 Washington street	17	Alterations, dwelling	400
Robert Healey	23 Forest Hills street	11	Alterations, dwelling	290
Joseph Shapiro	364 Corey street	20	Alterations, excavation	100
Joseph Shapiro	6 Federal road	20	Alterations, excavation	100
Astor Trust	28–30 Avery street	3	Alterations, store, offices	450
A. Cheney	33 Princeton street	1	Alterations, dwelling	800
Patrick Loughlin	40 Hillsdale street	16	Alterations, dwelling	350
Sumner Bearse	52 Eastbourne street	20	Alterations, dwelling	527
Fred Greeley	1523½ River street	18	Alterations, dwelling	247
Alice Forgeron	30 Rugby road	18	Alterations, dwelling	595
Bernard Dunn	3 Woodbourne road	19	Alterations, dwelling	200
John J. Glennon	70 Wren street	20	Alterations, dwelling	360
Amory Realty	51 Amory street	10	Alterations, brush factory	65
E. LaBreeque	36 Auburn street	2	Alterations, dwelling	310
Victor Nobile	914 Beacon street	21	Alterations, offices, restaurant	850
John Hanbury	8 Bolster street	10	Alterations, dwelling	300
Alice Jinks	36 Brown avenue	19	Alterations, dwelling	600
Wayne's Department Store	682 Centre street	19	Alterations, store	700
Si Hastings	278 Clarendon street	4	Alterations, dwelling	200
Achille Gennacco	284 Commercial street	3	Alterations, dwelling	400
Hunt Spiller	383 Dorchester avenue	7	Alterations, manufacturing	300
American Brush Factory	3 Edgewood street	12	Alterations, brush factory	400
Redberry Building Assn.	2 Frost avenue	16	Alterations, clubhouse	450
Maggio Ice Company	128 Gerard street	8	Alterations, elevator well	900
B. Kalman	19 Hampden street	8	Alterations, manufacturing	245
Leung Tony	223 Harrison street	3	Alterations, dwelling, store	80
Thomas Dowd	105 Hooker street	22	Alterations, dwelling	300
Emily Labbe	3 Linden court	15	Alterations, dwelling	200
Chinese Merchants Assn.	18 Oxford street	3	Alterations, school, lodge	235
H. Malvar	650 South street	19	Alterations, dwelling	350
Gilchrist's	417 Washington street	3	Alterations, store	100
Joseph Musari	697 Washington street	3	Alterations, store, restaurant	1,945
Ida Caro	750–752 Adams street	16	Alterations, restaurant, cafe	100
John McNarcy	1044 Adams street	17	Alterations, dwelling	140
Anthony Bombace	46 Belmont street	2	Alterations, dwelling	725
Antonio Caggiano	27–29 Blaine street	22	Alterations, dwelling	125
Mr. Horrack	1583 Blue Hill avenue	18	Alterations, tavern	700
James Connolly	200 Brighton avenue	21	Alterations, grille	100
James Donoghue	28 Bunker Hill street	2	Alterations, dwelling, cafe	80

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

George Krim, 49 Woodlawn street, Jamaica Plain, principal clerk, $76.50 a week.

Step-Rate Increases.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

J. Joseph Keohane, building inspector, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

William L. Little, building inspector, from $80 to $83.50 a week.

William Moglia, gas fitting inspector, from $80 to $83.50 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Sanatorium Division.

Walter McCabe, chauffeur, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Dorothea Pritchard, clerk and typist, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Eileen White, senior clerk and typist, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Sidney Yanoff, pharmacist, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Jeanette Crotty, registered graduate nurse, part time, from $1.60 to $1.65 an hour.

Joseph O'Leary, hospital kitchen worker, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

Arthur Flattich, senior hospital house worker, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

Long Island Division.

William F. McGowen, principal hospital kitchen worker, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Albert J. MacDonald, third-class stationary engineer, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

COURT HOUSE COMMISSION.

Joseph Carideo, janitor, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Annie F. Cooke, cleaner, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Douglas Goldsmith, chief elevator operator, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM PLUMBING FOR THE WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 15.

Plumber	Location	Ward	Nature	Estimated Cost
S. Shulman	350 Beacon Street	5	Fixtures	$300
A. Nickinello	235-41 Brighton Avenue	21	Fixtures	350
W. Long	571 Cambridge Street	21	Fixtures	140
G. Vogel	326 Centre Street	10	Fixtures	650
D. Segal	33-35 Charter Street	3	Fixtures	200
F. Martin	89 Clifton Street	8	Fixtures	225
B. Dold	11 David Road	19	Fixtures	100
T. Joyce	37 Dix Street	16	Fixtures	300
G. Vallati	470 Dudley Street	8	Fixtures	950
J. Esterhill	42 Florida Street	16	Fixtures	2,800
G. Sacchetti	52 Harvard Street	17	Fixtures	800
L. Downey	3885 Washington Street	19	Fixtures	2,800
G. Trethewey	25 Worley Street	20	Fixtures	200
S. Shulman	6 Amesbury Street	20	Fixtures	900
L. Viseo	114 Brooks Street	1	Fixtures	100
P. Donahue	898 Dorchester Avenue	13	Fixtures	500
C. Romano	782 East Sixth Street	6	Fixtures	250
E. Bailey	100 Franklin Street	3	Fixtures	500
J. West	249 Fuller Street	17	Fixtures	1,850
J. Vogel	104 Landseer Street	20	Fixtures	200
H. Abrams	99 Lorna Road	18	Fixtures	2,200
H. Abrams	111 Lorna Road	18	Fixtures	2,200
H. Ribeck	1 Marlboro Street	5	Fixtures	650
C. Romano	77 Salem Street	3	Fixtures	250
A. Casaletto	33 Shelby Street	1	Fixtures	100
G. Tretheway	16 Symmes Street	20	Fixtures	310
J. West	333 Washington Street	3	Fixtures	125
S. Kramer	1000 Washington Street	3	Fixtures	100
G. Trethewey	203 Weld Street	20	Fixtures	200
P. Russo	11 Winfield Street	7	Fixtures	145
D. Greenwood	16 Beaufort Road	19	Fixtures	75
C. Glynn	168 Bolton Street	6	Fixtures	465
J. Henderson	60 Burroughs Street	19	Fixtures	300
D. Yorks	10 Caryll Street	17	Fixtures	700
D. Yorks	1509 Centre Street	20	Fixtures	1,000
D. Greenwood	171 Chestnut Avenue	19	Fixtures	60
D. Yorks	100 Dale Street	18	Fixtures	700
S. Kramer	68A East Canton Street	8	Fixtures	350
J. Hannigan	136 Milton Avenue	18	Fixtures	200
A. Kaunfer	7 Norton Street	18	Fixtures	700
A. Kaunfer	11 Norton Street	18	Fixtures	700
F. Shomes	1767 River Street	18	Fixtures	650
E. Dorr	8 Sheldon Street	19	Fixtures	200
J. Sullivan	48 Valley Road	17	Fixtures	1,500
D. Yorks	149 Welles Avenue	16	Fixtures	500
J. McKinnon	40 Woodland Road	18	Fixtures	700
K. Lay	297 Cambridge Street	22	Fixtures	100
F. Cronin	393 D Street	6	Fixtures	100
O. Weider	rear 2173 Dorchester Avenue	17	Fixtures	100
O. Weider	581-86 Gallivan Boulevard	16	Fixtures	100
H. McMahon	15 Garfield Avenue	18	Fixtures	800
O. Weider	30 Gibson Street	16	Fixtures	100
O. Weider	19 Groom Street	7	Fixtures	100
A. Milligan	100 Hackensack Road	20	Fixtures	1,000
J. Austin	135 Huntington Avenue	4	Fixtures	25
P. Sandborg	734 Hyde Park Avenue	18	Fixtures	200
A. Milligan	650 La Grange Street	20	Fixtures	1,000
A. Milligan	656 La Grange Street	20	Fixtures	1,000
E. Secatoro	63 Maverick Square	1	Fixtures	200
H. McMahon	2 Meadowview Road	18	Fixtures	800
O. Weider	45 Milwood Street	16	Fixtures	100
A. Milligan	4 Mossdale Road	19	Fixtures	1,000
O. Weider	18 St Marks Road	16	Fixtures	100
O. Weider	51 West Tremlett Street	17	Fixtures	100

STEP-RATE INCREASES.

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Kathleen Grant, switchboard operator, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

Mary Killeen, cleaner, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Anne R. Paulson, cleaner, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following requests:

Boston Traffic Commission.

Charles H. King, senior traffic investigator, 22 hours at $2.28 an hour; Andrew Allan, senior traffic investigator, 40 hours at $2.28 an hour; Michael T. Gainey, chief traffic signal inspector, 8 hours at $2.38 an hour; William Fenlon, traffic signal inspector, 65½ hours at $2.28 an hour; Charles Haddad, senior traffic investigator, 47½ hours at $2.18 an hour; Francis Laughlin, chief traffic investigator, 11 hours at $2.82 an hour; James Pender, traffic signal inspector, 16 hours at $2.28 an hour; Leonard Van Gemert, assistant traffic signal supervisor, 43¾ hours at $2.48 an hour.

Parks and Recreation Department.

Cemetery Division.

Edwin W. Banks, cemetery foreman, Evergreen Cemetery, 20 hours at $2 an hour.

Penal Institutions Department.

For the week of November 1:

W. Bancroft, correction officer, herdsman, 2½ days, $41.75; Edward Cahill, correction officer, herdsman, 53¼ hours, $106.50; Joseph E. Carey, correction officer, 2⅞ days, $46; Francis Cloran, deputy master, 58½ hours, $150.08; J. B. Connolly, correction officer, baker, cook, 82½ hours, $182.66; Edward Crowley, correction officer, 40¾ hours, $81.75; Thomas Delaney, correction officer, clothing cutter, 10½ hours, $21.92; John Finan, correction officer, 3½ days, $56; Bart Flynn, correction officer, poultryman, 36½ hours, $73; Raymond Flynn, hospital supervisor, 9¾ days, $162.52; James Foley, correction officer, 3½ days, $56; John Gallivan, correction officer, electrician, 8½ days, $141.95; James Garvey, correction officer, 3½ days, $56; C. Gilbert, chief power plant engineer, 6 days, $104.40; John R. Hoban, deputy master, 9½ days, $178.60; Peter Joyce, correction officer, baker, 4⅝ days, $77.24; William Kelley, deputy master, 5½ days, $108.62; John McGann, head clerk, 7⅞ days, $155.53; Peter McMullen, head clerk, 62¾ hours, $154.91; Charles Moore, correction officer, 6 days, $96; Fred Murphy, correction officer, 4 days, $64; Coleman Nee, correction officer, 6½ days, $104; P. H. O'Donnell, correction officer, 6 days, $96; G. O'Halloran, assistant deputy master, 11½ days, $200.10; William Ott, correction officer, steward, 6⅜ days, $115.39; James Parziale, correction officer, cook, 39½ hours, $82.46; Andrew Puzzo, correction officer, receiver, 6⅛ days, $106.57; Edgar Shepard, deputy master, 4½ days, $88.87; John Sullivan, deputy master, 12½ days, $226.25; Philip Wall, principal clerk, 51¾ hours, $102.50; Stephen Walters, deputy master, 7¾ days, $140.27; Fred. Yirrell, industries supervisor, 9½ days, $187.62.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

Sheriff's Office.

For the week ending November 5:

John J. Donovan, 8 hours, $18.10; Brainerd Hughes, 8 hours, $17.40; Edward W. Kenney, 8 hours, $16.70; Joseph Kram, 16 hours, $32; John R. Murphy, 8 hours, $16.70.

VETERAN'S RETIREMENT.

The Mayor has approved the following veteran's application for retirement:

Caesar L. Donnaruma, 158 Summer street, Somerville, foreman, Printing Section, Administrative Services Department.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award the contracts for work, materials, and supplies, in accordance with recommendations of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

Administrative Services Department.

Purchasing Division.

Upon October 31 the Mayor approved a contract with Monroe Company for furnishing radiator trap parts to the Boston City Hospital. Approximate total amount of contract was $1,199.25, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids, opened October 15, were as follows:

Radiator Trap Parts.
Genuine Hoffman Parts Only.
Requisition No. 8177.

Item 1. 300 Service Packages for Hoffman Radiator ½ Inch Trap, 18A-B238, Each.—Atlantic Pipe & Supply Company, Inc., $3.76; George A. Hamlin & Co., $3.64; Monroe Company of Boston, $3.69*; Joseph A. Pink, $3.71.

Item 2. 25 Service Packages for ½ Inch Trap, 9A-B235, Each.—Atlantic Pipe & Supply Company, Inc., $3.76; George A. Hamlin & Company., $3.64; Monroe Company of Boston, $3.69*; Joseph A. Pink, $3.71.

Discount.—Atlantic Pipe & Supply Company, Inc., 2 per cent, 20 days, net, 30 days; George A. Hamlin & Co., 2 per cent, 10 days; Monroe Company of Boston, 2 per cent, time of payment; Joseph A. Pink, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Earliest Delivery Date.—Atlantic Pipe & Supply Company, Inc., 2 weeks; George A. Hamlin & Co., from stock; Monroe Company of Boston, 2 weeks; Joseph A. Pink, 2 weeks.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon November 4 the Mayor approved a contract with Barnet Zelmyer, doing business as Zalmar Mills, for furnishing uniform trousers to the various city departments. Approximate total amount of contract was $1,329.45, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids, opened October 26, were as follows:

Uniform Trousers.
Requisition No. 9582, Boston City Hospital.

Item 1. 31 Pairs Ambulance Uniform Pants, Dark Blue Serge, 16-Ounce, As Specified, Each.—M. Linsky & Brothers, Inc., $14, delivery 2 weeks after receipt of order: Zelmer Mills, $13.95, delivery 30 days after receipt of order.*

Requisition No. 919, Penal Institutions Department, Deer Island.

Item 2. 60 Pairs Officers' Blue Uniform Trousers, Metcalf, 16-Ounce N. O. Serge, As Per Specifications, Each.—M. Linsky & Brothers, Inc., $16, delivery 3 weeks after receipt of order; Zelmar Mills, $14.95, delivery 30 days after receipt of order.*

Discount.—M. Linsky & Brothers, Inc., net, 30 days; Zelmar Mills, 2 per cent, time of payment.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon November 4 the Mayor approved a contract with the Bowdoin Square Garage, Inc., for furnishing automotive vehicles to the Tunnel Service of the Public Works Department. Approximate total amount of contract was $2,529.79, less trade-in allowance on one used unit, $540.79, making a net total of $1,989.

Bids, opened October 19, were as follows:

Automotive Vehicles.

Item 1. 1 New 1956 Chassis and Cab with Steel Platform Body and Crane Mounted on it, in Accordance with Specifications.—Bids rejected.

Item 2. 1 New 1955 or 1956, Model CJ-5, Four-Wheel Drive Jeep with Snowplow, As Per Specifications.

List Price.—Bowdoin Square Garage, Inc., $2,615.60; less taxes, $85.81; less trade-in, $540.79; total delivered price, $1,989; net total delivered price, $1,989.*

Remarks.—Bowdoin Square Garage Inc., Willys does not have a "radiator grille guard"; we have not included in our bid the "radiator grille guard," with the snowplow attachment mounted in front of the radiator grille, we cannot conceive how a "radiator grille guard" could be mounted to satisfactory advantage.

Make and Model of Plow.—Bowdoin Square Garage, Inc., Scheneker, Model B, delivery 15 days after receipt of order.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon November 4 the Mayor approved a contract with Cobb Lumber Company, Inc., for furnishing lumber to the Bridge Division of the Public Works Department. Approximate total amount of contract was $2,132.50, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids, opened October 21, were as follows:

Lumber.

Item 1. 5,000 Feet, Board Measure, 2 Inches x 8 Inches x 16 Feet, Hard Pine, Planed 1 Side, Per M Board Feet.—Cobb Lumber Company, Inc., $165*; Cowan Lumber Company, $173.50; Massachusetts Lumber Company, $167.

Item 2. 5,000 Feet, Board Measure, 3 Inches x 8 Inches x 16 Feet, Rough Merchantable Spruce, Per M Board Feet.—Cobb Lumber Company, Inc., $124*; Massachusetts Lumber Company, $124.

Item 3. 50 Pieces, 12 Inches x 10 Inches x 18 Feet, Hard Pine, Planed, Side, Nosed for Steps, Per Piece.—Cobb Lumber Company, Inc., $5.75*; Cowan Lumber Company, $5.91; Massachusetts Lumber Company, $198 per M feet.

Item 4. 50 Pieces, 2 Inches x 12 Inches x 20 Feet, Hard Pine, Planed 1 Side, Nosed for Steps, Per Piece.—Cobb Lumber Company, Inc., $8*; Cowan Lumber Company, $8.68; Massachusetts Lumber Company, $222 per M feet.

Earliest Delivery After Receipt of Order.—Cobb Lumber Company, Inc., Item 2, immediate, all other items, one month; Cowan Lumber Company, all items, as wanted; Massachusetts Lumber Company, Item 2, 7 days, all other items, 3 to 4 weeks.

Discount.—Cobb Lumber Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Cowan Lumber Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Massachusetts Lumber Company, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Remarks.—Massachusetts Lumber Company, all hard pine, long leaf.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon November 4 the Mayor approved a contract with lowest bidders for furnishing calendars and diaries to the various city departments. Approximate total amounts of awards were as follows:

Contract for William R. McAdams, doing business as William R. McAdams Company, $1,832.94, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Orders for James T. Towhill Company, Inc., $539.97, less 2 per cent discount for payment in ten days.

Bids, opened October 18, were as follows:

Standard Diaries.

Item 1. 25 No. 181, Each.—Blake & Rebhan Company, $1.35, Substitute 371B; William R. McAdams Company, $1.32, Substitute 371B*; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $1.36, Substitute 371B; James T. Towhill Company, Inc., $1.34½, Substitute 371B.

Item 2. 10 No. 301, Each.—Blake & Rebhan Company, $1.35; William R. McAdams Company, $1.32*; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $1.36; James T. Towhill Company, Inc., $1.34½.

Item 3. 10 No. 306, Each.—Blake & Rebhan Company, 98 cents, Substitute 387; William R. McAdams Company, 97 cents, Substitute 387*; Samuel Narcus, Inc., 99 cents, Substitute 387; James T. Towhill Company, Inc., 97½ cents, Substitute 387.

Item 4. 5 No. 307, Each.—Blake & Rebhan Company, $1.79; William R. McAdams Company, $1.77*; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $1.82; James T. Towhill Company, Inc., $1.80.

Item 5. 125 No. 356, Each.—Blake & Rebhan Company, $2.58; William R. McAdams Company, $2.50*; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $2.62; James T. Towhill Company, Inc., $2.59½.

Item 6. 5 No. 357, Each.—Blake & Rebhan Company, $2.58; William R. McAdams Company, $2.50*; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $2.62; James T. Towhill Company, Inc., $2.59½.

Item 7. 16 No. 362, Each.—Blake & Rebhan Company, $2.82; William R. McAdams Company, $2.74*; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $2.87; James T. Towhill Company, Inc., $2.84½.

Item 8. 15 No. 363, Each.—Blake & Rebhan Company, $2.82; William R. McAdams Company, $2.74*; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $2.87; James T. Towhill Company, Inc., $2.84½.

Item 9. 35 No. 364, Each.—Blake & Rebhan Company, $4.29; William R. McAdams Company, $4.24*; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $4.36; James T. Towhill Company, Inc., $4.34½.

Item 10. 46 No. 365, Each.—Blake & Rebhan Company, $4.29; William R. McAdams Company, $4.24*; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $4.36; James T. Towhill Company, Inc., $4.34½.

Item 11. 14 No. 374, Each.—Blake & Rebhan Company, $2.21, Substitute 374; William R. McAdams Company, $2.18*; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $2.24, Substitute 374; James T. Towhill Company, Inc., $2.22, Substitute 374.

Item 12. 105 No. 374, Each.—Blake & Rebhan Company, $2.21; William R. McAdams Company, $2.18*; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $2.24; James T. Towhil Company, Inc., $2.22.

Item 13. 85 No. 375, Each.—Blake & Rebhan Company, $2.21; William R. McAdams Company, $2.18*; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $2.24; James T. Towhill Company, Inc., $2.22.

Item 14. 2 No. 377, Each.—Blake & Rebhan Company, $2.68; William R. McAdams Company, $2.63*; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $2.72; James T. Towhill Company, Inc., $2.70.

Item 15. 1 No. 335, Each.—Blake & Rebhan Company, 81 cents; William R. McAdams Company, 82 cents*; Samuel Narcus, Inc., 87 cents; James T. Towhill Company, Inc., 80 cents.

Item 16. 60 No. 385, Each.—Blake & Rebhan Company, 81 cents; William R. McAdams Company, 82 cents*; Samuel Narcus, Inc., 87 cents; James T. Towhill Company, Inc., 80 cents.

Item 17. 85 No. 387, Each.—Blake & Rebhan Company, 98 cents; William R. McAdams Company, 97 cents*; Samuel Narcus, Inc., 99 cents; James T. Towhill Company, Inc., 98½ cents.

Item 18. 125 No. 389, Each.—Blake & Rebhan Company, $1.18; William R. McAdams Company, $1.16*; Samuel Narcus Inc., $1.19; James T. Towhill Company, Inc., $1.17.

Item 19. 24 No. 529, Each.—Blake & Rebhan Company, 96 cents; William R. McAdams Company, 95 cents*; Samuel Narcus, Inc., 97 cents; James T. Towhill Company, Inc., 93 cents.

Item 20. 24 No. 643, Each.—Blake & Rebhan Company, 44 cents; William R. McAdams Company, 45 cents*; Samuel Narcus, Inc., 44 cents; James T. Towhill Company, Inc., 42 cents.

Item 21. 6 No. 646, Each.—Blake & Rebhan Company, 63 cents; William R. McAdams Company, 64 cents*; Samuel Narcus, Inc., 64 cents; James T. Towhill Company, Inc., 64 cents.

Item 22. 4 No. 685, Each.—Blake & Rebhan Company, 73 cents; William R. McAdams Company, 73 cents*; Samuel Narcus, Inc., 74 cents; James T Towhill Company, Inc., 72 cents.

Item 23. 8 Lawyers' Diaries, Each.—Blake & Rebhan Company, $6.50; William R. McAdams Company, $6.50*; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $6.50; James T. Towhill Company, Inc., $6.50.

Item 24. 500 Daily Desk Diaries, Books, Inc., or Equal, Each.—Blake & Rebhan Company, 36 cents; William R.

McAdams Company, 39 cents*; Samuel Narcus, Inc., 37 cents; James T. Towhill Company, Inc., 37½ cents.

1956 Calendar Refills.

Item 25. 52 SD 140, or Equal, Each.—Blake & Rebhan Company, 25 cents; William R. McAdams Company, 25 cents; Samuel Narcus, Inc., 33 cents; James T. Towhill Company, Inc., 24 cents.*

Item 26. 180 SD 170, or Equal, Each.—Blake & Rebhan Company, 50 cents; William R. McAdams Company, 46 cents; Samuel Narcus, Inc., 58 cents; James T. Towhill Company, Inc., 45 cents.*

Item 27. 190 SD 25, or Equal, Each.—Blake & Rebhan Company, 25 cents; William R. McAdams Company, 25 cents; Samuel Narcus, Inc., 33 cents; James T. Towhill Company, Inc., 24 cents.*

Item 28. 580 SD 20, or Equal, Each.—Blake & Rebhan Company, 58 cents; William R. McAdams Company, 53 cents; Samuel Narcus, Inc., 66 cents; James T. Towhill Company, Inc., 52 cents.*

Item 29. 50 Gem, or Equal, Each.—Blake & Rebhan Company, 25 cents; William R. McAdams Company, 25 cents; Samuel Narcus, Inc., 33 cents; James T. Towhill Company, Inc., 24 cents.*

Item 30. 165 Jumbo Gem, or Equal, Each.—Blake & Rebhan Company, 50 cents; William R. McAdams Company, 46 cents; Samuel Narcus, Inc., 58 cents; James T. Towhill Company, Inc., 45 cents.*

Item 31. 5 No. 403-R Tear Kleen, or Equal, Each.—Blake & Rebhan Company, $2.07; William R. McAdams Company, $1.65; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $1.33; James T. Towhill Company, Inc., $2.02.

Item 32. 25 No. 1, Ever-Ready, or Equal, Each.—Blake & Rebhan Company, 25 cents; William R. McAdams Company, 25 cents; Samuel Narcus, Inc., 38 cents, No. 1, Dainty; James T. Towhill Company, Inc., 24 cents.*

Item 33. 2 No. 2, Ever-Ready, or Equal, Each.—Blake & Rebhan Company, 50 cents; William R. McAdams Company, 46 cents; Samuel Narcus, Inc., 58 cents; James T. Towhill Company, Inc., 44 cents.*

Item 34. 10 No. 46½, Ever-Ready, or Equal, Each.—Blake & Rebhan Company, 54 cents; William R. McAdams Company, 46 cents; Samuel Narcus, Inc., 62 cents; James T. Towhill Company, Inc., 49 cents.*

Item 35. 25 No. 58½, Ever-Ready, or Equal, Each.—Blake & Rebhan Company, 58 cents; William R. McAdams Company, 53 cents; Samuel Narcus, Inc., 66 cents; James T. Towhill Company, Inc., 52 cents.*

Item 36. 10 No. 414, Ever-Ready, or Equal, Each.—Blake & Rebhan Company, 25 cents; William R. McAdams Company, 25 cents; Samuel Narcus, Inc., 33 cents, No. 414½; James T. Towhill Company, Inc., 24 cents.*

Item 37. 10 No. 444, Ever-Ready, or Equal, Each.—Blake & Rebhan Company, 50 cents; William R. McAdams Company, 46 cents; Samuel Narcus, Inc., 58 cents, No. 444½; James T. Towhill Company, Inc., 44 cents.*

Item 38. 5 No. 610, Ever-Ready, or Equal, Each.—Blake & Rebhan Company, $2.56; William R. McAdams Company, $1.55; Samuel Narcus, Inc., $1.95; James T. Towhill Company, Inc., $1.72.*

Item 39. 65 No. 717, Ever-Ready, or Equal, Each.—Blake & Rebhan Company, 50 cents; William R. McAdams Company, 46 cents; Samuel Narcus, Inc., 58 cents, No. 717½; James T. Towhill Company, Inc., 15 cents.*

Item 40. 85 No. 717½, Ever-Ready, or Equal, Each.—Blake & Rebhan Company, 50 cents; William R. McAdams Company, 46 cents; Samuel Narcus, Inc., 58 cents; James T. Towhill Company, Inc., 45 cents.*

Item 41. 8 No. 919, Ever-Ready, or Equal, Each.—Blake & Rebhan Company, 25 cents; William R. McAdams Company, 25 cents; Samuel Narcus, Inc., 33 cents, No. 919½; James T. Towhill Company, Inc., 24 cents.*

Item 42. 145 No. 1, Handy, or Equal, Each.—Blake & Rebhan Company, 25 cents; William R. McAdams Company, 25 cents; Samuel Narcus, Inc., 33 cents; James T. Towhill Company, Inc., 24 cents.*

Item 43. 5 No. 2, Handy, or Equal, Each.—Blake & Rebhan Company, 50 cents; William R. McAdams Company, 46 cents; Samuel Narcus, Inc., 58 cents; James T. Towhill Company, Inc., 44 cents.*

Item 44. 20 No. 064, Success, or Equal, Each.—Blake & Rebhan Company, 54 cents; William R. McAdams Company, 46 cents; Samuel Narcus, Inc., 62 cents; James T. Towhill Company, Inc., 49 cents.*

Item 45. 120 No. 14, Success, or Equal, Each.—Blake & Rebhan Company, 25 cents; William R. McAdams Company, 25 cents; Samuel Narcus, Inc., 33 cents; James T. Towhill Company, Inc., 24 cents.*

Item 46. 25 No. 085, Success, or Equal, Each.—Blake & Rebhan Company, 58 cents; William R. McAdams Company, 53 cents; Samuel Narcus, Inc., 66 cents; James T. Towhill Company, Inc., 52 cents.*

Item 47. 90 No. 19, Success, or Equal, Each.—Blake & Rebhan Company, 25 cents; William R. McAdams Company, 25 cents; Samuel Narcus, Inc., 33 cents; James T. Towhill Company, Inc., 24 cents.*

Item 48. 250 No. 17, Success, or Equal, Each.—Blake & Rebhan Company, 50 cents; William R. McAdams Company, 46 cents; Samuel Narcus, Inc., 58 cents; James T. Towhill Company, Inc., 15 cents.*

Item 49. 6 Bunch of Dates, Each.—Blake & Rebhan Company, 25 cents, No. 1 Size; William R. McAdams Company, 25 cents; Samuel Narcus, Inc., 58 cents; James T. Towhill Company, Inc., 24 cents, No. 1.*

Discount.—Blake & Rebhan Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; William R. McAdams Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Samuel Narcus, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; James T. Towhill Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment.

Earliest Delivery Date.—Blake & Rebhan Company, if available in Boston, may be delivered within one week or sooner from date of order, if from factory, several days longer; William R. McAdams Company, two weeks after receipt of order, calendar refills, Keith Clark Work-a-day, bidding lot price on diaries and also refills; Samuel Narcus, Inc., immediate; James T. Towhill Company, Inc., shipment immediately upon receipt of order.

* Contract awarded.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Upon November 10 the Mayor approved a contract with Massachusetts Heating Corporation for furnishing and installing a new fuel oil tank at the William Lloyd Garrison School, Hutchings street, Roxbury district. Bids, opened October 29, were as follows:

Massachusetts Heating Corporation, $5,400; Seltzer & Co., Inc., $5,485; Enterprise Oil Burner Sales Company, $5,984.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Upon October 31 the Mayor approved a contract with Overhead Doors by Cliff Compton for removal of existing doors and installation of new overhead doors in ten fire stations.

Bid, opened October 21, was as follows:

Overhead Doors By Cliff Compton, $9,992.

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

Upon November 10 the Mayor approved a contract with Burgess & Blacher Company for the installation of a new roof at the West Roxbury Branch Library. Bids, opened Wednesday, November 2, were as follows:

Burgess & Blacher Company, $2,360; Werner Construction Company, Inc., $2,630; John F. Shea Company, Inc., $2,727; T. F. Kennefick Company, Inc., $3,373.

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Upon November 10 the Mayor approved a contract with E. T. Ryan Iron Works, Inc., for the installation of hand rails at the Central Library Building. Bids, opened Monday, October 24, were as follows:

E. T. Ryan Iron Works, Inc., $992.30; P. J. Dinn & Co., $1,120.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Upon November 10 the Mayor approved a contract with Edward Vozzella for minor sewerage works in Brighton, Charlestown, City Proper, and West Roxbury, at an estimated cost of $6,469.50. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed December 31, 1955. The following bids were received November 3:

Edward Vozzella, $6,469.50; Joseph Capone & Son, $7,907.50; Roslindale Contracting Company, $8,850; C. Russo, Inc., $13,220.

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Upon November 10 the Mayor approved a contract with G. & F. Construction Company for sewerage works in Washington street and minor sewerage works in Pelton street, West Roxbury, at an estimated cost of $3,067.50, including concrete pipe. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed January 28, 1956. The following bids were received November 3:

Clay Pipe.—G. & F. Construction Company, $3,202.50; Edward Vozzella, $3,638.50; Joseph Capone & Son, $3,905; Roslindale Contracting Company, $5,105; C. Russo, Inc., $5,660.

Concrete Pipe.—G. & F. Construction Company, $3,067.50; Edward Vozzella, $3,586; Joseph Capone & Son, $3,800; Roslindale Contracting Company, $5,105; C. Russo, Inc., $5,510.

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Upon November 14 the Mayor approved a contract with the Suffolk Electric Company for electrical work at 624 Albany street, Boston, at an estimated cost of $2,918. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed within three weeks from date of order to commence work. The following bids were received November 3:

Suffolk Electric Company, $2,918; Kay Electric Company, $3,200; J. J. Finn Electrical Service, $4,495.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

Upon varying dates as indicated the Mayor approved contracts with contractors, etc., for furnishing labor, supplies, etc. Communications from the heads of departments interested were as follows:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.
Purchasing Division.

BOSTON, November 2, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office requires 30,000 purchase order forms for use in 1956 to be delivered in December, 1955. Bids were solicited from seven companies; five companies responded. The lowest bidder did not meet specifications or delivery date. The next lowest bidder was the American Register Company at $1,020, net.

Inasmuch as bids have been received from several companies and a satisfactory price has been obtained, it is my opinion that no advantage would be gained by publicly advertising for prices. Authority is therefore requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to American Register Company.

Approximate total amount of contract for 30,000 purchase order forms at $34 per M will be $1,020, net, 30 days.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, November 3, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office is in receipt of a requisition from the Traffic Commission for the immediate delivery of one (1) new 1956 Mainline Ford Fordor sedan as per specifications.

Informal written quotations have been received from three (3) Ford dealers, the lowest one being that of Bowers Motor Sales, Inc. Inasmuch as this company has a vehicle in stock and is in a position to make immediate delivery, and since an acceptable price has been submitted, authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to Bowers Motor Sales, Inc. It is my opinion that, in this way, the best interests of the city will be served.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $2,227, net.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, November 3, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office is in receipt of a requisition from the Fire Department for fire alarm post sections and bases. Mechanics Iron Foundry Company has been the only supplier for the past several years and the only bidder on publicly advertised bids. An acceptable written quotation has been received from this company.

Owing to the foregoing facts, it is my opinion that no advantage would be gained by publicly advertising for prices. Authority is therefore requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to Mechanics Iron Foundry Company for 50 cast-iron subbases for fire alarm posts at $33 each and 50 cast-iron middle sections for fire alarm posts at $30 each. Delivery of this equipment is to start immediately and be completed by March 31, 1956.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $3,150, net.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, October 27, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

In the interest of the general public safety and pursuant to the provisions of chapter 479, Acts of 1938, as amended, section 116d, with your permission, the Building Commissioner entered the premises at 407 West Second street, South Boston, and solicited bids for the removal of the building.

This is a wooden building, open to trespass, and a constant menace to the surrounding properties, particularly No. 411, which immediately adjoins it. The building has, because of depredations, become unsafe and dangerous. It is necessary, therefore, to proceed with its removal at once.

The department solicited bids in the usual manner. The prices are as follows:

American Building Wrecking Company, $1,735; Central Building Wrecking Company, $1,288; Michael J. Reardon, $1,280.

The interest of the city so requiring, I ask your Honor's approval for the awarding of a contract, without advertising, to M. J. Reardon, in the sum of $1,280. Mr. Reardon is the lowest bidder, has always given satisfactory service, and carries all of the necessary licenses.

Very truly yours,

CHARLES A. CALLANAN,
Building Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

BOSTON, September 20, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

On August 31, 1955, your Honor authorized the award and subsequently executed an unadvertised $30,000 contract with Dorgan Electric Company, Inc., for emergency flood damage work, consisting of the repair of electrical installations damaged by the flood water from the torrential rains of August 18 to 20, at the Boston Trade High School.

As was pointed out in my original communication, the $30,000 sum represented the best estimate that this department could then make of the expense involved in doing the emergency electrical work and repair of electrical installations damaged by the flood water. A substantial amount of the above work has been performed to date. However, it is now apparent that it will cost in the vicinity of an additional $4,600 to perform all the emergency electrical work and repair of electrical installations necessary to correct the damage resulting from the floods at the Boston Trade High School.

Therefore, your authorization is respectfully requested to dispense with public advertising and amend the aforementioned contract with Dorgan Electric Company, Inc., to permit the expenditure, under the provisions of that contract, of an additional sum not to exceed $4,600. The primary objective of the principal contract and the amendment herein to be prepared is to have the work performed by a capable contractor and as expeditiously as possible. The aforementioned firm has performed its work to date in a highly satisfactory manner and as promptly as the conditions have permitted. In view of this it is not felt that public advertising would be of any avail in this instance.

Very truly yours,

JAMES H. MOONEY,
Superintendent of Construction.

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BOSTON, November 7, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

Subject: Albert Palmer School Building, Eustis Street, Roxbury.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

Fire of unknown origin occurring on October 30, 1955, in the completely occupied building was of such intensity as to destroy one classroom, a portion of the boiler room, and the structure between the classroom and boiler room. It also left the building open to trespass, and the destruction was extensive enough to warrant immediate emergency action.

The contracting firm of P. J. Cantwell & Son, 644 East Fourth street, South Boston, was employed to temporarily close the building by boarding up doors and sash and to remove burned materials and debris.

So that the classroom could be used this firm was ordered to make necessary construction repairs, including repairs to the plumbing and electrical systems. All work to be done in accordance with standard specifications and details of the Department of School Buildings as applicable.

As this emergency did not permit of solicitation for proposals I ask that you waive the requirements for advertising and authorize me to negotiate a contract with P. J. Cantwell & Son in an amount not to exceed $2,250 for the completed work, which will be incorporated in the contract document.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES H. MOONEY,
Superintendent of Construction.

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, October 28, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The Trustees of the Public Library respectfully request the approval of your Honor for engaging the services of Messrs. Gilbert Small & Co., Inc., 10 State street, Boston, for engineering and architectural services in connection with the completion of the roof of the Central Library Building.

The professional services to be rendered will consist of the following: necessary conferences with the library trustees and library officers; preparation of preliminary studies, working drawings, and specifications; drafting of forms of proposals and contracts; and responsibility for and supervision of the work required to be done by the trustees.

The completion of the roof of the Central Library building is a job of very considerable magnitude. The character and extent of the work make it one of the largest roofing projects ever to be undertaken in the Greater Boston area. Messrs. Gilbert Small & Co., Inc., have been the consulting engineers for the library for over ten years. Before that time the principal members of the firm of Messrs. Gilbert Small & Co. were

members of the firm of Messrs. J. R. Worcester & Co., which firm served the library over a long period of years as engineers, in the course of which they designed and carried out in 1943 the installation of the first part of this great roofing project of which the second part is now about to be undertaken. The firm has thus become thoroughly familiar with the problems peculiar to the roofing work which is to be done. The total cost of the services of Messrs. Gilbert Small & Co. will be not in excess of $10,000.

The trustees have therefore taken the following action to award the contract:

"*Voted*, That there be entered into with Gilbert Small & Co., Inc., 10 State street, Boston, a contract for engineering and architectural services in connection with the completion of the roof of the Central Library building in an amount not to exceed ten thousand dollars ($10,000)."

In view of the above the trustees believe that no useful purpose would be achieved by proceeding to competitive bidding for these services. Since the total cost will be in excess of one thousand dollars ($1,000), there is therefore respectfully requested permission of your Honor to enter into a contract with Messrs. Gilbert Small & Co., Inc., without publicly advertising for bids for such services.

Respectfully,

THE TRUSTEES OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY OF THE CITY OF BOSTON,
MILTON E. LORD,
Director.

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BOSTON, November 2, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The Trustees of the Public Library respectfully request the approval of your Honor for the award of a contract, without public advertising to the Herman Goldberger Agency, Inc., 76 Atherton street, Jamaica Plain, Mass., for supplying periodicals and serials for the year 1956 and servicing the subscriptions for the individual items throughout the year.

The number of firms who are qualified to render these services is limited to a very few. In the belief that the best interests of the city would be served thereby the trustees invited five firms which were considered to be qualified. Three of these companies failed to submit bids; the other two submitted bids as follows:

New England News, 30 Garrison street, Boston, Mass., $12,187 (bid was rejected because it did not include all items called for in the specifications); Herman Goldberger Agency, Inc., 76 Atherton street, Jamaica Plain, Mass., $12,795.

The Herman Goldberger Agency, Inc., has had many years experience in the specialized business of supplying very large orders of periodicals and serials for libraries. The firm has served the Boston Public Library in this capacity regularly for over twenty-five years.

The trustees, therefore, have taken the following action to award the contract:

"*Voted*, That there be awarded to the Herman Goldberger Agency, Inc., 76 Atherton street, Jamaica Plain, Mass., a contract for supplying periodicals and serials for the period January 1, 1956, through December 31, 1956, at prices per unit specified in the specifications."

Inasmuch as the total cost of the periodicals and serials will exceed one thousand dollars ($1,000), there is requested permission of your Honor to enter into this contract without publicly advertising for bids.

Respectfully,

THE TRUSTEES OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY OF THE CITY OF BOSTON,
MILTON E. LORD,
Director.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.
BOSTON, November 1, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

On August 24, 1955, Inspector Thomas B. Renahan of the Employers Group Insurance Companies inspected an H. R. T. No. 2772 boiler at the House of Correction and ordered us to replace the top row of tubes and remove the scale from the entire boiler and the remaining tubes and also to rebuild the furnace refractory, to prevent collapse, before he would issue the certificate of inspection.

Inmate labor, under supervision, has just completed the rebuilding with firebrick and fire clay, and the boiler is now ready to have the descaling done and the tubes replaced.

This is the third and last boiler to be inspected this year, the other two boilers having been inspected on May 13 and June 2, respectively. The work on the above was awarded, by your Honor's permission, on May 13 and July 20, to the Industrial Welding Company of South Boston, who did most satisfactory and expert work.

In order to have the insurance company issue a certificate to operate this boiler as soon as possible before the cold weather sets in, I respectfully request your permission to award this boiler work to the Industrial Welding Company of 488 Dorchester Avenue, South Boston, at a price for tubes, materials, machines, and labor at a cost not to exceed $742.25.

Most respectfully,

EDWARD L. FRIEL,
Commissioner.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.
SHERIFF'S OFFICE.
BOSTON, November 9, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

Funds were allowed in the 1955 supplementary jail budget for replacing the old broken plaster ceiling of the jail kitchen with a metal ceiling.

The erection of an aluminum ceiling will eliminate the damage to a plaster ceiling that was caused by moisture from the condensation of steam with the constant use of steam kettles. The work consists of removing deteriorated portions of the plaster ceiling and furnishing and erecting embossed aluminum material over the old ceiling.

Proposals were invited from five local contractors for this project, and only two firms have submitted bids. The amounts are as follows:

E. H. Allen Company, Charlestown, $4,000; Waghorne-Brown Company, Boston, $1,996.

I should like to have the old broken plaster ceiling replaced as soon as possible. I believe that there would be no further benefit for the City of Boston to advertise publicly for this work and I respectfully request your permission to award a contract to the lowest bidder, Waghorne-Brown Company of Boston, for the erection of this new ceiling.

Respectfully yours,

FREDERICK R. SULLIVAN,
Sheriff.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Dooley Brothers, Inc., 39 George street, Roxbury, for work on Hyde Park avenue, from November 7, 1955, to June 30, 1956. This is a chapter 90 project. This extension was requested because the State Department of Public Works voted to extend the time limit on the work.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with R. A. Bucella & Sons, Inc., 20 Cedar park, Roxbury, for laying water pipes in Constitution road, Ward 18; Crossman street, Ward 18; Faunce road, Ward 18; Jamestown terrace, Ward 18; Lorna Road Extension, Ward 18; Messinger street, Ward 18; Orlando street, Ward 18; Viking terrace, Ward 18; and such additional locations, if any, in Ward 18, as may be designated by the Commissioner of Public Works, from November 1, 1955, to December 20, 1955. This extension was requested because the sewer contractor has not completed his contract in Lorna road, thus holding up the completion of the water contract.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

John McCourt Company has been directed to perform the following extra work under the contract for sheet asphalt pavement and installation of traffic divisional islands and sidewalk narrowing in Dock square, etc., dated August 10, 1955:

In Blue Hill avenue and Talbot avenue, furnish and place duct work in addition to that shown on plan, including all incidental work, for the sum of $186.

Estimated cost of extra work, $186.

OMIT AND SUBSTITUTE WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

S. J. Tomasello Corporation has been directed to omit and substitute the following work under the contract for bituminous concrete pavement in Burr street, Carolina avenue, Cheshire street, Dane street, Hawthorne street, Heathcote street, Perkins street, and Sedgwick street, dated July 13, 1955:

In Heathcote street, omit the furnishing, placing, grading, and seeding of 50 square yards of loam at 75 cents per square yard.

In Heathcote street, substitute the furnishing and laying of approximately 1,000 square feet of artificial stone sidewalks at 40 cents per square foot.

Estimated cost of substituted work, $400; estimated cost of omitted work, $37.50; estimated increase in cost, $362.50.

CLAIM ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claim:

Paul E. Vallen, 60 Trenton street, East Boston, in the sum of $75, as compensation for damage to automobile caused by the falling of decayed branches of a tree on the sidewalk at the corner of Trenton and Marion streets, June 13, 1954.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Certification to be attached to votes of September 22, 1955, adding Article IV-A and Section 2 of Article X to the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston.

Each of the undersigned does hereby certify that after taking into account the public safety and convenience, the reasonably free circulation of vehicular traffic, and the need for providing in the streets, ways, highways, roads, and parkways in the downtown area of the city the maximum number of parking spaces at all times, he is of opinion that Article IV-A and Section 2 of Article X added this 22d day of September, 1955, to the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are required by urgent public necessity.

WM. ARTHUR REILLY,
Commissioner.
THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Associate Commissioner.
GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Associate Commissioner.
FRANK R. KELLEY,
Associate Commissioner.

A true excerpt from the minutes of the September 22, 1955, meeting of the Boston Traffic Commission.

Attest:

W. T. DOYLE,
Executive Secretary.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, for a trial period of sixty (60) days, the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective November 15, 1955:

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by striking out the following:

Train Street, Dorchester.
At King street.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," the following:

Cambridge Street.
At Grove street.
At North Grove street.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," each of the following:

King Street.
At Train street.
Morton Street.
At Corbet street.
At Selden street.
At West Selden street.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Huntington Avenue.
At Parker Hill avenue.

A true excerpt from the minutes of the October 20, 1955, meeting of the Boston Traffic Commission.

Attest:

W. T. DOYLE,
Executive Secretary.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, the following temporary vote, which was adopted September 8, 1955, and was effective September 15, 1955, for a trial period of sixty (60) days, is rescinded, effective November 15, 1955:

Article VI, Section 10 (Left Turns Prohibited), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," the following:

Congress Street.
Into Dock square, easterly.

A true excerpt from the minutes of the October 20, 1955, meeting of the Boston Traffic Commission.

Attest:

W. T. DOYLE,
Executive Secretary.

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November 2, 1955.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, occasioned by the opening of the Fort Hill Square southbound down ramp of the John F. Fitzgerald Expressway, for a period estimated to be thirty (30) days, the following temporary traffic rules are effective November 2, 1955:

The following street is one way in the direction indicated:

Oliver Street, Boston Proper.
From High street to Franklin street.

The permanent one-way rule in the following street is reversed so that it is one way in the direction now indicated:

Batterymarch Street, Boston Proper.
From Franklin street to High street.

WM. ARTHUR REILLY,
Commissioner.

A true copy.

Attest:

W. T. DOYLE,
Executive Secretary.

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November 1, 1955.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of sewerage construction, estimated to be thirty (30) days, vehicles are excluded from the following street, effective November 1, 1955:

Austin Street, Hyde Park.
From Myopia road to Chestnut street.

WM. ARTHUR REILLY,
Commissioner.

A true copy.

Attest:

W. T. DOYLE,
Executive Secretary.

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November 2, 1955.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway resurfacing, estimated to be thirty (30) days, vehicles are excluded from the following street, effective November 2, 1955:

Rose Garden Circle, Brighton.
From Foster street to dead end.

WM. ARTHUR REILLY,
Commissioner.

A true copy.

Attest:

W T. DOYLE,
Executive Secretary.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, for a trial period of sixty (60) days, the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective November 15, 1955:

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out the followng:

Braintree Street, Brighton.
South side, from a point sixty-five (65) feet west of Franklin street to Franklin street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Chestnut Street, Boston Proper.
Both sides, from Walnut street to Willow street, 24 hours.
North side, from Willow street to Charles street, 24 hours.

Corey Road, Brighton.
Southeast side, from Washington street to Westbourne terrace, 24 hours.

Richmond Street, Boston Proper.
Southwest side, from Commercial street to North street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from North street to Hanover street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," each of the following:

Chestnut Street.
North side, from Walnut street to Charles street, 24 hours.

North Margin Street.
East and northeast side, from Stillman street to Endicott street, 24 hours.
Both sides, from North Margin Street court to La Fayette avenue, 24 hours.

Richmond Street.
Southwest side, from Commercial street to Fulton street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Fulton street to Hanover street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," each of the following:

Braintree Street.
South side, from Everett street to Franklin street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Corey Road.
Southeast side, from Washington street to Kelton street, 24 hours.

Mapleton Street.
North side, from Murdock street to Market street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Hyde Park," each of the following:

Dana Avenue.
Southwest side, from Hyde Park avenue to a point one hundred and twenty-five (125) feet southeast of Hyde Park avenue, 24 hours.

River Street.
North and west sides, from Hillis road to Gordon avenue, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Wakullah Street.
Southeast side, from Dale street to Rockland street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "West Roxbury," each of the following:

Cheshire Street.
East side, from Green street to a point two hundred and fifty (250) feet north of Green street, 24 hours.

Dunwell Street.
South side, from Baker street to a point one hundred and eighty (180) feet west of Baker street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by striking out the following:
High Street, Boston Proper.
Northwest side, from Broad street to Federal street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South Street, Boston Proper.
West side, from Summer street to Kneeland street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 6, Part 3 (Restrictions in Cent and Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:
Columbine Street.
North side, from Blue Hill avenue to a point one hundred (100) feet east of Blue Hill avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 11, Part 1 (Backing of Vehicles Prohibited), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," each of the following:
High Street.
Both sides, from Broad street to Summer street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South Street.
Both sides, from Summer street to Kneeland street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV-A, Section 4, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out the following:
High Street, Boston Proper.
Southeast side, from Broad street to Summer street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
North side, from Federal street to Summer street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South Street, Boston Proper.
East side, from Summer street to Kneeland street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Winter Street, Boston Proper.
Northeast side, from a point thirty-five (35) feet northwest of Washington street to Tremont street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV-A, Section 4, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting it its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," each of the following:
Central Street.
South side, from Atlantic avenue to the John F. Fitzgerald Expressway surface road, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
High Street.
Both sides, from Broad street to Summer street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
South Street.
Both sides, from Summer street to Kneeland street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Winter Street.
Northeast side, from a point thirty-five (35) feet northwest of Washington street to Music Hall place, 24 hours.
Northeast side, from Music Hall place to Tremont street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," the following:
North Margin Street.
From Endicott street to Stillman street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:
Train Street.
From King street to Victory road.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "East Boston," the following:
Princeton Street.
From Meridian street to Eagle square.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:
Regent Street.
From Warren street to Dale street.

Article VI, Section 10 (Left Turns Prohibited), is amended by striking out the following:
Longwood Avenue, Roxbury.
Into Riverway, southerly, 3 P.M. to 7 P.M.

Article VI, Section 10 (Left Turns Prohibited), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," the following:
Congress Street.
Into Dock square, westerly.

Article VI, Section 10 (Left Turns Prohibited), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:
Longwood Avenue.
Into Riverway, southerly, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article VI, Section 11 (Only Right Turn Movements Permitted), is amended by striking out the following:
Longwood Avenue, Roxbury.
Into Riverway, southerly, 3 P.M. to 7 P.M.

Article VI, Section 11 (Only Right Turn Movements Permitted), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:
Longwood Avenue.
Into Riverway, southerly, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

A true excerpt from the minutes of the October 20, 1955, meeting of the Boston Traffic Commission.

Attest:

W. T. DOYLE,
Executive Secretary.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway resurfacing, estimated to be thirty (30) days, vehicles are excluded from the following street, when and where official signs are in place, effective November 3, 1955:
Newland Street, Boston Proper.
From Worcester street to West Springfield street.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of sewerage repair, estimated to be fifteen (15) days, vehicles are excluded from the following street, effective November 3, 1955:
Oakburn Avenue, Roxbury.
From Auburn street to Ruggles street.

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered the following construction work:

One drop inlet and connection, one catch basin converted to manhole in Mildred avenue, on southeasterly side, in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of $300.

One catch basin and 35 feet of connection in rock in Stonehill terrace, from Stonehill road, 140 feet southeasterly, in the Hyde Park district, at an estimated cost of $800.

One catch basin and connection in New England avenue (formerly Bernard street), between Southern avenue and Norfolk street, in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of $500.

One hundred eighty-five linear feet of 10-inch pipe surface drain and two catch basins in Tanglewood road (formerly Churchill place), from Washington street approximately 200 feet westerly, in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of $3,200.

Two catch basins and connections in Wichita terrace (formerly Johnson place), from River street approximately 257 feet northerly, in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of $1,000.

A 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer and one catch basin and connection in Violet street, between Crossman street and French street, in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of $3,300.

A 12-inch pipe sanitary sewer, 30-inch pipe surface drain, and eight catch basins in Guest street, between 320 feet east of Life street and private land (land of the Boston & Albany Railroad Company), in the Brighton district, at an estimated cost of $25,300.

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

Gennaro Nonni, 129 Leyden street, East Boston, to be reimbursed in the sum of $195, as a result of an accident which occurred on May 2, 1955, when a motor truck belonging to the Sewer Division, Public Works Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Francis Grasso, causing personal injuries to James Moses.

John F. Billotte, 618 Broadway, South Boston, to be reimbursed in the sum of $53, as a result of an accident which occurred on January 13, 1954, when a motor truck belonging to the Sanitary Division, Public Works Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Frank G. Cotter.

Pauline Nasif, 36 Burroughs street, Jamaica Plain, in the sum of $125, as compensation for damage to property owned by her at 10 Milford street, Boston, caused by water from a broken water pipe under the sidewalk in front of the premises, September 10, 1954.

Ellen Hutchinson, 76 Gardner street, Allston, in the sum of $250, as compensation for damage to property in basement of above premises caused by the backing up of a sewer on May 31, June 6, and June 13, 1955.

James W. O'Brien, 25 Washington square, Revere, in the sum of $75, as compensation for damage to automobile as a result of dropping into an unlighted and unguarded excavation in the highway opposite 221 Bunker Hill street, Charlestown, December 29, 1954.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, October 31, 1955.

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 2 P.M., Senior Member White in the chair. Absent, Councillor Hurley.

The Reverend John J. O'Connor, of St. Peter's Roman Catholic Church, Dorchester, was escorted to the rostrum.

INVOCATION BY REV. JOHN J. O'CONNOR.

Almighty and Eternal God, the Creator and Savior of mankind, we adore Thee in Thy Majesty, and to Thee we consecrate our thoughts, our words, our deeds, that always and ever we may think of Thee, speak of Thee, and dedicate our lives to Thy greater honor and glory.

With hearts truly grateful, we offer Thee our thanks for all Thy kindness to our beloved America, and in her hour of trial we implore Thy tender solicitude for her welfare. We commend to Thee those set over us to rule and govern us, and in an especial manner our Mayor and City Council who direct our beloved city. Guide them aright with Thy spirit of counsel, and direct all their deliberations with the light of Thy divine wisdom, that their decisions may tend towards the promotion of happiness and perpetuate to us the blessings of liberty.

Bless, we beseech Thee, O Lord, God of heaven and earth, the citizens of these, our United States, and banish from our hearts all spirit of evil. Enlighten our understanding and purify our intentions that our purpose may merit Thy kindly approval. Vouchsafe to direct our actions by Thy holy inspirations and carry them on by Thy gracious assistance, that we may render a stewardship of justice and love to Thee and an example for imitation to others.

All this, we pray Thee, Most Sovereign Father, humbly and devoutly through Jesus Christ, Thy Son, Who liveth and reigneth for ever and ever. Amen.

The meeting was opened with the salute to the Flag.

NAMING OF SQUARES IN HONOR OF DECEASED VETERANS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, October 31, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I submit herewith five orders for the naming of various intersections in the city in honor of deceased veterans of World War II.

The Committee to Memorialize Veterans, after due consideration, has recommended the naming of various sites as set forth in the accompanying orders.

In view of the fact that each site is to be named in memory of a veteran who sacrificed his life on the altar of liberty, I recommend that your Honorable Body give approval to the accompanying orders.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Public Improvement Commission,
October 27, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

At a meeting of the Committee to Memorialize Veterans, held this day, it was voted to designate the following intersections in honor of the following-named deceased veterans of World War II:

1. Como Road and Vallaro Road, Hyde Park (Ward 18)—Pvt. Henry W. Baga Square. (Private Baga, U. S. Army, lost his life in Germany on March 16, 1945.)

2. Standard Street and River Street, Dorchester (Ward 18)—Lieut. Francis A. Cahill Square. (Lieutenant Cahill, U.S.N.R., lost his life in Southern France on August 23, 1945.)

3. Oakman Street and Walnut Street, Dorchester (Ward 16)—Sergt. John (Pat) Malloy Square. (Sergt. Malloy, U. S. Army, lost his life in Germany on March 3, 1945.)

4. Whittier Street and Cabot Street, Roxbury (Ward 9)—Sergt. Joseph P. and Corp. John A. Kelly Square. (Sergeant Kelly and Corporal Kelly, U. S. Army, lost their lives in the service of their country during World War II.)

5. Hanson Street and Tremont Street, Boston Proper (Ward 3)—Corp. Raymond A. L. Saquet Square. (Corporal Saquet, U. S. Army, lost his life in France on September 1, 1944.)

Respectfully,
MICHAEL J. CORRAO, Secretary,
Committee to Memorialize Veterans.

Ordered, That the space at the junction of Como road and Vallaro road, Ward 18, be named Henry W. Baga Square in honor of Henry W. Baga, late veteran of World War II.

Ordered, That the space at the junction of Standard street and River street, Ward 18, be named Francis A. Cahill Square in honor of Francis A. Cahill, late veteran of World War II.

Ordered, That the space at the junction of Oakman street and Walnut street, Ward 16, be named John (Pat) Malloy Square in honor of John (Pat) Malloy, late veteran of World War II.

Ordered, That the space at the junction of Whittier street and Cabot street, Ward 9, be named Joseph P. and John A. Kelly Square in honor of Joseph P. and John A. Kelly, late veterans of World War II.

Ordered, That the space at the junction of Hanson street and Tremont street, Ward 3, be named Raymond A. L. Saquet Square in honor of Raymond A. L. Saquet, late veteran of World War II.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

PARKING OF AUTOMOBILES BY HANDICAPPED PERSONS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, October 31, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Traffic Commissioner relative to your order of October 10, 1955, concerning special permits for automobile parking by handicapped persons.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

Boston Traffic Commission,
October 27, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

With refrence to City Council order of October 10, 1955, ordering that the Police and Traffic Commissioners be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to confer on the matter of issuing special permits, or otherwise granting immunity from penalty for parking violations to nonveterans who hold a "seal" for handicapped persons issued by the Registry of Motor Vehicles, I wish to report that the Police Commissioner and the Traffic Commissioner, at a meeting of the Traffic Commission on Thursday, October 22, discussed this subject.

It appears that under a state law veterans who hold a "V" plate issued by the Registry of Motor Vehicles are exempt from certain traffic regulations.

In order for nonveterans to obtain the same exemptions state legislation is necessary.

For example, in the enactment of the towing law, which is to take effect in November of this year, the Legislature authorizes the Police Department to tow away vehicles found to he violating certain traffic regulations and in that law they specifically exempted veterans who hold "V" plate registrations.

Therefore, no act of the Boston Traffic Commission would be effective in preventing nonveterans holding a seal from the Registry of Motor Vehicles from being towed away.

Sincerely yours,
WM. ARTHUR REILLY, Commissioner.

Placed on file.

TRAFFIC LIGHTS AT SEAVER STREET AND HUMBOLDT AVENUE.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, Octoher 28, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Traffic Commissioner relative to your order of October 24, 1955, eoncerning the installation of traffic lights at the corner of Seaver street and Humholdt avenue in Roxbury.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

Boston Traffic Commission,
October 27, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

With reference to Council order of October 24, 1955, requesting the installation of traffic lights at the corner of Seaver street and Humboldt avenue, Roxbury, I wish to report that on August 4, 1948, a flashing traffic signal, with pedestrian push-button operation, was installed at this location.

Respectfully yours,
WM. ARTHUR REILLY, Commissioner.

Placed on file.

TRAFFIC LIGHTS AT HUMBOLDT AVENUE AND TOWNSEND STREET.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, October 31, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Traffic Commissioner relative to your order of October 24, 1955, concerning installation of traffic lights at the intersection of Humboldt avenue and Townsend street in the Roxhury district.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

Boston Traffic Commission.
October 27, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

With reference to Councillor McCormack's order of October 24, 1955, requesting eonsideration of the installation of traffie signals at the intersection of Humholdt avenue and Townsend street, Roxhury, I wish to state that this intersection is one which we have listed for attention when funds are provided to us for this purpose.

We did receive an appropriation this year which has heen allocated to locations graded according to hazards hased upon the volumes of vehleular and pedestrian traffic, accident records, and characteristics of the various locations.

We will keep this location in mind for consideration when additional money is provided to us.

Sincerely yours,
WM. ARTHUR REILLY, Commissioner.

Placed on file.

TRAFFIC CONDITIONS AT RIVER AND LINWOOD STREETS, HYDE PARK.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, October 28, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Traffie Commissioner relative to your order of September 19, 1955, concerning dangerous traffic conditions at River street and Linwood street in Hyde Park; also Dana avenue and Hyde Park avenue.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

Boston Traffic Commission,
October 27, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

With reference to City Council order of September 19, 1955, introduced hy Councillor McLaughlin, requesting that the Traffic Commission be requested to have an investigation made at River and Linwood streets and in Dana avenue and Hyde Park avenue, Hyde Park, I submit the following report:

At a meeting of the Traffic Commission on October 22 it was voted to prohibit parking in River street, north side, from Hillis road to Gordon avenue, and to place "Slow" signs in the roadway in River street between Hillis road and Gordon avenue.

In addition, crosswalks are to be painted in River street and Linwood street, and a center line in Hyde Park avenue from River street to beyond Dana avenue.

In addition, a parking prohibition will be established in Dana avenue, southwest side, for a distance of 125 feet southeast of Hyde Park avenue.

The above measures should afford increased protection for pedestrians until funds are availahle for the installation of traffic signals.

Sincerely yours,
WM. ARTHUR REILLY, Commissloner.

Placed on file.

ELECTION IN FIRE DEPARTMENT TO DETERMINE BARGAINING UNIT.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, October 31, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Fire Commissioner relative to your order of October 17, 1955, concerning the holding of an election among the personnel of the Fire Department for the purpose of determining a bargaining unit in that department.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Fire Department, October 24, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Sir:

I have the City Council order of October 17, 1955, relative to the calling of an election in the Boston Fire Department. The third paragraph of that order states:

"Whereas, A check on the number of absences due to vacations reveals that less than 1 per cent of the firemen are on vacation and the number is being reduced weekly, and . . ."

This is absolutely erroneous. On the day the order was adopted the number on vacation was 129. On the following day, the beginning of a new week, the number on vacation was 133. Instead of the number being less than 1 per cent, it is greater than 1 per cent by more than 100. This succeeding week sees the number of men on vacation increase.

I do not feel in justice that any election of such importance should be held when so many fire fighters are absent on vacation, the determination of which was beyond their control.

Very truly yours,
FRANCIS X. COTTER,
Fire Commissioner.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

TAX RATES OF VARIOUS CITIES AND TOWNS IN COMMONWEALTH.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, October 26, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I send you herewith report of the Director of Administrative Services in answer to the order adopted by your Honorable Body on October 10 requesting a schedule showing the tax rates of various cities and towns over the past several years.

It is interesting to note, in this schedule, that many of the cities in the metropolitan area have increased their tax rates considerably more than the increase in Boston over a five-year period. It is also interesting to note that, in the larger cities of the Commonwealth, Boston is near the bottom with respect to tax rate increases in that same period of time.

I think that this schedule will indicate clearly that the City of Boston has made unremitting efforts to keep the tax rate of our city at the lowest possible point.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Administrative Services Department,
October 21, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Sir:

Under date of October 10, 1955, the following order was adopted by the City Council:

"Ordered, That the Director of Administrative Services prepare a schedule showing the tax rates of the various cities and towns in metropolitan Boston for the past several years and the proportionate increase or decrease of the tax rate."

I submit herewith a schedule showing tax rate comparisons of various cities and towns in the metropolitan Boston area for the past five years.

I have also had prepared a schedule indicating tax rate comparisons of the larger cities of Massachusetts for the same period of time.

Respectfully,
CHARLES J. FOX, Director.

TAX RATE COMPARISONS OF VARIOUS CITIES AND TOWNS IN THE METROPOLITAN BOSTON AREA.

	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	Net Increase Amount	5-Year Period Per Cent
Braintree	$43 80	$46 20	$53 80	$50 00	$59 90	$16 10	37
Quincy	46 80	53 80	50 80	52 00	60 60	13 80	29
Newton	38 40	45 80	44 00	44 50	46 80	8 40	22
Randolph	45 00	48 00	52 00	50 00	55 00	10 00	22
Watertown	42 60	46 40	41 80	49 00	51 40	8 80	21
Winthrop	42 80	45 80	44 40	48 00	52 00	9 20	21
Melrose	46 00	53 80	52 80	54 40	55 40	9 40	20
Saugus	49 80	56 50	53 90	56 40	59 90	10 10	20
Needham	42 00	44 00	46 00	50 00	50 00	8 00	19
Revere	53 50	56 80	56 00	59 80	63 80	10 30	19
Somerville	53 60	55 60	55 30	63 20	63 20	9 60	18
Waltham	45 60	51 40	51 40	51 50	53 50	7 90	17
Brookline	38 90	40 20	41 00	44 30	45 00	6 10	16
Cambridge	12 90	52 80	48 60	48 30	49 80	6 90	16
Malden	51 60	57 40	56 00	57 80	59 80	8 20	16
BOSTON	62 80	66 80	70 70	69 80	69 80	7 00	11
Milton	41 40	48 40	44 00	47 00	46 00	4 60	11
Everett	41 60	41 60	44 60	46 80	45 60	4 00	10
Hingham	52 60	49 80	50 60	50 00	58 00	5 40	10
Lynn	56 80	58 60	58 80	59 40	62 20	5 40	9½
Arlington	54 20	56 40	57 60	51 40	59 20	5 00	9
Chelsea	64 20	63 00	71 00	71 00	69 00	4 80	7
Belmont	38 00	39 00	37 00	40 00	40 00	2 00	5
Medford	49 40	52 40	50 80	50 20	52 20	2 80	6
Canton	58 60	58 60	59 00	58 00	61 80	3 20	5
Dedham	46 40	49 00	49 60	48 60	48 60	2 20	5
Woburn	39 80	44 80	39 80	45 50	41 80	2 00	5
Salem	54 50	52 00	48 00	48 00	48 00	6 50*	8*

*Decrease

TAX RATE COMPARISONS OF THE LARGER CITIES OF MASSACHUSETTS FOR THE SAME PERIOD OF TIME.

Gardner	$39 00	$46 00	$46 00	$51 00	$54 00	$15 00	38
Fall River	49 80	56 20	53 80	59 40	62 00	12 20	24
Pittsfield	39 60	42 00	45 00	45 00	48 40	8 80	22
Springfield	47 00	52 00	49 80	50 50	55 80	8 80	19
Holyoke	40 00	40 00	43 00	45 50	47 00	7 00	18
Fitchburg	54 80	56 80	56 40	58 80	63 60	8 80	16
Worcester	48 40	50 80	50 00	52 00	56 00	7 60	16
Haverhill	42 80	42 80	42 80	47 60	49 40	6 60	15
Peabody	51 80	57 50	54 60	60 40	58 90	7 10	14
Chicopee	49 00	51 00	56 00	56 00	55 00	6 00	12
Lawrence	47 60	56 00	54 00	53 80	53 50	5 90	12
BOSTON	62 80	66 80	70 70	69 80	69 80	7 00	11
Brockton	53 80	57 80	54 60	58 60	58 60	4 80	9
New Bedford	52 00	52 40	50 80	55 60	56 40	4 40	8
Lowell	55 80	57 80	57 80	59 80	59 40	3 60	6

Referred to the Executive Committee.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committee named, viz.:

Claims.

Geraldine Bastis, for compensation for injuries and damage to car by city vehicle.

James Bellino, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Public Works Department, Water Division.

Rose Binder, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Gerald road, Brighton.

Marion Black, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Commonwealth avenue, Brighton.

Salvatore Busheme, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 217 East Eagle street, East Boston.

Edward A. Cass, to be reimbursed as result of execution issued against him on account of his acts as employee of Parks and Recreation Department.

Susan Cresto, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Municipal Building, Roslindale.

Thomas A. Deane, for compensation for damage to car by vehicle of Fire Department.

Flora DelVecchio, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Cottage street, East Boston.

Pia DiTroia, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Cottage and Gove streets, East Boston.

Mary T. Donovan, for compensation for damage to property at 197 Chiswick road, Brighton, caused during sidewalk construction.

Theresa Finn, for compensation for collapse of water boiler at 208 L street, South Boston, while work was being done on street.

George Flanagan, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Parks and Recreation Department.

Walter I. Garrity, to be reimbursed as result of execution issued against him on account of his acts as employee of Fire Department.

M. Lillian Gately, for compensation for damage to property at 12 Ely road, Dorchester, caused by break in water main.

Grandberg Brothers Wallpaper Corporation, for compensation for damage to property at 268-272 Summer street, Boston, caused by break in water line.

Margaret A. Ilaigis, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Curtis Hall Swimming Pool.

Douglas H. Kay, for compensation for damage to property at 224 Kelton street, Allston, caused by backing up of sewage.

William F. Keefe, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Fire Department.

Herbert H. Landy, for compensation for damage to property caused by Police Department motor vehicle.

Anna Lasco, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 26 Central square, East Boston.

William L. Little, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect in Walk Hill street, Dorchester.

Elizabeth Malloy, for compensation for loss of coat at Boston Sanatorium.

Rogelio Martinez, for compensation for damage to car by City of Boston truck.

Hazel Mays, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Opera place.

Frank McLean, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Police Department.

J. Josepb O'Meara, for compensation for damage to car by City of Boston vehicle.

Leo J. O'Rourke, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect in Walk Hill street, Dorchester.

Michael J. Picco, to be reimbursed as result of execution issued against him on account of his acts as employee of Public Works Department, Highway Division.

Frances Pittella, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 162 Marion street, East Boston.

Kay Sherman, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Beacon street and Cleveland Circle.

Donald and Evelyn Smart, for compensation for damage to property at 149 Eustis street, Roxbury, caused by water entering basement.

John A. Smith, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Woodrow Wilson High School.

Julia M. Suprenard, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at State street, near corner of Devonshire street.

Mary Williams, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Washington and Beethoven streets, Jamaica Plain.

PETITION FOR ANNUITY.

Petition of Mary Montague to be paid annuity on account of death of her husband, Edward J. Montague, late member of the Police Department.

Referred to the Committee on Claims.

APPROVAL OF STATE HOUSING BOARD.

Notice was received from the State Housing Board of approval of sale of two parcels of property under section 6 of chapter 372 of the Acts of 1946.

Placed on file.

NOTICE FROM METROPOLITAN DISTRICT COMMISSION.

Notice was received from the Metropolitan District Commission of taking of land of City of Boston (William H. Garvey Playground) for easement.

On motion of Councillor Piemonte, the foregoing notice was referred to the Executive Committee.

NOTICE FROM STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

A communication was received from the Department of Public Works transmitting copy of order of layout and taking of altered location of section of state highway (John F. Fitzgerald Expressway).

Placed on file.

RECESS.

On motion of Councillor Ahearn, the Council voted to take a recess at 2.40 P.M., subject to the call of the Chair. The members reassembled in the Council Chamber and were called to order by Chairman Piemonte at 3.40 P.M.

LEASE OF CITY PROPERTY TO CARMINE DANTONI POST NO. 13, AMVETS.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Ordered, That the Fire Commissioner be, and he hereby is, authorized, in the name and behalf of the City of Boston, with the approval of the Mayor, and in form satisfactory to the Law Department, to lease to the Carmine Dantoni Post No. 13, Amvets, that part of the building formerly occupied by the Fire Department in the rear of 521 Commercial street, Boston, on such terms and conditions as said Fire Commissioner may deem advisable.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

TEMPORARY APPOINTMENTS, CLERK OF COMMITTEES DEPARTMENT.

Coun. WHITE offered the following:

Ordered, That effective October 26, 1955, the following persons be, and they hereby are, appointed in the service of the Clerk of Committees Department to the positions set against their respective names until the fourth Wednesday of November, 1955, at the salaries in effect for them on October 25, 1955.

Francis R. Burke, Peter J. Cloherty, Paul G. O'Hara, temporary clerks; Nicholas DiMella, Catherine E. Dunn, Catherine Monahan, Frances B. Winn, temporary stenographer clerks; Agnes G. Dinsmore, temporary clerk-receptionist.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

NIGHT LIGHTING EQUIPMENT, EAST BOSTON STADIUM.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That the Board of Parks and Recreation be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to determine the advisability and expense of equipping the East Boston Stadium with a permanent illumination system suitable for night football.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

CHANGE OF TIME OF EVACUATION DAY PARADE.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Whereas, Each year, happily, the annual Evacuation Day Parade is becoming longer; and

Whereas, Each year more and younger children participate in the parade; and

Whereas, The finish of the parade now occurs after dark; and

Whereas, In the middle of March the probability of low temperatures is great; and

Whereas, The late finish of the parade causes traffic snarls of Olympian proportions; be it therefore

Resolved, That the Boston City Council very seriously renews its suggestion of last spring that the parade begin at noontime or at some earlier time than is presently the policy so that, first of all, the young children in the parade may not be exposed to the rawness of a mid-March day after sundown; secondly, so that the spectators, including large numbers of children, may witness the parade without extreme discomfort from late afternoon temperatures; and, thirdly, so that the traffic situation caused by the clash of the parade route and the home-bound traffic may be ameliorated; and be it further

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor be requested to forward this to the Allied Veterans Council in South Boston for the attention of the Council with such comment as his Honor may see fit to make.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

MEETING OF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

Coun. WHITE announced that there would be a meeting of the Executive Committee on Friday, November 4, 1955, at 11 A.M., to have the second publicly advertised hearing on group insurance, etc., for city and county employees.

GROUP INSURANCE FOR CITY AND COUNTY EMPLOYEES.

Coun. WHITE offered the following:

Moved: That the Council complete its plans for the insurance bills before the first of December so that the Executive Committee can make their recommendations, and then conduct another public hearing before all city and county employees to see if the plans submitted by the City Council meet with everybody's meticulous approval.

The motion was carried.

LAUNCHING RAMPS FOR SMALL BOATS.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be requested to ask the consideration of the Board of Parks and Recreation of a proposal to construct launching ramps at East Boston, Charles River Basin, City Point, and suitable point or points in Dorchester, for the launching of small boats customarily towed to shoreline by automobile on light trailers;

That the Board of Parks and Recreation be requested to consider the desirability of such ramps, the expense involved, and the agency of government which should construct the ramps;

That the Board of Parks and Recreation be requested at its convenience to communicate its opinion officially to the Mayor and Council upon completion of its discussions on this matter.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

INTEGRATED SHOPPING AREA CONCEPT FOR DOWNTOWN BOSTON.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Whereas, The downtown business area in Boston is of vital importance to the preservation of Boston's economy; and

Whereas, The said downtown business area is meeting increased competition from integrated suburban shopping centers; be it therefore

Resolved, That the Boston City Council feels that an integrated shopping area concept for downtown Boston is necessary for its survival and prosperity; and be it further

Resolved, That in furtherance of this concept the Council offers the following suggestions:

1. That a downtown shopping area be delineated.

2. That within this area radiating from the subway intersection at Washington Street Station free passageways through the various stores in the area be laid out so that customers may walk from one end of the area to the other through the retail stores.

3. That such passageways also be laid out from the shoppers' parking garages to be constructed to service the area.

4. That free shuttle service between Washington and Park Street Subways be made available for shoppers in the area.

5. That the sidewalks in the area be completely equipped with electric heating coils to eliminate snow.

6. That a rapid delivery service operate in the area to take packages from the stores to the parking garages or MTA station checkroom from which a given customer is to leave the area.

And be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Boston Retail Trade Board.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

SURVEY OF TRAFFIC CONDITIONS ON BUNKER HILL STREET, CHARLESTOWN.

Coun. AHEARN offered the following:

Whereas, A serious traffic problem exists on Bunker Hill street, Charlestown, due to the number and speed of vehicles during certain rush hours of the day; and

Whereas, This traffic problem creates a danger to life and limb and especially a hazard to children in the housing project and neighboring homes; therefore, be it

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor direct the Traffic Commissioner to conduct a survey of traffic conditions on Bunker Hill street, Charlestown, with a view to making Bunker Hill street a through way and erecting "Stop" signs at all streets intersecting Bunker Hill street, or taking such other appropriate action needed, as shown by the survey.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

SURVEY OF LIGHTING CONDITIONS AT HILLBURN AND WHITFORD STREETS.

Coun. AHEARN offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor is hereby requested to direct the Commissioner of Public Works to make a survey of lighting conditions at the corner of Hillburn and Whitford streets, West Roxbury, with a view to installing a new street light at or near this dangerous intersection.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

SURVEY OF TRAFFIC CONDITIONS AT MONUMENT SQUARE, CHARLESTOWN.

Coun. AHEARN offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor is hereby requested to direct the Traffic Commissioner to make a survey of traffic conditions at Monument square, Charlestown, with a view to erecting or painting "Slow" signs where necessary.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

CONGRATULATIONS TO GREATER BOSTON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

Coun. AHEARN offered the following:

Whereas, The "Salute to Rome" to be observed between November 27 and December 3, 1955, was originated and sponsored by the Greater Boston Chamber of Commerce; and

Whereas, This gesture is a commendable one, deserving the support of our city; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, hereby congratulates the Greater Boston Chamber of Commerce for sponsoring a "Salute to Rome" and assures the Chamber of the full cooperation of the Boston City Council in this matter.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

RESTORATION OF CERTAIN MTA SERVICE IN CHARLESTOWN.

Coun. HAILER offered the following:

Ordered, That the City Council, through his Honor the Mayor, request the MTA to restore Sunday, Saturday, and holiday transportation along the Main Street area of Charlestown.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

PRAISE TO RAILROAD COMMUNITY COMMITTEE.

Coun. HAILER offered the following:

Whereas, The taxes which the railroads in Boston will pay to the City of Boston will exceed $4,600,000; and

Whereas, The tax money will be paid simultaneously by all the railroads on Monday, October 31, 1955; be it

Resolved, That the Boston City Council herein assembled does hereby praise the Railroad Community Committee for setting such a historic precedent.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

STUDY OF TRAFFIC CONDITIONS AT COLUMBUS AVENUE AND CENTRE STREET.

Coun. HAILER offered the following:

Ordered, That the Traffic Commissioner, through his Honor the Mayor, make a complete study of the traffic condition at the intersection of Columbus avenue and Centre street in the Jackson Square section of Roxbury, along with the Commissioner of Public Works, relative to the possibility of erecting construction to alleviate the congestion.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

SURVEY ON REVALUATION AND REASSESSMENT OF NEW YORK STREETS AREA.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Whereas, The Boston City Council has deliberated twice upon a proposed revaluation of all real property in the City of Boston; and

Whereas, The problem as seen by the Council subdivides into two separate and distinct parts, namely,

(1) A general revaluation of all property in the city; and

(2) The establishment of a scientific, predictable, rational, widely promulgated, and generally understood assessment policy on commercial and industrial properties in Boston to encourage particularly new commercial and industrial real estate construction in the city as well as to sustain the true worth of older commercial buildings in Boston; and

Whereas, Such commonly understood "rules of the game" established by the City of Boston and publicly announced beforehand would be a tremendous and indispensable stimulus to the encouragement of private investment in the New York Streets Area now being cleared under urban redevelopment; be it therefore

Resolved, That the Boston City Council suggests to his Honor the Mayor that a survey be immediately undertaken by private experts on revaluation and reassessment of the New York Streets Area; that such a survey be aimed toward the establishment of a definite land value map of the area and the establishment and promulgation by the City of Boston as a matter of honor of definite standards of measurement of building values to be applied to the buildings constructed in the area; and be it further

Resolved, That such a survey be immediately commenced with the intent of making it possible for the Urban Redevelopment Authority to state to prospective redevelopers what assessment practices their investments will be subjected to; and be it further

Resolved, That the Boston City Council will support by appropriations a survey by a private expert agency of a land value survey of the New York Streets Area with intention of establishing definite land and building valuations for that area when it is redeveloped.

On motion of Councillor McCormack, the resolution was referred to the Executive Committee.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. WHITE, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following:

1. Report on the message of the Mayor and order (referred October 17) for transfer of appropriation of $52,000 from the Reserve Fund to the Penal Institutions Department, House of Correction—that same ought to pass.

The report was accepted, and the order was passed, yeas 7, nays 0:

Yeas—Councillors Ahearn, Foley, Kerrigan, McCormack, McLaughlin, Piemonte, White—7.

Nays—0.

2. Report on message of the Mayor and 5 orders (referred today) for naming of squares in honor of deceased veterans—that same ought to pass.

The report was accepted, and the orders were severally passed.

3. Report on message of the Mayor (referred today) concerning comparative tax rates of various cities and towns in the Commonwealth in the past five years—submitting a partial report recommending passage of the following order:

Ordered, That the communication of his Honor the Mayor and the schedule of the tax rate comparisons of the various cities and towns in the metropolitan Boston area and the tax rate comparisons of the larger cities of Massachusetts drawn in accordance with the order filed October 10, 1955, by Councillor Piemonte and adopted by the Boston City Council, be printed and enclosed in the next mailing of the water bills of the city.

The report was accepted, and the order was passed.

4. Report on message of the Mayor (referred today) re holding election for bargaining unit in the Fire Department—submitting a partial report recommending passage of the following motion:

Moved: That the Fire Commissioner, the President and Vice President of Local 718, A. F. of L., be invited to appear before the Executive Committee of the Boston City Council on Monday, November 14, 1955, at 3 P.M., to discuss the letter of the Fire Commissioner dated October 24, 1955, and the election of a bargaining agent in the Boston Fire Department.

The report was accepted, and the motion was carried.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFIRMATIONS.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN, for the Committee on Confirmations, submitted the following:

Report on appointments by the Mayor (referred October 24) of David Kaplan and George Demetrios Lamhrenos as constables with authority to serve civil process upon filing of bond, for term ending April 30, 1956—recommending that appointments be confirmed.

The report was accepted, and the question came on confirmation. Committee, Councillors McCormack and McLaughlin. Whole number of ballots 8, yeas 8, and the appointments were confirmed.

RESURFACING EASTMAN STREET.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works be requested by his Honor the Mayor to take immediate steps to properly resurface Eastman street in the Dorchester section of the City of Boston.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

TRAFFIC LIGHTS AT E AND WEST THIRD STREETS, SOUTH BOSTON.

Coun. McCORMACK, FOLEY, and KERRIGAN offered the following:

Ordered, That the Traffic Commissioner be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to install traffic signals at the junction of E and West Third streets, outside St. Vincent's Church, South Boston.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

THE NEXT MEETING.

On motion of Councillor Kerrigan, the Council voted that when it adjourn it be to meet on Monday, November 14, 1955, at 2 P.M.

Adjourned at 4.20 P.M., on motion of Councillor McLaughlin, to meet on Monday, November 14, 1955, at 2 P.M.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

(Stenographic copy of such debate on file in office of City Clerk.)

In a move to combat juvenile crime, Mayor Wagner of New York City asked Corporation Counsel A. P. Burke to seek the aid of the courts in ridding the bookstores and newsstands of comic books which teach disrespect for law and order and incite crime. The state supreme court, it was indicated, will be asked to grant injunctions against publication, distribution, or sale of several magazines in this category. Police Commissioner F. H. Adams laid the blame for recent "terrible juvenile crimes" on the influence of this type of magazine. Many, he said, are published secretly, and sold "under the counter."

PROCEEDINGS OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Aug. 30, 1955.

A special meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, at 7:58 P.M., the Chairman presiding.

Present: Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Museo, and Ward.

IN MEMORIAM

A communication was received from the Secretary, under date of Aug. 30, 1955, regretfully reporting the death of Constance Y. Adnoff, assistant in the office of the Business Manager, on Aug. 14, 1955.

Placed on file.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Aug. 30, 1955, regretfully reporting the death of the following-named senior building custodian who had been retired on pension under the provisions of the Veterans' Pension System:

Sherwin School—William C. Desmond, Aug. 22, 1955

Placed on file.

The School Committee requested that a letter of condolence, to be signed by the Secretary, be sent to the bereaved families.

WITHDRAWAL OF ASSIGNMENT

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Aug. 30, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, and at the request of the teacher concerned, he has withdrawn the assignment of the following-named teacher as presented and approved at the meeting of June 27, 1955:

Boston Trade High School—Philip F. Mackey, senior instructor to Boston Technical High School, Sept. 1, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the withdrawal of appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Museo, and Ward—5

NAYS—0

LEAVES OF ABSENCE

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Aug. 30, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has discontinued the leave of absence without pay granted the following-named teacher at the meeting of Jan. 17, 1955 (see p. 30), to take effect on the date stated:

Department of Home Economics—Joan M. Johnson, teacher of clothing, elementary, Aug. 31, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the discontinuance of leave of absence was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5

NAYS—0

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Aug. 30, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has discontinued the leave of absence for maternity granted the following-named teacher at the meeting of Mar. 7, 1955 (sec p. 94), to take effect on the date stated:

Department of Home Economics—Sylvia H. O'Donnell, teacher of clothing, junior high, Aug. 31, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the discontinuance of leave of absence was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5

NAYS—0

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Aug. 30, 1955, recommending that leave of absence without pay for maternity be granted the following-named teachers, to take effect on the dates indicated and to continue until terminated by the Superintendent with the approval of the School Committee, provided that such leave shall be for a period of at least three months after the date of birth and provided further that no such leave shall in any event exceed eighteen months:

James A. Garfield District—Jeanne Curtis, teacher, elementary, Sept. 1, 1955.

Department of Home Economics—Marguerite R. White, teacher of clothing, elementary, Aug. 4, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the leaves of absence without pay were granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Mesrs. Lee, Musco,, and Ward—5

NAYS—0

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TERMINATION OF SERVICES OF SCHOOL PHYSICIANS

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That, in accordance with the provisions of Section 284 of the Regulations, the service of the following-named school physicians, Department of School Hygiene, is hereby terminated as of Aug. 31, 1955:

Dr. Francis G. Barnum, Dr. Francis J. Doherty, Dr. Martin J. English, Dr. Gaetano Praino, Dr. Carlisle Reed, Dr. Edmund A. Rogers, and Dr. Solomon H. Rubin.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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SUSPENSION OF SECTION 325 OF REGULATIONS

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the operation of the amendment to Section 325 of the regulations, pertaining to increases and reductions in compensation of employees, the inclusion therof in the annual budget, and hearings thereon, after due notice, in the month of February, is hereby suspended up to and including Aug. 31, 1955.

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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SALARY AND ADJUSTMENT ORDERS

The Secretary read the following:

A. ORDERED, That in addition to any increment accruing by reason of his or her anniversary date and provided for by the salary schedule orders to be adopted by this Committee this day, every person serving in a rank hereinafter named in this order receive, effective September 1, 1955, a one hundred and twenty dollar ($120) increase in his annual salary, provided that in no event shall any such person receive more than the maximum salary prescribed for his rank by said salary schedule orders:

LATIN AND DAY HIGH SCHOOLS

Head Masters
Heads of Departments
Co-ordinators
Master's with Master's degree or equivalent
Assistants with Master's degree or equivalent
Junior Masters with Master's degree
Assistants with Master's degree
Librarians with Master's degree
Junior Masters with Bachelor's degree or equivalent.
Assistants with Bachelor's degree or equivalent
Co-operative Instructors with Bachelor's degree or equivalent
Senior Instructors, Mechanic Arts with Bachelor's degree or equivalent
Instructors, Mechanic Arts with Bachelor's degree or equivalent
Librarian with Bachelor's degree or equivalent.
Industrial Instructors with Bachelor's degree or equivalent
Assistant Instructor, Salesmanship with Bachelor's degree or equivalent
Assistant Instructor, Home Nursing with Bachelor's degree or equivalent
Assistant Instructor, Free-hand Drawing with Bachelor's degree or equivalent
Co-operative Instructors
Senior Instructors, Mechanic Arts
Instructors, Mechanic Arts

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BOSTON CLERICAL SCHOOL

Head Master
Senior Instructors with Master's degree or equivalent.
Senior Assistants with Master's degree or equivalent.
Instructors
Assistants

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BOSTON TRADE HIGH SCHOOL

Head Master
Shop Superintendent
Division Heads
Senior Instructors with Master's degree or equivalent.
Librarian with Bachelor's degree or equivalent
Trade Instructors

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TRADE HIGH SCHOOL FOR GIRLS

Head Master
Head of Department, Certificate IV.
Senior Assistants with Master's degree or equivalent
Industrial Instructors with Bachelor's degree or equivalent
Teachers, High School XXXI. (Women)

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CONTINUATION SCHOOL CLASSES

Senior Instructor with Master's degree or equivalent
Senior Assistant with Master's degree

—

ELEMENTARY SUPERVISORS

Elementary Supervisors

—

DEPARTMENT OF PRACTICE AND TRAINING

Assistant Directors

—

DEPARTMENT OF SPECIAL CLASSES

Assistant Director
Supervisor of Handicraft

—

DEPARTMENT OF FINE ARTS

Supervisor in Fine Arts

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DEPARTMENT OF HOME ECONOMICS

Assistant Director

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DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL ARTS

Assistant Directors
Assistant in Industrial Arts
Shop Supervisor

DEPARTMENT OF MUSIC

Assistant Directors
Supervisors of Bands and Orchestras
Supervisors in Vocal Music
Supervisors of Drum and Bugle Corps

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VISUAL AND RADIO EDUCATION

Junior Master with Master's degree

—

DEPARTMENT OF VOCATIONAL GUIDANCE

Vocational Instructors
Vocational Assistants

—

DIVISION OF JUVENILE ADJUSTMENT

Teachers of Juvenile Adjustment with Master's degree

—

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL HYGIENE

Supervising Nurse

—

DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Assistant Directors
Masters, Military Science with Master's degree
Masters, Physical Education with Master's degree
Junior Masters, Physical Education with Master's degree
Junior Masters, Military Science with Master's degree
Assistants, High School, Physical Education with Master's degree
Junior Masters, Physical Education, with Bachelor's degree or equivalent
Junior Master, Military Science

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Mr. Carr: Madam Chairman, that looks like the reading of this salary schedule, but I was wondering. This is the $120. Everybody is to receive the $120 under the single salary schedule—is that right, Madam Secretary? Is that what you read that for?

Secretary: Miss Sheehan, tell me, please?

Miss Sheehan: Yes, the $120.

Mr. Carr: Are the heads of departments in there?

Miss Sheehan: If there are any heads of departments who are not on maximum salary, they would get it.

Mr. Carr: How about the coordinators, and the guidance counsellors?

Miss Sheehan: The coordinators, if they are on their maximum, will not get it. I believe all the guidance counsellors are on their maximum, so they are not included in this group.

Mr. Carr: How about the division heads at Trade School?

Miss Sheehan: Yes, they are included, She read those.

Mr. Lee: Madam Chairman, I have a parlimentary point here, or, perhaps, more properly, a point of information on which you or the Superintendent might help me.

As Mr. Carr points out these types of teachers and directors listed here, are repeated, I think, in every case in another part of the single salary schedule, and in what has just been read there is reference only—or primarily—to $120 proposed increase for these certain people.

Now there seems to be a good deal of sentiment—at least a proposal—that among those people are certain ones that are now getting less than others—that is, teachers getting less than other teachers—and more particularly of industrial subjects and the like getting less than those in the academic field. As I say, there is a question of giving them a salary schedule that would be at least the same as the salary schedule of those teaching academic subjects, which is now higher than theirs.

What I would like concretely to ask the Superintendent is this. If we vote Yes on the order just read and then turn to page 3 of the salary schedule, or, I should say, pages 2 and 3 of the salary schedule—and then if a vote did prevail to place the maximum of virtually all teachers on that page the same as the present highest maximum, where does that leave the $120?

In other words, the $120, it would seem, would be swallowed up in a bigger increase, or is it a matter of giving $120 beyond the annual increment to those who have not reached their maximum and then setting a maximum?

Superintendent: That is the point.

Mr. Lee: And then setting the maximum as a separate vote?

Superintendent: That is right.

Mr. Lee: And these two orders do not conflict?

Superintendent: That is true, Mr. Lee. Just as you have said, this particular order is for $120 to these various ranks, to those who are not on maximum, and that would be in addition to the regular increment of $144.

For example, take a head of department on maximum. He will not get the $120 by this order for the reason that it says, "But in no event shall any such person receive more than the maximum salary prescribed for his rank by said salary schedule orders."

Mr. Carr: Which maximum? Is this the eventual maximum that you speak of under single salary, or is it the old maximum?

Superintendent: Madam Chairman and Mr. Carr, if you turn to page 2 of the salary schedule you will find that. You were speaking, Mr. Carr, of heads of departments?

Mr. Carr: That is right.

Superintendent: And coordinators and guidance counsellors?

Mr. Carr: Yes.

Superintendent: Well, the first year would be, according to your decision in March, $4872, $144, $6336.

Now Mr. Lee asks, "Does this order conflict in any way with this here?" No, because $120 is for those, as it says here, who have not yet reached their maximum.

Chairman: Which is $6336?

Superintendent: Which is $6336.

Mr. Carr: Is that their maximum under single salary?

Superintendent: Yes, with the policy defined last year by the Committee of an eventual $6500 shown in one of the orders towards the end here. It is page 19.

Chairman: Does that answer it for you, Mr. Lee?

Mr. Lee: Yes. In other words, just to make sure of this, if there is a favorable vote on this, it does not preclude our adjusting the maximums of certain less well paid teachers as they appear on page 2?

Superintendent: That is true. It won't interfere.

Mr. Lee: Does that same line of reasoning apply to directors that you just gave me? I would think there would be a conflict there, Mr. Superintendent.

Chairman: The orders affecting directors are attached.

Secretary: We are going to read them in the next order. It is a different one.

Mr. Lee: No, there are directors here. There are four.

Superintendent: That is right. Those directors, Mr. Lee, will get $120 by this order, and also—

Miss Sheehan: No.

Superintendent: Why are they in here, Miss Sheehan?

Miss Sheehan: We made changes while you were out.

Superintendent: You haven't made them in Mr. Lee's copy, have you?

Secretary: We made changes only on ours.

Miss Sheehan: We made them on Miss Reynolds' copy. By your action—

Superintendent: Excuse me, Miss Sheehan.

Mr. Lee: Miss Reynolds did not read "Director."

Secretary: No, I did not read "Director" in here at all.

Superintendent: You have directors on yours because during the time we were out to lunch Miss Sheehan and Miss O'Brien struck off "Directors" because the directors are coming under another order which will be read later on.

Superintendent: Does that answer it?

Chairman: Yes, Mr. Ward?

Mr. Ward: This is part of that single salary, is it?

Superintendent: That is right.

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On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

Mr. Carr: Yes.
Mr. Lee: Yes.
Mr. Musco: Yes.

Mr. Ward: Yes, as an increase in salary.
Chairman: Yes.

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The Secretary read the following:

B. ORDERED, That in addition to any increment accruing by reason of his or her anniversary date and provided for by the salary schedule orders to be adopted by this Committee this day, every person serving in a rank hereinafter named in this order receive, effective September 1, 1955, a one hundred and eighty dollar ($180) increase in his annual salary, provided, that in no event shall any such person receive more than the maximum salary prescribed for his rank by said salary schedule orders:

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LATIN AND DAY HIGH SCHOOLS

Industrial Instructor
Assistant Instructor, Salesmanship
Assistant Instructor, Home Nursing
Assistant Instructor, Free-hand Drawing
Shop Instructors in Co-operative Branches
Teacher, Permanent Substitute

—

BOSTON TRADE HIGH SCHOOL

Shop Instructors

—

TRADE HIGH SCHOOL FOR GIRLS

Industrial Instructors
Trade Assistants

—

DAY ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS AND DAY JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOLS

Principals
Submasters
Vice Principals
Teachers, Junior High
Teachers, Elementary
Teacher, Permanent Substitute

—

DEPARTMENT OF KINDERGARTENS

Teachers

—

HORACE MANN SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF

Principal
Vice Principal
Assistants

—

M. GERTRUDE GODVIN SCHOOL

Principal
Submaster
Vice Principal
Teachers, Junior High
Teachers, Elementary

—

BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL SCHOOL

Assistant

CLASSES FOR CONSERVATION OF EYESIGHT

Assistant in Charge
Assistants

—

LIPREADING CLASSES

Assistant in Charge
Assistants

—

SPEECH IMPROVEMENT CLASSES

Assistants

—

INSTRUCTION OF PHYSICALLY HANDICAPPED CHILDREN

Teachers
Teachers, Permanent Substitutes

—

DEPARTMENT OF SPECIAL CLASSES

Submaster
Vice Principals
Assistants

—

DEPARTMENT OF HOME ECONOMICS

Teachers of Foods, Junior High
Teachers of Millinery, Junior High
Teachers of Clothing, Junior High
Teachers of Clothing, Elementary

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DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL ARTS

Shop Foremen
Shop Foreman, Horace Mann School
Shop Instructor, M. Gertrude Godvin School
Shop Instructors
Instructor in Industrial Arts, Special Classes

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DEPARTMENT OF MUSIC

Instructors of Band and Orchestral Instruments

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VISUAL AND RADIO EDUCATION

Technicians
Junior High School Maintenance Assistant.

—

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL HYGIENE

Assistant Supervising Nurses
School Nurses

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DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Instructors, Military Science
Teachers, Junior High, Physical Education
Assistant Instructor, Physical Education

DAY SCHOOL FOR IMMIGRANTS

Teachers, Permanent Substitutes

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Mr. Lee: Madam Chairman, I move an amendment to this order with reference to the first page wherein I would move that beside the words "Teachers, elementary," be added the words, "who have not attained maximum salary."

If I might argue that motion, Madam Chairman, I think you know the thoughts I have expressed before,—that what counts with the young women teachers or with women teachers entering the teaching profession is the salary they will receive in their early years and that virtually every young woman expects to get married by the time she is thirty. And what a teacher might receive if she continued to teach after that is of small moment to her. What counts is the opening salaries; and, as you see, I have suggested no change there. But I have suggested that ultimate salaries—after years of teaching—be not as large as this additional $180 would make them.

Then, also, I have in mind that by and large women are better teachers, at least in the four lower grades of elementary schools, than men. Men do notice what the ultimate maximum would be: and if you adopt this amendment, you will leave a lower maximum only in elementary school: and men, whose career is not interrupted by marriage, will look toward teaching in high school or junior high school, where the maximums go higher.

So that by extending only the minimum salaries by $180 and not the maximum, in elementary school, you will still get the finest young women, who only look to their early years as being their years for teaching. And you will not be diverting into elementary school more men than you want. Rather, you will be leaving a more appealing maximum salary to attract the men into junior high school and into senior high school.

And my last point is one that has been with me not only during this term on the School Committee, but years ago, where it seemed to me the school system was placing itself in competition with Cupid. We know that dollars are an expression of our love, that these proceedings are a battle of generosity, as I said before—a battle of generosity, with generosity, and for generosity—the teachers battling with their generosity as teachers for our dollars, and we battling with the generosity of our dollars for their teaching services.

But if we offer lavish or, let's say, more money than last year for our women teachers on maximum, it makes a somewhat difficult problem, I think, in their

individual lives, where they feel the pull of our gratifying financial offers, on the one hand, and Cupid has trouble making as good an offer, on the other.

I think, Madam Chairman, that my argument is greatly bolstered tonight, by your very gracious presence. Your hand has been sued for by the public of Boston but they didn't express their love in the $10,000 salary which you richly deserved and never got. And so, when the choice came to you of continuing in the school career or retiring into private life, while you would have made the wisest and noblest decision in any case, yet at least you didn't have the same problem of rejecting the $10,000 or the $5000 salary that the teacher must reject when she retires to make a home and family of her own. And, being a moderate person, I conclude by saying, "Let us leave the maximum salaries for women teachers as they are and hope they will all follow in the footsteps of our gracious chairlady."

Chairman: Do you want to vote on Mr. Lee's amendment?

Mr. Carr: Read the order.

Secretary: Mr. Lee's motion was to amend on page 1, "Teachers, elementary" by adding the words, "who have not attained maximum salary."

Mr. Carr: And leave them at their present salary?

Mr. Lee: Yes.

Mr. Carr: Would this exclude them from the $180? This would exclude them from the $180 proposed step in the single salary, is that right?

Mr. Lee: Yes.

Mr. Carr: You want to leave them where they are now?

Mr. Lee: Yes, the elementary women on maximum.

Chairman: Do you want to call the roll on Mr. Lee's amendment?

Mr. Musco: What about the high school group?

Mr. Lee: My amendment makes no reference to them.

Mr. Ward: This will deprive the women of a raise in salary, is that correct?

Mr. Carr: Women on maximum.

Mr. Lee: Only those on maximum.

Mr. Carr: If they are on maximum, they don't get the $180, do they?

Superintendent: That is right.

Chairman: Mr. Lee, I have been informed by Miss Sheehan that your amendment would take effect better if applied to a subsequent order that will come before us.

Superintendent: Yes, the present order that you are seeking to amend, Mr. Lee, is worded so that the proposed extra increase of $180 in it for certain personnel in no case brings any salary beyond the maxima to be fixed in a subsequent motion soon to be taken up.

By withdrawing your amendment now, Mr. Lee, you can apply it to a subsequent motion fixing maximum salaries wherever the Committee decides.

Mr. Lee: That is all right with me. I withdraw my amendment here. I will vote for $180 increase in salaries for the persons listed in this main motion, subject to such ceilings or maximums as will grant or withhold such increases respecting persons now on maximum, as the Committee may later decide.

Chairman: We will go ahead and vote on the order as read by Miss Reynolds. We will get back to the roll call, Miss Reynolds.

Secretary: Then that is out.

Then this is the roll call on the order as originally read.

Chairman: Yes, as read.

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On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

Mr. Carr: Yes

Mr. Lee: Yes

Mr. Musco: Yes

Mr. Ward: Yes, as an increase in salary

Chairman: Yes

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SALARY SCHEDULE, 1955-56

The following twenty-seven orders establishing a Salary Schedule, with increments, for teachers, members of the supervising staff and others, for the year ending Aug. 31, 1956, were read by the Secretary:

1. ORDERED, That effective as of September 1, 1955, the salaries of teachers, members of the supervising staff and others are hereby established for the school year September 1, 1955, to August 31, 1956, inclusive, in accordance with the following schedule and subject to the following adjustments or limitations.

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

Yeas—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5

NAYS - 0

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2. ORDERED, That during the period commencing September 1, 1955, and ending August 31, 1956, teachers, members of the supervising staff and others who on August 31, 1955, shall not have reached the maximum of their salary schedules, shall be advanced in accordance with the provisions of the regulations on their respective anniversaries by the amount of the annual increment provided for in the following schedules until the maxima of their respective ranks are reached; provided that the final increment shall be such as shall place the person upon the maximum salary of his rank.

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0

3. ORDERED, That in adopting this salary schedule the School Committee reserves the right, in the event that the General Court of Massachusetts does not grant the School Committee in 1956 power to appropriate, or the Mayor and City Council of Boston do not appropriate, a sum sufficient in the opinion of the School Committee to pay in full the salaries specified in this salary schedule, to revise this salary schedule at any time between January 1, 1956, and August 31, 1956, both inclusive, by making such reductions therein as would amount in effect to no more than the amount by which this salary schedule exceeds the salary schedule of September 1, 1950, and be it further

ORDERED, That in adopting this salary schedule the School Committee reserves the right, in the event that there is not a sum sufficient in the opinion of the School Committee to pay in full the salaries specified in this salary schedule, to revise this salary schedule between September 1, 1955, and December 31, 1955, by making such reductions therein as would amount in effect to no more than the amount by which this salary schedule exceeds the salary schedule of September 1, 1954.

LATIN AND DAY HIGH SCHOOLS

	First Year	Annual Increment	Maximum
Head Masters	$7032	$144	$8136
Heads of Departments			
Coordinators			
Guidance Counselors	4872	144	6336
Masters with Master's degree or equivalent†	—	—	5736
Assistants with Master's degree or equivalent†	3504	144	5736
Masters with Bachelor's degree or equivalent*	—	—	5508
Junior Masters			
Librarians with Master's degree	3504	144	5736
Cooperative Instructors,			
Senior Instructors Mechanic Arts, with Bachelor's degree in accordance with Order #9	—	—	5736
Assistants			
Cooperative Instructors,			
Senior Instructors, Mechanic Arts			
Instructors, Mechanic Arts			
Librarians with Bachelor's degree or equivalent*	3504	144	5508
Industrial Instructors,			
Assistant Instructor, Salesmanship			
Assistant Instructor, Home Nursing			
Assistant Instructor, Free-hand Drawing with Bachelor's degree or equivalent*	3504	144	5160
Instructors, Mechanic Arts			
Cooperative Instructors			
Senior Instructors, Mechanic Arts	3504	144	5736
Industrial Instructors			
Assistant Instructor, Salesmanship			
Assistant Instructor, Home Nursing			
Assistant Instructor, Free-hand Drawing			
Shop Instructors in Cooperative Branches			
Teacher, Permanent Substitute (For teachers employed on a per diem basis, see Order No. 4)	3504	144	5112
Secretaries	2580	96	3640
Assistant Librarians	2796	96	3704

TEACHERS SPECIALLY ASSIGNED

To co-ordinators in state-aided co-operative industrial courses in day high schools, in addition to the regular salary of their rank, per day of actual service during the summer term	$15.00

To teachers in agricultural courses in day high schools assigned to summer supervision of agricultural pupil work, in addition to the regular salary of their rank, per day of actual service during the summer term $15.00

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Mr. Lee: I am not going to make a secret about it. I would move that the salary schedule as it appears on page 2, Latin and day high schools, be altered so that those salaries appearing below the salary maximum of $5736 all be increased to equal the maximum $5736. Or, it might be better to take it in groups. I think there are four figures involved. One could start with that first bracketed group of figures that occurs just below the maximum of $5736, where you first see the figure $5508, and I am moving that that figure $5508 be changed to $5736. It applies to cooperative instructors and instructors in mechanic arts.

Mr. Musco: Mr. Lee, do you realize that where you suggest $5736 it states "with Master's degree," and just below it states "with Bachelor's degree or equivalent?"

Mr. Lee: Yes, that is what I realize.

Mr. Musco: Do you intend to throw all of those educational requirements out?

Mr. Lee: I want to give recognition to the educational requirement of eight years in the industrial world and give recognition to the financial pressure.

Mr. Carr: Madam Chairman may I ask this:

We discussed yesterday the equivalency clause for the holders of Certificate XXXI.

Mr. Lee: That is another way of putting it.

Mr. Carr: And fifteen years' teaching experience. They had this equivalency clause before, Mr. Superintendent, is that right? I mean the trade teachers.

Chairman: Two or three years ago.

Mr. Carr: They had the equivalency clause; if they had Certificate XXXI and fifteen years of teaching, it gave them the same as if they had a Master's degree Is that right?

Superintendent: No. It gave them the same as if they had a Bachelor's degree.

Mr. Carr: Well, did we ever have an equivalency clause giving any of our trade teachers the equivalent of a Master's degree?

Superintendent: Not that I know of.

Chairman: Did we last year omit from the salary schedule equivalency on Bachelor's degrees?

I know that some condition which had previously existed went out of existence last year, and I think it was through oversight.

Superintendent: No, I wouldn't say it was through oversight. Madam Chairman. It was because those persons concerned had reached the maximum for the Bachelor's degree, namely $5508

Mr. Carr: They reached the maximum of those with a Bachelor's degree?

Superintendent: That is right.

Mr. Carr: And there was never any equivalency for a Master's degree?

Superintendent: That is right.

Mr. Carr: Mr. Lee, do you have in mind in your proposed revision of this the same people that I am thinking about,—those with Certificate XXXI? Do you know?

Mr. Lee: I cannot answer you as to the number of the certificate, but I am cognizant of the fact that this group appearing immediately below those whose maximum is $5736 are termed junior masters, assistants; cooperative instructors, senior instructors, mechanic arts; instructors, mechanic arts; and librarians.

Now, a more selective process might be appropriate, but merely to bring those people up to what a Bachelor's degree brings is no increase at all because they appear to be, unless I am mistaken, now listed at $5508.

Isn't that the maximum for those with Bachelor's degrees in the academic world?

Secretary: Yes.

Mr. Lee: And the whole effort here on my part,—and, I think, on the part of several teachers groups—was to make the very strict requirements of eight years in the industrial world, which we impose on these industrial teachers, plus the acute emergency we are in where it is very hard to get those men to come with us because of the attractive wages offered in industry, worth something.

I thought the whole point, and the only remedy lay in giving them an amount of money greater than what it is, and the next step greater, is the $5736. It is an increase of $200.

Mr. Musco: Madam Chairman I think we had better get this thing right, before you proceed any further. You are talking about page 2, Latin and day high schools.

The bulk of these people we are talking about, nonacademic teaching personnel, come under the trade section, and that is further along.

Mr. Carr: We are on page 2 now. Mr. Superintendent, I have a question here.

Superintendent: Yes, Mr. Carr

Mr. Carr: It says here, "In the Trade High School for Girls." I don't know, it is probably the same for the Boys, too. You have senior assistants with Master's degree or equivalent. Now what is the equivalent of a Master's degree in the Trade High School for Girls and would it be the same in the Boys' School.

Superintendent: That is defined. What page is that defined on?

Miss Sheehan: Page 18

Mr. Carr: At the Boston Trade High School you have senior instructors with Master's degree or equivalent.

Superintendent: Do you want to turn to page 18, Mr. Carr?

Mr. Carr: That is on this one here.

Superintendent: I mean in the other salary schedule. What page is this dagger on, Miss Sheehan?

Miss O'Brien: Page 13.

Mr. Musco: Mr. Superintendent, we asked for a list of names of those people last evening who were eligible for this under Certificate XXXI. and we have not received that as yet. To clarify this situation, I think that is what we are talking about,—the equivalency on a Master's degree for non-academic people. Can we have that?

Chairman: Could the Superintendent answer that?

Mr. Ward: I am now talking about Order No. 9 in the 1953-1954 salary schedule.

Secretary: Order No. 9 in the salary schedule for 1953-54 reads as follows:

"ORDERED, That effective September 1, 1953, persons serving under Certificate XXXI. or XXXI. B, who hold a Bachelor's degree or who have completed fifteen years of service under said certificate, shall be granted the maximum salary of $5496, provided they have served at least one year on the former maximum of $5232."

Mr. Carr: Madam Chairman, it says if they hold Certificate XXXI. or a Bachelor's degree—

Secretary: Certificate XXXI or XXXI. B.

Mr. Carr: Or a Bachelor's degree—or it shall be equivalent to a Bachelor's degree.

Secretary: "Effective September 1, 1953, persons serving under Certificate XXXI. or XXXI B, who hold a Bachelor's degree or who have completed fifteen years of service under said certificate shall be granted the maximum salary of $5496 provided they have served at least one year on the former maximum of $5232."

Mr. Carr: Why is that the amount?

Chairman: That was the maximum for teachers in senior high school, was it?

Secretary: Yes.

Mr. Carr: Madam Chairman, I move that we insert that order as read by the Secretary and insert the present maximum in place of what it formerly was. Insert the present maximum as the single salary schedule calls for now. That's it. That is equivalency.

Chairman: Would that in effect create equivalency, Mr. Superintendent?

Superintendent: No, I would say not, Madam Chairman.

Chairman: The intent of the Committee is to create equivalency. Now how can we go about creating equivalency?

Superintendent: I don't know how you can create equivalency for a Master's degree.

This particular order was equivalency—

Chairman: In 1953 there was equivalency, was there not? In effect was this equivalency?

Superintendent: No.

Mr. Carr: What was that?

Superintendent: I will try to explain it. In 1953 that order said that anybody who held Certificate XXXI. or XXXI.B. and held a Bachelor's degree was entitled to $5496. It also said that anyone who held Certificate XXXI.B. and had fifteen years of experience in the rank was entitled to $5496.

Now that was not put in the 1954-55 salary schedule for the reason that the persons reached the $5508 instead of the $5496.

You asked me how you are going to set up an equivalency for a Master's degree.

Mr. Carr: We don't care about the Master's degree but just so that these people will obtain the same maximum as those with a Master's degree. Just put in that order and change the maximum.

Mr. Lee: That was my motion, Mr. Carr.

Mr. Carr: I am trying to help you out, Mr. Lee.

Mr. Lee: Thank you, Mr. Carr.

Mr. Carr: I appreciate it.

Superintendent: If you tell us what you want to do, we will try to draw something up. I don't know. If you want to take the cooperative instructors who have no degrees—

Mr. Carr: Do they have a Certificate XXXI?

Superintendent: Yes. There are forty of them who hold Certificate XXXI. and there are no degree requirements for that particular position.

Chairman: What are the requirements for that particular position?

Mr. Carr: Certificate XXXI. and eight years in the trade, and four years' formal apprenticeship and two years as foreman. They have to have that before they become eligible to take XXXI. certificates, and 200 hours teacher training for a State certificate, for which they get twelve points college credit.

Then, in addition to that, they must have extensive study in mathematics and chemistry, beyond the high school level. They are eligible to take the XXXI. certificate. I think those requirements are probably as stringent as the requirements are for a Bachelor of Arts degree in many cases, or a Master's degree.

Mr. Lee: That was the point that I was trying to get across very ably expressed by Mr. Carr.

Mr. Carr: Madam Chairman, may I point out that in the event that this Committee sees fit to pass this, it would only affect about one-half or less of the teachers at Trade School holding the XXXI. certificate, as many of them have either their Bachelor's or Master's degrees.

Mr. Lee: Mr. Superintendent, would not my motion increasing this maximum to that of those with Master's degrees affect a good many teachers at Boston Technical High School and a good many teachers in various cooperative courses in the district high schools?

Mr. Carr: Yes, I think it would, Mr. Lee.

Superintendent: There are forty persons, Madam Chairman and members, at the present time, who are cooperative instructors in Latin and day high schools.

Mr. Carr: Do any of those forty already hold a Master's degree?

Superintendent: No. This group is with Bachelor's degree or equivalent, which would be fifteen years of experience.

Mr. Carr: How many of them?

Superintendent: There are thirty-six teachers, I think, at Boston Trade High School who hold no degrees.

Mr. Carr: And these thirty-six all have Certificate XXXI?

Superintendent: No.

Mr. Carr: No?

Superintendent: No. Boston Trade High School . . . .

Mr. Carr: They would not be eligible.

Superintendent: There are forty-four trade instructors who hold Certificate XXXI. There are forty-four trade instructors at the Boston Trade High School.

Mr. Carr: And how many cooperative instructors in the other schools, did you say?

Superintendent: Forty.

Mr. Carr: Madam Chairman, out of these forty-four at Trade, I think only about half of them would be affected by this, as I understand it. At least some of them already have their Master's degree.

Superintendent: Miss Sheehan says that there are thirty-six at the Boston Trade High School who do not have degrees.

Mr. Lee: I would think it might be simpler to take these persons one by one. To be sure I grouped them as a group because they had a single figure against their names for their maximum, all in one group.

Chairman: What do you mean by that, Mr. Lee?

Mr. Lee: Well, if you can get your eye on the maximum figure as now printed, $5508, you see, about a third of the way down page 2, you will understand this.

Superintendent: Do you mean $5508 which is opposite the bracket that begins with junior masters, assistants, cooperative instructors, and so forth?

Mr. Lee: Yes, that was the group I had in mind. It may be less confusing to take junior masters as bracketed in that group and consider them, and then take assistants, whatever that obscure word means, and then take cooperative instructors and go down one by one. Librarians are obviously quite different kinds of people, I would think, from an instructor in mechanic arts.

Mr. Carr: Mr. Lee, why don't you adopt that order there, or propose that order—No. 9—and change the maximum? It seems to contain everything that you want. Change the maximum to the equivalent of that under the single salary schedule of those holding Master's degrees. Wouldn't that do it?

Mr. Lee: Well, it is the same dilemma that I found myself in a while ago when I was arguing the right point in the wrong place. We do two things. We set maximums here as on this page 2 and then we pass these separate orders merely confirming what we do on page 2.

I would think we probably ought to pass both. However, since we are on page 2 and our order is now on the floor, I would think we would proceed to equate that figure to $5736.

Might I say that if you have something like that in mind, Mr Carr, you might well look at your own proposal, or the proposal put forth in the name of this Committee, and print it on page 18, as Order No. 18 in ink, where it says, "ORDERED, That the following-named persons appointed under Certificate IV. High School, with a Bachelor's degree when only a Bachelor's degree was required, shall be granted a Master's degree equivalency and shall be placed on the maximum salary of the several ranks they now respectively hold, effective Sept. 1, 1955."

That is rather ambiguous language but I would think the sense of it was to elevate those people listed below that order to the very place where I am trying to put them on the page now in question.

Mr. Carr: You will have to change the order some, Mr. Lee. There are people with Certificate XXXI. with fifteen years of service who do not hold a Bachelor's degree. Is that true, Mr. Superintendent?

Superintendent: That is right.

Mr. Carr: There are some there with Certificate XXXI., and you might have to leave out the Bachelor's degree — "with a Bachelor's degree."

Mr. Lee: Madam Chairman, it might be worth while to notice that various serious-minded teacher groups recommend the same thing. I don't hesitate to disagree with the Alliance, as you can see by my previous argument in regard to a modification in the elementary teachers' pay, but here The Teachers Alliance, if I can read their recommendations correctly, list instructors, mechanic arts; trade instructors; senior instructors, mechanic arts; cooperative instructors; trade instructors; cooperative instructors; senior instructors; and bracketing them all together they say "Classed as equivalent of A. M.," and this occurs in a document which contains their recommendations.

Mr. Carr: Do they tell you how to do it?

Mr. Lee: Why, yes. All you have to do is change the present maximums to the same maximums that those with an M. A. degree have. So after all The Teachers Alliance is made up mainly of academic teachers; and, if they see fit to recommend greater financial gratitude to the non-academics, it must have a good deal of merit to it because they are a small minority—as you say, a minority of only forty. The Alliance could well have overlooked such a small group.

Mr. Carr: Do you feel in those titles there that you are covering them all, Mr. Lee?

Mr. Lee: No. Then we go into the next bracket. I think the two last on the page, just shop instructors in cooperative branches; and teacher, permanent substitutes, might be given some different consideration, partly because they did not have such exacting requirements to meet when appointed. I don't know that librarians should be included.

Mr. Carr: Within the school system itself they must have either a degree of Bachelor or Master or a Certificate XXXI. in trade high schools. Isn't that right?

Superintendent: I think that is true.

Mr. Carr: That would cover all of them.

Superintendent: The XXXI.—that is right. Either IV. High School or Certificate XXXI.

Mr. Carr: Why wouldn't this order cover it?

"ORDERED, That the following-named persons appointed under Certificate XXXI. shall be granted a Master's degree equivalency and shall be placed on the maximum salary of the several ranks they now respectively hold, effective September 1, 1953."

Mr. Lee: Because the phrase "Master's degree equivalency" is a very vague phrase. It doesn't mention dollars but rather it says these people shall be paid according to their present ranks. I can't make it out.

Mr. Carr: Mr. Lee, we have a maximum salary for all those holding a Master's degree. We grant them $120. Is that right?

Superintendent: That is right.

Mr. Carr: We have a maximum salary for all those with a Master's degree; and, if you give these people the equivalency of a Master's degree, they should in all right, I imagine, have the same maximum.

Mr. Lee: But the order says two different things. First it says "shall be granted a Master's degree equivalency." Then it goes on to say "shall be placed on the maximum salary of the several ranks they now respectively hold."

Well, they now hold ranks, I would think, lower than the rank held by one with a Master's degree, and it doesn't say "financial equivalency." Maybe they work an equally long day or they have an equal amount of responsibility.

Mr. Carr: Mr. Lee, it has got down to whether we put an order in covering them all or reading the individual titles.

Mr. Lee: I want to go on the easiest way for the Committee without any injustice to any one group. Perhaps if the Teachers Alliance has worked carefully on this thing, they could make a suggestion.

Mr. Musco: Madam Chairman, may I summarize? Probably we can include all of the groups that we are talking about. It seems to be the consensus of some of the members of the Committee that the School Committee grant the equivalent of a Master's degree for salary purposes to those non-academic high school teachers who have always received the same salary as their colleagues holding Master's degrees.

Now, can we have the Superintendent, if there are sufficient people interested, go to work and get the details on this general order?

Superintendent: Well, it would be impossible to do it now. Do you mean to get the cost, Mr. Musco?

Mr. Carr: Get the order.

Mr. Musco: No. If we feel that this should be done, then I think the Administration should get it ready before it is in print.

Superintendent: We will try if you want it that way.

Mr. Carr: Mr. Superintendent, don't you believe that this Order No. 18 would cover it? You know the intent of this Committee.

Superintendent: I really honestly don't know the intent of the Committee.

Chairman: I think it is pretty well indicated, Mr. Haley, from several of the members that they do wish to grant equivalency to those people who are in schools where their colleagues hold Master's degrees who have had fifteen years of teaching experience;—that they be granted Master's degree equivalency.

Superintendent: Let me ask you a question. Do you want to take all the holders of Certificate XXXI? Those are cooperative instructors in the Latin and day high schools and trade instructors at the Boston Trade High School.

Mr. Carr: Yes.

Superintendent: There are forty-four of them at the Boston Trade High School; and there are forty of them in the high schools. There are eighty-four so far as I can see here quickly.

Mr. Musco: How about the Trade High School for Girls?

Superintendent: There are four. You are right, Mr. Musco. There are four Certificate XXXI. women. That makes a total of eighty-eight.

Chairman: Eighty-eight teachers.

Superintendent: May I ask a question? Does the Committee want to take those eighty-eight persons who are holding Certificate XXXI.; and, if they have had fifteen years of experience under the Certificate, advance them to the maximum salary of the junior master, namely $5736?

Mr. Lee: That is what I want to do.

Mr. Carr: Yes.

Now, Mr. Superintendent, may I ask you this?

Do you know definitely that none of these eighty-eight persons whom you speak of hold a Master's degree?

Superintendent: Well, that I couldn't answer, Mr. Carr.

Miss Sheehan: No, they don't.

Superintendent: You say that they don't?

Miss Sheehan: No. If they hold a Master's degree, their rank would be changed.

Superintendent: They would be given a IV. High School certificate if they held a Master's degree, and so they would be up in the other group, Mr. Carr,——"Masters with Master's degree."

So I think it is pretty clearcut there are eighty-eight persons.

Mr. Ward: Are there further requirements for the Technical High and Trade teacher by the State Department of Education that these teachers every year must have thirty hours of contact with the trade and a thirty-hour course of study for professional improvement. That is where the State comes in. Now that again is something else they require. Is that correct, Mr. Superintendent?

Superintendent: That is true, I think.

Mr. Ward: We have not mentioned that, have we?

Superintendent: No. Now what would you like to do, Madam Chairman and members, with the eighty-eight teachers? We will be glad to draw up an order to meet the wishes of the Committee.

Mr. Carr: Draw an order which will include an equivalency clause which will give them the same maximum as those holding Master's degrees in the particular schools in which they teach.

Superintendent: Miss Reynolds, could I see that 1953 order, please?

Mr. Carr: I think they all should be holders of Certificate XXXI. Is that right?

Chairman: That is right, with all the requirements.

(Recess.)

Mr. Ward: These are just trade teachers now we are talking about. How many do we have in XI. Special in the trades?

Superintendent: I think about ten.

Mr. Ward: Can we include those in there?

Superintendent: Well, you can. Some of the XI. Special people are at $5160, and you will move them up to $5736.?

Mr. Lee: I want to ask this. What is the reason for that, Mr. Superintendent? Why are the assistant instructors, home nursing, and so forth, at $5112?

Are they holdovers from the women's groups?

Superintendent: Yes, and they have lower certificates, Mr. Lee.

Mr. Lee: Do they require eight years out in the trade?

Superintendent: No.

Secretary: No.

Superintendent: Miss Reynolds, would you take this down?

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What I have done is to take this order and incorporate it—

Chairman: That would incorporate those groups mentioned by Mr. Lee and Mr. Carr? Would you read that again, Miss Reynolds?

Secretary: "ORDERED, That, effective September 1, 1955, persons serving under Certificate XXXI. or XXXI. B., who hold a Bachelor's degree or who have completed fifteen years of service under said certificate, shall be granted the maximum salary of $5736, provided they have served at least one year on the former maximum of $5508."

Mr. Lee: Madam Chairman, my intent was to cover men who did not hold a Bachelor's degree also but who nevertheless had served eight years in industry and are required by the State to take so many weeks' education per summer improving their technical knowledge. I don't mind taking this in sections. We could vote on just this one part.

Superintendent: Mr. Lee, I don't think you would have in mind, would you, that a person who is just appointed under Certificate XXXI. for a year should be placed on that maximum.

You must have fifteen years by this previous order under the certificate and you also must have served one year on the maximum of $5508. That was the order that was in effect in 1953, and this is the revised order putting in the new figures, and it would affect about eighty-eight people.

Chairman: Then are you ready for the roll call on that?

Mr. Lee: Then that does increase the maximum, at least of some group, to $5736, Mr. Superintendent?

Superintendent: That is right.

Mr. Lee: But I did not get your point about those who are not Bachelors. To be sure, I am not trying to start a teacher on his maximum. I assume the teacher starts on the minimum shown in this schedule that I am trying to amend, but I was trying to include those who do not have Bachelor's degrees as being eligible for this high maximum.

I don't mind taking the two considerations separately and voting one at a time, but I thought Mr. Carr's point was the same thing.

Chairman: Do you want the roll call on what the Superintendent said?

Mr. Lee: Mr. Carr's point was that these men had served eight years in industry.

Mr. Carr: That is right.

Mr. Lee: And they were required by the State to take brush-up courses every year and I did not recall his stressing having Bachelor's degrees or not.

What I am trying to get across is that this is a battle of generosity, and if industry is making generous offers to these men, we will have to come through with an equally generous offer. They are offering their services, but they will fall for a more generous offer that comes from the outside, and we will have to battle ahead with a generous offer on our part to get these men in the first place, if industry is coming forward with a generous offer on its part.

Mr. Carr: Would you read that again?

Secretary: "ORDERED, That, effective September 1, 1955, persons serving under Certificate XXXI or XXXI-B who hold a Bachelor's degree, or who have completed fifteen years of service under said certificate shall be granted the maximum salary of $5736, provided they have served at least one year on the former maximum of $5508."

Mr. Carr: Now, Madam Chairman, that would include those people with a Bachelor's degree and Certificate XXXI., wouldn't it? Suppose they had a Bachelor's degree and they lacked the fifteen years of service. They would still get equivalency of the Master's degree, right?

Secretary: Yes. It says, "or Bachelor's degree."

Superintendent: "Who hold a Bachelor's degree or who have completed fifteen years of service."

Mr. Lee: It does provide that.

Secretary: Yes.

Superintendent: It is "either . . . or."

Secretary: Either a Bachelor's degree or fifteen years.

Mr. Carr: Without the fifteen years they would still get the equivalency of the Master's degree?

Secretary: Fifteen years or a Bachelor's degree. Those who have completed fifteen years.

Mr. Lee: Without a Bachelor's degree?

Secretary: Without a Bachelor's degree.

Mr. Lee: Would you tell us again what the XXXI. and XXXI. B. means?

Superintendent: You mean the Certificate?

Mr. Lee: Yes.

Superintendent: Certificate XXXI.: Coordinators, shop superintendents, division head in the Boston Trade High School, heads of trade departments in the Trade High School for Girls; teachers, High School XXXI. (women). There is an age limitation of fifty years. Candidates must present evidence of eight years of full-time service in the trade which they intend to teach.

Training in this trade in an approved vocational school may be accepted as four of the eight years. Training in an approved technical school may be accepted as two of the required eight years.

In addition, two years' experience in charge of apprentices is required. The requirements for graduates of the Trade, Technical and General high schools are as follows,--and it gives those for Trade High School, Technical High School, and the general high schools.

Mr. Lee: Well then, Mr. Superintendent, looking down this page 2 we started on, how many of the figures bracketed against that $5508 are holders of the certificate which you mentioned?

Superintendent: Let me read this to you.

You see, that bracket reaches up to junior masters, doesn't it?

Mr. Lee: Yes.

Superintendent: There are no junior masters with Bachelor's degree or equivalent. There are no assistants.

Mr. Lee: Then they might be stricken off the page then.

Superintendent: Wait a minute. There are some assistants. There are several persons. There is another group, Madam Chairman and members, that you ought to give some thought to if you are going to do this. You know you voted last March that a group of men who came in under a Bachelor's degree and who, if replaced, would be replaced with men who have a Master's degree, would be given consideration. We have an order prepared for that.

Mr. Carr: That's right.

Superintendent: I think there are forty-two in that group.

Mr. Carr: They are listed in the order here.

Superintendent: They are listed in the order.

There is another group of twenty-one persons in the high schools.

Boston Technical High School has one man.

Boston Trade High School has one man.

There are twenty others; they hold IV. High School Certificate under what we call the seven-year privilege.

Many years ago a person came in without a degree in the commercial field or in the industrial field; and, after he had served seven years, he was granted a IV. High School Certificate. They came in under the XI. Special and after serving seven years they were granted a IV. High School Certificate.

Now, those persons hold no degree, and in that respect they are similar to the co-operative instructors, but they hold a higher certificate—IV. High School—by virtue of this process which was used twenty-five years ago. There are twenty-one of those now who are teaching in the high schools, some men and some women.

Chairman: That group is listed in Order 18, is that true?

Superintendent: No, those are in addition to Order 18.

Mr. Lee: Those are not industrial teachers in any sense—or some of them are?

Superintendent: Some of them are. Some are industrial and some are commercial.

Chairman: Does the Committee wish to have the roll call? Are you ready for the question on this order?

Mr. Carr: Yes.

Mr. Lee: You did not quite finish, Mr. Superintendent. Going down below assistants in that same column. . . .

Superintendent: There are forty cooperative instructors.

Mr. Lee: Are they covered in your order?

Superintendent: Yes. There are four senior instructors.

Mr. Lee: And they are covered too?

Superintendent: They are covered. They hold Certificate XXXI. Then there are two instructors, mechanic arts, and they are being taken care of in another order.

Mr. Lee: What about the next group, industrial instructors?

Superintendent: They hold the XI. Special. They are in the Home Economics Department. They are not in State-aided schools. There are four of those.

Mr. Lee: What about the group that I overlooked before? That is hidden beneath the figures in blue ink about the fifth item down from the top, listed with a maximum of $5508, and described as "Master's with Bachelor's degree or equivalent."

Superintendent: They are taken care of under a special order, and there are forty-two of them in that group.

Mr. Lee: So if we vote favorably on this order we will make these persons equal for all teachers mentioned. Is that true?

Mr. Carr: Madam Chairman, I think there is an order before the Committee; and before we get it amended or added to, or detracted from, I would like to see this Committee act on it.

Chairman: Are the members ready for the question? If so, will you call the roll on this order?

Mr. Carr: Read the order again.

Secretary, reading: "ORDERED, That effective September 1, 1933, persons serving under Certificate XXXI. or XXXI. B., who hold a Bachelor's degree, or who have completed fifteen years of service under said certificate, shall be granted the maximum salary of $5736, provided they have served at least one year on the former maximum of $5508."

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

Superintendent: Madam Chairman, Mr. Lee is asking about this other group here, the $5508 group. Isn't that true, Mr. Lee?

Mr. Lee: That is correct.

Superintendent: There are some men who are masters and there are some assistants, women, who fall in that second $5508 group. Do you follow me, Mr. Lee?

Mr. Lee: By the second, you mean the one higher on the page?

Superintendent: Let's talk about the one higher on the page: "Masters with Bachelor's degrees." There are about eight or ten men who came in under that seven-year privilege and hold IV. High School certificates.

Mr. Lee: Yes.

Superintendent: Now do you want to move them up to $5736?

Mr Lee: I thought they were covered in that order you mentioned.

Superintendent: No, these are just the cooperative instructors.

Chairman: Did you have a question, Mr. Carr?

Mr. Carr: Before we leave page 2, I would like to take up another group here?

Chairman: On page 2?

Mr. Carr: Yes. I just want to find out how the Committee feels.

Chairman: You want a clarification on which group?

Mr. Carr: It is on the guidance counsellor and head of division. As I understand, since the advent of single salary these people have been frozen at their present maximum pending the closing of the gap. I would like to move that this Committee give them one increment of $120 toward the eventual maximum as outlined in the policy.

Chairman: $120 or $144, Mr. Carr?

Mr. Carr: It would be $120.

Superintendent: Mr. Carr, you are referring to eighty-seven heads of departments, seven coordinators and seventeen guidance counsellors on page 2, and then you would include, I assume, Mr. Carr, the head instructors at Boston Clerical School because they were left out, you remember, two or three years ago—Mr. Stickney and Mr. Leidner?

Mr. Carr: Division head at Trade School.

Superintendent: And then the division heads at Trade School of which there are four; so you would have six, seven, seven and seventeen—

Mr. Lee: Madam Chairman, I would be opposed to that mostly on the ground that they already get $6336.

Superintendent: Mr. Lapidus is pointing out to Mr. Ward, I think, that there are some vocational instructors, too, who are in that same category. I did not mean to interrupt your line of thought but I thought that might influence you

Mr. Lee: Who are listed under the Bureau of Child Accounting?

Superintendent: That is right. So you have eighty-seven heads of departments, seven coordinators, seventeen guidance counsellors out in the high schools, two head instructors at Clerical School and four division heads. There are how many vocational instructors?

Mr. Lapidus: Four vocational instructors and five vocational assistants.

Superintendent: Nine. That is a total of 136 people.

Mr. Lee: I would be opposed to that, Madam Chairman, on the grounds that they already get a figure of some $600 greater than the classroom teacher, and they are relieved of the duties of classroom teaching.

Chairman: Shall we go on then to page 3. Page 3, Boston Clerical School.

Mr. Lee: Madam Chairman, there was that question on the lower third of page 2.

Mr. Ward: What are you going to do on that?

Mr. Lee: Excuse me, the lower half of page 2. Am I getting ahead of you, Mr. Ward?

Mr. Ward: No. In other words, Mr. Lee says he is opposed to this.

Mr. Lee: There was no vote taken. I just argued.

Mr. Ward: There was no vote taken on the matter.

Chairman: What matter is this, Mr. Ward?

Mr. Ward: These are the various departments.

Chairman: Do you want a roll call?

Mr. Carr: Sure.

Mr. Ward: Yes.

Secretary: On what?

Chairman: On Mr. Carr's motion.

Mr. Ward: Wasn't that a motion of Mr. Carr?

Secretary: I took the vote on the order pertaining to Certificate XXXI. and XXXI. B.

Chairman: This is Mr. Carr's motion concerning the heads of department, coordinators, guidance counselors, etc.

Mr. Carr: Madam Chairman, inasmuch as we are going to vote on this, how many of these are there? There are 136?

Superintendent: Let's say "approximately."

Mr. Carr: There are approximately 136 of these people. They have not received any increment while everybody else in the School Department has for two or three years. This calls for an increment of $120 and that would amount from September 1 until December 31 to around $5,000 to give them $120.

Mr. Lee: Do they have a petition in before us?

Chairman: That is right.

Mr. Carr: Yes, the heads of department and the guidance counsellors.

Mr. Lee: And the recommendation was No by the Board of Salary Adjustment?

Chairman: Yes. Do you want to call the roll?

Superintendent: Madam Chairman, may I say this: There wasn't any adverse recommendation by the Salary Board of Assistant Superintendents because this was the policy set up by the School Committee in September, 1954; and, as I told you the other night, the Salary Board did not make any recommendations in regard to a policy which had been previously set up a year ago by this Committee.

So that there is no adverse report on this by the Salary Board. It was never before them. At least it was not before them in the sense that the Salary Board was not going to change the policy that the School Committee set down.

And then there are the vocational instructors and the vocational assistants at 45 Myrtle Street.

Mr. Lee: Madam Chairman, as I say, I am voting No on this.

Chairman: I am voting No, too. Call the roll, Miss Reynolds.

Secretary: Mr. Carr moves that the maximum salary of heads of department, coordinators, guidance counsellors, Latin and day high schools; head instructors, Boston Clerical School; guidance counsellor at Boston Trade High School; division head, Boston Trade High School, guidance counsellor at Trade High School for Girls; heads of departments, Certificate IV., Trade High School for Girls; and vocational instructors and vocational assistants in the Department of Vocational Guidance; be increased $120 a year, effective Sept. 1, 1955.

Mr. Lee: Just for information, does this take in the vocational counsellors in the Department of Vocational Guidance?

Superintendent: That is right.

Mr. Lee: Even now they are some $700 ahead of the Juvenile Adjustment counsellors there?

Superintendent: Yes.

Mr. Lee: I think it makes a very unfair division of salaries to have groups under the same roof doing the same work—that is, doing work that is rather equivalent — receive different salaries. If anything, the juvenile adjustment involves the seamy side of life and more difficult work. It seems unfair to pay one group which is already paid $700 more another couple of hundred dollars in addition. I urge we vote No on this matter.

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The Secretary was directed to call the roll and the members, as their names were called, respectively stated that they voted as follows:

Mr. Carr: Yes.

Mr. Lee: No.

Mr. Musco: I have a question before I vote on this. I see a petition No. 23 which led back to page 2 in that the order in the 1954-55 salary schedule listed the ultimate maximum of $6504. They have that ultimate maximum, and there are 352 people here.

Now, is this the same type of increase for 352 people that was brought in on a petition?

Mr. Carr: This is for the heads of departments in this petition that you speak of. It includes head instructors, submasters, vice-principals and one head of division you have just added. No, it doesn't.

Mr. Musco: It cost us $33,000.

Mr. Carr: No, it doesn't include that.

Superintendent: Mr. Musco, it would omit the 100 submasters and the 160 vice principals.

Mr. Carr: That is right.

Superintendent: So it would omit 260 junior executives.

Mr. Lee: And would it make this group higher than the submasters and vice principals in their remuneration?

Superintendent: That is right.

Mr. Lee: That is, a single guidance counsellor in a single school would now get higher pay than a woman who is in charge of a school—that is, in charge of an elementary building to which children come to learn?

Superintendent: Yes.

Mr. Lee: And who is called their vice principal, and she would be getting less money for all those children in her care?

Chairman: We are calling the roll.

Mr. Lee: You allowed Mr. Musco to ask a question.

(Roll call continuing):

Mr. Musco: No.

Mr. Ward: Yes.

Chairman: No.

Secretary: Failed of passage.

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Mr. Musco: Mr. Superintendent, are these new figures here that were printed based on the recommendations and the votes taken last spring?

Superintendent: That is right, Mr. Musco.

Mr. Musco: This book that passed the Salary Board?

Superintendent: That is right.

Mr. Musco: And upon that assumption you corrected these figures as such?

Superintendent: That is right.

Mr. Musco: And we went through these for quite a while, and I see no reason to tarry over them. If there is any question, let's have a vote and let's get out of here. We had all this business before.

Mr. Carr: That is right.

Chairman: Can we go on to page 3?

Mr. Lee: Madam Chairman, then comes instructors, mechanic arts; and cooperative instructors.

Mr. Musco: Let's take a vote, Yes or No, and get out of here. We are wasting time. We were here in March and April and we will be here until the end of August.

Mr. Lee: It is no waste of time.

Mr. Musco: Let's go. You have it here. It is recommended. We took a vote on it. I don't want to be dillydallying. These people want to go home, and we want to go home. We know what we are going to do. Let's do it.

Chairman: Do you want to go on to page 3 and accept it as written?

Mr. Lee: Madam Chairman, I move that those instructors of mechanic arts, the cooperative instructors, and the senior instructor in mechanic arts receive a maximum—now, it isn't a waste of time when people give us 180 days of good service.

Mr. Musco: We discussed this in March and April.

Chairman: We have gone over this material, Mr. Lee.

Mr. Lee: I understand, Madam Chairman.

Mr. Musco: Let's not back each other against the wall. Let's face the facts and get out of here.

Mr. Lee: I have a motion on the floor and I would like to argue in favor of it.

Mr. Musco: Argue it but put a limit on the argument.

Mr. Lee: These people gave us 180 days of service.

Chairman: The Superintendent answered your question when he said that the industrial instructors and those listed on the remainder of the page, except for those who are covered in that special order, do not have to have eight years in industry; is that true?

Superintendent: That is true.

Chairman: So, therefore, the remainder of the page, so far as I can see, is routine.

Mr. Lee: They give us in any case 180 days of service per year and to consider and properly evaluate them and take time to find out who they are and what they do and what their preparation is, I am sure, is not a waste of time of the teachers. As for its being a waste of my time or your time, it is rather less a waste of our time than other things we do on the School Committee. Surely the bread and butter of these men and their families, and these women, is quite important to them.

Chairman: I don't think Mr. Musco implied it was a waste of time.

Mr. Musco: It is all in here. It is right here. Let's go.

Mr. Lee: As a point of information, Mr. Superintendent, could you give us the background of those three groups, instructor in mechanic arts, cooperative instructors, and senior instructors in mechanic arts?

Superintendent: Which ones, Mr. Lee, please?

Mr. Lee: They have $5496. I am trying to avoid fooling around with these people who serve our children so faithfully. I am going down more than halfway down the page. The outstanding figure on the right is $5496 for instructors in mechanic arts, cooperative instructors and senior instructors in mechanic arts.

I suggest that if we held meetings, Mr. Musco, the last three weeks we could have done this in a leisurely way.

Chairman: We held these meetings last spring, Mr. Lee, and we spent three weeks last spring on this material.

Superintendent: The instructors, mechanic arts, have an XI. Special Certificate, Mr. Lee, with no degree. The cooperative instructors I have taken care of.

Chairman: Those are in that special order?

Superintendent: That is right.

Mr. Lee: Without eight years in the field?

Superintendent: No. Those cooperative instructors are taken care of up above, Mr. Lee.

Chairman: In the order.

Mr. Lee: Is that the same with the rest of them?

Superintendent: That is right. Senior instructors, mechanic arts, have been taken care.

Mr. Lee: On the ground this document was perfect when we came here tonight, does Miss Fitzgerald want to move reconsideration on those we have already readjusted?

Chairman: I did not say it was perfect, Mr. Lee.

Mr. Lee: Then let us look at the imperfections and correct them, with your kind consent.

Chairman: I will stay here until five o'clock in the morning, Mr. Lee, I have no objection to that.

Mr. Lee: I suggested your coming in tomorrow. I think it would be easier for you and others, and then the staff could work out these things.

Superintendent: This lower bracket down here with the $5112 —they hold certificates that have been discontinued.

Mr. Lee: I shall not press my motion on those on the lower part of that page if you say the requirements are as they are.

Superintendent: That is right.

Chairman: Can we go on to page 3 with Mr. Lee's consent?

Superintendent: Madam Chairman, if I may offer this as a suggestion, I think that page 2 is the most difficult. I might say not a suggestion but a thought. I think that page 2 is the hardest page of the whole salary schedule because you have a great variety of certificates illustrated on page 2. Page 3 is practically a repetition as far as Clerical School is concerned and Boston Trade High. So I would think it ought to move rather rapidly. I will be glad to answer any questions.

Chairman: Do you want to read it, Miss Reynolds?

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The Secretary continued reading:

BOSTON CLERICAL SCHOOL

	Annual First Year	Increment	Maximum
Head Master	$7032	$144	$8136
Head Instructors	4872	144	6336
Senior Instructors, Senior Assistants (with Master's degree or equivalent†)	3504	144	5736
Senior Instructors, Senior Assistants (with Bachelor's degree or equivalent*	3504	144	5508
Instructor, Assistants (For teachers employed on a per diem basis, see Order No. 4)	3504	144	5448
Secretary	2580	96	3640

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BOSTON TRADE HIGH SCHOOL

Head Master	$7032	$144	$8136
Shop Superintendent	5592	144	7056
Guidance Counselor, Division Heads	4872	144	6336
Division Foreman	4872	144	6144
Senior Instructors with Master's degree or equivalent†	3504	144	5736
Librarian with Master's degree	3504	144	5736
Trade Instructors with Bachelor's degree, in accordance with Order No. 9	—	—	5736
Senior Instructors, Trade Instructors, Librarian (with Bachelor's degree or equivalent*)	3504	144	5508
Trade Instructors	3504	144	5496
Shop Instructors	3504	144	5112
(For teachers employed on a per diem basis, see Order No. 4)			
Secretary-Bookkeeper, Bookkeeper	2676	96	3736
Secretaries	2580	96	3640

Evening Classes.

Principal, per evening (three hours)	$16.00
Assistants in Charge, per evening (three hours)	13.00
Assistants, per evening (three hours)	12.00
Clerical Assistants, per evening (three hours)	7.00
Toolkeepers, per evening (three hours)	3.00

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Mr. Lee: Madam Chairman, are you going to do it page by page?

Chairman: We are doing it page by page, Mr. Lee.

Mr. Lee: May I ask this question entirely to save time? Mr. Superintendent, glancing down the page would you just read, or could you suggest changes which we could make in the salaries of certain persons so that we would be treating them with the same financial welcome with which we have just treated the people on the previous page, so that corresponding teachers in the Trade School page would be receiving the same financial consideration from us that we just extended to the ones on the general Latin and day high schools?

Superintendent: I would be glad to, Mr. Lee. Under the Boston Trade High School you go down the page until you meet that $5508,—the first $5508, do you follow that?

Mr. Lee: Yes.

Superintendent: Trade instructors have been taken care of just a few minutes ago in that Certificate XXXI order that was just passed.

Then you come to trade instructor, $5496. There are forty-four of those, Mr. Lee, and they have been taken care of in that order. There are about eighty-eight all together.

Mr. Lee: I didn't happen to find it.

Chairman: Your recommendation is that the page go as is, Mr. Superintendent?

Superintendent: Yes. The shop instructors there with the $5112, Mr. Lee, number only two, and that certificate has been discontinued.

Mr. Lee: How about that $5508 that is right above $5496? Have they been covered in that general order of Mr. Carr's?

Superintendent: No, they were not. They are like the junior masters, Mr. Lee.

Mr. Lee: Have they had eight years of service? What certificate are they on?

Superintendent: They are on an academic certificate, IV High School. The senior instructors up there in the Trade School and also at the Clerical School are academic.

Mr. Lee: It says "trade instructors." I suppose they teach industrial work or craftsmanship?

Superintendent: I thought you said senior instructors.

Mr. Lee: They are all bracketed together in the $5508.

Superintendent: Yes. They are on the same salary but they are two different ranks.

Mr Lee: It would seem to me those trade instructors are in there. Do those trade instructors have eight years?

Superintendent: Yes.

Chairman: They would be included in the order if they had the XXXI. Certificate.

Mr. Lee: Do they have a XXXI. Certificate?

Mr. Carr: Yes.

Secretary: The trade instructors are in.

Mr. Carr: They are covered by that order.

Superintendent: Madam Chairman, may I offer this suggestion? Would you be willing to change the $5496 to $5508? We did that a year ago to bring certain people up $12 to put them on the common figure, $5508.

Mr. Carr: Teachers, high school?

Superintendent: Yes. These trade instructors have been taken care of if they have a Bachelor's degree or fifteen years in the service. However, that figure of $5496 should be replaced by $5508 if that is agreeable.

Secretary: Which one, Mr. Haley?

Superintendent: Trade instructor, Boston Trade High School, page 3 — $5496, should read, $5508.

Chairman: Will you continue with page 4, Miss Reynolds—Trade High School for Girls?

Mr. Carr: Is it necessary, Mr. Superintendent, that she read each individual one?

Superintendent: Yes. It won't take long now, Mr. Carr, because these are all taken care of.

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The Secretary continued reading:

TRADE HIGH SCHOOL FOR GIRLS

	Annual First Year	Increment	Maximum
Head Master	7032	$144	$8136
Guidance Counselor	4872	144	6336
Heads of Departments Certificate IV.	4872	144	6336
Senior Assistants (with Master's degree or equivalent†)	3504	144	5736
Teachers, High School XXXI. (Women) (with Bachelor's degree in accordance with Order No. 9)	—	—	5736
Senior Assistants, Teachers, High School XXXI. (Women) (with Bachelor's degree or equivalent*)	3504	144	5508

Teachers, High School XXXI (Women)	3501	111	5196
Industrial Instructors, Assistant Instructor, Home Nursing (with Bachelor's degree or equivalent*)	3504	111	5160
Industrial Instructors, Assistant Instructor Home Nursing, Trade Assistants	3504	111	5112
(For teachers employed on a per diem basis see Order No. 4)			
Bookkeeper, Secretary-Bookkeeper	2676	96	3736
Secretaries	2580	96	3640
Assistant Librarian	2796	96	3701
CONTINUATION SCHOOL CLASSES.			
Senior Instructor, Senior Assistant (with Master's degree or equivalent†)	$3504	$144	$5736
Senior Instructor, Senior Assistant (with Bachelor's degree or equivalent*)	3504	144	5508

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DAY ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS AND DAY JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOLS.

Principals	$6840	$144	$7776
Submasters, Vice Principals	4104	144	5976
Teachers, Junior High, Teachers, Elementary, Teacher, Permanent Substitute	3504	144	5112
(For teachers employed on a per diem basis, see Order No. 4)			
Secretaries	2580	96	3640

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Mr. Lee: Madam Chairman, just before we get onto that page, I presume you had in mind the remarks I made about not putting ourselves in competition with Cupid as far as the elementary teachers are concerned. I was told I was out of order.

Chairman: Do you wish to make that motion now?

Mr. Lee: I certainly don't intend to make my little speech in behalf of Cupid all over again; and, since it didn't seem to fall on too enthusiastic ears around the table, I will not present the motion at the present time.

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The Secretary continued reading:

DEPARTMENT OF KINDERGARTENS

	Annual First Year	Increment	Maximum
Director	$6840	$144	$7776
Teachers	3504	144	5112
(For teachers employed on a per diem basis see Order No. 4)			

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ELEMENTARY SUPERVISORS

Director	$6840	$144	$7776
Elementary Supervisors	4872	144	6648

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DEPARTMENT OF PRACTICE AND TRAINING

Director	$6840	$144	$7776
Assistant Directors	4488	144	6648

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BOARD OF EXAMINERS

Chief Examiner	$9181
Examiners	8821

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LIBRARIAN, ADMINISTRATION BUILDING

Librarian with Master's degree	$3504	$144	$5736
Librarian with Bachelor's degree or equivalent*	3504	144	5508

HORACE MANN SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF

Principal	$6840	$144	$7776
Vice Principal	4104	141	5976
Assistants	3504	144	5112
(For teachers employed on a per diem basis see Order No. 4)			
Secretaries	2580	96	3640

M. GERTRUDE GODVIN SCHOOL

	Annual First Year	Increment	Maximum
Principal	$6840	$141	$7776
Submaster, Vice Principal	4104	144	5976
Teachers, Junior High, Teachers, Elementary	3504	144	5400
Secretary	2580	96	3640
Cafeteria Attendant (not to exceed six hours per day), per hour or fraction thereof			1 00

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BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL SCHOOL

Assistant	$3501	$141	$5112

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CLASSES FOR CONSERVATION OF EYESIGHT.

Assistant in Charge	$4104	$141	$6120
Assistants	3504	141	5112

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LIPREADING CLASSES.

Assistant in Charge	$4104	$141	$6120
Assistants	3504	141	5112

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SPEECH IMPROVEMENT CLASSES.

Director	6840	$144	$7776
Assistants	3504	144	5112

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INSTRUCTORS OF PHYSICALLY HANDICAPPED CHILDREN

Supervisor	$5818	$144	$6336
Teachers, Teachers, Permanent Substitutes	3504	144	5112

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Mr. Lee: Madam Chairman, if I can get my breath, there are two points that should be mentioned on the previous page. I thought it was a continuous paragraph but apparently it was not.

It says, "Classes for the Conservation of Eyesight."

I would like to move that the word "assistant" be stricken out and "organizer" be inserted so as to read, "organizer in charge."

I think the Boston school system at least should use the English language in a comprehensible way. "Assistant" means one who stands by, which is a literal Latin translation, and nobody tells the skipper of a vessel to "stand by." The skipper tells somebody else. These people are the captains of their divisions. They are not assistants at all.

Secretary: "Organizer" in place of "assistants" both in "Conservation of Eyesight" and the "Lipreading" classes. Both of them?

Mr. Lee: I have no objection to putting them together. When these people go to conventions, and they are asked what they are, they say, "We are assistants in charge of lipreading classes." They sound like the girl who was brought in to wash dishes. It is a disgrace to Boston. I want to change it to "organizer in charge" in both cases; so it is "Organizer in charge of Conservation of Eyesight Classes" and "Organizer in charge of Lipreading Classes."

Chairman: Do you want to call the roll, please?

Mr. Carr: What is the order?

Secretary: Mr. Lee moved that the word "assistant" be stricken out and "organizer" be inserted so as to read, "organizer in charge."

On roll call, the motion failed of passage by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Lee and Ward—2.

NAYS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, and Mr. Museo—3.

Mr. Lee: Madam Chairman, there is another point that comes up under "Instruction of Physically Handicapped Children," at the bottom of page 6.

I would like to move that they be advanced one increment beyond the normal increase they would get, the reason being that their present status is a compromise where some did not pass full requirements when they were made permanent, and yet, being married, they often did not have a chance to take the examination until they were too old in years to do so.

Now, I think, Mr. Superintendent, the present status is a compromise, and I would like to see that compromise lean a little more in favor of the teachers and find expression in giving them an extra increment beyond their usual annual increment of $144.

Mr. Museo: I am trying to check here.

Superintendent: At the bottom of page 6, Mr. Museo.

Mr. Museo: I am looking at Petition 44.

Chairman: Was that action by the Salary Board?

Superintendent: It wasn't before them.

Chairman: It wasn't before them, so it wasn't acted on.

Superintendent: Mr. Lee's motion was not before them.

Mr. Carr: Page 30.

Superintendent: Madam Chairman, there was a petition before the Salary Board but not the motion that Mr. Lee made.

Mr. Museo: I don't have Petition No. 44.

Mr. Lee: Do you want to find the petition, Mr. Museo?

Superintendent: Madam Chairman, Petition 44 that the Salary Board acted on was not the motion that Mr. Lee made. Mr. Lee has recommended one additional increment. The salary petition was quite extensive, would cost $15,000, and was acted on unfavorably.

Mr. Museo: You didn't have sufficient votes on that Petition 44.

On roll call, Mr. Lee's motion to grant an additional increment to "Teachers" and to "Teachers, Permanent Substitutes" who are engaged in "Instruction of Physically Handicapped Children," effective Sept. 1, 1955, passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Carr, Lee, Museo, and Ward—4.

NAYS—Miss Fitzgerald—1.

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Secretary: That passed.

Superintendent: Wait just a minute, I want to be sure. That means that the teachers of physically handicapped children, many of them without any degrees and appointed from no certificate list whatsoever, are going $144 more than the straight elementary teachers who were appointed, most of them, with Bachelor's degrees and from a regular certificate list. I just want to call that to the attention of the Committee,

to see whether they want to go along with that vote in the light of those conditions.

Mr. Lee: No, no, I didn't say to add $144 to the maximum.

Chairman: Do the members wish to vote as they were recorded? Then we will proceed to page 7.

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The Secretary continued reading:

DEPARTMENT OF SPECIAL CLASSES.

	Annual First Year	Increment	Maximum
Director	$6840	$144	$7776
Assistant Director	4488	144	6648
Submaster, Vice Principals	4104	144	5976
Supervisor of Handicraft	4248	144	5808
Assistants	3504	144	5112

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DEPARTMENT OF FINE ARTS.

Director	$6840	$144	$7776
Supervisors In Fine Arts	3504	144	5808

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DEPARTMENT OF HOME ECONOMICS.

Director	6840	$144	$7776
Assistant Director	4488	144	6648
Teachers of Foods, Junior High, Teachers of Millinery, Junior High, Teachers of Clothing, Junior High, Teachers of Clothing, Elementary	3504	144	5112

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DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL ARTS

Director	6840	$144	$7776
Assistant Directors	4488	144	6648
Assistant Industrial Arts	3504	144	5808
Shop Supervisor	3624	144	6504
Shop Foremen; Shop Foreman, Horace Mann School	3816	144	5976
Shop Instructor, M Gertrude Godvin School	3504	144	5400
Shop Instructors; Instructor in Industria Arts, Special Classes	3504	144	5112
Gardening.			
Supervisors, per either 2½ or 3½ hour session	—	—	$6.00
Garden Assistants:			
Per 2½ hour session	—	—	3.00
Per 3½ hour session	—	—	4.00
Bus Driver to Woburn Gardens, per day	—	—	11.00

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The Secretary continued reading:

DEPARTMENT OF MUSIC.

	Annual First Year	Increment	Maximum
Director	$6840	$144	$7776
Assistant Directors	4248	144	6144
Supervisors of Bands and Orchestras, Supervisors in Vocal Music, Supervisors of Drum and Bugle Corps	3504	144	5808
Instructors of Band and Orchestra Instruments	3504	144	5112

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VISUAL AND RADIO EDUCATION.

Director	$6840	$144	$7776
Radio Co-ordinator	4404	144	6276
Master with Master's degree	—	—	5736
Junior Master with Master's degree	3504	144	5736
Technicians	3504	150	4368
Junior High School Science Maintenance Assistant	3414	150	4218

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HEALTH EDUCATION AND SAFETY EDUCATION.

Supervisor	$4512	$144	$6528

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BUSINESS EDUCATION.

Director	$6840	$144	$7776

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DISTRIBUTIVE EDUCATION.

Director	$6840	$144	$7776

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LICENSED MINORS.

Supervisor	$4392	$144	$6188

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BUREAU OF CHILD ACCOUNTING

Department of Attendance

Head Supervisor at Attendance	$6840	$144	$7776
Supervisors of Attendance	4520	144	5688

Department of Educational Investigation and Measurement

	Annual First Year	Increment	Maximum
Director	$6840	$144	$7776
Research Assistants	4080	144	5952

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Department of Vocational Guidance.

Director	$6840	$144	$7776
Vocational Instructors			
Vocational Assistants	4872	144	6336

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Division of Juvenile Adjustment.

Head of Division	$6840	$144	$7776
Teachers of Juvenile Adjustment with Master's degree	3504	144	5736
Teachers of Juvenile Adjustment with Bachelor's degree or equivalent*	3504	144	5508

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Division of Statistics and Publicity.

Head of Division	$6840	$144	$7500
Administrative Research Assistant	4368	144	7116

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SCHOOL LUNCHES

Director	$5748	$144	$7332
Assistant Director	4164	144	5604

Cafeterias

Managers, per week	$54.18
Attendants, per week	48.18

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Mr. Lee: Madam Chairman, on that page again I wonder if there was possibly an oversight—in the Bureau of Child Accounting.

We set equal maximums for the heads of the several sections there, but not for the Division of Statistics and Publicity.

Mr. Musco: No one expressed an interest, Mr. Lee.

Mr. Lee: That would make him the same as the others, wouldn't it?

Mr. Musco: Nobody expressed any interest at all. There was no vote on it.

Mr. Lee: Although we arrived at an equality between the other heads in the Bureau of Child Accounting, the Head of Division of Statistics and Publicity did not receive an increase.

Chairman: There was no support for that. There were no votes.

Mr. Ward: If you do that, I believe that we should add Mr. Lynch. If there is a motion made there, I would also add Mr. Lynch to that.

Chairman: I am not in favor of this motion, Mr. Ward. However, if it passed, I would agree with you that it should include Mr. Lynch.

Mr. Lee: Moved that the salary of the Head of Division, Statistics and Publicity, be established as follows:

Minimum $6840, annual increment $144, maximum $7776.

On roll call, the motion passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Carr, Lee, and Ward—3.

NAYS—Miss Fitzgerald and Mr. Musco—2.

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Mr. Ward: Now I want to add this. I want to have the differential between the present salary of Mr. Sullivan and the salary of Mr. Lynch restored.

Miss Sheehan: That would be a maximum of $7392.

Mr. Ward: I move that the salary of the Administrative Research Assistant, Division of Statistics and Publicity, be established as follows:

Minimum $4368, annual increment $144, maximum $7392.

On roll call, the motion passed by the following vote:

Mr. Carr: Yes.

Mr. Lee: Yes.

Mr. Musco: No, to be consistent with what happened in conference.

Mr. Ward: Yes.

Chairman: Yes.

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The Secretary continued reading:

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL HYGIENE.

Director	—	—	$10,000.
Medical Inspector	—	—	5848.
Ophthalmologist	—	—	5848.
Supervising School Physicians	$2716.80	$120	2956.80
School Physician, Certificating Office and assigned schools	—	—	7032.
Supervisor of Nutrition	—	—	2788.80
School Physicians	1948.80	120	2188.80

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Nurses.

Supervising Nurse	$4368	$144	$5928.
Assistant Supervising Nurses	3504	144	5160.
School Nurses	3492	144	4644.

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School Medical Aids.

School Medical Aids, per week	$58.63

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SCHOOL PHYSICIAN SPECIALLY ASSIGNED.

To the school physician assigned to the Horace Mann School, for otological work with pupils, in addition to the regular salary of his rank, per year $600.

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SCHOOL NURSE SPECIALLY ASSIGNED.

To the school nurse assigned to the Certificating Office, in addition to the regular salary of her rank, per year $288.

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DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICAL EDUCATION

	Annual First Year	Increment	Maximum
Director	8464	$144	$10,000
Associate Director	8104	144	8824
Assistant Directors	4776	144	6648
Supervisors, Physical Education in Elementary Schools	3624	144	5808
Masters, Military Science with Master's degree	—	—	5736
Masters, Physical Education with Master's degree	—	—	5736
Masters, Military Science with Bachelor's degree or equivalent*	—	—	5508
Masters, Physical Education with Bachelor's degree or equivalent*	—	—	5508
Master, Military Science	—	—	5496
Junior Masters, Physical Education, Junior Masters, Military Science, Assistants, High School, Physical Education, with Master's degree	3504	144	5736
Junior Masters, Physical Education, Junior Masters, Military Science, Assistants, High School, Physical Education, with Bachelor's degree or equivalent*	3504	144	5508
Junior Master, Military Science	3504	144	5496
Instructors, Military Science, Teachers Junior High, Physical Education, Assistant Instructor, Physical Education, Teacher of Physical Education, Horace Mann School	3504	144	5112
Armorers	3501	120	4168

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Playgrounds

Supervisors, per either 2½ or 3½ hour session	—	—	$6.00
Teachers:			
Per 2½ hour session	—	—	3.00
Per 3½ hour session	—	—	4.00

ATHLETIC GAMES AND CONTESTS

Teachers and Others Employed After Regular School Hours or on Other Than School Days.

Track

Starter, per day	$6.00
Starter, Regimental Meet, District Meet and Relay Carnival, per day	11.00
Physician, per day	12.00
Referee per day	5.00
Clerk of Course, per day	5.00
Manager, per day	5.00
Scorer per day	5.00
Assistant Clerk of Course, per day	4.00
Judges, per day	4.00
Timers per day	4.00
Dressing Room Guards, per day	4.00
Ticket Sellers, per day	4.00
Press Boys, per hour	.75

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Baseball

Officials, per day	$10.00
Umpires, per day	7.00

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Football

Officials, per day	$15.00
Officials, Columbus Day (two games), per day	30.00
Officials, Armistice Day (two games), per day	30.00
Officials, Thanksgiving Day, per game	30.00
Officials, Saturday and night games, per game	20.00
Physicians, per day or night	30.00
Taper, per day	15.00
Manager, per day	7.00
Assistant to Manager, per day (Thanksgiving Day)	4.00
Dressing Room Guards, per day	4.00
Attendants, Streetcars and Games, per day	4.00
Press Boys, per hour	.75

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Hockey.

Officials, per day	$12.00
Physicians, per day	15.00
Manager, per day	5.00
Dressing Room Guards, per day	4.00
Attendants, Games, per day	3.00
Goal Judges, per game	1.00

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Basketball.

Officials, per day, Physicians, per day	$12.00
Umpires, per day	7.00
Attendants, Games, per day	3.00
Press Boys, per hour	.75

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Golf.

Instructor, per day	$10.00

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Teacher Coaches.

Teacher Coaches or Coaches in Latin and Day High Schools, per day	$9.00
Assistant Teacher Coaches in Latin and Day High Schools, per day	8.00
Teacher Coaches, Junior High Schools, Play Teachers, per day	7.00

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DEPARTMENT OF ADULT EDUCATIONAL AND RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES

	Annual First Year	Increment	Maximum
Director	$8184	$144	$9184
Associate Director	8104	144	8824

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Evening High Schools.

Principals, per evening (three hours)	$16.00
First Assistants, per evening (three hours)	13.00
Assistants, per evening (three hours)	12.00
Laboratory Assistants, per evening (three hours)	6.00
Clerical Assistants, per evening (three hours)	7.00

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Evening Elementary Schools.

Principals, per evening, three hours)	$16.00
Supervisors, Division C Classes, per evening (three hours)	13.00
First Assistants per evening (three hours)	13.00
Assistants, per evening (three hours)	12.00
Clerical Assistants, per evening (three hours)	7.00

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Summer Review High Schools.

Principals, per session (four hours)	$17.00
First Assistants, per session (four hours)	14.00
Assistants, per session (four hours)	13.00
Clerical Assistants, per session (four hours)	7.50
School Nurse, per session (four hours)	8.00

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Summer Review Junior High Schools.

Principals, per session (three hours)	$13.00
Assistants in Charge, per session (three hours)	11.00
Assistants, per session (three hours)	10.00
Clerical Assistants, per session (three hours)	6.75
School Nurse, per session (three hours)	7.00

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Day School for Immigrants

	Annual First Year	Increment	Maximum
Assistants, Teachers, permanent Substitutes	$3504	$144	$5112
Special Assistants, per session (2½ hours)			7.00

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School Centers.

Managers, per session	$15.00
Special Manager, Home and School Association, per hour. (Not to exceed 1500 hours per year)	2.50
Club Leaders, per session	10.50
General Helpers, Matrons and Other Miscellaneous Workers, per session	6.00

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Additional Use of School Premises.

Attendants, per session	$6.00

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**Equivalent means fifteen years of service under certificate for rank involved.*

†Equivalent means in accordance with Order No. 20.

On roll call, Order No. 3 passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES

4. ORDERED, That the compensation of temporary teachers is hereby fixed for the period commencing September 1, 1955 and ending August 31, 1956, at the rate of $14.00 for each day of actual service, except as specified below:

Mr. Lee: Madam Chairman, I move an amendment to this order.

Chairman: Will you state your motion, please?

Mr. Lee: In the first paragraph I move that the figure $14.00 be stricken out, and in its place appear the marks "$15.00", having the effect of giving our temporary teachers $15 a day.

In support of that motion I merely remind you again that we are engaged in a contest of generosity. If other school systems come forward, as they do, with more generous offers than we do, or if industry comes forward with more generous offers, we simply go without these teachers or we have to take teachers less qualified than we otherwise would.

I believe that the best service we can give our school systems is to recruit the best teachers into it, and practically every teacher entering our system enters in a temporary capacity without any lifelong engagement; and by putting out a cordial welcome mat of dollars for those who first come into our service, I think we can meet a finer grade of service than by any other expenditure on salaries in the whole school system.

I earnestly ask that you adopt my amendment and give the temporary teachers $15 a day, which is a one dollar raise over the $14 they now receive and is still less than half of what those on maximum receive,—those who receive over $31 a day. So, in the interest of single salary, let's not have one group of teachers receive less than one-half of what the other group is paid.

Chairman: Would you, Mr. Superintendent, or the Business Manager, comment on the financial ability of the system to pay it?

Superintendent: Right at the moment I think that Mr. Burke and I would agree that it would be very dangerous to do, much as we would want to give the temporary teachers an additional dollar. I think we run four or five hundred temporary teachers a day, Mr. Burke, don't we, some days?

Business Manager: That is an average. Sometimes it runs up to seven hundred and eight hundred.

Superintendent: Sometimes it is higher than that. So I should think that it could run $500 or $600 a day. If it runs $600 a day, for five days a week, it would be $3000, and we have seventy days from September to the end of December.

I am afraid it would run up to a couple of hundred thousand dollars.

Mr. Lee: Madam Chairman, with 468 so-called temporary teachers on long-term assignments in our schools last September and an irregular number of extras which perhaps reach a maximum bringing the total to 700 during the sickness month of March, it would come to some $30,000 for the first part of this year.

However, Mr. Superintendent, I must point out that when we had in mind to give $120 or $180 extra, which is a dollar a day more, to those on maximum in the elementary schools you didn't raise the question of how much it would cost.

Chairman: That is because we provided for it in the budget. This is not provided for in the budget.

Mr. Lee: Even so, it is true that every item costs. It is a question of whether you are going to put the extra expense on the young teacher coming in or on the teachers who have been with us so long and who already receive twice as much as the young ones.

I thought the interest of intriguing good teachers into our schools and the interest of equality, which the so-called Teachers Alliance goes in for under the heading of "single salary," would be served if we built up the bottom a little bit and weren't quite so eager to build up the top of the ladder.

So I am in favor of our investing the $30,000 for those who

are coming in. I believe the Alliance has also favored an increase for the temporary teachers, so they have been thoughtful of that group also.

In fact, it costs $66,000 from my figures to extend additional help to those who have been in our service for many years, and this is only half of that much, and it is the opening salary that counts, at least with our women teachers. What they get when they come into the service is what counts with them.

On roll call, Mr. Lee's motion failed of passage by the following vote:

Mr. Carr: No.

Mr. Lee: Yes.

Mr. Musco: Yes.

Mr. Ward: No, because I feel that the cost is too great.

Chairman: Is it not because you don't think they should have more?

Mr. Ward: I think they are entitled to it, but I am mindful of the ceiling that is imposed on our own budget. We are the only city, perhaps, outside of Lynn, where there is a ceiling on the budget. I am only voting No because of that reason.

Chairman: No.

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Mr. Lee: It is less costly than other group items for which we have voted. The senior teachers represent double the cost when we give them a dollar a day more.

Mr. Ward: Mr. Lee, let me make this clear.

When we first made this budget up we did not include this in that budget? Is that correct?

Mr. Musco: We didn't include a lot of things, Mr. Ward.

Mr. Ward: Mr. Lee brought up just one thing. I think he mentioned the teachers. Is that correct?

Mr. Lee: Yes.

Mr. Ward: We did not include that in the making up of the budget either.

Mr. Lee: We were voted down on temporaries. That is true.

Mr. Ward: When we made up the budget they voted down this increase in salary for temporary teachers? Is that correct?

Mr. Lee: Yes.

Mr. Ward: Now to put that in the budget you would have to have four votes. Is that correct?

Mr. Lee: Yes.

Mr. Ward: Did they have four votes to put that in the budget?

Chairman: Apparently not.

Mr. Lee: No.

Mr. Ward: How did it get into the budget if they didn't have four votes?

Mr. Carr: It isn't in there.

Mr. Ward: When they were making up the budget, I mean. I thought it was put in when they were making up the budget.

Chairman: It failed of passage.

The Secretary continued reading:

DAY ELEMENTARY AND DAY JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOLS

Assistants, instruction of physically handicapped children, per 2½ hour session. (Not to exceed two sessions per day.)	$7.00
Assistants, Classes in Lipreading, per 2½ hour session. (Not to exceed two sessions per day.)	7.00

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APPRENTICESHIP AND JOURNEYMAN CLASSES

First Assistants, per hour	$4.35
Instructors, per hour	4.00
Assistant Instructor, per hour.	
Clerical Assistants, per hour	2.00
Toolkeepers, per hour	1.00

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GEORGE ROBERT WHITE FUND STADIUM

Laborers, per day	$11.10
Ticket Sellers, per day	6.00
Ticket Takers, Matrons, per day	5.00
Dressing Room Guards, per day	4.00
Electrician, per night	25.00
Head Cafeteria Attendants, per hour	1.00
Assistant Head Cafeteria Attendants, per hour	.75
Auditor, per hour of overtime service	4.00
Assistants to Auditor, per hour of overtime service	2.75
Gardener, per hour of overtime service. Storekeeper, per hour of overtime service	2.50
Chauffeur and laborer, per hour of overtime service. Cafeteria Manager, per hour of overtime service. Clerk, per hour of overtime service	2.00

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MISCELLANEOUS

Instructors of Band and Orchestral Instruments, per period of instruction (The compensation at the rate per period specified shall in no case exceed eighteen dollars ($18) per day. The term "period" is a teaching unit of forty-five minutes.)	$4.50
Armorers, per day	10.00
Technicians, Visual Aids, per day	8.00
School Medical Aids, per day	7.00
Librarians, per day	12.00
Assistant Librarians, per day	8.00

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SCHOOL PHYSICIANS AND NURSES

School Physicians, per day	$10.00
School Nurses, per day	14.00
Testers of Vision and Hearing, per day	14.00

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STUDENT ASSISTANTS AND TOOLKEEPERS

Student Assistants, Mechanical Departments, High Schools, per day	$8.00
Student Assistants Art or Industrial Departments, High Schools, per day	7.00
Toolkeepers, High Schools per day	7.00

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SECRETARIES, DAY SCHOOLS

Secretaries, Latin and Day High Schools, Boston Clerical School, Trade High Schools, and Day Elementary and Junior High Schools, per day	$9.50

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SCHOOL LUNCHES

Cafeteria Managers, per week	$54.18
Cafeteria Attendants, per hour (Not to exceed eight hours per day.)	1.00

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PUPIL ASSISTANTS

Pupil Clerical Assistants, per hour	
Pupil Laboratory Assistants, Latin and Day High Schools, per hour	
Pupil Shop Assistants, Day and Trade High Schools, per hour	
Pupil Readers to Former Pupils of Conservation of Eyesight Classes, Day High Schools, per hour	$0.75

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SUPERVISORS OF ATTENDANCE

Supervisors of Attendance, per day	$10.00

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Mr. Lee: May I ask a question on this? Now either you or the Superintendent said that this refers to secretaries of day schools and also refers to personnel under School Lunches. Those are people who are under Civil Service, I understand.

Superintendent: They are per diem employees under Civil Service regulations.

Mr. Lee: And they have been referred to in the Jacobs report?

Superintendent: I think they covered the temporary as well as the permanent personnel, Mr. Lee.

Mr. Lee: And is it true that if we wish later to revise the payments we give them during the year, we can do so?

Superintendent: You have that privilege.

Mr. Lee: Thank you.

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On roll call, Order No. 4 passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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The Secretary continued reading:

5. ORDERED, That for the year ending August 31, 1956, any teacher or member of the supervising staff who may be designated by the Superintendent in accordance with the regulations to act in the position of a principal of a school or district, or of a director, associate director, or supervising nurse, for a continuous period exceeding two weeks, shall be paid at the rate of two dollars ($2) per day of service in addition to the regular salary of his rank. A teacher or member of the supervising staff who may be similarly designated to act in the position of assistant director; assistant in charge; head of department; coordinator; guidance counselor or division head; submaster; vice principal; vice principal, special classes; shop foreman; or assistant supervising nurse shall be paid at the rate of one dollar ($1) per day for each day of service, in addition to the regular salary of his rank.

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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6. ORDERED, That for the year ending August 31, 1956, any master, junior master or assistant, Latin and day high schools, who may be designated by the Superintendent in accordance with the regulations as acting head of the department in charge of a single subject where there are in the proposed department not less than two thousand pupil hours, taught by at least four teachers, whole or part-time, shall be paid at the rate of one dollar ($1) per day for each day of service, in addition to the regular salary of his rank.

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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7. ORDERED, That for the year ending August 31, 1956, any teacher who may be designated

by the Superintendent as teacher in charge of a building where there is no permanent submaster, vice principal, head of department or coordinator or as teacher in charge of an elementary unit a junior high school, a high school or in an elementary school in a district not including such unit where there are at least four classes shall be paid at the rate of one dollar ($1) per day for each day of service in addition to the regular salary of his rank.

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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8. ORDERED, That for the year ending August 31, 1956, any cafeteria manager, permanent or temporary, who may be assigned by the Superintendent to the office of the Director of School Lunches shall be paid at the rate of five dollars ($5) per day of service in addition to the regular salary of her rank.

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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9. ORDERED, That, effective Sept. 1, 1955, persons serving under Certificate XXXI, or XXXI B, who hold a Bachelor's degree, or who have completed fifteen years of service under said certificate, shall be granted the maximum salary of fifty-seven hundred thirty-six dollars ($5736), provided they have served at least one year on the former maximum of fifty-five hundred eight dollars ($5508).

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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10. ORDERED, That any person holding a position included in the foregoing salary schedule shall as of September 1, 1955, be placed on that step of said salary schedule corresponding to his or her years of service in the specified position unless other provision is made with respect to the person by a salary adjustment order adopted by this Committee this day, but in no case shall any salary be reduced upon such placement.

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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11. ORDERED, That for the year ending August 31, 1956, the Superintendent is hereby authorized to fix the compensation of all persons giving lectures and improvement courses for teachers other than those whose compensation is fixed in the salary schedule for teachers and members of the supervising staff.

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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12. ORDERED, That George N. Bergh, Shop Foreman, Department of Industrial Arts, continue to receive so long, but only so long, as he remains assigned to Veterans' Services, an additional salary at the rate of $944 per year as provided in Order No. 40 of the Salary Schedule adopted by this Committee on August 30, 1952.

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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13. ORDERED, That Leo C. Renaud Master with Master's degree, East Boston High School, continue to receive so long, but only so long, as he remains assigned to Veterans' Services, an additional salary at the rate of $1776 per year as provided in Order No. 71 of the Salary Schedule adopted by this Committee on August 30, 1952.

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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14. ORDERED, That James P. McDevitt, designated as acting Supervisor of Attendance, Department of Attendance, receive, effective September 1, 1955, a salary of $5268 with an increment of $108 on each and every January 1 thereafter until a maximum salary of $5688 is reached.

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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15. ORDERED, That the salary established by the salary orders for the Director of Physical Education be in full for all services rendered in the School Department.

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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16. ORDERED, That Joseph McKenney, Director of Physical Education, is hereby placed upon the maximum salary of his rank, namely, ten thousand dollars ($10,000) per annum, to take effect Sept. 1, 1955, and to continue until otherwise ordered.

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Carr, Musco and Ward—3.

NAYS—Miss Fitzgerald and Mr. Lee—2.

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17. ORDERED, That for the year ending August 31, 1956, permanent teachers assigned or appointed to the following-named ranks in the Boston Trade High School shall be paid at the rate of three hundred dollars ($300) per year in addition to the regular salary of their ranks:

Division Heads.

Division Foremen.

Senior Instructors with Master's degree.

Senior Instructors with Bachelor's degree or equivalent.

Trade Instructors with Bachelor's degree or equivalent.

Trade Instructors.

Shop Instructors.

Junior Master, Physical Education.

Junior Master, Military Science.

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Superintendent: I would like to include also in that the man who is eliminated, I believe.

Mr. Carr: There are four of them. It is shop superintendent, military instructor, head master.

Mr. Ward: Head master and guidance counselor. There were four excluded, and I would like to include those four.

Secretary: Include shop superintendent and who else?

Mr. Ward: Head master, guidance counselor, and the military drill instructor. Is that correct?

Mr. Carr: Yes.

Secretary: There is a junior master, military science, here. I don't know whether that is the one you mean.

Mr. Ward: I move that that be included.

Secretary: Mr. Ward's motion is that we amend this to include the head master, the shop superintendent, and guidance counselor.

Mr. Musco: Madam Chairman, certainly there is the equivalent in a girls' school, which is the Trade School for Girls. Now let's be reasonable about this whole thing. This was rather a pointed issue last year, and I am sure that they are agreeable for an increase or for an additional $300, but I bring up the point of the administration again.

The head master is a head master, and I know the gentleman is present, but it has been my argument that the administrator or the top man should be on a level with other head masters. I am sure you want to include the Trade School for Girls also.

Mr. Lee: Mr. Superintendent, is it not true that many of the persons listed here have the same certificates and the same presumed background as men who are teaching, say, in Technical High School?

Superintendent: I think there are some, Mr. Lee.

Mr. Lee: Isn't senior instructor the same title?

Superintendent: That's right.

Mr. Lee: And trade instructor?

Superintendent: They all have the same title at Technical High School.

Mr. Lee. How about trade instructor?

Superintendent: I don't think we have that at Technical High School.

Mr. Lee: But it involves eight years in the trade?

Superintendent: Senior instructor involves eight years.

Mr Lee: How about trade instructor?

Superintendent: I don't think we have any at Technical. Mr. Daley is that right?

Mr. Daley: The policy for Technical High School is to appoint men with Certificate IV. high school Most of the men came up from the ranks and secured their A. M.'s or Ed. M.'s in order to qualify.

Mr. Lee: I was just trying to find out what are the requirements for trade instructor and shop instructor, Mr. Daley.

Mr. Daley: They don't have them at Technical High. There is one left, I think, from the old system, Mr. Superintendent.

Superintendent: That's right.

Mr. Daley: All the other men there have Master's degrees.

Mr. Lee: I am trying to find out what the requirements are in Trade High School. They teach in Trade School. What are the requirements?

Superintendent: Trade instructor? They have a XXXI Certificate, Mr. Lee. I read the requirements for that.

Mr. Lee: I remember. What about shop instructors?

Superintendent: That is Certificate XXX. There are only two of them. There won't be any more. The certificate has been discontinued.

Mr. Lee: Madam Chairman, my position is and was that I thought that men teaching in industrial courses should be compensated as much as those with Master's degrees, and I believed the Committee voted along that line on the page devoted to Trade School as well as on other pages. I do not see that the longer day which they spend is a significant consideration. I voted against the $300 last year, and I am not in favor of it this year.

Mr. Ward: That is all right.

Mr. Lee: You are voting first on the amendment, I take it. I also share Mr. Musco's view on that.

Secretary: This is Mr. Ward's motion that the order be amended to include head masters, shop superintendent, and guidance counselor.

Mr. Carr: How about military instructor?

Mr. Ward: He is in there.

Secretary: I have junior master, military science.

Superintendent: He is included.

Mr. Ward: He is included in the original order.

Superintendent: Yes, he is included in the original order.

Mr. Carr: I see.

Mr. Musco: To vote No would eliminate this entire additional amount?

Mr. Lee: Just the amendment.

Mr. Musco: A vote of No would eliminate three of the gentlemen.

Mr. Carr: Did you want to put them in individually, Mr. Ward?

Madam Chairman, in order that we may give every member of the Committee a chance to vote for all of these or any one of these, I would like to amend the order of Mr. Ward and have these specified individually.

Chairman: Is that agreeable to you, Mr. Ward?

Mr. Ward: It has to be.

Mr. Musco: My sole argument —and I want the gentleman and the lady to know about it—is that an administrator is an administrator. If he is paid for six hours' work, he will do six hours' work; but there is no time limit to an administrator. They will go ten hours; they will go eight hours, or they will go twenty-four hours.

Chairman: Then, do you want to call the roll on the individual positions?

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The Secretary was directed to call the roll on the several different ranks included in Mr. Ward's motion to amend.

On roll call, the motion to include the rank of head master in Order No. 17 failed of passage by the following vote:

YEAS — Mr. Carr and Mr. Ward—2.

NAYS—Messrs. Lee and Musco and Miss Fitzgerald—3.

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On roll call, the motion to include the rank of shop superintendent in Order No. 17 passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Musco and Ward —4.

NAYS—Mr. Lee—1.

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On roll call, the motion to include the rank of guidance counselor in Order No. 17 passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Musco and Ward —4.

NAYS—Mr. Lee—1.

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The Secretary was directed to call the roll on Order No. 17, as amended, as follows:

17 ORDERED, That for the year ending August 31, 1956, permanent teachers assigned or appointed to the following-named ranks in the Boston Trade High School shall be paid at the rate of three hundred dollars ($300) per year in addition to the regular salary of their ranks:

Shop Superintendent.

Guidance Counselor.

Division Heads.

Division Foremen.

Senior Instructors with Master's degree.

Senior Instructors with Bachelor's degree or equivalent.

Trade Instructors with Bachelor's degree or equivalent.

Trade Instructors.

Shop Instructors.

Junior Master, Physical Education.

Junior Master, Military Science.

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On roll call, the motion, as amended, passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Musco and Ward —4.

NAYS—Mr. Lee—1.

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Mr. Ward: Madam Chairman, on that order I want to be consistent. If a head master in a school is doing a job that calls for more hours and every other employee in that school receives $300, it is safe to assume that a guidance counselor is under the same identical atmosphere.

Now I can see where the shop foreman is continuously on duty as a teacher; but if the argument is set forth that an administrator is an administrator, so is a guidance counselor. I mean I am for it, and I am also for the head master.

However, the guidance counselor amendment was passed. They approved of the guidance counselor, and I approved of it and I certainly approve of it now. However, I also approve of the head master because it's the same school and he is head master of that school.

To my mind it is inconsistent, that's all. I don't want to be inconsistent and I won't be.

Mr. Musco: Madam Chairman, may I inform Mr. Ward that when this first was brought to us last year it included just the teachers, and everybody became liberal and it went down the line; and tonight we are climinating the head master. It got to be rather a nice bounty, and it's a nice windfall, and I don't like to jeopardize it. However, it started with a small group of teachers, Mr. Ward, and now it has blossomed over the whole institution of the girls and the boys.

Mr. Ward: No, the only point I am bringing out is this, Mr. Musco. I can see where a man can vote Yes and be very consistent, but the duties of a guidance counselor in one school are equal to the duties of another. Now, I was for the guidance counselor there, but I was also consistent by being with the head master.

However, the vote has been taken. It's all over, but I just want to say that I wanted to be consistent upon that particular matter. It's a matter of consistency. That's all.

The Secretary continued reading:

18. ORDERED, That for the year ending August 31, 1956, permanent teachers appointed to the following-named ranks in the Trade High School for Girls shall be paid at the rate of three hundred dollars ($300) per year in addition to the regular salary of their ranks:

Head of Department, Certificate IV.

Senior assistants with Master's degree or equivalent. †

Senior assistants with Bachelor's degree or equivalent. *

Teachers, High School XXXI. (Women), with Bachelor's degree or equivalent. *

Teachers, High School XXXI. (Women).

Industrial Instructors with Bachelor's degree or equivalent. *

Assistant Instructor, Home Nursing, with Bachelor's degree or equivalent. *

Industrial Instructors.

Assistant Instructor, Home Nursing.

Trade Assistants.

Mr. Carr: Moved that Order No. 18 be amended to include the rank of guidance counselor.

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Musco and Ward—4.

NAYS—Mr. Lee—1.

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The Secretary was directed to call the roll on Order No. 18, as amended, as follows:

18. ORDERED, That for the year ending August 31, 1956, permanent teachers appointed to the following-named ranks in the Trade High Schol for Girls shall be paid at the rate of three hundred dollars ($300) per year in addition to the regular salary of their ranks:

Guidance Counselor.

Head of Department, Certificate IV.

Senior assistants with Master's degree or equivalent. †

Senior assistant with Bachelor's degree or equivalent.*

Teachers, High School XXXI. (Women), with Bachelor's degree or equivalent.*

Teachers, High School XXXI. (Women).

Industrial Instructors with Bachelor's degree or equivalent.*

Assistant Instructor, Home Nursing, with Bachelor's degree or equivalent.*

Industrial Instructors.

Assistant Instructor, Home Nursing.

Trade Assistants.

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Musco and Ward—4.

NAYS—Mr. Lee—1.

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The Secretary continued reading:

19. ORDERED, That for the year ending August 31, 1956, permanent teachers appointed as assistants in the Department of Special Classes shall be paid at the rate of two hundred eighty-eight dollars ($288) per year in addition to the regular salary of the rank.

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Mr. Lee: That is a State-reimbursed item?

Superintendent: Yes.

Mr. Ward: Madam Chairman, didn't we put $500 in the budget for these particular teachers? Is that correct? We went to the Mayor and City Council and said that these particular teachers were to receive $500. Am I correct in that?

Chairman: Yes, you are, Mr. Ward.

Mr. Ward: We stated that, and it was accepted by the Mayor when the approval was granted.

Chairman: I think some of the members have received additional information since that date which has made them feel that this is a fair amount.

Mr. Ward: I want to be as consistent with the vote that I cast on the budget as I am with this vote.

I move that this Order be amended by inserting $500, which the Committee originally intended to grant to this group of teachers, instead of $288.

Mr. Musco: Madam Chairman, we spent an hour upstairs arguing pro and con on this subject, and I wish the Committee would respect that. Do I have to open up the conference again and argue the point?

Mr. Ward: No, you don't. You can just vote Yes or No.

Mr. Carr: Madam Chairman, it is my understanding that a point of order might lie against this.

Mr Musco. We are all ladies and gentlemen, Mr. Ward, and I think we went over it rather thoroughly.

Chairman. Mr. Carr is bringing up a point of order.

Mr Carr: Madam Chairman, m point of order is that we have already acted on this order, and I think the motion that the member proposes to submit has been defeated and it is only repetition. I think a point of order would lie against it.

Mr. Ward: We can argue the point of order from now to twelve o'clock, but I will do this, Mr. Carr. I will say I would like to vote for the $500 but will agree to a vote on the $288, which leaves no alternative.

Mr. Lee: Madam Chairman, I gave way to Mr. Carr when a point of order lay against him. I would be very glad to have Mr. Ward given the privilege of making his amendment. I believe the vote might have started, but I think it was rather hurried. We were all tired. He brought up his point rather quickly, and I don't see why he should not be allowed to have his point voted on.

Secretary: Mr. Ward moved to substitute $500 instead of $288 per year.

Mr. Carr: May I say before I vote for this motion, Madam Chairman, that it was indicated at the conference today, that the $500 would not prevail; and, rather than have the complete sum eliminated from the compensation of these people, it was decided to compromise, and I think we got three and possibly four votes on the $288.

Chairman: Are you asking that we now vote on the $288 and withdrawing your amendment, Mr. Ward?

Mr. Ward: I say I will abide by the wish of the Committee in executive session.

Mr. Carr: Madam Chairman, may I ask: Are you going to press your motion for a vote?

Mr. Ward: No. We are only voting on the $288.

Mr. Musco: He asked for a motion on $500.

Mr Ward: I said that I would abide by the decision of the Committee.

Chairman: Would you call the roll or $288?

Secretary I will.

Mr. Ward: I question the point of order because there is no such thing as a vote in executive session

Mr. Musco And you don't wish to debate this thing out here?

Chairman: He is not debating it.

Mr Ward. I would debate the point of order, but not the raise.

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee and Ward—4.

NAYS—Mr. Musco—1.

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The Secretary continued reading:

20. ORDERED, That the following-named persons appointed under Certificate IV. High School, with a Bachelor's degree when only a Bachelor's degree was required shall be granted a Master's degree equivalency and shall be placed on the maximum salary of the several ranks they now respectively hold, effective September 1, 1955:*

Boston Latin School—George F. Barry, Charles S. Fitzgerald, James H. Locke, Jr., Benjamin C. Scully.

Girls' Latin School—Emma N. Dawson.

Boston Technical High—Thomas F. Galvin, Herman G. McGrath, Harry M. Webster, Charles E. B. White.

Brighton High—William F. Fleming, William J. Murphy, Agnes K. Rhodes.

Dorchester High—Joseph T. Evans, Alice W. Dinegan, Dorothy W. Pool, Allan Sandberg, Bertha M. Swift.

East Boston High — Olive E. Foristall.

English High—Laurence R. Atwood, Cyril C. Conroy, Maurice F. Murphy, John C. Ronan.

Girls' High—Mark T. Crehan, Eveline B. Cook, Catherine E. Creedan, Marguerite M. O'Brien, Grace A. Robbins.

Jamaica Plain High—William J. Bond, Jeremiah F. Sullivan, Marion A. Driscoll, Louise P. O'Malley.

Jeremiah E. Burke High—Iva M. Bryant, Florence F. Cooper.

Roxbury Memorial—Boys, William J. Gross.

Roxbury Memorial — Girls, Mary K. Austin, Alice M. Hicks, Alice H. M. Power.

South Boston High—Dorothea N. Rice.

Trade High—Girls, Frances R. Bacharach, Cartherine M. Keegan.

Boston Clerical School—Alice L. Beatty.

Continuation Classes—Joseph A. Mahoney.

*It is the intent of the School Committee that these teachers all receive a maximum salary of $5736.

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Mr. Lee: Madam Chairman, I don't understand this motion. Let the Superintendent tell me, if he understands it, why it talks about granting to certain listed people a master's degree equivalency and then goes on to say that they shall be placed on the maximum salary of the several ranks that they now respecuvely hold?

There are several ranks they now respectively hold. So that must indicate a variety of different salaries, and yet there is an implication—

Superintendnt: Not a variety of salaries, but there are some masters at the Latin School and there may be some senior instructors—would you say so, Miss Sheehan? Mr. Kerr was the one who said that we should do this. We originally had it written as you see it printed. He said that should be changed to "several ranks they now respectively hold."

The men have one rank, Mr. Lee, as master, and the women have another rank as assistant. So to get in both the masters and the assistants, he used the words "several ranks they now respectively hold."

Mr. Lee: Whoever wrote it, I don't know whether we are giving them as much pay as we give a person with a master's degree or whether we are giving them less. It doesn't say so. It doesn't mention anything financial. Where it says "master's degree", the only time salary is mentioned is where it talks about several ranks. Now, do you say that even though they hold several ranks, they are going to all get the same salary?

Superintendent: Yes, that's right.

Mr. Lee: It seems to me certainly it is anything but clear. Can't you clarify that yourself, Mr. Superintendent?

Superintendent: We will be glad to confer with Mr. Kerr again. I would think that in order to protect the people it might be well, Mr. Lee, to vote on it; and then, if we can revise it back to our own wording or change it in some way or other, I am sure that Mr. Kerr will not object.

Mr. Lee: Is it the sense of the Committee, then, that these persons so listed receive the same amount of pay that those with master's degrees receive?

Superintendent: That's right.

Mr. Lee: Did you make a note of that?

Mr. Musco: We voted on that in the spring.

Superintendent: Last Spring.

Mr. Lee: I don't want to vote for something that says the opposite no matter what it intends.

It places them on the maximum salary of the several ranks they now respectively hold. The word "several" implies a difference, and yet they can't all be going to get the same salary.

Superintendent: You see, Mr. Lee, for example, George F. Barry, under this order is granted the equivalent of a master's degree.

Now, then, if you go back to Page 2 of the salary schedule you will see "master, master's degree," and it will carry the salary of $5736.

Mr. Lee: If it is the intent of the Committee, can't the Secretary make a note that it is the intent of this motion to pay these men the same amount of money we pay those with master's degrees?

Superintendent: That's right.

Mr. Lee: Can't that be noted?

Secretary: It will be right in the stenographic minutes.

Chairman: Put it in small print, Miss Reynolds.

Mr. Lee: Is that the sense of the Committee?

Chairman: That is the sense of the Committee.

Mr. Lee: Mr. Superintendent, does this supersede or interfere with those orders we had in mind?

Superintendent: No.

Mr. Lee. I mean those giving Masters a salary equal to those who were teaching in industrial courses?

Superintendent: No.

Chairman: It is in addition to that.

Secretary: I will add in small type: "It is the intent of the School Committee that these teachers all receive a maximum salary of $5736."

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On roll call, Order No. 20 passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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The Secretary continued reading:

21. ORDERED, That William E. McCarthy, Associate Director of Physical Education, is hereby placed on the maximum salary of his rank, namely eighty-eight hundred and twenty-four dollars ($8824), to take effect Sept. 1, 1955, and to continue until otherwise ordered.

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Carr, Musco and Ward—3.

NAYS—Miss Fitzgerald and Mr. Lee—2.

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22. ORDERED, That Charles E. Schroeder, Director of Adult Educational and Recreational Activities, is hereby placed on the maximum salary of his rank, namely ninety-one hundred and eighty-four dollars ($9184) per annum, to take effect Sept. 1, 1955 and to continue until otherwise ordered.

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Carr, Musco and Ward—3.

NAYS—Miss Fitzgerald and Mr. Lee—2.

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23. ORDERED, That Francis X. Sullivan, Associate Director of Adult Educational and Recreational Activities, is hereby placed on the maximum salary of his rank, namely eighty-eight hundred and twenty-four dollars ($8824) per annum, to take effect Sept. 1, 1955, and to continue until otherwise ordered.

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS — Messrs. Carr, Musco and Ward—3.

NAYS — Miss Fitzgerald and Mr. Lee—2.

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24. ORDERED, That for the year ending Aug. 31, 1956, Instructors of Mechanic Arts, Latin and Day High Schools, shall be paid at the rate of two hundred and eighty-eight dollars ($288) per annum, in addition to the regular salary of the rank.

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS — Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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25. ORDERED, That Charles J. Lynch, Administrative Research Assistant, Division of Statistics and Publicity, is hereby placed upon the maximum salary of his rank, namely, seventy-three hundred and ninety-two dollars $7392) per annum, to take effect Sept. 1, 1955, and to continue until otherwise ordered.

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee and Ward—4.

NAYS—Mr. Musco—1.

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26. ORDERED, That for the year ending August 31, 1956, "Teachers" and "Teachers, Permanent Substitutes," who are engaged in "Instruction of Physically Handicapped Children," shall be paid at the rate of one hundred forty-four dollars ($144) per annum in addition to the regular salary of the ranks, provided that in no case shall the maximum salaries of the ranks be exceeded.

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Carr, Lee, Musco and Ward—4.
NAYS—Miss Fitzgerald—1.

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The Secretary continued reading:

As a conclusion to this salary schedule, which takes the fourth step in establishing a single salary schedule for the entire instructional personnel, it is hereby further

27. ORDERED, That it be, and hereby is, determined that it is the present sense of this Committee that subject to such modifications as may be required for practical administration:

(a) In the case of Head Masters, the minimum annual salary shall be $7032 and the ultimate maximum annual salary should be $8400—the objective maximum to be reached by the granting, in addition to regular anniversary increments, of annual salary adjustments of $120.

(b) In the case of Principals, the ultimate minimum annual salary should be $7032 and the ultimate maximum annual salary should be $8004—the objective maximum to be reached by the granting, in addition to regular anniversary increments, of annual salary adjustments of $180, until those presently on maximum shall receive the salary of $7776, and the next annual salary adjustments should be $228.

(c) In the case of the Elementary Supervisors, Shop Supervisor, Department of Industrial Arts, and the Assistant Directors listed below, the ultimate minimum annual salary should be $4872 and the ultimate maximum annual salary should be $7008—the objective to be reached by the granting, in addition to regular anniversary increments, of annual salary adjustments of $120:

Elementary Supervisors.
Shop Supervisor, Department of Industrial Arts.
Assistant Directors of Practice and Training.
Assistant Director of Special Classes
Assistant Director of Home Economics.
Assistant Directors of Industrial Arts.
Assistant Directors of Physical Education.

(d) In the case of the Directors listed below, the minimum annual salary should be $7032 and the ultimate maximum annual salary should be $8004—the objective to be reached by the granting, in addition to regular anniversary increments, of annual salary adjustments of $180 until those presently on maximum shall receive the salary of $7776, and the next annual salary adjustments should be $228.

Director of Business Education
Director of Distributive Education.
Director of Educational Investigation and Measurement.
Director of Elementary Supervisors.
Director of Fine Arts.
Director of Home Economics.
Director of Industrial Arts.
Director of Kindergartens.
Director of Music.
Director of Practice and Training.
Director of Special Classes.
Director of Speech Improvement Classes.
Director of Visual and Radio Education.
Director of Vocational Guidance.

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Superintendent: If the Committee is willing, Madam Chairman, I think it would be wise to add here (e) along with this list that Miss Reynolds is about to read: "Coordinators"—because they are on the same salary schedule as heads of departments—"vocational instructors, vocational assistant, guidance counselors, and shop foreman." It is all the same policy of $6504.

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The Secretary continued reading:

(e) In the case of Heads of Departments, Head Instructors, Coordinators, Guidance Counselors, Vocational Instructors, Vocational Assistants, Shop Foremen, Supervisor of Instruction of Physically Handicapped Children, Assistant in Charge of Conservation of Eyesight Classes, Assistant in Charge of Lipreading Classes, Submasters, and Vice Principals, the ultimate minimum annual salary should be $4872 and the ultimate maximum annual salary should be $6504—the objective to be reached by the granting, in addition to regular anniversary increments, of annual salary adjustments of $120 for Heads of Departments, Head Instructors Coordinators, Guidance Counselors, Vocational Instructors, Vocational Assistants, and Shop Foremen, and of $180 for Supervisor of Instruction of Physically Handicapped Children, Assistant in Charge of Conservation of Eyesight Classes, Assistant in Charge of Lipreading Classes, Submasters, and Vice Principals, and with the maximum of $6504 to be established when Submasters and Vice Principals presently on maximum shall receive the salary of $6336 and the next annual salary adjustments should be $168.

(f) In the case of the Assistant in Industrial Arts and the Supervisors listed below, the minimum annual salary shall be $3504 and the ultimate maximum annual salary should be $6000—the objective to be reached by the granting, in addition to regular anniversary increments, of annual salary adjustments of $120:

Assistant in Industrial Arts.
Supervisors of Fine Arts.
Supervisors of Vocal Music.
Supervisors of Bands and Orchestras.
Supervisors of Drum and Bugle Corps.
Supervisors of Physcial Education in Elementary Schools.

(g) The ultimate maximum salary of the Supervisor of Handicraft in the Department of Special Classes should be $6000—the objective to be reached by the granting, in addition to regular anniversary increments, of annual salary adjustments of $120.

(h) In the case of Elementary, Junior High School and High School Teachers, the ultimate minimum annual salary shall be $3504 and the ultimate maximum annual salary should be $5508 for those possessing a Bachelor's degree or equivalent and $5904 for those possessing a Master's degree — the objective to be reached by the granting, in addition to regular anniversary increments, of annual salary adjustments of $120 for High School teachers and of $180 for Elementary and Junior High School teachers.

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Mr. Lee: Madam Chairman, on this motion here ——

Chairman: We are starting to call the roll. Is it a point of order that you raise?

Mr. Lee: I don't suppose you are going to vote without a discussion on this matter.

Chairman: We discussed this last spring for three weeks, Mr. Lee

Mr. Lee: Madam Chairman, in opposing this motion may I say, as I have said before, that particularly with this Committee going out of business before salaries are again set I think it is presumptuous and almost falsifies the realities of the situation for this Committee to be outlining what a future Committee is going to do

I am sure that I cannot believe that anyone sitting here is going to be able to control the next Committee that comes in, and I think we should not undertake to outline this pie-in-the-sky, which is beyond our legal powers, and I urge you to vote against these motions no matter how meritorious they may seem as aspirations.

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The Secretary continued reading:

(i) The ultimate maximum annual salary of the Supervising Nurse in the Department of School Hygiene should be $6000—the objective to be reached by the granting, in addition to regular anniversary increments, of annual salary adjustments of $120; and

(j) The ultimate maximum annual salary of Technicians and Junior High School Science Maintenance Assistant in Visual and Radio Education should be $4464.

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On roll call, paragraphs (a) through (j) passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Musco and Ward—4.
NAYS—Mr. Lee—1.

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Mr. Musco: Madam Chairman, I gave Miss Reynolds a note in relation to Page 2 regarding the heads of departments, coordinators, and guidance counselors.

Chairman: What page is that?

Mr. Musco: Page 2, at the top. I want to change my vote from No to Yes.

Chairman: That is agreeable to the Committee.

Mr. Carr: Wait a minute.

Superintendent: Does that change the decision of the Committee?

Mr. Musco: Yes, it does.

Secretary: Yes. It failed of passage.

Superintendent: Madam Chairman, if I might suggest it, why don't we leave that until the end. Then Miss Reynolds can go back and pick that up in her orders, and then - -

Chairman: Vote again on it.

Mr. Lee: Can you summarize the point, Mr. Superintendent?

Superintendent: Apparently Mr. Musco is changing his vote on the problem of the heads of departments, coordinators, guidance counselors, and so on — those eighty-eight people whom we talked about.

Now Miss Reynolds has to go back and get that order and revise it, and we have to revise it in the salary schedule. I think you ought to have it wait until the end. Then we will pick it up then.

Secretary: All right.

Mr. Lee: Madam Chairman, is there any legal way or possibility of changing a vote long after it has been given?

Mr. Ward: Mr. Lee, you can change your vote anytime.

Mr. Lee: I know you can move reconsideration if you are on the prevailing side.

Chairman: May we go on with the orders we agreed on and take this controversial one afterwards?

Secretary: Do they agree to that? Then I will just add it on wherever it should be.

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The Secretary continued reading:

(k) In the case of the Heads of Divisions and the Head Supervisor of Attendance listed below, the minimum annual salary should be $7032 and the ultimate maximum annual salary should be $8004—the objective to be reached by the granting, in addition to regular anniversary increments, of annual salary adjustments of $180, until those presently on maximum shall receive the salary of $7776, and the next annual salary adjustments should be $228.

Head of Division of Juvenile Adjustment

Head of Division of Statistics and Publicity

Head Supervisor of Attendance

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On roll call, paragraph (k) passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Carr, Lee and Ward—3.

NAYS—Miss Fitzgerald and Mr. Musco—2.

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In connection with his vote, Mr. Lee stated that he voted "Yes" on the above motion only because his efforts to block such "impractical expressions" concerning future salaries had already been overridden in the cases of other officers in the school system and he did not want the above-noted officers to be unfavorably discriminated against.

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RECESS

The Committee recessed and the five members reassembled at 11:15 p. m.

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Chairman: The Committee is back in session.

Mr. Musco, you wanted to change your earlier vote?

Mr. Musco: Yes, I would like to move reconsideration on that same problem that Miss Reynolds now has under control.

Secretary: Mr. Musco moves reconsideration on Mr. Carr's motion, which failed to pass, that the maximum salary of heads of departments, coordinators, guidance counsellors, Latin and day high schools; head instructor, Boston Clerical School; guidance counsellor at the Boston Trade High School; division heads, Boston Trade High School; guidance counsellor and heads of departments, Certificate IV, Trade High School for Girls; vocational instructors and vocational assistants in the Department of Vocational guidance; be increased by $120 on September 1, 1955.

The vote was: Messrs. Lee, Musco and the Chairman voting No; Mr. Carr and Mr. Ward voting in the affirmative.

Now, do you wish to reconsider?

Chairman: Just call the roll again.

Mr. Ward: This is reconsideration.

Mr. Carr: Will reconsideration prevail? Do you want to reconsider it, Mr. Lee?

Mr. Lee: No.

Mr. Ward: Three of us do anyway.

Secretary: This is a motion to reconsider Mr. Musco's vote.

On roll call, Mr. Musco's motion to reconsider passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Carr, Musco and Ward—3.

NAYS—Miss Fitzgerald and Mr. Lee—2.

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Mr. Carr: Now call the roll on the motion as read.

Mr. Lee: Are you going to debate it?

Chairman: He does not want to debate it, Mr. Lee. Let's go on to the roll call.

Mr. Lee: I hope Mr. Musco won't change his vote because I think it will be very peculiar to give guidance counselors in one school more money than the woman who is the head of a school building and who is called a vice principal, or the man who is the head of a building in charge of young children. It would be peculiar to give a single member of the staff in a high school a salary greater than the head of the school. I think it is a big mistake, and I hope the vote will be the same as it was.

Chairman: Do you want to call the roll, Miss Reynolds?

Secretary: Yes. This is on Mr. Carr's motion pertaining to heads of departments, etc.

On roll call, Mr. Carr's motion passed by the following vote:

YEAS — Messrs. Carr, Musco and Ward — 3.

NAYS — Miss Fitzgerald and Mr. Lee — 2.

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NOTE—As a result of the foregoing action the maximum salary of the following ranks is established at the rate of sixty-four hundred fifty-six dollars ($6456) per annum, to take effect Sept. 1, 1955:

Latin and day high schools: Heads of departments, Coordinators, Guidance Counselors.

Boston Clerical School: Head Instructors.

Boston Trade High School: Guidance counselor, Division heads.

Trade High School for Girls: Guidance counselor, Heads of Departments, Certificate IV.

Department of Vocational Guidance: Vocational Instructors, Vocational Assistants.

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Mr. Musco: Madam Chairman, I would like to say that after we passed Order No. 17 and Order No. 18 regarding the additional three hundred dollars ($300), the Head Master of the Boston Trade High School communicated with the School Committee members, through the Secretary I think, and recommended and approved this additional money for all of those below him excluding himself.

Mr. Ward: Yes, I know that.

Mr. Musco: He sent a letter to that effect.

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Miss Sheehan: In item (e) in Order No. 27, we state that these people will remain on $6336 until the submasters and vice principals reach that salary. Now you have changed the maximum salary of the $6336 people to $6456.

Do you think we should change this to $6456 instead of $6336?

Mr Musco: Yes.

Superintendent: We will change the policy increasing it by $120.

Mr. Lee: Do you mean you are changing the policy?

Superintendent: We are not changing the general policy but we are changing the figures in the policy.

Miss Sheehan: There is one more person who is held on $6336—namely, the Supervisor of Instruction to Physically Handicapped Children. Shall we move her th $120? We only gave her $72 to hold her at this $6336 according to your policy.

Now if you change your policy to $6456 . . .

Chairman: It is not a change in policy but a change of figure.

Miss Sheehan: Change a figure in your policy, you will have to change her.

Superintendent: Miss Sheehan, there are others in this group (e) who are being held at $6336.

Miss Sheehan: We have just changed all of those.

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SALARY ORDERS

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the salary of the Superintendent is hereby established at the rate of twenty thousand dollars ($20,000) per annum, to take effect September 1, 1955, and to continue until otherwise ordered.

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco and Ward—4.

NAYS—Mr. Carr—1.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the salary of the Assistant Superintendents is hereby established at the rate of twelve thousand two hundred sixty-four dollars ($12,264) per annum, to take effect Sept. 1, 1955, and to continue until otherwise ordered.

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco and Ward—4.

NAYS—Mr. Carr—1.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the salary of Charles B. McMackin, Structural Engineer, is hereby established at the rate of ten thousand dollars ($10,000) per annum, to take effect Sept. 1, 1955, and to continue until otherwise ordered.

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Carr, Lee, Musco and Ward—4.

NAYS—Miss Fitzgerald—1.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the salary of Anthony L. Galeota, Building Inspector, is hereby established at the rate of seventy-one hundred eighty-four dollars ($7,184) per annum, to take effect September 1, 1955, and to continue until otherwise ordered.

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the salary of the Business Manager is hereby established at the rate of twelve thousand two hundred sixty-four dollars ($12,264) per annum, to take effect Aug. 24, 1955, and to continue until otherwise ordered.

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the salary of Assistant Business Manager is hereby established at the rate of eight thousand two hundred sixty-four dollars ($8,264) per annum, to take effect Aug. 24, 1955, and to continue until otherwise ordered.

On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS — Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward — 5.

NAYS — 0.

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The Committee adjourned.

Attest:

AGNES E. REYNOLDS
Secretary

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

TOLLMAN-GUARD, BRIDGE DIVISION, (TUNNEL SERVICE), BOSTON PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, JANUARY 7, 1956.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, December 19, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $63 a week; the maximum salary is $76.50 a week.

Vacancies: At present there are two vacancies for males, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: Under supervision, to patrol the Sumner Tunnel and adjacent grounds; to collect fares at tunnel entrances; and to perform related work as required.

Examples of Duties: Collecting and accounting for tolls from vehicles using the Sumner Tunnel; operating the fare register and making change; patrolling the tunnel and adjacent plazas; directing traffic; operating tunnel traffic signals; assisting in extinguishing fires in cars within the tunnel; calling for towing services when necessary; maintaining simple records and preparing reports; issuing summonses for traffic violations.

Copies of the City of Boston Sumner Tunnel Rules and Regulations may be obtained at the office of the Boston Public Works Department, Room 505, City Hall Annex, Boston, or at the Administration Building of the Sumner Tunnel.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

AMBULANCE AND MEDICAL AID MAN, CITY HOSPITAL, BOSTON HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, JANUARY 21, 1956.

Last date for filing applications, Tuesday, January 3, 1956.

Salary: The minimum salary is $53 a week; the maximum salary is $65.50 a week.

Vacancies: At present there are five vacancies for males, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: Under supervision, to assist the doctors and nurses in the application and removal of plaster casts and in the giving of emergency treatments to patients on the accident floor and in the ambulance; and to perform related work as required.

Examples of Duties: Listing the valuables and property of patients brought into the hospital by ambulance; taking admission histories from the patients or from their relatives; undressing patients, placing them in position for examination, draping them, or otherwise preparing them for physical examination; scrubbing with sapomollis wounds caused by accidents; irrigating wounds with a saline solution; sterilizing and laying out instruments for doctors; assisting nurses assigned to operating rooms by operating autoclaves and performing other routine operating room tasks as directed by a doctor or nurse; administering oxygen to patients; washing, drying, and packaging rubber gloves used by surgeons when operating; assisting doctors in giving first aid at fires, accidents, etc.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants must have at least one year of full time paid employment as an ambulance and medical aid man in a recognized hospital, or at least one year of service in the armed forces of the United States under a rating of pharmacist mate or corps man.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

1954 STATISTICS OF THE BOARD OF APPEAL.

The Board of Appeal, established in accordance with section 117 of chapter 179, Acts of 1938, as amended, in its functioning, may vary the provisions of the Acts referred to in specific cases which appear to them not to have been contemplated by this Act, although covered by it, or in cases where manifest injustice is done, provided that the decision of the Board in such a case shall have the assent of four members under Building Law and shall be unanimous under Zoning Law and shall not conflict with the spirit of any provision of the Act.

The following is a statistical summary of the work of this department for the year 1954.

In *re* Building Law—chapter 179, Acts of 1938, as amended:

Appeals received		97
Appeals withdrawn	1	
Appeals pending	5	
Appeals sustained	16	
Appeals sustained with proviso	63	
Appeals dismissed	17	
Total		*102

In *re* Zoning Law—chapter 488, Acts of 1924, as amended:

Appeals received		175
Appeals withdrawn	10	
Appeals pending	23	
Appeals sustained	33	
Appeals sustained with proviso	84	
Appeals dismissed	36	
Total		†186

* Includes decisions on 5 cases pending from 1953.

† Includes decisions on 11 cases pending from 1953.

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

Frank L. Mossman, 87 Standard street, Mattapan, in the sum of $95, as compensation for damage to automobile caused by a hole in the highway on the Arborway, at the circle intersection of Routes 1 and 3, February 5, 1954.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

WATER WORKS.

PROPOSALS FOR LAYING AND RELAYING WATER PIPES AND BUILDING METER CHAMBER IN
Beech Street, at Poplar Street, Ward 18;
—and—
Establishing New Hydrant at Forest Hills Street, Ward 11;
—and—
Relocating Hydrant at New England Avenue, Ward 17;
—and—
Such Additional Locations, If Any, in Wards 11, 17, and 18, As May Be Designated by the Commissioner of Public Works.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for laying and relaying water pipes, etc., in Beech street, at Poplar street, etc. A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Commissioner and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price, will be required of the successful contractor. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Laying and Relaying Water Pipes, etc., Beech Street, at Poplar Street, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, DECEMBER 1, 1955, with a certified check for ONE HUNDRED (100) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Nov. 19.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

Laurence L. Langley, 311 River street, Mattapan, in the sum of $43.39, as compensation for damage to automobile caused by a hole in the highway opposite 5 Selden street, February 17, 1955.

CITY OF BOSTON.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR ALTERATIONS AND RENEWALS TO BIOCHEMISTRY SUITE IN THE BASEMENT OF MEDICAL BUILDING, BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL, 818 HARRISON AVENUE, BOSTON, MASS.

The City of Boston, by the Board of Trustees, Hospital Department, and of the Boston City Hospital, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for alterations and renewals to Biochemistry Suite in the basement of Medical Building, Boston City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 2 o'clock P.M., Thursday, December 8, 1955, E.S.T., at the office of the Superintendent, Boston City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, and enclosed in an envelope, sealed, and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $4,300, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs, and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

Subbidders bidding on the work of subcontractors shall use the proposal form prepared by and obtainable from the Awarding Authority.

All subbidders' proposals filed with the Awarding Authority shall be submitted in sealed envelopes plainly marked with the title of the work; division of the work for which bid is submitted; subcontractor's name; and subcontractor's business address. All such bids shall be in the possesion of the Awarding Authority and delivered or mailed to the general contractor no later than 12 o'clock noon, Monday, December 5, 1955, E.S.T.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount as specified in the following for the various subbid items of work as listed below, shall be submitted by each subbidder with the copy of his proposal filed with the Awarding Authority:

Masonry	$150
Lathing and Plastering	100
Painting	100
Plumbing	500
Electrical	300
Heating and Ventilating	1,000

The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, plainly marked "Bid Deposit."

Specifications and plans may be obtained at the office of the Engineer, J. M. McCusker Associates, 17 Chestnut avenue, Jamaica Plain, Boston, Mass., on Monday, November 21, 1955, upon deposit of certified check for $10, payable to the City of Boston. The full amount of the deposit will be returned to bidders upon receipt of said plans and specifications in good condition, by the Engineer, within 20 calendar days after the public opening of the bids.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority, and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price, will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do. The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all subbids on any item or items in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT,
AND OF THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL,
RICHARD J. CONDON,
(Nov. 19.) *President.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT (SANATORIUM DIVISION).

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR FABRICATION, DELIVERY, AND INSTALLATION OF KITCHEN EQUIPMENT IN CERTAIN BUILDINGS AT THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL, SANATORIUM DIVISION, 249 RIVER STREET, MATTAPAN, MASS.

The City of Boston, by the Board of Trustees, Hospital Department, and of the Boston City Hospital, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for fabrication, delivery, and installation of kitchen equipment in certain buildings at the Boston City Hospital, Sanatorium Division, 249 River street, Mattapan, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Tuesday, December 6, 1955, at the office of the Superintendent, Sanatorium Division, 249 River street, Mattapan, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the office of the Superintendent. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, and enclosed in an envelope, sealed and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Superintendent, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of two hundred (200) dollars, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the office of the Superintendent. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of the contract.

Specifications may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent on or after 12 o'clock noon, Monday, November 21, 1955.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities, and to reject any or all bids, if it be in the public interest so to do.

The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all bids in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT,
AND OF THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL,
RICHARD J. CONDON,
(Nov. 19.) *President.*

No. 185—391.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING LUMBER (SPRUCE) FOR THE WATER SERVICE, PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Monday, November 28, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Lumber." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Nov. 19.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

SEWERAGE AND WATER WORKS.

Proposals for Sewerage Works and Water Works in Sunset Lane, Dorchester.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works and water works in Sunset Lane, Dorchester. A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Commissioner and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price, will be required of the successful contractor. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works and Water Works in Sunset Lane, Dorchester," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, DECEMBER 1, 1955, with a certified check for THREE HUNDRED (300) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Nov. 19.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR REMOVING SNOW.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506, City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for removing snow in the following snow areas: Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 10, 11, 12, and 13, and in other areas within the city corporate limits. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of five thousand (5,000) dollars for each area, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506, City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Removing Snow" (ALL BIDDERS SUBMITTING PROPOSALS IN AREAS 1 TO 5 ARE REQUIRED TO SUBMIT EVIDENCE OF OWNERSHIP OF AT LEAST TWO MECHANICAL SNOW LOADERS AND IN AREAS 10 TO 13 ARE REQUIRED TO SUBMIT EVIDENCE OF OWNERSHIP OF AT LEAST ONE MECHANICAL SNOW LOADER OF APPROVED TYPE AS PROPOSED IN THE CONTRACT FORM), and left at Room 506, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of Friday, December 2, 1955, with a certified check for two hundred (200) dollars for each area, or eighteen hundred (1,800) dollars for all the areas, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by the bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract, and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Nov. 19.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING CANDY FOR BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOL CAFETERIAS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing and delivering at certain school buildings, in accordance with orders, candy for use in the Boston Public School Cafeterias. Proposal forms are obtainable at the office of the Business Manager of the School Committee, tenth floor, 15 Beacon street. Envelopes containing proposals must be sealed and plainly marked "Proposal for Furnishing Candy." The bid must be in duplicate. One copy, signed by the bidder and accompanied by a certified check for two hundred dollars ($200), payable to the City of Boston, must be left at the office of the Business Manager on or before 12 o'clock noon on Tuesday, November 29, 1955. Copies filed with the Business Manager will be publicly opened and read at 12 o'clock noon of the day stated. The other copy, also signed by the bidder, must be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., previous to the time named for the opening of bids. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to accept such bid or part of bid as may be deemed best for the interests of the city. The successful bidder will be required to furnish a suitable bond or deposit of money or other security in the amount of not less than 50 per cent of the amount of the contract.

LEO J. BURKE,
Business Manager of the School Committee.
(Nov. 19.)

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JOSHUA H. JONES, *Editor.*

THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING BREAD, ROLLS CAKES, COOKIES, AND CRACKERS FOR BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOL CAFETERIAS AND M. GERTRUDE GODVIN SCHOOL.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing and delivering at certain buildings, in accordance with orders, bread, rolls, cakes, cookies, and crackers for use in the Boston Public School Cafeterias and M. Gertrude Godvin School. Proposal forms are obtainable at the office of the Business Manager of the School Committee, tenth floor, 15 Beacon street. Envelopes containing proposals must be sealed and plainly marked "Proposal for Furnishing Bread, Rolls, Cakes, Cookies, and Crackers." The bid must be in duplicate. One copy, signed by the bidder and accompanied by a certified check for two hundred dollars ($200), payable to the City of Boston, must be left at the office of the Business Manager on or before 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, December 1, 1955. Copies filed with the Business Manager will be publicly opened and read at 12 o'clock noon of the day stated. The other copy, also signed by the bidder, must be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., previous to the time named for the opening of bids. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to accept such bid or part of bid as may be deemed for the interests of the city. The successful bidder will be required to furnish a suitable bond or deposit of money or other security in the amount of not less than 50 per cent of the amount of the contract.

LEO J. BURKE,
Business Manager of the School Committee.
(Nov. 19.)

THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING GROCERIES FOR BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOL CAFETERIAS AND M. GERTRUDE GODVIN SCHOOL.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing and delivering at Boston Public School Cafeterias and M. Gertrude Godvin School, groceries as per schedule. Proposal forms are obtainable at the office of the Business Manager of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street, tenth floor. Envelopes containing proposals must be sealed and plainly marked "Proposal for Furnishing Groceries for Boston Public School Cafeterias and M. Gertrude Godvin School." The bid must be in duplicate. One copy, signed by the bidder, and accompanied by a certified check, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount of at least 5 per cent of the total bid, must be left at the office of the Business Manager on or before 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday, November 30, 1955. Copies filed with the Business Manager will be publicly opened and read at 12 o'clock noon of the day stated. The other copy, also signed by the bidder, must be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., previous to the time named for opening bids. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to accept the bid or part of bid which it deems best for the interests of the city. The bidder awarded the contract must furnish a suitable bond or deposit of money or other security for the faithful performance of the contract in the amount of not less than 50 per cent thereof.

LEO J. BURKE,
Business Manager of the School Committee.
(Nov. 19.)

READVERTISEMENT.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

HEATING EQUIPMENT.

Invitation for Proposals for Furnishing and Installing Heating Equipment at 650 Albany Street, Public Works Department, Sanitary Division, Boston, Mass.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for furnishing and installing heating equipment at 650 Albany street, Public Works Department, Sanitary Division, Boston, Mass. Proposals will be received until 2 P.M., Thursday, December 8, 1955, at Room 506, City Hall Annex, Boston, Mass., and they will be publicly opened and read aloud immediately thereafter in the Hearing Room, Room 401, City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed and enclosed in an envelope, sealed, and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of one thousand (1,000) dollars shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

Subbidders bidding on the work of subcontractors shall use the proposal form prepared by and obtainable from the Awarding Authority.

All subbidders' proposals filed with the Awarding Authority shall be submitted in sealed envelopes plainly marked with the title of the work; division of the work for which bid is submitted; subcontractor's name; and subcontractor's business address. All such bids shall be in the possession of the Awarding Authority and delivered or mailed to the general contractor no later than 2 P.M., Monday, December 5, 1955.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount as specified in the following for the various subbid items of work as listed, shall be submitted by each subbidder with the copy of his proposal filed with the Awarding Authority: electrical work ($100). The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, plainly marked, "Bid Deposit."

Specifications and plans may be obtained on and after 11 A.M., Wednesday, November 23, 1955, at Room 506, City Hall Annex. There will be a charge of two (2) dollars not refundable, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority, and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do. The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all subbids on any item or items in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Nov. 19.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR ALTERATIONS AND RENEWALS OF EXISTING WASTE AND VENT STACKS IN THE OUT-PATIENT BUILDING, BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL, 818 HARRISON AVENUE, BOSTON, MASS.

The City of Boston, by the Board of Trustees, Hospital Department, and of the Boston City Hospital, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for alterations and renewals of existing waste and vent stacks in the Out-Patient Building, Boston City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until two o'clock P.M., Thursday, December 8, 1955, E. S. T., at the office of the Superintendent, Boston City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, and enclosed in an envelope, sealed, and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $1,000, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

Subbidders bidding on the work of subcontractors shall use the proposal form prepared by and obtainable from the Awarding Authority.

All subbidders' proposals filed with the Awarding Authority shall be submitted in sealed envelopes plainly marked with the title of the work; division of the work for which bid is submitted; subcontractor's name; and subcontractor's business address. All such bids shall be in the possession of the Awarding Authority and delivered or mailed to the general contractor no later than twelve o'clock noon, Monday, December 5, 1955, E. S. T.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount as specified in the following for the various subbid items of work as listed below, shall be submitted by each subbidder with the copy of his proposal filed with the Awarding Authority.

Plumbing $1,200

The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, plainly marked "Bid Deposit."

Specifications and plans may be obtained at the office of the Engineer, J. M. McCusker Associates, 17 Chestnut avenue, Jamaica Plain, Boston, Mass., on Monday, November 21, 1955, upon deposit of certified check for $10, payable to the City of Boston. The full amount of the deposit will be returned to bidders upon receipt of said plans and specifications in good condition, within 20 days after bid opening, by the Engineer.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do. The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all subbids on any item or items in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

CITY OF BOSTON, BOARD OF TRUSTEES, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, AND OF THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL,
RICHARD J. CONDON,
(Nov. 19.) *President.*

No. 182—399.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR PURCHASING HAY, GRAIN, AND STRAW.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Friday, December 2, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Hay, Grain, and Straw." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contrac' with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Nov. 19.) *Purchasing Agent.*

No. 184—500.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING AUTOMOBILES (TWO (2) TWO-DOOR BUICK SEDANS) FOR THE BOSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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JOHN V. MORAN,
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No. 183—"EQUIPMENT LOAN."

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING ONE (1) 24-INCH X 8-INCH SURFACE PLANER FOR THE PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

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PLANS MADE AND APPROVED FOR WIDENING AND RELOCATION OF POPLAR STREET, WEST ROXBURY, FROM BEECH STREET TO HYDE PARK BOUNDARY LINE—PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT COMMISSION ACTS.

Plans have been made for the widening and relocation of Poplar street, in the West Roxbury district, by the Public Improvement Commission, with the approval of Mayor Hynes:

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the widening and relocation of Poplar street, West Roxbury district, from Beech street to the Hyde Park boundary line, bounded and described as follows:

The highway named Poplar street is hereby widened and relocated, from Beech street to the Hyde Park boundary line, with no construction.

For the making of the aforesaid improvement an easement for street purposes is hereby taken in the following-described land, exclusive of trees, shrubs or structures standing upon or affixed thereto:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to John A. Uriot *et al.*, bounded:

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MEMBERS OF BEACON HILL ARCHITECTURAL COMMISSION NAMED BY MAYOR JOHN B. HYNES—SEEKS TO PRESERVE THE HISTORIC SECTION OF THE DISTRICT AND MAINTAIN IT AS LANDMARK OF EARLY DAYS.

Mayor John B. Hynes has announced the appointment of leading Boston citizens to the new Beacon Hill Architectural Commission. They are as follows:

John G. Greene, 6 Chestnut street, Back Bay, nominee of the Society for the Preservation of New England Antiquities; Isador Richmond, 16 Arlington street, Back Bay, nominee of the Boston Society of Architects; John Codman, 30 Charles street, Back Bay, nominee of the Boston Real Estate Board; Robert E. Minot, 9 Lime street, Back Bay, nominee of the Beacon Hill Association, and Boston Building Commissioner, Charles A. Callahan.

The commission was established by the Legislature last summer for the purpose of preserving the historic Beacon Hill section and to maintain it as a landmark of Boston's early days.

BOSTON LAUNCHES THE 1955 CHRISTMAS FESTIVAL WITH GREAT ECLAT — MAYOR JOHN B. HYNES TURNS ON LIGHTS AT CITY HALL TO OPEN FESTIVITIES — SINGING GROUPS OF CITIZENS SHARE IN PROGRAM — ILLUMINATION IN PROMINENT SPOTS ON COMMON AND PUBLIC GARDEN.

Boston has completed plans for the inauguration of the Christmas Festival season which opened officially this week. On Friday the first lights were turned on at City Hall, the Common, and the Public Garden. Mayor John B. Hynes officiated at the ceremonies at City Hall at 4.30 P.M., and from then until early in January, 1956, more than 1,000,000 citizens will enjoy the festivities.

Dr. Charles Munch, conductor of the Boston Symphony Orchestra, led 1,000 voices in singing Christmas carols. The Boston Naval Shipyard Band and choral groups shared in the opening events.

At 7 P.M., Mayor Hynes and members of the Christmas Festival Committee turned on the lights at the Common and Garden. The central feature this year is a crèche and a small New England-type church.

The Nativity Scene includes a flock of 50 sheep, attendant shepherds, and accompanying boys and dogs.

A large Christmas tree has been erected in the center of the Frog Pond, surrounded by small trees along the edge of the pond. Playland will be under a tent of lights which will contain eight white reindeer and features of toyland.

More than 10,000 small blue lights decorate one of the giant elms on the Common.

The Soldiers and Sailors Monument has been decorated, and there is a scene on the island of the Public Garden pool reproducing the painting called "The Madonna of the Pool."

Ten groups of Dickens' *Christmas Carol* figures have been placed on the Common, along with the New England-type church. Daily concerts are to be held from noon to 2 P.M. and from 7 P.M. to 9 P.M. Sundays the concerts will be from 2 P.M. to 4 P.M.

More than 100 choirs, glee clubs, and college groups have been engaged to take part. More than 4,000 singers already have been booked for the festival.

The city contributes about $9,000, and the balance of $15,000 to $17,000 comes from business houses and friends of the administration.

The Christmas Festival Committee concentrates on the Boston Common and Public Garden. Decoration of the downtown streets is handled by the Retail Trade Board and is entirely independent of the Christmas Festival.

The festival draws visitors from all over the country. Municipal officials from Washington, Milwaukee, St. Louis, San Francisco, and many New England cities and towns have journeyed to Boston to obtain information to assist them in duplicating the festival in their own communities.

Chairman of the Christmas Festival Committee is Harry Blake, former president of the Greater Boston Chamber of Commerce. Lloyd Brace, president of the First National Bank of Boston, is chairman of the Finance Committee, assisted by Ephron Catlin, vice-president of the First National Bank of Boston. Chandler Bigelow, vice-president of the Old Colony Trust Company, is serving as treasurer.

"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean;
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.

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MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, November 28, at 2 P.M.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries, or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the Complaints Division, Room 25, City Hall.

Information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways, the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments of streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped area for streets and the opening of private ways; the making of specific repairs in public streets; the naming of public streets, including the use of public ways for location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railways, coal holes, and vaults, may be secured from the Public Improvement Commission, Room 403, City Hall Annex.

To the BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION, 112 Southampton street, for information relative to regulation of vehicular street traffic on all or any streets, ways, highways, roads, and parkways under the control of the City of Boston, the issuing of all permits in connection therewith.

To the COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting, and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of Sumner Tunnel, the maintenance of bridges and draw-bridges, and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

To the HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Haymarket Square, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish, and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughterhouses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases, of public health nuisances.

To the BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth Avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park, and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts, also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview, and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

To the SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

To the DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS, 28 Norman street, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

To the BOARD OF EXAMINERS, ROOM 907, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal, or tearing down buildings.

To the ELECTRICAL INSPECTION DIVISION OF THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT, 1001 City Hall Annex, for all information relative to the erection of poles, building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division; also for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings of the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

To the BOARD O ZONING ADJUSTMENT, 43 City Hall, relative to changes in the boundary lines of zoning districts of the City of Boston as established by chapter 488 of the Acts of 1924, and amendments thereto.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending November 19, 1955.

Population as of July, 1950, Massachusetts State Census, 817,713; population estimated July, 1955, United States Census Bureau, 813,696; number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 148; nonresidents, 73; total, 221.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 14.35; nonresidents deducted, 9.12.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:

Last week, 13.91; corresponding week last year, 15.31.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 16; one year to four years, inclusive, 3; sixty years and over, 133. Total deaths: Male, 111; female, 80; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 167.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Nov. 19, 1955.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Nov. 20, 1954.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior Poliomyelitis	13	—	2	—
Diphtheria	—	—	1	—
Encephalitis Lethargica	—	—	—	—
Influenza	—	—	—	—
Measles	2	—	132	—
Meningitis Epidemic	1	—	—	—
Pneumonia (lobar)	—	—	—	2
Scarlet Fever	5	—	9	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary)	21	8	26	4
Childhood Type Tuberculosis	—	—	—	—
Tuberculosis (other forms)	1	—	1	—
Typhoid Fever	—	—	—	—
Whooping Cough	—	—	18	—

*Residents and nonresidents included.

RELOCATION AND WIDENING OF POPLAR STREET, WEST ROXBURY.

(*Continued from page 1389.*)

Northeasterly by another portion of Poplar street, three and 58-100 feet; southeasterly by the northwesterly line of Poplar street as it existed prior to this order, one hundred twenty-three and 06-100 feet; southwesterly by land hereinafter described as taken from Theresa Costa, trustee, six and 68-100 feet; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Poplar street as widened and relocated under this order, one hundred twenty-four and 08-100 feet on a curve of one thousand four hundred thirty-seven and 88-100 feet radius, containing six hundred ninety-four square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Theresa Costa, trustee, bounded:

Northeasterly by land hereinbefore described as taken from John A. Uriot *et al.*, six and 68-100 feet; southeasterly by the northwesterly line of Poplar street as it existed prior to this order, one hundred forty-nine and 29-100 feet; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Poplar street as widened and relocated under this order by two measurements, fifty-six and 96-100 feet and ninety and 22-100 feet on a curve of one thousand four hundred thirty-seven and 88-100 feet radius, containing five hundred ninety-one square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Mitheas Gouliermakis *et al.*, bounded:

Northeasterly by the southwesterly line of Hautevale street, three and 03-100 feet; southeasterly by the northwesterly line of Poplar street as it existed prior to this order, one hundred six and 74-100 feet; southwesterly by land hereinafter described as taken from owners unknown, seven and 67-100 feet; and northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Poplar street as widened and relocated under this order, by two measurements, fifty-five and 95-100 feet on a curve of five hundred ninety-seven and 52-100 feet radius and fifty-two and 09-100 feet, containing six hundred forty-eight and 00-100 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, belonging to owners unknown, bounded:

Northeasterly by land hereinbefore described as taken from Mitheas Gouliermakis *et al.*, seven and 67-100 feet; southeasterly and easterly by the southeasterly and easterly lines of Poplar street as it existed prior to this order, nine hundred fifty-eight and 00-100 feet; westerly by the westerly line of Poplar street as widened and relocated under this order, by two measurements, thirteen and 00-100 feet and two hundred twenty-two and 17-100 feet; again westerly by land hereinafter described as taken from Charles A. Perelli, Jr., *et al.*, fifty and 00-100 feet; again westerly by land hereinafter described as taken from Russell C. DeDoming *et al.*, by two measurements, fourteen and 17-100 feet and thirty-five and 83-100 feet; again westerly by land hereinafter described as taken from Walter F. McDonnell *et al.*, twenty-eight and 34-100 feet; westerly and northwesterly by the westerly and northwesterly lines of Poplar street as widened and relocated under this order, by four measurements, two hundred eighteen and 66-100 feet, two hundred and 54-100 feet on a curve of two hundred eighty-five and 00-100 feet radius, one hundred twenty-three and 87-100 feet, and fifty-seven and 11-100 feet on a curve of five hundred ninety-seven and 52-100 feet radius, containing five thousand and 00-100 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Walter F. McDonnell *et al.*, bounded:

Easterly by land hereinbefore described as taken from owners unknown, twenty-eight and 34-100 feet; southwesterly by land hereinafter described as taken from Russell C. DeDoming *et al.*, 33-100 feet; westerly by the westerly line of Poplar street as widened and relocated under this order, twenty-eight and 35-100 feet on a curve of one thousand two hundred twenty-four and 44-100 feet radius, containing two and 00-100 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Russell C. DeDoming *et al.*, bounded:

Northerly by land hereinbefore described as taken from Walter F. McDonnell *et al.*, 33-100 feet; easterly by land hereinbefore described as taken from owners unknown, by two measurements, thirty-five and 83-100 feet and fourteen and 17-100 feet; southwesterly by land hereinafter described as taken from Charles A. Perelli, Jr., *et al.*, one and 02-100 feet; and westerly by the westerly line of Poplar street as widened and relocated under this order, forty-nine and 86-100 feet on a curve of one thousand two hundred twenty-four and 44-100 feet, containing fifty-one square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Charles A. Perelli, Jr., *et al.*, bounded:

Northerly by land hereinbefore described as taken from Russell C. DeDoming *et al.*, one and 02-100 feet; easterly by land hereinbefore described as taken from owners unknown, fifty and 00-100 feet; westerly by the westerly line of Poplar street as widened and relocated under this order, fifty and 01-100 feet on a curve of one thousand two hundred twenty-four and 44-100 feet, containing twenty square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, belonging to owners unknown, bounded:

Easterly by the westerly line of Poplar street as it existed prior to this order, sixty-five and 00-100 feet; westerly by the westerly line of Poplar street as widened and relocated under this order, by two measurements, fifty-six and 00-100 feet on a curve of two hundred ninety-seven and 20-100 feet radius and ten and 00-100 feet, containing seventy square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, belonging to owners unknown, bounded:

Northeasterly by the southwesterly line of Poplar street as it existed prior to this order, one hundred seventy-eight and 00-100 feet; southeasterly by the former boundary line between West Roxbury and Hyde Park, five and 00-100 feet; and northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Poplar street as widened and relocated under this order, by two measurements, twelve and 10-100 feet and one hundred sixty-seven and 90-100 feet, containing five hundred and 00-100 square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, belonging to owners unknown, bounded:

Southeasterly by the former boundary line between West Roxbury and Hyde Park, three and 00-100 feet; northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Poplar street as it existed prior to this order, seven hundred eighty and 00-100 feet; northeasterly by the southwesterly line of Deforest street as it existed prior to this order, seven and 00-100 feet; and southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Poplar street as widened and relocated under this order, by six measurements, one hundred fifty-two and 40-100 feet, one hundred forty-two and 02-100 feet, seventy-five and 56-100 feet on a curve of two hundred forty-seven and 20-100 feet radius, two hundred forty three and 81-100 feet, one hundred sixty-one and 79-100 feet, and 71-100 feet, containing eight thousand square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, belonging to owners unknown, bounded:

Southerly by the northerly line of Deforest street as it existed prior to this order, seven and 00-100 feet; westerly by the easterly line of Poplar street as it existed prior to this order, three hundred two and 00-100 feet; and easterly by the easterly line of Poplar street as widened and relocated under this order, three hundred one and 77-100 feet, containing one thousand fifty-six square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, belonging to owners unknown, bounded:

Northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Poplar street as it existed prior to this order, by four measurements, forty-four and 00-100 feet, one hundred thirty and 64-100 feet, one hundred eighty-four and 52-100 feet, and one hundred three and 32-100 feet; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Poplar street as widened and relocated under this order, by three measurements, two hundred six and 84-100 feet on a curve of one thousand three hundred eighty-seven and 88-100 feet, one hundred fifty and 78-100 feet, and one hundred three and 60-100 feet on a curve of five hundred forty-seven and 52-100 feet radius, containing one thousand seven hundred forty-one square feet, more or less.

Trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforedescribed land, shall be removed therefrom within thirty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Said Poplar street as hereby widened and relocated is bounded:

Northeasterly by another portion of Poplar street, fifty-seven and 06-100 feet; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Poplar street, by two measurements, two hundred fourteen and 30-100 feet on a curve of one thousand four hundred thirty-seven and 88-100 feet radius, and fifty-six and 96-100 feet; again northwesterly by Hautevale street, forty-one and 78-100 feet; again northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Poplar street, by four measurements, fifty-two and 09-100 feet, one hundred thirteen and 06-100 feet on a curve of five hundred ninety-seven and 52-100 feet radius, one hundred twenty-three and 87-100 feet, and two hundred and 54-100 feet on a curve of two hundred eighty-five and 00-100 feet radius; westerly by the westerly line of Poplar street, by eight measurements, two hundred eighteen and 66-100 feet, one hundred twenty-eight and 22-100 feet on a curve of one thousand two hundred twenty-four and 44-100 feet radius, two hundred twenty-two and 17-100 feet, one hundred forty-five and 42-100 feet, ninety and 84-100 feet on a curve of two hundred ninety-

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 22.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Peter Giacobbi	20 Dix street	16	Alterations, dwelling	$420
N. Robinson	1181 Dorchester avenue	15	Alterations, garage	200
George Reims	995 Dorchester avenue	13	Alterations, dwelling	200
Jeremiah Connors	60 Draper street	15	Alterations, dwelling	1,100
William Ryan	602 Gallivan Boulevard	15	Alterations, dwelling	265
Dave Lemack	80 Garnet road	20	Alterations, dwelling	886
Martin Barrett	61 Green street	2	Alterations, dwelling	390
Raymond Coolidge	18 Holden street	7	Alterations, dwelling	350
Charles Berzon	77 London street	1	Alterations, dwelling	900
Helen Crosby	9 Louisburg square	3	Alterations, dwelling	100
William Ham	126 Marcella street	11	Alterations, dwelling	800
A. Kabatzinick	123 Myrtle street	3	Alterations, dwelling	125
C & H Company	9 Newbury street	5	Alterations, offices, store	1,800
J. Minichiello	30 North Anderson street	3	Alterations, dwelling	200
Sons of Divine Providence	111 Orient avenue	1	Alterations, excavate	None
Emerson Beleher	11 Park street	18	Alterations, dwelling	$325
Channing Home, Inc	198 Pilgrim road	4	Alterations, hospital	700
M. Mills	103 Pinckney street	3	Alterations, dwelling	300
William Clough	4 President road	20	Alterations, dwelling	100
Edward Goldstein	22 Snow street	22	Alterations, office	125
Margaret Arnot	10 Ware street	15	Alterations, dwelling	423
Mary Caddoo	288 Washington street	14	Alterations, dwelling	700
Joseph Kizik	10 Waverly street	22	Alterations, dwelling	3,000
John Cerullo	391 West Broadway	6	Alterations, dwelling, store	850
Mary Boyle	48 West Tremlett street	17	Alterations, dwelling	120
Angelina Anastasi	559 Adams street	16	Alterations, dwelling	165
Mary Byrne	8 Bloomington street	16	Alterations, dwelling	82
Mary Byrne	8 Bloomington street	16	Alterations, dwelling	100
Blue Hill Bowlaway	1138 Blue Hill avenue	14	Alterations, bowling alley	100
Charles Mignosa	852–854 East Broadway	6	Alterations, dwelling	150
Walworth Company	800 East First street	6	Alterations, manufacturing	900
Gaynor O'Gorman	20 Danville street	12	Alterations, dwelling	300
Manuel Mendum	55 Dover street	3	Alterations, dwelling	440
Ellen O'Meara	429 Gallivan Boulevard	16	Alterations, dwelling	500
C. Murphy	65 Glen road	11	Alterations, rest home	1,100
E. Raskin	31 Harlem street	14	Alterations, dwelling	350
Joseph Saia	39 Harvest street	7	Alterations, dwelling	2,000
Percy Reardon	1163 Hyde Park avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	125
E. Pellegrini	208 Orient avenue	1	Alterations, dwelling	300
John Genz	87 Poplar street	18	Alterations, dwelling	90
V. Seipione	27 Rossmore road	11	Alterations, dwelling	350
H. M. Dugan	44 South street	3	Alterations, office, warehouse	200
H. M. Dugan	48 South street	3	Alterations, office, warehouse	200
Glunts & Long	33 Tremont street	3	Alterations, offices	250
Julio Caesar	28 Waban street	12	Alterations, dwelling	250
James Lynch	65 Adams street	8	Alterations, dwelling	500
John Rydstrom	6 Albright street	20	Alterations, dwelling	442
A. W. Perry	645 Atlantic avenue	3	Alterations, stores, office	650
Charles Burns	31 Bradlee street	18	Alterations, dwelling	335
James Maloney	6 Branton street	16	Alterations, dwelling	475
Angelo Prezini	113 Brooks street	1	Alterations, dwelling, store	450
Daniel Pichilo	172 Dent street	20	Alterations, dwelling	285
Louise Barba	12 Franklin court	7	Alterations, dwelling	600
Edwin Pulster, Jr	14 Hayden street	20	Alterations, dwelling	1,558
Rose Brennan	216 Highland street	11	Alterations, dwelling	700
Lena Jazcelowsky	231 Highland street	11	Alterations, dwelling	120
Rose Porter	24 Holyoke street	4	Alterations, dwelling	500
John Donoghue	14 Huntoon street	17	Alterations, dwelling	900
Malcolm Butler	3 Kingsbury street	11	Alterations, dwelling	500
Jacob Tigar	33 Kirkwood street	22	Alterations, dwelling	100
Nicholas Instasi, Jr	10 Littledale street	18	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Gerardo Salvucci	35 Mapleton street	22	Alterations, dwelling	550
Stephen Walsh	56 Penfield street	20	Alterations, dwelling	330
Helen Lombard	34 Peter Parley road	11	Alterations, nursery	700
Henry Williams	17 Savin street	12	Alterations, dwelling	300
Morris Gordon	112 Sudbury street	3	Alterations, store, offices	800
Joseph O'Shea	676–680 Truman Highway	18	Alterations, stores	150
Frederick Khouri	53 Walter street	20	Alterations, manufacturing	300
International Manufacturing	2526–2528 Washington st	12	Alterations, dwelling	900
International Manufacturing	2530–2532 Washington st	12	Alterations, dwelling	900
International Manufacturing	2534–2536 Washington st	12	Alterations, dwelling	900
International Manufacturing	2538–2540 Washington st	12	Alterations, dwelling	900
Norman Holder	2780–2782 Washington st	11	Alterations, dwelling, store	870
Norman Holder	2781–2786 Washington st	11	Alterations, dwelling, store	870
American Sugar Company	244 Atlantic avenue	3	Alterations, warehouse	2,000
Bridget Clafferty	82 Bartlett street	2	Alterations, dwelling	325
Natalie Currier	97 Brent street	16	Alterations, dwelling	100
Cantor Construction	185 Corey road	21	Alterations, storage, office	700
Mason Morton	36–38 Elm Hill park	12	Alterations, dwelling	150
B. D. Robvins	112 Fernboro street	14	Alterations, dwelling	75
D. J. Cutter	80 Freeport street	15	Alterations, truck scale	400
Frank Prasse	5 French terrace	10	Alterations, dwelling	1,100
Lem Cutler	37 Greenock street	14	Alterations, dwelling	95
George Karp	35 Hill Top street	16	Alterations, dwelling	246
Antonio Juliano	177 Maverick street	1	Alterations, dwelling, store	500
Pietro DeSimone	197–207 Maverick street	1	Alterations, garage	200
City of Boston	18–24 North Grove street	5	Alterations, morgue	900
Philip Horan	53 Oak street	3	Alterations, dwelling	300
Freda Bertagh	182 Perham street	20	Alterations, dwelling	295
L. Glauser	38 Quincy street	12	Alterations, dwelling	120
Andrew Kobial	59 Rossmore road	11	Alterations, dwelling	120
Dorothy Daniels	25 Round Hill street	10	Alterations, dwelling	220
Mabel Leen	40–42 Salem street	2	Alterations, dwelling	500
Christ Church	763 Shawmut avenue	9	Alterations, church	290
Frank Dorin	175 Tudor street	6	Alterations, dwelling	65
Arthur LaCost	177 Tudor street	6	Alterations, dwelling	65
George Marquis	Washington street	22	Alterations, dwelling, store	325
Haffenreffer & Co	3293 Washington street	11	Alterations, garage	2,000
Edward Kristal	55 Wildwood street	11	Alterations, dwelling	1,900

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees:

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

For the week ending November 1:

The following weekly nurses have been appointed:

Permanent.—Olga Owen, 29 Rose Circle, Peabody, Dorothea McGachie, 14 Hardwick road, Quincy, Dorothy Feldman, 35 Theodore street, Dorchester, Helen McCartney, 278 Powder House Boulevard, Medford, floor nurses, $1.70 an hour.

Temporary.—Cathleen Sullivan, 170 Gardner street, West Roxbury, Mary C. Mahoney, 45 Alabama street, Mattapan, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour.

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—Alfred J. Kelly, 15 Levant street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; Rita M. Monahan, 199 Westville street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $50.50 a week; Harry T. Turner, 716 Harrison avenue, Raymond Dalton, 102 East Newton street, hospital house workers, $43 a week; Ethel M. McIsaac, 5 Elmwood place, Roxbury, hospital house worker, $53 a week; Bertha R. Holton, 46 Danube street, Dorchester, elevator operator, $53 a week; Frances T. Diver, 26 Fox street, Dorchester, clerk-typist, $50.50 a week.

Temporary.—Nathan Brown, 91 Wayland street, hospital medical worker, $43.99 a week; Rita M. Buckley, 40 Symphony road, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; James Pumphret, 852 East Third street, South Boston, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week; Alice T. McGregor, 39 Worcester street, Alice M. Brennan, 76 Tuttle street, Dorchester, Edwin McDonald, 47 Alpha road, Dorchester, Rose DiNicolantonio, 24 Brookford street, Roxbury, hospital house workers, $43 a week; George G. Glenner, 1091 Boylston street, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; Fred W. Benton, 242 Pearl Hill road, Fitchburg, junior assistant resident, Gynecology and Obstetrics, $112 a month; Ann T. Savage, 11 Alfred road, Arlington, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour.

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For the week ending November 8:

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Viola Bergstrom, 161 Thorndike street, Brookline, 3 days; Esther Bandlow, 5 Reddy avenue, Hyde Park, 5 days; Priscilla Beckwith, 686 Massachusetts avenue, 3 days; Claire Bilapka, 40 Fenway, 7 days; Lillian Blackburn, 18 Park Vale avenue, Allston, 1 day; Helen Connors, 83 Glen road, Jamaica Plain, Mary Canty, 45 Magdala street, Dorchester, Ruby Childs, 270 Huntington avenue, Roxbury, 2 days; Sophie Cotter, 173 Vine Rock street, Dedham, 5 days; Iris Crowley, 168 Crowley-Rogers Way, South Boston, Mary E. Costello, 75 Montclair avenue, Roslindale, Adele Daly, 30 Aspinwall avenue, North Weymouth, 1 day; Patricia Doucette, 352 Athens street, South Boston, 7 days; Eleanor Duffley, 35 Edwin street, Dorchester, 2 days; Anna Ferrara, 53 Blue Hill avenue, Milton, 6 days; Mary Fraser, 99 Norway street, 7 days; Lucille

Furega, 14 Kilsyth road, Medfield, Ethel Goff, 40 Rockwell street, Dorchester, Virginia Hamilton, 827 River street, Mattapan, 2 days; Frances Harris, 103 Townsend street, Roxbury, 1 day; Mary B. Healy, 163 East Cottage street, Dorchester, 4 days; Charlotte Kelleher, 48 Waverly street, Roxbury, 2 days; Elizabeth Barton, 52 Edson street, Dorchester, 6 days; Veronica Lombard, 28 Huntoon street, Dorchester, 7 days; Loretta Lynch, 270 Huntington avenue, Blanche McDonough, 1450 Centre street, Roslindale, 4 days; Claire MacDonald, 30 Delle avenue, Roxbury, 5 days; Mary R. Mahan, 29 Kempton street, 2 days; Anna Murphy, 115 Peterborough street, 6 days; Mary Murphy, 37 Hamden Circle, Wollaston, 7 days; Audrey Mailhot, 30 Walton street, Dorchester, 5 days; Phyllis Nigri, 271 Dartmouth street, 6 days; Mae Owens, 259 Chestnut avenue, Jamaica Plain, Dora Picarsky, 31 Edison Green, Dorchester, 1 day; Alyce N. Powers, 67 Prospect avenue, Wollaston, 2 days; Grace Powers, 16 Spaulding street, Dorchester, 4 days; Vivian Plevack, 6 days; Ethel Rahaim, 665 Massachusetts avenue, 3 days; Romaine Riley, 171 Humboldt avenue, Roxbury, 4 days; Helen Spillane, 499 Park street, Stoughton, 7 days; Madeline Sullivan, 126 Marlborough street, 5 days; Margaret M. Sullivan, 28 Weymouth street, Holbrook, 7 days; Florence Sullivan, Margaret Sutton, 2 days; Josephine Tyman, 39 Burnham street, Somerville, Audrey Trask, 130 Cottage Park road, Winthrop, 5 days.

The following weekly nurses have been appointed:

Permanent.—Mary E. Donovan, 6 Morrow road, Brighton, floor nurse, $68 a week; Louise Anderson, 6 Burton avenue, Roxbury, floor nurse, $45 a week; Alice Pryor, 26 Beechland street, Roslindale, housemother, $60.50 a week; Cathleen Sullivan, 170 Gardner street, West Roxbury, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour; Louise D. O'Toole, 16 Spalding street, Jamaica Plain, floor nurse, $60.50 a week.

Temporary.—Joyce (Saunders) Wienchek, 19 Aberdeen street, Margaret LeBlance, 1 Orient avenue, East Boston, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour.

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—Catherine Farrell, 14 Washburn street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $48 a week; Paul Warren Roach, 42 Augustus avenue, Roslindale, hospital house worker, $43 a week; Alice M. Coughlin, 150 Austin street, Hyde Park, hospital house worker, $50.50 a week; Michael F. Coughlin, 20 Northampton street, hospital kitchen worker, $56.17 a week; James Mahoney, 59 East Springfield street, hospital kitchen worker, $65.50 a week; Christopher S. Dunn, 26 Claremont park, hospital kitchen worker, $50.50 a week; Mary T. Fulford, 20 Auckland street, Dorchester, clerk-typist, $51.03 a week; Bartley M. Gorham, 82 Alexander street, Dorchester, working foreman painter, $73 a week; David McLean Greeley, 58 Country Club road, Newton Center, director of pediatric teaching, $5,000 a year; Florence Moss, 141 North street, Somerville, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour.

Temporary.—Daniel J. Murphy, 14 Derne street, Mildred Santoro, 10 Logan Way, South Boston, Charles L. Malloy, Jr., 95 Lamartine street, Jamaica Plain,

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 22.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
H. Gedis	820 Beacon street	21	Appliances	$12
E. Mogel	53 Berkeley street	5	Appliances	50
D. Holmes	278A Blue Hill avenue	13	Appliances	50
W. Connell	25 Bradlee street	17	Appliances	20
J. Principato	66 Bremen street	1	Appliances	20
G. Vallati	19 Buttonwood street	13	Appliances	300
N. Clark	125 Centre street	11	Appliances	400
N. Clark	60 Chelsea street	1	Appliances	15
M. Slishman	41 Chesterfield street	18	Appliances	85
M. Loiterstein	10 Chestnut avenue	10	Appliances	10
E. Mogel	768 Columbus avenue	9	Appliances	12
E. Mogel	813 Columbus avenue	9	Appliances	40
H. Geddis	146 Commonwealth avenue	5	Appliances	50
A. Mehegan	2214 Dorchester avenue	17	Appliances	2,000
M. Eskowitz	114 Dover street	3	Appliances	100
E. Mogel	55 Dwight street	3	Appliances	18
W. Connell	923 East Broadway	6	Appliances	65
W. Connell	942 East Broadway	6	Appliances	40
N. Clark	235 East Eagle street	1	Appliances	15
N. Clark	541 East Fifth street	6	Appliances	400
H. Haffer	11 East Newton street	8	Appliances	150
E. Mogel	656 East Sixth street	6	Appliances	28
N. Clark	75 Endicott street	3	Appliances	400
E. Pascucci	53 Falcon street	1	Appliances	10
E. O'Farrell	220 Faneuil street	22	Appliances	100
N. Clark	26 Favre street	18	Appliances	300
N. Clark	26 Favre street	18	Appliances	300
N. Clark	25 Forest Hills street	11	Appliances	400
J. Amico	253 Franklin street	3	Appliances	80
E. Mogel	11 Gainsborough street	4	Appliances	38
L. Dunivan	3 Gay street	9	Appliances	100
E. Mogel	2 Goodwin place	5	Appliances	12
E. Pascucci	142 Gove street	1	Appliances	25
J. Vogel	16 Gray street	5	Appliances	50
J. Principato	239 Hanover street	3	Appliances	100
J. Principato	355 Hanover street	3	Appliances	20
N. Clark	35 Haverford street	11	Appliances	400
E. Pascucci	97 Horace street	1	Appliances	25
H. Geddis	111 Huntington avenue	4	Appliances	25
H. Geddis	395 La Grange street	20	Appliances	15
H. Geddis	430 La Grange street	20	Appliances	275
F. O'Boy	95 Landseer street	20	Appliances	40
E. Pascucci	88 Lexington street	1	Appliances	50
N. Clark	195 Lexington street	1	Appliances	15
M. Slishman	17 Manthorne road	20	Appliances	35
G. Speers	64–66 Mapleton street	22	Appliances	40
W. Connell	44 Middle street	7	Appliances	40
E. Pascucci	22 Morris street	1	Appliances	50
E. Mogel	96 Mt. Vernon street	5	Appliances	35
W. Connell	156 Neponset avenue	16	Appliances	18
C. Bevelander	29 Newton street	22	Appliances	100
G. Speers	133 Nonantum street	22	Appliances	300
B. Bishop	289 Norwell street	17	Appliances	400
J. Sullivan	95 Oakmere street	20	Appliances	125
N. Clark	104 Ormond street	14	Appliances	100
N. Clark	218 Park street	20	Appliances	400
J. Principato	160 Prince street	3	Appliances	15
E. Ardini	17 Princeton street	1	Appliances	100
J. Principato	200 Princeton street	1	Appliances	15
E. Mogel	52 Rockland street	12	Appliances	25
W. Broderick	160 Russett road	20	Appliances	65
E. Pascucci	232 Saratoga street	1	Appliances	10
E. Pascucci	432 Saratoga street	1	Appliances	40
N. Clark	634 Saratoga street	1	Appliances	15
H. Cutler	12 Schuyler street	12	Appliances	20
N. Clark	88 Selden street	17	Appliances	400
N. Clark	20 Seymour street	19	Appliances	400
E. Mogel	344 Shawmut avenue	3	Appliances	15
N. Clark	7 Stillman street	3	Appliances	400
W. Connell	90 Stoughton street	13	Appliances	13
H. Geddis	34 Summer street	20	Appliances	15
M. Loiterstein	1 Sunny court	10	Appliances	20
N. Clark	33 Sycamore street	19	Appliances	400
H. Geddis	179 Temple street	20	Appliances	15
E. Ardini	30 Teragram street	1	Appliances	100
M. Slishman	19 Tina avenue	18	Appliances	45
E. Mogel	487 Tremont street	5	Appliances	63
O. McElearney	1558 Tremont street	10	Appliances	75
W. Connell	838 Washington street	17	Appliances	50
J. Williams	3131 Washington street	11	Appliances	300
G. Vallati	6 Wellesley park	17	Appliances	200
N. Clark	236 Western avenue	22	Appliances	400
N. Clark	8 Winship street	22	Appliances	100
L. McConkey	5 Althea street	16	Appliances	150
S. Connolly	34 Ball street	9	Appliances	125
J. Tierney	385 Beacon street	5	Appliances	150
A. Milligan	47 Belle avenue	20	Appliances	100
D. Slavet	534 Bennington street	1	Appliances	30
S. Connolly	62 Blue Hill avenue	8	Appliances	70
W. Foster	13 Bond street	3	Appliances	100
J. Flynn	39 Burgess street	8	Appliances	45
J. Flynn	76 Centre street	17	Appliances	25
J. Flynn	51 Clarkson street	15	Appliances	55
D. O'Neill	66 Codman park	11	Appliances	10
S. Connolly	1871 Columbus avenue	11	Appliances	10
D. O'Neill	80 Copeland street	12	Appliances	10
J. Flynn	130 Cushing avenue	13	Appliances	50
S. Connolly	12 Devon street	12	Appliances	75
B. Weiner	31 Dorr street	11	Appliances	100
D. O'Neill	443 Dudley street	8	Appliances	85

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 22.— Continued.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
J. Bunesh	336 E street	6	Appliances	$120
O. Weider	708 East Broadway	6	Appliances	100
S. Connolly	94 East Cottage street	7	Appliances	50
M. Caputo	559 East Fifth street	6	Appliances	30
M. Caputo	559½ East Fifth street	6	Appliances	60
M. Caputo	866 East Fifth street	6	Appliances	86
J. Flynn	735 East Third street	6	Appliances	60
D. Palmariello	155 Endicott street	3	Appliances	75
M. Loiterstein	131 Erie street	11	Appliances	50
J. Bunesh	177 F street	6	Appliances	70
J. Flynn	155 Geneva avenue	11	Appliances	40
S. Connolly	15 Greenville street	12	Appliances	35
S. Connolly	15 Hammond street	9	Appliances	50
S. Connolly	17 Hammond street	9	Appliances	25
V. Bordonaro	9 Hanover street	3	Appliances	100
H. Cutler	129 Harrishof street	12	Appliances	10
I. Silverstein	79 Harrison avenue	3	Appliances	100
S. Connolly	16 Hulbert street	9	Appliances	70
S. Connolly	91A Intervale street	11	Appliances	20
F. Carr	26 Irving street	3	Appliances	100
W. Connell	9 Josephine street	15	Appliances	300
M. Caputo	291 K street	6	Appliances	50
W. Connell	75 Kenwood street	17	Appliances	25
J. Bunesh	17 Leyland street	8	Appliances	55
P. Janis	7 Lodgehill road	18	Appliances	40
P. Janis	9 Lodgehill road	18	Appliances	40
W. Connell	50 Lonsdale street	16	Appliances	50
S. Connolly	121 Magazine street	8	Appliances	30
D. O'Neill	12 Marcella street	11	Appliances	18
S. Connolly	17 Marcella street	11	Appliances	100
J. Zinchuk	155 Meridian street	1	Appliances	150
P. Janis	6 Meyer street	19	Appliances	100
D. O'Neill	93 Minden street	10	Appliances	70
H. Cutler	40 Munroe street	12	Appliances	17
S. Litman	339 Norfolk avenue	7	Appliances	55
S. Connolly	95 Northampton street	8	Appliances	125
D. O'Neill	157 Northampton street	9	Appliances	45
J. Flynn	76 Olney street	15	Appliances	25
J. Flynn	20 Page street	14	Appliances	100
A. Halsband	455 Park Drive	21	Appliances	100
I. Silverstein	8 Peak Hill road	20	Appliances	100
J. Esterhill	110 Pleasant street	15	Appliances	50
A. Wallace	99A Prince street	3	Appliances	300
S. D'Agostino	1582 River street	18	Appliances	1,400
H. Hinckley	54 Robeson street	11	Appliances	15
D. O'Neill	178 St. Alphonsus street	10	Appliances	100
J. Flynn	44 Saxton street	13	Appliances	100
H. Hinckley	204 South street	11	Appliances	65
P. Lembo	23 Tilton street	8	Appliances	35
W. Connell	39 Train street	16	Appliances	25
W. Foster	475–477 Tremont street	5	Appliances	100
D. O'Neill	957 Tremont street	9	Appliances	20
J. Esterhill	235 Victory road	16	Appliances	75
S. Litman	115 Walnut avenue	12	Appliances	40
J. Flynn	322 Washington street	14	Appliances	70
L. Pike	2023 Washington street	9	Appliances	150
S. Connolly	2984 Washington street	11	Appliances	70
A. Gardella	4987 Washington street	20	Appliances	50
M. Caputo	268 West Fifth street	7	Appliances	50
M. Caputo	198 West Sixth street	6	Appliances	50
M. Vitale	35 Woodstock avenue	21	Appliances	100
P. Gulesian	22 Albion street	18	Appliances	200
K. Hering	9 Boylston street	19	Appliances	90
W. Moulzar	9 Carmen street	14	Appliances	100
P. Gulesian	79 Central avenue	18	Appliances	400
O. McElearney	136 Chelsea street	1	Appliances	75
P. Gulesian	9 Cleveland street	18	Appliances	200
K. Hering	283 Dudley street	8	Appliances	50
C. Kay	290 East Eighth street	7	Appliances	600
P. Gulesian	76 Hamilton street	18	Appliances	200
P. Gulesian	911 Hyde Park avenue	18	Appliances	80
K. Hering	75 Jamaica street	11	Appliances	300
F. Avery	102 Oakmere street	20	Appliances	100
J. Vogel	27 Paine street	18	Appliances	50
K. Hering	22 Roseway street	19	Appliances	70
W. Mouzar	15 Rossetter street	14	Appliances	100
J. Vogel	21 Whiting street	12	Appliances	35
P. Gulesian	327 Wood avenue	18	Appliances	400
P. Spareo	11 Allen street	3	Appliances	100
W. Hogan	500 Blue Hill avenue	11	Appliances	50
W. Awad	31 Boulevard terrace	21	Appliances	100
P. Gulesian	24 Brush Hill terrace	18	Appliances	200
B. Zieff	7 Buckingham street	18	Appliances	350
S. Shuman	674 Centre street	19	Appliances	75
G. Trethewey	124 Colberg avenue	20	Appliances	160
W. Hogan	47 Commonwealth avenue	5	Appliances	25
W. Awad	1156 Commonwealth avenue	21	Appliances	100
P. Gulesian	16 Dell avenue	18	Appliances	200
W. Hogan	43 Delle avenue	10	Appliances	50
W. Hogan	56 Fenwood road	10	Appliances	100
M. Yorks	68 Frankfort street	1	Appliances	10
W. Awad	101 Glenville avenue	21	Appliances	100
W. Awad	6 Hano street	22	Appliances	100
W. Awad	60 Hano street	22	Appliances	100
D. Naimo	414 Hanover street	3	Appliances	100
W. Dorgan	53 Harbor View street	13	Appliances	55
M. Trethewey	28 Haslet street	20	Appliances	200
V. Giustina	119 Havre street	1	Appliances	75
W. Hogan	836 Huntington avenue	10	Appliances	100
P. Mulesian	943 Hyde Park avenue	18	Appliances	200
W. Hogan	4 Iroquois street	10	Appliances	25
S. Litman	70 Kemble street	8	Appliances	35
W. Awad	48 Leo Birmingham Parkway	22	Appliances	100
P. Janis	21 Leyland street	8	Appliances	25
P. Gulesian	21 Lincoln street	18	Appliances	200
I. Himelfarb	207 Main street	2	Appliances	15

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hospital medical workers, $43 a week; Alice T. McGregor, 39 Worcester street, hospital house worker, $43 a week; James J. Foley, 4 Columbia terrace, Dorchester, John L. Hansen, 334 Newbury street, Francis X. O'Brien, 6 Linden street, Dorchester, ambulance medical aids, $53 a week; Mary Anne Kjelgaard, 15 Lafayette avenue, West Weymouth, Hannah J. Moore, 554 Green street, Cambridge, Patricia M. Burns, 12 Jerome street, Dorchester, Mary E. King, 1 Judson road, Weymouth, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour; Mae Owens, 255 Chestnut avenue, Jamaica Plain, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Anne E. Wells, 185 Park street, West Roxbury, Doris H. Campbell, 194 Harvey street, Cambridge, Nancy (Whitcraft) Hare, 56 Thornton road, Chestnut Hill, Ann T. Savage, 11 Alfred road, Arlington, Marguerite McLaughlin, 55 Medford street, Malden, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour.

South Division.

For the week ending November 1:

The following temporary employees have been appointed:

Veronica M. Beauregard, 745 Massachusetts avenue, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour, less $2.50 for room; Jean E. O'Connell, 1734A Commonwealth avenue, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour.

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For the week ending November 8:

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Veronica McElligott, 34 Dickinson street, Somerville, 7 days; Margaret Nolan, 14 Dix street, Dorchester, 5 days.

The following temporary employee has been appointed:

Mildred Santoro, 10 Logan Way, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Long Island Division.

The following changes have been made in the personnel for the week ending November 1:

Terminations.—William L. Tierney, hospital house worker, emergency; Joseph T. Cawley, hospital house worker, provisional; Mary Currie, hospital laundry worker, emergency; William A. Keenan, hospital house worker; C. Clair O'Brien, student practical nurse; George B. Mann, Jr., Bernard A. Hill, Jr., Brian E. Concannon, attendant nurses; Alice G. Hirst, registered graduate nurse.; Elizabeth M. Travers, hospital laundry worker, emergency; Katherine Schwede, hospital laundry worker.

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The following changes have been made in the personnel for the week ending November 8:

Terminations.—Joseph D. Sorenson, assistant physician; Robert S. Byron, attendant nurse; Joseph P. Flaherty, Eileen M. Foley, Alice Morrow, hospital house workers; Archie Ellis, Herbert M. Johnson, Jr., hospital kitchen workers, emergency; Alice F. Butts, student practical nurse.

Change of Name.—Lois A. Reinhalter, to Lois A. Mahoney, attendant nurse.

Cancellations.—Marie R. Keegan, Frank J. Tirella, attendant nurses.

Appointments.

Veterans' Services Department.

Cyril M. Lydon, 30 Kenwood street, Dorchester, physician general, $94 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Rosalyn Winitzer, 6 Balsam street, Dorchester, clerk, $50.50 a week.

Appointments or Reinstatements.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Printing Section.

Solomon Baker, 15 Dumas street, Dorchester, job pressman, $89.23 a week.

Joseph Herlihy, 1 O'Reilly Way, Charlestown, cylinder pressman, $93.86 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Mary Spellman, 4412 Washington street, Roslindale, clerk and typist, part time, $35.50 a week.

Mary Strachan, 710 Massachusetts avenue, nursing school assistant, $70.50 a week, plus room.

Freda Davis, 18 Sonoma street, Roxbury, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Evelyn Climo, 119 Hampden street, Roxbury, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Helen A. Keogh, 130 Fisher avenue, Roxbury, clerk and typist, part time, $35.50 a week.

Catherine Sherburne, 1577A Tremont street, Roxbury, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Joseph Sullivan, 15 Royce road, Allston, clerk, $43 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

John A. Crasco, 34 Magnolia street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Mary Booth, 249 River street, Mattapan, registered graduate nurse, $76.50 a week.

John E. Cassidy, Jr., 18 Moultrie street, Dorchester, clerk, $45.50 a week.

Long Island Division.

Robert J. Stanton, 41 Wendover street, Dorchester, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

Jean R. Bowles, 28 Copeland street, Roxbury, licensed practical nurse, $53 a week.

Agnes L. Gilmartin, 21 McKone street, Neponset, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Automotive Division.

Alton J. Fuller, 5 Brown avenue, Roslindale, motor equipment repairman, $60.50 a week.

Sanitary Division.

Angelo J. Staffier, 171 Brooks street, East Boston, motor equipment operator and laborer, $53 a week.

John V. Brennan, 1 Elm street, Dorchester, motor equipment operator and laborer, $53 a week.

Pasquale Chianca, 223½ Princeton street, East Boston, motor equipment operator and laborer, $53 a week.

Anthony A. Parziale, 45 Lamson street, East Boston, motor equipment operator and laborer, $58 a week.

Promotions.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Sanatorium Division.

Elizabeth McCarthy, 50 Melville avenue, Dorchester, from graduate nurse (nonregistered) at $65.50 a week to head housekeeper at $68 a week.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 22.—Concluded.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
F. Casaletto	19 Monument street	2	Appliances	$20
P. Gulesian	12 Neponset avenue	18	Appliances	100
P. Gulesian	235 Neponset Valley Parkway	18	Appliances	75
W. Awad	6 Niles street	22	Appliances	100
W. Awad	168 North Beacon street	22	Appliances	100
W. Hogan	748 Parker street	10	Appliances	25
W. Hogan	750 Parker street	18	Appliances	100
G. Trethewey	587 Poplar street	18	Appliances	140
A. Granara	109 Salem street	3	Appliances	40
O. McElearney	64 Sigourney street	11	Appliances	75
W. Hogan	1625 Tremont street	10	Appliances	100
P. Gulesian	50 Van Brunt street	18	Appliances	200
P. Donahue	10 Washington street	3	Appliances	250
G. Trethewey	3976 Washington street	19	Appliances	120
N. Clark	377 Adams street	16	Appliances	200
S. Landau	58 Allston street	21	Appliances	50
R. McCall	104 Arlington street	18	Appliances	100
J. Flynn	35 Bay street	15	Appliances	50
A. Milligan	10 Billings street	20	Appliances	100
F. Avery	192 Boylston street	11	Appliances	40
J. Vogel	35 Braddock park	4	Appliances	10
J. Lima	179 Cambridge street	3	Appliances	None
S. Landau	1383 Commonwealth avenue	21	Appliances	$100
N. Clark	166 Cottage street	1	Appliances	15
F. Avery	34 Day street	10	Appliances	25
J. Flynn	3 Dunlap street	17	Appliances	70
D. Carey	23 Elm street	3	Appliances	95
J. Flynn	92 Fairmount street	17	Appliances	25
J. Flynn	105 Fuller street	17	Appliances	75
A. Milligan	137 Gallivan Boulevard	17	Appliances	75
A. Milligan	141 Gallivan Boulevard	17	Appliances	75
J. Flynn	17 Gates street	7	Appliances	575
J. Flynn	20 Gayland street	13	Appliances	45
J. Flynn	65 Grampian Way	13	Appliances	485
C. Slotnick	83 Hampden street	8	Appliances	750
F. Avery	1 Hampstead road	11	Appliances	20
A. Stahly	29 Hecla street	15	Appliances	70
S. Pryor	142 High street	2	Appliances	25
I. Gerson	29 Humboldt avenue	12	Appliances	100
N. Clark	6 Lawrence place	22	Appliances	400
W. Fishman	50 Mariposa street	18	Appliances	100
J. Flynn	21 Maryland street	15	Appliances	25
C. Gioiosa	227 Maverick street	1	Appliances	25
J. Ricciardelli	321 Meridian street	1	Appliances	40
J. Flynn	37 Moseley street	13	Appliances	20
J. Flynn	37 Mt. Ida road	15	Appliances	100
J. Rinella	57 Neptune road	1	Appliances	35
J. Flynn	56 Percival street	15	Appliances	100
J. Flynn	101 Pleasant street	13	Appliances	162
A. Stahly	82 St. Marks road	16	Appliances	20
J. Flynn	6 Saxton street	13	Appliances	105
F. Avery	41 South Huntington avenue	10	Appliances	25
A. Milligan	31 Sunset Hill road	20	Appliances	100
A. Weinstein	930 Tremont street	9	Appliances	70
J. Flynn	48 Van Winkle street	16	Appliances	45
J. Flynn	106 Wales street	14	Appliances	100
J. Flynn	136 Warren street	12	Appliances	50
J. Flynn	87 Westglow street	16	Appliances	25
N. Clark	73 Albano street	20	Appliances	100
E. Pascucci	569 Bennington street	1	Appliances	25
E. O'Farrell	154 Brayton road	22	Appliances	100

Changes in Status.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

John J. McDevitt, 5 Ayles road, Hyde Park, from fire lieutenant at $93.48 a week to fire captain at $105.55 a week.

Paul J. O'Brien, 78 Aldrich street, Roslindale, from fire fighter at $77.58 a week to fire lieutenant at $89.46 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Dr. John J. Byrne, 125 Newton street, Weston, from coordinator of interns at $5,264 a year to director of Third Surgical Service at $8,000 a year.

Annie E. Forward, 29 Farquhar street, Roslindale, from senior clerk and stenographer at $65.50 a week to principal clerk at $68 a week.

Almon Dykeman, 64 Blue Hill avenue, Roxbury, from hospital medical worker at $50.50 a week to senior hospital medical worker at $53 a week.

Albert R. Bonetti, 341 Savin Hill avenue, Dorchester, from third-class stationary engineer (temporary) at $76.50 a week to third-class stationary engineer (permanent) at $76.50 a week.

Ann Donovan, 292 Pleasant street, Winthrop, from floor nurse at $63 a week to head nurse at $65.50 a week.

Anna Sedote, 420 Washington street, Dorchester, from floor nurse, at $65.50 a week to head nurse at $68 a week.

Francis X. Drummond, 29 Shafter street, Dorchester, from hospital medical worker (permanent) at $50.50 a week to senior X-ray technician (temporary) at $58 a week.

O. Roland Cantalupo, 544 Bennington street, East Boston, from hospital medical worker (permanent) at $50.50 a week to senior X-ray technician (temporary) at $58 a week.

James F. Flaherty, 43 Bowditch road, Jamaica Plain, from hospital medical worker at $50.50 a week to senior X-ray technician at $58 a week.

Long Island Division.

Eleanor M. Duffy, 215 Newbury street, from occupational therapist (permanent) at $60.50 a week to senior occupational therapist (temporary) at $63 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Highway Division.

Edward J. Murphy, 141 Eustis street, Roxbury, from highway construction inspector at $80 a week to highway district foreman at $83.50 a week.

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM PLUMBING FOR THE WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 22.

Plumber.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
G. Vallati	19 Buttonwood street	13	Fixtures	$1,200
G. Vallati	100 Dix street	16	Fixtures	600
A. Mehegan	Rear 2214 Dorchester avenue	17	Fixtures	8,000
C. Bevelander	6 Fern street	22	Fixtures	100
W. Joyce	273 Gallivan Boulevard	17	Fixtures	1,250
A. Fraser	175 Gardner street	20	Fixtures	110
A. Goldstein	80 Garnet road	20	Fixtures	75
L. Dunivan	3 Gay street	9	Fixtures	100
H. Geddis	430 La Grange street	20	Fixtures	275
M. Slishman	22 Lexington avenue	18	Fixtures	900
B. Gold	92 Westchester road	19	Fixtures	100
F. Losordo	216 Austin street	18	Fixtures	300
F. Losordo	220 Austin street	18	Fixtures	300
F. Losordo	224 Austin street	18	Fixtures	300
F. Losordo	228 Austin street	18	Fixtures	300
H. Eichel	5 Carmen street	14	Fixtures	225
S. Shulman	12 Dent street	20	Fixtures	825
M. Slavitz	17 Highgate street	21	Fixtures	275
E. Healy	219 Highland street	11	Fixtures	215
P. Janis	7–9 Lodgehill road	18	Fixtures	2,000
J. Long	66 Mariposa street	18	Fixtures	500
N. Prives	16 St. Rose street	11	Fixtures	200
F. Losordo	138 Sherrin street	18	Fixtures	300
F. Losordo	142 Sherrin street	18	Fixtures	300
F. Losordo	146 Sherrin street	18	Fixtures	300
F. Losordo	166 Sherrin street	18	Fixtures	300
F. Losordo	170 Sherrin street	18	Fixtures	300
H. Sandofsky	1120 Soldiers Field road	22	Fixtures	11,000
P. Sandborg	48 Alaric street	20	Fixtures	100
E. Parad	180 Austin street	18	Fixtures	850
P. Sandborg	345 Baker street	20	Fixtures	150
K. Hering	9 Boylston street	19	Fixtures	75
E. Parad	36 Charles street	18	Fixtures	1,150
E. Parad	41 Chesterfield street	18	Fixtures	1,150
A. Kaunfer	79 Harrison avenue	3	Fixtures	435
K. Hering	75 Jamaica street	11	Fixtures	200
C. Bevelander	29 Newton street	22	Fixtures	100
F. Kirkland	1 Pleasant street	18	Fixtures	900
C. Bevelander	7 Pratt street	21	Fixtures	100
C. Bevelander	37 Ridgemont street	21	Fixtures	100
K. Hering	22 Roseway street	19	Fixtures	70
H. Coughlan	10 Warren square	19	Fixtures	800
J. Woodacre	21 Whiting street	12	Fixtures	175
L. Ruotolo	55 Wordsworth street	1	Fixtures	60
A. Nickinello	144 Bowdoin street	3	Fixtures	11,000
B. Zieff	7 Buckingham street	18	Fixtures	100
E. Rothenberg	3 Edgewood street	12	Fixtures	1,200
D. Naimo	414 Hanover street	3	Fixtures	300
H. Heath	96 High street	2	Fixtures	300
A. Nickinello	Rear 903 Massachusetts av.	8	Fixtures	1,200
A. Amari	3 Navillus terrace	16	Fixtures	900
V. Giustina	205 Newbury street	5	Fixtures	175
F. Shomes	398 Newbury street	5	Fixtures	150
J. Madden	71 Safford street	18	Fixtures	1,100
R. Coughlan	23 Union avenue	11	Fixtures	800
G. Patey	221 Weld street	20	Fixtures	1,200
A. Milligan	15 Chisholm road	18	Fixtures	500
A. Grogan	14–16 Dresden street	19	Fixtures	800
P. Janis	11 Marcella street	11	Fixtures	20
D. Weinberg	12 Riverview street	20	Fixtures	800
A. Milligan	43 Roseclift street	18	Fixtures	1,000
I. Gerson	1070 Washington street	17	Fixtures	100
A. Nickinello	326 Adams street	16	Fixtures	1,000
W. Kocen	17 Chelsea street	1	Fixtures	400
J. Graham	25 Cresthill road	22	Fixtures	100
A. Lewis	6 Ericsson street	16	Fixtures	1,000
J. Crane	60 Everett street	22	Fixtures	250

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Sewer Division.

William F. Hannigan, 17 Margin street, Hyde Park, from foreman tide gate repairs at $90.50 a week to superintendent of sewer maintenance (temporary) at $98.75 a week.

Water Division.

Joseph H. Finneran, 36 Howe street, Dorchester, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior clerk at $55.50 a week.

William G. Reardon, 18 Elmwood street, Roxbury, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior clerk at $55.50 a week.

James M. Doherty, 295 Bunker Hill street, Charlestown, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior account clerk at $55.50 a week.

Transfer.

Hospital Department.

Ralph A. Plunkett, 15 Alicia road, Dorchester, from Hospital Department (Long Island Division) as plant superintendent at $136.75 a week to Hospital Department as plant superintendent (temporary) at $170 a week.

Leaves of Absence.

Boston Traffic Commission.

Gene J. DiBenedetto, 16 Bynner street, Jamaica Plain, parking meter collector, $65.50 a week.

Election Department.

Philip Kosky, 20 Kerwin street, Dorchester, assistant registrar of voters, $80 a week.

Hospital Department.

Main Division.

Celesta I. Whiskin, 1075 Pleasant street, Waverley, chief nurse anesthetist, $87 a week.

Carolyn McCormick, 75 Homer street, East Boston, floor nurse (part time), at $1.60 an hour.

Margaret Stapleton, 134 Federal street, Weymouth, hospital medical worker, $45.50 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

Elizabeth O'Day, 447 East Seventh street, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $45.50 a week.

Public Works Department.

Automotive Division.

Walter L. Farrell, 6 Victor street, Roxbury, garage attendant, $60.50 a week.

Water Division.

Mary M. L. McCarthy, 18 Newburn street, Roxbury, senior account clerk, $65.50 a week.

Step-Rate Increases.

Administrative Services Department.

Purchasing Division.

Mary F. Kirk, principal clerk and typist, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Health Department.

Health Division.

Helen Collins, deposition clerk, from $80 to $83.50 a week.

Eleanor R. Kiederis, clerk and typist, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Public Works Department.

Bridge Division.

Anthony Polcari, first assistant drawtender, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Charles F. Delano, assistant drawtender, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

John H. Weiss, first assistant drawtender, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Sanitary Division.

William M. Ennis, clerk and typist, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Joseph P. Sances, senior account clerk, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Walter F. McCoy, laborer, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Richard S. Best, laborer, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

James J. Feetham, laborer, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

George J. Lindsay, laborer, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

James H. Meagher, laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

James T. O'Connor, laborer, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

Joseph F. Williams, laborer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Edward T. L. Wollman, laborer, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Sumner Tunnel.

Bernard Manning, sergeant tollman guard, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Water Division.

John F. Darcy, plumber, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

John J. Flaherty, Jr., laborer, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

Robert H. Lewis, laborer, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

Warren J. Lynch, laborer, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

James J. McCabe, plumber, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Arthur J. Rivers, senior engineering aid (temporary), from $63 to $65.50 a week.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

Buildings Division.

John T. Duffy, junior building custodian, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Joseph W. Kain, junior building custodian, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Walter Watson, junior building custodian, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Eugene C. Carrideo, junior building custodian, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following request:

ELECTION DEPARTMENT.

Approval has been given to pay overtime to the following-named employees:

William L. Barry, senior assistant registrar, 44½ hours; Enrico Camerlengo, assistant registrar, 31½ hours; Mary Corbett, assistant registrar, 9 hours; Timothy Cronin, assistant registrar, 25 hours; William Cummings, senior assistant registrar, 31¾ hours; John A. Doyle, assistant registrar, 24 hours; Frederick Elliott, voting machine custodian, 55¼ hours; John A. Fein, assistant registrar, 31½ hours; John Flavin, senior assistant registrar, 11½ hours; Raymond Fraser, assistant registrar, 53½ hours; A. Joseph Haid, senior assistant registrar, 5½ hours; William U. Kane, assistant registrar, 29½ hours; Edward Kennedy, head clerk, 13 hours; Margaret Lang, executive secretary, 8 hours; John Ledwick, assistant registrar, 34½ hours; Guy E. Leone, assistant executive secretary, 15¾ hours; Peter Lynch, principal assistant registrar, 23½ hours; Robert MacRitchie, principal assistant registrar, 35 hours; Robert Marden, senior assistant registrar, 45½ hours; John McLaughlin, senior assistant registrar, 17 hours; Herbert Meyer, senior assistant registrar, 34½ hours; William Murphy, assistant registrar, 22 hours; Walter Murray, assistant registrar, 12 hours; Generoso Musto, assistant registrar, 51 hours; George Nichols, senior assistant registrar, 31½ hours; William O'Brien, voting machine custodian, 47½ hours; Kathleen O'Malley, assistant registrar, 29 hours; John J. Reilly, voting machine custodian, 50 hours; Ralph Richards, assistant registrar, 10½ hours; Lawrence Sullivan, senior assistant registrar, 48 hours; William Walsh, assistant registrar, 31½ hours; Alexander White, assistant registrar, 32¾ hours; Leo Willett, assistant registrar, 29½ hours.

VETERANS' RETIREMENTS.

The Mayor has approved the following veterans' applications for retirement:

Michael Stephen McGrann, 8 Laban Pratt road, Dorchester, disability pension analyst, Boston Retirement Board.

John Joseph Jason, 67 Hillside street, Roxbury, traffic sign supervisor, Boston Traffic Commission.

Dennis E. Finn, 7 North avenue, Roxbury, paver, Highway Division, Public Works Department.

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

Florence Dimino, 28 Prince street, Boston, in the sum of $295, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 2 Prince street, April 1, 1955.

Charles E. Wirtz, 41 Bowdoin avenue, Dorchester, in the sum of $153, as compensation for damage to property caused by a change in grade during the reconstruction of Bowdoin avenue by the Public Works Department in July, 1955.

TRANSFERS OF APPROPRIATIONS.

The Mayor has approved the following requests for transfers of appropriations:

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Paving Division.

From 100, Permanent Employees, $5,000, to 390, Miscellaneous Supplies and Materials, $5,000.

Sumner Tunnel.

From 270, Equipment Repairs, $169, to 500, Automotive Equipment, $169.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

MEDICAL EXAMINER SERVICE.

Northern Division.

From 346, Custodial Supplies and Materials, $19, to 599, Medical, Dental and Hospital Equipment, $19.

SUPERIOR CRIMINAL COURT.

From 298, Recording and Judicial Services, $7.50, to 498, Insurance, $7.50.

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Public Improvement Commission, with the approval of the Mayor, has ordered the following construction work:

Eight catch basins and connections in Mossdale road, between Moss Hill road and Moss Hill road, in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of $3,900.

Two catch basins and one drop inlet and connections in Driftwood road, at Mossdale road, in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of $900.

An 8-inch pipe sanitary sewer and an 8-inch pipe surface drain in Washington street (southeasterly side), between No. 5000 Washington street and 150 feet southwesterly, in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of $4,000.

Twenty-eight feet of 12-inch pipe overflow, 13 catch basins, and one drop inlet in Mossdale road, Centre street, West Roxbury; Lake street, Brighton; Columbus avenue, City Proper; and Vine street, Charlestown, at an estimated cost of $6,700.

One catch basin and connection in Cheryl Lane, in the Hyde Park district, at an estimated cost of $500.

AMENDMENT TO ORIGINAL AWARD OF DAMAGES.

The Public Improvement Commission has voted as follows:

That the amount of $1,000 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Dorothea Pastore for all damages sustained under the order of the Public Improvement Commission and Mayor of November 10, 1955, for the taking of land for School Buildings Department purposes bounded by Faywood avenue, Tower street, and Montmorenci avenue, East Boston.

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That the amount of $18,000 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Dorothea Pastore for all damages sustained under the order of the Public Improvement Commission and Mayor of June 10, 1955, for the taking of land for School Buildings Department purposes bounded by Faywood avenue, Tower street, and Montmorenci avenue, East Boston.

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That the amount of $200 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Patrick and Annie J. Hurley for all damages sustained under the order of the Public Improvement Commission and Mayor of January 6, 1955, for the laying out and construction of Auriga street, Dorchester district.

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That the amount of $100 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Sarah A. Petta for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of August 20, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Alvarado avenue, Hyde Park district.

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That the amount of $350 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to John and Erminia Dello Iacono for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of September 9, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Danny road, Hyde Park district.

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That the amount of $45 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Warren F. and Ruth S. Trask for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of September 10, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Corey terrace, West Roxbury district.

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That the amount of $391 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Margaret Deagle for all damages sustained under the order of the Public Improvement Commission and Mayor of August 4, 1954, for the widening and construction of Summit street, Hyde Park district.

WIDENING OF POPLAR STREET, WEST ROXBURY.

(Continued from page 1391.)

seven and 20-100 feet radius, two hundred forty-seven and 35-100 feet, one hundred sixty-seven and 90-100 feet, and twelve and 10-100 feet; southeasterly by the former boundary line between West Roxbury and Hyde Park, fifty and 77-100 feet; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Poplar street, by six measurements, 71-100 feet, one hundred sixty-one and 79-100 feet, two hundred forty-three and 81-100 feet, seventy-five and 56-100 feet on a curve of two hundred forty-seven and 20-100 feet, one hundred forty-two and 02-100 feet, and one hundred fifty-two and 40-100 feet; easterly by Deforest street, by two measurements, thirty-four and 07-100 feet and eighty-two and 89-100 feet; again easterly by the easterly line of Poplar street, three hundred one and 77-100 feet; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Poplar street, by six measurements, one hundred sixty-five and 36-100 feet on a curve of two hundred thirty-five and 00-100 feet radius, one hundred twenty-three and 87-100 feet, one hundred three and 60-100 feet on a curve of five hundred forty-seven and 52-100 feet radius, one hundred fifty and 78-100 feet, two hundred six and 84-100 feet on a curve of one thousand three hundred eighty-seven and 88-100 feet radius, and twenty-seven and 89-100 feet.

No betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award the contracts for work, materials, and supplies, in accordance with recommendations of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.
Purchasing Division.

Upon September 28 the Mayor approved a contract as requested in the following letter:

BOSTON, September 29, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

Attached is tabulation of bids received on proposals for furnishing groceries and canned goods to the various city departments from October 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, inclusive. These bids were publicly opened and read in this office on September 12, 1955.

No bids were received on Items 68, 67, 94, 97, 98, 100, and 145; no acceptable bid was received on Item 103. These items will be purchased in the open market when needed. Authority is requested to make awards for the items checked on the accompanying tabulation to the vendors at the prices as indicated. Approximate total amounts of awards will be as follows:

Contracts for Radio Foods Corporation, $28,213.50, net, delivered; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $19,818.21, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; George D. Emerson Company, $19,017.93, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $9,015.20, net; E. Sherman Company, $5,634.56, net, 30 days; Stokes Food Service, Inc., $4,105.15, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; H. J. Heinz Company, $4,051.70, net; American Flour Company, $3,641.49, net, 20 days; Independent Cash and Carry, Inc., $2,805.67, net, 10 days; Monarch Finer Foods, a Division of Consolidated Foods Corporation, $1,938.35, net; Kellogg Sales Company, $1,178.07, net, 30 days; Megowen-Educator Food Company, $1,398.01, net, 30 days; T. A. Faulds Company, a Division of Vaka Brothers Corporation, $1,259.25, net; National Biscuit Company, $1,040, net.

Orders for Ralston Purina Company, $697.50, net, 30 days; Vintage Brand Foods, $132.60, net, 30 days.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

Bids were as follows:

Groceries and Canned Goods.

Item 1. 105 Cases Apples, Sliced, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $4.98*; Radio Foods Corporation, $5.75; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $5.20.

Item 2. 395 Cases Applesauce, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $4.23; Independent Cash & Carry, Inc., $4.47; Monarch Finer Foods, $4.20; Radio Foods Corporation, $3.85; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $3.829*; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $4.10.

Item 3. 180 Cases Apricots, Halves, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $5.74*; E. Sherman Company, $6.49; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $6.519; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $6.25.

Item 4. 200 Cases Fruit Cocktail, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $7.47; Independent Cash & Carry, Inc., $7.52; Monarch Finer Foods, $7.65; Radio Foods Corporation, $7.10*; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $7.336; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $7.50.

Item 5. 20 Cases Grapefruit, Whole, 12/50-Ounce, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $5.08; Independent Cash & Carry, Inc., $4.94; Monarch Finer Foods, $4.90; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $4.95.*

Item 6. 30 Cases Grapefruit Sections, 12/50-Ounce, U. S. Broken, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $5.08; Radio Foods Corporation, $4.55*; E. Sherman Company, $4.93, 12/46-ounce.

Item 7. 385 Cases Peaches, Halves, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $6.13; Monarch Finer Foods, $6.25; Radio Foods Corporation, $6.25; E. Sherman Company, $6.66; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $6.10.*

Item 8. 500 Cases Peaches, Sliced, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $6.22*; Monarch Finer Foods, $6.40; Radio Foods Corporation, $6.35; E. Sherman Company, $6.76.

Item 9. 540 Cases Pears, Halves, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $7.08*; Monarch Finer Foods, $7.45; Radio Foods Corporation, $7.15; E. Sherman Company, $7.64; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $7.336; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $7.25.

Item 10. 120 Cases Pineapple, Crushed, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $5.92; Independent Cash & Carry, Inc., $5.81; Radio Foods Corporation, $5.75; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $5.85.*

Item 11. 200 Cases Pineapple, Broken, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $6.42*; Independent Cash & Carry, Inc., $6.39; Monarch Finer Foods, $6.35; Radio Foods Corporation, $6.35; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $6.45.

Item 12. 120 Cases Pineapple, Sliced, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $7.18*; Independent Cash & Carry, Inc., $7.04; Radio Foods Corporation, $7.10; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $7.20.

Item 13. 180 Cases Plums, Purple, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $4.42*; Independent Cash & Carry, Inc., $4.47; Radio Foods Corporation, $4.70; E. Sherman Company, $4.94; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $4.90.

Item 14. 80 Cases Nectarized Prunes, 6/10, Choice, in Heavy Syrup, 40/50 Cutout, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $7.08; Radio Foods Corporation, $6.30; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $6.349; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $6.35.*

Item 15. 30 Cases Asparagus Tips, All Green, Blended, Medium, Large, 24/2-Ounce or 24/3-Ounce, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $10.95, No. 2 cans; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $10.34, 24 No. 2 cans; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $9.80, 24 No. 2 cans.*

Item 16. 95 Cases Asparagus, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $8.68*; E. Sherman Company, $9.57; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $9.05.

Item 17. 30 Cases Baked Beans, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $4.30; Radio Foods Corporation, $4.35; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $4.169*; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $4.35.

Item 18. 700 Cases Stringless Beans, Cut, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $3.58*; Independent Cash & Carry, Inc., $4.24; Monarch Finer Foods, $3.85; Radio Foods Corporation, $4.35; E. Sherman Company, $3.93; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $3.596; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $3.85.

Item 19. 200 Cases Wax Beans, Cut, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $4.20*; Monarch Finer Foods, $4.40; Radio Foods Corporation, $4.35; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $4.329; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $4.40.

Item 20. 80 Cases Lima Beans, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $5.45; Monarch Finer Foods, $5.45; Radio Foods Corporation, $4.65*; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $6.40.

Item 21. 465 Cases Sliced Beets, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $3.83; Radio Foods Corporation, $3.60*; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $3.696; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $3.70.

Item 22. 180 Cases Diced Carrots, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $3.18; Radio Foods Corporation, $3.10; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $3.079*; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $3.35.

Item 23. 570 Cases Cream Style Corn, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $1.18; Radio Foods Corporation, $1.*

Item 24. 75 Cases Cream Style Corn, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $3.40, 24/303; Monarch Finer Foods, $2.85 24/303; Radio Foods Corporation, $2.75, 24/303*; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $2.95, 24/303.

Item 25. 75 Cases Cranberry Sauce, Strained, 6/10, Per Case.— George D. Emerson Company, $5.68*; Independent Cash & Carry, Inc., $5.88; Monarch Finer Foods, $5.75; Radio Foods Corporation, $5.80; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $5.610; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $5.70.

Item 26. 50 Cases Mushrooms, Pieces and Stems, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $16.18; Monarch Finer Foods, $15.25; E. Sherman Company, $16.77; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $15.50.*

Item 27. 835 Cases Peas, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $4.54; Monarch Finer Foods, $4.60; Radio Foods Corporation, $4.30*; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $4.55.

Item 28. 10 Cases White Onion Flakes, Dehydrated, 6/10, Per Case.— George D. Emerson Company, $7.90; H. J. Heinz Company, $8.45, Heinz, sliced magic, 1¾ Cases; Independent Cash & Carry, Inc., $7.04; Monarch Finer Foods, $6.78; Radio Foods Corporation, $7.60; E. Sherman Company, $6.96, 2 pounds net per can, or 2/16-pound at 31 cents per pound*; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $6.84; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $6.90.

Item 29. 30 Cases Pimientos, 24/14-Ounce, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $8.45; E. Sherman Company, $7.09*; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $7.388; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $7.60.

Item 30. 70 Cases Sweet Potatoes, 6/10, U.S. Grade A, in Light Syrup, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company $6.20; Independent Cash & Carry, Inc., $5.29; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $5.25.*

Item 31. 5 Cases Squash, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $3.55; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $3.50.*

Item 32. 185 Cases Sauerkraut, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $2.70*; Monarch Finer Foods, $2.75; Radio Foods Corporation, $2.75; E. Sherman Company, $2.76; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $2.848; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $3.10.

Item 33. 105 Cases Spinach, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $3.45; Independent Cash & Carry, Inc., $3.44; Monarch Finer Foods, $3.35; Radio Foods Corporation, $3.35; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $3.196*; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $3.35.

Item 34. 790 Cases Tomatoes, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $4.68; Radio Foods Corporation, $5.35; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $4.65.*

Item 35. 150 Cases Tomatoes, X-Standard, California Pack, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $4.83; Monarch Finer Foods, $4.55*; E. Sherman Company, $4.62.

Item 36. 15 Cases Tomato Ketchup, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $6.20; Monarch Finer Foods, $5.94; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $5.95.*

Item 37. 125 Cases Tomato Ketchup, 24/14-Ounce, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $4.65; Monarch Finer Foods, $4.25; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $4; Stokes Food Service, Inc., $3.99, Snider's.*

Item 38. 140 Cases Tomato Paste, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $6.58*; E. Sherman Company, $6.84; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $6.80.

Dietetic Fruits and Vegetables.

Item 39. 450 Cases Tomato Puree, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $4.12; Radio Foods Corporation, $4; E. Sherman Company, $4.19; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $4.*

Item 40. 25 Cases Apricots, Halves, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $5.95; Independent Cash & Carry, Inc., $5.89, 24/12*; Monarch Finer Foods, $5.35, 24/303; Radio Foods Corporation, $5.45; 24/303; E. Sherman Company, $5.45, 24/303; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $5.40, 24/303.

Item 41. 15 Cases Peaches, Halves, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $6.18, 24/303; Independent Cash & Carry, Inc., $5.34, 24/12*; Monarch Finer Foods, $4.30, 24/303; Radio Foods Corporation, $5.66, 24/303; E. Sherman Company, $5.29, 24/303; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $6.45, 24/303.

Item 42. 15 Cases Peaches, Slices, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $6.23, 24/303; Independent Cash & Carry, Inc., $5.34, 24/12*; Monarch Finer Foods, $4.56, 24/303; Radio Foods Corporation, $5.71, 24/303; E. Sherman Company, $5.35, 24/303; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $6.50.

Item 43. 30 Cases Pears, Halves, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $6.73, 24/303; Independent Cash & Carry, Inc., $6.22, 24/12*; Monarch Finer Foods, $5.56, 24/303; Radio Foods Corporation, $6.30, 24/303; E. Sherman Company, $5.95, 24/303; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $6.25.

Item 44. 50 Cases Stringless Beans, Cut, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $4.30, 24/303; Independent Cash & Carry, Inc., $4.79, 24/303; Monarch Finer Foods, $3.75, 24/303*; Radio Foods Corporation, $4.43, 24/303; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $4.

Item 45. 50 Cases Wax Beans, Cut, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $4.30, 24/303; Independent Cash & Carry, Inc., $5.01, 24/303; Monarch Finer Foods, $3.96, 24/303*; Radio Foods Corporation, $4.43, 24/303; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $4.20.

Item 46. 60 Cases Asparagus, All Green, Cut, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $7.80, 24/303; Monarch Finer Foods, $5.85, 24/303.*

Item 47. 35 Cases Cream Style Corn, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $5.40, 24/303; Independent Cash & Carry, Inc., $3.79, 24/303; Radio Foods Corporation, $3.64, 24/303; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $3.60.*

Item 48. 25 Cases Whole Kernel Corn, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $5.40, 24/303; Independent Cash & Carry, Inc., $4.09, 24/303; Monarch Finer Foods, $3.53, 24/303*; Radio Foods Corporation, $4.26, 24/303; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $3.80.

Item 49. 40 Cases Diced Carrots, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $3.80, 24/303; Independent Cash & Carry, Inc., $3.79, 24/12; Radio Foods Corporation, $2.53, 24/303*; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $3.05.

Item 50. 55 Cases Peas, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $5.30, 24/303; Independent Cash & Carry, Inc., $4.79, 24/303; Monarch Finer Foods, $3.86, 24/303*; Radio Foods Corporation, $4.43, 24/303; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $4.55.

Item 51. 10 Cases Tomatoes, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $5.40, 24/303; Monarch Finer Foods, $5.39, 24/2*; Radio Foods Corporation, $4.91, 24/303; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $6.16.

Item 52. 5 Cases Tomato Juice, Per Case.—Monarch Finer Foods, $2.58, 24/2*; Radio Foods Corporation, $3.26, 24/303; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $3.45.

Jams and Jellies.

Item 53. 60 Cases Raspberry Jam, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $13.45, 49.5 pounds; Independent Cash & Carry, Inc., $12.09, 51 pounds; E. Sherman Company, $10.98, 50¼ pounds*; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $12.196; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $12, 49½ pounds; New England Importation Company, Inc., $12, 8 pounds 6 ounces; Vintage Brand Foods, $11, 49½ pounds.

Item 54. 57 Cases Strawberry Jam, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $12.95, 49.5 pounds; Independent Cash & Carry, Inc., $12.98, 51 pounds; E. Sherman Company, $12.58, 50¼ pounds; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $12.196; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $12, 49½ pounds*; New England Importation Company, Inc., $14.25, 8 pounds 6 ounces.

Item 55. 32 Cases Apple Jelly, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $6.20; Independent Cash & Carry, Inc., $6.14, 51 pounds*; E. Sherman Company, $6.47, 50¼ pounds; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $6.049; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $6, 49½ pounds; New England Importation Company, Inc., $6.75, 8 pounds 4 ounces; Vintage Brand Foods, $5.90, 49½ pounds.

Item 56. 12 Cases Currant Jelly, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $12.45; Independent Cash & Carry, Inc., $10.80, 51 pounds; E. Sherman Company, $8.42, 50¼ pounds*; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $10.246; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $10.25, 49½ pounds; New England Importation Company, Inc., $8.60, 8 pounds 4 ounces; Vintage Brand Foods, $9, 49½ pounds.

Item 57. 33 Cases Grape Jelly, 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $7.93; Independent Cash & Carry, Inc., $7.69, 51 pounds; E. Sherman Company, $8.07, 50¼ pounds; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $7.246; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $7.25, 49½ pounds*; New England Importation Company, Inc., $7.75, 8 pounds 4 ounces.

Juices.

Item 58. 570 Cases Apple Juice, 4-Gallon or 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $2.23; Independent Cash & Carry, Inc., $2.179; E. Sherman Company, $2.84, 12/46-ounce; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $2.137, 4-gallon; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $2.80, 12/46-ounce; Radio Foods Corporation, $2.09, 4-gallon*; Monarch Finer Foods, $2.12, 4-gallon.

Item 59. 670 Cases Cranberry Juice, Ocean Spray, 4-Gallon, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $5.88; Independent Cash & Carry, Inc., $5.76; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $5.689*; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $5.90; Radio Foods Corporation, $5.90; Monarch Finer Foods, $5.85.

Item 60. 740 Cases Grapefruit Juice, Natural, 12/46-Ounce or 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $2.73, 12/46-ounce; E. Sherman Company, $2.64, 12/46-ounce; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $2.60, 12/46-ounce; Radio Foods Corporation, $2.55, 12/46-ounce, $2.60, 6/10*; Monarch Finer Foods, $2.69, 12/46-ounce.

Item 61. 115 Cases Grape Juice, Natural, 12-Quart, Per Case.—Independent Cash & Carry, Inc., $3.27, 12/24-ounce; E. Sherman Company, $4.09; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $4.057*; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $4.25.

Item 62. 40 Cases Orange Juice, Natural, Valencia, 12/46-Ounce, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $3.83*; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $3.85.

Item 63. 565 Cases Pineapple Juice, 12/46-Ounce or 6/10, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $2.84, 6/10; Independent Cash & Carry, Inc., $2.79, 12/46-ounce, $2.93, 6/10; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $2.746, 12/46-ounce; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $2.84, 12/46-ounce; Radio Foods Corporation, $2.65, 12/46-ounce,* $2.80, 6/10; Monarch Finer Foods, $2.75, 12/46-ounce.

Item 64. 80 Cases Prune Juice, Natural, 6/10 or 12/46-Ounce, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $4.45, 12/46-ounce; Independent Cash & Carry, Inc., $4.14, 12/46-ounce; E. Sherman Company, $4.44, 6/10; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $4.30; Radio Foods Corporation, $4.05, 12/46-ounce*; Monarch Finer Foods, $4.30, 12/46-ounce.

Item 65. 20 Cases Tangerine Juice, Fancy, 12/46-Ounce, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $3.15; Stoll & Co., Inc., $2.716*; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $3.25; Radio Foods Corporation, $2.90.

Item 66. 790 Cases Tomato Juice, 6/10 or 12/46-Ounce, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $3.23, 12/46-ounce; $2.93, 6/10; Independent Cash & Carry, Inc., $2.94, 12/46-ounce; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $2.967; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $2.95, 12/46-ounce; Radio Foods Corporation, $2.50, 6/10,* $2.75, 12/46-ounce; Monarch Finer Foods, $2.87, 12/46-ounce.

Item 67. 50 Cases V-8 Cocktail, 12/46-Ounce, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $4.40; Independent Cash & Carry, Inc., $4.09; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $4.069; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $4.15; Radio Foods Corporation, $3.99.*

Dried Fruits and Vegetables.

Item 68. 500 Pounds Currants, 30's.—No bids.

Item 69. 600 Pounds Prunes, 40/50, 30's, Per Pound.—George D. Emerson Company, 26.4 cents; E. Sherman Company, 22.93 cents.*

Item 70. 3,700 Pounds Prunes, 50/60, 30's, Per Pound.—George D. Emerson Company, 23.9 cents; Independent Cash & Carry, Inc., 23.5 cents; E. Sherman Company, 21.97 cents.*

Item 71. 3,000 Pounds Raisins, 30's, Per Pound.—George D. Emerson Company, 14.4 cents; E. Sherman Company, 14.16 cents; Radio Foods Corporation, 13.75 cents.*

Item 72. 170 Bags Pea Beans, 100's, Per Bag.—George D. Emerson Company, $9.97; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $9.60; Radio Foods Corporation, $9.25.*

Item 73. 20 Bags Red Kidney Beans, 100's, Per Bag.—George D. Emerson Company, $12.70; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $13.55; Radio Foods Corporation, $11.85.*

Item 74. 75 Bags Yellow Split Peas, 100's, Per Bag.—George D. Emerson Company, $9.95*; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $11.25; Radio Foods Corporation, $10.45.

Item 75. 2 Bags Green Split Peas, 100's, Per Bag.—Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $11.50*; Radio Foods Corporation, $11.75.

Item 76. 10 Bags Barley, 100's.—No bids.

Item 77. 50 Bags Rice, 100's, Per Bag.—George D. Emerson Company, $11.40; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $10.10*; American Flour Company, $11.23.

Soups, Campbell's, or Heinz, 12/5.

Item 78. 400 Cases Tomato, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $5.33; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $5.196; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $4.95; Radio Foods Corporation, $5.05; H. J. Heinz Company, $4.70, Heinz, 51-ounce.*

Item 79. 150 Cases Mushroom, Per Case.—Independent Cash & Carry, Inc., $7.478; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $7.456; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $7.45; Radio Foods Corporation, $7.49; H. J. Heinz Company, $7.20, Heinz, 51-ounce.*

Item 80. 56 Cases Chicken Noodle, Per Case.—Independent Cash & Carry, Inc., $7.478; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $7.456; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $7.45; Radio Foods Corporation, $7.49; H. J. Heinz Company, $7.20, Heinz, 51-ounce.*

Item 81. 10 Cases Celery, Per Case.—Independent Cash & Carry, Inc., $6.118; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $6.139; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $6.10*; Radio Foods Corporation, $6.08.

Item 82. 50 Cases Vegetable, Per Case.—Independent Cash & Carry, Inc., $6.118; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $6.139; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $6.10; Radio Foods Corporation, $6.08; H. J. Heinz Company, $5.85, Heinz, 51-ounce.*

Item 83. 25 Cases Chicken, Per Case.—Independent Cash & Carry, Inc., $7.478; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $7.45; Radio Foods Corporation, $7.49; H. J. Heinz Company, $7.20, noodle, Heinz, 51-ounce.*

Item 84. 12 Cases Vegetable with Beef, Per Case.—Independent Cash & Carry, Inc., $7.478; M. Stoll & Company, Inc., $7.456; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $7.45; Radio Foods Corporation, $7.49; H. J. Heinz Company, $7.20, Heinz, beef with vegetable, 51-ounce.*

Item 85. 18 Cases Chicken, with Rice, Per Case.—Independent Cash & Carry, Inc., $7.478; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $7.456; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $7.45; Radio Foods Corporation, $7.49; H. J. Heinz Company, $7.20, Heinz, 51-ounce.*

Cereals and Crackers.

Item 86. 3,800 Pounds Farina, N-W-261-A, Type 1A, 50's, Per Pound.—Radio Foods Corporation, 6.95 cents; American Flour Company, 6.85 cents.*

Item 87. 9,000 Pounds Whole Wheat Cereal, N-W-261-A, Type 3A, 50's, Per Pound.—Ralston Purina Company, 7.75 cents, Ralston.*

Item 88. 15,000 Pounds Rolled Oats, N-O-41-A, Type 1, 50's, Per Pound.—Radio Foods Corporation, 5.5 cents*; American Flour Company, 5.77 cents, Ralston Purina Company, 6.1 cents, Ralston.

Item 89. 250 Cases Corn Flakes, 24/12-Ounce, Kellogg, or Equal, Per Case.—Kellogg Sales Company, $3.24, Kellogg*; Ralston Purina Company, $3.52, Ralston.

Item 90. 35 Cases Rice Krispies, 36/5½-Ounce, Kellogg, or Equal, Per Case.—Kellogg Sales Company, $4.40, Kellogg*; Ralston Purina Company, $3.87, 24/6-ounce, Ralston.

Item 91. 3,000 Pounds Maltex, 100's, Per Bag.—M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $11.31*; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $11.60; George D. Emerson Company, $12.18.

Item 92. 15 Cases All Bran, 12/1-Ounce, Kellogg, or Equal, Per Case.—Kellogg Sales Company, $2.538, Kellogg*; National Biscuit Company, $2.538, Nabisco, 100 per cent bran.

Item 93. 35 Cases Shredded Wheat, 24/12-Ounce, Kellogg, or Equal, Per Case.—Kellogg Sales Company, $3.60, Kellogg*; National Biscuit Company, $3.648; Ralston Purina Company, $3.60, biscuits, Ralston.

Item 94. 34 Cases Enriched Farina, Quaker, or Equal, 24/28-Ounce.—No bids.

Item 95. 50 Cases Maltex, 18/22-Ounce, Per Case.—M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $5.113*; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $5.25.

Item 96. 16 Cases Pep, 24/10-Ounce, Kellogg, or Equal, Per Case.—Kellogg Sales Company, $3.75, Kellogg.*

Item 97. 50 Cases Pettijohns, 12/18-Ounce.—No bids.

Item 98. 10 Cases Grapenuts, 24/10½-Ounce.—No bids.

Item 99. 100 Cases Sugar Frosted Flakes, 24/10-Ounce, Kellogg, or Equal, Per Case.—Kellogg Sales Company, $4.93, Kellogg.*

Item 100. 120 Cases Sugar Smacks, 12/9-Ounce, Kellogg, or Equal, Per Case.—Kellogg Sales Company, $2.475, Kellogg.*

Item 101. 40 Cases Maypo Oat Cereal, 18/20-Ounce, Per Case.—M. Stoll & Company, Inc., $5.113*; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $5.25.

Item 102. 6,100 Pounds Saltines (Approximately 150 Count Per Pound), NBC, or Equal, 1-Pound, Per Pound.—George D. Emerson Company, 24 cents; Megowen-Educator Food Company, 18.93 cents; National Biscuit Company, 21.1 cents, NBC; Sunshine Biscuits, Inc., 21.1 cents, Sunshine Krispy.

Item 103. 1,600 Pounds Saltines (Approximately 150 Count Per Pound), NBC, or Equal, 2-Pound, Per Pound.—Bids rejected.

Item 104. 4,000 Pounds Graham Crackers, 1-Pound, NBC, or Equal, Per Pound.—Megowen-Educator Food Company, 22.5 cents, 10-ounce package; National Biscuit Company, 26 cents, NBC*; Sunshine Biscuits, Inc., 26 cents, Sunshine Graham, 1 pound.

Item 105. 400 Pounds Oyster Crackers, Bulk, Dandy, or Equal, Per Pound.—Megowen-Educator Food Company, 20.3 cents*; National Biscuit Company, 22.5 cents, Dandy; Sunshine Biscuits, Inc., 23 cents, Sunshine Oyster, bulk.

Item 106. 1,600 Pounds Cracker Meal, Bulk, Top Quality, Per Pound.—M. Stoll & Co., Inc., 11.29 cents, 15 pounds or 25 pounds; American Flour Company, 11.2 cents, 25 pounds; George D. Emerson Company, 11.9 cents; Megowen-Educator Food Company, 10.13 cents*; National Biscuit Company, 15.9 cents, 25 pounds; Sunshine Biscuits, Inc., 15.9 cents, 25 pounds, Sunshine cracker meal.

Cake Mixes.

Item 107. 1,400 Pounds Biscuit Mix, Per Pound.—American Flour Company, 12.5 cents*; T. A. Faulds Company, 12.8 cents, Red-E-Made.

Item 108. 1,300 Pounds Bran Muffin Mix, Per Pound.—American Flour Company, 12.25 cents; T. A. Faulds Company, 12.25 cents, Red-E-Made.*

Item 109. 1,900 Pounds Corn Muffin Mix, Per Pound.—American Flour Company, 12.24 cents*; T. A. Faulds Company, 12.25 cents, Red-E-Made.

Item 110. 3,600 Pounds Chocolate Cake Mix, Per Pound.—American Flour Company, 15.23 cents*; T. A. Faulds Company, 15.24 cents, Red-E-Made.

Item 111. 1,200 Pounds Coffee Cake Mix, Per Pound.—American Flour Company, 10.75 cents; T. A. Faulds Company, 10.25 cents, Red-E-Made.

Item 112. 4,500 Pounds Ginger Bread Mix, Per Pound.—American Flour Company, 13.25 cents; T. A. Faulds Company, 13 cents, Red-E-Made.*

Item 113. 2,800 Pounds Spice Cake Mix, Per Pound.—American Flour Company, 14.5 cents; T. A. Faulds Company, 14 cents, Red-E-Made.*

Item 114. 4,000 Pounds White Cake Mix, Per Pound.—American Flour Company, 13.49 cents*; T. A. Faulds Company, 14 cents, Red-E-Made.

Assorted Puddings and Flavored Gelatine.

Item 115. 3,100 Pounds Butterscotch Pudding, Per Pound.—Standard Brands, Inc., 23.44 cents, 6/5-pound, Royal; Stokes Food Service, Inc., 23.40 cents, 6/5-pound, Jello.*

Item 116. 3,000 Pounds Chocolate Pudding, Per Pound.—Standard Brands, Inc., 26.04 cents, 6/4½-pound, Royal; Stokes Food Service, Inc., 26 cents, 6/4½-pound, Jello.

Item 117. 3,300 Pounds Vanilla Pudding, Per Pound.—Standard Brands, Inc., 23.44 cents, 6/5-pound, Royal; Stokes Food Service, Inc., 23.40 cents, 6/5-pound, Jello.*

Item 118. 4,400 Pounds Assorted Gelatin, Per Pound.—Standard Brands, Inc., 30.24 cents, 6/4½-pound, Royal; Stokes Food Service, Inc., 30.20 cents, 6/4½-pound, Jello.*

Spaghetti and Marcaroni.

Item 119. 2,000 Pounds Macaroni, Plain, 20's, Per Pound.—Independent Cash & Carry, Inc., 11.29 cents*; E. Sherman Company, 11.84 cents.

Item 120. 5,000 Pounds Macaroni, Elbow, 20's, Per Pound.—Independent Cash & Carry, Inc., 11.29 cents*; E. Sherman Company, 11.44 cents.

Item 121. 9,000 Pounds Spaghetti, 20's, Per Pound.—Independent Cash & Carry, Inc., 11.29 cents*; E. Sherman Company, 11.64 cents.

Item 122. 1,400 Pounds Egg Noodles, 10's, Per Pound.— E. Sherman Company, 21.44 cents.*

Fish.

Item 123. 160 Cases Clams, Chopped, Snow's, or Equal, 12/51-Ounce, Per Case.—Independent Cash & Carry, Inc., $12.34; Monarch Finer Foods, $12.45; Radio Foods Corporation, $12.25; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $12.50*; George D. Emerson Company, $12.73.

Item 124. 25 Cases Crabmeat, Japanese, 48½, Per Case.—E. Sherman Company, $23.49, 6½-ounce*; Monarch Finer Foods, $26, 6¼-ounce, Japanese; George D. Emerson Company, $32.90, 48½-ounce.

Item 125. 10 Cases Sardines, in Oil, Maine, 100/¼, Per Case.—Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $8.*

Item 126. 40 Cases Fancy Red Alaska Salmon, Sockeye, 48/1-Pound.—Per Case.—E. Sherman Company, $34.96; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $34.50*; George D. Emerson Company, $36.20.

Item 127. 15 Cases Tuna, White Meat, Solid Pack, Fancy, in Oil, 48½, Per Case.—Independent Cash & Carry, Inc., $15.31, 7-ounce; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $14.25*; George D. Emerson Company, $14.45, 7-ounce.

Item 128. 10 Cases Tuna Meat, White, Solid Pack, Fancy, in Oil, 48/13-Ounce, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $27.90.*

Item 129. 25 Cases Tuna, White Meat, Solid Pack, Fancy, in Brine, 12/72-Ounce or Approximate, Per Case.—Independent Cash & Carry, Inc., $12.89, 6/66½-ounce; E. Sherman Company, $26.05, 72/74½-ounce*; Monarch Finer Foods, $24.95, 12/66-ounce; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $2.088 per tin, 66½-ounce, Japanese; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $25.85, 66½-ounce; George D. Emerson Company, $27.50, 74-ounce.

Miscellaneous.

Item 130. 45 Cases Accent, 12/1-Pound, Per Case.—E. Sherman Company, $19.92, or brand equal to Accent; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $19.86*; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $21.32.

Item 131. 30 Cases Ammonia, 12/Quart (Household, Minimum 11 Per Cent), Per Case.—M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $1.398*; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $1.45.

Item 132. 60 Cases Cornstarch, 24/1-Pound, Per Case.—Vintage Brand Foods, $2.21, lined paper bags*; Radio Foods Corporation, $2.49; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $2.449; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $2.50.

Item 133. 2,600 Pounds Dry Skim Milk, Spray Process, 200's, Per Pound.—Radio Foods Corporation, 18½ cents, 225's; American Flour Company, 17 cents*; George D. Emerson Company, 19.9 cents.

Item 134. 3,000 Pounds Whole Dry Milk, Spray Process, 26 Per Cent Butterfat, 200's, Per Pound.—American Flour Company, 38 cents*; George D. Emerson Company, 41.9 cents.

Item 135. 60 Cases Evaporated Milk, 48/Tall, Per Case.—Radio Foods Corporation, $5.60.*

Item 136. 1,100 Cases Evaporated Milk, 6/10, Per Case.—Radio Foods Corporation, $5.85*; George D. Emerson Company, $6.18.

Item 137. 550 Gallons Molasses, Approximately 55/Gallon Barrel, Per Gallon.—Radio Foods Corporation, 82 cents; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., 59.7 cents.*

Item 138. 660 Gallons Cider Vinegar, Approximately 55/Gallon Barrel, Per Gallon.—Independent Cash & Carry, Inc., 28.9 cents*; Radio Foods Corporation, 27 cents, plus $2 deposit on barrel, approximately $24; George D. Emerson Company, 33 cents.

Item 139. 1,224 Pounds Peanut Butter, 4/8½-Pound Jars, Per Pound.—M. Stoll & Co., Inc., 33 cents; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., 33 cents; George D. Emerson Company, 32 cents.*

Item 140. 2,000 Dozen Strained Fruits and Vegetables, Assorted, Per Dozen.—Radio Foods Corporation, $1.09; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $1.05.*

Item 141. 330 Dozen Strained Meats, Assorted, Per Dozen.—Radio Foods Corporation, $2.52; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $2.40.*

Item 142. 1,000 Pounds Minute Tapioca, 4/5-Pound or 6/5-Pound, Per Pound.—Stokes Food Service, Inc., 32.10 cents, 4/5-pound, Minute; E. Sherman Company, 23.64 cents, 4/5-pound,* 23.64 cents, 6/5-pound; George D. Emerson Company, 22 cents, 100-pound bags.

Item 143. 2,100 Pounds Breakfast Cocoa, 6/5-Pound, Per Pound.—Stokes Food Service, Inc., 66 cents, Baker's; E. Sherman Company, 48.49 cents.*

Item 144. 2,000 Pounds Breakfast Cocoa, Approximately 100-Pound Bags, Per Pound.—George D. Emerson Company, 49 cents; E. Sherman Company, 42.43 cents*; Stokes Food Service, Inc., 63.04 cents, Baker's 50-pound drums.

Item 145. 10 Bags Baking Soda, U. S. P., 100's.—No Bids.

Item 146. 40 Gallons Fancy Spanish Stuffed Olives, 280/300 Count, 4-Gallon, Per Gallon.— M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $3.159*; Independent Cash & Carry, Inc., $3.29.

Item 147. 80 Gallons Fancy Sweet Cross-cut Pickles, 4/Gallon, Per Gallon.— M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $1.268*; Monarch Finer Foods, $1.40.

Item 148. 152 Gallons Fancy Dill Pickles, 35/40 Count, 4/Gallon, Per Gallon.—Independent Cash & Carry, Inc., $1.08; Monarch Finer Foods, $1.*

Item 149. 100 Gallons Fancy Sweet Mixed Pickles, 4/Gallon, Per Gallon.— George D. Emerson Company, $1.45; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $1.356; Independent Cash & Carry, Inc., $1.18*; Monarch Finer Foods, $1.40.

Item 150. 64 Gallons Fancy Sweet Mustard Pickles, 4/Gallon, Per Gallon.— M. Stoll & Co., Inc., $1.436*; Monarch Finer Foods, $2.60.

Item 151. 100 Cases Spaghetti Sauce, with Meat, 6/10, Chef-Boy-Ar-Dee Only, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $6.70; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $6.30*; Radio Foods Corporation, $6.25; Independent Cash & Carry, Inc., $6.209.

Item 152. 30 Cases Spaghetti Sauce, Meatless, 6/10, Chef-Boy-Ar-Dee Only, Per Case.—George D. Emerson Company, $6.70; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $6.30*; Radio Foods Corporation, $6.25; Independent Cash & Carry, Inc., $6.209.

Item 153. 225 Bags Granulated Table Salt, 100's, Per Bag.—American Flour Company, $1.35*; Thomas F. Culkeen, $1.45.

Item 154. 192 Pounds Assorted Junket, 1-Pound, Per Pound.—Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., 63 cents.*

Salad Dressing and Mayonnaise.

Item 155. 560 Gallons Mayonnaise, Per Gallon.—George D. Emerson Company, $1.92, Old Gold; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $1.65, Metro; Radio Foods Corporation, $1.52½, Roberts*; Stokes Food Service, Inc., $2.09, McCormick; Monarch Finer Foods, $1.75, Monarch; New England Importation Company, Inc., $1.69½, Muri.

Item 156. 500 Gallons Salad Dressing, Per Gallon.—George D. Emerson Company, $1.62, Roberts; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., $1.38, Suffolk; Radio Foods Corporation, $1.30 Roberts*; Stokes Food Service, Inc., $1.65, McCormick; Monarch Finer Foods, $1.45, Monarch; Standard Brands, Inc., $1.60, Fleischmann's Famous Inn; New England Importation Company, Inc., $1.43½, Muri.

Discount.—American Flour Company, net, 20 days; Thomas F. Culkeen, 2 per cent, time of payment; George D. Emerson Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; T. A. Faulds Company, net; H. J. Heinz Company, net; Independent Cash & Carry, Inc., net, 10 days; Kellogg Sales Company, net, 30 days; Megowan-Educator Food Company, net, 30 days; Monarch Finer Foods, net; National Biscuit Company, net; New England Importation Company, Inc., 1 per cent; Radio Foods Corporation, net, delivered; Ralston Purina Company, net, 30 days; E. Sherman Company, net, 30 days; Standard Brands, Inc., net, 30 days; Stokes Food Service, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., net; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Sunshine Biscuits, Inc., net; Vintage Brand Foods, net, 30 days.

Remarks.—National Biscuit Company, no bid at Auditor's; M. Stoll & Co., Inc., reserves the right to revise quotations if not notified of acceptance by October 1, 1955; Suffolk Grocery Company, Inc., Item 156, Auditor's copy is $1.37 per gallon.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon November 4 the Mayor approved contracts with bidders as requested in the following letter:

BOSTON, November 2, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

Attached is tabulation of bids received on proposals for furnishing furniture to the Boston City Hospital. These bids were publicly opened and read in this office on October 4, 1955.

Authority is requested to award contracts for the items checked on the accompanying tabulation to the lowest bidders meeting specifications. Inasmuch as no acceptable bid was received on Item 6, all bids are being rejected and this item will be purchased in the open market.

Approximate total amounts of contracts will be as follows:

John J. McCarthy, doing business as McCarthy Brothers, $5,835.72; net; T. J. Noonan Company, $2,703, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

Bids were as follows:

Furniture.

Requisition No. 9239.

Item 1. 33 Metal Beds, No. 2900 L, As Per Specifications, Each.—S. M. Levin Company, $62.60; E. F. Mahady Company, $55.81; McCarthy Brothers, $52.44*; T. J. Noonan Company, $59.45, with cord handles; Thomas W. Reed Company, total, $1,895.85 complete.

Item 2. 33 Metal Dressers, No. 1406, As Per Specifications, Each.—S. M. Levin Company, $95.20, alternate, No. 3902, $75.35, Royal, complete; E. F. Mahady Company, $70.01; McCarthy Brothers, $69.96*; T. J. Noonan Company, $95.20; Thomas W. Reed Company, $95.20.

Requisition No. 9240.

Item 3. 33 Chairs, No. 1630, As Per Specifications, Each.—Business Equipment Corporation, $14.80; S. M. Levin Company, $14.75; E. F. Mahady Company, $17.57; McCarthy Brothers, $24.80; T. J. Noonan Company, $14.75*; Thomas W. Reed Company, $14.75.

Item 4. 33 Lounge Chairs, No. 886, As Per Specifications, Each.—Business Equipment Corporation, $44; S. M. Levin Company, $65.45; E. F. Mahady Company, $50.53; McCarthy Brothers, $56.22; T. J. Noonan Company, $60.70, Royal, No. 1437*; Thomas W. Reed Company, $65.45.

Requisition No. 9241.

Item 5. 33 Metal Knechole Desks, No. 1413, As Per Specifications, Each.— Business Equipment Corporation, $85.80; S. M. Levin Company, $85, alternate, No. 3913, $62.95; E. F. Mahady Company,

$58.01; McCarthy Brothers, $54.44*; T. J. Noonan Company, $85; Thomas W. Reed Company, $85.

Requisition No. 9242.

Item 6. 1 Sectional Sofa, No. 790, As Per Specifications.—Bids rejected.

Item 7. 1 Club Chair, No. 700 Series, As Per Specifications.—Business Equipment Corporation, $45; S. M. Levin Company, $47.60; T. J. Noonan Company, $47.60, No. 790*; Thomas W. Reed Company, $47.60.

Requisition No. 9243.

Item 8. 1 Low Curved Table, No. 838, As Per Specifications.—Business Equipment Corporation, $41; S. M. Levin Company, $43.55; T. J. Noonan Company, $43.55*; Thomas W. Reed Company, $43.55.

Item 9. 4 End Tables, No. 849, Step-Down Design, Each.—Business Equipment Corporation, $28.75; S. M. Levin Company, $30.50; T. J. Noonan Company, $30.50*; Thomas W. Reed Company, $30.50.

Discount.—Business Equipment Corporation, net; S. M. Levin Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; E. F. Mahady Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; McCarthy Brothers, net; T. J. Noonan Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Thomas W. Reed Company, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Remarks.—S. M. Levin Company, prices quoted are based on carload order of approximately 12,000 pounds of Royal furniture; if the City of Boston wishes to order less than a carload quantity the amounts (*see* letter) would be added to the various items; bid includes delivery and installation of furniture in the various rooms, ready for use; will allow a further discount of $100 if awarded order in its entirety; inasmuch as this particular Royal metal furniture is fairtraded, discount will be applicable to bid price of the mattresses which will not be manufactured by Royal; discount will also apply should the order include our alternates for Items 2 and 5, *see* letter; E. F. Mahady Company, *see* catalogues attached; McCarthy Brothers, furniture supplied in any color or combination of colors, in solid color enamel; if all items are awarded as a lump sum bid, they can be shipped as a carload, using the carload freight rate, and a saving can be made, so that bid on the items would be as according to our letter; furniture is of Turk and Sleeprite Associated Factories, and is on the same manufacture as the furniture supplied by us to the nurses' home of the new Lemuel Shattuck Hospital in Jamaica Plain, *see* letter attached; Thomas W. Reed Company, inasmuch as attached order will consist of one and one half carloads, we are quoting on the carload prices.

Make and Model Bid Upon.—Business Equipment Corporation, Item 3, Royal, No. 1630; Item 4, Royal, No. 886; Item 5, Royal, No. 1416 SE; Item 6, Royal, No. 793-5; Item 7, Royal, No. 790; Item 8, Royal, No. 838; Item 9, Royal, No. 849; S. M. Levin Company, all items are Royal as specified, except mattresses; E. F. Mahady Company, Item 1, H353SCC-MF727; Item 2, F152-1Z-FM42-F6; Item 3, 742; Item 4, 762-SF651-300; Item 5, F323Z; T. J. Noonan Company, all Royal metal, except mattresses which are "Mayflower"; Thomas W. Reed Company, all Royal Metal Manufacturing Company.

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—Business Equipment Corporation, 30 days; S. M. Levin Company, approximately 60 days; E. F. Mahady Company, 120 days; T. J. Noonan Company, 2 weeks; Thomas W. Reed Company, all deliveries approximately 30 days.

* **Contract awarded.**

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Upon November 4 the Mayor approved a contract with lowest bidders as requested in the following letter:

BOSTON, November 1, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

Attached is tabulation of bids received on proposals for furnishing general clothing and dry goods to the various city departments. These bids were publicly opened and read in this office on October 10, 1955.

Authority is requested to make awards for the items checked on the accompanying tabulation to the lowest bidders meeting specifications at the prices as indicated. Bids received on Item 7 will be rejected and this item will be purchased on the existing contract. No bids were received on Item 27; this item will be purchased in the open market when and where available.

Approximate total amounts of awards will be as follows:

Contracts for Barnet Zelmyer, doing business as Zelmar Mills, $2,177.20, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; Jennings Linen Company, Inc., $1,630.25, net; Taylor Symonds Company, $1,554.50, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Orders for Thomas W. Reed Company, $822.40, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; Sherman Mills, Inc., $524, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; Sparrow Chisholm Company, $362.50, net.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

Bids were as follows:

General Clothing and Dry Goods.

Requisition No. 929, Boston Sanatorium.

Item 1. 100 Yards Red and White Check Crash, 1-Inch, for Towels, Per Yard.—Jennings Linen Company, Inc., 21 cents*; Sparrow Chisholm Company, 25 cents; Taylor Symonds Company, 21 cents.

Item 2. 100 Yards Red and White Check Crash, ½-Inch, for Towels, Per Yard.—Sparrow Chisholm Company, 25 cents.*

Item 3. 100 Yards Bleached Cotton Cloth, 40 Inches Wide, Pequot, Per Yard.—Jennings Linen Company, Inc., 40 cents; Sparrow Chisholm Company, 37.5 cents.*

Requisition No. 931.

Item 4. 10 Dozen Orderlies' Aprons, As Specified, Per Dozen.—Taylor Symonds Company, $8; Zelmar Mills, $7.50.*

Requisition No. 9399, Boston City Hospital.

Item 5. 100 Blankets, 72 x 84, All Wool, As Specified, Each.—Farley Harvey Company, $5.75; Jennings Linen Company, Inc., $4.80*; Sherman Mills, Inc., $8.87; $7.25; Sparrow Chisholm Company, $5.50; Taylor Symonds Company, $5.60; Zelmar Mills, $6.75.

Requisition No. 9401.

Item 6. 300 Office Coats, As Specified, Each.—Angelica Uniform Company, Inc., $2.60, size 34 to 48, $3.85, size 50; New England Company, $3; Taylor Symonds Company, $1,080, total; Zelmar Mills, $2.30, size 34 to 44, $2.60, size 46 to 50.*

Requisition No. 9403.

Item 7. 100 Dozen Bedgowns, Adult, As Specified.—Bids rejected.

Requisition No. 9433.

Item 8. 24 Blankets, As Specified, Each.—Sherman Mills, Inc., $6.75*; Sparrow Chisholm Company, $7.75, 66x90; Taylor Symonds Company, $10.35, 75 per cent wool, 25 per cent cotton.

Item 9. 100 Dozen 18 x 36 Towels, As Specified, Per Dozen.—Farley Harvey Company, $2.65; Jennings Linen Company, Inc., $2.80*; Sherman Mills, Inc., $2.89; Sparrow Chisholm Company, $3.20; Taylor Symonds Company, $3, 17 x 36; Zelmar Mills, $3.15.

Item 10. 100 Dozen Towels, 18 x 30, Per Dozen.—Jennings Linen Company, Inc., $2.99; Sherman Mills, Inc., $2.73*; Sparrow Chisholm Company, $2.85; Taylor Symonds Company, $2.45, 17 x 30; Zelmar Mills, $2.85.

Requisition No. 9434.

Item 11. 35 Dozen Chair Covers, As Specified, Per Dozen.—Taylor Symonds Company, $8.50.*

Item 12. 25 Dozen Glove Covers, As Specified, Per Dozen.—Jennings Linen Company, Inc., $4.20; Sherman Mills, Inc., $6.50; Taylor Symonds Company, $5; Zelmar Mills, $3.90.*

Item 13. 10 Dozen Gown Covers, As Specified, Per Dozen.—Jennings Linen Company, Inc., $4.85; Sherman Mills, Inc., $6.50; Taylor Symonds Company, $5.25; Zelmar Mills, $4.40.*

Item 14. 25 Dozen Large Covers, As Specified, Per Dozen.—Jennings Linen Company, Inc., $6.84; Sherman Mills, Inc., $8; Taylor Symonds Company, $6.90; Zelmar Mills, $6.50.*

Item 15. 25 Dozen Towel Covers, As Specified, Per Dozen.—Jennings Linen Company, Inc., $2.35*; Sherman Mills, Inc., $4.50; Taylor Symonds Company, $3.40; Zelmar Mills, $3.75.

Requisition No. 9435.

Item 16. 20 Dozen Screen Covers, As Specified, Per Dozen.—Sherman Mills, Inc., $17.50; Taylor Symonds Company, $14.75.*

Item 17. 6 Dozen Screen Covers, As Specified, Per Dozen.—Sherman Mills, Inc., $23.50; Taylor Symonds Company, $21.50.*

Item 18. 25 Dozen B. P. Covers, As Specified, Per Dozen.—Jennings Linen Company, Inc., $4.80; Sherman Mills, Inc., $5.25; Taylor Symonds Company, $4.90; Zelmar Mills, $4.50.*

Item 19. 50 Dozen Fenwal Bag Covers, As Specified, Per Dozen.—Sherman Mills, Inc., $9.25; Taylor Symonds Company, $11.50; Zelmar Mills, $6.*

Requisition No. 9436.

Item 20. 12 Dozen Cubicle Curtains, As Specified, Per Dozen.—Jennings Linen Company, Inc., $26.60; Sherman Mills, Inc., $33; Taylor Symonds Company, $26.50.*

Item 21. 6 Dozen Curtains, As Specified, Per Dozen.—Jennings Linen Company, Inc., $38.35*; Sherman Mills, Inc., $42; Taylor Symonds Company, $42.50.

Item 22. 12 Dozen Curtains, As Specified, Per Dozen.—Jennings Linen Company, Inc., $46.70*; Sherman Mills, Inc., $48; Taylor Symonds Company, $51.

Requisition No. 9437.

Item 23. 300 Yards Organdy, As Specified, Per Yard.—Sparrow Chisholm Company, 75 cents, Duchess; Taylor Symonds Company, 45 cents, 30-yard bolt, double and rolled, as requested.*

Item 24. 200 Yards Damask, As Specified, Per Yard.—Jennings Linen Company, $1.60; Sparrow Chisholm Company, $1.50, Imperial*; Taylor Symonds Company, $1.55.

Item 25. 1 Gross Yards Elastic, 3/8-Inch, White, As Specified, Per Yard.—Sherman Mills, Inc., $4.50, gross yards; Taylor Symonds Company, $4.*

Item 26. 50 Gross Tape, No. 8, 36-Yard Roll, White, As Specified, Per Gross.—Sherman Mills, Inc., A, $1.65, B, $1.85; Taylor Symonds Company, $1.30.*

Item 27. 30 Gross Orangewood Sticks. Hoof Ends.—No bids.

Requisition No. 9438.

Item 28. 6 Dozen Blanket Pins, As Specified, Per Dozen.—Taylor Symonds Company, $7. lot.*

Item 29. 100 Gross No. 3 Safety Pins, As Specified, Per Gross.—Sherman Mills, Inc., 89 cents*; Taylor Symonds Company, $1.025.

Item 30. 1,600 Yards Sheeting, As Specified, Per Yard.—Jennings Linen Company, 16 cents; Sherman Mills, Inc., 19.5 cents; Sparrow Chisholm Company, 15.5 cents; Taylor Symonds Company, 21.5 cents, count 80x80, 19 cents, count 72x68, 15 cents, count 64x60; Zelmar Mills, 25.5 cents.

Item 31. 100 Feather Pillows, As Specified, Each.—Jennings Linen Company, $2.35; Sherman Mills, Inc., $2.20; Sparrow Chisholm Company, $2.50; Taylor Symonds Company, $2.22; Zelmar Mills, $1.95.*

Requisition No. 9442.

Item 32. 180 Rolls Stockinette, Various Sizes, As Specified, Per Roll.—Thomas W. Reed Company, 2-inch, $1.81, 3-inch $2.62, 4-inch, $3.37, 5-inch, $4.62, 6-inch, $5.50, 10-inch, $8.68, 11-inch, $9.68, 12-inch, $10.12; Sherman Mills, Inc., $1.19 per pound (no price on Auditor's copy).

Requisition No. 9445, As Per Sample at Linen Room.

Item 33. 12 Dozen Pocket Swathes with Buckle, as Specified, Per Dozen.—Taylor Symonds Company, $28.75 (brass wire nickel-plated buckle used, will not rust); Zelmar Mills, $27.50.*

Item 34. 25 Dozen Swathes, Adult, Double Flannelette, As Specified, Per Dozen.—Thomas W. Reed Company, $15; Taylor Symonds Company, $6.60; Zelmar Mills, $6.*

Discount.—Angelica Uniform Company, Inc., 10 days, net, end of month; Farley Harvey Company, net; Jennings Linen Company, Inc., net, 30 days; New England Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Thomas W. Reed Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Sherman Mills, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Sparrow Chisholm Company, net, 30 days; Taylor Symonds Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Zelmar Mills, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Best Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—Angelica Uniform Company, Inc., 10 days; Farley Harvey Company, Item 5, 3 weeks, Item 9, at once; Jennings Linen Company, Inc., Items 1, 3, 5, 30, 31, at once, balance, 2 to 3 weeks; New England Company, 4 weeks; Thomas W. Reed Company, Item 32, 4 to 10 days, Item 34, approximately 8 to 10 days; Sherman Mills, Inc., at once; Sparrow Chisholm Company, at once; Taylor Symonds Company, Item 7, 4 weeks, all others, approximately 2 weeks; Zelmar Mills, 30 days.

Remarks.—Angelica Uniform Company, Inc., Item 6, bidding Angelica, No. 300 MG, sanforized, gray chain stitch over pocket, Item 7, alternate, Angelica, No. 600-K (*see* proposal); Farley Harvey Company, Item 5, not sateen binding, Item 9, 25 per cent linen, 75 per cent cotton-finished, size 17x28½; Taylor Symonds Company, no price basis sheet on proposal.

* Contract awarded.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Upon November 21 the Mayor approved a contract with Z. & S. Construction Company, Inc., for sewerage works in Faneuil Valley Brook, in private land, Brighton, and Duncklee street, Brighton, at an estimated cost of $8,675, including concrete pipe. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed January 31, 1956. The following bids were received November 16:

Clay Pipe.—Z. & S. Construction Company, Inc., $8,760; Bagarella Construction Company, Inc., $9,370; R. A. Buccella & Sons, Inc., $9,905; Joseph Capone & Son, $10,090; Edward Vozzella, $11,327.50; C. Russo, Inc., $11,610.

Concrete Pipe.—Z. & S. Construction Company, Inc., $8,675; Bagarella Construction Company, Inc., $9,327.50; R. A. Buccella & Sons, Inc., $9,820; Joseph Capone & Son, $10,005; Edward Vozzella, $11,327.50; C. Russo, Inc., $11,440.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

Upon varying dates as indicated the Mayor approved contracts with contractors and commercial houses for furnishing labor, supplies, etc. Communications from heads of the departments interested were as follows:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT

Purchasing Division.

BOSTON, November 14, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This department is in receipt of a requisition from the Boston City Hospital for immediate delivery of 24 double-height hospital beds.

Prices have been solicited from several dealers. The lowest bidder and only bidder offering immediate delivery is the Thomas W. Reed Company at $80 each.

Inasmuch as immediate delivery is needed and competitive prices have been solicited, it is requested that permission be granted to dispense with advertising and award a contract, without advertising, to the Thomas W. Reed Company for 24 double-height hospital beds, as per contract specifications, at $80 each, less 2 per cent, ten days.

Total amount of contract will be $1,920, less 2 per cent, ten days.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, November 14, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This department is in receipt of requisitions from the Printing Section for certain items of equipment for immediate delivery. An extensive survey of the needs of the Printing Section has been made and each piece of equipment selected is best suited for its particular use. Written quotations have been received direct from the manufacturer, or manufacturer's representative, in each case. It is my opinion that no advantage would be gained by publicly advertising.

It is therefore requested that permission be granted to dispense with advertising and award contracts, without advertising, to the following companies at the prices indicated:

Dexter Folder Company.—One Model MS Cleveland folding machine, as per contract specifications, $8,885, net, 30 days.

Samuel Stephens & Wickersham Quoin Company.—One Model FM multipress, as per contract specifications, $3,167.50; one Hammond G-44 glider trimo saw with accessories, as per contract specifications, $941; one No. 7 Boston wire stitcher, as per contract specifications, $734.62; 875 pieces iron furniture, $591.84 lot; one monotype keybar cleaning machine, $354; one font No. 1204C02 Hamilton wood furniture, as per specifications, $100.75—$5,889.71, net.

Pump Equipment & Engineering Company.—One compressor with accessories, as per specifications, $2,218, 2 per cent, ten days.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, November 15, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

On September 23, 1955, your Honor approved permission to award contracts for hospital equipment to various companies. One of the contracts was to be with Atlantex Corporation, the lowest bidder, for one horizontal radiographic table with Bucky diaphragms, as per specifications.

The present equipment with which this unit is to be used is of General Electric manufacture. It has now been ascertained that although the equipment of the lowest bidder, Atlantex Corporation, does meet specifications, it would be in the best interest of the hospital to purchase General Electric equipment. Any other type of equipment would necessitate the purchase and installation of adapters which would increase the cost to more than that of General Electric Company, the fourth lowest bidder.

It is therefore requested that permission be granted me to award a contract instead to the General Electric Company X-Ray Department, for one horizontal, radiographic table, as per specifications, and at the price submitted on proposal No. 136, publicly opened in this office on August 31, 1955.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $1,250, net, thirty days.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, NOVEMBER 15, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

It has recently come to my attention that the oil-burning equipment located in the boiler room of the Printing Plant is not only inefficient and ineffective but constitutes a highly dangerous condition. This is a situation necessitating immediate attention.

Informal proposals and specifications were obtained from three heating contractors for doing the necessary work to relieve this hazardous condition and furnish the plant an efficient modern heating system. The proposals ranged from $8,547, the low bid, to $9,448, the high bid.

Inasmuch as time is of the essence, I believe it is in the best interests of the city to dispense with public advertisement. Therefore, authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to Frank T. McDonald Company, in accordance with the specification submitted by this company. The lowest bid was submitted by this company.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $8,547, net.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN.
Purchasing Agent.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, November 16, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This department, in the interest of public safety, and with your approval, under the provisions of chapter 479, Acts of 1938, as amended, section 116 (d), entered the premises 193 West Newton street, Ward 4.

This is a Type IV dwelling, fully occupied, in which it was reported to this department that a section of the basement wall had collapsed, endangering the entire structure. Our examination disclosed that this condition was as described. We have endeavored to compel the owner to make the necessary repairs; he professes to be unable to do so. It becomes incumbent, consequently, on this department to enter the building and make said structure safe.

In the usual manner we have solicited bids from contractors familiar with this type of work. These bids are as follows: Michael J. Reardon, $1,375; Joseph White, $2,375.

The department has authorized temporary shoring of the structure which, of course, offers no permanent solution.

The public safety so requiring and the matter being urgent, your Honor's approval is requested for the awarding of the contract in the sum of $2,375 to Joseph White, without advertising.

Very truly yours,

THOMAS L. FLYNN,
Acting Building Commissioner.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

P. V. Barone Corporation has been directed to perform the following extra work under the contract for bituminous concrete pavement in Arvale road, Auriga Street Extension, Banton street, Bantry Way, Colebrook street, Garfield avenue, Hillis road, Newland street, and Westville terrace, dated June 13, 1955:

In Arvale road, remove two abandoned gas lamp posts, including cutting pipe at main, excavation, and all other incidental work, for the sum of $20 each.

From Hillis road, deliver to Hyde Park Paving Yard approximately 84 linear feet of new straight edgestone at $2.37 per linear foot.

In Banton street, cut four existing steel rails that are now projecting into sidewalk area from walk on private property for the sum of $15.

Estimated cost of extra work, $254.08.

George M. Byrne has been directed to perform the following extra work under the contract for demolition work and repairs to fender system and water pipe trestle, Dover Street Bridge, over Fort Point Channel, dated October 19, 1955:

Approximately 350 linear feet of wooden piles, furnished, driven, cut off, and incorporated in the new work, all where and as directed, at a unit cost of $1.50 per linear foot.

Estimated cost of extra work, $525.

OMIT AND SUBSTITUTE WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

P. V. Barone Corporation has been directed to omit and substitute the following work under the contract for bituminous concrete pavement in Arvale road, Auriga Street Extension, Banton street, Bantry Way, Colebrook street, Garfield avenue, Hillis road, Newland street, and Westville terrace, dated June 13, 1955:

In Arvale road, omit the removal of one tree over 24 inches in diameter, including the removal of stump, etc., at $150.

In Arvale road, substitute the removal of one tree over 24 inches in diameter, including the cutting of the stump 6 inches below grade of sidewalk to prevent damage to adjoining building foundation wall, for the sum of $150.

Estimated cost of omitted work, $150; estimated cost of substituted work, $150.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

William P. Herlihy has been granted an extension of time until December 1, 1955, for the completion of the contract for constructing a new play area at Franklin Field, Dorchester.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Martin J. Kelly Company, Inc., 75 Stedman street, Jamaica Plain, for redecking Redfield Street Bridge, over New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad (Neponset), from November 6, 1955, to December 31, 1955. This extension was requested due to extensive steel repairs which were necessary, and which took longer than anticipated by the railroad company, thus delaying the work being done for the city.

CHANGE IN CONTRACT.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

John F. Hynes, Inc., has been ordered to make the following changes in the contract for the Brighton High School:

Additional Work: Alterations, Room 210, plaster the walls where blackboards are removed, $100; change colors of asphalt tile flooring to 50 per cent B and 50 per cent C, $35; furnish and install corkboard over remaining blackboards, $98—$233.

Deductions: Omit glass panels in three office doors, $20.

Additions, $233; deduction, $20; net addition, $213, and the amount of $213 will be added therefor, making the account as follows: contract price, $3,250; total additions, $213; amount of contract, $3,463.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

SPRINKLER INSPECTOR, BOSTON BUILDING DEPARTMENT, JANUARY 7, 1956.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, December 19, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $68 a week; the maximum salary is $83.50 a week.

Vacancies: At present there is one vacancy for a male, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: Under direction, to examine buildings to determine the necessity for sprinklers and other fire protective devices, and to submit reports of such examinations; to inspect the installation of all sprinkler and standpipe systems, and to make all required tests; to examine all existing sprinkler and standpipe systems; to report any violations of laws, rules or regulations pertaining to the systems, and to see that violations are corrected; to make investigations in connection with complaints of illegal conditions, submit reports of the investigations, and carry out prosecutions if violations are not remedied; and to perform related work as required.

A thorough knowledge of parts 30 and 31 of the Boston Building Code (chapter 479, Acts of 1938 as amended) is required, as well as a thorough knowledge of sprinkler and fire protective systems and familiarity with various types of building construction.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

Certification Requirement: Possession of a Massachusetts Master Plumber's license.

TOLLMAN-GUARD, BRIDGE DIVISION, (TUNNEL SERVICE), BOSTON PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, JANUARY 7, 1956.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, December 19, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $63 a week; the maximum salary is $76.50 a week.

Vacancies: At present there are two vacancies for males, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: Under supervision, to patrol the Sumner Tunnel and adjacent grounds; to collect fares at tunnel entrances; and to perform related work as required.

Examples of Duties: Collecting and accounting for tolls from vehicles using the Sumner Tunnel; operating the fare register and making change; patrolling the tunnel and adjacent plazas; directing traffic; operating tunnel traffic signals; assisting in extinguishing fires in cars within the tunnel; calling for towing services when necessary; maintaining simple records and preparing reports; issuing summonses for traffic violations.

Copies of the City of Boston Sumner Tunnel Rules and Regulations may be obtained at the office of the Boston Public Works Department, Room 505, City Hall Annex, Boston, or at the Administration Building of the Sumner Tunnel.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

PROCEEDINGS OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Sept. 6, 1955

A special meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, at 3:38 p. m., the Chairman presiding.

Present: Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco.

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APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The reading of the minutes of the meetings of Aug. 8 and Aug. 23, 1955, was omitted, the Committee approving them as printed.

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INCREASE IN PENSIONS PAYABLE UNDER THE PERMANENT SCHOOL PENSION FUND

The following communication was presented:

City of Boston
In City Council

ORDERED: That Chapter 594 of the Acts of 1955, entitled "An Act Increasing Pensions Payable under the Permanent School Pension Fund in the City of Boston and Equalizing Pensions Paid Thereunder" be, and the same hereby is, accepted.

In City Council August 29, 1955. Passed. Approved by the Mayor August 31, 1955.

Attest:

(Signed) W. J. Malloy
City Clerk

Placed on file.

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IN MEMORIAM

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Sept. 6, 1955, regretfully reporting the death of the following-named teacher:

Mary Hemenway District—Agnes R. Kelley, vice principal, Sept. 1, 1955.

Placed on file.

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The School Committee requested that a letter of condolence, to be signed by the Secretary, be sent to the bereaved family.

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RESIGNATION

The Superintendent reported the resignation of Mary Ferrari Shute, teacher, junior high, James P. Timilty Junior High School, to take effect Aug. 31, 1955.

Accepted.

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APPOINTMENTS

The following nominations by the Superintendent, certified by him as being in accordance with the rules and regulations, to take effect on the dates stated, were presented:

(FROM THE ELIGIBLE LIST)

Bureau of Child Accounting—Division of Juvenile Adjustment—Margaret J. Ryan, teacher of juvenile adjustment, (ninth year salary—$4656—anniversary date Oct. 1), Oct. 3, 1955.

Department of School Hygiene — Mary Maguire King, school nurse (fifth year salary—$4068—anniversary date Sept. 1), Sept. 22, 1955; Janet Murphy Fitzgerald, school nurse (fourth year salary—$3924—anniversary date Sept. 1), Sept. 22, 1955.

On roll call the rules were suspended and the appointments approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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(BY PROMOTION)

Clarence R. Edwards Junior High School—Paul J. Sullivan, principal (from submaster, Solomon Lewenberg Junior High School), Sept. 1, 1955.

On roll call the rules were suspended and the appointment approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.

NAYS—0

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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TRANSFER

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Sept. 6, 1955, reporting, subject to the approval of the School Committee, the following transfer of a teacher, to take effect Sept. 1, 1955:

Boston Technical High School—Henry P. Moore, master, to the same position in the Brighton High School.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the transfer was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4

NAYS—0

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1

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ASSIGNMENT

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Sept. 6, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has assigned Joseph L. Malone, head master, high school, to the office of the Superintendent, to take effect Sept. 1, 1955, and to continue until the termination of his leave of absence granted July 24, 1950, to serve as Director of Civil Defense.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the assignment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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LEAVES OF ABSENCE

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Sept. 6, 1955, recommending that leave of absence without pay for maternity be granted the following-named teachers, to take effect on the dates indicated and to continue until terminated by the Superintendent with the approval of the School Committee; provided that such leave shall be for a period of at least three months after the date of birth and provided further that no such leave shall in any event exceed eighteen months:

Dearborn District—Alice L. Kingsley, teacher, elementary, Aug. 25, 1955.

Henry L. Higginson District—Margaret M. Conway, teacher, elementary, Aug. 22, 1955.

James J. Chittick District—Martha A. Colamaria, teacher, elementary, Aug. 5, 1955.

Phillips Brooks District—Patricia A. Hogan, teacher, elementary, Aug. 31, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the leaves of absence without pay were granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee and Musco—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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TRANSFER OF LAND TO PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the order passed at the meeting of Aug. 5, 1954 (see p. 285), recommending that the Robert Swan School, Dorchester, land and building, be transferred to the Parks and Recreation Deptment, City of Boston, is hereby rescinded.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee and Musco—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the parcel of land situated on Thetford Avenue and Evans Street, Dorchester, (former site of Robert Swan School), containing approximately 29,879 square feet, is no longer required for school purposes and that the School Committee of the City of Boston, under General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 15A and the powers contained therein, recommends that this land be transferred to the Parks and Recreation Department, City of Boston.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Musco—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward 1.

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DELAYED OPENING OF SCHOOLS

The following extract from the Conference Notes pertaining to the delayed opening of schools was ordered spread on the record of the meeting:

Mr Lee: Madam Chairman, there has been no meeting held on that, as far as I know. I had hoped that Dr. Spellman would be here for this medical question. I believe the Superintendent has tried to locate him.

Superintendent: He said he would call in. Mr. Lee. Mr. Herlihy called his office, and he said that he would call in. Isn't that true, Mr. Herlihy?

Mr. Herlihy: That is true. He is going to call in.

Superintendent. Yes.

Mr. Lee: If he is not here, I am a little at a loss. I realize that three members of the Committee held a conference. I held a conference with the Superintendent earlier that day. We can all hold conferences. There was no officially called meeting; and, now that it comes to an official action on such an important point, I should think it ought to be handled with the greatest care and deliberation.

Chairman: Perhaps the Superintendent, who has been in conference with the medical authorities every day, could give us further background Would you care to do that at this time?

Mr. Lee: Does he want to give us a recommendation?

Superintendent: Mr. Lee and members, the Committee on Thursday, September 1st met informally—not in a conference and not in a public meeting, because the School Committee cannot meet in conference or in public meeting without waiving their rights to a notice. Isn't that true, Miss Reynolds?

Secretary: For the School Committee meeting. They could hold a conference without a notice, but for the Public Meeting they must have notice.

Superintendent: For Public Meeting?

Secretary: Yes.

Chairman: That is right.

Superintendent: So at least three members of the Committee were there. Mr. Lee, by the way, had talked with me earlier that day. Then Miss Fitzgerald, Mr. Museo and Mr. Carr met with me later in the day, around 3:30; and present at that conference at approximately 3:30 on Thursday was Dr. Spellman, along with the three members of the Committee, and myself, and Monsignor O'Leary, the Superintendent of Parochial Schools.

Now, the School Committee weighed all of the various problems concerned informally and listened to what I had to recommend and what Monsignor O'Leary had to recommend, although, as he said, he was there without any portfolio as far as the Committee Conference was concerned; and then they discussed the matter with Dr. Spellman.

Now in the light of all of the discussion that took place on Thursday, three of the members agreed that it would be wise to delay the opening of school until the 22nd of September, and the members of the press, at the invitation of the Chairman, came in following the meeting.

Naturally I was followed by the press quite a bit that day, and I was also asked by Station WBZ to make a statement that could be recorded for the 11 o'clock News that night. I made this statement, which was recorded over the telephone, and I am not sure whether it was broadcast over WBZ although I think that it really expresses the ideas. This is what I said:

"The Boston School Committee, through Superintendent Haley and Dr. Martin Spellman, Director of School Hygiene, has been in constant contact with Dr. Cauley, Commissioner of Health for the City of Boston, and Dr. Feemster, Director of Communicable Diseases for the State, in regard to the serious problem of polio.

"It seemed to be the general opinion of the medical experts that the prevalence of polio was of such a degree in Boston, that there would be no added hazard in opening schools on schedule. However, as we approached the opening day of school, the anxieties and worries of parents increased.

"Realizing all the factors involved and appreciating the concern of parents about their children, the School Committee in a conference today deemed it advisable, to postpone the opening of schools until September 22nd.

"At this conference the Superintendent of Catholic Schools, Monsignor O'Leary, was present, and he stated that he would follow the plan of the public schools in Boston, and that they would reopen on September 22nd.

"It is hoped by all that by this date, the incidence of polio will have decreased far below normal for this time of year in Boston."

Now in the conference with the three members of the Committee, Dr Spellman expressed the approval of postponing and I think he said—and I am not trying to quote him—that he still felt that perhaps the incidence would not be increased any by opening schools; but that he did feel that the emotions and fears, if I may use that word, and anxieties and worries of the parents, would be alleviated by not opening schools on schedule and, with that in mind, he felt that we should postpone the opening of schools until the 22nd.

Now, immediately following that informal conference I telephoned to Dr Cauley and located him at the State Department of Health in conference with some other doctors, I told Dr. Cauley how three of the members of the School Committee felt in regard to the matter and their agreement to postpone the opening of schools until the 22nd, and Dr. Cauley said that he approved of that plan.

Chairman: Any further questions of the Superintendent?

Mr. Lee: Yes. What impresses me is that like almost everything else, there seem to be two sides to this thing. On the one side are the medical men, who, according to all the newspapers, think the children are as well or better off in the unrushed, clean atmosphere of the classroom, with nurses in attendance, as we have in every school district, and with a physician making daily visits, and an alerted force of teachers.

So that the men who have dedicated their lives to protecting the health of children seem to be on one side, saying that we might as well open. And on the other side are those whom these same medical men describe as giving way to psychological worries against the weight of evidence.

Dr. Feemster says it is an emotional act not a reasonable one.

I could read you the same reams of quotations that you have probably already read out of several newspapers I have, which stress that it is a psychological factor rather than a medical factor and with all the physicians still saying they still believe the schools should be opened.

So that we see the medical men who have given their lives to this matter on one side of the fence.

Now, weighing in the anxieties of parents has its place, too. Nobody wants to cause parents needless anxieties. It is my feeling that the action of certain members of the Committee last Thursday increased anxiety rather than lessened it, but in my own experience I've got two letters urging that schools be opened later. I've got two personal appeals urging that schools be opened now, and that's all that I have received. I have had no telephone calls, and that makes a perfect balance.

I may perhaps be influenced by the situation in the West End where I live, and where there have only been two cases of polio. I happen to know the father of one of the girls who came down with the disease. He is a close friend of mine, and I happened to walk in on him at his place of work on Sunday and heard him saying that if schools had been opened during the summer his daughter would not have had polio, and he hoped for the sake of his other daughters that schools would open promptly. So that was firsthand from one of those who had been touched by the disease.

As I said, outside of the personal appeal of another person, a woman in the West End—who is very well acquainted with people there, and is very active—this was the only call I received. This woman, for her part, said it had been a hard summer with a great deal of heat in the big buildings of the West End and the crowded streets, and she hoped that schools would open on time and the kids could go back to an atmosphere where

their conduct was more controlled and more serene and where there were nurses and medical men around.

So that is my own personal experience. Beside noting that the medical men favor opening, I have found the matter to be about fifty-fifty as far as people who have communicated with me are concerned.

So it seems to be a two-sided sort of a situation.

Mr. Carr: Madam Chairman, may I point out to my fellow member that it seems to be more than a 50-50 question now. As you will recall I brought this matter up last Tuesday. At that time it was decided by this Committee to let it takes its course. Then, by Thursday, we had that conference.

On Tuesday, when we brought it up it was decided to let it go. Up until the time this Committee saw fit to postpone the opening of schools, or at least expressed the sentiments of two members towards postponement there were only about four or five cities in the Commonwealth that had postponed previously. Since then there have been at least 106 school systems in the Commonwealth that have postponed school, and you might say they have followed Boston.

It is apparent that the concern over this polio and the opening of school was not only in this particular locale but seems to be widespread. Whether or not the medical men feel that the polio incidence will rise or not, it seems to be of greater value that the concern of the parents of these children be alleviated. I think it is proof of our wisdom that since we took action last Thursday, we have had, as I said before, 106 school systems follow in postponing their school openings.

If it is appropriate now I would like to move formally that the opening of schools be postponed by this Committee until September 22nd.

Chairman: You have heard Mr. Carr's motion. I think both sides of this question have been expressed. Are you now ready for the question?

Mr. Lee: No, Madam Chairman, I will say this. I am, in the first place, painfully aware that I do not have a license to practice medicine in this Commonwealth, and therefore I am most anxious to abide by the recommendations of a man whom we do engage as head of our Department of School Hygiene, and who, as quoted by Mr. Haley and by the daily newspapers, thinks there would be no added hazard in opening on time, and still feels that the incidence of polio is not increased by opening on time. If you have a watchdog it is good not to try to bark for him. Let him do the barking. I think we have a wonderful watchdog in Dr. Spellman, and I don't want to hold myself out as having a medical license as against his many years of outstanding medical service.

Mr. Carr: Well, Madam Chairman, I don't wish to attempt to quote Dr. Spellman correctly, but I think he did say at that conference that although he did not believe the opening of school would give rise to polio incidence in our school system, he did think that, because of what you might call hysteria or concern of the parents, it would be well at this time to postpone the opening of schools. I believe that is Dr. Spellman's recommendation, as I recall it.

Chairman: Yes. My recollection is that Dr. Spellman did approve of the Committee's action in delaying the opening, and even concurred in it—that hysteria and anxiety was at such a point that it was his opinion that the School Committee had acted rightly or that the members expressed an intention of acting rightly in not opening the schools.

So now we have the motion before us. Could we now have the roll call?

Mr. Lee: Madam Chairman, this is a very important matter. I still would like to give it a few minutes' more time. As a matter of fact, even though I think we ought to go by the words of our medical men—and that would be my normal reaction—I still also am cognizant of two things: that some parents are alarmed and, contrary to medical evidence at least, think that there would be danger in opening the schools, and I am perfectly sympathetic to the anxieties of parents even thought the parents may be mistaken, in the judgment of medical men and in my judgment.

So that I am not necessarily saying that I would have moved, had I spoken first, for opening of schools on time, but I was going to ask Mr. Carr this:

Do you think perhaps, Mr. Carr, it might assuage and calm the fears and alarms of some parents and might reinforce the hand of the medical men, and might, so to speak, spread the good tidings that the medical world has to offer on this subject, if you modified your motion by calling for a week's postponement, with the Committee to meet again say a week from today, and then coupled onto that a reminder to the public that if a parent chooses to hold his child out a second week, why, at least the law does not get after them for some seven days, and there would be a margin of discretion? Would that perhaps bring a little good news to the people of Boston and allay an anxiety which perhaps is causing undue distress?

Mr. Carr: Madam Chairman, I can see Mr. Lee's viewpoint, but I don't think it would be wise at this time. We know that the people have had constant concern about this matter. Whether or not the mothers called Mr. Lee, I received many calls at home and many at my office here, and I know from different polls taken by the newspapers and the calls that were received at the Mayor's office—.

Chairman: And here at the School Department switchboard.

Mr. Carr:—That is right—there is a great concern about this. And now if this postponement, and the date we have set for the 22nd, has given some relief to the parents, I don't think we ought to stir them up again by changing the date and causing them to alter their plans that they have made since the previous announcement.

I would like to see the Committee go along and leave the 22nd as the date in the hope that by that time—

Chairman: We will now have the roll call on Mr. Carr's motion.

Mr. Lee: What is the mathematics again? This date is what?

Chairman: September 22nd, a delay of two weeks, exactly.

Mr. Lee: That is on a Thursday?

Chairman: It is on a Thursday, yes.

Mr. Lee: And Mr. Carr is not going to modify his motion?

Mr. Carr: No.

Chairman: Mr. Carr apparently is not. We now have the roll call on Mr. Carr's motion.

Mr. Lee: September 22nd?

Mr. Carr: Yes.

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Mr. Carr offered the following:

ORDERED, That the opening of schools be postponed to Thursday, Sept. 22, 1955.

On roll call the regulations were suspended and the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee and Musco—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Ward—1.

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The Committee adjourned.

Attest:

AGNES E. REYNOLDS,
Secretary

Sept. 12, 1955.

A special meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, at 5:45 P. M., the Chairman presiding.

Present: Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward.

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AMENDMENT OF MINUTES

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the minutes of the meeting of Mar. 28, 1955, are hereby amended as follows:

On page 116, under Order 1, Geography, in the fifth line, by substituting "cpt. 1953" instead of cpt. 1954.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

IN MEMORIAM

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Sept. 12, 1955, regretfully reporting the death on Dec. 25, 1954, of Charles R. O'Malley, Boston Trade High School, who had been retired on pension under the provisions of the State-Boston Retirement System.

Placed on file.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Sept. 12, 1955, regretfully reporting the deaths of the following-named teachers who had been retired on pension:

Girls' Latin School—Cora B. Mudge, July 1, 1955.

Edward Everett District—C. Margaret Browne, July 11, 1955.

Mary E. Curley Junior High School—Esther M. Cogan, July 4, 1955.

Warren District—Jessie G. Paine, June 25, 1955.

Placed on file.

The School Committee requested that a letter of condolence, to be signed by the Secretary, be sent to the bereaved families.

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APPOINTMENTS

The following nominations by the Superintendent, certified by him as being in accordance with the rules and regulations, to take effect on the dates stated, were presented:

(FROM THE ELIGIBLE LIST)

Bureau of Child Accounting, Department of Educational Investigation and Measurement—Alice A. Tyner, research assistant (from teacher, junior high, Patrick T. Campbell Junior High School), Sept. 1, 1955.

Department of Physical Education—Edward C. Lambert, junior master, physical education (from teacher, junior high, physical education) Sept. 1, 1955; Helen O'Dea Cummings, teacher, junior high, physical education (third year salary—$3792—anniversary date Sept. 1), Sept. 22, 1955.

Laid over.

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(BY PROMOTION)

Mary Hemenway District—Alice M. Phaneuf, vice principal (from teacher, junior high, Patrick T. Campbell Junior High School), Sept. 1, 1955.

Laid over.

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DEPARTMENT OF ADULT EDUCATIONAL AND RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES

(Extended Use)

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Sept. 12, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has assigned the following-named person to serve in the Department of Adult Educational and Recreational Activities, Extended Use Division, for the term 1955-56:

Re-assignment

Special Manager—Boston Home and School Association
Grace F. Mattair, Sept. 22, 1955

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the assignment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Sept. 12, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has assigned the following-named persons to serve in the Department of Adult Educational and Recreational Activities, Extended Use Division, for the term 1955-56:

Re-assignments

William C. Gustus, John Leahy, William H. O'Brien, Marion E. Wightman, Sept. 1, 1955; Joseph W. Fellows, George A. Gannon, James R. Jackman, William P. Kelly, John F. McGrail, Joseph E. McManus, Thomas F. Murray, John J. Shea, Joseph W. Walsh, Francis R. Weddleton, Philip Zall, Sept. 11, 1955; Edith E. Glennon, Stephen T. O'Neill, Sept. 22, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the assignments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

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(DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL HYGIENE)

Department of Schol Hygiene—Frances Bonner, M. D., temporary psychiatrist, Sept. 1, 1955, to be employed on a per session basis.

On roll call, the appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs Lee, and Ward—3.
NAYS—0.
NOT VOTING—Mr. Carr—1.
ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the compensation of temporary psychiatrist, Department of School Hygiene, is hereby established at the rate of twenty-five dollars ($25) per session, to take effect Sept. 1, 1955, and to continue until otherwise ordered.

On roll call the order passed by the folllowing vote:

YEAS—Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—3.
NAYS—0.
NOT VOTING—Mr. Carr—1.
ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

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LEAVES OF ABSENCE

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Sept. 12, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has discontinued the leave of absence for military service granted Charles K. Donohoe, submaster, Patrick F. Lyndon District, at the meeting of Nov. 13, 1950 (see p. 221), said discontinuance to take effect Sept. 6, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the discontinuance of leave of absence was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Sept. 12, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has discontinued the leave of absence for maternity granted the following-named teacher at the meeting of Jan. 10, 1955, to take effect on the date stated:

William E. Russell District—Phyllis M. Gibbons, teacher, elementary, Aug. 31, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the discontinuance of leave of absence was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Sept. 12, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has discontinued the leave of absence for maternity granted the following-named teacher at the meeting of Feb. 7, 1955, to take effect on the date stated:

Blackinton—John Cheverus District—Mary T. Tarpey, teacher, elementary, Sept. 16, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the discontinuance of leave of absence was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Sept. 12, 1955, recommending that leave of absence without pay be granted the following-named teacher for the term specified:

Robert Treat Paine District—Mary E. Cahill, teacher, elementary, Sept. 1, 1955, to Aug. 31, 1956.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the leave of absence without pay was granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Sept 12, 1955, recommending that leave of absence, without pay, under suspension of the regulations and subject to the approval of the School Committee, be granted the following-named persons for the terms specified:

Boston Latin School—Ruth M. Cox secretary, Sept. 1, 1955, to Aug. 31, 1956

Girls' Latin School—Angela M. Cadigan, assistant, Sept. 1, 1955, to Aug. 31. 1956.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the regulations were suspended and the leaves of absence without pay granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward —4

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

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TRANSFERS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Sept. 12, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has made the following transfers of teachers, to take effect Sept. 1, 1955:

Teresa Kelly Connor, teacher of foods, junior high, Joseph H. Barnes Junior High School, to the same position in the Michelangelo-Eliot-Hancock District.

Benjamin Liberfarb, master, Boston Technical High School, to the same position in the Boston Latin School.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the transfers were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee and Ward—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

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ASSIGNMENTS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Sept. 12, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has assigned the following-named teachers, as indicated, without change of rank or salary, to take effect on the dates stated, and to continue for the school year ending Aug. 31 1956, unless earlier terminated by the Superintendent, with the approval of the School Committee:

Dorchester High School—Hesta L. Skirball, assistant, to East Boston High School, Sept. 1, 1955.

Clarence R. Edwards Junior High School—Hilda Cohen, teacher, junior high, to remedial reading, Elihu Greenwood District, Sept. 1, 1955.

Thomas Gardner District — Mary R. Sullivan, teacher, elementary, to remedial reading, Lowell District, Sept. 1, 1955.

Wendell Phillips District—Lucy A. Fitzgerald, assistant, special class, to remedial reading, Martin District, Sept. 1, 1955.

Michelangelo - Eliot - Hancock District—Teresa Kelly Connor, teacher of foods, junior high, to the M. Gertrude Godvin School, Sept. 1, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the assignments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward —4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

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REPORT ON MARRIED TEACHERS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Sept. 12, 1955, reporting that, in accordance with the provisions of Section 283 of the regulations, the following-named female teachers have reported that they were married on the dates indicated.

Brighton High School—Florette Tremblay, assistant, married Aug. 20, 1955, new name Florette Brennick.

Roxbury Memorial High School (Girls)—Gretchen K. Connors, assistant, married Aug. 6, 1955, new name Gretchen K. Dooley.

Agassiz District—Dorothea B. Galvin, teacher, elementary, married Aug. 13, 1955, new name Dorothea B. White.

Grover Cleveland Junior High School—Louise V. Maguire, vice principal, married July 9, 1955, new name Louise V. Carty.

James J. Chittick District—Ann T. Doherty, teacher, elementary, married June 25, 1955, new name Ann T. Hanwell.

Jefferson District—Dorothy M. Frances, teacher, elementary, married Aug. 13, 1955, new name Dorothy M. Freeley.

Joseph H. Barnes Junior High School—Katherine G. Vernon, teacher, junior high, married Aug. 31, 1955, new name Katherine G. Zeidman.

Rice Franklin District — Patricia M. Hastings, teacher, elementary, married June 25, 1955, new name Patricia M. Bowler.

Department of Home Economics—Elaine Rutledge, teacher of clothing, elementary, married Aug. 6, 1955, new name Elaine McDonough.

Placed on file.

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DEPARTMENT OF ADULT EDUCATIONAL ANR RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES

(Extended Use)

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the sessions of the school centers for 1955-56 be held in the following-named schools, beginning Oct. 5, 1955:

Brighton School Center, in the William Howard Taft Junior High School.

Charlestown School Center, in the Clarence R. Edwards Junior High School.

Dorchester School Center, in the Girls' Latin School.

East Boston School Center, in the Joseph H. Barnes Junior High School.

Grove Hall School Center, in the Jeremiah E. Burke High School for Girls.

Hyde Park School Center, in the Hyde Park High School.

Jamaica Plain School Center, in the Mary E. Curley Junior High School.

North End School Center, in the Michelangelo Junior High School.

Roxbury School Center, in the James P. Timilty Junior High School.

South Boston School Center, in the South Boston High School.

South End School Center, in the Abraham Lincoln School.

West End School Center, in the William Blackstone Junior High School.

West Roxbury School Center, in the Robert Gould Shaw Junior High School.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

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SALARIES, HORACE MANN SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That effective Sept. 1, 1955, the following ranks and compensation of temporary employees in the Horace Mann School for the Deaf are hereby established:

Escort and Door Attendant	$8.00 per day
Escort and Lunch Attendant	8.00 per day
Escorts	6.00 per day

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward —4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the four orders passed at the meeting of Aug. 8, 1955, pertaining to attendants, Horace Mann School for the Deaf, are hereby rescinded.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward —4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

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The following four orders were offered:

ORDERED, That, subject to the approval of the Division of Civil Service, the re-employment of Mary E. Anthony as escort and door attendant, Horace Mann School for the Deaf, is hereby authorized, compensation for said service to be at the rate of eight dollars ($8) for each day of actual service, to take effect Sept. 22, 1955, and to continue for the school year ending Aug. 31, 1956.

ORDERED, That, subject to the approval of the Division of Civil Service, the re-employment of Ellen Fitzgerald as escort and lunch attendant, Horace Mann School for the Deaf, is hereby authorized, compensation for such service to be at the rate of eight dollars ($8) for each day of actual service to take effect Sept. 22, 1955, and to continue for the school year ending Aug. 31, 1956.

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ORDERED, That, subject to the approval of the Division of Civil Service, the re-employment of Mildred Amerena, Catherine Donovan, Florence Hayes, Hannah Hickey, and Marguerite Murphy, as escorts, Horace Mann School for the Deaf, is hereby authorized, compensation to be at the rate of six dollars ($6) for each day of actual service, to take effect Sept. 22, 1955, and to continue for the school year ending Aug. 31. 1956.

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ORDERED, That the Superintendent is hereby authorized to employ such emergency substitute escort and door attendants, escort and lunch attendants, and escorts, in the Horace Mann School for the Deaf, as may from time to time be needed, compensation for such service to be at the rate regularly established for the position.

On roll call the four orders passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4

NAYS—0

ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1

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APPOINTMENT OF SCHOOL SECRETARY

A communication was received from the Secretary, under date of Sept. 12, 1955, reporting, subject to the approval of the School Committee, and the Division of Civil Service, the appointment of Mary A. Campbell as secretary, day elementary and junior high schools, for one day, Sept. 20, 1955, in order to effect her transfer to the City of Boston Law Department. Mrs. Campbell resigned her position as secretary, day elementary and junior high schools, Jan. 23, 1952.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4.

NAYS—O.

ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the salary of Mary A. Campbell, secretary, day elementary and junior high schools, is hereby established at the rate of three thousand three hundred and seventy-six dollars ($3,376) per annum, for one day, Sept. 20, 1955.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward —4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Musco 1.

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ATTENDANCE AT CONVENTIONS

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That Dennis C. Haley, Superintendent of Public Schools, is hereby authorized to attend the Meeting of Superintendents of Cities with Population over 200,000, to be held in Providence, Rhode Island, Oct. 13 to 15, 1955, at an expense to the city not to exceed fifty dollars ($50.)

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward —4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Musco —1.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That Leo J. Burke, Business Manager, is hereby authorized to attend the Convention of the Association of School Business Officials of the United States and Canada, to be held in Chicago, Illinois, Oct. 16 to 20, 1955, inclusive, at an expense to the city not to exceed two hundred and fifty dollars ($250).

On roll call the order passed by the folowing vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward —4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That James S. Reardon, Schoolhouse Custodian, is hereby authorized to attend the Convention of the Association of School Business Officials, to be held in Chicago, Illinois, Oct. 16 to 20, 1955, inclusive, at an expense to the city not to exceed two hundred and fifty dollars ($250).

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4.

NAYS—O.

ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That Priscilla M. Richards, Director of School Lunches, is hereby antuhorized to attend the Convention of the American Dietetic Association, to be held in St. Louis, Missouri, Oct. 18 to 21, 1955, inclusive, at an expense to the city not to exceed two hundred thirty-five dollars ($235).

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward —4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Museo—1.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That Henry F Barry, Head Supervisor, Department of Attendance, is hereby authorized to attend the Convention of the National League to Promote School Attendance, to be held in Buffalo, New York, Oct. 24 to 27, 1955, inclusive, at an expense to the city not to exceed one hundred and sixty dollars ($160).

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward —4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

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INCREASE IN PENSIONS

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That under authority of Chapter 594 of the Acts of 1955—"An Act Increasing Pensions Payable Under the Permanent School Pension Fund in the City of Boston and Equalizing Pensions Paid Therefrom"—the annual pensions of the following-named persons are hereby re-established at the rates indicated, to take effect Sept. 1, 1955:

Theresa V. Arato	$1520
Annie E. Bancroft	1520
Nellie F. Bates	1520
Cecelia A. Bergin	1520
Mary M. Bickford	1520
Caroline K. Blackburn	1520
Elizabeth M. Blackburn	1266.75
Helen A. Bragg	1520
Dorothy M. Burnham	1418.76
Marguerite A. Campbell	$1520
Alice G. Carr	1520
Margaret A. Chick	1520
Euphemia D. Christie	1520
Alice T. Clark	1520
Fanny E. Coe	1216.08
Anna M. Cogan	1520
Carrie A. Colton	1216.08
Mary M. Crampton	1520
Elizabeth E. Curley	1520
Ida M. Curtis	1520
Harry F. Doe	1520
Marion A. Dogherty	1418.76
Anna M. Doherty	1520
Elizabeth V. Donahue	1520
Flora E. Ellis	1520
Gertrude M. Finn	1520
Marion B. Foster	1520
Jane V. Gearon	1520
Josephine B. Gilson	1520
Frances W. Given	1520
Anna P. Hannon	1418.76
Margaret G. Hatch	1216.08
Elizabeth M. Healy	1368.09
Kathterine E. Hurley	1520
Elizabeth M. Keefe	1520
Alice G. Kelley	1520
Francis V. Kenney	1520
Charles Laird	1520
Margaret C. Linehan	1520
Susan H. Lynch	1520
Katherine MacDonald	1418.76
Christina W. MacLachlan	1520
Annie G. Malloch	1216.08
Vashni M. Marchant	1520
Elizabeth L. McCarthy	1520
John F. McCarthy	1520
Marguerite C. McDermott	1520
Rose E. McEnaney	1520
Beatrice McGovern	1520
Annie G. Merrill	1520
Elizabeth M. Merz	1520
Margaret E. Miner	1418.76
Mabel V. Mulrey	1520
Mary F. O'Neil	1520
Evelyn M. Pearce	1520
Ida E. Penell	1520
Frederick E. Rau	1520
Ruth E. Reynolds	1520
Florence M. Robinson	1520
Alice K. Rourke	1520
Della S. Scott	1520
Edith Stahl	1520
Anna L. Sullivan	1520
Helen M. Tanzey	1520
Herbert M. Thayer	1418.76
Nellie B. Vinal	1520
Mary A. Watson	1418.76

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4

NAYS—0

ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That under authority of Chapter 594 of the Acts of 1955—"An Act Increasing Pensions Payable Under the Permanent School Pension Fund in the City of Boston and Equalizing Pensions Paid Therefrom"—the annual pensions of the following-named persons are hereby re-established at the rate of fifteen hundred twenty dollars ($1,520) per annum, to take effect Sept. 1, 1955:

Alice E. Aldrich, Clara H. Allen, Jean L. Allen, Ruby G. Allen, Cecelia M. Bainton, Jessie M. Baker, Elizabeth C. Barry, J. Helen Bartholomew, Sheba E. Berry, Olive A. Beveridge, Ellen G. Bird, Williamina Birse, Edith L. Bishop, Ellen S. Bloomfield, Bridget C. Boyle, J. Albert Brack, Mae H. Bromley, Hattie Browne, Rosa M. Bumstead, Mary E. Bunton, Emma Burrows, Elizabeth L. Bush, Marion E. Buswell, Stella A. Cannon, Florence L. Carter, Maud I. Carter, Annie H. Chadwick, M. Edna Cherrington, Charlotte Z. Church, Etta G. Clarke, Rose M. Cole, N. Eveline Coolidge, Genevieve Costello, Anna F. Cotter.

Eva M. Cotton, Mary M. Crane, Mary V. Cronin, Ada Cushing, Anna F. Daly, Jared W. Davis, Agnes F. Dillingham, Bertha F. Dodge, Frances E. Donovan, Katherine L. Driscoll, Isabel M. Duguid, Alice Dunn, Martha L. Eaton, Harriet E. Ells, Ellen B. Esau, Blanche E. Fallon, Mary E. Farrell, Helen C. Fisher, Lila C. Fisher, Mabel A. **Fitz, Katherine L. Fitzpatrick, Mary W. Foley, Ellen M. Ford, Catherine W. Fraser, Helen E. Freeman, Elizabeth A. Freeto,** Isabel C. French, Eleanor A. Gallant, Gertrude L. Gavin, Mary A. Geary, Minnie Goldsmith, Eliza D. Graham, Elizabeth Greenman, Jennie P. Grose, Ella J. Guindon, Adelaide Haley, Blanche S. Hall, Louise M. Hall, Martha E. Hall, Catherine E. Halligan, Florence M. Halligan, Charlotte C. Hamblin, Emily J. Hare. Maude C. Hartnett, Katherine S. Haskell, Ellen G. Hayden, Olivia B. Hazelton, Alice B. Hennessey, Georgia L. Hilton, Flora E. Hinman, Mary E. Hiscock, Edith M. Holway, Annie A. Horton, Bessie W. Howard.

Mary M. Hoyc, Mary E. Hughes, Augusta A. Jackson, Anne A. Jenkins, Harriet L. Jewell, Annie M. Johnson, Edith C. Johnson, Ethel M. Jones, Mabel L. Josselyn, Louise A. Keeler, Gladys L. Kelly, Sabina F. Kelly, Margaret M. Kenney, Mary E. Keohan, Blanche F. Kingsley, Sara E. Kirwen, Annie L. Knight, Sarah B. C. Lane, Mary T. Laughlin, Mary S. Laughton, Mary A. Leary, Lillian K. Lewis, Elizabeth A. Lyons, Katherine A. Lyons, Kathleen M. MacHugh, Ann MacKenzie, Mary E. Mahan, Mary G. Mahar, Viola R. Marsh, Annie L. McCarty, Margaret T. McCormick, Agnes E. McDonald, Mary F. McDonald, Katherine E. McEnroe, Annie F. McGillicuddy, Isabelle C. McIntyre, Susan A. McKenna, Katherine J. McMahon, R. Genevieve McMorrow, Alice G. Meade, Katherine C. Merrick, Marcelline I. Mora, Louise K. Morse, Bertha F. Munster, Gertrude G. O'Brien, Katherine O'Brien, Esther G. O'Connor, Mary M. O'Mara, Elizabeth A. O'Neil, Dorothy W. O'Reilly, Emily H. Osborne, Frances S. Parker, Lena G. Perrigo, Bertha A. Pettee, Elizabeth R. Phelan, Jennie E. Phinney.

Amy K. Pickett, Mary Polk, Mary Ranney, Clara Ransom, Margaret J. Raymond, Ellor C. Ripley, **Edith M. Sandsbury, Abigail A. Scannell,** Hettie B. Schriftgiesser, Mabel J. Sedgwick, Stella W. Seymour, Emma D. Shelton, Margaret L. Sheridan, Lena A. Sherwood, Elizabeth M. Shine, Mary H. Skelton, Jessie C. Skinner, H. Maude Marshall (Slayton), Eleanora A. Smith, Helen M. Smith, Edith K. Smythe, Alice E. Steer, Marion R. Stevens, B. Loretto Sullivan, Mary L. Sullivan, Minnie E. Sutherland, Zelpha L. Thayer, Louisa C. Thomas, Ruth E. Thomas, Louise Townsend, Annabelle L. Troupe, Alice V. Tuttle, Mabel E. Vaughan, Mary L. Veazie, Florence I. Waitt. May E. Ward, Myra Wentworth, Gertrude A. White, Adah F. Whitney, Alice M. Williams, Sarah H. Williams, Cora E. Wood, Mabel A. Woodward, Elizabeth P. Wright, Florence M. Young.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs Lee, and Ward —4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That under authority of Chapter 594 of the Acts of 1955—"An Act Increasing Pensions Payable Under the Permanent School Pension Fund in the City of Boston and Equalizing Pensions Paid Therefrom"—the annual pensions of the following-named persons are hereby re-established at the rates indicated, to take effect Sept. 1, 1955:

Helena R. Baldrey	$1100
Katherine J. Burke	1100
Ernestine Y. Cox	1476
Grace M. Crawford	1000
Jane K. Daly	1000
Mary E. Doherty	1000
Margaret A. Foran	1476
Mary C. Hopkins	1388
Katherine G. Kelly	1000
Annie T. Lackie	1299.99
Mary A. Leavens	1100
Annie C. MacDonald	1100
Estelle M. Morrison	1100
Edith F. Russell	1100
Helen M. Waterman	1000
Gertrude L. Wright	1100

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

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RESIGNATION OF CUSTODIAN

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Sept. 12, 1955, reporting the resignation, effective July 27, 1955, of Paul R. Tudor, military substitute, junior building custodian, Girls' Latin School.

Accepted.

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LEAVE OF ABSENCE TO CUSTODIAN

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Sept. 12, 1955, recommending that Joseph W. Sennott, junior building custodian, Administration Building, be granted leave of absence without pay, from Sept. 22, 1955, to June 21, 1956, inclusive.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the leave of absence without pay was granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward —4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

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TRANSFER OF CUSTODIAN

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Sept. 12, 1955, recommending that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, the following-named senior building custodian who, by seniority and merit, stands at the head of his respective list, be transferred to the school indicated, to take effect Sept. 12, 1955:

Eugene P. Corey, from William Barton Rogers Junior High School to Boston Technical High School.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the transfer was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs Lee, and Ward —4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

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AMENDMENT TO SALARY SCHEDULE

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the salary schedule for teachers, members of the supervising staff and others, adopted at the meeting of Aug. 30, 1955, is hereby amended by striking out:

Head Supervisor of Attendance
First Year $6840; Annual Increment $144; Maximum $7776,

and substituting in place thereof:

Head Supervisor of Attendance
First Year——; Annual Increment——; Maximum $8532.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Carr, Lee, and Ward—3.

NAYS—Miss Fitzgerald—1.

ABSENT—Mr. Musco—1.

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RECESS

The meeting recessed and went into executive session. The four members reassembled at 7 P. M., Mr. Musco absent.

PURCHASE OF BURSTING MACHINE

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the Business Manager is hereby authorized to purchase from the manufacturer, Uarco Inc., one (1) Uarco B-55 Multiple Burster, at a cost of $1,268.87 f.o.b. Chicago, Illinois, without publicly advertising for competitive bids.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Museo—1.

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UNFINISHED BUSINESS

The order laid over at the meeting of Aug. 23, 1955, making changes in the List of Authorized Text Books, was taken up.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Miss Fitzgerald, Messrs. Lee, and Ward—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Museo—1.

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The committee adjourned.

Attest:

AGNES E. REYNOLDS,
Secretary

September 19, 1955.

A regular meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, at 2:45 P. M., Mr. Lee in the Chair.

Present: Mr. Carr, Mr. Lee, Mr. Museo, and Mr. Ward (Mr. Carr left the meeting early).

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APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENTS

The Chairman stated the question was on approving the appointments of teachers as reported by the Superintendent at the meeting of Sept. 12, 1955, and laid over.

On roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Carr, Lee, Musco, and Ward—4

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mrs. Phaneuf—1.

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TRIBUTE TO BOSTON RED SOX

Mr. Ward offered the following resolutions:

RESOLVED, That The School Committee of the City of Boston in meeting assembled hereby commends our Boston Red Sox for the gallant and glorious fight which they have made during the past baseball season. Like the historic Light Brigade of Tennyson's fame, they lost the Pennant but won the hearts and applause of all New England for their gallantry and their all-out effort to bring greater glory to our City. They will never know how many children they have inspired to be another Ted Williams or a Frank Sullivan.

Winning or losing our Red Sox always displayed the best sportsmanship and a spirit of never letting up until the last man was out. That is what we are endeavoring to instill in the 93,000 school children in our Public Schools—a spirit of never say die; and be it further

RESOLVED, That Mike Higgins be commended for his generalship and his humble and brilliant manner of directing the team; and be it further

RESOLVED, That Curt Gowdy and Bob Murphy be praised for the excellent broadcasts given in such an appealing manner.

We look forward to 1956 when we shall hear their pleasant voices again.

On roll call the resolutions were adopted by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Carr, Lee, Musco, and Ward—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mrs. Phaneuf—1.

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CIRCULAR OF INFORMATION—EVENING SCHOOLS

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the Business Manager is hereby authorized to contract with the Eastern Color Printing Co., New York City, for the printing of 250,000 copies of the Informational Booklet pertaining to Evening Schools and School Centers, Department of Adult Educational and Recreational Activities, at a price of thirty-seven hundred twenty-seven dollars fifty cents ($3,727.50) plus delivery charges, without publicly advertising for competitive bids.

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Mr. Lee: In urging the members to vote No on this I would like to call to their attention the fact that I think the timing is a little late for this year on the pamphlet, and I would like to see it stripped down to a little more factual report than it is, a little more purely informative, and I also think we have to keep an eye on the Budget of our Evening Schools. So I would recommend that it would be a little more prudent to postpone this appropriation until next year.

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On roll call, the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Carr, Musco, and Ward—3.

NAYS—Mr. Lee—1.

ABSENT—Mrs. Phaneuf—1.

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APPOINTMENTS

The following nominations by the Superintendent, certified by him as being in accordance with the rules and regulations, to take effect on the dates stated, were presented:

(FROM THE ELIGIBLE LIST)

Charlestown High School—John W. Fallon, shop instructor, cooperative branches (thirteenth year salary—$5112—anniversary date Sept. 1), Sept. 26, 1955.

On roll call the rules were suspended and the appointment approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Carr, Lee, Musco, and Ward—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mrs. Phaneuf—1.

(BY PROMOTION)

Charlestown High School—Mary Reid, head of department (from assistant, Roslindale High School), Sept. 1, 1955.

On roll call the rules were suspended and the appointment approved by the following vote:

YEAS — Messrs. Carr, Lee, Musco, and Ward—4.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT — Mrs. Phaneuf—1.

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DAY SCHOOL FOR IMMIGRANTS

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the Superintendent is hereby authorized to move the Day School for Immigrants to the Abraham Lincoln Schoolhouse beginning with the term 1955-56.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Carr, Lee, and Ward—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mrs. Phaneuf—1.

NOT VOTING—Mr. Musco—1.

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IN MEMORIAM

The Superintendent regretfully reported the death on Sept. 15, 1955, of Mary R. Shallow, Cafeteria Manager, Department of School Lunches.

Placed on file.

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The School Committee requested that a letter of condolence, to be signed by the Secretary, be sent to the bereaved family.

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RETIREMENTS ON PENSION

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Sept. 19, 1955, reporting the retirement from active service of the following-named members of the State-Boston Retirement System, to take effect Sept. 30, 1955, as certified by the Boston Retirement Board:

Michelangelo - Eliot - Hancock District—Mary F. Sharkey, vice principal; Manuel L. Travers, junior building custodian.

Department of School Hygiene—Louise H. Best, school nurse.

School Committee Administration Building—William J. Sennott, senior building custodian.

Placed on file.

RESIGNATION

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Sept. 19, 1955, reporting the resignation of Ruth Bergdoll Kelly, teacher, kindergarten, William E. Endicott District, to take effect Aug. 31, 1955.

Accepted.

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TEMPORARY TEACHERS

Department of Industrial Arts —William C. Collins, Francis A. Colosi, George A. DiLorenzo, Stephen C. Higgins, John Howard, Patrick P. Nessar, Robert H. Salander, shop instructors, Sept. 22, 1955.

On roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Carr, and Mrs. Phaneuf—2.

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DEPARTMENT OF ADULT EDUCATIONAL AND RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES

(Evening Schools)

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Sept. 19, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has appointed the following-named principals of evening schools for the term 1955-56.

(To take effect Sept. 27, 1955)

High Schools

Boston Central Evening High School—Daniel F. O'Connell.

Brighton Evening Commercial High School — Thomas A. O'Keeffe.

Dorchester Evening Commercial High School — Francis X. Renehan.

East Boston Evening Commercial High School — Edward F. Brickley.

Roslindale Evening Commercial High School—William T. Miller.

Roxbury Evening Commercial High School—Timothy M. Tully.

South Boston Evening Commercial High School—James H. Holland.

Codman Square Evening School —Mortimer F. Reardon.

Fields Corner Evening School —Anna T. Shea.

South End Evening School—Thomas J. Coakley.

West End Evening School—Thomas J Colleran.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Carr, and Mrs. Phaneuf—2.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Sept. 19, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has appointed the following-named principal of evening trade schools for the term 1955-56;

(To take effect Sept. 27, 1955)

Boston Evening Trade School—James B. Dolan.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS — Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Carr ad Mrs. Phaneuf—2.

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(TOOLKEEPERS)

Boston Trade High School—Henry F. King, Thomas McNulty, Thomas J. Harrington, Frederick J. Viles, William M. Ryan, toolkeepers, Sept. 22 1955.

On roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS — Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Carr, and Mrs. Phaneuf—2.

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LEAVE OF ABSENCE

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Sept. 19, 1955, recommending that leave of absence without pay, be granted the following-named teacher for the term specified:

Norcross District—R. Eleanor Cushing, Vice Principal, Sept. 1, 1955 to Aug. 31, 1956.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the leave of absence without pay was granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Carr, and Mrs. Phaneuf—2.

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REPORT ON MARRIED TEACHERS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Sept. 19, 1955, reporting that in accordance with the provisions of Section 283 of the regulations, the following-named female teachers have reported that they were married on the dates indicated:

Hyde Park High School — Marion H. Kidder, assistant, married June 25, 1955, new name Marion H. Cushman.

Edmund P. Tileston District—Frances J. Zetes, teacher, elementary, married Aug. 20, 1955, new name Frances J. Harwood.

Placed on file.

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FINE ARTS CLASSES

The following three orders were offered:

ORDERED, That the Superintendent is hereby authorized to re-establish in the Musem of Fine Arts the Fine Arts High School class for the current term beginning September 28, 1955, and continuing throughout the school year unless otherwise determined by the Superintendent, the sessions to occur on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, and to be not more than three hours in length

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ORDERED, That the employment of Alma O. LeBrecht, or in her absence of some other qualified person, as art teacher in the Fine Arts High School class at the Museum of Fine Arts, is hereby authorized for the term beginning September 28, 1955, and continuing throughout the school year unless otherwise determined by the Superintendent, said art teacher to serve during the three three-hour sessions each week; compensation for such service to be at the rate of five dollars ($5.00) per hour of service.

ORDERED, That the employment of two temporary teachers in the Fine Arts High School class in the Museum of Fine Arts is hereby authorized for the term beginning September 28, 1955, and continuing throughout the school year unless otherwise determined by the Superintendent, said temporary art teachers to serve during the three three-hour sessions each week; compensation for such service to be at the rate of three dollars and fifty cents ($3.50) per hour of service.

On roll call the three orders passed by the following vote:

YEAS — Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Carr, and Mrs. Phaneuf—2.

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ATTENDANCE AT CONVENTION

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That Francis J. Emery, Director, Department of Industrial Arts, is hereby authorized to attend the Forty-Ninth Annual Convention of the American Vocational Association, to be held in Atlantic City, New Jersey, Dec. 4, to Dec. 9, 1955, inclusive, at an expense to the city not to exceed one hundred dollars ($100).

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS — Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Carr, and Mrs. Phaneuf—2.

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SALARIES, GEORGE ROBERT WHITE FUND SCHOOLBOY STADIUM

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the salary schedule adopted at the meeting of the School Committee on Aug. 30, 1955, be amended to provide that the salaries of the following-named temporary ranks in the George Robert White Fund

Schoolboy Stadium be established as follows:

(Nights — Holidays)

Ticket Sellers	$7.00
Ticket Takers	6.00
Matrons	6.00
Dressing Room Guards	5.00

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS — Messrs. Lee, Museo, and Ward—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Carr, and Mrs. Phaneuf—2.

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APPOINTMENT OF SCHOOL PHYSICIANS

A communication was received from the Secretary, under date of Sept. 19, 1955, reporting that the Division of Civil Service has certified the following-named persons as eligible to fill seven positions as permanent part-time male school physicians:

Arthur E. Sullivan, Charles D. J. Regan, Sidney L. Elwyn, Edmund J. Morgan, Jr., Arthur J. O'Connor, Jacob Bookstein, Herbert D. Fisher, Anthony S. Ripa, Sydney H. Lappin, James J. Prochnik, Herbert H. Leventhal, Milton M. Cohen.

Placed on file.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the following-named persons, the first seven on the list certified by the Division of Civil Service willing to accept, are hereby appointed to the position of school physician, Department of School Hygiene, to take effect Sept. 22, 1955:

Sidney L. Elwyn, Edmund J. Morgan, Jr., Arthur J. O'Connor, Jacob Bookstein, Herbert D. Fisher, Anthony S. Ripa, Sydney H. Lappin.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS — Messrs, Lee, Museo, and Ward—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Carr, and Mrs. Phaneuf—2.

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SUPPLY ROOM

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That, subject to the approval of the Division of Civil Service, during the extended absence of the Chief Storekeeper, George A. McKendry, Assistant Chief Storekeeper, is hereby appointed Acting Chief Storekeeper, to take effect Sept. 21, 1955.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS — Messrs. Lee, Museo, and Ward—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Carr, and Mrs. Phaneuf—2.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That, during the period of his temporary service as Acting Chief Storekeeper, the salary of George A. McKendry is hereby established at the rate of one hundred fifteen dollars and forty-eight cents ($115.48) per week, to take effect Sept. 21, 1955.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS — Messrs. Lee, Museo, and Ward—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Carr, and Mrs. Phaneuf—2.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That subject to the approval of the Division of Civil Service, during the temporary service of George A. McKendry as Acting Chief Storekeeper, Edward E. Fenton, Receiver, is hereby appointed Acting Assistant Chief Storekeeper, to take effect Sept. 21, 1955.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS — Messrs. Lee Museo, and Ward—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Carr, and Mrs. Phaneuf—2.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That, during the period of his temporary service as Acting Assistant Chief Storekeeper, the salary of Edward E. Fenton is hereby established at the rate of ninety-nine dollars and eighteen cents ($99.18) per week, to take effect Sept. 21, 1955.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS — Messrs. Lee, Museo, and Ward—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Carr, and Mrs. Phaneuf—2.

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RESOLUTIONS

The following preamble and resolutions were offered by Mr. Ward:

WHEREAS, After a lifetime of devoted public service, Charles D. Driscoll of Brighton, has departed from this life, and

WHEREAS, He prepared himself in the Boston Public Schools, and Boston University Law School for a brilliant career which followed, and

WHEREAS, He distinguished himself as a representative in the Massachusetts Legislature during the years 1941-1952; as Chairman of the Committee on Judiciary; as an Assistant District Attorney of Suffolk County; and as a practicing attorney for forty-two years, and

WHEREAS, He was prominent in the affairs of the Knights of Columbus, the Veterans of Foreign Wars, and the Advisory Board of Crippled Children, be it therefore

RESOLVED, That the Boston School Committee place upon its records an expression of sorrow at his loss from our midst,—one so charitable and kind to his fellowmen, and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Boston School Committee extends its sympathy to the family of the late Charles D. Driscoll at the departure of one dear to their hearts, and directs that a copy of these resolutions be sent to his family.

On roll call the preamble and resolutions were adopted by the following vote:

YEAS — Messrs. Lee, Museo, and Ward 3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Carr, and Mrs. Phaneuf—2.

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The Committee adjourned.

Attest:

AGNES E. REYNOLDS,
Secretary.

Oct. 3, 1955.

A regular meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, at 6:14 P. M., the Chairman presiding.

Present: Mr. Carr, Mr. Lee, Mr. Museo, Mrs. Phaneuf, and Mr. Ward.

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AMENDMENT OF MINUTES

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the minutes of the meeting of Mar. 28, 1955, are hereby amended as follows:

On page 112, under Order 1, by adding in the third line after "Level 1*"—cpt. 1954.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Mr. Carr, Mr. Lee, Mr. Museo, Mrs. Phaneuf and Mr. Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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IN MEMORIAM

The Superintendent regretfully reported the death on Sept. 17, 1955, of Thomas A. Donnelly, master, Boston Latin School.

Placed on file.

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The Superintendent regretfully reported the deaths of the following-named teachers who had been retired on pension:

Roger Wolcott District—Frances A. Neilson, Aug. 21, 1955.

Department of Home Economics—Mary H. Skelton, Sept. 26, 1955.

Placed on file.

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The School Committee requested that a letter of condolence, to be signed by the Secretary, be sent to the bereaved families.

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RETIREMENT ON PENSION

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 3, 1955, reporting the retirement from active service of the following-named veteran who has been retired under the provisions of Chapter 32 of the General Laws, as amended:

Brighton High School—Daniel J. Galvin, co-operative instructor, Sept. 30, 1955, $3728.40 per annum.

Placed on file.

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RESIGNATIONS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 3, 1955, reporting the resignations of the following-named teachers, to take effect on the dates stated:

Henry L. Higginson District—Mary E. Thomson, teacher, elementary, Sept. 30, 1955.

Sherwin District—Charles E. Foley, submaster, Aug. 31, 1955.

William E. Endicott District—Jane P. Ferrick, Sept. 19, 1955.

Accepted.

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APPOINTMENTS

The following nominations by the Superintendent, certified by him as being in accordance with the rules and regulations, to take effect on the dates stated were presented:

(ADMINISTRATIVE RESEARCH ASSISTANT)

Administrative Research Assistant—Francis J. O'Connor, Oct. 10, 1955.

On roll call the rules were suspended and the appointment approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Lee, and Musco, Mrs. Phaneuf, and Mr. Ward —4.

NAYS—0.

PASSED—Mr. Carr—1.

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(FROM THE ELIGIBLE LIST)

Department of Industrial Arts —Michael J. Abruzzese, shop instructor (second year salary — $3648—anniversary date Nov. 1), Nov. 1, 1955. Alfred F. Carpenito, shop instructor (minimum salary —$3504—anniversary date Nov. 1), Nov. 15, 1955.

Department of Vocational Guidance—William P. Gilligan, vocational instructor (from teacher of juvenile adjustment, Division of Juvenile Adjustment), Oct. 10, 1955.

Division of Juvenile Adjustment —Robert F. Fahey, teacher of juvenile adjustment (from assistant, special class, Sherwin District), Oct. 10, 1955.

On roll call the rules were suspended and the appointments approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Carr, Lee, Musco, Mrs. Phaneuf, and Mr. Ward —5.

NAYS—0.

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(ADVANCEMENT WITHIN THE SERVICE)

Boston Trade High School — Joseph D. Hughes, senior instructor (from trade instructor), Sept. 1, 1955, John C. Tragakis, senior instructor (from trade instructor), Sept. 1, 1955.

Brighton High School — Alexander Passaretti, junior master (from cooperative instructor), Sept. 1, 1955.

Trade High School for Girls—Julia A. M. Bocchino, senior assistant (from trade assistant), Sept. 1, 1955.

Roxbury Memorial High School (Girls)—Mary J. Benson, assistant (from industrial instructor), Sept. 1, 1955.

On roll call the rules were suspended and the appointments approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Carr, Lee, and Musco, Mrs. Phaneuf, and Mr. Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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(TEMPORARY SCHOOL NURSES)

Department of School Hygiene —Kathleen M. Burke, Elenora E. Doherty, Anne M. Enright, Hilda Oliphant Miller, Adele I Sheehan, Edith B. Sheehan, Sept. 22, 1955. J. Fern D. Basiliere, Dorothy McCormack O'Neil, Sept. 26, 1955.

On roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Carr, Lee, Musco, Mrs. Phancuf, and Mr. Ward —5.

NAYS—0.

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DEPARTMENT OF ADULT EDUCATIONAL AND RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES

(Extended Use)

Term 1955-56

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 3, 1955, reporting, subject to the approval of the School Committee, the assignment of the following-named persons to serve in the Department of Adult Educational and Recreational Activities, Extended Use Division, for the term 1955-56;

Re-assignments

Managers—Henry F. Bamberg, James S. Carmody, John E. Day, John F. Doherty, Margaret M. Higgins, William L. Hughes, Joseph A. McDonald, J. Murray Page, John A. Scanga, John A. Varnerin, Leslie P. Whelan, Oct. 5, 1955.

Acting Manager — Angus J. MacDonald, Oct. 5, 1955.

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Assignments

Acting Manager — James F. Daly, Oct. 5, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the assignment and re-assignments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Carr, Lee Musco, Mrs. Phaneuf, and Mr. Ward —5.

NAYS—0.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 3, 1955, reporting subject to the approval of the School Committee, the assignment of the following-named persons to serve in the Department of Adult Educational and Recreation Activities, Extended Use Division, for the term 1955-56:

Assignments

Josephine G. Finocchi, Herbert A MacDonald, James L. Mahoney, Sadie L. Rosenberg, Oct. 5, 1955; Margaret V. Cooper, Dolores E. McManus, Oct. 10, 1955.

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Re-assignments

Phyllis Abruzzi, Fred M. Albano, Frank J. Alberts, Roberta J. Amorose, Margaret Antonellis, Helen V. Baker, Mary E. Barnes, Walter E. Barringer, Garrett T. Barry, Jessie L. Barry, Thomas F. Barry, Henry Bernard, Ethel H. Blute, Marie A. Bond, Herbert L. Bourgault, Vincent A. Braudis, Margaret E. Breslin, Ellen L. Brophey, Harold W. Burnham, Robert E. Burns, Rose A. Butler, Thomas J. Carty, Frank J. Celona, Ann L. Clayton, Stanley F. Clement, Mary Kane Coombs, Gordon M. Copatch, Clara G. Corrado, Sarina G. Costa, Phyllis M. Coughlin, Leo F. Cox, Albert H. Crooker, John J. Cummings, Margaret M. Cunniff, Wesley J. Davey, Thomas S. Davie, Thomas Davies, Josephine A. Dee, Lila DeMai, Eugene E. Desaulniers, Joseph P. Devaney, Ernest A. DiMattia, Joseph A. Doherty, William L. Dowling, William F. Duffy, Alice M. Dundon, Edward R. Eagar, Emma E. Ecker, Gertrude E. Ennis, Carlos A. Faria, Frances Farrell, John J. Farren, Frederick J. Faulstich, John Fitzgerald, Anne R. Fleming, Mary A. Flynn, John J. Foran, Joseph A. Gallo, Frank J. Gately, John Gehm, Flora M. Gerwe, Emilia Giardini, Lucy Giarle, Nellie M. Gilbride, Frederick J. Gillis, Jr., Helen T. Glynn, Frederick G. Goodwin, Ada H. Gordon, Thomas J. Gordon, Esio J. Grassi, Jessie B. Greene, Agnes A. Gruss, Marie Guercio, Frederick J. Gumbs, Antoinette E. Guzzo.

Leo C. Haley, Edna P. Hall, Gertrude Hallett, Herbert C. Hambleton, James P. Hand, Raymond T. Harrington, Mary A. Hawkes, Sarah A. Hawkes, Gerard M. Hennigan, Irene F. Herlihy, Agnes A. Higgins, Raymond F. Higgins, Katherine E. Hoar, Vivian Hodge, Matthew T. Hoey, P. Francis Hogan, Thomas E. Houston, Rose M. Hoye, Emily L. Inello, Louis H. Karshick, James J. Keegan, James Kelley, James J. Kelley, James Joseph Kelley, John F. Kelliher, John J. Keohane, Mabel M. Kerwin, Henry A. Kiley, Josephine P. Lamborghini, Kathleen M. Lamir, Lillian A. Laurano, Harold J. Lawlor, Edward B. Leach, Lewis B. Leary, Victor J. Lemay, Frances M. Lentini, Francis P. Leonard, Charles C. Lidbergh, Gandolfa Lima, Primo Lorenzoni, Daniel V. Lovett, Edwin M. Luippold, Marion D. Macaskill, Gertrude B. MacKay, William E. MacNair, James S.

Maguire, Florence V. Mahoney, Lawrence C. Mahoney, Francis H. Maloney, Ralph E. Mann, Irene M. Maraghy, Mary E. Maxwell, Jeremiah F. McAuliffe, Mary McCaul, Helen F. McCauley, Alice G. McCool Patrick McDonough, Thomas F. McDonough, Barabara T. McEachern, Helen B. McGee, James J. McKiernan, John F. McKiernan, Joseph M. McLaughlin, Barbara J. McLean, John E. McManus, Joseph E. McTiernan, James P. Meade, Henry J. Mealwitz, Genevieve L. Merritt, Peter Milano, Charles J. Moloney, Clare E. Morgan, Harry E. Morrissey, Nicholas J. Mulcahy, Josephine A. Murray, Anna E. Nash, Phyllis M. Nigro, Eileen H. Norton, Ruth E. Noyd, Rita M. Nugent, Katherine E. O'Brien, John H. O'Brien, Nettie M. O'Brien, Madeline B. O'Callaghan, Charles F O'Hara, Vivian G. Pearson, Lewis B. Peluso, Raymond J. Pemberton, Mary M. Penta, William J. Pepicelli, Ethel M. Percuoco, Ernest V. Perreault, Charles W. Pistorino, Norman C. Plausky, Norman B. Raum, Francis V. Reardon, Isabel M. Reardon, Mary E. Regan, Freda Regolsky, Sarah E. Reth, Joseph F. Ricci, Florence C. Rider, Rachel T. Riley, Paul E. Roach, Theresa M. Russo, Dorothy E. Ryan, Tomasina Santoro, Labee-Lee H. Saquet, Eleanor C. Scannell, Esther Schawbel, Rosalie Schlosberg, Carmine A. Serino, Florence H. Sexton, Mary A. Shane, Anastatia J. Shepard, James C. Sherlock, John J. Shine, Stanley F. Sikora, Josephine Simeone, Albert E. Small, Allen F. Smith, Irene R. Smith, M. Edward Spillane, Daniel J. Sullivan, John P. Sweeney, Robert W. Swett, Estha L. Ten Eyck, Joseph A. Trongone, Frank S. Van Wart, Vincent Veneziano, Margaret E. Vogel, Andrew J. Walsh, Elvira D. Webb, Henry J. Whalen, Gertrude D. Wilson, Ida Wingert, Eva Worshofsky, I. James Zyntell, Oct. 5, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the assignments and re-assignments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS — Messrs. Carr, Lee, Musco, Mrs. Phaneuf, and Mr. Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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LEAVES OF ABSENCE

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 3, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has discontinued the leave of absence for military service granted the following-named teachers, said discontinuance to take effect on the dates indicated:

Blackinton-John Cheverus District—Hugh W. Lynch, teacher, elementary, Sept. 22, 1955.

Mary Hemenway District — Paul A. Kennedy, teacher, elementary, Aug. 31, 1955.

Oliver Wendell Holmes Junior High School—Helen L. Schmidt, teacher, junior high, Oct. 31, 1954.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the discontinuance of leaves of absence was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Carr, Lee, Musco, Mrs. Phaneuf, and Mr. Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 3, 1955, recommending that leave of absence without pay, be granted the following-named teacher for the term specified:

Henry Grew District—Joanne M. Anderberg, teacher, elementary, Sept. 1, 1955, to Aug. 31, 1956.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the leave of absence without pay was granted by the following vote:

YEAS — Messrs. Carr, Lee, Musco, Mrs. Phaneuf, and Mr. Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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A communication was received from the Secretary, under date of Oct. 3, 1955, recommending that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, leave of absence without pay be granted A. Frank Foster, supervisor of attendance, Department of Attendance, for the period Oct. 4, 1955, to Nov. 11, 1955, inclusive.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the leave of absence without pay was granted by the following vote:

YEAS — Messrs. Carr, Lee, Musco, Mrs. Phaneuf, and Mr. Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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TRANSFERS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 3, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has made the following transfers of teachers, to take effect on the dates stated:

Anna C. Bothwell, assistant, special class, Donald McKay Junior High School, to the same position in the Mary E. Curley Junior High School. Sept. 21, 1955.

Mildred A. Bradley, assistant, special class, William Howard Taft Junior High School, to the same position in the Thomas A. Edison Junior High School, Sept. 1, 1955.

Mary E. D. Devereaux, vice principal, Bennett District, to the same position in the James A. Garfield District, Sept. 1, 1955.

Hugh W. Lynch, teacher, elementary, Blackinton-John Cheverus District, to the same position in the James J. Chittick District, Sept. 23, 1955.

Alice P. O'Keeffe, assistant, special class, James P. Timilty Junior High School, to the same position in the Hugh O'Brien District, Sept. 21, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the transfers were approved by the following vote:

YEAS — Messrs. Carr, Lee, Musco, Mrs. Phaneuf, and Mr. Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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ASSIGNMENTS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 3, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has withdrawn the assignment of Elizabeth J. Moynahan, teacher, junior high, Patrick F. Gavin Junior High School, to take effect Sept. 1, 1955, as presented and approved at the meeting of Aug. 8, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the withdrawal of assignment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS — Messrs. Carr, Lee, Musco, Mrs. Phaneuf, and Mr. Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 3, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has terminated the assignment of William P. Gilligan, teacher of juvenile adjustment, Division of Juvenile Adjustment, to the Jamaica Plain High School, as submitted and approved at the meeting of June 27, 1955 (see p. 213), to take effect Oct. 7, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the termination of assignment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS — Messrs. Carr, Lee, Musco, Mrs. Phaneuf, and Mr. Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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A communicaion was received from he Superinendent, under date of Oct. 3, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has assigned the following-named teachers, as indicated, without change of rank or salary, to take effect on the dates indicated, and to continue for the school year ending Aug. 31, 1956, unless earlier terminated by the Superintendent, with the approval of the School Committee:

James A. Garfield District—Alice E. Gallagher, teacher, elementary, to Speech Improvement Classes, Oct. 6, 1955.

Patrick F. Gavin Junior High School—Elizabeth J. Moynihan, teacher, junior high, to the Martin District, Sept. 1, 1955.

Mather District—Jean P. Howell, teacher, elementary, to Conservation of Eyesight Classes, Oct. 3, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the assignments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS — Messrs. Carr, Lee, Musco, Mrs. Phaneuf. and Mr. Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 3, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has reassigned Leo C. Renaud, junior master, East Boston High School, without change of rank and at the salary established by Orders No. 3 and No. 13 in the salary schedule for 1955-56, to assist in organizing and supervising state-aided trade classes, apprenticeship and journeyman classes, part-time trade preparatory classes, and classes for veterans in industry; said assignment to cover day, evening, and vacation service, to take effect Sept. 1, 1955, and to continue until otherwise ordered.

The salary is chargeable on the following basis: 25% to be paid by the City of Boston, subject to 50% state reimbursement, and 75% to be paid from federal George-Barden funds administered by the Commissioner of Education and allotted by special distribution to the City of Boston.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the reassignment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS — Messrs. Carr, Lee, Musco, Mrs. Phaneuf, and Mr. Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 3, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has reassigned George N. Bergh, shop foreman, Department of Industrial Arts, without change of rank and at the salary established by Orders No. 3 and No. 12 in the salary schedule for 1955-56, to assist in the "Veterans-on-the-Job" training program of the Vocational Division of the Massachusetts Department of Education, and to assist in the procurement of surplus government material; said assignment to cover day, evening, and vacation service, to take effect Sept. 1, 1955, and to continue until otherwise ordered.

The salary is to be paid by the City of Boston and reimbursement made by the Massachusetts Department of Education to the City of Boston in the amount of 50%.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the reassignment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS — Messrs. Carr, Lee, Musco Mrs. Phaneuf, and Mr. Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

REPORT ON MARRIED TEACHERS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 3, 1955, reporting that in accordance with the provisions of Section 283 of the regulations, the following-named female teachers have reported that they were married on the dates indicated:

Bigelow District—Margaret C. Hanrahan, teacher, elementary, married Aug. 20, 1955, new name Margaret C. Slathe.

Blackinton — John Cheverus District—Claire T. Farmer, teacher, elementary, married July 30, 1955, new name Claire T. Mortimer.

Ellis Mendell District—Barbara J. Lynch, teacher, kindergarten, married July 2, 1955, new name Barbara J. Williamson.

Elihu Greenwood District — Mary J. Deehan, teacher, kindergarten, married Aug. 20, 1955, new name Mary J. Lansing.

Henry Grew District—Claire M. Donaghue, teacher, elementary, married July 30, 1955, new name Clare M. Aplan.

James A. Garfield District — Anna T. McDonough, teacher, elementary, married July 16, 1955, new name Anna T. Pizzano.

James J. Chittick District — Ann T. Doherty, teacher, elementary, married June 25, 1955, new name Ann T. Hanwell.

Martin District — Norma R. Fallon, teacher, elementary, married Oct. 1, 1955, new name Norma R. Timmerman.

Minot District—Katherine T. Ahern, teacher, elementary, married June 25, 1955, new name Katherine T. Coughlin.

Placed on file.

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DEPARTMENT OF ADULT EDUCATIONAL AND RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES

(Evening Schools)
Term 1955-56

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the principals of evening commercial high schools are hereby placed in charge of the evening elementary schools conducted in their respective buildings during the evening school term 1955-56.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS — Messrs. Carr, Lee, Musco, Mrs. Phaneuf, and Mr. Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the Superintendent is hereby authorized to conduct classes in Woodworking at the Grover Cleveland Evening School during the term 1955-56.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS — Messrs. Carr, Lee, Musco, Mrs. Phaneuf, and Mr. Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That during the term 1955-56 the Superintendent is hereby authorized to conduct a branch of the West End Evening School in the Michelangelo Schoolhouse on Monday and Wednesday evenings, from 7 to 10 o'clock.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS — Messrs. Carr, Lee, Musco, Mrs. Phaneuf, and Mr. Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the Superintendent, subject to the approval of the State Board of Education, is hereby authorized under the General Laws, Chapter 74, to conduct evening trade classes during the evening school term 1955-56 in the Boston Trade High Schoolhouse and in such branches thereof as he may determine.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS — Messrs. Carr, Lee, Musco, Mrs. Phaneuf, and Mr. Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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ASSIGNMENT OF SCHOOL SECRETARIES

A communication was received from the Secretary, under date of Oct. 3, 1955, reporting, subject to the approval of the School Committee, the following assignments of secretaries, without change of rank or salary, to take effect Sept. 1, 1955, and to continue until otherwise ordered:

Helen P. Cooney, secretary, High School of Commerce, to the Boston Technical High School.

Gertrude L. McGowan, secretary, Boston Latin School, to the Henry L. Higginson and Roger Wolcott Districts.

Florence M. Reed, secretary, Blackinton-John Cheverus and Minot Districts, to the Blackinton-John Cheverus District and Donald McKay Junior High School.

Mary R. Sullivan, secretary, Theodore Roosevelt Junior High School, to the Roslindale High School.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the assignments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS — Messrs. Carr, Lee Musco, Mrs. Phaneuf, and Mr. Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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APPOINTMENT OF STOREROOM HELPER

A communication was received from the Secretary, under date of Oct. 3, 1955, reporting, subject to the approval of the School Committee, and with the approval of the Division of Civil Service and the consent of the head of the department concerned, appointment of Joseph L. Culkeen to the position of storeroom help-

er, Supply Room, by transfer from the Highway Division, Public Works Department, City of Boston, to take effect Oct. 19, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS — Messrs. Carr, Lee, Musco, Mrs. Phaneuf, and Mr. Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the salary of Joseph L. Culkeen, storeroom helper, Supply Room, is hereby established at the rate of fifty-eight dollars ($58) a week, to take effect Oct. 19, 1955, and to continue until otherwise ordered.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS — Messrs. Carr, Lee, Musco, Mrs. Phaneuf, and Mr. Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES

A communication was received from the Business Manager, under date of Oct. 3, 1955, submitting a statement showing the appropriations, the expenditures and the balances for general school purposes and special items for the first eight drafts of the current fiscal year, the expenditures for the first eight drafts of the fiscal year 1954, and the increases and decreases in the several items.

Placed on file.

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RECESS

The meeting recessed at 6:21 P. M. The Committee reassembled at 9 P. M., Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward present.

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RESOLUTIONS

The following preamble and resolutions were offered:

WHEREAS, On October 9, 1955 the Reverend George Edwin Hanlon, S.J., will celebrate his Golden Jubilee in the Jesuit Order, and

WHEREAS, He studied at Boston College High School; St. Andrew on the Hudson; Montreal, Canada; Theology at Woodstock, Maryland; Ordination at Georgetown University; and Tertianship in Belgium, and

WHEREAS, He was preacher of retreats in Boston; in Canada; in England; and Spiritual Director of the St. Radegonde Guild for Nurses, and

WHEREAS, His guidance in the serious problems of our modern social life has been effective and lasting, and

WHEREAS, His devotion to God; his love of mankind, his burning desire to serve his fellowmen in their spiritual needs; his consecration to mediation between God and humanity, and

WHEREAS, "According to the magnificent definition of St. Paul the priest is a man taken from amongst men, yet ordained for men in the things that appertain to God," and

WHEREAS, From the cradle to the grave Father Hanlon is ever beside the faithful, a guide, a solace, a minister of salvation and dispenser of grace and blessing, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to Father Hanlon by the Secretary of the School Committee of the City of Boston with best wishes for many happy years on this his golden jubilee.

On roll call the preamble and resolutions were adopted by the following vote:

YEAS — Messrs. Lee, Musco, and Ward—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Mr. Carr, and Mrs. Phaneuf—2.

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LIST OF AUTHORIZED TEXT BOOKS

The following was offered:

ORDERED. That the following-named books, now authorized for use as text books, are hereby dropped from the list:

Addison and Steele. Sir Roger de Coverly Papers from the Spectator. Appleton-Century. c1899.

Alcock et al. English in Review. D. X. McMullen Co. c1947.

Andress et al. Safe and Healthy Living Series. Working Together for Health and Safety. Ginn. c1939.

Atwood. The United States in the Western World. Ginn.

Betz. Everyday Algebra. Elementary Course. Ginn. c1946.

Betz. Everyday Junior Mathematics. Book Two. c1945. Ginn

Blackmore. Lorna Doone. Ginn.

Broening et al. Best-Liked Literature Book Two. Ginn. c1947.

Browning. Shorter Poems (NPC) Macmillan. c1929.

Burke-Morris. Speech on Conciliation with America (bound with Edmund Burke on Essay by A. Birrell. McGraw-Hill (formerly Harper & Bros.). c1945.

Cooper. Poems of Today. Ginn. c1939.

Daringer. Young America's English. Book One. Book Two. World Book. c1942.

Dodd, Fiber and Finish. Ginn. c1925.

Donnelly and McKim. Preparation for Civil Service. Civil Service Bk. c1935

Dumas Francois. Les Trois Mousquetaires Allyn and Bacon. c1923.

Eliot, Silas Marner, Ginn.

Faulkner et al. U. S. A. An American History for the Upper Grades. McGraw Hill (formerly Harper & Bros.). c1948.

Gregg Gregg Speed Building. Gregg Pub. Div. c1938.

Gregg and Rowell. Health Studies—Home and Community. Personal Health. World. c1940.

Guerber-Crosse. Contes et Legendes Part One. American Book. c1926.

Haggerty & Smith. Reading and Literature Book One. World Book. c1937.

Hart. Modern Junior Mathematics Bk. Three. D. C. Heath. c1931.

Hawkes et al. Solid Geometry. Ginn c1932.

Henry. Easy Spanish Plays. Allyn and Bacon.

Hogadone and Beckley. Merchandising Techniques. Gregg. c1942.

Irving. Sketch Book (Complete Edition). Ginn.

Irving. Sketch Book. Scott Foresman.

Johnson. Applied Mathematics. Bruce Pub. c1939.

Kramer. Man and the Motor Car. Prentice-Hall. c1949.

Lyman & Hill. Literature and Living Book I. C. Scribner's. c1940.

Markett. Word and Sentence Drills for Gregg Shorthand. Anniversary Ed. Gregg Publ. Div. c1930.

McMackin et al. The Arithmetic of Business. Ginn. c1939.

Mitchell. Class Method for the Violin Bks. I, II. Oliver Ditson.

Naidich. Mathematics for the Aviation Trades. McGraw-Hill. c1942.

Posey and Huegli. Government for Americans. Row, Peterson. c1953.

Remington Rand. Equipment to accompany Visible Records Units 1-5. Remington Rand.

Renshaw and Leslie. Gregg Dictation and Transcription. Gregg Pub. c1937.

Rinde. Electricity. Harcourt. c1943.

Salisbury and Leonard. Making Sense, Scott, Foresman. c1936.

Schorling and Smith. First Year Algebra—and accompanying Chapter Tests. World Pub. Co. c1943.

Slade and Margolis. Mathematics for Technical and Vocational Schools. J. Wiley. c1946.

Southworth. Our Own United States. Iroquois. c1953.

Stevenson. Treasure Island. Scott Forsman.

Thomas and Kelty. Heroes, Heroines and Holidays. Ginn. c1947.

Tressler and Shelmadine. English in Action Series. Building Language Skills. D. C. Heath. c1944.

Twain. The Prince and the Pauper. Harper. c1931.

Wallace. Commercial Art. McGraw-Hill. c1939.

Wavle. Walt Disney Story Books. Here They Are. D. C. Heath. c1940.

Webster. Good English Through Practice. Book One. Book Two. Book Three. World Book. c1936.

Wentworth et al. Fundamentals of Practical Mathematics. Ginn. c1922.

Work. Vegetable Production and Marketing. J. Wiley. c1945.

Yapp & Nevens. Dairy Cattle J. Wiley. c1941.

Zeydel. German Tales for Beginners. F. S. Crofts. c1934.
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MALICIOUS DESTRUCTION OF SCHOOL PROPERTY

The following was presented by Mr. Musco:

I feel that the school officials should be made aware of the serious situations arising out of wanton acts of vandalism to our school buildings.

During the summer the more flagrant cases were covered by me so that a solution may be found tc prevent further mischief and cost to the city.

1. On Sunday, June 19th the Robert Gould Shaw School in West Roxbury was broken into by two young boys, students of 13 years of age, and damaged school property.

The Fire Department estimated damages at $250. Judge Casey ordered full reimbursement of all damages to furniture and fixtures on September 16. The parents of the two boys were required to pay $25.00 total damages on testimony of the School buildings inspector, and the boys were placed on probation.

Special recognition should be given Detective Edward T. Weiler and Patrolman Jeremiah J. Sweeney of Station 17 for conducting an extensive and successful investigation.

It is my recommendation that a letter of commendation be sent to Police Commissioner Thomas F. Sullivan praising their excellent inquiry and prosecution.

II. On Sunday, June 19th the Donald McKay School in East Boston was broken into by two 8th grade students of the school, and the building was flooded by opening of fire valves.

It was necessary to call off school for the rest of the year with the resultant drowning death of a fellow student. Damages were estimated by the Department of School Buildings in the amount of $18,516.96.

Judge Loschi ordered the two students to be committed to the Youth Service Board on August 24, 1955.

Special recognition should be given Patrolman Abraham Sooper and Patrolman James J. Feeney of Station 7 for their difficult but successful investigation. Commissioner Sullivan should be so notified, also.

III. On Saturday, September 10, 1955, the Dorchester High School was broken into and entered by six boys and two girls ranging in ages between 10 to 14, not students of the high school, and damaged considerable furniture and fixtures.

Damages were estimated by the School Buildings Department at $700.00.

Judge Lynch ordered the youths to probation for one year and the parents to pay for the damages to public property on September 27.

Special recognition should be given Detective Sgt. Francis P. McGuire, Detective Thomas V. McDonough, Detective Leo F. O'Neil, and Patrolman Thomas Martin of Station 19 for conducting this successful investigation. Commissioner Sullivan should be so notified.

Inasmuch as the majority of vandalism occurs on Saturdays and Sundays in our School Buildings, I strongly urge that coverage and cleaning activities be affected by our custodians to prevent the alarming rise of malicious mischief to our school buildings.

We are getting splendid cooperation from the Juvenile Courts by their prosecution of youngsters and parents with grim and vigorous determination to put an end to this wanton abuse of public property in Boston. This is an effective deterrent to our school damage problems.

This report calls to your attention item No. 3 of the recent remedial program recommended by the Board of Superintendents studying Juvenile Delinquency, namely:

3. Enactment of a law making parents "legally responsible for damages caused to property by the tortious acts of their children."

Placed on file.

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APPOINTMENT OF CUSTODIANS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 3, 1955, recommending subject to the approval of the School Committee, and in accordance with the certification of the Division of Civil Service, that the following-named Junior Building Custodians, who stand at the head of the promotional list, be appointed Permanent Intermittent Senior Building Custodians, to take effect as needed:

James F. Lally
Michael Kennedy
Chester M. Hanson
John J. O'Donnell
William F. Lovett
John T. Doherty
Joseph P. Faherty
Warren B. Coleman
Paul J. Raftery
David H. Finnegan
James J. Healy
William B. McCormack
James A. Mullen
Pasquale A. Verro
Thomas F Carew
John J. Lynch
John E. Goodrich
John J. Lenane
Patrick F. Doherty

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS Messrs. Lee. Musco, and Ward—3.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Carr, and Mrs. Phaneuf—2.

TEEN AGE COMMANDMENTS

Mr. Ward offered the following "Teen Age Commandments":

1. Don't let your parents down; they brought you up.
2. STOP and THINK before you DRINK.
3. BE SMART. OBEY. You'll GIVE orders yourself someday.
4. Ditch DIRTY THOUGHTS fast or they'll ditch you.
5. SHOW OFF driving is juvenile; don't act your age.
6. Pick the right friends to be picked for a friend.
7. Choose a DATE fit for a MATE.
8. DON'T go steady unless you're ready.
9. Love GOD and neighbor.
10. LIVE CAREFULLY. THE SOUL YOU SAVE MAY BE YOUR OWN.

On roll call the foregoing was ordered spread on the record of this meeting by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Lee, Musco and Ward—3.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Mr. Carr, and Mrs. Phaneuf—2.

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The Committee adjourned.

Attest:

Secretary
AGNES E. REYNOLDS

Oct. 10, 1955.

A special meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, at 4.45 P. M., the Chairman presiding.

Present. Messrs. Carr, Lee, Musco, Mrs. Phaneuf, and Mr. Ward.

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IN MEMORIAM

The Superintendent regretfully reported the death of the following named teacher who had been retired under the provisions of the State-Boston Retirement System:

East Boston High School—Thomas J. Murphy, Oct. 4, 1955.
Placed on file.

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The School Committee requested that a letter of condolence, to be signed by the Secretary, be sent to the bereaved family.

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RETIREMENT ON PENSION

A communication was received from the Superintendent under date of Oct. 10, 1955, reporting the retirement from active service of the following-named veteran who has been retired under the provisions of Chapter 32 of the General Laws, as amended:

English High School—William H. Meanix, master, military science, Sept. 30, 1955, $3728.40 per annum.
Placed on file.

RESIGNATION

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 10, 1955, reporting the resignation of the following-named teacher, to take effect on the date stated:

Washington Allston District—Ann E. O'Hearn, assistant, special class, Aug. 31, 1955.

Accepted.

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APPOINTMENTS

The following nominations by the Superintendent, certified by him as being in accordance with the rules and regulations, to take effect on the dates stated, were presented:

(FROM THE ELIGIBLE LIST)

Department of Physical Education—Robert W. Fisher, instructor, military science (minimum salary—$3504—anniversary date Oct. 1), Oct. 1, 1955.

On roll call the rules were suspended and the appointment approved by the following vote:

YEAS — Messrs. Carr, Lee, Musco, Mrs. Phaneuf, and Mr. Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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DEPARTMENT OF ADULT EDUCATIONAL AND RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES

(Extended Use)

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 10 1955, reporting, subject to the approval of the School Committee, the assignment of the following-named person to serve in the Department of Adult Educational and Recreational Activities, Extended Use Division, for the term 1955-56:

Assignment

Catherine G. Kirkpatrick, Oct. 11, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the assignment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Carr, Lee, and Musco, Mrs. Phaneuf, and Mr. Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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APPRENTICESHIP AND JOURNEYMEN CLASSES

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 10, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee and in accordance with the order passed at the meeting of Oct. 6, 1941 (p. 195), he has appointed the following-named persons to the Apprenticeship and Journeyman Classes for Various Trades, to take effect on the dates stated:

First Assistants—William T. Miller, William N. Mistler, Stephen T. Reilly, Oct. 1, 1955; Louis A. Van Ham, Oct. 3, 1955.

Instructors—William R. Ballou, Charles W. Bopp, Richard A. Canty, John E. DeCoste, Jr., Philip V. Dellascio, Charles L. Devoe, John W. Fallon, Anthony G. Ferzoco, James D. Fitzgerald, Edward T. Hannon, Jeffrey J. Keating, James M. Macintyre, John A. Macquarrie, Walter L. Maguire, Edward L. Maurer, Edward J. McDonald, Paul E. Milward, Roger F. Monet, Clarence H. Myers, Stanley O. Nickerson, James F. O'Rourke, Alfred A. Osterman, Frank A. Robilotto, Rocco J. Sammartano, J. Edward Sharkey, Daniel F. Shea, Timothy J. Spillane, James J. Sullivan, John F. Sullivan, Joseph M. Sullivan, Simeon W. Touchette, John E. Welch, Oct. 1, 1955; Michael J. Crowley, Silvio L. Drinkwater, Harold F. Garrett, Philip F. Garufi, Alf J. Munnick, Gunnar Munnick, Walter A. Roman, Gregory Smith, Oct. 3, 1955; Daniel J. Galvin. Oct. 4, 1955.

Assistant Instructor—John A. Savarese, Oct. 1, 1955.

Clerical Assistants—Catherine G. D'Arcy, Katherine A. Gormley, Anne M. Shelsey, Oct. 1, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS — Messrs. Carr, Lee, Musco, Mrs. Phaneuf, and Mr. Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 10, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee and in accordance with the order passed at the meeting of Oct. 6, 1941 (p. 195), he has appointed the following-named persons to the Apprenticeship and Journeyman Classes for Various Trades, to take effect on the dates stated:

Instructors—George J. Manfra, Oct. 4, 1955; Frank A. Laquidara, Oct. 5, 1955; Carl E. Johanson, George V. Van Dalinda, Oct. 8, 1955.

Toolkeepers—John R. Hughes, Thomas L. Robinson, Oct. 8, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS — Messrs. Carr, Lee, Musco, Mrs. Phaneuf, and Mr. Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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TEACHER COACHES

(To take effect Nov. 21, 1955)

Basketball

Boston Latin School—J. Stephen Patten.

Boston Technical High School—William H. Powers.

Boston Trade High School—George W. Ryan.

Brighton High School—Robert V. McCabe.

Charlestown High School—Jeffrey J. Keating.

Dorchester High School—Jerome C. Buckley.

East Boston High School—William J. Dee.

English High School—Frederick J. Gillis, Jr.

Hyde Park High School—Eugene J. Plociennik.

Jamaica Plain High School—Cornelius J. O'Leary.

Roslindale High School—Thomas E. Moran.

Roxbury Memorial High School (Boys)—John F. Keane.

South Boston High School—Joseph F. Callahan.

Track

Boston Latin School—Charles S FitzGerald.

Boston Technical High School—Joseph F. Carey.

Boston Trade High School—Henry J. Tilton.

Brighton High School—William J. Murphy.

Charlestown High School—Thomas F. Meagher.

Dorchester High School—William J. Pendergast.

East Boston High School—Edward J. Grant.

English High School—J. Clifford Ronan.

Hyde Park High School—John M. Kilroy.

Jamaica Plain High School—William J. Bond.

Roslindale High School—James C. Murphy.

Roxbury Memorial High School (Boys)—Thomas Campbell.

South Boston High School—Joseph A. Crowley.

Department of Physical Education—Edward F. Bell.

Hockey

Boston Latin School—Richard A. Thomas.

Boston Technical High School—Victor J. Campbell.

Boston Trade High School—Robert V. Dandrow.

Brighton High School—John B. Morris.

Charlestown High School—John A Tyrell.

Dorchester High School—Gerard J. Decley

East Boston High School — James A. Ronayne.

English High School—William J. Stewart, Jr.

Hyde Park High School—Edward F. Murphy.

Jamaica Plain High School—John W. McGuckian.

Roslindale High School—Walter D. Fitzgerald.

Roxbury Memorial High School (Boys)—Henry J. Chiarini.

South Boston High School—Edward E. Kelleher.

On roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Carr, Lee, Musco, Mrs. Phaneuf, and Mr. Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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TRANSFERS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 10, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of

the School Committee, he has made the following transfers of teachers, to take effect on the dates indicated:

Claire Horton, assistant, special class, Elihu Greenwood District, to the same position in the Ellis Mendel District, Sept. 28, 1955.

Grace E. Parlon, teacher, kindergarten, Samuel Adams District, to the same position in the Jefferson District, Oct 10, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the transfers were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Carr, Lee, Musco, Mrs. Phaneuf and Mr. Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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ASSIGNMENT

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 10, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has assigned John R. Broderick, teacher, elementary, Dwight District, to the Boston Technical High School, without change of rank or salary, to take effect Oct. 10, 1955, and to continue for the school year ending Aug. 31, 1956, unless earlier terminated by the Superintendent with the approval of the School Committee.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the assignment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Carr, Lee, Musco, Mrs. Phaneuf, and Mr. Ward—5

NAYS—0.

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DESIGNATIONS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 10, 1955, reporting that he has made the following designations of teachers, to serve in the positions indicated until such time as they shall be filled otherwise in accordance with the rules and regulations, but not beyond Aug. 31, 1956:

Boston Trade High School—Joseph Beaton, trade instructor, as acting division head; James L. Corcoran, trade instructor, as acting division head; James B. Dolan, senior instructor, as teacher in charge of classes in the annex, Henry L. Pierce School Building, Sept. 1, 1955.

Hyde Park High School—John A. Lahive, master, as acting head of department (vice Agnes M. Gallivan, absent on leave), Sept. 1, 1955.

Dudley District—Thomas B. McAuliffe, submaster, as acting princepal (vice Frank J. Flynn, absent on leave), Sept. 1, 1955.

Jefferson District—Esther M. Hanney, teacher, elementary, as acting vice principal (vice Mary E. Cotter, absent on leave) Sept. 1, 1955.

Michelangelo - Eliot - Hancock District—Edith E. Platt, teacher, junior high, as acting vice principal, Sept. 1, 1955.

Thomas Gardner District — William W. Wright, teacher, elementary, as acting submaster (vice Henry R. Keenan, absent on leave), Sept. 1, 1955.

Placed on file.

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UNFINISHED BUSINESS

The order laid over at the meeting of Oct. 3, 1955, making changes in the List of Authorized Text Books, was taken up.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Carr, Lee, Musco, Mrs. Phaneuf, and Mr. Ward—5

NAYS—0.

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RECESS

The meeting recessed at 4.48 P. M. The Committee reassembled at 5.32 P. M., five members present.

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LEAVE OF ABSENCE TO CUSTODIAN

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That John F. Kelley, junior building custodian in the Supply Room, is hereby granted leave of absence without pay for service in the Office of the Mayor, for a period of three months from Oct. 5, 1955.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs Carr, Lee, Musco, Mrs. Phaneuf, and Mr. Ward—5.

NAYS—0.

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The Committee adjourned.

Attest:

AGNES REYNOLDS
Secretary

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Oct. 17, 1955.

A regular meeting of the School Committee of the City of Boston was held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon Street, at 3:50 P. M., the Chairman presiding.

Present: Messrs. Carr, Lee, and Mrs. Phaneuf.

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DEDICATION OF ELLEN M. CRONIN ROOM

Secretary: Madam Chairman and Members: May I call to your attention the Plaque which recently has been placed in this meeting room, in memory of Miss Ellen M. Cronin, for many years an employee of the School Department and who served as the Secretary of the School Committee from 1924 to 1943.

May I suggest that you, Madam Chairman, ask that the members of the Committee and the administrators, as well as all those present at this meeting today, stand in silence as a mark of respect and appreciation for the many years of service which Miss Cronin gave to this Committee.

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On request of the Chairman, those present at the meeting stood in silence.

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RECESS

The meeting recessed at 3:53 P. M. and the members went into Conference.

The three members reassembled at 4:41 P. M., Messrs. Musco and Ward absent.

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APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The reading of the minutes of the meetings of Aug. 30, Sept. 6, 12, and 19, 1955, was omitted, the Committee approving them as printed.

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TRANSFER OF UNUSED SCHOOL LAND

The following communication was presented:

City of Boston
In City Council

WHEREAS, The City of Boston is the owner in fee of approximately twenty-one thousand (21,000) square feet of land situated on the northeasterly side of Sumner Street at the corner of Lamson Street, East Boston District of the City of Boston (former site of Commodore Barry School); and

WHEREAS, The School Committee of the City of Boston has determined that said parcel of land is no longer required for school purposes; now, therefore, it is hereby

ORDERED: That the above-described parcel of land be, and the same hereby is, transferred from the care, custody, control and management of the School Committee to the care, custody, control and management of the Parks and Recreation Department

In City Council October 10, 1955. Passed—yeas nine.

Approved by the Mayor October 11, 1955.

Attest:

(Signed) W. J. Malloy
City Clerk

Placed on file.

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The following communication was presented:

City of Boston
In City Council

WHEREAS, The City of Boston is the owner in fee of approximately sixteen thousand four hundred thirteen (16,413) square feet of land situated on the northerly side of Quincy Street corner of Stanley Street, Dorchester District of the City of Boston, Quincy Street School; and

WHEREAS, The School Committee of the City of Boston has determined that said parcel of land is no longer required for school purposes; now, therefore, it is hereby

ORDERED: That the above-described parcel of land be, and the same hereby is, transferred from the care, custody, control and management of the School Committee to the care, custody, control and management of the Parks and Recreation Department.

In City Council October 10, 1955. Passed—yeas nine.

Approved by the Mayor October 11, 1955.

Attest:

(Signed) W. J. Malloy
City Clerk

Placed on file.

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The following communication was presented:

City of Boston
In City Council

WHEREAS, The City of Boston is the owner in fee of approximately twenty-eight thousand eight hundred seventy-nine (28,879) square feet of land situated at the westerly corner of Thetford Avenue and Evans Street, Dorchester District of the City of Boston (former site of the Robert Swan School); and

WHEREAS, The School Committee of the City of Boston has determined that said parcel of land is no longer required for school purposes; now, therefore it is hereby

ORDERED: That the above-described parcel of land be and the same hereby is, transferred from the care, custody, control and management of the School Committee to the care, custody, control and management of the Parks and Recreation Department

In City Council October 10, 1955. Passed—Yeas nine.

Approved by the Mayor October 11, 1955.

Attest:

(Signed) W. J. Malloy
City Clerk

Placed on file.

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The following communication was presented:

City of Boston
In City Council

WHEREAS, By a decree of the Land Court, Suffolk Registry District, dated May 24, 1949, the City of Boston foreclosed a right of redemption under a tax deed recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 5545, Page 3, on about eight hundred thirty-one (831) square feet of land on the southwesterly side of Silver Street and numbered 193 in the numbering of said Silver Street; and

WHEREAS, By a decree of the Land Court, Suffolk Registry District, dated September 16, 1937, the City of Boston foreclosed a right of redemption under a tax deed recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 5292, Page 376, on about eight hundred sixty-one (861) square feet of land on the southwesterly side of Silver Street and numbered 195 in the numbering of said Silver Street; and

WHEREAS, By a decree of the Land Court, Suffolk Registry District, dated January 4, 1937, the City of Boston foreclosed a right of redemption under a tax deed recorded with Suffolk Deeds; Book 5439, Page 327, on about one thousand five hundred sixty-six (1,566) square feet of land on the southwesterly side of Silver Street and numbered 199 in the numbering of said Silver Street; and

WHEREAS, By a decree of the Land Court, Suffolk Registry District, dated May 7, 1946, the City of Boston foreclosed a right of redemption under a tax deed recorded with Suffolk Deeds, Book 5865, Page 446, on about eight thousand five hundred sixty-eight (8,568) square feet of land on the northeasterly side of West Fourth Street, and numbered 334 to 338 in the numbering of said West Fourth Street, extending through to Silver Street; and

WHEREAS, The School Committee desires to acquire the above-described parcels of land for school purposes; now, therefore, it is hereby

ORDERED, That the above-described parcels of tax title property be, and the same hereby are, transferred from the care, custody, control and management of the Commissioner of Real Property to the care, custody, control and management of the School Committee for school purposes

In City Council October 10, 1955. Passed—yeas nine.

Approved by the Mayor October 11, 1955.

Attest:

(Signed) W. J. Malloy
City Clerk

Placed on file.

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AMENDMENT OF MINUTES

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the minutes of the meeting of Aug. 8, 1955, are hereby amended as follows:

Page 227—Under the caption "Resignations" strike out the paragraph for the Clarence R. Edwards Junior High School, and substitute in place thereof the following:

Clarence R. Edwards Junior High School—William J. Wiles, teacher, junior high, June 30, 1955.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Carr, Lee, and Mrs. Phaneuf—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Messrs. Museo, and Ward—2.

IN MEMORIAM

The Superintendent regretfully reported the death of the following-named school nurse who had been retired on pension under the provisions of the State-Boston Retirement System:

Department of School Hygiene—Louise H. Best, Oct. 16, 1955.

Placed on file.

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The Superintendent regretfully reported the death of the following-named teacher who had been retired on pension:

William Howard Taft Junior High School—Frances E. Donovan, Sept. 28, 1955.

Placed on file.

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The School Committee requested that a letter of condolence, to be signed by the Secretary, be sent to the bereaved families.

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RESIGNATION

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 17, 1955, reporting the resignation of George F. McCarthy, master, Charlestown High School, to take effect Sept. 30, 1955.

Accepted.

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RETIREMENTS ON PENSION

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 17, 1955, reporting the retirement from active service of the following-named members of the State-Boston Retirement System, to take effect Oct. 31, 1955, as certified by the Boston Retirement Board:

Girls' High School—Elizabeth Chase, guidance counsellor.

Donald McKay Junior High School—Anna M. Doyle, teacher, junior high.

Emerson District — Julia V. Guiney, vice principal.

Longfellow District—Stella M. Ives, teacher, elementary.

Mary E. Curley Junior High School — Marion I. Sherman, teacher, junior high.

Washington Irving Junior High School — Leroy K. Houghton, principal; Frank F. Hayes, junior building custodian.

Department of Industrial Arts—John J. McSweeney, shop instructor.

Placed on file.

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HONORARY TITLE

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That in consideration of his many years of devoted and efficient service in the Boston Public Schools, the following-named person, who is retiring, be granted the honorary title indicated, to take effect Nov. 1, 1955:

Washington Irving Junior High School — Leroy K. Houghton, principal emeritus.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS--Messrs. Carr, Lee, and Mrs. Phaneuf—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Messrs Musco, and Ward—2.

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WITHDRAWAL OF APPOINTMENT

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 17, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has withdrawn the appointment of the following-named teacher, as reported and approved at the meeting of June 27, 1955 (see page 205):

Boston Latin School — Edwin D. Barlow, junior master (twelfth year salary, $5088—anniversary date Sept. 1), Sept. 1, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the withdrawal of appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Carr, Lee, and Mrs. Phaneuf—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Messrs. Musco, and Ward—2.

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APPOINTMENTS

The following nominations by the Superintendent, certified by him as being in accordance with the rules and regulations, to take effect on the dates stated, were presented:

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DEPARTMENT OF ADULT EDUCATIONAL AND RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES

(Evening Schools)

Term 1955-56

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 17, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has appointed the following-named persons in the evening schools for the term 1955-56:

Boston Central Evening High School—Peter H. Kozodoy, first assistant, Sept. 27, 1955; Edward F. Bell, Francis P. Carroll, William Devore, Miah J. Falvey, Francis E. Gibbons, William J. Gross, Francis P. Hennessey, Guy C. Lentini, Cornelius J. Murphy, Paul F. Pearson, assistants, Sept. 27, 1955.

Brighton Evening Commercial High School—John H. Brougham, Matthew J. Connors, Mary E. Rush, assistants, Sept. 27, 1955; Grace E. McCall, assistant, Sept. 27 to Oct. 13, 1955 (five evenings); Mary P. Hopkins, assistant, Sept. 27 to Oct. 11, 1955 (five evenings); Florette Tremblay Brennick, assistant, Sept. 27 and 29, 1955 (two evenings).

Dorchester Evening Commercial High School—Mary E. Doherty, Philip F. Mackey, Joseph J. Prendergast, Robert G. Simmons, John P. Whalen, assistants, Sept. 27, 1955; Julian Goulston, assistant, Sept. 27 to Oct. 6, 1955 (four evenings).

East Boston Evening Commercial High School—Judith M. Fennessey, assistant, Sept. 27, 1955; Arthur V. Donnellan, assistant, Sept. 27 to Oct. 6, 1955 (four evenings).

Roslindale Evening Commercial High School—Daniel J. Donovan, Sam A. Midman, Thomas H. Wall, assistants, Sept. 27, 1955; Eugene J. Plociennik, Agnes W. Templeton, assistants, Sept. 27 to Oct. 6, 1955 (four evenings).

Roxbury Evening Commercial High School—John S. Dooley, first assistant, Sept. 27, 1955; Edward F. Barnes, William T. Cameron, William H. Dugan, Raymond J. Gemmel, John H. Kenney, J. Clifford Ronan, Paul M. Shea, assistants, Sept. 27, 1955; Leo J. McCarthy, Alfred B. Sullivan, assistants, Sept. 27 to Oct. 13, 1955 (six evenings); Ralph C. Good, assistant, Sept. 27 to Oct. 6, 1955 (four evenings); Anna M. Galvin, assistant, Sept. 27 and 29, 1955 (two evenings).

South Boston Evening Commercial High School—Mary K. Hickey, Francis J. O'Connor, Timothy J. Spillane, assistants, Sept. 27, 1955; Joseph F. Callahan, assistant, Sept. 27 and 29, 1955 (two evenings).

Brighton Evening School—Stephen Velardo, first assistant, Sept. 27, 1955; Paul M. Donovan, Mildred R. Ducey, assistants, Sept. 27, 1955; Ruby L. M. Beatt, Jessie R. Golden, Mary E. Hutchinson, Dorothy Kerner, Marie B. Riccio, assistants, Sept. 29, 1955; Erma C. Conners, assistant, Sept. 29, 1955 (Tuesday evenings only).

Codman Square Evening School —Esther M. Hanney, Peter J. Ingeneri, assistants, Sept. 27, 1955; Elizabeth B. Perlmuter, assistant, Sept. 27 to Oct. 11, 1955 (five evenings); Eileen M. Mullaney, assistant, Sept. 27 to Oct. 6, 1955 (four evenings); Emma E. Cataldo, Mary A. Ferrari, Alice E. Sullivan, assistants, Sept. 29, 1955.

Dorchester Evening School — George H. Shea, first assistant, Sept. 27, 1955; Marion G. Lane, Marguerite MacKay, Helen D. Watson, assistants, Sept. 27, 1955; Frances S. Cazanove, assistant, Sept. 27 to Oct. 6, 1955 (four evenings; Minnie I. Flaherty, Helen Govatsos, Ruth G. Sutherland, assistants, Sept. 29, 1955; Anna M. Brennick, assistant, Sept. 29, 1955 (Thursday evenings only).

East Boston Evening School—Joseph E. Hughes, first assistant, Sept. 27, 1955; Andrew S. Bertino, John Cuono, L. Josephine Reid, assistants, Sept. 27, 1955; Rose C. Rossi, Nellie A. Solari, assistants, Sept. 29, 1955.

Fields Corner Evening School—Marion A. Cotter, first assistant, Sept. 27, 1955; Teresa A. Hamrock, Mary H. Hannon, Carolyn R. Hedstrom, James D. Supple, assistants, Sept. 27, 1955; Irene J. DeMeulenaer, assistant, Sept. 27 to Oct. 13, 1955 (six evenings); M. Virginia Leaver, assistant, Sept. 27 to Oct. 6, 1955 (four evenings); Ethel M. Breare, Mary E. Calnan, Mary A. Colleran, Phyllis A. Hartnett, Frances M. Holland, Margaret T. Jackson, Sarah Loomos, Ethel E. Mahoney, Mary R. McCue, Laura S. Perkins, Josephine J. Smith, Grace E. Sutherland, Joanna Wigder, assistants, Sept. 29, 1955; Morris A. Lubin, assistant, Sept. 29, 1955 (Tuesday evenings only).

Roslindale Evening School — Charles A. Edlund, first assistant, Sept. 27, 1955; Mary C. Burke, A. Ruth Hickey, Annie L. Young, assistants, Sept. 27, 1955; Robert T. Morris, assistant, Sept. 27 to Oct. 6, 1955 (four evenings); Mary J. Benson, Edith W. Colan, Cathryn J. Lauinger, Josephine A. Sullivan, assistants, Sept. 29, 1955; Katherine D. Vogel, assistant, Sept. 29, 1955 (Tuesday evenings only); Margaret L. Galway, assistant, Sept. 29, 1955 (Thursday evenings only).

Roxbury Evening School—Everett C. Yates, first assistant, Sept. 27, 1955; Frank J. Corliss, William J. McCarthy, Edith B. Ricles, Marion R. Shea, assistants, Sept. 27, 1955; Pasqualina M. Dobson, Bertha L. Sebio, Loretta Shaw, B. Edith Tabb, assistants, Sept. 29, 1955.

South Boston Evening School —Thomas F. Meagher, first assistant, Sept. 27, 1955; Martin E. Fitzpatrick, Ruth A. Leddy, assistants, Sept. 27, 1955; Emilie C. Browning, Lillian H. Furlong, Esther F. Nicastro, assistants, Sept. 29, 1955.

South End Evening School — Frank D. Conn, E. Mary Hammond, Lydia A. Kouroyen, Charles F. Reilly, Alice V. Slater, assistants, Sept. 27, 1955; Cecile B. Duquette, assistant, Sept. 29, 1955.

West End Evening School — Dorothea T. Callahan, Margaret M. Callahan, Robert N. Mead, Norman Wean, assistants, Sept. 27, 1955; Stella B. Ferullo, assistant, Sept. 29 to Oct. 4, 1955 (two evenings).

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Carr, Lee, and Mrs. Phaneuf—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Messrs. Musco, and Ward—2.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 17, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has appointed the following-named person for service in the evening elementary schools for the term 1955-56:

Margaret A. Learson, supervisor, Division C classes, Sept. 27, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the regulations were suspended and the appointment approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Carr, Lee, and Mrs. Phaneuf—3.

NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Messrs. Museo, and Ward—2.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 17, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has appointed the following-named persons in the evening schools for the term 1955-56:

Boston Evening Trade School—Pasquale DeNinno, assistant in charge, Sept. 27, 1955; Frank C. Bernard, Henry F. Bindbeutel, Habib C. Deratany, John P. Doyle, Angelo R. Fiore, Edward L. Maurer, George M. McColgan, Edward F. McHugh, David M. McIver, Carl G. Nordgren, Alfred A. Osterman, Alexander Passaretti, Raymond J. Powers, Joseph J. Saxon, Stephen P. White, assistants, Sept. 27, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Carr, Lee, and Mrs. Phaneuf—3.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Messrs. Museo, and Ward—2.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 17, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has appointed the following-named clerical assistants in the evening schools for the term 1955-56:

(To take effect Sept. 27, 1955)

Boston Central Evening High School—Joseph E. McDermott.

Brighton Evening Commercial High School—Rosa A. Murray.

Dorchester Evening Commercial High School—Mildred M. Coughlin.

East Boston Evening Commercial High School—Elizabeth M. Penny.

Roslindale Evening Commercial High School—Mary T. Donnelly.

Roxbury Evening Commercial High School—Pauline T. Galvin.

South Boston Evening Commercial High School—John J. Sperry.

Fields Corner Evening School—Olga S. Graham.

Roslindale Evening School—Kathryn A. Hodgins.

Roxbury Evening School—Catherine T. Connolly.

South End Evening School—Carroll A. Harrington.

Boston Evening Trade School—Margaret R. Kelly, Katherine G. Lovett.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointments were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Carr, Lee, and Mrs. Phaneuf—3.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Messrs. Museo, and Ward—2.

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INSTRUCTION OF PHYSICALLY HANDICAPPED CHILDREN

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 17, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has assigned the following-named temporary, teacher for instruction of physically handicapped children, to take effect Oct. 17, 1955:

Kathleen M. Kearney.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the appointment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Carr, Lee, and Mrs. Phaneuf—3.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Messrs. Museo, and Ward—2.

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LEAVES OF ABSENCE

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 17, 1955, recommending that leave of absence without pay, be granted the following-named teachers for the terms specified:

Jefferson District—Naomi C. Wilcox, teacher, kindergarten, Oct. 10, 1955 to Oct. 9, 1956, inclusive.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the leave of absence without pay was granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Carr, Lee, and Mrs. Phaneuf—3.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Messrs. Museo, and Ward—2.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 17, 1955, reporting that in accordance with the provisions of Section 283A, paragraph 3 of the Regulations, the maternity leave of absence without pay granted to Catherine McGinnis, teacher, elementary, Norcross District, to take effect Sept. 1, 1954, has been terminated to take effect Oct. 4, 1955; and recommending that leave of absence without pay for maternity be granted to take effect on Oct. 5, 1955; and to continue until terminated by the Superintendent with the approval of the School Committee, provided that such leave shall be for a period of at least three months after the date of birth and, provided further, that no such leave shall in any event exceed eighteen months.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the leave of absence without pay was granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Carr, Lee, and Mrs. Phaneuf—3.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Messrs. Museo, and Ward—2.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 17, 1955, recommending that leave of absence without pay for maternity be granted the following-named teachers, to take effect on the dates indicated and to continue until terminated by the Superintendent with the approval of the School Committee; provided that such leave shall be for a period of at least three months after the date of birth and provided further that no such leave shall in any event exceed eighteen months:

Charles Sumner District—Madeline M. Favaloro, teacher, elementary, Oct. 17, 1955.

James P. Timilty Junior High School—Catherine M. Hart, teacher, junior high, Oct. 3, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the leaves of absence without pay were granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Carr, Lee, and Mrs. Phaneuf—3.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Messrs. Museo, and Ward—2.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 17, 1955, recommending, subject to the approval of the School Committee and under a suspension of the regulations, that leave of absence without pay be granted the following-named teachers for the terms specified:

Patrick T. Campbell Junior High School—Cecilia A. Dunphy, teacher, junior high, Sept. 1 to Oct. 31, 1955.

John Marshall District—Charles P. O'Neill, teacher, elementary, Mar. 1, 1955 to Aug. 31, 1955.

Warren District—Michael F. Harkins, teacher, elementary, Sept. 1, 1955 to Aug. 31, 1956.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the regulations were suspended and the leaves of absence without pay granted by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Carr, Lee, and Mrs. Phaneuf—3.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Messrs. Museo, and Ward—2.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That the following-named supervisors of attendance are hereby granted leave of absence without loss of pay to attend the Annual Convention of the National League to Promote School Attendance, to be held in Buffalo, New York, Oct. 24 to 27, 1955, inclusive:

Sarah A. Beatty, Dorothy C. Deedy, Elizabeth T. Cooney, supervisors of attendance.

On roll call the regulations were suspended and the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Carr, Lee, and Mrs. Phaneuf—3.
NAYS—0.
ABSENT—Messrs. Museo, and Ward—2.

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ASSIGNMENT

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 17, 1955, reporting that, subject to the approval of the School Committee, he has assigned the following-named teacher, as indicated, without change of rank or salary, to take effect Oct. 13, 1955, and to continue for the school year 1955-

56, unless earlier terminated by the Superintendent, with the approval of the School Committee:

Abraham Lincoln-Quincy District—Thomas J. Loftus, teacher, elementary, to the Jeremiah E. Burke High School for Girls.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the assignment was approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Carr, Lee, and Mrs. Phaneuf—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Messrs. Musco, and Ward—2.

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DESIGNATIONS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 17, 1955, reporting that he has made the following designations of teachers to serve in the positions indicated until such time as they shall be filled otherwise, in accordance with the rules and regulations, but not beyond Aug. 31, 1956:

Roxbury Memorial High School (Girls)—Elizabeth W. Loughran, head of department, as acting head master (vice Winifred H. Nash, absent on leave), Sept. 1, 1955.

Norcross District—Rose H. Delaria, teacher, elementary, as acting vice principal (vice R. Eleanor Cushing, absent on leave), Sept. 1, 1955.

Placed on file.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 17, 1955, reporting that he has made the following designation of a teacher, to serve in accordance with Order 6 of the Salary Schedule, to take effect Sept. 1, 1955, and to continue for the school year ending Aug. 31, 1955, unless earlier terminated by the Superintendent:

South Boston High School—Helen J. Mitchell, assistant, as acting head of department.

Placed on file.

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A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 17, 1955, reporting that he has made the following designations of teachers, to serve in charge of buildings, in accordance with Order 7 of the Salary Schedule, to take effect Sept. 1, 1955, and to continue for the school year ending Aug. 31, 1956, unless earlier terminated by the Superintedent:

Agassiz District—Josephine M. Friery, teacher, elementary, as teacher in charge of Joseph P. Manning School Building; Margaret M. McHugh, teacher, elementary, as teacher in charge of elementary classes in the Mary E. Curley Junior High School Building.

Blackinton — John Cheverus District—Joseph T. Casey, teacher, elementary, as teacher in charge of unit at Daniel Webster Building, Samuel Adams District.

Charles Sumner District — Isabel A. Phillips, teacher, elementary, as teacher in charge of elementary classes in the Washington Irving Junior High School Building.

Elihu Greenwood District — Kathryn F. Doherty, teacher, elementary, as teacher in charge of the morning platoon in the Hyde Park High School Building; Mary A. Holland, teacher, elementary as teacher in charge of the Amos Webster School Building.

Ellis Mendell District — A. Florence Pow, teacher, elementary, as teacher in charge of elementary classes in the Theodore Roosevelt School Building.

Emily A. Fifield-Gilbert Stuart District—Isabel C. Scott, teacher, elementary, as teacher in charge of the Thomas F. Leen School Building.

Harvard District — Mary T. Martin, teacher, elementary, as teacher in charge of the James A. McDonald School Building.

James A. Garfield District — Vera K. Flaherty, teacher, elementary, as teacher in charge of the Oak Square School Building.

James J. Chittick District — Mary J. Sullivan, teacher, elementary, as teacher in charge of the Lowell Mason School Building.

Longfellow District — Helena McEvoy, teacher, elementary, as teacher in charge of the Theodore Parker School Building.

Martin District — Frances R. Sullivan, teacher, kindergarten, as teacher in charge of elementary classes in the State Teachers College at Boston.

Patrick F. Lyndon District—Beatrice Barish, teacher, elementary, as teacher in charge of elementary classes in the Robert Gould Shaw Junior High School Building.

Thomas Gardner District—Ellen C. Rooney, teacher, elementary, as teacher in charge of the David L. Barrett School Building; Bessie A. Lovewell, teacher, elementary, as teacher in charge of the James J. Storrow School Building.

Warren District—Irene E. Collicott, teacher, elementary, as teacher in charge of the Oliver Holden School Building.

William E. Russell District—Marion F. Hally, teacher, elementary, as teacher in charge of afternoon classes, Columbia Point Unit.

Placed on file.

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REPORT ON MARRIED TEACHER

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 17, 1955, reporting that, in accordance with the provisions of Section 283 of the regulations, the following-named female teacher has reported that she was married on the date indicated:

Jefferson District — Naomi C. Gilson, teacher, kindergarten, married Oct. 9, 1955 new name Naomi C. Wilcox

Placed on file.

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DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL LUNCHES

A communication was received from the Secretary, under date of Oct. 17, 1955 reporting that the Division of Civil Service has certified the following-named permanent intermittent cafeteria managers as eligible to fill one vacancy in the rank of cafeteria manager, Department of School Lunches:

Bertha C. Henderscheid
Winifred B. Buckley

Placed on file.

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The following was offered:

ORDERED, That Bertha C. Henderscheid, permanent intermittent cafeteria manager, is hereby appointed to the position of cafeteria manager, Department of School Lunches, to take effect Oct. 19, 1955.

On roll call the order passed by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Carr, Lee and Mrs. Phaneuf—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Messrs. Musco and Ward—2.

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ELIGIBLE LIST

A communication was received from the Board of Superintendents, under date of Oct. 17, 1955, reporting the following amendment to School Document No. 5, 1955 — Candidates Eligible for Permanent Appointment as Teachers—by striking out the two asterisks (**) indicating "Veteran" and substituting in place thereof one asterisk (*) indicating "Disabled Veteran" in view of the fact that the candidate now has presented evidence of service connected disability in the Armed Forces of the United States:

Page 17 Certificate XI. Special Industrial Arts—Shop Instructor Junior High and Elementary.

885 *Howard L. Churchill June 30, 1958

Placed on file.

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ELECTIONS TO BOARD OF TRUSTEES, TEACHERS RETIREMENT FUND

The terms of Louis F. Musco and Joseph Lee as members of the Board of Trustees of the Teachers Retirement Fund having terminated, the School Committee proceeded to fill their vacancies.

On roll call, the members respectively stated that they voted to fill the first vacancy as follows:

FOR MR. MUSCO—Messrs. Carr, Lee, and Mrs. Phaneuf—3.

ABSENT—Messrs. Musco, and Ward—2.

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On roll call, the members respectively stated that they voted to fill the second vacancy as follows:

FOR MR. LEE—Messrs. Carr, Lee, and Mrs. Phaneuf—3.

ABSENT—Messrs. Musco, and Ward—2.

The Chairman thereupon declared Mr. Musco and Mr. Lee re-elected members of the Board of Trustees of the Teachers Retirement Fund for such part of the term ending October 1957 as they shall be members of this School Committee but not later than October 1957.

AUTHORIZED TEXT BOOKS

The following was offered:

ORDERED, That, with the approval of the Board of Superintendents in each case, Large Type Editions of Textbooks already authorized for use in the Boston Public Schools are hereby authorized.

Laid over.

TRANSFER OF CUSTODIANS

A communication was received from the Superintendent, under date of Oct. 17, 1955 recommending, subject to the approval of the School Committee, the following-named Senior Building Custodians who, by seniority and merit, stand at the head of their respective lists, be transferred to the schools indicated, to take effect Oct. 13, 1955:

Thomas A Barbour, from Edwin P. Seaver School to William H. Kent School.

John J. Callahan, from Margaret Fuller School to Edwin P. Seaver School.

George F. Dever, from Jamaica Plain High School to Clarence R Edwards Junior High School.

John F. Devine, from Bunker Hill School to Mozart School.

Michael J. Dorgan, from Trade High School for Girls to Thomas A. Edison Junior High School.

James A. Kelly, from Harriet A. Baldwin School to Wyman School.

Angelo Macello, from Prince School to Woodrow Wilson Junior High School.

John J. Sandock, from Gaston School to John Winthrop School.

Harry Schiraga, from Elihu Greenwood School to William Bacon School.

David I. Tobin, unassigned to Albert Palmer School.

Neil P. Bulman, from Quincy E. Dickerman School to Hugh O'Brien and Ralph Waldo Emerson School, effective Sept. 29, 1955.

The communication was placed on file and on roll call the transfers were approved by the following vote:

YEAS—Messrs. Carr, Lee, and Mrs. Phaneuf—3.

NAYS—0.

ABSENT—Messrs. Musco, and Ward—2.

The Committee adjourned.

Attest:

AGNES E. REYNOLDS
Secretary

VEHICULAR TRAFFIC THROUGH SUMNER TUNNEL IN 1953 BREAKS ALL RECORDS—TOTAL OF 10,835,670 VEHICLES USED TUBES—1,251,698 MORE THAN PREVIOUSLY.

Vehicular traffic through the Sumner Tunnel for the year 1953 was 13 per cent higher than in the year 1952. This was revealed in figures made public from the office of Public Works Commissioner George G. Hyland this week.

According to the Commissioner a total of 10,835,670 vehicles used the tunnel in 1953, to break the previous record of 9,583,972 vehicles established in 1952. The increase in 1953 over 1952 totals 1,251,698 vehicles.

TUNNEL TRAFFIC IN MAY.

In the month of May, 1954, 1,031,226 vehicles used the Sumner Tunnel. This is the first time in the history of the tunnel that in excess of 1,000,000 vehicles used the facility in any one month.

In May of 1953, 979,920 vehicles went through the tunnel, or 51,306 less than May of this year.

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

TO BORING CONTRACTORS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR BORINGS AT THE SITE OF BLACKINTON SCHOOL, JOHN CHEVERUS DISTRICT, FAYWOOD STREET, EAST BOSTON, MASS.

The City of Boston, acting by the Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for borings at the site of Blackinton School, John Cheverus District, Faywood street, East Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Friday, December 9, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Normaa street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals shall be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed and inclosed in a sealed envelope, plainly marked with the name of the bidder and the description of the work bid upon. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awardiag Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a certificate of deposit issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $250, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awardiag Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked. Bid bonds will not be accepted.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the openiag thereof.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

A performance bond, issued by a surety company satisfactory to the Awarding Authority, in the full amount of the contract will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any and all bids if it be in the public interest so to do.

CITY OF BOSTON,
JAMES H. MOONEY,
(Nov. 26.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS.

If your subscription date has ended and you are still receiving the *City Record*, whether notified or not, send your renewal ($5.00 for year), to Editor, *City Record*, Room 40, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Subscription from date of order.

JOSHUA H. JONES, *Editor.*

No. 189—320.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING TEA AND COFFEE.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Friday, December 9, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Tea and Coffee." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Nov. 26.) *Purchasing Agent.*

Supplementary Advertisement.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

ALL BIDDERS SUBMITTING PROPOSALS FOR INCINERATION EQUIPMENT FOR SOUTH BAY INCINERATOR.

NOTICE TO ALL BIDDERS.

The City of Boston, acting by the Commissioner of Public Works, Boston, Mass., hereby notifies all bidders submitting proposals for incineration equipment for South Bay Incinerator, as follows:

General Contractors: Proposals will be received until 2 P.M. of Friday, December 2, 1955, at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works (Contract Office), Room 506, City Hall Annex. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

The invitation for proposals for furnishing and erecting incineration equipment for the South Bay incinerator which was published in the *City Record* on October 15, 1955, and October 22, 1955, remains otherwise unchanged.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Nov. 26.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

No. 188—320.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING CANNED CORNED BEEF FOR CITY DEPARTMENTS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Wednesday, December 7, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Canned Corned Beef." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Nov. 26.) *Purchasing Agent.*

READVERTISEMENT.

CITY OF BOSTON.

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR THE FURNISHING AND INSTALLATION OF IMPROVEMENTS TO THE LECTURE HALL AT THE CENTRAL LIBRARY BUILDING, BOSTON PUBLIC LIBRARY, COPLEY SQUARE, BOSTON, MASS.

The Trustees of the Public Library of the City of Boston, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invite sealed proposals for the furnishing and instaliation of improvements to the lecture hall at the Central Library Building, Boston Public Library, Copley square, Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Thursday, December 8, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals shall be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed and enclosed in a sealed envelope, plainly marked with the name of the bidder and the description of the work bid upon. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of five hundred dollars ($500), shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performanee of this contract.

Plans and specifications may be obtained on and after 12 o'clock noon, Monday, November 28, 1955, at the Business Office, Boston Public Library, Copley square, Boston, Mass. All plans and specifications must be returned in good condition to said office at the time of filing bids. A deposit of five dollars ($5) in cash will be required for eaeh set of plans and specifications taken out for estimating, said deposit to be refunded on the return of the plans and specifications in good eondition within thirty days after the opening of proposals.

Subbidders bidding on the work of subcontractors shall use the proposal form prepared by and obtainable from the Awarding Authority.

All subbidders' proposals filed with the Awarding Authority shall be submitted in sealed envelopes, plainly marked with the title of the work; division of the work for which bid is submitted; subcontractor's name; and subcontractor's business address. All such bids shall be in the possession of the Awarding Authority and delivered or mailed to the general contractor no later than 12 o'clock noon, Monday, December 5, 1955.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount as specified in the following for the subbid item of work as listed below shall be submitted by each subbidder with the copy of his proposal filed with the Awarding Authority:

Electric work	$125
Vinyl plastic floor tile	100

The bid shall be in a separate envelope, plainly marked "Bid Deposit."

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price, will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do. The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all subbids on any item or items in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

THE TRUSTEES OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY OF THE CITY OF BOSTON,
by MILTON E. LORD,
(Nov. 26.) *Director.*

No. 188—346.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING SOAP FOR CITY DEPARTMENTS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Thursday, December 8, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Soap." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Nov. 26.) *Purchasing Agent.*

No. 190—320.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING FLOUR FOR CITY DEPARTMENTS.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Thursday, December 8, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Flour." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Nov. 26.) *Purchasing Agent.*

No. 187—320.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING SHORTENING AND OIL.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Wednesday, December 7, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Shortening and Oil." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Nov. 26.) *Purchasing Agent.*

No. 191—562.
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CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING OFFICE FURNITURE (62 STEEL CABINETS AND 22 STEEL SHELVING STACKS).

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Tuesday, December 6, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Furniture." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Nov. 26.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

SEWERAGE WORKS.

Proposals for Sewerage Works in Wedgemere Road, West Roxbury, from Existing Sewer to a Point 80 Feet Southeasterly.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in Wedgemere road, etc. A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Commissioner, and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price, will be required of the successful contractor. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in Wedgemere Road, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1955, with a certified check for ONE HUNDRED (100) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without eheck, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the Contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE C. HYLAND,
(Nov. 26.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

CHANGES IN TRAFFIC RULES AND REGULATIONS.

Voted, That the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective December 5, 1955:

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out the following:

Berkeley Street, Boston Proper.
Southwest side, from Warren avenue to Boylston street, 1 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Washington Street, Roxbury.
Northwest side, from Columbus avenue to West Walnut park, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," the following:

Berkeley Street.
Southwest side, from Warren avenue to the bridge over the Boston & Albany Railroad, 1 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from the bridge over the Boston & Albany Railroad to Columbus avenue, 24 hours.
Southwest side, from Columbus avenue to Boylston street, 1 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," each of the following:

Holman Street.
East side, from Coolidge road to Hooker street, 24 hours.

Oak Square Avenue.
West side, from a point fifty (50) feet north of Washington street to Washington street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Charlestown," the following:

Dorrance Street.
East side, from Main street to Arlington avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," each of the following:

Cedric Street.
Southwest side, from Magazine street to Langdon street, 24 hours.

Fort Avenue.
East side, from the property line between No. 65 and No. 67 Fort avenue to Centre street, 24 hours.

Shepherd Avenue.
Both sides, from Huntington avenue to the dead end, 24 hours.

Walpole Street.
Southwest side, from Columbus avenue to Tremont street, 24 hours.

Washington Street.
Northwest side, from Columbus avenue to Bray street, 24 hours.

West Walnut Park.
Southwest side, from Amory street to Columbus avenue, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "West Roxbury," the following:

Maple Street.
Southwest side, from Centre street to Graham terrace, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by striking out the following:

Berkeley Street, Boston Proper.
Both sides, from Warren avenue to Columbus avenue, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Merchants Row, Boston Proper.
West side, from North street to North Market street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," the following:

Berkeley Street.
Northeast side, from a point forty-five (45) feet west of Tremont street to Columbus avenue, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Southwest side, from Warren avenue to the bridge over the Boston & Albany Railroad, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Article IV, Section 7 (Angle Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Peabody Square.
North side, northerly arm, from Dorchester avenue to Talbot avenue.

Article IV-A, Section 4, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement the following:

Kneeland Street.
North side, from Albany street to Atlantic avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by striking out the following:

Dorchester Avenue, Boston Proper and South Boston.
From Summer street to Gillette park, 1 P.M. to 7 P.M.

Dorrance Street, Charlestown.
From Main street to Arlington avenue.

Malden Street, Boston Proper.
From Albany street to Wareham street.

Marvin Street, Roxbury.
From Washington street to Shawmut avenue.

Old Morton Street, Dorchester.
From River street to Morton street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," and under the caption "South Boston," the following:

Dorchester Avenue.
From Summer street to Gillette park, 1 P.M. to 9 P.M.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," each of the following:

Mt. Hood Road.
From Egremont road to Corey road.

Oak Square Avenue.
From Faneuil street to Washington street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," each of the following:

Old Morton Street.
From Morton street to River street.

St. Margaret Street.
From Roseclair street to Boston street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Carlow Street.
From Chadwick street to Albany street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "South Boston," the following:

Gates Street.
From Telegraph street to Dorchester street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "West Roxbury," the following:

Amherst Street.
From Penfield street to Belgrade avenue.

Article VI, Section 11 (Only Right Turn Movements Permitted), is amended by striking out the following:

Congress Street, Boston Proper.
Into Dock square, easterly.

Elm Street, Boston Proper.
Into Dock square, southerly.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," each of the following:

Florida Street.
At Templeton street.

Sanford Street.
At Old Morton street.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Hyde Park," the following:

Hyde Park Avenue.
At West street.

Article VII, Section 2 (Heavy Commercial Vehicles Excluded), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Woodhaven Street.
From Blue Hill avenue to Cummins Highway.

WM. ARTHUR REILLY,
Commissioner.

A true excerpt from the minutes of the November 17, 1955, meeting of the Boston Traffic Commission.

Attest:
WILLIAM T. DOYLE, *Executive Secretary.*
(Nov. 26–Dec. 3.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR PERFORMING ALTERATIONS AND RENOVATIONS TO PLUMBING AND HEATING SYSTEMS IN VARIOUS BUILDINGS AT THE SANATORIUM DIVISION OF THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL, 249 RIVER STREET, MATTAPAN, MASS.

The City of Boston, by the Board of Trustees, Hospital Department, and of the Boston City Hospital, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for performing alterations and renovations to plumbing and heating systems in various buildings at the Sanatorium Division of the Boston City Hospital, 249 River street, Mattapan, Mass.

Proposals will be received until two o'clock P.M., Thursday, December 15, 1955, E. S. T., at the office of the Superintendent of the Sanatorium Division of the Boston City Hospital, 249 River street, Mattapan, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, and enclosed in an envelope, sealed, and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Superintendent of the Sanatorium Division, 249 River street, Mattapan, Mass., and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $3,000, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

Subbidders bidding on the work of subcontractors shall use the proposal form prepared by and obtainable from the Awarding Authority.

All subbidders' proposals filed with the Awarding Authority shall be submitted in sealed envelopes plainly marked with the title of the work; division of the work for which bid is submitted; subcontractor's name; and subcontractor's business address. All such bids shall be in the possession of the Awarding Authority and delivered or mailed to the general contractor no later than twelve o'clock noon, Monday, December 12, 1955, E. S. T.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount as specified in the following for the various subbid items of work as listed below, shall be submitted by each subbidder with the copy of his proposal filed with the Awarding Authority.

Lathing and plastering	$200
Wall tile	300
Plumbing	600
Electrical	300
Heating and ventilating	1,800

The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, plainly marked "Bid Deposit."

Specifications and plans may be obtained at the office of the Engineer, J. M. McCusker Associates, 17 Chestnut avenue, Jamaica Plain, Boston, Mass., on Monday, November 28, 1955, upon deposit of certified check for $10, payable to the City of Boston. The full amount of the deposit will be returned to bidders upon receipt of said plans and specifications in good condition, by the Engineer, within 20 calendar days after the public opening of the bids.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price, will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest to do so. The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all subbids on any item or items in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, AND OF THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL,
RICHARD J. CONDON,
President.
(Nov. 26.)

CITY OF BOSTON
ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT
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HOW BOSTON MAY BEST INCREASE ITS BUSINESS AND PRESTIGE DISCUSSED WITH NEWLY-FORMED PUBLIC RELATIONS PLANS BOARD AND CITY OFFICIALS—FIRST MEETING PRODUCED MUCH FRESH THINKING ON PROBLEMS OF UTMOST IMPORTANCE TO CITY—WORKING PROGRAM FOR RECOMMENDATION TO MAYOR AND COUNCIL AND COMMUNITY TO BE REFINED AND MADE PRACTICAL AT FUTURE SESSIONS.

On November 28 the following statement was issued by the office of the Mayor:

The first in a series of exploratory discussions on the opportunities for Boston to increase its business and prestige was held on November 28 with the city's newly-formed Public Relations Plans Board.

I am happy to report that today's session in which the major department heads participated with the public relations group produced a good deal of fresh thinking on problems which are of utmost importance to the city.

(*Continued on page 1431.*)

REPORT OF DENNIS C. HALEY, SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS, ON ATTENDANCE AT MEETING OF SUPERINTENDENTS OF CITIES WITH POPULATION OVER 200,000, IN PROVIDENCE, RHODE ISLAND, OCTOBER 13 TO 15, 1955, INCLUSIVE.

The following is the report of attendance of Superintendent Dennis C. Haley at convention of Superintendents of Schools in cities with population over 200,000, held October 13, 14, 15, 1955:

The Superintendents of Schools in cities with population over 200,000 held their annual fall meeting in Providence on October 13, 14 and 15, 1955. Superintendent Dennis C. Haley represented the Boston public schools.

In the various sessions the following general subjects were discussed: Finance and Costs, Buildings, Administration, Special Education, Curriculum, Personnel, and Public Relations.

(*Continued on page 1431.*)

EXPENDITURES FOR VETERANS' SERVICES FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER SHOW A DECREASE OF $18,496.14 ACCORDING TO REPORT PRESENTED TO MAYOR JOHN B. HYNES BY COMMISSIONER VICTOR C. BYNOE — 1,505 CASES WERE AIDED REPRESENTING A TOTAL OF 2,713 INDIVIDUALS — 175 CASES WERE CLOSED OUT.

Expenditures for veterans' services for the month of September show a decrease of $18,496.14 over the same month of the preceding year of 1954. There were 1,505 cases aided during the month representing a total of 2,713 individuals who benefited through the financial facilities of the service. There were 175 cases closed because of obtaining employment, social security, etc. The complete report as submitted to Mayor John B. Hynes reads as follows:

BOSTON, November 29, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

SIR:

I have the honor to submit the report of the Veterans' Services Department for the month of September, 1955.

Very truly yours,

VICTOR C. BYNOE, *Commissioner.*

Expenditures for September, 1955.

	Civil War	Spanish War	Mexican War	World War I	World War II	Korean War	Totals
Regular Rolls	$212 20	$1,832 47	$298 00	$22,077 73	$45,170 00	$3,078 50	$72,668 90
Emergency	—	—	—	1,033 50	6,499 00	978 50	8,511 00
Bills	—	454 72	—	2,487 55	3,741 64	—	6,683 91
Burials	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hospital	—	945 00	—	11,964 00	17,791 00	1,965 00	32,665 00
Supplementary	—	—	—	1,358 40	3,388 89	532 50	5,279 79
	$212 20	$3,232 19	$298 00	$38,921 18	$76,590 53	$6,554 50	$125,808 60

Relief Expenditures Comparison.

	Sept., 1955	Aug., 1955	Sept., 1954
Civil War	$212 20	$212 20	$158 80
Spanish	1,832 47	1,795 25	1,683 45
Mexican	298 00	298 00	347 00
World War I	22,077 73	22,623 73	22,149 28
World War II	45,170 00	45,399 74	49,453 00
Korean	3,078 50	3,989 50	2,874 00
Emergency	8,511 00	9,565 00	10,136 50
Burials	—	1,019 37	1,382 50
Bills	6,683 91	11,981 30	13,107 09
Hospital	32,665 00	19,175 00	37,547 50
Supplementary	5,279 79	5,358 26	5,465 61
	$125,808 60	$121,417 35	$144,304 76

(*Continued on page 1431.*)

"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean;
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Insured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.

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A rate of $4 per inch of 12 lines (set solid) has been established for such advertisements as under the law must be printed in the City Record. Advertising and other copy must be in hand by 5 P.M. Wednesday of each week to insure its publication in the Saturday issue.

MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, December 5, at 2 P.M.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries, or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the Complaints Division, Room 25, City Hall.

Information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways, the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments of streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped area for streets and the opening of private ways; the making of specific repairs in public streets; the naming of public streets, including the use of public ways for location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railways, coal holes, and vaults, may be secured from the Public Improvement Commission, Room 403, City Hall Annex.

TO THE BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION, 112 Southampton street, for information relative to regulation of vehicular street traffic on all or any streets, ways, highways, roads, and parkways under the control of the City of Boston, the issuing of all permits in connection therewith.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting, and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of Sumner Tunnel, the maintenance of bridges and draw-bridges, and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Haymarket Square, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish, and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughterhouses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases, of public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth Avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park, and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts, also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview, and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

TO THE DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS, 28 Norman street, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

TO THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, ROOM 907, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal, or tearing down buildings.

TO THE ELECTRICAL INSPECTION DIVISION OF THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT, 1001 City Hall Annex, for all information relative to the erection of poles, building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division; also for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings of the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

TO THE BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT, 43 City Hall, relative to changes in the boundary lines of zoning districts of the City of Boston as established by chapter 488 of the Acts of 1924, and amendments thereto.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending November 26, 1955.

Population as of July, 1950, Massachusetts State Census, 817,713; population estimated July, 1955, United States Census Bureau, 813,696; number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 175; nonresidents, 70; total, 245.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 16.60; nonresidents deducted, 11.21.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:

Last week, 14.35; corresponding week last year, —

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 9; one year to four years, inclusive, 6; sixty years and over, 162. Total deaths: Male, 150; female, 95; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 170.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Nov. 26, 1955.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Nov. 27, 1954.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior Poliomyelitis	9	2	1	—
Diphtheria	—	—	—	—
Encephalitis Lethargica	—	—	—	—
Influenza	—	—	—	—
Measles	—	—	95	—
Meningitis Epidemic	1	—	—	—
Pneumonia (lobar)	—	1	—	1
Scarlet Fever	9	—	6	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary)	17	2	4	7
Childhood Type Tuberculosis	—	—	—	—
Tuberculosis (other forms)	—	—	—	—
Typhoid Fever	—	—	—	—
Whooping Cough	—	—	19	—

*Residents and nonresidents included.

MONTHLY REPORT OF VETERANS' SERVICES SHOWS DECREASE FROM SAME PERIOD IN 1954.

(*Continued from page 1429.*)

Total Cases Aided.

	Sept., 1955	August, 1955	Sept., 1954
Civil War	5	5	4
Spanish	57	57	59
Mexican	4	4	5
World War I	532	527	562
World War II	833	845	882
Korean	74	89	60
	1,505	1,527	1,572

Expenditures for veterans' benefits for September, 1955, show a decrease of $18,496.16 in comparison with expenditures for the corresponding period of 1954.

The 1,505 cases aided during the month of September, 1955, represent a total of 2,713 individuals benefited through the financial facilities of the Veterans' Services Department.

There were 175 cases closed during the month of September, 1955, because of obtaining employment, having been awarded unemployment compensation, receiving social security, and becoming ineligible to receive financial assistance for miscellaneous other reasons.

Classification of Cases Aided During September, 1955.

	Civil War	Spanish War	Mexican War	World War I	World War II	Korean War
Unemployable veterans	0	1	1	219	259	23
Employable veterans	0	0	0	33	114	18
Wives	0	0	0	3	9	3
Widows	3	56	3	254	37	1
Children	2	0	0	4	25	2
Mothers	0	0	0	16	344	24
Fathers	0	0	0	3	45	3
	5	57	4	532	833	74

ORIGINAL APPLICATIONS.

Brought forward	78
Made during September	97
Granted	60
Rejected	29
Referred to other cities and towns	6
Investigations not completed	80

REAPPLICATIONS.

Brought forward	81
Made during September	154
Granted	132
Rejected	25
Referred to other cities and towns	0
Investigations not completed	78

During the month of September, 1955, the department collected $307 which represents refunds by former beneficiaries who were found to have drawn aid under circumstances which warranted its return to the City of Boston.

Very truly yours,
VICTOR C. BYNOE, *Commissioner.*

PUBLIC RELATIONS PLANS BOARD MEETS FOR FIRST SESSION.

(*Continued from page 1429.*)

Subsequent sessions with the Public Relations Board will refine these ideas into a working program for recommendation to the Mayor and City Council and through them to the entire community.

During the next two months the Board, with staff assistance supplied by the Mayor's office, will take an inventory of the promotional resources available to us. The group will also start setting up the machinery for nation-wide dissemination of information about Boston.

The Public Relations Plans Board, which we believe is unique in municipal administration, is made up of experts from various sections of the country. All are officers and directors of Public Relations Management Corporation, New York, largest such organization in the country.

Members are: Paul A. Newsome (Chairman), President, Newsome & Co., Inc., Boston; Scott Wilson, President, Scott Wilson & Associates, Washington and New Orleans; Dale O'Brien, President, Mayer & O'Brien, Inc., Chicago and Los Angeles; Hamilton S. Putnam, President, Hamilton Putnam Corporation, Concord, New Hampshire; John F. Moynahan, President, John Moynahan & Associates, New York City.

REPORT OF DENNIS C. HALEY ON ATTENDANCE AT SUPERINTENDENTS' CONFERENCE.

(*Continued from page 1429.*)

Of particular interest were the discussions concerning expanded programs to meet the needs of exceptional children and slow learners. Although the majority of cities represented are guided by the principle that physically handicapped children are prepared for life more effectively in regular classes, 17 cities are conducting separate schools for these children. Fifteen cities have special classes for the blind. Four cities have classes for slow learners, and 14 cities provide subspecial classes.

Increased attention to the problems of the emotionally disturbed child and the child with reading difficulties was also manifest. In two cities emotionally disturbed children are given medical exclusions from school. In other cities they are exempted from attendance or given instruction at home by visiting teachers. Twenty-three cities now provide remedial reading courses in the junior high schools, and 18 cities have similar courses in the senior high schools.

It was also brought out that current program changes in junior high schools tend toward the teaching and integration of two or more subjects by one teacher. This procedure tends to overcome fragmentation of subject and pupil interest and provides a more gradual transition to the departmental program of senior high school, with a consequent reduction in the number of dropouts.

Discussions also indicated that the class load in high school is from 25 to 30 pupils per teacher. On the average, teachers are assigned for 25 periods per week with several days of lunchroom duty. Although some cities have a six-

hour day exclusive of the lunch period, the majority limit the school day to five and one-half hours.

Practices and procedures relating to supervision were considered. Although it was established that there is no uniform practice in the high schools, the majority of school departments depend on head masters and department heads within the individual schools to supervise specific subjects. In general there is a preference for this type of vertical supervision in the high schools and horizontal supervision in the elementary schools. The procedure in the Boston public schools is in conformity with these preferred practices.

Eight cities reported that pupil accident insurance plans are now in operation. In four of these cities premiums are collected in the schools. In two states, however, the attorney generals have ruled that it is not the function of the Board of Education to serve as agent of an insurance company; and in a third state legislation allows the distribution of literature describing such insurance, but prohibits the collection of premiums by the School Department.

Although many other topics were discussed, the most fruitful and important conferences were concerned with the enrichment of the curriculum and the expansion of special educational services to provide for the maximum development of individual abilities that every pupil in the public schools may have every possible opportunity to prepare for happy and productive membership in our society.

Respectfully submitted,

DENNIS C. HALEY,
Superintendent of Public Schools.

TO DISCUSS METROPOLITANIZATION OF BOSTON.

Thomas F. McDonough, Chairman of the City of Boston Planning Board, represented the Hon. John B. Hynes, Mayor of Boston, at the meeting of the Needham Taxpayers' Association on Thursday, December 1, at 8 P.M.

The Mayor, who was unable to be present due to unforeseen circumstances, had asked Mr. McDonough to speak on the Metropolitanization of Boston, a subject with which Mr. McDonough is familiar, being regarded as an expert on the subject.

The speaker presenting the opposite view was Charles Greenough, Chairman of the Metropolitan District Commission for the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

RETIREMENT BOARD REPORTS.

To the Auditor.

At meetings of the Retirement Board, held on the following dates, September 15, 22, and 29, respectively, the retirement from active service of the following-named employees was approved to become effective at the close of business, September 30, 1955, under the provisions of chapter 658:

BOSTON HOUSING AUTHORITY.

Edward F. Shannon, electrician.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

Florence M. Hurter, stenographer.

FINANCE COMMISSION.

Robert E. Cunniff, executive secretary.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Robert V. Hurley, fire fighter.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Loretta M. Reardon, nurse.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Margaret A. O'Donnell house worker.
Mary T. Sharkey, head housekeeper.
George R. Towle, ambulance driver.

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

Katherine C. McGrath, housekeeper.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Robert F. Barrett, bath attendant.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Joseph Slade, patrolman.
James L. Bowe, patrolman.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

James J. Marcy, laborer.

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT.

Manuel L. Travers, custodian.
William Sennott, custodian.
Mary F. Sharkey, vice principal.
Louise H. Best, school nurse.
Charles E. Foley, submaster.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Mary E. Robertson, supervisor social worker.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

SUPERIOR JUDICIAL COURT.

Annie Murray, principal clerk.

Attest:

PAUL L. CARTY,
Executive Officer.

To the Auditor.

At a meeting of the Retirement Board, held on September 22, 1955, the retirement from active service of the following-named employee of the Boston Retirement System was approved to become effective at the close of business, September 30, 1955, under the provisions of Chapter 521 of the Acts of 1922:

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Charles N. Vogel, fire fighter.

Attest:

PAUL L. CARTY,
Executive Officer.

To the Auditor.

At meetings of the Retirement Board, held on November 4 and November 15, respectively, the retirement from active service of the following-named employees was approved to become effective at the close of business, November 30, 1955, under the provisions of chapter 658:

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

William G. Tonner, clerk of works.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Edward F. Leonard, boseman.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Walter Dawson, elevator operator.
Anne E. Harrington, medical worker.
Josephine B. Womack, medical worker.

Long Island Division.

Alice Morrow, house worker.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Margaret G. Conley, matron.
James T. Doherty, chauffeur.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

John Campbell, patrolman.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

William T. Gallivan, transitman.

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT.

Ida A. Eichorn, stenographer.
Agnes M. Long, assistant.
Mary E. Ryan, assistant.
Jessica B. Smith, assistant.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Fannie Barg, clerk.
Marie A. Cameron, clerk-typist.

ORDINARY DISABILITY.
PRINTING SECTION.

Henry F. Casey, pressman.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

John J. Gorham, laborer.

Attest:

PAUL L. CARTY.
Executive Officer.

To the Auditor.

At a meeting of the Boston Retirement Board, held on November 4, 1955, the retirement from active service of the following-named employee was approved to become effective at the close of business, November 30, 1955, under the provisions of chapter 521 of the Acts of 1922 (Boston Retirement Act):

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

John J. Sheehan, patrolman.

Attest:

PAUL L. CARTY,
Executive Officer.

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

Ellen Sue Weinberg, by her father, Louis Weinberg, 18 Bluefield terrace, Mattapan, in the sum of $450, as compensation for personal injuries caused when the railing on the back porch of the duplex housing unit at 30 Ridgeview avenue, Mattapan, owned by the City of Boston, gave way, causing her to fall to the ground, October 2, 1954.

Clare P. Murphy, 134 Parsons street, Brighton, in the sum of $40, as compensation for damage to clothes in her washing machine caused by rusty water from the city supply system, June 1, 1955.

A. E. Ogan, Inc., 29 Sleeper street, Boston, in the sum of $411, as compensation for damage to property caused by the backing up of a sewer on December 28, 29, and 30, 1954.

Commercial Wharf Company, 50 State street, Boston, in the sum of $150, as compensation for damage to property owned by the petitioner at 7, 8, 9, and 10 Commercial Wharf, caused by the bursting of the water main at the intersection of Commercial and Lewis streets, June 11, 1955.

Stanley Morris, 50 Meadowview road, Readville, in the sum of $450, as compensation for personal injuries and damage to automobile caused when it struck an unguarded hole in the highway on Hyde Park avenue, between Wyvern street and Southbourne road, August 19, 1955.

Bertha L. Evans, 69 Walden street, Newton, in the sum of $395, as compensation for personal injuries caused by tripping over a metal water meter cover which protruded above the level of the sidewalk in front of 355 Boylston street, October 5, 1954.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following personnel changes:

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

James J. O'Keefe has been promoted to accountant at $73 a week.

Approval has been given for the permanent appointment of Stanley F. Ivas as junior electrical engineer at $87 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Gertrude Alciere, clerk and typist, Bureau of Vital Statistics, General Services Section, at $50.50 a week, has been transferred to the Department of Education, Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

For the week ending November 15:

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—Alice L. Allen, 35 Glenwood street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $50.50 a week; Thelma Lawrence, 18 Ditmus court, Roxbury, Marjorie K. O'Connor, 55 Tower street, Jamaica Plain, Maybelle A. Regan, 46 Danube street, Dorchester, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; Alice Dekarski, 442 West Second street, South Boston, clerk-typist, $50.50 a week; Bertha Becker, 6 Regina road, Dorchester, nurse anesthetist, $70.50 a week; Elizabeth Glynn, 79 Belmont street, Everett, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour; Jean Kirk, 119 Brainerd road, Allston, floor nurse, $68 a week; Katherine McGilvray, 78½ Robbins street, Waltham, head nurse, $65.50 a week; Anne Mollica, 88 East Lenox street, Roxbury, Nora Preston, 123 Oxford street, Cambridge, floor nurses, $1.70 an hour; Vera Sedach, 14 Marlborough street, head nurse, $76.50 a week.

Temporary.—Alice T. McGregor, 38 Annunciation road, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; Arlene F. Gullens, 49 Bataan court, Roxbury, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week; Nora E. Ryan, 29 Woodlawn street, Jamaica Plain, hospital house worker, $43 a week; Theresa Frazier, 1644 Turnpike street, Stoughton, floor nurse, $68 a week; Mary Mahoney, 45 Alabama street, Mattapan, Elizabeth May, 23 Rosedale street, Dorchester, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour; Margaret Taplin, 675 Boylston street, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Joyce A. Wienchek, 19 Aberdeen street, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour.

South Division.

For the week ending November 15:

The following temporary employee has been appointed:

Therese C. Jones, Ridge road, Millis, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour.

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Veronica McElligott, 34 Dickinson street, Somerville, 7 days; Margaret Nolan, 14 Dix street, Dorchester, 5 days.

Sanatorium Division.

Approval has been given to the following resignations:

Margaret Donovan, intermittent relief telephone operator; John Fielding, principal X-ray technician, provisional;

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 29.

GAS FITTER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
C. Hutchinson	6 Tufts terrace	2	Appliances	$100
E. Hart	3 Centre street	17	Appliances	100
E. Pascucci	5 Chaucer street	1	Appliances	15
N. Clark	10 Child street	11	Appliances	400
N. Clark	289 D street	6	Appliances	400
G. Trethewey	88 Dale street	18	Appliances	300
D. Horgan	1396 Dorchester avenue	15	Appliances	100
N. Clark	102 Dustin street	22	Appliances	400
M. Caputo	441 East Sixth street	7	Appliances	50
T. Matthews	25 Elder street	7	Appliances	100
J. Crane	60 Everett street	22	Appliances	35
N. Clark	24 Fawndale road	19	Appliances	100
N. Clark	85 Fowler street	14	Appliances	400
N. Clark	91 Gordon street	21	Appliances	100
E. Pascucci	164 Gove street	1	Appliances	25
N. Clark	5 Hart place	7	Appliances	400
E. Pascucci	178 Havre street	1	Appliances	25
N. Clark	95 Jamaica street	11	Appliances	400
N. Clark	11 Knowlton street	7	Appliances	400
F. Odenweller	41 Larch street	22	Appliances	190
E. Pascucci	65 Lexington street	1	Appliances	25
E. Pascucci	206 Lexington street	1	Appliances	15
W. Foster	24 Lochstead avenue	19	Appliances	50
S. Slavine	105 Lorna road	18	Appliances	150
S. Slavine	107 Lorna road	18	Appliances	150
S. Slavine	109 Lorna road	18	Appliances	150
S. Slavine	111 Lorna road	18	Appliances	150
N. Clark	1 Monmouth street	1	Appliances	35
E. Hart	4 Mossdale road	19	Appliances	100
E. Hart	20 Mt. Vernon street	20	Appliances	100
L. Luxton	9 Olney street	15	Appliances	65
N. Clark	27 Orchard street	19	Appliances	400
H. Dickerson	31 Peterborough street	5	Appliances	100
G. Trethewey	556 Poplar street	18	Appliances	160
E. Hart	30 St. Theresa avenue	20	Appliances	100
E. Hart	246 Seaver street	12	Appliances	100
G. Trethewey	99 Selwyn street	20	Appliances	160
G. Trethewey	25 Seymour street	19	Appliances	600
A. DiLorenzo	482 Shawmut avenue	9	Appliances	15
J. Fysiano	9 Sheafe street	3	Appliances	15
C. O'Connor	5 Sherman square	2	Appliances	60
G. Trethewey	50 Stratford street	20	Appliances	220
E. Pascucci	154 Sumner street	1	Appliances	25
E. Hart	45 Walk Hill street	19	Appliances	100
B. Gold	135 Westminster street	18	Appliances	100
R. Murray	60 Weston street	9	Appliances	100
E. Hart	5 Winchester terrace	19	Appliances	100
S. Connolly	47 Adams street	8	Appliances	100
D. Gould	23 Bainbridge street	11	Appliances	55
N. Deutsch	233 Bennington street	1	Appliances	75
W. Nye	108 Blackstone street	3	Appliances	60
A. Gardella	309 Bolton street	6	Appliances	50
N. Deutsch	20 Call street	2	Appliances	35
H. Latorella	33 Chelsea street	2	Appliances	50
R. Garrity	10 Cobden street	11	Appliances	50
D. Palmariello	87–89 Commercial street	3	Appliances	50
N. Deutsch	174 Cottage street	1	Appliances	30
P. Janis	14 Dalrymple street	11	Appliances	15
C. Kay	398 East Eighth street	7	Appliances	1,000
J. Liftman	419 East Fourth street	6	Appliances	60
R. Ebba	223 Everett street	1	Appliances	25
S. Connolly	15 Hammond street	9	Appliances	75
I. Silverstein	79 Harrison avenue	3	Appliances	100
A. Hird	23 Hendry street	15	Appliances	800
A. DiLorenzo	654 Huntington avenue	10	Appliances	100
A. Hird	35 Lindsey street	17	Appliances	200
N. Deutsch	41 Marion street	1	Appliances	30
A. Hird	55 Mather street	17	Appliances	300
N. Deutsch	131 Neptune road	1	Appliances	75
J. Corcoran	206 Norfolk street	17	Appliances	80
G. Sanders	107 Park Drive	5	Appliances	100
I. Horovitz	6 Parker Hill avenue	10	Appliances	100
B. Zieff	243 Parsons street	22	Appliances	80
D. Gould	15 Pembroke street	9	Appliances	55
B. Reska	22 Phillips street	5	Appliances	150
D. Palmariello	4 Pond Street place	3	Appliances	25
R. Garrity	20 Port Norfolk street	16	Appliances	50
R. Ebba	58 Princeton street	1	Appliances	25
J. Liftman	25 Raven street	13	Appliances	15
W. Connell	35 Rector street	18	Appliances	50
B. Weiner	82 St. Rose street	11	Appliances	750
R. Ebba	220 Saratoga street	1	Appliances	25
R. Ebba	314 Saratoga street	1	Appliances	40
R. Ebba	404 Saratoga street	1	Appliances	25
R. Ebba	463 Sumner street	1	Appliances	25
C. Kay	52 Thomas park	7	Appliances	50
W. Connell	70 Train street	16	Appliances	105
S. Connolly	908 Tremont street	9	Appliances	100
J. Liftman	1010 Tremont street	9	Appliances	75
J. Williams	1125 Tremont street	9	Appliances	135
R. Ebba	243 Trenton street	1	Appliances	25
R. Ebba	247 Trenton street	1	Appliances	50
S. Connolly	2984 Washington street	11	Appliances	50
W. Connell	81 Welles avenue	17	Appliances	10
J. Liftman	40 West Second street	6	Appliances	40
P. Sparco	8 Bartlett place	3	Appliances	100
F. DelTufo	56 Chelmsford street	16	Appliances	300
B. Weiner	1253 Commonwealth avenue	21	Appliances	100
D. Karger	1685 Dorchester avenue	16	Appliances	90
G. Trethewey	139 Durnell avenue	20	Appliances	100
W. Chessman	51 Eliot street	19	Appliances	50

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 29.—Concluded.

GAS FITTER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
W. Connell	35 Ellery street	7	Appliances	$100
J. Mellyn	46 Forest Hills street	11	Appliances	50
E. Dorr	41 Gray street	5	Appliances	100
W. Connell	1 Harrison park	16	Appliances	60
L. Luxton	54 Harvest street	7	Appliances	250
W. Connell	23 Hinckley street	13	Appliances	125
E. Scentore	55 Meridian street	1	Appliances	20
G. Trethewey	26 Meyer street	19	Appliances	250
E. Slein	45 Milton avenue	18	Appliances	150
W. Connell	102 Old Harbor street	7	Appliances	100
G. Trethewey	15 Orange street	20	Appliances	250
J. Reid	991 River street	18	Appliances	35
W. Connell	Rear 70 Stanley street	15	Appliances	200
B. Clancy	575 Washington street	3	Appliances	250
D. Karger	6 Webley street	21	Appliances	125
E. Secatore	91 Webster street	1	Appliances	60
W. Connell	258 West Broadway	6	Appliances	65
T. Foley	73 Beacon street	5	Appliances	50
S. Adams	66 Bellevue street	15	Appliances	80
S. Adams	70 Brent street	16	Appliances	250
F. Rull	155 Bullock street	6	Appliances	35
M. Loiterstein	6 Cathedral street	9	Appliances	65
W. Cooper	7 Courtney road	20	Appliances	750
S. Adams	19 Denny street	13	Appliances	90
S. Kramer	61 East Canton street	8	Appliances	80
F. Rull	511 East Eighth street	7	Appliances	55
O. Weider	442 East Fifth street	7	Appliances	100
D. Horgan	786 East Fourth street	6	Appliances	100
D. Horgan	628 East Second street	6	Appliances	100
F. Rull	731 East Second street	6	Appliances	40
D. Horgan	126 East Sixth street	7	Appliances	100
F. Rull	70 Elm street	19	Appliances	100
F. Rull	231 Emerson street	6	Appliances	35
F. Rull	261 Emerson street	6	Appliances	85
S. Adams	86 Fairmount street	17	Appliances	275
A. Figler	7 Fawndale road	19	Appliances	25
P. Janis	5 Fountain Hill	12	Appliances	50
S. Adams	523 Geneva avenue	16	Appliances	95
A. Graiara	929 Harrison avenue	8	Appliances	12
G. Vallati	8 Harvest street	7	Appliances	200
D. Horgan	61 Harvest street	7	Appliances	100
M. Loiterstein	14 Haverford street	11	Appliances	65
P. Ferris	2 Helen F. Burgess Footway	17	Appliances	75
I. Horvitz	23 Holborn street	12	Appliances	100
S. Adams	10 Homes avenue	15	Appliances	90
A. Figler	86 Humboldt avenue	12	Appliances	10
D. Horgan	73 Leonard street	15	Appliances	100
A. Figler	10 Letterfine terrace	13	Appliances	10
A. Figler	2 Linden court	15	Appliances	50
C. Beveland	75 Litchfield street	22	Appliances	100
S. Adams	110 Lonsdale street	16	Appliances	80
S. Adams	25 Mayhew street	7	Appliances	195
S. Adams	27 Nonquit street	13	Appliances	200
S. Adams	48 Oakridge street	17	Appliances	80
A. DiPietro	24 Orleans street	1	Appliances	25
S. Adams	275 Savin Hill avenue	13	Appliances	80
S. Adams	90 Templeton street	16	Appliances	215
J. Williams	353 Warren street	12	Appliances	25
J. Williams	1699 Washington street	9	Appliances	20
F. Rull	361 West Second street	6	Appliances	50
W. Long	1 Abbotsford street	12	Appliances	1,500
J. Wilson	31 Allston street	2	Appliances	100
W. Connell	65 Bearse avenue	17	Appliances	50
L. Silverstein	1282A Blue Hill avenue	11	Appliances	100
W. Connell	223 Boston street	7	Appliances	25
J. Wilson	443 Bunker Hill street	2	Appliances	100
G. Trethewey	2256 Centre street	20	Appliances	300
G. Trethewey	51 Cohasset street	20	Appliances	500
M. Zeolla	96 East Canton street	8	Appliances	10
N. Deutsch	325 East Eagle street	1	Appliances	30
W. Connell	627 East Sixth street	6	Appliances	100
G. Trethewey	19 Emmonsdale road	20	Appliances	225
N. Deutsch	116 Everett street	1	Appliances	75
R. DiLorenzo	118 Falcon street	1	Appliances	15
W. Connell	322 Gallivan Boulevard	16	Appliances	15
H. Shvet	31 Hanover street	3	Appliances	250
F. DelTufo	37 Harbor View street	13	Appliances	150
N. Deutsch	12 Lexington street	2	Appliances	85
N. Deutsch	183 London street	1	Appliances	50
W. Connell	62 Lonsdale street	16	Appliances	12
N. Deutsch	151 Meridian street	1	Appliances	75
W. Connell	229 Park street	16	Appliances	80
J. Wilson	17 Pearl street	2	Appliances	100
J. Wilson	15 Pleasant street	2	Appliances	100
T. Matthews	26 Rosemont street	16	Appliances	100
G. Trethewey	52 Sheffield road	20	Appliances	700
W. Connell	10 Train street	16	Appliances	20
T. Matthews	16 Vinson street	16	Appliances	100
J. Wilson	56 Washington street	2	Appliances	100
S. Connolly	899 Albany street	8	Appliances	50
S. Connolly	17 Ball street	9	Appliances	10
T. Matthews	9 Carmen street	11	Appliances	100
S. Connolly	14 Cedar street	11	Appliances	50
E. Doyle	688 Columbia road	7	Appliances	100
A. Stahly	19 Dakota street	17	Appliances	35
A. Stahly	35 Downer avenue	13	Appliances	20
D. Malley	16 Earl street	7	Appliances	35

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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Elmer Gegg, patient male nurse, part time; Joseph Russo, hospital medical worker, provisional.

John J. Kenney, Paul J. McKenna, Thomas McManus, hospital medical workers; Marie Leyden, registered graduate nurse; Irene Sonia, licensed attendant nurse.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Approval has been given to establish an increase in the regular rate per hour of employees who operate, during the winter season, the heavy-duty equipment assigned to sanding, snow plowing, and snow removal work. This equipment consists of Walter snow fighters, four-wheel drive trucks, bulldozer, 12-ton sanders, and 12-ton crane.

Approval has been given that the following-named employees be compensated at the rate of $1.95 per hour only when performing the above stated duties for the period between November 19, 1955, and March 31, 1956:

Daniel C. Callahan, Edward A. Cass, William L. Cotter, heavy motor equipment operators; James J. DeLuca, John F. Dillon, motor equipment operators; John J. Dillon, laborer; William J. Dowd, William Dunne, heavy motor equipment operators; Wendelyn Dujsik, motor equipment operator; Michael W. Farrell, Richard Fitzgerald, Rocco R. Fosco, Leroy F. Gorham, heavy motor equipment operators; Coleman J. Griffin, crane operator; James J. Kelly, heavy motor equipment operator; Joseph F. Lydon, motor equipment operator; William A. Lynch, heavy motor equipment operator; John F. Murphy, machinist; William McSweeney, motor equipment operator; William A. Meaney, laborer; Nicolo Pace, William C. Rooney, heavy motor equipment operators; Richard J. Shruhan, garden planner; Wallace Siteman, laborer; Joseph J. Staiti, heavy motor equipment operator; Joseph W. Sullivan, Jr., motor equipment operator; Thomas Wall, heavy motor equipment operator.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

The following employees have resigned:

Robert Hayes, permanent senior bookkeeper; Katherine Butler, permanent clerk; William Schneider, permanent senior statistical machine operator; Fannie Barg, permanent clerk and typist.

The following employee has retired:

Agnes May, permanent principal clerk.

Appointments or Reinstatements.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Ernest E. King, 63 Falcon street, East Boston, elevator inspector, $68 a week.

CITY PLANNING BOARD.

Frank J. Boutell, 113 Bateman street, Hyde Park, senior civil engineering draftsman, $83.50 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Charles Crowley, 910 Harrison avenue, hospital guard, $53 a week.

Thomas F. Clancy, 26 Bradlee street, Dorchester, hospital guard, $53 a week.

Thelma Adelman, 63 Rockdale street, Mattapan, laboratory assistant, $45.50 a week.

Ann K. Arpino, 34 Linden street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $45.50 a week.

Hannah C. Pilkington, 98 Gardner street, Allston, hospital medical worker, $50.50 a week.

John E. Gillis, 302 Vermont street, West Roxbury, X-ray technician, $45.50 a week.

Eugene Dooley, 39 Webber street, hospital medical worker, $50.50 a week.

Sylvia Neiterman, 38 Theodore street, Dorchester, laboratory assistant, $45.50 a week.

Mary Dacey, 51 Chilton road, West Roxbury, laboratory technician, $60.50 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

Christopher Berg, 249 River street, Mattapan, part-time patient male nurse, $1 an hour.

John McGovern, 249 River street, Mattapan, part-time patient male nurse, $1 an hour.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

Buildings Division.

Bronis J. Marttus, 284 East Eighth street, South Boston, junior building custodian, $53 a week.

Changes in Status.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Budget Division.

Mary F. Moynihan, 86 Hunnewell avenue, Brighton, from senior clerk and typist (temporary) at $55.50 a week to senior clerk and typist (permanent) at $55.50 a week.

CITY PLANNING BOARD.

Elliot Hansen, 27½ Bostonia avenue, Brighton, from planning assistant (permanent) at $68 a week to junior planner (temporary) at $76.50 a week.

John J. Coughlin, Jr., 135 Minot street, Dorchester, from planning assistant (permanent) at $70.50 a week to senior planner (temporary) at $90.50 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Long Island Division.

Albert J. Blanchette, Long Island Hospital, from senior clerk and typist at $65.50 a week to principal account clerk at $68 a week.

Leaves of Absence.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Esther M. Chandler, 90 Kilsyth road, Brighton, clerk-typist, $58.70 a week.

CITY PLANNING BOARD.

Robert G. Davidson, Madison avenue, Newtonville, principal planner (temporary), $113 a week.

Gladys P. Lyons, 70 Chester street, Arlington, principal planner (temporary), $105.25 a week.

Step-Rate Increases.

BOSTON RETIREMENT BOARD.

Paul L. Carty, executive officer, from $132 to $136.75 a week.

Anna J. Casey, head clerk, from $87 to $90.50 a week.

CITY PLANNING BOARD.

John Coughlin, Jr., planning assistant, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 29.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
John Coombs	91 Ardale street	20	Alterations, dwelling	$100
A. Boundouis	124 Boylston street	11	Alterations, welding shop	150
Copley Hospital	224 Commonwealth avenue.	5	Alterations, hospital	350
Trustees, Boston University	775 Commonwealth avenue.	21	Alterations, ticket office	998
Joseph Georgian	80 Dorchester street	6	Alterations, dwelling	500
John Hayes	106 Dorchester street	6	Alterations, dwelling, store	400
Helen Zerosky	1 Elm Lawn	16	Alterations, dwelling	400
Helen Cotter	59 Gallivan Boulevard	17	Alterations, dwelling	250
Bill Hoey	4 Hecla street	15	Alterations, dwelling	200
Estate of A. Horowitz	31 Lamartine street	10	Alterations, dwelling	60
Estate of A. Horowitz	33 Lamartine street	10	Alterations, dwelling	60
Estate of A. Horowitz	35 Lamartine street	10	Alterations, dwelling	60
Estate of A. Horowitz	37 Lamartine street	10	Alterations, dwelling	60
F. M. Rosario	292 Lexington street	1	Alterations, dwelling	200
Leo Baker	19 Linden street	21	Alterations, dwelling	900
Leo Baker	21 Linden street	21	Alterations, dwelling	900
Charles Fitzgerald	30 Moultrie street	17	Alterations, dwelling	500
Rowell Realty	32–34 Riverdale street	22	Alterations, dwelling	150
Rowell Realty	36–38 Riverdale street	22	Alterations, dwelling	150
Rowell Realty	40–42 Riverdale street	22	Alterations, dwelling	150
Rowell Realty	44–46 Riverdale street	22	Alterations, dwelling	150
Delia Gavin	57–59 Telegraph street	6	Alterations, dwelling	250
Maxwell Wirtz	48 Augustus avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	720
Margaret Campbell	41 Austin street	2	Alterations, dwelling	600
Mrs. King's Bowling, Inc	466 Blue Hill avenue	14	Alterations, bowling alleys	90
Edward Wells	175 Brown avenue	19	Alterations, dwelling	300
Sarah Magee	94 Day street	10	Alterations, dwelling	400
Jacob Weiss	11 Don street	14	Alterations, dwelling	150
Jefferson Cosseboon	16 Eldon street	10	Alterations, dwelling	940
Ryerson Steel	60 Everett street	22	Alterations, warehouse	990
Manorg Peritizian	70 Francis street	10	Alterations, dwelling	850
John Mighestoa	31 George street	18	Alterations, dwelling	150
Herbert Bassett	8 Hamilton street	15	Alterations, dwelling	800
George Goldman	112 Hazleton street	14	Alterations, dwelling	150
Edward Chiu	61 Howard street	3	Alterations, store, dwelling	875
Robert Malloy	70–90 Leo Birmingham Parkway.	22	Alterations, dwelling	5,000
Main Street Garage	300A Main street	2	Alterations, dwelling, store	225
Anna Sipowicz	30 Mill street	16	Alterations, dwelling	250
Gerald O'Rourke	15 Monadnock street	13	Alterations, dwelling	3,400
Vincenzo Pericolo	61 Montmorenci avenue	1	Alterations, excavate	250
John Cudmore	72 Pleasant street	13	Alterations, dwelling	900
David Danilchuck	105 Princeton street	1	Alterations, dwelling	300
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	30–38 Saratoga street	1	Alterations, excavate	None
Eastern Racing Association	111 Waldemar avenue	1	Alterations, grandstand	$250
Dreyfus Properties	279 Washington street	3	Alterations, store, offices	150
Keanealy & Young	372 Washington street	17	Alterations, stores	95
First Massachusetts Corp	209–218 Adams street	15	Office building	70,000
Annie Kenney	78 Alexander street	13	Alterations, dwelling	485
Nathan Warnick & Sons	158 Almont street	18	Dwelling	12,000
George DeAngelis	American Legion H'way	18	Garage	800
Arthur Ryley	23 Auriga street	16	Dwelling	10,000
Frank Geyson	3 Badger place	2	Garage	800
Antonio Podesta	62 Batchelder street	8	Alterations, bakery	4,000
T. J. Diab	49 Beacon street	5	Alterations, dwelling	10,000
Nardelli Construction Co	61–63 Belvista road	21	Dwelling	19,435
New England Mutual Ins	234 Berkeley street	5	Alterations, store	900
George Decas	1 Bird place	20	Alterations, dwelling	300
Richard Graham	195 Brunswick street	14	Alterations, dwelling	2
Angelo Serrechia	55 Centre street	17	Alterations, dwelling	200
Museum of Science	10 Charles River Dam	3	Alterations, museum	900
James Condos	350 Chestnut Hill avenue	21	Store	40,000
Leonard Vadala	15 Chisholm road	18	Alterations, dwelling	2,000
Albert Anderson Mfg. Co.	289 A street	6	Alterations, manufacturing	2,499
J. J. Morris	51–53 Bowdoin avenue	15	Alterations, dwelling	275
Cantor Construction Co	185 Corey road	21	Alterations, office, warehouse	300
John Walsh	101 Day street	10	Alterations, dwelling	200
Dardzinski	748 Dorchester avenue	7	Alterations, dwelling	900
Dorchester Awning Company	1564 Dorchester avenue	17	Alterations, store	95
Charles Poirier	15 Edge Hill street	10	Alterations, dwelling	200
James Miles	50 Edgewood street	12	Alterations, dwelling	350
Lucy Doulan	12 Hawthorne street	19	Alterations, dwelling	550
Mr. Guissepe	20 Page street	14	Alterations, dwelling	400
Richmond	1158 River street	18	Alterations, stores	320
R. Lessaro	122 Saratoga street	1	Alterations, dwelling	325
C. L. Rand	29 Summit avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	1,165
Mass. Realty	6 Tremont street	21	Alterations, stores	500
S. Greenlaw	1180 Tremont street	9	Alterations, dwelling, store	150
James Connolly	1182 Tremont street	9	Alterations, dwelling, store	1,090
Brigham Hotel	642 Washington street	3	Alterations, dwelling, cafe	850
Mary Holeman	230 West Canton street	9	Alterations, dwelling	600
Edmund DiSanto	39 Chittick road	18	Dwelling	9,000
Nathan Warnick & Sons	18 Colorado street	18	Dwelling	12,000
William Cipriano	335 Corey street	20	Dwelling	16,212
Joseph Shapiro	364 Corey street	20	Dwelling	16,000
Joseph Selwyn	263–265 Corey road	21	Dwelling	21,000
Nardelli Construction	267–269 Corey road	21	Dwelling	24,375
Nardelli Construction	271–273 Corey road	21	Dwelling	24,375
Nardelli Construction	275–277 Corey road	21	Dwelling	24,375
Richard Gleason	10 Corey terrace	20	Garage	425
Esther Gomez	66 Crawford street	12	Alterations, dwelling	2
Evelyn Thiederman	19 Allston street	17	Alterations, dwelling	2
Decatur Hipkins	83–95 Berkeley street	4	Alterations, storage	20,000
Pocahontas Fuel Company	150 Bernard street	14	Offices	24,000
Marshall Realty	986–998 Blue Hill avenue	14	Alterations, stores	950
Gertrude Gilbert	East Broadway	6	Alterations, dwelling, office	2
D. J. Cutter	80 Freeport street	15	Garage	8,500
John Frasca	89–93 Henley street	2	Alterations, dwelling	6,000
George Mattendorf	90 Lyndhurst street	17	Alterations, dwelling	5,000

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 29.—Concluded.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Hammond Stationery	1289 Tremont street	9	Alterations, store	$10,000
E. D. Cook	269 Western avenue	22	Office	18,000
Victor Nobile	944 Beacon street	21	Alterations, offices	2
Joseph Serrior	90 Blue Hill avenue	12	Alterations, dwelling	2
Joseph Serrior	119 Blue Hill avenue	12	Alterations, dwelling	2
Andel Realty	53–85 Canal street	3	Alterations, stores, office	8,000
Minnie Weiss	11 Don street	14	Alterations, dwelling	400
Thomas Greenquist	39 Eastwood Circuit	20	Alterations, dwelling	600
Stephen Green	16 Frazer street	16	Dwelling	9,000
Catherine Loughlin	10 Gretter road	20	Alterations, dwelling	360
Thomas Varley	Louder's Lane	19	Alterations, dwelling	700
Antonio Trafaglia	83–85 Neponset avenue	18	Garage	1,000
Mary Larrabee	21 Rushmore street	22	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Gerald LaRoche	49 Vernon street	18	Dwelling	9,000
Joseph Mozella	321 Walk Hill street	18	Greenhouse	2,000
Francis Bernard	12 Dent street	20	Alterations, dwelling	875
National Laundry	1208 Dorchester avenue	15	Alterations, laundry	83,000
Roman Catholic Archbishop	2222 Dorchester avenue	17	Alterations, school	130,000
City of Boston	241–249 Dover street	3	Alterations, bath house	140,000
Arthur Wood	2 Emelia terrace	20	Dwelling	9,000
Arthur Wood	6 Emelia terrace	20	Dwelling	9,000
Arthur Wood	7 Emelia terrace	20	Dwelling	9,000
Arthur Wood	10 Emelia terrace	20	Dwelling	9,000
Arthur Wood	11 Emelia terrace	20	Dwelling	9,000
Arthur Wood	14 Emelia terrace	20	Dwelling	9,000
Thomas Thornton	75–77 F street	7	Alterations, dwelling	2
Joseph Shapiro	6 Federal road	20	Dwelling	16,000
Rutland Corner House	103 Francis street	4	Alterations, dwelling	100
David Brown	90 Fuller street	17	Dwelling	9,200
David Brown	94 Fuller street	17	Dwelling	9,200
Helen Fortunance	6 Groton street	3	Alterations, dwelling	100
Anthony DeStefano	815 Hyde Park avenue	18	Printing plant	4,000
Robert Lasker	1200 Hyde Park avenue	18	Gas station	13,500
John Vhorland	17 Imrie road	21	Alterations, dwelling	1,200
Nardelli Construction Co	165–167 Jordan road	21	Dwelling	21,000
Darrell Hoag	504 Metropolitan avenue	18	Dwelling	10,000
Sons of Divine Providence	111 Orient avenue	1	Alterations, dwelling	100,000
New England Tel. & Tel	15 Oxford street	3	Alterations, offices	5,000
General Rental Company	58 Park square	5	Office	10,000
Katherine Olafson	4 Payson road	20	Dwelling	9,000
Chester MacLeod	22–24 Rockne avenue	16	Alterations, dwelling	275
Roxbury Latin School, Inc	101 St. Theresa avenue	20	Gymnasium	150,000
Roxbury Latin School, Inc	101 St. Theresa avenue	20	Alterations, school	2,000
Thomas Hoag	210 Savin Hill avenue	13	Garage	2,880
Walter Dekofski	10 Sefton street	18	Dwelling	16,000
Stephen Mavrellis	520 Shawmut avenue	9	Alterations, dwelling	2
Inge Swartz	1340 Soldiers Field road	22	Office, warehouse	91,400
Harry Krivitz	47 Southampton street	8	Alterations, offices	1,000
Harry Krivitsky	53 Southampton street	8	Alterations, manufacturing	7,000
Frederick DeRoma	16 Sunset Hill Path	20	Dwelling	7,500
Ruggles St. Baptist Church	1142–1152 Tremont street	9	Gas station	7,000
Windsor Construction Co.	325 V. F. W. Parkway	20	Dwelling	9,500
Windsor Construction Co.	329 V.F. W. Parkway	20	Dwelling	9,500
Windsor Construction Co.	333 V. F. W. Parkway	20	Dwelling	9,500
Edward Flaherty	4335 Washington street	20	Alterations, dwelling	92
Chris & Pauline Drakos	6–8 Webley street	21	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Marine Products	345 West First street	6	Alterations, freight terminal	2,000
Ernest Magazua	267 Western avenue	22	Storage	10,000
Harry Happnie	29 Westville road	18	Dwelling	9,000
Margaret Mosil	25 Wheatland avenue	17	Alterations, dwelling	200
Boston College High School	160 Wm. T. Morrissey Blvd.	13	Dwelling	1,000,000
Stephen Dunleavey	46 Wren street	20	Alterations, nursing home	1,000
Peter Angelini	35 Wyvern street	19	Dwelling	11,582,400

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

(*Continued from page 1435.*)

Jean T. Davis, senior clerk and stenographer (permanent), from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Hospital Department.

Main Division.

Anna Stinson, hospital laundry worker, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

Marie Johnson, head nurse, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Public Works Department.

Highway Division.

Charles F. Gately, encroachment investigator, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Sewer Division.

James F. Barry, laborer, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Joseph F. Higgins, junior civil engineer, from $80 to $83.50 a week.

Charles E. Hughes, motor equipment operator and laborer, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Charles E. Hughes, motor equipment operator and laborer (Motor Pool), from $58 to $63 a week.

Thomas Gennocopoulos, bricklayer, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Albert Gillingham, sewer gateman, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

John J. McGarry, laborer, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

District Attorney's Office.

Michael Bevilacqua, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Simone R. Mulkern, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Agnes E. Smith, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Superior Court.

(Civil Business.)

Marie M. Hurley, senior clerk, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Margaret A. Maguire, clerk, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Phyllis J. Smith, clerk, from $45 to $48 a week.

Agnes M. McDonough, clerk, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

James P. Kelly, clerk, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Marie T. Quinn, clerk, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Municipal Court of Boston.

Patricia A. Gallagher, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Jeanne C. Finnegan, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Municipal Court, Roxbury District.

David C. Comerford, from $126.15 to $131.59 semimonthly.

Municipal Court, West Roxbury District.

Anna F. Rochford, from $158.78 to $166.39 semimonthly.

Richard F. Fell, clerk, from $98.96 to $104.40 semimonthly.

Registry of Deeds.

Albert F. Sullivan, head clerk, from $87 to $90.50 a week.

James F. Dahill, principal clerk, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Ruth K. Connelly, principal clerk, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Charles J. Pesella, principal clerk, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Anna M. Walsh, senior clerk, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Mary A. Potter, senior clerk, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Louise J. McCarthy, senior clerk, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Gertrude E. Leach, senior clerk, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Gertrude Grimm, senior clerk, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Katherine E. Crehan, senior clerk, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Margaret A. O'Brien, senior clerk, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Gertrude C. MacGuinness, senior clerk, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Anne L. Crosby, senior clerk, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Florence A. Walsh, clerk, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Dorothy A. Vail, clerk, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Sheriff's Office.

Charles C. Buswell, jail officer, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

John R. Murphy, assistant chief officer, from $83.50 to $87 a week.

Abraham S. Cohen, jail officer, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Rita M. Sheedy, assistant matron, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following requests:

Department of School Buildings.

Michael J. McElhinney, heating and ventilating inspector, 12 hours at $3 an hour.

For the week ending November 22:

Michael McElhinney, 15 hours at $3 an hour; John G. O'Donnell, 5 hours at $3 an hour; John J. E. Adams, 14 hours at $3 an hour.

Hospital Department.

Sanatorium Division.

Approval has been given to allow the following employees an additional day's pay for working October 12:

Luke McCarthy, engineer; Patrick Murtagh, chief power plant engineer; Rachael Schechl, dietitian; Katherine Burke, head nurse; Eleanor Caulfield, registered graduate nurse; Mary Flynn, head nurse; Anne Gilson, head nurse physician; Clara Greene,

Sadie Linn, Mazie McIntyre, Katherine Morris, Gertrude O'Connell, Johanne Reidy, head nurses; Mary Rogers, registered graduate nurse; Mary Spinale, night supervisor of nurses; Anne Sullivan, Cecelia Sullivan, head nurses.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

For the month of September, 1955.

John Flanagan, chief power plant engineer, 32 hours at $2.2625 an hour; Hector Campbell, building maintenance supervisor, 36 hours at $2.0875 an hour.

VETERANS' RETIREMENTS.

The Mayor has approved the following veterans' applications for retirement:

Eldebrando Nazzaro, 46 Magazine street, Roxbury, laborer, Parks and Recreation Department.

Joseph L. Clark, 48 Sagamore street, Dorchester, patrolman, Police Department.

William H. Getz, 108 East Canton street, laborer, Sanitary Division, Public Works Department.

Eugene O'Neil (also known as Eugene F. O'Neil), 4 Conry Crescent, Jamaica Plain, fire fighter-apparatus operator, Engine Company 28, Fire Department.

Herbert C. Fenlon, 58 Tremont street, Brighton, principal clerk, Assessing Department.

William Justin Kelley, 280 River street, Mattapan, tax title teller, Treasury Department.

John Connor (also known as John Connors), 27 Becket street, Dorchester, paver, Highway Division, Public Works Department.

Peter Bradley (also known as Peter J. Bradley), 64 Queensberry street, fire fighter, Headquarters Division, Fire Department.

Joseph Donoghue (also known as Joseph Henry Donoghue), 791 Columbia road, South Boston, motor equipment operator and laborer, Sanitary Division, Public Works Department.

Thomas P. Noone, 731 Parker street, Roxbury, laborer, Sanitary Division, Public Works Department.

AMENDMENT TO ORIGINAL AWARD OF DAMAGES.

The Public Improvement Commission has voted as follows:

That the amount of $170 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Pellegrina Gagliarde for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of September 9, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Danny road, Hyde Park district.

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That the amount of $105 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Joseph P. Lynch for all damages sustained under the order of the Public Improvement Commission and Mayor of October 29, 1954, for the widening and construction of Pond street, West Roxbury.

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That the amount of $100 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to William W. and Ethel M. Hough for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of August 26, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Hillis road, Hyde Park district.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM PLUMBING FOR THE WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 29.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
W. McCormack	3 Howard place	2	Fixtures	$550
W. Berkeley	24 Lochstead avenue	19	Fixtures	200
T. Matthews	130 Magazine street	8	Fixtures	100
J. Graham	140 Parsons street	22	Fixtures	100
G. Trethewey	556 Poplar street	18	Fixtures	160
S. Shulman	Bird place	20	Fixtures	800
E. Mogel	370 Bunker Hill street	2	Fixtures	1,000
E. Mogel	372 Bunker Hill street	2	Fixtures	1,500
R. Murray	332 Hanover street	3	Fixtures	100
E. Johnson	738 Hyde Park avenue	18	Fixtures	200
H. Ribeck	35–53 Massachusetts avenue	5	Fixtures	300
R. Murray	20 Moon street	3	Fixtures	180
R. Murray	22 Moon street	3	Fixtures	50
S. Shulman	14 New Haven street	20	Fixtures	800
S. Shulman	18 New Haven street	20	Fixtures	800
J. Amico	10 West street	3	Fixtures	1,200
W. Berkeley	15 Berkeley street	5	Fixtures	1,000
A. Brazao	68 Garnet road	20	Fixtures	500
E. Healy	15 Glide street	16	Fixtures	50
D. Ayles	63 Mountfort street	21	Fixtures	350
L. Mahoney	9 Joan court	18	Fixtures	547
L. Mahoney	15 Joan court	18	Fixtures	547
D. Karger	6 Webley street	21	Fixtures	1,500
A. Figler	65 Chandler street	5	Fixtures	250
S. Litman	5 Harrison park	16	Fixtures	45
B. Szathmary	120 Kingston street	3	Fixtures	100
J. Thoms	337 Neponset avenue	16	Fixtures	300
H. Heath	15 Union park	3	Fixtures	1,800
W. Long	1 Abbotsford street	12	Fixtures	50
G. Trethewey	2256 Centre street	20	Fixtures	300
G. Trethewey	51 Cohasset street	20	Fixtures	500
L. Downey	32 Orange street	20	Fixtures	100
G. Trethewey	52 Sheffield street	20	Fixtures	165
S. Lucido	15 Bardwell street	19	Fixtures	65
B. Ahern	55 Fruit street	3	Fixtures	2,000
W. Lee	90 Fuller street	17	Fixtures	1,000
W. Lee	94 Fuller street	17	Fixtures	1,000
G. Deutsch	88 Trenton street	1	Fixtures	250

NEW LETTER MAILING REQUIREMENTS.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.
Room 50, City Hall.

November 21, 1955.

To All City Departments.

Effective immediately, the Printing Department will not fill requisitions for stamped envelopes.

Mail being dispatched through the Mailing Room (located on the second floor, City Hall Annex), will be metered for outgoing postage in that office.

Departments desiring to obtain envelopes to be mailed from outside locations to departmental main offices will requisition from the Purchasing Agent the required quantity of return envelopes, not to exceed a six months' supply, furnishing a sample envelope prepared as indicated below:

From .....

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NO POSTAGE NECESSARY, POSTAGE HAS BEEN PREPAID BY

PAVING SERVICE, P.W.D.
ROOM 501, CITY HALL ANNEX
BOSTON 8, MASS.

When the printed envelopes are received from the Printing Department, the envelopes should be delivered to the Mailing Room by the department concerned, where the envelopes will be run through the meter machine. The metered envelopes will then be returned to the department for distribution to the outside units.

Very truly yours,

CHARLES J. FOX,
Director.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award the contracts for work, materials, and supplies, in accordance with recommendations of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Purchasing Division.

Upon September 18 the Mayor approved a contract with lowest bidders as requested in the following letter:

BOSTON, September 8, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

Attached is tabulation of bids received on proposals for furnishing automotive equipment to the various city departments. These bids were publicly opened and read in this office on July 27, 1955.

Authority is requested to award contracts for the items checked on the accompanying tabulation to the lowest acceptable bidders at the prices as indicated. The only bid received on Item 21 is rejected inasmuch as it does not meet specifications; Items 25 and 31 will be awarded at a later date; no bids were received on Item 32.

Approximate total amounts of contracts will be as follows:

Hoover Motors, Inc., $38,789, net, after deducting $4,009 for 16 used units; Eliot Motor Company, Inc., $36,618, net, after deducting $3,770 for 14 used units; Clark Wilcox Company, $27,727, net, after deducting $4,300 for 4 used units; Diamond T-Sales & Service Corporation, $26,196, net, after deducting $2,100 for 3 used units; Clyde Everett Equipment Company, $18,838.50, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; Bowers Motor Sales, Inc., $10,705.27, net, after deducting $825 for 8 used units; Truck Sales & Service Company, $6,875, net, after deducting $816.84 for 2 used units; General Motors Corporation, Chevrolet Motor Division, $1,667.65, after deducting $225 for 4 used units, less $25 each vehicle for payment within 30 days; Dickson Buick, Inc., $2,315.52, net, after deducting $600 trade-in allowance; Fisk Alden Company, $1,705, less $21 discount, time of payment; Bowdoin Square Garage, Inc., $1,563, net, after deducting $288.18 trade-in allowance.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

Bids were as follows:

Automotive Equipment.

Requisition No. 212, Boston Traffic Commission.

Item 1. One New 1955 Ford Mainline Four-Door Sedan, As Per Specifications.—Hoover Motors, Inc., list price, $1,781, less federal tax, $111, less trade discount, $100, less trade-in allowance, $285, delivered price, $1,288, make and model, Ford, Mainline, 4-door, delivery, 45 days; Lalime & Partridge, Inc., list price, $1,326.38, less federal tax, $107, less trade-in allowance, $50, delivered price, $1,169.38, make and model, Ford, Mainline, 6-cylinder, 4-door, delivery, 10 days after receipt of order; Bowers Motor Sales, Inc., list price, $2,130, less federal tax, $107, less trade discount, $764, less trade-in allowance, $25, delivered price, $1,234,* make and model, Ford, Mainline, 6-cylinder, 4-door, delivery, 30 days.

Requisition No. 3, Long Island Hospital Division.

Item 2. One New 1955 Ford Country Sedan, or Equal, As Per Specifications.—Hoover Motors, Inc., list price, $2,026, less federal tax, $116, less trade-in allowance, $115, delivered price, $1,475,* make and model, Ford, Country Sedan, 8-passenger, delivery, 15 days; Lalime & Partridge, Inc., list price, $2,016.37, less federal tax, $168, less trade-in allowance, $300, delivered price, $1,548.37, make and model, Ford, Country Sedan, 8-cylinder, 8-passenger, delivery, 10 days after receipt of order; Bowers Motor Sales, Inc., list price, $2,825, less federal tax, $168, less trade discount, $735, less trade-in allowance, $335, delivered price, $1,587, make and model, Ford, Country Sedan, 8-cylinder, 8-passenger, delivery, 30 days.

Requisition No. 631, Parks and Recreation Department.

Item 3. One New 1955 Buick Special, Model No. 41, or Equal, As Per Specifications.—Hoover Motors, Inc., list price, $1,975, less federal tax, $150, less trade discount, $100, less trade-in allowance, $150, delivered price, $1,575, make and model, Ford, Customline, delivery, 45 days; Dickson Buick, Inc., list price, $3,081.52, less federal tax, $166, less trade-in allowance, $600, delivered price, $2,315.52,* make and model, 1955 Buick, 41, delivery, immediately.

Requisition No. 255, Boston Traffic Commission.

Item 4. One New 1955 Willys Sedan, Delivered, Model 4-75, As Per Specifications.—Bowdoin Square Garage, Inc., list price, $1,938.48, less federal tax, $87.30, less trade-in allowance, $288.18, delivered price, $1,563,* make and model, 1955 Willys Sedan, 4-75 delivery, 2-wheel drive, delivery, 6 weeks from receipt of order.

Requisition No. 213, Boston Traffic Commission.

Item 5. One New 1955 Half-Ton Panel Truck, As Per Specifications.—International Harvester Company, list price, $2,150.18, less federal tax, $102, less trade discount, $306.20, less trade-in allowance, $341.98, delivered price, $1,400, make and model, International, R112, delivery, 60 to 90 days; Hoover Motors, Inc., list price, $1,553, less federal tax, $87, less trade discount, $165, less trade-in allowance, $100, delivered price, $1,201,* make and model, Ford, F100, half-ton, panel, delivery, 15 days; Lalime & Partridge, Inc., list price, $1,330.13, less federal tax, $85, less trade-in allowance, $50, delivered price, $1,195.13, make and model, Ford, F100, panel, 6-cylinder, delivery, 10 days; Bowers Motor Sales, Inc., list price, $2,052, less federal tax, $85, less trade discount, $662.57, less trade-in allowance, $25, delivered price, $1,279.43, make and model, Ford, half-ton, panel, 6-cylinder, delivery, 30 days; Truck Sales & Service Company, list price, $1,945.40, less federal tax, $93.75, less trade discount, 214.50, less trade-in allowance, $317.15, delivered price, $1,290, make and model, Dodge, B-6, half-ton, panel, delivery 45 days.

Requisition No. 10, Weights and Measures Division.

Item 6. Two New 1955 Half-Ton Panel Trucks, As Per Specifications.—International Harvester Company, list price, $4,653.21, less federal tax, $261.31, less trade discount, $620.64, less trade-in allowance, $728.26, delivered price, $3,043, make and model, International, R112, delivery, 60 to 90 days; Hoover Motors, Inc., list price, $3,258, less federal tax, $174, less trade discount, $290, less trade-in allowance, $400, delivered price, $2,391,* make and model, Ford, F100, half-ton, panel, delivery, 45 days; Bowers Motor Sales, Inc., list price, $4,448, less federal tax, $168, less trade discount, $1,488.28, less trade-in allowance, $200, delivered price, $2,591.72, make and model, Ford, half-ton, 6-cylinder, panel, delivery, 30 days; Chevrolet Motor Division, list price, $2,808.56, less trade-in allowance, $30, delivered price, $2,778.56, make and model, Chevrolet, 3105, 6-cylinder, delivery, 35 days; Truck Sales & Service Company, list price, $4,097, less federal tax, $190.04, less trade discount, $489, less trade-in allowance, $700, delivered price, $2,718.76, make and model, Dodge, B-6, half-ton, panel, delivery, 15 days.

Requisitions No. 215 and No. 216, Boston Traffic Commission.

Item 7. Four New 1955 Three-Quarter-Ton Express Trucks, As Per Specifications.—International Harvester Company, list price, $14,011.10, less federal tax, $147.72, less trade discount, $543.38, less trade-in allowance, $1,286, delivered price, $5,224, make and model, International, R122, delivery, 60 to 90 days; Hoover Motors, Inc., list price, $5,740, less federal tax, $332, less trade discount, $140, less trade-in allowance, $320, delivered price, $4,648, make and model, Ford, F250, Express, delivery, 45 days; Lalime & Partridge, Inc., list price, $5,154.68, less federal tax, $332, less trade-in allowance, $190, delivered price, $4,632.68, make and model, Ford F250, express, 6-cylinder, delivery, 10 days; Bowers Motor Sales, Inc., list price, $7,624, less federal tax, $332, less trade discount, $2,267.68, less trade-in allowance, $400, delivered price, $4,624.32,* make and model, Ford, F250, express, 6-cylinder, delivery, 30 days; Truck Sales & Service Company, list price, $7,394, less federal tax, $311.60, less trade discount, $980, less trade-in allowance, $1,300, delivered price, $4,772.10, make and model, Dodge, C-6-116, three-quarter, cab and chassis, delivery, 45 days; Eliot Motor Company, Inc., list price, $6,088, less federal tax, $332, less trade discount, $676, less trade-in allowance, $450, delivered price, $4,630, make and model, Ford, F250, delivery, 30 to 60 days.

Requisition No. 632, Parks and Recreation Department.

Item 8. One New 1955, Half-Ton, Chassis with Cab, As Per Specifications.—International Harvester Company, list price, $2,307.16, less federal tax, $129.84, less trade discount, $309.57, less trade-in allowance, $367.75, delivered price, $1,500, make and model, International, R112, delivery, 60 to 90 days; Hoover Motors, Inc., list price $1,610, less federal tax, $70, less trade discount, $100, less trade-in allowance, $91, delivered price, $1,346,* make and model, Ford, F100, chassis and cab, delivery, 45 days; Lalime & Partridge, Inc., list price, $1,490.71, less federal tax, $69, less trade-in allowance, $50, delivered price, $1,371.71, make and model, Ford, F100, chassis and cab, with Morrison No. 7006 body, delivery, 10 days; Bowers Motor Sales, Inc., list price, $2,077.54, less federal tax, $69, less trade discount, $472.34, less trade-in allowance, $75, delivered price, $1,461.20, make and model, Ford, F100, chassis and cab, 6-cylinder, delivery, 30 days; Chevrolet Motor Division,

list price, $1,498.55, less trade-in allowance, $15, delivered price, $1,483.55, make and model, Chevrolet, 3103, 6-cylinder, with McCabe Powers, SM 10 body, delivery, 55 days; Truck Sales & Service Company, list price, $1,937.87, less federal tax, $71.87, less trade discount, $195, less trade-in allowance, $300, delivered price, $1,371, make and model, Dodge, B6-108, half-ton, chassis and cab, delivery, 45 days; Eliot Motor Company, Inc., list price, $1,775, less federal tax, $69, less trade discount, $150, less trade-in allowance, $25.11, delivered price, $1,531, make and model, Ford, F100, delivery, 30 to 60 days.

Requisition No. G-422, Public Works Department, Automotive Division; Requisition No. G-453, Public Works Department, Water Division.

Item 9. Two New 1955 Suburban Carryalls, As Per Specifications.—International Harvester Company, list price, $5,055.87, less federal tax, $280.99, less trade discount, $698.88, less trade-in allowance, $838, delivered price, $3,238, make and model, International, R112, delivery, 60 to 90 days; Chevrolet Motor Division, list price, $3,297.84, less trade-in allowance, $200, delivered price, $3,097.84,* make and model, Chevrolet, 3115, 6-cylinder, delivery, 35 days.

Requisition No. 633, Parks and Recreation Department.

Item 10. One New 1955 Chassis and Cab with Dump Body Mounted, As Per Specifications.—Hoover Motors, Inc., list price, $2,161, less federal tax, $87, less trade discount, $100, less trade-in allowance, $190, delivered price, $1,784, make and model, Ford, F350, delivery, 45 days; Lalime & Partridge, Inc., list price, $2,020, less federal tax, $88, less trade-in allowance, $125, delivered price, $1,807, make and model, Ford, F350, 8-cylinder, chassis and cab, with Garwood body, delivery 10 days; Bowers Motor Sales, Inc., list price, $2,661.50, less federal tax, $88, less trade discount, $614.85, less trade-in allowance, $125, delivered price, $1,833.65, make and model, Ford, F350, chassis and cab, 8-cylinder, delivery, 30 days; Eliot Motor Company, Inc., list price, $2,163, less federal tax, $88, less trade discount, $185, less trade-in allowance, $125, delivered price, $1,765,* make and model, Ford, F350, delivery, 30 to 60 days.

Requisition No. 634, Parks and Recreation Department.

Item 11. One New 1955 Chassis and Cab with Air Compressor Mounted, As Per Specifications.—International Harvester Company, list price, $5,873.52, less federal tax, $390.93, less trade discount, $320.39, less trade-in allowance, $400.20, delivered price, $4,762, make and model, International, R152; Hoover Motors, Inc., list price, $5,279, less federal tax, $97, less trade discount, $100, less trade-in allowance, $125, delivered price, $4,957, make and model, Ford, F500, Ingersoll-Rand, delivery, 45 days; R. G. Mearn Company, Inc., list price, $5,000, less trade-in allowance, $200, delivered price, $4,800, make and model, Ford, F500, Chicago-Pneumatic, No. 125 Gyro, delivery, August 8, 1955; Bowers Motor Sales, Inc., list price, $6,487.50, less federal tax, $103, less trade discount, $1,260.70, less trade-in allowance, $200, delivered price, $4,923.80, make and model, Ford, F500, chassis and cab, 8-cylinder, delivery, 30 days; Truck Sales & Service Company, list price, $5,870, less federal tax, $102.46, less trade discount, $576, less trade-in allowance, $491.84, delivered price, $4,700,* make and model, Dodge, Model F8-153, delivery, 45 days; Eliot Motor Company, Inc., list price, $5,316, less federal tax, $103, less trade discount, $170, less trade-in allowance, $200, delivered price, $4,843, make and model, Ford, F500, delivery, 30 to 90 days.

Requisition No. 602, Hospital Department, Sanatorium Division.

Item 12. One New 1955 Stake Truck, As Per Specifications.—International Harvester Company, list price, $2,829.92, less federal tax, $165.40, less trade discount, $320.77, less trade-in allowance, $400.75, delivered price, $1,943, make and model, International, No. R152, delivery, 60 to 90 days; Hoover Motors, Inc., list price, $2,187, less federal tax, $97, less trade discount, $100, less trade-in allowance, $210, delivered price, $1,780, make and model, Ford, F500, stake, delivery, 45 days; Lalime & Partridge, Inc., list price, $2,025.47, less federal tax, $115, less trade-in allowance, $175, delivered price, $1,735.47, make and model, Ford, F500, 8-cylinder, stake, with 8-inch canvas cover, delivery, 10 days; Bowers Motor Sales, Inc., list price, $3,221, less federal tax, $115, less trade discount, $1,171.33, less trade-in allowance, $175, delivered price, $1,-759.67,* make and model, Ford, F500, truck, 8-cylinder, delivery, 30 days; Chevrolet Motor Division, list price, $2,168.37, less federal tax, excluded, less trade-in allowance, $35, delivered price, $2,133.37, make and model, Chevrolet, 6409-V-8, delivery, 55 days; Truck Sales & Service Company, list price, $2,455, less federal tax, $117, less trade discount, $190, less trade-in allowance, $200, delivered price, $1,948, make and model, Dodge, Model F8-153, delivery, 45 days; Eliot Motor Company, Inc., list price, $2,266, less federal tax, $115, less trade discount, $215, less trade-in allowance, $175, delivered price, $1,761, make and model, Ford, F500, delivery, 30 to 60 days.

Requisition No. G-409, Public Works Department, Automotive Division.

Item 13. One New 1955 Platform Truck with Crane, As Per Specifications.—International Harvester Company, list price, $5,089.77, less federal tax, $321, less trade discount, $417.06, less trade-in allowance, $451.71, delivered price, $3,900, make and model, International, No. R162, delivery, 60 to 90 days; Hoover Motors, Inc., list price, $4,229, less federal tax, $107, less trade discount, $100, less trade-in allowance, $290, delivered price, $3,732, make and model, Ford, F100, chassis and cab, delivery, 45 days; Bowers Motor Sales, Inc., list price, $5,131.50, less federal tax, $114, less trade discount, $1,146.79, less trade-in allowance, $250, delivered price, $3,620.71, make and model, Ford, F600, truck, 8-cylinder, delivery, 30 days; Truck Sales & Service Company, list price, $4,705.02, less federal tax, $111.02, less trade discount, $594, less trade-in allowance, $250, delivered price, $3,750, make and model, Dodge, Model H8-129, delivery, 45 days; Eliot Motor Company, Inc., list price, $4,203, less federal tax, $114, less trade discount, $225, less trade-in allowance, $250, delivered price, $3,614,* make and model, Ford, F600, delivery, 30 to 60 days.

Requisition No. G-407, Public Works Department, Automotive Division.

Item 14. One New 1955 Chassis and Cab with Hydrocrane and Back Hoe Mounted, As Per Specifications.—Clark-Wilcox Company, list price, $16,090, less federal tax, $123, less trade-in allowance, $3,000, delivered price, $12,967,* make and model, Bucyrus Erie, H-3, delivery, 3 weeks.

Requisition No. G-415, Public Works Department, Automotive Division.

Item 15. One New 1955 Standard Platform and Stake Body Truck, As Per Specifications.—Hoover Motors, Inc., list price, $2,481, less federal tax, $105, less trade discount, $100, less trade-in allowance, $195, delivered price, $2,081, make and model, Ford, F600, stake, delivery, 45 days; Bowers Motor Sales, Inc., list price, $3,624, less federal tax, $120, less trade discount, $1,509.15, less trade-in allowance, $175, delivered price, $1,819.85,* make and model, Ford F600, truck, 8-cylinder, delivery, 30 days; Chevrolet Motor Division, list price, $2,608.55, less trade-in allowance, $25, delivered price, $2,583.55, make and model, Chevrolet, 6409, V-8, delivery, 55 days; Truck Sales & Service Company, list price, $2,954.41, less federal tax, $127.56, less trade discount, $286.85, less trade-in allowance, $190, delivered price, $2,350, make and model, Dodge, Model H8-153, delivery, 45 days; Eliot Motor Company, Inc., list price, $3,007, less federal tax, $120, less trade discount, $300, less trade-in allowance, $175, delivered price, $2,412, make and model, Ford F600, delivery, 60 to 90 days.

Requisition No. G-404, Public Works Department, Automotive Division.

Item 16. Seven New 1955 Chassis and Cabs with Dump Bodies Mounted, As Per Specifications.— International Harvester Company, list price, $4,492.13, less federal tax, $278.09, less trade discount $307.44, less trade-in allowance, $4,946.20, delivered price, $22,400, make and model, International, R1702, delivery, 60 to 90 days; Hoover Motors, Inc., list price, $28,385, less federal tax, $1,162, less trade discount, $2,821, less trade-in allowance, $1,850, delivered price, $22,552,* make and model, Ford, F750, chassis and cab, delivery, 45 days; Bowers Motor Sales, Inc., list price, $35,799.40, less federal tax, $1,106, less trade discount, $8,828.61, less trade-in allowance, $1,225, delivered price, $24,639.79, make and model, Ford, F750, chassis and cab, 8-cylinder, delivery, 90 days; Truck Sales and Service Company, list price, $31,937.50, less federal tax, $1,130.50, less trade discount, $5,607, less trade-in allowance, $3,500, delivered price, $21,700, make and model, Dodge, Model KA8-129, delivery, 45 days; Eliot Motor Company, Inc., list price, $28,882, less federal tax, $1,106, less trade discount, $2,975, less trade-in allowance, $2,000, delivered price, $22,801, make and model, Ford, F750, delivery, 60 to 90 days; General Motors Corporation, Truck and Coach Division, list price, $25,510.38, less federal tax, $1,638.42, less trade-in allowance, $1,750, delivered price, $22,121.96, make and model, GMC Model 411-SV, Daybrook dump, Model A-54, delivery, 60 days.

Requisition No. G-403, Public Works Department, Automotive Division.

Item 17. Three New 1955 Chassis and Cabs with Dump Bodies Mounted, As Per Specifications.— International Harvester Company, list price, $16,831.93, less federal tax, $278.09, less trade discount, $307.44, less trade-in allowance, $6,746.40, delivered price, $9,500, make and model, International, R1702, delivery, 60 to 90

days; Hoover Motors, Inc., list price, $12,594, less federal tax, $498, less trade discount, $1,125, less trade-in allowance, $1,150, delivered price, $9,821,* make and model, Ford, F750, body and hoist, Oklion, delivery, 15 days; Bowers Motor Sales, Inc., list price, $15,888.96, less federal tax, $474, less trade discount, $4,832.19, less trade-in allowance, $525, delivered price, $10,057.77, make and model, Ford, F750, chassis and cab, 8-cylinder, delivery, 90 days; Truck Sales & Service Company, list price, $13,753.50, less federal tax, $484.50, less trade discount, $2,403, less trade-in allowance, $1,800, delivered price, $9,066, make and model, Dodge, Model KAS-129, delivery, 45 days; Eliot Motor Company, Inc., list price, $12,690, less federal tax, $474, less trade discount, $1,275, less trade-in allowance, $975, delivered price, $9,966, make and model, Ford, F750, delivery, 60 to 90 days; General Motors Corporation, Truck and Coach Division, list price, $11,064.09, less federal tax, $711.75, less trade-in allowance, $975, delivered price, $9,377.34, make and model, GMC, Model 411-8V, Daybrook dump, Model A-51, delivery, 60 days.

Requisition No. G-405, Public Works Department, Automotive Division.

Item 18. Three New 1955 Chassis and Cabs with Dump Bodies Mounted, As Per Specifications.— International Harvester Company, list price, $15,406.08, less federal tax, $924.96, less trade discount, $938.82, less trade-in allowance, $3,262.30, delivered price, $10,280, make and model, International, R1702, delivery, 60 to 90 days; Hoover Motors, Inc., list price, $13,731, less federal tax, $498, less trade discount, $945, less trade-in allowance, $1,200, delivered price, $11,088, make and model, Ford, F750, body and hoist, Galion, delivery, 45 days; Bowers Motor Sales, Inc., list price, $17,292.66, less federal tax, $483, less trade discount, $3,876.45, less trade-in allowance, $1,005, delivered price, $11,928.21, make and model, Ford, F750, chassis and cab, 8-cylinder, delivery, 90 days; Truck Sales & Service Company, list price, $15,772.95, less federal tax, $490.95, less trade discount, $2,400, less trade-in allowance, $2,000, delivered price, $10,882, make and model, Dodge, Model KAS-153, delivery, 45 days; Eliot Motor Company, Inc., list price $14,022, less federal tax, $483, less trade discount, $1,275, less trade-in allowance, $1,550, delivered price, $10,714,* make and model, Ford, F750, delivery, 60 to 90 days; General Motors Corporation, Truck and Coach Division, list price, $12,079.98, less federal tax, $787.14, less trade-in allowance, $1,350, delivered price, $9,942.84, make and model, GMC, Model 413-8V, Daybrook dump, Model A-51, delivery, 60 days.

Requisition No. G-406, Public Works Department, Automotive Division.

Item 19. Four New 1955 Chassis and Cabs with 12-Yord Ash Bodies. As Per Specifications.— International Harvester Company, list price, $21,508.20, less federal tax, $990.60, less trade discount, $1,299.76, less trade-in allowance, $3,217.84, delivered price, $16,000, make and model, International, R1701, delivery, 60 to 90 days; Hoover Motors, Inc., list price, $19,344, less federal tax, $664, less trade discount, $1,500, less trade-in allowance, $900, delivered price, $16,280, make and model, Ford, F750, body and hoist, Galion, delivery, 45 days; Bowers Motor Sales, Inc., list price, $23,892, less federal tax, $644, less trade discount, $4,338.28, less trade-in allowance, $700, delivered price, $18,209.72, make and model, Ford, F750, chassis and cab, 8-cylinder, delivery, 90 days; Truck Sales & Service Company, list price, $21,006.60, less federal tax, $651.69, less trade discount, $3,200, less trade-in allowance, $3,100, delivered price, $14,052, make and model, Dodge Model KAS, delivery, 45 days; Eliot Motor Company, Inc., list price, $19,160 less federal tax, $644, less trade discount, $1,700, less trade-in allowance, $1,010, delivered price, $16,106,* make and model, Ford, F75060, delivery, 60 to 90 days; General Motors Corporation, Truck & Coach Division, list price, $18,212.12, less federal tax, $1,190.16, less trade-in allowance, $950, delivered price, $16,071.96, make and model, GMC, Model 413-8V, Daybrook dump, model AB-51, delivery 60 days.

Requisition No. 509, Penal Institutions Department.

Item 20. One New 1955 Chassis and Cab with Dump Body.—International Harvester Company, list price, $3,214.56, less federal tax, $817.06, less trade discount, $228.05, less trade-in allowance, $505.45, delivered price, $2,324, make and model, International, R160, delivery, 60 to 90 days; Hoover Motors, Inc., list price, $2,696, less federal tax, $102, less trade discount, $200, less trade-in allowance, $175, delivered price, $2,219, make and model, Ford, F600, body and hoist, Galion, delivery 45 days; Bowers Motor Sales, Inc., list price, $3,860, less federal tax, $88, less trade discount, $1,187, less trade-in allowance, $125, delivered price, $2,460, make and model, Ford, F600, chassis and cab, 8-cylinder, delivery, 30 days; Chevrolet Motor Division, list price, $2,146.89, less trade-in allowance, $60, delivered price, $2,086.89, make and model, Chevrolet, 4103-V-8, with dump body, Marion, D-30, hoist, 621A2, delivery, 55 days; Truck Sales & Service Company, list price, $2,933, less federal tax, $113, less trade discount, $320, less trade-in allowance, $325, delivered price, $2,175,* make and model, Dodge, Model GAS-129, delivery, 45 days; Eliot Motor Company, Inc., list price, $2,601, less federal tax, $88, less trade discount, $215, less trade-in allowance, $100, delivered price, $2,198, make and model, Ford, F600, delivery, 30 to 60 days.

Requisition No. G-408, Public Works Department, Automotive Division.

Item 21. Three New 1955 Chassis and Cabs with Dempster Dumptster Hoisting Units Mounted, As Per Specifications.—Mack Motor Truck Company, list price, $35,604, less trade discount, $4,035, less trade-in allowance, $2,400, delivered price, $29,169, make and model, Mack D42T, delivery, 60 days; White Motor Company, list price, $38,817.30, less federal tax, $2,139.30, less trado discount, $3,648, less trade-in allowance, $2,400, delivered price, $30,630, make and model, White, 3026, delivery, 60 days; Diamond T Sales & Service Corporation, list price, $33,346.62, less federal tax, $1,977.60, less trade discount, $3,073.02, less trade-in allowance, $2,100, delivered price, $26,196,* make and model, Diamond, T 630 HHP, delivery, 45 to 60 days.

Requisition No. G-412, Public Works Department, Automotive Division.

Item 22. One New Latest Model, Diesel Tractor with Angle Bull Grader, As Per Specifications.—Clyde Everett Equipment Company, list price, $19,830, less trade discount, 5 per cent, delivered price, $18,838.50,* make and model, I.H.C., TD-18A, delivery, 30 days; Perkins-Milton Company, Inc., list price, $21,755, delivered, price, $21,755, make and model, Caterpillar, D7.

Requisition No. 7863, Boston City Hospital.

Item 23. One New 1955 Suburbon Carryall, As Per Specifications.—International Harvester Company, list price, $2,312.37, less federal tax, $121.47, less trade discount, $199.79, less trade-in allowance, $418.11, delivered price, $1,573, make and model, International, R112, delivery, 60 to 90 days; Chevrolet Motor Division, list price, $1,594.81, less trade-in allowance, $25, delivered price, $1,569.81*, make and model, Chevrolet, 3116, 6-cylinder, delivery, 35 days.

Requisition No. 7862, Boston City Hospital.

Item 24. One New 1955 Ambulance, As Per Specifications.—Bid rejected.

Requisitions Nos. G-410 and G-411 and G-467, Public Works Department, Automotive Division.

Item 25. Nine New, Latest Model, Front Bucket Loading Machines, As Per Specifications.—Bids to be awarded at a later date.

Requisition No. 41, Boston City Hospital, Long Island Division.

Item 26. One New 1955 Tractor, As Per Specifications.—Clyde Everett Equipment Company, list price, $1,985, less trade discount, 5 per cent, delivered price, $1,885.75, make and model, I.H.C., 300, delivery, 20 to 30 days; E. J. Bleiler Equipment Company, Inc., list price, $1,600, delivered price, $1,600, make and model, Case, Model VAI, delivery, 30 days; Fisk, Alden Company, list price, $1,895, less trade discount, $190, delivered price, $1,705,* make and model, Ford, Model 640, tractor, delivery, 10 days; H. F. Davis Tractor Company, list price, $2,149.25, less trade discount, $214.95, delivered price, $1,934.30, make and model, Oliver, Super 55, delivery, from stock.

Requisition No. G-451, Public Works Department, Water Division.

Item 27. One New 1955 Four-Door Sedan, As Per Specifications.—Chevrolet Motor Division, list price, $1,347.12, less trade-in allowance, $25, delivered price, $1,322.12, make and model, Chevrolet, 1503-V8, delivery, 35 days; Lalime & Partridge, Inc., list price, $1,450.61, less federal tax, $112, less trade-in allowance, $50, delivered price, $1,288.61, make and model, Ford, Mainline, 4-door, delivery, 10 days; Bowers Motor Sales, Inc., list price, $2,480, less federal tax, $112, less trade discount, $1,050.57, less trade-in allowance, $50, delivered price, $1,267.43,* make and model, Ford, Mainline, 8-cylinder, delivery, 30 days.

Requisition No. G-452, Public Works Department, Water Division.

Item 28. Two New 1955, Half-Ton, Pickup Trucks, As Per Specifications.— International Harvester Company, list price, $3,790, less federal tax, $201, less trade discount, $316.04, less trade-in allowance, $752.96, delivered price, $2,522, make and model, International, R112, delivery, 60 to 90 days; Chevrolet Motor Division, list price, $2,343.54, less trade-in allowance, $125, delivered price, $2,218.54, make and model, Chevrolet, 3104, 6-cylinder, delivery, 35 days;

Eliot Motor Company, Inc., list price, $2,950, less federal tax, $150, less trade discount, $370, less trade-in allowance, $435, delivered price, $1,995,* make and model, Ford, F100, delivery, 30 to 45 days; Lalime & Partridge, Inc., list price, $2,457.03, less federal tax, $150, less trade-in allowance, $250, delivered price, $2,057.06, make and model, Ford, F100, 6-cylinder, pickup, delivery, 10 days; Bowers Motor Sales, Inc., list price, $2,692, less federal tax, $150, less trade discount, $124.58, less trade-in allowance, $250, delivered price, $2,167.42, make and model, Ford, F100, pickup, delivery, 30 days; Hoover Motors, Inc., list price, $2,786.40, less federal tax, $150, less trade discount, $280.40, less trade-in allowance, $275, delivered price, $2,081, make and model, Ford, F100, pickup, delivery, 45 days.

Requisition No. G-450, Public Works Department, Water Division.

Item 29. Two New 1955 Open Express Trucks, As Per Specifications.—Chevrolet Motor Division, list price, $2,648.80, less trade-in allowance, $50, delivered price, $2,598.80, make and model, Chevrolet, 3604, 6-cylinder, delivery, 35 days; Eliot Motor Company, Inc., list price, $3,498, less federal tax, $174, less trade discount, $500, less trade-in allowance, $400, delivered price, $2,424,* make and model, Ford, F250, delivery, 30 to 45 days; Lalime & Partridge, Inc., list price, $2,828.26, less federal tax, $174, less trade-in allowance, $200, delivered price, $2,454.26, make and model, Ford, F250, 6-cylinder, express, delivery, 10 days; Bowers Motor Sales, Inc., list price, $4,350, less federal tax, $174, less trade discount, $1,445.48, less trade-in allowance, $250, delivered price, $2,480.52, make and model, Ford, F250, express, delivery, 30 days; Hoover Motors, Inc., list price, $3,264, less federal tax, $166, less trade discount, $390, less trade-in allowance, $250, delivered price, $2,458, make and model, Ford, F250, express, delivery, 45 days; International Harvester Company, list price, $3,536.12, less trade-in allowance, $746.12, delivered price, $2,790, make and model, R-122.

Requisition No. G-449, Public Works Department, Automotive Division.

Item 30. One New, Latest Model, Tractor Shovel, As Per Specifications.—Clyde Everett Equipment Company, list price, $15,680, less trade-in allowance, $3,080, delivered price, $12,600, make and model, Hough, HO, delivery, first week in September; Clark-Wilcox Company, list price, $16,060, less trade-in allowance, $1,300, delivered price, $14,760,* make and model, Michigan, 175A, delivery, 3 to 4 weeks.

Requisition No. G-454, Public Works Department, Water Division.

Item 31. Three New 1955 Rotary-Type Air Compressors, Skid Mounted, As Per Specifications.—Bids will be awarded at a later date.

Requisition No. 565, City Hospital, Sanatorium Division.

Item 32. One Mastercraft Dump Trailer, Model B.U., or Equal, As Per Specifications.—No bids.

Discount.—E. J. Bleiler Equipment Company, Inc., 2 per cent, 15 days, net, 30 days; Bowdoin Square Garage, Inc., net; Clark-Wilcox Company, net, next city pay-day; Clyde Everett Equipment Company, Items 22, 26, 2 per cent, time of payment, Items 25, 30, 3 per cent, time of payment; H. F. Davis Tractor Company, *see* bid summary sheet, page 22; Dickson Buick, Inc., net price, no discount; Diamond T Sales & Service Corporation, net; Eliot Motor Company, Inc., net; Fisk, Alden Company, $21; Chevrolet Motor Division, cash discount $25 per vehicle if paid within 30 calendar days of invoice; General Motors Corporation, Truck & Coach Division, net, 30 days; Hedge & Mattheis Company, ½ per cent, 10 days, net, 30 days; Mack Motor Truck Company, prices quoted are net, no discount at time of delivery; Charles J. McCarthy Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Perkins-Milton Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Equipment Company, 30 days net, no cash discount; White Motor Company, net, 30 days; Truck Sales & Service Company, net.

Remarks.—Arrowpontiac, Inc., Item 24, vehicle meets specifications except for following: wheelbase, 155 inches instead of specified 150 inches, frame is double reinforced, 10 gauge, X-member, instead of specified box type, alternator is 50 amperes, the only type available with 12-volt system, output is equivalent to 80 amperes in conjunction with 6-volt system; E. J. Bleiler Equipment Company, Inc., *see* letter attached; Clark-Wilcox Company, *see* letter attached; Clyde Everett Equipment Company, alternate bid for Item 25, $26,000; H. F. Davis Tractor Company, *see* letter and catalogues attached, Item 25, $445, Item 26, $19.30; Diamond T Sales & Service Corporation, *see* letter and catalogues attached; Chevrolet Motor Division, *see* letter and specifications attached; for V8, add $80 to price quoted, Items 28, 29; General Motors Corporation, Truck & Coach Division, both bids received at Purchasing, no check, *see* condition sheet attached; Hedge & Mattheis Company, *see* specifications attached; International Harvester Company, no summary sheet at Auditor's, checked individual proposals O.K., no second sheet of trades on Purchasing copy, first sheet of trades checked O.K.; Hoovers Motors, Inc., Item 6, trade sheet, second vehicle, no price at Auditor's; Item 8, $74 at Auditor's; Item 16, sixth vehicle, $25 at Auditor's; Lalime & Partridge, Inc., prices bid subject to adjustments for increases at manufacturing level, bid recieved late at Purchasing, on time at Auditor's; Mack Motor Truck Company, *see* specifications and catalogues attached; Perkins-Milton Company, Inc., *see* specifications attached; White Motor Company, *see* letter attached; Truck Sales & Service Company, *see* specifications attached.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon November 14 the Mayor approved a contract with bidders as indicated for furnishing rock salt to the various city departments, from November 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956, inclusive. Approximate total amounts of contracts were as follows:

Eastern Salt Company, $58,000, net, 30 days; Chemical Corporation, $21,750, net, 30 days; Eastern Minerals, Inc., $7,175, net.

Bids, opened October 17, were as follows:

Item 1. 6,000 Tons Rock Salt, As Specified, To Be Delivered, As Requested, in Carload Lots of Approximately 50 Tons Each, to Specified Railroad Sidings, Bulk, Per Ton.—Chemical Corporation, Cayuga, No. 1, $14.50 (f.o.b. car, Boston) (minimum carload, 80,000 pounds) (*see* Remarks)* Eastern Salt Company, $14.50, (*see* Remarks).*

Item 2. Alternate Bid, 6,000 Tons Rock Salt To Be Delivered in Truck-Load Lots to Any of the Various City Yards As Requested, Per Ton Delivered.—Chemical Corporation, $1.19 per hundredweight, LCL deliveries, paper bags, f.o.b. Boston Warehouse, Pemberton Stores, 530 E street, Boston (*see* Remarks); Eastern Minerals, Inc., $14.35 (*see* Remarks).*

Discount.—Chemical Corporation, net, 30 days; Eastern Minerals, Inc., net; Eastern Salt Company, net, 30 days.

Remarks.

Chemical Corporation.—Item 1-B, carload deliveries in 100-pound multiwall paper bags (minimum carload, 45,000 pounds), $21 per ton. Item 2-B, LCL deliveries, 100-pound bags: 1 to 19 bags, $1.57 per hundredweight; 1 ton, $1.45 per hundredweight; 2 tons, $1.36 per hundredweight; 5 tons and up, $1.31 per hundredweight. All prices quoted will be firm for the duration of the contract ending March 31, 1956, subject to notification of acceptance or rejection of our quotation within 30 days. The purchaser will benefit from any decrease in price.

Eastern Minerals, Inc.,—We take this opportunity to quote you a price of $14.15 per ton for rock salt loaded on your trucks at our stockpile at 22 Chestnut street, Somerville, Mass. This price is to remain firm from November 1, 1955, to March 31, 1956. (*See* proposal.)

Eastern Salt Company.—This quotation will remain firm through the period ending March 31, 1956, if accepted and acknowledged by letter, purchase order, or contract within 30 days following bid opening date. Rock salt we propose to furnish is produced in the United States of America, produced by American labor.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon November 17 the Mayor approved a contract with John F. Conroy, doing business as Atlantic Rope Company, for furnishing life nets to the Fire Department. Approximate total amount of contract was $10,234, less 1 per cent discount for payment within 10 days.

Bids, opened November 1, were as follows:

43 Boston Fire Department Life Nets, As Per Specifications, Each.—Atlantic Rope Company, $238*; R. G. Mearn Company, Inc., $250.

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—Atlantic Rope Company, start within 1 week; R. G. Mearn Company, Inc., to start within one week after receipt of order, complete within 60 days.

Discount.—Atlantic Rope Company, 1 per cent, 10 days; R. G. Mearn, Inc., 2 per cent.

Remarks.—R. G. Mearn Company, Inc., to be made in accordance with sample submitted by Fire Department.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon November 17 the Mayor approved a contract with Dickson Buick, Inc., for furnishing automotive vehicles to the municipal garage of the Public Works Department. Approximate total amount of contract was $3,980, net.

Bids, opened November 7, were as follows:

Automotive Vehicles.

One New 1956 Chassis and Cab with Steel Platform Body and Crane Mounted on It, As Per Specifications.—Bowers Motor Sales, Inc., list price, $5,443, less taxes, $87, less trade-in allowance, $1,196, delivered price, $4,160; Coombs & McBeath, Inc., list price, $5,009, less taxes, $142, less trade-in allowance, $725, delivered price, $4,142; Dickson Buick, Inc., list price, $5,130, less taxes, already deducted, less trade discount, $400, less trade-in allowance, $750, delivered price, $3,980*; Eliot Motor Company, Inc., list price, $1,500, less taxes, $105, less trade-in allowance, $300, delivered price, $1,095; Hoover Motors, Inc., list price, $4,465.12, less taxes, $102, less trade discount, $100, less trade-in allowance, $125, delivered price, $4,138.12.

Make and Model of Chassis with Cab.—Bowers Motor Sales, Inc., Ford, F600, chassis and cab, 130-inch wheel base; Coombs & McBeath, Inc., Ford, F600, 130-inch wheel base, 8-cylinder, 167 horsepower motor; Dickson Buick, Inc., 1956, GMC, Model 350-8, 130-inch wheel base; Eliot Motor Company, Inc., 1956, Ford, F600, 130-inch wheel base, chassis and cab; Hoover Motors, Inc., Ford, F600, 8-cylinder, 272 cubic inch engine, add $70 for heavy-duty, 8-cylinder.

Make and Model of Crane.—Bowers Motor Sales, Inc., Garwood, No. 125, or equal; Coombs & McBeath, Inc., Garwood, Model 12S, as specified; Dickson Buick, Inc., Garwood, Model 12S; Eliot Motor Company, Inc., Garwood, Model 12S, crane; Hoover Motors, Inc., Garwood.

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—Coombs & McBeath, Inc., 30 to 45 days; Dickson Buick, Inc., 30 days; Eliot Motor Company, Inc., 30 days; Hoover Motors, Inc., 30 days.

* Contract awarded.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Upon November 16 the Mayor approved a contract with bidders as indicated for furnishing and delivering miscellaneous furniture, metal filing cabinets, steel lockers, metal wardrobes, and metal storealls to Administration Building, 15 Beacon street, Boston.

Bids, opened October 20, were as follows:

S. M. Levin Company, Inc.—Item 2, 12 posture chairs at $36.40 each, $436.80; Item 3, 12 executive desks at $184.90 each, $2,218.80; Item 4, 7 swivel arm chairs at $52.90 each, $370.30; Item 7, 3 mirrors at $25 each, $75; Item 9, 5 storage cabinets at $43.30 each, $216.50; Item 8, 5 single lockers at $24.90 each, $124.50; Item 10, 1 wardrobe cabinet, $42.30; Item 11, 1 storage cabinet, metal, ASE 3184, $52.50; Item 13, 3 4-drawer correspondence metal filing cabinets at $71.45 each, $214.35; Item 14, 1 2-drawer, Steel Age, filing cabinets, at $61.40 each, $215.60; Item 18, 19 visitors' chairs at $21.45 each, $461.55; Item 19, 1 portable table, 18 inches x 24 inches, No. 7800TSX, $27.56; Item 20, 1 table, 436 Nucraft, $38.80; Item 21, 2 4-drawer, No. 8A41, Steel Age, card filing cabinets, at $62.40 each, $124.80; Item 22, 1 Steelux instrument cabinet, $222.50; Item 23, 5 4-drawer, No. 8A41-L, Steel Age, filing cabinets, metal, at $71.45 each, $357.25; Item 24, 1 5-drawer filing cabinet, metal, $96; Item 26, 2 "Secretary" metal filing cabinets at $38.95 each, $77.90. Total, $5,406.01.

Business Equipment Corporation.—Item 1, 13 No. 3752 F myrtle desks, 52 inches x 32 inches, at $81.80 each, $1,102.40; Item 5, 2 typewriter desks at $98.90 each, $197.60; Item 6, 3 pedestal typewriter desks, at $99.97 each, $299.91; Item 27, 12 foam rubber cushions at $2.79 each, $33.48. Total, $1,633.39.

Carol Stevens Corporation.—Item 12, 3 3-drawer correspondence filing cabinets, metal, at $98.56 each, $295.68; Item 15, 1 4-drawer, No. 6601-L, metal filing cabinet, $73.92; Item 16, 1 4-drawer, No. 5401-L, metal filing cabinet, $73.92; Item 17, 1 sectional bookcase, $65.05. Total, $568.57.

Bids were as follows:

Furniture.
(Each.)

Item 1. 13 No. 3752 F Myrtle Desks, 52 Inches x 32 Inches.—Business Equipment Corporation, $81.80*; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $87.90; C. B. Swift Company, Inc., $97.14; Carol Stevens Corporation, $84.

Item 2. 12 Posture Chairs.—Business Equipment Corporation, $21.70; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $36.40*; C. B. Swift Company, Inc., $93.50; Carol Stevens Corporation, $24.50.

Item 3. 12 Executive Desks.—Business Equipment Corporation, $187; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $184.90*; C. B. Swift Company, Inc., $177.65; Carol Stevens Corporation, $120.

Item 4. 7 Swivel Arm Chairs.—Business Equipment Corporation, $34; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $52.90*; C. B. Swift Company, Inc., $63; Carol Stevens Corporation, $39.60.

Item 5. 2 Typewriter Desks.—Business Equipment Corporation, $98.80*; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $102.90; C. B. Swift Company, Inc., $107.50; Carol Stevens Corporation, $96.

Item 6. 3 Pedestal Typewriter Desks.—Business Equipment Corporation, $99.97*; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $105.90; C. B. Swift Company, Inc., $113.80; Carol Stevens Corporation, $102.50.

Item 7. 3 Mirrors.—S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $25.*

Item 8. 5 Single Lockers.—S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $24.90.*

Item 9. 5 Storage Cabinets.—S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $43.30*; C. B. Swift Company, Inc., $62.66; Carol Stevens Corporation, $45.94.

Item 10. 1 Wardrobe Cabinet.—S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $42.30*; C. B. Swift Company, Inc., $58.61; Carol Stevens Corporation, $42.48.

Item 11. 1 Storage Cabinet, Metal, ASE 3484.—S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $52.50*; Carol Stevens Corporation, $54.06.

Item 12. 3 3-Drawer Correspondence Filing Cabinets, Metal.—Business Equipment Corporation $97.40; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $103.75; C. B. Swift Company, Inc., $103.14; Carol Stevens Corporation, $98.56.*

Item 13. 3 4-Drawer Correspondence Metal Filing Cabinets.—Business Equipment Corporation, $60.90; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $71.45*; C. B. Swift Company, Inc., $72; Carol Stevens Corporation, $73.92.

Item 14. 4 2-Drawer, Steel Age, Filing Cabinets, Metal.—Business Equipment Corporation, $57.60; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $61.40*; C. B. Swift Company, Inc., $61.60; Carol Stevens Corporation, $63.

Item 15. 1 4-Drawer, No. 6601-L Metal Filing Cabinet.—Business Equipment Corporation, $60.90; S. M. Levin Levin Company, Inc., $80; Carol Stevens Corporation, $73.92.*

Item 16. 1 4-Drawer, No. 5401-L Metal Filing Cabinet.—Business Equipment Corporation, $53; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $80; Carol Stevens Corporation, $73.92.*

Item 17. 1 Sectional Bookcase.—S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $79.35; C. B. Swift Company, Inc., $34.22; Carol Stevens Corporation, $65.05.*

Item 18. 19 Visitors' Chairs.—Business Equipment Corporation, $21.40; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $21.45,* alternate, $19.45; Carol Stevens Corporation, $20.

Item 19. 1 Portable Table, 18 Inches x 24 Inches, No. 7800 TSX.—S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $27.56.*

Item 19. 1 Table, 436, Nucraft.—S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $38.80*; C. B. Swift Company, Inc., $39.51; Carol Stevens Corporation, $34.50.

Item 20. 6 Card Filing Cabinets and Counter.—Bids rejected.

Item 20. 2 4-Drawer, Filing Cabinets, No. 8A41, Steel Age.—Bids rejected.

Item 21. 2 4-Drawer, Card Filing Cabinets, No. 8A41, Steel Age.—Business Equipment Corporation, $53; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $62.40*; C. B. Swift Company, Inc., $62.13.

Item 22. 1 Steelux Instrument Cabinet.—S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $222.50.*

Item 23. 5 4-Drawer, Filing Cabinets, No. 8A41-L, Steel Age, Metal.—Business Equipment Corporation, $60.90; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $71.45*; C. B. Swift Company, Inc., $72; Carol Stevens Corporation, $73.92.

Item 24. 1 5-Drawer Filing Cabinet, Metal.—Business Equipment Corporation, $73.69; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $96*; C. B. Swift Company, Inc., $100.85; Carol Stevens Corporation, $88.

Item 25. 1 2-Drawer in a Row Metal Filing Cabinet.—Bids rejected.

Item 26. 2 "Secretary" Metal Filing Cabinets.—S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $38.95.*

Item 27. 12 Foam Rubber Cushions.—Business Equipment Corporation, $2.79*; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $3.42.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon November 29 the Mayor approved a contract with D. Antonellis, Inc., for miscellaneous general contract work at the Phineas Bates School. Bids, opened November 23, were as follows:

D. Antonellis, Inc., $22,850; M. Solimando, $24,110; South Shore Waterproofing Company, $24,614; Schwamb Construction Corporation, $24,800; P. J. Cantwell & Son, $32,218; Martin J. Kelly Company, Inc., $47,365.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Upon November 23 the Mayor approved a contract with Joseph G. Gazzola for painting interior and exterior of the Fire Alarm Headquarters Building. Bids, opened October 31, were as follows:

Joseph G. Gazzola, $6,865; Joseph & Nicholas Bello, $8,190; John M. Kennedy & Co., Inc., $8,224; R. & F. Painting Company, Inc., $8,300; H. Piken & Co., $8,350; D. M. McCartin Company, $8,495; Cahn Painting Company, $8,600; Beacon Painting & Decorating Company, $11,436.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Upon November 16 the Mayor approved a contract with Warner W. Walsh for interior painting of the Children's Building, Boston City Hospital. Bids, opened Wednesday, November 9, were as follows:

Joseph G. Gazzola, Inc., $23,450; William R. Dunlap, Inc., $21,921; Joseph & Nicholas Bello, $19,705; D. M. McCartin Company, $17,677; R. Tweed & Son, $16,828; Warner W. Walsh, $16,323.

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Upon November 17 the Mayor approved a contract with Joseph & Nicholas Bello for exterior painting of Burnham Building, Boston City Hospital. Bids, opened Wednesday, November 2, were as follows:

John M. Kennedy & Co., Inc., $3,737; Joseph & Nicholas Bello, $3,610.

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Upon November 25 the Mayor approved a contract with the Cahn Painting Company for exterior painting of Linda Richards House, Boston City Hospital. Bids, opened Wednesday, November 16, were as follows:

Joseph & Nicholas Bello, $1,306; John M. Kennedy & Co., Inc., $1,080; Cahn Painting Company, $1,060.

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Upon November 25 the Mayor approved a contract with P. J. Riley & Co. for improvement to plumbing work in House Officers' Building, Boston City Hospital. Bids, opened Wednesday, November 16, were as follows:

Joseph P. O'Hearn, $8,335; Powers & Mehegan Company, $7,976; P. J. Riley & Co., $7,883.

Sanatorium Division.

Upon November 25 the Mayor approved a contract with John H. Pray & Sons Company for asphalt tile repairs in various buildings at the Sanatorium Division of the Boston City Hospital. Bids, opened Wednesday, November 16, were as follows:

John H. Pray & Sons Company, $4,015; Appalachian Flooring Company, $4,340; Art Floors Company Inc., $4,546.

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Upon November 25 the Mayor approved a contract with Puritan Iron Works, Inc., for miscellaneous steel work on various buildings at the Sanatorium Division of the Boston City Hospital. Bids, opened Tuesday, November 15, were as follows:

Puritan Iron Works, Inc., $3,650; L. Antonelli Iron Works, Inc., $4,483; Quincy Ornamental Iron Works, $5,905; Reltub Company, Inc., $5,987.65; Hub Steel & Iron Works, Inc., $6,635.

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

Upon November 28 the Mayor approved a contract with Appalachian Flooring Company for furnishing and installing new floor covering at the Mattapan Branch Library. Bids, opened Tuesday, November 1, were as follows:

Appalachian Flooring Company, $2,174; National Floors Company, $2,595; Art Floor Company, Inc., $2,955.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Upon November 16 the Mayor approved a contract with S. J. Tomasello Corporation for corner cutbacks at Austin street and Main street, Ward 2; Clarendon street and Boylston street, Ward 5; Hill Top street and Crockett avenue, Ward 16; Stuart street and Broadway, Ward 5; Warren street and Zeigler street, Ward 9; and corner cutbacks, sidewalk narrowing, and installation of traffic islands in Commonwealth avenue, Brookline avenue, and Beacon street, Ward 5, and such additional locations, if any, in Wards 2, 5, 9, and 16, as may be designated by the Commissioner of Public Works, at an estimated cost of $10,168.75. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed December 31, 1955. The following bids were received November 9:

S. J. Tomasello Corporation, $10,168.75; Joseph Amara & Son, $11,523; Charles Todesca, $13,421.

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Upon November 25 the Mayor approved a contract with the United States Fence Company, Inc., for furnishing and erecting chain link fence in Broadway, Ward 3 (southerly side); Cricket Lane, Ward 20; Ellingwood street, Ward 10; Highland street, Ward 11; Southampton street, Ward 7; and furnishing and erecting chain link gate at Albany street, Ward 8; Forest Hills street, Ward 11, and such additional locations, if any, in Wards 3, 7, 8, 10, 11, and 20, as may be designated by the Commissioner of Public Works, at an estimated cost of $2,716.96. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed December 31, 1955. The following bids were received November 17:

United States Fence Company, Inc., $2,716.96; Colorado Fuel & Iron Corporation, $2,821.04; P. J. Dinn & Co., $2,865.10; Anchor Post Products, Inc., $2,876.20; Boston Chain Link Fence Company, $2,900.78; Cyclone Fence Department, United States Steel Corporation, $2,955.28.

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Upon November 29 the Mayor approved a contract with N. Bevilacqua & Son for sewerage works in Island street, Roxbury, at an estimated cost of $1,756.50. The work to be done under this contract is to be completed December 24, 1955. The following bids were received November 17:

N. Bevilacqua & Son, $1,756.50; Edward Vozzella, $1,852.50; Joseph Capone & Son, $1,920.50; R. A. Buccella & Sons, Inc., $2,090; Bagarella Construction Company, Inc., $2,390.75.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

Upon November 17 the Mayor approved a contract with Parkman Construction Company, Inc., for alterations to Faneuil Hall, Faneuil square, Boston. Bids, opened November 14, were as follows:

Parkman Construction Company, Inc., $7,489; L. Martin & Son, $8,255; Rossano Construction Company, $8,595; Werner Construction Company, $9,432; M. Solimando, $9,487; Schwamb Construction Company, $11,274; J. A. Singarella Company, $13,700.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

The School Committee has approved proposals for furnishing musical instruments and music stands for Boston public schools. Bids, opened Thursday, October 20, were received from the following concerns:

Boston Music Company, Harris-Fandel Company, Carl Fischer, Inc., of Boston, Terminal Musical Supply, Inc., Vega Company, Dorn & Kirschner Band Instrument Company.

Awards were made to the lowest responsible bidders, as follows:

Carl Fischer, Inc., of Boston, $2,060.50.
Harris-Fandel Company, $3,771.22.

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The School Committee has approved proposals for furnishing paper towels for Boston public schools. Bids, opened Tuesday, October 25, were received from the following concerns:

Waltham Paper Products, Inc., Milton Bradley Company, Andrews Paper Company, Ginsburg Brothers, Inc., Stone & Forsyth Company, Fort Hill Paper Company, H. J. Dowd Company, Inc.

Award was made to the lowest responsible bidder, as follows:

Fort Hill Paper Company, $15,100.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

Upon varying dates as indicated the Mayor approved contracts with contractors and commercial houses for furnishing labor, supplies, etc. Communications from heads of the departments interested were as follows:

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, November 7, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

Under date of October 27, 1955, I asked your Honor's permission to award a contract, without advertising, to the Central Building Wrecking Company for the razing of the buildings numbered 2780-2786 Washington street, Ward 12 (sometimes described as 2780-2784 Washington street). The bid of the Central Building Wrecking Company was $1,495.

It now develops that on Friday, October 28, 1955, there was a fire which completely damaged the second and third floors of these buildings as well as the piazzas.

The Wrecking Company asked to be relieved of compliance with his bid on the grounds that the salvage value of the building was seriously lessened.

We have consequently solicited new bids and they are as follows:

American Building Wrecking Company, $3,435; M. J. Reardon, $2,796; City Building Wrecking Company, $2,295; Central Building Wrecking Company, $1,740.

The interests of the city and of public safety so requiring, I ask your Honor's approval to accept the bid of the Central Building Wrecking Company in the amount of $1,740, without advertising.

Very truly yours,

CHARLES A. CALLANAN,
Building Commissioner.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, November 16, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR:

Your Honor's permission is requested to execute a contract, without publicly advertising for bids, with the Bethlehem Steel Company, 256 Marginal street, East Boston, for dry-docking and making repairs to fireboat, Engine 31, for a sum not to exceed four thousand four hundred seventy-one dollars ($4,471).

The fireboat is now out of service, due to a defect to the propeller and propeller shaft. The boat should be returned to service as quickly as possible for the proper protection of the water front, inasmuch as we have only one other boat available for service at the present time.

The Bethlehem Shipbuilding Company is the only concern which would submit a bid for doing this work which must be completed at the earliest possible time.

This is emergency work and, in my opinion, no advantage would be gained by the city in publicly advertising the repairs, inasmuch as the price quoted by the Bethlehem Steel Company is reasonable. It is also my opinion that no lower price could be obtained by the Fire Department for doing the said work.

Respectfully yours,

FRANCIS X. COTTER,
Fire Commissioner.

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

BOSTON, November 10, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

I respectfully request your authorization to dispense with the customary public advertising and to engage the services of Emerson Electrical Manufacturing Company, 650 East Third street, South Boston, Mass., by written contract in the sum of $5,060, providing for the furnishing of all the electrical facilities, materials, and labor required to illuminate the large elm tree with 10,000 lamps, as well as to set up the "tenting of lights" at Playland, all at the Boston Common, in connection with the 1955 Christmas Festival.

This electrical contractor has carried out such work on behalf of the City of Boston on numerous prior occasions, including the Christmas Festival of last year, and its services and materials have always been of the highest quality. In addition, the contract cost is a fair one, and this firm carries property damage and personal injury insurance coverages in limits of $300,000-$300,000 and $300,000-$500,000, respectively.

In the light of the above, it is felt that public advertising would serve no useful purpose.

Respectfully yours,

PAUL H. HINES,
Festival Director.

CHANGE IN CONTRACT.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Warner W. Walsh has been ordered to perform the following additional work under the contract for the East Boston High School:

Paint entire interior of Room 228, for the sum of $285, and the amount of $285 will be added therefor, making the account as follows: contract price, $11,347; total additions, $485; amount of contract, $11,832.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACT.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Warner W. Walsh for interior and exterior painting at the East Boston High School, from November 15, 1955, to December 31, 1955. This extension was requested because of additional work requested by department.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with M. Solimando for general modernization work at the Girls' Latin School, from September 30, 1955, to November 30, 1955. This extension was requested because of additional work requested by the department.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with John J. Amara & Sons, 1019 Hyde Park avenue, Hyde Park, for bituminous concrete pavement in Ballou avenue, Brookview street, Floyd street, Harwood street, Jones avenue, Stratton street, Wilcock street, and York street, from October 1, 1955, to June 30, 1956. This extension was requested because work was delayed by inclement weather.

LAND-TAKING IN EAST BOSTON.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that due notice be given that this commission is of the opinion that public necessity requires the taking of a parcel of land, for school purposes, situated on Montmorenci avenue, East Boston district, supposed to belong to Dorothea Pastore, containing approximately 4,060 square feet, more or less, substantially as shown on a plan in the office of this commission, that it intends to pass an order for making said taking, and that it appoints 10 o'clock A.M. of Thursday, November 10, 1955, and the office of this commission, 401 City Hall Annex, as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said commission on said day.

Attest:

MICHAEL J. CORRAO,
Secretary.

IN PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT COMMISSION, CITY OF BOSTON, November 10, 1955.

Whereas, The Public Improvement Commission has passed the aforesaid Order of Notice and has caused a copy of said order to be published October 28, 29, 31, November 1, 1955, in the Boston *American* and the Boston *Herald,* and October 29, 1955, in the *City Record,* and has given the public hearing, notice of which was given in said order; and

Whereas, The Department of School Buildings of the City of Boston, with the approval of the Mayor, has selected, designated, and requested the Public Improvement Commission of said city to take for said city for Department of School Buildings purposes the land hereinafter described, in that part of Boston formerly East Boston; it is

Voted, That the Public Improvement Commission of said City of Boston, acting under the provisions of chapter 486 of the Acts of the Legislature of 1909 and chapter 79 of the General Laws and all other authority thereto enabling, hereby takes in fee for said city, for school purposes, the following-described parcel of land, including the trees, buildings, and other structures standing upon or affixed thereto:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Dorothea Pastore, bounded:

Westerly by land taken by the City of Boston for school purposes from said Dorothea Pastore, under an order of this commission and Mayor dated June 10, 1955, sixty-three and 60-100 feet; southerly by the northerly line of Montmorenci avenue, sixty and 00-100 feet on a curve of nine hundred eighty and 00-100 feet radius; easterly by land taken by the City of Boston for school purposes from Luigi Ricciardelli *et al.,* under an order of this commission and Mayor dated June 10, 1955, sixty-eight and 14-100 feet; and northerly by land taken by the City of Boston for school purposes from Louis Vitale, under an order of this commission and Mayor dated June 10, 1955, sixty-four and 19-100 feet, containing four thousand sixty square feet, more or less.

Said parcel is shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Faywood Avenue, Tower Street, Montmorenci Avenue, East Boston, June 8, 1955, George G. Hyland, Commissioner of Public Works," and on file in the office of said department.

Voted, That this commission determines that the undermentioned person sustains damages in her estate by the taking in fee of land on Montmorenci avenue, East Boston district, for school purposes, under the order of the commission of November 10, 1955, in the amount hereinafter mentioned, and awards said amount therefor.

Dorothea Pastore, 4,060 square feet, $1.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION.

OCCUPATIONAL THERAPIST, LONG ISLAND HOSPITAL DIVISION, BOSTON HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, JANUARY 14, 1956.

Last date for filing applications, Tuesday, December 27, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $58 a week; the maximum salary is $70.50 a week.

Vacancies: At present there is one vacancy for a female, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: As a staff occupational therapist, to be an assistant to the senior occupational therapist; for each patient assigned, to plan and execute an activity program, based on medical prescription, designed to treat the specific disability as well as to conform to the interests and abilities of the individual patient; to delegate duties and supervise students and nonprofessional personnel assigned to the Occupational Therapy Department, and, when necessary, to confer with them on specific problems related to their responsibilities to the patients; to keep medical and other records of the department; to report equipment and supply needs to the senior occupational therapist; and to perform related work as required.

Examples of Duties: Planning projects and instructing physically and psychologically handicapped patients in various arts and crafts such as printing, ceramics, photography, leatherwork, plastics, weaving, and woodworking, and in many minor crafts; instructing physically handicapped patients in ways of dressing, feeding, and communication so as to assist them in becoming more independent in activities of daily living.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants must have at least one year of full-time paid experience as an occupational therapist in a hospital. *Substitution:* Graduation from a recognized school of occupational therapy or registration in the American Occupational Therapy Association may be substituted for the required experience.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, November 14, 1955.

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 2 P.M., President HURLEY in the chair, and all the members present.

The Reverend Francis J. O'Neil, S.J., of St. Mary's Roman Catholic Church, Boston, was escorted to the rostrum.

INVOCATION BY REV. FRANCIS J. O'NEIL.

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost. Amen.

God, ever-vigilant Father of all who call upon Thee, look with favor on these your servants, gathered in this chamber. Through your watchful presence, may the decisions of this Council reflect the wisdom and justice of which You are the exemplar. Do not permit ignorance to lead them along separate paths, nor predjudice to sway their minds. Let Your truth unite them in harmony. Enlighten their minds; make their tongues slow to accuse and quick to defend one another. Do not permit unchecked ambition to pervert their judgment, but may they always be mindful of those whose rights they represent, and of You, whose authority they partake. Finally, recall to their minds the words of Solomon, that wise and princely ruler, "Unless the Lord keep the city, he watches in vain who keeps it."

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost. Amen.

The meeting was opened with the salute to the Flag.

Coun. WHITE in the chair.

JURORS DRAWN.

The following jurors were drawn in the manner prescribed by law, Councillor McCormack presiding at the box in the absence of the Mayor, viz.:

Fifty-eight traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, to appear December 5, 1955:

Edward L. Butler, Ward 1; Herbert A. Rich, Ward 1; Frank Rose, Ward 1; Ervis D. Sheets, Ward 1; Alfred Colby, Ward 2; Helen R. Furlong, Ward 2; George F. Lacey, Ward 2; Delbert E. Lawson, Ward 2; Lawrence F. Mahoney, Ward 2; Helen McGah, Ward 2; Harold C. Welsh, Ward 2; Andrew A. Alessi, Ward 3; Angelo J. Annino, Ward 3; Julius Brooks, Ward 3; John P. Moscaritolo, Ward 3; Victor Rudom, Ward 3; Carl W. Dreist, Ward 4; Joseph R. Rodrigues, Ward 4; Denis J. Daly, Ward 5; Norman H. Morin, Ward 5; Harry Roberts, Ward 5; William J. Thomas, Ward 6. John Sullivan, Ward 7; Thomas Downey, Ward 11; Gerald J. Dray, Ward 11; William H. McGough, Ward 11; Robert R. Raeke, Ward 11; John J. O'Loughlin, Ward 13; Thomas F. Regan, Ward 13; Joseph F. Ritchie, Jr., Ward 13; Kenneth S. Hughes, Ward 14; Etta Kurzman, Ward 14; Gladys Olnick, Ward 14; Samuel Rabinovitz, Ward 14; William Traiger, Ward 14; David Vigor, Ward 14; Thomas G. Keeley, Ward 15; Peter R. Bishop, Ward 16; James F. Morrissey, Ward 16; Katherine M. O'Connell, Ward 16; Robert J. Tucker, Ward 16; Francis F. Pender, Ward 17; James Syrois, Ward 17; Walter J. Baldwin, Ward 18; Gordon Fielding, Ward 18; Abraham Landsman, Ward 18; Guido Merlini, Ward 18; Peter J. Monopoli, Ward 18; Marion A. O'Connell, Ward 18; Elmer E. Sharples, Ward 18; Peter P. Skudris, Ward 18; Herbert E. Cook, Ward 19; James A. Marsh, Ward 19; Jeremiah E. O'Leary, Ward 19; Robert L. Boylan, Ward 20; George Harlow, Ward 20; Norman C. Pashoian, Ward 20; Francis X. Doherty, Ward 2.

One hundred fifty-five traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, to appear December 5, 1955:

Edward Curti, Ward 1; John H. Donohue, Ward 1; Reginald A. Greenwood, Ward 1; Richard J. Hutchinson, Ward 1; John Wilcox, Ward 1; Gertrude E. Bretemps, Ward 2; Richard J. Carroll, Ward 2; Francis L. DeVita, Ward 2; James R. Donovan, Ward 2; Francis J. Goyette, Ward 2; Peter S. Bettano, Ward 3; Pasquale Pisano, Ward 3; Alfred Sanfilippo, Ward 3; Joseph Bellew, Ward 4; Patrick J. Cahill, Ward 4; Francis X. Cotter, Ward 4; David R. Kiddie, Ward 4; Robert J. McNabb, Ward 4; Henry L. Spencer, Ward 4. Edwin N. Sumpter, Ward 4; Harold Winitzer, Ward 4; Joseph Barisano, Ward 5; John E. Carroll, Ward 5.; Anthony P. Faretra, Ward 5; Ruth K. Partridge, Ward 5; Arnold G. Stephens, Ward 5; David B. Hunter, Ward 6; Margaret A. Hayward, Ward 7; Mary P. Quirk, Ward 7; Edward R. Stec, Ward 7; Joseph G. Elmo, Ward 8; Lawrence A. Markey, Ward 8; Libero W. Zanotti, Ward 8; Marino Azzola, Ward 9; Julio G. Centeio, Ward 9; Alice R. Jones, Ward 9; Herbert R. Magee, Ward 9; Robert Marco, Ward 9.

Daisy Mae Burgess, Ward 10; Michael A. Covelluzzi, Ward 10; Evelyne A. Gadda, Ward 10; John J. Harran, Ward 10; Frank A. Korman, Ward 10; Joseph E. Magnani Ward 10; Charles R. McCormick, Ward 10; Joseph W. McDonough, Ward 10; Martin J. Spry, Ward 10; James P. Welby, Ward 10; Andrew A. Bellino, Ward 11; Thomas P. Burke, Ward 11; Hymen Cohen, Ward 11; Stephen P. Glynn, Ward 11; Oliver J. Joyce, Ward 11; James M. Shargabian, Ward 11; James J. Welch, Ward 11; Jacob J. Fine, Ward 12; Winifred Haggerty, Ward 12; Gerald J. Skeffington, Ward 12; Walter E. Brown, Ward 13; William E. Christian, Ward 13; Lorenzo L. Connor, Jr., Ward 13; Edward A. Diggin, Ward 13; Thomas F. Flynn, Ward 13; Arthur J. Leone, Ward 13; Michael McLaughlin, Ward 13; Joseph P. Powell, Ward 13; Joseph A. Williams, Ward 13; William E. Burns, Ward 14; Joseph B. Golden, Ward 14; Robert R. Goodman, Ward 14; Frank L. Hughes, Ward 14; Catherine J. Ierardi, Ward 14; Edwin H. Kaplan, Ward 14; Sydney Levine, Ward 14; Benjamin N. Pearl, Ward 14; Joseph Podolsky, Ward 14; George W. Rollins, Ward 14; Celia Sisson, Ward 14; James J. Buckley, Ward 15; Joseph F. Buschini, Jr., Ward 15; John W. Doherty, Ward 15; James J. Downing, Ward 15; Joseph Finard, Ward 15; Daniel P. Gill, Ward 15; Edward S. Williams, Ward 15; Paul Woods, Ward 15; Patriek Corbett, Ward 16; Mary L. Holmstedt, Ward 16; Marion M. McElaney, Ward 16; Stephen F. McKay, Ward 16; Ralph W. Olson, Ward 16; George G. Pierce, Ward 16; Alexander Steel, Ward 16; Edward F. Burekhardt, Ward 17; George E. Doyle, Ward 17; Rita F. Foley, Ward 17; Morris Kuritsky, Ward 17; James J. McDonough, Ward 17; Walter F. Sgroi, Ward 17; Helen E. Cronin, Ward 18; James J. Cronin, Ward 18; Alvin P. Gale, Ward 18; Bernard D. Goodman, Ward 18; Herbert T. Hertz, Ward 18; Thomas W. Irvine, Ward 18; Carl A. Johnson, Ward 18; Franeis E. Kett, Ward 18; David Marelli, Ward 18; Anna L. Morgan, Ward 18; Thomas O'Sullivan, Ward 18; Mary F. Powers, Ward 18; Stanley Rajunas, Ward 18; Rose M. Ruzzo, Ward 18.

James H. Anderson, Ward 19; Howard B. Bailey, Ward 19; Hollis S. Blue, Ward 19; Joseph Gafferelli, Ward 19; John J. G. Callahan, Ward 19; Thomas F. Daly, Ward 19; Albert George, Ward 19; Ivan M. Johnston, Ward 19; George T. Llewellyn, Ward 19; Irving Masterson, Ward 19; Michael J. McCormack, Ward 19; Edward J. Murphy, Ward 19; William P. Murray, Ward 19; John C. Razeto, Ward 19; Richard E. Ridlon, Ward 19; Peter Constantine Coulouris, Ward 20; Joseph F. Creedon, Ward 20; Georgiana M. Donovan, Ward 20; Charles J. Gilman, Ward 20; Henry P. Lucey, Ward 20; Joseph Molinari, Ward 20; Robert E. Murray, Ward 20; Charles W. Sittig, Ward 20; George Angelos, Ward 21; Sylvanious Bosworth, Ward 21; Justin E. Glass, Ward 21; Abraham Levine, Ward 21; Irving Malkofsky, Ward 21; Raymond G. O'Hara, Ward 21; Mabelle E. Olsen, Ward 21; Irving Prensky, Ward 21; Nellie M. Prince, Ward 21; Melvin Richman, Ward 21; John H. Ryan, Ward 21; Louis J. Snyder, Ward 21; Stanley W. Block, Ward 22; Priscilla Copetas, Ward 22; William F. Kolbe, Ward 22; Frederick W. Owen, Ward 22; Joseph D. Verducci, Ward 22; Elizabeth Volante, Ward 22; Alfred F. Yokubonis, Ward 22.

President HURLEY in the chair.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR.

Subject to confirmation by the Council, the Mayor submitted the following appointment:

Weigher of Goods for the term ending April 30, 1956: Arthur B. Hall, Jr., 50 Hull street, Boston.

Referred to the Committee on Confirmations.

LAUNCHING RAMPS FOR SMALL BOATS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, November 7, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation relative to your order of October 31, 1955, concerning the construction of launching ramps at East Boston, Charles River Basin, City Point, and suitable point or points in Dorchester, for the launching of small boats customarily towed to shoreline by automobile, on light trailers.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Parks and Recreation Department,
November 4, 1955.

Harold B .Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.
Dear Sir:

I desire to acknowledge your memorandum of November 2, 1955, with attached order of Councillor Foley, dated October 31, 1955, that his Honor the Mayor be requested to ask the consideration of the Board of Parks and Recreation of a proposal to construct launching ramps at East Boston, Charles River, City Point, and suitable point or points in Dorchester, for the launching of small boats customarily towed to shoreline by automobile, on light trailers.

The Charles River Basin and City Point areas are now under the control of the Metropolitan District Commission, and it is possible that the East Boston area will be under the control of the same commission.

We shall give consideration to the construction of ramps at East Boston if this area is not under the jurisdiction of the Metropolitan District Commission.

Very truly yours,
FRANK R. KELLEY, Commissioner.

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In connection with the foregoing message Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Moved, That the original order be resubmitted to the Board of Parks and Recreation for their comment as to whether a balanced recreation program for Boston should include the providing of such facilities, and that the comment of the Board be requested on this problem, disregarding the question of assignment of responsibility for construction to a specific governmental agency.

The motion was carried.

The message was placed on file.

NIGHT LIGHTING EQUIPMENT, EAST BOSTON STADIUM.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, November 7, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation relative to your order of October 31, 1955, concerning permanent illumination at the East Boston Stadium suitable for night football.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Parks and Recreation Department,
November 5, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.
Dear Sir:

I have your memorandum of November 2, with Councillor Foley's order of October 31, 1955, that the Board of Parks and Recreation be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to determine the advisability and expense of equipping the East Boston Stadium with a permanent illumination system suitable for night football.

This matter will be given our attention.

Very truly yours,
FRANK R. KELLEY,
Commissioner.

Placed on file.

SURVEY OF TRAFFIC CONDITIONS AT COLUMBUS AVENUE AND CENTRE STREET.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, November 7, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Traffic Commissioner relative to your order of October 31, 1955, concerning traffic conditions at the intersection of Columbus avenue and Centre street in the Jackson Square section of Roxbury.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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Boston Traffic Commission,
November 3, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.
Dear Mr. Mayor:

With reference to the Council order of October 31, 1955, introduced by Councillor Hailer, and requesting that the Traffic Commissioner make a study of the traffic conditions in the Jackson Square section of Roxbury, I wish to report that we look forward to being able to provide relief in that section during 1956.

For years we have been prevented from redesigning the Jackson Square section because of the great expense that would be involved in the relocation of streetcar tracks and the alteration of streetcar operation.

However, it appears that in December the M.T.A. is going to discontinue streetcar operation in this section so that the city will be able to proceed to complete plans which have been long standing for the relief of traffic in Jackson square and also in Roxbury Crossing.

As the Traffic Commissioner is a member of the Public Improvement Commission, coordination of activities between these two departments is a regular procedure, so that no special meeting is required in this instance to accomplish what the Council order requests.

Respectfully yours,
WM. ARTHUR REILLY,
Commissioner.

Placed on file.

STUDY BY CITY PLANNING DEPARTMENT OF M.T.A. PROBLEMS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, November 7, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Chairman of the City Planning Board relative to your resolution of October 3, 1955, concerning a survey being made regarding the economic relationship of the M.T.A. system in the downtown business area.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

The City Planning Board,
October 28, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.
Dear Mr. Mayor:

Concerning your request for consideration of City Council resolve dated October 3, 1955, regarding a survey of the economic relationship of the M.T.A. system in the downtown business area, I am reporting as follows.

The Board considered this resolve at its meeting on October 18. Inasmuch as consideration is presently being given to the possibility of our taking part in an economic base study, it was decided to forego any conclusions on this resolve pending further clarification of the aforementioned study. However, the order has been assigned to the Board's Subcommittee on Transportation for its consideration and recommendation.

Very truly yours,
THOMAS F. MCDONOUGH, Chairman.

Placed on file.

PLAYGROUND FACILITIES AT ISLAND SECTION OF HYDE PARK.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, November 7, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation concerning your order of October 24, 1955, relative to providing land and playground facilities on a suitable site in the Island section of Hyde Park for the use of small children as a play area.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Parks and Recreation Department,
October 31, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.
Dear Sir:

I desire to acknowledge your memorandum of October 26, with attached order of Councillor McLaughlin that his Honor the Mayor be requested to direct the Park Commissioner to provide land and playground facilities on a suitable site in the Island section of Hyde Park for the use of small children as a play area.

The Chief Engineer of this department will make a survey of this particular section to ascertain if land is available for such a purpose.

Very truly yours,
FRANK R. KELLY, Commissioner.

Placed on file.

ACCEPTANCE OF MARGO ROAD, BRIGHTON.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, November 7, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Public Works relative to your order of October 24, 1955, concerning the accepting and laying out of Margo road, Brighton, as a public highway.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Public Works Department,
October 31, 1955.

Mr. Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.
Dear Sir:

With reference to Councillor Ahearn's order of October 24, 1955, please be advised that plans will be prepared in the near future so that Margo road, Brighton, can be considered in the planning for the 1956 highway construction program.

I regret that, due to the heavy backlog of engineering work, we are not able to include Margo road in this year's program.

Very truly yours,
GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Placed on file.

SURVEY OF LIGHTING CONDITIONS AT HILBURN AND WHITFORD STREETS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, November 14, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Public Works relative to your order of October 31, 1955, concerning a survey being made of the lighting conditions at the corner of Hilburn and Whitford streets, West Roxbury.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Public Works Department,
November 1, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.
Dear Mr. Flemming:

This is in reference to the following order that was passed in the City Council under date of October 31:

"Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor is hereby requested to direct the Commissioner of Public Works to make a survey of lighting conditions at the corner of Hilburn and Whitford streets, West Roxbury, with a view to installing a new street light at or near this dangerous intersection."

An immediate street lighting survey will be made of the above-referenced intersection, and steps will be taken to provide whatever additional lighting facilities are deemed necessary.

I trust, therefore, that this matter will be adjusted satisfactorily.

Respectfully yours,
GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Placed on file.

RESURFACING EASTMAN STREET.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, November 14, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Public Works relative to your order of October 31, 1955, concerning the resurfacing of Eastman street in the Dorchester section of the City of Boston.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Public Works Department,
November 4, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.
Dear Mr. Flemming:

This is in reference to the following order that was passed in the City Council under date of October 31:

"Ordered, That the Commissioner of Public Works be requested, through His Honor the Mayor, to take immediate steps to properly resurface Eastman street in the Dorchester section of the City of Boston."

A survey of the above-referenced street will be made immediately to determine its condition and the necessity of providing for its resurfacing. Due to the proximity of inclement weather, I question if we can take steps to resurface this street before the end of the current year, but we will make it safe and do everything within reason to comply with the provisions of the above-referenced order.

Respectfully yours,
GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Placed on file.

RESTORATION OF CERTAIN M.T.A. SERVICE IN CHARLESTOWN.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, November 14, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the General Manager of the Metropolitan Transit Authority relative to your order of October 31, 1955, concerning the restoring of Sunday, Saturday, and holiday transportation along the Main Street area of Charlestown.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

Metropolitan Transit Authority,
November 9, 1955.

Mr. Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.
Dear Sir:

In connection with the order of November 2 relative to Saturday, Sunday, and holiday service on Main street, Charlestown, we have reviewed the figures and found that this line runs only on weekdays in the same manner as many other lines do because the traffic offered on Saturdays, Sundays, and holidays was so light that the operation could not be justified, especially when it is in a territory parallel to rapid transit service.

Very truly yours,
EDWARD DANA, General Manager.

Placed on file.

TRANSFER OF APPROPRIATION.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, November 14, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I am advised by the City Auditor that the original budget appropriation for "Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements" has been exhausted, and that, in all probability, an additional allotment of $100,000 will be necessary to cover during the balance of the year payments of the character charged against this appropriation.

I submit herewith an order providing for, by transfer from various sources of available funds, the amount suggested by the Auditor.

I respectfully recommend adoption of the accompanying order by your Honorable Body.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

Ordered, That in accordance with the provisions of section 3B of chapter 486 of the Acts of 1909, as amended by chapter 604 of the Acts of 1941, the City Auditor be, and hereby is, authorized to transfer:

From the appropriation for Police Department, Personal Services, $30,000, Health Department, Personal Services, $25,000, Library Department, Personal Services, $25,000, Fire Department, Personal Services, $20,000, to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements, $100,000.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committees named, viz.:

Claims.

Oscar F. Anderson, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 185 Poplar street, Roslindale.

Saveria Boncoddo, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in the Fenway.

John F. Booth, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Fire Department.

Biagio B. Bordonaro, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Fire Department.

Lillian Bornstein, for compensation for damage to car by jeep of City Hospital.

Boston Pet Shop, for compensation for damage to property at 8 Washington street, Boston, caused by broken water meter.

Mary C. Cahill, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect at 307 Morton street.

Leonard J. Candelara, for compensation for loss of dental plate while officer at Deer Island.

Michael DePietro, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Glover court, South Boston.

Frank Dorso, for compensation for damage to property caused by an alleged defect in Meridian Street Bridge.

Jeremiah P. Driscoll, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Printing Department.

James L. Dwyer, for compensation for damage to property at 19 Corning street, Boston, caused by flooding.

Myer Federman, for compensation for damage to property caused by fire apparatus.

Emmelia Haines, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 121 Marine road, South Boston.

Frank Kelliher, for compensation for injuries caused by city truck.

Frank Lanzilli, for compensation for damage to car by police car.

Emanuel V. Loperfido, for compensation for injuries and damage to car by truck of Parks and Recreation Department.

Leila E. Maguire, for compensation for loss of coat and hat at Boston Sanatorium.

Gaetana Mangherini, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Blackstone street, Boston.

Martignetti Grocery Company, for compensation for damage to car by city truck.

Marion G. McNamara, for compensation for damage to property at 46 Embassy road, Brighton, during street and sidewalk repair.

Frank Messina, for compensation for damage to property at 49 Embassy road, Brighton, during street and sidewalk repair.

Leo Natale, for compensation for injuries and damage to property caused by city motor vehicle.

Maston A. and Enid M. Nelson, for compensation for injuries and damage to property by car of Police Department.

Oscar Pellegrin, for compensation for damage to car by truck of Fire Department.

Anne M. Randall, that rating as senior statistical machine operator be made effective as of April 2, 1952.

Barbara Rumbos, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 151 Mt. Vernon street, Dorchester.

Michael A. Sample, for compensation for damage to property at 572 Ashmont street, Dorchester, caused by backing up of sewage.

Gertrude Sandler, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 18 Schuyler street, Roxbury.

Louis Sawelsky, for compensation for injuries and damage to property by city truck.

Filomena Tango, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Marion and Trenton streets, East Boston.

Anna Walnic, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 193 D street, South Boston.

John P. Whelan, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of School Committee.

Mrs. J. Zieper, for compensation for damage to property caused by children playing at Ripley Playground.

LICENSES.

Petition to operate bowling alleys on the Lord's day, viz.:

Miah J. Murray, Inc., John F. Ierardi, 1156 Washington street.

APPROVAL OF STATE HOUSING BOARD.

Notice was received from the State Housing Board of approval of sale of three parcels of property under section 6 of chapter 372 of the Acts of 1946.

Placed on file.

NOTICE OF HEARING BEFORE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES.

Notice was received from the Department of Public Utilities of hearing on petition of the Metropolitan Transit Authority to be held November 18, 1955, at 10 A.M., to erect pole and wires on Washington street, Brighton.

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL SANITATION INSPECTORS.

Notice was received from the Health Commissioner of appointments of Frederick J. Watson and Edgar W. Bidwell as environmental sanitation inspectors.

Placed on file.

APPEARANCE OF CORPORATION COUNSEL BEFORE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Ordered, That the Corporation Counsel of the City of Boston be, and is hereby, requested to appear before the Executive Committee of the Boston City Council at 3.15 P.M. today and at such other times as the said Council or its Executive Committee may direct relative to discussing the status and negotiations relative to the underground Common garage and to bring with him all of the files relative to the same, including all original documents and correspondence.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

REPLACEMENT OF STREET LIGHTING ON ASHMONT STREET.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be requested to direct the Public Works Commissioner to extend the replacement of street lighting presently being accomplished on Asbmont street in Dorchester the entire length of that street.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

IMPROVEMENTS AT WILLIAM J. DAY BOULEVARD AND FARRAGUT ROAD.

Coun. FOLEY, McCORMACK, and KERRIGAN offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be requested to request the Metropolitan District Commission to establish a convenience station and drinking fountain at the public landing on William J. Day Boulevard at the intersection of Farragut Road.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

AMATEUR FOOTBALL GAME FOR NAZARETH FUND.

Coun. HURLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That a license be hereby granted to use Fenway Park on the afternoon of Sunday, November 20, 1955, for an amateur football game between the East Boston Tornadoes and the Chippewas of South Boston, to the Nazareth Fund by Robert Cusick, provided that the provisions of section 25 of chapter 41 of the Revised Ordinances of 1947 relative to liability insurance shall be complied with; the fee for said license shall be $5.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

RECESS.

On motion of Councillor Kerrigan, the Council voted to take a recess at 3.03 P.M. subject to the call of the Chair. The members reassembled in the Council Chamber and were called to order by President HURLEY at 5.25 P.M.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON LICENSES.

Coun. HAILER, for the Committee on Licenses, submitted the following:

1. Report on petition (referred October 24) of Fenway Alleys, Inc., Joffre Gotreau, for license to operate bowling alleys on the Lord's day—recommending that license be granted.

2. Report on petition (referred today) of Miah J. Murray, Inc., John F. Ierardi, for license to operate bowling alleys on the Lord's day—recommending that license be granted.

The reports were accepted, and the licenses were severally granted under the usual conditions.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CLAIMS.

Coun. McCORMACK, for the Committee on Claims, submitted the following:

1. Report on petition of Mary F. Lane (referred June 6) to be paid an annuity on account of the death of her husband, Walter A. Lane, late member of the Police Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 89A of chapter 32 of the General Laws an annuity of $1,500 be allowed and paid to Mary F. Lane, widow of Walter A. Lane, a member of the Police Department, who died on February 21, 1955, on account of injuries received in the performance of his duty, said annuity to continue so long as she remains unmarried; the annuity to become effective upon the date of the approval of this order by the Mayor, and to be charged to the appropriation for Police Department, Pensions and Annuities.

2. Report on petition of Mary E. Linney (referred January 10) to be paid an annuity on account of the death of her husband, Francis J. Linney, late member of the Fire Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 89A of chapter 32 of the General Laws an annuity of $1,500 be allowed and paid to Mary E. Linney, widow of Francis J. Linney, a member of the Fire Department, who died on November 6, 1954, on account of injuries received in the performance of his duty, said annuity to continue so long as she remains unmarried; the annuity to become effective upon the date of the approval of this order by the Mayor, and to be charged to the appropriation for Fire Department, Pensions and Annuities.

3. Report on petition of Michael J. Picco (referred October 31) to be reimbursed as a result of an execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Highway Division, Public Works Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That the sum of $380 be allowed and paid to Michael J. Picco in reimbursement for amount of execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Highway Division, Public Works Department, said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Execution of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

4. Report on petition of Edward A. Cass (referred October 31) to be reimbursed as a result of an execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Parks and Recreation Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That the sum of $254 be allowed and paid to Edward A. Cass in reimbursement for amount of execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Parks and Recreation Department, said sum to be charged to the appropriations for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

The reports were accepted, and the orders were severally passed.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. WHITE, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following:

1. Report on message of the Mayor and order (referred today) for transfer of appropriations of $100,000 to Executions of Court, Damage Claims, and Reimbursements—that same ought to pass.

The report was accepted, and the order was passed, yeas 8, nays 0:

Yeas—Councillors Ahearn, Foley, Hurley, Kerrigan, McCormack, McLaughlin, Piemonte, White—8.

Nays—0.

2. Report on message of the Mayor and communication from the Fire Commissioner (referred October 31) concerning the holding of an election within the Fire Department submitting a partial report, recommending passage of the following order:

Ordered, That the Corporation Counsel be, and hereby is, directed to prepare the necessary ordinance to establish a bargaining unit for the Fire Department, and be it further ordered that the Corporation Counsel consider the following draft in his deliberations:

"Ordered, That chapter sixteen of the Revised Ordinances of 1947 is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof the following section.

Section 10. That the Boston Firefighters' Local 718, International Association of Firefighters, American Federation of Labor, be the recognized negotiating body for the members of the firefighting force and the Fire Alarm Division of the Boston Fire Department and that the said local be the official spokesman of the said members in the matter of all grievances concerning wages, hours of labor and conditions of employment."

And be it further Ordered, That the Corporation Counsel consult with the President and Vice President of Local 718, International Association of Firefighters, and their attorney in the preparation of this ordinance.

The report was accepted, and the order was passed.

WELCOME TO FRENCH AMBASSADOR DE MURVILLE.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Whereas, Boston will be singularly honored this week by a three-day visit of his Excellency, Maurice Couve de Murville, French Ambassador to the United States; and

Whereas, The citizens of Boston and the Commonwealth of Massachusetts have a historical and traditional affinity to the great democratic country this distinguished visitor so well represents; and

Whereas, This visit by the French Ambassador provides an excellent opportunity for the City of Boston to demonstrate its undying gratitude, profound respect, and abiding affection for the contributions made to the American struggle for independence and the cause of freedom by "La Belle France," and the inestimable enrichment to the arts, sciences, and government of this land as a result of the many people of French ancestry and birth who settled within our city, state, and nation; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, bids sincere welcome to Ambassador Maurice Couve de Murville, and hopes that his stay in our fair city will be a memorable and happy one, and serve as a further example of the close bonds of friendship existing between America and France and the affection that the City of Boston has for her adopted sons and daughters of French ancestry and for the people of the great French republic.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

RECREATIONAL FACILITIES AT THETFORD AVENUE AND EVANS STREET.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Ordered, That the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation consider the advisability of installing recreational facilities at the site of the abandoned school at Thetford avenue and Evans street in the Dorchester section of Boston.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

CONDOLENCES TO FRANCIS CARDINAL SPELLMAN.

Coun. HURLEY, for all the Councillors, offered the following:

Resolved, That the Boston City Council in meeting assembled extends its heartfelt sympathy and condolences to His Eminence, Francis Cardinal Spellman, Archbishop of the Diocese of New York, and the Spellman family, on the passing of their father, the late William Spellman.

The resolution was adopted by a unanimous rising vote.

ADJOURNMENT OUT OF RESPECT TO FRANCIS CARDINAL SPELLMAN, MARTIN DURKIN, AND RICHARD SEARS.

Coun. McCORMACK moved that when the Council adjourn, it adjourn out of respect to the family of Francis Cardinal Spellman and Martin P. Durkin, former Secretary of Labor. Coun. WHITE moved to amend the foregoing motion by including the name of Richard Sears, one of the great photographers in the newspaper business.

The amendment was carried.

The motion as amended was carried.

THE NEXT MEETING.

On motion of Councillor Ahearn, the Council voted that when it adjourn, it be to meet on Monday, November 28, 1955, at 2 P.M.

Adjourned at 5.52 P.M., on motion of Councillor Kerrigan, to meet on Monday, November 28, 1955, at 2 P.M.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

(Stenographic copy of such debate on file in office of City Clerk.)

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective December 5, 1955:

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out the following:

Berkeley Street, Boston Proper.
Southwest side, from Warren avenue to Boylston street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Washington Street, Roxbury.
Northwest side, from Columbus avenue to West Walnut park, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," the following:

Berkeley Street.
Southwest side, from Warren avenue to the bridge over the Boston & Albany Railroad, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from the bridge over the Boston & Albany Railroad to Columbus avenue, 24 hours.
Southwest side, from Columbus avenue to Boylston street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," each of the following:

Holman Street.
East side, from Coolidge road to Hooker street, 24 hours.
Oak Square Avenue.
West side, from a point fifty (50) feet north of Washington street to Washington street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Charlestown," the following:

Dorrance Street.
East side, from Main street to Arlington avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," each of the following:

Cedric Street.
Southwest side, from Magazine street to Langdon street, 24 hours.
Fort Avenue.
East side, from the property line between No. 65 and No. 67 Fort avenue to Centre street, 24 hours.
Shepherd Avenue.
Both sides, from Huntington avenue to the dead end, 24 hours.
Walpole Street.
Southwest side, from Columbus avenue to Tremont street, 24 hours.
Washington Street.
Northwest side, from Columbus avenue to Bray street, 24 hours.
West Walnut Park.
Southwest side, from Amory street to Columbus avenue, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "West Roxbury," the following:

Maple Street.
Southwest side, from Centre street to Graham terrace, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by striking out the following:

Berkeley Street, Boston Proper.
Both sides, from Warren avenue to Columbus avenue, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Merchants Row, Boston Proper.
West side, from North street to North Market street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," the following:

Berkeley Street.
Northeast side, from a point forty-five (45) feet west of Tremont street to Columbus avenue, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Southwest side, from Warren avenue to the bridge over the Boston & Albany Railroad, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Article IV, Section 7 (Angle Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Peabody Square.
North side, northerly arm, from Dorchester avenue to Talbot avenue.

Article IV A, Section 4, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement the following:

Kneeland Street.
North side, from Albany street to Atlantic avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by striking out the following:

Dorchester Avenue, Boston Proper and South Boston.
From Summer street to Gillette park, 4 P.M. to 7 P.M.
Dorrance Street, Charlestown.
From Main street to Arlington avenue.
Malden Street, Boston Proper.
From Albany street to Wareham street.
Marvin Street, Roxbury.
From Washington street to Shawmut avenue.
Old Morton Street, Dorchester.
From River street to Morton street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," and under the caption "South Boston," the following:

Dorchester Avenue.
From Summer street to Gillette park, 4 P.M. to 9 P.M.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," each of the following:

Mt. Hood Road.
From Egremont road to Corey road.
Oak Square Avenue.
From Faneuil street to Washington street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," each of the following:

Old Morton Street.
From Morton street to River street.
St. Margaret Street.
From Roseclair street to Boston street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Carlow Street.
From Chadwick street to Albany street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "South Boston," the following:

Gates Street.
From Telegraph street to Dorchester street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "West Roxbury," the following:

Amherst Street.
From Penfield street to Belgrade avenue.

Article VI, Section 11 (Only Right Turn Movements Permitted), is amended by striking out the following:

Congress Street, Boston Proper.
Into Dock square, easterly.
Elm Street, Boston Proper.
Into Dock square, southerly.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," each of the following:

Florida Street.
At Templeton street.
Sanford Street.
At Old Morton street.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Hyde Park," the following:

Hyde Park Avenue.
At West street.

Article VII, Section 2 (Heavy Commercial Vehicles Excluded), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Woodhaven Street.
From Blue Hill avenue to Cummins Highway.

MUNICIPAL BOND PROPOSALS.

State and municipal bond proposals reported during June as approved by 239 municipalities in 31 states and Alaska totaled $173,811,935, as compared with $113,704,950 for June, 1953, the Bond Buyer reports . . . Jones Beach Parkway Authority in New York has been ordered to show cause why the 10-cent toll on the portion of the Southern State Parkway now completed should not be discontinued. Basis of the suit, it is said, is a claim that all of the highway must be completed before any tolls can be collected.

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 61.

I. CANCELLATION OF ASSIGNMENTS AS FIRE FIGHTERS.

The following assignments as fire fighters in this department, which were announced to become effective at 8 A.M., November 16, 1955, are hereby canceled, effective as of 8 A.M., November 16, 1955:

John F. Ryan, Jr., to Ladder Company 15.

Walter J. Conley to Engine Company 47.

The foregoing named failed to report for duty at 8 A.M., November 16, 1955.

II. RETIREMENT.

The following retirement, in accordance with section 7, chapter 32, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), as amended, is hereby announced, to become effective at 8 A.M., Thursday, December 1, 1955:

Fire Fighter Edward F. Leonard, Engine Squad 14.

Fire Fighter Leonard was appointed to the Fire Department on February 1, 1924, and he leaves the department with the best wishes of his associates.

III. CIVIL DEFENSE PROGRAM.

The Civil Defense activities of the Boston Fire Department are hereby transferred from the Fire Prevention Division to the Training Division, Headquarters, effective as of November 21, 1955.

Fire Captain Henry L. Kelley will be assigned to the Civil Defense activities under the direction of Assistant Fire Chief Leo C. Driscoll.

IV. TRANSFERS.

The following transfers, effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, November 23, 1955, are hereby announced:

Fire Capt. Henry L. Kelley, from Fire Prevention Division to Headquarters.

Fire Fighter Edward F. Mutrie, from Engine 54 to Engine 17.

V. A. D. T. ASSIGNMENTS.

Company commanders shall add the following signal numbers to running cards of the American District Telegraph Company in this department:

Signal 851, Branded Liquors, 25 Buick street. (Sprinkler system.) Apparatus to respond: Engine 41, Ladder 14, District Chief 11. Nearest box is 511.

Signal 852, Hardware Products Company, 99-103 Richmond street. (Sprinkler system.) Apparatus to respond: Engine 8, Ladder 1, District Chief 3. Nearest box is 1921.

Signal 853, Boston Wharf Company, 169 A street. (Sprinkler system.) Apparatus to respond: Engine 39, Ladder 18, District Chief 6. Nearest box is 7133.

Signal 854, Leed's, Inc., 280 Boylston street. (Sprinkler system.) Apparatus to respond: Engine 22, Ladder 13, District Chief 4. Nearest box is 1534.

Signal 855, M. C. H. Realty Trust, 889-897 Washington street. (Sprinkler system.) Apparatus to respond: Engine 7, Ladder 17, District Chief 4. Nearest box is 1482.

VI. BOSTON AUTOMATIC ASSIGNMENT.

Company commanders shall add the following signal number to running cards of the Boston Automatic Fire Alarm Division of the Automatic Fire Alarm Company in this department:

Signal 243, 141-143 Tremont street, C. Crawford Hollidge, Ltd. Apparatus to respond: Engine 26, Ladder 17, District Chief 3. Nearest box is 1441.

By order of Fire Commissioner FRANCIS X. COTTER.

JOHN V. STAPLETON,
Chief of Department.

General Order No. 62.

I. RETIREMENT.

The following retirement, in accordance with section 58, chapter 32, General Laws, as amended, is hereby announced, to become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, November 30, 1955:

Fire Fighter-Apparatus Operator Eugene F. O'Neil, Engine Company 28.

Apparatus Operator O'Neil was appointed to the Fire Department February 1, 1924, and he leaves the department with the best wishes of his associates.

II. TRANSFER.

The following transfer will become effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, November 30, 1955:

Fire Fighter John B. Dunbar, from Engine 32 to Engine 27.

III. FIRE ALARM BOXES ESTABLISHED.

In the near future the following fire alarm box will be installed:

12-5158, Ross-Corey Nursing Home, 249 Corey road.

Company commanders will add the above box to assignment card for Box 5158.

The circuit number for this box will be announced when the box is installed.

In the near future the following fire alarm boxes will be installed:

12-7413, Patrick F. Gavin School, 215 Dorchester street.

12-2979, Beethoven School, 5125 Washington street.

Company commanders will add the above boxes to their respective assignment cards.

The circuit numbers for these fire alarm boxes will be announced when the boxes are installed.

IV. UNITED RED FEATHER CAMPAIGN.

The Fire Commissioner is pleased to publish the following letter received from Civil Defense Director Joseph L. Malone, who is chairman of the Municipal Employees Group for the 1956 United Red Feather Campaign:

November 23, 1955.

To: All Department Heads.

SUBJECT: Municipal Employees Achieve 100 Per Cent of Quota.

I am delighted to inform you that the Municipal Employees Group went over the top in the United Red Feather Campaign and achieved 100 per cent of its quota for the first time in many years. Needless to say, this splendid result would have been impossible without your wholehearted cooperation and that of the many people in your organization who served either as Group Chairmen or donors.

I am therefore taking this opportunity to express to you and through you to the members of your department my thanks and appreciation. Congratulations on a good job well done.

Sincerely,

JOSEPH L. MALONE,
Director.

V. COMMENDATION.

Fire Fighter James D. Regan, of Engine Company 52, is hereby commended for extinguishing a fire at 9 Revere street, Boston, on November 23, 1955, while off duty.

By order of Fire Commissioner FRANCIS X. COTTER.

PATRICK E. COLLINS,
Acting Chief of Department.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 2,130.

The resignation of Patrolman Robert J. Carey, Division 3, having been submitted, it is hereby accepted, to take effect Tuesday, November 22, 1955, at 1955, at 7.45 o'clock A.M., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,131.

The following proclamation received from His Excellency Christian A. Herter, Governor, is published for the information of the department:

"THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

By His Excellency
CHRISTIAN A. HERTER, *Governor.*

A PROCLAMATION
1955

Motor vehicle traffic accidents continue to be one of the most critical problems in our Commonwealth. The extent of our exposure to highway traffic accidents is evident in the fact that we will issue 1,875,000 certificates of registration and have 1,990,000 licensed drivers operating 15,000,000,000 miles this year.

In order to demonstrate to everyone that traffic accidents can be reduced materially when all motorists and pedestrians do their part, the President's Action Committee for Traffic Safety in cooperation with national organizations and public officials are once again sponsoring 'Safe Driving Day' or 'S-D Day' throughout the United States. The date is Thursday, December 1.

President Eisenhower has given his wholehearted endorsement to this undertaking and has appealed to all Americans to enlist in it. Every state and every community is being asked to accept the challenge to remain completely free of traffic accidents for that 24-hour period. I fervently hope that the Commonwealth of Massachusetts will respond to this challenge gladly and that all of us will exert the most conscientious effort to achieve the accident-free goal.

The President has asked the Governors of the states to appeal to all city and town officials for their active support, and especially to ask them to cooperate with the many safety organizations which are participating in this undertaking.

Now, therefore, I, Christian A. Herter, Governor of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, do hereby pledge full cooperation in this great and worthy effort and to that end proclaim Thursday, December 1, 1955, as 'Safe Driving Day' in Massachusetts. Registrar of

Motor Vehicles Rudolph F. King, Chairman of the Massachusetts Highway Safety Committee, is designated Director of 'S-D Day' activities which are state-wide in scope, and I appeal earnestly to all Mayors and Boards of Selectmen to designate Directors of 'S-D Day' programs in their own communities.

Given at the Executive Chamber in Boston, this twenty-first day of November, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and fifty-five, and of the Independence of the United States of America, the one hundred and eightieth.

By His Excellency the Governor,
Christian A. Herter.

Edward J. Cronin,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

God Save the Commonwealth of Massachusetts."

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

Thomas F. Sullivan,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,132.

Patrolman John L. Harris of the Traffic Division is commended and granted one week's extra vacation for meritorious police duty performed on November 23, 1955.

While on traffic duty, Patrolman Harris was informed by an employee that a holdup was in progress at the cashier's office in the basement of a nearby store. The officer directed his informant to sound a citizen's alarm from the police box and remain there to direct the responding officers. Patrolman Harris then proceeded to the scene of the holdup and, while descending the stairway to the basement office, was shot at twice by one of two men who had completed the robbery and were preparing to leave with a large sum of money. The officer discharged five shots at his assailant who fled through a service entrance. With one unexpended cartridge remaining, Patrolman Harris held the other culprit at gun point until the arrival of additional officers at which time he was disarmed of a loaded pistol. The company's funds were recovered in their entirety.

The commissioner is pleased to recognize the courageous and decisive action, while under gunfire, displayed by this veteran officer with many years of faithful service in the department. His conduct reflects credit upon all members of the Force.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

Thomas F. Sullivan,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,133.

Patrolman Joseph L. Clark, Division 11, honorably discharged veteran, having arrived at the age of sixty-three years, having been in service of Boston Police Department for thirty-two years, and having requested retirement under provisions of section 58, chapter 32, General Laws (Ter. Edit.), as amended, it is hereby

Ordered, His Honor the Mayor having approved the same, Patrolman Joseph L. Clark will be retired from active duty in the Police Department, effective Tuesday, November 29, 1955, at 5.45 o'clock P.M.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

Thomas F. Sullivan,
Police Commissioner.

TRANSFERS OF APPROPRIATIONS.

The Mayor has approved the following requests for transfers of appropriations:

Assessing Department.

From 281, Transportation of Persons, $150, to 593, Library Books, $150.

From 282, Transportation of Persons, $110, to 496, Rents, Taxes, etc., $110.

Library Department.

From 100, Personal Services, $600, to 210, Communications, $600.

From 100, Personal Services, $6,300, to 220, Light, Heat and Power, $6,300.

From 100, Personal Services, $500, to 280, Transportation of Persons, $500.

From 100, Personal Services, $15,300, to 290, Miscellaneous Contractual Services, $15,300.

From 100, Personal Services, $300, to 330, Heating Supplies and Materials, $300.

From 100, Personal Services, $1,025, to 340, Household Supplies and Materials, $1,025.

From 100, Personal Services, $50, to 350, Medical Supplies and Materials, $50.

From 100, Personal Services, $27,000, to 360, Office Supplies and Materials, $27,000.

From 100, Personal Services, $1,160, to 390, Miscellaneous Supplies and Materials, $1,160.

From 100, Personal Services, $500, to 490, Miscellaneous Current Charges and Obligations, $500.

Mayor's Office.

From 499, Miscellaneous Current Charges and Obligations, $2,900, to 271, Automotive Equipment, $1,000, 281, Travel Expenses (Outside), $200, 303, Gasoline and Oil, $500, 369, Supplies and Materials (Not Otherwise Classified), $1,200.

Parks and Recreation Department.

From 1-11-41-711, Reconstruction and Repairs of Parkways and Roadways, $32,000, to Group 2, Contractual Services, $32,000.

Public Works Department.

Water Division.

From 100, Permanent Employees, $45,000, to 200, Contractual Services, $45,000.

CONSULATES IN ARREARS ON TAXES.

New York City reports that 12 foreign countries are in arrears a total of $416,985 in real estate taxes on 27 properties, most of them bought within the last 15 years as consulates and headquarters for United Nations delegations.

Nearly all of the defaulting governments claim the right to city realty tax exemption under treaties and international doctrines, but the city has refused to waive its claims. Total assessed valuation is $5,324,000, with $720,000 exempt from tax. Finland, the Netherlands, and Israel have kept their real estate accounts paid up to date.

CITIES GENERALLY DO NOT CONTROL PRIVATE PARKING RATES.

Review of numerous ordinances and other materials by AMA for a member league shows that cities do not generally exercise any control over rates charged for parking. Supply and demand seems to furnish the regulation needed. Generally, however, applications for a parking lot or garage license require that rates charged be set forth in the application, that rates be posted conspicuously at the entrance to the lot, and that rates cannot be changed without official written notice to the municipality.

—*American Municipal Association Report.*

Chicago is planning the installation of radio-controlled traffic lights, described as the first of their kind in the world.

In the beginning thirteen intersections will be radio-controlled, with the antenna on top of the Board of Trade Building south of the Loop business area. Traffic lights will be set to favor the prevailing flow of traffic at particular times of day. Neon signs will indicate to the driver how the signals are set. Cable control at 450 intersections would cost about $3,375,000, or several times the cost of the proposed radio control, City Traffic Engineer Leslie Sorenson explains. The cost of the initial radio installations will be $40,000.

—*Toledo City Journal.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.
PROPERTY DIVISION.

Public Auction.

December 13, 1955, on the Premises.

	Upset Price.	Deposit.
9.15 A.M.–Vacant land, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, McLellan Street (now Millburn Place) and 31 Reed Street, Roxbury, 6,889 square feet	$1,600	$500
9.30 A.M.–Vacant land, 105 and 107 Norfolk Avenue, Roxbury, 2,850 square feet	300	300
9.10 A.M.–Vacant land, Norfolk Avenue, southerly side, adjacent 109 Norfolk Avenue, Roxbury, 4,526 square feet	475	175
10.00 A.M.–Vacant land, Lenoxdale Avenue, Lots 142 and 143, opposite 93 Lenoxdale Avenue, Dorchester, 7,200 square feet	400	100
10.15 A.M.–Vacant land, Ballou Place, southwesterly side, adjacent 19 Ballou Place, Dorchester, 11,540 square feet	700	500
10.30 A.M.–Vacant land, Starbird Avenue, Lots 8 and 9 (150 feet from 60 Starbird Avenue), West Roxbury, 10,000 square feet	400	400
10.10 A.M.–Vacant land, Hyde Park Avenue, Lot 65, adjacent 706 Hyde Park Avenue, West Roxbury, 6,000 square feet	450	450
10.55 A.M.–Vacant land, Greenfield Road, Lots 41 and 45, northerly corner Fairlawn Avenue, Dorchester, 8,882 square feet	500	500
11.10 A.M.–Vacant land, West Street, southwesterly side, corner Pierce Street, Hyde Park, 7,345 square feet	500	500
11.25 A.M.–Vacant land, New Haven Street, Lot 13, adjacent 41 New Haven Street, West Roxbury, 2,247 square feet	100	100
11.40 A.M.–Vacant land, Vermont Street, Lot 6, corner Sanborn Avenue, West Roxbury, 660 square feet	100	100

The Commissioner reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

For further information call LA 3-5100, line 236.

Herman Carp,
Commissioner.

John J. McGrath,
Auctioneer.

(Dec. 3.)

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

Ruth Stillman, 1111 Blue Hill avenue, Dorchester, in the sum of $395, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 97 Woodrow avenue, November 27, 1954.

Helen Donahue, 27 Hilldale road, South Weymouth, in the sum of $55, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the crosswalk on Lincoln street, corner of Essex street, June 3, 1955.

Victor Bonaceto, 76 Hemman street, Roslindale, in the sum of $440, as compensation for damage to property caused during the construction of the street and sidewalks on Hemman street by the Public Works Department in April, 1955.

Georgina F. Beckvold, 14 Myrtlebank avenue, Dorchester, in the sum of $475, as compensation for personal injuries caused by raised portion of the concrete sidewalk in front of 18 Becket street, January 18, 1955.

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JOSHUA H. JONES, *Editor.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

LONG ISLAND HOSPITAL DIVISION. BOSTON 69, MASS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR INTERIOR PAINTING, EMPLOYEES' QUARTERS, LONG ISLAND HOSPITAL, BOSTON 69, MASS.

The City of Boston, by the Board of Trustees, Hospital Department, and of the Boston City Hospital, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for interior painting, employees' quarters, Long Island Hospital, Boston 69, Mass.

Proposals will be received until two o'clock noon, Wednesday, December 14, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, Long Island Hospital Division, at 25 Church street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, and enclosed in an envelope, sealed, and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $350, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

Specifications may be obtained at the office of the Awarding Authority, Long Island Hospital Division, at 25 Church street, Boston, Mass., on or after 9.30 A.M., Monday, December 5, 1955.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of one hundred (100) per cent of the contract price will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do. The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all bids in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, AND OF THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL,
RICHARD J. CONDON,
(Dec. 3.) *President.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT (SANATORIUM DIVISION).

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR INTERIOR PAINTING OF VARIOUS TUNNELS AT THE SANATORIUM DIVISION OF THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL, 249 RIVER STREET, MATTAPAN, MASS.

The City of Boston, by the Board of Trustees, Hospital Department, and of the Boston City Hospital, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for interior painting of various tunnels at the Sanatorium Division of the Boston City Hospital, 249 River street, Mattapan, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Tuesday, December 20, 1955, at the office of the Superintendent, Sanatorium Division, 249 River street, Mattapan, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the office of the Superintendent. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, and enclosed in an envelope, sealed and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Superintendent, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of six hundred (600) dollars, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the office of the Superintendent. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of the contract.

Specifications may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent on or after 12 o'clock noon, Tuesday, December 6, 1955.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities, and to reject any or all bids, if it be in the public interest so to do.

The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all bids in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, AND OF THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL,
RICHARD J. CONDON,
(Dec. 3.) *President.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

SEWERAGE WORKS.

Proposals for Deepening Fens Pond at Gate Houses, Roxbury.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for deepening Fens Pond at gate houses, Roxbury. A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Commissioner, and each in the aum of 100 per cent of the contract price, will be required of the successful contractor. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Deepening Fens Pond at Gate Houses, Roxbury," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1955, with a certified check for TWO THOUSAND (2,000) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Dec. 3.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

No. 192—392.

CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT, PURCHASING DIVISION.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING STANDARD PIPE POST PARTS (SIGN HOLDING CAPS AND CLAMPS, AND FLANGED SLEEVE BASES) FOR THE BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Monday, December 12, 1955, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Pipe Post Parts." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
(Dec. 3.) *Purchasing Agent.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

CHANGES IN TRAFFIC RULES AND REGULATIONS.

Voted, That the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective December 5, 1955:

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out the following:

Berkeley Street, Boston Proper.
Southwest side, from Warren avenue to Boylston street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Washington Street, Roxbury.
Northwest side, from Columbus avenue to West Walnut park, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," the following:

Berkeley Street.
Southwest side, from Warren avenue to the bridge over the Boston & Albany Railroad, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
Southwest side, from the bridge over the Boston & Albany Railroad to Columbus avenue, 24 hours.
Southwest side, from Columbus avenue to Boylston street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," each of the following:

Holman Street.
East side, from Coolidge road to Hooker street, 24 hours.
Oak Square Avenue.
West side, from a point fifty (50) feet north of Washington street to Washington street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Charlestown," the following:

Dormnce Street.
East side, from Main street to Arlington avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," each of the following.

Cedric Street.
Southwest side, from Magazine street to Langdon street, 24 hours.
Fort Avenue.
East side, from the property line between No. 65 and No. 67 Fort avenue to Centre street, 24 hours.
Shepherd Avenue.
Both sides, from Huntington avenue to the dead end, 24 hours.
Walpole Street.
Southwest side, from Columbus avenue to Tremont street, 24 hours.
Washington Street.
Northwest side, from Columbus avenue to Bray street, 24 hours.
West Walnut Park.
Southwest side, from Amory street to Columbus avenue, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "West Roxbury," the following:

Maple Street.
Southwest side, from Centre street to Graham terrace, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by striking out the following:

Berkeley Street, Boston Proper.
Both sides, from Warren avenue to Columbus avenue, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Merchants Row, Boston Proper.
West side, from North street to North Market street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," the following:

Berkeley Street.
Northeast side, from a point forty-five (45) feet west of Tremont street to Columbus avenue, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.
Southwest side, from Warren avenue to the bridge over the Boston & Albany Railroad, 8 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Article IV, Section 7 (Angle Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Peabody Square.
North side, northerly arm, from Dorchester avenue to Talbot avenue.

Article IV-A, Section 4, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement the following:

Kneeland Street.
North side, from Albany street to Atlantic avenue 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by striking out the following:

Dorchester Avenue, Boston Proper and South Boston.
From Summer street to Gillette park, 1 P.M. to 7 P.M.
Dorrance Street, Charlestown.
From Main street to Arlington avenue.
Malden Street, Boston Proper.
From Albany street to Wareham street.
Marvin Street, Roxbury.
From Washington street to Shawmut avenue.
Old Morton Street, Dorchester.
From River street to Morton street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," and under the caption "South Boston," the following:

Dorchester Avenue.
From Summer street to Gillette park, 1 P.M. to 9 P.M.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," each of the following:

Mt. Hood Road.
From Egremont road to Corey road.
Oak Square Avenue.
From Faneuil street to Washington street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," each of the following:

Old Morton Street.
From Morton street to River street.
St. Margaret Street.
From Roseclair street to Boston street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Carlow Street.
From Chadwick street to Albany street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets) is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "South Boston," the following:

Gates Street.
From Telegraph street to Dorchester street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "West Roxbury," the following:

Amherst Street.
From Penfield street to Belgrade avenue.

Article VI, Section 11 (Only Right Turn Movements Permitted), is amended by striking out the following:

Congress Street, Boston Proper.
Into Dock square, easterly.
Elm Street, Boston Proper.
Into Dock square, southerly.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," each of the following:

Florida Street.
At Templeton street.
Sanford Street.
At Old Morton street.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Hyde Park," the following:

Hyde Park Avenue.
At West street.

Article VII, Section 2 (Heavy Commercial Vehicles Excluded), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Woodhaven Street.
From Blue Hill avenue to Cummins Highway.

WM. ARTHUR REILLY,
Commissioner.

A true excerpt from the minutes of the November 17, 1955, meeting of the Boston Traffic Commission.

Attest:
WILLIAM T. DOYLE, *Executive Secretary.*
(Nov. 26–Dec. 3.)

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

ON THE PREMISES, 9 PITTSBURGH STREET, SOUTH BOSTON, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 8, AT 10 A.M.

Location: Brick building, formerly Fire House, Ladder 13.
Land Area: 8,964 square feet (more or less).
Assessed Value: $58,000.
Minimum Price: $10,000.
Deposit: In cash or cashier's check at time and place of sale, $2,500; balance to be paid in 30 days. Any other terms to be announced at the sale. Attention is called to chapter 247 of Acts of 1955.

The Commissioner reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

JOHN J. McGRATH, *Auctioneer.* HERMAN CARP, *Commissioner.*

LA 3-5100, Extension 236.
(Dec. 3.)

THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING ROCK SALT FOR BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing and delivering at the several school buildings, in accordance with orders, rock salt. Proposal forms are obtainable at the office of the Business Manager of the School Committee, tenth floor, 15 Beacon street. Envelopes containing proposals must be sealed and plainly marked "Proposal for Rock Salt." The bid must be in duplicate. One copy, signed by the bidder, and accompanied by a certified check for one hundred dollars ($100), payable to the City of Boston, must be left at the office of the Business Manager on or before 12 o'clock noon on Tuesday, December 13, 1955. Copies filed with the Business Manager will be publicly opened and read at 12 o'clock noon of the day stated. The other copy, also signed by the bidder, must be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., previous to the time named for the opening of bids. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to accept such bid or part of bid as may be deemed best for the interests of the city. The successful bidder will be required to furnish a suitable bond or deposit of money or other security in the amount of not less than 50 per cent of the amount of the contract.

LEO J. BURKE,
Business Manager of the School Committee.
(Dec. 3.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

REAL PROPERTY BOARD.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR LEASING OF PUBLIC PARKING FACILITY ON PEARL STREET, FRANKLIN STREET, AND HARTFORD STREET.

The Real Property Board of the City of Boston, hereinafter called the Board, invites from individual citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, proposals for leasing for a term of one (1) year, beginning January 1, 1956, and ending December 31, 1956, unless earlier terminated in accordance with the conditions as more fully set forth in the form of lease, the public parking facility situated in Boston on the northeasterly side of Pearl street, southeasterly side of Franklin street, and the southwesterly side of Hartford street, and containing approximately thirty-four thousand five hundred ninety-five (34,595) square feet of land, upon the covenants, agreements, and conditions contained in the form of lease which, with the form of proposal, may be obtained daily (except Saturdays, Sundays, and holidays), between 9 A.M. and 5 P.M., at the office of the Board, Room 809, City Hall Annex, Court street, Boston.

Proposals shall be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained as aforesaid. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, enclosed in an envelope, sealed, and marked "Proposal for Leasing of Public Parking Facility on Pearl, Franklin, and Hartford Streets, Boston." One copy of the proposal, accompanied by a bid deposit of $2,000, made under the terms stated in the form of proposal, in the form of cash or a certified check, payable to the City of Boston, shall be filed with the Board at its said office on or before 2 P.M., Tuesday, December 20, 1955, at which time and place all proposals will be publicly opened and read. The other copy of the proposal shall be filed by the bidder before said day and hour at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, School street, Boston.

No proposal shall be withdrawn after the day and hour hereinbefore set for the opening of proposals.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all proposals.

HERMAN CARP, *Chairman,*
WILLIAM F. KEESLER,
DAVID L. CURRIER,
THOMAS F. McDONOUGH,
GEORGE P. DONOVAN,
Real Property Board of the City of Boston.
(Dec. 3.)

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FINANCE COMMISSION SEEKS TO REDUCE ANNUAL EXPENDITURES ON PART OF CITY DUE TO ACCIDENTS FROM HOLES, BREAKS, ETC., IN CITY'S PUBLIC WAYS—CALLS ATTENTION OF MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL TO MAINTENANCE AND OTHER COSTS CHARGEABLE TO THIS GROWING SITUATION—MILLIONS SPENT FOR CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE.

CITY OF BOSTON,
FINANCE COMMISSION,
BOSTON, December 7, 1955.

To the Honorable the Mayor and City Council.

One of the largest of the regularly recurrent annual expenditures of the City of Boston is the amount spent for the purpose of providing good local streets. This money is used for construction of new streets, for reconstruction of old streets, and for maintenance of new and old streets. The total of these expenditures includes a considerable sum for new sidewalks on new streets and for new sidewalks on old streets; and for repair of sidewalks on old streets.

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REPORT OF JAMES S. REARDON, SCHOOLHOUSE CUSTODIAN, ON ATTENDANCE AT CONVENTION OF THE ASSOCIATION OF SCHOOL BUSINESS OFFICIALS, IN CHICAGO, OCTOBER 16–20.

The following is the report of Schoolhouse Custodian James S. Reardon on his attendance at convention:

To the School Committee of the City of Boston.

The General Session was called to order at 10 A.M. on Monday morning by the chairman, Frank J. Hockstuhl, Jr., president. The invocation was given by Dr. Harry H. Kahn of the National Council of Churches. After a musical program by Shurtz High School Choristers, an address of welcome was given by Mayor Richard J. Daley of Chicago. He emphasized the role that school business officials may play in solving problems of mounting school enrollments, rising costs of education, and staff shortages.

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MAYOR JOHN B. HYNES, THROUGH LAW DEPARTMENT, FILES 29 BILLS TO IMPROVE CIVIC CONDITIONS—CHIEF OF THESE IS MEASURE REQUIRING ANNUAL OVERLAY OF NOT LESS THAN SIX PER CENT—ALSO PROVIDES FOR FUNDING OF CERTAIN OVERLAY DEFICITS BY CITY.

Mayor John B. Hynes has filed with the Legislature, through the Law Department, 29 measures looking to the improvement and betterment of civic conditions. The most important of these is a bill requiring for a certain period in the City of Boston an annual overlay of not less than 6 per cent and providing for the funding of certain overlay deficits by the city.

This bill reads as follows:

A BILL REQUIRING FOR A CERTAIN PERIOD IN THE CITY OF BOSTON AN ANNUAL OVERLAY OF NOT LESS THAN SIX PER CENT AND PROVIDING FOR THE FUNDING OF CERTAIN OVERLAY DEFICITS BY SAID CITY.

SECTION 1. Chapter 533 of the acts of 1950 is hereby amended by striking out section 1 and inserting in place thereof the following section:—

Section 1. Notwithstanding any contrary provision of any general or special law, abatements granted after January first, nineteen hundred and forty-nine, and before January first, nineteen hundred and fifty-four, on account of taxes assessed by the assessors of the city of Boston in the years nineteen hundred and thirty-eight to nineteen hundred and forty-nine, inclusive, in excess of the overlay or overlays of such years, and abatements granted after January first, nineteen hundred and fifty-five, and before January first, nineteen hundred and sixty, on account of taxes assessed by said assessors in the years nineteen hundred and thirty-eight to nineteen hundred and fifty-five, inclusive, in excess of the overlay or overlays of such years, shall be set up on the books of said city in a special account to be known as the "Overlay Deficit Funding Account", and shall not be included by said assessors when assessing taxes in the year nineteen hundred and fifty-six or in any subsequent year; provided, however, that in the year nineteen hundred and fifty-six and in each subsequent year until said account has been liquidated in full, said assessors, when assessing taxes under section twenty-three of chapter fifty-nine of the General Laws, shall include a sum not less than four million dollars, which shall thereupon forthwith be applied in reduction of said account. If in the year in which said account is finally liquidated less than four million dollars is required to liquidate said account, the amount by which four million dollars exceeds the amount required to liquidate said account shall be used in reduction of any overlay deficit of the city then existing, or, if there is no such deficit, to a reserve fund for any such deficit thereafter accruing.

SECTION 2. Said chapter 533 is hereby further amended by striking out section 2 and inserting in place thereof the following section:—

Section 2. For the purpose of avoiding fractional divisions of the amount to be assessed in the apportionment thereof and providing for abatements granted on account of taxes assessed, the assessors of the city of Boston shall, in each year until the overlay deficit funding account set up under section one of this act is liquidated in full, add to the amount to be assessed in such year an overlay of not less than six per cent thereof.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

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"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the shipteeming plain of the ocean;
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.

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Advertising.

A rate of $4 per inch of 12 lines (set solid) has been established for such advertisements as under the law must be printed in the City Record. Advertising and other copy must be in hand by 5 P.M. Wednesday of each week to insure its publication in the Saturday issue.

MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Monday, December 12, at 2 P.M.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries, or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the Complaints Division, Room 25, City Hall.

Information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways, the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments of streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped area for streets and the opening of private ways; the making of specific repairs in public streets; the naming of public streets, including the use of public ways for location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railways, coal holes, and vaults, may be secured from the Public Improvement Commission, Room 403, City Hall Annex.

To the BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION, 112 Southampton street, for information relative to regulation of vehicular street traffic on all or any streets, ways, highways, roads, and parkways under the control of the City of Boston, the issuing of all permits in connection therewith.

To the COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting, and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catchbasins, the operation of Sumner Tunnel, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges, and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

To the HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Haymarket Square, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish, and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughterhouses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases, of public health nuisances.

To the BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth Avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park, and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts, also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview, and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

To the SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

To the DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS, 28 Norman street, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

To the BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 907, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal, or tearing down buildings.

To the ELECTRICAL INSPECTION DIVISION OF THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT, 1001 City Hall Annex, for all information relative to the erection of poles, building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division; also for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings of the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

To the BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT, 43 City Hall, relative to changes in the boundary lines of zoning districts of the City of Boston as established by chapter 488 of the Acts of 1924, and amendments thereto.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending December 3, 1955.

Population as of July, 1950, Massachusetts State Census, 817,713; population estimated July, 1955, United States Census Bureau, 813,696; number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 155; nonresidents, 63; total, 218.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 13.91; nonresidents deducted, 9.87.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:

Last week, 16.60; corresponding week last year, —

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 16; one year to four years, inclusive, 1; sixty years and over, 151. Total deaths: Male, 123; female, 95; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 147.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Dec. 3, 1955.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Dec. 4, 1954.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior Poliomyelitis	8	1	4	—
Diphtheria	—	—	1	—
Encephalitis Lethargica	—	—	—	—
Influenza	—	—	—	—
Measles	—	—	173	—
Meningitis Epidemic	—	—	2	—
Pneumonia (lobar)	—	1	—	1
Scarlet Fever	10	—	9	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary)	23	5	20	4
Childhood Type Tuberculosis	—	—	—	—
Tuberculosis (other forms)	1	—	1	—
Typhoid Fever	—	—	—	—
Whooping Cough	2	—	7	—

*Residents and nonresidents included.

MAYOR HYNES, THROUGH LAW DEPARTMENT, FILES 29 BILLS IN LEGISLATURE.

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Comment.

In Massachusetts, it is customary for municipal tax levies to include what is termed an overlay for abatements, which is a reserve against uncollectible taxes in such levy whether the uncollectibility be due to overvaluation or exemption or inability to collect or other cause. In Boston, this overlay has been 3 per cent of the tax levy since 1943, except in 1946, 1947, and 1955 when it was respectively 3.5 per cent, 3.307 per cent, and 3.5 per cent. Statistics, however, show abatements in Boston to exceed 6 per cent of the levy. In some years, they have aggregated as much as 10 per cent of the levy. Under existing conditions, therefore, a 3 per cent or 3½ per cent overlay cannot be said to be realistic; and it certainly is not at all consistent with a pay-as-you-go policy, although it would undoubtedly be adequate after a revaluation. A revaluation, however, is not yet underway and will take several years to complete. In the interim, a 6 per cent overlay policy would certainly be prudent; but the impact on the taxpayers of such a change in policy must be cushioned in some way. The above bill is designed to provide the cushion by covering into the Overlay Deficit Funding Account established by St. 1950, c. 533, the overlay deficits with respect to taxes for 1955 and prior years which the law otherwise would require be included in current tax levies.

The above-cited 1950 Statute creating the Overlay Deficit Funding Account made provision for funding therein abatements granted after January 1, 1949, and before January 1, 1954, with respect to taxes assessed in the years 1938 to 1949, inclusive, in excess of the overlays of such years. The account was to be liquidated by annual payments of not less than $2,000,000. Charges to the Overlay Deficit Funding Account were as follows:

Year Abatement Granted	Year Levy Relieved	Amount
1949	1950	$13,085,900 73
1950	1951	1,213,977 60
1951	1952	1,916,994 84
1952	1953	1,953,368 86
1953	1954	1,519,589 72
Total,		$19,689,831 75

Credits were $2,000,000 in each of the years 1950, 1951, 1952, 1953, 1954, and 1955, or a total of $12,000,000. After deducting miscellaneous adjustments aggregating $19,068.65, the unliquidated balance of the account now stands at $7,670,763.10, which, at the rate of $2,000,000 annually, would be liquidated in 1959.

Under the above bill, abatements granted in 1955 and in subsequent years to and including 1959, so far as in excess of overlays, would be added to the account, provided they relate to taxes assessed in 1955 or a prior year for which the overlay was less than 6 per cent. When it is taken into account that such abatements in 1954 amounted to $5,787,119.42, it is conceivable that such abatements may total as much as $20,000,000 in the aggregate, that is, may increase the Funding Account from its current balance of $7,670,763.10 to approximately $28,000,000. To expedite liquidation of the account, the minimum annual payment is increased from $2,000,000 to $4,000,000 so that, if the estimates are correct, the account would be fully liquidated in 1962.

Other bills presented by the Mayor are:

A BILL REQUIRING THE APPELLATE TAX BOARD TO INCLUDE IN ITS DECISIONS A REPORT SETTING FORTH THE PRINCIPAL REASONS THEREFOR.

Comment.

Most decisions of the Appellate Tax Board set forth no reason for the conclusion reached. The human mind is not accustomed to follow a result if it does not know the basis thereof and believe it to be sound. The above bill would require the Appellate Tax Board to include in every decision a statement of the principal reasons therefor so that the assessors may better determine whether to follow the decision in subsequent years.

A BILL PROVIDING FOR THE SERVICING OF MOTOR VEHICLES IN OFF-STREET PARKING FACILITIES OWNED BY THE CITY OF BOSTON.

Comment.

The purpose of this bill is to permit off-street parking facility leases hereafter executed to contain an article authorizing and directing the lessee to provide for the servicing of a motor vehicle while it is parked therein.

A BILL ESTABLISHING EXCLUSIVE AUTHORITY IN THE BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION TO DESIGNATE STREETS FOR COASTING IN THE CITY OF BOSTON.

A BILL RELATIVE TO THE POWER OF CITIES AND TOWNS TO APPROPRIATE MONEY FOR PROVIDING PROPER FACILITIES FOR PUBLIC ENTERTAINMENT.

Comment.

When Massachusetts cities and towns were authorized by St. 1930, c. 277, to appropriate money for the entertainment of conventions and distinguished guests, expenditures for such purpose were limited to $75,000 or 1/200 of 1 per cent of the assessed valuation of the preceding year, whichever amount was the lesser. By St. 1943, c. 177, the 1/200 of 1 per cent limitation was changed to a 1/100 of 1 per cent limitation. This had the effect of doubling the appropriating power of every municipality except Boston, which, because of its approximately $1,500,000,000 assessed valuation, remained unaffected due to the $75,000 limitation. Enactment of the above bill would eliminate the $75,000 limitation, so that Boston would enjoy proportionately the same appropriating power for said purpose as other municipalities.

A BILL RELATIVE TO THE RETIREMENT OF THE MESSENGER OF THE JUSTICES OF THE SUPREME JUDICIAL COURT AND OF COURT OFFICERS IN ATTENDANCE UPON SAID COURT.

A BILL RELATIVE TO INFORMATION CONCERNING JURORS IMPANELLED TO SIT IN CIVIL AND CRIMINAL CASES.

A BILL RELATING TO THE POWERS OF A BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE IN THE EVENT OF THE DECEASE OF A RECIPIENT OF ASSISTANCE TO DISABLED PERSONS.

Comment.

If a public welfare recipient dies leaving no one to take charge of his effects, the Board of Public Welfare is authorized by G. L. (Ter. Ed.), c. 117, s. 30, to perform that function. The above bill would enable the Board to render the same service upon the death of a recipient of assistance to disabled persons.

A BILL RELATING TO THE POWERS OF A BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE IN THE EVENT OF THE DECEASE OF A RECIPIENT OF OLD AGE ASSISTANCE.

A BILL RELATIVE TO THE PROSECUTION OF WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION CLAIMS BY RETIREMENT BOARDS.

A BILL RELATIVE TO THE ERECTION AND MAINTENANCE OF ONE- AND TWO-CAR GARAGES APPURTENANT TO DWELLINGS IN THE CITY OF BOSTON.

A BILL RELIEVING INSPECTORS OF BUILDINGS IN CERTAIN CASES FROM GIVING ASSESSORS NOTICE OF THE GRANTING OF CERTAIN PERMITS.

A BILL AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ESTABLISH ON MOON ISLAND IN BOSTON HARBOR A TRAINING SCHOOL FOR ITS FIRE FIGHTERS.

A BILL CONCERNING THE PUNISHMENT OF VIOLATIONS OF CERTAIN RULES, ORDERS, AND REGULATIONS OF THE BOARD OF FIRE PREVENTION REGULATIONS, THE FIRE MARSHAL, AND THE HEADS OF FIRE DEPARTMENTS.

A BILL AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ENACT ORDINANCES FOR THE PURPOSE OF PREVENTING OR REMEDYING IN SAID CITY CONDITIONS WHICH MAY TEND TO CAUSE FIRES OR TO BECOME FIRE HAZARDS.

A BILL SUBJECTING TO LOCAL TAXATION MACHINERY USED IN THE CONDUCT OF CERTAIN BUSINESSES.

A Bill Providing for Reimbursement by the Commonwealth of Part of the Cost to Cities and Towns of General Relief.

A Bill Relative to the Total Construction Grant for Certain Approved School Projects in Cities, Towns, and Regional School Districts.

A Resolve Providing for an Unpaid Special Commission to Determine the Cities and Towns Which Receive Benefit or Advantage from the Service Provided by the Metropolitan Transit Authority but Are Not Subject to Assessment for Deficits Incurred in the Operation of Said Authority.

A Bill Authorizing Certain Aliens to Receive Assistance under the Old Age Assistance Law, So Called.

A Bill Providing for Payments in Lieu of Taxes on Property Acquired by the Commonwealth on or After July First of the Current Year.

A Bill Increasing the Weekly Subsidy Payable by the Commonwealth to a Municipality Placing in a Tuberculosis Hospital or Ward a Person Having a Legal Settlement in Such Municipality Who Is Suffering from Tuberculosis.

A Bill Providing for the Construction by the Metropolitan District Commission of a Recreation Area in the Dorchester District of the City of Boston.

A Bill Relative to the Portion of the Salaries of Court Officers in Attendance upon the Supreme Judicial Court Payable by the Commonwealth.

A Bill Enabling the Letting, Lease and Sale of Certain Land Owned by the City of Boston in the Charlestown District of Said City.

A Bill Extending the Time During Which Assessors Shall Have Authority To Act on Applications for Abatement.

A Bill Concerning the Listing Of Persons in the City of Boston and the General and Annual Registers of Voters in Said City.

A Bill Providing for the Payment by Municipalities of Increased Sums for the Funeral and Burial Expenses of Certain Poor and Indigent Persons and for State Reimbursement Therefor in Unsettled Cases.

A Bill Authorizing the City of Boston To Limit Buildings According to Their Use or Construction to Specified Districts.

Comment.

Chapter 368 of the Acts of 1954 re-enacted in a new chapter of the General Laws with many perfecting amendments the provisions of law enabling Massachusetts cities and towns, except Boston, to adopt zoning regulations. Boston was still left without home rule in this important local field. Enactment of the above bill would rectify this situation by adapting to Boston said St. 1954, c. 368, and establish a Boston Zoning Commission modeled after the existing Zoning Adjustment Board. This Commission would have power to promulgate zoning regulations after due notice and hearing. The existing zoning law would be repealed effective with the promulgation of the new regulations.

MAYOR DECIDES NOT TO FILE TAX BILL.

Upon December 7 Mayor Hynes issued the following statement:

It was my intention this year to present to the Legislature a bill to provide the City of Boston with new income amounting to $10,000,000 a year. In my opinion, at least this amount of new income is necessary if the tax rate is not to continue its upward flight, and if we are to meet the current obligations of the city.

After giving the matter much consideration, and after listening to the statements made at the Boston College Seminar yesterday, I came to the conclusion that the specific bill I had in mind was not the proper approach to the problem. The last thing I wish to do is to make it more difficult than it is at the present time to attract new business and new industry to the City of Boston.

I have decided, therefore, not to file a tax bill this year but to request the Boston Citizens' Committee on Municipal Problems to make a study of new sources of income and to make recommendations for submission to the Legislature next year. In the meantime, the Boston Citizens' Committee will have opportunity to plumb the question and enlist support for a new income source, which, it is obvious, must be provided to the City of Boston as well as other cities and towns in our Commonwealth.

CONVENTION REPORT BY JAMES S. REARDON

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The sectional meeting on accounting and finance held Monday afternoon dealt principally with the new accounting manual for public schools. The following organizations are participating in the development of the manual: American Association of School Administrators, Association of School Business Officials, Council of Chief State School Officers, Department of Rural Education (N.E.A.), National School Boards Association, and the United States Office of Education.

In November, 1954, representatives of these agencies met and established guides for setting up a preliminary draft of the handbook. Between November, 1954, and August, 1955, members of state education departments and local school systems met and developed a tentative draft of the proposed financial accounting handbook. The handbook has been divided into six parts under the following heads: Classification of Receipt Accounts, Classification of Expenditure Accounts, Classification of Clearing Accounts, Determining Per Pupil Expenditures, Recording Receipts and Expenditures, and Financial Accounting Terminology.

Drafts of the tentative manual were distributed at the Monday afternoon session. Members of the Association of School Business Officials will study the draft before meeting in regional sessions next year to decide on the final form. The first regional meeting to be attended by representatives from New York, New Jersey, and the New England States will be held in Boston during January, 1956. The manual will be presented for adoption before the next convention of the Association, to be held in Washington, D. C., in October, 1956, and will be prepared by the United States Office of Education for distribution in January, 1957.

Wednesday morning was devoted to an address by Paul J. Misner, consultant to Committee for White House Conference on Education.

The Wednesday afternoon sectional meeting on purchasing dealt with development of specifications, testing of materials purchased, and the development of standards. Much information was made available by the Association members from the host city, Chicago, including the operation of the testing laboratory of the Chicago Public Schools.

Dr. A. D. Brainard, department superintendent, Dearborn, Michigan, spoke on supervision of operational and maintenance personnel. Job analysis and service annuals are an aid to supervision of nonteaching personnel. The job analysis is essentially an inventory of the duties and responsibilities of the many positions in the noninstructional areas of the school system.

Dr. George Bush, specialist in school maintenance for Purdue University, spoke on stadia upkeep—how the problems that arise are unique and require a versatile and capable staff.

Requirements are: (1) job allocation; (2) ability to meet emergencies and weather conditions; (3) adequate supervision; (4) safety vigilance.

A long-range survey of maintenance needs should have a twofold aim, according to E. Eugene Higgins, educational consultant, Cleveland, Ohio—first, to preserve the community's investment in public property; second, to modernize the buildings to meet demands of changing educational programs.

The annual banquet held on Wednesday evening featured an address by A. D. Holt, vice president of the University of Tennessee, who spoke on the responsibilities of the educator to the parent and the responsibilities of the parent to the educator. Mr. Holt stressed the need of public schools for more funds, pointing out that the American public spends more annually on both gambling and drinking than is spent for the support of the public schools.

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

Abraham Bohn, 222 Blue Hills Parkway, Milton, in the sum of $445, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 310 Atlantic avenue, July 1, 1955.

Ida Baisman, 58 Lewis avenue, Winthrop, in the sum of $285, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 405 West Broadway, South Boston, July 22, 1955.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees:

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

For the week ending November 15:

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Marie Allen, 51 Cherry street, Malden, 2 days; Esther Bandlow, 5 Reddy avenue, Hyde Park, Priscilla Beckwith, 686 Massachusetts avenue, 6 days; Viola Bergstrom, 161 Thorndike street, Brookline, Claire Bilapka, 40 Fenway, 7 days; Elizabeth Burton, 52 Edson street, Dorchester, Ruby Childs, 270 Huntington avenue, Roxbury, 3 days; Sophie Cotter, 173 Vine Rock street, Dedham, 5 days; Iris Crowley, 168 Crowley-Rogers Way, South Boston, 3 days; Helen Connors, 83 Glen road, Jamaica Plain, 4 days; Patricia Doucette, 352 Athens street, South Boston, 5 days; Eleanor Duffley, 35 Edwin street, Dorchester, 1 day; Carol Duffy, 78 Metropolitan avenue, Roslindale, 2 days; Mary Fraser, 99 Norway street, 5 days; Lucille Furega, 14 Kilsyth road, Medfield, 2 days; Mildred Filaroska, 69 Park Drive, 4 days; Ethel Goff, 40 Rockwell street, Dorchester, 5 days; Diana Guinta, 42 Topliff street, Dorchester, 2 days; Ellen Guiney, 3 days; Virginia Hamilton, 827 River street, Mattapan, 2 days; Mary B. Healy, 163 East Cottage street, Dorchester, 1 day; Dorothy Jewkes, 305 Lynn street, Malden, 3 days; Charlotte Kelleher, 48 Waverly street, Roxbury, 6 days; Joseph Lee, 2 days; Veronica Lombard, 28 Huntoon street, Dorchester, 7 days; Loretta Lynch, 270 Huntington avenue, 5 days; Claire MacDonald, 30 Delle avenue, Roxbury, 7 days; Blanche McDonough, 1450 Centre street, Roslindale, 3 days; Mary McInnis, 1 day; Rita MacCallum, 162 Bowdoin street, Dorchester, 2 days; Christine McDonald, 4 days; Mary Mahon, 29 Kempton street, 2 days; Audrey Mailhot, 30 Walton street, Dorchester, 1 day; Mary Murphy, 37 Hamden Circle, Wollaston, 7 days; Mae Owens, 259 Chestnut avenue, Jamaica Plain, 4 days; Joan Oates, 1 day; Dora Picarsky, 31 Edison Green, Dorchester, 5 days; Joan Piscitello, 8 Taylor street, Medford, 3 days; Mary Pizziferri, 33 Justin road, Brighton, 2 days; Vivian Plevack, 7 days; Ethel Rahaim, 665 Massachusetts avenue, 2 days; Romaine Riley, 171 Humboldt avenue, Roxbury, 5 days; Helen Spillane, 499 Park street, Stoughton, 6 days; Florence Sullivan, 17 Fair Oaks street, Cambridge, 3 days; Madeline Sullivan, 126 Peterborough street, Margaret M. Sullivan, 28 Weymouth street, Holbrook, 7 days; Margaret Sutton, 1 day; Claire Shea, 136 Savin Hill avenue, Dorchester, 2 days; Audrey Track, 130 Cottage Park road, Winthrop, 6 days; Josephine Tyman, 39 Burnham street, Somerville, 2 days; Carmella Messina, 102 Highland road, Somerville, 1 day.

The following weekly nurses have been appointed:

Permanent.—Agnes Campbell, 44 Lyndhurst street, Dorchester, floor nurse, $1.70 an hour; Lois Curly, 94 St. Rose street, Jamaica Plain, floor nurse, $65.50 a week; Marilyn Gray, 42 Oak street, Needham, nurse anesthetist, $65.50 a

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 6.

GAS FITTER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
P. Russo	35 Garfield avenue	18	Appliances	$30
S. Connolly	2 Greenville street	8	Appliances	15
S. Connolly	923 Harrison avenue	8	Appliances	450
C. Bevelander	23 Higgins street	21	Appliances	100
A. Figler	22 Hollander street	12	Appliances	50
M. Eskowitz	16 Hyde Park avenue	11	Appliances	50
F. Carr	24 Irving street	3	Appliances	800
F. Avery	80 Jamaica street	11	Appliances	100
C. Bevelander	231 Kittredge street	18	Appliances	100
J. Long	25 Larchmont street	17	Appliances	685
A. Stahly	26 Melbourne street	16	Appliances	65
F. Odenweller	62 Montclair avenue	20	Appliances	60
C. Bevelander	7 Myrick street	22	Appliances	100
F. Carr	92A Pinckney street	5	Appliances	100
F. Avery	17 Pond street	19	Appliances	100
C. Bevelander	57 Portsmouth street	22	Appliances	100
K. Hering	26 Roseway street	19	Appliances	25
G. Tack	269 Shawmut avenue	3	Appliances	50
B. Weiner	1 Sun Court street	3	Appliances	100
M. Eskowitz	64 Warwick street	9	Appliances	20
S. Connolly	3082 Washington street	11	Appliances	200
F. Odenweller	311 West Broadway	6	Appliances	35
F. Odenweller	146B West Eighth street	6	Appliances	310
F. Odenweller	211 West Fifth street	6	Appliances	175
F. Odenweller	282 West Third street	6	Appliances	120
T. Matthews	81 Westville street	15	Appliances	100
J. Nolan	22 Wyvern street	19	Appliances	500
F. Avery	16 Ackley place	11	Appliances	12
F. Avery	27 Averton street	20	Appliances	25
F. Avery	543 Beech street	18	Appliances	15
D. Horgan	267 Bolton street	6	Appliances	100
H. Cutler	4 Bower street	12	Appliances	200
F. Avery	9 Bynner street	10	Appliances	100
F. Carr	301 Cambridge street	3	Appliances	12
N. Clark	6 Carlotta street	16	Appliances	100
D. Horgan	20 Carson street	13	Appliances	100
F. Avery	65 Child street	11	Appliances	25
N. Clark	789 Columbia road	7	Appliances	400
A. Onessimo	420 Commercial street	3	Appliances	45
N. Clark	30 Concord street	2	Appliances	400
E. Pascucci	165 Cottage street	1	Appliances	25
E. Pascucci	167 Cottage street	1	Appliances	15
E. Pascucci	186 Cottage street	1	Appliances	15
F. Avery	11 Cranston street	19	Appliances	25
F. Avery	54 Creighton street	10	Appliances	25
F. Avery	12 Dane street	19	Appliances	25
P. Kennedy	48 Dwight street	3	Appliances	100
D. Horgan	344 East Eighth street	7	Appliances	100
D. Horgan	667 East Eighth street	7	Appliances	100
D. Horgan	434 East Fifth street	7	Appliances	100
N. Clark	791 East Fourth street	6	Appliances	400
C. Kay	914 East Fourth street	6	Appliances	65
P. Kennedy	102 East Newton street	8	Appliances	100
D. Horgan	626 East Second street	6	Appliances	100
D. Horgan	825 East Second street	6	Appliances	100
D. Horgan	468 East Sixth street	7	Appliances	100
D. Horgan	564 East Third street	6	Appliances	100
F. Avery	26 Edge Hill street	10	Appliances	25
D. Belmonte	3 Endicott street	3	Appliances	100
E. Pascucci	206 Everett street	1	Appliances	100
E. Pascucci	210 Everett street	1	Appliances	40
N. Clark	37 Falcon street	1	Appliances	15
L. Rubin	9 Fayston street	14	Appliances	40
W. Hogan	52 Fenwood road	10	Appliances	50
F. Avery	7 Fessenden street	19	Appliances	25
G. Donohue	52 Gladstone street	1	Appliances	30
N. Clark	21 Glenmont road	22	Appliances	100
F. Avery	18 Green street	19	Appliances	50
P. Kennedy	11 Groom street	7	Appliances	100
F. Carr	28 Grove street	5	Appliances	22.50
D. Horgan	127 H street	7	Appliances	100
O. Morlock	9 Halifax street	19	Appliances	600
W. Hogan	15–17 Hall street	11	Appliances	50
J. Houghton	113 Hampden street	8	Appliances	30
N. Clark	11 Higgins street	21	Appliances	400
G. Trethewey	72 Johnswood street	19	Appliances	160
N. Clark	44 Jones avenue	14	Appliances	100
F. Avery	345 La Grange street	20	Appliances	25
P. Kennedy	20 Lee street	11	Appliances	100
A. DiPietro	99 Lincoln street	22	Appliances	100
M. Zeolla	125 Lonsdale street	16	Appliances	50
F. Carr	18 Lynde street	3	Appliances	28
D. Horgan	224 M street	7	Appliances	100
W. Broderick	15 Margin street	18	Appliances	100
D. Horgan	6 Marine road	7	Appliances	100
G. Vallati	138 Millet street	17	Appliances	500
C. O'Connor	19 Monument street	2	Appliances	40
J. Houghton	17 Oakley street	15	Appliances	75
F. Avery	47 Orchard street	19	Appliances	12
A. Onessimo	54 Peacevale road	17	Appliances	12
D. Horgan	6 Peters street	6	Appliances	100
F. Carr	9 Poplar street	3	Appliances	55
F. Avery	88 Prince street	19	Appliances	10
W. Broderick	270 Reservation road	18	Appliances	100
N. Clark	985 River street	18	Appliances	100
F. Carr	121 Salem street	3	Appliances	50
G. Donohue	1120 Saratoga street	1	Appliances	10
P. Kennedy	496 Shawmut avenue	9	Appliances	100
F. Carr	53 Spring street	3	Appliances	50
F. Carr	40 Staniford street	3	Appliances	20
F. Carr	15 Stillman street	3	Appliances	43

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 6.— Continued.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
F. Carr	16 Stillman street	3	Appliances	$32
N. Clark	112 Taunton avenue	18	Appliances	300
N. Clark	6 Thane street	17	Appliances	400
D. Horgan	36 Thomas park	7	Appliances	100
I. Gerson	21 Tip Top street	22	Appliances	100
C. Chandler	532 Tremont street	3	Appliances	40
N. Clark	16 Turner street	22	Appliances	400
F. Avery	89 Wachusett street	19	Appliances	40
N. Clark	92 Wamnbeck street	12	Appliances	100
F. Avery	37 Weld Hill street	19	Appliances	12
P. Russo	30 Williams avenue	18	Appliances	35
N. Clark	65 Winthrop street	12	Appliances	400
P. Kennedy	13 Worcester street	9	Appliances	100
G. Donohue	26 Wordsworth street	1	Appliances	15
E. Pascussi	45 Wordsworth street	1	Appliances	15
L. Luxton	602 Adams street	16	Appliances	15
L. Dunivan	94 Armandine street	17	Appliances	100
J. Vogel	70 Birch street	20	Appliances	200
S. Shulman	1 Bird place	20	Appliances	75
N. Deutsch	53 Boardman street	1	Appliances	30
N. Deutsch	66 Chappie street	2	Appliances	60
J. Freedman	559 East Fourth street	7	Appliances	45
J. Vogel	21 Fletcher street	20	Appliances	200
E. Secntore	12 Frankfort street	1	Appliances	100
L. Luxton	7 Glover court	7	Appliances	35
B. Carlin	13 Hawkins street	3	Appliances	75
D. Horgan	155 I street	7	Appliances	100
C. Glynn	3 Leutman place	9	Appliances	90
N. Deutsch	221 London street	1	Appliances	30
O. McElearney	511 Main street	2	Appliances	75
M. Katz	44 Mattakeeset street	18	Appliances	140
L. Luxton	35 Moseley street	13	Appliances	175
N. Deutsch	507 Orleans street	1	Appliances	30
L. Luxton	120 Paul Gore street	19	Appliances	700
N. Deutsch	28 Pleasant street	2	Appliances	35
J. Vogel	221 Poplar street	18	Appliances	175
J. Vogel	118 Redlands road	20	Appliances	150
S. Kramer	66 Telegraph street	7	Appliances	50
W. Foster	19 Ticknor street	7	Appliances	300
D. Karger	40 Tileston street	18	Appliances	80
D. Karger	44 Tileston street	18	Appliances	100
F. Avery	107 Arlington street	18	Appliances	100
P. Ferris	657 Atlantic avenue	3	Appliances	400
D. Greenwood	7 Bynner street	10	Appliances	150
D. Cahill	10 Dunbar avenue	17	Appliances	800
W. Connell	447 East Sixth street	7	Appliances	250
W. Connell	191 F street	6	Appliances	85
H. Geddis	19 Garrison street	1	Appliances	50
D. Spiers	194 Heath street	10	Appliances	400
J. McKenna	14 Josephine street	15	Appliances	100
A. Figler	6 Kensington street	12	Appliances	45
A. Milligan	656 La Grange street	20	Appliances	100
D. Greenwood	47 Mapes street	16	Appliances	15
H. Geddis	239 Marlborough street	5	Appliances	15
W. Connell	59 Milton avenue	17	Appliances	25
D. Evans	71 Milton avenue	17	Appliances	400
H. Geddis	207 Park Drive	21	Appliances	15
W. Connell	2 Redfield street	16	Appliances	65
H. Geddis	41 St. Botolph street	4	Appliances	150
D. Cahill	68 Station street	9	Appliances	100
A. Milligan	33 Sunset Hill road	20	Appliances	100
A. Milligan	35 Sunset Hill road	20	Appliances	100
A. Milligan	37 Sunset Hill road	20	Appliances	100
E. Healy	14 Torrey street	17	Appliances	225
O. McElearney	1088 Tremont street	9	Appliances	75
W. Fishman	1 Viking terrace	18	Appliances	100
W. Fishman	9 Viking terrace	18	Appliances	100
D. Greenwood	92 Westchester road	19	Appliances	75
N. Clark	9 Alban street	17	Appliances	100
N. Clark	74 Bower street	12	Appliances	400
G. Trethewey	1 Bradstreet avenue	18	Appliances	185
D. Gould	8 Brookford street	13	Appliances	35
E. Miller	277 Bunker Hill street	2	Appliances	60
S. Litman	228 Cambridge street	5	Appliances	45
S. Pryor	2 Chappie street	2	Appliances	25
N. Clark	6 Chilcott place	11	Appliances	100
D. Palmariello	280 Commercial street	3	Appliances	100
S. Freedman	794 Condor street	1	Appliances	40
S. Goldman	102 Elm Hill avenue	12	Appliances	100
N. Clark	32 Foster street	22	Appliances	400
N. Clark	61 Glenway street	14	Appliances	100
D. Dorr	35 Gray street	5	Appliances	250
N. Clark	3 Holborn street	12	Appliances	100
H. Hinckley	74 Jamaica street	11	Appliances	45
G. Trethewey	25 Kittredge street	18	Appliances	275
A. Granara	21-22 Lewis Wharf	3	Appliances	100
E. Secatore	292 Lexington street	1	Appliances	50
J. Fierney	105 Norton street	15	Appliances	100
D. Gould	136 Seaver street	12	Appliances	100
E. Secatore	21 Shelby street	1	Appliances	50
N. Clark	28 Sherman street	12	Appliances	100
B. Szathmary	33 Simmons street	9	Appliances	250
H. Hinckley	85 Spencer street	17	Appliances	65
N. Clark	16 Vinson street	16	Appliances	400
D. Gould	115 Warren street	12	Appliances	12
A. Figler	89 Wayland street	13	Appliances	30
E. Dorr	349 West Fourth street	6	Appliances	20
J. Worth	170 West Sixth street	6	Appliances	35
N. Clark	18 Woodlawn street	11	Appliances	400
N. Clark	35 Zamora street	10	Appliances	100
J. Meehan	786A Adams street	16	Appliances	100
W. Long	25-27 Ablie street	22	Appliances	220
C. Bevelander	357 Beacon street	5	Appliances	100
C. Kay	453 Broadway	6	Appliances	60
J. Flynn	6 Buttonwood street	13	Appliances	35
J. Flynn	30 Chipman street	17	Appliances	35
J. Ricciardelli	6 Chisholm terrace	18	Appliances	75

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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week; Patricia Kelty, 404 Adams street, East Milton, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Frances Palmieri, 10 Florence terrace, Somerville, floor nurse, $1.60 an hour.

Temporary.—Theresa Frazier, 1641 Turnpike street, Stoughton, floor nurse, $68 a week.

The following doctors have been appointed:

Rafael A. Berlanga, resident, Radiology, $162 a month; Alfonso B. Gala, resident, Radiology, $132 a month.

South Division.

For the week ending November 15:

The following permanent employee has been appointed:

Ann Sweeney, 39 Forbes street, Jamaica Plain, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour.

Long Island Division.

The following changes have been made for the week ending November 15:

Terminations.—Edward French, Robert L. Lynch, Dora Richards, attendant nurses; Vincent Rogers, hospital kitchen worker, emergency; William E. Hughes, hospital house worker; Francis R. Moore, hospital laborer.

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For the week ending November 22:

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Esther Bandlow, 5 Reddy avenue, Hyde Park, 1 day; Viola Bergstrom, 161 Thorndike street, Brookline, 3 days; Claire Bilapka, 40 Fenway, 5 days; Lillian Blackburn, 18 Park Vale avenue, Allston, 2 days; Elizabeth Barton, 52 Edson street, Dorchester, 4 days; Sophie Cotter, 173 Vine Rock street, Dedham, 5 days; Helen Connors, 83 Glen road, Jamaica Plain, 6 days; Norma Dean, 696 Massachusetts avenue, 4 days; Patricia Doucette, 352 Athens street, South Boston, 3 days; Carol Duffy, 78 Metropolitan avenue, Yolanda Evans, 126 Waverly street, Everett, 6 days; Anna Ferrara, 53 Blue Hill avenue, Milton, Lucille Furega, 14 Kilsyth road, Medfield, 2 days; Diana Guinta, 42 Topliff street, Dorchester, Virginia Hamilton, 827 River street, Mattapan, 1 day; Mary B. Healy, 163 East Cottage street, Dorchester, 2 days; Dorothy Jewkes, 305 Lynn street, Malden, 7 days; Charlotte Kelleher, 48 Waverly street, Roxbury, 2 days; Joan Linehan, 775 Parker street, Roxbury, 1 day; Veronica Lombard, 28 Huntoon street, Dorchester, 7 days; Loretta Lynch, 270 Huntington avenue, 5 days; Claire MacDonald, 30 Delle avenue, Roxbury, 6 days; Blanche McDonough, 1450 Centre street, Roslindale, 2 days; Audrey Mailhot, 30 Walton street, Dorchester, Carmella Messina, 102 Highland road, Somerville, 1 day; Angelina Mullaney, 1235 Trapello road, Waltham, 2 days; Mary Murphy, 37 Hamden Circle, Wollaston, 6 days; Dora Picarsky, 31 Edison Green, Dorchester, 1 day; Joan Piscitello, 8 Taylor street, Medford, 7 days; Vivian Plevock, 36 Tremlett street, Dorchester, 6 days; Mary Pursley, 38 Van Brunt street, Hyde Park, Ethel Rahaim, 665 Massachusetts avenue, 3 days; Romaine Riley, 171 Humboldt avenue, Roxbury, 5 days; Helen Spillane, 499 Park street, Stoughton, 6 days; Florence Sullivan, 17 Fair Oaks street, Cambridge, 1 day; Madeline Sullivan, 126 Peterborough street, 4 days; Margaret M. Sullivan, 28 Weymouth street, Holbrook, 7 days; Anna

Stankard, 79 Edwin road, Waltham, 2 days; Kathryn Welch, 49 East Springfield street, 1 day; Margaret Walmer, 4 days; Carrie Coleman, 360 Thacher street, Milton, 1 day; Ethel Goff, 40 Rockwell street, Dorchester, Rita MacCallum, 162 Bowdoin street, Dorchester, adjustments; Mary McInnis, 1310 Washington street, North Abington, Alyce Powers, 67 Prospect avenue, Wollaston, Margaret Sutton, 35 Revere street, 1 day.

The following weekly nurses have been appointed:

Permanent.—Jeanette Bruno, 28 Marlborough street, Louise Anderson, 6 Burton avenue, Roxbury, floor nurses, $60.50 a week.

Temporary.—Margaret Fullerton, 108 Westville street, Dorchester, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Mary Barron, 743 Montello street, Brockton, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour.

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—James H. Wallace, 69 Batchelder street, Roxbury, hospital house worker, $43 a week; John G. Kennedy, 55 Burke street, South Boston, James Moynihan, 20 Winfield street, South Boston, hospital kitchen workers, $43 a week; Robert F. Pinkul, 268 Chestnut avenue, Jamaica Plain, hospital kitchen worker, $45.50 a week; Walter Dawson, 20 Linden Park street, Roxbury, elevator operator, $53 a week; Kathleen Byrnes, 11 Beverly road, Arlington, clerk-typist, $50.50 a week; Thelma Tarlow, 451 Park Drive, medical social worker, $73 a week.

Temporary.—Muriel I. Henry, 49 Dewey street, Dorchester, Alice T. McGregor, 38 Annunciation road, Roxbury, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; Mary F. Bibbey, 69 Lenoxdale avenue, Dorchester, Jean Ranson, 365 Silver street, South Boston, telephone operators, $55.50 a week; William F. Mullen, 373 Talbot avenue, Dorchester, ambulance medical aid, $53 a week; Dr. Enrizue Rabinovitz, Mexico, resident, $162 a month; Roy Chi-Kwand Kang, China, chief resident, $202 a month; Dr. Iver S. Ravin, 33 Neillian Crescent, Jamaica Plain, physician, $272 a month.

South Division.

For the week ending November 22:

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Veronica McElligott, 34 Dickinson street, Somerville, 7 days; Margaret Nolan, 14 Dix street, Dorchester, 6 days.

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—Rita H. Ricks, 745 Massachusetts avenue, floor nurse, $63 a week.

Temporary.—Sada Greaves, 745 Massachusetts avenue, floor nurse, $63 a week, with room; Bernice E. Lyford, 49 Ocean street, North Quincy, physical therapist, $1.50 an hour.

The following temporary employee has been appointed:

Gerald Skeffington, 4 Sterling square, South Boston, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

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For the week ending November 29:

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Esther Bandlow, 5 Reddy avenue, Hyde Park, 2 days; Lillian Blackburn, 18 Park

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APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 6.—Concluded.

GAS FITTER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
J. Flynn	45 Clarkson street	15	Appliances	$65
J. Wilson	12 Common street	2	Appliances	100
B. Szathmary	1217 Commonwealth avenue	21	Appliances	300
J. Wilson	13 Cordis street	2	Appliances	100
N. Deutsch	8 Drake place	1	Appliances	30
W. O'Connell	587 East Seventh street	7	Appliances	25
J. Estherhill	11 Edison Green	7	Appliances	25
J. Wilson	88 Ferrin street	2	Appliances	100
N. Deutsch	381 Frankfort street	1	Appliances	25
J. Flynn	74 Fuller street	17	Appliances	30
P. Janis	82-84 Fulton street	3	Appliances	5
P. Janis	10 Galena street	11	Appliances	40
J. Flynn	17 Grant street	13	Appliances	100
L. Fama	14 Greenleaf street	4	Appliances	100
J. Flynn	18 Hartland street	13	Appliances	75
J. Wilson	7 Harvard street	2	Appliances	100
T. Matthews	33 Harvard street	14	Appliances	100
J. Flynn	188 Harvard street	14	Appliances	60
L. Luxton	55 Homes avenue	15	Appliances	30
A. DiLorenzo	52 Hudson street	3	Appliances	60
J. Wilson	28 Kingston street	2	Appliances	100
N. Deutsch	29 Leyden street	1	Appliances	25
S. Fox	41 Litchfield street	22	Appliances	75
N. Deutsch	77 London street	1	Appliances	30
N. Deutsch	225 Maverick street	1	Appliances	30
J. Wilson	16 Mead street	2	Appliances	100
W. Connell	97 Neponset avenue	16	Appliances	None
J. Flynn	238 Norfolk street	17	Appliances	$35
J. Flynn	28 Oakley street	15	Appliances	40
J. Flynn	35 Ray street	9	Appliances	25
J. Flynn	11 Richfield street	15	Appliances	30
C. Bevelander	37 Ridgemont street	21	Appliances	100
W. Connell	383 River street	18	Appliances	25
J. Flynn	11 Roxana street	18	Appliances	100
W. Connell	39 Sagamore street	13	Appliances	65
A. DiLorenzo	293 Shawmut avenue	3	Appliances	25
I. Gerson	18 Southern avenue	17	Appliances	100
A. Milligan	304 Spring street	20	Appliances	100
J. Wilson	16 Sullivan street	2	Appliances	100
W. Connell	11 Telegraph street	7	Appliances	40
J. Flynn	39 Weld Hill street	19	Appliances	100
W. Connell	88 West Third street	6	Appliances	50
J. Flynn	61 Westmore road	14	Appliances	25
W. Connell	66-68 Wheatland avenue	17	Appliances	45
B. Bishop	31 Wigglesworth street	10	Appliances	50

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM PLUMBING FOR THE WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 6.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
F. Benenati	3 Endicott court	3	Fixtures	$700
E. Webber	10 Ginita street	16	Fixtures	150
G. Trethewey	72 Johnswood road	19	Fixtures	160
A. Granara	19 and 20 Lewis Wharf	3	Fixtures	120
G. Trethewey	138 Millet street	17	Fixtures	1,800
J. Henderson	108 Perham street	20	Fixtures	300
J. Vogel	70 Birch street	20	Fixtures	150
C. Bevelander	6 Fern street	22	Fixtures	100
G. Litwach	29 Ditson street	15	Fixtures	100
G. Litwach	816 Morton street	14	Fixtures	400
J. Vogel	118 Redlands road	20	Fixtures	150
W. Cameron	68 Station street	9	Fixtures	250
C. Bevelander	11 Wadsworth street	21	Fixtures	100
B. Clancy	575 Washington street	3	Fixtures	550
A. Nickinello	655 William T. Morrissey Boulevard.	16	Fixtures	1,600
E. Bailey	200 Berkeley street	4	Fixtures	1,000
G. Robbins	406 Cambridge street	21	Fixtures	600
S. Lucido	33 Cheverus road	16	Fixtures	65
G. Robbins	3 Cufflin street	22	Fixtures	900
S. Lucido	704 East Sixth street	6	Fixtures	65
G. Patty	185 Hackensack road	20	Fixtures	1,500
H. Geddis	41 St. Botolph street	4	Fixtures	150
W. Abbott	54 South Munroe terrace	16	Fixtures	150
A. Isaac	10 Tyler street	3	Fixtures	100
G. Robbins	288 Washington street	22	Fixtures	600
S. Kramer	1000 Washington street	3	Fixtures	100
G. Trethewey	Bradstreet avenue	18	Fixtures	185
A. Kaunfer	3 Melton road	21	Fixtures	300
G. Sergi	101 Cushing avenue	13	Fixtures	300
L. Ruotolo	87 Roseclair street	7	Fixtures	90
M. Miller	1571 Washington street	9	Fixtures	600
A. Kaunfer	315 West street	18	Fixtures	700
E. Dorr	349 West Fourth street	6	Fixtures	200
W. Long	25 Aldie street	22	Fixtures	325
T. Matthews	53 Beaumont street	16	Fixtures	100
L. Speers	11 Bigelow street	22	Fixtures	200
N. Prives	590 Blue Hill avenue	14	Fixtures	150
S. Gogos	4 Dedham street	18	Fixtures	215
T. Matthews	33 Harvard street	14	Fixtures	100
S. Fox	41 Litchfield street	22	Fixtures	125
H. Ribeck	31 Welles avenue	17	Fixtures	95
H. Ribeck	83 Woodhaven street	18	Fixtures	1,200

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 6.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Annie Levin	54 Angell street	14	Alterations, dwelling	$300
Eleanor Coakley	15 Banton street	16	Alterations, laundry	950
United Limb & Brace Co.	15 Berkeley street	5	Alterations, manufacturing	600
D. F. Carey	133 Charles street	5	Alterations, dwelling, stores	35
Ralph Austin	5 Crandall street	18	Alterations, dwelling	900
Joseph Horan	564 East Third street	16	Alterations, dwelling	460
E. W. English, Jr.	3 Glenville terrace	19	Alterations, dwelling	630
Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston.	37 Holton street	22	Alterations, church	3,000
Martin Keane	32 Maxfield street	20	Alterations, dwelling	500
Mary C. Lunn	60 McBride street	19	Alterations, dwelling	100
Thomas W. Best	86 Moreland street	12	Alterations, dwelling	250
Mrs. Eldridge	38 Newcastle road	22	Alterations, dwelling	150
Joseph Kosteeki	38 Osceola street	18	Alterations, dwelling	374
James Wood	14 Porter street	11	Alterations, dwelling	551
Strachman's Cleanser	127 Quincy street	13	Alterations, store	500
William Standing	8 Rockford street	8	Alterations, dwelling	275
Augustus Commodore	698 Tremont street	9	Alterations, dwelling	900
John Schuyler	800 Tremont street	9	Alterations, dwelling, store	300
John Burwell	142 Washington street	18	Alterations, dwelling	487
William McDonald	6 Burard street	20	Alterations, dwelling	225
Onua Caution	34 Camden street	9	Alterations, dwelling	300
John Francer	63 Chickatawbut street	16	Alterations, dwelling	340
Thomas Cabot	104 Dorchester street	6	Alterations, dwelling, store	20
Patrick Gill	23 Green street	2	Alterations, dwelling	50
Mrs. Hunzlers	2 Porter terrace	20	Alterations, dwelling	400
Nicholas DeGaetano	226 Roslindale avenue	20	Alterations, dwelling	600
Sherrard Company	56-72 School street	3	Alterations, hotel, store	1,000
J. Kosky	200 Spring street	20	Alterations, dwelling	120
B. Branca	486 Warren street	12	Alterations, dwelling	400
Unity Real Estate	6 Virginia street	13	Alterations, car parking	None
E. Liscomb	1 Mt. Warren	12	Alterations, dwelling	$475
James Kirby	1030 William T. Morrissey Boulevard.	16	Lumber shed	15,000
Sevenel, Inc.	118 Hollingsworth street	18	Dwelling	8,500
Sevenel, Inc.	105 Hollingsworth street	18	Dwelling	8,000
Sevenel, Inc.	109 Hollingsworth street	18	Dwelling	8,000
Sevenel, Inc.	115 Hollingsworth street	18	Dwelling	8,000
Ben Ames Williams	98 Rockwood street	19	Alterations, dwelling	12,000
Eugene Straequalisi	46 Vernon street	18	Dwelling	9,000
Merchants Warehouse	154 Beverly street	3	Alterations, car parking	None
Jacob Fisher Estate	14-16 Birch street	20	Alterations, stores	$3,000
Anthony Contino	1219 Bennington street	1	Alterations, dwelling	950
First National Bank	230 Bowdoin street	15	Alterations, stores	175
Fred Blanchard	38 Brooks street	22	Alterations, store	175
M. L. Gazza	2034 Centre street	20	Alterations, store	175
Dominic Suse	43½ Charter street	3	Alterations, dwelling	600
Hir Sing Asdo	16 Compton street	3	Alterations, dwelling, store	350
Charles Rosman	650 Cummins Highway	18	Alterations, dwelling	100
Mack Jeffrey	8 Don street	14	Alterations, dwelling	450
M. J. Connolly	1840 Dorchester avenue	16	Alterations, market	175
Frederick Iffley	54 Dunster road	19	Alterations, dwelling	250
Josephine De Mupalis	782 East Sixth street	6	Alterations, store	250
Joseph Horan	566 East Third street	6	Alterations, dwelling	460
C. Warner	227-229 Emerson street	6	Alterations, dwelling	650
C. Warner	231-233 Emerson street	6	Alterations, dwelling	650
Carmelo Guareiello	131 Endicott street	3	Alterations, dwelling	600
Joseph Corso	31 Glenhill road	18	Alterations, excavation	200
Paul Donohue	108 Greaton road	20	Alterations, dwelling	200
M. Gozalian	85 Highland street	11	Alterations, dwelling, store	175
Sarah Sweeney	191 Highland street	11	Alterations, dwelling	395
George Gordon	82 Humboldt avenue	12	Alterations, dwelling	825
Sears Roebuck Company	1253 Hyde Park avenue	18	Alterations, store	100
George Rothman	52 Lanark road	24	Alterations, dwelling	250
A. Norton	163 Lexington street	4	Alterations, dwelling	700
S. Talarian	54 Neponset avenue	16	Alterations, market	175
Mr. Price	120 Neponset avenue	16	Alterations, dwelling	300
Nuvert Daniels	254-57 North Harvard street	22	Alterations, store	250
John Maloney	12 Plain street	16	Alterations, dwelling	150
Henry Poyden	1148 River street	18	Alterations, store	300
Stedlast Rubber Co	34 Topalian street	18	Alterations, manufacturing	700
Mary Walsh	829 Washington street	17	Alterations, market	175
Digregorio & Cassis	1322 Commonwealth avenue	21	Alterations, dwelling	5,950
Ferne Apartments, Inc.	1318 Commonwealth avenue	21	Alterations, dwelling	490
Mary O'Toole	126 Kilsyth road	21	Garage	720
Evariste Lavertu	145 Gallivan Boulevard	17	Dwelling	10,000
Evariste Lavertu	149 Gallivan Boulevard	17	Dwelling	10,000
L. Englehardt	46 Ardale street	20	Alterations, dwelling	300
Martin Gaykan	25 Bowdoin street	3	Alterations, dwelling	400
Pullman Vacuum	23 Buick street	21	Alterations, manufacturing	200
J. J. Good	336 Dudley street	8	Alterations, funeral parlor	600
J. Mercurio	182 Endicott street	3	Alterations, dwelling, store	300
Federal Building Trust	24 Federal street	3	Alterations, offices	980
Donald MacDougal	7 Firth street	20	Alterations, dwelling	400
Charles Zahka	41-45 Franklin street	21	Alterations, store	475
Edith Yaffa	106 Truman Highway	18	Alterations, dwelling	450
Beatrice Genovese	23 Holiday street	15	Alterations, dwelling	300
Young Men's Christian Union	45 La Grange street	3	Alterations, bowling alley	750
Walter Devine	25 Melrose street	5	Alterations, dwelling	200
Russell Housing Corporation	198 Moss Hill road	19	Alterations, barn	500
Angelo Paolini	62 Neponset avenue	16	Alterations, dwelling	450
Wonder Laundries Co	221 Norwell street	17	Alterations, dwelling	1,200
Anna Kelley	702 Saratoga street	1	Alterations, dwelling	195
Sidney Day	314 Sumner street	1	Alterations, dwelling	400
Peter Sarni	4390 Washington street	18	Alterations, dwelling	990
Bertha Rauch	29 West Eagle street	1	Alterations, dwellug	150
Esther Donovan	37 West Walnut park	11	Alterations, dwelling	215
Ralph Moran	27 Asticou road	20	Alterations, dwelling	200
Allied Auto Forcign Cars	663 Beacon street	5	Alterations, sales	95
Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston.	7 Child street	11	Alterations, garage	800

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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Vale avenue, Allston, Helen Broady, 52 Lambert avenue, Roxbury, 1 day; Sophie Cotter, 173 Vine Rock street, Dedham, 5 days; Helen Connors, 83 Glen road, Jamaica Plain, 4 days; Adele Daly, 30 Aspinwall avenue, North Weymouth, 3 days; Norma Dean, 696 Massachusetts avenue, 7 days; Yolanda Evans, 126 Waverly street, Everett, 3 days; Anna Ferrara, 53 Blue Hill avenue, Milton, 5 days; Mary Fraser, 99 Norway street, Lucille Furega, 14 Kilsyth road, Medfield, 2 days; Diana Guinta, 42 Topliff street, Dorchester, Mary B. Healy, 163 East Cottage street, Dorchester, 1 day; Mary Hunt, 695 Heath street, Brookline, 2 days; Dorothy Jewkes, 305 Lynn street, Malden, 4 days; Veronica Lombard, 28 Huntoon street, Dorchester, Loretta Lynch, 270 Huntington avenue, 5 days; Claire MacDonald, 30 Delle avenue, Roxbury, 3 days; Catherine McGuinness, 22 Celia road, Braintree, 2 days; Rosemary McGaffigan, 1 day; Mary McInnis, 1310 North Washington street, North Abington, 3 days; Claire McCue, 74 Robinwood road, Dedham, 1 day; Marguerite Mackesey, 79 First street, Medford, 4 days; Mary Mahan, 29 Kempton street, 5 days; Audrey Mailhot, 30 Walton street, Dorchester, Carmella Messina, 102 Highland road, Somerville, Angelina Mullaney, 1235 Trapelo road, Waltham, 2 days; Mary Moriarty, 4 days; Mae Owens, 259 Chestnut avenue, Jamaica Plain, 2 days; Dora Picarsky, 31 Edison Green, Dorchester, 5 days; Joan Piscitello, 8 Taylor street, Medford, 7 days; Vivian Plevock, 36 Tremlett street, Dorchester, 2 days; Alyce Powers, 67 Prospect avenue, Wollaston, 1 day; Joyce Perrone, 2 days; Ethel Rahaim, 665 Massachusetts avenue, 3 days; Helen Spillane, 499 Park street, Stoughton, 7 days; Madeline Sullivan, 126 Peterborough street, 3 days; Margaret M. Sullivan, 28 Weymouth street, Holbrook, 2 days; Margaret Shearns, 3 days; Bernice Stanley, 105 Walnut avenue, Roxbury, 1 day; Audrey Trask, 130 Cottage Park road, Winthrop, 2 days; Rita Buscher, 238 Norfolk street, Wollaston, Carrie Coleman, 360 Thacher street, Milton, 1 day; Frances Harris, 103 Townsend street, Roxbury, adjustment; Mary Murphy, 37 Hamden Circle, Wollaston, Romaine Riley, 17 Humboldt avenue, Roxbury, Kathryn Welch, 49 East Springfield street, 1 day.

The following weekly nurses have been appointed:

Permanent.—Helen (Kosmider) Barrett, 55 Walk Hill street, Jamaica Plain, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour; C. Ramona Jackson, 478 Shawmut avenue, floor nurse, $60.50 a week; Helen Mahoney, 710 Massachusetts avenue, head nurse, $76.50 a week.

Temporary.—R. Darlene DeLong, 48 Old Morton street, Mattapan, Mayellen McLaughlin, 41 Pearl street, Dorchester, Joyce Perrone, 48 Old Morton street, Mattapan, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour.

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—Agnes Campbell, 48 Copeland street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; William Beverly, 17 Circuit street, Roxbury, hospital kitchen worker, $92.32 a month; Lawrence Doyle, 1 Mt. Pleasant place, Roxbury, hospital house worker, $48 a week; Peter F. Hughes, 2 South Worthington street, Roxbury, elevator operator, $50.50 a week; Margaret E. Davis, 269 K street, South Boston, Joan Jackvony, 30 Walton

street, Dorchester, floor nurses, $60.50 a week.

Temporary.—Florence M. Tierney, 11 Vincent street, Dorchester, telephone operator, $55.50 a week; Beatrice Campbell, 41 Clark avenue, Walpole, Mary Tasjian, 875 East street, Walpole, floor nurses, $1.50 an hour.

Long Island Division.

The following changes have been made for the week ending November 29:

Terminations.— Patrick J. Cooney, Nora Gannon, attendant nurses; Marjorie E. Jones, Gloria E. Lezer, Florence L. Thayer, student practical nurses; Mary I. Burgess, Annmarie Polleck, licensed practical nurses; Cornelius F. Downey, hospital house worker, permanent; Agnes I. Gilmartin, hospital kitchen worker, emergency; Mary C. Murphy, organist, provisional.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

Patrick A. O'Donnell has been appointed as correction officer and assistant steward at $73 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

The following employees have resigned: Haroldine Tyler, Sarah Quinlan, permanent clerk and typists.

Appointments.

AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

Rosaleen Doherty, 1032 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, accounting machine operator, $43 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Health Division.

Millicent L. Carpenter, 318 Blue Hill avenue, Roxbury, public health nurse, $63 a week.

Patricia A. Burke, 5 Richview street, Dorchester, public health nurse, $63 a week.

Genevieve C. Jacobsen, 143 Tremont street, Brighton, public health nurse, $65.50 a week.

Doris P. McKeon, 47 McLean street, public health nurse, $63 a week.

Irene N. Harrigan, 30 Chestnut street, public health nurse, $63 a week.

Lois Wilson, 1640 Columbia road, South Boston, public health nurse, $63 a week.

Margaret M. Larkin, 47 Garden street, public health nurse, $63 a week.

Weights and Measures Division.

Edward F. Green, 12 Spalding street, Jamaica Plain, deputy sealer of weights and measures, $88 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Eunice Branker, 119 Marlborough street, social worker, $65.50 a week.

Dolores O'Keefe, 52 Langdon street, Roxbury, social worker, $65.50 a week.

Patricia Pini, 119 Marlborough street, social worker, $65.50 a week.

Claire M. Sullivan, 93 Pearl street, Charlestown, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Appointments or Reinstatements.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Budget Division.

John J. Scully, 11 Speedwell street, Dorchester, budget analyst, $83.50 a week.

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PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 6.—Concluded.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston.	7 Child street	11	Alterations, office	$700
Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston.	7 Child street	11	Alterations, storage, shed	250
Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston.	7 Child street	11	Alterations, stable	500
Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston.	7 Child street	11	Alterations, storage, shed	200
Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston.	7 Child street	11	Alterations, storage	250
Edward Colomey	89 Easton street	22	Alterations, dwelling	2,000
Joseph Bondi	5 Howland street	12	Alterations, dwelling	1,950
Stacia Regan	11 Malbert road	22	Alterations, dwelling	250
Boston Wharf Co	63 Melcher street	6	Alterations, warehouse	325
John Shea	2 Mellen street	16	Alterations, dwelling	150
Walter Wolfram	135 School street	11	Alterations, dwelling	750
Romeo Vara	1589 Tremont street	10	Alterations dwelling	600
Eastern Racing Association	111 Waldemar avenue	1	Alterations, grandstand	2,750
Romeo Vara	6 Whitney park	10	Alterations, dwelling	700
James Consalvi	281 Beech street	20	Alterations, dwelling	900
James Shay	21 Brighton street	2	Alterations, dwelling	1,590
Darman Victo Co	165 Brookside avenue	11	Alterations, manufacturing	800
Alexander Beale	40 Central street	3	Alterations, offices	300
Sager Electrical Supply	201 Congress street	3	Alterations, store	250
Chamber of Commerce	80 Federal street	3	Alterations, offices	300
G. W. Whittier & Brothers	136 Federal street	3	Alterations, offices	950
John Kelly	48 Hall street	11	Alterations, dwelling	430
William Cargill	66 Locust street	7	Alterations, excavate	100
A. Paradis	1075 Massachusetts avenue	8	Alterations, gas station	800
Cabot, Cabot & Forbes	29 Newbury street	5	Alterations, offices	300
Louise Carr	2 Parley Vale	19	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
J. Cady	135 Savin Hill avenue	13	Alterations, dwelling	650
Plangebaum Co	25 Temple street	3	Alterations, dwelling	150
Yetta Burack	27 Temple street	3	Alterations, dwelling	150
Shubert Management	225 Tremont street	5	Alterations, offices	750
H. B. Morris	5224 Washington street	20	Alterations, dwelling	550

TAX ABATEMENT DECISIONS RENDERED BY THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS FOR THE WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 18.

LEGEND.

* Appellate Tax Board Settlement. ¶ Illegal assessment. ‖ Chapter 59–5.
† Appellate Tax Board Decision. § Duplicate assessment. = Chapter 58–8.
‡ Overvaluation Settlement by Board of Assessors. x Chapter 231.

Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Williams, Moses	83 Summer st	3—1949	$19,880.00	$8,236.00	†
McInnes, Miriam C	Lot B, Dunbar av	17—1949	130.64	130.64	=
McInnes, Miriam C	Lot C, Dunbar av	17—1949	124.96	124.96	=
Cohen, Abraham, Trustee	615 Washington st	3—1950	28,350.00	2,520.00	*
Dalton, Marshall B	172–174 High st	3—1950	5,103.00	1,953.00	*
Dalton, Marshall B	184 High st	3—1950	9,135.00	2,835.00	*
La Touraine Coffee	291 Atlantic av	3—1950	6,615.00	1,260.00	*
Williams, Moses	83–87 Summer st	3—1950	22,050.00	9,135.00	†
Natl. Wool Marketing Corp	419 Summer st	6—1950	26,334.00	1,764.00	†
Frank, Arthur B	2996 Washington st	11—1950	264.60	220.50	=
Pilgrim Theatres	270–272 Warren st	12—1950	6,300.00	1,260.00	*
McInnes, Miriam C	Lot B, Dunbar av	17—1950	144.90	144.90	=
Jamaica Amusement Co	413 Centre st	19—1950	7,850.00	1,575.00	*
Adams, Charles F	83–87 Summer st	3—1951	21,980.00	9,106.00	†
Cohen, Abraham, Trustee	615 Washington st	3—1951	28,260.00	2,512.00	†
Dalton, Marshall B	172–174 High st	3—1951	5,086.80	1,946.80	*
Dalton, Marshall B	176–184 High st	3—1951	9,106.00	2,826.00	*
Friedman, Adelaide	115–119 Chauncy st	3—1951	23,550.00	3,140.00	*
Karolik, Maxim	159 Tremont st	3—1951	17,270.00	6,280.00	*
La Touraine Coffee	291 Atlantic av	3—1951	6,594.00	1,256.00	*
Quincy Market Cold Storage	150 Atlantic av	3—1951	78,500.00	15,700.00	†
MacDonald, John D	Vacant lot, Bay State rd	5—1951	270.04	254.17	=
National Wool Marketing Corp	419 Summer st	6—1951	26,250.40	1,758.40	†
Frank, Arthur B	2996 Washington st	11—1951	263.76	219.80	=
Frank, Arthur B	2998 Washington st	11—1951	263.76	199.96	=
Homsi, Mary D	255 Warren st	12—1951	471.00	471.00	=
Homsi, Mary D	257 Warren st	12—1951	439.60	439.60	=
McGrath, John J	Lot B, Dunbar av	17—1951	144.44	144.44	=

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* Appellate Tax Board Settlement. ¶ Illegal assessment. ‖ Chapter 59–5.
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‡ Overvaluation Settlement by Board of Assessors. x Chapter 231.

Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
McGrath John J	Lot C, Dunbar av	17—1951	$138.16	$138.16	=
Vateo Manufacturing Co., Inc	109 Brookline av	21—1951	17,270.00	1,881.00	*
Boston & Lockport Block Co	100 Condor st	1—1952	20,106.80	9,352.00	*
Boston & Lockport Block Co	110 Condor st	1—1952	10,975.21	3,026.01	*
Adams, Charles F	83-87 Summer st	3—1952	23,380.00	9,686.00	†
Cohen, Abraham, Trustee	613 Washington st	3—1952	30,060.00	7,682.00	†
Cohen, Albert A	207 Commercial st	3—1952	6,350.00	2,627.50	=
Dalton, Marshall B	172-171 High st	3—1952	5,110.80	2,070.80	*
Dalton, Marshall B	176-181 High st	3—1952	9,686.00	3,006.00	*
Day Trust Co	111 Devonshire st	3—1952	33,400.00	3,340.00	*
Friedman, Adelaide	105-115 Chauncy st	3—1952	25,050.00	3,340.00	*
Halloran, James F., Trustee	295-297 Congress st	3—1952	8,350.00	1,670.00	*
Karolik, Maxim	159 Tremont st	3—1952	18,370.00	6,680.00	*
Kresge, S. S., Co	177 Washington st	3—1952	136,910.00	18,370.00	*
La Touraine Coffee	291 Atlantic av	3—1952	7,014.00	1,336.00	*
The New England Trust Co.	135 Devonshire st	3—1952	40,080.00	11,690.00	†
Prudential Insurance Co	153 Washington st	3—1952	71,810.00	8,350.00	*
Quincy Market Cold Storage	150 Atlantic av	3—1952	83,500.00	16,700.00	†
Kaufman, A. H	337 Huntington av	4—1952	11,690.00	1,336.00	*
University Club	36 Trinity pl	4—1952	40,080.00	6,680.00	*
Boston, Worcester & New York St. Ry. Co.	8 Broadway	5—1952	17,234.40	2,872.40	*
Boston, Worcester & New York St. Ry. Co.	35 Eliot st	5—1952	5,076.80	1,068.80	*
Cosgrove, Howard S	18 Beacon st	5—1952	8,681.00	668.00	*
Gordon, Maurice	111 Park Drive	5—1952	7,348.00	1,002.00	*
MacDonald, John D	Vacant lot, Bay State rd	5—1952	287.24	247.16	=
Atlas Terminal, Inc	308-316 Congress st	6—1952	23,046.00	3,671.00	*
National Wool Marketing Corp	119 Summer st	6—1952	27,922.40	1,870.40	†
Prada, Manuel M	500 Summer st	6—1952	3,006.00	1,002.00	=
National Lead Co. of Mass	800 Albany st	8—1952	10,688.00	1,670.00	*
Frank, Arthur B	2996 Washington st	11—1952	280.56	233.80	=
Frank, Arthur B	2998 Washington st	11—1952	280.56	233.80	=
Homsi, Mary D	257 Warren st	12—1952	467.60	217.60	=
Homsi, Mary D	225 Warren st	12—1952	501.00	251.00	=
Silva, Jose M., Trustee	358 Walnut av	12—1952	2,201.40	200.40	†
McGrath, John J	Lot B, Dunbar av	17—1952	153.61	153.61	=
McGrath, John J	Lot C, Dunbar av	17—1952	146.96	146.96	=
Vateo Mfg. Co	109 Brookline av	21—1952	18,370.00	2,001.00	*
Rogal, Barry L	93-129 Braintree st	22—1952	28,056.00	9,686.00	*
Porter Orlean Realty	175 Orleans st	1—1953	15,200.50	1,111.00	*
Boston & Lockport Block Co	110 Condor st	1—1953	11,616.01	3,202.71	*
Boston & Lockport Block Co	100 Condor st	1—1953	21,280.70	9,898.00	*
Adams, Charles F	83 Summer st	3—1953	21,745.00	10,251.50	†
Boston Safe Deposit & Trust Co	508 Washington st	3—1953	28,280.00	4,567.22	*
Clark, Harold L., Trustee	516 Washington st	3—1953	11,140.00	2,283.61	*
Cohen, Abraham, Trustee	613 Washington st	3—1953	31,815.00	8,130.50	†
Cohen, Albert A	207 Commercial st	3—1953	8,837.50	3,817.80	=
Dalton, Marshall B	171 High st	3—1953	5,726.70	2,191.70	*
Dalton, Marshall B	176-181 High st	3—1953	10,251.50	3,181.50	*
Day Trust Co	111 Devonshire st	3—1953	35,350.00	3,535.00	*
Friedman, Adelaide	105-115 Chauncy st	3—1953	26,512.50	3,535.00	*
Girard, Stephen S	36-46 Boylston st	3—1953	16,261.00	4,595.50	*
Halloran, James F., Trustee	295-297 Congress st	3—1953	8,837.50	1,767.50	*
Karolik, Maxim	159 Tremont st	3—1953	20,305.01	7,932.51	*
Kresge, S. S., Co	177 Washington st	3—1953	111,935.00	19,112.50	*
New England Trust Co., The	135 Devonshire st	3—1953	42,420.00	12,372.50	*
Prudential Ins. Co	153 Washington st	3—1953	76,002.50	8,837.50	*
Quincy Mkt. Cold Storage	150 Atlantic av	3—1953	88,375.00	17,675.00	†
Quincy Mkt. Cold Storage	1 Eastern av	3—1953	55,711.60	6,221.60	†
Shoolman, Max	210 Washington st	3—1953	47,722.50	9,541.50	*
Watson, Irene B	501 Washington st	3—1953	21,210.00	3,421.88	*
White, R. H., Realty Co	512 Washington st	3—1953	42,420.00	6,850.83	*
White, R. H., Realty Co	518 Washington st	3—1953	197,960.00	31,970.51	*
White, R. H., Realty Co	538 Washington st	3—1953	21,210.00	3,421.88	*
White, R. H., Realty Co	542 Washington st	3—1953	17,675.00	2,856.28	*
White, R. H., Realty Co	552 Washington st	3—1953	9,544.50	1,541.26	*
University Club	36-10 Trinity pl	4—1953	12,120.00	7,070.00	*
Boston, Worcester & New York St. Ry. Co	35 Eliot st	5—1953	5,373.20	1,131.20	*
Boston, Worcester & New York St. Ry. Co	8 Broadway	5—1953	18,210.60	3,040.10	*
Cosgrove, Howard S	18 Beacon st	5—1953	9,191.00	1,411.00	*
Gordon, Maurice	111 Park Drive	5—1953	7,777.00	1,060.50	*
MacDonald, John D	Vacant lot, Bay State rd	5—1953	304.01	282.80	=
Atlas Terminal, Inc	308-316 Congress st	6—1953	21,391.50	3,888.50	*
Northeastern Distributors, Inc	Rear 319 A st	6—1953	8,625.40	2,103.80	*
Natl. Wool Marketing Corp	119 Summer st	6—1953	29,552.60	1,979.60	†
Prada, Manuel M	500 Summer st	6—1953	3,181.50	1,060.50	=
Natl. Lead Co. of Mass	800 Albany st	8—1953	11,312.00	1,767.50	†
Frank, Arthur B	2996 Washington st	11—1953	296.91	247.15	=
Frank, Arthur B	2998 Washington st	11—1953	296.91	247.45	=
Homsi, Mary D	255 Warren st	12—1953	530.25	280.25	=
Homsi, Mary D	257 Warren st	12—1953	494.90	244.90	=
Silva, Jose M., Trustee	358 Walnut av	12—1953	2,333.10	212.10	†
Walsh, Wm	Lot B, Dunbar av	17—1953	162.61	162.61	=
Walsh, Wm	Lot C, Dunbar av	17—1953	155.51	155.51	=
Neustadt, Roland I	88 Prospect st	20—1953	275.73	275.73	§
Vateo Mfg. Co., Inc	109 Brookline av	21—1953	19,112.50	2,121.00	*
Rogal, Harry L., et al	93-129 Braintree st	22—1953	29,694.00	10,251.50	*
Boston & Lockport Block Co	140 Condor st	1—1954	11,168.11	3,161.91	*
Boston & Lockport Block Co	100-110 Condor st	1—1954	21,009.80	9,772.00	*
Crest Real Estate Co	18-20 Meridian st	1—1954	2,094.00	698.00	*
General Foods Corp	2 New st	1—1954	3,922.76	781.76	*
General Foods Corp	4 New st	1—1954	12,215.00	6,282.00	*
General Foods Corp	Picketts Wharf	1—1954	3,141.00	488.60	*
Porter Orleans Realty	175 Orleans street	1—1954	15,007.00	6,282.00	*

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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Printing Section.

Cornelius J. Linehan, 40 Francis street, Roxbury, job pressman, $89.23 a week.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Thomas Keeley, 65 Saxton street, Dorchester, interior electrical inspector, $75.50 a week.

Anthony Agresti, 82 West Canton street, interior electrical inspector, $70.50 a week.

CITY PLANNING BOARD.

Lloyd E. Sinclair, 121 Charles street, senior planner, $90.50 a week

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Herbert T. White, 120 Central avenue, Hyde Park, fire fighter, $79.50 a week.

Anne M. Grafton, 259 West Third street, South Boston, clerk and stenographer, $43 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Health Division.

Bernice S. Krieger, 38 Lorne street, Dorchester, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Beverly Wilson, 37 Grove street, X-ray technician, $45.50 a week.

Claire Griffin, 938 East Broadway, South Boston, laboratory technician, $60.50 a week.

Irene Stempkowska, 627 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, medical social worker, $68 a week.

Claire Carolan, 6 Hobson street, West Roxbury, medical social worker, $65.50 a week.

Mary F. Byrne, 123 Bennett street, Brighton, medical social worker, $65.50 a week.

Anne Groden, 60 Redgate road, West Roxbury, medical social worker, $73 a week.

Joan K. Enos, 10 Hunnewell avenue, Brighton, medical social worker, $73 a week.

Ruth Bauer, 74 West Cedar street, medical social worker, $73 a week.

John D. O'Hara, 75 Gainsborough street, medical social worker, $65.50 a week.

Paul R. Bernier, 13 Marlborough street, medical social worker, $65.50 a week.

Joseph V. Kane, 277 Centre street, Jamaica Plain, X-ray technician, $45.50 a week.

William A. Sullivan, 1 Tobin court, Roxbury, electrician, $63 a week.

Eugene Chase, 4 Juniper terrace, Roxbury, clerk, $43 a week.

Paul J. Murphy, 14 Bellaire road, Roslindale, laboratory assistant, $45.50 a week.

Thomas J. McNicholas, 59 Freeport street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $50.50 a week.

Dorothy Paolini, 21A Lincoln street, Brighton, laboratory technician, $58 a week.

Sophie Miller, 60 Rockwood street, Jamaica Plain, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Mary S. Byrne, 114 King street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $45.50 a week.

Helena P. Bird, 108 Mt. Pleasant avenue, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Mary E. Hanley, 33 Percival street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Miriam E. Keating, 306 Bolton street, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Barbara M. Mogan, 639 East Second street, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Theresa J. Mogan, 639 East Second street, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Sarah Connolly, 491 Dudley street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Doris E. Stewart, 125 O street, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Kathryn E. Brown, 9 Carlow street, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Edith C. Dansreau, 9 Chilcott place, Jamaica Plain, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Mary Maccie, 78 Leyden street, East Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Catherine Ferrero, 567 Dudley street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Nellie M. Button, 157 Roxbury street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Mary C. Lynch, 16 Fifield street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Minnie R. James, 50 Cliff street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Noella J. Hall, 257 Warren street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Rose R. Sears, 59 Gordon street, Hyde Park, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Elsie T. Hanson, 84 Coleman street, Dorchester, hospital medcial worker, $43 a week.

Catherine T. O'Callaghan, 1521 Washington street, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Theresa D. Kelly, 26 Drayton avenue, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Margaret Hardiman, 285 Roxbury street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Florence Sullivan, 252 Dudley street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Stella M. Irving, 180 Ruggles street, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Catherine E. Patrikonis, 7 Saxton street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Audrey Seward, 28 Brookside avenue, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Mary A. Hoar, 70 Burrell street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Florence Hutchinson, 383 Talbot avenue, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Dorothy M. Manning, 331 E street, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Elizabeth Lunnin, 921 Albany street, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Isabel A. Zingale, 53 Barton street, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Margaret Kelley, 439 East Sixth street, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Bertha M. Marks, 186 Ruggles street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

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Name of Person Assessed	Location of Property	Ward Year	Tax	Amount of Tax Abated	Reason for Abatement
Schrafft & Sons	529–543 Main st	2—1954	$145,358.50	$19,718.50	*
Boston Safe Deposit & Trust Co	508 Washingtou st	3—1954	27,920.00	4,509.08	*
Clark, Harold I., Trustee	546 Washington st	3—1954	13,960.00	2,254.54	*
Cohen, Abraham, Trustee	613 Washington st	3—1954	31,410.00	8,027.00	*
Cohen, Albert A.	207 Commercial st	3—1954	8,027.00	3,769.20	=
Cook, Sydney D.	22–24 Winter st	3—1954	48,511.00	15,356.00	*
Dalton, Marshall B	172–174 High st	3—1954	5,653.80	2,163.80	*
Dalton, Marshall B	176–184 High st	3—1954	10,121.00	3,141.00	*
Day Trust Co	111 Devonshire st	3—1954	34,900.00	3,490.00	*
Fenway Realty Co	1136 Washington st	3—1954	10,470.00	2,094.00	*
Friedman, Adelaide	105–115 Chauncy st	3—1954	26,175.00	3,490.00	*
Gardiner, John H	83–87 Summer st	3—1954	24,430.00	10,121.00	*
Girard, Stephen S	38–42 Boylston st	3—1954	16,054.00	4,537.00	*
Karolik, Maxim	159 Tremont st	3—1954	20,046.56	7,831.56	*
Kresge, S. S., Co.	477 Washington st	3—1954	143,030.00	19,195.00	*
La Touraiue Coffee	291 Atlantic av	3—1954	7,329.00	1,396.00	*
New England Trust Co., The	135 Devonshire st	3—1954	38,390.00	8,725.00	*
O'Brien, Thomas F., Trustee	38–48 Hanover st	3—1954	13,960.00	5,235.00	*
Shoolman, Max, Trustee	210 Washington st	3—1954	47,115.00	9,423.00	*
125 Summer st., Trustee	123–129 Summer st	3—1954	10,470.00	2,094.00	*
Roessle, John, Heirs	597 Washington st	3—1954	27,930.00	5,235.00	*
Prudential Ins. Co	453 Washington st	3—1954	75,035.00	8,725.00	*
Quincy Market Cold Storage	150 Atlantic ave	3—1954	87,250.00	17,450.00	†
Quincy Market Cold Storage	1 Eastern av	3—1954	55,002.40	6,142.40	†
Slater, Albert M.	28–30 Avery st	3—1954	4,537.00	1,047.00	*
Slater, Albert M., Trustee	176½ Tremont st	3—1954	38,843.70	8,131.70	*
Slater, Albert M., Trustee	Es Tremont st	3—1954	349.00	69.80	*
Slater, Albert M., Trustee	Tremont st	3—1954	2,792.00	698.00	*
Som Ar Holding Co	31 Lancaster st	3—1954	5,095.40	2,443.00	*
Som Ar Holding Co	73 Causeway st	3—1954	1,256.40	418.80	*
State Street Trust Co	512 Washington st	3—1954	17,450.00	2,819.92	*
291 Washiugton St	295 Washington st	3—1954	47,115.00	6,980.00	*
Watson, Irene B	504 Washington st	3—1954	20,940.00	3,378.32	*
White, R. H., Realty Co	512 Washington st	3—1954	41,880.00	6,763.62	*
White, R. H., Realty Co	518 Washington st	3—1954	195,544.00	31,563.56	*
White, R. H., Realty Co	538 Washington st	3—1954	20,940.00	3,378.32	*
White, R. H., Realty Co	552 Washington st	3—1954	9,423.00	1,521.64	*
Ashkenazy, David, Trustee	572 Huntington av	4—1954	8,236.40	1,256.40	*
Ashkenazy, David, Trustee	574 Huntington av	4—1954	8,166.60	1,186.60	*
University Club	36 Trinity pl	4—1954	41,880.00	6,980.00	*
Boston, Worcester & N.Y. St. Ry. Co.	8 Broadway	5—1954	18,008.40	3,001.40	*
Bostou, Worcester& N.Y.St. Ry. Co.	Ns Eliot st	5—1954	5,304.80	1,166.80	*
Colourpicture Realty	388–392 Newbury st	5—1954	4,537.33	698.00	*
Cosgrove, Edward S.	48 Beacon st	5—1954	9,074.00	698.00	*
Fenway Realty Co	121 Park Drive	5—1954	7,678.00	349.00	*
Gordon, Maurice	111 Park Drive	5—1954	7,678.00	1,047.00	*
MacDonald John D	Vacant lot, Bay State rd.	5—1954	300.14	279.20	=
New England Land Co	192 Commonwealth av	5—1954	12,215.00	2,582.60	*
Reynolds, Embler	6 St. Charles st	5—1954	244.30	69.80	*
Atlas Terminal St	308–316 Congress st	6—1954	24,081.00	3,839.00	*
Boston Wharf Co	Rear 319 A st	6—1954	8,515.60	2,373.20	*
National Wool Marketing Corp	419 Summer st	6—1954	29,176.40	1,954.40	†
Prada, Manuel M	500 Summer st	6—1954	3,141.00	1,047.00	=
Galer, John	708–714 Dudley st	7—1954	3,839.00	698.00	*
National Lead Co. of Mass.	800 Albany st	8—1954	11,168.00	1,745.00	*
Larkin, William B.	24 Linwood st	11—1954	223.36	34.90	*
Larkin, William B.	26 Linwood st	11—1954	223.36	34.90	*
Homsi, Mary D.	255 Warren st	12—1954	523.50	523.50	=
Homsi, Mary D.	257 Warren st	12—1954	488.60	488.60	=
Fenway Realty Co.	111 Washington st	14—1954	6,980.00	698.00	*
Prime Kosher Market	9 Livingston st	14—1954	3,071.20	279.20	*
Schaffer, Samuel, Trustee	175 Walnut st	16—1954	837.60	139.60	*
Schaffer, Samuel, Trustee	161 Walnut st	16—1954	6,980.00	3,490.00	*
Walsh, Wm.	Lot B, Dunbar av	17—1954	160.54	160.54	=
Walsh, Wm.	Lot C, Dunbar av	17—1954	153.56	153.56	=
Seif, Sophia B.	160 Lamartine st	19—1954	2,443.00	488.60	*
Vateo Mfg. Co.	109 Brookline av	21—1954	19,195.00	2,094.00	*
Rogal, Harry, et al	93–129 Braintree st	22—1954	29,316.00	10,121.00	*
Boston & Lockport Block Co.	140 Condor st	1—1955	11,468.14	3,161.94	*
Boston & Lockport Block Co.	100–110 Condor st	1—1955	21,009.80	9,772.00	*
Porter Orleans Realty	175 Orleans st	1—1955	15,007.00	6,282.00	*
Woodshole Oceanograph	2 New st	1—1955	3,922.76	781.76	*
Woodshole Oceanograph	4 New st	1—1955	12,215.00	6,282.00	*
Woodshole Oceanograph	Picketts Wharf	1—1955	3,141.00	488.60	*
Schrafft, W. F., & Son	529 Main st	2—1955	145,358.50	19,718.50	*
Birms Realty Corp	121 Portland st	3—1955	13,960.00	3,490.00	*
Doe, Wm. A. aud Lelia	33 Court st	3—1955	6,980.00	1,396.00	*
Foster, Edith	52–56 Summer st	3—1955	21,987.00	8,027.00	*
N. E. Center Hospital	744 Washington st	3—1955	13,960.00	13,960.00	‖
O'Brien, Thomas F., Trustee	38–48 Hanover st	3—1955	13,960.00	5,235.00	*
Grand Lodge of Masons	51–53 Boylston st	3—1955	66,310.00	9,946.50	*
University Club	36–40 Trinity pl	4—1955	41,880.00	6,980.00	*
Bunker, Ichabod	Vacant lot, Baker st	20—1955	1,423.92	69.80	=
PERSONAL PROPERTY.					
Mahler, Alfred	2167 Washington st	9—1950	$252.00	$94.50	=
Zimmerman, Ida S.	1066 Blue Hill av	14—1950	315.00	252.00	=
Mahler, Alfred	2167 Washington st	9—1951	251.20	94.20	=
Zimmerman, Ida S.	1056 Blue Hill av	14—1951	314.00	251.20	=
Mezzetti, Olindy J.	South Station	3—1952	601.20	601.20	*
Mahler, Alfred	2167 Washington st	9—1952	237.20	100.20	=
Zimmerman, Ida S.	1066 Blue Hill av	14—1952	334.00	267.20	=
Mahler, Alfred	2167 Washington st	9—1953	282.80	106.05	=
Zimmerman, Ida S.	1066 Blue Hill av	14—1953	353.50	205.17	=
Market Basket Stores	Various locations	3—1954	523.50	523.50	*
Mahler, Alfred	2167 Washington st	9—1954	279.20	104.70	=
Market Basket Stores	924 Morton st	17—1954	34.90	34.90	*
Mahler, Alfred	2167 Washington st	9—1955	279.20	104.70	=

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

(Continued from page 1463.)

Sanatorium Division.

Walter Bentley, 25 Station street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $13 a week.

John Galvin, 136 Wrentham street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $13 a week.

Lawrence Delaney, 671 Massachusetts avenue, hospital kitchen worker, $18 a week.

Dorothy L. Budvits, 58 Burnett street, Jamaica Plain, hospital laundry worker, $13 a week.

Helen Flanders, 25 Bridge street, Quincy, registered graduate nurse, part time, $1.70 an hour.

Thomas Crehan, 812 Huntington avenue, hospital medical worker, $13 a week.

Long Island Division.

Vincent Rogers, 4 Charles street, Dorchester, hospital kitchen worker, $13 a week.

Catherine Regan, 91 Blue Hill avenue, Roxbury, hospital kitchen worker, $18 a week.

Rosemary C. Bradley, 500 La Grange street, West Roxbury, organist, $50.50 a week.

Walter F. Hill, 112 Park street, Dorchester, attendant nurse, $13 a week.

Francis X. Norton, 60B Memorial Drive, East Weymouth, clerk and typist, $13 a week.

Amelia Gaffey, 295 Newbury street, attendant nurse, $13 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Simon Liebster, 11 Wilmore street, Mattapan, laborer, $60.50 a week.

John F. Thornton, 31 Tremlett street, Dorchester, cemetery chapel custodian, $53 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Sumner Tunnel.

James V. Duffy, 192 Milton street, Dorchester, electrician operator, $68 a week.

James J. Coughlin, Sr., 1551 Centre street, Roslindale, electrician operator, $68 a week.

Water Division.

Walter L. Banks, 6 Moreland street, Roxbury, laborer, $50.50 a week.

Joseph L. Lang, 395 West Fourth street, South Boston, laborer, $53 a week.

Changes in Status.

BOSTON RETIREMENT BOARD.

James R. Burns, 26 Draper street, Dorchester, from pension examiner, permanent, at $68 a week to principal clerk and typist, temporary, at $70.50 a week.

Elizabeth C. McGettrick, 90 Bourne street, Jamaica Plain, from principal clerk and typist, permanent, at $80 a week to head clerk, temporary, at $87 a week.

Anna J. Casey, 58 Chestnut street, Charlestown, from head clerk, permanent, at $87 a week to disability pension analyst, temporary, at $87 a week.

Charles R. Curran, 5 Vinson street, Dorchester, from senior account clerk, permanent, at $63 a week to pension examiner, temporary, at $65.50 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Edith Ali, 11 East Newton street, from laboratory assistant at $53 a week to laboratory technician at $60.50 a week.

Mary E. Kelley, 182 Mt. Vernon street, West Roxbury, from laboratory assistant at $53 a week to laboratory technician at $60.50 a week.

Anthony Arpino, 6 Noble court, East Boston, from hospital medical worker at $50.50 a week to ambulance and medical aid man, temporary, at $53 a week.

Marjorie McLaughlin, 472 East Third street, South Boston, from laboratory assistant at $53 a week to laboratory technician at $60.50 a week.

Irene Shevchuck, 169 Quincy street, Roxbury, from hospital medical worker at $50.50 a week to hospital house worker at $50.50 a week.

Long Island Division.

Mary E. Mulhall, 21 Oakley street, Dorchester, from clerk and typist at $48 a week to senior clerk and typist, temporary, at $55.50 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Robert M. Fitzgerald, 5 O'Connell road, Dorchester, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior clerk and typist, temporary, at $55.50 a week.

Highway Division.

Roderick G. Maginnis, 275 West Fifth street, South Boston, from junior engineering aid at $63 a week to senior engineering aid, temporary, at $73 a week.

Leo G. Costello, 18 Spring Valley road, West Roxbury, from junior engineering aid at $63 a week to senior engineering aid, temporary, at $73 a week.

Sanitary Division.

Joseph F. O'Brien, 112 Richmond street, Dorchester, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week to laborer at $58 a week.

James H. Sullivan, 15 Harvard terrace, Allston, from street cleaning and waste collection inspector at $80 a week to district supervisor, street cleaning and waste collection, temporary, at $83.50 a week.

Sewer Division.

John F. MacDonald, 1 James avenue, South Boston, from tide gate repairman at $68 a week to motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week.

Promotions.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Health Division.

William F. McOsker, 550 Centre street, Jamaica Plain, from clerk and typist at $45.50 a week to senior clerk and typist (temporary, 6 months) at $55.50 a week.

Transfers.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

James M. Doherty, 295 Bunker Hill street, Charlestown, from Public Works Department, Water Division, as senior account clerk at $55.50 a week to Public Works Department, Highway Division, as principal clerk, temporary, at $65.50 a week.

Michael S. Hardiman, 434 Centre street, Jamaica Plain, from Public Works Department, Sanitary Division, as laborer at $58 a week to Public Works Department, Automotive Division, as laborer at $58 a week.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Cornelius J. Connolly, 1597 Tremont street, from Veterans' Services Department as clerk and typist at $48 a week to Treasury Department, Collecting Division, as clerk and typist at $48 a week.

Leaves of Absence.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Health Division.

Jean Antonellis, 260 North Harvard street, Brighton, public health nurse, $68 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Lillian Carroll, 51 Woodgate street, Dorchester, telephone operator, $60.50 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Bridge Division.

Daniel F. Coughlin, 52 Dexter road, Lexington, bridge construction inspector, $80 a week.

Step-Rate Increases.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Printing Section.

Mary A. Driscoll, senior clerk and typist, temporary, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Purchasing Division.

Anthony Landolfi, 62 Auburn street, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

Harry Murphy, traffic investigator, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Barbara Scolponeti, senior clerk and stenographer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Health Division.

Frederick W. Hanson, Jr., public health dentist, from $83.50 to $90.50 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Long Island Division.

William F. McGowan, principal hospital kitchen worker, from $63 to $68 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Thomas H. Donnelly, junior civil engineer, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Andrew J. Magri, laborer, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

William F. Malloy, laborer, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

Joseph M. O'Brien, yardman, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Arline S. Ritchie, matron, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Ernest J. Carson, grave digger, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

John R. Cataldo, grave digger, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

Mary F. McHale, matron, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Loreto Tempesta, laborer, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

Arthur Gott, third-class stationary engineer, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Robert B. McDonough, tree maintenance inspector, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Automotive Division.

Donald P. Fitzgerald, garage foreman, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Thomas H. Flynn, principal account clerk, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

John F. Murphy, senior clerk and typist, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

William P. Pacitto, motor equipment repairman, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Sewer Division.

Frank T. McMahon, sewer gateman, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Sumner Tunnel.

Matthew J. Farrell, laborer, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

Buildings Division.

Joseph Silva, senior building custodian, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Michael Powers, junior building custodian, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

VETERANS' SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Frank J. Bachoff, 20 Faulkner street, Dorchester, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Dorothy DeForge, social worker, from $73 to $80 a week.

Esther Emerson, clerk, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Frances P. Murphy, clerk, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Beatrice Kanter, clerk and typist, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Helen Meffan, clerk and typist, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Jennie Pennellatore, clerk and typist, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Beulah Wood, clerk and typist, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Daniel I. Cronin, deputy welfare agent, from $160.50 to $165.25 a week.

Jane Kiernan, senior clerk and typist, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Mary Lucas, senior clerk and typist, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Mary F. White, senior clerk and typist, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Ellen Byrne, social worker, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Edward Davidson, social worker, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Wayfarers' Lodge.

George Crawford, watchman, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

MUNICIPAL COURT, WEST ROXBURY DISTRICT.

Florence M. Hayes, senior clerk, from $126.15 to $131.59 semimonthly.

Agnes M. Boyle, second assistant clerk, from $189.23 to $196.84 semimonthly.

REGISTRY OF DEEDS.

Lawrence J. Fallon, head clerk, from $87 to $90.50 a week.

Philip G. Gentile, senior clerk, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Ruth A. Gorman, clerk, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Mary M. Brinkman, clerk, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Anne M. Grant, clerk, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Ruth A. Moriarty, clerk, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following requests:

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

For the week ending November 22:

Michael McElhinney, 15 hours at $3 an hour.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

For the week ending November 29:

Harry L. McGuire, tree maintenance foreman, 13 hours at $3 an hour; William E. Collins, general foreman park maintenance, 15 hours at $3 an hour; Arthur A. English, superintendent park maintenance, 28 hours at $3 an hour; Joseph M. Walsh, superintendent automotive maintenance, 23 hours at $3 an hour; John J. Hammond, general foreman, 8 hours at $3 an hour; Frank McGrath, general foreman, 9 hours at $3 an hour; David C. Walsh, park maintenanee foreman, 15 hours at $3 an hour.

Cemetery Division.

Edwin W. Banks, cemetery foreman, 42 hours at $2 an hour.

VETERAN'S RETIREMENT.

The Mayor has approved the following veteran's application for retirement:

Jeremiah J. Keohane, 16 Elmore street, Roxbury, laborer, Sanitary Division, Public Works Department.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award the contracts for work, materials, and supplies, in accordance with recommendations of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Purchasing Division.

Upon November 23 the Mayor approved a contract with Walworth Company for furnishing copper tubing to the Water Division of the Public Works Department. Approximate total amount of contract was $5,536, less one half of 1 per cent discount, 10th proximo, net, 30 days.

Bids, opened November 15, were as follows:

Requisition No. 480.

12,000 Feet ¾-Inch Copper Tubing, Type K, 60-Foot Coils, As Specified, Per Foot.—George A. Hamlin & Co., 51 cents; Walworth Company, 46.14 cents.*

Discount.—George A. Hamlin & Co., one half of 1 per cent, 10 days; Walworth Company, one half of 1 per cent, 10th proximo, net, 30 days.

Trade Name of Product Upon Which Bid is Based.— Walworth Company, American Brass Company.

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—George A. Hamlin & Co., two weeks; Walworth Company, one week.

Remarks.— Walworth Company, all orders are accepted with the understanding that prices to apply will be those in effect at the time of shipment; to the prices and terms quoted there will be added any manufacturers' or sales' tax payable on the transaction under any effective statute.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon November 23 the Mayor approved a contract with lowest bidders for furnishing X-ray equipment to the Boston City Hospital. Approximate total amounts of contracts were as follows:

Atlantex Corporation, $16,500; Picker X-Ray Corporation, $10,504.50; Discount for both companies was 2 per cent, time of payment.

Requisition No. 9770.

Item 1. 1 90° Two-Way Tilting Table; 1 Photo-Timer Amplifier and Photo-Timing Tube Protective Device; 1 Ceiling Mounted X-Ray Tubecrane, As Per Specifications.

Total Lump Sum Bid, Including Allowance on Old Equipment, As Per Specifications.—Picker X-Ray Corporation, $10,504.50*; Keleket X-Ray Corporation, $11,550.

Earliest Complete Delivery Date as Well As Period Estimated for Completion.—Picker X-Ray Corporation, delivery time 18 weeks from receipt of order, completion of installation one week after arrival of equipment at the hospital; Keleket X-Ray Corporation, 30 days after receipt of order, installation to be completed within 60 days after receipt of order.

Discount.—Picker X-Ray Corporation, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Requisition No. 9771.

Item 2. X-Ray Equipment for Gastro-intestinal Radiographic and Fluoroscopic Room, Thorndike Building, As Per Detailed Specifications.

Total Lump Sum Bid, Including Allowance on Old Equipment, As Per Specifications.—Atlantex Corporation, $16,500*; General Electric Company, $19,415; Picker X-Ray Corporation, $19,668.

Complete Delivery Date As Well As Period Estimated for Completion of the Project.—Atlantex Corporation, 30 to 60 days from receipt of order; General Electric Company, delivery completion, 90 days, project completion, 130 days; Picker X-Ray Corporation, delivery time 18 weeks from receipt of order, completion of installation one week after arrival of equipment at the hospital.

Discount.—Atlantex Corporation, 2 per cent, time of payment; General Electric Company, net, cash, 30 days, city pay day; Picker X-Ray Corporation, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Remarks.—Keleket X-Ray Corporation, front page missing on Auditor's copy.

* Contract awarded.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

Upon November 29 the Mayor approved a contract for the erecting and completing of an off-street parking structure on St. James avenue, Boston, to the S. & A. Allen Construction Company, Inc., in the total amount of $1,280,000. Bids were as follows:

S. & A. Allen Construction Company, Inc., $1,280,000; John Rugo, Inc., $1,288,000; John Bowen Company, Inc., $1,288,100; John A. Volpe Construction Company, Inc., $1,352,046; C. J. Maney Company, Inc., $1,366,900; J. F. Fitzgerald Construction Company, $1,399,942; B. Perini & Sons, Inc., $1,436,351.

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Upon November 29 the Mayor approved a contract for the construction of an open-air suburban off-street parking facility on the northerly side of River street, between Blue Hill avenue and Fremont street, Dorchester, to Old Colony Construction Company of Quincy, in the total amount of $35,500. Bids were as follows:

Old Colony Construction Company of Quincy, $35,500; J. A. Singarella Company, $39,293; A. Singarella & Sons, Inc., $42,468; Joseph P. McCabe, Inc., $49,000.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

The School Committee has approved proposals for furnishing pianos for Boston public schools. Bids, opened Wednesday, October 19, were received from the following concerns:

Norris & Co., Inc., Baldwin Piano Company, M. Steinert & Sons Company, Inc.

Award was made to the lowest responsible bidder, as follows:

Norris & Co., Inc., $4,785.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

Upon varying dates as noted the Mayor approved contracts with contractors, business houses, etc., for furnishing labor, supplies, and materials. Communications from heads of the various departments indicated were as follows:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Purchasing Division.

BOSTON, November 22, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office is in receipt of a requisition from the Library Department for 12 Royal typewriters. Inasmuch as these typewriters can be purchased direct from the manufacturer, it is my opinion that no advantage would be gained by publicly advertising for prices.

Authority is therefore requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to Royal Typewriter Company, Division of Royal McBee Corporation, for the immediate delivery of 12 Royal typewriters at the prices as indicated below:

Five Royal typewriters, 11 inches, standard elite, at $182.50, $912.50; six Royal typewriters, 13 inches, standard elite, at $187.50, $1,125; one Royal typewriter, 13 inches, standard pica, at $187.50, $187.50—$2,225; less trade-in allowances on following: One Royal, X1176701, 1924, $15; one Royal, SX1477900, 1929, $15; one Royal, SX1496507, 1929, $15; one Royal, SX1512551, 1929, $15—$60—$2,165.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $2,165, net.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, November 23, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office is in receipt of a requisition from the Library Department for various items of office equipment as manufactured or distributed by A. B. Dick Products Company of Boston, Inc.

Inasmuch as this company is the only local distributor of these items, it is my opinion that no advantage would be gained by publicly advertising for prices. Authority is therefore requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to A. B. Dick Products Company of Boston, Inc., for the following items at the prices indicated, to be delivered to the Boston Public Library, Copley square:

One Model S-54 Automatic Staplex A.C., $119; one Model 57-A. B. Dick Folder A. C., $355.25; one Model D16-E Thomas Collator, $525; one Model 400-M-SCHMIM-e-o- Stencil File Cabinet, $165—$1,164.25.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $1,164.25, net, 30 days.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, November 23, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office is in receipt of a requisition from the Boston City Hospital for two gross 3½-inch Fremont Smith spinal needles. These needles are manufactured by Randall Faichney Corporation only. A price has been received from the manufacturer.

Inasmuch as these needles can be purchased direct from the manufacturer, authority is requested to dispense with public advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to Randall Faichney Corporation for delivering two gross 3½-inch Fremont Smith spinal needles, as requested, to the Boston City Hospital, at $72 per dozen, less 40 per cent.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $1,036.80, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, November 23, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office is in receipt of a requisition from the Sanatorium Division of the Hospital Department for one medical carbon dioxide analyzer, Model No. 16, 1-12 per cent, CO_2, with micro-catheter cell, and one Esterline-Angus galvanometer ink recorder for analyzer. These particular items are manufactured only by Beckman Division, Liston-Becker Plant, Beckman Instruments, Inc., Springdale, Connecticut.

Inasmuch as these items may be purchased direct from the manufacturer, it is my opinion that no advantage would be gained by publicly advertising for prices. Authority is therefore requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to Beckman Division, Liston-Becker Plant, Beckman Instruments, Inc., for the above items. Complete delivery will be approximately five weeks from receipt of contract.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $1,483, net, thirty days.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, November 23, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

On July 19, 1955, your Honor approved a contract, No. 2824, between the City of Boston and Mechanics Iron Foundry Company, for iron castings and bronze fittings to be delivered to the Sewer Division of the Public Works Department until March 31, 1956, at an amount of $20,099, net. The Mechanics Iron Foundry Company was the lower bidder on all items of the publicly opened bid of May 24, 1955. All deliveries on this contract have now been completed.

This office is now in receipt of requisitions for the immediate delivery of additional amounts of the various items included in the above-mentioned contract. The Mechanics Iron Foundry Company will deliver the amounts required at the same prices as those of their completed contract. It is therefore requested that, in view of the immediate need of some of the castings and the fact that acceptable prices have been obtained, authority be granted me to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to Mechanics Iron Foundry Company for delivering iron castings and bronze fittings as requested until March 31, 1956, at the same prices as those submitted by this company in the publicly opened bid of May 24, 1955. Items and amounts will be included as part of the contract.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $15,470, net.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, November 28, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The Paving Service of the Public Works Department is in need of 3,000 tons of sand for use in snow removal work to be delivered as requested, starting immediately, to Area A. Frank J. Guaragna, doing business as Frank J. Guaragna, contractor, the present contract holder for this district, although presently making deliveries, cannot deliver sufficient quantities to maintain an adequate stockpile.

A. A. Will Sand and Gravel Corporation, the second lowest bidder for Area A on the publicly opened bids of February 10, 1955, will furnish any amount of sand required for delivery to Area A at the prices submitted by this company on February 10, 1955.

Inasmuch as the sand is needed immediately, the proposed price which is the result of a public advertisement is acceptable, and since the company has sufficient equipment to make proper deliveries, it is my opinion that no advantage would be gained by publicly advertising for bids.

It is therefore requested that authority be granted me to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to A. A. Will Sand and Gravel Corporation for approximately 3,000 tons of concrete sand at $1.42 per ton, less 2 per cent discount, ten days from date of invoice. There will be an additional charge of $1.75 per ton for less than full loads. A full load will be a minimum of 10 tons.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $4,260, less 2 per cent discount for payment within ten days.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, November 9, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The Trustees of the Public Library respectfully request your approval of the following procedure which is strongly recommended by their consulting engineers, Gilbert Small & Co., Inc., 10 State street, Boston, Mass., whom they have engaged for the planning, supervision, and direction of the work for the completion of the roof of the Central Library building in Copley square.

Because the Central Library building is one of the ranking architectural monuments of the United States, and because the nature of the work to be done is so unusual and out of the ordinary in respect to roofing work, it is desirable for its proper performance that the work be entrusted only to a roofing contractor who is clearly experienced in the laying of tile and slate roofs. The library's engineers have indicated that there is only a limited number of firms who are in their opinion possessed of the necessary experience for doing a roof project of the sort here involved, namely:

Atlantic Roofing and Skylight Works, Inc., Burgess & Blacher Company, Cavanaugh & Farley, Inc., Paul F. Dutelle & Co., Inc., W. J. Maguire Company.

The engineers recommend therefore that for the proper performance of the work the bidding be on an invitation basis among these five firms known to be experienced in roofing of this kind and scale. All of these firms have indicated that they will submit a bid for the work. Since they are five in number, it is assured thus that there will be at least three or more bids.

The Trustees of the Library are mindful of the necessity of competitive bidding for a large project such as this. At the same time they are equally mindful of the great responsibility which rests upon them in representation of the City of Boston to be certain that the work to be undertaken is accorded the proper performance that is required for a building which is of such great importance among the architectural monuments of the country.

The Trustees of the Library therefore respectfully request your approval of the procedure outlined above for carrying out the bidding on an invitation basis among the five firms listed above rather than by publicly advertising for bids.

Respectfully,

MILTON E. LORD, *Director.*

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, November 22, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR:

I respectfully request your approval for the lease of a parcel of land on Freeport street, Dorchester, to Vernon L. Hart, of 296 Freeport street, Dorchester, for use in his small boat construction business.

This parcel comprises an area approximately 230 feet by 175 feet and is the area remaining in custody of this department after a taking by the Commonwealth for highway construction purposes, in August of 1955, of about three fourths of the total area formerly owned by the department and which had been leased to Mr. Hart since 1939. The original area included a portion of the water front, which has now been relinquished to the Commonwealth.

Mr. Hart has been paying a rental of $160 per year for the total area and in addition paid to the city the taxes assessed on the land and the three buildings erected thereon. He has offered the same rental of $160 per year for the small parcel now remaining to us.

As Mr. Hart has always been a satisfactory tenant and this department has no other use for this small remaining parcel of land, I respectfully request your permission to lease the land to him, for boat construction purposes, for a period of one year beginning November 1, 1955, and ending October 31, 1956, at a rental of $160 per year.

Respectfully yours,

FRANK R. KELLEY,
Commissioner.

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BOSTON, November 29, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR:

In connection with our Christmas Festival celebration we have issued a number of service orders for the erection of Christmas trees in various parts of the city in addition to trees and decorations that have been erected on Boston Common. It was necessary for us to visit several nurseries in order to find a sufficient number of trees for our requirements.

Two service orders issued to one concern total over $1,000 and therefore it is required that we proceed to cover these orders by a formal contract. I refer to service order No. 852 of November 16, and service order No. 876 of November 21, both issued to the Blueview Nurseries, 32 Gaston street, Roxbury.

Service order No. 852 in the amount of $900 is for the erection of six large Christmas trees at various locations within the city. Service order No. 876, in the amount of $960, calls for the furnishing of trees and labor to erect them, as indicated, of approximately 300 smaller trees on Boston Common and other public park locations in the city.

Your approval is respectfully requested to award a contract, incorporating the above-mentioned two service orders, in the total sum of $1,860, to Blueview Nurseries, 32 Gaston street, Roxbury, for furnishing and erecting Christmas trees on Boston Common and other public park locations in the city. Because of circumstances explained herein, I believe nothing would be gained by public advertising for bids.

Respectfully yours,

FRANK R. KELLEY,
Commissioner.

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BOSTON, November 30, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR SIR:

In 1948 this department purchased three Model FEM Walter trucks. At the time of the purchase of these trucks they were not equipped with air brakes. We had planned to turn in these trucks this year for new ones, but the cost for three new trucks would approximate $37,500.

The New England agent for the Walter trucks has informed us that he can install air brakes and incidental equipment in these trucks at a cost of $840.70 per truck. All other large truck equipment in this department is equipped with air brakes and, because of the size of the trucks and the traffic problems today, it is vitally important that all our trucks be so equipped. We believe this is an excellent opportunity for doing this necessary work and at the same time saving the expense in this particular year of ordering three new trucks.

The Charles N. Wood Company, 570 Arsenal street, Watertown, are the agents for the Walter trucks and, as they are the only ones we know of who are equipped to do this particular type of work on Walter trucks, we ask that we be allowed to dispense with public advertising and award a contract to the Charles N. Wood Company in the sum of $2,522.10, to be charged to Item 271 in our budget.

Respectfully yours,

FRANK R. KELLEY,
Commissioner.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, December 2, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The Real Property Board proposes to engage the services of M. A. Dyer Company, 24 School street, Boston, Mass., as architects-engineers, in connection with the proposed construction of an off-street parking facility at Central and Kilby streets, Boston.

The estimated cost of the proposed facility is approximately $1,450,000, and the architects-engineers shall be paid a standard fee equal to the sum of five and seven tenths per cent (5.7%) of the full amount of the cost of said construction, which fee would include supervision.

In view of the nature of the professional services involved, no benefit would be gained by advertising for bids, and it is respectfully requested that permission be given to award the contract to M. A. Dyer Company, without public advertising.

Respectfully submitted,

HERMAN CARP,
Commissioner of Real Property,
Chairman, Real Property Board.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

COURT HOUSE COMMISSION.

BOSTON, December 2, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MAYOR HYNES:

The Court House Commission has been requested by the District Attorney to provide additional office space for the ten additional assistants provided for his office. This requires the installation of partitions in the present Library Room of the District Attorney's office and in Rooms 803 and 811, assigned for this purpose.

As it is imperative that this work be done immediately because of the urgent need of offices for these assistants, the commission has secured bids from satisfactory contractors as follows:

Peabody Office Furniture Company, $2,797; E. F. Hauserman Company, $3,280; Bay State Office Partition Company, $3,500.

The commission, therefore, requests your permission to award a contract, without advertising, to Peabody Office Furniture Company, for the installation of these partitions at a price of $2,797. The commission feels that nothing will be gained by advertising since Peabody Office Furniture Company are experts in this work and, also, in view of the urgency, can make immediate delivery.

Very truly yours,

COURT HOUSE COMMISSION,
by ARNO I. DREW,
Chairman.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

J. D'Amico, Inc., has been directed to perform the following extra work under the contract for bituminous concrete pavement in Ansonia road, Cricket Lane, Highfield road, Ledgewood road, and Searle road, dated October 5, 1954:

In Cricket Lane, from Ledgewood road northerly and northeasterly for a distance of 405 feet.

Deliver to district No. 12 paving yard the following unused edgestone: 17.1 linear feet of new straight edgestone at $2.35 per linear foot and 31.4 linear feet of new circular edgestone at $3.42 per linear foot.

Estimated cost of extra work, $147.50.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the contract between the City of Boston Fire Department and Bennington Contracting Company, 89 Bennington street, East Boston, for painting fire alarm boxes, test posts, cable boxes, etc., from November 30, 1955, to December 31, 1955.

This extension was extended due to inclement weather.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Sanatorium Division.

(Contract for Interior Painting in Various Buildings at the Sanatorium Division.)

It is agreed that the words "one hundred twenty (120) calendar days" appearing in the contract between the City of Boston and D. M. McCartin Company, dated July 14, 1955, be stricken out and the word and figures "December 30, 1955," be substituted in their place.

All other provisions of the aforesaid contract not inconsistent herewith shall remain in full force and effect.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDER.

General Order No. 2,134.

The following-named officer having requested retirement under the provisions of the Statutes of 1892, chapter 353, as amended, for the reason that he is incapacitated, it is hereby

Ordered, His Honor the Mayor having approved the same, that he be retired from active service in the Police Department, effective Wednesday, November 30, 1955, at 5.45 o'clock P.M.:

Terrance P. McManus, detective, Bureau of Criminal Investigation, 35 years of service.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,135.

The following-named persons are hereby appointed permanent patrolmen in this department and are assigned as follows, effective Wednesday, November 30, 1955, at 11 o'clock A.M.:

Division 1.
Walter R. Goodman.

Division 2.
Francis D. Powers.

Division 4.
Robert J. Flannery, Francis P. Megnia, Charles W. Miller, Jr., Raymond O. Peterson.

Division 6.
Joseph J. Maglio, Ronald Stapleton.

Division 7.
John F. Fallon.

Division 9.
Charles J. Costa, Martin F. Mulkern.

Division 10.
Richard P. Conboy, James H. Hathaway.

Division 11.
Robert E. Munzert.

Division 13.
Robert M. Connerty.

Division 14.
Charles A. McNabb.

Division 15.
Thomas J. Olsen.

Division 16.
Robert A. Craven, David P. Flanagan, Paul L. French.

Division 17.
Edward T. Cassidy, Robert E. Woods, Jr.

Division 18.
William P. Horgan.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,136.

The following transfers are hereby ordered to take effect on Thursday, December 1, 1955, at 7.45 o'clock A.M.:

Sergt. Donald D. Penny, from Division 4 to City Prison.

Sergt. Joseph E. Ahern, from Division 6 to Division 13.

Sergt. Charles A. Donovan, from Division 10 to Division 17.

Sergt. Edmond Griffin, from Division 13 to Division 4.

Patrolman Paul J. Connors, from Division 1 to Division 8.

Patrolman John J. H. McLaughlin, from Division 3 to Division 14.

Patrolman Francis E. Devin, from Division 7 to Division 13.

Patrolman Bernard H. Minton, from Traffic Division to Superintendent's Office.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,137.

A Board of Merit, consisting of Superintendent Edward W. Fallon, Deputy Superintendents James F. Daley and James J. Hinchey, has brought to the attention of the Police Commissioner the following outstanding cases in which police officers of this department have especially distinguished themselves in the performance of their duty during the year 1955.

The Commissioner therefore makes the following awards:

THE WALTER SCOTT MEDAL FOR VALOR AND A DEPARTMENT MEDAL OF HONOR TO DETECTIVE EDWARD P. CONNOLLY, DIVISION 2.

Detective Edward P. Connolly of Division 2 is hereby awarded the Walter Scott Medal for Valor and a Department Medal of Honor for meritorious duty performed on January 6, 1955.

Detective Connolly, then a route officer, entered a theater shortly before midnight and was suddenly confronted by four men who had just robbed the theater of a large sum of money. One of these criminals covered Detective Connolly with a pistol and demanded that he surrender his service revolver. Detective Connolly defied his assailants whereupon he was shot down. The robbers fled but despite a serious chest wound Detective Connolly pursued them on foot, overtaking the automobile in which they were attempting to escape. He fired several shots into the car wounding the operator and holding the others on the floor of the car until he collapsed after the arrival of other officers on the scene.

DEPARTMENT MEDALS OF HONOR.

Patrolmen John P. Shepard, Jr., and Maurice R. Wall of Division 10 each is awarded a Department Medal of Honor for meritorious duty performed on October 12, 1954.

These officers were informed by a taxi driver that he had been robbed by two passengers. They had the victim ride with them in the radio patrol car while they proceeded to the scene of the crime and commenced a search of the neighborhood. Two men were observed walking together and as the police car approached they fled. In the ensuing pursuit one suspect fired a shot at the officers, whereupon Patrolman Shepard fired one shot and one of the men was heard to make an outcry, stumble, but managed temporarily to elude capture. His companion was captured at gun point and identified by the taxi driver. Later, the second man, with a bullet wound in his shoulder, was picked up by police of another division and identified by the victim.

Patrolman William M. Clancy of Division 1 is awarded a Department Medal of Honor for meritorious duty performed on April 7, 1955.

While on a day off, Patrolman Clancy's attention was attracted by the sound of gunfire. A man had accosted his estranged wife and apparently, upon failing to effect a reconciliation, had fired five shots at her, two of them taking effect, and then proceeded to run from the scene. Patrolman Clancy immediately gave chase and succeeded in overtaking the culprit and disarming him.

Patrolman Patrick J. Hernon and Henry J. Day of Divisions 19 and 10, respectively, each is awarded a Department Medal of Honor for meritorious police duty performed on June 30, 1955.

While Patrolman Hernon was on his way home, he was informed of a holdup in a nearby savings bank. He ran toward the scene and observed a man running from the premises and entering a car. Commandeering a passing auto, Patrolman Hernon gave chase to a point where the bandit's car was blocked by other vehicles and he had to flee on foot, running through an alley with the officer in pursuit. At this point, Patrolman Day, also off duty, who was passing in his own car, immediately grasped the situation and ran in a direction to cut off the avenue of escape. Upon

reaching the fence, the bandit turned on Patrolman Hernon and threatened him with a loaded revolver, whereupon the officer fired one shot striking him in the forehead. The bandit then jumped over the fence into the next yard where Patrolman Day was waiting, kicked the gun from his hand and both officers took him into custody. Approximately $5,000 taken from the bank was recovered. The second bandit was apprehended shortly afterwards.

Sergeant-Detective John J. Donovan of Division 3 is awarded a Department Medal of Honor for meritorious duty performed on August 12, 1955.

In the early morning, while Sergeant Donovan was riding alone on the division, he observed three men in an automobile acting suspiciously. As he approached to investigate, the car sped away without lights. The sergeant gave chase through several streets before finally forcing the car to the side of the road. At this point the operator jumped out and Sergeant Donovan, with drawn revolver, ordered all three not to make a move. He was not satisfied with their answers to his questions so he called for assistance and they were brought to the station. A search of the automobile uncovered five loaded revolvers, ammunition, burglarious tools and a large assortment of men's wearing apparel and merchandise, apparently stolen. Sergeant Donovan recognized the similarity of the prisoners' descriptions with those of men wanted for an armed holdup and ransacking of a house on Cape Cod, and the armed holdup and slugging of a motel manager in a nearby town. Subsequent investigation and interrogation linked these men with both crimes, and the firearms and merchandise stolen in breaks were identified by their rightful owners.

Patrolman Joseph W. Roy of Division 3 is awarded a Department Medal of Honor for meritorious duty performed on September 5, 1955.

While Patrolman Roy was on duty on Boston Common he observed a man whose description answered that of a photograph and teletype item issued the previous day as an escapee from State Prison where he was serving a long term for armed robbery. With drawn revolver Patrolman Roy approached the man and placed him under arrest. At the station he was identified by the Acting Warden of State Prison and turned over to him for return to the prison.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered the following construction work:

Nine rock catch basins and connections in Maryknoll street, between Morton street and Manchester street, in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of $6,000.

Two drop inlets and two catch basins converted to manhole tops in Chelsea street, at the northeasterly and southeasterly corners of Joiner street, in the Charlestown district, at an estimated cost of $1,000.

LAYING-OUT HARROW STREET, DORCHESTER.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of Harrow street, Dorchester district, as a public highway, from Humphreys street to Beckwith street, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named Harrow street is hereby laid out, from Humphreys street to Beckwith street, as a public highway and ordered constructed.

For the making of the aforesaid improvement an easement for street purposes is hereby taken in the following described land, exclusive of trees, shrubs or structures standing upon or affixed thereto:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to City of Boston, bounded:

Westerly by the easterly line of Harrow street as it existed prior to this order, twenty and 83-100 feet; northerly by the southerly line of Beckwith street as it existed prior to this order, twenty and 83-100 feet; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Harrow street as laid out under this order, twenty-seven and 03-100 feet on a curve of fourteen feet radius, containing one hundred two square feet, more or less.

Trees, shrubs or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforedescribed land shall be removed therefrom within thirty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Said Harrow street as hereby laid out is bounded:

Southeasterly by the northwesterly line of Humphreys street, thirty-eight and 46-100 feet; westerly by the westerly line of Harrow street by two measurements, one hundred forty-four and 92-100 feet and one hundred forty-seven and 43-100 feet; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Harrow street, forty and 96-100 feet; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Harrow street, fifty-two and 00-100 feet; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Harrow street by two measurements, forty and 00-100 feet and twenty-seven and 03-100 feet on a curve of fourteen feet radius; easterly by the easterly line of Harrow street by two measurements, one hundred ten and 56-100 feet and one hundred thirty-six and 62-100 feet.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvmeent.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the abutting parcels of land situated on both sides of said Harrow street will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement herein ordered; each of said parcels in the amount hereinafter respectively set against it; said parcels and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan hereinbefore referred to and on file in the office of this department.

Parcel.		Amount.
1.	Alfred J. and Laura E. Beaucaire	$209 92
2.	Charles A. Lach and Carolina Lach, Trustees	576 00
3.	Pierino G. Zocchi	432 00
4.	Irene A. Connelly	409 60
5.	Thomas P. and Elizabeth J. Broderick	463 52
6.	Frank N. and Mary A. Zuck	536 32
7.	City of Boston, T.T.	$508 80
8.	City of Boston, T.T.	688 00
9.	William J. and Julia A. Capitell	448 40
	Total	$4,272 56

Voted, That this commission determines that the undermentioned person sustains no damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the laying out and construction of Harrow street, Dorchester district, from Humphreys street to Beckwith street, under the order of this commission of November 23, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

City of Boston, 102 square feet, nothing.

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

Upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, the Mayor has approved the following claims:

Charles E. Rull, 870 East Fifth street, South Boston, to be reimbursed in the sum of $27.95, as a result of an accident which occurred on August 25, 1955, when a motor vehicle belonging to the Parks and Recreation Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Joseph P. Cunniff and operated by Barbara T. Cunniff.

James Bellino, 2 Murray court, East Boston, to be reimbursed in the sum of $46.90, as a result of an accident which occurred on July 18, 1955, when a motor truck belonging to the Water Division, Public Works Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by the Eastern Refractories Company, Inc.

Charles Horrigan, 1 Roseland street, Dorchester, to be reimbursed in the sum of $35, as a result of an accident which occurred on January 25, 1955, when a motor vehicle belonging to the Water Division, Public Works Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Charles M. Rozanski.

William E. Webster, 7 Woodford street, Dorchester, to be reimbursed in the sum of $104, as a result of an accident which occurred on May 19, 1955, when a motor vehicle belonging to the Parks and Recreation Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Paul G. Allen.

William F. Keefe, 737 Cambridge street, Brighton, to be reimbursed in the sum of $126.55, as a result of an accident which occurred on July 5, 1955, when a motor vehicle belonging to the Fire Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Patrick H. Fahey.

Concetta C. DiCara, 63 Gibson street, Dorchester, in the sum of $450, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 1512 Dorchester avenue, February 12, 1955.

Frances Bucks, 131 Columbia road, Dorchester, in the sum of $415, as compensation for personal injuries caused by tripping over a square of concrete sidewalk which was raised approximately two inches above the normal level of the adjoining squares in the sidewalk in front of 131 Columbia road, August 20, 1954.

Joanne Ballard, 48 North Bennet street, Boston, in the sum of $295, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 139 and 141 Salem street, Boston, June 3, 1955.

FINANCE COMMISSION SEEKS TO REDUCE EXPENDITURES.

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However, there is a mounting annual large expenditure by the city arising from accidents due to holes, breaks, collapses, etc., in the public ways of the city. The size of this expenditure has become so great that it is difficult to accept the philosophy that it is an inevitable and unavoidable cost. It is the hope that a portrayal of the situation will stimulate action to check and even reduce this second large expenditure which prompts this communication.

First of all, it is important to realize the vastness of the City's outlay intended to produce and maintain sound and safe surface condition of its highways.

In the period 1950–1954, the City spent for construction and maintenance of highway surfaces more than $19,000,000. The following tabulation shows how this sum was divided:

(CITY LABOR FORCE) — MAINTENANCE.

	1950.	*1951.*	*1952.*	*1953.*	*1954.*
Highway Expenditure	$925,710	$931,819	$1,011,102	$991,141	$911,753
Sidewalk and Curb	227,788	295,137	315,859	333,669	335,591
Total	$1,153,528	$1,226,956	$1,329,961	$1,327,813	$1,247,347

(CONTRACT WORK) — CONSTRUCTION.

Reconstruction of Streets	$106,976	$103,236	$94,610	$105,801	$12,991
Sidewalk-Construction-Reconstruction	66,945	116,673	78,915	78,571	89,973
Public Ways, Making of (Revenue)	158,891	159,201	157,500	157,500	117859
Public Ways, Making of (Non-Revenue)	1,937,386	2,637,017	2,536,634	2,019,055	2,081,1077
Total	$2,270,198	$3,016,127	$2,867,719	$2,360,927	$2,361,933

Average Annual Maintenance Expenditure $1,257,121
Average Annual Construction Expenditure $2,575,380

Despite this large expenditure, and particularly the amount spent for maintenance, in the period from August, 1954, to August, 1955, the City paid damage awards totaling well over $200,000 for personal injuries due to defects in its highways; and that amount is only a portion of the total which will ultimately be paid for claims remaining on the docket at the end of this period.

In this same 12-month period there were 239 damage claims due to personal injuries settled by payment to the claimants. These cases had their inception in various years going back to 1947; but this number is but a fraction of the total number filed in the years in question, and every one of them necessitated payroll expenses to the City.

Personal injury claims result much more often because of defects in sidewalks than in other street surfaces. Many damage awards resulting from defects are paid by order of the City Council. Some are paid as the result of negotiations between legal representarives of the City after suit has been entered in court. Others are paid as the result of a verdict ordered by a judge or jury after a hearing of the merits. It can easily be realized, therefore, that in addition to the sums paid to claimants, there is a large payroll and other expenditures for adjudication of these claims. The expense of repair of defects, naturally, is a city expense.

It is important to realize that courts often determine the culpability of the city on the basis of the degree of use made of the location of the injury. Court interpretations of the law governing this situation protect the City against claims that might be based on trivial defects; and against claims in instances where the city had not had proper time to discover the defect and remedy it.

INSPECTION.

It is expected that the City will inform itself of the condition of the streets primarily through a form of inspection by employees of the Public Works Department; and this inspection is intended to be augmented by the workings of a police regulation requiring route police officers to report defects in streets and sidewalks, and to place protective barriers about them until corrected.

Public Works Department inspection is "something else again." It is this department's function to keep the highway surfaces in good order. Yet it has no organized or regular or routine inspection, it claims only that in the summer there is patrol by a group which finds and gives quick repair to spots in the so-called "downtown" area. For the rest of the year the department relies on police report of defects, except that occasionally an observant citizen, even sometimes an observant Public Works Department employee not assigned to this job, will report a dangerous defect. The fact of the matter is therefore that the department which should be most concerned about the condition of the street surfaces relies on other than its own organization to become informed of defects in the highways.

Furthermore, there appears to be no record made or kept of the approximate time of the first occurrence of the dangerous condition, though this might become important in city defense in a trial. The dated police report most nearly approaches that significant detail.

Thereafter, there being no standard routine procedure spelled out for the authority in the yard, the work of correction of the defective condition is left to the judgment of the employee in charge, usually the district foreman. Again the more or less voluntary practice is to take care immediately of a serious situation in an important area, and to take care of the less important when the work of the district will permit. Unfortunately this method is not good protection for the city, because the apparently less serious defects figure more often in the injury claims.

CONCLUSION.

To what extent the quality of the work is a factor in the actionable cases of defect is not known. It is known that the defect is sometimes due to other causes; but in view of the prevailing types of defects, original quality of the work is hard to evaluate. These types are:

Raised sidewalk slabs, sinking of sidewalk after repair and patching following openings, raised meter boxes, curbstone sunken below level of sidewalk slab, broken and worn areas. It would seem that inspection for the purpose of preventing those conditions which give rise to suits against the city should center on these types of defects.

It is obvious that the Public Works Department makes little effort to prevent accidents by prompt discovery and remedy of defective conditions. It has not yet organized the work necessary. It passes over to the police officers who have many other duties the responsibility of discovery of highway hazards. The absence of adequate practice and record handicaps the law department in adjudicating claims.

The ultimate financial cost of accidents warrants a better effort along this line than is made at present.

It follows that the departments involved in this area of administration of service should come together and agree on a procedure which will be adequate in the situation. A routine and method which is comprehensive and meaningful is long overdue.

Respectfully submitted,

H. W. DWIGHT RUDD, *Chairman*,
LEO J. DUNN,
EDWARD U. LEE,
ROGER J. ARIZAID, M.D.,
HENRY A. SASSERNO,
The Finance Commission.

CARE CHRISTMAS FOOD CRUSADE MONTH DECLARATION.

Whereas, Famine stalks many nations of the world while America, the land of plenty, has a $7-billion government food surplus; and

Whereas, The Cooperative for American Remittances to Everywhere, known affectionately to the people of the United States as CARE, which has for a decade dedicated itself to the sending of food to hungry people without regard to race, creed, or color, considering only human want, is conducting its Christmas Food Crusade to bring warmth and cheer to thousands upon thousands of unfortunate fellow-humans; and

Whereas, Traditionally generous Bostonians have found this great food channel to the tables of the hungry over the world a humanitarian and effective way to help bring some of America's bounty to those who need it most; now

Therefore, I, John B. Hynes, Mayor of the City of Boston, declare the month of December as "Care Christmas Food Crusade Month" in the City of Boston, and I urge all our people to observe the occasion with their financial support so that we may share the joy of our blessed Christmas in the true spirit of the season.

JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor.

EXTENSION OF TERMINAL STREET, CHARLESTOWN.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of an extension of Terminal street, Charlestown district, as a public highway, from a point approximately 3,100 feet northeast of Medford street, approximately 200 feet northeasterly, bounded and described as follows:

The highway named Terminal street is hereby relocated and extended approximately 200 feet northeasterly from a point approximately 3,100 feet northeasterly of Medford street and ordered constructed.

For the making of the aforesaid improvement an easement for street purposes is hereby taken in the following-described land, exclusive of trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed thereto:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to the Boston & Maine Railroad, subject to easements of the United States Gypsum Company and the Mystic River Bridge Authority, bounded:

Northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Terminal street as it existed prior to this order, fifty-eight and 95-100 feet; southerly by the northerly line of Terminal street as it existed prior to this order by two measurements, thirty-two and 52-100 feet and thirty-six and 20-100 feet; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Terminal street as relocated and extended under this order by two measurements, one hundred sixty and 12-100 feet on a curve of one hundred thirty-five and 87-100 feet and thirty-six and 14-100 feet; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Terminal street as relocated and extended under this order by two measurements, twenty-four and 47-100 feet and fifty-seven and 08-100 feet; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Terminal street as relocated and extended under this order, one hundred sixty-one and 83-100 feet; southwesterly by the southwesterly line of Terminal street as relocated and extended under this order by two measurements, fifty-four and 21-100 feet and fifty-nine and 29-100 feet on a curve of one hundred sixty-eight feet radius, containing fifteen thousand seven hundred thirty square feet, more or less.

This taking is made subject to the right of the Boston & Maine Railroad to lay, maintain, and operate three railroad tracks therein and shown as "Grade Crossings E, F, and G" on plan hereinbefore referred to.

Trees, shrubs or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforedescribed land shall be removed therefrom within sixty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Said Terminal street as hereby relocated and extended is bounded:

Northwesterly by another portion of Terminal street, one hundred twenty and 82-100 feet; again northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Terminal street by two measurements, one hundred sixty and 12-100 feet on a curve of one hundred thirty-five and 87-100 feet and thirty-six and 14-100 feet; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Terminal street by two measurements, twenty-four and 47-100 feet and fifty-seven and 08-100 feet; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Terminal street, one hundred sixty-one and 83-100 feet; southwesterly by the southwesterly line of Terminal street by four measurements, fifty-four and 21-100 feet; ninety and 00-100 feet on a curve of one hundred sixty-eight feet radius, thirty and 67-100 feet, and ninety-nine and 95-100 feet on a curve of one thousand three hundred forty-two and 69-100 feet radius.

No betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the taking of an easement for sewerage purposes and the construction of sewerage works in Terminal street, Charlestown district, under the order of the commission of October 26, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

Boston & Maine Railroad, 1,147 square feet, nothing.

Voted, That this commission determines that the undermentioned person sustains damages in the estate by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the relocation and extension of Terminal street, Charlestown district, as a highway, approximately 200 feet northeasterly from a point approximately 3,100 feet northeasterly of Medford street and ordered constructed, under the order of this commission of November 23, 1955, in the amount hereinafter respectively set against it; and awards said amount therefor.

Boston & Maine Railroad, 15,730 square feet, $1.

WIDENING BROOKLINE AVENUE.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the widening, relocation, and construction of Brookline avenue, Roxbury district, between Park Drive and Riverway, bounded and described as follows:

The highway named Brookline avenue is hereby widened and relocated, between Park Drive and Riverway, and no construction ordered.

For the making of the aforesaid improvement an easement for street purposes is hereby taken in the following-described land, exclusive of trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed thereto:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to City of Boston, bounded:

Southeasterly by the northwesterly line of Brookline avenue as it existed prior to this order, by two measurements, two hundred thirty-three and 75-100 feet and eighty-two and 51-100 feet; again southeasterly by the northwesterly line of Pilgrim road as it existed prior to this order, sixty-nine and 38-100 feet on a curve of one hundred twenty-six and 90-100 feet radius; southwesterly by the southwesterly line of Brookline avenue as widened and relocated under this order, twenty-six and 86-100 feet on a curve of eighteen and 00-100 feet radius; northwesterly by Riverway, eighty and 40-100 feet; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Brookline avenue as widened and relocated under this order, by two measurements, twenty-five and 28-100 feet on a curve of fourteen and 49-100 feet radius and one hundred fifty-three and 36-100 feet; southwesterly by the southwesterly line of Brookline avenue as widened and relocated under this order, twenty-eight and 47-100 feet on a curve of twenty and 12-100 feet radius; northwesterly by Park Drive, seventy-six and 09-100 feet; and northerly by another portion of Brookline avenue, thirty-four and 53-100 feet on a curve of twenty and 00-100 feet radius, containing six thousand four hundred twelve square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to City of Boston Park Department, bounded:

Northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Brookline avenue as it existed prior to this order, by three measurements, one hundred ninety-nine and 43-100 feet, one hundred seventy-three and 83-100 feet, and twenty-five and 45-100 feet; southerly by another portion of Brookline avenue, thirty-six and 34-100 feet on a curve of twenty and 00-100 feet radius; southwesterly by another portion of Brookline avenue, four and 99-100 feet on a curve of one thousand eight hundred eight and 79-100 feet radius; southeasterly by Fenway, eighty-one and 27-100 feet; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Brookline avenue as widened and relocated under this order, twenty-six and 61-100 feet on a curve of twenty and 00-100 feet radius; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Brookline avenue as widened and relocated under this order, by three measurements, one hundred forty and 23-100 feet, thirty-two and 05-100 feet on a curve of forty and 00-100 feet radius, and fifteen and 90-100 feet on a curve of sixteen and 00-100 feet radius; again southeasterly by Park Drive, seventy-one and 76-100 feet; northeasterly by Boylston street, thirty-seven and 95-100 feet on a curve of twenty and 00-100 feet radius; northwesterly by Boylston street, twenty-eight and 08-100 feet; and northeasterly by Boylston street, fifty-one and 89-100 feet on a curve of two thousand one hundred forty-eight and 79-100 feet radius; containing eleven thousand six hundred fifty-two square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land supposed to belong to owners unknown, bounded:

Southeasterly by the northwesterly line of Brookline avenue as it existed prior to this order, fifty-two and 78-100 feet; northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Pilgrim road as it existed prior to this order, forty-eight and 33-100 feet; southwesterly by another portion of Brookline avenue, three and 10-100 feet, containing seventy-six square feet, more or less.

Trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforedescribed land, shall be removed therefrom within thirty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Said Brookline avenue as hereby widened and relocated is bounded:

Southerly by another portion of Brookline avenue, one hundred two and 36-100 feet; northwesterly by Pilgrim road, by two measurements, thirty-seven and 30-100 feet and sixty and 00-100 feet; southwesterly by the southwesterly line of Brookline avenue, twenty-six and 86-100 feet on a curve of eighteen and 00-100 feet radius; northwesterly by Riverway, eighty and 40-100 feet; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Brookline avenue, by two measurements,

twenty-five and 28-100 feet on a curve of fourteen and 49-100 feet radius and one hundred fifty-three and 36-100 feet; southwesterly by the southwesterly line of Brookline avenue, twenty-eight and 47-100 feet on a curve of twenty and 12-100 feet; northwesterly by Park Drive, seventy-six and 09-100 feet; northerly by another portion of Brookline avenue, thirty-four and 53-100 feet on a curve of twenty and 00-100 feet radius; southeasterly by another portion of Brookline avenue, twenty and 24-100 feet; northeasterly by another portion of Brookline avenue, sixty-one and 00-100 feet on a curve of two thousand one hundred forty-eight and 79-100 feet radius; northwesterly by Boylston street, twenty-eight and 08-100 feet; northeasterly by Boylston street, thirty-seven and 95-100 feet on a curve of twenty and 00-100 feet radius; southeasterly by Park Drive, seventy-one and 76-100 feet; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Brookline avenue, fifteen and 90-100 feet on a curve of sixteen and 00-100 feet radius; again southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Brookline avenue, by two measurements, thirty-two and 05-100 feet on a curve of forty and 00-100 feet radius and one hundred forty and 23-100 feet; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Brookline avenue, twenty-six and 61-100 feet on a curve of twenty and 00-100 feet radius; southeasterly by Riverway, eighty-one and 27-100 feet; and southerly by the southerly line of Brookline avenue, thirty-six and 49-100 feet on a curve of twenty and 00-100 feet radius.

No betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Voted, That this commission determines that the undermentioned persons sustain no damages in their estates by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the widening and relocation (without construction) of Brookline avenue, Roxbury district, between Park Drive and Riverway, under the order of this commission of November 23, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

City of Boston, 6,412 square feet, nothing.

City of Boston (Park Department), 11,652 square feet, nothing.

Owners unknown, 76 square feet, nothing.

BROWNSON TERRACE, WEST ROXBURY.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of Brownson terrace, West Roxbury district, as a public highway, from Allandale street approximately 500 feet southerly and northwesterly, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named Brownson terrace is hereby laid out, from Allandale street approximately 500 feet southerly and northwesterly, and ordered constructed.

Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed thereto, in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

Northeasterly by Allandale street, sixty-one and 51-100 feet; easterly by the easterly line of Brownson terrace as hereby laid out, by two measurements, fifty-nine and 36-100 feet and one hundred twenty and 58-100 feet on a curve of one hundred sixty-eight and 50-100 feet radius; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Brownson terrace as hereby laid out, seventy and 00-100 feet; southerly by the southerly line of said Brownson terrace as hereby laid out, one hundred nine and 96-100 feet on a curve of seventy and 00-100 feet radius; southwesterly by the southwesterly line of said Brownson terrace as hereby laid out, ninety-seven and 90-100 feet on a curve of three hundred and 00-100 feet radius; westerly and northerly by the westerly and northerly line of said Brownson terrace as hereby laid out, one hundred forty-seven and 93-100 feet on a curve of thirty-five and 00-100 feet radius; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of said Brownson terrace as hereby laid out, by two measurements, twenty-seven and 79-100 feet on a curve of thirty and 00-100 feet radius and fifty-eight and 00-100 feet on a curve of three hundred forty and 00-100 feet radius; northerly by the northerly line of said Brownson terrace as hereby laid out, forty-seven and 12-100 feet on a curve of thirty and 00-100 feet radius; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of said Brownson terrace as hereby laid out, seventy and 00-100 feet; and westerly by the westerly line of said Brownson terrace as hereby laid out, by two measurements, ninety-one and 95-100 feet on a curve of one hundred twenty-eight and 50-100 feet radius and one hundred six and 09-100 feet.

Trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforedescribed land shall be removed therefrom within thirty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the abutting parcels of land situated on both sides of said Brownson terrace will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement herein ordered; each of said parcels in the amount hereinafter respectively set against it; said parcels and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan hereinbefore referred to and on file in the office of said department.

Parcel.		Amount.
1.	Rowe Contracting Company	$855 30
2.	Rowe Contracting Company	810 75
3.	Rowe Contracting Company	843 00
4.	John V. and Clara Peard	733 44
5.	Rose N. and Lonise K. Ferris	761 22
6.	Rowe Contracting Company	960 00
7.	Nicholas and Ida Abraham	835 35
8.	Charles K. and Rose M. Zeytoonjian	1,095 00
	Total	$6,894 06

Whereas, An order of the Board of Street Commissioners, approved by the Mayor March 31, 1954, recorded in the Registry of Deeds, April 1, 1954, Book 6946, page 505; said order providing for the taking of an easement for sewerage purposes in Brownson terrace, West Roxbury district, from Allandale street approximately 100 feet southwesterly;

Whereas, Assessment liens were created on the following-named parcels of land, as follows:

Parcel.		Amount.
1.	Rowe Contracting Company	$240 00
2.	Charles K. Zeytoonjian	$240 00

Voted, That said assessment liens be, and the same hereby are, canceled.

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the laying out and constructing of Browson terrace, West Roxbury district, as a public highway, from Allandale street approximately 500 feet southerly and northwesterly, under an order of the Public Improvement Commission of November 23, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

MARYKNOLL TERRACE, DORCHESTER, A HIGHWAY.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of Maryknoll terrace, Dorchester district, as a public highway, from Maryknoll street approximately 180 feet northerly, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named Maryknoll terrace, is hereby laid out, from Maryknoll street approximately 180 feet northerly and ordered constructed.

Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees, shrubs or structures standing upon or affixed thereto, in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

Southeasterly by Maryknoll street, fifty and 00-100 feet; southwesterly by the southwesterly line of Maryknoll terrace as hereby laid out, one hundred seventy and 28-100 feet on a curve of seven hundred feet radius; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of said Maryknoll terrace as hereby laid out, fifty and 77-100 feet; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Maryknoll terrace as hereby laid out, one hundred ninety-one and 59-100 feet on a curve of seven hundred fifty and 00-100 feet radius.

Trees, shrubs or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforedescribed land, shall be removed therefrom within thirty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the abutting parcels of land situated on both sides of said Maryknoll terrace will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement herein ordered; each of said parcels in the amount hereinafter respectively set against it; said parcels and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan hereinbefore referred to and on file in the office of this department.

Parcel.		Amount.
1.	Leo J. Morgan *et al*	$579 00
2.	Edwin W. Bird *et al*	576 30
3.	George W. Murphy *et al*	603 50
4.	Flax Realty Company	668 58
5.	Flax Realty Company	575 13
6.	John J. Sheehan *et al*	144 54
	Total	$3,146 85

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the laying out and construction of Maryknoll terrace, Dorchester district, as a public highway, from Maryknoll street approximately 180 feet northerly, under an order of the Public Improvement Commission of November 23, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

LAND-TAKING IN ROXBURY.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered the taking of land in the Roxbury district, for Public Works Department purposes, as follows:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, bounded and described as follows: Southerly by South Bay avenue; westerly by land of the City of Boston; northerly and easterly by other land of said New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, containing approximately 30,711 square feet; substantially as shown on a plan on file in the office of this commission, that it intends to pass an order to make said taking, and that it appoints 10 o'clock A.M. of Thursday, October 13, 1955, and the office of this commission, 401 City Hall Annex, as the time and place for a public hearing in the matter.

A true copy of an order passed by said commission on said day.

Attest:

MICHAEL J. CORRAO,
Secretary.

IN PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT COMMISSION, CITY OF BOSTON, November 2, 1955.

Whereas, The Public Improvement Commission has passed the aforesaid Order of Notice and has caused a copy of said order to be published September 30, October 1, 3, 4, 1955. in the Boston *American* and the Boston *Herald,* and October 1, 1955, in the *City Record,* and has given the public hearing, notice of which was given in said order; and

Whereas, The Public Works Department of the City of Boston, with the approval of the Mayor, has selected, designated, and requested the Public Improvement Commission of said city to take for said city for Public Works Department purposes the land hereinafter described in that part of Boston formerly Roxbury; it is

Voted, That the Public Improvement Commission of said City of Boston, acting under the provisions of chapter 486 of the Acts of the Legislature of 1909 and chapter 79 of the General Laws and all other authority thereto enabling, hereby takes in fee for said city, for Public Works Department purposes, the following-described parcel of land:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, bounded:

Southerly by South Bay avenue, one hundred fifty and 00-100 feet; westerly by land belonging to the City of Boston, sixty-five and 00-100 feet; southwesterly again by land of said City of Boston, three hundred fifty-one and 13-100 feet; northerly by land belonging to New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, one hundred twenty and 00-100 feet; and northeasterly again by land belonging to New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, four hundred seventeen and 12-100 feet, containing thirty thousand seven hundred eleven square feet, more or less.

Said parcel of land is shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Atkinson Street, South Bay avenue, Roxbury, October 19, 1955, George G. Hyland, Commissioner of Public Works," and on file in the office of this department.

Voted, That this commission determines that the undermentioned persons sustain damages in their estate by the taking in fee of land on South Bay avenue, Roxbury district, for Public Works Department purposes, under the order of the commission of November 2, 1955, in the amount hereinafter respectively set against it, and awards said amount therefor.

New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, 30,711 square feet, $1.

STREET CONSTRUCTION IN DORCHESTER.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of Maryknoll street, Dorchester district, as a public highway, from Morton street to Manchester street, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named Maryknoll street is hereby laid out, from Morton street to Manchester street, and ordered constructed.

Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees, shrubs or structures standing upon or affixed thereto, in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

Northeasterly by the southwesterly line of Morton street, fifty and 02-100 feet; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Maryknoll street as hereby laid out, five hundred two and 23-100 feet; easterly by the easterly line of Maryknoll street as hereby laid out, one hundred thirty-nine and 52-100 feet on a curve of one hundred sixty-nine feet radius; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Maryknoll street as hereby laid out by two measurements, one hundred one and 09-100 feet and twenty-three and 07-100 feet on a curve of fifteen feet radius; again northeasterly by Caryll street (private way), forty and 07-100 feet; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Maryknoll street as hereby laid out, twenty-four and 08-100 feet on a curve of fifteen feet radius; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Maryknoll street as hereby laid out, four hundred sixty-two and 35-100 feet; southeasterly by the northwesterly line of Manchester street, fifty and 03-100 feet; southwesterly by the southwesterly line of Maryknoll street as hereby laid out by two measurements, six hundred two and 16-100 feet and one hundred seventy and 80-100 feet on a curve of seven hundred feet radius; northwesterly by Maryknoll terrace, fifty and 00-100 feet; again northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Maryknoll street as hereby laid out by two measurements, thirty-one and 08-100 feet on a curve of fifteen feet radius and five hundred twenty-eight and 13-100 feet.

Trees, shrubs or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforedescribed land, shall be removed therefrom within thirty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the abutting parcels of land situated on both sides of said Maryknoll street will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement herein ordered; each of said parcels in the amount hereinafter respectively set against it; said parcels and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan hereinbefore referred to and on file in the office of this department.

Parcel.		Amount.
1.	Jacob Sokolow, Ruth E. Sekolow	$516 99
2.	Theodore Goodman, Cecile Goodman	531 57
3.	George and Francis Schultz	565 41
4.	Paul R. Tobey	633 00
5.	Jacob B. and Anna Sudenfield,	327 87
6.	Sylvia B. Forman	359 97
7.	Karl R. and Helen G. Steinauer,	333 60
8.	John Concannon	340 47
9.	Joseph M. and Gertrude M. Rooney	232 08
10.	Michael E. and Dorothy M. McCarthy	273 00
11.	William J., Jr., and Helen E. Stewart	636 15
12.	Mary G. and Patricia A. Hanlon	570 00
13.	Joan A. Coughlin	570 00
14.	Daniel P. and Helen C. Collins,	670 36
15.	Francis L. and Mary C. Murphy	722 76
16.	John F. and Eleanor M. McCarthy	561 00
17.	James P. and Anna F. Conroy,	561 00
18.	Arthur J. and Helen J. Hartin,	561 00
19.	William J. Driscoll Construction Company	561 00
20.	John A. and Mary J. Hayes	590 70
21.	Edward A. and Rita J. Driscoll,	575 40
22.	John J. and Bertha E. Sheehan,	264 54
23.	Melvin and Josephine Hurwitz,	575 15
24.	Arthur and Natalie R. Markowitz	615 00
25.	Leo and Lena Lemack	560 46
26.	John E. and Justine M. Ralston	712 42
27.	Guy C. and Mary P. Lizio, Stephen E. and Nora T. O'Brien	609 69
	Total	$14,039 59

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the laying out and construction of Maryknoll street, Dorchester district, as a public highway, from Morton street to Manchester street, under an order of this commission of November 23, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway resurfacing, estimated to be thirty (30) days, vehicles are excluded from the following streets, effective November 16, 1955:

Cheshire Street, West Roxbury.
From Green street to dead end.
York Street, Dorchester.
From Glenway street to Greenwood street.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of sewerage construction, estimated to be ten (10) days, vehicles are excluded from the following street, effective November 17, 1955:

Pelton Street, West Roxbury.
From Stratford street to Park street.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, occasioned by the heavy volume of holiday passenger travel, the following street is one way in the direction indicated from 12 o'clock noon to 12 o'clock midnight on Wednesday, November 23, 1955, and on Saturday, December 24, 1955:

Buckingham Street, Boston Proper.
From Columbus avenue to Dartmouth street.

STATEMENT OF BUILDING OPERATIONS IN THE CITY OF BOSTON FOR THE MONTH ENDING OCTOBER 31, 1955.

(As compared with corresponding period in preceding years.)

	1955.		1954.		1953.		1952.		1951.	
	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.
Type I	3	$609,000	3	$951,450	2	$171,000	3	$1,520,000	3	$1,235,500
Type II	1	65,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Type IV	13	119,000	6	58,000	11	139,690	29	509,100	15	276,430
Type V	3	25,800	1	7,000	8	29,450	3	6,000	1	19,000
Type VI	48	185,830	53	170,200	37	267,750	20	174,985	31	246,650
Total new construction	68	$1,304,630	63	$1,486,650	58	$607,890	46	$2,210,085	56	$1,777,580
Alterations, repairs, etc	488	1,588,720	585	485,338	492	650,439	533	1,003,214	517	649,933
Total structural construction	556	$2,893,350	648	$1,971,988	550	$1,128,239	609	$3,213,299	573	$2,427,514
Plumbing	189	$129,998	208	$125,510	201	$166,217	212	$251,920	235	$509,703
Gasfitting	830	94,061	540	58,380	535	63,919	522	66,791	358	46,357
Heating ovens, etc	81	28,595	36	36,585	16	16,484	33	35,065	11	11,400
Elevators, new freight	2	30,000	—	—	5	85,480	6	57,000	1	23,000
Elevators, new passenger	2	37,000	—	—	18	1,310	—	—	8	8,382
Elevators, alterations, freight	5	950	3	150	31	18,160	10	1,535	—	—
Elevators, alterations, passenger	6	1,200	11	8,005	2	5,100	29	76,892	27	16,766
Signs, projections, etc	57	28,600	31	11,625	30	14,965	51	29,150	40	25,690
Fire escapes	33	18,110	70	14,000	50	8,535	39	10,320	39	8,625
Take-downs, wood	25	21,910	6	1,525	12	1,910	10	7,990	11	5,175
Take-downs, brick	12	13,440	15	20,075	5	2,795	1	5,000	35	58,500
Sprinklers	15	41,120	7	7,125	22	65,895	12	51,690	4	5,900
Excavations	7	850	1	100	2	190	8	1,900	7	5,500
Use of premises	8	—	3	—	7	—	9	—	3	—
Total	1,266	$446,164	931	$283,380	939	$486,990	912	$595,166	782	$721,998
Grand total all work	1,822	$3,339,514	1,579	$2,255,368	1,489	$1,745,229	1,551	$3,808,765	1,355	$3,152,511
Department revenue		$17,518 43		$8,361 00		$6,115 50		$6,134 25		$6,087 50

The following is a statement showing by number, purpose and estimated cost of the erection of new buildings and the alterations, repairs, additions, etc., of existing buildings for which applications were filed with the Building Department of the City of Boston during the

MONTH ENDING OCTOBER 31, 1955.

Purpose.	New Buildings.		Alterations.		Total.	
	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.
Amusement and recreation places, theatres, halls, movies	—	—	1	$1,880	1	$1,880
Churches, chapels, synagogues	—	—	2	1,500	2	1,500
Dwellings, small, 1-family	34	$354,700	78	56,545	112	411,245
Dwellings, small, 2-family	7	123,000	111	47,211	118	170,211
Dwellings, small, 3-family	—	—	119	57,392	119	57,392
Dwellings, small, with stores	—	—	13	5,029	13	5,029
Dwellings, large, 4-families or more	—	—	25	23,253	25	23,253
Dwellings, large, with stores	—	—	5	6,175	5	6,175
Educational buildings, schools, colleges, academies, etc	—	—	3	135,585	3	135,585
Garage and repair shops	13	21,630	8	16,497	21	41,127
Hotel and club buildings	—	—	3	2,400	3	2,400
Institutional buildings, hospitals, clinics, asylums, etc	—	—	2	800,800	2	800,800
Lodgings, dormitories, homes, convents, etc	—	—	7	103,015	7	103,015
Manufacturing buildings, bakeries, laundries, workshops	2	19,000	12	136,819	14	155,819
Mercantile buildings, stores, salesrooms, service stations	5	88,300	66	131,227	71	219,527
Public buildings	—	—	1	3,000	1	3,000
Office and bank buildings	3	604,000	12	21,617	15	625,617
Storage buildings, warehouses, lumber sheds, etc	3	90,000	8	31,525	11	121,525
Miscellaneous	1	1,000	9	4,250	10	5,250
Total	68	$1,301,630	488	$1,588,720	556	$2,893,350

The following is a statement showing the number of new buildings for purposes of habitation, together with the number of family accommodations provided thereby, for the erection of which applications were filed with the Building Department of the City of Boston during the

MONTH AND TEN MONTHS ENDING OCTOBER 31, 1955.

Number of Family Units in Each Building.	Month of October.				First Ten Months.			
	1955.		1954.		1955.		1954.	
	Buildings.	Families.	Buildings.	Families.	Buildings.	Families.	Buildings.	Families.
1	34	31	39	39	622	622	516	516
2	7	14	—	—	35	70	6	12
4	—	—	—	—	1	4	—	—
10	—	—	—	—	5	50	—	—
19	—	—	—	—	1	19	—	—
Total	41	48	39	39	664	765	522	528
Estimated cost	$477,700		$387,600		$6,778,400		$5,009,260	

SUMMARY OF HOUSING CONSTRUCTION TO DATE.

Number of	Month of October.	Ten Months.
New habitations erected	41	664
Accommodations provided by new construction	48	765
Accommodations provided by altering and remodeling	33	287
Accommodations eliminated by altering and remodeling	0	19
Habitations taken down	23*	106*
Family accommodations eliminated by demolition	68*	303*
Net change in number of habitations	18 more	558*
Net change in number of family accommodations	13 more	730*

Demolitions.	Number.		Number.	
	Buildings.	Families.	Buildings.	Families.
*1-family	2	2	10	10
2-family	7	14	36	72
3-family	12	36	39	117
4-family	—	—	12	48
5-family	—	—	2	10
6-family	—	—	5	30
8-family	2	16	2	16
Total	23	68	106	303

The following is a statement showing By Wards the number and estimated cost of new buildings for purposes of habitation for the erection of which applications were filed with the Building Department of the City of Boston during the

TEN-MONTH PERIOD ENDING OCTOBER 31, 1955.

Ward.	1-Family Dwellings.		2-Family Dwellings.		4-Family Dwellings.		10-Family Dwellings		19-Family Dwellings.		Total for Nine Months.	
	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.
1	10	$127,200	4	$44,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	14	$171,200
14	1	8,100	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	8,100
16	17	174,200	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	17	174,200
17	27	252,800	2	30,000	1	$38,000	—	—	—	—	30	320,800
18	342	2,998,200	9	144,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	351	3,142,200
19	36	428,500	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	36	428,500
20	170	1,648,200	3	45,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	173	1,693,200
21	4	33,200	6	108,000	—	—	—	—	1	$50,000	11	191,200
22	15	151,000	11	153,000	—	—	5	$345,000	—	—	31	649,000
	622	$5,821,400	35	$524,000	1	$38,000	5	$345,000	1	$50,000	661	$6,778,400

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PURPOSES, NUMBER AND ESTIMATED COST OF NEW BUILDINGS AND ALTERATIONS, ADDITIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., FOR WHICH APPLICATIONS HAVE BEEN FILED FOR MONTH ENDING OCTOBER 31, 1955.

CHARACTER.	AMUSEMENT, RECREATION PLACES, THEATERS, MOVIES, HALLS.		CHURCHES, CHAPELS, SYNAGOGUES.		DWELLINGS, 1-FAMILY.		DWELLINGS, 2-FAMILY.		DWELLINGS, 3-FAMILY.		DWELLINGS, 1-2-3 FAMILY, WITH STORES, ETC.		DWELLINGS, MULTI-FAMILY.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I														
Type II														
Type IV														
Type V														
Type VI					34	$351,700	7	$123,000						
Total new construction					31	$351,700	7	$123,000						
Alterations	4	$1,880	2	$1,500	78	36,545	111	47,211	119	$57,392	13	$5,029	25	$23,253
Total structural work	4	$1,880	2	$1,500	112	$111,245	118	$170,211	119	$57,392	13	$5,029	25	$23,253

CHARACTER.	DWELLINGS, MULTI-FAMILY, WITH STORES.		EDUCATIONAL BUILDINGS, SCHOOLS, COLLEGES.		GARAGES AND REPAIR SHOPS.		HOTEL AND CLUB BUILDINGS.		INSTITUTIONAL BUILDINGS, HOSPITALS, ASYLUMS, CLINICS.		LODGINGS, DORMITORIES, CONVENTS, HOMES.		LODGING HOUSES WITH STORES.		MANUFACTURING BUILDINGS, BAKERIES, LAUNDRIES, WORKSHOPS.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I															1	$15,000
Type II																
Type IV					6	$16,700									1	4,000
Type V					1	800										
Type VI					6	7,130										
Total new construction					13	$24,630									2	$19,000
Alterations, etc	5	$6,175	3	$135,585	8	16,197	3	$2,400	2	$800,800	7	$103,015			12	136,819
Total structural work	5	$6,175	3	$135,585	21	$41,127	3	$2,400	2	$800,800	7	$103,015			14	$155,819

CHARACTER.	MERCANTILE BUILDINGS, RESTAURANTS, STORES, SHOWROOMS, SERVICE STATIONS.		OFFICE AND BANK BUILDINGS.		PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIBRARIES, MUSEUMS.		STABLES, KENNELS, POULTRY HOUSES.		STORAGE WAREHOUSES, LUMBER SHEDS, SILOS, ETC.		MISCELLANEOUS.		TOTALS.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I			2	$591,000									3	$609,000
Type II									1	$65,000			1	65,000
Type IV	5	$88,300	1	10,000									13	119,000
Type V									2	25,000			3	25,800
Type VI											1	$1,000	48	185,830
Total new construction	5	$88,300	3	$601,000					3	$90,000	1	$1,000	68	$1,304,630
Alterations, etc	66	131,227	12	21,617	1	$3,000			8	$31,525	9	1,250	188	1,588,720
Total structural work	71	$219,527	15	$625,617	1	$3,000			11	121,525	10	$5,250	556	$2,893,350

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PURPOSES, NUMBER AND ESTIMATED COST OF NEW BUILDINGS AND ALTERATIONS, ADDITIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., FOR WHICH APPLICATIONS HAVE BEEN FILED FOR TEN MONTHS ENDING OCTOBER 31, 1955.

CHARACTER.	AMUSEMENT, RECREATION PLACES, THEATERS, MOVIES, HALLS.		CHURCHES, CHAPELS, SYNAGOGUES.		DWELLINGS, 1-FAMILY.		DWELLINGS, 2-FAMILY.		DWELLINGS, 3-FAMILY.		DWELLINGS, 1-2-3-FAMILY, WITH STORES, ETC.		DWELLINGS, MULTI-FAMILY.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I	2	$21,000	2	$1,250,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type II	....	.....	1	65,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type IV	5	36,200	1	175,000	2	$30,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	5	$345,000
Type V	1	10,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type VI	....	.....	1	45,000	620	5,791,400	35	$524,000	....	.....	....	.....	2	88,000
Total new construction	8	$67,200	5	$1,535,000	622	$5,821,400	35	$524,000	....	.....	....	.....	7	$433,000
Alterations, etc	34	193,432	32	193,592	876	575,448	995	495,969	1094	$531,351	198	$131,701	267	295,913
Total structural work	42	$260,632	37	$1,728,592	1498	$6,396,848	1030	$1,019,969	1094	$531,351	198	$131,701	274	$728,913

CHARACTER.	DWELLINGS, MULTI-FAMILY, WITH STORES.		EDUCATIONAL BUILDINGS, SCHOOLS, COLLEGES.		GARAGES AND REPAIR SHOPS.		HOTEL AND CLUB BUILDINGS.		INSTITUTIONAL BUILDINGS, HOSPITALS, ASYLUMS, CLINICS.		LODGINGS, DORMITORIES, CONVENTS, HOMES.		LODGING HOUSES WITH STORES.		MANUFACTURING BUILDINGS, BAKERIES, LAUNDRIES, WORKSHOPS.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I	....	.....	4	$4,223,000	3	$246,000	....	.....	2	$1,247,000	1	$487,000	....	.....	1	$15,000
Type II	....	.....	1	622,000	....	.....	....	.....	1	250,000	1	320,000	....	.....	....	.....
Type IV	....	.....	3	594,000	23	75,075	....	.....	1	15,000	1	70,000	....	.....	4	349,800
Type V	....	.....	....	.....	13	14,200	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Type VI	....	.....	....	.....	14	14,600	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....
Total new construction	....	.....	8	$5,439,000	53	$349,875	....	.....	4	$1,512,000	3	$877,000	....	.....	5	$364,800
Alterations, etc	52	$39,417	40	1,102,430	82	187,902	34	$213,750	43	3,198,822	83	288,605	....	.....	123	866,212
Total structural work	52	$39,417	48	$6,541,430	135	$537,777	34	$213,750	47	$4,710,822	86	$1,165,605	....	.....	128	1,231,012

CHARACTER.	MERCANTILE BUILDINGS, RESTAURANTS, STORES, SHOWROOMS, SERVICE STATIONS.		OFFICE AND BANK BUILDINGS.		PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIBRARIES, MUSEUMS.		STABLES, KENNELS, POULTRY HOUSES.		STORAGE WAREHOUSES, LUMBER SHEDS, SILOS, ETC.		MISCELLANEOUS.		TOTALS.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I	8	$295,500	3	$606,000	....	.....	....	.....	4	$116,500	6	$51,100	36	$8,558,100
Type II	2	252,000	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	3	215,000	....	.....	9	1,724,000
Type IV	53	1,829,650	7	290,500	1	$200,000	....	.....	4	50,500	1	300	111	4,061,025
Type V	10	22,700	1	500	....	.....	....	.....	8	73,000	6	10,850	39	131,250
Type VI	2	16,000	3	112,000	1	1,000	....	.....	1	750	3	1,920	682	6,594,670
Total new construction	75	$2,415,850	14	$1,009,000	2	$201,000	....	.....	20	$455,750	16	$64,170	877	$21,069,045
Alterations, etc	584	1,663,733	151	1,403,287	6	37,775	....	.....	71	336,225	71	38,127	4836	11,793,691
Total structural work	659	$4,079,583	165	$2,412,287	8	$238,775	....	.....	91	$791,975	87	$102,297	5713	$32,862,736

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

The following is a statement showing BY WARDS the number and estimated cost of new buildings for purposes of habitation for the erection of which applications were filed with the Building Department of the City of Boston during the

MONTH ENDING OCTOBER 31, 1955.

WARD.	1-FAMILY DWELLINGS.		2-FAMILY DWELLINGS.		TOTAL FOR MONTH.	
	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.
1	1	$13,500	—	—	1	$13,500
17	2	18,400	1	$15,000	3	33,400
18	9	83,500	—	—	9	83,500
19	2	31,000	—	—	2	31,000
20	20	208,300	—	—	20	208,300
21	—	—	6	108,000	6	108,000
Total	34	$351,700	7	$123,000	41	$477,700

BUILDING OPERATIONS IN CITY OF BOSTON.

MONTH OF OCTOBER 31, 1955.

MONTH OF OCTOBER.	1955.		1954.	
	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.
Type I	3	$509,000	8	$6,852,161
Type II	1	65,000	-	—
Type IV	13	119,000	5	30,800
Type V	3	25,800	6	129,980
Type VI	48	485,830	41	387,500
Total new construction	68	$1,304,630	60	$7,100,441
Alterations, repairs, etc.	488	1,588,720	657	553,953
Total structural construction	556	$2,893,350	717	$7,951,391
Increase or decrease	161	—5,061,041		
	22%	-64%		
Installations, etc	1,266	416,164	1,161	413,203
Grand total all work	1,822	$3,339,514	1,881	$8,397,597
Increase or decrease	-59	—5,058,083		
	-3%	-60%		

FIRST TEN MONTHS.

Type I	36	$8,558,100	33	$10,119,161
Type II	9	1,724,000	7	1,111,000
Type IV	111	4,061,025	75	1,738,420
Type V	39	131,250	34	383,260
Type VI	682	6,591,670	337	5,022,790
Total new construction	877	$21,069,015	686	$18,374,631
Alterations, repairs, etc.	4,836	11,793,691	5,537	8,118,025
Total structural construction	5,713	$32,862,736	6,223	$26,492,656
Increase or decrease	-510	6,370,080*		
	-8%	24%*		
Installations, etc	10,120	5,678,682	9,525	4,432,165
Grand total all work	15,833	$38,511,418	15,748	$30,924,821
Increase or decrease	85*	7,616,597*		
	.5%*	24%*		

* Denotes increase — Denotes decrease

PRINCIPAL PROJECTS.

Alterations, Massachusetts General Hospital, 275 Charles street	$800,000
New, Bank, 125 Tremont street (Merchants Co-Operative)	576,000
Alterations, School, 2222 Dorchester avenue (Roman Catholic Archbishop)	130,000
Alterations, Manufacturing, 98 Business street (Magnesium Casting)	125,000
Alterations, Home for Aged, 111 Orient avenue (Sons of Divine Providence)	100,000
New, Storage, 1310 Soldiers Field road (Inge Schwartz)	65,000

STREET CONSTRUCTION IN WEST ROXBURY.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of Brucewood street, West Roxbury district, as a public highway, from Veterans of Foreign Wars Parkway to Rickerhill road, bounded and described as follows:

A highway named Brucewood street is hereby laid out, from Veterans of Foreign Wars Parkway to Rickerhill road, and ordered constructed.

Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed thereto, in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

Northerly by Veterans of Foreign Wars Parkway, fifty-two and 58-100 feet; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Brucewood street as hereby laid out, five hundred ninety-one and 16-100 feet; southeasterly by the northwesterly line of Rickerhill road, forty and 00-100 feet; and southwesterly by the southwesterly line of Brucewood street as hereby laid out, six hundred twenty-five and 29-100 feet.

Trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforedescribed land, shall be removed therefrom within thirty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the abutting parcels of land situated on both sides of said Brucewood street will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement herein ordered; each of said parcels in the amount hereinafter respectively set against it; said parcels and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Brucewood Street, West Roxbury, November 8, 1955, George G. Hyland, Commissioner of Public Works," and on file in the office of this commission.

Parcel.		Amount.
1.	City of Boston	$320 05
2.	City of Boston	430 00
3.	City of Boston	430 00
4.	City of Boston	430 00
5.	City of Boston	430 00
6.	Marion A. Foster	430 00
7.	City of Boston	430 00
8.	William P. Kiley, Helen Kiley, Charles L. Cosgrove, Jane Cosgrove	654 30
9.	Catherine Franzosa	433 61
10.	John C. Benker, Helen E. Benker	330 00
11.	Archie McLaughlin, Jennie McLaughlin	660 00
12.	Julius Berchuk, Ruth Berchuk	430 00
13.	Stephen J. Siney, Alice B. Siney,	500 00
14.	William S. Belan, Sophie M. Belan	500 00
15.	Regina Lipolz	500 00
16.	Aaron L. Gens, Doris L. Gens	500 00
17.	Mabelle M. O'Neil	412 50
18.	Frank K. Fitzpatrick	430 00
19.	Alexander J. Chapski	311 25
Total		$8,561 71

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the laying out and construction of Brucewood street, West Roxbury district, from Veterans of Foreign Wars Parkway to Rickerhill road, as a public highway, under the order of the commission of November 16, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, November 28, 1955.

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 2 P.M., President HURLEY in the chair, and all the members present.

The Reverend David W. Edmunds, of Roslindale Unitarian Church, was escorted to the rostrum.

INVOCATION BY REV. DAVID W. EDMUNDS.

Eternal God, spirit of love, truth, and beauty, we seek Thy help this day in our individual lives and in working together for our city, community, and nation. May we help other nations in the ideal of the world at peace. We need Thy wisdom and guidance for we are frail; yet endowed with Thy spirit, we can conquer the issues of life.

Unite the peoples of the world, O God, in the pursuit of peace. May we spread the influence and ideal of democracy and liberty through providing a noble example in Thy sight and in the eyes of the peoples of the world.

Help us to establish securely justice and righteousness in our community and may the spirit of good will and love reign throughout the world.

In justice's name we ask this prayer. Amen.

The meeting was opened with the salute to the Flag.

SALVATORE REBECCHINI, MAYOR OF ROME, GUEST OF BOSTON CITY COUNCIL.

Mayor Salvatore Rebecchini, accompanied by his son, Felipo Rebecchini; Renato Salenzi, Chief of Protocol of Rome; and Mark Bortman, Chairman of Salute to Rome Committee, were welcomed as guests of the Boston City Council by President HURLEY. Mayor Rebecchini addressed the Council, briefly, wishing it continued success.

VETO OF ORDER FOR PAYMENT OF ANNUITY TO MARY F. LANE.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, November 28, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I am returning herewith, disapproved, the order passed by your Honorable Body on November 14, 1955, granting under section 89A of chapter 32 of the General Laws an annuity for the widow of the late Patrolman Walter A. Lane.

My objection to the order returned herewith is that, while the Medical Board had been admonished by the Corporation Counsel's letter of September 20, 1955, to consider the case as if it had arisen prior to the enactment of the so-called Heart Law (G. L. [Ter. Ed.] c. 32, s. 94, as amended) and to show on the face of the record authority for the Board's ultimate finding if favorable to the petitioner, the Board's certificate fails to make such a showing and leaves the implication that the Board considered the case as if the Heart Law applied.

The circumstances described above are such that the case should be remanded to the Medical Board for reconsideration. In view of the petitioner's reliance upon heart disease, such reconsideration should, of course, be deferred by the Medical Board until the Supreme Judicial Court decides the case now pending before it relative to the applicability of the Heart Law in annuity cases under G.L. (Ter. Ed.), c. 32, s. 89A, as amended.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor,

The message and order were referred to the Committee on Claims.

VETO OF ORDER FOR PAYMENT OF ANNUITY TO MARY E. LINNEY.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, November 28, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I am returning herewith, disapproved, the order passed by your Honorable Body on November 14, 1955, granting under section 89A of chapter 32 of the General Laws an annuity for the widow of the late retired Fire Lieutenant Francis J. Linney.

My objection to the order returned herewith is that, while the Medical Board had been admonished by the Corporation Counsel's letter of January 25, 1955, to consider the case as if it had arisen prior to the enactment of the so-called Heart Law (G. L. [Ter. Ed.] c. 32, s. 94, as amended) and to show on the face of the record authority for the Board's ultimate finding if favorable to the petitioner, the Board's certificate fails to make such a showing and leaves the implication that the Board considered the case as if the Heart Law applied.

The circumstances described above are such that the case should be remanded to the Medical Board for reconsideration. In view of the petitioner's reliance upon heart disease, such reconsideration should, of course, be deferred by the Medical Board until the Supreme Judicial Court decides the case now pending before it relative to the applicability of the Heart Law in annuity cases under G.L. (Ter. Ed.), c. 32, s. 89A, as amended.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

The message and order were referred to the Committee on Claims.

RECREATIONAL FACILITIES AT THETFORD AVENUE AND EVANS STREET.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, November 23, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation relative to your order of November 14, 1955, concerning the installation of recreational facilities at the site of the abandoned school at Thetford avenue and Evans street, Dorchester.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Parks and Recreation Department,
November 21, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.

Dear Sir:

I have your memorandum of November 16, with enclosure, City Council order of Councillor McCormack, that the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation consider the advisability of installing recreational facilities at the site of the abandoned school on Thetford avenue and Evans street in the Dorchester section of Boston.

We are placing sufficient money in our 1956 budget for the development of this area, and if the money is allowed the work will be done.

Very truly yours,
FRANK R. KELLEY, Commissioner.

Placed on file.

NATIONAL GUARD ARMORY AT CITY POINT.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, November 16, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Adjutant General of the Commonwealth concerning the possibility of building a National Guard Armory in the South Boston District of Boston.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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November 15, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mayor Hynes:

Reference is made to City Council order of October 17, 1955, introduced by Councillors Foley, McCormack, and Kerrigan. Replying thereto, the Military Division of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts desires to locate a National Guard Armory in the South Boston District of Boston.

An armory in the South Boston district was included in our construction program for fiscal year 1956, but because a site was not available and in order not to lose appropriated funds, the program was amended so that an armory will be constructed in the Dorchester district during fiscal year 1956, in lieu of South Boston.

This division has requested the Federal Government, through the National Guard Bureau, to include an armory for the South Boston district in the budget requests for fiscal year 1957. Likewise, matching funds have been requested in the state budget for the same period.

To proceed with the necessary details in connection with processing of this project, it is desirable that a site be agreed upon and deeded to the Commonwealth as soon as possible.

Very truly yours,
WILLIAM H. HARRISON, JR.,
Major General, AGC., Mass. NG.,
The Adjutant General,
Chairman, Armory Commission.

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Coun. FOLEY moved that copies of the order of October 17, 1955, the message of the Mayor, and the communication of the adjutant general, be forwarded to the Board of Appeal for advice, comment and information. The motion was carried.

The message and the communication were severally placed on file.

TRAFFIC LIGHTS AT E AND WEST THIRD STREETS, SOUTH BOSTON.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, November 18, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Traffic Commissioner relative to your order of October 31, 1955, concerning the installation of traffic signals at the junction of E and West Third streets, outside St. Vincent's Church, South Boston.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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Boston Traffic Commission,
November 14, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

With reference to City Council order introduced by Councillors McCormack, Foley, and Kerrigan, requesting the installation of traffic signals at the junction of E street and West Third street, at St. Vincent's Church, I submit the following report.

Funds are not available for additional installations of traffic signals this year and in fact the program undertaken this year was not completed due to insufficient funds.

It will be necessary, therefore, next year to secure an appropriation for the finishing of traffic signals planned for 1955 and any additional signals for which money may be provided.

Meanwhile we shall make a study to determine whether or not "Stop" signs will alleviate the conditions described as prevailing at E street and West Third street in South Boston. It may be that "Stop" signs will be all that is required at the location but at least they will certainly provide a temporary relief until such time as a warrant for traffic signals is established.

Respectfully yours,
WM. ARTHUR REILLY, Commissioner.

Placed on file.

REPLACEMENT OF STREET LIGHTING ON ASHMONT STREET.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, November 18, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Public Works relative to your order of November 14, 1955, concerning the replacement of street lighting presently being accomplished on Ashmont street, in Dorchester, the entire length of that street.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Public Works Department,
November 18, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.

Dear Mr. Flemming:

This is in reference to the following order that was passed in the City Council under date of November 14:

"Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be requested to direct the Public Works Commissioner to extend the replacement of street lighting presently being accomplished on Ashmont street, in Dorchester, the entire length of that street."

The section of Ashmont street that extends from Dorchester avenue to Washington street is lighted by means of the old-fashioned gas lamps at the present time. However, an order has already been issued to the Boston Edison Company providing for the installation of modern, up-to-date, electric lights in this area of Ashmont street, to replace the outmoded gas lamps. We are arranging for the installation of 2,500 lumen lights; thereby providing lighting facilities in keeping with accepted and approved standards for residential streets.

The section of Ashmont street, from Dorchester avenue to Neponset avenue, is lighted at the present time by means of 1,000 lumen electric lights. We will issue an order to the Edison Company to provide for the replacement of these 1,000 lumen lamps with 2,500 lumen lights, thereby greatly improving the current street lighting facilities in this particular section of Ashmont street.

Respectfully yours,
GEORGE C. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Placed on file.

HANDICAPPED DRIVERS TO PARK BETWEEN 8 AND 9.30 A.M.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, November 18, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Corporation Counsel relative to your order of October 3, 1955, concerning the drawing up of legislation to be filed in the General Court amend-

ing chapter 458 of the Acts of 1955 to include, for the benefit of "handicapped" drivers the right to park in Boston between 8 and 9.30 A.M.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Law Department, November 15, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

On October 5, 1955, your Honor transmitted to me the following order passed by the City Council two days earlier:

"Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor request the Corporation Counsel to draw up legislation to be filed in the General Court amending chapter 458 of the Acts of 1955 to include, for the benefit of 'handicapped' drivers, the right to park in Boston between 8 and 9.30 A.M."

I interpret the above-quoted order as requesting me to draft legislation prohibiting the imposition of a penalty upon a "handicapped" driver for violating subsection 3 of section 4 of Article IVA of the Rules and Regulations of the Boston Traffic Commission, forbidding the stopping, standing, or parking of any vehicle in any street in the downtown area between 8 A.M. and 9.30 A.M. on any day. Since penalties for such violation are prescribed by the Boston Traffic Commission under St. 1929, c. 263, s. 2, as amended, and not directly by statute, the proposed legislation would be an unwarranted interference with local control over a matter in which Boston now has "home rule." I am therefore asking to be excused from complying with the above-quoted order in the belief that the City Council inadvertently overlooked the power of the Boston Traffic Commission and will pursue the matter by requesting that commission to exempt "handicapped" drivers from such penalty if such exemption is found to be in the public interest.

Respectfully,
WILLIAM L. BAXTER,
Corporation Counsel.

Placed on file.

APPROPRIATION FROM PARKMAN FUND INCOME.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, November 16, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I am in receipt of the attached communication from the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation, requesting the appropriation of $27,000 from the income of the George F. Parkman Fund, to be expended under the direction of the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation, for the Maintenance and Improvement of the Common and Parks in Existence on January 12, 1887.

The 1955 budget estimates for the personal service requirements of the Park Department included an estimate of the total yearly income from the George F. Parkman Fund. The budget allowances made provision for the appropriation of this income as it accrued for the purpose of defraying the cost of work actually performed on the Common and Parks in Existence on January 12, 1887.

I submit herewith an order appropriating the sum of $27,000, the accrued income now available from the Parkman Fund, and respectfully recommend its immediate passage by your Honorable Body.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Parks and Recreation Department,
November 15, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Sir:

You are respectfully asked to request the City Council to transfer from the income of the George F. Parkman Fund the sum of $27,000 which is now available, to be expended under the direction of the Park Commissioner, as follows:

Common and Parks in Existence on January 12, 1887, Maintenance and Improvement of $27,000

When making up the budget estimates for the year 1955, a sum equal to the total yearly income of the George F. Parkman Fund was deducted from Item 100, Permanent Employees, with the understanding that this deduction was to be replaced by the total yearly income of said Parkman Fund for 1955, to be transferred as it accrued from time to time during the year to the regular maintenance appropriation of the Parks and Recreation Department.

Respectfully yours,
FRANK R. KELLEY, Commissioner.

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Ordered, That the sum of twenty-seven thousand dollars ($27,000) be, and hereby is, appropriated, from the income of the George F. Parkman Fund, to be expended under the direction of the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation, for the Maintenance and Improvement of the Common and Parks in Existence on January 12, 1887, as follows:

Common and Parks in Existence on January 12, 1887, Maintenance and Improvement of $27,000

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Finance.

TRANSFERS OF APPROPRIATIONS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, November 28, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I submit herewith two orders providing for transfers within departmental appropriations. These orders are intended to cover situations which were not anticipated, and, therefore, not provided for in the original budget appropriations of the two departments concerned.

I respectfully recommend approval of the accompanying orders.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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Ordered, That in accordance with the provisions of section 3B of chapter 486 of the Acts of 1909, as amended by chapter 601 of the Acts of 1941, the City Auditor be, and hereby is, authorized to transfer:

From the appropriation for Finance Commission, 4, Current Charges and Obligations, $1,255, to the appropriation for City Clerk Department, 1, Personal Services, $305, 2. Contractual Services, $950.

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Ordered, That in accordance with the provisions of section 3B of chapter 486 of the Acts of 1909, as amended by chapter 604 of the Acts of 1941, the City Auditor be, and hereby is, authorized to transfer:

From the appropriation for Supreme Judicial Court, 1, Personal Services, $123, to the appropriation for Court House (Custodian), 5, Equipment, $123.

Severally referred to the Executive Committee.

TRANSFER OF APPROPRIATION TO COURTHOUSE CUSTODIAN.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, November 28, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

To accommodate the increase authorized by the Legislature in the legal staff of the District Attorney's office, it will be necessary for the Courthouse Commission to provide additional office accommodations. In so doing, the commission proposes to expend $4,000 for the erection of partitions and the painting of rooms relinquished by the Superior Court.

Since no provision for this work was made in the original budget of the commission, it is necessary to transfer the amount involved from the Reserve Fund.

I submit herewith an order providing for such action, and respectfully recommend its adoption by your Honorable Body.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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Ordered, That in accordance with the provisions of section 3B of chapter 486 of the Acts of 1909, as amended by chapter 601 of the Acts of 1941, the City Auditor be, and hereby is, authorized to transfer:

From the appropriation for Reserve Fund, $1,000, to the Appropriation for Courthouse (Custodian), 2, Contractual Services, $1,000.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

LOAN ORDER FOR CIVIL DEFENSE EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, November 28, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

At the request of the Director of Civil Defense, I submit herewith an order authorizing a loan of one hundred thousand dollars ($100,000) to be used on a matching-fund basis with the State or Federal Governments to provide essential equipment and supplies.

Of the various items included in the director's communication, also submitted herewith, that relating to sirens will permit the establishment throughout the city of a complete attack-warning system; that relating to communications will cover the purchase of additional radio equipment to augment existing two-way communication facilities in the Public Works, Police, and Fire Departments; that relating to generators will permit the purchase of equipment of this character to be used in the event of temporary failure of power facilities during floods and hurricanes; that relating to pumping equipment will permit augmenting present facilities so that the city may meet emergency requirements resulting from floods and hurricanes; that relating to rescue equipment will embrace saws, axes, and trucks which will be utilized when emergency conditions arise.

Based on the experience of the Civil Defense Department in handling emergencies which have arisen since its creation, I believe it is desirable that the facilities covered by the proposed loan should be made available. I therefore recommend adoption of the accompanying order by your Honorable Body. I trust your action in this respect will be taken promptly since subsequent to your action, approval for the loan must be secured from the Emergency Finance Board.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

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City of Boston,
Civil Defense, October 19, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mayor Hynes:

I am hereby requesting that in accordance with chapter 639 of the Acts of 1950, section 15A, a civil defense non-revenue loan in the amount of $100,000 be secured in order that funds may be made available for making purchases on a matching-fund basis with the State or Federal Governments so that certain minimum needs for civil defense equipment and supplies may be met.

These funds will be used in all probability in the following amounts for the following purposes:

Sirens	$35,000
Communications	20,000
Generators	20,000
Pumping Equipment	10,000
Garage	10,000
Rescue Equipment	5,000
Total	$100,000

I hope that this request will meet with your approval.

Respectfully submitted,
JOSEPH L. MALONE, Director.

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Ordered, That under the provisions of section 15A of chapter 639 of the Acts of 1950, the sum of one hundred thousand dollars ($100,000) be, and the same hereby is, appropriated, to be expended under the direction of the Director of Civil Defense, to meet the expenses necessary for civil defense activities, and that the Collector-Treasurer be, and hereby is, authorized to issue, from time to time, upon request of the Mayor, bonds, notes, or certificates of indebtedness of the City of Boston to said amount.

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations and Finance.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committee named, viz.:

Claims.

Arthur Blanchard, for compensation for injuries caused by police car.

Claire N. Bujnowski, for compensation for damage to property at 2 Jacqueline road, West Roxbury, caused during repairs to sidewalk.

Cataldo Realty Company, for compensation for damage to property at 114 Commercial street, Boston, caused by city disposal truck.

Ronald J. Chisholm, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect in Charlestown Bridge.

Mary Coppleman, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 518 Beacon street.

William E. Coughlin, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Fire Department.

Thomas F. Cummings, for compensation for damage to car caused by cable drawn across top of car.

Bernice DaSilva, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 130 Blackstone street.

Anna Doxer, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 431 Pond street, Jamaica Plain.

Karl Feil, for compensation for damage to property at 22 Heathcote street, Roslindale, during street and sidewalk construction.

William B. Furness, for compensation for damage to car by fire apparatus.

Richard L. Gstes, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Police Department.

Dorothy Goldberg, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Boylston and Washington streets.

Shirley Green, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Harrison avenue and Dover street.

Leonard F. Hansford, for reimbursement as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Fire Department.

Annette Harris, for compensation for damage to clothing caused by defective voting booth, Precinct 13, Ward 22.

Anna M. Hurley, for refund on alcoholic beverages license at 417 Neponset avenue, Dorchester.

Francis Kenneally, for compensation for damage to car by police car.

Fred Knoechel, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 27 Howard street.

Paul R. Lewis, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 705 Tremont street.

William F. Lydon, to be reimbursed as result of executions issued against him on account of his acts as employee of Police Department.

John Manning, Trustee of the Evelyn Trust, for compensation for damage to property at 122 Brighton avenue, caused by bursting of water pipes.

Justin A. McCarthy, to be reimbursed as result of execution issued against him on account of his acts as employee of Water Division, Public Works Department.

Carmine Migliore, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 598 Tremont street.

Daniel J. O'Shea, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Police Department.

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John M. Owirka, to be reimbursed as result of execution issued against him on account of his acts as employee of Police Department.

Arthur J. Queeney, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Police Department.

Anna B. Rust, for compensation for damage to clothing caused by defective voting booth at Oak Square Library, Brighton.

Francis V. Ryan, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Traffic Commission.

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Esther Schlesinger and Polly Lapides, for compensation for damage to property at 26 and 27 Hildreth street, Dorchester, caused by drains being plugged up.

Mabel V. Simonian, for compensation for damage to property at 333 Meridian street, East Boston, caused by break in water main.

Roberta A. Sirull, for compensation for injuries and damage to property caused by an alleged defect at 16 Lincoln street.

Ida Sulkin, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 42 Beacon street.

Mrs. Jeremiah F. Sullivan, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Dane and Holbrook streets.

John C. and Bernice Tranas, for compensation for damage to property at 24 Ashford street, Allston, caused by falling tree.

PETITIONS FOR INDEMNIFICATION.

Petition of Paul DeRosa, employee of Boston Fire Department, for indemnificatiou for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses.

Petition of George H. King, employee of Boston Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses.

Petition of Joseph R. Hurley, employee of Boston Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses.

Petition of Francis J. Kelley, employee of Boston Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses.

Petition of John F. O'Brien, employee of Boston Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses.

Petition of John B. O'Connor, employee of Boston Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses.

Petition of Charles N. Vogel, employee of Boston Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses.

Severally referred to the Committee on Claims.

APPROVAL OF STATE HOUSING BOARD.

Notice was received from the State Housing Board of approval of sale of two parcels of property, under section 6 of chapter 372 of the Acts of 1946.

Notice was received from the State Housing Board of approval of sale of six parcels of property in Roslindale, under section 6 of chapter 372 of the Acts of 1946.

Placed on file.

Notice was received from the State Housing Board of approval of sale of property at Columbia road and Farragut road, multiple veterans housing development, under section 6 of chapter 372 of the Acts of 1946.

Notice was received from the State Housing Board of approval of sale of property at Arborway and Morton street, Jamaica Plain, under section 6 of chapter 372 of the Acts of 1946.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

NOTICE FROM STATE MILK CONTROL COMMISSION.

Notice was received from the State Milk Control Commission of hearing to be held November 28, 1955, at 11 A.M., Room 705, 41 Tremont street, Boston, relative to proposed amendments to official orders of the commission.

Placed on file.

NOTICES OF HEARINGS BEFORE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES.

Notice was received from the Department of Public Utilities of hearing on petition of the Metropolitan Transit Authority to be held December 5, 1955, at 10 A.M., to operate motor vehicles on various streets in the City of Boston and elsewhere.

Notice was received from the Department of Public Utilities of hearing on petition of Representative Michael Paul Feeney to be held December 8, 1955, at 10 A.M., protesting removal of Hyde Park Station of New York, New Haven, & Hartford Railroad.

Notice was received from the Department of Public Utilities of hearing on petition of Peter C. Snell to be held December 12, 1955, at 10 A.M., for authorization to purchase voting stock of Johnson Bus Lines, Inc.

Severally placed on file.

NOTICE FROM STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES.

A communication was received from the Department of Public Utilities transmitting copy of order granting petition of Metropolitan Transit Authority to erect pole and wires on Washington street, Brighton.

Placed on file.

NOTICE FROM STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

A communication was received from the Department of Public Works transmitting copy of order of layout and taking of altered location of section of state highway (John F. Fitzgerald Expressway).

Placed on file.

APPROVAL OF CONSTABLES' BONDS.

The constables' bonds of the following, having been duly approved by the collector-treasurer, were received and approved:

George D. Lambrenos, David Kaplan, James A. Canton.

APPOINTMENTS TO BEACON HILL ARCHITECTURAL COMMISSION.

Notices were received from the Mayor of the appointments of Charles A. Callauan, John Codman, John Garduer Greene, Robert E. Minot, and Isidor Richmond to be members of the Beacon Hill Architectural Commission.

Severally placed on file.

RECESS.

On motion of Councillor Piemonte, the Council voted to take a recess at 3.04 P.M., subject to the call of the Chair. The members reassembled in the Council Chamber and were called to order by President HURLEY at 5.37 P.M.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. WHITE, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following:

1. Report on order (referred September 12) for acceptance of chapter 670 of the Acts of 1955, relative to increased pensions to certain former public employees—recommending that same ought to pass.

The report was accepted, and the order was passed.

2. Report on message of the Mayor and orders (referred today) for transfer of appropriation of $1,255 to City Clerk Department and transfer of appropriation of $123 to Courthouse (Custodian)—recommending that same ought to pass.

3. Report on message of the Mayor and order (referred today) for transfer of appropriation of $4,000 to Courthouse (Custodian)—recommending that same ought to pass.

The reports were accepted, and the orders were severally passed, yeas 9.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCE.

Coun. HAILER, for the Committee on Appropriations and Finance, submitted the following:

Report on message of the Mayor and order (referred today) appropriating $27,000 from income of the George F. Parkman Fund, to be expended under the direction of the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation—recommending that same ought to pass.

The report was accepted, and the order was passed, yeas 9.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONFIRMATIONS.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN, for the Committee on Confirmations, submitted the following:

Report on appointment by the Mayor (referred November 14) of Arthur B. Hall, Jr., as weigher of goods, for the term ending April 30, 1956—recommending that appointment be confirmed.

The report was accepted, and the question came on confirmation. Committee, Councillors Foley and White. Whole number of ballots 8, yeas 8, and the appointment was confirmed.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON ORDINANCES.

Coun. PIEMONTE, for the Committee on Ordinances, submitted the following:

The Committee on Ordinances, to whom was referred October 10, 1955, an ordinance submitted by the Mayor concerning the fees for certificates, issued by the secretary of the Beacon Hill Architectural Commission, having considered the same, respectfully recommends that the ordinance as submitted by the Mayor be rejected, and passage of the ordinance in the accompanying new draft.

For the Committee,
GABRIEL F. PIEMONTE, Chairman.

City of Boston.
In the Year Nineteen Hundred and Fifty-Five.

An Ordinance Concerning the Fees for Certificates Issued by the Secretary of the Beacon Hill Architectural Commission.

Be it ordained by the City Council of Boston, as follows:

Section 22 of chapter 41 of the Revised Ordinances of 1947, as most recently amended by chapter 5 of the Ordinances of 1953, is hereby further amended by adding after clause 33 the following new clauses:

34. The fee for the issuance of a certificate of appropriateness by the Secretary of the Beacon Hill Architectural Commission, under section 7 of chapter 616 of the Acts of 1955, shall be, in the case of the construction or reconstruction of the whole or such portion of the exterior of a structure as is designed to be open to view from a public way, thirty-five dollars, and in every other case, five dollars.

35. The fee for the issuance by the Secretary of the Beacon Hill Architectural Commission of a certificate under section 8 of chapter 616 of the Acts of 1955 relative to the expiration of the period specified in said section 8 shall be twenty-five dollars.

The report of the committee was accepted, the ordinance in the new draft was passed, and the ordinance as submitted by the Mayor was rejected.

POSTPONEMENT OF DATE FOR AMATEUR FOOTBALL GAME.

Coun. HURLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That the City Council of Boston hereby ratifies and confirms the action taken by eight members of the City Council on November 22, 1955, consenting to the changing of the date from Sunday, November 20, 1955 to Sunday, November 27, 1955, for the playing of an amateur football game at Fenway Park, between the East Boston Tornadoes and the Chippewas of South Boston.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

TEMPORARY APPOINTMENTS, CLERK OF COMMITTEES DEPARTMENT.

Coun. HURLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That effective November 23, 1955, the following persons be, and they hereby are, appointed in the service of the Clerk of Committees Department to the positions set against their respective names until the first Wednesday of January, 1956, at the salaries in effect for them on November 22, 1955.

Francis R. Burke, temporary clerk.

Peter J. Cloherty, temporary clerk.

Nicholas DiMella, temporary stenographer-clerk.

Agnes G. Dinsmore, temporary clerk-receptionist.

Catherine E. Dunn, temporary stenographer-clerk.

Catherine Monahan, temporary stenographer-clerk.

Paul G. O'Hara, temporary clerk.

Frances B. Winn, temporary stenographer-clerk.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

MEETING OF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

Coun. WHITE announced that there would be a meeting of the Executive Committee on Tuesday, December 6, 1955, at 11 A.M., to have the final publicly advertised hearing on group insurance, etc., for city and county employees.

AMENDMENT TO CLASSIFICATION AND COMPENSATION PLAN.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor review the City of Boston Payroll Schedule for its employees with a view to reducing the term of years of service required before attaining the maximum salary grade from the present term of 20 years to 10 years.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

LIBERALIZATION OF McCARRAN-WALTER IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION POLICIES.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Whereas, The City of Boston owes its greatness to contributions of men and women of all races and religions and of all national descent, working together for the common welfare of our community and our nation; and

Whereas, These citizens hold dear the heritage of America and the heritage of their forefathers from all nations of the world; and

Whereas, The City of Boston's ever-growing greatness in medicine, educatiou, teelnology, commerce, the arts, industry, and in countless other fields of eudeavor, is due in large part to the contributions of recent immigrants from all lands and their descendants; and

Whereas, The City of Boston, with commercial and cultural ties close to other nations of the world, realizes the value of American leadership, through demonstratiou, in true democracy to attaiu global peace; and

Whereas, The present immigration and naturalization laws of the United States do not unite the people of our nation, and, through the prejudicial national origins quota system do not demonstrate true equality of all of God's children on earth, and do not make equal American-born and naturalized citizens, and do not make greatly-needed friends for the United States among the people of the world; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Boston City Council be recorded as favoring liberalization of the McCarran-Walter Immigration and Naturalization Law to make our immigration and naturalization policies truly democratic, in the spirit of equality to all men upon which our nation was founded and for which Boston patriots have fought and died since the founding of our city in 1630; nnd be it further

Resolved, That the Boston City Council favors the establishment of a nonpartisan and nonpolitical commission of experts, representing all fields affected by immigration and naturalization, to study what immigratiou and naturalization policy would be best for America, and to propose legislation to effect this policy at the next session of the Congress of the United States; and be it further

Resolved, That copies of this resolution be forwarded immediately to Chairman Kilgore and all members of the Senate Judiciary Subcommittee on Immigration and Naturalization, Room 419-B, Senate Office Building, Washington 25, D. C., with the request that this resolution be placed into the record of the hearings on immigration and naturalization now being held.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

TAX ASSESSING INFORMATION CONCERNING CERTAIN PROPERTIES.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor be requested, under the provisions of section 17F of chapter 376 of the Acts of 1951, and any amendments pursuant thereto, and under any authority vested in the City Council, at the meeting of the Council next ensuing after one week from receipt of this order, answer in writing to the questions set forth in the following:

1. The provisions of the statutes of the Commonwealth and or ordinance of the City of Boston or any regulations promulgated by the Commissioner of Corporations and Taxation pertaining to the placing of liens by municipalities on real estate for nonpayment of taxes and the date and citation and laws, ordinance or regulations became effective.

2. A detailed statement as to the amount, if any, owed to the City of Boston as of December 31, 1949, for taxes or charges on each of the following properties:

a. 137-139 Purchase street.
b. 141-143 Purchase street.
c. 140-142 Pearl street.
d. 136-138 Pearl street.
e. 132-134 Pearl street.
f. 128-130 Pearl street.
g. 124-126 Pearl street.
h. 120-122 Pearl street.
i. 116-118 Pearl street.
j. 112-114 Pearl street.
k. 108-110 Pearl street.
l. 101-106 Pearl street.
m. 100-102 Pearl street.
n. 129-133 High street.
o. 135-137 High street.
p. 37 Hartford street.
q. 45 Hartford street.
r. 245-249 Washington street.
s. 255 Washington street.
t. 259 Washington street.
u. 263 Washington street.
v. 267 Washington street.
w. 275 Washington street.
x. 76 Broad street.
y. 99 State street.
z. 125-127 Purchase street.

The assessed valuation placed on each of the aforesaid parcels and the tax assessed for each of these properties for the years 1950, 1951, 1952, 1953, 1954, and 1955.

3. The abatements granted on each of the aforesaid parcels since January 1, 1950, setting forth the dates said abatements were granted and the amount abated in each instance.

4. The dates and amounts of payments to the City of Boston on each of these parcels setting forth the date such payments were received by the City of Boston and the book and page in which such entries of payments were made.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

CONGRATULATIONS TO SPONSORS AND PARTICIPANTS IN SANDLOT FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP GAME.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN offered the following:

Whereas, on Sunday, December 4, 1955, the East Boston Tornadoes and the Weymouth Town Team will meet at Fenway Park to determine the Sandlot Football Championship of Massachusetts; and

Whereas, This is being sponsored by his Honor the Mayor, John B. Hynes, and the Boston "Post"; and

Whereas, The proceeds of this game will be donated to the "Boston Post Santa Fund" to assist in providing needy children with a happy Christmas; and

Whereas, This is a most worthy cause in keeping with the true spirit of the Holy Season; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, extends its sincere congratulations to the sponsors, and urges all who can possibly do so to purchase tickets to assure the success of this most deserving undertaking; and be it further

Resolved, That the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, extends its sincere thanks to the members of the South Boston Chippewas, the East Boston Tornadoes, co-champions of the City of Boston, and the Weymouth Town Team, for their willing cooperation in the name of charity; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to each of the sponsors and the management of each of the aforementioned teams.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

CONGRATULATIONS TO COACHES AND MEMBERS OF CHARLESTOWN HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL TEAM.

Coun. AHEARN offered the following:

Whereas, Participation in athletics of all kinds is to be encouraged and enlarged in our schools not only for the improvement of the health of our youth but also for the development of character and qualities of good sportsmanship, fair play, discipline, ability to lose gracefully, and for the purpose of fighting juvenile delinquency; and

Whereas, While winning in schoolboy sports should not be overemphasized, yet it is fitting that recognition should be given to a degree of perfection which is reached through fine instruction, diligent practice, hard work, nnd loyalty; now therefore be it

Resolved, That the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, congratulates and commends the headmaster, coaches, and members of the football team of the Charlestown High School on the completion of their first undefeated season in many years and upon their winning of the state-wide Class D football championship.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

SPECIAL SESSION OF LEGISLATURE TO CONSIDER GRADUAL DECONTROL OF RENTALS.

Coun. AHEARN offered the following:

Whereas, Rent controls in the City of Boston will expire on December 31 under provisions of chapter 225 of the Acts of 1955; and

Whereas, The expiration of such rent controls will create an extreme hardship on countless thousands of families in the City of Boston, as well as in other cities and towns throughout the Commonwealth; and

Whereas, Notices for increases in rents have already been received by tenants with increases as high as 50 per cent; and

Whereas, Many of these tenants are living on a fixed income from Social Security, a retirement pension, old age assistance, etc., and such rent increases will force upon them the cost of moving to less expensive accommodations in areas unsuitable for decent living, and areas which the city is trying to eliminate, or will force tenants to deny themselves the necessities of life in order to meet the increased rentals; and

Whereas, One hundred and fifteen representatives and 27 members of the Massachusetts Senate in the Great and General Court favored the continuance of rent controls into 1956 during the last session of the Legislature; and

Whereas, Eighty-two representatives and 16 senators recently signed a petition calling for a special session of the Legislature to consider this vital matter, indicating continued interest and the urgent necessity for the continuance of rent control; and

Whereas, Time is now of the essence and only the speedy intervention of His Excellency the Governor can avert the disastrous effects of rent control termination by calling a special session of the Legislature; now therefore be it

Resolved, That the sudden termination of all rent controls, regardless of availability and price of accommodations, will create an emergency and undue hardships; be it further

Resolved, That His Excellency the Governor call a special session of the Legislature with a view to enacting into law a fair and intelligent plan of gradual decontrol of rentals which will take into consideration the availability and the cost of rental accommodations in order that a chaotic condition may be averted and persons of low and moderate income may be protected.

On motion of Councillor Piemonte, the foregoing resolution was referred to the Executive Committee.

AMATEUR FOOTBALL GAME FOR CHRISTMAS FESTIVAL SANTA CLAUS FUND.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That a license be hereby granted to use Fenway Park on the afternoon of Sunday, December 4, 1955, for an amateur football game between the East Boston Tornadoes and the Weymouth Town Team, for the Christmas Festival Santa Claus Fund by Patrick J. Ryan, provided that the provisions of section 25 of chapter 41 of the Revised Ordinances of 1947 relative to liability insurance shall be complied with; the fee for said license shall be $5.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

"DICK LUCAS DAY"

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Whereas, Richard Lucas is a native of South Boston, a graduate of South Boston High School, and a star football player at Boston College; and

Whereas, Richard Lucas has brought great credit to his city, to the Boston schools, and to his college by winning the O'Melia Trophy for being the outstanding player in the Holy Cross-Boston College football game; and

Whereas, Richard Lucas will be awarded the O'Melia Trophy at a dinner of the Holy Cross Club of Boston, in Hotel Somerset, on Tuesday, December 13; therefore be it

Resolved, That Tuesday, December 13, be declared "Dick Lucas Day" in Boston.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

BEST WISHES TO TONY DeMARCO.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Resolved, That the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, extends its best wishes for success to Tony DeMarco in his fight Wednesday evening to regain the welterweight championship of the world.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

Adjourned at 6.14 P.M., on motion of Councillor White, to meet on Monday, December 5, 1955, at 2 P. M.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

(Stenographic copy of such debate on file in office of City Clerk.)

MUNICIPAL BOND PROPOSALS.

State and municipal bond proposals reported during June as approved by 239 municipalities in 31 states and Alaska totaled $173,811,935, as compared with $113,704,950 for June, 1953, the Bond Buyer reports . . . Jones Beach Parkway Authority in New York has been ordered to show cause why the 10-cent toll on the portion of the Southern State Parkway now completed should not be discontinued. Basis of the suit, it is said, is a claim that all of the highway must be completed before any tolls can be collected.

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

Harry J. Lionett, National Shawmut Bank, 40 Water street, Boston, in the sum of $325, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a broken curbstone on Water street, at Post Office square, May 11, 1955.

William L. Little, 100 Farrar avenue, Hyde Park, in the sum of $24.50, as compensation for damage to automobile caused by an excavation on Walk Hill street, between American Legion Highway and Harvard street, August 19, 1955.

Leah Wein, 154 Seaver street, Dorchester, in the sum of $375, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a water meter cover which protruded above the level of the sidewalk in front of 154 Seaver street, August 12, 1954.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

BRIDGE REPAIRS.

Proposals for Redecking and Repairing Perkins Street Footbridge, Over Boston & Maine Railroad.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for redecking and repairing Perkins Street Footbridge, over Boston & Maine Railroad. A bond will be required for doing the work of a surety company approved by the Commissioner in the sum of 100 per cent of the amount of the contract, to secure the due performance of the contract and the full protection of the city. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Redecking and Repairing Perkins Street Footbridge, Over Boston & Maine Railroad," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1955, with a certified check for FOUR HUNDRED (400) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Dec. 10.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

Alice Bastian, 121 Ashmont street, Dorchester, in the sum of $450, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk on Federal street, corner of Purchase street, June 19, 1955.

Kay Sherman, 625 Beacon street, Newton, in the sum of $250, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the highway on Beacon street, opposite No. 1924, at Cleveland Circle, April 18, 1955.

Parker C. MacKinnon, 16 Dunreath street, Roxbury, to be reimbursed in the sum of $385, as a result of an accident which occurred on May 19, 1953, when a motor vehicle belonging to the Sanitary Division, Public Works Department, which he was operating, struck an automobile owned by Abraham Saletszky, damaging same and causing personal injuries to Mr. Saletszky.

CITY OF BOSTON.

OVERSEERS OF THE PUBLIC WELFARE.

PROPOSALS FOR INTERIOR LIGHTING SYSTEM RENOVATIONS TO THE WELFARE BUILDING, 43 HAWKINS STREET, BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS.

The Overseers of the Public Welfare in the City of Boston invite proposals for interior lighting system renovations to the Welfare Building, 43 Hawkins street, Boston, Mass., according to specifications which may be obtained from the office of the Board, first floor, 43 Hawkins street, Boston. Bidders must use the form of proposal to be obtained at this office, and the successful bidder must furnish a bond for one half of the total amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as a surety for the faithful performance of the contract. Bids with a certified check for five hundred dollars ($500), payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, must be left at the office of the Board, first floor, 43 Hawkins street, before 12 noon, December 28, 1955, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be left with the City Auditor prior to the time named for the opening of the bids. The Board of Overseers reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids. All contracts made subject to appropriation to meet the payments thereunder.

JOSEPH K. COLLINS,
(Dec. 10-17-24.) *Chairman.*

THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING FLUORESCENT AND LARGE INCANDESCENT ELECTRIC LAMPS FOR BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing and delivering at the several school buildings fluorescent and large incandescent electric lamps in accordance with orders. Proposal forms are obtainable at the office of the Business Manager of the School Committee, 15 Beacon street. Envelopes containing proposals must be sealed and plainly marked "Proposal for Fluorescent and Large Incandescent Electric Lamps." The bid must be in duplicate. One copy, signed by the bidder, and accompanied by a certified check in the amount of one hundred dollars ($100), payable to the City of Boston, must be left at the office of the Business Manager on or before 12 o'clock noon on Tuesday, December 20, 1955. Copies filed with the Business Manager will be publicly opened and read at 12 o'clock noon of the day stated. The other copy, also signed by the bidder, must be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., previous to the time named for the opening of the bids. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids, and to accept such bid or part of bid as may be deemed best for the interests of the city. The successful bidder will be required to provide a suitable bond or deposit of money or other security for not less than 50 per cent of the amount of the contract.

LEO J. BURKE,
Business Manager of the School Committee.
(Dec. 10.)

Josephine Doran, 30 Crescent street, Wakefield, in the sum of $30, as compensation for damage to clothing caused by paint from a freshly painted unguarded traffic post at the corner of Washington and Winter streets, June 20, 1955.

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CITY OF BOSTON.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING AND INSTALLING AN AIR COMPRESSOR IN LAUNDRY BUILDING, BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL.

The City of Boston, by the Board of Trustees, Hospital Department, and of the Boston City Hospital, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for furnishing and installing an air compressor in Laundry Building, Boston City Hospital, Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until two o'clock P.M., Wednesday, December 21, 1955, at the office of the Superintendent, Boston City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy shall be properly filled out, signed, and enclosed in an envelope, sealed and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $100, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority.

The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate of wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for the work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of the contract.

Specifications may be obtained at the office of the Superintendent of the Boston City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston, Mass., on and after Monday, December 12, 1955.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price, will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any and all bids if it be in the public interest so to do.

The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all bids in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

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ALL NEW ENGLAND FLOCKING TO CHRISTMAS FESTIVAL ON BOSTON COMMON — MAYOR JOHN B. HYNES JUSTLY PROUD OF THE SUCCESS OF ONE OF HIS MOST CHERISHED PROGRAMS.

Record throngs have been visiting the Boston Common and Public Garden during the past three weeks to view the most beautiful spectacle ever attempted in Boston's history. During the daytime, during the evening, and especially during the week ends, Boston Common has become a beacon of hope, happiness, and thrills for thousands of adults and children from all sections of New England.

The true meaning of Christmas is brought back to mind by the deep religious theme which characterizes every phase of the Festival and which catches the eye and heart of the spectator. With 130 different musical organizations, representing various religious groups throughout the city and state, participating during the display, with the principal center of attraction being the heroic-sized Nativity Scene overlooking the Common near the State House, one can well appreciate the time and effort devoted to making this annual Festival such a huge success.

The largest musical program of the Christmas Festival's six-year history will be climaxed Christmas Eve when St. John's Seminary Choir sings at the Nativity Scene, while Archbishop Richard J. Cushing celebrates the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass.

Later that day, St. Paul's Episcopal Cathedral Choir will take part in a Christmas Eve service conducted by the Very Reverend Charles H. Buck, Jr., Dean of the Episcopal Cathedral. Also participating in the Christmas Eve events will be the choir of St. Andrew's Ukrainian Church.

Santa's Workshop, with its eight live white reindeer, has been attracting the attention of thousands of excited visitors, especially the children.

Police and transportation systems have been making arrangements for increases in the heavy traffic which will become more prevalent during the next week. The New England Transportation System and the M.T.A. announced that they have put on special additional vehicles to handle the expected crowds, and downtown traffic policemen will be augmented by officers from outlying stations.

Hundreds of letters have been received by his Honor the Mayor and Harry J. Blake, Chairman of the Christmas Festival Committee, complimenting them on their untiring work and splendid administration of an annual Boston affair that is now becoming the talk of the country.

The following editorial appeared in the *Boston Evening American*, December 14, 1955:

WORLD'S BEST

Boston's Christmas Festival, more beautiful than ever before, should be a "must" for every New Englander.

In all the world there is nothing quite like it — not even in London or Paris or Rome.

It is the Bible come to life, imagination transformed into reality, a lovely dream come true.

Every child should see the faithful reproduction of the Nativity Scene — the new-born Christ in His manger crib, the Blessed Virgin, Saint Joseph and the adoring shepherds.

The New England village church, its organ sounding the praises of the King of Kings and choirs singing the ancient hymns, is worth traveling far to enjoy.

A day spent in Boston during the Christmas season is a day to be remembered.

"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the shipteeming plain of the ocean;
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.

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MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries, or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the Complaints Division, Room 25, City Hall.

Information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways, the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments of streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped area for streets and the opening of private ways; tho making of specific repairs in public streets; the naming of public streets, including the use of public ways for location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railways, coal holes, and vaults, may be secured from the Public Improvement Commission, Room 403, City Hall Annex.

TO THE BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION, 112 Southampton street, for information relative to regulation of vehicular street traffic on all or any streets, ways, highways, roads, and parkways under the control of the City of Boston, the issuing of all permits in connection therewith.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting, and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catchbasins, the operation of Sumner Tunnel, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges, and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Haymarket Square, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish, and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughterhouses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases, of public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth Avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park, and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts, also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview, and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

TO THE DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS, 28 Norman street, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

TO THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 907, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal, or tearing down buildings.

TO THE ELECTRICAL INSPECTION DIVISION OF THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT, 1001 City Hall Annex, for all information relative to the erection of poles, building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division; also for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings of the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

TO THE BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT, 43 City Hall, relative to changes in the boundary lines of zoning districts of the City of Boston as established by chapter 488 of the Acts of 1924, and amendments thereto.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending December 10, 1955.

Population as of July, 1950, Massachusetts State Census, 817,713; population estimated July, 1955, United States Census Bureau, 813,696; number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 149; nonresidents, 81; total, 230.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 14.80; nonresidents deducted, 9.42.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:

Last week, 13.91; corresponding week last year, 13.51.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 17; one year to four years, inclusive, 4; sixty years and over, 147. Total deaths: Male, 122; female, 108; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 166.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Dec. 10, 1955.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Dec. 11, 1954.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior Poliomyelitis	—	—	3	—
Diphtheria	—	—	—	—
Encephalitis Lethargica	—	—	—	—
Influenza	—	—	—	—
Measles	—	—	104	—
Meningitis Epidemic	1	—	—	—
Pneumonia (lobar)	—	1	—	2
Scarlet Fever	9	—	11	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary)	17	2	31	5
Childhood Type Tuberculosis	—	—	—	—
Tuberculosis (other forms)	—	—	3	—
Typhoid Fever	—	—	—	—
Whooping Cough	—	—	22	—

*Residents and nonresidents included.

PLANS COMPLETED FOR TAKING CARE OF ANY AND ALL UNUSUAL SNOW-STORMS DURING THE WINTER SEASON—MAYOR APPROVES NEW CONTRACT.

Boston has completed plans for caring for and meeting any unusual situations that may follow snowstorms during the winter. Mayor Hynes has approved the request of the Public Works Commissioner to have the equipment and necessary labor provided by contractors to keep in front of storms.

The letter seeking approval reads as follows:

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, December 9, 1955.

To the Mayor of Boston:

I respectfully recommend that contracts for removing snow during the 1955–56 winter period be awarded to the following contractors in Areas 1 to 5 and in Areas 10 to 13, at the price per cubic yard designated:

Area No.	Contractor	Price Per Cubic Yard
1.	Coleman Bros. Corp.	$0.90
2.	Joseph P. McCabe, Inc.	.90
3.	J. F. Stack & Co.	.95
4.	Charles Callahan Co., Inc.	.80
5.	J. F. White Contracting Co.	.83
10.	Suburban Excavators, Inc.	.80
11.	A. Singarella & Sons, Inc.	.85
12.	North American Construction Co.	.69
13.	J. A. Susi & Sons, Inc.	1.00

The above contractors, in my opinion, represent the best qualified bidders who have sufficient experience, organization, and equipment to do the required work, and it is in the best interest of the city that the contracts be awarded as recommended. Likewise, we are following our usual policy of awarding only one district to each contractor.

It is understood that the contract will expire on March 31, 1956. Under the provisions of chapter 182 of the Acts of 1951, contracts may be awarded in a current year for the first three months of the succeeding year as long as said contracts affecting the latter-referenced period are awarded "upon like or more favorable terms and conditions" than the contract in effect in a current year. The above-referenced proposed snow removal contracts comply with the terms of chapter 182 in that they are being awarded for the months of January, February, and March of 1956 under the same terms and conditions in effect during the current year.

The above prices represent bids that were opened in this office December 2, 1955, after publicly advertising for proposals in the *City Record* issue of November 19, 1955. Attached hereto is list of bids received in all the districts.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Area No. 1

	Price Per Cubic Yard.
Charles Callahan Co.	$0.80
Suburban Excavators, Inc.	.85
Joseph P. McCabe, Inc.	.85
J. A. Singarella Co.	.89
Coleman Bros. Corp.	*.90
J. F. Stack & Co.	.95
Carriere Construction Co.	1.00
M. DeMatteo Construction Co.	1.04
J. A. Susi & Sons, Inc.	1.10
Dooley Bros., Inc.	1.10
Pacella Bros., Inc.	1.25
Walsh Co., Inc. (Auditor).	.89

VETERAN EDITOR OF "CITY RECORD" DIES — MAYOR PAYS TRIBUTE TO JOSHUA JONES.

Mayor Hynes paid a warm tribute to the veteran editor and newsman, "The passing of Joshua H. Jones will leave a void in City Hall.

"For more than 30 years he has been a familiar, likeable figure to thousands of Bostonians who have known him. Always a gentleman, he endeared himself to everyone with whom he came in contact. We shall miss his cheery disposition and his ever-present willingness to be helpful to everyone at all times."

Mr. Jones was stricken with a heart attack at his office, Monday. He died Wednesday morning at the City Hospital.

Mr. Jones was born in Orangeburg, S. C. He attended Ohio State University, Yale University, and was graduated from Brown University in 1903. At Brown he was a track and football star.

During his newspaper career, he was a reporter for the Boston Post, the Boston Record, the Boston Telegram, and was city editor of the Boston Daily Advertiser. He was also a reporter for newspapers in Providence, Worcester, and Lawrence.

Author of several books and poems, Mr. Jones also wrote the words for the song, "Dear Old Boston," which was adopted as the official song of Boston. During his long career with the municipal government, he never was known to take a vacation or miss an edition of the City Record.

Mr. Jones leaves a grandson, Wilfred H. Morette, with whom he made his home.

Funeral services were held on Friday afternoon, December 16.

Area No. 2

	Price Per Cubic Yard.
Joseph P. McCabe, Inc.	*$0.90
J. F. Stack & Co.	.95
J. A. Singarella Co.	.99
Suburban Excavators, Inc.	1.00
Carriere Construction Co.	1.00
Coleman Bros. Corp.	1.05
Dooley Bros., Inc.	1.10
M. DeMatteo Construction Co.	1.25
Pacella Bros., Inc.	1.25
J. A. Susi & Sons, Inc.	1.50

Area No. 3

Joseph P. McCabe, Inc.	$0.95
J. F. Stack & Co.	*.95
Suburban Excavators, Inc.	.95
J. A. Singarella Co.	.99
Carriere Construction Co.	1.00
Coleman Bros. Corp.	1.05
Dooley Bros., Inc.	1.10
J. A. Susi & Sons, Inc.	1.15
Pacella Bros., Inc.	1.25
M. DeMatteo Construction Co.	1.30

Area No. 4

Charles Callahan Co.	*$0.80
J. F. White Contracting Co.	.88
J. A. Singarella Co.	.89
Dooley Bros., Inc.	.90
Joseph P. McCabe, Inc.	.90
J. A. Susi & Sons, Inc.	.90

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REPORT OF PRISCILLA M. RICHARDS, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR OF SCHOOL LUNCHES, ON ATTENDANCE AT CONVENTION OF AMERICAN DIETETIC ASSOCIATION, HELD IN ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI, OCTOBER 18 TO 21, 1955.

The following report of Priscilla M. Richards, Assistant Director of School Lunches, was submitted to the School Committee:

BOSTON, November 22, 1955.

DR. DENNIS C. HALEY,
Superintendent of Schools.

DEAR DR. HALEY:

This is a report on my attendance at the Convention of the American Dietetic Association in St. Louis, Missouri, October 18–21, 1955.

Thirty-five hundred dietitians, representing forty-eight states, Australia, Costa Rica, and Puerto Rico attended this thirty-eighth annual meeting of the American Dietetic Association. During the week a number of delegates appeared on radio and television programs.

Miss Florence Reynolds of Washington, D. C., Information Officer of United Nations Food and Agriculture Organization, addressed the opening session. She said: "Production and distribution of sufficient food is the basic problem to be solved in the search for world peace. Americans have difficulty realizing that of every two children born one of them faces a situation in which he can look forward to nothing but hunger from birth to death."

There were five topics discussed particularly at this convention. I will try to report on them only insofar as they pertain to school lunches: Advances in Nutrition; Training Courses for Dietitians and Dietetic Internes and Food Service Employees; Changes in Growing and Marketing of Food Supplies; Kitchen Planning and Food Service Layouts; Cost Control.

There were many well-known speakers on nutrition: Dr. Frederick J. Stare, Harvard University; Dr. Jeffrey Fryer, School of Nutrition at Cornell University; Dr. James Hundley, Chief, Laboratory of Biochemistry and Nutrition, National Institute of Arthritis and Metabolic Diseases; Dr. Robert Harris, Massachusetts Institute of Technology; and many others.

Dr. Hundley said that persons living in the United States and in Australia have the most generous diet on earth. Unfortunately this generous diet is also the reason why Americans carry more excess weight than any other people. As a result, diabetes and heart disease are more prevalent in the United States. People of other countries, with no history of these diseases in their own country, have developed them after one generation in the United States. Dr. Hundley also said that diabetes and heart disease seem to be hereditary.

Dr. Fryer said that Americans consume a high percentage of their diet in fats, approximately 33 per cent. We should cut down on fat and increase our consumption of protein.

Dr. Schweigert, Assistant Director of Research for the American Meat Institute Foundation, told us that beef cattle and hogs are now being bred to develop less fat and more lean meat, at the same time tender and containing all the essen-

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MAYOR APPROVES CONTRACT FOR SNOW REMOVAL.

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Area No. 4, Continued

	Price Per Cubic Yard
J. F. Stack & Co.	$0.95
Coleman Bros. Corp.	.95
Hugh Nawn, Inc.	.95
Suburban Excavators, Inc.	.95
M. DeMatteo Construction Co.	.99
Carriere Construction Co.	1.00
Paccella Bros., Inc.	1.09
Walsh Co., Inc. (Auditor)	.89

Area No. 5

Suburban Excavators, Inc.	$0.80
Charles Callahan Co., Inc.	.80
J. F. White Contracting Co.	*.83
Joseph P. McCabe, Inc.	.85
J. A. Singarella Co.	.87
J. A. Susi & Sons, Inc.	.90
Dooley Bros., Inc.	.90
J. F. Stack & Co.	.95
M. DeMatteo Construction Co.	.99
Carriere Construction Co.	1.00
Hugh Nawn, Inc.	1.00
Paccella Bros., Inc.	1.09
Coleman Bros. Corp.	1.15
Walsh Co., Inc. (Auditor)	.89

Area No. 10

J. P. McCabe, Inc.	$0.80
J. F. Stack & Co.	.80
Suburban Excavators, Inc.	.80
Carriere Construction Co.	.90
J. A. Susi & Sons, Inc.	1.00
J. A. Singarella Co.	1.00
Coleman Bros. Corp.	1.05
Dooley Bros., Inc.	1.10
J. F. White Contracting Co.	1.20
Paccella Bros., Inc.	1.30
M. DeMatteo Construction Co.	1.10

Area No. 11

Joseph P. McCabe, Inc.	$0.80
A. Singarella & Sons, Inc.	*.85
J. F. Stack & Co.	.85
Suburban Excavators, Inc.	.88
J. A. Singarella Co.	.90
Carriere Construction Co.	1.00
J. A. Susi & Sons, Inc.	1.00
Coleman Bros. Corp.	1.10
Dooley Bros., Inc.	1.10
Paccella Bros., Inc.	1.10
M. DeMatteo Construction Co.	1.10

Area No. 12

North American Construction Co.	*$0.69
Joseph P. McCabe, Inc.	.80
Carriere Construction Co.	.80
Suburban Excavators, Inc.	.85
J. F. Stack & Co.	.85
Coleman Bros. Corp.	.90
J. A. Susi & Sons, Inc.	1.00
Dooley Bros., Inc.	1.10
Paccella Bros., Inc.	1.15
J. A. Singarella Co.	1.20
J. F. White Contracting Co.	1.25
M. DeMatteo Construction Co.	1.40

Area No. 13

Suburban Excavators, Inc.	$0.90
Joseph P. McCabe, Inc.	.90
J. F. Stack & Co.	.95
J. A. Susi & Sons, Inc.	*1.00
Coleman Bros. Corp.	1.00
Carriere Construction Co.	1.00
J. A. Singarella Co.	1.00
Dooley Bros., Inc.	1.10
Paccella Bros., Inc.	1.30
J. F. White Contracting Co.	1.30
M. DeMatteo Construction Co.	1.40

* Contract awarded.

REPORT ON CONVENTION OF AMERICAN DIETETIC ASSOCIATION.

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tial nutriments. In the past, breeders were only interested in the weight of the animal.

Mr. Leudal Kotschevar, Ph.D., Director of Residence Halls and Food Services, Chairman of the Home Economics Department, Montana State University, advised that a most important fact to remember in planning new kitchens is to allow sufficient space for expansion. The original installment may be small in space, but the power and sewer lines should be adequate for future heavier duties. Soundproofing and ventilating are other important considerations.

With growing labor costs, we will be buying more ready-to-cook fresh vegetables and fruits, prefabricated meats, and premixed bakery products. This will change storage requirements. Walk-in refrigerators can easily be converted to future freezers. Carts may be wheeled into refrigerators to save additional handling of food.

All service in Montana University is speeded up through the use of portable trucks which are stored under or near food counters.

Miss Martha Russell, Director of Public School Lunchrooms, Oklahoma City, spoke on personnel training. In the Oklahoma City schools 85 lunchrooms, staffed by 550 school lunch employees, serve daily 28,000 children. Oklahoma City has a personnel training program which costs the city approximately $5,000 per year. One cafeteria is run as a training center for employees, and a four-week workshop is held during the summer. The food used in the workshop is not wasted but sold to the summer students and teachers. The workshop is popular, and it is felt that the results are greater efficiency and uniformity in the school lunchrooms. Women from the ranks are trained to be cooks, bakers, or managers. The American Dietetic Association also prints a manual of food service procedures. I have requested a copy of the training manual of both organizations.

Miss Frances Welch, Director of Lunchrooms in Dallas, Texas, supervises 100 school lunchrooms. She advocates leadership in supervision, not merely inspection. All managers in the Dallas elementary schools are brought up through the ranks and trained by area supervisors. Dallas has a centralized system of purchasing, maintenance, auditing, and carries on a continuous training program necessitated by the large turnover in employees. The area supervisor works closely with the principal in each school.

Miss Thelma Flanagan, Director of School Lunch Programs in Tallahassee, Florida, described the new centralized system. She believes that school lunchrooms operated by school boards, instead of concessionaires, mean less expensive, more nutritious food for the children, including more fresh fruit, vegetables, and hot breads. It has resulted in better personnel and less hand-to-mouth buying of supplies. She felt that school lunch dietitians are not doing enough to educate children in selecting a good lunch.

I visited school lunchrooms in St. Louis. They are under the supervision of Mr. David Page. All the elementary schools and junior high schools participate in the government program and have Type A lunch. However, the high schools do not have the government program. Government commodities are available for the high school lunchrooms, but no cash subsidy is received. Each lunchroom is managed by a trained dietitian. The menu is a la carte. In the Southwest High School, of the 1,660 pupils very few bring a lunch from home. The kitchen in this school is all electric and well equipped. One hundred and thirty dozen raised rolls are baked in the kitchen each day. The menu offers a hot dish with a choice of four different vegetables, three salads, fresh fruit, fruit juices, sandwiches, milk and two school-prepared desserts, plus ice cream. At the close of school, a snack bar with candy, salted nuts, and fruit is available to the students. The food is well cooked and nicely served.

May I extend my appreciation to the School Committee and the Superintendent of Schools for the opportunity of attending this convention. I found it interesting and profitable and hope that what I learned may help the Boston school lunch program.

Respectfully yours,

PRISCILLA M. RICHARDS,
Assistant Director of School Lunches.

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

Margaret C. Hogan, 116 Train street, Dorchester, in the sum of $70, as compensation for collapse of hot water boiler in above premises caused when the water was shut off by employees of the Water Division, without proper notice to the tenant, while making repairs to a service pipe, January 14, 1955.

William R. Scollins, 16 Bateman street, Roslindale, in the sum of $425, as compensation for damage to property caused by the backing up of a sewer, August 30, 1952.

Anna C. Dinand, 59 Bowdoin avenue, Dorchester, in the sum of $120, as compensation for damage to property caused during the construction of the street and sidewalks on Bowdoin avenue by the Public Works Department.

Walter I. Garrity, 52 Prospect street, Hyde Park, to be reimbursed in the sum of $490, as a result of an accident which occurred on January 9, 1953, when a motor vehicle belonging to the Fire Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Mrs. Ruth H. Pyne.

Frank McLean, 87 Waumbeck street, Roxbury, to be reimbursed in the sum of $41.75, as a result of an accident which occurred on July 13, 1951, when, as a member of the Police Department, while pursuing a stolen car, he fired a shot which pierced the rear fender of an automobile owned by Isadore Baker.

John P. Whelan, 36 Pearl street, Dorchester, to be reimbursed in the sum of $116.70, as a result of an accident which occurred on July 12, 1955, when a motor vehicle belonging to the School Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Alice B. Pratt.

Patrick J. Geary, 2 Kingsdale street, Dorchester, to be reimbursed in the sum of $385, as a result of an accident which occurred on May 18, 1955, when a motor vehicle belonging to the Police Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Henry B. McKay.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

SPRINKLER INSPECTOR, BOSTON BUILDING DEPARTMENT, JANUARY 7, 1956.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, December 19, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $68 a week; the maximum salary is $83.50 a week.

Vacancies: At present there is one vacancy for a male, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: Under direction, to examine buildings to determine the necessity for sprinklers and other fire protective devices, and to submit reports of such examinations; to inspect the installation of all sprinkler and standpipe systems, and to make all required tests; to examine all existing sprinkler and standpipe systems; to report any violations of laws, rules or regulations pertaining to the systems, and to see that violations are corrected; to make investigations in connection with complaints of illegal conditions, submit reports of the investigations, and carry out prosecutions if violations are not remedied; and to perform related work as required.

A thorough knowledge of parts 30 and 31 of the Boston Building Code (chapter 479, Acts of 1938 as amended) is required, as well as a thorough knowledge of sprinkler and fire protective systems and familiarity with various types of building construction.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

Certification Requirement: Possession of a Massachusetts Master Plumber's license.

TOLLMAN-GUARD, BRIDGE DIVISION, (TUNNEL SERVICE), BOSTON PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT, JANUARY 7, 1956.

Last date for filing applications, Monday, December 19, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $63 a week; the maximum salary is $76.50 a week.

Vacancies: At present there are two vacancies for males, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: Under supervision, to patrol the Sumner Tunnel and adjacent grounds; to collect fares at tunnel entrances; and to perform related work as required.

Examples of Duties: Collecting and accounting for tolls from vehicles using the Sumner Tunnel; operating the fare register and making change; patrolling the tunnel and adjacent plazas; directing traffic; operating tunnel traffic signals; assisting in extinguishing fires in cars within the tunnel; calling for towing services when necessary; maintaining simple records and preparing reports; issuing summonses for traffic violations.

Copies of the City of Boston Sumner Tunnel Rules and Regulations may be obtained at the office of the Boston Public Works Department, Room 505, City Hall Annex, Boston, or at the Administration Building of the Sumner Tunnel.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

CITY OF BOSTON AND COUNTY OF SUFFOLK.

STATISTICAL FACTS FOR THE YEAR 1954

Date of incorporation	February 23, 1822
Date of adoption of City Charter (amended January 7, 1925)	1909
Form of Government	Mayor and City Council
Area (square miles)	47.81
Population — Federal Census (August 1, 1950)	801,444
Number of employees as of February 1, 1954	22,806
Boston Housing Authority:	
Federal Program (7,920 apartments housing 7,920 families)	
Number of apartments in veterans' permanent 1- and 2-family homes housing 1,506 families	
State-Aided Developments (containing 3,177 apartments housing 3,177 families)	
Building Department:	
Permits issued	17,515
Estimated cost	$35,771,706
Cemeteries: Number 19—Area (acres)	161.71
Election Department:	
Registered voters	383,864
Number of ballots cast last general election	169,493
Percentage of registered voters voting	44.15
Fire Department:	
Number of stations	51
Number of fireboats	2
Alarms responded to	15,150
Health Department: Health Units	10
Hospitals (Including Boston Sanatorium):	
City Hospital:	
Number of buildings	57
Bed capacity	2,460
Patients, daily average:	
Wards	1,798
Out-patient	891
Long Island Hospital:	
Number of buildings	27
Population	952
Library Department:	
Number of libraries	37
Number of employees (full time)	640
Number of volumes	2,011,358
Circulation	3,162,338
Markets, number of	2
Municipal buildings, number of	27
Park Department: Parks, number of acres	2,240.29
Area of playgrounds and play areas (acres)	807.12
Number of playgrounds and play areas	121
Number of municipal golf links	2
Number of municipal beaches	3
Public grounds and squares (acres)	57.41
Swimming pools (indoor) 2, (outdoor) 2	4
Number of recreation centers and indoor bathhouses	15
Police Department:	
Number of stations and headquarters	18
Arrests	93,294
Public Works Department:	
Bridges, number of	101
Miles of accepted streets and alleys	731
Sewers: Miles of sewers	1,302.75
Catch basins	23,972
Average number of gallons pumped daily at main pumping station	112,980,821
Sumner Traffic Tunnel: Length (feet)	5,654
Two-lane drive: Vehicles passing through — 1953	10,835,674
Water Service:	
Number of meters in service	95,653
Per capita daily average consumption (gallons)	139
Miles of mains: Ordinary	999,136
High pressure	18.72
Rapid Transit: Miles of subways and tunnels	16.81
Schools:	
Number of school buildings	224
Number of teachers	3,655
Average membership	94,774
Average daily attendance:	
Elementary and junior high schools	54,546
High schools	16,201
Kindergartens	8,151
Special schools	1,800

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 13.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
L. Visco	48–52 Austin street	2	Appliances	$100
S. Franco	62 Batchelder street	8	Appliances	300
W. Foster	15 Berkeley street	5	Appliances	150
O. McElearney	56 Berkeley street	5	Appliances	75
W. Foster	221 Boston street	7	Appliances	70
D. Gould	651 Boylston street	5	Appliances	35
F. Avery	1 Boylston place	11	Appliances	30
F. Avery	334 Centre street	10	Appliances	35
P. Russo	107 Dana avenue	18	Appliances	60
W. Foster	82 Erie street	14	Appliances	475
F. Odenweller	15 Fairmount avenue	18	Appliances	125
I. Horvitz	19 Fernboro street	11	Appliances	100
G. Trethewey	634 Hyde Park avenue	18	Appliances	50
W. Foster	90 Lyndhurst street	17	Appliances	200
D. Gould	13 Maryland street	15	Appliances	40
L. Tuttle	210 Maverick street	1	Appliances	20
G. Trethewey	22 Metropolitan avenue	20	Appliances	275
V. Bordonaro	33 Pitts street	3	Appliances	30
S. Franco	10 View South avenue	11	Appliances	8
F. Avery	3764 Washington street	19	Appliances	30
G. Trethewey	5301 Washington street	20	Appliances	300
G. Patey	221 Weld street	20	Appliances	35
B. Gold	166 Westminster street	18	Appliances	100
G. Trethewey	7 Whitford street	18	Appliances	65
M. Miller	2A Acton street	3	Appliances	30
D. Sorenci	5–7 Anselm terrace	22	Appliances	50
D. Sorenci	6–8 Anselm terrace	22	Appliances	50
D. Sorenci	9–11 Anselm terrace	22	Appliances	50
D. Sorenci	10–12 Anselm terrace	22	Appliances	50
D. Sorenci	14–16 Anselm terrace	22	Appliances	50
D. Sorenci	15–17 Anselm terrace	22	Appliances	50
D. Sorenci	18–20 Anselm terrace	22	Appliances	50
D. Sorenci	19–21 Anselm terrace	22	Appliances	50
D. Sorenci	22–24 Anselm terrace	22	Appliances	50
L. Luxton	263 Bowdoin street	15	Appliances	35
C. McGregor	49 Burbank street	4	Appliances	35
P. Sparco	179 Cambridge street	3	Appliances	100
W. Fishman	1509 Centre street	20	Appliances	100
W. Fishman	1515 Centre street	20	Appliances	100
B. Carlin	23 Claremont street	4	Appliances	35
J. Vogel	518 Columbus avenue	4	Appliances	50
S. Fox	1696 Commonwealth avenue	21	Appliances	35
F. Trainor	393 D street	6	Appliances	100
A. Russo	15 Dana avenue	18	Appliances	450
H. Sellon	603 Dorchester avenue	7	Appliances	70
A. Russo	28 Falcon street	1	Appliances	450
A. Russo	14 Farwell avenue	18	Appliances	100
A. Russo	20 Glenwood avenue	18	Appliances	600
J. Mellyn	172 Green street	11	Appliances	150
A. Russo	8 Hayden street	10	Appliances	450
P. Janis	59 Hollander street	12	Appliances	40
M. Zeolla	89 Hudson street	3	Appliances	35
B. Carlin	203 Humboldt avenue	12	Appliances	35
A. Russo	91 Landseer street	20	Appliances	100
A. Russo	3 New Bedford street	18	Appliances	150
J. Vogel	214 Norwell street	17	Appliances	75
A. Russo	35 Pond street	18	Appliances	150
A. Russo	30 Rexford street	18	Appliances	125
A. Russo	72 Robinwood avenue	19	Appliances	25
A. Stahly	46 Speedwell street	15	Appliances	70
D. Slavet	339 Tremont street	5	Appliances	35
A. Russo	177 Tudor street	6	Appliances	550
A. Stahly	3 Vanderbilt avenue	18	Appliances	30
A. Russo	86 Winthrop street	8	Appliances	350
W. Connell	1419 Blue Hill avenue	18	Appliances	100
S. Shulman	11 Brookview street	11	Appliances	75
P. Gulesian	7 Buckingham street	18	Appliances	200
P. Gulesian	48 Clifford street	18	Appliances	200
W. Connell	231 35 Dorchester street	7	Appliances	75
B. Szathmary	72 East Dedham street	8	Appliances	100
M. Loiterstein	37 Fort avenue	11	Appliances	35
F. Casaletto	52 London street	1	Appliances	20
P. Gulesian	18 Monponset street	18	Appliances	200
W. Connell	33 Oakwood street	17	Appliances	100
J. Crespi	31 Speedwell street	15	Appliances	100
P. Gulesian	51 Warren avenue	18	Appliances	200
J. Kurhan	1859 Washington street	9	Appliances	300
P. Gulesian	42 West street	18	Appliances	500
S. Landau	155 Addison street	1	Appliances	45
A. Halsband	914 Beacon street	21	Appliances	100
A. Halsband	914 Beacon street	21	Appliances	100
W. Awad	475 Beech street	18	Appliances	100
E. Pascucci	90 Bennington street	1	Appliances	25
S. Franco	87 Burrell street	8	Appliances	10
E. Pascucci	273 Chelsea street	1	Appliances	25
L. Visco	373 Chelsea street	1	Appliances	100
W. Awad	435 Columbus avenue	4	Appliances	100
L. Fama	504 Commercial street	3	Appliances	75
J. Principato	5 Cooper street	3	Appliances	25
S. Landau	108 Foster street	22	Appliances	24
J. Principato	493 Hanover street	3	Appliances	15
E. Dorr	440 Huntington avenue	4	Appliances	125
E. Pascucci	190 Lexington street	1	Appliances	25
E. Pascucci	220 Lexington street	1	Appliances	10
C. Bevelander	11A Linden street	21	Appliances	100
D. Slavet	49 Middlesex street	5	Appliances	35
W. Awad	59 Montcalm avenue	22	Appliances	100
J. Principato	21 Moon street	3	Appliances	15
E. Pascucci	57 Neptune road	1	Appliances	15
W. Awad	23 North Beacon street	22	Appliances	100
E. Pascucci	149 Princeton street	1	Appliances	25
J. Principato	135 Salem street	3	Appliances	15
E. Sawyer	40 Stuart street	3	Appliances	350
W. Awad	36 Vesta road	14	Appliances	100
R. LaCentra	77 Washington Street North	3	Appliances	400
S. Landau	683 Washington street	22	Appliances	10
E. Dorr	18 Wenham street	19	Appliances	40
F. Odenweller	28 West Broadway	6	Appliances	50
E. Dorr	87 Woodrow avenue	14	Appliances	20

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following personnel changes:

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.
Main Division.

For the week ending December 6:

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Esther Bandlow, 5 Reddy avenue, Hyde Park, 3 days; Viola Bergstrom, 161 Thorndike street, Brookline, 6 days; Lillian Blackburn, 18 Park Vale avenue, Allston, 7 days; Helen Broady, 52 Lambert avenue, Roxbury, 1 day; Elsie Belli, 18 Prospect avenue, Roxbury, 3 days; Barbara Blake, 27 Blakeville street, Dorchester, 7 days; Carrie Coleman, 360 Thacher street, Milton, 3 days; Sophie Cotter, 173 Vine Rock street, Dedham, 5 days; Helen Connors, 83 Glen road, Jamaica Plain, Adele Daly, 30 Aspinwall avenue, North Weymouth, 7 days; Norma Dean, 696 Massachusetts avenue, 2 days; Delores Diggs, 1 day; Yolanda Evans, 126 Waverly street, Everett, 5 days; Anna Ferrara, 53 Blue Hill avenue, Milton, 3 days; Mary Fraser, 99 Norway street, 7 days; Lucille Furega, 14 Kilsyth road, Medfield, 2 days; Ethel Goff, 40 Rockwell street, Dorchester, 6 days; Diana Guinta, 42 Topliff street, Dorchester, 2 days; Mary B. Healy, 163 East Cottage street, Dorchester, 5 days; Mary Hunt, 695 Heath street, Brookline, 2 days; Joan Keane, 1086 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, 1 day; Charlotte Kelleher, 48 Waverly street, Roxbury, 2 days; Joan Linehan, 775 Parker street, Roxbury, 4 days; Veroniea Lombard, 28 Huntoon street, Dorchester, Loretta Lyneh, 270 Huntington avenue, 5 days; Catherine McGuinness, 22 Celia road, Braintree, 2 days; Mary McInnis, 1310 Washington street, North Abington, 5 days; Claire McCue, 74 Robinwood road, Dedham, 6 days; Mary Mahan, 29 Kempton street, 7 days; Audrey Mailhot, 30 Walton street, Dorchester, 6 days; Carmella Messina, 102 Highland road, Somerville, 1 day; Mary Murphy, 37 Hamden Circle, Wollaston, 3 days; Isabel Mulhern, 108 Hemenway street, 2 days; Phyllis Nigro, 271 Dartmouth street, 5 days; Mae Owens, 259 Chestnut avenue, Jamaica Plain, 7 days; Marion O'Boyle, 27 Magazine street, Roxbury, 4 days; Estelle Paris, 167 Fayerweather street, Cambridge, 1 day; Dora Picarsky, 31 Edison Green, Dorchester, Joan Piseitello, 8 Taylor street, Medford, 7 days; Vivian Plevock, 36 Tremlett street, Dorchester, Alyee Powers, 67 Prospect avenue, Wollaston, 4 days; A. Muriel Powers, 94 Old Colony avenue, Wollaston, Romaine Riley, 171 Humboldt avenue, Roxbury, 1 day; Madeline Sullivan, 126 Peterborough street, 5 days; Bernice Stanley, 105 Walnut avenue, Roxbury, Nancy Schultz, 4 days; Audrey Trask, 130 Cottage Park road, Winthrop, 7 days; Kathryn Welch, 49 East Springfield street, 3 days; Priscilla Beckwith, 686 Massachusetts avenue, Claire Shea, 136 Savin Hill avenue, Dorchester, 1 day.

Appointments.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.
Health Division.

Joseph O'Brien, 195 Ashmont street, Dorchester, public health physician, part time, $65 a week.

Barbara Ann Brooks, 384 Commonwealth avenue, public health nurse, $63 a week.

Mary V. Clark, 79 Revere street, public health nurse, $63 a week.

Marion J. McInnes, 5 Oriole street, West Roxbury, public health nurse, $63 a week.

Maureen E. Tobin, 368 Gallivan Boulevard, Dorchester, public health nurse, $63 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT

Central Office.

Mabel C. Whalen, 30 Taunton avenue, Mattapan, clerk, $43 a week.

Elaine C. Roberts, 115 Harrishof street, Roxbury, clerk, $43 a week.

Sandra Wilensky, 15 Braemore road, Brighton, clerk, $43 a week.

Peter P. Apollis, 225 Bowen street, South Boston, social worker, $65.50 a week.

Leo Dooley, 156 Chestnut avenue, Jamaica Plain, social worker, $65.50 a week.

Hazel A. O'Connor, 911 East Broadway, South Boston, clerk, $43 a week.

Helen C. Talabach, 60 Mozart street, Jamaica Plain, clerk, $45.50 a week.

Appointments or Reinstatements.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

James Elwell, 468 Saratoga street, East Boston, electrician, $63 a week.

Thelma Adelman, 63 Rockdale street, Mattapan, laboratory assistant, $45.50 a week.

Helen Grenier, 587 Park street, Dorchester, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Paul J. Murphy, 14 Bellaire road, Roslindale, laboratory technician, $58 a week.

Mary Ryan, 718 Parker Hill road, Jamaica Plain, senior X-ray technician, $58 a week.

Gloria DelGandio, 372 Sumner street, East Boston, senior X-ray technician, $58 a week.

Bruno Graziano, 217 Sumner street, East Boston, X-ray technician, $45.50 a week.

Bernetta Williams, 60 Savin street, Dorchester, laboratory assistant, $45.50 a week.

Long Island Division.

Mary J. Gill, 25 Lonsdale street, Dorchester, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Mary I. Burgess, West Warren road, Palmer, licensed practical nurse, $53 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

Dr. Toufik Shakkishir, 249 River street, Mattapan, resident physician, $1302 a month.

Dr. Thomas Boyd, 249 River street, Mattapan, resident physician, $2002 a month.

Adela A. Bonner, 6 Newcroft Circle, Mattapan, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Frank Riordan, 249 River street, Mattapan, patient male nurse, part time, $1 an hour.

Changes in Status.

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT

Helen F. Murray, 80 Barry street, Dorchester, from clerk and typist at $45.50 a week to senior clerk and typist at $55.50 a week.

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 15.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Denis Nolan	830 East Fourth street	6	Alterations, dwelling	$425
New England Tel. & Tel.	185 Franklin street	3	Alterations, offices	300
Wm. Laguire	17 Raleigh road	8	Excavation	75
James Beasley	12 Sydney street	17	Alterations, dwelling	[illegible]
Stephen Ramos	76 Sydney street	13	Alterations, dwelling	[illegible]
George Larsen	745 Savin Hill avenue	13	Alterations, dwelling	800
Mary E. McLaughlin	125 School street	11	Alterations, dwelling	150
John Bennett	45 Centre street	4	Alterations, convalescent home	300
Geo. Wartentorf	700 Columbia road	7	Take-town service station	300
M. Haines	45 Holborn street	12	Alterations, convalescent home	800
Amanzio Champa	18–19 Austin street	2	Alterations, manufacturing	150
Smith Pharmacy	1220 Blue Hill avenue	14	Alterations, store	300
Roman Catholic Archdiocese	86 Union Park street	5	Alterations, home	2,800
Roman Catholic Archdiocese	5–17 Lake street	22	Alterations, Theology bldg	400
Federal Realty	147 Federal street	6	Alterations, stores	[illegible]
George R. White Fund	478–480 Boylston street	5	Take-town, dwelling and store	3,000
George R. White Fund	482–484 Boylston street	5	Take-town, dwelling and store	3,250
George R. White Fund	486–488 Boylston street	5	Take-town, dwelling and store	3,000
Frank E. Simpson	201 Beach street	5	Alterations, storage	425
Malleal Symes	144 Winthrop street	8	Alterations, dwelling	900
George M. Reams	1003 Dorchester avenue	13	Alterations, dwelling	635
York Realty	149 Beach street	5	Alterations, storage	425
Community House	29–30 Lewis Wharf	3	Alterations, storage	1,000
Wm. Rodman	207 Adams street	17	Sign	685
Catherine Lee	32 Alpha road	17	Alterations, dwelling	725
Genevieve Tetreau	47 Beacon street	18	Alterations, dwelling	[illegible]
Sarah Yeremian	278 Bunker Hill street	2	Sign	50
Joan McCabe	20 Cedar street	17	Alterations, dwelling	150
Robert Malloy	5–7 Fenton street	22	Take-town, dwelling	500
Regan Stores	1013 Commonwealth avenue	21	Sign	800
Freeta Simon	1023 Commonwealth avenue	21	Alterations, dwelling	250
Margaret Carroll	30 Eastdale avenue	17	Alterations, dwelling	100
John Whitten	201 Fuller street	17	Alterations, dwelling	200
James Dyer	3 Havermill street	2	Alterations, dwelling	400
Beatrice Coleman	7 Inwood street	17	Alterations, dwelling	300
Fernandez Trust	70 Kilmarnock street	5	Alterations, store	750
Robert Malloy	74 Leo M. Birmingham Pkwy.	22	Take-town, dwelling	1,000
Robert Malloy	76 Leo M. Birmingham Pkwy.	22	Take-town, dwelling	[illegible]
Robert Malloy	80 Leo M. Birmingham Pkwy.	22	Take-town, dwelling	1,000
Robert Malloy	82 Leo M. Birmingham Pkwy.	22	Take-town, dwelling	[illegible]
Robert Malloy	84 Leo M. Birmingham Pkwy.	22	Take-town, dwelling	1,000
Louis Damatson	1888 Navarre street	18	Fire escape	[illegible]
Charles De Simone	155–157 Orleans street	1	Take-town shed	[illegible]
Daniel Meline	5 Parkman road	20	Alterations, dwelling	800
Robert Dunn	22 Prentiss street	9	Sign	200
Boston Nursery for Blind	147 So. Huntington avenue	10	Temporary shed	200
Merchant Co-Op	125 Tremont street	3	Take-town stores	6,000
Merchant Co-Op	125–127 Tremont street	3	Take-town stores	6,000
W. Wisberg	1000 Washington street	3	Alterations, offices	975
Mr. Baird	10 Wilmot street	18	Alterations, dwelling	47
Joan Starkman	420 West Broadway	6	Alterations, stores	500
Charlie Greenwald	108 Callender street	17	Alterations, dwelling	600
Homes, Inc	22 Chestnut street	5	Fire escape	300
Russell Williams	79 East Dedham street	8	Alterations, dwelling	300
John White	76 Green street	2	Alterations, dwelling	720
J. Quites	53 Lawn street	10	Alterations, dwelling	800
Carmen Ruggiero	156 Liverpool street	1	Alterations, take-town, foundry	200
Authorized Vacuum Dealers	1001 Massachusetts avenue	4	Alterations, store	40
Emerald Bander Co.	230 Milk street	3	Alterations, offices	200
John Mooney	12 Oliva road	13	Alterations, dwelling	680
Gertrude Maguire	28 Raymond street	22	Alterations, dwelling	250
Wm. Lipsky	77 Salem street	3	Sign	75
M. Schnipper	32 Spring street	3	Fire escape	225
K. and B. Benson	265 Spring street	20	Temporary tent storage	150
Pilgrim Jewelers	569 Washington street	3	Flagpole	70
Henry Bradley	1 Amboy street	22	Alterations, dwelling	550
Clay Service Oil Co.	870 Beacon street	5	Alterations, sign	900
Alice Walsh	50 Blenheim road	22	Alterations, dwelling	300
Charles Carriona	68–70 Brayton road	13	Alterations, dwelling	864
Elizabeth McDermott	209 Cambridge street	22	Alterations, dwelling	975
George F. Dunker	14 Conasset street	20	Alterations, dwelling	1,280
Patrick Anastasia	540–554 Commercial street	3	Alterations, wall	875
Harvard Club	374 Commonwealth avenue	5	Alterations, sign	350
John Lynch	45 Crescent street	2	Alterations, dwelling	500
Mr. Beiskey	70 Deering road	14	Alterations, dwelling	500
Wm. Mitchell	23 Garda road	20	Alterations, dwelling	385
Joseph Steppatone	200 Havre street	1	Alterations, dwelling	900
Hang Din Realty Corp.	7 Hudson street	3	Fire escape	500
Margaret Wills	25 LaRose place	21	Alterations, dwelling	90
Mary Crampton	35 Maxfield street	20	Alterations, dwelling	768
Society of St. John	20 Museum road	4	Excavation	3,500
Charles Adley	70 Telegraph street	4	Alterations, dwelling	450
Joan Connerty	183 Temple street	3	Alterations, dwelling	200
Penn Charitable Foundation	1227 Tremont street	5	Alterations, mercantile	None
Frank Poore	12 Trent street	2	Alterations, dwelling	2,275
Weston Lyons	12 Tuckerman street	1	Alterations, dwelling	450
Bill Wong	19 Tyler street	6	Alterations, mercantile	100
Catherine Cunn	1046 West Fourth street	6	Alterations, dwelling	875
Adam Kanowski	20 Westford street	22	Alterations, dwelling	500
Frances McDonald	76 Elmira street	22	Alterations, dwelling	965
Louis Rubino	77 Estraw street	1	Alterations, dwelling	700
E. Walsh	77 Marlborough street	5	Fire escape	300
Cabot, Cabot & Forbes	29 Newbury street	5	Alterations, office	500
A. O'Leary	77 O street	6	Fire escape	375

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 13.—Concluded.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
R. Johnston	61 P street	6	Fire escape	$500
V. Kroner	61 Warrenton street	3	Alterations, dwelling	500
Y. M. C. A.	386 Washington street	17	Youth Center	1,980
John Manning	165 Ashmont street	16	Alterations, dwelling	15
George Konkoumas	761 Dudley street	13	Alterations, stores	150
Robinson	569 East Eighth street	7	Alterations, dwelling	1,800
Mrs. Roberts	23 Fountain street	12	Alterations, dwelling	200
Columbia Nat'l Ins.	93 Franklin street	3	Alterations, sign, store	250
Sons of Div, Providence	137 Gladstone street	1	Take-down, dwelling	950
Mrs. Catherine Murray	1150 Hyde Park avenue	18	Alterations, dwelling	250
Edna Hughes	28 Judson street	13	Alterations, dwelling	175
Greenwood Mem. Church	380 Washington street	17	Alterations, church	900
Academy of Notre Dame	2893 Washington street	11	Alterations, school	600
F. P. Davis Monumental	Washington street	19	Sign, store	350
Trimount Shoe Co.	67 Batterymarch street	3	Sign, offices	95
John Fitzgerald	17 Billerica street	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,500
A. C. and J. Polcari	289-293 Causeway street	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,000
A. P. Stevens	395 Charles street	3	Alterations, dwelling	100
Daniel Spinelli	190 Chelsea street	1	Alterations, store	350
Thomas English	118 Emerson street	6	Sign, cafe	175
N.Y., N. H. & H. R.R.	7 Gordon avenue	18	Take-down, dwelling	2,000
N. Y., N. H. & H. R.R.	1 Hammett street	9	Take-down, dwelling	1,500
Thomas E. Dickerson	17 Harrison street	19	Alterations, dwelling	1,500
Anthony Spolsi	171 Lexington street	1	Alterations, dwelling	500
Horgan King	10 Linwood street	18	Alterations, dwelling	270
Mr. Tanzi	124 Navarre street	18	Alterations, dwelling	450
E. Dulse	7 Salisbury avenue	16	Alterations, dwelling	175
N. Y. N. H. R.R.	40-44 Sarsfield street	9	Take-down, dwelling	1,800
V. A.	59 So. Huntington avenue	10	Alterations, dwelling	375
Vattano Maraggio	12 Speedway avenue	22	Alterations, dwelling	350
Mr. Moldone	112 Summer street	3	Alterations, restaurant	280
Mr. and Mrs. Berham	19 Torrey street	17	Alterations, dwelling	350
Louis Green	15 Wallingford road	21	Alterations, dwelling	285
George Beckerman	291-293 Warren street	12	Alterations, stores	750
Investment Realty	358 Washington street	17	Sign, store	175
Minot, DeBlois & Maddison	31 West street	3		

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM PLUMBING FOR THE WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 13.

Plumber.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
D. Weinstein	119 Charles street	5	Fixtures	$175
C. Bevelander	337 Commonwealth avenue	5	Fixtures	100
R. O'Neil	2012-2016 Commonwealth avenue.	21	Fixtures	12,000
B. Mullen	758 East Fourth street	6	Fixtures	350
A. Sokol	4-6 Eastburn street	22	Fixtures	101
B. Mullen	7 Harrison street	19	Fixtures	150
L. Downey	23 Moraine street	19	Fixtures	100
L. Visco	2 Neptune road	1	Fixtures	100
D. Weinberg	8 Riverview street	20	Fixtures	700
J. Cotter	101 St. Theresa avenue	20	Fixtures	13,000
J. Cotter	32 Saratoga street	1	Fixtures	7,000
C. Schultz	5-7 Anselm terrace	22	Fixtures	800
C. Schultz	6-8 Anselm terrace	22	Fixtures	800
C. Schultz	9-11 Anselm terrace	22	Fixtures	800
C. Schultz	10-12 Anselm terrace	22	Fixtures	800
C. Schultz	14-16 Anselm terrace	22	Fixtures	800
C. Schultz	15-17 Anselm terrace	22	Fixtures	800
C. Schultz	18-20 Anselm terrace	22	Fixtures	800
C. Schultz	19-21 Anselm terrace	22	Fixtures	800
C. Schultz	22-24 Anselm terrace	22	Fixtures	800
C. Cronin	300 Babcock street	21	Fixtures	100
C. Schultz	173 Bay State road	5	Fixtures	2,500
L. Rontolo	215 Chelsea street	1	Fixtures	90
B. Porte	350 Chestnut Hill avenue	21	Fixtures	1,500
P. Connell	Chilmont street	18	Fixtures	100
A. Nickinello	159 Corey road	21	Fixtures	1,200
F. Benenato	176 Endicott street	3	Fixtures	100
A. Russo	11 Farwell avenue	18	Fixtures	850
P. Janis	59 Hollander street	12	Fixtures	90
A. Russo	1853 Hyde Park avenue	18	Fixtures	850
A. Nickinello	1190 Massachusetts avenue	7	Fixtures	1,200
A. Russo	3 New Bedford street	18	Fixtures	100
W. Colpitts	164 Park street	20	Fixtures	1,000
A. Russo	35 Pond street	18	Fixtures	100
S. Vogos	46 West Cedar street	5	Fixtures	200
W. Colpitts	111-121 Western avenue	22	Fixtures	1,100
P. Russo	29 Westville road	18	Fixtures	710
E. DeGroot	16 Deaconess road	4	Fixtures	100
L. Stevens	5 Langdon place	3	Fixtures	175
G. Dentsch	23 Lincoln street	2	Fixtures	250
T. Reid	2 Smith court	3	Fixtures	2,100
E. Dorr	440 Huntington avenue	4	Fixtures	175
F. Odenweller	179 K street	6	Fixtures	650
R. LaCentra	77 Washington street	3	Fixtures	50
E. Dorr	18 Wenham street	19	Fixtures	220
E. Dorr	87 Woodrow avenue	11	Fixtures	500

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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Boston Traffic Commission.

John F. Montgomery, 445 West Fourth street, South Boston, from traffic sign maintenance foreman at $83.50 a week to traffic sign supervisor (temporary) at $87 a week.

Building Department.

Frank H. Densmore, 22 Faunce road, Mattapan, from plumbing inspector at $80 a week to chief plumbing inspector (temporary) at $90.50 a week.

Fire Department.

Louise G. Griffin, 65 Maverick street, East Boston, from senior account clerk at $63 a week to head clerk (temporary) at $80 a week.

Hospital Department.

Main Division.

James E. Higgins, 11 Kent street, Roxbury, from hospital medical worker at $50.50 a week to senior hospital medical worker at $53 a week.

Benjamin D. Tiso, 84 East Lenox street, Roxbury, from hospital medical worker at $50.50 a week to senior hospital medical worker at $53 a week.

Hazel Mone, 34 Worcester square, from hospital medical worker at $50.50 a week to hospital house worker at $50.50 a week.

Sheila C. Marks, 61 Quint avenue, Allston, from principal clerk at $76.50 a week to personnel officer (temporary, 6 months) at $83.50 a week.

Parks and Recreation Department.

Ernest Stevens, 51 West Eagle street, East Boston, from senior recreation instructor at $76.50 a week to recreation supervisor (temporary, 6 months) at $83.50 a week.

Harold E. Whitcraft, 224 O'Callaghan Way, South Boston, from senior swimming instructor at $73 a week to supervisor of swimming (temporary, 6 months) at $76.50 a week.

Penal Institutions Department.

Central Office.

Irene A. Boice, 9 Ingleside street, Roxbury, from senior clerk and stenographer at $68 a week to principal clerk (permanent) at $70.50 a week.

House of Correction.

John M. McGowan, 88 Russett road, West Roxbury, from correction officer at $80 a week to assistant deputy master (temporary) at $87 a week.

Edward F. Frederick, 161 Fuller street, Dorchester, from correction officer at $73 a week to correction officer and painter (temporary) at $76.50 a week.

Peter J. Joyce, Deer Island, from correction officer at $80 a week to correction officer and baker (temporary) at $83.50 a week.

Patrick A. O'Donnell, 332 West Fourth street, South Boston, from correction officer at $73 a week to correction officer and assistant steward (permanent) at $76.50 a week.

Public Works Department.

Automotive Division.

James A. Collins, 4 Fern street, Allston, from motor equipment repairman at $70.50 a week to garage attendant at $63 a week.

Highway Division.

Joseph W. Dixon, 89 Waumbeck street, Roxbury, from junior engineering aid at $58 a week to senior engineering aid (temporary) at $63 a week.

Sanitary Division.

Francis J. Clancy, 39 Ashland street, Dorchester, from laborer at $58 a week to carpenter at $60.50 a week.

Costanzo Vecchio, 62 Prescott street, East Boston, from blacksmith's helper at $63 a week to welder at $65.50 a week.

John Morgante, 1154 Harrison avenue, Roxbury, from laborer at $53 a week to motor equipment operator and laborer at $55.50 a week.

Charles M. Khoshabjian, 66 Richfield street, Dorchester, from laborer at $55.50 a week to motor equipment operator and laborer at $58 a week.

James J. Feetham, 21 Ramsey street, Dorchester, from laborer at $55.50 a week to motor equipment operator and laborer at $58 a week.

Richard S. Best, 67 Ceylon street, Dorchester, from laborer at $55.50 a week to motor equipment operator and laborer at $58 a week.

John J. Dillon, 23 Pine Lodge road, West Roxbury, from motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week to laborer at $58 a week.

Francis B. McNamara, 396 West Fourth street, South Boston, from heavy motor equipment operator and laborer at $65.50 a week to motor equipment operaor and laborer at $63 a week.

Water Division.

Francis J. Bradley, 31 Monument square, Charlestown, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior clerk and typist at $55.50 a week.

Miriam Greenfield, 81 Bernard street, Dorchester, from senior account clerk (temporary) at $58 a week to senior account clerk at $58 a week.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Treasury Division.

Anna E. Edmunds, 135 Charles street, from clerk-typist at $50.50 a week to senior account clerk (temporary, 6 months) at $55.50 a week.

Katherine Magullion, 70 Westchester road, Jamaica Plain, from clerk-typist at $48 a week to senior account clerk (temporary, 6 months) at $55.50 a week.

Collecting Division.

Alfred H. Polk, 88 Magnolia street, Dorchester, from principal account clerk at $76.50 a week to accountant (temporary) at $80 a week.

Leaves of Absence.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Catherine Brennan, 680 Columbia road, Dorchester, hospital house worker, $50.50 a week.

Step-Rate Increases.

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Rita M. Conley, chief, Tabulating Division, from $87 to $90.50 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Mary M. Corbett, hospital house worker, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Hospital Medical Workers.

	From	To
Mary E. O'Neill,	$45.50—	$48.00
Mary Page,	45.50—	48.00
Rose Rovalis,	43.00—	45.50
Lillian O. Stevens,	45.50—	48.00
Catherine Webster,	45.50—	48.00
Andrew Batchelor,	43.00—	45.50
James Byrne,	45.50—	48.00
Edward Carpenter,	45.50—	48.00
Stephen Cassidy,	43.00—	45.50
Emmett E. Cole,	43.00—	45.50
Mathew S. Johnson,	43.00—	45.50
Francis L. Kane,	45.50—	48.00
Philip LaCassia,	43.00—	45.50
George McIntyre,	43.00—	45.50
Anthony Tritto,	43.00—	45.50
Edson P. Young,	43.00—	45.50
Margaret Assatly,	45.50—	48.00
Julia Beard,	50.50—	53.00
Elizabeth Bowen,	48.00—	50.50
Rosa Brightman,	45.50—	48.00
Mary DeGrandis,	45.50—	48.00
Dora Dempsey,	45.50—	48.00
Annie Doherty,	45.50—	48.00
Ellen Falvey,	45.50—	48.00
Cora Greenlaw,	43.00—	45.50
Frances Hayes,	43.00—	45.50
Nora Kocher,	45.50—	48.00
Antonetta Lombardo,	45.50—	48.00
Nora E. Mohan,	45.50—	48.00
Virginia Callahan,	45.50—	48.00
Florence Chintos,	53.00—	55.50
Elizabeth McNulty,	43.00—	45.50

Hospital House Workers.

	From	To
James J. Morrissey,	$48.00—	$50.50
Peter McCartin,	50.50—	53.00
John F. Lyons,	48.00—	50.50
Helen Deering,	48.00—	50.50
John J. Foley,	43.00—	45.50

Agnes Wells, hospital worker, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Claire Costello, senior clerk and typist, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Ethel W. Taylor, clerk and typist, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

William Earle, watchman, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

John L. Cotter, painter, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

John McIntyre, fireman, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Rose Ross, hospital laundry worker, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Genevieve Moses, telephone operator, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Michael J. Claffey, chef, from $117.75 to $122.50 a week.

Edward T. O'Neil, hospital kitchen worker, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Clara Foley, hospital kitchen worker, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

Margaret O'Sullivan, principal hospital laundry worker, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Maureen Freton, floor nurse, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Rita Bryant, nurse supervisor, from $80 to $83.50 a week.

Mildred Erkander, head nurse, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Mary V. Murphy, supervising nursing administrator, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

Della A. Taylor, floor nurse, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Phyllis Carney, floor nurse, part time, from $1.60 to $1.65 an hour.

Lorraine P. Dibble, floor nurse, part time, from $1.60 to $1.65 an hour.

Helena Gallagher, floor nurse, part time, from $1.60 to $1.65 an hour.

John D. O'Hara, medical social worker, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Long Island Division.

Joan L. Connors, senior clerk-stenographer, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Mary E. Mulhall, senior clerk-typist, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Hilma M. Erickson, attendant nurse, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

George H. Hicks, senior hospital laundry worker, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Martin J. McCarthy, carpenter and cabinet maker, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Ronald G. Mosgrove, attendant nurse, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Harold A. Stetson, attendant nurse, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Anna M. Vauze, attendant nurse, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

Barbara Harkins, registered graduate nurse, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Florence Gilmartin, licensed attendant nurse, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Wilfred Mailhot, hospital medical worker, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

Georgina Wilkinson, hospital medical worker, from $50.82 to $53 a week.

William Flanagan, hospital house worker, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

John McDonald, senior hospital laundry worker, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

Helen McTigue, hospital laundry worker, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award the contracts for work, materials, and supplies, in accordance with recommendations of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Purchasing Division.

Upon December 2 the Mayor approved contracts as indicated in the following letter:

BOSTON, November 30, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

Attached is tabulation of bids received on proposals for furnishing kitchen equipment to the Boston City Hospital. These bids were publicly opened and read in this office on November 2, 1955.

Authority is requested to award the items checked on the accompanying tabulation to the lowest bidders meeting specifications. Bids received on Item 11 are being rejected and the item canceled inasmuch as it is not needed at this time. Approximate total amounts of awards will be as follows:

Contracts for E. F. Mahady Company, $5,560, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; Boston China and Equipment Company, $2,690, less 1 per cent discount, ten days; McDonald Company, $2,575.15, net; Charles Doucot, Inc., $2,150, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Orders for Eastern Restaurant Equipment Company, Inc., $969, less 1 per cent discount, 10 days, net, 30 days.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

Bids were as follows:

Kitchen Equipment.

Requisition No. 9708.

Item 1. 1 2-Burner Table Model Gas Stove, for Vose B Tea Room.—Boston China and Equipment Company, $19.90; Charles Doucot, Inc., $15; Eastern Res-

taurant Equipment Company, Inc., $14, Real Host*; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $33.45; McDonald Company, $15.

Item 2. 2 Apartment-Type 4-Burner and Oven Gas Stoves, Each.—Boston China and Equipment Company, $79; Charles Doucot, Inc., $79; Eastern Restaurant Equipment Company, Inc., $78.50, Real Host, No. 520; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $79; McDonald Company, $59.*

Item 3. 17 Garland No. 38, or Equal, Gas Stoves with Oven Broiler, Top Burners, Each.—Boston China and Equipment Company, $131, Vulcan, No. 142*; Charles Doucot, Inc., $145; Eastern Restaurant Equipment Company, Inc., $138.25, Vulcan-Hart, No. 17; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $147.60; Jones, McDuffee & Stratton, Inc., $134.95, Vulcan-Hart, Model No. 142, specification attached; McDonald Company, $144.25.

Requisition No. 9709.

Item 4. 2 Platform Trucks, As Per Specification A Attached, Each.—Eastern Restaurant Equipment Company, Inc., $57.50, as specified*; Charles P. Lauman Company, Inc., $70, as specified, with rubber-tired roller bearing wheels; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $59.95, with steel roller bearing wheels, $81.68, with rubber-tired roller bearing wheels; Jones, McDuffee & Stratton, Inc., $59.90, Model Q2754, Fairbanks, with semisteel casters; McDonald Company, $82; L. A. Whitney Company, Inc., $76, Fairbanks, Model Q2754, with vulcanized rubber-tired wheels and roller bearings, $60, semisteel wheels with plain bearings.

Item 5. 1 Vegetable Peeler, As Per Specification F Attached.—Eastern Restaurant Equipment Company, Inc., $516; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $561.25, Model A-1-45, Toledo; Jones, McDuffee & Stratton, Inc., $564, A-1-15, Toledo, Duco panels, specification attached; McDonald Company, $485.15, as specified*; L. A. Whitney Company, Inc., $531, American Model No. 401.

Requisition No. 9710.

Item 6. 1 Gas Cooking Unit, As Per Specification B Attached.—Boston China and Equipment Company, $2,275; Charles Doucot, Inc., $2,150*; Eastern Restaurant Equipment Company, Inc., $2,196; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $2,274; Jones, McDuffee & Stratton, Inc., $2,241, Vulcan; McDonald Company, $2,213.80.

Item 7. 1 150-Gallon Kettle, As Per Specification C Attached.—Boston China and Equipment Company, $681, Groen, FT-150; Charles Doucot, Inc., $685; Eastern Restaurant Equipment Company, Inc., $749, as specified, alternate, $780, Groen, FT-150; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $675; Jones, McDuffee & Stratton, Inc., $676.50, Model FT-150, Groen, special, specification attached; McDonald Company, $627, as specified*; L. A. Whitney Company, Inc., $698, B. H. Hubbert & Son, Model SHS-T.

Item 8. 1 80-Gallon Kettle, As Per Specification D Attached.—Boston China and Equipment Company, $645, Groen, D-80; Charles Doucot, Inc., $669; Eastern Restaurant Equipment Company, Inc., $665, as specified, alternate, $755, Groen, D-80; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $572.50; Jones, McDuffee & Stratton, Inc., $672, Model D-80, Groen, special specification attached; McDonald Company, $532, as specified*; L. A. Whitney Company, Inc., $618, B. H. Hubbert & Son, Model TK-2.

Item 9. 1 Coffee Urn, 50-Gallon Capacity, As Per Specification E Attached.—Boston China and Equipment Company, $463*; Eastern Restaurant Equipment Company, Inc., $665, as specified; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $475; Jones, McDuffee & Stratton, Inc., $489, Groen, K-50, specification attached; McDonald Company, $464.70; L. A. Whitney Company, Inc., $583, B. H. Hubbert & Son, 60-gallon capacity, stainless steel, seamless, drawn tangent outlet type less any repouring device but to have a dome cover with lifting device.

Requisition No. 9711.

Item 10. 2 Beverage Tanks, 10-Gallon, As Per Specification G Attached, Each.—Boston China and Equipment Company, $63; Charles Doucot, Inc., $61; Eastern Restaurant Equipment Company, Inc., $59.50, as specified; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $57.75; Jones, McDuffee & Stratton, Inc., $57.25; McDonald Company, $53.*

Item 11. 1 Pressure Water Urn, As Per Specification H Attached.—Bids rejected.

Item 12. 1 Butcher Table Top, As Per Specification J Attached.—Boston China and Equipment Company, $115; Eastern Restaurant Equipment Company, Inc., $325, as specified; McDonald Company, $250.*

Item 13. 1 Fish Sink Unit, As Per Specification K Attached.—Boston China and Equipment Company, $795; Eastern Restaurant Equipment Company, Inc., $720, as specified*; McDonald Company, $1,220.72.

Requisition No. 9712.

Item 14. 2 Dish Trucks, As Per Specification L Attached, Each.—Boston China and Equipment Company, $271; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., $240; McCarthy Brothers, $245.95; Jones, McDuffee & Stratton, Inc., $252, No. 1453, Jarvis, as specified; E. F. Mahady Company, $230; Colson Corporation, $181.30, quoting Colson 10-6407-6 dish truck with two 6405-6 trays; McDonald Company, $228.50*; L. A. Whitney Company, Inc., $253, Jarvis & Jarvis.

Item 15. 8 Food Conveyors, As Per Specification M Attached, Each.—Charles P. Lauman Company, Inc., $865.80, Ideal, Model No. 1600SP, specification attached; E. F. Mahady Company, $695*; Colson Corporation, $920.30, quoting per alternate; McDonald Company, $686.25.*

Discount.—Boston China and Equipment Company, 1 per cent, 10 days; Charles Doucot, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; Eastern Restaurant Equipment Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment, Auditor's copy, 1 per cent, 10 days, net, 30 days; Charles P. Lauman Company, Inc., 2 per cent, 10 days, net, 30 days; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment; McCarthy Brothers, net; Jones, McDuffee & Stratton, Inc., net, no cash discount; E. F. Mahady Company, 2 per cent, time of payment; Colson Corporation, 2 per cent, time of payment; McDonald Company, net prices, no discount allowed; L. A. Whitney Company, Inc., 2 per cent, time of payment.

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—Boston China and Equipment Company, immediate to 60 days on all items; Charles Doucot, Inc., Items 1 and 2, 2 to 3 weeks, Items 3 and 6, 3 to 4 weeks, Items 7 and 8, 4 to 6 weeks, Item 10, 1 week; Eastern Restaurant Equipment Company, Inc., Item 2, 10 days to 2 weeks, Item 10, 1 week, Item 13, 3 to 4 weeks, Items 1 and 4, 1 week to 10 days, all other items, 2 to 3 weeks; Charles P. Lauman Company, Inc., Item 4, within 30 days, Item 15, within 60 to 90 days; S. M. Levin Company, Inc., Items 1 and 2, at once, Items 3, 4, and 14, 3 weeks, Item 10, 1 week, Item 11, 2 weeks, all other items, 4 weeks; Jones, McDuffee & Stratton, Inc., Items 3 and 6, 3 weeks, Items 4 and 10, 1 week, all other items, 4 weeks; E. F. Mahady Company, Item 14, 30 to 45 days, Item 15, 45 to 60 days; Colson Corporation, Item 14, 20 days after receipt of order, Item 15, 15 to 60 days after receipt of order; McDonald Company, Item 2, Boston stock, Item 1, 2 weeks, Items 5, 6, 7, 8, and 10, 4 weeks, Item 15, 4 to 6 weeks, all other items, 3 weeks; L. A. Whitney Company, Inc., all items, 30 days.

* Contract awarded.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Upon December 9, 1955, the Mayor approved a contract for furnishing and installing heating equipment at 650 Albany street, Public Works Department, to J. J. Hurley & Co., Inc., the lowest responsible and eligible bidder, at an estimated cost of $12,790.

The following bids were received December 8:

J. J. Hurley & Co., Inc., $12,790; J. W. Praught Company, $14,300; James M. McCusker Company, $14,490; Fred Williams, Inc., $14,941; Joseph F. Dwyer, $15,374; Robert A. LaCentra Company, $15,410; Seltzer & Co., Inc., $15,636.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

Upon varying dates as indicated the Mayor approved contracts with contractors and commercial houses for furnishing labor, supplies, etc. Communications from heads of the departments interested were as follows:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.
Purchasing Division.

BOSTON, December 2, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This department is in receipt of a requisition for one used Hartman grand piano for the Boston City Hospital to be purchased from Norris & Co., Inc. Attached is a copy of a communication from the director and superintendent of the Boston City Hospital giving reasons why this purchase should be made. It is my opinion that the purchase as recommended should be made.

It is therefore requested that permission be granted to dispense with advertising and award a contract, without advertising, to Norris & Co., Inc., for one 6-foot 11-inch Hartman grand piano and bench, as selected, at a total cost of $1,250, net. A one-year guarantee is to be included as part of the contract.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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MR. JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

DEAR SIR:

Attached please find Hospital Requisition No. 10,043 for one 6-foot 11-inch Hartman grand piano, ebonized with brass trim.

The original cost of this piano was $3,850. It is prewar and was stored shortly after purchase. In fact, it is practically unused. It can be purchased from Norris & Co., Inc., of 441 Tremont street, Boston, Mass., for $1,250, which price includes piano and bench. The purchase of same carries with it a new-piano guarantee.

The old Chickering in the nurses' home is outmoded and has been unfit for use for some time. A slightly-used piano, such as the one described above, would be more suitable for the use of the student nurses and more economical than a grand piano at the original cost. I have been considering the purchase of a piano for the past month or more, and this piano seems to be the best that has been offered to date and still suitable for the lounge in the nurses' home.

I am urgently recommending the purchase of same. I trust that you will be able to give Mr. Norris some assurance of purchase in the near future so that he can at least set this piano aside for our use awaiting the routine purchase order.

May I again thank you for your many courtesies and for your full cooperation in handling our many problems to date.

Very sincerely yours,

JOHN F. CONLIN, M.D.,
Director and Superintendent, Boston City Hospital.

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BOSTON, December 2, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

On May 2, 1955, as a result of public advertising, your Honor approved the award of a contract for water meters to the Hersey Manufacturing Company, South Boston, Mass. The Hersey Manufacturing Company was the lowest bidder responding to said public advertising. Subsequent to that time, the Hersey Manufacturing Company has made deliveries of the full amount of the contract plus the 25 per cent additional which they were bound to furnish under the contract.

On October 25, 1955, as the result of public advertising, bids were opened for water meters. The prices submitted by the lowest bidder were considerably higher than the prices obtaining in the above-mentioned contract. The Hersey Manufacturing Company has agreed to furnish our requirements covered by the bid which opened on October 25, 1955, at the prices obtaining in the contract approved by your Honor on May 2, 1955.

Inasmuch as this will effect a substantial saving, permission is requested to reject all bids received on October 25, 1955, and award a contract, without public advertising, to the Hersey Manufacturing Company, prices to be the same as in the previous contract.

Approximate total amount of this contract will be $26,096.40, net, 30 days.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, December 5, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

A great part of the new machinery as well as the new boiler installation for the Printing Section necessitates three-phase wiring for its operation as opposed to the single phase recently installed in converting the lighting system from direct to alternating current.

Stanton Electrical Company, Inc., who performed the work on the changeover of the lighting system have submitted a proposal and specifications to furnish labor and materials for the installation of a three-phase circuit for a sum not to exceed $4,500, work to be done immediately upon the award of a contract.

In view of the fact that one of the new boilers is now ready to be connected with the electric circuit, and in view of the fact that printing machinery deliveries are contemplated in the immediate future, authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to Stanton Electrical Company, Inc., for the installation of a three-phase circuit and other work as outlined in specifications.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $4,500, net.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, December 5, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office is in receipt of a requisition from the Fire Department for one 1956 8-cylinder Cadillac, as per specifications, to be delivered immediately. Smith Motors, Inc., has submitted an informal written quotation. This company also has a Cadillac available for immediate delivery.

Inasmuch as time is of the essence, and since Smith Motors, Inc., has submitted an acceptable price, authority is requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to this company. It is my opinion that, in this way, the best interests of the city will be served.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $4,662.05, less trade-in allowance on 1950 Cadillac, $500, making a net total of $4,162.05.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with M. Solimando for the construction of a playground, etc., at the Roxbury Memorial High School for Girls, from November 1, 1955, to December 10, 1955. This extension was requested because unforeseen hardships in the progress of the construction delayed completion within specified time.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Daniel Russell Boiler Works, Inc., for repairing and retubing boilers in various schools, from November 15, 1955, to December 31, 1955. This extension was requested due to the fact that heat in buildings being required at an early date it was necessary to make repairs in all schools on one or more boilers sufficient for the heating needs. In many cases work was not completed at all of the buildings, necessitating a second trip and in some cases special arrangements for all boilers to be shut down in order to carry out the work as called for.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Industrial Welding Company for repairing and replacing of parts for fire escapes and the incidental work in connection with same at various schools, from December 1, 1955, to March 1, 1956. This extension was requested because of delays caused by limited steel supplies and bad weather.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with City Building Wrecking Company for razing of building (W. C. Bryant School Building), from October 31, 1955, to December 31, 1955. This extension was requested because the above company is razing the Dwight School nearby and anticipates using excess rubble to fill Dwight School excavation.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Martin J. Kelly Company, Inc., for new retail sales room at East Boston High School, from November 30, 1955, to December 31, 1955. This extension was requested due to delay in securing some of the showcases and counter tops.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Joseph Capone & Son for sewerage works in Corman road, Dorchester, and in Lorna road and Lena terrace, Dorchester, from October 30, 1955, to November 15, 1955. This extension was requested because the contractor encountered bad bottom and water in trench that was not anticipated.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with John McCourt Company, 28 Wolcott street, Readville, for highway reconstruction work in Terminal street, from December 16, 1955, to June 30, 1956. This is a Chapter 90 project. This extension was requested because the State Department of Public Works voted to extend the time limit on the contract.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with George M. Byrne, 294 Washington street, Boston, for demolition work and repairs to fender system and water pipe trestle, Dover Street Bridge, over Fort Point Channel, from December 1, 1955, to February 1, 1956. This extension was requested because of the work having been delayed by unfavorable weather conditions and the need of additional time required on account of the oily condition of the tidewaters at the site.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Joseph Amara & Son, 706 Hyde Park avenue, Roslindale, for sidewalk narrowing and roadway work in Mildred avenue, Ward 18, from Babson street to Norfolk Street Playground, from December 31, 1955, to June 30, 1956. This extension was requested because the contract was not awarded until November 14, 1955, and the contractor will not be able to pour concrete during the winter months.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Rufo Construction Company, Inc., has been directed to perform the following extra work under the contract dated August 31, 1955, for bituminous concrete pavement in Alwin street, Cheryl Lane, and Stonehill road.

In Cheryl Lane, construct one catch basin according to Sewer Division specifications with necessary connections to surface drain, including all excavation except rock. Price to be paid for building catch basin, the lump sum of $450. Drain connection is to be approximately 45 linear feet of 10-inch V.C. pipe at $6 per linear foot and one 10-inch by 10-inch Y at $50.

Estimated cost of extra work, $770.

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S. J. Tomasello Corporation has been directed to perform the following extra work under the contract dated July 13, 1955, for bituminous concrete pavement in Burr street, Carolina avenue, Cheshire street, Dane street, Hawthorne street, Heathcote street, Perkins street, and Sedgwick street.

In Perkins street, deliver to Walter Street city yard 19.6 linear feet of new straight edgestone at $2.37 per linear foot.

Estimated cost of extra work, $46.45.

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Public Improvement Commission, with the approval of the Mayor, has ordered the following construction work:

A 42-inch concrete pipe surface drain in private land (Faneuil Valley Brook), between Lake street and Chandlers Pond, in the Brighton district, at an estimated cost of $5,000.

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A 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer, 12-inch pipe surface drain in Dunckloe street, between Harriet street and 200 feet northerly, in the Brighton district, at an estimated cost of $2,500.

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A 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer, 10-inch pipe surface drain in Sunset Lane, between Adams street and 220 feet westerly, in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of $1,900.

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A 10-inch pipe sanitary sewer in Island street (southerly side), between Massachusetts avenue and 125 feet westerly, in the Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of $2,600.

AMENDMENT TO ORIGINAL AWARD OF DAMAGES.

The Public Improvement Commission has voted as follows:

That the amount of $67,610 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to J & M Corporation of Quincy for all damages sustained under the order of the Public Improvement Commission and Mayor of December 30, 1954, for the taking of land for Public Works Department purposes bounded by Gardner street and High street, West Roxbury district.

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That the amount of $250 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Frank P. and Victoria R. McDonough for all damages sustained under the order of the Public Improvement Commission and Mayor of October 20, 1955, for the widening and relocation of Poplar street, West Roxbury district.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 2,138.

The resignation of Patrolman George McNicholas of Division 10 having been presented while charges are pending against him, it is hereby accepted, to take effect on Monday, December 12, 1955, at 5.45 o'clock P.M., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,139.

The resignation of Patrolman Charles E. Hall, Jr., Division 10, having been presented, it is hereby accepted, to take effect Sunday, December 18, 1955, at 5.45 o'clock P.M.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,140.

The following chapter of the Acts and Resolves of 1955 is published for the information of the department:

"Chapter 176.

An Act relative to the securing of information concerning persons residing at inns, lodging houses and public lodging houses.

Chapter 51 of the General Laws is hereby amended by striking out section 10A, as amended by section 1 of chapter 320 of the Acts of 1943, and inserting in place thereof the following section:

SECTION 10A. Every innholder licensed under any provision of chapter one hundred and forty and every keeper of a lodging house or public lodging house licensed thereunder shall deliver to the person performing the duties required by section four, on a suitable blank to be furnished him by said person a statement, signed under the penalties of perjury, showing the name of every person twenty years of age or older on January first of said year whose place of residence on said January first was at such inn, lodging house or public lodging house."

Suitable blank forms in blocks of fifty have been printed and may be obtained by the various stations by requisition upon the Property Clerk at Police Headquarters.

Officers delivering these blank forms to licensed inns, lodging houses and public lodging houses, should inquire as to the approximate number of persons who will be listed therefrom. As there are fifteen lines to a page, in many cases one sheet will be all that is required. In any event, in this manner stations will obtain a general idea of the number of blanks needed under this new system and we will be able to have a suitable number printed for future use.

In cases where more than one page is required, licensees will be informed that they must sign each page.

After the information on these forms has been transcribed onto listing cards at the stations, the forms will be transmitted to Room 608, Commissioner's Office, Police Headquarters, where they will be kept on file for a period of two years.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,141.

Acting under provisions of chapter 32, section 7, as amended (State-Boston Retirement System), the Boston Retirement Board has approved for retirement, on account of accidental disability, the following-named police officer, effective at the close of business Saturday, December 31, 1955.

In view of this operation of law, after December 31, 1955, the said police officer shall no longer be an active member of this department, and it is hereby ordered that its records be so amended.

Patrolman James J. Lynch, Division 2.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, for a trial period of sixty (60) days, the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective December 13, 1955:

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," the following:

Harrison Avenue.
At East Newton street.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," the following:

Faneuil Street.
At Parsons street.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "West Roxbury," the following:

Augustus Avenue.
At Whitford street.

A true excerpt from the minutes of the November 17, 1955, meeting of the Boston Traffic Commission.

Attest:

W. T. DOYLE,
Executive Secretary.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, effective December 6, 1955, to April 1, 1956, inclusive, the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended by adding the following:

EMERGENCY SNOW REMOVAL REGULATIONS.

Declaration of Emergency During Heavy Snowstorms and Establishing Parking Regulations.

(*a*) There is hereby declared an emergency to exist in the City of Boston by reason of a heavy snowstorm whenever snow falls during any period of twenty-four (24) hours or less to a depth of three (3) inches or more in that such storm constitutes a serious

public hazard impairing transportation, the movement of food and fuel supplies, medical care, fire, health, and police protection, and other vital facilities of the city.

(*b*) Whenever such an emergency exists and the Commissioner of Public Works shall have caused announcement thereof to be made by not less than two (2) radio stations whose normal operating range covers the City of Boston, the following parking prohibitions become effective immediately:

No driver shall stop, stand or park any vehicle in important traffic arteries, or parts thereof, nor in any street upon which there is operated a trackless trolley, public transportation bus, or street-car line, provided that this regulation shall not apply to passenger vehicles stopped temporarily during the actual receiving or discharging of passengers nor to commercial vehicles stopped temporarily during the actual loading or unloading of materials.

Included among important traffic arteries, trackless trolley, bus and street-car lines are the following:

Beacon street, Boston Proper.
Boylston street, Boston Proper and Roxbury.
Columbus avenue, Boston Proper and Roxbury.
Commonwealth avenue, Boston Proper and Brighton.
Harrison avenue, Boston Proper and Roxbury.
Huntington avenue, Boston Proper and Roxbury.
Massachusetts avenue, Boston Proper, Dorchester, and Roxbury.
Northampton street, Boston Proper and Roxbury.
Park Drive, Boston Proper.
Shawmut avenue, Boston Proper and Roxbury.
Tremont street, Boston Proper and Roxbury.
Washington street, Boston Proper, Roxbury, and West Roxbury.
Beacon street and Cleveland Circle, Brighton.
Brighton avenue, Brighton.
Cambridge street, Brighton.
Chestnut Hill avenue, Brighton.
Market street, Brighton.
North Beacon street, Brighton.
Washington street, Brighton.
Western avenue, Brighton.
Cambridge street, Charlestown.
Chelsea street, Charlestown.
Rutherford avenue, Charlestown.
Warren street, Charlestown.
Adams street, Dorchester.
Blue Hill avenue, Dorchester and Roxbury.
Columbia road, Dorchester and South Boston.
Cummins Highway, Dorchester and West Roxbury.
Dorchester avenue, Dorchester and South Boston.
Gallivan Boulevard, Dorchester.
Morton street, Dorchester and West Roxbury.
Neponset avenue, Dorchester.
Norfolk street, Dorchester.
Quincy street, Dorchester and Roxbury.
River street, Dorchester and Hyde Park.
Talbot avenue, Dorchester.
Washington street, Dorchester.
Hyde Park avenue, Hyde Park and West Roxbury.
Centre street, Roxbury and West Roxbury.
Southampton street, Roxbury and South Boston.
Warren street, Roxbury.
D street, South Boston.
Dorchester street, South Boston.
L street, South Boston.
West Broadway, South Boston.
Belgrade avenue, West Roxbury.
Corinth street, West Roxbury.
South street (upper), West Roxbury.

On streets other than those defined in the preceding paragraphs, no driver shall stop, stand or park any vehicle in the side of the street having even house numbers, from 6 P.M. on odd dates of the month to 6 P.M. on the following date, nor in the side of the street having odd house numbers, from 6 P.M. on even dates of the month to 6 P.M. on the following date, provided that this regulation shall not apply to passenger vehicles stopped temporarily during the actual receiving or discharging of passengers nor to commercial vehicles stopped temporarily during the actual loading or unloading of materials.

The state of emergency shall exist until the Commissioner of Public Works shall have caused announcement of the end of the emergency to be made by not less than two (2) radio stations whose normal operating range covers the City of Boston.

A true excerpt from the minutes of the November 17, 1955, meeting of the Boston Traffic Commission.

Attest:

W. T. DOYLE,
Executive Secretary.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, for a trial period of sixty (60) days, the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective December 13, 1955:

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out the following:

Allerton Street, Roxbury.
Southwest side, from Magazine street to opposite Rusfield street, 24 hours.
K Street, South Boston.
West side, from East First street to a point one hundred and twenty-five (125) feet north of East First street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," each of the following:

Armandine Street.
South side, from Washington street to Milton avenue, 24 hours.
Midland Street.
West side, from Bay street to Savin Hill avenue, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "East Boston," the following:

Prescott Street.
Southwest side, from Frankfort street to Shrimpton street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," each of the following:

Allerton Street.
Southwest side, from Magazine street to Gerard street, 24 hours.
Cambria Street.
North side, from Dalton street to St. Cecilia street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Forbes Street.
Northeast side, from Centre street to a point seventy-five (75) feet southeast of Centre street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "South Boston," the following:

K Street.
West side, from East First street to the dead end, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "West Roxbury," each of the following:

Alveston Street.
East side, from Seaverns avenue to Greenough avenue, 24 hours.
Washington Street.
East side, east roadway, from Morton street to a point one hundred and forty (140) feet south of Morton street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by striking out the following:

Brookline Avenue, Boston Proper.
Both sides, from the bridge over the Boston & Albany Railroad to Park Drive, 10 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," each of the following:

Hartford Street.
Both sides, from High street to Purchase street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Washington Street.
East side, from Adams square to Hanover street, 9.30 A.M. to 4 P.M.

Article IV, Section 6, Part 3 (Restrictions in Cent and Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by striking out the following:

Washington Street, West Roxbury.
East side, from Morton street to Tower street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 6, Part 3 (Restrictions in Cent and Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "West Roxbury," the following:

Washington Street.
East side, from a point one hundred and forty (140) feet south of Morton street to Tower street, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 7 (Angle Parking), is amended by striking out the following:

Providence Street, Boston Proper.
North side, from Church street to a point one hundred and twenty-four (124) feet east of Arlington street.

Article IV, Section 7 (Angle Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," the following:

Providence Street.
North side, from Hadassah Way to Arlington street.

Article IV, Section 11, Part 1 (Backing of Vehicles Prohibited), is amended by striking out the following:
Kneeland Street, Boston Proper.
Both sides, from Washington street to Atlantic avenue, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 11, Part 1 (Backing of Vehicles Prohibited), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," the following:
Kneeland Street.
Both sides, from Washington street to Atlantic avenue, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV A, Section 4, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out the following:
Hartford Street.
Northeast side, from High street to Purchase street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Washington Street.
East side, from Adams square to Haymarket square, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV A, Section 4, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement the following:
Washington Street.
East side, from Adams square to Hanover street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.
East side, from Hanover street to Haymarket square, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by striking out the following:
Francis Street, Roxbury.
From Riverway to Brookline avenue.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," the following:
Cummings Road.
From Corey road to Commonwealth avenue.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:
Francis Street.
From Pilgrim road to Brookline avenue.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "West Roxbury," the following:
Colby Road.
From Montclair avenue to Centre street.

A true excerpt from the minutes of the November 17, 1955, meeting of the Boston Traffic Commission.

Attest:

W. T. DOYLE,
Executive Secretary.

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway resurfacing, estimated to be thirty (30) days, vehicles are excluded from the following street, when and where official signs are in place, effective December 5, 1955:

Mt. Vernon Street, Dorchester.
From William T. Morrissey Boulevard to three thousand six hundred (3,600) feet east of William T. Morrissey Boulevard.

TIMOTHY J. O'CONNOR,
Acting Commissioner.

A true copy.
Attest:

W. T. DOYLE, *Executive Secretary.*

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of underground construction by the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, estimated to be thirty (30) days, parking of vehicles is prohibited in the following street, when and where official signs are in place, effective December 7, 1955:
Heath Street, Roxbury.
Both sides, from Columbus avenue to South Huntington avenue.

WM. ARTHUR REILLY,
Commissioner.

A true copy.
Attest:

W. T. DOYLE, *Executive Secretary.*

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Voted, That as urgently required by considerations of public safety and convenience, during the period of roadway resurfacing, estimated to be thirty (30) days, vehicles are excluded from the following street, effective December 9, 1955:
Brook Farm Road, West Roxbury.
From Newfield street to Lyall street.

WM. ARTHUR REILLY,
Commissioner.

A true copy.
Attest.

W. T. DOYLE, *Executive Secretary.*

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 63.

I. RETIREMENT.

The following retirement, in accordance with section 57, chapter 32 of the General Laws, as amended, which became effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, December 7, 1955, is hereby announced:

Fire Fighter Peter J. Bradley, Headquarters Division.

Fire Fighter Bradley was appointed to the Fire Department December 23, 1929, and he leaves the department with the best wishes of his associates.

II. FIRE ALARM BOXES RENUMBERED.

Effective at 12 noon, Friday, December 16, 1955, the following fire alarm boxes will be renumbered:

Present No. 12–1125, new No. 12–1121, Circuit 44, Hoosac Docks, Grain Elevator Stores.

Present No. 13–1125, new No. 13–4121, Circuit 44, Hoosac Docks, Pier No. 1, East.

Present No. 14–1125, new No. 14–4121, Circuit 43, Hoosac Docks, Pier No. 1, West.

Present No. 15–1125, new No. 15–1121, Circuit 43, Hoosac Docks, Battery Charging Building.

Company commanders will make the necessary changes on assignment cards for the above boxes renumbered, and also necessary changes on circuit cards Nos. 43 and 44.

Effective at 12 noon, Tuesday, December 20, 1955, the following fire alarm boxes will be renumbered:

Present No. 311, new No. 7276, Circuit 68, South Bay avenue and Burnham street.

Present No. 3112, new No. 7273, Circuit 90, Southampton and Atkinson streets.

Present No. 3113, new No. 7275, Circuit 21, Southampton and Newmarket square.

Present No. 3115, new No. 727, Circuit 77, Massachusetts avenue and Southampton street.

Present No. 12–3115, new No. 12–727, Circuit 24, Fire Headquarters, 115 Southampton street.

Present No. 13–3115, new No. 13–727, Circuit 49, Fire Alarm Garage and Shop, 115 Southampton street.

Present No. 14–3115, new No. 14–727, Circuit 40, Maintenance Division, 890 Massachusetts avenue.

Effective at 12 noon Tuesday, December 27, 1955, the following fire alarm boxes will be renumbered:

Present No. 3116, new No. 7271, Circuit 49, Massachusetts avenue and Theodore A. Glynn Way.

Present No. 3117, new No. 7272, Circuit 77, Massachusetts avenue, opposite Shirley street.

Present No. 3123, new No. 7261, Circuit 49, Boston and Rawson streets.

Present No. 3125, new No. 7263, Circuit 69, Boston and Mt. Vernon streets.

Present No. 3126, new No. 7265, Circuit 49, Massachusetts avenue and Clapp street.

Present No. 321, new No. 724, Circuit 63, Preble street and Old Colony avenue.

Present No. 3211, new No. 7241, Circuit 86, Old Colony avenue and Gen. Lawrence J. Logan Way.

Present No. 3212, new No. 7242, Circuit 90, Old Colony avenue and Monsignor Denis F. O'Callaghan Way.

Effective at 12 noon, Thursday, December 29, 1955, the following fire alarm boxes will be renumbered:

Present No. 3213, new No. 7244, Circuit 90, Gen. Lawrence J. Logan and Monsignor Denis F. O'Callaghan Ways.

Present No. 3214, new No. 7243, Circuit 49, Dr. Michael Gavin and Monsignor Denis F. O'Callaghan Ways.

Present No. 3215, new No. 7245, Circuit 40, Dorchester avenue and Kemp street.

Present No. 3216, new No. 7251, Circuit 36, Dorchester avenue and Dorset street.

Present No. 12–3216, new No. 12–7251, Circuit 49, Roger Clap School, Harvest street.

Present No. 3217, new No. 7253, Circuit 86, Locust and Von Hillern streets.

Present No. 3218, new No. 7252, Circuit 40, Columbia road and Dorchester avenue.

Present No. 12–3218, new No. 12–7252, Circuit 69, William E. Russell School, 750 Columbia road.

Company commanders will make changes on assignment cards and circuit cards for boxes renumbered as previously shown.

III. FIRE ALARM BOX INSTALLED.

The following fire alarm box which was established in General Orders, No. 62, dated November 29, 1955, has been installed and connected into circuit No. 21:

12–5158, Ross-Corey Nursing Home, 249 Corey road.

Company commanders will add Box 12–5158 to circuit card No. 21.

IV. FIRE ALARM BOXES ESTABLISHED.

The following fire alarm boxes are hereby established and will be used as phantom boxes until such time as boxes can be installed:

4121, Water and Gray streets.

4123, Henley and Wapping streets.

Assignment of apparatus for Box 4121 will be the same as for Box 4125.

Assignment of apparatus for Box 4123 will be the same as for Box 4124.

Assignment cards for these boxes will be distributed later.

Circuit numbers for these boxes will be announced when the boxes are installed.

V. CHANGE IN DESIGNATION OF FIRE ALARM BOXES.

Due to the construction of the John F. Fitzgerald Expressway, Fire Alarm Box 1311 will be relocated.

Designation of this box will be changed to read: 1311, Haverhill and Traverse streets.

Company commanders will make the above change in designation for Box 1311.

The designation of Fire Alarm Box 4126 will be changed to read: 4126, Chelsea street, opposite No. 69.

Company commanders will make above change in assignment card for Box 4126.

VI. FIRE ALARM BOXES DISCONTINUED.

The following fire alarm boxes have been removed from service and discontinued permanently:

12–1272, Thompson's Spa, 239 Washington street.

1295, Purchase street and Belcher Lane.

Company commanders will delete Box 12–1272 from assignment card for Box 1272 and delete Box 12–1272 from circuit card No. 15.

Company commanders will delete Box 1295 from circuit card No. 4 and return assignment card for Box 1295 to Headquarters.

VII. RENUMBERING OF CITY BOXES ON A.T.D. SIGNALS.

A.D.T. Signal 3371, present nearest city box, 13–4125, change to 13–4121; A.D.T. Signal 3372, present nearest city box, 13–4125, change to 13–4121; A.D.T. Signal 3373, present nearest city box, 13–4125, change to 13–4121; A.D.T. Signal 3374, present nearest city box, 13–4125, change to 13–4121; A.D.T. Signal 3375, present nearest city box, 14–4125, change to 14–4121; A.D.T. Signal 3376, present nearest city box, 14–4125, change to 14–4121; A.D.T. Signal 3377, present nearest city box, 14–4125, change to 14–4121; A.D.T. Signal 3378, present nearest city box, 14–4125, change to 14–4121; A.D.T. Signal 3379, present nearest city box, 14–4125, change to 14–4121; A.D.T. Signal 3381, present nearest city box, 15–4125, change to 15–4121.

Effective at 12 noon, Friday, December 16, 1955, the number of the nearest city box for the A.D.T. boxes listed above will be changed as indicated.

Company commanders will make the above changes in A.D.T. book.

VIII. COMMENDATIONS.

Fire Fighter Frank E. Williams of Ladder Company 28 is hereby commended for responding to and working at fire, Box 2517, December 4, 1955, while off duty.

By order of Fire Commissioner FRANCIS X. COTTER.

JOHN V. STAPLETON,
Chief of Department.

Special Order No. 95.

From: The Chief of Department.
To: Deputy Fire Chiefs, Divisions 1, 2.

I. SUBJECT: MEETING OF ADVISORY PANEL.

A meeting of the Advisory Panel in connection with the indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses in accordance with General Laws (Ter. Ed.), c. 41, s. 100, as amended, will be held in Headquarters, 115 Southampton street, Boston, at 10 A.M., Monday, December 12, 1955. The members, whose cases are to be heard by the Panel, will be notified to be present.

II. SUBJECT: SINGLE UNIT OPERATION.

Engine Company 20 is now operating as a single unit.

III. SUBJECT: ATTENTION OF THE DEPARTMENT.

In order to avoid accidents and prevent property damage it is important that members securely close the doors on apparatus when leaving same. This applies to all department vehicles.

IV. SUBJECT: BAND.

The band will take part in a parade and exercises on Sunday, December 11. Members will report to Fire Fighter Band Manager Joseph Schein at 1 P.M. Members on the day tour will be excused at 10 A.M. Members on the night tour will be excused until 8 P.M.

Per order:

JOHN V. STAPLETON,
Chief of Department.

TRANSFERS OF APPROPRIATIONS.

The Mayor has approved the following requests for transfers of appropriations:

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Weights and Measures Division.

From 100, Permanent Employees, $300, 390, Miscellaneous Supplies and Materials, $80, to 270, Repairs and Servicing of Equipment, $150, 360, Office Supplies and Materials, $150, 290, Miscellaneous Contractual Services, $80.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

From Hospital Department, Long Island Division, 1–06–31, 701, Special Improvements and Repairs, $47,000, to Hospital Department, Boston City Hospital, Group III, Supplies and Materials, $47,000.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

From 711, Reconstruction and Repair of Parkways and Roadways, $21,000, to Item 3, Supplies and Materials, $21,000.

Cemetery Division.

From 496, Rents, Taxes and Licenses, $1,000, to 300, Supplies and Materials, $1,000.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

From 280, Transportation of Persons, $6,705, to 270, Repairs and Service of Equipment, $2,505, 490, Miscellaneous Current Charges and Obligations, $2,200, 590, Miscellaneous Equipment, $2,000.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

From Bridge Division, 100, Permanent Employees, $3,000, to Automotive Division, 300, Automotive Supplies and Materials, $3,000.

From Survey Division, 100, Permanent Employees, $6,000, 120, Overtime, $500, to Automotive Division, 300, Automotive Supplies and Materials, $6,500.

Automotive Division.

From 100, Permanent Employees, $2,200, 270, Repair and Servicing of Equipment, $2,400, to 330, Heating Supplies, $2,200, 490, Rents and Licenses, $2,100.

Sanitary Division.

From 250, Removal and Disposal of Garbage and Waste, $2,000, to 300, Supplies and Materials, $2,000.

Sewer Division.

From 8, Land and Nonstructural Improvements to Land, $1,125, to 2, Contractual Services, $1,125.

Survey Division.

From 200, Contractual Services, $75, to 590, Miscellaneous Equipment, $75.

From 360, Office Supplies and Materials, $140, to 490, Miscellaneous Current Charges and Obligations, $140.

Water Division.

From 711, Extension and Improvement of Mains, $5,000, to 300, Supplies and Materials, $5,000.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

SUPERIOR COURT FOR CIVIL BUSINESS.

Clerk's Office.

From Class Code 2-296, Contractual Services, $100, to Class Code 593, Library, $100.

From Class Code 2-296, Contractual Services, $155, to Class Code 560, Office Equipment, $155.

SUPREME JUDICIAL COURT.

From 290, Miscellaneous Contractual Services, $200, to 360, Office Supplies, $125, 390, Other Supplies and Materials, $75.

SUPERIOR CRIMINAL COURT.

From 298, Recording and Judicial Services, $984.07, to 369, Supplies and Materials, $873.69, 593, Library Books, $110.38.

Probation Department.

From 100, Personal Services, $224.30, to 360, Office Supplies and Materials, $192.90, 498, Surety Bonds, $31.40.

REGISTRY OF DEEDS.

From 100, Personnel, $1,641.25, to 369, 46 Grantor Books and 15 Grantee Books for 1956, $1,641.25.

Municipal Court, South Boston District.

From 100, Permanent Employees, $700, to 360, Office Supplies and Materials, $600, 290, Miscellaneous Contractual Services, $100.

1954 STATISTICS OF THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS.

The Board of Examiners was created by city ordinance in 1913 and re-established under legislative act in 1938. It acts upon applications of persons desiring to be licensed in Boston as construction superintendents, approving or rejecting said applications under certain rules and regulations adopted as procedure by the Board. The members are appointed by the Mayor and consist of an architect or engineer, a contractor or mechanic, and a lawyer.

The following list is that of applications acted upon in 1954:

New licenses and reissues—approved, 493; rejected, 149.

Renewals—approved, 1,917.

Suspended—2.

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, December 5, 1955.

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 2 P.M., President HURLEY in the chair, and all the members present.

The Reverend Frederick R. Condon, of St. Therese's Roman Catholic Church, West Roxbury, was escorted to the rostrum.

INVOCATION BY REV. FREDERICK R. CONDON.

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost. Amen.

Almighty God, creator and ruler of the universe, the author and source of all law, we thank You for the choice blessings that You have bestowed each day of the year upon these Your servants to whom You have entrusted the temporal care of Your people of this great city. You have granted them the grace of courage and the grace of wisdom so that they did not fail in their great responsibility to You and to the electorate. With impunity these men carried on the charge entrusted to them and they faced the future with the pure ideals that were theirs when they sought the confidence of Your people. May they continue to serve You and Your subjects under Your loving care and protection. Let not the inducements of this life—the obstacles of friendships and difference of opinion—cause them to forget You, O God, the author of life, happiness, and peace of soul and mind. Rather, grant them the virtue of fortitude, to have the courage of their convictions; the virtue of justice, to render what is right to all people, being indifferent to the murmurings of the few; the virtue of prudence, to act always in the true interest of the common good.

This we ask You, through the wisdom of God, the Father, through the example and leadership of Jesus Christ, the son and good shepherd, through the Holy Ghost, the author of all graces. Amen.

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost. Amen.

The meeting was opened with the salute to the Flag.

JURORS DRAWN.

Jurors were drawn in the manner prescribed by law, Councillor McLaughlin presiding at the box, in the absence of the Mayor, viz.:

Twenty-two grand jurors, Superior Criminal Court, to appear January 3, 1956:

Patsy Mosco, Ward 1; Anna Cassidy, Ward 2; John R. Fatulo, Ward 5; Joseph H. Martin, Ward 5; James A. Bacon, Ward 6; David H. Orchard, Ward 6; Joseph C. Daley, Ward 10; Francis J. Finegan, Ward 10; Robert P. Walker, Ward 11; Harold S. Smith, Ward 12; Esther Rubinovitz, Ward 14; Frank Skoletsky, Ward 14; John E. Burke, Ward 15; Bernard J. Burke, Ward 16; John J. Driscoll, Ward 16; Ronald Dutton, Ward 17; Arthur L. MacDonald, Jr., Ward 18; Thomas J. Douglass, Ward 19; John Mandra, Ward 19; Charles E. O'Donnell, Ward 19; William J. Cavanaugh, Ward 20; Timothy J. Shevlin, Ward 20.

Thirty-nine traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, to appear January 3, 1956:

Vincent J. Zinna, Ward 1; John F. Cummings, Ward 3; John J. Copp, Ward 5; Thomas W. Dodds, Ward 5; Eugenia H. Neville, Ward 6; Nicholas J. Connolly, Ward 7; Henry H. Johnson, Ward 7; Willard H. McCauley, Ward 8; Stephen G. Reade, Ward 8; William A. Moore, Ward 10; Laurence E. Morcney, Ward 10; Meyer S. Price, Ward 11; John J. Dunlap, Ward 12; John T. Manning, Ward 12; Arthur Creeden, Ward 13; Francis R. Lucas, Ward 13; Norma E. Nielsen, Ward 13; Frank P. Plewka, Ward 13; Meyer Levin, Ward 14; Frank H. Moore, Ward 14; Max H. Zigman, Ward 14; Paul E. Matthews, Ward 15; John J. Murphy, Ward 15; Edward H. Kilday, Jr., Ward 16; Joseph A. Rhilinger, Ward 16; Peter Scott, Ward 16; Peter T. Winstanly, Ward 16; Henry J. Burden, Ward 17; Eucline R. McKenna, Ward 17; Michael F. Good, Ward 18; John A. Harney, Ward 18; Nathan L. Mandell, Ward 18; Walter J. Farrell, Ward 19; Frederick L. Hynes, Ward 19; George B. Kiley, Ward 19; Mark C. J. McNeil, Ward 19; Reginald H. Sands, Ward 19; Louis F. Wall, Ward 19; Frances F. Carley, Ward 22.

One hundred forty-one traverse jurors, Superior Civil Court, to appear January 3, 1956:

James Abruzese, Ward 1; John Cantalupo, Ward 1; Anthony Catanese, Ward 1; Daniel Clarke, Ward 1; Francis A. D'Addio, Ward 1; Leay Fontenot, Ward 1; Pasquale A. Papa, Ward 1; Savino J. Venezia, Ward 1; Arthur T. Bryant, Ward 2; Robert Finlayson, Ward 2; Kenneth A. Meehan, Ward 2; John J. Patterson, Ward 2; Daniel Jong, Ward 3; Olga Gogas, Ward 4; George C. Goodwin, Ward 4; Stephen Kefalas, Ward 4; Albert V. Keith, Ward 4; Bernard McKenna, Ward 4; George D. Sabotnak, Ward 4; Dorothy W. Sullivan, Ward 4; George H. Cortez, Ward 5; Richard A. Loring, Ward 5; Anna I. Melanas, Ward 5; George L. Sydla, Ward 5; William R. Vnori, Ward 5; Joseph K. Wilkie, Ward 5; Albert J. DeLisi, Ward 6; Russell Ellison, Ward 6; William E. Hodges, Ward 6; Vincent Lynch, Ward 6; James R. Moore, Ward 6; Adam Perakslis, Ward 6; James Blarey, Ward 7; Gerald F. Clancy, Ward 7; Edward J. Cox, Ward 7; John V. Dwyer, Ward 7; Howard Lee, Ward 7; Joseph A. Ring, Ward 7; John T. Zawadyki, Ward 7; Clarence Tyrone, Ward 8; Marion Dean, Ward 9; William A. Hurley, Ward 9; Price A. Leavitt, Ward 9; Andrew Lyons, Ward 9; Louis C. Bebbington, Ward 10; Martha M. Doty, Ward 10; Edward J. Hartnett, Ward 10; Daniel M. Healy, Ward 10; Richard G. Holton, Ward 10; Catherine T. Quinn, Ward 10; Agnes Tracey, Ward 10; Arthur G. Clark, Ward 11; Edward Cotter, Ward 11; Arthur A. Cuckeau, Ward 11; Lester N. Currier, Ward 11; Walter J. Dabrowski, Ward 11; Edith Marge, Ward 11; George Leo Smith, Ward 11; Howard R. Connell, Ward 12; Abe Goretsky, Ward 12; Helen A. Gendotte, Ward 13; Daniel R. Hurley, Ward 13; Kathleen H. Johansen, Ward 13; John R. MacAuley, Jr., Ward 13; Joseph Martell, Ward 13; Manuel J. Ring, Ward 13; Mabel Saulnier, Ward 13; Charles D. Connor, Ward 14; Melvin Glassman, Ward 14; Harriet Marsman, Ward 14; William T. Milesky, Ward 14; Maurice D. Miller, Ward 14; Eli Ring, Ward 14; Joseph E. Segal, Ward 14; Ethel Shapiro, Ward 14; James M. Walsh, Ward 14; Eleanor L. Ahern, Ward 15; Charles R. Cahill, Ward 15; Arthur J. DeRoche, Ward 15; Joseph A. LeBlanc, Ward 15; William H. McCarty, Ward 15; William T. Murphy, Ward 15; Mary E. O'Brien, Ward 15; Joseph V. Russell, Ward 15; Florence A. Ryan, Ward 15; Francis A. Dooley, Ward 16; Marie D. Dunham, Ward 16; Thomas F. Ducie, Jr., Ward 16; Leo R. Ford, Ward 16; Phillip M. Freethy, Ward 16; Edward J. Lordan, Ward 16; Thomas L. MacDonald, Ward 16; William H. O'Hara, Ward 16; Dexter W. Polk, Ward 16; John P. Riley, Ward 16; George W. Calhoun, Ward 17; Herbert W. Finney, Ward 17; Alfred E. Korb, Ward 17; Robert W. McMahon, Ward 17; Arnold Munnis, Ward 17; Stanley Pinslock, Ward 17; Carlton K. Piper, Ward 17; Robert J. Tierney, Ward 17; Felix Yankun, Ward 17.

Wallace M. Adams, Ward 18; Clarence P. Cavanaugh, Ward 18; John L. Dias, Jr., Ward 18; Frederick J. Fordham, Ward 18; George F. Marden, Ward 18; Ellen M. Sullivan, Ward 18; David E. Watson, Ward 18; Edith Worgold, Ward 18; Thomas E. Bean, Ward 19; Sidonie M. Bohmbach, Ward 19; Emily A. Garron, Ward 19; Paul G. Healy, Ward 19; Carl L. Kuhner, Ward 19; Henry N. Nelson, Ward 19; John A. Rein, Ward 19; Timothy Scannell, Ward 19; Gustave A. Ansler, Jr., Ward 20; James W. Babcock, Ward 20; Stanley Joseph D'Entremont, Ward 20; Daniel J. Driscoll, Ward 20; John P. Harris, Ward 20; Robert E. Meara, Ward 20; Harold H. Sweeney, Ward 20; John W. Volk, Ward 20; John A. Glantz, Ward 21; James W. Hardy, Ward 21; Paul P. Hochberg, Ward 21; Marjorie D. Larkin, Ward 21; Frances E. MacDonald, Ward 21; Mildred Thompson, Ward 21; George Dennison, Ward 22; Bertrane Gutman, Ward 22; Albert J. O'Keeffe, Ward 22; John F. Ring, Ward 22; Thomas Q. Sullivan, Ward 22; William E. Toner, Ward 22; Alfredo Yannucci, Ward 22.

VETO OF ORDER TO INCREASE PENSIONS, ETC., OF CERTAIN FORMER PUBLIC EMPLOYEES.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, December 5, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I return herewith, without my signature and disapproved, the order of your Honorable Body passed November 28, accepting chapter 670 of the Acts of 1955, providing for an increase in amounts of the pension, retirement allowances, and annuities of certain retired employees.

The rise in the cost of living, which has taken place since World War II, seriously affected those retired employees of the city who had small pensions and who, in many cases, had no other source of income. I appreciate and sympathize with their condition, and to relieve it, during the last six years, the pensions, etc., of over 3,000 retired employees receiving less than $2,000 a year, with my approval, have been increased three times at a total cost of nearly $2,000,000 a year.

At the present time, except for a few isolated cases which are not affected by this act, there are no retired employees receiving less than $1,200 a year, and a majority of them get $1,500 a year or more.

However, the pension situation both in the city and the state is approaching a critical financial condition. As an example, the appropriation of the city for pensions, retirement allowances, and annuities for the year 1955 was $7,515,855, and for the same item in 1953 was $5,313,274, an increase in only two years of $2,232,531.

The cost of the increases necessitated by the acceptance of chapter 670 of the Acts of 1955 is estimated to be at least $475,000 more a year, and under the present unstabled pension condition it does not seem advisable to impose such an additional burden on the tax rate at this time.

Accordingly, I am constrained to disapprove your order accepting this act.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

The message and order were referred to the Executive Committee.

AMENDMENT TO COUNTY COMPENSATION AND CLASSIFICATION PLAN.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, December 5, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

The attached proposal by the Supervisor of Personnel to amend the Compensation and Classification Plans for the Officers and Employees of Suffolk County, to include a head Administrative Clerk in the District Attorney's office, is hereby approved and transmitted for consideration and adoption by your Honorable Body.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Administrative Services Department,
December 5, 1955.

To the Mayor and City Council.

Gentlemen:

In accordance with Rule 3 of Schedule A of the Compensation and Classification Plans for the Officers and Employees of Suffolk County, the Supervisor of Personnel, whenever a new position is established, is required, after an investigation of the actual and proposed duties and responsibilities and with the approval of the City Council and the Mayor, to classify the position by allocating it to its appropriate class.

Under date of December 1, 1955, the District Attorney requested that the title of Head Administrative Clerk in compensation grade 26 be established for his office. My investigation of this request reveals that the volume and type of business in the District Attorney's office has greatly increased and changed. This fact, coupled with addition of ten new assistant district attorneys, has caused the administrative duties and responsibilities of the department to change and increase in ratio to the above stated condition.

In order to include this new classification in the Compensation and Classification Plans for the Officers and Employees of Suffolk County I recommend consideration and adoption of the accompanying order amending these plans to include the position of Head Administrative Clerk in compensation grade 26 in the District Attorney's office.

Very truly yours,
JOHN A. SULLIVAN,
Supervisor of Personnel.

Ordered, That Schedule B of the Classification and Compensation Plans for the Officers and Employees of Suffolk County, adopted by order passed by the City Council on November 24, 1952, and approved by the Mayor on November 25, 1952, be, and the same hereby is, amended by including the following new classification:

Head Administrative Clerk (District Attorney's Office).

Duties: Under general direction, has broad administrative responsibilities for a wide variety of administrative and clerical processes; plans work methods and procedures; signs and reviews the work of a group of employees; interviews callers and adjusts as well as routes complainants to the responsible subdepartment head; and performs related work as required.

Compensation Grade: 26.

On motion of Councillor White, the rules were suspended and the order was passed.

LAUNCHING RAMPS FOR SMALL BOATS

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, December 2, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation relative to the motion of your Honorable Body of November 14, 1955, concerning desirability for the construction of launching ramps at East Boston, Charles River Basin, City Point, and suitable points in Dorchester.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Parks and Recreation Department,
November 30, 1955.

Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.

Dear Sir:

I acknowledge your memorandum of November 17 with order of City Councillor Foley dated October 31 regarding the construction of launching ramps.

We wrote to you before on this matter. However, it is our understanding that Councillor Foley is seeking further information.

The question of the desirability of such ramps is necessary for a balanced recreation program, and accordingly we asked the Director of Recreation in this department for his opinion.

He states that the suggestion of Councillor Foley is an excellent one, and to have public boat landings at the locations suggested in the order is one to be desired as Boston is lacking in this facility. However, inasmuch as the locations would be mainly on Metropolitan District Commission properties, and the water approaches under the U. S. Coast Guard, I would suggest that both of these agencies be consulted as to the location and use of these facilities.

I believe the ramps could be constructed in such a manner that they would not require any upkeep maintenance or even supervision. San Francisco and the area surrounding the city have such landings without any trouble to any city or state agency.

Very truly yours,
FRANK R. KELLEY, Commissioner.

Referred to the Committee on Public Services and Recreation.

SURVEY OF TRAFFIC CONDITIONS ON DRAPER STREET, DORCHESTER.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, December 2, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith further communication from the Traffic Commissioner concerning your order of October 3, 1955, relative to a survey being made of the traffic conditions of Draper street, Dorchester, with a view to making that street one way from Bowdoin street to Homes avenue and the possibility of permitting the parking of cars on both sides of the street.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

Boston Traffic Commission,
November 23, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.
Dear Mr. Mayor:

With reference to City Council order of October 3, introduced by Councillor McCormack, requesting a survey of traffic conditions on Draper street, Dorchester, with a view to making that street one way from Bowdoin street to Homes avenue and permitting the parking of cars on both sides, I wish to report that while our inclination at first was to conform to the wishes of the petitioners, a survey was made and conditions observed which indicate that such a regulation as desired would not be advisable.

Entering Draper street at Bowdoin street there is a rather steep grade and a curve in the roadway which would make traveling difficult when there is snow on the street. A one way from Bowdoin street to Homes avenue would cause all traffic to detour into Homes avenue and on this street there is a very steep grade up to Mt. Ida road. The majority of the traffic going westerly would use Hamilton street and the traffic would emerge into the busy shopping area at Hamilton and Bowdoin streets.

There have been recent complaints about conditions in Homes avenue, especially at the intersection of Hamilton street and Homes avenue. It is not good practice to make a portion of a street one way, particularly when it would create a hardship to motorists and place additional traffic on the streets from which complaints are already being received.

In view of the complexities of this situation it is our opinion that the best interest of the public would be served if no action were taken on the recommendation that Draper street be made one way from Bowdoin street to Homes avenue.

Respectfully yours,
WM. ARTHUR REILLY, Commissioner.

Placed on file.

SICK LEAVE FOR MAINTENANCE PERSONNEL OF BOSTON HOUSING AUTHORITY.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, December 2, 1955.

To the City Council.
Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Administrator of the Boston Housing Authority relative to your order of October 17, 1955, concerning sick leave policy for maintenance workers of the Boston Housing Authority.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

Boston Housing Authority,
November 30, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.
Subject: City Council Order of October 17, 1955, Concerning Sick Leave Policy for Maintenance Workers of This Authority.
Dear Mayor Hynes:

With reference to the above subject order the following information is submitted:

Until 1944 maintenance employees received the same paid sick leave as other employees of this Authority.

In that year — 1944 — the Authority met with agents of the several unions representing maintenance employees, at their request, to discuss both wages and working conditions.

At that time these employee representatives expressed the preference for a greater wage increase as against continuance of the sick leave policy. Accordingly, the paid sick leave policy was discontinued and the difference sustained was expressed in increased wages.

The present understanding of the Authority with union labor groups representing employees does not include paid sick leave. This memorandum of understanding is effective until August, 1956.

Prior to that time it is believed that representatives of the maintenance employees will request meetings with the Authority to again discuss wages and working conditions. It is assumed the matter of paid sick leave will be among the items to be surveyed and decided as part of the package determination of wages prevailing in this locality at that time.

Very truly yours,
F. J. CONNELL,
for FRANCIS X. LANE,
Administrator for the Authority.

Placed on file.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committee named, viz.:

Claims.

Roland E. Boyce, for compensation for damage to car by said truck.

Edward J. Davis, for compensation for damage to property at 5 Chiswick terrace, Brighton, during reconstruction of Chiswick terrace.

Granite State Fire Insurance Company, for compensation for damage to car of James Rodger by city truck.

Frank Guaragna, for compensation for injuries and damage to truck by truck of Fire Department.

Doris Hart and H. Hart, for compensation for damage to property at 210 Dorchester street, caused by work done on sidewalk.

Thirlmor S. Hornbrook, for compensation for damage to property at 266 Cornell street, Roslindale, caused by and during laying out and reconstruction of Cornell street.

James J. Lynch, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Public Works Department, Sanitary Division.

Albert G. Malagrifa and Thomas Cadden, for compensation for injuries and damage to car by city motor vehicle.

Mary C. Murphy, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Ludlow street, Charlestown.

Mary E. Murphy, for compensation for injuries and damage to property caused by an alleged defect in Ludlow street, Charlestown.

Francis T. Ryan, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Ludlow street, Charlestown.

Joel Shapiro, to be reimbursed as result of execution issued against him on account of his acts as employee of Public Works Department, Highway Division.

Edward D. Skane, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Police Department.

Two Fifty-six Beacon Street Company, Inc., by Silas D. Wyman, for compensation for damage to property at 256 Beacon street, caused by blocking of drains.

John Wiener, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Garden street, near Cambridge street.

PETITIONS FOR ANNUITIES.

Petition of Gertrude E. Kane, to be paid annuity on account of death of her husband, Michael J. Kane, late member of Police Department.

Petition of Florida M. Monahan, to be paid annuity on account of death of her husband, Edward J. Monahan, late member of Police Department.

Severally referred to the Committee on Claims.

APPROVAL OF STATE HOUSING BOARD.

Notice was received from the State Housing Board of approval of sale of property at Sumner street and Victory road, multiple veterans' housing development, under section 6 of chapter 372 of the Acts of 1946.

Referred to the Committee on Public Housing.

MINORS' LICENSES.

Applications for minors' licenses were received from five newsboys and one bootblack. Licenses were granted under the usual conditions.

NOTICE OF INTEREST IN CONTRACT.

Notice was received from Samuel J. Tomasello, member of the Board of Appeal, of his interest in a contract for corner cutback, sidewalks narrowing, and traffic islands in Austin street, etc.

Placed on file.

REQUEST FOR INFORMATION.

Coun. PIEMONTE moved that the Clerk be directed to notify the Director of Urban Redevelopment of the order concerning the progress of the redevelopment of the West End which was passed some time ago, and of the fact, that perhaps through some oversight, it has not been complied with as far as this meeting is concerned.

The motion was carried.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CLAIMS.

Coun. McCORMACK, for the Committee on Claims, submitted the following:

1. Report on petition of Justin A. McCarthy (referred November 28) to be reimbursed as a result of an execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Water Division, Public Works Department —recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That the sum of sixty dollars ($60) be allowed and paid to Justin A. McCarthy in reimbursement for amount of execution issued against him on account of his acts as an employee of the Water Division, Public Works Department, said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

2. Report on petition of John M. Owirka (referred November 28) to be reimbursed as a result of an execution issued against him on account of his acts as a member of the Police Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That the sum of four hundred thirty-one dollars and fifty cents ($431.50) be allowed and paid to John M. Owirka in reimbursement for amount of execution issued against him on account of his acts as a member of the Police Department, said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

3. Report on petition of William F. Lydon (referred November 28) to be reimbursed as a result of executions issued against him on account of his acts as a member of the Police Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That the sum of three hundred fifty dollars ($350) be allowed and paid to William F. Lydon in reimbursement for amount of executions issued against him on account of his acts as a member of the Police Department, said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

4. Report on petition of Paul J. DeRosa (referred November 28) for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury sustained by him while in the performance of his duty as a member of the Fire Department on April 30, 1955—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 100 of chapter 41 of the General Laws, upon petition of Paul J. DeRosa, a member of the Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury received through no fault of his own while in the performance of his duty on April 30, 1955, there be allowed and paid, as recommended by the Fire Commissioner and approved by the Corporation Counsel, to the following the amounts stated:

B. A. Godvin, M.D.	$75
Arthur F. Sargent, M.D.	25
Leo S. Lipsher, M.D.	10
Total	$110

said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

5. Report on petition of Joseph R. Hurley (referred November 28) for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury sustained by him while in the performance of his duty as a member of the Fire Department on July 25, 1953—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 100 of chapter 41 of the General Laws, upon petition of Joseph R. Hurley, a member of the Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury received through no fault of his own while in the performance of his duty on July 25, 1953, there be allowed and paid, as recommended by the Fire Commissioner and approved by the Corporation Counsel, to the following the amounts stated:

Audubon Hospital	$208 56
John P. Murphy, M.D.	191 00
Joseph F. Dorsey, M.D.	95 00
William F. Cotting, M.D.	15 00
Nathaniel M. Stone, M.D.	25 00
Total	$564 56

said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

The reports were accepted, and the orders were severally passed.

SURVEY FOR SITE OF NEW GIRLS' LATIN SCHOOL.

Coun. WHITE offered the following:

Ordered, That the Boston Park Commission be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to make a

study or survey, forthwith, in order to select a site for the construction of a new Girls' Latin School in the Fenway area of the Park Department; be it further

Ordered, that a report of the study be sent to the members of the Boston City Council.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

STUDY FOR DEVELOPMENT OF STATE PRISON SITE.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor invite the Boston Real Estate Board to conduct a study of the State Prison site in Charlestown with a view to ascertaining the best plan for its development and that the report of their finding be submitted to the Mayor and the Boston City Council at their earliest possible convenience.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

PROPOSED ORDINANCE PROHIBITING POSTING OF CIRCULARS, ETC.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Ordered, That the Corporation Counsel of the city be, and is hereby, requested to draw an ordinance prohibiting the posting of circulars, signs, etc., on municipal buildings, telephone posts, electric and gas light poles, traffic direction sign posts, on supports or walls or viaducts of the Metropolitan Transit Authority or overhead structures and the supports of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

PROPOSALS FOR PURCHASE OF STATE PRISON SITE.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor consider the advisability of inviting the realtors of Greater Boston to make proposals for the purchase of the old Charlestown State Prison site; that said proposals be accompanied by a plan for proposed development; that said sale be subject to the approval of the Mayor and a two-thirds vote of the Council.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

POSTPONEMENT OF DATE FOR AMATEUR FOOTBALL GAME.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Whereas, By an order passed by the City Council on November 28, 1955, and approved by the Mayor on November 29, 1955, a license was granted to use Fenway Park on the afternoon of Sunday, December 4, 1955, for an amateur football game between the East Boston Tornadoes and the Weymouth Town Team; and

Whereas, Because of the inclement weather of December 4, 1955, it was necessary to postpone said game to Sunday, December 11, 1955; therefore be it

Ordered, That a license be hereby granted to use Fenway Park on the afternoon of Sunday, December 11, 1955, for an amateur football game between the East Boston Tornadoes and the Weymouth Town Team, to the Christmas Festival Santa Claus Fund by Patrick J. Ryan, provided that the provisions of section 25 of chapter 11 of the Revised Ordinances of 1947 relative to liability insurance shall be complied with; the fee for said license shall be $5.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

RESERVATION OF DORCHESTER WATER FRONT AS RECREATION AREA.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Whereas, There is presently in hand a rezoning study of the entire City of Boston; and

Whereas, There have been major changes in the past ten years in the shoreline of Boston, from Columbia Point to the Neponset River; and

Whereas, The pollution of Boston Harbor by sewerage will be ended upon completion of the sewerage treatment projects now well under way; and

Whereas, Boston must look to the tourist industry increasingly for economic growth and must become increasingly attractive as a tourist Meeca; and

Whereas, The present trends in the maritime industry indicate an increasing and exclusive concentration of shipping in the deep-water area of the harbor; and

Whereas, The Dorchester water front is shallow; be it therefore

Resolved, That his Honor the Mayor request the Planning Board and Department to seriously consider the reservation of the Dorchester water front, from Columbia Point to the Neponset River, as a recreation area with bathing beaches, parking lots, boating facilities, etc., in the proposed rezoning study now under way.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

REQUEST FOR PROPOSED FIRE CODE.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Ordered, That the Corporation Counsel of the City of Boston be, and is hereby, requested to accelerate the final draft of the proposed Fire Code and present the same for adoption.

Coun. WHITE in the chair.

The foregoing order was passed under suspension of the rules.

INVESTIGATION OF SALE OF MULTIPLE-DWELLING PUBLIC HOUSING PROJECTS.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following

Ordered, That the three communications relative to the sale of the multiple dwellings built under chapter 372 of the Acts of 1946, and referred to the Executive Committee, be transferred to the Committee on Public Housing, and that the said Committee on Public Housing hold a meeting forthwith to investigate the said sales; and be it urther

Ordered, That the members of the Boston Housing Authority and other interested parties be invited to attend the meeting referred to above, and that they bring with them all books, records, and accounts which bear on the sale of these multiple-dwelling units.

Coun. PIEMONTE moved to amend the order by adding the following words: "And be it further ordered that said meeting be held on Tuesday, December 13, 1955, at 11 A.M.; and be it further ordered that a copy of this order be forwarded by the Clerk to each member of the Housing Authority, the Corporation Counsel, the Clerk of the Housing Authority, and the Boston Real Estate Board."

The amendment was carried.

The order, as amended, was passed.

CONGRATULATIONS TO STUDENTS OF GEORGIA TECH AND OTHERS.

Coun. McCORMACK and PIEMONTE offered the following:

Resolved, That the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, extends its congratulations to the students of Georgia Tech and the fair and open-minded citizens of that great state for their disavowed and vehement disapproval of the actions of the governor of their state in his bigoted and narrow attempt to introduce racial discrimination into a great annual sports event at the Sugar Bowl.

Boston, the Cradle of Liberty, which has occasion annually to pay honor to Crispus Attucks, who died in the Boston Massacre, recalls also with affection and pleasure the defeat of bigotry and prejudice in this great southern state in the national election of 1928 in which the late beloved Al Smith carried the state, and salutes those who today hold high the torch of liberty, equality, and justice for all, that has made America strong and that, please God, will keep her so in the future.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

REVALUATION STUDY OF NEW YORK STREETS AREA.

Coun. FOLEY requested the Chairman of the Executive Committee to hold a hearing on Monday, December 12, 1955, on the resolution pending before the Executive Committee concerning the revaluation study of the New York Streets Area, and to set a time for the hearing.

Councillor White, as Chairman of the Executive Committee, set the time at three o'clock P.M. The Clerk was requested to notify the Chairman of the Board of Assessors, the representative of the Corporation Counsel, Mr. Slavet of the Municipal Research Bureau, Mr. Simonian of the Urban Redevelopment Authority, and the President of the Boston Real Estate Board.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS AND FINANCE.

Coun. HAILER, for the Committee on Appropriations and Finance, submitted the following:

1. Report on message of the Mayor and order (referred October 17) for appropriation of $30,000 for off-street parking area at Central square, East Boston—recommending reference of the order to the Executive Committee.

2. Report on message of the Mayor and order (referred November 28) for loan of $100,000 for civil defense activities—recommending reference of the order to the Executive Committee.

The reports were accepted, and the orders were severally referred to the Executive Committee.

STATEMENT OF COUN. PIEMONTE.

Coun. PIEMONTE, upon receiving unanimous consent to make a statement, stated a recent decision of the Supreme Court confirmed the wisdom of the Council in not going along with the Mayor's veto on petitions for annuities presented by widows of firemen and policemen under the "Heart" bill.

CONGRATULATIONS TO THOSE CONNECTED WITH "SALUTE TO ROME."

Coun. WHITE, for all the Councillors, offered the following:

Whereas, The City of Boston has just concluded a "Salute to Rome," during which we had the pleasure of a visit from Mayor Salvatore Rebecchini, Mayor of Rome, and Professor Paolo Rossi, Minister of Education for Italy; and

Whereas, The programs involved in this tribute to the "Eternal City" were of inestimable value in cementing and strengthening the ties between our two great cities; and

Whereas, The publicity in Italy of the activities from the time of the arrival of Mayor Rebecchini and Professor Rossi, including the eloquent words of His Excellency, Archbishop Richard J. Cushing, D.D., until their departure will be of immeasurable value in the battle against communism in the ancient citadel of culture, Italy; and

Whereas, The time and efforts of many distinguished Bostonians were generously expended to insure the success of the "Salute to Rome," which exceeded the fondest expectations of those involved; be it therefore

Resolved, That the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, desires to express its congratulations to Mr. Mark Bortman, Chairman of the Committee; Commissioner of Public Works, John Volpe; Mr. Donald J. Hurley, President of the Chamber of Commerce, and his associates at the Chamber; and all those who in any way contributed to the success of this most worthy program; and be it further

Resolved, That copies of this resolution be forwarded to Archbishop Cushing, Mr. Bortman, Commissioner Volpe, Mr. Hurley, and the Chamber of Commerce.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

SALARY ADJUSTMENTS FOR EMPLOYEES OF MAINTENANCE DIVISION, FIRE DEPARTMENT.

President HURLEY presented a communication addressed to him from the President of Local 444, Boston Fire Department maintenance employees, requesting a hearing before the City Council on salary adjustments for employees of the Maintenance Division of the Fire Department.

The communication was referred to the Executive Committee.

FINANCING CONSTRUCTION OF CONVENTION HALL.

Coun. FOLEY offered the following:

Ordered, That the Corporation Counsel be requested to attend the meeting of the Executive Committee of the City Council on December 12, 1955, prepared to discuss the present legislation concerning the financing of the construction of a convention hall for Boston.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

Adjourned at 3.53 P.M., on motion of Councillor Foley, to meet on Monday, December 12, 1955, at 2 P.M.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

(Stenographic copy of such debate on file in office of City Clerk.)

TRAFFIC COMMISSION RULINGS.

Voted, That as urgently required by consideratoins of public safety and convenience, during the period of Christmas mail rush at the South Postal Station, the effective hours of the one-way rule in the following street which are at present from 4 P.M. to 9 P.M. are extended as indicated below, effective from December 1, 1955, to December 31, 1955, inclusive:

The following street is one way in the direction indicated:

Dorchester Avenue, Boston Proper and South Boston.
From Summer street to Gillette park, 10 A.M. to 9 P.M.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION.

AMBULANCE AND MEDICAL AID MAN, CITY HOSPITAL, BOSTON HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, JANUARY 21, 1956.

Last date for filing applications, Tuesday, January 3, 1956.

Salary: The minimum salary is $53 a week; the maximum salary is $65.50 a week.

Vacancies: At present there are five vacancies for males, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: Under supervision, to assist the doctors and nurses in the application and removal of plaster casts and in the giving of emergency treatments to patients on the accident floor and in the ambulance; and to perform related work as required.

Examples of Duties: Listing the valuables and property of patients brought into the hospital by ambulance; taking admission histories from the patients or from their relatives; undressing patients, placing them in position for examination, draping them, or otherwise preparing them for physical examination; scrubbing with sapomollis wounds caused by accidents; irrigating wounds with a saline solution; sterilizing and laying out instruments for doctors; assisting nurses assigned to operating rooms by operating autoclaves and performing other routine operating room tasks as directed by a doctor or nurse; administering oxygen to patients; washing, drying, and packaging rubber gloves used by surgeons when operating; assisting doctors in giving first aid at fires, accidents, etc.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants must have at least one year of full time paid employment as an ambulance and medical aid man in a recognized hospital, or at least one year of service in the armed forces of the United States under a rating of pharmacist mate or corps man.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

OCCUPATIONAL THERAPIST, LONG ISLAND HOSPITAL DIVISION, BOSTON HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, JANUARY 14, 1956.

Last date for filing applications, Tuesday, December 27, 1955.

Salary: The minimum salary is $58 a week; the maximum salary is $70.50 a week.

Vacancies: At present there is one vacancy for a female, to be filled on a permanent basis.

Duties: As a staff occupational therapist, to be an assistant to the senior occupational therapist; for each patient assigned, to plan and execute an activity program, based on medical prescription, designed to treat the specific disability as well as to conform to the interests and abilities of the individual patient; to delegate duties and supervise students and nonprofessional personnel assigned to the Occupational Therapy Department, and, when necessary, to confer with them on specific problems related to their responsibilities to the patients; to keep medical and other records of the department; to report equipment and supply needs to the senior occupational therapist; and to perform related work as required.

Examples of Duties: Planning projects and instructing physically and psychologically handicapped patients in various arts and crafts such as printing, ceramics, photography, leatherwork, plastics, weaving, and woodworking, and in many minor crafts; instructing physically handicapped patients in ways of dressing, feeding, and communication so as to assist them in becoming more independent in activities of daily living.

Entrance Requirements: Applicants must have at least one year of full-time paid experience as an occupational therapist in a hospital. *Substitution:* Graduation from a recognized school of occupational therapy or registration in the American Occupational Therapy Association may be substituted for the required experience.

Subjects and Weights: Training and experience, 2; practical questions, 3; total, 5.

Passing Requirements: Applicants must obtain at least 70 per cent in each subject in order to become eligible.

Physical fitness to be determined by physical examination.

BOSTON SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS.

Boston Public Schools: An examination for playground teachers will be held on Tuesday, December 27, 1955, at the Boston Latin School, at 10 A.M.

College students or graduates are eligible.

Address all questions in regard to this examination to Joseph McKenney, Director of Department of Physical Education, 15 Beacon street, Boston.

RALPH M. CORSON,
(Dec. 17.) *Chief Examiner.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR PURCHASE AND REMOVAL OF BONES, TRIMMINGS, GREASE, ETC., BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL.

The City of Boston, by the Board of Trustees, Hospital Department, and of the Boston City Hospital, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for the purchase and removal of bones, trimmings, grease, etc., from Main Department and South Department, Boston City Hospital, for the year 1956.

In their proposals bidders must quote rate per pound.

A bond of a surety company, in the sum of $1,000, will be required for the faithful performance of the contract. The successful bidder shall provide workmen's compensation insurance and public liability insurance in the amount of $5,000/10,000.

Proposal forms, together with form of contract, may be obtained Monday through Friday, beginning December 19, 1955, between the hours of 9 A.M. and 5 P.M., at the office of the Superintendent of the Boston City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston, signed by the bidder, and left before two o'clock P.M. on Wednesday, December 28, 1955, at the office of the Superintendent with a certified check for $300, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The bids must be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be left as above, the other to be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, before the time for opening the bids. Proposals are to be addressed "Proposal for Purchase and Removal of Bones, Trimmings, Grease, Etc., Boston City Hospital."

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any and all bids if it be in the public interest so to do. The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all bids in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, AND OF THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL,
RICHARD J. CONDON,
(Dec. 17.) *President.*

IMPORTANCE OF FOOD-BORNE DISEASE.

The relationship of food to disease continues to be an important public health program. The United States Public Health Service reported 327 outbreaks of food-borne disease in the United States in 1948, which resulted in 9,962 cases and 17 deaths. As only one out of ten cases of food-borne disease is ever reported, the resulting situation is far more important than available statistics would indicate.

The United States Public Health Service reports that there occurred in the United States in 1948, 30 cases and 6 deaths resulting from botulism; 74 cases and 1 death resulting from chemical food poisoning; 120 cases of dysentery; 8,832 cases and 7 deaths resulting from food infection and gastroenteritis; 270 cases of scarlet fever.

—Health Department Report.

CITY OF BOSTON.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

SEWERAGE WORKS.

Proposals for Sewerage Works in William T. Morrissey Boulevard, from Freeport Street 145 Feet Southerly, Dorchester.

The Commissioner of Public Works of the City of Boston, Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex, invites proposals from citizens of the United States and corporations or other legal associations wherein the controlling interest to the extent of at least over one half thereof is owned by a citizen or citizens of the United States, for sewerage works in William T. Morrissey Boulevard, etc. A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Commissioner and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price will be required of the successful contractor. Forms of proposals may be obtained at Room 506 (Contract Office), City Hall Annex. Each proposal should be enclosed in an envelope, sealed, marked "Proposal for Sewerage Works in William T. Morrissey Boulevard, etc.," and left at Room 506 (Contract Office), fifth floor, City Hall Annex, before 2 P.M. of THURSDAY, DECEMBER 29, 1955, with a certified check for ONE HUNDRED (100) DOLLARS, payable to and to become the property of the city if the proposal after acceptance is not carried out. The proposals will then be publicly opened and read in the Hearing Room, 401 City Hall Annex.

Proposals must be made in duplicate, the sealed duplicate, without check, to be deposited by bidder with the City Auditor previous to the time named for opening the bids. All proposals must be from bidders of record on file at Room 506, City Hall Annex. *There will be a charge of two dollars ($2), NOT REFUNDABLE, for each set of plans and specifications taken out.* If the price of any item appears to the Commissioner to be abnormally high or low, or the bidder neglects to bid on each and every item, it may lead to the rejection of the proposal containing such price. The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed under the contract shall not be less than the rate of wages in the schedule determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth, a copy of which schedule is annexed to the form of contract referred to herein. Copies of said schedule may be obtained, without cost, upon application therefor at the office of the Commissioner of Public Works. Before commencing performance of this contract, the contractor shall provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under chapter 152 of the General Laws (the Workmen's Compensation Law so called) to all persons to be employed under this contract and shall continue such insurance in full force and effect during the term of this contract. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to award the contract as he deems best.

GEORGE G. HYLAND,
(Dec. 17.) *Commissioner of Public Works.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

PROPOSALS FOR PURCHASE AND REMOVAL OF BOXES, EGG CASES, WOODEN AND PAPER BARRELS, BASKETS, ETC., BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL.

The City of Boston, by the Board of Trustees, Hospital Department, and of the Boston City Hospital, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for the purchase and removal of boxes, egg cases, wooden and paper barrels, baskets, etc., from the Boston City Hospital during the year 1956.

In their proposals bidders must quote unit prices.

A bond of a surety company, in the sum of $1,000, will be required for the faithful performance of the contract. The successful bidder shall provide workmen's compensation insurance and public liability insurance in the amount of $5,000/10,000.

Proposal forms, together with form of contract, may be obtained Monday through Friday, beginning December 19, 1955, between the hours of 9 A.M. and 5 P.M., at the office of the Superintendent of the Boston City Hospital, 818 Harrison avenue, Boston, signed by the bidder, and left before two o'clock P.M. on Wednesday, December 28, 1955, at the office of the Superintendent of the Boston City Hospital, with a certified check for $300, payable to the city if the proposal is not carried out, will then and there be publicly opened and read. The bids must be made in duplicate, the one with the check to be left as above, the other to be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, before the time for opening the bids. Proposals are to be addressed "Proposal for Purchase and Removal of Boxes, Egg Cases, Wooden and Paper Barrels, Baskets, Etc., Boston City Hospital."

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any and all bids if it be in the public interest so to do.

The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all bids in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES, HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT, AND OF THE BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL,
RICHARD J. CONDON,
(Dec. 17.) *President.*

THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 15 BEACON STREET, OFFICE OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER.

PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING OXYGEN AND ACETYLENE AND ARGON GAS FOR THE BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The School Committee of the City of Boston invites bids for furnishing and delivering at school buildings, in accordance with orders, oxygen and acetylene and argon gas for use in the Boston public schools. Proposal forms are obtainable at the office of the Business Manager of the School Committee, tenth floor, 15 Beacon street. Envelopes containing proposals must be sealed and plainly marked "Proposal for Furnishing Oxygen and Acetylene and Argon Gas." The bid must be in duplicate. One copy, signed by the bidder, and accompanied by a certified check for fifty dollars ($50), payable to the City of Boston, must be left at the office of the Business Manager on or before 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday, December 28, 1955. Copies filed with the Business Manager will be publicly opened and read at 12 o'clock noon of the day stated. The other copy, also signed by the bidder, must be filed with the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass., previous to the time named for the opening of bids. The School Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to accept such bid or part of bid as may be deemed best for the interests of the city. The successful bidder will be required to furnish a suitable bond or deposit of money or other security in the amount of not less than 50 per cent of the amount of the contract.

LEO J. BURKE,
Business Manager of the School Committee.
(Dec. 17.)

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READVERTISEMENT.

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

TO BORING CONTRACTORS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR BORINGS AT THE SITE OF A PROPOSED ELEMENTARY SCHOOL IN THE BLACKINTON-JOHN CHEVERUS DISTRICT, MONTMORENCI AVENUE, EAST BOSTON, MASS.

The City of Boston, acting by the Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for borings at the site of a proposed elementary school in the Blackinton-John Cheverus District, Montmorenci avenue, East Boston, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Tuesday, December 27, 1955, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals shall be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed and inclosed in a sealed envelope, plainly marked with the name of the bidder and the description of the work bid upon. One copy shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a certificate of deposit issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $250, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked. Bid bonds will not be accepted.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

A performance bond, issued by a surety company satisfactory to the Awarding Authority, in the full amount of the contract will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any and all bids if it be in the public interest so to do.

CITY OF BOSTON,
JAMES H. MOONEY,
(Dec. 17.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

CITY OF BOSTON.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

INVITATION FOR PROPOSALS FOR ERECTING AND COMPLETING AN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL IN THE MARY HEMENWAY DISTRICT, DORCHESTER, MASS.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

The City of Boston, acting by the Superintendent of Construction of the Department of School Buildings, Boston, Mass., hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, invites sealed proposals for erecting and completing an elementary school in the Mary Hemenway District, Dorchester, Mass.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Wednesday, January 11, 1956, at the office of the Awarding Authority, fourth floor, 26 Norman street, Boston, Mass., at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals must be submitted in duplicate on forms obtained from the Awarding Authority on or after Wednesday, December 21, 1955. Each copy of the proposal shall be properly filled out, signed, inclosed in an envelope, sealed, and plainly marked with the description of the work to be done. One copy, which is part of the book of specifications, shall be filed at the office of the Awarding Authority, designated above, and the other copy, which is to be removed from the book of specifications, shall be filed at the office of the City Auditor, City Hall, Boston, Mass. Both copies shall be filed before the time stated above for the opening of proposals.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the sum of $24,000, shall be submitted with the copy of the proposal filed with the Awarding Authority. The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, properly marked.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within thirty days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

The rate per hour of the wages to be paid to mechanics, teamsters, chauffeurs and laborers in the work to be performed shall not be less than the rate of wages determined for this work by the Commissioner of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts under the provisions of General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 149, section 26, a schedule of which appears in the specifications.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter. Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

SUBBIDDERS BIDDING ON THE WORK OF SUBCONTRACTORS SHALL USE THE PROPOSAL FORM PREPARED BY AND OBTAINABLE FROM THE AWARDING AUTHORITY. ANY AND ALL SUBBIDS NOT FILED ON THE PROPOSAL FORM PREPARED BY AND OBTAINABLE FROM THE AWARDING AUTHORITY WILL BE REJECTED.

All subbidders' proposals filed with the Awarding Authority shall be submitted in sealed envelopes, plainly marked with the title of the work, division of the work for which bid is submitted, subcontractor's name, and subcontractor's business address. All such bids shall be in the possession of the Awarding Authority and delivered or mailed to the general contractor no later than 12 o'clock noon, Wednesday, January 4, 1956.

A bid deposit in the form of cash or a certified check on, or a treasurer's or cashier's check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, in the amount as specified in the following for the various subbid items of work as listed below, shall be submitted by each subbidder with the copy of his proposal filed with the Awarding Authority:

Waterproofing, Dampproofing, and Caulking	$200
Miscellaneous and Ornamental Iron,	250
Metal Windows	600
Roofing and Sheet Metal Work	1,000
Structural Steel	1,700
Lathing and Plastering	900
Ceramic Tile, Marble, and Terrazzo,	1,200
Resilient Flooring	500
Glass and Glazing	400
Hardware	400
Painting	600
Plumbing	2,300
Sprinklers	100
Heating and Ventilating	3,600
Electrical	2,300

The bid deposit shall be in a separate envelope, plainly marked "Bid Deposit."

Plans and specifications and other contract documents may be obtained at the office of the Awarding Authority upon deposit of a certified check for $100, payable to the City of Boston. The full amount of the deposit will be refunded to each actual bidder upon return of all documents in good condition within fifteen days after the opening of bids.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Awarding Authority and each in the sum of 100 per cent of the contract price will be required of the successful general contractor.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities and to reject any or all bids if it be in the public interest so to do. The Awarding Authority also reserves the right to reject all subbids on any item or items in accordance with the provisions of sections 44A to 44E, inclusive, of chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended.

CITY OF BOSTON,
JAMES H. MOONEY,
(Dec. 17.) *Superintendent of Construction.*

CITY OF BOSTON
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Yuletide Spirit Glows at City Hall

Top, MAIN ENTRANCE, with a Salute to Rome

Bottom, MANGER SCENE on Plaza of City Hall

"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the shipteeming plain of the ocean;
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.

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Old South News Stand, Old South entrance to subway. Also News Stand, first floor, City Hall Annex.

Advertising.

A rate of $4 per inch of 12 lines (set solid) has been established for such advertisements as under the law must be printed in the City Record. Advertising and other copy must be in hand by 5 P.M. Wednesday of each week to insure its publication in the Saturday issue.

MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Thursday, December 29, at 11 A.M.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries, or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the Complaints Division, Room 25, City Hall.

Information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways, the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments of streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped area for streets and the opening of private ways; the making of specific repairs in public streets; the naming of public streets, including the use of public ways for location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railways, coal holes, and vaults, may be secured from the Public Improvement Commission, Room 403, City Hall Annex.

TO THE BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION, 112 Southampton street, for information relative to regulation of vehicular street traffic on all or any streets, ways, highways, roads, and parkways under the control of the City of Boston, the issuing of all permits in connection therewith.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting, and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catchbasins, the operation of Sumner Tunnel, the maintenance of bridges and drawbridges, and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Haymarket Square, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish, and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughterhouses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases, of public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth Avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park, and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts, also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview, and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

TO THE DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS, 28 Norman street, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

TO THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 907, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal, or tearing down buildings.

TO THE ELECTRICAL INSPECTION DIVISION OF THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT, 1001 City Hall Annex, for all information relative to the erection of poles, building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division; also for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings of the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

TO THE BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT, 43 City Hall, relative to changes in the boundary lines of zoning districts of the City of Boston as established by chapter 488 of the Acts of 1924, and amendments thereto.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending December 17, 1955.

Population as of July, 1950, Massachusetts State Census, 817,713; population estimated July, 1954, United States Census Bureau, 813,696; number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 189; nonresidents, 72; total, 261.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 16.60; nonresidents deducted, 12.11.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:

Last week, 14.80; corresponding week last year, 15.76.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 15; one year to four years, inclusive, 7; sixty years and over, 179. Total deaths: Male, 148; female, 113; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 172.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Dec. 17, 1955.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Dec. 18, 1954.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior Poliomyelitis	2	—	4	—
Diphtheria	—	—	1	—
Encephalitis Lethargica	—	—	—	—
Influenza	—	—	—	—
Measles	—	—	87	—
Meningitis Epidemic	3	—	1	—
Pneumonia (lobar)	—	2	—	2
Scarlet Fever	5	—	4	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary)	—	1	27	6
Childhood Type Tuberculosis	—	—	—	—
Tuberculosis (other forms)	—	—	—	—
Typhoid Fever	—	—	—	—
Whooping Cough	—	—	6	—

*Residents and nonresidents included.

Mayor John B. Hynes' Christmas Message

How wonderful the Christmas spirit. How close we are to each other at Christmastime. How close to the Babe of Bethlehem.

How wonderful it would be if life could be shorn of its pomps and insincerities, and all our days lived in peace and understanding with our fellowman.

How wonderful it would be if the Christ Child Who came to redeem man did not come in vain.

How wonderful it would be if, each day, the gold, frankincense and myrrh of God's graces were the gifts we sought.

How wonderful and peaceful would be this earth, how happy we would be, if the Christmas spirit were with us each day and each day all the year through we had good will toward each other.

How wonderful is Christmas. How wonderful the old, old story of Him Who came upon a midnight clear that all men might live in happiness for all time, and for all eternity.

A happy, holy Christmas to all.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT REPORTS 727 FOOTBALL GAMES PLAYED DURING THE 1955 SEASON — 147 DOCTORS AND FOOTBALL OFFICIALS EMPLOYED.

Director of Administrative Services Charles J. Fox has approved the payment of $7,270 for 147 doctors and football officials who participated in 727 games played during 1955 season.

The report of the Parks and Recreation Department is as follows:

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.
BOSTON, December 12, 1955.

CHARLES J. FOX,
Director of Administrative Services.

DEAR SIR:

Your approval is requested for the temporary employment of the following 147 football officials and doctors who participated in the 1955 Parks and Recreation Department association of football leagues throughout the city.

Provision has been made in our 1955 budget to pay these officials at the rate of $10 per game for the number of games listed opposite their respective names. Charge to temporary employees.

Raymond J. Albanese, 294 Lexington St., East Boston, 6 games.
John Altavilla, 208 Maverick St., East Boston, 8 games.
John R. Anderson, 344 Pleasant St., Canton, 5 games.
Philip Bandini, 57 Lorraine St., East Weymouth, 6 games.
Donald Banks, 28 Olive St., Jamaica Plain, 6 games.
John Basile, 313 Chelsea St., East Boston, 8 games.
Walter Bell, 31 Wilmot Rd., Waltham, 9 games.
William J. Benson, 14 Burt St., Dorchester, 6 games.
George F. Bent, 95 Montclair Av., Roslindale, 5 games.
Martin J. Boyle, 12 Gardner St., Newton, 10 games.
James Brennan, 11 Dining St., Woburn, 4 games.
John J. Brennan, 6 Cedar St., Charlestown, 5 games.
Salvatore Buccacio, 50 Dighton St., Brighton, 6 games.
Bernard Burke, 29 Richmond Rd., Newton, 5 games.
Peter J. Burke, 143 Pleasant St., Winthrop, 1 game.
Thomas J. Carty, 46 Paragon Rd., West Roxbury, 1 game.
Leonard Ceglarski, 224 Common St., Walpole, 5 games.
Dan Coakley, 211 L St., South Boston, 4 games.
Paul Costello, 53 Reedsdale Rd., Milton, 12 games.
Clyde Crawford, 28 Cummington St., Dorchester, 6 games.
William Croke, 68 Emerald St., 6 games.
William F. Cronin, 75 Mill St., Reading, 3 games.
Harold Crosby, 603 Centre St., Jamaica Plain, 6 games.
Ray Cutillo, 11 Thurston St., East Boston, 8 games.
Edward J. Culhane, 14 Russell St., Arlington, 2 games.
John C. Daly, 3908 Washington St., Roslindale, 6 games.
John Dever, 170 O'Callaghan Way, South Boston, 1 game.
Richard Doyle, 12 Danville St., West Roxbury, 1 game.
Fred J. Dunlap, 36 Brackett St., Brighton, 6 games.
James D. Edgeworth, 69 Pine Plain Rd., Wellesley, 3 games.
Arthur T. English, 6 Newburg St., Roslindale, 6 games.
Ralph Fiore, 20 Arlington St., Somerville, 7 games.
Walter Fitzgerald, 18 Moraine St., Jamaica Plain, 4 games.
William Francis, 5 Selden St., Dorchester, 6 games.
Samuel J. Freno, 26 Marine St., Quincy, 6 games.
Robert Friel, 37 Potomac St., West Roxbury, 7 games.
Paul F. Flaherty, 25 Richfield St., Dorchester, 4 games.
William Ford, 4 Bayard St., Allston, 4 games.
Fred Gardner, 97 Forest St., Peabody, 4 games.
Anthony Gentile, 12 Prince St., Winchester, 5 games.
Frank Glennon, 36 Stellman Rd., Roslindale, 4 games.
Edward Grant, 88 Emerson Rd., Milton, 3 games.
Robert W. Hart, 162 Summer St., Somerville, 6 games.
Thomas P. Hazell, 40 Union St., Brighton, 6 games.
Humphrey B. Howe, 47 Whitney Rd., Medford, 5 games.

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REPORT OF HENRY F. BARRY, HEAD SUPERVISOR OF ATTENDANCE, ON HIS ATTENDANCE AT THE CONVENTION OF THE NATIONAL LEAGUE TO PROMOTE SCHOOL ATTENDANCE.

The following report of Henry F. Barry on his attendance at the annual convention of the National League to Promote School Attendance, October 24–27, 1955, in Buffalo, New York, was presented to the School Committee:

October 23 spent in travel, Boston to Buffalo.

On October 24, following the invocation by the Very Reverend Sylvester J. Halbel, Superintendent of Schools, Catholic Diocese of Buffalo, and the address of welcome by Dr. Joseph Manch, Assistant Superintendent, Buffalo School Department, the first General Session was addressed by Dr. Francis J. Daly, Director, Division of Pupil Personnel Services, New York State Department of Education.

Dr. Daly, formerly head of the Division of Juvenile Adjustment, Boston School Committee, took as his subject "Delinquency Control, a Shared Responsibility."

Dr. Daly stressed the need of cooperation between all agencies dealing with the delinquent. He also advocated the use of religious help for the delinquent.

The remainder of the day was devoted to four panel discussions.

Panel I had for its subject "Meeting the Needs of the Child Through Home-School Coordination."

This panel was presided over by Dr. Leslie C. McDonald, Director of Census and Attendance, Houston, Texas.

The entire theme of this discussion was built around the opening talk by Mrs. Dorothy C. Deedy, Supervisor of Attendance, Boston. Mrs. Deedy used as

the basis for her talk the poll of parents taken by Dr. Frederick J. Gillis, Assistant Superintendent, Boston, concerning what parents want from the schools. Mrs. Deedy's talk was featured by one of the two local papers, the Buffalo *Evening News*.

Panel II concerned itself with "Meeting the Needs of the Child Through Coordination of School with Mental Health Services."

There were no Boston representatives on this panel. However, with what Boston has available for mental health services, including our own recently appointed School Psychiatrist, it became evident very quickly that we already have what other school systems are seeking, a well-balanced, thoroughly coordinated set of mental health services.

Panel III had as its subject "Meeting the Needs of the Child by Coordinating Schools with Social Agencies Including Children's Court." Mr. Arthur Clinton, Director, Bureau of Attendance, Brooklyn, New York, presided.

Mrs. Sarah A. Beatty, Supervisor of Attendance, Boston, was a member of this panel. Mrs. Beatty showed that coordination of weak or inadequate services served no purpose. First, the services must be effective and adequate. Then the aim should be integrated in the child so that the entire child, rather than a collection of opinions concerning him, must be our ultimate aim. After Mrs. Beatty's opinions were heard there was a definite trend throughout the convention toward integration of the child rather than coordination of agencies. Again Boston had proposed a new and thought-stimulating idea.

Panel IV discussed "Meeting the Needs of the Child Through the School Pupil Personnel Team." Mr. John V. Joyce, Director, Research and Guidance, Niagara Falls, New York, presided.

The writer served on this panel. I pointed out that we had in Boston a very complete pupil personnel team. Using the report and recommendation of the recent study concerning juvenile delinquency coordinated by Assistant Superintendents Ohrenberger, Daly, and Gillis, I showed what we intended to do, and were, in fact, already doing, to acquaint our school personnel with these resources and their proper use. There was a great deal of interest in our program. Most of the period was devoted to my answering questions concerning our operation. All were very much interested in our "In-Service Instruction" program.

On October 25 the second General Session, presided over by Dr. Robert S. Fisk, Dean of the School of Education, University of Buffalo, had as its subject "Community Persons Look at School Attendance Problems."

This group, consisting of Dr. Anne Russell, Professor of Education, New York State College for Teachers; Dr. Albert V. Cutter, Medical Director, Guidance Center of Buffalo; Mrs. Margaret G. Davidson, Case Work Supervisor, Family Service Society, Buffalo; and Mrs. Catharine S. McDonough, Psychiatric Social Worker, Erie County Children's Court, Buffalo, discussed the case of a girl who, from the beginning of her school life, had been an attendance problem. After eight years of more or less intermittent effort by several agencies, the girl was finally committed to a correctional institution.

The general opinion of this discussion was that much earlier coordinated action could have saved this child. I cannot conceive of a case being so treated and delayed in Boston.

The afternoon and evening of October 25 was devoted to a tour of Niagara Falls by the entire group.

On October 26, Dr. Joseph L. Fink, Rabbi, Temple Beth Zion, Buffalo, New York, discussed "The Influence of Moral and Religious Values in Combatting Delinquency."

Panel I on October 26 discussed "Meeting the Physical Needs of Children." This discussion did not develop anything which we do not have in Boston.

Panel II on October 26 was on the subject "Utilizing Community Resources in Meeting Special Needs of the Child."

Some new ideas were brought out by this panel in the discussion by Lieutenant Carnival, Youth Bureau, Buffalo Police Department. This specialized police branch is doing a great deal of preventative work which certainly appears to be worth while.

On October 27 the General Session was devoted to summing up the results of the convention and to planning for future improvements in attendance service.

October 28 spent in travel, Buffalo to Boston.

OFFICIALS AND DOCTORS EMPLOYED DURING 1955 FOOTBALL SEASON.

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George J. Keane, 25 Haviland Rd., Roslindale, 6 games.
Hilary Keane, 9 Hallam St., Dorchester, 7 games.
Edward E. Kelleher, 21 Elm St., Belmont, 4 games.
Edward L. Kerr, 14 Dalton Rd., Belmont, 6 games.
Jan J. Kozlowski, 114 Hamilton St., Dorchester, 5 games.
Philip J. LaFauci, 75 Faneuil St., Brighton, 8 games.
Anthony J. Langone, 39 Mattakeeset St., Mattapan, 3 games.
William E. Lannon, Jr., 63 East Foster St., Melrose, 2 games.
Timothy J. Linehan, 33 Philbrick St., Roslindale, 5 games.
William Mansell, 50 Chestnut Hill Av., Brighton, 6 games.
Owen J. Matthews, 457 Washington St., Newton, 5 games.
Alfred R. Marshall, 6 Pitman Av., Wakefield, 3 games.
Arthur Melia, 177 River St., Dedham, 6 games.
John Messina, 161 Saratoga St., East Boston, 8 games.
Adam Mroz, 1362 Columbus Av., Roxbury, 6 games.
William R. Murphy, 111 Hollis Av., Quincy, 3 games.
Clem McCann, 25 Whittfield Rd., Somerville, 2 games.
Eugene McCarthy, 42 Greenville St., 4 games.
Wallace B. McClean, 12 Chester Av., Winthrop, 6 games.
John McHale, 97 Morton St., Newton, 6 games.
John A. Novick, 75 Washington St., Norwood, 6 games.
Robert O'Donnell, 11 David Terrace, Norwood, 2 games.
Roger O'Donnell, 268 Garfield Av., Hyde Park, 5 games.
John J. O'Grady, 240 North Harvard St., Allston, 3 games.
Richard C. Ogar, 132 Thatcher St., Milton, 6 games.
John O'Neil, 221 East Seventh St., South Boston, 6 games.
John O'Shaughnessy, 69 Doris Drive, North Weymouth, 7 games.
Jerry Pagliuca, 11 Braemore Rd., Medford 7 games.
Norman C. Plausky, 21 Wachusett St., Jamaica Plain, 7 games.
Tony Pacheco, 84 Concord Av., Somerville, 7 games.
Walter Plausky, 19 Wellington St., Arlington, 9 games.
William T. Plausky, 17 Lorne St., Dorchester, 6 games.
Frank O. Power, Jr., 8 Sunset St., Rosbury, 6 games.
John J. Radley, 29 Alaric St., West Roxbury, 5 games.
Robert T. Reaney, 49 Minot St., Dorchester, 7 games.
Paul R. Reddish, 10 Churchill Rd., West Roxbury, 5 games.
Edward A. Riley, 109 Joyce-Hayes Way, South Boston, 5 games.
Edward Roubian, 25 Ryder Av., Melrose, 8 games.
Stanley Saniuk, 12 Howell St., Dorchester, 8 games.
Anthony Settino, 730 Adams St., Dorchester, 5 games.
Jeremiah Sheehan, 18 Bruce St., Dorchester, 6 games.
Stanley T. Sikora, 119 Sumner St., Hyde Park, 6 games.
Frank B. Soba, 23 Roxana St., Hyde Park, 5 games.
Larence Spellman, 78 Cleveland St., Arlington, 2 games.
George F. Steptoe, 37 Meagher Av., Milton, 5 games.
William Stewart, 63 Groveland St., Mattapan, 2 games.
Ernest J. Struzziero, 21 Neptune Rd., East Boston, 6 games.
Edward L. Sullivan, 43 Warren Av., Woburn, 6 games.
V. A. Tagerman, 35 Firth Rd., Roslindale, 6 games.
Frank Tracy, 3 Dunning Way, Jamaica Plain, 6 games.
Giles Threadgold, 69 Madison Av., Newtonville, 5 games.
James Wallace, 7 Bramfield St., Watertown, 5 games.
Richard E. Wallace, 5 Essex St., Stoneham, 5 games.
Richard J. Walsh, 6 Shenandoah St., Dorchester, 5 games.
Thomas A. Walsh, 23 Courtney Rd., West Roxbury, 6 games.
James J. Zyntell, 15 Bellflower St., Dorchester, 6 games.
Robert Verge, 670 Main St., South Weymouth, 2 games.
Joseph Zapustas, 16 Vesey Rd., Randolph, 2 games.
William F. Traft, 10 Woodfield St., Dorchester 1 game.
Dr. Charles Ash, B. C. H., 4 games.
Dr. Alfred Aucar, B. C. H., 4 games.
Dr. Manuel Baptista, B. C. H., 4 games.
Dr. Jack Beezer, B. C. H., 1 game.
Dr. Robert Blackburn, B. C. H., 3 games.
Dr. Thomas Boyd, B. C. H., 7 games.
Dr. Matthew Branche, B. C. H., 2 games.
Dr. Phillip Burke, B. C. H., 20 games.
Dr. Robert Callahan, B. C. H., 1 game.
Dr. Alan Chastanet, B. C. H., 2 games.
Dr. Henry Dardra, B. C. H., 7 games.
Dr. Gerald Dennison, B. C. H., 1 game.
Dr. Elias Dib, B. C. H., 7 games.
Dr. William Dowling, B. C. H., 4 games.
Dr. Jack Reese, B. C. H., 7 games.
Dr. Jose Rodriquez, B. C. H., 2 games.
Dr. Richard Rosen, B. C. H., 3 games.
Dr. Tom Sale, B. C. H., 1 game.
Dr. Elliot Slater, B. C. H., 3 games.
Dr. William Thomkins, B. C. H., 8 games.
Dr. Philip Wade, B. C. H., 1 game.
Dr. Emil Wamsteker, B. C. H., 5 games.
Dr. Joseph R. Cotter, 1156 Boylston St., Newton, 5 games.
Dr. Robert E. Flynn, 16 Haskell St., Cambridge, 6 games.
Dr. Thomas J. Monahan, 1 Anawan Av., West Roxbury, 3 games.
Dr. Ferris J. Siber, 21 Whitman St., Dorchester, 5 games.
Dr. Warren Shields, 22 Moraine St., Jamaica Plain, 6 games.
Dr. Stasys Jasaitis, 391 Centre St., Dorchester 6 games.
Dr. Fred Doran, B. C. H., 4 games.
Dr. John Duff, B. C. H., 6 games.
Dr. Joseph Geary, B. C. H., 3 games.
Dr. Paul Gryska, B. C. H., 3 games.
Dr. James Harrison, B. C. H., 2 games.
Dr. Richard Herringer, B. C. H., 3 games.
Dr. Robert Katz, B. C. H., 2 games.
Dr. Gregory Krivchenia, B. C. H., 3 games.
Dr. Clem LaCoste, B. C. H., 2 games.
Dr. Anthony Lopes, B. C. H., 4 games.
Dr. Henry Madoff, B. C. H., 4 games.
Dr. James O'Neil, B. C. H., 2 games.
Dr. Nloga O'eke, B. C. H., 4 games.
Dr. Luke Radar, B. C. H., 11 games.
Dr. John F. McCondille, Carney Hospital, 1 game.

Total games, 727.
Total amount, $7,270.

Respectfully yours,

FRANK R. KELLEY,
Commissioner.

CLAIM ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claim:

Pia DiTroia, 152 Cottage street, East Boston, in the sum of $395, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the crosswalk at the corner of Gove and Cottage streets, May 25, 1955.

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following changes in the number, rating and compensation of city employees:

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

The emergency appointment of Dr. Joseph O'Brien as public health physician (part time) has been cancelled.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

South Division.

For the week ending November 29:

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Veronica McElligott, 34 Dickinson street, Somerville, 7 days at $18.75 a day; Margaret Nolan, 14 Dix street, Dorchester, 1 day at $18.75 a day.

The salary of Ann M. Sweeney, 39 Forbes street, Jamaica Plain, floor nurse, has been changed from $1.50 an hour to $1.65 an hour.

Sanatorium Division.

The following resignations have been accepted:

Leo LaFond, licensed attendant nurse; Wilbur T. Jones, hospital medical worker; Thomas F. McNulty, hospital medical worker, provisional; Fred Varney, hospital kitchen worker, provisional.

Long Island Division.

The following changes have been made in personnel for the week ending December 6:

Terminations.—Peter J. Flaherty, Daniel P. Corbett, hospital kitchen workers; Leo J. Paulsen, plumber's helper; Jean R. Bowles, student practical nurse.

Leave of Absence.—Henry K. Baran, assistant resident physician.

Cancellation of Appointment.—Mary I. Burgess, licensed practical nurse.

Main Division.

For the week ending December 6:

The following weekly floor nurses have been appointed:

Permanent.—Nancy Olbrys, 64 Burbank street, $60.50 a week; Barbara Kerwin, 63 High Rock street, Lynn, $1.50 an hour; Mary Pizziferri, 33 Justin road, Brighton, $1.65 an hour.

Temporary.—Luella (Gatie) Rauch, 329 Gallivan Boulevard, Dorchester, $45 a week; Kenneth Anderson, 55 Port Norfolk street, Dorchester, $60.50 a week; Takako Salvi, 123 Hancock street, Cambridge, $1.50 an hour; Barbara Blake, 27 Blakeville street, Dorchester, $1.50 an hour.

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—Thelma V. Regan, 14 Melbourne street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; Walter Dawson, 20 Linden road, West Roxbury, elevator operator, $53 a week; Edith M. Wolfsberg, 11 East Newton street, laboratory assistant, $48 a week; Josephine W. Vaughan, 46 Deckard street, Roxbury, Veronica (McNamara) Hamel, 300 Wakefield avenue, Hyde Park, floor nurses, $1.70 an hour.

Temporary.—Robert S. Savage, 627 East Sixth street, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week; Lois M. Cassens, 121 Moreland street, Roxbury, clerk, $43 a week; John Donovan, 94 Queensberry street, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour.

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 20.

GAS FITTER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
P. Gulesian	51 Austin street	18	Appliances	$200
P. Bishop	21 Beethoven street	11	Appliances	150
P. Bishop	90 Blue Hill avenue	8	Appliances	100
I. Horvitz	39 Bower St	12	Appliances	100
F. Avery	52 Boylston street	19	Appliances	15
N. Deutsch	214 Bremen street	1	Appliances	30
N. Deutsch	411 Bunker Hill street	2	Appliances	125
V. Taylor	524 C street	6	Appliances	75
S. Stephens	43 Chadwick street	8	Appliances	10
V. Bonfonaro	21 Charter street	3	Appliances	40
N. Deutsch	228 Chelsea street	1	Appliances	30
P. Gulesian	34 Clifford street	18	Appliances	200
W. Fishman	104 Dale street	18	Appliances	100
F. Avery	2 Dolan's court	11	Appliances	25
D. O'Neill	443 Dudley street	8	Appliances	25
P. Gulesian	220 Fairmount avenue	18	Appliances	200
P. Gulesian	7 Faraday street	18	Appliances	200
F. Avery	25 Gartland street	11	Appliances	25
W. Connell	71 Gladeside avenue	18	Appliances	25
P. Bishop	27 Hampstead road	11	Appliances	50
F. Avery	79 Hampstead road	11	Appliances	25
H. Cutler	3 Harold park	12	Appliances	110
L. Pike	983 Harrison avenue	8	Appliances	100
D. O'Neill	122 Hillside street	10	Appliances	90
D. O'Neill	7 Leeds street	7	Appliances	20
I. Shulman	264 Main street	2	Appliances	100
H. Hinckley	110 McBride street	11	Appliances	75
W. Long	88 Montclair avenue	20	Appliances	85
W. Connell	40 Newcroft Circle	18	Appliances	25
N. Deutsch	16 Pearl street	2	Appliances	60
I. Shulman	59 Queensberry street	5	Appliances	100
M. Eskowitz	55 Ridgewood street	15	Appliances	25
P. Gulesian	666 River street	18	Appliances	500
P. Gulesian	35 Ruskindale road	18	Appliances	300
C. McGregor	46 Saybrook street	22	Appliances	200
S. Kramer	44 Sudan street	13	Appliances	45
D. O'Neill	39 Vine street	8	Appliances	50
F. Avery	13 Walden street	10	Appliances	25
S. Litman	247 Walnut avenue	11	Appliances	20
P. Bishop	372 Washington street	17	Appliances	25
F. Avery	15 Weld avenue	11	Appliances	15
N. Deutsch	54A West Eagle street	1	Appliances	30
D. O'Neill	31 Wigglesworth street	10	Appliances	40
W. Connell	29 Withington street	17	Appliances	35
N. Clark	39 Boynton street	11	Appliances	400
N. Clark	85 Bradwood street	20	Appliances	100
N. Clark	62 Bremen street	1	Appliances	15
S. Chipman	69 Cabot street	9	Appliances	50
T. Matthews	Castle Island	6	Appliances	100
W. Long	1415 Commonwealth avenue	21	Appliances	25
D. Gould	19 Creston street	14	Appliances	18
N. Clark	628 East Second street	6	Appliances	100
D. Horgan	405 East Seventh street	7	Appliances	100
D. Horgan	12 Emmet street	6	Appliances	100
D. Horgan	14 F street	6	Appliances	100
A. Granara	25 Fleet street	3	Appliances	5
D. Horgan	3 Fourth Street place	7	Appliances	100
M. Loiterstein	118 Glenville avenue	21	Appliances	38
N. Clark	89 Green street	19	Appliances	400
R. Strum	24 Halifax street	19	Appliances	5
S. Chipman	17 Hano street	22	Appliances	40
N. Clark	369 Hanover street	3	Appliances	15
B. Carlin	134 Humboldt avenue	12	Appliances	65
N. Clark	179 La Grange street	20	Appliances	100
A. Granara	2 Michelangelo street	3	Appliances	13
D. Horgan	202 N street	7	Appliances	100
D. Evans	491 Quincy street	15	Appliances	100
D. Gould	55 Regent street	12	Appliances	40
I. Cohen	223 Roxbury street	9	Appliances	90
N. Clark	44 Sanborn avenue	20	Appliances	400
E. Rothenberg	662 Shawmut avenue	9	Appliances	35
N. Clark	11 Wall street	2	Appliances	100
G. Trethewey	153 Walworth street	20	Appliances	140
S. Chipman	84 West Newton street	9	Appliances	50
E. Mogel	63 Appleton street	5	Appliances	12
S. Adams	6 Barna road	17	Appliances	195
E. Mogel	8 Brimmer street	5	Appliances	20
A. Kellem	88 Broad street	3	Appliances	45
E. Mogel	370 Bunker Hill street	2	Appliances	75
E. Mogel	372 Bunker Hill street	2	Appliances	100
G. Snyder	100 Cambridge street	22	Appliances	400
P. Lembo	13 Centre street	9	Appliances	75
A. Kellem	111–113 Chiswick road	21	Appliances	300
S. Adams	8 Clermont street	17	Appliances	265
E. Mogel	506 Commonwealth avenue	5	Appliances	60
S. Adams	147 East Cottage street	7	Appliances	265
F. Rull	657 East Fifth street	6	Appliances	55
F. Rull	794 East Sixth street	6	Appliances	70
S. Adams	350 Gallivan Boulevard	16	Appliances	240
S. Adams	125 George street	8	Appliances	265
S. Adams	180 Hamilton street	15	Appliances	325
A. Kellem	17 Imrie road	21	Appliances	75
E. Mogel	1 Joy street	5	Appliances	15
E. Mogel	10 Kirkland street	5	Appliances	100
J. Vogel	2 Metropolitan avenue	20	Appliances	150
E. Mogel	158 Mt. Vernon street	5	Appliances	18
J. Vogel	60 Mozart street	10	Appliances	200
F. Rull	93 Old Harbor street	7	Appliances	100
F. Rull	116 Old Harbor street	7	Appliances	65
E. Ardini	58 Overlook road	20	Appliances	100
S. Adams	64 Pierce avenue	16	Appliances	295

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 20.—Concluded.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
E. Mogel	36 Randall street	8	Appliances	$60
S. Adams	20 Ripley road	14	Appliances	325
J. Vogel	40 Seymour street	19	Appliances	170
E. Ardini	25 Starr Lane	19	Appliances	100
I. Himelfarb	175 Tremont street	3	Appliances	20
S. Adams	5 Trent street	15	Appliances	575
E. Mogel	998 Washington street	3	Appliances	100
J. Vogel	4271 Washington street	20	Appliances	140
J. Vogel	4163 Washington street	20	Appliances	150
E. Mogel	3 Wellington street	4	Appliances	28
S. Adams	53 Westmore road	14	Appliances	250
A. Granara	5 Baldwin place	3	Appliances	20
J. Wilson	13 Bartlett street	2	Appliances	100
V. Puorro	1748 Centre street	20	Appliances	100
J. Wilson	41 Chelsea street	2	Appliances	100
J. Long	65 Chestnut avenue	10	Appliances	85
J. Wilson	19 Chestnut street	2	Appliances	100
J. Wilson	7 Cordis street	2	Appliances	100
J. Weingart	1051 Dorchester avenue	16	Appliances	50
J. Powers	195 Dorchester street	7	Appliances	40
S. Kramer	5 Dove street	13	Appliances	17
J. Houghton	113 Hampden street	8	Appliances	100
H. Geddis	49 Hereford street	5	Appliances	60
J. Wilson	47 Main street	2	Appliances	100
J. Klaus	271 Minot street	16	Appliances	125
J. Principato	22 Moon street	3	Appliances	10
A. Granara	145A Richmond street	3	Appliances	40
I. Cohen	31 West street	3	Appliances	75
J. Principato	17 Sheafe street	3	Appliances	15
T. Matthews	81 Wheatland avenue	17	Appliances	100

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM PLUMBING FOR THE WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 20.

Plumber.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
P. Bishop	19 Allston street	17	Fixtures	$1,200
P. Bishop	90 Blue Hill avenue	8	Fixtures	1,200
H. Eichel	5 Carmen street	14	Fixtures	250
J. Erickson	89 Chelsea street	1	Fixtures	100
T. Reid	278 Clarendon street	5	Fixtures	3,600
R. Kirby	22 Evans Way	4	Fixtures	6,000
R. Kirby	26 Evans Way	4	Fixtures	6,000
M. Slishman	35 Harrison street	19	Fixtures	1,400
H. Ribeck	6 Manion road	18	Fixtures	100
A. Stahly	26 Melbourne street	16	Fixtures	60
W. Long	88 Montclair avenue	20	Fixtures	345
A. Stahly	25 Mt. Everett street	15	Fixtures	35
H. Ribeck	65 Safford street	18	Fixtures	950
A. Stahly	3 Vanderbilt avenue	18	Fixtures	30
A. Lane	1000 Washington street	3	Fixtures	200
I. Gerson	90 West Fourth street	6	Fixtures	100
A. DiBona	300 Centre street	10	Fixtures	100
J. Crespi	930 East First street	6	Fixtures	100
R. Strum	24 Halifax street	19	Fixtures	36
I. Carlin	134 Humboldt avenue	12	Fixtures	125
G. Patey	692 La Grange street	20	Fixtures	250
G. Trethewey	57 Lyall street	20	Fixtures	200
G. Robbins	64 Metropolitan avenue	18	Fixtures	500
G. Robbins	66 Metropolitan avenue	18	Fixtures	500
G. Patey	44 Mossdale road	19	Fixtures	1,500
G. Trethewey	153 Walworth street	20	Fixtures	140
R. DiLorenzo	160 Webster street	1	Fixtures	300
B. Porte	31 West street	3	Fixtures	1,100
A. Grogan	6 Arden street	22	Fixtures	500
A. Kellem	49 Beacon street	5	Fixtures	6,000
E. Bailey	200 Berkeley street	4	Fixtures	1,000
C. Riley	55 Brighton avenue	21	Fixtures	5
A. Vogel	251 Commonwealth avenue	5	Fixtures	350
A. Kellem	44 Dartmouth street	4	Fixtures	485
F. Carlson	815 Hyde Park avenue	18	Fixtures	350
A. Vogel	60 Mozart street	10	Fixtures	150
D. Semple	53 Old Morton street	17	Fixtures	100
J. Vogel	40 Seymour street	19	Fixtures	160
E. Orellette	1030 W. T. Morrissey Blvd.	18	Fixtures	525
G. Crawford	157 Brighton avenue	21	Fixtures	400
H. Geddis	49 Hereford street	5	Fixtures	60
H. Geddis	49 Hereford street	5	Fixtures	60
B. Cluney	6 Norfolk street	17	Fixtures	220
P. Sandborg	416 Belgrade avenue	20	Fixtures	500
A. Farley	1412 Centre street	20	Fixtures	500
A. O'Leary	2057 Centre street	20	Fixtures	500
W. Long	193 Chiswick road	22	Fixtures	365
J. Dunbar	88 Corey street	20	Fixtures	800
M. Woods	61 Hancock street	5	Fixtures	200
S. Landau	17 Hemenway street	4	Fixtures	1,100
S. Landau	25 Hemenway street	4	Fixtures	600
C. Bevelander	30 Pratt street	21	Fixtures	100

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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South Division.

The following special nurse has been appointed:

Veronica McElligott, 34 Dickinson street, Somerville, 7 days at $18.75 a day.

The service of the following employee has been terminated:

John E. Callahan, 15 Concord square, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

The following employees have resigned:

Morris Shidlow, patient, male nurse, part time; Hubert Butler, William Mills, hospital medical workers, provisional; Joseph Wernig, hospital kitchen worker, provisional; James Elwell, hospital house worker.

Welfare Department.

The following employees have resigned:

Evelyn Ross, permanent clerk and typist; Hilda Cristofori, permanent social worker.

The following employee has retired:

Marie Cameron, permanent clerk and typist.

Appointments or Reinstatements.

Health Department.

Registry Division.

Susan E. McCarthy, 4 Ransom road, Brighton, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Hospital Department.

Main Division.

Mary Quinn, 230 Parsons street, Brighton, social worker, $65.50 a week.

Ellen McAdams, 23 Dorr street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $45.50 a week.

Grace H. Dalrymple, 1762A Washington street, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Evelyn K. Sullivan, 910 East Broadway, South Boston, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Dorothy K. Schomburg, 231 Dudley street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Alice C. Nathan, 497 Warren street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Florence Mullane, 62 Barry street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Evelyn V. MacDonald, 2787 Washington street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Alice Wheeler, 81 Centre street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $45.50 a week.

Margaret DiFranco, 145 Moreland street, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $45.50 a week.

Robert Doucette, 9 Plant court, Jamaica Plain, senior X-ray technician, $58 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

Katherine Morris, 115 Welles avenue, Dorchester, head nurse, $87 a week.

Edward Bouzane, 24 Rockville park, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Thomas W. Connors, 62 Bradwood street, Roslindale, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Long Island Division.

Peter J. Flaherty, Jr., 24 Santuit street, Dorchester, hospital kitchen worker, $43 a week.

Donald Gould, 199 Quincy street, Roxbury, hospital house worker, $43 a week.

Florence A. Gomez, 19 Fairfield street, Braintree, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Alice Gallagher, 402 Ashmont street, Dorchester, licensed practical nurse, $53 a week.

Jean Callahan, 27 Bailey street, Dorchester, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

Salvatore Pizzo, 69 Vallar road, East Boston, correction officer, $65.50 a week.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Collecting Division.

Roy E. Capelle, 305 K street, South Boston, senior account clerk, $63 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Mildred A. Casey, 18 Weld avenue, Jamaica Plain, clerk, $50.50 a week.

Marion E. Meissner, 67 Forbes street, Jamaica Plain, clerk, $50.50 a week.

Changes in Status.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

Joseph M. Galeota, 155 Forest Hills street, Jamaica Plain, from senior traffic engineer at $127.25 a week to principal traffic engineer (temporary) at $132 a week.

William E. Flanagan, 12 Montview street, West Roxbury, from senior traffic engineer at $127.25 a week to principal traffic engineer (temporary) at $132 a week.

CITY PLANNING BOARD.

John J. Coughlin, Jr., 135 Minot street, Dorchester, from planning assistant at $68 a week to junior planner (temporary) at $76.50 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Health Division.

William J. Fallon, 19 Myrtle street, from head clerk (temporary) at $83.50 a week to principal clerk and typist (permanent) at $80 a week.

Edward F. Byrne, 97 Union Park street, from head administrative clerk (temporary) at $103.50 a week to head clerk (permanent) at $83.50 a week.

George Kahn, 6 Cummings road, Brighton, from public health physician at $117.75 a week to Chief of Bureau of Communicable Diseases (temporary) at $132 a week.

Katherine D. Fitzgerald, 31 Harbor View street, Dorchester, from public health educator at $83.50 a week to Director of Public Health Education (temporary) at $90.50 a week.

John P. Treanor, Jr., 42 Eliot street, Jamaica Plain, from public health physician (part time) at $65 a week to public health physician (full time) at $103.50 a week.

Helen L. Sullivan, 19 Alberta street, West Roxbury, from principal clerk and stenographer at $80 a week to head administrative clerk (temporary) at $103.50 a week.

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 20.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Theodore Pulsipa	34 Austin street	2	Alterations, dwelling	$500
Jos. Martone	155 Chelsea street	1	Alterations, dwelling	900
Foward Brooke	26 Crawford street	12	Alterations, dwelling	300
Crawford Nursing Home	123 Crawford street	12	Fire escape	900
Mathene Sistito	12–14 Dean street	13	Alterations, dwelling	270
Orazio Prestandrea	613 Dorchester avenue	7	Alterations, dwelling	250
Rand Foundry Co	18 Eriesson street	16	Alterations, foundry	1,000
Omer Caron	74 Florida street	16	Alterations, dwelling	400
E. Trusten	126 Hanover street	3	Fire escape	190
M. DeStefano	287 Hanover street	3	Fire escape	100
C. Gross	87 I street	6	Fire escape	45
C. Gross	89 I street	6	Fire escape	45
C. Perikli	170 I street	7	Alterations, dwelling	100
Paul Richendberg	475 Poplar street	18	Alterations, dwelling	2,000
D. Biagi	143 Richmond street	3	Fire escape	100
Herbert Lindley	99 Robey street	8	Alterations, dwelling	215
W. Wiseberg	1000 Washington street	3	Alterations, offices	900
Pasquale Greico	202 West Eighth street	7	Alterations, dwelling	350
John H. Boole	575 Albany street	8	Alterations, manufacturing	900
Thomas Smith	27 Bellflower street	7	Alterations, dwelling	525
Insurance Exchange	40 Broad street	3	Alterations, offices	995
John Shea	1–3 Rosselerin road	16	Alterations, dwelling	475
Thomas King	19 Dorset street	7	Alterations, dwelling	450
Boston Y.M.C.U.	47 La Grange street	3	Excavation	1,200
Boston Y.M.C.U.	47 La Grange street	3	Temporary shed	200
Joseph DeFilippo	43 Cummins Highway	19	Alterations, garage	120
Moses Waterman	1245 River street	18	Sign, store	150
Elm Farm Foods Co	545 Freeport street	16	Sign, store	1,800
A. Isaacs	76 Harvard street	17	Alterations, store	475
Thomas Powers	31 Bushnell street	16	Fire escape	500
F. Connolly	161 Milton avenue	17	Alterations, dwelling	285
Edmund Cunco	74 Welles avenue	17	Alterations, dwelling	400
Arthur Nelson	371 Washington street	22	Alterations, store	500
J. D. Gusenoff	2060 Washington street	9	Sign, store	225
Minot, DeBlois & Maddison	33 Temple place	3	Sign, store	90
Yankee Network	21 Brookline avenue	5	Alterations, offices	2,000
First National Bank	73 Cambridge street	3	Sign, lot	40
A. Mastanelli	149 Florence street	19	Alterations, dwelling	200
Wm. H. Donovan	32 Francis street	10	Alterations, dwelling	500
Marshall Cass	135 Harold street	12	Alterations, dwelling	987
John I. Sullivan	24 Heathcote street	19	Alterations, dwelling	600
John Walker	20 Ruthven street	12	Alterations, dwelling	200
Bob Lee	20 Tyler street	3	Alterations, restaurant	200
Marie L. Paraboschi	3825 Washington street	19	Alterations, dwelling	1,000
Herbert C. King	28 Wyvern street	19	Alterations, dwelling	250
Hester Foley	350 Amory street	11	Alterations, dwelling	1,100
Hester Foley	352 Amory street	11	Alterations, dwelling	1,100
Oxide Battery Co	120 Ashford street	21	Alterations, offices	1,000
Tunnel Cafe	5 Athens street	6	Take-down, dwelling	500
Tunnel Cafe	7 Athens street	6	Take-down, dwelling	500
Anthony Marmarole	25 Bennington street	1	Alterations, dwelling, store	800
Ethel Lear	33 DeSoto road	20	Alterations, dwelling	275
Barnard Hillman	24 Dover street	3	Alterations, dwelling, store	300
Eva McIntyre	7–9 Falcon street	1	Alterations, dwelling	1,200
Commonwealth of Mass.	320 Freeport street	16	Take-down, ice cream stand	100
Commonwealth of Mass.	320 Freeport street	16	Take-down, lockers	1,000
Commonwealth of Mass	397 Freeport street	16	Take-down, dwelling	400
Commonwealth of Mass.	420 Freeport street	16	Take-down, coal yard	10,500
Commonwealth of Mass.	476 Freeport street	16	Take-down, dwelling	200
Commonwealth of Mass.	478 Freeport street	16	Take-down, dwelling	200
Commonwealth of Mass.	480 Freeport street	16	Take-down, dwelling	200
Bowling, Inc	14 Geneva avenue	12	Alterations, bowling alley	100
Frank Williams	31 Harlem street	14	Alterations, dwelling	200
Boston Housing Authority	276–302 Harrison avenue	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,500
Boston Housing Authority	304 Harrison avenue	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,200
Boston Housing Authority	308 Harrison avenue	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,200
Boston Housing Authority	314 Harrison avenue	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,200
Boston Housing Authority	316 Harrison avenue	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,000
Boston Housing Authority	318 Harrison avenue	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,200
Boston Housing Authority	320 Harrison avenue	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,000
Boston Housing Authority	322–326 Harrison avenue	3	Take-down, dwelling	4,500
Boston Housing Authority	328 Harrison avenue	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,500
Boston Housing Authority	330 Harrison avenue	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,500
Boris Mirsky	166 Newbury street	5	Alterations, offices, store	650
Boston Housing Authority	1 Oneida street	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,000
Boston Housing Authority	3 Oncida street	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,000
Boston Housing Authority	4 Oneida street	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,000
Boston Housing Authority	5 Oneida street	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,000
Boston Housing Authority	6 Oneida street	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,000
Boston Housing Authority	7 Oneida street	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,000
Boston Housing Authority	8 Oneida street	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,000
Boston Housing Authority	9 Oneida street	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,000
Boston Housing Authority	10 Oneida street	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,000
Boston Housing Authority	11 Oneida street	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,000
Boston Housing Authority	13 Oneida street	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,300
Boston Housing Authority	16 Oneida street	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,000
Boston Housing Authority	17–19 Oneida street	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,500
Boston Housing Authority	18 Oneida street	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,000
Boston Housing Authority	20 Oneida street	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,000
Boston Housing Authority	22 Oneida street	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,000
Boston Housing Authority	24 Oneida street	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,000
Boston Housing Authority	30–32 Oneida street	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,000
Boston Housing Authority	34 Oneida street	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,200
Boston Housing Authority	36 Oneida street	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,200
Boston Housing Authority	1 Oswego street	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,200
Boston Housing Authority	13 Oswego street	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,200
Boston Housing Authority	19–23 Oswego street	3	Take-down, dwelling	2,000
Boston Housing Authority	47 Oswego street	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,000
Boston Housing Authority	49 Oswego street	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,000

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 20.—Concluded.

Owner.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Nat Kaufman	428 Park street	17	Alterations, dwelling	$100
Adolph Rist	20 Porter street	11	Alterations, dwelling	350
Boston Housing Authority	1 Seneca street	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,200
Boston Housing Authority	3 Seneca street	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,200
Boston Housing Authority	4–6 Seneca street	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,800
Boston Housing Authority	5 Seneca street	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,200
Boston Housing Authority	7 Seneca street	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,200
Boston Housing Authority	8 Seneca street	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,000
Boston Housing Authority	9 Seneca street	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,200
Boston Housing Authority	10 Seneca street	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,000
Boston Housing Authority	11–13 Seneca street	3	Take-down, dwelling	2,000
Boston Housing Authority	12 Seneca street	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,000
Boston Housing Authority	14 Seneca street	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,000
Boston Housing Authority	15 Seneca street	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,200
Boston Housing Authority	17 Seneca street	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,200
Boston Housing Authority	19 Seneca street	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,200
Boston Housing Authority	21 Seneca street	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,000
Boston Housing Authority	23 Seneca street	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,000
Boston Housing Authority	25 Seneca street	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,000
Boston Housing Authority	27 Seneca street	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,000
Boston Housing Authority	30 Seneca street	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,000
Boston Housing Authority	31 Seneca street	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,000
Boston Housing Authority	32–36 Seneca street	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,500
Boston Housing Authority	35–43 Seneca street	3	Take-down, dwelling	2,500
Boston Housing Authority	42 Seneca street	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,000
Commonwealth of Mass.	161 Tenean street	16	Take-down, dwelling	500
Max Silverman	19 Tremont street	3	Alterations, cafe, offices	950
Tremont Beverage Co.	719 Tremont street	4	Alterations, dwelling, store	50
Boston Housing Authority	33 Way street	3	Take-down, dwelling	1,000
Frank McQuarry	50 West Fifth street	6	Take-down, dwelling	2,000
Commonwealth of Mass.	650 Wm. T. Morrissey Blvd	16	Take-down, ice cream stand	200
Mrs. Spillane	26 Worcester street	9	Alterations, dwelling	490
Walker Building	120 Boylston street	3	Alterations, store, offices	400
Bennington Realty	40 Cook street	2	Alterations, dwelling	200
John Brennan	4 Dalrymple street	11	Alterations, dwelling	1,300
Shubert Corp.	32 Huntington avenue	4	Alterations, store, offices	950
Susanna Magoch	381 Hyde Park avenue	19	Alterations, dwelling	425
Frank Sagan	12 Knoll street	20	Alterations, dwelling	600
William Reagan	349 Main street	2	Alterations, dwelling	400
John Casey	95 Sheridan street	19	Alterations, dwelling	900
J. Gleason	89 State street	3	Alterations, offices	550
Paulman Realty	110 Summer street	3	Alterations, store, offices	150
Eric Suneson	3 Whitford street	18	Alterations, dwelling	900
F. Liberman	28–30 Avery street	3	Alterations, tavern	80
A. Weisman	220 Belgrade avenue	20	Alterations, store	50
Merchants Tire Co.	1302 Boylston street	5	Alterations, package store	100
Property Management	75 Federal street	3	Alterations, bank, offices	550
F. LaBella	80–82 Fulton street	3	Alterations, store	40
Philip Fine	179 Glenway street	14	Alterations, synagogue	350
A. Brenner	145 Harvard avenue	21	Alterations, store	80
M. Melrod	203 Harvard avenue	21	Alterations, stores	80
Wm. Rice	10 High street	3	Alterations, store, offices	210
Cohen Huntington Building	283 Huntington avenue	4	Alterations, package store	80
Ralph Knowland	69 Idaho street	17	Alterations, dwelling	170
Frank DeMeo	115 Marcella street	11	Alterations, dwelling	975
Minna Hunnewell	33 Newbury street	5	Alterations, stores, offices	500
Statler Hotel	1 Park square	5	Alterations, hotel, stores	800
Vincenza Marano	153 Princeton street	1	Alterations, dwelling	800
Robert Shea	91 Russell street	2	Alterations, dwelling	850
David Turney	107–109 Savin Hill avenue	13	Alterations, stores	900
Philip McCloskey	5 St. Rose street	11	Alterations, dwelling	485
G. C. Austin	255 Tremont street	5	Alterations, cafe	50

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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Hospital Department.

Main Division.

Helen E. Hill, 103 Bellevue street, Dorchester, from clerk and typist (temporary) at $8 a day to clerk and typist (temporary) at $10 a day.

William M. Dwyer, 119 Dale street, Roxbury, from hospital medical worker at $43 a week to X-ray technician (temporary) at $45.50 a week.

James E. Walsh, 127 G street, South Boston, from hospital medical worker at $43 a week to X-ray technician (temporary) at $45.50 a week.

Dorothy E. Connolly, 807 East Third street, South Boston, from clerk and stenographer at $50.50 a week to senior clerk and typist at $55.50 a week.

Sanatorium Division.

Dr. Robert S. Weiner, 249 River street, Mattapan, from resident physician at $202 a month to resident surgeon at $252.30 a month.

Margaret Burke, 70 Edwin street, Dorchester, from registered graduate nurse (part time) at $1.70 an hour to registered graduate nurse (full time) at $76.50 a week.

Long Island Hospital.

Mary E. Driscoll, 49 Worthington street, Roxbury, from senior clerk and stenographer at $68 a week to principal clerk and stenographer (temporary) at $70.50 a week.

Alice T. McCarthy, 30 O street, South Boston, from clerk and typist at $45.50 a week to senior clerk and typist (temporary) at $55.50 a week.

Frederick C. Flynn, Long Island Hospital, from hospital house worker at $56.60 a week to senior hospital kitchen worker (temporary) at $60.50 a week.

James C. Duffy, Long Island Hospital, from hospital guard at $60.50 a week to senior hospital guard at $63 a week.

William R. Kearney, 81 Prentiss street, Roxbury, from hospital guard at $60.50 a week to senior hospital guard at $63 a week.

Parks and Recreation Department.

Cemetery Division.

John F. Ruck, 15 Harris avenue, Jamaica Plain, from cemetery chapel custodian at $60.50 a week to principal clerk (temporary) at $65.50 a week.

Public Works Department.

Highway Division.

William J. Gleavy, 26 Greenwich street, Dorchester, from working foreman paver at $73 a week to highway construction inspector (temporary) at $76.50 a week.

Sanitary Division.

Robert J. Ashworth, 59 Centre street, Roxbury, from laborer at $53 a week to motor equipment operator and laborer at $55.50 a week.

Finley J. Bertucelli, 101 Brooks street, East Boston, from laborer at $53 a week to motor equipment operator and laborer at $55.50 a week.

Michael S. Hardiman, 434 Centre street, Jamaica Plain, from laborer at $58 a week to motor equipment operator and laborer at $60.50 a week.

John J. O'Brien, 37 Prescott street, East Boston, from laborer at $55.50 a week to motor equipment operator and laborer at $58 a week.

John F. Neilson, 96 East Canton street, from heavy motor equipment operator and laborer at $65.50 a week to bulldozer operator at $68 a week.

Sewer Division.

John Belyea, 120 Blake street, Mattapan, from sewer construction inspector at $76.50 a week to foreman of tide gate repairs (temporary) at $80 a week.

Treasury Department.

Collecting Division.

Joseph McGaffigan, 53 Tufts street, Charlestown, from senior clerk (temporary) at $55.50 a week to senior clerk (permanent) at $55.50 a week.

Max Balkan, 86 Kingsdale street, Dorchester, from senior account clerk (temporary) at $55.50 a week to senior account clerk (permanent) at $55.50 a week.

Welfare Department.

Central Office.

William F. Lally, 10 Realton road, West Roxbury, from deputy welfare agent (temporary) at $160.50 a week to deputy welfare agent at $160.50 a week.

Anthony A. Sarno, 99 Salem street, from senior statistical machine operator at $63 a week to principal statistical machine operator at $65.50 a week.

Dale M. Kintz, 1019 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, from senior statistical machine operator at $63 a week to principal statistical machine operator at $65.50 a week.

Leaves of Absence.

Hospital Department.

Francis Curley, 29 East Springfield street, hospital house worker, $50.50 a week.

Luigi Porcino, 21 Clarence street, Roxbury, elevator operator, $50.50 a week.

Long Island Hospital.

Henry K. Beran, M.D., Long Island Hospital, assistant resident physician, $94 a week.

Public Works Department.

Bridge Division.

Leon D. Jackson, 2 Trotter court, tollman-guard, $65.50 a week.

Sewer Division.

Louis D. Maurello, 118 Moore street, East Boston, steam fireman, $68 a week.

Water Division.

Stanley M. Smith, 4 Gardner street, Allston, senior account clerk, $63 a week.

Step-Rate Increases.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Personnel Division.

Clare F. Brennan, principal clerk-stenographer, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

BOSTON RETIREMENT BOARD.

Anna J. Casey, disability pension analyst (temporary), from $87 to $90.50 a week.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Emily A. Randall, clerk and typist, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

William J. Lonergan, steamfitter, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Richard H. Fallona, clerk and stenographer, from $48 to $50.50 a week.

Fire Fighters.

	From	To
William H. Hurley,	$77.58—	$79.50
John J. Gaddis,	77.58—	79.50
George E. Leighton,	77.58—	79.50
John P. Yahey,	77.58—	79.50
Henry W. Massie,	77.58—	79.50
John J. Waldron,	77.58—	79.50
Alfred W. Copithorn,	77.58—	79.50
Laurence J. Hall,	77.58—	79.50

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Health Division.

Millicent L. Carpenter, public health nurse, from $63 to $70.50 a week.

Patricia A. Burke, public health nurse, from $63 to $70.50 a week.

Registry Division.

Mary E. Manning, head clerk, from $83.50 to $87 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Thomas Settino, hospital house worker, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

COURT HOUSE COMMISSION.

Alfred Gustavson, elevator operator, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

SUPERIOR CRIMINAL COURT.

Principal Clerks.

	From	To
Mary R. Brown,	$73.00—	$76.50
Anna L. Bruen,	73.00—	76.50
Mary A. Stack,	73.00—	76.50
Catherine L. Lang,	70.50—	73.00
Mary C. Phelan,	70.50—	73.00

Probation Office.

Katherine E. McKenna, clerk, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

Margaret M. Curran, head clerk, from $87 to $90.50 a week.

Principal Clerks.

	From	To
Eleanor J. Flynn,	$70.50—	$73.00
Marie G. Healy,	70.50—	73.00
Helen L. Kiley,	70.50—	73.00
Marie B. Leonard,	70.50—	73.00

Eleanor K. Maloof, clerk, from $45.50 to $48 a week.

MUNICIPAL COURT, ROXBURY DISTRICT.

H. Gertrude McDonald, principal clerk, from $158.78 to $166.39 semi-monthly.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following requests:

BOSTON RETIREMENT BOARD.

Jerry R. Colella, senior pension examiner, 30 hours at $3 an hour.

Marie C. Crowley, principal account clerk, 3 hours at $3 an hour.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Michael McElhinney, 18 hours at $3 an hour.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

James Pender, traffic signal inspector, 8 hours at $2.28 an hour.

Robert Drummond, senior civil engineer draftsman, 12 hours at $2.38 an hour.

Paul Dirksmeyer, parking meter supervisor, 12 hours at $2.68 an hour.

Leonard Van Gemert, assistant traffic signal supervisor, 12 hours at $2.48 an hour.

Andrew Allan, senior traffic investigator, 12¾ hours at $2.28 an hour.

Charles Haddad, senior traffic investigator, 5 hours at $2.18 an hour.

John Corkery, senior traffic investigator, 17½ hours at $2.08 an hour.

William Fenlon, traffic signal inspector, 20 hours at $2.28 an hour.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Joseph A. Wall, maintenance division, 6½ hours at $3 an hour.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

For the month of November, 1955:

Martin Walsh, general foreman, 28 hours at $2.35 an hour.

Thomas Veasey, Sr., zoo foreman, 8 hours at $2.18 an hour.

John J. Keane, foreman, greenhouse, 24 hours at $2.09 an hour.

Harry McGuire, Jr., tree foreman, 48 hours at $2 an hour.

William E. Collins, general foreman, 24 hours at $2.35 an hour.

Thomas F. Mullins, park maintenance foreman, 12 hours at $2.18 an hour.

John Hardiman, superintendent of recreation and equipment, 8 hours at $2.09 an hour.

Alfred Repucci, superintendent of stadium custodians, 48 hours at $2.09 an hour.

Neil P. Canney, park maintenance foreman, 48 hours at $2.18 an hour.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

For the week ending November 29:

William Hannigan, foreman, 5 hours at $3 an hour.

Peter Merrigan, pumping station engineer, 8 hours at $3 an hour.

Gerard Casey, pumping station engineer, 8 hours at $3 an hour.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

For the month of November, 1955:

John Flanagan, chief power plant engineer, 16 hours at $2.625 an hour.

Hector Campbell, building maintenance supervisor, 32 hours at $2.0875 an hour.

Augusta M. Elliott, chief telephone operator, 12 hours at $2 an hour.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE.

Walter Barringer, 8 hours, $18.10.

Owen F. Donahue, 40 hours, $87.

John J. Donovan, 16 hours, $36.20.

Brainerd Hughes, 16 hours, $34.80.

Edward W. Kenney, 12½ hours, $26.09.

John R. Slattery, 8 hours, $18.10.

VETERANS' RETIREMENTS.

The Mayor has approved the following veterans' applications for retirement:

John F. Fitzpatrick, 345 Neponset avenue, Dorchester, assistant assessor (part time), Assessing Department.

Thomas F. Mahan, 37 Louder's Lane, Jamaica Plain, master, Boston Latin School, School Department.

John P. Harnett, 32 Dwight street, garage attendant, Automotive Division, Public Works Department.

Dennis E. Diggins, 69 Bynner street, Jamaica Plain, laborer, Cemetery Division, Parks and Recreation Department.

Hollis I. Reed, 10 Cornwall street, Jamaica Plain, motor equipment operator and laborer, Sewer Division, Public Works Department.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award the contracts for work, materials, and supplies, in accordance with recommendations of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Purchasing Division.

Upon December 6 the Mayor approved a contract with DeMambro Radio Supply Company, Inc., for furnishing radio equipment to the Radio Shop of the Fire Department. Total amount of contract was $7,780, net. Bids, opened November 1, were as follows:

Radio Equipment.

20 Mobile Two-Way Radio Transmitter-Receiver Units, As Per Specifications, Each.—Atlantic Aviation Corporation, $634.92, Federal Telephone and Radio Company, Model FT 159-30 AMAW-DB; DeMambro Radio Supply Company, Inc., $389,* RCA, Type CMV-2Ef Fleetfone; Allen B. Dumont Laboratories, Inc., $400, DuMont, Model MCA 101-B, 40-50 watt; General Electric Company, $420, G. E., Model MA-13-W; Link Radio Corporation, $369.75, Link Radio Corporation, Type 2365, Ed. 8, Mobile Transmitter-Receiver; Motorola Communications and Electronics, Inc., $87.02, *see* catalogue attached.

Earliest Delivery Date after Receipt of Order.—Atlantic Aviation Corporation, 120 days; DeMambro Radio Supply Company, Inc., 30 days; Allen B. DuMont Laboratories, Inc., 10 to 21 days from receipt of order; General Electric Company, shipment can begin within 60 days after receipt of order; Link Radio Corporation, 30 to 45 days; Motorola Communications and Electronics, Inc., 6 to 7 weeks from receipt of order.

Discount.—Atlantic Aviation, Corporation, no discount; DeMambro Radio Supply Company, Inc., net, 30 days; Allen B. DuMont Laboratories, Inc., net; General Electric Company, not applicable; Link Radio Corporation, 2 per cent, time of payment; Motorola Communications and Electronics, Inc., net, 30 days.

* Contract awarded.

Upon December 6 the Mayor approved a contract with E. W. Systrom Company for furnishing snowplows to the Public Works Department. Approximate total amount of contract was $1,335, less 2 per cent discount for payment within 10 days, net, 30 days. Bids, opened November 16, were as follows:

Snowplows.

Requisition G 765.

3 New Snowplows, Good Roads, Model 101, Complete, or Equal, As Specified, Each.—E. J. Bleiler Equipment Company, Inc., $537; Sandberg Equipment Company, $605; E. W. Systrom Company, $445, *see* proposal.*

Discount.—E. J. Bleiler Equipment Company, Inc., 2 per cent, 20 days, net, 30 days; Sandberg Equipment Company, 2 per cent, next city pay day; E. W. Systrom Company, 2 per cent, 10 days, net, 30 days.

Make and Model Upon Which Bid Is Based.—E. J. Bleiler Equipment Company, Inc., Good Roads, Model 101, 9 feet x 21 inches; Sandberg Equipment Company, Anderson, Model S, reversible automatic tripping blade snowplow; E. W. Systrom Company, Systrom, SII-9.

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—E. J. Bleiler Equipment Company, Inc., immediately, in stock, subject to prior sale; Sandberg Equipment Company, 2 weeks from receipt of order; E. W. Systrom Company, 10 days.

Total Delivered Cost for 3 Snowplows. – E. J. Bleiler Equipment Company, Inc., $1,611; Sandberg Equipment Company, $1,815; E. W. Systrom Company, $1,335.

* Contract awarded.

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Upon December 13 the Mayor approved a contract with the lowest bidders as indicated for furnishing hay, grain, and straw to the various city departments, from January 1, 1956, to March 31, 1956, inclusive. Approximate amounts of contracts were as follows:

Thomas F. Culkeen, $11,906.15, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment; John J. White Company, $135.10, less 2 per cent discount, time of payment.

Bids, opened December 2, were as follows:

Hay, Grain, and Straw.

Item 1. 30 Tons of Dairy Ration, 16 Per Cent (Flory, Yellow Tag or Wirthmore Record), Per Ton.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $69.40*; John J. White Company, $70.60.

Item 2. 50 Tons U. S. No. 1 Timothy Hay, Per Ton.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $35.30*; John J. White Company, $37.

Item 3. 10 Tons U. S. No. 2 Timothy Hay, Per Ton.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $31.30*; John J. White Company, $36.

Item 4. 30 Tons U. S. No. 1 Clover Mixed Hay, Approximately 40 Per Cent Clover, Per Ton.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $35.30*; John J. White Company, $10.

Item 5. 10 Tons U. S. No. 2 Clover Mixed Hay, Per Ton.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $31.30*; John J. White Company, $39.

Item 6. 80 Tons U. S. No. 1 Alfalfa Hay, Per Ton.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $49.65*; John J. White Company, $51.

Item 7. 10 Tons U. S. No. 2 Alfalfa Hay, Per Ton.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $18.65*; John J. White Company, $50.

Item 8. 3 Tons Oat Straw, Per Ton.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $29.50*; John J. White Company, $29.75.

Item 9. 6 Tons Crimped Oats, Per Ton.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $61*; John J. White Company, $68.50.

Item 10. 1,000 Pounds Whole Oats, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $3.20*; John J. White Company, $3.15.

Item 11. 800 Pounds Laying Pellets, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $3.75*; John J. White Company, $4.65.

Item 12. 2,000 Pounds Whole Corn, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $3.20*; John J. White Company, $3.50.

Item 13. 6,000 Pounds Sheep and Goat Ration, Wirthmore, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $3.95.*

Item 14. 2,600 Pounds Cracked Corn, Per Hundredweight. Thomas F. Culkeen, $3.20*; John J. White Company, $3.50.

Item 15. 2,600 Pounds Pigeon Feed, Philadelphia No. 2, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $6.75*; John J. White Company, $7.25.

Item 16. 500 Pounds Wheat, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $3.90*; John J. White Company, $1.40.

Item 17. 800 Pounds Sunflower Seed, Large Size, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $15.75; John J. White Company, $14.95.*

Item 18. 2,000 Pounds Bran, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $2.90*; John J. White Company, $3.25.

Item 19. 400 Pounds Mockingbird Food, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $27.25*; John J. White Company, $27.75.

Item 20. 3,000 Pounds Scratch Feed, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $3.60*; John J. White Company, $3.90.

Item 21. 1,000 Pounds Rabbit Pellets, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $4.70*; John J. White Company, $5.50.

Item 22. 1,860 Pounds Sheep Food, Omolene, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $4.30*; John J. White Company, $4.50.

Item 23. 2,000 Pounds Rat Chow, Purina, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $9.10*; John J. White Company, $9.25.

Item 24. 100 Pounds Hemp Seed, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $18.25*; John J. Whlte Company, $18.50.

Item 25. 400 Pounds Canary Seed, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $17.05*; John J. White Company, $17.25.

Item 26. 1,000 Pounds Hog Feed, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $3.30*; John J. White Company, $3.85.

Item 27. 100 Pounds Linseed Meal, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $4.60*; John J. White Company, $4.75.

Item 28. 1,000 Pounds Laying Mash, Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $3.65*; John J. White Company, $4.45.

Item 29. 200 Pounds Millet (Extra Fine), Per Hundredweight.—Thomas F. Culkeen, $8; John J. White Company, $7.75.*

Discount.—Thomas F. Culkeen, 2 per cent, time of payment; John J. White Company, 2 per cent, time of payment.

Brand of Feeds Upon Which Bid is Based.—Thomas F. Culkeen, Wirthmore; John J. White Company, Ralston Purina Company.

* Contract awarded.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Sanatorium Division.

Upon December 7 the Mayor approved n contract with D. M. McCartin Company for interior painting in various buildings at the Sanatorium Division of the Boston City Hospital. Bids, opened Wednesday, November 30, were as follows:

Kabot Painting Company, Inc., $28,750; John M. Kennedy & Co., Inc., $25,992; Herbert Stein & Co., $25,550; R. &. F. Painting Company, $25,127; Cahn Painting Company, $24,100; William R. Dunlap, Inc., $23,980; H. Piken & Co., $19,800; D. M. McCartin Company, $19,799.

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Upon December 13 the Mayor approved a contract with Boston China and Equipment Company for fabrication, delivery, and installation of kitchen equipment in certain buildings at the Sanatorium Division of the Boston City Hospital. Bid, opened December 6, was as follows:

Boston China and Equipment Company, $3,986.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Upon December 7 the Mayor approved a contract with Edward Vozzella for sewerage works and water works in Sunset Lane, in Dorchester. Bids, opened December 1, were as follows:

Clay Pipe.—Edward Vozzella, $1,380.70; Joseph Capone & Son, $4,425; DiMascio Brothers & Co., $5,092; Roslindale Contracting Company, $5,529.50; C. Russo, Inc., $6,088.

Concrete Pipe.—Edward Vozzella, $4,261.70; Joseph Capone & Son, $4,306; DiMascio Brothers & Co., $4,854; Roslindale Contracting Company, $5,110.50; C. Russo, Inc., $5,850.

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Upon December 7 the Mayor approved a contract with John J. Appel for laying and relaying water pipes and building meter chamber in Beech street, Ward 18, and establishing new hydrant at Forest Hills street, Ward 11, and relocating hydrant at New England avenue, Ward 17, and such additional locations, if any, in Wards 11, 17, and 18, as may be designated by the Commissioner of Public Works, at an estimated cost of $2,081.50. Bids, opened December 1, were as follows:

John J. Appel, $2,081.50; R. A. Buccella & Sons, Inc., $2,295; C. Russo, Inc., $2,380; Joseph Capone & Son, $2,450.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

Upon varying dates as indicated the Mayor approved contracts with contractors, etc., for furnishing labor, supplies, etc. Communications from the heads of departments interested were as follows:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT

Purchasing Division.

BOSTON, October 3, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office is in receipt of requisitions for the emergency delivery of clothing to Deer Island, House of Correction, to replace items destroyed on October 1 and October 2 by fire, fire hose, fire extinguishers, and also torn during rioting. Inasmuch as the clothing is needed for immediate use, there is no time to advertise for prices.

Authority is therefore requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award contracts, without public advertisement, to the companies below for the items as indicated:

M. Hoffman & Co., Inc.: 400 pairs dungarees at $2 a pair; 100 only double-breasted blanket-lined blue denim jackets at $4.25 each; 100 only single-breasted blanket-lined blue denim jackets at $4 each; 72 dozen grey covert work shirts at $16.50 a dozen.

Barnet Zelmar, doing business as Zelmar Mills: 100 dozen percale shorts at $1.95 a dozen; 100 dozen "A" undershirts at $5.25 a dozen; 100 dozen socks at $3 a dozen.

Approximate total amount of contracts will be: M. Hoffman & Co., Inc., $2,813, net; Barnet Zelmyer, doing business as Zelmar Mills, $1,320, less 2 per cent discount for payment in ten days.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

BOSTON, December 6, 1955.
HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.
DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office is in receipt of 110,000 various forms for delivery to Public Welfare Department, 43 Hawkins street, Boston. The type of form needed is patented and sold only by Uarco, Inc., 131 Clarendon street, Boston. An acceptable price has been received from this company.

Authority is therefore requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to Uarco, Inc., for the following items at the prices indicated:

50,000 3-ply Form Ap-1, bumped fastened, at $38.39 per M; 10,000 3-ply Form OAA-1, bumped fastened, at $38.39 per M; 5,000 3-ply Form ADC-2, bumped fastened, at $38.39 per M; 5,000 3-ply Form DA-3, bumped fastened, at $38.39 per M; 5,000 3-ply Form Retro-1, bumped fastened, at $38.39 per M; 10,000 3-ply stock tab Form 1411, bumped fastened, at $25.42 per M; 25,000 2-part tabulating sets, bumped fastened — "Remittance-Advice" Form 1, white, No. 16, Globe Bond, Form 2, pink, No. 16, Globe Bond, at $16.35 M.

Delivery will be approximately eight weeks after receipt of order.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $3,542.20, net, thirty days.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, December 7, 1955.
HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.
DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office is in receipt of requisitions from the Water Division of the Public Works Department for water works supplies. Inasmuch as there is not sufficient time to publicly advertise for bids, make awards, and issue orders in 1955, informal quotations were solicited from several manufacturers. Three bids were received.

Permission is therefore requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to the Mueller Company and award orders to the Welsbach Corporation, the lowest bidders for the materials listed below and at the prices as indicated:

Mueller Company: Requisition No. 495—500 only 3/4 inch sidewalk cocks at $3.82 each; 100 only 1½-inch corporation cocks OS Boston thread at $8.56 each; Requisition No. 466—100 only 3/4-inch S.W. cocks at $3.82 each; Requisition No. 472—100 only 2-inch copper x copper 3-part connection couplings at $8.10 each. Approximate total amount of contract will be $3,958, less 2 per cent, fifteenth proximo, net, thirty days.

The Welsbach Corporation: Requisition No. 491—300 only copper x copper 3-part couplings, 3/4-inch, $1.05 each. Approximate total amount, $315, less 2 per cent discount for payment within ten days.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

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BOSTON, December 9, 1955.
HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.
DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office is in receipt of a requisition from the Penal Institutions Department for the immediate delivery of one bread mixer, Triumph SN-2, 1½-barrel capacity, to Deer Island.

Inasmuch as time does not permit to publicly advertise for bids and subsequently to make an award before December 31, 1955, informal written quotations were solicited and received from several bidders. The lowest bid was received from S. M. Levin Company, Inc.

Authority is therefore requested to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to S. M. Levin Company, Inc., for delivering the bread mixer to Deer Island as per specifications to be included in the contract.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $2,539, net.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

BOSTON, December 1, 1955.
HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.
DEAR MR. MAYOR:
Subject: Thomas A. Edison School, Brighton.

The flood of August 18-19, 1955, so affected the subsurface soil throughout the play area of the schoolyard and under the building that it has been necessary, practically without interruption, to operate not only the permanently installed pump ejectors but pumps hired from private contractors, and so much subsoil which is primarily sand, some in the category of quicksand, has been displaced that considerable portions of the yard area are undermined.

To eliminate the possibility of further undermining the building structure, the Sewer Division of the City of Boston has willingly cooperated with this department in an effort to free underground drains to make them operative; however, with their equipment they were unable to do so, and it has been determined that some of the drains are so compacted with sand that they are not serviceable and subterranean water is still flowing under the building and not through the drains installed to provide throughways to the street sewers. The condition has not been improved and has now reached a stage where it has become a definite emergency requiring immediate action.

The firm of D. Antonellis, Inc., 15 Sparhawk street, Brighton, was employed to cope with the flood situation at the time it was at its worst and has, from that time on, provided the department with auxiliary pumps in our effort to stabilize the flow of water, and I have this day authorized them to excavate certain portions of the yard to relay or rebuild existing 8-inch Akron pipe drains as necessary, also to build a new manhole, rebuild two existing manholes, and plug a 15-inch drain where it passes through the schoolyard wall to adjoining property.

D. Antonellis, Inc., has given me an estimate of $5,000 to perform the emergency work necessary, and I ask that you waive the requirement for public advertising and authorize me to enter into a contract with D. Antonellis, Inc., in an amount not to exceed $5,000.

It must be recognized, however, that the underground conditions which will be exposed by excavation may be entirely unlike those based on the assumptions we have made, and it is probable that an upset price of $5,000 would not cover all work which will be determined as being necessary as the emergency work progresses. Consequently I ask that I be privileged to reserve the right to amend the contract, if necessary, to an amount higher than that contemplated at the moment, namely, $5,000.

Respectfully yours,

JAMES H. MOONEY,
Superintendent of Construction.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, November 29, 1955.
HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.
DEAR MR. MAYOR:

On October 29, 1955, the trustees of the Hospital Department advertised for bids to furnish and install acoustical ceilings in the Children's Building, Boston City Hospital.

On November 9, 1955, the date set for opening these bids, no bids had been received.

We are anxious to have these ceilings installed before painting (a contract for which is about to be awarded) is started.

The Dillaby Fireproofing Company of 242 Bent street, Cambridge, are able to furnish and install the material desired and have submitted a price of $4,750 for doing this work.

We respectfully request the permission of your Honor to award a contract without advertising to the above company at the above-named price so that this work may proceed without further delay.

Very truly yours,

RICHARD J. CONDON,
President, Board of Trustees.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

BOSTON, November 29, 1955.
HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.
DEAR MR. MAYOR:

Under date of March 16 of the current year, publicly advertised proposals were opened in this office in connection with the award of a contract for earth excavation and refilling to assist the Water Division employees to install, regulate or repair Water Division structures and other incidental work in the City Proper.

A contract was subsequently awarded to the low bidder, James A. Freaney, Inc., in the amount of $34,870, which was $3,375 lower than the second bid and $7,630 lower than the third bid that was submitted. Incidentally, there were only four contractors who submitted proposals for this work. The total amount authorized under the contract, which includes the 25 per cent authorized under Article 3, has been entirely expended, although the date of completion specified in the contract is March 31, 1956. The work provided for in the contract document will have to be continued through the winter months, and I feel, therefore, that it is most advantageous to the city to amend the above-referenced contract so as to provide for the expenditure of an additional $15,000, rather than to terminate the contract at this date and publicly advertise for proposals. The amendment will require the contractor to do the work from now until March 31, 1956, under the terms, provisions, and unit prices that prevail in the present contract, which as stated

hereinbefore, was awarded to the low bidder on the basis of publicly advertised bids that were submitted at the time of the opening of same.

I respectfully request, therefore, your authorization to dispense with advertising, and to amend the above-referenced contract so as to increase the contract sum by $15,000, which will be in addition to the original contract sum of $34,870, plus 25 per cent of the latter, which was expended in accordance with the provisions of Article 3 of the contract document.

Respectfully yours,
GEORGE G. HYLAND,
Commissioner of Public Works.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.
Collecting Division.
BOSTON, November 30, 1955.

HON JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

Permission is respectfully requested to dispense with the usual form of advertising and to award a contract for maintenance of two sorters, one interpreter, two tabulating machines, and four punch machines to Remington Rand, Inc., 857 Commonwealth avenue, Boston, at an annual cost of $3,014.44.

There is no competition in the awarding of this contract as Remington Rand, Inc., is the only company with available facilities to properly service their machines.

Respectfully yours,
JAMES E. GILDEA,
Collector-Treasurer.

AMENDMENT TO ORIGINAL AWARD OF DAMAGES.

The Public Improvement Commission has voted as follows:

That the amount of $100 be and the same hereby is awarded to Warren L. (Jr.) and Eleanor P. Faulkner for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of August 26, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Ledgedale road, West Roxbury.

That the amount of $50 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Alice A., Ethel M. and Florence A. Russell for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of July 30, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Highfield road, West Roxbury.

That the amount of $185 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to George J. Nessar for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of August 26, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Hillis road, Hyde Park.

That the amount of $675 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Samuel E. and Esther Freeman for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of September 28, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Ledgewood road, West Roxbury.

That the amount of $25 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Samuel J. and Frances A. McIver for all damages sustained under the order of the Board of Street Commissioners and Mayor of August 20, 1953, for the laying out and construction of Alvarado avenue, Hyde Park.

That the amount of $50 be, and the same hereby is, awarded to William W. and Antoinette M. Stafford for all damages sustained under the order of the Public Improvement Commission and Mayor of January 6, 1955, for the laying out and construction of Auriga street, Dorchester.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Emerson Electrical Manufacturing Company for electrical work at various schools from November 30, 1955, to December 31, 1955.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Approval has been granted for an extension of time until April 1, 1956, for the completion of the contract with F. C. Dolan & Sons, Inc., 18 Aldworth street, Jamaica Plain, for repairing and painting park benches, Boston Common.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Approval has been given for an extension of time of completion of the contract dated August 1, 1955, with Charles Todesca, 98 Roslindale avenue, Roslindale, for bituminous concrete pavement in Balfour street, Davern avenue, etc., from December 31, 1955, to June 30, 1956.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time of completion of the contract approved March 14, 1955, with Builders Iron Works, 24 Dane street, Somerville, for redecking the drawspans of the Congress Street Bridge over Fort Point Channel and the Chelsea Street Bridge over Chelsea River with steel mesh pavement, from December 15, 1955, to December 31, 1955.

CONSTRUCTION WORK.

The Public Improvement Commission, with the approval of the Mayor, has ordered the following construction work:

Four catch basins and connections in Brush Hill terrace, from Dana avenue approximately 400 feet northeasterly, in the Hyde Park district, at an estimated cost of $1,700.

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One drop inlet and one catch basin converted to manhole top in Massachusetts avenue at Magazine street, in the Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of $200.

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Twenty-five linear feet of pipe surface drain with four catch basins and connections in Brucewood road, between Veterans of Foreign Wars Parkway and Rickerhill road, in the West Roxbury district, at an estimated cost of $2,250.

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Two catch basins and connections in Harrow street, between Humphreys street, and Beckwith street, in the Dorchester district, at an estimated cost of $1,200.

DISCONTINUANCE OF CLYDE STREET, EAST BOSTON.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the discontinuance of Clyde street, East Boston district, as a public highway, from Marginal street approximately 440 feet southwesterly.

Said Clyde street as hereby discontinued is bounded:

Southeasterly by the northwesterly line of Marginal street, forty-five and 00-100 feet; southwesterly by the southwesterly line of Clyde street, four hundred fifty and 00-100 feet; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Clyde street, forty-five and 00-100 feet; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of Clyde street, four hundred fifty and 00-100 feet, containing twenty thousand two hundred fifty square feet, more or less.

Said discontinuance is subject to the rights of the City of Boston to maintain existing water pipes.

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement, consisting of the discontinuance of Clyde street, East Boston district, from Marginal street approximately 450 feet southwesterly, under the order of the commission of December 7, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

RETAINING WALL FOR TERMINAL STREET, CHARLESTOWN.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the taking of an easement for the purpose of constructing a retaining wall on the southeasterly side of Terminal street, in the Charlestown district, from Medford street, approximately 350 feet northeasterly.

An easement for highway purposes, including the right to construct a retaining wall on the southeasterly side of Terminal street, Charlestown district, from Medford street approximately 350 feet northeasterly, is hereby taken.

Said easement is taken in the following described lands, exclusive of trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed thereto:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Holt and Bugbee Lumber Company, bounded:

Northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Terminal street by two measurements, two hundred sixty-five and 95-100 feet and forty-two and 97-100 feet on a curve of one hundred thirty-three and 45-100 feet radius; northeasterly by other land of said Holt and Bugbee Lumber Company, three and 00-100 feet; southeasterly by other land of said Holt and Bugbee Lumber Company by two measurements, forty-two and 00-100 feet on a curve of one hundred thirty-one and 35-100 feet and two hundred sixty-five and 95-100 feet; southwesterly by other land of said Holt and Bugbee Lumber Company, three and 00-100 feet; containing nine hundred twenty-five square feet, more or less.

Trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforedescribed land shall be removed therefrom within thirty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Voted, That this commission determines that the undermentioned persons sustain damages in their estate by the taking of an easement for the purpose of constructing a retaining wall on the southeasterly side of Terminal street, Charlestown district, from Medford street approximately 350 feet northeasterly, under the order of the commission of December 7, 1955, in the amount hereinafter respectively set against it, and awards said amount therefor.

Holt and Bugbee Lumber Company, 925 square feet, $1.

TRANSFERS OF APPROPRIATIONS.

The Mayor has approved the following requests for transfers of appropriations:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

From 292, Blueprinting, $21.98, to 497, Dues and Subscriptions, $21.98.

CITY COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

From Building Department, 100, Personal Services, $2,000, to 297, Printing and Binding, $2,000.

CITY DOCUMENTS.

From Building Department, 100, Personal Services, $5,000, to 297, Printing and Binding, $5,000.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Health Division.

From 100, Permanent Employees, $5,000, to 360, Office Supplies and Materials, $2,000, 390, Miscellaneous Supplies, $3,000.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Workmen's Compensation Service.

From Reserve Fund, $20,000, to Workmen's Compensation, $20,000.

LICENSING BOARD.

From 100, Permanent Employees, $561.49, to 369, Printing Material, $150, 389, Note Book, $6, 393, Key Container, 49 cents, 593, Library Books, $45, 565, Adding Machine, $360.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

From 1–11–41–711, Reconstruction and Repair of Parkways and Roadways, $23,300, to 110, Temporary Employees, $23,300.

Cemetery Division.

From 100, Permanent Employees, $1,000, to 200, Contractual Services, $1,000.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

House of Correction.

From 5, Equipment, $2,000, to 120, Overtime, $2,000.

From Police Department, 100, $25,000, to 120, Overtime, $4,500, 210, Communications, $500, 220, Light, Heat and Power, $2,600, Group 3, Supplies and Materials, $17,400.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Sewer Division.

From 269, Buildings and Structures (Not Otherwise Classified), $5,000, to 120, Overtime, $5,000.

Sumner Tunnel.

From 260, Repairs and Maintenance of Buildings and Structures, $3,000, to 120, Overtime, $3,000.

VETERANS' SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

From Assessing Department, 290, $40,000, City Debt Requirements, Interest, $60,000, to 464, Veterans' Benefits and Burials, $100,000.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

From Hurricane Emergency No. 1, $175,000, Hurricane Emergency, No. 2, $125,000, to 461, Aid to Dependent Children Relief, $40,000, 463, Old Age Assistance Relief, $185,000, 465, Dependent Aid Relief, $75,000.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

The following is a statement showing BY WARDS the number and estimated cost of new buildings for purposes of habitation for the erection of which applications were filed with the Building Department of the City of Boston during the

MONTH ENDING NOVEMBER 30, 1955.

WARD.	1-FAMILY DWELLINGS.		2-FAMILY DWELLINGS.		TOTAL FOR MONTH.	
	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.
1	1	$9,000	1	$19,000	2	$28,000
13	2	20,000	1	18,000	3	38,000
15	1	10,000	—	—	1	10,000
16	2	20,000	—	—	2	20,000
18	19	173,000	—	—	19	173,000
19	4	44,000	—	—	4	44,000
20	13	132,500	—	—	13	132,500
22	2	22,000	—	—	2	22,000
Total	44	$430,500	2	$37,000	46	$467,500

BUILDING OPERATIONS IN CITY OF BOSTON.

MONTH OF NOVEMBER 30, 1955.

MONTH OF NOVEMBER.	1955.		1954.	
	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.
Type I	6	$1,029,500	1	$404,000
Type II	—	—	3	840,000
Type IV	10	406,750	6	134,600
Type V	7	39,240	6	17,745
Type VI	46	434,500	70	640,600
Total new construction	69	$1,909,990	86	$2,036,945
Alterations, repairs, etc	445	543,904	537	592,482
Total structural construction	514	$2,453,894	623	$2,629,427
Increase or decrease	—109	—175,533		
	—14%	—6%		
Installations, etc	1,334	398,389	1,117	946,811
Grand total all work	1,848	$2,852,283	1,740	$3,576,238
Increase or decrease	108*	—723,955		
	6%*	—20%		

FIRST ELEVEN MONTHS.

Type I	42	$9,587,600	34	$10,523,161
Type II	9	1,724,000	10	1,951,000
Type IV	121	4,467,775	81	1,873,020
Type V	46	170,490	40	401,005
Type VI	728	7,029,170	607	5,663,390
Total new construction	946	$22,979,035	772	$20,411,576
Alterations, repairs, etc	5,281	12,337,595	6,074	8,710,507
Total structural construction	6,227	$35,316,630	6,846	$29,122,083
Increase or decrease	—619	6,194,547*		
	—9%	21%*		
Installations, etc	11,454	6,077,071	10,642	5,378,976
Grand total all work	17,681	$41,393,701	17,488	$34,501,059
Increase or decrease	—193*	6,892,642		
	1%*	19%*		

* Denotes increase — Denotes decrease

PRINCIPAL PROJECTS

New, Office, 633 Commonwealth avenue (Remington Rand)	$750,000
New, Church, 20 Museum road (Society of St. John)	200,000
New, Office, 30 Saratoga street (New England Telephone & Telegraph)	159,000
Alterations, Office, 200 Berkeley street (John Hancock Insurance Company)	100,000
New, Storage, 385 Western avenue (Carrie Swanson)	100,000
New, Restaurant, 645 Commonwealth avenue (Evelyn Richmond)	87,000

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PURPOSES, NUMBER AND ESTIMATED COST OF NEW BUILDINGS AND ALTERATIONS, ADDITIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., FOR WHICH APPLICATIONS HAVE BEEN FILED FOR ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING NOVEMBER 30, 1955.

CHARACTER.	AMUSEMENT, RECREATION PLACES, THEATERS, MOVIES, HALLS.		CHURCHES, CHAPELS, SYNAGOGUES.		DWELLINGS, 1-FAMILY.		DWELLINGS, 2-FAMILY.		DWELLINGS, 3-FAMILY.		DWELLINGS, 1-2-3 FAMILY, WITH STORES, ETC.		DWELLINGS, MULTI-FAMILY.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I	2	$24,000	2	$1,250,000										
Type II			1	65,000										
Type IV	5	36,200	2	375,000	4	$62,000	1	$49,000					5	$345,000
Type V	1	10,000												
Type VI			1	15,000	662	6,189,900	36	512,000					2	88,000
Total new construction	8	$67,200	6	$1,735,000	666	$6,251,900	37	$561,000					7	$433,000
Alterations, etc	39	212,972	35	197,007	954	607,233	1094	541,350	1213	$591,230	216	$146,496	272	319,813
Total structural work	47	$280,172	41	$1,932,007	1620	$6,859,133	1131	$1,102,350	1213	$591,230	216	$146,496	279	$752,813

CHARACTER.	DWELLINGS, MULTI-FAMILY, WITH STORES.		EDUCATIONAL BUILDINGS, SCHOOLS, COLLEGES.		GARAGES AND REPAIR SHOPS.		HOTEL AND CLUB BUILDINGS.		INSTITUTIONAL BUILDINGS, HOSPITALS, ASYLUMS, CLINICS.		LODGINGS, DORMITORIES, CONVENTS, HOMES.		LODGING HOUSES WITH STORES.		MANUFACTURING BUILDINGS, BAKERIES, LAUNDRIES, WORKSHOPS.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I			4	$1,223,000	3	$246,000			2	$1,247,000	1	$487,000			1	$15,000
Type II			1	622,000					1	250,000	1	320,000				
Type IV			3	594,000	25	76,825			1	15,000	1	70,000			4	349,800
Type V					17	24,940										
Type VI					15	15,600										
Total new construction			8	$5,439,000	60	$363,365			4	$1,512,000	3	$877,000			5	$364,800
Alterations, etc	55	$10,967	41	1,102,665	85	190,557	37	$215,352	17	3,237,872	88	303,650			138	905,122
Total structural work	55	$10,967	49	$6,541,665	145	$553,922	37	$215,352	51	$4,749,872	91	$1,180,650			143	$1,269,922

CHARACTER.	MERCANTILE BUILDINGS, RESTAURANTS, STORES, SHOWROOMS, SERVICE STATIONS.		OFFICE AND BANK BUILDINGS.		PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIBRARIES, MUSEUMS.		STABLES, KENNELS, POULTRY HOUSES.		STORAGE WAREHOUSES, LUMBER SHEDS, SILOS, ETC.		MISCELLANEOUS.		TOTALS.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I	9	$307,500	5	$1,515,000					5	$216,500	8	$59,600	42	$9,587,600
Type II	2	252,000							3	215,000			9	1,724,000
Type IV	56	1,959,650	8	311,500	1	$200,000			4	50,500	1	300	121	4,467,775
Type V	12	45,700	1	500					9	78,500	6	10,850	46	170,490
Type VI	3	18,000	3	112,000	1	1,000			2	15,750	3	1,920	728	7,029,170
Total new construction	82	$2,582,850	17	$1,942,000	2	$201,000			23	$576,250	18	$72,670	946	$22,979,035
Alterations, etc	645	1,719,325	161	1,536,742	8	48,675			76	344,340	77	43,227	5281	12,337,595
Total structural work	727	$1,332,175	178	$3,478,742	10	$249,675			99	$920,590	95	$115,897	6227	$35,316,630

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PURPOSES, NUMBER AND ESTIMATED COST OF NEW BUILDINGS AND ALTERATIONS, ADDITIONS, REPAIRS, ETC., FOR WHICH APPLICATIONS HAVE BEEN FILED FOR MONTH ENDING NOVEMBER 30, 1955.

CHARACTER.	AMUSEMENT, RECREATION PLACES, THEATERS, MOVIES, HALLS.		CHURCHES, CHAPELS, SYNAGOGUES.		DWELLINGS, 1-FAMILY.		DWELLINGS, 2-FAMILY.		DWELLINGS, 3-FAMILY.		DWELLINGS, 1-2-3-FAMILY, WITH STORES, ETC.		DWELLINGS, MULTI-FAMILY.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I														
Type IV			1	$200,000	2	$32,000	1	$19,000						
Type V														
Type VI					42	398,500	1	18,000						
Total new construction			1	$200,000	44	$430,500	2	$37,000						
Alterations, etc	5	$19,540	3	3,415	78	31,785	99	45,381	119	$62,879	18	$14,795	5	$23,900
Total structural work	5	$19,540	4	$203,415	122	$462,285	101	$82,381	119	$62,879	18	$14,795	5	$23,900

CHARACTER.	DWELLINGS, MULTI-FAMILY, WITH STORES.		EDUCATIONAL BUILDINGS, SCHOOLS, COLLEGES.		GARAGES AND REPAIR SHOPS.		HOTEL AND CLUB BUILDINGS.		INSTITUTIONAL BUILDINGS, HOSPITALS, ASYLUMS, CLINICS.		LODGINGS, DORMITORIES, CONVENTS, HOMES.		LODGING HOUSES WITH STORES.		MANUFACTURING BUILDINGS, BAKERIES, LAUNDRIES, WORKSHOPS.	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I																
Type IV					2	$1,750										
Type V					4	10,740										
Type VI					1	1,000										
Total new construction					7	$13,490										
Alterations, etc	3	$1,550	1	$235	3	2,655	3	$1,602	4	$39,050	5	$15,045			15	$38,910
Total structural work	3	$1,550	1	$235	10	$16,145	3	$1,602	4	$39,050	5	$15,045			15	$38,910

CHARACTER.	MERCANTILE BUILDINGS, RESTAURANTS, STORES, SHOWROOMS, SERVICE STATIONS.		OFFICE AND BANK BUILDINGS.		PUBLIC BUILDINGS, LIBRARIES, MUSEUMS.		STABLES, KENNELS, POULTRY HOUSES.		STORAGE WAREHOUSES, LUMBER SHEDS, SILOS, ETC.		MISCELLANEOUS.		TOTALS	
	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.	No.	Estimated Cost.
Type I	1	$12,000	2	$900,000					1	$100,000	2	$8,500	6	$1,029,500
Type IV	3	130,000	1	24,000									10	406,750
Type V	2	23,000							1	5,500			7	39,240
Type VI	1	2,000							1	15,000			46	434,500
Total new construction	7	$167,000	3	$933,000					3	$120,500	2	$8,500	69	$1,909,990
Alterations, etc	61	85,592	10	133,455	2	$10,900			5	8,115	6	5,100	445	543,904
Total structural work	68	$252,592	13	$1,066,455	2	$10,900			8	$128,615	8	$13,600	514	$2,453,894

STATEMENT OF BUILDING OPERATIONS IN THE CITY OF BOSTON FOR THE MONTH ENDING NOVEMBER 30, 1955.

(As compared with corresponding period in preceding years.)

	1955.		1954.		1953.		1952.		1951.	
	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.	Number.	Cost.
Type I	6	$1,029,500	1	$401,000	3	$343,000	1	$150,000	6	$861,000
Type II	—	—	3	810,000	—	—	—	—	—	—
Type IV	10	406,750	6	134,600	5	275,800	9	127,300	14	251,250
Type V	7	39,240	6	17,715	8	14,300	6	13,500	4	13,200
Type VI	46	434,500	70	640,600	33	272,900	39	270,400	18	148,300
Total new construction	69	$1,909,990	86	$2,036,945	49	$906,000	55	$561,200	42	$1,276,750
Alterations, repairs, etc.	445	543,901	537	592,482	447	1,177,817	361	377,717	477	462,292
Total structural construction	514	$2,453,894	623	$2,629,427	496	$2,083,817	419	$938,917	519	$1,739,042
Plumbing	215	$142,534	235	$610,620	198	$191,111	367	$393,835	232	$113,881
Gasfitting	910	115,290	674	73,485	681	80,180	540	64,163	533	65,692
Heating ovens, etc.	91	38,502	31	20,790	30	19,735	25	19,140	19	82,782
Elevators, new freight	2	11,100	5	7,650	—	—	1	1,100	4	36,565
Elevators, new passenger	3	22,380	6	82,191	2	28,500	—	—	3	73,260
Elevators, alterations, freight	12	4,030	10	1,290	9	3,750	10	4,140	29	5,460
Elevators, alterations, passenger	20	8,860	15	18,530	11	8,812	20	12,414	26	8,778
Signs, projections, etc.	31	10,900	48	18,850	33	18,330	38	12,310	44	21,790
Fire escapes	5	2,665	56	9,860	61	13,435	37	6,500	36	7,865
Take-downs, wood	16	12,578	12	27,125	9	5,600	5	5,915	9	3,740
Take-downs, brick	5	3,200	3	12,600	13	14,025	11	54,065	1	500
Sprinklers	5	25,500	8	18,820	6	18,950	10	34,550	9	11,963
Excavations	6	850	1	15,000	1	200	3	3,000	2	510
Use of premises	7	—	13	—	4	—	—	—	7	—
Total	1,334	$398,389	1,117	$946,811	1,061	$102,651	1,067	$611,132	954	$162,819
Grand total all work	1,848	$2,852,283	1,740	$3,576,238	1,557	$2,486,498	1,486	$1,550,049	1,473	$2,201,861
Department revenue		$15,215.40		$9,199.35		$6,920.50		$5,662.75		$4,485.25

The following is a statement showing by number, purpose and estimated cost of the erection of new buildings and the alterations, repairs, additions, etc., of existing buildings for which applications were filed with the Building Department of the City of Boston during the

MONTH ENDING NOVEMBER 30, 1955.

PURPOSE.	NEW BUILDINGS.		ALTERATIONS.		TOTAL.	
	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.
Amusement and recreation places, theatres, halls, movies	—	—	5	$19,540	5	$19,540
Churches, chapels, synagogues	1	200,000	3	3,415	4	203,415
Dwellings, small, 1-family	44	430,500	78	31,785	122	462,285
Dwellings, small, 2-family	2	37,000	99	45,381	101	82,381
Dwellings, small, 3-family	—	—	119	62,879	119	62,879
Dwellings, small, with stores	—	—	18	14,795	18	14,795
Dwellings, large, 4-families or more	—	—	5	23,900	5	23,900
Dwellings, large, with stores	—	—	3	1,550	3	1,550
Educational buildings, schools, colleges, academies, etc.	—	—	1	235	1	235
Garage and repair shops	7	13,490	3	2,655	10	16,145
Hotel and club buildings	—	—	3	1,602	3	1,602
Institutional buildings, hospitals, clinics, asylums, etc.	—	—	4	39,050	4	39,050
Lodgings, dormitories, homes, convents, etc.	—	—	5	15,045	5	15,045
Manufacturing buildings, bakeries, laundries, workshops	—	—	15	38,910	15	38,910
Mercantile buildings, stores, salesrooms, service stations	7	167,000	61	85,592	68	252,592
Public buildings	—	—	2	10,900	2	10,900
Office and bank buildings	3	933,000	10	133,455	13	1,066,455
Storage buildings, warehouses, lumber sheds, etc.	3	120,500	5	8,115	8	128,615
Miscellaneous	2	8,500	6	5,100	8	13,600
Total	69	$1,909,990	445	$543,904	514	$2,453,894

The following is a statement showing the number of new buildings for purposes of habitation, together with the number of family accommodations provided thereby, for the erection of which applications were filed with the Building Department of the City of Boston during the

MONTH AND ELEVEN MONTHS ENDING NOVEMBER 30, 1955.

NUMBER OF FAMILY UNITS IN EACH BUILDING.	MONTH OF NOVEMBER.				FIRST ELEVEN MONTHS.			
	1955.		1954.		1955.		1954.	
	Buildings.	Families.	Buildings.	Families.	Buildings.	Families.	Buildings.	Families.
1	44	44	67	67	666	666	583	583
2	2	4	—	—	37	74	6	12
4	—	—	—	—	1	4	—	—
10	—	—	—	—	5	50	—	—
19	—	—	—	—	1	19	—	—
Total	46	48	67	67	710	813	589	595
Estimated cost	$467,500		$629,500		$7,245,900		$5,638,760	

SUMMARY OF HOUSING CONSTRUCTION TO DATE.

NUMBER OF	MONTH OF NOVEMBER.	ELEVEN MONTHS.
New habitations erected	46	710
Accommodations provided by new construction	48	813
Accommodations provided by altering and remodeling	20	307
Accommodations eliminated by altering and remodeling	2	21
Habitations taken down	11*	117*
Family accommodations eliminated by demolition	32*	335*
Net change in number of habitations	35 more	593 more
Net change in number of family accommodations	34 more	764 more

DEMOLITIONS.	NUMBER.		NUMBER.	
	Buildings.	Families.	Buildings.	Families.
*1-family	—	—	10	10
2-family	1	2	37	74
3-family	10	30	49	147
4-family	—	—	12	48
5-family	—	—	2	10
6-family	—	—	5	30
8-family	—	—	2	16
Total	11	32	117	335

The following is a statement showing BY WARDS the number and estimated cost of new buildings for purposes of habitation for the erection of which applications were filed with the Building Department of the City of Boston during the

ELEVEN-MONTH PERIOD ENDING NOVEMBER 30, 1955.

WARD.	1-FAMILY DWELLINGS.		2-FAMILY DWELLINGS.		4-FAMILY DWELLINGS.		10-FAMILY DWELLINGS.		19-FAMILY DWELLINGS.		TOTAL FOR ELEVEN MONTHS.	
	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.
1	11	$136,200	5	$63,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	16	$99,200
13	2	20,000	1	18,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	38,000
14	1	8,100	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	8,100
15	1	10,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	10,000
16	19	194,200	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	19	194,200
17	27	252,800	2	30,000	1	$38,000	—	—	—	—	30	320,800
18	361	3,171,200	9	144,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	370	3,315,200
19	40	472,500	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	40	472,500
20	183	1,780,700	3	45,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	186	1,825,700
21	4	33,200	6	108,000	—	—	—	—	1	$50,000	11	191,200
22	17	173,000	11	153,000	—	—	5	$345,000	—	—	33	671,000
	666	$6,251,900	37	$561,000	1	$38,000	5	$345,000	1	$50,000	710	$7,245,900

The following is a statement showing the number of new buildings for purposes of habitation, together with the number of family accommodations provided thereby, for the erection of which applications were filed with the Building Department of the City of Boston during the

MONTH ENDING JANUARY 31, 1955.

NUMBER OF FAMILY UNITS IN EACH BUILDING.	1955. NUMBER.		1954. NUMBER.	
	Buildings.	Families.	Buildings.	Families.
1	43	43	21	24
10	5	50	—	—
Total	48	93	21	21
Estimated cost of housing construction	$730,000		$226,570	

SUMMARY OF HOUSING CONSTRUCTION FOR MONTH.

Number of:

New habitations erected	48
Accommodations provided by new construction	93
Accommodations provided by altering and remodeling	33
Accommodations eliminated by altering and remodeling	4
Habitations taken down	5*
Accommodations eliminated by demolition	10*
Net change in number of habitations	43 more
Net change in number of family accommodations	112 more

* HABITATIONS TAKEN DOWN.	Buildings.	Families.
1-family	1	1
2-family	3	6
3-family	1	3
Total	5	10

WARD.	1-FAMILY DWELLINGS.		TOTAL FOR MONTH.	
	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.
16	2	$26,600	2	$26,600
18	37	320,500	37	320,500
19	10	94,000	10	94,000
20	16	168,400	16	168,400
22	2	20,000	2	20,000
Total	67	$629,500	67	$629,500

The following is a statement showing by WARDS the number and estimated cost of new buildings for purposes of habitation for the erection of which applications were filed with the Building Department of the City of Boston during the

ELEVEN-MONTH PERIOD ENDING NOVEMBER 30, 1954.

1	6	$67,000	—	—	6	$67,000
7	1	15,000	—	—	1	15,000
8	1	3,000	—	—	1	3,000
11	2	21,500	—	—	2	21,500
14	1	17,000	—	—	1	17,000
16	9	105,300	—	—	9	105,300
17	13	147,100	—	—	13	147,100
18	261	2,238,650	—	—	261	2,238,650
19	38	415,100	—	—	38	415,100
20	201	2,011,310	2	$28,500	203	2,069,810
21	3	30,000	3	63,000	6	93,000
22	41	431,000	1	15,000	45	146,000
Total	583	$5,532,260	6	$106,500	589	$5,638,760

NEW MAPLE STREET FOOTWAY IN WEST ROXBURY.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of Maple Street Footway, West Roxbury district, from Maple street to Veterans of Foreign Wars Parkway.

For the making of the aforesaid improvement an easement for street purposes is hereby taken in the following described land, exclusive of trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed thereto:

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to Angelo P. and Julia J. Pizzano, bounded:

Northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Veterans of Foreign Wars Parkway, twenty-five and 73-100 feet; southwesterly by the southwesterly line of Maple Street Footway and by land hereinafter described as taken from person or persons unknown, twenty-six and 32-100 feet; easterly by the easterly line of Maple Street Footway as laid out under this order, thirty-six and 16-100 feet on a curve of one hundred thirty-five and 79-100 feet; containing three hundred fifty-nine square feet, more or less.

A parcel of land, supposed to belong to person or persons unknown, bounded:

Northwesterly by land hereinbefore described as taken from Angelo P. Pizzano *et al.*, and by other land of said Angelo P. Pizzano *et al.*, forty-three and 05-100 feet; southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Maple Street Footway as laid out under this order, one hundred nine and 00-100 feet; southwesterly by the northeasterly line of Maple street, forty-three and 53-100 feet; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Maple Street Footway as laid out under this order by two measurements, thirty and 83-100 feet on a curve of three hundred sixty eight and 75-100 feet and eighty and 36-100 feet; containing four thousand four hundred eighteen square feet, more or less.

Trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforedescribed land shall be removed therefrom within thirty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Said Maple Street Footway as hereby laid out is bounded:

Northwesterly by the southeasterly line of Veterans of Foreign Wars Parkway, twenty-five and 73-100 feet; southwesterly by the southwesterly line of Maple street, five and 43-100 feet; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Maple Street Footway by two measurements, eighty and 36-100 feet and thirty and 83-100 feet on a curve of three hundred sixty-eight and 75-100 feet radius; southwesterly by the northeasterly line of Maple street, forty-three and 53-100 feet; southwesterly by the southwesterly line of Maple Street Footway, one hundred nine and 00-100 feet; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of said Maple Street Footway, twenty-two and 16-100 feet; easterly by the easterly line of said Maple Street Footway, thirty-six and 16-100 feet on a curve of 135.79 feet radius.

No betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Voted, That this commission determines that the undermentioned persons sustain damages in their estates by the making of the public improvement consisting of the laying out and construction of Maple Street Footway, West Roxbury district, from Maple street to the Veterans of Foreign Wars Parkway, under the order of this commission of December 14, 1955, in the amounts hereinafter set against them, and awards said amounts therefor.

Angelo P. and Julia J. Pizzano, 359 square feet, $1.

Owners unknown (Maple Street Footway), 4,418 square feet, nothing.

REVISION OF GRADE OF STONEHILL ROAD, HYDE PARK.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the revision of grade of Stonehill road (formerly Alwin terrace), Hyde Park, from Alwin street approximately 255 feet northeasterly.

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement consisting of the revision of grade of Stonehill road, Hyde Park district, from 292 feet northwesterly of Alwin street approximately 273 feet northwesterly, under the order of the commission of November 23, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

REVISION OF GRADE OF CHERYL LANE, HYDE PARK.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the revision of grade of Cheryl Lane, Hyde Park district, from Stonehill road approximately 375 feet westerly and northerly.

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement consisting of the revision of grade of Cheryl Lane, Hyde Park district, from Stonehill road approximately 375 feet westerly and northerly, under the order of the commission of November 23, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

NEW HIGHWAY FOR WEST ROXBURY.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of Hampstead Lane, West Roxbury district, as a public highway, between Hampstead road and Hampstead road.

Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed thereto, in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

Easterly by the westerly line of Hampstead road, by two measurements, seventeen and 07-100 feet and thirty-three and 23-100 feet on a curve of two thousand five hundred thirty-six and 49-100 feet radius; southwesterly by the southwesterly line of Hampstead Lane as hereby laid out, by four measurements, twenty-one and 44-100 feet on a curve of fteen and 00-100 feet radius, four hundred seventy and 19-100 feet on a curve of five hundred thirty-one and 58-100 feet, twenty-eight and 45-100 feet, and ninety-five and 26-100 feet on a curve of two hundred thirty-one and 19-100 feet radius; northeasterly by Hampstead road, one hundred nine and 42-100 feet; and northeasterly again by the northeasterly line of Hampstead Lane as hereby laid out, by three measurements, forty-six and 01-100 feet on a curve of twenty-one and 08-100 feet radius, four hundred seventy and 34-100 feet on a curve of five hundred eleven and 58-100 feet radius, and twenty-five and 69-100 feet on a curve of fifteen and 00-100 feet radius.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the abutting parcels of land situated on both sides of said Hampstead Lane will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement herein ordered; each of said parcels in the amount hereinafter respectively set against it; said parcels and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Hampstead Lane, West Roxbury, December 7, 1955, George G. Hyland, Commissioner of Public Works," and on file in the office of this commission.

Parcel.		Amount.
1.	Thomas J. and Anastasia M. Bittihoffer	$180 00
2.	Joseph T. and Catherine M. Mellon	426 40
3.	Rudolph, William, and Max Fischer	368 40
4.	Thomas and Marie C. Glennon	256 26
5.	Joseph A. and Margaret M. Lucas	235 17
6.	Elizabeth J. Fitzgerald	200 10
7.	Margaret Donahue	227 94
8.	Agnes M. Kelley	244 71
9.	Alphonsus C. and Dorothy A. McCarthy	229 44
10.	Mary A., Cecelia R., and John J. Kirby, Margaret M. McMorrow,	225 27
11.	Walter F. Laughlin	204 21
12.	Edward F. (Sr.) and Mary K. Snow	215 22
13.	Richard J. Flanagan, Jr.	204 93
14.	City of Boston	215 31
15.	Charles A. and Margaret J. Reilly	217 29
16.	James J. and Rita A. Walsh	267 30
17.	Byron and Victoria Sharbetian,	169 35
	Total	$4,087 30

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement consisting of the laying out and construction of Hampstead Lane, West Roxbury district, between Hampstead road and Hampstead road, under an order of this commission of December 7, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

Mrs. Henry A. Boone, 17 Park street, Hyde Park, in the sum of $90, as compensation for damage to property caused by employees of the Water Division while installing a new meter, October 10, 1955.

Louis Polito, 81 Searle road, West Roxbury, in the sum of $375, as compensation for damage to property during street and sidewalk construction by the Public Works Department, April 23, 1955.

Thelma Harvey, 156 School street, Boston, in the sum of $198, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the crosswalk on Summer street, near police traffic box opposite the South Station, March 28, 1955.

Pearl Levine, 426 Massachusetts avenue, Boston, in the sum of $485, as compensation for personal injuries caused by broken curving on Blue Hill avenue, near corner of Lawrence avenue, July 19, 1955.

Timothy F. Regan, 520 Boylston street, Boston, in the sum of $385, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 972 Commonwealth avenue, September 8, 1955.

Robert J. Elliott, 40 Etna street, Brighton, in the sum of $23.92, as compensation for damage to property caused when his automobile struck a hole in the highway on North Beacon street, opposite the International Harvester Company, July 29, 1955.

Michael Donovan, a minor, by his father, Joseph Donovan, 431 Old Colony road, South Boston, in the sum of $295, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a defective manhole cover in the sidewalk in front of 2 Vinton street, South Boston, April 2, 1955.

Donald E. MacPhail, 43 Neponset avenue, Hyde Park, in the sum of $31.60, as compensation for personal injuries to his daughter Beverly, a minor, caused by falling over the side of one of the slides at "Playland" on Boston Common, July 28, 1954

The following is a statement showing BY WARDS the number and estimated cost of new buildings for purposes of habitation for the erection of which applications were filed with the Building Department of the City of Boston during the

MONTH ENDING NOVEMBER 30, 1955.

WARD.	1-FAMILY DWELLINGS.		2-FAMILY DWELLINGS.		TOTAL FOR MONTH.	
	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.	No.	Cost.
1	1	$13,500	—	—	1	$13,500
17	2	18,400	1	15,000	3	33,400
18	9	83,500	—	—	9	83,500
19	2	31,000	—	—	2	31,000
20	20	208,300	—	—	20	208,300
21	—	—	7	$108,000	6	108,000
Total	34	$354,700	7	$123,000	41	$477,700

PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

Monday, December 12, 1955.

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 2 P.M., President HURLEY in the chair, and all the members present.

The Reverend Thomas J. Croke, of the Gate of Heaven Roman Catholic Church, South Boston, was escorted to the rostrum.

INVOCATION BY REV. THOMAS J. CROKE.

Direct, O Lord, we beseech Thee, all our actions by Thy holy inspiration, to carry them on by Thy gracious assistance that every prayer and work of ours may always begin from Thee and by Thee be happily ended. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Our Father, who art in Heaven, hallowed be Thy name; Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us, and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. Amen.

In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost. Amen.

The meeting was opened with the salute to the Flag.

JURORS DRAWN.

The following jurors were drawn in the manner prescribed by law, Councillor Piemonte presiding at the box in the absence of the Mayor, viz.:

Ninety traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, to appear January 4, 1956:

Paul Contini, Ward 1; Cornelius J. Donohue, Ward 1; James A. Gibbons, Ward 2; William E. Manning, Ward 2; Helen L. Welsh, Ward 2; Charles Alun, Ward 3; Generoso J. Cataldo, Ward 3; Nicholas DiCarlo, Ward 3; William F. Parker, Ward 3; Oscar T. Thibodeau, Ward 3; Eleanora Fraser West, Ward 3; James A. Armstrong, Ward 4; Thomas J. Hanson, Ward 4; Paul G. Bierlich, Ward 5; Everett J. Burroughs, Ward 5; Ambrose J. Forde, Ward 5; Denis Riordan, Ward 5; Chester C. Wilcox, Ward 5; Edward T. Booth, Ward 6; James M. Gralton, Ward 6; John Lubinski, Ward 6; George J. Mason, Ward 7; Edmund B. Skelly, Ward 7; Samuel D. Morganelli, Ward 8; Lucius A. Allston, Ward 9; Charles H. Williams, Ward 9; Lawrence A. Leary, Ward 10; John T. Morrison, Ward 10; Alice M. Nixon, Ward 10; Frank P. Scanzillo, Ward 10; Victor E. Belanger, Ward 11; Frederick E. Goss, Ward 11; James E. Lyddy, Ward 11; Ralph W. Wilson, Ward 11; Cecil G. Bulger, Ward 12; Charles Dedmond, Ward 12; Aaron H. Sacks, Ward 12; James Whitehead, Ward 12; Dorothy E. Bartlett, Ward 13; Richard J. Bernazzani, Ward 13; Gregory P. Bowes, Ward 13; Mary A. Carullo, Ward 13; William B. Jones, Ward 13; John J. Moore, Ward 13; Jack Brodsky, Ward 14; Hyman Feldman, Ward 14; Samuel Reyn, Ward 14; Thomas M. Rice, Ward 14; Helen Sawelsky, Ward 14; John J. Corbett, Ward 15; John J. Corbett, Jr., Ward 15; Charles J. Stokinger, Ward 15.

Constance J. Cadogan, Ward 16; Leo E. Costa, Ward 16; James M. Gibbons, Ward 16; Robert J. Quirk, Ward 16; Joseph A. Sullivan, Ward 16; John James Walsh, Ward 16; Joseph M. Abern, Ward 17; George B. Brooks, Ward 17; Jeremiah W. Holland, Ward 17; Charles W. Hutchinson, Ward 17; Charles W. Kimball, Ward 17; Arthur J. Rose, Ward 17; Charles F. Carroll, Ward 18; James J. Delaney, Ward 18; George F. Harney, Jr., Ward 18; Stanley E. Kehoe, Ward 18; William A. King, Ward 18; John L. Moran, Ward 18; Guy J. Narciso, Ward 18; Stephen Romano, Ward 18; Mario J. Signori, Ward 18; John G. Stonis, Ward 18; William C. Sutherland, Ward 18; Marjorie M. Wheatly, Ward 18; Ethel T. Burnett, Ward 19; John S. Okraska, Ward 19; David W. Ekblad, Ward 20; Edgar Hess, Ward 20; Franklin W. MacDonald, Ward 20; Joseph T. Younis, Ward 20; Francis X. Callahan, Ward 21; Edward E. Gallucio, Ward 21; Lucille Murphy, Ward 21; Harold G. Spencer, Ward 21; Lillian P. Whitehouse, Ward 21; John J. Casey, Ward 22; Joseph L. Day, Ward 22; James R. McKay, Ward 22.

Ninety traverse jurors, Superior Criminal Court, to appear January 12, 1956:

Florence Corbett, Ward 1; Rose Cornetta, Ward 1; Edward Farmer, Ward 1; Frank L. Lamborghini, Ward 1; John J. Mullen, Ward 1; Anthony Ricardo, Ward 1; George A. Sacco, Ward 1; Daniel H. Sheehan, Ward 1; John Souza, Ward 1; William F. Lester, Ward 2; Michael Cardone, Ward 3; Mildred McIntire, Ward 3; Frank G. Reynolds, Ward 4; Eugene A. Schroeder, Ward 4; Ruth P. Simpson, Ward 4; Guy Denes, Ward 5; Eric K. Fielding, Ward 5; Lawrence Newcomb, Ward 5; William P. Phillips, Ward 5; Arthur E. Whitney, Ward 5; John F. Brennan, Ward 6; Nuncio J. Crea, Ward 6; Frederick T. Guerriero, Ward 6; Dennis J. Lehane, Jr., Ward 6, James M. Meaney, Ward 6; Michael J. O'Connor, Ward 6; John J. Wisniewski, Ward 6; Chester E. Cornock, Ward 7; Edwin J. Olson, Ward 7; Walter Rudnisky, Ward 7; Richard A. Young, Ward 7; Walter J. Zawacki, Ward 7; Thomas F. Driscoll, Ward 8; Cleveland A. Pitters, Ward 9; John J. Sheehan, Ward 9; Thomas F. Breen, Jr., Ward 10; John F. Hagerty, Ward 10; Richard B. Lawrence, Ward 10; Oliver F. Stone, Ward 10; Irving Braverman, Ward 11; Florence D. Colton, Ward 11; Eugene Princi, Ward 11; Leslie Brandywine, Ward 12; Norman Gold, Ward 12; John J. Semper, Ward 12.

John L. Abbott, Ward 13; John Foley, Ward 13; Francis R. Liddell, Ward 13; Thomas E. Lydon, Ward 13; Robert A. Maguire, Ward 13; Daniel J. McDonald, Ward 13; George W. McQuade, Ward 13; Robert J. Raelin, Ward 13; Anna Bass, Ward 14; Harry Freedman, Ward 14; Alice M. Holland, Ward 14; Charles Keimach, Ward 14; William M. Key, Ward 14; John W. Leonard, Ward 14; Michael F. Manning, Ward 14; Leo S. Shaer, Ward 14; William A. Maginnis, Ward 15; Carroll R. Putnam, Ward 15; William H. Devin, Ward 16; Alice L. Gately, Ward 16; Francis G. Jurusz, Ward 16; Lawson A. Butterfield, Ward 17; Samuel Porter, Ward 17; Gertrude A. Shaw, Ward 17; James W. Ainslie, Ward 18; Leo Francis O'Neill, Ward 18; Roger L. Smith, Ward 18; Gerhard O. Berndt, Ward 19; Carl W. Hughey, Ward 19; Leo B. Lesher, Ward 19; Vincent P. Svelnis, Ward 19; Walter Boernig, Ward 20; Evelyn M. Butler, Ward 20; Maurice D. Carroll, Ward 20; John J. Hayes, Ward 20; Thomas F. Hughes, Jr., Ward 20; Eric Lundin, Ward 20; Robert O. Maynard, Ward 20; John Francis Power, Ward 20; Paul D. Connerton, Ward 21; Morris Levy, Ward 21; Timothy J. Murphy, Ward 21; Edmund G. O'Neil, Ward 21; Harry Reek, Ward 21; Joseph T. Regan, Ward 22.

APPOINTMENTS BY THE MAYOR.

Subject to confirmation by the Council, the Mayor submitted the following appointments:

Weighers of goods for the term ending April 30, 1956: Joseph P. Mahoney, Jr., 41 Gorham avenue, Brookline; John J. Callahan, 239 Weld street, West Roxbury; Robert J. Buccigross, 41 Thetford avenue, Dorchester; Charles M. Callahan, Jr., 1691 Boylston street, Brookline.

Severally referred to the Committee on Confirmations.

SURVEY OF TRAFFIC CONDITIONS ON BUNKER HILL STREET, CHARLESTOWN.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, December 9, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Traffic Commissioner relative to your resolution of October 31, 1955, concerning traffic conditions on Bunker Hill street, Charlestown.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

Boston Traffic Commission,
December 7, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

In response to the Council order of October 31, 1955, introduced by Councillor Ahearn, requesting a special study of traffic conditions on Bunker Hill street, Charlestown, I submit the following report.

While, at first glance, it might appear that the establishment of a through way in Bunker Hill street would be helpful to traffic conditions, familiarity with the use of the through-way device in streets of this nature reveals that a speed problem immediately results from such regulations.

Lifelong residents of the Bunker Hill area feel that Bunker Hill street would become a veritable race track because motorists using it would assume that all vehicles entering from side streets would stop. Very often, in spite of stop signs, those entering from side streets do not stop, and as a result extremely serious accidents result.

Our office is recommending to the State Department of Public Works that, in connection with the resurfacing of Bunker Hill street, underground conduit for future pedestrian traffic signals should be installed at the intersection of Bunker Hill street and Monument street and in Bunker Hill street in the vicinity of Bunker Hill Park. With the establishment of traffic lights, then Bunker Hill street will become safer under existing regulations or under any change in regulations.

It has been previously explained that, in order to establish stop streets, approval of the State Department of Public Works is necessary so that there will be some uniformity in such matters and so that there will not be so many finally established that motorists will consider them an irritation and come to disregard them. Some of the intersections on Bunker Hill street do not meet minimum warrants for the establishment of stop streets either in the amount of cross traffic, accident records, or speeding.

Accordingly, because a through way would increase hazards on Bunker Hill street and because certain entering streets do not fulfill the warrants required for stop streets, we regret to report that we cannot favor a change in the regulations at this time. However, we can look forward to the installation of traffic signals following the reconstruction of the roadway which is scheduled for the near future.

Respectfully yours,
WM. ARTHUR REILLY, Commissioner.

Placed on file.

NATIONAL GUARD ARMORY AT CITY POINT.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, December 9, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communication from the Chairman of the Board of Appeal relative to a motion adopted by your Honorable Body on November 28, 1955, concerning location of a National Guard Armory at City Point, South Boston.

Respectfully,
JOHN B. HYNES, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Building Department.
December 7, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Your Honor:

In answer to your communication dated December 1, 1955, and copies of the City Council order of October 17, 1955, Mayor's letter dated November 16, 1955, to the City Council, transmitting communication from the Adjutant General of the Commonwealth, and letter (dated November 15, 1955) of William H. Harrison, Jr., Major General, A.G.C., Mass. N.G., the Adjutant General, Chairman, Armory Commission, relative to the location of a National Guard Armory at City Point in South Boston near the Aquarium site, the Board would state that it has read all of the communications received by it and has noted the contents.

Very truly yours,
For the Board of Appeal,
by MERTON P. ELLIS, Chairman.

Placed on file.

PETITIONS REFERRED.

The following petitions were received and referred to the committee named, viz:

Claims.

Allen Furniture Company, for compensation for damage to truck by hanging limb of tree.

Sera Amato, for compensation for damage to car by city truck.

Carol Armstrong, for mother, for compensation for injuries caused by defective step of Faneuil Branch Library, Brighton.

Samuel, Pauline and Patricia Battaglia and Mary Mandracchia, for compensation for injuries and damage to property caused by an alleged defect in Warren Avenue Bridge.

Theodore Brown, for compensation for damage to property at 94 Seaver street, Roxbury, caused by city men blowing out water pipe.

John J. Carter, to be reimbursed as result of two executions issued against him on account of his acts as employee of Public Works Department.

Cora Collins, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 462 Massachusetts avenue.

Barbara P. Cresto, for daughter, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Municipal Building, Roslindale.

Adelaide Delisi, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Porter and Bennington streets.

Paul J. DeRosa, to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Fire Department.

David Epstein, for compensation for injuries and damage to property by car of Police Department.

Bella Kelberman, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at Commonwealth avenue and Royce road.

Grace Linscott, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 929 Harrison avenue.

John Majeski, for compensation for damage to car by fire apparatus.

Edward J. McNabb, for compensation for damage to car caused by an alleged defect at Summer and Lincoln streets.

Blanche Merello, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Warren avenue.

Patsy P. Minichiello, for compensation for damage to car and personal injuries caused by city vehicle.

Ernest F. Mosher, for compensation for damage to car by truck of Parks and Recreation Department.

William D. Murray, for compensation for damage to property at 829 East Third street, South Boston, caused by backing up of sewage.

Eve Neudel, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 104–114 Lincoln street.

Lucinda Nunes, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 141–144 Tremont street.

Antonetta Penza, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Broadway, South Boston.

Josephine Penza, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Broadway, South Boston.

Pioneer Mutual Insurance Company, for compensation for damage to car of Nicholas A. Ansaldi by city motor vehicle.

Paul Raditch, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect in Franklin Field, Dorchester.

Margaret Ryan, for compensation for injuries caused by an alleged defect at 24-26 Bunker Hill street.

James T. Shea, Jr., to be reimbursed as result of accident which occurred while in performance of duty as employee of Fire Department.

Francis G. and Norman C. Stapleton, for compensation for damage to property at 603 Poplar street, Roslindale, caused during sidewalk resurfacing.

PETITIONS FOR ANNUITY.

Petition of Julia E. Dunn to be paid annuity on account of death of her husband, Albert A. Dunn, late member of the Police Department.

Petition of Margarct E. Shea to be paid annuity on account of death of her husband, William Shea, late member of the Police Department.

Petition of Margaret T. Towle to be paid annuity on account of death of her husband, Francis L. Towle, late member of the Fire Department.

Referred to the Committee on Claims.

PETITION FOR INDEMNIFICATION.

A petition was received from Charles N. Vogel, retired member of the Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses.

Referred to the Committee on Claims.

HEARINGS BEFORE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES.

Notice was received from the Department of Public Utilities of hearing on petition of Central Greyhound Lines, Inc., of New York, and the Greyhound Corporation, to be held on December 19, 1955, for approval of transfers of all certificates of licenses and permits to Greyhound Corporation.

Notice was received from the Department of Public Utilities of postponed hearing on petition of Representative Michael Paul Feeney, to be held on April 9, 1956, at 10 A.M., protesting the removal of the Hyde Park Station of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad.

A communication was received from the Boston Edison Company transmitting copy of notice of hearing before the Department of Public Utilities on December 16, 1955, at 10 A.M., on petition of Boston Edison Company for location on Neponset avenue and Gallivan Boulevard for underground wires.

A communication was received from the Boston Edison Company transmitting copy of notice of hearing before the Department of Public Utilities on December 16, 1955, at 10 A.M., on petition of Boston Edison Company for location in William T. Morrissey Boulevard for manhole and wires.

Notice was received from the Department of Public Utilities of hearing on petition of Rapid Transit, Inc., and Saugus Transit, Inc., to be held on December 22, 1955, at 10 A.M., for approval of sale and transfer of certificates of public convenience and necessity.

Severally placed on file.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMISSION ON DEFECTS IN PUBLIC WAYS.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Finance Commission, December 7, 1955.

To the Honorable the Mayor and City Council:

One of the largest of the regularly recurrent annual expenditures of the City of Boston is the amount spent for the purpose of providing good local streets. This money is used for construction of new streets, for reconstruction of old streets, and for maintenance of new and old streets. The total of these expenditures includes a considerable sum for new sidewalks on new streets and for new sidewalks on old streets; and for repair of sidewalks on old streets. Over a short period of years, like one mayoralty administration, it amounts to many million dollars.

However, there is a mounting annual large expenditure by the city arising from accidents due to holes, breaks, collapses, etc., in the public ways of the city. The size of this expenditure has become so great that it is difficult to accept the philosophy that it is an inevitable and unavoidable cost. It is the hope that a portrayal of the situation will stimulate action to check and even reduce this second large expenditure which prompts this communication.

First of all, it is important to realize the vastness of the city's outlay intended to produce and maintain sound and safe surface condition of its highways.

In the period 1950-1954, the city spent for construction and maintenance of highway surfaces more than $19,000,000. The following tabulation shows how this sum was divided.

(CITY LABOR FORCE) — MAINTENANCE.

	1950.	*1951.*	*1952.*	*1953.*	*1954.*
Highway Expenditure	$925,740	$931,819	$1,014,102	$994,144	$911,753
Sidewalk and Curb	227,788	295,137	315,859	333,669	335,594
Total	$1,153,528	$1,226,956	$1,329,961	$1,327,813	$1,247,347

(CONTRACT WORK) — CONSTRUCTION.

Reconstruction of Streets	$106,976	$103,236	$94,640	$105,801	$12,994
Sidewalk-Construction-Reconstruction	66,945	116,673	78,945	78,571	89,973
Public Ways, Making of (Revenue)	158,891	159,201	157,500	157,500	147,859
Public Ways, Making of (Non-Revenue)	1,937,386	2,637,017	2,536,634	2,019,055	2,081,107
Total	$2,270,198	$3,016,127	$2,867,719	$2,360,927	$2,361,933

Average Annual Maintenance Expenditure $1,257,121
Average Annual Construction Expenditure $2,575,380

Despite this large expenditure, and particularly the amount spent for maintenance, in the period from August, 1954, to August, 1955, the city paid damage awards totaling well over $200,000 for personal injuries due to defects in its highways; and that amount is only a portion of the total which will ultimately be paid for claims remaining on the docket at the end of this period.

In this same 12-month period there were 239 damage claims due to personal injuries settled by payment to the claimants. These cases had their inception in various years going back to 1947; but this number is but a fraction of the total number filed in the years in question, and every one of them necessitated payroll expenses to the city.

Personal injury claims result much more often because of defects in sidewalks than in other street surfaces. In a recent year, for instance, when approximately 730 claims were filed, for which it is expected that 500 court actions will result, approximately 85 per cent were due to defects in sidewalks.

Many damage awards resulting from defects are paid by order of the City Council. Some are paid as the result of negotiations between legal representatives of the city after suit has been entered in court. Others are paid as the result of a verdict ordered by a judge or jury after a hearing of the merits. It can easily be realized, therefore, that in addition to the sums paid to claimants, there is a large payroll and other expenditure for adjudication of these claims. The expense of repair of defects, naturally, is a city expense.

There are limitations set out by law to the liability of the city in instances of injury. In addition to limiting the amount of recovery to $4,000 in any case, they relate principally to the seriousness of the defect and the length of time it has been in existence. It is important to realize that courts often determine the culpability of the city on the basis of the degree of use made of the location of the injury. Court interpretations of the law governing this situation protect the city against claims that might be based on trivial defects; and against claims in instances where the city had not had proper time to discover the defect and remedy it.

INSPECTION.

It is expected that the city will inform itself of the condition of the streets primarily through a form of inspection by employees of the Public Works Department; and this inspection is intended to be augumented by the workings of a police regulation requiring route police officers to report defects in streets and sidewalks, and to place protective barriers about them until corrected.

It is significant that the police rule spells out the duty of the police officers in this regard very carefully. It states:

Rule 46

1) The police shall be vigilant in observing the condition of the public streets in order that they may be safe and convenient for travel.

2) When a police officer discovers a defect or an obstruction in a public street which is likely to cause accidents, he shall at once remove it, if practicable; if the defect or obstruction is of such a nature that he cannot remove it, he shall take immediate measures to prevent accidents by erecting suitable guards, and if at night, by displaying lanterns.

3) If a defect in the public street is caused by want of repairs or the failure of a person who has made an excavation to restore the street to a proper condition, or there is a defective manhole or cesspool cover, the department of public works of the city shall be notified.

9) The Law Department of the City of Boston shall be immediately notified by the division commander of all cases of injuries caused by alleged street or sidewalk defects or street or sidewalk conditions.

It is apparent therefore that the Police Department recognizes the responsibility and takes means to pursue it. A measure of police diligence, to some extent, might be a comparison of the number of defects reported by the police in a given time with the number of claims of injury filed with the City Clerk in the same period. In this respect the ratio of police reports to claims is about 2 to 1 in favor of the police.

Public Works Department inspection is "something else again." It is this department's function to keep the highway surfaces in good order. Yet it has no organized or regular or routine inspection; it claims only that in the summer there is patrol by a group which finds and gives quick repairs to spots in the so-called "downtown" area. For the rest of the year the department relies on police reports of defects, except that occasionally an observant citizen, even sometimes an observant Public Works Department employee not assigned to this job, will report a dangerous defect. The fact of the matter is therefore that the department which should be most concerned about the condition of the street surfaces relies on other than its own organization to become informed of defects in the highways.

Furthermore, there appears to be no record made or kept of the approximate time of the first occurrence of the dangerous condition, though this might become important in city defense in a trial. The dated police report most nearly approaches that significant detail. It is the practice of the official in City Hall who receives this report to relay it to the Public Works Department yard in the district where the defect lies, but the record reveals that it is usually four, five, or six days after its receipt in City Hall that it arrives in the yard.

Thereafter, there being no standard routine procedure spelled out for the authority in the yard, the work of correction of the defective condition is left to the judgment of the employee in charge, usually the district foreman. Again the more or less voluntary practice is to take care immediately of a serious situation in an important area, and to take care of the less important when the work of the district will permit. Unfortunately this method is not good protection for the city, because the apparently less serious defects figure more often in the injury claims.

Analysis of the data of location of sidewalk accidents shows that the section of the city exhibiting the highest percentage of these accidents is what is known as Ward 3, which comprises a substantial part of the downtown area. From the language in the case of Hawkes vs. M.T.A., 328, Mass. 140, it is clear that this is the type of area where special vigilance is called for.

The pertinent language of the court decision in that case reads: "The standard of duty placed on a municipality 'is not an absolute or inflexible one, but should be given an application which is related to the character of the way and to the kind and amount of travel at the location of the alleged defect,' (McDonald vs. Boston, 318 Mass. 618 and Callagy vs. Boston, 297 Mass. 53). A condition which might constitute a defect in a thickly-settled district might not amount to a defect in a remote part of the city where the traffic was lighter. And what might be a defect on a sidewalk might not be one if situated on a way used principally for vehicular traffic."

CONCLUSION.

To what extent the quality of the work is a factor in the actionable cases of defect is not known. It is known that the defect is sometimes due to other causes; but in view of the prevailing types of defects, original quality of the work is hard to evaluate. These types are:

Raised sidewalk slabs, sinking of sidewalk after repair and patching following openings, raised meter boxes, curbstone sunken below level of sidewalk slab, broken and worn areas. It would seem that inspection for the purpose of preventing those conditions which give rise to suits against the city should center on these types of defects.

It is obvious that the Public Works Department makes little effort to prevent accidents by prompt discovery and remedy of defective conditions. It has not yet organized the work necessary. It passes over to the police officers who have many other duties the responsibility of discovery of highway hazards. The absence of adequate practice and records handicaps the Law Department in adjudicating claims.

The ultimate financial cost of accidents warrants a better effort along this line than is made at present.

It follows that the departments involved in this area of administration of service should come together and agree on a procedure which will be adequate in the situation. A routine and method which is comprehensive and meaningful is long overdue.

Respectfully submitted,
H. W. DWIGHT RUNN, Chairman,
LEO J. DUNN,
EDWARD U. LEE,
ROGER J. AMIZAID, M.D.,
HENRY A. SASSERNO,
The Finance Commission.

ROBERT E. CUNNIFF,
Secretary.

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ASSIGNMENT OF JUDGES.

A communication was received from the Clerk of the Supreme Judicial Court of appointment of five justices of the district courts as an Administrative Committee of the District Courts.

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REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CLAIMS

Coun. McCORMACK, for the Committee on Claims, submitted the following:

1. Report on petition of Francis J. Kelley (referred November 28) for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury sustained by him while in the performance of his duty as a member of the Fire Department — recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 100 of chapter 41 of the General Laws, upon petition of Francis J. Kelley, a member of the Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury received through no fault of his own while in the performance of his duty on May 2, 1955, there be allowed and paid, as recommended by the Fire Commissioner and approved by the Corporation Counsel, to the following the amounts stated:

Carney Hospital	$68 00
Paul I. O'Brien, M.D.	15 00
Thomas P. R. Hinchey, M.D.	10 00
Total	$93 00

said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

2. Report on petition of John F. O'Brien (referred November 28) for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury sustained by him while in the performance of his duty as a member of the Fire Department — recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 100 of chapter 41 of the General Laws, upon petition of John F. O'Brien, a member of the Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury received through no fault of his own while in the performance of his duty on July 23, 1955, there be allowed and paid, as recommended by the Fire Commissioner and approved by the Corporation Counsel, to the following the amounts stated:

Carney Hospital	$211 78
John J. Todd, M.D.	100 00
Total	$311 78

said sum to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

3. Report on petition of John B. O'Connor (referred November 28) for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury sustained by him while in the performance of his duty as a member of the Fire Department — recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 100 of chapter 41 of the General Laws, upon petition of John B. O'Connor, a member of the Fire Department, for indemnification for hospital, surgical, medical, and nursing expenses incurred as a result of an injury received through no fault of his own while in the performance of his duty on September 26, 1951, there be allowed and paid, as recommended by the Fire Commissioner and approved by the Corporation Counsel, to the following the amounts stated:

Boston Firemen's Relief Fund	$232 00
Charles H. Bradford, M.D.	30 00
Nasman & Ross	52 00
Total	$311 00

said amount to be charged to the appropriation for Executions of Court, Damage Claims and Reimbursements.

Reports accepted; said orders severally passed.

4. Report on petition of Catherine DePietro (referred March 7) to be paid annuity on account of death of husband, Salvatore DePietro, late member of Police Department — recommending the petitioner have leave to withdraw without prejudice.

The report was accepted.

5. Report on petition of Julia Chalmers (referred December 6, 1951) to be paid annuity on account of death of her husband, late member of Police Department — recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 89A of chapter 32 of the General Laws, an annuity of fifteen hundred dollars be allowed and paid to Julia Chalmers, widow of Hazen A. Chalmers, a member of the Police Department, who died on August 16, 1951, on account of injuries received in the performance of his duty, said annuity to continue so long as she remains unmarried; such annuity to date from February 1, 1955, and to be charged to the appropriation for Police Department, Pensions and Annuities.

6. Report on petition of Theresa Cox (referred July 22, 1954) to be paid annuity on account of death of her husband, James J. Cox, late member of Fire Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order.

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 89A of chapter 32 of the General Laws, an annuity of fifteen hundred dollars be allowed and paid to Theresa Cox, widow of James J. Cux, a member of the Fire Department, who died on June 30, 1954, on account of injuries received in the performance of his duty, said annuity to continue so long as she remains unmarried; such annuity to date from September 1, 1954, and to be charged to the appropriation for Fire Department, Pensions and Annuities.

7. Report on petition of Catherine DePietro (referred June 14, 1954) to be paid annuity on account of death of her husband, Salvatore DePietro, late member of Police Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 89A of chapter 32 of the General Laws, an annuity of fifteen hundred dollars be allowed and paid to Catherine DePietro, widow of Salvatore DePietro, a member of the Police Department, who died on June 4, 1954, on account of injuries received in the performance of his duty, said annuity to continue so long as she remains unmarried, and to date from August 1, 1954, and to be charged to the appropriation for Police Department, Pensions and Annuities.

8. Report on petition of Agnes T. Donahue (referred August 30, 1954) to be paid annuity on account of death of her husband, Timothy D. Donahue, late member of Fire Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 89A of chapter 32 of the General Laws, an annuity of fifteen hundred dollars be allowed and paid to Agnes T. Donahue, widow of Timothy D. Donahue, a member of the Fire Department, who died on August 16, 1954, on account of injuries received in the performance of his duty, said annuity to continue so long as she remains unmarried; such annuity to date from October 1, 1954, and to be charged to the appropriation for Fire Department, Pensions and Annuities.

9. Report on petition of Edeline P. Egan (referred June 27) to be paid annuity on account of death of her husband, Edward C. Egan, late member of Police Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 89A of chapter 32 of the General Laws, an annuity of fifteen hundred dollars be allowed and paid to Edeline P. Egan, widow of Edward C. Egan, a member of the Police Department, who died on June 4, 1955, on account of injuries received in the performance of his duty, said annuity to continue so long as she remains unmarried, such annuity to date from August 1, 1955, and to be charged to the appropriation for Police Department, Pensions and Annuities.

10. Report on petition of Alice M. Gaffey (referred December 20, 1954) to be paid annuity on account of death of her husband, Patrick J. Gaffey, late member of Police Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 89A of chapter 32 of the General Laws, an annuity of fifteen hundred dollars be allowed and paid to Alice M. Gaffey, widow of Patrick J. Gaffey, a member of the Police Department, who died on April 25, 1954, on account of injuries received in the performance of his duty, said annuity to continue so long as she remains unmarried, and to date from February 1, 1955, and to be charged to the appropriation for Police Department, Pensions and Annuities.

11. Report on petition of Virginia L. Higgins (referred April 18) to be paid annuity on account of death of her husband, Lawrence J. Higgins, late member of Police Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 89A of chapter 32 of the General Laws, an annuity of twenty-seven hundred and forty-eight dollars be allowed and paid to Virginia L. Higgins, widow of Lawrence J. Higgins, a member of the Police Department, who died on April 8, 1955, on account of injuries received in the performance of his duty, said annuity being made up of allowances as follows:

For the widow, Virginia L. Higgins, so long as she remains unmarried, $1,500 per annum.

For each of the following-named children during such time as such child is under the age of eighteen or over said age and physically or mentally incapacitated from earning, $312 per annum:

Paul Higgins, born October 1, 1937;
Charles Higgins, born July 31, 1939;
Barbara Anne Higgins, born April 19, 1942,
Sheila Higgins, born February 4, 1946;

provided, however, that if the widow remarries, the annuity for each of said children shall be $520 during the remainder of the time aforesaid; said annuity to date from June 1, 1955, and to be charged to the appropriation for Police Department, Pensions and Annuities.

12. Report on petition of Agnes F. Keefe (referred July 19, 1954) to be paid annuity on account of death of her husband, John R. Keefe, late member of Fire Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 89A of chapter 32 of the General Laws, an annuity of fifteen hundred dollars be allowed and paid to Agnes F. Keefe, widow of John R. Keefe, a member of the Fire Department, who died on May 21, 1954, on account of injuries received in the performance of his duty, said annuity to continue so long as she remains unmarried; such annuity to date from September 1, 1954, and to be charged to the appropriation for Fire Department, Pensions and Annuities.

13. Report on petition of Theresa M. Kelley (referred May 17, 1954) to be paid annuity on account of death of her husband, Francis W. Kelley, late member of Fire Department—recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 89A of chapter 32 of the General Laws, an annuity of fifteen hundred dollars be allowed and paid to Theresa M. Kelley, widow of Francis W. Kelley, a member of the Fire Department, who died on April 22, 1954, on account of injuries received in the performance of his duty, said annuity to continue so long as she remains unmarried; such annuity to date from July 1, 1954, and to be charged to the appropriation for Fire Department, Pensions and Annuities.

14. Report on petition of M. Florence Maguire (referred April 25) to be paid annuity on account of death of her husband, John J. Maguire, late member of Police Department — recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 89A of chapter 32 of the General Laws, an annuity of eighteen hundred and twelve dollars be allowed and paid to M. Florence Maguire, widow of John J. Maguire, a member of the Police Department, who died on April 1, 1955, on account of injuries received in the performance of his duty, said annuity being made up of allowances as follows:

For the widow, M. Florence Maguire, so long as she remains unmarried, $1,500 per annum.

For the following-named child during such time as she is under the age of eighteen or over said age and physically or mentally incapacitated from earning, $312 per annum:

Ellen N. Maguire, born July 25, 1941; provided, however, that if the widow remarries, the annuity for said child shall be $520 during the remainder of the time aforesaid; said annuity to date from June 1, 1955, and to be charged to the appropriation for Police Department, Pensions and Annuities.

15. Report on petition of Ethel Phillips (referred June 13) to be paid annuity on account of death of her husband, Daniel A. Phillips, late member of Police Department — recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 89A of chapter 32 of the General Laws, an annuity of fifteen hundred dollars be allowed and paid to Ethel Phillips, widow of Daniel A. Phillips, a member of the Police Department, who died on May 15, 1955, on account of injuries received in the performance of his duty, said annuity to continue so long as she remains unmarried; such annuity to date from August 1, 1955, and to be charged to the appropriation for Police Department, Pensions and Annuities.

16. Report on petition of Gertrude L. Roycroft (referred July 12, 1954) to be paid annuity on account of death of her husband, Richard F. Roycroft, late member of Fire Department — recommending passage of the accompanying order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 89A of chapter 32 of the General Laws, an annuity of fifteen hundred dollars be allowed and paid to Gertrude L. Roycroft, widow of Richard F. Roycroft, a member of the Fire Department, who died on June 24, 1954, on account of injuries received in the performance of his duty, said annuity to continue so long as she remains unmarried, and to date from September 1, 1954, and to be charged to the appropriation for Fire Department, Pensions and Annuities.

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POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 2,142.

It is hereby ordered that the assignments of vacation periods for members of the force for 1956 shall be arranged as follows:

ADDITIONAL VACATION PERIOD: ONLY FOR THOSE MEMBERS OF THE FORCE ENTITLED TO MORE THAN TWO WEEKS' VACATION BECAUSE OF LENGTH OF CONTINUOUS SERVICE.

Seven days' vacation for service of ten years or more, but not more than twenty years.

Fourteen days' vacation for service of twenty years or more.

The time for each vacation in this period shall be determined by lot in the usual manner on Friday, December 30, 1955.

Not more than one twelfth of the whole number attached to any division entitled to this additional vacation period shall be absent on vacation at the same time.

ADDITIONAL VACATION PERIOD TO BEGIN AND END ON SUNDAY AT 7.45 A.M.

1. January 8 to January 22.
2. January 22 to February 5.
3. February 5 to February 19.
4. February 19 to March 4.
5. March 4 to March 18.
6. March 18 to April 1.
7. April 1 to April 15.
8. April 15 to April 29.
9. October 28 to November 11.
10. November 11 to November 25.
11. November 25 to December 9.
12. December 9 to December 23.

SUMMER VACATION PERIOD: For All Members of the Force with Service of One Year or More.

Fourteen days' vacation.

The time for each vacation in this period shall be determined by lot in the usual manner on Monday, April 16, 1956.

Not more than one thirteenth of the whole number attached to any division entitled to this summer vacation period shall be absent on vacation at the same time.

SUMMER VACATION PERIOD TO BEGIN AND END ON SUNDAY AT 7.45 A.M.

1. April 29 to May 13.
2. May 13 to May 27.
3. May 27 to June 10.
4. June 10 to June 24.
5. June 24 to July 8.
6. July 8 to July 22.
7. July 22 to August 5.
8. August 5 to August 19.
9. August 19 to September 2.
10. September 2 to September 16.
11. September 16 to September 30.
12. September 30 to October 14.
13. October 14 to October 28.

Members of the force with less than one year's service shall be allowed a vacation of one day for each month of service, to be taken at such time as may be arranged by the commanding officers.

For the purpose of determining vacation allowance of more than two weeks, strict adherence will be given to the original date of appointment of a member of the force.

All 1956 vacations shall be completed by December 23, 1956, at 7.45 A.M., and no officer will be allowed to take more than a 14-day vacation period at one time.

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PROCEEDINGS OF CITY COUNCIL.

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Reports accepted; said orders severally passed.

17. Report on message of the Mayor (referred August 16, 1954) vetoing order passed June 28, 1954, for payment of annuity to Mary R. Adley on account of death of her husband Bartholomew J. Adley, late member of Police Department—recommending sustaining said veto and passage of the accompanying draft of new order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 89A of chapter 32 of the General Laws, an annuity of fifteen hundred dollars be allowed and paid to Mary R. Adley, widow of Bartholomew J. Adley, a member of the Police Department who died on February 26, 1954, on account of injuries received in the performance of his duty, said annuity to continue so long as she remains unmarried; such annuity to date from May 1, 1954, and to be charged to the appropriation for Police Department, Pensions and Annuities.

18. Report on message of the Mayor (referred August 16, 1954) vetoing order passed June 28, 1954, for payment of annuity to Mabel H. Sheehan on account of death of her husband, James T. Sheehan, late member of Police Department—recommending sustaining said veto and passage of the accompanying draft of new order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 89A of chapter 32 of the General Laws, an annuity of fifteen hundred dollars be allowed and paid to Mabel H. Sheehan, widow of James T. Sheehan, a member of the Police Department, who died on March 24, 1954, on account of injuries received in the performance of his duty, said annuity to continue so long as she remains unmarried; such annuity to date from June 1, 1954, and to be charged to the appropriation for Police Department, Pensions and Annuities.

19. Report on message of the Mayor (referred August 16, 1954) vetoing order passed June 28, 1954, for payment of annuity to Cecelia H. Heffron on account of death of her husband, Martin T. Heffron, late member of Police Department—recommending sustaining said veto and passage of the accompanying draft of new order:

Ordered, That under the provisions of section 89A of chapter 32 of the General Laws, an annuity of fifteen hundred dollars be allowed and paid to Cecelia H. Heffron, widow of Martin T. Heffron, a member of the Police Department, who died on January 29, 1954, on account of injuries received in the performance of his duty, said annuity to continue so long as she remains unmarried; such annuity to date from April 1, 1954, and to be charged to the appropriation for Police Department, Pensions and Annuities.

The reports were accepted. The question came on the passage of the orders passed on June 28, 1955, notwithstanding the veto of the Mayor, and the said orders failed of passage, yeas 0, nays 8:

Yeas — 0.

Nays — Councillors Ahearn, Foley, Hailer, Hurley, Kerrigan, McCormack, McLaughlin, White — 8.

Not Voting — Councillor Piemonte — 1.

The orders in the new drafts, as submitted by the committee, were passed.

TRANSFERRING CONTROL OF CERTAIN PORTIONS OF COLUMBIA ROAD TO THE METROPOLITAN DISTRICT COMMISSION.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Ordered, That chapter 570 of the Acts of 1955, entitled "An Act Transferring to the Metropolitan District Commission the Care, Control and Maintenance of Certain Portions of Columbia Road in the City of Boston," be, and hereby is, accepted.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

TAX ASSESSING INFORMATION CONCERNING CERTAIN PROPERTIES.

The following was received:

City of Boston,
Office of the Mayor, December 12, 1955.

To the City Council.

Gentlemen:

I transmit herewith communications from the Chairman of the Board of Assessors and the Collector-Treasurer relative to your order of November 28, 1955.

Respectfully,
J. B. HYNES, Mayor.

City of Boston,
Treasury Department, December 12, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

The records of the Collecting Division of the Treasury Department show in answer to question No. 2 of the City Council order of November 28, 1955, that the only outstanding accounts as of December 31, 1949, on the properties listed in question No. 2 were:

Item Y: location, 99 State Street; year, 1949; payments, $96.48, $1,741.85; costs and interest, $71.05; dates, February 9, 1950, September 29, 1950.

With reference to question No. 4, the dates and amounts of payments on each of these parcels are as listed on the following three pages. All the parcels listed on this schedule with the exception of X and Y will be found in the book marked Ward 3, O–Z, corresponding to the year of the assessment of the tax. The assessed owners are arranged in alphabetical order.

X will be found in book marked Ward 3, A–F, corresponding to the year of the assessment of the tax.

Y will be found in book marked Ward 3, A–F, for the assessment years 1949, 1950, and 1951, and in the Tax Title Account under location, 99 State Street, for the assessed years 1952, 1953, and 1954.

Respectfully yours,
JAMES E. GILDEA, Collector-Treasurer.

Items	Location	Year	Payments	Cost and Interest	Date
A	137–139 Purchase	1950	$2,160 90	—	10/2/50
		1951	2,154 04	—	10/1/51
		1952	1,937 20	$64 05	7/28/53
		1953	2,050 30	89 75	11/15/54
		1954	2,024 20	7 30	11/15/54
		1955			
B	141–143 Purchase	1950	$1,568 70	—	10/2/50
		1951	1,563 72	—	10/1/51
		1952	1,663 32	$55 03	7/28/53
		1953	1,760 43	77 27	11/15/54
		1954	1,738 02	6 28	11/15/54
		1955			
C	140–142 Pearl (See B) Same Parcel				
D	136–138 Pearl	1950	$1,430 10	—	10/2/50
		1951	1,425 56	—	10/1/51
		1952	1,402 80	$46 45	7/28/53
		1953	1,484 70	65 10	11/15/54
		1954	1,465 80	5 30	11/15/54
		1955			
E	132–134 Pearl	1950	$1,480 50	—	10/2/50
		1951	1,475 80	—	10/1/51
		1952	1,402 80	$46 45	7/28/53
		1953	1,484 70	65 10	11/15/54
		1954	1,465 80	5 30	11/15/54
		1955			
F	128–130 Pearl	1950	$1,524 60	—	10/2/50
		1951	1,519 76	—	10/1/51
		1952	1,469 60	$48 65	7/28/53
		1953	1,535 40	69 55	11/15/54
			Water 31 00		
		1954	1,535 60	5 55	11/15/54
		1955			

Item	Location	Year	Payments	Cost and Interest	Date
G	124–126 Pearl	1950	$1,480 50	—	10/2/50
		1951	1,475 80	—	10/1/51
		1952	1,369 40	$15 35	7/28/53
		1953	1,449 35	63 55	11/15/54
		1954	1,430 90	5 15	11/15/54
		1955			
H	120–122 Pearl	1950	$1,486 80	—	10/2/50
		1951	1,482 08	—	10/1/51
		1952	1,402 80	$16 45	7/28/53
		1953	1,481 70	65 10	11/15/54
		1954	1,465 80	5 30	11/15/54
		1955			
I	116–118 Pearl	1950	$1,581 30	—	10/2/50
		1951	1,576 28	—	10/1/51
		1952	1,469 60	$18 65	7/28/53
		1953	1,555 40	68 20	11/15/54
		1954	1,535 60	5 55	11/15/54
		1955			
J	112–114 Pearl	1950	$1,587 60	—	10/2/50
		1951	1,582 56	—	10/1/51
		1952	1,402 80	$16 56	7/28/53
		1953	1,481 70	65 10	11/15/54
		1954	1,465 80	5 30	11/15/54
		1955			
K	108–110 Pearl	1950	$1,587 60	—	10/2/50
		1951	1,582 56	—	10/1/51
		1952	1,402 80	$46 45	7/28/53
		1953	1,484 70	65 10	11/15/54
		1954	1,465 80	5 30	11/15/54
		1955			
L	104–106 Pearl	1950	$1,587 60	—	10/2/50
		1951	1,582 56	—	10/1/51
		1952	1,469 60	$48 65	7/28/53
		1953	1,555 40	68 20	11/15/54
		1954	1,536 60	5 55	11/15/51
		1955			
M	100–102 Pearl	1950	$2,709 00	—	10/2/50
		1951	2,700 40	—	10/1/51
		1952	2,471 60	$81 60	7/28/53
		1953	2,615 90	114 45	11/15/54
		1954	2,582 60	9 35	11/15/54
		1955			
N	129–133 High (See M) Same Parcel				
O	135–137 High	1950	$919 80	—	10/2/50
		1951	916 88	—	10/1/51
		1952	908 48	$30 17	7/28/53
		1953	961 52	42 28	11/15/54
		1954	837 60	3 00	11/15/54
		1955			
P	37–39 Hartford	1950	$812 70	—	10/2/50
		1951	810 12	—	10/1/51
		1952	668 00	$22 35	7/28/53
		1953	707 00	31 15	11/15/54
		1954	698 00	2 50	11/15/51
		1955			
Q	35 Hartford	1950	$1,505 70	—	10/2/50
		1951	1,500 92	—	10/1/51
		1952	1,336 00	$41 25	7/28/53
		1953	1,689 73	74 05	11/15/54
		1954	1,291 30	4 65	11/15/54
		1955			
R	245–249 Washington	1950	$15,750 00	—	10/2/50
		1951	15,700 00	—	10/1/51
S	255 Washington	1950	$11,175 00	—	10/2/50
		1951	14,130 00	—	10/1/51
T	259 Washington	1950	$11,025 00	—	10/2/50
		1951	10,990 00	—	10/1/51
U	263 Washington	1950	$12,600 00	—	10/2/50
		1951	12,560 00	—	10/1/51
V	267 Washington	1950	$11,025 00	—	10/2/50
		1951	10,990 00	—	10/1/51
W	275 Washington	1950	$11,025 00	—	10/2/50
		1951	10,990 00	—	10/1/51
X	76 Broad (VL)	1950	$189 00	$12 16	4/23/52
		1951	188 40	4 58	4/23/52
Y	99 State	1949	$96 18	—	2/9/50
			1,741 85	$71 05	9/29/50
		1950	1,890 00	—	3/21/51
			1,890 00	92 10	6/28/51
		1951	2,983 00	67 37	1/23/52
		1952	3,172 00	—	1/25/55
			1 00	—	4/20/55
		1953	1 00	—	1/25/55
			3,357 25	—	4/20/55
		1954	3,280 60	—	4/20/55
		1955			
Z	125–127 Purchase	1950	$1,656 90	—	10/2/50
		1951	1,651 61	—	10/1/51
		1952	1,536 40	$15 85	7/28/53
		1953	1,626 10	71 25	11/15/51
		1954	1,605 40	5 80	11/15/51
		1955			

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POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

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Five days before each vacation begins, commanding officers shall forward to the Superintendent a list, in triplicate, giving the names of all officers who will be on that vacation. One day before vacation begins, commanding officers shall forward to the Superintendent a list, one original copy, giving the names and vacation addresses of the officers who are going on vacation.

Commanding officers of divisions and units shall not allow vacations to interfere with the proper operation of their organization, making shifts in the day and night duty and taking such other steps as may be necessary to provide adequate protection and proper functioning of the force under their control.

Two copies of this general order are sent to each division and unit so that one copy may be placed on the bulletin board for the direct notice of all officers.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,143.

Acting under provisions of General Laws (Ter. Edit.), chapter 32, section 5, as amended (State-Boston Retirement System), the Boston Retirement Board has approved for retirement, on account of superannuation, the following-named police officer, effective at the close of business, Saturday, December 31, 1955.

In view of this operation of law, after December 31, 1955, the said police officer shall no longer be an active member of this department, and it is hereby ordered that its records be so amended.

Patrolman James P. Murphy, Division 6.

The Acting Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,144.

Acting under provisions of chapter 32, section 7, as amended (State-Boston Retirement System), the Boston Retirement Board has approved for retirement, on account of accidental disability, the following-named police officer, effective at the close of business Saturday, December 31, 1955.

In view of this operation of law, after December 31, 1955, the said police officer shall no longer be an active member of this department, and it is hereby ordered that its records be so amended.

Patrolman Joseph L. Regan, Division 19.

The Acting Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

CLAIM ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claim:

Rose Kasparian, 45 Beecheroft street, Brighton, in the sum of $85, as compensation for damage to property in basement of above premises caused by the backing up of a sewer, December 9, 1954.

TRANSFERS OF APPROPRIATIONS.

The Mayor has approved the following requests for transfers of appropriations:

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

SUPERIOR CIVIL COURT.

Clerk's Office.

From 296, Contractual Services, $5,000, to 100, Personal Services, $5,000.

DISTRICT COURT OF CHELSEA.

From 297, Printing, Binding, $200, 593, Library Books, $42.14, Building Department, 100, Personal Services, $500, to 361, Postage, $200, 221, Electricity, $42.14, 369, Supplies (Not Otherwise Classified), $500.

MUNICIPAL COURT, CHARLESTOWN DISTRICT.

From Building Department, 100, Personal Services, $2,975, to 100, Personal Services, $1,075, 300, Supplies and Materials, $1,900.

PROBATE COURT.

From 300, Supplies and Materials, $531.41, to 100, Permanent Employees, $531.41.

REGISTRY OF PROBATE.

From 360, Office Supplies and Materials, $682.28, to 210, Communications, $180, 290, Miscellaneous Contractual Services, Printing, Binding, and Ruling, $422.28, 590, Miscellaneous Equipment, Library, $80.

JAIL.

From 3, Supplies and Materials. $1,500, to 2, Contractual Services, $1,500,

REGISTRY OF DEEDS.

From 100, Personnel, $1,710.30, 290, Miscellaneous Contractual Services, $200, 490, Miscellaneous Current Charges, $96.20, to 390, Miscellaneous Supplies, $1,994, 590, Miscellaneous Equipment, $12.50.

MUNICIPAL COURT, CHARLESTOWN DISTRICT.

From 110, Temporary Employees, $125, 200, Board and Care of Persons, $100, 400, Awards, $50, to 100, Permanent Employees, $275.

MUNICIPAL COURT, ROXBURY DISTRICT.

From City Debt Requirements, Interest, $3,330.50, to 100, Employees, $296, 213, Communication, $300, 275, Repairs, etc., $67, 289, Transportation, $140, 360, Forms, Postage, etc., $2,300, 392, Handcuffs, etc., $28.50, 396, Uniforms, $30, 498, Surety Bonds, $5, 564, Equipment, $68, 593, Library, $96.

ASSOCIATE MEDICAL EXAMINER SERVICE.

Southern Division.

From 245, Recording and Judicial Services, $150, 294, Freight and Express Charges, $125, to 110, Temporary Employees, $275.

CLAIM ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claim:

Dorothy Donovan, 431 Old Colony road, South Boston, in the sum of $435, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a defective sewer manhold cover in the sidewalk in front of 2 Vinton street, South Boston, April 2, 1955.

City of Boston,
Assessing Department, December 8, 1955.

Mr. Harold B. Flemming,
Chief Clerk, Mayor's Office.

Re: Councillor Piemonte's order of November 28, 1955.

Dear Sir:

In reply to your memorandum of December 1, 1955, we are enclosing answers to the third part of paragraph 2 and to the entire question in paragraph 3 of Councillor Piemonte's order.

It seems to me that the other questions of the order should be referred to the Corporation Counsel and the City Collector-Treasurer.

Very truly yours,
EDMUND J. BURKE, Chairman of the Board of Assessors.

Location	Year	Assessed Value	Valuation Abated	Date of Abatement
267 Washington	1946	$210,000	$35,000	3/3/50
	1947	210,000	35,000	3/3/50
	1948	210,000	35,000	3/3/50
	1949	210,000	35,000	3/3/50
	1950	175,000	30,000	4/16/52
	1951	175,000	30,000	3/25/52
	1952	175,000	30,000	2/16/53
	1953	175,000	50,000	3/23/54
	1954	175,000	65,000	3/25/55
	1955	110,000		
271 Washington	1946	$210,000	$35,000	3/3/50
	1947	210,000	35,000	3/3/50
	1948	210,000	35,000	3/3/50
	1949	210,000	35,000	3/3/50
	1950	175,000	45,000	4/16/52
	1951	175,000	45,000	3/25/52
	1952	175,000	45,000	2/16/53
	1953	175,000	50,000	3/23/54
	1954	175,000	65,000	3/25/55
	1955	110,000		
76 Broad	1949	$5,500	$2,500	3/25/52
	1950	5,500	2,500	3/25/52
	1951	5,500	2,500	3/25/52
	1952	5,500	2,500	2/20/53
	1953	5,500	2,500	2/1/54
	1954	5,500	2,500	3/25/55
	1955	Not filed.		
State	1949	$60,000	$25,000	3/25/52
	1950	60,000	25,000	3/25/52
	1951	60,000	12,500	3/25/52
	1952	60,000	12,500	4/1/53
	1953	55,000	7,500	12/15/53
	1954	50,000	3,000	3/25/55
	1955	50,000		
125–127 Purchase	1950	$26,300	$3,300	4/16/52
	1951	26,300	3,300	3/25/52
	1952	26,300	3,300	3/13/53
	1953	26,300	3,300	3/23/54
	1954	23,000	8,700	3/25/55
	1955	14,300		
137–139 Purchase	1950	$34,300	$5,300	4/16/52
	1951	34,300	5,300	3/25/52
	1952	34,300	5,300	3/13/53
	1953	34,300	5,300	3/23/54
	1954	29,000	9,700	3/25/55
	1955	19,300		
141–143 Purchase	1950 through 1955	Not filed.		
140–142 Pearl	1950	$24,900	None	
	1951	24,900	None	
	1952	24,900	None	
	1953	24,900	None	
	1954	24,900	$9,600	3/25/55
	1955	15,300		
136–138 Pearl	1950	$22,700	$1,700	4/16/52
	1951	22,700	1,700	3/25/52
	1952	22,700	1,700	3/13/53
	1953	22,700	1,700	3/23/54
	1954	21,000	5,600	3/25/55
	1955	15,400		
132–134 Pearl	1950	$23,500	$2,500	4/16/52
	1951	23,500	2,500	3/25/52
	1952	23,500	2,500	3/13/53
	1953	23,500	2,500	3/23/54
	1954	21,000	5,500	3/25/55
	1955	15,500		
128–130 Pearl	1950	$24,200	$2,200	4/16/52
	1951	24,200	2,200	3/25/52
	1952	24,200	2,200	3/13/53
	1953	24,200	2,200	3/23/54
	1954	22,000	5,700	3/25/55
	1955	16,300		
124–126 Pearl	1950	$23,500	$3,000	4/16/52
	1951	23,500	3,000	3/25/52
	1952	23,500	3,000	3/13/53
	1953	23,500	3,000	3/23/54
	1954	20,500	2,900	3/25/55
	1955	17,600		
120–122 Pearl	1950	$23,600	$2,600	4/16/52
	1951	23,600	2,600	3/25/52
	1952	23,600	2,600	3/13/53
	1953	23,600	2,600	3/23/54
	1954	21,000	5,300	3/25/55
	1955	15,700		
116–118 Pearl	1950	$25,100	$3,100	4/16/52
	1951	25,100	3,100	3/25/52
	1952	25,100	3,100	3/13/53
	1953	25,100	3,100	3/23/54
	1954	22,000	5,800	3/25/55
	1955	16,200		

Location	Year	Assessed Value	Valuation Abated	Date of Abatement
112-114 Pearl	1950	$25,200	$1,200	4/16/52
	1951	25,200	4,200	3/25/52
	1952	25,200	4,200	3/13/53
	1953	25,200	4,200	3/23/54
	1954	21,000	5,800	3/25/55
	1955	14,700		
108-110 Pearl	1950	$25,200	$4,200	4/16/52
	1951	25,200	4,200	3/25/52
	1952	25,200	4,200	3/13/53
	1953	25,200	4,200	3/23/54
	1954	21,000	5,800	3/25/55
	1955	14,700		
104-106 Pearl	1950	$25,200	$3,200	4/16/52
	1951	25,200	3,200	3/25/52
	1952	25,200	3,200	3/13/53
	1953	25,200	3,200	3/23/54
	1954	22,000	7,100	3/25/55
	1955	17,100		
100-102 Pearl	1950	$43,000	$6,000	4/16/52
	1951	43,000	6,000	3/25/52
	1952	43,000	6,000	3/13/53
	1953	43,000	6,000	3/23/54
	1954	37,000	12,600	3/25/55
	1955	33,900		
129-133 High	1950 through 1955. Not filed.			
137 High	1950	$14,600	$1,000	4/16/52
	1951	14,600	1,000	3/25/52
	1952	14,600	1,000	3/13/53
	1953	14,600	1,000	3/23/54
	1954	12,000	1,800	3/25/55
	1955	9,700		
37-39 Hartford	1950	$12,900	$2,900	4/16/52
	1951	12,900	2,900	3/25/52
	1952	12,900	2,900	3/13/53
	1953	12,900	2,900	3/23/54
	1954	10,000	1,400	3/25/55
	1955	8,100		
35 Hartford	1950	$23,900	$3,900	4/16/52
	1951	23,900	3,900	3/25/52
	1952	23,900	3,900	3/13/53
	1953	23,900		
	1954	18,500	2,300	3/25/55
	1955	14,200		
215-219 Washington	1946	$300,000	$50,000	3/3/50
	1947	300,000	50,000	3/3/50
	1948	300,000	50,000	3/3/50
	1949	300,000	50,000	3/3/50
	1950	250,000	50,000	4/16/52
	1951	250,000	50,000	3/25/52
	1952	250,000	50,000	2/16/53
	1953	250,000	60,000	3/23/54
	1954	250,000	75,000	3/25/55
	1955	175,000		
255-257 Washington	1946	$270,000	$45,000	3/3/50
	1947	270,000	45,000	3/3/50
	1948	270,000	45,000	3/3/50
	1949	270,000	45,000	3/3/50
	1950	225,000	50,000	4/16/52
	1951	225,000	50,000	3/25/52
	1952	225,000	50,000	2/16/53
	1953	225,000	60,000	3/23/54
	1954	225,000	75,000	3/25/55
	1955	150,000		
259-261 Washington	1946	$210,000	$35,000	3/3/50
	1947	210,000	35,000	3/3/50
	1948	210,000	35,000	3/3/50
	1949	210,000	35,000	3/3/50
	1950	175,000	35,000	4/16/52
	1951	175,000	35,000	3/25/52
	1952	175,000	35,000	2/16/53
	1953	175,000	50,000	3/23/54
	1954	175,000	65,000	3/25/55
	1955	110,000		
263-265 Washington	1946	$240,000	$40,000	3/3/50
	1947	240,000	40,000	3/3/50
	1948	240,000	40,000	3/3/50
	1949	240,000	40,000	3/3/50
	1950	200,000	40,000	4/16/52
	1951	200,000	40,000	3/25/52
	1952	200,000	40,000	2/16/53
	1953	200,000	50,000	3/23/54
	1954	200,000	65,000	3/25/55
	1955	135,000		

In connection with the foregoing message of the Mayor, Councillor Piemonte offered the following.

Voted, That the message be returned to the Mayor for fuller answers to the questions contained in the order passed on November 28, 1955, and that the properties at 343-347 Rutherford avenue, Ward 2, 11 Tibbetts Town Way, Ward 2, and 4-10 Williams court, Ward 3, be included in the order of November 28, 1955.

The motion was carried.

RECESS.

On motion of Councillor White, the Council voted to take a recess at 3.15 P.M., subject to the call of the Chair. The members reassembled in the Council Chamber and were called to order by President HURLEY at 4.35 P.M.

PRESENTATION OF PLAQUE TO PRESIDENT HURLEY BY BOSTON CITY HOSPITAL ASSOCIATION OF EMPLOYEES.

On motion of Councillor White, the Council recessed at 4.36 P.M. During the recess, Mr. William F. Nynan, president of the Boston City Hospital Association of Employees, presented President HURLEY with a plaque commending him for his years of service to the Boston City Hospital, its patients, and its employees.

The members reassembled and were called to order by President HURLEY at 1.50 P.M.

PAYMENT OF ANNUITY TO WIDOW OF LOUIS DiSESSA.

Coun. PIEMONTE offered the following:

Ordered, That chapter 493 of the Acts of 1952, entitled "An Act Providing that a Certain Physical Condition Resulting in Death Shall Be Presumed to Have Been Suffered in Line of Duty Shall Be Applicable in the Case of Louis DiSessa, a Former Police Officer of the City of Boston," be, and hereby is, accepted.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORTS.

Coun. WHITE, for the Executive Committee, submitted the following:

1. Report on order (referred today) for acceptance of chapter 570 of Acts of 1955, transferring to the Metropolitan District Commission the care, control, and maintenance of certain portions of Columbia road in the City of Boston—that same ought to pass.

The report was accepted, and the order was passed.

2. Report on order (referred September 19) for acceptance of chapter 760 of Acts of 1955, concerning group insurance, etc., in behalf of employees of the County of Suffolk—recommending passage of the order in the accompanying new draft:

Ordered, That chapter 32B of the General Laws, as inserted by chapter 760 of the Acts of 1955, entitled "An Act Providing for Contributory Group Life, Accident, Hospitalization, Medical, and Surgical Insurance for Persons in the Service of a County, City, Town, or District, and Their Dependents," be, and hereby is, accepted, in behalf of the County of Suffolk.

The report was accepted, and the order was passed.

3. Report on order (referred September 19) for acceptance of chapter 760 of Acts of 1955, concerning group insurance, etc., in behalf of employees of the City of Boston—recommending passage of the order in the accompanying new draft:

Ordered, That chapter 32B of the General Laws, as inserted by chapter 760 of the Acts of 1955, entitled "An Act Providing for Contributory Group Life, Accident, Hospitalization, Medical, and Surgical Insurance for Persons in the Service of a County, City, Town, or District, and Their Dependents," be, and hereby is, accepted, in behalf of the City of Boston.

The report was accepted, and the order was passed.

4. Report on message of the Mayor and order (referred December 5) for loan of $100,000 for civil defense activities—recommending that same ought to pass.

The report was accepted, and the order was given its first reading and passage, yeas 7, nays 0:

Yeas—Councillors Ahearn, Foley, Hurley, Kerrigan, McLaughlin, Piemonte, White—7.

Nays—0.

The order was assigned for fourteen days for final action.

5. Report on message of the Mayor and order (referred December 5) for appropriation of $30,000 for off-street parking facilities in Central square, East Boston—recommending that same ought to pass.

The report was accepted, and the order was passed, yeas 7, nays 0:

Yeas—Councillors Ahearn, Foley, Hurley, Kerrigan, McLaughlin, Piemonte, White—7.

Nays—0.

6. Report on resolution (referred November 28) requesting His Excellency the Governor to call a special session of the Legislature to consider gradual decontrol of rentals—that resolution be adopted.

7. Report on resolution (referred October 31) for revaluation and reassessment survey of New York Streets Area, Urban Redevelopment—that resolution be adopted.

The reports were accepted, and the resolutions were severally adopted.

CAMPAIGN AGAINST SALE OF OBSCENE PRINTED MATERIAL.

Coun. AHEARN offered the following:

Whereas, Evidence now appears of the open and flagrant sale of obscene literature in Boston; and

Whereas, This City Council has always recognized the danger to our community from the sale and circulation of obscene books; and

Whereas, The preventing of the circulation of obscene books and pictures is a major factor in the fight against juvenile delinquency; and

Whereas, Present methods of preventing the circulation of obscene literature are not entirely effective; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Boston City Council in meeting assembled hereby calls on all parents and adults in the City of Boston to join in the campaign against the sale and circulation of bad books, magazines, and obscene printed material and requests our parents and adults to police magazine and book racks in stores with a view to protesting

to store proprietors the sale of bad books and literature and boycotting stores offering obscene literature for sale or circulation.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

MEETING OF COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC HOUSING.

President HURLEY announced that there would be a meeting of the Committee on Public Housing Tuesday, December 13, 1955, at 11 A.M., to consider the sale by the Boston Housing Authority of multiple housing projects.

FAVORING PASSAGE OF BILLS RE ECONOMIC CONDITION OF BOSTON.

Coun. McLAUGHLIN offered the following:

Whereas, There has been a great deal of discussion in recent months concerning the economic problems of Boston; and

Whereas, It is agreed that legislative relief is an essential element to the proper solution of these problems; and

Whereas, There are now on file for consideration by the Great and General Court of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts fifteen bills designed to save the City of Boston approximately $7,000,000 per year, filed jointly by the Boston Citizens' Council, the Boston Municipal Research Bureau, the Boston Real Estate Board, the Boston Retail Trade Board, and the Greater Boston Chamber of Commerce; and

Whereas, These organizations should be encouraged to be active in matters of this nature; and

Whereas, Legislation of this type, while not a panacea to the ills of Boston, is a firm step in the right direction; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Boston City Council in meeting assembled favors in principle the adoption of these bills; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the five sponsoring organizations and to each member of the Great and General Court who represents the City of Boston.

The resolution was adopted under suspension of the rules.

ENVIRONMENTAL SANITATION INSPECTOR (FOOD).

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Ordered, That his Honor the Mayor request the Administrative Services Board that Schedule B of the Classification and Compensation Plan for the City of Boston employees, adopted by and passed by the City Council on November 24, 1952, and approved by the Mayor on November 25, 1952, be amended by striking out after the words "compensation grade" under the caption "environmental sanitation inspector (food)" the figure 17 and inserting in place thereof 19.

Referred to the Executive Committee.

NAMING OF SQUARE IN HONOR OF WILLIAM C. LOUGHMAN.

Coun. McCORMACK offered the following:

Ordered, That the Committee to Memorialize Veterans be requested, through his Honor the Mayor, to name the square at the intersection of Tremont and St. Alphonsus streets, Roxbury, in honor of Seaman 2 C William C. Loughman who was killed in action on August 9, 1942, aboard the U.S.S. *Quincy* in the Pacific theatre of war.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

FINAL MEETING OF PRESENT CITY COUNCIL.

President HURLEY announced that the last meeting of the Council would be held on Thursday, December 29, 1955, to clean up the matters before the committees and that after the meeting the Mayor would tender a luncheon to the members of the Council, the members of the press, and the attachés.

STATEMENT OF COUN. PIEMONTE.

Coun. PIEMONTE, upon receiving unanimous consent to make a statement, stated the tax and tax abatement status of certain properties mentioned in the message of the Mayor received today replying to the order of November 28, 1955.

Adjourned, at 5.25 P.M., on motion of Councillor Kerrigan, to meet on Monday, December 19, 1955, at 2 P.M.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.

(Stenographic copy of such debate on file in office of City Clerk.)

FIRE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 65.

I. RESIGNATION.

The following resignation, effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, December 21, 1955, is hereby announced:

Fire Fighter Raymond P. Owens, Engine Company 49.

II. TRANSFER.

The following transfer, effective at 8 A.M., Wednesday, December 21, 1955, is hereby announced:

Fire Fighter Herbert T. White, from Ladder Company 3 to Engine 55.

III. HIGH COMMENDATION.

An alarm was received from Box 2517 at twelve minutes after 1 o'clock on the morning of December 4, 1955. Engine 28, Engine Squad 53, Ladder Companies 10, 30, and the District Fire Chief responded and found a two-family dwelling house at 5-7 St. Rose street, Jamaica Plain, involved in fire.

Members of the department were informed by people in the street that a woman was trapped on the second floor. Immediately, Fire Fighter Warren F. Hall of Engine Company 28 entered the building in advance of the line, ascended the stairs to the second floor, and made his way to a bedroom in the front of the building. This room was afire; nevertheless, Fire Fighter Hall, in spite of intense heat and smoke, made his way into the room. He found an unconscious woman on the floor, lifted and carried her out of the room, along the hallway, to the head of the stairs, where he was assisted by members of Ladder Company 10 in removing her to the street.

The members of Engine Squad 53 gave the victim first aid; she was removed to the Boston City Hospital in a police ambulance.

Prior to the arrival of the apparatus, a passer-by attempted to enter the building and rescue the victim but was overcome by the intense heat and inhalation of smoke. He was given first aid by members of Engine Squad 53 and removed in a police ambulance to the Boston City Hospital.

The Fire Commissioner is pleased to highly commend Fire Fighter Hall for his prompt and courageous action under adverse conditions with a total disregard for his own personal safety. This case is hereby referred to the Board of Merit for further consideration.

IV. COMMENDATION.

A still alarm was received at 5.45 P.M., December 6, 1955, followed by an alarm from Box 4184 at 5.46 o'clock for a fire in a building at 662-664 Main street, Charlestown.

Upon arrival of Engine Company 32, in response to the still alarm, fire had blown out two large plate glass windows in a store on the first floor, and several windows on the side and in the rear, and considerable fire was showing and rapidly extending to the upper floors, which were occupied as dwellings. The fire also extended to a three-story wooden dwelling across a narrow alleyway and threatened a six-family dwelling in the rear. Many families were housed in these buildings.

Fire Captain Walter W. Corwin of Engine Company 32, who was off duty, arrived at the scene from his home nearby, at about the same time as the first apparatus. He quickly observed the serious fire conditions and, realizing the grave life hazard that might be involved, ordered a second alarm transmitted over Engine 32's radio.

Captain Corwin took charge until the arrival of the district fire chief and then assisted the chief in placing the first alarm companies and in ascertaining that all persons were out of the fire building.

Captain Corwin, due to his alertness and exercise of good judgment, and the assistance given the district chief in the first few minutes of operation, prevented what could have been a much more serious fire and possible loss of life.

The Fire Commissioner is pleased to commend Fire Captain Walter W. Corwin for his prompt and efficient action, which reflects great credit on himself, the community, and the Fire Department.

V. BAND-CHRISTMAS FESTIVAL SANTA CLAUS.

The Boston Fire Department Band will give a public concert at 12 o'clock noon, Saturday, December 17, in front of the Boston *Post*, 259 Washington street, Boston. This musical program by the Boston Fire Fighters is in connection with the Christmas Festival Santa Claus sponsored by the Mayor of Boston and the Boston *Post*.

Band members shall report to Fire Fighter Band Manager Joseph Schein at 11.45 A.M. They will be excused from the day tour of duty.

By order of Fire Commissioner FRANCIS X. COTTER.

JOHN V. STAPLETON,
Chief of Department.

General Order No. 66.

I. RETIREMENTS.

The following retirements, in accordance with section 7, chapter 658, of the Acts of 1945, as amended, are hereby announced to become effective at 8 A.M., January 1, 1956:

Fire Lieut. Francis J. McNamara, Ladder Company 23.

Fire Fighter John B. O'Connor, Engine Company 8.

Fire Fighter Charles F. Kilday, Ladder Company 14.

Fire Lieutenant McNamara was appointed to the Fire Department February 1, 1924, and was promoted to the grade of fire lieutenant October 17, 1945; Fire Fighter O'Connor was appointed to the department January 22, 1947; and Fire Fighter Kilday was appointed June 20, 1951.

All the foregoing-named leave the department with the best wishes of their associates.

II. RESIGNATIONS.

The following resignations which became effective at 4.30 P.M., Friday, December 16, 1955, are hereby announced:

Fire Apparatus Repairman Andrew A. DeFrancesco, Maintenance Division.

Fire Apparatus Repairman William L. Heigham, Maintenance Division.

The following resignation, which will become effective at 5 P.M., Tuesday, December 27, 1955, is hereby announced:

Clerk and Typist Emily A. Randall, Fire Prevention Division.

III. Fire Alarm Box Established.

The following fire alarm box will be installed in the near future.

12-2388, Jefferson School, 240 Heath street.

The circuit number for this fire alarm box will be announced when the box is installed.

Company commanders will add the above box to Assignment Card for Box 2388.

IV. Letter of Appreciation.

The following letter, received in Headquarters, is hereby promulgated for the information of the department:

Archbishop's House,
2101 Commonwealth Avenue,
Brighton, December 17, 1955.

My Dear Friends:

During this beautiful Christmas season I wish to renew my thanks for the generosity of the members of the Boston Fire and Boston Protective Departments towards the convent of the Dominican Sisters of the Sick Poor, at 109 Mount Pleasant avenue, Roxbury.

Your gifts were given in the following amounts: $1,500 at the time of the Communion Breakfast and $2,500 in answer to a later appeal. I also received $500 in special gifts from individual donors who prefer to remain anonymous. That makes a total of $4,500.

Your benefactions amount to a larger sum than all gifts received from all sources for the construction of this convent.

Anytime the members of the Fire and Protective Departments are in the area of the chapel they will be very welcome to call and visit the chapel and the sisters.

There is a small memorial tablet within the chapel designating it as your gift. Later on I hope to have a more substantial memorial witnessing to your great interest in this wonderful project.

The sisters who staff this convent will visit and serve the sick poor in their own homes. Even in a short while they have contacted about twenty patients. I hope you can continue your interest in their work. It is a grand charity.

Since I am writing to you during the pre-Christmas season I take this occasion to wish you all, and all near and dear to you, all the joys and blessings of the Christmas season and a thrice blessed New Year.

Your ever-grateful and devoted friend,

Richard J. Cushing,
Archbishop of Boston.

Members of the Boston Fire
and Boston Protective Departments,
Boston, Mass.

V. Commendations.

A still alarm was received at 8.27 A.M., on Monday, December 12, 1955, followed by an alarm from Box 7137, with successive alarms received, up to five, for a fire on West Broadway, South Boston. This five involved several dwelling houses in the congested section between A and B streets. A high wind was blowing at the time, and the fire burned with great rapidity, presenting a serious life hazard, and for a time assumed potential conflagration proportions.

The prompt and efficient action of the members of this department, including many members who were off duty, resulted in the saving of several lives and prevented a possible conflagration.

The Fire Commissioner is pleased to commend Fire Fighter Anthony W. Kane of Engine Company 2, who was off duty, the members of Ladder Companies 17 and 18, first arriving ladder companies, and Fire Fighter John J. Feeney of Engine Company 1 for their outstanding work in rescuing five persons who were trapped on the fourth floor.

The following-named members, who were off duty, responded and rendered valuable assistance at this fire consisting of the removal of occupants from the several buildings, the raising of ladders, the running of hose lines, patrolling for flying embers, axe duty and overhauling.

Fire Lieut. David F. Harrison, Engine Company 54.

Fire Lieut. Walter J. LaMontagne, Engine Company 39.

Fire Lieut. Edward W. Owens, Ladder Company 24.

Fire Fighter-Aide to Chief of Department Thomas H. Burke.

Fire Fighter Frank L. Mayo, Headquarters.

Fire Fighter John F. Denehy, Engine Company 32.

Fire Fighter George F. McCafferty, Engine Company 33.

Fire Fighter Robert P. Foley, Engine Company 43.

Fire Fighter Richard D. Kenneally, Engine Company 4.

Fire Fighter James W. Parks, Rescue Company.

Fire Fighter Thomas J. Heanue, Engine Company 1.

Fire Fighter John L. Glynn, Ladder Company 20.

Fire Fighter Harold J. Ennis, Ladder Company 12.

Fire Fighter Leo J. Fama, Engine Company 39.

Fire Fighter Michael J. Corrigan, Ladder Company 18.

Fire Fighter James M. Walsh, Ladder Company 18.

The Fire Commissioner is pleased to commend these members for their spirit and cooperation which reflects great credit on themselves and the Boston Fire Department.

VI. Band—Mayor's Annual Christmas Party—Long Island.

The Boston Fire Department Band will give a concert at the Mayor's Christmas Party to be held at Long Island on Thursday, December 22. Band members are to report to Fire Fighter Band Manager Joseph Schein in the Administration Building at 10.30 A.M., Members on the day tour will be excused from duty. Members on the night tour will be excused until 10 P.M.

By order of Fire Commissioner Francis X. Cotter.

John V. Stapleton,
Chief of Department.

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

Bernard Geoghan, 49 Summit street, Hyde Park, in the sum of $92, as compensation for damage to property in cellar of above premises caused by the backing up of a sewer on August 31, 1954.

Peter F. Coleman, 102 La Grange street West Roxbury, in the sum of $182.50, as compensation for damage to property in cellar of above premises caused by the backing up of a sewer on August 19, 1955.

Flora DelVecchio, 370 Sumner street, East Boston, in the sum of $495, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 76 Cottage street, East Boston, April 22, 1955.

Mary Shea, 13 Anson street, Jamaica Plain, in the sum of $485, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the crosswalk opposite 9 Anson street, December 19, 1954.

Lillian V. Peterson, 1078 Canterbury street, Roslindale, in the sum of $327, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 633 Hyde Park avenue, October 10, 1952.

William E. Coughlin, 8 Irvington street, Boston, to be reimbursed in the sum of $295, as a result of an accident which occurred on July 30, 1952, when a motor vehicle belonging to the Fire Department, which he was operating, collided with a bicycle operated by Thomas Burke, causing him serious personal injuries.

CLAIMS DISAPPROVED.

The following 244 claims have been disapproved by the Law Department:

Fire Department, 27 claims; Hospital Department, 5 claims; Parks and Recreation Department, 11 claims; Penal Institutions Department, 4 claims; Police Department, 21 claims; Printing Department, 1 claim; Public Celebrations Department, 3 claims; Public Works Department, 159 claims; Real Property Department, 3 claims; School Buildings Department, 3 claims; School Committee, 2 claims; Traffic Commission, 5 claims.

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CITY OF BOSTON.

OVERSEERS OF THE PUBLIC WELFARE.

Proposals for Interior Lighting System Renovations to the Welfare Building, 43 Hawkins Street, Boston, Massachusetts.

The Overseers of the Public Welfare in the City of Boston invite proposals for interior lighting system renovations to the Welfare Building, 43 Hawkins street, Boston, Mass., according to specifications which may be obtained from the office of the Board, first floor, 43 Hawkins street, Boston. Bidders must use the form of proposal to be obtained at this office, and the successful bidder must furnish a bond for one half of the total amount of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts as a surety for the faithful performance of the contract. Bids with a certified check for five hundred dollars ($500), payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out, must be left at the office of the Board, first floor, 43 Hawkins street, before 12 noon, December 28, 1955, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. A duplicate proposal, without check, must be left with the City Auditor prior to the time named for the opening of the bids. The Board of Overseers reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids. All contracts made subject to appropriation to meet the payments thereunder.

Joseph K. Collins,
(Dec. 10-17-24.) *Chairman.*

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REHABILITATION AND CONSERVATION PROGRAM AS SPONSORED BY MAYOR JOHN B. HYNES MAKES STEADY PROGRESS—DISTRICT COMMITTEES STUDY PROBLEMS AND MAKE MANY RECOMMENDATIONS—PROSPECTS FOR 1956 VERY PROMISING.

The Mayor's Rehabilitation and Conservation Program has developed with exceptional speed over the past few months because of the interest and need for citizen assistance in planning and advising for urban renewal which is anticipated in Boston within the next few months after the "workable program" has been sanctioned by the Housing and Home Finance Agency in Washington.* In the older sections of the city, particularly, the Rehabilitation Committees, made up of businessmen and clergymen in the districts, have indicated much foresight and understanding of the problem in selecting areas within their sections which would benefit under the Urban Renewal Program. In the South End, Roxbury, Charlestown, and Dorchester, many worth-while ideas have been brought out to assist in developing the renewal program when it gets under way.

Committees have been reorganized and are working with renewed vigor in Roxbury, Brighton, West Roxbury, Jamaica Plain, North End, Roslindale, and Dorchester. These groups of civic-minded men are meeting regularly to plan and advise for the improvement and maintenance of all property and facilities in their areas as well as to protect the assets which they already have.

Timely activities have been suggested and advised by these groups to maintain and build up the physical appearance and facilities in their respective communities. They have initiated the elimination of many abandoned and blighted buildings which are a danger as well as an eyesore. Some of these buildings have been repaired and painted, others torn down, boarded up, or sold to more conscientious owners.

Utilization of vacant property has been of prime interest to many committees who have urged and instigated owners to clean up or sell such sites. Improvement of traffic conditions by advising one-way streets, suggesting safer and more effective signals and stop signs, and urging more off-street parking are suggestions of Rehabilitation Committees in Jamaica Plain, North End, South End, Roslindale, Dorchester, and West Roxbury.

Streets and sidewalks are being repaired or resurfaced and street lighting improved as a result of committee action in several communities.

Surveys are under way by several of the Rehabilitation Committees to determine where their interest can be most effective, what parts of their districts can be improved the most through addition of trees, parks, or play areas, how recreational facilities can be developed and, most important, in what way can citizens best play their part in this worth-while program. This last is vital to the success of this rehabilitation movement. Already many landowners have cooperated extensively, and it is becoming increasingly evident that citizens are developing renewed pride in their homes as well as an awareness of conditions in their neighborhood. This is only the beginning. Real success can only be sustained by continuous steady action heralded by concrete results.

* This program will prevent and eliminate the causes of slums and blight in place of the previous piecemeal measures to clear limited slum areas.

"O Boston, fair City enthroned like a radiant queen,
From thy hills looking down on the ship-teeming plain of the ocean;
May thy future be bright, thy skies beam with light all serene,
Ensured by thy sons' and thy daughters' unselfish devotion!"

From Boston Centennial Poem by
NATHAN HASKELL DOLE.

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A rate of $4 per inch of 12 lines (set solid) has been established for such advertisements as under the law must be printed in the City Record. Advertising and other copy must be in hand by 5 P.M. Wednesday of each week to insure its publication in the Saturday issue.

MUNICIPAL CALENDAR.

Meeting of the City Council, Tuesday, January 3, at 2 P.M.

MUNICIPAL SERVICE.

Complaints, inquiries, or suggestions regarding the work of municipal departments should be made in writing to the Complaints Division, Room 25, City Hall.

Information relative to the laying out, relocation, widening and the discontinuance of highways, the taking of real property for municipal purposes; the assessments of betterments of streets and sewers; the plotting of undeveloped area for streets and the opening of private ways; the making of specific repairs in public streets; the naming of public streets, including the use of public ways for location of conduits, poles and posts for telephone, telegraph, street railways, coal holes, and vaults, may be secured from the Public Improvement Commission, Room 403, City Hall Annex.

TO THE BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION, 112 Southampton street, for information relative to regulation of vehicular street traffic on all or any streets, ways, highways, roads, and parkways under the control of the City of Boston, the issuing of all permits in connection therewith.

TO THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS, Room 511, City Hall Annex, for information as to the watering, cleaning, lighting, and repairing of streets, the construction and care of sewers and catch-basins, the operation of Sumner Tunnel, the maintenance of bridges and draw-bridges, and the removal of ashes and offal.

To Room 604, City Hall Annex, for information relative to the supplying or metering of water and the water charges of the city.

TO THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT, Haymarket Square, for information relative to the inspection of milk, vinegar, meat, fish, and vegetables, the issuance of permits for stables, slaughterhouses, etc., smoke nuisances, the existence of contagious diseases, of public health nuisances.

TO THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS, 33 Beacon street, for information as to the care of the Common, Public Garden, Franklin Park, Franklin Field, Commonwealth Avenue, Back Bay Fens, Marine Park, and the small parks and playgrounds in general throughout the city, and as to the extermination of gypsy moths and the charges made for such service. Application may be made to this department for information regarding the public baths and gymnasiums maintained by the city, and with regard to municipal indoor concerts and band concerts, also information relative to Mount Hope, Evergreen, Fairview, and other public cemeteries owned by the City of Boston.

TO THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE, 15 Beacon street, for information relative to the operation of the schools of the city.

TO THE DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS, 28 Norman street, for information as to the construction and repair of school buildings.

TO THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS, Room 907, City Hall Annex, for information regarding the licensing of persons having charge or control of the work of construction, alteration, removal, or tearing down buildings.

TO THE ELECTRICAL INSPECTION DIVISION OF THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT, 1001 City Hall Annex, for all information relative to the erection of poles, building of conduits, the installation of all overhead and underground construction and electrical apparatus, as well as for general information relative to the entire division; also for permits for the installing of wires and electrical apparatus within buildings of the City of Boston, and for the payment of fees incident to the granting of the privileges above named, and which must be paid in advance.

TO THE BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT, 43 City Hall, relative to changes in the boundary lines of zoning districts of the City of Boston as established by chapter 488 of the Acts of 1924, and amendments thereto.

MORTALITY REPORT.

For the week ending December 24, 1955.

Population as of July, 1950, Massachusetts State Census, 817,713; population estimated July, 1954, United States Census Bureau, 813,696; number of deaths (stillbirths excluded): Residents, 174; nonresidents, 57; total, 231.

Death rate per 1,000 of population: All deaths, 14.80; nonresidents deducted, 11.22.

Death rate per 1,000 of population:

Last week, 16.60; corresponding week last year, 14.86.

Deaths by age periods, sex, etc.: Under one year, 13; one year to four years, inclusive, 2; sixty years and over, 150. Total deaths: Male, 134; female, 97; deaths in hospitals and institutions, 151.

REPORTABLE DISEASES: CASES AND DEATHS.*

DISEASES.	Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Dec. 24, 1955.		Cases and Deaths Reported Week Ended Dec. 25, 1954.	
	Cases.	Deaths.	Cases.	Deaths.
Anterior Poliomyelitis	1	—	1	—
Diphtheria	—	—	2	—
Encephalitis Lethargica	—	—	—	—
Influenza	—	—	—	—
Measles	2	—	99	—
Meningitis Epidemic	2	—	—	—
Pneumonia (lobar)	—	1	—	1
Scarlet Fever	6	—	14	—
Tuberculosis (pulmonary)	24	—	19	4
Childhood Type Tuberculosis	—	—	—	—
Tuberculosis (other forms)	—	—	2	2
Typhoid Fever	—	—	—	—
Whooping Cough	—	—	11	—

*Residents and nonresidents included.

IMPRESSIVE CEREMONIES TO MARK INAUGURATION OF MAYOR JOHN B. HYNES FOR A THIRD TERM.

Plans have been completed for the inauguration of Hon. John B. Hynes for a third successive term. The formal ceremonies will take place Monday, January 2, at 10 A.M. at Symphony Hall.

The oath of office will be administered to Mayor Hynes by Chief Justice Stanley E. Qua of the Massachusetts Supreme Judicial Court. Mayor Hynes, in turn, will swear in City Council and School Committee members-elect.

The following will be given the oath as members of the City Council: Francis X. Ahearn, John F. Collins, William J. Foley, Jr., John E. Kerrigan, Edward J. McCormack, Jr., Patrick F. McDonough, Edward F. McLaughlin, Jr., Gabriel Francis Piemonte, and Joseph C. White.

The members of the School Committee to be given the oath are William F. Carr, George F. Hurley, Joseph Lee, Timothy J. McInerney, and John P. McMorrow.

The invocation will be delivered by Archbishop Cushing, the prayer by Dr. Israel J. Kazis, rabbi of Temple Mishkan Tefila, and the benediction by Rev. Robert G. Metters of Emmanuel Church.

The Inauguration Program is as follows:

PROGRAM

ORCHESTRAL SELECTIONS. Preceding Inauguration Ceremonies
AL BANDERA AND HIS ORCHESTRA
1. College Marches
2. Victor Herbert Favorites

PROCESSIONAL. Inaugural March
Coronation March — *Meyerbeer*

STAR-SPANGLED BANNER — *Francis Scott Key*
THE BOSTON TEACHERS COLLEGE MUSIC CLUB
Direction of MISS ELIZABETH ANN O'BRIEN
Accompanied by AL BANDERA AND ORCHESTRA

INVOCATION
HIS EXCELLENCY, THE MOST REVEREND RICHARD J. CUSHING
Archbishop of Boston

READING OF CERTIFICATE OF ELECTION OF THE MAYOR
WALTER J. MALLOY, City Clerk

OATH OF OFFICE
Administered by THE HONORABLE STANLEY E. QUA
Chief Justice of the Supreme Judicial Court of Massachusetts

READING OF CERTIFICATE OF ELECTION OF THE MEMBERS OF THE CITY COUNCIL
WALTER J. MALLOY, City Clerk

THE OATH OF OFFICE TO MEMBERS OF THE CITY COUNCIL
Administered by HIS HONOR, JOHN B. HYNES, Mayor

READING OF CERTIFICATE OF ELECTION OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE
WALTER J. MALLOY, City Clerk

THE OATH OF OFFICE TO MEMBERS OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE
Administered by HIS HONOR, JOHN B. HYNES, Mayor

PRAYER. DR. ISRAEL J. KAZIS, Rabbi, Temple Mishkan Tefila

CHOIR SELECTIONS
THE BOSTON TEACHERS COLLEGE MUSIC CLUB
1. Jubilate Deo — *Weiss*
2. America My Wondrous Land — *Peery*
Accompanist, GLADYS MEDZORIAN

THE INAUGURAL ADDRESS
HIS HONOR, JOHN B. HYNES, Mayor

SELECTIONS. AL BANDERA AND HIS ORCHESTRA
Raymond Overture — *Thomas*

BENEDICTION. REV. ROBERT G. METTERS
Rector, Emmanuel Church of Boston

RECESSIONAL MARCH — *Sousa*

MAYOR HYNES VETOES HEALTH INSURANCE PLAN —SEES EXCESSIVE EFFECT ON TAX RATE—OTHER EMPLOYEE BENEFITS CONSIDERED.

Mayor Hynes has vetoed a City Council order calling for acceptance of state legislation that would have allowed a group life and medical insurance policy to city and county employees.

The Mayor in a letter to the City Council cites the financial position of the city as his reason for turning down the insurance plan, which would cost the city about $1,350,000 annually.

The letter to the City Council follows:

To the City Council.

GENTLEMEN:

I regret I find it necessary to return herewith, without my signature and disapproved, the order passed by your Honorable Body on December 12, 1955, accepting chapter 760 of the Acts of 1955.

Section 3 of said chapter provides that the Mayor in any city "Upon acceptance of this chapter . . . shall negotiate with and purchase . . . from one or more insurance companies . . . a policy or policies of . . . group life and accidental death and dismemberment insurance and hospital, surgical and medical benefits for the employees of said city." It is clear from this language that my approval of the order in question would definitely commit the city in the ensuing fiscal year to the financial obligations attached to the execution of the insurance contracts involved.

Under the terms of the legislation one half of the cost of the premiums for such insurance shall be deducted from the wages of the employees and the remaining 50 per cent shall be contributed by the city. Based on tentative estimates secured by the Director of Administrative Services from insurance groups, it appears that the initial annual contributions of the city to such a program would approximate $1,350,000.

In accordance with prior announcements, it is my intention to provide in the 1956 budget for increases in the compensation of the policemen, fire fighters, jail and correction officers. In addition, I have under consideration a reduction in the period during which existing compensation maxima shall be attained together with modifications in the vacation policy of the city. From recent press announcements, it would appear that additional appropriations for compensation of school employees must be considered in 1956. It is also apparent that pension requirements are still on the upward trend. An over-all calculation of the amounts involved in these various proposals, including that for group insurance, would appear to indicate, without any consideration of budget increases in items other than for personal services or benefits, a tax rate increase in the neighborhood of $5.

I feel certain you will agree that the present financial condition of the city does not warrant the imposition of such an additional burden on the taxpayers. While desirous of maintaining employment conditions in municipal depart-

ments at a high level, I believe that until steps are taken to strengthen and expand the revenue base of Massachusetts' cities and towns we must defer action of the type authorized under chapter 760. For this reason I am constrained to veto the order involving the acceptance of this act.

Respectfully,

John B. Hynes, *Mayor.*

NEW SEWERAGE LINE IN MORRISSEY BOULEVARD.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made consisting of the construction of 145 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sewer at an estimated cost of $2,500 in William T. Morrissey Boulevard, Dorchester district, on the westerly side, approximately 250 feet south of Freeport street.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the undermentioned parcel of land situated on William T. Morrissey Boulevard, as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 1455B, Sewerage Works, William T. Morrissey Boulevard, Dorchester, December 7, 1955, George G. Hyland, Commissioner of Public Works" and on file in the office of this department, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement herein ordered, in the amount hereinafter respectively set against it.

Shell Oil Company (Delaware Corporation), $870.

MAYOR HYNES ENDORSES HIGHWAY SAFETY SLOGAN.

In cooperation with a national appeal, Mayor John B. Hynes today endorsed the year-end highway safety campaign slogan of the Automobile Club of America, "For Holiday Safety, If You Take 'One for the Road', Make It Coffee."

During the holidays, the Mayor points out, motorists and pedestrians alike oftimes forget the dangers and hazards of traffic accidents. In the midst of happiness and merriment tragedy strikes without notice unless we prepare ourselves and make some effort to prevent accidents from happening.

A few simple pointers suggested by the Mayor to both motorists and pedestrians could very well reduce tragic accidents this holiday season.

1. Don't drive if you plan to drink.
2. When either driving or walking, be extremely careful — perhaps the other fellow will have been drinking.
3. Don't ride with any driver who has been drinking.
4. If you take "ONE FOR THE ROAD", make it COFFEE.
5. Drive safely, sanely, and courteously. Remember — The Life You Save Could Very Well Be Your Own.

SEWERAGE WORKS IN ISLAND STREET, ROXBURY.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made consisting of the construction of 125 linear feet of 10-inch pipe sewer, at an estimated cost of $2,600, in Island street, Roxbury district, from existing sewer in Massachusetts avenue westerly 125 feet.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the undermentioned parcel of land situated on the southerly side of Island street, as shown on a plan marked "City of Boston, Plan No. 1465, Sewerage Works, Island Street, Roxbury, August 10, 1955, George G. Hyland, Commissioner of Public Works," and on file in the office of this department, will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement herein ordered, in the amount hereinafter mentioned.

J. F. Dickson Realty Company, $750.

ANSELM TERRACE, BRIGHTON, CONSTRUCTION ORDERED.

The Public Improvement Commission has voted that in accordance with the provisions of chapter 117 of the Acts of 1947, permission is hereby granted to Sandy Brook Corporation, 82 Hancock street, Lexington, to prepare for public travel Anselm terrace, Brighton district, from Glenmont road approximately 410 feet southerly, provided that the construction of said Anselm terrace shall be in accordance with the City of Boston plans and specifications for the construction of private ways opened for public travel, as shown on a plan titled "Standard Construction Plan of Private Ways Open for Public Travel, October 28, 1954, George G. Hyland, Commissioner of Public Works," and in accordance with the lines and grade shown on a plan dated December 27, 1952, by George C. Hallisey, surveyor, filed in the Survey Division of the Public Works Department, City of Boston.

SIX-YEAR SUMMARY ON FORECLOSED PROPERTIES AND SALE OF PROPERTIES BY REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT, HERMAN CARP, CHAIRMAN.

	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	Jan. 1, '55–Dec. 14, '55.	Total
Parcels on hand at end of previous year	3,370	3,698	3,668	3,524	3,329	3,192	3,370
Foreclosed parcels received	620	289	113	207	197	196	1,622
Received from other departments by Acts of 1951, Chapter 159	9	12	2	6	5	2	36
	3,999	3,999	3,783	3,737	3,531	3,390	5,028
Sold	271	309	244	356	312	500	1,992
Redeemed	11	6	7	33	12	13	82
Transferred to other departments	4	3	8	10	—	68	93
Reserved for Boston Housing Authority, etc	15	13	—	9	15	14	66
	301	331	259	408	339	595	2,233
Total on hand at end of year	3,698	3,668	3,524	3,329	3,192	2,795	2,795
Rented	101	90	109	40	35	10	
Rents received—foreclosed properties	$116,646	$131,303	$130,055	$164,851	$162,037	$162,217	$867,119
Sale price	$312,170	$310,025	$226,140	$127,706	$145,215	$245,835	$1,367,391
Assessed value	403,150	515,500	453,900	223,000	207,000	573,800	2,376,410
Taxes owed city	194,721	183,481	133,412	154,544	139,006	180,498	985,665

Recapitulation of Sales.

	No. of Parcels	Sale Price
Papers passed	1,992	$1,367,391
Papers not passed	73	41,715
Total	2,065	$1,409,106

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

The Director of Administrative Services has approved the following personnel changes:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Approval has been given for an extension of the appointment of Philip E. Conroy, 924 Washington street, Dorchester, as temporary deputy assessor for a period of six months at $122.50 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

For the week ending December 13:

The following special nurses have been appointed:

Agnes Aherne, Priscilla Beckwith, 686 Massachusetts avenue, Viola Bergstrom, 161 Thorndike street, Brookline, 2 days; Lillian Blackburn, 18 Park Vale avenue, Allston, 1 day; Elsie Belli, 18 Prospect street, Maynard, 4 days; Barbara Blake, 27 Blakeville street, Dorchester, 2 days; Sophie Cotter, 173 Vine Rock street, Dedham, 7 days; Patricia Camirand, 41 Falmouth street, 1 day; Adele Daly, 30 Aspinwall street, North Weymouth, 2 days; Delores Diggs, Yolanda Evans, 126 Waverly street, Everett, 1 day; Anna Ferrara, 53 Blue Hill avenue, Milton, Mary Fraser, 99 Norway street, Ethel Goff, 40 Rockwell street, Dorchester, Mary Hunt, 695 Heath street, Brookline, 2 days; Joan Keane, 1086 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, 3 days; Charlotte Kelleher, 48 Waverly street, Roxbury, Joan Linehan, 775 Parker street, Roxbury, Veronica Lombard, 28 Huntoon street, Dorchester, Catherine McGuinness, 22 Celia road, Braintree, 2 days; Mary McInnis, 1310 Washington street, North Abington, 1 day; Claire McCue, 74 Robinwood road, Dedham, 2 days; Mary Mahan, 29 Kempton street, 7 days; Mary Murphy, 37 Hamden Circle, Wollaston, Phyllis Nigri, 271 Dartmouth street, Mae Owens, 259 Chestnut avenue, Jamaica Plain, Marion O'Boyle, 27 Magazine street, Roxbury, Dora Picarsky, 31 Edison Green, Dorchester, Mary Pursley, 38 Van Brunt street, Hyde Park, Madeline Sullivan, 126 Peterborough street, 2 days; Claire Shea, 136 Savin Hill avenue, Dorchester, 1 day; Bernice Stanley, 105 Walnut avenue, Roxbury, 2 days; Nancy Schultz, 1 day; Audrey Trask, 130 Cottage Park road, Winthrop, 7 days; Kathryn Welch, 49 East Springfield street, 2 days.

The services of the following employees have been terminated:

Permanent.—Frances M. Doherty, 108 Westville street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $50.50 a week; John Joseph Griffin, 132 Ellington street, Dorchester, hospital medical worker, $45.50 a week; Frederick R. Jackson, 130 Draper street, Dorchester, Paul H. Burnett, 84 Chelsea street, East Boston, hospital medical workers, $43 a week; Donald J. McCormack, 777 Columbia road, Dorchester, hospital kitchen worker, $50.50 a week; Eleanor M. MacDonald, 66 Austin street, Cambridge, floor nurse, $1.50 an hour.

Temporary.—Coleman F. Connolly, 116 Eustis street, Roxbury, Dorothy Ripley, 24 Worcester square, Andrew F. Callanan, 91 Florida street, Dorchester, Dennis Joseph O'Leary, 5 Salisbury park, Dorchester, James W. Harrington, 11 Caton street, Mattapan, John J. Horgan, Jr., 10 Walden street, Jamaica Plain, Alice T. McGregor, 38 Annunciation road, Roxbury, hospital medical workers, $43

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BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO ERECT OR ALTER BUILDINGS OR STRUCTURES FOR THE WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 27.

OWNER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
Soon Lee	35 Sydney street	13	Alterations, dwelling	$1,800
McCann Hardware	1727 Centre street	20	Alterations, store	200
Mrs. Rosengard	724 Centre street	19	Alterations, office, store	800
Superior Realty	176 Minot street	16	Alterations, dwelling	200
Mrs. O'Brine	18 Asticou road	19	Alterations, dwelling	950
Trustees of B. U.	264 Huntington avenue	4	Alterations, theatre	300
F. Weeks	82 Warren street	12	Alterations, dwelling	100
F. Weeks	Warren place	12	Alterations, dwelling	100
Bentley School	925 Boylston street	5	Alterations, school offices	50
Harry's Hardware	294 Bennington street	1	Alterations, store	150
John Wright	289 Cabot street	9	Alterations, dwelling, store	175
T. Kennedy	5 Cambridge street	21	Alterations, dwelling	150
Parker Tavern, Inc	111 Cambridge street	2	Alterations, tavern	175
Ralph Downey	201 Cambridge street	21	Alterations, garage	100
David Bresnick	477 Cambridge street	22	Alterations, stores	175
Joseph DeLuca	7 Charles street	5	Alterations, dwelling, store	150
James Georgantes	44A Charles street	5	Alterations, dwelling, store	175
Midtown Hotel	335 Columbus avenue	4	Alterations, hotel	175
William Haasis	18 Copley street	11	Alterations, dwelling	730
South End Day Nursery	25 Dover street	3	Alterations, day nursery	900
Mr. Lapolits	9 Hanover street	3	Alterations, dwelling, store	175
Esso Standard Oil Co.	1200 Hyde Park avenue	18	Alterations, gas station	100
John Murphy	15 Myrtle street	19	Alterations, dwelling	150
Sarenia Puopolo	33 North Margin street	3	Alterations, dwelling	100
George Caladonia	980 Saratoga street	1	Alterations, store, dwelling	175
Manuel Prass	500 Summer street	6	Alterations, tavern	175
S. Katz	104 Union street	3	Alterations, bar, offices	175
Ellen Antonowitz	23 Walk Hill street	19	Alterations, dwelling	500
Westland Garage	41 Westland street	4	Alterations, garage	750
Waldia Attaya	9 Weymouth avenue	20	Alterations, dwelling	1,500
C. E. Bevelander	108 Brighton avenue	21	Alterations, store	100
Cubell Paper Company	279 Bunker Hill street	2	Alterations, office, storage	600
Augustus Commodore	35 Greenwich park	4	Alterations, dwelling	900
Druker Company	129 Kingston street	3	Alterations, store, offices	6,500
Mr. Mead	35 North Market street	3	Alterations, storage	550
Charles O'Malia	415 Poplar street	18	Alterations, exeavation	325
Raymond McKinnon	76 Taeoma street	18	Alterations, dwelling	25
291 Washington St, Inc	295 Washington street	3	Alterations, store, offices	300
D. L. Shulman	59 Whittier street	9	Take-down, dwelling	750

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

PERMITS GRANTED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO PERFORM PLUMBING FOR THE WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 27.

PLUMBER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
O. Weider	32 Bailey street	17	Fixtures	$100
O. Weider	51 Bailey street	17	Fixtures	100
D. Weinberg	2 Hardwiek street	22	Fixtures	500
A. Hlasband	914 Beaeon street	21	Fixtures	100
O. Weider	384 Beeeh street	18	Fixtures	100
G. Trethewey	14 Holbrook street	19	Fixtures	140
M. Lappin	721 Huntington avenue	4	Fixtures	15,000
J. Rooney	1344 Hyde Park avenue	18	Fixtures	2,160
A. Gardella	47 Monument avenue	2	Fixtures	1,800
P. Donahue	58 Park square	5	Fixtures	1,200
O. Weider	40 Russett road	20	Fixtures	100
O. Weider	48 Templeton street	16	Fixtures	100
J. Kurhan	111 Waldemar avenue	1	Fixtures	800
H. Goldburg	466 Washington street	22	Fixtures	150
O. Weider	51 West Tremlett street	17	Fixtures	100
J. Amico	55 Bedford street	3	Fixtures	525
A. Grogan	87 Bloomfield street	17	Fixtures	500
N. Prives	284 Columbia road	14	Fixtures	300
M. Clarke	15–65 Gillette park	6	Fixtures	600
M. Clarke	15–65 Gillette park	6	Fixtures	500
M. Clarke	15–65 Gillette park	6	Fixtures	500
M. Clarke	15–65 Gillette park	6	Fixtures	500
M. Clarke	15–65 Gillette park	6	Fixtures	500
M. Clarke	15–65 Gillette park	6	Fixtures	500
M. Clarke	15–65 Gillette park	6	Fixtures	500
M. Clarke	15–65 Gillette park	6	Fixtures	500
A. Grogan	109 Quiney street	13	Fixtures	1,000
F. Riceiardello	32 Laurie avenue	20	Fixtures	950
A. Figler	492 Parker street	9	Fixtures	200
G. Trethewey	10 Weeks avenue	18	Fixtures	165
W. Osenton	101 Chestnut street	5	Fixtures	500
M. Wallen	39 Chittick road	18	Fixtures	900
D. Greenwood	19 Rosemary street	11	Fixtures	250
G. Trethewey	483 Beeeh street	18	Fixtures	175
K. Boden	73 Haekensaek road	20	Fixtures	1,200
A. Granara	218A Hanover street	3	Fixtures	25
G. Litwaeh	20 Leamington road	21	Fixtures	100

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 27.

GAS FITTER.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
D. Greenwood	43 Avalon road	20	Appliances	$25
S. Landau	908 Beacon street	21	Appliances	10
F. Avery	1994 Centre street	20	Appliances	60
J. O'Leary	2057 Centre street	20	Appliances	75
M. Woods	16 City square	2	Appliances	100
D. Slavet	16½ Compton street	3	Appliances	25
W. Nardella	25–29 Denby road	22	Appliances	300
E. Hart	215 Dorchester street	7	Appliances	100
R. Simon	493 East Fourth street	7	Appliances	51
O. McElearney	934 East Fourth street	6	Appliances	70
E. Hart	450 East Seventh street	7	Appliances	100
F. Avery	16 Haverford street	11	Appliances	100
S. Landau	19 Lanark road	21	Appliances	25
D. Greenwood	64 McBride street	11	Appliances	20
E. Secatore	90 Meridian street	1	Appliances	20
S. Landau	58 Royal street	22	Appliances	20
V. Taylor	2 Smith court	3	Appliances	175
D. Greenwood	153 South street	11	Appliances	100
J. Burke	38 Sycamore street	19	Appliances	100
E. Healy	6 Thane street	17	Appliances	175
M. Woods	26 Washburn street	7	Appliances	60
E. Hart	432 West Fourth street	6	Appliances	100
E. Hart	92 Westchester road	19	Appliances	100
F. Avery	21 Adelaide street	19	Appliances	45
J. Tierney	17 Albemarle street	4	Appliances	175
G. Trethewey	6 Aldrich street	20	Appliances	70
A. Stahy	6 Ashmont court	16	Appliances	15
C. Boates	12 Atlantic street	7	Appliances	100
O. Weider	32 Bailey street	17	Appliances	100
O. Weider	51 Bailey street	17	Appliances	100
S. Connolly	18 Ball street	9	Appliances	50
A. Buckley	140 Beaver street	18	Appliances	15
O. Weider	384 Beech street	18	Appliances	100
E. Pascucci	421 Border street	1	Appliances	25
W. Fafara	149 Boston street	7	Appliances	75
F. Avery	198 Boylston street	11	Appliances	25
F. Avery	20 Boynton street	11	Appliances	50
F. Avery	35 Brookdale street	19	Appliances	100
L. Blakney	6 Brookfield street	20	Appliances	600
S. Connolly	2 Brookford street	13	Appliances	30
S. Connolly	39 Burgess street	8	Appliances	50
F. Avery	15 Calvin road	19	Appliances	10
G. Trethewey	108 Cass street	20	Appliances	250
O. McElearney	403 Centre street	19	Appliances	100
P. Kennedy	20 Cortes street	5	Appliances	100
O. Weider	21 Cushing avenue	13	Appliances	100
W. Fishman	100 Dale street	18	Appliances	100
P. Kennedy	69 Dover street	3	Appliances	100
N. Deutsch	225 East Eagle street	1	Appliances	30
D. Rull	583 East Eighth street	7	Appliances	35
P. Kennedy	47 East Springfield street	8	Appliances	100
F. Odenweller	721 East Third street	6	Appliances	275
O. Weider	19 Elder street	7	Appliances	100
N. Deutsch	50 Falcon street	1	Appliances	30
C. Chiaramonte	141 Falcon street	1	Appliances	50
A. Granara	2 Faneuil Hall square	3	Appliances	10
A. Granara	23 Fleet street	3	Appliances	30
S. Connolly	23 Galena street	11	Appliances	50
A. Stahly	362 Geneva avenue	15	Appliances	60
J. Palumbo	918 Harrison avenue	8	Appliances	100
L. Blakney	17 Harvard street	14	Appliances	200
E. Pascucci	223 Havre street	1	Appliances	15
H. Lappin	721 Huntington avenue	4	Appliances	500
A. Stahly	23 Inwood street	15	Appliances	20
F. Odenweller	199 K street	6	Appliances	175
J. Palumbo	65 Lenox street	9	Appliances	44
E. Pascucci	101 London street	1	Appliances	25
E. Pascucci	83 Lubec street	1	Appliances	25
O. Weider	45 Maryknoll street	18	Appliances	100
M. Loiterstein	55 Newland street	9	Appliances	35
S. Connolly	14 Oakland street	11	Appliances	30
P. Donahue	58 Park square	5	Appliances	225
J. Palumbo	735 Parker street	10	Appliances	175
E. Pascucci	257 Princeton street	1	Appliances	25
M. Wallen	1004 River street	18	Appliances	75
F. Fitzgerald	1808 River street	18	Appliances	50
O. Weider	30 Rosemont street	16	Appliances	100
O. Weider	40 Russett road	20	Appliances	100
W. Hagaboom	360 Rutherford avenue	2	Appliances	300
E. Pascucci	116 St. Andrew road	1	Appliances	12
N. Deutsch	307 Saratoga street	1	Appliances	30
N. Deutsch	413 Saratoga street	1	Appliances	30
N. Deutsch	602 Saratoga street	1	Appliances	150
F. Avery	43 Sheridan street	19	Appliances	25
O. Weider	48 Templeton street	16	Appliances	100
R. Kirby	502 Tremont street	3	Appliances	25
S. Connolly	1595 Tremont street	10	Appliances	30
P. Kennedy	2 Union Park street	3	Appliances	100
P. Kennedy	120 Union Park street	3	Appliances	100
F. Avery	93 Waehusett street	19	Appliances	12
O. Weider	643 Walk Hill street	18	Appliances	100
O. Weider	26 Ward street	7	Appliances	100
J. Palumbo	101 Waslington street	21	Appliances	100
M. Loiterstein	466 Waslington street	22	Appliances	100
O. Weider	51 West Tremlett street	17	Appliances	100
A. Onessimo	29 Whitman street	17	Appliances	14
F. Avery	20 Woodlawn street	11	Appliances	20
F. Avery	70 Wyman street	10	Appliances	10
R. Ebba	149 Brooks street	1	Appliances	100
L. Rubin	102 Columbia road	14	Appliances	60
L. Rubin	286 Fuller street	17	Appliances	30
O. Weider	17 Halborn street	18	Appliances	100

DEPARTMENT CHANGES.

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a week; Dr. Jaime F. Dorfsman, 51 Linden street, Allston, assistant resident, neurosurgery, $132 a month.

The following weekly floor nurses have been appointed:

Permanent.—Helen Bazarro, 14 Whitby terrace, Dorchester, $45 a week; Helena Gallagher, 19 Farquhar street, Roslindale, $1.65 an hour; Patricia Egan, 264 Mt. Vernon street, Dorchester, $60.50 a week.

Temporary.—Ann Sheridan, 41 Pearl street, Dorchester, $1.50 an hour.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

The following change of name is reported:

Arline Venable, acting principal bookkeeper, to Arline King.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.

Approval has been granted to the appointment of William F. Hurley, 76 Mt. Pleasant avenue, Roxbury, as head administrative clerk at $113 a week.

Appointments or Reinstatements.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Printing Section.

Solomon Baker, 15 Dumas street, Dorchester, job pressman, $89.23 a week.

Joseph Herlihy, 1 O'Reilly Way, Charlestown, cylinder pressman, $93.86 a week.

BOSTON RETIREMENT BOARD.

John J. MacDonald, 17 Germania street, Jamaica Plain, accounting machine operator, $43 a week.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Catherine Hayes, 4 Dunning Way, Jamaica Plain, custodial worker, $43 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Health Division.

Constance Newcomb, 801 Huntington avenue, Roxbury, X-ray technician, $45.50 a week.

Robert E. Grandfield, 56 Oriole street, West Roxbury, physician (Roentgenology), part time, $75 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Louise Brooks, 308 Commonwealth avenue, physical therapist, $58 a week.

Mary Driscoll, 73 Hamilton street, Dorchester, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Catherine Geoghan, 37 Felton street, West Roxbury, laboratory assistant, $45.50 a week.

Florence Dillion, 32 Horadan Way, Roxbury, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Barbara K. Sheves, 683 Tremont street, hospital medical worker, $43 a week.

Jean Green, 19 Speedwell street, Dorchester, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Catherine Sherburne, 1577A Tremont street, Roxbury, clerk and typist, $43 a week.

Leo Lally, 22 Speedwell street, Dorchester, laboratory technician, $58 a week.

Richard Paul, 56 Clarendon street, laboratory assistant, $45.50 a week.

South Division.

John McGee, 13 Middlesex street, clerk, $43 a week.

Long Island Division.

Edith M. Jenks, 5 Ringgold street, licensed practical nurse, $60.50 a week.

Mary Hiller, 72 Waverly street, Roxbury, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

Mary E. Norden, 1051 Main street, Walpole, attendant nurse, $43 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Virginia A. Burkholder, 231 Park Drive, recreation leader, $7.50 a day.

Nancy R. Croke, 68 Emerald street, recreation leader, $7.50 a day.

Denise M. Dagle, 13 Walker street, Charlestown, recreation leader, $7.50 a day.

Marie T. DiBenedetto, 12 Foster street, recreation leader, $7.50 a day.

Barbara H. Fitzgerald, 12 Stafford street, Roxbury, recreation leader, $7.50 a day.

Evelyn B. Harris, 24 Gayland street, Dorchester, recreation leader, $7.50 a day.

Cecelia E. Kilgallen, 27 Eastland road, Jamaica Plain, recreation leader, $7.50 a day.

Frances M. Kilgallen, 11 Dana avenue, Hyde Park, recreation leader, $7.50 a day.

Gloria A. MacIsaac, 53 Harvard street, Dorchester, recreation leader, $7.50 a day.

Joan P. Malloy, 38 Franconia street, Dorchester, recreation leader, $7.50 a day

Mary J. Matthews, 74 Whitten street, Dorchester, recreation leader, $7.50 a day.

Mary A. Morrissey, 231 Ashmont street, Dorchester, recreation leader, $7.50 a day.

Mary R. Nolan, 11 Bertson avenue, West Roxbury, recreation leader, $7.50 a day.

Josephine H. Parker, 114 Gladstone street, East Boston, recreation leader, $7.50 a day.

Elizabeth A. Ryan, 32 Patterson Way, South Boston, recreation leader, $7.50 a day.

Louise Saracino, 174 Maverick street, East Boston, recreation leader, $7.50 a day.

Cemetery Division.

Joseph G. Rooney, 100 La Grange street, West Roxbury, grave digger, $60.50 a week.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

House of Correction.

Frederick J. Gorman, 15 Woodfield street, Dorchester, correction officer, $65.50 a week.

Charles J. Cotter, 11 Leslie street, Dorchester, correction officer, $65.50 a week.

Alfred C. Antonelli, 935 Albany street, Roxbury, correction officer, $65.50 a week.

James J. Holloman, 3 Monadnock street, Dorchester, correction officer, $65.50 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Patricia Pini, 188 Marlborough street, social worker, $66.50 a week.

Changes in Status.

The following personnel classifications have been changed on recommendation of the Compensation Review Board:

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

John P. Doherty, 38 Greaton road, West Roxbury, from executive secretary at $122.50 a week to executive secretary at $132 a week.

BOSTON RETIREMENT BOARD.

Marie C. Crowley, from principal account clerk, Grade 17, to accountant, Grade 20.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

Francis J. Laughlin, 4 Bradford Circle, Roslindale, from chief traffic investigator at $98.75 a week to chief traffic investigator at $103.50 a week.

Thomas H. McAleney, 7 Delano street, Dorchester, from working foreman, traffic sign maintenance man at $70.50 a week to traffic sign maintenance foreman at $73 a week.

Paul V. Dirksmeyer, 50 Charlesgate East, from parking meter supervisor at $94 a week to parking meter supervisor at $98.75 a week.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Henry A. Kiley, from school buildings contract supervisor at $104.62 a week to school buildings contract supervisor at $114.20 a week.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

William D. Slattery, 211 Wood avenue, Hyde Park, from executive secretary at $127.25 a week to executive secretary at $136.75 a week.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Mary Beavis, 49 Saxton street, Dorchester, from clerk and stenographer at $50.50 a week to principal clerk and stenographer (temporary) at $65.50 a week.

Leonard L. Pasciucco, 5 Fernald terrace, Dorchester, from cashier at $70.50 a week to head clerk (temporary) at $73 a week.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY THE BUILDING COMMISSIONER TO DO GAS FITTING FOR THE WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 27.—Concluded.

Gas Fitter.	Location.	Ward.	Nature.	Estimated Cost.
H. Lappin	960 Harrison avenue	8	Appliances	$100
A. Buckley	543 Medford street	2	Appliances	100
R. Ebba	364 Meridian street	1	Appliances	100
D. Carey	42 North Market street	3	Appliances	75
G. McElearney	147 Orleans street	1	Appliances	75
O. Weider	9 Saranac street	16	Appliances	100
R. Ebba	163 Saratoga street	1	Appliances	100
R. Ebba	254 Saratoga street	1	Appliances	100
R. Ebba	463 Sumner street	1	Appliances	100
F. Carr	104 Union Park street	3	Appliances	100
W. Fishman	28 Auriga street	16	Appliances	500
F. Carlson	853 Beacon street	21	Appliances	50
G. Trethewey	82 Belgrade avenue	20	Appliances	275
R. Strum	117 Blue Hill avenue	12	Appliances	125
G. Trethewey	73 Bradfield avenue	20	Appliances	40
J. Fysiano	4½ Bulfinch street	3	Appliances	100
F. Carr	217 Chambers street	3	Appliances	12
N. Clark	202 Chelsea street	1	Appliances	15
F. Farrar	40 Clearway street	4	Appliances	15
F. Farrar	48 Clearway street	4	Appliances	15
N. Clark	38 Clifton street	8	Appliances	400
L. Visco	81 Condor street	1	Appliances	100
W. Esposito	182 Cottage street	1	Appliances	12
H. Slavet	27 Evelyn street	18	Appliances	700
N. Clark	41 Fairbanks street	22	Appliances	400
F. Farrar	36 Falmouth street	4	Appliances	15
F. Farrar	40 Falmouth street	4	Appliances	20
F. Farrar	50 Falmouth street	4	Appliances	15
P. Portnoy	29 Flagg street	8	Appliances	10
J. Principato	12 Foster street	3	Appliances	15
P. Portnoy	83 Gainsborough street	4	Appliances	25
S. Goldman	137 Hancock street	15	Appliances	65
N. Clark	62 Hemman street	18	Appliances	400
F. Farrar	165 Huntington avenue	4	Appliances	15
N. Clark	15 La Fayette park	13	Appliances	100
N. Clark	84 Moreland street	8	Appliances	100
H. Slavet	617 Morton street	14	Appliances	175
P. Portnoy	33 Norfolk avenue	8	Appliances	25
L. Dunivan	40 Peter Parley road	11	Appliances	100
J. Principato	7 Powers court	3	Appliances	10
S. Litman	62 Sherman street	12	Appliances	150
S. Litman	64 Sherman street	12	Appliances	150
F. Carr	27 Thacher street	3	Appliances	33
J. Fysiano	14 Unity street	3	Appliances	25
G. Trethewey	10 Weeks avenue	18	Appliances	165
N. Clark	15 Willoughby street	22	Appliances	100
T. Matthews	15 Arcadia street	15	Appliances	100
J. Reid	36 Baxter street	6	Appliances	25
T. Matthews	53 Bernard street	14	Appliances	100
F. Smith	849 Blue Hill avenue	14	Appliances	50
D. Cahill	115–117 Capen street	17	Appliances	500
M. Wallen	39 Chittick road	18	Appliances	75
W. Connell	112 Elmer road	16	Appliances	25
T. Matthews	89 Everdean street	16	Appliances	100
D. Greenwood	2 Greenough avenue	19	Appliances	150
H. Beaulieu	269½ Heath street	10	Appliances	20
P. Reilly	14 Langley road	22	Appliances	25
M. Slishman	50 Margin street	18	Appliances	100
A. Onessimo	38 North Bennet street	3	Appliances	45
T. Matthews	134 Spencer street	17	Appliances	100
F. Farrar	25 Vose avenue	18	Appliances	10
W. Connell	1507 Washington street	9	Appliances	75
G. Trethewey	483 Beech street	18	Appliances	175
G. Specrs	217 Chestnut Hill avenue	22	Appliances	125
W. Hogan	38 Cranston street	19	Appliances	100
P. Janis	16 Dilworth street	9	Appliances	25
L. Luxton	12 Greenmount street	15	Appliances	40
L. Luxton	101 Hancock street	15	Appliances	60
F. Ricciardello	156 Hillside street	10	Appliances	300
W. Hogan	756 Huntington avenue	10	Appliances	50
D. Gould	25 Leyland street	8	Appliances	30
G. Trethewey	338 Metropolitan avenue	18	Appliances	255
L. Rubin	96 Nightingale street	14	Appliances	35
G. Trethewey	113 Sherwood street	19	Appliances	75
G. Trethewey	49 Westbourne street	20	Appliances	275
H. Hinckley	11 Westville terrace	15	Appliances	25

Mary R. O'Shea, 83 Dix street, Dorchester, from supervising public health nurse at $90.50 a week to principal public health nurse (temporary) at $94 a week.

Supervising Public Health Nurses, from $83.50 to $90.50 a Week.

Margaret G. Cairns, 15 Park Drive.
Frances G. Couture, 3 Hooper street, Dorchester.
Anna M. Curley, 41 Chestnut Hill avenue, Brighton.
Margaret F. Fahey, 450 Washington street, Brighton.
Gertrude Fleming, 8 Garden court, Cambridge.
Helena Hoye, 1431 Commonwealth avenue, Allston.
Nettie R. Kibur, 1171 Boylston street.
Mary G. McConnell, 1334 Commonwealth avenue, Allston.
Dorothy A. McManus, 90 Bynner street, Jamaica Plain.
Mary A. Meeley, 318 Cummins Highway, Roslindale.
Cecelia U. Murphy, 572 Huntington avenue.
Mary R. O'Shea, 83 Dix street, Dorchester.
Cecelia B. Pleach, 27 Howell street, South Boston.

Supervising Public Health Nurses, from $80 to $87 a Week.

Prudence W. Lane, 15 Rocky Nook terrace, Jamaica Plain.
Evangeline Gibbons, 81 Billings street, West Roxbury.
Annabell M. Dervan, 23 Hillcrest street, Roslindale.

Environmental Sanitation Inspectors, from $80 to $87 a Week.

William F. Blood, 34 Moultrie street, Dorchester.
William F. Brown, 12 Dixwell street, Jamaica Plain.
Walter V. Campbell, 15 Wigglesworth street, Roxbury.
Joseph D. Driscoll, 345A Neponset avenue, Dorchester.
Robert J. Graham, 53 Thomas park, South Boston.
Frederick W. Harrington, 25 Peterborough street.
Frank McGowan, 88 Russett road, West Roxbury.
David R. MacSwain, 50 Dakota street, Dorchester.
Michael J. Murphy, 15 Wolfe street, West Roxbury.
James T. O'Hara, 29 Cresthill road, Brighton.
John E. O'Neil, 46 Francis street, Roxbury.
William O. Quirk, 42 Delano park, Roslindale.
John T. Ryder, 173 Columbia road, Dorchester.

Environmental Sanitation Inspectors, from $76.50 to $83.50 a Week.

Albert R. Carta, 75 St. Marks road, Dorchester.
Frank J. Gormley, 335 South Huntington avenue, Jamaica Plain.
Daniel J. Rea, 5 Clifford street, Readville.

Environmental Sanitation Inspectors, from $73 to $80 a Week.

Anthony H. Cataldo, 104 Salem street.
Edward Duffy, 17 Parsons street, Brighton.
William A. Haddad, 77 Bowdoin street, Dorchester.
Arthur Hiltz, 7 Haverford street, Jamaica Plain.
Francis C. Hurley, 58 Fairmount street, Dorchester.
Anthony Imperato, 53 Cooper street.
William P. Intraversato, 12 Isabella street.
Francis T. Kinsella, 11 Edson street, Dorchester.
Bennett F. Lally, 97 Waldeck street, Dorchester.
John J. Linehan, 116 Adams street, Dorchester.
Neil A. Nolan, 65 Ashland street, Dorchester.
Edward J. O'Hara, 25 Ashford street, Allston.
Victor I. Simonelli, 8 Minot street.
Frederick J. Watson, 54 Annunciation road, Roxbury.
Thomas F. Kelley, 175 Calumet street, Roxbury.

Environmental Sanitation Inspectors, from $70.50 to $76.50 a Week.

Edgar Bidwell, 2010 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester.
Thomas Flaherty, 241 West Eighth street, South Boston.
Thomas F. Goode, 169 Metropolitan avenue, Roslindale.
Albert G. Tobin, 58 Pinehurst street, Roslindale.

Environmental Sanitation Inspectors, from $68 to $73 a Week.

Charles J. Hamilton, 4 Hecla street, Dorchester.
Clarence L. Marcy, 29 Wilcox road, Dorchester.
Samuel Spiegel, 165 Woodrow avenue, Dorchester.

Environmental Sanitation Inspectors, from $65.50 to $70.50 a Week.

Joseph X. Conley, 343 Geneva avenue, Dorchester.
Carmen DiLorenzo, 9 Boardman street, East Boston.
Donald E. Doherty, 40 Plain street, Dorchester.
John D. O'Brien, 22 Iffley road, Jamaica Plain.
Frederick L. Sexton, 60 Sagamore street, Dorchester.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

Anna Bohan, 5 Richview street, Dorchester, from hospital medical worker at $48 a week to hospital house worker at $48 a week.

Robert J. Batta, 93 Bellevue street, Dorchester, from hospital medical worker at $48 a week to hospital house worker at $48 a week.

Marion Doucakis, 887 Harrison avenue, from laboratory assistant at $53 a week to laboratory technician (temporary) at $58 a week.

Joan Daly, 19 South street, Brighton, from laboratory assistant at $53 a week to laboratory technician (temporary) at $63 a week.

Patricia Daly, 19 South street, Brighton, from laboratory assistant at $53 a week to laboratory technician (temporary) at $58 a week.

Long Island Division.

Michael J. Duran, 87 Olney street, Dorchester, from senior clerk and typist (permanent) at $63 a week to principal account clerk (temporary) at $65.50 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

John F. Lane, 118 Barnes avenue, East Boston, from clerk and photographer at $94 a week to clerk and photographer at $98.75 a week.

Alfred Repucci, 63 Monmouth street, East Boston, from supervising stadium custodian at $83.50 a week to supervising stadium custodian at $87 a week.

Joseph M. Walsh, 140 Roslindale avenue, Roslindale, from superintendent of automotive maintenance at $108.25 a week to superintendent of automotive maintenance at $117.75 a week.

John B. Gleason, 122 Millet street, Dorchester, from painter foreman at $80 a week to painter foreman at $83.50 a week.

John J. Keane, 184 Florence street, Roslindale, from foreman of greenhouses at $83.50 a week to foreman of greenhouses at $87 a week.

Martin F. Walsh, 676 Columbia road, Dorchester, from general foreman of mechanics and craftsmen at $94 a week to general foreman of mechanics and craftsmen at $98.75 a week.

Harry L. McGuire, Jr., 39 Fenwood road, Roxbury, from tree maintenance foreman at $80 a week to tree maintenance foreman at $83.50 a week.

Kay Reid, 2 Buswell street, from assistant to recreation director at $70.50 a week to assistant to recreation director at $76.50 a week.

Robert N. Donovan, 15 Ticknor street, South Boston, from supervisor of L Street Baths at $87 a week to supervisor of L Street Baths at $90.50 a week.

Thomas F. Martin, 20 Clare avenue, Roslindale, from golf course supervisor at $90.50 a week to golf course supervisor at $94 a week.

John J. Hammond, 101 Forbes street, Jamaica Plain, from general foreman of horticulture at $90.50 a week to general foreman of horticulture at $94 a week.

Arthur A. English, 288 Wachusett street, Jamaica Plain, from superintendent of park maintenance at $108.25 a week to superintendent of park maintenance at $117.75 a week.

Cemetery Division.

Philip F. Fallo, 7 Wooddale avenue, Mattapan, from tree maintenance foreman at $76.50 a week to tree maintenance foreman at $80 a week.

William H. Hawkins, Jr., 45 Bradfield avenue, Roslindale, from supervisor of cemeteries at $90.50 a week to supervisor of cemeteries at $94 a week.

Charles F. Guiney, 45 Fairview avenue, Hyde Park, from cemetery foreman at $83.50 a week to cemetery foreman at $87 a week.

Joseph P. Connor, 156 Minot street, Dorchester, from cemetery foreman (temporary) at $68 a week to cemetery foreman (temporary) at $70.50 a week.

Edwin W. Banks, 6 Arborough road, Roslindale, from cemetery foreman at $80 a week to cemetery foreman at $83.50 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Mary B. Miller, Jeffrey's Neck road, Ipswich, from personnel assistant at $80 a week to personnel assistant at $87 a week.

Highway Division.

John F. Gilmore, 1A Dale street, Roxbury, from superintendent of highway construction at $117.75 a week to superintendent of highway construction at $127.25 a week.

Sanitary Division.

Francis E. Glennon, 31 Miami avenue, West Roxbury, from superintendent of street cleaning at $117.75 a week to superintendent of street cleaning at $127.25 a week.

Sewer Division.

Joseph W. Harkins, 22 Gavin Way, South Boston, from sewer construction inspector at $70.50 a week to sewer construction inspector at $68 a week.

Survey Division.

Thomas F. McCusker, 1454 Centre street, Roslindale, from executive secretary at $117.75 a week to executive secretary at $127.25 a week.

Water Division.

Susan C. Moran, 33 Mt. Vernon street, Charlestown, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior account clerk (temporary) at $55.50 a week.

Herbert B. Barton, 8 Greenough avenue, Jamaica Plain, from water meter repair foreman at $83.50 a week to supervisor of water meters (temporary) at $87 a week.

Walter M. Campbell, 33 Pinehurst street, Roslindale, from superintendent of water distribution at $117.75 a week to superintendent of water distribution at $127.25 a week.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

Francis P. Tracey, 66 Calumet street, Roxbury, from real estate custodian at $76.50 a week to real estate custodian at $83 a week.

A. Edna Cronin, 18 Colby road, Roslindale, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior clerk and typist (temporary) at $55.50 a week.

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

Central Office.

Margaret O'Reilly, 1191 Boylston street, from head clerk at $83.50 a week to head administrative clerk (temporary) at $87 a week.

Agnes E. McCarthy, 35 Peterborough street, from head clerk at $83.50 a week to head clerk and secretary (temporary) at $87 a week.

Hallie M. Mattier, 249 Humboldt avenue, Roxbury, from clerk and typist at $50.50 a week to senior clerk and typist at $55.50 a week.

Charles Saya, 89 Clement avenue, West Roxbury, from head accountant at $113 a week to assistant deputy welfare agent (temporary) at $122.50 a week.

Anna Coughlin, 761 Columbia road, Dorchester, from head clerk at $83.50 a week to senior accountant (temporary) at $90.50 a week.

Edward Real, 49 Linwood street, Hyde Park, from social worker at $76.50 a week to head statistical clerk (temporary) at $90.50 a week.

Helena Holbrow, 305 Harvard street, Dorchester, from head clerk at $83.50 a week to head administrative clerk (temporary) at $87 a week.

Catherine Noonan, 562 Veterans of Foreign Wars Parkway, Chestnut Hill, from head social work supervisor at $113 a week to assistant deputy welfare agent (temporary) at $122.50 a week.

Cecilia A. Conroy, 31 Moraine street, Jamaica Plain, from head clerk at $83.50 a week to personnel officer (temporary) at $87 a week.

Transfers.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Health Division.

Margaret V. Doherty, 34 Wrentham street, Dorchester, from Health Department, Health Division, as senior clerk and typist at $63 a week to Health Department, Health Division, as senior clerk and typist at $63 a week.

Leaves of Absence.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Weights and Measures Division.

George C. Lantry, 179 Bowen street, South Boston, coal inspector, at $70.50 a week.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Main Division.

William Riordan, 47 Brook avenue, Roxbury, senior hospital house worker, $55.50 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Automotive Division.

Anthony J. Rizzotti, 12 Mallard street, Quincy, motor equipment repairman, $68 a week.

Step-Rate Increases.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

John T. Stone, principal heating and ventilating engineer, from $122.50 to $127.75 a week.

James J. O'Keefe, accountant, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

William P. Hourihan, general superintendent of roofing, from $117.75 to $122.50 a week.

John R. Hanton, senior accountant, from $94 to $98.75 a week.

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Charles G. Norton, tree maintenance inspector, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

William J. O'Brien, laborer, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Sanitary Division.

Elizabeth T. Carroll, principal clerk and stenographer, from $76.50 to $80 a week.

William P. Bergen, laborer, from $50.50 to $53 a week.

Joseph P. Gately, Street-Cleaning and Waste Collector Inspector, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Arthur J. Reidy, heavy motor equipment, operator and laborer, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Water Division.

Clarence L. Adams, machinist foreman, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

John J. Boyle, heavy motor equipment, operator and laborer, from $65.50 to $68 a week.

Michael J. DeMaggio, laborer, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

James M. Doherty, senior account clerk, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Joseph M. Finneran, senior clerk, from $55.50 to $58 a week.

Herbert F. Garrity, water service repairman, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

Gerald Odabashian, plumber, from $60.50 to $63 a week.

Salvatore Pergamo, water service repairman, from $63 to $65.50 a week.

REAL PROPERTY DEPARTMENT.

Building Division.

Charles Torre, Joseph Silva, Henry Whyte, Christopher O'Brien, senior building custodians, from $70.50 to $73 a week.

Robert Carew, steam fireman, from $68 to $70.50 a week.

Bronis J. Martus, junior building custodian, from $53 to $55.50 a week.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Collecting Division.

Deputy Collectors.

Michael J. Barron, from $87 to $90.50 a week.

Joseph M. Porter, Leo Sadow, from $83.50 to $87 a week.

John T. Powers, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

Tellers.

Albert J. Chamrin, William F. Stoia, from $83.50 to $87 a week.

Mary T. Foley, senior clerk and stenographer, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Wendell E. B. McKean, principal accounting clerk, from $73 to $76.50 a week.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

SUPERIOR CIVIL COURT.

Helen F. Driscoll, Gertrude C. Morrissey, principal clerks, from $73 to $76.50 a week; Ann J. Carlton, Katherine M. Hanson, Albert F. Henneberry, Christine M. Mackay, principal clerks, from $70.50 to $73 a week; Marjorie H. Moore, Albert L. Crimmins, principal clerks, from $68 to $70.50 a week; John E. Carey, Mary E. Collins, Mary T. Gaquin, senior clerks, from $63 to $65.50 a week; Virginia M. Batts, Catherine M. McGillicuddy, C. Margaret Norton, senior clerks, from $60.50 to $63 a week; Anne M. Callahan, Michael J. Sclafani, senior clerks, from $58 to $60.50 a week.

Rita E. Kelley, clerk, from $43 to $45.50 a week.

MUNICIPAL COURT, CITY OF BOSTON.

Mary Sullivan, executive secretary, from $113 to $117.75 a week; Frank L. Tierney, Timothy J. Hurley, John M. Kelly, Philip M. McDavitt, Joseph A. Woods, Thomas F. Lynch, deputy assistant clerks, from $103.50 to $108.25 a week; Benjamin J. Wall, deputy assistant clerk, from $98.75 to $103.50 a week; Frederick C. Leahy, Joseph P. Doherty, head clerks, from $94 to $98.75 a week; Peter J. Rogers, head clerk, from $90.50 to $94 a week.

MUNICIPAL COURT, ROXBURY DISTRICT.

Julius Goldstein, Grade 22, from $181.61 to $189.23 semimonthly.

Probation Officers.

Ruth F. Kelley, from $141.67 to $160 semimonthly; Malcolm E. Weymouth, from $191.66 to $210 semimonthly.

Francis J. Coneannon, Grade 17, from $142.46 to $147.90 semimonthly.

William P. Vesey, Grade 13, from $120.17 to $126.15 semimonthly.

MUNICIPAL COURT, WEST ROXBURY DISTRICT.

Senior Clerks.

Florence E. Hayes, from $131.59 to $137.03 semimonthly; William J. Kelley, Doris H. O'Leary, from $126.15 to $131.59 semimonthly.

Principal Clerks.

Anna F. Rochford, from $158.78 to $166.39 semimonthly; Agnes Whitehead, from $153.34 to $158.78 semimonthly.

Vincent A. Mannering, clerk of court, from $267.77 to $287.10 semimonthly.

OVERTIME ALLOWED.

The Mayor has approved the following requests:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

For the period from December 7 to December 31:

John F. Kane, George R. Byrne, Michael L. Connors, John L. Glynn, James B. Goldrick, John T. Leonard, Mary F. Moynihan, Mary E. Murphy, John G. Pickett, $3 an hour.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

For the weeks ending November 5 and 12:

Charles H. King, senior traffic investigator, 16 hours at $2.28 an hour.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Michael McElhinney, 18 hours at $3 an hour; Frank Daley, 5 hours at $3 an hour; John J. McCormack, 2 hours at $3 an hour; Joseph E. Smith, 2 hours at $3 an hour.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

For work performed during the polio emergency, November 30 to December 12:

Frank Perez, principal physiotherapist, 67 hours at $3 an hour.

Joseph Burke, third-class stationary engineer, 8 hours at $3 an hour.

Richard Bishop, first-class fireman, 8 hours at $3 an hour.

Edward Freeley, chief electrician, 5½ hours at $2.35 an hour.

Sanatorium Division.

For work performed on Armistice Day and Thanksgiving Day:

Frank Hart, principal storekeeper; Luke McCarthy, engineer; Patrick Murtagh, chief power plant engineer; Rachael Schoehl, dietitian; Alice DeRoehn, Gertrude O'Connell, night supervisors of nurses; Mary Flynn, Anne Gilson, Clara Greene, Rose Humiston, Ethel Landrigan, Sadie Linn, Maizie MacIntyre, Helen Newhall, Johanne Reidy, Anna Sullivan, Cecelia Sullivan, head nurses; Eleanor Caulfield, Mary Rogers, registered graduate nurses.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

W. Bancroft, correction officer-herdsman, 2 days, $33.40.

Edward Cahill, correction officer-herdsman, 2½ days, $40.

F. Cloran, deputy master, 1 day, $20.70.

J. Finan, correction officer, 2 days, $32.

B. Flynn, correction officer-poultryman, 2½ days, $40.

R. Flynn, hospital supervisor, 1 day, $16.70.

J. Gallivan, correction officer, electrician, 12½ hours, $26.09.

J. Hoban, deputy master, 2½ days, $49.37.

W. Kelley, deputy master, 7¾ days, $153.06.

F. Luciano, correction officer-cook, 1 day, $16.70.

J. McGann, head clerk, 5¾ days, $113.56.

J. McGowan, assistant deputy master, 1 day, $17.40.

P. McMullen, head clerk, 4 days, $79.

C. Moore, correction officer, 2 days, $32.

F. Murphy, correction officer, 1 day, $16.

P. H. O'Donnell, correction officer, 2 days, $32.

W. Ott, correction officer-steward, 2 days, $36.20.

J. Parziale, correction officer-cook, 2 days, $33.40.

A. Puzzo, correction officer-receiver, 2 days, $34.80.

E. Shepard, deputy master, 5½ days, $108.62.

J. Sullivan, deputy master, 5¾ days, $104.07.

P. Wall, senior clerk, 16½ hours, $33.

S. Walters, assistant deputy master, 3½ days, $63.35.

F. Yirrell, industrial supervisor, 2 days, $39.50.

H. Drewes, poultry supervisor, 4 days, $72.40.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

For snow removal work on November 19 and 20:

Timothy J. O'Leary, general superintendent, 4 hours at $3 an hour.

Francis C. White, superintendent of waste collection, 8 hours at $3 an hour.

VETERANS' RETIREMENTS.

The Mayor has approved the following veterans' applications for retirement:

William H. Hawkins, 45 Bradfield avenue, Roslindale, supervisor of cemeteries, Cemetery Division, Parks and Recreation Department.

Sidney H. Weiner, 6 Wayne street, Roxbury, public health physician (part time), Health Department.

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

Permission to award the contracts for work, materials, and supplies, in accordance with recommendations of department heads, has been approved by the Mayor.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.

Purchasing Division.

Upon November 22 the Mayor approved contracts as requested in the following letter:

BOSTON, November 17, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

On July 8, 1955, bids were publicly opened and read in this office for traffic signal equipment for the Traffic Commission. Permission is requested to award contracts to the lowest bidders on Items 12, 15, 16, 17, 18, and 19 and to the bidders as indicated on the accompanying tabulation for all other items for the following reasons:

At the present time, the City of Boston has more than $75,000 worth of R. W. LeBaron, Inc., equipment which is interchangeable with that bid on by R. W. LeBaron, Inc., whereas the city has no Marbelite signal housings. To introduce a different type of equipment would necessitate the stocking of additional parts and maintenance crews carrying several different types of equipment for replacing broken signals. Each year there are more than one hundred signals broken by accidents.

As a result of publicly opened bids on June 5, 1953, the lowest bidder, the Marbelite Company, Inc., entered into a contract with the City of Boston for the first time on August 6, 1953, for delivery of traffic signal equipment. Delivery time allowed was three months. On April 23, 1954, this contract was canceled for nondelivery and subsequently awarded to the next lowest bidder, R. W. LeBaron, Inc.

Approximate total amounts of contracts will be: R. W. LeBaron, Inc., $15,399.78, net; Municipal Signal and Supply Company, $1,625, net, thirty days.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

Bids were as follows:

Item 1. 55 One-Way Traffic Signal Housings with 3 Lenses, Each.—Graybar Electric Company, Inc., $53.98; R. W. LeBaron, Inc., $49.79, Eagle S13C,* alternate, $45.75, Eagle; Municipal Signal and Supply Company, $53; Marbelite Company, Inc., $45.45, Marbelite BCB-31; Westinghouse Electric Supply Company, $54.50.

Item 2. 20 One-Way Traffic Signal Housings with 4 Lenses, Each.—Graybar Electric Company, Inc., $69.76; R. W. LeBaron, Inc., $64.70, Eagle S14C,* alternate, $59.55, Eagle; Municipal Signal and Supply Company, $68; Marbelite Company, Inc., $59.15, Marbelite BCB-41; Westinghouse Electric Supply Company, $70.50.

Item 3. 5 One-Way Traffic Signal Housings with 5 Lenses, Each.—Graybar Electric Company, Inc., $85.54; R. W. LeBaron, Inc., $82.15, Eagle S15C, alternate, $76.70, Eagle; Municipal Signal and Supply Company, $84; Marbelite Company, Inc., $74.10, Marbelite BCB-51; Westinghouse Electric Supply Company, $86.50.

Item 4. 40 Two-Way Traffic Signal Housings, Each Face with 3 Lenses, Each.—Graybar Electric Company, Inc., $113.32; R. W. LeBaron, Inc., $105.30, Eagle S23C, alternate, $97.80, Eagle; Municipal Signal and Supply Company, $111; Marbelite Company, Inc., $96.95, Marbelite BCB-32; Westinghouse Electric Supply Company, $114.50.

Item 5. 2 Two-Way Traffic Signal Housings, One Face with 3 Lenses, One Face with 4 Lenses, Each.—Graybar Electric Co., Inc., $129.09; R. W. LeBaron, Inc., $120.20, Eagle S2 (3,4)C,* alternate, $111, Eagle; Municipal Signal and Supply Company, $127; Marbelite Company, Inc., $111.30, Marbelite BCB-31-41; Westinghouse Electric Supply Company, $130.50.

Item 6. 4 Two-Way Traffic Signal Housings, Each Face with 4 Lenses, Each.—Graybar Electric Company, Inc., $144.87; R. W. LeBaron, Inc., $135.10, Eagle S24C, alternate, $126.90, Eagle; Municipal Signal and Supply Company, $142; Marbelite Company, Inc., $125.65, Marbelite BCB-42; Westinghouse Electric Supply Company, $146.50.

Item 7. 2 Two-Way Traffic Signal Housings, One Face with 4 Lenses and One Face with 5 Lenses, Each.—Graybar Electric Company, Inc., $160.65; R. W. LeBaron, Inc., $155.10, Eagle S2 (4,5)C,* alternate, $143.05, Eagle; Municipal Signal and Supply Company, $157; Marbelite Company, Inc., $139.95, Marbelite BCB-41-51; Westinghouse Electric Supply Company, $162.50.

Item 8. 7 Three-Way Traffic Signal Housings, Each Face with 3 Lenses, Each.—Graybar Electric Company, Inc., $167.39; R. W. LeBaron, Inc., $153.70, Eagle S33C,* alternate, $148, Eagle; Municipal Signal and Supply Company, $164; Marbelite Company, Inc., $142.35, Marbelite BCB-33; Westinghouse Electric Supply Company, $169.50.

Item 9. 2 Three-Way Traffic Signal Housings, Left Face with 3 Lenses, Center Face with 3 Lenses, Right Face with 4 Lenses, Each.—Graybar Electric Company, Inc., $183.17; R. W. LeBaron, Inc., $171.15, Eagle S3 (3,3,4)C, alternate, $159.50, Eagle; Municipal Signal and Supply Company, $180; Marbelite Company, Inc., $157.70, Marbelite, BCB-32-41; Westinghouse Electric Supply Company, $185.50.

Item 10. 2 Three-Way Traffic Signal Housings, Left Face with 5 Lenses, Center Face with 5 Lenses, Right Face with 4 Lenses, Each.—Graybar Electric Company, Inc., $246.28; R. W. LeBaron, Inc., $239.25, Eagle S3 (5,5,4)C,* alternate, $221, Eagle; Municipal Signal and Supply Company, $241; Marbelite Company, Inc., $186.35, Marbelite BCB-52-41; Westinghouse Electric Supply Company, $249.50.

Item 11. 1 Four-Way Traffic Signal Housing.—Graybar Electric Company, Inc., $226.63; R. W. LeBaron, Inc.,

$198.13, Eagle S43C,* alternate, $192, Eagle; Municipal Signal and Supply Company, $218; Marblite Company, Inc., $189.80, Marbelite BCB-34; Westinghouse Electric Supply Company, $224.50.

Item 12. 20 Spare Yellow Lenses, Each.—Graybar Electric Company, Inc., $2.23; R. W. LeBaron, Inc., $1.85, Eagle PBL-2, alternate, $1.80,* Eagle; Municipal Signal and Supply Company, $2.20; Marbelite Company, Inc., $1.84, Marbelite 49-2-4A; Westinghouse Electric Supply Company, $2.25.

Item 13. 200 Pedestrian Push-Buttons, Eagle Signal Corporation EJ-3, Weatherproof, Pressure Sensitive, with Nylon Plungers, Ready for Mounting on Traffic Signal Posts, Each.—R. W. LeBaron, Inc., $8.90,* alternate, $8.90; Municipal Signal and Supply Company, $8.50; Marbelite Company, Inc., $7.90, Marbelite PB-11.

Item 14. 200 Porcelain Enamel Signs, Eagle Signal Corporation M275, Size, Approximately 5 Inches Wide by 8 Feet High, Center-Mounting Holes Top and Bottom, As Per Specifications, Each.—R. W. LeBaron, Inc., $1.40,* alternate, $1.40; Municipal Signal and Supply Company, $1.20; Marbelite Company, Inc., $1.15.

Item 15. 200 Push-Button Adapters, Cast Aluminum, Size Approximately 3 Inches Wide by 12 Inches High, for Mounting Above Buttons and Signs on 4-Inch Standard Pipe Posts, Each.—R. W. LeBaron, Inc., $2.07, Eagle EJ-3P,* alternate, $2.07; Marbelite Company, Inc., $3.

Item 16. 25 Traffic Signal Posts No. 1, Union Metal Manufacturing Company, Design 2242-Y1 Drawing 2248-C8, Except with 70-A-Z-Base and 70-A-Z-1 Door and Without 70-C Column Base, Each.—R. W. LeBaron, Inc., $72, alternate, $72; Municipal Signal and Supply Company, $65*; Westinghouse Electric Supply Company, $69.50.

Item 17. 70 16-Wire Terminal Blocks with Accessories, As Per Boston Traffic Commission Plan No. D-42, Dated June 13, 1955, Each.—R. W. LeBaron, Inc., $7.75,* Burke, alternate, $7.75.

Item 18. 100 12-Wire Terminal Blocks with Accessories As Per Plan No. D-43, Dated June 13, 1955, Each.—R. W. LeBaron, Inc., $4.95,* Burke, alternate, $4.95.

Item 19. 6 Eagle Signal Corporation PBL-14 Double Arrow Lenses, Right and Left, Each.—Graybar Electric Company, Inc., $3.35; R. W. LeBaron, Inc., $2.70,* alternate, $2.70; Municipal Signal and Supply Company, $3.50; Marbelite Company, Inc., $2.86, Marbelite 49, $2.63; Westinghouse Electric Supply Company, $3.40.

Discount.—Graybar Electric Company, Inc., net; R. W. LeBaron, Inc., net, alternate, net; Municipal Signal & Supply Company, 30 days, net; The Marbelite Company, Inc., net, 30 days; Westinghouse Electric Supply Company, net, 30 days.

Earliest Delivery Date After Receipt of Order.—Graybar Electric Company, Inc., shipment to start in 30 days, complete in 90 days; R. W. LeBaron, Inc., Item 18, 20 weeks, all other items, 30 days, alternate, Item 18, 20 weeks, Items 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, and 19, 30 days, all other items, 90 days; Municipal Signal & Supply Company, Item 16, 8 to 10 weeks, Items 13, 14, and 19, two weeks, all other items, start at once, complete in 90 days; The Marbelite Company, Inc., all items, 45 to 60 days; Westinghouse Electric Supply Company, Items 16, 17, and 18, 8 to 10 weeks, all other items, 30 to 90 days.

Remarks.—Graybar Electric Company, Inc., Items 1 to 8, inclusive, are in accordance with the Boston Traffic Commission specifications except as follows: Item 4, each housing shall be equipped with red lens in place of the green lens that would normally be furnished, on all other items, each housing shall be equipped with green arrow lenses in place of green lenses that are normally furnished, all signals quoted on are completely assembled and wired as specified, firm prices for acceptance within 30 days from date, *see* letter; R. W. LeBaron, Inc., *see* letter attached; Marbelite Company, Inc., all prices quoted are net f.o.b. destination, prices quoted are firm and not subject to any fluctuation, *see* letter; Westinghouse Electric Supply Company, Item 16, factory, Canton, Ohio, with rail freight prepaid and allowed to freight station, nearest destination, prices firm for 30 days, balance, f.o.b. common carrier, Syracuse, New York, with freight prepaid to destination, prices firm for 30 days.

* Contract awarded.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Upon December 15 the Mayor approved a contract with Schwamb Construction Corporation for alterations and renewals of existing waste and vent stacks in the Out-Patient Building, Boston City Hospital, Bids, opened Thursday, December 8, were as follows:

Robert A. LaCentra Company, $44,840; Parkman Construction Company, $44,607; Domenick Puleo, $44,444.44; R. J. Mulhern Construction Company, $43,200; P. J. Riley & Co., $42,000; Rossano Construction Company, Inc., $41,735; Schwamb Construction Corporation, $35,675.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Upon December 16 the Mayor approved a contract with Joseph Capone & Son for sewerage works in Wedgemere road, West Roxbury, at an estimated cost of $1,675.

The following bids were received December 8:

Joseph Capone & Son, $1,675; Roslindale Contracting Company, $1,720.50; Bagarella Construction Company, Inc., $1,775; N. Bevilacqua & Son, $1,816; Edward Vozzella, $2,185; C. Russo, Inc., $2,400.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

The School Committee has approved proposals for furnishing armored car service for Boston public schools. The only bid, opened Tuesday, November 22, was from Brink's, Inc., and the award was made as follows:

Brink's, Inc., $4,000.

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The School Committee has approved proposals for furnishing candy for Boston public schools. Bids, opened Tuesday, November 29, were from the following concerns:

J. L. Sullivan Company, Eli Starr & Co.

Award was made to the lowest responsible bidder as follows:

J. L. Sullivan Company, $39,695.

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The School Committee has approved proposals for furnishing bath towels to certain Boston public schools, hand towels to Administrative Offices and aprons to Boston public school cafeterias. Bids, opened Monday, November 21, were as were from the following concerns:

Bell Linen Service, Elk Laundry, Inc., Federal National Linen Service.

Awards were made to the lowest responsible bidders, as follows:

Bell Linen Service, $1,900; Federal National Linen Service, $1,900; Elk Laundry, Inc., $2,900.

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The School Committee has approved proposals for furnishing Sound Motion Picture Projectors for Boston Public Schools. Bids were opened on Wednesday, November 2, 1955, from the following concerns:

Massachusetts Motion Picture Service, Inc., National Theatre Supply Company, New England Film Service, Inc., Eastman Kodak Stores, Inc., Ideal Pictures, Ampro Corporation, H. B. Motion Picture Service, Visual Curriculum Center, Inc.

Award was made to the lowest responsible bidder as follows:

Ampro Corporation, $1,298.

WITHOUT ADVERTISING.

Upon varying dates as indicated the Mayor approved contracts with contractors, business firms, and organizations for furnishing labor, supplies, etc. Communications from heads of the departments interested were as follows:

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES DEPARTMENT.
Purchasing Division.

BOSTON, December 12, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

This office is in receipt of requisitions from the Welfare Department for 2,030,000 cards and 800,000 checks as distributed by International Business Machines Corporation.

Inasmuch as the above company is the sole distributor of these items, it is my opinion that no advantage would be gained by publicly advertising for prices. It is therefore requested that authority be granted me to dispense with publicly advertising for prices and award a contract, without public advertisement, to International Business Machines Corporation for 2,030,000 cards at $2,512.10, lot, and 800,000 checks at $2,340.00, lot.

Approximate total amount of contract will be $4,852.10, net, thirty days. All items f.o.b. Endicott, New York.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN V. MORAN,
Purchasing Agent.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

BOSTON, December 9, 1955.

HON. JOHN B. HYNES,
Mayor of Boston.

DEAR MR. MAYOR:

The Old English High School building at Warrenton and Dartmouth streets has been razed to yard-level grade, and now it is necessary to make borings and dig test pits for the purpose of determining the nature of soil for load-bearing capacities to provide for loads to be superimposed by the construction of a new building.

This department has some information concerning foundations which underlie the basement floor, but no information as to exact dimensions, location, depth, or extent of foundations which we know to be composite. For these reasons I am unable to determine the number of test pits or borings that will have to be made, nor am I able to locate them accurately enough to so specify in order to acquire competitive bidding.

Consequently I ask that you waive the requirements for advertised bidding and authorize me to engage the firm of Charles A. Leary Company, 44 School street,

Boston, to perform the work required as directed by engineers of this department at a cost not to exceed $1,000.

This department's engineers will be accountable for supervision of the work, the keeping of time, labor, and material records, and certification of expenditures.

Very truly yours,

James H. Mooney,
Superintendent of Construction.

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Boston, December 9, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

Under date of September 29, 1955, you approved an amendment to the contract of Rodgers Motor Lines of Boston, Inc., which was executed with said company after the opening of competitive bids, and now, due to the unusual volume of work required, caused primarily by the action of the School Committee in transferring Girls' Latin School, formerly on Teachers College property, to what was the Dorchester High School for Girls in Codman square, Dorchester, I find it necessary to again ask you to dispense with public advertising, as no useful purpose would appear to be served thereby, and approve another amendment to the contract in the amount of $8,000, making the total contract $18,000, for the period beginning April 1, 1955, and ending March 31, 1956.

The rates as recorded in the original contract would be applicable to work provided under the amended contract.

Respectfully yours,

James H. Mooney,
Superintendent of Construction.

Penal Institutions Department.

Boston, December 9, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Sir:

Chapter 69, Acts of 1941, provides "that all persons committed for *any* crime, unless the court otherwise orders, have or cause to be taken his name, age, height, weight, photograph and general description and copies of his fingerprints in accordance with the fingerprint system of identification of criminals. All such photographs and identifying matter shall be committed forthwith to the Commissioner of Public Safety." The above law took effect on June 8, 1941, and, since that date, it is compulsory that all inmates be photographed upon commitment.

In accordance with the above law, I therefore respectfully request permission to award a contract, without public advertising, to pay Fay Foto Service, Inc., for the performance of taking photographs of all persons committed to the House of Correction, Deer Island, in the sum of $1.75 for each set of the pictures of each person photographed. The contract shall be for a period beginning with the first day of January, 1956, and ending on the thirty-first day of December, 1956. Estimated cost will exceed $1,000.

This type of work is necessarily of a very confidential nature. The Fay Foto Service, Inc., has done this work for a number of years in a highly satisfactory manner. Because this company has guarded carefully these confidences and because the confidential matter is best intrusted to one company, I feel that the city's interests will be best served by engaging their services.

Yours very truly,

Edward L. Friel,
Penal Institutions Commissioner.

Public Works Department.

Boston, December 19, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

Because of the unusual conditions which often arise following snowstorms and the prolonged periods during which the equipment and necessary labor provided by contractors must be kept at work, the cost in some instances will be more than $1,000, necessitating, under the provisions of the City Charter, written contracts with the firms which have been engaged.

I consider it to the city's advantage to have the department in a position to call upon contractors to furnish labor and equipment, when and where required, when emergency occasions arise, and I respectfully request the authority of your Honor to dispense with advertising and to award contracts to the following-named firms and individuals to furnish labor and equipment when considered necessary for the years 1955 and 1956 to supplement the regular forces of the Public Works Department engaged in snow removal activities:

M. DeMatteo Construction Company, 200 Hancock street, Quincy.

James A. Freany, Inc., 1 West street, Hyde Park.

D. A. Rossano Construction Company, Inc., 401 Border street, East Boston.

Rufo Construction Company, Inc., 1 Allen street, Brighton.

Ward General Contracting Company, 157 Hampden street, Roxbury.

William G. Balch, 14 Humphreys place, Dorchester.

P. V. Barone Corporation, 70 Glencoe street, Brighton.

J. D'Amico, Inc., 49 Ellison avenue, Dorchester.

Joseph J. Struzziery, 115 Kittredge street, West Roxbury.

S. J. Tomasello Corporation, 25 Huntington avenue.

J. A. Singarella Company, 15 Bay street, Dorchester.

Paccella Brothers, Inc., 247 Washington street, Dedham.

C. & R. Construction Company, 75 Bradeen street, Roslindale.

Atlantic Roads Company, Inc., 358 Medford street, Charlestown.

Dooley Brothers, Inc., 39 George street, Roxbury.

Baker & Co., Inc., 3475 Washington street, Jamaica Plain.

M. J. Kelly Co., Inc., 75 Stedman street, Jamaica Plain.

Walsh Company, 55 Perham street, West Roxbury.

From a canvass conducted by the department, it has been ascertained that the firms named can furnish the equipment necessary to do the required snow removal work. Furthermore, advertising for bids would not, in my opinion, be practicable on account of the uncertainty of the amount of work to be done, and also because the contract involves the rental of equipment and the hiring of labor only, and the rates paid are in accordance with the prevailing rates established in this area for this type of work.

In the event this work becomes necessary, payment will be made in accordance with the schedule of rates established by this department as will be specifically set forth in the contract.

Respectfully yours,

George G. Hyland,
Commissioner of Public Works.

Real Property Department.

Boston, December 16, 1955.

Hon. John B. Hynes,
Mayor of Boston.

Dear Mr. Mayor:

On October 26, 1955, the City of Boston, acting by the Real Property Board, entered into a contract with William Nelson Jacobs Associates, Inc., providing for architectural and engineering services in connection with the preparation of plans and specifications for the construction of an off-street parking structure at Hayward place, Harrison Avenue Extension, and Norfolk place, Boston.

The contract was executed based on an estimated construction cost of $1,250,000, the architect-engineer's fee being stated therein as 5.83 per cent of the full amount of the cost of construction of the structure.

Upon further consideration and investigation, including additional consultations with the architect-engineer, the Real Property Board is now of the opinion that a more accurate approximate of the construction cost of the parking structure is $1,450,000. This most recent estimate of the construction cost will result in a reduction in the architect-engineer's fee from 5.83 per cent of the total construction cost to 5.7 per cent of said cost, all in accordance with standard A. I. A. fees paid for such services.

In the light of the foregoing, your authorization is respectfully requested to dispense with public advertising and to amend the principal contract by substituting the figure $1,450,000 for $1,250,000, wherever the same may appear in the contract, and by inserting 5.7 per cent in place of 5.83 per cent as the basic fee in the contract.

Respectfully submitted,

Herman Carp,
Commissioner of Real Property,
Chairman, Real Property Board.

CHANGES IN CONTRACT.

Department of School Buildings.

Martin J. Kelly Company, Inc., has been ordered to make the following changes in the contract for East Boston High School:

Item 1. Prime coat all windows and three doors with enamel undercoat. Paint with two coats of lead and oil paint to match new colors of trim in this room. Addition, $99.

Item 2. Furnish and install in that portion of wall where bookcase has been removed, new "peg board," approximately 62 inches by 58 inches. Do all necessary furring to terra cotta wall. Furnish and install new frame. Paint to match existing conditions. Addition, $116.

Item 3. Omit new showcase as called for on plans. Furnish and install "peg board" on sides and backs of Cabinets 1 and 3. Furnish and install wood drawer guides to Cabinet 2. Addition $75.

Total contract, $5,030.

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Rossano Construction Company, Inc., has been ordered to make the following change in the contract for the Girls' High School:

Furnish all labor and materials necessary to sand and refinish floors in hall and living rooms of domestic science suite.

For this additional work not called for in contract the sum of $80 will be added, making the account as follows: Contract price, $3,757; total additions, $80; amount of contract, $3,837.

Martin J. Kelly Company, Inc., has been ordered to make the following change in the contract for the Boston Trade High School:

Remove additional finished flooring and install as directed new screeds and underflooring and relay the finished flooring.

For this additional work the sum of $180 will be added, making the account as follows: Contract price, $1,920, total additions, $180, amount of contract, $2,100.

EXTENSION OF CONTRACTS.

DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract with Arthur H. Curtis Company for furnishing and installing new oil burners at the Hyde Park High School from December 15, 1955, to January 25, 1956. This extension was requested because of a water condition at the school causing a delay in the progress of installation.

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Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract approved October 6, 1955 with Rossano Construction Company, Inc., for alterations at the Girls' High School from November 10, 1955, to March 1, 1956. This extension was requested because of a delay in receiving a special sink from manufacturer.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract dated October 10, 1955, with Old Colony Construction Company of Quincy, Vernon street, Quincy, for work on Huntington avenue from November 21, 1955, to June 30, 1956. This is a Chapter 90 project. This extension was granted in line with the State Department of Public Works having voted to extend the time limit.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract dated July 25, 1955, with S. J. Tomasello Corporation, 25 Huntington avenue, for bituminous concrete pavement in Chiswick terrace, etc., from December 31, 1955, to June 30, 1956. This extension was requested because the contractor was unable to complete the contract due to inclement weather.

Approval has been given for an extension of time for the completion of the contract dated August 31, 1955 with S. J. Tomasello Corporation, 25 Huntington avenue, for bituminous concrete pavement and sewerage works in Mt. Vernon street, from William T. Morrissey Boulevard to about 3,600 feet east of William T. Morrissey Boulevard from December 31, 1955, to June 30, 1956. This extension was requested because the contractor was unable to complete the contract due to inclement weather.

EXTRA WORK UNDER CONTRACT.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

S. J. Tomasello Corporation has been directed to perform the following extra work under the contract, dated July 13, 1955, for bituminous concrete pavement in Burr street, Carolina avenue, Cheshire street, Dane street, Hawthorne street, Heathcote street, Perkins street, and Sedgwick street.

In Carolina avenue, in existing backfilled trenches over lighting conduits excavate earth to a depth of 6 inches, remove pavement for a distance of 6 inches on each side, and place a 6-inch concrete mat flush with existing pavement. A 6-inch shoulder shall be provided around the perimeter of all openings to insure a bearing for the concrete mat on undisturbed soil. This work is to be done by compressor and hand labor, and high early strength Portland cement concrete shall be used for the concrete mat. There is approximately 90.2 square yards of this work, and the price to be paid is to be $5 per square yard. Estimated cost of extra work, $451.

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Kane & Diaferio Construction Company has been directed to perform the following extra work under the contract dated August 31, 1955, for construction of addition to Public Works Department Garage at Highland street, Roxbury.

Furnish all materials, labor, and incidental work necessary to fireproof two beams at addition to Highland Street Garage for the lump sum of $675. This lump sum amount is to include all overhead and profit for any contractors involved in the performance of the above work. Also included in the lump sum amount is any insurance or governmental contributions to be paid by the contractor. Estimated cost of extra work, $675.

EXTENSION OF MAPLE STREET, WEST ROXBURY.

The Public Improvement Commission has ordered that a public improvement be made, consisting of the laying out and construction of an extension of Maple street (formerly Addington road), West Roxbury district, from Maple street to Corey street.

An extension of the highway named Maple street is hereby laid out from Maple street to Corey street (formerly a part of Addington road) and ordered constructed.

Said highway and the land, exclusive of trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed thereto, in which an easement for street purposes is hereby taken, is bounded and described as follows:

Southeasterly by the existing public portion of Maple street, forty and 71/100 feet; again southeasterly by the southeasterly line of Maple street by two measurements as hereby laid out, six hundred thirty-six and 80/100 feet and twenty-three and 49/100 feet on a curve of three hundred ninety-one and 75/100 feet radius; southwesterly by the northeasterly line of Corey street, forty and 73/100 feet; northwesterly by the northwesterly line of Maple Street Extension as hereby laid out by two measurements, six hundred nine and 30/100 feet and ninety-two and 73/100 feet on a curve of three hundred sixty-eight and 75/100 feet radius; northeasterly by the northeasterly line of said Maple Street Extension as hereby laid out, forty-three and 53/100 feet.

Trees, shrubs, or structures standing upon or affixed to the aforedescribed land shall be removed therefrom within thirty days following a notice of the city's intention to enter upon said land for the purpose of constructing said improvement.

Betterments are to be assessed for the making of the aforesaid improvement.

Ordered, That this commission estimates that the abutting parcels of land situated on both sides of said Maple street will receive benefit or advantage, beyond the general advantage to all real estate in said city, from the improvement herein ordered; each of said parcels in the amounts hereinafter respectively set against it; said parcels and the supposed owners thereof being shown on a plan hereinbefore referred to and on file in the office of said department.

Parcel.		Amount.
1.	Frank W. and Eleanor Johannson	$196 08
2.	Edmund J. Burke and Ruth E. Burke	408 12
3.	Francis S. Holt, Trustee for John P. Holt	265 88
4.	Ida Abramson	215 04
5.	Morris and Bessie Gelstein	249 68
6.	Athansios & Fotini A. Lokis	240 00
7.	Simon and Esther R. Hoffman	261 68
8.	Catherine A. & Dora T. Mullen	244 24
9.	Agnes F. and Catherine D. Concannon	135 32
10.	Michael E. and Anna M. Keane	211 52
11.	Albert and Esther Spector	205 80
12.	Alfonso H. and Grace A. Magliaro	175 12
13.	Frances E. Harney	196 28
14.	John T. and Florence R. Donovan	180 12
15.	William J. and Eleanor M. Mitchell	196 00
		$3,410 88

Voted, That this commission determines that no person sustains damages in his estate by the making of the public improvement consisting of the laying out and construction of an extension of Maple Street (formerly a part of Addington road), West Roxbury district, from Maple street to Corey street, under the order of this commission of December 14, 1955, and awards no damages therefor.

NEW GAS MAIN FOR DEDHAM STREET, HYDE PARK.

The Public Improvement Commission has granted permission to Worcester Gas Light Company, 1176 River street, Hyde Park, to place and maintain an underground structure (4-inch welded steel gas main) in Dedham street, Hyde Park, starting at Reservation road and continuing southwesterly for a distance of 260 feet, substantially as shown on a plan marked "Proposed Main Extension of 260 feet of 4-inch Welded Steel Gas Main on Dedham Street, Between Reservation Road and Franklin Street, Hyde Park, Worcester Gas Light Co., October 3, 1955," and filed in the office of the Commissioner of Public Works.

The Commissioner of Public Works is hereby authorized to issue permits for opening and occupying the street for placing and maintaining said main, under the conditions set forth in the city ordinances, and such other terms and conditions as the said Commissioner may deem proper.

The work of locating said main is to be subject to the approval of said Public Works Commissioner, and the street above referred to is to be kept open for both pedestrian and vehicular traffic during the laying and construction of said main.

TRANSFERS OF APPROPRIATIONS.

The Mayor has approved the following requests for transfers of appropriations:

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Sanatorium Division.

From 260, Repairs and Maintenance of Structures and Buildings, $1,200, to 590, Other Equipment, $1,200.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

House of Correction.

From Group 5, Equipment, $100, to 120, Overtime, $400.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

From Sanitary Division, 100, Permanent Employees, $1,500, to Automotive Division, 300, Automotive Supplies and Materials, $1,500.

Sanitary Division.

From 250, Removal and Disposal of Garbage and Waster $200, to 196, Rents, Taxes, and Licenses, $200.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Collecting Division.

From Building Department, 100, Personal Services, $1,111.18, to 110, Temporary Employees, $1,269.15, 120, Overtime, $3,141.73.

Treasury Division.

From 200, Contractual Services, $5,000, United States Bond Allotment Plan, $2,388.26, to 100, Personal Services, $7,104.15; 100, Current Charges, $283.81.

SUFFOLK COUNTY.

MUNICIPAL COURT, SOUTH BOSTON DISTRICT.

From 100, Permanent Employees, $75, to 590, Miscellaneous Equipment, $75.

POLICE DEPARTMENT ORDERS.

General Order No. 2,145.

It gives me pleasure to extend to every member of the department my sincere wish that the coming Christmas may be for them and their loved ones a day of happiness and that the New Year may bring them many blessings.

At this time I wish, also, to thank all who by their work during the year which is closing have brought credit to the department and our city which it serves.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

General Order No. 2,146.

The resignation of Patrolman Paul F. Carey of Division 10 having been presented, it is hereby accepted, to take effect as of Monday, December 26, 1955, at 7.45 o'clock A.M., seven days' notice waived.

The Superintendent of Police will promulgate this order.

THOMAS F. SULLIVAN,
Police Commissioner.

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

The Mayor, upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel, has approved the following claims:

Salvatore Busheine, 41 Wordsworth street, East Boston, in the sum of $490, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the crosswalk opposite 217 East Eagle street, July 18, 1955.

Anna Lasco, 25 Saratoga street, East Boston, in the sum of $485, as compensation for personal injuries caused by broken curbing on the sideawlk in front of 26 Central square, East Boston, March 21, 1955.

Edward Hession, 290 Bacon street, Waltham, in the sum of $300, as compensation for personal injuries caused by bolts protruding from the sidewalk on Brattle street, adjoining the rear of the building at 105 Washington street, March 2, 1955.

Jeremiah P. Driscoll, 41 Condor street, East Boston, in the sum of $55, as a result of an aecident which occurred on August 22, 1955, when a motor vehicle belonging to the Printing Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Harry L. Baker.

Biagio B. Bordonaro, 152 Prince street, Boston, in the sum of $73.88, as a result of an accident which occurred on October 2, 1954, when a motor truck belonging to the Fire Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Frank Bianchi.

Francis V. Ryan, 109 Centre street, Roxbury, in the sum of $166.51, as a result of an accident which occurred on March 16, 1955, when a motor vehicle belonging to the Traffic Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by John J. Wallace, causing damage to same and personal injuries to the operator, Lillian Wallace.

Francis V. Ryan, 109 Centre street, Roxbury, in the sum of $270, as a result of an accident which occurred on March 16, 1955, when a motor vehicle belonging to the Traffic Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by John J. Wallace.

Daniel J. O'Shea, 582 South street, Roslindale, in the sum of $335, as a result of an accident which occurred on July 5, 1955, when a motor vehicle belonging to the Police Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Frances Rotondo, causing damage to same and personal injuries to Henry Smith, a passenger.

Daniel J. O'Shea, 582 South street, Roslindale, in the sum of $320, as a result of an accident which occurred on July 5, 1955, when a motor vehicle belonging to the Police Department, which he was operating, collided with an automboile owned by Frances Rotondo, causing personal injuries to the operator, Joseph A. Rotondo.

Arthur J. Queeney, 12 Crockett avenue, Dorchester, in the sum of $36.55, as a result of an accident which occurred on October 1, 1954, when a motor vehicle belonging to the Police Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Peter F. Tague, Jr.

Richard L. Gates, 194 Lamartine street, Jamaica Plain, in the sum of $31.47, as a result of an accident which occurred on April 24, 1955, when a motor vehicle belonging to the Police Department, which he was operating, collided with a truck owned by Peter Femino.

George Flanagan, 157 Roxbury street, Roxbury, in the sum of $483.94, as a result of an accident which occurred on August 23, 1954, when a motor vehicle belonging to the Parks and Recreation Department, which he was operating, collided with a bus owned by the Almeida Bus Lines.

John F. Booth, 15 Bentham road, Dorchester, in the sum of $37.48, as a result of an accident which occurred on August 21, 1954, when a motor truck belonging to the Fire Department, which he was operating, collided with an automobile owned by Robert P. Forti.

Mary Caterius, 34 Vale street, Roxbury, in the sum of $485, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the crosswalk opposite 268 Brookline avenue, December 12, 1951.

Irene Yates, 96 Harrishof street, Roxbury, in the sum of $150, as compensation for damage to automobile caused by a dead tree which was blown down on August 19, 1955, and landed on the roof of her parked car.

Frances Pittella, 215 Princeton street, East Boston, in the sum of $180, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a raised portion of the sidewalk in front of 162 Marion street, August 9, 1955.

Joseph Weinrebe, 100 Harvard street, Dorchester, in the sum of $315, as compensation for personal injuries to his daughter, Judith, a minor, caused by a hole in the sidewalk on Blue Hill avenue, near the corner of Seaver street, October 31, 1950.

Robert B. Shaw, 15 Coleman street, Dorchester, in the sum of $31.68, as compensation for damage to automobile caused by a Water Division excavation in the highway on Hancock street, Dorchester, between DeWolf and Pleasant streets, July 2, 1955.

Robert Moy, 8 Oxford place, Boston, in the sum of $55, as compensation for damage to property caused by a leak in the water main on February 2, 1955.

Mary C. Cahill, 49 Burbank street, Boston, in the sum of $46.20, as compensation for damage to automobile caused by a hole in the highway opposite 307 Morton street, May 2, 1955.

Anna Walnic, 22 Cedrus avenue, Roslindale, in the sum of $490, as compensation for personal injuries caused by broken curbing in front of 193 D street, South Boston, January 27, 1955.

Wesley and Doris Dilworth, 86 Ruthven street, Roxbury, in the sum of $295, as compensation for damage to property in cellar of above premises caused by the backing up of a sewer on February 11 and 22, 1955.

Shahen Johnson, 29 Magnolia street, Dorchester, to be reimbursed in the sum of $50, for expense incurred in excavating to locate a water leak which later was found to be on city property, January 21, 1955.

Saveria Boncoddo, 248 Waverly avenue, Watertown, in the sum of $295, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the roadway at Boylston street and The Fenway, August 20, 1955.

Peter Canto, 157 Endicott street, Boston, in the sum of $350, as compensation for personal injuries caused by broken curbing on Endicott street, near corner of North Margin street, May 14, 1955.

Albert Y. Chin, 229 Harrison avenue, Boston, in the sum of $32, as compensation for damage to automobile caused by a hole in the highway on Columbus avenue, near intersection of Whittier street, February 6, 1955.

Eugenio J. Colucci, 37 Cooper street, Boston, in the sum of $395, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a broken curbing at the corner of Union and Washington streets, on June 13, 1955.

Michael DePietro, father of Michael DePietro, Jr., a minor, 10 Glover court, South Boston, in the sum of $210, as compensation for personal injuries to his son caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 1 Glover court, June 7, 1955.

Thirlmor S. Hornbrook, 266 Cornell street, Roslindale, in the sum of $465, as compensation for damage to property caused during the reconstruction of Cornell street by the Public Works Department in March, 1955.

James J. Lynch, 810 East Fourth street, South Boston, to be reimbursed in the sum of $60, as a result of an accident which occurred on September 20, 1954, when a motor truck belonging to the Sanitary Division, Public Works Department, which he was operating, collided with a truck owned by Leo P. Shumavon.

Ethel Helman, 80 Kilsyth road, Brighton, in the sum of $355, as compensation for personal injuries caused by a hole in the sidewalk in front of 77 Lanark road, Brighton, February 9, 1952.

NEW SCHOOL COMMITTEE TO ORGANIZE 11 A.M. TUESDAY.

The meeting for organization of the School Committee of the City of Boston will be held in the Administration Building, 15 Beacon street, on Tuesday, January 3, 1956, at 11 A.M.

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PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING TOWELING FOR THE PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT.

Proposals may be obtained at Room 53, City Hall. At this room the bids will be opened and read Friday, January 13, 1956, at 12 M. The bidder must leave his proposal with a certified check for $100, payable to and to become the property of the City of Boston if the proposal is not carried out. A duplicate bid, without check, must be left with the Auditor prior to the time for opening bids. Envelopes containing bids to be sealed and marked "Proposal for Toweling." The successful bidder must furnish a faithful performance bond for one half the total estimated amonnt of the contract with a surety company authorized to do business in Massachusetts. The Purchasing Agent reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids, or any part of a bid, and to award the contract as he deems for the best interests of the city.

JOHN V. MORAN,
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(Dec. 31.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

CHANGES IN TRAFFIC REGULATIONS.

Voted, That the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective January 9, 1956:

Article IV-A, Section 4, Part 3, is amended by adding in the first phrase of the second paragraph after the word "plate" the following:

"nor to any vehicle bearing a handicapped operator plate"

so that the paragraph will read as follows:

"The provisions of the preceding section shall not apply to any vehicle bearing a "V" registration plate nor to any vehicle bearing a handicapped operator plate, issued by the Registrar of Motor Vehicles under the provisions of section 2 of chapter 90 of the General Laws, except in streets in the section of Downtown Boston, hereinafter described and bounded, where parking of vehicles is otherwise prohibited under the provisions of Article IV-A, section 4, part 2, of these Traffic Rules and Regulations."

A true excerpt from the minutes of the December 15, 1955, meeting of the Boston Traffic Commission.

Attest:

WM. T. DOYLE, *Executive Secretary.*

(Dec. 31-Jan. 7.)

CITY OF BOSTON.

BOSTON TRAFFIC COMMISSION.

CHANGES IN TRAFFIC REGULATIONS.

Voted, That the Traffic Rules and Regulations of the City of Boston are amended as follows, effective January 9, 1956:

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out the following:

Braintree Street, Brighton.
South side, from a point sixty-five (65) feet west of Franklin street to Franklin street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Chestnut Street, Boston Proper.
Both sides, from Walnut street to Willow street, 24 hours.
North side, from Willow street to Charles street, 24 hours.

Corey Road, Brighton.
Southeast side, from Washington street to Westbourne terrace, 24 hours.

Richmond Street, Boston Proper.
Southwest side, from Commercial street to North street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from North street to Hanover street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," each of the following:

Chestnut Street.
North side, from Walnut street to Charles street, 24 hours.

North Margin Street.
East and northeast sides, from Stillman street to Endicott street, 24 hours.
Both sides, from North Margin Street conrt to La Fayette avenue, 24 hours.

Richmond Street.
Southwest side, from Commercial street to Fulton street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
Both sides, from Fulton street to Hanover street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Brighton," each of the following:

Braintree Street.
South side, from Everett street to Franklin street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Corey Road.
Southeast side, from Washington street to Kelton street, 24 hours.

Mapleton Street.
North side, from Murdock street to Market street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Hyde Park," each of the following:

Dana Avenue.
Southwest side, from Hyde Park avenue to a point one hundred and twenty-five (125) feet southeast of Hyde Park avenue, 24 hours.

River Street.
North and west sides, from Hillis road to Gordon avenue, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Wakullah Street.
Southeast side, from Dale street to Rockland street, 24 hours.

Article IV, Section 3, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "West Roxbury," each of the following:

Cheshire Street.
East side, from Green street to a point two hundred and fifty (250) feet north of Green street, 24 hours.

Dunwell Street.
South side, from Baker street to a point one hundred and eighty (180) feet west of Baker street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 5, Part 3 (Restrictions in Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by striking out the following:

High Street, Boston Proper.
Northwest side, from Broad street to Federal street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

South Street, Boston Proper.
West side, from Summer street to Kneeland street, 9.30 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 6, Part 3 (Restrictions in Cent and Five Cent Parking Meter Zones), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Columbine Street.
North side, from Blue Hill avenue to a point one hundred (100) feet east of Blue Hill avenue, 8 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV, Section 11, Part 1 (Backing of Vehicles Prohibited), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," each of the following:

High Street.
Both sides, from Broad street to Summer street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

South Street.
Both sides, from Summer street to Kneeland street, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV-A, Section 4, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by striking out the following:

High Street, Boston Proper.
Sontheast side, from Broad street to Summer street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.
North side, from Federal street to Summer street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

South Street, Boston Proper.
East side, from Summer street to Kneeland street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Winter Street, Boston Proper.
Northeast side, from a point thirty-five (35) feet northwest of Washington street to Tremont street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article IV-A, Section 4, Part 2 (Prohibition of Parking), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement each of the following:

Central Street.
South side, from Atlantic avenue to the John F. Fitzgerald Expressway surface road, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

High Street.
Both sides, from Broad street to Summer street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

South Street.
Both sides, from Summer street to Kneeland street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Winter Street.
Northeast side, from a point thirty-five (35) feet northwest of Washington street to Music Hall place, 24 hours.
Northeast side, from Music Hall place to Tremont street, 7 A.M. to 6 P.M.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement nnder the caption "Boston Proper," the following:

North Margin Street.
From Endicott street to Stillman street.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "East Boston," the following:

Princeton Street.
From Meridian street to Eagle square.

Article V, Section 1 (One-Way Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Regent Street.
From Warren street to Dale street.

Article VI, Section 10 (Left Turns Prohibited), is amended by striking out the following:

Longwood Avenue, Roxbury.
Into Riverway, southerly, 3 P.M. to 7 P.M.

Article VI, Section 10 (Left Turns Prohibited), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," the following:

Congress Street.
Into Dock square, westerly.

Article VI, Section 10 (Left Turns Prohibited), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Longwood Avenue.
Into Riverway, southerly, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article VI, Section 11 (Only Right Tnrn Movements Permitted), is amended by striking out the following:

Longwood Avenue, Roxbnry.
Into Riverway, southerly, 3 P.M. to 7 P.M.

Article VI, Section 11 (Only Right Turn Movements Permitted), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Longwood Avenue.
Into Riverway, southerly, 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Boston Proper," the following:

Cambridge Street.
At Grove street.
At North Grove street.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Dorchester," the following:

Morton Street.
At Corbet street.
At Selden street.
At West Selden street.

Article VI, Section 17 (Isolated "Stop" Streets), is amended by inserting in its proper place in the alphabetical arrangement under the caption "Roxbury," the following:

Huntington Avenue.
At Parker Hill avenue.

A true excerpt from the minutes of the December 15, 1955, meeting of the Boston Traffic Commission.

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W. T. DOYLE, *Executive Secretary.*

(Dec. 31-Jan. 7.)

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